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Swallow-tailed Bee-eater (*Merops hirundineus*) ©M. Lagerqvist

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Foreword

Uganda and Rwanda are some of the most species rich countries in Africa, thanks to a combination of many different habitats; from the dry semi desert on the Sudanese border, through classical East African savannas, papyrus swamps and endemic rich forests in the Albertine Rift mountains bordering the Congo, to miombo woodlands in Rwanda.

Add to this short distances and a well maintained system of national parks and you have a dream destination for any world birder. Therefore it was an easy decision when fellow birder Magnus Jäderblad mailed me and asked if I was interested in joining him on a comprehensive birding trip covering not only all the traditional birding sites, but also some seldom visited areas with a few highly sought after species.

My only problem was that Magnus had planned for a five week trip, which was more than I could take out in vacation. I therefore decided to join for the first 3.5 weeks, thereby missing out on a few sites in Uganda, namely Murchinson Falls NP, Budongo Forest Reserve and Semliki NP. Apart from Magnus; Eja Blomqvist and Johan Wallin joined the group after Rwanda.

This report covers the part of the trip I joined and consists of three parts; a diary, a summary with a few recommendations and finally a trip list of all the bird species recorded – all in all 624 species.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at markus.lagerqvist@usa.net

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Diary

19/2 -Entebbe

I arrived late in the evening on the Brussels Airlines flight via Kigali, and was picked up at the airport by a representative from Avian Watch Uganda and driven the short distance to the Golf View Inn hotel in Entebbe, where we arranged the payment for the trip.

20/2 Entebbe-Mabamba Bay-Entebbe

My first day of birding – not only on this trip – but also in East Africa, and the first target bird was also one of my most wanted – the bizarre Shoebill.

I was picked up at the hotel at 06.45 and driven to the nearby Mabamba Bay Wetland. Mabamba Bay is supposed to be one of the most accessible and reliable sites to see this sought-after bird, but this morning luck was not on my side and after canoeing through the wetland for three hours it was time to head back to shore again. My plan had been to drive back to Entebbe, have lunch, and visit the botanical gardens in the afternoon. But, not having seen the shoebill I decided to have another go later in the afternoon. Not having brought packed lunch we drove to the village of Mpigi and had a nice meal of beans, rice and chapatti at a small local restaurant.



Long-toed Lapwing (*Vanellus crassirostris*) © Markus Lagerqvist

At 14.20 I was back at the swamp and once again boarded the canoe. The good news was that the guide had been out scouting for shoebills and had had a brief flight view of a bird, so we headed for

the area where he thought it had landed. However, my bad luck continued and in spite of another three hours searching we did not find any trace of the bird. Not a very good start of the trip!

On the bright side I did see a few other good birds like **Spur-winged Goose, Lesser Jaçana, Long-toed Lapwing, Blue-headed Coucal, Blue-chested and Blue-cheeked Bee-eater, Carruther's Cisticola, Red-chested Sunbird, Slender-billed, Northern Brown-throated and Wayne's Weaver.**

At 17.20 we headed back to Entebbe, where I had dinner at the rather bland hotel restaurant and met up with Magnus who arrived from Sweden late that evening.

21/2 Entebbe-Mabira Forest Reserve-Lake Bisina-Soroti

After meeting our guide, the well known Alfred Twinomujuni from Avian Watch Uganda, we left Entebbe at 06.30 and drove east to Mabira Forest Reserve. We had planned to spend a full day in Mabira later on, so today was just a two-hour teaser en route to Lake Bisina.

Although it's a small remnant forest, Mabira gives easy access to many interesting species that are often more difficult at other sites. Despite the short visit we managed to see quite a few of the main targets of the site, among these the only sight view of the trip of **Yellow-billed Barbet, Grey-throated Barbet**, a pair of beautiful **Purple-throated Cuckoo-shrikes**, the localized **Toro Olive-Greenbul** and the skulky **Jameson's Wattle-eye**. We also briefly glimpsed a **Green Twinspot** high up in the canopy, had a quick flyover of a **Forest Wood Hoopoe** and Magnus saw a **Red-headed Bluebill** on the side of the road.

At 11.00 we got back in our car and drove on to Mbale, two and a half hours away, for a lunch stop at the Mbale Resort Hotel. We then pushed on to Lake Bisina arriving at 16.30. We quickly arranged for a canoe to take us out on the lake for a first go at the highly localized Fox's Weaver – Uganda's only endemic bird and the main reason for visiting Lake Bisina.

To find the bird can be quite tricky though – it's not that common and you need to see it well since there are several weaver species present at the lake. We spent the last two hours of daylight searching through the vegetation on the shore and on small islands in the lake, but could not find any birds that fitted the description. We did pick up a few other good birds like **Fulvous Whistling-Duck, Red-knobbed Coot, Black Coucal** and **Marsh Tchagra**. After calling it a day we drove to our accommodation for the night – the Soroti Hotel. We arrived a 20.30 and had a quick dinner before going to bed, hoping for better luck with the weaver the following day.

22/2 Soroti-Lake Bisina-Kidepo Valley NP

Today we had a very long drive ahead of us, so we only had a few hours in the morning to bird Lake Bisina and find the weaver – we clearly needed some luck! The procedure was the same as the day before, and we did see quite a few weavers, some of which we didn't see quite well enough to positively id, although we suspected them to be Fox's Weavers, and many more which were either **Northern Brown-throated** or **Slender-billed Weavers**. After about an hour and a half of growing frustration we finally got great views of a female bird that we could positively id as a **Fox's Weaver**.

Apart from this individual we also saw a single male and a few more females that were almost certainly Fox's Weavers. We also heard a **Red-chested Flufftail** calling and added **Beaudouin's Snake-Eagle, African Purple Swamphen, Greater Painted-snipe** and "**Black-headed**" **Wagtail** to the trip list.



Whistling-Ducks on Lake Bisina. (*Dendrocygna bicolor*) © Markus Lagerqvist

At 10.00 we left Bisina and begun our long journey to the remote and seldom visited Kidepo Valley National Park on the Sudanese border. Apart from being far away, another reason for the park getting so few visitors is the volatile situation in the Northern parts of Uganda during the last decades.

For many years parts of Northern Uganda has been living under the threat of the cruel Lord's Resistance Army (LRA). They have now been defeated by the Ugandan army and have fled to the DRC. The last years the big problem has instead been highway robberies in the Karamoja region. This problem is also being dealt with and the armed "warriors" of the region are in the process of being disarmed.

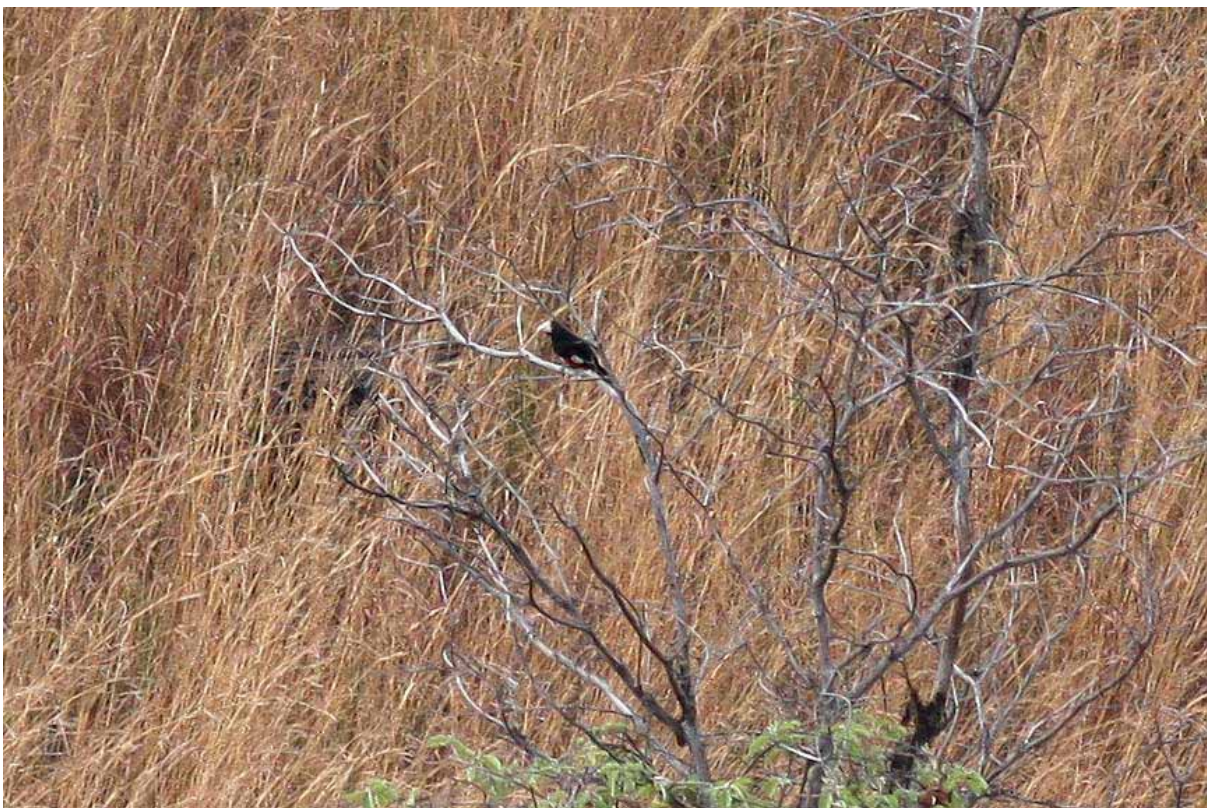
To avoid potentially dangerous areas we chose not to drive the traditional route through Moroti and Kotido, but instead take a more westerly route passing through Lira and Kitgum to Kidepo. We still wanted to avoid driving during night time and Alfred was a bit stressed over us spending too much time looking for the Fox's Weaver at Lake Bisina. By 11.00 we left Soroti and from there it was a two hour's drive to Lira, where we had to do some car maintenance. Meanwhile me and Magnus had an hour's lunch at Lillian's Towers. From Lira it was about six hours drive to Apoka Lodge where we arrived at 20.15 in the evening – a bit later than planned, but not too bad. Birds seen en route included **Pale Prinia** and **White-billed Buffalo-Weaver**.

Driving the last bit after dark actually gave us chance to get some good night birds from the car, like **Plain Nightjar** and **Greyish Eagle-Owl** along the entrance road.

You do not have a lot of choice when it comes to accommodation in Kidepo. You either have to stay in a very basic hut at the park HQ and bring in your own supplies, or you stay at the extravagant Apoka Lodge. Guests visiting the lodge are normally flown in by chartered plane to avoid the drive, but this was way over our budget – just paying for the accommodation itself was more than enough!

23/2 Kidepo Valley NP

We had planned two full days in Kidepo and after the many hours in the car the previous day we were eager to start the search for our main target in Kidepo – the impressive and rarely seen Black-breasted Barbet. The species has a fairly large distribution, but most of the range is not easily accessible or hardly ever visited by birders, stretching through the Central African Republic, Tchad and the Sudan, just barley reaching Northern Uganda. The species likes habitats by large cliffs and is not found throughout the park. One of the best spots is the area around the ruins of the old Safari Lodge, built by Idi Amin, so we headed straight there in the morning. Along the way we spotted a male lion which allowed us spectacular close-up views from our lodge's open safari-van. We also picked up(!) an abandoned African Buffalo calf with the nose full of porcupine spines but after a while it wanted out of the car and we had to leave it. From the old lodge you have a fantastic view and scanning the trees we soon found a spectacular **Black-breasted Barbet**. The bird was a bit far off to take any decent photos, but gave us good scope-views – bird of the trip for me!



Black-breasted Barbet (*Lybius rolleti*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

Other good species only seen at the old lodge included **Mocking Cliffchat, Fan-tailed Raven, Egyptian Vulture** and a **Verreaux's Eagle**, the latter unfortunately seen only by the guide. We also added Rock Hyrax to the mammal list. After the successful morning we birded our way back to the lodge for lunch. From the lodge's dining area you have a splendid view of the surrounding plains and a small waterhole just outside attracts a lot of mammals, like Savanna Elephants, Burchell's Zebras and several species of antelopes.

Having seen the main target we now moved on to our second target bird, the highly range restricted Karamoja Apalis. Apart from Kidepo Valley, the species is only found at the Wembere floodplain in central Tanzania.

After lunch we drove northeast from the lodge, passing the Kidepo River to the Kanatorok plain on the South Sudanese border to the area where the Karamoja Apalis is found. The bird favours a specific kind of acacia woodland, and to find it you basically have to cover as much habitat as possible. Being our first full day in the park we birded from the car and made a lot of stops en route before we reached the habitat, so we didn't have time left to do a serious try for the apalis. Instead we continued to the Kanatorok hot springs and had a cold beer there before driving back to the lodge.

Some of the birds seen during the afternoon included **Common Ostrich, Clapperton's Francolins**, a pair of **Four-banded Sandgrouse**, a single **Hartlaub's Bustard, Black-headed Lapwing**, a single **Black-rumped Buttonquail, White-bellied Go-away-bird, Black Scimitarbill, Red-billed Hornbill, Jackson's Hornbill, Swallow-tailed Bee-eater, Spot-flanked Barbet, d'Arnaud's Barbet, White-crested Helmetshrike, Foxy Cisticola, Rufous Chatterer, Silverbird, Pale Flycatcher**, the only **Purple Grenadiers** of the trip and **Red-rumped Waxbill**.

Back at the lodge we ended the day with a tasty grilled buffet by the pool.

24/2 Kidepo Valley NP

This morning we decided to drive straight to the Kanatorok plain for a serious effort to find the Karamoja Apalis. Arriving at the habitat we parked by the track and started to walk back and forth in the habitat to cover as much ground as possible. Large parts of the habitat had been burned and it was excruciatingly dry and the sun was burning hot, but we spent the whole morning in the area until we had to head back for a well earned lunch, although we didn't see any trace of the bird.

After lunch we decided to head back for a last try and cover another part of the area. However, another half day walking the scorched habitat under the burning sun didn't help – tired and disappointed we had to call it a day and start the drive back to the lodge. Birds we did see during the day included **Yellow-necked Francolin, Black-bellied and White-bellied Bustard, Little and White-fronted Bee-eater, Purple Roller, Slate-coloured Boubou, White-tailed and Red-winged Lark, Northern Crombec, Buff-bellied Warbler, Heuglin's Wheatear, Spotted Palm-Thrush and Reichenow's Seedeater**. In the evening we made a short night drive getting good views of a couple of **Verreaux's Eagle-Owls**.

25/2 Kidepo Valley-Jinja

Today we had a very long drive ahead of us, so we had breakfast and left at 07.10. Since the president's wife was visiting Moroto the same day we were told that security would be extra tight in the area and that it should be safe for us to take the route over Moroto back. We decided to trust their advice, but Alfred was even more stressed than on the way up, and kept pushing on, avoiding any stops along the road – and meeting UN caravans with heavily armed escorts probably made him even more anxious to get out of the Karamoja province. Since we were passing through some really good looking habitat this was a bit frustrating, but we had to do with birding from the car. Good observations included large numbers of **White-rumped Shrikes** – at least 60 on my side of the road – a couple of **Heuglin's Wheatear** and a handful of **Purple Rollers**.



Western Black-headed Batis (*Batis erlangeri*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

At 13.00 we finally made a short roadside break for lunch in the Debasien Range, where we added **Mottled Swift** to the trip list. Close to Chepsikunya we saw the only **Black Stork** of the trip.

At 18.45 we finally arrived at Kingfisher Safaris Lodge on the shore of Lake Victoria in Jinja. In the lodge's garden we saw **Red-chested** and **Scarlet-chested Sunbirds** before having dinner at the busy restaurant.

26/2 Mabira Forest Reserve

This day was devoted to a lengthier visit to Mabira Forest, after only getting a taste of the site on the previous visit. We had an early breakfast and left Jinja at 06.45 for the 30 minutes drive to Mabira.

Our main target bird was **Nahan's Francolin**, a range restricted and threatened species that has recently been shown to be closely related to the New World Quails! The birds are more often heard than seen and can be very difficult to spot in the thick vegetation. We left the main road through the park and instead entered a narrow trail. We soon heard a francolin calling and positioned ourselves on the trail, waiting quietly and trying playback but could only manage glimpses of something moving on the forest floor. After another couple of equally unsuccessful attempts, we found a perfect spot at a small clearing where we could position ourselves behind a large tree log. This time we were finally successful and got good views of a bird that ventured out to the edge of the clearing as a response to playback.

Very happy with the most important target bird in the bag, we turned our focus to the remaining targets. After securing good views of a **Blue-shouldered Robin-Chat** heard calling close to the trail – the only one we saw on the trip – we turned our attention to the **Yellow-eyed Bristlebill**, a species with its main distribution within the DRC. The bird appeared to be fairly common in Mabira and we heard three or four individuals, and after some effort also got great views of this sculking species.

Another specialty for Mabira that didn't pose any resistance was **Weyns's Weaver** – small flocks seemed to be all over the place and we saw at least 50 birds during the day. This was a bit surprising since we'd heard from a group that visited Mabira only a couple of weeks earlier without seeing a single bird, despite looking hard for it!

During the morning we also saw an **Eastern Forest Robin** and I secured views of a **Red-headed Bluebill** jumping on the trail – a species only Magnus saw on our first visit.

As midday approached temperatures were rising and entering a more open, cultivated area we found both **Ayres's** and **Cassin's Hawk-Eagle** soaring above our heads. After a packed lunch we drove to another part of the forest to search for **Forest Wood Hoopoe**, a species we had so far only glimpsed flying by in the canopy a couple of times. Sure enough, we soon had lengthy views of two birds and had now seen all of our most important target birds.

We decided to try for Cassin's and Sabine's Spinetail. We walked to a small pond where they sometimes come in to drink and where you have a good overview. This turned in to be a good move since a stunning **Green Twinspot** gave us uncharacteristically good views at ground level, maybe nesting by the pond. As for the spinetails, we found two **Sabine's Spinetails** giving us a great show, flying back and forth over the water.

Other good birds seen at Mabira included **Blue Yellowbill**, **Buff-spotted Flufftail** (heard only), **Streaky-throated Barbet**, **Brown-eared Woodpecker**, a pair of **Purple-throated Cuckooshrikes**, **Jameson's Wattle-eye**, **Lowland Sooty Boubou**, **Western Oriole**, **Blue-headed** and **Red-bellied Paradise-Flycatcher**, **Western Nicator**, **White-headed Sawwing**, **Yellow-browed Camaroptera**, **Green Hylia**, **Fire-crested Alethe**, **Green-throated** and **Superb Sunbird** and **Red-headed Malimbe**.

At 17.00 we decided to head for Kampala, since Alfred wanted to avoid driving at night, arriving at the Fairway Hotel at 18.30.



d'Arnaud's Barbet (*Trachyphonus darnaudii*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

27/2 Kampala-Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP

Our original plan had been to drive straight to Lake Mburo NP from Kampala, but since I'd failed to see the **Shoebill** on my first day we decided make a detour to Mabamba Bay. After a 1.5 hour's drive we arrived at 07.50 for my third attempt at the bird. This time luck was finally on my side and within twenty minutes we had located two shoebills. The birds were truly magnificent and allowed us close up views. What a great experience, and also a great relief!

Unfortunately my camera, that had functioned perfectly when entering the canoe, had had it, and despite taking out the battery, restarting it, polishing the lens contacts etc. all I could get was a frustrating "Err 99" message. Texting a friend in Sweden I got the disappointing answer that he, and two friends of his, had the same error, and that there was probably nothing I could myself. Unfortunately he was right, and I had to pack away my camera for the rest of the trip!

Before leaving Mabamba Bay, we visited a nearby weaver nesting site where we had five different species nesting together, including **Orange**, **Black-headed** and **Golden-backed Weaver**.

At 10.20 we departed Mabamba Bay, stopping en route for a lunch break. Shortly before arriving at Lake Mburo NP, we stopped at a small pond right by the road, where we found the only **Hottentot Teals** of the trip and a **Short-winged Cisticola**.

At 15.30 we entered the park and drove to the Lake Mbuero Tented Camp. After checking in we decided to use the last hours of the afternoon looking for our two main target birds – the highly localized **Red-faced barbet** and the **Long-tailed Cisticola**.

I didn't take us long before we found a barbet posing for us in the top of a small tree, and shortly thereafter we had a couple of the cisticolas moving low through the vegetation. Other nice additions to the trip list included **Lilac-breasted Roller**, **White-winged Black Tit** and **Lesser Masked** and **Red-headed Weaver**. As the sun was setting we also managed to attract a **Black-shouldered Nightjar** that came flying in as response to play-back.

After a very successful day we then drove back to the lodge and enjoyed a great three course dinner at the very comfortable lodge. Before falling to sleep we heard a distant lion calling.

28/2 Lake Mbuero NP-Rwamagana

Today we had booked a morning boat tour on Lake Mbuero, looking for herons and papyrus species. However, we begun the day with a short game drive, getting more views of a couple of **Red-faced Barbets** and **Long-tailed Cisticola**, but also adding **African Hawk-Eagle**, **Grey Penduline-tit** and a glossy-black **Southern Black-Flycatcher**, here at the northern border of its distribution, to the trip list. We also heard a **Thick-billed Cuckoo** calling, but it refused to show itself to us.

At 08.00 the boat departed and our first target, the **White-backed Night-Heron**, was soon found and we could enjoy close-up views of this splendid creature. Next we started our quest for papyrus specials. Colourful **Papyrus Gonoleks** were easily found – we saw at least five birds. The **White-winged Swamp-Warbler** proved much more difficult, but after some effort we managed to get at least brief views of one bird. Other nice birds seen during the boat tour included fantastic views of five **African Finfoots** (would have been great photos if the camera had only worked), a majestic **Goliath Heron**, a wintering **Little Bittern** and a smart **Grey-capped Warbler**. After the boat tour we drove back to the lodge for lunch and departed Lake Mbuero NP at 12.45 for the drive to Rwanda.

At 16.30 we arrived at the border crossing at Kagitumba. Immigration went smoothly for us, but took some time for our car, so we spent the time birding and could add **Crimson-rumped Waxbill** to the list. At 17.50 all the papers for the car were finally cleared and we could continue, gaining one hour as we crossed the border. At 19.00 we arrived at Rwamagana, close to Akagera NP, and checked in at the Dereva Hotel.

1/3 Rwamagana-Akagera NP-Gisakura

We managed to get at nice early hotel breakfast and could depart for Akagera at 05.30, arriving at the park gate at 07.00. At the park HQ a ranger was appointed to us, but when he realized we were there for the birds, he suggested that we should go with another ranger, specialized in birding! After swapping rangers we headed out in our car telling our new ranger – James Muhizi – which our target species were. He where familiar with the species and we decided to begin searching for **Miombo Wren-Warbler**. After maybe half an hour we spotted a good candidate from the car and got out to have a closer look. Magnus soon found the bird and could confirm the id. It seemed to be constantly on the move, but after some hide and seek we all got good views of our main target.

Continuing by car we soon found our second target bird, **Crested Barbet**, and in the same spot we could also add **Black-collared Barbet** to our barbet list. We heard a **Coqui Francolin** calling close to us, but could not manage any looks of the bird.

The third target bird for Akagera was Souza's Shrike, but according to James it's rare, and we didn't manage to find it. We did see some other good birds in the same area, such as **Lilac-breasted Roller**, **Bearded** and **Bennett's Woodpecker**, **Southern Black-Flycatcher**, **Black-faced Waxbill** and **Cabanis's Bunting** of the southern race, as well as more views of the Mbuero specials – **Red-faced Barbet** and **Long-tailed Cisticola**.

Next we drove down to a small fishing village by Lake Ihema which was supposed to be a reliable spot for our last target bird for the day – White-headed Black-Chat. Apparently the chat didn't know this and we had to be content with **African Darter**, **Senegal** and **Spur-winged Lapwing**, **Ross's Turaco**, **Spectacled Weaver** and **Red-billed Quelea**. Before heading back we had a nice packed lunch, with possibly the best avocado I've ever tasted, at a picnic spot by the smaller Lake Birengero. The only new bird seen there was a couple of **Red-billed Oxpeckers** on the back of a hippo.



Our guide Alfred Twinomujuni ©Markus Lagerqvist

At 13.00 we dropped off James at the reception, where we also had nice views of **Green-capped Eremomela**. We continued birding the agricultural lands along the entrance road outside the park and finally found a nice male **White-headed Black-Chat**.

Since we had a long drive ahead of us, we had no more birding planned for the day. Distances in Rwanda might seem short on the map but it's easy to be deceived.

Although the roads are excellent – much better than in Uganda – the country is very hilly and you need to allocate plenty of driving time! We passed Rwamagana at 14.15, arriving at Kigali about an hour later.

After driving through town and doing a few errands we left the capital at 16.00, driving straight to Gisakura, not arriving at the guesthouse until 20.40 in the evening. Before going to bed we had a buffet style dinner in the guesthouse's rather uninspiring restaurant, accompanied by a beer. The local beer is quite good, but note that it's sold in 700 ml bottles!

2/3 Nyungwe Forest NP

Today we had high expectations, this being the first day of birding in the Albertine Rift forest. Before leaving the guesthouse we tried for **Rwenzori Nightjar** by the large trees opposite to the canteen. We heard one bird and managed brief flight views as it came in to playback. Being close to the DRC border birding in Nyungwe Forest NP is strictly regulated. You have to be accompanied by a ranger and can unfortunately only bird during daytime. In the morning you have to report to the park HQ at Uwinka, which opens at 07.00, and pick up a ranger.

Arriving at Uwinka we began the day with a packed breakfast and picked up our first Albertine Rift endemics – **Stripe-breasted Tit**, and **Red-faced Woodland-Warbler**, as well as some other nice species like **Chestnut-throated Apalis** and very tame **White-necked Ravens**.

After breakfast we headed out with our ranger, and birder, Claver Ntoyinkima. We explained that, apart from all the other specials, we had two main target birds – Red-collared Mountain-Babbler and Kungwe Apalis, and that we wanted Claver to plan our birding to maximize our chances of seeing these two species. He said he knew the birds well and suggested that we should start looking for the babbler along the Bigugu trail. This turned out to be a good choice and we soon found a party of **Red-collared Mountain-Babblers** moving through the forest, offering us excellent views of this rare and beautiful babbler.

Apart from the target babbler we had some spectacular birding along the trail with good birds like brief views of a single **Handsome Francolin** crossing the trail, flight views of **Rwenzori Turaco**, **White-headed Wood Hoopoe**, a very co-operative **Barred Long-tailed Cuckoo**, **Rwenzori Hill-Babbler**, **Mountain Sooty Boubou**, **White-starred Robin**, **White-bellied Robin-Chat**, **Archer's Robin-Chat**, **Equatorial Akalat**, a strange **Grauer's Warbler**, **White-browed Crombec**, **Mountain Yellow Warbler**, **Rwenzori**, **Black-faced** and **Black-throated Apalis**, **Rwenzori Apalis**, **Chubb's Cisticola**, **Blue-headed** and **Regal Sunbird**, great views of a beautiful **Doherty's Bushshrike** and **Strange Weaver**. On the way back it started to drizzle lightly but we still ran in to another gang of Mountain-Babblers, adding up to eleven birds during the morning!

Due to the rain we went back to Uwinka for a 1.5 hour lunch break until the weather improved again, before we headed out on the Karamba trail at 14.00. At the beginning of the trail you walk through low shrub, here we saw several species of sunbirds including **Rwenzori Double-collared Sunbird** and in the sky above circled **Scarce Swifts**. After a short while the trail starts to ascend and you reach a lookout where you have a good view of the surrounding trees.

Here we soon had very close views of two **Kungwe Apalis**, and in a distant flowering tree we saw a male **Purple-breasted Sunbird**. On the way back to the car we saw **Grey Apalis**, which was quite distinct compared to the Kungwe Apalis. We also saw **Cinnamon-chested Bee-eater** and **Yellow-eyed Black-Flycatcher**.

Since the lights on our car weren't working Alfred had to get it to a repair shop before dark so we headed back to the guest house at 16.30. On the way back to the guest house we saw a huge group of migrating **Black Kites** and "**Steppe**" **Buzzards**, probably more than 200 birds. While Alfred was gone, me and Magnus birded the tea plantation in front of our cabin where we found a few more good birds like **Cape Robin-Chat**, **Dusky Twinspot** and **Abyssinian Crimson-wing** of the distinct Rwenzori race.

3/3 Nyungwe Forest NP-Kigali

Today we had until lunch in Nyungwe and we decided to spend the morning on the trail surrounding Kamiranzovu marsh. The scenery at the marsh was beautiful with several species of flowering orchids. Several **Grauer's Swamp-Warblers** were easily found out on the marsh and a **Sharpe's Starling** was singing from a dead tree. Along the trail we had good views of **Evergreen Forest Warbler**, **Black-faced Prinia** and **Black-billed Weaver**, but both **Neumann's Warblers** refused to give us any tickable views. Claver told us that he'd seen the little known Albertine Owlet at this site, so it was too bad that we weren't allowed to do any night birding!



Morning at the Kamiranzovu marsh. ©Markus Lagerqvist

After completing the trail we still had some time left and decided to bird along the main road east of the HQ at Uwinka and the upper part of the road to Rangiro, since this is a good area for the difficult Rockefeller's Sunbird. As expected we didn't find the sunbird but did get good views of a pair of **Purple-breasted Sunbirds**, a nice **Dusky Crimson-wing** and brief glimpses of a **Dwarf Honeyguide**. At the HQ we saw a **Black Sparrowhawk** and a couple of **Crowned Eagles** soared high above.

At 11.50 we left Nyungwe, arriving in Huye (formerly known as Butare) at 13.45, where we had a lunch break and shopped for souvenirs at the *Co-opérative des Producteurs Artisanaux de Butare*. At 15.10 we left Huye, arriving in Kigali at 17.30.

4/3 Kigali-Gatuna-Kabale-Echuya Forest-Kisoro

At 07.10 we left Kigali, arriving at the border crossing at Katuna around 08.30. The border crossing went fairly quick and at 09.20 (10.20 Uganda time) we were on the road again. Today our little group was to become bigger – we had decided to meet up with Magnus's girlfriend Eja, and friend Johan at the White Horse Inn, in Kabale. Since they had some birding planned at Lake Mburo in the morning they wouldn't arrive until later in the afternoon so we had plenty of time to enjoy a good lunch and do some relaxed birding at the beautiful hotel grounds, seeing the only **Ovampo Sparrowhawk** of the trip. At 15.15 we all left Kabale and headed towards Kisoro, making a few stops en route.

At the Echuya Forest reserve we scoped a **Grauer's Swamp-Warbler** at the swamp for Eja and Johan and got another great view of a **Doherty's Bushshrike**. A skulky **Dusky Crimson-wing** showed itself for most of the group as did several **Kandt's Waxbills** and an **Archer's Robin-Chat**. At another short stop at a small pond close to Kisoro we saw **Yellow Bishop** and **Western Citril**. At 19.00 we arrived at Kisoro and checked in at the Kisoro Tourist Hotel.

5/3 Mgahinga Gorilla NP

At 06.30 we departed the hotel for the short, but very bumpy, ride to Mgahinga Gorilla NP. Most of the species found at Mgahinga can be found at Bwindi as well, but it's a better site for Rwenzori Turaco and the only site on the trip for the sought after, and difficult, Shelley's Crimson-wing.

The crimson-wing is most often seen at the upper part of the Mt. Sabinyo Gorge trail, so I was very anxious to get into the right habitat while bird activity was still good. Alfred seemed to have another plan though and our progress through the secondary shrub at the lower elevations was frustratingly slow. Some of the species seen in the area included **African** and **Rufous-breasted Sparrowhawk**, **Western Tinkerbird**, **Chinspot Batis** and **Rwenzori Double-collared Sunbird**.

Entering the first forest habitat we soon found our first target, a **Rwenzori Turaco** – here another race than in Nyungwe. Slowly birding our way through the forest meant that we unfortunately didn't arrive at the gorge itself until lunch time. By this time bird activity was low, but we found a good position to have lunch and keep a look out, but in vain. After about half an hour it started to rain and we had to walk down again. The only new bird seen at the spot was a **Brown Woodland-Warbler**.

The rain didn't last for long though and in the forest we ran across a small group of **Mountain Illadopsis** and heard a **Grey-chested Kakamega**, which refused to show itself. Back in the secondary growth we heard a **Lagden's Bushshrike** calling. It responded well to playback and gave us prolonged views.

Other notable birds seen during the day on the mountain included **Rwenzori Batis**, **White-tipped Crested Flycatcher**, **White-browed Crombec**, **Mountain Yellow Warbler**, **Strange Weaver**, **Dusky Crimson-wing**. Down by the reception we saw **White-tailed Blue Flycatcher**.

At 17.40 we left Mgahinga and headed back to Kisoro, having seen quite a few good birds during the day, but still feeling quite disappointed with dipping the crimson-wing.

6/3 Kisoro-Echuya Forest-Nyamuriro Wetland-Buhoma

Today our plan was to bird a few different sites en route from Kisoro to Buhoma. We departed Kisoro at 06.30, and arriving at Echuya Forest Reserve, we made today's first stop at the Echuya Forest Reserve, hoping for a Kivu Ground Thrush – a bird that had eluded us so far. At Echuya you mainly bird along the road going through the forest, since there are hardly any trails. We spent about two hours walking, listening and playing the song, but it was as quiet here as at the previous sites – apparently not the season for them. The best bird of the morning was **Olive Woodpecker**, we saw four of them and Echuya seem to be a very good site for this species. Other birds worth mentioning included **Mountain Oriole**, **White-browed Crombec** and **Strange Weaver**.

At 10.00 we left Echuya and continued towards Nyamuriro Wetland, close to Lake Bunyoni – one of the best sites for some of the more difficult papyrus species. One of the first birds seen was the enigmatic **Entebbe Weaver**, a little known and range-restricted species.

Next we found a couple of one of the more difficult papyrus species, the **Papyrus Canary**, giving us good scope views when they landed in the top of papyruses. We had to work somewhat harder for our third target, the **Papyrus Yellow Warbler**. They were fairly easy to find, but it took some time before we all got decent views of this sculker. A few other good birds were seen in and around the swamp, like **Lesser Swamp-Warbler**, **Little Rush-Warbler**, **Carruther's Cisticola**, **Red-chested Sunbird** and **Fawn-breasted Waxbill**.

After a brief packed lunch we left Nyamuriro at 13.30 and continued towards Buhoma. Along the road between Nyamuriro and the main road we saw a weird looking Jackson's Chameleon and in the area we also had a couple of **Lanner Falcons**. At 14.30 we entered the famous Bwindi Impenetrable NP through the Ndego Gate, then passing Ruhija, before making a short stop at the area called "The Neck", since it's the thinnest part of the park. Being mid afternoon birding was a bit slow, but we still added some nice birds like **Scarce Swift**, **Black Bee-eater**, **Green Hylia**, **Slender-billed** and **Narrow-tailed Starling**, **Dusky Tit** and **Kakamega Greenbul**

At 18.20 we arrived in Buhoma and checked in at the Buhoma Community Rest Camp.



Johnston's Chameleon (*Chamaeleo johnstoni*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

7/3 Bwindi Impenetrable NP (Buhoma)

After breakfast at the lodge we were eager to head out on the main trail at Buhoma by 07.00. Since you're not allowed to enter the park without a ranger we had arranged to meet one at the park entrance, but well there he didn't show up. This meant that we had to spend the first hours birding around the lodges which was quite frustrating. We did see a few good birds like **Petit's Cuckooshrike**, **Many-colored Bushshrike** and **Common Chiffchaff** (rare in Uganda)

At 09.00 we could finally start birding inside the park, along the Ivi River Walk, and despite the late start we were to have a fantastic day of ahead of us. Top priorities were the Albertine Rift endemics we still hadn't seen – for me especially to get good views of **Neumann's Warbler**. After having struggled with this species in Nyungwe we were prepared for hard work, but the first individual we heard singing (at the Waterfall Loop) was easily attracted to play back, circling around and giving us spectacular views. What a fantastic little bird!

Another charming warbler that gave us close up views was **Black-faced Rufous Warbler**. More of a challenge were greenbuls of many kinds that tested our identifying skills – goods one included **Ansorge's**, **Kakamega**, **Toro Olive** and **Cabanis's Greenbul**.

Another big target of the day was Chapin's Flycatcher, only found in the Albertine Rift and Kenya's Kakamega Forest, but at lunch time it started to rain heavily and all we could do was to take as good cover as we could and wait out the rain. After about half an hour it subsided a bit and almost immediately we heard a **Chapin's Flycatcher** calling and we soon found it perched right above the trail!

Another prize bird we really struggled with was **Jameson's Antpecker** and it wasn't until the very last minutes of birding, before we had to leave the forest, we found a male posing on a sunlit branch. The plate in the guidebook really doesn't do this beautiful species justice!

Other good species seen during the day were plentiful and included an overflying **Bat Hawk**, **Little Sparrowhawk**, **Bar-tailed Trogon**, **Grey-throated Barbet**, **Willcocks's Honeyguide**, **Tullberg's Woodpecker**, **African Broadbill**, **Buff-throated Apalis**, **Pale-breasted Illadopsis**, **White-bellied Robin-Chat**, **Equatorial Akalat**, **Grey-headed Sunbird**, **Stuhlmann's Starling**, and **Black-necked and Black-billed Weaver**.

Since we had to be out of the forest by 17.00, we still had some daylight time left so we birded our way slowly back. Close by one of the first lodges Magnus found what was probably the rarest bird of the trip – a **Melodious Warbler**. This is the first record for Uganda of this species.

8/3 Bwindi Impenetrable NP (Buhoma)

Today was set aside for gorilla trekking. Having heard stories at the dinner table the previous night about hard and steep trekking for eight hours to see one of the gorilla groups, we were prepared for the worst, but hoped that we would be assigned to a group that was closer by.

Our prayers were heard and we were assigned to meet group M. Starting out at 09.00 it only took half an hour for the trekkers to locate the group. We then had the privilege to spend an hour in the company of these majestic animals – an experience not to be missed!



Eastern Gorilla (*Gorilla beringei*). ©Markus Lagerqvist

A bonus of finding the gorillas quickly was that we could spend the afternoon birding and at 14.00 we headed out on the Muzabajiro Loop. A bird I had really hoped to see, after only hearing it in Cameroon, and so far on this trip again hearing it in Nyungwe and Mgahinga was the **Grey-chested Kakamega**. When we heard another individual calling along this trail we therefore decided to do what we could to see it, keeping very still and quiet and working with playback. We probably spent half an hour trying to tease the bird out into the open, but once again had to admit defeat.

Otherwise birding was a bit slow, but we did see a few good species like a calling **Least Honeyguide** high up in a tree, **Black Bee-eater**, **Cardinal** and **Elliot's Woodpecker** and another **Jameson's Antpecker**. Back in the lodge area we once again connected with the **Melodious Warbler** (we assume it was the same individual), saw our first **Bocage's Bushshrike** and a pair of **Brown-capped Weavers**. We ended that day with a walk along the short Munyaga River Walk.

9/3 Buhoma-Ruhija

After breakfast we left the lodge and drove a short way to the agricultural lands down by the village. Alfred wasn't very keen on this stop – he wanted to get going and spend more time further on, but both me and Magnus insisted that we had to try for **Speckle-breasted Woodpecker** and **Bamboo Warbler**, two species present at the site. We were lucky with the woodpecker and soon got good observations, but the warbler proved very difficult – according to Alfred you need to visit the area in May or June to have a good chance of seeing the species, since they're quiet this time of the year. Apart from the woodpecker we also saw **Double-toothed Barbet**, **Compact Weaver** and our only **Brown-backed Scrub-Robin**.

A bit further on the landscape became much dryer, with a different set of species. We stopped the car every now and then and birded by foot along different sections of the road. This way we added quite a few really nice species like a **Rufous-necked Wryneck**, **Dark-capped Yellow Warbler**, a rare **Basra Reed-Warbler**, **Arrow-marked Babbler**, **Black Bishop**, **Yellow-bellied Waxbill** and **Brimstone** and **Black-throated Canary**.

Alfred knew a good spot for **Dusky Twinspot**, which Johan and Eja had yet to see. To see it we walked up a small slope and scanned the surrounding farmland and shrubbery, soon finding no less than five birds. In the same area a **Wing-snapping Cisticola** was display flying, but it took us some time to find the tiny bird, flying so high up in the sky you could hardly see it. Nearby a **Sharpe's Starling** was singing.

Again passing "The Neck" we stopped briefly by the bridge to scan for the **Cassin's Flycatcher** that had been strangely absent to first time we passed by. This time two birds were present.

At 14.40 we arrived at the I.T.F.C. (Institute for Tropical Forest Conservation) Guesthouse at 14.40 in Ruhija, situated at an altitude of 2,345 m.a.s.l. After offloading our bags we immediately went birding in the vicinities. Opposite the guesthouse a gravel path goes through some remnant forest patches and farmland. Here we finally got good views of **Black-billed Turaco**, as well as **African Black Swift**, **Rufous-breasted Sparrowhawk** and **Black-faced** and **Chestnut-throated Apalis**. In the farmland you have a good view of the landscape, and this is a reliable spot for **Yellow-crowned Canary**, even though it took some waiting before a couple of them landed in a bare tree.

Back at the guesthouse we positioned ourselves to see **Brown-necked Parrots** fly in to their roost before dusk – we ended up only seeing a single bird – the only one we saw on the trip. While waiting we also saw a **Grey Cuckooshrike** in the garden. After dark we took a short drive to a spot Alfred knew for **Rwenzori Nightjar**, here we got brief views of two birds hunting along a the slope below us.

After returning to the simple guesthouse again we lit a fire in the open fire-place and had a simple dinner, celebrating another successful day with a fine bottle of Black Label.

10/3 Ruhija (Mubwindi Swamp)-Kihiki

After a very windy night, with more time spent worrying about the bad weather than sleeping, it was time for us to head out on the Mubwindi Swamp trail in search of one of the most sought after Albertine Rift Endemics – the Grauer’s Broadbill. After breakfast the wind started to subside, as the sun warmed up the air, and with reports of a nest building pair on site a couple of weeks ago we were once again getting our hopes up!

At 07.30 our ranger finally materialized, and we headed out on the trail. We walked on fairly quickly to get to the best area, not seeing much more than a couple of **White-headed Wood Hoopoes** on the way. Well at the nest site we quickly discovered a pair of **Red-chested Owlets** giving us fantastic views. When inspecting the nest itself we saw that it looked unfinished and had probably been deserted. Maybe owls aren’t the bird’s favourite neighbours? Staking out the site for a while proved unproductive and we decided to walk down to the swamp, birding and keep listening for the characteristic sound.



The fabled Mubwindi Swamp. ©Markus Lagerqvist

Down by the swamp we saw a **White-bellied Crested Flycatcher**, **Purple-breasted** and **Blue-headed Sunbird**, **Waller's Starling**, **Grauer's Swamp-Warbler** and heard a **Red-chested Flufftail** that stubbornly refused to show itself to us.

After eating our packed lunch we kept searching different trails for the broadbill and finally chose a new stake-out at a ridge that Alfred guessed was the best spot to spend the last hour. Here we did finally get good views of **Dwarf Honeyguide**, but not a sign of the broadbill. Needless to say it was a very heavy walk back to the guesthouse. The only good bird on the way back was a single **Mountain Buzzard**.

At 17.50 we left Ruhija behind and drove to the town of Kihihi, arriving at 19.30 and checking in at the Rest in Garden Hotel. By staying at Kihihi, instead of spending the night in Ruhija, we would be right outside Queen Elizabeth NP, avoiding spending the morning hours driving.

11/3 Kihihi-Queen Elizabeth NP (Ishasha/Mweya sectors)

At 07.45 we departed Kihihi and soon entered the Ishasha sector of the famous Queen Elizabeth NP. This part of the park is well known for its tree climbing lions. We spent some time driving around scanning the area for lions, but without luck – instead we found another big cat – a splendid leopard!

The area is also really good for raptors, and species seen by us included **White-headed Vulture**, **Beudouin's** and **Brown Snake-Eagle** and **Martial Eagle**. Other birds seen were **African Grey Woodpecker** and **Northern Black-Flycatcher**. Continuing towards our lodge we added **Crested Guineafowl** and **Black-chinned Quailfinch** from the car.

At around 13.00 we arrived at the luxurious Jacana Lodge. After getting installed we enjoyed a fantastic three course lunch on the restaurant deck, overlooking Lake Nyamasingiri, meanwhile adding **Shining Blue Kingfisher** to the trip list.

At 14.50 we headed out on a game drive. Along the entrance road to the lodge we saw **Cardinal Quelea**, **Red-collared Widowbird** and **Broad-tailed Paradise-Whydah**, plus a spectacular Rock Python in middle of the road. Driving up to a spot overlooking one of the crater lakes north of the Kazinga Channel, we scoped **Lesser Flamingo** and **Great White** and **Pink-backed Pelican**. We then drove around on smaller dirt roads scanning the landscape for birds and mammals and saw species like **Black-bellied Bustard**, **Crowned Plover**, quite a few **Caspian Plovers** – some in summer plumage, **Kittlitz's Plover**, **Kurrichane Buttonquail** and **Rufous-naped Lark**.

As dusk was approaching we had a **Sooty Falcon** hunting over the grassland and then attracted another **Black-shouldered Nightjar** with playback. Driving back in the dark we spotted a very dark (melanistic?) genet in a tree and saw an African Civet crossing in front of the vehicle. Back at the lodge we had another lavish three course meal, before going to sleep in our comfortable beds.

12/3 Queen Elizabeth NP (Maramagambo Forest/Kazinga Channel)-Kibale NP

We began the day with forest birding in the Maramabango forest, right outside the lodge. Our main target for the morning was the strange black paradise-flycatchers that inhabit the area. According to “Where to Watch Birds in Uganda” they are melanistic **African Paradise-Flycatchers**, but Alfred had seen two short tailed individuals nesting and thought that they could actually be Bedford's Paradise-Flycatchers. We quickly got good views of a bird that we though look very much like a Bedford's, but also seeing longer-tailed individuals made us a bit sceptical. Maybe some more research is needed to clarify the picture?

Other birds seen in the forest during the morning included **Narina Trogon**, **Streaky-throated Barbet**, **Red-tailed** and **White-tailed Ant-Thrush**, **Rufous Flycatcher-Thrush** and **Red-capped Robin-Chat**. In a small wetland area we had **Stout Cisticola** and a flock of at least 200 **Violet-backed Starlings** flying over.

Back at the lodge we spent more time than planned enjoying another fantastic meal and we had to rush to the boat taking us out on the Kazinga Channel. From the car we spotted a **Southern Red Bishop**, and in some shrubbery close the dock we spent a few rushed minutes searching for roosting nightjars, seeing at least a couple of **Square-tailed Nightjars**.



African Savanna Elephant (*Loxodonta africana*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

The two hour boat tour started at 15.00 and gave more or less the expected species, like **Goliath Heron**, **Knob-billed Duck**, **Grey-hooded Gull** and a few **Heuglin's Gulls** among the more numerous **Lesser Black-backed Gulls**, large numbers of **Gull-billed** and **White-winged Terns**, plenty of **African Skimmers** and an **African Reed-Warbler**. Above us circled a single **Horus Swift**.

Now time had come for me to bid farewell to the rest of the group. Eja, Johan and Magnus, together with Alfred, had decided to spend one more week of birding visiting sites like Murchinson Falls NP, Budongo Forest and Semiliki NP, while I had to get back to work. However, I couldn't leave Uganda without trying to see Green-breasted Pitta, so I had decided to stay a couple of nights in Kibale on the way back to Entebbe.

I had arranged for a driver to pick me up after the boat ride, and while waiting we twitched a couple of **Red-capped Larks** at a nearby football field. At 17.50 the driver arrived and we headed north. The drive was uneventful, the only interesting sighting being a large flock of about a hundred **Alpine Swifts**. We arrived at the Chimpanzee Forest Guest House after dark and I had a simple dinner and went to bed.

13/3 Kibale NP

In the morning I met up with the local guide Benson Bamutura at the park HQ at Kanyanchu and also got assigned a park ranger who was familiar with the pitta. Knowing that the previous Swedish group failed to find the pitta a couple of weeks ago it felt good to have two competent guides to help me localize the bird.

The ranger had several good spots and we started by walking a short distance to a place where a **Green-breasted Pitta** had been seen a couple of days ago. Very slowly walking the path and carefully scanning the ground I almost immediately spotted a dark head with a pale eyebrow, and – there it was! Quietly feeding and jumping around on the forest floor, the magnificent bird gave us prolonged, close-up views. And it had taken us less than 30 minutes to find it!

Having expected to spend hours searching for the bird I now had plenty of bonus time. Discussing my options with Benson, we decided to drive a short distance to a clearing along the road going through the park and look for pigeons. We didn't see the target White-naped Pigeon and only heard an **Afep Pigeon** calling. At the same spot we had poor views of a couple of **Joyful Greenbuls**.

Since activity was low we drove to another good spot for pigeons at Sebitoli in the northern part of the park. Walking along the road, scanning the treetops was however unsuccessful, even though we got great views of **Yellow-mantled** and **Brown-capped Weaver**. After lunch at the restaurant at Kanyanchu we spent the afternoon at the nearby Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary. A lot of rain limited our birding time and we couldn't find the wished for White-collared Oliveback. The best bird of the afternoon was instead a **Papyrus Gonolek** and a couple of **Compact Weavers** in the village.

Back at the guesthouse I was surprised at meeting a Swedish girl working in Kampala, with her boyfriend and a colleague from Italy. They liked to get out of the city during the weekends and often came to the Guest House. We spent a great evening talking, listening to music and drinking red wine and Tusker beer, before going to bed a bit later than planned. What a good way to end the last birding day of the trip!

14/3 Kibale NP-Kampala-Entebbe

Today was mostly a transportation day, getting back to Entebbe. We made a short morning stop at Sebitoli, not seeing anything new and then continued. Just before Kiganda we stopped by the roadside to stretch our legs by a large papyrus swamp. **Papyrus Gonoleks** were calling, and walking along the edge I flushed a bird that flew into the papyrus and landed in clear view – a **Dwarf Bittern!** The last new bird of the trip!

In Kampala I had lunch at a really nice Indian restaurant and went shopping for souvenirs and presents for people back home, before driving to Entebbe checking in at a hotel for a few of hours to get a shower and pack my bags properly before catching the late evening flight back to Sweden.

End of trip.



Lion (*Panthera leo*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

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I likeable guide who made a good impression on me the day I spent with him in Kibale NP. According to him he can also arrange trips to other parts of Uganda and accompany as a guide.

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Accommodation

Golf View Inn, Entebbe

Web site: www.golfview-inn.com

Tel: +256 (0)41 711 6000

A rather uninspiring hotel, but ok for a night or two and well located close to the airport and within walking distance to Entebbe Botanical Gardens if you have some spare time.

Soroti Hotel, Soroti

Tel: +256 (0)45 61269, 61563

A good choice in Soroti with clean rooms and an adequate restaurant.

Apoka Lodge, Kidepo Valley NP

Web site: www.wildplacesafrica.com/apoka-lodge/

E-mail: info@wildplacesafrica.com

A luxurious lodge with a great view over surrounding plains, very comfortable rooms, a nice pool, great service, great food and free drinks – but it will cost you! Full board accommodation, including drinks, game drives, walking safaris, local airstrip transfers, activities, ranger guide fees costs USD405 per person in a double room or USD450 for a single room. The only negative aspect was that Alfred, our guide, was not allowed to eat with us in the dining room – he had to eat his meals in the kitchen.

Kingfisher Safaris Lodge, Jinja

Web site: www.kingfishersafaris.net

E-mail: kingfishersafaris@gmx.net

A nice lodge situated by Lake Victoria with basic rooms and a busy restaurant and a lot of tourists. Accommodation for non residents costs EUR55-65 for a double room or EUR40 for a single room.

Lake Mburo Tented Camp, Lake Mburo NP

Web site: www.kimbla-mantanauganda.com/

E-mail: mantana@africaonline.co.ug

A highly recommended choice, perfectly situated with a great view of the park, very good food and comfortable tents. A double costs USD325 and a single USD215 per night.

Dereva Hotel, Rwamagana

Web site: derevahotel@yahoo.fr

Tel: 567244 08876921

A nice hotel, with a good restaurant, situated outside Akagera NP, if you can't get accommodation inside the park.

Gisakura Guesthouse, Gisakura (Nyungwe Forest NP)

Located about 2 km outside the park by the Gisakura Tea Estate. Basic, but clean rooms and a buffet style canteen.

Hotel Chez Lando, Kigali

Web site: www.chezlando.com/inside.php

E-mail: info@chezlando.com

A nice and friendly hotel with a good restaurant, away from the city centre. A standard room cost USD60 for a single occupancy and USD70 for a double occupancy.

Kisoro Tourist Hotel, Kisoro

Web site: www.aboutuganda.com/kisorotourist.html

Basic but adequate with an in-house restaurant. A room including breakfast costs USD40 for a single and USD50 for a double room.

Buhoma Community Rest Camp, Buhoma

Web site: www.buhomacommunity.com/acc.php

E-mail: buhomacommunity@yahoo.com

Lots of lodges to choose from in Buhoma, but Buhoma Community Rest Camp is a good choice – nothing luxurious but a nice place with a good restaurant and bar.

I.T.F.C. Guesthouse, Ruhija

Web site: www.itfc.org/

E-mail: info@itfc.org

Very basic and you have to bring your own food, but situated right outside the park gates. A dorm bed costs USD15 per person per night.

Jacana Safari Lodge, Queen Elizabeth NP

Web site: www.hotelsinuganda.com/jacana.html

A fantastic place with great bungalow room and a restaurant with view over the lake that served absolutely fantastic food – warmly recommended. Full board costs USD160 for a single USD160 and USD 280 for a double.

Chimpanzee Forest Guest House, Kibale NP

Web site: <http://www.traveluganda.co.ug/chimpguesthousekibale>

E-mail: chimgueste@yahoo.com

Fairly basic rooms, but with a nice living room where good food is served and a beautiful garden – recommended. A single occupancy costs USH60,000 and a double USH80,000.

Recommended reading

Stevenson, Terry; Fanshawe, John: “*Field Guide to the Birds of East Africa*”, T & A D Poyser, 2002
The best field guide of the region, highly recommended.

Sinclair, Ian; Ryan, Peter: “*Birds of Africa south of the Sahara*”, Struik Publishers, 2003
A good complement to Field Guide to the Birds of East Africa – more splits and nice to see the distribution outside East Africa.

Kingdon, Jonathan: “*The Kingdon Field Guide to African Mammals*”, A & C Black, 1997

Trip reports from www.travellingbirder.com



White-bellied Bustard (*Eupodotis senegalensis*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

Range restricted target species not encountered

The following twelve range restricted species were targeted (or dreamed about) but not found. A couple of other specialty species were not possible at the sites visited by us but can be seen at other sites (e.g. Uganda Woodland-Warbler and Ituri Batis):

- **White-naped Pigeon** (*Columba albinucha*): Restricted to the Albertine Rift and SW Cameroon. Present in Kibale NP, but did not spend much time looking for it.
- **Itombwe Owl** (*Tyto progoginei*): Very little is known about this Albertine Rift Endemic, might be possible in Nyungwe Forest NP, but no night time birding is allowed.
- **Albertine Owlet** (*Glaucidium albertinum*): Present in Nyungwe Forest NP, but you need to be very lucky to bump into one and no night time birding is allowed.
- **Schouteden's Swift** (*Schoutedenapus schoutedeni*): Officially endemic to E DRC, but swifts that fit the description of this species has been reported from Nyungwe Forest NP.
- **Grauer's Broadbill** (*Pseudocalyptomena graueri*): The major disappointment of the trip was that this year's nesting pair at Mubwindi Swamp had abandoned their nest. We should have allotted at least another day at the site.
- **Kivu Ground-Thrush** (*Geokichla tanganyicae*): This Albertine Rift endemic could have been seen at several sites, but the thrushes were not singing this time of the year.
- **Oberlaender's Ground-Thrush** (*Geokichla oberlaenderi*): Another thrush endemic to the Albertine Rift, but rarer than the previous species.
- **Bamboo Warbler** (*Bradypterus alfredi*): Scattered distribution from southern Ethiopia to northern Zambia. Easier to find when singing in May-June.
- **Karamoja Apalis** (*Apalis karamojae*): Only found around Kidepo Valley and Moroto in northeastern Uganda and the Wembere floodplain in central Tanzania. We had hoped to see this species in Kidepo Valley NP, but maybe recent bushfires made it more difficult to find, or it might be easier during another season.
- **Rockefeller's Sunbird** (*Cinnyris rockefelleri*): Little known Albertine Rift Endemic present in Nyungwe Forest NP. Ideally we should have had at least one more day in the park, we now ended up with almost no time spent in the best areas for this species.
- **White-collared Oliveback** (*Nesocharis ansorgei*): A skulky species that like wet habitats, like papyrus swamps, could have been seen at a number of sites, like Nyamuriro or Bigodi, but we spent little time focusing on this bird. It was seen by the rest of the group after I went back to Sweden.
- **Shelley's Crimsonwing** (*Cryptosiza shelleyi*): We would have needed more time in Nyungwe Forest NP and/or Mgahinga Gorilla NP to search for this sough after Albertine Rift Endemic.

Species list

Taxonomy not based on any specific authority.

Heard only species indicated by *.

Range restricted/target species in **red bold** typeface.

Ostriches	<i>Struthionidae</i>
Common Ostrich 23/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 4 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Struthio c. camelus</i>
Ducks	<i>Anatidae</i>
Fulvous Whistling-Duck 21/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 4 sp, Lake Bisina	<i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>
White-faced Whistling-Duck 20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 40+ sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 100+ sp, Lake Bisina 23/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 15+ sp, Mabamba Bay	<i>Dendrocygna viduata</i>
Spur-winged Goose 20/2, 4 sp, Mabamba Bay 22/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina	<i>Plectropterus g. gambensis</i>
Knob-billed Duck 12/3, 3 sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotos</i>
Egyptian Goose 1/3, 15+ sp, Akagera NP 12/3, 50+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Alopochen aegyptiaca</i>
Hottentot Teal 27/2, 4 sp, Masaka-Lake Mburo NP	<i>Punanetta hottentota</i>
Yellow-billed Duck 20/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay 27/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura 4/3, 7 sp, Kabale-Kisoro	<i>Anas u. undulata</i>
New World Quail	<i>Odontophoridae</i>
Nahan's Francolin 26/2, 1 sp + heard, Mabira Forest	<i>Ptilopachus nahani</i>

Guineafowl

Numididae

Crested Guineafowl

11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Guttera pucherani verreauxi

Helmeted Guineafowl

23/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 30+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 15+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Numida m. meleagris

Pheasants

Phasianidae

Clapperton's Francolin

23/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Pternistis clappertoni

Yellow-necked Francolin

24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Pternistis leucoscepus

Scaly Francolin

12/3, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest

Pternistis squamatus

Red-necked Francolin

27/2, 20+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 20+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
11/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Pternistis afer cranchii

Handsome Francolin

2/3, 1 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
9/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Pternistis nobilis

Coqui Francolin

27/2, heard, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 2 heard, Akagera NP

Peliperdix coqui maharao

Crested Francolin

23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP

Dentroperdix sephaena grantii

Ring-necked Francolin

22/2, 2 sp, Kitgum-Kidepo Valley NP

Dendroperdix streptophorus

Flamingos***Phoenicopteridae***

Lesser Flamingo
11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Phoeniconaias minor

Grebes***Podicipedidae***

Little Grebe
27/2, 1 sp, Masaka-Lake Mburo NP
4/3, 4 sp, Kabale-Kisoro

Tachybaptus r. ruficollis

Sandgrouse***Pteroclididae***

Four-banded Sandgrouse
23/2, 1 pair, Kidepo Valley NP

Pterocles quadricinctus

Doves and Pigeons***Columbidae***

Dusky Turtle Dove
5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Streptopelia lugens

Morning Collared Dove
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina

Streptopellia decipiens logonensis

Red-eyed Dove
21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP
5/3, 10+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
9/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Streptopelia semitorquata

Ring-necked Dove
27/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 30+ sp, Akagera NP
11/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP

Streptopelia capicola tropica

Vinaceous Dove
22/2, 30+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP

Streptopelia vinacea

Laughing Dove
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana

Streptopelia s. senegalensis

Common Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>
20/2, 5+ sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay	
22/2, 5+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP	
26/2, 3 sp, Kampala	
27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 7 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana	
14/3, 15 sp, Kibale-Kampala	
Speckled Pigeon	<i>Columba g. guinea</i>
23/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
25/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	
Afep Pigeon*	<i>Columba unicincta</i>
13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP	
African Olive Pigeon	<i>Columba arquatrix</i>
2/2, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP	
5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP	
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest	
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
9/3, 6 sp, Ruhija	
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija	
African Green-Pigeon	<i>Treron calva (ssp.?)</i>
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP	
4/3, 3 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro	
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	
13/3, 4 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	
Emerald-spotted Wood-Dove	<i>Turtur chalcospilus</i>
27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 15+ sp, Lake Mburo NP	
1/3, 15+ sp, Akagera NP	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Black-billed Wood-Dove	<i>Turtur abyssinicus</i>
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
Blue-spotted Wood-Dove	<i>Turtur afer</i>
20/1, 1 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay	
28/2, 2 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana	
4/3, 20+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna	
5/3, 1 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP	
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	
8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma	
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma	
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	

Tambourine Dove
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay

Turtur tympanistria

Namaqua Dove
21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti
25/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP

Oena c. capensis

Nightjars

Caprimulgidae

Black-shouldered Nightjar
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 1 sp + heard, Queen Elizabeth NP

Caprimulgus nigriscapularis

Rwenzori Nightjar
2/3, 1 sp, Gisakura
3/3, 1 sp, Gisakura
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Caprimulgus r. ruwenzorii

Swamp Nightjar*
22/2, heard, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, heard, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, heard, Kidepo Valley NP

Caprimulgus n. natalensis

Plain Nightjar
22/2, 5 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Caprimulgus inornatus

Square-tailed Nightjar
12/3, 2-3 sp, Kazinga Channel

Camprimulgus fossii welwitschii

Swifts

Apodidae

Scarce Swift
2/3, 5+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck

Schoutedenapus myoptilus chapini

Sabine's Spinetail
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest NP

Rhaphidura sabini

African Palm-Swift
21/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti
22/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja
12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel
13/3, 10+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Cypsiurus parvus myochrous

Alpine Swift
12/3, 100+ sp, QENP-Kibale NP

Apus melba

Mottled Swift
25/2, 10+ sp, Namalu, Debasien Range
13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP

Apus a. aequatorialis

Common Swift
6/3, 10+ sp, The Neck

Apus a. apus

African Black Swift
9/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Apus barbatus roehli

Little Swift
27/2, 20+ sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
4/3, 30+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
11/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Apus affinis aerobates

Horus Swift
12/3, 1 sp, Kazinga Channel

Apus h. horus

White-rumped Swift
23/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
27/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 15+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro

Apus caffer

Bustards

Otididae

Black-bellied Bustard
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Lissotis m. melanogaster

Hartlaub's Bustard
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Lissotis hartlaubii

White-bellied Bustard
23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Eupodotis senegalensis canicollis

Cuckoos

Cuculidae

Blue-headed Coucal
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/1, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
6/3, 1 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Centropus monachus fischeri

White-browed Coucal 27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, heard, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP 9/3, 1 heard, Buhoma-Ruhija 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Centropus superciliosus loandae</i>
Black Coucal 21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina	<i>Centropus grillii</i>
Blue Yellowbill 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest 13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP	<i>Ceuthmochares a. aereus</i>
Levaillant's Cuckoo 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Clamator levaillanti</i>
Thick-billed Cuckoo* 28/2, 1 heard, Lake Mburo NP	<i>Pachycoccyx audeberti validus</i>
Diederik Cuckoo 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 1 heard, Buhoma 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Chrysococcyx caprius</i>
Klaas's Cuckoo 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay 5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Chrysococcyx klaas</i>
African Emerald Cuckoo 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma 8/3, 1 female, Buhoma	<i>Chrysococcyx c. cupreus</i>
Dusky Long-tailed Cuckoo 21/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest 26/2, 1 + heard, Mabira Forest 6/3, 1 heard, Nyamuriro Wetland 7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma 8/3, 1 heard, Buhoma 13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP	<i>Cercococcyx mechowii</i>

Olive Long-tailed Cuckoo*
7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma

Cercococcyx olivinus

Barred Long-tailed Cuckoo
2/3, 1 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
9/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 1 heard, Buhoma

Cercococcyx m. montanus

Black Cuckoo
21/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest NP

Cuculus clamosus gabonensis

Red-chested Cuckoo
28/2, 1 heard, Lake Mburo NP
7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 3 heard, Buhoma
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP

Cuculus solitarius

African Cuckoo
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

Cuculus gularis

Common Cuckoo
27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Cuculus canorus

Cranes

Gruidae

Grey Crowned Crane
25/2, 2 sp, Jinja
27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 2 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
4/3, 5+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
4/3, 37 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro

6/3, 2 sp, The Neck
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija-Kihihi
11/3, 4 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Balearica regulorum gibbericeps

Finfoots

Heliornithidae

African Finfoot
28/2, 5 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Podica s. senegalensis

Flufftails

Sarothruridae

White-spotted Flufftail

21/2, 1 sp heard, Mabira Forest
12/1, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Sarothrura pulchra centralis

Buff-spotted Flufftail*

26/2, 1 sp heard, Mabira Forest

Sarothrura elegans reichenovi

Red-chested Flufftail*

22/2, 1 sp heard, Lake Bisina
10/3, 2 heard, Mubwindi Swamp, Ruhija

Sarothrura rufa elizabethae

Rails

Rallidae

Black Crake

21/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 1 sp, Masaka-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
12/3, 4 sp, Kazinga Channel

Amaurornis flavirostra

African Swamphen

21/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina

Porphyrio madagascariensis

Common Moorhen

20/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 1 sp, Masaka-Lake Mburo NP
4/3, 3 sp, Kabale-Kisoro

Gallinula chloropus meridionalis

Red-knobbed Coot

21/2, 3 sp, Lake Bisina
27/2, 1 sp, Masaka-Lake Mburo NP
4/3, 3 sp, Kabale-Kisoro

Fulica cristata

Turacos

Musophagidae

Great Blue Turaco

21/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, heard, Mabamba Bayne
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary
14/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

Corythaëola cristata

White-bellied Go-away-bird

23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Criniferoides leucogaster

Bare-faced Go-away-bird
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Corythaixoides personatus leopoldi

Eastern Plantain-eater
20/2, 2 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 1 sp, Jinja

Crinifer zonurus

Rwenzori Turaco
5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Gallirex j. johnstoni

Rwenzori Turaco
2/3, 2 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP

Gallirex johnstoni kivuensis

Black-billed Turaco
26/2, 1 sp + 3 heard, Mabira Forest
2/3, 2 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Tauraco schuettii emini

Ross's Turaco
28/2, 1 heard, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Musophaga rossae

Storks

Ciconiidae

African Openbill
21/2, 1 sp, Victoria Nile, Jinja
23/2, 40+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest-Kampala
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 19 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
4/3, 5+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
14/3, 10+ sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

Anastomus l. lamelligerus

Black Stork
25/2, 1 sp, Chapsikunya

Ciconia nigra

Abdim's Stork
25/2, 30+ sp, Jinja

Ciconia abdimii

Woolly-necked Stork
25/2, 2+ sp, Jinja
9/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

Ciconia episcopus microscelis

Saddle-bill Stork
12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel

Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis

Marabou Stork
A common species, seen on many dates

Leptoptilos crumeniferus

Yellow-billed Stork
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura
4/3, 6 sp, Kigali-Gatuna
12/3, 10+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Mycteria ibis

Anhingas

Anhingidae

African Darter
21/2, 1 sp, Victoria Nile, Jinja
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Anhinga r. rufa

Cormorants

Phalacrocoracidae

Reed Cormorant
20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, common, Lake Bisina
22/2, common, Lake Bisina
25/2, 5+ sp, Jinja
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
1/3, 4 sp, Akagera NP

Phalacrocorax a. africanus

White-breasted Cormorant
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 100+, Kazinga Channel

Phalacrocorax lucidus

Hamerkop

Scopidae

Hamerkop
20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
25/2, 2 sp, Jinja
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 3 sp, Kazinga Channel

Scopus u. umbretta

Shoebill

Balaenicipitidae

Shoebill
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay

Balaeniceps rex

Pelicans

Pelecanidae

Great White Pelican

11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 10+, Kazinga Channel

Pelecanus onocrotalus

Pink-backed Pelican

21/2, 5+ sp, Mbale
25/2, 4 sp, Jinja
11/3, 80+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 30+, Kazinga Channel

Pelecanus rufescens

Ibises

Threskiornithidae

African Sacred Ibis

6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Swamp
12/3, 3 sp, Kazinga Channel

Threskiornis aethiopicus

Hadada Ibis

26/2, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest-Kampala
27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP
4/3, 3 sp, Kabale-Kisoro
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga NP
5/3, 2 sp, Kisoro

Bostrychia hagedash nilotica

6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
9/3, 4 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
10/3, 4 sp, Ruhija
12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel
14/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

African Spoonbill

5/3, 1 sp, Kisoro
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Platalea alba

Hérons

Ardeidae

Little Bittern

28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Ixobrychus m. minutus

Dwarf Bittern

14/3, 1 sp, Kiganda

Ixobrychus sturmii

White-backed Night-Heron

28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Gorsachius leuconotus

Black-crowned Night-Heron

28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP

Nycticorax n. nycticorax

Striated Heron	<i>Butorides striata atricapilla</i>
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina	
22/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina	
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Squacco Heron	<i>Ardeola ralloides</i>
20/2, common, Mabamba Bay	
21/2, common, Lake Bisina	
22/2, common, Lake Bisina	
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP	
12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel	
Western Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus i. ibis</i>
20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay	
21/2, common, Entebbe-Soroti	
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
25/2, 20+ sp, Jinja	
27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
28/2, 20+ sp, Lake Mburo-Rwamagana	
1/3, 30+ sp, Akagera NP	
20/2, 5 sp, Mabamba Bay	
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea c. cinerea</i>
20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay	
21/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina	
22/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina	
25/2, 3 sp, Jinja	
27/2, 1 sp, Kampala-Lake Mburo NP	
12/3, 10+ sp, Kazinga Channel	
Black-headed Heron	<i>Ardea melanocephala</i>
20/2, 2 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay	
21/2, 3 sp, Jinja-Soroti	
22/2, 5+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP	
23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
25/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 2 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana	
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura	
5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga NP-Kisoro	
6/3, 3 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland	
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
13/3, 3 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	
Goliath Heron	<i>Ardea goliath</i>
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
12/3, 1 sp, Kazinga Channel	

Purple Heron 20/2, common, Mabamba Bay 21/2, common, Lake Bisina 22/2, common, Lake Bisina 27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay 6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland	<i>Ardea p. purpurea</i>
Western Great Egret 25/2, 1 sp, Jinja 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Ardea alba melanorhyncha</i>
Yellow-billed Egret 20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay 25/2, 100+ sp, Jinja 27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 1 sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Mesophoyx intermedia brachyrhyncha</i>
Little Egret 21/2, 40+ sp, Victoria Nile, Jinja 27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay 12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Egretta g. garzetta</i>

Thick-knees

Burhinidae

Water Thick-knee 27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 10+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Burhinus v. vermiculatus</i>
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Plovers

Charadriidae

Long-toed Lapwing 20/2, 30+ sp, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP	<i>Vanellus c. crassirostris</i>
Spur-winged Lapwing 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP 12/3, 20+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Vanellus spinosus</i>
Black-headed Lapwing 23/2, 3 ad + 2 juv, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Vanellus t. tectus</i>

Senegal Lapwing 1/3, 18 sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Vanellus lugubris</i>
Crowned Plover 11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Vanellus c. coronatus</i>
African Wattled Lapwing 23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP 27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP 6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland 11/3, 15+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Vanellus s. senegallus</i>
Common Ringed Plover 12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>
Little Ringed Plover 21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina	<i>Charadrius dubius curonicus</i>
Kittlitz's Plover 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Charadrius pecuarius</i>
Caspian Plover 11/3, 39 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Charadrius asiaticus</i>

Stilts and Avocets

Recurvirostridae

Black-winged Stilt 11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>
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Jaçanas

Jacanidae

Lesser Jaçana 20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 4 sp, Lake Bisina 27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay	<i>Microparra capensis</i>
African Jaçana 20/2, common, Mabamba Bay 21/2, common, Lake Bisina 22/2, common, Lake Bisina 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 5+ sp, Masaka-Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP 12/3, 3 sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Actophilornis africanus</i>

Painted-snipes***Rostratulidae***

Greater Painted-snipe
22/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina

Rostratula benghalensis

Sandpipers***Scolopacidae***

Common Snipe
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Gallinago g. gallinago

Common Sandpiper
20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 2 sp, Lake Bisina
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
12/3, 15+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Actitis hypoleucos

Green Sandpiper
21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Tringa ochropus

Common Greenshank
12/3, 3 sp, Kazinga Channel

Tringa nebularia

Marsh Sandpiper
12/3, 10+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Tringa stagnatilis

Wood Sandpiper
20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel

Tringa glareola

Ruff
12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Philomachus pugnax

Little Stint
12/3, 10+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Ereunetes minutus

Curlew Sandpiper
12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Ereunetes ferruginea

Buttonquail***Turnicidae***

Kurrichane Buttonquail
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Turnix sylvatica lepuranus

Black-rumped Buttonquail
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Turnix nana

Gulls

Laridae

Grey-hooded Gull
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
12/3, 20+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus poiocephalus

Heuglin's Gull
12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel

Larus heuglini

Lesser Black-backed Gull
12/3, 30+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Larus f. fuscus

Terns

Sternidae

Gull-billed Tern
12/3, 100+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Gelochelidon n. nilotica

White-winged Tern
12/3, 200+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Chlidonias leucopterus

Whiskered Tern
21/2, common, Lake Bisina
22/2, common, Lake Bisina
27/2, 20+ sp, Mabamba Bay

Chlidonias h. hybrida

Skimmers

Rynchopidae

African Skimmer
12/3, 50+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Rynchops flavirostris

Ospreys

Pandionidae

Eurasian Osprey
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo
11/2, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Pandion haliaetus

Hawks

Accipitridae

Black-winged Kite
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti
22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo valley NP-Jinja
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
28/2, 2 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

Elanus c. caeruleus

11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 1 sp, QENP-Kibale NP	
African Harrier-Hawk	<i>Polyboroides t. typus</i>
26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest	
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura	
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
13/3, 2 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	
Palm-nut Vulture	<i>Gypohierax angolensis</i>
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay	
9/3, 1-2 sp, Buhoma	
11/3, 15+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel	
Egyptian Vulture	<i>Neophron p. percnopterus</i>
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
White-headed Vulture	<i>Trigonoceps occipitalis</i>
23/2, 4 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Lappet-faced Vulture	<i>Torgos t. tracheliotus</i>
23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Hooded Vulture	<i>Necrosyrtes monachus</i>
23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest	
White-backed Vulture	<i>Gyps africanus</i>
23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
28/2, 7 sp, Mburo NP	
11/3, 15+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Bateleur	<i>Terathopius ecaudatus</i>
23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
25/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP	
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Beaudouin's Snake-Eagle	<i>Circaetus beaudouini</i>
22/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Brown Snake-Eagle	<i>Circaetus cinereus</i>
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	

Bat Hawk 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Macheiramphus alcinus anderssoni</i>
Crowned Eagle 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 3/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija	<i>Stephanoaetus coronatus</i>
Martial Eagle 11/3, 1-2 imm, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Polemaetus bellicosus</i>
Lesser Spotted Eagle 22/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Lophaetus pomarina</i>
Long-crested Eagle 21/2, 1 sp, Kampala 22/9, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest 6/3, 1 sp, The Neck 11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Lophaetus occipitalis</i>
Wahlberg's Eagle 20/2, 1 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay 26/2, 1 sp?, Mabira Forest 27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Hieraetus wahlbergi</i>
Ayres's Hawk-Eagle 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest	<i>Hieraetus ayresii</i>
Tawny Eagle 23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Aquila rapax belisarius</i>
Cassin's Hawk-Eagle 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest	<i>Aquila africana</i>
African Hawk-Eagle 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	<i>Aquila spilogaster</i>
Verreaux's Eagle 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Aquila verreauxii</i>

Lizard Buzzard 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti 22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija-Buhoma 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Kaupifalco m. monogrammicus</i>
Gabar Goshawk 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 1 sp, Jinja	<i>Micronisus gabar aequatorius</i>
Dark Chanting Goshawk 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Melierax m. metabates</i>
Eastern Chanting Goshawk 24/2, 1 sp?, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Melierax poliopterus</i>
Pallid Harrier 21/2, 1 sp?, Mabira Forest-Soroti 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	<i>Circus macrourus</i>
Montagu's Harrier 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 11/3, 1 male, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Circus pygargus</i>
Western Marsh Harrier 21/2, 3 sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay 6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>
African Marsh Harrier 20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay 1/3, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	<i>Circus ranivorus</i>
African Goshawk 5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 13/3, 1 sp?, Kibale NP	<i>Accipiter tachiro</i>
Shikra 20/2, 1 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Accipiter badius sphenurus</i>

Little Sparrowhawk 7/3, 1 imm, Buhoma	<i>Accipiter minullus</i>
Ovampo Sparrowhawk 4/3, 1 sp, Kisoro	<i>Accipiter ovampensis</i>
Rufous-breasted Sparrowhawk 5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija	<i>Accipiter r. rufiventris</i>
Black Sparrowhawk 3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 8/3, 1 adult, Buhoma	<i>Accipiter m. melanoleucus</i>
Black Kite 21/2, 1 sp, Mbale 22-25/2, common, northern Uganda 2/3, 100+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 4/3, 20+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro 12/3, 50+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Milvus m. migrans</i>
Yellow-billed Kite A commons species recorded on most dates	<i>Milvus aegyptius</i>
African Fish-Eagle 20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay 25/2, 1 sp, Jinja 27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 15+ sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP	<i>Haliaeetus vocifer</i>
Grasshopper Buzzard 22/2, 15+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Butastur rufipennis</i>
Augur Buzzard 28/2, 2 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura 4/3, 3 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro 6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest 6/3, 1 sp, The Neck 6/3, 10+ sp, Kisoro-Buhoma 8/3, 3 imm, Buhoma 9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija 9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija	<i>Buteo augur</i>
Common Buzzard 2/3, 100+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija	<i>Buteo buteo vulpinus</i>

Mountain Buzzard
2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Buteo oreophilus

Mousebirds

Coliidae

Speckled Mousebird
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Colius striatus jebelensis

Speckled Mousebird
20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
25/2, 1 sp, Jinja
27/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 15+ sp, Akagera NP
4/3, 30+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 15+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
9/3, common, Buhoma
9/3, common, Buhoma-Ruhija
11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 15+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
13/3, 10+ sp, Kibale NP
13/3, 10+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Colius striatus kiwuensis

Blue-naped Mousebird
23/2, 6 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Urocolius macrourus pulcher

Blue-naped Mousebird
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Urocolius macrourus griseogularis

Typical Owls

Strigidae

African Scops-owl*
27/2, 3 heard, Lake Mburo NP

Otus s. senegalensis

Red-chested Owlet
10/3, 1 pair, Ruhija

Glaucidium tephronotum medje

Northern White-faced Owl
22/2, 2 sp?, Kidepo Valley NP

Ptilopsis leucotis

Greyish Eagle-owl
22/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Bubo cinerascens

Verreaux's Eagle-owl
24/9, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

Bubo lacteus

Trogons

Trogonidae

Narina Trogon
12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Apaloderma narina brachyurum

Bar-tailed Trogon
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Apaloderma vittatum camerunensis

Hoopoes

Upupidae

Eurasian Hoopoe
23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/9, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Upupa epops senegalensis

Woodhoopoes

Phoeniculidae

Forest Wood Hoopoe
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest

Phoeniculus castaneiceps brunneiceps

White-headed Wood Hoopoe
2/3, 5 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Phoeniculus bollei jacksoni

Green Wood Hoopoe
2/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP

Phoeniculus purpureus marwitzi

Black Scimitarbill
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Rhinopomastus aterrimus emini

Common Scimitarbill
27/9, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Rhinopomastus cyanomelas schalowi

Hornbills

Bucerotidae

Crowned Hornbill
20/2, 4 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Tockus alboterminatus

African Pied Hornbill
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay

Tockus f. fasciatus

African Grey Hornbill

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Akagera NP

Red-billed Hornbill

23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Jackson's Hornbill

23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Black-and-white-casqued Hornbill

20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest
26/9, 20+ sp, Mabira Forest
3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest
6/3, 2 sp, The Neck
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
13/3, 5+ sp, Kibale NP
13/3, 5+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Tockus nasutus epirhinus

Tockus e. erythrorhynchus

Tockus jacksoni

Bycanistes subcylindricus subquadrata

Bee-eaters

Meropidae

Black Bee-eater

6/3, 3 sp, The Neck
8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

Merops gularis australis

Swallow-tailed Bee-eater

23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Merops hirundineus heuglini

Cinnamon-chested Bee-eater

2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
6/3, 2 sp, Kisoro-Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija

Merops oreobates

Little Bee-eater 24/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Merops pusillus ocularis</i>
Little Bee-eater 11/2, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Merops pusillus meridionalis</i>
Blue-breasted Bee-eater 20/2, 30+ sp, Mabamba Bay 27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay	<i>Merops variegates loringi</i>
White-throated Bee-eater 24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Merops albicollis</i>
Blue-cheeked Bee-eater 20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 20+ sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina 27/2, 4 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP	<i>Merops persicus chrysocercus</i>
European Bee-eater 28/2, 1 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura	<i>Merops apiaster</i>

Rollers

Coraciidae

Purple Roller 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 5 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	<i>Coracias n. naevia</i>
Lilac-breasted Roller 27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP	<i>Coracias c. caudata</i>
Abyssinian Roller 22/2, 15+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 5+, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Coracias abyssinica</i>
Blue-throated Roller 21/2, 4 sp, Mabira Forest 7/3, 1 sp + 1 heard, Buhoma 13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP	<i>Eurystomus gularis neglectus</i>

Broad-billed Roller	<i>Eurystomus glaucurus afer</i>
20/2, 10+ sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay	
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti	
26/2, 1 sp, Jinja-Mabira Forest	
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
14/3, 4 sp, Kibale NP-Kampala	

Kingfishers

Alcedinidae

Grey-headed Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon l. leucocephala</i>
12/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	

Striped Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon c. chelicuti</i>
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti	
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP	
11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	

Blue-breasted Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon m. malimbica</i>
21/2, heard, Mabira Forest	
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest	
12/3, 3 sp, Maramagambo Forest	

Woodland Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon senegalensis</i>
21/2, 1 sp, Mbale	
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 4 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana	

African Pygmy Kingfisher	<i>Ispidina p. picta</i>
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest	
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	

African Pygmy Kingfisher	<i>Ispidina picta ferruginea</i>
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest	

Malachite Kingfisher	<i>Corythornis cristata galerita</i>
20/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
21/2, 3 sp, Lake Bisina	
22/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina	
25/2, 1 sp, Jinja	
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay	
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 1 sp, Akagera NP	
6/3, 3 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland	
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel	

Shining Blue Kingfisher
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Alcedo quadribrachys guentheri

Pied Kingfisher
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina
25/2, 3 sp, Jinja
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 30+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 6+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 100+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Ceryle r. rudis

African Barbets

Lybiidae

Grey-throated Barbet
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
7/3, 4 sp, Buhoma
10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Gymnobucco bonapartei cinereiceps

Speckled Tinkerbird
21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 4 sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
7/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
12/3, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Pogoniulus scolopaceus flavisquamatus

Western Tinkerbird
3/2, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Pogoniulus coryphaeus hildamariae

Yellow-throated Tinkerbird
21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, heard, The Neck
7/3, heard, Buhoma

Pogoniulus subsulphureus flavimentum

Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP
12/3, 3 sp, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP

Pogoniulus bilineatus leucolaimus

Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird 2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 5/3, 2 sp + 2 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 6/3, 1 sp + heard, The Neck 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija 10/3, 2 heard, Ruhija	<i>Pogoniulus bilineatus mfumbiri</i>
Yellow-fronted Tinkerbird 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Pogoniulus chrysoconus affinis</i>
Yellow-spotted Barbet 21/2, heard, Mabira Forest 26/2, heard, Mabira Forest 6/3, 2 sp, The Neck 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP	<i>Buccanodon duchaillui</i>
Streaky-throated Barbet 26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest 12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest 13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	<i>Tricholaema flavipunctata ansorgii</i>
Spot-flanked Barbet 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Tricholaema l. lacrymosa</i>
Spot-flanked Barbet 27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 20+ sp, Akagera NP	<i>Tricholaema lacrymosa radcliffei</i>
White-headed Barbet* 11/3, 1 heard, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Lybius l. leucocephalus</i>
Red-faced Barbet 27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP	<i>Lybius rubrifacies</i>
Black-billed Barbet 22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Lybius guifsobalito</i>
Black-collared Barbet 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP	<i>Lybius torquatus pumilio</i>
Double-toothed Barbet 9/3, 4 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Lybius bidentatus aequatorialis</i>

Black-breasted Barbet

23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Yellow-billed Barbet

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

26/2, heard, Mabira Forest

10/3, 2 heard, Buhoma

12/3, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest

13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP

Crested Barbet

1/3, 8 sp, Akagera NP

d'Arnaud's Barbet

23/2, 4 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Lybius rolleti*Trachylaemus purpuratus elgonensis**Trachyphonus vaillantii suahelicus**Trachyphonus d. darnaudii***Honeyguides*****Indicatoridae*****Dwarf Honeyguide**

3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

5/3, 1 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Indicator pumilio

Willcocks's Honeyguide

7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Indicator w. willcocksii

Least Honeyguide

8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

10/3, 2 heard, Ruhija

Indicator exilis pachyrhynchus

Greater Honeyguide

24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

28/2, heard, Lake Mburo NP

*Indicator indicator***Woodpeckers*****Picidae***

Rufous-necked Wryneck

9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

*Jynx r. ruficollis***Speckle-breasted Woodpecker**

9/3, 1 male, Buhoma

Dendropicos poecilolaemus

Cardinal Woodpecker

7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma

8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

10/3, 1 male, Ruhija

13/3, 1 sp, Chimpanzee Guest House

Dendropicos fuscescens lepidus

Bearded Woodpecker

1/3, 1 pair, Akagera NP

Dendropicos n. namaquus

Yellow-crested Woodpecker 21/2, heard, Mabira Forest 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 7/3, 3 sp, Buhoma	<i>Dendropicos xantholophus</i>
Elliot's Woodpecker 8/3, 1 male + 1 female, Buhoma 10/3, 1 male, Ruhija	<i>Dendropicos e. elliotii</i>
African Grey Woodpecker 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Dendropicos g. goertae</i>
Olive Woodpecker 2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 5/3, 1 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 6/3, 4 sp, Echuya Forest	<i>Dendropicos griseocephalus ruwenzori</i>
Bennett's Woodpecker 1/3, 1 pair, Akagera NP	<i>Campethera b. bennettii</i>
Nubian Woodpecker 23/2, 1 male + 1 female, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Campethera n. nubica</i>
Tullberg's Woodpecker 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija	<i>Campethera tullbergi taeniolaema</i>
Buff-spotted Woodpecker 26/2, 4 sp, Mabira Forest 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Campethera nivosa herberti</i>
Brown-eared Woodpecker 26/2, 4 sp, Mabira Forest 12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Campethera c. caroli</i>

Falcons

Falconidae

Lesser Kestrel 23/2 males + 1 female, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 1 male, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 1 female, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Falco naumanni</i>
Grey Kestrel 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 1 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana	<i>Falco ardosiaceus</i>
Sooty Falcon 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Falco concolor</i>

Eurasian Hobby
28/2, 1 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Falco s. subbuteo

Lanner Falcon
6/3, 2 sp, Kisoro-Buhoma

Falco biarmicus abyssinicus

Parrots

Psittacidae

Grey Parrot
20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest-Soroti
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Psittacus e. erithacus

Brown-necked Parrot
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Poicephalus fuscicollis suahelicus

Meyer's Parrot
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 6 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 1 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP

Poicephalus meyeri saturatus

Calyptomenid Broadbills

Calyptomenidae

African Broadbill
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Smithornis capensis meinertzhageni

Pittas

Pittidae

Green-breasted Pitta
13/3, 2 sp, Kanyanchu, Kibale NP

Pitta reichenowi

Cuckooshrikes

Campephagidae

Grey Cuckooshrike
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Coracina caesia pura

Petit's Cuckooshrike
6/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
7/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma
8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma

Campephaga petiti

Purple-throated Cuckooshrike
21/2, 1 pair, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 pair, Mabira Forest

Campephaga quiscalina martini

Vangas

Vangidae

White-crested Helmetshrike
23/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 4 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Prionops plumatus concinnatus

Shrike-flycatcher
21/2, 1 female, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 female, Buhoma
12/3, 1 femal, Maramagambo Forest

Megabyas flammulatus aequatorialis

Black-and-white Flycatcher
26/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest
8/3, 1 pair, Buhoma

Bias m. musicus

Wattle-eyes and Batises

Platysteiridae

Chestnut Wattle-eye
21/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
7/3, 1 male, Buhoma
8/3, 1 male, Buhoma
12/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
13/3, 1 male, Bigodi Wetland

Platysteira c. castanea

Jameson's Wattle-eye

21/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

Platysteira jamesoni

Brown-throated Wattle-eye
27/2, 1 male, Mabamba Bay
7/3, 1 male, Buhoma
8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

Platysteira cyanea nyansae

Rwenzori Batis

2/3, 7-8 sp, Nyungwe Forest
3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest
4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 5+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
10/3, 1 sp + heard, Ruhija

Batis diops

Chinspot Batis
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
9/3, 4 sp, Ruhija

Batis molitor puella

Western Black-headed Batis
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Batis e. erlangeri

Bushshrikes***Malaconotidae***

Brubru

23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Nilaus a. afer

Brubru

1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Nilaus afer massaicus

Marsh Tchagra

21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina

Bocagia m. minuta

Brown-crowned Tchagra

23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Tchagra australis emini

Black-crowned Tchagra

23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma

9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

*Tchagra senegala armenus***Lagden's Bushshrike**

5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

10/3, 1 sp + 2 heard, Ruhija

Malaconotus lagdeni centralis

Pink-footed Puffback

7/3, 1 male, Buhoma

8/3, 1 male, Buhoma

Dryoscopus angolensis nandensis

Northern Puffback

24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay

2/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

5/3, 2 pair, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

6/3, heard, Echuya Forest

9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Dryoscopus gambensis malzacii

Many-colored Bushshrike

7/3, 2 ad + 1 imm, Buhoma

*Chlorophoneus multicolor graueri***Bocage's Bushshrike**

7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma

8/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

Chlorophoneus bocagei jacksoni

Orange-breasted Bushshrike

27/2, heard, Lake Mburo NP

28/2, 1 sp + heard, Lake Mburo NP

1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus similis

Doherty's Bushshrike

2/3, 1 male + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
 2/3, 1 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
 4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
 6/3, 1 heard, The Neck
 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Lowland Sooty Boubou

26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest

Mountain Sooty Boubou

2/3, 5+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
 3/3, 1 + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
 5/3, 3 sp + heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
 6/3, 1 sp + heard, Echuya Forest
 7/3, 2 sp + heard, Buhoma
 10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Slate-colored Boubou

24/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Lühder's Bushshrike

3/2, heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
 8/3, 5 heard, Buhoma
 9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

West African Boubou

23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Black-headed Gonolek

23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 27/2, heard, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Papyrus Gonolek

20/1, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
 28/2, 5 sp, Lake Mburo NP
 13/3, 2 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary
 14/3, 1 heard, Kiganda

Chlorophoneus dohertyi

Laniarius leucorhynchus

Laniarius poensis holomelas

Laniarius f. funebris

Laniarius luehderi

Laniarius major

Laniarius erythrogaster

Laniarius mufumbiri**Orioles and Figbirds*****Oriolidae***

Western Oriole

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
 26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest

Oriolus brachyrhynchus laetior

Mountain Oriole

2/3, 2 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
6/3, 3 sp, Echuya Forest
7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Black-headed Oriole

27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Oriolus percivali

Oriolus larvatus rolleti

Drongos

Dicruridae

Fork-tailed Drongo

22/2, 3 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Dicrurus adsimilis divaricatus

Fork-tailed Drongo

27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 1 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Dicrurus adsimilis fugax

Velvet-mantled Drongo

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

Dicrurus modestus coracinus

Shrikes

Laniidae

Yellow-billed Shrike

23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Corvinella corvine affinis

White-rumped Shrike

22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 60+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Eurocephalus rueppelli

Red-backed Shrike

1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Lanius collurio

Mackinnon's Shrike

3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 5 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
6/3, 1 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Lanius mackinnoni

Grey-backed Fiscal 22/2, 5+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Lanius excubitoroides intercedens</i>
Grey-backed Fiscal 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Lanius e. excubitoroides</i>
Grey-backed Fiscal 27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP-Akagera NP 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura	<i>Lanius excubitoroides (ssp?)</i>
Common Fiscal 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 4/3, 1 sp, Kabale 9/3, 4 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija 10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija-Kihiki 11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 14/3, 5+ sp, Kibale NP-Kampala	<i>Lanius collaris capelli</i>

Monarchs

Monarchidae

Blue-headed Paradise-Flycatcher 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest	<i>Trochocercus n. nitens</i>
Red-bellied Paradise-Flycatcher 21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest	<i>Terpsiphone rufiventer somereni</i>
African Paradise-Flycatcher 4/3, 2 sp, Kisoro 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija 12/3, 2 males + 2 females, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Terpsiphone viridis kivuensis</i>

Crows and Jays

Corvidae

Piapiac 22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	<i>Ptilostomus afer</i>
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Pied Crow

20/2, common, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay
21/2, common, Entebbe-Soroti
22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja
26/2, 30+ sp, Jinja-Kampala
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 20+ sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura
3/3, common, Nyungwe Forest NP-Kigali
4/3, common, Kigali-Gatuna
4/3, common, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 50+ sp, Kisoro
6/3, 20+ sp, Kisoro-Buhoma
14/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

Corvus albus

Fan-tailed Raven

23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 4 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Corvus rhipidurus

White-necked Raven

2/3, 5 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
6/3, 10+ sp, Kisoro-Buhoma
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Corvus albicollis

Crested-Flycatchers

Stenostiridae

African Blue Flycatcher

21/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
10/3, 1 male, Ruhija
13/3, 2 sp, Chimpanzee Guest House

Elminia longicauda teresita

White-tailed Blue Flycatcher

5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
5/3, 2 sp, Kisoro
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
9/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Elminia albicauda

White-bellied Crested Flycatcher

7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Elminia albiventris toroensis

White-tipped Crested Flycatcher

5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Elminia a. albonotata

Penduline-tits**Oriolidae**

Grey Penduline-tit
28/2, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Anthoscopus caroli roccatii

Tits and Chickadees**Paridae****Stripe-breasted Tit**

2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 1 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Parus f. fasciiventer

Dusky Tit
6/3, 3 sp, The Neck
6/3, 2 sp, Bwindi Impenetreble NP
7/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Parus f. funereus

White-winged Black Tit
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
4/3, 2 sp, Kabale

Parus leucomelas insignis

Larks**Alaudidae**

White-tailed Lark
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Mirafraga albicauda

Rufous-naped Lark
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Mirafraga africana ruwenzoria

Red-winged Lark
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Mirafraga hypermetra kidepoensis

Flappet Lark
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Mirafraga hypermetra torrida

Flappet Lark
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Mirafraga hypermetra kawirondensis

Red-capped Lark
12/2, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Calandrella cinerea saturatior

Nicatora***Nicatoridae***

Western Nicator

21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
 13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP

*Nicator chloris***Crombecs and African Warblers*****Macrosphenidae*****Neumann's Warbler**

2/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
 3/3, 1 sp + 2 heard, Nyungwe Forest
 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
 8/3, 2 heard, Buhoma

Hemitesia neumanni**Grauer's Warbler**

2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
 3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
 9/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Graueria vittata

Yellow Longbill

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
 26/2, 1 sp + heard, Mabira Forest

Macrosphenus flavicans hypochondriacus

Grey Longbill

21/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest
 26/2, 2 sp + heard, Mabira Forest

Macrosphenus concolor

Moustached Grass-Warbler

25/2, 1 heard, Kidepo Valley NP
 11/3, 5 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Melocichla mentalis amauroura

Northern Crombec

24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Sylvietta brachyura carnapi

Red-faced Crombec

23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 28/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Sylvietta whytii loringi

Green Crombec

26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

*Sylvietta virens baraka***White-browed Crombec**

2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest
 5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
 6/3, 3 sp, Echuya Forest
 10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Sylvietta leucophrys chloronota

Martins and Swallows

Hirundinidae

Note: Most swallows were left unidentified

Sand Martin

21/2, common, Lake Bisina
22/2, common, Lake Bisina
11/3, common, Kazinga Channel
12/3, common, Kazinga Channel
14/3, 10+ sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

Riparia r. riparia

Banded Martin

20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Phedina cincta suahelica

White-headed Sawwing

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest
12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Psalidoprocne a. albiceps

Black Sawwing

2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 10+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
5/3, 2 sp, Kisoro
6/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 10+ sp, The Neck
7/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma
8/3, 15+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Psalidoprocne holomelas ruwenzori

Rock Martin

23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 2 sp, Kisoro
6/3, 5+ sp, Kisoro-Buhoma

Ptyonoprogne fuligula fusciventris

8/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica (mainly ssp. rustica)</i>
21/2, common, Lake Bisina	
22/2, common, Lake Bisina	
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
26/2, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest	
27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
27/2, common, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, common, Lake Mburo NP	
28/9, common, Lake Mburo-Rwamagana	
1/3, 30+ sp, Akagera NP	
4/3, 20+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro	
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
11/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Angolan Swallow	<i>Hirundo angolensis</i>
20/2, 10+, Mabamba Bay	
27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
4/3, 20+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro	
9/3, 15+ sp, Ruhija	
10/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija	
Ethiopian Swallow	<i>Hirundo a. aethiopica</i>
23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
Wire-tailed Swallow	<i>Hirundo s. smithii</i>
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija-Kihihi	
Common House-Martin	<i>Delichon u. urbicum</i>
26/2, 30+ sp, Mabira Forest	
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
Lesser Striped-Swallow	<i>Cecropis abyssinica unitatis</i>
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
28/2, 15+ sp, Lake Mburo NP	
1/3, 30+ sp, Akagera NP	
4/3, 20+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna	
4/3, 20+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro	
8/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma	
9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
13/3, 10+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	
Red-breasted Swallow	<i>Cecropis semirufa gordonii</i>
28/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP-Rwamagana	
6/3, 2 sp, Kisoro-Buhoma	
9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Mosque Swallow	<i>Cecropis senegalensis saturatior</i>
20/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP	
6/3, 1 sp, Kisoro-Buhoma	

Red-rumped Swallow
23/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
26/2, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 1 sp, Kisoro
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Cecropis daurica emini

Acrocephalid Warblers

Acrocephalidae

Papyrus Yellow Warbler

6/3, 3 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Calamonastides g. gracilirostris

Dark-capped Yellow Warbler

9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Iduna natalensis massaica

Mountain Yellow Warbler

2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

5/3, 3 sp + heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest

Iduna similis

Melodious Warbler

7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Hippolais polyglotta

Icterine Warbler

1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Hippolais icterina

Sedge Warbler

12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel

Calamodus schoenobaenus

Eurasian Reed-Warbler

1/3, 1 heard, Akagera NP

Notiocichla scirpaceus

African Reed-Warbler

12/3, 2 sp, Kazinga Channel

Notiocichla baeticatus cinnamomeus

Basra Reed-Warbler

9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Acrocephalus griseldis

Lesser Swamp-Warbler

6/3, 1 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Acrocephalus gracilirostris parvus

Megalurid Warblers

Megaluridae

Fan-tailed Grassbird

12/3, 1 heard, Queen Elizabeth NP

Schoenicola brevirostris alexinae

Little Rush-Warbler

6/3, 1-2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Bradypterus baboecala centralis

Grauer's Swamp-Warbler

3/3, 5 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

4/3, 2 sp, Echuya Forest

10/3, 1-2 sp, Ruhija

Bradypterus graueri

White-winged Swamp-Warbler

28/2, 1 sp + 1 heard, Lake Mburo NP

6/3, 1 heard, Nyamuriro Wetland

Bradypterus carpalis

Evergreen Forest Warbler

3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Bradypterus lopezi barakae

Cinnamon Bracken-Warbler

1/3, 1 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP

3/3, heard, Nyungwe Forest NP

5/3, 5+ heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

6/3, 1 sp + heard, Echuya Forest

Bradypterus c. cinnamomeus

Bulbuls

Pycnonotidae

Slender-billed Greenbul

26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest

7/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

8/3, 1 heard, Buhoma

9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

12/3, 3 sp, Maramaganbo Forest

13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP

Stelgidillas g. gracilirostris

Red-tailed Bulbul

21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest

26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

6/3, 1 heard, The Neck

7/3, 2 sp + heard, Buhoma

8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma

Criniger calurus emini

Little Grey Greenbul

21/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest

26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest

12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Eurillas gracilis ugandae

Ansorge's Greenbul

7/3, 3 sp, Buhoma

8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Eurillas a. ansorgei

Plain Greenbul

26/2, 4 sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp + 1 heard, Buhoma

Eurillas c. curvirostris

Yellow-whiskered Greenbul

26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest
2/3, 1 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 2 sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 2 sp, The Neck
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP

Eurillas l. latirostris

Little Greenbul

21/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 3 sp, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 4 sp, Kibale NP
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Eurillas v. virens

Red-tailed Bristlebill

21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, heard, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 heard, The Neck
7/3, 15+ seen/heard, Buhoma

Bleda syndactyla woosnami

Yellow-eyed Bristlebill

21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 3 sp + heard, Mabira Forest

Bleda ugandae

Kakamega Greenbul

6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Arizelocichla kakamegae

Olive-breasted Mountain Greenbul

2/3, 10+, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 5+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Arizelocichla k. kikuyuensis

Yellow-throated Greenbul

1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Atimastillas flavicollis flavigula

Honeyguide Greenbul
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 1 heard, Kibale NP

Joyful Greenbul
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP

Toro Olive-Greenbul
21/2, 1 sp + heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 2 heard, Buhoma

Cabanis's Greenbul
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

White-throated Greenbul
21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest

Yellow-streaked Greenbul
2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Dark-capped Bulbul
A common species recorded on most dates.

Baeopogon i. indicator

Chlorocichla l. laetissima

Phyllastrephus hypochloris

Phyllastrephus cabanisi sucosus

Phyllastrephus a. albigularis

Phyllastrephus flavostriatus olivaceogriseus

Pycnonotus tricolor

Cisticolas

Cisticolidae

Green-capped Eremomela
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Eremomela scotops citriniceps

Yellow-breasted Apalis
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Apalis flavida caniceps

Black-faced Apalis
2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Apalis p. personata

Black-throated Apalis

2/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
7/3, 2 sp + heard, Buhoma
8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija
13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP

Apalis j. jacksoni

Chestnut-throated Apalis

2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Apalis porphyrolaema affinis

Buff-throated Apalis

21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
21/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest

Apalis rufogularis nigrescens

Buff-throated Apalis

6/3, 1 heard, The Neck
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

Apalis rufogularis kigezi

Kungwe Apalis

2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

Apalis argentea

Grey Apalis

2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Apalis c. cinerea

Grey-backed Camaroptera

24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Camaroptera brevicaudata abessinica

Grey-backed Camaroptera

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Camaroptera brevicaudata tincta

Grey-backed Camaroptera

10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Camaroptera brevicaudata aschani

Yellow-browed Camaroptera

21/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

Camaroptera superciliaris

Olive-green Camaroptera

26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 heard, The Neck
7/3, 2 sp + heard, Buhoma

Camaroptera chloronota

Miombo Wren-Warbler
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Calamonastes u. undosus

White-chinned Prinia
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP
7/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
8/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP

Schistolais leucopogon reichenowi

Buff-bellied Warbler
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
28/9, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Phyllolais pulchella

Rwenzori Apalis

2/3, 5+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 3 sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 3 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 3 sp, Echuya Forest
10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Oreolais ruwenzorii

Tawny-flanked Prinia
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Prinia s. subflava

Tawny-flanked Prinia
20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Prinia subflava melanorhyncha

Pale Prinia
22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Prinia somalica erlangeri

Black-faced Prinia

3/3, 5 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 2 sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest
7/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma

Prinia melanops

Grey-capped Warbler

20/2, 1 heard, Mabamba Bay
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Eminia lepida

Black-faced Rufous Warbler
7/3, 1 sp + 5 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 5 heard, Buhoma

Bathmocercus rufus vulpinus

Red-faced Cisticola 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 27/2, heard, Mabamba Bay 6/3, 1 heard, Nyamuriro Wetland 9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 12/3, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Cisticola erythrops sylvia</i>
Singing Cisticola 25/2, 1 heard, Kidepo Valley NP 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 1 heard, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Cisticola cantans belli</i>
Trilling Cisticola 27/2, heard, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 1 sp, Kagitumba 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Cisticola w. woosnami</i>
Chubb's Cisticola 2/3, 1 + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP 3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 4/3, 6 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro 5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 6/3, 10+ sp, Echuya Forest 6/3, 1 sp, The Neck 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 2 sp + heard, Buhoma 9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma 9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija 10/3, heard, Ruhija 13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP	<i>Cisticola c. chubbi</i>
Rattling Cisticola 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Cisticola chiniana simplex</i>
Winding Cisticola 20/2, common, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina 27/9, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay	<i>Cisticola marginatus nyansae</i>
Carruthers's Cisticola 20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 2 heard, Lake Mburo NP 6/3, 10+ sp, Nyamuriro Wetland	<i>Cisticola carruthersi</i>
Stout Cisticola 12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Cisticola robustus nuchalis</i>

Croaking Cisticola 23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Cisticola natalensis strangei</i>
Red-pate Cisticola 23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Cisticola ruficeps mongalla</i>
Short-winged Cisticola 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP	<i>Cisticola brachypterus ankole</i>
Foxy Cisticola 23/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Cisticola t. troglodytes</i>
Long-tailed Cisticola 27/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP	<i>Cisticola angusticauda</i>
Zitting Cisticola 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Cisticola juncidis uropygialis</i>
Wing-snapping Cisticola 9/3, 1-2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Cisticola ayresii entebbe</i>

Hylia

Hyliidae

Green Hylia 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 6/3, 3 sp, The Neck 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Hylia p. prasina</i>
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Leaf-Warblers

Phylloscopidae

Wood Warbler 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i>
Willow Warbler 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija 9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>

Common Chiffchaff
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Phylloscopus collybita

Red-faced Woodland-Warbler

2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
7/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija

Seicercus l. laetus

Brown Woodland-Warbler
5/3, 1 sp + 1 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Seicercus umbrovirens wilhelmi

Old World Warblers

Sylviidae

Eurasian Blackcap
6/3, 1 male, Echuya Forest

Sylvia atricapilla

Garden Warbler
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Sylvia borin

Rwenzori Hill-Babbler
2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 3 sp + heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 3 sp, Echuya Forest
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Sylvia atriceps

White-eyes

Zosteropidae

African Yellow White-eye
21/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest

Zosterops senegalensis stuhlmanni

African Yellow White-eye
2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 5+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 10+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 10+ sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 10+ sp, The Neck
7/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
9/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Zosterops senegalensis toroensis

Ground-Babblers

Pellorneidae

Scaly-breasted Illadopsis

21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 2 sp + 1 heard, Mabira Forest
7/3, 1 sp + 2 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
12/3, 2 heard, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest

Illadopsis albipectus

Pale-breasted Illadopsis

7/3, 8 sp, Buhoma

Illadopsis r. rufipennis

Brown Illadopsis

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
12/3, 2 heard, Maramagambo Forest

Illadopsis fulvescens ugandae

Mountain Illadopsis

3/3, 2 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 2-4 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 2 sp, Echuya Forest
7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
10/3, 2 heard, Ruhija

Illadopsis p. pyrrhoptera

Laughingthrushes

Leiotrichidae

Red-collared Mountain-Babbler

2/3, 11 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

Kupeornis rufocinctus

Rufous Chatterer

23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Turdoides r. rubiginosus

Sharpe's Babbler

27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 1 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Turdoides s. sharpei

Brown Babbler

22/2, 5+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Turdoides plebejus cinerea

Arrow-marked Babbler

9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Turdoides jardineii emini

Oxpeckers**Buphagidae**

Red-billed Oxpecker
1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP

Buphagus erythrorhynchus

Yellow-billed Oxpecker
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley KP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley KP
11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Buphagus a. africanus

Starlings and Mynas**Sturnidae**

Wattled Starling
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Creatophora cinerea

Violet-backed Starling
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
1/3, 1 female, Akagera NP
12/3, 200+ sp, Maramagambo Forest

Cinnyricinclus leucogaster leucogaster/verrauxi

Slender-billed Starling
2/3, 15+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
6/3, 20+ sp, The Neck

Onychognathus tenuirostris theresae

Waller's Starling
2/3, 30+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija

Onychognathus walleri elgonensis

Purple-headed Glossy-Starling
21/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, heard, Mabira Forest
7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma
13/3, 5+ sp, Maramagambo Forest

Hylopsar purpureiceps

Sharpe's Starling
3/3, 1-2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
9/3, 1 sp + 1 heard, Buhoma-Ruhija
10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Pholia sharpie

Stuhlmann's Starling
7/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
8/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

Poeoptera stuhlmanni

Narrow-tailed Starling
6/3, 1 sp, Bwindi Impenetrable NP
13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP

Poeoptera lugubris

Rüppell's Starling

20/2, 1 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay
21/2, 2 sp, Victoria Nile, Jinja
22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 50+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 15+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
14/3, 5+ sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

Lamprotornis p. purpuropterus

Lesser Blue-eared Starling

23/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Lamprotornis c. chloropterus

Greater Blue-eared Starling

22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Lamprotornis chalybaeus cyaniventris

Greater Blue-eared Starling

27/2, common, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, common, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, common, Akagera NP

Lamprotornis chalybaeus scyobius

Splendid Glossy-Starling

1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
6/3, 2 sp, The Neck
7/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
13/3, 10+ sp, Kibale NP

Lamprotornis s. splendidus

Superb Starling

23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Lamprotornis superbus

Thrushes

Turdidae

Red-tailed Ant-Thrush

12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Neocossyphus rufus gabunensis

White-tailed Ant-Thrush

12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Neocossyphus poensis praepectoralis

Rufous Flycatcher-Thrush

12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Stizorhina fraseri vulpine

African Thrush
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 2 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
4/3, 5+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
12/3, 3 sp, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP
13/3, 4 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Turdus pelios centralis

Abbyssinian Thrush
2/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 1 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Turdus abyssinicus bambusicola

Old World Flycatchers

Muscicapidae

Fire-crested Alethe
21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
26/2, 3 sp + heard, Mabira Forest

Alethe castanea woosnami

Brown-backed Scrub-Robin
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Erythropygia hartlaubi

White-browed Scrub-Robin
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Erythropygia leucophrys (ssp?)

White-browed Scrub-Robin
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP

Erythropygia leucophrys zambesiana

Silverbird
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Empidonax semipartitus

Pale Flycatcher
23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Bradornis pallidus murinus

White-eyed Slaty-Flycatcher
2/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 8 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma

Melaenornis fischeri toruensis

9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Yellow-eyed Black-Flycatcher

2/3, 5+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 4 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
10/3, 3+ sp, Ruhija

Northern Black-Flycatcher

11/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Southern Black-Flycatcher

28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 4 sp, Akagera NP

Spotted Flycatcher

1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Ashy Flycatcher

26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

Swamp Flycatcher

20/2, 15+ sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP
12/3, 3+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Cassin's Flycatcher

9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Chapin's Flycatcher

7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

African Dusky Flycatcher

21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest
4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 2 sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Melaenornis ardesiacus

Melaenornis edoloides lugubris

Melaenornis pammelaina tropicalis

Muscicapa striata

Muscicapa caerulescens brevicauda

Muscicapa aquatica infulata

Muscicapa cassini

Muscicapa l. lendu

Muscicapa adusta pumila

Dusky-blue Flycatcher
7/3, 4 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma

Muscicapa c. comitata

Sooty Flycatcher
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP

Muscicapa infuscata minuscula

Grey-throated Tit-Flycatcher
21/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
7/3, 2 heard, Buhoma
8/3, 2 sp + 1 heard, Buhoma

Myioparus g. griseigularis

Grey Tit-Flycatcher
26/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest

Myioparus p. plumbeus

White-starred Robin
2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest
3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest
5/3, 4 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Pogonocichla stellata ruwenzorii

White-bellied Robin-Chat
2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest
6/3, 1 heard, The Neck
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Cossyphicula roberti rufescentior

Eastern Forest Robin
26/2, 1 sp + heard, Mabira Forest

Stiphronis xanthogaster

Archer's Robin-Chat
2/3, 3 sp + 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest
4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 1 sp + heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 5+ heard, Echuya Forest
10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Caffronis a. archeri

Cape Robin-Chat
2/3, 1 sp, Gisakura
5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Caffronis caffra kivuensis

Grey-winged Robin-Chat
26/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest

Sheppardia p. polioptera

Equatorial Akalat
2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest
7/3, 4 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 imm, Buhoma

Sheppardia a. aequatorialis

Red-throated Alethe 2/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP 3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 7/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija 12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Pseudalethe p. poliophrys</i>
Brown-chested Alethe 21/2, heard, Mabira Forest 26/2, heard, Mabira Forest	<i>Pseudalethe poliocephala carruthersi</i>
Blue-shouldered Robin-Chat 21/2, heard, Mabira Forest 26/2, 1 sp + heard, Mabira Forest	<i>Cossypha cyanocampter bartteloti</i>
White-browed Robin-Chat 28/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP 4/3, 3 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro 5/3, 1 sp, Kisoro 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija 11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Cossypha h. heuglini</i>
Red-capped Robin-Chat 12/3, 2 sp, Maramabango Forest	<i>Cossypha natalensis intensa</i>
Snowy-crowned Robin-Chat 9/3, 1 heard, Buhoma-Ruhija 11/3, 2 sp + heard, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 13/3, 2 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	<i>Cossypha niveicapilla</i>
Mocking Cliff-Chat 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Thamnolaea cinnamomeiventris subrufipennis</i>
Heuglin's Wheatear 24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	<i>Oenanthe heuglini</i>
Isabelline Wheatear 23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 25/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja	<i>Oenanthe isabellina</i>
Northern Wheatear 22/2, 3 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>
Pied Wheatear 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Oenanthe pleschanka</i>

Whinchat

20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Saxicola rubetra

African Stonechat

2/3, 1 pair, Gisakura
4/3, 1 male, Kigali-Gatuna
5/3, 3 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 3 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
6/3, 2 sp, Kisoro-Buhoma
9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Saxicola torquatus axillaris

White-headed Black-Chat

1/3, 1 male, Akagera NP-Rwamagana

Pentholaea a. arnotti

Sooty Chat

20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
23/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
28/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
13/3, 2 sp, Bigodi Wetland

Myrmecocichla nigra

Spotted Palm-Thrush

24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Cichladusa g. guttata

Sugarbirds

Promeropidae

Grey-chested Kakamega

2/3, 1 heard, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 1 heard, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
8/3, 1 heard, Buhoma
10/3, 1 heard, Ruhija

Kakamega poliothorax

Sunbirds

Nectariniidae

Grey-headed Sunbird

26/2, 1 heard, Mabira Forest
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

Deleornis axillaris

Western Violet-backed Sunbird

24/2, 1 male + 2 females, Kidepo Valley NP

Anthreptes longuemarei haussarum

Little Green Sunbird 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest 6/3, 2 sp, The Neck 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 2/3, 2 sp, Buhoma	<i>Anthreptes seimundi minor</i>
Grey-chinned Sunbird 26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Anthreptes tephrolaemus</i>
Collared Sunbird 2/3, 5+ sp, Nyungwe Forest 3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest 8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma 10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija 12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Hedydipna collaris garguensis</i>
Green-headed Sunbird 6/3, 2 sp, The Neck 6/3, 1 sp, Bwindi Impenetreble NP 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 1 sp, Ruhija	<i>Cyanomitra verticalis viridisplendens</i>
Blue-throated Brown Sunbird 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 1 female, Mabira Forest 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 12/3, 2 heard, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Cyanomitra cyanolaema octaviae</i>
Blue-headed Sunbird 2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest 3/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest	<i>Cyanomitra alinae tanganjicae</i>
Blue-headed Sunbird 10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija	<i>Cyanomitra a. alinae</i>
Western Olive Sunbird 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 6/3, 2 sp, The Neck 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma 12/3, 3 sp, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Cyanomitra obscura ragazzii</i>
Green-throated Sunbird 26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest	<i>Chalcomitra r. rubescens</i>

Scarlet-chested Sunbird
21/2, heard, Mabira Forest
25/2, 1 sp, Jinja
26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
11/3, 1 male, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest
12/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Purple-breasted Sunbird

2/3, 1 male, Nyungwe Forest
3/3, 1 pair, Nyungwe Forest
10/3, 1 sp, Ruhija

Bronzy Sunbird

2/3, 1 male, Nyungwe Forest
4/3, 5+ sp, Kabale-Kisoro
5/3, 5+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 1 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
7/3, 1 male, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

Malachite Sunbird

5/9, 5+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Olive-bellied Sunbird

26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Rwenzori Double-collared Sunbird

2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest

Rwenzori Double-collared Sunbird

5/3, 4 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Northern Double-collared Sunbird

2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest
5/3, 5+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 5+ sp, Bwindi Impenetreble NP
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
10/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Chalcomitra senegalensis acik

Nectarinia purpureiventris

Nectarinia k. kilimensis

Nectarinia famosa cupreonitens

Cinnyris chloropygius orphogaster

Cinnyris stuhlmanni schubotzi

Cinnyris stuhlmanni graueri

Cinnyris r. reichenowi

Regal Sunbird

2/3, 5+ sp, Nyungwe Forest
 3/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest
 4/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest
 5/3, 20+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
 6/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest
 9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
 10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Marico Sunbird

26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
 28/9, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP
 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Red-chested Sunbird

20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay
 25/2, 1 sp, Jinja
 27/2, 2 males, Mabamba Bay
 6/3, 5+ sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Superb Sunbird

26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest

Variable Sunbird

27/2, heard, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
 2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
 3/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
 5/3, 10+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
 6/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
 6/3, 1 sp, Bwindi Impenetreble NP
 9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Cinnyris r. regius

Cinnyris mariquensis suahelicus

Cinnyris erythrocerus

Cinnyris s. superbis

Cinnyris venustus igneiventris

Weavers***Ploceidae*****White-billed Buffalo-Weaver**

22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP

Bubalornis albirostris

White-headed Buffalo-Weaver

23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 25/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Dinemellia d. dinemelli

Speckle-fronted Weaver

23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
 24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
 25/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Jinja

Sporopipes frontalis emini

White-browed Sparrow-Weaver

22/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
 23/2, 5+, Kidepo Valley NP
 24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Plocepasser mahali melanorhynchus

Grey-headed Social-Weaver
24/2, 15+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Pseudonigrita a. arnaudi

Thick-billed Weaver
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Amblyospiza albifrons melanota

Baglafaecht Weaver
27/2, 1 male, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo
28/3, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura
2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
5/3, 1 sp, Kisoro
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Ploceus baglafaecht stuhlmanni

Slender-billed Weaver
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay
22/2, 1 male, Lake Bisina
27/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Ploceus p. pelzelni

Spectacled Weaver
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Ploceus ocularis crocatus

Black-necked Weaver
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP

Ploceus n. nigricollis

Strange Weaver
2/3, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
5/3, 5+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest

Ploceus alienus

Black-billed Weaver
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
7/3, 6 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 3 sp, Buhoma
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Ploceus melanogaster stephanophorus

African Golden Weaver 27/2, 1 sp?, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP 4/3, 1 sp, Kigali-Gatuna 6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Ploceus xanthops</i>
Orange Weaver 27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	<i>Ploceus aurantius rex</i>
Northern Brown-throated Weaver 20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 4 sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 20+ sp, Lake Bisina 27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	<i>Ploceus castanops</i>
Lesser Masked Weaver 27/2, 10+ sp, lake Mburo NP 27/2, common, lake Mburo NP 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP 11/3, 1 female, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Ploceus i. intermedius</i>
Fox's Weaver 22/2, 1-3 sp, Lake Bisina	<i>Ploceus spekeoides</i>
Village Weaver 20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay 21/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo 25/2, 100+ sp, Jinja 27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay 28/2, 20+ sp, Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 40+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana 1/3, 20+ sp, Akagera NP 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura 11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 13/3, 20+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary	<i>Ploceus cucullatus bohndorffi</i>
Vieillot's Black Weaver 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 20+ sp, Mabira Forest 27/2, common, Mabamba Bay 7/3, 1 female, Buhoma 8/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 13/3, 100+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary 14/3, 50+ sp, Kibale NP-Kampala	<i>Ploceus n. nigerrimus</i>

Weyns's Weaver

20/2, 10+ sp, Mabamba Bay
26/2, 50+ sp, Mabira Forest

Black-headed Weaver

27/2, 4 sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
12/3, 20+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Golden-backed Weaver

27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, La Mburo NP
4/3, 15+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
4/3, 5+ sp, Kabale-Kisoro
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma

Entebbe Weaver

6/3, 10+ sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Yellow-mantled Weaver

13/3, 1 pair, Sebitoli, Kibale NP

Compact Weaver

9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
13/3, 3 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Dark-backed Weaver

3/2, 3 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP

Brown-capped Weaver

8/3, 1 pair, Buhoma
9/3, 1 female, Buhoma
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija
13/3, 2 sp, Kibale NP

Red-headed Malimbe

26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

Red-headed Weaver

27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP

Cardinal Quelea

11/3, 1 male, Queen Elizabeth NP

Red-billed Quelea

1/3, 30+ sp, Akagera NP

Ploceus weynsi

Ploceus melanocephalus dimidiatus

Ploceus jacksoni

Ploceus victoriae

Ploceus tricolor interscapularis

Ploceus superciliosus

Ploceus bicolor mentalis

Ploceus insignis

Malimbus rubricollis centralis

Anaplectes rubriceps leuconotus

Quelea cardinalis

Quelea quelea aethiopica

Black Bishop 9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Euplectes gierowii ansorgei</i>
Red-collared Widowbird 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Euplectes a. ardens</i>
Southern Red Bishop 12/3, 5 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Euplectes orix</i>
Yellow Bishop 4/3, 2 males, Echuya Forest 6/3, 1 male, Nyamuriro Wetland 9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Euplectes capensis crassirostris</i>
Fan-tailed Widowbird 20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay 27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay 27/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP 28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo-Rwamagana 4/3, 1 sp, Kigali-Gatuna 4/3, 2 sp, Gatuna-Kabale 6/3, 5+ sp, Nyamuriro Wetland 11/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Euplectes axillaris phoeniceus</i>

Estrildid Finches

Estrildidae

Black-chinned Quailfinch 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Ortygospiza gabonensis dorsostrata</i>
Red-headed Bluebill 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest	<i>Spermophaga r. ruficapilla</i>
Purple Grenadier 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Granatina ianthinogaster</i>
Red-cheeked Cordonbleu 21/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina 22/2, 10+ sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 20+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP 1/3, 15+ sp, Akagera NP	<i>Uraeginthus b. bengalus</i>
Dusky Twinspot 2/3, 1 sp, Gisakura 9/3, 2 ad + 3 imm, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Euschistospiza cinereovinacea graueri</i>
Green-winged Pytilia 24/2, 2 sp?, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Pytilia melba soudanensis</i>

Green-winged Pytilia 1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP 12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Pytilia melba belli</i>
Red-billed Firefinch 20/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay [records not noted 21/2-3/3] 4/3, 5+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna 4/3, 2 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro 6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland 8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma 11/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Lagonosticta senegala ruberrima</i>
African Firefinch 9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Lagonosticta rubricate congica</i>
Jameson's Antpecker 7/3, 1 male, Buhoma 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Parmoptila jamesoni</i>
White-breasted Nigrita 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Nigrita f. fusconotus</i>
Grey-headed Nigrita 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 6/3, 1 sp, The Neck 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma	<i>Nigrita canicapillus schistaceus</i>
Yellow-bellied Waxbill 9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	<i>Coccygia quartinia kilimensis</i>
Green Twinspot 21/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest 26/2, 1 male, Mabira Forest 12/2, 1 heard, Maramagambo Forest	<i>Mandingoa nitidula schlegeli</i>
Abyssinian Crimson-wing 2/3, 1 sp, Gisakura	<i>Cryptospiza salvadorii ruwenzori</i>
Dusky Crimson-wing 3/3, 1 male, Nyungwe Forest NP 4/3, 1 pair, Echuya Forest 5/3, 2 pairs, Mgahinga Gorilla NP	<i>Cryptospiza jacksoni</i>
Fawn-breasted Waxbill 6/3, 4 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland	<i>Estrilda paludicola roseicrissa</i>

Crimson-rumped Waxbill
28/2, 20+ sp, Kagitumba
12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Estrilda rhodopyga centralis

Common Waxbill
20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
22/2, 5+ sp, Lake Bisina
27/2, 3 sp, Mabamba Bay
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
11/3, 1+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Estrilda astrild niansae

Black-crowned Waxbill
26/2, 5+ sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Estrilda n. nonnula

Kandt's Waxbill

2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 5+ sp, Echuya Forest
5/3, 20+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 2 sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 5+ sp, The Neck
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma

Estrilda kandti

Black-faced Waxbill
21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP

Estrilda erythronotos delamerei

Red-rumped Waxbill
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Estrilda c. charmosyna

Bronze Mannikin
21/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina
26/2, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest
27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 30+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP
4/3, 30+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland
8/3, 15+ sp, Buhoma
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
11/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Spermestes c. cucullatus

Black-and-white Munia
20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay
26/9, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest
6/3, 10+ sp, Kisoro-Buhoma
9/3, 10+ sp, Buhoma
13/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Spermestes bicolor poensis

Indigobirds and Whydahs

Viduidae

Pin-tailed Whydah

- 1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura
- 4/3, 1 sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
- 5/3, 1 sp, Kisoro
- 6/3, 1 sp, The Neck
- 9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
- 11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
- 13/3, 2 sp, Bigodi Wetland

Vidua macroura

Broad-tailed Paradise-Whydah

- 11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Vidua obtusa

Village Indigobird

- 28/2, 4 sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
- 1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP
- 8/3, 1 pair, Buhoma

Vidua chalybeate centralis

Sparrows

Passeridae

Shelley's Rufous Sparrow

- 22/2, 2 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP

Passer shelleyi

Northern Grey-headed Sparrow

- 20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
- 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
- 24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
- 27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay-Lake Mburo NP
- 28/2, 20+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana
- 1/3, 30+ sp, Akagera NP
- 1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura

Passer griseus ugandae

- 4/3, 10+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
- 4/3, 20+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
- 5/3, 10+ sp, Kisoro
- 8/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
- 9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
- 10/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija-Kihihi
- 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
- 12/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
- 13/3, 5+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary
- 14/3, 10+ sp, Kibale NP-Kampala

Wagtails and Pipits

Motacillidae

Cape Wagtail

- 20/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
- 27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay
- 2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
- 4/3, 3 sp, Kigali-Gatuna
- 5/3, 1 sp, Kisoro

Motacilla capensis wellsi

6/3, 3 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland	
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
Mountain Wagtail	<i>Motacilla clara chapini</i>
6/3, 2 sp, The Neck	
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
African Pied Wagtail	<i>Motacilla aguimp vidua</i>
20/2, 2 sp, Mabamba Bay	
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
28/2, 10+ sp, Mbarara-Rwamagana	
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP-Gisakura	
3/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP	
5/3, 2 sp, Kisoro	
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma	
8/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma	
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma	
9/3, 5+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
10/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija-Kihihi	
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Western Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava (mainly ssp. flava)</i>
21/2, 10+ sp, Mabira Forest	
22/2, 10+ sp, Lake Bisina	
27/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
1/3, 15+ sp, Akagera NP	
11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 100+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
“Black-headed Wagtail”	<i>Motacilla flava feldegg</i>
22/2, 1 female, Lake Bisina	
12/3, 1 male, Queen Elizabeth NP	
“Yellow-headed Wagtail”	<i>Motacilla flava lutea</i>
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay	
Yellow-throated Longclaw	<i>Macronyx croceus</i>
20/2, 5+ sp, Mabamba Bay	
27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay	
27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, 2 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
1/3, 2 sp, Akagera NP	
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija	
11/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
African Pipit	<i>Anthus cinnamomeus lichenya</i>
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
11/3, 5+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	

Plain-backed Pipit
23/1, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Anthus leucophrys zenkeri

Finches

Fringillidae

Yellow-crowned Canary
9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Serinus flavivertex sassii

Western Citril

4/3, 2 sp, Kabale-Kisoro
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland

Crithagra frontalis

Papyrus Canary

6/3, 2 sp, Nyamuriro Wetland

Crithagra koliensis

Yellow-fronted Canary
22/2, 1 sp, Soroti-Kidepo Valley NP
26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
28/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP
9/3, 2 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Crithagra mozambica barbatus

Black-throated Canary
9/3, 1 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Crithagra atrogularis somereni

Reichenow's Seedeater
24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Crithagra reichenowi

Streaky Seedeater
2/3, 10+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
4/3, 10+ sp, Kigali-Gatuna
4/3, 10+ sp, Gatuna-Kisoro
5/3, 15+ sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP
6/3, 10+ sp, Echuya Forest
6/3, 10+ sp, Kisoro-Buhoma
9/3, 15+ sp, Buhoma-Ruhija
9/3, 5+ sp, Ruhija

Crithagra striolata graueri

Thick-billed Seedeater
2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija
12/3, 4 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Crithagra burtoni tanganijicae

Brimstone Canary
9/3, 3 sp, Buhoma-Ruhija

Crithagra sulphurata sharpii

Buntings

Emberizidae

Golden-breasted Bunting

27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 1 heard, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 4 sp, Akagera NP
10/3, 2 sp, Ruhija

Emberiza flaviventris kalaharica

Cabanis's Bunting

1/3, 1 male, Akagera NP

Emberiza cabanisi orientalis



Malachite Kingfisher (*Corythornis cristata*) ©Markus Lagerqvist

MAMMALS

Heard only species indicated by *.

Range restricted species in **red bold** typeface.

Rabbits and Hares	<i>Leporidae</i>
Cape Hare 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Lepus capensis</i>
Bunyoro Rabbit 23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Poelagus marjorita</i>
Squirrels	<i>Sciuridae</i>
Striped Ground Squirrel 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Xerus erythropus</i>
Red-legged Sun Squirrel 26/2, 2 sp, Mabira Forest 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	<i>Heliosciurus rufobrachium</i>
Rwenzori Sun Squirrel 2/3, 5 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 2/3, 1 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija	<i>Heliosciurus ruwenzorii</i>
Alexander's Bush Squirrel 21/2, 5 sp, Mabira Forest	<i>Paraxerus alexandri</i>
Böhm's Bush Squirrel 2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 3/3, 4 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP 10/3, 3 sp, Ruhija	<i>Paraxerus boehmi</i>
Carruther's Mountain Squirrel 5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma 9/3, 2 sp, Ruhija	<i>Funisciurus carruthersi</i>
Genets and Civets	<i>Viverridae</i>
African Civet 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Civettictis civetta</i>
Genet sp. 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Genetta sp.</i>

Cats	<i>Felidae</i>
Leopard 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Panthera pardus</i>
Lion 23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	<i>Panthera leo</i>
Mongoose	<i>Mustelidae</i>
Dwarf Mongoose 27/2, 1 sp, Lake Mburo NP	<i>Helogale parvula</i>
Banded Mongoose 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP 12/3, 3 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Mungos mungo</i>
Hyenas	<i>Hyaenidae</i>
Spotted Hyena 24/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Crocuta crocuta</i>
Dogs and Foxes	<i>Canidae</i>
Side-striped Jackal 22/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP 23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 5+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP 24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	<i>Canis adustus</i>
Otters, Weasels and Badgers	<i>Mustelidae</i>
African Clawless Otter 21/2, 1 sp, Lake Bisina	<i>Aonyx capensis</i>
Old World Fruit Bats	<i>Pteropodidae</i>
Straw-coloured Fruit Bat 21/2, 200+ sp, Jinja-Soroti	<i>Eidolon helvum</i>
False Vampire Bats	<i>Megadermatidae</i>
Yellow-winged Bat 11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	<i>Lavia frons</i>

Old World Monkeys

Cercopithecidae

Guereza Colobus

- 6/3, 3 sp, The Neck
- 7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma
- 9/3, 5+ sp, The Neck
- 11/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
- 12/3, 5+ sp, Maramagambo Forest
- 13/3, 5+ sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Colobus guereza

Ugandan Red Colobus

- 13/3, 10+ sp, Sebitoli, Kibale NP

Piliocolobus tephrosceles

Olive Baboon

- 23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
- 24/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
- 27/2, 30+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
- 28/2, 30+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
- 1/3, 50+ sp, Akagera NP
- 11/3, 50+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
- 12/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Papio anubis

Grey-cheeked Mangabey

- 26/2, 1 sp, Mabira Forest
- 13/3, 1 sp, Bigodi Wetland Sanctuary

Lophocebus albigena

Red-tailed Monkey

- 20/2, 1 sp, Entebbe-Mabamba Bay
- 21/2, 3 sp, Mabira Forest
- 26/2, 20+ sp, Mabira Forest
- 7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma
- 12/3, 3 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Cercopithecus ascanius

L'Hoest's Monkey

- 2/3, 20+ sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
- 3/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
- 6/3, 2 sp, The Neck
- 8/3, 4 sp, Buhoma

Cercopithecus lhoesti

Blue Monkey

- 2/3, 2 sp, Nyungwe Forest NP
- 4/3, 1 sp, Echuya Forest
- 6/3, 2 sp, The Neck
- 9/3, 1 sp, The Neck
- 10/3, 10+ sp, Ruhija
- 12/3, 5+ sp, Maramagambo Forest

Cercopithecus mitis

Vervet Monkey

- 24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
- 27/2, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
- 28/2, 15+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
- 11/2, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Chlorocebus pygerythrus

Patas Monkey
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley-Moroti

Erythrocebus patas

Apes

Hominidae

Chimpanzee*
9/3, 1 heard, Buhoma

Pan troglodytes

Eastern Gorilla
8/3, 7 sp, Buhoma

Gorilla beringei

Pigs

Suidae

Warthog
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 30+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, common, Lake Mburo NP
11/3, 50+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, 10+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Phacochoerus africanus

Hippopotamuses

Hippopotamidae

Hippopotamus
28/2, common, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 20+, Akagera NP
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
12/3, common, Kazinga Channel

Hippopotamus amphibious

Giraffes

Giraffidae

Masai Giraffe
1/3, 1 sp, Akagera NP

Giraffa tippelskirchi

Cattle, Antelope etc.

Bovidae

Günther's Dik-dik
24/2, 4 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Madoqua guentheri

Oribi
23/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Ourebia ourebi

African Buffalo
23/2, 600+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, common, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 200+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 50+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 10+ sp, Akagera NP

Syncerus caffer

11/3, 100+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 20+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Bushbuck	<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP	
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP	
11/3, 2 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Bohor Reedbuck	<i>Redunca redunca</i>
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
Waterbuck	<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>
23/2, 3 sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
27/2, common, Lake Mburo NP	
28/2, common, Lake Mburo NP	
11/3, 60+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Kob	<i>Kobus kob</i>
11/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP	
12/3, common, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Hartebeest	<i>Alcelaphus buselaphus</i>
23/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
24/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
25/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP	
Topi	<i>Damaliscus lunatus</i>
11/3, 100+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP	
Impala	<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>
27/2, 50+ sp, Lake Mburo NP	
27/2, common, Lake Mburo NP	
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP	
Blue Duiker	<i>Cephalophus monticola</i>
12/3, 2 sp, Maramagambo Forest	
Black-fronted Duiker	<i>Cephalophus nigrifrons</i>
5/3, 2 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP	
7/3, 1 sp, Buhoma	
Peters's Duiker	<i>Cephalophus callipygus</i>
13/3, 1 sp, Kibale NP	
Yellow-backed Duiker	<i>Cephalophus silvicultor</i>
7/3, 2 sp, Buhoma	

Bush Duiker
25/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP-Moroti
27/2, 3 sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 3 sp, Akagera NP

Sylvicapra grimmia

Horses

Equidae

Burchell's Zebra
23/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
25/2, 7 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
27/2, 20+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
28/2, 10+ sp, Lake Mburo NP
1/3, 5+ sp, Akagera NP

Equus burchellii

Hyraxes

Procaviidae

Rock Hyrax
23/2, 2 sp, Kidepo Valley NP

Procavia capensis

Elephants

Elephantidae

African Savanna Elephant
23/2, 1 sp, Kidepo Valley NP
23/2, 30+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
24/2, 10+ sp, Kidepo Valley NP
11/3, 30+ sp, Queen Elizabeth NP
11/3, 1 sp, Queen Elizabeth NP

Loxodonta africana

REPTILES

Crocodiles

Crocodylidae

Nile Crocodile

28/3, 5+ sp, Lake Mburo

12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Crocodylus niloticus

Monitor lizards

Varanidae

Nile Monitor

12/3, 5+ sp, Kazinga Channel

Varanus niloticus

Monitor lizards

Agamidae

Red-headed Agama

[dates not recorded]

Agama agama

Chameleons

Chamaeleonidae

Johnston's Chameleon

6/3, 1 sp, Lake Bunyonyi

Chamaeleo johnstoni

Chameleon sp.

5/3, 1 sp, Mgahinga Gorilla NP

Chamaeleo sp.

Elapids

Elapidae

Gold's Tree Cobra?

27/2, 1 sp, Mabamba Bay

Pseudohaje goldii

Pythons

Pythonidae

African Rock Python

12/3, 1 sp, Maramagambo Forest

Python sebae