Radio Telemetry

SWAINSON’S THRUSH & GRAY-CHEEKED THRUSH MIGRATIONS

Participating researchers can tap into an array of antennas set up to detect wildlife that have been fitted with transmitters. The array may change slightly from year to year depending on which projects researchers are participating in at any given point in time. In 2015, researchers fitted Swainson’s Thrushes and Gray-cheeked Thrushes at two locations in Colombia, of which individuals were detected weeks later in Texas, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, and Ontario. Arrows display the general direction taken to reach the detection site and are not intended to reflect the specific migratory paths taken.