

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⁾	August 2014		Records outside surveys
			Occurrence ⁽³⁾	Mean ⁽⁴⁾	
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	LC, (1)	4	9.8	✓
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	4	2.0	✓
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	4	9.5	✓
Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>	LC, (1)	2	1.0	
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	4	17.0	✓
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	(LC), (1)	1	0.3	✓
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.3	✓
Ferruginous Duck	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>	(1)	-	-	✓
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	(1)	4	1.3	✓
Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>	(1)	1	0.3	
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	(1)	1	0.5	✓
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	(1)	1	0.3	✓
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	(1)	3	1.3	✓
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	(LC), (1)	2	0.8	✓
White-throated Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.3	
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	(1)	3	2.8	✓
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	(1)	4	4.0	✓
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	LC, (1)	1	0.5	
No. of Species Recorded			18		

- (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 ⁽⁵⁾	Scientific Name ⁽⁵⁾	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾	August 2014		Records outside surveys
			Occurrence ⁽³⁾	Mean ⁽⁴⁾	
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	LC, (1)	4	1.8	✓
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	-	-	✓
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	3	1.3	✓
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	PRC, (RC), (1)	3	1.5	✓
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	LC, (1)	2	0.8	✓
Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	LC	-	-	✓
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	(1)	2	0.5	✓
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	(1)	-	-	✓
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	(LC), (1)	1	0.3	
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	(1)	1	0.3	✓

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Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	(1)	3	1.3	✓
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	(1)	3	1.8	✓
White-shouldered Starling	<i>Sturnia sinensis</i>	(LC), (1)	-	-	✓
No. of Species Recorded				13	

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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).