



GREAT CORMORANT (*Phalacrocorax carbo sinensis*) RINGING INFORMATION

Colour rings in Latvia for Great Cormorants used on left leg, the direction of the colour-ring read from up to down, i.e. for A88 with "A" near the body and the "8" near the foot.

Ringing data

Colour ring:

Blue A87

Metal ring:

ET4247 (LATVIA, RIGA)

Sex:

Unknown

Age:

pullus: chick, unable to fly freely

Wing length:

317mm

Weight:

2150g

Ringing date:

06-Jul-2013

Place:

Kanieris lake, Engure county

State:

Latvia

Geographical coordinates:

X 466582; Y 6315576

Lat: 56.9825327; Lon: 23.4501444

Ringer (s):

Karlis Millers, Arturs Karklins, Ieva Grinerte

Recovery data

Colour ring:

Blue A87

Sex:

Unknown

Age:

3 cy

Condition:

Alive and probably healthy

Bird identified from colour ring

Finding date:

25-Dec-2015

Place:

Laboe/Stein Sandbänke, Schleswig-Holstein

State:

Germany

Geographical coordinates:

54°24'59.58"N; 10°15'31.04"E

Finder:

Matthias Haupt

Previous records of A87 at the same vicinity (Laboe Sandbank):

On 29.09.2013. by Matthias Haupt (54°25.037 N; 10°14.541 E);

On 21.11.2013. by Mario Finkel (54.41442°; 10.2311° E);

On 01.12.2013. by BG Seeadler (54° 24' 0" N ; 10° 13' 0" E);

On 25.01.2014. by Haiko Taudien (54°24'58.74"N; 10°14'8.31"E);

On 30.04.2014. by Haiko Taudien (54°24'58.74"N; 10°14'8.31"E);

On 07.09.2014. by Matthias Haupt (54°24'59.58"N; 10°15'31.04"E);

On 23.09.2015. by Mario Finkel (54°24'58.74"N; 10°14'8.31"E);

On 01.11.2015. by Matthias Haupt (54°24'59.58"N; 10°15'31.04"E);

On 13.12.2015. by Matthias Haupt (54°24'59.58"N; 10°15'31.04"E).

Elapsed time 2 years 173 days (903 days)

Distance from ringing place ~880km

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