

Savo Island Bird Checklist

Solomon Islands

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	White-tailed Tropicbird	<i>Phaethon lepturus</i>	Res	P, 1 spec.	6,7,
2.	Masked Booby	<i>Sula dactylatra</i>	Res	1 spec.	6?
3.	Brown Booby	<i>Sula leucogaster</i>	Res	P,	7,
4.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta s. sacra</i>	Res bre	S,	2,
5.	Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striatus solomonensis</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
6.	Rufous Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax caledonicus mandibularis</i>	Res bre	P, 1+ spec. AMNH	2,10,
7.	Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus melvillensis</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
8.	Solomon Sea-Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus sanfordi</i>	Res	P,	2,
9.	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliaster indus flavirostris</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
10.	Melanesian Scrubfowl	<i>Megapodius eremita</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
11.	Purple Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio samoensis</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
12.	Common Sandpiper	<i>Tringa hypoleucos</i>	Sum mig	P,	7,
13.	Bridled Tern	<i>Onychoprion anaethetus anaethetus</i>	Res	20 offshore	4,
14.	Roseate Tern	<i>Sterna dougallii bangsi</i>	Res	1 spec 1870's	7,
15.	Yellow-bibbed Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus solomonensis neumanni</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
16.	Claret-breasted Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus viridis lewisi</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
17.	Pacific Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula p. pacifica</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
18.	Red-knobbed Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula rubricera rufigula</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
19.	Island (Grey) Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula p. pistrinaria</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
20.	Mackinlay's Cuckoo-Dove	<i>Macropygia mackinlayi arossi</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
21.	Stephan's Dove	<i>Chalcophaps stephani mortoni</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
22.	Nicobar Pigeon	<i>Caloenas n. nicobarica</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
23.	Cardinal Lory	<i>Chalcopsitta c. cardinalis</i>	Res bre	P, Common in 1870's	2,6,7,
24.	Coconut Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus massena</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
25.	Yellow-bibbed Lory	<i>Lorius chlorocercus</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
26.	Ducorp's Cockatoo	<i>Cacatua d. ducorpsi</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
27.	Eclectus Parrot	<i>Eclectus roratus solomonensis</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
28.	Song (Singing) Parrot	<i>Geoffroyus h. heteroclitus</i>	Res bre	P,	2,6,7,
29.	Oriental Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus saturatus</i>	Sum mig	Uncommon	2,
30.	Shining Bronze-Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx lucidus</i>	Win mig	2 spec 1870's	2,3,6,7,
31.	Long-tailed Cuckoo	<i>Eudynamys taitensis</i>	Win mig	P, 3 spec 1870's 3 coll 1870's,	2,6,7,8,
32.	Eastern Koel	<i>Eudynamys orientalis alberti</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
33.	Channel-billed Cuckoo	<i>Scythrops novaehollandiae</i>	Win mig/Res bre	P,	2,
34.	Uniform Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus vanikorensis lugubris</i>	Res bre	P,	2,

35.	Sacred Kingfisher	<i>Todirhamphus s. sancta</i>	Win mig/Res non-br	P,	2,7,
36.	Collared Kingfisher	<i>Todirhamphus chloris alberti</i>	Res bre	P, F Coll 1927,	2,11,
37.	Dollarbird	<i>Eurystomus orientalis solomonensis</i>	Bre Res/Win Mig	P,	2,6,
38.	Blyth's Hornbill	<i>Aceros plicatus mendanae</i>	Vag	Vag,	2,
39.	Grey-capped Cicadabird	<i>Coracina Remota</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
40.	Chestnut-bellied Monarch	<i>Monarcha c. castaneiventris</i>	End Sol	P,	2,
41.	Olive-backed Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia jugularis flavigastra</i>	Res bre	IM Coll 1927, P,	1,2,
42.	Black-headed Myzomela	<i>Myzomela m. melanocephala</i>	End Sol,	P,	1,2,5,6,9,
43.	Singing Starling	<i>Aplornis c. cantoroides</i>	Res bre	P,	2,5,7,
44.	Metallic Starling	<i>Aplornis metallica nitida</i>	Res bre	P,	2,
45.	Melanesian Myna	<i>Mino kreffti</i>	Res bre	P, Common	2,6,

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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