

Waterbird Census Record of Inlay Lake Wildlife Sanctuary
(From Oct - 2017 to Mar - 2018)

Sr	English Name	Scientific Name	STATUS	Count
1	Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	R	58
2	Indian Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax fuscicollis</i>	R	7
3	Little Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax niger</i>	R	1502
4	Great Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	R	35
5	Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	M	19
6	Purple Heron	<i>Ardea purpurea</i>	R	15
7	Great Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	R	31
8	Intermediate Egret	<i>Mesophoyx intermedia</i>	R	522
9	Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	R	417
10	Eastern Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus coromandus</i>	R	289
11	Black-Crowned Night Heron	<i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i>	R	19
12	Little Heron	<i>Butorides striata</i>	R	141
13	Indian Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola grayii</i>	R	58
14	Chinese Pond Heron	<i>Ardeola bacchus</i>	M	18
15	Yellow Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus sinensis</i>	M	3
16	Cinnamon Bittern	<i>Ixobrychus cinnamomeus</i>	R	1
17	Black Bittern	<i>Dupetor flavicollis</i>	R	1
18	Asian Openbill	<i>Anastomus oscitans</i>	R	2667
19	Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	R	2051
20	Lesser Whistling Duck	<i>Dendrocygna javanica</i>	R/M	1626
21	Greylag Goose	<i>Anser anser</i>	M	1
22	Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	M	31
23	Cotton Pygmy Goose	<i>Nettapus coromandelianus</i>	R	9
24	Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>	M	216
25	Indian Spot-billed Duck	<i>Anas poecilorhyncha</i>	R/M	94
26	Chinese Spot-billed Duck	<i>Anas zonorhyncha</i>	R/M	10
27	Northern Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	M	55
28	Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>	M	4
29	Ferruginous Pochard	<i>Aythya nyroca</i>	M	88
30	Tufted Duck	<i>Aythya fuligula</i>	M	3
31	Sarus Crane	<i>Grus antigone</i>	R	3
32	Ruddy-breasted Crake	<i>Porzana fusca</i>	R	1
33	White-breasted Waterhen	<i>Amaurornis phoenicurus</i>	R	1
34	Watercock	<i>Gallixrex cinerea</i>	R	2
35	Common Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	R	9
36	Grey-headed Swampphen	<i>Porphyrio poliocephalus</i>	R	36
37	Common Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>	M	2146
38	Pheasant-tailed Jacana	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>	R	276
39	Black-winged Stilt	<i>Himantopus himantopus</i>	M	678
40	Oriental Pratincole	<i>Glareola maldivarum</i>	M	17
41	Red-wattled Lapwing	<i>Vanellus indicus</i>	R	18
42	Grey-headed Lapwing	<i>Vanellus cinereus</i>	M	26
43	Common Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	M	1
44	Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	M	3
45	Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	M	2
46	Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	M	9
47	Common Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	M	20
48	Herring Gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>	M	1
49	Black Legged Kittiwake	<i>Rissa tridactyla</i>	M	1
50	Brown-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus brunnicephalus</i>	M	1115
51	Black-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	M	792
52	Slender-billed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus genei</i>	M	30
53	Whiskered Tern	<i>Chlidonias hybrida</i>	Ra/Un	10

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54	White-winged Tern	<i>Chlidonias leucopterus</i>	M	1
Total Count				15189

M = Migratory Birds = 25, Count = 5280

R = Resident Birds = 29, Count = 9909

Total Species Number = 54, Total Count = 15189

Area cover of census survey = 50%