

West Coast Peninsula

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	Barbet, Acacia Pied <i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>
4	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
5	Bishop, Southern Red <i>Euplectes orix</i>
6	Bishop, Yellow <i>Euplectes capensis</i>
7	Bokmakierie, Bokmakierie <i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>
8	Bulbul, Cape <i>Pycnonotus capensis</i> (E)
9	Bunting, Cape <i>Emberiza capensis</i>
10	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
11	Buzzard, Jackal <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
12	Canary, Cape <i>Serinus canicollis</i>
13	Canary, White-throated <i>Crithagra albogularis</i>
14	Canary, Yellow <i>Crithagra flaviventris</i>
15	Chat, Ant-eating <i>Myrmecocichla formicivora</i>
16	Chat, Familiar <i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>
17	Chat, Sickie-winged <i>Emarginata sinuata</i> (NE)
18	Cisticola, Cloud <i>Cisticola textrix</i> (NE)
19	Cisticola, Grey-backed <i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i>
20	Cisticola, Levallant's <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
21	Cisticola, Zitting <i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
22	Coot, Red-knobbed <i>Fulica cristata</i>
23	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
24	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
25	Crane, Blue <i>Grus paradisea</i> (VU, NT)
26	Crombec, Long-billed <i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>
27	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>
28	Cuckoo, Klaas's <i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
29	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
30	Dove, Namaqua <i>Oena capensis</i>
31	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
32	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
33	Dove, Rock <i>Columba livia</i>

SPECIES	
34	Duck, Maccoa <i>Oxyura maccoa</i> (EN, NT)
35	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
36	Eagle-Owl, Spotted <i>Bubo africanus</i>
37	Eagle, Booted <i>Hieraetus pennatus</i>
38	Eagle, Martial <i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i> (EN)
39	Egret, Little <i>Egretta garzetta</i>
40	Egret, Western Cattle <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>
41	Falcon, Lanner <i>Falco biarmicus</i> (VU, LC)
42	Falcon, Peregrine <i>Falco peregrinus</i>
43	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
44	Flamingo, Greater <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i> (NT, LC)
45	Flamingo, Lesser <i>Phoeniconaias minor</i> (NT)
46	Flycatcher, Fiscal <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)
47	Francolin, Grey-winged <i>Scleroptila afra</i> (SLS)
48	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
49	Goose, Spur-winged <i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
50	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
51	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
52	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
53	Gull, Grey-headed <i>Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus</i>
54	Harrier, Black <i>Circus maurus</i> (EN, NE)
55	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
56	Heron, Grey <i>Ardea cinerea</i>
57	Ibis, African Sacred <i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>
58	Ibis, Glossy <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>
59	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
60	Kestrel, Greater <i>Falco rupicoloides</i>
61	Kestrel, Rock <i>Falco rupicolus</i>
62	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
63	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
64	Kite, Yellow-billed <i>Milvus aegyptius</i>
65	Korhaan, Southern Black <i>Afrotis afra</i> (VU, E)
66	Lapwing, Blacksmith <i>Vanellus armatus</i>

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67	Lapwing, Crowned <i>Vanellus coronatus</i>
68	Lark, Cape Clapper <i>Mirafra apiata</i> (NE)
69	Lark, Cape Long-billed <i>Certhilauda curvirostris</i> (E)
70	Lark, Karoo <i>Calendulauda albescens</i> (NE)
71	Lark, Large-billed <i>Galerida magnirostris</i> (NE)
72	Lark, Red-capped <i>Calandrella cinerea</i>
73	Longclaw, Cape <i>Macronyx capensis</i>
74	Mallard, Mallard <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> (I)
75	Martin, Banded <i>Riparia cincta</i>
76	Martin, Brown-throated <i>Riparia paludicola</i>
77	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
78	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
79	Mousebird, Red-faced <i>Urocolius indicus</i>
80	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
81	Mousebird, White-backed <i>Colius colius</i>
82	Ostrich, Common <i>Struthio camelus</i>
83	Owl, Western Barn <i>Tyto alba</i>
84	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
85	Pipit, African <i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>
86	Plover, Kittlitz's <i>Charadrius pecuarius</i>
87	Plover, Three-banded <i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>
88	Prinia, Karoo <i>Prinia maculosa</i> (NE)
89	Raven, White-necked <i>Corvus albicollis</i>
90	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
91	Robin, Karoo Scrub <i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i>
92	Sandpiper, Wood <i>Tringa glareola</i>
93	Secretarybird, Secretarybird <i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i> (EN, VU)
94	Shelduck, South African <i>Tadorna cana</i>
95	Shoveler, Cape <i>Spatula smithii</i>
96	Snipe, African <i>Gallinago nigripennis</i>
97	Sparrow-Lark, Grey-backed <i>Eremopterix verticalis</i>
98	Sparrow, Cape <i>Passer melanurus</i>
99	Sparrow, House <i>Passer domesticus</i> (I)

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100	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
101	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
102	Spoonbill, African <i>Platalea alba</i>
103	Spurfowl, Cape <i>Pternistis capensis</i> (NE)
104	Starling, Common <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> (I)
105	Starling, Pied <i>Lamprotornis bicolor</i> (SLS)
106	Starling, Wattled <i>Creatophora cinerea</i>
107	Stilt, Black-winged <i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
108	Stint, Little <i>Calidris minuta</i>
109	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
110	Sunbird, Malachite <i>Nectarinia famosa</i>
111	Sunbird, Southern Double-collared <i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i> (NE)
112	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>
113	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
114	Swallow, Pearl-breasted <i>Hirundo dimidiata</i>
115	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albicularis</i>
116	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
117	Swift, Alpine <i>Tachymarptis melba</i>
118	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
119	Teal, Cape <i>Anas capensis</i>
120	Teal, Red-billed <i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>
121	Thick-knee, Spotted <i>Burhinus capensis</i>
122	Thrush, Karoo <i>Turdus smithi</i> (NE)
123	Tit, Cape Penduline <i>Anthoscopus minutus</i>
124	Tit, Grey <i>Melaniparus afer</i> (NE)
125	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
126	Warbler, Chestnut-vented <i>Curruca subcoerulea</i>
127	Warbler, Lesser Swamp <i>Acrocephalus gracillirostris</i>
128	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
129	Weaver, Cape <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
130	Weaver, Southern Masked <i>Ploceus velatus</i>
131	Wheatear, Capped <i>Oenanthe pileata</i>
132	Wheatear, Mountain <i>Myrmecocichla monticola</i>

SPECIES		
133	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)	
134	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>	
135	Woodpecker, Cardinal <i>Dendropicos fuscescens</i>	

NOTES
