



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.

Ringling data

Colour ring:

Blue K53

Metal ring:

ET6452 (LATVIA, RIGA)

Sex:

Unknown

Age:

pullus: chick, unable to fly freely

Wing length:

341mm

Weight:

2,100kg

Ringling date:

04-Jul-2017

Place:

Kolka lighthouse, Dundaga county

State:

Latvia

Geographical coordinates:

57°48'08.5"N, 22°38'01.3"E

Lat: 57.802349; Lon: 22.633683

Ringer (s):

Karlis Millers, Arturs Karklins, Oskars Jegers

Recovery data

Colour ring:

Blue K53

Sex:

Unknown

Age:

1 cy

Condition:

Alive and probably healthy

Bird identified from colour ring

Finding date:

20-Aug-2017

Place:

Tahkuna, Hiiumaa

State:

Estonia

Geographical coordinates:

59° 05'N, 22° 35'E

Lat: 59.083333, Lon 22.583333

Finder (s):

Arnold Kristjuhan

Elapsed time 48 days

Distance from ringling place ~142km

Previous records of K53

By Arnold Kristjuhan on 10-Aug-2013. at Tahkuna, Hiiumaa, Estonia (59° 05'N, 22° 35' E), elapsed time 38 days, distance from ringling place ~142km.

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