

Gull Identification

- Most immature gulls are brown
- Gulls take 2-4 years to mature
- Most adult gulls have all-white tails, gray backs and white bellies.

ADULT GULLS:

- Pink Legs:
 - Herring
 - Western
 - Thayer's
 - Glaucous-winged
 - Glaucous
- Yellow or Green Legs
 - California
 - Ring-billed
 - Mew



Gull Identification

PINK-Legged Adult Gulls

- Black Wing-tips
 - Western Gull (Dark Mantle)
 - Herring Gull (Pale Mantle), white eye
 - Thayer's Gull (Pale Mantle), dark eye
- Gray Wing-tips
 - Glaucous-winged Gull (Pale Mantle)
- White Wing-tips
 - Glaucous Gull (White Mantle)

YELLOW / GREEN Legged

- Ring around bill
 - Ring-billed Gull
- Red and black spot on bill
 - California Gull
- Thin, all yellow bill, no spot
 - Mew Gull

