

Habitat Model for Species: Eared Grebe

Alpha Code: EAGR Status: Breeding

[Distribution Map](#)

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Landcover Category

0 - Comments

Cullen et al., 1999

Boe, 1995
Johnsgard, 1979
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30 m edge of water (82) adjacent to selected marshes
(31,32,33,70); selected marshes (31,32,33,70) adjacent to open

Habitat Restrictions

Comments

Can nest on sewage lagoons, reservoirs, prairie sloughs and highly alkaline water.
Also found on sewage lagoons.
Use shallow river impoundments.

31 - Freshwater Marsh

Boe, 1995 Must have plenty of open water.

The South Dakota Ornithologists' Union, 1991

Dinsmore et al., 1984

Faaborg, 1976

Ratzlaff, 1986

Valadka, 1988

Gomes, 1996

Boe, 1994

Johnsgard, 1979

Burger and Gochfeld, 1995

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adjacent to open water

32 - Bulrush Marsh

Cullen et al., 1999

Boe, 1995 Must have plenty of open water.

The South Dakota Ornithologists' Union, 1991

Dinsmore et al., 1984

Gomes, 1996

Boe, 1994

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adjacent to open water

33 - Cattail Marsh

Boe, 1995 Must have plenty of open water.

The South Dakota Ornithologists' Union, 1991

Dinsmore et al., 1984

Faaborg, 1976

Ratzlaff, 1986

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Gomes, 1996

Boe, 1994

Johnsgard, 1979

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adjacent to open water

38 - Forb Playa Lake

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39 - Pondweed Aquatic

Wetland - not mapped

Boe, 1995 Must have plenty of open water.

The South Dakota Ornithologists' Union, 1991

Dinsmore et al., 1984

Valadka, 1988

Gomes, 1996

Boe, 1994

Johnsgard, 1979

70 - Weedy Marsh

Boe, 1995 Must have plenty of open water. Only on lake margins.

The South Dakota Ornithologists' Union, 1991

Dinsmore et al., 1984

Valadka, 1988

Gomes, 1996

Boe, 1994

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lakes and marshes

adjacent to open water

82 - Water (Lake)

Cullen et al., 1999

Boe, 1995

Dinsmore et al., 1984

Valadka, 1988

Gomes, 1996

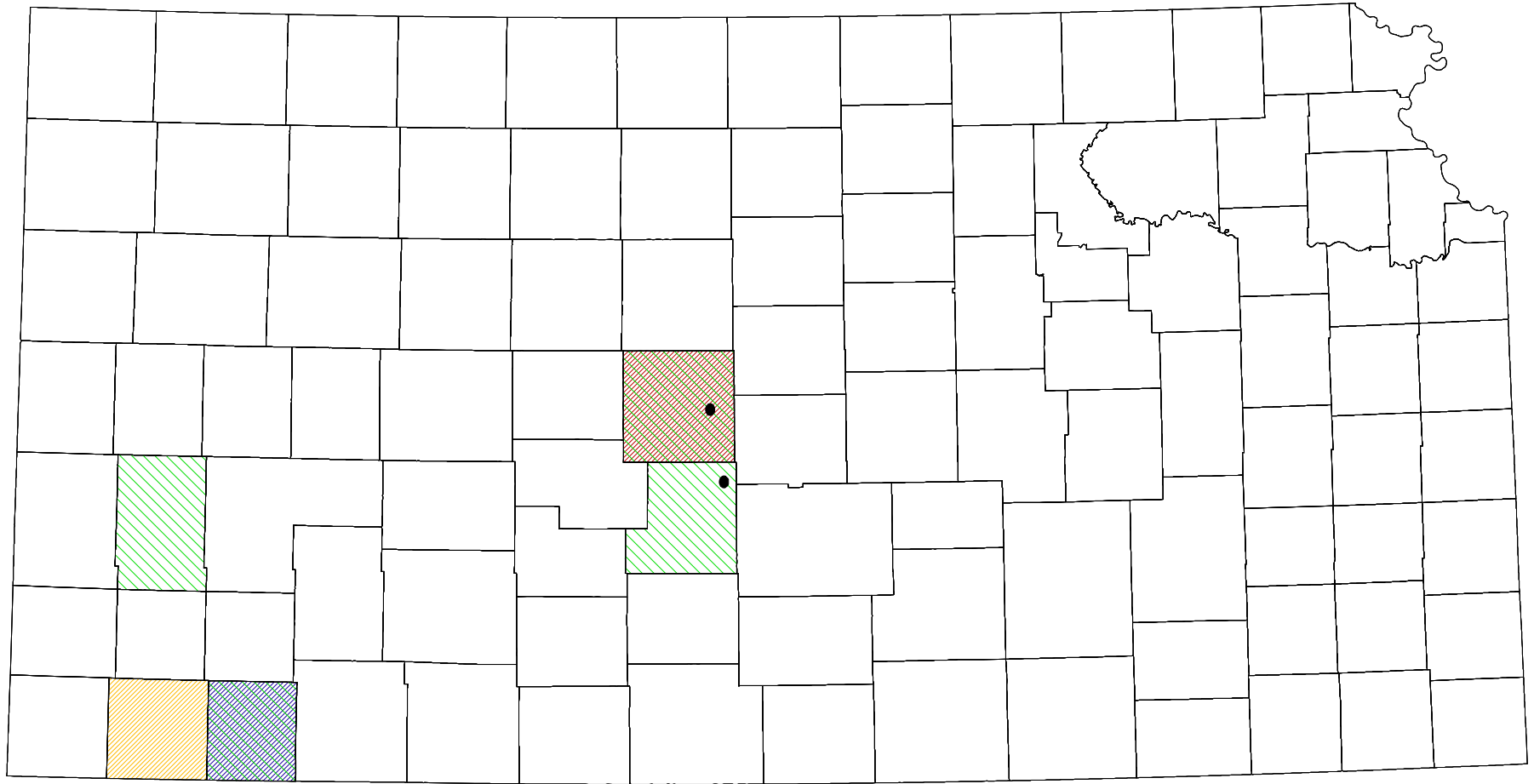
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30 m edge.




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Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas

-  **Confirmed Breeding**
-  **Probable Breeding**
-  **Possible Breeding**

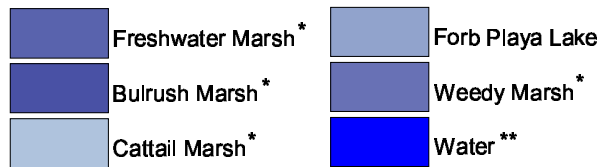
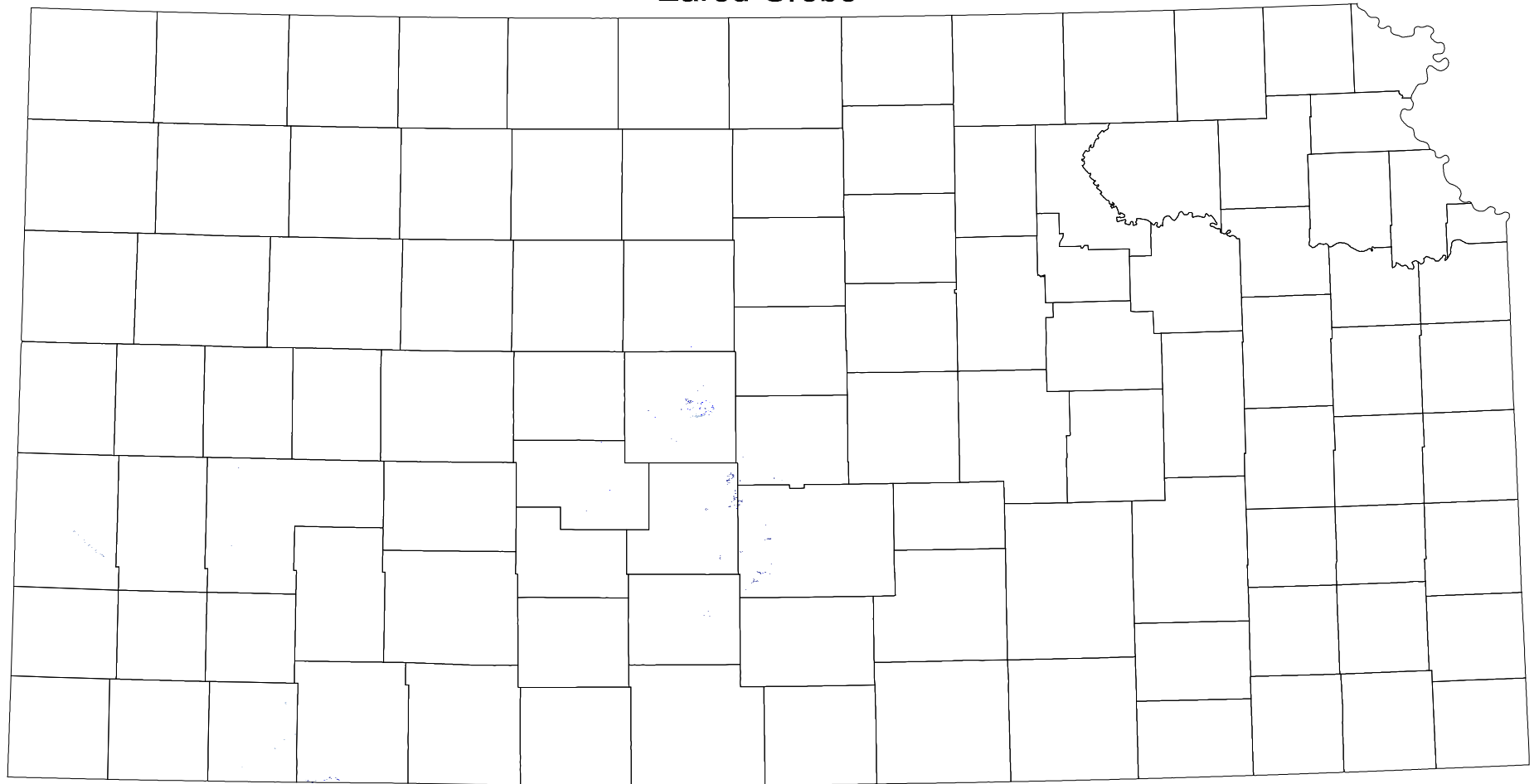
-  **Breeding Bird Survey**
-  *Birds of Kansas, Horned Lark*

-  **Range from Johnsgard, 1998**
The Birds of Nebraska
-  **Kansas Biological Survey Data**

Habitat

All shaded counties will be included in the possible distribution of the species.

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* if adjacent to water