

Silvereye Tauhou

Zosterops lateralis lateralis



Conservation status

Regional | At Risk: Declining
National | Not Threatened



Main threats

Unknown

A bit about me...



Length:
12 cm



Weight:
13 g



Range

Range:

Abundant across Aotearoa New Zealand in most vegetated habitats after colonising from Australia in the 1850s.

Key Otago sites:



- Widespread



New Zealand native

A tiny olive-green bird with a distinctive white eye ring and peach sides. Often vocal with a range of trills and warbles. Large flocks congregate in the cooler months, feeding on fruits and invertebrates.

Similar bird:



Bellbird / korimako