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## ***Accipiter gentilis (Northern Goshawk)***

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#### **Recommended citation**

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#### **Further information**

- <http://www.birdlife.org/datazone/info/euroredlist>
- <http://www.birdlife.org/europe-and-central-asia/european-red-list-birds-0>
- <http://www.iucnredlist.org/initiatives/europe>
- <http://ec.europa.eu/environment/nature/conservation/species/redlist/>

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**Table 1.** Reported national breeding population size and trends in Europe<sup>1</sup>.

Country (or territory) <sup>2</sup>	Population estimate				Short-term population trend <sup>4</sup>				Long-term population trend <sup>4</sup>				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (pairs) <sup>3</sup>	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Quality	Direction <sup>5</sup>	Magnitude (%) <sup>6</sup>	Year(s)	Quality	Direction <sup>5</sup>	Magnitude (%) <sup>6</sup>	Year(s)	Quality	
Albania	90-250	<1	2002-2012	poor	-	10-17	2002-2012	poor	-	10-30	1980-2012	poor	
Andorra	6-8	<1	1999-2002	medium	?				?				
Armenia	5-30	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	1,100-1,800	1	2001-2012	medium	-	10-30	2001-2012	medium	?				A. g. gentilis
Azerbaijan	50-200	<1	1996-2000	poor	?				?				
Belarus	3,500-5,000	2	1998-2012	medium	0	0	1998-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Belgium	770-1,100	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	poor	+	285-746	1973-2012	poor	A. g. gentilis
Bosnia & HG	2,000-3,000	1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	560-970	<1	2005-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	poor	A. g. gentilis
Croatia	3,000-3,500	2	2010	poor	?				?				
Cyprus	80-120	<1	2008-2012	medium	+	100-150	2001-2012	medium	+	200-300	1980-2012	poor	
Czech Rep.	1,800-2,500	1	2012	medium	F	0	2000-2012	good	0	0	1982-2012	good	A. g. gentilis
Denmark	270	<1	2011	medium	-	50-100	1999-2011	good	-	33-50	1980-2011	good	A. g. gentilis
Estonia	400-600	<1	2008-2012	medium	-	20-50	2001-2012	medium	-	50-70	1980-2012	medium	A. g. gentilis
Finland	4,200-4,300	2	1998-2012	good	-	20-22	1998-2012	good	-	12-13	1982-2012	good	A. g. gentilis
France	4,000-5,100	2	2008	good	-	18	1999-2009	good	+	18-38	1980-2012	medium	A. g. gentilis
France	70-100	<1	2010	medium	?				?				A. g. arrigonii
Georgia	230-350	<1	2005-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Germany	11,500-16,000	7	2005-2009	good	-	1-16	1998-2009	good	0	0	1986-2009	good	A. g. gentilis
Greece	1,000-1,200	1	2008-2012	poor	?				?				A. g. gentilis
Hungary	800-1,300	1	2000-2011	poor	-	30-60	2001-2012	poor	-	55-60	1980-2012	poor	A. g. gentilis
Italy	800-1,750	1	2012	poor	+		2001-2012	poor	+		1980-2012	poor	A. g. gentilis
Italy	40-65	<1	2013	medium	?				-	5-20	1990-2012	medium	A. g. arrigonii
Kosovo	30-60	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Latvia	451-1,016	<1	2000-2004	medium	F	0-300	2005-2012	poor	-	49-85	1994-2004	medium	A. g. gentilis
Liechtenstein	3-5	<1	2009-2014	poor	-	10-30	2003-2014	poor	0	0	1980-2014	poor	
Lithuania	500-800	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	A. g. gentilis
Luxembourg	50-60	<1	2008-2012	medium	F	0-20	2000-2012	medium	-	0-20	1980-2012	medium	A. g. gentilis
FYRO Macedonia	100-300	<1	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Moldova	40-70	<1	2000-2010	medium	0	0	2000-2010	medium	F	0	1980-2010	medium	
Montenegro	100-200	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Netherlands	2,034-2,260	1	2008-2011	medium	+	6-35	2002-2011	good	+	100-115	1984-2011	good	A. g. gentilis

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Norway	1,400-1,900	1	2000-2013	good	0	0	2001-2013	good	-	2-53	1980-2013	good	
Poland	4,700-6,200	3	2010-2012	good	-	10-60	2000-2012	good	?				A. g. gentilis
Portugal	300-500	<1	2008-2012	poor	?				?				A. g. gentilis
Romania	3,000-8,000	3	2001-2013	poor	-	10-50	2001-2013	poor	?				A. g. gentilis
Russia	90,000-110,000	52	2000-2005	medium	0	0	2000-2012	poor	+	10-30	1980-2012	good	
Serbia	900-1,150	1	2008-2012	medium	-	10-29	2000-2012	medium	-	10-29	1980-2012	medium	
Slovakia	900-1,200	1	2012	medium	-	10-20	2000-2012	medium	-	20-40	1980-2012	poor	A. g. gentilis
Slovenia	500-1,000	<1	2001-2013	medium	0	0	2001-2012	poor	0	0	1980-2012	poor	A. g. gentilis
Spain	11,170-11,520	6	2009-2013	good	0	0	1998-2011	good	0	0	1980-2011	medium	A. g. gentilis
Sweden	4,500-11,000	4	2010-2012	medium	-	20-50	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	A. g. gentilis
Switzerland	1,400-1,600	1	2005-2009	medium	0	0	2001-2012	poor	0	0	1990-2012	poor	
Turkey	500-800	<1	2013	poor	?				0	0-19	1990-2013	poor	
Ukraine	6,900-10,300	4	2000	medium	F	5-25	2001-2012	medium	F	25-30	1980-2012	medium	
United Kingdom	280-430	<1	2006-2010	medium	+	59	1996-2008	good	+	822	1980-2008	good	A. g. gentilis
EU27	55,800-81,200	35			Decreasing								
Europe	166,000-220,000	100			Decreasing								

<sup>1</sup> 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>.

<sup>2</sup> 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.

<sup>3</sup> 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.

<sup>4</sup> 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.

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

<sup>6</sup> 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

- |                                  |                                  |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| ▲ 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  |

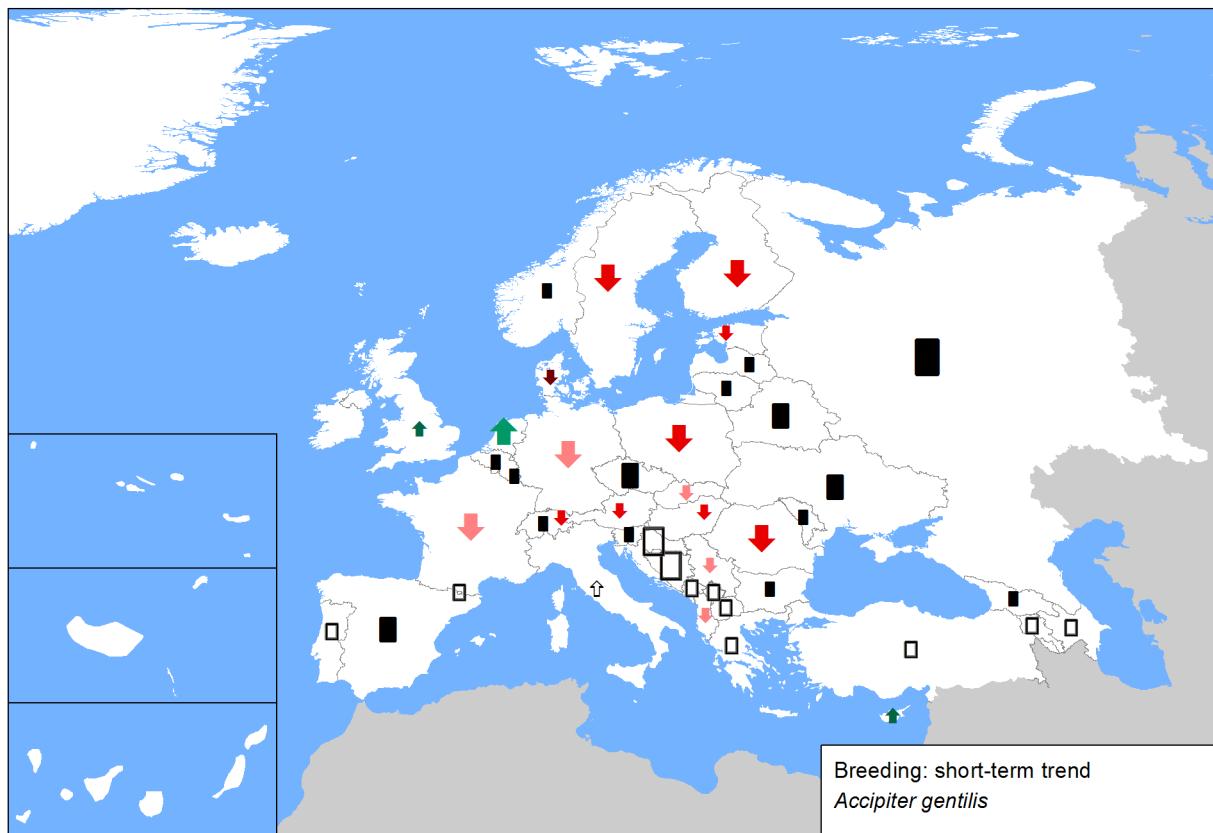
- Stable or fluctuating
- Unknown
- Present (no population or trend data)
- ✗ Extinct since 1980

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.

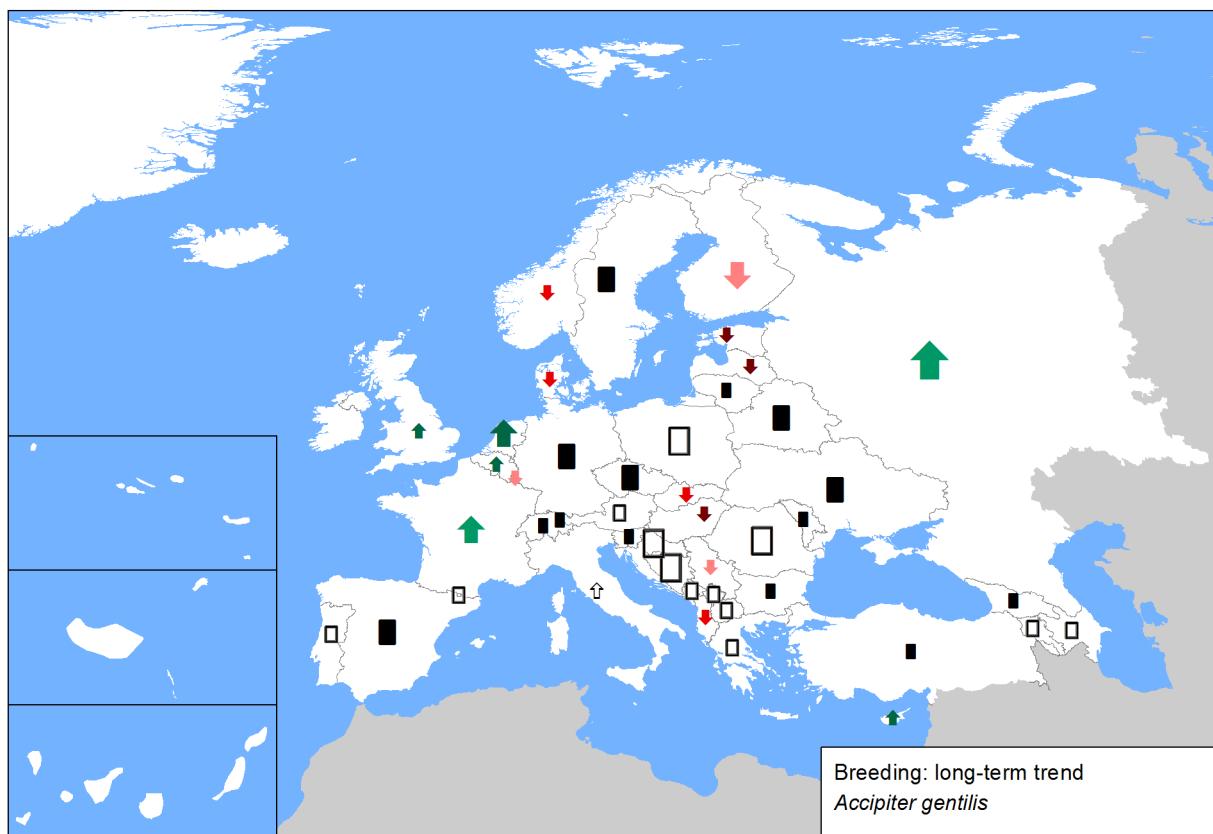
- ↑ Large:  $\geq 10\%$  of the European population
- ↑ Medium: 1–9% of the European population
- ↑ Small: <1% of the European population

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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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