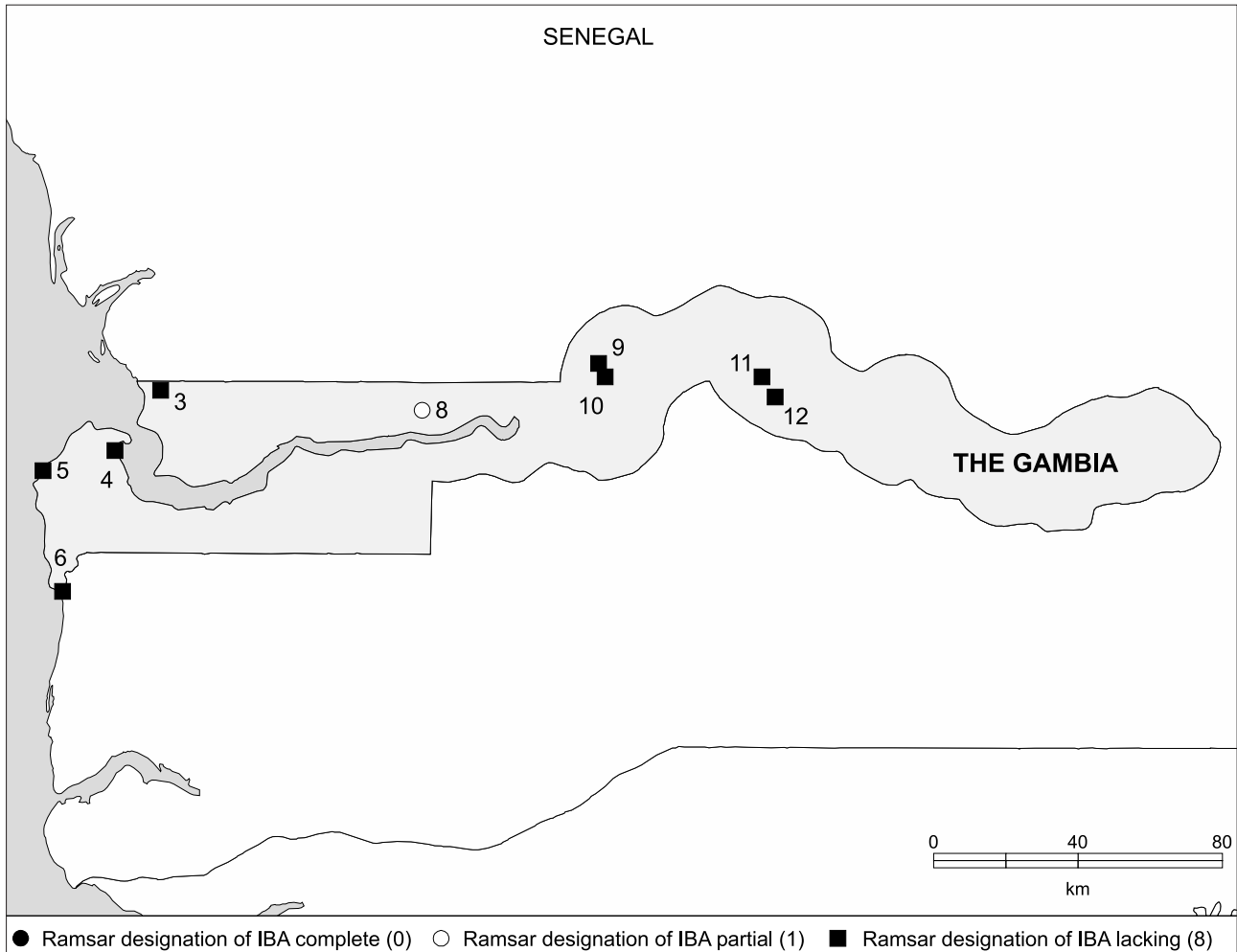


Location of Important Bird Areas that contain areas which qualify as Ramsar Sites in The Gambia



Designation progress

Areas within nine Important Bird Areas qualify currently as Ramsar Sites in the Republic of The Gambia. Designation coverage is partial (with need of expansion) within one of

these IBAs, while eight (89%) of the suitable IBAs in The Gambia have no Ramsar designation as yet.

Summary of Important Bird Areas that contain areas which qualify as Ramsar Sites in The Gambia

IBA code	IBA name	IBA area (ha)	Ramsar Site name	Ramsar Site area (ha)	Ramsar criteria			
					2	4	5	6
Ramsar designation of IBA partial (1 IBA)								
GM008	Bao Bolon Wetland Reserve	22,000	Bao Bolon Wetland Reserve	20,000	●	●	●	
Subtotal					-	1	1	1

IBA code	IBA name	IBA area (ha)	Ramsar Site name	Ramsar Site area (ha)	Ramsar criteria			
					2	4	5	6
Ramsar designation of IBA lacking (8 IBAs)								
GM003	Niumi National Park	4,940				●		●
GM004	Tanbi wetland complex	4,500				●	●	●
GM005	Tanji River (Karinti) Bird Reserve	612			●	●	●	●
GM006	Allahein to Kartung coast	300				●		●
GM009	Samba Sotor to Kaur wetlands	1,500				●		●
GM010	Dankunku wetlands	6,500				●		●
GM011	Islands of the Central River Division	3,000				●	●	●
GM012	Jakhaly rice-fields	1,000				●		●
Subtotal					1	8	3	8
Grand total					1	9	4	9

For the full details of each site, including bird populations, see Fishpool and Evans (2001) and the Data Zone at www.birdlife.net by 2003. See 'Identifying potential Ramsar Sites' (p.11) for a description of the site- and species-selection procedure and the method for evaluating adequacy of Ramsar coverage that have been used in this report.

Threatened species

Within the one IBA that contains an area that qualifies as a Ramsar Site under Criterion 2, one wetland-dependent species of global conservation concern occurs regularly in significant numbers.

Summary of the occurrence of wetland species of global conservation concern within the selected IBAs

Species name and global threat status (IUCN 2000; see p.147)		
IBA code	Audouin's Gull <i>Larus audouinii</i> (LR/nt)	Grand total
GM005	●	1
Grand total	1	1