

### III. Species on the Convention Appendices

- Please confirm that the list below correctly identifies the **Appendix I** taxa for which your country is a Range State.

- In tab 2, please identify the species for which your country is a Range State and which are already included in Appendix I but have inadvertently been omitted from the list provided in tab 1.

- Tab 3 includes a list of avian species that, based on the sources used as a reference for distribution information (Avibase and BirdLife International), have been regarded as vagrants in your country, and have not been included in the list below. The list is provided for reference, and is not expected to be amended. However, if you disagree with the vagrant nature of the occurrence of a species in your country, please confirm this by including the species in the table in tab 2.

- Please only edit columns C-D

Group	Taxon	Occurs in your country? (Yes/No/Unknown)	Notes (optional)
Mammals	<i>Eubalaena australis</i>	Yes	Breed in New Zealand waters, known to range from Northern New Zealand EEZ to Ice edge, and as far West as Mid-indian ocean. No indication how far East they may travel.
Mammals	<i>Balaenoptera borealis</i>	Yes	Data deficient, assumed to breed in New Zealand.
Mammals	<i>Balaenoptera musculus</i>	Yes	Data deficient. <i>B. musculus intermedia</i> and <i>B. m. breviceuda</i> occur here, and it seems <i>B. m. breviceuda</i> is present year round and breed here in NZ, <i>B. m. intermedia</i> may also breed in NZ waters.
Mammals	<i>Balaenoptera physalus</i>	Yes	Data deficient, assumed to breed in New Zealand.
Mammals	<i>Megaptera novaeangliae</i>	Yes	Migrant. Migrate through New Zealand waters, some animals are part of East Australian Population and some part of Oceania population.
Mammals	<i>Physeter macrocephalus</i>	Yes	Data deficient, breed in New Zealand, some portion of population probably migratory.
Birds	<i>Numenius madagascariensis</i>	Yes	Native, present in NZ in small numbers (<20 annually)
Birds	<i>Diomedea antipodensis</i>	Yes	Endemic breeder, migrates across South Pacific from Australia to South America
Reptiles	<i>Caretta caretta</i>	Yes	Occurs mainly as small pelagic juveniles. These are assumed to be from breeding beaches in eastern Australia.
Reptiles	<i>Chelonia mydas</i>	Yes	Northern North Island provides post-pelagic transitional development habitat for this species. Size range 17.6–94.6 cm CCL ( $\mu = 51.9$ cm, SD = 11.6, n = 86), F:M sex ratio 1.7:1.0. There is no seasonality to recruitment. Adults occur at the Kermadec Islands although population structure and seasonality there has not been studied.
Reptiles	<i>Eretmochelys imbricata</i>	Yes	Vagrant
Reptiles	<i>Lepidochelys olivacea</i>	Yes	Vagrant. One of the most frequently stranding species in New Zealand. Stranded animals do not survive more than a few days in rehabilitation, generally dieing of respiratory infection.
Reptiles	<i>Dermochelys coriacea</i>	Yes	Post-breeding migration of adults to feed in New Zealand waters. Source populations identified by satellite tagging include boreal winter breeders from Papua New Guinea and Solomon Islands. Significant interaction with surface longline fisheries (SL) off northeast North Island, with lower levels of interaction documented with SL off Westland, trawl and rock lobster fisheries. Size structure and post-release mortality unknown.
Fish	<i>Carcharhinus longimanus</i>	Yes	Vagrant. Adults and subadults occur infrequently of northern North Island and Kermadec Islands during summer.
Fish	<i>Cetorhinus maximus</i>	Yes	Occurs mainly around central and southern New Zealand. Sightings of surface schools in
Fish	<i>Carcharodon carcharias</i>	Yes	Migratory. Breeds in New Zealand waters, and undertakes seasonal migrations to eastern
Fish	<i>Rhincodon typus</i>	Yes	Migratory. Occurs in northern New Zealand waters every year. Does not breed in New
Fish	<i>Manta birostris</i>	Yes	Now placed in <i>Mobula</i> . Migratory. Resident around northern North Island during spring-
Fish	<i>Mobula japonica</i>	Yes	<del><i>Mobula japonica</i> is considered a junior synonym of <i>Mobula mobular</i>. Seasonally abundant off northern North Island during summer. Courtship and pregnant females but no neonates observed in New Zealand waters. Most frequently caught protected fish</del>

- Please list the CMS **Appendix I** listed species/subspecies for which your country is a Range State that are not included in tab 1.

Species/subspecies	Notes (optional)

- This list is provided for reference only.

Species/subspecies	Status	Notes (optional)
<i>Calidris subruficollis</i>	Vagrant	
<i>Calidris tenuirostris</i>	Vagrant	Not recorded every year, sometimes up to 4 birds, no specific actions required, has full protection under NZ Wildlife Act
<i>Numenius tahitiensis</i>		Species was moved from 'Appendix I' list because it was indicated that this species is vagrant only in New Zealand (Vagrant only at Kermadec Islands, 3 birds, last record 1972).
<i>Ardenna creatopus</i>	Vagrant	Not observed annually, occasional records, has full protection under NZ Wildlife Act