

Limosa lapponica

BAR-TAILED GODWIT



Non-SPEC (1994: 3W) **Status** (Secure)

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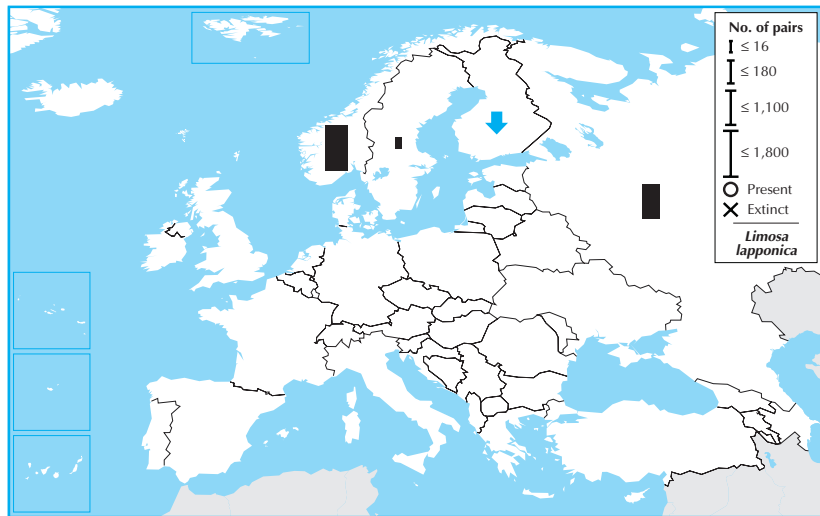
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Limosa lapponica has a predominantly Siberian breeding distribution, which extends into Europe in northern Fennoscandia and parts of adjacent Russia. Its European breeding population is small (as few as 1,400 pairs), but was stable between 1970–1990. Although the species declined in Finland during 1990–2000, it was stable across the rest of its European range, and probably remained stable overall. An improved knowledge of the species's winter distribution has shown that it no longer qualifies as Localised, and consequently it is provisionally evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Finland	(100 – 300)	98–02	–	30	
Norway	(1,000 – 3,000)	90–03	(0)	(0–19)	
Russia	(300 – 4,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	28,29,60
Sweden	(5 – 50)	99–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Total (approx.)	1,400 – 7,400				
Breeding range	>100,000 km²				
		Overall trend Stable			
		Gen. length. 5			% Global pop. <5
Country	Winter pop. size (individuals)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Azerbaijan	0 – 50	96–02	(0)	(0–19)	
Croatia	(50 – 100)	02	?	–	16
Denmark	1,000 – 1,500	99–00	?	–	25
France	6,900 – 8,000	98–02	F	30–49	9
Germany	1,000 – 15,000	95–00	–	60–90	2
Greece	5 – 10	95–99	F	30–49	
Iceland	4 – 11	90–99	0	0–19	65,66,69,70,71,72,73,74,58,59
Rep. Ireland	10,000 – 18,000	94–00	0	0–19	
Italy	0 – 10	02	?	–	22
Netherlands	35,000 – 35,000	99–01	+	44	3,4,8,9,11,12
Portugal	1,800 – 6,000	95–97	(F)	(–)	19,20,21
Spain	300 – 3,200	90–01	+	0–19	19
UK	61,600 – 61,600	94–99	–	9	44,52
Total (approx.)	>120,000				
% in European IBAs	>90				
		Overall trend Small decline			
		Gen. length 5			% Global pop. 5–24

2000 population	100	
1990 population	61	39
Data quality (%) – <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		
□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good		
1990–2000 trend	94	6
1970–1990 trend	61	39

2000 population	29		71	
1990 population	18	26	56	
Data quality (%) – <i>Limosa limosa</i> (see p. 124, bottom)				
□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good				
1990–2000 trend	13	87		
1970–1990 trend	23	22	55	