



**Western Cape Custom Tour
4 – 8 December 2017**

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Orange-breasted Sunbird – one of the five species of sunbirds seen on this trip

TOUR ITINERARY

Day 1 – Cape Town to Mudlark Riverfront Lodge
 Day 2 – Overberg
 Day 3 – Overberg to Tankwa Karoo
 Day 4 – Tankwa Karoo
 Day 5 – Tankwa Karoo to Cape Town

OVERNIGHT

Mudlark Riverfront Lodge, Infanta
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 Sothemba Lodge, Tankwa Karoo
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 N/A

HIGHLIGHTS

Bank and Crowned Cormorants, Black Stork, African Oystercatcher, Cape Gannet, Cape Vulture, Blue Crane, African Penguin, Damara Tern, Cape Spurrow, Grey-winged Francolin, Karoo Korhaan, Karoo Long-billed, Agulhas Long-billed, and Large-billed Larks, Eurasian Golden Oriole, Grey Tit, Karoo and Tractrac Chats, Namaqua, Layard's, Rufous-eared, and Victorin's Warblers, Fairy Flycatcher, Orange-breasted, Southern Double-collared, and Greater Double-collared Sunbirds, Cape Sugarbird, Black-headed Canary, Cape Siskin, Cinnamon-breasted Bunting

OVERVIEW

This private tour for was organized to try to photograph as many species as possible throughout the Western Cape region. The tour lasted five days and included time birding the Overberg and Tankwa Karoo regions.

Day 1 – 4 December 2017. Arrival in Cape Town, birding False Bay to Infanta

I fetched Bez from the airport around mid-morning, and despite having been traveling for the last 30 hours she was rearing to go and was not suffering from jetlag. We headed east to the small town of Rooiels. Upon arrival we realized that our task of finding Cape Rockjumper may be a difficult one, as the wind was blowing incredibly strongly. We did hear both **Cape Rockjumper** and **Ground Woodpecker** higher up on the slopes but unfortunately could not see the birds. Most other birds were also seeking shelter from the wind. However, we did find **Familiar Chat**, **Cape Bunting**, and **Cape Siskin**, while **Cape Bulbul**, **Malachite Sunbird**, and **Streaky-headed Seedeater** were seen in the gardens nearby.

We moved to a patch of fynbos which was slightly more sheltered from the wind, and here we had brief glimpses of **Victorin's Warbler** as well as a number of other more common species, including **Yellow Bishop** and **Karoo Prinia**.

Our next stop was the African Penguin colony at Stony Point in Betty's Bay. Many **African Penguins** were seen, some of which were in their artificial breeding burrows. We also saw **White-breasted**, **Cape**, **Crowned**, and **Bank Cormorants** breeding on the nearby rocks. A single **Cape Gannet** was seen just offshore. **African Oystercatcher** was also spotted on the rocks nearby, while in the adjacent scrub we found **Klaas's Cuckoo** and **Southern Grey-headed Sparrow**. We also managed to record a single male **Cape Rock Thrush** while driving through Betty's Bay.

From Betty's Bay we had the long drive east to Mudlark Riverfront Lodge near Infanta along the Breede River mouth, where we would be staying the next two nights. We passed through the wheat belt, which despite the monoculture had large numbers of birds present. We saw many **Red-capped** and **Large-billed Larks**, **Cape Crow**, **Capped Wheatear**, **Pied Starling**,

Bokmakierie, Southern Red Bishop, and Yellow Canary, while the larger, scarcer birds included **Denham's Bustard, Karoo Korhaan, and Blue Crane**.

After checking into Mudlark in the early evening we had a quick walk around the garden, which yielded **Fiscal Flycatcher, Cape Sugarbird, Southern Double-collared Sunbird, Cape Weaver, and Cape Bulbul**. The adjacent scrub and fields held **Crowned Lapwing, Cape Spurfowl, Grey-winged Francolin, Bokmakierie, Bar-throated Apalis, and Grey-backed Cisticola**.



Grey-winged Francolin

Day 2 – 5 December 2017. Birding Infanta and De Mond and De Hoop Nature Reserves

This morning saw us rising with the sun and out looking for Knysna Woodpecker and Southern Tchagra. Unfortunately the woodpecker would not show and would end up eluding us on this trip. However, we had multiple sightings of **Southern Tchagra**, along with **Spotted Thick-knee, Greater Striped Swallow, White-throated Canary, Namaqua Dove, Speckled Mousebird**, and surprisingly **Cinnamon-breasted Bunting**. A few Cape Hares were also seen on our early morning drive.

After breakfast we took a fairly long drive to De Mond Nature Reserve near Bredasdorp to target a few coastal waterbird species. En route to De Mond we found a **Secretarybird** striding through the grasslands, as well as many **Jackal Buzzards** and a pair of **Peregrine Falcons**. Our timing

was right for low tide at De Mond, and we soon racked up a bunch of wader and tern species. The diminutive **Damara Tern** was picked out among the thousands of **Common Terns**, with small numbers of **Greater Crested Terns**. **Common Ringed Plovers** were the most abundant wader around, with large numbers of **Little Stints**, **Curlew Sandpiper**, **Common Greenshank**, **Common Whimbrel**, and **White-fronted Plover**, as well as a single **Greater Sand Plover**.

We then made our way back east to De Hoop Nature Reserve. By this time the wind had again picked up and made things tricky. However, on the plains we managed great views of our target, **Agulhas Long-billed Lark**. Here we also saw Cape Mountain Zebra, Common Eland, and Chacma Baboon. We walked around the campsite hoping to find Knysna Woodpecker, which sadly did not play along. But we did find a pair of **Eurasian Golden Orioles** (a rare bird in the Western Cape), **Sombre Greenbul**, **Pearl-breasted Swallow**, and **Southern Boubou**. On the way back to Mudlark we stopped briefly at the Potberg section of the reserve and soon had a few **Cape Vultures** returning to their roost and, surprisingly, our first sighting of **Cape White-eye** for the trip.



Agulhas Long-billed Lark

Day 3 – 6 December 2017. Birding around Infanta, Malgas, and driving to Tankwa Karoo

Up early again the next morning when we birded a large pan near Mudlark. The birding here was great and we added **Cape Shoveler**, **Maccoa** and **Yellow-billed Ducks**, **Red-billed Teal**, **South African Shelduck**, **Black-crowned Night Heron**, **African Snipe**, **Ruff**, **Three-banded** and **Kittlitz's Plovers**, and **Marsh** and **Wood Sandpipers**, as well as **African Spoonbill**.

After breakfast we started the long drive north into the Tankwa Karoo. We stopped briefly at the village of Malgas, where we quickly added **African Paradise Flycatcher**, **Amethyst Sunbird**, **Lesser Honeyguide**, and a slightly out-of-range pair of **Greater Double-collared Sunbirds**.

A few hours later we arrived at Karooport on the edge of the Tankwa Karoo. In the acacia scrub we found **Pirit Batis**, **Acacia Pied Barbet**, **Namaqua** and **Rufous-vented Warblers**, **Fairy**

Flycatcher, White-backed Mousebird, and Olive Thrush. From here we made our way into the plains and rocky gorges of the Tankwa Karoo. **Mountain Wheatear, Long-billed Crombec,** and **Layard's Warbler** were seen at one of the rocky gorges, and **Karoo Chats** were common in the plains. After checking into our accommodation at Sothemba Lodge we spent the rest of the afternoon at Skitteryfloof. Here we saw **Levaillant's Cisticola** and **African Reed Warbler**; however, unfortunately, **Red-chested Flufftail** and **African Rail** would go on the heard-only list.

Day 4 – 7 December 2017. Tankwa Karoo and the Tankwa Karoo National Park

Before breakfast the next morning we birded Skitterykloof again to try for **Cinnamon-breasted Warbler**; we managed brief views but not enough to obtain photographs. **Pale-winged Starling** was seen flying distantly along the edge of the cliffs. A Klipspringer was also seen here, effortlessly moving along the rocky hill slope. We then made our way north toward the Tankwa Karoo National Park, frequently stopping en route to explore the plains. We came across a few groups of **Karoo Eremomela, Karoo and Spike-heeled Larks, Grey Tit, Rufous-eared Warbler,** and **Pale Chanting Goshawk** and heard a **Southern Black Korhaan** calling, but unfortunately could not find the bird. We birded a few of the acacia-lined river courses and found **Pirit Batis, Karoo Scrub Robin, Grey-backed Sparrow-Lark,** and **Yellow-vented Eremomela.** As we got into the national park we starting seeing more and more **Tractrac Chats,** and at a small koppie we found a pair of **Karoo Long-billed Larks.** In the desolate plains of the national park we saw a few Springbok and the strikingly patterned Gemsbok. The day ended with a night drive, with the highlights being **Freckled Nightjar** and Giant Ground Gecko.



Rufous-eared Warbler

Day 5 – 8 December 2017. Tankwa Karoo, Mitchell's Pass, Strandfontein Sewage Works

The morning was spent birding around the lodge, and we were lucky enough to find a female **Black-headed Canary** before breakfast. Straight after breakfast we left the Tankwa Karoo and spent some time birding Mitchell's Pass near Ceres. We didn't find Protea Canary but did see **Swee Waxbill**, **Orange-breasted Sunbird**, and **Black Stork** and **Booted Eagle** flying overhead. After the long drive back toward Cape Town we decided to have a couple of hours around Strandfontein Sewage Works before dropping Bez off in town to end the tour. Just outside of Strandfontein we found the invasive **House Crow**, which was busy building a nest. New birds at Strandfontein included **Cape Teal**, **Pied Avocet**, **Water Thick-knee**, **Greater** and **Lesser Flamingo**, **Great White Pelican**, **Glossy Ibis**, **Grey-headed Gull**, **Zitting Cisticola**, and an **African Marsh Harrier** quartering low above the reedbeds.

This ended an enjoyable five days photographing the Western Cape's bird life. The trip total ended with 186 bird species, plus five heard only.

WESTERN CAPE CUSTOM TOUR BIRD LIST DECEMBER 2017		
Bold = country endemic		
Status: NT = Near-threatened, VU = Vulnerable, EN = Endangered		
Common Name (IOC 7.3)	Scientific Name (IOC 7.3)	Trip
	STRUTHIONIFORMES	
<u>Ostriches</u>	<u>Struthionidae</u>	
Common Ostrich	<i>Struthio camelus</i>	1
	ANSERIFORMES	
<u>Ducks, Geese and Swans</u>	<u>Anatidae</u>	
Spur-winged Goose	<i>Plectropterus gambensis</i>	1
Egyptian Goose	<i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>	1
South African Shelduck	<i>Tadorna cana</i>	1
Cape Shoveler	<i>Spatula smithii</i>	1
African Black Duck	<i>Anas sparsa</i>	1
Yellow-billed Duck	<i>Anas undulata</i>	1
Cape Teal	<i>Anas capensis</i>	1
Red-billed Teal	<i>Anas erythrorhyncha</i>	1
Southern Pochard	<i>Netta erythrophthalma</i>	1
Maccoa Duck - NT	<i>Oxyura maccoa</i>	1
	GALLIFORMES	
<u>Guineafowl</u>	<u>Numididae</u>	
Helmeted Guineafowl	<i>Numida meleagris</i>	1
<u>Pheasants and allies</u>	<u>Phasianidae</u>	
Grey-winged Francolin	<i>Scleroptila afra</i>	1
Cape Spurfowl	<i>Pternistis capensis</i>	1
	SPHENISCIFORMES	

<u>Penguins</u>	<u>Spheniscidae</u>	
African Penguin - EN	<i>Spheniscus demersus</i>	1
	PODICIPEDIFORMES	
<u>Grebes</u>	<u>Podicipedidae</u>	
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	1
	PHOENICOPTERIFORMES	
<u>Flamingos</u>	<u>Phoenicopteridae</u>	
Greater Flamingo	<i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i>	1
Lesser Flamingo - NT	<i>Phoeniconaias minor</i>	1
	CICONIIFORMES	
<u>Storks</u>	<u>Ciconiidae</u>	
Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>	1
White Stork	<i>Ciconia ciconia</i>	1
	PELECANIFORMES	
<u>Ibises, Spoonbills</u>	<u>Threskiornithidae</u>	
African Sacred Ibis	<i>Threskiornis aethiopicus</i>	1
Hadada Ibis	<i>Bostrychia hagedash</i>	1
Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	1
African Spoonbill	<i>Platalea alba</i>	1
<u>Hérons, Bitterns</u>	<u>Ardeidae</u>	
Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	1
Western Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	1
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	1
Black-headed Heron	<i>Ardea melanocephala</i>	1
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	1
<u>Pelicans</u>	<u>Pelecanidae</u>	
Great White Pelican	<i>Pelecanus onocrotalus</i>	1
	SULIFORMES	
<u>Gannets, Boobies</u>	<u>Sulidae</u>	
Cape Gannet - VU	<i>Morus capensis</i>	1
<u>Cormorants, Shags</u>	<u>Phalacrocoracidae</u>	
Reed Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo africanus</i>	1
Crowned Cormorant - NT	<i>Microcarbo coronatus</i>	1
Bank Cormorant - EN	<i>Phalacrocorax neglectus</i>	1
White-breasted Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax lucidus</i>	1
Cape Cormorant - EN	<i>Phalacrocorax capensis</i>	1
	ACCIPITRIFORMES	
<u>Secretarybird</u>	<u>Sagittariidae</u>	
Secretarybird - VU	<i>Sagittarius serpentarius</i>	1

<u>Kites, Hawks and Eagles</u>	<u>Accipitridae</u>	
Black-winged Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	1
Cape Vulture - EN	<i>Gyps coprotheres</i>	1
Booted Eagle	<i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i>	1
Pale Chanting Goshawk	<i>Melierax canorus</i>	1
African Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus ranivorus</i>	1
Yellow-billed Kite	<i>Milvus aegyptius</i>	1
Common Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	1
Jackal Buzzard	<i>Buteo rufofuscus</i>	1
	OTIDIFORMES	
<u>Bustards</u>	<u>Otididae</u>	
Denham's Bustard - NT	<i>Neotis denhami</i>	1
Karoo Korhaan	<i>Eupodotis vigorsii</i>	1
Southern Black Korhaan	<i>Afrotis afra</i>	H
	GRUIFORMES	
<u>Flufftails</u>	<u>Sarothruridae</u>	
Red-chested Flufftail	<i>Sarothrura rufa</i>	H
<u>Rails, Crakes and Coots</u>	<u>Rallidae</u>	
African Rail	<i>Rallus caerulescens</i>	H
Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	1
Red-knobbed Coot	<i>Fulica cristata</i>	1
<u>Cranes</u>	<u>Gruidae</u>	
Blue Crane - VU	<i>Grus paradisea</i>	1
	CHARADRIIFORMES	
<u>Stone-curlews, Thick-knees</u>	<u>Burhinidae</u>	
Water Thick-knee	<i>Burhinus vermiculatus</i>	1
Spotted Thick-knee	<i>Burhinus capensis</i>	1
<u>Oystercatchers</u>	<u>Haematopodidae</u>	
African Oystercatcher - NT	<i>Haematopus moquini</i>	1
<u>Stilts, Avocets</u>	<u>Recurvirostridae</u>	
Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	1
Pied Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>	1
<u>Plovers</u>	<u>Charadriidae</u>	
Blacksmith Lapwing	<i>Vanellus armatus</i>	1
Crowned Lapwing	<i>Vanellus coronatus</i>	1
Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	1
Common Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	1
Kittlitz's Plover	<i>Charadrius pecuarius</i>	1
Three-banded Plover	<i>Charadrius tricollaris</i>	1

White-fronted Plover	<i>Charadrius marginatus</i>	1
Greater Sand Plover	<i>Charadrius leschenaultii</i>	1
<u>Sandpipers, Snipes</u>	<u>Scolopacidae</u>	
Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>	1
Ruff	<i>Calidris pugnax</i>	1
Curlew Sandpiper - NT	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	1
Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>	1
African Snipe	<i>Gallinago nigripennis</i>	1
Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>	1
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	1
Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	1
<u>Gulls, Terns and Skimmers</u>	<u>Laridae</u>	
Grey-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus</i>	1
Hartlaub's Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus hartlaubii</i>	1
Kelp Gull	<i>Larus dominicanus</i>	1
Caspian Tern	<i>Hydroprogne caspia</i>	1
Greater Crested Tern	<i>Thalasseus bergii</i>	1
Sandwich Tern	<i>Thalasseus sandvicensis</i>	1
Damara Tern - VU	<i>Sternula balaenarum</i>	1
Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	1
Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>	1
	<u>COLUMBIFORMES</u>	
<u>Pigeons, Doves</u>	<u>Columbidae</u>	
Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	1
Speckled Pigeon	<i>Columba guinea</i>	1
Red-eyed Dove	<i>Streptopelia semitorquata</i>	1
Ring-necked Dove	<i>Streptopelia capicola</i>	1
Laughing Dove	<i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i>	1
Namaqua Dove	<i>Oena capensis</i>	1
	<u>CUCULIFORMES</u>	
<u>Cuckoos</u>	<u>Cuculidae</u>	
Klaas's Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>	1
	<u>CAPRIMULGIFORMES</u>	
<u>Nightjars</u>	<u>Caprimulgidae</u>	
Freckled Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus tristigma</i>	1
	<u>APODIFORMES</u>	
<u>Swifts</u>	<u>Apodidae</u>	
Alpine Swift	<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>	1
African Black Swift	<i>Apus barbatus</i>	1

White-rumped Swift	<i>Apus caffer</i>	1
	COLIIFORMES	
Mousebirds	Coliidae	
Speckled Mousebird	<i>Colius striatus</i>	1
White-backed Mousebird	<i>Colius colius</i>	1
	CORACIIFORMES	
Kingfishers	Alcedinidae	
Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	1
	BUCEROTIFORMES	
Hoopoes	Upupidae	
African Hoopoe	<i>Upupa africana</i>	1
	PICIFORMES	
African Barbets	Lybiidae	
Acacia Pied Barbet	<i>Tricholaema leucomelas</i>	1
Honeyguides	Indicatoridae	
Lesser Honeyguide	<i>Indicator minor</i>	1
Woodpeckers	Picidae	
Ground Woodpecker	<i>Geocolaptes olivaceus</i>	H
	FALCONIFORMES	
Caracaras, Falcons	Falconidae	
Rock Kestrel	<i>Falco rupicolus</i>	1
Greater Kestrel	<i>Falco rupicoloides</i>	1
Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	1
	PASSERIFORMES	
Wattle-eyes, Batises	Platysteiridae	
Pirit Batis	<i>Batis pririt</i>	1
Bushshrikes	Malaconotidae	
Bokmakierie	<i>Telophorus zeylonus</i>	1
Southern Tchagra	<i>Tchagra tchagra</i>	1
Southern Boubou	<i>Laniarius ferrugineus</i>	1
Shrikes	Laniidae	
Southern Fiscal	<i>Lanius collaris</i>	1
Figbirds, Orioles	Oriolidae	
Eurasian Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>	1
Drongos	Dicruridae	
Square-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus ludwigii</i>	1
Monarchs	Monarchidae	
African Paradise Flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone viridis</i>	1
Crows, Jays	Corvidae	

House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>	1
Cape Crow	<i>Corvus capensis</i>	1
Pied Crow	<i>Corvus albus</i>	1
White-necked Raven	<i>Corvus albicollis</i>	1
<u>Rockjumpers</u>	<u>Chaetopidae</u>	
Cape Rockjumper	<i>Chaetops frenatus</i>	H
<u>Fairy Flycatchers</u>	<u>Stenostiridae</u>	
Fairy Flycatcher	<i>Stenostira scita</i>	1
<u>Tits, Chickadees</u>	<u>Paridae</u>	
Grey Tit	<i>Melaniparus afer</i>	1
<u>Larks</u>	<u>Alaudidae</u>	
Spike-heeled Lark	<i>Chersomanes albofasciata</i>	1
Karoo Long-billed Lark	<i>Certhilauda subcoronata</i>	1
Agulhas Long-billed Lark	<i>Certhilauda brevirostris</i>	1
Grey-backed Sparrow-Lark	<i>Eremopterix verticalis</i>	1
Karoo Lark	<i>Calendulauda albescens</i>	1
Large-billed Lark	<i>Galerida magnirostris</i>	1
Red-capped Lark	<i>Calandrella cinerea</i>	1
<u>Bulbuls</u>	<u>Pycnonotidae</u>	
Cape Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus capensis</i>	1
Sombre Greenbul	<i>Andropadus importunus</i>	1
<u>Swallows, Martins</u>	<u>Hirundinidae</u>	
Brown-throated Martin	<i>Riparia paludicola</i>	1
Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	1
White-throated Swallow	<i>Hirundo albigularis</i>	1
Pearl-breasted Swallow	<i>Hirundo dimidiata</i>	1
Rock Martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i>	1
Greater Striped Swallow	<i>Cecropis cucullata</i>	1
<u>Crombecs, African Warblers</u>	<u>Macrosphenidae</u>	
Long-billed Crombec	<i>Sylvietta rufescens</i>	1
Victorin's Warbler	<i>Cryptillas victorini</i>	1
<u>Reed Warblers and allies</u>	<u>Acrocephalidae</u>	
African Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus baeticatus</i>	1
<u>Cisticolas and allies</u>	<u>Cisticolidae</u>	
Grey-backed Cisticola	<i>Cisticola subruficapilla</i>	1
Levaillant's Cisticola	<i>Cisticola tinniens</i>	1
Neddicky	<i>Cisticola fulvicapilla</i>	1
Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	1
Karoo Prinia	<i>Prinia maculosa</i>	1

Namaqua Warbler	<i>Phragmacia substriata</i>	1
Bar-throated Apalis	<i>Apalis thoracica</i>	1
Rufous-eared Warbler	<i>Malcorus pectoralis</i>	1
Yellow-bellied Eremomela	<i>Eremomela icteropygialis</i>	1
Karoo Eremomela	<i>Eremomela gregalis</i>	1
<u>Sylviid Babblers</u>	<u>Sylviidae</u>	
Chestnut-vented Warbler	<i>Sylvia subcoerulea</i>	1
Layard's Warbler	<i>Sylvia layardi</i>	1
<u>White-eyes</u>	<u>Zosteropidae</u>	
Cape White-eye	<i>Zosterops virens</i>	1
<u>Sugarbirds</u>	<u>Promeropidae</u>	
Cape Sugarbird	<i>Promerops cafer</i>	1
<u>Starlings, Rhabdornis</u>	<u>Sturnidae</u>	
Common Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	1
Pied Starling	<i>Lamprotornis bicolor</i>	1
Red-winged Starling	<i>Onychognathus morio</i>	1
<u>Thrushes</u>	<u>Turdidae</u>	
Olive Thrush	<i>Turdus olivaceus</i>	1
<u>Chats, Old World Flycatchers</u>	<u>Muscicapidae</u>	
Karoo Scrub Robin	<i>Cercotrichas coryphoeus</i>	1
Fiscal Flycatcher	<i>Melaenornis silens</i>	1
Cape Robin-Chat	<i>Cossypha caffra</i>	1
Cape Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola rupestris</i>	1
African Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquatus</i>	1
Karoo Chat	<i>Emarginata schlegelii</i>	1
Tractrac Chat	<i>Emarginata tractrac</i>	1
Mountain Wheatear	<i>Myrmecocichla monticola</i>	1
Capped Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe pileata</i>	1
Familiar Chat	<i>Oenanthe familiaris</i>	1
<u>Sunbirds</u>	<u>Nectariniidae</u>	
Orange-breasted Sunbird	<i>Anthobaphes violacea</i>	1
Amethyst Sunbird	<i>Chalcomitra amethystina</i>	1
Malachite Sunbird	<i>Nectarinia famosa</i>	1
Southern Double-collared Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris chalybeus</i>	1
Greater Double-collared Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris afer</i>	1
<u>Old World Sparrows, Snowfinches</u>	<u>Passeridae</u>	
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	1
Cape Sparrow	<i>Passer melanurus</i>	1
Southern Grey-headed Sparrow	<i>Passer diffusus</i>	1

<u>Weavers, Widowbirds</u>	<u>Ploceidae</u>	
Cape Weaver	<i>Ploceus capensis</i>	1
Southern Masked Weaver	<i>Ploceus velatus</i>	1
Southern Red Bishop	<i>Euplectes orix</i>	1
Yellow Bishop	<i>Euplectes capensis</i>	1
<u>Waxbills, Munias and allies</u>	<u>Estrildidae</u>	
Sweet Waxbill	<i>Coccyzygia melanotis</i>	1
Common Waxbill	<i>Estrilda astrild</i>	1
<u>Indigobirds, Whydahs</u>	<u>Viduidae</u>	
Pin-tailed Whydah	<i>Vidua macroura</i>	1
<u>Wagtails, Pipits</u>	<u>Motacillidae</u>	
Cape Wagtail	<i>Motacilla capensis</i>	1
African Pipit	<i>Anthus cinnamomeus</i>	1
<u>Finches</u>	<u>Fringillidae</u>	
Cape Siskin	<i>Crithagra totta</i>	1
Yellow Canary	<i>Crithagra flaviventris</i>	1
Brimstone Canary	<i>Crithagra sulphurata</i>	1
Streaky-headed Seedeater	<i>Crithagra gularis</i>	1
White-throated Canary	<i>Crithagra albogularis</i>	1
Cape Canary	<i>Serinus canicollis</i>	1
Black-headed Canary	<i>Serinus alario</i>	1
<u>Buntings, New World Sparrows</u>	<u>Emberizidae</u>	
Cinnamon-breasted Bunting	<i>Emberiza tahapisi</i>	1
Cape Bunting	<i>Emberiza capensis</i>	1
TOTAL		186