

GRAUCALUS TENUIROSTRIS, *Jard.*

Fig. 1.

Grauc. loro, lineâ infra-oculari, plumisque auricularibus, nigerrimis; alis nigris, plumis extus cinereo marginatis; rectricibus caudæ duabus intermediis saturatè cinereis, lineâ centrali, apicibusque nigris; quatuor proximis utrinque nigris; externâ utrinque nigrâ, ad apicem cinereâ; vertice, corporeque saturatè cinereis; rostro pedibusque nigris.

Long. tot. $9\frac{1}{2}$ unc.; rostri, $1\frac{1}{4}$; alæ, $5\frac{1}{4}$; caudæ, $4\frac{1}{4}$; tarsi, $\frac{7}{8}$.

Lores, line beneath the eye, and ear-coverts jet black; wings black, each feather margined externally with grey; two middle tail-feathers dark grey, with the shafts and tips black, the four next on each side black, the outer one on each side black, tipped with bluish grey; crown of the head, all the upper and under surface dark bluish grey; bill and feet black.

SYN. *Graucalus tenuirostris*, Jard. in Journ. of Nat. and Geog. Sci., no. iv. new ser. p. 211.—Jard. and Selb. Ill. Orn., vol. iii. pl. cxiv.

Habitat. Australia: locality, New South Wales.

GRAUCALUS SWAINSONII.

Fig. 2.

Grauc. loris nigerrimis; corpore superiore, tectricibus alarum, gulâ, pectoreque, cinereis; primariis, secundariisque nigris, illis angustè, his latè cinereo marginatis; caudâ nigrâ, ad basin cinereâ; abdomine, crissoque albis, nigro crebrè fasciatis; rostro pedibusque nigris.

Long. tot. 10 unc.; rostri, 1; alæ, $5\frac{3}{4}$; caudæ, 4; tarsi, $\frac{7}{8}$.

Lores black; head, all the upper surface, wing-coverts, throat, and breast grey; primaries and secondaries black, the former narrowly, and the latter broadly margined on their external edges with grey; tail grey at the base, black for the remainder of its length; abdomen, under surface of the shoulder, and under tail-coverts white, crossed by numerous decided narrow bars of black; bill and feet black.

SYN. *Cebblepyris lineatus*, Swains. in Zool. Journ., vol. i. p. 466.

Remark. As the term *lineatus* had been previously given to another species of this group, Mr. Swainson's name sinks into a synonym; and I have therefore dedicated the present species to that gentleman.

Habitat. Australia: locality, the east coast of New South Wales.

GRAUCALUS MENTALIS, *Vig. & Horsf.*

Fig. 3.

Grauc. loro, genis, gulâ, pectoreque nigerrimis; vertice, corpore superiore, alisque saturatè cinereis; primariis, secundariisque nigris; marginibus externis, apicibusque cinereis; caudâ ad basin cinereâ, apicem versus nigrescente, apice ipso albo; abdomine cinereo; crisso albo; rostro pedibusque nigris.

Long. tot. $10\frac{1}{4}$ unc.; rostri, $1\frac{1}{8}$; alæ, $6\frac{5}{8}$; caudæ, 5; tarsi, $\frac{3}{4}$.

Lores, sides of the face, throat, and chest jet black; crown of the head, all the upper surface, and wings dark grey; primaries and secondaries black, margined on their external webs and tips with grey; tail grey at the base, passing into blackish brown near the extremity, and tipped with white; abdomen grey, passing into white on the under tail-coverts; bill and feet black.

SYN. *Graucalus mentalis*, Vig. and Horsf. in Linn. Trans., vol. xv. p. 217.

Habitat. Australia: locality, New South Wales.



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1. *Gaucaulus tenuirostris*.
 2. ----- *Smaisonii*.
 3. ----- *mentalis*.



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