

## Chestnut-breasted Mannikin

**Scientific name:** *Lonchura castaneothorax*

**Family:** Estrildidae

**IUCN Red List status:** LC

**Trade evidence:** yes

**Proportion wild-caught:** minority

**Conservation concern due to domestic trade:** unknown

**Conservation concern due to international trade:** low

**Population declines due to trade:** no

**Level of difficulty of captive breeding:** easy

**Captive breeding effort:** frequent

**Selective breeding for altered phenotypes:** no

**Known affected subspecies:** assimilis, sharpii

**References:** [002](#), [047](#), [105](#), [116](#), [124](#), [322](#), [363](#),

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