

Pak Island Bird Checklist

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta sacra</i>	Res bre	C Mar 1977,	6,
2.	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus girrenera</i>	Res bre	VC Feb 77,	6,7,
3.	Purple Swamphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	Res	1 coll. "exactly like Manus birds",	3,
4.	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Sum Mig	P Feb 1977,	6,
5.	Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>	Res	P Feb 1977,	6,
6.	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	Res	6 seen Feb 1977.	6,
7.	Coconut Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	Res bre	C Feb 1977,	6,
8.	Red-flanked Lorikeet	<i>Chamosyna placentis</i>	Res	C Feb 1977,	6,
9.	Brush Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis variolosus</i>	Res/Mig?	C & noisy August 06. C Feb 1977,	2,6,
10.	Uniform Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus vanikorensis coultasi</i>	Res bre	C. Feb 1977.	6,7,
11.	White-rumped Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus spodiopygius eichhorni</i>	Res bre	VC. Feb 1977,	6,
12.	Shining Flycatcher	<i>Myiagra alecto chalybeocephalus</i>	Res	P, P Feb 1977,	1,5,6,
13.	Manus Fantail	<i>Rhipidura semirubra</i>	Res?	P.	4,
14.	Singing Starling	<i>Aplornis cantoroides</i>	Res bre	LC, C Feb 1977,	1,6,
15.	Yellow-bellied Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia jugularis (ssp?)</i>	Res bre	VC. Feb 1977.	6,

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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.

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