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***Corvus corax* (Common Raven)**

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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	2,500-5,000	<1	2002-2012	medium	+	5-10	2002-2012	poor	+	5-10	1980-2012	poor	
Andorra	50-150	<1	1999-2001	medium	?				?				
Armenia	1,000-3,000	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	2,500-5,000	<1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	+	30-60	1980-2012	medium	
Azerbaijan	1,000-10,000	<1	1996-2000	poor	?				?				
Belarus	14,000-22,000	2	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Belgium	90	<1	2008-2012	poor	+	3-34	2000-2012	poor	?				
Bosnia & HG	2,000-5,000	<1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	800-1,100	<1	2005-2012	medium	+	5-10	2000-2012	medium	+	20-50	1980-2012	medium	
Croatia	10,000-50,000	3	2014	poor	?				?				
Cyprus	2-6	<1	2006-2013	medium	-	70-80	2001-2013	medium	-	90-98	1980-2012	medium	
Czech Rep.	1,480-2,220	<1	2012	medium	+	62-164	2000-2012	good	+	232-505	1982-2012	good	
Denmark	1,000	<1	2011	medium	+	100-1000	1999-2011	good	+	1000-10000	1980-2011	good	
DK: Faroe Is	500	<1	2014	medium	?				?				
DK: Greenland	5,000-50,000	2	2000-2012	poor	+	0-10	2000-2012	poor	+	0-10	1980-2012	poor	
Estonia	3,000-4,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	-	20-50	2001-2012	medium	0	0-10	1980-2012	medium	
Finland	22,000-30,000	3	2006-2012	good	+	1-95	2001-2012	good	+	17-112	1983-2012	good	
France	10,000-14,000	1	2008-2012	medium	+	30-60	2001-2011	medium	+		1980-2012	poor	
Georgia	Present	<1			?				?				
Germany	15,500-22,000	2	2005-2009	good	+	11-40	1998-2009	medium	+	31-400	1985-2009	medium	
Greece	5,000-10,000	1	2008-2012	poor	0	0	2007-2013	medium	?				
Hungary	4,900-6,000	1	2000-2012	medium	?				+	4800-5900	1980-2012	medium	
Iceland	2,000	<1	1991	good	-	10-29	1991-2010	good	?				
Rep. Ireland	19,015-53,293	4	2006-2011	good	0	0	1998-2011	good	?				
Italy	3,000-6,000	1	2011	poor	0	0	2000-2012	poor	0	0	1980-2012	poor	
Kosovo	200-300	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Latvia	Present	1	2000		+	10	2005-2012	good	?				
Liechtenstein	8-12	<1	2009-2014	medium	0	0	2003-2014	medium	+	10-20	1980-2014	medium	
Lithuania	5,000-10,000	1	2008-2012	medium	+	5-10	2001-2012	medium	+	5-10	1980-2012	medium	
Luxembourg	1-5	<1	2008-2012	medium	+	100	2000-2012	good	+	100	1980-2012	good	
FYRO Macedonia	1,000-3,000	<1	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Moldova	500-1,000	<1	2000-2010	medium	F	0	2000-2010	medium	F	0	1980-2010	medium	

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Montenegro	200-400	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Netherlands	75-95	<1	2008-2011	good	0	0	2002-2011	good	+	755-2477	1980-2011	good	
Norway	20,000-50,000	4	2013	poor	?				?				
Poland	26,000-37,000	4	2008-2012	good	+	80-120	2000-2012	good	?				
Portugal	500-1,000	<1	2008-2012	poor	-		2001-2012	poor	-		1980-2012	poor	
Romania	27,000-55,000	5	2010-2013	medium	?				?				
Russia	250,000-400,000	38	2000-2008	poor	+	10-30	2000-2012	poor	+	20-50	1980-2012	medium	
Serbia	1,300-1,690	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	+	≥30	1980-2012	medium	
Slovakia	2,000-4,000	<1	2002	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	+	10-25	1980-2012	medium	
Slovenia	2,000-3,500	<1	2002-2012	medium	+	10-30	2001-2012	medium	+	20-40	1980-2012	medium	
Spain	78,000-180,500	14	2004-2006	good	-	7	1998-2012	good	-		1980-2012	medium	
ES: Canary Is	400	<1	1997-2003	medium	-		2000-2012	medium	-		1980-2012	medium	
Sweden	23,000-42,000	4	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	good	+	23-91	1980-2012	good	
Switzerland	1,500-2,500	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	good	+	8-99	1990-2012	medium	
Turkey	10,000-20,000	2	2013	poor	0	0	2000-2012	poor	-	0-19	1990-2013	poor	
Ukraine	29,000-38,000	4	2000	medium	+	5-10	1998-2010	medium	+	20-40	1980-2010	medium	
United Kingdom	7,400	1	2009	medium	0	0.7-1	1998-2010	good	+	54	1970-2009	medium	
EU27	260,000-496,000	43			Increasing								
Europe	611,000-1,160,000	100			Increasing								

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.

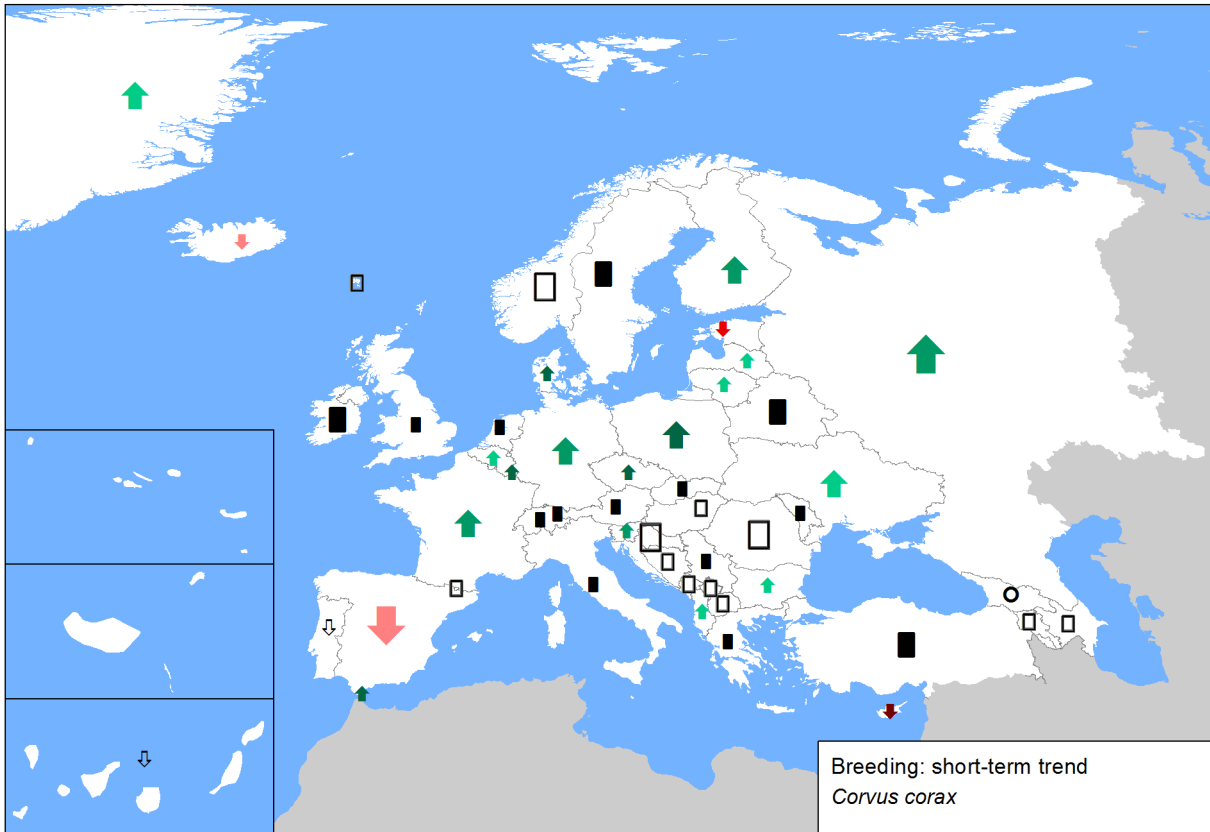
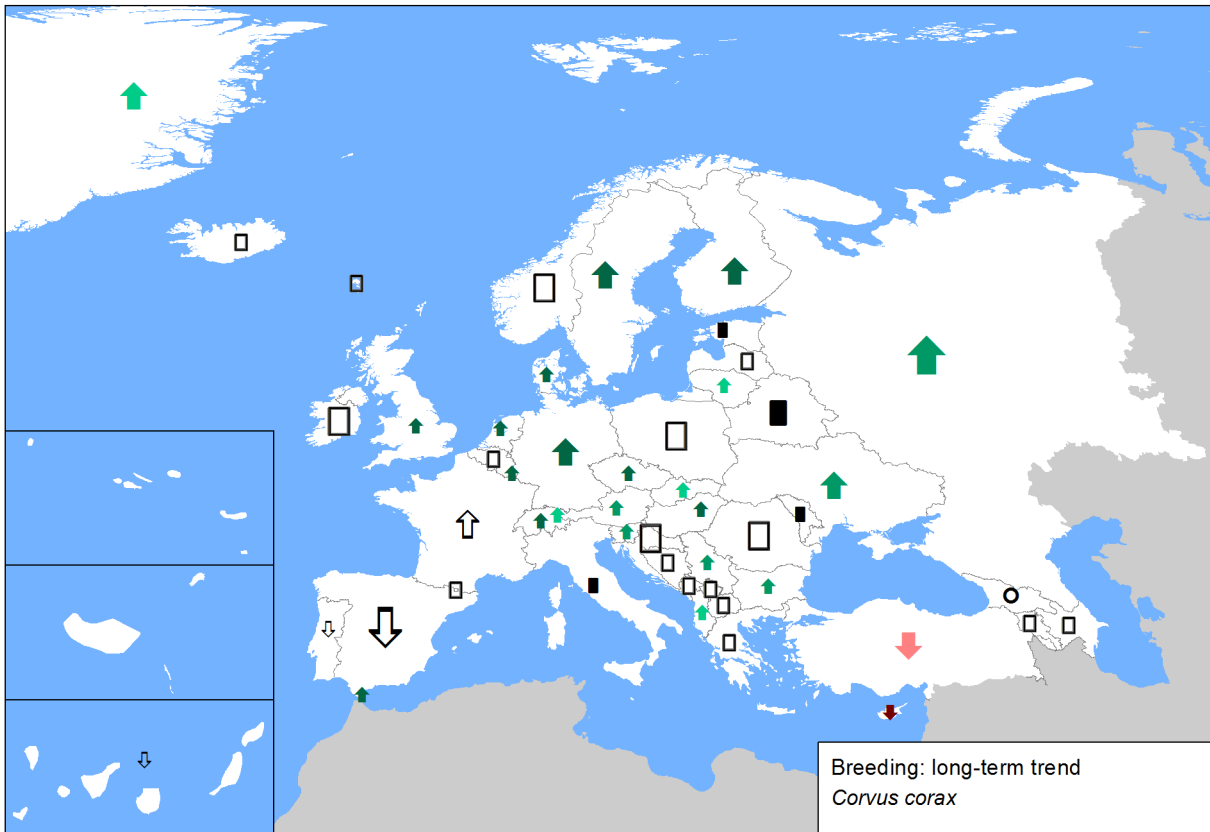


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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