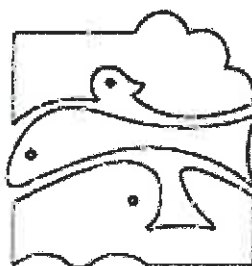


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1. Breeding population

	Species name	Scient. name	Breeding pairs	Year inventory	Pop trend 1990-2000	Range trend
1	Gadwall	<i>Anas streptera</i>	1088-1231	2002	increase	increase
2	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>	154-214	2002	stable	stable
3	Red-Crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>	1	2002	new	Not relevant
4	Velvet Scoter	<i>Melanitta fusca</i>	Not breeding			
5	Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>	2412-5724	2002	stable	stable
6	Jack Snipe	<i>Lymnocyptus minimus</i>	Not breeding			
7	Woodcock	<i>Scolopax rusticola</i>	1641-2753	2002	stable	stable
8	Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	1061-1291	2002	increase	increase
9	Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	496-698	2002	increase	increase
10	Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	413-456	2002	increase	stable
11	Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	17000-24000	2002	stable	stable
12	Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	5841-9644	2002	decrease	decrease
13	Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>	29015-51621	2002	decrease	decrease

2. Wintering status

	Species name	Scient. name	Midwinter count	year	Pop trends	Range trends
1	Gadwall	<i>Anas streptera</i>	4500 6500 7000 7300	1999 2000 2001 2002	increase	increase
2	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>	Not wintering			
3	Red-Crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>	6-10	1999-2002	stable	stable
4	Velvet Scoter	<i>Melanitta fusca</i>	480	2002	Increase ?	stable
5	Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>	Not wintering			
6	Jack Snipe	<i>Lymnocyptus minimus</i>	0-5	1999-2002	No information	No information
7	Woodcock	<i>Scolopax rusticola</i>	No information			
8	Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	0-5	1999-2002	stable	stable
9	Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	3450 2500 1600	2000 2001 2002	stable	stable
10	Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	260 300 390	2000 2001 2002	stable	stable

11	Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	39700 20300 8200	2000 2001 2002	stable	stable
12	Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	Not wintering			
13	Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>	No information			

3. Conservation Status

	Species name	Scient. name	Red List
1	Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>	-
2	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>	Critically endangered
3	Red-Crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>	-
4	Velvet Scoter	<i>Melanitta fusca</i>	-
5	Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>	Vulnerable
6	Jack Snipe	<i>Lymnocyptus minimus</i>	-
7	Woodcock	<i>Scolopax rusticola</i>	-
8	Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	-
9	Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	-
10	Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	Endangered
11	Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	
12	Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	Decreasing
13	Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>	Decreasing

