

Kgaswane 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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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	Avocet, Pied <i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>
3	Babbler, Arrow-marked <i>Turdoides jardineii</i>
4	Barbet, Black-collared <i>Lybius torquatus</i>
5	Barbet, Crested <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
6	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
7	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
8	Bee-eater, Little <i>Merops pusillus</i>
9	Bee-eater, White-fronted <i>Merops bullockoides</i>
10	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
11	Bishop, Yellow-crowned <i>Euplectes afer</i>
12	Bittern, Little <i>Ixobrychus minutus</i>
13	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
14	Brubru, Brubru <i>Nilaus afer</i>
15	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
16	Bunting, Cape <i>Emberiza capensis</i>
17	Bunting, Cinnamon-breasted <i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>
18	Bunting, Golden-breasted <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
19	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
20	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
21	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
22	Buzzard, Jackal <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
23	Camaroptera, Grey-backed <i>Camaroptera brevicaudata</i>
24	Canary, Black-throated <i>Crithagra atrogularis</i>
25	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
26	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
27	Chat, Mocking Cliff <i>Thamnodaea cinnamomeiventris</i>
28	Cisticola, Cloud <i>Cisticola textrix</i> (NE)
29	Cisticola, Desert <i>Cisticola aridulus</i>
30	Cisticola, Lazy <i>Cisticola aberrans</i>
31	Cisticola, Levaillant's <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
32	Cisticola, Rattling <i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
33	Cisticola, Wing-snapping <i>Cisticola ayresii</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
35	Coot, Red-knobbed <i>Fulica cristata</i>
36	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
37	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
38	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
39	Courser, Temminck's <i>Cursorius temminckii</i>
40	Crake, Black <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i>
41	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
42	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
43	Cuckoo-finch, Cuckoo-finch <i>Anomalospiza imberbis</i>
44	Cuckoo, Black <i>Cuculus clamosus</i>
45	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
46	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
47	Cuckoo, Levaillant's <i>Clamator levaillantii</i>
48	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
49	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
50	Darter, African <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
51	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
52	Dove, Namaqua <i>Oena capensis</i>
53	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
54	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
55	Dove, Rock <i>Columba livia</i>
56	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
57	Duck, African Black <i>Anas sparsa</i>
58	Duck, Fulvous Whistling <i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>
59	Duck, Knob-billed <i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>
60	Duck, White-backed <i>Thalassornis leuconotus</i>
61	Duck, White-faced Whistling <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
62	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
63	Eagle-Owl, Spotted <i>Bubo africanus</i>
64	Eagle, Black-chested Snake <i>Circaetus pectoralis</i>
65	Eagle, Brown Snake <i>Circaetus cinereus</i>
66	Eagle, Verreaux's <i>Aquila verreauxii</i> (VU, LC)

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67	Eagle, Wahlberg's <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
68	Egret, Great <i>Ardea alba</i>
69	Egret, Little <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
70	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
71	Falcon, Amur <i>Falco amurensis</i>
72	Finch, Cut-throat <i>Amadina fasciata</i>
73	Finch, Red-headed <i>Amadina erythrocephala</i>
74	Firefinch, Jameson's <i>Lagonosticta rhodopareia</i>
75	Firefinch, Red-billed <i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>
76	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
77	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
78	Flycatcher, Fiscal <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)
79	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
80	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
81	Francolin, Coqui <i>Peliperdix coqui</i>
82	Francolin, Crested <i>Dendroperdix sephaena</i>
83	Francolin, Red-winged <i>Scleroptila levillantii</i>
84	Go-away-bird, Grey <i>Corythaixoides concolor</i>
85	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
86	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
87	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
88	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
89	Greenshank, Common <i>Tringa nebularia</i>
90	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
91	Gull, Grey-headed <i>Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus</i>
92	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
93	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
94	Helmetshrike, White-crested <i>Prionops plumatus</i>
95	Heron, Black-crowned Night <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>
96	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
97	Heron, Goliath <i>Ardea goliath</i>
98	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
99	Heron, Purple <i>Ardea purpurea</i>

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100	Heron, Squacco <i>Ardeola ralloides</i>
101	Heron, Striated <i>Butorides striata</i>
102	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
103	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
104	Hoopoe, Green Wood <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
105	Hornbill, African Grey <i>Lophoceros nasutus</i>
106	Ibis, African Sacred <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>
107	Ibis, Glossy <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>
108	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
109	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
110	Indigobird, Purple <i>Vidua purpurascens</i>
111	Indigobird, Village <i>Vidua chalybeata</i>
112	Jacana, African <i>Actophilornis africanus</i>
113	Kestrel, Rock <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
114	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
115	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
116	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
117	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
118	Kingfisher, Striped <i>Halcyon chelicuti</i>
119	Kingfisher, Woodland <i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>
120	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
121	Lapwing, African Wattled <i>Vanellus senegallus</i>
122	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
123	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
124	Lark, Rufous-naped <i>Mirafra africana</i>
125	Longclaw, Cape <i>Macronyx capensis</i>
126	Mannikin, Bronze <i>Spermestes cucullata</i>
127	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
128	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
129	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
130	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
131	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
132	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (I)

SPECIES	
133	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
134	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
135	Nightjar, Freckled <i>Caprimulgus tristigma</i>
136	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
137	Owl, African Scops <i>Otus senegalensis</i>
138	Owl, Marsh <i>Asio capensis</i>
139	Owl, Western Barn <i>Tyto alba</i>
140	Owlet, Pearl-spotted <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>
141	Painted-snipe, Greater <i>Rostratula benghalensis</i> (NT, LC)
142	Pigeon, African Green <i>Treron calvus</i>
143	Pigeon, African Olive <i>Columba arquatrix</i>
144	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
145	Pipit, African <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
146	Pipit, Buffy <i>Anthus vaalensis</i>
147	Pipit, Nicholson's <i>Anthus nicholsoni</i>
148	Pipit, Plain-backed <i>Anthus leucophrys</i>
149	Pipit, Striped <i>Anthus lineiventris</i>
150	Pipit, Tree <i>Anthus trivialis</i>
151	Plover, Three-banded <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
152	Pochard, Southern <i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>
153	Prinia, Black-chested <i>Prinia flavicans</i>
154	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
155	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
156	Quailfinch, Quailfinch <i>Ortygospiza atricollis</i>
157	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
158	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
159	Robin-Chat, White-throated <i>Cossypha humeralis</i>
160	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
161	Ruff, Ruff <i>Calidris pugnax</i>
162	Sandpiper, Common <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
163	Sandpiper, Marsh <i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>
164	Sandpiper, Wood <i>Tringa glareola</i>
165	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>

SPECIES	
166	Shoveler, Cape <i>Spatula smithii</i>
167	Shrike, Crimson-breasted <i>Laniarius atrococcineus</i>
168	Shrike, Lesser Grey <i>Lanius minor</i>
169	Shrike, Magpie <i>Urolestes melanoleucus</i>
170	Shrike, Red-backed <i>Lanius collurio</i>
171	Snipe, African <i>Gallinago nigripennis</i>
172	Sparrow-Weaver, White-browed <i>Plocepasser mahali</i>
173	Sparrow, Cape <i>Passer melanurus</i>
174	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
175	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
176	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
177	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
178	Sparrowhawk, Ovambo <i>Accipiter ovampensis</i>
179	Spoonbill, African <i>Platalea alba</i>
180	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
181	Spurfowl, Swainson's <i>Pternistis swainsonii</i>
182	Starling, Cape <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
183	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
184	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
185	Starling, Wattled <i>Creatophora cinerea</i>
186	Stilt, Black-winged <i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
187	Stint, Little <i>Calidris minuta</i>
188	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
189	Stork, Yellow-billed <i>Mycteria ibis</i> (EN, LC)
190	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
191	Sunbird, Greater Double-collared <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)
192	Sunbird, Marico <i>Cinnyris mariquensis</i>
193	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
194	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
195	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
196	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
197	Swallow, Pearl-breasted <i>Hirundo dimidiata</i>
198	Swallow, Red-breasted <i>Cecropis semirufa</i>

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199	Swallow, White-throated	<i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
200	Swampphen, African	<i>Porphyrio madagascariensis</i>
201	Swift, African Black	<i>Apus barbatus</i>
202	Swift, African Palm	<i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
203	Swift, Alpine	<i>Tachymartia melba</i>
204	Swift, Common	<i>Apus apus</i>
205	Swift, Little	<i>Apus affinis</i>
206	Swift, White-rumped	<i>Apus caffer</i>
207	Tchagra, Black-crowned	<i>Tchagra senegalus</i>
208	Tchagra, Brown-crowned	<i>Tchagra australis</i>
209	Teal, Red-billed	<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>
210	Tern, Whiskered	<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>
211	Thick-knee, Spotted	<i>Burhinus capensis</i>
212	Thrush, Cape Rock	<i>Monticola rupestris</i> (SLS)
213	Thrush, Groundscraper	<i>Turdus litsitsirupa</i>
214	Thrush, Karoo	<i>Turdus smithi</i> (NE)
215	Thrush, Kurrichane	<i>Turdus libonyana</i>
216	Thrush, Short-toed Rock	<i>Monticola brevipes</i>
217	Tinkerbird, Yellow-fronted	<i>Pogoniulus chrysoconus</i>
218	Tit-Flycatcher, Grey	<i>Myioparus plumbeus</i>
219	Wagtail, Cape	<i>Motacilla capensis</i>
220	Warbler, African Reed	<i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>
221	Warbler, Chestnut-vented	<i>Curruca subcoerulea</i>
222	Warbler, Great Reed	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>
223	Warbler, Lesser Swamp	<i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>
224	Warbler, Little Rush	<i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>
225	Warbler, Marsh	<i>Acrocephalus palustris</i>
226	Warbler, Willow	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>
227	Waxbill, Blue	<i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
228	Waxbill, Common	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>
229	Waxbill, Orange-breasted	<i>Amandava subflava</i>
230	Weaver, Cape	<i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
231	Weaver, Scaly-feathered	<i>Sporopipes squamifrons</i>

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232	Weaver, Southern Masked	<i>Ploceus velatus</i>
233	Weaver, Thick-billed	<i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
234	Weaver, Village	<i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
235	Wheatear, Capped	<i>Oenanthe pileata</i>
236	White-eye, Cape	<i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
237	Whydah, Long-tailed Paradise	<i>Vidua paradisaea</i>
238	Whydah, Pin-tailed	<i>Vidua macroura</i>
239	Widowbird, Red-collared	<i>Euplectes ardens</i>
240	Widowbird, White-winged	<i>Euplectes albonotatus</i>
241	Woodpecker, Bearded	<i>Chloropicus namaquus</i>
242	Woodpecker, Cardinal	<i>Dendropicus fuscescens</i>
243	Woodpecker, Golden-tailed	<i>Campethera abingoni</i>

