

**Table 1: Birds of Deepor Beel**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Species of Birds</b>	<b>Number Counted</b>
1	Little grebe – <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	348
2	Great Crested Grebe – <i>Podiceps cristatus</i>	04
3	Blacknecked Grebe – <i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>	01
4	Spotbilled pelican – <i>Pelicanus philippensis</i>	05
5	Large Cormorant – <i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	05
6	Little Cormorant – <i>P. niger</i>	1056
7	Indian Shag – <i>P. fuscicollis</i>	01
8	Giant Heron – <i>Ardea goliath</i>	01
9	Pond Heron – <i>Adreola graii</i>	261
10	Little Egret – <i>Egretta garzetta</i>	216
11	Cattle Egret – <i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	63
12	Intermediate Egret – <i>Egretta intermedia</i>	195
13	Great Egret – <i>Casmerodius alba</i>	86
14	Purple Heron – <i>Ardea purpurea</i>	17
15	Black Bittern – <i>Ixobrychus flavicollis</i>	01
16	Black Crowned Night Heron - <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	17
17	Cinamon Bittern – <i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>	16
18	Yellow Bittern – <i>I. Sinensis</i>	07
19	Grey Heron – <i>A. cinerea</i>	03
20	Asian Openbill Stork – <i>Anastomus oscitans</i>	17
21	Lesser Adjutant Stork – <i>Leptoptilos javanicus</i>	24
22	Greater Adjutant Stork – <i>L. dubius</i>	56
23	Blacknecked Stork – <i>Ephippiorhynchus asiaticus</i>	01
24	Barheaded Geese – <i>Anser indicus</i>	11
25	Large Whistling Teal – <i>Dendrocygna bicolor</i>	27
26	Lesser Whistling Teal – <i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>	3000
27	Ruddy Shelduck – <i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	769
28	Indian Cotton Teal – <i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	07
29	Eurasia Wigeon – <i>Anas penelope</i>	27
30	Gadwall – <i>Anas strepera</i>	500
31	Common Teal – <i>Anas crecca</i>	1689
32	Spot billed Duck – <i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>	65
33	Mallard – <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	35
34	Northern Pintail – <i>Anas acuta</i>	5349
35	Gargany – <i>Anas querquedula</i>	317
36	Northern Shoveler – <i>Ans clypeata</i>	914
37	Red Crested Pochard – <i>Netta rufina</i>	07
38	Common Pochard – <i>Aythya ferina</i>	1000
39	Baer's Pochard – <i>A. baeri</i>	1018
40	Ferruginous Duck – <i>A. nyroca</i>	609
41	Tufted Duck – <i>A. fuligula</i>	175
42	Water Rail – <i>Rallus aquaticus</i>	11
43	White breasted Waterhen – <i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	22
44	Watercock – <i>Gallicrex cinerea</i>	03
45	Purple Swamphen – <i>Porphyrio porphyrio</i>	60
46	Common Coot – <i>Fulica atra</i>	95

47	Pheasant Tail Jacana – <i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>	20
48	Bronze Winged Jacana – <i>Metopidius indicus</i>	90
49	Painted Snip – <i>Rostratula benghalensis</i>	08
50	Oriental Partincole – <i>Iglareola maldivarum</i>	10
51	Northern Lapwing – <i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	19
52	Grey-headed lapwing- <i>V. cinereus</i>	24
53	Red-Wattled lapwing – <i>V. indicus</i>	24
54	Asiatic Golden Plover – <i>Pluvialis dominica</i>	235
55	Little Ringed Plover – <i>Charadrius dubius</i>	150
56	Spotted redshank – <i>Tringa erythropus</i>	305
57	Marsh Sandpiper – <i>T. stagnatilis</i>	150
58	Green Shank – <i>Tringa nebularia</i>	10
59	Green Sandpiper – <i>T.ochropus</i>	10
60	Spoonbilled Sandpiper – <i>Eurynorhynchus pygmeus</i>	01
61	Wood Sand Piper – <i>T. glareola</i>	20
62	Common Sand Piper – <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	65
63	Solitary Snip – <i>Gallinago solitaria</i>	12
64	Pintail Snip – <i>G. stenura</i>	12
65	Common Snip – <i>G. gallinago</i>	21
66	Little Stint – <i>Calidris minuta</i>	22
67	Black Headed Gull – <i>Larus ridibundus</i>	08
68	Whiskered Tern – <i>Chlidonius hybridus</i>	04
69	Indian River tern – <i>Sterna aurantia</i>	05
70	Black bellied Tern – <i>S. acuticauda</i>	01