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FOREWORD

MINISTER OF CLIMATE CHANGE, ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY

The natural environment and biodiversity of the Maldives is our most important asset. Just as our ancestors entrusted us with our natural heritage, it is our responsibility to pass them on to future generations.

The rich natural environments of the Maldives serve as habitats for a great number of migratory birds from different parts of the world and the Maldives remains an important stopover and destination for these species; therefore, it is vital that our ecosystems remain a safe haven for them.

Migratory birds are now protected by law in the Maldives, and it is our collective responsibility to ensure a safe environment for them.

This book, “Protected Birds of the Maldives” has been compiled by the staff of the Environmental Management and Conservation Department of this Ministry, under the supervision of the department’s Director General, Mr. Mohamed Zahir. It contains illustrations of and information on both commonly spotted and migratory birds of the Maldives which are protected under the Environmental Protection and Preservation Act of the Maldives. Our hope is that the information presented in this book will help increase understanding of avifauna and inspire greater interest in their conservation.

I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to everyone who contributed to this book. May Almighty Allah bless our efforts to protect and preserve the Maldives’ natural environment and biodiversity for generations to come.

Ali Shareef

Minister



FOREWORD

DIRECTOR GENERAL- MOHAMED ZAHIR

The main objective of this book ‘Protected Birds of the Maldives’ is to increase awareness of and appreciation for bird species that we see across the Maldives, as well as the natural environments that these birds reside in. These birds not only enhance the beauty of our ecosystems; the safety that our ecosystems provide for migratory birds is also a testament to the interconnectedness and reliance between the ecosystems of the Maldives and global biodiversity.

Most of the bird species seen in the Maldives are seasonal migratory visitors that fly vast distances from different parts of the world in search of suitable habitats. The Maldives archipelago lies along important migratory routes for birds. It is therefore crucial that we learn about the birds that we see, not only because of the benefits it brings to the tourism and fisheries sectors of the Maldivian economy, but also to deepen our understanding of how changes in bird populations are linked to climate change, water and air quality, as well as the overall health of interconnected natural ecosystems.

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my heartfelt gratitude to Ms. Umaira Ahmed for her hard work in compiling and developing this book under my supervision. I wish to also thank the team who assisted Umaira in this endeavour, as well as Ms. Mariyam Fazna, Project Manager for ENDhERI, for her diligence in completing this project. I am especially grateful to Ms. Ilham Atho Mohamed, who enthusiastically supported the idea of making this book and helped turn the idea into reality.

Mohamed Zahir

Director General



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This book contains information on bird species protected under the Protected Species Regulation (2025/R-25), established under the Environmental Protection and Preservation Act (4/93) of the Maldives. These species include birds that are commonly spotted in the Maldives, such as the Grey Heron, and also include migratory visitors. Hence, some of the birds included in this book may be more familiar to readers than others. Through this publication, we hope to familiarize readers with the lesser-known species and inspire interest in bird watching and the conservation of avifauna.

This book has been completed with the support and help of many; I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to everyone who helped in the development and compilation of this book. I am grateful to Amir Rasheed for the assistance he provided to the Ministry during this process. His assistance, especially in finding the Dhivehi names used for birds in different regions of the Maldives, as well as his advice on naming birds that previously lacked recorded names helped enhance the content of this book.

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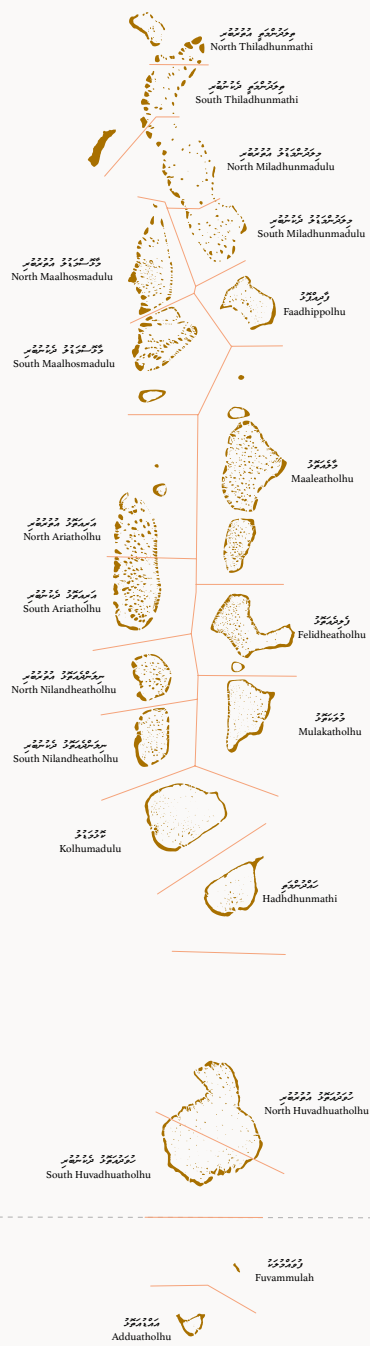
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This book "Protected Birds of the Maldives" includes bird species protected under the Environmental Protection and Preservation Act (4/93) of the Maldives up to 2025.



Maldives Territory Map





Protection of Bird Species in the Maldives

Maldivians have always had a keen interest in birds. This is evidenced by fishermen using the path of seabirds to locate schools of fish, as well as different birds species being heavily featured in Maldivian folklore and children's stories passed down through generations. Yet, this fascination also led to practices negatively impacting wild populations such as the once common practice of capturing wild birds to be kept as domestic pets. Recognizing the need to safeguard bird species found in the Maldives, several major steps have been taken for the conservation of birds through environmental law.

In 1993, with the ratification of Law No: 4/93 (Environment Protection and Preservation Act of the Maldives), the foundation for the protection of species was established. On 5th June 1996, the White tern (*Gygis alba*) was declared as a protected species under this Act, making this the first bird species protected under Maldivian law. This also marked the first time a species was protected under the Environmental Protection and Preservation Act of the Maldives. The White tern which was previously known to only occur in Addu Atoll, was protected following the efforts of Mr. Ahmedfulhu (Haivakaru Ahmedfulhu), then Atoll Chief of Addu Atoll who drew attention to the decline of the species even within Addu Atoll.

Following this milestone, an additional 22 bird species were protected on 15th July 1999, a further 47 species on 22nd May 2003 and an additional 33 species in 2013.

The next significant advancement in bird conservation in the Maldives came with the introduction of Regulation No: 2014/R-169 (Regulation on Migratory Species). Under this Regulation, the capture, domestication and trade in birds and bird parts was prohibited. It also forbade the taking of eggs and any act causing harm to migratory birds or their nests. This Regulation marked a significant step in protecting migratory birds. The most recent development in bird conservation was in 2021 with the establishment of Regulation No: 2021/R-25 (Regulation on Protected Species). On the day this Regulation came into effect, a total of 207 bird species were granted legal protection. Guidelines on interactions with protected birds have also been developed under this regulation to ensure their continued conservation and welfare.

Today, these laws and regulations form the backbone of national efforts to ensure that the Maldivian environment remains a haven for bird species. This book sheds light on the beauty and diversity of avifauna found in the Maldives and serves as a reference to enhance understanding of avifauna in the Maldives.



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Illustrations and Descriptions

Explanatory Note

Information on the birds included in this book is derived from multiple sources, including the “Birds of the World” website, as well as Mr. Ahmed Shafeeq’s book, “Dhivehiraajjeygai... Kandumathee Dhooni”, published in 1993. Additional information has been drawn from the “Checklist of Birds of the Maldives” developed under Project REGENERATE, a Government of Maldives project implemented by the International Union for the Conservation of Nature (IUCN) with funding from USAID.

References used to identify Dhivehi names of bird species include the article “Birds of the Maldivian Islands” by J.S. Ash and Ali Shafeeq, as well as the digital book “Dhivehiraajjeyge Dhoonithah” published by Dhagatha Publishers.

Information on the abundance of bird species included in this book was obtained from the “Checklist of Birds of the Maldives” which used the following classification criteria:

Vagrant:	Just one or two records
Rare:	No more than 10 records
Uncommon:	More than 10 records but unlikely to be seen during any one week visit
Regular:	Might be seen during a one week visit (in the right atoll and season)
Common:	Should be seen during a one week visit (in the right atoll and season)

Information on the IUCN Red List Category for each species was sourced from the IUCN Red List of Threatened Species website, with the year of assessment indicated in brackets. Information on whether each species is listed under the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora has been taken from the Checklist of CITES Species website. This information is accurate at the time of publication, however, this information may change.

During the development of this book, Dhivehi names were assigned to certain bird species for which no local names could be found in existing literature or through consultation. To formalize these names, suggestions were submitted to the Dhivehi Bas Committee. The suggested names were based on the bird’s appearance, common English name, and scientific name. The Dhivehi names presented in this book are those approved by the Dhivehi Bas Committee. It is acknowledged that some bird species, including those listed here, may be known by different names in various parts of the Maldives.

The illustrations presented in this book primarily depict male birds in their breeding plumage. There may be variations in the appearance, colouring or marking of individuals observed in the wild.



سَرِیضِی سَمَوَاتِ کَافِلِی
White Wagtail
Motacilla alba

White Wagtail

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description: Small bird that typically measures 16-19 cm in length. Has a distinctively long tail. The head is mostly white with a black crown and throat. Upperparts and wings are grey and the underparts are white, with black legs and a thin pointy black bill. Females are generally lighter in colour and juveniles have grey plumage with black edges to their feathers.

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سرگرمیوں کا مجموعہ

Indian Paradise-Flycatcher

Terpsiphone paradisi

Indian Paradise-Flycatcher

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2018)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

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مردود بر سر درختان کهنه و درختان تازه

Indian Golden Oriole
Oriolus kundoo

Indian Golden Oriole

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2020)

Description: Typically measures 24-25 cm in length with bright golden-yellow feathers and contrasting black wings. Males have a black eye-stripe. Females and juveniles are duller, appearing more greenish-yellow and with streaked underparts. Has a slender, slightly curved pink bill and slate blue legs.

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سرگزشت پرندگانی

Indian Robin

Saxicoloides fulicatus

Indian Robin

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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مرکز تحقیقات و توسعهٔ منابع طبیعی

Indian Cuckooshrike

Coracina macei

Indian Cuckooshrike

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2020)

Description: Large, stocky bird measuring 23–30 cm in length. Has slate-grey plumage, a large hooked bill, and a blackish face with an eye-stripe. The wings are whitish-grey with contrasting dark flight feathers, while the underparts are light grey to white with grey banding. Males are darker with a more extensive black mask. Females have heavier banding below. Juveniles are brown with scaling. The bill and legs of juveniles are dark brown to black, and the iris varies from brown to orange-brown.



سرگرمیوں کا مجموعہ

Indian Roller

Coracias benghalensis

Indian Roller

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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Indian Cuckoo

Cuculus micropterus

Indian Cuckoo

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description: Medium-sized bird, about 32–33 cm long. Adult males have dark grey plumage on their upper body, a light brown back, and tail with white bars and a broad black tip. The underparts are pale ashy and white with widely spaced black bands. Has a grey to yellow eye-ring, brown irises, and a black bill with a greenish hue and yellow base. Females have a pale grey throat and brownish breast. Juveniles are distinctive with rufous and white-tipped feathers and a broadly barred white head and neck.

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سیرت

Lesser Frigatebird

Fregata ariel

Fregata ariel

Description: The smallest frigatebird species, measuring 66–81 cm in length. Males have brownish-black plumage with a shiny blue, purple, and green sheen, along with a bright red gular pouch. Has a distinctive white crescent on the wings. Females are mostly blackish-brown with less gloss and have white feathers on the chest. Juveniles have an apricot to tawny-brown head and neck, with a broad black band across the chest.

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Maldivian Pond Heron

Status: Breeding resident in south

IUCN Red List Status: Unknown

Description: Is a relatively small wader with a distinctive, pale grey-brown body, white underparts, and a short, stout neck. It has yellow legs and a sharp bill, with a slight reddish tinge on the back during the breeding season.

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Pallid Harrier

Circus macrourus

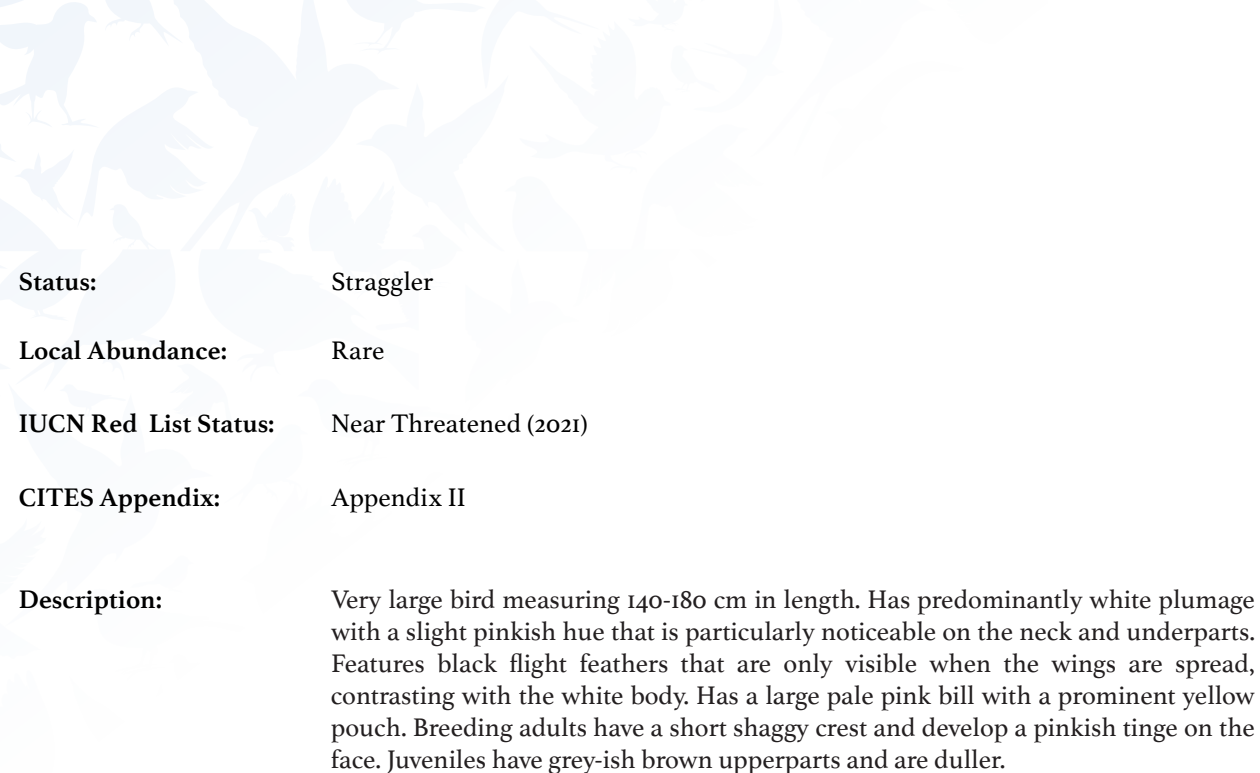


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Great White Pelican

Pelecanus onocrotalus

Great White Pelican



Status:	Straggler
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Near Threatened (2021)
CITES Appendix:	Appendix II
Description:	Very large bird measuring 140-180 cm in length. Has predominantly white plumage with a slight pinkish hue that is particularly noticeable on the neck and underparts. Features black flight feathers that are only visible when the wings are spread, contrasting with the white body. Has a large pale pink bill with a prominent yellow pouch. Breeding adults have a short shaggy crest and develop a pinkish tinge on the face. Juveniles have grey-ish brown upperparts and are duller.

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White-Tailed Tropicbird
Phaethon lepturus

White-Tailed Tropicbird

Status: Breeding resident

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2019)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Medium-sized white seabird measuring 71–80 cm in length. Has a black band on the inner wing, a black eye-mask, and an orange-yellow to orange-red bill. Has very long central tail feathers, which double the total length and the long white tail streamers are visible from a great distance. Males and Females are similar in appearance but on average males are longer tailed. Juveniles lack the tail streamers, have a green-yellow bill, and a finely barred back.

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بند رومڈ سٹورم پیٹرل

Band-rumped Storm-petrel

Hydrobates castro

Band-rumped Storm-petrel

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

A fairly large sea bird with a dark blackish-brown color and a narrow white band on the rump that wraps around the sides. The pale band on the upper wing is usually faint and doesn't reach the front edge of the wing. Has a squared-off tail (sometimes with a slight notch), a less noticeable upper wing band, longer wings, and a more direct flight with smooth turns.

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White-faced Storm-petrel

Pelagodroma marina

Pelagodroma marina

CITES Appendix:	Not listed
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Masked Booby
Sula dactylatra

Sula dactylatra

Description: The largest species of booby, measuring 75-85 cm in length. Has a long pointed bill, long neck, streamlined body, slender wings, and a pointed tail. Adults are white with dark wings and tail, and the bill is cone-shaped and slightly curved. Males and females are similar, but females are slightly larger. The skin around the face is black or blue-black, creating a mask-like appearance. Juveniles have grey-brown streaked feathers, a white collar, dark brown wings, and white underparts. The bill is yellowish, with a blue-grey face, and dark brown eyes.

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Leach's Storm-petrel

Hydrobates leucorhous

Leach's Storm-petrel

Status: -

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Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Vulnerable (2018)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

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سٹرکیٹڈ شیئر واٹر

Streaked Shearwater

Calonectris leucomelas

Streaked Shearwater

Status:	Offshore Migrant
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Near Threatened (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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مردم سبز و شادمان

Sooty Shearwater

Ardenna grisea

Sooty Shearwater

Status:	Offshore migrant
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Near Threatened (2019)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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Black-headed Heron

Ardea melanocephala

Black-headed Heron

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Unknown
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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Blue-tailed Bee-eater

Merops philippinus

Blue-tailed Bee-eater

Status:	Northern Winter Visitor
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Small bird measuring 23-26 cm in length. Has overall green plumage. The face has a narrow blue patch with a black eye stripe, and a yellow and brown rufous throat with bright rufous underwings visible in flight. Has a blue tail and a black beak. Juveniles are similar but paler, with a tannish throat and shorter tail.

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مرکز تحقیقات و نشریات علمی و فرهنگی

Blue-cheeked Bee-eater

Merops persicus

Merops persicus

Status:	Irruptive
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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European Turtle Dove
Streptopelia turtur

European Turtle Dove

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Vulnerable (2019)

Description: Medium-sized dove measuring 26–28 cm in length. Easily recognized by its brownish color, spotted wings, distinctive striped neck patch, and bold white-tipped rounded tail. When viewed from below, the tail forms a blackish chevron on a white background. Adult birds have a blue-grey head, neck, flanks, and rump, cinnamon-colored wings, and a red wine colored breast. The abdomen and under-tail coverts are white, and has red legs and eye rings. Juveniles are duller and browner, lacking the neck patch, and have brown legs.

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Northern House Martin

Delichon urbicum

Northern House Martin

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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Great Bittern

Botaurus stellaris

Great Bittern

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

Description:

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Fulvous Whistling Duck

Dendrocygna bicolor

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Western Yellow Wagtail

Motacilla flava

Western Yellow Wagtail

Status:	Northern winter passage migrant
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Small bird, about 16-17 cm long. Breeding males have a blue-grey forehead and neck, darker ear-coverts, and a white line running from the bill to the neck. Has olive-brown upperparts and dark wings with yellow edges and contrasting bright yellow underparts, often with a greenish hint and a subtle dark necklace. Breeding females are duller, with browner upperparts and paler yellow underparts, sometimes spotted around the neck. Non-breeding males are more subdued, with a yellowish rump, while non-breeding females are even paler with a more noticeable necklace. Juveniles resemble non-breeding females but are often greener.

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Citrine Wagtail

Motacilla citreola

Motacilla citreola

Description: Small bird measuring between 16.5-20 cm in length. Breeding males have brightly colored plumage, with a vivid yellow head and underparts, a black patch across the lower neck and upper back, and dark grey to black wings and tail. The wings have two distinct pale wingbars, and the outer tail feathers are mostly white. The sides of the breast and flanks are tinged with olive-grey, sometimes with blackish spots. Non-breeding males appear duller, with grey-olive upperparts and paler yellow on the underparts. Breeding females are similar to non-breeding males but the non-breeding females are greyer above and paler below, with less yellow overall. Juveniles are even duller, mostly buff and grey, with little or no yellow, and olive-brown on the sides.

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پالید سکوپس-اویل

Pallid Scops-Owl

Otus brucei

Pallid Scops-Owl

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2021)

Description: Small bird measuring about 18-21 cm long. Has a pale, soft-looking appearance with short ear tufts and fine black streaks across the body. The face is a light buff color with a thin dark outline and small white “eyebrows” above its pale yellow eyes. The back is light greyish-brown with a faint yellowish tint and subtle streaks. The chest and belly are paler and more heavily marked with black. The wings and tail show faint striping, and the legs are fully feathered down to the toes. Juveniles are even paler, with shorter ear tufts and softer markings.



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Black-crowned Night Heron

Nycticorax nycticorax

Black-crowned Night Heron

Status:	May breed in southern
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2016)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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Indian Pond Heron

Ardeola greyii greyii

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Indian Pond Heron

Ardeola greyii greyii

Status: Northern winter visitor

Local Abundance: Regular

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2024)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: A small, stocky heron with a short neck and thick bill. Adults in breeding plumage have dark reddish-brown backs, with a yellowish head, neck and chest. The underparts and tail are white. Develops a characteristic crest on the back of its head during the breeding season.

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Lesser Kestrel

Falco naumanni

Lesser Kestrel

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2021)

CITES Appendix: Appendix II

Description: Measuring about 29–32 cm in length. The upperparts are unspotted, with blue-grey feathers on the wings. The underparts are less spotted than similar species like the common kestrel. Males are colorful, with warmer tones and almost entirely grey wing feathers while females are more similar in appearance to the common kestrel but slightly smaller and have white claws, not black ones. The tail feathers of females are slightly longer. Juveniles look almost identical to females.

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Red-tailed Shrike

Lanius phoenicuroides

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Red-tailed Shrike

Lanius phoenicuroides

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description:

Small, compact bird with a long tail, measuring 6.5-18 cm in length. The adult male has a variable appearance, with a tawny to red-brown colored head, neck, and upperparts ranging from buff-brown to bright red. The wings are dark with white bases on the primary feathers, and the tail is red-brown. Has a distinctive white stripe above the eyes and a black band across the face, with pale underparts that have a pinkish wash on the sides. The bill is dark brown, and the legs are dark grey to black. Females look similar but tend to be more muted in color, with brown upperparts and a more subdued face pattern. Juveniles resemble the females but have paler, duller tails and more noticeable barring on the cheeks and upperparts.

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Red-tailed Tropicbird

Phaethon rubricauda

Phaethon rubricauda

Description: Medium-sized seabird, measuring 44-47 cm in length . Has a mostly white body that shines with a satiny sheen and can sometimes have a pale pink tint, which fades as the bird ages. Has a striking black crescent shape around the front of the eye, and a black line extending behind the eye. The bill is long and bright red or orange with a black tip, slightly curved and serrated. The most distinctive feature is the long, slender tail feathers, which are filamentous and can be longer than the body. The wings are long and narrow and the feet are black at the tips, with the base of the legs being a light blue-grey color. Juvenile birds look quite different, with a white forecrown that sharply contrasts with the dark spots on the head and body.



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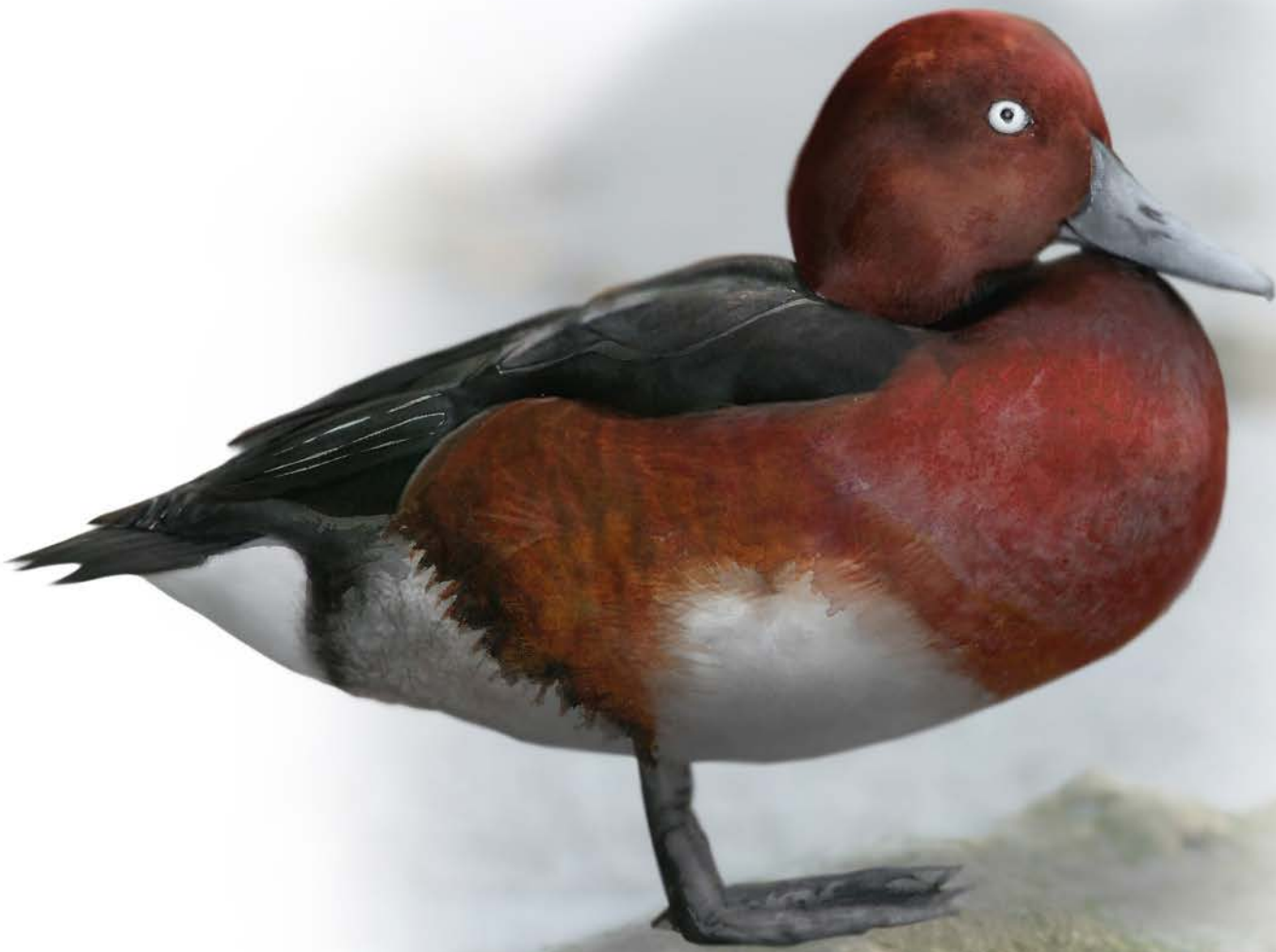
Cinnamon Bittern

Botaurus cinnamomeus

Cinnamon Bittern

Status:	Straggler
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

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Ferruginous Pochard

Aythya nyroca

Ferruginous Pochard

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Near Threatened (2019)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description: Small diving duck, measuring about 38-42 cm in length. Has a distinctive look with a relatively long bill, a high, rounded head, and a flat forehead. The plumage is mostly a rich, rusty brown, while the belly stands out in white. White also appears on the undertail, along the wing edges, and on the underwings. Males are more vibrant in color, with striking white irises and darker bills. Females are generally duller in tone, with softer brown feathers, brown eyes, and a slightly paler bill.

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Ruddy Turnstone

Arenaria interpres

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Ruddy Turnstone

Arenaria interpres

Status:	Northern winter visitor, some overstay
Local Abundance:	Common
IUCN Red List Status:	Near Threatened (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description:

Small, sturdy shorebird with a length of 21–26 cm. Has short, bright orange legs, small black claws and a short black bill that slightly curves upward. Breeding birds have a bold black-and-white pattern on its head, chest, and neck, and reddish-brown upperparts with dark patches, giving a mottled look. The white belly, bright white lower back, rump, and parts of the wings, stands out against the darker feathers. Males are more sharply marked with cleaner black-and-white streaks on the head and brighter colors, Females have a more blended, brownish appearance. In non-breeding birds, the colors become duller overall, the black markings fade to dark grey-brown, and the reddish feathers are replaced by darker browns. Juveniles look similar to adults but tend to have browner backs and lighter heads.

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Common Redshank

Tringa totanus

Common Redshank

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2016)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Medium-sized shorebird, measuring about 27–29 cm in length. The back, head, and chest are ash-brown with dark streaks and spots, giving it a speckled look. One of the most eye-catching features is a bright white patch on the wings that stands out when in flight. Has short orange-red legs, a short reddish bill, and a pale line above the eye. Females are usually a bit larger and often look paler on top than males. Non-breeding adults have greyer upperparts, without streaks or spots, but some have narrow white fringes with paler underparts and breast is finely streaked. Juveniles have warmer brown backs with buff-colored edges on the feathers and a dull red tint at the base of the bill.

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Red-footed Booby

Sula sula



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Red-billed Tropicbird

Phaethon aethereus

Red-billed Tropicbird

Status:	Straggler
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2019)
CITES Appendix:	Not Listed

Large bird measuring 90–107 cm in length, including the long tail streamers. The adult bird is mostly white, with a distinctive black mask across the face, extending from the eye and around the nape, often with grey mottling on the neck. Has black bars and chevrons on the back, wings, and tail feathers, with a particularly long black mark on the forewing. The tail feathers are thin with black streaks, and the central feathers have long, elegant streamers. The underwings and underparts are mostly white, sometimes with black markings on the sides. The bill is bright red, and the legs and feet are a mix of orange-yellow and black. Males typically have longer tail streamers than females. Juveniles are similar to adults but lack the long tail streamers, and the bill is duller, ranging from orange-yellow to ivory. May have some black markings on the flanks and undertail coverts.

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Saunders's Tern

Sternula saundersi

Sternula saundersi

Description: Small bird measuring 20–28 cm in length. Has a straight-edged white forehead that doesn't extend behind the eye, and the upperparts are a slightly paler grey, creating a sharper contrast with the black outer wing feathers. The rump is the same grey shade as the back. the legs and feet are a dull yellow-olive color. The wings typically has 3–4 black outer flight feathers with black shafts. The non-breeding adults tend to appear darker on top and may look even darker than the Little Tern, though otherwise they remain quite similar. Juvenile birds are nearly identical to juvenile Little Terns but may have a darker stripe across the secondary feathers of the wing.

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Little Tern
Sternula albifrons

Little Tern

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2019)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Small tern, measuring about 22–28 cm in length. Has a white forehead, a black cap on the head, and black markings that run from the eye to the base of the bill. The back and wings are grey, while the rump and underparts are white. The bill is bright yellow with a small black tip, and the legs and feet are yellow to orange-yellow. The white colour on the forehead goes behind the eye unlike other terns. In non-breeding adults the head becomes paler and streaked, the lores (the area between eye and bill) turn white with a small black spot near the eye, and the bill and legs become darker. Juveniles have black chevron markings on the back, and the inner wings are lighter than the darker outer wings, making a noticeable contrast.

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Sooty Tern

Onychoprion fuscatus

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Sooty Tern

Onychoprion fuscatus

Status:	Offshore
Local Abundance:	Common
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2020)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed



Description: Medium-sized tern measuring 36–45 cm. Males and females are similar in appearance. Breeding adults have black upperparts, including the head, back, wings, and tail, with a white patch on the forehead that ends just above the eye. The underparts are white with a slight grey tinge, and the outer tail feathers are edged in white. The tail is deeply forked, with long, streamer-like outer feathers. The bill and legs are black, the eyes are dark brown, and the bill has tiny serrated edges. The underwings are mostly white underneath but contrast with the darker main flight feathers. In non-breeding adults, the head and neck look streaked due to white edges on the black feathers, and the tail streamers are shorter. Juveniles are dark brown to black overall, with pale or chestnut spots on the back, shoulder feathers, and upper wings. The belly, under tail, and underwings are smoky grey to whitish.

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Little Ringed Plover

Charadrius dubius

Charadrius dubius

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چسپین پلور

Caspian Plover
Charadrius asiaticus

Charadrius asiaticus

Description: Slim bird measuring 8–20 cm in length. Has a distinctive white supercilium (eyebrow) and a white forehead and throat. The crown and upperparts are brown, with a rusty red or chestnut-colored breastband bordered by a black line, separating it from the white belly. The upperwing features white flashes, and the underwing coverts are white as well. The legs can be pinkish yellow, greyish green, or pale grey/brown. The females usually have a grey-brown breast without the black edge, sometimes with a few chestnut feathers tipped in white, and the head and throat are less white. Non-breeding adults have a greyish-brown breastband, and the face, forehead, and throat are pale buff, with rufous-buff edges on the upperparts. Juveniles look like non-breeding adults but have more noticeable rufous and buff edges on the feathers.



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Curlew Sandpiper

Calidris ferruginea

Calidris ferruginea

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Common
IUCN Red List Status:	Vulnerable (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Slender, long-legged shorebird measuring about 21 cm in length with a gently curved black bill that is noticeably long. Has a slightly long neck, giving it a more graceful appearance than other sandpipers. In breeding plumage, it is mostly a rich brick-red color with a white vent and undertail area. The crown is streaked black, the back is mottled with reddish, black, and white, and some birds show a white chin and eyebrow stripe. The chest and belly often have white scalloped markings from feather fringes. In non-breeding plumage, it is pale grey-brown above with white underparts and some fine streaking on the chest. The face features a strong white eyebrow that contrasts with darker grey-brown lores and ear patches. Juveniles have a scaly look, with dark-centered grey-brown feathers edged in white or buff, and mostly white underparts with light chest streaking and sometimes a buff wash.

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تَرَک سَندپپر
Terek Sandpiper
Xenus cinereus

Terek Sandpiper

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

Description: Small, distinctive shorebird, measuring 22–25 cm in length, with short orange to greenish-yellow legs and a long, slightly upturned bill. Has grey-brown upperparts, with feathers that have dark centers especially noticeable on the shoulder feathers (scapulars). The crown, hindneck, cheeks, and sides of the breast are streaked, giving a lightly patterned appearance. Females are typically a bit larger than males. Non-breeding adults look plainer, with brownish-grey upperparts, pale feather edges, and a lighter head. Juveniles resemble breeding adults but are darker and browner above, with fine buff edges on the feathers and less distinct black markings.

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Whimbrel

Numenius phaeopus

Whimbrel

Numenius phaeopus

Status:	North Winter Visitor
Local Abundance:	Common
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description: Medium-sized bird known for the long, downward-curved bill, which can reach up to 10 cm in length. The upper body is dark brown with pale buff markings, while the underside is light buff with streaks on the neck and chest, and a mostly plain, pale belly. The underwings show faint dark bars, and the head features a dark crown with a pale stripe in the middle, plus a clear pale eyebrow line above the eye. Males and females are similar in appearance, but females are usually a bit larger. Juveniles are more buff in color than adults, with finer streaks on the chest and brighter buff edges on their wing feathers.

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گودیت پرتو

Bar-tailed Godwit

Limosa lapponica

Limosa lapponica

Local Abundance: Uncommon

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Large shorebird measuring around 37–39 cm in length, with a very long, upturned bill that can be 8–12 cm long. The bill is black at the tip and pink closer to the base. The legs are greenish-grey, and has a long, uniform-patterned wing and a tail with bars. In breeding plumage, adult birds have dark brown feathers on their back, with reddish-brown or buff edges, and a chestnut-colored underside with some white on the lower belly. The wings are brown with a subtle pattern, and the underwings are either grey or white. In non-breeding plumage, has pale grey-brown upperparts with light edges and streaking on the chest, while the underside is mostly white. Females are slightly larger than males, with duller plumage and a longer bill. Juveniles resemble non-breeding adults but have a warm, pale buff wash on the underparts, with fine streaks on the neck, breast, and flanks. The overall effect of the feather pattern is a speckled appearance.

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Black-headed Ibis

Threskiornis melanocephalus

Black-headed Ibis

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2024)

Description:

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مرکز تحقیقات و نشریات علمی و فنی

Eyebrowed Thrush

Turdus obscurus

Eyebrowed Thrush

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

Description:

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Pacific Golden Plover

Pluvialis fulva

Pacific Golden Plover

Pluvialis fulva

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2016)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description:

Medium-sized bird, measuring 23–26 cm in length. Has striking black underparts with a narrow white line running along its sides. Has mostly white vents with some black spots. The underwings are a brownish-grey and the wings are noticeably longer than the tail. The Pacific Golden-Plover has longer legs and a more yellowish colour compared to the European Golden-Plover. Females are generally a bit less black than males and the non-breeding adults have a yellowish-buff breast that fades to white on the belly and vent, with less prominent golden spots. Juveniles resemble the non-breeding adults but have brown streaks on the sides.

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Western Reef Egret

Egretta gularis

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Western Reef Egret

Egretta gularis

Status: -

Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2024)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description:

Medium-sized heron measuring between 55–65 cm in length. Has a long, thin neck and bill, dark legs, and yellow feet. Adults have distinctive plumes on the head, breast, and back. The plumage ranges from dark grey-black to pale charcoal grey, with most having a white chin and throat. Some adults also have white along the leading edge of the wings and variable white on the upperwing. The bill is long, thick, and slightly curved at the tip, changing from yellow and black to fully black during the breeding season. Breeding adults have black legs with yellow feet, which turn orange or red during courtship. Outside the breeding season, the legs are duller brown with yellowish feet. Juveniles are dark brown or grey-brown, paler than adults, with less glossy feathers and often browner wings due to retained juvenile feathers.

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نورس

Eurasian Curlew

Numenius arquata

Eurasian Curlew

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Near Threatened (2017)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Large bird measuring 50–60 cm in length. Has a long curved bill. The head, neck, breast, and upperparts a buffy brown color marked by dark streaks. The underwings are pale, and has a white rump and lower back. The belly is white, with streaked flanks. Females tend to be larger, with longer bills and wings compared to males. Non-breeding adults have grey-brown upperparts and whiter underparts. Juveniles have a more buff-colored breast and less streaking on the flanks, with spotted and fringed upperparts.

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پالاس کا کبوتر

Pallas's Gull

Ichthyaetus ichthyaetus

Pallas's Gull

Ichthyaetus ichthyaetus

Status:	-
Local Abundance:	Vagrant
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description: One of the largest gulls, measuring 60–72 cm in length. Has a distinctive flat-crowned appearance with a long, heavy bill that gives its head a triangular shape. The wings are longer, more slender, and pointed compared to other large gulls. Breeding adults have a hooded look with black on the face, throat, and nape, and striking white crescents around the eyes. The mantle is pearl grey, and the wings have pale grey coverts and mostly white flight feathers with black tips. The bill is large and orange-yellow with a red tip and black band. The legs are greenish-yellow with orange webs. Non-breeding adults have a white head with a dusky area around the eyes. Juveniles are dark brown with pale fringes on the wings, a pale underside and has a white tail with a black band.

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میرزا سید محمد علی گیلانی

Yellow-legged Gull

Larus cachinnans



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Peregrine Falcon

Falco peregrinus

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Peregrine Falcon

Falco peregrinus

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2021)
CITES Appendix:	Appendix I
Description:	Medium to large bird, with males measuring 36–49 cm in length and females 45–58 cm. Adults have bluish-grey upperparts, which become darker on the head, and a black stripe running from the eye down across the cheek, often called the "malar stripe." The underparts are typically whitish, greyish, or buffy with some black spots or bars. The underwings and underside of the tail are barred in pale grey and black. Plumage can vary in different subspecies, with some having blue or grey upperparts and white to rufous underparts. Juveniles look similar but have brown upperparts and buffy underparts with black streaks instead of bars. Male and female Peregrines look alike, but females are usually larger and heavier and males can appear brighter during breeding season. The adult birds also have yellow or orange cere and eye rings, while juveniles have bluish-white to greenish rings and bluish-grey feet.

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مردود سحر و جادو کائنات

Wedge-Tailed Shearwater

Ardenna pacifica



Wedge-Tailed Shearwater

Ardenna pacifica

Status:	Offshore migrant
Local Abundance:	Common
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description: Large seabird, measuring 38–47 cm in length. Has a distinctive long, wedge-shaped tail and exhibits two main color variations: dark and light morphs. In the North Pacific, most birds are light-coloured, while the South Pacific and Indian Ocean have mostly dark coloured. The dark variation is sooty brown, with darker primaries, coverts, and tail, often showing a faint "M" pattern on the wings. The underwing is dark brown, with slightly lighter greater coverts. The pale variation has a dark grey edge on the wings, pale brownish coverts, and a clean white underbody with a pale chin and throat. The bill is horn-colored to dark brown with a black tip, and the legs and feet are pale pink, sometimes tinged dusky on the outer parts. Both sexes look alike, though males tend to have a slightly larger head and bill. Juveniles resemble adults.

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بڑا کھڑکھڑ

Greater Crested Tern

Thalasseus bergii (Lichtenstein, 1823)



بوتو

Common Buzzard

Buteo buteo



Status: Northern winter visitor

Local Abundance: Uncommon

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2021)

CITES Appendix: Appendix II

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گارجانی

Garganey

Anas querquedula

Garganey

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Regular
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2016)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Medium-sized bird, measuring about 37–41 cm in length. In breeding plumage the male has a striking appearance, with a white stripe running from the eye to the back of the rich, golden-brown neck. Has a vibrant green patch on the wing, known as the speculum, and a distinctive pale blue on the upper wing. The female has a more muted plumage with a noticeable striped pattern on the face and a longer bill. Similar to females, the juveniles are also paler in color and have a longer bill but have a speckled underside which neither the male nor female has.

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سائبر ڈیوڈ ٹرن

Gull-Billed Tern

Gelochelidon nilotica

Gull-Billed Tern

Status:	No recent records
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least Concern (2019)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Medium-sized tern, measuring about 33–38 cm in length. Has a stocky build and a short, sturdy black bill. The wings are pale grey on top, with slightly darker primaries and whitish wingtips. The body is mostly white, with a short tail that is slightly forked. Plumage of breeding adults have a distinctive black cap on the head, and black feet and legs. Non-breeding adults do not have the black cap, but may have a dark smudge behind the eye and some streaking on the back of the head. Juveniles have brownish patches on the wings and a speckled head.

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Sanderling

Calidris alba

Sanderling

Calidris alba

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Uncommon
IUCN Red List Status:	Least concern (2024)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Description:

Small, plump bird, measuring around 18–20 cm in length. Commonly found along sandy coastal areas during the non-breeding season. Has a short, straight, black bill, with black legs and feet. Lacks a hallux (the rear toe), setting it apart from other sandpipers. Non-breeding adults have a white head, pale-grey upperparts, and white underparts, with a distinctive dark patch at the bend of the wing. In flight, a bold, wide white wing-stripe bordered by black is seen. In breeding adults, the plumage changes to reddish-brown or sandy-brown on the head, breast, and upperparts, which are coarsely mottled with darker and lighter shades, contrasting with the white underparts. Juveniles resemble nonbreeding adults but are darker, with black, mottled upperparts and a streaked, dark crown. Have a warm buff patch on the breast sides, streaked or mottled with black markings.

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مطير كينش

Kentish Plover

Charadrius alexandrinus

Charadrius alexandrinus

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Temminck's Stint

Calidris temminckii

Temminck's Stint

Status:	Northern winter visitor
Local Abundance:	Rare
IUCN Red List Status:	Least concern (2018)
CITES Appendix:	Not listed

Small, short-legged bird measuring 13–15 cm in length. Has a broad white tail and rump. The upperparts range from dull grey to olive-brown, with patches of black-brown, rufous, and grey. The head and breast are grey-brown, with the breast heavily streaked in brown, and the chin, throat, and belly are white. Females are generally slightly larger than males, with longer wings, bills, tarsi, and greater body mass. Non-breeding adults have plain dark grey upperparts and a pale grey-brown breast, with a white chin and throat. Juveniles resemble non-breeding adults but have brown-grey upperparts with dark bands and buff fringes.

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Little Stint
Calidris minuta

Calidris minuta

Description: Small, compact bird measuring 12–14 cm in length. Has dark brown feathers on the back, with pale rufous tips that create a “V” shape on its back. The head, neck, and breast are a rufous buff color with brown streaks, the chin, throat, and the rest of its underparts are white. Can be distinguished from similar species by the slightly longer bill and legs, as well as the dark streaks on the neck and chest. Females are generally larger than males. Non-breeding adults have brownish-grey upperparts, with darker mottling and pale edges. The crown is grey with streaks, and has a dull grey eyestripe, with the face and underparts remaining white. Juveniles look similar but have darker feathers on the wings and back, with rufous and white edges. The head and breast are a pale buff, with a pale grey crown and neck, and a broad eyestripe with fine streaks.

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فَرَسُ سُرُوحٍ

Dunlin

Calidris alpina

Dunlin

Status: Northern winter visitor

Local Abundance: Rare

IUCN Red List Status: Near Threatened (2024)

CITES Appendix: Not Listed

Description: Medium-sized bird measuring about 16–22 cm in length. Has black legs, a long black bill that curves slightly downward, and a slightly hunched posture. During the breeding season, its upperparts turn rufous (reddish-brown) with a black belly. Males and females look similar, but males may have darker bellies and faces. Females are generally a bit larger and have longer bills. Non-breeding adults are mostly grey on the head, chest, and back, with a white chin, throat, and belly. Juveniles look similar to adults but have a pale, streaked chest and bold brownish spots on the sides and belly.

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Long-toed Stint
Calidris subminuta

Calidris subminuta

Description: Small, slim bird that measures 13–16 cm in length. Has a relatively long neck, legs, and toes, making it appear less compact compared to similar species. The short bill, rufous crown, and ear-coverts with dark streaks are key features, along with a prominent white supercilium (eyebrow line) and a narrow dark stripe running along the face. The nape is pale rufous, and the neck, flanks, and rufous-tinged breast are finely streaked with dark brown. The upperparts have dark brown centers with rufous and pale buff fringes. Females are usually slightly larger. Non-breeding adults have black-brown feathers on the back with grey edges. The crown, neck, and ear-coverts turn grey and are finely streaked, while the breast becomes grey-brown with faint streaks on the sides and flanks. Juveniles resemble adults but have finer streaks on the breast and a more contrasting pattern on the mantle and scapulars. The rufous crown stands out against the white supercilium, and the head, neck, and breast are more streaked.

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Collared Pratincole

Glareola pratincola

Collared Pratincole

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2016)

Description:

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Oriental Turtle Dove

Streptopelia orientalis

Oriental Turtle Dove

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Medium sized bird, measuring 33–35 cm in length. Has a bluish-grey forehead, fading to brownish-grey with a reddish wash on the neck and a pinkish face. A black patch is present on both sides of the neck. The belly is pinkish-buff, and the underside is pale grey. The tail and back have dark grey feathers with reddish-brown edges. The wings have dark centers with orange or light chestnut edges. The bill is mostly black with a reddish or purplish base and pale at the tip, and the legs range from dark pink to purple. Females are generally duller than males, with a salmon-colored neck and chest. Juveniles are similar in appearance but have darker feathers with rufous-buff edges.

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Common Teal

Anas crecca



Common Teal

Anas crecca

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2020) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Description: Measures about 37 cm in length. One of the most striking features is a shiny green patch on the wings, bordered by tan and white stripes. Males have a reddish-brown head with a green stripe that runs from the eye to a small crest at the back. The chest is pinkish with tiny black spots, and the sides are covered in fine grey-white patterns. Near the tail, there are cream-colored patches next to black feathers. The bill is dark grey, and the legs are bluish or olive-grey. Females are brown with lighter bellies and less striking patterns. Juveniles and non-breeding males look similar to females.

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Lesser Noddy

Anous tenuirostris

Lesser Noddy

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| Status: | Widespread |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Medium-sized bird measuring about 30–34 cm in length. Has mostly dark brown feathers, with a pale forehead and crown that fade into a soft grey at the back of the head and neck. The face and throat are darker, giving it a slightly hooded look. The eyes are dark brown, and the beak and legs are black or very dark brown. Juveniles are a lighter brown overall but still have the distinctive white patch on top of the head.

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نام علمی: *Ardenna tenuirostris*

Short-tailed Shearwater

Ardenna tenuirostris

Ardenna tenuirostris

Description: Medium-sized bird measuring about 40–45 cm in length. The head and face are dark brown or sooty grey, giving it a capped appearance that stands out against the paler body. The upperparts are slightly lighter, with feathery edges that create a faint scaly look up-close. The wings are mostly brown with some paler areas and a subtle pattern, especially noticeable in flight. The eyes are blackish, and the bill is dark grey or brownish, often darker at the tip. The legs and feet range from pinkish to grey with some darker tones. Males and females look alike, though males typically have larger heads and bills. Juveniles resemble adults but appear fresher and brighter when older ones are molting.

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Arctic Skua

Stercorarius parasiticus

Arctic Skua

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| Status: | Offshore, Northern Winter |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Typically measures between 41-48 cm in length, with the tail streamer of breeding adults accounting for approximately 7cm of their length. Plumage variation exists in the form light, intermediate and dark morphs. Light morph adults have brown upper parts, white underparts with yellow-ish colouring on the sides of the neck. Dark morphs are sooty brown and the intermediate morphs show characteristics between the light and dark morphs. All three morphs have a characteristics white patch on the underwing and have elongated, pointed central tail feather during breeding season.

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Pied Wheatear

Oenanthe pleschanka

Oenanthe pleschanka

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| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
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Short-eared Owl

Asio flammeus

Short-eared Owl

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| Status: | Irruptive |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2021) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix II |
| Description: | Medium-sized owl that typically measures 34–42 cm in length. Has mottled brown feathers and is buff on the back. Has rust colored streaks on its belly. Its face has a distinctive round, white facial disk and has black eyes and a black beak. Female owls are generally larger in size and have darker colored feathers than males. Juveniles are even darker and have dusky feathers. They also lack the distinctive facial pattern of adults. |

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Passer domesticus

Description: Small bird that measures 15–17 cm in length. Breeding males have a grey crown with a chestnut colored border and a black line extending from the eye to the bill. They have mostly black plumage with grey underparts and a brown back with black streaks. Breeding females have a duller brownish grey crown and lack the chestnut colored border. Juveniles appear similar to breeding females.

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Black-naped Tern

Sterna sumatrana



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| Status: | Breeding Resident |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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لأني فوهر

White-winged Tern

Chlidonias leucopterus



بُلْوَر پتrel

Bulwer's Petrel

Bulweria bulwerii

Bulwer's Petrel

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| Status: | Offshore migrant, Northern winter |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Glossy Ibis

Plegadis falcinellus

Plegadis falcinellus

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| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
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میرٹھ سہیل کے لیے کتب خانہ

Black Kite
Milvus migrans

Black Kite

Milvus migrans

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2021) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix II |
| Description: | Measures 46–66 cm in length. Have reddish brown plumage and a slightly forked tail which is brown in color. Juveniles have lighter colored plumage but have a more distinct pattern than adults. |

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سوانحیہ نگارستان

Swinhoe's Storm-petrel

Hydrobates monorhis

Swinhoe's Storm-petrel

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| Status: | Offshore migrant |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Near Threatened (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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سائبرجٹ سریر

Black Bittern

Ixobrychus flavicollis

Black Bittern

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2024)

Description: Measures 54-66 cm in length. Males have dark grey-black plumage with contrasting cream stripes running down on the sides of the neck. Neck feathers have streaks of black, reddish brown and pale yellow. Females have brown plumage with a long neck and pointed beak. Juveniles have brown plumage and cream stripes running down the neck.

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نارنگی پانی

Watercock

Gallicrex cinerea



Status: Northern winter visitor, may breed

Local Abundance: Uncommon

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2025)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Measures about 34-43 cm in length. Have a long neck and slim build. Males are black with grey and brown edges on back feathers that give a scaly appearance. Yellow bill, face, legs and feet bright red. Undertail feathers have black and pale yellow stripes. Females are smaller and dark brown and have light brown and reddish coloring underneath. Non-breeding males appear similar to breeding females. Juveniles resemble females but are more tan and have fewer markings

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سائو ڈی گرے

Brown Booby
Sula leucogaster

Brown Booby

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| Status: | Straggler |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Medium to large sized bird measuring 68-80 cm in length. Adults have dark brown plumage on head, neck, back, and wings and have a bright white belly and undertail. Males and females have similar colored plumage but different colored bills and facial skin. Juveniles look similar to other Boobys and is difficult to differentiate. |

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سَاحِلُ رَاسِ خَيْمٍ

Sandwich Tern

Thalasseus sandvicensis

Thalasseus sandvicensis

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2019) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Medium sized bird measuring 34-45 cm in length. Back and upperwings are grey. Underparts are white with dark grey edges on long, narrow wings. Legs are black. Bill is black with a yellow tip. Breeding adults have a black cap and spiky crest on the back of the head. Males and females appear similar but males have slightly longer legs. Juveniles have darker feather and more markings and the bill is shorter and thicker. |

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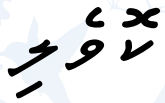
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Asian Koel

Eudynamys scolopaceus



Asian Koel

Eudynamys scolopacea

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| Status: | Breeding Resident |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2025) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Description: The large cuckoo measures 39–46 cm in length. It has a strong, curved bill and a long, wide tail that tapers slightly at the end. It has strong, short legs. Males have glossy black plumage with a shiny blue-green or purple sheen. Females have brown plumage with light spots on the wings. Both sexes have white or yellow spots on the chest, and the belly is pale with dark stripes. The tail is pale with soft stripes. Juvenile males have duller plumage and white stripes on the belly. Juvenile females have a slightly more patterned appearance than adult females and more noticeable stripes on the tail.

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کوتون تیل

Cotton Teal

Nettapus coromandelianus



نارنگی شاہنشاہ

Common Kingfisher

Alcedo atthis

Alcedo atthis

Local Abundance: Rare

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: This small blue kingfisher measures 16–18 cm in length. Males are brightly colored and have a rufous spot on the face. It has a black stripe across the eyes, and the ear feathers are orange-red. The upper body is bright azure-blue. The wings are dark greenish-blue with blue spots. The chin and throat are white, and the underparts have a warm rufous color. The skin around the mouth is red, and the bill is black. Males have dark brown eyes and orange-red feet. Females have orange-red color on the lower bill with a black tip. Juveniles appear duller with a greener tone, lighter underparts, and darker markings on the chest. The legs and feet are black, and the bill is white-tipped.

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سائو چوہرٹا
Little Swift
Apus affinis

Little Swift

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2025) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Small bird about 12 cm in length that has a stocky body. Wings are blunt and tail is square. Back feathers are mostly black, forehead and tail coverts are lighter. Rump has a broad white patch extending onto the lower sides. Underparts are black. Throat has a rounded white patch and inner parts of the wings are also white. |

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نایا مائیں

Little Egret

Egretta garzetta

Little Egret

Egretta garzetta

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2025) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Slim medium sized bird measuring 55-65 cm in length. Adults have all white feathers, long thin bills which are black or dark grey. Eyes are pale yellow and the skin between the eyes and the bill range from grey to green which turn pink or red during courtship. Legs are long and black. Feet are yellow which turns reddish when breeding. Juveniles are completely white and have yellow bills that darken with age. The skin between the eyes and the bill are a greenish shade and so are the legs. |

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سبز و کوهستان و دریا

Eurasian Hobby

Falco subbuteo

Eurasian Hobby

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2021)

Description: Medium sized bird that measures about 28-36 cm in length. Has bright red thighs and undertail feathers. Has pale cheeks and throat. Belly may be light buff-colored or whitish. Males and females appear similar but females are slightly bigger. Juveniles are browner overall with pale edges on upper feathers. Thighs and undertail are buff colored and have a pale crown.

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Lesser Sand Plover

Charadrius mongolus

Lesser Sand Plover

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Endangered (2023) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Typically measuring 18-21 cm in length. Plumage is primarily grey-brown and white and has a short black bill and short grey legs. Adults in non-breeding plumage have dark brown-grey heads, nape and upperparts with large brown-grey patches on the sides of the upper chest. Forehead, eyebrow, neck and underparts are white, with dark brown on the cheeks. Males in breeding plumage have a broad chestnut breast-bank outlined by black on top, chestnut forehead and black mask on the face. Females in breeding plumage are similar, but their face mask is dark grey-brown and the colouring on their crown, neck and upper chest are duller. Juveniles are similar to non-breeding adults.

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Osprey

Pandion haliaetus

Osprey

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Western Marsh Harrier

Circus aeruginosus

Western Marsh Harrier

Status: Northern winter visitor

Local Abundance: Uncommon

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2021)

CITES Appendix: Appendix II

Description: Large bird that measures 43-53 cm in length. Males have brown feathers on top with streaked chest and underparts. Females are bigger and have brown feathers with a pale cream colored crown, throat and front wings. Juveniles are similar to females but lack the pale color and may be entirely dark brown with a cream colored head and throat.

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Black-Tailed Godwit

Limosa limosa

Limosa limosa

CITES Appendix: Appendix II

Description: Measures 36-44 cm in length. Males are smaller than females but both have long straight bills and long legs. Breeding males have a rich chestnut colored breast and upper belly with dark bars on the lower belly. Underparts are white. Back and shoulder feathers are a mix of pale red, black and grey. Breeding females are paler, have fewer bars on the lower belly and have longer bills. Non-breeding adults are pale grey brown above and greyish-white below and lack the chestnut color. Bill has a pinkish base and a faint pale stripe is above the eye. Juveniles appear similar to non-breeding adults but have darker upper feathers with hints of pale chestnut color and a soft cinnamon tone on the neck and chest.

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Jack Snipe

Lymnocryptes minimus

Jack Snipe

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Unknown |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Common Snipe
Gallinago gallinago

Gallinago gallinago

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Measures between 25-27 cm in length. Has short greenish-grey legs and a long straight bill that can measure 5-7 cm in length. Has a mottled brown body with dull-yellow stripes on the back and a pale underside. Features a dark stripe that runs through the eyes with light stripes both above and below the eye. |

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سوسائبل لاپوونگ

Sociable Lapwing

Vanellus gregarius

Sociable Lapwing

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Critically Endangered (2018)

Description: Medium sized bird measuring about 27-30 cm in length. Has a distinctive olive-brown body and a striking white eyebrow marking that extends from the forehead to the back of the head. Crown and area around the eyes are black. Has a black belly and chest is chestnut colored. Males and females appear similar but females are duller. In non-breeding adults the eyebrow marking is buff colored and the belly is paler. Juveniles look similar to non-breeding adults but have streaks and speckles on the upper body.



مَدِينَةُ رَبِّكَ فِي كُلِّ شَيْءٍ
Cattle Egret
Bubulcus ibis

Cattle Egret

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2019)

Description: White stocky bird that measures 46-56 cm in length. Has a short, thick neck, a relatively short yellow bill and greyish-yellow legs. Breeding adults develop orange plumes on their crown, neck and breast, with the legs and eyes turning red. Males and females are similar, with males being slightly larger. Juveniles do not possess coloured plumes and have black bills.

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Grey Heron

Ardea cinerea

Grey Heron

Status: Breeding Resident

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2019)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Large wading bird with a long neck. Has grey upperparts and white underparts. Beak is sharp and yellow in color which turns orange in breeding season. Legs are pale greyish and long. Locally known in the Maldives as "Maakana" and is one of the most easily recognisable birds.

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مردود سحر و جادو کائنات

Grey Wagtail

Motacilla cinerea

Motacilla cinerea

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Description: Small bird measuring 17-20 cm in length. The only wagtail with blue grey upperparts with yellow underparts and lower back. Breeding males are black around the eyes and throat and have a white stripe above the eye. Back and head are grey. Long black tail with three white outer feathers. Black bill, dark brown eyes and pinkish or brownish legs. Non-breeding males have paler throat and buff colored face markings. Breeding females appear alike but have a buff or mottled black throat and a paler yellow belly. Non-breeding females have lighter overall plumage. Juveniles appear similar to non-breeding females but have more buff tones.

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Spot-billed Pelican

Pelecanus philippensis

Spot-billed Pelican

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| Status: | Straggler |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Near Threatened (2017) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Pelican with a bill as long as 35 cm. Breeding adults have a dull white body with pale grizzled head and neck. Back of the neck has shaggy dark feathers that form a brown-grey mane which is long at the nape. Upper back and rump have a soft pink or salmon tint. Non-breeding adults appear grey with dark neck. Males and females appear similar but females are slightly smaller. Juveniles have greyer head and neck with curly feathers and a brown tone.

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مردم سبز و کوهستان و دریا

Ashy Woodswallow

Artamus fuscus

Ashy Woodswallow

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Small bird measuring 16-19 cm in length. Head is slate grey with a darker mask like area around the eyes. Back is a maroon-grey colour. Underparts are pale pinkish grey. Tail has a white tip and a faint greyish horseshoe band at the base. Has dark brown eyes. Pale blue-grey bill with a black tip. Legs range between light and dark grey. Males and females appear similar. Juveniles are duller with browner upperparts and buff edges on the wings and the back. Underparts are lighter and brownish around the throat.

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مرکز تحقیقات و توسعه منابع طبیعی

Grey-bellied Cuckoo

Cacomantis passerinus



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Common Moorhen

Gallinula chloropus

Gallinula chloropus

Description: Medium sized bird measuring 30-38 cm in length. Appears mostly black from a distance. Has a noticeable red shield on the forehead and a yellow tipped red bill. Has white lines along the sides. Tail is black with a slight green shine and has white feathers underneath. Head and neck are dark grey. Has an olive-brown tinge at the neck of the neck and rest of the body is a mix of olive brown and olive green. Legs are yellow-green and eyes are bright red. Males and females appear similar but females are slightly smaller. Juveniles appear duller. Back is brown or grey. Has lighter underparts. Bill and leg colors are more muted than in adults.

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Lesser Crested Tern

Thalasseus bengalensis

Lesser Crested Tern

Status: Northern winter visitor, some overstay

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2018)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Measures 35-43 cm in length. Upper body is uniform grey. Has a striking black cap and crest. Bill is orangish yellow with a yellow tip that looks like it is slightly drooping towards the end. Legs and feet are black with yellow webbing. Underparts are white. Eyes are brown. Rump and tail are grey. Non-breeding adults have a white forehead and crown with a more yellow bill. Juveniles are lighter in color and have greyish bands across the wings.

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اُردو: چترہ سرخ

Northern Wheatear

Oenanthe oenanthe

Northern Wheatear

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Grey Plover

Pluvialis squatarola

Grey Plover

Status: Northern winter visitor

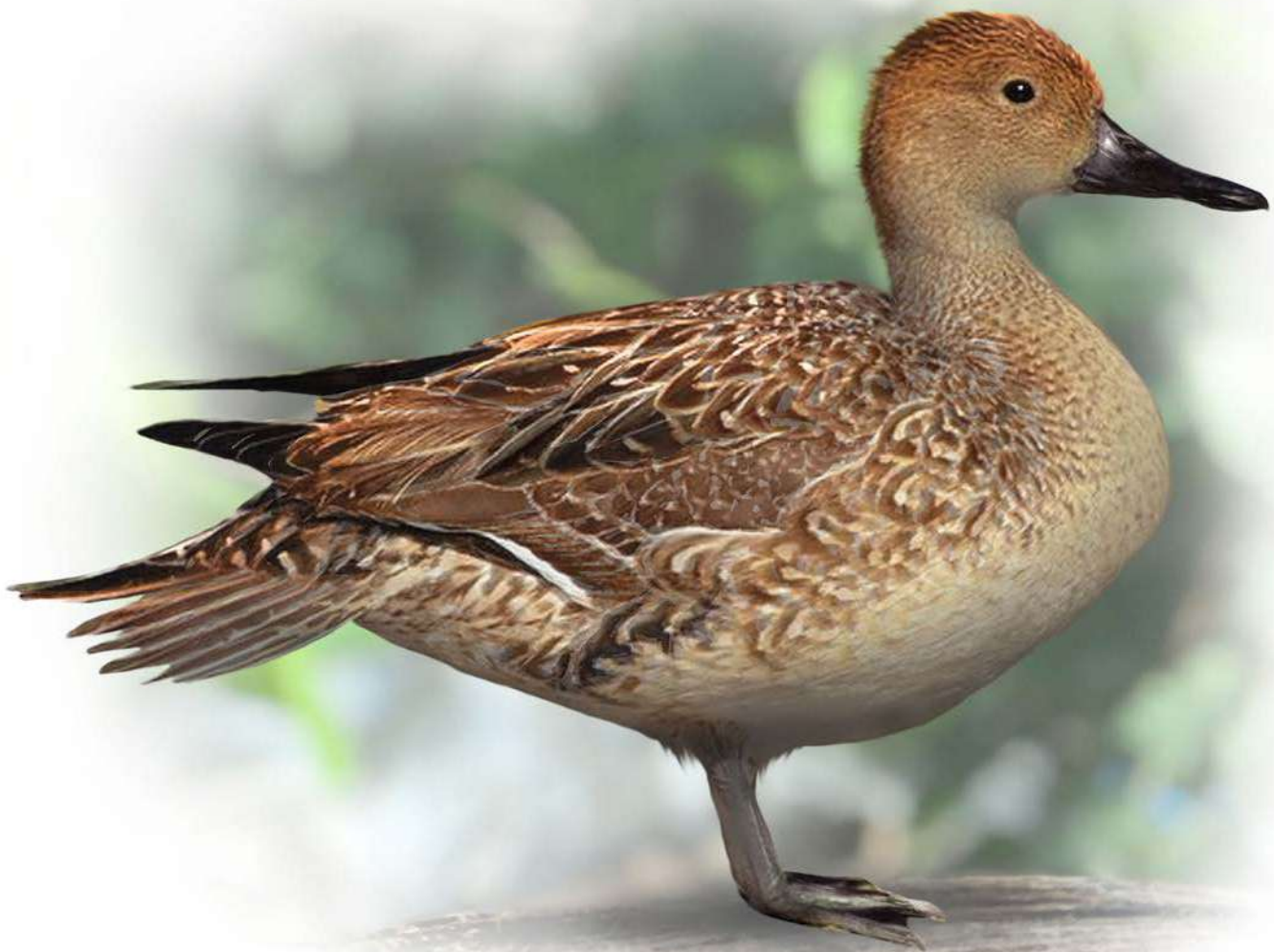
Local Abundance: Uncommon

IUCN Red List Status: Vulnerable (2024)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Measures about 27-31 cm in length. Has a strong body with a large head and a thick neck. Bill is short and sturdy. Has long pointed wings that extend past the tail which is rounded. Has short legs. Breeding males have white feathers on the back with black spots and bars. Breeding females have more muted and brownish markings. Males have solid black bellies but female bellies are a mix of black and white. Juveniles look duller with grey-brown feathers on the top, a pale chest and white belly.

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Northern Pintail

Anas acuta

Anas acuta

Local Abundance: Uncommon

CITES Appendix: Not listed

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مرکز تحقیقات و آموزش کشاورزی و منابع طبیعی

Common Ringed Plover

Charadrius hiaticula

Common Ringed Plover

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

Description: Measures 18-20 cm in length. Appears similar to Semipalmated Plover but has a wider black chest band, a bigger white stripe above the eye and bright yellow ring around the eyes. Chest and ear feathers have a brownish tint on females. Juveniles have thinner chest bands and are paler and have light fringes that fade with age.

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Tufted Duck

Aythya fuligula

Aythya fuligula

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Whiskered Tern

Chlidonias hybrida

Whiskered Tern

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White-cheeked Tern

Sterna repressa

White-cheeked Tern

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2019) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Roseate Tern

Sterna dougallii

Roseate Tern

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| Status: | Breeding resident |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Common Tern

Sterna hirundo

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Common Tern

Sterna hirundo

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| Status: | Offshore Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Medium sized bird measuring 32-39 cm in length. Breeding plumage has light grey upperparts, pale grey underparts and a black cap. Bill is orange red with a black tip. Legs are also orange red. Tail is short. Non-breeding plumage has a white forehead and bill is black or dark red. Juveniles have a whitish forehead, dark crown and a dark bill. Have brown bars on back and wings. Legs are pinkish or orange brown. |

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Bridled Tern

Onychoprion anaethetus

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Bridled Tern

Onychoprion anaethetus

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| Status: | Offshore |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2019) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Medium sized bird measuring 30-32 cm in length. Breeding plumage has brownish grey wings and tail. Neck and rump are pale grey. Underparts are mostly white with a greyish tinge. Head has a black cap and a white patch across the forehead extending past the eyes. Has a white or greyish collar around the neck. Bill is black and tail is forked. None breeding plumage has white streaks on the head and tail is less forked. Juveniles have more buff colored markings and a shorter tail. |

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قوّة حرّس

Montagu's Harrier

Circus pygargus

Montagu's Harrier

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2021)

Description: Measures between 39-49 cm in length. Males have black bands across the wings and wingtips are black. Have narrow white patches on lower back. Males have mostly black plumage. Females are a rich chocolate color and have grey underwings. Juveniles are darker on top with reddish undersides.

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Greater Sand Plover
Charadrius leschenaultii

Greater Sand Plover

Charadrius leschenaultii

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2019) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Medium sized bird 20-25 cm in length. Has a broad head, long legs and a slender bill. Upperparts are pale and legs are light greyish green. Tail has a white tip and a dark band. Males have a reddish breastband. Females have a darker colored head and less chestnut color on the breast. Juveniles are buff tinted and have incomplete breastbands. |

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Ruff

Calidris pugnax



Status: Northern winter visitor

Local Abundance: Rare

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2016)

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| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
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Description: Males measure 26-32 cm and females measure 20-25 cm. Breeding males have dramatic head tufts, a buff ruff with varying colors of chestnut, black, white or purple. Body may be black, brown or chestnut. Faces often have yellow or brown warty patches. Females appear simpler with muted brown tones and no head feathers. Underparts have dark blotches. Bill is black. Non-breeding adults look similar to females. Juveniles have buff colored faces and warm tones on the neck and chest.

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چترچہ برسرچہ

Eurasian Oystercatcher

Haematopus ostralegus

Eurasian Oystercatcher

Status: -

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IUCN Red List Status: Near Threatened (2019)

Near Threatened (2019)

Description:

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European Bee-eater

Merops apiaster

European Bee-eater

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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مركز بحوث الصحراء

European Roller

Coracias garrulus

Coracias garrulus

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Great Frigatebird

Fregata minor



Great Frigatebird

Fregata minor

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| Status: | Non-breeding visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2019) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Description:

Large bird measuring 85-105 cm in length. Males have mostly black plumage. Females and juveniles have a mix of black and white plumage. Males have shiny purple-green color on head, neck and back. During courtship males inflate a red throat sac which turns pale orange after mating. Females have a black head and neck, grey chin and throat and a white breast. Back has a slight shine. Males and females have long curved bills and short legs with webbed feet. Juveniles appear similar to females but have a reddish brown head, throat and chest and a dark band around a white belly.

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Flesh-footed Shearwater

Ardenna carneipes

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Flesh-Footed Shearwater

Ardenna carneipes

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| Status: | Southern winter offshore migrant |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Near Threatened (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Description: Measures 40-48 cm in length. Has broad wings and mostly dark blackish brown feathers on the head, neck and upper wings. Underwings are lighter and greyish and may appear silver near the base of the feathers. Abdomen may seem slightly spotted and lighter than the rest of the body. Bill is pale pinkish or horn colored with a dark tip. Legs are pink. Males generally larger than females. Juveniles appear similar to adults.

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Isabelline Wheatear

Oenanthe isabellina

Isabelline Wheatear

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Jouanin's Petrel

Bulweria fallax

Bulweria fallax

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| Status: | Offshore migrant |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Near Threatened (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Typically measures between 30-32 cm in length. Sooty brown to blackish brown coloured plumage; tips of feathers near the bill may appear slightly lighter and greyer. Has distinctive wedge-shaped tail. A faint pale band may be apparent on the central upperwing of older birds. Males and females look alike, with juveniles resembling adults. |

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خُسرِ تاج‌خُسر

Brown Shrike

Lanius cristatus

Lanius cristatus

CITES Appendix: Not listed

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Brown Skua

Stercorarius antarcticus

Brown Skua

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| Status: | Offshore, Southern Winter |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Large bird that typically measures 52-64 cm in length. Mostly brown but the exact colouring can vary; some individuals are completely dark, others can be lighter with pale spots. Appears bulky with a large frame and a big bill. Undersides of the wings are dark. Can be distinguished from some similar species due to the absence of a clearly marked cap on its head. Juveniles are darker overall with a reddish-brown hue and less noticeably marked wings.

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Red-Throated Pipit

Anthus cervinus

Anthus cervinus

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Description: Small bird measuring 4-15 cm in length. Breeding males have a distinctive pinkish-orange stripe above the eye, with a brick-red throat with a pinkish hue, reddish tones on the chest and dark streaks across the upper parts and sides. Has a light brown back with black streaks that form a "V" pattern, a dark tail and pale-pink to brown legs. Juveniles are even plainer with buff-white underparts, black streaks and a dark stripe on the side of the face.

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Sooty Gull

Ichthyaetus hemprichii



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Chestnut-winged Cuckoo

Clamator coromandus

Clamator coromandus

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Medium sized bird measuring 38–46 cm in length. Has a striking look with glossy black feathers on the back and a spiky black crest on the head. A narrow white band runs across the back of the neck, and the wings are a rich chestnut color. The tail is dark, matching the black feathers on the back. The chin and upper chest are rusty, while the belly is white, offering a nice contrast. The eyes range from pale brown to deep red. Has a black bill with a greyish section near the base. The legs are greyish-green. Juveniles have a darker olive-brown color on the back and head, with rufous edges on the feathers. The wings have a buff edge, and the tails show light tips. The underparts are mostly white with smoky flanks, and the bill has a yellow-orange base, with hazel eyes.

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Sykes's Short-toed Lark

Calandrella dukhunensis

Sykes's Short-toed Lark

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Brown Noddy

Anous stolidus

Anous stolidus

Description: Medium sized sleek bird, measuring about 38–40 cm in length. Has a long, slender head, thick neck, and a wedge-shaped tail, with broad wings that appear short in proportion to the body. The plumage is mostly dark brown, with a satin sheen on the head, neck, and chest. The head is dark brown, often tinged with grey, and topped with a distinctive white "cap" that fades into a grey nape. A narrow white arc runs beneath the eye, contrasting with the jet-black lores. The bill is long and black with a slight curve, and the legs and eyes are dark brown. Juveniles are similar to adults but have a smaller white cap, with some birds having a brown crown and a thin white stripe running from the bill to the eye. They are also darker overall and lack the grey hues seen in adults.

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Oriental Honey-Buzzard

Pernis ptilorhyncus

Oriental Honey-Buzzard

Status: Northern winter visitor

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2021)

CITES Appendix: Appendix II

Description: Medium-large raptor, measuring about 52–68 cm long. Has a robust body, broad wings, and a shorter tail compared to similar species. A notable feature is a prominent crest on the back of the head, which varies in size among individuals and subspecies. Plumage is highly variable, ranging from pale to dark, with some showing barred breasts and others more uniform coloring. In flight, it can be identified by six primary “fingers” (wingtip feathers) and the absence of a dark patch on the underwing.

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Central Maldivian Heron

Butorides striata didii

Central Maldivian Heron

Status: Breeding resident

IUCN Red List Status: Unknown

Description: Has a dark grey plumage with white underparts. Has a short neck with the chest and neck being white with a reddish-brown hue. Has distinctive bright yellow eyes and pale yellow legs. The beak is sharp and is relatively long.

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Caspian Tern

Hydroprogne caspia

Caspian Tern

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| Status: | No recent records |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Description: Large bird measuring 47-54 cm in length. Has a bold, blood-red bill with a black tip and a slightly forked tail. Breeding adults have pale grey backs, with a white belly and tail. Has a black cap on its head that extends just below the eye, giving it a distinctive look. The wings have dark grey patches, which are easy to spot. In non-breeding adults, the crown becomes streaked with grey and black, and the forehead may look slightly lighter, though not as much as other terns. Juveniles stand out with dark crowns, which helps tell them apart from other young terns, whose crowns are usually white.

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فردوس

Green Sandpiper

Tringa ochropus

Green Sandpiper

CITES Appendix: Not Listed

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پرنده قمر

Indian Cormorant

Phalacrocorax fuscicollis

Phalacrocorax fuscicollis

CITES Appendix: Not Listed

Description: Medium-sized slender bird, measuring around 63 cm and has a long tail and bill. Breeding adults have a striking white tuft on the side of the neck, which stands out against the otherwise black head, neck, and body. The body feathers have a blue-green gloss. Non-breeding adults look duller, with less contrast in the feather patterns and sometimes a little white on the throat. The eyes are green, and the bill is dark grey. The skin on the face and throat is black or dark olive, turning yellowish in some areas. Juvenile cormorants are dark brown with few distinct patterns on the back, but have pale streaks on the neck and chest. The eyes are dull, and the throat skin is bright yellow.

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Lesser Golden Plover

Pluvialis dominica

Lesser Golden Plover

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Unknown |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

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فُرسُورِ قُرسِ

Forest Wagtail

Dendronanthus indicus

تحریر: محمد عمر

Forest Wagtail

Dendronanthus indicus

Status:

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Local Abundance:

Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status:

Least Concern (2024)

CITES Appendix:

Not Listed

Description:

Small, slender bird measuring 16-18 cm in length with distinct markings. One of the most noticeable features is a long, pale stripe above the eye, sometimes paired with faint dark lines on the face. The back is a soft brownish-grey with a hint of green, and the feathers near the tail are dark. The wings are blackish with pale edges and a subtle yellow-white patch near the base. The underparts are mostly whitish, often with a slight yellow or buff tint on the sides. Across the upper chest are two black, crescent-shaped bands, with the lower one sometimes incomplete. The beak is dark on top and pinkish underneath, and the legs are a dull pink. Males and females look alike. Juveniles are browner overall, with less contrast and smaller chest bands.

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پس کرسر

Common Sandpiper

Actitis hypoleucos

Actitis hypoleucos

Description: Small sandpiper measuring about 19-21 cm in length. Has short legs, a noticeable pale eye-ring, and greenish-brown upperparts covered in dark streaks. The underparts are white, with dark patches on the sides of the chest. In flight, shows a dark rump and a clear white stripe across the wings. Looks similar to a non-breeding Spotted Sandpiper but is slightly larger and shows a longer tail when perched. The legs are usually green or grey rather than yellow. In non-breeding adults, the back turns more olive-brown with faint barring and fewer head streaks. Juveniles look similar but have buff-colored edges and bars on their feathers, giving them a more patterned appearance.

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Wood Sandpiper

Tringa glareola



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Common Hoopoe

Upupa epops

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Sand Martin

Riparia riparia



Status: Autumn passage migrant

Local Abundance: Uncommon

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Small bird measuring 12-13 cm in length Has brown upperparts and white underparts with a distinctive narrow brown band across the upper chest. Has a white throat with a small sharp black bill and brown legs. The tail is slightly forked. Juvelines have rufous tips on their wings.

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سبز و شادمان

Pallid Swift

Apus pallidus

Pallid Swift

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |
| Description: | Large Swift measuring about 16 cm in length. Has broad, blunt wing tips and a short, shallowly forked tail. Has a broad head and robust body compared to other swifts. Overall brown in colour with a distinctive pale, triangular throat patch. |

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Common Swift

Apus apus



Common Swift

Apus apus

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| Status: | Autumn passage migrant(?) |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Description: Small sized bird measuring 16-18 cm in length. Has a long, deeply forked tail and sharp, pointed wings. The body is mostly dark brown, with a black-brown back, wings, and tail, and a small white throat patch. The underparts are darker, and the forehead and rump are slightly lighter in color. The contrast between the dark and light areas can vary, with fresher feathers showing narrow white edges. Juveniles are darker overall, with a more uniform color and a more noticeable white throat patch and small white forehead spot.

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White-throated Needletail

Hirundapus caudacutus

White-throated Needletail

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Measuring 19-21 cm in length, with a large, long-bodied frame and broad wings. The wings are dark with a blue gloss, turning to green on the flight feathers. The mantle is off-white, contrasting with a white throat and forehead, along with a distinct white horseshoe-shaped mark on the flanks and undertail-coverts. The rest of the head and nape are dark olive-brown with a greenish-blue gloss. The tail is black with a green shine. Juveniles are similar but lack the glossy sheen and have a more muted throat and less contrast on the mantle.

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Indian Swiftlet

Aerodramus unicolor

Aerodramus unicolor

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

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Pacific Swift
Apus pacificus

Pacific Swift

Apus pacificus

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |
| Description: | Medium sized bird measuring 17-19.5 cm in length and has a sleek, rakish appearance. Has long, pointed wings and distinctive deeply forked tail, with the outer tail feathers tapering little from the body. The upperparts, tail, and wings are very dark, with a striking white band across the rump. The underparts have white-fringed feathers and the throat is of a paler colour. |

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تائیر چویرا

Streak-throated Swallow

Petrochelidon fluvicola



Streak-throated Swallow

Petrochelidon fluvicola

Status: -

Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2024)

CITES Appendix: Not Listed

Description: Small bird measuring 11-12 cm in length, with a striking appearance. The forehead, crown, and nape are dull chestnut with faint dark streaks, while the back shines in deep blue with narrow whitish streaks. The rump is pale brown, and the wings and tail are blackish-brown, with the tail almost square-ended. The underparts are buffy white, with noticeable blackish-brown streaks on the chin, throat, neck, and breast. Has a bright crown and streaked neck. Juveniles are duller and browner than adults, with faint streaks and buff edges on the feathers.

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مرکز تحقیقات و توسعهٔ منابع طبیعی

Red-rumped Swallow

Cecropis daurica

Red-rumped Swallow

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

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مرکز تحقیقات و توسعهٔ علم و فناوری

Grey-throated Martin

Riparia chinensis

Riparia chinensis

Description: Small bird measuring around 10-11 cm in length. Adult birds have soft, mouse-grey or pale grey-brown coloring on their upperparts, while their underparts are generally lighter, with the chin to upper breast showing a slightly darker cream-brown or greyish tone. A notable feature is the dark ring around the eyes, which can be quite pronounced and sometimes extends to the base of the forehead. The tail appears mostly square-tipped, though it may have a slight fork. Males and females look very similar. Juveniles, however, differ with a paler crown and upper feathers edged in buff. Their throat and breast have a subtle pinkish-buff hue and may display hints of a breastband.

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Marsh Sandpiper

Tringa stagnatilis

Marsh Sandpiper

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Medium sized bird measuring about 22-26 cm in length. Has a compact body with long legs and a straight, needle-like bill, perfect for probing. The wings are dark, while the rump and back are bright white, creating a striking contrast. The face is pale, and the upper body is heavily marked with greyish cinnamon and dark brown spots and blotches. Black markings can be found on the foreneck, breast, and flanks. Females tend to be slightly larger than males. Non-breeding adults look plainer with smooth grey upperparts trimmed in narrow white, and the wing-coverts appear darker. The face and underparts remain white. Juveniles resemble non-breeding adults but show browner upperparts with buff-colored spots and fringes.

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تحریر و تدوین

Persian Shearwater

Puffinus persicus



وہنگو درسیہ

Black-winged Kite

Elanus caeruleus

Elanus caeruleus

Description: Typically measures between 30-37 cm in length. Adults have pale grey upperparts and white underparts, with a white head with a distinct black patch around the eyes which are of a striking red colour. Flight feathers and shoulders are black, contrasting with the rest of the plumage. Has a pale grey, medium lengthed tail with short, hooked black bill. Legs and feet are yellow. Males and females are alike in appearance. Juveniles are similar to adults but with brownish hue on the upperparts and buff streaks on the breasts. Their eyes are orange-red.

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مرکز تحقیقات و نشریات علمی و فنی

Common Starling

Sturnus vulgaris

Common Starling

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Pintail Snipe

Gallinago stenura

Pintail Snipe

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Slender, medium-sized bird measuring 25-27 cm in length. Has short greenish-grey legs and a long, straight, dark bill. Upperparts are mottled brown with neat pale stripes running down the back, while the underparts are pale with a buff-streaked breast and a white belly. Has a dark stripe through the eye, bordered above and below by pale lines. Males and females look similar and juveniles look much like adults, differing slightly in feather details. |

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Swinhoe's Snipe

Gallinago megala

Swinhoe's Snipe

Status: _____

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

Description: A medium sized bird measuring 27-29 cm in length. Has a sturdy build and has relatively thick legs. Upperwings are covered in neat pairs of buff-white spots . Has a reddish-orange coloured tail. Males and females look alike but females have a longer bill. Juveniles are similar with more buff edging and barring on the wing feathers.

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چتر سرسبز

Yellow Bittern

Ixobrychus sinensis

Ixobrychus sinensis

Local Abundance: Rare

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Slender bird measuring 30-40 cm in length. Appears straw colored overall. Has yellowish legs and a pale yellow bill. Body is prominently a warm buffy brown, darker on the back and neck and lighter on the sides, underparts and wing panels. Wings and tail have darker feathers that are striking in flight. Males and females appear slightly different. Males have a dark grey crown and deeper brown back. Females have lighter plumage overall and are finely streaked. Juveniles are paler and more heavily streaked. Has light brown markings across the head, back and underparts.

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مرکز تحقیقات و آموزش کشاورزی و منابع طبیعی

Tree Pipit

Anthus trivialis

Anthus trivialis

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Slim, medium sized bird measuring 14-15 cm in length. Has a streaked chest. Has a thick beak which is dark on top and pale underneath. Has long slender legs. Face has soft brown and buff tones. Has a light stripe running above the eye. Back is olive brown with darker streaks. Rump is plain and chest has bold dark streaks that become finer along the sides. Males and females appear similar. Juveniles are paler, more brownish and have a slightly speckled appearance.

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میرزا سید محمد علی گیلانی

Amur Falcon

Falco amurensis

Falco amurensis

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مَرَسَّة دُرَّاس

Purple Heron

Ardea purpurea



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Wilson's Storm-petrel

Oceanites oceanicus

Wilson's Storm-petrel

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| Status: | Southern winter offshore migrant |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Small bird measuring 15-20 cm in length, with females being slightly larger than males. Mostly dark brown to sooty black with a distinctive white band across the tail. Dark upper wings with lighter brown patches and some white-tipped feathers. Underparts are mostly dark with the white tail patch extending on to the sides. Has unique yellow webbed feet. Males and females look alike, with the juvenile being similar to adults but with some white colouring on the underside.

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White Tern

Gygis alba

White Tern

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| Status: | Breeding resident in the South |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2022) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |
| Description: | Typically measures 23-33 cm in length and is entirely white with dark eyes and a black beak that is blue at the base. Legs and feet are grey-ish blue. Has a slightly forked tail. Juveniles are similar to adults but have brown-edged feathers and the base of their bills are darker. A dark spot behind the eye may also be present in juveniles. |

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South Polar Skua

Stercorarius maccormicki

South Polar Skua

Status: Offshore, Southern winter

Local Abundance: Rare

IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2018)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Medium sized skua measuring about 50-55 cm in length. Has lighter and darker variants. Lighter colored skuas have light golden brown or grey bodies, dark brown wings, back and tail. Darker colored skuas have mostly brownish olive plumage. Both variants have yellowish feathers on the neck but appear bigger on the lighter variants. Males are darker and smaller in comparison to females. Can be distinguished from other skuas from the slimmer body, thinner bill, smaller head and narrower wings.

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Maldivian Little Heron

Butorides striata albidula

Butorides striata albidula

Description: Has a dark grey plumage with white underparts. Has a short neck with the chest and neck being white with a reddish-brown hue. Has distinctive bright yellow eyes and pale yellow legs. The beak is sharp and relatively long.

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Maldivian Water Hen

Amaurornis phoenicurus maldivus

Maldivian Water Hen

Status: Breeding resident

Local Abundance: Common

IUCN Red List Status: Not Assessed

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Small bird with bluish-black upperparts with a white face, throat and chest. Underparts has a reddish-brown tinge. The bill is of a greenish-yellow colour. Has yellow legs with relatively long toes.

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تَرْوُ رَحْمَتِي

Oriental Pratincole

Glareola maldivarum



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Audubon's Shearwater

Puffinus lherminieri

Audubon's Shearwater

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| Status: | Breeding resident |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Small bird measuring 27-36 cm in length. Has a mix of dark and white coloring. Wings are short and broad. Tail is rounded and long. Has a slim body and a large bill. Compared to similar species, is more white around the face and eyes and more dark feathers under the tail. Males and females appear similar but females are generally smaller. Some birds may have a brownish tint on the back. |

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Eurasian Spoonbill

Platalea leucorodia

Eurasian Spoonbill

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix II |

Large wading bird that typically measures between 70-95 cm in length, with males being slightly larger than females. White plumage with a yellow patch on the base of the neck; this patch can vary in size and may be small in some individuals but encompass the whole neck in others. Legs are black and the bill has a distinctive spatula shape with a yellow coloured tip. In breeding adults have a crest on the back of their heads. Juveniles are similar to adults during non-breeding season, but their bills are pink hued and have black tipped feathers.

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مرکز بحریات و تنوع زیستی

Oriental Darter
Anhinga melanogaster

Oriental Darter

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Measures 85-97 cm in length. Has a long slender neck that resembles a snake. Has a long pointed bill. During breeding season, adults have a black body and a brownish crown and neck. Wings have silvery white streaks. Has a white stripe that runs across the eye to the side of the neck. In non-breeding adults and juveniles both have a duller more brownish appearance. Adult males may have black speckles on white throats and females typically have a shorter bill.

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Long-tailed Shrike

Lanius schach

Long-tailed Shrike

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Medium sized shrike measuring 20-25 cm in length. Has a notably long graduated tail. Head has a black facial mask stretching from the forehead to the lower neck. Crown and back feathers are dark grey. Has a rufous rump and blackish upperwings with pale buff edges. Tail is black with white tips and wings have a visible white patch at the base. Has a white throat and breast and flanks have a rufous tinge. Males and females look similar but females have browner legs. Juveniles have brownish grey plumage and a rufous tinged rump. Has a less noticeable facial mask compared to adults.

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Long-tailed Skua

Stercorarius longicaudus

Long-tailed Skua

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| Status: | Offshore |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Measures about 48-53 cm in length. In breeding season, adults plumage has greyish upperparts, black wings and a black tail. Has a white head with a brownish black cap and a yellowish neck. Central tail feathers are long and pointed. In non-breeding season, adults appear browner and do not have long tail feathers. Males and females look alike but males are more white on the underside than females. Juveniles are brown. Has light tips on the feathers and patterned brown and white bars on underwings and sides.

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Crab-plover

Dromas ardeola



Dromas ardeola

Local Abundance: Uncommon

CITES Appendix: Not listed

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مركز بحوث البيئة والموارد الطبيعية

Black-Winged Stilt
Himantopus himantopus



Status: -

Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2019)

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Typically measures between 33-36 cm in length, with distinctively long pink legs and a long, straight black bill. Males have black upperparts with a greenish gloss and black wings with white underparts. Upperparts of females are dull brown and does not have a greenish gloss. Adults have black colouring on the back of the head and neck. Juveniles are similar to adult females .

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چوچک سفید چشم

White-eyed Gull

Ichthyaetus leucophthalmus

Ichthyaetus leucophthalmus

CITES Appendix: Not listed

Description: Medium sized gull measuring 39-43 cm in length. During breeding season, has a coal black hood that runs down to upper breasts and sides of the neck are white. Has grey upperparts and dark grey wings with a white trailing edge. Has prominent white eyelids. Has a long slender bill which is red with a black tip. Legs are bright yellow. In non-breeding season, appear duller, has streaks on the hood and a less vivid bill. Juveniles are dark grey-brown. Has pale-edged feathers. Has a white horseshoe shaped pattern on the rump and a black tail.

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Abbott's Booby

Papasula abbotti

Papasula abbotti

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Great Egret
Ardea alba

Great Egret

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Intermediate Egret

Ardea intermedia

Intermediate Egret

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| Status: | Straggler |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2020) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Measures 56-72 cm in length, with an all white plumage, dark legs and a yellow bill. Bills turn black during breeding season. Males and females are alike. |

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Steppe Gull

Larus fuscus barabensis



Steppe Gull

Larus fuscus barabensis

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Not listed |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
| Description: | Measures 51-54 cm in length , with males being slightly larger than females. Adults have black or dark grey wings and back with a grey head. The bill is yellow with a noticeable red spot near the tip of the bottom bill. Their legs are yellow. Juveniles have black-brown upperparts, whitish head and a black bill. |

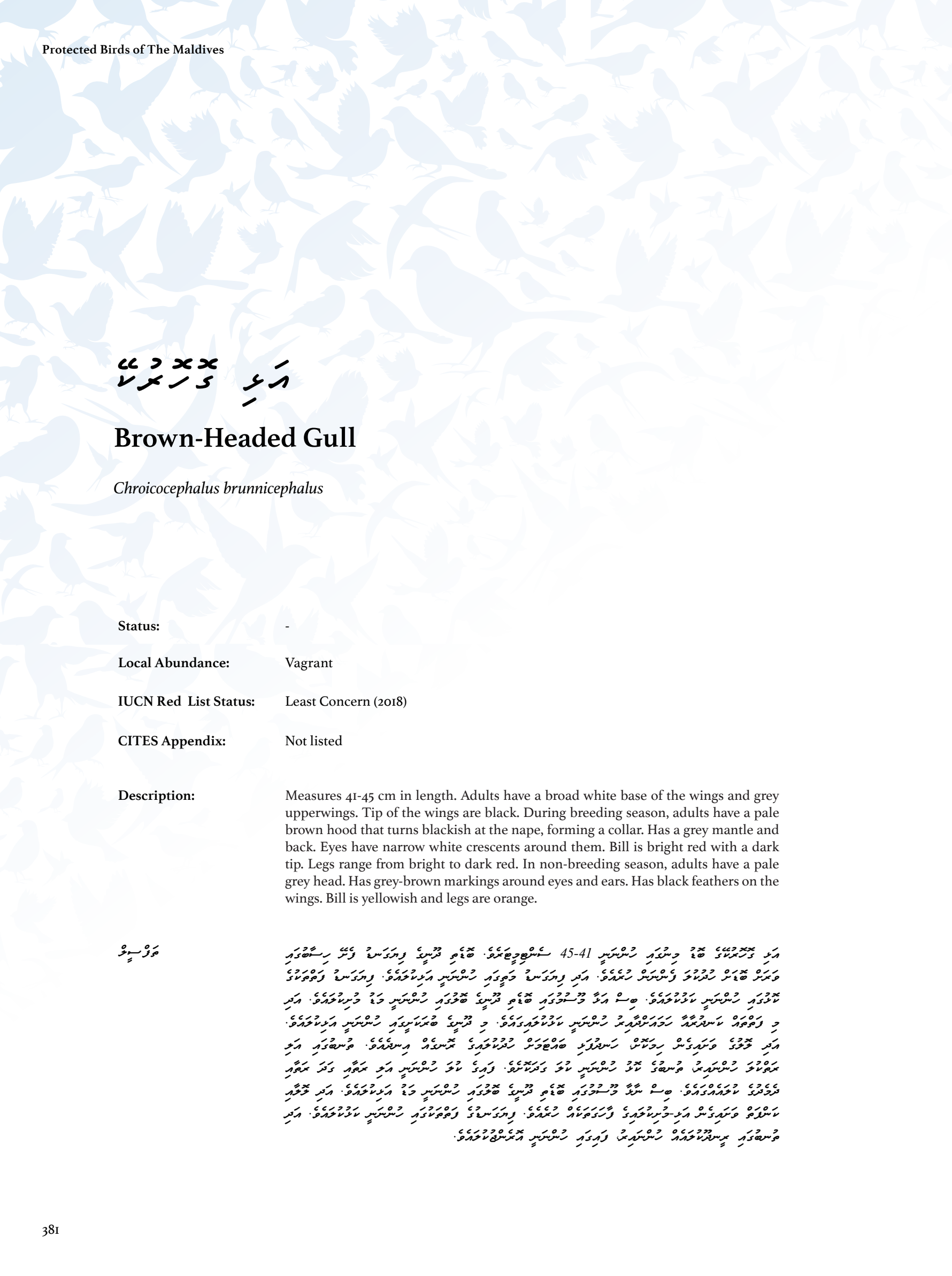
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مرکز تحقیقات و آموزش محیط زیست

Brown-headed Gull
Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus

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Heuglin's Gull
Larus fuscus heuglini



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Black-Headed Gull

Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus



Black-Headed Gull

Chroicocephalus ridibundus

Status: -

Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2018)

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| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |
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Description: Measures 37-43 cm in length. In breeding season, adults have a dark brown or black hood on the head with a blackish border. Has white crescents behind the eyes. Neck, underparts and tail are white. Bill and legs are dark red. Eyes are dark brown. In non-breeding season, adults have a white head and some dark spots behind the ears and the back of the neck. Juveniles have brown or buff markings on the feathers mostly on the wings and back. Has a black band at the end of the tail. Bill and legs are duller in color than adults.

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Barn Swallow

Hirundo rustica

Hirundo rustica

CITES Appendix: Not listed

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Greater Flamingo

Phoenicopterus roseus

Phoenicopterus roseus

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2019) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix II |
| Description: | Typically measures between 120-125 cm in length. Characterised by extremely long legs, a curved neck and a distinctive downward-curving pink bill, tipped black at the end. Adults are pale pink with reddish legs and bright yellow eyes. They have striking black flight feathers. Males and females look alike but the males are typically larger than females. Juveniles are white and grey with grey legs and brown eyes. |

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Common Kestrel

Falco tinnunculus

Falco tinnunculus

CITES Appendix: Appendix II

Description: Measures 27-35 cm in length. Has a grey head and tail with a black band near the tail end. Back and wings are Chestnut colored with black spots. Outer half of upperwings are darker than rest of the wings. Has pale underparts with spots, primarily on breast and underwings. Females are more uniformly colored with heavier spots and a barred tail and lack the grey coloring. Juveniles appear similar to females but have broader streaks on underparts and paler legs and feet.

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Oriental Hobby

Falco severus

Oriental Hobby

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2021) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix II |
| Description: | Measures 34-30 cm in length. Has black and rufous feathers and solid rufous underparts. Has a short tail. Females are larger than males. Eyes are dark brown. Feet and eye rings are yellow. Juveniles have a brownish black back and more streaks on the rufous underparts. |

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Pomarine Skua

Stercorarius pomarinus

Pomarine Skua

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| Status: | Offshore, Northern winter |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2018) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

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Northern Shoveler

Spatula clypeata



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Common Cuckoo

Cuculus canorus

Common Cuckoo

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| Status: | Autumn passage migrant(?) |
| Local Abundance: | Uncommon |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Measures 32–34 cm in length. Males have dark grey feathers on top, a blackish-brown tail with white tips and bars, and white underparts with black barring. Their eye-ring is yellow, and their bill is black with a yellow base. Females are similar but have a rufous-hued chest. Juveniles have a white spot on their nape and white tips on their crown and back.

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Brahminy Kite

Haliastur indus

Brahminy Kite

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix II |

Typically measures between 45-51 cm in length. Adults have a white head, breast, belly and tail tip with rich, chestnut-coloured wings. Their bills are a dull yellow or a greensih yellow with a blue-grey base and thier eyes are reddish brown. Males and females look alike but the female is larger than the male. Juveniles are darker on the back and has lighter underparts.

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Common Coot

Fulica atra

Common Coot

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IUCN Red List Status: Least concern (2019)

Description:

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Western Spotted Dove

Spilopelia suratensis

Western Spotted Dove

Status: -

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2024)

Description: Medium-sized dove about 28-30 cm in length. Has warm brown upperparts with a notable black-and-white spotted patch on the sides of the neck, giving it its name. Head and neck are greyish-brown, and the underparts are pale with a pinkish hue on the chest. Wings and back show fine scalloped patterns. Has a slender body, long tail with white tips on the outer feathers, and a small dark bill. Both males and females look alike, Juveniles appear similar but slightly duller.



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Ortolan Bunting

Emberiza hortulana

Emberiza hortulana

Status: -

Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

CITES Appendix: Appendix III

Description: Stocky bird that measures 16-17 cm in length. In breeding season, males have an olive or greyish-olive head and breast with a pale yellow throat and a yellow stripe underneath the chin. Underparts are of a warm reddish-brown colour and the upperparts are brown with black streaks. The tail is dark with the outermost feathers being white tipped. Females are similar to males but are overall duller, with streaks on the crown and nape and a dark stripe along the cheek. Adults have pink bills and legs. Juveniles are duller with rufous-buff streaked underparts and a greyish bill that becomes pink as they mature.

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چترنگ سرخ

Rosy Starling

Pastor roseus

Rosy Starling

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| Status: | Northern Winter Visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Rare |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not listed |

Measures 19-24 cm in length. Males have a pale pink body with a black head and neck. Upper breast is also black but has a purple shine. Has dark wings with a greenish shimmer. Tail also has a greenish sheen. Females appear duller, have a shorter crest and a brownish throat. Juveniles are sandy grey brown on top. Wings and tail are brown with buff edges. Rump is pale and may have a pinkish or buff tinge. Underparts are buff. Chin and throat has spots. Has a horn colored bill with a yellow orange base. Legs are pinkish yellow.

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Jungle Nightjar
Caprimulgus indicus

Jungle Nightjar

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

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دروہ سہولت کے لئے کھلی ہوئی ہے۔

Lesser Whistling Duck

Dendrocygna javanica



چترسبز

Common Greenshank

Tringa nebularia

Common Greenshank

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| Status: | Northern winter visitor |
| Local Abundance: | Common |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2016) |
| CITES Appendix: | Not Listed |

Typically measures between 30-35 cm in length. Characterised by a long, sturdy bill that tilts slightly upwards and long dull green legs. During breeding season, upper-parts of the adults are streaked with black-brown and the head, neck and upper chest have darker streaks. In non-breeding season, adults have uniform grey upperparts, with a white face, neck and chest. Juveniles look similar to non-breeding adults but are more brown on top with buff edges on the feathers and a more streaked neck and chest.

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Spotted Redshank

Tringa erythropus

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Spotted Redshank

Tringa erythropus

Status: -

Local Abundance: Vagrant

IUCN Red List Status: Least Concern (2016)

CITES Appendix: Not Listed

Description:

Wader that measures 29-32 cm in length. Has long red legs, a long bill that is slightly upturned with a red base on the lower mandible. In breeding season, adults are black with white spotting on the upperparts and varying amounts of white on the underparts. Females are larger and paler than males, often displaying more white colouring on the underparts. Adults have ash-grey upperparts with a pale belly and a dark eyestripe, outside of breeding season. Juveniles are heavily streaked and appear more brown-coloured.

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Common Rosefinch

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| Status: | - |
| Local Abundance: | Vagrant |
| IUCN Red List Status: | Least Concern (2024) |
| CITES Appendix: | Appendix III |

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| Not listed | Near Threatened (2018) | Rare | Offshore Migrant | Calonectris leucomelas (Temminck, 1836) | Streaked Shearwater | މުދަލުގެ ފަލުގެ | 50 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2019) | Rare | Offshore migrant, April | Ardena grisea (Gmelin, 1789) | Sooty Shearwater | ދުވަހުގެ ފަލުގެ | 52 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Unknown | - | Ardea melanocephala (Children & Vigors, 1826) | Black-headed Heron | ކަޖަނުގެ ފަލުގެ | 54 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Merops philippinus (Linnaeus, 1767) | Blue-tailed Bee-eater | މަލިބުނު ފަލުގެ | 56 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2024) | Rare | Irruptive | Merops persicus (Pallas, 1773) | Blue-cheeked Bee-eater | މަލިބުނު ފަލުގެ | 58 |
| Not Listed | Vulnerable (2019) | Vagrant | - | Streptopelia turtur (Linnaeus, 1758) | European Turtle Dove | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 60 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Delichon urbicum (Linnaeus, 1758) | Northern House Martin | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 62 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Vagrant | - | Botaurus stellaris (Linnaeus, 1758) | Great Bittern | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 64 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Unknown | - | Dendrocygna bicolor (Vieillot, 1816) | Fulvous Whistling Duck | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 66 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Uncommon | Northern winter passage migrant | Motacilla flava (Linnaeus, 1758) | Western Yellow Wagtail | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 68 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Vagrant | - | Motacilla citreola (Pallas, 1776) | Citrine Wagtail | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 70 |
| Appendix II | Least concern (2021) | Vagrant | - | Otus brucei (Hume, 1872) | Pallid Scops Owl | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 72 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | May breed in south | Nycticorax nycticorax (Linnaeus, 1758) | Black-crowned Night Heron | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 74 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Regular | Northern winter visitor | Ardeola greyii greyii | Indian Pond Heron | މުދަލުގެ ފަލުގެ | 76 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Falco naumanni (Fleischer, 1818) | Lesser Kestrel | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 78 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | Lanius phoenicuroides (Schalow, 1875) | Red-tailed Shrike | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 80 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2020) | Rare | Straggler | Phaethon rubricauda (Boddaert, 1783) | Red-tailed Tropicbird | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 82 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2024) | Rare | Straggler | Botaurus cinnamomeus (Gmelin, 1789) | Cinnamon Bittern | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ / ފަލުގެ ފަލުގެ | 84 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2019) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Aythya nyroca (Güldenstädt, 1770) | Ferruginous Pochard | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 86 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2024) | Common | Norther winter, some overstay | Arenaria interpres (Linnaeus, 1758) | Ruddy Turnstone | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 88 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Tringa totanus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Redshank | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ | 90 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2020) | Uncommon | Non-breeding visitor | Sula sula (Linnaeus, 1766) | Red-footed Booby | ކަލަ ފަލުގެ / ފަލުގެ ފަލުގެ | 92 |

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| Not Listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Charadrius alexandrinus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Kentish Plover | ކަންޓިޝް ޕްލޮވަރ | 142 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2018) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Calidris temminckii (Leisler, 1812) | Temminck's Stint | ޓެމިންކްސް ސްޓިންޓް | 144 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Calidris minuta (Leisler, 1812) | Little Stint | ލިޓްލް ޓެމިންކްސް | 146 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Calidris alpina (Linnaeus, 1758) | Dunlin | ޕްރިންޓް ޓެމިންކްސް | 148 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Calidris subminuta (von Middendorff, 1853) | Long-toed Stint | ލޮންގް-ޓޯޔްޑް ޓެމިންކްސް | 150 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2016) | Vagrant | - | Glareola pratincola (Linnaeus, 1766) | Collared Pratincole | ކޮލަރޑް ޕްރަޓިންކޮލް | 152 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Streptopelia orientalis (Latham, 1790) | Oriental Turtle Dove | އޯރިއަންޓަލް ޓަޔްލް ޑޯވް | 154 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2020) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Anas crecca (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Teal | ކޮމަން ޓީލް | 156 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2018) | Common | Widespread | Anous tenuirostris (Temminck, 1823) | Lesser Noddy | ލެސަރ ނޮޑީ | 158 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | Ardena tenuirostris (Temminck, 1836) | Short-tailed Shearwater | ކޯޕްޕަރް ޓެއިލްޑް ޕްލާއިން | 160 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2018) | Uncommon | Offshore, Northern Winter | Stercorarius parasiticus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Arctic Skua | އާރޯޕިކް ސްކުއާ | 162 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Oenanthe pleschanka (Lepechin, 1770) | Pied Wheatear | ޕީޑް ވީޓީއާރް | 164 |
| Appendix II | Least concern (2021) | Rare | Irruptive | Asio flammeus (Pontoppidan, 1763) | Short-eared Owl | ކޯޕްޕަރް ޔަލްވް ޕްލާއިން | 166 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2016) | Introduced | Locally extinct? | Passer domesticus (Linnaeus, 1758) | House Sparrow | ހައުސް ސްޕަރޯ | 168 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Common | Breeding Resident | Sterna sumatrana (Raffles,1822) | Black-Naped Tern | ކަލަން ނޭޕްޑް ޓެރުނު | 170 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2016) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Chlidonias leucopterus (Temminck, 1815) | White-winged Tern | ކަލަން ވިންގްޑް ޓެރުނު | 172 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Uncommon | Offshore migrant, Northern winter | Bulweria bulwerii (Jardine & Selby, 1828) | Bulwer's Petrel | ކަލަން ޕެޓްރެލް | 174 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Plegadis falcinellus (Linnaeus, 1766) | Glossy Ibis | ކަލަން ޖަލްޕްރިންޑް | 176 |
| Appendix II | Least concern (2021) | Vagrant | - | Milvus migrans (Boddaert, 1783) | Black Kite | ކަލަން ބަލި | 178 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2018) | Uncommon | Offshore migrant | Hydrobates monorhis (Swinhoe, 1867) | Swinhoe's Storm-petrel | ކަލަން ސަވްރަން ޕެޓްރެލް | 180 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Ixobrychus flavicollis (Latham, 1790) | Black Bittern | ކަލަން ބިޓަރުނު | 182 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor, may breed | Gallicrex cinerea (Gmelin, 1789) | Watercock | ކަލަން ވާޓަރްކޮކް | 184 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Uncommon | Straggler | Sula leucogaster (Boddaert, 1783) | Brown Booby | ކަލަން ބޯބީ | 186 |

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| Not listed | Least concern (2019) | Vagrant | - | Thalasseus sandvicensis (Latham, 1787) | Sandwich Tern | سانڈویچ ٹرن | 188 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Common | Breeding Resident | Eudynamys scolopacea (Linnaeus, 1758) | Asian Koel | ہندو کوئل | 190 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Nettapus coromandelianus (J.F. Gmelin, 1789) | Cotton Teal | کون پتیل | 192 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Alcedo atthis (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Kingfisher | عام کنگ فشر | 194 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Apus affinis (J.E. Grey, 1830) | Little Swift | لیٹل سٹیف | 196 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Egretta garzetta (Linnaeus, 1766) | Little Egret | لیٹل ایگریٹ | 198 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Falco Subbuteo (Linnaeus, 1758) | Eurasian Hobby | یوریشین ہابی | 200 |
| Not listed | Endangered (2023) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Charadrius mongolus (Pallas, 1776) | Lesser Sand Plover | لیٹل سڈ پلوئر | 202 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Rare | North Winter Visitor | Pandion haliaetus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Osprey | اسپری | 204 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Uncommon | North Winter Visitor | Circus aeruginosus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Western Marsh Harrier | ویسٹرن مارش ہیریئر | 206 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2017) | Vagrant | - | Limosa limosa (Linnaeus, 1758) | Black-Tailed Godwit | بلیک ٹیلڈ گڈ ویٹ | 208 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Unknown | - | Lymnocyrtus minimus (Brunnich, 1764) | Jack Snipe | جیک سنیپ | 210 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Gallinago gallinago (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Snipe | کامن سنیپ | 212 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Vagrant | - | Vanellus gregarius (Pallas, 1771) | Sociable Lapwing | سوسیابل لاپ ونگ | 214 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Common | Northern winter visitor | Bubulcus ibis (Linnaeus, 1758) | Cattle Egret | کیتل ایگریٹ | 216 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Common | Breeding Resident | Ardea cinerea (Linnaeus, 1758) | Grey Heron | گری ہیرن | 218 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Motacilla cinerea (Tunstall, 1771) | Grey Wagtail | گری واگ ٹیل | 220 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2017) | Rare | Straggler | Pelecanus philippensis (Gmelin, 1789) | Spot-billed Pelican | سپوٹ بیلڈ پیلکن | 222 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | Artamus fuscus (Vieillot, 1817) | Ashy Woodswallow | اشی وڈ سوا ل | 224 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | Cacomantis passerinus (Vahl, 1797) | Grey-bellied Cuckoo | گری بیلڈ کیو کو | 226 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Uncommon | Breeds in far south | Gallinula chloropus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Moorhen | کامن موئرین / ٹیڈ | 228 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Common | Northern winter visitors, some overstay | Thalasseus bengalensis (Lesson, 1831) | Lesser Crested Tern | لیٹل کریسٹڈ ٹرن | 230 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | Oenanthe oenanthe (Linnaeus, 1758) | Northern Wheatear | نورن تھیٹیر | 232 |
| Not listed | Vulnerable (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Pluvialis Squatarola (Linnaeus, 1758) | Grey Plover | گری پلوئر | 234 |

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| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Anas acuta (Linnaeus, 1758) | Northern Pintail | އިރިރި ފަލުގެ ބައި | 236 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Charadrius hiaticula (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Ringed Plover | އަދަދު ބަނޑު ފަލުގެ ބައި | 238 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Aythya fuligula (Linnaeus, 1758) | Tufted Duck | އަދަދު ބައި | 240 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Vagrant | - | Chlidonias hybrida (Pallas, 1811) | Whiskered Tern | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 242 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2019) | Vagrant | - | Sterna repressa (Hartert, 1916) | White-cheeked Tern | އަދަދު ބައި | 244 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Uncommon | Breeding resident | Sterna dougallii (Montagu, 1813) | Roseate Tern | އަދަދު ބައި | 246 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Common | Offshore Northern winter visitor | Sterna hirundo (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Tern | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 248 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2019) | Common | Offshore | Onychoprion anaethetus (Scopoli, 1786) | Bridled Tern | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 250 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Rare | North Winter Visitor | Circus pygargus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Montagu's Harrier | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 252 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Charadrius leschenaultii (Lesson, 1826) | Greater Sand Plover | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 254 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2016) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Calidris pugnax (Linnaeus, 1758) | Ruff | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 256 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2019) | Vagrant | - | Haematopus ostralegus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Eurasian Oystercatcher | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 258 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | Merops apiaster (Linnaeus, 1758) | European Bee-eater | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 260 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Vagrant | - | Coracias garrulus (Linnaeus, 1758) | European Roller | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 262 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Common | Non-breeding visitor | Fregata minor (Gmelin, 1789) | Great Frigatebird | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 264 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2018) | Common | South winter Offshore migrant | Ardenna carneipes (Gould, 1844) | Flesh-Footed Shearwater | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 266 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Oenanthe isabellina (Temminck, 1829) | Isabelline Wheatear | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 268 |
| Not listed | Near Threatened (2018) | Uncommon | Offshore migrant | Bulweria fallax (Jouanin, 1955) | Jouanin's Petrel | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 270 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Lanius cristatus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Brown Shrike | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 272 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2018) | Rare | Offshore, Southern Winter | Stercorarius antarcticus (Lesson, 1831) | Brown Skua | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 274 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Anthus cervinus (Pallas, 1811) | Red-Throated Pipit | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 276 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | Ichthyaelus hemprichii (Bruch, 1853) | Sooty Gull | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 278 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | Clamator coromandus (Linnaeus, 1766) | Chestnut-winged Cuckoo | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 280 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Calandrella dukhunensis (Sykes, 1832) | Sykes's Short-toed Lark | ވަލުގެ ބައި | 282 |

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| Not Listed | Least Concern
(2020) | Common | Widespread | Anous stolidus
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Brown Noddy | دُبُرَسْرِيَّ | 28. |
| Appendix II | Least Concern
(2021) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Pernis ptilorhynchus
(Temminck, 1821) | Oriental Honey-Buzzard | بَعْدُ بَعْدُ / دُبُرَسْرِيَّ | 28. |
| Not listed | Unknown | Common | Breeding resident | Butorides striata didii (Phillips and Sims, 1958) | Central Maldivian Heron | دُبُرَسْرِيَّ بَعْدُ بَعْدُ | 28. |
| Not Listed | Least Concern
(2018) | Rare | No recent records | Hydroprogne caspia
(Pallas, 1770) | Caspian Tern | دِبُرَسْرِيَّ | 29. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2016) | Vagrant | - | Tringa ochropus
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Green Sandpiper | فِرْسَرِيَّ بَعْدُ | 29. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2018) | Vagrant | - | Phalacrocorax fuscicollis (Stephens, 1826) | Indian Cormorant | پِسْرَ قِيسَرِ | 29. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Unknown | - | Pluvialis dominica
(Müller, 1776) | Lesser Golden Plover | فِرْسَرِيَّ دِبُرَسْرِيَّ | 29. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Vagrant | - | Dendronanthus indicus (Gmelin, 1789) | Forest Wagtail | فِرْسَرِيَّ دِبُرَسْرِيَّ | 29. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2016) | Common | Northern winter visitor | Actitis hypoleucos
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Sandpiper | وِسْرَسْرِيَّ | 30. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Tringa glareola
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Wood Sandpiper | وِسْرَسْرِيَّ بَعْدُ | 30. |
| Not listed | Least concern
(2020) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Upupa epops
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Hoopoe | فِرْسَرِيَّ سَرْيَا قِيسَرِ / دُبُرَسْرِيَّ | 30. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2016) | Uncommon | Autumn passage migrant | Riparia riparia
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Sand Martin | قِيسَرِيَّا | 30. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2018) | Vagrant | - | Apus pallidus
(Shelley, 1870) | Pallid Swift | سَرْيَا قِيسَرِيَّا | 30. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2016) | Uncommon | Autumn passage(?) | Apus apus
(Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Swift | بَعْدُ قِيسَرِيَّا | 31. |
| Not Listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Hirundapus caudacutus (Latham, 1801) | White-throated Needletail | اَبْرِسْرِيَّ بَعْدُ قِيسَرِيَّا | 31. |
| Not Listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Aerodramus unicolor (Jerdon, 1840) | Indian Swiftlet | رِسْرَقْرِيَّ قِيسَرِيَّا | 31. |
| Not Listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Apus pacificus
(Latham, 1801) | Pacific Swift | دُبُرَسْرِيَّ بَعْدُ قِيسَرِيَّا | 31. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Vagrant | - | Petrochelidon fluvicola (Blyth, 1855) | Streak-throated Swallow | نَوْبَرِ قِيسَرِيَّا | 31. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Cecropis daurica
(Laxmann, 1769) | Red-rumped Swallow | مَحْمَدِ بَعْدُ قِيسَرِيَّا | 32. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2024) | Vagrant | - | Riparia chinensis
(Grey, 1830) | Grey-throated Martin | اَبْرِسْرِيَّا نَوْبَرِ قِيسَرِيَّا | 32. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Tringa stagnatilis
(Bechstein, 1803) | Marsh Sandpiper | فِرْسَرِيَّ اَبْرِسْرِيَّا | 32. |
| Not listed | Least Concern
(2018) | Vagrant | - | Puffinus persicus
(Hume, 1872) | Persian Shearwater | قِيسَرِيَّ رِسْرَقْرِيَّا | 32. |
| Appendix II | Least Concern
(2019) | Rare | Breeding resident in south | Elanus caeruleus
(Desfontaines, 1789) | Black-winged Kite | وِسْرَسْرِيَّا اَبْرِسْرِيَّا | 32. |

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| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | <i>Sturnus vulgaris</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Starling | ދިވެހި ސަރުދާރު | 330 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | <i>Gallinago stenura</i> (Bonaparte, 1831) | Pintail Snipe | އިންޑިޔާ ދަނިޔާ | 332 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Vagrant | - | <i>Gallinago megala</i> (Swinhoe, 1861) | Swinhoe's Snipe | ބޮޑު ހިންޑިޔާ ދަނިޔާ | 334 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Rare | Straggler | <i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i> (Gmelin, 1789) | Yellow Bittern | ދަނިޔާ ދަނިޔާ | 336 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | <i>Anthus trivialis</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Tree Pipit | ދަނިޔާ ފުލުވުމުގެ ދަނިޔާ | 338 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Uncommon | Autumn passage migrant | <i>Falco amurensis</i> (Radde, 1863) | Amur Falcon | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު | 340 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2019) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | <i>Ardea purpurea</i> (Linnaeus, 1766) | Purple Heron | ދަނިޔާ ފުލުވުމުގެ ދަނިޔާ | 342 |
| Not Listed | Least Concern (2018) | Common | Southern winter offshore migrant | <i>Oceanites oceanicus</i> (Kuhl, 1820) | Wilson's Storm-petrel | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު ސަރުދާރު | 344 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2022) | Common | Breeding resident in South | <i>Gygis alba</i> (Sparman, 1786) | White Tern | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު / ސަރުދާރު ދަނިޔާ | 346 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2018) | Rare | Offshore, Southern Winter | <i>Stercorarius maccormicki</i> (Saunders, 1893) | South Polar Skua | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު ސަރުދާރު ދަނިޔާ | 348 |
| Not listed | Unknown | Common | Breeding resident | <i>Butorides striata albidula</i> (Bangs, 1904) | Maldivian Little Heron | ދަނިޔާ ދަނިޔާ | 350 |
| Not Listed | Not Assessed | Common | Breeding resident | <i>Amaurornis phoenicurus maldivus</i> (Pennant, 1769) | Maldivian Water Hen | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު | 352 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | <i>Glareola maldivarum</i> (Forster, 1795) | Oriental Pratincole | ދަނިޔާ ފުލުވުމުގެ ދަނިޔާ | 354 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Common | Breeding resident | <i>Puffinus lherminieri</i> (Lesson, 1839) | Audubon's Shearwater | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު | 356 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2016) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | <i>Platalea leucorodia</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Eurasian Spoonbill | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު | 358 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | <i>Anhinga melanogaster</i> (Pennant, 1769) | Oriental Darter | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު | 360 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Vagrant | - | <i>Lanius schach</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Long-tailed Shrike | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު ސަރުދާރު | 362 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2018) | Rare | Offshore | <i>Stercorarius longicaudus</i> (Vieillot, 1819) | Long-tailed Skua | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު ސަރުދާރު ދަނިޔާ | 364 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2024) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | <i>Dromas ardeola</i> (Paykull, 1805) | Crab-plover | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު ♂ ފުލުވުމުގެ ދަނިޔާ | 366 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2019) | Vagrant | - | <i>Himantopus himantopus</i> (Linnaeus, 1758) | Black-Winged Stilt | ދަނިޔާ ސަރުދާރު | 368 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | <i>Ichthyaeus leucophthalmus</i> (Temminck, 1825) | White-eyed Gull | ބޮޑު ހިންޑިޔާ ދަނިޔާ | 440 |
| Appendix I | Endangered (2019) | Vagrant | - | <i>Papasula abbotti</i> (Ridgway, 1893) | Abbott's Booby | ބޮޑު ހިންޑިޔާ ދަނިޔާ | 370 |

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| Not listed | Least Concern (2016) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Ardea alba (Linnaeus, 1758) | Great Egret | گرت ایگریٹ | 374 |
| Not listed | Least concern (2020) | Rare | Straggler | Ardea intermedia (Wagler, 1829) | Intermediate Egret | انٹرمیڈیٹ ایگریٹ | 376 |
| Not listed | Not listed | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Larus fuscus barabensis (Johansen, 1960) | Steppe Gull | سٹیپ گولڈ | 378 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus (Jerdon, 1840) | Brown-Headed Gull | برائن ہیڈڈ گولڈ | 380 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Rare | North Winter visitor | Larus fuscus heuglini (Bree, 1876) | Heuglin's Gull | ہیولین گولڈ | 382 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Vagrant | - | Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus (Jerdon, 1840) | Black-Headed Gull | بلیک ہیڈڈ گولڈ | 384 |
| Not listed | Least Concern (2018) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Hirundo rustica (Linnaeus, 1758) | Barn Swallow | برائن سوائلو | 386 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2019) | Rare | Northern winter visitor | Phoenicopterus roseus (Pallas, 1811) | Greater Flamingo | گریٹر فلامینگو / سوائٹ فلامینگو | 388 |
| Appendix II | Least Concern (2021) | Uncommon | Northern winter visitor | Falco tinnunculus (Linnaeus, 1758) | Common Kestrel | کمن کسٹریل | 390 |
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