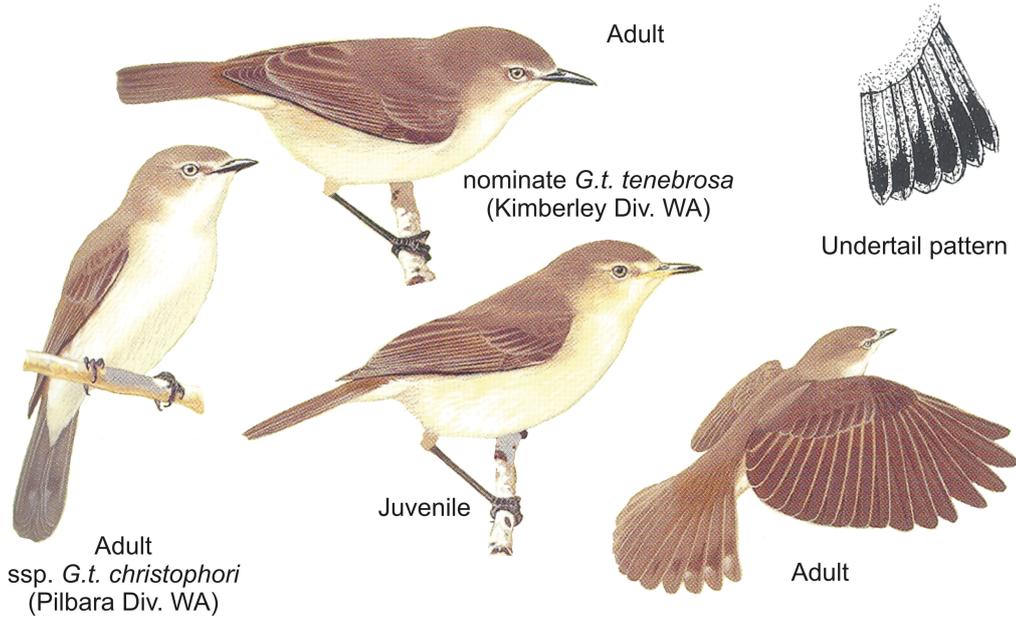


Dusky Gerygone *Gerygone tenebrosa* Species No.: 461 Band size: 01



Morphometrics:

	Nominate <i>G.t. tenebrosa</i>		Ssp. <i>G.t. christophori</i>	
	Adult Male	Adult Female	Adult Male	Adult Female
Wing:	52 – 57 mm	50 – 55 mm	56 – 61 mm	50 – 57 mm
Tail:	40 – 45 mm	39 – 45 mm	42 – 55 mm	38 – 47 mm
Weight:	6.6 – 10.0 g	5.8 – 10.0 g	7.2 – 9.0 g	6.9 – 8.2 g

Ageing:

	Adult (1+)	Juvenile
Bill:	black or greyish black;	grey-black with flesh-yellow base to lower mandible;
Gape:	black or dark grey;	dull yellow;
Iris:	cream, cream-yellow or greyish-cream, or white;	light greenish with grey-brown outer edge, grey-white, yellowish brown, cream-grey or yellowish white;
Supercilium:	white;	diffuse straw-yellow;
Breast:	white;	white with faint cream-yellow tinge;

Little information on moults, but juveniles probably acquire adult like plumage soon after fledging, thus adults should be aged (1+);

Sexing :

Not sexually dimorphic in plumage and because of overlap in the range of measurements, sexing should not rely only on measurements;
No information on incubation.