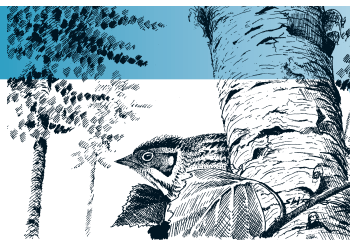


Emberiza pusilla

LITTLE BUNTING



Non-SPEC (1994: —) **Status** (Secure)

Criteria —

European IUCN Red List Category —

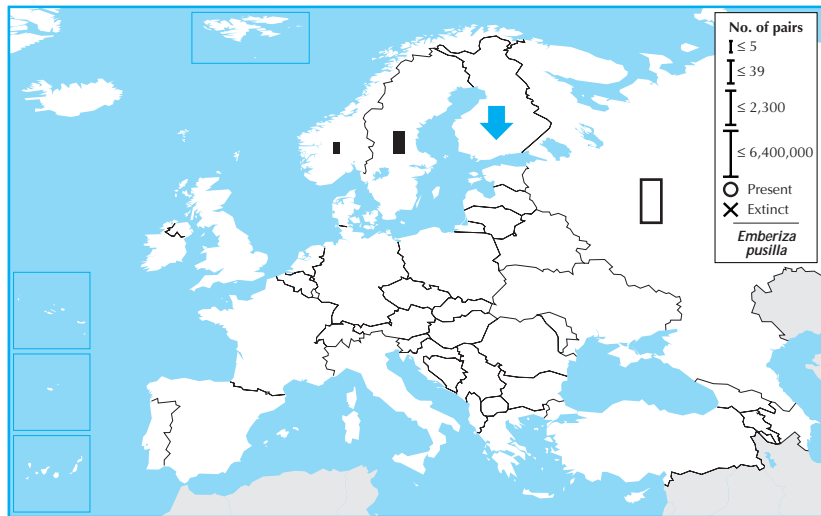
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Global IUCN Red List Category —

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Emberiza pusilla is a widespread summer visitor to northern Fennoscandia and Russia, with Europe accounting for less than half of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is very large (>5,000,000 pairs), and was stable between 1970–1990. Although the species underwent a large decline in Finland during 1990–2000, the trend of the stronghold population in Russia was unknown, and there was no evidence to suggest that the species declined overall. Consequently, it is provisionally evaluated as Secure.

| Country | Breeding pop. size (pairs) | Year(s) | Trend | Mag.% | References |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|---------|--------------------------|
| Finland | 1,000 – 5,000 | 98–02 | – | 50 | |
| Norway | 0 – 30 | 02 | F | >80 | 26 |
| Russia | 5,000,000 – 8,000,000 | 90–00 | ? | – | 122 |
| Sweden | (10 – 150) | 99–00 | (F) | (20–29) | |
| Total (approx.) | 5,000,000 – 8,000,000 | Overall trend Unknown | | | |
| Breeding range | >1,000,000 km² | Gen. length. <3.3 % | | | Global pop. 25–49 |



2000 population

100

1990 population

98

Data quality (%) - *Emberiza pusilla*

□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good

1990–2000 trend

100

1970–1990 trend

98