



CHECKLIST OF CHRISTMAS ISLAND BIRDS

English Name	Status	Sighting/Comments	English Name	Status	Sighting/Comments
Feral Chicken	IN		Malayan Night Heron	V	
Garganey	V		Glossy Ibis	V	
Hardhead	V		White-bellied Sea-Eagle	V	
Red-tailed Tropicbird	BR		Oriental Honey-Buzzard	V	
White-tailed Tropicbird	ESS		Christmas Is. Goshawk	ESS	
Savannah Nightjar	V		Peregrine Falcon	V	
Christmas Isl. Glossy Swiftlet	ESS		Nankeen Kestrel	BR	
White-throated Needletail	V		Baillon's Crake	V	
House Swift	V		Ruddy-breasted Crake	V	
Fork-tailed Swift	V		White-breasted waterhen	BR	
Red Collared Dove	V		Watercock	V	
Emerald Dove	ESS		Black-tailed Native-hen	V	
Christmas Isl. Imperial Pigeon	ES		Eurasian Coot	V	
Pied Imperial Pigeon	V		Sooty Oystercatcher	V	
Matsudaria's Storm-Petrel	V		Black-winged Stilt	V	
White-faced Storm Petrel	V		Grey Plover	V	
Barau's Petrel	V		Pacific Golden Plover	RV	
Bulwer's Petrel	V		Kentish Plover	V	
Wedge-tailed Shearwater	V		Little Ringed Plover	V	
Antarctic Prion	V		Lesser Sand Plover	V	
Great Frigatebird	ESS		Greater Sand Plover	V	
Lesser Frigatebird	BR		Oriental Plover	V	
Christmas Is. Frigatebird	ES		Masked Lapwing	V	
Abbott's Booby	ES		Pin-tailed Snipe	V	
Red-footed Booby	BR		Swinhoe's Snipe	V	
Brown Booby	BR		Bar-tailed Godwit	V	
Little Black Cormorant	V		Little Curlew	V	
Great Cormorant	V		Whimbrel	V	
Australian Pelican	V		Common Redshank	V	
Cinnamon Bittern	V		Marsh Sandpiper	V	
Schrenck's Bittern	V		Common Greenshank	V	
Black Bittern	V		Wood Sandpiper	V	
Yellow Bittern	V		Terek Sandpiper	V	
White-faced Heron	BM		Common Sandpiper	RV	
Pied Heron	V		Grey-tailed Tattler	V	
Little Egret	V		Ruddy Turnstone	RV	
Eastern Reef Egret	BM		Red-necked Stint	V	
Eastern Great Egret	RV		Long-toed Stint	V	
Intermediate Egret	V		Great Knot	V	
Cattle Egret	V		Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	V	
Striated Heron	V		Curlew Sandpiper	V	
Chinese Pond Heron	V		Sanderling	V	
Javan Pond Heron	V		Red-necked Phalarope	V	
Nankeen Night Heron	RV		Grey Phalarope	V	

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Oriental Pratincole	V		Collared Kingfisher	V	
Australian Pratincole	V		Dollarbird	V	
Brown Skua	V		Blue-Winged Pitta	V	
Arctic Jaeger	V		Fairy Pitta	V	
Common Noddy	BR		White bellied Cuckoo-shrike	V	
Lesser Noddy	V		Brown Shrike	V	
White Tern	V		Tiger Shrike	V	
Sooty Tern	V		Oriental Reed Warbler	V	
Asian Gull-billed Tern	V		Christmas Is. White-eye	ES	
Greater Crested Tern	V		Red-rumped Swallow	V	
Lesser Crested Tern	V		Barn Swallow	RV	
Common Tern	V		Tree Martin	V	
Little Tern	V		Asian House Martin	V	
Whiskered Tern	V		Blue & White Flycatcher	V	
White-winged Black Tern	V		Island Thrush	ES	
Mew Gull	V		Purple-backed Starline	V	
Asian Koel	V		Java Sparrow	IN	
Oriental Cuckoo	RV		Eurasian Tree Sparrow	IN	
Pallid Cuckoo	V		White Wagtail	V	
Large Hawk Cuckoo	NA		Eastern Yellow Wagtail	RV	
Horsfield's Bronze Cuckoo	V		Green-headed Wagtail	V	
Christmas Is. Hawk-owl	ES		Grey Wagtail	RV	
Common Kingfisher	V		Forest Wagtail	V	
Sacred Kingfisher	V				

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST

Sunda Teal	NA		Oriental Hobby	NA	
Brown-backed Needletail	NA		Rose-ringed Parakeet	ESC	
Silver-backed Needletail	NA		Drongo Cuckoo	NA	
Dark-rumped Swift	NA		Northern Wheatear	NA	
Edible/Black-nest Swiftlet	ID		Javan Myna	ESC	
Japanese Night Heron	V		Hill Myna	ESC	
Purple Heron	NA		Flowerpecker Sp	NA	
Chinese Sparrowhawk	NA		Tawny Pipit	NA	
Japanese Sparrowhawk	NA		Red-throated Pipit	NA	
Swamp Harrier	NA		Australasian Pipit	NA	

LEGEND: RV= Regular Visitor V= Vagrant ES=Endemic Species
ESS=Endemic Sub-species IN=Introduced ESC=Escapee
BR=Breeding Resident BM=Breeding Migrant ID=Indeterminate
NA=Not Accepted

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