

# Black-headed Batis

*Batis minor*

199 plots from 407 records

- Status**
- Presence
  - Breeding season
  - Month with eggs

Virgin Yellow-vented Bulbul squares **9**

Single YvB month **16**

Two YvB months **24**

recorded from  
54 squares  
15%

**Seasonality**

	presence	bs	eggs
January	33	3	2
February	28	-	2
March	45	4	-
April	25	-	1
May	15	1	-
June	26	-	-
July	51	-	-
August	36	-	-
September	36	1	-
October	31	2	-
November	26	2	1
December	33	1	2

from Britton (1980). Reasonably common in wooded grassland, woodland edges, bushland, gardens and secondary growth from sea-level to 1600m. The nominate race occurs in the coastal lowlands south to Utete and Kilwa, inland to Tsavo West NP, Moshi and Kilosa, while *erlangeri* occurs in W Kenya from Elgon to South Nyanza, and throughout Uganda, though there are few records from the northeast and southwest (where *B. molitor* occurs).

We need to double check those records south and east of Lake Victoria and that Monduli record. The lack of records from the admittedly under recorded SE is interesting and only a single record of what is surely *erlangeri* from the NW.



Tanzania Bird Atlas  
Preliminary Map  
September 2012  
from 991,962  
database records

J	F	M	A
M	J	J	A
S	O	N	D
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symbols give month of record within square, not the locality within square

