

Kodall Island Bird Checklist

Torres Strait Australia.

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#n	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Rose-crowned Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus regina</i>	Res bre	5 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
2.	Bar-shouldered Dove	<i>Geopelia humeralis</i>	Res bre	4 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
3.	Pied Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula bicolor</i>	Res bre?	6 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
4.	Brown Booby	<i>Sula leucogaster</i>	Res	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
5.	Nankeen Night-heron	<i>Nycticorax caledonicus</i>	Res bre	3 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
6.	Great-billed Heron	<i>Ardea sumatrana</i>	Res	2 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
7.	Intermediate Egret	<i>Ardea intermedia</i>	Res/Nomad?	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
8.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta sacra</i>	Res	30 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
9.	Beach Stone-curlew	<i>Esacus magnirostris</i>	Res	3 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
10.	Australian Pied Oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus longirostris</i>	Res	55 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
11.	Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	Sum mig	15 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
12.	Pacific Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>	Sum mig	25 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
13.	Greater Sand-plover	<i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i>	Sum mig	110 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
14.	Lesser Sand-plover	<i>Charadrius mongolus</i>	Sum mig	120 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
15.	Bar-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa lapponica</i>	Sum mig	30 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
16.	Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>	Sum mig	47 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
17.	Terek Sandpiper	<i>Xenus cinereus</i>	Sum mig	15 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
18.	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	Sum mig	65 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
19.	Grey-tailed Tattler	<i>Tringa brevipes</i>	Sum mig	30 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
20.	Ruddy Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	Sum mig	6 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
21.	Red-necked Stint	<i>Calidris ruficollis</i>	Sum mig	120 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
22.	Red Knot	<i>Calidris canutus</i>	Sum mig	4 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
23.	Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>	Sum mig	5 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
24.	Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	Sum mig	45 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
25.	Great Knot	<i>Calidris tenuirostris</i>	Sum mig	9 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
26.	Red-backed Button-quail	<i>Turnix maculosa</i>	Res bre	7 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
27.	Sooty Tern	<i>Onychoprion fuscata</i>	Res	1 dead juv 16 Nov 2008,	1,
28.	Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>	Sum mig	200 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
29.	Roseate Tern	<i>Sterna dougallii</i>	Res/vag?	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
30.	Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	Res?	15 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
31.	Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>	Res	100 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
32.	Gull-billed Tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>	Res	20 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
33.	White-winged Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>	Vag	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
34.	Silver Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus novaehollandiae</i>	Res	12 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
35.	Collared Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus chloris</i>	Res/mig	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
36.	Sacred Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus sancta</i>	Res/mig	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,

37.	Large-billed Gerygone	<i>Gerygone magnirostris</i>	Res bre	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
38.	Mangrove Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala melanura</i>	Res bre	4 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
39.	White-breasted Woodswallow	<i>Artamus leucorhynchus</i>	Res bre?	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
40.	Spectacled Monarch	<i>Monarcha trivirgatus</i>	Res	2 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
41.	Pale White-eye	<i>Zosterops citrinellus</i>	Res bre	20 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
42.	Yellow-bellied Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia jugularis</i>	Res bre	M&F obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,
43.	Chestnut-breasted Mannikin	<i>Lonchura castaneothorax</i>	Res bre	1 obs 16 Nov 2008,	1,

KEY

Ecological status

End = Endemic to Island unless otherwise stated, **Res bre** = Resident breeder, **Res** = resident ie breeding not proven or not likely. For seabirds it means they have or should be found in that area: note other refs. **Vag** = Vagrant, **Res/mig** = Part of population migratory, **Sum mig** = Summer migrant, **Win mig** = Winter migrant, **Spr/Aut mig** = Passage migrant in Spring and Autumn, **Intro** = Introduced.

Abundance

R = rare, **S** = scarce, **UC** = uncommon, **MC** = moderately common, **LC** = locally common, **C** = common, **VC** = very common, **A** = abundant.

Colour coding applies only to one species on a particular list. eg. An abundance comment in red for the Brown Booby refers to the Ref # in Red for that species only.

Alternate Island Names & alternate common Bird Names are recorded in two separate spreadsheet files.

REFERENCES

1. Tarburton, M. 2008. Field Notes from Torres Strait bird trip with Richard Baxter, Mike Carter *et al* 9-19 Nov 2008.