

Palmiet 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	Barbet, Black-collared <i>Lybius torquatus</i>
4	Barbet, Crested <i>Trachyphonus vaillantii</i>
5	Barbet, White-eared <i>Stactolaema leucotis</i>
6	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
7	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
8	Bee-eater, Little <i>Merops pusillus</i>
9	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
10	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
11	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
12	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
13	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
14	Bushshrike, Olive <i>Chlorophoneus olivaceus</i>
15	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
16	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
17	Camaroptera, Green-backed <i>Camaroptera brachyura</i>
18	Canary, Brimstone <i>Crithagra sulphurata</i>
19	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
20	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
21	Cisticola, Croaking <i>Cisticola natalensis</i>
22	Cisticola, Lazy <i>Cisticola aberrans</i>
23	Cisticola, Rattling <i>Cisticola chiniana</i>
24	Cisticola, Red-faced <i>Cisticola erythrops</i>
25	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
26	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
27	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
28	Crake, Black <i>Zapornia flavirostra</i>
29	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
30	Cuckoo, African Emerald <i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i>
31	Cuckoo, Black <i>Cuculus clamosus</i>
32	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
33	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
35	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
36	Cuckooshrike, Grey <i>Ceblepyris caesius</i>
37	Darter, African <i>Anhinga rufa</i>
38	Dove, Emerald-spotted Wood <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>
39	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
40	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
41	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
42	Dove, Rock <i>Columba livia</i>
43	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistria</i>
44	Drongo, Common Square-tailed <i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>
45	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
46	Duck, African Black <i>Anas sparsa</i>
47	Duck, White-faced Whistling <i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
48	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
49	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
50	Eagle, Crowned <i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i> (VU, NT)
51	Eagle, Long-crested <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
52	Eagle, Wahlberg's <i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
53	Egret, Little <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
54	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
55	Falcon, Lanner <i>Falco biarmicus</i> (VU, LC)
56	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
57	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
58	Flycatcher, African Dusky <i>Muscicapa adusta</i>
59	Flycatcher, African Paradise <i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>
60	Flycatcher, Ashy <i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i>
61	Flycatcher, Blue-mantled Crested <i>Trochocercus cyanomelas</i>
62	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
63	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
64	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
65	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
66	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)

SPECIES	
67	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
68	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
69	Greenbul, Yellow-bellied <i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
70	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
71	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
72	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
73	Heron, Goliath <i>Ardea goliath</i>
74	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
75	Honeybird, Brown-backed <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>
76	Honeyguide, Greater <i>Indicator indicator</i>
77	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
78	Honeyguide, Scaly-throated <i>Indicator variegatus</i>
79	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
80	Hoopoe, Green Wood <i>Phoeniculus purpureus</i>
81	Hornbill, Crowned <i>Lophoceros alboterminatus</i>
82	Hornbill, Trumpeter <i>Bycanistes bucinator</i>
83	Ibis, African Sacred <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>
84	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
85	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
86	Indigobird, Village <i>Vidua chalybeata</i>
87	Jacana, African <i>Actophilornis africanus</i>
88	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
89	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
90	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
91	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
92	Kite, Yellow-billed <i>Milvus aegyptius</i>
93	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
94	Lark, Rufous-naped <i>Mirafra africana</i>
95	Longclaw, Yellow-throated <i>Macronyx croceus</i>
96	Mannikin, Bronze <i>Spermestes cucullata</i>
97	Mannikin, Magpie <i>Spermestes fringilloides</i>
98	Mannikin, Red-backed <i>Spermestes nigriceps</i>
99	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>

SPECIES	
100	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
101	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
102	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
103	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
104	Myna, Common <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> (l)
105	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
106	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
107	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>
108	Parakeet, Rose-ringed <i>Psittacula krameri</i> (l)
109	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
110	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
111	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
112	Raven, White-necked <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
113	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
114	Robin-Chat, Red-capped <i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
115	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
116	Saw-wing, Black <i>Psaldoprocne pristopectera</i>
117	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
118	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (l)
119	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
120	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
121	Sparrowhawk, Little <i>Accipiter minullus</i>
122	Spoonbill, African <i>Platalea alba</i>
123	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
124	Starling, Black-bellied <i>Notopholia corusca</i>
125	Starling, Cape <i>Lamprotornis nitens</i>
126	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
127	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
128	Stork, White <i>Ciconia ciconia</i>
129	Stork, Woolly-necked <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>
130	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
131	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
132	Sunbird, Greater Double-collared <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)

SPECIES	
133	Sunbird, Grey <i>Cyanomitra veroxii</i>
134	Sunbird, Olive <i>Cyanomitra olivacea</i>
135	Sunbird, Purple-banded <i>Cinnyris bifasciatus</i>
136	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
137	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
138	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
139	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
140	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
141	Swallow, Wire-tailed <i>Hirundo smithii</i>
142	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
143	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
144	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
145	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
146	Tchagra, Black-crowned <i>Tchagra senegalus</i>
147	Tchagra, Southern <i>Tchagra tchagra</i> (NE)
148	Thrush, Cape Rock <i>Monticola rupestris</i> (SLS)
149	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>
150	Thrush, Olive <i>Turdus olivaceus</i>
151	Thrush, Spotted Ground <i>Geokichla guttata</i> (EN, VU)
152	Tinkerbird, Red-fronted <i>Pogoniulus pusillus</i>
153	Tinkerbird, Yellow-rumped <i>Pogoniulus bilineatus</i>
154	Tit, Southern Black <i>Melaniparus niger</i>
155	Trogon, Narina <i>Apaloderma narina</i>
156	Turaco, Knysna <i>Tauraco corythaix</i> (SLS)
157	Turaco, Purple-crested <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>
158	Twinspot, Green <i>Mandingoa nitidula</i>
159	Wagtail, African Pied <i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
160	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
161	Wagtail, Mountain <i>Motacilla clara</i>
162	Warbler, Lesser Swamp <i>Acrocephalus gracilirostris</i>
163	Warbler, Little Rush <i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>
164	Warbler, Willow <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>
165	Warbler, Yellow-throated Woodland <i>Phylloscopus ruficapilla</i>

SPECIES	
166	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
167	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
168	Waxbill, Grey <i>Estrilda perreini</i>
169	Weaver, Cape <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
170	Weaver, Dark-backed <i>Ploceus bicolor</i>
171	Weaver, Eastern Golden <i>Ploceus subaureus</i>
172	Weaver, Holub's Golden <i>Ploceus xanthops</i>
173	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>
174	Weaver, Thick-billed <i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
175	Weaver, Village <i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
176	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
177	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>
178	Widowbird, Fan-tailed <i>Euplectes axillaris</i>
179	Widowbird, Red-collared <i>Euplectes ardens</i>
180	Woodpecker, Cardinal <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>
181	Woodpecker, Golden-tailed <i>Campethera abingoni</i>
182	Woodpecker, Olive <i>Dendropicos griseocephalus</i>
183	Wryneck, Red-throated <i>Jynx ruficollis</i>

