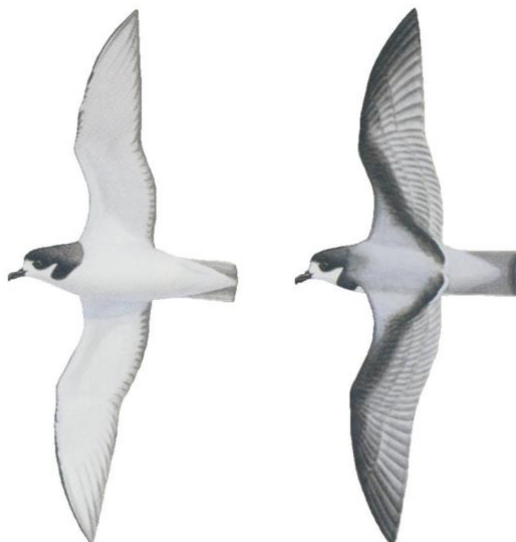


**Blue Petrel** *Halobaena caerulea*

**Species Code.: 065**    **Band: D/DP**



Adult,  
ventral

Adult,  
dorsal

**Morphometrics:**

	Males	Females
Wing:	205 – 238 mm	206 – 221 mm
8 <sup>th</sup> Primary:	136 – 143 mm	136 – 146 mm
Tail:	79 – 93 mm	77 – 95 mm
Bill (tip to skull):	25 – 28 mm	24 – 27 mm
Tarsus:	29 - 34.8 mm	28 – 33.9 mm
Middle Toe:	43.6 – 44.2 mm	42.3 – 45.3 mm
Weight:	152 – 251 g	

**Ageing:**

Juveniles are described as slightly brownish with ashy forehead, otherwise identical to adults;  
No other information on ageing;  
Age at first breeding is unknown.

**Sexing:**

No sexual dimorphism.  
Both sexes incubate.