

LONGEVITY TABLE

Longest interval between ringing and recovery or retrap

	Wicken Fen record		British record	
Starling	[16y 3m] 4y 6m		17y	8m
Tawny Owl	10y	8m	21y	11m
Chaffinch	9y	9m	13y	11m
Reed Bunting	9y	7m	9y	11m
Snipe	9y	4m	16y	1m
Reed Warbler	9y	2m	13y	0m
Blackbird	9y	1m	14y	9m
Great Tit	8y	4m	13y	11m
Bullfinch	8y	1m	9y	2m
Greenfinch	8y	0m	12y	9m
Garden Warbler	7y	10m	10y	1m
Willow Warbler	7y	10m	11y	0m
Long-tailed Tit	7y	9m	8y	11m
Dunnock	7y	8m	11y	4m
Blue Tit	7y	7m	10y	3m
Jay	7y	7m	16y	10m
Robin	7y	6m	8y	5m
Song Thrush	?7y	5m	11y	0m
	7y	1m		
Willow Tit	7y	2m	10y	5m
Cetti's Warbler	7y	1m	9y	4m
Cuckoo*	6y	11m	6y	11m
Blackcap	6y	11m	10y	9m
Green Woodpecker	6y	3m	15y	0m
Sedge Warbler	6y	3m	8y	8m
Sparrowhawk	6y	3m	17y	1m
	[7y	6m]		
House Sparrow	6y	1m	12y	0m
Great spotted Woodpecker	6y	0m	11y	2m
Lesser spotted Woodpecker	5y	9m	6y	5m
Tree Creeper	5y	9m	8y	0m
Wren	5y	6m	7y	3m
Redwing	5y	3m	11y	11m
Yellowhammer	5y	3m	11y	10m
Chiffchaff	5y	1m	7y	8m
Goldfinch	5y	0m	8y	8m
Woodpigeon	4y	11m	17y	9m
Whitethroat	4y	11m	7y	9m
Barn Owl	[4y	10m]	15y	3m
Long-eared Owl	4y	10m	12y	11m
Lesser Redpoll	4y	9m	6y	1m
Spotted Flycatcher	4y	2m	8y	0m
Lesser Whitethroat	4y	0m	9y	0m
Bearded Tit	3y	11m	7y	3m

Kestrel	3y	10m	15y	11m
Swallow	3y	9m	11y	1m
Woodcock	3y	4m	15y	6m
Mallard	3y	2m	20y	5m
Pied Wagtail	2y	11m	11y	4m
Turtle Dove	2y	9m	11y	2m
Collared Dove	2y	5m	19y	11m
Fieldfare	2y	2m	14y	9m
Moorhen	2y	1m	11y	4m
Tree Sparrow	2y	1m	10y	11m
Linnet	1y	11m	8y	3m
Kingfisher	1y	9m	4y	6m
Mallard	1y	7m	20y	5m
Goldcrest	1y	3m	4y	2m
Grasshopper Warbler	1y	1m	5y	1m
Meadow Pipit	1y	0m	7y	7m
Sand Martin	0y	10m	7y	9m
Redshank	0y	8m	20y	2m
Coal Tit	0y	5m	9y	2m
Marsh Harrier	0y	4m	6y	9m
Water Rail	0y	1m	8y	10m
Brambling	0y	1m	8y	8m
Marsh Tit	0y	1m	10y	5m
Stock Dove			9y	2m
House Martin			7y	1m
Nightingale			8y	1m
Corn Bunting			8y	1m

[] bird found (long) dead

* British record