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All measurements are from live birds unless otherwise indicated.

Where more than one eagle was measured, first number is the mean average (where available), range of measurements is given (where available) in parentheses.

N=number of birds examined.

Arranged by region from north to south, then by approximate age of bird (if known).

	WEIGHT ¹		LENGTH		BILL DEPTH		BILL WIDTH		CULMEN LENGTH		FOOT PAD LENGTH		TARSUS WIDTH		TARSUS LENGTH		MID-TOE LENGTH		HALLUX TALON		8 th PRIMARY		CENTRAL RECTRIX		1 st SECONDARY		WING CHORD		WINGSPAN		
REGION (Reference) (ages if known)	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	
Alaska (Imier et al. 1955) ² (ages unspecified)	5089 (4359-5756) ³ N=18	4014 (3524-4568) ⁴ N=18	949.2 (895.4-1012.7) N=18	872 (848.4-906.8) N=18																			341.1 (309.9-374.7) N=18	317 (292.1-342.9) N=18			652.3 (622.3-698.5) N=18	605.8 (574.6-627.4) N=18	2327.4 (2231.9-2425.7) N=18	2142.2 (2073.2-2247.9) N=18	
Alaska (Chura et al. 1967) (ages unspecified)	5624 N=1	4899 N=1																													
Alaska, Canada, & North U.S. (Bortolotti 1984c) ⁵ (1 st , 2 nd winter)																							320 N=1								
Alaska, Canada, & North U.S. (Bortolotti 1984c) ⁶ (2 nd winter)					35.8 (33-41.2) N=15	32.2 (29.6-34.2) N=23	32.2 (28.2-38.1) N=18	29.9 (26.6-34.4) N=29	54.3 (50.4-58.7) N=18	50.3 (41.7-53.6) N=27			16.6 (14.8-18.9) N=19	14.5 (13.1-16.2) N=29					44.2 (41.4-48.9) N=19	39.1 (32.7-42.6) N=29	472.3 (450-493) N=19	441.2 (406-478) N=29	328.9 (300-372) N=17	313.2 (266-351) N=28	402.1 (361-430) N=15	368.2 (316-398) N=29	651.4 (620-684) N=19	608.5 (555-651) N=29			
Alaska, Canada, & North U.S. (Bortolotti 1984c) ⁷ (3 rd winter)					34.9 (32.6-37.5) N=8	32.4 (30.9-34.3) 12	33.6 (29.7-36.9) N=11	29.8 (25.5-32.7) N=14	55.2 (53-58.8) N=11	51.7 (48.4-54.3) N=14			15.9 (14.1-17.1) N=11	14.3 (13.4-15.5) N=14					45 (42.6-47.7) N=11	40.4 (38-42.7) N=14	454.9 (436-486) N=10	426.4 (405-454) N=13	312.6 (291-350) N=10	284.4 (267-308) N=10	384.2 (353-399) N=11	359.8 (313-390) N=13	631.5 (600-680) N=11	602.3 (579-623) N=13			
Alaska, Canada, & North U.S. (Bortolotti 1984c) ⁸ (4 th winter)					35.9 (33.8-37.8) N=10	32.1 (31.3-32.7) N=10	31.8 (28.2-34.8) N=11	30.7 (28.4-33.9) N=14	54.4 (51.2-60.6) N=12	50.9 (48.3-52.9) N=14			16.1 (14.9-18.1) N=13	14.3 (12.9-16.4) N=13					43.9 (41.3-47.8) N=12	39.8 (38-43) N=14	434.4 (414-449) N=11	414.9 (397-433) N=14	284.2 (279-295) N=12	262.6 (254-278) N=14	362.5 (338-386) N=13	337.3 (321-351) N=13	610.2 (585-639) N=12	581.3 (565-600) N=14			
Saskatchewan (Bortolotti 1984a) ⁹ (60+ days)	5172 (4800-5600) N=21	4066 (3575-4500) N=26			33.7 (32.5-35.4) N=31	30.4 (29.5-31.3) N=33			54.4 (52-56.5) N=20	49.1 (45.5-51) N=26	147.3 (142-158) N=31	132.2 (126-138) N=33	16.5 (15.6-17.8) N=31	14.4 (13.4-15.7) N=33	74 (65-80) N=31	71.4 (66-76) N=33	70.9 (66-75) N=31	64.6 (60-68) N=33													
New Brunswick (Wright 1953) ¹⁰ (ages unspecified)	6974 (6350-7484) N=6																													2032 (1676.4-2286) N=20	
Ontario (Bortolotti 1984c) ¹¹ (3 rd winter)																							305.5 (304-307) N=2	274 N=1							
Ontario (Bortolotti 1984c) ¹² (4 th winter)																							282 N=1	277 (273-281) N=2							
Washington Terr. (Baird 1874) ¹³ ("immature")									55.9 N=1														381 N=1				660.4 N=1				
Oregon (Feather Atlas) (3 rd year)																					372 N=1				294 N=1						
Illinois (Southern 1964) (1 st year)	5180 (4763-5783) N=3	3969 (3856-4082) N=2													88.7 (82-95) N=3	92 (89-95) N=2							349.3 (324-381) N=3	344 (343-345) N=2			641 (635-747) N=3	600 (577-623) N=2	2103.3 (2070-2145) N=3	1975 (1930-2020) N=2	
Illinois (Southern 1964) (2 nd year)		4491 N=1													89 N=1									356 N=1				628 N=1	2030 N=1		
Illinois Baird 1874 ¹⁴ (2 nd year?)									53.3 N=1						78.8 N=1		66 N=1						381 N=1				647.7 N=1				
Illinois (Southern 1964) (3 rd year)	5330 N=1														116 N=1								343 N=1				660 N=1		2080 N=1		
Tennessee (TN pgf 2011) ¹⁵ (94 days)		3941 N=1																													

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REGION (Reference) (ages if known)	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male
Tennessee (TN pgf 2011) (95 days)	5018 <i>N=1</i>																													
Tennessee (TN pgf 2011) (101 days)		4054 <i>N=1</i>																												
Florida (Brodkorb 1955) (1 st year)	4082 <i>N=1</i>																													
Unspecified Baird 1874 ¹⁶ (juvenile)									53.3-55.9 <i>N=2</i>	49.5-55.9 <i>N=5</i>					82.6-94 <i>N=2</i>	81.3-83.8 <i>N=5</i>	64.8-78.7 <i>N=2</i>	68.6-73.7 <i>N=5</i>					381-393.7 <i>N=2</i>	304.8-387.4 <i>N=5</i>			647.7-660.4 <i>N=2</i>	596.9-635 <i>N=5</i>		
Unspecified (Feather Atlas) (1 st year)																					419 <i>N=1</i>				332 <i>N=1</i>					
Unspecified (Feather Atlas) ¹⁷ (subadult)																					441 <i>N=1</i>				327 <i>N=1</i>					

¹ Whether stomach and crop contents are included in weight is unknown unless indicated.

² Museum specimens.

³ Subtracts weight of food in crop and stomach.

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⁵ Captive.

⁶ Museum specimens. Includes measurements for chord of bill from tip to gape: female 77.0 (69.9-81.7) *N=17*, male 72.5 (67.4-77.3), *N=27*.

⁷ Museum specimens. Includes measurements for chord of bill from tip to gape: female 76.4 (70.8-80.8), *N=11*, male 73.1 (71.5-75.1), *N=14*.

⁸ Museum specimens. Includes measurements for chord of bill from tip to gape: female 76.8 (72.6-81.9), *N=13*, male 72.1 (68.5-76.8), *N=13*.

⁹ Nestlings.

¹⁰ Sex and age unspecified.

¹¹ Captives.

¹² Captive.

¹³ Shoalwater Bay, Washington Territory (before statehood in 1889). Presumably captured or dead birds.

¹⁴ Mt. Carmel, IL (latitude 38.42 N). Presumably captured or dead bird.

¹⁵ Captive parents. Nestlings removed from nest, weighed, and released from hack tower.

¹⁶ Museum specimens.

¹⁷ Age unspecified.

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