Tanzania
Mega
22nd Sept to 17th Oct 2017 (26 Days)
Trip Report

Grey-crested Helmetshrike by Paul Ellis

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Top ten birds seen during this tour, chosen by guests:
1. Udzungwa Forest Partridge
2. Spot-throat
3. Uluguru Bushshrike
4. Rufous-winged Sunbird
5. Winifred’s Warbler
6. Grey-crested Helmetshrike
7. Golden-winged Sunbird
8. Racket-tailed Roller displaying
9. Livingstone’s Flycatcher
10. Karamoja Apalis

Top five mammals seen during this tour, chosen by guests:
1. Cheetah
2. Angola Colobus
3. Serval
4. Hyaena kill
5. Lion

Tour Summary

Our Mega Adventure started off in Dar es Salaam, where we met up at our comfortable hotel. Some late afternoon birding added a pair of Water Thick-knee, beautiful Grey-headed Kingfisher, Little Bee-eater, tiny Red-fronted Tinkerbird, Spot-flanked and a nice surprise Brown-breasted Barbet, Red-faced Crombec, superb male Violet-backed Starling, White-browed Robin-Chat, Purple-banded Sunbird nesting and the lovely Blue-capped Cordon-bleu. A great start to our tour, and over a delicious dinner we discussed the plans for our trip to Pemba Island the following day.

Our early morning flight to Pemba Island worked out perfectly, as we arrived on time and enjoyed some great birding en route to our lodge. Our first stop in Chake-chake, the main town on the island, saw us quickly finding what can be very elusive: Java Sparrow. This was shortly followed by our first endemic, the beautiful Pemba Sunbird, and then a smart Mangrove Kingfisher showed well. Continuing north, we stopped for the sought-after Dickinson’s Kestrel. Once we neared the Ngezi Forest, we located several Pemba White-eyes and Pemba Green Pigeons. Having found the key endemics, we enjoyed a superb packed lunch in the field near a wetland, where we added White-backed Duck, African Pygmy Goose, Dimorphic Egret, Palmnut Vulture, juvenile Allen’s Gallinule, more Pemba Green Pigeons, White-browed Coucal, Brown-headed Parrot, African Paradise Flycatcher, Wire-tailed Swallow, dozens of Pemba White-eyes, Black-bellied Starling and Olive Sunbird. At dusk, we went in search of Pemba Scops Owl and were soon hearing them. It took a while, but eventually one flew in and showed briefly.

The following morning, we left early to catch our flight back to the mainland. On arrival in Dar es Salaam, we met up with our drivers and fabulous 4x4s and then continued on our way to Morogoro for the night. En route we enjoyed a packed lunch and saw Black-chested Snake Eagle. We arrived in time for some late afternoon birding, and here we enjoyed seeing a flock of migrant European Bee-eater, a
trio of Brown-breasted Barbet, a confiding Brown-backed Honeybird, African Hobby hunting, Black Cuckoo-shrike and superb Collared Palm Thrush.

The following morning, we departed early for the Uluguru Mountains. On arriving at the end of the road, we had a quick breakfast and then set off on the walk up into the forest. The walk up produced a splendid sub-adult Crowned Eagle – which we scoped, numerous Silvery-cheeked Hornbill, White-eared Barbet, a pair of African Yellow Warbler, elusive Bertram’s Weaver and a singing Cabanis’s Bunting.

Entering the forest, we had just one species on our minds: the endemic and retiring Uluguru Bushshrike. Whilst walking further up to suitable habitat, we added Bar-tailed Trogon and handsome Dark Batis, Green-headed Oriole and another beautiful endemic: Loveridge’s Sunbird. Arriving in good habitat, we were ecstatic to find not one but a magnificent pair of what can be very secretive Uluguru Bushshrike. They put on a wonderful show and we watched them for a full ten minutes before starting back down the mountain. The early start and long walk had been worth it; and delighted with our find, we enjoyed our packed lunch before continuing back to the vehicles. On the way down, we found a superb male African Emerald Cuckoo showing his wonderful iridescent green upperparts. We then took a drive to a different area of the forest, where we enjoyed two nights camping. During the drive, we added a magnificent adult Martial Eagle and many Blue-spotted Wood Doves.

The following day, we awoke early to find an African Goshawk displaying high above our campsite. After a hearty breakfast, we started the long and steep climb up to the forest. It was a good thing that we had somewhat acclimatised to the tough walking the previous day, as today was certainly a challenge and the group handled it remarkably well. Soon we were enjoying some great forest birding, as Red-capped Forest Warbler hopped through vine tangles, African Olive Pigeon sat sunning, Livingstone’s Turaco called from exposed perches, a Spotted Eagle Owl was found at his day roost and Red-faced Crimsonwing moved quietly in the shadows of the undergrowth. We made many stops along the way as we continued on up the steep trail with Angola and Red-rumped Swallows as regular companions.

Entering the forest, we noted how quiet it was, but still enjoyed good sightings of Stripe-faced Greenbul, Bar-throated Apalis and White-starred Robin. A little further on, we heard the call of the endemic Uluguru Greenbul and after a short while, we were
watching this tricky species. Pleased with our success, we continued to the upper section of the trail, where we hoped to find the beautiful Winifred’s Warbler. After a while, we heard a pair calling and without much response, we moved in closer to try and see them. It seemed forever and must have been a good hour, but eventually, the pair popped out and provided us all with good views. *The group’s patience and perseverance has to be commended.*

Heading back down the trail, we encountered small flocks of Yellow-bellied Waxbill and then a responsive Golden-tailed Woodpecker, several Southern Citrils and a wonderful pair of Mountain Wagtail gave fabulous views.

Leaving the Ulugurus, we made our way further south to the Iringa region. It was a long drive but added some great birds en route. These included impressive Saddle-billed Stork, majestic Bateleur, Wahlberg’s Eagle, Dark Chanting Goshawk, Pearl-spotted Owlet being mobbed by numerous passerines, Brown-hooded Kingfisher, Green Wood Hoopoe, Abyssinian Scimitarbill, family groups of Southern Ground Hornbill, Von der Decken’s Hornbill, Grey Kestrel, Yellow-collared Lovebird, White-crested Helmetshrike, Brown-crowned Tchagra, Long-tailed Fiscal, Mosque Swallow, Moustached Grass Warbler, Ashy Starling and a splendid male Long-tailed Paradise Whydah in full breeding plumage. Whilst passing through Mikumi National Park, we noted a fabulous variety of mammals, including a herd of African Elephant, Maasai Giraffe, African Buffalo, Plains Zebra, Blue Wildebeest and Impala.

The next morning, we departed very early for a day trip into the West Udzungwa Scarp Forest. Here we were delighted to find a splendid male Rufous-winged Sunbird – *our main target and a Rockjumper lifer!* We also picked up the secretive endemic Iringa Akalat and dainty Swynnerton’s Robin. Spot-throat proved notoriously difficult to see, so we hoped for better views later in the trip. Other star sightings included a low soaring Mountain Buzzard, a large flock of Scarce Swift, Moustached Tinkerbird, Black-headed Apalis and Yellow-throated Woodland Warbler.

From Iringa, we made our way into the heart of the West Udzungwa Forest for four nights of camping. En route we first enjoyed some broad-leaved woodland birding, finding Purple-crested Turaco, White-bellied Tit, Red-winged Warbler, Familiar Chat and great Miombo Rock Thrush. Leaving our 4x4s behind, we contoured through rolling grassland dotted with Mountain Acacia trees. The walk was quite birdy, and we added a recent migrant European Honey Buzzard, Ayres’s Hawk-
Eagle, Peregrine Falcon, endemic Yellow-throated Greenbul, Yellow-browed Seedeater and Uluguru Violet-backed Sunbird. We arrived in time to settle into our camp before sunset. As day broke the following morning, we arose very excited at the prospect of searching for the near-mythical Udzungwa Forest Partridge. We had allocated two full days in the area to search for this rare and highly-elusive endemic, which was only discovered as recently as 1991 and has only been seen by very few birders. After breakfast, we made our way up another steep trail – by now we were quite accustomed to the challenging walks. Almost immediately, we heard rustling in the undergrowth and my heart leapt into my mouth. It turned out to be a pair of Crested Guineafowl, which showed quite well. Once we neared the upper area of the trail, it flattened out and we were able to walk comfortably and quietly in search of our quarry. After some time walking and listening without hearing the partridge, we suddenly heard one in the distance, and so we positioned ourselves so as to get the best views through the undergrowth. Alas, the bird never came close enough to see – well, at least we didn’t see it, it may have seen us.

As our disappointment began to show, we heard yet another one calling on the opposite side of the trail, and so again the anticipation mounted and we maneuvered ourselves into position. This time, the bird was far more responsive and showed briefly, but well, for two of us. Sadly, we couldn’t celebrate as not everyone had seen it. We then continued on in search of another territory where, hopefully, we could get a better response and all be able to see the bird. We heard another covey, which was seen briefly by our local guide; but alas, once we got alongside him, the birds had disappeared. A while passed with no sign or sound of them. It had been a cool and overcast morning, but once the sun came out then the birds started to call.

After lunch, we tried a different area. Suddenly, the call of “I see it!” went up and without even hearing the birds, one of the guests had spotted it and soon others were onto it. After a good while with no further success, those that hadn’t seen it and I went to a suitable position and tried to entice the bird a little closer. This strategy worked wonders, and all three of us obtained fabulous views of a male. This meant that the entire group had enjoyed good views and we celebrated that evening over dinner with some local beers.

The following day, we spent more time in the forest and enjoyed sightings of many forest
species we had already seen but were able to get better views of – and also get some photos. We also had good views of Mottled Swift, Green Barbet, the sought-after White-winged Apalis and Cassin’s Hawk-Eagle, which had only very recently been seen at this site and was then a first for Tanzania. In the evening, we enjoyed good views of Ruwenzori Nightjar.

The following morning, we spent time in the forest and found Eastern Bronze-naped Pigeon, Pallid Honeyguide, African Broadbill, Olive Woodpecker, Black-fronted Bushshrike and Chapin’s Apalis. We then made the return journey back to our base camp. En route we added Dusky Turtle Dove, Bronzy and Malachite Sunbirds, Black-forested Cisticola, Brown Parisoma and Yellow-crowned Canary.

The next day, we travelled from the west to the east Udzungwa Mountains. En route we enjoyed some great birding. Some highlights included Brown Snake Eagle, Mottled and Bohm’s Spinetail seen drinking at our lunch stop, Blue-naped Mousebird, Purple Roller, great scope views of Tanzanian Red-billed Hornbill, a nice flock of Pale-billed Hornbill, Black-collared Barbet, Southern (Uhehe) Fiscal, a pair of Holub’s Golden Weaver and Red-backed Mannikin. This was followed by a lovely dinner and cold refreshments before settling down for a good night’s sleep.

Early the next morning, we travelled to Kilombero Swamp. We arrived in good time to see clouds of wetland birds flying out from their roosts on their way to their feeding grounds. Here we found a number of the sought-after Black Herons, Great White and Pink-backed Pelican, White-crowned Lapwing, Coppery-tailed Coucal, White-fronted Bee-eater, a very close and confiding Marsh Tchagra, the three sought-after specialties: Kilombero Cisticola, White-tailed Cisticola and Kilombero Weaver, and Red-headed Quelea and Orange-breasted Waxbill. We also enjoyed a boat trip on a craft which looked as though it could sink at any moment; however, it turned out to be fully waterproof and so we went in search of the much-desired African Skimmer.

Our boatmen polled and rowed us down the river, and soon we were enjoying fabulous views of a pair of these quaint birds as they preened on a sandbar. Thereafter, we travelled back to our lodging, where we were delighted to find a flock of the tricky Magpie Mannikin before enjoying lunch. It was then time to continue to the fabulous Mikumi National Park for two nights of camping. En route we were delighted to find a splendid Green Tinkerbird and a pair of Black-and-white Shrike-
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Flycatcher. However, no matter how much effort we put into finding the elusive Livingstone’s Flycatcher, it just would not show. After stocking up on the essential beers, we spent the rest of the afternoon enjoying some fabulous birding in the broad-leafed woodlands of Mikumi. Here we found a striking male Black-bellied Bustard, splendid Thick-billed Cuckoo, Broad-billed Roller, Southern Ground Hornbill, a pair of Red-throated Wryneck, Speckle-throated Woodpecker, Brown-necked Parrot, Retz’s Helmetshrike, Cinnamon-breasted Tit, Grey Penduline Tit, Stierling’s Wren-Warbler, Miombo Blue-eared Starling, Arnott’s Chat and localised Hofmann’s Sunbird. Delighted with a wonderful day’s birding, we returned to our camp to settle in for the night.

The following day, we enjoyed a full day in this fabulous National Park. As it was a cool, rainy and slow morning bird-wise, we chose to start off in some mixed woodland. This worked out great, as we enjoyed some wonderful mammal sightings, at the same time picking up new bird species. Almost as soon as we entered through the main entrance to the reserve, we were watching a huge male Lion who was quite interested in a family group of Black-backed Jackal. A little further on, we were watching Bohor Reedbuck and a small herd of African Elephant, all the while adding birds to our ever-growing list. These included Eastern Black-headed Batis, Fischer’s Sparrow-Lark, Northern Pied Babbler, Northern Wheatear and Yellow-throated Longclaw.

By mid-morning, it was time to head back to the broad-leafed woodland that had been so productive the previous afternoon. Although we’d had such great birding the previous day, we still added a magnificent displaying Racket-tailed Roller, several Crested Barbets, Scaly-throated Honeyguide, Green-backed and Bearded Woodpeckers, White-breasted Cuckoo Shrike, African Golden Oriole, Kurrichane Thrush, Western Violet-backed Sunbird and Reichard’s Seed eater.

After enjoying our lunch and a hot cup of coffee, we set off in search of African Barred Owlet, which gave us the run around. Eventually, we enjoyed good views. Suddenly, the call of Livingstone’s Flycatcher went up and mayhem ensued as we hustled around in the vehicles to get good views. Thankfully, the pair hung around and we all enjoyed splendid views. What a delight, as we’d missed it earlier. Other species seen as we travelled a network of roads included several adult Ruppell’s Vulture, a superb pair of African Hawk-Eagle, Lesser Masked Weaver and elusive Orange-winged Pytilia. In the evening, we enjoyed great views of Fiery-necked...
Nightjar at our camp. *It was a great experience to be out in the bush enjoying the night sky whilst listening to the sounds of the wild.* We heard Lion, Hyaena and Jackal on both nights of our stay.

From Mikumi, we travelled to Amani in the East Usambara Mountains for a three-night stay. Before leaving, we enjoyed great views of Green Malkoha right at our campsite, then Flappet Lark displaying, and at our lunch stop a fabulous Bohm’s Bee-eater. The East Usambaras were very dry and a little quiet; however, we still managed to enjoy some great birding. Highlights here included Black Sparrowhawk, a splendid pair of Bat Hawk, another fabulous Crowned Eagle, Lemon Dove, Fischer’s Turaco, Narina Trogon, Half-collared Kingfisher, superb scope views of the very tricky Mombasa Woodpecker, Forest Batis, Blue-mantled Crested Flycatcher, a flock of Chestnut-fronted Helmetshrike, Lowland Tiny Greenbul, Kretschmer’s Longbill, Little Yellow Flycatcher, rare Long-billed Forest Warbler, Usambara Hyliota, Kenrick’s Starling, Red-tailed Ant Thrush, and Plain-backed, Banded Green and pair of Amani Sunbirds.

Following this, we moved on to the West Usambaras for a two-night stay. Along the way, we found a confiding pair of East Coast Boubou, Coastal Cisticola and several Black-winged Bishop in full breeding plumage. Unlike the East Usambaras, the West was alive with activity and birds were very active. Some of our star sightings included Scaly Francolin, several Hartlaub’s Turaco, scope views of Barred Long-tailed Cuckoo, numerous Cinnamon-chested Bee-eater, gorgeous Black-fronted Bushshrike, Grey Cuckooshrike, White-tailed Crested Flycatcher, a pair of Montane Tiny Greenbul, superb looks at the ultra skulking Evergreen Forest Warbler, African Hill Babbler, amazing views of Spot-throat – which we were able to photograph, Sharpe’s Starling, rare Usambara Thrush, shy White-chested Alethe, Usambara Double-collared Sunbird and Oriole Finch. On one of our night drives, we enjoyed good spotlight views of African Wood Owl.

From the West Usambaras, we continued north to the Same area. Leaving the mountains and lush forest behind, we travelled to the dry *Comiphora* woodland, where we added numerous species. Some of our star sightings included Black-chested Snake Eagle, Eastern Chanting Goshawk, several Augur Buzzard, Spur-winged Lapwing, a super flock of White-headed Mousebird, Black-throated Barbet, Red-and-yellow and D’Arnaud’s Barbet, lovely Rosy-patched Bushshrike, Pygmy Batis, Slate-colored Boubou, White-necked Raven, Pink-breasted Lark, Red-fronted Warbler, after
a great search: Scaly Chatterer, Fischer’s Starling, Common Rock Thrush, very localised Black-bellied Sunbird, Chestnut and Taveta Weaver, Purple Grenadier and Black-faced Waxbill. A trip up the South Pare Mountains was worth it, as we found the distinctive race of Montane White-eye which is sometimes split as South Pare White-eye.

The next morning, we travelled to Nyumba ya Mungu reservoir, where we enjoyed some great birding. Some of the highlights included Black-faced Sandgrouse, several Pringle’s Puffback, Acacia Tit, amazingly, several more flocks of Scaly Chatterer, stunning Golden-breasted Starling, Bare-eyed Thrush, Hunter’s and Tsavo Sunbirds, Parrot-billed Sparrow, Cut-throat Finch, African and Grey-headed Silverbills, Straw-tailed Whydah, Reichenow’s Seedeeater, Southern Grosbeak-Canary, Somali Bunting and a fabulous pair of Fire-fronted Bishop. We also enjoyed the spectacle of thousands of waterbirds around the reservoir.

After lunch, we made our way to Arusha for the night.

We left early the following morning for the “lark plains.” En route we added Abyssinian Wheatear; and arriving at the plains, we were greeted by flocks of Chestnut-bellied Sandgrouse coming down to drink at a roadside puddle. Nearby woodland provided great views of the sought-after Red-throated Tit, and then we set about searching for larks. Beesley’s, Athi Short-toed and Foxy Lark all showed particularly well, as did Tiny Cisticola, Yellow-bellied Eremomela and Banded Parisoma. Having wrapped up a wonderful morning, we headed over to Tarangire National Park for a night’s stay. The afternoon in the park was literally buzzing with activity for both birds and mammals. Some notable sightings included Coqui Francolin, Yellow-necked Spurfowl, Montagu’s Harrier, five Greater Painted-snipe, Common Snipe, Marsh and Green Sandpipers, Double-banded and elusive Three-banded Courser, Bare-faced Go-away-bird, Nyanza Swift, Pygmy Falcon, Red-bellied Parrot, Yellow-collared Lovebird and Hildebrandt’s and Ashy Starlings, amongst an avalanche of species. Herds of African Elephant, a splendid Cheetah with young, Banded Mongoose, African Buffalo and Common Eland were just some of the mammals that entertained us.

As we were leaving Tarangire, we noted a wonderful flock of Yellow-throated Sandgrouse and a splendid Yellow-winged Bat. We then continued on the long drive to the great Serengeti National Park for a superb two-night stay. Over the next two days, we enjoyed numerous birds and mammals as we explored the different areas of the park. Some of our highlights included Common Ostrich

Moving on to our final destination, we stopped off at the fabulous Ngorongoro Crater, which represents a microcosm of many African habitats. Here we added Hildebrandt’s Francolin – which showed particularly well, flocks of Grey Crowned Crane, Pied Avocet, Eurasian Curlew, Collared Pratincole, nesting White-headed Barbet, fleeting Green-backed Honeybird, Red-faced, Hunter’s and rare Lynes’s Cisticolas, Abyssinian Thrush, Anteater Chat, Eastern Double-collared Sunbird, and after much effort, a splendid male Golden-winged Sunbird, near-endemic Rufous-tailed Weaver, tiny Quailfinch and Thick-billed Seedeater. Large numbers of Zebra and Wildebeest were seen grazing whilst Golden Jackal strode by. It was a most memorable way to end off this fabulous adventure.

And so ended another fantastic trip to this endemic hotspot! Thanks must go to a wonderful group of enthusiastic and fun participants, as well as a superb ground operations team. I am very much looking forward to travelling with you all again!

Annotated List of species recorded
Note: Number in brackets ( ) indicate number of days on the tour the species was recorded. List powered through the report generator of our partner iGoTerra.

Birds (610 in total: 596 seen, 14 heard)
Nomenclature and taxonomy follows Gill, F and D Donsker (Eds). 2016.
IOC World Bird List (v 6.4).
Status codes: E = Endemic, NE = Near-endemic, I = Introduced
IUCN codes: CR = Critically endangered, EN = Endangered, VU = Vulnerable, EW = Extinct in the Wild, NT = Near Threatened, DD = Data Deficient

Ostrich Struthionidae
Common Ostrich Struthio camelus massaicus
(4) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 10 Serengeti NP 14.10, 20 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Ducks, Geese, and Waterfowl Anatidae**

**White-faced Whistling Duck**  
*Dendrocygna viduata*  
(1) 100 Pemba 23.9.

**White-backed Duck**  
*Thalassornis leuconotus leuconotus*  
(1) 6 Pemba 23.9.  
Great views at a wetland on Pemba.

**Spur-winged Goose**  
*Plectropterus gambensis gambensis*  
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Egyptian Goose**  
*Alopochen aegyptiaca*  
(5) 42 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 8 Serengeti NP 14.10, 10 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**African Pygmy Goose**  
*Nettapus auritus*  
(1) 4 Pemba 23.9.  
Good scope views on Pemba.

**African Black Duck**  
*Anas sparsa leucostigma*  
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

**Red-billed Teal**  
*Anas erythrorhyncha*  
(3) 40 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 5 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Hottentot Teal**  
*Anas hottentota*  
(2) 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Guineafowl Numididae**

**Helmeted Guineafowl**  
*Numida meleagris*  
(5) 7 Mikumi NP 4.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 50 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Crested Guineafowl**  
*Guttera pucherani*  
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 30.9.

**Pheasants, Grouse, and Allies Phasianidae**

**Coqui Francolin**  
*Peliperdix coqui*  
(4) 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 3 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Shelley's Francolin**  
*Scleroptila shelleyi*  
(1) 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Crested Francolin**  
*Dendroperdix sephaena*  
(6) 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 heard Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Scaly Francolin**  
*Pternistis squamatus*  
(3) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.  
One seen well in West Usambaras.

**Hildebrandt's Francolin**  
*Pternistis hildebrandti*
(2) 1 heard Iringa 27.9 and 4 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Yellow-necked Spurfowl** *Pternistis leucoscepus*  
(1) 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Grey-breasted Spurfowl** *Pternistis rufopictus*  
(3) Up to 12 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Red-necked Spurfowl** *Pternistis afer*  
(3) 15 Mikumi NP 5.10, 6 Same 11.10 and 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Udzungwa Forest Partridge (EN)** *Xenoperdix udzungwensis*  
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 30.9 and 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.  
Fantastic views for everyone!

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**Grebes Podicipedidae**

**Little Grebe** *Tachybaptus ruficollis capensis*  
(2) 15 Pemba 23.9 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Flamingos Phoenicopteridae**

**Lesser Flamingo (NT)** *Phoeniconaias minor*  
(1) 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Storks Ciconiidae**

**Yellow-billed Stork** *Mycteria ibis*  
(3) 500 Mikumi NP 4.10, 8 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**African Openbill** *Anastomus lamelligerus lamelligerus*  
(2) 2 Morogoro 24.9 and 6 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**White Stork** *Ciconia ciconia ciconia*  
(1) 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Saddle-billed Stork** *Ephippiorhynchus senegalensis*  
(3) 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Marabou Stork** *Leptoptilos crumenifer*  
(6) 8 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and up to 30 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Ibis and Spoonbills Threskiornithidae**

**African Sacred Ibis** *Threskiornis aethiopicus*  
(6) 3 Pemba 23.9, 7 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 5 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Hadada Ibis** *Bostrychia hagedash*  
(4) 1 heard Same 11.10, 5 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Glossy Ibis** *Plegadis falcinellus*  
(4) 4 Iringa 27.9, 50 Mikumi NP 4.10, 5 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**African Spoonbill** *Platalea alba*  
(5) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 4 Serengeti NP 14.10, 5 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 3
Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Herons, Egrets, and Bitterns Ardeidae**

**Striated Heron**  
*Butorides striata atricapilla*  
(3) 2 Pemba 23.9, 1 Iringa 27.9 and 1 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Squacco Heron**  
*Ardeola ralloides*  
(2) 10 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Western Cattle Egret**  
*Bubulcus ibis*  
(7) 10 Pemba 24.9, 50 Morogoro 25.9, 10 Mikumi NP 4.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 50 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Grey Heron**  
*Ardea cinerea cinerea*  

**Black-headed Heron**  
*Ardea melanocephala*  
(12) 20 Pemba 23.9, 50 Morogoro 24.9, 10 Morogoro 25.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 4 Mikumi NP 4.10, 50 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10, 100 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10, 5 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Purple Heron**  
*Ardea purpurea purpurea*  
(2) 1 Pemba 23.9 and 3 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Great Egret**  
*Ardea alba melanorhynchos*  
(3) 2 Pemba 23.9, 50 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Intermediate Egret**  
*Ardea intermedia brachyrhyncha*  
(1) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Black Heron**  
*Egretta ardesiaca*  
(2) 22 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Little Egret**  
*Egretta garzetta garzetta*  
(3) 2 Pemba 23.9, 30 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Dimorphic Egret**  
*Egretta dimorpha*  
(1) 2 Pemba 23.9.

**Hamerkop Scopidae**

**Hamerkop**  
*Scopus umbretta umbretta*  
(11) 3 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Iringa 27.9, up to 10 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 1 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Pelicans Pelecanidae**

**Great White Pelican**  
*Pelecanus onocrotalus*  
(3) 100 Mikumi NP 4.10, 80 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Pink-backed Pelican**  
*Pelecanus rufescens*  
(2) 500 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 50 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.
## Cormorants and Shags *Phalacrocoracidae*

**Reed Cormorant**  
*Microcarbo africanus africanus*  
(5) 12 Pemba 23.9, 1 Pemba 24.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 10 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 60 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**White-breasted Cormorant**  
*Phalacrocorax lucidus*  
(1) 190 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

## Anhingas *Anhingidae*

**African Darter**  
*Anhinga rufa rufa*  
(1) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

## Secretary-bird *Sagittariidae*

**Secretarybird (VU)**  
*Sagittarius serpentarius*  
(3) 2 Serengeti NP 14.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.  
Fabulous views in Ngorongoro Crater.

## Osprey *Pandionidae*

**Western Osprey**  
*Pandion haliaetus haliaetus*  
(1) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

## Hawks, Eagles, and Kites *Accipitridae*

**Black-winged Kite**  
*Elanus caeruleus caeruleus*  
(8) 1 Morogoro 25.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**African Harrier-Hawk**  
*Polyboroides typus typus*  
(8) 3 Pemba 23.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, up to 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6-8.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Palm-nut Vulture**  
*Gypohierax angolensis*  
(9) 1 Pemba 23.9, 2 Morogoro 24.9, 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 3 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**European Honey Buzzard**  
*Pernis apivorus*  
(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9.

**African Cuckoo-Hawk**  
*Aviceda cuculoides verreauxii*  
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Hooded Vulture (EN)**  
*Necrosyrtes monachus*  
(4) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 3 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 5 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**White-backed Vulture (NT)**  
*Gyps africanus*  
(8) 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 40 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 30 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Rüppell's Vulture (EN)**  
*Gyps rueppelli rueppelli*  
(5) 10 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 30 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**White-headed Vulture (VU)**  
*Trigonoceps occipitalis*  
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.
Lappet-faced Vulture (VU)  
*Torgos tracheliotos tracheliotos*
(4) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10, 6 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Black-chested Snake Eagle  
*Circaetus pectoralis*
(6) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Iringa 27.9, 4 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Brown Snake Eagle  
*Circaetus cinereus*
(4) 1 Iringa 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 1 Tarangire NP 14.10.

Southern Banded Snake Eagle (NT)  
*Circaetus fasciolatus*
(1) 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Bateleur (NT)  
*Terathopius ecaudatus*
(9) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 6 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Bat Hawk  
*Macheiramphus alcinus anderssoni*
(1) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Crowned Eagle (NT)  
*Stephanoaetus coronatus*
(5) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10.

Several fantastic sightings, once with a monkey in its talons.

Martial Eagle (NT)  
*Polemaetus bellicosus*
(4) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Long-crested Eagle  
*Lophaetus occipitalis*
(7) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 Iringa 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7-9.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Wahlberg's Eagle  
*Hieraaetus wahlbergi*
(5) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Same 11.10.

Ayres's Hawk-Eagle  
*Hieraaetus ayresii*
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

Tawny Eagle  
*Aquila rapax rapax*
(5) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 5 Tarangire NP 14.10, 6 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Cassin's Hawk-Eagle  
*Aquila africana*
(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 1.10.

African Hawk-Eagle  
*Aquila spilogaster*
(6) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Lizard Buzzard  
*Kaupifalco monogrammicus*
(5) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.
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(4) 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 8 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Buff-crested Bustard**  
*Lophotis gindiana*  
(1) 1 heard Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Black-bellied Bustard**  
*Lissotis melanogaster melanogaster*  
(5) Up to 3 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10.

### Rails, Gallinules, and Coots *Rallidae*

**Black Crake**  
*Amaurornis flavirostra*  
(3) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 heard Same 11.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Allen’s Gallinule**  
*Porphyrio alleni*  
(1) 1 Pemba 23.9.

**Common Moorhen**  
*Gallinula chloropus meridionalis*  
(2) 20 Pemba 23.9 and 6 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Red-knobbed Coot**  
*Fulica cristata*  
(1) 25 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

### Cranes *Gruidae*

**Grey Crowned Crane (VU)**  
*Balearica regulorum gibbericeps*  
(2) 2 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 65 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.  
Numerous in the Ngorongoro Crater.

### Thick-knees *Burhinidae*

**Water Thick-knee**  
*Burhinus vermiculatus vermiculatus*  
(5) 2 Pemba 23.9, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 heard Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 heard Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Spotted Thick-knee**  
*Burhinus capensis capensis*  
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

### Stilts and Avocets *Recurvirostridae*

**Black-winged Stilt**  
*Himantopus himantopus*  
(2) 30 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 6 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Pied Avocet**  
*Recurvirostra avosetta*  
(2) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 8 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

### Plovers and Lapwings *Charadriidae*

**Blacksmith Lapwing**  
*Vanellus armatus*  

**Spur-winged Lapwing**  
*Vanellus spinosus*  
(4) 2 Same 11.10, 40 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**White-crowned Lapwing**  
*Vanellus albiceps*  
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Senegal Lapwing**  
*Vanellus lugubris*  

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.
Great views of one in Mikumi.

**Black-winged Lapwing**
*Vanellus melanopterus*
(3) 12 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 4 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Crowned Lapwing**
*Vanellus coronatus coronatus*
(6) 5 Mikumi NP 5.10, 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 20 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**African Wattled Lapwing**
*Vanellus senegallus*
(2) 4 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Common Ringed Plover**
*Charadrius hiaticula tundrae*
(5) 1 Pemba 23.9, 15 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Kittlitz's Plover**
*Charadrius pecuarius*
(3) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 30 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Three-banded Plover**
*Charadrius tricollaris tricollaris*
(3) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 3 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Caspian Plover**
*Charadrius asiaticus*
(1) 10 Serengeti NP 14.10.

### Painted-Snipes Rostratulidae

**Greater Painted-snipe**
*Rostratula benghalensis*
(1) 5 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.
Good sighting.

### Jacanas Jacanidae

**African Jacana**
*Actophilornis africanus*
(2) 8 Pemba 23.9 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

### Sandpipers and Allies Scolopacidae

**Common Snipe**
*Gallinago gallinago gallinago*
(1) 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Eurasian Curlew (NT)**
*Numenius arquata*
(1) 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Marsh Sandpiper**
*Tringa stagnatilis*
(4) 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Common Greenshank**
*Tringa nebularia*
(6) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Tarangire NP 14.10, 12 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Green Sandpiper**
*Tringa ochropus*
(6) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 4 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Wood Sandpiper**
*Tringa glareola*
(8) 8 Pemba 23.9, 3 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 5 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 3 Serengeti NP 14.10, 15 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Common Sandpiper**  
*Actitis hypoleucos*  
(8) 1 Pemba 23.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 8 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Ruddy Turnstone**  
*Arenaria interpres interpres*  
(1) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.  
Good scope views of one at Nyumba ya Mungu.

**Little Stint**  
*Calidris minuta*  
(6) 1 Pemba 23.9, 250 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 30 Tarangire NP 14.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Curlew Sandpiper**  
*Calidris ferruginea*  
(1) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Ruff**  
*Philomachus pugnax*  

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**Pratincoles and Courser Glareolidae**

**Temminck's Courser**  
*Cursorius temminckii ruvanensis*  
(1) 8 Serengeti NP 15.10.  
One flock.

**Double-banded Courser**  
*Rhinoptilus africanus gracilis*  
(1) 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.  
Great sighting.

**Three-banded Courser**  
*Rhinoptilus cinctus*  
(1) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.  
Awesome sighting.

**Collared Pratincole**  
*Glareola pratincola*  
(2) 80 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

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**Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers Laridae**

**African Skimmer (NT)**  
*Rynchops flavirostris*  
(1) 5 Mikumi NP 4.10.  
Superb views !

**Black-headed Gull**  
*Chroicocephalus ridibundus*  
(1) 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Grey-headed Gull**  
*Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus poiocephalus*  
(2) 50 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Gull-billed Tern**  
*Gelochelidon nilotica nilotica*  
(2) 50 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 6 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Whiskered Tern**  
*Chlidonias hybrid*  
(1) 60 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**White-winged Tern**  
*Chlidonias leucopterus*
(2) 1 Pemba 23.9 and 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Sandgrouse Pteroclidae**

**Chestnut-bellied Sandgrouse** *Pterocles exustus olivascens*
(2) 100 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 4 Serengeti NP 14.10.
Awesome views drinking and males soaking belly feathers.

**Yellow-throated Sandgrouse** *Pterocles gutturalis saturiator*
(2) 18 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 54 Serengeti NP 15.10.
Fantastic views in Tarangire and Serengeti.

**Black-faced Sandgrouse** *Pterocles decoratus*
(4) 9 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 20 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 10 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Pigeons and Doves Columbidae**

**Rock Dove** *Columba livia*
(5) 10 Morogoro 24.9, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Mikumi NP 6.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Speckled Pigeon** *Columba guinea guinea*
(5) 6 Same 11.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 20 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 10 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 6 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**African Olive Pigeon** *Columba arquatrix*
(6) 4 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, up to 50 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29-2.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Eastern Bronze-naped Pigeon** *Columba delegorguei sharpei*
(6) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 2 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

Great views.

**Lemon Dove** *Columba larvata*
(2) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Dusky Turtle Dove** *Streptopelia lugens*
(2) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Mourning Collared Dove** *Streptopelia decipiens perspicillata*
(4) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Red-eyed Dove** *Streptopelia semitorquata*
(9) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Same 11.10, 1 heard Arusha 12.10, 1 heard Serengeti NP 14.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Ring-necked Dove** *Streptopelia capicola tropica*
(11) 30 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 20 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 6 Same 11.10, 30 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 50 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Laughing Dove** *Spilopelia senegalensis senegalensis*
(5) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.
Emerald-spotted Wood Dove  
*Turtur chalcospilos*  
(10) 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Mikumi NP 4.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Same 11.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Blue-spotted Wood Dove  
*Turtur afer*  
(3) 20 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 10 Uluguru Mountains 27.9 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9.

Tambourine Dove  
*Turtur tympanistria*  
(7) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 W Usumbara Mts 10.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Namaqua Dove  
*Oena capensis capensis*  
(4) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 8 Same 11.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 20 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

African Green Pigeon  
*Treron calvus*  
(6) 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 3 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Pemba Green Pigeon (VU)  
*Treron pembaensis*  
(1) 10 Pemba 23.9.  
Good sightings.

**Turacos Musophagidae**

Livingstone's Turaco  
*Tauraco livingstonii reichenowi*  
(7) 15 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9 and up to 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 30-3.10.

Schalow's Turaco  
*Tauraco schalowi*  
(3) Up to 1 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Fischer's Turaco (NT)  
*Tauraco fischeri*  
(2) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Hartlaub's Turaco  
*Tauraco hartlaubi*  
(1) 6 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

Purple-crested Turaco  
*Tauraco porphyreolophus chlorochlamys*  
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9.

Bare-faced Go-away-bird  
*Corythaixoides personatus leopoldi*  
(3) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

White-bellied Go-away-bird  
*Corythaixoides leucogaster*  
(3) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 8 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Eastern Plantain-eater  
*Crinifer zonurus*  
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Cuckoos Cuculidae**

Coppery-tailed Coucal  
*Centropus cupreicaudus*  
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10.

White-browed Coucal  
*Centropus superciliosus*  
(8) 1 Pemba 23.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 5 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Mikumi.
NP 4.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10 and up to 2 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Green Malkoha**
*Ceuthmochares australis*

(4) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

**Thick-billed Cuckoo**
*Pachyccocyx audeberti validus*

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Splendid views.

**Diederik Cuckoo**
*Chrysococcyx capilus*

(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Klaas's Cuckoo**
*Chrysococcyx klaas*

(8) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 1 heard Serengeti NP 15.10.

**African Emerald Cuckoo**
*Chrysococcyx cupreus*

(1) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9.

A splendid male.

**Barred Long-tailed Cuckoo**
*Cercococcyx montanus patulus*

(5) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 heard W Usambara Mts 10.10.

Scope views of one perched.

**Red-chested Cuckoo**
*Cuculus solitarius*

(3) 1 heard W Usambara Mts 10.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

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**Owls Strigidae**

**African Scops Owl**
*Otus senegalensis senegalensis*

(6) 1 heard Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 heard Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 1 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

At a day roost.

**Pemba Scops Owl (VU)**
*Otus pembaensis*

(1) 1 Pemba 23.9.

**Spotted Eagle-Owl**
*Bubo africanus africanus*

(2) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9 and 2 Iringa 28.9.

**Usambara Eagle-Owl (VU)**
*Bubo vosseleri*

(1) 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

**African Wood Owl**
*Strix woodfordii*

(5) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 1 heard Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 heard W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Pearl-spotted Owlet**
*Glaucidium perlatum licua*

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 27.9 and 1 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**African Barred Owlet**
*Glaucidium capense*

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 heard Mikumi NP 6.10.

Great views.

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**Nightjars and Allies Caprimulgidae**
Fiery-necked Nightjar \( Caprimulgus pectoralis shelleyi \)
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Montane Nightjar \( Caprimulgus poliocephalus \)
(2) 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 17.10.

Ruwenzori Nightjar \( Caprimulgus ruwenzorii guttifer \)
(2) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Freckled Nightjar \( Caprimulgus tristigma \)
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

**Swifts Apodidae**

Scarce Swift \( Schoutedenapus myoptilus myoptilus \)
(2) 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9 and 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Mottled Spinetail \( Telacanthura ussherii stictilaema \)
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Böhm's Spinetail \( Neafrapus boehmi \)
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

African Palm Swift \( Cypsiurus parvus \)
(14) 20 Morogoro 24.9, 10 Mikumi NP 27.9, 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 20 Mikumi NP 4.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, up to 20 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6-9.10, 6 W Usumbara Mts 11.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 6 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 6 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Mottled Swift \( Tachymarptis aequatorialis aequatorialis \)
(6) 2 Morogoro 24.9, up to 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29-1.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10.

Nyanza Swift \( Apus niansae niansae \)
(2) 3 Morogoro 24.9 and 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

African Black Swift \( Apus barbatus roehli \)
(1) 20 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

Little Swift \( Apus affinis \)

White-rumped Swift \( Apus caffer \)

**Mousebirds Coliidae**

Speckled Mousebird \( Colius striatus \)
(9) 30 Morogoro 24.9, 6 Mikumi NP 27.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 7 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 6 Same 11.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 4 Tarangire NP 14.10, 6 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

White-headed Mousebird \( Colius leucocephalus leucocephalus \)
(2) 12 Same 11.10 and 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.
Good sightings.

**Blue-naped Mousebird** *Urococlis macrourus*

(6) 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 8 Same 11.10, 15 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 4 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Trogons Trogonidae**

**Narina Trogon** *Apaloderma narina*

(2) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 1 heard Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Bar-tailed Trogon** *Apaloderma vittatum*

(5) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Rollers Coraciidae**

**Purple Roller** *Coracias naevius naevius*

(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

**Racket-tailed Roller** *Coracias spatulatus*

(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Awesome displaying male.

**Lilac-breasted Roller** *Coracias caudatus caudatus*

(13) 10 Morogoro 24.9, 4 Mikumi NP 27.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 10 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10, 6 Same 11.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Broad-billed Roller** *Eurystomus glaucurus*

(4) 3 Mikumi NP 4.10, 4 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Kingfishers Alcedinidae**

**Grey-headed Kingfisher** *Halcyon leucocephala*

(6) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Same 11.10, 2 Arusha 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Brown-hooded Kingfisher** *Halcyon albiventris*

(8) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 Mikumi NP 7.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 1 heard Same 11.10.

**Striped Kingfisher** *Halcyon chelicuti chelicuti*

(6) 3 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Tarangire NP 14.10, 5 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Mangrove Kingfisher** *Halcyon senegaloides*

(2) 2 Pemba 23.9 and 1 Dar es Salaam 24.9.

Great views on Pemba.

**African Pygmy Kingfisher** *Ispidina picta*

(2) 1 Pemba 23.9 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Malachite Kingfisher** *Corythornis cristatus*

(1) 4 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Half-collared Kingfisher** *Alcedo semitorquata*
Superb views near Amani.

**Giant Kingfisher**  *Megaceryle maxima*
(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

**Pied Kingfisher**  *Ceryle rudis rudis*
(3) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 20 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 12 Nyumba ya Mungu ya Mungu 12.10.

### Bee-eaters *Meropidae*

**Little Bee-eater**  *Merops pusillus meridionalis*
(10) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Iringa 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9, 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 15 Mikumi NP 4.10, 10 Mikumi NP 5.10, 5 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu ya Mungu 12.10, 4 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 4 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Cinnamon-chested Bee-eater**  *Merops oreobates*

**White-fronted Bee-eater**  *Merops bullockoides*
(3) 5 Mikumi NP 4.10, 12 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Böhm's Bee-eater**  *Merops boehmi*
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 6.10.
Good scope views of one.

**European Bee-eater**  *Merops apiaster*
(7) 12 Morogoro 24.9, 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 4 Mikumi NP 5.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 30 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 10 Serengeti NP 15.10.

### Hoopoes *Upupidae*

**African Hoopoe**  *Upupa africana*
(7) 1 Iringa 27.9, up to 3 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 4 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

### Woodhoopoes and Scimitar-bills *Phoeniculidae*

**Green Wood Hoopoe**  *Phoeniculus purpureus marwitzi*
(4) 6 Iringa 27.9, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Common Scimitarbill**  *Rhinopomastus cyanomelas schalowi*
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Abyssinian Scimitarbill**  *Rhinopomastus minor cabanisi*
(5) 2 Iringa 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Same 11.10, 2 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

### Ground Hornbills *Bucorvidae*

**Southern Ground Hornbill (VU)**  *Bucorvus leadbeateri*
(7) 7 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 7 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 7 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.
Great sightings.

### Hornbills *Bucerotidae*

**Tanzanian Red-billed Hornbill**  *Tockus ruahae*
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.
Just two seen

**Northern Red-billed Hornbill**  
_Tockus erythrorhynchus_

(2) 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 4 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Von der Decken's Hornbill**  
_Tockus deckeni_

(8) 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Same 11.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 3 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Crowned Hornbill**  
_Lophoceros alboterminatus_

(6) 5 Pemba 23.9, 1 Iringa 27.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**African Grey Hornbill**  
_Lophoceros nasutus epirhinus_

(7) 6 Mikumi NP 27.9, 3 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 4 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Pale-billed Hornbill**  
_Lophoceros pallidirostris neumanni_

(8) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

**Trumpeter Hornbill**  
_Bycanistes bucinator_

(4) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 6 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Silvery-cheeked Hornbill**  
_Bycanistes brevis_

(11) 15 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 10 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 50 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6-9.10, 2 W Usumbara Mts 10.10 and 12 Same 11.10.

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**African Barbets Lybiidae**

**White-eared Barbet**  
_Stactolaema leucotis_

(5) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 6 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 2 Same 11.10.

**Green Barbet**  
_Stactolaema olivacea_

(8) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 1.10, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 6 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 1 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

**Green Tinkerbird**  
_Pogoniulus simplex_

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Great views.

**Moustached Tinkerbird**  
_Pogoniulus leucomystax_

(5) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 W Usumbara Mts 10.10 and 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Yellow-rumped Tinkerbird**  
_Pogoniulus bilineatus_

(3) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 1.10 and 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

**Red-fronted Tinkerbird**  
_Pogoniulus pusillus affinis_

(5) 1 heard Iringa 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 1 Same 11.10.
Yellow-fronted Tinkerbird  
*Pogoniulus chrysoconus*  
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Red-fronted Barbet  
*Tricholaema diademata massaica*  
(2) 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Spot-flanked Barbet  
*Tricholaema lacrymosa*  
(3) 1 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 3 Iringa 27.9 and 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Black-throated Barbet  
*Tricholaema melanocephala*  
(2) 3 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

White-headed Barbet  
*Lybius leucocephalus*  
(1) 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Black-collared Barbet  
*Lybius torquatus*  
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Brown-breasted Barbet  
*Lybius melanopterus*  
(2) 3 Morogoro 24.9 and 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.  
Several good sightings.

Crested Barbet  
*Trachyphonus vaillantii suahelicus*  
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Red-and-yellow Barbet  
*Trachyphonus erythrocephalus erythrocephalus*  
(3) 2 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

D'Arnaud's Barbet  
*Trachyphonus darnaudii*  
(5) 5 Same 11.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and up to 6 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Honeyguides Indicatoridae**

Green-backed Honeybird  
*Prodotiscus zambesiae*  
(1) 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.  
Brief flight views.

Brown-backed Honeybird  
*Prodotiscus regulus regulus*  
(1) 1 Morogoro 24.9.  
Great scope views.

Pallid Honeyguide  
*Indicator meliphilus*  
(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

Lesser Honeyguide  
*Indicator minor teitensis*  
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9 and 2 Same 11.10.

Scaly-throated Honeyguide  
*Indicator variegatus*  
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Greater Honeyguide  
*Indicator indicator*  
(6) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 heard Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Tarangire NP 14.10, 1 heard Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Woodpeckers Picidae**

Red-throated Wryneck  
*Jynx ruficollis ruficollis*  
(2) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Speckle-throated Woodpecker  
*Campethera scriptoricauda*
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10.
Great views of a pair.

**Nubian Woodpecker**  *Campethera nubica nubica*
(6) 1 heard Iringa 27.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Golden-tailed Woodpecker**  *Campethera abingoni*
(2) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Mombasa Woodpecker**  *Campethera mombassica*
(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.
Superb scope views of one.

**Green-backed Woodpecker**  *Campethera cailliautii*
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.
Good views.

**Bearded Woodpecker**  *Chloropicus namaquus namaquus*
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Cardinal Woodpecker**  *Dendropicos fuscescens*
(5) 4 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**African Grey Woodpecker**  *Dendropicos goertae*
(3) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Olive Woodpecker**  *Dendropicos griseocephalus*
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

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**Falcons and Caracaras** *Falconidae*

**Pygmy Falcon**  *Polihierax semitorquatus castanonotus*
(4) 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 2 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Lesser Kestrel**  *Falco naumanni*
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Common Kestrel**  *Falco tinnunculus*
(3) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Greater Kestrel**  *Falco rupicoloides arthuri*
(2) 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Grey Kestrel**  *Falco ardosiaceus*
(3) 1 Iringa 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Dickinson's Kestrel**  *Falco dickinsoni*
(3) 5 Pemba 23.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.
Great sightings on Pemba.

**Eurasian Hobby**  *Falco subbuteo subbuteo*
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.
Superb views.

**African Hobby**  *Falco cuvierii*
(1) 1 Morogoro 24.9.

**Lanner Falcon**  *Falco biarmicus biarmicus*
(5) 5 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Peregrine Falcon**  
*Falco peregrinus*  
(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9.

**African & New World Parrots** *Psittacidae*

**Brown-necked Parrot**  
*Pocepalus fuscocollis suahelicus*  
(2) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 6.10.

**Meyer's Parrot**  
*Pocepalus meyeri*  
(3) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 6 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Brown-headed Parrot**  
*Pocepalus cryptoxanthus tanganyikae*  
(3) 2 Pemba 23.9, 2 Mikumi NP 27.9 and 4 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Red-bellied Parrot**  
*Pocepalus rufiventris rufiventris*  
(3) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 5 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Old World Parrots** *Psittaculidae*

**Fischer's Lovebird (NT)**  
*Agapornis fischeri*  
(3) Up to 30 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Yellow-collared Lovebird**  
*Agapornis personatus*  
(4) 8 Iringa 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Broadbills** *Eurylaimidae*

**African Broadbill**  
*Smithornis capensis*  
(4) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.  
Good sightings.

**Wattle-eyes and Batises** *Platysteiridae*

**Black-and-white Shrike-flycatcher**  
*Bias musicus changamwensis*  
(3) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10.  
Great views.

**Forest Batis**  
*Batis mixta*  

**Dark Batis**  
*Batis crypta*  
(5) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 1.10 and 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

**Chinspot Batis**  
*Batis molitor*  
(5) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Pale Batis**  
*Batis soror*  
(1) 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

**Eastern Black-headed Batis**  
*Batis minor suahelica*
(3) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 3 Same 11.10.

**Pygmy Batis**  
*Batis perkeo*
(2) 2 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Black-throated Wattle-eye**  
*Platysteira peltata*
(2) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9 and 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10.

**Helmetshrikes and Allies Prionopidae**

**White-crested Helmetshrike**  
*Prionops plumatus*
(4) 6 Iringa 27.9, 12 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 6 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 10 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Grey-crested Helmetshrike (NT)**  
*Prionops poliolophus*
(1) 12 Serengeti NP 15.10.  
Great views of 2 flocks!

**Retz's Helmetshrike**  
*Prionops retzii*
(4) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Chestnut-fronted Helmetshrike**  
*Prionops scopifrons*
(1) 6 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.  
Nice views in the end.

**Bushshrikes and Allies Malaconotidae**

**Grey-headed Bushshrike**  
*Malaconotus blanchoti*
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Uluguru Bushshrike (CR)**  
*Malaconotus alius*
(1) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9.  
Splendid pair.

**Black-fronted Bushshrike**  
*Chlorophoneus nigrifrons nigrifrons*
(6) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 2 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Orange-breasted Bushshrike**  
*Chlorophoneus sulfureopectus similis*
(2) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Rosy-patched Bushshrike**  
*Telophorus cruentus cathemagmenus*
(2) 1 Same 11.10 and 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Marsh Tchagra**  
*Bocagia minuta*
(3) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Brown-crowned Tchagra**  
*Tchagra australis*
(5) 1 Iringa 27.9, 3 Same 11.10, 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Black-crowned Tchagra**  
*Tchagra senegalus*
(4) 1 heard Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 heard Mikumi NP 6.10.

**Black-backed Puffback**  
*Dryoscopus cubla*
(9) 1 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 1 heard Dar es Salaam 24.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 2 Amani NR, E
Usambara Mts 8.10, 1 heard Same 11.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Pringle's Puffback  
*Dryoscopus pringlii*  
(1) 5 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Fülleborn's Boubou  
*Laniarius fueelleborni*  
(4) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

Slate-colored Boubou  
*Laniarius funebris*  
(4) 1 Iringa 27.9, 6 Same 11.10, 12 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Tropical Boubou  
*Laniarius major*  
(5) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

East Coast Boubou  
*Laniarius sublacteus*  
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10.

Black-headed Gonolek  
*Laniarius erythrogaster*  
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Brubru  
*Nilaus afer*  
(4) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Cuckoo-shrikes *Campephagidae*

Grey Cuckooshrike  
*Coracina caesia pura*  
(4) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

White-breasted Cuckooshrike  
*Coracina pectoralis*  
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Black Cuckooshrike  
*Campephaga flava*  
(3) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Shrikes *Laniidae*

Magpie Shrike  
*Urolestes melanoleucus aequatorialis*  
(4) 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 4 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Northern White-crowned Shrike  
*Eurocephalus ruppelli*  
(7) 2 Iringa 27.9, 5 Same 11.10, 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 8 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 15 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Grey-backed Fiscal  
*Lanius excubitoroides boehmi*  
(3) Up to 30 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Long-tailed Fiscal  
*Lanius cabanisi*  
(9) 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 3 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 1 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Tarangire NP 14.10.

Taita Fiscal  
*Lanius dorsalis*  
(3) 1 Same 11.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Northern Fiscal  
*Lanius humeralis*  
(3) 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.
Southern Fiscal  
*Lanius collaris marwitzi*
(4) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10, 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 2 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

### Old World Orioles *Oriolidae*

**Eurasian Golden Oriole**  
*Oriolus oriolus*
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**African Golden Oriole**  
*Oriolus auratus notatus*
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Green-headed Oriole**  
*Oriolus chlorocephalus amani*
(4) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9 and up to 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7-9.10.

**Black-headed Oriole**  
*Oriolus larvatus*
(5) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 heard Iringa 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 3 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Tarangire NP 14.10.

### Drongos *Dicruridae*

**Square-tailed Drongo**  
*Dicrurus ludwigii muenzneri*
(5) 4 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 6 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Fork-tailed Drongo**  
*Dicrurus adsimilis*
(12) 3 Morogoro 24.9, 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Mikumi NP 4.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 6 W Usumbara Mts 10.10, 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

### Monarch Flycatchers *Monarchidae*

**Blue-mantled Crested Flycatcher**  
*Trochocercus cyanomelas*
(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Good sighting.

**African Paradise Flycatcher**  
*Terpsiphone viridis*
(11) 2 Pemba 23.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 6 W Usambara Mts 10.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 10.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

### Crows, Jays, and Magpies *Corvidae*

**House Crow**  
*Corvus splendens splendens*
(7) 100 Morogoro 24.9, 20 Iringa 27.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 10 Mikumi NP 4-6.10 and 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10.

**Cape Crow**  
*Corvus capensis kordofanensis*
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Pied Crow**  
*Corvus albus*
(12) 30 Morogoro 24.9, 50 Iringa 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 10 Mikumi NP 4.10, 10 Mikumi NP 6.10, 20 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10, 6 W Usumbara Mts 10.10, 20 Same 11.10, 20 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 20 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 3
Serengeti NP 14.10.

**White-necked Raven** *Corvus albicollis*
(6) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 4 Iringa 27.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 10 Same 11.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Fairy Flycatchers Stenostiridae**

**White-tailed Crested Flycatcher** *Elminia albonotata*
(6) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 4 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 6 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Chickadees and Tits Paridae**

**White-bellied Tit** *Melaniparus albiventris*
(2) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Cinnamon-breasted Tit** *Melaniparus pallidiventris pallidiventris*
(2) 3 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10. Great views.

**Red-throated Tit** *Melaniparus fringillinus*
(2) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10. Two sightings.

**Acacia Tit** *Melaniparus thruppi barakae*
(1) 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Penduline-Tits Remizidae**

**Grey Penduline Tit** *Anthoscopus caroli*
(4) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Nicators Nicatoridae**

**Eastern Nicator** *Nicator gularis*
(2) 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Larks Alaudidae**

**Beesley's Lark** *Chersomanes beesleyi*
(1) 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10. Great views.

**Fischer's Sparrow-Lark** *Eremopterix leucopareia*
(6) 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Same 11.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 6 Serengeti NP 14.10, 4 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Pink-breasted Lark** *Calendulauda poecilosterna*
(3) 3 Same 11.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Foxy Lark** *Calendulauda alopex intercedens*
(1) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Rufous-naped Lark** *Mirafra africana*
(3) Up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.
Flappet Lark  
*Mirafra rufocinnamomea*  
(3) 1 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 heard Serengeti NP 14.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10.

White-tailed Lark  
*Mirafra albicauda*  
(2) 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Red-capped Lark  
*Calandrella cinerea*  
(2) 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Athy Short-toed Lark  
*Alauda athensis*  
(1) 12 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

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**Bulbuls** *Pycnonotidae*

**Dodson's Bulbul**  
*Pycnonotus dodsoni*  
(2) 3 Same 11.10 and 20 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Dark-capped Bulbul**  
*Pycnonotus tricolor*  
(20) 20 Morogoro 22.9, 20 Morogoro 24.9, 15 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 3 Iringa 27.9, up to 50 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28-3.10, up to 30 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, up to 20 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7-9.10, 10 W Usambara Mts 10.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 20 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Shelley's Greenbul**  
*Arizelocichla masukuensis*  
(7) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 10 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 4 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 10 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 10 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Mountain Greenbul**  
*Arizelocichla neumanni*  
(3) 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 10.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Uluguru Greenbul**  
*Arizelocichla neumanni*  
(1) 2 Uluguru Mountains 26.9. 
Great sighting.

**Yellow-throated Greenbul**  
*Arizelocichla chlorigula*  
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

** Stripe-faced Greenbul**  
*Arizelocichla striifacies*  
(6) 10 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 6 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 6 W Usambara Mts 10.10 and 1 Same 11.10.

**Little Greenbul**  
*Eurillas virens*  
(5) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and up to 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6-8.10.

**Sombre Greenbul**  
*Andropadus importunus*  
(5) 1 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 1 heard Dar es Salaam 24.9, 1 heard Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Same 11.10.

**Yellow-bellied Greenbul**  
*Chlorocichla flaviventris*  
(4) 1 Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Mikumi NP 6.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Northern Brownbul**  
*Phyllastrephus strepitans*  
(3) 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Placid Greenbul**  
*Phyllastrephus placidus*  
(3) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9 and 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP
Yellow-streaked Greenbul

*Phyllastrephus flavostriatus*

(5) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 1 heard W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

Lowland Tiny Greenbul

*Phyllastrephus debilis*

(2) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Montane Tiny Greenbul

*Phyllastrephus albigula*

(1) 2 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

Good views of a pair.

**Swallows Hirundinidae**

Black Saw-wing

*Psalidoprocne pristoptera*

(9) 6 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, up to 10 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7-9.10, 10 W Usumbara Mts 10.10, 2 Same 11.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Sand Martin

*Riparia riparia riparia*

(4) 1 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Banded Martin

*Riparia cincta suahelica*

(1) 15 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Barn Swallow

*Hirundo rustica rustica*

(9) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 10 Mikumi NP 5.10, 6 Mikumi NP 6.10, 20 Same 11.10, 30 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 100 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Angolan Swallow

*Hirundo angolensis*

(5) 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 30 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10.

Wire-tailed Swallow

*Hirundo smithii smithii*

(9) 6 Morogoro 22.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 2 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Rock Martin

*Ptyonoprogne fuligula rufigula*

(7) 6 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 4 Iringa 27.9, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10, 3 W Usambara Mts 10.10, 2 Same 11.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Common House Martin

*Delichon urbicum*

(3) 30 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Lesser Striped Swallow

*Cecropis abyssinica unitatis*

(6) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 10 Mikumi NP 4.10, 3 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 2 Same 11.10.

Mosque Swallow

*Cecropis senegalensis*

(4) 4 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Mikumi NP 6.10 and 2 Tarangire NP 14.10.

Red-rumped Swallow

*Cecropis daurica*

(6) 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 20 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Crombecs, African warblers Macrosphenidae**

Moustached Grass Warbler

*Melocichla mentalis*
(2) 1 heard Morogoro 24.9 and 2 Uluguru Mountains 27.9.

**Kretschmer's Longbill**
*Macrosphenus kretschmeri*
(3) Up to 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6-8.10.
Good views.

**Northern Crombec**
*Sylvietta brachyura leucopsis*
(2) 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Red-faced Crombec**
*Sylvietta whytii*
(6) 2 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 2 Iringa 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Yellow Flycatcher *Erythrocercidae***

**Little Yellow Flycatcher**
*Erythrocercus holochlorus*
(2) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Livingstone's Flycatcher**
*Erythrocercus livingstonei thomsoni*
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.
Great views after a lot of effort.

**Leaf-Warblers *Phylloscopidae***

**Yellow-throated Woodland Warbler**
*Phylloscopus ruficapilla*
(6) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 2 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Reed-Warblers and Allies *Acrocephalidae***

**Lesser Swamp Warbler**
*Acrocephalus gracilirostris*
(2) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 heard Same 11.10.

**African Reed Warbler**
*Acrocephalus baeticatus*
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**African Yellow Warbler**
*Iduna natalensis*
(5) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 heard Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Icterine Warbler**
*Hippolais icterina*
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Grassbirds and Allies *Locustellidae***

**Little Rush Warbler**
*Bradypterus baboeala*
(1) 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

**Cinnamon Bracken Warbler**
*Bradypterus cinnamomeus*
(2) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9 and 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Evergreen Forest Warbler**
*Bradypterus lopezi*
(6) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard W Usambara Mts 9.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10 and 1 heard Same 11.10.
Splendid views in West Usambaras.

**Fan-tailed Grassbird**
*Schoenicola brevirostris alexinae*
(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10.
Cisticolas and Allies Cisticolidae

Red-faced Cisticola  
*Cisticola erythrops*  
(1) 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Singing Cisticola  
*Cisticola cantans*  
(4) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Trilling Cisticola  
*Cisticola woosmani*  
(2) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9 and 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Kilombero Cisticola  
*Cisticola sp. nov.*  
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10.  
Great views.

Hunter's Cisticola  
*Cisticola hunteri*  
(2) 1 heard Ngorongoro Crater 14.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Black-lored Cisticola  
*Cisticola nigriloris*  
(2) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Rattling Cisticola  
*Cisticola chiniana*  
(8) 1 heard Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 heard Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 20 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Lynes's Cisticola  
*Cisticola distinctus*  
(1) 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.  
Superb views.

Winding Cisticola  
*Cisticola marginatus suahelicus*  
(3) 2 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 2 Morogoro 24.9 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Coastal Cisticola  
*Cisticola haematocephalus*  
(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10.

Stout Cisticola  
*Cisticola robustus*  
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Croaking Cisticola  
*Cisticola natalensis*  
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Tiny Cisticola  
*Cisticola nana*  
(1) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

Neddicky  
*Cisticola fulvicapilla muelleri*  
(2) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Zitting Cisticola  
*Cisticola juncidis*  
(3) 2 Pemba 23.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Desert Cisticola  
*Cisticola aridulus tanganyika*  
(2) 1 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Pectoral-patch Cisticola  
*Cisticola brunnescens*  
(1) 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Tawny-flanked Prinia  
*Prinia subflava*  
(4) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Red-winged Warbler  
*Heliolais erythropterus rhodopterus*
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9.

**Buff-bellied Warbler**  *Phyllosailis pulchella*

(2) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Bar-throated Apalis**  *Apalis thoracica*


**Yellow-breasted Apalis**  *Apalis flavida*

(6) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10, 2 Same 11.10, 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**White-winged Apalis (VU)**  *Apalis chariessa macphersoni*

(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 1.10.

Good views.

**Black-headed Apalis**  *Apalis melanocephala*

(6) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Chapin's Apalis**  *Apalis chapini*

(3) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9 and 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

**Karamoja Apalis (VU)**  *Apalis karamojae stronachi*

(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Amazing views.

**Brown-headed Apalis**  *Apalis alticola alticola*

(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10.

**Red-fronted Warbler**  *Urorhipis rufifrons smithi*

(2) 3 Same 11.10 and 8 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Grey-capped Warbler**  *Eminia lepida*

(2) 3 Ngorongoro Crater 14.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Green-backed Camaroptera**  *Camaroptera brachyura*

(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Grey-backed Camaroptera**  *Camaroptera brevicaudata*

(3) 1 Iringa 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Grey Wren-Warbler**  *Calamonastes simplex*

(2) 6 Same 11.10 and 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Stierling's Wren-Warbler**  *Calamonastes stierlingi stierlingi*

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Winifred's Warbler**  *Scepmomcyter winifredae*

(1) 2 Uluguru Mountains 26.9.

Splendid views of a pair.

**Long-billed Forest Warbler (CR)**  *Artisornis moreau moraei*

(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Great views in the end.

**Red-capped Forest Warbler**  *Artisornis metopias*
(4) 5 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Yellow-bellied Eremomela** *Eremomela icteropygialis*
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Green-capped Eremomela** *Eremomela scotops*
(3) 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, 4 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

### Laughingthrushes Leiothrichidae

**Scaly Chatterer** *Turdoides aylmeri*
(2) 5 Same 11.10 and 15 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Exceptional number of sightings.

**Rufous Chatterer** *Turdoides rubiginosa*
(2) 7 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Black-lored Babbler** *Turdoides sharpei sharpei*
(4) 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 3 Serengeti NP 14.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Arrow-marked Babbler** *Turdoides jardineii*
(1) 3 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Northern Pied Babbler** *Turdoides hypoleuca*
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

### Old World Warblers Sylviidae

**African Hill Babbler** *Pseudoalcippe abyssinica*
(3) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Brown Parisoma** *Sylvia lugens*
(3) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10 and 4 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Banded Parisoma** *Sylvia boehmi boehmi*
(1) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

### Yuhinas, White-eyes, and Allies Zosteropidae

**Abyssinian White-eye** *Zosterops abyssinicus flavilateralis*
(1) 6 Same 11.10.

**African Yellow White-eye** *Zosterops senegalensis*
(8) 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 3 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 3 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Montane White-eye** *Zosterops poliogastrus*
(2) 1 Same 11.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Pemba White-eye** *Zosterops vaughani*
(1) 20 Pemba 23.9.

### Dapple-throat and allies Arcanatoridae

**Spot-throat** *Modulatrix stictigula*
(5) 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains
NP 2.10, 3 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 4 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.
Cracking views!

**Hyliotas Hyliotidae**

**Yellow-bellied Hyliota**  *Hyliota flavigaster*
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Usambara Hyliota (EN)**  *Hyliota usambara*
(2) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.
Good views.

**Starlings Sturnidae**

**Wattled Starling**  *Creatophora cinerea*
(3) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 30 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Black-bellied Starling**  *Notopholia corrusca*
(3) 2 Pemba 23.9, 10 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 10 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Greater Blue-eared Starling**  *Lamprotornis chalybaeus sycobius*
(4) 6 Mikumi NP 27.9 and up to 20 Mikumi NP 4-6.10.

**Miombo Blue-eared Starling**  *Lamprotornis elisabeth*
(2) 7 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 10 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Rüppell's Starling**  *Lamprotornis purpuroptera purpuroptera*
(3) Up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Golden-breasted Starling**  *Lamprotornis regius*
(1) 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.
Several of these stunners!

**Superb Starling**  *Lamprotornis superbus*
(7) 3 Mikumi NP 4.10, 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 50 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Hildebrandt's Starling**  *Lamprotornis hildebrandti*
(4) 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Ashy Starling**  *Lamprotornis unicolor*
(4) 10 Iringa 27.9, 30 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 20 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 10 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Fischer's Starling**  *Lamprotornis fischeri*
(1) 5 Same 11.10.

**Violet-backed Starling**  *Cinnyricinclus leucogaster*
(4) 1 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 20 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Red-winged Starling**  *Onychognathus morio morio*
(5) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10, 2 W Usumbara Mts 10.10, 1 Arusha 12.10 and 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Waller's Starling**  *Onychognathus walleri walleri*
(6) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10 and 10 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.
Kenrick's Starling  
(Poeoptera kenricki kenricki)  
(1) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Sharpe's Starling  
(Poeoptera sharpii)  
(1) 3 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Oxpeckers Buphagidae**

Yellow-billed Oxpecker  
(Buphagus africanus africanus)  
(4) 6 Mikumi NP 4.10, 8 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Red-billed Oxpecker  
(Buphagus erythrorynchus)  
(3) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Thrushes and Allies Turdidae**

Red-tailed Ant Thrush  
(Neocossyphus rufus rufus)  
(1) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Orange Ground Thrush  
(Geokichla gurneyi)  
(3) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 heard W Usambara Mts 10.10.

Bare-eyed Thrush  
(Turdus tephronotus)  
(2) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.  
Good sightings.

Kurrichane Thrush  
(Turdus libonyana tropicalis)  
(1) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Usambara Thrush  
(Turdus roehli)  
(2) 2 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10.  
Great views.

Abyssinian Thrush  
(Turdus abyssinicus)  
(1) 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Old World Flycatchers Muscicapidae**

Bearded Scrub Robin  
(Cercotrichas quadririvirgata)  
(2) 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 heard Mikumi NP 6.10.

White-browed Scrub Robin  
(Cercotrichas leucophrys)  
(6) 1 heard Iringa 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 6 Same 11.10, 20 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Grey Tit-Flycatcher  
(Myioparus plumbeus)  
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

White-eyed Slaty Flycatcher  
(Melaenornis fischeri)  
(4) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Southern Black Flycatcher  
(Melaenornis pammelaina pammelaina)  
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Pale Flycatcher  
(Melaenornis pallidus)  
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9 and 1 Arusha 17.10.
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**Whinchat**  
Saxicola rubetra

(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

**African Stonechat**  
Saxicola torquatus

(10) 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 6 Iringa 27.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 10.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Ngorongoro Crater 14.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Mocking Cliff Chat**  
Thamnolaea cinnamomeiventris subrufipennis

(1) 2 Usambara Mts 9.10.

**Anteater Chat**  
Myrmecocichla aethiops cryptoleuca

(2) 1 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Arnott’s Chat**  
Myrmecocichla arnotti

(2) 4 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 8 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Northern Wheatear**  
Oenanthe oenanthe oenanthe

(6) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Same 11.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Capped Wheatear**  
Oenanthe pileata livingstonii


**Familiar Chat**  
Oenanthe familiaris falkensteini

(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9.

**Abyssinian Wheatear**  
Oenanthe lugubris schalowi

(2) 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 4 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

### Sunbirds and Spiderhunters Nectariniidae

**Plain-backed Sunbird (NT)**  
Anthreptes reichenowi yokanae

(1) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Great pair.

**Western Violet-backed Sunbird**  
Anthreptes longuemarei

(2) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Eastern Violet-backed Sunbird**  
Anthreptes orientalis

(3) 2 Iringa 27.9, 2 Same 11.10 and 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Uluguru Violet-backed Sunbird**  
Anthreptes neglectus

(3) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Banded Green Sunbird (VU)**  
Anthreptes rubritorques

(2) 5 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Collared Sunbird**  
Hedydipna collaris

(5) 2 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Mikumi NP 27.9, 5 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

**Amani Sunbird**  
Hedydipna pallidigaster

(1) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Good views of a pair.
Olive Sunbird  
*Cyanomitra olivacea*  
(9) 1 Pemba 23.9, 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 4 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 1 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 1 heard W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

Amethyst Sunbird  
*Chalcomitra amethystina*  
(4) 2 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 2 Same 11.10.

Scarlet-chested Sunbird  
*Chalcomitra senegalensis*  
(7) 1 Pemba 23.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Hunter's Sunbird  
*Chalcomitra hunteri*  
(2) 2 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Bronzy Sunbird  
*Nectarinia kilimensis*  

Malachite Sunbird  
*Nectarinia famosa cupreonitens*  
(2) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Golden-winged Sunbird  
*Drepanorhynchus reichenowi reichenowi*  
(1) 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

*Great views.*

Eastern Double-collared Sunbird  
*Cinnyris mediocris*  
(1) 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Usambara Double-collared Sunbird  
*Cinnyris usambaricus*  
(2) 2 W Usumbara Mts 9.10 and 3 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

Moreau's Sunbird  
*Cinnyris moreaui*  
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

Loveridge's Sunbird  
*Cinnyris loveridgei*  
(2) 2 Uluguru Mountains 25.9 and 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9.

Beautiful Sunbird  
*Cinnyris pulchellus melanogaster*  
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Marico Sunbird  
*Cinnyris mariquensis suahelicus*  
(2) 1 Mikumi NP 27.9 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Hofmann's Sunbird  
*Cinnyris hofmanni*  
(2) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 5.10.

*Great sighting.*

Black-bellied Sunbird  
*Cinnyris nectarinioides nectarinioides*  
(1) 2 Same 11.10.

*Splendid views.*

Purple-banded Sunbird  
*Cinnyris bifasciatus microrhynchus*  
(6) 2 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Tsavo Sunbird  
*Cinnyris tsavoensis*  
(1) 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

*Good views.*
Pemba Sunbird  
*Pemba Sunbird* (*Cinnyris pembae*),
1. 6 Pemba 23.9.

Rufous-winged Sunbird  
*Rufous-winged Sunbird* (*Cinnyris rufipennis*),
1. 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9.
Cracking views of a male.

Variable Sunbird  
*Variable Sunbird* (*Cinnyris venustus falkensteini*),
6. 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Ngorongoro Crater 14.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Old World Sparrows *Passeridae*

White-browed Sparrow-Weaver  
*White-browed Sparrow-Weaver* (*Plocepasser mahali*),
5. 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 5 Mikumi NP 4.10, 10 Mikumi NP 5.10, 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

Rufous-tailed Weaver  
*Rufous-tailed Weaver* (*Histurgops ruficauda*),
4. 5 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 6 Serengeti NP 14.10, 6 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 30 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Grey-capped Social Weaver  
*Grey-capped Social Weaver* (*Pseudonigrita arnaudi*),
2. 100 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 20 Serengeti NP 16.10.

House Sparrow  
*House Sparrow* (*Passer domesticus*),
9. 30 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 20 Morogoro 24.9, 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 6 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Kenya Sparrow  
*Kenya Sparrow* (*Passer rufocinctus*),
1. 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Northern Grey-headed Sparrow  
*Northern Grey-headed Sparrow* (*Passer griseus ugandae*),
3. 4 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9 and 10 Mikumi NP 27.9.

Parrot-billed Sparrow  
*Parrot-billed Sparrow* (*Passer gongonensis*),
3. 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Swahili Sparrow  
*Swahili Sparrow* (*Passer suahelicus*),
5. 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 6 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 3 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

Chestnut Sparrow  
*Chestnut Sparrow* (*Passer eminibey*),
3. 200 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Yellow-throated Petronia  
*Yellow-throated Petronia* (*Gymnoris superciliaris*),
2. 3 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 20 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Yellow-spotted Petronia  
*Yellow-spotted Petronia* (*Gymnoris pyrgita pyrgita*),
2. 5 Same 11.10 and 6 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Weavers and Allies *Ploceidae*

Red-billed Buffalo Weaver  
*Red-billed Buffalo Weaver* (*Bubalornis niger intermedius*),
4. 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 10 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 10 Serengeti NP 16.10.

White-headed Buffalo Weaver  
*White-headed Buffalo Weaver* (*Dinemellia dinemelli*),
4. 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.
Speckle-fronted Weaver *Sporopipes frontalis emini*  
(2) 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Baglafecht Weaver *Ploceus baglafecht*  
(2) 1 W Usumbara Mts 10.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Bertram's Weaver *Ploceus bertrandi*  
(2) 3 Uluguru Mountains 25.9 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Little Weaver *Ploceus luteolus*  
(1) 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

Spectacled Weaver *Ploceus ocularis*  
(5) 1 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 2 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Iringa 27.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

Black-necked Weaver *Ploceus nigricollis*  
(6) 2 Same 11.10, 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 3 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Eastern Golden Weaver *Ploceus subaureus aureoflavus*  
(4) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 6 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 6.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10.

Holub's Golden Weaver *Ploceus xanthops*  
(1) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

Taveta Weaver *Ploceus castaneiceps*  
(1) 2 Same 11.10.

Kilombero Weaver (VU) *Ploceus burnieri*  
(1) 40 Mikumi NP 4.10.

Lesser Masked Weaver *Ploceus intermedius*  
(4) 3 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Vitelline Masked Weaver *Ploceus vitellinus uluensis*  

Speke's Weaver *Ploceus spekei*  
(1) 2 Serengeti NP 14.10.

Village Weaver *Ploceus cucullatus*  
(4) 20 Morogoro 24.9, 20 Iringa 27.9, 10 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Same 11.10.

Chestnut Weaver *Ploceus rubiginosus rubiginosus*  
(2) 3 Same 11.10 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Dark-backed Weaver *Ploceus bicolor*  
(4) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10.

Usambara Weaver (EN) *Ploceus nicolli*  
(1) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

Red-headed Quelea *Quelea erythrops*  
(1) 3 Mikumi NP 4.10.

Red-billed Quelea *Quelea quelea aethiopica*  
(5) 50 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10, 100 Same 11.10, 500 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to
Tarangire NP 13.10 and 20 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Fire-fronted Bishop**  
*Euplectes diadematus*  
(1) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Zanzibar Red Bishop**  
*Euplectes nigroventris*  
(1) 20 Dar es Salaam 22.9.

**Black-winged Red Bishop**  
*Euplectes hordeaceus hordeaceus*  
(2) 4 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10.

**Yellow Bishop**  
*Euplectes capensis crassirostris*  
(4) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Fan-tailed Widowbird**  
*Euplectes axillaris*  
(2) 2 Morogoro 24.9 and 3 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**White-winged Widowbird**  
*Euplectes albonotatus*  
(1) 10 Morogoro 25.9.

**Red-collared Widowbird**  
*Euplectes ardens*  
(1) 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10.

### Waxbills and Allies *Estrildidae*

**Orange-winged Pytilia**  
*Pytilia afra*  
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Green-winged Pytilia**  
*Pytilia melba*  
(2) 8 Same 11.10 and 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Cut-throat Finch**  
*Amadina fasciata alexanderi*  
(5) 4 Mikumi NP 4.10, 2 Mikumi NP 5.10, 10 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 6 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Red-faced Crimsonwing**  
*Cryptospiza reichenovii australis*  
(4) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10 and 3 W Usambara Mts 10.10.

**Red-throated Twinspot**  
*Hypargos niveoguttatus macrospilotus*  
(3) 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 8.10, 1 W Usambara Mts 9.10 and 1 Same 11.10.

**Red-billed Firefinch**  
*Lagonosticta senegala ruberrima*  
(2) 10 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**African Firefinch**  
*Lagonosticta rubricata haematocephala*  
(4) 10 Uluguru Mountains 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Blue Waxbill**  
*Uraeginthus angolensis niaassensis*  
(5) 2 Morogoro 22.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9, 6 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 10 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Red-cheeked Cordon-bleu**  
*Uraeginthus bengalus*  
(2) 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Blue-capped Cordon-bleu**  
*Uraeginthus cyanocephalus*  
(7) 4 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 2 Same 11.10, 3 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 4 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.
**Purple Grenadier**  *Uraeginthus ianthinogaster*  
(5) 2 Same 11.10, 8 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 1 Serengeti NP 14.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Yellow-bellied Waxbill**  *Coccopygia quartinia*  
(6) Up to 6 Uluguru Mountains 25-27.9, 4 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 6 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Same 11.10.

**Common Waxbill**  *Estrilda astrild*  

**Black-faced Waxbill**  *Estrilda erythronotos delamerei*  
(3) 2 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 3 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Orange-breasted Waxbill**  *Amandava subflava clarkei*  
(2) 1 heard Morogoro 24.9 and 6 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Quailfinch**  *Ortygospiza atricollis muelleri*  
(1) 8 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**African Silverbill**  *Euodice cantans orientalis*  
(1) 25 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Grey-headed Silverbill**  *Odontospiza caniceps*  
(1) 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Bronze Mannikin**  *Lonchura cucullata scutata*  
(4) 10 Morogoro 24.9, 15 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 20 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Red-backed Mannikin**  *Lonchura nigriceps*  

**Magpie Mannikin**  *Lonchura fringilloides*  
(1) 12 Mikumi NP 4.10.  
Great sighting.

**Java Sparrow**  *Lonchura oryzivora*  
(1) 1 Pemba 23.9.

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**Indigobirds** *Viduidae*

**Village Indigobird**  *Vidua chalybeata*  
(1) 3 Dar es Salaam 22.9.

**Pin-tailed Whydah**  *Vidua macroura*  
(3) 10 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 6 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Straw-tailed Whydah**  *Vidua fischeri*  
(1) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Long-tailed Paradise Whydah**  *Vidua paradisaea*  
(4) 1 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 2 Same 11.10 and 10 Tarangire NP 14.10.

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**Wagtails and Pipits** *Motacillidae*

**Western Yellow Wagtail**  *Motacilla flava*  
Great sighting.
(3) 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 6 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Grey Wagtail**
- Motacilla cinerea cinerea
(1) 1 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

**Mountain Wagtail**
- Motacilla clara torrentium
(3) 2 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 3 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10 and 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10.

**African Pied Wagtail**
- Motacilla aguimp vidua
(11) 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Iringa 27.9, 4 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 3 Mikumi NP 4.10, up to 6 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6-8.10, 3 Same 11.10, 5 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Yellow-throated Longclaw**
- Macronyx croceus
(3) 7 Mikumi NP 5.10, 3 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Pangani Longclaw**
- Macronyx aurantiigula
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Rosy-throated Longclaw**
- Macronyx ameliae
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**African Pipit**
- Anthus cinnamomeus
(11) 2 Dar es Salaam 22.9, 2 Pemba 23.9, 1 Morogoro 24.9, 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 5 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Long-billed Pipit**
- Anthus similis
(3) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 1 Ngorongoro Crater 14.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Finches, Euphonias Fringillidae**

**Oriole Finch**
- Linurgus olivaceus kilimensis
(1) 2 W Usumbara Mts 10.10.

**Southern Citril**
- Crithagra hyposticta hyposticta
(4) 3 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Reichenow's Seedeeater**
- Crithagra reichenowi
(1) 8 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Yellow-fronted Canary**
- Crithagra mozambica
(4) 6 Morogoro 24.9, 2 Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Mikumi NP 4.10 and 10 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**White-bellied Canary**
- Crithagra dorsostriata
(5) 3 Same 11.10, 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 3 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Southern Grosbeak-Canary**
- Crithagra buchanani
(1) 4 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Brimstone Canary**
- Crithagra sulphurata sharpii
(2) 3 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 4.10.

**Reichard's Seedeeater**
- Crithagra reichardi reichardi
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Thick-billed Seedeeater**
- Crithagra burtoni kilimensis
(2) 4 Ngorongoro Crater 14.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Streaky Seedeater**  
*Critchagra striolata striolata*  
(1) 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Yellow-browed Seedeater**  
*Critchagra whytii*  
(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 29.9 and 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

**Kipengere Seedeater**  
*Critchagra melanochroa*  
(1) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 1.10.

**Yellow-crowned Canary**  
*Serinus flavivertex*  
(1) 4 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

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**Buntings, Sparrows and Allies Emberizidae**

**Cinnamon-breasted Bunting**  
*Emberiza tahapisi tahapisi*  
(3) 5 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 5 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Somali Bunting**  
*Emberiza poliopleura*  
(2) 2 Same 11.10 and 8 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

**Golden-breasted Bunting**  
*Emberiza flaviventris kalaharica*  
(2) 1 heard Mikumi NP 4.10 and 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Cabanis's Bunting**  
*Emberiza cabanisi orientalis*  
(4) 1 Uluguru Mountains 25.9, 1 heard Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 1 Mikumi NP 4.10.

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**Mammals (45 in total: 43 seen, 2 heard)**

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**Elephants Elephantidae**  
*African Elephant*  
*Loxodonta africana*  
(7) 12 Mikumi NP 27.9, 9 Mikumi NP 5.10, 6 Mikumi NP 6.10, 40 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 20 Serengeti NP 14.10, 10 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Galagos Galagidae**  
**Small-eared Greater Galago**  
*Otolemur garnettii*  
(2) 1 heard Mikumi NP 5.10 and 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

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**Old World Monkeys Cercopithecidae**

**Blue Monkey**  
*Cercopithecus mitis*  
(8) 1 Uluguru Mountains 26.9, 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 28.9, 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10, 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and up to 10 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7-9.10.

**Vervet**  
*Chlorocebus pygerythrus*  
(9) 10 Pemba 23.9, 6 Morogoro 24.9, 4 Mikumi NP 4.10, 10 Same 11.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 6 Serengeti NP 14.10, 20 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 6 Ngorongoro
Angola Colobus  
*Colobus angolensis palliatus*  
(4) 8 Uluguru Mountains 26.9 and up to 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7-9.10.

Guereza  
*Colobus guereza*  
(1) 1 heard Serengeti NP 15.10.

Olive Baboon  
*Papio anubis*  

Yellow Baboon  
*Papio cynocephalus cynocephalus*  
(6) 30 Mikumi NP 27.9, 20 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, up to 100 Mikumi NP 4-6.10 and 2 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 9.10.

Udzungwa Red Colobus  
*Procolobus gordonorum*  
(1) 1 heard Udzungwa Mountains NP 2.10.

**Rabbits, Hares Leporidae**

Cape Hare  
*Lepus capensis*  
(1) 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

African Savanna Hare  
*Lepus microtis*  
(2) 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**True Mice and Rats, Gerbils, Spiny Mice, Crested Rat Muridae**

African Grass Rat  
*Arvicanthis niloticus*  
(3) Up to 6 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

Climbing Mice, Rock Mice, White-tailed Rat, Malagasy Rats and Mice Nesomyidae

Gambian Rat  
*Cricetomys gambianus*  
(1) 1 W Usumbara Mts 9.10.

**Squirrels Sciuridae**

Red-legged Sun Squirrel  
*Heliosciurus rufobrachium*  
(1) 4 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

Ochre Bush Squirrel  
*Paraxerus ochraceus*  
(2) 1 Same 11.10 and 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10.

Unstriped Ground Squirrel  
*Xerus rutilus*  
(1) 1 Tarangire NP 14.10.

**Cats Felidae**

Cheetah  
*Acinonyx jubatus fearsoni*  
(2) 2 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Serval  
*Leptailurus serval*  
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

Lion  
*Panthera leo leo*  
(4) 3 Mikumi NP 5.10, 5 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 10 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 6 Serengeti NP
16.10.

**Mongooses Herpestidae**

**Common Dwarf Mongoose**
*Helogale parvula*
(4) 3 Same 11.10, 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 4 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 8 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Egyptian Mongoose**
*Herpestes ichneumon*
(2) 2 Same 11.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Slender Mongoose**
*Herpestes sanguineus*
(1) 2 Mikumi NP 5.10.

**Banded Mongoose**
*Mungos mungo*
(3) 20 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 20 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 20 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Hyaenas, Aardwolf Hyaenidae**

**Spotted Hyaena**
*Crocuta crocuta*
(3) Up to 16 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Wolves, Coyote, Foxes, Jackals Canidae**

**Side-striped Jackal**
*Canis adustus*
(1) 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Golden Jackal**
*Canis aureus*
(1) 3 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Black-backed Jackal**
*Canis mesomelas*
(3) 6 Mikumi NP 5.10, 4 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 2 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Zebras, Horse, Asses Equidae**

**Plains Zebra**
*Equus quagga*
(8) 30 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 30 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 30 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 5000 Serengeti NP 14.10, 1000 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 100 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Rhinoceroses Rhinocerotidae**

**Black Rhinoceros**
*Diceros bicornis*
(1) 1 Serengeti NP 14.10.

**Pigs Suidae**

**Common Warthog**
*Phacochoerus africanus massaicus*
(8) 3 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 12 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 10 Serengeti NP 14.10, 20 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 10 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Hippopotamuses Hippopotamidae**

**Hippopotamus**
*Hippopotamus amphibius amphibius*
**Cattle, Antelopes, Sheep, Goats Bovidae**

**Impala**  
*Aepyceros melampus melampus*  
(8) 400 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 200 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 100 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 100 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Hartebeest**  
*Alcelaphus buselaphus*  
(2) 10 Serengeti NP 14.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Common Wildebeest**  
*Connochaetes taurinus*  
(8) 6 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 50 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 200 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 10000 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Topi**  
*Damasicus lunatus jimela*  
(3) Up to 30 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Thomson's Gazelle**  
*Eudorcas thomsonii*  
(4) 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 500 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Waterbuck**  
*Kobus ellipsiprymnus*  
(1) 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Kirk's Dik-dik**  
*Madoqua kirkii*  
(6) 1 Mikumi NP 27.9, 1 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10, 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 2 Tarangire NP 14.10, 9 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 4 Serengeti NP 16.10.

**Grant's Gazelle**  
*Nanger granti*  
(4) 4 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 100 Serengeti NP 14.10, 10 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 50 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Bohor Reedbuck**  
*Redunca redunca*  
(4) 1 Mikumi NP 5.10 and up to 3 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**African Buffalo**  
*Syncerus caffer*  
(7) 5 Mikumi NP 27.9, 6 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 100 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 200 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**Common Eland**  
*Tragelaphus oryx*  
(4) 20 Mikumi NP 5.10, 10 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10, 6 Tarangire NP 14.10 and 10 Serengeti NP 15.10.

**Bushbuck**  
*Tragelaphus scriptus*  
(5) 1 Mikumi NP 27.9, 2 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 1 Mikumi NP 5.10, 1 Serengeti NP 15.10 and 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Giraffe, Okapi Giraffidae**

**Giraffe**  
*Giraffa camelopardalis*  
(8) 20 Mikumi NP 27.9, up to 20 Mikumi NP 4-6.10, 3 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and up to 43 Serengeti NP 14-16.10.

**False Vampire Bats Megadermatidae**

**Yellow-winged Bat**  
*Lavia frons*  
(1) 1 Tarangire NP 14.10.
Reptiles (10 in total: 10 seen)

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### Tortoises Testudinidae

**Leopard Tortoise**

*Stigmochelys pardalis babcocki*

(1) 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

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### Afro-American Sideneck Turtles Pelomedusidae

**Helmeted Turtle**

*Pelomedusa subrufa*

(2) 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 1 Serengeti NP 15.10.

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### Agamas Agamidae

**Southern Tree Agama**

*Acanthocercus atricollis*

(1) 1 Ngorongoro Crater 16.10.

**Common Agama**

*Agama agama*

(3) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10, 2 Nyumba ya Mungu 12.10 and 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10.

**Mwanza Flat-headed Agama**

*Agama mwanzae*

(1) 2 Serengeti NP 16.10.

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### Chameleons Chamaeleonidae

**Flap-neck Chameleon**

*Chamaeleo dilepis*

(1) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10.

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### Geckos Gekkonidae

**House Gecko**

*Hemidactylus mabouia*

(2) 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 6.10 and 1 Amani NR, E Usambara Mts 7.10.

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### Skinks Scincidae

**Variable Skink**

*Trachylepis varia*

(1) 1 Dar es Salaam 24.9.

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### Monitor Lizards Varanidae

**Nile Monitor**

*Varanus niloticus*

(4) 1 Dar es Salaam 24.9, 1 Mikumi NP 4.10, 1 Arusha to Tarangire NP 13.10 and 2 Serengeti NP 15.10.

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### Crocodiles and relatives Crocodylidae

**Nile Crocodile**

*Crocodylus niloticus africanus*

(2) 1 Udzungwa Mountains NP 3.10 and 10 Serengeti NP 15.10.
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