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Preliminary European Red List of Vertebrates

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About this draft Red List

This document is the result of a joint project between the European Environment Agency and the Council of Europe to develop a *preliminary European Red List of Vertebrates*. It is based on a first draft by WCMC in 1998.

Except for Birds (Birdlife International, 1994), no assessment is yet available on the conservation status of Vertebrate species at European level, while Red Books exist at national level in almost all European countries. On the other hand, a global list of threatened species is published and maintained up-dated by IUCN according to well defined criteria (IUCN, 2000).

The present assessment is a first attempt to identify the most threatened Vertebrates species at European level, building upon a first analysis of the list of globally threatened species present in Europe (WCMC, 1998) and taking into account the most recent available overviews on European species distribution provided by the various European atlas committees (European Bird Census Council; Societas Europaea Herpetologica, Societas Europea Mammalogica). A specific analysis has been done for freshwater fishes by the University Complutense of Madrid. It is provided in a separate document.

This assessment should still be considered as preliminary. While for Mammals and Birds, the list of threatened species is likely to reflect adequately the situation in Europe, the list for Amphibians and Reptiles should be considered as a minimum list, because the analysis was done only on globally threatened species present in Europe.

This *Preliminary Red List of Vertebrates* will be sent, for comments to all contracting Parties of the Bern Convention, as well as to EIONET, the European Environment Agency's network.

Introduction

Fundamental pieces of nature conservation legislation have been put in place in Europe during the last twenty years, starting with the Bern Convention and the EC-Bird Directive, and more recently, in 1992, with the EC-Habitats, Fauna and Flora Directive. Over the last years an increasing number of Regional conventions (Barcelona, Helsinki, OsPar) have also been implemented, having, among others the aim of conservation of species of special concern. However, beyond and in complement to legal approaches to conservation, more and more emphasis is given to the integration of biodiversity into sectoral policies as highlighted in the Convention of Biological Diversity.

In order to develop adequate strategies and action-plans at European level to conserve the most important elements of the continent's natural heritage, and then to monitor them, decision-makers need an agreed-upon list of species that can be used as a background for identifying responsibilities beyond individual countries, a so-called *Red List of European species*.

The threat status of a species can only be evaluated within a specific area and this status may be different from one geographical level to another. A species can be evaluated at lower-risk at global level while being critically endangered in a specific country, due to higher local pressures and a to a non viable species population level. The decision for priority conservatory measures can thus be different from one level to another level but this should be done with full knowledge of the species threat all over its distribution range.

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The Council of Europe and the European Environment Agency thus decided in 1997 to undertake a joint project for a *list of Vertebrates threatened at European level*. The present document reflects the progress on this project.

This “Preliminary European Red List of vertebrates” builds upon a first draft prepared by WCMC¹ in 1998 and circulated for comments within the Council of Europe and the European Environment Agency's networks. WCMC's document provided a list of selected species with indication of their IUCN global status, their geographical distribution as well as a specific text for European endemics threatened at global level.

The present document includes, in addition, a proposal for a *European threat status*.

Taxonomic scope

This list deals with terrestrial and freshwater Vertebrates mainly at species level (and some subspecies) : Mammals, Birds (breeding birds and one only wintering : *Branta ruficollis*), Reptiles, Amphibians, Freshwater Fish comprehensively. Among the coastal and inshore marine species only Mammals, Breeding Birds and marine Turtles are considered (marine fish are excluded).

Geographical scope

Among the difficulties in assessing the European threat status of species, is the proper definition of a geographical reference.

¹ WCMC (March 1998) Red data book of European Vertebrates : a contribution to action theme n° 11 of the Pan-European Biological and Landscape Diversity Strategy, final draft.

From a biogeographical point-of-view, as commented by the Societas Europaea Mammalogica², the widely-accepted definition of Europe is the one adopted by the EC funded Fauna Europaea project. This definition which excludes the Anatolian Turkey, Cyprus, Georgia, Azerbaijan, Armenia and the western part of Kazakhstan, is also used in recently published atlases of European fauna and flora. The main reason for this restriction is to avoid the effect of including some elements of an Asian fauna whose occurrence is quite marginal in Europe.

From an administrative point-of-view, Europe can be considered from different perspectives : the European Union includes 15 countries and is in a process of enlargement; the geographical scope of the European Environment Agency will progressively expand from 2001 to 31 member-countries (15 EU countries, 3 EFTA countries and 10 PHARE Accession countries, Cyprus, Malta and Turkey); the Council of Europe covers 41 countries and the Bern Convention 32 countries.

For the purpose of this survey - and except for Amphibians and Reptiles (which have not been assessed in the Macaronesian area) -, the European geographical area includes: all continental Europe, Russia to the Ural Mountains, southeast to Turkey and eastward to 50 degrees longitude, thereby including the Caucasian countries and a small part of extreme western Kazakhstan. All mainland countries around the northern shore of the Mediterranean, from the Straits of Gibraltar east to Turkey, and their island territories, are included, along with Malta and Cyprus. Svalbard, Iceland and island territories in the eastern North Atlantic (ie. Madeira, Azores, Canary Islands) are also included. Greenland is excluded. (cf map 1)

Background

Former projects on an overview of threatened species at European level had been developed such as "the draft community list of threatened species of wild flora and vertebrate fauna"³ but with a geographical coverage limited to the EU10 as covered by the Commission of the European Communities at that date. In 1991, the UN Economic Commission for Europe published a list of species threatened at global level and present in Europe⁴ but without European status. Since some years, some projects have been developed for specific groups as Breeding Birds⁵ and Butterflies⁶.

Methodology

In a first step, WCMC prepared a draft report⁷ in March 1998 which proposed a selection of species on the basis of the IUCN 1996 redlist⁸ on the three following criteria :

- 1- species globally threatened and only present in Europe
- 2- species globally threatened and not only present in Europe
in these two cases, "threatened species" means species evaluated as Critically Endangered (CR), Endangered (EN) and Vulnerable (VU) (cf annex 1).
- 3- species not globally threatened but of special conservation concern in Europe : for Breeding Birds, the species have been identified by BirdLife International⁵ as Species of European conservation concern (SPECs), defined as those having an unfavourable conservation status in Europe (assigned a European threat status of Endangered, Vulnerable, Rare, Declining, Localized

² SEM (October 1998) Review of the mammals section of the draft Red Data Book of European Vertebrates.

³ CEC (1987) A draft Community list of threatened species of wild flora and vertebrate fauna. CEC-DG Environment, Consumer Protection and Nuclear Safety.

⁴ Economic Commission For Europe 1991 European Red List of Globally Threatened Animals and Plants United Nations - ECE, Geneva.

⁵ Tucker (G.M.) *et al* (1994) Breeding Birds in Europe : their conservation status. BirdLife International, Cambridge.

⁶ Van Swaay (C.) and Warren (M.) (1999) - Red Data Book of European Butterflies (Rhopalocera). Council of Europe, Nature and Environment, 99.

⁷ WCMC (March 1998) Red data book of European Vertebrates : a contribution to action theme n° 11 of the Pan-European Biological and Landscape Diversity Strategy, final draft.

⁸ IUCN (1996) 1996 IUCN Red List of Threatened Animals. IUCN, Gland.

or Insufficiently known). Detailed country-level data on population and distribution during 1970-1990 have been used as a basis for the assessment of European status, in conjunction with global status categories. Further details on this assessment are given in Annex 2. For the other vertebrate groups, data of this type and quality are available for only a handful of species. Therefore, current national-level Red Data Books (RDBs) or Red Lists are reviewed to obtain a view of species status among non-Breeding Birds. As a general criterion, if more than half of a species' range in Europe is comprised of countries that list the species as nationally threatened, these species are listed as a candidate for special concern within Europe

These 3 lists include scientific names, English names as much as possible, global threat status and countries of occurrence. In addition, for the globally threatened European endemics and for the species of particular concern within Europe, a factsheet including a small text of presentation was provided.

At this stage, the European threat status was only provided for Breeding Birds and for endemics whose European status should be equivalent to the global status.

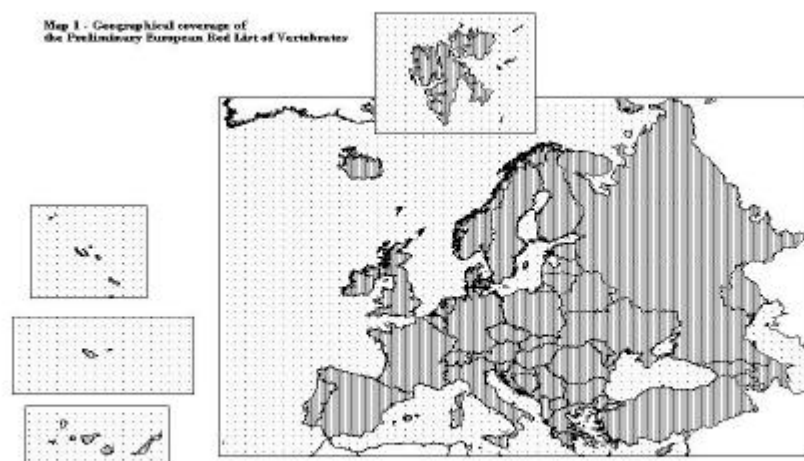
This WCMC draft report has been circulated within the network of the Council of Europe and within EIONET (European Observation and Information Network), the network of the EEA. Most of the comments received underlined the need for a review of the taxonomy used in the document, as well as an appropriate update of both the distribution range and the threat status for each species.

A peer review of the draft was thus organised among experts of the different species groups, concerning: taxonomy, geographical distribution (Europe and non Europe) and threat category at European level.

The consulted experts were for:

- Amphibians and Reptiles:
Societas Europaea Herpetologica which coordinate the project on European Atlas of Amphibians and Reptiles and published as "Gasc (J.-P.) *et al.* (1997) Atlas of Amphibians and Reptiles in Europe. SHE & MNHN(IEGB/SPN), Paris"
- Breeding Birds :
in coordination with BirdLife, SOVON which coordinate the project on European Atlas of Breeding Birds and published as "Hagemeijer E.J.M. *et al.* (1997) The EBCC Atlas of European Breeding Birds : their distribution and abundance. Poyser, London"s
- Fish :
University Complutense of Madrid
- Mammals:
Societas Europaea Mammalogica which coordinate the project on European Atlas of Mammals and published as "Mitchell-Jones (A.J.) *et al.* (1999) Atlas of European Mammals. Academic Press, London"

Except in the case of Fish, a well organised European network of experts is already available, in relation with Atlas committees which provide the best knowledge on European distribution of Vertebrates species.



Information content

The present document describes for each species :

- 1- Scientific name (the most accepted one)
- 2- Main Vernacular names (English and French)
- 3- Main Synonyms
- 4- Global IUCN threat status and reason (threat status assessed at World level published in 1996 according to IUCN categories defined in 1994 and (cf annex 1))
- 5- Proposed European threat status (threat status assessed at European level)
- 6- National threat status for 12 countries (Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland)
- 7- European Endemic (detailed if this species is endemic of the geographical area as defined above)
- 8- European distribution (breeding distribution for Birds)
- 9- Non-European distribution (only for Mammals, Amphibians and Reptiles)

For Fish, only information 1,4,5,8 and 9 are proposed for the moment.

Sources

EUNIS (European Nature Information System developed by ETC/NC for the needs of the EEA)

Scientific name (source : MNCN Madrid)

Main Vernacular names (source : European Atlases)

Main Synonyms (source : MNCN Madrid)

National threat status : (sources : National red books; cf annex 3) because some national red books don't use the IUCN categories, a short linguistic translation is mentioned followed by the code used by the country mentioned between brackets (cf annex 4).

WCMC and Consulted experts

Global IUCN threat status

Proposed European threat status

European Endemic

European distribution (except for FFH-annex II Fish whose distribution is completed by EUNIS)

Non-European distribution

Limits of the work

This work is perfectible due to several reasons:

- the 1994 IUCN criteria are defined for an application at global level and IUCN is still working at formulation of guidelines for applying the system at national level⁹. The recommendation from IUCN¹⁰ to assess species at regional level is to use the global status for the taxon and the proportion of the global range that occurs within the region. But this recommendation doesn't apply to species which are not threatened at World level.
- The evaluation of threat status by the application of IUCN criteria requires a good knowledge for each evaluated species of its distribution, population level and trends. Unfortunately, while the knowledge on populations is good for Breeding Birds and for some Mammals, it is very poor for most other Vertebrates species. Thanks to the work of the European Atlases, information on distribution per grid 50 km x 50 km is getting better for Breeding Birds, Mammals, Amphibians and Reptiles.
- National red lists could be an additional source of information to evaluate the European status of species even though there is a need to harmonise the different categories used by countries. This could not be done within the framework of this project. In particular, the *list of Amphibians and Reptiles threatened should be considered as a "minimum" list*.
For information, an overview of the national threat status of species included in the present European list is provided for a selection of countries.

Next steps

The present document may be improved on various aspects:

- Further development of the list of threatened Amphibians and Reptiles
- Completion by ETC/NC of data on Fish (vernacular names, synonyms, national threat status...)
- Some information can be completed relatively easily :
 - European distribution in winter for Birds
 - national threat status for all European countries
 - explanatory texts on species
 - cross-analysis of European threat status and European legal status (EC Directives and Bern convention)
- Data on populations of species listed in the document should be assessed, as far as possible
- Specific work which require analysis and expertise, should be developed on:
 - harmonisation of the national threat categories. For the purpose, an equivalence table is proposed, for validation by countries, in annex 3.
 - definition of IUCN criteria to be applied at European level.

⁹ WCMC (March 1998) Red data book of European Vertebrates : a contribution to action theme n° 11 of the Pan-European Biological and Landscape Diversity Strategy, final draft.

¹⁰ IUCN (1996) 1996 IUCN red list of threatened animals. IUCN, Gland.

Main figures

Comparison of estimations of species number provided by several sources are always subject to discussion due to taxonomical issues. Differences in estimations can also be due to differences in the definition of the geographical area considered.

SPECIES RICHNESS OF VERTEBRATES IN EUROPE

Table 1 - Vertebrates Species Richness in Europe - source : WCMC

Geographical coverage : Europe as defined page III (geographical administrative point-of-view)

	<i>World</i>	<i>Europe</i>	<i>Europe</i>
species group name	known species number (*) source : (1)	known species number source : (2)	Species only occurring in Europe source : (2)
<i>Amphibians</i>	4000	75	56
<i>Reptiles</i>	6500	200	92
<i>Breeding Birds</i>	9600	515 (**)	28
<i>Mammals</i>	4300	274	78
<i>Fresh-water Fish</i>	8400	349	207

(*) estimated figure, (**) Breeding Birds, modified by BirdLife

(1) WCMC (1992) Global biodiversity. Chapman & Hall.

(2) WCMC (1998) Red data book of European Vertebrates : a contribution to action theme n° 11 of the Pan-European Biological and Landscape Diversity Strategy, final draft.

Table 2 - Vertebrates Species Richness in Europe - source : European Atlases and others

Geographical coverage : Europe as defined page V (biogeographical point-of-view)

	<i>Europe</i>	<i>Comments</i>	<i>Source</i>
species group name	known species number		
<i>Amphibians</i>	78	except Macaronesian region	SEH, 1997
<i>Reptiles</i>	123	except Macaronesian region	SEH, 1997
<i>Breeding Birds</i>	506	except Canary Is.	SOVON, 1997
<i>Mammals</i>	281	Terrestrial and Marine species	SEM, 1997
<i>Fresh-water Fish</i>	575	Administrative point-of-view (page V)	Univ. Complutense, 2000

Council of Europe (1994) Conservation of threatened freshwater fish in Europe. Nature and Environment, no 66.

SEH, SEM, SOVON (1997) : communications to ETC/NC.

In addition, SEM¹¹ has estimated than 33 Mammals species can be added if the geographical administrative point-of-view is taken into account.

¹¹ SEM (October 1998) Review of the mammals section of the draft Red Data Book of European Vertebrates.

THREATENED SPECIES OF VERTEBRATES IN EUROPE

Table 3 - Globally Threatened Vertebrates species present in Europe - source : IUCN, 1996

	<i>Critically Endangered</i>	<i>Endangered</i>	<i>Vulnerable</i>	Total
<i>Amphibians</i>	3	2	5	10
<i>Reptiles</i>	7	8	8	23
<i>Breeding Birds</i>	1	1	18	20
<i>Terrestrial and Marine Mammals</i>	3	9	41	53
<i>Fresh-water Fish</i>	14	18	45	77

Table 4 - European Threatened Vertebrates

As proposed by the experts (SEM, SEH and UNIV. Complutense) and according to the IUCN categories explained in annex 1.

	<i>Critically Endangered</i>	<i>Endangered</i>	<i>Vulnerable</i>	Total
<i>Amphibians</i>	3	2	5	10 (*)
<i>Reptiles</i>	6	6	8	20 (*)
<i>Mammals</i>	3	11	57	71
<i>Fresh-water Fish</i>	23	32	217	272

(*) Minimum number, cf below

As proposed by BirdLife and according to the Classification of European Status explained in annex 2

	<i>Endangered</i>	<i>Vulnerable</i>	<i>Rare</i>	<i>Declining</i>	Total
<i>Breeding Birds</i>	23	64	18	29	134
<i>Provisional status</i>	<i>(Endangered)</i>	<i>(Vulnerable)</i>	<i>(Rare)</i>	<i>(Declining)</i>	Total
<i>(Breeding Birds)</i>	9	19	1	10	39

Table 5 presents the percentage of threatened species at European level as assessed in the present survey as well as the percentage of threatened species at global level (IUCN, 2000).

Table 5 - Percentage of threatened species at global and at European level

%	<i>Mammals</i>	<i>Birds</i>	<i>Amphibians</i>	<i>Reptiles</i>	<i>Fish</i>
% of Threatened species at GLOBAL LEVEL <i>source : IUCN, 2000</i>	24%	12%	20%	25%	30%
% of Threatened species at EUROPEAN LEVEL	23 %	26 %	13 %	15 %	47%

Table 6 presents the number of countries in reference to the percentage of threatened species at national level, per species group, based on information provided by EIONET in 1997. A strong discrepancy appears between the assessment at European level and at national level for Amphibians and Reptiles. This confirms that the present document lists a minimum number of threatened species for these two groups.

Table 6 - Percentage of threatened species at national level.

%	<i>Mammals</i>	<i>Birds</i>	<i>Amphibians</i>	<i>Reptiles</i>
% of Threatened species at NATIONAL LEVEL IN DIFFERENT COUNTRIES <i>source : EIONET</i>	Nb Countries	Nb Countries	Nb Countries	Nb Countries
0 %	1	1	2	2
0-15 %	2	7	5	2
15-30 %	13	12	4	9
30-45 %	6	4	4	4
45-60 %	2	0	4	0
60-75 %	0	0	2	2
> 75 %	1	0	4	5

Table 7a - Number of European Threatened Vertebrates Species present in each country (Amphibians, Reptiles and Mammals)

Country	Group	Critically Endangered CR	Endangered EN	Vulnerable VU	Total
EU15 Member States					
Austria	Mammals			13	13
Austria	Reptiles			1	1
Belgium	Mammals			10	10
Denmark	Mammals			4	4
Finland	Mammals		1	6	7
France	Amphibians			1	1
France	Mammals	1	1	17	19
France	Reptiles			1	1
Germany	Mammals		1	13	14
Greece	Amphibians			1	1
Greece	Mammals	1		20	21
Greece	Reptiles	3	1	1	5
Ireland	Mammals			3	3
Italy	Amphibians	2	1	1	4
Italy	Mammals	1		17	18
Italy	Reptiles	1	2		3
Luxembourg	Mammals			9	9
Netherlands	Mammals			8	8
Portugal	Amphibians			1	1
Portugal	Mammals		1	13	14
Portugal (Azores)	Mammals			1	1
Portugal (Madeira Is)	Mammals	1		1	2
Spain	Amphibians	1		2	3
Spain	Mammals	1	2	16	19
Spain	Reptiles	1	1	4	6
Spain (Canary Is)	Mammals			4	4
Sweden	Mammals			7	7
United Kingdom	Mammals			6	6
EFTA					
Norway	Mammals			4	4
Switzerland	Mammals			11	11
Accessing Countries					
Bulgaria	Mammals	1	1	19	21
Czech Republic	Mammals		1	11	12
Estonia	Mammals		1	5	6
Hungary	Mammals		1	14	15
Hungary	Reptiles			1	1
Latvia	Mammals		1	6	7
Lithuania	Mammals		2	8	10
Malta	Mammals			3	3
Poland	Mammals		2	14	16
Romania	Mammals	1	2	21	24
Slovakia	Mammals		2	14	16
Slovakia	Reptiles			1	1
Slovenia	Amphibians			1	1
Slovenia	Mammals			13	13

Other countries					
Albania	Mammals	1		12	13
Armenia	Mammals	2	1	15	18
Armenia	Reptiles	1			1
Azerbaijan	Mammals	2	1	18	21
Azerbaijan	Reptiles			1	1
Belarus	Mammals		2	7	9
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Amphibians			1	1
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Mammals			14	14
Croatia	Amphibians			1	1
Croatia	Mammals	1		17	18
Cyprus	Mammals	1		11	12
Cyprus	Reptiles	1	2		3
Georgia	Mammals	2	2	14	18
Georgia	Reptiles		2	2	4
Kazakhstan (Europe)	Mammals		1	4	5
Macedonia	Mammals			16	16
Moldova	Mammals			14	14
Russia (Europe)	Mammals	1	3	19	23
Russia (Europe)	Reptiles		1	2	3
Turkey (West part)	Amphibians		1	1	2
Turkey	Mammals	3	2	22	27
Turkey (West part)	Reptiles	1	4	1	6
Ukraine	Mammals	1	2	22	25
Ukraine	Reptiles			1	1
Yugoslavia	Mammals	1	1	16	18
Yugoslavia	Reptiles		1		

Table 7b - Number of European Threatened Vertebrates Species present in each country (Breeding Birds)

Country	Group	Endangered	Vulnerable	Rare	Declining	Total
EU15 Member States						
Austria	Breeding Birds	1	20	4	21	46
Belgium	Breeding Birds		16	2	19	37
Denmark	Breeding Birds	1	18	2	20	41
Denmark (Faeroes Is)	Breeding Birds		2			2
Finland	Breeding Birds	1	24	4	18	47
France	Breeding Birds	9	34	8	25	76
Germany	Breeding Birds	2	24	7	24	57
Greece	Breeding Birds	6	27	12	22	67
Ireland	Breeding Birds	1	14	1	12	28
Italy	Breeding Birds	4	28	6	22	60
Luxembourg	Breeding Birds		13	1	12	26
Netherlands	Breeding Birds	1	19	2	22	44
Portugal	Breeding Birds	6	28	9	19	62
Portugal (Azores)	Breeding Birds	2	3			5
Portugal (Madeira Is)	Breeding Birds	3	4			7
Spain	Breeding Birds	13	35	11	23	62
Spain (Canary Is)	Breeding Birds		8			8
Sweden	Breeding Birds		24	4	20	48

United Kingdom	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	1	21	4	18	44
EFTA						
Iceland	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	1	9	1	7	18
Liechtenstein	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		8	1	10	19
Norway	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		22	4	17	43
Norway (Svalbard)	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		1			1
Switzerland	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		21	3	16	40
Accessing Countries						
Bulgaria	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	5	28	11	22	66
Czech Republic	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	23	4	21	50
Estonia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		21	6	20	47
Hungary	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	5	22	9	22	58
Latvia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	22	6	20	50
Malta	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		3		3	6
Poland	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	23	8	26	59
Romania	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	8	29	11	26	74
Slovakia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	3	24	6	22	55
Slovenia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		15	5	18	38
Other countries						
Albania	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	5	26	10	21	62
Andorra	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		11	3	10	24
Armenia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	1			3
Azerbaijan	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	1			3
Belarus	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	24	8	23	57
Bosnia & Herzegovina	<i>Breeding Birds</i>		2			2
Croatia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	4	23	10	22	59
Cyprus	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	8	5	8	23
Georgia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	2	2			4
Kazakhstan (Europe)	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	5	4		1	10
Lithuania	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	1	21	5	21	48
Macedonia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	1	1			2
Moldova	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	5	19	4	20	48
Russia (Europe)	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	12	42	14	28	96
Turkey	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	10	35	15	21	81
Ukraine	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	8	33	12	27	80
Yugoslavia	<i>Breeding Birds</i>	1	4		1	6

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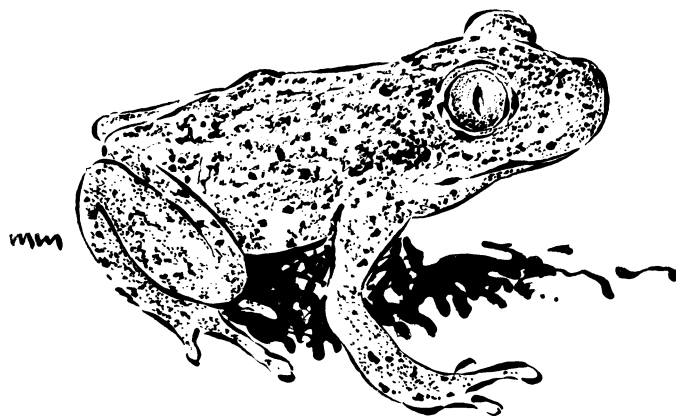
Glossary

CoE :	Council of Europe
EBCC:	European Bird Census Council
EEA :	European Environment Agency
EFTA :	European Free Trade Association
EC :	European Community
EIONET :	European Information and Observation Network (18 EEA countries and 13 PHARE countries)
ETC/NC :	European Topic Centre on Nature Conservation
EU :	European Union
EUNIS :	European Nature Information System
IUCN :	World Conservation Union
PHARE :	Poland, Hungary - EU Assistance for the Reforms of the Economies (extended to 13 countries)
SEH :	Societas Europaea Herpetologica
SEM :	Societas Europaea Mammalogica
UN :	United Nations
WCMC :	World Conservation and Monitoring Centre

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LIST OF AMPHIBIANS THREATENED IN EUROPE



Alytes muletensis

Amphibians

Order: Caudata
Family: Proteidae

Proteus anguinus

Proteus
Protée anguillard

Global IUCN threat category VU B1+2bc, C2a

Proposed European threat category VU

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Italy: Endangered (EN)

European distribution: Bosnia & Herzegovina, Croatia, Italy, Slovenia

Family: Salamandridae

Chioglossa lusitanica

Golden-striped salamander
Chioglosse portugais

Global IUCN threat category VU A2c

Proposed European threat category VU

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Rare (R)

European distribution: Portugal, Spain

Euproctus platycephalus

Sardinian mountain newt
Euprocte de Sardaigne

Main Synonyms: *Euproctus rusconii*, *Molge platycephala*, *Molge rusconii*

Global IUCN threat category CR A1ac, B1+2bcd

Proposed European threat category CR

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Italy: Endangered (EN)

European distribution: Italy

Mertensiella luschani

Luschan's salamander
Salamandre de Lycie

Main Synonyms: *Mertensiella (Salamandra) luschani*, *Molge luschani*, *Salamandra luschani*

Global IUCN threat category V B1+2cde

Proposed European threat category VU

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Greece: Rare (R)

European distribution: Greece, Turkey

Salamandra atra aurorae

Golden alpine salamander

Main Synonyms: *Salamandra (atra) aurorae*, *Salamandra aurorae*, *Salamandra salamandra aurorae*

Global IUCN threat category CR B1+2bc

Proposed European threat category CR

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Italy: Critically endangered (CR)

European distribution: Italy

Order: Salientia
Family: Discoglossidae

Alytes dickhilleni

Betic midwife toad

Global IUCN threat category VU B1+2cd

Proposed European threat category VU

European Endemic Yes

European distribution: Spain

Alytes muletensis

Mallorcan midwife toad

Alyte de Majorque

Main Synonyms: *Baleaphryne muletensis***Global IUCN threat category** CR B1+2bc**Proposed European threat category** CR**European Endemic** Yes**National Status:** Spain: Endangered (E)**European distribution:** Spain

Discoglossus montalentii

Corsican painted frog

Discoglosse corse

Global IUCN threat category VU A2c, B2c+3d,
C2a**Proposed European threat category** VU**European Endemic** Yes**National Status:** France: Rare (R)**European distribution:** France

Family: Pelobatidae***Pelobates fuscus insubricus***

Italian Spadefoot

Pélobate brun italien

Global IUCN threat category EN A1c, B1+2cd**Proposed European threat category** EN**European Endemic** Yes**National Status:** Italy: Critically endangered (CR)**European distribution:** Italy

Family: Ranidae

Rana holtzi

Taurus frog

Global IUCN threat category EN B1+2bc+3d, E

Proposed European threat category EN

European Endemic No

European distribution: Turkey

Rana latastei

Italian agile frog

Grenouille de Lataste

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category LRcd

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Italy: Endangered (EN), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European distribution: Croatia, Italy, Slovenia, Switzerland

LIST OF BIRDS THREATENED IN EUROPE



Aquila chrysaetos

For Birds, European Threat Status is assessed as E=**Endangered**, V=**Vulnerable**, R=**Rare**, D=**Declining**, L=**Localized** or Ins= **Insufficiently Known**.

If the European Threat Status is provisionnal, it is indicated between brackets (cf annex 2)

Birds

Order: Accipitriformes

Family: Accipitridae

Accipiter brevipes

Levant Sparrowhawk
Épervier à pieds courts

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

European distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Greece, Hungary, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine

Aegypius monachus

Black Vulture
Vautour moine

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Extinct (EX), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: France, Greece, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Aquila adalberti

Spanish Imperial Eagle
Aigle ibérique

Main Synonyms: *Aquila heliaca adalberti*

Global IUCN threat category VU D1

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Spain

Aquila chrysaetos

Golden Eagle
Aigle royal

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Vulnerable (V), France: Rare (R), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Aquila clanga

Spotted Eagle
Aigle criard

Global IUCN threat category VU C2a

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Endangered (E), Greece: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Finland, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Ukraine

Aquila heliaca

Imperial Eagle
Aigle impérial

Global IUCN threat category VU C2a

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E), Portugal: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Macedonia, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Turkey, Ukraine, Yugoslavia

Aquila pomarina

Lesser Spotted Eagle
Aigle pomarin

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Germany: Vulnerable (2), Greece: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Turkey, Ukraine

Aquila rapax nipalensis

Steppe Eagle
Aigle des steppes

Main Synonyms: *Aquila nipalensis*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Russia, Turkey, Ukraine

Buteo rufinus

Long-legged Buzzard
Buse féroce

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Greece, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine

Circaetus gallicus

Short-toed Eagle

Circaète Jean-le-Blanc

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** R**European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct (Ex), France: Rare (provisional) (R*), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Indeterminate (I)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Estonia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Circus cyaneus

Hen Harrier

Busard Saint-Martin

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Extinct (EX), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Insufficiently known (K), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Circus macrourus

Pallid Harrier

Busard pâle

Global IUCN threat category LRnt**Proposed European threat category** E**European Endemic** No

European breeding distribution: Moldova, Romania, Russia, Ukraine

Elanus caeruleus

Black-winged Kite
Élanion blanc

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: France, Portugal, Spain

Gypaetus barbatus

Lammergeier
Gypaète barbu

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Extinct (EX), Spain: Endangered (E), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Albania, France, Greece, Russia, Spain, Turkey

Gyps fulvus

Griffon Vulture
Vautour fauve

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Rare (R), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Out of Danger (O)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Haliaeetus albicilla

White-tailed Eagle

Pygargue à queue blanche

Main Synonyms: *Falco albicilla***Global IUCN threat category** LRnt**Proposed European threat category** R**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Denmark: Rare (R), Finland: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Rare (3), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Extinct (EX), Norway: Care-demanding (DC), Spain: Extinct (Ex), Sweden: Vulnerable (2)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovenia, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom***Hieraaetus fasciatus***

Bonelli's Eagle

Aigle de Bonelli

Main Synonyms: *Aquila fasciata***Global IUCN threat category****Proposed European threat category** E**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Endangered (E), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Vulnerable (V)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Spain, Turkey***Hieraaetus pennatus***

Booted Eagle

Aigle botté

Main Synonyms: *Falco pennatus***Global IUCN threat category****Proposed European threat category** R**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Rare (R), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Belarus, Bulgaria, France, Greece, Hungary, Moldova, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Milvus migrans

Black Kite
Milan noir

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Neophron percnopterus

Egyptian Vulture
Vautour percnoptère

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, France, Greece, Italy, Moldova, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Pandionidae

Pandion haliaetus

Osprey
Balbuzard pêcheur

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), Finland: Need of monitoring (St), France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Rare (3), Greece: Indeterminate (I), Italy: Extinct (EX), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Endangered (E), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Bulgaria, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Order: Anseriformes
Family: Anatidae

Anas acuta

Pintail
Canard pilet

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Vulnerable (V), France: Not Evaluated (NE), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Anas querquedula

Garganey
Sarcelle d'été

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Vulnerable (V), France: Endangered (E), Germany: Rare (3), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Vulnerable (2), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Anas strepera

Gadwall
Canard chipeau

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Anser erythropus

Lesser White-fronted Goose
Oie naine

Global IUCN threat category VU A1acd

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Endangered (E), Greece: Endangered (E), Norway: Endangered (E), Sweden: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Finland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Aythya marila

Scaup
Fuligule milouinan

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Rare (R), Norway: Need of monitoring (DM), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Estonia, Finland, Germany, Iceland, Norway, Russia, Sweden, United Kingdom

Aythya nyroca

Ferruginous Duck
Fuligule nyroca

Global IUCN threat category VU A1acd

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Endangered (E), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Macedonia, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine, Yugoslavia

Branta bernicla

Brent Goose
Bernache cravant

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Norway (Svalbard), Russia

Branta leucopsis

Barnacle Goose
Bernache nonnette

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), Germany: Rare (R), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Branta ruficollis

Red-breasted Goose
Bernache à cou roux

Main Synonyms: *Anas ruficollis*, *Rufibrenta ruficollis*

Global IUCN threat category VU A2cd, B1+2cd

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E)

European distribution in winter: Bulgaria, Greece, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Romania, Turkey, Ukraine

Bucephala islandica

Barrow's Goldeneye
Garrot d'Islande

Main Synonyms: *Anas islandica*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Iceland

Cygnus columbianus

Bewick's Swan
Cygne de Bewick

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Main Synonyms: *Anas columbianus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Russia

Histrionicus histrionicus

Harlequin Duck
Arlequin plongeur

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Iceland

Marmaronetta angustirostris

Marbled Teal
Sarcelle marbrée

Main Synonyms: *Anas angustirostris*

Global IUCN threat category VU A2c

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Extinct (Ex), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Russia, Spain, Turkey

Melanitta fusca

Velvet Scoter
Macreuse brune

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Norway: Need of monitoring (DM), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Estonia, Finland, Norway, Russia, Sweden, Turkey

Mergus albellus

Smew

Harle piette

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Norway: Rare (R), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)**European breeding distribution:** Belarus, Finland, Norway, Russia, Sweden***Netta rufina***

Red-crested Pochard

Nette rousse

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Denmark: Extinct or near to extinction (Ex*), France: Endangered (E), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Greece: Rare (R), Italy: Endangered (EN), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Rare (R), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom***Oxyura leucocephala***

White-headed Duck

Érismature à tête blanche

Global IUCN threat category VU A2e**Proposed European threat category** E**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Extinct (DI), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Extinct (EX), Spain: Endangered (E)**European breeding distribution:** Kazakhstan, Romania, Russia, Spain, Turkey**Extinct in:** France

Polysticta stelleri

Steller's Eider
Eider de Steller

Main Synonyms: *Anas stelleri*

Global IUCN threat category VU A1a

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Russia

Tadorna ferruginea

Ruddy Shelduck
Tadorne casarca

Main Synonyms: *Casarca ferruginea*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Greece, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine

Order: Caprimulgiformes
Family: Caprimulgidae

Caprimulgus europaeus

Nightjar
Engoulevent d'Europe

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Need of monitoring (St), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Norway: Need of monitoring (DM), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Insufficiently known (K), Switzerland: Vulnerable (2)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Order: Charadriiformes
Family: Alcidae

Cepphus grylle

Black Guillemot
Guillemot à miroir

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Norway: Need of monitoring (DM)

European breeding distribution: Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Iceland, Ireland, Norway, Russia, Sweden, United Kingdom

Fratercula arctica

Puffin
Macareux moine

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Norway: Care-demanding (DC), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Denmark (Faeroes Is), France, Iceland, Ireland, Norway, Russia, United Kingdom

Family: Burhinidae

Burhinus oedicnemus

Stone Curlew
Œdicnème criard

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Endangered (EN), Netherlands: Extinct (VN), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Insufficiently known (K)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Family: Charadriidae

Charadrius alexandrinus

Kentish Plover

Gravelot à collier interrompu

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Rare (R), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Norway: Extinct (Ex), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Insufficiently known (K), Sweden: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom (Gibraltar)

Charadrius asiaticus

Caspian Plover

Pluvier asiatique

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Russia

Chettusia gregaria

Sociable Plover

Vanneau sociable

Main Synonyms: *Charadrius gregarius*, *Vanellus gregarius*

Global IUCN threat category VU A1ac, C1+2a

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Kazakhstan, Russia

Hoplopterus spinosus

Spur-winged Plover
Vanneau éperonné

Main Synonyms: *Vanellus spinosus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Cyprus, Greece, Turkey

Family: Glareolidae***Cursorius cursor***

Cream-coloured Courser
Courvite isabelle

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Spain (Canary Is), Turkey

Glareola nordmanni

Black-winged Pratincole
Glaréole à ailes noires

Main Synonyms: *Glareola melanoptera*

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Hungary, Romania, Russia, Ukraine

Glareola pratincola

Collared Pratincole
Glaréole à collier

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Laridae

Larus audouinii

Audouin's Gull
Goéland d'Audouin

Global IUCN threat category LRcd

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Endangered (EN), Spain: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Cyprus, France, Greece, Italy, Spain, Turkey

Larus canus

Common Gull
Goéland cendré

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Decreasing species (X), France: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Russia, Slovakia, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom

Larus minutus

Little Gull

Mouette pygmée

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Denmark: Extinct or near to extinction (Ex*), Germany: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Vulnerable (2)**European breeding distribution:** Belarus, Estonia, Finland, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Sweden, Ukraine***Pagophila eburnea***

Ivory Gull

Mouette ivoire

Main Synonyms: *Larus eburneus***Global IUCN threat category****Proposed European threat category** (E)**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Norway: Need of monitoring (DM)**European breeding distribution:** Norway (Svalbard), Russia**Family: Recurvirostridae*****Recurvirostra avosetta***

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Avocet

Avocette élégante

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** L**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Localized (L), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Susceptible (GE), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Family: Scolopacidae

Calidris alpina

Dunlin
Bécasseau variable

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Germany: Endangered (1), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Belgium, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Russia, Sweden, United Kingdom

Calidris canutus

Knot
Bécasseau maubèche

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Norway (Svalbard)

Gallinago media

Great Snipe
Bécassine double

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct (Ex), Finland: Endangered (E), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Norway: Care-demanding (DC), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Estonia, Finland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Russia, Sweden, Ukraine

Limicola falcinellus

Broad-billed Sandpiper
Bécasseau falcinelle

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Norway: Care-demanding (DC)

European breeding distribution: Finland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Limosa lapponica

Bar-tailed Godwit
Barge rousse

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Need of monitoring (Sh), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Rare (3)

European breeding distribution: Finland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Limosa limosa

Black-tailed Godwit
Barge à queue noire

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Netherlands: Susceptible (GE), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Lymnocryptes minimus

Jack Snipe
Bécassine sourde

special concern in winter rather than when breeding

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Estonia, Finland, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Russia, Sweden

Numenius arquata

Curlew
Courlis cendré

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Scolopax rusticola

Woodcock
Bécasse des bois

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Insufficiently known (K), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal (Azores), Portugal (Madeira Is), Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Tringa glareola

Wood Sandpiper
Chevalier sylvain

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Iceland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Russia, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Tringa totanus

Redshank
Chevalier gambette

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Decreasing species (X), France: Rare (R), Germany: Rare (3), Italy: Endangered (EN), Netherlands: Susceptible (GE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Family: Sternidae***Chlidonias hybridus***

Whiskered Tern
Guifette moustac

Main Synonyms: *Chlidonias hybrida*, *Hydrochelidon leucopareia*

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Moldova, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Chlidonias niger

Black Tern
Guifette noire

Main Synonyms: *Chlidonias nigra*, *Sterna nigra*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Spain: Endangered (E), Sweden: Vulnerable (2)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine

Gelochelidon nilotica

Gull-billed Tern
Sterne hansel

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Rare (R), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Romania, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Sterna albifrons

Little Tern
Sterne naine

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Rare (R), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Sterna caspia

Caspian Tern
Sterne caspienne

Main Synonyms: *Hydropogne tschegrava*, *Hydroprogne caspia*, *Hydroprogne tschegrava*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct or near to extinction (Ex*), Finland: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Vulnerable (2)

European breeding distribution: Estonia, Finland, Germany, Lithuania, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine

Sterna dougallii

Roseate Tern
Sterne de Dougall

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Indeterminate (I)

European breeding distribution: France, Ireland, Portugal (Azores), Portugal (Madeira Is), Spain, United Kingdom

Sterna sandvicensis

Sandwich Tern
Sterne caugek

Main Synonyms: *Thalasseus sandvicensis*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Localized (L), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Greece: Indeterminate (I), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Vulnerable (2)

European breeding distribution: Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Spain, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Order: Ciconiiformes
Family: Ardeidae

Ardea purpurea

Purple Heron
Héron pourpré

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Greece: vulnerable (V), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Ardeola ralloides

Squacco Heron
Crabier chevelu

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Botaurus stellaris

Bittern
Butor étoilé

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Indeterminate (I), Italy: Endangered (EN), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Endangered (E), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Ixobrychus minutus

Little Bittern

Blongios nain

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** (V)**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Endangered (E), Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Indeterminate (I), Switzerland: Endangered (1)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine***Nycticorax nycticorax***

Night Heron

Bihoreau gris

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Rare (R), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine**Family: Ciconiidae*****Ciconia ciconia***

White Stork

Cigogne blanche

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Rare (R), Germany: Rare (3), Italy: Lower Risk (LRcd), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Extinct (0), Switzerland: Endangered (1)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Ciconia nigra

Black Stork
Cigogne noire

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Rare (3), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Endangered (E), Sweden: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Phoenicopteridae

Phoenicopterus ruber

Greater Flamingo
Flamant rose

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Localized (L), Greece: Rare (R), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: France, Italy, Spain, Turkey

Family: Threskiornithidae

Platalea leucorodia

Spoonbill
Spatule blanche

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct or near to extinction (Ex*), France: Vulnerable (V), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Netherlands: Susceptible (GE), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Netherlands, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Plegadis falcinellus

Glossy Ibis
Ibis falcinelle

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No

National Status: France: Not Evaluated (NE), Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Critically endangered (CR), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Order: Columbiformes
Family: Columbidae

Columba bollii

Bolle's Pigeon
Pigeon de Bolle

Global IUCN threat category VU C2a**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** Yes**National Status:** Spain: Rare (R)**European breeding distribution:** Spain (Canary Is)***Columba junoniae***

Laurel Pigeon
Pigeon des lauriers

Main Synonyms: *Columba laurivora***Global IUCN threat category** VU C2a**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** Yes**National Status:** Spain: Vulnerable (V)**European breeding distribution:** Spain (Canary Is)

Columba trocaz

Long-toed Pigeon
Pigeon trocaz

Global IUCN threat category LRcd

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Portugal: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Madeira Is)

Streptopelia turtur

Turtle Dove
Tourterelle des bois

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Declining (D), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Order: Coraciiformes
Family: Alcedinidae

Alcedo atthis

Kingfisher
Martin-pêcheur d'Europe

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Insufficiently known (K), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Family: Meropidae***Coracias garrulus***

Roller

Rollier d'Europe

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category (D)****European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct (Ex), France: Rare (R), Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Merops apiaster

Bee-eater

Guêpier d'Europe

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category D****European Endemic** No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Order: Falconiformes**Family: Falconidae*****Falco biarmicus***

Lanner

Faucon lanier

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category (E)****European Endemic** No

National Status: Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Endangered (EN), Spain: Extinct (Ex)

European breeding distribution: Croatia, Greece, Italy, Turkey

Falco cherrug

Saker Falcon
Faucon sacre

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Indeterminate (I)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Hungary, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Turkey, Ukraine

Falco eleonora

Eleonora's Falcon
Faucon d'Éléonore

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Croatia, Cyprus, Greece, Italy, Spain, Turkey

Falco naumanni

Lesser Kestrel
Faucon crécerellette

Global IUCN threat category VU A1ace

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Georgia, Greece, Italy, Kazakhstan, Macedonia, Moldova, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom (Gibraltar), Yugoslavia

Falco peregrinus

Peregrine Falcon
Faucon pèlerin

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** R**European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct (Ex), Finland: Vulnerable (V), France: Rare (R), Germany: Rare (3), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Norway: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Vulnerable (2), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Falco rusticolus

Gyr Falcon
Faucon gerfaut

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No

National Status: Finland: Vulnerable (V), Norway: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Vulnerable (2)

European breeding distribution: Finland, Iceland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Falco tinnunculus

Kestrel
Faucon crécerelle

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No

National Status: Finland: Need of monitoring (St), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Falco vespertinus

Red-footed Falcon
Faucon kobez

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Ukraine

Order: Galliformes

Family: Phasianidae

Alectoris barbara

Barbary Partridge
Perdrix gamba

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Italy, Spain, United Kingdom (Gibraltar)

Alectoris chukar

Chukar
Perdrix choukar

Main Synonyms: *Alectoris graeca chukar*, *Perdix chukar*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Bulgaria, Cyprus, Greece, Russia, Turkey

Alectoris graeca

Rock Partridge
 Perdrix bartavelle

Main Synonyms: *Perdix graeca*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Italy, Romania, Slovenia, Switzerland, Turkey

Alectoris rufa

Red-legged Partridge
 Perdrix rouge

Main Synonyms: *Tetrao rufus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Italy: Lower Risk (LRcd), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Andorra, France, Italy, Portugal, Spain, United Kingdom

Coturnix coturnix

Quail
 Caille des blés

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), Finland: Disappeared (H), France: Insufficiently known (AP), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Vulnerable (2), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Francolinus francolinus

Black Francolin

Francolin noir

Main Synonyms: *Tetrao francolinus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Extinct (Ex)

European breeding distribution: Cyprus, Turkey

Perdix perdix

Grey Partridge

Perdrix grise

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Need of monitoring (St), France: Declining (D), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Greece: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Lower Risk (LRcd), Netherlands: Vulnerable (KW), Norway: Extinct (Ex), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Family: Tetraonidae

Tetrao mlokosiewiczi

Caucasian Black Grouse

Tétras du Caucase

Main Synonyms: *Lyrurus mlokosiewiczi*

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category Ins

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Azerbaijan, Georgia, Russia, Turkey

Tetrao tetrix

Black Grouse

Tétras lyre

Main Synonyms: *Lyrurus tetrix*, *Lyryrus tetrix*, *Tetrao tetrix tetrix***Global IUCN threat category****Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Declining (D), Germany: Endangered (1), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Kingdom***Tetraogallus caspius***

Caspian Snowcock

Tétraogalle de Perse

Main Synonyms: *Tetrao caspius*, *Tetraogallus transcaspicus***Global IUCN threat category****Proposed European threat category** Ins**European Endemic** No**European breeding distribution:** Armenia, Georgia, Turkey**Order: Gaviiformes****Family: Gaviidae*****Gavia arctica***

Black-throated Diver

Plongeon arctique

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Finland: Need of monitoring (St), Norway: Care-demanding (DC), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)**European breeding distribution:** Belarus, Estonia, Finland, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Russia, Sweden, United Kingdom

Gavia stellata

Red-throated Diver
Plongeon catmarin

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Special responsibility of Denmark (A), Finland: Need of monitoring (St), Norway: Care-demanding (DC), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Denmark (Faeroes Is), Finland, Iceland, Ireland, Norway, Russia, Sweden, United Kingdom

Order: Gruiformes
Family: Gruidae

Grus grus

Crane
Grue cendrée

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Vulnerable (V), Italy: Extinct (EX), Netherlands: Vulnerable (KW), Norway: Need of monitoring (DM), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Care-demanding (4)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Latvia, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Otididae

Chlamydotis undulata

Houbara Bustard
Outarde houbara

Main Synonyms: *Otis undulata*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Spain (Canary Is)

Otis tarda

Great Bustard
Grande Outarde

Global IUCN threat category VU A2c

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Germany: Endangered (1), Greece: Extinct (Ex), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Czech Republic, Germany, Hungary, Kazakhstan, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine, Yugoslavia

Tetrax tetrax

Little Bustard
Outarde canepetière

Main Synonyms: *Otis tetrax*

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Greece: Extinct (Ex), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Indeterminate (I)

European breeding distribution: France, Italy, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Rallidae***Crex crex***

Corncrake
Râle des genêts

Global IUCN threat category VU A1ac

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Extinct or near to extinction (Ex*), Finland: Vulnerable (V), France: Endangered (E), Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Endangered (EN), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Norway: Endangered (E), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Indeterminate (I), Sweden: Vulnerable (2), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Kazakhstan, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom, Yugoslavia

Fulica cristata

Crested Coot
Foulque à crête

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Spain

Porphyrio porphyrio

Purple Gallinule
Talève sultane

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Not Evaluated (NE), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Italy, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Turkey

Porzana pusilla

Baillon's Crake
Marouette de Baillon

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Insufficiently known (K), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Moldova, Netherlands, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Turnicidae***Turnix sylvatica***

Andalusian Hemipode
Turnix d'Andalousie

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** E**European Endemic** No**National Status:** Italy: Extinct (EX), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Endangered (E)**European breeding distribution:** Spain**Order: Passeriformes****Family: Alaudidae*****Alauda arvensis***

Skylark
Alouette des champs

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Insufficiently known (AP), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom***Calandrella brachydactyla***

Short-toed Lark
Alouette calandrelle

Main Synonyms: *Calandrella cinerea***Global IUCN threat category****Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No**National Status:** France: Need of monitoring (AS), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Accidental Species (4)**European breeding distribution:** Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Calandrella rufescens

Lesser Short-toed Lark
Alouette pipolette

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Portugal, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Chersophilus duponti

Dupont's Lark
Sirli de Dupont

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Spain: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Spain

Galerida cristata

Crested Lark
Cochevis huppé

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Declining (D), Germany: Rare (3), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Norway: Extinct (Ex), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Extinct (0), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Galerida theklae

Thekla Lark
Cochevis de Thékla

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (provisional) (V*), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: France, Portugal, Spain

Lullula arborea

Woodlark
Alouette lulu

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), Finland: Vulnerable (V), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Rare (3), Norway: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Melanocorypha calandra

Calandra Lark
Alouette calandre

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Greece, Italy, Moldova, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Melanocorypha yeltoniensis

Black Lark
Alouette nègre

Main Synonyms: *Alauda yeltonensis*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Russia

Family: Corvidae

Perisoreus infaustus

Siberian Jay
Mésangeai imitateur

Main Synonyms: *Corvus infuscatus*, *Cractes infuscatus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Finland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Pyrrhonorax pyrrhonorax

Chough
Crave à bec rouge

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom

Family: Emberizidae

Emberiza cia

Rock Bunting
Bruant fou

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Endangered (1), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom (Gibraltar)

Emberiza cineracea

Cinereous Bunting
Bruant cendré

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Greece, Turkey

Emberiza hortulana

Ortolan Bunting
Bruant ortolan

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Critically endangered (EB), Norway: Endangered (E), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Emberiza melanocephala

Black-headed Bunting
Bruant mélanocéphale

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Greece, Italy, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Fringillidae

Bucanetes githagineus

Trumpeter Finch
Roselin githagine

Main Synonyms: *Rhodopechys githaginea*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Spain, Turkey

Fringilla teydea

Blue Chaffinch
Pinson bleu

Global IUCN threat category LRcd

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Spain (Canary Is)

Loxia scotica

Scottish Crossbill
Bec-croisé d'Écosse

Global IUCN threat category DD

Proposed European threat category ns

European Endemic Yes

European breeding distribution: United Kingdom

Pyrrhula pyrrhula murina

Azores Bullfinch
Bouvreuil des Açores

Main Synonyms: *Pyrrhula murina*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Portugal: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Azores)

Family: Hirundinidae

Hirundo rustica

Swallow
Hirondelle rustique

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Riparia riparia

Sand Martin
Hirondelle de rivage

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Rare (3), Netherlands: Vulnerable (KW), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Indeterminate (I), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Family: Laniidae

Lanius collurio

Red-backed Shrike
Pie-grièche écorcheur

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Lanius excubitor

Great Grey Shrike
Pie-grièche grise

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Declining (D), Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Ukraine

Lanius minor

Lesser Grey Shrike
Pie-grièche à poitrine rose

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category (D)**

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Greece: Insufficiently known (K), Italy: Endangered (EN), Spain: Endangered (E), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Lithuania, Macedonia, Moldova, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey, Ukraine

Lanius nubicus

Masked Shrike
Pie-grièche masquée

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category (V)**

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Bulgaria, Cyprus, Greece, Turkey

Lanius senator

Woodchat Shrike
Pie-grièche à tête rousse

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category V**

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Declining (D), Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Extinct (VN), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Luxembourg, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom (Gibraltar)

Family: Motacillidae

Anthus campestris

Tawny Pipit
Pipit rousseline

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Vulnerable (2), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Family: Muscicapidae

Acrocephalus paludicola

Aquatic Warbler
Phragmite aquatique

Global IUCN threat category VU A2c

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Extinct (EX), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Insufficiently known (K)

European breeding distribution: Belarus, Germany, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Russia, Ukraine

Ficedula semitorquata

Semi-collared Flycatcher
Gobemouche à demi-collier

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (E)

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Bulgaria, Greece, Russia, Turkey

Hippolais olivetorum

Olive-tree Warbler
Hypolaïs des oliviers

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (R)

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Greece, Turkey

Hippolais pallida

Olivaceous Warbler
Hypolaïs pâle

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Greece, Hungary, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Turkey

Monticola saxatilis

Rock Thrush
Monticole de roche

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Extinct or near to extinction (0), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Portugal: Indeterminate (I), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Monticola solitarius

Blue Rock Thrush
Monticole bleu

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Rare (provisional) (R*), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Greece, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, United Kingdom (Gibraltar)

Muscicapa striata

Spotted Flycatcher
Gobemouche gris

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Oenanthe hispanica

Black-eared Wheatear
Traquet oreillard

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (provisional) (V*), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Turkey

Oenanthe leucura

Black Wheatear
Traquet rieur

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Extinct (DI), Italy: Extinct (EX), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Portugal, Spain

Oenanthe pleschanka cypriaca

Cyprus Wheatear
Traquet de Chypre

Main Synonyms: *Oenanthe cypriaca*, *Saxicola cypriaca*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic Yes

European breeding distribution: Cyprus

Phoenicurus phoenicurus

Redstart
Rougequeue à front blanc

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Insufficiently known (AP), Germany: Lower Risk (V), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Saxicola dacotiae

Canary Islands Chat
Tarier des Canaries

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Spain: Rare (R)

European breeding distribution: Spain (Canary Is)

Saxicola torquata

Stonechat
Tarier pâtre

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Insufficiently known (AP), Germany: Rare (3), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Sylvia hortensis

Orphean Warbler
Fauvette orphée

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Insufficiently known (AP), Italy: Endangered (EN), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, France, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey

Sylvia melanothorax

Cyprus Warbler
Fauvette de Chypre

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Cyprus

Sylvia undata

Dartford Warbler
Fauvette pitchou

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Andorra, France, Italy, Portugal, Spain, United Kingdom

Family: Prunellidae***Prunella atrogularis***

Black-throated Accentor
Accenteur à gorge noire

Main Synonyms: *Accentor atragularis*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Russia

Prunella ocularis

Radde's Accentor
Accenteur de Radde

Main Synonyms: *Accentor ocularis*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

European breeding distribution: Turkey

Family: Sittidae

Sitta whiteheadi

Corsican Nuthatch
Sittelle corse

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic Yes

National Status: France: Localized (L)

European breeding distribution: France

Order: Pelecaniformes

Family: Pelecanidae

Pelecanus crispus

Dalmatian Pelican
Pélican frisé

Global IUCN threat category VU C2a

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Greece, Kazakhstan, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine, Yugoslavia

Pelecanus onocrotalus

White Pelican
Pélican blanc

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category R

European Endemic No

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Greece, Romania, Russia, Turkey

Family: Phalacrocoracidae

Phalacrocorax pygmeus

Pygmy Cormorant

Cormoran pygmé

Main Synonyms: *Pelecanus pygmeus*

Global IUCN threat category LRnt

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic o

National Status: Greece: Endangered (E), Italy: Not evaluated (NE)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Bulgaria, Greece, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine, Yugoslavia

Family: Sulidae

Sula bassana

Gannet

Fou de Bassan

Main Synonyms: *Morus bassanus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Localized (L), Germany: Rare (R), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Denmark (Faeroes Is), France, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Norway, United Kingdom

Order: Piciformes

Family: Picidae

Jynx torquilla

Wryneck

Torcol fourmilier

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Declining (D), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Netherlands: Vulnerable (KW), Norway: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Insufficiently known (K), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Picoides tridactylus

Three-toed Woodpecker
Pic tridactyle

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (provisional) (V*), Germany: Rare (R), Greece: Rare (R), Italy: Endangered (EN), Sweden: Care-demanding (4), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine

Picus canus

Grey-headed Woodpecker
Pic cendré

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Finland: Need of monitoring (Sh), France: Need of monitoring (AS), Greece: Rare (R), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Norway: Care-demanding (DC), Sweden: Rare (3), Switzerland: Vulnerable (2)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Picus viridis

Green Woodpecker
Pic vert

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Vulnerable (KW), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Order: Procellariiformes
Family: Hydrobatidae

Hydrobates pelagicus

Storm Petrel

Océanite tempête

Main Synonyms: *Hydrobates pelagicus melitensis*, *Hydrobates pelagicus pelagicus*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (L)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Greece: Rare (R), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Denmark (Faeroes Is), France, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Malta, Norway, Spain, United Kingdom

Oceanodroma castro

Madeiran Storm-petrel

Océanite de Castro

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Indeterminate (I)

European breeding distribution: Portugal, Spain (Canary Is)

Oceanodroma leucorhoa

Leach's Storm-petrel

Océanite culblanc

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (L)

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Denmark (Faeroes Is), Iceland, Ireland, Norway, United Kingdom

Pelagodroma marina

White-faced Storm-petrel
Océanite frégate

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category L

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Madeira Is), Spain (Canary Is)

Family: Procellariidae

Bulweria bulwerii

Bulwer's Petrel
Pétrel de Bulwer

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Azores), Portugal (Madeira Is), Spain (Canary Is)

Calonectris diomedea

Cory's Shearwater
Puffin cendré

Main Synonyms: *Procellaria diomedea*, *Puffinus diomedea*

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Rare (R), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT)

European breeding distribution: Croatia, France, Greece, Italy, Malta, Portugal, Spain

Pterodroma feae

Fea's Petrel
Pétrel gongon

Main Synonyms: *Pterodroma feae*, *Pterodroma (mollis) feae*

Global IUCN threat category VU D1+2

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Madeira Is)

Pterodroma madeira

Freira Petrel, Zino's Petrel
Pétrel de Madère

Main Synonyms: *Pterodroma (mollis) madeira*

Global IUCN threat category CR D1

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic Yes

National Status: Portugal: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Madeira Is)

Puffinus assimilis

Little Shearwater
Puffin semblable

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Portugal (Azores), Portugal (Madeira Is), Spain (Canary Is)

Puffinus puffinus

Manx Shearwater
Puffin des Anglais

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (L)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Endangered (E)

European breeding distribution: Denmark (Faeroes Is), France, Iceland, Ireland, Portugal (Azores), Portugal (Madeira Is), Spain (Canary Is), United Kingdom

Order: Pteroclidiformes
Family: Pteroclididae

Pterocles alchata

Pin-tailed Sandgrouse
Ganga cata

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category E

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Endangered (E), Portugal: Endangered (E), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: France, Portugal, Spain, Turkey

Pterocles orientalis

Black-bellied Sandgrouse
Ganga unibande

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category V

European Endemic No

National Status: Portugal: Vulnerable (V), Spain: Vulnerable (V)

European breeding distribution: Cyprus, Portugal, Russia, Spain, Turkey

Order: Strigiformes
Family: Strigidae

Asio flammeus

Short-eared Owl
Hibou des marais

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (V)

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Endangered (E), France: Vulnerable (V), Germany: Endangered (1), Italy: Not evaluated (NE), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Rare (R), Switzerland: Extinct (0)

European breeding distribution: Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Spain, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Athene noctua

Little Owl

Chevêche d'Athéna

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** D**European Endemic** No

National Status: Denmark: Vulnerable (V), France: Declining (D), Germany: Vulnerable (2), Netherlands: Vulnerable (KW), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

Bubo bubo

Eagle Owl

Grand-Duc d'Europe

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European** No

National Status: Denmark: Rare (R), France: Rare (R), Italy: Vulnerable (VU), Norway: Vulnerable (V), Portugal: Rare (R), Spain: Rare (R), Sweden: Vulnerable (2), Switzerland: Vulnerable (3)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine

Nyctea scandiaca

Snowy Owl

Harfang des neiges

Global IUCN threat category**Proposed European threat category** V**European Endemic** No

National Status: Finland: Vulnerable (V), Norway: Vulnerable (V), Sweden: Rare (3)

European breeding distribution: Finland, Iceland, Norway, Russia, Sweden

Otus scops

Scops Owl
Petit-Duc scops

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category (D)

European Endemic No

National Status: France: Need of monitoring (AS), Germany: Rare (R), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Switzerland: Endangered (1)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Moldova, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom (Gibraltar)

Family: Tytonidae

Tyto alba

Barn Owl
Effraie des clochers

Global IUCN threat category

Proposed European threat category D

European Endemic No

National Status: Denmark: Vulnerable (V), France: Declining (D), Italy: Lower Risk (LRnt), Netherlands: Endangered (BE), Portugal: Not threatened (NT), Spain: Not threatened (NT), Sweden: Extinct (0), Switzerland: Not threatened (n)

European breeding distribution: Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Moldova, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine, United Kingdom

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