

BIRD CHECKLIST OF AKAKI WETLAND

ORDER/FAMILY	NO.	VERNACULAR NAME	REMARKS
<i>Podicipedidae</i> - Grebs	1	Little Grebe	R
<i>Phalacrocoracidae</i> - Cormorants	2	White-necked Cormorant	R
	3	Long-tailed Cormorant	R
<i>Pelecanidae</i> - Pelicans	4	White Pelican	R /PM/AM?
	5	Pink-backed Pelican	R
<i>Ardeidae</i> - Herons, Egrets & Bitterns	6	Squacco Heron	R
	7	Cattle Egret	R
	8	Little egret	R
	9	Great White Egret	R
	10	Grey Heron	PM/R
	11	Black-headed Heron	R
<i>Ciconiidae</i> - Storks	12	Goliath Heron	R
	13	Yellow-billed Stork	R
<i>Threskiornithidae</i> - Ibises & Spoonbills	14	Marabou stork	R
	15	Glossy Ibis	PM/R
	16	Hadada	R
	17	Wattled Ibis	E* , R
	18	Sacred Ibis	R
<i>Phoenicopteridae</i> - Flamingos	19	Greater Flamingo	R?/AM/PM
	20	Lesser flamingo	AM
<i>Anatidae</i> - Ducks & Geese	21	Fulvous Whistling Duck	R/ AM
	22	Egyptian Goose	R
	23	Spur-winged goose	R
	24	Yellow-billed Duck	R
	25	European Wigeon	?
	26	Common Teal	?
	27	Pintail	?
	28	Hottentot Teal	R

	29	Gargeny	?
	30	Northern Shovler	?
	31	Tufted Duck	?
<i>Accipitridae</i> – Hawks, Eagles & Vultures	32	Black-shouldered Kite	R
	33	Yellow-billed/Black Kite	PM/R
	34	African Fish Eagle	R
	35	White-backed Vulture	R
	36	European Marsh Harrier	
	37	Pallid Harrier	
	38	Montagu's Harrier	
	39	Tawny Eagle	PM/R
	40	Imperial Eagle	
<i>Falconidae</i> - Falcons	41	Common Kestrel	PM/R
	42	Lanner Falcon	R
<i>Phasianidae</i> – Francolins, Quails	43	European/Common Quail	PM/R
<i>Rallidae</i> - Rails, Crakes & Coots	44	Rouget's Rail	E, R
	45	Common Moorhen	R
	46	Red-knobbed Coot	R
<i>Gruidae</i> - Cranes	47	Common Crane	
	48	Wattled Crane	R
	49	Nothern Crowned Crane	R
<i>Recurvirostridae</i> – Avocet, Stilt	50	Black-winged Stilt	R
	51	Avocet	PM/R
<i>Glareolidae</i> – Coursers, Pratincoles	52	Common Patincole	
<i>Charadriidae</i> - Plovers	53	Ringed Plover	
	54	Kittlitz's (Sand-) Plover	R
	55	Spur-winged Plover	R
	56	Black-winged Plover	R
<i>Scolopacidae</i> - Sandpipers	57	Black-tailed Godwit	
	58	Marsh Sandpiper	
	59	Green Sandpiper	
	60	Wood Sandpiper	

	61	Common Sandpiper	
	62	Little Stint	
	63	Ruff	
Family Sternidae ????	64	Gull-billed Tern	
	65	Whiskered Tern	
Columbidae – Pigeons, Doves	66	Speckled Pigeon	R
	67	White-collard Pigeon	E* , R
Alcedinidae - Kingfishers	68	Pied Kingfisher	R
Hirundinidae - Swallows, Martins	69	African Sand Martin	R
	70	Mosque Swallow	R
	71	African Rock Martin	PM/R
	72	Wire-tailed Swallow	R
	73	European Swallow	
Motacillidae - Wagtails, Pipits & Longclaws	74	Yellow Wagtail	
	75	White Wagtail	
	76	African Pied Wagtail	R
	77	Richard's Pipit	R
	78	Red-throated Pipit	
	79	Whinchat	
	80	Northern Wheatear	
	81	Pied Wheatear	
	82	Red-breasted Wheatear	R
	83	Isabelline Wheatear	
	84	White-winged Cliff Chat	E* , R
Sylviidae - warblers	85	Willow Warbler	
	86	Greater Black-backed/Winding Cisticola	R
Corvidae - Crows & Ravens	87	Pied Crow	R
	88	Black Crow/Cape Rook?	R
Sturnidae - Starlings	89	Grey-headed Sparrow	R
Estrildidae - Waxbills and Finches	90	Common Waxbill	R
	91	Quail Finch	R

Viduidae - Indigobirds & Widows/Whydahs?	92	Village Indigobird	R
	93	Cinnamon-breasted Rock Bunting	R

NOTE: E = Endemic Species; E* = Endemic Species shared with Eritrea; R = Resident; PM = Palearctic migrant; AM = Intra-African migrant; PM/R = Palearctic migrants with resident subspecies in Ethiopia;

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