



PRAIA  
DA VITÓRIA  
Municipal

# Birds

## Paus da Praia da Vitória

Field Guide



# Praia da Vitória Wetlands (Paul)

Between 2013 and 2022, Praia da Vitória Coastal Wet Green Infrastructure (IVHCPV) was visited by more than 124 species.

This infrastructure comprises 3 wetlands, Paul da Praia da Vitória (PPV), Paul do Belo Jardim (PBJ) and Paul da Pedreira do Cabo da Praia (PPCP).

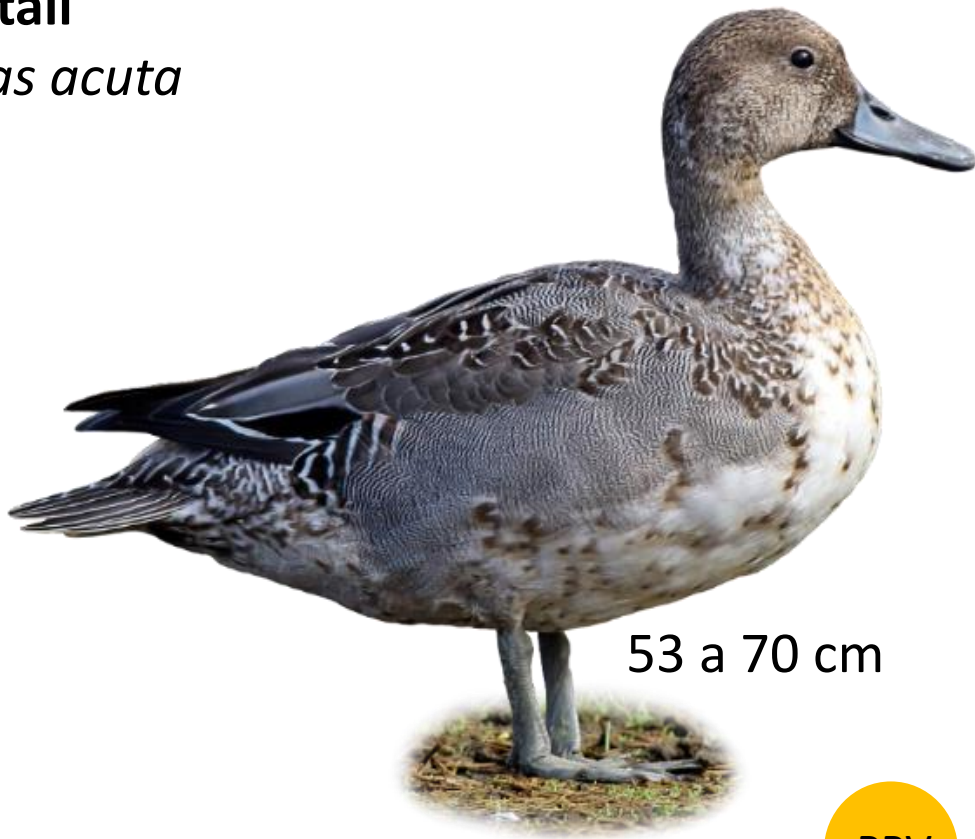
Here you can find the most common birds to observe in these places:

- Pintail
- Kentish Plover
- Ringed Plover
- Ringed-Necked Duck
- Ruff
- Yellow-Legged Gull
- Moorhen
- Coot
- Tern
- Little Egret
- Grey Heron
- Wimbrel
- Teal
- Black-tailed Godwit
- Tufted Duck
- Wigeon
- Sanderling
- Curlew Sandpiper
- Dunlin
- Turnstone
- Knot
- Grey Plover



## Pintail

*Anas acuta*



53 a 70 cm

**WINTERING REGULAR**

PPV

PPCP

ORDER ANSERIFORMES

## Kentish Plover

*Charadrius alexandrinus*



15 a 17 cm

**RESIDENT**

PBJ

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## Ringed Plover

*Charadrius hiaticula*



17 a 19 cm

PPCP

REGULAR MIGRANT

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## Ringed-Necked Duck

*Aythya collaris*



39 a 46 cm

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## Ruff

*Philomachus pugnax*



24 a 30 cm

OCCASIONAL MIGRANT

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## Yellow-Legged Gull

*Larus michahellis atlantis*



53 a 58 cm

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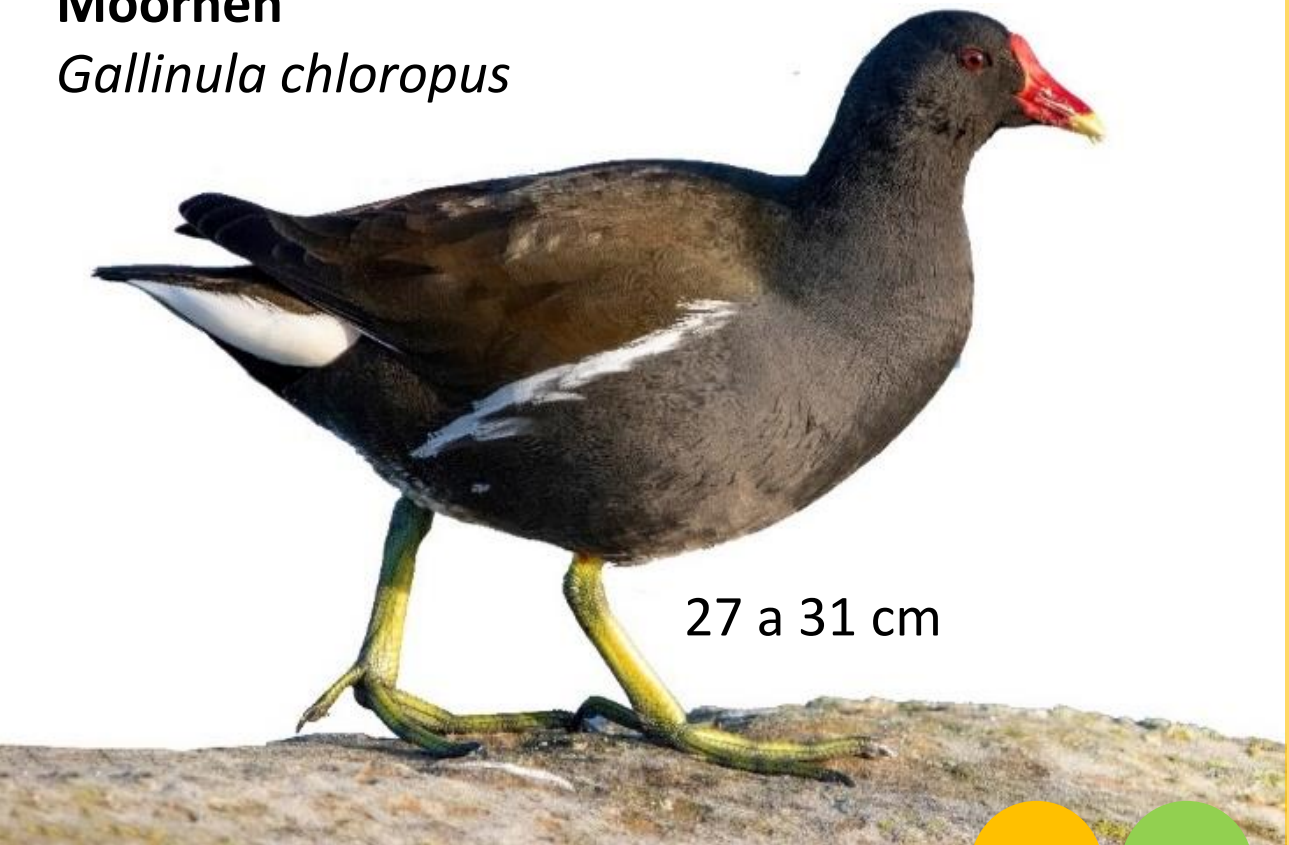
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## Moorhen

*Gallinula chloropus*



27 a 31 cm

**NATIVE**

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## Coot

*Fulica atra*



36 a 38 cm

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# Tern

*Sterna hirundo*



34 a 37 cm

**NATIVE**



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# Little Egret

*Egretta garzetta*



55 a 65 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**



ORDER PELECANIFORMES

**Grey Heron**  
*Ardea cinerea*



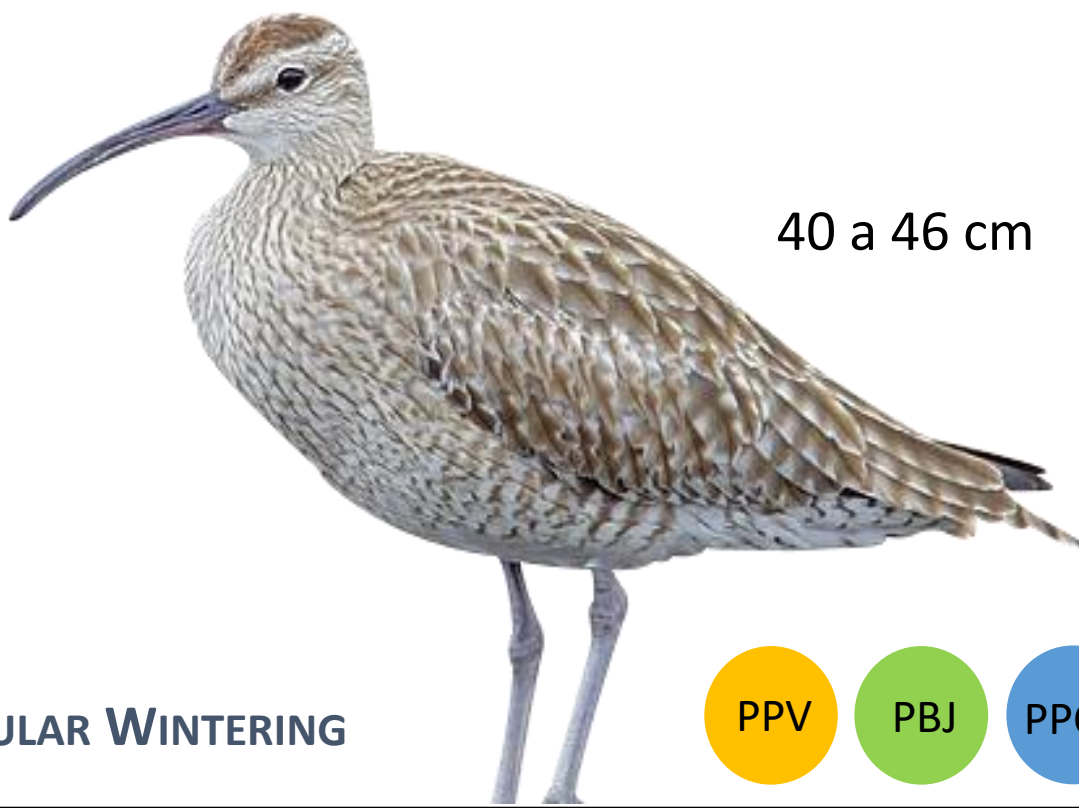
90 a 100 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**



ORDER PELECANIFORMES

**Wimbrel**  
*Numenius phaeopus*



40 a 46 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**

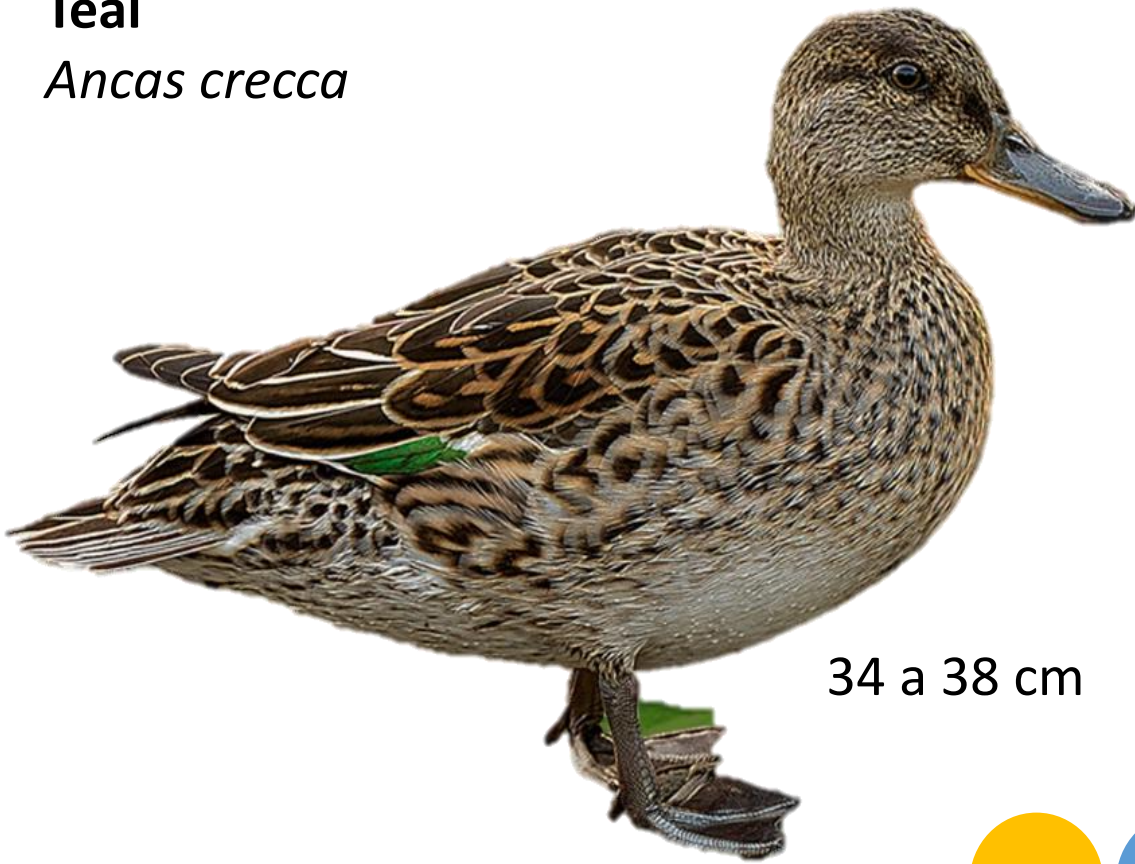


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## Teal

*Anas crecca*



34 a 38 cm

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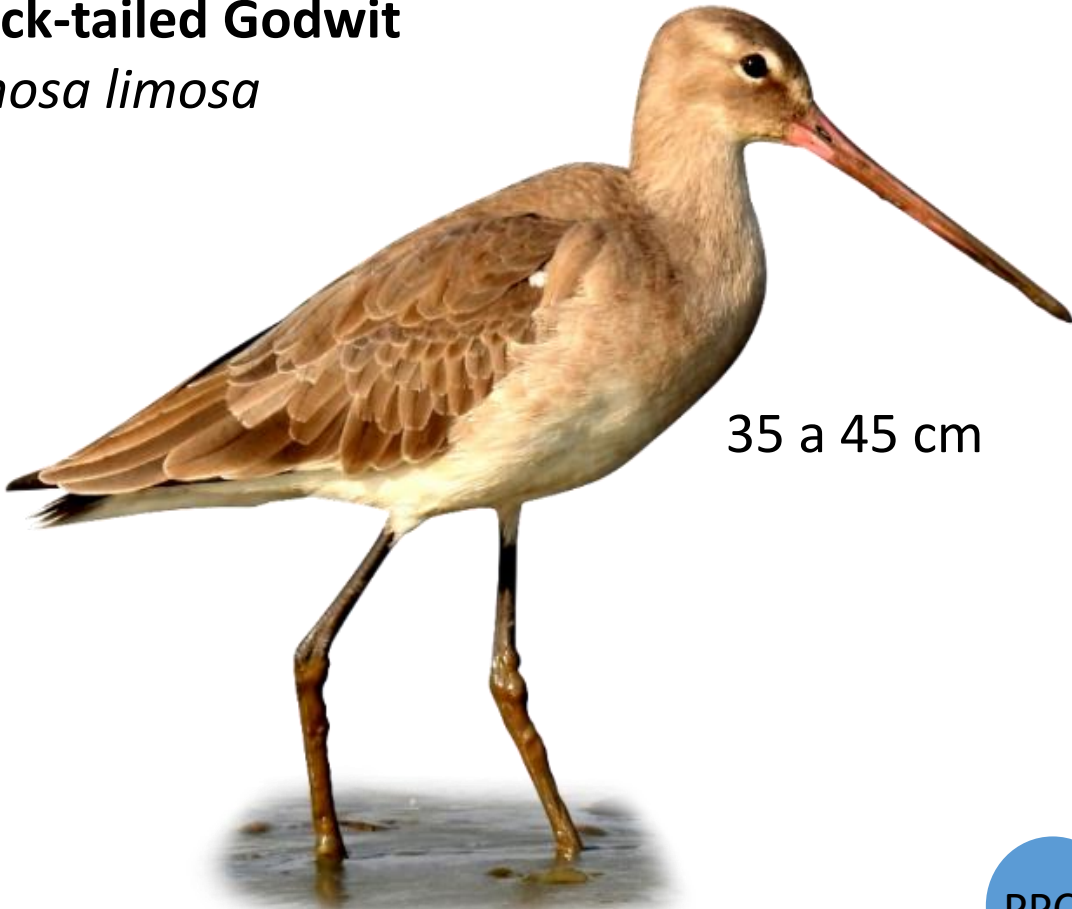
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## Black-tailed Godwit

*Limosa limosa*



35 a 45 cm

REGULAR MIGRANT

PPCP

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## Dunlin

*Calidris alpina*



17 a 21 cm

**OCCASIONAL MIGRANT**

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## Turnstone

*Arenaria interpres*



21 a 24 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**

PBJ

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**Tufted Duck**  
*Aythya fuligula*



40 a 47 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**



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**Wigeon**  
*Mareca penelope*



45 a 51 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**



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**Sanderling**  
*Calidris alba*



20 a 21 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**



**Curlew Sandpiper**  
*Calidris ferruginea*



19 a 21 cm

**OCCASIONAL MIGRANT**

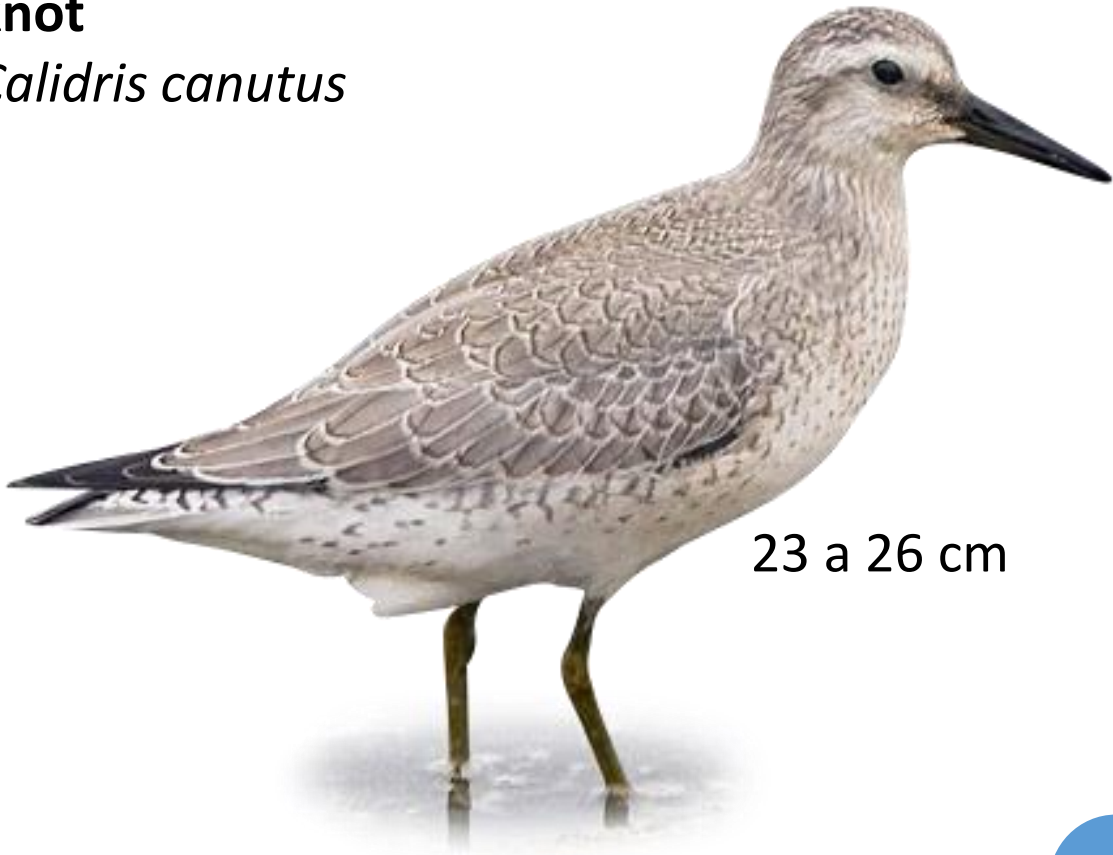


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**knot**

*Calidris canutus*



23 a 26 cm

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**Grey Plover**

*Pluvialis squatarola*



26 a 29 cm

**REGULAR WINTERING**

PBJ

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