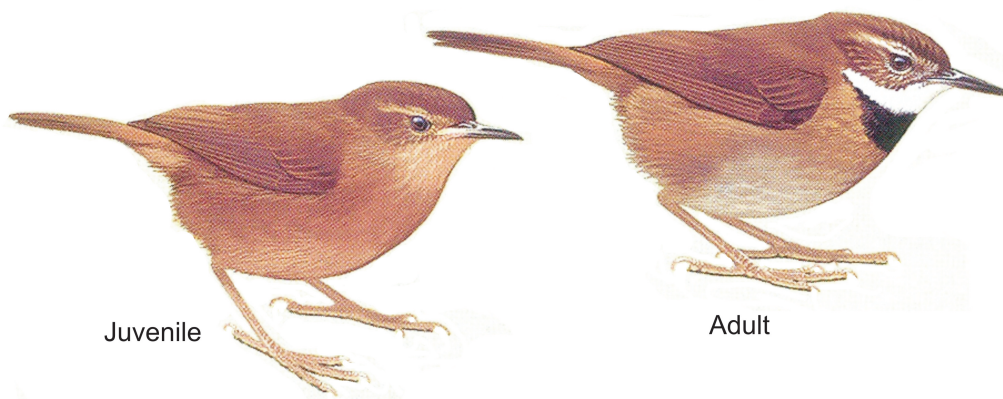


**Fernwren *Oreoscopus gutturalis***

**Species No.: 496**

**Band size: 02**



Juvenile

Adult

**Morphometrics:**

	Adult Male	Adult Female
Wing:	62 – 67 mm	61 – 65 mm
Tail:	41 – 51 mm	45 – 49 mm
Weight:	17 – 21 g	10.0 – 18.6

**Ageing:**

	Adult (1+)	Juvenile
Bill:	black, grading to pale grey at base of both mandibles;	black with base to lower mandible pinkish;
Tomia:	black;	black grading to pale yellow basally;
Gape:	pale greyish;	yellow;
Crown & nape:	warm brown or darker olive-brown with indistinct fine black-brown scalloping;	dark-olive brown with fine scalloping;
Supercilium:	off-white;	light brown or buff;
Malar area, chin & upper throat:	white;	light brown with indistinct pale greyish mottling;
Lower throat:	black;	as for upper throat;

Adult plumage attained in first summer coinciding with adult post-breeding moult.

**Sexing :**

No sexual dimorphism in plumage, but males marginally larger than females;

Not known whether only female incubates.