

Habitat Model for Species: Long-billed Curlew

Alpha Code: LBCU Status: Breeding

[Distribution Map](#)

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Landcover Category

0 - Comments

Johnsgard, 1981
Winter, 1999

Habitat Restrictions

Comments

open scrub layer of sages.
Nesting on colonized prairie dog sites and

18 - Sand Prairie

Johnsgard, 1981

grazed

22 - Mixed Prairie

Johnsgard, 1981
Winter, 1999

grazed

25 - Shortgrass Prairie

Barko, 1994
Clark et al., 1989
Shackford, 1994
Cochran and Anderson, 1987
Johnsgard, 1981
Winter, 1999

associated with prairie dog colonies

27 - Salt Marsh/Prairie

Forsythe, 1972

nesting in salt flats

44 - Cultivated Land

Clark et al., 1989
Shackford, 1994
Cochran and Anderson, 1987
Winter, 1999

fallow or wheat fields

foraging, not known to nest.
two nests found in ag fields in OK.

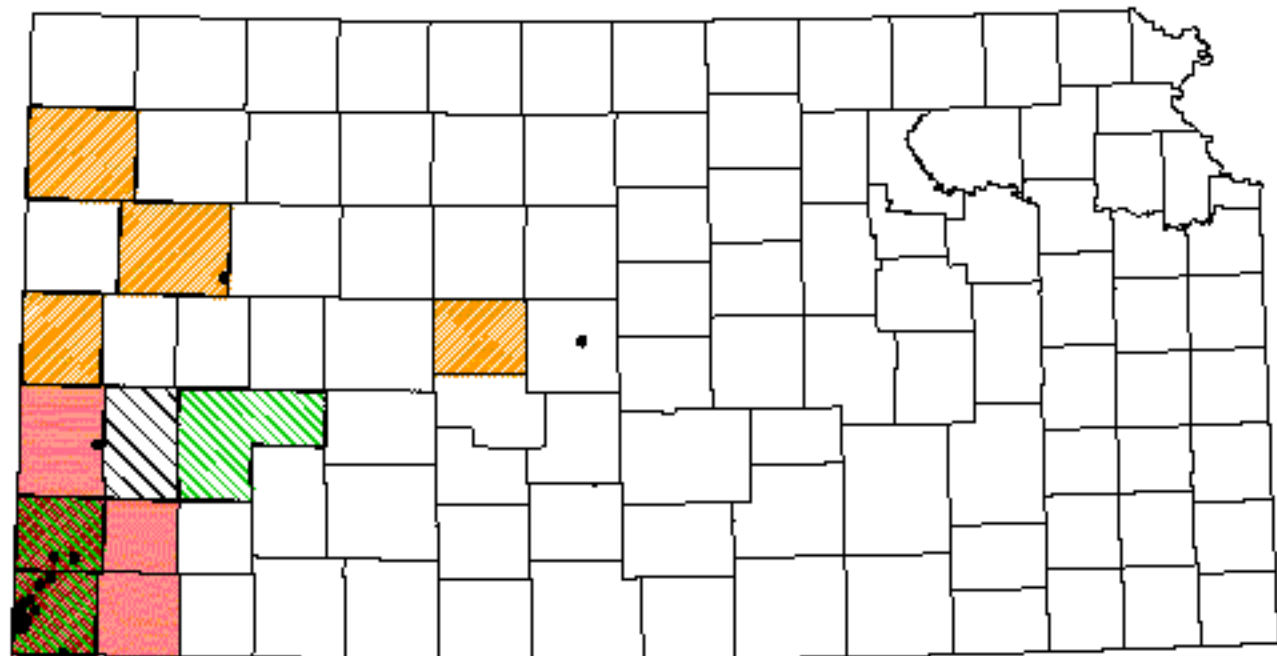
60 - Mixed Prairie-Disturbed Land

Johnsgard, 1981
Winter, 1999

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Kansas Breeding Bird Atlas

 Confirmed Breeding

 Probable Breeding

 Possible Breeding

 Breeding Bird Survey

 *Birds of Kansas, Horned Lark*

 Range from Johnson, 1882
The Birds of Nebraska

 Kansas Biological Survey Data

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