

Green Catbird *Ailuroedus crassirostris* Species No.: 676 Band size: 08 AY SS



Morphometrics:

	Adult Male	Adult Female
THL:	59.6 – 69.6 mm	60.4 – 67.3 mm
Bill:	29.9 – 39.0 mm	29.0 – 35.7 mm
Wing:	150 – 179 mm	149 – 172 mm
Tail:	108 – 137 mm	108 – 127 mm
Tarsus:	48.8 – 50.4 mm	43.1 – 48.7 mm
Weight:	167 – 289 g	169 – 253 g

Ageing:

	Adult (2+)	Immature (1)
Bill:	variable - pinkish-white or off-white with light greyish wash at base, pearlsh-white with greenish wash, pale olive-bone, or pale horn;	pale pinkish or yellowish-white with darker tip, or pale greyish-pink
Gape:	light brownish-grey;	pale yellow, yellow, or orange-yellow;
Orbital ring:	grey-black;	dark grey;
Iris:	red or deep blood-red;	from dark brown to brown, light brown or pale grey;
Back, wings & tail:	basic overall appearance bright light green to bright dark green;	dull brownish-green;

Juveniles moult to immature plumage soon after fledging;

Immatures retain brownish-green juvenile remiges and rectrices that are narrower and more pointed than adults;

Moult to adult plumage commences at about one year old, coinciding with post-breeding moult of adults. Thus adults are aged (2+);

Sexing:

No difference in plumage, but adult males slightly larger than adult females;
Incubation by female only.