



These western records from the Moyowosi / Kigosi GRs and Ugalla GR will surprise some people yet there is a clear link between these areas and the Rungwa / Ruaha ecosystem. They occur at low densities throughout this western Miombo woodland in the wide Acacia dominated mbugas. Note the paucity of records from Katavi and Rukwa where they may have been extirpated.

recorded from 81 squares 23 %

Status
 ● Presence
 ● Breeding season
 ● Month with eggs

Ostrich may well have been extirpated in the vicinity of Dodoma with this red line.

from Britton (1980).
 A locally common resident of dry open and wooded grassland, mainly below 2000m. The nominate race reaches Karamoja in NE Uganda, ranging south to Debasien GR. The Somali race *molybdophanes* occurs in Kenya south to Laikipia, Isiola, Meru NP and Tsavo East NP. The race *massaicus* occurs north of the Kenya highlands at Timau and Laikipia, and ranges from Sotik, Nairobi and Tsavo West NP south through the dry interior of Tanzania to the Katavi Plain and Ruaha NP.

Common Ostrich

Struthio camelus

448 plots from 2,546 records

- Virgin Yellow-vented Bulbul squares **7**
- Single YvB month **15**
- Two YvB months **20**

Seasonality

	presence	bs	eggs
January	301	5	1
February	254	2	1
March	182	2	1
April	157	-	2
May	183	-	-
June	235	9	-
July	204	14	4
August	199	18	10
September	140	12	9
October	174	19	11
November	142	15	6
December	222	7	4
month 13	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

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