

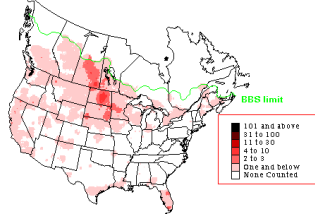
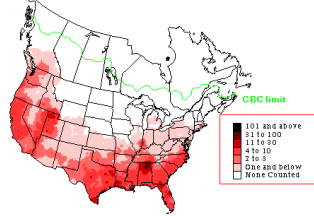


Pied-billed Grebe *Podilymbus podiceps*

Adult alternate	Adult basic	Summer range map	Winter range map
 <p>Photo by Fred Palen</p>	 <p>Photo by C.S. Robbins</p>	 <p>Summer range map showing distribution in the United States with a legend for population density and a green line for the CBC limit.</p>	 <p>Winter range map showing distribution in the United States with a legend for population density and a green line for the CBC limit.</p>

Migration Status	Breeding Habitat	Nest Location	Nest Type	Clutch Size	Incubation	Fledge	Number of Broods	Diet
N/A	Wetland-open water	N/A	N/A	3-10	23 days	?	1, 2 in south	Aquatic Invertebrates, Fish, Reptiles or Amphibians

<p>Identification Tips:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Length: 9 inches ● Sexes similar ● Small, stocky-bodied grebe with a short, thick bill ● Brown plumage, darker on the crown and back ● White undertail coverts ● Feet set far back on body and trail awkwardly behind body in flight <p>Adult alternate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Black ring around horn-colored bill ● Whitish throat <p>Adult basic:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Horn-colored bill without black ring ● Brown throat <p>Juvenile:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Black and white striping about head 	<p>Similar Species: All other grebes have thinner bills and quite different plumage.</p> <p>Credits:</p> <p>Citation:</p> <p>Gough, G.A., Sauer, J.R., Iliff, M. <i>Patuxent Bird Identification Infocenter</i> 1998. Version 97.1. Patuxent Wildlife Research Center, Laurel, MD. http://www.mbr-pwrc.usgs.gov/Infocenter/infocenter.html</p> <p>Length and wingspan from:</p> <p>Robbins, C.S., Bruun, B., Zim, H.S., (1966). <i>Birds of North America</i>. New York: Western Publishing Company, Inc.</p> <p>Clutch size, fledging, brood, and incubation information from:</p> <p>Ehrlich, P., Dobkin, D., and Wheye, D. (1988). <i>The Birder's Handbook: A Field Guide to the Natural History of North American Birds</i>. New York. Simon and Schuster Inc.</p>
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