

Sivisa Is. Bird Checklist

Fedarb Grp, Admiralty Group, PNG

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| # | Common Name | Scientific Name | Ecol. Status | Abundance | References |
|-----|----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|----------------|------------|
| 1. | Eastern Reef Egret | <i>Egretta sacra</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 2. | Melanesian Scrub Fowl | <i>Megapodius eremita</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 3. | Purple Swamphen | <i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i> | Res | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 4. | Slender-billed Cuckoo-Dove | <i>Macropygia amboinensis</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 5. | Yellow-bibbed Fruit-Dove | <i>Ptilinopus solomonensis</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991 | 1, |
| 6. | Island Imperial Pigeon | <i>Ducula pistrinaria</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 7. | Coconut Lorikeet | <i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i> | Res | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 8. | Shining Bronze-Cuckoo | <i>Chrysococcyx lucidus</i> | Win mig | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 9. | White-rumped Swiftlet | <i>Aerodramus spodiopygius</i> | Res | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 10. | Manus Monarch | <i>Monarcha infelix infelix</i> | End Admiralty | Obs July 1991, | 1,3, |
| 11. | Manus Fantail | <i>Rhipidura semirubra</i> | Res? | P. | 2, |
| 11. | Ebony Myzomela | <i>Myzomela pammelaena</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991, | 1, |
| 12. | Metallic Starling | <i>Aplornis metallica</i> | Res bre | Obs July 1991, | 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.

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