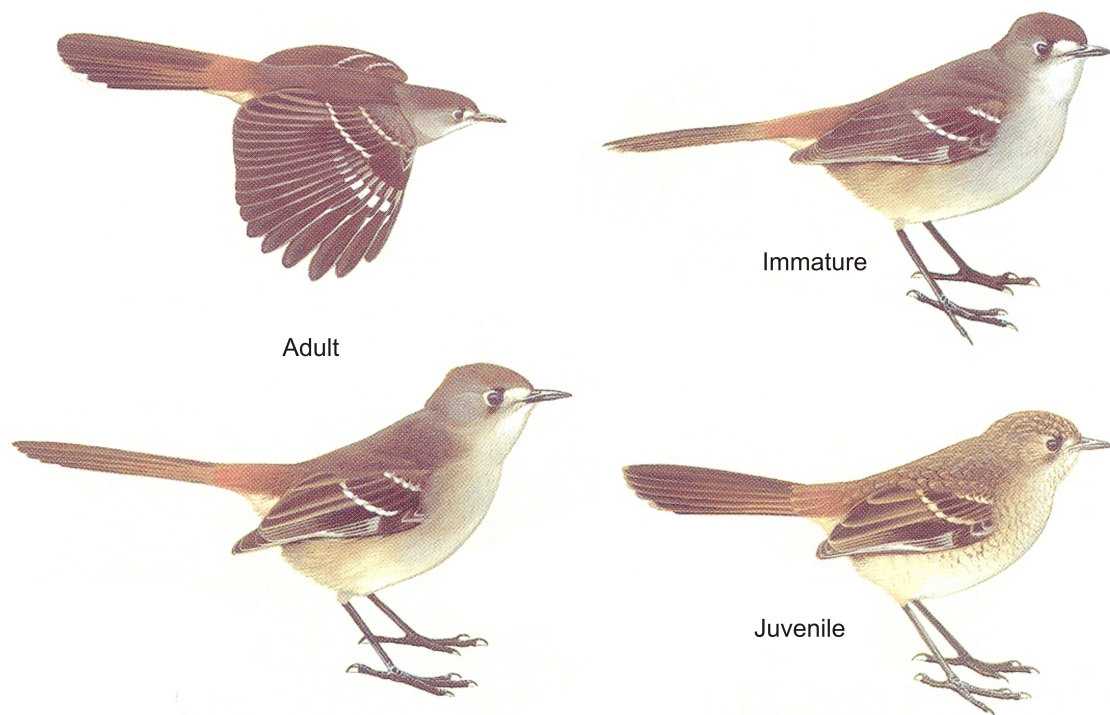


Southern Scrub-robin *Drymodes brunneopygia* Species No.: 441 Band size: 04



Morphometrics:

	Adult Male	Adult Female
THL:	38.7 – 41.4 mm	36.0 – 37.8 mm
Wing:	93 – 100 mm	85 – 91 mm
Tail:	96 – 116 mm	90 – 105 mm
Weight:	31.5 – 42.0 g	28.0 – 35.0 g

Ageing:

	Adult (2+)	Immature (2-) or (1)	Juvenile
Bill:	black or dark grey;	dark grey with pale base to lower mandible;	brown or dark grey-brown;
Gape:	black or dark grey;	grey-white to mid-grey;	pale yellow;
Iris:	black-brown or dark brown;	dark brown;	dark brown or dark grey

Immatures are very similar to adults but retain juvenile remiges, rectrices and greater primary coverts. Retained juvenile plumage is readily identified as more worn than other plumage.

Sexing:

Sexes can be separated on size (THL & wing length);
 Males are said to be more richly coloured than females, with whiter bellies and more intense rufous uppertail and undertail coverts and flanks - but difficult to prove;
 Only females develop a brood patch.