

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 ⁽¹⁾	Scientific Name ⁽¹⁾	Wetland Dependence	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾	Jul 2023 Occurrence ⁽³⁾	Jul 2023 Mean ⁽⁴⁾	Records outside surveys ⁽⁵⁾
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Y	LC	4	8.3	0
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	Y	PRC	1	0.5	0
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)	4	6.5	0
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)	4	11.8	0
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)	4	11.5	0
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)	3	1.5	0
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Y	(LC)	3	2.3	V
Black Kite#	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	Y	Class II, (RC)	3	2.0	0
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amauornis phoenicurus</i>	Y	-	4	2.8	0
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Y	-	1	0.8	0
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	Y	(LC)	3	1.5	0
White-throated Kingfisher#	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>	Y	Class II, (LC)	1	0.5	0
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Y	-	3	1.0	0
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	Y	-	4	4.0	0
White-shouldered Starling	<i>Sturnia sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)	3	4.0	0
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	Y	LC, NT	1	0.3	0
No. of species recorded:				16		

Note:

- (1) Follows HK bird list (dated 2020-03).
- (2) Conservation status follows that of Fellowes *et al.* (2002) and BirdLife International listing (2017). Letters in parentheses indicate that the assessment is on the basis of restrictedness in breeding and/or roosting sites rather than in general occurrence. (Fellowes *et al.* 2002)
- (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) Includes observations during other surveys and/or site visits.
- (6) Four regular surveys and four outside surveys were conducted.
- # Birds tagged with '#' are Category II protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection
- ## Birds tagged with '##' are Category I protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection
- V Indicates the species is recorded outside regular surveys

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

Species Name ⁽¹⁾	Scientific Name ⁽¹⁾	Wetland Dependence	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾	Jul 2023 Occurrence ⁽³⁾	Jul 2023 Mean ⁽⁴⁾	Records outside surveys ⁽⁵⁾
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Y	LC	2	0.5	0
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)	4	1.8	0
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)	3	1.5	0
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)	3	2.0	0
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)	4	2.5	0
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Y	(LC)	3	3.0	0
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	Y	-	4	3.0	0
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Y	-	1	0.3	0
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	Y	(LC)	1	1.0	0
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Y	-	3	1.5	0
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	Y	-	2	1.0	0
White-shouldered Starling	<i>Sturnia sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)	1	0.5	0
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	Y	LC, NT	2	0.5	0
No. of species recorded:			13			

Note:

(1) Follows HK bird list (dated 2020-03).

(2) Conservation status follows that of Fellowes *et al.* (2002) and BirdLife International listing (2017). Letters in parentheses indicate that the assessment is on the basis of restrictedness in breeding and/or roosting sites rather than in general occurrence. (Fellowes *et al.* 2002)

(3) Indicates number of surveys recorded within the reporting period.

(4) Refers to the mean number of individuals recorded in the reporting period in the WRA.

(5) Includes observations during other surveys and/or site visits.

(6) Four regular surveys and 16 outside surveys were conducted

Birds tagged with '#' are Category II protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection

Birds tagged with '##' are Category I protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection

V Indicates the species is recorded outside regular surveys

Table I3: Summary of bird species recorded in the Survey Area (excluding the WRA) during the reporting month

Species Name ⁽¹⁾	Scientific Name ⁽¹⁾	Wetland Dependence	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Y	LC
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	Y	PRC
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)

Species Name ⁽¹⁾	Scientific Name ⁽¹⁾	Wetland Dependence	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Y	(LC)
Black Kite#	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	Y	Class II, (RC)
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	Y	-
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Y	-
Spotted Dove	<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>	N	-
Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	N	-
Asian Koel	<i>Eudynamys scolopaceus</i>	N	-
Greater Coucal#	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>	N	Class II
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	Y	(LC)
White-throated Kingfisher#	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>	Y	Class II, (LC)
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Y	-
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	N	-
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	Y	-
Red-whiskered Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>	N	-
Light-vented Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus sinensis</i>	N	-
Long-tailed Shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>	N	-
Oriental Magpie Robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	N	-
Masked Laughingthrush	<i>Garrulax perspicillatus</i>	N	-
Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>	N	-
Yellow-bellied Prinia	<i>Prinia flaviventris</i>	N	-
Plain Prinia	<i>Prinia inornata</i>	N	-
Japanese Tit	<i>Parus minor</i>	N	-
Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	N	-
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>	N	-
Black-collared Starling	<i>Gracupica nigricollis</i>	N	-
White-shouldered Starling	<i>Sturnia sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)
Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	N	-
Crested Myna	<i>Acridotheres cristatellus</i>	N	-
Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>	N	-
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	Y	LC, NT
No. of species recorded:		36	

Note:

(1) Follows HK bird list (dated 2020-03)

(2) Conservation status follows that of Fellowes *et al.* (2002) and BirdLife International listing (2017). Letters in parentheses indicate that the assessment is on the basis of restrictedness in breeding and/or roosting sites rather than in general occurrence. (Fellowes *et al.* 2002)

(3) Four regular surveys and four outside surveys were conducted

Birds tagged with '#' are Category II protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection.

Birds tagged with '##' are Category I protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection

Table I4: Summary of bird species recorded in the WRA during the reporting month

Species Name ⁽¹⁾	Scientific Name ⁽¹⁾	Wetland Dependence	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Y	LC
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	Y	PRC, (RC)
Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)

Species Name ⁽¹⁾	Scientific Name ⁽¹⁾	Wetland Dependence	Conservation Status ⁽²⁾
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Y	(LC)
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	Y	-
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Y	-
Spotted Dove	<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>	N	-
Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	N	-
Asian Koel	<i>Eudynamis scolopaceus</i>	N	-
Greater Coucal#	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>	N	Class II
Asian Barred Owlet#	<i>Glaucidium cuculoides</i>	N	Class II
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	Y	(LC)
Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Y	-
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	N	-
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	Y	-
Red-whiskered Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>	N	-
Light-vented Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus sinensis</i>	N	-
Long-tailed Shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>	N	-
Oriental Magpie Robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	N	-
Masked Laughingthrush	<i>Garrulax perspicillatus</i>	N	-
Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>	N	-
Yellow-bellied Prinia	<i>Prinia flaviventris</i>	N	-
Plain Prinia	<i>Prinia inornata</i>	N	-
Cinereous Tit	<i>Parus cinereus</i>	N	-
Swinhoe's White-eye	<i>Zosterops simplex</i>	N	-
Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	N	-
Black-collared Starling	<i>Gracupica nigricollis</i>	N	-
White-shouldered Starling	<i>Sturnia sinensis</i>	Y	(LC)
Crested Myna	<i>Acridotheres cristatellus</i>	N	-
Azure-winged Magpie	<i>Cyanopica cyanus</i>	N	-
Red-billed Blue Magpie	<i>Urocissa erythrorhyncha</i>	N	-
Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>	N	-
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	Y	LC, NT
No. of species recorded:		35	

Note:

(1) Follows HK bird list (dated 2020-03)

(2) Conservation status follows that of Fellowes *et al.* (2002) and BirdLife International listing (2017). Letters in parentheses indicate that the assessment is on the basis of restrictedness in breeding and/or roosting sites rather than in general occurrence. (Fellowes *et al.* 2002)

(3) Four regular surveys and 16 outside surveys were conducted

Birds tagged with '#' are Category II protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection.

Birds tagged with '##' are Category I protected under terrestrial wildlife state protection