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### Ducks, Geese and Swans (Anatidae)

White-faced Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
Fulvous Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>
Spur-winged Goose	<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>
Knob-billed Duck	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>
Egyptian Goose (Rare)	<i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
Common Shelduck (Rare)	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>
Hartlaub's Duck	<i>Pteronetta hartlaubii</i>
African Pygmy Goose	<i>Nettapus auritus</i>
Cape Teal (Rare)	<i>Anas capensis</i>
Eurasian Wigeon (Rare)	<i>Anas penelope</i>
Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>
Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>
Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>
Eurasian Teal (Rare)	<i>Anas crecca</i>
Common Pochard (Rare)	<i>Aythya ferina</i>
Ferruginous Duck (Rare)	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>

### Guineafowl (Numididae)

White-breasted Guineafowl	<i>Agelastes meleagrides</i>
Helmeted Guineafowl	<i>Numida meleagris</i>
Crested Guineafowl	<i>Guttera pucherani</i>

### New World Quail (Odontophoridae)

Stone Partridge	<i>Ptilopachus petrosus</i>
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### Pheasants and allies (Phasianidae)

Latham's Francolin	<i>Peliperdix lathamii</i>
White-throated Francolin	<i>Peliperdix albogularis</i>
Ahanta Francolin	<i>Pternistis ahantensis</i>
Double-spurred Francolin	<i>Pternistis bicalcaratus</i>
Common Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>
Harlequin Quail (Rare)	<i>Coturnix delegorguei</i>
Blue Quail	<i>Excalfactoria adansonii</i>

### Austral Storm Petrels (Oceanitidae)

Wilson's Storm Petrel (Rare)	<i>Oceanites oceanicus</i>
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### Northern Storm Petrels (Hydrobatidae)

European Storm Petrel (Rare)	<i>Hydrobates pelagicus</i>
Band-rumped Storm Petrel (Rare)	<i>Oceanodroma castro</i>
Leach's Storm Petrel (Rare)	<i>Oceanodroma leucorhoa</i>

### Petrels, Shearwaters (Procellariidae)

Scopoli's Shearwater (Rare)	<i>Calonectris diomedea</i>
Great Shearwater (Rare)	<i>Ardenna gravis</i>
Manx Shearwater (Rare)	<i>Puffinus puffinus</i>



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### Grebes (Podicipedidae)

Little Grebe

*Tachybaptus ruficollis*

### Tropicbirds (Phaethontidae)

White-tailed Tropicbird (Rare)

*Phaethon lepturus*

### Storks (Ciconiidae)

Yellow-billed Stork

*Mycteria ibis*

African Openbill

*Anastomus lamelligerus*

Black Stork

*Ciconia nigra*

Abdim's Stork

*Ciconia abdimii*

Woolly-necked Stork

*Ciconia episcopus*

White Stork

*Ciconia ciconia*

Saddle-billed Stork

*Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis*

Marabou Stork

*Leptoptilos crumenifer*

### Ibises, Spoonbills (Threskiornithidae)

African Sacred Ibis

*Threskiornis aethiopicus*

Spot-breasted Ibis

*Bostrychia rara*

Hadada Ibis

*Bostrychia hagedash*

Glossy Ibis

*Plegadis falcinellus*

African Spoonbill (Rare)

*Platalea alba*

### Hérons, Bitterns (Ardeidae)

White-crested Tiger Heron

*Tigriornis leucolopha*

Eurasian Bittern (Rare)

*Botaurus stellaris*

Little Bittern

*Ixobrychus minutus*

Dwarf Bittern

*Ixobrychus sturmii*

White-backed Night Heron

*Gorsachius leuconotus*

Black-crowned Night Heron

*Nycticorax nycticorax*

Striated Heron

*Butorides striata*

Squacco Heron

*Ardeola ralloides*

Western Cattle Egret

*Bubulcus ibis*

Grey Heron

*Ardea cinerea*

Black-headed Heron

*Ardea melanocephala*

Goliath Heron

*Ardea goliath*

Purple Heron

*Ardea purpurea*

Great Egret

*Ardea alba*

Intermediate Egret

*Ardea intermedia*

Black Heron

*Egretta ardesiaca*

Little Egret

*Egretta garzetta*

Western Reef Heron

*Egretta gularis*

### Hamerkop (Scopidae)

Hamerkop

*Scopus umbretta*



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### Pelicans (Pelecanidae)

Great White Pelican	<i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>
Pink-backed Pelican	<i>Pelecanus rufescens</i>

### Gannets, Boobies (Sulidae)

Cape Gannet (Rare)	<i>Morus capensis</i>
Brown Booby (Rare)	<i>Sula leucogaster</i>

### Cormorants, Shags (Phalacrocoracidae)

Reed Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo africanus</i>
White-breasted Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>

### Anhingas, Darters (Anhingidae)

African Darter	<i>Anhinga rufa</i>
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### Secretarybird (Sagittariidae)

Secretarybird	<i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>
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### Ospreys (Pandionidae)

Western Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>
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### Kites, Hawks and Eagles (Accipitridae)

Black-winged Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>
Scissor-tailed Kite	<i>Chelictinia riocourii</i>
African Harrier-Hawk	<i>Polyboroides typus</i>
Palm-nut Vulture	<i>Gypohierax angolensis</i>
European Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>
African Cuckoo-Hawk	<i>Aviceda cuculoides</i>
Hooded Vulture	<i>Necrosyrtes monachus</i>
White-backed Vulture	<i>Gyps africanus</i>
Rüppell's Vulture (Rare)	<i>Gyps rueppelli</i>
White-headed Vulture	<i>Trigonoceps occipitalis</i>
Short-toed Snake Eagle	<i>Circaetus gallicus</i>
Beaudouin's Snake Eagle (Rare)	<i>Circaetus beaudouini</i>
Brown Snake Eagle	<i>Circaetus cinereus</i>
Western Banded Snake Eagle	<i>Circaetus cinerascens</i>
Congo Serpent Eagle	<i>Circaetus spectabilis</i>
Bateleur	<i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>
Bat Hawk	<i>Macheiramphus alcinus</i>
Crowned Eagle	<i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i>
Martial Eagle	<i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>
Long-crested Eagle	<i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
Wahlberg's Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus wahlbergi</i>
Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>
Ayres's Hawk-Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus ayresii</i>
Tawny Eagle	<i>Aquila rapax</i>
Cassin's Hawk-Eagle	<i>Aquila africana</i>



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African Hawk-Eagle	<i>Aquila spilogaster</i>
Lizard Buzzard	<i>Kaupifalco monogrammicus</i>
Gabar Goshawk	<i>Micronisus gabar</i>
Dark Chanting Goshawk	<i>Melierax metabates</i>
Long-tailed Hawk	<i>Urotriorchis macrourus</i>
Red-chested Goshawk	<i>Accipiter toussenellii</i>
Shikra	<i>Accipiter badius</i>
Red-thighed Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter erythropus</i>
Ovambo Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter ovampensis</i>
Black Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter melanoleucus</i>
Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>
Pallid Harrier	<i>Circus macrourus</i>
Montagu's Harrier	<i>Circus pygargus</i>
Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>
Yellow-billed Kite	<i>Milvus aegyptius</i>
African Fish Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
Grasshopper Buzzard	<i>Butastur rufipennis</i>
Long-legged Buzzard (Rare)	<i>Buteo rufinus</i>
Common Buzzard (Rare)	<i>Buteo buteo</i>
Red-necked Buzzard	<i>Buteo auguralis</i>
<b>Bustards (Otididae)</b>	
Arabian Bustard	<i>Ardeotis arabs</i>
Denham's Bustard	<i>Neotis denhami</i>
White-bellied Bustard	<i>Eupodotis senegalensis</i>
Black-bellied Bustard	<i>Lissotis melanogaster</i>
<b>Flufftails (Scolopacidae)</b>	
Grey-throated Rail	<i>Canirallus oculus</i>
White-spotted Flufftail	<i>Scolopax pulchra</i>
Buff-spotted Flufftail	<i>Scolopax elegans</i>
Red-chested Flufftail (Rare)	<i>Scolopax rufa</i>
Streaky-breasted Flufftail (Rare)	<i>Scolopax boehmi</i>
<b>Finfoots (Heliornithidae)</b>	
African Finfoot	<i>Podiceps senegalensis</i>
<b>Rails, Crakes and Coots (Rallidae)</b>	
Nkulengu Rail	<i>Himantornis haematopus</i>
African Crake	<i>Crex egregia</i>
Corn Crake (Rare)	<i>Crex crex</i>
Black Crake	<i>Amaurornis flavirostra</i>
Striped Crake	<i>Aenigmatolimnas marginalis</i>
African Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio madagascariensis</i>
Allen's Gallinule	<i>Porphyrio alleni</i>
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>
Lesser Moorhen	<i>Paragallinula angulata</i>



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### Cranes (Gruidae)

Black Crowned Crane

*Balearica pavonina*

### Buttonquail (Turnicidae)

Common Buttonquail

*Turnix sylvaticus*

Black-rumped Buttonquail (Rare)

*Turnix nanus*

Quail-plover

*Ortyxelos meiffrenii*

### Stone-curlews, Thick-knees (Burhinidae)

Senegal Thick-knee

*Burhinus senegalensis*

Water Thick-knee

*Burhinus vermiculatus*

Spotted Thick-knee

*Burhinus capensis*

### Oystercatchers (Haematopodidae)

Eurasian Oystercatcher

*Haematopus ostralegus*

### Stilts, Avocets (Recurvirostridae)

Black-winged Stilt

*Himantopus himantopus*

Pied Avocet

*Recurvirostra avosetta*

### Plovers (Charadriidae)

Spur-winged Lapwing

*Vanellus spinosus*

Black-headed Lapwing

*Vanellus tectus*

White-crowned Lapwing

*Vanellus albiceps*

Senegal Lapwing

*Vanellus lugubris*

African Wattled Lapwing

*Vanellus senegallus*

Brown-chested Lapwing (Rare)

*Vanellus superciliosus*

European Golden Plover (Rare)

*Pluvialis apricaria*

Pacific Golden Plover (Rare)

*Pluvialis fulva*

American Golden Plover (Rare)

*Pluvialis dominica*

Grey Plover

*Pluvialis squatarola*

Common Ringed Plover

*Charadrius hiaticula*

Little Ringed Plover

*Charadrius dubius*

Kittlitz's Plover

*Charadrius pecuarius*

Three-banded Plover (Rare)

*Charadrius tricollaris*

Forbes's Plover

*Charadrius forbesi*

White-fronted Plover

*Charadrius marginatus*

Kentish Plover

*Charadrius alexandrinus*

### Egyptian Plover (Pluvianidae)

Egyptian Plover

*Pluvianus aegyptius*

### Painted-snipes (Rostratulidae)

Greater Painted-snipe

*Rostratula benghalensis*

### Jacanas (Jacanidae)



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African Jacana

*Actophilornis africanus*

### Sandpipers, Snipes (Scolopacidae)

Jack Snipe

*Lymnocyptes minimus*

Great Snipe

*Gallinago media*

Common Snipe

*Gallinago gallinago*

Short-billed Dowitcher (Rare)

*Limnodromus griseus*

Black-tailed Godwit

*Limosa limosa*

Bar-tailed Godwit

*Limosa lapponica*

Whimbrel

*Numenius phaeopus*

Eurasian Curlew

*Numenius arquata*

Spotted Redshank

*Tringa erythropus*

Common Redshank

*Tringa totanus*

Marsh Sandpiper

*Tringa stagnatilis*

Common Greenshank

*Tringa nebularia*

Lesser Yellowlegs (Rare)

*Tringa flavipes*

Green Sandpiper

*Tringa ochropus*

Wood Sandpiper

*Tringa glareola*

Terek Sandpiper (Rare)

*Xenus cinereus*

Common Sandpiper

*Actitis hypoleucos*

Ruddy Turnstone

*Arenaria interpres*

Red Knot

*Calidris canutus*

Sanderling

*Calidris alba*

Little Stint

*Calidris minuta*

Temminck's Stint

*Calidris temminckii*

White-rumped Sandpiper (Rare)

*Calidris fuscicollis*

Pectoral Sandpiper (Rare)

*Calidris melanotos*

Curlew Sandpiper

*Calidris ferruginea*

Dunlin (Rare)

*Calidris alpina*

Buff-breasted Sandpiper (Rare)

*Tryngites subruficollis*

Ruff

*Philomachus pugnax*

Red-necked Phalarope (Rare)

*Phalaropus lobatus*

Red Phalarope (Rare)

*Phalaropus fulicarius*

### Couriers, Pratincoles (Glareolidae)

Cream-colored Courser

*Cursorius cursor*

Temminck's Courser

*Cursorius temminckii*

Bronze-winged Courser

*Rhinoptilus chalcopterus*

Collared Pratincole

*Glareola pratincola*

Black-winged Pratincole (Rare)

*Glareola nordmanni*

Rock Pratincole

*Glareola nuchalis*

Grey Pratincole (Rare)

*Glareola cinerea*

### Gulls, Terns and Skimmers (Laridae)

Brown Noddy (Rare)

*Anous stolidus*

Black Noddy (Rare)

*Anous minutus*

African Skimmer

*Rynchops flavirostris*



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Sabine's Gull (Rare)	<i>Xema sabini</i>
Black-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>
Grey-headed Gull (Rare)	<i>Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus</i>
Little Gull (Rare)	<i>Hydrocoloeus minutus</i>
Franklin's Gull (Rare)	<i>Leucophaeus pipixcan</i>
Audouin's Gull (Rare)	<i>Ichthyaetus audouinii</i>
Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>
Gull-billed Tern	<i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>
Caspian Tern	<i>Hydroprogne caspia</i>
Royal Tern	<i>Thalasseus maximus</i>
Lesser Crested Tern (Rare)	<i>Thalasseus bengalensis</i>
Sandwich Tern	<i>Thalasseus sandvicensis</i>
Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>
Damara Tern	<i>Sternula balaenarum</i>
Bridled Tern (Rare)	<i>Onychoprion anaethetus</i>
Sooty Tern (Rare)	<i>Onychoprion fuscatus</i>
Roseate Tern	<i>Sterna dougallii</i>
Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>
Arctic Tern	<i>Sterna paradisaea</i>
Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>
White-winged Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>
Black Tern	<i>Chlidonias niger</i>
<b>Skuas (Stercorariidae)</b>	
South Polar Skua (Rare)	<i>Stercorarius maccormicki</i>
Great Skua (Rare)	<i>Stercorarius skua</i>
Pomarine Skua	<i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i>
Parasitic Jaeger (Rare)	<i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i>
<b>Sandgrouse (Pteroclididae)</b>	
Four-banded Sandgrouse	<i>Pterocles quadricinctus</i>
<b>Pigeons, Doves (Columbidae)</b>	
Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>
Speckled Pigeon	<i>Columba guinea</i>
Afep Pigeon	<i>Columba unicincta</i>
Western Bronze-naped Pigeon	<i>Columba iriditorques</i>
European Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>
African Collared Dove (Rare)	<i>Streptopelia roseogrisea</i>
Mourning Collared Dove (Rare)	<i>Streptopelia decipiens</i>
Red-eyed Dove	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>
Vinaceous Dove	<i>Streptopelia vinacea</i>
Laughing Dove	<i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>
Black-billed Wood Dove	<i>Turtur abyssinicus</i>
Blue-spotted Wood Dove	<i>Turtur afer</i>
Tambourine Dove	<i>Turtur tympanistris</i>
Blue-headed Wood Dove	<i>Turtur brehmeri</i>





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Namaqua Dove  
Bruce's Green Pigeon  
African Green Pigeon

*Oena capensis*  
*Treron waalia*  
*Treron calvus*

### Turacos (Musophagidae)

Great Blue Turaco  
Guinea Turaco  
Yellow-billed Turaco  
Violet Turaco  
Western Plantain-eater

*Corythaeola cristata*  
*Tauraco persa*  
*Tauraco macrorhynchus*  
*Musophaga violacea*  
*Crinifer piscator*

### Cuckoos (Cuculidae)

Black-throated Coucal  
Senegal Coucal  
Blue-headed Coucal  
Black Coucal  
Blue Malkoha  
Great Spotted Cuckoo  
Levaillant's Cuckoo  
Jacobin Cuckoo  
Thick-billed Cuckoo  
Diederik Cuckoo  
Klaas's Cuckoo  
Yellow-throated Cuckoo  
African Emerald Cuckoo  
Dusky Long-tailed Cuckoo  
Olive Long-tailed Cuckoo  
Black Cuckoo  
Red-chested Cuckoo  
African Cuckoo  
Common Cuckoo

*Centropus leucogaster*  
*Centropus senegalensis*  
*Centropus monachus*  
*Centropus grillii*  
*Ceuthmochares aereus*  
*Clamator glandarius*  
*Clamator levaillantii*  
*Clamator jacobinus*  
*Pachyococcyx audeberti*  
*Chrysococcyx caprius*  
*Chrysococcyx klaas*  
*Chrysococcyx flavigularis*  
*Chrysococcyx cupreus*  
*Cercococcyx mechowi*  
*Cercococcyx olivinus*  
*Cuculus clamosus*  
*Cuculus solitarius*  
*Cuculus gularis*  
*Cuculus canorus*

### Barn Owls (Tytonidae)

Western Barn Owl

*Tyto alba*

### Owls (Strigidae)

Sandy Scops Owl  
African Scops Owl  
Eurasian Scops Owl (Rare)  
Northern White-faced Owl  
Greyish Eagle-Owl  
Fraser's Eagle-Owl  
Shelley's Eagle-Owl  
Verreaux's Eagle-Owl  
Akun Eagle-Owl  
Pel's Fishing Owl  
Rufous Fishing Owl

*Otus icterorhynchus*  
*Otus senegalensis*  
*Otus scops*  
*Ptilopsis leucotis*  
*Bubo cinerascens*  
*Bubo poensis*  
*Bubo shelleyi*  
*Bubo lacteus*  
*Bubo leucostictus*  
*Scotopelia peli*  
*Scotopelia ussheri*





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African Wood Owl  
Maned Owl  
Pearl-spotted Owlet  
Red-chested Owlet  
African Barred Owlet  
Marsh Owl (Rare)

*Strix woodfordii*  
*Jubula lettii*  
*Glaucidium perlatum*  
*Glaucidium tephronotum*  
*Glaucidium capense*  
*Asio capensis*

### Nightjars (Caprimulgidae)

Brown Nightjar  
Red-necked Nightjar (Rare)  
European Nightjar (Rare)  
Black-shouldered Nightjar  
Swamp Nightjar  
Plain Nightjar  
Freckled Nightjar  
Long-tailed Nightjar  
Standard-winged Nightjar  
Pennant-winged Nightjar

*Veles binotatus*  
*Caprimulgus ruficollis*  
*Caprimulgus europaeus*  
*Caprimulgus nigriscapularis*  
*Caprimulgus natalensis*  
*Caprimulgus inornatus*  
*Caprimulgus tristigma*  
*Caprimulgus climacurus*  
*Caprimulgus longipennis*  
*Caprimulgus vexillarius*

### Swifts (Apodidae)

Mottled Spinetail  
Black Spinetail  
Sabine's Spinetail  
Cassin's Spinetail  
African Palm Swift  
Alpine Swift  
Mottled Swift  
Common Swift  
Pallid Swift (Rare)  
African Black Swift  
Little Swift  
Horus Swift (Rare)  
White-rumped Swift  
Bates's Swift

*Telacanthura ussheri*  
*Telacanthura melanopygia*  
*Rhaphidura sabini*  
*Neafrapus cassini*  
*Cypsiurus parvus*  
*Tachymartia melba*  
*Tachymartia aequatorialis*  
*Apus apus*  
*Apus pallidus*  
*Apus barbatus*  
*Apus affinis*  
*Apus horus*  
*Apus caffer*  
*Apus batesi*

### Trogon (Trogonidae)

Narina Trogon

*Apaloderma narina*

### Rollers (Coraciidae)

Purple Roller  
Abyssinian Roller  
European Roller (Rare)  
Blue-bellied Roller  
Blue-throated Roller  
Broad-billed Roller

*Coracias naevius*  
*Coracias abyssinicus*  
*Coracias garrulus*  
*Coracias cyanogaster*  
*Eurystomus gularis*  
*Eurystomus glaucurus*

### Kingfishers (Alcedinidae)



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Chocolate-backed Kingfisher  
Grey-headed Kingfisher  
Striped Kingfisher  
Blue-breasted Kingfisher  
Woodland Kingfisher  
African Dwarf Kingfisher  
African Pygmy Kingfisher  
White-bellied Kingfisher  
Malachite Kingfisher  
Shining-blue Kingfisher  
Giant Kingfisher  
Pied Kingfisher

*Halcyon badia*  
*Halcyon leucocephala*  
*Halcyon chelicuti*  
*Halcyon malimbica*  
*Halcyon senegalensis*  
*Ispidina lecontei*  
*Ispidina picta*  
*Corythornis leucogaster*  
*Corythornis cristatus*  
*Alcedo quadibrachys*  
*Megaceryle maxima*  
*Ceryle rudis*

### Bee-eaters (Meropidae)

Black-headed Bee-eater  
Blue-moustached Bee-eater  
Black Bee-eater  
Swallow-tailed Bee-eater  
Little Bee-eater  
Red-throated Bee-eater  
White-throated Bee-eater  
Blue-cheeked Bee-eater  
European Bee-eater  
Rosy Bee-eater  
Northern Carmine Bee-eater

*Merops breweri*  
*Merops mentalis*  
*Merops gularis*  
*Merops hirundineus*  
*Merops pusillus*  
*Merops bulocki*  
*Merops albicollis*  
*Merops persicus*  
*Merops apiaster*  
*Merops malimbicus*  
*Merops nubicus*

### Hoopoes (Upupidae)

Eurasian Hoopoe

*Upupa epops*

### Wood Hoopoes (Phoeniculidae)

Forest Wood Hoopoe  
White-headed Wood Hoopoe  
Green Wood Hoopoe  
Black Scimitarbill

*Phoeniculus castaneiceps*  
*Phoeniculus bollei*  
*Phoeniculus purpureus*  
*Rhinopomastus aterrimus*

### Ground Hornbills (Bucorvidae)

Abyssinian Ground Hornbill

*Bucorvus abyssinicus*

### Hornbills (Bucerotidae)

Northern Red-billed Hornbill  
African Pied Hornbill  
African Grey Hornbill  
Red-billed Dwarf Hornbill  
Piping Hornbill  
Brown-cheeked Hornbill  
Black-and-white-casqued Hornbill  
Black-casqued Hornbill

*Tockus erythrorhynchus*  
*Lophoceros fasciatus*  
*Lophoceros nasutus*  
*Lophoceros camurus*  
*Bycanistes fistulator*  
*Bycanistes cylindricus*  
*Bycanistes subcylindricus*  
*Ceratogymna atrata*



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Yellow-casqued Hornbill  
Black Dwarf Hornbill  
White-crested Hornbill

*Ceratogymna elata*  
*Horizocerus hartlaubi*  
*Horizocerus albocristatus*

### African Barbets (Lybiidae)

Bristle-nosed Barbet  
Naked-faced Barbet  
Speckled Tinkerbird  
Red-rumped Tinkerbird  
Yellow-throated Tinkerbird  
Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird  
Yellow-fronted Tinkerbird  
Yellow-spotted Barbet  
Hairy-breasted Barbet  
Vieillot's Barbet  
Double-toothed Barbet  
Bearded Barbet  
Yellow-billed Barbet

*Gymnobucco peli*  
*Gymnobucco calvus*  
*Pogoniulus scolopaceus*  
*Pogoniulus atroflavus*  
*Pogoniulus subsulphureus*  
*Pogoniulus bilineatus*  
*Pogoniulus chrysoconus*  
*Buccanodon duchaillui*  
*Tricholaema hirsuta*  
*Lybius vieilloti*  
*Lybius bidentatus*  
*Lybius dubius*  
*Trachyphonus purpuratus*

### Honeyguides (Indicatoridae)

Cassin's Honeybird  
Yellow-footed Honeyguide  
Willcocks's Honeyguide  
Least Honeyguide  
Thick-billed Honeyguide  
Lesser Honeyguide  
Spotted Honeyguide  
Greater Honeyguide  
Lyre-tailed Honeyguide

*Prodotiscus insignis*  
*Melignomon eisentrauti*  
*Indicator willcocksii*  
*Indicator exilis*  
*Indicator conirostris*  
*Indicator minor*  
*Indicator maculatus*  
*Indicator indicator*  
*Melichneutes robustus*

### Woodpeckers (Picidae)

Eurasian Wryneck  
African Piculet  
Fine-spotted Woodpecker  
Golden-tailed Woodpecker  
Green-backed Woodpecker  
Little Green Woodpecker  
Buff-spotted Woodpecker  
Brown-eared Woodpecker  
Fire-bellied Woodpecker  
Cardinal Woodpecker  
Melancholy Woodpecker  
African Grey Woodpecker  
Brown-backed Woodpecker

*Jynx torquilla*  
*Sasia africana*  
*Campethera punctuligera*  
*Campethera abingoni*  
*Campethera cailliautii*  
*Campethera maculosa*  
*Campethera nivosa*  
*Campethera caroli*  
*Chloropicus pyrrhogaster*  
*Dendropicus fuscescens*  
*Dendropicus lugubris*  
*Dendropicus goertae*  
*Dendropicus obsoletus*

### Caracaras, Falcons (Falconidae)

Lesser Kestrel (Rare)

*Falco naumanni*



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Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>
Fox Kestrel	<i>Falco alopex</i>
Grey Kestrel	<i>Falco ardosiaceus</i>
Red-necked Falcon	<i>Falco chicquera</i>
Red-footed Falcon (Rare)	<i>Falco vespertinus</i>
Eleonora's Falcon (Rare)	<i>Falco eleonora</i>
Eurasian Hobby (Rare)	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>
African Hobby	<i>Falco cuvierii</i>
Lanner Falcon	<i>Falco biarmicus</i>
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>

### African & New World Parrots (Psittacidae)

Grey Parrot	<i>Psittacus erithacus</i>
Red-fronted Parrot	<i>Poicephalus gularis</i>
Brown-necked Parrot	<i>Poicephalus fuscicollis</i>
Senegal Parrot	<i>Poicephalus senegalus</i>

### Old World Parrots (Psittaculidae)

Rose-ringed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>
Red-headed Lovebird	<i>Agapornis pullarius</i>
Black-collared Lovebird	<i>Agapornis swindernianus</i>

### Broadbills (Eurylaimidae)

African Broadbill	<i>Smithornis capensis</i>
Rufous-sided Broadbill	<i>Smithornis rufolateralis</i>

### Pittas (Pittidae)

African Pitta	<i>Pitta angolensis</i>
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### Wattle-eyes, Batises (Platysteiridae)

African Shrike-flycatcher	<i>Megabyas flammulatus</i>
Black-and-white Shrike-flycatcher	<i>Bias musicus</i>
Senegal Batis	<i>Batis senegalensis</i>
Fernando Po Batis	<i>Batis poensis</i>
West African Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira hormophora</i>
Brown-throated Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira cyanea</i>
Yellow-bellied Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira concreta</i>
Red-cheeked Wattle-eye	<i>Platysteira blissetti</i>

### Helmetshrikes (Prionopidae)

White-crested Helmetshrike	<i>Prionops plumatus</i>
Red-billed Helmetshrike	<i>Prionops caniceps</i>

### Bushshrikes (Malaconotidae)

Fiery-breasted Bushshrike	<i>Malaconotus cruentus</i>
Grey-headed Bushshrike	<i>Malaconotus blanchoti</i>
Lagden's Bushshrike	<i>Malaconotus lagdeni</i>



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Many-colored Bushshrike	<i>Chlorophoneus multicolor</i>
Orange-breasted Bushshrike	<i>Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus</i>
Marsh Tchagra	<i>Bocagia minuta</i>
Brown-crowned Tchagra	<i>Tchagra australis</i>
Black-crowned Tchagra	<i>Tchagra senegalus</i>
Sabine's Puffback	<i>Dryoscopus sabinii</i>
Northern Puffback	<i>Dryoscopus gambensis</i>
Lowland Sooty Boubou	<i>Laniarius leucorhynchus</i>
Tropical Boubou	<i>Laniarius major</i>
Yellow-crowned Gonolek	<i>Laniarius barbarus</i>
Brubru	<i>Nilaus afer</i>

### Cuckooshrikes (Campephagidae)

White-breasted Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina pectoralis</i>
Blue Cuckooshrike	<i>Coracina azurea</i>
Red-shouldered Cuckooshrike	<i>Campephaga phoenicea</i>
Purple-throated Cuckooshrike	<i>Campephaga quiscalina</i>
Western Wattled Cuckooshrike	<i>Lobotos lobatus</i>

### Shrikes (Laniidae)

Yellow-billed Shrike	<i>Corvinella corvina</i>
Emin's Shrike	<i>Lanius gubernator</i>
Southern Grey Shrike (Rare)	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>
Northern Fiscal	<i>Lanius humeralis</i>
Woodchat Shrike	<i>Lanius senator</i>

### Figbirds, Orioles (Oriolidae)

Eurasian Golden Oriole (Rare)	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>
African Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus auratus</i>
Western Oriole	<i>Oriolus brachyrynchus</i>
Black-winged Oriole	<i>Oriolus nigripennis</i>

### Drongos (Dicruridae)

Square-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>
Shining Drongo	<i>Dicrurus atripennis</i>
Fork-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus adsimilis</i>
Velvet-mantled Drongo	<i>Dicrurus modestus</i>

### Monarchs (Monarchidae)

Blue-headed Crested Flycatcher	<i>Trochocercus nitens</i>
Red-bellied Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone rufiventer</i>
African Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>

### Crows, Jays (Corvidae)

Piapiac	<i>Ptilostomus afer</i>
Pied Crow	<i>Corvus albus</i>



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### Rockfowl (Picathartidae)

White-necked Rockfowl

*Picathartes gymnocephalus*

### Fairy Flycatchers (Stenostiridae)

African Blue Flycatcher

*Elminia longicauda*

Dusky Crested Flycatcher

*Elminia nigromitrata*

### Tits, Chickadees (Paridae)

White-shouldered Black Tit

*Melaniparus guineensis*

Dusky Tit

*Melaniparus funereus*

### Penduline Tits (Remizidae)

Yellow Penduline Tit

*Anthoscopus parvulus*

Forest Penduline Tit

*Anthoscopus flavifrons*

### Nicators (Nicatoridae)

Western Nicator

*Nicator chloris*

### Larks (Alaudidae)

Rufous-rumped Lark

*Pinarocorys erythropygia*

Chestnut-backed Sparrow-Lark

*Eremopterix leucotis*

Flappet Lark

*Mirafra rufocinnamomea*

Sun Lark

*Galerida modesta*

Crested Lark (Rare)

*Galerida cristata*

### Bulbuls (Pycnonotidae)

Common Bulbul

*Pycnonotus barbatus*

Slender-billed Greenbul

*Stelgidillas gracilirostris*

Little Greenbul

*Eurillas virens*

Little Grey Greenbul

*Eurillas gracilis*

Ansorge's Greenbul

*Eurillas ansorgei*

Plain Greenbul

*Eurillas curvirostris*

Yellow-whiskered Greenbul

*Eurillas latirostris*

Golden Greenbul

*Calyptocichla serinus*

Honeyguide Greenbul

*Baeopogon indicator*

Spotted Greenbul

*Ixonotus guttatus*

Simple Greenbul

*Chlorocichla simplex*

Yellow-throated Leaflove

*Atimastillas flavicollis*

Swamp Palm Bulbul

*Thescelocichla leucopleura*

Red-tailed Leaflove

*Phyllastrephus scandens*

Baumann's Olive Greenbul

*Phyllastrephus baumanni*

Icterine Greenbul

*Phyllastrephus icterinus*

White-throated Greenbul

*Phyllastrephus albigularis*

Red-tailed Bristlebill

*Bleda syndactylus*

Green-tailed Bristlebill

*Bleda eximius*

Grey-headed Bristlebill

*Bleda canicapillus*

Western Bearded Greenbul

*Criniger barbatus*



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Red-tailed Greenbul  
Yellow-bearded Greenbul

*Criniger calurus*  
*Criniger olivaceus*

### Swallows, Martins (Hirundinidae)

Square-tailed Saw-wing  
Fanti Saw-wing  
Grey-rumped Swallow  
Brown-throated Martin  
Sand Martin  
Banded Martin  
Barn Swallow  
Red-chested Swallow  
Ethiopian Swallow  
Wire-tailed Swallow  
White-bibbed Swallow  
Pied-winged Swallow  
Rock Martin  
Common House Martin  
Lesser Striped Swallow  
Red-breasted Swallow  
Mosque Swallow  
Red-rumped Swallow  
West African Swallow  
Preuss's Cliff Swallow

*Psalidoprocne nitens*  
*Psalidoprocne obscura*  
*Pseudhirundo griseopyga*  
*Riparia paludicola*  
*Riparia riparia*  
*Riparia cincta*  
*Hirundo rustica*  
*Hirundo lucida*  
*Hirundo aethiopica*  
*Hirundo smithii*  
*Hirundo nigrita*  
*Hirundo leucosoma*  
*Ptyonoprogne fuligula*  
*Delichon urbicum*  
*Cecropis abyssinica*  
*Cecropis semirufa*  
*Cecropis senegalensis*  
*Cecropis daurica*  
*Cecropis domicella*  
*Petrochelidon preussi*

### Crombecs, African Warblers (Macrosphenidae)

Moustached Grass Warbler  
Kemp's Longbill  
Grey Longbill  
Northern Crombec  
Green Crombec  
Lemon-bellied Crombec

*Melocichla mentalis*  
*Macrosphenus kempii*  
*Macrosphenus concolor*  
*Sylvietta brachyura*  
*Sylvietta virens*  
*Sylvietta denti*

### Yellow Flycatchers (Erythroceridae)

Chestnut-capped Flycatcher

*Erythrocerus mccallii*

### Family Uncertain (Incertae Sedis 1)

Green Hylia  
Tit Hylia

*Hylia prasina*  
*Pholidornis rushiae*

### Leaf Warblers and allies (Phylloscopidae)

Willow Warbler  
Common Chiffchaff  
Western Bonelli's Warbler  
Wood Warbler

*Phylloscopus trochilus*  
*Phylloscopus collybita*  
*Phylloscopus bonelli*  
*Phylloscopus sibilatrix*

### Reed Warblers and allies (Acrocephalidae)





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Greater Swamp Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus rufescens</i>
Great Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i>
Aquatic Warbler (Rare)	<i>Acrocephalus paludicola</i>
Sedge Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i>
Eurasian Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>
African Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>
Western Olivaceous Warbler	<i>Iduna opaca</i>
Melodious Warbler	<i>Hippolais polyglotta</i>
Icterine Warbler (Rare)	<i>Hippolais icterina</i>

### Grassbirds and allies (Locustellidae)

Common Grasshopper Warbler (Rare)	<i>Locustella naevia</i>
Savi's Warbler	<i>Locustella luscinioides</i>
Little Rush Warbler	<i>Bradypterus baboecala</i>

### Cisticolas and allies (Cisticolidae)

Red-faced Cisticola	<i>Cisticola erythrops</i>
Singing Cisticola	<i>Cisticola cantans</i>
Whistling Cisticola	<i>Cisticola lateralis</i>
Rock-loving Cisticola	<i>Cisticola emini</i>
Winding Cisticola	<i>Cisticola marginatus</i>
Croaking Cisticola	<i>Cisticola natalensis</i>
Dorst's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola guinea</i>
Short-winged Cisticola	<i>Cisticola brachypterus</i>
Rufous Cisticola	<i>Cisticola rufus</i>
Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>
Black-backed Cisticola	<i>Cisticola eximius</i>
Tawny-flanked Prinia	<i>Prinia subflava</i>
Red-winged Warbler	<i>Heliolais erythropterus</i>
Yellow-breasted Apalis	<i>Apalis flavida</i>
Black-capped Apalis	<i>Apalis nigriceps</i>
Sharpe's Apalis	<i>Apalis sharpii</i>
Oriole Warbler	<i>Hypergerus atriceps</i>
Grey-backed Camaroptera	<i>Camaroptera brevicaudata</i>
Yellow-browed Camaroptera	<i>Camaroptera superciliaris</i>
Olive-green Camaroptera	<i>Camaroptera chloronota</i>
Black-headed Rufous Warbler	<i>Bathmocercus cerviniventris</i>
Yellow-bellied Eremomela	<i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>
Senegal Eremomela	<i>Eremomela pusilla</i>
Rufous-crowned Eremomela	<i>Eremomela badiceps</i>

### Fulvetas, Ground Bblers (Pellorneidae)

Blackcap Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis cleaveri</i>
Rufous-winged Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis rufescens</i>
Puvel's Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis puveli</i>
Pale-breasted Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis rufipennis</i>
Brown Illadopsis	<i>Illadopsis fulvescens</i>



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### Laughingthrushes (Leiothrichidae)

Capuchin Babbler	<i>Phyllanthus atripennis</i>
Blackcap Babbler	<i>Turdoides reinwardtii</i>
Brown Babbler	<i>Turdoides plebejus</i>

### Sylviid Babblers (Sylviidae)

Eurasian Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>
Garden Warbler	<i>Sylvia borin</i>
Common Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>

### White-eyes (Zosteropidae)

African Yellow White-eye	<i>Zosterops senegalensis</i>
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### Hyliotas (Hylotiidae)

Yellow-bellied Hyliota	<i>Hyliota flavigaster</i>
Violet-backed Hyliota	<i>Hyliota violacea</i>

### Treecreepers (Certhiidae)

African Spotted Creeper	<i>Salpornis salvadori</i>
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### Starlings, Rhabdornis (Sturnidae)

Wattled Starling (Rare)	<i>Creatophora cinerea</i>
Copper-tailed Starling	<i>Hypopsar cupreocauda</i>
Greater Blue-eared Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chalybaeus</i>
Lesser Blue-eared Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chloropterus</i>
Bronze-tailed Starling	<i>Lamprotornis chalcurus</i>
Splendid Starling	<i>Lamprotornis splendidus</i>
Purple Starling	<i>Lamprotornis purpureus</i>
Long-tailed Glossy Starling	<i>Lamprotornis caudatus</i>
Chestnut-bellied Starling	<i>Lamprotornis pulcher</i>
Violet-backed Starling	<i>Cinnyricinclus leucogaster</i>
Chestnut-winged Starling	<i>Onychognathus fulgidus</i>
Narrow-tailed Starling	<i>Poeoptera lugubris</i>

### Oxpeckers (Buphagidae)

Yellow-billed Oxpecker	<i>Buphagus africanus</i>
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### Thrushes (Turdidae)

White-tailed Ant Thrush	<i>Neocossyphus poensis</i>
Finsch's Rufous Thrush	<i>Stizorhina finschi</i>
Grey Ground Thrush	<i>Geokichla princei</i>
African Thrush	<i>Turdus pelios</i>

### Chats, Old World Flycatchers (320) (Muscicapidae)

White-tailed Alethe	<i>Alethe diademata</i>
Forest Scrub Robin	<i>Cercotrichas leucosticta</i>



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Rufous-tailed Scrub Robin (Rare)	<i>Cercotrichas galactotes</i>
Fraser's Forest Flycatcher	<i>Fraseria ocreata</i>
White-browed Forest Flycatcher	<i>Fraseria cinerascens</i>
Grey-throated Tit-Flycatcher	<i>Myioparus griseigularis</i>
Grey Tit-Flycatcher	<i>Myioparus plumbeus</i>
Nimba Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis annamarulae</i>
Northern Black Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis edolioides</i>
Pale Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis pallidus</i>
Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>
Gambaga Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa gambagae</i>
Ashy Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa caerulescens</i>
Swamp Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa aquatica</i>
Cassin's Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa cassini</i>
Olivaceous Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa olivascens</i>
Little Grey Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa epulata</i>
Dusky-blue Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa comitata</i>
Tessmann's Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa tessmanni</i>
Ussher's Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa ussheri</i>
Brown-chested Alethe	<i>Pseudaethe poliocephala</i>
Blue-shouldered Robin-Chat	<i>Cossypha cyanocampter</i>
Snowy-crowned Robin-Chat	<i>Cossypha niveicapilla</i>
White-crowned Robin-Chat	<i>Cossypha albicapillus</i>
Forest Robin	<i>Stiphronis erythrothorax</i>
Lowland Akalat	<i>Sheppardia cyornithopsis</i>
Bluethroat	<i>Luscinia svecica</i>
Common Nightingale	<i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i>
European Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>
Common Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>
Common Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola saxatilis</i>
Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>
Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>
White-crowned Cliff Chat	<i>Thamnolaea coronata</i>
Northern Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>
Heuglin's Wheatear (Rare)	<i>Oenanthe heuglini</i>
White-fronted Black Chat	<i>Oenanthe albifrons</i>
Familiar Chat	<i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>

### Sunbirds (Nectariniidae)

Fraser's Sunbird	<i>Deleornis fraseri</i>
Mangrove Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes gabonicus</i>
Western Violet-backed Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes longuemarei</i>
Little Green Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes seimundi</i>
Grey-chinned Sunbird	<i>Anthreptes rectirostris</i>
Collared Sunbird	<i>Hedydipna collaris</i>
Pygmy Sunbird	<i>Hedydipna platura</i>
Reichenbach's Sunbird	<i>Anabathmis reichenbachii</i>
Green-headed Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra verticalis</i>



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Blue-throated Brown Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra cyanoaema</i>
Olive Sunbird	<i>Cyanomitra olivacea</i>
Buff-throated Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra adelberti</i>
Carmelite Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra fuliginosa</i>
Scarlet-chested Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra senegalensis</i>
Olive-bellied Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris chloropygius</i>
Tiny Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris minullus</i>
Beautiful Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris pulchellus</i>
Splendid Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris coccinigastrus</i>
Johanna's Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris johannae</i>
Superb Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris superbus</i>
Variable Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris venustus</i>
Bates's Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris batesi</i>
Copper Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris cupreus</i>

### Old World Sparrows, Snowfinches (Passeridae)

Chestnut-crowned Sparrow-Weaver	<i>Plocepasser superciliosus</i>
Northern Grey-headed Sparrow	<i>Passer griseus</i>
Bush Petronia	<i>Gymnoris dentata</i>

### Weavers, Widowbirds (Ploceidae)

White-billed Buffalo Weaver	<i>Bubalornis albirostris</i>
Speckle-fronted Weaver	<i>Sporopipes frontalis</i>
Thick-billed Weaver	<i>Amblyospiza albifrons</i>
Slender-billed Weaver	<i>Ploceus pelzelni</i>
Little Weaver	<i>Ploceus luteolus</i>
Black-necked Weaver	<i>Ploceus nigricollis</i>
Orange Weaver	<i>Ploceus aurantius</i>
Heuglin's Masked Weaver	<i>Ploceus heuglini</i>
Vitelline Masked Weaver	<i>Ploceus vitellinus</i>
Village Weaver	<i>Ploceus cucullatus</i>
Vieillot's Black Weaver	<i>Ploceus nigerrimus</i>
Black-headed Weaver	<i>Ploceus melanocephalus</i>
Yellow-mantled Weaver	<i>Ploceus tricolor</i>
Maxwell's Black Weaver	<i>Ploceus albinucha</i>
Compact Weaver	<i>Ploceus superciliosus</i>
Preuss's Weaver	<i>Ploceus preussi</i>
Red-vented Malimbe	<i>Malimbus scutatus</i>
Blue-billed Malimbe	<i>Malimbus nitens</i>
Red-headed Malimbe	<i>Malimbus rubricollis</i>
Crested Malimbe	<i>Malimbus malimbicus</i>
Red-headed Weaver	<i>Anaplectes rubriceps</i>
Red-headed Quelea	<i>Quelea erythrops</i>
Red-billed Quelea	<i>Quelea quelea</i>
Yellow-crowned Bishop	<i>Euplectes afer</i>
Black-winged Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes hordeaceus</i>
Northern Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes franciscanus</i>



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Yellow-mantled Widowbird

*Euplectes macroua*

Red-collared Widowbird

*Euplectes ardens*

### Waxbills, Munias and allies (Estrildidae)

Red-fronted Antpecker

*Parmoptila rubrifrons*

White-breasted Nigrita

*Nigrita fusconotus*

Chestnut-breasted Nigrita

*Nigrita bicolor*

Pale-fronted Nigrita

*Nigrita luteifrons*

Grey-headed Nigrita

*Nigrita canicapillus*

Grey-headed Oliveback

*Nesocharis capistrata*

Red-winged Pytilia

*Pytilia phoenicoptera*

Yellow-winged Pytilia

*Pytilia hypogrammica*

Green-winged Pytilia (Rare)

*Pytilia melba*

Cut-throat Finch

*Amadina fasciata*

Green Twinspot

*Mandingoa nitidula*

Black-bellied Seedcracker

*Pyrenestes ostrinus*

Western Bluebill

*Spermophaga haematina*

Black-bellied Firefinch

*Lagonosticta rara*

Bar-breasted Firefinch

*Lagonosticta rufopicta*

Red-billed Firefinch

*Lagonosticta senegala*

African Firefinch

*Lagonosticta rubricata*

Black-faced Firefinch

*Lagonosticta larvata*

Red-cheeked Cordon-bleu

*Uraeginthus bengalus*

Lavender Waxbill

*Estrilda caerulescens*

Orange-cheeked Waxbill

*Estrilda melpoda*

Black-rumped Waxbill

*Estrilda troglodytes*

Common Waxbill

*Estrilda astrild*

Orange-breasted Waxbill

*Amandava subflava*

Quailfinch

*Ortygospiza atricollis*

African Silverbill

*Euodice cantans*

Bronze Mannikin

*Lonchura cucullata*

Black-and-white Mannikin

*Lonchura bicolor*

Magpie Mannikin

*Lonchura fringilloides*

### Indigobirds, Whydahs (Viduidae)

Village Indigobird

*Vidua chalybeata*

Jambandu Indigobird

*Vidua raricola*

Barka Indigobird

*Vidua larvaticola*

Wilson's Indigobird

*Vidua wilsoni*

Quailfinch Indigobird

*Vidua nigeriae*

Cameroon Indigobird

*Vidua camerunensis*

Pin-tailed Whydah

*Vidua macroua*

Exclamatory Paradise Whydah

*Vidua interjecta*

Togo Paradise Whydah

*Vidua togoensis*

Cuckoo-finch

*Anomalospiza imberbis*

### Wagtails, Pipits (Motacillidae)



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Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>
Mountain Wagtail	<i>Motacilla clara</i>
White Wagtail (Rare)	<i>Motacilla alba</i>
African Pied Wagtail	<i>Motacilla aguimp</i>
Yellow-throated Longclaw	<i>Macronyx croceus</i>
Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>
Long-billed Pipit	<i>Anthus similis</i>
Plain-backed Pipit	<i>Anthus leucophrys</i>
Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>
Red-throated Pipit	<i>Anthus cervinus</i>
<b>Finches (Fringillidae)</b>	
White-rumped Seedeater	<i>Crithagra leucopygia</i>
Yellow-fronted Canary	<i>Crithagra mozambica</i>
West African Seedeater	<i>Crithagra canicapilla</i>
<b>Buntings, New World Sparrows and allies (Emberizidae)</b>	
Ortolan Bunting (Rare)	<i>Emberiza hortulana</i>
Gosling's Bunting	<i>Emberiza goslingi</i>
Golden-breasted Bunting (Rare)	<i>Emberiza flaviventris</i>
Brown-rumped Bunting	<i>Emberiza affinis</i>
Cabanis's Bunting	<i>Emberiza cabanisi</i>