The jackdaw



description

- •Size: medium sized among the corvids (33 to 39 cm).
- •Plumage: black plumage, sides of the head are grey with blue reflections.
- •Eyes: his eyes have the particularity to have a white iris.
- •Lifetime: The lifespan of the jackdaw is 13 to 15 years in the wild.
- •Weight: 224 to 257 g.

Reproduction

- •Nesting period: from april to july.
- •Number of broods : a single brood.
- •Eggs number: 4 to 5 light blue with dark spots eggs.
- •Incubation: 17 to 18 days.

Behavior

• Behavior: the jackdaw is a playful and sociable birds with a gregarious temperament that gathers in large troops.

Alimentation

•Omnivore, search his food at the ground, insect and their larva, snails, eggs, young passerine, seeds, berries, vegetables, waste.

Environment

•The jackdaw lives in the vast majority of European countries, in Western Asia, in the Middle East as well as in Northern Africa. The species reproduces throughout France with the exception of the extreme south-west.

threatened specie?

•jackdaw is a protected specie since 2009.