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According to the IUCN Red List 35 of the nearly 400 bird species recorded in Mai Po and Inner Deep Bay are of global conservation concern. Of these, 19 are regularly recorded wetland bird species.

Wetland species regularly recorded at Deep Bay:

Species	Global Status	Occurrence at Deep Bay
Falcated Duck <i>Anas falcata</i>	Near Threatened	Winter visitor
Black-faced Spoonbill <i>Platalea minor</i>	Endangered	Winter visitor
Swinhoe's Egret <i>Egretta eulophotes</i>	Vulnerable	Passage migrant
Dalmatian Pelican <i>Pelecanus crispus</i>	Vulnerable	Winter Visitor
Greater Spotted Eagle <i>Clanga clanga</i>	Vulnerable	Winter Visitor
Eastern Imperial Eagle <i>Aquila heliaca</i>	Vulnerable	Winter Visitor
Asian Dowitcher <i>Limnodromus semipalmatus</i>	Near Threatened	Passage migrant
Black-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i>	Near Threatened	Passage migrant and winter visitor
Eurasian Curlew <i>Numenius arquatus</i>	Near Threatened	Passage migrant and winter visitor
Far Eastern Curlew <i>Numenius madagascariensis</i>	Vulnerable	Passage migrant and winter visitor
Nordmann's Greenshank <i>Tringa guttifer</i>	Endangered	Passage migrant and winter visitor
Great Knot <i>Calidris tenuirostris</i>	Vulnerable	Passage migrant
Spoon-billed Sandpiper <i>Eurynorhynchus pygmaeus</i>	Critically Endangered	Passage migrant
Saunders's Gull <i>Chroicocephalus saundersi</i>	Vulnerable	Winter visitor
Relict Gull <i>Ichthyaetus relictus</i>	Vulnerable	Winter visitor
Collared Crow <i>Corvus torquatus</i>	Near Threatened	Local resident and breeder
Manchurian Reed Warbler <i>Acrocephalus tangorum</i>	Vulnerable	Passage migrant
Styan's Grasshopper Warbler <i>Locustella pleskei</i>	Vulnerable	Passage migrant
Yellow-breasted Bunting <i>Emberiza aureola</i>	Endangered	Passage migrant



Less frequently recorded species:

Species	Global Status	Occurrence at Deep Bay
Japanese Quail <i>Coturnix japonica</i>	Near Threatened	Terrestrial species
Lesser White-fronted Goose <i>Anser erythropus</i>	Vulnerable	Single record (2007)
Philippine Duck <i>Anas luzonica</i>	Vulnerable	Single record (2009)
Baer's Pochard <i>Aythya baeri</i>	Critically Endangered	Occasional winter visitor
Ferruginous Duck <i>Aythya nyroca</i>	Near Threatened	Occasional winter visitor
Black Scoter <i>Melanitta americana</i>	Near Threatened	Single record (2007)
Oriental Stork <i>Ciconia boyciana</i>	Endangered	Historical winter visitor
Black-headed Ibis <i>Threskiornis melanocephalus</i>	Near Threatened	Historical winter visitor
Christmas Island Frigatebird <i>Fregata andrewsi</i>	Critically Endangered	Single record (1997)
Eurasian Black Vulture <i>Aegypius monachus</i>	Near Threatened	Historical winter visitor
Siberian Crane <i>Grus leucogeranus</i>	Critically Endangered	Single record (2002)
Fairy Pitta <i>Pitta nympha</i>	Vulnerable	Single record (2010)
Japanese Paradise-Flycatcher <i>Terpsiphone atrocaudata</i>	Near Threatened	Terrestrial species
Japanese Swamp Warbler <i>Locustella pryeri</i>	Near Threatened	Three records (2007, 2009, 2010)
Brown-chested Jungle Flycatcher <i>Rhinomyias brunneatus</i>	Vulnerable	Terrestrial species
Japanese Yellow Bunting <i>Emberiza sulphurata</i>	Vulnerable	Terrestrial species

Reference: BirdLife International 2013

