



This bird "just about" everywhere at the scale of the Atlas. It is surely mainly resident which suggests that it may well occur in every month in any given atlas square. Any paucity of data will be down to poor observer effort. Those solid 12 month squares equate to resident observers. Note the clear dry season peak for eggs in nest.

Barn Owl

Tyto alba

626 plots from 1,570 records

Virgin Yellow-vented Bulbul squares **7**

recorded from **189 squares**
54%

Single YvB month **15**

Two YvB months **20**

Status

- Presence
- Breeding season
- Month with eggs

Seasonality

	presence	bs	eggs
January	178	4	3
February	143	2	1
March	133	3	1
April	106	5	-
May	103	1	1
June	120	2	3
July	113	5	6
August	111	4	8
September	95	6	5
October	120	6	-
November	135	1	-
December	144	1	-



Tanzania Bird Atlas
Preliminary Map
May 2016
From 1,154,489
Database records

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symbols give month of record within square, not the locality within square

from Britton (1980).
The race *affinis* is a widely distributed resident, occurring up to 3000m in most parts of East Africa, including Zanzibar, usually associated with buildings, but found away from human habitation in dry rocky country, caves, disused wells and the nests of Hamerkops *Scopus umbretta*. There are few records from the Lake Victoria basin, and it is absent from large tracts of forest and many low rainfall areas. There are thriving populations in most urban and peri-urban areas including Kampala.