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Sitta europaea (Wood Nuthatch)

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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 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	1,500-4,500	<1	2002-2012	poor	-	10-25	2002-2012	poor	-	10-30	1980-2012	poor	
Andorra	150-300	<1	1999-2001	poor	?				?				
Armenia	10,000-20,000	<1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	200,000-300,000	2	2001-2012	medium	-	10-30	2000-2011	medium	?				
Azerbaijan	10,000-100,000	<1	1996-2000	poor	?				?				
Belarus	200,000-280,000	2	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Belgium	40,000-50,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	+	74-117	1973-2012	medium	
Bosnia & HG	150,000-250,000	1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	100,000-300,000	1	2005-2012	medium	F	5-20	2000-2012	medium	0	5-10	1980-2012	medium	
Croatia	500,000-1,000,000	5	2014	poor	?				?				
Czech Rep.	702,000-1,404,000	7	2012	medium	+	8-38	2000-2012	good	+	38-73	1982-2012	good	
Denmark	26,000	<1	2011	medium	+	25-50	1999-2011	good	+	50-100	1980-2011	good	
Estonia	60,000-100,000	1	2008-2012	medium	-	20-50	2001-2012	medium	0	0-10	1980-2012	medium	
Finland	0-20	<1	2006-2010	medium	?				F	0	1980-2010	medium	
France	700,000-1,400,000	7	2008-2012	medium	+	18	2001-2011	medium	-	27	1989-2011	poor	
Georgia	Present	<1			?				?				
Germany	930,000-1,550,000	8	2005-2009	medium	+	6-24	1998-2009	good	F	0	1990-2009	good	
Greece	10,000-50,000	<1	2008-2012	poor	?				?				
Hungary	176,000-247,000	1	2000-2012	medium	+	37	1999-2012	medium	?				
Italy	50,000-200,000	1	2011	poor	+	60-70	2000-2012	medium	+	60-70	1990-2012	poor	
Kosovo	15,000-25,000	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Latvia	95,993-176,335	1	2011	good	0	0-30	2005-2012	good	+	0-302	1994-2010	medium	
Liechtenstein	250-400	<1	2009-2014	medium	0	0	2003-2014	medium	0	0	1980-2014	medium	
Lithuania	30,000-50,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Luxembourg	5,000-10,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	?				?				
FYRO Macedonia	50,000-150,000	1	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Moldova	15,000-30,000	<1	2000-2010	medium	0	0	2000-2010	medium	0	0	1980-2010	medium	
Montenegro	50,000-100,000	<1	2002-2012	poor	?				?				
Netherlands	29,701-37,126	<1	2008-2011	medium	+	36-56	2002-2011	good	+	102-198	1984-2011	good	
Norway	15,000-25,000	<1	2013	poor	?				?				
Poland	290,000-490,000	3	2008-2012	good	+	3-34	2000-2012	good	?				
Portugal	100,000-500,000	1	2008-2012	medium	?				?				

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Romania	800,000-2,000,000	8	2010-2013	medium	F	0-20	2001-2013	medium	?				
Russia	3,000,000-7,000,000	31	2000-2008	poor	?				?				
Serbia	260,000-360,000	2	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Slovakia	800,000-1,100,000	6	2000-2012	medium	+	5-15	2000-2012	medium	+	5-15	1980-2012	medium	
Slovenia	100,000-200,000	1	2002-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Spain	418,000-660,000	4	2004-2006	good	+	110	1998-2012	good	0	0	1980-2012	poor	
Sweden	125,000-252,000	1	2008-2012	medium	+	19-57	2001-2012	good	+	25-75	1980-2012	good	
Switzerland	70,000-120,000	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	good	0	0	1990-2012	medium	
Turkey	50,000-200,000	1	2013	poor	0	0	2000-2012	poor	0	0-19	1990-2013	poor	
Ukraine	300,000-400,000	2	2000	medium	F	0-5	1998-2010	medium	0	0	1980-2010	medium	
United Kingdom	220,000	1	2009	medium	+	61	1998-2010	good	+	144	1980-2010	good	
EU27	6,010,000-11,300,000	55			Increasing								
Europe	10,700,000-21,400,000	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.

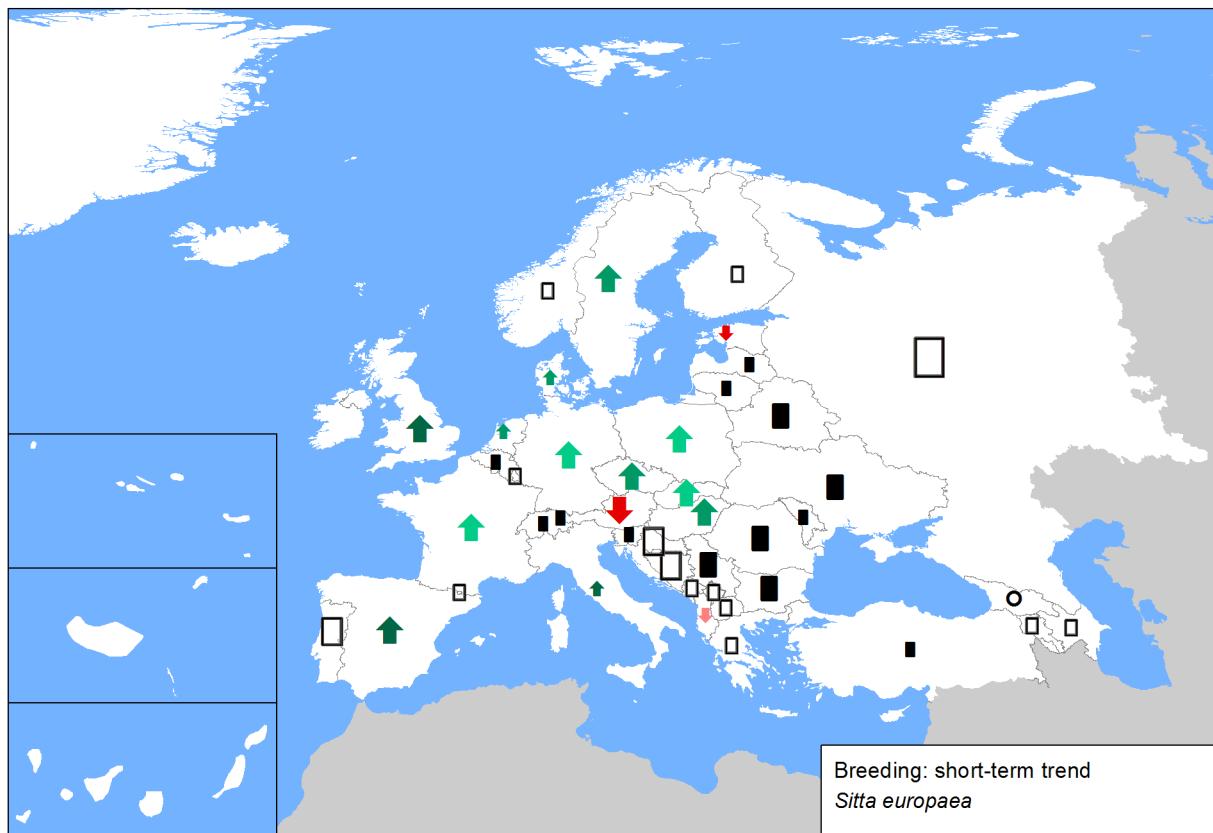
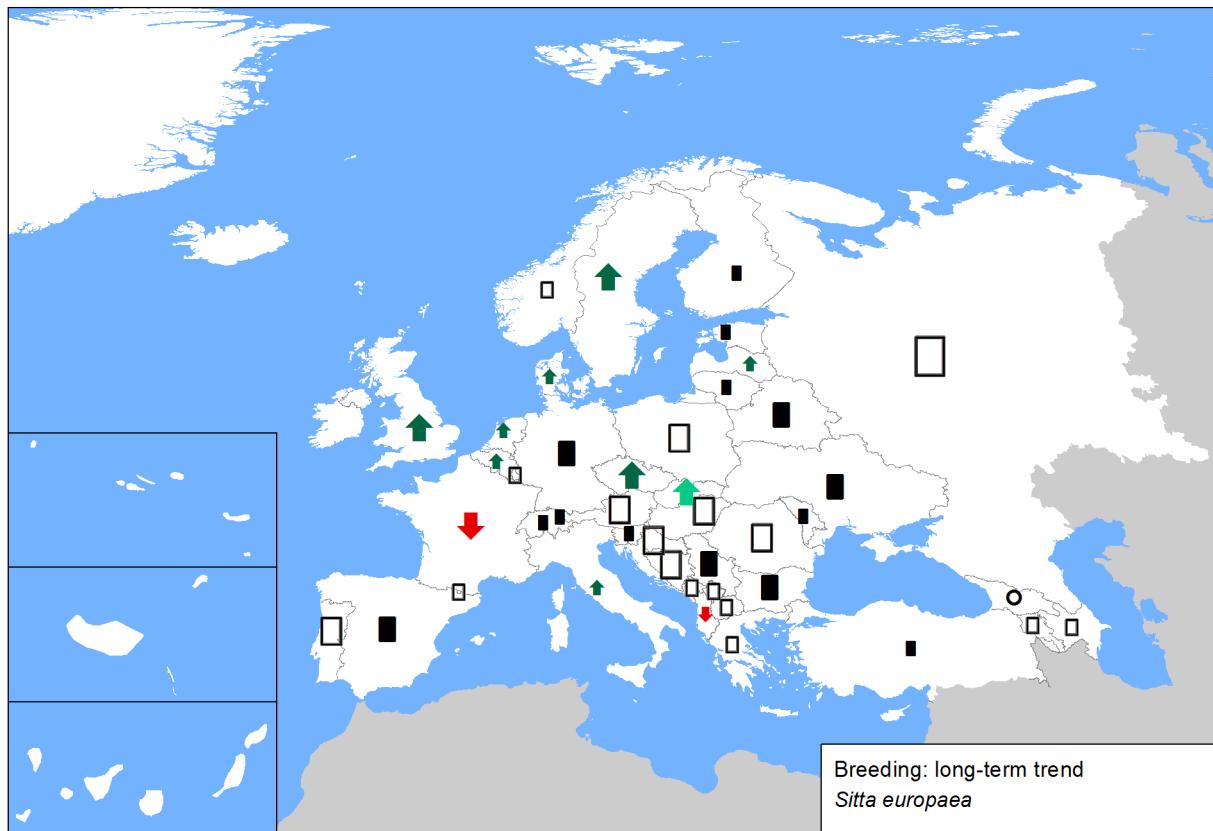


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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