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BIRD PRICE GUIDE

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The Bird Price Guide has been prepared by The United Bird Societies of South Australia Inc. It is a **guide** for the information of bird keepers in our affiliated clubs and attempts to provide an indicative **median value** that may be attached to birds within South Australia. It was prepared from information submitted by some of our Affiliated Clubs and by individual members of Clubs.

In the Guide, there are birds for which no information was received to facilitate assessments of reasoned median prices. In these cases "n/a" is shown rather than providing a guessed figure. In some cases, the prices were taken from a very small sample base and therefore may have been distorted. While some Clubs did not respond to our request, we found that many prices were unaltered by those Clubs submitting suggestions for change. We have therefore assumed the unchanged prices still reflect current prices.

It is recognised that people selling birds are entitled to, and will, set their own values for their birds - taking into account the many factors that influence bird prices. Those factors include supply, demand, condition of the birds, breeding pairs, DNA tested birds, Show Bench quality, mutation values, age, etc.

As bird prices are subject to so many factors, The United Bird Societies of South Australia Inc can accept no responsibility for variations from the prices indicated in this Guide.

We welcome constructive comments and suggestions that will add to the status of the document and which will assist in the development of a quality guideline document for the benefit of all bird keepers in South Australia.

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AUSTRALIAN PARROTS

Bluebonnet			Hooded	
Naretha		1775	Normal	195
Red-vented		165	Cinnamon	1000
Yellow-vented		160	Cinnamon split	500
Blue winged			Pied –	
Normal		70	Dominant	1500
Young	each	25	Recessive	800
Blue		1,900	Recessive split	400
Bourke's Parrakeet			King Parrot	295
Normal		30	Young	each
Cinnamon		n/a		110
Cream		55	Lorikeet	
Pink		60	Little	350
Rosa		35	Musk	160
Budgerigar – native		20	Musk olive	300
Budgerigar - mutations - see page 3			Purple crowned –	
Cloncurry		185	Normal	250
Cockatiel			Cinnamon	1500
Normal		20	Rainbow –	
Albino		50	Normal	100
Blue Cinnamon		80	Olive	200
Cinnamon		30	Cinnamon	300
Cinnamon Pied		80	Blue fronted	n/a
Fallow		60	Mustard	n/a
Golden Fallow		80	Pied	n/a
Lutino		45	Red collared –	
Lutino Cinnamon Opaline		n/a	Normal	140
Pastel face		n/a	Cinnamon	n/a
Pearl		25	Scaly breasted -	
Pied		30	Normal	100
Pied – pearl		30	Olive	200
Platinum		80	Lutino	2,500
Silver		50	Varied	300
Silver - White-faced		35	Mallee Ringneck	
UK Pied		80	Normal	175
White		30	Pied	4500
White face		30	Mulga	185
White-face Pied		45	Port Lincoln	195
Hand raised birds -			Princess	
White face		65	Normal	90
All other colours		60	Blue	135
Crimson-winged		265	Blue split	95
			Blue split Yellow	770

Female	175
Young each	90
Eclectus Macgillvrayi	5000
Young each	2500
Elegant	
Normal	55
Cinnamon	70
Pied	130
Split for Yellow	100
Yellow	230
Young each	100
Fig Parrot – Double-eyed	n/a
Golden shouldered	220

Lime	1,300
White	1435
Yellow	1200
Yellow split blue	1450
Red-capped	215
Red-rumped	
Normal	25
Albino	140
Blue	50
Blue opaline	100
Blue pied	100
Cinnamon	60
Cinnamon opaline	100
Grey	200
Grey cinnamon	250

Australian Parrots (continued)

Red-rumped - continued

Grey green	200
Grey opaline	250
Lutino	65
Lutino opaline	150
Opaline - Female	20
Opaline - Male	40
Opaline green	70
Pied green	70
Platinum	100
Platinum pied	350
Silver	90
Silver opaline	130

Regent

Green	145
Young each	60
Yellow	170
Young each	75

Rock Parrot 275

Rosellas

Adelaide –	
Normal	275
Cinnamon	n/a
Blue-cheeked	240
Crimson –	
Normal	235
Young each	90
Black	5000
Blue	n/a

Australian Parrots (continued)

Scarlet-chested – continued

Sea green	90
White fronted	115
Superb (Barraband)	155
Swift	1,375
Twenty-eight	
Normal	165
Young each	80
Blue	4,000
Split Blue	2,000
Turquoise	
Normal	55
Jade	50
Olive	80
Opaline	100
Red fronted	55
Red fronted yellow	80
Yellow	60

COCKATOOS

Black

Glossy	16,000
Palm	n/a
Red-tailed –	4000
Young each	1400
Magnificus	5000
Macrorhynchus	3,500
Naso	8,000
Samueli	4,000

Northern species	425	White-tailed	3350
Eastern –		Young each	1600
Golden-mantled	165	Yellow-tailed	4675
Normal	140	Young each	2000
Young each	50	Baudini	5,500
Black	1450	Funereus	5,500
Young each	600	Latirostris	4,500
Cinnamon	140	Corella	
Lutino	425	Little	105
Red	135	Long-billed	150
Red cinnamon	225	W.A. Long-billed	150
Rubino	785	Galah	
Tasmanian	200	Normal -	
Green (Tasmanian)	785	Adult birds	85
Northern	450	Young – hand raised each	110
Northern – subspecies hilli	450	Assimillis	150
Pale-headed –		Lutino	n/a
Normal	180	Gang Gang	
Pied	n/a	Adult birds	2500
Western –		Surgically sexed:	
Normal	150	Young each	1,200
Blue	2000	Young – hand raised each	1400
Red-backed	340	Major Mitchell's	
Yellow	320	Adult birds	480
Scarlet-chested		Young each	195
Normal	65	Young – hand raised each	350
Dilute blue	70	Sulphur-crested	
Par blue	75	Adults birds	235
Red-bellied	75	Young – hand raised each	335

BUDGERIGARS

Mutations

Albino	15
Banded Pied	20
Black Eyed Self	15
Blue	12
Cinnamonwing	12
Clearbody	22
Clearwing	12
Crested	25
Danish Recessive Pied	20
Dominant Pied	20
Fallow	20
Green	10
Greywing	15
Harlequin	17
Lacewing	20

Exotic Parrots - Asiatic Species

(continued)

Malabar	2700
Young female each	1500
Young male each	1,000
Moustached	500
Young each	200
Plum-headed	330
Young each	125
Ringnecks	
Green – Normal	50
Young each	20
Albino	100
Young each	80
Blue cinnamon :	65
Young each	45
males each	100

Lutino	15	Young	each	70
Opaline	10	females	each	100
Spangle Double Factor	15	Young	each	70
Spangle	10	Blue lacewing		170
White	18	Young	each	80
Yellow	18	Blue		100
Yellowfaced	15	Young	each	40
Hand raised		Blue/cinnamon		
Hand raised – spoon fed	each 30	Males	each	60
Club Rung Show Quality Birds		Young	each	40
Albino	50	Blue/lutino		120
Banded Pied	50	Young	each	45
Black Eyed Self	50	Males	each	60
Blue	45	Males	Young each	40
Cinnamonwing	40	Cinnamon		120
Clearbody	60	Young	each	45
Clearwing	70	Cinnamon/blue		150
Crested	70	Young	each	60
Danish Recessive Pied	70	Creamino		160
Dominant Pied	70	Young	each	60
Fallow	70	Golden olive		80
Green	40	Young	each	30
Greywing	40	Green/blue		40
Harlequin	50	Young	each	20
Lacewing	50	Green/blue/lacewing		
Lutino	50	Males	each	150
Opaline	60	Males	Young each	55
Spangle Double Factor	50	Green/lutino		
Spangle	50	Males	each	25
White	50	Males	Young each	20
Yellow	50	Green/blue/lutino		
Yellowfaced	60	Males	each	60
		Males	Young each	50

EXOTIC PARROTS - ASIATIC SPECIES

Alexandrine

Normal	400
Young	each 170
Lutino	7000
Split Lutino	2,000

Derbyan

Young	each 1,500
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Exotic Parrots - Asiatic Species

(continued)

Ringnecks – continued

Grey lacewing	160
Young	each 60

Grey 60

Grey cinnamon :

Males	each	120
Males	Young	each 60
Females	each	120
Females	Young	each 60

Grey green/blue/cinnamon:

Males	each	100
Males	young	each 45

EXOTIC PARROTS

NZ/ASIAN PACIFIC SPECIES

Eclectus

Polychloros	1400
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Grey/cinnamon		Young	each	600			
Males	each			50	Solomonensis	2000	
Males	Young	each		20	Young	each	700
Grey-green cinnamon/ blue:					Vosmaeri	5250	
Males	each			100	Young	each	2500
Males	Young	each		45	Grande	6000	
Females	each			100	Kakariki		
Females	Young	each		45	Red fronted	70	
Grey-green lacewing/blue				360	Young	each	40
Young	each			140	Red fronted cinnamon	80	
Grey-green/blue				90	Yellow fronted	80	
Young	each			40	Pied	250	
Grey-green/blue/lacewing					Yellow	450	
Males				100	Yellow - Red eyed	2000	
Young	each			70	Yellow - Black eyed	800	
Lacewing/blue				400			
Young	each			150	EXOTIC PARROTS - LORI SPECIES		
Lutino				110	Lorikeet Green naped	1000	
Young	each			40	Young	each	400
Lutino/blue				130	Lory		
Young	each			40	Red Moluccan	4000	
Pastel blue lacewing				200	Young	each	1500
Young	each			80	Red Buru	4,000	
Pastel blue				130	Young	each	1500
Young	each			60	Black capped		
Pastel blue/cinnamon - Males				150	Lorilory	4500	
Pastel blue/lacewing - Males				200	Young	each	1500
Pastel grey lacewing				200	Erythrothrax	5000	
Young	each			80	Young	each	2000
Pastel grey				300	Chattering	4,000	
Young	each			120	Young	each	1,800
Pastel grey/cinnamon Males				150	Dusky	3,000	
Pastel silver				300	Young	each	1,300
Pastel sky blue				300	Yellow bibbed	6000	
Silver:					Young	each	2,500
Males	each			70	Ornate	8000	
Young	each			50	Young	each	3000
Females	each			70	Black	8000	
Young	each			50	Young	each	3000

Fallow The addition of "Fallow" to all colours does not increase the price and may in fact result in a slight reduction.

Slaty-headed	600	
Young	each	250

EXOTIC PARROTS

SOUTH AMERICAN SPECIES

Amazon

EXOTIC PARROTS**AFRICAN SPECIES**

African Grey		11000
Young	each	5100
Meyers parrot		20000
Young	each	8000
Red-bellied parrot		20,000
Young	each	8000
Senegal		8,000
Young	each	3,000

Lovebirds*See separate section for Lovebirds*

Cuban		30000
Young	each	12000
Double yellow headed		13,000
Young	each	5,000
Yellow crowned		6,000
Young	each	2,500
Blue fronted		6000
Young	each	2,500
Yellow naped		12000
Young	each	5000
White fronted:		14500
Young	each	6500

Exotic Parrots**South American Species (continued)****Caiques**

Black headed		5750
Young	each	2500
White bellied		18000
Young	each	7000

Conures

Blackcapped		1500
Young	each	600
Blue throated		1500
Young	each	600
Blue-crowned		10,000
Young	each	4,000
Crimson bellied		2800
Young	each	1000
Firey shouldered		12000
Young	each	5,500
Golden- crowned		5,500
Green cheeked		160
Young	each	55

Mutations -

Cinnamon Young	each	100
Cinnamon split Yellow sided		
Cock	each	200
Pineapple - Cock	each	800
Pineapple Hen		
Young	each	800
Yellow sided	each	200
Yellow sided		
Split Cinnamon		
Cock Young	each	250

Exotic Parrots**South American Species (continued)****Macaws**

Blue and Gold		16- 20000
Young	each	6000
Green - winged		25 - 30000
Scarlet		25 - 30000
Hahn's		5000
Yellow collared		20000
Illigers		25000
Severe		25000
Red fronted		25000

Quaker

Normal		250
Young	each	100
Blue		530
Young	each	200
Split blue		180
Young	each	95

EXOTIC PARROTS - LOVEBIRDS**Fischers**

Normal		30
Blue		60
Lime		40
Lutino		45
Pastel blue		30

Black rumped	60	Yellow billed	65
White rumped	50	Fawn	145
Mutations -		Cream or White	80
Fawn	100	Cream or White Hen	140
Firetails		Cream or White Cock	140
Beautiful	2,000	Pearls	400
Diamond	75	Pied	n/a
Mutations -		Masked	
Diamond – Yellow	n/a	Normal	95
Diamond – Fawn	n/a	White eared	140
Red-eared	1,500	Painted	
Gouldian		Normal	35
Black headed	50	Yellow	35
Red headed	50	Fawn	n/a
Yellow headed	50	Pictorella	120
Gouldian mutations		Parrot Finch	
Australian Yellow	145	Blue faced	70
Australian Recessive Dilute	300	Blue faced –	
Blue Pastel Single Factor		Lutino Cock	each 115
Cock each	400	Lutino Hen	each 115
Blue Backed Purple Breast	600	Plum headed	
Blue Backed Purple Breast Recessive	n/a	Normal	45
Blue Backed White Breast	700	Fawn	70
Blue Backed White Breast Recessive	400	Red browed	
Dilute	n/a	Normal	50
Pastel Blue Purple Breast		Lesser	600
Cock each	350	Yellow	n/a
Pastel Blue White Breast		Star finch	
Cock each	400	Red faced	40
Purple Breast Double Factor	200	Yellow faced	35
Purple Breast Dilute Single Factor		Cinnamon –	
Cock each	n/a	Red headed	55
Silver Single Factor		Yellow headed	55
Hen each	350	Fawn -	
Silver White Breast		Red headed	60
Hen each	400	Yellow headed	60
Silver Double Factor Purple Breast		Heavy Pied	n/a
Cock each	400	Yellow rumped	100
Silver Breast Double Factor White Breast		Zebra	
Cock each	450	Normal	6
White Breasted	70	Zebra Mutations	
White Breast Double Factor	200	<i>Expect to pay from \$2 to \$10 for a Zebra mutation.</i>	

FOREIGN FINCHES

Aberdeen	225
Aurora –see “Pytilia”	
Avadavat	
Green	2,000
Red	105
Bengalese – see “Mannikins”	
Cardinal – Red crested	3000
Chaffinch	650
Cordon Bleu	
Red cheeked	70
Mutations -	
Red cheeked pied	160
Yellow	100
Blue capped Waxbill	350
Cuban	70
Cut-throat	45
Fire	
Red billed (Ruddie)	35
Mutations -	
Cinnamon	60
Pink	65
Pied	85
Golden Song Sparrow	285
Goldfinch	25
Greenfinch	
European	25
European Lutino	n/a
Himalayan	1,000
Oriental	150
Jacarini	55
Java	
Normal (Blue)	20
Fawn	35
Pied	35
Pure White	35
Mannikins	
Bengalese	12
Bengalese – Crested	20
Bengalese – Self	20
Rufous backed	125
Melba – see “Pytilia”	
Munia	
White bellied	100

Foreign Finches (continued)

Parrot Finch – <i>Mutations continued</i>	
Sea Green (C) each	50
Sea Green (H) each	50
Sea Green Pied (C) each	125
Sea Green Pied (H) each	135
Pekin Robin	2,500
Pytilia	
Green winged (Melba)	100
Red faced (Aurora)	200
Red winged (Aurora)	100
Yellow winged	540
Red crested	2,000
Redheaded – see “Aberdeen”	
Redpoll	n/a
Saffron – Pelzelins	600
Saint Helena	
Normal	45
Mutations -	
Cinnamon	50
Fawn	50
Heavy pied	75
White	200
Yellow	100
Serin –	
European	2000
Yellow rumped	2000
Silverbill – African	225
Silver eared Mesia	3000
Singer	
Grey	1000
Little green –	
Normal	150
Cinnamon	n/a
Siskin	
Black headed yellow	200
European	1500
Red hooded	380
Yellow hooded	15
Twinspots	
Dybowski's	500
Peter's	600
Waxbill	
Black rumped	2200

Javan		95
Nun		
Black headed		70
Silver headed		60
Tri-coloured		70
Parrot Finch		
Bamboo		3000
Peales		2250
Pin-tailed Nonpareil		2800
Red faced		70
Tri-coloured		210
Mutations –		
Red faced -		
Heavy Pied	each	175
Light Pied	each	110

DOVES AND PIGEONS

Barbary		10
Fawn		n/a
Pink		n/a
Lavender		n/a
Marked white		n/a
Bar shouldered		35
Bleeding heart		300
Young	each	120
Bronzewing		
Brush		80
Young	each	25
Common		50
Young	each	10
Crested		20
Young	each	10
Cuckoo Dove, Brown		400
Young	each	150
Diamond		
Cinnamon		30
Normal		10
Silver		15
Fantail		6
Flock		300
Fruit pigeon		
Rose crowned		400
Young	each	130
Purple crowned		1250
Superb		800
Young	each	350

Orange breasted		45
Orange cheeked		1250
Violet eared		n/a
Weaver		
Comoro		n/a
Grenadier		370
Madagascar		170
Madagascar Yellow		n/a
Napoleon		2,000
Orange Bishop		2000
Whydah		
Pin tailed		1500
Red shouldered		1600
Yellowhammer		2000

Doves and Pigeons (continued)

White breasted Ground		175
Young	each	60
White headed		100
Young	each	40
Wonga		150
Young	each	40

SOFT BILLS

Blackbird, European		n/a
Chat		
Crimson		300
Orange		300
White fronted		200
Fairy Wren		
Black -backed		150
Purple backed		300
Red backed		400
Red winged		400
Superb		120
Splendid		200
Variegated		600
White winged		300
Honeyeater – Scarlet		400
Kingfisher		
Sacred		500
Kookaburra		
Blue winged		500

Wompoo	n/a	Laughing	450
Green winged	125	Landrail	
Young each	50	Buff - banded	100
Masked	40	Lapwing	
Partridge	300	Banded	90
Young each	120	Masked	80
Peaceful		Magpie	n/a
Fawn	40	Robin	
Normal	20	Eastern Yellow	500
Rock		Red - capped	300
Chestnut quilled	1000	Scrub wren	
White quilled	500	Yellow throated	450
Young each	200	Silvereye	60
Senegal	15	Spinebill	
Young each	15	Eastern	500
Spinifex		Stone Curlew	
Red bellied	400	Bush - Southern	400
Young each	175	Thrush, Song	80
White bellied	400	Turkey - Brush	50
Young each	175	Skylark	80
Squatter	200	Wattlebird, Red	300
Young each	80	Whipbird - Eastern	400
Talpacoti	30	Woodswallow	
Torres Strait	200	Dusky	300
Turtle Dove		White - browed	300
Ruddy	200		
Spotted	6		

CANARIES

Roller	50
Male	30
Female	20
Chopper	n/a
Norwich	
Plainhead	40
Cinnamon	50
Crested	30
Crest bred	50
Gloucester Fancy	30
Red Factor	30
Red Orange	n/a
Common	15
Yorkshire	40
Lizards	n/a
Frills	30

PHEASANTS AND PEA FOWL

Blackneck	70
Brush Turkey	800
Fireback - Siamese	800
Golden	
Normal	75
Black throated	80
Guinea Fowl	
Normal	35
Cinnamon	50
Silver	50
Jungle Fowl - Red	40
Kalij - Nepal	100
Lady Amherst	130
Mongolian	
Pure	60
Blue	60

Border Fancy	
Normal	30
Cinnamon	n/a
Mosiacs	n/a
Fife	30

Green	60
Peafowl - Indian	
Blue normal	110
Blue pied	150
Blue white	200

WATERFOWL

Blue billed Duck	400
Black Duck	55
Goose	
Canada	1400
Cape Barren	120
Egyptian	200
Magpie	300
Young each	100
Hardhead Duck	150
Mandarin Duck	280
Pygmy Goose, Green	950
Scaup (NZ)	255
Shelduck	
Burdekin	400
Mountain	160
Paradise	325
Ruddy	300
Shoveller, A'sian	300
Swan	
Black	250
Mute	2000
Teal	
Chestnut	105
Grey	100
Whistling Duck	
Plumed	120
Water	150
Wood Duck	60

Peafowl - Javanese	
Green	600
Mutant Blue	n/a
Mutant Green	n/a

Reeves	150
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Ringneck	
Pure	60
Cinnamon	60
White	130

Silver	100
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Swinhoe's	150
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QUAIL AND PARTRIDGE

Quail	
Bob White	60
Brown – Normal	40
– Pied	400
– White	400
Button – Black breasted	150
– Little	110
– Painted	70
– Red backed	500
– Red chested	500
Californian	60
European –	
all varieties	10
Japanese	10
King -	
Normal	10
Cinnamon	10
Silver-blue	11
Stubble	50
Swamp	80
Partridge – Chukar	50