Illustrated list of bird species covered by the Draft Migratory Species Action Plan

The list shows the species in decreasing order as regards their regularity of occurrence in the ACT. Species at the top of the list are most likely to be recorded in any given year, whereas species lower in the list are less commonly seen. Species towards the bottom of the list are regarded as vagrants or are quite rare visitors to the ACT.

Photo credits

Dean Ingwersen (Birdlife Australia): Rufous Fantail; Pacific Golden Plover; Fork-tailed Swift; Pectoral Sandpiper; Wood Sandpiper.

Mick Roderick (Birdlife Australia): White-throated Needletail.

Andrew Silcocks (Birdlife Australia): Caspian Tern; Common Sandpiper; Common Tern; Gull-billed Tern; Latham's Snipe; Satin Flycatcher (female).

Chris Tzaros (Birdlife Australia): Black-faced Monarch; Satin Flycatcher (male).

Dan Weller (Birdlife Australia): Bar-tailed Godwit; Common Greenshank; Curlew Sandpiper; Double-banded Plover; Eastern Curlew; Glossy Ibis; Long-toed Stint; Marsh Sandpiper; Osprey; Red Knot; Ruddy Turnstone; Sharp-tailed Sandpiper; White-winged Black Tern.



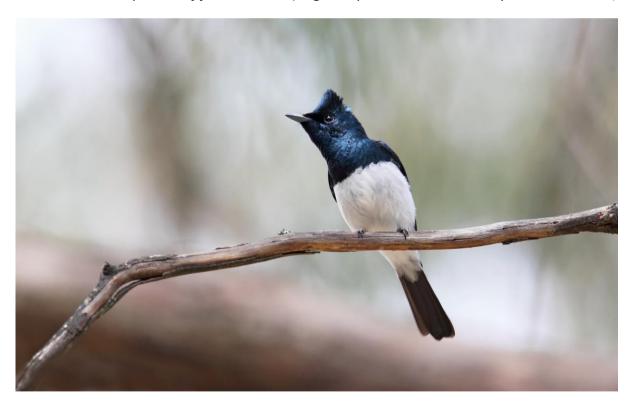
Latham's Snipe Gallinago hardwickii

(Regularity: Recorded in 100% of years: 1979-2014)



Rufous Fantail Rhipidura rufifrons

(Regularity: Recorded in 97% of years: 1979-2014)



Satin Flycatcher Myiagra cyanoleuca

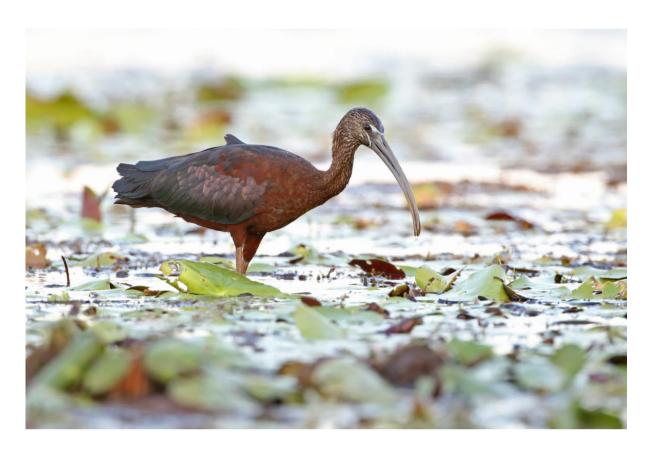
(Regularity: Recorded in 97% of years: 1979-2014)



White-throated Needletail *Hirundapus caudacutus* (Regularity: 97% of years: 1979-2014)

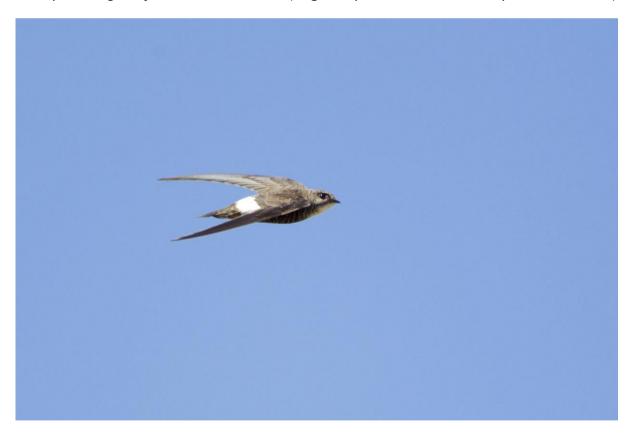


Sharp-tailed Sandpiper Calidris acuminata (Regularity: Recorded 78% of years: 1979-2014)



Glossy Ibis *Plegadis falcinellus*

(Regularity: Recorded in 64% of years: 1979-2014)

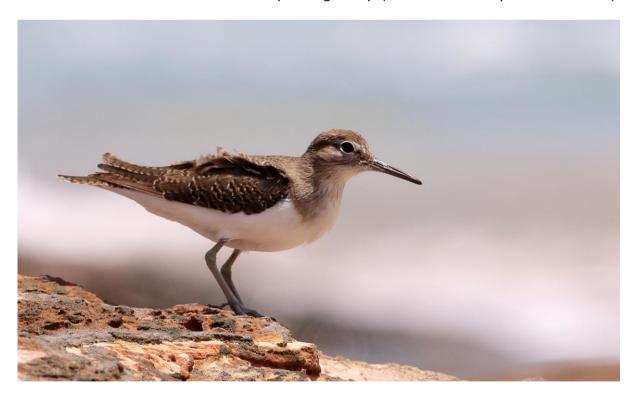


Fork-tailed Swift *Apus pacificus*

(Regularity: Recorded in 58% of years: 1979-2014)



Black-faced Monarch Monarcha melanopsis Regularity: (Recorded 44% of years: 1979-2014)



Common Sandpiper Actitis hypoleucos (Regularity: Recorded in 39% of years: 1979-2014)



Common Greenshank *Tringa nebularia* (Regularity: Recorded in 22% of years: 1979-2014)



Marsh Sandpiper Tringa stagnatilis

(Regularity: Recorded in 19% of years: 1979-2014)



Double-banded Plover Charadrius bicinctus (Regularity: Recorded 17% of years: 1979-2014)



Red-necked Stint Calidris ruficollis

(Regularity: Recorded in 17% of years: 1979-2014)



Pectoral Sandpiper Calidris melanotos (Regularity: Recorded in 11% of years: 1979-2014).



Caspian Tern Hydroprogne caspia (Regularity: Recorded in 11% of years: 1979-2014)



Wood Sandpiper Tringa glareola

(Regularity: Recorded in 8% of years: 1979-2014)



Curlew Sandpiper *Calidris ferruginea* (Regularity: Recorded in 8% of years: 1979-2014) Critically Endangered (*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth.)



Eastern Osprey Pandion haliaeteus

(Regularity: Recorded in 8% of years: 1979-2014)



Eastern Curlew *Numenius madagascariensis* (Regularity: Recorded 6% of years: 1979-2014) Critically Endangered (*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth.)



Ruddy Turnstone Arenaria interpres

(Regularity: Recorded in 6% of years: 1979-2014)



Pacific Golden Plover *Pluvialis fulva*

(Regularity: Recorded in 6% of years: 1979-2014)



Bar-tailed Godwit *Limosa lapponica baueri* (Regularity: Recorded 3% of years: 1979-2014) Endangered (*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth.)



Red Knot *Calidris canutus* (Regularity: Recorded in 3% of years: 1979-2014) Endangered (*Environment Protection and Biodiversity Conservation Act 1999* (Cth.)



Long-toed Stint Calidris subminuta

(Regularity: Recorded in 3% of years: 1979-2014)

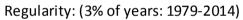


Gull-billed Tern *Gelochelidon nilotica*

(Regularity: Recorded in 3% of years: 1979-2014)



White-winged Black Tern Chlidonias leucopterus





Common Tern Sterna hirundo

(Regularity: Recorded in 3% of years: 1979-2014)