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## Marion Bay

**ID:** 26515  
**State:** Tasmania  
**Area:** 584 ha  
**Longitude:** 147.874  
**Latitude:** -42.834667



These two neighbouring beaches regularly support significant numbers of the vulnerable Fairy Tern, the near threatened Hooded Plover, and over 1% of the world population of Pied Oystercatcher.

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### Globally-important bird populations in this IBA

Common Name	Population	Abundance
Pied Oystercatcher	112 - 224 individuals	
Hooded Plover	30 - 105 individuals	
Fairy Tern		

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### Management considerations

Control human disturbance during breeding season. Restrict dogs to dog exercise area. Encourage adoption of draft management plan for Long Spit Private Nature Reserve.

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### Acknowledgements

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