

***American Oystercatcher:*** The American Oystercatcher Working Group coordinates a large-scale banding and re-sighting effort across its North American range. Please report all observations of banded oystercatchers to the website: [American Oystercatcher Banding](#). Oystercatchers from each state are assigned a colored band. Florida and Georgia share red bands.

Visit the American Oystercatcher Working group page to learn more about AMOY banding throughout their range. See: <http://amoywg.org/photo-galleries/amoy-banding-gallery/> for banding schemes based on state. And see: <http://amoywg.org/banding-re-sighting/reading-band-codes/> to learn how to read and correctly distinguish between the band code orientations. Codes may be “horizontal,” “vertical,” or “triangular.”