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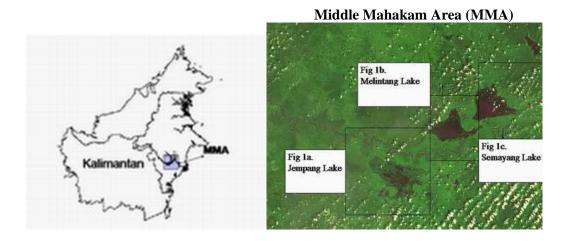
#### **SUMMARY**

A combination of observation and interview surveys were conducted in the Middle Mahakam River area (MMA) in East Kalimantan, Indonesia between 2005 and 2007 to assess total bio-diversity with a focus on avifauna, compare species and relative abundance composition during different water level conditions and assess the extent of bird captures from the wild with a focus on lesser adjutants. The survey area involved the river between Muara Kaman (180km from the mouth) and Melak (380km from the mouth) including the larger lakes of Semayang, Melintang and Jempang, several minor swamp (lake) areas and tributaries. Four diversity surveys were conducted between 2005 and 2007 at high, medium and low water levels during a total of 39 days covering a total distance of 3097 km and one interview survey on captivated birds. A total number of 91 bird species were positively identified duirng these four surveys of which 98% have been digitally portrayed. Most species and in the largest numbers were found in the lakes area (firstly in Jempang Lake), but when split to "micro" habitat type, riparian forest (especially of tributaries) appeared to account for the largest total diversity of species followed by lake forest and open swamps. On the other hand, densities and total numbers of birds observed were significantly higher in (open swamp) lake habitat at all water levels (high, medium, low) compared to other habitats. Large numbers of cattle-, intermediate-, great-, and little egrets, Javan pond-herons, wandering whistling ducks, white-winged, black-naped and whiskered terns were found in the open swamps during all or particular seasons. Total bird abundance was highest during the dry season. Several bird species such as common sandpiper, black-winged and white-headed stilts, black-tailed godwit, brahminy kites, black-naped and whiskered terns like to feed on the mudflats that become exposed during the dry season (August-October). At least 17 species are known to breed in the MMA of which 13 species were observed with clear breeding plumage. Important nest sites for lesser adjutants and purple herons were identified in Metau Forest (west of Jempang Lake) and Tubuhan Lake (north of Semayang Lake), where juvenile birds are regularly caught from their nests whereas lesser adjutants are also often deliberately caught with fish hooks and fish bait. Based on interviews, we found that between 2000 and 2007 at least 527 lesser adjutants were caught from the wild and 281 purple herons. At least 207 captivated birds of 16 species were observed in the MMA during June 2006 of which eight species involve protected species. When combining our own surveys with field data of bird observations from other sources (C. Gonner; T. Boorsma, BEBSIC), between 1990 and 2007 a total of 298 bird species have been identified in the Middle Mahakam Area of which 70 species represent protected species. According to the IUCN Red List, 55 species are categorized as EN, CR, Vu or NT but only 22 of these threatened species are nationally protected, excluding protection for two endangered species, seven vulnerable species and 24 near-threatened species. Five endemic bird species for Kalimantan were recorded, i.e. dusky munia, and Bornean whistler, Bornean peacock-pheasant, Bornean blue-flycatcher and Bornean Bristlehead. Major threats to the bird communities in the Middle Mahakam Area at present are captures of wild birds at large scale such as wandering whistling ducks, lesser adjutants, purple herons and to a smaller extent several species of hens, eagles, egrets and others. Other important threats involve habitat loss due to forest fires, illegal logging and forest conversion of lowland, freshwater and peat swamp forest for agriculture, mining and oilpalm plantations. There is a need to raise local awareness about protected species, increase law-enforcement and effective habitat protection, especially of nesting areas.

#### INTRODUCTION

# **Background**

The Middle Mahakam Area (MMA), which is located in the area between 180 km and 375 km upstream of the mouth of the Mahakam River (between 116° and 117° East and 0° to 0°30' South), is one of Kalimantan's largest wetland areas. It includes three major lakes (Jempang, Melintang and Semayang) and several minor lakes, peat and freshwater swamps, and major tributaries. The area is located in East Kalimantan in the Sundaland ecoregion and is part of the Mahakam River watershed, which is one of the major river systems of Kalimantan and runs from 118°0 east to 113°0 west and between 1°0 north and south.



The area of the Middle Mahakam Lakes (Danau Jempang: 116°12' E, 0°25' S) covers about 400,000 ha. The three largest lakes are Danau Jempang (15,000 ha in average), Danau Melintang (11,000 ha) and Danau Semayang (13,000). Due to alternating water levels the size of the lakes's water surface ranges from zero in extremely dry years (1982/83, 1991, 1994, 1997/98) to more than 60,000 ha. Their maximum depth is about 6-7m. Annual fluctuations can reach more than 6m. The Middle Mahakam Area (MMA) receives an average annual rainfall of 2,100-2,400 mm. Maximum temperatures range between 30-34°C, minimum temperatures between 22-24°C. The yearly average relative humidity is about 85%. The vegetation of the lakes (more than 86 aquatic plant species and genera) is dominated by floating weeds (mainly *Salvinia spec*. and *Eichhornia crassipes*, *Mimosa pigra* and *Polygonum barbatum*) (Gönner, 2000).

The lakes and swamps in the MMA are very important fish-spawning grounds and replenish the main river seasonally. Therefore, the MMA is an area of intensive fishing activity with an annual average catch of 25,000 to 35,000 metric tons since 1970 (MacKinnon et al., 1997). To date the area has been the largest single supplier of dried freshwater fish for the island of Java, with between 6,000 and 9,000 tons being exported annually (MacKinnon et al. 1997). On a landscape level, the area plays an important buffer role for the natural regulation of the Mahakam River and also downstream human settlements. The swamp area of the lakes is surrounded by freshwater (periodic) swamp forests, peat swamp forests (mainly in the northern part) and lowland dipterocarp rain forests. There are several smaller freshwater swamp lakes and black-water tributaries that directly drain from the swamps. To the north of Melintang and Semayang Lakes, peat swamp forests were severely

affected by forest fires in 1998. Despite the enormous damage caused by recent forest fires, the MMA is still one of Kalimantan's most important wetland areas. A comparison of water birds between the MMA and Negara River in South-Kalimantan (van Balen & Prentice 1997) or Tanjung Puting National Park (Nash & Nash 1988) highlights the MMA's importance as a crucial breeding and migration site for 90 waterbird species, including important breeding populations of various herons and the Lesser Adjutant (Leptoptilos javanicus). Breeding was also noted for the Little Tern (Sterna albifrons), and the White-headed Stilt (Himantopus leucocephalus), which appear to be the first breeding record for Borneo (Gönner, 2000, Gönner 2005 pers. comm.). Several thousand wandering whistling-ducks, waders and terns, both from the Oriental as well as from the Austral region, visit the MMA on their annual migration. The preservation of these wetlands and lakes is of not only national but also international biodiversity importance in terms of migrating and breeding bird species in these areas. The MMA, besides representing an area of high fish and bird diversity (at least 98 freshwater fish species identified by WIIP in 2000), is also home to a significant number of endangered mammals (including 10 primate species), such as the endemic Proboscis Monkeys (Nasalis larvatus) and the wild Banteng (Bos javanicus). Two species of crocodiles (Crocodylus siamensis and Tomistoma schlegeli) are found in the marshes (Cox, 1993). The MMA is also the area which is most frequented by Indonesia's single freshwater dolphin species, the Critically Endangered Irrawaddy dolphin (Orcaella brevirostris) of which the population is estimated to consist of only 70 individuals (Kreb et al., 2007)

# Historical Background of Project

This current project builds on earlier biodiversity assessment surveys conducted by YK-RASI. In 2001, YK-RASI conducted a preliminary survey on the status of various bird species with particular reference to the Lesser Adjutant, but also on two crocodile species, Siamese Crocodile and False Gavial in collaboration with Global Nature Funds (GNF) (Budiono, 2001). Between 1999 and 2002, as well as in 2005 intensive monitoring surveys were conducted to detect abundance and identify core dolphin areas by Kreb (2005) and YK-RASI. In 2005 YK-RASI also conduced an assessment of important fish spawning areas sponsored by GNF. The surveys are part of the Middle Mahakam Conservation Program that started in 2000 and initially focused mainly on monitoring of the critically endangered freshwater dolphin population and its threats, as well as raising environmental awareness of fishermen and schoolchildren with reference to the dolphins and sustainable use of fish- and natural resources in general. Protection of the lakes and wetlands may considerably contribute to the protection of fish resources of important dolphin areas that connect with these lakes. The current and planned activities of YK-RASI focus on the protection of the lakes and wetlands areas as well as important river areas through integrated/participatory spatial planning management. The program is being executed by the local NGO Yayasan Konservasi RASI (YK-RASI) in collaboration with Wetlands International Indonesia Program (WIIP).

#### Project objectives

This project is part of the larger "Middle Mahakam Conservation Program", which has been conducted by YK-RASI since 2000 and is an ongoing program to protect the unique middle Mahakam lakes and wetlands area, which is one of Kalimantan's largest wetland areas. The general goal is to establish a well-supported (scientifically, politically and socially) and legally-enforceable spatial plan for critical wetland, lake and river habitat with regards to extractive, restricted and prohibitive use of natural resources, and protected areas for birds, spawning fish and freshwater dolphins.

The detailed objectives of the biodiversity surveys, which primarily focus on avifauna are to: 1) Assess and compare species diversity during different seasons, 2) Locate biodiversity hotspots with a specific focus on avifauna, 3) Locate important bird breeding and feeding sites, 4) Disseminate results and propose (seasonal) non-disturbance zones based on the results of the first 3 objectives to local government and communities, 5) Assess the extent of protected wildlife captures and trade, 6) Increasing the awareness of local community on the protected status of several bird species that occur in the Middle Mahakam Lakes and Wetlands

## **METHODS**

## Bird diversity observation survey

Four observation surveys were conducted in the Middle Mahakam Lakes area in April/ May and September 2005, September 2006 and June 2007 at high, low, very low and medium waterlevels, respectively and lasting each 7, 8, 14 and 10 days respectively, at high and low water level conditions, which lasted 7 and 8 days, respectively. The medium to high-water level surveys (MHWL) covered the main river between Muara Kaman (c. 180 km from the mouth) and Melak (c. 350 km from the mouth). tributaries Kedang Rantau, Kedang Kepala, Belayan, Kedang Pahu, Sebintulung, Berangan, Enggelam, Rebaq Rinding, Minta, Baroh, Bolowan, Bongan, Jelau, Nayan, Liang, Ohong and the lakes Semayang, Melintang, Jempang, Siran, Wis, Tubuhan, Tempatung, Perian, Kedang Murung, Liang and Abit (Figure 1). Total distance searched by two survey teams during the MHWL survey was 1795 km. The low-water level (LWL) surveys covered the main river area between Muara Kaman and Muara Bunyut (c. 330 km from the mouth), including tributaries Kedang Rantau, Belayan, Kedang Pahu, Enggelam, Rebaq Rinding, Baroh, Keliran, Aloh, Bolowan, and the lakes of Semayang, Melintang, Jempang dan Tempatung. Some tributaries and lakes that were surveyed at during the MHWL surveys could not be accesses or partially such as the tributaries of Baroh and Bongan, and the lakes of Danau Siran, Perian, Keliran, Abid, Wis dan Tubuhan. Total distance searched during the LWL surveys is 1302 km. anak sungai Kedang Rantau, Belayan, Kedang Pahu, Enggelam, Rebaq Rinding, Baroh, Keliran, Aloh, Bolowan, serta Danau Semayang, Melintang, Jempang dan Tempatung

The first MHWL survey used 2 survey teams of 2 observers each, that surveyed different areas and the second MHWL survey used 2 survey teams of 3 observers each of which one team focused on birds held in captivity in villages and conducted interviews with the owners (see methods below for interview surveys). The LWL survey only used one survey team of 3 observers. The vegetation/ forest strips and mudflats along rivers, lakes, and wetlands were scanned from small motorized boats (12 -20 hp) traveling at an average speed of 16 km h-1 following a pre-designed route between 7.30-17.30 hours. The observers searched the vegetation and trees both with the naked eye and by binoculars. During search effort, every 15 minutes, area (river, tributary, lake), time, GPS position, mean speed, cloud coverage (1-9), wind conditions (beaufort), sun reflection (%) was recorded. Every change of survey location was also recorded.

During the MHWL survey, lakes' forest edges were submersed and search effort was conducted by boat both within the forest and at the edges of the forest. During the LWL survey, the forest edges of the lakes were too far to observe from the boat due to aquatic vegetation blocking any boat passage (c. 500 m from the shore). Therefore, a total distance of 10 km in different representative areas of the lakes was surveyed by walking quietly towards and along the edges ususally in opposite wind direction. Also, when the distance of the boats to the mudlfluts or swamp vegetation where birds gathered, was too large for positive species identification, one observer would walk until a good position for identification was obtained.

When a sighting of a bird or group of birds was made, we recorded its position, time, species names, estimated total numbers (using best, low and high estimate ranges), numbers of juveniles and

adults (only during the second survey), their behaviour (feeding, flight, roosting, rest, etc), breeding or non-breeding plumage, name of location, global habitat type (lake, tributary, main river) and detailed habitat type (open water, mudflat, open swamp area (immersed sedge, grassland and aquatic vegetation), freshwater and peat-swamp forests). At every sighting, digital photographs were taken of each species using a digital Canon Eos 20D camera and 300mm/f4.0 lens for later identification. A direct, preliminary field identification was also made using a fieldguide for birds (MacKinnon *et al.* 2000) and mammals (Payne *et al.* 1985), including a description of plumage and other body characteristics. All field identifications were cross-checked by bird specialists (all by C. Goenner and some raptor species by V. Nijman) and only positive species identifications were digitally portrayed.

## Interview survey

In June 2007, observation surveys were conducted in villages in the lakes and Middle Mahakam Area to assess the numbers and species of protected birds and lesser adjutant in particular that are caught from the wild every year. Since most captured birds were exposed on floating rafts along the river, the species and numbers could be directly identified. Fifty owners of lesser adjutants and purple herons were interviewed in a semi-structured interview and asked where, when, how and why the bird was captured.

### **RESULTS**

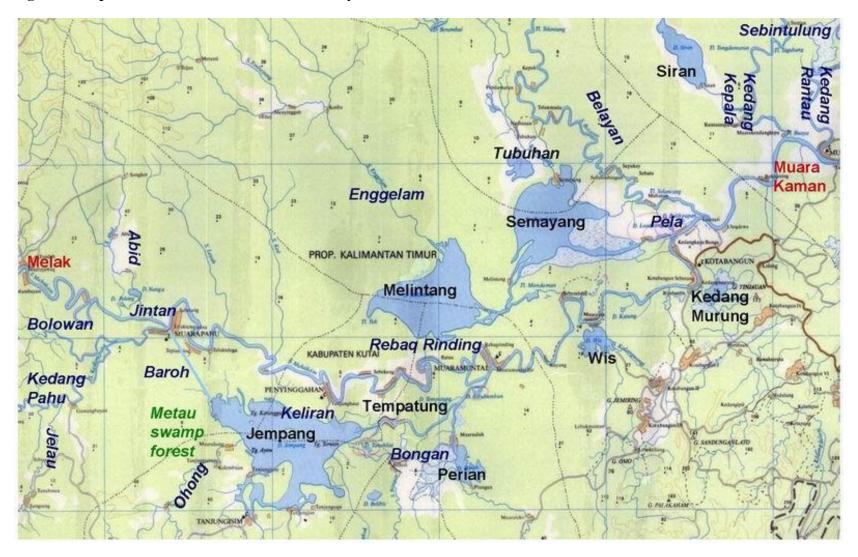
#### PART 1. BIRD DIVERSITY ASSESSMENT SURVEYS

### Species, numbers and habitat

During the four bird monitoring surveys conducted between April 2005 and June 2007 at high, medium and low waterlevels, a combined total of 91 bird species were directly observed in the Middle Mahakam Area (Appendix 1). Highest diversity was observed in the lakes area including surrounding freshwater swamp forest where 64 bird species have been observed of which 47 species in Jempang Lake, 34 species in Melintang Lake and 22 species in Semayang Lake (Appendix 2). Other lakes with significant bird presence are Tempatung Lake (20 species), Siran Lake (16 species), Tubuhan Lake (13 species), Wis Lake (15 species). The lakes' bird communities included eight species of herons, bittern, and egrets; three duck species, five eagle/falcon species, four crakes and rail species, three tern species, kingfisher, darter, swiftlet, lesser adjutant, dove, swallow, woodpecker, sparrow, starling, jacana and one group of the rare white-shouldered ibis in flight. Species commonly encountered ( $\geq 6$  times) in and around the lakes are black-nest swiftlet, purple heron, intermediate egret, cattle egret, great egret, little egret, javan pond-heron, common sandpiper, lesser adjutant and oriental darter. Species wich have been observed in largest numbers in the lakes are javan pond-heron, wandering whistling-duck, common sandpiper, great egret, cattle egret, intermediate egret, purple heron, whiskered tern, black-naped tern and brahminy kite. When looking at the species diversity, most species in the lakes habitat were encountered in the surrounding lake forest (32), then open swamp (29), open water (14) and mudflat (5) (Table 1).

The bird community of the riparian forest along the Mahakam River and its tributaries consisted of 80 species in total, whereas the highest numbers of species were observed in the tributaries (62 species in total) as follows: Kedang Rantau (31 species), Belayan (24 species), Baroh (24 species), Liang (20 species), Ohong (18 species), Bolowan (18 species), Kedang Kepala (17 species), Kedang Pahu (13 species), Jintan (13 species), Enggelam (12 species), Rebaq Rinding (10 species), Abid (7 species), Jelau (4 species), Sebintulung (3 species). In the main Mahakam River 37 species were observed including three species of kingfishers, four species of hornbills, six species of eagles, black-thighed falconet,

Figure 1. Map of Middle Mahakam River with survey locations.



oriental darter, glossy swiftlet, Javan pond-heron, lesser adjutant, storm's stork, green imperial pigeon, spotted-dove, lesser coucal, Asian koel, three species of malkohas are chesnut-breasted malkoha, chesnut-bellied malkoha, and Raffles's malkoha, black-and-red broadbill, pacific swallow, four species of woodpeckers are grey-capped woodpecker, grey-and-buff woodpecker, Sunda woodpecker and white-bellied woodpecker, drongos, pied fantail, magpie robin, pied bushchat, old world flycatchers, Bornean whistler, and starling.

Birds that were most often sighted (n= >6 times per survey) along the rivers and tributaries are stork-billed kingfisher, cattle egret, brahminy kite, changeable hawk-eagle, oriental darter, chesnut-breasted malkoha, oriental pied hornbill, magpie robin, Pacific swallow, spotted-dove, and glossy swiftlet During the LWL survey of September 2006 large numbers of oriental darters were observed in the riparian forest of tributaries.

Table 1. Total numbers, species and relative abundance of birds per habitat and water level condition/ season

	Bird species													
LWL	O	S	L	LF		W	N	Л		RF				
LWL	Sep-05	Sep-06	Sep-05	Sep-06*	Sep-05	Sep-06	Sep-05	Sep-06	Sep-05	Sep-06				
Total numbers	2322 (1641- 3017)	21712 (558- 31500)	607 (538- 654)	111	637 (471- 802)	2735 (543- 2162)	1186 (1100- 1275)	85	249	1600				
Relative abundance (%)	46%	83%	12%	0,50%	13%	10%	24%	0,50%	5%	6%				
Total species	10 18		18 7		6	10	5	2	26	36				
1111/1 /3 /11/1	O	S	LF		OW		N	Л	RF					
HWL/MWL	Apr-05	June-07	Apr-05	June-07	Apr-05	June-07	Apr-05	June-07	Apr-05	June-07				
Total numbers	2286 (2001- 2596)	2828 (600-2850)	67 (62-71)	35	14	43			228 (219- 236)	392 (24-400)				
Relative abundance (%)	88%	86%	3%	1%	1%	1%			8%	12%				
Total species	19	24	12	11	7	2			36	50				
Total species at 4 surveys combined	29		32		14		,	7	80					

N.B.: HWL = High water level; MWL = Medium water level; LWL = Low water level; OS = Open swamp (immersed sedge and grasslands; aquatic vegetation); LF = Lakes (freshwater/peat swamp) forest; OW = Open water including single trees, logs etc; RF = Riparian forest (rivers and tributaries); M = Mudflat, \* During the extended dry season in 2006 large lake forest areas were inaccesible for observation and number of species and individuals in this habitat probably underestimated

The largest numbers of birds were observed during the extended dry season in 2006 in the lakes (Table 1). During this season but also during both high and medium water levels in April/May 2005 and June 2007, the greates majority of birds were found in the open swamps, which had not been dried up and contained a lot of fish prey, in contrast to the mudflats which dried up during the 2006 survey but which was the second preferred habitat during the average dry season of 2005 as they still contained some water. Several bird species such as common sandpiper, black-winged and white-headed stilts, black-tailed godwit, brahminy kites, black-naped and whiskered terms were feeding on these mudflats.

Regarding species diversity, when combining all surveys and looking at "micro-habitat type", the largest diversity was observed in riparian forest (80 species), especially tributaries (where diversity was nearly twice as much, i.e. 62 species as in the main river, i.e. 37 species), then lake forest (32 species), open swamps (29 species), open water (14 species) and mudflats (7 species) (Table 1). The high diversity in riparian forest applied for all waterlevels. When looking at the lakes habitat during the LWL surveys, the total number of species were more or less equally distributed over the open swamps

and lakes forest (except for the extended dry season in 2006, when large lake forest areas were inaccesible for observation and species in this habitat probably underestimated), whereas during the high and especially medium water levels highest diversity in the lakes was found in the open swamps.

When looking at bird species density in terms of numbers of bird species per km transect surveyed, during high and medium water, most species per km transect were found in the lakes, although for medium water a nearly equal number of birds per km were encountered in the lakes and tributaries Table 2). At low water levels a higher species density was found for rivers or tributaries, which may be an underestimation due to the fact that not all representative areas could be reached. Densities of individual birds encountered per km transect correspond with the earlier statement of total numbers encountered, which is significantly largest in the lakes.

Table 2. Species and individual sighting rates (mean numbers/ km transect surveyed) per habitat and water level condition.

and water level condition.										
	H	WL	M	WL	L	WL	L	WL		
	Ap	Apr-05		n-07	Se	p-05	Sep-06*			
			Bird o	density of spec	cies and indi	ividuals				
HABITAT	Species density	Individual density	Species Individual density		Species density	Individual density	Species density	Individual density		
	mean N/km	mean N/km	mean N/km	mean N/km	mean N/km	mean N/km	mean N/km	mean N/km		
Main River	0,8	9	0,2	5	2,6	10	0,2	2,4		
Lakes	6,1	6,1 118		161	1,9	166	3,6	837		
Tributaries	1,3	37	3,5 39		2 70		5,2	290		
n species		53	62		4	41	54			
n sightings	1	39	3	381	1	.77	204			
Total best estimates	2.572 (2	2.572 (2278-2996)		3.344 (18-3514)		5191-8580)	26.182 (1131-34662)			
Relative species occurrence (%)	4	6%	54%		4	3%	57%			
Relative abundance (%)	4	3%	5	7%	2	1%	79%			

<sup>\*</sup> During the extended dry season in 2006 large lake-forest areas were inaccessible for observation and number of species and individuals in the lakes probably underestimated

# Species account and numbers per water condition

During the HWLand MWL surveys, the highest numbers of bird species were indentified, i.e. 53 and 62 bird species, whereas during the LWL surveys 41 and 54 bird species were identified (Table 2). During medium and high-water levels access was greatly facilitated for oserving birds in freshwater forest strips surrounding the lakes, whereas at low water levels several forest strips could not be accessed by boat and and some representative areas were accessed by foot, although others remained inaccessible if the muddy soil was too deep and observers got stuck. Therefore, the actual total number of species is suspected to be higher during the dry season due to easier food access in the shallow lakes, grasslands and extensive mudflats. Especially, during the extensive dry season in 2006, which lasted from June until December, waterlevels dropped drastically and most parts of the lakes fell dry or were between 0.1-1m deep. This condition greatly facilitated the access to food for some species, in particular birds. However, also the number of individuals during the dry water surveys may be underestimated due to the earlier mentioned inaccessibility of some areas.

Species that were encountered during the HWL survey in relatively large numbers and absent or observed in very small numbers during the MWL and LWL surveys are the little egret (except MWL: 25% of HWL still present), savannah nightjar and white-winged tern, which is a northern migrant on its passage to Australia during northern winter (Appendix 3). During the MWL survey in June 2007, largest numbers of wandering whistling ducks, black-headed munias and changeable hawk eagles were encountered of which the latter were mostly in the dark phase. Migratory and partially resident species that were encountered during the LWL surveys (in particular the extremely dry season in 2006) in significantly, relatively larger numbers than during the MWL and HWL survey in the shallow lakes or narrow tributaries to feed on fish, are the great egret, intermediate egret, the Javan pond heron, oriental darter, purple heron and cattle egret although this latter species was also observed in similar large numbers during the HWL survey and first LWL survey in 2005. Common sandpipers, which are northern migrants during the autumn, were only observed during the LWL survey in 2006. Possibly, during the LWL survey in 2005 waterlevels were not low enough yet. Black-naped terns and whiskered terns were encountered in largest numbers during the first LWL survey in 2005, but they were also significantly present during the HWL survey in April, May 2005, with a lowest presence during the MWL survey in June 2007. Whiskered terns in the MMA are migrants from both northern and austral origin.

## Breeding bird species

At least 13 species were observed with breeding plumages or observed while nesting in the MMA during particular seasons (see Appendix 3). Species with easily observable breeding plumages are presented in Table 3. Other species known to breed without clear breeding plumages, include the purple heron, greyheaded fish-eagle, Wallace's hawk eagle, wandering whistling duck and brahminy kite, of which the latter was observed mating during the first HWL survey, March-April 2005. According to interviews, the largest numbers of nesting sites of purple herons are in Tubuhan Lake and in other parts of the three large Lakes, Semayang, Melintang and Jempang. Juvenile herons were caught from nests at several locations (see Part II, this report) during March, April and May. The grey-headed fish eagle was observed nesting during the MWL survey June 2007. Also, Wallace's hawk eagle was observed with changed plumage (new feathers replacing old feathers) during MWL and LWL surveys, June-September. Wandering whistling ducks did not show any change of plumage but many pairs were observed during high water (Soevitno, pers.comm.). Lesser adjutants were observed nesting in June-July (own observations and interviews). Based on interview surveys we found that the largest nesting site is situated in the area of Metau Forest, which is situated some 11 km inwards from the western shore of Jempang Lake. According to reliable information from local informants, in June 2006, c. 60 nest of lesser adjutants occurred in this area, mostly in the kahoi tree (Shorea balangeran). In addition, our own observation team observed from a large distance around 18 individual birds positioned in trees in this area.

Table 3. Percentage of bird populations observed in breeding plumage during diffent seasons.

	HWL- May 2005	MWL-June 2007	LWL-Sept 2005	LWL-Sept 2006
Species	% breeding	% breeding	% breeding	% breeding
Javan pond-heron	10-20%	40-55%	30%	0-20%
Intermediate egret	20-25%	80%	30%	60-70%
Cattle egret	20-25%	40%	40%	30%
Great egret	30-40%	60-70%	20%	50%
Whiskered tern	30-40%	30-40%	20%	20%
White-winged tern	30-40%	30-40%	20%	20%
Lesser adjutant	0	80%	25-35%	25-35%

Juveniles were observed for twenty-seven species including: five eagle/ kite species, four egret species, two heron species, four tern species, three rail species, wrinkled hornbill, spotted dove, little green pigeon, lesser adjutant, oriental darter, pintail snipe, black-tailed godwit, glossy swiftlet, and wandering whistling ducks (Appendix 3).

### PART II: INTERVIEW SURVEYS

Interviews were held and observations made of captivated birds between 8 and 17 June in 29 villages in eight sub-districts within Central Kutai and West Kutai District by motorized vessel. We observed a total number of 207 individual birds of 16 species, which were caught from the wild (Table 4). The most numerous were purple herons (57), wandering whistling ducks (one location only – 43), lesser adjutants (39), black-crowned night herons (16) and white-breasted water hen (14) and others. Most birds were unprotected (73%) including eight species, and 57 birds involved protected species, including lesser adjutants, brahminy kites, great egrets, black eagles and the following CITES Appendix 2 listed species: little egrets, changeable hawk eagles, white-bellied fish eagles and oriental darters.

Table 4. Captivated birds observed during the interview survey in June 2007.

Observe	ed Captivated Birds (June	2007)		Protected	Status	IUCN R	ed List C	ategory	
Common Name	Latin Name	Indonesian Name	Numbers	Yes	No	VU	NT	LC	CITES
Purple heron	57		٧			V			
Lesser adjutant Leptoptilos javanicus Bang		Bangau tongtong	39	٧		V			
		Elang bondol	6	٧				V	App.2
,		Kuntul kecil	2	٧				V	
Great egret	Egretta alba	Kuntul besar	3	٧				V	
Changeable hawk eagle Spizaetus cirrhatus		Elang brontok	4	٧				V	App.2
0 ,		Mandar batu	10		V			V	
White-breasted waterhen	Amaurornis phoenicurus	Kareo padi	14		V			V	
Wandering whistling duck	Dendrocygna arcuata	Belibis kembang	43		V			V	
Purple swamphen	Porphyrio porphyrio	Mandar besar	8		V			V	
Black-crowned nightheron	Nycticorax nycticorax	Kowak-malam kelabu	16		V			V	
Buffy fish-owl	Ketupa ketupu	Beluk ketupa	1		V			V	App.2
White-bellied fish-eagle	Haliaeetus leucogaster	Elang Laut perut putih	1	V				V	App.2
Black eagle Ictinaetus malayensis Elang hitam		Elang hitam	1	V		V			App.2
Oriental darter Anhinga melanogaster Pecuk-ular Asia		1	V			V			
Spotted dove Streptopelia chinensis Tekukur biasa		1		V			V		
			207						

NB. VU= Vulnerable; NT = Near Threatened; LC = Least Concern

All birds were listed with location and name of owner, whereas 32 owners of lesser adjutants and 18 owners of purple herons were interviewed more in detail. Based on this information, we found that between 2000 and 2007 at least 527 lesser adjutants were caught from the wild (2% involved purchases) and 281 purple herons (5% purchases). Only 7% lesser adjutants and 20% purple herons were alive until present and most birds had been captivated for one year now with exceptions of birds that have been held captive for 15 and 20 years now. Eighty percent were deliberately caught or purchased. Most lesser adjutants were caught as adults by means of fishing hooks (90% of total adjutants caught) or as juveniles from their nests (10%). The main location of capture is Metau Forest (93% of all adjutants), which at high water is temporarily flooded, where they are caught with underwater fishing hooks and usually killed if the bird is wounded or nearly dead and directly sold for meat or as pet if they are not badly wounded for c. Rp. 50.000 per individual. Here, they are also caught from their nest in the kahoi tree (Shorea balangeran) and raised as pet until they become adult. The reason of the respondents that

currently own a lesser adjutant is to keep them as pet (50%), hold them as pet until someone wants to buy it (41%), whereas 9% of respondents keeps the birds for own consumption at some stage. All owners claimed they did not know that the species is protected by law. Purple herons were for 100% caught as juveniles from their nets in the surrounding forest of the three large lakes and most of them in the small swamp lake Tubuhan in the northern section of Semayang Lake.

#### **DISCUSSION**

## Current species conservation status

Total species account observed in the Middle Mahakam Area between 1988 and 2007 by different observers and their global and local status, are presented in Appendix 4. In total, 298 bird species have been observed in the MMA of which 95% are rarily observed. Fifty-one species enter in one of the IUCN (International Union for Conservationof Nature and Natural Resources) RedList categories, of which one Critically Endangered species, i.e. white-shouldered ibis, two Endangered species, i.e. Storm's stork, Bornean peacock-pheasant, 13 Vulnerable and 36 Near Threatened species. Only 22 species of these 55 species are nationally protected, excluding protection for two endangered species, seven vulnerable species and 24 near-threatened species.

Five endemic species were observed, i.e. dusky munia, Bornean blue-flycatcher, Bornean bristlehead, Bornean peacock-pheasant and Bornean whistler. Nevertheless, none of these endemic species are nationally protected but four species are listed on the CITES appendix.

Thirthy-six bird species are listed on the most recent CITES (*Convention on Internasional Trade in Endangered Species*) Appendix updated in June 2006 for Indonesia. Of 298 identified species in the Mahakam, four species are listed on Appendix 1, including peregrine falcon, Bornean bristlehead, helmeted hornbill and the white-bellied woodpecker. Thirthy species of eleven families including: Accipitridae (all eagle species), Pandionidae (osprey), Falconidae (black-thighed falconet), Bucerotidae (all hornbill species, except for those in App.1), Strigidae (buffy fish-owl) and Ploceidae (Java sparrow), Pachycephalidae (Bornean whistler), Phasianidae (great argus dan and Bornean peacock-pheasant), Ploceidae (dusky munia), Psittacidae (blue-rumped parrot and long-tailed parakeet), Sturnidae (Asian glossy starling), whereas two species are listed on Appendix 3, i.e.crested fireback and mangrove whistler.

#### **Threats**

The following practices have impacted on birdlife in the Middle Mahakam area:

- 1. Deliberate catch of protected species (notably of lesser adjutants in large numbers) and an unsustainable catch of wandering whistling-ducks and purple herons that lack a protected status until present. Lesser adjutants and purple herons are both caught as juveniles from their nest sites but lesser adjutants are also purposedly fished with underwater hooks (pancing) with bait fish. Wandering whistling ducks are caught mainly by use of large mistnets but also with poison (pesticides, cyanide).
- 2. Accidental catch of birds in fishermen's gear (pancing, langit-langit)
  Habitat and species diversity loss through forest conversion of lowland, freshwater and peat swamp forest for agriculture, mining and oilpalm plantations, forest fires and (illegal) logging.
- 3. Competition for fish resources for those bird species preying on fish during the dry season in the lakes, where fishing gear occupies most part of the lakes' remaining waters and also fish trawling takes place.

#### Recommendations

The preliminary results indicate that the Middle Mahakam rivers, lakes and wetlands area host a large variety of bird species of which a large proportion only occur in low numbers and some are threatened in their survival. Follow-up activities and recommendations will involve:

- 1. Increasing local awareness regarding protected species status by a.o. handing posters with protected bird (& mammal & reptile) species to the owners; post them at gather places and at schools;
- 2. Increase law-enforcement to prevent further catches by asking for cooperation of heads of villages to report new captures of protected species. Also, organize regular patrols and fine owners of newly captivated animals.
- 3. Organize a release action in cooperation with the local Nature Conservancy Agency (BKSDA) of protected birds, which are able to fly and possible chipping of those birds that have flight difficulties;
- 4. Conduct ground surveys in the important nesting areas of Metau and Tubuhan Forest, map coordinates and propose these areas as protected areas to prevent nest site captures.

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# **APPENDICES**

Appendix 1. Bird species, observed numbers and location

No	Local Name	International Name	Family	Mean observed N per survey	Location
1	Cekakak Hutan Melayu	Rufous-Collared Kingfisher	Accedinidae	2	Sungai Baroh
2	Elang Hitam	Black Eagle	Accipitridae	1	Sungai Kedang Rantau dan Danau Melintang
3	Elang Bondol	Brahminy Kite	Accipitridae	32	Mahakam, Danau Jempang, Sungai Rebak Rinding, Danau Semayang, Sungai Belayan, Sungai Sebintulung, Sungai Kedang Pahu, Sungai Jelau, Sungai Beloan, Sungai Baroh, Danau Melintang, Danau Wis, Sungai Enggelam, Sungai Kedang Kepala dan Danau Siran, Bukit Jering, Mahakam Hilir
4	Elang Brontok	Changeable Hawk-Eagle	Accipitridae	5 (1-14)	Mahakam, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Danau Jempang, Danau Tempatung, Danau Melintang, Danau Semayang
5	Elang Laut Perut Putih	Crested Serpent-Eagle	Accipitridae	1	Mahakam, Danau Jempang, Sungai Baroh, Danau Tempatung, Jantur, Sungai Aloh, Danau Melintang
6	Elang Ikan Kepala Kelabu	Grey-Headed Eagle	Accipitridae	4 (2-5)	Danau Melintang, Sungai Beloan, Danau Jempang, Sungai Enggelam, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Sungai Ohong, Danau Wis
7	Elang Ikan Kecil	Lesser Fish-Eagle	Accipitridae	1	Danau Melintang
8	Elang Ular Bido	Wallace's Hawk-Eagle	Accipitridae	3 (2-4)	Sungai Mancong
9	Elang Wallace	White-Bellied Fish- Eagle	Accipitridae	4 (1-6)	Sungai Kedang Rantau, Mahakam, Sungai Kedang Kepala, Sungai Belayan, Sungai Ohong
10	Raja Udang-meninting	Blue-eared Kingfisher	Alcedinidae	2 (2-3)	Sungai Jintan, Beloan, Sungai Baroh
11	Pekaka Emas	Stork-Billed Kingfisher	Alcedinidae	49 (3-89)	Mahakam, Sungai Baroh, Sungai Belayan, Sungai Rebaq Rinding, Sungai Kedang Pahu, Sungai Beloan, Sungai Abid, Danau Tempatung, Danau Melintang, Sungai Enggelam, Danau Tubuhan, Sungai Sebintulung, Danau Jempang, Sungai Liang, Sungai Jintan, Sungai Ohong, Danau Kedang Murung, Sungai Kedang Rantau. Mahakam Hilir
12	Itik Gunung	Grey Duck	Anatidae	2	Danau Jempang
13	Itik Rumbai	Tufted Duck	Anatidae	2	Danau Jempang
14	Belibis Kembang	Wandering Whistling- Duck	Anatidae	893 (1-2116)	Mahakam, Danau Jempang, Danau Melintang, Danau Semayang, Danau Tubuhan, Danau Tempatung, Danau Siran, Danau Liang, Mahakam Hilir,Danau Wis
15	Pecuk Ular Asia	Oriental Darter	Anhingidae	28 (2-62)	Danau Semayang, Sungai Belayan, Danau Perian, Danau Tubuhan, Danau Jempang, Danau Melintang, Sungai Aloh, Sungai Beloan, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Danau Wis, Danau Tempatung, Sngai Jintan, Sungai Enggelam, Danau Siran, Danau Liang.
16	Walet Sapi	Glossy Swiftlet	Apodidae	132 (3-434)	Mahakam, Danau Jempang, Sungai Rebak Rinding, Danau Melintang, Sungai Beloan, Danau Tempatung, Sungai Enggelam, Sungai Kedang Kepala, Sungai Kedang Pahu, Sungai Liang, Sungai Kedang Rantau
17	Walet Sarang Hitam	Black-Nest Swiftlet	Apodidae	95	Danau Jempang, Tempatung, Melintang, Semayang, Sungai Pela, Liang
18	Bambangan Hitam	Black Bittern	Ardeidae	8 (2-13)	Mahakam Hulu, Danau Jempang, Danau Tempatung, Danau Wis, Mahakam Hilir
19	Kowak Malam Kelabu	Black-crowned Night- heron	Ardeidae	3 (1-6)	Mahakam, Danau Melintang , Sungai Rebaq Rinding

Kuntul Besar Great Egret Ardeidae 1350 Semayang, Sungai Kec (42-5000) Siran dan Sungai Bela	
21 Mahakam Hilir, Sungai	Danau Jempang, Danau Tempatung, Danau dang Kepala, Danau Tubuhan, Mahakam, Danau ıyan, Danau Melintang, Sungai Pela, Danau Wis, i Liang
Danau Jempang, Danau Jempang, Danau Sir Tempatung, Danau Sir	danau Melintang, Danau Semayang, Danau ran dan Sungai Kedang Kepala, Sungai Kedang ng Murung, Danau Wis, Mahakam Hilir, Sungai
Rlakok Sawah Jayan Pond Haron Ardaidaa (140 Danau Wis, Danau Sen	nu Tempatung, Danau Melintang, Sungai Belayan, mayang, Danau Tubuhan, Sungai Sebintulung dan Pela, Singai Liang, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Muara
Kuntul Kecil Little Egret Ardeidae 66 (10-205) Kedang Kepala, Dana	pang, Danau Semayang, Sungai Belayan, Sungai au Siran dan Daanau Wis, Danau Melintang, i Belayan, Sungai Kedang Rantau
Cangak Merah Purple Heron Ardeidae 41 (10-89) Tempatung, Jantur, Da	Danau Melintang, Danau Semayang, Danau anau Perian dan Danau Siran, Sungai Enggelam, , Sungai Kedang Rantau, Sungai Ohong
Bambangan Coklat Schrenk's Bittern Ardeidae 3 (1-4) Jantur. Danau Jempang	g, Danau Kedang Murung, Danau Wis,
27 Kokokan Laut Striated Heron Ardeidae 1 Mahakam Hulu dan Hil	ilir (Muara Muntai)
28 Kekeb Babi White-breasted Wood- swallow Artamidae 4 Danau Jempang, Mahal	ıkam Hulu (Muara Pahu)
29 Kangkareng Hitam Asian Black Hornbill Bucerotidae 1 Sungai Baroh	
Mahakam, Sungai Baro	roh, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Sungai Jelau, Sungai Sungai Belayan, Sungai Jintan, Sungai Liang,
31 Rangkong Badak Rhinoceros Hornbill Bucerotidae 1 Sungai Baroh	
32 Julang-Jambul Hitam Wrinkled Hornbill Bucerotidae 3 Sungai Baroh	
Kepudang Sungu Bar-bellied Cuckoo- Sumatra Sungu Bar-bellied Cuckoo- Shrike Campephagidae 4 Sungai Kedang Rantau	ı
Kepudang Sungu Sunda Cuckoo-shrike Campephagidae 1 Mahakam Hulu	
	ngai Pela, Danau Tempatung, Danau Kedang ng Rantau
Bangau Tong-tong Lesser Adjutant Ciconidae 40 (6-68) Danau Melintang, Danau Tubuhan, Danau Pahu, Sungai Beloan, S	ipang, Danau Tempatung, Sungai Rebak Rinding, anau Wis, Danau Semayang, Sungai Belayan, au Siran, Sungai Kedang Kepala, Sungai Kedang Sungai Abid, Bukit Jering, Sungai Jintan, Sungai at Murung, Sungai Liang, Sungai Kedang Rantau
37 Bangau Storm Storm's Stork Ciconidae 1 Sungai Beloan	
38 Pergam Hijau Green Imperial Pigeon Columbidae 1 (1-2) Mahakam, Sungai Reba	aq Rinding
	an Sungai Kedang Rantau
Tekukur Biasa Spotled-Dove Columbidae 8 (3-15) Mahakam, Danau Jem Rebaq Rinding, Sunga	npang, Danau Tubuhan, Sungai Keliran, Sungai ai Belayan, Sungai Liang, Sungai Beloan, Danau Hilir, Sungai Kedang Kepala
41 Gagak Hutan Slender-billed Crow Corvidae 2 Sungai Beloan	
12	Enggelam, Mahakam Hilir
Kadalan Saweh Chesnut-bellied Malkoha Cuculidae 1 Mahakam Hulu (Muara	a Pahu)
44 Kadalan Birah Chesnut-Breasted Malkoha Cuculidae 1 Sungai Rebak Rinding,	, Sungai Beloan

45	Bubut Alang-alang	Lesser Coucal	Cuculidae	5 (1-9)	Sungai Rebak Rinding, Sungai Mancong, Mahakam, Sungai Liang, Bukit jering, Sungai Baroh, Sungai Ohong, mahakam Hilir, Sungai Belayan, Sungai Kedang Rantau
46	Kadalan Selaya	Raffles's Malkoha	Cuculidae	1	Sungai Baroh
47	Srigunting Keladi	Bronzed Drongo	Dicruridae	2	Sungai Baroh
48	Srigunting Batu	Greater Racket-Tailed Drongo	Dicruridae	4 (1-8)	Sungai Belayan, Mahakam, Sungai Jintan
49	Sempur Hujan Sungai	Black-and-Red Broadbill	Eurylaimidae	3 (1-6)	Sungai Baroh, Sungai Liang, Sungai Jintan, Sungai Ohong, Sungai Enggelam
50	Alap-alap Capung	Black-Thighed Falconet	Falconidae	11 (7-15)	Mahakam Hulu, Sungai Belayan, Danau Melintang, Sungai Baroh, Danau Siran, Sungai Liang, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Muara Kedang Kepala, Mahakam Hilir
51	Alap-alap Kawah	Peregrine Falcon	Falconidae	3 (1-4)	Sungai Baroh , Sungai Keliran, Danau Tubuhan, Mahakam
52	Layang-layang Batu	Pacific Swallow	Hirundinidae	15 (2-31)	Danau Melintang, Sungai Beloan, Mahakam, Danau Jempang, Sungai Liang, Belayan, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Sungai Kedang Kepala, Sungai Kedang Pahu, Danau Jempang, Sungai Ohong
53	Sikatan Rimba Gunung	Eye-browed Jungle- flycatcher	Muscicapidae	1	Mahakam
54	Sikatan Melayu	Malaysian Blue- flycatcher	Muscicapidae	2	Sungai Ohong
55	Kipasan Belang	Pied Fantail	Muscicapidae	6 (4-8)	Mahakam Hilir, Sungai Jintan, Sungai Baroh, Sungai Ohong, Danau Tubuhan
56	Sikatan bodoh	Snowy-browed flycatcher	Muscicapidae	2	Sungai Beloan.
57	Kancilan Kalimantan	Bornean Whistler	Pachycephalidae	2	Mahakam Hulu (Muara Pahu)
58	Sempidan Biru	Crested Fireback	Phasianidae	1	Mahakam
59	Pelatuk Merah	Banded Woodpecker	Picidae	1	Danau Jempang
60	Caladi Tikotok	Grey-and-buff Woodpecker	Picidae	1	Sungai Mancong dan Sungai Ohong
61	Caladi Belacan	Grey-Capped Woodpecker	Picidae	2 (1-3)	Danau Jempang, Danau Melintang, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Sungai Ohong
62	Caladi Tilik	Sunda woodpecker	Picidae	1	Sungai Kedang Rantau
63	Pelatuk Ayam	White-bellied Woodpecker	Picidae	1	Sungai kedang Rantau, Mahakam Hulu, Sungai Ohong
64	Bondol Rawa	Black-headed Munia	Ploceidae	186 (61-350)	Mahakam, Sungai Liang, Bukit Jering
65	Burung Gereja Erasia	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	Ploceidae	6	Mahakam Hulu (Muara Pahu)
66	Gelatik	Java Sparrow	Ploceidae	20	Danau Jempang
	Cucak Kelabu	Grey-bellied Bulbul	Pycnonotidae	1	Sungai Kedang Kepala
67	Mandar Batu	Coomon Moorhen	Rallidae	65 (56-83)	Danau Jempang, Danau Semayang, Danau Tempatung, Danau Wis, Danau Siran, Sungai Belayan, Danau Tubuhan, Danau Melintang, Danau Liang.
69	Mandar Besar	Purple Swamphen	Rallidae	13 (1-18)	Danau Semayang, Danau Tempatung, Danau Wis, Danau Jempang, Danau Liang
70	Tikusan Merah	Ruddy-Breasted Crake	Rallidae	1	Danau Jempang
71	Mandar-padi Erasia	Tri-Coloured Munia	Rallidae	2	Danau Melintang
72	Kareo Padi	White-Breasted Waterhen	Rallidae	5 (1-9)	Sungai Rebak Rinding, Danau Wis, Sungai Beloan, Danau Tubuhan, Mahakam, Sungai Belayan, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Danau Siran
73	Tikusan Alis Putih	White-Browed Crake	Rallidae	3 (1-5)	Danau Jempang
74	Gagang-bayam Belang	Black-winged Stilt	Recurvirostridae	2	Danau Jempang.
75	Gagang-bayam Timur	White-headed Stilt	Recurvirostridae	4	Danau Jempang.
76	Biru-laut Ekor-hitam	Black-tailed Godwit	Scolopacidae	11	Danau Jempang.
77	Trinil Kaki Merah	Common Redshank	Scolopacidae	1	Danau Jempang.

78	Trinil Pantai	Common Sandpiper	Scolopacidae	53 (1-156)	Sungai Rebak Rinding, Mahakam, Sungai Kedang Pahu, Danau Jempang, Danau Semayang
79	Berkik Ekor Lidi	Pintail Snipe	Scolopacidae	2	Sungai Kedang Rantau
80	Trinil Rumbai	Ruff	Scolopacidae	1 (1-2)	Sungai Baroh, Danau Jempang, Danau Melintang
81	Cinenen Merah	Rufous-tailed Tailorbird	Silviidae	3 (2-4)	Sungai Rebaq Rinding, Sungai Jintan dan sungai Kedang Rantau
82	Dara Laut Tengkuk Hitam	Black-Naped Tern	Sternidae	407 (6-977)	Danau Jempang, Danau Tempatung, Danau Melintang, Danau Semayang
83	Dara-laut Kecil	Little Tern	Sternidae	15	Danau Jempang
84	Dara Laut Kumis	Whiskered Tern	Sternidae	806 (135-1594)	Danau Jempang, Danau Tempatung, Mahakam, Danau Melintang, Danau Semayang, Sungai Rebaq Rinding, Sungai Kedang Rantau, Sungai Ohong, sungai Kedang kepala, danau Siran
85	Dara Laut Sayap Putih	White-Winged Tern	Sternidae	362	Danau Jempang, Danau Tempatung, Danau Melintang
86	Beluk Ketupa	Buffy Fish-owl	Strigidae	1	Danau Melintang
87	Jalak Suren	Asian Pied Starling	Sturnidae	3	Danau Melintang dan Sungai Abid
88	Burung Sepatu Jengger	Comb-crested Jacana	Tacanidae	4 (2-5)	Danau Tubuhan, Danau Jempang, Danau Liang
89	Ibis Karau	White-Shouldered Ibis	Threskiornithidae	6	Danau Jempang
90	Kucica Kampung	Magpie Robin	Turdidae	7 (2-13)	Sungai Rebaq Rinding, Mahakam Hulu (Muara Pahu), Sungai Baroh, Sungai Ohong, Sungai Bongan, Danau Melintang, Sungai Belayan, Sungai Liang, danau Siran
91	Decu Belang	Pied Bushchat	Turdidae	6 (3-8)	Mahakam, Sungai Kedang Pahu, Beloan dan Kedang Rantau, Sungai Jintan

Appendix 2. Number of bird species per location and survey

		Numl	er of s	pecies	
Location	HWL 05	MWL 07	LWL 05	LWL 07	Total
Mahakam	6	1	12	14	15
S. Jintan	-	-	5	-	13
S. Bongan	-	-	-	1	1
S. Rebaq rinding	5	9	8	2	10
S. Aloh	-	2	-	-	2
S. Enggelam	1	3	5	4	12
S. Belayan	9	5	9	11	24
S. Pela	-	-	5	-	5
S. Liang	-	-	14	7	20
S. Bukit jering	-	-	3	-	3
S. Kedang kepala	6	4	7	5	17
S. Subintulung	-	3	-	-	3
S. Kedang rantau	-	7	22	18	31
Desa Jantur	-	2	3	-	5
D. Melintang	7	15	15	13	34
D. Semayang	18	5	11	8	22
D. Tempatung	9	12	5	14	20
D. Perian	-	2	-	-	2
D. Kedang Murung	-	-	-	10	5
D. Wis	2	7	-	14	15
D. Tubuhan	-	11	-	2	13
D. Siran	10	2	-	13	16
D. Liang	-	-	-	6	5

V	Vest Kuta	i sub-dis	strict		
		Num	ber of	species	
Location	HWL 05	MWL 07	LWL 05	LWL 07	Total
Kedang Pahu	2	3	5	2	18
Muara Jelau	2	-	-	-	5
Mahakam	14	15	9	17	28
S. Bolowan	-	9	7	8	16
S. Jintan	-	-	-	6	10
S. Abit	-	4	-	-	6
S. Baroh	7	-	-	12	12
S. Mancong	3	-	-	-	5
S. Ohong	-	-	-	18	24
S. Keliran	-	2	-	-	2
D. Jempang	21	19	26	19	47

S = Sungai (River); D = Danau (Lake)

Appendix 3. Identified species, number of sightings, best estimates, mean group size, presence of juveniles per survey/ waterlevel condition

(B= breeding (column-international); G = group size, A= Adult, K = Juvenile, n = no. of sightings)

No	INTERNATIONAL	FAMILY	n	N best etimate (min-max)	Mean G of best estimate	Age	n	N best etimate (min-max)	Mean G of best estimate	Age	n	N best etimate (min-max)	Mean G of best estimate	Age	n	N best etimate (min-max)	Mean G of best estimate	Age
	AVES			(HWL ) APR	IL-MEI 2005			(MWL) JU	NI 2007			(LWL) SEPTE	MBER 2005			(LWL) SEPTI	EMBER 2006	,
1	Black Eagle	Accipitridae	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-
2	Brahminy Kite-B	Accipitridae	17	31	2 (1-4)	A/J	16	35 (1-35)	2 (1-4)	A/J	15	39	9 (1-15)	A/J	4	21	5 (1-12)	A/J
3	Changeable Hawk-eagle	Accipitridae	1	1	1	A	12	14	1 (1-2)	A/J	1	1	1	A	4	4	1	A/J
4	Crested Serpent-Eagle	Accipitridae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5	Grey-headed Fish-eagle-B	Accipitridae	2	2	1	A	5	5	1	A	2	2	1 (1-2)	A/J	4	5	1 (1-2)	A
6	Lesser Fish-Eagle	Accipitridae	1	1	1	A	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
7	Wallace's Hawk-eagle-B	Accipitridae	-	-	1	1	4	4	1	J	3	3	1 (1-2)	A/J	2	2	1	J
8	White-Bellied Fish-Eagle	Accipitridae	1	1	1	A	3	6	2 (1-3)	A	6	6	2 (1-3)	A/J	1	1	1	A
9	Blue-eared Kingfisher	Alcedinidae	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	A	-	-	-	-	2	3	2 (1-2)	A
10	Rufous-Collared Kingfisher	Alcedinidae	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	Stork-billed Kingfisher	Alcedinidae	3	3	1	A	25	65 (1-65)	3 (1-5)	A	12	38	2 (1-3)	A	13	89	7 (1-27)	A
12	Grey Duck	Anatidae	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	Tufted Duck	Anatidae	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	Wandering Whistling-Duck-B	Anatidae	1	1	1	A/J	16	2116 (1-2500)	132 (125-500)	A/J	4	1424 (1050-1799)	28 (7-150)	A/J	2	29	15 (4-25)	A/J
15	Oriental Darter	Anhingidae	2	2	1	A/J	12	21 (1-21)	2 (1-5)	A	10	27	3 (2-9)	A/J	10	62	6 (1-31)	Α
16	Glossy Swiftlet	Apodidae	3	66 (61-70)	22 (5-50)	A	2	3	1 (1-2)	A/J	4	53	9 (1-20)	A	4	23	6 (2-15)	A
17	Black-nest Swiftlet	Apodidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	95	2	A
18	Black Bittern	Ardeidae	2	2	1	A	11	13	1 (1-2)	A	4	8	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	1	-
19	Black-crowned Night-heron	Ardeidae	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	4	6	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-
20	Cattle Egret-B	Ardeidae	7	218 (205-231)	31 (1-55)	A/J	4	22	6 (2-10)	A/J	4	247 (200-368)	63 (50-75)	A/J	9	667 (250-1000)	74 (5-500)	A/J
21	Great Egret-B	Ardeidae	2	48 (46-51)	24 (1-47)	A/J	9	42 (1-45)	5 (1-15)	A/J	8	313 (270-338)	75 (8-212)	A/J	12	5000 (50-6000)	417 (50-650)	A/J
22	Intermediate Egret-B	Ardeidae	3	180 (174-189)	60 (55-61)	A/J	14	42 (1-45)	3 (1-110	A/J	5	373 (310-384)	87 (6-156)	A/J	7	3550 (138-5500)	490 (287-760)	A/J
23	Javan Pond-Heron-B	Ardeidae	7	143 (159- 176)	20 (1-112)	A/J	24	140 (1-250)	6 (1-47)	A/J	16	983 (620-1346)	50 (4-175)	A/J	18	15000 (150- 18400)	200 (3- 750)	A/J
24	Little Egret-B	Ardeidae	12	205 (194- 216)	17 (1-55)	A/J	8	49 (1-50)	6 (1-20)	A/J	-	-	-	-	3	10	3 (1-7)	A/J
25	Purple Heron-B	Ardeidae	3	10	3 (1-7)	A/J	23	33 (1-35)	1 (1-3)	A/J	7	37	9 (2-15)	A/J	11	89	8 (1-30)	A/J
26	Schrenk's Bittern	Ardeidae	-	-	-	-	4	4	1	A	-	-	-		1	1	1	A

27	Striated Heron	Ardeidae	1	1	1	A	_	-	_	-	_	_	_	_	1	1	1	A
28	White-breasted Wood- swallow	Artamidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	A
29	Asian Black Hornbill	Bucerotidae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
30	Oriental Pied Hornbill	Bucerotidae	6	11	2 (1-3)	A	10	20 (1-20)	2 (1-5)	A	6	14	3 (2-9)	A	10	31	3 (1-15)	A
31	Rhinoceros Hornbill	Bucerotidae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
32	Wrinkled Hornbill	Bucerotidae	-	-	-	-	1	3	3	A/J	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
33	Bar-bellied Cuckoo-shrike	Campephagidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	J	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	A
34	Sunda Cuckoo-shrike	Campephagidae	1	1	1	Α	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35	Savannah Nightjar	Caprimulgidae	2	38 (36-40)	19 (1-35)	A	3	6	2	A	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A
36	Lesser Adjutant-B	Ciconidae	14	57	4 (1-15)	A/J	22	28	3 (1-5)	A/J	10	68	3 (1-10)	A/J	4	6	2 (1-2)	A/J
37	Storm's Stork	Ciconidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
38	Green Imperial Pigeon	Columbidae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-
39	Little Green-Pigeon	Columbidae	1	1	1	A/J	-	-	-	-	1	5	5	A/J	1	4	4	A/J
40	Spotted-dove	Columbidae	3	3	1 (1-2)	A/J	7	10	1 (1-20	A	6	15	2 (1-4)	A/J	2	5	3 (1-4)	A/J
41	Slender-billed Crow	Corvidae	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
42	Asian Koel	Cuculidae	1	1	1	A	2	2	1	A		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
43	Chesnut-bellied Malkoha	Cuculidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
44	Chesnut-breasted Malkoha	Cuculidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A	1	4	4	A	1	1	1	A
45	Lesser Coucal	Cuculidae	1	1	1	A	7	9	1 (1-2)	A	1	2	1 (1-2)	A	4	6	2 (1-3)	A
46	Raffles's Malkoha	Cuculidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
47	Bronzed Drongo	Dicruridae	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
48	Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	Dicruridae	1	2	2	A	5	8	1 (1-3)	A	1	1	1	A	3	4	1 (1-2)	A
49	Black-and-red Broadbill	Eurylaimidae	1	1	1	A	5	6	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A
50	Black-thighed Falconet	Falconidae	3	15 (10-19)	5 (1-15)	A	5	7	1 (1-2)	A	3	15	1 (1-2)	A	4	8	2 (1-5)	A
51	Peregrine Falcon	Falconidae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	2	4	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-
52	Pacific Swallow	Hirundinidae	-	-	-	A	10	31 (1-31)	3 (1-10)	A	1	2	2	A	4	27	7 (1-20)	A
53	Eye-Browed Jungle- Flycatcher	Muscicapidae	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
54	Malaysian Blue-flycatcher	Muscicapidae	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55	Pied Fantail	Muscicapidae	-	-	-	-	6	8	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	A
56	Snowy-browed flycatcher	Muscicapidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A
57	Bornean Whistler	Pachycephalidae	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
58	Crested Fireback	Phasianidae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
59	Banded Woodpecker	Picidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
60	Grey-and-buff Woodpecker	Picidae	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

61	Grey-capped Woodpecker	Picidae	2	3	1 (1-2)	A	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A
62	Sunda woodpecker	Picidae	_	-	-	_	_	-	-	_	1	1	1	A	_	-	_	_
	-						2	2	1			-	-			1	1	
63	White-bellied Woodpecker	Picidae	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	A	-	-	-		1	1		A
64	Black-headed Munia	Ploceidae	-	-	-	-	3	310 (4-350)	103 (4-300)	A	1	20	20	A	4	61	15 (5-40)	A
65	Eurasian Tree Sparrow	Ploceidae	-	-	-	-	4	6	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
66	Java Sparrow	Ploceidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	20	3 (1-5)	A	-	-	-	
67	Grey-bellied Bulbul	Pycnonotidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
68	Coomon Moorhen	Rallidae	2	56	25 (20-29)	A/J	21	58 (1-58)	3 (1-11)	A/J	4	83	13 (10-15)	A/J	4	61	15 (2-24)	A/J
69	Purple Swamphen	Rallidae	3	18 (17-19)	6 (1-8)	A/J	7	17	2 (1-10)	A/J	5	17	13 (10-15)	A/J	1	1	1	A/J
70	Ruddy-Breasted Crake	Rallidae	1	1	1	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-
71	Water Rail	Rallidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	J	-	-	-	-
72	White-breasted Waterhen	Rallidae	1	1	1	A	4	6	2 (1-3)	A	5	9	1 (1-2)	A	4	5	1 (1-2)	A
73	White-browed Crake	Rallidae	1	1	1	A	3	3	1	J	-	-	-	-	1	5	5	A
74	Black-winged Stilt	Recurvirostridae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	Α
75	White-headed Stilt	Recurvirostridae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	A
76	Black-tailed Godwit	Scolopacidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	11	A/J
77	Common Redshank	Scolopacidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	A
78	Common Sandpiper	Scolopacidae	-	-	-		1	1	1	A	1	2	2	A	10	156	16 (1-77)	A
79	Pintail Snipe	Scolopacidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A/J	-	-	-	-
80	Ruff	Scolopacidae	1	1	1	A	1	1	1	A	-	-	-		1	2	2	-
81	Rufous-tailed Tailorbird	Silviidae	-	-	-		2	4	2	A	-	-	-		1	2	2	-
82	Black-naped Tern-B	Sternidae	3	397 (328-543)	132 (25-375)	A/J	2	6	3 (2-4)	A/J	5	977 (648-1464)	125 (75- 175)	A/J	4	246 (124-492)	62 (25-125)	A/J
83	Little Tern-B	Sternidae	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-		3	15	5 (2-11)	A/J
84	Whiskered Tern-B	Sternidae	4	659 (532-788)	165 (25-560)	A/J	19	135 (1-40)	7 (1-30)	A/J	6	1594 (1265-1956)	210 (50- 500)	A/J	4	835 (419-1670)	209 (75-375)	A/J
85	White-Winged Tern-B	Sternidae	2	362 (293-431)	181 (6-312)	A/J	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
86	Buffy Fish-owl	Strigidae	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	J	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
87	Asian Pied Starling	Sturnidae	2	3	1 (1-2)	Α	-	-	-		2	3	3	A	-	-	-	
88	Comb-crested Jacana	Tacanidae	-	-	-	-	4	5	1 (1-2)	A	1	2	2	A	-	-	-	-
89	White-Shouldered Ibis	Threskiornithidae	1	6	6	A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-
90	Magpie Robin	Turdidae	-	-	-	-	11	13	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	A
91	Pied Bushchat	Turdidae	-	-	-	-	2	3	1 (1-2)	A	-	-	-	-	5	8	2 (1-3)	A
	Total no. of sight	ings/ birds	140	2.573 (	2055-2773)		381	3.344 (18	3-3514)		177	6.774 (4783	3-8127)		204	26.182 (11	31-33062)	
	Total Number of I	Bird Species		5	3			62				41				5	4	

Appendix 4. Bird species identified in the Middle Mahakam Area (MMA), their status (nationally protected, IUCN, CITES) and the observer source.

No	Latin name	International Name	I	JCN	Red	d Lis	st	MI	ИΑ	National protection	CITES		Sourc	e	
No	Latin name	International Name	E N	N T	V u	C R	L	Со	Ra	Р	App.	C. Gonner	T. Boorsma	RASI	BEBSIC
	Accipitridae	Eagles								I					I
1	Haliastur indus	Brahminy Kite									App. 2				
2	Spizaetus cirrhatus	Changeable Hawk-									App. 2				
3	Ictinaetus malayensis	Eagle Black Eagle									App. 2				
4	Ichthyophaga humilis	Lesser Fish-Eagle									App. 2				
5	Ichthyophaga ichthyaetus	Grey-Headed Fish-									App. 2				
6	Haliaeetus leucogaster	Eagle White-Bellied Fish-									App. 2				
7	Elanus caeruleus	Eagle Black-winged Kite									App. 2				
8	Spilornis cheela	Crested Serpent-Eagle									App. 2				
9	Spizaetus nanus	Wallace's Hawk-Eagle									App. 2				
10	Accipiter trivirgatus	Crested Goshawk									App. 2				
11	Accipiter gularis	Japanese Sparrowhawk									App. 2				
12	Pernis ptilorhynchus	Oriental Honey-Buzzard									App. 2				
	Aegithinidae	loras								_					1
13	Chloropsis sonnerati	Greater Green Leafbird													
14	Chloropsis cyanopogon	Lesser Green Leafbird													
15	Chloropsis cochinchinensis	Blue-winged Leafbird													
16	Aegithina viridissima	Green Iora													
17	Aegithina tiphia	Common Iora													
	Alcedinidae	Kingfisher													1
18	Lacedo pulchella	Banded Kingfisher													
19	Halcyon pileata	Black-capped Kingfisher													
20	Actenoides concretus	Rufous-Collared Kingfisher													
21	Todirhamphus sanctus	Sacred Kingfisher													
22	Pelargopsis capensis	Stork-Billed Kingfisher													
23	Alcedo meninting	Blue-eared Kingfisher													
24	Alcedo atthis	Common Kingfisher													
25	Alcedo euryzona	Blue-banded Kingfisher													
26	Ceyx erithacus	Black-backed Kingfisher													
27	Ceyx rufidorsa	Rufous-backed Kingfisher													
	Anatidae	Ducks								J.			J.		"
28	Dendrocygna arcuata	Wandering Whistling- Duck													
29	Anas querquedula	Garganey													
30	Anas superciliosa	Grey Duck													
31	Aythya fuligula	Tufted Duck													
	Anhingidae	Cormorants		1				1	1	ı	ı		ı	1	1
32	Anhinga melanogaster	Oriental Darter													
	Phalacrocoracidae	Cormorants													
33	Phalacrocorax sulcirostris	Little Black Cormorant													
	Apodidae	Swiftlets		1	<u> </u>			1	1	<u>I</u>	ı		1	1	1
34	Apus affinis	Little Swift													
35	Hirundapus giganteus	Brown-backed													
		Needletail	<u> </u>												

36	Rhaphidura leucopygialis	Silver-rumped Swift													
No	Latin name	International Name	I	JCN	Re	d Li	st	MI	MA	National protection	CITES		Sourc	е	
NO	Latin name	international Name	E	N T	V u	C R	L	Со	Ra	Р	App.	C. Gonner	T. Boorsma	RASI	BEBSIC
37	Hydrochous gigas	Giant Swiftlet													
38	Collocalia esculenta	Glossy swiftlet													
39	Collocalia maxima	Black-Nest Swiftlet													
40	Collocalia fuciphaga	Edible-nest Swiftlet													
41	Cypsiurus balasiensis	Asian Palm-Swift													
	Ardeidae	Bitterns, Herons, Egrets								1			1		.11
42	Ixobrychus eurhythmus	Schrenk's Bittern													
43	Ixobrychus flavicollis	Black Bittern													
44	Ixobrychus sinensis	Yellow Bittern													
45	Ixobrychus cinnamomeus	Cinnamon Bittern													
46	Ardeola speciosa	Javan Pond-Heron													
47	Ardea purpurea	Purple Heron													
48	Butorides striatus	Striated Heron													
49	Nycticorax nycticorax	Black-crowned Night-hero	on												
50	Egretta alba	Great Egret													
51	Egretta eulophotes	Chinese Egret													
52	Egretta garzetta	Little Egret													
53	Bubulcus ibis	Cattle Egret													
54	Egretta intermedia	Intermediate Egret													
	Artamidae	Wood-Swallow													
55	Artamus leucorhynchus	White-breasted Wood- swallow													
	Bucerotidae	Hornbills			ı					11	'				
56	Anorrhinus galeritus	Bushy-crested Hornbill									App. 2				
57	Aceros undulatus	Wreathed Horbill									App. 2				
58	Aceros corrugatus	Wrinkled Hornbill									App. 2				
59	Anthracoceros malayanus	Asian Black Hornbill									App. 2				
60	Anthracoceros albirostris	Oriental Pied Hornbill									App. 2				
61	Buceros rhinoceros	Rhinoceros Hornbill									App. 2				
62	Buceros vigil	Helmeted Hornbill									App. 1				
	Campephagidae	Shrikes													
63	Hemipus hirundinaceus	Black-winged Flycatcher-Shrike													
64	Lalage nigra	Pied Triller													
65	Coracina larvatus	Sunda Cuckoo-shrike													
66	Coracina striata	Bar-bellied Cuckoo-													
67	Coracina fimbriata	shrike Lesser Cuckoo-Shrike													
68	Pericrocotus flammeus	Scarlet Minivet													
69	Pericrocotus igneus	Fiery Minivet													
33	Capitonidae	Barbets						<u> </u>							
70	Calorhamphus fuliginosus	Brown Barbet													
71	Megalaima chrysopogon	Gold-whiskered Barbet													
72	Megalaima australis	Blue-eared Barbet													
73	Megalaima henricii	Yellow-crowned Barbet													
74	Megalaima rafflesii	Red-crowned Barbet													1
75	Megalaima mystacophanos	Red-throated Barbet													
	Caprimulgidae	Nightjars		1	1	<u> </u>			_	l	<u> </u>	_	1	<u> </u>	1
	Caprimulgus affinis	Savannah Nightjar													

77	Eurostopodus temminckii	Malaysian Eared-Nightjar													
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	Charadriidae	Plovers	N	<u> </u>	u	K	C					Gonner	Boorsma		]
78	Charadrius veredus	Oriental Plover													
79	Pluvialis squatarola	Grey Plover													
80	Pluvialis fulva	Pacific Golden-plover													
81	Charadrius dubius	Little Ringed Plover													
82	Charadrius mongolus	Mongolian Plover													
	Ciconiidae	Storks													
83	Ciconia stormi	Storm's Stork													
84	Leptoptilos javanicus	Lesser Adjutant													
-	Columbidae	Pigeons, Doves								_		_			
85	Chalcophaps indica	Emerald Dove													
86	Ducula aenea	Green Imperial Pigeon													
87	Ducula bicolor	Pied Imperial-Pigeon													
		Cinnamon-headed		П			_								
88	Treron fulvicollis	Green-Pigeon													1
89	Treron capellei	Large Green-Pigeon Pink-necked Green-													1
90	Treron vernans	Pigeon													
91	Treron olax	Little Green-Pigeon													
92	Streptopelia chinensis	Spotted-Dove													
	Coraciidae														
93	Eurystomus orientalis	Dollarbird													
	Corvidae	Crows													
94	Corvus enca	Slender-billed Crow													
95	Platysmurus leucopterus	Black Magpie													
96	Pityriasis gymnocephala- E	Bornean Bristlehead									App.1				
	Cuculidae	Malkohas, Cuckoos													
97	Centropus bengalensis	Lesser Coucal													
98	Centropus sinensis	Greater Coucal													
99	Clamator coromandus	Chestnut-winged Cuckoo													
100	Phaenicophaeus curvirostris	Chesnut-Breasted													
	<del>`</del>	Malkoha												1	
101	Phaenicophaeus javanicus	Red-billed Malkoha Chesnut-bellied													
102	Phaenicophaeus sumatranus	Malkoha													
103	Phaenicophaeus chlorophaeus	Raffles's Malkoha													
104	Cuculus sparverioides	Large Hawk-Cuckoo													1
105	Cuculus micropterus	Indian Cuckoo													1
106	Cuculus saturatus	Oriental Cuckoo													
107	Surniculus lugubris	Drongo Cuckoo													1
108	Chrysococcyx xanthorhynchus	Violet Cuckoo													
109	Eudynamys scolopacea	Asian Koel													
110	Cacomantis merulinus	Plaintive Cuckoo													1
111	Cacomantis sonneratii	Banded Bay Cuckoo				<u> </u>									
112	Cacomantis sepulcralis	Rusty-breasted Cuckoo													
	Dicaeidae	Flowerpeckers		1		1	-			T		1	T		П
113	Prionochilus xanthopygius	Yellow-rumped Flowerpecker													
114	Prionochilus percussus	Crimson-breasted													
115	<u> </u>	Flowerpecker Orange-bellied													
115	Dicaeum trigonostigma	Flowerpecker													

116	Dicaeum cruentatum	Scarlet-backed													
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117	Dicaeum trochileum	Scarlet-headed	N	Т	u	R	С					Gonner	Boorsma		
118	Dicaeum chrysorrheum	Flowerpecker Yellow-vented													
	Dicruridae	Flowerpecker  Drongos										1			
		Greater Racket-Tailed													
119	Dicrurus paradiseus	Drongo													
120	Dicrurus annectans	Crow-billed Drongo													
121	Didrurus leucophaeus	Ashy Drongo													
122	Dicrurus aeneus	Bronzed Drongo													
	Eurylaimidae	Broadbill						1					I		1
123	Corydon sumatranus	Dusky Broadbill													
124	Calyptomena viridis	Green Broadbill													
125	Cymbirhynchus macrorhynchos	Black-and-Red Broadbill													
126	Eurylaimus ochromalus	Black-and-yellow Broadbill													
127	Eurylaimus javanicus	Broadbill Banded Broadbill													
	Falconidae	Falcon		1	I	I	1	<u> </u>			1	1			1
128	Microhierax fringillarius	Black-Thighed Falconet									App.2				
129	Falco peregrinus	Peregrine Falcon									App.1				
.20	Glareolidae	Pratincoles		1			_			1	, 4pp				
130	Glareola maldivarum	Oriental Pratincole													
100	Hemiprocnidae	Treeswifts					ш								
131	Hemiprocne longipennis	Grey-rumped Treeswift													
131	Hirundinidae	Martins					ш					Ш	Ш		
132	Hirundo rustica	Barn Swallow			1	1									
133	Hirundo tahitica	Pacific Swallow													
		Asian House-martin											Ц	Ш	
134	Delichon dasypus  Jacanidae	Jacanas					Ш		Ш			Ш			Ш
135	Iredipara gallinacea	Comb-crested Jacana													
100	Laniidae	Shrikes					ш								
136	Lanius schach	Long-tailed Shrike		1											
130	Meropidae	Bee-eaters					ш		Ш			Ш			Ш
137	Nyctyornis amictus	Red-bearded Bee-Eater		1											
	Merops viridis	Blue-throated Bee-eater		-											
	Merops philippinus	Blue-tailed Bee-eater													
.03	Motacillidae	Wagtails		1	<u> </u>	<u> </u>			Ш			ш			<u> </u>
140	Motacilla flava	Yellow Wagtail													
1+0	Muscicapidae	Old World Flycatchers		1	<u> </u>	<u> </u>						П			
141	•	Black-naped Monarch													
141	Hypothymis azurea Rhipidura javanica	Pied Fantail								П					
143	Rhipidura perlata	Spotted Fantail						П							
	· · · ·	Maroon-breasted		_											
144	Philentoma velata	Philentoma													
145	Philentoma pyrhopterum	Rufous-winged Philentoma													
146	Terpsiphone paradisi	Asian Paradise- Flycatcher													
147	Ficedula hyperythra	Snowy-browed													
	Muscicapa dauurica	flycatcher Asian Brown Flycatcher												_	
	<u>`</u>	Rufous-chested		_											
149	Ficedula dumetoria	Flycatcher													

150	Cyornis superbus - E	Bornean Blue-													
151	Muscicapella hodgonsi	Flycatcher Pygmy Blue-Flycatcher													
	, ,	Red-breasted													
152	Ficedula parva	Flycatcher													
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153	Cyornis turcosus	Malaysian Blue-			ű	'`									
		flycatcher Rufous-tailed Jungle-													
154	Rhinomyias ruficauda	Flycatcher Eye-browed Jungle-													
155	Rhinomyias gularis	flycatcher													
156	Rhinomyias umbratilis	Grey-chested Jungle- Flycatcher													
	Nectariniidae	Sunbirds													
157	Anthreptes malacensis	Plain-throated Sunbird													
158	Nectarinia jugularis	Olive-backed Sunbird													
159	Anthreptes singalensis	Ruby-cheeked Sunbird													
160	Anthreptes rhodolaemus	Red-throated Sunbird													
161	Nectarinia sperata	Purple-throated Sunbird													
162	Hypogramma hypogrammicum	Purple-naped Sunbird													
163	Aethopyga siparaja	Crimson Sunbird													
164	Arachnothera robusta	Long-billed Spiderhunter													
165	Arachnothera affinis	Grey-breasted Spiderhunter													
166	Arachnothera longirostra	Little Spiderhunter													
167	Arachnothera chrysogenys	Yellow-eared													
	Oriolidae	Spiderhunter Bluebird													
168	Irena puella	Asian Fairy-Bluebird													
100	Pachycephalidae	Whistlers													
169	Pachycephala hypoxantha-E	Bornean Whistler									App. 2				
170	Pachycephala cinerea/grisola	Mangrove Whistler									App. 3			1	
	Pandionidae	Osprey					_				7,400.0				
171	Pandion haliaetus	Osprey													
	Phalaropidae	Phalaropes													
172	Phalaropus lobatus	Red-necked Phalarope													
	Phasianidae	Partridges			1	1									
173	Argusianus argus	Great Argus									App. 2				
174	Polyplectron schleiermacheri-E	Bornean Peacock- Pheasant									App. 2				
175	Coturnix chinensis	Blue-breasted Quail													
176	Rollolus rouloul	Crested Partridge													
177	Rhizothera longirostris	Long-billed Partridge													
178	Lophura ignita	Crested Fireback									App.3				
	Picidae	Woodpeckers		1	1	1	<u> </u>	1	1	I		1	I .	1	
179	Meiglyptes tukki	Buff-necked													
180	Meiglyptes tristis	Woodpecker Buff-rumped													
181	Dendrocopus canicapillus	Woodpecker Grey-Capped													
182	Hemicircus concretus	Woodpecker Grey-and-buff													
183	Dendrocopus moluccensis	Woodpecker Sunda Woodpecker													
184	Dryocopus javensis	White-bellied									App. 1				
185	Dinopium javanense	Woodpecker Common Goldenback									, φρ. ι			J	
		Great Slaty													
100	Mulleripicus pulverulentus	Woodpecker					П		Ш			Ц	Ц		

	Celeus brachyurus														
188	5	Rufous Woodpecker Orange-backed													
	Reinwardtipicus validus	Woodpecker													
189	Picus miniaceus	Banded Woodpecker													
190	Blythipicus rubiginosus	Maroon Woodpecker													
191	Dinopium rafflesi	Olive-backed Woodpecker													
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192	Picus puniceus	Crimson-winged													
	•	Woodpecker Checker-throated													
	Picus mentalis	Woodpecker													
194	Sasia abnormis	Rufous Pickulet													
	Pittidae	Pittas		1	1	1				I	ı	1		1	
-	Pitta sordida	Hooded Pitta													
	Pitta granatina	Garnet Pitta													
197	Pitta baudii	Blue-headed Pitta													
	Ploceidae	Sparrows, Munia								I	ı	T		1	
	Lonchura fuscans -E	Dusky Munia									App. 2				
	Lonchura malacca	Black-headed Munia													
-	Passer montanus	Eurasian Tree Sparrow													
201	Padda oryzivora	Java Sparrow													
	Podargidae	Frogmouths								I	ı	T		1	
-	Batrachostomus auritus	Large Frogmouth													
	Batrachostomus stellatus	Gould's Frogmouth													
204	Batrachostomus javensis	Javan Frogmouth													
	Psittacidae	Parrots		1	ı	1					T .	I			
	Psittacula longicauda	Long-tailed Parakeet									App. 2				
206	Psittinus cyanurus	Blue-rumped Parrot Blue-crowned Hanging-									App. 2				
207	Loriculus galgulus	Parrot													
	Pycnonotidae	Bulbuls											1		
208	Iole olivacea	Buff-vented Bulbul													
209	Tricholestes criniger	Hairy-backed Bulbul													
	Pycnonotus cyaniventris	Grey-bellied Bulbul													
211	Pycnonotus atriceps	Black-headed Bulbul													
	Pycnonotus aurigaster	Sooty-headed Bulbul													
	Pycnonotus eutilotus	Puff-backed Bulbul													
214	Alophoixus phaeocephalus	Yellow-bellied Bulbul													
	Alophoixus bres	Grey-cheeked Bulbul													
	Pycnonotus plumosus	Olive-winged Bulbul													
	Pycnonotus goiavier	Yellow-vented Bulbul													
	Pycnonotus simplex	Cream-vented Bulbul													
-	Pycnonotus erythrophtalmus	Spectacled Bulbul													
220	Pycnonotus brunneus	Red-eyed Bulbul													
	Rallidae	Rails White-Breasted										I			T
221	Amaurornis phoenicurus	Waterhen													
222	Gallinula chloropus	Common Moorhen													
223	Porphyrio porphyrio	Purple Swamphen													
224	Gallinula tenebrosa	Dusky Moorhen													
225	Rallus aquaticus	Water Rail													
_	Gallirallus striatus	Slaty-breasted Rail													
227	Porzana cinerea	White-Browed Crake													

228	Porzana fusca	Ruddy-Breasted Crake													
	Recurvirostridae	Stilts													
229	Himantopus himantopus	Black-winged Stilt													
230	Himantopus leucocephalus	White-headed Stilt					П								
250	Scolopacidae	Snipes, Godw	ite (	rurlo	.w S	tinte		ndnine		anke		Ш			
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231	Gallinago stenura	Pintail Snipe													
232	Rostratula benghalensis	Greater Painted Snipe													
233	Gallinago megala	Swinhoe's Snipe													
234	Gallinago gallinago	Common Snipe													
235	Limosa lapponica	Bar-tailed Godwit													
236	Limosa limosa	Black-tailed Godwit													
237	Numenius phaeopus	Whimbrel													
238	Numenius madagascariensis	Far-eastern Curlew													
239	Calidris tenuirostris	Great Knot													
240	Calidris ferruginea	Curlew Sandpiper													
241	Calidris subminuta	Long-toed Stint													
242	Calidris ruficollis	Rufous-necked Stint													
243	Calidris temminckii	Temminck's Stint													
244	Xenus cinereus	Terek Sandpiper													
245	Tringa ochropus	Green Sandpiper													
246	Tringa nebularia	Common Greenshank													
247	Tringa totanus	Common Redshank													
248	Tringa hypoleucos	Common Sandpiper													
249	Tringa stagnatilis	Marsh Sandpiper													
250	Philomachus pugnax	Ruff													
251	Tringa glareola	Wood Sandpiper													
	Sylviidae	Warblers, Tailorbirds, Prinia													
252	Phylloscopus borealis	Arctic Warbler													
253	Orthotomus atrogularis	Dark-necked Tailorbird													
254	Orthotomus ruficeps	Ashy Tailorbird													
255	Orthotomus sericeus	Rufous-tailed Tailorbird													
256	Locustella certhiola	Palla's Warbler													
257	Locustella ochotensis	Middendorf 's Warbler													
258	Acrocephalus orientalis	Eastern Reed-warbler													
259	Acrocephalus stentoreus	Clamarous Reed- warbler													
260	Prinia flaviventris	Yellow-bellied Prinia													
261	Gerygone sulphurea	Golden-bellied Gerygone													
	Sittidae	Nuthatch				1	1					I.			
262	Sitta frontalis	Velvet-fronted Nuthatch													
	Sternidae	Sterns				1	1	1	1	1	ı	I.	II.	ı	1
263	Sterna bergii	Great Crested-Tern													
264	Sterna albifrons	Little Tern													
265	Chlidonias hybrida	Whiskered Tern													
266	Chlidonias leucopterus	White-Winged Tern											_		
267	Sterna sumatrana	Black-Naped Tern													
268	Ketupa ketupu	Buffy Fish-owl													
269	Otus rufescens	Reddish Scops-Owl									App. 2				
270	Otus bakkamaena	Collared Scops-Owl									App. 2				
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271	Strix leptogrammica	Brown Wood-Owl									App. 2				
272	Ninox scutulata	Brown Hawk-Owl									App. 2				
	Sturnidae	Starlings													
273	Sturnus philippensis	Chesnut-cheeked Starling													
274	Sturnus contra	Asian Pied Starling													
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275	Aplonis panayensis	Asian Glossy Starling													
276	Gracula religiosa	Hill Myna									App.2				
	Threskiornithidae	Ibises, Spoonbills													
277	Pseudibis davisoni	White-Shouldered Ibis													
	Timaliidae	Babblers										•			
278	Malacopteron magnum	Rufous-crowned Babbler													
279	Malacopteron magnirostre	Moustached Babbler													
280	Malacopteron affine	Sooty-capped Babbler													
281	Malacopteron cinereum	Scaly-crowned Babbler													
282	Macronous gularis	Striped Tit-Babbler													
283	Macronous ptilosus	Fluffy-backed Tit- Babbler													
284	Trichastoma rostratum	White-chested Babbler													
285	Malacocincla malaccensis	Short-tailed Babbler													
286	Trichastoma bicolor	Ferruginous Babbler													
287	Pellorneum capistratum	Black-capped Babbler													
288	Stachyris nigricollis	Black-throated Babbler													
289	Stachyris erythroptera	Chestnut-winged Babbler													
290	Stachyris maculata	Chestnut-rumped Babbler													
291	Alcippe brunneicauda	Brown Fulvetta													
	Trogonidae	Quetzals													
292	Harpactes diardii	Diard's Trogon													
293	Harpactes kasumba	Red-naped Trogon													
294	Harpactes duvaucelii	Scarlet-rumped Trogon													
	Turdidae	Bushchat, Shamas													
295	Saxicola caprata	Pied Bushchat													
296	Trichixos pyrropygus	Rufous-tailed Shama													
297	Copsychus malabaricus	White-rumped Shama													
298	Copsychus saularis	Magpie Robin													
	Total number	of species										280	45	91	42

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