

# Barn Owl (*Tyto alba*)

Size: 25 - 45 cm

Wingspan: 75 - 100 cm

Weight: approx. 360 g

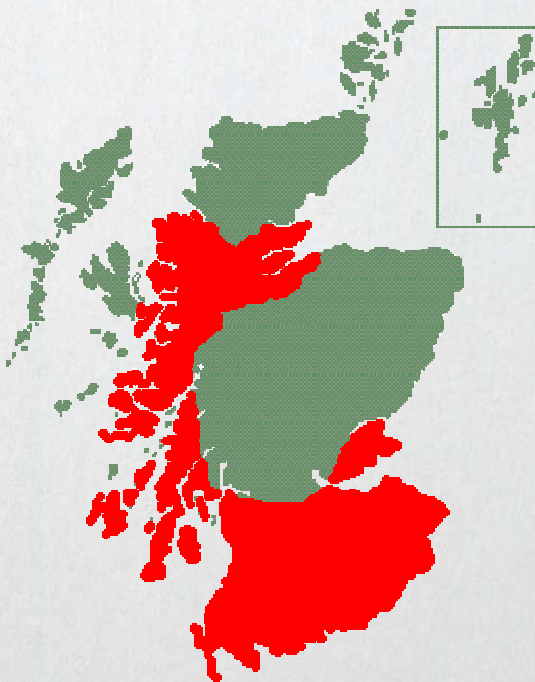
Lifespan: up to 21 years

Diet: Small mammals including mice and voles.

Habitat: Open country

Predators: Man

Status: Amber list (UK)



o They are the most widespread type of owl in the world.

o Barn owls don't hoot, they screech.

o They generally mate for life.

o They are usually nocturnal only coming out at night.

o Their eyes are so big they cannot move them, this is why they twist their heads round up to 270°.

