

Birding Trip Report to Ethiopia,

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Bale Mountains

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Logistics

We hired a car with driver with [Red Jackal](#). The cost of the car was 140 US\$/day. This is rather expensive. By going with 5 persons, we were able to reduce the personal price. Our driver was Tessara. It was one of the first times he was driving around with hardcore birders. We had a few discussions with him about our intensive birding schedule and the many hours we spend in the field but finally, we managed to solve these discussions. We had enough time in each place for birdwatching, he had enough time to drive to the cities before sunset and to have a break from time to time.

We only made a hotel reservation for the first night in Addis Ababa. We did not book other hotels for the rest of the trip. Finding accommodation every evening was not a problem at all. Even in the smaller places, Ankober for example, we found a small local hotel.

Expenses

This was a very cheap trip. We paid less than €1500 for the whole trip, including flight, car, accommodation, food and drinks. Flight ticket €745, car US\$140/day = 590US\$/day = +/- €430 and +/- €300 for accommodation, entrance fees, food and drinks.

Books and literature

Recently, two books about birding in Ethiopia were published. Both these books are very usefull as they contain very recent information. We used both books constantly during our trip and by using both we were able to find all the places we want. Both books contain GPS-coordinates but even without using these, we found all the places.

These books are:

- “[Where to Watch Birds in Ethiopia](#)” by Claire Spottiswood, Merid Gabremichael and Julian Francis
- “[Birding Ethiopia, a guide to the country's birding sites](#)” by Ken Behrens, Keith Barnes and Christian Boix

Also the [Lonely Planet](#) or [Bradt Travel Guide](#) can be useful.

Internet sources and trip reports

Most trip reports were found by www.travellingbirder.com. The report the most valuable to prepare our trip was the one written by Lieven De Temmerman.

And also read [Bart De Keersmaeckers' trip report](#), published after we returned but is has a few usefull maps.

Also highly recommendable are the following websites:

- [Birdquest](#)
- [Tropicalbirding](#)
- [Rockjumper Birding Tours – Worldwide Birding Adventures](#)

Flights

We had our international flight with KLM from Amsterdam to Addis Ababa.

Visited sites with references to both books and highlights

As information about all of the sites we visited is available in both birdwatching guides and for a few places there are maps in Bart De Keersmaeckers' report, I will not spend time by repeating this info here again. Here is a list of all the places:

- The Northwest
 - Addis Ababa
 - Menagesha Forest
 - Sululta Plains
 - Jemmy Valley
 - Ankobar Escarpment
 - Melka Ghebdu
 - Escarpment +/- 40 km north of Debre Birham
 - Gibe Gorge

- The Great Rift Valley
 - Awash National Park
 - Bilen Lodge
 - Central Rift Valley Lakes with
 - Lake Ziway
 - Lake Langano
 - ❖ Wabe Shebelle Hotel
 - ❖ Bishangari Lodge
 - ❖ Bekele Molla Hotel
 - Lake Awassa
 - Lake Koka
 - Lake Cheleleka
 - Wondo Genet
- The South
 - Bale Mountains
 - ❖ Dinsho area
 - ❖ Sanetti Plateau
 - ❖ Hareenna Forest
 - Sof Omar
 - Negele area
 - ❖ Liben Plains
 - ❖ Road to Filtu
 - Mega
 - Soda
 - Yabello

Short description of our itinerary

Day 1 – Decemer 21st

At 11 o'clock, we had our flight from Amsterdam to Addis Ababa. Stop in Khartoum for 2 hours. At +/- 23 o'clock, we arrived in Addis. We stayed at the [Taitu Hotel](#).

Day 2 – December 22nd

The office of Red Jackal is just near the hotel. At 6 o'clock, we were already at the office. We found the first birds in the small garden near the hotel. It was already 8 o'clock when we left Addis. First place of interest were the Sululta Plains. Late afternoon we left to Jemmy Valley. Here we camped near the river.

Day 3 – December 23rd

In the morning, we went to the river banks. Late in the afternoon, we drove to Ankober. Last hours of the day where spent in the fields near the escarpment. Night in a small hotel in Ankober.

Day 4 – December 24th

Till noon, we searched for Ankober Serin in the fields at top of the escarpment. In the afternoon, we went to Melka Ghebdu. Night in Debre Birham.

Day 5 – December 25th

Morning along the escarpment, +/- 44 km north of Debre Birham. In the afternoon, we drove to Awash National Park via Addis. Night in the [Awash Falls Lodge](#) in the park.

Day 6 – December 26th

Until late afternoon birding in the southern part of Awash NP. In the afternoon, we also drove to the lava fields near Lake Beseka. Evening and night again in Awash NP.

Day 7 – December 27th

In the morning, we spent time near the river near the lodge. Later in the day, we drove to the Bilen Lodge. Late afternoon, we drove to Ziway. Stay here for the night.

Day 8 – December 28th

Morning at the fish market at Lake Ziway. Then we drove to Lake Langano where we spent some hours near the Wabe Shebelle Hotel. Late afternoon, we drove to the other side of the lake, where we walked around the grounds near the Bishangari Lodge. Night in Shashemene.

Day 9 – December 29th

Before noon, we were birding in Wondo Genet. At noon, we left for the Bale Mountains. We spend some time here birding along the road to Robe and near Dinsho. Night in Robe.

Day 10 – December 30th

At 6 o'clock we drove to Sof Omar. At noon we drove to Dinsho. We arranged permits at the HQ in Dinsho. There was some time left to go for both owls with Night in the very basic Dinsho Lodge. No food, drinks or electricity at the lodge.

Day 11 – December 31st

Till +/- 9 o'clock near Dinsho Lodge. Then we drove to the Sanetti Plateau and the first part of Hareenna Forest. At +/- 15h30 we drove back to Goba. Night in Goba.

Day 12 - January 1st

From Goba back to the Sanetti Plateau. Later we drove to the Hareenna Forest where we spent the rest of the day. Night in the small village of Dola Mena, just south of Hareenna Forest. We only found a small local hotel.

Day 13 – January 2nd

Early morning, we left for Negelle. Stop many times along the way for birdwatching. Spend time at the few rivers we crossed. Late afternoon, we arrived in Negelle. Last hours of the day, we spend at the Liben Plains. Night in Negelle.

Day 14 – January 3rd

We spend nearly the whole day on the road to Filtu. As the region close to Filtu is not that safe, we only drove this road for about 36.5 km from the junction from the road to Yabello/Mega. Late afternoon we spend some time at the Liben Plains along the road in the direction of Yabello/Mega. Night in Negelle.

Day 15 – January 4th

Today we drove to Mega. We had the whole day to reach this village. Along the road, we spend most of the day for birdwatching. Two of the main stops were at the Dawa River, near Soda and just before the T-junction with the road Mega-Yabello. Last hour of light was spend in the fields near Mega. Night in Mega.

Day 16 – January 5th

Early morning we spend our time in the fields south of Mega. Once we found our targets here, we drove to Soda again. Spend a few hours here near the volcano crater and the dry fields. In the afternoon, we drove in the direction of Yabello. We made a longer stop in the dry bushland at +/- 50 km south of Yabello. Night in Yabello.

Day 17 – January 6th

Early morning till first light east of Yabello, just a few kilometres along the road to Negelle. Later in the morning, we drove south of Yabello again but did not go that far south as we were birding yesterday. At noon, we had a break in Yabello and then we continued to Lake Awassa. Evening birding along the lake. Night in a hotel near the lake.

Day 18 – January 7th

First hours of the day were spent near the lake. At noon, we drove to Wondo Genet. During the rest of the day we were birding in Wondo Genet again. Night in Shashemene.

Day 19 – January 8th

Today we did a few lakes of the Central Rift Lakes. Start at Lake Langano near the Bekele Molla Hotel. The hotel is closed now and we were not allowed to go on the hotel grounds but birding around was also good. Later this day we also visited Lake Koka and Lake Cheleleka. Night in Addis Ababa.

Day 20 – January 9th

In the morning we drove to Menagesha Forest where we spent a few hours. Around 10 o'clock we drove to Gibe Gorge. Night in Welkite.

Day 21 – January 10th

We spend the whole day at Gibe Gorge. Only during the hottest time of the day, we took in a break in one of the foodstalls near the bridge.

Day 22 – January 11th

Before noon, we spent our last morning of birdwatching in Gibe Gorge. At noon, we drove to Addis Ababa. Once we were there, we drove to the Red Jackal office to arrange the last details of our payment. At midnight, we had our flight back to Amsterdam.

Day 23 – January 12th

Early morning arrival in Amsterdam. After a short flight, we arrived in Brussels at 10h30.

Bird list

Our list of observed birds is strictly following [Clements 6th edition](#) and the updates till 2010. For some species recent information about taxonomic decisions not yet included in Clements is given.

Ostrich *Struthio camelus*

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp *molybdophanes* - 3

The subspecies *molybdophanes* is often treated as a separated species, Somali Ostrich

White-faced Whistling-Duck *Dendrocygna viduata*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 30

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 40+

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few

Fulvous Whistling-Duck *Dendrocygna bicolor*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 20

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few

Blue-winged Goose *Cyanochen cyanoptera* **Vulnerable (VU)** **Country endemic**

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 3

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - a few

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - +/- 15

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 6

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 6

Comb Duck *Sarkidiornis melanotos*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp *melanotos* - +/- 20

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *melanotos* - 3

Egyptian Goose *Alopochen aegyptiaca*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - +/- 50

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - a few

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few

26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - 2

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - 2

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 2

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 7

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 2

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - +/- 30

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 2

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - fairly common

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - fairly common

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - +/- 15

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 3

Ruddy Shelduck *Tadorna ferruginea*

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 6

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 8

Spur-winged Goose *Plectropterus gambensis*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *gambensis* - 1

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *gambensis* - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *gambensis* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp *gambensis* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp gambensis* - a few

African Pygmy-Goose *Nettapus auritus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 12

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 10+

African Black Duck *Anas sparsa*

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - *ssp leucostigma* - 2

Yellow-billed Duck *Anas undulata*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp rueppelli* - 8

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - *ssp rueppelli* - +/- 15

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - *ssp rueppelli* - 1

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp rueppelli* - +/- 10

Northern Shoveler *Anas clypeata*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 3

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 5

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - fairly common

Red-billed Duck *Anas erythrorhyncha*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 8

Northern Pintail *Anas acuta*

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 2 males

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 30+

Hottentot Teal *Anas hottentota*

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 20

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 2

Garganey *Anas querquedula*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 15

Green-winged Teal *Anas crecca*

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp crecca* - +/- 30

Tufted Duck *Aythya fuligula*

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 5

Helmeted Guineafowl *Numida meleagris*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp somaliensis* - +/- 10

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp somaliensis* - +/- 10

04/01/2011 - Mega - *ssp somaliensis* - 20+

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp meleagris* - 7

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp meleagris* - +/- 50

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp meleagris* - +/- 10

Vulturine Guineafowl *Acryllium vulturinum*

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - +/- 50

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - +/- 20

Crested Francolin *Francolinus sephaena*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp grantii* - 5

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp grantii* - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp spilogaster* - 2

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp spilogaster* - 2

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp spilogaster* - 1

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp spilogaster* - 2

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp spilogaster* - +/- 15



Moorland Francolin *Francolinus psilolaemus*

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - ssp *psilolaemus* - 4

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - ssp *psilolaemus* - 4

Scaly Francolin *Francolinus squamatus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

Erckel's Francolin *Francolinus erckelii*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 11

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 3

09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - +/- 10

Clapperton's Francolin *Francolinus clappertoni*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 3

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 4

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 5 + a few heard

Harwood's Francolin *Francolinus harwoodi* **Vulnerable (VU)** **Country endemic**
Restricted range

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2 seen very well

Yellow-necked Francolin *Francolinus leucoscepus*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - 4

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 2

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - +/- 10

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 4

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 2

Chestnut-naped Francolin *Francolinus castaneicollis*

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - ssp *atrifrons* - 6

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp *atrifrons* - 2 adults with a few juveniles

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - ssp *atrifrons* - 20+

Little Grebe *Tachybaptus ruficollis*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *ruficollis* - 3

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - ssp *ruficollis* - 2

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp *ruficollis* - +/- 20

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp ruficollis* - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp ruficollis* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp ruficollis* - a few

Great Crested Grebe *Podiceps cristatus*

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp infuscatus* - 3

Greater Flamingo *Phoenicopterus roseus*

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - +/- 50

Lesser Flamingo *Phoenicopterus minor*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 12
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - +/- 5

African Openbill *Anastomus lamelligerus*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp lamelligerus* - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp lamelligerus* - 1

Black Stork *Ciconia nigra*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - 1
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 1

Abdim's Stork *Ciconia abdimii*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 2
01/01/2011 - Harenn Forest - a group of 37 birds was flying over
08/01/2011 - en route between the lakes - 11 and 4 birds foraging.

Woolly-necked Stork *Ciconia episcopus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp microscelis* - 1
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - *ssp microscelis* - 1

White Stork *Ciconia ciconia*

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp ciconia* - 12

Marabou Stork *Leptoptilos crumeniferus*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - 3
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - +/- 10
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 20
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - common
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - fairly common
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - very common

Yellow-billed Stork *Mycteria ibis*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few

Great Cormorant *Phalacrocorax carbo*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp lucidus* - +/- 5
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp lucidus* - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp lucidus* - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp lucidus* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp lucidus* - 3

The subspecies *lucidus* is often treated as a separated species, White-breasted or African Cormorant

Long-tailed Cormorant *Phalacrocorax africanus*

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - ssp africanus - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp africanus - a few
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp africanus - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp africanus - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp africanus - 1

African Darter *Anhinga rufa*

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp rufa - 1
26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - ssp rufa - 1
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - ssp rufa - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp rufa - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp rufa - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp rufa - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp rufa - 1

Great White Pelican *Pelecanus onocrotalus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 15
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 5
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 25
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - +/- 10

Pink-backed Pelican *Pelecanus rufescens*

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 20+

Hamerkop *Scopus umbretta*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp umbretta - 5+
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp umbretta - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp umbretta - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp umbretta - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp umbretta - 2
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp umbretta - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp umbretta - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp umbretta - a few

Grey Heron *Ardea cinerea*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp cinerea - 2
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp cinerea - 1
25/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp cinerea - 2
26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - ssp cinerea - 2
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp cinerea - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp cinerea - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp cinerea - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp cinerea - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp cinerea - +/- 5
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp cinerea - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp cinerea - 1

Black-headed Heron *Ardea melanocephala*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 3

Goliath Heron *Ardea goliath*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 3

Purple Heron *Ardea purpurea*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp purpurea - 1

Great Egret *Ardea alba*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp melanorhyncha* - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp melanorhyncha* - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp melanorhyncha* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - *ssp melanorhyncha* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp melanorhyncha* - a few

Intermediate Egret *Mesophoyx intermedia*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp brachyrhyncha* - 1

Little Egret *Egretta garzetta*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp garzetta* - 5
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - *ssp garzetta* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp garzetta* - a few
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp garzetta* - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp garzetta* - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp garzetta* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp garzetta* - a few

Western Reef-Heron *Egretta gularis*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp schistacea* - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp schistacea* - 1

Black Heron *Egretta ardesiaca*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2

Cattle Egret *Bubulcus ibis*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp ibis* - a few
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - *ssp ibis* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp ibis* - a few
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp ibis* - 4
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp ibis* - a few
06/01/2011 - Yabello - *ssp ibis* - 1 injured bird in the garden of our hotel
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp ibis* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - *ssp ibis* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp ibis* - a few

Squacco Heron *Ardeola ralloides*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 10
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 10
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few

Striated Heron *Butorides striata*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp atricapilla* - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp atricapilla* - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp atricapilla* - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp atricapilla* - 1

Glossy Ibis *Plegadis falcinellus*

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - +/- 5
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 30
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 20
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 4

Sacred Ibis *Threskiornis aethiopicus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp aethiopicus* - +/- 10
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - *ssp aethiopicus* - a few
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp aethiopicus* - 4
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp aethiopicus* - 1
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - *ssp aethiopicus* - +/- 20
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp aethiopicus* - a few

29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp *aethiopicus* - fairly common
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp *aethiopicus* - a few
 31/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Goba - ssp *aethiopicus* - 2
 02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp *aethiopicus* - 10+
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *aethiopicus* - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *aethiopicus* - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp *aethiopicus* - fairly common
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *aethiopicus* - fairly common
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp *aethiopicus* - 1
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *aethiopicus* - 1
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *aethiopicus* - 2

Hadada Ibis *Bostrychia hagedash*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *nilotica* - 2
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *nilotica* - 2
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 04/01/2011 - Negelle - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *nilotica* - a few
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *nilotica* - 3

Wattled Ibis *Bostrychia carunculata*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 30+
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 4
 23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - a few
 23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 10+
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - fairly common
 25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 7
 29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - +/- 10
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 1
 31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - a few
 01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 20+
 06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - 2
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 2
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
 11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - 2

African Spoonbill *Platalea alba*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 2
 02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 2
 08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 2
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - +/- 15

Black-shouldered Kite *Elanus caeruleus*

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - ssp *caeruleus* - 1
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *caeruleus* - 1
 27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp *caeruleus* - 1
 27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *caeruleus* - 1
 29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp *caeruleus* - 2
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp *caeruleus* - a few
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp *caeruleus* - 1

Black Kite *Milvus migrans*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *aegyptius* - common
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - common
 22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - ssp *aegyptius* - common
 23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - ssp *aegyptius* - a few
 23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *aegyptius* - a few
 23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *aegyptius* - fairly common
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *aegyptius* - a few
 25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp *aegyptius* - common
 26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *aegyptius* - a few
 27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp *aegyptius* - a few
 27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - ssp *aegyptius* - a few

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp aegyptius* - fairly common
 31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - *ssp aegyptius* - fairly common
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp aegyptius* - common
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp migrans*
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - *ssp aegyptius* - fairly common
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp aegyptius* - common
 09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp aegyptius* - a few
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp aegyptius* - fairly common
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp aegyptius* - fairly common
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp aegyptius* - fairly common
 11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - *ssp aegyptius* - common

African Fish-Eagle *Haliaeetus vocifer*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 4
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 2
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 6
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2
 08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 1

Hooded Vulture *Necrosyrtes monachus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - common
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
 25/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
 26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - 1
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 2
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 2
 01/01/2011 - Dola Mena (village just south of Hareenna Forest) - 10+
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
 04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
 05/01/2011 - Soda - a few
 06/01/2011 - Yabello - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
 08/01/2011 - en route between the lakes - a few
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Lammergeier *Gypaetus barbatus*

23/12/2010 - from Jemmu Valley to Ankober - *ssp meridionalis* - 6
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp meridionalis* - 2 adults
 25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - *ssp meridionalis* - 1
 31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - *ssp meridionalis* - 1
 01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - *ssp meridionalis* - 1

Egyptian Vulture *Neophron percnopterus* Endangered (EN)

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp percnopterus* - 2

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp percnopterus* - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp percnopterus*
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp percnopterus* - 4
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp percnopterus* - 1

White-backed Vulture *Gyps africanus* Near-threatened (NT)

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - 2
25/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 30
26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - common
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - +/- 15
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - fairly common
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - a few
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Rueppell's Griffon *Gyps rueppellii*

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - *ssp erlangeri* - a few
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp erlangeri* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp erlangeri* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp erlangeri* - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp erlangeri* - 10+

White-headed Vulture *Trigonoceps occipitalis* Vulnerable (VU)

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

Black-breasted Snake-Eagle *Circaetus pectoralis*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1 immature
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1 adult
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 1

Brown Snake-Eagle *Circaetus cinereus*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1

Bateleur *Terathopius ecaudatus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - 1
06/01/2011 - Yabello - 1

Eurasian Marsh-Harrier *Circus aeruginosus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 1
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 3
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 2

Pallid Harrier *Circus macrourus* Near-threatened (NT)

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - 1 ad. male
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1 male
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - 1 male
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1 male

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Montagu's Harrier *Circus pygargus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - 1 male + 1 female

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 2

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 1

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 2

African Harrier-Hawk *Polyboroides typus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp typus - 1

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp typus - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp typus - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp typus - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp typus - 2

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp typus - 2

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp typus - 1

Dark Chanting-Goshawk *Melierax metabates*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp metabates - 1

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp metabates - 1

Eastern Chanting-Goshawk *Melierax poliopterus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - 2

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 1

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1

Gabar Goshawk *Micronisus gabar*

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 1 dark morph

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp aequatorius - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp aequatorius - 2

African Goshawk *Accipiter tachiro*

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Shikra *Accipiter badius*

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp sphenurus - 1

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp sphenurus - 1

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp sphenurus - 1

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp sphenurus - 1

06/01/2011 - Yabello - ssp sphenurus - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp sphenurus - 2

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp sphenurus - 1

Little Sparrowhawk *Accipiter minullus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

Ovampo Sparrowhawk *Accipiter ovampensis*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1 adult

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Eurasian Sparrowhawk *Accipiter nisus*

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 1

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 2

Rufous-chested Sparrowhawk *Accipiter rufiventris*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp perspicillaris* - 1 adult

Black Goshawk *Accipiter melanoleucus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp melanoleucus* - 1

Common Buzzard *Buteo buteo*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp vulpinus* - 1

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp vulpinus* - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp vulpinus* - 2

Mountain Buzzard *Buteo oreophilus*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp oreophilus* - 1

Long-legged Buzzard *Buteo rufinus*

07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - *ssp cirtensis* - 1

Augur Buzzard *Buteo augur*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 2

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

23/12/2010 - from Jemmu Valley to Ankober - 3

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - a few

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 1

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - a few

29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - fairly common

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - a few

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 3

04/01/2011 - Mega - 1

05/01/2011 - Soda - 2

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 2

07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - 1

09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Lesser Spotted Eagle *Aquila pomarina*

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 1

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - 1

05/01/2011 - Soda - 1

Tawny Eagle *Aquila rapax*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp belisarius* - 2

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp belisarius* - 1

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp belisarius* - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp belisarius* - 1

Steppe Eagle *Aquila nipalensis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp orientalis* - 1

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp orientalis* - 1

28/12/2010 - en route between the lakes - *ssp orientalis* - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp orientalis* - 2

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp orientalis* - 5

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp orientalis* - a few

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp orientalis* - 1

05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp orientalis* - 1

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp orientalis* - 1

07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - *ssp orientalis* - 1

08/01/2011 - en route between the lakes - *ssp orientalis* - a few

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp orientalis* - a few

11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - *ssp orientalis* - 1

Golden Eagle *Aquila chrysaetos*

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - *ssp homeyeri* - 4

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - ssp homeyeri - 1

Verreaux's Eagle *Aquila verreauxii*

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 1 adult

African Hawk-Eagle *Aquila spilogaster*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 2

Wahlberg's Eagle *Hieraaetus wahlbergi*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Booted Eagle *Hieraaetus pennatus*

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - 2

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Ayres's Hawk-Eagle *Hieraaetus ayresii*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1 sitting on a tree

Long-crested Eagle *Lophaetus occipitalis*

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Crowned Hawk-Eagle *Stephanoaetus coronatus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1 adult female on a nest with a youngster of a couple weeks old.

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 2

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1 adult still on the nest with a juvenile. Male flying around.

Secretary-bird *Sagittarius serpentarius*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - 2

Pygmy Falcon *Polihierax semitorquatus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 1

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 3

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 3

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1

Lesser Kestrel *Falco naumanni* **Vulnerable (VU)**

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 2 males

Eurasian Kestrel *Falco tinnunculus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1 male

23/12/2010 - from Jemmu Valley to Ankober - ssp rufescens - 1

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp rufescens - 2

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp rufescens - 1

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp rufescens - 1

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp rufescens - 1

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp rufescens - a few

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp rufescens - 3

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp rufescens - 2

29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp rufescens - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp rufescens - a few

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - ssp rufescens - 1

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - ssp rufescens - 1

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp rufescens - 1

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp rufescens - 1

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp rufescens - 1

05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp rufescens - 1

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp rufescens - 2

09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp rufescens* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp rufescens* - 1

Lanner Falcon *Falco biarmicus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - *ssp abyssinicus* - 2
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
31/12/2010 - Sanetti Plateau - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1

Saker Falcon *Falco cherrug*

05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp cherrug* - 1

Peregrine Falcon *Falco peregrinus*

09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp minor* - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp minor* - 1

Arabian Bustard *Ardeotis arabs*

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - *ssp arabs* - 1

Kori Bustard *Ardeotis kori*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp struthiunculus* - 2
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp struthiunculus* - 4
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp struthiunculus* - 1

White-bellied Bustard *Eupodotis senegalensis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp canicollis* - 5
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp canicollis* - 2

Buff-crested Bustard *Eupodotis gindiana*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 4
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 5

Hartlaub's Bustard *Lissotis hartlaubii*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

Rouget's Rail *Rougetius rougetii*

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 3
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 5
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 4
31/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Goba - 1
01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - +/- 15

African Crane *Crecopsis egregia*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1 seen exceptional well.
Totally unexpected to find this bird in the hotel garden.



Black Crake *Amaurornis flavirostra*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 5
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 10

Purple Swampphen *Porphyrio porphyrio*

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *madagascariensis* - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *madagascariensis* - 2

Common Moorhen *Gallinula chloropus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *pyrrhorhoa* - 5+
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *pyrrhorhoa* - fairly common
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *pyrrhorhoa* - a few

Red-knobbed Coot *Fulica cristata*

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - +/- 10
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 50+
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 1

Black Crowned-Crane *Balearica pavonina* **Vulnerable (VU)**

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *ceciliae* - 5

Common Crane *Grus grus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 6
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 25
 23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - +/- 20
 08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - +/- 10
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - +/- 250

Water Thick-knee *Burhinus vermiculatus*

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *vermiculatus* - 2

Senegal Thick-knee *Burhinus senegalensis*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2
 09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 12
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 4
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 3

Spur-winged Plover *Vanellus spinosus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
 23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
 27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 2
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 2
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - fairly common
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - fairly common
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few

Black-headed Lapwing *Vanellus tectus*

23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - ssp tectus - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp tectus - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp tectus - 2

Black-winged Lapwing *Vanellus melanopterus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp melanopterus - 4
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - ssp melanopterus - A large group of 150+
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp melanopterus - 7
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp melanopterus - 10+
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp melanopterus - +/- 10
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp melanopterus - 1
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp melanopterus - 3

Crowned Lapwing *Vanellus coronatus*

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp coronatus - +/- 10
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp coronatus - 6
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp coronatus - +/- 5
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp coronatus - +/- 8
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp coronatus - 3
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp coronatus - 2
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - ssp coronatus - a few

Wattled Lapwing *Vanellus senegallus*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp major - 5
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp major - 6
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp major - 2
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp major - 2

Spot-breasted Lapwing *Vanellus melanocephalus* [Country endemic](#)

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 51
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 25+

Caspian Plover *Charadrius asiaticus*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1

Kittlitz's Plover *Charadrius pecuarius*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 1

Common Ringed Plover *Charadrius hiaticula*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 3
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2

Little Ringed Plover *Charadrius dubius*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp curonicus - 2

Three-banded Plover *Charadrius tricollaris*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp tricollaris - 3
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp tricollaris - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp tricollaris - 2

Black-winged Stilt *Himantopus himantopus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 2
26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 5
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 10+

Pied Avocet *Recurvirostra avosetta*

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 1

African Jacana *Actophilornis africanus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - fairly common
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 30+
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - fairly common
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Common Sandpiper *Actitis hypoleucos*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 2
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 3
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 1
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 2
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 5
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2

Green Sandpiper *Tringa ochropus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - +/- 5
23/12/2010 - from Jemmu Valley to Ankober - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 1
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 1
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 1
01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 4
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Common Greenshank *Tringa nebularia*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 3
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 10+
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Marsh Sandpiper *Tringa stagnatilis*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 3
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - +/- 20

Wood Sandpiper *Tringa glareola*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 10
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few

Black-tailed Godwit *Limosa limosa* Near-threatened (NT)

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *limosa* - 10+
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *limosa* - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *limosa* - +/- 10
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp *limosa* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *limosa* - a few

Little Stint *Calidris minuta*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 20
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - +/- 50
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - common

Temminck's Stint *Calidris temminckii*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1

Pectoral Sandpiper *Calidris melanotos*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 1

Ruff *Philomachus pugnax*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 15+
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 5
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 50+
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 100+
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - common

Common Snipe *Gallinago gallinago*

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *gallinago* - 1

African Snipe *Gallinago nigripennis*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *aequatorialis* - 1
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - ssp *aequatorialis* - 1

Temminck's Courser *Cursorius temminckii*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 7

Three-banded Courser *Rhinoptilus cinctus*

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp *cinctus* - 2
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp *cinctus* - 2



Collared Pratincole *Glareola pratincola*

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 5

Grey-hooded Gull *Chroicocephalus cirrocephalus*

26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - ssp *poiiocephalus* - 3
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *poiiocephalus* - +/- 10
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - +/- 10
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *poiiocephalus* - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *poiiocephalus* - 10+

Black-headed Gull *Chroicocephalus ridibundus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1
 25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - 1
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few

Lesser Black-backed Gull *Larus fuscus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *heuglini* - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *heuglini* - 1

Gull-billed Tern *Gelochelidon nilotica*

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *nilotica* - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *nilotica* - 1

White-winged Tern *Chlidonias leucopterus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - 1
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few

Whiskered Tern *Chlidonias hybrida*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *hybrida* - 2
 06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *hybrida* - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *hybrida* - a few

Chestnut-bellied Sandgrouse *Pterocles exustus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 9
 27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - 300+

Yellow-throated Sandgrouse *Pterocles gutturalis*

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *saturation* - 7
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *saturation* - 4

Black-faced Sandgrouse *Pterocles decoratus*

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp ellenbecki - 3

Speckled Pigeon *Columba guinea*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp guinea - a few
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp guinea - a few
22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - ssp guinea - 1
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - ssp guinea - fairly common
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp guinea - a few
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp guinea - a few
25/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp guinea - a few
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp guinea - common
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp guinea - a few
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - ssp guinea - a few
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp guinea - a few
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp guinea - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp guinea - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp guinea - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp guinea - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp guinea - a few
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp guinea - common
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp guinea - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp guinea - a few
30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp guinea - a few
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp guinea - a few
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - ssp guinea - a few
01/01/2011 - Harennna Forest - ssp guinea - 10+
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp guinea - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp guinea - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp guinea - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp guinea - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp guinea - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp guinea - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp guinea - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp guinea - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp guinea - a few
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - ssp guinea - a few
06/01/2011 - Yabello - ssp guinea - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp guinea - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp guinea - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp guinea - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp guinea - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp guinea - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp guinea - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp guinea - +/- 10

White-collared Pigeon *Columba albitorques*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - a few
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - common
22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - +/- 5
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - fairly common
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - fairly common
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 15+
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - a few
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - a few
30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 1
01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 6

Rameron Pigeon *Columba arquatrix*

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1

Lemon Dove *Columba larvata*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp bronzina - 3
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp bronzina - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp bronzina - 2

Dusky Turtle-Dove *Streptopelia lugens*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - fairly common
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common
 22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 1
 23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - fairly common
 23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common
 25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - common
 27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - a few
 27/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
 29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - fairly common
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few
 30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - a few
 31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - a few
 31/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Goba - a few
 01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - a few
 01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few
 08/01/2011 - Addis Ababa - a few
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
 09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - a few

African Collared-Dove *Streptopelia roseogrisea*

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - *ssp arabica* - 1

African Mourning Dove *Streptopelia decipiens*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
 27/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
 28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - fairly common
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - fairly common
 02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - fairly common
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - fairly common
 04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - common
 06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - a few
 06/01/2011 - Yabello - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - fairly common
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common

Red-eyed Dove *Streptopelia semitorquata*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 3
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2
 08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 1
 09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - 1

Ring-necked Dove *Streptopelia capicola*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp somalica* - 3
 24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebbu - *ssp somalica* - a few
 25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - *ssp somalica* - a few
 26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp somalica* - 2
 02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp somalica* - fairly common
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp somalica* - fairly common
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp somalica* - a few
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp somalica* - a few
 04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp somalica* - common
 04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp somalica* - common
 05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp somalica* - a few
 05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp somalica* - very common
 05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp somalica* - a few
 06/01/2011 - Yabello - *ssp somalica* - a few
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp somalica* - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp somalica* - a few
 09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp electa* - a few
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp electa* - fairly common
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp electa* - a few

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp electa* - fairly common

Vinaceous Dove *Streptopelia vinacea*

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Laughing Dove *Streptopelia senegalensis*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp senegalensis* - +/- 5

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp senegalensis* - fairly common

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp senegalensis* - 1

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp senegalensis* - fairly common

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp senegalensis* - fairly common

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

06/01/2011 - Yabello - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

Emerald-spotted Wood-Dove *Turtur chalcospilos*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - +/- 5

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Blue-spotted Wood-Dove *Turtur afer*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 2

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 5+

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 5+

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Tambourine Dove *Turtur tympanistria*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 3

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1

06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

Namaqua Dove *Oena capensis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp capensis* - Fairly common

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp capensis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp capensis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp capensis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp capensis* - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp capensis* - 2

01/01/2011 - Dola Mena (village just south of Hareenna Forest) - *ssp capensis* - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp capensis* - 6

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp capensis* - 1

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp capensis* - 6

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp capensis* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp capensis* - a few

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp capensis* - a few

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp capensis* - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp capensis* - a few

Bruce's Green-Pigeon *Treron waalia*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 4

Black-winged Lovebird *Agapornis taranta*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - +/- 10
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 3
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - 2
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 6
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 8
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 1



Red-bellied Parrot *Poicephalus rufiventris*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp pallidus* - 3
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp rufiventris* - 2
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp rufiventris* - 3
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp rufiventris* - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp rufiventris* - 5
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - *ssp rufiventris* - 3
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp rufiventris* - 2

Yellow-fronted Parrot *Poicephalus flavifrons* [Country endemic](#)

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 6

White-cheeked Turaco *Tauraco leucotis*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - fairly common
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - 1
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 4

Prince Ruspoli's Turaco *Tauraco ruspolii* [Vulnerable \(VU\)](#) [Country endemic](#)

Restricted range

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 4



Bare-faced Go-away-bird *Corythaixoides personatus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp *personatus* - 5

White-bellied Go-away-bird *Corythaixoides leucogaster*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - 4

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 5+

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 10

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - +/- 5

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - fairly common

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - fairly common

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few

05/01/2011 - Soda - a few

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - a few

Eastern Plantain-eater *Crinifer zonurus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 8

Great Spotted Cuckoo *Clamator glandarius*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Klaas's Cuckoo *Chrysococcyx klaas*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

African Emerald Cuckoo *Chrysococcyx cupreus*

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *cupreus* - 1 + 1 heard

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *cupreus* - 3

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *cupreus* - 1

Blue-headed Coucal *Centropus monachus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 3

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

White-browed Coucal *Centropus superciliosus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp superciliosus* - 1
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp superciliosus* - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp superciliosus* - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp superciliosus* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp superciliosus* - 1

Cape Eagle-Owl *Bubo capensis*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp dillonii* - 1 at a small cliff on the way to Jemmu Valley.

Greyish Eagle-Owl *Bubo cinerascens*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2

Verreaux's Eagle-Owl *Bubo lacteus*

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - Female with a juvenil at the nest, male nearby at his daytime roosting place.

Pearl-spotted Owlet *Glaucidium perlatum*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp licua* - 1
07/01/2011 - hotel garden in Shashemene - HO - 1

African Wood-Owl *Strix woodfordii*

30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp umbrina* - 2 at their daytime roosting place

African Long-eared Owl *Asio abyssinicus*

30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp abyssinicus* - seen 1 off these magnificent owls in his daytime roosting tree.
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1 at the same spot as yesterday

Donaldson-Smith's Nightjar *Caprimulgus donaldsoni*

06/01/2011 - Yabello - 1 gave excellent views along the road to Negelle



Abyssinian Nightjar *Caprimulgus poliocephalus*

30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - NC - HO - 1 heard for just a few times.
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 2 seen and 1 heard

Slender-tailed Nightjar *Caprimulgus clarus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - min. 1 aud
24/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - min. 1 aud
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 6 on their daytime roosting site.

Alpine Swift *Apus melba*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - +/- 50
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 4

Mottled Swift *Apus aequatorialis*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp aequatorialis - +/- 20
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp aequatorialis - 100+
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp aequatorialis - a few

Common Swift *Apus apus*

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - +/- 5
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - a few

Nyanza Swift *Apus niansae*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 10+
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 5

African Palm-Swift *Cypsiurus parvus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp parvus - a few
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp parvus - a few

Speckled Mousebird *Colius striatus*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 2
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 10
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - a few
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 5
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 10
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
04/01/2011 - Mega - a few
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 10+
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few
08/01/2011 - Addis Ababa - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common

Blue-naped Mousebird *Urocolius macrourus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 10+
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - +/- 10
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 4
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 5

Narina Trogon *Apaloderma narina*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp narina - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp narina - 1 male
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp narina - 1 male

Half-collared Kingfisher *Alcedo semitorquata*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp heuglini - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp heuglini - 2

Malachite Kingfisher *Corythornis cristatus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 5

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 5+
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 5+
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1



African Pygmy-Kingfisher *Ispidina picta*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *picta* - 1
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *picta* - 1
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp *picta* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *picta* - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp *picta* - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *picta* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *picta* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *picta* - 1

Grey-headed Kingfisher *Halcyon leucocephala*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *leucocephala* - 2
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *leucocephala* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *leucocephala* - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *leucocephala* - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *leucocephala* - 3

Woodland Kingfisher *Halcyon senegalensis*

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *senegalensis* - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *senegalensis* - 1

Striped Kingfisher *Halcyon chelicuti*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *chelicuti* - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *chelicuti* - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *chelicuti* - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *chelicuti* - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp *chelicuti* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *chelicuti* - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *chelicuti* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *chelicuti* - 1

Giant Kingfisher *Megaceryle maximus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *maximus* - 1

Pied Kingfisher *Ceryle rudis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *rudis* - 4
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *rudis* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp *rudis* - 3
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *rudis* - +/- 5
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *rudis* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - *ssp rudis* - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp rudis* - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp rudis* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp rudis* - 1

Little Bee-eater *Merops pusillus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp cyanostictus* - +/- 15
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp cyanostictus* - +/- 5
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp cyanostictus* - 2
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
08/01/2011 - en route between the lakes - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp cyanostictus* - a few

Blue-breasted Bee-eater *Merops variegatus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp lafresnayii* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp lafresnayii* - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp lafresnayii* - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp lafresnayii* - 2
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp lafresnayii* - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp lafresnayii* - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp lafresnayii* - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp lafresnayii* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp lafresnayii* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp lafresnayii* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp lafresnayii* - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp lafresnayii* - 3

The subspecies *lafresnayii* is often treated as a separated species, Abyssinian Bee-eater

European Bee-eater *Merops apiaster*

09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - +/- 10

Northern Carmine Bee-eater *Merops nubicus*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1
28/12/2010 - en route between the lakes - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - +/- 10

European Roller *Coracias garrulus*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - 2

Abyssinian Roller *Coracias abyssinicus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
25/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 5
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 4
11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - 2

Lilac-breasted Roller *Coracias caudatus*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp lorti* - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp lorti* - 3
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp lorti* - 2
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp lorti* - 2
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp lorti* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp lorti* - 1
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - *ssp lorti* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp lorti* - 1

The subspecies *lorti* is often treated as a separated species, Blue-breasted Roller

Rufous-crowned Roller *Coracias naevius*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp naevius* - 2
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp naevius* - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp naevius* - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp naevius* - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp naevius* - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp naevius* - 1
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - *ssp naevius* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp naevius* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp naevius* - 1

Broad-billed Roller *Eurystomus glaucurus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp aethiopicus* - 2

Eurasian Hoopoe *Upupa epops*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp senegalensis* - 1
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp senegalensis* - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp senegalensis* - 3
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp senegalensis* - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp senegalensis* - 2
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - *ssp senegalensis* - 1
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp senegalensis* - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp senegalensis* - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp senegalensis* - 2
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - *ssp senegalensis* - 2
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp senegalensis* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp senegalensis* - 5
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp senegalensis* - a few

Violet Woodhoopoe *Phoeniculus damarensis*

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp granti* - 1

Black-billed Woodhoopoe *Phoeniculus somaliensis*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp somaliensis* - 4
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 3
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 6
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 3

Black Scimitar-bill *Rhinopomastus aterrimus*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp notatus* - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp notatus* - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp notatus* - 4

Abyssinian Scimitar-bill *Rhinopomastus minor*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 2
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1

Red-billed Hornbill *Tockus erythrorhynchus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - 1
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - common
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - fairly common

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - common
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp erythrorhynchus* - 1

Eastern Yellow-billed Hornbill *Tockus flavirostris*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few

Von der Decken's Hornbill *Tockus deckeni*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 4
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 5
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - common
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2

Hemprich's Hornbill *Tockus hemprichii*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1

African Grey Hornbill *Tockus nasutus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp nasutus* - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp nasutus* - 3
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp nasutus* - 1
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp nasutus* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp nasutus* - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp nasutus* - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp nasutus* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp nasutus* - common
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp nasutus* - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp nasutus* - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp nasutus* - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp nasutus* - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp nasutus* - 1

Silvery-cheeked Hornbill *Ceratogymna brevis*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 5
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 10+
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 2
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 2
01/01/2011 - Dola Mena (village just south of Hareenna Forest) - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few

Abyssinian Ground-Hornbill *Bucorvus abyssinicus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 3
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 7
05/01/2011 - Soda - 2
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - 2
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2



Red-and-yellow Barbet *Trachyphonus erythrocephalus*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp shelleyi - +/- 10

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp shelleyi - 1

05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp shelleyi - 2

Yellow-breasted Barbet *Trachyphonus margaritatus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - a few

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

D'Arnaud's Barbet *Trachyphonus darnaudii*

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 2

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 4

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 6

Red-fronted Tinkerbird *Pogoniulus pusillus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 7

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1

Yellow-fronted Tinkerbird *Pogoniulus chrysoconus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 3

Red-fronted Barbet *Tricholaema diademata*

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp diademata - 2

Black-throated Barbet *Tricholaema melanocephala*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp melanocephala - 1

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp stigmatothorax - 1

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp stigmatothorax - 2

Banded Barbet *Lybius undatus*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 2

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1

01/01/2011 - Dola Mena (village just south of Hareenna Forest) - 2

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 2

Black-billed Barbet *Lybius guifsobalito*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 8
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 5
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 3
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 7
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 3

Double-toothed Barbet *Lybius bidentatus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp aequatorialis* - 5+
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp aequatorialis* - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp aequatorialis* - 3
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp aequatorialis* - 1

Green-backed Honeyguide *Prodotiscus zambesiae*

01/01/2011 - Harenn Forest - *ssp ellenbecki* - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp ellenbecki* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp ellenbecki* - 2

Wahlberg's Honeyguide *Prodotiscus regulus*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 1

Lesser Honeyguide *Indicator minor*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1

Greater Honeyguide *Indicator indicator*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Eurasian Wryneck *Jynx torquilla*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Rufous-necked Wryneck *Jynx ruficollis*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp aequatorialis* - 4
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp aequatorialis* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp aequatorialis* - 1



Nubian Woodpecker *Campethera nubica*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp nubica - 1
 30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp nubica - 2
 01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp nubica - 1
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp nubica - 2
 06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp nubica - 1
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp nubica - 1

Abyssinian Woodpecker *Dendropicos abyssinicus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1 pair
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 2, on the same place as our first visit.
 09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - 1 female

Cardinal Woodpecker *Dendropicos fuscescens*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp lepidus - 1
 30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp lepidus - 2
 01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp lepidus - 1
 02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp lepidus - 2
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp lepidus - 2
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp lepidus - 2
 09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp lepidus - 1

Bearded Woodpecker *Dendropicos namaquus*

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp schoensis - 2
 05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp schoensis - 1
 05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp schoensis - 1
 06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp schoensis - 1
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp schoensis - 4

Grey-headed Woodpecker *Dendropicos spodocephalus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp spodocephalus - 1 female
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp spodocephalus - 1 male
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp spodocephalus - 1
 06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp spodocephalus - 1 male
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp spodocephalus - 1
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp spodocephalus - 2

Brown-throated Wattle-eye *Platysteira cyanea*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp aethiopica - 1

Grey-headed Batis *Batis orientalis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 5
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2

Black-headed Batis *Batis minor*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp *erlangeri* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *erlangeri* - 3
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *erlangeri* - 2

Pygmy Batis *Batis perkeo*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 4
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 2
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1

White Helmetsrike *Prionops plumatus*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 10+
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 4

Brubru *Nilaus afer*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *afer* - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *afer* - +/- 5
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *afer* - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp *afer* - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *afer* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *afer* - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *afer* - 1

Northern Puffback *Dryoscopus gambensis*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *erythrae* - 1
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *erythrae* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *erythrae* - 2
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *erythrae* - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *erythrae* - 1
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *erythrae* - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *erythrae* - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *erythrae* - 7
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *erythrae* - 2

Pringle's Puffback *Dryoscopus pringlii*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2 males + 3 females
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1 male

Black-crowned Tchagra *Tchagra senegalus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *habessinicus* - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *habessinicus* - 3
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *habessinicus* - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *habessinicus* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *habessinicus* - 3

Three-streaked Tchagra *Tchagra jamesi*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *jamesi* - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp *jamesi* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *jamesi* - 1

Red-naped Bushshrike *Laniarius ruficeps*

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp *rufinuchalis* - 2

Tropical Boubou *Laniarius aethiopicus*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp aethiopicus - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp aethiopicus - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp aethiopicus - 5+
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp aethiopicus - 1
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp aethiopicus - 1
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - ssp aethiopicus - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp aethiopicus - 1
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp aethiopicus - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp aethiopicus - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp aethiopicus - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp aethiopicus - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp aethiopicus - 4

Slate-colored Boubou *Laniarius funebris*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp funebris - 2
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp funebris - a few
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - ssp funebris - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp funebris - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp funebris - 2
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp funebris - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp funebris - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp funebris - 5
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp funebris - 2

**Rosy-patched Bushshrike *Rhodophoneus cruentus***

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 5
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2
04/01/2011 - Mega - 2
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - 5
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1

Sulphur-breasted Bushshrike *Telophorus sulfureopectus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp similis - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp similis - 4
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp similis - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp similis - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp similis - 1

Grey-headed Bushshrike *Malaconotus blanchoti*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp approximans - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp approximans - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp approximans - 1

Grey Cuckoo-shrike *Coracina caesia*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp pura - 2
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp pura - 3
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp pura - 1

Red-shouldered Cuckoo-shrike *Campephaga phoenicea*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 4
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1

Rufous-tailed Shrike *Lanius isabellinus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp isabellinus - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp isabellinus - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp isabellinus - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp isabellinus - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp isabellinus - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp isabellinus - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp isabellinus - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp isabellinus - 1

Southern Grey Shrike *Lanius meridionalis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2

The subspecies *pallidirostris* is often treated as a separated species, Steppe Grey Shrike

Grey-backed Fiscal *Lanius excubitoroides*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp intercedens - +/- 10
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - ssp intercedens - 2
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp intercedens - 4

Taita Fiscal *Lanius dorsalis*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1

Somali Fiscal *Lanius somalicus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 15+
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few

Common Fiscal *Lanius collaris*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp humeralis - 1
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp humeralis - 2
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - ssp humeralis - fairly common
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp humeralis - a few
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp humeralis - 1
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp humeralis - a few
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp humeralis - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp humeralis - common
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp humeralis - 1
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp humeralis - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp humeralis - a few

Masked Shrike *Lanius nubicus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1
11/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1

Woodchat Shrike *Lanius senator*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - 1

White-rumped Shrike *Eurocephalus rueppelli*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - fairly common
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - +/- 5
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Dark-headed Oriole *Oriolus monacha*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - +/- 5
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 5+
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 3
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - 10+

African Black-headed Oriole *Oriolus larvatus*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp rolleti - 1 male
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp rolleti - 3
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp rolleti - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp rolleti - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp rolleti - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp rolleti - 2
06/01/2011 - Yabello - ssp rolleti - 1

Fork-tailed Drongo *Dicrurus adsimilis*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp divaricatus - 4
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp divaricatus - a few
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp divaricatus - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp divaricatus - 2
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp divaricatus - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp divaricatus - fairly common
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp divaricatus - 1
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp divaricatus - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp divaricatus - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp divaricatus - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp divaricatus - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp divaricatus - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp divaricatus - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp divaricatus - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp divaricatus - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp divaricatus - 2

African Paradise-Flycatcher *Terpsiphone viridis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 2
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - +/- 5
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 3

Stresemann's Bush-Crow *Zavattariornis stresemanni* **Endangered (EN)** **Country endemic**

Restricted range

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 3
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 11
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 3
05/01/2011 - Soda - 13
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 4



Red-billed Chough *Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax*

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - *ssp baileyi* - +/- 10
01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - *ssp baileyi* - 6

Cape Crow *Corvus capensis*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp kordofanensis* - fairly common
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp kordofanensis* - fairly common
23/12/2010 - from Jemmu Valley to Ankober - *ssp kordofanensis* - fairly common
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp kordofanensis* - fairly common
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp kordofanensis* - fairly common
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - *ssp kordofanensis* - a few
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - *ssp kordofanensis* - common
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - *ssp kordofanensis* - common
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp kordofanensis* - common
31/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Goba - *ssp kordofanensis* - fairly common
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp kordofanensis* - a few
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - *ssp kordofanensis* - a few
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp kordofanensis* - a few
11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - *ssp kordofanensis* - 1

Pied Crow *Corvus albus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - fairly common
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - fairly common
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - a few
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - common
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - a few
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - a few
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - 3
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - a few
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - a few

Somali Crow *Corvus edithae*

31/12/2010 - Robe (between Dinsho and Goba) - 6
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 2

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - fairly common
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few

Fan-tailed Raven *Corvus rhipidurus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - fairly common
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - +/- 10
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - a few
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 2
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 2
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few
06/01/2011 - Yabello - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - +/- 5
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - from Gibe Gorge to Addis Ababa - a few

Thick-billed Raven *Corvus crassirostris*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 6
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 6 at the hotel garden just near the lake
31/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Goba - a few
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 6+
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2

Singing Bushlark *Mirafraga cantillans*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp marginata - a few
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp marginata - a few

Gillett's Lark *Mirafraga gilletti*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp gilletti - 4
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp gilletti - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp gilletti - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp gilletti - 1

Sidamo Lark *Heteromirafraga sidamoensis* **Critically endangered (CR)** **Country endemic** **Restricted range**

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 1

Foxy Lark *Calendulauda alopex*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp intercedens - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp intercedens - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp intercedens - 5

The subspecies *intercedens* is often treated as a separated species, Abyssinian Lark

Chestnut-backed Sparrow-Lark *Eremopterix leucotis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp leucotis - 2
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp leucotis - common

Erlanger's Lark *Calandrella erlangeri* **Country endemic**

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 4
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 4
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - +/- 5
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1

Somali Short-toed Lark *Calandrella somalica*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp *megaensis* - +/- 50

Short-tailed Lark *Pseudalaemon fremantlii*

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp *megaensis* - +/- 40

05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp *megaensis* - +/- 25

Thekla Lark *Galerida theklæ*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *praetermissa* - +/- 5

23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *praetermissa* - 10+

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *praetermissa* - 10+

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp *praetermissa* - +/- 10

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - ssp *huei* - 2

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - ssp *huei* - a few

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - ssp *huei* - a few

09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp *praetermissa* - 1

Plain Martin *Riparia paludicola*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *schoensis* - fairly common

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *schoensis* - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *schoensis* - fairly common

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp *schoensis* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *schoensis* - a few

Bank Swallow *Riparia riparia*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 10

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Eurasian Crag-Martin *Ptyonoprogne rupestris*

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - +/- 5

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - +/- 20

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - a few

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1

Rock Martin *Ptyonoprogne fuligula*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *pusilla* - +/- 20

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *pusilla* - a few

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp *pusilla* - a few

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp *pusilla* - a few

31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - ssp *pusilla* - a few

05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp *pusilla* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *pusilla* - a few

Barn Swallow *Hirundo rustica*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - fairly common

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - fairly common

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - a few

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few

05/01/2011 - Soda - a few

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 10.000+

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - very common

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - common
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - common
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Ethiopian Swallow *Hirundo aethiopica*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp amadoni - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp amadoni - 2
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp amadoni - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp amadoni - 2

Wire-tailed Swallow *Hirundo smithii*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp smithii - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp smithii - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp smithii - 4
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp smithii - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp smithii - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp smithii - a few

White-tailed Swallow *Hirundo megaensis* **Vulnerable (VU)** Country endemic Restricted range

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 4
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - +/- 10

Red-rumped Swallow *Cecropis daurica*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp melanocrissus - fairly common
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp melanocrissus - 1
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp melanocrissus - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp melanocrissus - a few

Lesser Striped-Swallow *Cecropis abyssinica*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp abyssinica - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp abyssinica - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp abyssinica - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp abyssinica - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp abyssinica - a few

Common House-Martin *Delichon urbicum*

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp urbicum - 100+
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp urbicum - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp urbicum - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp urbicum - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp urbicum - a few

Black Sawwing *Psalidoprocne pristoptera*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp antinorii - 10+
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp antinorii - a few
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp oleaginea - 2
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp antinorii - 5+
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp antinorii - 1

White-winged Black-Tit *Melaniparus leucomelas*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp leucomelas - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp leucomelas - +/- 10

White-backed Black-Tit *Melaniparus leuconotus*

30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 2+
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - +/- 5
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - 1
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - 7

Somali Tit *Melaniparus thruppi*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp thruppi* - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp thruppi* - 4
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp thruppi* - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp thruppi* - 3
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp thruppi* - 3

Mouse-colored Penduline-Tit *Anthoscopus musculus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 10
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 4
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1

Spotted Creeper *Salpornis spilonotus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp erlangeri* - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp erlangeri* - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp erlangeri* - 2
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp erlangeri* - 2

Common Bulbul *Pycnonotus barbatus*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp somaliensis* - a few
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp somaliensis* - a few
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp somaliensis* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp schoanus* - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp dodsoni* - a few
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp tricolor* - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp tricolor* - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp tricolor* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp tricolor* - fairly common
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - a few
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp dodsoni* - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp dodsoni* - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp dodsoni* - a few
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp schoanus* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp dodsoni* - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp schoanus* - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp schoanus* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - *ssp schoanus* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - *ssp schoanus* - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

The subspecies *tricolor* is often treated as a separated species, Dark-capped Bulbul

The subspecies *dodsoni* is often treated as a separated species, Dodson's Bulbul

The subspecies *somaliensis* is often treated as a separated species, Somali Bulbul

Northern Brownbul *Phyllastrephus strepitans*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 3
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 2
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 3

Brown Woodland-Warbler *Phylloscopus umbrovirens*

30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp umbrovirens* - 1
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp umbrovirens* - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp umbrovirens* - a few
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - *ssp umbrovirens* - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp umbrovirens* - 1

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp umbrovirens* - 1
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - *ssp omoensis* - 3

Willow Warbler *Phylloscopus trochilus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 3
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 1
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 4
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - a few
30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - a few
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 1

Common Chiffchaff *Phylloscopus collybita*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 1
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - common
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - common
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - very common
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - fairly common

Eastern Olivaceous Warbler *Hippolais pallida*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2

Upcher's Warbler *Hippolais languida*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1

Sedge Warbler *Acrocephalus schoenobaenus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - +/- 5

Eurasian Reed-Warbler *Acrocephalus scirpaceus*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - HO - 1

African Reed-Warbler *Acrocephalus baeticatus*

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp cinnamomeus* - 5

Lesser Swamp-Warbler *Acrocephalus gracilirostris*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp leptorhynchus* - 2

Cinnamon Bracken-Warbler *Bradypterus cinnamomeus*

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp cinnamomeus* - +/- 5
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp cinnamomeus* - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp cinnamomeus* - 2 and a few heard

Yellow-breasted Apalis *Apalis flavida*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 3
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - HO - a few

Green-backed Camaroptera *Camaroptera brachyura*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 3+
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebbu - 1
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - fairly common
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - a few

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 1
 04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1
 04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 1
 05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
 05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 1
 06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few
 09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
 09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - a few
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common

The subspecies *brevicaudata* is often treated as a separated species, Grey-backed Camaroptera

Red-fronted Warbler *Urorhipis rufifrons*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *rufifrons* - 3
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *smithi* - 2

Gray Wren-Warbler *Calamonastes simplex*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 4
 27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - 1
 30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 2
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2
 04/01/2011 - Dawa River - a few
 05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
 05/01/2011 - Soda - 1
 06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1

Red-faced Cisticola *Cisticola erythrops*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *pyrrhomitra* - 1
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *pyrrhomitra* - 3
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *pyrrhomitra* - 2

Boran Cisticola *Cisticola bodessa*

05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp *bodessa* - 2
 06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *bodessa* - 4

Rattling Cisticola *Cisticola chiniana*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 1
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 4
 02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 3
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 1
 04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 2
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 3
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Ashy Cisticola *Cisticola cinereolus*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *cinereolus* - 3

Winding Cisticola *Cisticola galactotes*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *lugubris* - 1
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *lugubris* - 2
 23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *lugubris* - 1
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *lugubris* - 2
 25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp *lugubris* - 2
 29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - ssp *lugubris* - 1
 01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - ssp *lugubris* - 1

The subspecies *lugubris* is often treated as a separated species, Ethiopian Cisticola

Stout Cisticola *Cisticola robustus*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1

Siffling Cisticola *Cisticola brachypterus*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp zedlitz - 3
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp zedlitz - 2
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp zedlitz - 1

Foxy Cisticola *Cisticola troglodytes*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp ferrugineus - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ferrugineus - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ferrugineus - 1

Tiny Cisticola *Cisticola nana*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 3
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 2

Zitting Cisticola *Cisticola juncidis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 3

Pectoral-patch Cisticola *Cisticola brunnescens*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - ssp brunnescens - 2
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp brunnescens - 1

Buff-bellied Warbler *Phyllolais pulchella*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 3
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - +/- 5
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Tawny-flanked Prinia *Prinia subflava*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 5
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Pale Prinia *Prinia somalica*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp erlangeri - +/- 5
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp erlangeri - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp erlangeri - 3

Yellow-bellied Eremomela *Eremomela icteropygialis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp griseoflava - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp griseoflava - +/- 10
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp griseoflava - +/- 5
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp griseoflava - 1
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp griseoflava - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp griseoflava - 2
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp griseoflava - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp griseoflava - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp griseoflava - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp griseoflava - 4

Green-backed Eremomela *Eremomela canescens*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *abyssinica* - 3

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *abyssinica* - 4

Abyssinian Catbird *Parophasma galinieri* Country endemic

30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - NC - HO - 1

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 5+ seen and many more heard

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - 2 and a few heard

01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - a few

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few

09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - 1 seen and a few heard

Blackcap *Sylvia atricapilla*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - fairly common

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 1

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - 1

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - a few

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 3

09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - +/- 5

Garden Warbler *Sylvia borin*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1

Greater Whitethroat *Sylvia communis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 2

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 2

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 2

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1

Lesser Whitethroat *Sylvia curruca*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *curruca* - 3

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *curruca* - 2

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp *curruca* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *curruca* - a few

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *curruca* - 1

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *curruca* - a few

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *curruca* - a few

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *curruca* - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *curruca* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *curruca* - 1

08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - ssp *curruca* - 1

Brown Warbler *Parisoma lugens*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *lugens* - 2

Banded Warbler *Parisoma boehmi*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *somalicum* - 2

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp *somalicum* - 2

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *somalicum* - 1

Moustached Grass-Warbler *Melocichla mentalis*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *amauroura* - 1

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *amauroura* - 1

Northern Crombec *Sylvietta brachyura*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *leucopsis* - 2

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *leucopsis* - 1

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp leucopsis* - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp leucopsis* - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp leucopsis* - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp leucopsis* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp leucopsis* - 3

Red-faced Crombec *Sylvietta whytii*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp loringi* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp loringi* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp loringi* - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp loringi* - 1

Somali Crombec *Sylvietta isabellina*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2

African Grey Flycatcher *Bradornis microrhynchus*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - *ssp pumilus* - 2
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp pumilus* - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp pumilus* - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp pumilus* - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp neumanni* - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp neumanni* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp neumanni* - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp neumanni* - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp neumanni* - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp neumanni* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp neumanni* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp neumanni* - a few

The subspecies *pumilus* is often treated as a separated species, Ethiopian Grey Flycatcher

Abyssinian Slaty-Flycatcher *Melaenornis chocolatinus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp chocolatinus* - 3
30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp chocolatinus* - a few
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp chocolatinus* - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp chocolatinus* - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp chocolatinus* - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp chocolatinus* - a few
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - *ssp chocolatinus* - a few

Northern Black-Flycatcher *Melaenornis edolioides*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp schistaceus* - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp schistaceus* - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp schistaceus* - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp schistaceus* - 2
04/01/2011 - Mega - *ssp schistaceus* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp schistaceus* - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp schistaceus* - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp schistaceus* - 1

African Dusky Flycatcher *Muscicapa adusta*

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp minima* - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp minima* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp minima* - 3
30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp minima* - 1
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp minima* - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp minima* - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp minima* - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp minima* - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp minima* - a few
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - *ssp minima* - a few

Grey Tit-Flycatcher *Myioparus plumbeus*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp plumbeus* - 1

Thrush Nightingale *Luscinia luscinia*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1

Rueppell's Robin-Chat *Cossypha semirufa*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 3
30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 2
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - 1
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - 1
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few
04/01/2011 - Mega - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 2
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - 1

White-browed Robin-Chat *Cossypha heuglini*

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp heuglini - 1

Snowy-crowned Robin-Chat *Cossypha niveicapilla*

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp niveicapilla - 3

Spotted Morning-Thrush *Cichladusa guttata*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp intercalans - 1

Red-backed Scrub-Robin *Cercotrichas leucophrys*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp leucoptera - 4
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp leucoptera - 5+
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp leucoptera - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp leucoptera - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp leucoptera - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp leucoptera - a few

Rufous-tailed Scrub-Robin *Cercotrichas galactotes*

05/01/2011 - Soda - 1

Common Redstart *Phoenicurus phoenicurus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 5
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 1 male
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 2
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 2
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Northern Wheatear *Oenanthe oenanthe*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Mourning Wheatear *Oenanthe lugens*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp lugubris - 1 male
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp lugubris - 2 males + 1 female
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp lugubris - 1 male
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp lugubris - 1 pair

The subspecies *lugubris* is often treated as a separated species, Abyssinian Black Wheatear

Pied Wheatear *Oenanthe pleschanka*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - fairly common
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - a few
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - a few
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - a few
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - +/- 5
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 2
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - fairly common
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Cyprus Wheatear *Oenanthe cypriaca*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1 male identified amongst the Pied Wheatears.

Isabelline Wheatear *Oenanthe isabellina*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - a few
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
23/12/2010 - from Jemmy Valley to Ankober - fairly common
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - a few
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - fairly common
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - a few
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - 1
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - fairly common
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Red-breasted Wheatear *Oenanthe bottae*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *frenata* - fairly common
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *frenata* - fairly common
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *frenata* - 5
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *frenata* - 2
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp *frenata* - a few
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - ssp *frenata* - 2

Whinchat *Saxicola rubetra*

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Stonechat *Saxicola torquatus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp albofasciatus* - 1 pair and 1 female
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp albofasciatus* - 2 males + 1 female
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp maurus* - 1 female
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp albofasciatus* - a few
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp maurus* - 1 male
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - *ssp albofasciatus* - 1 male
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - *ssp albofasciatus* - 1

Familiar Chat *Cercomela familiaris*

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp omoensis* - 1

Brown-tailed Chat *Cercomela scotocerca*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 10+

Sombre Chat *Cercomela dubia*

[Restricted range](#)

26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - 2

Blackstart *Cercomela melanura*

26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - *ssp aussae* - 2

Moorland Chat *Cercomela sordida*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp sordida* - +/- 5
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp sordida* - 5+
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp sordida* - fairly common
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - *ssp sordida* - fairly common
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - *ssp sordida* - 1
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - *ssp sordida* - fairly common
01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - *ssp sordida* - fairly common
01/01/2011 - Harenn Forest - *ssp sordida* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp sordida* - 1

Rueppell's Chat *Myrmecocichla melaena*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 6

Mocking Cliff-Chat *Thamnolaea cinnamomeiventris*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1 pair
27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - 1 male
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 3

White-winged Cliff-Chat *Thamnolaea semirufa*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 5
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1 male
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - 2

Little Rock-Thrush *Monticola rufocinereus*

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - *ssp rufocinereus* - 1 male
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp rufocinereus* - 2
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp rufocinereus* - 2



Rufous-tailed Rock-Thrush *Monticola saxatilis*

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
 03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 1
 05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - 1
 07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1
 10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
 11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1

Blue Rock-Thrush *Monticola solitarius*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
 25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 1
 08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - 1

Abyssinian Ground-Thrush *Zoothera piaggiae*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp piaggiae* - 2
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp piaggiae* - 1
 30/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp piaggiae* - 1
 31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp piaggiae* - 1
 01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp piaggiae* - 1

Groundscraper Thrush *Psophocichla litsipsirupa*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp simensis* - fairly common
 22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp simensis* - fairly common
 23/12/2010 - from Jemmu Valley to Ankober - *ssp simensis* - fairly common
 23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp simensis* - a few
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp simensis* - fairly common
 25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - *ssp simensis* - a few
 29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - *ssp simensis* - a few
 30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - *ssp simensis* - fairly common
 31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - *ssp simensis* - a few
 09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp simensis* - 2

Olive Thrush *Turdus olivaceus*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
 24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
 27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp abyssinicus* - 1
 28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp abyssinicus* - a few
 29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp abyssinicus* - a few
 31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - *ssp abyssinicus* - fairly common
 31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp abyssinicus* - a few
 01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - *ssp abyssinicus* - a few
 01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp abyssinicus* - very common
 07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - *ssp abyssinicus* - a few
 09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - *ssp abyssinicus* - a few

The subspecies *abyssinicus* is often treated as a separated species, Abyssinian Thrush

African Thrush *Turdus pelios*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp *pelios* - 1
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *pelios* - a few
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *pelios* - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *pelios* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *pelios* - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *pelios* - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *pelios* - a few

African Bare-eyed Thrush *Turdus tephronotus*

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 3

African Hill Babbler *Pseudoalcippe abyssinica*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *abyssinica* - 4
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *abyssinica* - 2
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *abyssinica* - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *abyssinica* - 2

Scaly Chatterer *Turdoides aylmeri*

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp *boranensis* - 9

Rufous Chatterer *Turdoides rubiginosa*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *rubiginosa* - 2
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp *rubiginosa* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *rubiginosa* - 4
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp *rubiginosa* - 3
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *rubiginosa* - 1
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *rubiginosa* - 6
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *rubiginosa* - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *rubiginosa* - +/- 10

White-rumped Babbler *Turdoides leucopygia*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 5
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - +/- 5
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - +/- 8
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - +/- 5
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 6
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - +/- 20
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Broad-ringed White-eye *Zosterops poliogastrus*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *poliogastrus* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *poliogastrus* - 2
31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp *poliogastrus* - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *poliogastrus* - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *poliogastrus* - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *poliogastrus* - a few
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp *poliogastrus* - fairly common

White-breasted White-eye *Zosterops abyssinicus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *abyssinicus* - 3
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *abyssinicus* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *abyssinicus* - 3
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *abyssinicus* - 2
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *abyssinicus* - a few
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp *jubaensis* - a few
06/01/2011 - Yabello - ssp *jubaensis* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *abyssinicus* - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *abyssinicus* - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *abyssinicus* - 2

Wattled Starling *Creatophora cinerea*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - a few
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - +/- 10
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 3
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1

Greater Blue-eared Glossy-Starling *Lamprotornis chalybaeus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp cyaniventris - a few
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp cyaniventris - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp cyaniventris - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp cyaniventris - fairly common
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp cyaniventris - a few
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp cyaniventris - a few
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp cyaniventris - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp cyaniventris - fairly common
31/12/2010 - Robe (between Dinsho and Goba) - ssp cyaniventris - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp cyaniventris - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - ssp cyaniventris - common
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp cyaniventris - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp cyaniventris - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp cyaniventris - a few
06/01/2011 - Yabello - ssp cyaniventris - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp cyaniventris - a few
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - ssp cyaniventris - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp cyaniventris - a few
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp cyaniventris - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp cyaniventris - a few

Rueppell's Glossy-Starling *Lamprotornis purpuroptera*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp purpuroptera - 3
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp purpuroptera - a few
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp purpuroptera - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp purpuroptera - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp purpuroptera - a few
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp purpuroptera - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp purpuroptera - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp purpuroptera - a few

Golden-breasted Starling *Lamprotornis regius*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 4
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - 4
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - 10+
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few

Superb Starling *Lamprotornis superbus*

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 15+
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - fairly common
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - fairly common
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - fairly common
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - common
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - fairly common
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - fairly common
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - fairly common
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - fairly common
05/01/2011 - Soda - fairly common
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - fairly common
06/01/2011 - from Yabello to Lake Awassa - a few
07/01/2011 - from Lake Awassa to Wondo Genet - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Shelley's Starling *Lamprotornis shelleyi*

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - +/- 5

04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few

Violet-backed Starling *Cinnyricinclus leucogaster*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp leucogaster* - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp leucogaster* - 1

White-crowned Starling *Spreo albicapillus*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp albicapillus* - 10+
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp albicapillus* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp albicapillus* - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - *ssp albicapillus* - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - *ssp albicapillus* - fairly common

Red-winged Starling *Onychognathus morio*

04/01/2011 - Mega - *ssp rueppellii* - 1

Slender-billed Starling *Onychognathus tenuirostris*

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp tenuirostris* - 1
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - *ssp tenuirostris* - +/- 60
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp tenuirostris* - 10+
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - *ssp tenuirostris* - fairly common
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp tenuirostris* - fairly common

Bristle-crowned Starling *Onychognathus salvadorii*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - +/- 20

White-billed Starling *Onychognathus albirostris*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 10+

Sharpe's Starling *Pholia sharpii*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - +/- 10

Red-billed Oxpecker *Buphagus erythrorhynchus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - 3
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - +/- 10

Kenya Violet-backed Sunbird *Anthreptes orientalis*

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - +/- 5
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 3
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1

Collared Sunbird *Hedydipna collaris*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp djamdjamensis* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp djamdjamensis* - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp djamdjamensis* - 1 male

Nile Valley Sunbird *Hedydipna metallica*

27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - +/- 5
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 10+

Scarlet-chested Sunbird *Chalcomitra senegalensis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp cruentata* - +/- 5
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp cruentata* - 1 male
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp cruentata* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp cruentata* - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp cruentata* - a few

Hunter's Sunbird *Chalcomitra hunteri*

01/01/2011 - Dola Mena (village just south of Hareenna Forest) - 1 male

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1 male

Tacazze Sunbird *Nectarinia tacazze*

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - ssp tacazze - 1
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp tacazze - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp tacazze - 1 male
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp tacazze - a few
31/12/2010 - Robe (between Dinsho and Goba) - ssp tacazze - a few
01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - ssp tacazze - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp tacazze - fairly common
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp tacazze - a few
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp tacazze - a few

Beautiful Sunbird *Cinnyris pulchellus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp melanogastrus - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp melanogastrus - 1 male
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp melanogastrus - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp melanogastrus - a few

Mariqua Sunbird *Cinnyris mariquensis*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp osiris - 3
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp osiris - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp osiris - a few
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp osiris - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp osiris - a few

Shining Sunbird *Cinnyris habessinicus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1 female
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1 male
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1 male
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few

Variable Sunbird *Cinnyris venustus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp fazoqlensis - 1 pair
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp fazoqlensis - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp fazoqlensis - a few
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp fazoqlensis - a few
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp fazoqlensis - a few
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp fazoqlensis - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp albiventris - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp fazoqlensis - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp fazoqlensis - fairly common

Western Yellow Wagtail *Motacilla flava*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - common
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - common
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - a few
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - a few
26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - fairly common
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - fairly common
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - ssp feldegg - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - fairly common
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - +/- 20
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp lutea - 1
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 20+
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - fairly common
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp feldegg - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp lutea - 1 male

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few

Grey Wagtail *Motacilla cinerea*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *cinerea* - 2
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *cinerea* - 1
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *cinerea* - 1
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *cinerea* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *cinerea* - 2
31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *cinerea* - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *cinerea* - 1

Mountain Wagtail *Motacilla clara*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *clara* - 2
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *clara* - 1
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *clara* - 4
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *clara* - 1



White Wagtail *Motacilla alba*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 1
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - 2
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2

African Pied Wagtail *Motacilla aguimp*

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *vidua* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *vidua* - 4
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *vidua* - 6
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *vidua* - a few

African Pipit *Anthus cinnamomeus*

23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *annae* - 2
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *annae* - a few
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp *annae* - 1

Long-billed Pipit *Anthus similis*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *hararensis* - 2
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp *hararensis* - a few
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp *hararensis* - a few

Tawny Pipit *Anthus campestris*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp campestris* - 2
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp campestris* - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp campestris* - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp campestris* - 2+

Plain-backed Pipit *Anthus leucophrys*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - *ssp omoensis* - +/- 5
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - *ssp omoensis* - a few
04/01/2011 - from Negele to Mega - *ssp omoensis* - 1
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - *ssp omoensis* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp omoensis* - +/- 4

Tree Pipit *Anthus trivialis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp trivialis* - 3
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp trivialis* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp trivialis* - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp trivialis* - 5+

Red-throated Pipit *Anthus cervinus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 10+
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 5+
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - +/- 30
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - fairly common
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - fairly common
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - a few
01/01/2011 - Sanetti Plateau - 1
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Koka - +/- 10

Abyssinian Longclaw *Macronyx flavicollis* [Country endemic](#)

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 4
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - 1

Ortolan Bunting *Emberiza hortulana*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 5+
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 5
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 2
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 45+

Cinnamon-breasted Bunting *Emberiza tahapisi*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 2
22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common

Somali Bunting *Emberiza poliopleura*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 3
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 10+
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 1
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 2

Ankober Serin *Carduelis ankoberensis* [Country endemic](#) [Restricted range](#)

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - +/- 20

Yellow-crowned Canary *Serinus flavivertex*

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp flavivertex* - 20+
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp flavivertex* - a few

Yellow-fronted Canary *Serinus mozambicus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - +/- 5
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 2

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Abyssinian Siskin *Serinus nigriceps* [Country endemic](#)
[Restricted range](#)

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - 6
23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - +/- 40
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 50+
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - fairly common
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains (Dinsho area) - a few
31/12/2010 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - +/- 120
01/01/2011 - from Goba to the Sanetti Plateau - a few

African Citril *Serinus citrinelloides*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *citrinelloides* - 3
22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - ssp *citrinelloides* - 2
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *citrinelloides* - a few
01/01/2011 - Harenn Forest - ssp *citrinelloides* - a few
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *citrinelloides* - 5+
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *citrinelloides* - 1 male
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *citrinelloides* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *citrinelloides* - 3
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp *citrinelloides* - a few

Reichenow's Seedeater *Serinus reichenowi*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 4
01/01/2011 - Dola Mena (village just south of Harenn Forest) - 1 male
02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 3
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - +/- 5
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - +/- 5
04/01/2011 - Mega - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Yellow-rumped Serin *Serinus xanthopygius*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 1
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - 7

White-bellied Canary *Serinus dorsostriatus*

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp *maculicollis* - 3

Yellow-throated Serin *Serinus flavigula* [Country endemic](#)
[Restricted range](#)

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 2



Salvadori's Serin *Serinus xantholaemus* **Vulnerable (VU)** **Country endemic**
Restricted range

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 6

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2

Northern Grosbeak-Canary *Serinus donaldsoni*

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - 2

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 1 male

Streaky Seedeater *Serinus striolatus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *striolatus* - a few

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *striolatus* - a few

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - ssp *striolatus* - a few

23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *striolatus* - +/- 5

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp *striolatus* - fairly common

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp *striolatus* - +/- 10

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *striolatus* - a few

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp *striolatus* - a few

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *striolatus* - a few

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - ssp *striolatus* - a few

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *striolatus* - a few

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *striolatus* - a few

Brown-rumped Seedeater *Serinus tristriatus*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - a few

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - a few

23/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - 10+

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - fairly common

25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - 10+

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - a few

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - a few

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - a few

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - a few

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few

09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - a few

Shelley's Rufous Sparrow *Passer shelleyi*

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - 3

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - 20+

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - 2

05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - a few

05/01/2011 - Soda - a few

Swainson's Sparrow *Passer swainsonii*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - a few

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - a few

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - a few

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - a few

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - a few

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few

25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - a few

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - a few

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - fairly common

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - fairly common

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - fairly common

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - a few

30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - fairly common

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - a few

01/01/2011 - Goba (forest before Sanetti Plateau) - a few

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - a few

04/01/2011 - Mega - 5+

05/01/2011 - Soda - a few

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 2

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - a few

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Chestnut Sparrow *Passer eminibey*

04/01/2011 - Mega - 1
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - +/- 100

Yellow-spotted Petronia *Petronia pyrgita*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp pyrgita - 1
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp pyrgita - +/- 5
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp pyrgita - 1
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp pyrgita - +/- 5
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp pyrgita - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp pyrgita - 4

Bush Petronia *Petronia dentata*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 10+
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - fairly common
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - +/- 10
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - fairly common
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - a few

Red-billed Buffalo-Weaver *Bubalornis niger*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp intermedius - 10+
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp intermedius - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp intermedius - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp intermedius - a few

White-headed Buffalo-Weaver *Dinemellia dinemelli*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp dinemelli - 1
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp dinemelli - 20+
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp dinemelli - fairly common
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp dinemelli - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp dinemelli - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp dinemelli - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp dinemelli - a few
04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp dinemelli - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp dinemelli - 1
05/01/2011 - Soda - ssp dinemelli - +/- 10
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp dinemelli - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp dinemelli - a few

Speckle-fronted Weaver *Sporopipes frontalis*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp frontalis - Fairly common

White-browed Sparrow-Weaver *Plocepasser mahali*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp melanorhynchus - a few
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp melanorhynchus - +/- 5
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp melanorhynchus - +/- 5
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp melanorhynchus - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp melanorhynchus - fairly common
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp melanorhynchus - 1
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp melanorhynchus - a few

Chestnut-crowned Sparrow-Weaver *Plocepasser superciliosus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - 2

Grey-headed Social-Weaver *Pseudonigrita arnaudi*

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - ssp arnaudi - common
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp arnaudi - a few
05/01/2011 - fields south of Mega - ssp arnaudi - fairly common

05/01/2011 - Soda - *ssp arnaudi* - a few

Black-capped Social-Weaver *Pseudonigrita cabanisi*

04/01/2011 - end road from Negele, just before T-junction to Mega - fairly common

05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 3

Red-headed Weaver *Anaplectes rubriceps*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - *ssp leuconotus* - 1 male + 1 female

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp leuconotus* - 1 male

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp leuconotus* - 1 male

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - *ssp leuconotus* - +/- 5

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - *ssp leuconotus* - 2

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp leuconotus* - 1

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp leuconotus* - 1 female

Baglafecht Weaver *Ploceus baglafecht*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

22/12/2010 - Addis Ababa - *ssp baglafecht* - 5

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

31/12/2010 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - *ssp baglafecht* - 8

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp baglafecht* - a few

Little Weaver *Ploceus luteolus*

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - 1

Spectacled Weaver *Ploceus ocularis*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - *ssp crocatus* - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - *ssp crocatus* - 1 male

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - *ssp crocatus* - 1 male

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - *ssp crocatus* - a few

07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp crocatus* - 1

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - *ssp crocatus* - 2

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - *ssp crocatus* - 1 male

Lesser Masked-Weaver *Ploceus intermedius*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - *ssp intermedius* - +/- 5

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp intermedius* - a few

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp intermedius* - a few

Vitelline Masked-Weaver *Ploceus vitellinus*

28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway - *ssp uluensis* - +/- 5

02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - *ssp uluensis* - a few

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - *ssp uluensis* - 1 male in breeding plumage

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - *ssp uluensis* - a few

Rueppell's Weaver *Ploceus galbula*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - 1 male + 1 female

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1 male

27/12/2010 - Awash NP - +/- 30

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - 1

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - a few

Speke's Weaver *Ploceus spekei*

26/12/2010 - Lava fields near Awash NP - 5

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - 1

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - 1

02/01/2011 - near Negelle (Liben Plains and ponds) - a few

Village Weaver *Ploceus cucullatus*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp abyssinicus - 1
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp abyssinicus - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp abyssinicus - 3
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp abyssinicus - a few
08/01/2011 - en route between the lakes - ssp abyssinicus - a few
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp abyssinicus - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp abyssinicus - a few
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp abyssinicus - a few

Salvadori's Weaver *Ploceus dichrocephalus*

04/01/2011 - Dawa River - 2

Chestnut Weaver *Ploceus rubiginosus*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp rubiginosus - +/- 10

Red-billed Quelea *Quelea quelea*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp aethiopica - +/- 50
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp aethiopica - a few
27/12/2010 - area opposite entrance road of Bilen Lodge - ssp aethiopica - very common
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp aethiopica - a few
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - ssp aethiopica - a few
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp aethiopica - 2
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp aethiopica - +/- 50
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp aethiopica - +/- 10
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp aethiopica - +/- 10
09/01/2011 - from Menagesha Forest to Gibe Gorge - ssp aethiopica - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp aethiopica - fairly common
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp aethiopica - 30+

Black Bishop *Euplectes gierowii*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ansorgei - 3
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ansorgei - 100+
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ansorgei - +/- 50

Yellow Bishop *Euplectes capensis*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp xanthomelas - +/- 10
24/12/2010 - Ankober Escarpment - ssp xanthomelas - +/- 20
25/12/2010 - north of Debre Birhan - ssp xanthomelas - +/- 30
29/12/2010 - from Wondo Genet to Bale Mountains - ssp xanthomelas - 1

Red-collared Widowbird *Euplectes ardens*

09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp laticauda - 10+

Fan-tailed Widowbird *Euplectes axillaris*

09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp traversii - 30+

Grosbeak Weaver *Amblyospiza albifrons*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp melanota - 4
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp melanota - 3

Yellow-bellied Waxbill *Coccygia quartinia*

31/12/2010 - Dinsho Forest - ssp quartinia - 1
01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp quartinia - very common
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp quartinia - a few

Fawn-breasted Waxbill *Estrilda paludicola*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ochrogaster - +/- 100
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ochrogaster - common
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp ochrogaster - fairly common

Crimson-rumped Waxbill *Estrilda rhodopyga*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *rhodopyga* - +/- 30
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *rhodopyga* - +/- 40
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *rhodopyga* - a few
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *rhodopyga* - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - a few
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *rhodopyga* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *rhodopyga* - +/- 10

Common Waxbill *Estrilda astrild*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *peasei* - 2

Red-rumped Waxbill *Estrilda charmosyna*

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *charmosyna* - 4
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - ssp *charmosyna* - 2
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *charmosyna* - 2
04/01/2011 - Dawa River - ssp *charmosyna* - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp *charmosyna* - 4
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *charmosyna* - +/- 10

Red-cheeked Cordonbleu *Uraeginthus bengalus*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *bengalus* - 4
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *bengalus* - 10+
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *bengalus* - +/- 5
26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *bengalus* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp *bengalus* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *bengalus* - common
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *bengalus* - a few
30/12/2010 - from Dinsho to Sof Omar - ssp *bengalus* - a few
02/01/2011 - from Dola Mena to Negelle - ssp *bengalus* - common
04/01/2011 - Mega - ssp *bengalus* - 2
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - ssp *bengalus* - +/- 5
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *bengalus* - a few
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *bengalus* - a few
07/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *bengalus* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *bengalus* - fairly common
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *bengalus* - fairly common
09/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest - ssp *bengalus* - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *bengalus* - common
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *bengalus* - 10+

Purple Grenadier *Granatina ianthinogaster*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar - 2
03/01/2011 - Liben Plains and area in direction of Filtu - +/- 5
05/01/2011 - between Mega to Yabello - 2
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - 1
07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1 male

Green-winged Pytilia *Pytilia melba*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *soudanensis* - 1
06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - ssp *soudanensis* - 1

Red-billed Firefinch *Lagonosticta senegala*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *rhodopsis* - +/- 5
23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few
24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *rhodopsis* - +/- 10
25/12/2010 - from Debre Birhan to Awash NP - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few
27/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Bishangari Lodge) - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *rhodopsis* - 2
06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *rhodopsis* - 1 female
08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few
08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *rhodopsis* - 1
09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few
10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *rhodopsis* - fairly common
11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *rhodopsis* - a few

Bar-breasted Firefinch *Lagonosticta rufopicta*

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *lateritia* - +/- 15

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *lateritia* - 10+

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *lateritia* - a few

Black-faced Firefinch *Lagonosticta larvata*

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *larvata* - +/- 20 birds in 3 groups.

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *larvata* - 4

African Firefinch *Lagonosticta rubricata*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *haematocephala* - 2

Cut-throat Amadina *fasciata*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *alexanderi* - +/- 20

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *alexanderi* - 2

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *alexanderi* - +/- 60

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp *alexanderi* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *alexanderi* - a few

03/01/2011 - Liben Plains - ssp *alexanderi* - 5+

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *alexanderi* - 5+

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *alexanderi* - +/- 10

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *alexanderi* - 1

African Quailfinch *Ortygospiza fuscocrissa*

22/12/2010 - Sululta Plains - ssp *fuscocrissa* - 2

Grey-headed Silverbill *Odontospiza griseicapilla*

06/01/2011 - south of Yabello - +/- 10

Bronze Mannikin *Spermestes cucullatus*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu - ssp *scutatus* - 2

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet - ssp *scutatus* - 10+

06/01/2011 - Lake Awassa - ssp *scutatus* - +/- 10

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - ssp *scutatus* - +/- 15

08/01/2011 - Lake Cheleleka - ssp *scutatus* - +/- 5

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *scutatus* - a few

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *scutatus* - 1

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *scutatus* - +/- 10

Black-and-white Mannikin *Spermestes bicolor*

01/01/2011 - Hareenna Forest - ssp *poensis* - 6

African Silverbill *Euodice cantans*

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *orientalis* - 2

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - ssp *orientalis* - +/- 10

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge - ssp *orientalis* - a few

28/12/2010 - Lake Langano (Wabe Shebelle Hotel) - ssp *orientalis* - 2

Eastern Paradise-Whydah *Vidua paradisaea*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP - 1 male

27/12/2010 - from Awash to Lake Ziway - 1 male

Straw-tailed Whydah *Vidua fischeri*

05/01/2011 - Soda - 8 with only 1 male in breeding plumage

07/01/2011 - Wondo Genet - 1 male

Village Indigobird *Vidua chalybeata*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *ultramarina* - 2

23/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley - ssp *ultramarina* - a few

08/01/2011 - Lake Langano (Bekele Molla Hotel) - ssp *ultramarina* - 1

09/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *ultramarina* - 1 male

10/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *ultramarina* - 2 males

11/01/2011 - Gibe Gorge - ssp *ultramarina* - 1

Total number of birds: 511

Mammal list

Guereza Colobus *Colobus guereza*

24/12/2010 - Ankober - escarpment and fields	1 ex.
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano - Wabe Shebelle	min. 1 ex.
29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet	a few
31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Harenna Forest	ca 10 ex.
1/01/2011 - Bale Mountains NP - Harenna Forest	a few
6/01/2011 - Hawassa - Lake Awassa	ca 10 ex.
7/01/2011 - Hawassa - Lake Awassa	ca 10 ex.
7/01/2011 - Wondo Genet	a few
9/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest	2 ex.

Olive Baboon *Papio anubis*

25/12/2010 - Debre Birhan -> Awash	1 ex.
26/12/2010 - Awash NP	1 ex.
27/12/2010 - Awash NP	4 ex.
28/12/2010 - Lake Langano - Wabe Shebelle	a few
28/12/2010 - Lake Ziway	2 ex.
29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - near Dinsho	ca 10 ex.
1/01/2011 - Bale Mountains NP - Harenna Forest	ca 10 ex.
3/01/2011 - en route Negele/Filtu	1 ex.
4/01/2011 - Dawa River	2 ex.
9/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest	1 ex.

Gelada / Gelada Baboon *Teropithecus gelada*

24/12/2010 - Ankober - escarpment and fields	6 ex.
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Grivet Monkey *Chlorocebus aethiops*

24/12/2010 - Melka Ghebdu	> 10 ex.
27/12/2010 - Awash NP	ca 10 ex.
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge	1 ex.
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar	2 groups
2/01/2011 - Dolo Mena -> Negele	ca 10 ex.
6/01/2011 - Hawassa - Lake Awassa	ca 20 ex.
7/01/2011 - Hawassa - Lake Awassa	ca 20 ex.

Bale Monkey *Chlorocebus djamdjamensis*

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Harenna Forest	1 ex.
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Blue Monkey / Diademed Monkey *Cercopithecus mitis*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet	a few
7/01/2011 - Wondo Genet	a few

Cape Hare *Lepus capensis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	a few
5/01/2011 - Mega/Soda - NO of Mega	1 ex.
6/01/2011 - south of Yabello	1 ex.

Scrub Hare *Lepus saxatilis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	ca 10 ex.
6/01/2011 - south of Yabello	2 ex.

8/01/2011 - Lake Langano 1 ex.

Ethiopian Highland Hare / Starck's Hare *Lepus starcki*

24/12/2010 - Ankober - escarpment and fields 1 ex.

25/12/2010 - North of Debre Brihan 1 ex.

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Sanetti Plateau 1 ex.

Unstriped Ground Squirrel *Xerus rutilus*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge > 10 ex.

Striped Ground Squirrel *Xerus erythropus*

2/01/2011 - Dolo Mena -> Negele 2 ex.

4/01/2011 - Dawa River a few

4/01/2011 - Negele -> Soda a few

5/01/2011 - Mega -> Yabello a few

5/01/2011 - Mega/Soda - NO of Mega a few

6/01/2011 - south of Yabello 1 ex.

Gambian Sun Squirrel *Heliosciurus gambianus*

29/12/2010 - Wondo Genet 1 ex.

Naked Mole Rat *Heterocephalus glaber*

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge a few., were digging holes. Mammals not seen, only ground coming out of the ???

Golden Jackal *Canis aureus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP 1 ex.

Black-backed Jackal *Canis mesomelas*

3/01/2011 - from Negele to Filtu 1 roadkill

8/01/2011 - Lake Langano 2 ex.

Ethiopian Wolf *Canis simensis*

1/01/2011 - Bale Mountains NP - Sanetti Plateau 5 ex. (2/2/1)



Dwarf Mongoose *Helogale parvula*

26/12/2010 - Mount Fantale 1 ex.

5/01/2011 - Mega -> Yabello a few

Slender Mongoose *Galerella sanguinea*

10/01/2011 - Gibe River Gorge 1 ex.

Spotted Hyena *Crocuta crocuta*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP 1 ex.

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho aud

9/01/2011 - Addis Ababa - suburbs 1 ex.

9/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest 2 ex.

African Wild Cat *Felis lybica*

6/01/2011 - south of Yabello 1 ex.

Yellow-spotted Rock Hyrax *Heterohyrax brucei*

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar at least 2 ex.

Abyssinian Hyrax *Procavia capensis habessinica*

22/12/2010 - Jemmu Valley ca 10 ex., incl. 2 juveniles

30/12/2010 - Sof Omar at least 1 ex.

African Elephant *Loxodonta africana*

4/01/2011 - Negele -> Soda fresh droppings

Hippopotamus *Hippopotamus amphibius*

9/01/2011 - Gibe River Gorge at least 6 ex.

10/01/2011 - Gibe River Gorge 5 ex.

11/01/2011 - Gibe River Gorge 4 ex.

Bushpig *Potamochoerus larvatus*

9/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest 3 ex.

Desert Wart-Hog *Phacochoerus aethiopicus*

27/12/2010 - Awash NP 2 ex.

27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge ca 10 ex.

30/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho common

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho common

4/01/2011 - Dawa River 3 ex.

Menelik's Bushbuck *Tragelaphus scriptus meneliki*

30/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho 2 ex.

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho 2 ex.

9/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest 2 ex.

Lesser Kudu *Tragelaphus imberbis*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP 3 ex.

27/12/2010 - Awash NP 2 ex.

4/01/2011 - Negele -> Soda 1m

Mountain Nyala *Tragelaphus buxtoni*

29/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - near Dinsho 2 ad + 1 imm

30/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho > 15 ex.

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho a few

Greater Kudu *Tragelaphus strepsiceros*

25/12/2010 - Awash NP 1 ex.

Common Duiker *Sylvicapra grimmia*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	2 ex.
30/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Dinsho	1 ex.
30/12/2010 - Sof Omar	4 ex.
31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Harennna Forest	1 ex.
9/01/2011 - Gibe River Gorge	1 ex.
9/01/2011 - Menagesha Forest	1 ex.

Klipspringer *Oreotragus oreotragus*

31/12/2010 - Bale Mountains NP - Sanetti Plateau	5 ex.
1/01/2011 - Bale Mountains NP - Sanetti Plateau	2 ex.

Salt's Dik-dik *Madoqua saltiana*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	ca 10 ex.
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Günther's Dik-dik *Madoqua guentheri*

3/01/2011 - en route Negele/Filtu	5 ex.
4/01/2011 - Dawa River	2 ex.
4/01/2011 - Negele -> Soda	common
5/01/2011 - Mega -> Yabello	5 ex.
6/01/2011 - south of Yabello	a few

Red-fronted Gazelle *Eudorcas rufifrons*

4/01/2011 - Negele -> Soda	1 ex.
5/01/2011 - Mega/Soda - NO of Mega	1 ex.

Soemmering's Gazelle *Nanger soemmerringii*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	10++
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Gerenuk *Litocranius walleri*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	1 ex.
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge	5 ex. (2/3)
5/01/2011 - Mega/Soda - NO of Mega	3 ex.

East African Oryx *Oryx beisa*

26/12/2010 - Awash NP	10++
27/12/2010 - Bilen Lodge	1 ex.



Reptile list

Nile Crocodile *Crocodylus niloticus*

9/01/2011 - Gibe - Gibe River Gorge 2 ex.

10/01/2011 - Gibe - Gibe River Gorge 1 ex.

Nile Monitor *Varanus niloticus*

10/01/2011 - Gibe - Gibe River Gorge 1 ex.