

# Deboyne Group. Bird Checklist

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Lesser Frigatebird	<i>Fregata a. ariel</i>	Res	1 bird with streamer on leg 1969,	3,7,
2.	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>	Res	Obs on Nivani in 1928 by Hamlin,	8,
3.	Pacific Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>	Sum Mig	Obs on Nivani in 1928 by Hamlin,	8,
4.	Black-naped Tern	<i>Sterna sumatrana</i>	Res	Obs on Nivani in 1928 by Hamlin,	8,
5.	Island Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula pistrinaria postrema</i>	Res bre	P,	5,
6.	Nicobar Pigeon	<i>Caloenas n. nicobarica</i>	Res bre	MC,	5,
7.	Coconut Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	Res bre	Obs on Nivani in 1928 by Hamlin,	8,
8.	Sulphur-crested Cockatoo	<i>Cacatua galerita</i>	Res bre	Obs on Nivani in 1928 by Hamlin,	8,
9.	Rufous Fantail	<i>Rhipidura rufifrons louisiadensis</i>	Spr/Aut Mig	P, Coll on Panapompom in 1928 by Hamlin,	4,7,8,
10.	Leaden Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra rubecula sciurorum</i>	Res bre	Coll on Panapompom in 1928 by Hamlin,	8,
11.	Common Golden Whistler	<i>Pachycephala pectoralis missimae/collaris</i>	Res bre	P, Coll on Panapompom in 198 by Hamlin,	4,5,6,8,
12.	Louisiade White-eye	<i>Zosterops griseotinctus aignani</i>	Res bre	P, Obs on Nivani & coll on Panapompom by Hamlin 1928,	2,3,5,8,
13.	White-chinned Myzomela	<i>Myzomela albigula pallidior</i>	End E. Papuan Is.	P, Coll on Panapompom by Hamlin 1928,	2,4,5,8,
14.	Black Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia aspasia christiana</i>	Res bre	Obs on Nivani by Hamlin 1928,	8,

### 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.**

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