MARSH SANDPIPER

Tringa stagnatilis

non-breeding visitor, vagrant

monotypic

The Marsh Sandpiper breeds in nc. Asia and winters from Africa through Australia (Dement'ev and Gladkov 1951c, Higgins and Davies 1996). As a vagrant it has reached Europe (Cramp and Simmons 1983), the outer Aleutian Is, Alaska (AOU 1998), and California, and it has been recorded in Micronesia on most island groups E to the Marshall Is (Pyle and Engbring 1987, Clapp and Schipper 1990, Wiles 2005, VanderWerf 2006). There are three records for the Hawaiian Islands: in the *Northwestern Hawaiian Islands*, a first-fall bird occurred on Sand I, *Midway*, 25 Oct-1 Nov 1998 (HRBP 1208-1212), and in the *Southeastern Hawaiian Islands* one was present at the Pouhala Marsh Unit of PHNWR, *O'ahu*, 18 Nov 2002-3 Mar 2003 (HRBP 5554-5559, published *NAB* 57:276) and one was found at Kahanui Pond, *Moloka'i*, 19-21 Dec 2016 (HRBP 6431-6433). A Marsh Sandpiper found at the Kona (Kealakehe) WTP, *Hawai'i I*, 1 Jan 2017, was likely the same individual, in which case it likely arrived there in Dec 2016.

Acronyms and Abbreviations

Literature cited

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