

ANDRIES VOSLOO KUDU RESERVE (3326 BA; 3326 BB)

The reserve is situated north of Grahamstown at a mean altitude of 300 m. The vegetation falls largely within the Fish River valley bushveld, with the area receiving most of its rain in summer. No information is available at this stage on the habitat preferences or status of most of the vertebrates present. Various projects - kudu and rodents - are in progress.

P.D. Burdett compiled the checklists for this reserve.

MAMMALS

Species	Common name	General
<u>INSECTIVORA</u>		
<u>Crocidura flavescens</u>	Red musk shrew	
<u>Macroscelides proboscideus</u>	Short-eared elephant shrew	
<u>Erinaceus frontalis</u>	African hedgehog	
<u>CHIROPTERA</u>		
<u>Rhinolophus capensis</u>	Cape horseshoe bat	
<u>PRIMATES</u>		
<u>Papio ursinus</u>	Chacma baboon	
<u>Cercopithecus pygerythrus</u>	Vervet monkey	
<u>TUBULIDENTATA</u>		
<u>Orycteropus afer</u>	Aardvark	
<u>HYRACOIDEA</u>		
<u>Procavia capensis</u>	Cape Dassie	

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<u>CARNIVORA</u>		
<u>Canis mesomelas</u>	Black-backed jackal	
<u>Aonyx capensis</u>	Clawless otter	
<u>Genetta tigrina</u>	Large-spotted genet	
<u>Herpestes pulverulentus</u>	Cape grey mongoose	
<u>Suricata suricatta</u>	Suricate	
<u>Felis caracal</u>	Caracal	
<u>Felis nigripes</u>	Black-footed cat	
<u>ARTIODACTYLA</u>		
<u>Phacochoerus aethiopicus</u>	Warthog	20 introduced from Zululand
<u>Potamochoerus porcus</u>	Bushpig	
<u>Syncerus caffer</u>	African Buffalo	15 animals introduced from Addo National Park. Population at present stands at 15.
<u>Tragelaphus scriptus</u>	Bushbuck	
<u>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</u>	Greater kudu	T.S. Allen-Rowlandson (pers. comm.) has estimated the kudu population of the reserve as over 1 000 animals. Endemic.

Taurotragus/...

Species	Common name	General
<u>Taurotragus oryx</u>	Eland	Introduced in June 1978
<u>Cephalophus monitcola</u>	Blue duiker	To be introduced.
<u>Sylvicapra grimmia</u>	Common duiker	
<u>Damaliscus dorcas phillipse</u>	Blesbok	Highest count 26. To be removed
<u>Antidorcas marsupialis</u>	Springbok	Highest count 52. Allen Rowlandson (pers. comm.) estimates 60 - 70 animals. On the property when the land was purchased.
<u>Raphicerus campestris</u>	Steenbok	
<u>LAGOMORPHA</u>		
<u>Lepus saxatilis</u>	Scrub hare	
<u>RODENTIA</u>		
<u>Otomys unisulcatus</u>	Bush karoo rat	
<u>Otomys saundersae</u>	Saunders vlei rat	
<u>Dendromys melanotis</u>	Grey pygmy tree-mouse	
<u>Saccostomys campestris</u>	Cape pouched mouse	
<u>Rhabdomys pumilio</u>	Striped mouse	
<u>Aethomys namaquensis</u>	Namaqua rock rat	
<u>Mus minutoides</u>	Pygmy mouse	
<u>Praomys natalensis</u>	Multimammate rat	

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<u>Graphiurus murinus</u>	Forest dormouse	
<u>Hystrix africae-australis</u>	Cape porcupine	
<u>Pedetes capensis</u>	Springhare	

AVES

Roberts number	Species	Common name
STRUTHIONIDAE 1	<u>Struthio camelus</u>	Ostrich
PODICIPIDAE 6	<u>Podiceps ruficollis</u>	Dabchick
PHALACROCORACIDAE 50	<u>Phalacrocorax africanus</u>	Reed cormorant
ARDEIDAE 54 56	<u>Ardea cinerea</u> <u>Ardea goliath</u>	Grey heron Goliath heron
SCOPIIDAE 72	<u>Scopus umbretta</u>	Hamerkop
CICONIIDAE 78	<u>Sphenorhynchus abdimii</u>	White-bellied stork
THRESKIORNITHIDAE 81 84	<u>Threskiornis aethiopicus</u> <u>Hagedashia hagedash</u>	Sacred ibis Hadedda
PLATALEIDAE 85	<u>Platalea alba</u>	Spoonbill

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ANATIDAE 88 89 90 96	<u>Plectropterus gambensis</u> <u>Alopochen aegyptiacus</u> <u>Tadorna cana</u> <u>Anas undulata</u>	Spurwing goose Egyptian goose South African shelduck Yellow-billed duck
SAGITTARIIDAE 105	<u>Sagittarius serpentarius</u>	Secretary bird
AQUILIDAE 130 142 149 152 154 165	<u>Elanus caerulens</u> <u>Polemaëtus bellicosus</u> <u>Haliaëtus vocifer</u> <u>Buteo rufofuscus</u> <u>Buteo buteo</u> <u>Meliërax musicus</u>	Black-shouldered kite Matial eagle Fish eagle Jackal buzzard Buzzard Chanting goshawk
PHASIANIDAE 188	<u>Pternistis afer</u>	Red-necked francolin
NUMIDIDAE 192	<u>Numida meleagris</u>	Crowned guinea-fowl
RALLIDAE 210 212	<u>Gallinula chloropus</u> <u>Fulica cristata</u>	Moorhen Red-knobbed coot
GRUIDAE 216	<u>Tetraptyryx paradisea</u>	Blue crane
OTIDAE 225	<u>Afrotis afra</u>	Black korhaan
CHARADRIIDAE 242 245	<u>Stephanibyx coronatus</u> <u>Hoplopterus armatus</u>	Crowned plover Blacksmith plover
BURHINIDAE 275	<u>Burhinus capensis</u>	Dikkop

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COLUMBIDAE 316 317 318 321	<u>Streptopelia capicola</u> <u>Stigmatopelia senegalensis</u> <u>Oena capensis</u> <u>Turtur chalcospilos</u>	Cape turtle dove Laughing dove Namaqua dove Emerald-spotted wood dove
MUSOPHAGIDAE 336	<u>Tauraco corythai</u>	Knysna loerie
CUCULIDAE 344 349 351 357	<u>Cuculus clamosus</u> <u>Clamator jacobinus</u> <u>Chrysococcyx klaas</u> <u>Centropus superciliosus burchellii</u>	Black cuckoo Jacobin cuckoo Klaas's cuckoo Burchells coucal
MICROPODIDAE 386	<u>Apus melba</u>	Alpine swift
COLIIDAE 390 392	<u>Colius striatus</u> <u>Urocolius indicus</u>	Speckled mouse bird Red-faced mousebird
ALCEDINIDAE 394 397	<u>Ceryle rudis</u> <u>Corythornis cristata</u>	Pied kingfisher Malachite kingfisher
UPUPIDAE 418 419	<u>Upupa africana</u> <u>Phoeniculus purpureus</u>	Hoopoe Red-billed hoopoe
BUCEROTIDAE 427	<u>Tockus alboterminatus</u>	Crowned hornbill
CAPITONIDAE 431	<u>Lybius torquatus</u>	Black-collared barbet

JYNGIDAE/...

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JYNGIDAE 453	<u>Jynx ruficollis</u>	Red-throated wryneck
HIRUNDINIDAE 503 506	<u>Cecropis abyssinica</u> <u>Ptyonoprogne fuligula</u>	Lesser striped swallow Rock martin
CAMPEPHAGIDAE 513	<u>Campephaga phoenicea</u>	Black cuckoo-shrike
DICRURIDAE 517	<u>Dicrurus adsimilis</u>	Fork-tailed drongo
ORIOOLIDAE 521	<u>Oriolus larvatus</u>	Black-headed oriole
CORVIDAE 523 524	<u>Corvis capensis</u> <u>Corvultur albicollis</u>	Black crow White-necked raven
PYCNONOTIDAE 545 551	<u>Pycnonotus barbatus</u> <u>Andropadus importunus</u>	Black-eyed bulbul Sombre bulbul
TURDIDAE 581 583	<u>Cossypha caffra</u> <u>Erythropygia coryphaeus</u>	Cape robin Karoo scrub robin
SYLVIIDAE 662 637	<u>Apalis thoracica</u> <u>Cisticola fulvicapilla</u>	Bar-throated apalis Neddicky
MUSCICAPIDAE 658 665 672	<u>Parisoma subcaeruleum</u> <u>Sigelus silens</u> <u>Batis capensis</u>	Tit-babbler Fiscal flycatcher Cape batis
MOTACILLIDAE 686	<u>Motacilla capensis</u>	Cape wagtail

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LANIIDAE 707 709 722	<u>Lanius collaris</u> <u>Laniarius ferrugineus</u> <u>Telophorus zeylonus</u>	Fiscal Boubou Bokmakierie
STURNIDAE 733 737 745	<u>Stenus vulgaris</u> <u>Lamprocolius nitens</u> <u>Onychognathus morio</u>	European starling Cape glossy starling Red-winged starling
NECTARINIIDAE 751 758 772	<u>Nectarinia famosa</u> <u>Cinnyris afer</u> <u>Chalcomitra amethystina</u>	Malachite sunbird Greater double collard sunbird Black sunbird
ZOSTEROPIDAE 775	<u>Zosterops pallidus</u>	Cape white-eye
PLOCEIDAE 786 790 799 803 825 833 846 849	<u>Passer melanurus</u> <u>Symplectes bicolor</u> <u>Ploceus capensis</u> <u>Ploceus velatus</u> <u>Coccygia melanotis</u> <u>Lagonosticta rubricata</u> <u>Vidua macroura</u> <u>Hypochera funerea</u>	Cape sparrow Forest weaver Cape weaver Masked weaver Swee waxbill Blue-billed firefinch Pin-tailed whydah Black widow finch
FRINGILIDAE 859 863	<u>Serinus mozambicus</u> <u>Crithagra sulphurata</u>	Yellow-eye canary Bully seed-eater

AMPHIBIA/...

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Species	Common name
<u>PIPIDAE</u> <u>Xenopus laevis</u>	Common platanna
<u>BUFONIDAE</u> <u>Bufo rangeri</u>	Ranger's toad
<u>RANIDAE</u> <u>Rana fuscigula</u>	Cape rana
<u>Rana grayi</u>	Grays frog
<u>Phrynobatrachus natalensis</u>	Puddle frog
<u>Cacosternum boettgeri</u>	Boettger's dainty frog
<u>RHACOPHORIDAE</u> <u>Kassina senegalensis</u>	Running frog
<u>Hyperolius viridiflavus</u>	Reed frog

REPTILES

Species	Common name
<u>SNAKES</u> <u>COLUBRIDAE</u> <u>Boaedon fuliginosus</u>	Brown house snake

Dispholidus/...

Species	Common name
<u>Dispholidus typus</u>	Boomslang
<u>Psammophis notostictus</u>	Dapple-backed sand-snake
<u>Crotaphopeltis hotamboeia</u>	Red-lipped herald snake
<u>ELAPIDAE</u> <u>Naja nivea</u>	Cape cobra
<u>Elaps lacteus</u>	Garter snake
<u>VIPERIDAE</u> <u>Bitis arietans</u>	Puffadder
<u>LIZARDS</u> <u>GEKKONIDAE</u> <u>Pachydactylus maculatus</u>	Large-spotted gecko
<u>AGAMIDAE</u> <u>Agama atra rudis</u>	Rock agama
<u>CHAMAELEONTIDAE</u> <u>Bradypodion sp.</u>	Chamaeleon
<u>CORDYLIDAE</u> <u>Cordylus cordylus</u>	Cape zonure
<u>SCINCIDAE</u> <u>Mabuya capensis</u>	Three-striped skink
<u>Scelotes caffer</u>	Three-toed skink

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<u>LACERTIDAE</u> <u>Eremias lineocellata</u>	Ocellated sand lizard
<u>VARANIDAE</u> <u>Varanus niloticus</u>	Water leguaan
<u>Varanus albigularis</u>	Rock leguaan
<u>TORTOISES</u> <u>TESTUDINIDAE</u> <u>Geochelone pardalis</u>	Mountain tortoise
<u>Chersina angulata</u>	Angulate tortoise
<u>Homopus areolatus</u>	Padlopertjie
<u>PELOMEDUSIDAE</u> <u>Pelomedusa subrufa</u>	Water tortoise

FISH

Species	Common name
<u>ANGUILLIDAE</u> <u>Anguilla mossambica</u>	Longfin eel
<u>CYPRINIDAE</u> <u>Barbus anoplus</u>	Red-fin minnow
<u>Cyprinus carpio</u>	Common carp (exotic)

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<u>Labeo umbratus</u>	Moggel
<u>CICHLIDAE</u> <u>Tilapia sparrmani</u>	Vlei kurper
<u>MUGILIDAE</u> <u>Mugil euronotus</u>	Mullet

These species have been recorded from the Great Fish River, which forms part of the reserve boundary.

OVISTON NATURE RESERVE/...