

Blouberg Nature Reserve

CHECKLIST *of* BIRDS



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RED DATA: Regional*, Global

CR Critically Endangered
EN Endangered
VU Vulnerable
NR Near Threatened
LC Least Concern
EX Extinct (regionally)
DD Data Deficient
NR Not Recognised by BirdLife International
NA Not Assessed

STATUS IN SOUTH AFRICA

V Vagrant
I Introduced

**The 2015 Eskom Red Data Book of Birds of South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland*

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ENDEMICISM IN SOUTH AFRICA (not southern africa, as in field guides)

E Endemic
SLS Endemic to South Africa, Lesotho and Swaziland
NE Near endemic (i.e. ~70% or more of population in RSA)
BNE Breeding near endemic

This checklist was generated using data from the Southern African Bird Atlas Project (SABAP2; sabap2.birdmap.africa) captured by citizen scientists in the surrounding area (approximately 60km²). As such, this checklist is descriptive of the general area and may include birds not normally found at this site. Rare birds with low occurrence or no reports in the atlas data may also be missing from this list.

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SPECIES	
1	Apalis, Bar-throated <i>Apalis thoracica</i>
2	Apalis, Yellow-breasted <i>Apalis flavida</i>
3	Babbler, Arrow-marked <i>Turdoides jardineii</i>
4	Babbler, Southern Pied <i>Turdoides bicolor</i>
5	Barbet, Acacia Pied <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
6	Barbet, Black-collared <i>Lybius torquatus</i>
7	Barbet, Crested <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
8	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
9	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
10	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
11	Bee-eater, Little <i>Merops pusillus</i>
12	Bee-eater, Swallow-tailed <i>Merops hirundineus</i>
13	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
14	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
15	Brubru, Brubru <i>Nilaus afer</i>
16	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
17	Bunting, Cinnamon-breasted <i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>
18	Bunting, Golden-breasted <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
19	Bushshrike, Gorgeous <i>Telophorus viridis</i>
20	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
21	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
22	Bustard, Kori <i>Ardeotis kori</i> (NT)
23	Buttonquail, Common <i>Turnix sylvaticus</i>
24	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
25	Buzzard, Lizard <i>Kaupifalco monogrammicus</i>
26	Camaropectera, Grey-backed <i>Camaropectera brevicaudata</i>
27	Canary, Black-throated <i>Crithagra atrogularis</i>
28	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
29	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
30	Cisticola, Desert <i>Cisticola aridulus</i>
31	Cisticola, Rattling <i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
32	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
33	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cursorer, Three-banded <i>Rhinoptilus cinctus</i>
35	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
36	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
37	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
38	Cuckoo, Jacobin <i>Clamator jacobinus</i>
39	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
40	Cuckoo, Levillant's <i>Clamator levillantii</i>
41	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
42	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
43	Dove, Emerald-spotted Wood <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>
44	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
45	Dove, Namaqua <i>Oena capensis</i>
46	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
47	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
48	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
49	Eagle-Owl, Verreaux's <i>Bubo lacteus</i>
50	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
51	Eagle, Black-chested Snake <i>Circaetus pectoralis</i>
52	Eagle, Brown Snake <i>Circaetus cinereus</i>
53	Eagle, Martial <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i> (EN)
54	Eagle, Verreaux's <i>Aquila verreauxii</i> (VU, LC)
55	Eagle, Wahlberg's <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
56	Eremomela, Burnt-necked <i>Eremomela usticollis</i>
57	Falcon, Lanner <i>Falco biarmicus</i> (VU, LC)
58	Finch, Cut-throat <i>Amadina fasciata</i>
59	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
60	Firefinch, Jameson's <i>Lagonosticta rhodopareia</i>
61	Firefinch, Red-billed <i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>
62	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
63	Flycatcher, Ashy <i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i>
64	Flycatcher, Marico <i>Melaenornis mariquensis</i>
65	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
66	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>

SPECIES	
67	Francolin, Crested <i>Dendroperdix sephaena</i>
68	Go-away-bird, Grey <i>Corythaixoides concolor</i>
69	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
70	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
71	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
72	Goshawk, Gabar <i>Micronisus gabar</i>
73	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
74	Greenbul, Yellow-bellied <i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
75	Guineafowl, Crested <i>Guttera pucherani</i>
76	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
77	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
78	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
79	Hawk-Eagle, African <i>Aquila spilogaster</i>
80	Helmetshrike, Retz's <i>Prionops retzii</i>
81	Helmetshrike, White-crested <i>Prionops plumatus</i>
82	Honeybird, Brown-backed <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>
83	Honeyguide, Greater <i>Indicator indicator</i>
84	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
85	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
86	Hoopoe, Green Wood <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
87	Hornbill, African Grey <i>Lophoceros nasutus</i>
88	Hornbill, Southern Red-billed <i>Tockus rufirostris</i>
89	Hornbill, Southern Yellow-billed <i>Tockus leucomelas</i>
90	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
91	Indigobird, Purple <i>Vidua purpurascens</i>
92	Kestrel, Rock <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
93	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
94	Kingfisher, Striped <i>Halcyon chelicuti</i>
95	Kingfisher, Woodland <i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>
96	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
97	Korhaan, Red-crested <i>Lophotis ruficrista</i>
98	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
99	Lark, Monotonous <i>Mirafra passerina</i>

SPECIES	
100	Lark, Rufous-naped <i>Mirafra africana</i>
101	Lark, Sabota <i>Calendulauda sabota</i>
102	Martin, Common House <i>Delichon urbicum</i>
103	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
104	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
105	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
106	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (l)
107	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
108	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
109	Nightjar, Freckled <i>Caprimulgus tristigma</i>
110	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
111	Ostrich, Common <i>Struthio camelus</i>
112	Owl, African Scops <i>Otus senegalensis</i>
113	Owl, Southern White-faced <i>Ptilopsis granti</i>
114	Owl, Western Barn <i>Tyto alba</i>
115	Owlet, Pearl-spotted <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>
116	Oxpecker, Red-billed <i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i>
117	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
118	Prinia, Black-chested <i>Prinia flavicans</i>
119	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
120	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
121	Pytilia, Green-winged <i>Pytilia melba</i>
122	Quailfinch, Quailfinch <i>Ortygospiza atricollis</i>
123	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
124	Raven, White-necked <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
125	Robin-Chat, Red-capped <i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
126	Robin-Chat, White-browed <i>Cossypha heuglini</i>
127	Robin-Chat, White-throated <i>Cossypha humeralis</i>
128	Robin, Bearded Scrub <i>Cercotrichas quadrivirgata</i>
129	Robin, Kalahari Scrub <i>Cercotrichas paena</i>
130	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
131	Roller, European <i>Coracias garrulus</i> (NT, LC)
132	Roller, Lilac-breasted <i>Coracias caudatus</i>

SPECIES	
133	Roller, Purple <i>Coracias naevius</i>
134	Sandgrouse, Double-banded <i>Pterocles bicinctus</i>
135	Scimitarbill, Common <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>
136	Shikra, Shikra <i>Accipiter badius</i>
137	Shrike, Crimson-breasted <i>Laniarius atrococcineus</i>
138	Shrike, Lesser Grey <i>Lanius minor</i>
139	Shrike, Magpie <i>Urolestes melanoleucus</i>
140	Shrike, Red-backed <i>Lanius collurio</i>
141	Shrike, Southern White-crowned <i>Eurocephalus anguitimens</i>
142	Sparrow-Weaver, White-browed <i>Plocepasser mahali</i>
143	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
144	Sparrow, Yellow-throated Bush <i>Gymnoris superciliaris</i>
145	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
146	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
147	Spurfowl, Swainson's <i>Pternistis swainsonii</i>
148	Starling, Cape <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
149	Starling, Greater Blue-eared <i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i>
150	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
151	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
152	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
153	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
154	Sunbird, Marico <i>Cinnyris mariquensis</i>
155	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
156	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
157	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
158	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
159	Swallow, Red-breasted <i>Cecropis semirufa</i>
160	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
161	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
162	Swift, Alpine <i>Tachymarpis melba</i>
163	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
164	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
165	Tchagra, Black-crowned <i>Tchagra senegalus</i>

SPECIES	
166	Tchagra, Brown-crowned <i>Tchagra australis</i>
167	Thick-knee, Spotted <i>Burhinus capensis</i>
168	Thrush, Groundscraper <i>Turdus litsitsirupa</i>
169	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>
170	Tinkerbird, Yellow-fronted <i>Pogoniulus chrysoconus</i>
171	Tit-Flycatcher, Grey <i>Myioparus plumbeus</i>
172	Tit, Grey Penduline <i>Anthoscopus caroli</i>
173	Tit, Southern Black <i>Melaniparus niger</i>
174	Vulture, Cape <i>Gyps coprotheres</i> (EN, VU)
175	Vulture, Lappet-faced <i>Torgos tracheliotos</i> (EN)
176	Vulture, Rüppell's <i>Gyps rueppelli</i> (CR, V)
177	Vulture, White-backed <i>Gyps africanus</i> (CR)
178	Warbler, Chestnut-vented <i>Curruca subcoerulea</i>
179	Warbler, Willow <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>
180	Waxbill, Black-faced <i>Brunhilda erythronotos</i>
181	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
182	Waxbill, Violet-eared <i>Granatina granatina</i>
183	Weaver, Lesser Masked <i>Ploceus intermedius</i>
184	Weaver, Red-billed Buffalo <i>Bubalornis niger</i>
185	Weaver, Red-headed <i>Anaplectes rubriceps</i>
186	Weaver, Scaly-feathered <i>Sporopipes squamifrons</i>
187	Weaver, Southern Masked <i>Ploceus velatus</i>
188	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>
189	Weaver, Village <i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
190	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
191	Whydah, Long-tailed Paradise <i>Vidua paradisaea</i>
192	Widowbird, White-winged <i>Euplectes albonotatus</i>
193	Woodpecker, Bearded <i>Chloropicus namaquus</i>
194	Woodpecker, Cardinal <i>Dendropicus fuscescens</i>
195	Woodpecker, Golden-tailed <i>Campethera abingoni</i>
196	Wren-Warbler, Barred <i>Calamonastes fasciolatus</i>

NOTES
