

Birds of Britain - (3rd Series) - FS 4



Designer: Kate Stephens
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Images printed in Gravure by International Security Printers, service indicator and datastring printed thermally at point of sale.

Two phosphor bands
Perfs: 14 x 14½ (simulated)

Stamp Size: 56mm x 25mm

Date Issued (or EKD)	Machine			Date Code	Values	Description	Remarks	Mint	FDC
	Type	No.	Location						
19-May-11	Walsall		Tallents House	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Mallard	Issued on RM FDC and in un-numbered Presentation Pack. Printed totally in Gravure by Walsall. Datastring: 002011 5 51840 03		
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Greylag Goose			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Kingfisher			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Moorhen			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Mute Swan			
1st Class - Up to 100g	Great Crested Grebe								
19-May-11	Wincor-Nixdorf		Nationwide	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Mallard	Collectors Strip Issued from PO with WN machines		
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Greylag Goose			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Kingfisher			
					Worldwide - Up to 10g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	Mute Swan			
1st Class - Up to 100g	Great Crested Grebe								
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1st Large - Up to 100g	Great Crested Grebe								
19-May-11	Wincor-Nixdorf		Nationwide	-	Europe - Up to 20g	Mallard	Issued from POs with WN machines		
					Europe - Up to 20g	Greylag Goose			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Kingfisher			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Moorhen			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Mute Swan			
Europe - Up to 20g	Great Crested Grebe								
19-May-11	Wincor-Nixdorf		Nationwide	-	Worldwide - Up to 10g	Mallard	Issued from POs with WN machines		
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Worldwide - Up to 20g	Great Crested Grebe								
14-Sep-11	Hytech V1	93	Autumn Stampex 2011	-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Mallard	Only issued at Autumn Stampex 2011 14th September 2011. Hytech V1. Datastring: 002011 93. Only available from Back Office machine 93 until stocks were exhausted		
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Greylag Goose			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Kingfisher			
					Worldwide - Up to 10g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	Mute Swan			
1st Class - Up to 100g	Great Crested Grebe								

This set of stamps will start and finish with 1st class, normally commencing with the Mallard image.

At the start of printing various errors were encountered - occasional missing datastrings, commencing with W'wide up to 10g., strip with 2 x W'wide up to 20g, strip with 2 x 1st Large. These errors have been seen on sessions up to 000019.

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1-Dec-11	Wincor-Nixdorf			-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Mallard	Collectors Strip Issued from PO with WN machines Ludgate Circus, London (024003) Grimsby (012311) Dartford (002014) Hyde (005432) Harrow (016020) Tudor St., London (242007)		
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Greylag Goose			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Kingfisher			
					Worldwide - Up to 10g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	Mute Swan			
Worldwide - Up to 40g	Great Crested Grebe								
1-Dec-11	Wincor-Nixdorf			-	Worldwide - Up to 40g	Mallard	Issued from PO with WN machines Ludgate Circus, London (024003) Grimsby (012311) Dartford (002014) Hyde (005432) Harrow (016020) Tudor St., London (242007)		
					Worldwide - Up to 40g	Greylag Goose			
					Worldwide - Up to 40g	Kingfisher			
					Worldwide - Up to 40g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 40g	Mute Swan			
Worldwide - Up to 40g	Great Crested Grebe								
19-Sep-12	Wincor-Nixdorf	Upper Holloway PO		-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Mallard	Collectors Strip & 1st Class Issued from Upper Holloway PO with WN machine on 1 day only (19-Sep-12). Due to a software error		
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Greylag Goose			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Kingfisher			
					Worldwide - Up to 10g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	Mute Swan			
					1st Class - Up to 100g	Great Crested Grebe			
 <p>Only seen from Upper Holloway PO (023004). Sessions seen 27474 to 27510</p>									
31-Mar-14	Wincor-Nixdorf			-	1st Class - Up to 100g	Mallard	Collectors Strip Issued from POs with WN machines New Tariff - Europe to 60g & W'wide to 60g Only ever seen at Truro (002555) Grimsby (012311)		
					1st Large - Up to 100g	Greylag Goose			
					Europe - Up to 20g	Kingfisher			
					Europe - Up to 60g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 20g	Mute Swan			
					Worldwide - Up to 60g	Great Crested Grebe			
31-Mar-14	Wincor-Nixdorf			-	Europe - Up to 60g	Mallard	Issued from POs with WN machines New Tariff - Europe to 60g Only ever seen at Truro (002555) Grimsby (012311)		
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					Worldwide - Up to 60g	Kingfisher			
					Worldwide - Up to 60g	Moorhen			
					Worldwide - Up to 60g	Mute Swan			
					Worldwide - Up to 60g	Great Crested Grebe			
Feb-15	Wincor-Nixdorf			-	Euro 20g / World 10g	Mallard	Issued from POs with WN machines New Tariff - Euro 20g / World 10g		
					Euro 20g / World 10g	Greylag Goose			
					Euro 20g / World 10g	Kingfisher			
					Euro 20g / World 10g	Moorhen			
					Euro 20g / World 10g	Mute Swan			
					Euro 20g / World 10g	Great Crested Grebe			

Seen from Carmarthen (014613)