



# ORNITHOLOGY

## New Issue Listings

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Hello, my name is Glenn G. Mertz and I want to officially introduce myself to the membership and readers of Biophilately, specifically the Ornithology section. I authored the last quarterly listing of New Issues for birds on stamps for 2006. I have been a stamp collector since 1970 and started collecting U.S. issues and birds on stamps at that time. Having been a member of Biophilately since at least 1972, I have seen the changes the journal has gone through. Currently the listing of the birds on stamps lists a numerical bird family number. This number has been used by the previous authors of Ornithology. The number system was based on the bird families listed in the James F. Clements book, "Birds of the World: A Checklist". The use of this numbering system continued with the last author, Randy Shore. When Randy became the author of New Issues back in 1999, he became aware of the numbering system, which he did not start out using, he put forth the question of whether the number system should continue to be used. Obviously, he received enough positive replies, that he continued to use the numbering system, and commenced with Clements 5<sup>th</sup> edition of "Birds of the World: A Checklist". James Clements passed away in 2006. Starting with his 5<sup>th</sup> Edition, in 2000, updates were published twice a year, of changes to this listing. These changes included sub-species being reclassified as full species, deletion of subspecies from full species listings, name changes, both in the English and scientific names, etc.

Cornell University Press has decided to continue the publication of James F. Clements book and a sixth edition is currently being printed and is due out sometime in April or May of 2007. I plan to purchase the edition and in fact have already placed my order with Cornell University Press. During the time that the 5<sup>th</sup> Edition was in publication, more than 230 changes were made to update the listings of birds based on DNA studies by the American Ornithology Union (AOU) and American Birding Association (ABA). These changes impacted on sixty-six of the two hundred and two families that were listed in Clements' 5<sup>th</sup>. Cornell has also indicated that it will publish twice-a-year changes, as had been done before.

The question that I want to put before the membership, for those that list birds as their collecting interests, is whether the use of the numbering system should be continued? I will continue to use the numbering system from Clements' 5<sup>th</sup> Edition until I have received the new 6<sup>th</sup> Edition. To continue to use a numbering system after receipt of the 6<sup>th</sup> Edition means that I will have to go through and manually assign family numbers and number each bird within the family to arrive at specific bird family numbers. Cornell does not have numbers assigned to the birds listed in the book. I have a rough idea how many members of Biophilately list birds as their collecting interests. I'd like to hear from you as to whether the use of bird family numbers should continue to be listed along with the other information on new bird stamp issues. In addition, do you want to have the bird(s) listed in Ornithology if Scott Publishing Co has not yet assigned a Scott number to the bird stamp or set of stamps? Scott Publishing can be sometimes a year or more behind assigning numbers to a set. Is it your preference to have the

country issue listed even though the Scott number has not been assigned. Also, how does the membership feel about the listings of “illegal” or “non-valid” postal issues. Should these be listed or not listed?

For those of you that are computer literate and use e-mail, feel free to express your thoughts to me via an e-mail, to [GGMertz@Juno.com](mailto:GGMertz@Juno.com). If you don't have a computer, but want to express your thoughts, send a letter to 625 N. Lafayette St. Allentown, Pa. 18104. I'd like to know whether your needs are being met as a member of Biophilately, especially, those of you that are bird stamp collectors.

### Correction and Updates

#### Antigua & Barbuda

V51(3), Scott #2558b, 030.008, Hooked-billed Kite, *Chondrohierax uncinatus wilsonii*, should be marked as NEW after the stamp listing.

#### Australia

V51(3), Scott #2063, 123.032, White-backed Swallow, *Cheramoeca leucosternus*, should have been marked as NEW after the stamp listing.

#### Belarus

V55(4), Scott #576

Correction: Value is 930rub, not 900

V55(4), Scott #582

Correction: Family number should be 160.045

#### Belgium

V50(1), Scott #1789, 140.183, Wood Warbler, *Phylloscopus sibilatrix*, should be noted with NEW after the listing.

#### Brazil

V51(3), Scott #2799c, 074.226, Blue-throated Parakeet, *Pyrrhura cruentata* should be marked as V50(3) after the stamp listing.

#### Cape Verde

V55(4), Scott #1699

Correction: This issue belongs under Canada

#### Congo (Kinshasa)

V51(3), Scott #1536h, (Mil496), 086.016, Tawny-bellied Hermit, *Phaethornis sylvaticus*, should be changed to V50(3). V50(1) is incorrect.

V52(3), Scott #1533, (Mil488), Peacock Coquette, *Lophornis pavininus*, should be noted with V50(2) after the listing. In addition, the family number in V50(2), page 152, for the write-up on the bird should be changed to 086.081. The family name of 086.066 is incorrect.

**Cook Islands**

V55(4), Scott #1270, value \$.80, listed as family number 140.091.

Correction: Family number should be 140.095. This was not marked as NEW but probably should have been.

The original NEW was when it was listed on Scott #502, a \$1.00 value, issued in 1978, V28(2), which when listed had it as *Acrocephalus vaughani*, with “Kerearako” in brackets, questioning the identification. This new issue on 6/13/05 is a better looking stamp for this bird than Scott #502.

**Croatia**

V55(4), Scott #621a-d, family number 068.012

Correction: Family number is 068.020

**Ecuador**

V50(2), Scott #1492c, Flightless Cormorant, *Phalacrocorax harrisi*, should be marked as NEW after the stamp listing.

**El Salvador**

V50(1), Scott # 15381, 202.241, White-eared Ground-Sparrow, *Melospiza leucotis*, should be noted as NEW after the stamp listing.

**Gambia**

V50(1), Scott #2348a, Yellow-rumped Tinkerbell, *Pogoniulus bilineatus*, should be marked as NEW after the stamp listing.

**Grenada**

V50(1), Page 60, Blue-whistling Thrush.

Correction: Correct taxonomic number should be 138.024, not 128.024.

**Grenada-Grenadines**

V49(3&4), Scott #2147b, 073.014, Yellow-crested Cockatoo, *Cacatua sulphurea*, should be marked as NEW after the listing. In the New Birds in the Aviary section, it is incorrectly given taxonomic number 073.011. The bird is the subspecies, *C.s.citrinocristata*.

**Guinea**

V49(2), Scott #1576, is incorrect as a Red-legged Honeycreeper, *Cyanerpes cyaneus*.

Correction: The family number should be 201.249, Purple Honeycreeper, *Cyanerpes caeruleus*. It should also be marked as NEW after the listing. The write-up by Charles Braun appeared in V49(3&4), page 189.

**Guyana**

V55(4), Scott #3071i, page 186. Correct Scott # should be 3071h.

V55(4), Scott #3071j. Family number 086.290.

Correction: Family number is 086.298.

**Korea (North)**

V54(2), Yv3349-3351, listed as unidentified bird..

Update: Yv3349-3351, 067.022, East Siberian Gull, *Larus argentatus vegae* (subspecies)

**Kyrgyzstan**

V49(2), Scott #131b, Short-eared Owl, *Asio flammeus*.

Correction: 078.096, Brown Wood-Owl, *Strix leptogrammica*. It should be marked as NEW after the stamp listing. It was written-up by C. Braun in the Aviary in V49(3&4) , page 187.

**Liberia**

V51(3), Mi 2296, 104.030, Rufous Piculet, *Sasia abnormis*, should be marked as NEW or corrected to V50(3) instead of V50(1).

V51(3), Mi 2997, listed as taxonomic number 140.011.

Correction: Change to 140.110 for African Yellow Warbler

**Maldiv Islands**

V49(1), Scott # 2384, 022.035, Striated Heron

Update: 020.033, Maldivian Striated Heron, *Butorides striatus albolimatus*. A subspecies of Striated Heron.

**Mauritania**

V51(3), Mi 1080, 192.058, Nelicourvi Weaver, *Ploceus nelicouri*, should be noted with V50(3) after the stamp listing.

**Mongolia**

V51(3), Scott #2471k, 067.041, Relict Gull, *Larus relictus*, should be noted with V50(2) after the stamp listing.

**Montserrat**

V55(4), Scott #1120b. First part of scientific name listed as *Phaeton*. Correction: Should be *Phaethon*.

**Namibia**

V49(3&4), page 187. The taxonomic number for the Dune Lark is listed as 122.137.

Correction: Number should be 122.037.

**New Caledonia**

V51(3), Scott # 873, 189.080, New Caledonian Crow, *Corvus moneduloides*, should be marked as NEW or corrected to V50(3), not V50(1) as indicated.

**New Zealand**

V50(2), Scott #1693, 046.040, Weka, *Gallirallus australis*, (listed as subspecies by Charles Braun on page 50 in V50(1), should be noted with V50(1) after the listing, and after the listing for the bird in the SS, Scott #1694a

**Norfolk Island**

V55(4), Scott #855. First part of scientific name listed as *procelstern*.

Correction: Should be *Procelsterna*

**Sierra Leone**

V50(1), Scott #2303b, 012.020, Fork-tailed Storm-Petrel, *Oceanodroma furcata*, should have NEW after the stamp listing.

**Solomon Islands**

V50(1), page 62. Incorrect taxonomic number of 171.159 for Yellow-throated White-eye.

Correction: Should be 171.059.

**Suriname**

V55(4), Scott #1326h

Correction: Should be Scott #1329h.

**Tanzania**

V49(2), Scott #2016, M/S. Three-toed Jacamar, *Jacamaralcyon tridactyla*, should be noted as NEW after the listing. Bird write-up is in V50(1), page 57.

V49(2), Scott # 1792b, Black Heron, *Egretta ardesiaca*, should be marked as NEW after the stamp listing.

**Tuvalu**

V50(1), Scott #832b, 147.049, Gray Shrike-Thrush, *Colluricincla harmonica*, should be marked as NEW. See V51(1), page 22 for write-up by Charles Braun.

**Zambia**

V50(1), Scott # 901 M/S, 071.003, Pin-tailed Sandgrouse, *Pterocles alchata*, should be marked as NEW after the stamp listing.

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**Andorra (Span. Admin.)** 2006, June 6; One stamp , showing a partridge. A.

323 2,39eu 038.059 Gray Partridge, *Perdix perdix*

**Angola \*\*** 2004, Oct 11: South African Postal Authorities Association (SAPOA); Joint issue with Botswana, Malawi, South Africa, Swaziland, Zambia and Zimbabwe A.

15k 032.062 Peregrine Falcon, *Falco peregrinus*

15k 030.036 African Fish-Eagle, *Haliaeetus vocifer*

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15k 088.003 Bar-tailed Trogon, *Apaloderma vittatum*

15k 075.015 Purple-crested Turaco, *Tauraco porphyreolophus*

15k 030.036 African Fish-Eagle, *Haliaeetus vocifer*

15k 043.004 Blue Crane, *Grus paradisea*

15k 020.032 Cattle Egret, *Bubulcus ibis*

\*\*It is reported that Angola never issued these stamps. The entire stock was stolen before they could be released and the market therefore does not consider any sheets as “genuine”.

- Australia** 2004, Sept 6; One of set of four tourist attraction type stamps of 2000 of coastlines  
 2281 1.80 030.034 White-bellied Sea Eagle, *Haliaeetus leucogaster* A  
 2005, June 7; Bush Wildlife International-rate definitives;  
 Two of set of four; Designers, Kevin Stead, Cathleen Cram; Offset in sheets of 50, Sep Sprint. A  
 2386 1.00 120.002 Superb Lyrebird, *Menura novaehollandiae*  
 2387 1.20 089.025 Laughing Kookaburra, *Dacelo novaeguineae*
- Austria** 2004, Sept, 20; M/S of two stamps of Svarovski Crystal; one shows bird with embedded  
 crystals. A  
 1996b 3.75e 027.011 Mute Swan, *Cygnus olor*
- Bahamas** 1999, Feb. 9; National Trust 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary; 5 x 55 cent stamps in c/d of various birds B  
 934a-e \$.55 025.001 Caribbean Flamingo, *Phoenicopterus ruber ruber*  
 Also shown, 024.033 Roseate Spoonbill, *Platalea ajaj*  
 062.048 Lesser Yellowlets, *Tringa flavipes*  
 057.001 Black-winged Stilt, *Himantopus himantops*  
 2006, Mar. 28; Birdlife International, sheet with six values of 15c, 25c, 50c 65c, 70c, 80c;  
 Des, Alan Harrais; Offset in sheets of 50, BDT International. A  
 1165-1170 161.008 Brown-headed Nuthatch, *Sitta pusilla insularis*  
 1170a M/S contains the six stamps se-tenant.
- Belarus** 2005, April 15; One of a sheet of four A  
 500r 030.206 Greater Spotted Eagle, *Aquila clanga*
- Belgium** 2006, June 3; Bird definitive; Des, Andre Buzin, Gravure, Mechelen Stamp Printing  
 Office A  
 2123 0.23e 009.014 Eared Grebe, *Podiceps nigricollis*
- Belize** 2005, Aug. 31; Guanacaste National Park, Cayo District A  
 1187 5c 091.004 Blue-crowned Motmot, *Momotus momota*
- Bosnia (Serb Admin.)** 2006, Sept 19; Joy of Europe/Animals; Two stamps in the set, only one is of a  
 bird; Designers Radomir Bojanic, Nadezda Skocajic; Offset in sheets of eight and a label, Forum., A  
 284 50pf 036.008 Eurasian Capercaillie, *Tetrao urogallus*
- Brazil** 2004, Sept. 22; Tourism; Stamp has label that can be personalized. A  
 2941 (80c) 115.016 Blue Manakin, *Chiroxiphia caudate*  
 2004, Oct. 15; Greetings; Stamps has label that can be personalized A  
 2942 (80c) 022.016 Jabiru, *Jabiru mycteria*  
 2006, Sept. 14; National Parks and Reserves, set of four stamps, only one  
 displaying a bird. A  
 2991a .85r 002.001 Greater Rhea, *Rhea Americana*.
- British Antarctic Territory** 2004, December; Souv. sheet of six 50p stamps, Birdlife International A  
 349a-f 50p 011.001 Antarctic Giant Petrel, *Macronectes giganteus*.  
 Sheet has Southern Giant Petrel
- British Virgin Islands** 2005, July 8; Birdlife International/Caribbean; Des, Mich Herrick; Offset in  
 sheets of 50, BDT International. A  
 1037 5c 199.042 Black-and-white Warbler, *Mniotilta varia*  
 1038 25c 199.045 Worm-eating Warbler, *Helmitheros vermivorus*  
 1039 35c 199.014 Yellow Warbler, *Dendroica petechia*  
 1040 50c 199.044 Prothonotary Warbler, *Protonotaria citrea*  
 1041a 10c 199.032 Prairie Warbler, *Dendroica discolor*  
 1041b 15c 199.019 Yellow-rumped Warbler, *Dendroica coronata*

**British Virgin Is. (contd.)**

- 1041c 40c 199.018 Black-throated Warbler, *Dendroica caerulescens*  
 1041d 60c 199.017 Cape May Warbler, *Dendroica tigrina*  
 1041e 85c 199.012 Northern Parula, *Dendroica americana*  
 1041f 2.75 199.034 Palm Warbler, *Dendroica palmarum*  
 1041 M/S—contains 1037-1041 and 1041a-f

**Bulgaria** 2006, May 9; Fauna/Birds of Prey; Four stamps; Des. Lyudmil Chehlarov; Offset in sheets of six, Printer not reported. A

- 4391 10st 030.074 Western Marsh-Harrier, *Circus aeruginosus*  
 4392 35st 030.083 Northern Harrier, *Circus cyaneus*  
 4393 55st 030.084 Pallid Harrier, *Circus macrourus*  
 4394 1lev 030.086 Montagu's Harrier, *Circus pygargus*

**Canada** 2006, March 8; Self-adhesives gardens booklet, two of each design for a total of eight stamps. One stamp of the eight has a bird; Litho. B

- 2145a 51c 199.018 Black-throated Warbler, *Dendroica caerulescens*  
 2006, Aug. 3; Ducks and Duck decoys; Litho A

- 2163 51c 027.141 Barrow's Goldeneye, *Bucephala islandica*  
 2164 51c 027.087 Mallard, *Anas Platyrhynchos*  
 2165 51c 027.091 American Black Duck, *Anas rubripes*  
 2166 51c 027.146 Red-breasted Merganser, *Mergus serrator*

**Cayman Is.** 2006, Oct. 5; Bird defin; Des, Andrew Robinson; Offset in sheets of 50, Cartor A

- 972 25c 200.001 Bananaquit, *Coereba flaveola sharpie*  
 973 50c 199.033 Vitelline Warbler, *Dendroica vitellina vitellina*  
 974 75c 074.299 Cuban Parrot, *Amazona leucocephala caymanensis*  
 975 80c 072.140 Caribbean Dove, *Leptotila jamaicensis collaris*  
 976 1.00 116.017 Caribbean Elaenia, *Elaenia martinica caymenensis*  
 977 1.50 104.054 West Indian Woodpecker, *Melanerpes superciliaris caymenensis*  
 978 1.60 195.003 Thick-billed Vireo, *Vireo crassirostris alleni*  
 979 2.00 104.148 Northern Flicker, *Colaptes auratus gundlachi*  
 980 4.00 202.138 Cuban Bullfinch, *Melopyrrha nigra taylori*  
 981 5.00 201.114 Western Spindalis, *Spindalis zena salvini* NEW  
 982 10.00 116.397 Loggerhead Kingbird, *Tyrannus caudifasciatus caymenensis*  
 983 20.00 138.126 Red-legged Thrush, *Turdus plumbeus coryi*

**Central Africa** The five souvenir sheets listed here belong to the issues reported in V55(4) A

- 1500fr 038.155 Congo Peacock, *Afropavo congensis*  
 1412 1500fr 027.011 Trumpeter Swan, *Cygnus buccinator*  
 1413 1500fr 030.040 Bald Eagle, *Haliaeetus leucocephalus*  
 1414 1500fr 030.000 Unidentified  
 1415 1500fr 029.011 Osprey, *Pandion Haliae*

**Comoro Island** 1999, Jan 23; See original listing in V48(4). The souvenir sheets were assigned new Scott numbers to accommodate the SS listed here and not previously reported in this journal A

- 855 1500fr 102.039 Red-billed Toucan, *Ramphastos tucanus* (the stamp); in the border area are  
 102.041 Toco Toucan, *Ramphastos toco* (top)  
 102.021 Plate-billed Mountain-Toucan, *Andigena laminirostris*

- 1999, Jan 25; Set of eight animal stamps; only one is a bird. 856e 150fr A  
 025.001 Greater Flamingo, *Phoenicopterus ruber*

<b>Djibouti</b>	2000, April 13; Sheet of eight stamps in c/d. Six of the stamps are birds, but three of the bird stamps lap over to stamps above or below	A
796a	025.001 Greater Flamingo, <i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>	
796b	001.001 Ostrich, <i>Struthio camelus</i>	
796d	022.003 Yellow-billed Stork, <i>Mycteria ibis</i>	
796e	074.189 Scarlet Macaw, <i>Ara macao</i>	
796g	102.030 Toco Toucan, <i>Ramphastos toco</i>	
796h	043.013 Whooping Crane, <i>Grus Americana</i>	
<b>Dominica</b>	2005; Bird Definitives Reprints.	A
25c	089.087 Belted Kingfisher, <i>Megaceryle alcyon</i> (reprint of #2323-yr 2001)	
50c	204.053 Baltimore Oriole, <i>Icterus galbula</i> (reprint of #2513-yr 2004)	
<b>Ecuador</b>	2005, Feb. 18; Galapagos Islands; two of set of four plus a M/S.	A
\$2.15	016.007.100 Nazca Booby, <i>Sula granti</i>	
3.00	009.003 Magnificent Frigatebird, <i>Fregata magnificens</i>	
2.00	067.049 Swallow-tailed Gull, <i>Creagrus furcatus</i> (M/S)	
<b>Estonia</b>	2005, March 23; M/S of four stamps; all with 4k40 values	A
508a-d	027.015 Whooper Swan, <i>Cygnus Cygnus</i>	
	2006, June 1; Semi-postal stamp for UNICEF, 60 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary;	A
B65 4.40k+1k	027.087 Mallard, <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	
<b>French Polynesia</b>	2006, June 21; Birds, no designer listed; Offset in sheets of 10, French Government Printing Office.	A
920 250fr	072.171 Polynesian Ground-Dove, <i>Gallicolumba erythroptera</i> , V55(4)	
921 250fr	062.058 Tuamotu Sandpiper, <i>Prosobonia cancellata</i> , V55(4)	
<b>French Southern Antarctic Territory</b>	2005, March 4; Century of French Expedition; one value stamp plus label "Return of the ship "Francais" Cent.	C
356 4.50e	007.004 Adelie Penguin, <i>Pygoscelis adeliae</i>	
<b>Gambia</b>	2006, Feb. 27; World Wildlife Fund; four se-tenant 30-dalasy stamps; four different views of the Black Crowned-Crane; Offset in panes of sixteen and in M/S of eight.	A
3014a d30	043.002 Black Crowned-Crane, <i>Balearica pavonina</i> (head)	
3014b d30	043.002 Black Crowned-Crane, <i>Balearica pavonina</i> ( on one leg)	
3014c d30	043.002 Black Crowned-Crane, <i>Balearica pavonina</i> ( birds in wild)	
3014d d30	043.002 Black Crowned-Crane, <i>Balearica pavonina</i> (chick)	
<b>Grenada</b>	This SS should have been listed with the Grenada set listed in V55(4).	A
3492 6.00	028.005 California Condor, <i>Gymnogyps californianus</i>	
	2005, July 25; Bird type of 2000; Litho; Stamp size is 22x26mm.	A
3540 10c	086.067 Purple-throated Carib, <i>Eulampis jugularis</i>	
<b>Guernsey</b>	2006, Feb. 16; Endangered species of the Florida Everglades; Souvenir sheet with two 1.50euro stamps, a stork and a leatherback turtle; Des, Joel Kirk; Offset, BDT International.	A
892b 1.50e	022.001 Wood Stork, <i>Mycteria Americana</i> (head only)	
<b>Guyana</b>	1996, May 3; This set was listed in a prior volume, but the souvenir sheet has never been listed. The SS is of a bird and mushrooms.	A
3063 300fr	203.025 Yellow Grosbeak, <i>Pheucticus chrysopelus</i>	



**Honduras** 1999, Feb. 19; Two sheets of sixteen stamp each, all airmails, were issued to denote the devastation and cleanup after Hurricane "Mitch". Both of the two sixteen stamp sheets have birds on the stamps. They appear in an oval at the top-right corner of fifteen of the thirty-two stamps. The values are all 5.40L.. B

- C1044a 5.40L 189.010 Tufted Jay, *Cyanocorax dickeyi*  
 C1044c 5.40L 114.061 Bare-necked Umbrellabird, *Cephalopterus glabricollis*  
 C1044f 5.40L 204.014 Red-breasted Blackbird, *Sturnella militaris*  
 C1044h 5.40L 114.042 Turquoise Cotinga, *Cotinga ridgwayi* V50(4)  
 C1044j 5.40L 074.189 Scarlet Macaw, *Ara macao*  
 C1044l 5.40L 086.002 White-tipped Sicklebill, *Eutoxeres aquila* V50(4)  
 C1044n 5.40L 086.035 Tooth-billed Hummingbird, *Androdon aequatorialis* V50(4)  
 C1044o 5.40L 104.166 Lineated Woodpecker, *Dryocopus lineatus* V50(4)  
 C1044p 5.40L 074.243 Sulphur-winged Parakeet, *Pyrrhura hoffmanni* V50(4)  
 C1045b 5.40L 088.020 Black-tailed Trogon, *Trogon melanurus*  
 C1045f 5.40L 078.114 Spectacled Owl, *Pulsatrix perspicillata*  
 C1045h 5.40L 115.012 Lance-tailed Manakin, *Chiroxiphia lanceolata*  
 C1045j 5.40L 115.023 Red-capped Manakin, *Pipra mentalis*  
 C1045m 5.40L 123.007 Sinaloa Martin, *Progne sinaloae* V50(4)  
 C1045o 5.40L 091.006 Rufous Motmot, *Baryphthengus martii*

In 2005, this same set of two sixteen stamp sheets was surcharged with an 8L value, Scott #'s 1207 and 1208.

2004, May 13; America/Nature Protection/Exfilhon 2004; Pane of four se-tenant stamps; Offset, Printer not reported. A

- C1155a 10L 074.204 Pacific Parakeet, *Aratinga strenua*  
 C1155b 10.65 032.046 Orange-breasted Falcon, *Falco deiroleucus*  
 C1155c 14.00 030.223 Black-and-white Hawk-Eagle, *Spizastur melanoleucus*  
 C1155d 20.00 074.303 Yellow-lored Parrot, *Amazona xantholora*

In the corners of the sheet are the following;

- 138.062 Eastern Bluebird, *Sialis sialis*  
 199.014 Yellow Warbler, *Dendroica petechia*  
 086.000 Unidentified hummingbird  
 104.056 Yellow-bellied Sapsucker, *Sphyrapicus varius*

**Hungary** 1999, May 6; Animals of Asia; four non-bird stamps and a souvenir sheet with a duck. A  
 3662 100f 027.063 Mandarin Duck, *Aix galericulata*

2006, June 27; A falcon on the emblem of a border guard. A

3995 170fo 032.000 Unidentified falcon

**Isle of Man** 2006, April 17; Manx Bird Atlas; five se-tenant 28-penny and five 31p stamps; Available in lick-and-stick gum and self-adhesives; designers, Jeremy Paul, Agency Design, Chris Sharpe; Offset in sheets of 50, Cartor. B

- 1141a 28p 032.062 Peregrine Falcon, *Falco peregrinus*  
 1141b 28p 070.021 Atlantic Puffin, *Fratercula arctica*  
 1141c 28p 011.062 Manx Shearwater, *Puffinus puffinus*  
 1141d 28p 189.074 Red-billed Chough, *Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax*  
 1141e 28p 070.002 Common Murre, *Uria aalge*

**Isle of Man** (contd.)

- 1142a 31p 142.219 Whinchat, *Saxicola rubetra*  
 1142b 31p 030.083 Northern Harrier, *Circus cyaneus*  
 1142c 31p 127.003 Goldcrest, *Regulus regulus*  
 1142d 31p 124.011 Gray Wagtail, *Motacilla cinerea*  
 1142e 31p 135.055 Winter Wren, *Troglodytes troglodytes*
- Japan** 2005, June 6; Reintroduction of Oriental white stork: Prefecture stamp with boy flying on  
 Back of stork. A
- Z688 80y 022.013 Oriental Stork, *Ciconia boyciana*  
 2005, August 22; Prefecture stamp (Hokkaido) A
- Z702 80y 070.023 Tufted Puffins, *Fratercula cirrhata*
- Kiribati** 2005, August 15; Birdlife International/Parts 2 & 3; two panes of six-se-tenant stamps;  
 Des, Richard Allen; Offset, Cartor. A
- 869a 25c 019.005 Lesser Frigatebird, *Fregata ariel*  
 869b 25c 014.002 Red-tailed Tropicbird, *Phaethon rubricauda*  
 869c 25c 068.041 Blue Noddy, *Procelsterna cerulean*  
 869d 25c 038.061 Christmas Shearwater, *Puffinus nativitatis*  
 869e 25c 068.033 Sooty Tern, *Sterna fuscata*  
 869f 25c 016.007 Masked Booby, *Sula dactylatra*  
 011.015 Phoenix Petrel, *Pterodroma alba*, (bird on the left side of the six-se-tenant  
 stamps on this sheet
- 870a \$2 014.003 White-tailed Tropicbird, *Phaethon lepturus*  
 870b 2 068.039 Black Noddy, *Anous minutus*  
 870c 2 016.008 Red-footed Booby, *Sula sula*  
 870d 2 011.057 Wedge-tailed Shearwater, *Puffinus pacificus*  
 870e 2 068.043 White Tern, *Gygis alba*  
 870f 2 019.004 Great Frigatebird, *Fregata minor*  
 012.004 White-faced Storm-Petrel, *Pelagodrama marina* (bird on the left side of the  
 six se-tenant stamps on the sheet.
- Korea (South)** 2006, June 5; Bird definitive; Des, Sojeong Kim; Gravure, Korea  
 Minting & Security Printing A
- 2183 90w 160.038 Great Tit, *Parus major*
- Liberia** These two souvenir sheets belong to the set listed in V55(4). A
- 1351 2.00 075.011 Red-crested Turaco, *Tauraco erythrolophus*  
 1352 2.00 025.002 Chilean Flamingo, *Phoenicopterus chilensis*
- Lithuania** 2006, Sept. 16; Red book of Lithuania/Sea Fauna; Two stamps,  
 only one is a bird; Des, A. Griskeviciene; Offset, Vaba Maa. A
- 819a 1lt 027.134 Steller's Eider, *Polysticta stelleri*
- Macao** 1995, Sept. 1; Singapore '95. The set was listed in V45(1), page 22,  
 but the souvenir sheet was not. A
- 790 10.00p 142.180 Oriental Magpie-Robin, *Copsychus saularis*

- Mali** 1995, Oct. 20; The bulk of this issue was listed in 1996 in V45(3), pages 152-153. Souvenir sheets were not listed. B
- 720 1000fr 086.063 Crimson Topaz, *Topaza pella*  
 Birds in the 201.124 Blue-and-Yellow Tanager, *Thraupis bonariensis* (lower left)  
 Surrounds 201.191 Paradise Tanager, *Tangara chilensis* (upper left)  
 on this 086.336 Allen's Hummingbird, *Selasphorus sasin*, (lower center)  
 sheet. 074.188 Great Green Macaw, *Ara ambigua*, (upper right)  
 104.082 Toucan Barbet, *Semnornis ramphastinus*, (lower right)  
 173.000 Unidentified Honeyeater, (upper center)
- 721 1000fr 202.107 Lined Seedeater, *Sporophila lineola*, (stamp) NEW  
 In surrounds 201.250 Red-legged Honeycreeper, *Cyanerpes cyaneus*, (upper right)  
 100.008 Collared Puffbird, *Bucco capensis*, (upper center)  
 074.192 Chested-fronted Macaw, *Ara severa*, (below)
- Mauritius** 2005, March 18; Four stamps of Round Island, one is a bird; Des, Andrew Robinson; Offset in sheets of 50, BDT International. A
- 1003 9re 011.022 Herald Petrel, *Pterodroma arminjoniana* V54(3&4)  
 2006, June 5; Ecological History; Four stamps, with only one showing a bird. A
- 1023 Rs2 190.049 Common Myna, *Acridotheres ginginianus*
- Montserrat** 1991, April 17; I recently purchased these birds based on a listing in a Stanley Gibbons catalog "Birds of the World" and discovered they had never been listed in our journal. A
- 765 \$1,50 038.116 Red Junglefowl, *Gallus gallus*  
 766 3.50 039.003 Helmeted Guineafowl, *Numida meleagris*
- Morocco** 2005; Self-adhesive booklet containing the stamps, revalued, using previous designs from 1970-1995. A
- 1010a 2.50d 051.001 Great Bustard, *Otis tarda*  
 1010b 2.50d 030.090 Dark Chanting-Goshawk, *Melierax metabates*  
 1010c 2.50d 020.023 Little Egret, *Egretta garzetta*  
 1010d 2.50d 029.001 Osprey, *Pandion haliaetus*  
 1010e 2.50d 038.013 Barbary Partridge, *Alectoris Barbara*  
 1010f 2.50d 046.111 Purple Swampphen, *Porphyrio porphyrio*  
 1010g 2.50d 196.066 European Goldfinch, *Carduelis carduelis*  
 1010h 2.50d 051.006 Houbara Bustard, *Chlamydotis undulate*  
 1010i 2.50d 027.043 Ruddy Shelduck, *Tadorna ferruginea*  
 1010j 2.50d 032.041 Eleonor's Falcon, *Falco eleonora*  
 The booklet cover has the Osprey bird.
- Mozambique** 1995, Oct. 4; 1980 stamp Scott#713 (value 12m50) surcharged with 1000m value. A  
 1255 1000m 030.036 African Fish-Eagle, *Haliaeetus vocifer*
- Namibia** 1995, May 24: Souvenir sheet of extinct bird with two large eggs in the foreground. A
- 780 89c Extinct, Ward's Diamond Bird, *Diamanornis wardi*  
 2006, Feb. 28; Seagulls of Namibia; set of four, one the the stamps inscribed "Inland Registered Mail Paid" (\$16.20); Des, Anja Denker; Offset in sheets of ten, Enschede. B
- 1081 \$3.10 067.013 Kelp Gull, *Larus dominicanus*  
 1082 4.00 067.030 Hartlaub's Gull, *Larus hartlaubii* V55(3)  
 1083 5.50 067.048 Sabine's Gull, *Xema sabini*, \*\*\*\*  
 1084 (16.20) 067.029 Gray-headed Gull, *Larus cirrocephalus*  
 \*\*\*\* Previously shown on a Staffa (Scottish Local Isle) 1982 stamp—see V52(3), page 138.

<b>Nauru</b>		2005, Sept. 18; Birdlife International, three se-tenant panes of stamps; Des, Richard Allen; Offset, Southern Colour Print.		A
534a	25c	171.025 Samoan White-Eye, <i>Zosterops samoensis</i>		NEW
534b	25c	171.076 Truk White-Eye, <i>Rukia ruki</i>		
534c	25c	171.072 Samoan White-Eye, <i>Zosterops samoensis</i>		
534d	25c	171.025 Bridled White-Eye, <i>Zosterops conspicillatus</i>		NEW
534e	25c	171.077 Long-billed White-Eye, <i>Rukia longirostra</i>		
534f	25c	171.078 Golden White-Eye, <i>Cleptornis marchei</i>		NEW
535a	50c	074.030 Kuhl's Lorikeet, <i>Vini kuhlii</i>		
535b	50c	074.071 Masked Shining-Parrot, <i>Prosopieia personata</i>		
535c	50c	074.069 Crimson Shining-Parrot, <i>Prosopieia splendens</i>		
535d	50c	074.032 Blue Lorikeet, <i>Vini Peruviana</i>		
535e	50c	074.031 Stephen's Lorikeet, <i>Vini stepheni</i>		
535f	50c	074.033 Ultramarine Lorikeet, <i>Vini ultramarine</i>		
536a	1.00	072.240 Atoll Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus coralensis</i>	V55(4)	
536b	1.00	072.245 Henderson Island Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus insularis</i>		
536c	1.00	072.234 Cook Islands Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus rarotongensis</i>		
536d	1.00	072.242 Rapa Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus huttoni</i>		
536e	1.00	072.262 Velvet Dove, <i>Ptilinopus layardi</i>	V55(4)	
536f	1.00	072.235 Mariana Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus roseicapilla</i>	V55(4)	
<b>Nevis</b>		1996, Dec. 2; This set was listed in V46(2), page 108. The write-up mentioned two M/S and it Stated one of them was acceptable as a true bird stamp. This stamp has Santa feeding the bird.		B
992	\$6.00	074.185 Blue-and-Yellow Macaw, <i>Ara ararauna</i>		
<b>New Zealand</b>		2005, July 6; Personalized stamps, two of ten, both Kiwi stamp, same design.		A
2031a	45c	005.001 Southern Brown Kiwi, <i>Apteryx australis</i>		
<b>Nicaragua</b>		2001, Nov. 27; Endangered wildlife, miniature sheet of six, three are birds.		A
2379a	5cor	102.038 Black-mandibled Toucan, <i>Ramphastos ambiguous swainsonii</i>	V49(2) ***	
2379b	6.50	074.320 Yellow-naped Parrot, <i>Amazona auropalliata</i>		
2379c	8cor	030.174 Roadside Hawk, <i>Buteo magnirostris</i>		
		*** Listed on stamp as Brown-mandibled Toucan (see V49(2) for write-up), but was later Deleted and deemed to be a race of the Black-mandibled Toucan.		
		2006; Europa stamps, 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary ; set of four, one a bird.		A
2467	14col	074.310 Red-lored Parrot, <i>Amazona autumnalis</i>		
2470		Imperf S/S contains the four stamps.		
<b>Niger</b>		1998; This set of wildlife was listed in V50(1), page 41, but the M/S was not reported.		A
1034	500fr	078.157 Northern Saw-Whet Owl, <i>Aegolius acadicus</i>		
<b>Norway</b>		2006, March 29; Wildlife in Norway; two of set of five are birds; Des, Inger Sandved Anfinssen; Offset, Enschede.		A
1468	8.50kr	036.008 Eurasian Capercaillie, <i>Tetrao urogallus</i>		
1469	10.00kr	030.213 Golden Eagle, <i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>		
<b>Paraguay</b>		2004, Oct.22; Water Conservation issue.		C
2758	4,000	026.003 Southern Screamer, <i>Chauna torquata</i>		

<b>Peru</b>		2005, May 2; S/S with 10s stamp; Offset, printer not reported.	A
1478	10s	034.022 White-winged Guan, <i>Penelope albipennis</i>	
		2006, May 5; Birds of Peru; Des, Christian Alvarez; Offset in sheets of 40, Thomas Greg & Sons	A
1517a	5.50s	074.283 Orange-cheeked Parrot, <i>Pionopsitta barrabandi</i>	
1517b	5.50s	074.271 Scarlet-shouldered Parrotlet, <i>Touit huetii</i>	NEW
1517c	5.50s	074.278 Black-headed Parrot, <i>Pionites melanocephala</i>	
1517d	5.50s	074.192 Chestnut-fronted Macaw, <i>Ara severa</i>	
1517e	5.50s	074.314 Festive Parrot, <i>Amazona festiva</i>	
1517f	5.50s	074.185 Blue-and-yellow Macaw, <i>Ara ararauna</i>	
<b>Pitcairn Island</b>		2005, Sept. 14; Five se-tenant stamps in c/d, values of \$.60, \$1, \$1.50, \$1.80, \$2.	
		A souvenir sheet Contains the five stamps; Des, Donna McKenna; Offset, Southern Colour Print.	A
622-626		062.036 Bristle-thighed Curlew, <i>Numenius tahitensis</i>	
<b>Russia</b>		1990, July 1; Poultry set of three. The non-listed birds is a hen.	A
5909	5k	027.023 Greylag Goose, <i>Anser anser</i>	
5911	15k	035.001 Wild Turkey, <i>Meleagris gallopavo</i>	
		2005, April 15; Fauna sheet of four, only one stamp has a bird.	A
6906a	5r	030.206 Greater Spotted Eagle, <i>Aquila clanga</i>	
<b>Solomon Islands</b>		2005, Sept. 1; Birdlife International/Part 2; three panes of six-se-tenant stamps; Des, Richard Allen; Offset, Southern Colour Print.	A
1021a	\$2.10	074.062 Finsch's Pgy-my-Parrot, <i>Micropsitta finschii</i>	
1021b	2.10	074.004 Cardinal Lory, <i>Chalcopsitta cardinalis</i>	
1021c	2.10	073.015 Ducorp's Cockatoo, <i>Cacatua ducorpsii</i>	
1021d	2.10	074.126 Eclectus Parrot, <i>Eclectus roratus</i>	
1021e	2.10	074.013 Rainbow Lorikeet, <i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	
1021f	2.10	074.112 Singing Parrot, <i>Geoffroyus heteroclitus</i>	NEW
1022a	\$5	072.276 Red-knobbed Imperial-Pigeon, <i>Ducula rubricera</i>	NEW
1022b	5	072.250 Yellow-bibbed Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus solomonensis</i>	NEW
1022c	5	072.251 Claret-breasted Fruit-Dove, <i>Ptilinopus viridis</i>	
1022d	5	072.161 Nicobar Pigeon, <i>Caloenas nicobarica</i>	
1022e	5	072.091 Stephen's Dove, <i>Chalcophaps stephani</i>	NEW
1022f	5	072.081 Crested Cuckoo-Dove, <i>Reinwardtoena crassirostris</i>	NEW
1023a	\$7.50	030.110 Pied Goshawk, <i>Accipiter albogularis</i>	NEW
1023b	7.50	030.115 Imitator Sparrowhawk, <i>Accipiter imitator</i>	NEW
1023c	7.50	076.082 Buff-headed Coucal, <i>Centropus milo</i>	NEW
1023d	7.50	118.031 Black-faced Pitta, <i>Pitta anerythra</i>	NEW
1023e	7.50	033.018 Melanesian Scrubfowl, <i>Megapodius eremite</i>	
1023f	7.50	098.047 Blyth's Hornbill, <i>Aceros plicatus</i>	
<b>South Georgia &amp; Sandwich Islands</b>		2006, Oct. 18; Save the Albatross; set of four and a S/S with two stamp; Des, Richard Allen; Offset, BDT International.	A
339	24p	010.009 Black-browed Albatross, <i>Thalassarche melanophris</i>	
340	45p	011.001 Antarctic Giant Petrel, <i>Macronectes giganteus</i>	
341	50p	011.049 White-chinned Petrel, <i>Procellaria aequinoctialis</i>	

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- 342 75p 010.001 Wandering Albatross, *Diomedea exulans*  
 343a 1pd 010.009 Black-browed Albatross, *Thalassarche melanophris*  
 343b 1pd 011.049 White-chinned Petrel, *Procellaris aequinoctialis*

**Spain** 2006, July 15; Flora and fauna self-adhesives, one of two stamps is a bird;  
 Offset in booklets of 100, National Printer. A

- 3426 0.29e 196.043 European Greenfinch, *Carduelis chloris*

**Tanzania** 1998, August 31; S/S with two birds, one on the stamp and one in the surrounds. B

- 1694 1500fr 201.199 Emerald Tanager, *Tangara florida* (stamp) NEW  
 And 201.200 Golden Tanager, *Tangara arthus* NEW

**Togo** This is a S/S that was not listed as part of the Exotic Birds set of 1996.  
 The set was written-up in V47(1). A

- 1789a 1000fr 193.096 Gouldian Finch, *Chloebia gouldiae*

**United States** 2005, March 3; Pane of ten commemoratives depicting flora and  
 fauna of a Northeast Deciduous Forest. A

- 3899b 37c 030.175 Red-shouldered Hawk, *Buteo lineatus*

- 3899g 37c 035.001 Wild Turkey, *Meleagris gallopavo*

- 3899h 37c 199.047 Ovenbird, *Seiurus aurocapilla*

2006, Oct. 4; Southern Florida Wetland stamps in a panoramic landscape  
 inbedded with ten self-adhesive \$.39 scattered throughout the pane; Illustrator,  
 John D. Dawson; Gravure, Avery Dennison, printer. Six of the ten stamps show birds to  
 some proportion, one off stamp in surrounds. B

- 4099a \$.39 030.024 Snail Kite, *Rostrahamus sociabilis*

- 4099b .39 022.001 Wood Stork, *Mycteria Americana*

- 4099d .39 030.040 Bald Eagle, *Haliaeetus leucocephalus*

- 4099f .39 024.033 Roseate Spoonbill, *Platalea ajaja*

- 4099h .39 202.280 (Cape Sable) Seaside Sparrow, *Ammodramus maritimus*

- 4099j .39 024.022 White Ibis, *Eudocimus albus*

020.013 Great Egret, *Ardea alba* (in surrounds below lower right corner of snail kite.

These stamps with also produced on postcards, UX478-483 & 486.

**Yemen Rep** 1995, Oct. 15; Protection of Yemen Environment. A

- 658 30rials 039.003 Helmeted Guineafowl, *Numida meleagris*

- 659 50r 038.010 Chukar, *Alectoris chukar* (M/S)

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