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***Chloris chloris* (European Greenfinch)**

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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 ⁵				Long-term population trend ⁵				Subspecific population (where relevant)
	Size (pairs) ³	Europe (%)	Year(s)	Method ⁴	Direction ⁶	Magnitude (%) ⁷	Year(s)	Method ⁴	Direction ⁶	Magnitude (%) ⁷	Year(s)	Method ⁴	
Albania	5200–10300	<1	2007-2018	partial	-	-79 to -74	2007-2018	partial	-	-79 to -74	1980-2018	expert	
Andorra	60–270	<1	2014-2017	partial	?		2011-2018	complete	?				
Armenia	25000–36200	<1	2013-2018	complete	+	3 to 6	2007-2018	complete	0		2003-2018	partial	
Austria	100000–150000	<1	2013-2018	partial	-		2007-2018	complete	?		1981-2018	deficient	
Azerbaijan	100000–1000000	1	1996-2019	expert	0		2013-2019	expert	?		1980-2019	expert	
Belarus	150000–190000	<1	2010-2018	partial	0	-10 to 10	2012-2019	expert	0	0	1980-2019	expert	
Belgium	55200–115000	<1	2013-2018	expert	-	-27 to 6	2008-2018	complete	+	0 to 109	1973-2018	partial	
Bosnia & HG	15000–30000	<1	2015-2018	complete	?	-10 to 10	2007-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Bulgaria	200000–400000	1	2005-2018	partial	F		2000-2018	complete	0	5 to 10	1980-2018	partial	
Croatia	100000–500000	<1	2014-2014	expert	?		2007-2018	deficient	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Cyprus	60000–130000	<1	2013-2018	partial	+	8 to 50	2007-2018	partial	+	10 to 50	1980-2018	expert	
Czechia	400000–800000	2	2014-2017	complete	-		2007-2018	complete	-		1982-2018	complete	
Denmark	332000–333000	1	2017	partial	-	-54 to -18	2006-2017	complete	0	-4 to 46	1980-2017	complete	
Estonia	50000–100000	<1	2013-2017	expert	+	13 to 60	2007-2018	expert	+	168 to 341	1983-2018	expert	
Finland	113000–234000	<1	2013-2018	complete	-	-74 to -65	2007-2018	complete	+	279 to 766	1980-2018	complete	
France	1000000–2000000	6	2013-2018	partial	-		2007-2018	complete	-		2001-2018	complete	
Georgia	18400–185000	<1	2013-2017	partial	?			deficient	?				
Germany	1450000–2050000	7	2016-2016	complete	-	-22 to -13	2004-2016	complete	0		1980-2016	expert	
Gibraltar	30–50	<1	2012-2018	expert	+	20 to 30	2001-2012	expert	+	10 to 50	1980-2018	expert	
Greece	370000–470000	2	2013-2018	partial	0		2007-2018	partial	0		1980-2018	partial	
Hungary	374000–388000	2	2014-2018	partial	0		2007-2018	complete	0		1980-2018	expert	
Rep. Ireland	268000–681000	1	2011-2016	complete	-	-39 to -30	2006-2016	complete	?		1980-2016	deficient	
Italy	400000–800000	2	2013-2018	expert	-	-20 to -15	2012-2017	partial	+	30 to 100	1993-2018	expert	
Kosovo	60000–80000	<1	2007-2019	partial	+		2007-2018	partial	0		1990-2018	partial	
Latvia	112000–202000	<1	2016-2016	complete	+	50 to 215	2005-2018	complete	+	51 to 549	1995-2018	complete	
Lithuania	120000–250000	<1	2013-2018	partial	0		2013-2018	partial	0		1980-2018	partial	
Luxembourg	15000–20000	<1	2013-2018	partial	?		2007-2018	expert	?		1980-2018	expert	
North Macedonia	30000–50000	<1	2014-2019	expert	0		2007-2018	expert	?		1980-2019		
Moldova	15000–20000	<1	2014-2017	partial	0		2007-2018	partial	0		1990-2018	expert	
Montenegro	40000–60000	<1	2002-2012	expert	0		2007-2018	expert	?				
Netherlands	65000–100000	<1	2013-2015	complete	+	49 to 75	2006-2017	complete	+	57 to 173	1984-2017	complete	
Norway	135000–400000	<1	2013-2018	expert	F		2013-2018	partial	-	0 to 10	1980-2018	partial	

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Poland	1100000–1260000	5	2013-2018	complete	0	-9 to 12	2007-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Portugal	500000–1000000	3	2013-2018	partial	-		2004-2018	partial	?		1980-2018	deficient	
PT: Azores	25	100	2013-2018	expert	?		2007-2018	deficient	?		1980-2018	deficient	non-native populations
PT: Madeira	1000–5000	<1	2013-2018	partial	-	-68 to -40	2008-2018	partial	+		1980-2018	expert	
Romania	649000–1010000	3	2013-2015	complete	?	-4 to 6	2008-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Russia	2200000–4500000	12	2006-2018	partial	0		2007-2018	expert	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Serbia	142000–230000	<1	2013-2018	partial	0	0	2007-2018	complete	+	10 to 29	1980-2018	complete	
Slovakia	100000–130000	<1	2013-2018	partial	0		2007-2018	partial	0		1980-2018	partial	
Slovenia	66400–93400	<1	2018-2018	complete	-		2008-2013	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Spain	7630000–8910000	32	2004-2018	complete	+		2007-2018	complete	+		1980-2018	complete	
ES: Canary Is	2500–10000	<1	1997-2018	expert	?		2007-2018	deficient	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Sweden	185000–231000	<1	2013-2018	partial	-	-72 to -65	2007-2018	partial	-	-38 to -24	1980-2018	partial	
Switzerland	90000–120000	<1	2013–2016	partial	-	-50 to -26	2007-2018	complete	-	-33 to -5	1990-2018	complete	
Turkey	500000–1000000	3	2002-2012	expert	?		2008-2019	deficient	?		1980-2013	deficient	
Ukraine	700000–1100000	4	2015-2017	partial	F	5 to 10	2007-2019	expert	F	10 to 15	1980-2019	expert	
United Kingdom	734000–838000	3	2016	partial	-		2004-2016	complete	-		1980-2016	complete	
EU28	16500000–23200000	76											
Europe	25	100											
Europe	20700000–32200000	100											

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>.

² The designation of geographical entities and the presentation of the material do not imply the expression of any opinion whatsoever on the part of IUCN or BirdLife International concerning the legal status of any country, territory or area, or of its authorities, or concerning the delimitation of its frontiers or boundaries.

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 'method used' (replacing the data 'quality' assessment in the 2015 European Red List) is reported as: a) Complete: complete survey or a statistically robust estimate; b) Partial: based mainly on extrapolation from a limited amount of data; c) Expert: based mainly on expert opinion with very limited data; d) Deficient: insufficient or no data available.

⁵ 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.

⁶ Trend directions are reported as: increasing (+); decreasing (-); stable (0); fluctuating (F); or unknown (?).

⁷ 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 (≥50%) | ↓ Large decrease (≥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: ≥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.

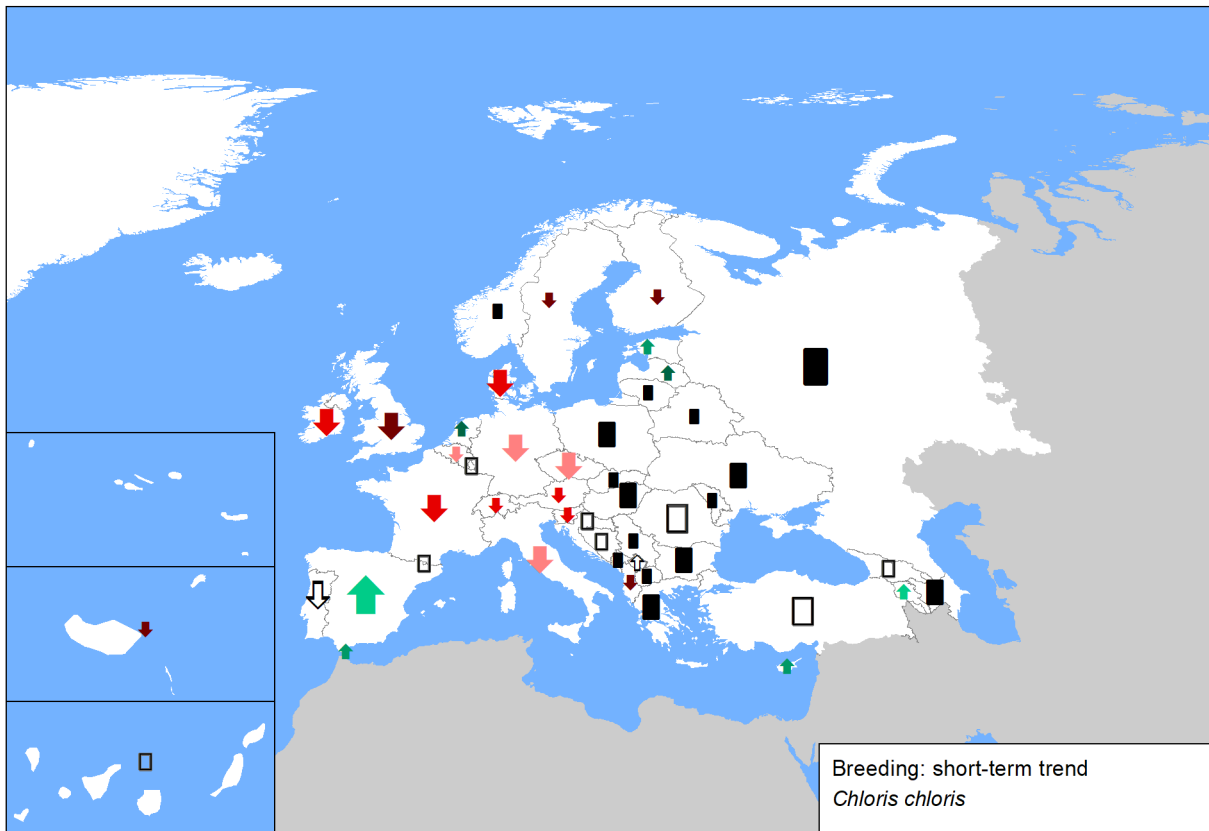
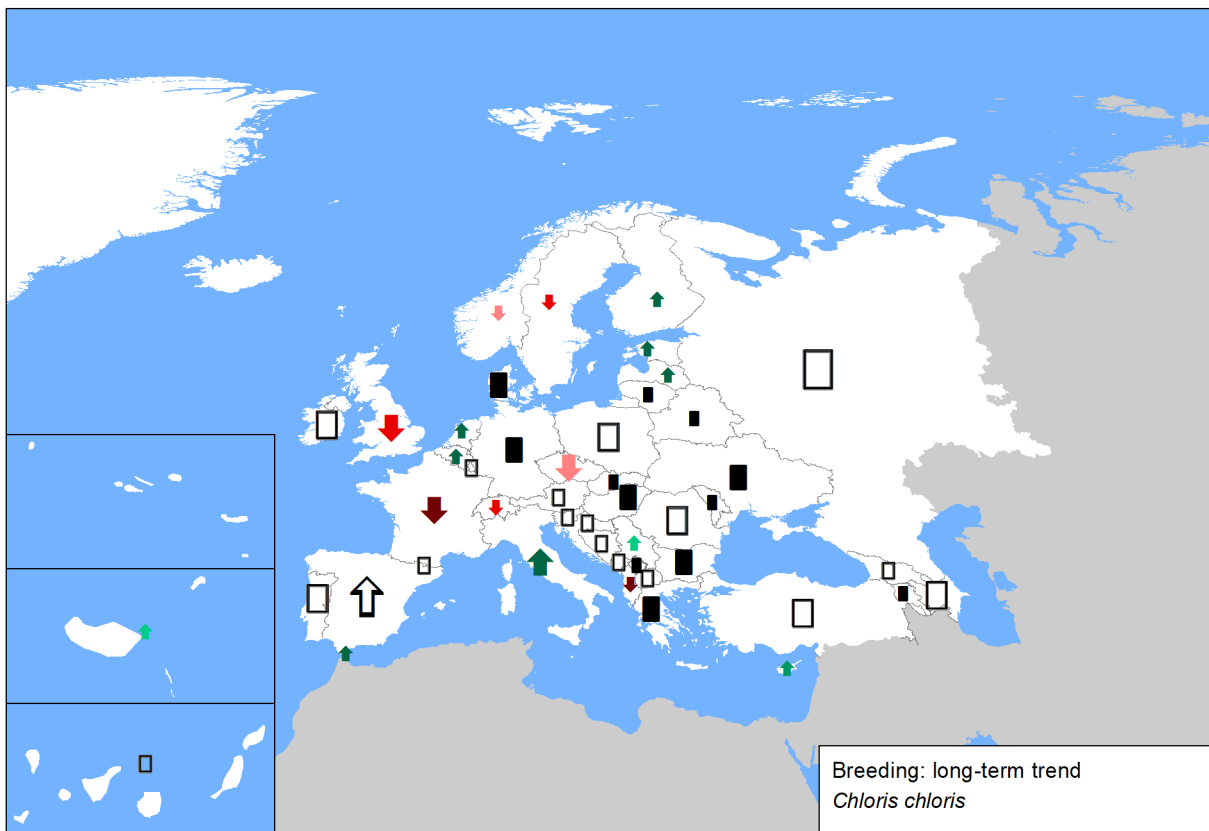


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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