

Hirundo rupestris (Eurasian Crag-martin)

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Further information

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<http://www.birdlife.org/europe-and-central-asia/european-red-list-birds-0>

<http://www.iucnredlist.org/initiatives/europe>

<http://ec.europa.eu/environment/nature/conservation/species/redlist/>

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Table 1. Reported national breeding population size and trends in Europe¹.

Country (or territory) ²	Population estimate				Short-term population trend ⁴				Long-term population trend ⁴				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (pairs) ³	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Quality	Direction ⁵	Magnitude (%) ⁶	Year(s)	Quality	Direction ⁵	Magnitude (%) ⁶	Year(s)	Quality	
Albania	2,000-5,000	1	2002-2012	poor	0	0	2002-2012	poor	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Andorra	3,000-4,000	1	1999-2001	medium	?				?				
Armenia	10,000-20,000	6	2002-2012	medium	?				?				
Austria	1,300-2,500	1	2001-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2012	medium	?				
Azerbaijan	10,000-20,000	6	2014	poor	?				?				
Bosnia & HG	300-500	<1	2010-2014	poor	?				?				
Bulgaria	11,000-16,000	5	2005-2012	medium	+	5-10	2000-2012	medium	+	10-20	1980-2012	medium	
Croatia	1,000-5,000	1	2014	poor	?				?				
Cyprus	200-800	<1	2001-2013	poor	0	0	2001-2013	poor	-	10-25	1980-2012	poor	
France	15,000-30,000	9	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2001-2011	medium	?				
Georgia	Present	<1			?				?				
Germany	60-100	<1	2005-2009	good	+	11-40	1998-2009	medium	+	31-400	1985-2009	medium	
Greece	5,000-20,000	4	2008-2012	poor	?				?				
Italy	30,000-50,000	16	2007	poor	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	poor	
Kosovo	100-200	<1	2009-2014	medium	?				?				
Liechtenstein	15-25	<1	2009-2014	medium	0	0	2003-2014	medium	0	0	1980-2014	medium	
FYRO Macedonia	3,000-5,000	2	2001-2012	poor	?				?				
Montenegro	400-1,500	<1	2002-2012	poor	?				?				
Portugal	1,000-5,000	1	2008-2012	medium	?				?				
Romania	1,000-3,000	1	2001-2013	poor	+	5-15	2001-2013	poor	?				
Russia	5,000-20,000	4	2002-2004	poor	?				0	0	1980-2012	poor	
Serbia	430-580	<1	2008-2012	medium	0	0	2000-2012	medium	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Slovenia	1,100-1,400	1	2002-2012	medium	?				+	20-40	1980-2012	medium	
Spain	46,778	19	1998-2001	medium	0	0	1998-2012	good	0	0	1980-2012	medium	
Switzerland	4,000-5,000	2	2008-2012	medium	+	9-21	2001-2012	medium	+	26-42	1990-2012	medium	
Turkey	30,000-80,000	20	2013	medium	0	0	2000-2012	poor	0	0-19	1990-2013	poor	
EU27	112,000-176,000	56			Stable								
Europe	182,000-342,000	100			Stable								

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¹ See 'Sources' at end of factsheet, and for more details on individual EU Member State reports, see the Article 12 reporting portal at <http://bd.eionet.europa.eu/article12/report>.

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³ In the few cases where population size estimates were reported in units other than those specified, they were converted to the correct units using standard correction factors.

⁴ The robustness of regional trends to the effects of any missing or incomplete data was tested using plausible scenarios, based on other sources of information, including any other reported information, recent national Red Lists, scientific literature, other publications and consultation with relevant experts.

⁵ Trend directions are reported as: increasing (+); decreasing (-); stable (0); fluctuating (F); or unknown (?).

⁶ Trend magnitudes are rounded to the nearest integer.

Trend maps

A symbol appears in each country where the species occurs: the shape and colour of the symbol represent the population trend in that country, and the size of the symbol corresponds to the proportion of the European population occurring in that country.

KEY

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|---|----------------------------------|
| ↑ Large increase ($\geq 50\%$) | ↓ Large decrease ($\geq 50\%$) |
| ↑ Moderate increase (20–49%) | ↓ Moderate decrease (20–49%) |
| ↑ Small increase ($< 20\%$) | ↓ Small decrease ($< 20\%$) |
| ↑ Increase of unknown magnitude | ↓ Decrease of unknown magnitude |
| ■ Stable or fluctuating | |
| □ Unknown | |
| ○ Present (no population or trend data) | |
| × Extinct since 1980 | |

Each symbol, with the exception of Present and Extinct, may occur in up to three different size classes, corresponding to the proportion of the European population occurring in that country.

- ↑ Large: $\geq 10\%$ of the European population
- ↑ Medium: 1–9% of the European population
- ↑ Small: $< 1\%$ of the European population

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Figure 1. Breeding population sizes and short-term trends across Europe.

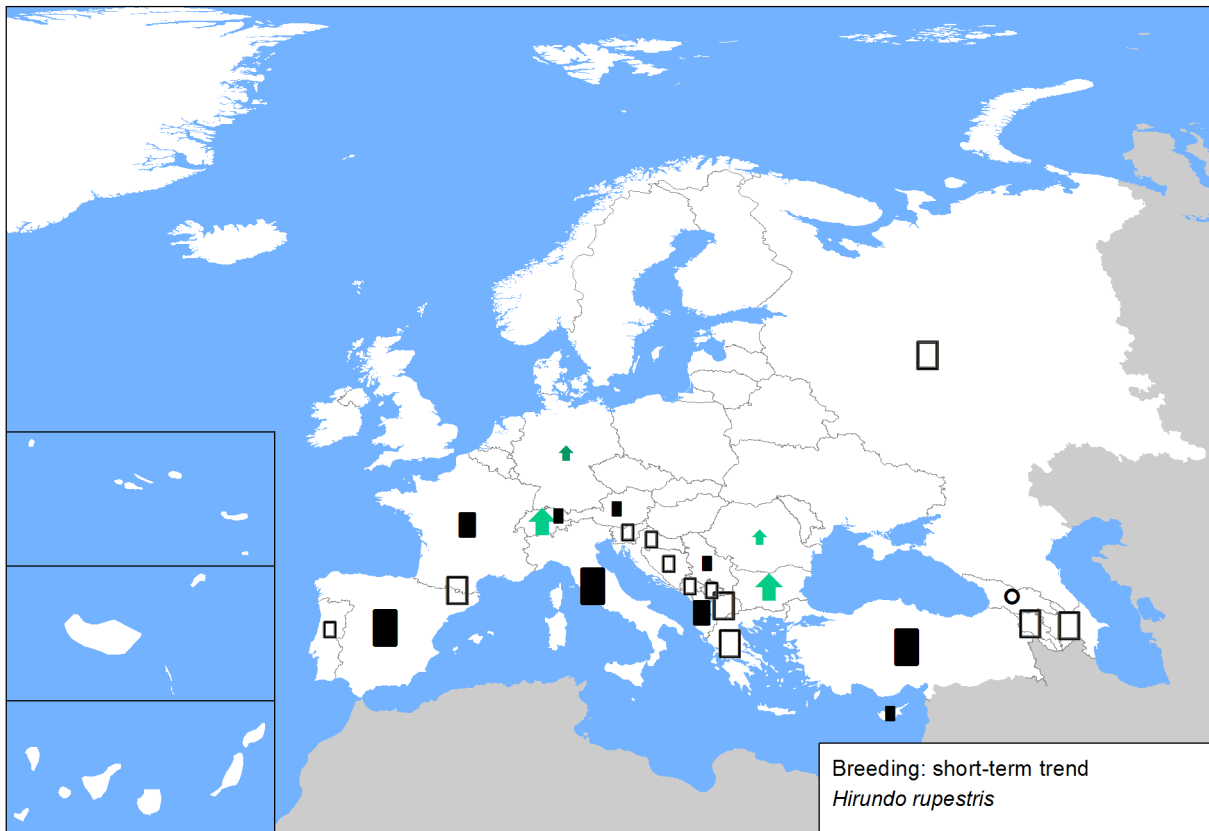
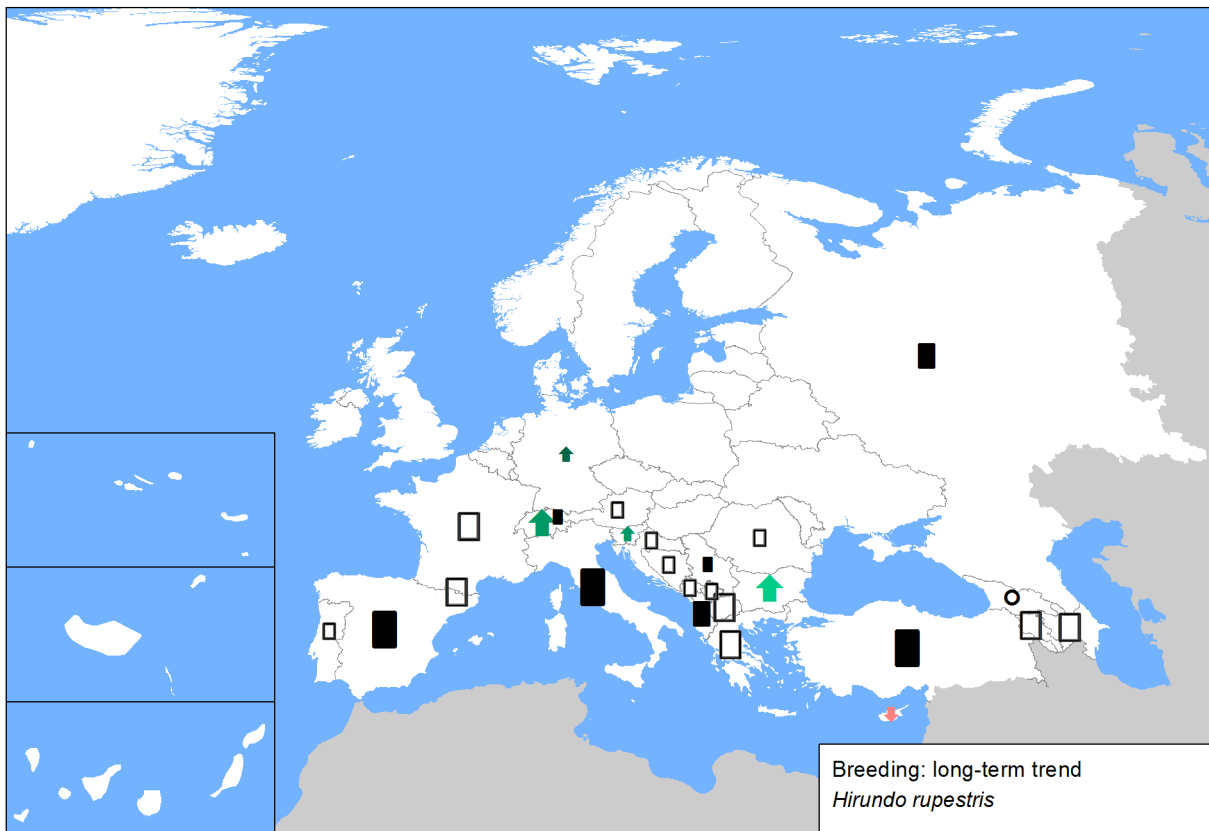


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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