

THE CATALOGUE OF BIRDS INTRODUCED IN THE PATRIMONY OF THE MUSEUM OF OLTENIA CRAIOVA, BETWEEN 1999 AND 2009 (ROMANIA)

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Abstract. The paper presents the methodic catalogue of the birds introduced in the patrimony of the Museum of Oltenia during the last decade, mainly between 1999 and 2009. These birds belong to 87 species, 34 families, and 15 orders. Each item added to the collection and to the catalogue comes with references including the following sequence of information: place and date of collection, age and sex, the name of the collector, the way it was preserved and the inventory number. There are also specified the species that are Monuments of nature. Many of the species of the birds that are studied have an important faunistic and documentary – scientific value, being used as identification and preservation criteria of Nature 2000 and Areas of Special Avifaunistic Protection (SPA).

Keywords: catalogue, ornithological collection, patrimony, the Museum of Oltenia Craiova.

Rezumat. Catalogul păsărilor introduse în patrimoniul Muzeului Olteniei Craiova, în perioada 1999-2009 (România). Lucrarea prezintă catalogul sistematic al păsărilor introduse în patrimoniul Muzeului Olteniei pe parcursul ultimului deceniu, respectiv între anii 1999-2009; acestea aparțin la 87 de specii, 34 de familii și 15 ordine. Fiecare exemplar introdus în colecție, respectiv în catalog este însoțit de un aparat documentar, a cărei succesiune de date este următoarea: locul și data colectării, vârsta și sexul, numele colectorului, modul de preparare-conservare și numărul de inventar; sunt precizate de asemenea speciile care au statut de Monumente ale naturii. Multe din speciile păsărilor luate în studiu au o însemnată valoare faunistică și documentar-științifică, fiind folosite ca și criterii de identificare și conservare a siturilor Natura 2000, respectiv a Ariilor de Protecție Specială Avifaunistică (SPA).

Cuvinte cheie: catalog, colecția ornitologică, patrimoniu, Muzeul Olteniei Craiova.

INTRODUCTION

The ornithological collection of the Museum of Oltenia consists of has 1,774 items (1,739 birds – stuffed items, skins and trophies, 30 nests, 5 rings, belonging from a systematic point of view to 223 species, 56 families, 18 orders. For completing the mentioned ornithological patrimony it is added the eggs collection made up from 352 eggs (belonging to 160 species, 98 genera, 45 families, 15 orders), from which many items (312 pieces) belonged to I. P. Licherdopol, the rest of the items being collected by the specialists of the museum, during the field research.

The establishment, the enrichment, the diversification and the scientific development of these collections were a permanent concern of the specialists of the museum, starting with the first decades of the last century, from 1923, when the bases of the museal institution of Craiova were laid.

A significant importance is held by the items coming from donations, attainments, transfers and /or changes, beside the ones collected in the field, during the scientific research and the ones put at the disposal of the museum by the authorized hunters.

The first scientific information regarding the ornithological collection were published by BAZILESCU (1969, 1973) and BAZILESCU et al. (1980). Later, RIDICHE (1999, 2000, 2003, 2004, 2006) and PETRESCU & RIDICHE (2009), completes the data base regarding the ornithological material introduced in the patrimony of the Museum of Oltenia and emphasizes the documentary – scientific value of this.

The distinct scientific quality of the collection is given by the avifaunistic rarities (*Platalea leucorodia*, *Anser erythropus*, *Falco peregrinus*, *Alectoris graeca*, *Tetrax tetrax*, *Burhinus oedicephalus*, *Himantopus himantopus*, *Pastor roseus* etc.) collected and stuffed by the famous ornithologist Dionisie Linția, in the first half of the last century, but also by more recent specimens donated, purchased or/and prepared in the restoration laboratory of the Museum of Oltenia (*Aegypius monachus*, *Aquila clanga*, *Haliaeetus albicilla*, *Otis tarda* etc.). A number of 62 specimens belonging to 33 species are classified in thesaurus and fond categories of the national cultural patrimony of Romania.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

The studied ornithological material consists of bird specimens introduced in the patrimony of the Museum of Oltenia in the period 1999 – 2009, for whose identification we have consulted bird guides (BRUUN et al., 1999; PETERSON et al., 1989). For the classification system and the scientific and vernacular names of the species we have used as support The Nomenclator of the Birds from Romania (SZABÓ-SZELEY & BACZÓ, 2006).

Each specimen introduced in the catalogue comes together with a reference including the following sequence of information: place and date of collection, age and sex, the name of the collector, the way it was preserved and the inventory number. The species that are Nature Monuments are mentioned as such.

The alphabetic index of the locations from where the collecting of the birds mentioned in the catalogue is completed by the list of the sampled species, in order to outline the avifaunistic spectre of the areas, as it follows:

Amărăști - DJ: *Phasianus colchicus*; Apele Vii - DJ: *Asio otus*; Banu Mărăcine - DJ: *Coracias garrulus*, *Upupa epops*, *Garrulus glandarius*, *Corvus frugilegus*; Bistreț - DJ: *Ixobrychus minutus*, *Ardeola ralloides*, *Ardea*

cinerea, *Ciconia nigra*, *Platalea leucorodia*, *Tadorna tadorna*, *Mergus merganser*, *Buteo buteo*, *B. rufinus*, *Falco tinnunculus*, *Fulica atra*, *Porzana parva*, *Larus ridibundus*, *Tyto alba*, *Sturnus vulgaris*; Bratovoiești - DJ: *Buteo buteo*; Bucovăț - DJ: *B. buteo*, *Bombycilla garrulus*, *Garrulus glandarius*; Calafat - DJ: *Mergus albellus*; Celaru - DJ: *Dendrocopos syriacus*, *Passer domesticus*, *P. montanus*; Cernele - DJ: *Phalacrocorax carbo*, *Egretta garzetta*, *Ardea cinerea*, *Buteo buteo*; Ciutura - DJ: *Accipiter nisus*, *Corvus corone*; Craiova - DJ: *Phalacrocorax pygmeus*, *Mergus albellus*, *Accipiter nisus*, *Falco tinnunculus*, *Asio otus*, *Athene noctua*, *Erithacus rubecula*, *Turdus pilaris*, *Parus major*, *Pica pica*, *Corvus monedula*, *Sturnus vulgaris*, *Passer domesticus*; Dudovicești - DJ: *Dendrocopos syriacus*, *Parus major*; Dunăreni/Cârna - DJ: *Phalacrocorax carbo*, *Egretta garzetta*, *E. alba*, *Ardea cinerea*, *Anser albifrons*, *A. erythropus*, *Anas crecca*, *A. platyrhynchos*, *A. acuta*, *A. querquedula*, *A. clypeata*, *Aythya nyroca*, *Mergus albellus*, *Haliaeetus albicilla*, *Circus cyaneus*, *Buteo buteo*, *Falco tinnunculus*, *Recurvirostra avosetta*, *Larus argentatus*, *Pica pica*; Făcăi - DJ: *Buteo buteo*, *Perdix perdix*, *Larus ridibundus*, *Dendrocopos syriacus*, *Parus major*; Fântânele - DJ: *Ixobrychus minutus*, *Anas acuta*, *Pernis apivorus*, *Falco tinnunculus*, *Asio otus*, *Picus viridis*, *Oriolus oriolus*; Filiași - DJ: *Accipiter gentilis*, *Corvus monedula*; Gighera - DJ: *Phalacrocorax carbo*, *Accipiter nisus*; Goicea - DJ: *Anas penelope*, *A. platyrhynchos*, *Falco tinnunculus*, *Fulica atra*, *Athene noctua*; Ișalnița - DJ: *Fulica atra*; Leu - DJ: *Perdix perdix*; Malu Mare - DJ: *Egretta garzetta*; Măceșu de Jos și Măceșu de Sus - DJ: *Tachybaptus ruficollis*, *Phalacrocorax carbo*, *Egretta garzetta*, *Anas crecca*, *A. platyrhynchos*, *A. acuta*, *A. querquedula*, *A. clypeata*, *Aythya ferina*, *A. nyroca*, *Circus cyaneus*, *Accipiter nisus*, *Buteo buteo*, *B. lagopus*, *Falco tinnunculus*, *Phasianus colchicus*, *Perdix perdix*, *Vanellus vanellus*, *Tyto alba*, *Athene noctua*, *Asio otus*, *Coracias garrulus*, *Dendrocopos syriacus*, *Turdus merula*, *T. pilaris*, *Parus major*, *Lanius collurio*, *Garrulus glandarius*, *Pica pica*, *Sturnus vulgaris*; Mihăița - DJ: *Pica pica*; Murgăși - DJ: *Phasianus colchicus*, *Strix uralensis*, *Garrulus glandarius*; Negoiești - DJ: *Strix aluco*; Perișor - DJ: *Athene noctua*, *Strix aluco*, *Asio flammeus*, *Picus viridis*, *Dendrocopos major*, *D. syriacus*, *Motacilla flava feldegg*, *Luscinia luscinia*, *Turdus merula*, *Aegithalos caudatus*, *Parus major*, *Oriolus oriolus*, *Pica pica*, *Sturnus vulgaris*, *Fringilla montifringilla*, *Carduelis chloris*, *C. carduelis*, *Pyrrhula pyrrhula*, *Coccothraustes coccothraustes*, *Emberiza citrinella*, *E. calandra*; Popânzălești - DJ: *Accipiter nisus*; Răcari - DJ: *Anser erythropus*; Racovița - VL: *Sitta europaea*; Râncă - GJ: *Riparia riparia*, *Pyrrhula pyrrhula*; Sadova - DJ: *Haliaeetus albicilla*; Segarcea - DJ: *Asio otus*; Scaiești - DJ: *Sturnus vulgaris*; Șimnic - DJ: *Cuculus canorus*; Terpezița - DJ: *Falco tinnunculus*, *Garrulus glandarius*, *Corvus corone*, *C. monedula*, *Vela* - DJ: *Strix uralensis*; unknown locations from DJ: *Circus cyaneus*, *Dryocopus martius*, *Luscinia luscinia*, areas/unknown locations from Danube Floodplain - DJ: *Cygnus olor*, *Anas acuta*, *A. querquedula*, *Vanellus vanellus*; Zoo. Craiova - DJ: *Struthio camellus*, *Egretta alba*, *Chrysolopus pictus*.

The alphabetic index of the collectors:

Baroană Constantin – B.C.; Bălă Lavinia – B.L.; Bălescu Carmen – B.C.; Blaga Ginel Marius – B.G.; Bogdan Marin – B.M.; Catrina M. – Cat. M.; Călin M. – Călin M.; Chimișliu Traian – C.T.; Coșeran Gheorghe – C.Ghe.; Cotacu Marin. – C.M.; Croitoru Constatntin – C.C.; Curcă Ion – C.I.; Dorobanțu Gheorghe – D.G.; Filcu Gherghița – F.G.; Firicioiu Ion – F.I.; Florescu Gheorghe – F.Ghe.; Florea Constantin – F.C.; Galiceanu Ion – G.I.; Găină Florea – G.F.; Gheorghe Denisa – G.D.; Gheorghe O. – G.O.; Ionescu Tiberiu – I.T.; Lepădat Daniel – L.D.; Mioșoiu Daniel – M.D.; Mischi Dan – M.D.; Neagoe Elena – N.E.; Pătruțoiu Ion – P.T.; Pîrvescu I. – P.I.; Pîrvu Marcel – P.M.; Postelnicu Haralambie – P.H.; Rădoi Doru – R.D.; Ridiche Mirela – R.M.; Roșu Ilie – R.I.; Scricieiu Emil – S.E.; Simion Ion – S.I.; Șerbănescu Georgeta – Ș.G.; Ștefănița Victor – Șt.V.; Toma Letiția – T.L.; Tudor Iulian – T.I.; Tulitu Ion – T.I.; Vătafu Ion – V.I.; Vișan Aneta – V.A.; Ungureanu Laurențiu – U.L.

Abbreviations used in text: ♀ – female, ♂ – male, juv. – juvenile, ad. – adult, SB – stuffed bird, S – skin, inv. No. – inventory number, Zoo. – Zoo Garden. DJ – Dolj county, GJ – Gorj county, VL – Vâlcea county.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

The birds introduced in the patrimony of the Museum of Oltenia between 1999 and 2009 belong to 87 species, divided into 34 families and 15 orders. Among these, 5 species (*Egretta garzetta*, *E. alba*, *Platalea leucorodia*, *Tadorna tadorna*, *Tetrao urogallus*) are included in the Red Book of vertebrates in Romania with a status of Monuments of nature (BOTNARIUC & TATOLE 2005), and 22 species (*Phalacrocorax pygmeus*, *Ixobrychus minutus*, *Ardeola ralloides*, *Egretta garzetta*, *E. alba*, *Ciconia nigra*, *Platalea leucorodia*, *Anser albifrons*, *A. erythropus*, *Aythya nyroca*, *Mergus albellus*, *Pernis apivorus*, *Haliaeetus albicilla*, *Circus cyaneus*, *Buteo rufinus*, *Porzana parva*, *Recurvirostra avosetta*, *Strix uralensis*, *Asio flammeus*, *Coracias garrulus*, *Dendrocopos syriacus*, *Lanius collurio*) are used as criteria of identification and preservation of the sites Nature 2000 and Special Protected Areas (SPA), according to the Bird Directive (Annex I).

Class AVES

Order STRUTHIONIFORMES

Family STRUTHIONIDAE

Genus: *Struthio* LINNAEUS, 1758

Struthio camellus LINNAEUS, 1758 – Ostrich

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Zoo (Craiova)	March 7, 2002	-	-	SB	47641

Order PODICIPEDIFORMES

Family PODICIPEDIDAE

Genus: *Tachybaptus* REICHENBACH, 1853*Tachybaptus ruficollis* (PALLAS, 1764) - Little Grebe

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Măceșu de Sus	December 6, 2004	♂	C.C.	SB	52337

Order PELECANIFORMES

Family PHALACROCORACIDAE

Genus: *Phalacrocorax* BRISSON, 1760*Phalacrocorax carbo* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Cormorant

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	March 10, 2001	-	M.D.	SB	46617
2.	Dunăreni	December 2, 2000	♂, juv.	B.G.	SB	46618
3.	Dunăreni	December 2, 2000	♂, juv.	B.G.	SB	46619
4.	Dunăreni	December 4, 2000	♀, juv.	B.G.	S	46620
5.	Dunăreni	February 17, 2002	♂	B.G.	SB	47642
6.	Dunăreni	February 17, 2002	♀	B.G.	SB	47643
7.	Dunăreni	February 17, 2002	♀	B.G.	SB	47644
8.	Gighera	2004	-	AGVPS	SB	49755
9.	Gighera	November 16, 2003	♀	AGVPS	SB	49756
10.	Măceșu	November 25, 2007	-	C.C.	SB	54718

Phalacrocorax pygmeus (PALLAS, 1773) - Pygmy Cormorant

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Craiova	January 23, 2002	♂	B.M.	SB	47645
2.	Craiova	January 29, 2002	♀	B.M.	SB	47646

Order CICONIIFORMES

Family ARDEIDAE

Genus: *Ixobrychus* BILLBERG, 1828*Ixobrychus minutus* (LINNAEUS, 1766) – Little Bittern

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Fântânele	June, 1999	♀, ad.	C.M.	SB	44595
2.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	juv.	R.M.	SB	46628

Genus: *Ardeola* BOIE, 1822*Ardeola ralloides* (SCOPOLI, 1769) – Squacco Heron

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	juv.	R.M.	SB	46627

Genus: *Egretta* T. FORSTER, 1817*Egretta garzetta* (LINNAEUS, 1766) – Little Egret (nature Monuments)

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Malu Mare	August 25, 1998	♂, juv.	M.D.	SB	45018
2.	Malu Mare	August 25, 1998	♀, juv.	M.D.	SB	45019

Egretta alba (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Great White Egret (nature Monuments)

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	November 27, 2000	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	46621
2.	Dunăreni	November 19, 2000	♀, juv.	B.G.	SB	46622
3.	Măceșu de Sus	February 11, 2002	♀	C.C.	SB	47647
4.	Cernele	March 2, 2001	♂	L.D.	SB	47648
5.	Zoo. Craiova	March 1, 2004	♀	-	SB	49758

Genus: *Ardea* LINNAEUS, 1758*Ardea cinerea* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Grey Heron

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	January 20, 1999	♂, juv.	B.G.	SB	45017
2.	Dunăreni	December 28, 2000	♂, juv.	B.G.	SB	46623
3.	Dunăreni	August 25, 2001	♂, juv.	R.M.	S	46624
4.	Cernele	February 18, 2001	-	L.D.	S	46625
5.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	♂, juv.	R.M.	S	46626
6.	Cernele	October 2, 2001	juv.	L.D.	SB	47649
7.	Dunăreni	January 10, 2005	♂, ad.	B.G.	S	52336

Family CICONIIDAE

Genus: *Ciconia* BRISSON, 1760*Ciconia nigra* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Black Stork

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	January 13, 2004	juv. With ring	-	SB	49757

Family THRESKIORNITIDAE

Genus: *Platalea* LINNAEUS, 1758*Platalea leucorodia* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Spoonbill (Nature Monuments)

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	October 8, 2000	♂, juv.	G.F.	SB	45020

Order ANSERIFORMES

Family ANATIDAE

Genus: *Cygnus* BECHSTEIN, 1803*Cygnus olor* (GMELIN, 1789) – Mute Swan

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Lunca Dunării	March 16, 2003	♀, ad.	AGVPS	SB	48584

Genus: *Anser* BRISSON, 1760*Anser albifrons* (SCOPOLI, 1769) – White-fronted Goose

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	November 12, 2004	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	52331

Anser erythropus (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Lesser White-fronted Goose

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Răcari	March 3, 1998	ad.	C.T.	SB	44598
2.	Dunăreni	November 20, 2000	ad.	B.G.	S	45021

Genus: *Tadorna* BOIE, 1822*Tadorna tadorna* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Shelduck (nature Monuments)

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	December 18, 2008	♀, ad.	G.F.	SB	54719

Genus: *Anas* LINNAEUS, 1758*Anas penelope* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Wigeon

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Goicea	March 6, 2005	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	52332

Anas crecca LINNAEUS, 1758 – Teal

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	October 5, 2000	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	46632
2.	Măceșu de Sus	February 25, 2003	♀	C.C.	SB	48588
3.	Măceșu	February 23, 2003	♂	C.C.	SB	48591
4.	Măceșu	November 25, 2008	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	54721

Anas platyrhynchos LINNAEUS, 1758 – Mallard

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	November 27, 1998	♂, ad.	T. I.	SB	44997
2.	Măceșu	February 14, 2000	♀, ad.	B.M.	SB	46629
3.	Goicea	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	52334

Anas acuta LINNAEUS, 1758 – Pintail

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Măceșu de Jos	February 18, 2000	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	44998
2.	Măceșu de Jos	February 18, 2000	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	44999
3.	Dunăreni	February 27, 2002	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	47650
4.	Fântânele	October 15, 2000	♂, ad.	AGVPS	S	47651
5.	Dunăreni	April 9, 2003	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	48585
6.	Lunca Dunării	March 16, 2003	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	48586
7.	Lunca Dunării	March 10, 2003	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	48587

Anas querquedula LINNAEUS, 1758 – Garganey

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	March 10, 2001	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	46631
2.	Lunca Dunării	March 10, 2001	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	48589
3.	Lunca Dunării	March 10, 2001	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	48590
4.	Lunca Dunării	March 15, 2004	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	49759
5.	Măceșu	February 2, 2004	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	49760
6.	Lunca Dunării	March 15, 2004	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	49761
7.	Lunca Dunării	March 15, 2004	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	49762

Anas clypeata LINNAEUS, 1758 - Shoveler

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	October 4, 2000	♀, ad.	C.Ghe	SB	46630
2.	Măceșu	November 25, 2007	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	54720

Genus: *Aythya* BOIE, 1822*Aythya ferina* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Pochard

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Măceșu	March 20, 2004	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	49763

Aythya nyroca (GÜLDENSTÄDT, 1770) – Ferruginous Duck

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	March 30, 2005	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	52333
2.	Măceșu	March 30, 2005	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	52335

Genus: *Mergus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Mergus albellus* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Smew

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	February 10, 2001	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	46633
2.	Craiova (Jiu river)	January 13, 2008	♀, ad.	S.I.	SB	54722
3.	Calafat	2007	♂, ad.	S.E.	SB	54723

Mergus merganser LINNAEUS, 1758 – Goosander

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	February 7, 2000	♂, ad.	G.F.	SB	45000
2.	Bistreț	February 7, 2000	♂, ad.	G.F.	SB	45001

Order ACCIPITRIFORMES

Family ACCIPITRIDAE

Genus: *Pernis* CUVIER, 1817*Pernis apivorus* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Honey Buzzard

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Fântânele	April 11, 2002	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	48564

Genus: *Haliaeetus* SAVIGNY, 1809*Haliaeetus albicilla* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – White-tailed Eagle

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	November 30, 1999	♂, juv.	T.I.	SB	45003
2.	Sadova	February 2, 2000	♀, ad.	T.L.	SB	45004

Genus: *Circus* LACEPEDE, 1799*Circus cyaneus* (LINNAEUS, 1766) – Marsh Harrier

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	County DJ	1998	♀	AGVPS	SB	44601
2.	Dunăreni	December 15, 1998	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	45002
3.	Măceșu	February 11, 2002	♀	C.C.	S	47652

Genus: *Accipiter* BRISSON, 1760*Accipiter gentiles* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Goshawk

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	-	December 16, 2002	ad.	V.I.	SB	48563
2.	Filiași	January 10, 2003	♂	R.D.	SB	48580

Accipiter nisus (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Sparrowhawk

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Popânzălești	February 15, 2000	♀	G.D.	SB	46639
2.	Craiova	January 15, 2002	♂, ad.	V.C.	SB	47653
3.	Măceșu	February 16, 2003	♀	C.C.	SB	48579
4.	Gighera	February 16, 2003	♂, ad.	AGVPS	SB	49764
5.	Măceșu de Sus	January 20, 2004	♀, ad.	C.C.	S	49765
6.	Măceșu	January 3, 2004	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	49766
7.	Ciutura	March 15, 2006	♀, ad.	C.I.	SB	54724

Genus: *Buteo* LACÉPÈDE, 1799*Buteo buteo* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Buzzard

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	December 16, 1998	♀	B.G.	SB	44602
2.	Dunăreni	January 11, 2000	♀	B.G.	SB	45014
3.	Bratovoiești	January 30, 2000	♂, ad.	Șt.V.	SB	45015
4.	Bistreț	January 19, 2001	♂	G.F.	SB	46640
5.	Măceșu	February 16, 2002	♀	C.C.	SB	47654
6.	Bistreț	November 4, 2000	♂, juv.	G.F.	SB	47655
7.	Bucovăț	January 15, 2003	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	48565
8.	Bucovăț	February 13, 2003	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	48566
9.	Cernele	March 9, 2003	ad.	F.I.	SB	48567
10.	Dunăreni	March 3, 2003	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	48568
11.	Făcăi	February 18, 2004	♀	D.G.	SB	49768
12.	Făcăi	January 12, 2004	♂	C.C.	SB	49769
13.	Măceșu	January 4, 2004	-	C.C.	SB	49770

Buteo rufinus (CRETZSCHMAR, 1827) – Long-legged Buzzard

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	July 7, 2002	♂, ad.	C.C.	S	48569

Buteo lagopus (PONTOPPIDAN, 1763) – Rough-legged Buzzard

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Măceșu de Jos	February 3, 2004	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	49767

Order FALCONIFORMES
Family FALCONIDAE
Genus: *Falco* LINNAEUS, 1758

Falco tinnunculus LINNAEUS, 1758 – Kestrel

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	January 20, 2001	♀	G.F.	SB	46636
2.	Dunăreni	January 10, 2000	♀	B.G.	SB	46637
3.	Craiova	January 12, 2000	♂	N.E.	SB	46638
4.	Terpezița	January 12, 2002	♀, ad.	G.I.	SB	47656
5.	Măceșu	September 28, 2002	-	C.C.	SB	48581
6.	Fântânele	January 8, 2003	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	48582
7.	Fântânele	January 8, 2003	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	48583
8.	Goicea	March 6, 2005	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	54725

Order GALLIFORMES
Family PHASIANIDAE

Genus: *Tetrao* LINNAEUS, 1758

Tetrao urogallus LINNAEUS, 1758 – Capercaillie (nature Monuments)

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	-	December 16, 2002	♂, ad.	V.I.	SB	48562

Genus: *Perdix* BRISSON, 1760

Perdix perdix (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Grey Partridge

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Măceșu	January 25, 2000	♀, ad.	B.M.	SB	45005
2.	Făcăi	January 11, 2004	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	49771
3.	Măceșu de Sus	January 13, 2004	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	49772
4.	Leu	November 12, 2007	♂, ad.	U.L.	SB	54726

Genus: *Phasianus* LINNAEUS, 1758

Phasianus colchicus LINNAEUS, 1758 - Pheasant

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Amărăști	January 11, 1998	♂	Gh.O.	SB	44603
2.	Murgași	November 2, 1999	♀	Cat. M.	SB	44604

Genus: *Chrysolopus*

Chrysolopus pictus (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Golden Pheasant

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Zoo. Craiova	December 14, 1998	♂	-	SB	44605
2.	Zoo. Craiova	January 10, 2000	♂	-	SB	45006

Order GRUIFORMES

Family RALLIDAE

Genus: *Porzana* VIEILLOT, 1816

Porzana parva (SCOPOLI, 1769) – Little Crane

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	juv.	R.M.	SB	46650

Genus: *Fulica* LINNAEUS, 1758

Fulica atra LINNAEUS, 1758 – Coot

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	-	R.M.	SB	46649
2.	Goicea	March 6, 2005	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	52338
3.	Ișalnița	February 28, 2007	♂, ad.	L.I.	SB	54727

Order CHARADRIIFORMES

Family RECURVIROSTRIDAE

Genus: *Recurvirostra* LINNAEUS, 1758

Recurvirostra avosetta LINNAEUS, 1758 – Avocet

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	November 27, 1998	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	44593
2.	Dunăreni	November 27, 1998	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	44594

Family SCOLOPACIDAE

Genus: *Vanellus* BRISSON, 1760

Vanellus vanellus (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Lapwing

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Lunca Dunării	March 10, 2003	-	AGVPS	SB	48592
2.	Măceșu de Jos	January 4, 2004	ad.	C.C.	SB	49773

Family LARIDAE

Genus: *Larus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Larus ridibundus* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Black-headed Gull

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	juv.	R.M.	S	46634
2.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	juv.	R.M.	S	46635
3.	Făcăi	February 6, 2003	♀	C.C.	SB	48593
4.	Făcăi	February 6, 2003	♂	C.C.	SB	48594
5.	Făcăi	February 2, 2004	♀	D.G.	SB	49774

Larus cachinnans PALLAS, 1811 - Caspian Gull

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Dunăreni	November 16, 1998	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	44596
2.	Dunăreni	November 24, 1998	♀, juv.	B.G.	S	44597

Order CUCULIFORMES

Family CUCULIDAE

Genus: *Cuculus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Cuculus canorus* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Cuckoo

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Șimnic	August 11, 2002	♀, juv.	V.A.	SB	48611

Order STRIGIFORMES

Family TYTONIDAE

Genus: *Tyto* BILLBERG, 1828*Tyto alba* (SCOPOLI, 1769) – Barn Owl

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Bistreț	March 20, 2001	♂, ad.	G.F.	S	47658
2.	Măceșu de Sus	February 23, 2005	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	52339

Family STRIGIDAE

Genus: *Athene* BOIE, 1826*Athene noctua* (SCOPOLI, 1769) – Little Owl

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Perișor	March 23, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48572
2.	Măceșu	February 17, 2003	ad.	C.C.	SB	48573
3.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	♂, ad.	F.I.	SB	48574
4.	Craiova	March 24, 2003	♂, ad.	F.I.	SB	48575
5.	Măceșu	February 2, 2004	ad.	C.C.	SB	49775
6.	Goicea	February 5, 2005	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	52341

Genus: *Strix* LINNAEUS, 1758*Strix aluco* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Tawny Owl

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Negoiești	December 30, 1998	♀, ad.	F.Ghe.	SB	44600
2.	Perișor	January 12, 2003	-	C.C.	SB	48578

Strix uralensis PALLAS, 1771 – Ural Owl

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Murgași	November 24, 2002	♀, ad.	F.C.	SB	48576
2.	Vela	February 28, 2003	♀, ad.	-	SB	48577

Genus: *Asio* BRISSON, 1760*Asio otus* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Long-eared Owl

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Segarcea	January 8, 1998	ad.	P.I.	SB	44599
2.	Apele Vii	March 2, 2001	♀	Ș.G.	SB	46641
3.	Fântânele	January 9, 2003	♀, ad.	B.M.	SB	48570
4.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	♂, ad.	F.I.	SB	48571
5.	Măceșu	March 10, 2004	ad.	C.C.	SB	49776
6.	Măceșu	February 21, 2005	ad.	C.C.	SB	52340

Asio flammeus (PONTOPPIDAN, 1763) – Short-eared Owl

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Perișor	April 7, 2004	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	49777

Order CORACIIFORMES

Family CORACIIDAE

Genus: *Coracias* LINNAEUS, 1758*Coracias garrulus* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Roller

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Banu Mărăcine	February 11, 1998	♂	B.C.	SB	44607
2.	Măceșu	2002	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48609

Family UPUPIDAE

Genus: *Upupa* LINNAEUS, 1758*Upupa epops* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Hoopoe

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Banu Mărăcine	July 20, 1999	-	C.M.	S	45007
2.	Banu Mărăcine	May 15, 2002	ad.	C.M.	SB	48610

Order PICIFORMES

Family PICIDAE

Genus: *Picus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Picus viridis* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Green Woodpecker

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Fântânele	July 3, 2002	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	48607
2.	Perișor	February 28, 2005	♂, ad.	T.I.	S	52344

Genus: *Dryocopus* BOIE, 1826*Dryocopus martius* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Black Woodpecker

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	County DJ	March 4, 2003	♀, ad.	AGVPS	SB	48608

Genus: *Dendrocopos* KOCH, 1816*Dendrocopos major* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Great Spotted

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Perișor	March 31, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48595
2.	Perișor	March 16, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48603
3.	Perișor	January 26, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48604

Dendrocopos syriacus (HEMPRICH & EHRENBERG, 1833) – Syrian Woodpecker

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	Celaru	January 30, 2000	♂, ad.	P.M.	SB	45012
2.	Măceșu	February 17, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48596
3.	Măceșu	February 17, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48597
4.	Perișor	February 2, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48598
5.	Măceșu	March 2, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48599
6.	Perișor	April 4, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48600
7.	Măceșu	February 3, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48601
8.	Perișor	March 16, 2003	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	48602
9.	Măceșu	February 16, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48605
10.	Perișor	March 25, 2003	♀, ad.	T.I.	S	48606
11.	Dudovicești	March 7, 2004	♂, ad.	D.G.	S	49778
12.	Făcăi	October 2004	-	-	S	52343

Order PASSERIFORMES

Family ALAUDIDAE

Genus: *Galerida* BOIE, 1828*Galerida cristata* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Crested Lark

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. No.
1.	County DJ	-	-	-	S	52345

Family HIRUNDINIDAE

Genus: *Riparia* T. FORSTER, 1817*Riparia riparia* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Sand Martin

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Rânca	August 27, 2005	-	B.C.	S	54736

Family MOTACILLIDAE

Genus: *Motacilla* LINNAEUS, 1758*Motacilla flava feldegg* MICHAELLES, 1830 – Black-headed Wagtail

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	May 10, 2003	ad.	T.I.	S	49779

Family BOMBYCILLIDAE

Genus: *Bombycilla* VIEILLOT, 1808*Bombycilla garrulus* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Waxwing

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Bucovăț	March 2, 2005	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	52370

Family TURDIDAE

Genus: *Erithacus* CUVIER, 1800*Erithacus rubecula* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Robin

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Craiova	October 26, 2007	-	F.G.	SB	54730

Genus: *Luscinia* T. FORSTER, 1817*Luscinia luscinia* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Thrush Nightingale

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	August 29, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	S	49780
2.	County DJ	-	-	-	S	52346

Genus: *Turdus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Turdus merula* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Blackbird

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	January 20, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48641
2.	Măceșu de Sus	January 10, 2003	ad.	C.C.	S	48642
3.	Bucovăț	February 6, 2005	♂, ad.	B.G.	SB	52347

Turdus pilaris LINNAEUS, 1758 – Fieldfare

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
	Craiova	January 25, 2002	♂, ad.	B.M.	SB	47664
1.	Măceșu de Jos	January 17, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48615
2.	Măceșu	February 3, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48616
3.	Craiova	December 8, 2008	-	I.T.	SB	54728
4.	Craiova	December 8, 2008	-	I.T.	S	54729
5.	Măceșu	February 20, 2005	-	C.C.	S	54731

Family PARIDAE

Genus: *Aegithalos* HERMANN, 1804*Aegithalos caudatus* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Long-tailed Tit

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	March 25, 2003	-	T.I.	SB	48617
2.	Perișor	March 23, 2003	-	T.I.	S	48618

Genus: *Parus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Parus ater* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Coal Tit

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	County DJ	-	-	-	S	52353

Parus major LINNAEUS, 1758 – Great Tit

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Măceșu de Jos	March 21, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48631
2.	Perișor	March 23, 2003	ad.	T.I.	SB	48632
3.	Craiova	October 28, 2002	♂, ad.	B.L.	SB	48633
4.	Perișor	March 23, 2003	ad.	T.I.	SB	48634
5.	Perișor	March 23, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48635
6.	Perișor	March 16, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48636
7.	Măceșu	February 9, 2003	♂, juv.	C.C.	SB	48637
8.	Făcăi	February 7, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48638
9.	Măceșu	February 3, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48639
10.	Perișor	March 23, 2003	♀, ad.	T.I.	S	48640
11.	Dudovicești	March 7, 2004	♂, ad.	D.G.	S	49782
12.	Perișor	January 15, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52348
13.	Perișor	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	52349
14.	Perișor	February 3, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52350
15.	Perișor	February 3, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52351
16.	Perișor	February 3, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52352

Family SITTIDAE

Genus: *Sitta* LINNAEUS, 1758*Sitta europaea* LINNAEUS, 1758 - Nuthatch

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Racovița	November 7, 2002	♂	N.A.	SB	48612

Family ORIOLIDAE

Genus: *Oriolus* LINNAEUS, 1766*Oriolus oriolus* (LINNAEUS, 1758) - Golden Oriole

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Fântânele	May 5, 1998	♀	Călin M.	SB	44608
2.	Fântânele	May 7, 2002	♂	B.M.	SB	47665
3.	Perișor	January 20, 2005	♂	T.I.	SB	52354
4.	Perișor	January 20, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52355

Family LANIIDAE

Genus: *Lanius* LINNAEUS, 1758*Lanius collurio* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Red-backed Shrike

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Măceșu	June 27, 2002	♂, ad.	C.C.	S	49781

Family CORVIDAE

Genus: *Garrulus* BRISSON, 1760*Garrulus glandarius* (LINNAEUS, 1758) - Jay

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Banu Mărăcine	February 20, 1998	-	P.I.	SB	44606
2.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♀, ad.	R.I.	SB	52356
3.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	R.I.	SB	52357
4.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	R.I.	SB	52358
5.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♀, ad.	R.I.	SB	52359
6.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	R.I.	SB	52360
7.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	R.I.	SB	52361
8.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♀, ad.	R.I.	SB	52362
9.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	R.I.	SB	52363
10.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♂, ad.	R.I.	SB	52364
11.	Bucovăț	February 6, 2005	♀, ad.	B.G.	SB	52365
12.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♀, ad.	R.I.	SB	52366
13.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♀, ad.	R.I.	SB	52367
14.	Măceșu	February 20, 2005	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	52368
15.	Bucovăț	January 15, 2005	ad.	B.G.	S	54734
16.	Murğași	February 15, 2005	♀, ad.	R.I.	S	54735

Genus: *Pica* BRISSON, 1760*Pica pica* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Magpie

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Mihăița	July 9, 1999	juv.	P.H.	SB	45013
2.	Dunăreni	January 12, 1999	ad.	B.G.	SB	45016
3.	Terpezița	January 21, 2002	♀, ad.	G.I.	SB	47660
4.	Măceșu	March 24, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48643
5.	Măceșu	January 12, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48644
6.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	♂, ad.	F.I.	SB	48645
7.	Perișor	February 16, 2003	♀, ad.	C.C.	SB	48646
8.	Perișor	March 16, 2003	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	48647
9.	Măceșu	February 21, 2006	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	52369
10.	Măceșu	February 17, 2006	-	C.C.	SB	54733

Genus: *Corvus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Corvus monedula* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Jackdaw

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Filiași	February 20, 2001	♂	L.D.	SB	46642
2.	Filiași	February 20, 2001	-	L.D.	SB	46643
3.	Filiași	February 4, 2001	♀	C.T.	SB	46644
4.	Terpezița	January 17, 2002	♂	G.I.	SB	47661
5.	Terpezița	January 17, 2002	♂	G.I.	SB	47662
6.	Craiova	January 28, 2002	♀	P.I.	SB	47663

Corvus frugilegus LINNAEUS, 1758 – Rook

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Banu Mărăcine	December 8, 1998	-	C. M.	SB	44610

Corvus corone LINNAEUS, 1758 – Hooded Crow

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Terpezița	January 12, 2002	♂	G.I.	S	47659
2.	Ciutura	March 20, 2006	-	C.I.	SB	54732

Family STURNIDAE

Genus: *Sturnus* LINNAEUS, 1758*Sturnus vulgaris* LINNAEUS, 1758 - Starling

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Scaiești	August 20, 1998	-	P.H.	SB	44609
2.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	♂	R.M.	S	46647
3.	Bistreț	August 25, 2001	♂	R.M.	S	46648
4.	Măceșu	March 8, 2003	ad.	C.C.	SB	48620
5.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	♂, ad.	F.I.	SB	48621
6.	Măceșu	March 9, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48622
7.	Craiova	March 9, 2003	♀, ad.	F.I.	SB	48623
8.	Perișor	March 25, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48624
9.	Craiova	March 9, 2003	♂, ad.	F.I.	SB	48625
10.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	ad.	F.I.	SB	48626
11.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	ad.	F.I.	SB	48627
12.	Craiova	March 10, 2003	ad.	F.I.	SB	48628
13.	Perișor	March 16, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48629
14.	Perișor	March 25, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	S	48630

Family PASSERIDAE

Genus: *Passer* BRISSON, 1760*Passer domesticus* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – House Sparrow

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Celaru	February 3, 2000	-	P.M.	SB	46645
2.	Celaru	February 3, 2000	-	P.M.	SB	46646
3.	Craiova	November 10, 2004	♀	R.M.	SB	52380

Passer montanus (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Tree Sparrow

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Celaru	January 30, 2000	♀, ad.	P.M.	SB	45008
2.	Celaru	January 30	- ad.	P.M.	SB	45009
3.	Celaru	January 30	- ad.	P.M.	SB	45010
4.	Celaru	January 30	- ad.	P.M.	SB	45011

Family FRINGILLIDAE

Genus: *Fringilla* LINNAEUS, 1758*Fringilla montifringilla* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Snow Finch

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	May 10, 2003	ad.	T.I.	S	49786
2.	Perișor	May 15, 2003	♀, ad.	T.I.	S	49787
3.	Perișor	May 15, 2003	ad.	T.I.	S	49788

Genus: *Carduelis* BRISSON, 1760*Carduelis chloris* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Greenfinch

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	March 27, 2003	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	48619

Carduelis carduelis (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Goldfinch

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	May 10, 2003	ad.	T.I.	S	49783
2.	Perișor	May 10, 2003	ad.	T.I.	S	49784
3.	Perișor	May 15, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	S	49785

Genus: *Pyrrhula* BRISSON, 1760*Pyrrhula pyrrhula* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Bullfinch

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	January 31, 2005	♀, ad.	T.I.	SB	52371
2.	Perișor	January 31, 2005	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	52372
3.	Rânca	August 27, 2005	-	B.C.	S	54737

Genus: *Coccothraustes* BRISSON, 1760*Coccothraustes coccothraustes* (LINNAEUS, 1758) – Hawfinch

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	March 16, 2003	♂, ad.	T.I.	SB	48613
2.	Perișor	January 26, 2003	♂, ad.	C.C.	SB	48614
3.	Perișor	January 5, 2005	♂, ad.	T.I.	S	52373
4.	Perișor	January 14, 2005	♂, ad.	T.I.	S	52374
5.	Perișor	February 15, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52375

Family EMBERIZIDAE

Genus: *Emberiza* LINNAEUS, 1758*Emberiza citrinella* LINNAEUS, 1758 – Yellowhammer

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	May, 2004	-	T.I.	SB	52377
2.	Perișor	December 5, 2004	-	T.I.	S	54738
3.	Perișor	January 15, 2005	-	T.I.	S	54739
4.	Perișor	January 8, 2005	-	T.I.	S	54740

Emberiza calandra LINNAEUS, 1758 – Corn Bunting

No.	Collecting site	Collecting date	Sex and age	Collector	Conservation	Inv. no.
1.	Perișor	January 14, 2005	ad.	T.I.	SB	52376

CONCLUSIONS

This catalogue brings into notice the birds species introduced in the patrimony of the Museum of Oltenia during the last decade, between 1999 and 2009. They belong to 87 species, 34 families, and 15 orders. Each item is mentioned together with a reference including the following sequence of information: place and date of collecting, sex and age, the name of the collector, the way it was preserved, and the inventory number.

From the scientific research we have learnt that the studied ornithological material has an important faunal and documentary – scientific significant value, given by the species declared Monuments of nature (*Egretta garzetta*, *E. alba*, *Platalea leucorodia*, *Tadorna tadorna*, *Tetrao urogallus*), by the ones included in the annex I of Birds Directive, for which it is asserted the preservation of habitats and designation of Special Protected Areas (SPA).

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