

Meiringspoort

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	Barbet, Acacia Pied <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
3	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
4	Batis, Pirit <i>Batis pirit</i>
5	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
6	Bishop, Yellow <i>Euplectes capensis</i>
7	Bokmakierie, Bokmakierie <i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>
8	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
9	Bulbul, Cape <i>Pycnonotus capensis</i> (E)
10	Bunting, Cape <i>Emberiza capensis</i>
11	Bunting, Lark-like <i>Emberiza impetواني</i>
12	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
13	Buzzard, Jackal <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
14	Canary, Black-headed <i>Serinus alario</i> (NE)
15	Canary, Cape <i>Serinus canicollis</i>
16	Canary, White-throated <i>Crithagra albogularis</i>
17	Canary, Yellow <i>Crithagra flaviventris</i>
18	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
19	Chat, Karoo <i>Emarginata schlegelii</i>
20	Cisticola, Grey-backed <i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i>
21	Cisticola, Levaillant's <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
22	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
23	Coot, Red-knobbed <i>Fulica cristata</i>
24	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
25	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
26	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
27	Crow, Cape <i>Corvus capensis</i>
28	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
29	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
30	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
31	Darter, African <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
32	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
33	Dove, Namaqua <i>Oena capensis</i>

SPECIES	
34	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
35	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
36	Dove, Rock <i>Columba livia</i>
37	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistria</i>
38	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
39	Duck, African Black <i>Anas sparsa</i>
40	Duck, White-faced Whistling <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
41	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
42	Eagle-Owl, Spotted <i>Bubo africanus</i>
43	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
44	Eagle, Booted <i>Hieraetus pennatus</i>
45	Eagle, Verreaux's <i>Aquila verreauxii</i> (VU, LC)
46	Egret, Little <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
47	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
48	Eremomela, Yellow-bellied <i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>
49	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
50	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
51	Flycatcher, Fairy <i>Stenostira scita</i> (NE)
52	Flycatcher, Fiscal <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)
53	Francolin, Grey-winged <i>Scleroptila afra</i> (SLS)
54	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
55	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
56	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
57	Goshawk, Pale Chanting <i>Melierax canorus</i>
58	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
59	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
60	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
61	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
62	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
63	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
64	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
65	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
66	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>

SPECIES	
67	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
68	Ibis, African Sacred <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>
69	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
70	Kestrel, Rock <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
71	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
72	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
73	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
74	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
75	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
76	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
77	Lark, Cape Clapper <i>Mirafra apiata</i> (NE)
78	Lark, Large-billed <i>Galerida magnirostris</i> (NE)
79	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
80	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
81	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
82	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
83	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
84	Mousebird, White-backed <i>Colius colius</i>
85	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
86	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
87	Ostrich, Common <i>Struthio camelus</i>
88	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
89	Pipit, African <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
90	Pipit, Nicholson's <i>Anthus nicholsoni</i>
91	Plover, Three-banded <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
92	Prinia, Karoo <i>Prinia maculosa</i> (NE)
93	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
94	Raven, White-necked <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
95	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
96	Robin, Karoo Scrub <i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i>
97	Rockjumper, Cape <i>Chaetops frenatus</i> (NT, E)
98	Scimitarbill, Common <i>Rhinopomastus cyanomelas</i>
99	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>

SPECIES	
100	Shelduck, South African <i>Tadorna cana</i>
101	Siskin, Cape <i>Crithagra totta</i> (E)
102	Sparrow, Cape <i>Passer melanurus</i>
103	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
104	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
105	Spoonbill, African <i>Platalea alba</i>
106	Spurfowl, Cape <i>Pternistis capensis</i> (NE)
107	Starling, Common <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> (I)
108	Starling, Pale-winged <i>Onychognathus nabouroup</i>
109	Starling, Pied <i>Lamprotornis bicolor</i> (SLS)
110	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
111	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
112	Sugarbird, Cape <i>Promerops cafer</i> (E)
113	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
114	Sunbird, Dusky <i>Cinnyris fuscus</i>
115	Sunbird, Greater Double-collared <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)
116	Sunbird, Malachite <i>Nectarinia famosa</i>
117	Sunbird, Orange-breasted <i>Anthobaphes violacea</i> (E)
118	Sunbird, Southern Double-collared <i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i> (NE)
119	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
120	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
121	Swallow, Pearl-breasted <i>Hirundo dimidiata</i>
122	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
123	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
124	Swift, Alpine <i>Tachymarptis melba</i>
125	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
126	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
127	Tchagra, Southern <i>Tchagra tchagra</i> (NE)
128	Teal, Red-billed <i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>
129	Thick-knee, Spotted <i>Burhinus capensis</i>
130	Thrush, Cape Rock <i>Monticola rupestris</i> (SLS)
131	Thrush, Karoo <i>Turdus smithi</i> (NE)
132	Thrush, Olive <i>Turdus olivaceus</i>

SPECIES	
133	Tit, Cape Penduline <i>Anthoscopus minutus</i>
134	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
135	Warbler, African Reed <i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>
136	Warbler, Chestnut-vented <i>Curruca subcoerulea</i>
137	Warbler, Layard's <i>Curruca layardi</i> (NE)
138	Warbler, Lesser Swamp <i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>
139	Warbler, Namaqua <i>Phragmacia substriata</i> (NE)
140	Warbler, Victorin's <i>Cryptillas victorini</i> (E)
141	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
142	Weaver, Cape <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
143	Weaver, Southern Masked <i>Ploceus velatus</i>
144	Wheatear, Mountain <i>Myrmecocichla monticola</i>
145	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
146	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>
147	Woodpecker, Cardinal <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>
148	Woodpecker, Ground <i>Geocolaptes olivaceus</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
149	Woodpecker, Olive <i>Dendropicos griseocephalus</i>

NOTES
