# Annex 3

**Total Avifaunal Diversity of Niumi National Park**

**Important bird habitats within Niumi National Park**

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| Major habitat types | Code |
| Tidal creek systems and Rhizophora mangrove | A |
| Salt marsh and tidal flats | B |
| Seasonally flooded coastal scrub, Tamarisk acacias | C |
| Seasonal and erratic rain filled ponds/lakes, streams | D |
| Temporary rice paddies and agricultural fallow with surrounding trees | E |
| Oceanic sandy beach, lagoons and spits inc. open ocean | F |

A total of 293 species from63 families have been recorded from Niumi National Park to date. Abbreviations used in the following table are: Gam= Total of species for the family recorded in The Gambia; NNP = Recorded in Niumi National Park; PM – Palearctic Migrant; Res = species with records in every month in The Gambia; IAF = species with known African migratory populations occurring in The Gambia and these my include movements within Senegambia.

# Avifaunal Diversity in Niumi National Park

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| **FAMILY** | **GaM** | **NNP** | **PM** | **Res** | **IAF** | **HABITA** |
| Procellaridae: storm-petrels | 3 | 1 | \* |  |  | F |
| Pelicanidae: Pelicans | 2 | 1 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ADF |
| Sulidae Gannets | 2 | 1 | **\*** |  |  | F |
| Phalacrocoracidae Comorants | 2 | 2 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ABDEF |
| Anhingidae: Darter | 1 | 1 |  | **\*** |  | ADF |
| Ardeidae: Herons. Egrets Bitterns.Tiger Heon | 18 | 13 | **\*** | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDEF |
| Scopidae: Hamerkop | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | ABCDEF |
| CICONIDAE: Storks | 7 | 2 |  |  |  | ABCDEF |
| Threskiornithidae: Ibises spoonbills | 5 | 2 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDEF |
| Anatidae: Ducks, Gees | 14 | 3 |  | **\*** |  | ABCDEF |
| Accipitridae: Vultures Hawks Eagles | 44 | 20 | **\*** | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDEF |
| Pandionidae: Ospery | 1 | 1 | **\*** |  |  | ACF |
| FALCONIDAE: falcons | 9 | 6 | **\*** | **\*** |  | ABCDEF |
| Phasiandae: Gamebirds | 6 | 2 |  | **\*** |  | BCE |
| Rallidae: Rails | 9 | 1 |  | **\*** |  | CDE |
| Jacanidae: Jacana | 1 | 1 |  | **\*** |  | CDE |
| Burhinidae: Stone-Curlews | 2 | 1 |  | **\*** |  | ABCDEF |
| Upupidae: Hoopoe | 1 | 1 | **\*** | **\*** | **\*** | BCE |
| Phoeniculidae: Wood Hoopoes | 2 | 2 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ABCE |
| Bucerotidae Hornibills | 5 | 4 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDF |
| Capitonidae Barbets | 4 | 3 |  | **\*** |  | ACE |
| Indicatoridae: Honeyguides | 3 | 2 |  | **\*** |  | ABC |
| picidae: Woodpeckers | 7 | 6 |  | **\*** |  | ABC |
| Hirundinidae: Swallows. Martins | 15 | 8 | **\*** | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDEF |
| Motacillidae: Wagtails Pipits | 9 | 5 | **\*** | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDEF |

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| Laniidae: Shirkes | 11 | 9 | **\*** | **\*** |  | BCDE |
| Oriolidae: Orioles | 2 | 1 |  | **\*** | **\*** | CE |
| Dicruridae: Drongos | 2 | 1 |  | **\*** |  | BCE |
| Sturnidae: Glossy Starlings, Oxpeckers | 10 | 7 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDEF |
| Pycnonotidae: Bulbuls | 7 | 1 |  | **\*** |  | ABCDE |
| Corvidae: Crows | 3 | 2 |  | **\*** |  | BCDE |
| Muscicapidae: Turdinae Chats Thrushes | 17 | 8 | **\*** | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDE |
| Muscicapidae: Sylviinae warblers cisticolas | 38 | 26 | **\*** | **\*** |  | ABCDE |
| Muscicapidae, muscicapinae flyeatchers | 6 | 3 | **\*** |  |  | ABCDE |
| Muscicapidae: Platysterinae wattle-eye, Batis | 4 | 2 |  | **\*** |  | ACDE |
| Muscicapidae: Monarch Flycatchers | 4 | 2 |  | **\*** |  | ACE |
| Paridae: Tits | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | CE |
| Remizidae: Penduline Tits | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | CE |
| Nectarinidae Sunbirds | 9 | 6 |  | **\*** |  | ABCDE |
| Zosteropidae: White-eyes | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | CE |
| Fringillidae: Canaries | 2 | 2 |  | **\*** |  | BCE |
| Ploceidae: Weavers, Sparrows Whydahs | 23 | 19 |  | **\*** | **\*** | ABCDE |
| Estrididae: Waxbills | 19 | 9 |  | **\*** |  | ABCDE |
| Alaudidae: Larks | 8 | 2 |  | \* | \* | BE |