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Table 1. Reported national breeding population size and trends in Europe¹.

Country (or territory) ²	Population estimate				Short-term population trend ⁴				Long-term population trend ⁴				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (pairs) ³	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Quality	Direction ⁵	Magnitude (%) ⁶	Year(s)	Quality	Direction ⁵	Magnitude (%) ⁶	Year(s)	Quality	
Albania	90-250	<1	2002-2012	poor	-	10-17	2002-2012	poor	-	10-30	1980-2012	poor	
Andorra	15-20	<1	1999-2002	medium	?				?				
Armenia	100-150	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	3,500-5,000	1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	?				A. n. nisus
Azerbaijan	200-500	<1	1996-2000	poor	?				?				
Belarus	6,500-8,500	2	1998-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Belgium	4,200-5,200	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	poor	+	1300-1633	1973-2012	poor	A. n. nisus
Bosnia & HG	1,000-2,000	<1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	1,000-2,300	<1	2005-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	+	100-200	1980-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
Croatia	4,500-5,500	1	2010	poor	?				?				
Czech Rep.	3,500-4,500	1	2012	medium	F	0	2000-2012	good	0	0	1982-2012	good	A. n. nisus
Denmark	2,100	<1	2011	medium	-	33-50	1999-2011	good	0	0	1980-2011	good	A. n. nisus
Estonia	2,000-3,000	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0-10	2001-2012	medium	0	0-10	1980-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
Finland	9,300-9,400	2	1998-2012	medium	0	0	1998-2012	medium	0	0	1986-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
France	30,750	6	2004-2008	good	-	19-21	2000-2008	medium	+	73-78	1979-2008	medium	A. n. nisus
Georgia	750-800	<1	2001-2012	medium	+	0-60	2000-2012	medium	+	36-100	1980-2012	medium	
Germany	22,000-34,000	6	2005-2009	good	-	8-30	1998-2009	good	+	31-100	1988-2009	medium	A. n. nisus
Greece	3,000-6,000	1	2008-2012	poor	0	0	2001-2012	medium	?				A. n. nisus
Hungary	3,300-4,300	1	2000-2012	medium	?				+	330-450	1990-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
Rep. Ireland	18,200-29,660	5	2006-2011	medium	0	0	1998-2011	good	?				A. n. nisus
Italy	2,000-4,000	1	2012	poor	?				+		1980-2012	poor	A. n. nisus
Kosovo	120-160	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Latvia	2,524-31,766	2	2011	poor	-	60-100	2005-2012	poor	+	0-632	1994-2010	poor	A. n. nisus
Liechtenstein	10-15	<1	2009-2014	medium	0	0	2003-2014	medium	0	0	1980-2014	medium	
Lithuania	4,000-6,000	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
Luxembourg	200-300	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	+	10-20	1980-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
FYRO Macedonia	200-600	<1	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Moldova	30-60	<1	2000-2010	medium	F	0	2000-2010	medium	F	0	1980-2010	medium	
Montenegro	200-300	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Netherlands	3,000-3,750	1	2008-2011	medium	-	14-33	2002-2011	good	0	0	1984-2011	good	A. n. nisus
Norway	3,000-6,000	1	2013	poor	F	0	2001-2013	poor	F	0	1980-2013	poor	
Poland	20,500-39,000	6	2008	poor	0	0	2000-2012	good	?				A. n. nisus

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Portugal	500-1,500	<1	2008-2012	poor	?				?				A. n. nisus
PT: Madeira	100-500	<1	2009-2012	poor	?				0	0	1980-2012	poor	A. n. granti
Romania	4,000-12,000	1	2001-2013	poor	?				?				A. n. nisus
Russia	160,000-180,000	35	2000-2004	medium	0	0	2000-2012	poor	+	5-30	1980-2012	medium	
Serbia	1,450-1,700	<1	2008-2012	medium	+	10-29	2000-2012	medium	+	10-29	1980-2012	medium	
Slovakia	1,500-3,000	<1	2012	medium	+	10-20	2000-2012	medium	+	10-30	1980-2012	medium	A. n. nisus
Slovenia	2,000-3,000	1	2001-2012	medium	?				?				A. n. nisus
Spain	13,520-14,090	3	2009-2010	good	0	0	1998-2011	good	0	0	1980-2011	poor	A. n. nisus
ES: Canary Is	250-1,000	<1	1997-2003	medium	+		2001-2012	poor	+		1980-2012	poor	A. n. granti
Sweden	22,000-66,000	9	2008-2012	medium	+	10-40	2001-2012	good	+	50-100	1980-2012	good	A. n. nisus
Switzerland	3,000-4,000	1	2005-2009	medium	+	14-29	2001-2012	medium	+	2-32	1990-2012	medium	
Turkey	3,000-7,000	1	2013	poor	?				-	0-19	1990-2013	poor	
Ukraine	4,500-7,600	1	2000	medium	F	5-15	2001-2012	medium	F	10-25	1980-2012	medium	
United Kingdom	35,000	7	2009	medium	-	12	1998-2010	good	+	41	1980-2010	good	A. n. nisus
EU27	214,000-357,000	57			Decreasing								
Europe	403,000-582,000	100			Stable								

¹ See 'Sources' at end of factsheet, and for more details on individual EU Member State reports, see the Article 12 reporting portal at <http://bd.eionet.europa.eu/article12/report>.

² The designation of geographical entities and the presentation of the material do not imply the expression of any opinion whatsoever on the part of IUCN or BirdLife International concerning the legal status of any country, territory or area, or of its authorities, or concerning the delimitation of its frontiers or boundaries.

³ In the few cases where population size estimates were reported in units other than those specified, they were converted to the correct units using standard correction factors.

⁴ The robustness of regional trends to the effects of any missing or incomplete data was tested using plausible scenarios, based on other sources of information, including any other reported information, recent national Red Lists, scientific literature, other publications and consultation with relevant experts.

⁵ Trend directions are reported as: increasing (+); decreasing (-); stable (0); fluctuating (F); or unknown (?).

⁶ Trend magnitudes are rounded to the nearest integer.

Trend maps

A symbol appears in each country where the species occurs: the shape and colour of the symbol represent the population trend in that country, and the size of the symbol corresponds to the proportion of the European population occurring in that country.

KEY

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|---|----------------------------------|
| ↑ Large increase ($\geq 50\%$) | ↓ Large decrease ($\geq 50\%$) |
| ↑ Moderate increase (20–49%) | ↓ Moderate decrease (20–49%) |
| ↑ Small increase ($< 20\%$) | ↓ Small decrease ($< 20\%$) |
| ↑ Increase of unknown magnitude | ↓ Decrease of unknown magnitude |
| ■ Stable or fluctuating | |
| □ Unknown | |
| ○ Present (no population or trend data) | |
| × Extinct since 1980 | |

Each symbol, with the exception of Present and Extinct, may occur in up to three different size classes, corresponding to the proportion of the European population occurring in that country.

- ↑ Large: $\geq 10\%$ of the European population
- ↑ Medium: 1–9% of the European population
- ↑ Small: $< 1\%$ of the European population

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Figure 1. Breeding population sizes and short-term trends across Europe.

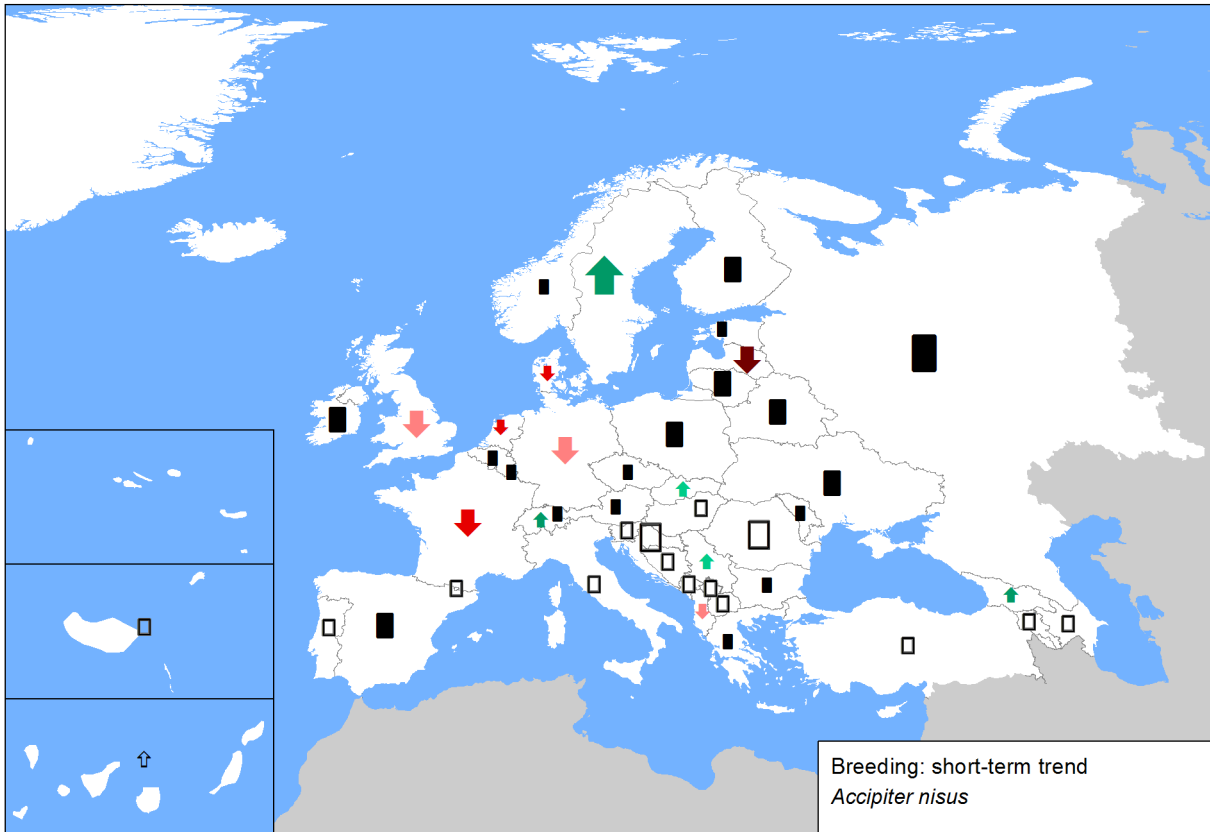
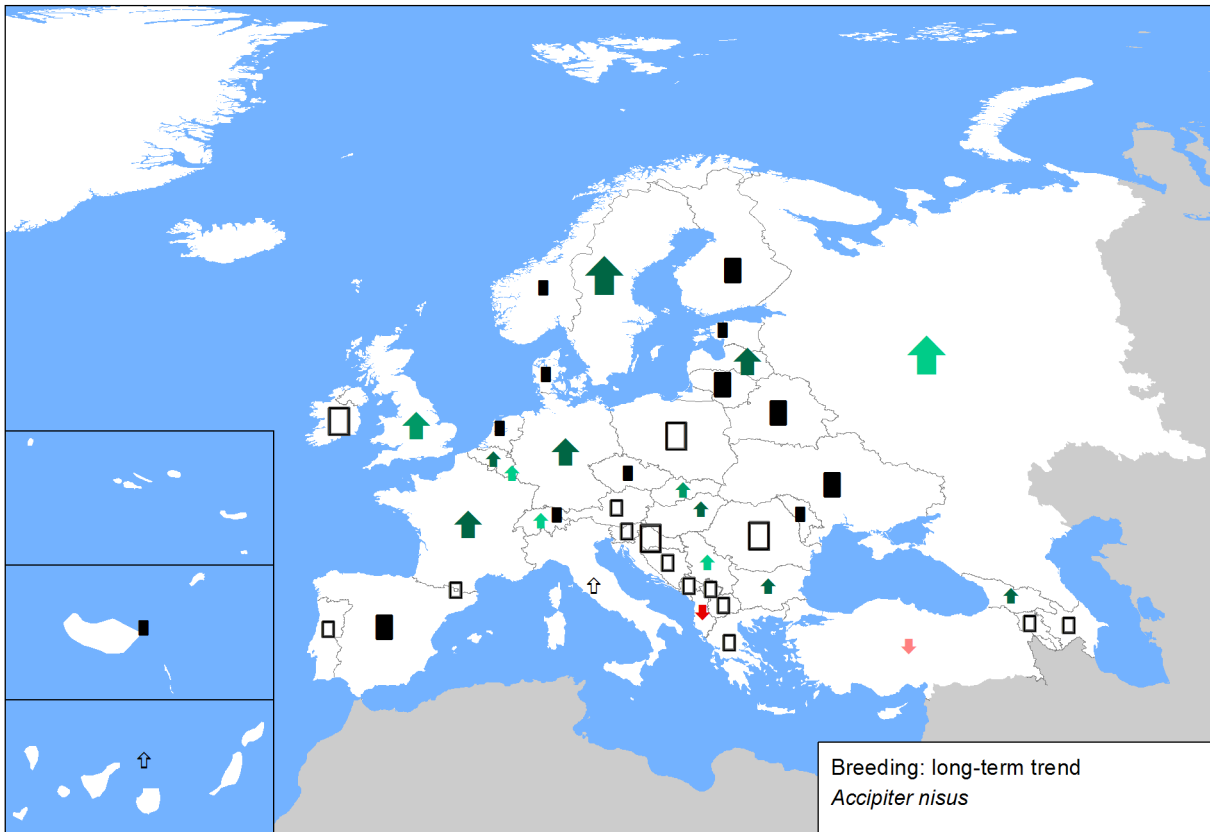


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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