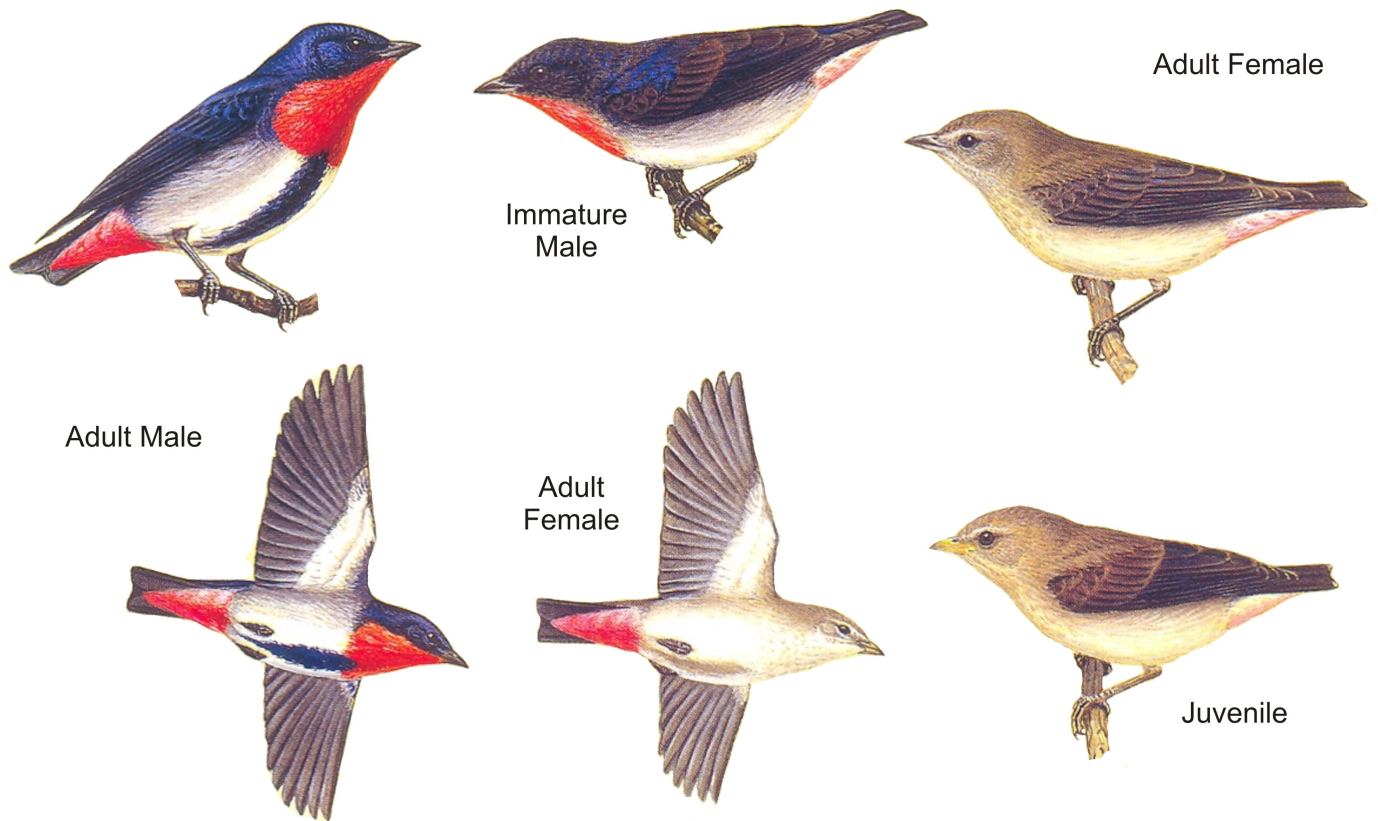


**Mistletoebird** *Dicaeum hirundinaceum*      **Species No.: 564**      **Band size: 01**



**Morphometrics:**

	<b>Adult Male</b>	<b>Adult Female</b>
Wing:	60 – 66 mm	56 – 62 mm
Tail:	27 – 34 mm	55 – 60 mm
Weight:	8.4 – 10.0 g	7.5 – 10.0 g

**Ageing:**

	<b>Adult Male</b>	<b>Adult Female</b>	<b>Imm. Male</b>	<b>Imm. Female</b>	<b>Juvenile</b>
Bill:	black;	upper mandible dark grey, lower mandible light-grey to pinkish white;	grey;	horn-grey;	orange becoming dark grey first on upper mandible then from tip of lower mandible;
Gape:	black;	dark grey;	grey;	grey;	orange;

Juveniles distinguished by plumage and bare parts;  
 Immatures distinguished from adults by contrasting retained brown juvenile feathers – most obvious  
 In greater secondary and greater primary upperwing coverts.

**Sexing :**

Adults and first immatures are plumage dimorphic;  
 Adult males tend to be slightly larger than adult females;  
 Incubation by female alone.