

Species Status:

	Least Concern
	Near Threatened
	Vulnerable
	Endangered
	Critically Endangered
	Data Missing
	Introduced Species

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Mammals:

Insectivores - Shrews (Soricidae):

<i>Suncus murinus</i>	Asian House Shrew
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Primates - Lorises (Lorisidae):

<i>Loris lydekkerianus</i>	Gray Slender Loris
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- Old World Monkeys (Cercopithecidae):

<i>Macaca sinica</i>	Toque Macaque
<i>Semnopithecus entellus</i>	Hanuman Langur

Pholidota - Pangolins (Manidae):

<i>Manis crassicaudata</i>	Indian Pangolin
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Lagomorphs - Rabbits and Hares (Leporidae):

<i>Lepus nigricollis</i>	Indian Hare
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Rodents - Old World Porcupines (Hystricidae):

<i>Hystrix indica</i>	Indian Crested Porcupine
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- Squirrels (Sciuridae):

<i>Funambulus palmarum</i>	Indian Palm Squirrel
<i>Petaurista petaurista</i>	Red Giant Flying Squirrel
<i>Ratufa macroura</i>	Sri Lankan Giant Squirrel

- Mice (Muridae):

<i>Madromys blanfordi</i>	Blanford's Rat
<i>Millardia meltada</i>	Soft-furred Rat

<i>Mus cervicolor</i>	Fawn-colored Mouse
<i>Mus fernandoni</i>	Ceylon Spiny Mouse
<i>Mus musculus</i>	House Mouse
<i>Rattus rattus</i>	Black Rat
<i>Tatera indica</i>	Indian Gerbil

Carnivores - Weasels, Otters, Badgers (Mustelidae):

<i>Lutra lutra</i>	Eurasian River Otter
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- Bears (Ursidae):

<i>Melursus ursinus</i>	Sloth Bear
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- Dogs (Canidae):

<i>Canis aureus</i>	Golden Jackal
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- Civets (Viverridae):

<i>Paradoxurus hermaphroditus</i>	Asian Palm Civet
<i>Viverricula indica</i>	Small Indian Civet

- Mongoose (Herpestidae):

<i>Herpestes smithi</i>	Ruddy Mongoose
<i>Herpestes vitticollis</i>	Striped-necked Mongoose

- Cats (Felidae):

<i>Felis chaus</i>	Jungle Cat
<i>Panthera pardus kotiya</i>	Sri Lanka Leopard
<i>Prionailurus rubiginosus</i>	Rusty-spotted Cat
<i>Prionailurus viverrinus</i>	Fishing Cat

Elephants - Elephants (Elephantidae):

<i>Elephas maximus</i>	Asian Elephant
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Even-toed Ungulates - Pigs (Suidae):

<i>Sus scrofa</i>	Wild Boar
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- Mouse Deers (Tragulidae):

<i>Tragulus meminna</i>	Indian Spotted Mouse Deer
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- Deers (Cervidae):

<i>Axis axis</i>	Axis Deer
<i>Muntiacus vaginalis</i>	Northern Red Muntjac
<i>Rusa unicolor</i>	Sambar Deer

- **Cows, Buffaloes** (Bovidae):

<i>Bubalus arnee</i>	Water Buffalo
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Birds:

Podicipediformes - Grebes (Podicipedidae):

<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Little Grebe
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Pelecaniformes - Pelicans (Pelecanidae):

<i>Pelecanus philippensis</i>	Spot-billed Pelican
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- **Cormorants and Shags** (Phalacrocoracidae):

<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	Great Cormorant
<i>Phalacrocorax fuscicollis</i>	Indian Cormorant
<i>Phalacrocorax niger</i>	Little Cormorant

- **Anhingas** (Anhingidae):

<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>	Oriental Darter
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Ciconiiformes - Herons, Egrets and Bitterns (Ardeidae):

<i>Ardea alba</i>	Great White Egret
<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	Grey Heron
<i>Ardea purpurea</i>	Purple Heron
<i>Ardeola grayii</i>	Indian Pond-heron
<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	Cattle Egret
<i>Butorides striatus</i>	Striated Heron
<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	Little Egret
<i>Egretta intermedia</i>	Intermediate Egret
<i>Gorsachius melanolophus</i>	Malayan Night-heron
<i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>	Cinnamon Bittern
<i>Ixobrychus flavicollis</i>	Black Bittern
<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	Yellow Bittern
<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	Black-crowned Night-heron

- **Storks** (Ciconiidae):

<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>	Asian Openbill
<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>	Woolly-necked Stork
<i>Leptoptilos javanicus</i>	Lesser Adjutant
<i>Mycteria leucocephala</i>	Painted Stork

- **Ibises and Spoonbills** (Threskiornithidae):

<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	Eurasian Spoonbill
<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	Glossy Ibis
<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>	Black-headed Ibis

Phoenicopteriformes - Flamingos (Phoenicopteridae):

<i>Phoenicopus roseus</i>	Greater Flamingo
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Anseriformes - Gees, Swans and Ducks (Anatidae):

<i>Anas acuta</i>	Northern Pintail
<i>Anas clypeata</i>	Northern Shoveler
<i>Anas crecca</i>	Common Teal
<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>	Indian Spot-billed Duck
<i>Anas querquedula</i>	Garganey
<i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>	Lesser Whistling-duck
<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	Cotton Pygmy-goose

Birds of Prey - Kites, Hawks and Eagles (Accipitridae):

<i>Accipiter badius</i>	Shikra
<i>Accipiter trivirgatus</i>	Crested Goshawk
<i>Accipiter virgatus</i>	Besra
<i>Aquila kienerii</i>	Rufous-bellied Eagle
<i>Buteo buteo</i>	Common Buzzard
<i>Circus macrourus</i>	Pallid Harrier
<i>Circus melanoleucos</i>	Pied Harrier
<i>Circus pygargus</i>	Montagu's Harrier
<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	Black-shouldered Kite
<i>Haliaeetus leucogaster</i>	White-bellied Fish-eagle
<i>Haliastur indus</i>	Brahminy Kite
<i>Ictinaetus malayensis</i>	Black Eagle
<i>Ichthyophaga ichthyaetus</i>	Grey-headed Fish-eagle
<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>	Oriental Honey-buzzard
<i>Spilornis cheela</i>	Crested Serpent-eagle

- Ospreys (Pandionidae):

<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Osprey
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- Falcons and Caracaras (Falconidae):

<i>Falco amurensis</i>	Amur Falcon
<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	Peregrine Falcon
<i>Falco severus</i>	Oriental Hobby
<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	Eurasian Kestrel

Galliformes – Partridges and Pheasants (Phasianidae):

<i>Coturnix chinensis</i>	Blue-breasted Quail
<i>Gallus bicalcarata</i>	Ceylon Spurfowl
<i>Gallus lafayetii</i>	Ceylon Junglefowl
<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	Indian Peafowl

Gruiformes - Buttonquails and Hemipodes (Turnicidae):

<i>Turnix suscitator</i>	Barred Buttonquail
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- Rails, Crakes, Coots and Gallinules (Rallidae):

<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	White-breasted Waterhen
<i>Fulica atra</i>	Common Coot
<i>Gallicrex cinerea</i>	Watercock
<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	Common Moorhen
<i>Gallirallus striatus</i>	Slaty-breasted Rail
<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	Purple Gallinule
<i>Porzana fusca</i>	Ruddy-breasted Crake
<i>Porzana pusilla</i>	Baillon's Crake
<i>Rallina eurizonoides</i>	Slaty-legged Crake

Charadriiformes - Jacanas (Jacanidae):

<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>	Pheasant-tailed Jacana
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- Painted Snipes (Rostratulidae):

<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>	Greater Painted-snipe
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- Oystercatchers (Haematopodidae):

<i>Haematopus ostralegus</i>	Eurasian Oystercatcher
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- Plovers (Charadriidae):

<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>	Kentish Plover
<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	Little Ringed Plover
<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	Common Ringed Plover
<i>Pluvialis fulva</i>	Pacific Golden Plover
<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	Grey Plover
<i>Vanellus indicus</i>	Red-wattled Lapwing
<i>Vanellus malabaricus</i>	Yellow-wattled Lapwing

- Sandpipers and Snipes (Scolopacidae):

<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Common Sandpiper
<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	Ruddy Turnstone
<i>Calidris alba</i>	Sanderling
<i>Calidris canutus</i>	Red Knot
<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	Curlew Sandpiper
<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	Common Snipe
<i>Gallinago stenura</i>	Pintail Snipe
<i>Limosa lapponica</i>	Bar-tailed Godwit
<i>Limosa limosa</i>	Black-tailed Godwit
<i>Lymnocyrtus minimus</i>	Jack Snipe
<i>Numenius arquata</i>	Eurasian Curlew
<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>	Whimbrel
<i>Tringa glareola</i>	Wood Sandpiper
<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	Common Greenshank
<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	Green Sandpiper
<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>	Marsh Sandpiper
<i>Tringa totanus</i>	Common Redshank

- Stilts and Avocets (Recurvirostridae):

<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	Black-winged Stilt
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- Thick-knees, Dikkops and Stone Curlews (Burhinidae):

<i>Burhinus indicus</i>	Indian Thick-knee
<i>Esacus recurvirostris</i>	Great Thick-knee

- Coursers and Pratincoles (Glareolidae):

<i>Glareola maldivarum</i>	Oriental Pratincole
<i>Glareola lactea</i>	Small Pratincole

- Gulls (Laridae):

<i>Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus</i>	Brown-headed Gull
<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	Common Black-headed Gull

- Terns (Sternidae):

<i>Chlidonias hybridus</i>	Whiskered Tern
<i>Sterna caspia</i>	Caspian Tern
<i>Sterna nilotica</i>	Gull-billed Tern

Columbiformes - Pigeons and Doves (Columbidae):

<i>Columba livia</i>	Rock Dove
<i>Ducula aenea</i>	Green Imperial-pigeon
<i>Chalcophaps indica</i>	Emerald Dove
<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	Collared Dove
<i>Streptopelia chinensis</i>	Spotted Dove
<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>	Oriental Turtle-dove
<i>Treron bicinctus</i>	Orange-breasted Green-pigeon
<i>Treron phoenicopterus</i>	Yellow-footed Green-pigeon
<i>Treron pompadora</i>	Pompadour Green-pigeon

Psittaciformes – Lories (Psittaculidae):

<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	Plum-headed Parakeet
<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>	Alexandrine Parakeet
<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	Rose-ringed Parakeet

Cuculiformes – Cuckoos (Cuculidae):

<i>Cacomantis passerinus</i>	Grey-bellied Cuckoo
<i>Cacomantis sonneratii</i>	Banded Bay Cuckoo
<i>Centropus sinensis</i>	Greater Coucal
<i>Clamator coromandus</i>	Chestnut-winged Cuckoo
<i>Clamator jacobinus</i>	Pied Cuckoo
<i>Cuculus canorus</i>	Common Cuckoo
<i>Cuculus micropterus</i>	Indian Cuckoo
<i>Cuculus poliocephalus</i>	Lesser Cuckoo

<i>Eudynamys scolopaceus</i>	Asian Koel
<i>Hierococcyx varius</i>	Common Hawk-cuckoo
<i>Phaenicophaeus leschenaultii</i>	Sirkeer Malkoha
<i>Phaenicophaeus viridirostris</i>	Blue-faced Malkoha
<i>Surniculus dicruroides</i>	Fork-tailed Drongo-cuckoo

Strigiformes - Barn Owls (Tytonidae):

<i>Tyto alba</i>	Barn Owl
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- Owls (Strigidae):

<i>Asio flammeus</i>	Short-eared Owl
<i>Bubo nipalensis</i>	Spot-bellied Eagle-owl
<i>Glaucidium castanotum</i>	Chestnut-backed Owlet
<i>Glaucidium radiatum</i>	Jungle Owlet
<i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>	Brown Fish-owl
<i>Ninox scutulata</i>	Brown Hawk-owl
<i>Otus bakkamoena</i>	Indian Scops-owl
<i>Otus sunia</i>	Oriental Scops-owl
<i>Strix leptogrammica</i>	Brown Wood-owl

Goatsuckers - Frogmouths (Podargidae):

<i>Batrachostomus moniliger</i>	Sri Lanka Frogmouth
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- Nightjars (Caprimulgidae):

<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>	Indian Nightjar
<i>Caprimulgus atripennis</i>	Jerdon's Nightjar
<i>Caprimulgus indicus</i>	Grey Nightjar

Apodiformes - Swifts (Apodidae):

<i>Aerodramus unicolor</i>	Indian Swiftlet
<i>Apus affinis</i>	Little Swift
<i>Cypsiurus balasiensis</i>	Asian Palm-swift
<i>Hirundapus giganteus</i>	Brown-backed Needletail
<i>Tachymarptis melba</i>	Alpine Swift

- Crested or Tree Swifts (Hemiprocnidae):

<i>Hemiprocne coronata</i>	Crested Treeswift
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Trogoniformes - Trogons (Trogonidae):

<i>Harpactes fasciatus</i>	Malabar Trogon
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Coraciiformes - Kingfishers (Alcedinidae):

<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Common Kingfisher
<i>Alcedo meninting</i>	Blue-eared Kingfisher
<i>Ceryle rudis</i>	Pied Kingfisher

<i>Ceyx erithaca</i>	Black-backed Kingfisher
<i>Halcyon pileata</i>	Black-capped Kingfisher
<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>	White-throated Kingfisher
<i>Pelargopsis capensis</i>	Stork-billed Kingfisher

- **Bee-eaters** (Meropidae):

<i>Merops leschenaulti</i>	Chestnut-headed Bee-eater
<i>Merops orientalis</i>	Little Green Bee-eater
<i>Merops philippinus</i>	Blue-tailed Bee-eater

- **Rollers** (Coraciidae):

<i>Coracias benghalensis</i>	Indian Roller
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- **Hoopoes** (Upupidae):

<i>Upupa epops</i>	Eurasian Hoopoe
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Bucerotiformes - **Hornbills** (Bucerotidae):

<i>Anthracoceros coronatus</i>	Malabar Pied-hornbill
<i>Ocyrceros gingalensis</i>	Ceylon Grey-hornbill

Piciformes - **Asian Barbets** (Megalaimidae):

<i>Megalaima haemacephala</i>	Coppersmith Barbet
<i>Megalaima rubricapilla</i>	Crimson-fronted Barbet
<i>Megalaima zeylanica</i>	Brown-headed Barbet

- **Woodpeckers, Wrynecks and Piculets** (Picidae):

<i>Celeus brachyurus</i>	Rufous Woodpecker
<i>Dendrocopos mahrattensis</i>	Yellow-crowned Woodpecker
<i>Dendrocopos nanus</i>	Indian Pygmy Woodpecker
<i>Chrysocolaptes festivus</i>	White-naped Woodpecker
<i>Chrysocolaptes stricklandi</i>	Crimson-backed Flameback
<i>Picus chlorolophus</i>	Lesser Yellownape

Perching Birds - **Pittas** (Pittidae):

<i>Pitta brachyura</i>	Indian Pitta
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- **Larks** (Alaudidae):

<i>Alauda gulgula</i>	Oriental Skylark
<i>Eremopterix griseus</i>	Ashy-crowned Sparrow-lark
<i>Mirafr affinis</i>	Jerdon's Bushlark

- **Swallows and Martins** (Hirundinidae):

<i>Cecropis daurica</i>	Red-rumped Swallow
<i>Cecropis hyperythra</i>	Sri Lanka Swallow

<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	Barn Swallow
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- **Wagtails and Pipits** (Motacillidae):

<i>Anthus godlewskii</i>	Blyth's Pipit
<i>Anthus richardi</i>	Richard's Pipit
<i>Anthus rufulus</i>	Paddyfield Pipit
<i>Dendronanthus indicus</i>	Forest Wagtail
<i>Motacilla alba</i>	White Wagtail
<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>	Grey Wagtail
<i>Motacilla maderaspatensis</i>	White-browed Wagtail

- **Cuckooshrikes and Minivets** (Campephagidae):

<i>Coracina macei</i>	Large Cuckooshrike
<i>Coracina melanoptera</i>	Black-headed Cuckooshrike
<i>Pericrocotus cinnamomeus</i>	Small Minivet
<i>Pericrocotus flammeus</i>	Scarlet Minivet

- **Bulbuls** (Pycnonotidae):

<i>Hypsipetes ganeesa</i>	Square-tailed Bulbul
<i>Iole indica</i>	Yellow-browed Bulbul
<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>	Red-vented Bulbul
<i>Pycnonotus luteolus</i>	White-browed Bulbul
<i>Pycnonotus melanicterus</i>	Black-crested Bulbul

- **Leafbirds** (Chloropseidae):

<i>Chloropsis aurifrons</i>	Golden-fronted Leafbird
<i>Chloropsis jerdoni</i>	Jerdon's Leafbird

- **Ioras** (Aegithinidae):

<i>Aegithina tiphia</i>	Common Iora
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- **Shrikes** (Laniidae):

<i>Lanius cristatus</i>	Brown Shrike
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- **Helmetshrikes** (Prionopidae):

<i>Hemipus picatus</i>	Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike
<i>Tephrodornis affinis</i>	Sri Lanka Woodshrike

- **Thrushes and Chats** (Turdidae):

<i>Zoothera citrina</i>	Orange-headed Thrush
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- **Babblers** (Timaliidae):

<i>Dumetia hyperythra</i>	Rufous-bellied Babbler
<i>Chrysomma sinense</i>	Oriental Yellow-eyed Babbler

<i>Pellorneum fuscicapillus</i>	Brown-capped Babbler
<i>Pomatorhinus melanurus</i>	Sri Lanka Scimitar-babbler
<i>Turdoides affinis</i>	Yellow-billed Babbler

- **Fantails** (Rhipiduridae):

<i>Rhipidura aureola</i>	White-browed Fantail
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- **Old World Flycatchers** (Muscicapidae):

<i>Copsychus malabaricus</i>	White-rumped Shama
<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	Oriental Magpie-robin
<i>Cyornis rubeculoides</i>	Blue-throated Flycatcher
<i>Cyornis tickelliae</i>	Tickell's Blue-flycatcher
<i>Luscinia brunnea</i>	Indian Bluechat
<i>Muscicapa dauurica</i>	Asian Brown Flycatcher
<i>Muscicapa muttui</i>	Brown-breasted Flycatcher
<i>Saxicola caprata</i>	Pied Bushchat
<i>Saxicoloides fulicata</i>	Black-backed Robin

- **Paradise Flycatchers** (Monarchidae):

<i>Terpsiphone paradisi</i>	Asian Paradise-flycatcher
<i>Hypothymis azurea</i>	Blue Monarch

- **Old World Warblers** (Sylviidae):

<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>	Zitting Cisticola
<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>	Common Tailorbird
<i>Prinia hodgsonii</i>	Grey-breasted Prinia
<i>Prinia inornata</i>	Plain Prinia
<i>Prinia socialis</i>	Ashy Prinia
<i>Prinia sylvatica</i>	Jungle Prinia
<i>Sylvia althaea</i>	Hume's Whitethroat

- **Grassbirds and Allies** (Locustellidae):

<i>Locustella certhiola</i>	Pallas's Grasshopper-warbler
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- **Reed Warblers and Allies** (Acrocephalidae):

<i>Acrocephalus dumetorum</i>	Blyth's Reed-warbler
<i>Acrocephalus stentoreus</i>	Clamorous Reed-warbler
<i>Hippolais rama</i>	Sykes's Warbler

- **Leaf Warblers and Allies** (Phylloscopidae):

<i>Phylloscopus magnirostris</i>	Large-billed Leaf-warbler
<i>Phylloscopus nitidus</i>	Willow Warbler
<i>Phylloscopus trochiloides</i>	Greenish Warbler

- **Tits and Chickadees** (Paridae):

<i>Parus major</i>	Great Tit
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- **Nuthatches** (Sittidae):

<i>Sitta frontalis</i>	Velvet-fronted Nuthatch
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- **Flowerpeckers** (Dicaeidae):

<i>Dicaeum agile</i>	Thick-billed Flowerpecker
<i>Dicaeum erythrorhynchos</i>	Pale-billed Flowerpecker

- **Sunbirds** (Nectariniidae):

<i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i>	Purple Sunbird
<i>Cinnyris lotenius</i>	Long-billed Sunbird
<i>Leptocoma zeylonica</i>	Purple-rumped Sunbird

- **White-eyes** (Zosteropidae):

<i>Zosterops palpebrosus</i>	Oriental White-eye
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- **Waxbills, Mannikins, Munias and allied** (Estrildidae):

<i>Lonchura malabarica</i>	White-throated Munia
<i>Lonchura malacca</i>	Black-headed Munia
<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>	Scaly-breasted Munia
<i>Lonchura striata</i>	White-rumped Munia

- **Weavers** (Ploceidae):

<i>Ploceus philippinus</i>	Baya Weaver
<i>Ploceus manyar</i>	Streaked Weaver

- **Sparrows** (Passeridae):

<i>Passer domesticus</i>	House Sparrow
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- **Starlings** (Sturnidae):

<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	Common Myna
<i>Gracula indica</i>	Southern Hill Myna
<i>Sturnus pagodarum</i>	Brahminy Starling
<i>Sturnus roseus</i>	Rosy Starling

- **Old World Orioles** (Oriolidae):

<i>Oriolus xanthornus</i>	Black-hooded Oriole
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- **Drongos** (Dicruridae):

<i>Dicrurus caerulescens</i>	White-bellied Drongo
<i>Dicrurus leucophaeus</i>	Ashy Drongo
<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>	Black Drongo
<i>Dicrurus paradiseus</i>	Greater Racket-tailed Drongo

- **Woodswallows** (Artamidae):

<i>Artamus fuscus</i>	Ashy Woodswallow
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- **Crows and Jays** (Corvidae):

<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>	Large-billed Crow
<i>Corvus splendens</i>	House Crow

Reptiles:

Chelonia - **Tortoises** (Testudinidae):

<i>Geochelone elegans</i>	Indian Starred Tortoise
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- **Common Freshwater Turtles** (Emydidae):

<i>Trachemys scripta</i>	Yellowbelly Slider
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- **Geoemydidae:**

<i>Melanochelys trijuga</i>	Indian Black Turtle
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- **Soft-shelled Turtles** (Trionychidae):

<i>Lissemys punctata</i>	Indian Soft-shelled Turtle
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Crocodylia - **Crocodiles** (Crocodylidae):

<i>Crocodylus palustris</i>	Marsh Crocodile
<i>Crocodylus porosus</i>	Estuarine Crocodile

Lizards and Snakes - **Geckoes** (Gekkonidae):

<i>Calodactylodes illingworthorum</i>	Sri Lankan Golden Gecko
<i>Cnemaspis podihuna</i>	Deraniyagala's Gecko
<i>Cnemaspis tropidogaster</i>	Rough-bellied Day Gecko
<i>Gehyra mutilata</i>	Common Four-clawed Gecko
<i>Hemidactylus brookii</i>	Brook's House Gecko
<i>Hemidactylus depressus</i>	Sri Lanka Leaf-nosed Gecko
<i>Hemidactylus frenatus</i>	Common House Gecko
<i>Hemidactylus lankae</i>	Sri Lanka Leaf-toed Gecko
<i>Hemidactylus leschenaultii</i>	Leschenault's Leaf-toed Gecko
<i>Hemidactylus platyurus</i>	Flat-tailed House Gecko
<i>Hemiphyllodactylus typus</i>	Indo-pacific Tree Gecko

- **Agamas** (Agamidae):

<i>Calotes ceylonensis</i>	Painted-lip Lizard
<i>Calotes versicolor</i>	Oriental Garden Lizard

- **Lizards** (Lacertidae):

<i>Ophisops leschenaultii</i>	Leschenault's Snake Eye
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- **Monitors** (Varanidae):

<i>Varanus bengalensis</i>	
<i>Varanus salvator</i>	Common Water Monitor

- **Skinks** (Scincidae):

<i>Eutropis beddomii</i>	Beddome's Mabuya
<i>Eutropis carinata</i>	Common Skink
<i>Eutropis macularia</i>	Bronzegreen Little Skink
<i>Eutropis madaraszi</i>	Sri Lanka Bronze Skink
<i>Chalcides ocellatus</i>	Ocellated Skink
<i>Lankascincus fallax</i>	Peters' Tree Skink
<i>Nessia sarasinorum</i>	Muller's Nessia
<i>Sphenomorphus megalops</i>	

- **Mabuyas** (Mabuyidae):

<i>Dasia haliana</i>	Ceylonese Dasia
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- **Shield-tailed Snakes** (Uropeltidae):

<i>Rhinophis dorsimaculatus</i>	Polka-dot Earth Snake
<i>Rhinophis oxyrhynchus</i>	Schneider's Earth Snake

- **Blind Snakes** (Typhlopidae):

<i>Indotyphlops braminus</i>	Brahminy Blind Snake
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- **Gerrhopilidae**:

<i>Gerrhopilus ceylonicus</i>	Sri Lanka Worm Snake
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- **Colubrids** (Colubridae):

<i>Ahaetulla nasuta</i>	Long-nosed Tree Snake
<i>Amphiesma stolatum</i>	Buff Striped Keelback
<i>Argyrogena fasciolata</i>	Banded Racer
<i>Atretium schistosum</i>	Split Keelback
<i>Boiga barnesii</i>	Barnes' Cat Snake
<i>Boiga ceylonensis</i>	Sri Lanka Cat Snake
<i>Boiga forsteni</i>	Forsten's Cat Snake
<i>Boiga trigonata</i>	Indian Gamma Snake
<i>Dendrelaphis bifrenalis</i>	Boulenger's Bronzeback
<i>Dendrelaphis oliveri</i>	Oliver's Bronzeback
<i>Dendrelaphis schokari</i>	Schokar's Bronzeback
<i>Dryocalamus nympha</i>	Common Bridle Snake
<i>Chrysopelea ornata</i>	Golden Flying Snake
<i>Chrysopelea taprobanica</i>	Indian Flying Snake
<i>Liopeltis calamaria</i>	Calamaria Reed Snake
<i>Lycodon aulicus</i>	Common Wolf Snake
<i>Lycodon striatus</i>	Barred Wolf Snake

<i>Macropisthodon plumbicolor</i>	Green Keelback
<i>Oligodon arnensis</i>	Common Kukri Snake
<i>Oligodon taeniolatus</i>	Streaked Kukri Snake
<i>Ptyas mucosa</i>	Indian Ratsnake
<i>Xenochrophis asperimus</i>	Boulenger's Keelback

- Cobras, Mambas and Relatives (Elapidae):

<i>Bungarus caeruleus</i>	Common Krait
<i>Calliophis haematoetron</i>	Blood-bellied Coral Snake
<i>Calliophis melanurus</i>	Indian Coral Snake
<i>Naja naja</i>	Indian Cobra

- Vipers (Viperidae):

<i>Daboia russelii</i>	Russell's Viper
<i>Echis carinatus</i>	Saw-scaled Viper
<i>Trimeresurus trigonocephalus</i>	Sri Lankan Green Pit Viper

Amphibians:

Frogs - Toads (Bufonidae):

<i>Duttaphrynus melanostictus</i>	Asian Common Toad
<i>Duttaphrynus scaber</i>	Ferguson's Toad

- Chorus Frogs (Microhylidae):

<i>Microhyla ornata</i>	Ornate Narrow-mouthed Toad
<i>Microhyla rubra</i>	Indian Rice Frog
<i>Uperodon taprobanicus</i>	Sri Lankan Bullfrog
<i>Uperodon variegatus</i>	White-bellied Pug-snout Frog

- Dicroglossidae:

<i>Euphlyctis cyanophlyctis</i>	Common Skittering Frog
<i>Euphlyctis hexadactylus</i>	Indian Five-fingered Frog
<i>Fejervarya limnocharis</i>	Alpine Cricket Frog
<i>Hoplobatrachus crassus</i>	Jerdon's Bullfrog
<i>Sphaerotheca rolandae</i>	Marbled Sand Frog

- Frogs (Ranidae):

<i>Hylarana gracilis</i>	Sri Lanka Wood Frog
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- Rhacophoridae:

<i>Polypedates maculatus</i>	Common Indian Tree Frog
<i>Pseudophilautus regius</i>	

Fish:

Elopiformes – Tarpons (Megalopidae):

<i>Megalops cyprinoides</i>	Indo-Pacific Tarpon
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Cypriniformes - Minnows and Carps (Cyprinidae):

<i>Amblypharyngodon melettinus</i>	Attentive Carplet
<i>Carassius carassius</i>	Crucian Carp
<i>Danio rerio</i>	Zebra Danio
<i>Dawkinsia singhala</i>	
<i>Devario malabaricus</i>	Malabar Danio
<i>Esomus danricus</i>	Flying Barb
<i>Esomus thermoicos</i>	Flying Barb
<i>Garra ceylonensis</i>	Stone Sucker
<i>Labeo rohita</i>	Roho Labeo
<i>Laubuka lankensis</i>	Laubuca
<i>Laubuka laubuca</i>	Indian Glass Barb
<i>Pethia cumingii</i>	Two Spot Barb
<i>Pethia ticto</i>	Ticto Barb
<i>Puntius bimaculatus</i>	Redside Barb
<i>Puntius chola</i>	Swamp Barb
<i>Puntius vittatus</i>	Greenstripe Barb
<i>Rasbora caverii</i>	Cauveri Rasbora
<i>Rasbora daniconius</i>	Slender Rasbora
<i>Tor khudree</i>	Deccan Mahseer

- Loaches (Cobitidae):

<i>Lepidocephalichthys thermalis</i>	Common Spiny Loach
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- Nemacheilidae:

<i>Schistura notostigma</i>	Banded Mountain Loach
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Eels and Morays - Freshwater Eels (Anguillidae):

<i>Anguilla bengalensis</i>	Indian Mottled Eel
<i>Anguilla bicolor</i>	Indonesian Shortfin Eel

- Morays (Muraenidae):

<i>Gymnothorax polyuranodon</i>	Freshwater Moray
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Catfish - Bagrid Catfishes (Bagridae):

<i>Mystus gulio</i>	Long Whiskers Catfish
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– Sheatfishes (Siluridae):

<i>Ompok bimaculatus</i>	Butter Catfish
<i>Pinniwallago kanpurensis</i>	Pinna Catfish

- **Airbreathing or Labyrinth Catfishes** (Clariidae):

<i>Clarias batrachus</i>	Philippine Catfish
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- **Airsac Catfishes** (Heteropneustidae):

<i>Heteropneustes fossilis</i>	Stinging Catfish
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Cyprinodontiformes – **Killifishes** (Aplocheilidae):

<i>Aplocheilichthys panchax</i>	Blue Panchax
<i>Aplocheilichthys parvus</i>	Dwarf Panchax

Syngnathiformes - **Pipefishes and Seahorses** (Syngnathidae):

<i>Hippichthys heptagonus</i>	Reticulated Freshwater Pipefish
<i>Microphis cuniculatus</i>	Crocodile-tooth Pipefish
<i>Microphis ocellatus</i>	Ocellated Pipefish

Perch-likes - **Climbing Gouramies** (Anabantidae):

<i>Anabas testudineus</i>	Climbing Perch
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- **Gouramies and Allies** (Osphronemidae):

<i>Osphronemus goramy</i>	Giant Gourami
<i>Trichopodus pectoralis</i>	Snakeskin Gourami

- **Blennies** (Blenniidae):

<i>Omobranchius ferox</i>	Gossamer Blenny
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- **Snakeheads** (Channidae):

<i>Channa striata</i>	Banded Snakehead
<i>Channa punctata</i>	Spotted Snakehead

- **Gobies** (Gobiidae):

<i>Glossogobius giuris</i>	Tank Goby
<i>Redigobius balteatus</i>	Rhinohorn Goby
<i>Stigmatogobius sadanundio</i>	

- **Sleepers** (Eleotridae):

<i>Bunaka gyrinoides</i>	Green-backed Gauvina
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- **Cichlids** (Cichlidae):

<i>Etroplus maculatus</i>	Orange Chromid
<i>Etroplus suratensis</i>	Banded Etroplus
<i>Oreochromis mossambicus</i>	Mozambique Tilapia

Puffers and Filefishes - Puffers (Tetraodontidae):

<i>Dichotomyctere nigroviridis</i>	Spotted Green Pufferfish
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Swamp Eels and Cuchias - Swamp-eels (Synbranchidae):

<i>Ophisternon bengalense</i>	Bengal Mudeel
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Ferns:

Polypodiales - Brake Ferns (Pteridaceae):

<i>Acrostichum aureum</i>	Golden Leatherfern
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Salviniales - Watermosses (Salviniaceae):

<i>Azolla pinnata</i>	Feathered Mosquitofern
<i>Salvinia molesta</i>	Kariba Weed

Dicotyledons:

Nymphaeales - Nymphaeaceae:

<i>Nymphaea nouchali</i>	Blue Star Water Lily
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Ceratophyllales – Ceratophyllaceae:

<i>Ceratophyllum demersum</i>	Common Hornwort
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Caryophyllales - Amaranthaceae:

<i>Aerva lanata</i>	Aerva
<i>Alternanthera sessilis</i>	Sessile Joyweed

- Chenopodiaceae:

<i>Suaeda monoica</i>	Seepweed
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Malvales - Malvaceae:

<i>Abutilon pannosum</i>	Indian Mallow
<i>Hibiscus tiliaceus</i>	Beach Hibiscus
<i>Pentapetes phoenicea</i>	Flor Impia
<i>Sida sp.</i>	Fanpetals
<i>Urena lobata</i>	Caesarweed

Rosales - Rhamnaceae:

<i>Ziziphus oenoplia</i>	Wine Jujube
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Proteales - Nelumbonaceae:

<i>Nelumbo nucifera</i>	Sacred Lotus
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Malpighiales - Mangroves (Rhizophoraceae):

<i>Rhizophora mucronata</i>	Loop Root Mangrove
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- Achariaceae:

<i>Hydnocarpus venenata</i>	Hydnocarpus
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Sapindales – Sapindaceae:

<i>Cardiospermum halicacabum</i>	Balloon Vine
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- Rutaceae:

<i>Chloroxylon swietenia</i>	East Indian Satinwood
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Myrtales - Onagraceae:

<i>Ludwigia sp.</i>	Primrose-willow
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- Lythraceae:

<i>Sonneratia apetala</i>	
<i>Trapa bispinosa</i>	Water Chestnut

- Combretaceae:

<i>Lumnitzera racemosa</i>	Black Mangrove
<i>Terminalia arjuna</i>	Arjun Tree

Ericales - Primulaceae:

<i>Aegiceras corniculatum</i>	River Mangrove
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- Sapotaceae:

<i>Madhuca longifolia</i>	Mahua
<i>Manilkara hexandra</i>	Palu

- Lecythidaceae:

<i>Barringtonia asiatica</i>	Sea Poison Tree
<i>Barringtonia macrocarpa</i>	Barringtonia

Gentianales – Rubiaceae:

<i>Mitragyna parvifolia</i>	
<i>Scyphiphora hydrophyllacea</i>	

- Apocynaceae:

<i>Hemidesmus indicus</i>	Indian Sarsaparilla
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Lamiales - Acanthaceae:

<i>Acanthus ilicifolius</i>	Holly Mangrove
<i>Avicennia marina</i>	Grey Mangrove
<i>Rhinacanthus nasutus</i>	Snake Jasmine

Solanales - Convolvulaceae:

<i>Ipomoea aquatica</i>	Swamp Morning-glory
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Asterales - Asteraceae:

<i>Xanthium strumarium</i>	Rough Cocklebur
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- Menyanthaceae:

<i>Nymphoides hydrophylla</i>	Crested Floatingheart
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Monocotyledons:

Alismatales - Aroids (Araceae):

<i>Pistia stratiotes</i>	Water Lettuce
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- Hydrocharitaceae:

<i>Hydrilla</i> sp.	Hydrilla
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- Aponogetonaceae:

<i>Aponogeton crispus</i>	Wavy-edged Sword Plant
<i>Aponogeton jacobsenii</i>	Aponogeton
<i>Aponogeton natans</i>	Floating Lace Plant

Commelinales - Pontederiaceae:

<i>Eichhornia crassipes</i>	Common Water Hyacinth
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Arecales – Arecaceae:

<i>Calamus rotang</i>	Rattan
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Poales - Grasses (Poaceae):

<i>Cymbopogon nardus</i>	Citronella Grass
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i>	Common Bermuda Grass

- Flatsedges (Cyperaceae):

<i>Actinoscirpus grossus</i>	Giant Bur Rush
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