

# India - Tiger Direct!

Naturetrek Tour Report

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Dry Ground Barasingha in morning mist at Kahna NP



Indian Scops Owl



Jackal at Pench NP



Tiger at Kahna NP

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## Day 1

Wednesday 1st February

Departure from the UK

## Day 2

Thursday 2nd February

The group arrived at the airport from Mumbai. John and Chris, Colin and Marian have been to India before but Jean and Julia are here for the first time. (John and Chris have been before to India 6 times and have seen more than 4,500 birds all over the world) but I'll try to show them at least one new bird for their trip. Let's hope for the best? We checked into the Tuli Imperial Hotel and met the guests for dinner at 7pm and had explained the programme for tomorrow. We went to bed around 08:45 pm.

## Day 3

Friday 3rd February

It was a very sunny day today. Around 25 degrees C

Met with the guests at 08:00 am for breakfast and left from Nagpur to Tadoba National Park at 9am. We reached Tadoba at 12:15 and were welcomed by the owner and the naturalist guide here. Met for lunch at 1pm and then off to the park at 01:45 pm and got back from the park at 05:30pm. (I went with John and Chris and Colin and Marian and Jean and Julia went with Sameer the naturalist). We had tea and coffee after we came back from the park and then met again for the bonfire at 7pm and then dinner at 8pm before the checklist at 08:30 and then off to bed.

## Day 4

Saturday 4th February

Wake up was at 0530 and we met for tea and coffee at 0530 hrs and then left for the park at 0545 hrs. It was quite cold in the morning. We had breakfast at 1045 hrs and then met for lunch at 1pm and then off to the park again at 0145 hrs. It was very hot in the afternoon. We came back at the same time around 0515 hrs and then had tea and then met for the bonfire and drinks before dinner at 8pm. We then did the checklist at 0845 and then lights off.

## Day 5

Sunday 5th February

An early morning wake up call was followed by tea and coffee at the same time, 0530 hrs and then off to the park.

We had some nice birding with some deer alarm calls and monkeys were also calling as there was leopard nearby. We came back at 1045 and had breakfast and then at 1130 the owner took the guests to their CCTV camera area to show them what had been recorded in the last few days.

We met for the lunch at 1 pm and then off to the park at same time as yesterday at 0145 pm. We got back from the park after some good birding and some common animals (but no tigers) and met for the bonfire and drinks at 7 and then followed by the dinner, the checklist, and then off to bed around 9pm.

## Day 6

## Monday 6th February

We had an early wake up call again and it was the last drive for us in Tadoba. We went to the park and had some good alarm calls of spotted deer and monkeys but the hero of the park did not appear and we got back at 0930 from the park and then had breakfast and left for the drive to Nagpur at 1030.

We reached Nagpur around 0130 pm and met Dilip Saini at the Tuli Imperial and had lunch in the hotel and then left to go to Pench National Park at around 0230 pm and reached Pench at 0430pm. We were welcomed by the manager of the hotel and after we checked in we went for the walk before we got picked up and taken back to the hotel. We met for dinner at 0730 pm and then did the checklist and went to bed around 9.

Half of the group did not arrive at the start of their tour as their flight got delayed at London Heathrow but we will see them tomorrow with Dilip Saini.

## Day 7

## Tuesday 7th February

Weather was about 10 degrees

We had an early morning wake up call at 0530 and then tea and coffee in the restaurant. We went to the park with a packed breakfast and had a good morning and got the first chance to see Tiger from the elephant back ride. We saw the female cub of 15 months sitting over the rock. Everybody was very happy to see a tiger for the first time! We got back from the park around 11am.

Five more participants arrived today with Dilip Saini. (Tour leader)

Christopher Steeden  
Antony Waller  
Robert North  
Patricia North  
Lynn Brooks

Around 12pm Dilip came with the rest of the group and got introduced and then everybody met for lunch at 1pm and then off to the park in three vehicles at 3pm and had good birding and some kingfishers and some common animals, and got back at 0630 pm. We met again for dinner at 730 and did the checklist before heading off to bed at 9pm.

## Day 8

## Wednesday 8th February

An early wakeup call again, and then we met for the tea and coffee and left for the park. We went again on the elephants but they did not find a tiger, and after seeing the common stuff we got back to the hotel at 0915. We left Pench at 12pm with a packed lunch to go to Kanha National Park.

Around 1 pm we stopped at a lake to see some nice birds like jacana, purple heron, purple swamp hen, tufted duck, gadwall and common coot and others, and we also saw a big group of Flying Foxes (fruit bats). Then we left from there and stopped again at another lake for lunch. We reached Kanha Jungle Lodge around 0545 pm. After we checked in we met to see the resident flying squirrel at 0615 pm (as the usual time to see the squirrel is 630 pm) but today it came out and glided over to the other tree at 6 pm, and we did not see it again! We met for dinner at 0730 followed by the checklist and then off to the bed at 9 pm.

## Day 9

## Thursday 9 February

We met for tea and coffee after an early wake up call at 0530 in the morning and left for the park at 0615. It was 7 degrees today. We splitting the group so we could have a chance to go with different people and share our knowledge and experience with everyone. We had very good drive on a nice and misty morning in the beautiful forest of Kanha. We saw some nice Barasingha in the water and guests got some photos of them with the mist covering the lake. We had a Spotted Deer alarm call at bishanpura meadows but did not find anything. At one of the places there was a tiger roar and some other vehicles got to see the Tiger and one of the other guests saw a female with four cubs crossing road but none of our group saw any as we were in the Mukki range and the others were in Kisli zone.

Got back from the park around 12 and met for lunch at 1 pm and then off to the park again at 245pm. We had some alarm calls and saw some nice birds again. We got back from the park at 6 and then we waited for the flying squirrel and today we all got to see the squirrel coming out of his roost and then gliding to the other tree. We met for dinner at 730 and then did the checklist before we all went to bed around 9 pm.

## Day 10

## Friday 10th February

Got up again at 0530 and met for tea and coffee at 6 and left for the park at 0615 in 3 vehicles again. It was 5 degrees today. We had a good drive again with some very excited alarm calls but again did not see the tiger this morning. Got back from the park and met for lunch at 1 and then off to the park at 0245 pm. I met with the mahouts and we ended up having a very good sighting. We heard a male and female growling to each other after mating and then at first the male tiger came out, and then the female, and after they both came out of the bush the elephant mahouts followed them both as they crossed the road and went to the kill which they had made and started eating. After this, we all came out with very happy faces. We met for dinner at 0730, did the checklist and then the lights off.

## Day 11

## Saturday 11th February

Got up at the same time and met for tea and coffee at 6 and then left for the park at 0615 am. It was 3 degrees in the morning.

Before we left I told my drivers to stay together in the park and as we reached to the place where we saw the tigers yesterday the female tiger came out and walked over the road, so everybody in the group got to see the Tigers. We came back and met for lunch at 1 and then off to the park again at 0245.

Today we were trying to see the cubs as some cars saw them in the morning. This time I was with John and Christine, Colin and Marian and we reached to place where the tigers were seen and we waited there for some time and after that I heard the roar of a tiger who was calling her cubs so we stopped at the point where this tiger always crosses the road and waited there. After 45 minutes the mother tiger came over the road behind our vehicle and after a few seconds one cub of 3 months came out and then after another few seconds 2 more cubs came out and they all crossed the road. We went back to the hotel around 6pm. We had tea and coffee and saw the flying squirrel again gliding from the tree. We met for dinner at 730 and then did the checklist before going off to bed at 9.

## Day 12

**Sunday 12th February**

We met for tea and coffee and left for the final drive to the park. Today we decided to go to the top of the park Bahmnidadar. Everybody liked this place and the idea was to have the breakfast at the top of the park. On the way there we heard the fighting and roar of a Tiger and an Indian Gaur in the bamboo forest but they did not come out and then one of the vehicles saw a Leopard running over the road. We had a good breakfast and got back to the hotel at 10 and then met for the checkout at 11:30 and left Kanha Jungle Lodge with a packed lunch to have by the lake.

On way two kids were playing and one of the kids pushed the other one at the car, but the driver was very fast enough to control the situation. Everybody was fine but a little shocked with the incident. We had a good lunch and got to Nagpur hotel Tuli Imperial around 6pm and we met for dinner and the checklist at 730 and then off to bed around 0845pm.

## Day 13

**Monday 13th February**

I met with the group at 0700 am to get ready to leave the hotel for the airport. We checked out at 07:15 after having breakfast and were at the airport at 07:30. We said our goodbyes and best wishes to the group for their flight to Mumbai and the flight back home.

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## Species List

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

	Common name	Scientific name	February									
			3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	11
1	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
2	Indian Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax fuscicollis</i>			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
3	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>			✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
4	Little Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax niger</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
5	Oriental Darter	<i>Anhinga melanogaster</i>	✓		✓		✓	✓				
6	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>					✓	✓				
7	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>						✓				
8	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
9	Intermediate Egret	<i>Egretta intermedia</i>		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
10	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
11	Indian Pond-heron	<i>Ardeola grayii</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
12	Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
13	Asian Openbill	<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>	✓		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
14	Black Stork	<i>Ciconia nigra</i>			✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
15	Woolly-necked Stork	<i>Ciconia episcopus</i>							✓		✓	
16	Lesser Adjutant	<i>Leptoptilos javanicus</i>				✓						
17	Black-headed Ibis	<i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>		✓	✓	✓						
18	Red-naped Ibis	<i>Pseudibis papillosa</i>	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	
19	Lesser Whistling-duck	<i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>	✓	✓					✓	✓	✓	
20	Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>			✓		✓	✓				
21	Common Shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>								✓		
22	Cotton Pygmy-goose	<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>						✓				
23	Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>						✓	✓	✓	✓	
24	Common Teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>							✓	✓	✓	
25	Spot-billed Duck	<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>					✓					
26	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>					✓		✓	✓		
27	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>								✓		

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28	Northern Shoveler	<i>Anas clypeata</i>									✓		
29	Red-crested Pochard	<i>Netta rufina</i>								✓	✓		
30	Common Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>									✓		
31	Tufted Duck	<i>Aythya fuligula</i>							✓				
32	Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>							✓				
33	Oriental Honey-buzzard	<i>Pernis ptilorhynchus</i>		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓				
34	Black-shouldered Kite	<i>Elanus caeruleus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
35	Black Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	✓			✓							
36	Brahminy Kite	<i>Haliastur indus</i>					✓						
37	Grey-headed Fish-eagle	<i>Ichthyophaga ichthyaetus</i>		✓			✓						
38	White-rumped Vulture	<i>Gyps bengalensis</i>					✓						
39	Crested Serpent-eagle	<i>Spilornis cheela</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓			h	✓	
40	Shikra	<i>Accipiter badius</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓			
41	Eurasian Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>										✓	
42	White-eyed Buzzard	<i>Butastur teesa</i>	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓					
43	Rufous-bellied Eagle	<i>Lophotriorchis kienerii</i>								✓		✓	
44	Booted Eagle	<i>Aquila pennatus</i>					✓						
45	Changeable Hawk-eagle	<i>Spizaetus cirrhatus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
46	Common Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>			✓						✓		
47	Peregrine Falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>							✓				
48	Grey Francolin	<i>Francolinus pondicerianus</i>		h	h	h					✓		
49	Jungle Bush-quail	<i>Perdicula asiatica</i>	✓		✓						✓		
50	Red Spurfowl	<i>Galloperdix spadicea</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓							
51	Indian Peafowl	<i>Pavo cristatus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
52	Grey Jungle fowl	<i>Gallus sonneratii</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓							
53	Red Jungle fowl	<i>Gallus gallus</i>					✓				✓	✓	
54	White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>					✓	✓					
55	Purple Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>						✓					
56	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>						✓	✓				
57	Common Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>						✓	✓				
58	Pheasant-tailed Jacana	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>						✓					
59	Bronze-winged Jacana	<i>Metopidius indicus</i>						✓					

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60	Greater Painted-snipe	<i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>								✓			
61	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>			✓								
62	Stone-curlew	<i>Burhinus oedicnemus</i>		h	h						✓		
63	Yellow-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus malabaricus</i>					h				✓		
64	Red-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus indicus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
65	Little -ringed plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	✓										
66	Common Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	✓	✓	✓								
67	Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓		
68	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>						✓			✓		
69	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>								✓			
70	River Tern	<i>Sterna aurantia</i>				✓	✓	✓					
71	Rock Dove	<i>Columba livia</i>	✓				✓	✓					
72	Oriental Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia orientalis</i>									✓		
73	Eurasian Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
74	Spotted Dove	<i>Streptopelia chinensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
75	Laughing Dove	<i>Streptopelia senegalensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
76	Yellow-footed Pigeon	<i>Treron phoenicoptera</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	
77	Alexandrine Parakeet	<i>Psittacula eupatria</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
78	Rose-ringed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
79	Plum-headed Parakeet	<i>Psittacula cyanocephala</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
80	Common Hawk-cuckoo	<i>Cuculus varius</i>							h	✓	h	✓	
81	Asian Koel	<i>Eudynamys scolopacea</i>						h					
82	Green-billed Malkoha	<i>Phaenicophaeus tristis</i>											
83	Sirkeer Malkoha	<i>Phaenicophaeus leschenaultii</i>	✓					✓		✓	✓	✓	
84	Greater Coucal	<i>Centropus sinensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	
85	Indian Scops-owl	<i>Otus bakkamoena</i>						✓	✓	✓		✓	
86	Brown Fish-owl	<i>Ketupa zeylonensis</i>				✓							
87	Jungle Owlet	<i>Glaucidium radiatum</i>			h	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
88	Spotted Owlet	<i>Athene brama</i>		✓	✓	✓			✓		✓		
89	Indian Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus asiaticus</i>			h								
90	White-rumped Spinetail	<i>Zoonavena sylvatica</i>								✓			
91	Crested Treeswift	<i>Hemiprocne coronata</i>				✓				✓	✓	✓	



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92	Common Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓			
93	White-throated Kingfisher	<i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
94	Pied Kingfisher	<i>Ceryle rudis</i>			✓		✓	✓	✓		✓		
95	Green Bee-eater	<i>Merops orientalis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
96	Indian Roller	<i>Coracias benghalensis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
97	Eurasian Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>	✓				✓		✓	✓	✓		
98	Indian Grey Hornbill	<i>Ocyrceros birostris</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
99	Malabar Pied-hornbill	<i>Anthracosceros coronatus</i>					✓	✓					
100	Brown-headed Barbet	<i>Megalaima zeylanica</i>					h	h	✓		✓		
101	Coppersmith Barbet	<i>Megalaima haemacephala</i>		✓	✓	✓	h			h	h		
102	Grey-capped Pygmy Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos canicapillus</i>			✓			✓					
103	Brown-capped Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos moluccensis nanus</i>		✓									
104	Yellow-crowned Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos mahrattensis</i>					✓	✓					
105	Rufous Woodpecker	<i>Celeus brachyurus</i>			h					✓			
106	Streak-throated Woodpecker	<i>Picus xanthopygaeus</i>		✓									
107	Black-rumped Flameback	<i>Dinopium benghalense</i>	h	h	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓		
108	White-naped Woodpecker	<i>Chrysocolaptes festivus</i>	h	h	✓		✓		✓	✓			
109	Singing Bushlark	<i>Mirafra cantillans</i>			✓								
110	Ashy-crowned Sparrow-lark	<i>Eremopterix grisea</i>			✓		✓						
111	Rufous-tailed Lark	<i>Ammomanes phoenicurus</i>			✓								
112	Dusky Crag-martin	<i>Ptyonoprogne concolor</i>		✓	✓								
113	Barn Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>					✓						
114	Wire-tailed Swallow	<i>Hirundo smithii</i>	✓	✓	✓		✓						
115	Red-rumped Swallow	<i>Cecropis daurica</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
116	White Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>						✓					
117	White-browed Wagtail	<i>Motacilla madaraspatensis</i>					✓						
118	Citrine Wagtail	<i>Motacilla citreola</i>					✓						
119	Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>						✓	✓				
120	Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
121	Oriental Pipit	<i>Anthus rufulus</i>	✓				✓			✓			
122	Tawny Pipit	<i>Anthus campestris</i>						✓					
123	Large Cuckoo-shrike	<i>Coracina macei</i>		h			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		

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124	Common Woodshrike	<i>Tephrodornis pondicerianus</i>					✓						
125	Scarlet Minivet	<i>Pericrocotus flammeus</i>						h	h	h	h		
126	Red-vented Bulbul	<i>Pycnonotus cafer</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
127	Blue-winged Leafbird	<i>Chloropsis cochinchinensis</i>		✓									
128	Golden-fronted Leafbird	<i>Chloropsis aurifrons</i>					✓						
129	Orange-headed Thrush	<i>Zoothera citrina</i>		✓									
130	Scaly Thrush	<i>Zoothera dauma</i>		✓									
131	Zitting Cisticola	<i>Cisticola juncidis</i>							✓				
132	Grey-breasted Prinia	<i>Prinia hodgsonii</i>		✓	✓					✓			
133	Jungle Prinia	<i>Prinia sylvatica</i>		✓	✓	✓							
134	Ashy Prinia	<i>Prinia socialis</i>			✓								
135	Plain Prinia	<i>Prinia inornata</i>		✓	✓				✓	✓	✓		
136	Paddyfield Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus agricola</i>								✓			
137	Blyth's Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus dumetorum</i>							✓				
138	Common Tailorbird	<i>Orthotomus sutorius</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						
139	Dusky Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus fuscatus</i>			✓								
140	Tickell's Leaf-warbler	<i>Phylloscopus affinis</i>					✓						
141	Sulphur-bellied Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus griseolus</i>						✓					
142	Hume's Leaf Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus humei</i>			✓			✓	✓		✓		
143	Greenish Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochiloides</i>			✓					✓	✓		
144	Lesser Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia curruca</i>			✓	✓							
145	Red-breasted Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula parva</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓		
146	Ultramarine Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula superciliaris</i>				✓							
147	Verditer Flycatcher	<i>Eumyias thalassina</i>				✓	✓			✓			
148	Tickell's Blue-flycatcher	<i>Cyornis tickelliae</i>	✓	✓	✓						✓		
149	Grey-headed Canary-flycatcher	<i>Culicicapa ceylonensis</i>					h						
150	Bluethroat	<i>Luscinia svecica</i>								✓			
151	Oriental Magpie-robin	<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
152	White-rumped Shama	<i>Copsychus malabaricus</i>									✓		
153	Indian Robin	<i>Saxicoloides fulicata</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
154	Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>				✓	✓		✓				
155	Pied Bushchat	<i>Saxicola caprata</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓			

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156	Indian Chat	<i>Cercomela fusca</i>	✓							✓	✓	✓	
157	Black-naped Monarch	<i>Hypothymis azurea</i>		h	h				✓				
158	Asian Paradise-flycatcher	<i>Terpsiphone paradisi</i>				✓							
159	Indian Scimitar-babbler	<i>Pomatorhinus horsfieldii</i>								h	✓		
160	Tawny-bellied Babbler	<i>Dumetia hyperythra</i>		✓									
161	Yellow-eyed Babbler	<i>Chrysomma sinense</i>									✓		
162	Large Grey Babbler	<i>Turdoides malcolmi</i>	✓										
163	Jungle Babbler	<i>Turdoides striatus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
164	Brown-cheeked Fulvetta	<i>Alcippe poiocephala</i>								✓	✓	✓	
165	Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>			✓					✓			
166	Chestnut-bellied Nuthatch	<i>Sitta castanea</i>											✓
167	Purple Sunbird	<i>Cinnyris asiaticus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			
168	Thick-billed Flowerpecker	<i>Dicaeum agile</i>									✓		
169	Eurasian Golden Oriole	<i>Oriolus oriolus</i>									✓		
170	Black-hooded Oriole	<i>Oriolus xanthornus</i>			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
171	Brown Shrike	<i>Lanius cristatus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
172	Bay-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius vittatus</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
173	Long-tailed Shrike	<i>Lanius schach</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓
174	Southern Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius meridionalis</i>				✓							
175	Common Woodshrike	<i>Tephrodornis pondicerianus</i>						✓					
176	Black Drongo	<i>Dicrurus macrocercus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
177	White-bellied Drongo	<i>Dicrurus caerulescens</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
178	Hair-crested Drongo	<i>Dicrurus hottentottus</i>			✓					✓	✓	✓	
179	Greater Racket-tailed Drongo	<i>Dicrurus paradiseus</i>				h	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
180	Rufous Treepie	<i>Dendrocitta vagabunda</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
181	House Crow	<i>Corvus splendens</i>	✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
182	Large-billed Crow	<i>Corvus macrorhynchos</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
183	Common Myna	<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
184	Asian Pied Starling	<i>Gracupica contra</i>	✓						✓				
185	Brahminy Starling	<i>Temenuchus pagodarum</i>		✓		✓	✓	✓					
186	House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	✓			✓							
187	Chestnut-shouldered Petronia	<i>Petronia xanthocollis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			

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188	Baya Weaver	<i>Ploceus philippinus</i>			✓								
189	Red Avadavat	<i>Amandava amandava</i>		✓		✓							

### Mammals

1	Royal Bengal Tiger	<i>Panthera tigris tigris</i>					✓		✓	✓	✓	
2	Jungle Cat	<i>Felis chaus kelaarita or kutas</i>								✓	✓	
3	Rhesus Macaque	<i>Macaca mulatta</i>					✓	✓				
4	Common Langur	<i>Presbytis entellus</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
5	Common Mongoose	<i>Herpestes edwardsi</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓						
6	Ruddy Mongoose	<i>Herpestes smithii</i>		✓					✓	✓		
7	Golden Jackal	<i>Canis aureus</i>					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
8	Indian Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus giganteus</i>	✓					✓				
9	Indian Tree Shrew	<i>Anathana ellioti</i>							✓			
10	Three-striped Palm Squirrel	<i>Funambulus pennarum</i>							✓	✓	✓	
11	Five-striped Palm Squirrel	<i>Funambulus pennanti</i>		✓		✓	✓		✓		✓	
12	Indian Giant Flying Squirrel	<i>Petaurista philippensis</i>							✓	✓		
13	Gaur (Indian Bison)	<i>Bos guarus</i>	✓		✓			✓			✓	✓
14	Sambar	<i>Cervus unicolor</i>		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
15	Barasingha (Swamp Deer)	<i>Cervus duvauceli branderi</i>							✓	✓	✓	
16	Chital (Spotted Deer)	<i>Cervus axis</i>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
17	Indian Muntjac (Barking Deer)	<i>Muntiacus muntjak</i>		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	
18	Indian Wild Boar	<i>Sus scrofa</i>		✓			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

### Others

1	Marsh Mugger Crocodile	<i>Crocodylus palustris</i>	✓		✓							
2	Common Garden Lizard	<i>Calotes versicolor</i>	✓									
3	House Gecko species	<i>Hemidactylus or Gehyra etc sp</i>			✓							

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