

A LIST OF BIRD SPECIES RECORDED AT KOSI TAPPU/BARRAGE

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INTRODUCTION

This list aims to provide a guide to the bird species that have been recorded within the wetland area comprising Kosi Tappu National Park and the Kosi Barrage in eastern Nepal. An attempt to summarise all species' status and occurrence in the Kosi area has been made and is indicated by the capital letter following each species name; the emboldened capitals indicate a species which is considered to be internationally endangered. Where appropriate, an additional comment provides further information. The list is by no means comprehensive or wholly accurate - as we still lack full knowledge of many aspects of the area, especially its breeding birds - but is intended to provide some documentation of the rich diversity of birdlife that has been recorded within the area and provides an indication of its international ecological value.

A total of 394 species have definitely been recorded in the Kosi area, despite the fact that it has never had the coverage of similar sites, such as Bharatpur (Keoladeo Ghana National Park) in India. Many further species of birds have been recorded in surrounding forest, but it is not known if they occur within the boundaries of the National Park. The value of Kosi as an Asian wetland site is exemplified by this high species total. It clearly constitutes an area of international importance for wintering and passage wildfowl, waders and raptors; it provides valuable breeding habitat for herons, storks, egrets and a variety of species that depend on its extensive riverine forest, grassland and open marsh. Furthermore, this bird list demonstrates that the Kosi area supports a significant number of species which are considered to be internationally endangered.

Sources used in the compilation of this list include *A Guide to the Birds of Nepal* (Inskipp and Inskipp, 1991), the bird list for Kosi Tappu compiled by Carol Inskipp in *Nepal's forest birds: their status and conservation* (Inskipp, 1989) and newsletters of the Nepal Birdwatching Club. I have also drawn heavily upon unpublished observations by a number of Nepali and British ornithologists, notably Tika Ram Giri, Hem Sagar Baral and Hathan Ram Choudhary. The nomenclature and taxonomic status of species largely follow Inskipp and Inskipp (1991).

STATUS CODE

- R = Resident
- M = Passage migrant
- S = Summer visitor
- W = Winter visitor
- AM = Altitudinal migrant
- V = Vagrant
- F = Formerly recorded but probably no longer occurring in the Kosi area
- U = Uncommon/scarce/irregular
- ? = Status uncertain

INTERNATIONAL STATUS (From Inskipp, 1989)

- E** = Endangered
- V** = Vulnerable
- R** = Rare
- I** = Species for which Nepal may hold internationally significant breeding populations
- N** = Species for which Nepal may hold internationally significant breeding populations and for which the country may be especially important

SYSTEMATIC LIST

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COMMENT

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LITTLE GREBE (<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>)	R,W,M	
GREAT CRESTED GREBE (<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>)	W	
BLACK-NECKED GREBE (<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>)	V	1 record
GREAT CORMORANT (<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>)	R	
LITTLE CORMORANT (<i>Phalacrocorax niger</i>)	W,M,R	Proved breeding, 1993
DARTER (<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>)	R	
WHITE PELICAN (<i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>)	V	3 records
SPOT-BILLED PELICAN (<i>Pelecanus philippensis</i>)	M (U)	E
EURASIAN BITTERN (<i>Botaurus stellaris</i>)	W,M	
YELLOW BITTERN (<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>)	S	V
CINNAMON BITTERN (<i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>)	S,R	
BLACK BITTERN (<i>Dupetor flavicollis</i>)	V	1 record
BLACK-CROWNED NIGHT HERON (<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>)	R,S	Proved breeding, 1993
STRIATED HERON (<i>Butorides striatus</i>)	R,S	
INDIAN POND HERON (<i>Ardeola grayii</i>)	R	
CATTLE EGRET (<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>)	R	
LITTLE EGRET (<i>Egretta garzetta</i>)	R	Proved breeding, 1993
INTERMEDIATE EGRET (<i>Egretta intermedia</i>)	R	Proved breeding, 1993
GREAT EGRET (<i>Egretta alba</i>)	R	Proved breeding, 1993
GREY HERON (<i>Ardea cinerea</i>)	W	
PURPLE HERON (<i>Ardea purpurea</i>)	R,S	Proved breeding, 1993
PAINTED STORK (<i>Mycteria leucocephala</i>)	S (U)	
ASIAN OPENBILL STORK (<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>)	R,M	
BLACK STORK (<i>Ciconia nigra</i>)	W,M	
WOOLLY-NECKED STORK (<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>)	R,S	
WHITE STORK (<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>)	V	2 records
BLACK-NECKED STORK (<i>Xenorhynchus asiaticus</i>)	R,M,W	Proved breeding, 1994
GREATER ADJUTANT STORK (<i>Leptoptilos dubius</i>)	S (U)	
LESSER ADJUTANT STORK (<i>Leptoptilos javanicus</i>)	R	
GLOSSY IBIS (<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>)	V	3 records
RED-NAPED IBIS (<i>Pseudibis papillosa</i>)	R	Proved breeding (E)
BLACK-HEADED IBIS (<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>)	S,R	
SPOONBILL (<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>)	W,M	
GREATER FLAMINGO (<i>Phoenicopterus ruber</i>)	V	1 record
FULVOUS WHISTLING DUCK (<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>)	V	1 record
LESSER WHISTLING DUCK (<i>Dendrocygna jaccanica</i>)	W,M,R	
GREYLAG GOOSE (<i>Anser anser</i>)	M,W	
BAR-HEADED GOOSE (<i>Anser indicus</i>)	M,W	
RUDDY SHELDUCK (<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>)	W,M	
COMMON SHELDUCK (<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>)	M (U)	
COMB DUCK (<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>)	W	
COTTON PYGMY GOOSE (<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>)	R,S	
EURASIAN WIGEON (<i>Anas penelope</i>)	W,M	
FALCATED DUCK (<i>Anas falcata</i>)	M,W	
GADWALL (<i>Anas strepera</i>)	W,M	
BAIKAL TEAL (<i>Anas formosa</i>)	V	1 record
COMMON TEAL (<i>Anas creca</i>)	W,M	
MALLARD (<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>)	W,M	
SPOT-BILLED DUCK (<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>)	W,R	
NORTHERN PINTAIL (<i>Anas acuta</i>)	W,M	
GARGANEY (<i>Anas querquedula</i>)	M,W	
NORTHERN SHOVELER (<i>Anas clypeata</i>)	M,W	
RED-CRESTED POCHARD (<i>Netta rufina</i>)	M,W	
COMMON POCHARD (<i>Aythya ferina</i>)	W,M	
BAER'S POCHARD (<i>Aythya baeri</i>)	M (U)	Regular in small numbers
FERRUGINOUS DUCK (<i>Aythya nyroca</i>)	M,W	
TUFTED DUCK (<i>Aythya fuligula</i>)	W,M,R	
GREATER SCAUP (<i>Aythya marila</i>)	V	1 record
LONG-TAILED DUCK (<i>Clangula hyemalis</i>)	V	2 records
COMMON GOLDENEYE (<i>Bucephala clangula</i>)	W (U)	
SMEW (<i>Mergus albellus</i>)	V	1 record
RED-BREASTED MERGANSER (<i>Mergus serrator</i>)	V	2 records
GOOSANDER (<i>Mergus merganser</i>)	W	
CRESTED HONEY BUZZARD (<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>)	R	
BLACK-SHOULDERED KITE (<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>)	R	
BLACK KITE (<i>Milvus migrans</i>)	R	
BRAHMINY KITE (<i>Haliastur indus</i>)	R (U)	Increasingly scarce
PALLAS'S FISH EAGLE (<i>Haliaeetus leucoryphus</i>)	W,M (U)	E
WHITE-TAILED EAGLE (<i>Haliaeetus albicilla</i>)	W	
GREY-HEADED FISHING EAGLE (<i>Ichthyophaga ichthyaetus</i>)	U	1 record (E)
EGYPTIAN VULTURE (<i>Neophron percnopterus</i>)	R,M	

ORIENTAL WHITE-BACKED VULTURE (<i>Gyps bengalensis</i>)	R	
LONG-BILLED VULTURE (<i>Gyps indicus</i>)	R	
EURASIAN GRIFFON VULTURE (<i>Gyps fulvus</i>)	R	
RED-HEADED VULTURE (<i>Sarcogyps calvus</i>)	AM (U)	
EURASIAN BLACK VULTURE (<i>Aegyptius monachus</i>)	W	
SHORT-TOED EAGLE (<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>)	W,M	
CRESTED SERPENT EAGLE (<i>Spilornis cheela</i>)	R	
EURASIAN MARSH HARRIER (<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>)	W,M	
HEN HARRIER (<i>Circus cyaneus</i>)	W,M	
PALLID HARRIER (<i>Circus macroourus</i>)	W (U)	
MONTAGU'S HARRIER (<i>Circus pygargus</i>)	W (U)	
PIED HARRIER (<i>Circus melanoleucus</i>)	W	
BESRA (<i>Accipiter virgatus</i>)	AM (U)	
EURASIAN SPARROWHAWK (<i>Accipiter nisus</i>)	AM (U)	
CRESTED GOSHAWK (<i>Accipiter trivirgatus</i>)	R? (U)	1 record
SHIKRA (<i>Accipiter badius</i>)	R	
WHITE-EYED BUZZARD (<i>Butastur teesa</i>)	R	
COMMON BUZZARD (<i>Buteo buteo</i>)	W,M	
LONG-LEGGED BUZZARD (<i>Buteo rufinus</i>)	W,M	
BLACK EAGLE (<i>Ictinaetus malayensis</i>)	AM (U)	1 record
LESSER SPOTTED EAGLE (<i>Aquila pomarina</i>)	W,R	R
SPOTTED EAGLE (<i>Aquila clanga</i>)	W,M (U)	
STEPPE EAGLE (<i>Aquila nipalensis</i>)	W,M	
TAWNY EAGLE (<i>Aquila vindhiana</i>)	R (U)	R
IMPERIAL EAGLE (<i>Aquila hellaca</i>)	W,M (U)	
GOLDEN EAGLE (<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>)	AM (U)	1 record
BOOTED EAGLE (<i>Hieraetus pennatus</i>)	W,M	
RUFIOUS-BELLIED HAWK-EAGLE (<i>Hieraetus kienersi</i>)	M? (U)	1 record (E)
CHANGEABLE HAWK EAGLE (<i>Spizaetus cirrhatous</i>)	R	V
OSPREY (<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>)	W,R	
RED-THIGHED FALCONET (<i>Microhierax caerulescens</i>)	R (U)	Relatively uncommon
LESSER KESTREL (<i>Falco naumanni</i>)	M (U)	
COMMON KESTREL (<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>)	R,W,M	
RED-NECKED FALCON (<i>Falco chitquera</i>)	R (U)	Scarce (E)
AMUR FALCON (<i>Falco amurensis</i>)	M (U)	
MERLIN (<i>Falco columbarius</i>)	W (U)	
EURASIAN HOBBY (<i>Falco subbuteo</i>)	M (U)	
LAGGAR FALCON (<i>Falco jugger</i>)	R (U)?	R
PEREGRINE (<i>Falco peregrinus</i>)	W	
BLACK FRANCOLIN (<i>Francolinus francolinus</i>)	R	
SWAMP FRANCOLIN (<i>Francolinus fularis</i>)	R	V,N
COMMON QUAIL (<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>)	W, M	
RED JUNGLEFOWL (<i>Gallus gallus</i>)	R	
BLUE PEAFOWL (<i>Pavo cristatus</i>)	R	
YELLOW-LEGGED BUTTONQUAIL (<i>Turnix tanki</i>)	R	R
BARRED BUTTONQUAIL (<i>Turnix suscitator</i>)	R	
WATER RAIL (<i>Rallus aquaticus</i>)	V	2 records
SPOTTED CRAKE (<i>Porzana porzana</i>)	V	1 record
BAILLON'S CRAKE (<i>Porzana pusilla</i>)	W (U)	
RUDDY-BREASTED CRAKE (<i>Porzana fusca</i>)	R	
BROWN CRAKE (<i>Amaurornis akool</i>)	R	
WHITE-BREASTED WATERHEN (<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>)	R	
COMMON MOORHEN (<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>)	R	
PURPLE GALLINULE (<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>)	W,M,R	
WATERCOCK (<i>Gallix cinerea</i>)	S	V
EURASIAN COOT (<i>Fulica atra</i>)	W,M	
COMMON CRANE (<i>Grus grus</i>)	W (U)	3 records
DEMOISELLE CRANE (<i>Anthropoides virgo</i>)	M (U)	
BENGAL FLORICAN (<i>Houbaropsis bengalensis</i>)	F? (R,S)	No records since 1986 (E,N)
PHEASANT-TAILED JACANA (<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>)	S,R	
BRONZE-WINGED JACANA (<i>Metopidius indicus</i>)	R	
PAINTED SNIPE (<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>)	R	
BLACK-WINGED STILT (<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>)	M	
AVOCET (<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>)	M (U)	
NORTHERN STONE CURLEW (<i>Burhinus oedicnemus</i>)	R	
GREAT STONE-PLOVER (<i>Esacus recurvirostris</i>)	R,W	
INDIAN COURSER (<i>Cursorius coromandelicus</i>)	F (R)	
ORIENTAL PRATINCOLE (<i>Glareola maldivarum</i>)	M (U)	
LITTLE PRATINCOLE (<i>Glareola lactea</i>)	R	
LITTLE RINGED PLOVER (<i>Charadrius dubius</i>)	R,W	
LONG-BILLED PLOVER (<i>Charadrius dubius</i>)	W (U)	
KENTISH PLOVER (<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>)	W,M,R?	
LESSER SAND PLOVER (<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>)	W,M (U)	
GREATER SAND PLOVER (<i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i>)	V	1 record

SHORT-EARED OWL (<i>Asio flammeus</i>)	W (U)	
INDIAN NIGHTJAR (<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>)	R (U)?	
LARGE-TAILED NIGHTJAR (<i>Caprimulgus macrurus</i>)	R (U)?	
HIMALAYAN SWIFTLET (<i>Collocalia brevirostris</i>)	AM (U)	
PACIFIC SWIFT (<i>Apus pacificus</i>)	M,W?	
ALPINE SWIFT (<i>Apus melba</i>)	W	
LITTLE SWIFT (<i>Apus affinis</i>)	R	
ASIAN PALM SWIFT (<i>Cypsiurus balastensis</i>)	R	
WHITE-BREASTED KINGFISHER (<i>Halycon coronata</i>)	R	
BLACK-CAPPED KINGFISHER (<i>Halycon pileata</i>)	V	1 record
STORK-BILLED KINGFISHER (<i>Pelargopsis capensis</i>)	R	
EURASIAN KINGFISHER (<i>Alcedo atthis</i>)	R	
PIED KINGFISHER (<i>Ceryle rudis</i>)	R	
GREEN BEE-EATER (<i>Merops orientalis</i>)	R,S	
BLUE-TAILED BEE-EATER (<i>Merops philippinus</i>)	S	
CHESTNUT-HEADED BEE-EATER (<i>Merops leschenaulti</i>)	S,R	
INDIAN ROLLER (<i>Coracias benghalensis</i>)	R	
HOOPOE (<i>Upupa epops</i>)	R,M	
INDIAN GREY HORNBILL (<i>Tockus birostris</i>)	R (U)	
ORIENTAL PIED HORNBILL (<i>Anthracoceros coronatus</i>)	R (U)	V
LINEATED BARBET (<i>Megalaima lineata</i>)	R	
BLUE-THROATED BARBET (<i>Megalaima asiatica</i>)	R	
COPPERSMITH BARBET (<i>Megalaima haemacephala</i>)	R	
EURASIAN WRYNECK (<i>Jynx torquilla</i>)	W,M	
GREY-HEADED WOODPECKER (<i>Picus canus</i>)	R	
L. GOLDEN-BACKED WOODPECKER (<i>Dinopium benghalense</i>)	R	
FULVOUS-BREASTED PIED WOODPECKER (<i>Dendrocopos macul</i>)	R	
INDIAN PITTA (<i>Pitta brachyura</i>)	S	R
BENGAL BUSHLARK (<i>Mirafra assamica</i>)	R	
ASHY-CROWNED FINCHLARK (<i>Eremopterix grisea</i>)	R	
SANDLARK (<i>Calandrella raytal</i>)	R	
GREATER SHORT-TOED LARK (<i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i>)	W,M	
HUME'S SHORT-TOED LARK (<i>Calandrella acutirostris</i>)	M (U)?	
ORIENTAL SKYLARK (<i>Alauda gulgula</i>)	R,W	
BROWN-THROATED SAND MARTIN (<i>Riparia paludicola</i>)	R	
COLLARED SAND MARTIN (<i>Riparia riparia</i>)	M (U)	4 records
BARN SWALLOW (<i>Hirundo rustica</i>)	R,S	
RED-RUMPED SWALLOW (<i>Hirundo daurica</i>)	AM	
STREAK-THROATED SWALLOW (<i>Hirundo fluviicola</i>)	V	2 records
RICHARD'S PIPIT (<i>Anthus novaeseelandiae</i>)	R,W,M	
BLYTH'S PIPIT (<i>Anthus godlewskii</i>)	M (U)?	
OLIVE-BACKED PIPIT (<i>Anthus hodgsoni</i>)	W	
TREE PIPIT (<i>Anthus trivialis</i>)	W,M (U)	
RED-THROATED PIPIT (<i>Anthus cervinus</i>)	W (U)	
ROSY PIPIT (<i>Anthus roseatus</i>)	AM	
WATER PIPIT (<i>Anthus spinoletta</i>)	V	1 record
BUFF-BELLIED PIPIT (<i>Anthus rubescens</i>)	W (U)?	1 record
YELLOW WAGTAIL (<i>Motacilla flava</i>)	M,W	
CITRINE WAGTAIL (<i>Motacilla citreola</i>)	W,M	
WHITE WAGTAIL (<i>Motacilla alba</i>)	W,M	
WHITE-BROWED WAGTAIL (<i>Motacilla maderaspatensis</i>)	R	
BLACK-HEADED CUCKOO SHRIKE (<i>Coracina melanoptera</i>)	S? (U)	1 record
BLACK-WINGED CUCKOO SHRIKE (<i>Coracina melaschistos</i>)	R	
LARGE CUCKOO SHRIKE (<i>Coracina novaehollandiae</i>)	R	
SCARLET MINIVET (<i>Pericrocotus flammeus</i>)	R	
RED-WHISKERED BULBUL (<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>)	R	
RED-VENTED BULBUL (<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>)	R	
COMMON IORA (<i>Aegithina tiphia</i>)	R	
GOLDEN-FRONTED LEAFBIRD (<i>Chlorops aurifrons</i>)	R	
SIBERIAN RUBYTHROAT (<i>Luscinia calliope</i>)	W,M	
BLUETHROAT (<i>Luscinia svecica</i>)	W,M	
WHITE-TAILED RUBYTHROAT (<i>Luscinia pectoralis</i>)	W,M?	
ASIAN MAGPIE ROBIN (<i>Copsychus saularis</i>)	R	
BLACK REDSTART (<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>)	AM	
BROWN ROCK CHAT (<i>Cercomela fusca</i>)	V	1 record
COMMON STONECHAT (<i>Saxicola torquata</i>)	W,M	
WHITE-TAILED STONECHAT (<i>Saxicola leucura</i>)	R	R,I
HODGSON'S BUCHCHAT (<i>Saxicola insignis</i>)	F? (W)	No recent records
PIED BUSHCHAT (<i>Saxicola caprata</i>)	R	
JERDON'S BUSHCHAT (<i>Saxicola jerdoni</i>)	S (U)?	2 records
BLUE ROCK-THRUSH (<i>Monticola solitarius</i>)	AM	
SCALY THRUSH (<i>Zoothera dauma</i>)	W	
ORANGE-HEADED GROUND THRUSH (<i>Zoothera citrina</i>)	W,M	
DARK-THROATED THRUSH (<i>Turdus ruficollis</i>)	W,M	

PALE-FOOTED BUSH WARBLER (<i>Cettia pallidipes</i>)	R (U)	R,I
CHESTNUT-CROWNED BUSH WARBLER (<i>Cettia major</i>)	M (U)	2 records (N)
GREY-SIDED BUSH WARBLER (<i>Cettia brunniifrons</i>)	AM (U)	1 record (I)
SPOTTED BUSH WARBLER (<i>Bradypterus thoracius</i>)	W (U)	Very irregular
CHINESE BUSH WARBLER (<i>Bradypterus tacsanowskii</i>)	V	1 record
BRIGHT-CAPPED CISTICOLA (<i>Cisticola exilis</i>)	S	R
FANTAIL CISTICOLA (<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>)	R	
GRACEFUL PRINIA (<i>Prinia gracilis</i>)	F? (R)	
PLAIN PRINIA (<i>Prinia inornata</i>)	R	
ASHY PRINIA (<i>Prinia socialis</i>)	R	
GREY-CAPPED PRINIA (<i>Prinia cinereocapilla</i>)	N,R (U)	
GREY-BREASTED PRINIA (<i>Prinia hodgsoni</i>)	R	
YELLOW-BELLIED PRINIA (<i>Prinia flaviventris</i>)	R	
STRIATED PRINIA (<i>Prinia criniger</i>)	AM (U)	1 record
LARGE GRASS WARBLER (<i>Graminicola bengalensis</i>)	R (U)?	V
COMMON TAILORBIRD (<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>)	R	
LANCEOLATED WARBLER (<i>Locustella lanceolata</i>)	V	1 record
GRASSHOPPER WARBLER (<i>Locustella naevia</i>)	V	2 records
STRIATED MARSH WARBLER (<i>Meagalarus palustris</i>)	V,R	
BLACK-BROWED REED WARBLER (<i>Acrocephalus bistriceps</i>)	V	3 records
PADDYFIELD WARBLER (<i>Acrocephalus agricola</i>)	W	
BLYTH'S REED WARBLER (<i>Acrocephalus dumetorum</i>)	W,M	
CLAMOROUS REED WARBLER (<i>Acrocephalus stentoreus</i>)	W,M	
THICK-BILLED WARBLER (<i>Acrocephalus aedon</i>)	W,M	
BOOTED WARBLER (<i>Hippolais caligata</i>)	M (U)	3 records
ORPHEAN WARBLER (<i>Sylvia hortensis</i>)	V	1 record
LESSER WHITETHROAT (<i>Sylvia curruca</i>)	W (U)	
GOLDEN-SPECTACLED WARBLER (<i>Selcerus burkii</i>)	AM (U)	
BLYTH'S CROWNED WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus reguloides</i>)	W	
WESTERN CROWNED WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus occipitalis</i>)	M (U)	
GREEN WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus nitidus</i>)	M (U)	
GREENISH WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus trochiloides</i>)	W	
LARGE-BILLED LEAF WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus magnirostris</i>)	W,M (U)?	
YELLOW-BROWED WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i>)	W	
DUSKY WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus fuscatus</i>)	W	
SMOKY WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus fulgiventis</i>)	AM	N
TICKELL'S WARBLER (<i>Phylloscopus affinis</i>)	AM	
CHIFFCHAFF (<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>)	W	
PALE-CHINNED FLYCATCHER (<i>Cyornis pollogenys</i>)	R	
VERDITER FLYCATCHER (<i>Muscicapa thalassina</i>)	AM	
RED-BREASTED FLYCATCHER (<i>Ficedula parva</i>)	W	
GREY-HEADED FLYCATCHER (<i>Culicicapa ceylonensis</i>)	AM	
WHITE-THROATED FANTAIL (<i>Rhipidura albicollis</i>)	R,AM	
WHITE-BROWED FANTAIL (<i>Rhipidura aureola</i>)	R (U)	
ASIAN PARADISE FLYCATCHER (<i>Terpsiphone paradis</i>)	S	
ABBOTT'S BABBLER (<i>Trichastoma abboti</i>)	R (U)?	1 record (E)
STRIATED BABBLER (<i>Turdoides earlei</i>)	R	
JUNGLE BABBLER (<i>Turdoides striatus</i>)	R	
GREAT TIT (<i>Parus major</i>)	R	
VELVET-FRONTED NUTHATCH (<i>Sitta frontalis</i>)	R	
CHESTNUT-BELLIED NUTHATCH (<i>Sitta castanea</i>)	R	
WALLCREEPER (<i>Tichodroma muraria</i>)	W (U)	
PURPLE SUNBIRD (<i>Nectarinia asiatica</i>)	R	
ORIENTAL WHITE-EYE (<i>Zosterops palpebrosa</i>)	R	
BLACK-HOODED ORIOLE (<i>Oriolus xanthornus</i>)	R	
SLENDER-BILLED ORIOLE (<i>Oriolus tenuirostris</i>)	W,M? (U)	2 records
GOLDEN ORIOLE (<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>)	S	
BROWN SHRIKE (<i>Lanius cristatus</i>)	W,M	
ISABELLINE SHRIKE (<i>Lanius isabellinus</i>)	V	1 record
LONG-TAILED SHRIKE (<i>Lanius schach</i>)	AM	
GREY-BACKED SHRIKE (<i>Lanius tephronotus</i>)	AM	
GREAT GREY SHRIKE (<i>Lanius excubitor</i>)	R (U)	
BLACK DRONGO (<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>)	R	
ASHY DRONGO (<i>Dicrurus leucophaeus</i>)	AM	
WHITE-BELLIED DRONGO (<i>Dicrurus caerulescens</i>)	R	
CROW-BILLED DRONGO (<i>Dicrurus annectans</i>)	S (U)	V
BRONZED DRONGO (<i>Dicrurus aeneus</i>)	R?	
SPANGLED DRONGO (<i>Dicrurus hottentotus</i>)	R (U)	
ASHY WOODSWALLOW (<i>Artamus fuscus</i>)	R	
RUFIOUS TREEPIE (<i>Dendrocitta vagabunda</i>)	R	
GREY TREEPIE (<i>Dendrocitta formosae</i>)	AM (U)	1 record
HOUSE CROW (<i>Corvus splendens</i>)	R	
JUNGLE CROW (<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>)	R	
CHESTNUT-TAILED STARLING (<i>Sturnus malabaricus</i>)	R	

BRAHMINY STARLING (<i>Sturnus pagodarum</i>)	R	
COMMON STARLING (<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>)	W,M (U)	
ROSE-COLOURED STARLING (<i>Sturnus roseus</i>)	V	1 record
ASIAN PIED STARLING (<i>Sturnus contra</i>)	R	
COMMON MYNAH (<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>)	R	
BANK MYNAH (<i>Acridotheres ginginianus</i>)	R	
JUNGLE MYNAH (<i>Acridotheres fuscus</i>)	R	
HOUSE SPARROW (<i>Passer domesticus</i>)	R	
SPANISH SPARROW (<i>Passer hispaniolensis</i>)	V	3 records
CINNAMON SPARROW (<i>Passer rutilans</i>)	AM (U)	1 record
EURASIAN TREE SPARROW (<i>Passer montanus</i>)	S	
YELLOW-THROATED SPARROW (<i>Petronia xanthocollis</i>)	R,S	
BLACK-BREASTED WEAVER (<i>Ploceus benghalensis</i>)	R	R,I
STREAKED WEAVER (<i>Ploceus manyar</i>)	R? (U)	
BAYA WEAVER (<i>Ploceus philliplinus</i>)	R	
RED AVADAVAT (<i>Amandava amandava</i>)	R	
INDIAN SILVERBILL (<i>Euodice malabarica</i>)	R? (U)	
SCALY-BREASTED MUNIA (<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>)	R	
CHESTNUT MUNIA (<i>Lonchura malacca</i>)	R? (U)	
COMMON ROSEFINCH (<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>)	W	
BLACK-FACED BUNTING (<i>Emberiza spodocephala</i>)	W,M	
CHESTNUT-EARED BUNTING (<i>Emberiza fucata</i>)	W (U)	
LITTLE BUNTING (<i>Emberiza pusilla</i>)	W	
YELLOW-BREASTED BUNTING (<i>Emberiza aureola</i>)	W,M	
BLACK-HEADED BUNTING (<i>Emberiza melanocephala</i>)	W (U)	6 records
CRESTED BUNTING (<i>Melophus lathamii</i>)	R	

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