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Emberiza citrinella (Yellowhammer)

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Further information

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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	1700–3300	<1	2007-2018	partial	-	-17 to -15	2007-2018	partial	-	-17 to -15	1980-2018	expert	
Andorra	70–220	<1	2014-2017	partial	?		2011-2018	complete	?				
Austria	180000–280000	1	2013-2018	partial	-		2007-2018	complete	?		1981-2018	deficient	
Belarus	1200000–1600000	6	2010-2018	partial	+	20 to 30	2012-2019	expert	0	0	1980-2019	expert	
Belgium	21800–31500	<1	2013-2018	partial	-	-32 to -14	2008-2018	partial	-	-55 to -34	1973-2018	partial	
Bosnia & HG	15000–25000	<1	2015-2018	complete	?	-10 to 10	2007-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Bulgaria	50000–97000	<1	2005-2018	partial	0	0	2000-2018	partial	0	0	1980-2018	expert	
Croatia	100000–300000	<1	2014-2014	expert	?		2007-2018	deficient	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Czechia	1700000–3400000	11	2014-2017	complete	-		2007-2018	complete	-		1982-2018	complete	
Denmark	302000–303000	1	2017	partial	-	-45 to -27	2006-2017	complete	-	-65 to -59	1980-2017	complete	
Estonia	150000–200000	<1	2013-2017	expert	0	6 to 50	2007-2018	expert	-	-45 to -25	1983-2018	expert	
Finland	854000–985000	4	2013-2018	complete	-	-18 to -6	2007-2018	complete	?	-25 to 2	1980-2018	complete	
France	400000–800000	2	2013-2018	partial	-		2007-2018	complete	-		1989-2017	complete	
Germany	1100000–1650000	6	2016-2016	complete	-	-18 to -10	2004-2016	complete	0		1980-2016	expert	
Greece	2000–5000	<1	2015	partial	0		2007-2018	partial	0		1980-2018	partial	
Hungary	493000–508000	2	2014-2018	complete	0		2007-2018	partial	0		1980-2018	expert	
Rep. Ireland	96700–295000	<1	2011-2016	complete	0	-6 to 11	2006-2016	complete	?		1980-2016	deficient	
Italy	20000–50000	<1	2013-2018	expert	-	-20 to -10	2012-2017	partial	0		1993-2018	expert	
Kosovo	10000–15000	<1	2007-2019	partial	0		2007-2018	partial	0		1990-2018	partial	
Latvia	313000–391000	2	2016-2016	complete	+	19 to 81	2005-2018	complete	+	39 to 163	1995-2018	complete	
Liechtenstein	70–100	<1	2013-2018	complete	-	-29 to -15	2006-2018	partial	F		1980-2018	partial	
Lithuania	300000–400000	2	2013-2018	partial	+	5 to 10	2013-2018	partial	0	0	1980-2018	partial	
Luxembourg	10000–15000	<1	2013-2018	partial	-	-20 to -10	2007-2018	complete	-	-40 to -10	1980-2018	expert	
North Macedonia	30000–100000	<1	2014-2019	expert	0		2007-2018	expert	?		1980-2019		
Moldova	10000–30000	<1	2014-2017	partial	-		2007-2018	partial	0		1990-2018	expert	
Montenegro	7000–10000	<1	2002-2012	expert	0		2007-2018	expert	?				
Netherlands	22000–27000	<1	2013-2015	complete	0	-8 to 5	2006-2017	complete	+	127 to 231	1984-2017	complete	
Norway	100000–200000	<1	2013-2018	expert	?		2013-2018	partial	-	-20 to -5	1980-2018	partial	
Poland	4360000–4580000	20	2013-2018	complete	0	-8 to 2	2007-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Portugal	100–250	<1	2013-2018	partial	?		2007-2018	partial	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Romania	909000–1260000	5	2013-2015	complete	0	-3 to 1	2007-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Russia	3000000–4200000	16	2008-2018	partial	0		2008-2018	expert	?		1980-2018	deficient	

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Serbia	69500–92500	<1	2013-2018	partial	0	0	2007-2018	complete	0	0	1980-2018	complete	
Slovakia	800000–1500000	5	2013-2018	expert	0		2007-2018	expert	0		1980-2018	expert	
Slovenia	74500–95200	<1	2018-2018	complete	-		2008-2018	complete	?		1980-2018	deficient	
Spain	237000–391000	1	2004-2006	partial	-	-5 to -2	2007-2018	complete	-		1980-2018	complete	
Sweden	506000–569000	2	2013-2018	partial	-	-44 to -37	2007-2018	partial	-	-74 to -70	1980-2018	partial	
Switzerland	65000–75000	<1	2013–2016	partial	-	-32 to -10	2007-2018	complete	0	-5 to 24	1990-2018	complete	
Turkey	250–1000	<1	2002-2018	complete	?		2012-2018	deficient	?		1980-2013	deficient	
Ukraine	1300000–1800000	7	2015-2017	partial	?		2007-2019	deficient	?		1980-2019	deficient	
United Kingdom	698000–699000	3	2016	partial	0		2004-2016	complete	-		1980-2016	complete	
EU28	13700000–18900000	70											
Europe	19500000–27000000	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) Defficient: 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.

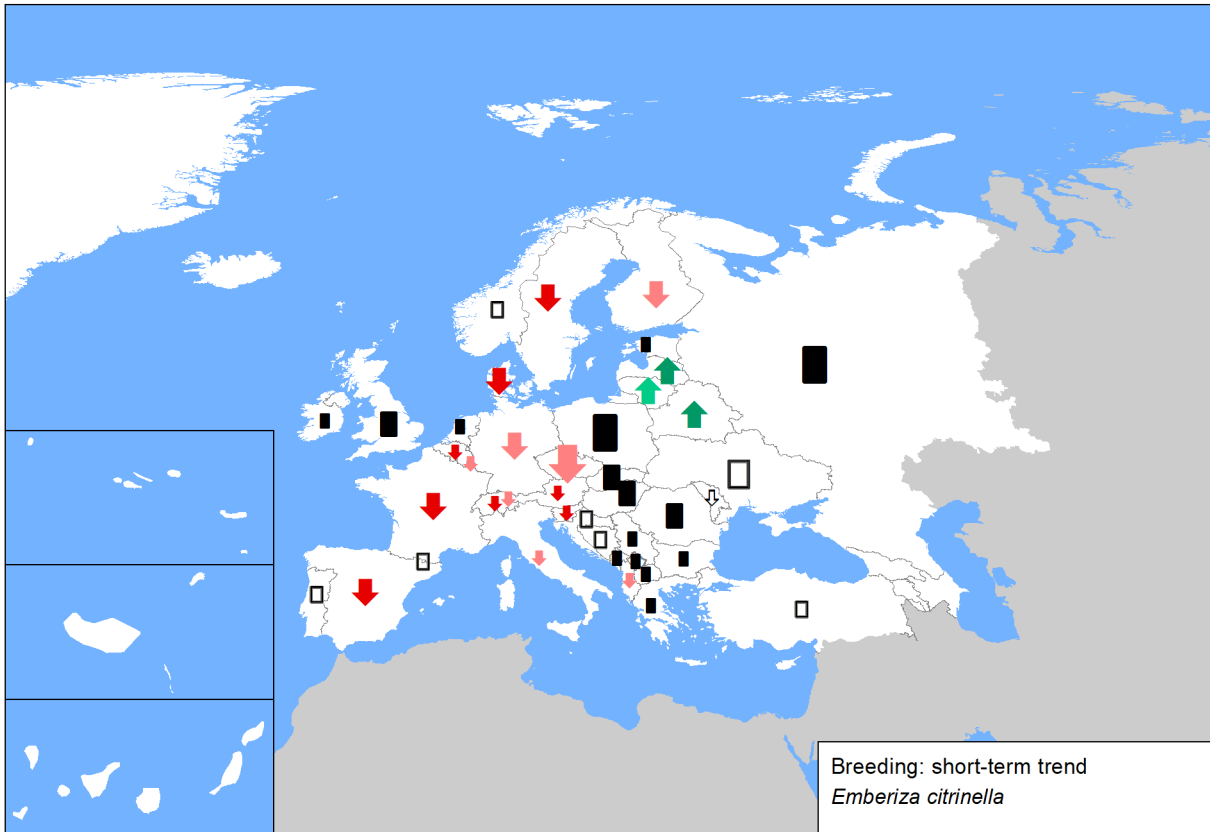
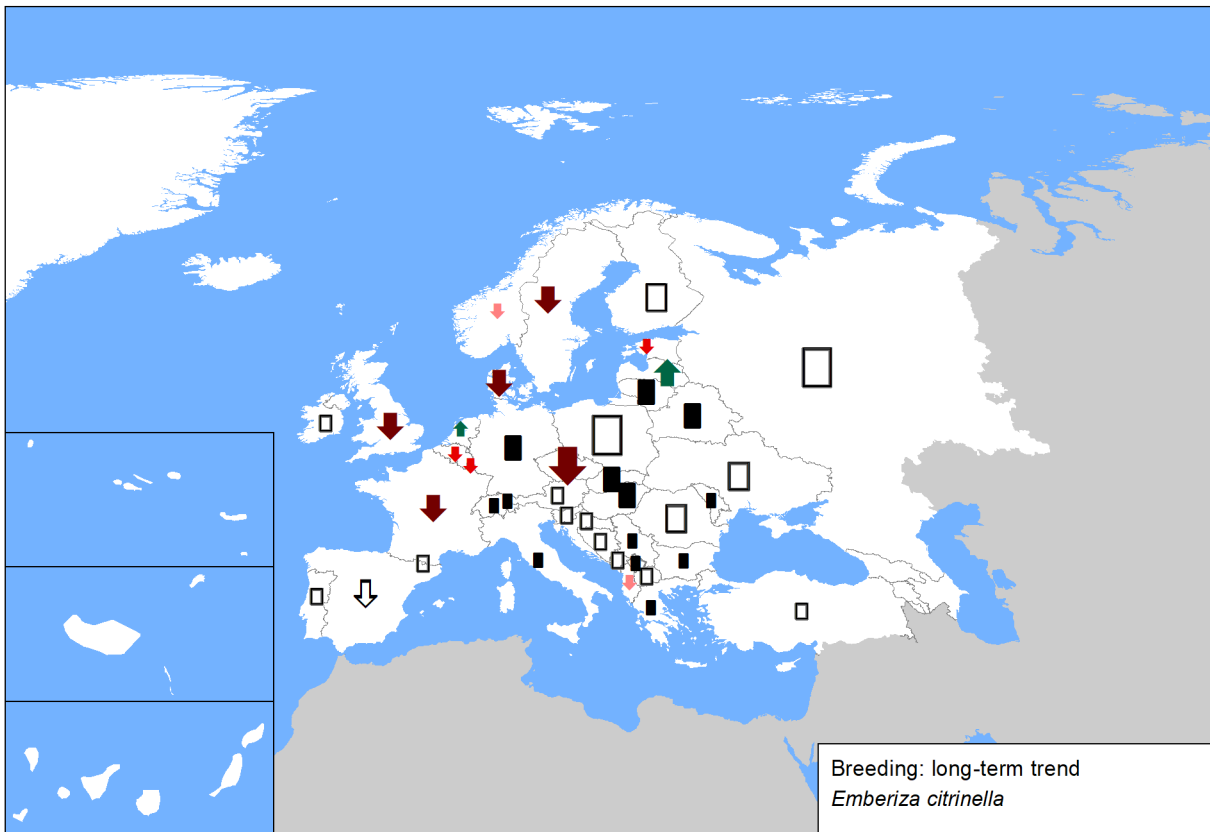


Figure 2. Breeding population sizes and long-term trends across Europe.



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