

Table 1. Page space allocated to extinct bird taxa (including the reportedly extant Ivory-billed Woodpecker), as a percentage of space allocated to a comparable extant taxon, in recent editions of eight bird field guide series. Measurements include both illustrations and text; percentages <10 generally represent mention of the species in text only, typically one sentence or less. "Average" includes all taxa except the Ivory-billed Woodpecker.

Field Guide	Labrador Duck	Heath Hen	Eskimo Curlew	Great Auk	Passenger Pigeon
Griggs 1997	206	206	104	305	522
Bull and Farrand 1994	–	8	1	–	–
Kaufman 2000	–	8	–	–	–
NGS 2002	3	8	53	2	2
Peterson 2002	6	–	66	19	13
Robbins et al. 2001	–	–	63	–	–
Sibley 2000	5	5	3	3	5
Stokes and Stokes 1996	–	–	–	–	–

Field Guide	Carolina Parakeet	Ivory-billed Woodpecker	Bachman's Warbler	Dusky Seaside Sparrow	Average (Extinct Only)
Griggs 1997	223	100	325	–	236
Bull and Farrand 1994	–	–	102	5	14
Kaufman 2000	7	6	–	–	2
NGS 2002	–	91	97	27	24
Peterson 2002	21	83	57	4	23
Robbins et al. 2001	–	89	111	39	27
Sibley 2000	5	3	5	5	4
Stokes and Stokes 1996	–	–	–	–	0