

Burma Highlights - A Wildlife & Cultural Tour

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Day 1

Monday 3rd February

The flight was delayed and arrived at Yangon at 10:30 am instead of 6:30. We were still smiling when everybody arrived and drove to the majestic Kandawgyi Palace Hotel. We headed to the old and charming 'House of Memories' for lunch. In the afternoon we visited Yangon's most magnificent landmark, the Shwe Dagon Pagoda. It was a treat to get a few squirrels and birds on the grounds and up on the pagoda. Other than the intricate architecture we saw Black Drongos, House Swifts, Jungle and Common Mynas, Feral Pigeons, and a Common Kestrel. At pre-dusk we lined ourselves in front of one of the entrances to a bat colony and in a few minutes a few Asian Wrinkle-lipped Bats started to fly out. And there were more and more and more....there were millions and the spectacle went on long until it became dark. What a great end the first day in Myanmar!

Day 2

Tuesday 4th February

Today was spent birding at Hlawage. The Hlawga Park is situated north of Yangon. It took an hour's drive to reach the park. It did not take long to clock up some of the specialities like Racket-tailed Treepie, the *davisoni* sp of the Streak-throated Bulbul, Streak-eared Bulbul, Brown Shrike, Chestnut-headed Bee-eaters, Spangled Drongo etc. We next did a walk along the gravel path which gave us White-throated Babbler, and Black-naped Orioles. The path eventually led up to small lake which had Cotton Pygmy Goose and Little Grebes. We stopped for lunch at a lakeside cafe in the Hlawage Reserve and clocked a few mammals like Pig-tailed Macaques, Rhesus Macaques, Hog Deer, Sambar Deer and a few more birds like Peregrine Falcon, and Lesser Whistling Duck. It got fairly hot after that and we made a round of the park before returning to Kandawgyi for dinner and bed.

Day 3

Wednesday 5th February

At dawn this morning we reached the airport to fly to Heho. We boarded the waiting bus at Heho and drove through the beautiful country side to the Nyaung Shwe. We changed over to these long canoes with outboards and sailed through the Inle Lake. People here live extraordinary lives, their homes are above water on stilts, their farms made of mounds of floating lake-weed, and their folks row the boats using their legs to power their paddles. We sailed through masses of Brown-headed Gulls to our beautiful Hotel the Amata Gardens. We dropped our bags and went to a floating restaurant to sample the best of Burmese cuisine washed down by 'Myanmar Beer'. Our next stop was the lotus weaving centre. Here in the floating gardens, we clocked Collared Mynas; Vinous-breasted Starlings; Black-collared Starlings; Long-tiled Shrikes and Common Snipes. Next stop was the silver jewellery manufacturers, but more birds were listed as we sailed along.

The last and the final stop were at the Padung tribe's home. This tribe is also referred as the giraffe tribe because of their long necks. The heavy brass rings are wrapped around the neck of the girls as children and the rings increase in spirals and weight as the girls grow older. We finally called it a day and sailed back to base at dusk.

Day 4

Thursday 6th February

We started some early birding in the grounds and added Asian Barred Owlets, more Mynas, a beautiful Burmese Shrike, Purple Swamphen, Blyth's Pipits, several Black-shouldered Kites, Scaly-breasted and White-rumped Munias. After breakfast we packed and left for the local market. On the way we added Pheasant-tailed Jacanas and Glossy Ibis to our list. It was very interesting to walk around the market and see the tourist trinkets and the daily used products sold side-by-side. After sampling some jiggery-cruste peanuts and some fried tofu, we took off for Nyaung Shwe. The target was Jerdon's Bushchat; and we found three along with Purple Herons, several egrets and Striated Grassbirds.

After lunch we stopped at the wooden monastery at Heho town. Next we made three brief stops; one at a family owned Paper Umbrella making factory and another at the old Kalaw railway loop for pictures and a final one at the Aung Bang Railway Station. Thereafter we reached the picturesque Kalaw late in the afternoon. The night stay was at the Green Haven Hotel on the edge of the town.

Day 5

Friday 7th February

We took a long 7km walk to the Yay Ayekan barrage. We started off with a pine forest and clocked species like the Brown-breasted Bulbul, Japanese Tit, Burmese Shrike, Buff-throated Warbler, Long-tailed Shrike, Large-billed Warbler, and Grey Bushchats. We then walked through terraced rice fields and added species like Chestnut-vented Nuthatch, Eurasian Jay, White-browed Laughingthrush and White-browed Scimitar Babblers. We then entered a thick dark forest track. This gave us Grey-cheeked Fulvettas, Japanese White-eye and Speckled Piculets to name a few. We reached the barrage by noon and enjoyed some boxed lunches. After some rest, a smart White-capped Water Redstart and Crested Finchbills got us started again. The birding on the way back was slow but we added Dark-backed Sibias, Spectacled Barwings and Black-headed Greenfinch to our list. After an hour's rest we had a walk around the town of Kalaw and looked around till sundown.

Day 6

Saturday 8th February

After a late breakfast we visited the village of Myin Ka Kone. The beautiful farmland gave us some great birds. As we walked along a flock of Yellow-eyed Babblers caught us off guard. These very confiding birds gave us great views and then were followed by Olive-backed Pipit, Common Rosefinch, Wire-tailed Swallows, Asian House Martin, and a Himalayan Buzzard.

We had the information that the weekly market day was on, so we decided to make a visit, after stopping at the Victorian railway station of Kalaw. Villagers from great distances away visit this market to buy and sell their produce. This vast and fascinating market had second hand clothes, meat, fish, vegetables, pirated CDs and what not. We ended the morning with a visit to Thein Taung Monastery. We caught our flight to Mandalay from Heho airport and reached the exquisite hotel 'Shwe Pyi Thar' in the evening.

Day 7

Sunday 9th February

After a good night's sleep we geared up for some culture. We took a boat and sailed 11kms upstream along the Ayeyarwaddy to the ruins of the Min Kun. The most famous is the unfinished Mingun Paya pagoda. The other sites we visited were Min Kun Bell, and the white washed Hsinbyume Paya or the Myatheindan. In Min Kun we walked along the main road soaking up on the local colours. Some took a ride in the bullock carts and we even watched a dancing painted elephant. In the gardens around the pagodas we saw Streak-eared Bulbuls, Vinous-breasted Starlings, and Rose-ringed Parakeets. Other than clocking a few waders and Spot-billed Ducks, we got some superb views of a pod of the elusive and endangered Irrawaddy Dolphin.

The middle of the day was spent visiting the Python Temple, where three snakes resided around the Buddha Statue and the famous teak bridge of U Bein. We also visited the various workshops for which Mandalay is famous for – marble-carving and bronze-casting. After some minor retail therapy we headed to Mandalay Hills. The hill provides a good view of the city of Mandalay and a sunset, but for us there was also a Pallas's Squirrel and a few Ashy Woodswallows.

Day 8

Monday 10th February

Today we had an early start to catch the day ferry to Bagan. The three tier Swe Kinnery was our abode for the day. We settled down to soak up on the sights of the beautiful Pagodas on the both sides of the river. We passed various other forms of ferries, some with overnighting facilities. The beautiful morning produced a pair of Oriental Pied Hornbills; large flotillas of Ruddy Shelducks and Spot-billed Ducks. We added Bar-headed and Greylag Geese. We even came across a large flock of Common Cranes. As day went by it became warm and Myanmar Beer became priority number one.

Later in the day we saw White-tailed Stonechats, a few Small Pratincoles, massive flocks of Cattle Egrets, a few Peregrine Falcons and Spotted Redshanks. But what took every birder's breath away were three male Pied Harriers crossing the river at sunset. We reached the dusty temple town of Bagan and settled down at the Thripyitsaya Sanctuary Resort.

Day 9

Tuesday 11th February

After superb buffet breakfast we hit the thorny scrubs near the Sitanagyi Paya where we added Plain-backed Sparrows; Burmese Bushlark; the beautiful and most obliging flock of four Jerdon's Minivet; a flushed Rain Quail; Streak-eared Bulbuls; and White-throated Babblers with their long-tails hopped about. We feasted on the ripe jujube fruits before we visited Sitanagyi Paya which was under restoration. We then visited a lacquer workshop and saw the intricate craftsmanship, and indulged in some retail therapy. Next stop was a family owned weaving facility. More therapeutic retailing here and we also had some first-hand experience in Cheroot making by the old lady of the house.

After a welcome siesta and a swim, we visited the Ananda Paya. Last stop of the day was the Shwe Sadaw Paya. Some of us climbed the high steps from the terraces of Shwe Sandaw, one of the last pagodas which visitors can still climb; we watched the sun setting towards the vast horizon of Bagan and the plain of the Ayeyarwaddy.

Day 10

Wednesday 12th February

We started the day by visiting the local market, some of us bought feather dusters and hand-woven baskets, while others were high-jacked by the local ladies and were dressed up in colourful lungis! We stopped next at a grove near the jetty to look for trees full of Flying Foxes. These bats kept us busy for a while, flying all over the place and giving good photo ops. Next on our visit list were the Shwe Zigon Paya, Gubyaukgyi and the Manuha Paya, where giant Buddha statues are enclosed in tight fitted chambers, representing the displeasure of the Mon King Thaton at being held captive in Bagan by the great King Anawrata.

After a siesta and a swim, we went out looking for the gems we missed the previous day. We headed towards the Sulamani Paya and it did not take us long to get our Hooded Treepie and we also found a Spot-throated Woodpecker on an acacia tree. A small wetland nearby produced a wide-eyed Spotted Owlet and a few Kingfishers. We then headed towards the Paya and spotted the pair of resident Laggar Falcons atop the Paya. They occasionally took flight and returned to their perch giving us great scope views. In the setting sun this was the most befitting end to our main groups' birds and culture tour.

Mount Victoria extension

Day 11

Thursday 13th February

We said goodbye to the eleven who left us and headed towards Mt Victoria on our three Mitsubishi Pajeros. The road was long bumpy and dusty but it gave us an insight of the rural Burma. We crossed the Ayerrawaddy, and drove through Chauk and Saw. We stopped at places to look for birds and added Crested Serpent Eagle, Streak-breasted Woodpecker to our list.

After a lunch stop at a local restaurant in Ayengyi, we arrived at the pretty Pinewoods villa at the base of the Natmataung (Mt Victoria) National Park. Chestnut-vented Nuthatch and Long-tailed Minivets greeted us in this peaceful mountain. The last bird we clocked for the day was the tiny and elusive Chin Hills Wren Babbler.

Day 12/13**Friday 14th/ Saturday 15th February**

These two days were spent driving up to the pine and rhododendron forest of Mt Victoria up to 10500ft. The breath-taking scenery and unspoilt forest was a feast to the eye. We added most of the desirables namely White-browed Nuthatch, Chinese Babax, Assam Laughingthrush, Brown-capped Laughingthrush, Burmese Bushtit, Black-bibbed Tit, Firetailed Sunbirds etc.

The afternoons were spent visiting the two tiny hamlets of Myo Haung, Ma Kyaw Ar. The ladies with face tattoos sat there spinning their weaves or smoking a silver pipe. A three aside Arsenal vs Myanmar united match was on at one of the village football grounds for us to watch!

Day 14**Sunday 16th February**

We left Mt Victoria after breakfast. We made a few stops before lunch. Several new birds were added to the list namely Yellow-vented and Plain Flowerpecker; Great Slaty Woodpecker was a big hit; Rosy Minivet and Black-backed Forktail and Gray Headed Parakeets were our favourites. After a quick lunch at the local restaurant at Ayengyi village we drove down via the oil rigged town of Chawk and arrived at Bagan in the late afternoon. Before check in we made a quick stop at the glittering, all gold, Lawkananda Phayar. Thereafter we called it a day with the calls of our friendly Indian Nightjar nearby.

Day 15**Monday 17th February**

We returned to Yangon to the Kandawgyi Palace Hotel at the end of the tour. We were made extremely welcome everywhere, in true Burmese way. So we humbly express our thanks.

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Species List

Birds (✓ = recorded but not counted; H = heard only)

	Common name	Scientific name	February													
			Yangon	Hlawga	Inle	inle	kalaw	kalaw	Mandalay	Irrawaddy	Bagan	Bagan	mt Vic	mt Vic	mt Vic	to Bagan
			3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Rain Quail	<i>Coturnix coromandelica</i>									✓					
2	Hill Partridge	<i>Arborophila torqueola</i>												H		
3	Common Crane	<i>Grus grus</i>									✓					
4	Lesser Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>		✓		✓		✓			✓					
5	Greylag Goose	<i>Anser anser</i>							✓	✓						
6	Bar-headed Goose	<i>Anser indicus</i>								✓						
7	Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>							✓	✓	✓					
8	Cotton Pygmy Goose	<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>		✓												
9	Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>		✓												
10	Indian Spot-billed Duck	<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>		✓		✓			✓	✓						
11	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>								✓						
12	Ferruginous Duck	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>			✓	✓										
13	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>		✓	✓											
14	Asian Openbill	<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓						
15	Black-crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>			✓											
16	Indian Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola grayii</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓				
17	Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>			✓	✓				✓		✓				
18	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>							✓	✓						
19	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>				✓										
20	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>			✓	✓			✓	✓						
21	Intermediate Egret	<i>Egretta intermedia</i>				✓										
22	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓					
23	Little Cormorant	<i>Microcarbo niger</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓						
24	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>								✓						
25	Oriental Darter	<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>		✓												
26	Western Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>		✓	✓					✓						
27	Black Baza	<i>Aviceda leuphotes</i>		✓												
28	Oriental Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>		✓					✓							
29	Black-shouldered Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>			✓	✓		✓		✓						
30	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	✓	✓					✓	✓						

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31	Crested Serpent Eagle	<i>Spilornis cheela</i>													✓			✓
32	Western Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>				✓												
33	Pied Harrier	<i>Circus melanoleucos</i>				✓					✓							
34	Himalayan Buzzard	<i>Buteo burmanicus</i>					✓	✓				✓				✓		
35	Black Eagle	<i>Ictinaetus malayensis</i>														✓	✓	
36	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	✓			✓		✓			✓							
37	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>		✓							✓							
38	Laggar Falcon	<i>Falco jugger</i>										✓						
39	Purple Swamphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>				✓												
40	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>		✓														
41	Eurasian Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>		?	✓	✓												
42	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>			✓													
43	River Lapwing	<i>Vanellus duvaucellii</i>										✓						
44	Red-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus indicus</i>											✓					
45	Little Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>										✓						
46	Kentish Plover	<i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i>										✓						
47	Pheasant-tailed Jacana	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>				✓												
48	Bronze-winged Jacana	<i>Metopidius indicus</i>		✓														
49	Spotted Redshank	<i>Tringa erythropus</i>										✓						
50	Marsh Sandpiper	<i>Tringa stagnatilis</i>											✓					
51	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>											✓					
52	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>							✓	✓	✓							
53	Temminck's Stint	<i>Calidris temminckii</i>							✓									
54	Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>				✓												
55	Small Pratincole	<i>Glareola lactea</i>										✓						
56	Brown-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus</i>				✓	✓					✓						
57	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>				✓			✓									
58	Black-headed Ibis	<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>										✓						
59	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>							✓		✓	✓						
60	Oriental Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>						✓										
61	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>		✓									✓					
62	Red Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia tranquebarica</i>		✓									✓					
63	Spotted Dove	<i>Spilopelia chinensis</i>		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						

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64	Wedge-tailed Green Pigeon	<i>Treron sphenura</i>													✓	
65	Rose-ringed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>							✓							
66	Alexandrine Parakeet	<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>		✓									✓			
67	Grey-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula finschii</i>														✓
68	Red-breasted Parakeet	<i>Psittacula alexandri</i>											✓			
69	Greater Coucal	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>				✓						✓				
70	Lesser Coucal	<i>Centropus bengalensis</i>		✓												
71	Plaintive Cuckoo	<i>Cacomantis merulinus</i>						✓			✓					
72	Asian Barred Owlet	<i>Glaucidium cuculoides</i>				✓										
73	Spotted Owlet	<i>Athene brama</i>								H	H	✓				
74	Indian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>						✓		✓	H	H				H
75	Crested Treeswift	<i>Hemiprocne coronata</i>											✓			✓
76	Asian Palm Swift	<i>Cypsiurus balasiensis</i>	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓
77	House Swift	<i>Apus nipalensis</i>	✓					✓	✓		✓					
78	Oriental Pied Hornbill	<i>Anthracoceros albirostris</i>									✓					
79	Indian Roller	<i>Coracias benghalensis</i>				✓					✓		✓			✓
80	White-throated Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>		✓		✓				✓	✓	✓				
81	Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>			✓	✓						✓				
82	Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>		✓						✓						
83	Green Bee-Eater	<i>Merops orientalis</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
84	Blue-tailed Bee-Eater	<i>Merops philippinus</i>		✓												
85	Chestnut-headed Bee-Eater	<i>Merops leschenaulti</i>		✓												
86	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>					✓				✓	✓				✓
87	Great Barbet	<i>Megalaima virens</i>												✓	✓	H
88	Lineated Barbet	<i>Megalaima lineata</i>				✓										✓
89	Golden-throated Barbet	<i>Megalaima franklinii</i>												✓		
90	Coppersmith Barbet	<i>Megalaima haemacephala</i>		H			H									
91	Eurasian Wryneck	<i>Jynx torquilla</i>					✓	✓								
92	Speckled Piculet	<i>Picumnus innominatus</i>					✓									
93	Spot-breasted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos analis</i>										✓				
94	Streak-throated Woodpecker	<i>Picus xanthopygaeus</i>											✓			
95	Rufous-bellied Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos hyperythrus</i>												✓		
96	Bay Woodpecker	<i>Blythipicus pyrrhotis</i>					✓									

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97	Great Slaty Woodpecker	<i>Mulleripicus pulverulentus</i>														✓
98	Ashy Woodswallow	<i>Artamus fuscus</i>			✓					✓						✓
99	Common Iora	<i>Aegithina tiphia</i>		✓		✓						✓	✓			✓
100	Rosy Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus roseus</i>														✓
101	Jerdon's Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus albifrons</i>										✓				
102	Long-tailed Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus ethologus</i>											?	✓		
103	Short-billed Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus brevirostris</i>													✓	
104	Scarlet Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus speciosus</i>						✓								
105	Brown Shrike	<i>Lanius cristatus</i>		✓	✓	✓										
106	Burmese Shrike	<i>Lanius colluriooides</i>				✓	✓					✓				
107	Long-tailed Shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓							
108	Blyth's Shrike-Babbler	<i>Pteruthius aeralatus</i>													H	
109	Green Shrike-Babbler	<i>Pteruthius xanthochlorus</i>					?							✓		
110	Black-naped Oriole	<i>Oriolus chinensis</i>		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓							
111	Black-hooded Oriole	<i>Oriolus xanthornus</i>														H
112	Black Drongo	<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓	✓			
113	Ashy Drongo	<i>Dicrurus leucophaeus</i>		✓				✓							✓	✓
114	Bronzed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus aeneus</i>					✓									
115	Hair-crested Drongo	<i>Dicrurus hottentottus</i>		✓												✓
116	White-throated Fantail	<i>Rhipidura albicollis</i>												✓	✓	
117	Black-naped Monarch	<i>Hypothymis azurea</i>		✓												✓
118	Eurasian Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>					✓									
119	Yellow-billed Blue Magpie	<i>Urocissa flavirostris</i>														✓
120	Red-billed Blue Magpie	<i>Urocissa erythroryncha</i>					✓									
121	Rufous Treepie	<i>Dendrocitta vagabunda</i>														H
122	Racket tailed Treepie	<i>Crysirina temia</i>		✓												
123	Hooded Treepie	<i>Crysirina cucullata</i>											✓			
124	House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
125	Eastern Jungle Crow	<i>Corvus leuallantii</i>						✓							✓	
126	Yellow-bellied Fantail	<i>Chelidorhynch hypoxantha</i>														✓
127	Grey-headed Canary-Flycatcher	<i>Culicicapa ceylonensis</i>		✓			✓									
128	Black-bibbed Tit	<i>Poecile hypermelaenus</i>												✓		
129	Japanese Tit	<i>Parus minor</i>					✓	✓								

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130	Cinereous/great Tit	<i>Parus cinereus</i>					✓	✓								✓
131	Green-backed Tit	<i>Parus monticolus</i>										✓	✓			
132	Yellow-browed Tit	<i>Sylviparus modestus</i>											✓	✓		
133	Burmese Bush Lark	<i>Mirafra microptera</i>									✓	✓				
134	Oriental Skylark	<i>Alauda gulgula</i>								✓			✓			
135	Crested Finchbill	<i>Spizixos canifrons</i>					✓						✓			
136	Striated Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus striatus</i>													✓	
137	Black-crested Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus flaviventris</i>		✓												✓
138	Red-whiskered Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus jocosus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓							
139	Brown-breasted Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus xanthorrhous</i>					✓									
140	Red-vented Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓
141	Stripe-throated Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus finlaysoni</i>		✓												
142	Flavescent Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus flavescens</i>					✓					✓	✓			
143	Streak-eared Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus blanfordi</i>		✓					?		✓	✓				
144	Mountain Bulbul	<i>Ixos mcclllandii</i>					✓									
145	Black Bulbul	<i>Hypsipetes leucocephalus</i>					✓									
146	Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>				✓			✓	✓						
147	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓						
148	Wire-tailed Swallow	<i>Hirundo smithii</i>						✓								
149	Asian House Martin	<i>Delichon dasypus</i>						✓							✓	
150	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Cecropis daurica</i>						✓		✓						
151	Black-throated Bushtit	<i>Aegithalos concinnus</i>											✓			
152	Burmese Bushtit	<i>Aegithalos sharpei</i>											✓	✓		
153	Dusky Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus fuscatus</i>		H								✓				
154	Tickell's Leaf Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus affinis</i>									✓	✓				
155	Buff-throated Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus subaffinis</i>					✓									
156	Yellow-streaked Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus armandii</i>					✓									
157	Ashy-throated Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus maculipennis</i>											✓			
158	Yellow-browed Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i>		✓												
159	Hume's Leaf Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus humei</i>										✓	✓	✓		
160	Greenish Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochiloides</i>					✓									
161	Blyth's Leaf Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus reguloides</i>					✓									
162	Davison's Leaf Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus davisoni</i>											✓	✓		

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163	Large-billed Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus magnirostris</i>					✓									
164	Thick-billed Warbler	<i>Iduna aedon</i>		✓												
165	Striated Grassbird	<i>Megalurus palustris</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓							
166	Hill Prinia	<i>Prinia superciliaris</i>					✓	✓								
167	Grey-breasted Prinia	<i>Prinia hodgsonii</i>				✓							?			
168	Plain Prinia	<i>Prinia inornata</i>														✓
169	Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>				✓										✓
170	Dark-necked Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus atrogularis</i>		H												
171	White-browed Scimitar Babbler	<i>Pomatorhinus schisticeps</i>					✓								✓	
172	Chin Hills Wren-Babbler	<i>Spelaeornis oatesi</i>											✓			
173	Golden Babbler	<i>Stachyridopsis chrysaea</i>					H									
174	Pin-striped Tit-Babbler	<i>Macronus gularis</i>														✓
175	Rufous-winged Fulvetta	<i>Alcippe castaneiceps</i>													✓	
176	Yunnan/Grey cheeked Fulvetta	<i>Alcippe fratercula</i>					✓									
177	White-browed Fulvetta	<i>Fulvetta vinipectus</i>													✓	
178	White-throated Babbler	<i>Turdoides gularis</i>		✓							✓	✓				
179	Chinese Babax	<i>Babax lanceolatus</i>													✓	
180	White-browed Laughingthrush	<i>Garrulax sannio</i>					✓									
181	Brown-capped Laughingthrush	<i>Trochalopteron austeni</i>													✓	
182	Assam Laughingthrush	<i>Trochalopteron chrysopterum</i>													✓	
183	Rusty-fronted Barwing	<i>Actinodura egertoni</i>													✓	✓
184	Spectacled Barwing	<i>Actinodura ramsayi</i>					✓									
185	Streak-throated Barwing	<i>Actinodura waldeni</i>													✓	✓
186	Silver-eared Mesia	<i>Leiothrix argentauris</i>					✓						✓			
187	Grey Siberia	<i>Heterophasia gracilis</i>											H	✓	✓	
188	Dark-backed Siberia	<i>Heterophasia melanoleuca</i>					✓									
189	Yellow-eyed Babbler	<i>Chrysomma sinense</i>						✓								
190	Whiskered Yuhina	<i>Yuhina flavicollis</i>													✓	✓
191	Stripe-throated Yuhina	<i>Yuhina gularis</i>													✓	✓
192	Japanese White-Eye	<i>Zosterops japonicus</i>					✓									
193	Chestnut-vented Nuthatch	<i>Sitta nagaensis</i>					✓								✓	✓
194	White-browed Nuthatch	<i>Sitta victoriae</i>													✓	✓
195	Velvet-fronted Nuthatch	<i>Sitta frontalis</i>					✓									

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196	Bar-tailed Treecreeper	<i>Certhia himalayana</i>											✓			
197	Hume's Treecreeper	<i>Certhia manipurensis</i>											✓	✓		
198	White-vented Myna	<i>Acridotheres grandis</i>			✓	✓										
199	Jungle Myna	<i>Acridotheres fuscus</i>		✓					✓	✓	✓	✓				
200	Collared Myna	<i>Acridotheres albocinctus</i>			✓	✓										
201	Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	✓		✓	✓			✓		✓		✓			
202	Vinous-breasted Starling	<i>Acridotheres burmannicus</i>			✓	✓		✓			✓	✓				
203	Black-collared Starling	<i>Gracupica nigricollis</i>			✓	✓	✓									
204	Chestnut-tailed Starling	<i>Sturnia malabarica</i>		✓					✓							
205	Asian Pied Starling	<i>Gracupica sturna</i>				✓	✓									
206	Blue Whistling Thrush	<i>Myophonus caeruleus</i>													H	
207	Grey-sided Thrush	<i>Turdus feae</i>											✓	✓		
208	Himalayan Bluetail	<i>Tarsiger rufilatus</i>											✓	✓		
209	Oriental Magpie-Robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>				✓	✓	✓	✓							
210	Daurian Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus aureus</i>					✓						✓			
211	White-capped Redstart	<i>Chaimarrornis leucocephalus</i>					✓									
212	Black-backed Forktail	<i>Enicurus immaculatus</i>													✓	
213	Eastern Stonechat	<i>Saxicola maurus stejnegeri</i>			✓	✓	✓									
214	White-tailed Stonechat	<i>Saxicola leucurus</i>							✓	✓						
215	Pied Bush Chat	<i>Saxicola caprata</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓					
216	Jerdon's Bush Chat	<i>Saxicola jerdoni</i>				✓										
217	Grey Bush Chat	<i>Saxicola ferreus</i>					✓						✓	✓		
218	Blue Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola solitarius</i>									✓					
219	Chestnut-bellied Rock Thrush	<i>Monticola rufiventris</i>											✓			
220	Rufous-gorgeted Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula strophciata</i>										✓	✓			
221	Taiga Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula albicilla</i>		✓			✓				✓	?				
222	Blue-throated Blue Flycatcher	<i>Cyornis rubeculoides</i>													✓	
223	Tickell's Blue Flycatcher	<i>Cyornis tickelliae</i>					✓									
224	Golden-fronted Leafbird	<i>Chloropsis aurifrons</i>													✓	
225	Yellow-vented Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum chrysorrheum</i>													✓	
226	Plain Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum minullum</i>													✓	
227	Scarlet-backed Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum cruentatum</i>		✓									?		✓	
228	Ruby-cheeked Sunbird	<i>Chalcoparia singalensis</i>		✓											✓	

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229	Purple Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i>											✓			✓
230	Olive-backed Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris jugularis</i>		✓		✓										
231	Green-tailed Sunbird	<i>Aethopyga nipalensis</i>												✓	✓	
232	Fire-tailed Sunbird	<i>Aethopyga ignicauda</i>												✓	✓	
233	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓
234	Russet Sparrow	<i>Passer rutilans</i>						✓								
235	Plain-backed Sparrow	<i>Passer flaveolus</i>									✓	✓	✓			
236	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓			
237	Scaly-breasted Munia	<i>Lonchura punctulata</i>				✓					✓					
238	White-rumped Munia	<i>Lonchura striata</i>				✓										
239	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>				✓	✓							✓	✓	
240	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
241	Richard's Pipit	<i>Anthus richardi</i>									✓					
242	Paddyfield Pipit	<i>Anthus rufulus</i>										✓				
243	Olive-backed Pipit	<i>Anthus hodgsoni</i>						✓			✓	✓		✓	✓	
244	Blyth's Pipit	<i>Anthus godlewskii</i>				✓										
245	Black-headed Greenfinch	<i>Chloris ambigua</i>					✓									
246	Common Rosefinch	<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>						✓					✓		✓	
247	Brown Bullfinch	<i>Pyrrhula nipalensis</i>												✓		
248	Little Bunting	<i>Emberiza pusilla</i>											✓	✓		
249	Green peafowl (introduced)	<i>Pavo muticus</i>		✓												
Mammals																
1	Pallas's Squirrel	<i>Callosciurus erythraeus</i>							1		1	1				
2	Irrawaddy Squirrel	<i>Callosciurus pygerthyrus</i>	1	1					1							
3	Asian Wrinkle-lipped Bat	<i>Chaerephon plicatus</i>	1													
4	Indian Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus giganteus</i>								1		1				
5	Rhesus Macaque	<i>Macaca mulatta</i>		1												
6	Indian Hog Deer	<i>Hyelaphus porcinus</i>		1												
7	Pig-tailed Macaque	<i>Macaca nemestrina</i>		1												
8	Sambar	<i>Rusa unicolor</i>		1												

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9	Wild Boar	<i>Sus scopa</i>		1												
10	Irrawaddy Dolphin	<i>Orcaella brevirostris</i>							1							