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Other Parts of this Report

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- species list, a complete list with localities
- a list of more interesting observations
- some descriptions of ~~some~~ problematic observations
- a list of updates on the distribution maps in Inskipp & Inskipp "Birds of Nepal"
- a description of a birding site south of Dharan

Itinerary

- Kathmandu Valley, november 2-15
- Monari Trek, from Thankot (KV) to Monari Bazaar (between Narayanghat and Hetauda), Thankot-Chitang-Palung-Majhitar-Monari Bazaar, november 16-20
- Chitwan
 - Meghauri, november 21-23
 - Narayanghat, november 24-25
- Kathmandu Valley, november 26-27
- Chitwan
 - Sauraha, november 28-30
 - south of Monari Bazaar, december 1
- Annapurna Trek, Pokhara-Dhampus-Chomro-Annapurna Sanctuary-Chomro-Ghorepani-Ghasa-Muktinath-Ghorepani-Birethante-Pokhara, december 2 - january 2
- Kathmandu Valley, january 3-9

- Everest Trek, Lamosangu-Namche Bazaar-Everest B.C.-Namche Bazaar-Kharte-Bung-Sanam-Phedi-Tumlingtar-Hile, february 28 - march 28
- Kosi, march 29 - april 4
- south of Dharan, april 4-7
- Kosi, april 7
- Phatalaia (near Simra airport), a one-hour stop, april 8
- Kathmandu Valley, april 9-13
- to Trisuli, april 14-15
- Kathmandu Valley, april 16-20

Weather

- For most of the time the weather was dry and sunny, except for:
- a two-day snow storm at Muktinath on december 26-27. After the storm, the fields in the Upper Kali Gandaki Valley, which were practically empty on my way up, abounded with birds.
 - much rain on the Lamosangu - Namche Bazaar Trek, february 28 - march 6

My Birding Experience

When I arrived in Nepal, I had not watched birds for about four years, except for two months in the U.S., However, I had some experience with SE-Asian birds from a 4½-month visit in 1981-82.

Literature

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- Heinzel, Fitter & Parslow, 1972: "The birds of Britain and Europe".
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- King a.o., 1980: "A field guide to the birds of SE-Asia".
- Meyer de Schauensee: "Birds of China", I only borrowed it for the identification of the Tibetan Snowfinches in Khumbu.

Map

I only used the APA map of Nepal.

Number of Species

I observed 490 species and an additional 16 species without certainty.

Additions to Trip Report, 14 July 1986

Amur Falcon We (I and Enno Ebels) could only see them well on november 8 1985, as it was too dark on november 4. There were no Lesser Kestrels present. Enno Ebels made a thorough description. He told me that he will send you his trip report plus a description of the Amur Falcons.

Great Stone Plover 1, Manora River (KV), november 5 1985. It was standing on the sandy shore near the river on the other side. I could approach closely. It was obviously a Great Stone Plover, so I felt a bit silly when writing down the following description: "big Thick-Knee; unstreaked; greyish above and on the breast; conspicuous head-pattern; very long black bill with yellow base and upturned tip; greyish/yellowish legs; black bar on wing, an inconspicuous light bar under it; white eye-ring with white stripe behind it, black around the white; black malar stripe; etc."

Crimson Rosefinch A small party of 2-3 males and 1 female near the lodge at Deorali, on the ridge east of Ghorepani, at an altitude of about 3000 meters, on the evening of December 15 1985. They were feeding near dense cover. Upon my approach they disappeared, but after I sat down they reappeared and came very close. I didn't know Rosefinches well and had left my books in the lodge. I made a description. Next morning I tried to find them again, without success. Later I heard that there had been more sightings of Crimson Rosefinches around Ghorepani during the same winter. Description:

"normal size; males seem to be completely reddish pink; head unstreaked, all red, including nape, dark reddish crown, brown lores; breast and belly

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completely pinkish red with brown; white vent and undertail coverts; much dark reddish pink on the wing coverts; a large red rump;
female unstreaked, completely greybrown; whitish undertail coverts; browner on head and wing coverts"

Discussion: The only similar species is Common Rosefinch, but it can be discarded as the female was unstreaked and the male had uniform underparts and no eyestripe.

Some Descriptions

Rufous-bellied Eagle

1 imm., south of Dharan, april 7

" raptor; soaring; only seen from between trees, so not very well; most conspicuous: a white head and breast with a black cap and black upperside of cheeks; brown above with some lighter areas; underside in general white (no rufous) "

Discussion: I did not observe a white eyebrow and forehead; however, according to King, some immatures develop peregrine head pattern.

Barred Cuckoo-dove

1 calling, Pulchowki, april 19, in forest ^{secondary}

" dove-like: 'hu-huu', emphasis on second note; about 12 in 13 seconds "

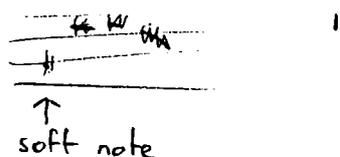
Discussion: see description in King. Jelle Scharringa found the same frequency for birds in SE-Asia.

Brown Wood-owl

1 calling, Nagarjung, november 9

" every 15 seconds; not extremely loud; reminiscent of Tawny Owl; first a soft and short little note, then some rhythmic quavery notes:

sound diagram:



Discussion: I heard a Northern Eagle-owl at the same place, two days before. This one was different.

Bay Woodpecker

On two occasions I heard what I think were Bay Woodpeckers, in only one of these cases I made a description of their rhythmic alarm call:

two birds, alarming; Annapurna Trek, between Chitre and Sikha, in dense scrub forest, december 17:

" alarmcall: very loud 'ping', followed by a deep grunt; the other bird answered with a loud, descending 'trrrr'; very noisy; both flew away with much wing-noise upon my close approach "

On the other occasion, a single bird made the rhythmic

'ping' and grunt noise, close to the ground in dense and wet forest near Tadopani, between Chomro and Ghorepani.

Discussion: see descriptions in Fleming and King.

Rufous-naped Black Tit 1, ^{uncertain} ~~probably~~, Madi Khola Valley, dec. 13

I didn't know until the evening of that day that this species was not to be expected east of the Kali Gandaki. That evening I wrote down:

" greenish back and wings; black breast; 1 in a flock with Green-backed and Yellow-browed Tits "

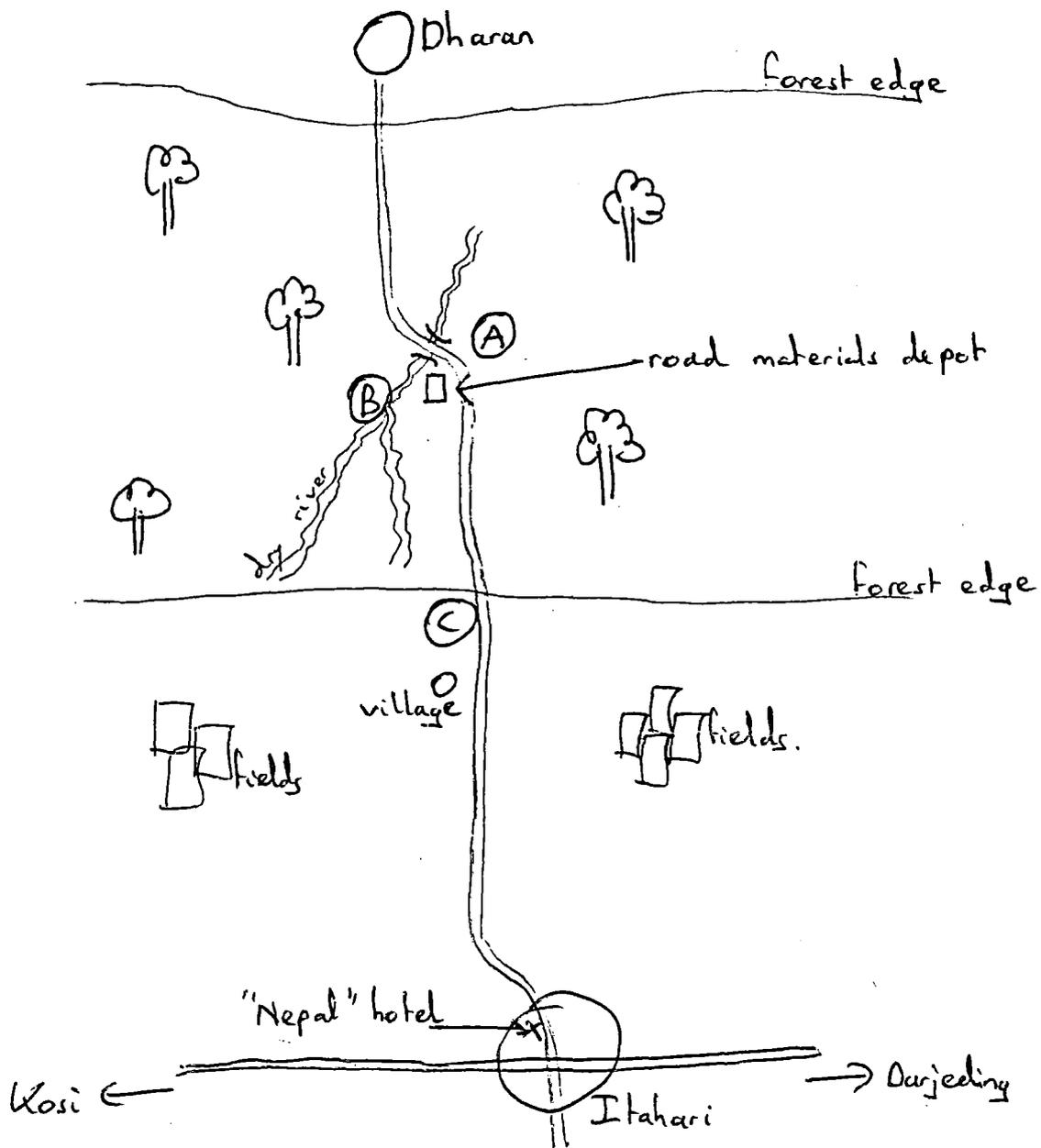
Tibetan Snowfinch at least 2, Gorak Shep, march 12-13, in a large flock of Brandt's Mountain-finches

Shortened description:

" a bit smaller than Brandt's Mountain-finch; in general very lightly coloured; very sandy; head almost without markings, supercilium slightly lighter; conspicuous yellow bill; white throat; dark grey legs; lightly streaked back; one inconspicuous light wing-patch, in one bird hardly visible (female?); on the ground sides of tail wholly white; no conspicuous white rump in flight"

Discussion: according to 'Birds of China' by Meyer de Schauensee, ^{all} characters indicate Tibetan Snowfinch, except for the absence of throat markings. However, according to Meyer de Schauensee, the throat markings are inconspicuous in fresh plumage.

A Birding Site south of Dharan



The forest is dry and consists mainly of sal trees (as far as I can see). There are many big trees and there is much undergrowth. However, people are hacking trees everywhere, the undergrowth is burned, and cattle are grazing in the forest.

- A : forest, on east side of the road
- B : along the dry riverbed in direction SW
- C : forest edge

Accomodation and Transport. "Nepal Hotel" in Itahari is good. Transport is excellent: a bus is going to Dharan every 15 minutes or so, very fast on an excellent road. Jump off at the depot for A and B or at the village just before the forest for C.

Some Birds, observed on april 4 to 7 1986

Black Baza	<u>A</u> and <u>B</u> . One pair, several times, displaying over the forest or sitting in trees along the road at <u>A</u> .
Rufous-bellied Eagle	1 immature at <u>A</u> .
Red-thighed Falconet	1 at <u>A</u> .
Red-winged Crested Cuckoo	1 at <u>A</u> .
Crested Tree Swift	common
Dollarbird	2 at <u>A</u> .
Pied Hornbill	several at <u>A</u> and <u>B</u> .
Blue-eared Barbet	1 or 2 at <u>B</u> .
Himalayan Goldenback	several at <u>A</u> and <u>B</u> .
Shama	common
Orange-headed Ground Thrush	1 at <u>A</u> .
Pale-billed Flowerpecker	2 at <u>B</u> .
Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	fairly common at <u>A</u> and <u>B</u> .
Ashy Woodswallow	several at <u>C</u> .
Hill Mynah	fairly common at <u>A</u> and <u>B</u> .

Squares, Used for coordinates: APA map ①

- indian pond heron Q7 ○ Several, along the Arun River, march 25-27
- black ✓ kite P7 ● 1, Phedi, march 23
- ✓ red-headed vulture Q7 ● several, Arun Valley, march 24-2
- black ✓ vulture ^{new way} P6 ● 1, south of Lobuche, march 10
- ✓ serpent eagle K6 ○ 1 pair ~~✓~~ and 1, along Manori Khola, november 20
- ✓ shikra ^{new way} Q7 ● 1 ♀, Irkhua Khola Valley, march 23, circling, excited
- ✓ black eagle P7 ● 1, between Sanam and Salapa Pass, march 22
- ✓ golden eagle P7 ● 1 immature, ^{between} Salapa Pass and Phedi, march 22
- ✓ mountain hawk-eagle P7 ● 1, Sanam, march 21
- ✓ osprey Q8 ● 1, north of Itahari, april 4
- common hill partridge P6 ○
✓
- at least 2 calling, Poiyan (between Surke and Kharte), march 5
- 2 calling and 1 ♀ sighted, Poiyan, march 18
- ✓ P7 ○
- several calling and 1 sighted, ~~near~~ around Sanam, march 21-22

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|-------------------------|----|---|--|
| ✓ Bengal florican | P8 | • | 1 ♀, "sand island", (like everybody else), april 3, breeding season? |
| great stone-plover ? | L6 | o | 1, Manora River, november 5,
Manora River |
| ✓ little pratincole | Q7 | • | several, Arun river at Tumlingtar, march 25 |
| red-wattled plover | Q7 | • | several, near Leguwa Ghat (south of Tumlingtar), march 21 |
| great black-headed gull | Q7 | o | 1, 1st winter, Arun, south of Tumlingtar, march 26 |
| brown-headed gull ✓ | Q7 | o | 1, Arun, south of Tumlingtar, march 26 |
| black-bellied tern ✓ | Q7 | • | several, Arun, ^{north and} south of Tumlingtar, march 26 |
| ✓ snow pigeon ✓ | P7 | o | Flock of 6 near Sanam, march 22 |
| red turtle dove ✓ | Q7 | o | several, also singing, Tumlingtar, march 25 & 26 |

Pacific swift

- P7 ^{1 bird seen} - ~~1~~ flock of about 15, east of Gudal, march 21
- 1 small flock, east of Saram, march 22

Savanna nightjar

- Q7 ^(1 bird) - several calling, Tumlingar, march 25
- 1 calling, Arun south of Tumlingar, march 26

For my owl

- P6 - 1 calling, Poyan, march 5

mountain scops owl

- P6 - 1 calling, Khark, march 18
- 1 calling, Galharka, march 19

red-winged crested cuckoo

- Q8 - 1, south of Dharan, april 7

blossom-headed parakeet

- Q7 - several, Tumlingar and south of Tumlingar, march 25-26

emerald dove

- Q7 ^(1 bird seen) - 1 sighted, near ~~the~~ confluence of Ikkua Khola and Arun, march 25

red turtle dove

- K6 - 2, south of Maghitar, ⁽³⁾ along Monari Khola, november 19
- P7 - several, ~~the~~ Phedi, march 23

- common kingfisher ✓ Q7 • 1, along Irkhua Khola, march 23
- pieb kingfisher ✓ Q7 • common, along the Arun, march 25-27
- great barbet ✓ P7 • common, Irkhua Khola Valley, march 23
- blue-throated barbet ✓ P7 • common in Irkhu Kh. Valley, march 23
- coppersmith barbet ✓ Q7 • common, calling from Tumlingtar south to Hile, march 25-27
- speckled piculet ✓ Q7 • 2, in a mixed flock, near the confluence of the Irkhua and Arun rivers, march 24
- greater yellownape ✓ K6 • 1 ♂, ~~two~~ two hours south of Majhitar, along Manori river, november 19
- darjeeling pieb woodpecker ✓ P7 • 1, east of Sanam, march 22
- crimson-breasted pieb woodp. ✓ N6 • 1, east of Yarsa, a few hours west of Jiri, february 3

- nepal house-martin ✓ P₇ • 1 Flock of about 100, Phedi, march 22
- grey wagtail ✓ P₇ • several, Irkhua Khola near Phedi, march 23
- large cuckoo-shrike ✓ N₆ • 3, near Kirantichhap, February 21
- ✓ Q₇ • 1, Tumlingtar, march 26
- scarlet minivet ✓ K₆ • 1 ♀, along Manari Khola, november 20
- black-crested bulbul ✓ Q₇ • 1, near confluence of Irkhua and Arun rivers, march 25
- white-cheeked bulbul ✓ P₇ • common, Phedi, march 23
 (NW sp.)
- mountain bulbul ✓ P₇ • 1, Phedi, march 23
- orange-bellied leafbird ✓ P₆ • 2 ♂♂ singing, between Manidingma and the Dudh Kosi march 5
- brown dipper ✓ K₆ • 2 ♀♀, along the Manari river, halfway between Majhitar and Manari Bazar, november 20
 flying in and out of holes, with food or nesting-material

Q7 ●

1 juvenile, along the Irkhu Khola, march 24

✓ maroon-backed accentor N6 0 2, west of Lamjura Pass, march 1

P6 0 several small parties, between Junbera and Namche, march 4-6, one party (about 3) close to Sallung

✓ rufous-breasted accentor P7 0 1, between Gudel and Sanam march 21

altai accentor P7 0 - one large flock, west of Sanam, march 21
- several, in Sanam, march 25

orange-flanked bush-robin ✓ P7 0 1, Sanam, march 22

golden bush-robin ✓ M6 0 1, near Lamosangu, February 2

magpie-robin ✓ (new sp) P6 0 1, Bung, march 21

blue-fronted redstart ✓ K6 0 several, north of Majhitar, november 18

✓ P7 0 several, between Gudel and Phedi march 21-22

plumbeous redstart ✓ P7 0 several, near Phedi, along Irkhu Khola, march 23

- common stonechat ✓ P6 • 1, Gudel, march 21
- grey bushchat ✓ K6 • several, ~~at~~ halfway between Majhitar and Monari Bazaar, november 20
- ✓ P6 •
 - 1 ♀, Kharte, march 18
 - at least 6, east of Kharte, march 19
 - common, between Gaikharika and Bung, march 20
- ^(New sp.) ✓ P7 •
 - several, between Gudel and Sanam, march 21
 - several, between Sanam and Phedi, march 22
- white-capped redstart ✓ P7 • several, near Phedi along Irkhua Khola, march 23
- chestnut-bellied rock-thrush ✓ P7 • 1 ♂, between Gudel and Sanam, march 21
- blue rock-thrush ✓ K6 • 1 ♀, south of Majhitar, november
- ✓ Q7 • 2 ♂♂ on Arun banks, north and south of Tumlingtar, march 25,
- blue whistling thrush ✓ P7 • several, near Phedi, march 23

- ✓ rain-backed mountain-thrush P7 • 1, Sanam, march 21 (8)
- ✓ long-billed thrush P6 • one pair, forest north of Kharte, ±2700 m, march 18
- tickell's thrush ✓ Q8 • 1 ♂, south of Dharan, april 5
- ✓ little forktail K6 • 1, Monari river, halfway between Majhitar and Monari Bazar, november 20 (very low!)
- ✓ P7 • 1, between Sanam and Salupa Pass, ~~±2700~~ ±3100 m, march 22
- ✓ grey-bellied tesia ✓ P7 • 1, in Phedi, march 22
- ✓ grey-sided bush-warbler ✓ P7 • 1, west of Sanam, march 2
- ✓ striated prinia ✓ K6 • at least 2, several hours north of Moanari Bazar, november 20
- ✓ P7 • several singing, from Phedi eastwards, march 23
- ✓ common tailorbird (always) ✓ P6 • 2 singing, Bung, march 21
- ✓ P7 • several, from Phedi eastwards, march 23

- golden-spectacled warbler P7 0 several, Phedi, march 23
- chestnut-crowned warbler P6 0 1, between Manidingma and Dudh Kosi, march 5
- grey-hooded warbler ✓ P6 • common, ~~as~~ I made no notes on observations, march
- (new sp.) P7 • I made no notes on observations march 21-23
- black-faced warbler ✓ P6 0 1 flock, Gaikharka, march 19
- blyth's crowned warbler ✓ P7 0 at least 1 ~~present~~ in flock, east of Sanam march 22
- green warbler ✓ Q7 0 1, Gorlekharka (NW of Hile), march 27 ~~present~~
- grey-faced leaf warbler ✓ P7 0 at least 1 ~~present~~, near Sanam, march 22
- goldcrest ✓ P7 0 at least 1 ~~present~~, in a flock between Salapa Pass and Phedi, march 22
- small niltava ✓ P7 0 1 ♂, east of ~~to~~ Phedi, march 23
- rufous-bellied niltava ✓ K6 0 1 ♂, south of Majhitar, november 10
- verditer flycatcher (new sp.) ✓ P7 • several, Phedi, march 23
- asian sooty flycatcher ✓ Q8 • 1, south of Dharan, april 7
- orange-gorgetted flycatcher ✓ P7 0 common, between Sanam and Phedi, march 22

grey-headed flycatcher ✓ P7 • ^(newly)

several, Phedi, march 23

yellow-bellied fantail ✓ P7 •

1, east of Sanam, march 22

paradise flycatcher ✓ Q7 •

2 ♂♂ in 3rd. year, along the Arun river, near Leguwa Ghat, march 27

lesser scaly-breasted wren-babbler

✓ P7 •

1 singing, east of Phedi, march 23

rufous-capped babbler ✓ P6 •

- 1 calling, between Kharte and Pangum, march 19



- 1 calling, Gaikharika, march 20

✓ P7 •

1 calling, Phedi, march 23

black-chinned babbler ✓ K6 •

at flock of at least 5, south of Majhitar, november 19

great parrotbill ✓ H4 •

1 pair, Ghasa, southern forest, december 22

white-throated laughing-thrush ✓ P7 •

1 flock, Sanam, march 21

white-crested " ✓ K6 •

2 flocks, south of Majhitar, november 19

spotted laughingthrush ✓ P7 •

1, Sanam, march 21

- caly laughingthrush P7 • 1 flock of about 5, Phedi, march 23
- black-headed strike-babbler ✓ P7 • 1 ♀ (+ probably 1 ♂), west of Sanam, march 21
- stripe-throated yuhina ✓ P7 • several, around Sanam, march 21/
- rufous-vented yuhina ✓ P7 • 1 flock, west of Sanam, march 21
- yellow-browed tit ✓ P7 • 1, east of Sanam, march 22
- grey-crested tit ✓ P7 • several, east of Sanam, march 2
- rufous-vented black tit ✓ P7 • several, Salapa Pass, march 22
- spot-winged " " H4 • two times several in mixed flocks at Ghasa, december 21-22
- great tit ✓ P6 • several, Bung, march 21
- green-backed tit ✓ P7 • common, Sanam-Phedi, march 22/2
- black-lored tit ✓ P6 • 1, Bung, march 21
- new sp. ✓ P7 • common, Phedi, march 23
- white-tailed nuthatch ✓ P6 • common, I made no notes, march
- ✓ P7 • certainly around Sanam, I made no notes, march 22/23

rusty-flanked treecreeper ✓ P6 ○ several in mixed flock, near Sallung, march 4

~~thick-billed sunbird~~

~~Phedi~~

crimson sunbird ✓ P7 ○ 1 ♂, Phedi, march 23

✓ Q7 ○ several, Tumlingtar, march 26

thick-billed flowerpecker ✓ Q7 ○ 1, below Gorlekharika (NW of Hile), march 27

~~thick-billed flowerpecker~~

plain flowerpecker ✓ Q7 ○ 1-2, Tumlingtar, march 26, Feeding young

buff-bellied flowerpecker ✓ P7 ○ several, Phedi, march 23

~~maroon oriole~~

~~Phedi~~

maroon oriole ✓ P7 ○ 1 ♀, Phedi, march 23

grey-backed shrike ✓ KB ○ 1, halfway between Majhitar and Monari Bazar, november 20

bronzed drongo ^{10W84} ✓ P7 ○ several, east of Phedi, march 2

✓ Q7 ○ several, near confluence of Irkhua and Arun rivers, march 2

spangled drongo ✓ P7 ○ several, in Irkhua Khola valle, also close to Phedi, march 2

- eurasian jay ✓ P6 • 2, near Gaikharika, march 19
- yellow-billed blue magpie ✓ P7 • 2, Sanam, march 21
- red-billed " " ✓ Q8 • a flock of 8, south of Dharan, april 7
- green magpie ✓ K6 • 1, south of Majhitar, november
- grey treepie ✓ P7 • several, Phedi, march 23
- chestnut-tailed starling ✓ P6 • at least 10, Bung, march 21
- brahminy starling ✓ K7 • 1, Phatalaia. (near Simra airport) april 8
- bank mynah ✓ Q8 • at least 20, Itahari (south of Dharan), april 4-7
- jungle mynah ✓ Q8 ○ abundant, forest edge north of Itahari, april 6, flying in and out of holes in trees, carrying ~~small~~ things
- yellow-throated sparrow ✓ Q7 • several, near Leguwa Ghat, march 27
- tibetan snowfinch ✓ P6 • at least 2, Gorak Shep, march 1. see description.

red avadavat L6 o

1 ♂, Kathmandu, november 11,
probably an escaped bird

scaly-breasted munia ✓ M6 o

small flock, Lamosangu, february 2

yellow-breasted greenfinch ✓ K6 o

flock of at least 10, halfway betwe
Majhitar and Monari Bazar, november

gold-naped finch ✓ P6 o

flock of 4 (2 ♂♂ + 2 ♀♀) and 2 ♀♀
in Gaijharka, below Surkie La,
Dhankuta Trek, march 20

crested bunting ✓ P7 o

Phedi, 1, march 23

List of Species

For locality abbreviations:
see last two pages

Little Grebe	Ko
Great Crested Grebe	Ko
Great Cormorant	HT, Ch, Ko, Dh(pr.)
Little Cormorant	Ko, Dh
Darter	Ko
Spot-billed Pelican	Ko
Black-crowned Night Heron	Me, Ko(pr.)
Green-backed Heron	Sau
Indian Pond Heron	KV, HT, Ko, Dh
Cattle Egret	KV, Ko, Dh
Little Egret	KV, HT, Ko, Dh
Intermediate Egret	Ch, Ko
Great Egret	Ch, Ko
Grey Heron	Me, Ko, Dh
Purple Heron	Ko
Asian Openbill Stork	Ch, Ko
Black Stork	Sau
Woolly-necked Stork	MT, HT, Ch, Ko, Dh
Black-necked Stork	Ko
Greater Adjutant Stork	Ko
Lesser Adjutant Stork	Ch, Ko, Dh
Red-naped Ibis	Ch, Ko, Dh
Oriental White Ibis	Ko
Eurasian Spoonbill	Ko
Lesser Whistling Duck	Ko
Ruddy Shelduck	HT, Ch, Ko
Cotton Pygmy Goose	Ko
Eurasian Wigeon	Ko
Falcatad Duck	Ko
Gadwall	Ko
Common Teal	Ma, Me, Ko
Spotbill	Ko
Northern Pintail	Sau, Ko
Garganey	Ko
Northern Shoveler	Ko
Red-crested Pochard	Ko
Common Pochard	Ko

Ferruginous Duck	Ko
Tufted Duck	Ko
Goosander	HT, Ch
Black Baza	Dh
Crested Honey Buzzard	Pu, SAT, Sau, Dh
Black-shouldered Kite	Na, Ko, Dh
Black Kite	+
Brahminy Kite	Ko
Pallas's Fish Eagle	Ko
White-tailed Eagle, probably	Ko
Grey-headed Fishing Eagle	Sau
Egyptian Vulture	Po, Ch, Ko
Lammergeier	AT, LT, Kh
Oriental White-backed Vulture	+
Long-billed Vulture	KV, HT?, Na, Ko
Himalayan Griffon Vulture	KV, AT, LT, HT
Eurasian Griffon Vulture	KV, Pö(pr.), HT, Na, Sau
Red-headed Vulture	AT, HT
Eurasian Black Vulture	Po, KGV, Kh, Sau, Ko, Te
Short-toed Eagle	Me
Crested Serpent Eagle	MT, LT, HT, Dh
Eurasian Marsh Harrier	Ch, Ko
Hen Harrier	AT, MT, LT, Ch, Ko
Pied Harrier	Ko
Northern Goshawk	AS
Besra, probably	Gh
Northern Sparrowhawk	AT
Shikra	HT, Dh
White-eyed Buzzard	HT
Common Buzzard	KV, AT, MT, LT
Long-legged Buzzard	Ma, Sau
White-eyed Buzzard, probably	
Black Eagle	KV, SAT, San
Steppe Eagle	+
Golden Eagle	AS, Gh, UKGV, HT
Booted Eagle	KV, Po
Bonelli's Eagle	SAT, KGV
Rufous-bellied Eagle	Dh
Mountain Hawk-eagle	AT, KV, Na , San
Osprey	Ch, Ko, Dh

Red-thighed Falconet	HT, Dh
Common Kestrel	+
Red-necked Falcon	Ko
Amur Falcon	KV
Eurasian Hobby	Pu
Peregrine	KV, Na, Sau, Ko
Snow Partridge	AS
Tibetan Snowcock	Kh
Chukar Partridge	UKGV
Black Francolin	Ko
Common Hill Partridge	Pu, SAT, Gh, LT, San
Blood Pheasant	Kh
Koklass Pheasant	Gh
Himalayan Monal	Gh, LT, Kh
Red Junglefowl	Sau, Dh, Ph
Kalij Pheasant	Pu, Na, SAT, LT, Kh
Cheer Pheasant	Gh
Blue Peafowl	Ch
Baillon's Crake	Ko
Ruddy-breasted Crake	Ko
Brown Crake	Me
White-breasted Waterhen	Sau, Ko
Common Moorhen	Ko
Purple Gallinule	Ko
Common Coot	KV
Bengal Florican	Ko
Pheasant-tailed Jacana	Ko
Bronze-winged Jacana	Ko
Ibisbill	MT
Northern Stone-curlew	Ko, Dh
Great Stone-plover	Ma
Little Pratincole	HT, Ch, Ko
Little Ringed Plover	KV, Po, MT, Me, Ko
Kentish Plover	Me
Lesser Golden Plover	Ko
River Plover	MT, HT, Ch
Grey-headed Plover	Ma, Ko
Red-wattled Plover	+
Northern Lapwing	Ma

Little Stint, <i>probably</i>	Ma, Me
Temminck's Stint	Ma, Ch, Ko
Dunlin	Me
Common Snipe	KV(pr.), Ko
Pintail Snipe	Ko
Solitary Snipe	Mu
Eurasian Curlew	Ko
Common Redshank	Ma, Ch, Ko
Marsh Sandpiper, <i>probably</i>	Me
Common Greenshank	Ma, Ch, Ko, Dh
Green Sandpiper	Ma, Mu, Sau, Ko
Wood Sandpiper	Ko
Common Sandpiper	KV, MT, HT, Ch, Ko
Great Black-headed Gull	HT, Ch, Ko
Common Black-headed Gull	Ko
Brown-headed Gull	HT, Ko
Gull-billed Tern	Ko
Caspian Tern	Ko
River Tern	Ko
Black-bellied Tern	HT, Me, Ko, Dh
Little Tern	Ko
Rock Pigeon	KGV
Hill Pigeon	UKGV
Snow Pigeon	SAT, UKGV, LT, Kh, HT
Common Woodpigeon	SAT
Speckled Woodpigeon	Pu, Gok, SAT
Ashy Woodpigeon	Gok
Eurasian Collared Dove	Ch, Ko
Red Turtle Dove	HT, Dh
Oriental Turtle Dove	+
Spotted Dove	KV, HT, Ch, Ko, Dh
Barred Cuckoo-dove	Pu
Emerald Dove	HT
Yellow-footed Green Pigeon, <i>probably</i>	Sau
Wedge-tailed Green Pigeon	Pu
Alexandrine Parakeet	Ch
Ring-necked Parakeet	Ch, Ko, Dh
Slaty-headed Parakeet	SAT
Blossom-headed Parakeet	HT, Ch, Dh
Moustached Parakeet	Dh

Red-winged Crested Cuckoo	Dh
Common Hawk-cuckoo	HT, Dh
Large Hawk-cuckoo	Pu
Indian Cuckoo	God, Dh
Common Cuckoo	KV, HT, Dh
Oriental Cuckoo	Pu
Common Koel	+
Green-billed Malkoha	HT
Greater Coucal	Ch, Ko
Mountain Scops Owl	Pu, LT, HT
Northern Eagle Owl	Nag, MT
Dusky Eagle Owl, probably	Sau
Collared Owlet	+
Jungle Owlet	Ch
Asian Barred Owlet	God, SAT, Dh(pr.)
Spotted Little Owl	Ma, Nar, Ko
Brown Wood Owl	Nag, Gok
Tawny Owl	Gh, LT
Savanna Nightjar	HT
Large-tailed Nightjar	Gok, HT, Dh
Jungle Nightjar	KV, LT, HT
Himalayan Swiftlet	KGV, LT, HT
White-rumped Needletail	Nar
White-vented Needletail	Ph
Pacific Swift	Pu, Kh, San
Alpine Swift	HT, Ko, Dh
Little Swift	KV, HT, Dh
Asian Palm Swift	Dh
Crested Tree Swift	Sau, Dh
White-breasted Kingfisher	+
Stork-billed Kingfisher	Sau
Common Kingfisher	+
Pied Kingfisher	Ch, Ko
Crested Kingfisher	Bi, MT
Green Bee-eater	Sau, Ko, Dh
Blue-tailed Bee-eater	Ko, Dh
Chestnut-headed Bee-eater	Gok, Tr, HT, Dh, Ph
Indian Roller	HT, Ko, Dh
Dollarbird	Dh

Hoopoe	KV, Sau, Ko, Dh
Indian Grey Hornbill	Te
Oriental Pied Hornbill	Sau, Dh
Great Barbet	+
Lineated Barbet	Ch, Dh
Golden-throated Barbet	Pu, SAT, MKV
Blue-throated Barbet	+
Blue-eared Barbet	Dh
Coppersmith Barbet	KV, Tr, HT, Ko, Dh
Orange-rumped Honeyguide	KGV
Eurasian Wryneck	Ko
Speckled Piculet	KV, SAT, HT
Rufous Woodpecker	KV, Sau
Lesser Yellow-naped Woodpecker	Gok(pr.), LT, Dh
Greater Yellow-naped Woodpecker	God, MT, HT, Dh
Grey-headed Woodpecker	+
Scaly-bellied Green Woodpecker	SAT
Himalayan Golden-backed Woodpecker	Sau, Dh
Lesser Golden-backed Woodpecker	Sau, Dh
Greater Golden-backed Woodpecker	Mo
Bay Woodpecker, probably	SAT, KGV
Darjeeling Pied Woodpecker	SAT, San
Crimson-breasted Pied Woodpecker	KGV, LT
Brown-fronted Pied Woodpecker, probably	MT
Fulvous-breasted Pied Woodpecker	KV, Po, Dh
Bengal Bushlark	Sau, Ko
Ashy-crowned Finch Lark	Sau, Ko
Greater Short-toed Lark, probably	Ko
Sandlark	Ch, Ko
Oriental Skylark	Ma, Me, Ko
Horned Lark	Kh
Brown-throated Sand Martin	Gok, Po, HT, Ch, Ko, Dh
Crag Martin	SAT, Gh, LT
Barn Swallow	+
Red-rumped Swallow	+
Nepal House-martin	AT, MT, HT
Asian House-martin	AT(pr.), Kh
Richard's Pipit (<i>A.n.rufulus</i>)	+
Blyth's Pipit, probably	Ko
Olive-backed Pipit	+

Rosy Pipit	Po, Ko
Upland Pipit	Gh
Yellow Wagtail	KV?, LT(pr.), Me, Ko
Citrine Wagtail	Ma, Ch, Ko
Grey Wagtail	+
White Wagtail	+
White-browed Wagtail	KV, Po, MT, HT, Ch, Ko
Common Woodshrike	Dh
Large Woodshrike	Dh
Bar-winged Flycatcher-shrike	Gok, God, MT, HT, Dh
Black-winged Cuckoo-shrike	KV, Tr, Dh
Large Cuckoo-shrike	KV, LT, HT, Ch, Dh
Scarlet Minivet	+
Short-billed Minivet, probably	MT
Long-tailed Minivet	+
Striated Bulbul	Pu, Th Th
Black-crested Bulbul	HT, Dh
Red-whiskered Bulbul	Sau, Ko, Dh
White-cheeked Bulbul	+
Red-vented Bulbul	+
Mountain Bulbul	KV, SAT, Th , HT, Th
Ashy Bulbul	HT
Black Bulbul	+
Common Iora	HT, Dh
Golden-fronted Leafbird	Dh
Orange-bellied Leafbird	Gok, Pu, LT, HT
Brown Dipper	+
Northern Wren	AT, LT, Kh, HT?
Maroon-backed Accentor	KGV, Gh, LT, HT
Rufous-breasted Accentor	Gh, Kh, HT
Brown Accentor	UKGV
Robin Accentor	UKGV, Kh
Altai Accentor	AT, LT, Kh, HT
Alpine Accentor	AS, KGV, LT, Kh
Siberian Rubythroat	KV
Bluethroat	Me, Ko
White-tailed Rubythroat	Nag
Indian Blue Robin	Pu
Orange-flanked Bush-robin	+
Golden Bush-robin	LT
White-browed Bush-robin	MKV, LT

Rufous-breasted Bush-robin	UKV
Asian Magpie-robin	+
White-rumped Shama	Sau, Dh
Rufous-backed Redstart	UKGV
Blue-capped Redstart	SAT, KGV
Black Redstart	AT(pr.), Ko, Dh
Hodgson's Redstart	+
Blue-fronted Redstart	+
White-throated Redstart	AT, LT, Kh
Güldenstadt's Redstart	UKGV, Kh
Plumbeous Redstart	+
White-tailed Robin	Nag, Pu
Grandala	AS
Common Stonechat	+
White-tailed Stonechat	Me
Hodgson's Bushchat	Ko
Pied Bushchat	KV, LT(pr.), HT, Ko
Grey Bushchat	Pu, Bi, MT, LT, HT
White-capped Redstart	+
Blue-capped Rock-thrush	HT
Chestnut-bellied Rock-thrush	Gok, Pu, LT, HT
Blue Rock-thrush	KGV, MT, HT, Ko
Blue Whistling Thrush	+
Plain-backed Mountain Thrush	SAT, HT
Long-tailed Mountain Thrush	SAT, HT(pr.)
Scaly Thrush	KV
Long-billed Thrush	LT
Orange-headed Ground Thrush	Dh
Tickell's Thrush	Gok, Pu, Dh
White-collared Blackbird	SAT, HT
Grey-winged Blackbird	Pu, SAT
Eurasian Blackbird	Kh
Chestnut Thrush	SAT
Dark-throated Thrush	AT, LT, Kh, HT
Little Forktail	+
Black-backed Forktail	Po
Slaty-backed Forktail	SAT, MT, HT
Spotted Forktail	+
Chestnut-headed Tesia	Pu
Grey-bellied Tesia	Pu, HT
Aberrant Bush Warbler	Nag, Gh

Paddyfield Warbler, probably	Ko
Grey-sided Bush Warbler	San
Fantail Cisticola	LT, Ko
Graceful Prinia	Ko
Plain Prinia	Me(pr.), Ko
Ashy Prinia, probably	Sau
Yellow-bellied Prinia	Ko
Striated Prinia	AT, MT, HT
Common Tailorbird	
Common Tailorbird	+
Striated Marsh Warbler	Ko
Blyth's Reed Warbler	HT(pr.), Ko, Dh
Clamorous Reed Warbler	Ko
Thick-billed Warbler	Sau
Golden-spectacled Warbler	+
Chestnut-crowned Warbler	Pu, LT, HT
Grey-hooded Warbler	+
Black-faced Warbler	Pu, SAT, HT , HT, Th
Yellow-faced Leaf Warbler	HT
Blyth's Crowned Warbler	KV, Po, LT, HT, Ko
Green Warbler	Gok, HT
Greenish Warbler	KV?, SAT, HT?, Ko
Orange-barrred Leaf Warbler	KV, AT, MT
Grey-faced Leaf Warbler	KV, AT, LT, HT
Pallas's Leaf Warbler	+
Yellow-browed Warbler	KV, HT?
Dusky Warbler	Pu, Sau, Ko
Smoky Warbler	Ko
Tickell's Warbler	SAT, HT, Ko
Chiffchaff	KV, UKGV
Goldcrest	Gh, LT, HT
Stoliczka's Tit-warbler	UKGV
Small Niltava	Nag, Bi, MT, HT
Rufous-bellied Niltava	KV, Bi, MT, HT
Pale-chinned Flycatcher	Dh
Blue-throated Blue Flycatcher	Gok, Dh
Verditer Flycatcher	KV, HT
Asian Sooty Flycatcher	KV, Dh
Slaty-blue Flycatcher	Gok, God, Bi
Ultramarine Flycatcher	HT
Orange-gorgetted Flycatchers	+
Red-breasted Flycatcher	+

Grey-headed Flycatcher	+
Yellow-bellied Fantail	+
White-throated Fantail	Pu, Po, Gh, LT, Ko
Asian Paradise Flycatcher	HT
Puff-throated Babbler	Nag, HT, Sau
Rusty-cheeked Scimitar-babbler	+
Streak-breasted Scimitar-babbler	+
Slender-billed Scimitar-babbler	MKV
Lesser Scaly-breasted Wren-babbler	Pu, HT
Rufous-capped Babbler	HT
Black-chinned Babbler	+
Grey-throated Babbler	Pu
Striped Tit-babbler	HT, Sau, Dh
Red-capped Babbler	Sau
Great Parrotbill	MKV, Gh
Black-throated Parrotbill, <i>probably</i>	MKV
Striated Babbler	Sau, Ko
Jungle Babbler	HT, Ch, Ko
White-throated Laughingthrush	+
White-capped Laughingthrush	KV, MT, HT
Striated Laughingthrush	Pu, Th Th
Variiegated Laughingthrush	SAT, KGV
Rufous-chinned Laughingthrush	Pu
Spotted Laughingthrush	Gh, San
Grey-sided Laughingthrush	Pu
Streaked Laughingthrush	AT, LT, Kh, HT
Scaly Laughingthrush	MKV, LT, HT
Black-faced Laughing-thrush	AT, LT, Kh, HT
Chestnut-crowned Laughing-thrush	KV, AT
Red-billed Leiothrix	KV
Cutia, <i>probably</i>	Pu
Black-headed Shrike-babbler	MKV, San
White-browed Shrike-babbler	Pu, KGV
Green Shrike-babbler	AT, LT
Hoary Barwing	SAT, LT, HT
Blue-winged Minla	HT
Chestnut-tailed Minla	+
Red-tailed Minla	HT
Golden-breasted Fulvetta	MKV
Rufous-winged Fulvetta	KV, LT, HT

White-browed Fulvetta	+
Nepal Fulvetta	KV
Black-capped Siberia	+
Whiskered Yuhina	Pu, AT, LT, HT
Stripe-throated Yuhina	Pu, AT, LT, HT
Rufous-vented Yuhina	Pu, AT, LT, HT
White-bellied Yuhina	Gok
Black-throated Tit	+
Yellow-browed Tit	Pu, AT, LT, HT
Grey-crested Tit	AT, Kh, HT
Rufous-naped Black Tit, probably	MKV
Rufous-vented Black Tit	AT, LT, Kh, HT
Spot-winged Black Tit	Gh
Coal Tit	AT, Kh, HT
Great Tit	KV, HT, Nar, Dh
Green-backed Tit	+
Black-lored Tit	KV, AT, LT, HT
Velvet-fronted Nuthatch	Gok, God, Po, MT, Dh
White-tailed Nuthatch	+
Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch	Gok, God, MT, HT, Dh
Wallcreeper	AT, MT, LT
Brown-throated Treecreeper	Pu, God, SAT
Bar-tailed Treecreeper	Gh
Rusty-flanked Treecreeper	AT, LT
Common Treecreeper	Gh(pr.), LT(pr.), Kh
Purple Sunbird	HT, Ko
Mrs Gould's Sunbird, probably	Pu
Green-tailed Sunbird	KV, AT, LT, HT
Black-throated Sunbird	Gh, HT(pr.)
Crimson Sunbird	Po, MT, HT
Fire-tailed Sunbird	Pu, AT, , LT, HT, Th
Thick-billed Flowerpecker	HT
Pale-billed Flowerpecker	Dh
Plain Flowerpecker	SAT(pr.), HT
Buff-bellied Flowerpecker	+
Oriental White-eye	KV, MT, LT, HT, Sau
Maroon Oriole	Pu, HT
Black-hooded Oriole	Ch, Dh
Eurasian Golden Oriole	KV, Ko(pr.)

Brown Shrike	KV, MT, Sau, Ko, Dh
Long-tailed Shrike	+
Grey-backed Shrike	KV, KGV, MT, HT, Ko, Dh(pr.)
Black Drongo	+
Ashy Drongo	KV, SAT, HT
White-bellied Drongo	Ch, Dh
Bronzed Drongo	KV, Po, MT, HT, Mo, Dh
Lesser Racket-tailed Drongo	Pu
Spangled Drongo	HT, Ch, Dh
Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	Dh
Ashy Woodswallow	Dh
Eurasian Jay	Pu, MKV, HT
Lanceolated Jay	Pu, Th Th
Yellow-billed Blue Magpie	AT, LT, Kh, HT
Red-billed Blue Magpie	God, Nag, MT, LT, HT, Dh
Green Magpie	Po, MT, HT
Rufous Treepie	Po, Ch, Ko
Grey Treepie	+
Eurasian Nutcracker	SAT, KGV, LT, Kh, HT
Alpine Chough	AS, Kh
Red-billed Chough	KGV, Kh
House Crow	KV, LT, Ko
Jungle Crow	+
Common Raven	UKGV
Spot-winged Stare	Tr, HT
Chestnut-tailed Starling	HT, Ph
Brahminy Starling	Ph
Asian Pied Starling	Sau, Ko, Dh
Common Mynah	+
Bank Mynah	KV, Ko, Dh
Jungle Mynah	KV, Tr, Mo, Ko, Dh
Hill Mynah	Dh
House Sparrow	KV, AT?, LT?, HT, Ko, Dh
Cinnamon Sparrow	AT
Eurasian Tree Sparrow	KV, KGV, LT, Kh, HT
Yellow-throated Sparrow	HT
Tibetan Snowfinch	Kh
Black-breasted Weaver	Ko
Streaked Weaver	Ko

Red Avadavat	KV, Ch
Striated Munia	Bi, HT
Scaly-breasted Munia	KV, LT, Sau
Common Chaffinch	KGV
Red-fronted Serin	UKGV
Tibetan Serin	God
Yellow-breasted Greenfinch	KV, KGV, MT
Common Crossbill	UKGV
Plain Mountain-finch	AT, Kh
Brandt's Mountain-finch	Kh
Crimson Rosefinch	SAT
Dark-breasted Rosefinch	Gh, LT , LT, HT, Th
Common Rosefinch	KV, God, SAT
Beautiful Rosefinch	AT, LT, Kh
Pink-browed Rosefinch	Pu, Gh
Spot-winged Rosefinch	AT
White-browed Rosefinch	AS, Kh
Crimson-eared Rosefinch	UKGV
Spot-crowned Rosefinch	Kh
Red-breasted Rosefinch	AS
Crimson-browed Finch	SAT
Gold-naped Finch	HT
Red-headed Bullfinch	MKV, SAT, LT, Kh
Spot-winged Grosbeak	KV, SAT
White-winged Grosbeak	Kh
Black-faced Bunting	Ko
Pine Bunting	KGV
Rock Bunting	KGV
Little Bunting	LT, HT
Yellow-breasted Bunting	Ko
Crested Bunting	KV, Po, Tr, LT, HT, Sau

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Locality Abbreviations, for the List of Species

NEPAL

oktober 31 1985 - januar 9 1986

february 28 - april 20 1986

KV = Kathmandu Valley, november 2 - april 20

Pu = Pulchowki, november 4,6,8,10; januar 7; april 17-19

God = Godaveri, , , , , ,

Gok = Gokarna, november 2,13,27; april 20

Nag = Nagarjung, november 7, 9; januar 5, 8; april 16

Ma = Manora river, november 5, 14, 15

Th = Thankot forest, downtown Chitang, november 16-17

AT = Annapurna Trek, december 3 - januar 2

Po = Pokhara, including Dhampus Ridge and Suikhet,
december 2-4, januar 2

SAT = Southern Annapurna Trek (Dhampus to Chomro, Chomro to
Ghorepani, Ghorepani to Suikhet), december

Bi = Birethante, januar 1

MKV = Madi Khola Valley, downtown Chomro, december 7-13

AS = Annapurna Sanctuary, december 8-11

KGV = Kali Gandaki Valley, from Ghorepani to Muktinath,
december 16-30

Gh = Ghasa, december 19-22

UKGV = Upper Kali Gandaki Valley, from halfway Kalopani and
Landrung to Muktinath, december 23-28

Mu = Muktinath, december 25-26

MT = Monari Trek, from Chitang (south of Thankot, KV) to Monari
Bazaar (betw. Narayanghat and Hetauda),
november 17-20

Tr = Trisuli, april 14-15

LT = Lukla Trek, Lamosangu to Lukla, february 28-march 6 and march 16-19

Kh = Khumbu, north of Lukla, march 6-16

HT = Hile Trek, from Kharte to Hile (near Dhankuta), march 19-28

San = around Sanam (west of Salapa Pass), march 21-22

Ch = Chitwan, november 21 - december 1
Nar € around Narayanghat, november 24-25
Me = Meghauli, november 21-23
Sa = Sauraha, november 28-30
Mo = Monari, south of Monari Bazaar, december 1

Ko = Kosi Barrage, march 29-april 4 and april 7

Dh = south of Dharan, april 4-7

Ph = ^Phatalaia (near Simra Airport) , april 8

Te = Terai, between Kosi and Phatalaia, april 8

Others

pr. = probably; observed, but not with certainty
 ? = no notes made; possibly observed
 + = observed in many localities

NEPAL, More Interesting Observations

Spot-billed Pelican	flock of 6, Kosi, march 30
Black Stork	13, Sauraha, november 29-30
Greater Adjutant	2, Kosi, march 30 - april 3
Spoonbill	about 75, Kosi, march 31
Falcated Duck	1 male, Kosi, april 1
Black Baza	1 pair, south of Dharan, april 4-6, displaying
Black Kite	flock of 9, between Dingboche and Tengboche (about 4400 m.), march 15, coming from the north
Pallas's Fishing Eagle	1 ad., Kosi, march 29 - april 4
White-tailed Eagle	1, not with certainty, Kosi, march 29 - april 4
Grey-headed Fishing Eagle	1, Sauraha, november 29
Lammergeier	1, low over the center of Pokhara, december 3
Eurasian Griffon	2, Kathmandu, april 16
Eurasian Black Vulture	1, Khumbu, south of Lobuche, flying at 4900 m. !, came from the north and disappeared westward, march 10
Short-toed Eagle	1, Meghauli, november 22
Pied Harrier	several males, Kosi, march 29 - april 4, flying over the river at dusk, direction NE

- Ibisbill.. flock of 6, near Monari Bazaar (between Narayanghat and Hetauda), several km.s north along the river, november 20
- Q Great Stone-plover 1, Manora River (KV), november 5
- Grey-headed Lapwing 2, Kosi, near Eastern Dam, march 30
- Northern Lapwing - flock of 12, Manora fields, november 5
- flock of 14, ,, ,, ,, , november 14
- Little Stint - at least 1, not with certainty, Manora, november 5
- 1, not with certainty, Meghauri, nov. 22
- Dunlin - 2, Meghauri, november 22
- Redshank - 2, Manora, november 15
- several, Meghauri, november 21-23
- 1, Sauraha, november 28
- 1-2, Kosi, march 30
- Common Woodpigeon 1, Ghorepani Pass, december 31, flying westward
- Speckled Woodpigeon - flock of 20, Himalkyo (between Landrung and Chomro, Ann. Trek), december 5
- flock of 8, Chomro, december 7
- 3 flocks totalling about 100, around Chomro, december 14
- flock of about 50, Pulchowki, january 7
- flock of about 50, Gokarna, april 20
- Ashy Woodpigeon flock of 3, Gokarna, november 2
- Barred Cuckoo-dove 1, Pulchowki, april 19, calling, see description
- Wedge-tailed Green Pigeon 1, Pulchowki, april 19, singing
- Red-winged Crested Cuckoo 1, south of Dharan, april 7

- Northern Eagle Owl - 1, Nagarjung, november 7, calling at dusk
 - 1, Palung (between Naubise and Hetauda), november 17, calling after dusk
- Dusky Eagle Owl 1, Sauraha (behind Elephant Camp), november 29, calling at dusk, but only twice and far away, so not with certainty; I heard it before at Bharatpur
- Brown Fish Owl 1 possibly, Gokarna, november 2; during daytime I chased a big owl out of small trees SW of the lake
- Brown Wood Owl - 1, Nagarjung, november 9, calling, see description
 - 1, Gokarna, november 13, calling
- Large-tailed Nightjar 1, Gokarna (just outside), april 20, calling
- White-rumped Needletail flock of 10, several km.s west of Narayanghat, november 24
- White-vented Needletail at least 1, Phatalaia (close to Simra airport), april 8
- Palm Swift 6, Dharan, april 6;
- Stork-billed Kingfisher 1, Sauraha, november 29
- Dollarbird 2, south of Dharan, april 7
- Golden-throated Barbet - 1, near Chomro (Ann. Trek), december 6
 - 1, Madi Khola Valley, 2300 m., december 7
 - flock of at least 5, Pulchowki ravine, january 7
 - at least 2 calling, Pulchowki ravine, april 19

- Blue-eared Barbet 1, possibly 2, south of Dharan, april 5
- Rufous Woodpecker 1, Nagarjung, april 16, loudly hammering on bamboo, below the park entrance
- Bay Woodpecker On the next two occasions I heard what I suspect were Bay Woodpeckers (see description):
 - 1, close to Tadopani (between Chomro and Ghorepani), december 14
 - 2, between Chitre and Sikha, december 17
- Short-toed Lark spec. flock of at least 10, Kosi, april 3
- Striated Bulbul - at least 1, Pulchowki, november 8
 - 1, Thankot forest, november 16
 - 1, Pulchowki, april 19
- Rufous-breasted Bush-robin -1 male, Madi Khola Valley, near Green-View Lodge, december 7
 -1 or 2 males and 1 female, same place, december 12-13
- Rufous-backed Redstart 1 male, near Tukche, december 24
- Güldenstadt's Redstart - 7 males and 1 female, Khumbu, close to Pheriche, march 10
 - common, from Lobuche up to Kala Pattar, march 11-13, sometimes singing
- White-tailed Robin - 2 males, Nagarjung, january 8-9
 - 1 male, Pulchowki ravine, april 18
- Grandala - 2 flocks of 10-12, Ann. Sanctuary, 4000 m., december 9
 - 1 flock, above Expedition B.C., Ann. Sanct. about 4400 m., december 11
- Eurasian Blackbird a flock of 5-6 and a flock of 3, between Namche Bazaar and Tengboche, march 8

- Chestnut Thrush 1 male, Potana, between Dhampus and Landrung, december 4
- Grey-bellied Tesia at least 5, Pulchowki ravine, april 17-19, all singing
- Thick-billed Warbler 1, Sauraha, near Park entrance, november 30
- Yellow-faced Leaf Warbler 1, near the Arun river, west side, north of Tumlingtar ~~UNIDENTIFIED~~, march 25
- Chiffchaff 1, in a garden at Marpha, december 24, before the storm of december 26-27
- Green Warbler - 1, in orchard at Gorlekharka, near Hile, march 27
- at least 1, Gokarna, april 20
- Puff-throated Babbler 2, Nagarjung, january 9
- Slender-billed Scimitar-babbler
- 1, on the north side of Chomro, december 7
- 1, Madi Khola Valley, december 8, seen by someone else, who gave a good description
- 1, Madi Khola Valley, december 13
- Great Parrotbill
- 2, Madi Khola Valley, december 7
- 2, ,, ,, ,, ,, , december 8, not the same ones
- 2, Ghasa, december 22, southern forest
- Rufous-chinned Laughing-thrush several, Pulchowki, november 4
- Grey-sided Laughingthrush - flock of at least 4, Pulchowki, november 6
- 2, pulchowki ravine, april 18, noisy
- Black-headed Shrike-babbler
- 1 pair, Madi Khola Valley, 2300 m., dec. 13
- 1 female, and probably 1 male, west of Sanam (Hile Trek), march 21

- Golden-breasted Fulvetta 5-7, Madi Khola Valley, near Green-View Lodge, december 13, in a flock with 3 White-browed Fulvettas
- Rufous-naped Black Tit 1, Madi Khola Valley, 2400 m., december 13, see description
- Spot-winged Black Tit two times several of this species in mixed flocks at Ghasa, december 21-22
- Black-throated Sunbird 1 male, Ghasa, december 21
- Thick-billed Flowerpecker 1, below Gorlekharka, near Hile, march 27
- Pale-billed Flowerpecker 2 together, south of Dharan, april 6
- Plain Flowerpecker 1-2, Tumlingtar, march 26, feeding young
- Maroon Oriole 1 female, Phedi, Hile Trek, march 23
- Lesser Tacket-tailed Drongo
 - 2, Pulchowki ravine, april 17
 - 2-4, Pulchowki, along the road, april 19
- Greater Racket-tailed Drongo 7, south of Dharan, april 4-7
- Lanceolated Jay
 - at least 2, Pulchowki, november 6
 - at least 2, Thankot forest, november 16
- Spot-winged Stare
 - fairly common, Arun Valley, Tumlingtar to Mangmaya (near Hile), march 26-27
 - at least 40, south of Trisuli, april 14
- Brahminy Starling 1, Phatalaia, near Simra airport, april 8
- Tibetan Snowfinch at least 2, Gorak Shep, march 12-13, see description
- Streaked Weaver flock of at least 10, Kosi, near Pink Tower, april 3,4 and 7

Red Avadavat	1 male, Kathmandu, november 11, possibly escaped
Common Chaffinch	1 female near Lete, 1 female at Ghasa, december 29, after the storm of dec. 26-27
Tibetan Serin	many, Botanical Gardens, january 7
Crossbill	flock of about 20, near suspension bridge south of Larjung, december 23
Crimson Rosefinch	2-3 males and 1 female, near the lodge at Deorali, on the ridge east of Ghorepani, december 15
Spot-crowned Rosefinch	1 pair, Everest B.C., 5350 m., march 14
Red-breasted Rosefinch	- several females, Annapurna Sanctuary, 4000 m., south of the glacier, dec. 9-10 - several, also males, Ann. Sanct., 4400 m., above Expedition B.C., december 11
Gold-naped Finch	flock of 4 (2 males and 2 females) and 2 females, Gaikharka, Hile Trek, march 20
Spot-winged Grosbeak	- about 3, not with certainty, Pulchowki, somewhere in november - 2, Sheopuri, november 12 - flock of 8, near nimaikyo, south of Chomro, Ann. Trek, december 6
Black-faced Bunting	- 1 male, near Pink Tower, march 31 - 2 males and 1 female, near Yellow Hut, april 1 - 1 male, near Yellow Hut, april 3
Pine Bunting	- 2 females, north of Kalopani, december 23 - 1 male, Marpha, december 28, after the storm of december 26-27