



## *Tadorna ferruginea*

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<b>Annex I</b>	No
<b>International action plan</b>	No

Ruddy Shelduck, *Tadorna ferruginea*, is a species of shelduck found in wetland, urban and river and lake ecosystems.

*Tadorna ferruginea* has a breeding population size of 140-240 pairs and a breeding range size of 18200 square kilometres in the EU27. The breeding population trend in the EU27 is Increasing in the short term and Fluctuating in the long term.

The EU population status of *Tadorna ferruginea* was assessed as Near Threatened, because the species comes close to meeting the IUCN Red List criteria at the EU27 scale.

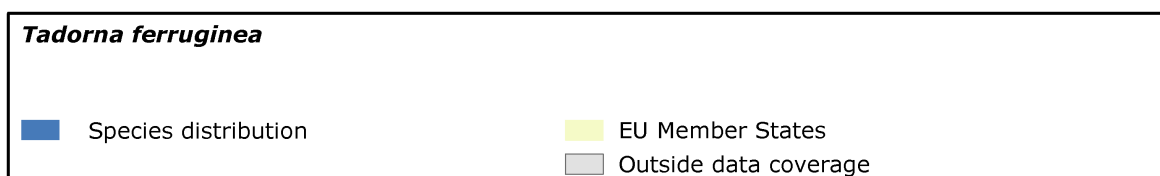
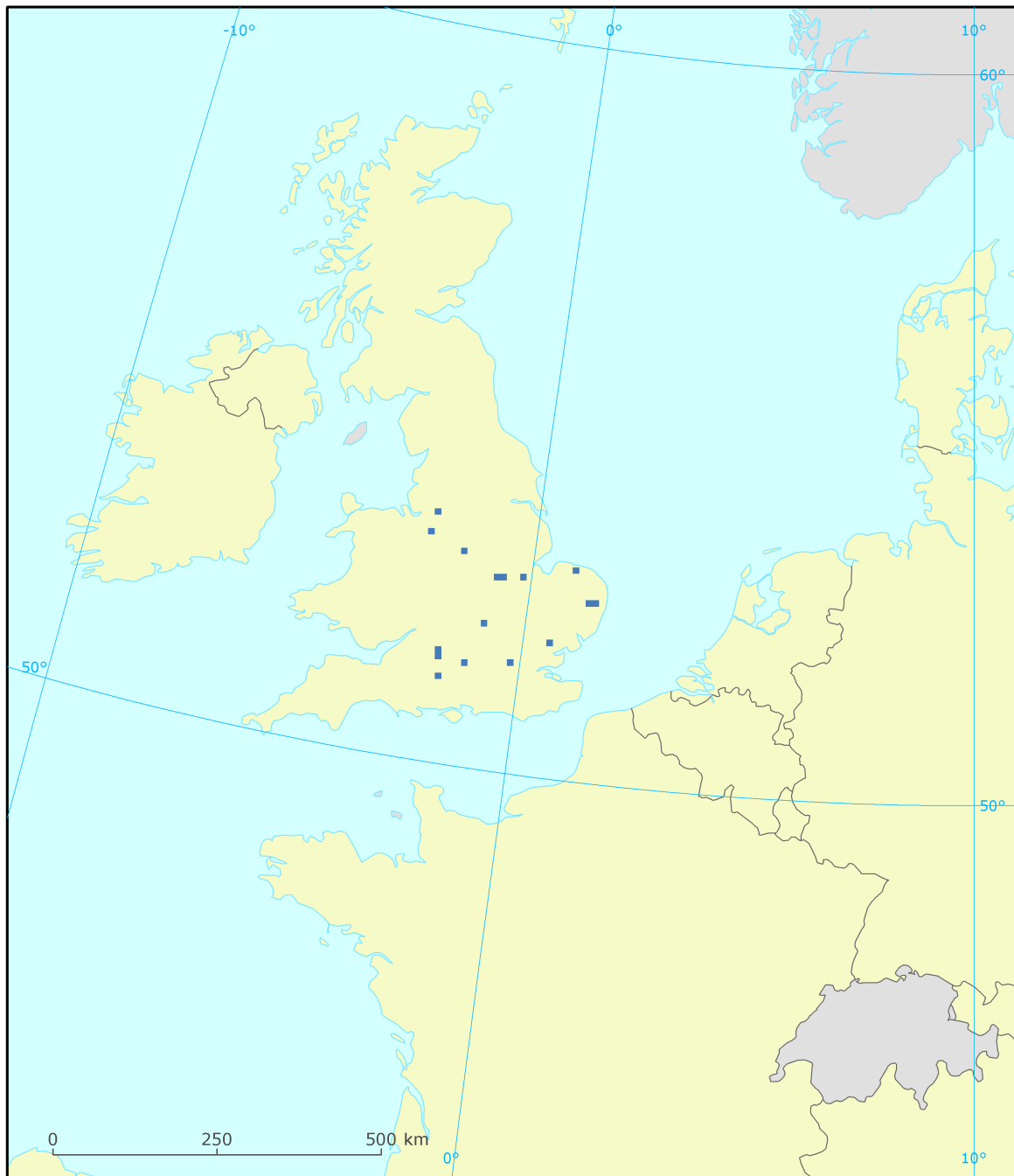
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## Assessment of status at the European level

Breeding population size	Breeding population trend		Range area	Breeding range trend		Winter population size	Winter population trend		Population status
	Short term	Long term		Short term	Long term		Short term	Long term	

See the endnotes for more information<sup>i</sup>



## Trends at the Member State level

MS/Ter.	% in EU27	Breeding population size	Breeding population trend		Range area	Breeding range trend		Winter population size	Winter population trend	
			Short term	Long term		Short term	Long term		Short term	Long term
NL								14 - 48 i	-	+
UK	100.0	0 - 3 p	-	0	1600	+	x			

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*Short-term breeding population trend was not reported for this species.*

*Short-term winter population trend was not reported for this species.*

This information is derived from the Member State national reports submitted to the European Commission under Article 12 of the Birds Directive in 2013 and covering the period 2008-2012. More detailed information, including the MS reports, is available at: <http://bd.eionet.europa.eu/article12/summary?period=1&subject=A397-X>.

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<sup>i</sup> **Assessment of status at the European level:** The EU assessments of birds population status was made by the European Red List of Birds Consortium (under contract with the European Commission)

The EU27 population trends were assessed using these categories: '+' Increasing, '0' Stable, 'F' Fluctuating, '-' Decreasing, 'xu' Uncertain and 'x' Unknown. The breeding population size is estimated in majority of the cases as 'p' number of pairs. Alternative population units used are: 'males' number of males, 'i' number of individuals, 'cmales' number of calling males and 'bfem' number of breeding females. The winter population size is estimated as number of individuals.

<sup>ii</sup> **Species trends at the Member State level:** The percentage of the EU27 species population occurring in the Member States (% in EU27) is calculated based on the population size reported by the Member States.