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Carduelis cannabina (Eurasian Linnet)

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- <http://www.birdlife.org/datazone/info/euroredlist>
- <http://www.birdlife.org/europe-and-central-asia/european-red-list-birds-0>
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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	3,000-8,000	<1	2002-2012	poor	-	10-20	2002-2012	poor	-	10-20	1980-2012	poor	
Andorra	300-1,000	<1	1999-2001	poor	?				?				
Armenia	100,000-250,000	1	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	18,000-30,000	<1	2001-2012	medium	-	40-60	2000-2011	medium	?				
Azerbaijan	50,000-200,000	<1	1996-2000	poor	?				?				
Belarus	130,000-180,000	1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Belgium	30,000-70,000	<1	2008-2012	poor	-	0-3	2000-2012	medium	-	53-80	1973-2012	medium	
Bosnia & HG	80,000-120,000	<1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	30,000-100,000	<1	2005-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Croatia	50,000-100,000	<1	2014	medium	?				?				
Cyprus	20,000-60,000	<1	2006-2013	medium	-	10-20	2001-2013	medium	?				
Czech Rep.	60,000-120,000	<1	2012	medium	F	0	2000-2012	good	-	3-73	1982-2012	good	
Denmark	100,000	<1	2011	medium	-	33-50	1999-2011	good	-	33-50	1980-2011	good	
Estonia	40,000-60,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	-	20-50	2001-2012	medium	-	20-50	1980-2012	medium	
Finland	6,600-18,000	<1	2006-2012	good	0	0	2001-2012	good	0	0	1984-2012	good	
France	500,000-1,000,000	3	2008-2012	medium	-	39	2001-2011	medium	-	68	1989-2011	medium	
Georgia	Present	<1			?				?				
Germany	125,000-235,000	1	2005-2009	good	-	40-53	1998-2009	good	-	52-69	1990-2009	good	
Greece	250,000-680,000	2	2007-2013	poor	?				?				
Hungary	71,000-107,000	<1	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1999-2012	medium	?				
Rep. Ireland	204,333-619,180	1	2006-2011	good	0	0	1998-2011	good	?				
Italy	300,000-600,000	2	2013	poor	-	20-30	2000-2012	medium	-	20-30	1990-2012	poor	
Kosovo	8,000-10,000	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Latvia	12,065-42,162	<1	2009	medium	0	0-40	2001-2012	poor	0	0-30	1995-2012	medium	
Liechtenstein	50-80	<1	2009-2014	medium	0	0	2003-2014	medium	0	0	1980-2014	medium	
Lithuania	100,000-200,000	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Luxembourg	5,000-8,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	-	10-20	2000-2012	poor	-	20-40	1980-2012	poor	
FYRO Macedonia	5,000-20,000	<1	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Moldova	10,000-15,000	<1	2000-2010	medium	F	0	2000-2010	medium	0	0	1980-2010	medium	
Montenegro	5,000-12,000	<1	2002-2012	poor	?				?				
Netherlands	38,837-48,547	<1	2008-2011	medium	+	0-19	2002-2011	good	-	54-75	1984-2011	good	
Norway	10,000-15,000	<1	2013	poor	0	0	2000-2013	poor	?				

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Poland	830,000-1,100,000	4	2008-2012	good	-	6-20	2000-2012	good	?				
Portugal	500,000-1,000,000	3	2008-2012	medium	?				?				
PT: Madeira	500-1,000	<1	2009-2012	medium	?				-		1980-2012	medium	
Romania	200,000-500,000	1	2010-2013	medium	?				?				
Russia	500,000-800,000	3	2000-2008	poor	?				?				
Serbia	21,000-29,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Slovakia	40,000-60,000	<1	2002	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Slovenia	10,000-15,000	<1	2002-2012	medium	-	30-50	2001-2012	medium	?				
Spain	9,770,000-11,665,000	45	2004-2006	good	0	0	1998-2012	good	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
ES: Canary Is	10,000-20,000	<1	1997-2003	poor	?				-		1980-2012	poor	
Sweden	64,000-150,000	1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	good	-	56-72	1980-2012	good	
Switzerland	30,000-60,000	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	good	0	0	1990-2012	good	
Turkey	2,000,000-10,000,000	21	2013	poor	0	0	2000-2012	poor	-	0-19	1990-2013	poor	
Ukraine	800,000-1,000,000	4	2000	medium	-	15-20	1998-2010	medium	-	20-25	1980-2010	medium	
United Kingdom	430,000	2	2009	medium	-	15	1998-2010	good	-	41	1980-2010	good	
EU27	13,800,000-19,000,000	68		Decreasing									
Europe	17,600,000-31,900,000	100		Decreasing									

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.

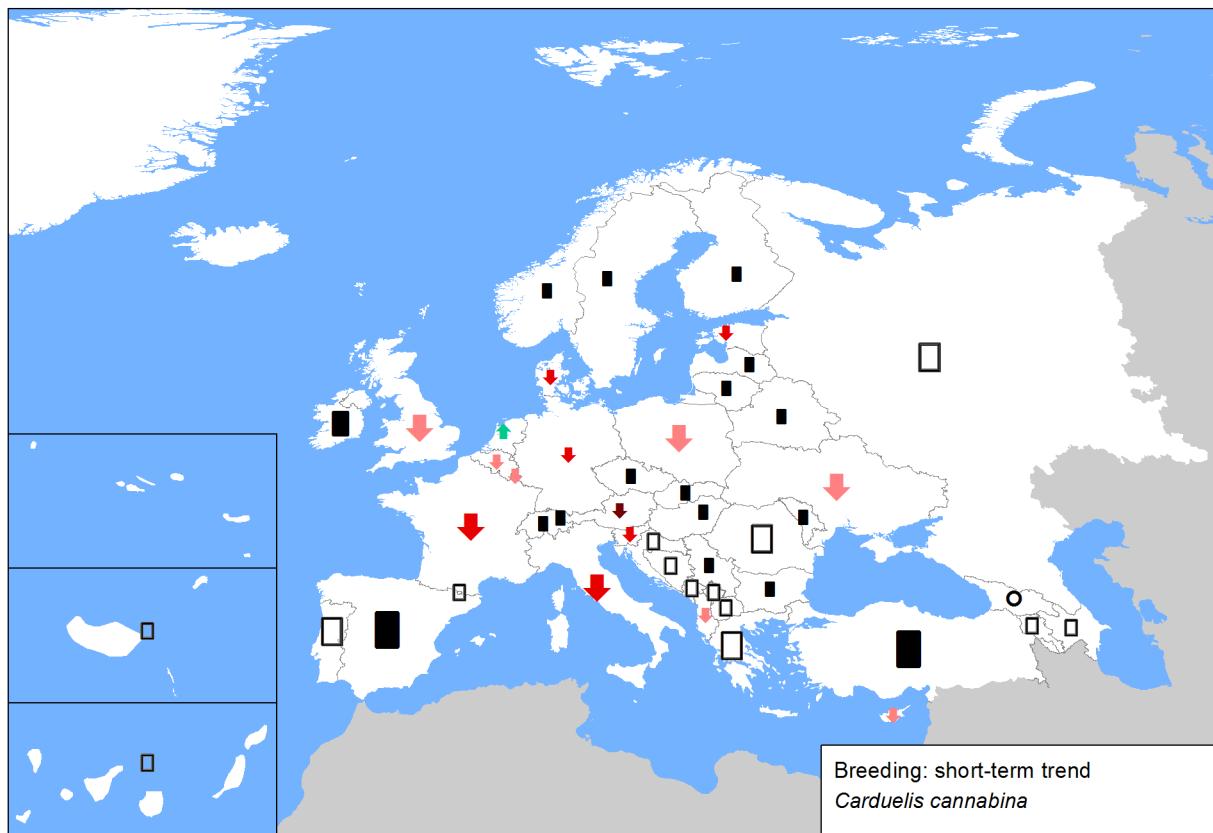
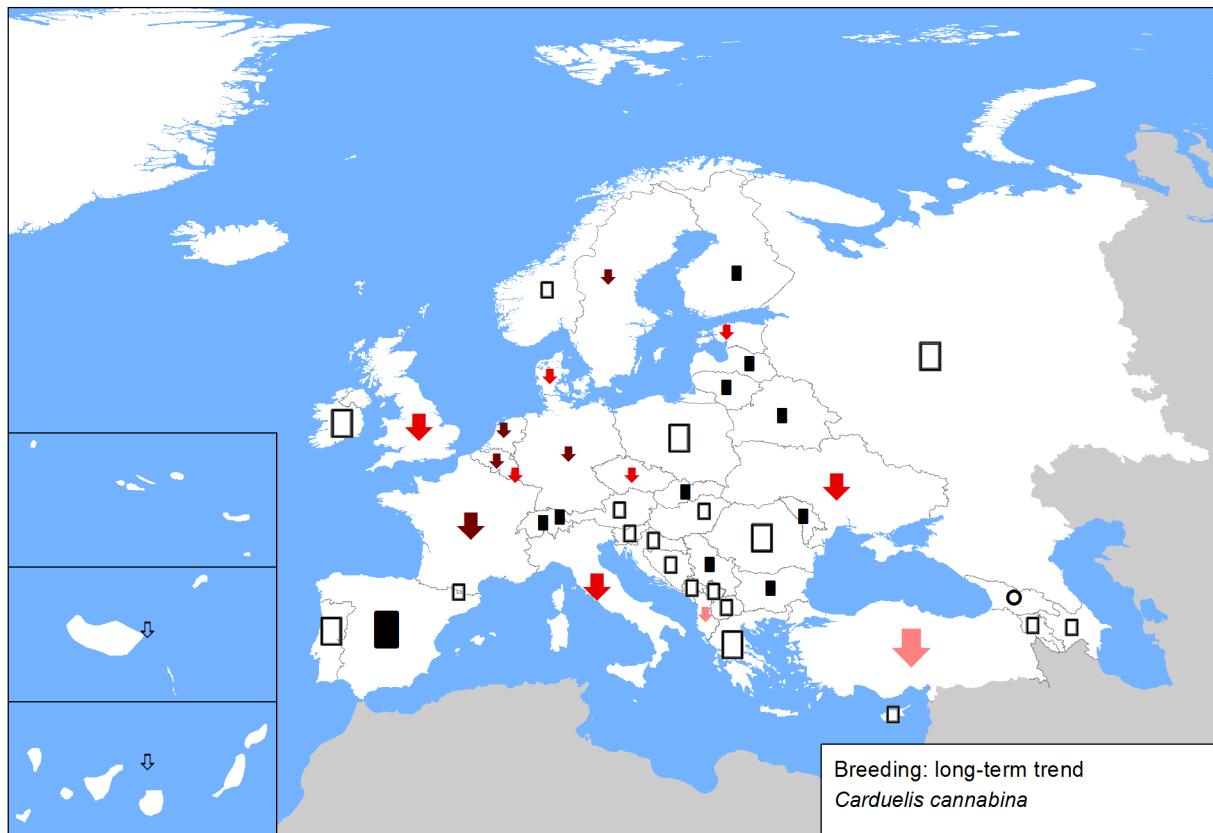


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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