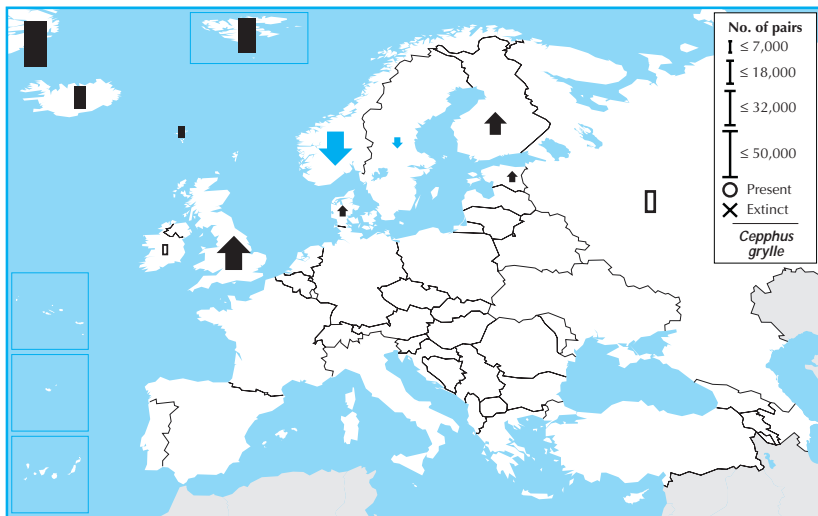


Cephus grylle BLACK GUILLEMOT



SPEC 2 (1994: 2) **Status** Depleted
Criteria Moderate historical decline
European IUCN Red List Category —
Criteria —
Global IUCN Red List Category —
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Cephus grylle is a widespread breeder in coastal areas of northern Europe, which constitutes >50% of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is large (>130,000 pairs), but underwent a moderate decline between 1970–1990. Although the populations in Norway and Sweden continued to decline during 1990–2000, the species was stable, fluctuated or increased across most of its European range, and remained stable overall. Nevertheless, its population has not yet recovered to the level that preceded its decline, and consequently it is evaluated as Depleted.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Denmark	950 – 1,150	00–01	+	50–79	16
Faroe Is.	3,500 – 3,500	95	(0)	(0–19)	
Greenland	(25,000 – 100,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	5
Estonia	10 – 20	98	+	20–29	1
Finland	17,000 – 19,000	98–01	+	30	
Iceland	10,000 – 20,000	78–94	0	0–19	1
Rep. Ireland	3,400 – 3,400	99–02	?	–	
Norway	(15,000 – 35,000)	90–00	–	0–19	4
Svalbard	(20,000 – 50,000)	90–00	(F)	(20–29)	
Russia	(10,000 – 20,000)	90–02	?	–	11,82,154,155
Sweden	6,000 – 8,000	99–00	–	20–29	
UK	19,700 – 39,300	99–03	+	4	20

Total (approx.)	130,000 – 300,000	Overall trend Stable
Breeding range	1,000,000 km ²	Gen. length 9 % Global pop. 50–74

Country	Winter pop. size (individuals)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag. %	References
Denmark	(5,000 – 7,000)	92–93	?	–	27
Faroe Is.	10,000 – 20,000	92	?	–	3
Greenland	(250,000 – 500,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Estonia	1,000 – 3,000	98	(0)	(0–19)	1
Germany	750 – 750	87–03	?	–	4
Iceland	(50,000 – 100,000)	78–94	(0)	(0–19)	48
Latvia	1,500 – 2,000	92–94	(0)	(0–19)	27
Lithuania	(0 – 50)	92–02	?	–	
Norway	25,000 – 40,000	93	(0)	(0–19)	68
Slovenia	Present	90–00	?	–	

Total (approx.)	>340,000	Overall trend Unknown
% in European IBAs	2–3	Gen. length 9 % Global pop. 50–74

2000 population	61	13	26	
1990 population	12	87		
Data quality (%) – <i>Cephus grylle</i>				
	□ unknown	□ poor	□ medium	■ good
1990–2000 trend	9	44	11	36
1970–1990 trend	28	12	50	10