

Sivisa Is. Bird Checklist

Fedarb Grp, Admiralty Group, PNG

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#	Common Name	Scientific Name	Ecol. Status	Abundance	References
1.	Eastern Reef Egret	<i>Egretta sacra</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991,	1,
2.	Melanesian Scrub Fowl	<i>Megapodius eremita</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991,	1,
3.	Purple Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	Res	Obs July 1991,	1,
4.	Slender-billed Cuckoo-Dove	<i>Macropygia amboinensis</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991,	1,
5.	Yellow-bibbed Fruit-Dove	<i>Ptilinopus solomonensis</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991	1,
6.	Island Imperial Pigeon	<i>Ducula pistrinaria</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991,	1,
7.	Rainbow Lorikeet	<i>Trichoglossus haematodus</i>	Res	Obs July 1991,	1,
8.	Shining Bronze-Cuckoo	<i>Chrysococcyx lucidus</i>	Win mig	Obs July 1991,	1,
9.	White-rumped Swiftlet	<i>Aerodramus spodiopygius</i>	Res	Obs July 1991,	1,
10.	Manus Monarch	<i>Monarcha infelix infelix</i>	End Admiralty	Obs July 1991,	1,3,
11.	Manus Fantail	<i>Rhipidura semirubra</i>	Res?	P.	2,
11.	Ebony Myzomela	<i>Myzomela pammelaena</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991,	1,
12.	Metallic Starling	<i>Aplornis metallica</i>	Res bre	Obs July 1991,	1,

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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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