

Appendix 10.3a Bird species recorded in the Assessment Area

Common names	Scientific names	Project Site	Assessment Area (excluding Project Site)						Commonness & Distribution ¹	Conservation status ^{1, 2}
			PL	DA	SW	WL	SS	CL		
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>			+					Common resident and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): (LC)
Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	+			+				Common resident. Widely distributed in Hong Kong.	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): PRC, (RC)
Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>	+	+						Resident and common passage migrant; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): (LC)
Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>						+		Common resident and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): PRC, (RC)
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	+			+		+		Common resident; Widely distributed in coastal area throughout Hong Kong	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): RC
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>				+				Common winter visitor; Found in Deep Bay area, Starling Inlet, Kowloon Park, Cape D'Aguilar	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): PRC

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Crested Goshawk	<i>Accipiter trivirgatus</i>							+	Uncommon resident; Widely distributed in woodlands and shrublands throughout Hong Kong	Class 2 Protected Animal of China; China Red Data Book Status: (Rare); Appendix 2 of CITES
Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	++	+	++					Common resident and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Appendix 2 of CITES; Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): RC
Eastern Buzzard	<i>Buteo japonicus</i>			+					Common winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Appendix 2 of CITES
Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>			+					Common autumn migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Class 2 Protected Animal of China; Appendix 2 of CITES
Eurasian Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>		+						Uncommon passage migrant; Widely distributed in marshes, agricultural land and lightly wooded hills throughout Hong Kong	Class 2 Protected Animal of China; Appendix 2 of CITES; Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): LC

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			PL	DA	SW	WL	SS	CL		
White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amauornis phoenicurus</i>							+	Common resident; Widely distributed in wetland throughout Hong Kong	
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>							+	Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in wetland area throughout Hong Kong	
Domestic Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>			+++					Common resident; Widely distributed in urban area throughout Hong Kong	
Oriental Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>		+						Common winter visitor and passage migrant; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Spotted Dove	<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>	++	+	++					Abundant resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Greater Coucal	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>	+	+						Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	Class 2 Protected Animal of China; China Red Data Book Status: (Vulnerable)

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			PL	DA	SW	WL	SS	CL		
Asian Koel	<i>Eudynamys scolopaceus</i>	+		+					Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Large Hawk Cuckoo	<i>Hierococcyx sparveroides</i>	+				+			Common passage migrant and summer visitor; Widely distributed in woodland throughout in Hong Kong	
Indian Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus micropterus</i>	+				+			Uncommon summer visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
House Swift	<i>Apus nipalensis</i>		+	++					Abundant spring migrant and locally common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Grey-chinned Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus solaris</i>	+	+			+			Common in winter, scarce in summer; Found in Tai Po Kau, Shing Mun, Ho Chung, Kadoorie Farm and Botanic Garden, Tung Ping Chau	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): LC

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Long-tailed Shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>	+		+	+				Common resident; Widely distributed in open areas throughout Hong Kong	
Black Drongo	<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>	++	+	+	+			+	Common summer visitor; Widely distributed in open area throughout Hong Kong	
Hair-crested Drongo	<i>Dicrurus hottentottus</i>	+			+				Common passage migrant and summer visitor; Widely distributed in wooded area throughout Hong Kong	
Red-billed Blue Magpie	<i>Urocissa erythroryncha</i>	+	+	+					Common resident; Widely distributed in woodland edges throughout Hong Kong	
Eurasian Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>	+		++	+			+	Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Collared Crow	<i>Corvus torquatus</i>	+		++					Uncommon resident; Found in Inner Deep Bay area, Nam Chung, Kei Ling Ha, Tai Mei Tuk, Pok Fu Lam, Chek	IUCN Red List Status: NT; Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): LC

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Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>	+	+					+	Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Cinereous Tit	<i>Parus cinereus</i>	++	+						Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Red-whiskered Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>	+	+				+		Abundant resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Chinese Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus sinensis</i>	++					+		Abundant resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Sooty-headed Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus aurigaster</i>	+					+		Uncommon resident; Widely distributed in open areas throughout Hong Kong	
Chestnut Bulbul	<i>Hemixos castanonotus</i>							+	Common resident and winter visitor; Widely distributed in woodland throughout Hong Kong	

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Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>		+						Abundant passage migrant and summer visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Mountain Tailorbird	<i>Phyllergates cuculatus</i>		+						Uncommon resident; Found in Ng Tung Chai, Cheung Sheung, Tai Po Kau, Bride's Pool	
Dusky Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus fuscatus</i>	+				+			Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in shrubland and waterside vegetation throughout Hong Kong	
Pallas's Leaf Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus proregulus</i>		+	+					Common winter visitor; Found in woodland throughout Hong Kong	
Yellow-browed Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i>	+	+						Common winter visitor; Found in woodland throughout Hong Kong	

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Arctic Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus borealis</i>	+	+						Common passage migrant; Widely distributed in woodland throughout Hong Kong	
Eastern Crowned Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus coronatus</i>						+		Uncommon passage migrant; Widely distributed in shrubland and woodland throughout Hong Kong	
Yellow-bellied Prinia	<i>Prinia flaviventris</i>	+							Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Plain Prinia	<i>Prinia inornata</i>	+				+			Common resident; Widely distributed in grassland throughout Hong Kong	
Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>	+	+				+		Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Rufous-capped Babbler	<i>Stachyridopsis ruficeps</i>		+						Uncommon resident; Found in Shing Mun, Tai Po Kau, Tai Mek Tuk, Ng Tung Chai, Fo Tan, Tai Mo Shan, The	Fellowes <i>et al.</i> (2002): LC

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									Peak and Kadoorie Agricultural Research Centre	
Chinese Hwamei	<i>Garrulax canorus</i>		+						Common resident; Widely distributed in hillside shrubland throughout Hong Kong	Appendix 2 of CITES
Masked Laughingthrush	<i>Garrulax perspicillatus</i>	+	+	+				++	Abundant resident; Widely distributed in shrubland throughout Hong Kong	
Japanese White-eye	<i>Zosterops japonicus</i>	+		+					Abundant resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Crested Myna	<i>Acridotheres cristatellus</i>	+	+	+					Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Black-collared Starling	<i>Gracupica nigricollis</i>	+	++				+		Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Grey-backed Thrush	<i>Turdus hortulorum</i>	+	++						Common winter visitor; Widely distributed in woodland throughout Hong Kong	

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Japanese Thrush	<i>Turdus cardis</i>	+	+	+				+	Uncommon winter visitor; Widely distributed in woodland throughout Hong Kong	
Chinese Blackbird	<i>Turdus mandarinus</i>	+	+	+					Common winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Oriental Magpie Robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	+	+						Abundant resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Asian Brown Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa latirostris</i>	+							Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Siberian Rubythroat	<i>Calliope calliope</i>	+	+						Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Red-flanked Bluetail	<i>Tarsiger cyanurus</i>		+						Common winter visitor and passage migrant; Widely distributed in woodland throughout Hong Kong	

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Blue Whistling Thrush	<i>Myophonus caeruleus</i>	+		+					Common resident; Widely distributed in shrubland and woodland throughout Hong Kong	
Yellow-rumped Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula zanthopygia</i>		+						Uncommon passage migrant; Found in Mai Po, Pottinger Peak, Hong Kong University, Hatton Road	
Mugimaki Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula mugimaki</i>		+						Uncommon passage migrant; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Red-throated Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula albicilla</i>						+		Uncommon passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Daurian Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus aureus</i>				+				Common winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>				+				Uncommon passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely	

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									distributed in hillside grassland throughout Hong Kong	
Stejneger's Stonechat	<i>Saxicola stejnegeri</i>		+						Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in open cultivated fields throughout Hong Kong	
Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum cruentatum</i>						+		Common resident; Widely distributed in wooded area throughout Hong Kong	
Fork-tailed Sunbird	<i>Aethopyga christinae</i>		+	+		+		++	Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>	+		+					Abundant resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
White-rumped Munia	<i>Lonchura striata</i>			+				+	Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	+							Common resident; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	

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Eastern Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla tschutschensis</i>		+						Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in agricultural fields and marsh edges throughout Hong Kong	
Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>	+			+	+	+		Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in hill streams throughout Hong Kong	
White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	+	+						Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Richard's Pipit	<i>Anthus richardi</i>		+			+			Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	
Olive-backed Pipit	<i>Anthus hodgsoni</i>	++	+				+		Common passage migrant and winter visitor; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	

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Black-faced Bunting	<i>Emberiza spodocephala</i>							+	Common winter visitor and passage migrant; Widely distributed in Hong Kong	

PL= Plantation, DA = Developed Area, SW = Seawall, WL = Woodland, SS = Sandy Shore, CL=Cultivated Land

+++ = very common, ++ = common, + = uncommon

1: AFCD (2016) 2: Wang (1998).

Level of concern: LC = local concern, PRC = potential regional concern, RC = regional concern, GC = global concern; 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).