



- The following pages have some identification markers for each of Choughs, Corvids & Jays found in India
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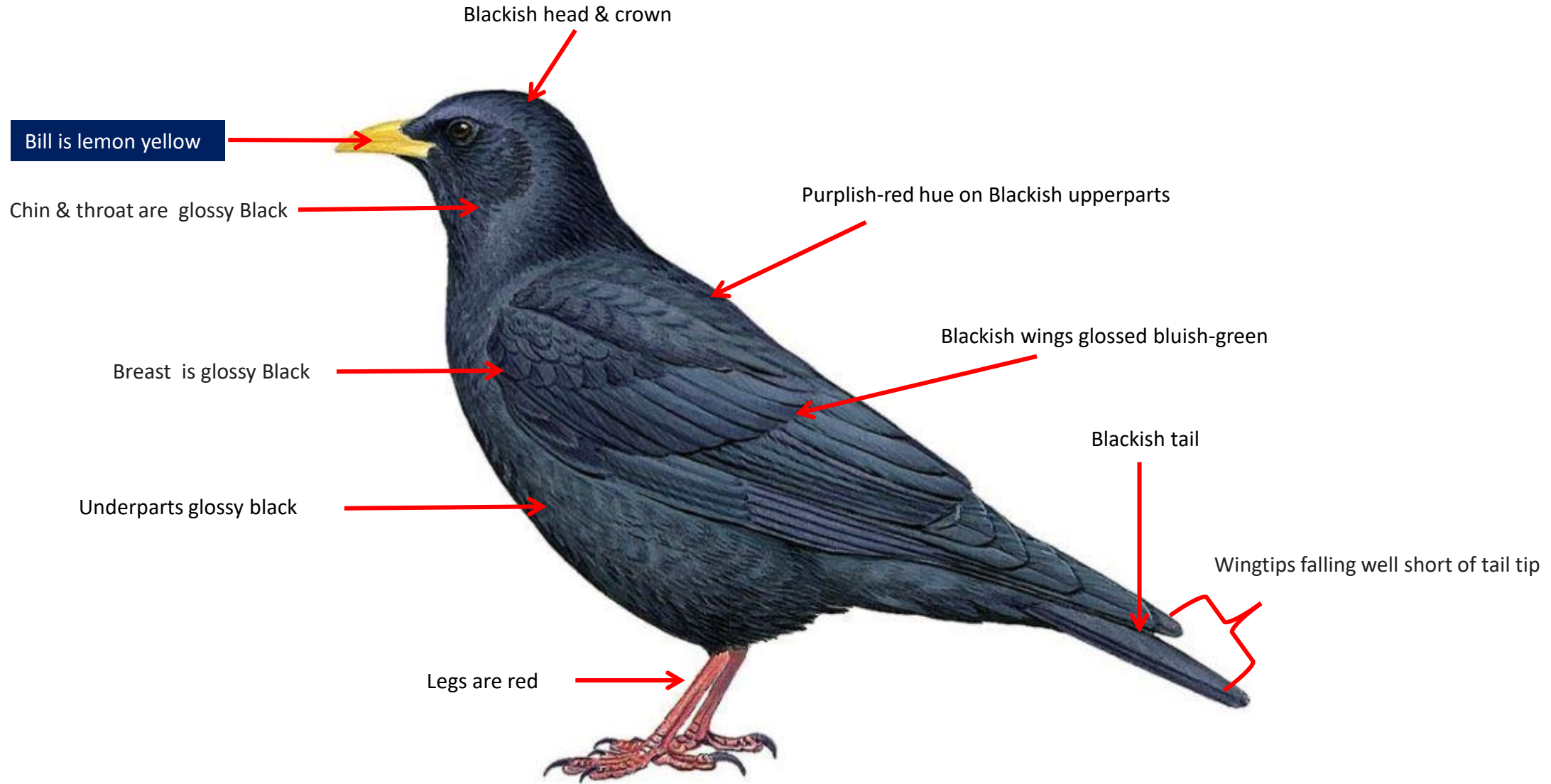
List of Choughs, Corvids & Jays found in India

Sno.	Name	Binomial Name
Chough		
1	Alpine Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax graculus</i>
2	Red-billed Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax</i>
Corvids		
1	Carrion Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>
2	Eastern Jungle Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos levaillantii</i>
3	Eurasian Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>
4	Hooded Crow	<i>Corvus corone cornix</i>
5	House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>
6	Indian Jungle Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos culminatus</i>
7	Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>
8	Northern Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>
9	Punjab Raven	<i>Corvus corax subcorax</i>
10	Rook	<i>Corvus frugilegus</i>
Jays		
1	Black-headed Jay	<i>Garrulus lanceolatus</i>
2	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>

Choughs

Alpine Chough identification Tips

Alpine Chough : *Pyrrhocorax graculus* : Resident of Himalayas in India

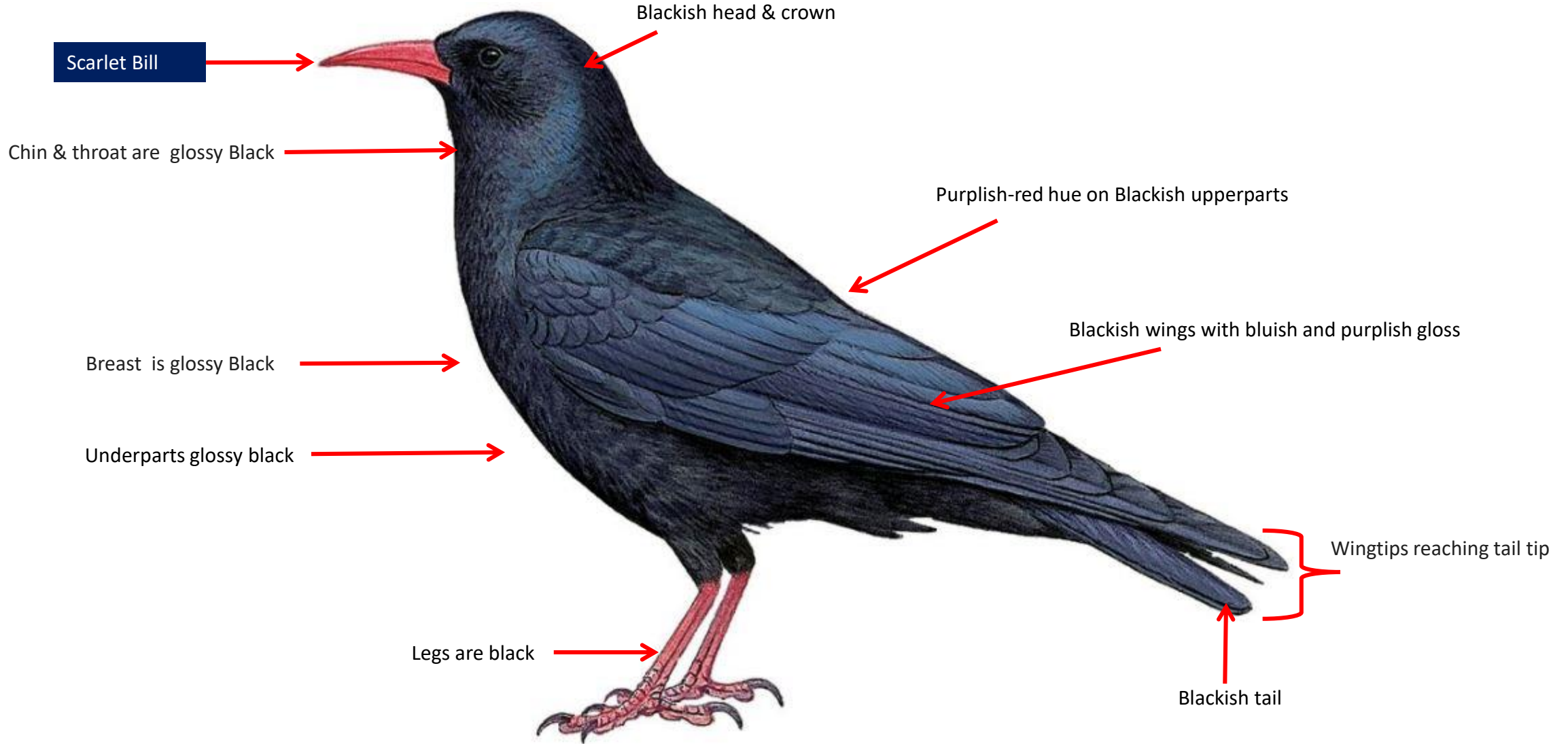


Important id point

Both the sexes similar

Red-billed Chough identification Tips

Red-billed Chough : *Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax*: Resident of Himalayas in India



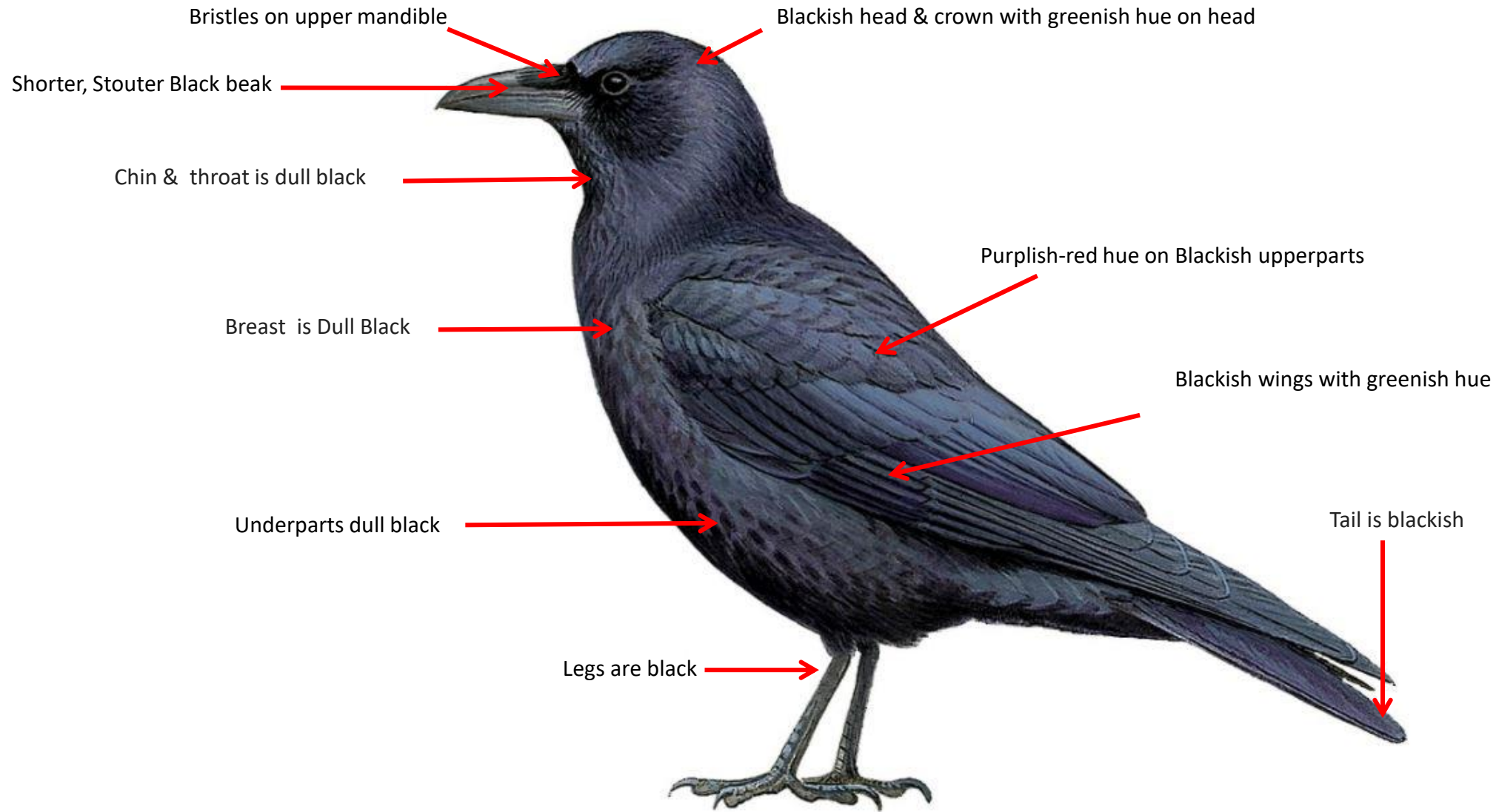
Important id point

Both the sexes similar

Corvids

Carrion Crow identification Tips : *C.c. orientalis*

Carrion Crow : *Corvus corone orientalis* : Resident of Mountains of Ladhak in India



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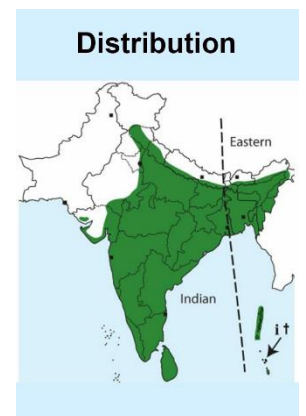
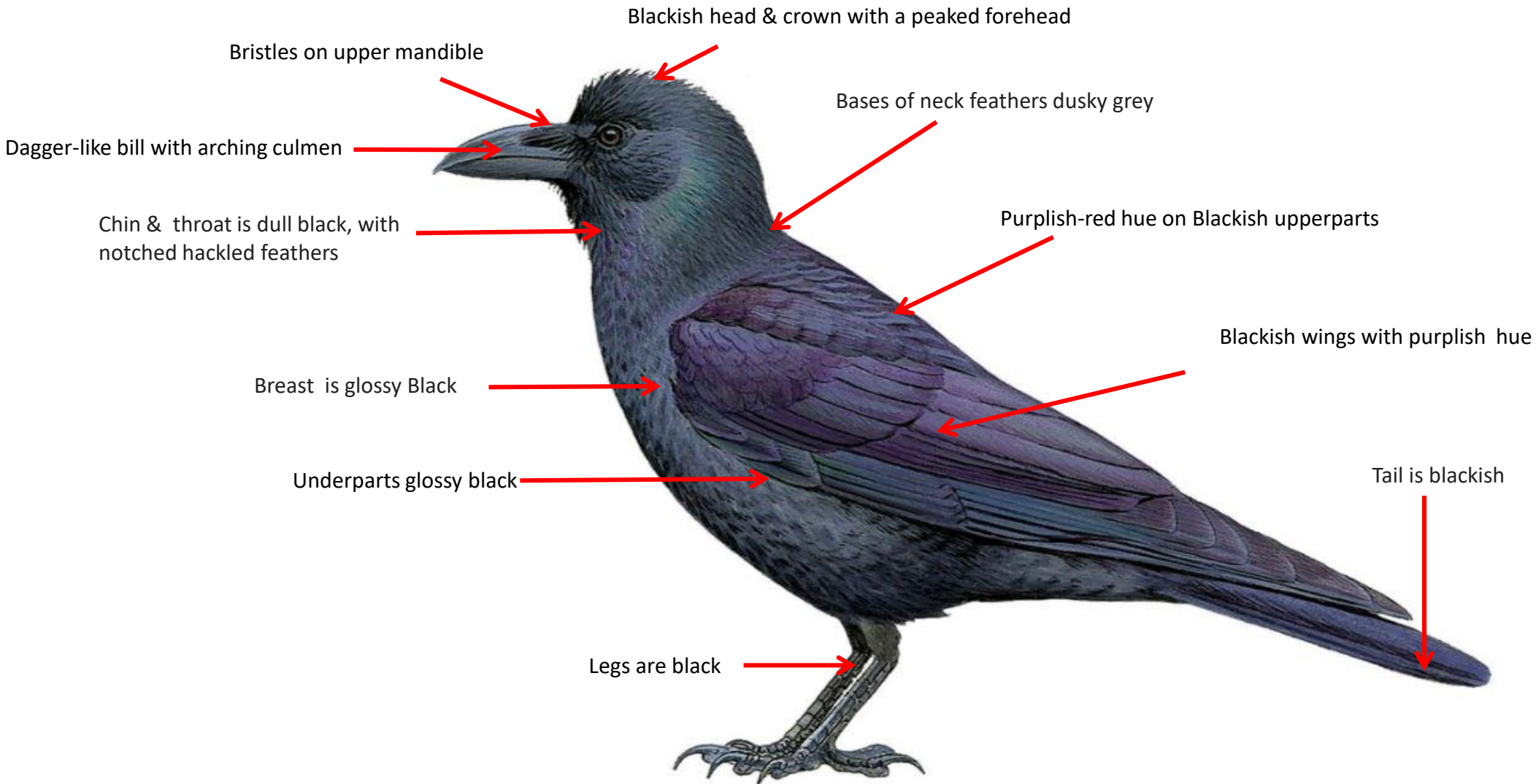
Both the sexes similar

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Eastern Jungle Crow identification Tips

Eastern Jungle Crow : *Corvus leuallantii* : Resident of North East India & Andaman Islands in India



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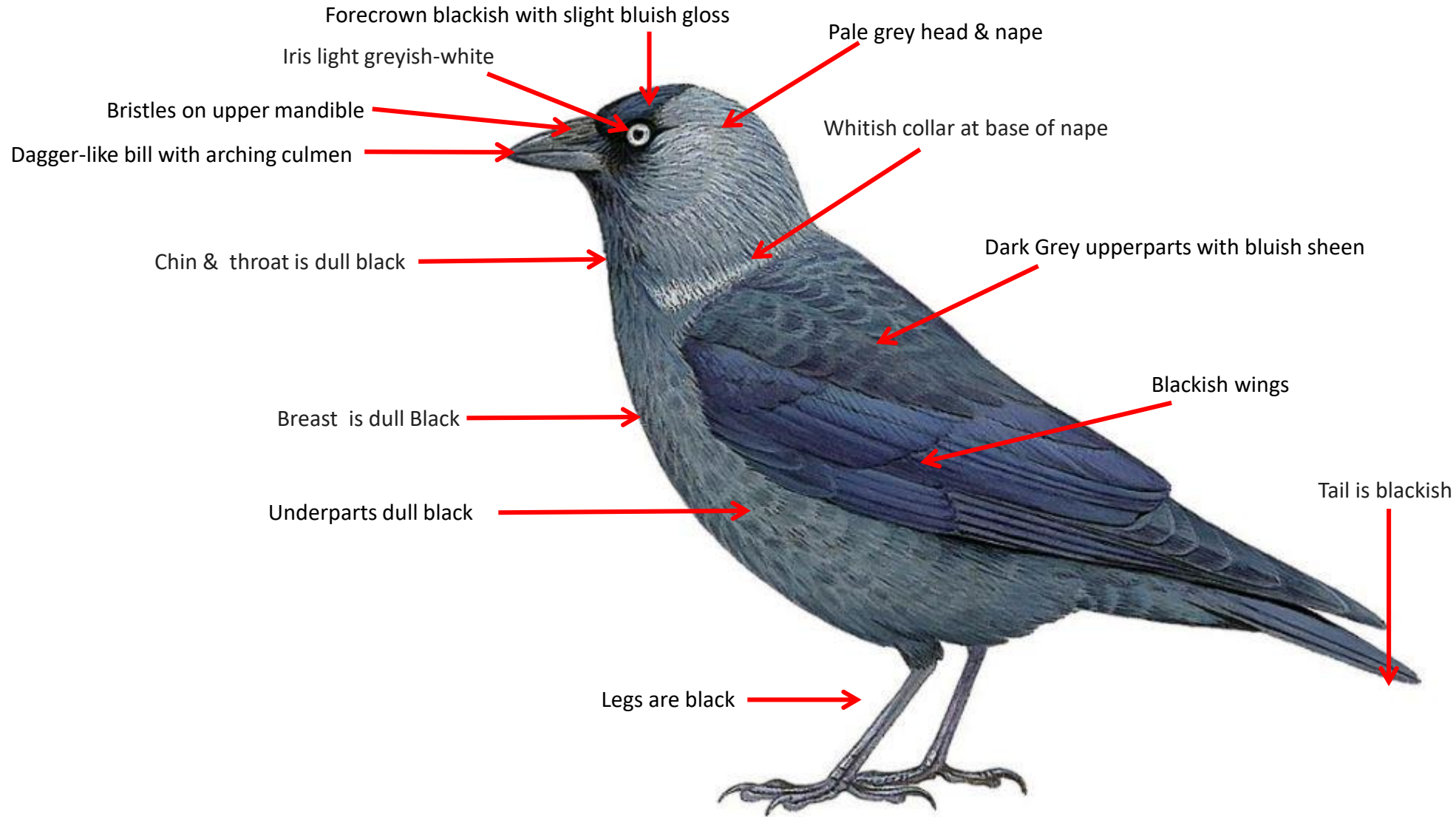
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Eurasian Jackdaw identification Tips : *C. m. soemmerringii*

Eurasian Jackdaw : *Corvus monedula soemmerringii*: Resident of North West Himalayas in India

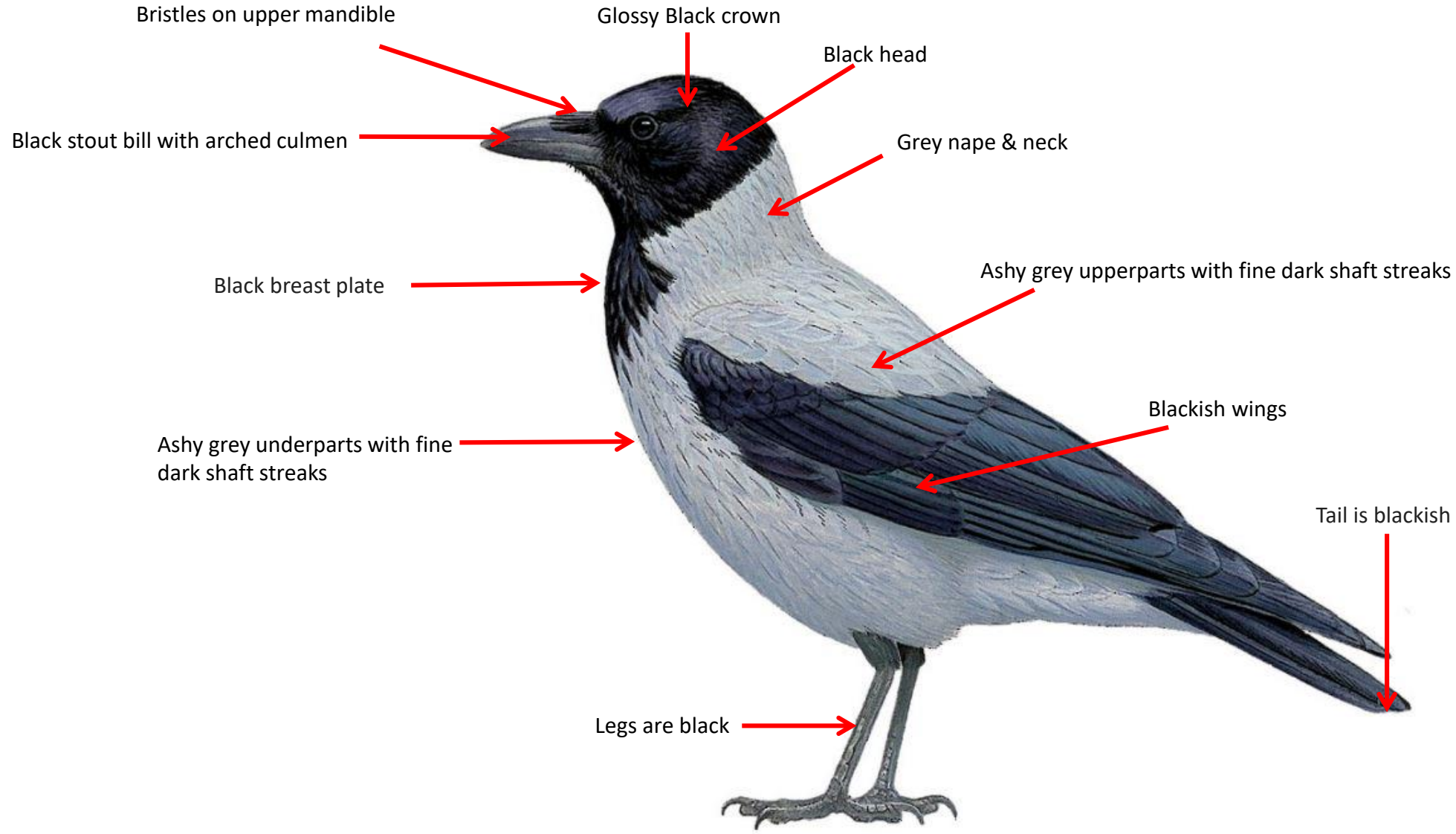


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Hooded Crow identification Tips

Hooded Crow : *Corvus cornix* : Resident of North West Himalayas in India



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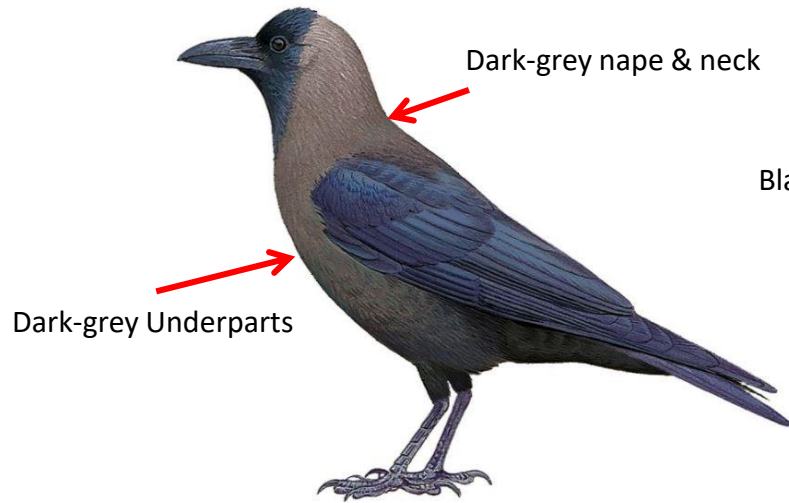
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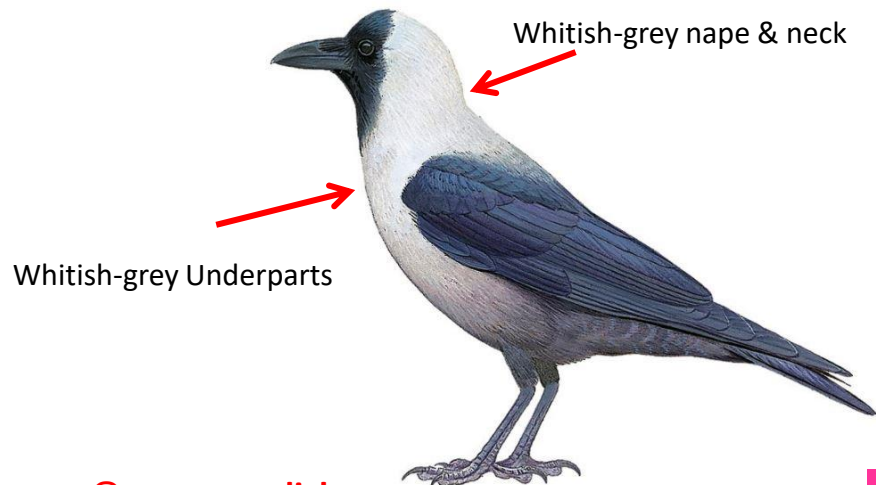
House Crow identification Tips

House Crow: *Corvus splendens* : Widespread Resident in India

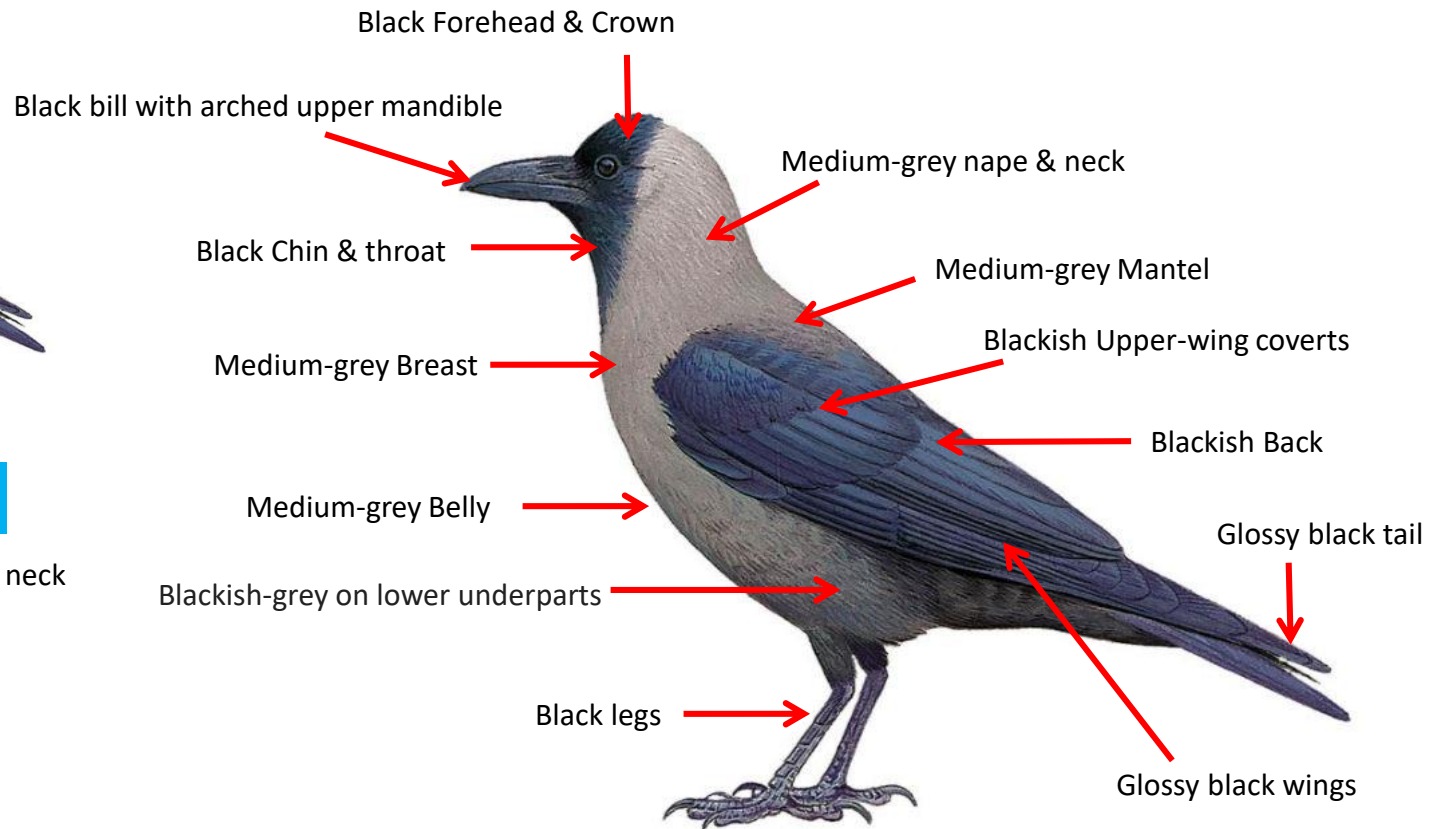
***C. s. protegatus*- Resident in South West India (S from N Kerala and W Tamil Nadu)**



***C. s. zugmayeri* – Resident in North West & North Central India**



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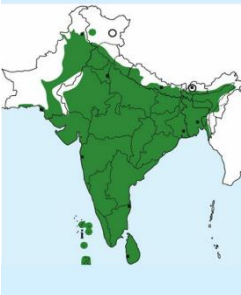
Subspecies

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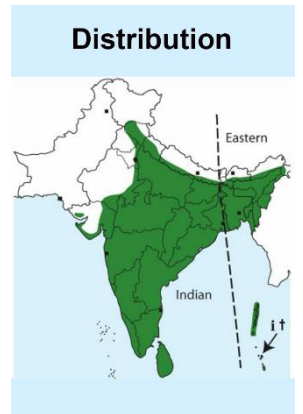
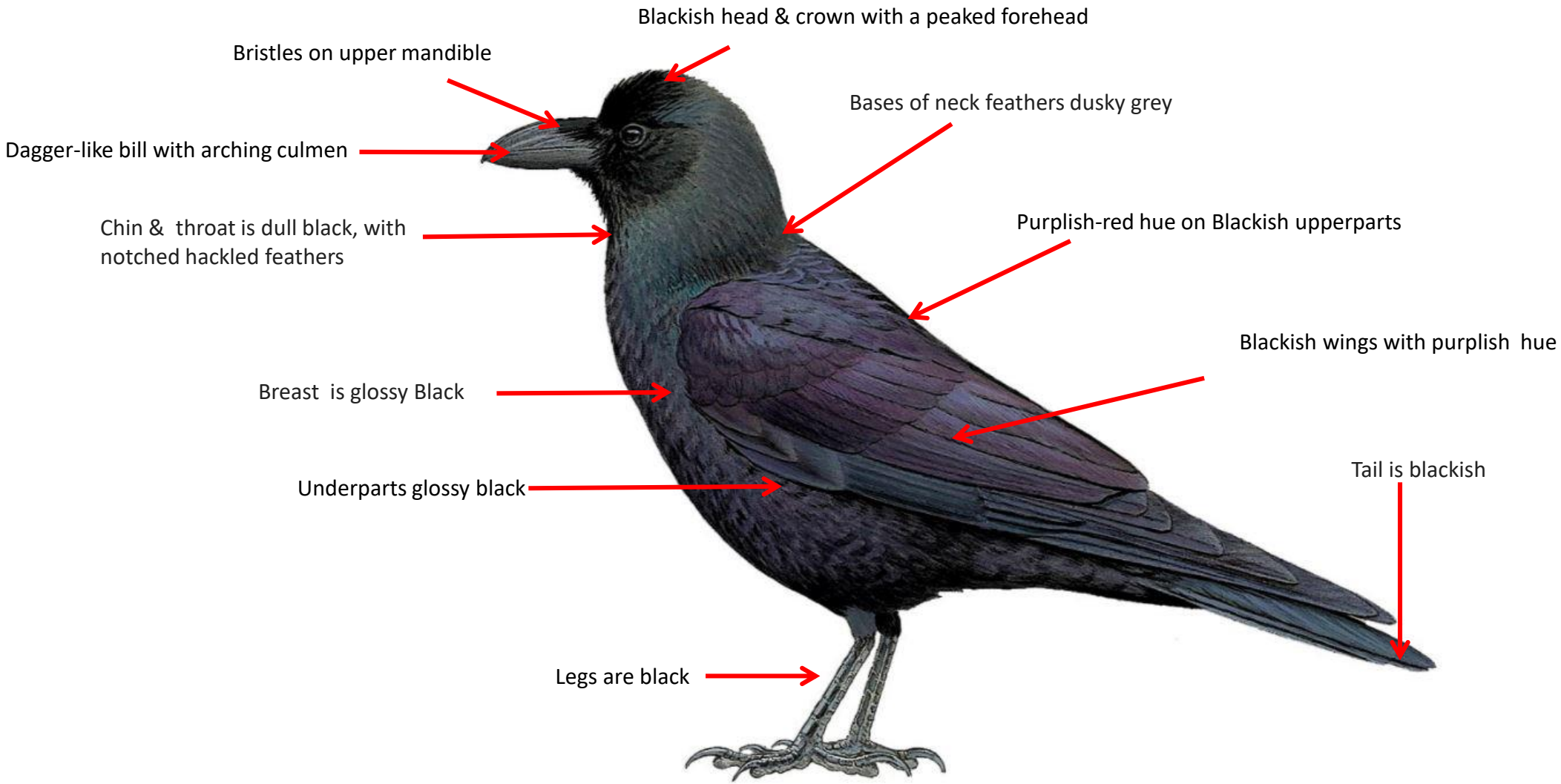
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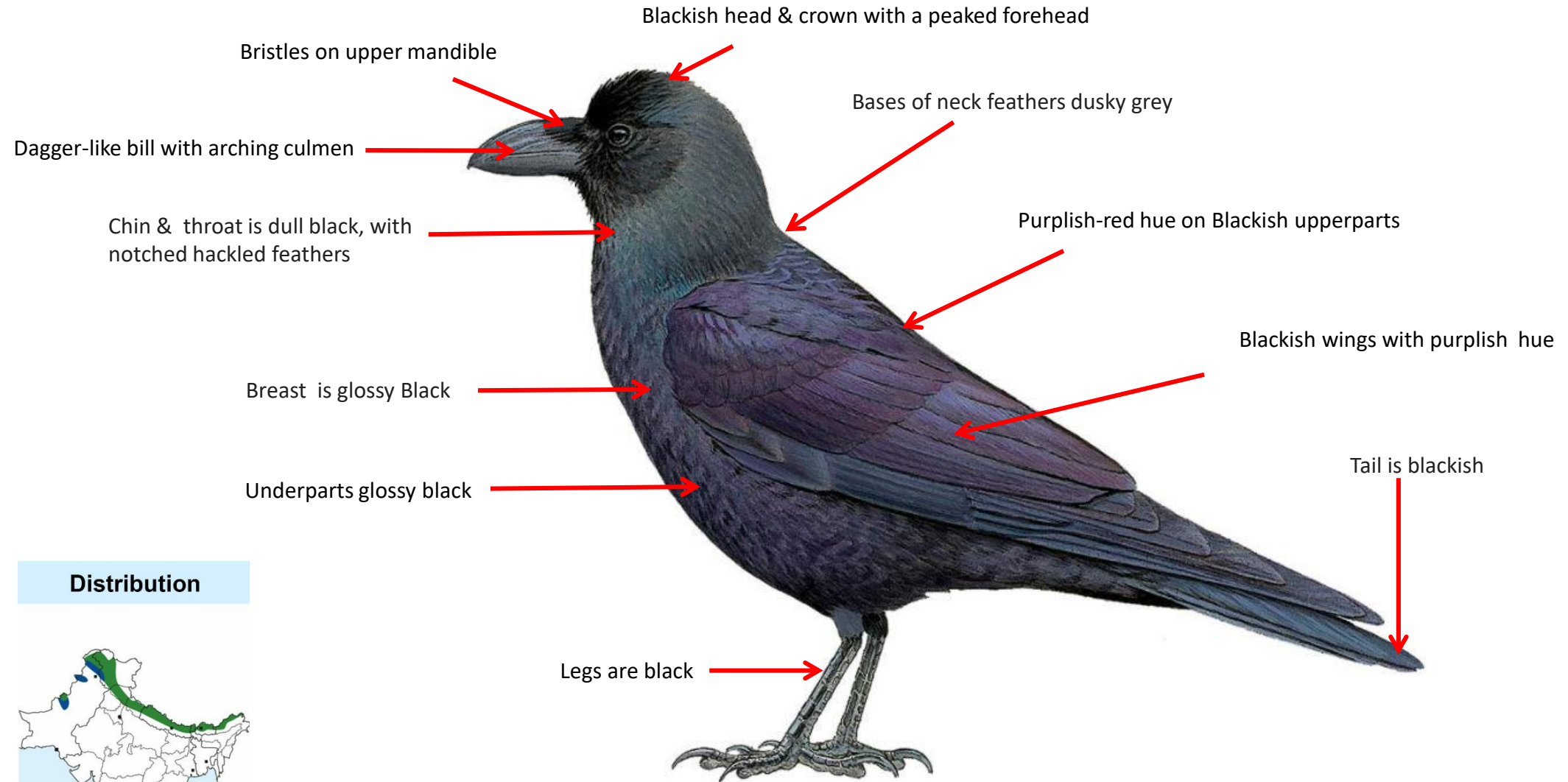
Indian Jungle Crow identification Tips

Indian Jungle Crow : *Corvus culminatus* : Wide spread resident in India (Except East India)



Large-billed Crow identification Tips

Large-billed Crow : *Corvus macrorhynchos* : Resident of Himalayas in India

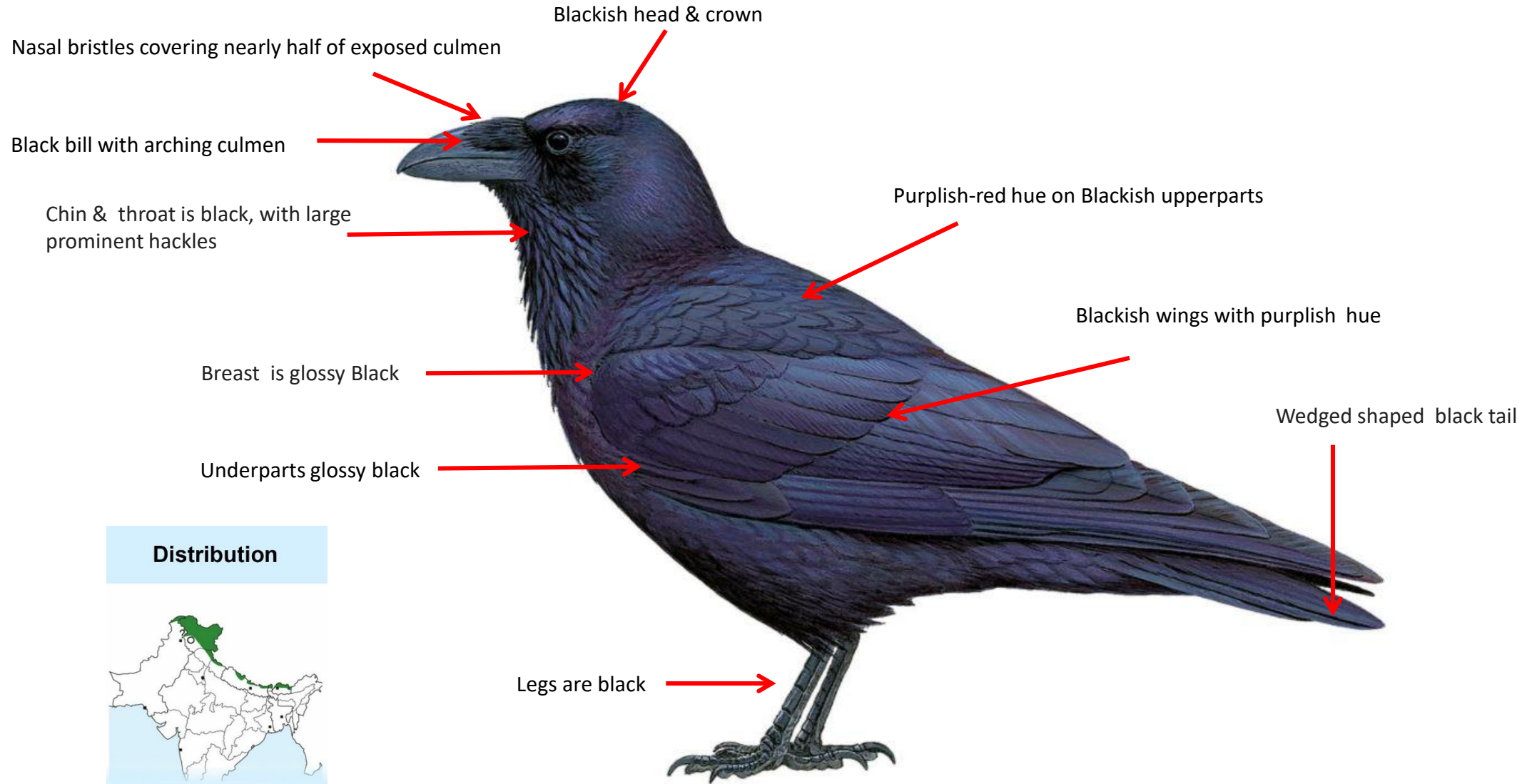


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Northern Raven identification Tips

Northern Raven : *Corvus corax* : Resident of Himalayas in India



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Punjab Raven identification Tips

Punjab Raven : *Corvus subcorax* : Resident of North West India

Nasal bristles covering nearly half of exposed culmen

Blackish head & crown

Black bill with arching culmen

Chin & throat is black, with large prominent hackles

Purplish-red hue on Blackish upperparts

Blackish wings with purplish hue

Breast is glossy Black

Underparts glossy black

Wedged shaped black tail

Legs are black

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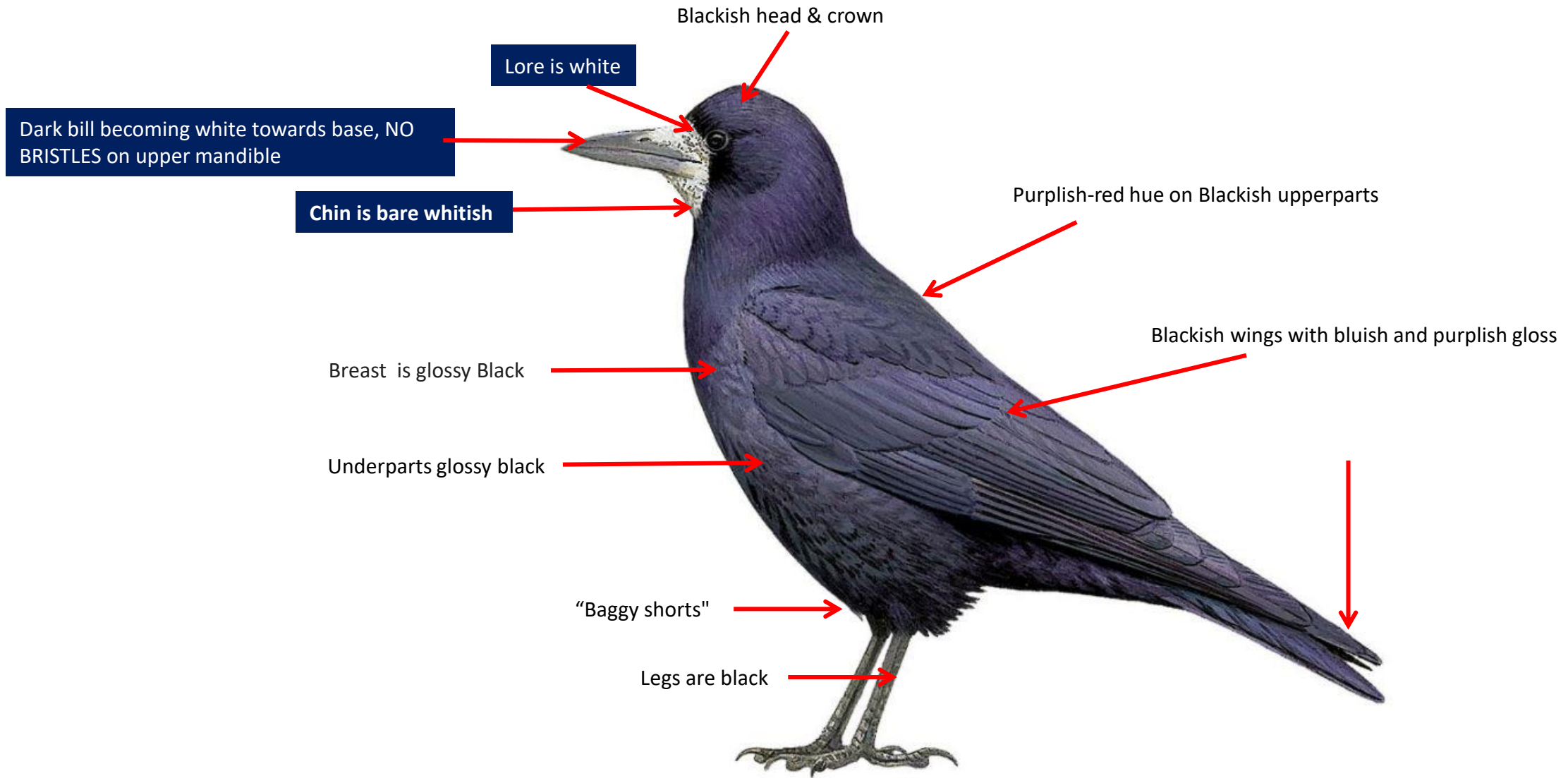
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Rook identification Tips

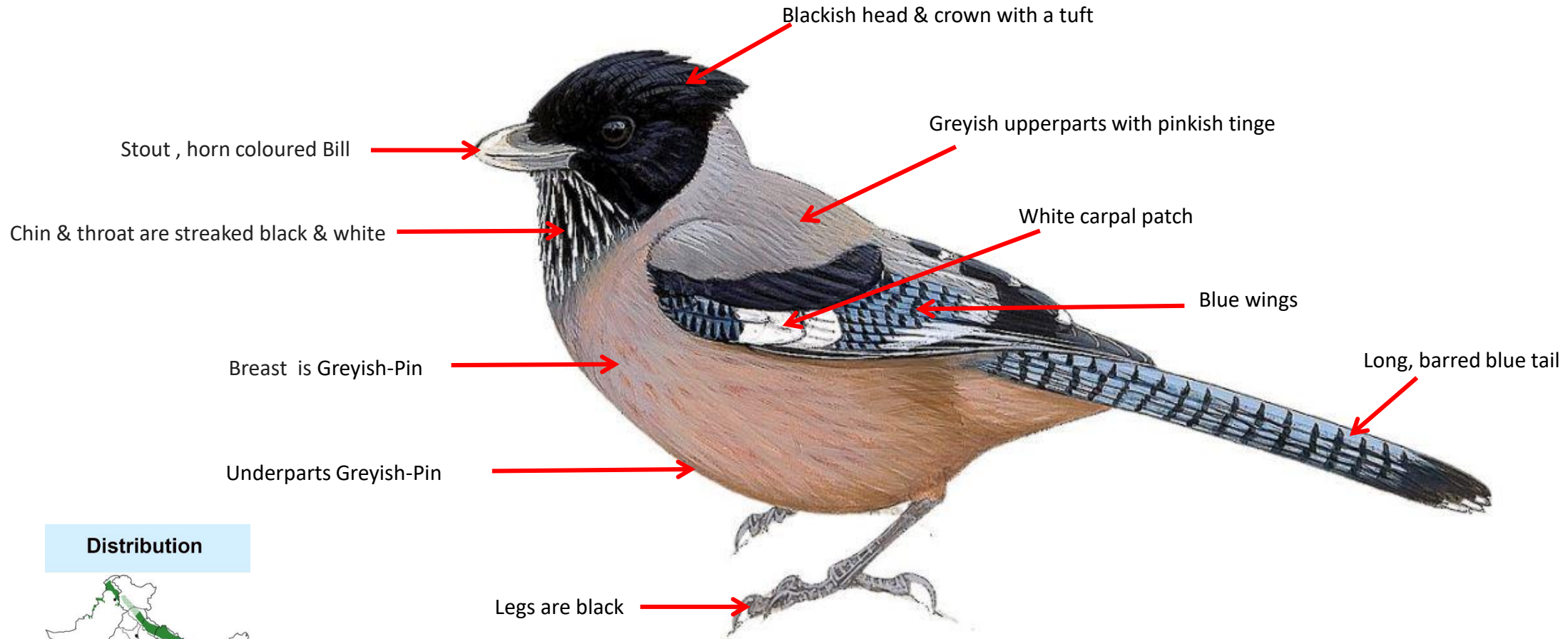
Rook : *Corvus frugilegus* : Winter visitor to Kashmir in India



Jays

Black-headed Jay identification Tips

Black-headed Jay : *Garrulus lanceolatus*: Resident of Himalayas in India



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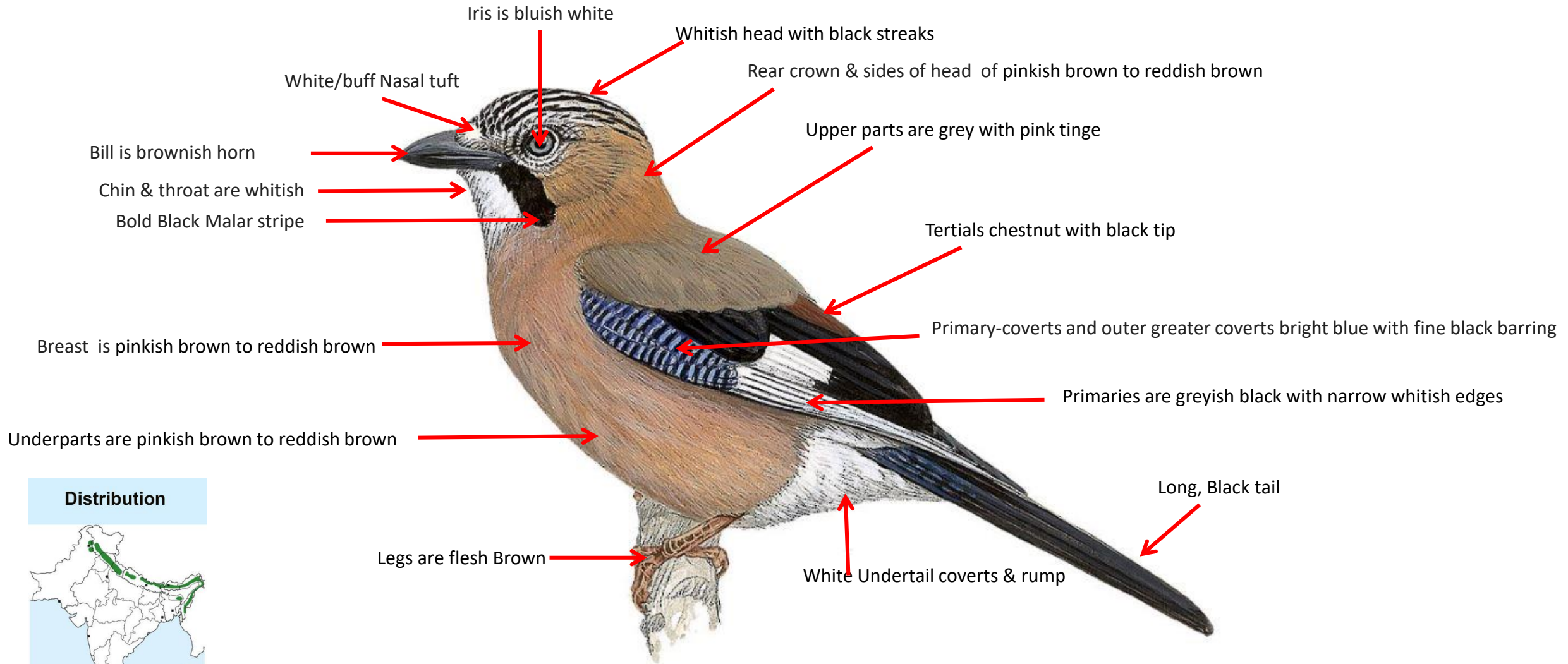
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Eurasian Jay identification Tips

Eurasian Jay : *Garrulus glandarius*: Resident of Himalayas & North East India



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