

Counts – Strandfontein – June 2008



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Longbilled Crombec

Wind	strong SE
Weather	–
Leader	Dick Barnes

Species	Presence	Species	Presence
GREBES	–	COUCALS	–
Great Crested	1	Burchell's Coucal	–
Blacknecked	20	OWLS	–
Dabchick	752	Spotted Eagle Owl	–
PELICANS	–	SWIFTS	–
White Pelican	2	Black Swift	–
CORMORANTS	–	Whiterumped Swift	–
Whitebreasted Cormorant	12	Little Swift	–
Cape Cormorant	–	Alpine Swift	–
Reed Cormorant	3	MOUSEBIRDS	–
DARTERS	–	Whitebacked Mousebird	–
Darter	13	Redfaced	–
HERONS, EGRETS AND BITTERNES	–	KINGFISHERS	–
Grey Heron	5	Pied Kingfisher	–
Blackheaded Heron	12	Giant Kingfisher	–
Purple Heron	1	Malachite Kingfisher	–
Blackcrowned Night Heron	–	BARBETS	–
Little Egret	7	Acacia Pied Barbet	–
Yellow billed Egret	–	LARKS AND FINCHLARKS	–
Cattle Egret	116	Redcapped Lark	–

Little Bittern	–	SWALLOWS AND MARTINS	–
IBIS AND SPOONBILLS	–	European Swallow	–
Sacred Ibis	143	Whitethroated Swallow	–
Glossy Ibis	54	Greater Striped Swallow	–
Hadedda Ibis	19	Pearlbreasted Swallow	–
African Spoonbill	–	Black Sawwing	–
FLAMINGOES	–	Rock Martin	1
Greater Flamingo	161	Brownthroated Martin	28
Lesser Flamingo	–	CROWS AND RAVENS	–
DUCKS AND GEESE	–	Pied Crow	6
Spurwinged Goose	6	Whitenecked Raven	1
Egyptian Goose	113	BULBULS	–
Shelduck	–	Cape Bulbul	15
Yellowbilled Duck	107	THRUSHES, CHATS, ALETHES, ROBINS AND ROCKJUMPERS	–
Hotentot Teal	3	Olive Thrush	–
Red-billed Teal	569	Cape Robin Chat	1
Cape Teal	991	Karoo Robin	–
Cape Shoveller	824	TITBABBLERS, WARBLERS, APALISES, CROMBECS, CISTICOLAS AND PRINIAS	–
Southern Pochard	23	Cape Reed Warbler	1
Whitefaced Duck	–	African Sedge Warbler	4
Fluvous Duck	2	African Marsh Warbler	–
Maccoa	40	Grassbird	2
KITES	–	Fantailed	4
Black Shouldered Kite	–	Levaillant's Cisticola	12
Yellowbilled Kite	–	Greybacked	–
EAGLES	–	Spotted Prinia	4
African Fish Eagle	1	WAGTAILS, PIPITS AND LONGCLAWS	–
BUZZARDS	–	Cape Wagtail	17
Jackal Buzzard	1	Grassveld Pipit	3
GOSHAWKS AND SPARROWHAWKS	–	Orangethroated Longclaw	–
Redbreasted Sparrowhawk	–	SHRIKES	–
Black Sparrowhawk	–	Fiscal Shrike	1
African Goshawk	–	Southern Boubou	–
HARRIERS	–	Bokmakierie	1
African Marsh Harrier	–	STARLINGS	–
FALCONS AND KESTRELS	–	Commom Starling	70
Peregrine Falcon	2	Redwing Starling	–

Lanner Falcon	–	SUGARBIRDS AND SUNBIRDS	–
Rock Kestrel	–	Malachite Sunbird	–
FRANCOLIN AND QUAIL	–	Lesser Double collared Sunbird	6
Cape Francolin	3	WHITE EYES	–
GUINEAFOWL	–	Cape White Eye	22
Helmeted Guineafowl	35	SPARROWS, WEAVERS, BISHOPS AND WIDOWS	–
RAIL, CRAKES, FLUFFTAILS, GALLINULES, MOORHENS AND COOTS	–	House Sparrow	–
Black Crake	–	Cape Sparrow	–
African Purple Swamp hen	15	Cape Weaver	1
Moorhen	129	Southern Masked Weaver	–
Redknobbed Coot	810	Red Bishop	2
Black Oystercatcher	–	Yellowrumped Widow	–
PLOVERS	–	WAXBILLS	–
Threebanded Plover	2	Common Waxbill	–
Grey	–	Pintailed Whydah	–
Kittlitz's	80	CANARIES, SISKINS, FINCHES AND BUNTINGS	–
Blacksmith Lapwing	44	Cape Canary	–
Ringed Plover	–	Bully Canary	1
Crowned Plover	–	OTHER	–
Turnstone	–	Mallard/Dutch Quacker	–
SNIPES, GODWITS, SANDPIPERS, STINTS, CURLEWS AND PHALAROPES, RUFF, STINT	–	Ostrich	3
Common Sandpiper	–	total species	64
Wood	–	–	–
Marsh Sandpiper	–	–	–
Curlew	–	–	–
Greenshank	2	–	–
Little Stint	–	–	–
Ruff	–	–	–
African Snipe	1	–	–
AVOCETS AND STILTS	–	–	–
Blackwinged Stilt	214	–	–
Pied Avocet	146	–	–
DIKKOPS	–	–	–
Spotted Thickknees	–	–	–
Water Thickknees	–	–	–
SKUAS, GULLS AND TERNS	–	–	–

Kelp Gull	1381	—	—
Greyheaded Gull	—	—	—
Hartlaubs Gull	193	—	—
Caspian Tern	1	—	—
Swift Tern	81	—	—
Sandwich Tern	1	—	—
Common Tern	1	—	—
Whitewinged	2	—	—
PIGEONS AND DOVES	—	—	—
Feral Pigeon	1	—	—
Rock Pigeon	25	—	—
Redeyed Dove	11	—	—
Cape Turtle Dove	1	—	—
Laughing Dove	—	—	—
CUCKOOS	—	—	—
Klaas's Cuckoo	—	—	—
Diederik Cuckoo	—	—	—