

## Pofadder & surrounds

# CHECKLIST *of* BIRDS



<https://gobirding.birdlife.org.za/northern-cape-pofadder-surrounds/>

### 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*

*\*\* Please report to BirdLife South Africa National Rarities Committee (rarities@birdlife.org.za)*

### 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](http://sabap2.birdmap.africa)) captured by citizen scientists in the surrounding area (approximately 60km<sup>2</sup>). 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	<b>Barbet, Acacia Pied</b> <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
2	<b>Batis, Pririt</b> <i>Batis pririt</i>
3	<b>Bokmakierie, Bokmakierie</b> <i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>
4	<b>Bulbul, African Red-eyed</b> <i>Pycnonotus nigricans</i>
5	<b>Bunting, Cape</b> <i>Emberiza capensis</i>
6	<b>Bunting, Lark-like</b> <i>Emberiza impetuani</i>
7	<b>Bustard, Ludwig's</b> <i>Neotis ludwigii</i> (EN)
8	<b>Canary, Black-headed</b> <i>Serinus alario</i> (NE)
9	<b>Canary, Black-throated</b> <i>Crithagra atrogularis</i>
10	<b>Canary, White-throated</b> <i>Crithagra albogularis</i>
11	<b>Canary, Yellow</b> <i>Crithagra flaviventris</i>
12	<b>Chat, Ant-eating</b> <i>Myrmecocichla formicivora</i>
13	<b>Chat, Familiar</b> <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
14	<b>Chat, Karoo</b> <i>Emarginata schlegelii</i>
15	<b>Chat, Sickle-winged</b> <i>Emarginata sinuata</i> (NE)
16	<b>Chat, Tractrac</b> <i>Emarginata tractrac</i>
17	<b>Cisticola, Grey-backed</b> <i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i>
18	<b>Courser, Double-banded</b> <i>Rhinoptilus africanus</i>
19	<b>Crow, Pied</b> <i>Corvus albus</i>
20	<b>Dove, Laughing</b> <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
21	<b>Dove, Namaqua</b> <i>Oena capensis</i>
22	<b>Dove, Ring-necked</b> <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
23	<b>Dove, Rock</b> <i>Columba livia</i>
24	<b>Eagle-Owl, Spotted</b> <i>Bubo africanus</i>
25	<b>Eagle, Black-chested Snake</b> <i>Circaetus pectoralis</i>
26	<b>Eagle, Verreaux's</b> <i>Aquila verreauxii</i> (VU, LC)
27	<b>Eremomela, Karoo</b> <i>Eremomela gregalis</i> (NE)
28	<b>Eremomela, Yellow-bellied</b> <i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>
29	<b>Falcon, Lanner</b> <i>Falco biarmicus</i> (VU, LC)
30	<b>Falcon, Pygmy</b> <i>Polihierax semitorquatus</i>
31	<b>Fiscal, Southern</b> <i>Lanius collaris</i>
32	<b>Flycatcher, Chat</b> <i>Melaenornis infuscatus</i>
33	<b>Goose, Egyptian</b> <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>

SPECIES	
34	<b>Goshawk, Pale Chanting</b> <i>Melierax canorus</i>
35	<b>Kestrel, Greater</b> <i>Falco rupicoloides</i>
36	<b>Kestrel, Rock</b> <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
37	<b>Korhaan, Karoo</b> <i>Eupodotis vigorsii</i> (NT, LC)
38	<b>Korhaan, Northern Black</b> <i>Afrotis afrooides</i>
39	<b>Lapwing, Blacksmith</b> <i>Vanellus armatus</i>
40	<b>Lark, Fawn-colored</b> <i>Calendulauda africanoides</i>
41	<b>Lark, Karoo Long-billed</b> <i>Certhilauda subcoronata</i>
42	<b>Lark, Large-billed</b> <i>Galerida magnirostris</i> (NE)
43	<b>Lark, Red-capped</b> <i>Calandrella cinerea</i>
44	<b>Lark, Sabota</b> <i>Calendulauda sabota</i>
45	<b>Lark, Sclater's</b> <i>Spizocorys sclateri</i> (NT, NE)
46	<b>Lark, Spike-heeled</b> <i>Chersomanes albofasciata</i>
47	<b>Lark, Stark's</b> <i>Spizocorys starki</i>
48	<b>Martin, Brown-throated</b> <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
49	<b>Martin, Rock</b> <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
50	<b>Mousebird, Red-faced</b> <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
51	<b>Mousebird, White-backed</b> <i>Colius colius</i>
52	<b>Ostrich, Common</b> <i>Struthio camelus</i>
53	<b>Pigeon, Speckled</b> <i>Columba guinea</i>
54	<b>Plover, Three-banded</b> <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
55	<b>Prinia, Black-chested</b> <i>Prinia flavicans</i>
56	<b>Prinia, Karoo</b> <i>Prinia maculosa</i> (NE)
57	<b>Robin, Karoo Scrub</b> <i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i>
58	<b>Sandgrouse, Namaqua</b> <i>Pterocles namaqua</i>
59	<b>Shelduck, South African</b> <i>Tadorna cana</i>
60	<b>Sparrow-Lark, Black-eared</b> <i>Eremopterix australis</i> (NE)
61	<b>Sparrow-Lark, Grey-backed</b> <i>Eremopterix verticalis</i>
62	<b>Sparrow, Cape</b> <i>Passer melanurus</i>
63	<b>Sparrow, House</b> <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)
64	<b>Starling, Pale-winged</b> <i>Onychognathus naboroupp</i>
65	<b>Stilt, Black-winged</b> <i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
66	<b>Sunbird, Dusky</b> <i>Cinnyris fuscus</i>

SPECIES	
67	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
68	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
69	Swift, Bradfield's <i>Apus bradfieldi</i>
70	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
71	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
72	Thrush, Karoo <i>Turdus smithi</i> (NE)
73	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
74	Warbler, Chestnut-vented <i>Curruca subcoerulea</i>
75	Warbler, Rufous-eared <i>Malcorus pectoralis</i>
76	Weaver, Scaly-feathered <i>Sporopipes squamifrons</i>
77	Weaver, Sociable <i>Philetairus socius</i>
78	Weaver, Southern Masked <i>Ploceus velatus</i>
79	Wheatear, Mountain <i>Myrmecocichla monticola</i>
80	White-eye, Orange River <i>Zosterops pallidus</i>

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