

- Date
- Site (be as precised as you can, if you transmit GPS co-ordinates, do not forget to also transmit the reference of the used co-ordinates system)
- Position of the read band (right or left tibia)
- Code of the read band (**do not forget to note the possible presence of the stripe or the 2 dots**)
- Reading direction of the read band (from bottom to top or from top to bottom)
- Colour of the ring
- Age of the bird: juvenile / immature / adult
- First and last names of the observers (2 maximum)
- Other possible elements, as the sex, presence of barnacles on PVC and/or metal, flock size, breeding status...
- Note:** Always try to transmit the maximum of information, for example if a bird is found dead, to note the decomposition state, the possible cause of the death, etc...

Reading directions of PVC rings



CCSJ Up



CLBH Down

Metal Rings



Large



Narrow

Main informations according to the kind of bands










Kind of band	Banding country	Colour	Number of characters	Usual* reading direction	Usual* location	Stripe	Metal Ring	Used characters	? only in first position ? never in first position ? all positions	Gray Italic: unconfirmed possibilities
???	France	Light (white/yellow)	3	↑ or ↓	Right	No	No	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D		F G H I J K L N P R S T U V X Y Z
A???	France	Yellow	3	↑ or ↓	Left or Right	No	Narrow			A B C D F G H I J K L N P R T U V X Y Z
????	France	Yellow	4	↑ or ↓	Right	No	Large			A B C D F H J K L N P S T V X Z
????	Abu Dhabi United Arab Emirates	Yellow	4	↑ or ↓	Left or Right	No	No			A B C D F H J K L N P S T V X Z
????	France	White	4	↑ or ↓	Right	No	Large			A B C D F H J K L N P S T V X Z
KH??	Tunisia	White	4	↑ or ↓	Left	No	No			A B C D F H J K L N P S T V X Z
M???	Italy - Sardinia	Red	4	↑	Left or Right <small>Macchiarèddu Molontargius</small>	No	Narrow			A B C D F H J L M P S T V X Z
M???	Italy - Sardinia	White	4	↑ or ↓	Left <small>Macchiarèddu</small>	No	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D		F H J K L M N P S T V Z
UA??	Ukraine	Yellow	4	↓	Right	No	No	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A		U
W???	Italy - Sardinia	White	4	↓	Left or Right <small>Macchiarèddu Molontargius</small>	No	Narrow			A B C D F H J K L N P S T V W Z
???	Italy	Blue	3	↑	Left or Right	No	Narrow			A B C D F H I J K L N P S T V X Z
I???	Italy	Blue	4	↑ or ↓	Right	No	Narrow			A B C D F H I J K L N P S T V X Z
E???	Italy (Continental & Sicily)	Blue	4	↑ or ↓	Left or Right	No	Narrow			A B C D E F H J K L N P S T V Z
???	Spain - Andalusia	Orange	3	↑	Left	Yes	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C		F H J K L M N P R S T U V W X Z
???	Spain - Andalusia	White	3	↓	Left	Yes	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A C		F H J L M N P R T U V W X
????	Spain - Andalusia	White	4	↓	Left	Yes	Narrow	0 1 2 3 9 A B C D		F H I J K L N P R S T V X Z
T???	Turkey	White	4	↑ or ↓	Right	Yes	Large			A B C D F H J K L N P S T V Z
V???	Spain - Catalonia	White	4	↓	Right	Yes	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		V
X???	Spain - Catalonia	White	4	↓	Right	Yes	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D		F H J L N P S T V X Z
???	Algeria	Yellow	4	↑ or ↓	Right	Yes	No	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D		F H J L N P S T V X Z
U?P	Germany	Blue	3	↑ or ↓	Left or Right	No	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		P U
V??	Germany	Blue	3	↑ or ↓	Left or Right	No	Narrow			A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z
Z???	Germany Netherlands	Red	4	↑ or ↓	Left or Right	No	Narrow	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9		T V Z





* The term "usual" is used to acknowledge the exceptions caused by misapplications



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	2 letters	?? ⇄ ??	green		?? ▶ ??	295	1999	Lac Uromiyeh (I.R. of Iran)	
	2 letters, 1 number	A-- ⇄ K--	white		AA5 ▶ FX6, HB3 ▶ JF3, JF6 ▶ JH3, JJ3 ▶ KB9, KH3 ▶ KL6, KN4, KN5, KS3 ▶ KS5, KX3 ▶ KZ9 FX7 ▶ HA9, KL7 ▶ KN3, JF5, JH5 ▶ JH9, KC3 ▶ KF9, KN6 ▶ KP9, KS6 ▶ KV7 (adults)	650	1982	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
		L-- ⇄ Z--	yellow		LL3 ▶ ZZ7	59	01.1985	Étangs de l'Hérault & Pont de Gau (France)	
	3 numbers	0-- ⇄ 9--	white		002 ▶ 995	720	1983		
	3 letters	A-- ⇄ B--	yellow		AAA ▶ ARI, ARK ▶ BZZ	559	1977	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
			white		ARJ				1
		C-- ⇄ D--	white		CAA ▶ DSI	650	1978		
		F-- ⇄ H--	yellow		FAA ▶ HZX	447	1979		
		I--	blue		IAA ▶ IBP	26	1994		Laguna di Orbetello (Italy)
					IBV ▶ IHZ	66	2000		
					IJA ▶ IKN, ILA ▶ INL, IPD ▶ ITV, IVA ▶ IXK	116	2001		Salines di Comacchio (Italy)
					IKP ▶ IKZ, INN ▶ IPC, ITX ▶ ITZ, IXL ▶ IZZ	44	2002		
		J--	white		JPT	1	2015		
		K--	yellow		KAA ▶ KRZ	204	1979		Étang du Fangassier (France)
	L--	white		LAA ▶ LZZ	190	1980			
	M--	white		MAX	1	2018	Salins d'Aigues-Mortes - Étang du Roi (France)		
	N-- ⇄ Z--	white		NAA ▶ SZV	571	1980	Étang du Fangassier (France)		
		blue		PYK (wild adult escaped after 2 years of rehabilitation captivity)	1	2010	Bioparco, Rome, (Italy)		
			yellow		TAA ▶ ZZX	697	1981	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
No	4 letters	A--- ⇄ CH--	yellow		AAAA (adult)	1	2012	AI Wathba Reserve, Abu Dhabi (UAE)	
					AAAB ▶ ACZV	552	1985	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
					ADAA ▶ AHZV	599	1986		
					AJAA ▶ ALSV, ALTA ▶ ALXF, ALXJ ▶ ALZV	600	1987		
					ANAA ▶ APSV, APTA ▶ ASZV	600	1988		
					ATAA ▶ AZZV	594	1989		
					BAAA ▶ BCZV	598	1990		
					BDAA ▶ BDNC, BDNJ ▶ BFCN, BFCS ▶ BFDJ, BFAA ▶ BFHF, BFHJ ▶ BFNF, BFPS ▶ BFSF, BFSJ ▶ BFXF, BFXJ ▶ BFZF, BFZJ ▶ BHAB, BHBD ▶ BHHB, BHHJ ▶ BHPD, BHSA ▶ BHSF, BHTS ▶ BHZV	518	1991		
					BDNF (immature), BFSH (juvenile), BFSX (immature), BFPN (adult)	4	2011		AI Wathba Reserve, Abu Dhabi (UAE)
					BFCP (adult)	1	2018		Bul Syayeeef, Abu Dhabi (UAE)
					BFDN ▶ BFDV (adults), BHPH (immature)	5	2018		AI Wathba Reserve, Abu Dhabi (UAE)
					BFDX (adult)	1	2018	AI Aryam, Abu Dhabi (UAE)	
					BFHH (adult)	1	2010		
					BFNT, BFNV, BFPF, BFPJ (adults), BHHC (juvenile)	5	2019		
					BFXH, BFZH (adults)	2	2012	AI Wathba Reserve, Abu Dhabi (UAE)	
					BHAF (adult), BHAH & BHAJ (juveniles), BHAL & BHAP (adults), BHAS (immature)	6	2007		
					BHAT, BHAV (adults)	2	2009		
					BHAX (adult), BHAZ (immature)	2	2010	Bul Syayeeef, Abu Dhabi (UAE)	
					BHBC (immature)	1	2013	AI Wathba Reserve, Abu Dhabi (UAE)	
					BHPF, BHPN ▶ BHPS, BHPV (immatures), BHPX (juvenile), BHTH (immature), BHTJ (juvenile), BHTL (immature)	9	2006	Ras Al Khor, Dubai (UAE)	
					BHTA (adult), BHTB (immature), BHTC (juvenile), BHTD (immature), BHTF (adult), BHTP (immature)	6	2005	AI Wathba Reserve, Abu Dhabi (UAE)	
					BHTN (2 nd civil year)	1	11.2004	Étang de Campagnol (France)	
					BJAA ▶ BNTL	839	1992		
					BPAA ▶ BVZZ	875	1993	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
					BXAA ▶ CBZZ	850	1994		
					CCAA ▶ CHZV	870	1995		

⚠ Many codes of the A-- series also used since 2018 in India but a narrow white band with red stripe is systematically associated to, located above or below and a metal ring is present on the opposite tibia (see p.8)

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No	4 letters	CJ-- ⇩ FF--	yellow		CJAA ▶ CPXV, CPZA ▶ CPZV	800	1996	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
					CSDA ▶ CZZV	954	1997		
					DAAA ▶ DDZV	800	1998		
					DFAA ▶ DLZV	800	1999		
					DNAA ▶ DTZV	800	2000		
					DVAA ▶ FAZV	800	2001		
					FBAA ▶ FFZZ	786	2003		
		FH-- ⇩ FZ--	white		FHAA ▶ FNPZ	823	2004	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
					FNSA ▶ FNXS, FNZA ▶ FNZL, FPA ▶ FPNX, FSAA ▶ FSDJ, FSFA ▶ FPNX, FSHA ▶ FSPN, FSSA ▶ FTAS, FTCA ▶ FTCZ, FTFA ▶ FTJZ, FTNA ▶ FTTV, FTZA ▶ FVCF, FVFH ▶ FVFZ FNXT ▶ FNXZ, FNZN ▶ FNZZ, FPXP ▶ FPZZ, FSDL ▶ FSDZ, FSFJ ▶ FSFZ, FSPP ▶ FSPZ, FSVA ▶ FSVZ, FTAT ▶ FTBZ, FTDA ▶ FTDZ, FTLA ▶ FTLZ, FTTX ▶ FTXZ, FVCH ▶ FVFF, FVHA ▶ FZZZ	643	2005		
		I---	blue		IAAA ▶ IANP, IAPA ▶ IAVN, IAXA ▶ IBDS	302	2002	Salines di Comacchio (Italy)	
					IANS ▶ IANZ, IAVX, IAVZ, IBDT ▶ IBZZ, ICAA ▶ ICAH, ICBA ▶ ICBC, ICCA ▶ ICCK, ICDA ▶ ICDJ	195	2003		
					ICAJ ▶ ICAZ, ICBD ▶ ICBZ, ICCL ▶ ICCZ, ICCK ▶ IDNK, IDPA ▶ IDSL, IDTA ▶ IDTV, IDVA ▶ IDVJ, IDZA ▶ IDZJ	395	2004		
					IDNL ▶ IDNZ, IDSN ▶ IDSZ, IDTZ, IDVK ▶ IDVZ, IDZK ▶ IFTD, IFVA ▶ IFZC, IJAA ▶ IJAK, IJBA ▶ IJBZ	255	2005		
					IFTF ▶ IFTZ, IFZD ▶ IHZZ, IJAL ▶ IJAZ, IJCA ▶ IJZZ	448	2006		
					IKAA ▶ INDZ	501	2007		
					INFA ▶ IPVJ	366	2008		
					IPVK ▶ IPVV	7	2008		Valle Dogà, Venezia (Italy)
					IPVZ ▶ IVDV, IVFA ▶ IVHV	554	2009		Salines di Comacchio (Italy)
					IVDZ, IVHZ ▶ IZZZ	362	2010		
		J-- ⇩ L--	white		JAAA ▶ JABA, JABC ▶ JADD, JAHA ▶ JALV, JASA ▶ JAXN, JBAA ▶ JBAD, JBAH ▶ JBFH, JBHA ▶ JBLP, JBSA ▶ JBXZ, JCAA ▶ JCDN, JCHA ▶ JCPZ, JCSA ▶ JCXT, JDAA ▶ JDAD, JDAH ▶ JDDB, JDLV ▶ JDNA	545	2008	Étang du Fangassier (France)	
					JABB, JADF ▶ JAFZ, JALX ▶ JAPZ, JAXP ▶ JAZZ, JBAF, JBFJ ▶ JBFZ, JBLS ▶ JBPZ, JBZA ▶ JBZZ, JCDP ▶ JCFZ, JCXV ▶ JCZZ, JDAF, JDCC ▶ JDLF, JDLJ ▶ JDLT, JDNB ▶ JDPD, JDPJ ▶ JDTH, JDTS ▶ JFAH, JFBA ▶ JFBF, JFBJ, JFBL, JFCA ▶ JFCF	367	2009		
					JDLH, JDPF, JDTJ ▶ JDTP, JFAJ ▶ JFAZ, JFBH, JFBN ▶ JFBZ, JFCH ▶ JLPZ	812	2010		
					JLSA ▶ JLXX, JNAA ▶ JNVZ, JNXA ▶ JPPZ	423	2011		
					JLZA ▶ JLZZ, JNVF ▶ JNVZ, JPSA ▶ JXBZ	805	2012		
					JXCA ▶ JXXZ	179	2013		
			yellow		JXZA ▶ JZZZ	239	2013		
			white		KAAA ▶ KBSZ	388	2013		
					KBTA ▶ KCJX, KCNA ▶ KCXN, KCZA ▶ KDDA, KDHA ▶ KDPC, KDSA ▶ KDZD	432	2014		Salins d'Aigues-Mortes - Étang du Roi (France)
					KHAA ▶ KHDA	45	2014		Lagune de Korba (Tunisia)
					KCJZ ▶ KCLZ, KCXP ▶ KCXZ, KDDB ▶ KDFZ, KDPD ▶ KDPZ, KDZF ▶ KFZZ, KJJA ▶ KLAZ, KLBB ▶ KLSV, KLTS ▶ KNBF, KNCA ▶ KNDZ	782	2015		Étang du Fangassier (France)
					KLBA, KLSX ▶ KLTP, KNBH ▶ KNBZ, KNFA ▶ KSPT, KSSA ▶ KSTJ, KSAV ▶ KSVV	594	2017		Salins d'Aigues-Mortes - Étang du Roi (France)
					KSPV ▶ KSPZ, KSTL ▶ KSTZ, KSVX ▶ KXTZ	672	2018		
		KXXA (adult)			1	02.2019	Parc Ornithologique du Pont de Gau (France)		
		KXVA ▶ KXVZ, KXXB ▶ KZZZ			269	2020	Salins d'Aigues-Mortes - Étang du Roi (France)		
		LAAA ▶ LABV, LABZ (GPS tracker on left tibia), LADA ▶ LAFZ			LATZ (adult, GPS tracker on left tibia)	59		1	2020
		LACA ▶ LACZ, LAHA ▶ LATX, LAVA ▶ LAVX, LAVZ (GPS tracker on left tibia), LAXA ▶ LBSP, LBTA ▶ LCFZ, LCJA ▶ LCTZ, LCXA ▶ LDAZ			594	2021			
		LBSS ▶ LBSZ, LCHA ▶ LCHZ, LCVA ▶ LCVZ, LDBA ▶ LDLJ	(14 equipped with a GPS tracker on the back)	132	2022				
		LDLL ▶ LJCZ	(21 equipped with a GPS tracker on the back, from LHXH to LHZX)	602	2023				
		M---	red		MAAA ▶ MCAZ	404	1997	Stagno di Molentargius (Sardinia)	
					MCBA ▶ MCBC, MCCA ▶ MCHT, MCL-, MCS-, MDA ▶ MDCT, MDL-, MDV-, MDZA ▶ MDZD, MFC-, MFFB ▶ MFFZ, MFLA ▶ MFPH	200	1999	Saline di Macchiareddu (Sardinia)	
					MCBD ▶ MCBZ, MCHV ▶ MCJZ, MCP-, MCTA ▶ MCZZ, MDCV ▶ MDJZ, MDPA ▶ MDTZ, MDX-, MDZF ▶ MFBZ, MFD-, MFHB ▶ MFJZ, MFPJ ▶ MHAZ	383	2000	Stagno di Molentargius (Sardinia)	
			white		MHBA ▶ MJJT	312	2003	Saline di Macchiareddu (Sardinia)	
					MJJV ▶ MLPH, MVJN	499	2004		
					MLPJ ▶ MPLZ	426	2005		
					MPNB ▶ MTSZ	493	2006		
					MTTA ▶ MZNV	418	2007		
			MZNV ▶ MZZZ	76	2008				
WA-- ⇔ WDHZ	white			WAAA ▶ WBBZ	255	2009	Stagno di Molentargius (Sardinia)		
WBCA ▶ WDHZ	509	2011							

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No	4 letters	WDJ- ↓ WL--	white		WDJA ▶ WHJL, WHKA ▶ WHKV	470	2013	Saline di Macchiareddu (Sardinia)	
					WHJN ▶ WHJZ, WHKZ ▶ WHNZ	36	2016		
					WHPA ▶ WJDZ	134	2017		
					WJFA ▶ WJVZ	149	2018		
					WJZA ▶ WKHJ	96	2019		
					WKHK ▶ WLLS	274	2022		
	1 letter, 3 numbers	M---	white		M001 ▶ M640	495	2008		Saline di Macchiareddu (Sardinia)
					M641 ▶ M999	246	2009		
					2 letters, 2 numbers	U---	yellow		
2 dots ":" after the E	1 letter, 2 dots, 3 letters	E:---	blue		E:AAA ▶ E:ADZ	60	2010	Salines di Comacchio (Italy)	
					E:AFA ▶ E:BTJ	352	2011		
					E:BTK ▶ E:DBZ	293	2012		
					E:DCA ▶ E:DTJ, E:DVA ▶ E:DVF	159	2013		Valle Paleazza, Venezia (Italy)
					E:DTK ▶ E:DTZ, E:DVH ▶ E:DZS	29	2015		Saline di Priolo (Sicily)
					E:DZT ▶ E:FLZ	120	2017		
					E:FNA ▶ E:HAL, E:HBA ▶ E:HBJ	104	2018		
					E:HAN ▶ E:HAZ, E:HBK ▶ E:HNZ	133	2021		
1 stripe † between the two first characters	1 number, 1 stripe, 2 characters (number and/or letter)	0 -- ↓ 8 --	orange		0 7F ▶ 0 7M, 0 7P ▶ 0 7X	11	1991	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					0 7N, 0 MH, 0 MJ (adults)	3	1999		
					0 ML ▶ 0 MX	10	2011		
					1 00 ▶ 1 03 (1 st civil year)	4	1988		
					1 04 ▶ 1 06 (1 st civil year)	3	1988		Chiclana de la Frontera (Spain)
					1 07 ▶ 1 11 (adults)	20	1997	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					1 13 ▶ 1 1N (adults)	15	1998		
					1 1R ▶ 1 1X, 1 A0 ▶ 1 FX (adults)	81	2001		
					1 20 ▶ 1 32, 1 34 ▶ 1 4U, 1 4W ▶ 1 5F, 1 5J ▶ 1 5U, 1 5W ▶ 1 6C, 1 6H ▶ 1 6T, 1 6V ▶ 1 6X, 1 71 ▶ 1 7U	139	5	1998	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)
					1 4V, 1 6U, 1 7V, 1 7W (1 st civil year)	4	1999	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					1 80 ▶ 1 87 (1 st civil year)	7	2001	Laguna Dulce (Spain)	
					1 88 ▶ 1 8M (adults)	8	2010	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					1 90 ▶ 1 94, 1 1P (adults)	6	2002		
					1 95 ▶ 1 97, 1 H0 (adults)	4	2003		
					1 99 ▶ 1 9T, 1 9W, 1 L0 ▶ 1 RX, 1 T7 ▶ 1 XX	253	2004	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)	
					1 9U, 1 9V; 1 9X, 1 H1 ▶ 1 H6, 1 J0 ▶ 1 JX (adults)	34	2006	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					1 HU ▶ 1 HX	4	21		
					1 T0 ▶ 1 T6 (adults)	7	2004	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)	
					2 00 ▶ 2 3M, 2 40 ▶ 2 JP	361	1990	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					2 3N ▶ 2 3X, 2 JR	9	1991		
					2 JT ▶ 2 XX, 3 00 ▶ 3 PT	720	1991	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)	
					3 PU ▶ 3 UF	67	1991	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					3 UM (adult)	1	1998		
					3 V0, 3 V2	2	1994		
					3 V3, 3 V4 (adults)	2	1997		
					3 UN ▶ 3 UW, 3 V5 ▶ 3 VH (adults)	13	2000		
					3 VV ▶ 3 WW	28	2004		
					3 X0 ▶ 3 XX	23	2003		
					4 00 ▶ 4 3P, 4 40 ▶ 4 74, 4 8L ▶ 4 CF, 4 F0 ▶ 4 HJ, 4 L0 ▶ 4 RC, 4 T0 ▶ 4W3	474	1994		R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)
					4 3R ▶ 4 3X, 4 75 ▶ 4 7X, 4 CH ▶ 4 CX, 4 HP ▶ 4 HX, 4 RF ▶ 4 RX, 4 W4 ▶ 4 XW	101	2004		P.N. de Doñana (Spain)
					4 J3, 4 J5 (adults)	2	2004		R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)
					4 J6, 4 J7 (adults)	2	2003	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					4 J8, 4 J9 (1 st civil year)	2	2002		
					4 JA ▶ 4 JR (adults)	9	2001		
					4 JT ▶ 4 JX (adults)	5	2002	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)	
					5 05 ▶ 5 FC, 5 FL ▶ 7 HL, 7 MO ▶ 7 MR	1300	1996	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					5 FF ▶ 5 FJ	3	2004		
					7 HM ▶ 7 LX, 7 MT ▶ 7 XX	221	2003		
					8 F5 ▶ 8 JX, 8 RO ▶ 8 RX, 8 U0 ▶ 8 UX, 8 X5 ▶ 8 XX (adults)	125	1998		R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)
					8 0J ▶ 8 7L, 8 7N ▶ 8 CX, 8 L5 ▶ 8 PX, 8 T5 ▶ 8 TX, 8 V5 ▶ 8 WW	255	1	2003	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)

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1 stripe "I" between the two first characters	1 letter, 1 stripe, 2 numbers	A -- ↓ Z --	orange		A 00 ▶ A 60, A 69, A 90, A 93 ▶ C 00, C 02 ▶ C 06, C 11 ▶ C 13, C 16 ▶ H 99, K 00 ▶ Z 99			
					 The following 44 codes also used in 2016 in Marismas del Odiel but white and from top to bottom (see p.7): T 00 ▶ T 04, T 06, T 09 ▶ T 14, T 16, T 19 ▶ T 24, T 26, T 29 ▶ T 34, T 36, T 39 ▶ T 44, T 46, T 49, T 60, T 61, T 63, T 64, T 66, T 69, T 90, T 92 ▶ T 94, T 96, T 99	628	1986	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)
					A 62	1	1988	
					A 91	1	2004	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)
					A 92	1	2011	
					C 01, C 09 (adults)	2	2010	
					C 10 (adult)	1	2013	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)
	C 14 (adult)	1	2014					
	A 0A ▶ A 9H, A 9K, A 9L, A 9N, A 9P, A 9S, A 9T, A 9X ▶ C 0H, C 0K, C 0L, C 0N, C 0P, C 0S, C 0T, C 0V, C 0X ▶ C 2H, C 2K ▶ C 2P, C 2S ▶ C 3H, C 3K ▶ C 4Z, C 6A ▶ C 6H, C 6K, C 6L, C 6N, C 6P, C 6S, C 6T, C 6V ▶ C 6Z, C 9A ▶ C 9L, C 9N ▶ C 9T, C 9V, C 9X ▶ F 4Z	362	1988	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	A 9J, A 9M, A 9R, A 9U, C 9M	5	2011	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)				
	C 0J, C 0M, C 0R, C 0U, C 0W (adults)	5	2010	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	C 1J (adult)	1	2014	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	C 1M, C 1R (adults)	2	2014					
	C 1U (adult)	1	2015	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)				
	C 1W, C 6M, C 6R, C 6U (adults)	4	2015	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	C 6W, C 7A, C 7W (adults)	3	2016	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)				
	C 7F, C 7H (adults)	2	2017	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	C 2J, C 2R (adults)	2	2012	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)				
	C 2M, C 2U, C 2W, C 3W (adults); C 3M, C 3R, C 3U (1 st civil year)	5	2015	La Puebla del Río (Spain)				
	C 3J (adult)	1	2011	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	C 4J, C 4M, C 4R, C 4U, C 4W (adults)	5	2013					
	C 5A ▶ C 5J (adults)	5	2010	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)				
	C 6J	1	2013	Veta la Palma (Spain)				
	C 7N (adult)	1	2018					
	C 8A ▶ C 8X (adults)	15	2013	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	C 9U, C 9W (adults)	2	2013	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)				
	F 6A ▶ H 1Z	54	1990	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	A A0 ▶ A A4, A A6, A A9 → A B9, A C1 ▶ A C4, A C6, A C9, A F0, A F6, A H0 ▶ A H6, A H9, A K0 ▶ A L6, A L9, A N0 ▶ A N4, A N6, A N9 ▶ A P4, A P6, A S0 ▶ A T4, A T6, A T9, A V0 ▶ A V4, A V6, A V9, A X0 ▶ A X4, A X6, A X9 ▶ B B0, B B2, B C2 ▶ B C6, B F0 ▶ B V6, B X2 ▶ B Z2, B Z6 ▶ C A4, C A6, C A9 ▶ C C4, C C6, C C9 ▶ C F4, C F6, C F9 ▶ C H4, C H6, C H9, C K0, C L0 ▶ C L4, C L6, C L9, C N0 ▶ C N4, C N6, C P6, C P9, C S0 ▶ C T4, C T6, C T9 ▶ H L4, H L6 ▶ H N6, H P1 ▶ K K2, K K4 ▶ K Z9, L A1 ▶ L H1, L N0 ▶ L S1, N A0 ▶ N P4, P A0 ▶ P F4, T A1 ▶ T K1	701	1987	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	A A5, A A7, A U6 ▶ A U9, A V5, A V7, A W1 ▶ A W7, A X5, A X7, C A5, C A7, C A8, C C5, C C7, C C8, C F5, C F7, C F8, C H5, C H7, C H8, C J0 ▶ C J9, C L5, C L7, C L8, C M0 ▶ C M9, C N5, C N7, C N8, C P5, C P7, C P8, C R0 ▶ C R9, C T5, C T7, C T8	70	2011	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)				
	A H7 (1 st civil year)	1	2011	Laguna Dulce (Spain)				
	A C0, A F1 ▶ A F4, A F9, B B1, B B3 ▶ B C1, B C9, B V9 ▶ B X1, B Z3, B Z4, C H6, C H9, C K1 ▶ C K9, C N9 ▶ C P4, H P0, K K3, L A0, L H2 ▶ L L6, L S2 ▶ L Z9, N S0 ▶ N Z9, P F6 ▶ P N9, P S0 ▶ T A0, T K2 ▶ Z Z9	637	1988	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	A J0 ▶ A J7 (adults)	8	2000					
	A J9 (adult)	1	2020					
	A L8 A L7 (1 st civil year)	1	1	2023	Cañada de los Pájaros (Spain)			
	A M1 (adult), A M2 (adult), A M3 (1 st civil year), A M4 (adult)	4	2015					
	A M5 (adult)	1	2018					
	A M7	1	2019					
	A N5, A N7 (adults)	2	2000	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)				
	A U0, A U2, A U3 (adults)	3	2004	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	A U5 (adult)	1	2004					
	A U1 (adult)	1	2005	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)				
	A F8	1	2006	Salinas Cabo de Gata (Spain)				
	A J8	1	2006					
	A P5, A P7, A P8, A R0 ▶ A R9, A T5, A T7, A T8	A C5, A C7, A C8 (adults)	16	3	2007	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)		
	H L5 (adult)	1	1998					
	P P0 ▶ P P9	6	1990	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	A AA ▶ A AX, A CH ▶ A CX, A NR ▶ A NX, A TV ▶ C TF	A HV (1 st civil year)	244	1	2011	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)		
A FA	1	2011	Salinas Cabo de Gata (Spain)					
A FH, A FJ, A HN ▶ A HR, A HX	A FT (adult), A HS (1 st civil year)	6	2	2006	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)			
A FM (adult)	1	2009	Salinas de la Tapa (Spain)					
A FN, A FP (adults)	2	2011						
A FT (adult)	1	2006	Laguna de Tiscar (Spain)					

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1 stripe T between the two first characters	1 letter, 1 stripe, 2 letters	AIFX ↓ CI--	orange		AIFX (1 st civil year)	1	2009	Moriles (Spain)	
					AIFA (1 st civil year)	1	2011	Laguna Dulce (Spain)	
					AIHC (adult)	1	2012	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)	
					AIHT, AIHU (adults)	2	2010	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					AJA ▶ AJW, AIMP, AIMR, AIMU, AIMX (adults)	18	2020	Cañada de los Pájaros (Spain)	
					AILA ▶ AILM	7	2023		
					AJMA ▶ AJMN, AJMT, AJMV	8	2019	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)	
					AJNA ▶ AJNP (1 st civil year)	8	2015	La Puebla del Río (Spain)	
					AIPA ▶ AITU	41	3	2007	P.N. de Doñana (Spain)
	AICA ▶ AICF (adults)	12	2013						
	CITH ▶ CITX (adults)	393	2008	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)					
	J100 ▶ J1LN	340	2009						
	J1LP ▶ J1XV, L101 ▶ L15W	548	2010						
	L15X ▶ M16U	476	2011						
	M16W ▶ N14V	520	2013						
	N14W ▶ P19V	500	2014						
	P19W ▶ P1LX, P1N5 ▶ R18N	1	2014		R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)				
	P1M0 (<i>Phoeniconaias minor</i>)	406	2015		P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)				
	R18P ▶ R1XX	424	2016						
	T100 ▶ T1MX	145	2017						
	T1P5 ▶ T1XX	1142	1997	R.N. Laguna de Fuente de Piedra (Spain)					
	01FAA ▶ 01JCF, 01JJF ▶ 01NBJ	1339	1998						
	01JCH ▶ 01JJD, 01NBL ▶ 01RZZ	868	1999						
	01SAA ▶ 01VZZ	863	2000						
	01XAA ▶ 11BJZ	1000	2001						
	11BLA ▶ 11FHH	800	2002						
	11FHI ▶ 11IJN	611	2003						
	11JJP ▶ 11LLV	600	2004						
	11LLX ▶ 11PPX	611	2006						
	11PPZ ▶ 11STF	616	2007						
	11STH ▶ 11VVS	600	2009						
	11VXB ▶ 21AAB	613	2010						
	21AAC ▶ 21CBJ	600	2011						
21CBN ▶ 21DZF	539	2013							
21DZH ▶ 21IBD	610	2014							
21IBF ▶ 21JJR, 21JJT ▶ 21LCZ	604	3	2015						
21LDA ▶ 21LLZ, 21LNC ▶ 21PNT	603	2017							
21PNV ▶ 21SXL	598	2018							
21SXN ▶ 21XJB	599	2019							
21XJC ▶ 31ATS	600	2022							
91--	white		91AAA ▶ 91ALL		120	2017	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)		
			91ALN ▶ 91BZJ	381	2018	Zoobotánico Jerez (Spain)			
			91BZL ▶ 91BZV	7	2018				
			91BZX, 91BZZ, 91CZA ▶ 91CZD	6	2020	P.N. Marismas del Odiel (Spain)			
			91CAA ▶ 91CLA	112	2019				
			91CZF ▶ 91CZR	7	2021				
			91CZT ▶ 91DAC	7	2023	Zoobotánico Jerez (Spain)			
1 letter, 1 stripe, 3 letters	T1--	white		T1AAA ▶ T1AVF	200	2003	Çamaltı Tuzlası, Gediz Deltası (Turkey)		
				T1AZA ▶ T1CAK	247	2004			
				T1CBA ▶ T1CBZ, T1CDA, T1CFA ▶ T1CSZ, T1CVH, T1CZA ▶ T1DBZ, T1DDA ▶ T1DLZ	270	2005			
				T1CAL ▶ T1CAZ, T1CCA ▶ T1CCZ, T1CDB ▶ T1CDZ, T1CTA ▶ T1CVF, T1CVJ ▶ T1CVZ, T1DCA ▶ T1DCZ, T1DNA ▶ T1FCZ, T1FDH, T1FDJ	216	2007			
				T1FDA ▶ T1FDF, T1FDK ▶ T1HZZ	247	2009			
				T1JBA ▶ T1JBZ, T1JDA ▶ T1JDD, T1JHA ▶ T1JJZ, T1JNA ▶ T1JZZ, T1PCA, T1PCB, T1PFA ▶ T1PJN	176	2019			
				T1JAL ▶ T1JAZ, T1KAA ▶ T1KEV, T1KLA ▶ T1KVT, T1LBA ▶ T1LBF, T1LCA ▶ T1LDZ, T1LJA ▶ T1LKZ, T1LSA ▶ T1L TZ	262	2023			
				V1000 ▶ V1173, X1XXF ▶ X1ZZX	400	11		2019	Punta de la Banya, Delta de l'Ebre (Spain)
				V1174 (adult), V1180 ▶ V1184, X1PVL ▶ X1PVT (1 st civil year)	7	2020			
V1175 ▶ V1178 (1 st civil year), V1179 (adult), X1PVX, X1PVZ (1 st civil year)	5	2021							
V1185 (2 nd civil year), V1186 (1 st civil year), V1187 (1 st civil year), V1188 (adult), V1190 (2 nd civil year)	400	6	2022						
V1200 ▶ V1599	399	2	2004						
X1000 ▶ X1399									

⚠ The following 44 codes also used in 1986 in Fuente de Piedra but orange and from bottom to top (see p.5):
T100 ▶ T104, T106, T109 ▶ T114, T116, T119 ▶ T124, T126, T129 ▶ T134, T136, T139 ▶ T144, T146, T149, T160, T161, T163, T164, T166, T169, T190, T192 ▶ T194, T196, T199

Special	Format	Series	Colour	Example	Details	Number	Year	Place	
1 stripe ¶ between the two first characters	1 letter, 1 stripe, 3 numbers or 3 letters	X --	white		X 402 ▶ X 404 (adults)	3	2013	Punta de la Banya, Delta de l'Ebre (Spain)	
					X 405 (adult)	1	2014		
					X 406 (2 nd civil year)	1	2015		
					X 421 ▶ X 820	400	1		2006
					X 821 ▶ X BCA	400	2		2007
					X BCB ▶ X CLL, X CPJ ▶ X CZC	350	2		2008
					X CLN ▶ X CPH, X CZD ▶ X FPS	400	1		2009
					X FPT ▶ X JJH	400	1		2010
					X JJJ ▶ X JTH, X JTT ▶ X LBT, X LCB ▶ X LTX, X LVT ▶ X NBB	350	5		2011
					X JTT ▶ X JTS, X LBV ▶ X LCA, X LTZ ▶ X LVS, X NBC ▶ X NDA, X NDF ▶ X PTN	400	10		2012
					X PXA ▶ X PXZ, X SFH ▶ X SHC, X SPP ▶ X SSP, X TAS ▶ X TBT, X TJA ▶ X TJX	71	7		2016
					X PZA ▶ X SFF, X SHD ▶ X SPP, X SST ▶ X TAP, X TBV ▶ X THZ, X TJZ ▶ X TTF, X TTL ▶ X VBC	400	5		2017
					X VBH ▶ X XVZ	400	4		2018
					1 stripe ¶ in the middle	1 letter, 1 number, 1 stripe, 1 number, 1 letter	A -- ↓ B --		yellow
A1 4A ▶ A1 4L	8	2009	Lac El Goléa (Algeria)						
A1 4N ▶ A1 5Z, A1 7A ▶ A5 9Z	636	2009	Garaa Ezzemoul (Algeria)						
A6 6S ▶ A6 7Z, A6 9A, A7 1A ▶ A7 1Z, A7 4A, A7 4B, A8 1A ▶ A8 2Z	62	2011	Sebkhet Safioune (Algeria)						
A1 6A ▶ A1 6Z, A6 0A ▶ A6 6P, A6 8A ▶ A6 8Z, A6 9B ▶ A7 0Z, A7 2A ▶ A7 3Z, A7 4C, A7 4X ▶ A8 0Z, A8 3A ▶ B3 0Z	895	2011	Garaa Ezzemoul (Algeria)						

Ringed outside the Mediterranean region and not only Greater flamingos, but birds observable in the region

Special	Format	Series	Colour	Example	Details per taxon						Number of bands			Year	Place			
					<i>Phoenicopaterus roseus</i>	<i>Phoenicopaterus chilensis</i>	<i>P. roseus</i> x <i>P. chilensis</i>	<i>P. roseus</i> x <i>P. ruber</i>	Unknown ^(?) or 3 taxa hybrids ⁽³⁾	<i>Phoeniconaias minor</i>								
A narrow white band with red stripe is located above or below	3 letters	A--	yellow		AAL, AAN, AAP, AAT, AAV, AAY, AAZ, ACA ▶ ACC					ACU ▶ ACZ, AFN, AFP, AFS, AFT, AFX ▶ AFZ, AGA, AGB, AGF	10				15	2018	Western coast (India)	
					AAR, AAX, ABC, ABX, AII					AFU, AFV, ATA, ATD, ATF, ATJ ▶ ATR, ATT, ATV, ATX, ATZ	5					19		2019
					ABD, ABL					ADA ▶ AFL, AGC, AGD, ANA, ANB, ANF ▶ ANL, ANR, ANV, ANZ, ARR, ARU	2							53
None	1 letter, 1 number, 1 letter	U-P	blue		UIP					U?P ^(?) , U?P ^(?)	1				2	2022	Zwillbrocker Venn Nature Reserve (Germany)	
					3 letters	V--	blue			VHT			VHW ^(?) , VHZ ^(?) V?? ^(?) ▶ V?? ^(?)					1
																15		2022
						(ZT04), (ZT05)	ZT01, ZT02, (ZT06), ZT07	ZT03, (ZT04), (ZT06)	(ZT05)		(2)	3 (4)	1 (3)	(1)		2018		
						ZV06	ZV01 ▶ ZV05, ZV07, ZV08								13	2021		
						ZV12	ZV09 ▶ ZV11, ZV13		ZV17		1	7				1995		
						ZV15	ZV16, ZV19, ZV20		ZV18		1	4		1		2001		
						ZV22 (2 nd year)					1	3		1		2003		
							ZV23, ZV24									2001		
							ZV21, ZV26, ZV27		ZV25			2				2002		
							ZV21, ZV26, ZV27		ZV25			3		1		2004		
						ZV33	(ZV28), ZV29 ▶ ZV32, ZV35, ZV36	(ZV28)	ZV34		1	6 (7)	(1)	1		2005		
						ZV42	ZV38, (ZV39), ZV40, ZV41	(ZV39)			1	3 (4)				2006		
						ZV48	ZV43 ▶ ZV45, (ZV46)	(ZV46), ZV47			1	3 (4)	1 (2)			2007		
					ZV51	ZV49, ZV50, ZV53	ZV52	ZV54		1	3	1	1		2011			
						ZV55 ▶ ZV57					3				2012			
						ZV58, ZV59, ZV60, ZV62	ZV61	ZV63			4	1	1		2013			
					(ZV65)	ZV67, ZV69, (ZV71), ZV72, ZV73, (ZV74)	(ZV65), ZV66, (ZV71), (ZV74)	ZV68		(1)	4 (6)	1 (4)	1		2014			
					ZV75, (ZV76), ZV78	(ZV77), ZV80, ZV82, (ZV84)	(ZV76), (ZV77), ZV79, ZV81, ZV83, (ZV84)			2 (3)	2 (4)	3 (6)			2015			
					ZV85, ZV90, ZV95	(ZV88), ZV89, ZV91, (ZV94)	ZV86, (ZV88), (ZV94), ZV96		ZV87 ^(?) , ZV92 ^(?) , ZV93 ^(?)	3	2 (4)	2 (4)		3	2016			
					(ZV64)	ZV98, (ZV99)	(ZV99)	(ZV64), ZV97		(1)	1 (2)	(1)	1 (2)		2017			