

Bonamanzi Game 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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ENDEMISM 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, Rudd's <i>Apalis ruddi</i>
3	Apalis, Yellow-breasted <i>Apalis flavida</i>
4	Barbet, Acacia Pied <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
5	Barbet, Black-collared <i>Lybius torquatus</i>
6	Barbet, Crested <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
7	Barbet, White-eared <i>Stactolaema leucotis</i>
8	Bateleur, Bateleur <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i> (EN)
9	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
10	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
11	Bee-eater, Blue-cheeked <i>Merops persicus</i>
12	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
13	Bee-eater, Little <i>Merops pusillus</i>
14	Bee-eater, White-fronted <i>Merops bullockoides</i>
15	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
16	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
17	Broadbill, African <i>Smithornis capensis</i> (VU, LC)
18	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
19	Brubru, Brubru <i>Nilais afer</i>
20	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
21	Bunting, Golden-breasted <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
22	Bushshrike, Gorgeous <i>Telophorus viridis</i>
23	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
24	Bushshrike, Olive <i>Chlorophoneus olivaceus</i>
25	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
26	Bustard, Black-bellied <i>Lissotis melanogaster</i>
27	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
28	Buzzard, European Honey <i>Pernis apivorus</i>
29	Buzzard, Lizard <i>Kaupifalco monogrammicus</i>
30	Camaropectera, Green-backed <i>Camaropectera brachyura</i>
31	Canary, Brimstone <i>Crithagra sulphurata</i>
32	Canary, Lemon-breasted <i>Crithagra citrinipectus</i> (NT, LC)
33	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cisticola, Croaking <i>Cisticola natalensis</i>
35	Cisticola, Rattling <i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
36	Cisticola, Red-faced <i>Cisticola erythrops</i>
37	Cisticola, Rufous-winged <i>Cisticola galactotes</i>
38	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
39	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
40	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
41	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
42	Crake, Black <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i>
43	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
44	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
45	Cuckoo-Hawk, African <i>Aviceda cuculoides</i>
46	Cuckoo, African Emerald <i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i>
47	Cuckoo, Black <i>Cuculus clamosus</i>
48	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
49	Cuckoo, Jacobin <i>Clamator jacobinus</i>
50	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
51	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
52	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
53	Cuckooshrike, Grey <i>Cebilepyris caesius</i>
54	Darter, African <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
55	Dove, Emerald-spotted Wood <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>
56	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
57	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
58	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
59	Dove, Rock <i>Columba livia</i>
60	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistris</i>
61	Drongo, Common Square-tailed <i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>
62	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
63	Duck, White-faced Whistling <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
64	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
65	Eagle-Owl, Spotted <i>Bubo africanus</i>
66	Eagle-Owl, Verreaux's <i>Bubo lacteus</i>

SPECIES	
67	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
68	Eagle, Black-chested Snake <i>Circaetus pectoralis</i>
69	Eagle, Brown Snake <i>Circaetus cinereus</i>
70	Eagle, Crowned <i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i> (VU, NT)
71	Eagle, Lesser Spotted <i>Clanga pomarina</i>
72	Eagle, Long-crested <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
73	Eagle, Martial <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i> (EN)
74	Eagle, Southern Banded Snake <i>Circaetus fasciolatus</i> (CR, NT)
75	Eagle, Wahlberg's <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
76	Egret, Great <i>Ardea alba</i>
77	Egret, Little <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
78	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
79	Eremomela, Burnt-necked <i>Eremomela usticollis</i>
80	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
81	Firefinch, Red-billed <i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>
82	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
83	Flycatcher, African Dusky <i>Muscicapa adusta</i>
84	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
85	Flycatcher, Ashy <i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i>
86	Flycatcher, Blue-mantled Crested <i>Trochocercus cyanomelas</i>
87	Flycatcher, Fiscal <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)
88	Flycatcher, Pale <i>Melaenornis pallidus</i>
89	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
90	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
91	Francolin, Crested <i>Dendroperdix sephaena</i>
92	Francolin, Shelley's <i>Scleroptila shelleyi</i>
93	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
94	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
95	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
96	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
97	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
98	Greenbul, Yellow-bellied <i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
99	Greenshank, Common <i>Tringa nebularia</i>

SPECIES	
100	Guineafowl, Crested <i>Guttera pucherani</i>
101	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
102	Gull, Grey-headed <i>Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus</i>
103	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
104	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
105	Helmetshrike, White-crested <i>Prionops plumatus</i>
106	Heron, Black-crowned Night <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
107	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
108	Heron, Goliath <i>Ardea goliath</i>
109	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
110	Heron, Purple <i>Ardea purpurea</i>
111	Heron, Squacco <i>Ardeola ralloides</i>
112	Heron, Striated <i>Butorides striata</i>
113	Honeyguide, Greater <i>Indicator indicator</i>
114	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
115	Honeyguide, Scaly-throated <i>Indicator variegatus</i>
116	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
117	Hoopoe, Green Wood <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
118	Hornbill, Crowned <i>Lophoceros alboterminatus</i>
119	Hornbill, Trumpeter <i>Bycanistes bucinator</i>
120	Ibis, African Sacred <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>
121	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
122	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
123	Indigobird, Village <i>Vidua chalybeata</i>
124	Jacana, African <i>Actophilornis africanus</i>
125	Kingfisher, African Pygmy <i>Ispidina picta</i>
126	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
127	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
128	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
129	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
130	Kingfisher, Striped <i>Halcyon chelicuti</i>
131	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
132	Kite, Yellow-billed <i>Milvus aegyptius</i>

SPECIES	
133	Lapwing, African Wattled <i>Vanellus senegallus</i>
134	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
135	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
136	Lapwing, Senegal <i>Vanellus lugubris</i>
137	Lark, Flappet <i>Mirafra rufocinnamomea</i>
138	Lark, Rufous-naped <i>Mirafra africana</i>
139	Lark, Sabota <i>Calendulauda sabota</i>
140	Longclaw, Yellow-throated <i>Macronyx croceus</i>
141	Malkoha, Green <i>Ceuthmochares australis</i>
142	Mannikin, Bronze <i>Spermestes cucullata</i>
143	Mannikin, Red-backed <i>Spermestes nigriceps</i>
144	Martin, Banded <i>Riparia cincta</i>
145	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
146	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
147	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
148	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
149	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (I)
150	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
151	Nicator, Eastern <i>Nicator gularis</i>
152	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
153	Nightjar, Swamp <i>Caprimulgus natalensis</i> (VU, LC)
154	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
155	Ostrich, Common <i>Struthio camelus</i>
156	Owl, African Wood <i>Strix woodfordii</i>
157	Owl, Western Barn <i>Tyto alba</i>
158	Oxpecker, Red-billed <i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i>
159	Pelican, Pink-backed <i>Pelecanus rufescens</i> (VU, LC)
160	Pigeon, African Green <i>Treron calvus</i>
161	Pipit, African <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
162	Plover, Three-banded <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
163	Pratincole, Collared <i>Glareola pratincola</i>
164	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
165	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>

SPECIES	
166	Pytilia, Green-winged <i>Pytilia melba</i>
167	Quail, Common <i>Coturnix coturnix</i>
168	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
169	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
170	Robin-Chat, Chorister <i>Cossypha dichroa</i> (SLS)
171	Robin-Chat, Red-capped <i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
172	Robin-Chat, White-browed <i>Cossypha heuglini</i>
173	Robin-Chat, White-throated <i>Cossypha humeralis</i>
174	Robin, Bearded Scrub <i>Cercotrichas quadrivirgata</i>
175	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
176	Roller, Broad-billed <i>Eurystomus glaucurus</i>
177	Roller, European <i>Coracias garrulus</i> (NT, LC)
178	Sandpiper, Common <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
179	Sandpiper, Wood <i>Tringa glareola</i>
180	Saw-wing, Black <i>Psalidoprocne pristoptera</i>
181	Scimitarbill, Common <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>
182	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
183	Shrike, Red-backed <i>Lanius collurio</i>
184	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
185	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
186	Sparrow, Yellow-throated Bush <i>Gymnoris superciliaris</i>
187	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
188	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
189	Spoonbill, African <i>Platalea alba</i>
190	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
191	Starling, Black-bellied <i>Notopholia corusca</i>
192	Starling, Cape <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
193	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
194	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
195	Starling, Wattled <i>Creatophora cinerea</i>
196	Stilt, Black-winged <i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
197	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
198	Stork, Woolly-necked <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>

SPECIES	
199	Stork, Yellow-billed <i>Mycteria ibis</i> (EN, LC)
200	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
201	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
202	Sunbird, Grey <i>Cyanomitra veroxii</i>
203	Sunbird, Marico <i>Cinnyris mariquensis</i>
204	Sunbird, Neergaard's <i>Cinnyris neergaardi</i> (VU, NT)
205	Sunbird, Olive <i>Cyanomitra olivacea</i>
206	Sunbird, Purple-banded <i>Cinnyris bifasciatus</i>
207	Sunbird, Scarlet-chested <i>Chalcomitra senegalensis</i>
208	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
209	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
210	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
211	Swallow, Grey-rumped <i>Pseudhirundo griseopyga</i>
212	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
213	Swallow, Red-breasted <i>Cecropis semirufa</i>
214	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
215	Swallow, Wire-tailed <i>Hirundo smithii</i>
216	Swamphen, African <i>Porphyrio madagascariensis</i>
217	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
218	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
219	Swift, Horus <i>Apus horus</i>
220	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
221	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
222	Tchagra, Black-crowned <i>Tchagra senegalus</i>
223	Tchagra, Brown-crowned <i>Tchagra australis</i>
224	Teal, Red-billed <i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>
225	Thick-knee, Spotted <i>Burhinus capensis</i>
226	Thick-knee, Water <i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i>
227	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>
228	Tinkerbird, Red-fronted <i>Pogoniulus pusillus</i>
229	Tinkerbird, Yellow-rumped <i>Pogoniulus bilineatus</i>
230	Tit-Flycatcher, Grey <i>Myioparus plumbeus</i>
231	Tit, Grey Penduline <i>Anthoscopus caroli</i>

SPECIES	
232	Tit, Southern Black <i>Melaniparus niger</i>
233	Trogon, Narina <i>Apaloderma narina</i>
234	Turaco, Livingstone's <i>Tauraco livingstonii</i>
235	Turaco, Purple-crested <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>
236	Twinspot, Green <i>Mandingoa nitidula</i>
237	Twinspot, Pink-throated <i>Hypargos margaritatus</i>
238	Vulture, White-backed <i>Gyps africanus</i> (CR)
239	Wagtail, African Pied <i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
240	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
241	Warbler, African Yellow <i>Iduna natalensis</i>
242	Warbler, Lesser Swamp <i>Acrocephalus gracillirostris</i>
243	Warbler, Little Rush <i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>
244	Warbler, Willow <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>
245	Wattle-eye, Black-throated <i>Platysteira peltata</i>
246	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
247	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
248	Waxbill, Grey <i>Estrilda perreini</i>
249	Waxbill, Swee <i>Coccygia melanotis</i> (NE)
250	Weaver, Dark-backed <i>Ploceus bicolor</i>
251	Weaver, Eastern Golden <i>Ploceus subaureus</i>
252	Weaver, Lesser Masked <i>Ploceus intermedius</i>
253	Weaver, Southern Brown-throated <i>Ploceus xanthopterus</i>
254	Weaver, Southern Masked <i>Ploceus velatus</i>
255	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>
256	Weaver, Thick-billed <i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
257	Weaver, Village <i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
258	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
259	White-eye, Southern Yellow <i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>
260	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>
261	Widowbird, Fan-tailed <i>Euplectes axillaris</i>
262	Widowbird, Red-collared <i>Euplectes ardens</i>
263	Widowbird, White-winged <i>Euplectes albonotatus</i>
264	Woodpecker, Bearded <i>Chloropicus namaquus</i>

