

# 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 <sup>(5)</sup>	Scientific Name <sup>(5)</sup>	Conservation Status <sup>(2)</sup>	April 2014		Records outside surveys
			Occurrence <sup>(3)</sup>	Mean <sup>(4)</sup>	
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	LC, (1)	5	3.6	✓
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	PRC, (1)	1	0.2	
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	5	3.0	✓
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	5	23.2	✓
Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>	LC, (1)	2	9.0	✓
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	5	7.0	✓
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	(LC), (1)	1	0.2	✓
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	(1)	3	0.6	✓
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	(1)	2	0.6	
Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	(LC), (1)	1	0.2	
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	(1)	3	0.8	
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	(LC), (1)	1	0.2	
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	(1)	5	2.6	✓
Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	(1)	1	0.2	
Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.2	
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	(LC), (1)	2	0.4	✓
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	(1)	5	2.4	✓
Eastern Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i>	(1)	5	5.8	✓
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	(1)	5	7.4	✓
Richard's Pipit	<i>Anthus richardi</i>	(1)	4	1.6	✓
Red-billed Starling	<i>Spodiopsar sericeus</i>	(1)	2	0.8	✓
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	LC, (1)	3	1.6	
<b>No. of Species Recorded</b>			<b>22</b>		

- (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 2013-8-24).

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

Species Name <sup>(5)</sup>	Scientific Name <sup>(5)</sup>	Conservation Status <sup>(2)</sup>	April 2014		Records outside surveys
			Occurrence <sup>(3)</sup>	Mean <sup>(4)</sup>	
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	LC, (1)	5	2.4	✓
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	1	0.2	✓
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	4	3.2	✓
Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>	LC, (1)	1	1.6	
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	3	1.0	✓
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	LC, (1)	-	-	✓

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Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	RC, (1)	2	0.4	✓
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	,(1)	1	0.2	✓
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	,(1)	1	0.2	✓
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	,(1)	1	0.2	✓
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	,(1)	4	1.0	✓
Eastern Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i>	,(1)	1	0.2	✓
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	,(1)	3	1.6	✓
Richard's Pipit	<i>Anthus richardi</i>	,(1)	5	3.0	✓
Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.2	✓
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	LC, (1)	3	0.8	
<b>No. of Species Recorded</b>				<b>16</b>	

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 (3) Indicates number of surveys recorded within the reporting period.  
 (4) Refers to the mean number of individuals recorded in the reporting period at WRA.  
 (5) Follows HK bird list (dated 2013-08-24).