

MN (Minor) *Geopelia striata*

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<b>Eicat category</b>	MN (Minor)
<b>Justification for EICAT assessment</b>	The Zebra Dove is a host of <i>Trichomonas gallinae</i> and avian pox on Hawaii, which had also been detected in native bird species, for example the Apapane ( <i>Himatione sanguinea</i> ). There is no evidence that this has caused a decline of these species (Van Riper and Van Riper 1985, Hawaii Horticulture 2013, Hawaii Bird Guide).
<b>Confidence rating</b>	Low
<b>Mechanism(s) of maximum impact</b>	Transmission of diseases to native species
<b>Countries of most severe impact</b>	U.S.A.
<b>Description of impact</b>	The Zebra Dove is a host of a disease which has also been detected in native bird species.
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