

# Taxonomic Trip Report

FIRST SIGHTINGS: World: 49, Location: 84  
 Species: 173 - Subspecies: 5 - Forms: 174  
 Total Records: 553

Date	Location	*	H	Comments	
Chukar Partridge ( <i>Alectoris chukar</i> )					2
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..	Scoped	
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	2.00	..		
Sand Partridge ( <i>Ammoperdix heyi</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..	M/F	
Lesser White-fronted Goose ( <i>Anser erythropus</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Garganey ( <i>Spatula querquedula</i> )					4
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.50	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Northern Shoveler ( <i>Spatula clypeata</i> )					5
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..		
Mallard ( <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i> )					6
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Northern Pintail ( <i>Anas acuta</i> )					2
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Eurasian Teal ( <i>Anas crecca</i> )					4
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Ferruginous Duck ( <i>Aythya nyroca</i> )					3
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..		
Alpine Swift ( <i>Tachymarptis melba</i> )					3
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Common Swift ( <i>Apus apus</i> )					2
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	3.00	..		

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2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..		
Pallid Swift ( <i>Apus pallidus</i> )					4
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Macqueen's Bustard ( <i>Chlamydotis macqueenii</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Finally saw one male displaying after a long time.	
Spotted Sandgrouse ( <i>Pterocles senegallus</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Lovely scope views and photo	
Black-bellied Sandgrouse ( <i>Pterocles orientalis</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Pair flew over showing black belly	
Rock Dove ( <i>Columba livia</i> )					12
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	3.00	..		
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Looked like the originals	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
European Turtle Dove ( <i>Streptopelia turtur</i> )					1
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Photo	
Eurasian Collared Dove ( <i>Streptopelia decaocto</i> )					10
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Laughing Dove ( <i>Spilopelia senegalensis</i> )					11
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		

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2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Namaqua Dove ( <i>Oena capensis</i> )					1
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.50	..	Stunning look. Scoped.	
Little Crane ( <i>Porzana parva</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..	M/F Photo	
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Spotted Crane ( <i>Porzana porzana</i> )					1
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
African Swamphen ( <i>Porphyrio madagascariensis</i> )					3
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..		
Common Moorhen ( <i>Gallinula chloropus</i> )					5
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	0.00	þ		
Eurasian Coot ( <i>Fulica atra</i> )					6
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	2.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Little Grebe ( <i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i> )					6
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Black-necked Grebe ( <i>Podiceps nigricollis</i> )					1
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
Greater Flamingo ( <i>Phoenicopterus roseus</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..	One was melanistic. Large flock feeding in salt pond.	
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Eurasian Stone-Curlew ( <i>Burhinus oedicnemus</i> )					1
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..	Two chicks photographed	
Black-winged Stilt ( <i>Himantopus himantopus</i> )					7
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		

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2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Spur-winged Lapwing ( <i>Vanellus spinosus</i> )					9
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Lovely perched and flying	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Common Ringed Plover ( <i>Charadrius hiaticula</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Little Ringed Plover ( <i>Charadrius dubius</i> )					3
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..	Good plumage	
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..	Nice yellow eye ring	
Kentish Plover ( <i>Charadrius alexandrinus</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..	Some starting to show ruddy cap	
Black-tailed Godwit ( <i>Limosa limosa</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Ruff ( <i>Calidris pugnax</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.50	..	Still not in breeding plumage	
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Curlew Sandpiper ( <i>Calidris ferruginea</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Temminck's Stint ( <i>Calidris temminckii</i> )					1
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Dunlin ( <i>Calidris alpina</i> )					1
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Little Stint ( <i>Calidris minuta</i> )					3
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Common Snipe ( <i>Gallinago gallinago</i> )					1
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		

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Red-necked Phalarope ( <i>Phalaropus lobatus</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.50	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Common Sandpiper ( <i>Actitis hypoleucos</i> )					3
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.50	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	0.00	..		
Green Sandpiper ( <i>Tringa ochropus</i> )					3
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	1.00	..		
Common Redshank ( <i>Tringa totanus</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Marsh Sandpiper ( <i>Tringa stagnatilis</i> )					4
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Wood Sandpiper ( <i>Tringa glareola</i> )					4
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Spotted Redshank ( <i>Tringa erythropus</i> )					3
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
Common Greenshank ( <i>Tringa nebularia</i> )					5
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..	Scoped	
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Collared Pratincole ( <i>Glareola pratincola</i> )					2
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.50	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
Slender-billed Gull ( <i>Chroicocephalus genei</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Black-headed Gull ( <i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i> )					2
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.50	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		

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Pallas's Gull ( <i>Ichthyaetus ichthyaetus</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.50	..		
White-eyed Gull ( <i>Ichthyaetus leucophthalmus</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Caspian Gull ( <i>Larus cachinnans</i> )					1
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
Armenian Gull ( <i>Larus armenicus</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	2.00	..	By location. BVD	
Lesser Black-backed Gull <i>fuscus</i> ( <i>Larus fuscus fuscus</i> )					3
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Caspian Tern ( <i>Hydroprogne caspia</i> )					3
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.50	..		
Sandwich Tern ( <i>Thalasseus sandvicensis</i> )					2
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
White Stork ( <i>Ciconia ciconia</i> )					4
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Single bird feeding by small pond. We thought it must be sick, but it was well enough to fly. Photo	
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	45.0	..	Huge flock flying overhead and perched	
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.50	..		
Great Cormorant ( <i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i> )					3
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.50	..	Migrating flock and some feeding in field	
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
Glossy Ibis ( <i>Plegadis falcinellus</i> )					2
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
Eurasian Spoonbill ( <i>Platalea leucorodia</i> )					2
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Little Bittern ( <i>Ixobrychus minutus</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Black-crowned Night Heron ( <i>Nycticorax nycticorax</i> )					3
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Squacco Heron ( <i>Ardeola ralloides</i> )					4
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		

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2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	2.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Western Cattle Egret ( <i>Bubulcus ibis</i> )					5
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..	by Camels	
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Grey Heron ( <i>Ardea cinerea</i> )					5
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Purple Heron ( <i>Ardea purpurea</i> )					4
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	35.0	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.50	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Great Egret ( <i>Ardea alba</i> )					4
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Little Egret ( <i>Egretta garzetta</i> )					3
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Western Osprey ( <i>Pandion haliaetus</i> )					1
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	5.00	..	Caught a fish and flew off with it.	
Egyptian Vulture ( <i>Neophron percnopterus</i> )					3
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
Griffon Vulture ( <i>Gyps fulvus</i> )					3
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	2.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.50	..	Nests. One may have had chick	
Short-toed Snake Eagle ( <i>Circaetus gallicus</i> )					3
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.50	..	Flying and perched for terrific scope view.	
Lesser Spotted Eagle ( <i>Clanga pomarina</i> )					3
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	2.00	..	Flyover	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	2.00	..		

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Booted Eagle ( <i>Hieraaetus pennatus</i> )					4
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	2.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	5.00	..	Killed a pigeon while we watched. Magnificent stoop from high altitude into a big flock as feedlot.	
Steppe Eagle ( <i>Aquila nipalensis</i> )					4
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..	Another flyover	
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Eurasian Sparrowhawk ( <i>Accipiter nisus</i> )					2
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
Western Marsh Harrier ( <i>Circus aeruginosus</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.50	..	Very close view of one hunting low over field	
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..	Westerj	
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Hen Harrier ( <i>Circus cyaneus</i> )					1
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Pallid Harrier ( <i>Circus macrourus</i> )					2
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Black Kite ( <i>Milvus migrans</i> )					7
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..	Kettle with other raptors	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Long-legged Buzzard ( <i>Buteo rufinus</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..	Photo. Flying and perched	
Common Buzzard ( <i>Buteo buteo buteo</i> )					9
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	0.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.50	..	Thousands flying over in one kettle after another.	
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
Little Owl ( <i>Athene noctua</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..	Perched.	



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Eurasian Hoopoe ( <i>Upupa epops</i> )					6
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
White-throated Kingfisher ( <i>Halcyon smyrnensis</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Pied Kingfisher ( <i>Ceryle rudis</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Green Bee-eater ( <i>Merops orientalis</i> )					2
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..	Arabian	
Eurasian Wryneck ( <i>Jynx torquilla</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.50	..	photo	
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	0.00	..	In Hand	
Syrian Woodpecker ( <i>Dendrocopos syriacus</i> )					1
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	4.50	..	Superb view in cemetery next to JBO	
Lesser Kestrel ( <i>Falco naumanni</i> )					6
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..	Nice flyover	
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Common Kestrel ( <i>Falco tinnunculus</i> )					4
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Rose-ringed Parakeet ( <i>Psittacula krameri</i> )					3
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Great Grey Shrike <i>aucheri</i> ( <i>Lanius excubitor aucheri</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
Woodchat Shrike ( <i>Lanius senator</i> )					2
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
Masked Shrike ( <i>Lanius nubicus</i> )					2
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		

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Eurasian Jay ( <i>Garrulus glandarius</i> )					1
2019-04-02	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	2.00	..	fly by	
Western Jackdaw ( <i>Coloeus monedula</i> )					1
2019-04-02	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..	Nice comparison with Hooded Crow	
House Crow ( <i>Corvus splendens</i> )					4
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Hooded Crow ( <i>Corvus cornix</i> )					10
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	4.00	..		
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Brown-necked Raven ( <i>Corvus ruficollis</i> )					10
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	Could see the brown neck in some sightings in scope.	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Fan-tailed Raven ( <i>Corvus rhipidurus</i> )					2
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.50	..	On Masada	
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Great Tit ( <i>Parus major</i> )					1
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	4.00	..	Many of both sexes came to feeder	
Greater Hoopoe-Lark ( <i>Alaemon alaudipes</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	5.00	..	Display flight. Several sightings	
Desert Lark ( <i>Ammomanes deserti</i> )					1
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Bar-tailed Lark ( <i>Ammomanes cinctura</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.50	..	Found by Linda	
Woodlark ( <i>Lullula arborea</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
Crested Lark ( <i>Galerida cristata</i> )					7
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..		

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2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.50	..	Photo	
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	33.0	..		
Greater Short-toed Lark ( <i>Calandrella brachydactyla</i> )					3
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..	One displaying together with sizable flock. Should not be displaying as doesn't breed in the area where we were.	
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
White-spectacled Bulbul ( <i>Pycnonotus xanthopygos</i> )					12
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	4.00	..	Tried to get photo, but bird flew. Pair may be nesting in area.	
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Barn Swallow ( <i>Hirundo rustica</i> )					9
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	4.00	..		
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..	Saw one go into hole in Western Wall	
Rock Martin ( <i>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</i> )					4
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	2.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Common House Martin ( <i>Delichon urbicum</i> )					2
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Red-rumped Swallow ( <i>Cecropis daurica</i> )					3
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	2.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	2.00	..		
Streaked Scrub Warbler ( <i>Scotocerca inquieta</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..	aka Levant Scrub-warbler	

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Eastern Bonelli's Warbler ( <i>Phylloscopus orientalis</i> )					4
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..	Balkan Warbler	
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
Hume's Leaf Warbler ( <i>Phylloscopus humei</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Yellow-browed Warbler ( <i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Common Chiffchaff ( <i>Phylloscopus collybita</i> )					8
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Great Reed Warbler ( <i>Acrocephalus arundinaceus</i> )					1
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Clamorous Reed Warbler ( <i>Acrocephalus stentoreus</i> )					1
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..	Scoped. Singing. Best view ever of this bird.	
Sedge Warbler ( <i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i> )					1
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
Eurasian Reed Warbler ( <i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i> )					4
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	2.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	4.00	..		
Eastern Olivaceous Warbler ( <i>Iduna pallida</i> )					1
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
Savi's Warbler ( <i>Locustella luscinioides</i> )					2
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Graceful Prinia ( <i>Prinia gracilis</i> )					7
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	4.00	..	Singing in shrub	
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	0.00	p		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	0.00	p		
Arabian Babbler ( <i>Argya squamiceps</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
Eurasian Blackcap ( <i>Sylvia atricapilla</i> )					4
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.50	..		

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2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	2.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	4.00	..		
Lesser Whitethroat ( <i>Sylvia curruca</i> )					7
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Eastern Orphean Warbler ( <i>Sylvia crassirostris</i> )					1
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
Asian Desert Warbler ( <i>Sylvia nana</i> )					1
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
Common Whitethroat ( <i>Sylvia communis</i> )					2
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
Subalpine Warbler cantillans ( <i>Sylvia cantillans cantillans</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
Rüppell's Warbler ( <i>Sylvia ruppeli</i> )					3
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.50	..		
Common Myna ( <i>Acridotheres tristis</i> )					6
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Tristram's Starling ( <i>Onychognathus tristramii</i> )					6
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..	aka Grackle	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	5.00	..	Common and unafraid at Masada	
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
Common Blackbird ( <i>Turdus merula</i> )					3
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Song Thrush ( <i>Turdus philomelos</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
Black Scrub Robin ( <i>Cercotrichas podobe</i> )					1
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.50	..		

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European Robin ( <i>Erithacus rubecula</i> )					1
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
Bluethroat ( <i>Luscinia svecica</i> )					5
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	2.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..	female	
Common Nightingale ( <i>Luscinia megarhynchos</i> )					6
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..	Singing	
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Black Redstart ( <i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i> )					1
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Common Redstart ( <i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..	female	
Common Rock Thrush ( <i>Monticola saxatilis</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
Blue Rock Thrush ( <i>Monticola solitarius</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..	M/F	
European Stonechat ( <i>Saxicola rubicola</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..	Female, scoped	
Siberian Stonechat ( <i>Saxicola maurus</i> )					1
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
Siberian Stonechat <i>hemprichii</i> ( <i>Saxicola maurus hemprichii</i> )					2
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
Northern Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i> )					7
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.50	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Isabelline Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe isabellina</i> )					5
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Desert Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe deserti</i> )					2
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		

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2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Black-eared Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe hispanica</i> )					7
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Blackstart ( <i>Oenanthe melanura</i> )					2
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
White-crowned Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe leucopyga</i> )					4
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.50	..	photo	
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	4.00	..		
Mourning Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe lugens</i> )					1
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
Kurdish Wheatear ( <i>Oenanthe xanthopyrna</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
Palestine Sunbird ( <i>Cinnyris osea</i> )					7
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.50	..	Nice close view at rest stop early. More seen later	
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.50	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	4.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	4.00	..	Fledgling captured in net as well as some adults	
House Sparrow ( <i>Passer domesticus</i> )					11
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	3.00	..		
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
2019-04-01	Dead Sea to Jerusalem	3.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Spanish Sparrow ( <i>Passer hispaniolensis</i> )					3
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
Dead Sea Sparrow ( <i>Passer moabiticus</i> )					1
2019-03-26	Dead Sea Area	2.00	..		

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Pale Rockfinch ( <i>Carpospiza brachydactyla</i> )					2
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..	Hill Sparrow	
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.00	..		
Rock Sparrow ( <i>Petronia petronia</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
Western Yellow Wagtail ( <i>Motacilla flava</i> )					5
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	2.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	45.0	..	Lots of them	
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	4.50	..		
2019-03-29	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Citrine Wagtail ( <i>Motacilla citreola</i> )					1
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..		
White Wagtail ( <i>Motacilla alba</i> )					8
2019-03-22	Tel Aviv	4.00	..	Photo. Nominate race	
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	4.00	..		
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	3.00	..		
2019-03-27	Eilat Area	3.00	..		
2019-03-28	Eilat Area	4.00	..		
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Tawny Pipit ( <i>Anthus campestris</i> )					1
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	3.00	..		
Long-billed Pipit ( <i>Anthus similis</i> )					1
2019-03-23	Tel Aviv to Negev	3.00	..		
Red-throated Pipit ( <i>Anthus cervinus</i> )					1
2019-03-31	Dead Sea Area	3.00	..		
Trumpeter Finch ( <i>Bucanetes githagineus</i> )					1
2019-03-26	Mitzpe Ramon to Eilat	4.50	..		
European Greenfinch ( <i>Chloris chloris</i> )					3
2019-03-24	Northern Negev	3.00	..		
2019-03-25	Northern Negev	4.00	..		
2019-04-02	Jerusalem area	3.00	..		
Ortolan Bunting ( <i>Emberiza hortulana</i> )					1
2019-03-30	Eilat to Dead Sea	4.00	..	M/F seen by guys during pit stop. Women were in wrong place.	

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