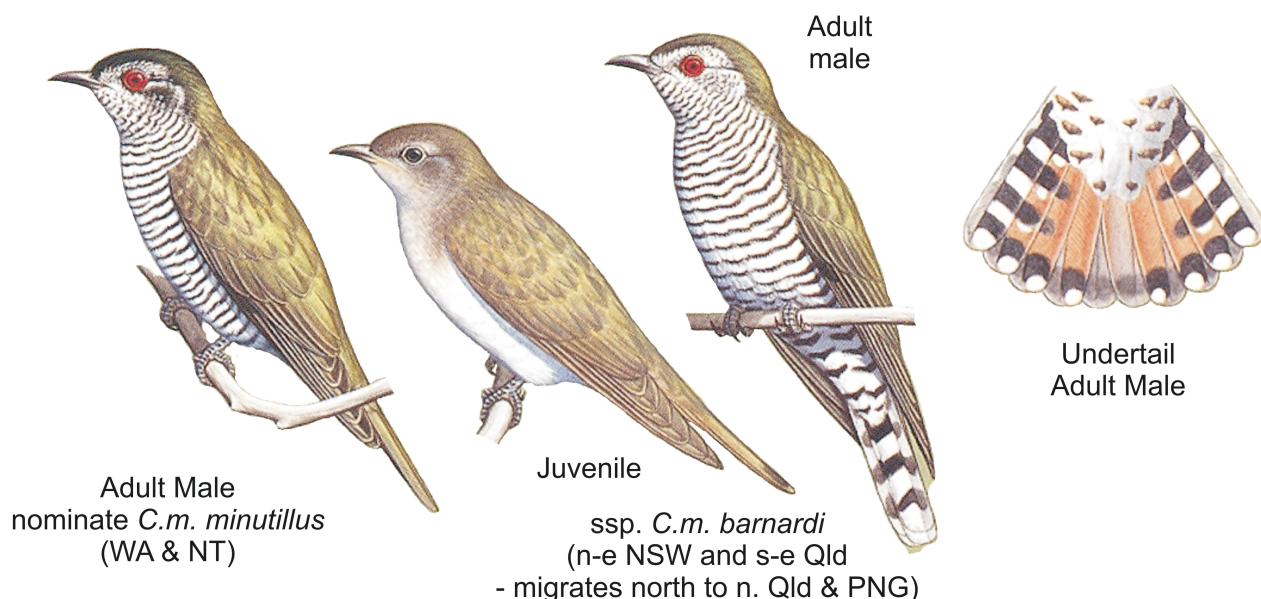


Little Bronze-Cuckoo *Chrysococcyx minutillus* **Species No.: 345** **Band size: 03**



Morphometrics:

	<i>C.m. minutillus</i>		<i>Cm. barnardi</i>	
	Adult Male	Adult Female	Adult Male	Adult Female
Wing:	91 – 99 mm	91 – 95 mm	100 – 105 mm	100 – 103 mm
Tail:	57 – 66 mm	57 – 61 mm	58 – 68 mm	62 – 66 mm
Weight:	14.5 – 17.0 g	15.4 – 17.0 g	17.0 – 20.0 g	17.0 – 20.0 g

Ageing:

	Adult (1+)	Juvenile
Bill:	grey-black sometimes with pale grey or blue-grey base to lower mandible;	dark grey to black with large pale area to base of lower mandible which is pinkish at fledging;
Gape:	black;	pale yellow;
Iris:	dark brown, red-brown or red;	grey-brown to brown;
Supercilium	mainly base white with varying degree of	pale brownish grey grading to greyish
ear coverts,	brown barring or mottling;	white;
lores & face:		
Upperparts:	mostly iridescent olive-green;	olive with only slight iridescence;
Underparts:	white with dark brown barring;	mainly white grading to pale greyish brown and lacks barring;

Moult soon after fledging from juvenile plumage to an immature plumage possibly indistinguishable from adults,. Thus all except juveniles should be aged (1+).

Sexing:

Some adult males are larger than females but sexually dimorphic on characters listed below:

	Adult Male	Adult Female
Orbital ring:	bright orange-red to scarlet;	pale greenish-white to olive grey;
Iris:	red-brown to red, some with brown flecking may be immatures;	dark brown and in some tinged with off-white or dirty cream;
Forehead, crown & nape:	glossy green to dark glossy green with the cap being darkest;	dull glossy green & never with a darker cap;