

Counts - Strandfontein - April 2010



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Openbilled Storks

Wind	moderate SE
Weather	fine
Leader	Dick Barnes

Species	Presence	Species	Presence
GREBES	-	COUCALS	-
Great Crested	2	Burchell's Coucal	-
Blacknecked	-	OWLS	-
Little (Dabchick)	520	Spotted Eagle Owl	-
PELICANS	-	SWIFTS	-
White Pelican	34	Black Swift	-
CORMORANTS	-	Whiterumped Swift	-
Whitebreasted Cormorant	48	Little Swift	-
Cape Cormorant	1	Alpine Swift	-
Reed Cormorant	14	MOUSEBIRDS	-
DARTERS	-	Whitebacked Mousebird	2
Darter	3	Redfaced Mousebird	-
STORKS, HERONS, EGRETS AND BITTERNs	-	KINGFISHERS	-
Openbilled Stork	1	-	-
Grey Heron	16	Pied Kingfisher	-
Blackheaded Heron	9	Giant Kingfisher	-
Purple Heron	-	Malachite Kingfisher	-
Blackcrowned Night Heron	3	BARBETS	-
Little Egret	3	Acacia Pied Barbet	-
Yellow billed Egret	3	LARKS AND FINCHLARKS	-
Cattle Egret	107	Redcapped Lark	-
Little Bittern	-	SWALLOWS AND MARTINS	-

IBIS AND SPOONBILLS	-	Barn Swallow (European)	2176
Sacred Ibis	176	Whitethroated Swallow	3
Glossy Ibis	45	Greater Striped Swallow	-
Hadedda Ibis	38	Pearlbreasted Swallow	-
African Spoonbill	-	Black Sawwing	-
FLAMINGOES	-	Rock Martin	-
Greater Flamingo	180	Brownthroated Martin	1
Lesser Flamingo	-	CROWS AND RAVENS	-
DUCKS AND GEESE	-	Pied Crow	10
Spurwinged Goose	190	Whitenecked Raven	-
Egyptian Goose	302	BULBULS	-
Shelduck	10	Cape Bulbul	46
Yellowbilled Duck	144	THRUSHES, CHATS, ALETHES, ROBINS AND ROCKJUMPERS	-
Fulvous Duck	-	Olive Thrush	-
Red-billed Teal	74	Cape Robin Chat	1
Cape Teal	309	Karoo Robin	3
Cape Shoveller	739	TITBABLERS, WARBLERS, APALISES, CROMBECS, CISTICOLAS AND PRINIAS	-
Southern Pochard	6	Lesser Swamp Warbler (Cape Reed)	4
Hottentot Teal	4	Little Rush Warbler (African Sedge)	8
White faced Duck	8	African Marsh Warbler	-
Maccoa	16	Grassbird	-
KITES	-	Cisticola Zitting (Fantailed)	2
Black Shouldered Kite	2	Cisticola Levillant's	15
Yellowbilled Kite	-	Cisticola Greybacked	-
EAGLES	-	Karoo Prinia (Spotted)	6
African Fish Eagle	1	WAGTAILS, PIPITS AND LONGCLAWS	-
BUZZARDS	-	Cape Wagtail	39
Steppe Buzzard	-	African Pipit (Grassveld)	5
GOSHAWKS AND SPARROWHAWKS	-	Orange throated Longclaw	2
Redbreasted Sparrowhawk	-	SHRIKES	-
Black Sparrowhawk	-	Fiscal Flycatcher	4
African Goshawk	-	Common Fiscal	1
HARRIERS	-	Bokmakierie	-
African Marsh Harrier	1	STARLINGS	-
FALCONS AND KESTRELS	-	Commom Starling	102
Peregrine Falcon	1	Redwing Starling	-
Lanner Falcon	-	SUGARBIRDS AND SUNBIRDS	-

Rock Kestrel	-	Orangebreasted Sunbird	-
FRANCOLIN AND QUAIL	-	Southern Doublecollared Sunbird (Lesser)	-
Cape Spurfowl (Francolin)	15	WHITE EYES	-
GUINEAFOWL	-	Cape White Eye	-
Helmeted Guineafowl	26	SPARROWS, WEAVERS, BISHOPS AND WIDOWS	-
RAIL, CRAKES, FLUFFTAILS, GALLINULES, MOORHENS AND COOTS	-	House Sparrow	-
Black Crake	-	Cape Sparrow	5
African Purple Swamphen (Gallinule)	12	Cape Weaver	8
Moorhen	104	Southern Masked Weaver	-
Redknobbed Coot	421	Red Bishop	10
African Black Oystercatcher	4	Yellowrumped Widow	-
PLOVERS	-	WAXBILLS	-
Threebanded Plover	6	Common Waxbill	30
Grey	-	Pintailed Whydah	-
Kittlitz's	-	CANARIES, SISKINS, FINCHES AND BUNTINGS	-
Blacksmith Lapwing	124	Cape Canary	7
Ringed Plover	9	Bully Canary (Brimstone)	4
Crowned Plover	-	OTHER	-
Turnstone	-	Mallard/Dutch Quacker	-
SNIPES, GODWITS, SANDPIPERS, STINTS, CURLEWS AND PHALAROPES, RUFF, STINT	-	White throated Canary	2
Common Sandpiper	-	Yellow Wagtail	-
Wood	-	total species	77
Marsh Sandpiper	-	-	-
Curlew	-	-	-
Greenshank	-	-	-
Little Stint	55	-	-
Ruff	21	-	-
African Snipe	-	-	-
AVOCETS AND STILTS	-	-	-
Blackwinged Stilt	85	-	-
Pied Avocet	217	-	-
DIKKOPS	-	-	-
Spotted Thickknees	2	-	-
Water Thickknees	-	-	-
SKUAS, GULLS AND TERNS	-	-	-

Kelp Gull	1634	-	-
Greyheaded Gull	-	-	-
Hartlaubs Gull	365	-	-
Caspian Tern	6	-	-
Swift Tern	30	-	-
Sandwich Tern	-	-	-
Common Tern	-	-	-
Whitewinged	-	-	-
PIGEONS AND DOVES	-	-	-
Rock Dove (Feral Pigeon)	-	-	-
Speckled Pigeon (Rock Pigeon)	2	-	-
Redeyed Dove	1	-	-
Cape Turtle Dove	7	-	-
Laughing Dove	1	-	-
CUCKOOS	-	-	-
Klaas's Cuckoo	-	-	-
Diederik Cuckoo	-	-	-