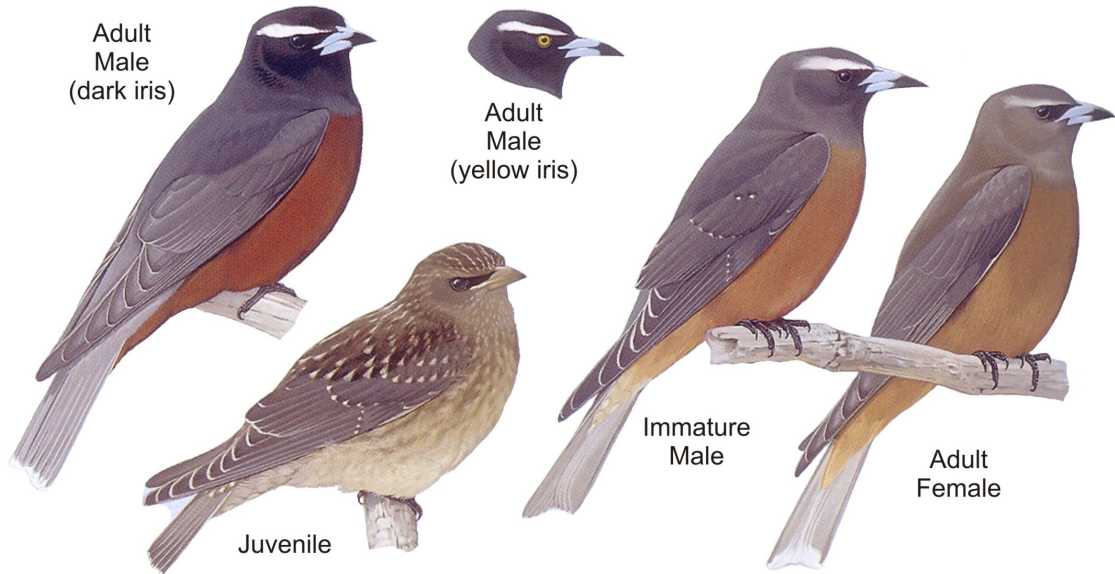


**White-browed Woodswallow** *Artamus supercilliosus* Species No.: 545 Band size: 05 (04) AY



**Morphometrics:**

	Adult Male	Adult Female
Wing:	116 – 132 mm	116 – 126 mm
Tail:	68 – 83 mm	70 – 86 mm
THL:	43.6 – 44.3 mm	42.5 mm – 44.4 mm
Bill:	20.4 – 25.1 mm	19.8 – 24.1 mm
Tarsus:	18.1 – 21.4 mm	18.2 – 20.5 mm
Weight:	30.5 – 41.1 g	30.0 – 40.0 g

**Ageing:**

	Adult (1+)	Immature (1)	Juvenile (J)
Bill:	pale blue or bluish-grey with black distal third;	similar to adult;	brown with faint black tip;
Iris:	varies from dark brown to orange-yellow;	similar to adult;	brownish yellow, dull brown or olive-green;

Immatures retain all juvenile remiges, greater coverts, rectrices and feathers of alula; Immatures probably commence moult to adult-like plumage when approximately six months old, coinciding with adults undergoing their complete post-breeding moult; Immatures are thus aged (1) and adults (1+); Immature males have a darker head and more prominent eyebrow than adult females.

**Sexing :**

Adults and Immatures can be sexed on plumage characters;

	Adult Male	Immature Male	Adult & Immature Female
Forehead, crown, nape & neck:	dark grey, blackish at sides of forehead;	dark greyish-black;	bluish-grey;
Supercilium:	prominent broad white;	broad off-white;	off-white, narrower than males;
Breast & belly:	dark red-brown or rich chestnut;	rufous brown;	russet-brown to pale rufous-brown or pinkish-rufous;

Incubation by both sexes;