

Cheerio Valley

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	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
3	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
4	Bishop, Yellow <i>Euplectes capensis</i>
5	Bishop, Yellow-crowned <i>Euplectes afer</i>
6	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
7	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
8	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
9	Bushshrike, Black-fronted <i>Chlorophoneus nigrifrons</i>
10	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
11	Bushshrike, Olive <i>Chlorophoneus olivaceus</i>
12	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
13	Buzzard, Forest <i>Buteo trizonatus</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
14	Buzzard, Jackal <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
15	Buzzard, Lizard <i>Kaupifalco monogrammicus</i>
16	Camaroptera, Green-backed <i>Camaroptera brachyura</i>
17	Canary, Black-throated <i>Crithagra atrogularis</i>
18	Canary, Cape <i>Serinus canicollis</i>
19	Canary, Forest <i>Crithagra scotops</i> (SLS)
20	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
21	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
22	Cisticola, Lazy <i>Cisticola aberrans</i>
23	Cisticola, Levaillant's <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
24	Cisticola, Wailing <i>Cisticola lais</i>
25	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
26	Coot, Red-knobbed <i>Fulica cristata</i>
27	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
28	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
29	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
30	Crake, Black <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i>
31	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
32	Cuckoo, African Emerald <i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i>
33	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
35	Cuckooshrike, Grey <i>Cebblepyris caesius</i>
36	Darter, African <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
37	Dove, Blue-spotted Wood <i>Turtur afer</i>
38	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
39	Dove, Lemon <i>Columba larvata</i>
40	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
41	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
42	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistris</i>
43	Drongo, Common Square-tailed <i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>
44	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
45	Duck, African Black <i>Anas sparsa</i>
46	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
47	Eagle-Owl, Spotted <i>Bubo africanus</i>
48	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
49	Eagle, Crowned <i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i> (VU, NT)
50	Eagle, Long-crested <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
51	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
52	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
53	Flufftail, Buff-spotted <i>Sarothrura elegans</i>
54	Flufftail, Red-chested <i>Sarothrura rufa</i>
55	Flycatcher, African Dusky <i>Muscicapa adusta</i>
56	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
57	Flycatcher, Blue-mantled Crested <i>Trochocercus cyanomelas</i>
58	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
59	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
60	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
61	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
62	Grassbird, Fan-tailed <i>Catriscus brevirostris</i>
63	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
64	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
65	Greenbul, Yellow-bellied <i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
66	Greenbul, Yellow-streaked <i>Phyllastrephus flavostriatus</i>

SPECIES	
67	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
68	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
69	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
70	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
71	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
72	Heron, Purple <i>Ardea purpurea</i>
73	Heron, Striated <i>Butorides striata</i>
74	Hobby, Eurasian <i>Falco subbuteo</i>
75	Honeybird, Brown-backed <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>
76	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
77	Honeyguide, Scaly-throated <i>Indicator variegatus</i>
78	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
79	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
80	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
81	Kestrel, Rock <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
82	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
83	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
84	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
85	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
86	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
87	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
88	Longclaw, Cape <i>Macronyx capensis</i>
89	Mannikin, Bronze <i>Spermestes cucullata</i>
90	Mannikin, Red-backed <i>Spermestes nigriceps</i>
91	Martin, Common House <i>Delichon urbicum</i>
92	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
93	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
94	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
95	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (I)
96	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
97	Owl, African Wood <i>Strix woodfordii</i>
98	Parrot, Cape <i>Poicephalus robustus</i> (EN, VU, E)
99	Pigeon, African Olive <i>Columba arquatrix</i>

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100	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
101	Pipit, African <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
102	Pipit, Nicholson's <i>Anthus nicholsoni</i>
103	Prinia, Drakensberg <i>Prinia hypoxantha</i> (SLS)
104	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
105	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
106	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
107	Rail, African <i>Rallus caerulescens</i>
108	Raven, White-necked <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
109	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
110	Robin-Chat, Chorister <i>Cossypha dichroa</i> (SLS)
111	Robin, Brown Scrub <i>Cercotrichas signata</i> (NE)
112	Robin, White-starred <i>Pogonocichla stellata</i>
113	Saw-wing, Black <i>Psalidoprocne pristoptera</i>
114	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
115	Shrike, Red-backed <i>Lanius collurio</i>
116	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
117	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
118	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
119	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
120	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
121	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
122	Stork, Woolly-necked <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>
123	Sugarbird, Gurney's <i>Promerops gurneyi</i> (NT, LC, NE)
124	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
125	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
126	Sunbird, Greater Double-collared <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)
127	Sunbird, Malachite <i>Nectarinia famosa</i>
128	Sunbird, Southern Double-collared <i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i> (NE)
129	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
130	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
131	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
132	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>

SPECIES	
133	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albicularis</i>
134	Swallow, Wire-tailed <i>Hirundo smithii</i>
135	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
136	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
137	Swift, Alpine <i>Tachymarptis melba</i>
138	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
139	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
140	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>
141	Thrush, Olive <i>Turdus olivaceus</i>
142	Thrush, Orange Ground <i>Geokichla gurneyi</i> (NT, LC)
143	Trogon, Narina <i>Apaloderma narina</i>
144	Turaco, Knysna <i>Tauraco corythaix</i> (SLS)
145	Turaco, Purple-crested <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>
146	Twinspot, Green <i>Mandingoa nitidula</i>
147	Vulture, Cape <i>Gyps coprotheres</i> (EN, VU)
148	Wagtail, African Pied <i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
149	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
150	Wagtail, Mountain <i>Motacilla clara</i>
151	Warbler, African Reed <i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>
152	Warbler, African Yellow <i>Iduna natalensis</i>
153	Warbler, Barratt's <i>Bradypterus barratti</i> (NE)
154	Warbler, Lesser Swamp <i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>
155	Warbler, Little Rush <i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>
156	Warbler, Yellow-throated Woodland <i>Phylloscopus ruficapilla</i>
157	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
158	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
159	Waxbill, Swee <i>Coccyzygia melanotis</i> (NE)
160	Weaver, Cape <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
161	Weaver, Holub's Golden <i>Ploceus xanthops</i>
162	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>
163	Weaver, Thick-billed <i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
164	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
165	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>

SPECIES	
166	Widowbird, Red-collared <i>Euplectes ardens</i>
167	Woodpecker, Olive <i>Dendropicops griseocephalus</i>

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