

# 15249 Shrike juvenile identification

## IDENTIFICATION OF JUVENILES OF RED-BACKED SHRIKE (*Lanius collurio*) AND WOODCHAT SHRIKE (*Lanius senator*)

**Juveniles** can be separated by pattern of upperparts, scapulars and the outermost tail feather.



Red-backed Shrike: scapulars not pale; back with reddish feathers; the outermost tail feather with narrow pale edge.



Woodchat Shrike: scapulars largely whitish barred; back with brown-greyish feathers; the outermost tail feather with broad patch on the tip.