

Eyrean Grasswren *Amytornis goyderi* **Species No.: 515** **Band size: 03 (02) AY**



Morphometrics:

	Adult Male	Adult Female
Wing:	56 – 63 mm	56 – 59 mm
Tail:	74 – 91 mm	74 – 83 mm
Bill:	11.3 – 13.3 mm	11.0 – 13.1 mm
Tarsus:	22.0 – 25.7 mm	21.3 – 23.9 mm
Weight:	15.0 – 18.5 g	14.0 – 17.5 g

Ageing:

	Adult (2+)	Immature (2-) or (1)	Juvenile
Bill:	light grey to light blue-grey with dark blue-grey to grey-black culmen and distal gonyes;	similar to adult;	light grey lacking darker culmen and gonyes and with a brown tip;
Gape:	light blue-grey;	white In one specimen;	dull yellow;
Mouth:	grey to greyish-white;	pale yellow grading to pink-purple;	lemon yellow grading to orange-yellow;
Iris:	dark brown to brown, olive-brown, grey-brown or slate;	unknown;	olive

Juveniles lack black streaks on lores and ear coverts and lack the dark brown to black-brown submoustachial stripe of adults ;

Immatures retain juvenile remiges rectrices which may show synchronous growth bars;

Immatures attain adult plumage when approximately one year old, probably coinciding with adult post-breeding moult. Thus immatures will be either (1) or (2) and adults will be (2+).

Sexing :

Adults are sexually dimorphic on plumage: adult females have a distinct rufous-brown flanks, whereas this is absent in adult males;
Not known whether both sexes incubate.