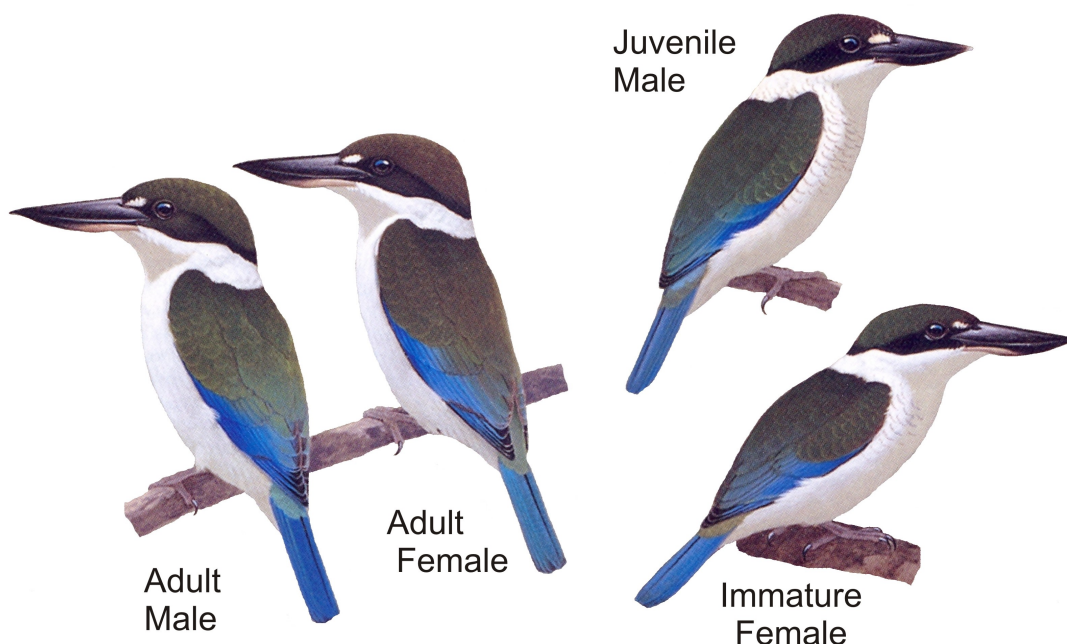


Collared Kingfisher *Todiramphus chloris*

Species No.: 327

Band size: 07



Morphometrics:

	Adult Male	Adult Female
Wing:	97 – 114 mm	99 – 115 mm
Tail:	63 – 80 mm	67 – 75 mm
Weight:	63 – 87 g	57 – 100 g

Ageing:

	Adult (2+)	Immature (2-)	Juvenile (J) or (1)
Bill:	Mostly black with pinkish- white area on basal half of lower mandible;	attains adult-like bill within 3 to 4 months of fledging;	black with white tips to both mandibles;
Breast & flanks:	white;	extent of black fringing to white feathers reducing with age/wear;	white feathers narrowly fringed with black giving a scaly appearance;

Adult plumage is attained with a complete moult commencing when birds are just over one year old and coinciding with adult post-breeding season moult. Thus adults are (2+) and Immatures (2-);

Sexing :

	Adult Male	Adult Female
Forehead & crown:	most of forehead dark brownish-green grading to black-green on crown;	uniform dark olive-brown;
Mantle & scapulars:	mantle black-green grading to dark bluish-green on scapulars;	dark brownish-olive;
Back, rump & uppertail coverts;	green-blue to blue;	dark greenish-blue;
Upperwing coverts;	dark bluish-green to dark blue with greenish suffusion	olive;

Juveniles and immatures resemble the adults of their respective sexes, but are slightly darker.