

Makuya 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	Apalis, Yellow-breasted <i>Apalis flavida</i>
3	Babbler, Arrow-marked <i>Turdoides jardineii</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	Bateleur, Bateleur <i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i> (EN)
8	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
9	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
10	Bee-eater, Little <i>Merops pusillus</i>
11	Bee-eater, Southern Carmine <i>Merops nubicoides</i>
12	Bee-eater, Swallow-tailed <i>Merops hirundineus</i>
13	Bee-eater, White-fronted <i>Merops bullockoides</i>
14	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
15	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
16	Boubou, Tropical <i>Laniarius major</i>
17	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
18	Brubru, Brubru <i>Nilaus afer</i>
19	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
20	Bunting, Cinnamon-breasted <i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>
21	Bunting, Golden-breasted <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
22	Bunting, Lark-like <i>Emberiza impetuani</i>
23	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
24	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
25	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
26	Camaropectera, Green-backed <i>Camaropectera brachyura</i>
27	Camaropectera, Grey-backed <i>Camaropectera brevicaudata</i>
28	Canary, Lemon-breasted <i>Crithagra citrinipectus</i> (NT, LC)
29	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
30	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
31	Chat, Mocking Cliff <i>Thamnodaea cinnamomeiventris</i>
32	Cisticola, Rattling <i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
33	Cisticola, Red-faced <i>Cisticola erythrops</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
35	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
36	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
37	Crake, Black <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i>
38	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
39	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
40	Cuckoo, African <i>Cuculus gularis</i>
41	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
42	Cuckoo, Jacobin <i>Clamator jacobinus</i>
43	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
44	Cuckoo, Levillant's <i>Clamator levillantii</i>
45	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
46	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
47	Dove, Emerald-spotted Wood <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>
48	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
49	Dove, Namaqua <i>Oena capensis</i>
50	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
51	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
52	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistria</i>
53	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
54	Eagle-Owl, Verreaux's <i>Bubo lacteus</i>
55	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
56	Eagle, Black-chested Snake <i>Circaetus pectoralis</i>
57	Eagle, Brown Snake <i>Circaetus cinereus</i>
58	Eagle, Martial <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i> (EN)
59	Eagle, Steppe <i>Aquila nipalensis</i> (EN, LC)
60	Eagle, Tawny <i>Aquila rapax</i> (EN, VU)
61	Eagle, Verreaux's <i>Aquila verreauxii</i> (VU, LC)
62	Eagle, Wahlberg's <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
63	Egret, Little <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
64	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
65	Eremomela, Burnt-necked <i>Eremomela usticollis</i>
66	Eremomela, Green-capped <i>Eremomela scotops</i>

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67	Eremomela, Yellow-bellied <i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>
68	Finch, Cut-throat <i>Amadina fasciata</i>
69	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
70	Firefinch, Jameson's <i>Lagonosticta rhodopareia</i>
71	Firefinch, Red-billed <i>Lagonosticta senegala</i>
72	Flycatcher, African Dusky <i>Muscicapa adusta</i>
73	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
74	Flycatcher, Ashy <i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i>
75	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
76	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
77	Francolin, Coqui <i>Peliperdix coqui</i>
78	Francolin, Crested <i>Dendroperdix sephaena</i>
79	Go-away-bird, Grey <i>Corythaixoides concolor</i>
80	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
81	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
82	Goshawk, Dark Chanting <i>Melierax metabates</i>
83	Goshawk, Gabar <i>Micronisus gabar</i>
84	Greenbul, Yellow-bellied <i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
85	Greenshank, Common <i>Tringa nebularia</i>
86	Guineafowl, Crested <i>Guttera pucherani</i>
87	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
88	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
89	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
90	Hawk-Eagle, African <i>Aquila spilogaster</i>
91	Helmetshrike, Retz's <i>Prionops retzii</i>
92	Helmetshrike, White-crested <i>Prionops plumatus</i>
93	Heron, Goliath <i>Ardea goliath</i>
94	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
95	Heron, Striated <i>Butorides striata</i>
96	Hobby, Eurasian <i>Falco subbuteo</i>
97	Honeyguide, Greater <i>Indicator indicator</i>
98	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
99	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>

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100	Hoopoe, Green Wood <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
101	Hornbill, African Grey <i>Lophoceros nasutus</i>
102	Hornbill, Crowned <i>Lophoceros alboterminatus</i>
103	Hornbill, Southern Ground <i>Bucorvus leadbeateri</i> (EN, VU)
104	Hornbill, Southern Red-billed <i>Tockus rufirostris</i>
105	Hornbill, Southern Yellow-billed <i>Tockus leucomelas</i>
106	Hornbill, Trumpeter <i>Bycanistes bucinator</i>
107	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
108	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
109	Indigobird, Purple <i>Vidua purpurascens</i>
110	Indigobird, Village <i>Vidua chalybeata</i>
111	Jacana, African <i>Actophilornis africanus</i>
112	Kestrel, Dickinson's <i>Falco dickinsoni</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, Grey-headed <i>Halcyon leucocephala</i>
117	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
118	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
119	Kingfisher, Striped <i>Halcyon chelicuti</i>
120	Kingfisher, Woodland <i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>
121	Korhaan, Red-crested <i>Lophotis ruficrista</i>
122	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
123	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
124	Lapwing, White-crowned <i>Vanellus albiceps</i>
125	Lark, Sabota <i>Calendulauda sabota</i>
126	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
127	Martin, Common House <i>Delichon urbicum</i>
128	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
129	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
130	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
131	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (I)
132	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>

SPECIES	
133	Nicator, Eastern <i>Nicator gularis</i>
134	Nightjar, European <i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i>
135	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
136	Nightjar, Freckled <i>Caprimulgus tristigma</i>
137	Nightjar, Square-tailed <i>Caprimulgus fossii</i>
138	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
139	Oriole, Eurasian Golden <i>Oriolus oriolus</i>
140	Owl, African Scops <i>Otus senegalensis</i>
141	Owlet, African Barred <i>Glaucidium capense</i>
142	Owlet, Pearl-spotted <i>Glaucidium perlatum</i>
143	Oxpecker, Red-billed <i>Buphagus erythrorhynchus</i>
144	Oxpecker, Yellow-billed <i>Buphagus africanus</i>
145	Parrot, Brown-headed <i>Poicephalus cryptoxanthus</i>
146	Parrot, Brown-necked <i>Poicephalus fuscicollis</i>
147	Pigeon, African Green <i>Treron calvus</i>
148	Pipit, Striped <i>Anthus lineiventris</i>
149	Plover, Three-banded <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
150	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
151	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
152	Pytilia, Green-winged <i>Pytilia melba</i>
153	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
154	Robin-Chat, Red-capped <i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
155	Robin-Chat, White-browed <i>Cossypha heuglini</i>
156	Robin-Chat, White-throated <i>Cossypha humeralis</i>
157	Robin, Bearded Scrub <i>Cercotrichas quadrivirgata</i>
158	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
159	Roller, Broad-billed <i>Eurystomus glaucurus</i>
160	Roller, European <i>Coracias garrulus</i> (NT, LC)
161	Roller, Lilac-breasted <i>Coracias caudatus</i>
162	Roller, Purple <i>Coracias naevius</i>
163	Sandgrouse, Double-banded <i>Pterocles bicinctus</i>
164	Sandpiper, Common <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>
165	Sandpiper, Wood <i>Tringa glareola</i>

SPECIES	
166	Scimitarbill, Common <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>
167	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
168	Shrike, Lesser Grey <i>Lanius minor</i>
169	Shrike, Red-backed <i>Lanius collurio</i>
170	Shrike, Southern White-crowned <i>Eurocephalus anguitimens</i>
171	Sparrow-Weaver, White-browed <i>Plocepasser mahali</i>
172	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
173	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
174	Sparrow, Yellow-throated Bush <i>Gymnoris supercilii</i>
175	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
176	Spinetail, Mottled <i>Telacanthura ussheri</i>
177	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
178	Spurfowl, Swainson's <i>Pternistis swainsonii</i>
179	Starling, Cape <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
180	Starling, Greater Blue-eared <i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i>
181	Starling, Meves's <i>Lamprotornis mevesii</i>
182	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
183	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
184	Starling, Wattled <i>Creatophora cinerea</i>
185	Stork, Black <i>Ciconia nigra</i> (VU, LC)
186	Stork, Saddle-billed <i>Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis</i> (EN, LC)
187	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
188	Sunbird, Marico <i>Cinnyris mariquensis</i>
189	Sunbird, Scarlet-chested <i>Chalcomitra senegalensis</i>
190	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
191	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
192	Swallow, Grey-rumped <i>Pseudhirundo griseopyga</i>
193	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
194	Swallow, Mosque <i>Cecropis senegalensis</i>
195	Swallow, Wire-tailed <i>Hirundo smithii</i>
196	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
197	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
198	Swift, Alpine <i>Tachymarptis melba</i>

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199	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>	
200	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>	
201	Tchagra, Black-crowned <i>Tchagra senegalus</i>	
202	Tchagra, Brown-crowned <i>Tchagra australis</i>	
203	Thick-knee, Water <i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i>	
204	Thrush, Groundscraper <i>Turdus litsitsirupa</i>	
205	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>	
206	Tinkerbird, Yellow-fronted <i>Pogoniulus chrysoconus</i>	
207	Tit-Flycatcher, Grey <i>Myioparus plumbeus</i>	
208	Tit, Grey Penduline <i>Anthoscopus caroli</i>	
209	Tit, Southern Black <i>Melaniparus niger</i>	
210	Turaco, Purple-crested <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>	
211	Vulture, Lappet-faced <i>Torgos tracheliotos</i> (EN)	
212	Vulture, White-backed <i>Gyps africanus</i> (CR)	
213	Wagtail, African Pied <i>Motacilla aguimp</i>	
214	Warbler, Willow <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>	
215	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>	
216	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>	
217	Weaver, Lesser Masked <i>Ploceus intermedius</i>	
218	Weaver, Red-billed Buffalo <i>Bubalornis niger</i>	
219	Weaver, Red-headed <i>Anaplectes rubriceps</i>	
220	Weaver, Scaly-feathered <i>Sporopipes squamifrons</i>	
221	Weaver, Southern Masked <i>Ploceus velatus</i>	
222	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>	
223	Weaver, Village <i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>	
224	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)	
225	White-eye, Southern Yellow <i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>	
226	Whydah, Long-tailed Paradise <i>Vidua paradisaea</i>	
227	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>	
228	Widowbird, White-winged <i>Euplectes albonotatus</i>	
229	Woodpecker, Bearded <i>Chloropicus namaquus</i>	
230	Woodpecker, Bennett's <i>Campethera bennettii</i>	
231	Woodpecker, Cardinal <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>	

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232	Woodpecker, Golden-tailed <i>Campethera abingoni</i>	
233	Wren-Warbler, Stierling's <i>Calamonastes stierlingi</i>	

NOTES
