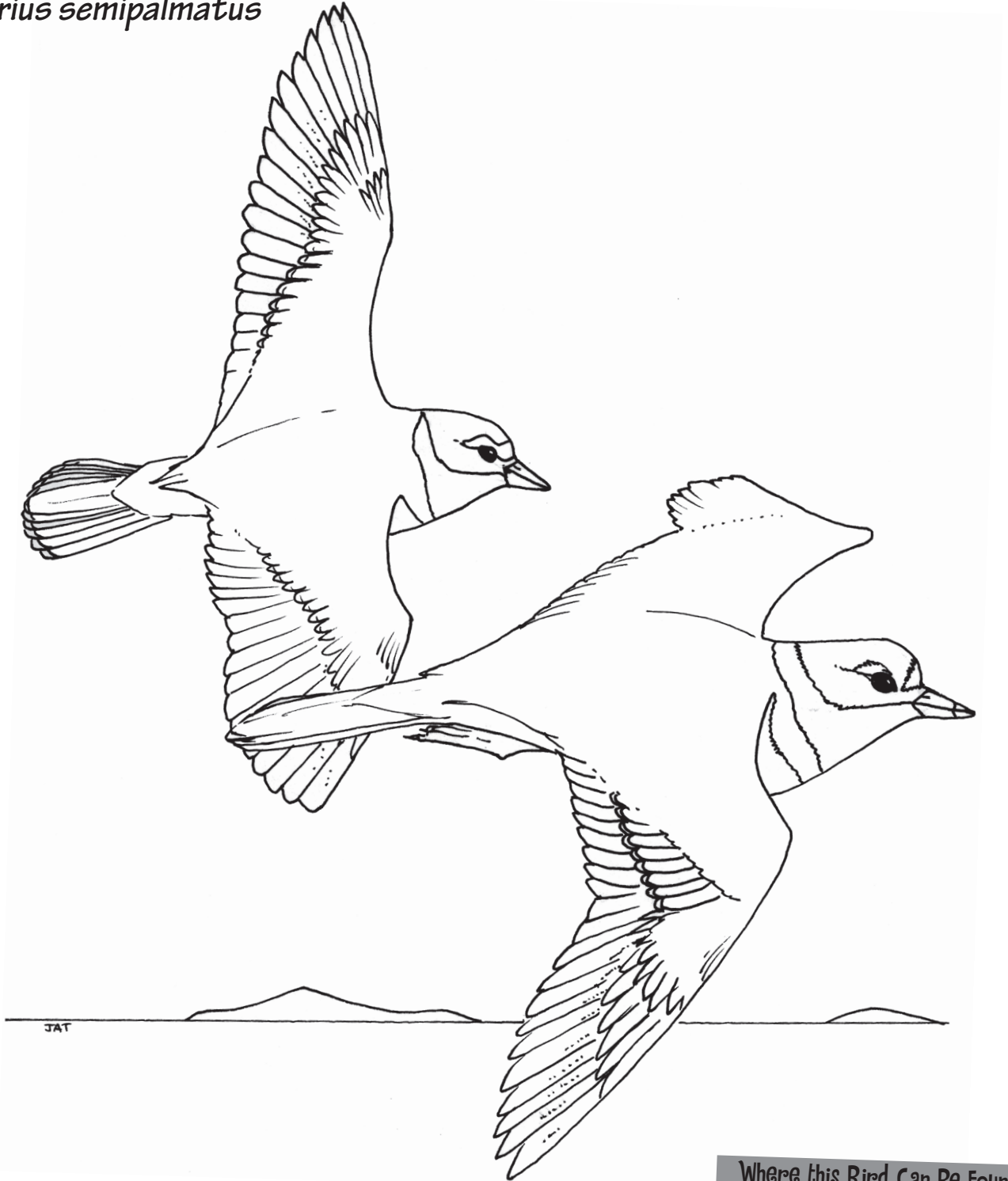


# Semipalmated Plover

*Charadrius semipalmatus*



## About this Bird

The Semipalmated Plover has dark brown upperparts, white underparts, a black breast band, and yellow-orange legs. It lives near the seashore where it searches for insects, crustaceans and worms using its small yellow-and-black bill. It roosts and flies in flocks but feeds alone. The Semipalmated Plover lives and breeds in northern Canada and Alaska but flies south to the US, Caribbean, Central and South America to spend the winter. The name 'Semipalmated' refers to its partly webbed toes that it can use to swim short distances. *Bird Size 18 cm, 7 in.*

## Where this Bird Can Be Found

