

Blue-naped Mousebird

Urocolius macrourus

1,021 plots from 3,348 records

Virgin Yellow-vented Bulbul squares **7**

Single YvB month **14**

Two YvB months **20**

Seasonality
presence bs eggs

Month	presence	bs	eggs
January	367	2	2
February	317	1	-
March	323	1	-
April	200	1	-
May	190	2	1
June	251	1	-
July	338	-	-
August	304	1	-
September	241	2	-
October	269	5	-
November	211	1	-
December	314	2	-

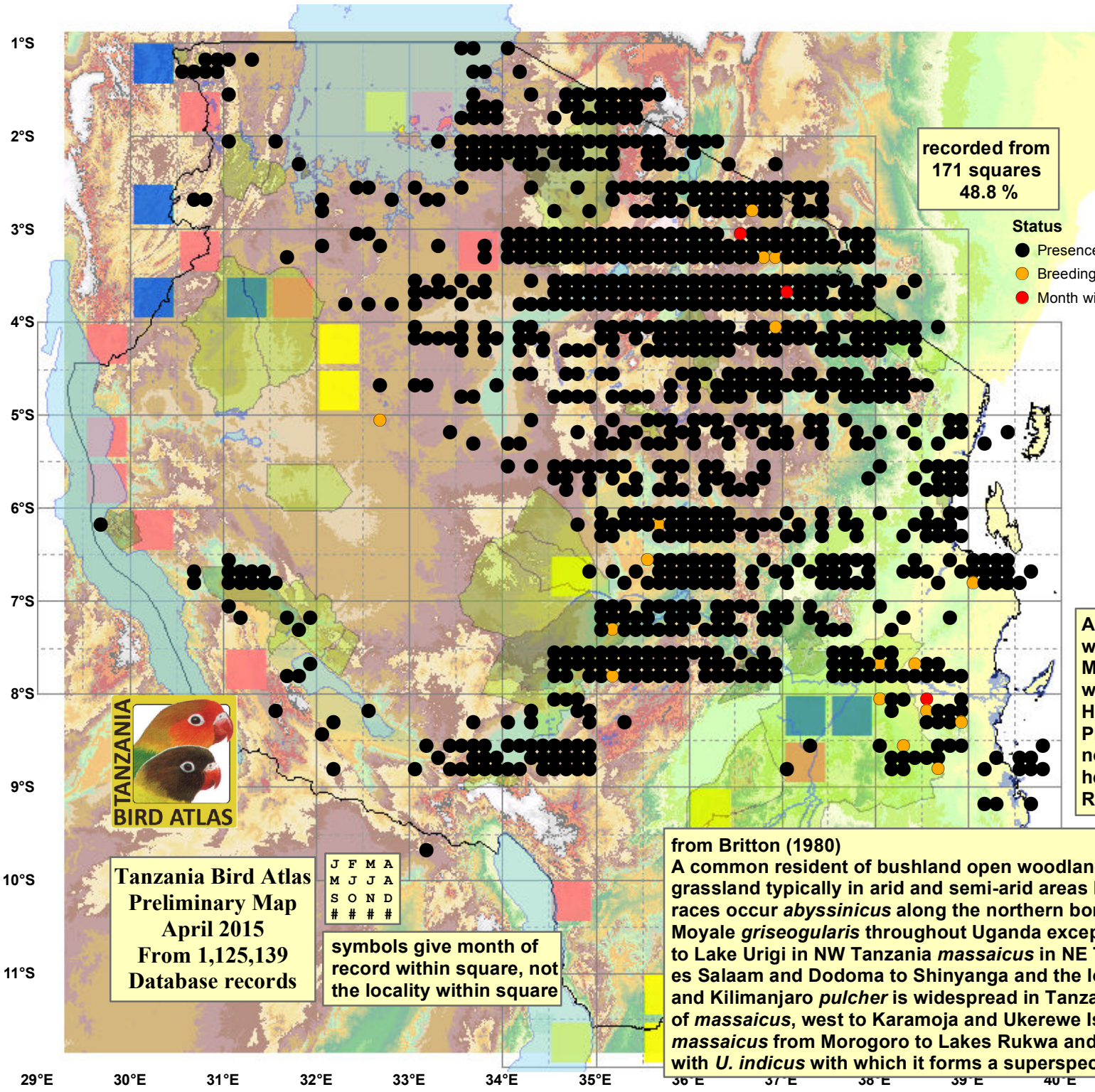
recorded from
171 squares
48.8 %

Status

- Presence
- Breeding season
- Month with eggs

An easy bird to ID so that odd record for Mahale will be an error of sorts as might that from the Malawi border. Note the absence from Miombo woodland and the higher altitude Southern Highlands. Red-faced occurs on the Ufipa Plateau and in the SE. These 2 species may not actually meet so the few Ufipa records shown here may well be ID errors with Blue-naped in the Rukwa Valley.

from Britton (1980)
A common resident of bushland open woodland and bushed grassland typically in arid and semi-arid areas below 1600 m. Four races occur *abyssinicus* along the northern border of Kenya east to Moyale *griseogularis* throughout Uganda except Karamoja, south to Lake Urigi in NW Tanzania *massaicus* in NE Tanzania from Dar es Salaam and Dodoma to Shinyanga and the lowlands of Arusha and Kilimanjaro *pulcher* is widespread in Tanzania and Kenya north of *massaicus* from Morogoro to Lakes Rukwa and Malawi, allopatric with *U. indicus* with which it forms a superspecies.



Tanzania Bird Atlas
Preliminary Map
April 2015
From 1,125,139
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