

Eremophila alpestris

HORNED LARK

Non-SPEC (1994: —) Status (Secure)

Criteria —

European IUCN Red List Category —

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Global IUCN Red List Category —

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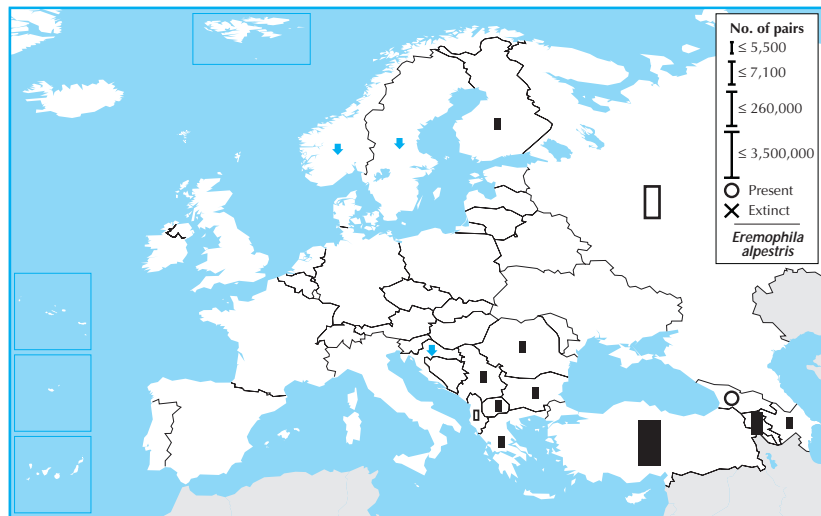


Eremophila alpestris has a patchy breeding distribution in parts of south-eastern Europe, as well as Fennoscandia and arctic Russia, with Europe accounting for a tiny proportion of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is very large (>2,200,000 pairs), and was stable between 1970–1990. Although there were declines in certain countries during 1990–2000, populations were stable across most of its European range—including the stronghold in Turkey—and the species probably remained stable overall. Consequently, it is provisionally evaluated as Secure.

Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Albania	(100 – 500)	02	?	–	
Armenia	50,000 – 100,000	90–02	0	0–19	
Azerbaijan	(1,000 – 10,000)	96–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Bulgaria	4,500 – 6,500	95–02	0	0–9	
Croatia	(50 – 100)	02	(–)	(0–19)	70
Finland	(0 – 10)	98–02	(0)	(0–19)	
Georgia	Present	03	?	–	
Greece	(500 – 800)	95–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Macedonia	(500 – 3,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Norway	1,000 – 5,000	02	(–)	(0–19)	65
Romania	150 – 250	00–02	0	0–19	1
Russia	(130,000 – 500,000)	90–00	?	–	17,116,122
Serbia & MN	800 – 1,000	90–02	0	0–19	1,135,150,152, 153,235,62, 155,225
Sweden	150 – 250	99–00	–	30–49	
Turkey	(2,000,000 – 6,000,000)	01	(0)	(0–19)	

Total (approx.) Breeding range: 2,200,000 – 6,600,000 pairs
>500,000 km²

Overall trend: Stable
Gen. length: <3.3 % Global pop. <5



Year	Population	Trend
2000 population	98	
1990 population	98	
Data quality (%) – <i>Eremophila alpestris</i>		
Legend: unknown (white), poor (light grey), medium (dark grey), good (black)		
1990–2000 trend	7	91
1970–1990 trend	9	90

Year	Population	Trend		
2000 population	16	70	14	
1990 population	14	70	15	
Data quality (%) – <i>Alauda arvensis</i> (see p. 185, top)				
Legend: unknown (white), poor (light grey), medium (dark grey), good (black)				
1990–2000 trend	6	49	38	7
1970–1990 trend	34	61	4	