

Woodbush Forest Drive

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	Batis, Cape <i>Batis capensis</i>
5	Batis, Chinspot <i>Batis molitor</i>
6	Bee-eater, European <i>Merops apiaster</i>
7	Bishop, Yellow <i>Euplectes capensis</i>
8	Boubou, Southern <i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>
9	Brownbul, Terrestrial <i>Phyllastrephus terrestris</i>
10	Bulbul, Dark-capped <i>Pycnonotus tricolor</i>
11	Bunting, Cinnamon-breasted <i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>
12	Bunting, Golden-breasted <i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
13	Bushshrike, Black-fronted <i>Chlorophoneus nigrifrons</i>
14	Bushshrike, Gorgeous <i>Telophorus viridis</i>
15	Bushshrike, Grey-headed <i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
16	Bushshrike, Olive <i>Chlorophoneus olivaceus</i>
17	Bushshrike, Orange-breasted <i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
18	Buzzard, Common <i>Buteo buteo</i>
19	Buzzard, Forest <i>Buteo trizonatus</i> (NT, LC, SLS)
20	Buzzard, Jackal <i>Buteo rufofuscus</i> (NE)
21	Camaroptera, Green-backed <i>Camaroptera brachyura</i>
22	Canary, Cape <i>Serinus canicollis</i>
23	Canary, Forest <i>Crithagra scotops</i> (SLS)
24	Canary, Yellow-fronted <i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
25	Cisticola, Lazy <i>Cisticola aberrans</i>
26	Cisticola, Levaillant's <i>Cisticola tinniens</i>
27	Cisticola, Red-faced <i>Cisticola erythrops</i>
28	Cisticola, Wailing <i>Cisticola lais</i>
29	Coot, Red-knobbed <i>Fulica cristata</i>
30	Cormorant, Reed <i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
31	Cormorant, White-breasted <i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>
32	Coucal, Burchell's <i>Centropus burchellii</i>
33	Crow, Pied <i>Corvus albus</i>

SPECIES	
34	Cuckoo-Hawk, African <i>Aviceda cuculoides</i>
35	Cuckoo, African Emerald <i>Chrysococcyx cupreus</i>
36	Cuckoo, Black <i>Cuculus clamosus</i>
37	Cuckoo, Diederik <i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
38	Cuckoo, Red-chested <i>Cuculus solitarius</i>
39	Cuckooshrike, Black <i>Campephaga flava</i>
40	Cuckooshrike, Grey <i>Cebilepyris caesius</i>
41	Dove, Emerald-spotted Wood <i>Turtur chalcospilos</i>
42	Dove, Laughing <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
43	Dove, Lemon <i>Columba larvata</i>
44	Dove, Red-eyed <i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
45	Dove, Ring-necked <i>Streptopelia capicola</i>
46	Dove, Tambourine <i>Turtur tympanistria</i>
47	Drongo, Common Square-tailed <i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>
48	Drongo, Fork-tailed <i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
49	Duck, African Black <i>Anas sparsa</i>
50	Duck, Yellow-billed <i>Anas undulata</i>
51	Eagle, African Fish <i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
52	Eagle, Crowned <i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i> (VU, NT)
53	Eagle, Long-crested <i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
54	Firefinch, African <i>Lagonosticta rubricata</i>
55	Fiscal, Southern <i>Lanius collaris</i>
56	Flufftail, Buff-spotted <i>Sarothrura elegans</i>
57	Flufftail, Striped <i>Sarothrura affinis</i> (VU, LC)
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, Fiscal <i>Melaenornis silens</i> (NE)
63	Flycatcher, Southern Black <i>Melaenornis pammelaina</i>
64	Flycatcher, Spotted <i>Muscicapa striata</i>
65	Goose, Egyptian <i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
66	Goshawk, African <i>Accipiter tachiro</i>

SPECIES	
67	Grassbird, Cape <i>Sphenoeacus afer</i> (NE)
68	Grebe, Little <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>
69	Greenbul, Sombre <i>Andropadus importunus</i>
70	Greenbul, Yellow-bellied <i>Chlorocichla flaviventris</i>
71	Greenbul, Yellow-streaked <i>Phyllastrephus flavostriatus</i>
72	Guineafowl, Helmeted <i>Numida meleagris</i>
73	Hamerkop, Hamerkop <i>Scopus umbretta</i>
74	Harrier-Hawk, African <i>Polyboroides typus</i>
75	Heron, Black-headed <i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
76	Heron, Purple <i>Ardea purpurea</i>
77	Heron, Striated <i>Butorides striata</i>
78	Honeybird, Brown-backed <i>Prodotiscus regulus</i>
79	Honeyguide, Lesser <i>Indicator minor</i>
80	Honeyguide, Scaly-throated <i>Indicator variegatus</i>
81	Hoopoe, African <i>Upupa africana</i>
82	Ibis, Hadada <i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>
83	Indigobird, Dusky <i>Vidua funerea</i>
84	Kingfisher, African Pygmy <i>Ispidina picta</i>
85	Kingfisher, Brown-hooded <i>Halcyon albiventris</i>
86	Kingfisher, Giant <i>Megaceryle maxima</i>
87	Kingfisher, Malachite <i>Corythornis cristatus</i>
88	Kingfisher, Pied <i>Ceryle rudis</i>
89	Kite, Black-winged <i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
90	Lark, Rufous-naped <i>Mirafra africana</i>
91	Mannikin, Bronze <i>Spermestes cucullata</i>
92	Mannikin, Red-backed <i>Spermestes nigriceps</i>
93	Martin, Common House <i>Delichon urbicum</i>
94	Martin, Rock <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>
95	Moorhen, Common <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
96	Mousebird, Speckled <i>Colius striatus</i>
97	Neddicky, Neddicky <i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>
98	Nightjar, Fiery-necked <i>Caprimulgus pectoralis</i>
99	Oriole, Black-headed <i>Oriolus larvatus</i>

SPECIES	
100	Owl, African Wood <i>Strix woodfordii</i>
101	Parrot, Cape <i>Poicephalus robustus</i> (EN, VU, E)
102	Pigeon, African Olive <i>Columba arquatrix</i>
103	Pigeon, Speckled <i>Columba guinea</i>
104	Prinia, Black-chested <i>Prinia flavicans</i>
105	Prinia, Drakensberg <i>Prinia hypoxantha</i> (SLS)
106	Prinia, Tawny-flanked <i>Prinia subflava</i>
107	Puffback, Black-backed <i>Dryoscopus cubla</i>
108	Quelea, Red-billed <i>Quelea quelea</i>
109	Robin-Chat, Cape <i>Cossypha caffra</i>
110	Robin-Chat, Chorister <i>Cossypha dichroa</i> (SLS)
111	Robin-Chat, Red-capped <i>Cossypha natalensis</i>
112	Robin-Chat, White-browed <i>Cossypha heuglini</i>
113	Robin-Chat, White-throated <i>Cossypha humeralis</i>
114	Robin, Brown Scrub <i>Cercotrichas signata</i> (NE)
115	Robin, White-browed Scrub <i>Cercotrichas leucophrys</i>
116	Robin, White-starred <i>Pogonocichla stellata</i>
117	Saw-wing, Black <i>Psalidoprocne pristoptera</i>
118	Seedeater, Streaky-headed <i>Crithagra gularis</i>
119	Sparrow, Southern Grey-headed <i>Passer diffusus</i>
120	Sparrowhawk, Black <i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
121	Sparrowhawk, Rufous-breasted <i>Accipiter rufiventris</i>
122	Spurfowl, Natal <i>Pternistis natalensis</i>
123	Starling, Red-winged <i>Onychognathus morio</i>
124	Starling, Violet-backed <i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
125	Stonechat, African <i>Saxicola torquatus</i>
126	Stork, Woolly-necked <i>Ciconia episcopus</i>
127	Sunbird, Amethyst <i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>
128	Sunbird, Collared <i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
129	Sunbird, Greater Double-collared <i>Cinnyris afer</i> (SLS)
130	Sunbird, Southern Double-collared <i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i> (NE)
131	Sunbird, White-bellied <i>Cinnyris talatala</i>
132	Swallow, Barn <i>Hirundo rustica</i>

SPECIES	
133	Swallow, Greater Striped <i>Cecropis cucullata</i>
134	Swallow, Lesser Striped <i>Cecropis abyssinica</i>
135	Swallow, White-throated <i>Hirundo albigularis</i>
136	Swallow, Wire-tailed <i>Hirundo smithii</i>
137	Swift, African Black <i>Apus barbatus</i>
138	Swift, African Palm <i>Cypsiurus parvus</i>
139	Swift, Alpine <i>Tachymartus melba</i>
140	Swift, Little <i>Apus affinis</i>
141	Swift, White-rumped <i>Apus caffer</i>
142	Tchagra, Black-crowned <i>Tchagra senegalus</i>
143	Tchagra, Brown-crowned <i>Tchagra australis</i>
144	Thrush, Kurrichane <i>Turdus libonyana</i>
145	Thrush, Olive <i>Turdus olivaceus</i>
146	Thrush, Orange Ground <i>Geokichla gurneyi</i> (NT, LC)
147	Tinkerbird, Yellow-fronted <i>Pogoniulus chrysoconus</i>
148	Tit, Southern Black <i>Melaniparus niger</i>
149	Trogon, Narina <i>Apaloderma narina</i>
150	Turaco, Knysna <i>Tauraco corythaix</i> (SLS)
151	Turaco, Purple-crested <i>Tauraco porphyreolophus</i>
152	Twinspot, Green <i>Mandingoa nitidula</i>
153	Wagtail, African Pied <i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
154	Wagtail, Cape <i>Motacilla capensis</i>
155	Wagtail, Mountain <i>Motacilla clara</i>
156	Warbler, African Yellow <i>Iduna natalensis</i>
157	Warbler, Barratt's <i>Bradypterus barratti</i> (NE)
158	Warbler, Little Rush <i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>
159	Warbler, Willow <i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>
160	Warbler, Yellow-throated Woodland <i>Phylloscopus ruficapilla</i>
161	Waxbill, Blue <i>Uraeginthus angolensis</i>
162	Waxbill, Common <i>Estrilda astrild</i>
163	Waxbill, Swee <i>Coccyzygia melanotis</i> (NE)
164	Weaver, Cape <i>Ploceus capensis</i> (NE)
165	Weaver, Holub's Golden <i>Ploceus xanthops</i>

SPECIES	
166	Weaver, Spectacled <i>Ploceus ocularis</i>
167	Weaver, Thick-billed <i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
168	White-eye, Cape <i>Zosterops virens</i> (NE)
169	Whydah, Pin-tailed <i>Vidua macroura</i>
170	Widowbird, Red-collared <i>Euplectes ardens</i>
171	Woodpecker, Golden-tailed <i>Campethera abingoni</i>
172	Woodpecker, Olive <i>Dendropicus griseocephalus</i>

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