

African Reed Warbler

Acrocephalus baeticus

244 plots from 367 records

Virgin Yellow-vented Bulbul squares **7**

Single YvB month **14**

Two YvB months **20**

Seasonality
presence bs eggs

Month	presence	bs	eggs
January	32	-	-
February	43	-	-
March	35	1	-
April	23	1	-
May	21	2	-
June	23	-	-
July	26	-	-
August	23	-	-
September	33	-	-
October	30	-	-
November	40	-	-
December	32	-	1
month 13	1		

Please ignore that concentration of records due south of Lake Victoria. These are mainly single observer ID errors and they will be deleted. A fine example of how difficult this bird can be. AND please note we do not have records for every month from Dar es Salaam. LOTS TO LEARN.

recorded from
75 squares
21 %

Status

- Presence
- Breeding season
- Month with eggs

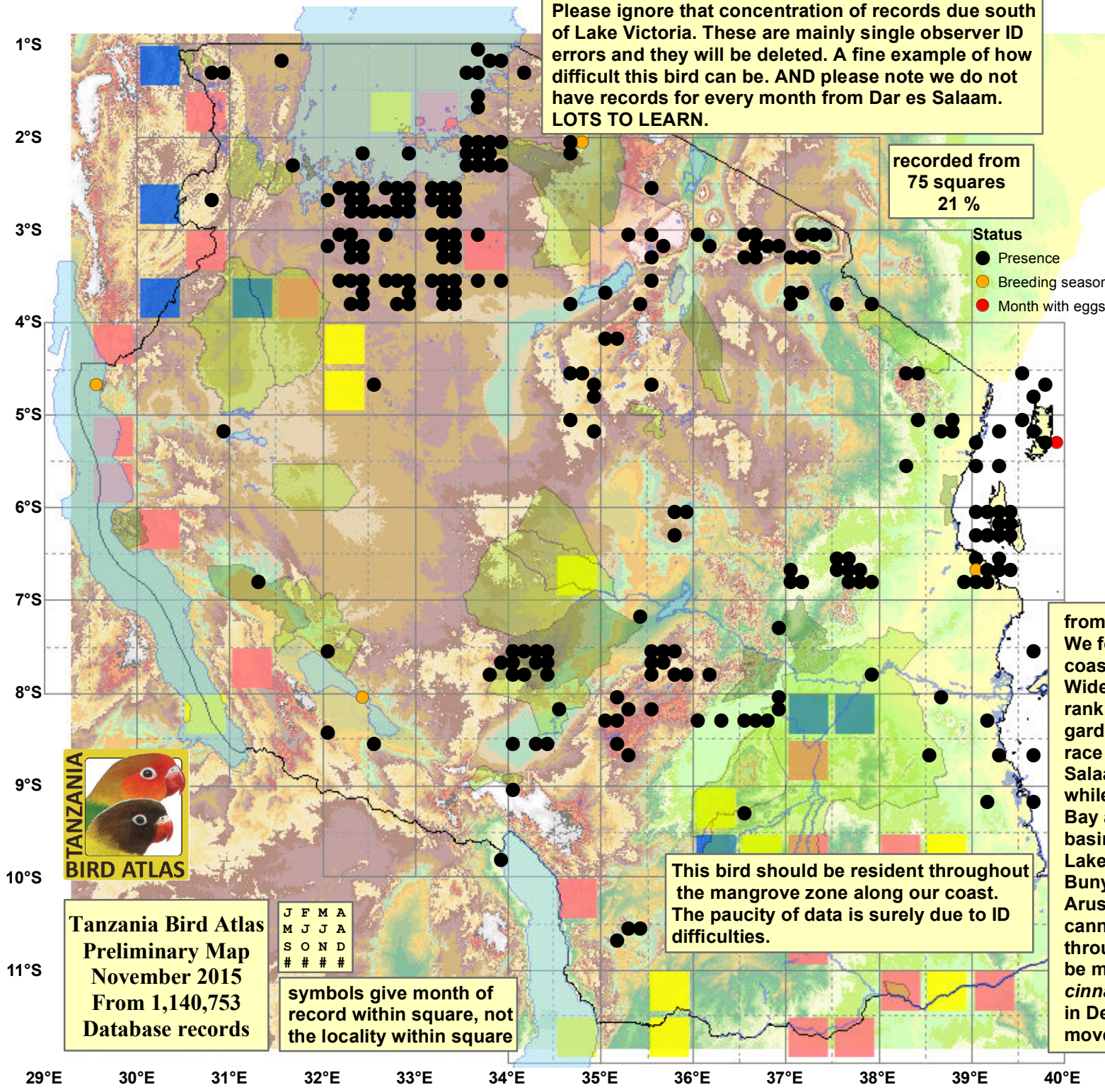
from Britton (1980)
We follow Chapin (1953) in regarding the birds of coastal TZ as *suahelicus* rather than nominate. Wide-ranging but seldom common, frequenting rank grass, moist thickets, swamp edges, millet gardens and low shrubbery up to 1900m. The race *suahelicus* is known from Mikindani, Dar es Salaam, Mkomazi, Zanzibar, Pemba and Mafia, while *cinnamomeus* ranges from S TZ at Mbamba Bay and Lake Rukwa north to the Lake Victoria basin, the C Kenya highlands, Ferguson's Gulf on Lake Turkana, and W UG north to Toro and Bunyoro. Birds from N Iringa, Wembere, the Arusha / Namanga / Amboseli area and Ngomeni cannot be assigned racially. This species occurs throughout the year at a number of sites and may be mainly resident, though two birds judged to be *cinnamomeus* trapped at Ngulia in Tsavo West NP in December 1973 provide evidence of migratory movements.

This bird should be resident throughout the mangrove zone along our coast. The paucity of data is surely due to ID difficulties.

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

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Tanzania Bird Atlas
Preliminary Map
November 2015
From 1,140,753
Database records



29°E 30°E 31°E 32°E 33°E 34°E 35°E 36°E 37°E 38°E 39°E 40°E 41°E

1°S
2°S
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