Walis Island Systematic Bird Check List off N PNG

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol Status	Abundance	References
1.	Pacific Swallow	Hirundo tahitica	Res bre	UC-LA near fresh water. UC-C in Lowland Swamp forest, littoral & riparian scrub	1,
2.	Shining Flycatcher	Myiagra alecto chalybeocephalus	Res bre		1,2,

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Ecological status

End = Endemic to Island unless otherwise stated, **Res bre** = Resident breeder, **Res** = resident ie breeding not proven or not likely. For seabirds it means they have or should be found in that area: note other refs. **Vag** = Vagrant, **Res/mig** = Part of population migratory, **Sum mig** = Summer migrant, **Win mig** = Winter migrant, **Spr/Aut mig** = Passage migrant in Spring and Autumn, **Intro** = Introduced.

Abundance

R = rare, S = scarce, UC = uncommon, MC = moderately common, LC = locally common, C = common, VC = very common, A = abundant P = present.

Colour coding applies only to one species on a particular list. eg. An abundance comment in red for the Brown Booby refers to the Ref # in Red for that species only.

Alternate Island Names & alternate common Bird Names are recorded in two separate spreadsheet files.

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