

Appendix I. Summary of Bird Surveys Conducted

Table I1. Summary of bird species of conservation importance and/or wetland-dependence recorded in the Survey Area (excluding the WRA)

Species Name ⁽⁵⁾	Scientific Name ⁽⁵⁾	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾	October	
			Occurrence ⁽³⁾	Mean ⁽⁴⁾
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	LC, (1)	5	10.8
Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	PRC, (1)	4	2.4
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	PRC, (1)	5	7.2
Great Egret	<i>Egretta alba</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	5	18.4
Intermediate Egret	<i>Egretta intermedia</i>	RC, (1)	1	0.2
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	5	39.2
Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>	LC, (1)	1	1.2
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	5	11.8
Black-faced Spoonbill	<i>Platalea minor</i>	PGC, (1)	1	2.2
Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	RC, (1)	1	0.4
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	(1)	4	2.0
Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	(RC), (1)	2	4.6
Pied Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>	RC, (1)	1	9.6
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	(1)	1	1.0
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	(1)	3	2.0
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	(LC), (1)	1	0.2
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	(1)	5	2.6
Eastern Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i>	(1)	4	1.4
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	(1)	5	8.6
Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.2
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	LC, (1)	2	0.6
No. of Species Recorded			21	

- (1) Indicates wetland-dependant or wetland-associated species.
 (2) Conservation status follows that of Fellowes *et al.* (2002) and BirdLife International listing (2011).
 (3) Indicates number of surveys recorded within the reporting period.
 (4) Refers to the mean number of individuals recorded in the reporting period (excluding the WRA)
 (5) Follows HK bird list (dated 2013-2-25).

Table I2. Summary of bird species of conservation importance and/or wetland-dependence recorded in the WRA

Species Name ⁽⁵⁾	Scientific Name ⁽⁵⁾	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾	Oct 2013		Records Outside Surveys
			Occurrence ⁽³⁾	Mean ⁽⁴⁾	
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	LC, (1)	3	1.2	✓
Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	PRC, (1)	1	0.2	-
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	PRC, (1)	3	1.0	✓
Great Egret	<i>Egretta alba</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	2	0.6	✓
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	4	2.2	-
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	4	1.4	-
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	(LC), (1)	-	-	✓
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	LC, (1)	3	0.8	-
Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	RC, (1)	1	0.2	-
Japanses Quail	<i>Coturnix japonica</i>	LC, (1)	-	-	✓
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	(1)	3	0.8	✓
Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	(RC), (1)	1	0.2	-
Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	(LC), (1)	-	-	✓
Spotted Redshank	<i>Tringa erythropus</i>	RC, (1)	-	-	✓
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	(1)	1	1.0	-

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Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	-	-	-	✓
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	(1)	2	0.8	✓
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	(1)	2	1.0	✓
Eastern Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i>	(1)	2	0.4	✓
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	(1)	5	2.8	✓
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.2	-
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 (5) Follows HK bird list (dated 2013-02-25).
 (*) Eurasian Eagle Owl was observed at the boundary between the Wetland Restoration Area and the construction site of Wo Shang Wai.