

# *Arenaria interpres*

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Non-SPEC (1994: —) Status (Secure)

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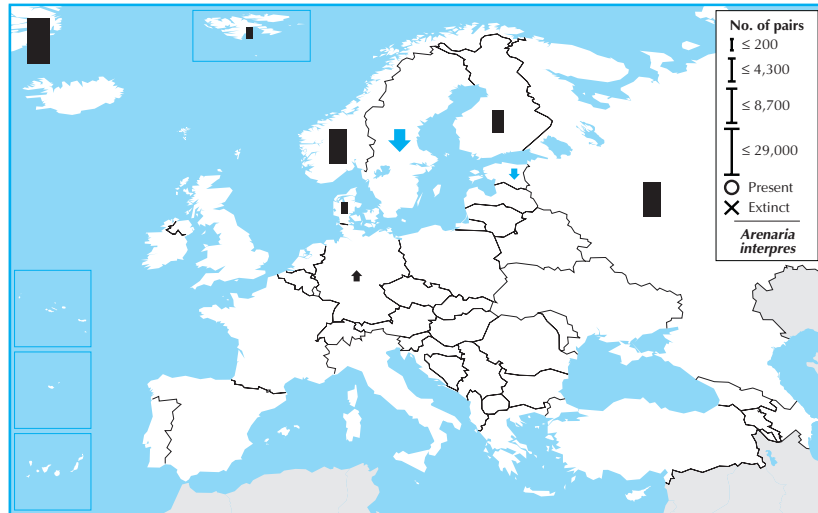
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*Arenaria interpres* breeds in coastal areas of northern Europe, which accounts for less than a quarter of its global breeding range. Its European breeding population is relatively small (<81,000 pairs), but was stable between 1970–1990. Although there were declines in a couple of countries during 1990–2000, the species was stable or increased across most of its European range—including the key population in Greenland—and remained stable overall. Consequently, it is provisionally evaluated as Secure.



Country	Breeding pop. size (pairs)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Denmark	37 – 41	00	0	0–19	6
Greenland	20,000 – 40,000	90–00	(0)	(0–19)	11
Estonia	150 – 250	98	–	20–29	1
Finland	4,000 – 4,500	98–02	0	0–19	
Germany	4 – 4	95–99	+	N	
Norway	(5,000 – 15,000)	90–03	0	0–19	4
Svalbard	50 – 500	90–03	0	0–19	
Russia	2,700 – 17,000	90–00	(F)	(20–29)	28,29,60
Sweden	2,000 – 4,000	99–00	–	30–49	
<b>Total (approx.)</b>	<b>34,000 – 81,000</b>	<b>Overall trend Stable</b>			
<b>Breeding range</b>	<b>&gt;1,000,000 km<sup>2</sup></b>	<b>Gen. length 5</b>	<b>% Global pop. 5–24</b>		

Country	Winter pop. size (individuals)	Year(s)	Trend	Mag.%	References
Azerbaijan	(0 – 50)	96–02	(0)	(0–19)	
Belgium	1,300 – 1,300	95–00	+	>80	1
Bulgaria	0 – 2	97–01	?	–	
Cyprus	5 – 50	94–02	(0)	(0–9)	
Denmark	10 – 50	99–00	(0)	(0–19)	25
Faroe Is.	500 – 2,000	92	?	–	3
Estonia	(0 – 1)	98	?	–	1
France	9,580 – 15,000	98–02	+	50–79	9
Germany	500 – 2,500	95–00	–	39–80	2
Greece	0 – 4	95–99	F	30–49	
Iceland	(2,000 – 5,000)	78–94	?	–	48
Rep. Ireland	8,400 – 8,900	94–00	0	0–19	
Italy	(20 – 70)	02	F	20–29	22
Latvia	(1 – 2)	90–00	?	–	
Netherlands	4,400 – 4,400	99–01	–	45	3,4,8,9,11,12
Portugal	Present	02	?	–	
Spain	590 – 1,700	90–01	+	>80	19
Turkey	20 – 80	91–01	F	>80	
UK	52,400 – 52,400	94–99	–	28	44,52
Gibraltar	0 – 3	00–03	0	0–19	
<b>Total (approx.)</b>	<b>&gt;80,000</b>	<b>Overall trend Small decline</b>			
<b>% in European IBAs</b>	<b>48–49</b>	<b>Gen. length 5</b>	<b>% Global pop. 5–24</b>		

2000 population



1990 population



Data quality (%) – *Arenaria interpres*

□ unknown □ poor ■ medium ■ good

1990–2000 trend



1970–1990 trend

