

# Caspian Plover

*Charadrius asiaticus*

152 plots from 342 records

Virgin Yellow-vented Bulbul squares **12**

Single YvB month **23**

Two YvB months **22**

Seasonality  
presence bs eggs

Month	presence	bs	eggs
January	83	-	-
February	38	-	-
March	22	-	-
April	2	-	-
May	2	-	-
June	-	-	-
July	2	-	-
August	14	-	-
September	33	-	-
October	40	-	-
November	33	-	-
December	72	-	-

## Status

- Presence
- Breeding season
- Month with eggs

## Elevation (m)

- 1 - 300
- 300 - 500
- 500 - 700
- 700 - 900
- 900 - 1,100
- 1,100 - 1,300
- 1,300 - 1,500
- 1,500 - 1,700
- 1,700 - 1,900
- >1,900

This bird is in trouble. Population estimates have halved in a decade as the decline has become more noticeable. We have not had a report of flocks of >1,000 birds in the Serengeti / NCA since the early 90s.

The 1% criteria for this species is only 480 birds.

The majority of records away from the core area are of small numbers on passage (to SW Africa ?) although Vesey-FitzGerald & Beesley (1960) considered them abundant in October-November in the Rukwa Valley during the 1950s. There are no records since then in this underworked area.

**Tanzania Bird Atlas**  
**Preliminary Map**  
**July 2009**  
**From 850,662**  
**Database records**

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Monthly records within each square

