

**Table 1.** Taxa list from Ratho Kroonkop, listed using NISP (RT=rock tank, CE=central excavation).

Taxa	Common name	RT 1	RT 2	CE	Total	NISP from Brunton et al. (2013)
cf. <i>Soricidae</i>	Probable shrew	-	11	3	<b>14</b>	-
<i>Panthera pardus</i>	Leopard	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
Hyaenidae	Spotted or brown hyena	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Felis sylvestrus</i>	African wild cat	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Genetta</i> cf. <i>genetta</i>	Probable small-spotted genet	1	-	-	<b>1</b>	-
cf. Herpestidae	Probable mongoose	-	-	2	<b>2</b>	-
Carnivore small	-	6	3	23	<b>32</b>	2
Carnivore medium	-	7	-	7	<b>14</b>	-
Rhinocerotidae	Black or white rhinoceros	8	6	-	<b>14</b>	13
<i>Equus quagga</i>	Plains zebra	11	2	11	<b>24</b>	2
<i>Procavia capensis</i>	Rock hyrax	79	14	44	<b>137</b>	4
<i>Potamochoerus larvatus</i>	Bushpig	-	-	2	<b>2</b>	1
<i>Phacochoerus africanus</i>	Common warthog	-	-	2	<b>2</b>	-
<i>Hippopotamus amphibius</i>	Hippo	-	-	3	<b>3</b>	-
<i>Giraffa camelopardalis</i>	Giraffe	-	1	2	<b>3</b>	1
<i>Connochaetes taurinus</i>	Blue wildebeest	-	1	-	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Alcelaphus buselaphus</i>	Red hartebeest	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Sylvicapra grimmia</i>	Common duiker	1	1	7	<b>9</b>	3
<i>Oreotragus oreotragus</i>	Klipspringer	13	0	3	<b>16</b>	-
<i>Raphicerus campestris</i>	Steenbok	11	4	11	<b>26</b>	2
<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>	Impala	25	15	55	<b>95</b>	1
<i>Pelea capreolus</i>	Grey rhebok	-	1	1	<b>2</b>	-
<i>Hippotragus equinus</i>	Roan	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Hippotragus niger</i>	Sable	-	-	3	<b>3</b>	-
<i>Syncerus caffer</i>	Buffalo	3	-	3	<b>6</b>	1
<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>	Greater kudu	-	1	-	<b>1</b>	1
<i>Tragelaphus scriptus</i>	Bushbuck	1	-	3	<b>4</b>	-
<i>Taurotragus oryx</i>	Eland	2	-	2	<b>4</b>	1
<i>Tragelaphus</i> sp.	-	2	2	4	<b>8</b>	-
<i>Redunca arundinum</i>	Southern reedbuck	6	1	4	<b>11</b>	9
<i>Redunca fulvorufula</i>	Mountain reedbuck	-	2	1	<b>3</b>	-
<i>Redunca</i> sp.	-	7	8	22	<b>37</b>	1
<i>Kobus ellipsiprymnus</i>	Waterbuck	1	-	-	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Bos taurus</i>	Cattle	1	1	5	<b>7</b>	4
<i>Ovis aries</i>	Sheep	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Ovis/Capra</i>	Sheep/goat	10	2	20	<b>32</b>	-
Bovid I	-	74	38	160	<b>272</b>	7
Bovid I/II	-	-	-	6	<b>6</b>	-
Bovid II (non-domestic)	-	4	1	4	<b>9</b>	38
Bovid II	-	217	184	564	<b>965</b>	16
Bovid II/III	-	-	1	-	<b>1</b>	-
Bovid III (non-domestic)	-	-	-	2	<b>2</b>	16
Bovid III	-	73	60	109	<b>242</b>	10
Bovid III/IV	-	3	2	2	<b>7</b>	-
Bovid IV	-	1	1	10	<b>12</b>	-
<i>Pronolagus randensis</i>	Jameson's red rock rabbit	1	-	1	<b>2</b>	-
Leporidae	-	5	7	6	<b>18</b>	2
<i>Pedetes capensis</i>	Springhare	10	2	16	<b>28</b>	6
<i>Aethomys</i> cf. <i>chrysophilis</i>	Probable rock mouse	-	3	-	<b>3</b>	1
<i>Steatomys</i> cf. <i>pratensis</i>	Probable fat mouse	-	1	-	<b>1</b>	1
Rodent small	-	369	992	428	<b>1789</b>	405
Rodent medium	-	21	7	18	<b>46</b>	12
Rodent large	-	1	-	1	<b>2</b>	2
Mammal small	-	1124	265	567	<b>1956</b>	42
Mammal medium	-	717	608	2692	<b>4017</b>	28
Mammal large	-	72	115	115	<b>302</b>	15
Mammal very large	-	14	10	28	<b>52</b>	16
<i>Struthio camelus</i>	Ostrich (eggshell only)	12	42	125	<b>179</b>	10

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Accipitridae	e.g., vultures, eagles, buzzards and hawks	-	-	1	<b>1</b>	-
Numididae	e.g., helmeted or crested guinea fowl	-	12	2	<b>14</b>	-
<i>Francolinus</i> sp.	e.g., grey or crested francolin	2	2	2	<b>6</b>	-
Bird small	-	5	33	16	<b>54</b>	53
Bird small/medium	-	93	176	29	<b>298</b>	-
Bird medium	-	31	63	60	<b>154</b>	48
Bird medium/large	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>	1
Bird large	-	1	-	-	<b>1</b>	2
<i>Stigmochelys pardalis</i>	Leopard tortoise	13	1	14	<b>28</b>	-
Testudines	Terrapin/tortoise	56	160	137	<b>353</b>	57
<i>Varanus</i> sp.	Monitor lizard	-	-	7	<b>7</b>	-
Lizard small	-	-	-	46	<b>46</b>	10
Lizard large	-	5	-	-	<b>5</b>	-
Reptile small	-	29	80	44	<b>153</b>	2
Reptile medium	-	137	41	32	<b>210</b>	6
<i>Barbus</i> sp.	Barbel	174	170	252	<b>596</b>	65
Fish	-	5761	3649	2184	<b>11594</b>	1903
<i>Achatina immaculata</i>	Giant land snail	-	1	-	<b>1</b>	-
<i>Achatina</i> sp.	-	17	190	1371	<b>1578</b>	14
Gastropoda	Small terrestrial snail	55	2802	3135	<b>5992</b>	1762
Unionidae	Freshwater mussel	6	19	224	<b>249</b>	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>9299</b>	<b>9814</b>	<b>12659</b>	<b>31772</b>	-