

Gam Is. Bird Checklist

West Papua Isl. Indonesia.

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta sacra</i>	Res	1 Grey form obs 1986,	1,
2.	Eastern Osprey	<i>Pandion cristatus</i>	Res	1 obs 1986,	1,
3.	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>	Res	1 obs 1986,	1,
4.	Dusky Scrubfowl	<i>Megapodius f. freycinet</i>	Res bre	2 birds on active mound obs in interior of island 1986,	1,
5.	Beach Stone-curlew	<i>Esacus magnirostris</i>	Res	3 obs 1986,	1,
6.	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Sum mig	1 obs 1986,	1,
7.	Pied Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula bicolor</i>	Res bre	1 obs 1986,	1,
8.	Spice Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula m. myristicivora</i>	Res bre	4 obs on top of Allocasuarina sp. 1986,	1,
9.	Beach Kingfisher	<i>Todiramphus saurophaga</i>	Res	2 obs Feb 1986,	1,
10.	Arafura Fantail	<i>Rhipidura dryas</i>	Res?	1 obs in coastal vegetation 1986,	1,
11.	Mimic Meliphaga	<i>Meliphaga a. analoga</i>	Res bre	1 obs foraging in mangrove & nearby vege 1986,	1,
12.	Varied Honeyeater	<i>Lichenostomus versicolor sonoroides</i>	Res bre	1 obs feeding in Coconut Palm.	1,
13.	Moluccan Starling	<i>Aplornis m. mysolensis</i>	Res bre	1 obs in coastal vegetation 1986,	1,
14.	Torresian Crow	<i>Corvus orru</i>	Res bre	1 obs 1986,	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, **P** = present.

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

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