

# Birds Queensland

## *Rare Bird Report Form*

Please complete and mail to: Birds Queensland Records Appraisal Committee,  
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Observer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
STATE \_\_\_\_\_ Post Code \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact phone: (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (Fax) \_\_\_\_\_

Other observers present (Include addresses and phone nos and email address.):

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Species name (Common and scientific names):

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Date of observation: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Number of birds observed: \_\_\_\_\_

Location (Be as precise as possible, e.g. include park or state forest name, distance and bearing from named point features, road/track name, latitude/longitude, UBD, etc.):

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\_\_\_\_\_ ; Lat \_\_\_\_° \_\_\_\_' \_\_\_\_" S, Long 1 \_\_\_\_° \_\_\_\_' \_\_\_\_" E

Habitat description (e.g. broad vegetation type, topography, nature of substrate, fresh or salt water etc.):

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Sighting conditions (Time of day, weather, visibility, duration of observation):

Time: \_\_\_\_\_; Weather: \_\_\_\_\_; Visibility: \_\_\_\_\_; Duration: \_\_\_\_\_

**Optical or other aids used (e.g. binoculars, telescope, tape recorder, spotlight):**

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**Distance from bird/height of bird above ground:** \_\_\_\_\_ meters

**Prior experience with this species:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How confident are you of your identification? (e.g. 90%, 100%?):** \_\_\_\_\_%

**Description of bird (Describe what you *saw/heard*, e.g. size and shape, comparative size of body parts, plumage, colour of eyes, colour/length of bill and legs, call, age, sex, etc. Attach copies of any sketches or field notes made. Use extra pages if required):**

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**Behaviour of bird (What was the bird doing when observed?):**

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**How was it distinguished from similar species?**

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**Reference books used:**

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**Other comments:**

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**Recommendation:**

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