

Giraffe (*Giraffa camelopardalis*)

Table 1. Giraffe subspecies status 2016.

Subspecies	Common Name	Region (range states)	Status	Historic population (estimate, year of estimate, information source)			Current population (estimate, year of estimate, information source)			Change in population size (no. of individuals)	% change
				Estimate	Year	Source	Estimate	Year	Source		
<i>G. c. camelopardalis</i>	Nubian	Northern and Eastern Africa (Ethiopia, South Sudan)	Decreasing	20,577	1979-1982	Wube, T. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	650	2015	Wube, T. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	-19,927	-97%
<i>G. c. tippelskirchi</i>	Masai	Eastern Africa (Kenya, Tanzania)	Decreasing	66,449	1977-1980	Bolger, D. <i>et al.</i> (2015)	31,611	2015	Bolger, D. <i>et al.</i> (2015)	-34,838	-52%
<i>G. c. thornicrofti</i>	Thornicroft's	Eastern Africa (Zambia)	Stable	600	1983	Berry and Bercovitch (2016)	600	2015	Bercovitch, F. B. <i>et al.</i> (2015)	0	0%

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<i>G. c. reticulata</i>	Reticulated	Eastern Africa (Kenya, Somalia, Ethiopia)	Decreasing	36,000-47,750	1990s	East, R. (1999), Doherty, J.B. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	8,661	2016	Kenya Wildlife Service (2016) draft National Conservation Strategy and Action Plan for Giraffes in Kenya (2016-2020); Doherty, J.B. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	-27,339-39,089	-77-82%
<i>G. c. rothschildi</i>	Rothschild's	Eastern Africa (Uganda, Kenya)	Increasing	1,330	1960s	Fennessy, S. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	1,671	2016	Fennessy, S. <i>et al.</i> (2016),	341	26%
<i>G. c. angolensis</i>	Angolan	Southern Africa (Namibia, Botswana)	Increasing	5,000	1970-2004	Marais <i>et al.</i> (2016) Angolan giraffe	13,031	2016	Marais <i>et al.</i> (2016)	8,031	161%
<i>G. c. angolensis [provisional]</i>	Angolan	Southern Africa (Namibia, Botswana, Zambia, Zimbabwe)	Increasing	10,000	1970s	Daggand Foster (1982)	17,551	2016	Fennessy, J. (Unpublished data); Great Elephant Census 2016 (Unpublished data)	7,551	76%
<i>G. c. giraffa</i>	South African	Southern Africa (Zimbabwe, Mozambique, South Africa, Botswana)	Increasing	8,000	1979	Daggand Foster (1982)	21,387	2016	Deacon <i>et al.</i> (2016)	13,387	167%

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<i>G. c. antiquorum</i>	Kordofan	Northern and Central Africa (Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Democratic Republic of Congo, South Sudan)	Decreasing	3,696	1975-1986	Fennessy, J. and Marais, A. (2016)	2,000	2016	Fennessy, J. and Marais, A. (2016)	-1,696	-46%
<i>G. c. peralta</i>	West African	West Africa (Niger)	Increasing	50	1990s	Fennessy, J. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	400	2015	Fennessy, J. <i>et al.</i> (2016)	350	700%
Totals				151,702-163,452			97,562			-54,140-65,890	-36-40%