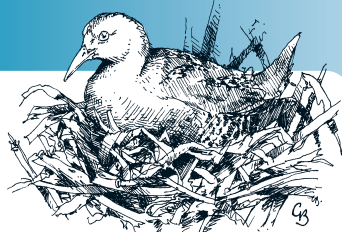


Porzana pusilla

BAILLON'S CRAKE



SPEC 3 (1994: 3) **Status** (Rare)

Criteria <10,000 pairs

European IUCN Red List Category —

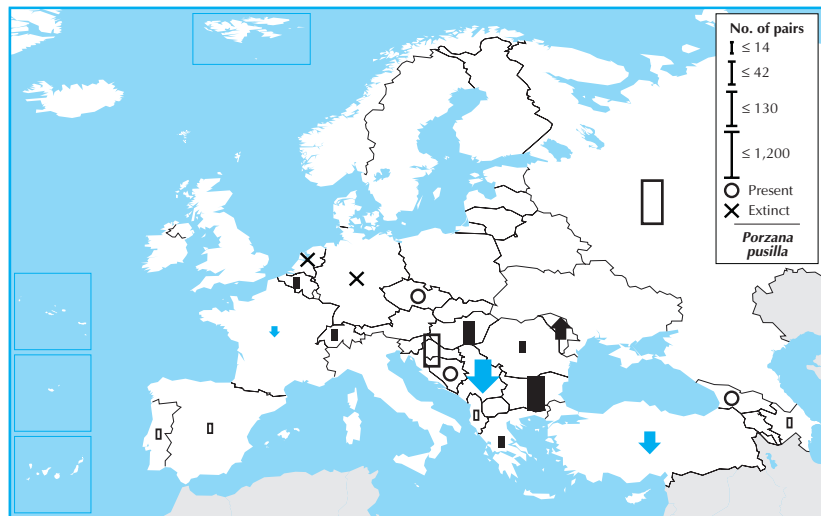
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Porzana pusilla is a widespread but patchily distributed summer visitor to much of southern and eastern Europe, which accounts for less than a quarter of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is very small (as few as 760 pairs), but was stable between 1970–1990. Although the species declined in a number of countries during 1990–2000, no trend data were available for its Russian stronghold. Nevertheless, its population size renders it susceptible to the risks affecting small populations, and consequently the species is provisionally evaluated as Rare.

Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Albania	(0 – 50)	92-93	?	–	
Azerbaijan	(0 – 100)	96-00	?	–	
Belgium	1 – 3	00-02	(0)	(0-19)	1
Bosnia & HG	Present	90-03	?	–	
Bulgaria	50 – 100	96-02	(F)	(20-29)	
Croatia	(50 – 100)	02	?	–	70,16
Czech Rep.	Present	00	?	–	
France	0 – 3	96-00	(-)	(0-19)	6
Georgia	Present	03	?	–	
Germany	0 – 0	00	–	X	
Greece	(0 – 10)	95-00	(0)	(0-19)	
Hungary	10 – 40	98-01	F	20-49	
Moldova	30 – 60	90-00	(+)	(0-19)	
Netherlands	0 – 0	98-00	–	X	1
Portugal	(0 – 5)	02	?	–	
Romania	(10 – 20)	90-02	(0)	(0-19)	
Russia	(500 – 2,500)	90-00	?	–	67,144,145
Serbia & MN	(100 – 150)	90-02	(-)	(10-29)	1,155,227
Spain	(0 – 50)	98-02	?	–	10,12
Switzerland	0 – 5	93-96	0	0-19	
Turkey	(10 – 50)	01	(-)	(-)	
Total (approx.)	760 – 3,200		Overall trend	Unknown	
Breeding range	>500,000 km²		Gen. length.	<3.3 %	Global pop. 5-24



2000 population

91

9

1990 population

28

72

Data quality (%) – *Porzana pusilla*

□ unknown □ poor □ medium □ good

1990–2000 trend

81

18

1970–1990 trend

27

73