

Carduelis spinus

EURASIAN SISKIN



Non-SPEC^E (1994: 4) **Status** Secure

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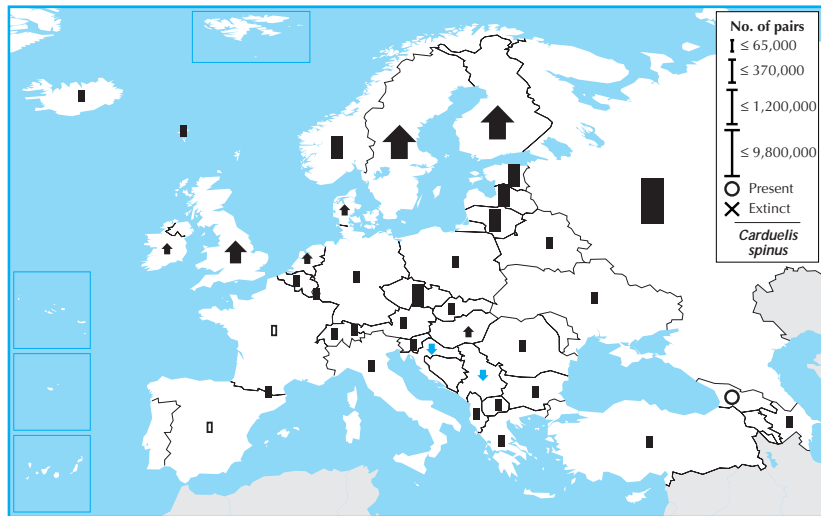
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Carduelis spinus is a widespread breeder across most of Europe, which constitutes >75% of its global range. Its European breeding population is extremely large (>10,000,000 pairs), and was stable between 1970–1990. The stronghold population in Russia fluctuated during 1990–2000, and most other European populations—including sizeable ones in Finland and Sweden—either increased or were stable. The species probably remained broadly stable overall, and consequently is provisionally evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Albania	(0–50)	02	(0)	(0–19)	
Andorra	0–20	99–01	(0)	(0–19)	1,3
Austria	(30,000–140,000)	98–02	(F)	(>80)	
Azerbaijan	(1,000–10,000)	96–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Belarus	10,000–40,000	97–02	0	0–19	
Belgium	160–1,100	95–02	0	0–19	1
Bulgaria	2,000–4,000	96–02	0	0–19	
Croatia	(5,000–10,000)	02	(–)	(30–49)	70,16
Czech Rep.	90,000–180,000	00	0	0–19	
Denmark	(200–2,000)	00	(+)	(–)	12,3
Faroe Is.	(0–4)	85	(0)	(0–19)	
Estonia	100,000–250,000	98	F	20–29	1
Finland	700,000–2,000,000	98–02	+	35	
France	500–2,500	98–02	?	–	4
Georgia	Present	03	?	–	
Germany	25,000–100,000	95–99	F	50–79	
Greece	(500–2,000)	95–00	(F)	(>80)	
Hungary	(200–300)	90–93	+	20–49	14
Iceland	0–4	90–00	(F)	(–)	24,25,45,46,47,42,43,44
Rep. Ireland	20,000–100,000	88–91	+	20–29	
Italy	(4,000–15,000)	03	(0)	(0–19)	
Latvia	100,000–200,000	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	23,18
Liechtenstein	(10–20)	98–00	(F)	(–)	
Lithuania	(100,000–300,000)	99–01	(0)	(0–19)	20
Luxembourg	1–10	02	0	0–19	
Macedonia	(250–1,000)	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	
Netherlands	500–1,200	98–00	+	236	1
Norway	(100,000–1,000,000)	90–03	0	0–19	27
Poland	(10,000–20,000)	00–02	0	0–19	23
Romania	24,000–65,000	99–02	(0)	(0–19)	48
Russia	8,000,000–12,000,000	90–00	(F)	(20–29)	122
Serbia & MN	60–100	90–02	(–)	(0–9)	1,241,155,225,227,62,117a
Slovakia	20,000–40,000	90–99	0	0–19	
Slovenia	2,000–3,000	94	(0)	(0–19)	
Spain	(500–1,100)	92	?	–	13,12,10
Sweden	500,000–1,000,000	99–00	+	10–19	
Switzerland	5,000–10,000	93–96	(F)	(30–49)	
Turkey	(5,000–20,000)	01	(0)	(0–19)	
Ukraine	(4,000–20,000)	90–00	(F)	(30–49)	
UK	369,000–369,000	00	+	19	22,31

Total (approx.) Breeding range 10,000,000–18,000,000 >5,000,000 km² Overall trend Fluctuating Gen. length. <3.3 % Global pop. 75–94 (See p. 273, top, for data quality graph)