

# BIRD SIGHTINGS

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## SUMMARY



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November was sunny, with normal temperatures and precipitation. The average temperature of 45.6 degrees was just 0.1 degree above normal, but the high mark of 78 degrees on the 15th broke the record of 71 degrees for this date. The low temperature of 18 degrees on the 25th made it the coldest Thanksgiving since 1925. The first freeze of the season came on the 13th. Rain totaled 2.86 inches, 1.36 inches less than normal, and only a dusting of snow fell during the month. December was gloomy and wet, with precipitation of some sort on 20 days. The temperature averaged 34.2 degrees, 0.6 degree above normal. The high temperature was 56 degrees on the 21st, and the low was 7 degrees on the 27th and 29th. Precipitation totaled 6.6 inches, 2.59 inches above normal. Most of the month's total of 11.6 inches of snow fell in one storm—9.9 inches on the 29th-30th.

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### LOONS THROUGH OWLS

Surprisingly, Common and Red-throated loons were reported in nearly equal numbers, perhaps because of the lack of substantial northeast storms that normally result in far more Red-throated Loons than Common Loons. A single report of Arctic/Pacific Loon at Provincetown may be the same individual that has been present in recent winters. Horned Grebe numbers were healthy, with most birds reported from the Buzzards Bay area. A Western Grebe report from Westport was a welcome addition. Gannet numbers were relatively low, due to a lack of storms of sufficient intensity to drive them to coastal vantages. Two American White Pelicans spent a brief period in Centerville before they resumed their wanderings. Most significant among the heron group were late lingering individuals of several species not normally encountered in late fall or early winter—Great and Cattle egrets, Little Blue Heron, and Green Heron.

The Cape Cod Lake and Pond Waterfowl Survey conducted on the first weekend in December by the Cape Cod Bird Club provides an accurate account of birds present there in early winter. Only a single report of Greater White-fronted Goose is somewhat surprising. Small numbers of Snow Geese were widely reported, including birds at somewhat unusual locations. Reports of Northern Shoveler at locations other than their South Monomoy stronghold were encouraging. The reports of Eurasian Wigeon probably represented only four individuals, all at known wintering locations. Reports of Redhead and King Eider were very scarce, while Harlequin Ducks were seen in average numbers. Hooded Mergansers were exceedingly well reported.

Raptors presented no surprises. Unusual numbers of Osprey lingered into November, and some persevered into December. Reports of accipiters continued strong, reflecting early winter abundance. The few reports of Rough-legged Hawk were indicative that a flight clearly was not in the offing. A Golden Eagle in Marshfield delighted fortunate observers.

Although reports of marsh birds were sparse, the variety of species was good with two Yellow Rails, a Clapper Rail, and four Common Moorhens. It is typical to have laggard shorebirds present in November and rarely into December because of their prolonged migration schedules. Flocks of American Golden-Plovers and White-rumped Sandpipers were noted in early November, and a few stragglers were observed later in the month. A Willet in mid-November and two Hudsonian Godwits in early December were both later than expected. A scattering of Red Phalaropes in December was the result of several coastal storms.

The same December storms that produced phalaropes also brought a surprising number of Pomarine Jaegers, many in fine adult plumage. The jaeger sightings were unexpected because jaegers in general had been poorly reported earlier in the fall. All reports of Little Gull were in November and at unusual locations. The Ring-billed Gull numbers from an evening roost at Wachusett Reservoir reached peak abundance in the third week of November before gradually declining until a dramatic departure after the severe cold weather immediately after Christmas. There were the usual early winter reports of Iceland and Glaucous gulls, and Lesser Black-backed Gull reports were concentrated on Cape Cod and the islands. The excellent fall flight of

Forster's Terns continued into early November with a few Common Terns mixed in. Alcids were fairly well reported albeit in small numbers. Dovekies and Razorbills were consistently seen during the December storms. An Atlantic Puffin and a good count of Black Guillemots were seen in November at Rockport.

Except for sightings at Logan Airport in East Boston, Snowy Owls were sparsely reported. Long-eared, Short-eared, and Northern Saw-whet owls were all scarce. It appears that raptors may be in short supply this winter.

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#### WOODPECKERS THROUGH FINCHES

Many rarities, primarily of western origin, were reported in this November/December period. Foremost among the rarities were an Ash-throated Flycatcher (ninth state record) in Arlington on November 7-13, a Townsend's Solitaire (fifth record) at World's End in Hingham from November 13 through the end of December, a Townsend's Warbler (fourth record) in Barnstable on December 27, and a Chestnut-collared Longspur (fifth record) in Salisbury on December 31. A well-studied Brambling of unknown origin was present in Groveland on November 8. Not as rare but still noteworthy were two Western Tanagers. Following last fall's spate of Painted Buntings, this season hosted three Painted Buntings. One of these was a male that amazingly returned to the same feeder where it was present last winter.

Rarities aside, there was a fine assortment of late lingers, or reverse migrants, that appeared well past expected dates. Three vireo species and sixteen warbler species are reported on these pages. Any vireo observed in November is a good find, and standout warbler species included Black-throated Green, Yellow, and Hooded warblers. Other birds that were notably late were Blue-gray Gnatcatcher and Indigo Bunting. Among the more usual laggards, Ruby-crowned Kinglet and Gray Catbird were well reported. Both Eastern Bluebird and Cedar Waxwing also were well reported.

Winter birding prospects became clearer as the season progressed. Red-breasted Nuthatches were very common, especially in Worcester County. A handful of Northern Shrikes were seen in November, but almost none thereafter. Two reports of Bohemian Waxwings were tantalizing, and Boreal Chickadees were present at their only reliable location in West Boylston. The winter finch distribution was typically varied. Both species of crossbills and Pine Grosbeaks were essentially limited to northern Worcester County. Common Redpolls staged a major movement in early November and were well reported through December with almost none of the sightings from feeders. Conversely, Pine Siskin was scarcer, except in Worcester County, and many of these reports were at feeders. The October movement of Evening Grosbeaks petered out, and by the end of the period Evening Grosbeaks were reliable only in Worcester County. Purple Finches were reliable nowhere.

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Date	Location	Number	Observers	Date	Location	Number	Observers				
<b>Red-throated Loon</b>											
11/6	Wachusett Res.	1	M. Lynch#	11/30	Lakeville	26	J. Botelho				
11/14	Boston H.	57	TASL (M. Hall)	11/14	Boston H.	349	TASL (M. Hall)				
11/14	Rockport (H.P.)	15	M. Lynch#	11/29	Wareham	568	M. Sylvia				
11/14	Nantucket	150	R. Abrams	12/3	Barnstable	100	R. Forster				
11/14	Salisbury/P.I.	70	J. Brown#	12/4	Wachusett Res.	14	M. Lynch#				
11/21	Westport	15	M. Boucher	12/11	P.I.	26	BBC (W. Drummond)				
11/27	Wellfleet	36	R. Stymeist#	12/18	Fairhaven	98	J. Botelho				
12/3	Barnstable	85	R. Forster	<b>Red-necked Grebe</b>							
<b>Arctic/Pacific Loon (details submitted)</b>											
12/4-11Ptown	1	G. d'Entremont# + v. o.		11/14	Boston H.	14	TASL (M. Hall)				
<b>Common Loon</b>											
11/11	Lakeville	4	J. Botelho	11/27	Dennis	12	B. Nikula				
11/6	Wachusett Res.	9	M. Lynch#	11/27	Cape Ann	7	M. Lynch#				
11/6	Barnstable (S.N.)	17	H. Ferguson	12/1-31Nantucket		12 max	J. Papale#				
11/14	Boston H.	10	TASL (M. Hall)	12/3	Fairhaven	2	J. Botelho				
11/14	Rockport (H.P.)	29	M. Lynch#	12/10	Hull	50	R. Forster				
11/14	Nantucket	200	R. Abrams	<b>Western Grebe (details submitted)</b>							
12/3	Barnstable	45	R. Forster	11/14	Westport	1	M. Boucher#				
12/3	P.I.	29	W. Drew#	<b>Northern Gannet</b>							
12/4	Wachusett Res.	8	M. Lynch#	11/4	P.I.	40	K. Disney				
<b>Pied-billed Grebe</b>				11/6	Nantucket	200+	D. Harper#				
thr	Lakeville	13 max	J. Botelho	11/28	Rockport (A.P.)	200	J. Berry				
11/6	GMNWR	3	E. Taylor	12/6	Eastham (F.E.)	800	B. Nikula#				
11/7	Chatham	3	J. Hoye#	12/12	Dennis	100+	J. Botelho				
11/12	Brighton	4	C. Hepburn	<b>American White Pelican</b>							
11/13	Arlington	10	L. Taylor	11/5-9	Cent'ville-Y'mouth	2	D. Brooks + v.o.				
12/1-31Nantucket		8 max	M. Wilson#	11/16	S. Dart., Chilmark	2	v. o.				
12/4	Cape Cod	80	CCBC	<b>Great Cormorant</b>							
12/19	Boston (F.Pk)	1	T. Aversa	11/13	Salisbury	12	J. Berry				
12/19	Arlington	3	L. Taylor	11/22	Lawrence	9	S. Charette				
				11/26	Lakeville	10	J. Botelho				

Double-crested Cormorant			American Black Duck		
11/1 Lakeville	19	J. Botelho	thr P.I.	1613 max	W. Drew#
11/6 Wachusett Res.	6	M. Lynch#	11/14 Boston H.	1397 TASL (M. Hall)	
11/14 Boston H.	211	TASL (M. Hall)	12/4-5 Cape Cod	685 CCBC	
12/1 Nantucket	55	J. Papale	12/5 Westport	763 M. Boucher	
American Bittern			Mallard		
11/6 P.I.	1	P. + F. Vale	12/4-5 Cape Cod	1256 CCBC	
11/6 Eastham (F.H.)	3	T. Aversa#	Northern Pintail		
11/14 Nantucket	1	E. Ray	11/11 S. Monomoy	80 B. Nikula#	
12/26 Newburyport	1	R. Heil	11/13 Quabbin (G40)	2 M. Lynch#	
Great Blue Heron			11/23 S. Monomoy	4 B. Nikula#	
11/3 P.I.	9	W. Drew#	12/1-31 Nantucket	4 fide M. Litchfield	
11/4 Nantucket	17	M. Starr	12/3 Yarmouthport	33 R. Forster	
11/9 S. Dart. (A.Pd)	9	LCES (J. Hill)	12/5 Westport	86 M. Boucher	
11/14 Boston H.	30	TASL (M. Hall)	12/8 P.I.	15 W. Drew#	
11/20 Wakefield	4	P. + F. Vale	12/17 Lakeville	2 J. Botelho	
12/17 Newburyport	5	R. Heil	Blue-winged Teal		
Great Egret			11/17 P.I.	1 W. Drew#	
12/24 Fall River	1	S. Davis	12/8 Nantucket	1 J. Papale#	
Little Blue Heron			Northern Shoveler		
11/5-7 Eastham	1	J. Sones#	11/6 GMNWR	3 E. Taylor	
Cattle Egret			11/6 P.I.	4 R. Forster#	
11/4 Eastham (F.H.)	1	F. Caruso	11/7-12/1 Arlington Res.	2-4 L. Taylor#	
Green Heron			11/11 Ipswich	4 f BBC (J. Berry)	
11/12 Brighton	1 ad	C. Hepburn	11/11 Norfolk	1 m B. Cassie	
Black-crowned Night-Heron			11/23 S. Monomoy	50 B. Nikula#	
11/5 Salisbury	1	D. Chickering	12/11 W. Barnstable	1 P. Trimble	
11/11 Cambridge (F.P.)	1	R. Styneist	Gadwall		
11/20 Nantucket	1	J. Papale	11/1-12/3 P.I.	37 max W. Drew#	
11/24 Boston	8	T. Aversa	11/11 Ipswich	9 BBC (J. Berry)	
12/3 Falmouth	1	T. Aversa	11/11 S. Monomoy	45 B. Nikula#	
12/18 Hyannis	2	J. Papale	11/13 Arlington Res.	7 L. Taylor	
12/28 Boston	3	T. Aversa	11/28 Gloucester	42 G. d'Entremont#	
Whooper Swan (probable escapes)			12/4-5 Cape Cod	150 CCBC	
11/14 Ipswich, Essex	3, 2	BBC (I. Giriuas)	12/5 Westport	11 M. Boucher	
Mute Swan			12/9 Gloucester	12 N. Nash	
thr Arlington	5	L. Taylor#	12/15 Wellesley	4 R. Forster	
11/20 Ipswich	8	J. Berry	Eurasian Wigeon		
11/21 P.I.	5	J. Berry	thr Plymouth	1 v. o.	
11/28 Gloucester	6	G. d'Entremont#	11/6 Centerville	1 m V. Laux#	
12/4-5 Cape Cod	247	CCBC	11/26 Nantucket	1 m K. O'Brien	
Greater White-fronted Goose			11/28 E. Harwich	1 m G. Martin	
12/1 Hamilton	1	B. Drew	12/4-5 Chatham	1 m CCBC	
Snow Goose			12/24-31 Centerville	1 m P. Trimble	
11/1-17 P.I.	36 max	W. Drew#	12/31 Nantucket	1 m S. Perkins	
thr Reports of 1-4 ind. from 16 locations			American Wigeon		
"Blue" Goose			11/1-26 P.I.	34 max W. Drew#	
11/6-20 P.I.	2	v. o.	11/11 Ipswich	22 BBC (J. Berry)	
11/13-14 N. Monomoy	1 ad	B. Nikula	11/11 S. Monomoy	35 B. Nikula#	
Brant			11/11 Norfolk	90 B. Cassie	
11/14 Boston H.	1476	TASL (M. Hall)	11/19 Nantucket	15 J. Papale	
11/26 Fairhaven	12	J. Botelho	12/4-5 Cape Cod	61 CCBC	
11/29 Nantucket	75	E. Andrews	12/11 Arlington	52 L. Taylor	
12/5 Eastham (F.E.)	600+	J. Hoye#	12/20 Plymouth	120 R. Forster	
Canada Goose			Canvasback		
11/14 S. Dartmouth	500	M. Boucher	11/30 Lakeville	255 J. Botelho	
11/15 Lakeville	470	J. Botelho	11/11 S. Monomoy	25 B. Nikula#	
12/5-6 Cape Cod	757	CCBC	11/23 S. Monomoy	1 B. Nikula#	
12/12 Westport	691	M. Boucher	11/28 Nantucket	10 E. Ray	
12/17 P.I.	745	W. Drew#	12/4-5 Cape Cod	238 CCBC	
Wood Duck			12/25 Cambridge (F.P.)	28 D. Flood	
thr Reports of 1 or 2 ind. from 7 locations			12/31 Cambridge (F.P.)	2 D. Flood	
Green-winged Teal			Redhead		
11/3 P.I.	457	W. Drew#	12/4-5 Falmouth	4 CCBC	
11/11 Norfolk	550	B. Cassie	12/12 Nantucket	4 E. Ray	
11/11 S. Monomoy	170	B. Nikula#	Ring-necked Duck		
11/13 Arlington Res.	53	L. Taylor	11/1 Southboro	300 E. Taylor	
12/4-5 Cape Cod	37	CCBC	11/2 Marlboro	80 R. Graefe	
12/11 W. Barnstable	18	P. Trimble	11/6 Newton	25 G. d'Entremont#	
12/15 P.I.	15	W. Drew#	11/6 Holden	18 M. Lynch#	
12/30 Roslindale	2	T. Aversa	11/10 Brookline	26 C. Hepburn#	

Ring-necked Duck (cont.)			
11/11	S. Monomoy	60	B. Nikula#
11/14	W. Newbury	60	E. Taylor
11/19	Marlboro	10	R. Graefe
11/23	S. Monomoy	30	B. Nikula#
12/4-5	Cape Cod	295	CCBC
12/8	Nantucket	68	J. Papale
12/11	Arlington Res.	55	L. Taylor
12/26	Nantucket	6	E. Ray
Greater Scaup			
11/30	Lakeville	300	J. Botelho
11/14	Boston H.	127	TASL (M. Hall)
11/20	Nantucket	80	M. Litchfield#
11/28	Rockport	10	J. Berry
12/4-5	Cape Cod	170	CCBC
12/17	Quincy	350	T. Aversa#
12/20	Fairhaven	1000+	J. Botelho
Lesser Scaup			
11/5	Groveland	3	D. Chickering
11/7	W. Newbury	5	D. Chickering
11/15	Lakeville	270	J. Botelho
12/4-5	Cape Cod	161	CCBC
scaup species			
12/4-5	Cape Cod	1782	CCBC
Common Eider			
11/14	Boston H.	264	TASL (M. Hall)
11/28	Rockport	500	G. d'Entremont
11/28	Manomet	500+	J. Botelho
12/5	Dennis	400	J. Hoye#
12/14	Nantucket	1950	J. Papale
King Eider			
11/24-12/11	Truro	1 ad m	F. Pratt + v. o.
11/27	Hull	1 m	E. Nielsen
Harlequin Duck			
11/7	N. Truro	1 m	G. Martin
11/25	Rockport	5	R. Forster
12/2	Westport	2 m	M. Boucher
12/4	Nantucket	7+	L. Van Dyne
12/10	N. Scituate	4	R. Forster
12/20	Plymouth	1 m	R. Forster
12/28	Yarmouth	1	P. Trimble
12/31	Rockport (A.P.)	14+	T. Walker#
Oldsquaw			
11/6	Wachusett Res.	2	M. Lynch#
11/10	Nantucket	50,000+	E. Andrews#
11/12	P.I.	66	W. Drew#
11/14	Rockport (H.P.)	68	M. Lynch#
11/27	Fairhaven	110+	J. Botelho
12/19	Nantucket	2000	J. Papale
Black Scoter			
11/9	Dennis	1000	K. Hamilton
11/12	P.I.	20	D. Chickering
11/27	Cape Ann	25	BBC (S. Bolton)
12/10	E. Orleans	110	T. Aversa
12/14	Nantucket	60	J. Papale
Surf Scoter			
11/9	Dennis	12,000	K. Hamilton
11/14	Rockport (H.P.)	15	M. Lynch#
11/14	Boston H.	443	TASL (M. Hall)
11/28	Nantucket	200	M. Litchfield#
12/21	Acton	1	L. Nachtrab#
White-winged Scoter			
11/17	P.I.	524	W. Drew#
11/9	Dennis	7000	K. Hamilton
11/14	Boston H.	392	TASL (M. Hall)
11/27	Cape Ann	201	M. Lynch#
11/28	Nantucket Sd.	500	J. Shetterly
Common Goldeneye			
11/14	Boston H.	478	TASL (M. Hall)
12/1	Nantucket	200	J. Papale
12/4	Wachusett Res.	32	M. Lynch#
12/4-5	Cape Cod	322	CCBC
Barrow's Goldeneye			
11/28	Gloucester	1 f	G. d'Entremont#
12/18	Fairhaven	1 m	J. Botelho
12/16	Wellfleet H.	1	S. Highley
12/24	Osterville	1 m	P. Trimble
12/31	Nantucket	4	M. Rines#
Bufflehead			
11/4	S. Dart. (A.Pd)	61	LCES (J. Hill)
11/9	Nantucket	60	D. Harper
11/14	Boston H.	2114	TASL (M. Hall)
11/30	Lakeville	60	J. Botelho
12/1	Nantucket	150	J. Papale
12/4-5	Cape Cod	1772	CCBC
12/12	Westport	112	M. Boucher
12/18	Fairhaven	70	J. Botelho
Hooded Merganser			
11/1-30	Waltham	65 max	R. Forster
11/3	P.I.	27	W. Drew#
11/7	Arlington	26	L. Taylor
11/10	Braintree	75	S. Carey
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	29	M. Lynch#
11/14	Wakefield	27	BBC (D. Williams)
11/23	S. Monomoy	30	B. Nikula#
11/30	Lakeville	94	J. Botelho
12/4	Worcester	37	M. Lynch#
12/4-5	Cape Cod	444	CCBC
12/8	W. Newbury	37	R. Heil
Common Merganser			
11/20	Wakefield	200	P. + F. Vale
11/25	Plymouth	65+	S. Arena
11/27	Southboro	20	E. Taylor
11/30	Wayland	26	R. Forster
11/30	Lakeville	365	J. Botelho
12/4	Worcester	100	M. Lynch#
12/4	Wakefield	100	P. + F. Vale
12/4-5	Cape Cod	88	CCBC
12/8	W. Newbury	58	R. Heil
12/31	Cambridge (F.P.)	57	D. Flood
Red-breasted Merganser			
11/4	S. Dart. (A.Pd)	100	LCES (J. Hill)
11/6	N. Monomoy	2000	B. Nikula
11/6	P.I.	102	W. Drew#
11/12	Boston H.	2496	TASL (M. Hall)
11/21	Nantucket	1000	M. Litchfield#
11/29	Truro	287	M. Lynch#
12/4	Nahant	100	J. Berry#
12/4-5	Cape Cod	190	CCBC
Ruddy Duck			
11/5	Lincoln	39	M. Rines
11/6	W. Newbury	168	R. Stymeist#
11/6	Southboro	71	M. Lynch#
11/7	Arlington Res.	22	L. Taylor
11/11	S. Monomoy	15	B. Nikula#
11/19	Marlboro	21	R. Graefe
11/23	Framingham	46	K. Hamilton
11/29	Brighton	103	C. Hepburn
12/4-5	Harwich	7	CCBC
12/8	W. Newbury	40	R. Heil
12/11	Southboro	15	M. Lynch
12/11	Arlington Res.	4	L. Taylor
Turkey Vulture			
11/2	Medfield	1	T. Aversa
11/13	Westport	6	T. Aversa#
11/13	Sutton	1	R. Stymeist#
11/14	Milton	2	J. Hepburn#
Osprey			
11/1-12/10	Wayland	2-4	R. Forster#
11/14	Wakefield	2	BBC (D. Williams)
11/18	Groveland	1	S. Charette

Osprey (cont.)								
11/22 Lynnfield	1	H. Fandall		12/2 Roslindale	12	T. Aversa		
11/24 Fall River	1	S. Davis		Ruffed Grouse			P. Trimble	
12/4 Barnstable	1	T. Aversa#		11/6 Sandwich	1		M. Lynch#	
11/1-15 Reports of ind. from 12 locations				11/14 W. Boylston	1	C. Paine		
Bald Eagle				11/21 Boxboro	3		J. Heywood#	
11/6 Marshfield	1 imm	v.o.		12/7 Mt.A.	1		J. Brown#	
11/6 Provincetown	1 imm	T. Aversa#		12/17 E. Boxford	2		K. Holmes	
11/7 Chatham	1	J. Hoye#		12/30 N. Middleboro	6			
11/11 Salisbury	1 2W	C. Ralph		Wild Turkey				
11/29 Quincy	1 ad	C. Ralph		11/4 Lexington	5	B. Kreen		
12/4 Nantucket	1 imm	E. Ray		11/13 Quabbin (G40)	2	M. Lynch#		
12/7 S. Carver	1 imm	K. Anderson		11/13 Boxboro	5	B. Graham		
12/12 S. Quabbin	1 ad	M. Lynch#		12/25 Saugus	2	P. + F. Vale		
12/12 Newburyport	1 imm	J. Hoye#		12/27 Achushnet	3	M. LaBossiere		
12/24 E. Harwich	2 ad	R. Comeau		Northern Bobwhite				
12/28 S. Yarmouth	1 imm	T. Noonan#		11/12 Medfield	9	T. Aversa		
12/28 Lakeville	2 ad, 4 imm	N. Yates		11/16 Hingham	12	T. Aversa		
Northern Harrier				11/26 Provincetown	5	S. Arena		
thr Cumb. Farms	1-3	v. o.		12/3 Falmouth	6	T. Aversa		
11/11 Ipswich	1	BBC (J. Berry)		12/4 Nantucket	12	L. Van Dyne		
11/14 Boston H.	1	TASL (M. Hall)		12/27 W. Roxbury	14	T. Aversa		
11/19 S. Dart. (A.Pd)	2	LCES (J. Hill)		Yellow Rail				
11/29 Truro	2	M. Lynch#		11/2 DWWS	1	D. Ludlow		
12/4 P.I./Salisbury	6	BBC (S. Moore)		12/16 W. Barnstable	1	G. Martin		
12/11 Cotuit	1	T. Aversa		Clapper Rail				
12/31 Hyannis	1	G. d'Entremont		11/6 Centerville	1	B. Nikula#		
Sharp-shinned Hawk				Virginia Rail				
12/19 Nantucket	2	E. Ray		11/8 Nantucket	2	J. Papale		
12/12 Hardwick	2	M. Lynch#		12/12 Westport	1	M. Boucher		
11/1-12/31 Reports of ind. from 23 locations				Sora				
Cooper's Hawk				11/6 Centerville	3	P. Trimble#		
11/2 W. Roxbury	2	T. Aversa		11/8 DWWS	1	D. Ludlow		
thr Report of ind. from 10 locations				Common Moorhen				
Northern Goshawk				11/1 W. Harwich	1	C. Brothers#		
12/3 P.I.	1	W. Drew#		11/6 Nantucket	1	D. Harper#		
12/6 Framingham	1 imm	K. Hamilton		12/1 Chatham	2	J. Sones		
12/17 W. Roxbury	1	N. Komar		American Coot				
12/22 N. Andover	1 ad	L. Wagner		11/7-19 Norton	12 max	G. d'Entremont		
12/24 Stoughton	1 imm	S. Arena		11/14 Lakeville	15	J. Botelho#		
Red-shouldered Hawk				11/14 Plymouth	150	J. Hoye#		
11/10 Lakeville	1 ad	J. Botelho		11/18 Groveland	11	S. Charette		
11/13 Dartmouth	1 ad	T. Aversa#		12/1-31 Waltham	30 max	R. Forster		
11/22 Sherborn	1	E. Taylor		12/8 W. Newbury	12	R. Heil		
12/27 W. Roxbury	1 imm	T. Aversa		12/11 Southboro	12	M. Lynch#		
Red-tailed Hawk				12/11 Arlington	80	L. Taylor		
11/14 Ipswich/Essex	9	BBC (I. Giriunas)		12/15 Wellesley	31	R. Forster		
11/17 Boston (F.Pk)	5	T. Aversa		Black-bellied Plover				
Rough-legged Hawk				11/3 P.I.	113	W. Drew#		
11/5 Nantucket	1 lt	J. Papale		11/3 Nantucket	26	E. Andrews		
11/17, 26 P.I.	1	W. Drew#		11/6 N. Monomoy	350	B. Nikula		
11/20 Newbury	1 lt	R. Forster#		11/9 Dennis	165	K. Hamilton		
11/27 Athol	1 lt	T. Aversa#		11/14 Ipswich/Essex	56	BBC (I. Giriunas)		
12/31 Ipswich	1 lt	J. Berry		11/14 Boston H.	66	TASL (M. Hall)		
12/31 Nantucket	1 dk	G. d'Entremont#		11/23 N. Scituate	10	T. Aversa		
Golden Eagle				11/26 P.I.	2	D. Chickering		
11/6 DWWS	1 imm	fide D. Ludlow		11/27 N. Monomoy	4	B. Nikula		
American Kestrel				12/4 Eastham (F.E.)	12	J. Hoye#		
11/14 Boston H.	2	TASL (M. Hall)		12/4 Westport	1	D. Zimberlin		
12/12 Salisbury/P.I.	5	J. Hoye#		American Golden-Plover				
12/19 Lawrence	2	S. Charette		11/2 Boston (Logan)	39	N. Smith		
thr Reports of ind. from 13 locations				11/14 Ipswich/Essex	1	BBC (I. Giriunas)		
Merlin				11/14 P.I.	3	J. Brown#		
thr Reports of ind. from 14 locations				Semipalmented Plover				
Peregrine Falcon				11/1 Plymouth	4	E. Neumuth		
thr Nantucket	1	v. o.		11/6 Barnstable (S.N.)	2	H. Ferguson		
11/3-14 P.I.	1	v. o.		11/12 P.I.	1	W. Drew#		
11/13 Chatham	1	B. Nikula#		11/13 Dartmouth	1	S. Arenas#		
11/14 Squantum	1 ad	G. d'Entremont		11/14 Hingham	1	TASL (M. Hall)		
11/23 S. Monomoy	1 imm	B. Nikula#		12/12-19 Eastham (F.E.)	1	J. Sones#		
12/1-31 Saugus	1 ad	J. Berry		Killdeer				
Ring-necked Pheasant				11/14 Ipswich/Essex	6	BBC (I. Giriunas)		
				11/15 Lakeville	5	J. Botelho		

Killdeer (cont.)					
11/27	Concord	2	R. Forster	11/28	Lynn
12/1	Arlington Res.	2	L. Taylor	11/30	Manchester
12/16	Eastham (F.E.)	1	T. Aversa	12/12	Dennis
12/20	Plymouth	1	R. Forster	12/18	Fairhaven
12/28	Fairhaven	1	D. Zimberlin	12/31	Nantucket
American Oystercatcher				11/1	Plymouth
11/6	N. Monomoy	20	B. Nikula#	11/3	P.I.
11/13	N. Monomoy	5	B. Nikula#	11/6	N. Monomoy
11/23	Chatham	2	B. Nikula#	11/14	Boston H.
12/25	Fairhaven	1	D. Zimberlin	11/19	S. Dart.
Greater Yellowlegs				11/21	Rowley
11/3	P.I.	45	W. Drew#	11/26	Eastham (F.E.)
11/4	S. Dart. (A.Pd)	25	LCES (J. Hill)	11/27	N. Monomoy
11/7	Lexington	8	R. Forster#	12/2	Dennis
11/9	Dennis	15	K. Hamilton	12/8	P.I.
11/14	Boston H.	22	TASL (M. Hall)	dowitcher species	
11/14	Glooucester	6	M. Lynch#	11/9	S. Dart. (A.Pd)
11/21	Rowley	1	J. Berry	2	LCES (J. Hill)
11/28	E. Boston	1	R. Forster	Common Snipe	
12/1-19	Chatham	2	D. Scott#	11/9	P.I.
12/4	Hyannis	10	T. Aversa#	12/11	Essex/Hamilton
12/11	P.I.	2	BBC (W. Drummond)	4	H. Wiggin#
Lesser Yellowlegs				11/1-12/11	Reports of ind. from 5 locations
11/4	S. Dart. (A.Pd)	1	LCES (J. Hill)	American Woodcock	
11/7	WBWS	1	J. Sones	11/9	Nantucket
Willet				2	J. Papale#
11/14	Truro	1	G. Martin	11/13	Canton
Hudsonian Godwit				2	R. Forster
11/11	Salisbury	4	C. Paine	11/14	Ipswich
11/9	S. Dart. (A.Pd)	1	LCES (J. Hill)	Red Phalarope	
12/4	P.I.	2	S. Moore	12/16	Eastham (F.E.)
Marbled Godwit				16	W. Bailey
11/6	N. Monomoy	6	B. Nikula#	12/22	Eastham (F.E.)
11/14	N. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula#	K. Jones	
Ruddy Turnstone				Pomarine Jaeger	
11/9	Dennis	3	K. Hamilton	11/25	Eastham (F.E.)
11/14	Boston H.	9	TASL (M. Hall)	1	B. Nikula#
12/18	Fairhaven	27	J. Botelho	12/4	Provincetown
12/19	Nantucket	15	E. Ray	1	G. d'Entremont#
Red Knot				12/6	Eastham (F.E.)
11/1	Plymouth	4	E. Neumuth	48	B. Nikula#
11/5	Revere	1	T. Aversa	12/12	Eastham (F.E.)
11/6	Eastham	180	J. Center#	21	R. Forster#
11/6	N. Monomoy	40	B. Nikula	12/13	Eastham (F.E.)
11/27	N. Monomoy	5	B. Nikula	7	A. King#
11/29	Nantucket	1	E. Andrews	12/17	Eastham (F.E.)
12/3	Dennis	7	R. Forster#	2	R. Forster
12/17	Eastham	4	R. Forster	12/22	Eastham (F.E.)
Sanderling				1	K. Jones
11/1	Plymouth	325	E. Neumuth	jaeger species	
11/6	N. Monomoy	1100	B. Nikula	11/25	Eastham (F.E.)
11/6	Nantucket	200+	D. Harper	5	B. Nikula#
11/5	Revere	300	T. Aversa	12/14	Eastham (F.E.)
11/9	Dennis	600	K. Hamilton	1	B. Nikula#
11/27	N. Monomoy	700	B. Nikula	12/17	Eastham (F.E.)
12/31	Nantucket	150	G. d'Entremont#	1-2	B. Nikula#
Semipalmated Sandpiper				12/11	Dennis
11/5	Lynn	1	T. Aversa	4	P. Trimble
11/11	S. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula#	Laughing Gull	
11/17	P.I.	1	W. Drew#	11/7	Nantucket
White-rumped Sandpiper				121	J. Papale
11/3	P.I.	39	W. Drew#	11/10	Dennis
11/11	S. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula	6	K. Hamilton
11/14	N. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula	11/14	Boston H.
11/17	P.I.	2	W. Drew#	4	TASL (M. Hall)
Pectoral Sandpiper				11/14	Westport
11/6	P.I.	2	P. + F. Vale	1	M. Boucher
Purple Sandpiper				11/17	Fairhaven
11/11	Salisbury	20+	C. Paine	2	J. Botelho
11/14	Wintrop	300	TASL (M. Hall)	12/31	Nantucket
11/23	S. Monomoy	1	J. Sones#	2	J. Papale

Ring-billed Gull			B. Blodget	Barn Owl		
11/16 Wachusett Res.	2332		B. Blodget	11/4, 27 Nantucket (2 loc.)	1, 1	v. o.
11/23 Wachusett Res.	3322		B. Blodget	Eastern Screech-Owl		
12/16 Wachusett Res.	2193		B. Blodget	11/4 Ipswich	3	L. Taylor
12/30 Wachusett Res.	801		B. Blodget	12/28 E. Middleboro	7	K. Holmes
Iceland Gull				thr Reports of ind. from 4 locations		
11/14 Nantucket	3		R. Abrams	Great Horned Owl		
11/18 Lynn	1		J. Quigley	thr Reports of 1 or 2 ind. from 10 locations		
11/27 Cape Ann	1	BBC (S. Bolton)	J. Young	Snowy Owl		
11/27 Provincetown	1 imm		M. Boucher	11/4 S. Dart. (A.Pd)	1	LCES (J. Hill)
12/2 Westport	1		A. Strauss	11/5 Norwood	1	N. Smith
12/16 Barnstable (S.N.)	1			11/12-12/31 P.I.	1 or 2	v. o.
Lesser Black-backed Gull				11/13 Salisbury	1	T. Carrollyn
11/1 Nantucket	1 ad		J. Papale	11/27-28 Nantucket	2	J. Papale
11/13 N. Monomoy	1 ad		B. Nikula#	12/1-31 Boston (Logan)	6 max	N. Smith#
11/14 Nantucket	1		R. Abrams	12/1-6 Natick	1	E. Landre
11/20 Ipswich	1 2W		J. Berry	12/4 Provincetown	1	D. Brown#
11/28 P'town (R.P.)	1 ad		J. Young	Barred Owl		
12/1-31 Dennis	1 ad		v. o.	11/13 Quabbin (G40)	2	M. Lynch#
12/13 Brewster	1 ad		S. Highley	12/9 S. Carver	1	K. Anderson
Glaucous Gull				12/24 N. Middleboro	1	K. Holmes
12/11 Quincy	1		N. Swirka	Long-eared Owl		
12/16 Barnstable (S.N.)	1 1W		A. Strauss	11/2 Newburyport	1	T. Ongara
12/26 Bridgewater	1		W. Petersen	11/5 Nantucket	2	fide E. Ray
12/31 Nantucket	4	G. d'Entremont#		12/10 Ipswich	1	I. Giriunas
Black-legged Kittiwake				Short-eared Owl		
11/28 Rockport (A.P.)	55 ad		J. Berry	11/7 Nantucket	3	C. Fisher
12/6 Eastham (F.E.)	1100		B. Nikula#	11/27 Tuckernuck	7	J. Johnson
12/12 Eastham (F.E.)	300		R. Forster	12/17 Ipswich	1	R. Heil
12/12 Dennis	70		J. Botelho	Northern Saw-whet Owl		
12/22 Eastham (F.E.)	800		K. Jones	11/16 Quabbin (G40)	1	C. Paine#
Common Tern				12/4 P.I.	1	BBC (S. Moore)
11/1 Sandwich	1		J. Botelho	12/28 Middleboro	1	K. Holmes
11/6 Newburyport	1		R. Forster#	Belted Kingfisher		
11/21 Wellfleet	2		J. Sones#	12/4 Centerville	3	J. Hoye#
Forster's Tern				12/4 Wakefield	2	P. + F. Vale
11/1, 10 Dennis	28, 12		K. Hamilton	12/18 Hyannis	2	J. Papale
11/6 Newburyport	5		R. Forster#	Red-headed Woodpecker		
11/7 Wellfleet	15		J. Sones#	11/2 Nantucket	1 imm	J. Manley#
11/7 Barnstable	7		R. Stymeist#	11/7-12/31 Millville	1 or 2	R. Stymeist#
11/28 Hyannis	1		J. Shetterly	12/28 Marston Mills	1 ad	R. Jenkins#
Dovekie				Red-bellied Woodpecker		
11/28 Rockport (A.P.)	23	G. d'Entremont#		11/13 Millville	2	R. Stymeist#
12/4 P.I.	4		H. Wiggins#	thr Reports of ind. from 15 locations		
12/12 Eastham (F.E.)	8		R. Forster	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		
12/16 Eastham (F.E.)	11		W. Bailey	11/7 Nantucket	1 imm	K. Gibbs
11/1-12/17 Reports of 1 or 2 ind. from 7 loc				11/11 Ipswich	1	D. Case
large alcid species				12/31 Nantucket	2	fide J. Papale
11/25 Eastham (F.E.)	20+		B. Nikula#	Hairy Woodpecker		
11/29 P'town (R.P.)	60+		M. Lynch#	11/1-30 Boxford	2	J. Brown#
12/13 Eastham (F.E.)	100		B. Nikula#	11/3 Wenham	pr	N. Nash
Thick-billed Murre				Pileated Woodpecker		
11/24-29 P'town H.	1 or 2		v. o.	11/7 Boxford	1	J. Brown#
Razorbill				11/13 Boxboro	1	C. Paine
11/21 Wellfleet H.	30+		J. Sones#	Eastern Phoebe		
11/26-12/20 Fairhaven	1-3		J. Botelho	11/14 Hingham	1	TASL (M. Hall)
11/29 P'town (R.P.)	81		M. Lynch#	Ash-throated Flycatcher		
12/4 Truro/P'town	50	G. d'Entremont#		11/7-13 Arlington	1	L. Taylor + v. o.
12/9 Sandwich	26		J. Botelho	Western Kingbird		
12/14 Eastham (F.E.)	100		R. Forster	11/9-12/2 WBWS	2 max	C. Brothers#
12/17 Eastham (F.E.)	400		R. Forster	12/19 S. Boston	1	D. Brown
thr Reports of 1-20 ind. from 8 locations				Horned Lark		
Black Guillemot				11/14 Salisbury/P.I.	80	K. Disney#
11/14 Rockport (H.P.)	10	M. Lynch#		11/14 Ipswich/Essex	110	BBC (I. Giriunas)
11/29 P'town (R.P.)	3	M. Lynch#		11/14 Boston H.	218	TASL (M. Hall)
12/9 Gloucester	3		N. Nash	11/26 Cumb. Farms	75	S. Arena
12/13 Eastham (F.E.)	1		J. Sones#	11/26 Eastham (F.E.)	65	S. Arena
Atlantic Puffin				11/29 Truro	46	M. Lynch#
11/14 Rockport (H.P.)	1 imm	M. Lynch#		12/7 Framingham	7	R. Forster
12/4 Truro	1	G. d'Entremont#		Tree Swallow		
Monk Parakeet				12/2 Westport	1	M. Boucher
11/3 Lincoln	1	D. Diggins		11/4 Nantucket	600	J. Papale

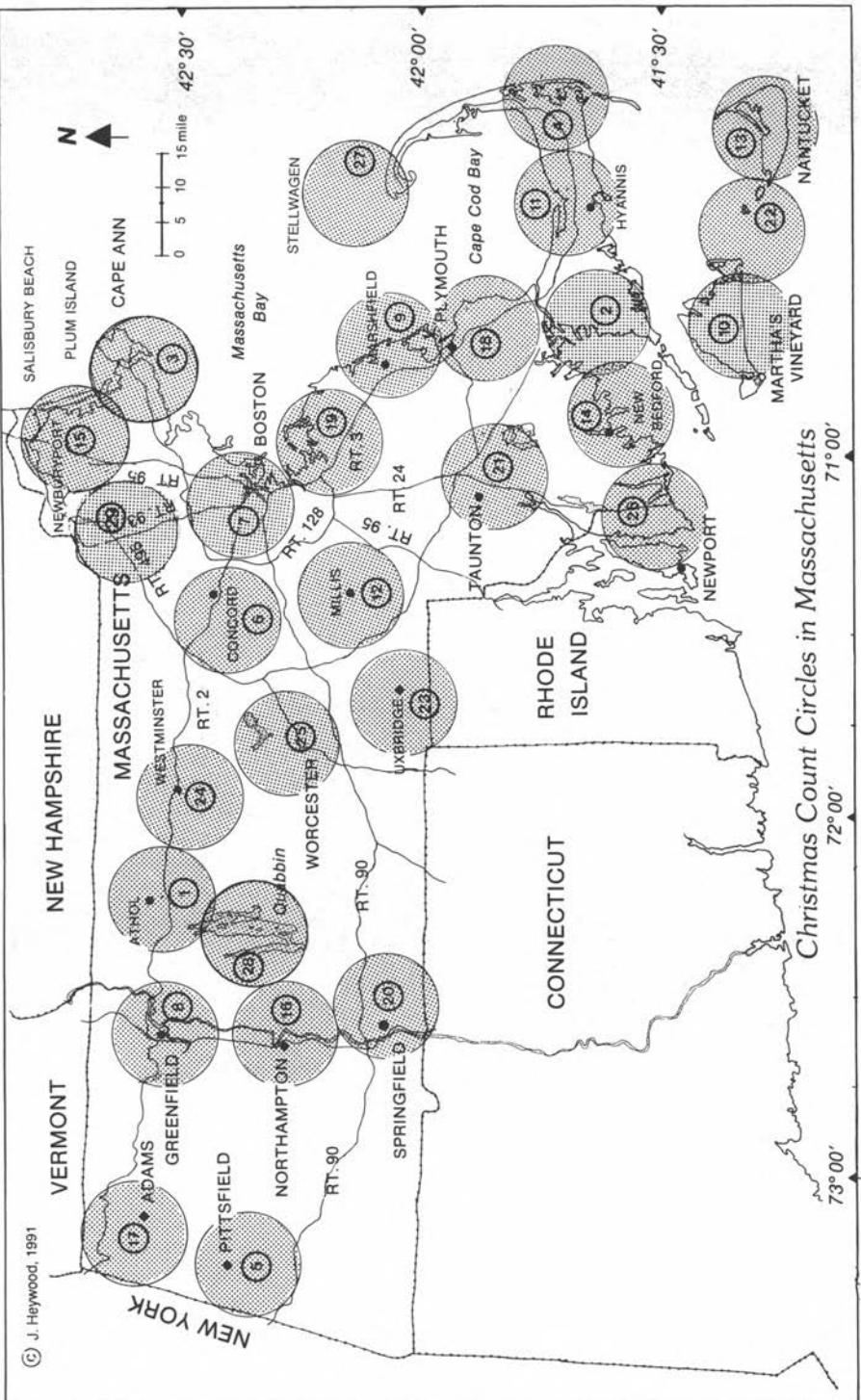
Tree Swallow (cont.)			
12/28	Nantucket	3	W. Cochran
Barn Swallow			R. Abrams
11/11	Nantucket	2	
American Crow			S. Charette
thr	Lawrence	4000 max	E. Taylor
11/7	Framingham	400	F. Bouchard
12/26	Worcester	350	E. Taylor
12/27	Framingham	4500	
Fish Crow			
11/15	Boston (Hyde Pk)	1	W. Petersen
12/1-31	Watertown	1 or 2	R. Symeist
12/9	Brookline	1	H. Wiggin
12/14	Boston (F.Pk)	1	T. Aversa
12/15	Mt.A.	1	M. Rines
12/26	Worcester	1	F. Bouchard
12/27	Framingham	20+	E. Taylor
Common Raven			
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	1	M. Lynch#
12/1	Royalston	2	K. Hamilton
Black-capped Chickadee			M. Lynch#
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	90	
Boreal Chickadee			
11/13-12/31	W. Boylston	1-3	v. o.
Red-breasted Nuthatch			
11/7	Millville	8	M. Rines#
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	140+	M. Lynch#
11/13	Sutton	9	R. Symeist#
11/14	Milton	7	G. d'Entremont
11/29	Royalston	18	K. Hamilton
11/30	Athol	27	K. Hamilton
12/7	Newburyport	31	R. Heil
12/10	Nantucket	30	J. Papale
12/24	W. Boylston	20	J. Hoye#
White-breasted Nuthatch			
12/19	Nantucket	6	E. Ray
Brown Creeper			
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	8	M. Lynch#
11/2-20	Reports of ind. from 6 locations		
Carolina Wren			
thr	Sherborn	2 or 3	E. Taylor
11/8	Nantucket	5	J. Papale
11/14	Lexington	3	L. Taylor
11/23	N. Scituate	4	T. Aversa
11/27	Quabbin (G40)	2	W. Petersen#
12/3	Falmouth	33	T. Aversa
12/4	Southboro	1	M. Lynch#
12/7	W. Newbury	3	R. Heil
House Wren			
12/6	Woods Hole	1	P. Trimble
12/20	Dorchester	1	T. Aversa
12/31	Nantucket	1	M. Rines#
Winter Wren			
11/8	Nantucket	3	J. Papale
12/6	Woods Hole	3	P. Trimble
thr	Reports of ind. from 10 locations		
Marsh Wren			
11/6	Centerville	1	P. Trimble
12/25	Ipswich	1	J. Berry
Golden-crowned Kinglet			
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	15+	M. Lynch#
11/14	W. Boylston	10+	M. Lynch#
12/2	Wellfleet	12	R. Forster#
12/10	Nantucket	15	J. Papale
Ruby-crowned Kinglet			
11/6	Provincetown	8	T. Aversa#
12/3	Falmouth	4	T. Aversa
12/10	WBWS	7	T. Aversa
12/11	Cotuit	3	T. Aversa
thr	Reports of ind. from 11 locations		
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher			
11/5	MNWS	1	T. Aversa
Eastern Bluebird			
11/7	Blackstone	14	R. Symeist#
11/11	Norfolk	10	B. Cassie
11/14	Lakeville	20	J. Botelho#
11/14	Middleboro	15	W. Petersen
12/4	W. Barnstable	17	C. Bergfors
12/18	Sherborn	10	E. Taylor
thr	Reports of 1-8 ind. from 13 locations		
Townsend's Solitaire			
11/13-12/31	Hingham	1 ph	D. Cooper + v. o.
Hermit Thrush			
11/4	Roslindale	2	T. Aversa
11/5	MNWS	3	T. Aversa
11/6	Newbypt area	2	BBC (E. Tarry)
11/7	Millville	2	R. Symeist#
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	2	M. Lynch#
thr	Reports of ind. from 10 locations		
American Robin			
11/1-30	Newton	200+	D. Case
12/1-31	Cambridge	600+	R. Symeist
12/19	Woburn	250	L. Taylor#
Gray Catbird			
11/13	S. Dartmouth	6	T. Aversa#
12/3	Falmouth	3	T. Aversa
12/31	Nantucket	7	M. Rines#
thr	Reports of ind. from 6 locations		
Brown Thrasher			
12/25	Fairhaven	1	D. Zimberlin
American Pipit			
11/4	P.I.	15	K. Disney
11/5	Concord (N.A.C.)	35	M. Rines
11/11	Fairhaven	4	D. Zimberlin
11/14	S. Dartmouth	30	M. Boucher#
11/6-27	Sandwich	1-4	P. Trimble
11/21	P.I.	2	BBC (J. Nove)
12/9	Fairhaven	8	J. Botelho
Bohemian Waxwing			
11/19	Hingham	1	R. Symeist#
11/21	Wellfleet	4	S. Clifton#
Cedar Waxwing			
11/21	Hingham	90+	M. Lynch#
11/25	N. Wellfleet	50	A. Hirschkop#
11/27	Athol	300	W. Petersen#
12/3	Yarmouthport	80	R. Forster
12/8	W. Newbury	36	R. Heil
12/12	Lexington	200	L. Taylor
12/12	Worcester	49	M. Lynch#
12/12	Eastham	40	R. Forster
12/19	Woburn	75	L. Taylor
12/24	Framingham	50	J. Hoye#
Northern Shrike			
11/2-30	Cumb. Farms	1 ad	J. Botelho
11/3	Wayland	1	L. Nachtrab#
11/13	Quabbin (G40)	1 ad	M. Lynch#
11/18	Eastham (F.H.)	1	K. Hamilton
12/7	Framingham	1	R. Forster
European Starling			
11/14	Methuen	10,000+	E. Taylor
White-eyed Vireo			
11/8	E. Orleans	1	J. Sones
11/27	Nantucket	1	H. Faria
Solitary Vireo			
12/11	Cotuit	1	T. Aversa
Red-eyed Vireo			
11/24	Boston	1	T. Aversa
Orange-crowned Warbler			
11/6	Nantucket	1	D. Harper
11/11	Sandwich	2	P. Trimble
11/21	P.I.	1	BBC (J. Nove)
12/7	Newburyport	1	R. Heil
12/19	Hamilton	1	J. Brown

Nashville Warbler					11/9	Nantucket	240+	E. Andrews#
11/12-12/19	Boston	1	T. Aversa		11/21	P.I.	14	BBC (J. Nove)
Yellow Warbler			H. Faria		11/25	W. Roxbury	115	T. Aversa
11/27	Nantucket	1			11/27	Cumb. Farms	22	J. Botelho
Black-throated Blue Warbler					Chipping Sparrow			
11/1-12/Chatham	1	R. Hall			11/5	Stoneham	1 ad	T. Aversa
12/11 Cambridge	1 m	B. Stevens			11/6	Truro	3	T. Aversa#
Yellow-rumped Warbler			D. Case		11/7	Nantucket	5	N. Brooks
11/13 Ipswich	10		S. Arena		12/6-30	Brewster	1	P. Trull
11/21 P.I.	6	BBC (J. Nove)			Clay-colored Sparrow			
11/26 Provincetown	20		T. Aversa		11/6	Sandwich	1	P. Trimble
12/10 WBWS	20				12/28	Barnstable	1	R. Forster#
Townsend's Warbler		R. Forster#			Field Sparrow			
12/28 Barnstable	1				11/6	Truro	6	T. Aversa#
Black-throated Green Warbler		D. Harper			11/25	W. Roxbury	5	T. Aversa
11/6 Nantucket	1 m		J. Papale		11/1-12/4	Reports of 1 or 2 ind. from 6 loc.		
11/8 Nantucket	1 f				Vesper Sparrow			
Pine Warbler		N. Brooks			11/1-30 Sandwich	1-3	P. Trimble	
11/20 Nantucket	2				Lark Sparrow			
12/6-31 Brewster	2-5	P. Trull			11/7 Falmouth	1	N. Ludlow + v. o.	
12/10 WBWS	3	T. Aversa			11/20 Wrentham	1	R. Danca	
12/11 Cotuit	8	T. Aversa			11/21 Bridgewater	1	K. Weinheimer	
12/13 Lexington	2	S. Wood			Savannah Sparrow			
Prairie Warbler					12/27 W. Roxbury	3	T. Aversa	
11/16 Woburn	1	J. Farr			12/31 Ipswich	7	J. Berry	
12/3 Woods Hole	1	T. Aversa			"Ipswich" Savannah Sparrow			
Palm Warbler		P. Trimble			11/2 Nantucket	1	E. Andrews#	
11/1-30 Sandwich	12-16	D. Chickering			11/4 Salisbury	1	K. Disney	
11/3 P.I.	3				11/6 P.I.	2	J. Young#	
12/10 WBWS	9	T. Aversa			11/13 S. Dartmouth	4	S. Arenas#	
12/11 Cotuit	8	T. Aversa			11/14 N. Monomoy	1	B. Nikula	
11/1-27 Reports of 1 or 2 ind. from 8 locations.					Grasshopper Sparrow			
Blackpoll Warbler					11/1-30 Sandwich	1 or 2	P. Trimble	
11/1 Boston (F.Pk)	1	T. Aversa			Sharp-tailed Sparrow			
Ovenbird					11/6 Eastham (F.H.)	1	T. Aversa#	
12/24-31 Ipswich	1	J. Berry			11/9 S. Dart. (A.Pd)	2	LCES (J. Hill)	
Common Yellowthroat					12/13 W. Barnstable	1	P. Trimble	
11/6 Nantucket	1	D. Harper			Seaside Sparrow			
11/8 Boston (F.Pk)	1	T. Aversa			11/6 Eastham (F.H.)	8	T. Aversa#	
11/23 N. Scituate	1	T. Aversa			12/24 Hyannisport	1	P. Trimble	
12/2 Westport	1	M. Boucher			Fox Sparrow			
12/4 Woods Hole	1	P. Trimble			11/6 Newton	3	D. Case	
12/17 Hingham	1	T. Aversa#			11/6 Southboro	2	M. Lynch#	
Hooded Warbler		L. Pivacek#			11/11 Belmont	4	L. Taylor	
11/5 Nahant	1 m				11/14 Milton	8	G. d'Entremont	
Wilson's Warbler					11/25 W. Roxbury	2	T. Aversa	
12/4 Woods Hole	1	P. Trimble			12/3 Mt.A.	1	M. Rines	
Yellow-breasted Chat					12/4 Worcester	1	M. Lynch#	
11/6 P.I.	1	J. Young			11/1-14 Reports of ind. from 9 locations			
11/20 Woburn	1	BBC (J. Kennedy)			Lincoln's Sparrow			
12/3 Falmouth	2	T. Aversa			11/2 New Bedford	1	D. Zimberlin	
Western Tanager					11/4 Ipswich	1	L. Taylor	
11/19-12/7 WBWS	1	J. Sones# + v. o.			11/16 Hingham	1	T. Aversa	
12/29 Manomet	1	J. Atwood			11/19 Arlington Res.	1	T. Aversa	
Indigo Bunting					Swamp Sparrow			
11/21-24 WBWS	1	R. Prescott# + v. o.			11/14 Halifax	10	J. Botelho#	
Painted Bunting					12/3 Falmouth	21	T. Aversa	
11/1-12/31 Brewster	1 m	A. Furman#			12/11 Cotuit	10	T. Aversa	
12/19 Eastham	1 f	C. Neill#			White-crowned Sparrow			
12/28 Barnstable	1 f	R. Forster#			11/1-30 Sandwich	1-3	P. Trimble	
Dickcissel					11/6 Eastham (F.H.)	1 imm	T. Aversa#	
11/7-11 Nantucket	1 f	B. Vigneau			12/26 Bridgewater	3	W. Petersen#	
11/8-9 Chatham	1	R. Hall			12/31 Nantucket	3	M. Rines#	
Rufous-sided Towhee					Dark-eyed Junco			
11/7 Bellingham	2	M. Rines#			11/13 Quabbin (G40)	70	M. Lynch#	
11/7 Millville	4	R. Stymeist#			12/2 Boston	85	T. Aversa	
11/13 S. Dartmouth	10	T. Aversa#			12/13 S. Carver	30	K. Anderson	
11/13 Northbridge	5	R. Stymeist#			Lapland Longspur			
thr	Reports of ind. from 6 locations				11/6 N. Monomoy	75	B. Nikula#	
American Tree Sparrow					11/13 P.I.	25+	BBC (J. Center)	
11/1-30 Newton	20 max	D. Case			11/13 W. Yarmouth	5	K. Hamilton	
11/4 Salisbury	25	K. Disney			11/14 Boston H.	2	TASL (M. Hall)	

Lapland Longspur (cont.)			R. Forster	11/6	Salisbury	55	R. Forster#
11/20 Newbury	8			11/30 Athol	55	K. Hamilton	
12/11 Salisbury	6	BBC (W. Drummond)		12/7 Newbypt/W. Newby	305	R. Heil	
Chestnut-collared Longspur				12/12 Worc. Airport	60	M. Lynch#	
12/31 Salisbury	1		G. Purcell	12/17 Ipswich	60	R. Heil	
Snow Bunting				12/17 P.I.	210	R. Heil	
11/2 Boston (Logan)	800		N. Smith	12/19 Ipswich	200	J. Berry	
11/3 P.I.	610		W. Drew#	12/31 W. Bridgewater	100	J. Hoye#	
11/6 N. Monomoy	200+		B. Nikula#	thr	Reports of 1-20 ind. from 21 loc.		
11/6 Nantucket	23		D. Harper	thr	Reports of 20-50 ind. from 10 loc.		
11/6 Barnstable (S.N.)	100		H. Ferguson	Pine Siskin			
11/11 S. Monomoy	200+		B. Nikula#	11/1 Wellesley	5	R. Forster	
11/13 Cumb. Farms	60		S. Arena#	11/3 Framingham	3	K. Hamilton	
11/13 Westport	30		T. Aversa#	11/6 Medford	60	P. Roberts	
11/14 Ipswich/Essex	150	BBC (I. Giriunas)		11/7 Brookline	2	H. Wiggin#	
Red-winged Blackbird				11/11 Mt.A.	6	M. Rines	
11/6 Sudbury	2000		E. Taylor	11/11 Ipswich	1	BBC (J. Berry)	
12/6 N. Dartmouth	6		M. Boucher	11/13 IRWS	3	P. + F. Vale	
12/11 Nantucket	15		E. Andrews	11/14 N. Dartmouth	1	M. Boucher	
Eastern Meadowlark				12/2 WBWS	5	R. Forster	
11/11 Fairhaven	1		D. Zimberlin	12/2 Athol	200	R. King	
11/14 Hingham	2		M. Rines	12/24 W. Boylston	12	J. Hoye#	
12/9 Nantucket	5		J. Papale	12/31 Nantucket	1	E. Andrews	
12/14 S. Dartmouth	15	LCES (J. Hill)		American Goldfinch			
Rusty Blackbird				11/27 Concord (N.A.C.)	85	R. Forster	
11/2 Medfield	5		T. Aversa	European Goldfinch (probable escape)			
11/6 Provincetown	4		T. Aversa#	11/11 Ipswich	1	BBC (J. Berry)	
11/14 Dunstable	75+		M. Wilson	Evening Grosbeak			
11/14 Wakefield	2	BBC (D. Williams)		11/3 Framingham	22	K. Hamilton	
12/11 Beverly	3		I. Giriunas	11/6 Holden	7	M. Lynch#	
12/12 Wayland	65		B. Howell	11/11 Ipswich	6	BBC (J. Berry)	
12/27 N. Dartmouth	1		M. Boucher	11/21 Wayland	38	K. Hamilton	
12/31 Wayland	1		A. Hirschkop	11/27 Quabbin area	45	W. Petersen#	
Common Grackle				12/2 Acushnet	20	M. LaBossiere	
11/6 Sudbury	500		E. Taylor	12/4 Sudbury	2	R. Forster	
11/7 Framingham	300		E. Taylor	12/7 Amesbury	15+	R. Heil	
12/2 S. Dartmouth	9		M. Boucher	12/12 Hardwick	9	M. Lynch#	
12/7 Boston	5		T. Aversa	12/15 N. Middleboro	7	K. Holmes	
Brown-headed Cowbird				12/18 Brewster	11	M. Eddy	
11/13 Quincy	25	G. d'Entremont#		12/31 Nantucket	3	J. Stroup#	
12/12 P.I.	6		J. Hoye#				
Northern Oriole							
11/1 Wellesley	1		R. Weinig				
11/14 Hingham	1		A. Hirschkop#				
12/2 WBWS	1		R. Forster				
12/6-29 Needham	1		E. Kyle				
12/18-30 Chatham	1		R. Hall				
12/31 Nantucket	1		J. Papale				
Brambling (details submitted)							
11/8 Groveland	1		L. Cooper #				
Pine Grosbeak							
11/11, 21 Hingham	1	K. Godfrey + v. o.					
11/27 Athol	10		W. Petersen#				
12/4 MNWS	4		J. Smith				
12/12 Athol	170		B. Fregeau				
Purple Finch							
11/4 N. Dartmouth	2		M. Boucher				
11/13 IRWS	3		P. + F. Vale				
11/14 Hingham	1	G. d'Entremont#					
12/8 Lawrence	1		S. Charette				
12/27 W. Roxbury	5		T. Aversa				
Red Crossbill							
11/13 Quabbin (G40)	12		M. Lynch#				
11/29 Royalston	3		K. Hamilton				
11/30 Athol	1		K. Hamilton				
White-winged Crossbill							
11/13 Quabbin (G40)	5		M. Lynch#				
11/14 W. Boylston	10		S. Shapiro				
12/4 MNWS	2		J. Smith				
12/13 Middleboro	20		D. Briggs				
12/24 W. Boylston	12		J. Hoye#				
Common Redpoll							

## LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

ad	adult	H.	Harbor
alt	alternate	I.	Island
b	banded	L.	Ledge
br	breeding	M.V.	Martha's Vineyard
dk	dark (phase)	Mt.A.	Mount Auburn Cemetery, Cambridge
f	female	N.A.C.	Nine Acre Corner, Concord
fl	fledged	Nant.	Nantucket
imm	immature	Newbypt	Newburyport
ind.	individuals	P.I.	Plum Island
juv	juvenile	Pd	Pond
loc	location	P'town	Provincetown
lt	light (phase)	Quab.	Quabbin
m	male	Res.	Reservoir
max	maximum	R.P.	Race Point, Provincetown
mi	mile	S.B.	South Beach, Chatham
migr	migrating	S. Dart.	South Dartmouth
n	nesting	S.F.	State Forest
ph	photographed	S.N.	Sandy Neck, Barnstable
pl	plumage	S.P.	State Park
pr	pair	Stellw.	Stellwagen Bank
S	summer (1S = first summer)	Worc.	Worcester
thr	throughout	BBC	Brookline Bird Club
v.o.	various observers	BMB	Broad Meadow Brook, Worcester
W	winter (2W = second winter)	CBC	Christmas Bird Count
w/	with	CCBC	Cape Cod Bird Club
yg	young	DFWS	Drumlin Farm Wildlife Sanctuary
#	additional observers	DWWS	Daniel Webster Wildlife Sanctuary
A.A.	Arnold Arboretum	EMHW	Eastern Massachusetts Hawk Watch
A.P.	Andrews Point, Rockport	GMNWR	Great Meadows National Wildlife Refuge
A.Pd	Allens Pond, S. Dartmouth	HRWMA	High Ridge Wildlife Management Area, Gardner-Westminster
Arl.	Arlington	IRWS	Ipswich River Wildlife Sanctuary
B.	Beach	LCES	Lloyd Center for Environmental Studies
B.I.	Belle Isle, E. Boston	MARC	Massachusetts Avian Records Committee
B.R.	Bass Rocks, Gloucester	MAS	Massachusetts Audubon Society
Buzz.	Buzzards Bay	MBO	Manomet Bird Observatory
Cambr.	Cambridge	MBWMA	Martin Burns Wildlife Management Area, Rowley
C.B.	Crane Beach, Ipswich	MDFW	MA Division of Fisheries and Wildlife
Corp. B.	Corporation Beach, Dennis	MNWS	Marblehead Neck Wildlife Sanctuary
C.P.	Crooked Pond, Boxford	MSSF	Myles Standish State Forest
Cumb. Farms	Cumberland Farms, Middleboro-Halifax	NBC	Needham Bird Club
E.P.	Eastern Point, Gloucester	NEHW	New England Hawk Watch
F.E.	First Encounter Beach, Eastham	ONWR	Oxbow National Wildlife Refuge
F.H.	Fort Hill, Eastham	SRV	Sudbury River Valley
F.M.	Fowl Meadow	SSBC	South Shore Bird Club
F.P.	Fresh Pond, Cambridge	TASL	Take A Second Look Harbor Census
F.Pk	Franklin Park, Boston	USFWS	US Fish and Wildlife Service
G40	Gate 40, Quabbin	WBWS	Wellfleet Bay Wildlife Sanctuary
G45	Gate 45, Quabbin	WMWS	Wachusett Meadow Wildlife Sanctuary



## CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT, 12/18/93-1/2/94

Compiled by Marjorie W. Rines and Robert H. Stymeist

The Ninety-fourth annual Christmas Bird Count (CBC), sponsored by the National Audubon Society, was held from December 18, 1993, to January 2, 1994. Eastern Massachusetts and a portion of Rhode Island contain twenty-four count areas (see map). Results from all but one count area, Tuckernuck, for which the count was not held due to weather, are summarized in the following pages. A total of 186 species plus three subspecies, "Ipswich" Sparrow, "Oregon" Junco, and "Bullock's" Oriole, was recorded. The two Whooper Swans that were present for some time in Essex County were found on the Cape Ann count but were not included. Five additional species were found during the CBC period but not recorded on any count day—a Turkey Vulture on Martha's Vineyard, a Laughing Gull on Nantucket, Tree Swallows on both the Vineyard and Nantucket, a Bohemian Waxwing on Nantucket, and an Ovenbird from Newburyport. The Newport, RI-Westport, MA count led the area counts with 124 species, followed by Greater Boston with 122 species.

An array of rarities was found: Arctic/Pacific Loon, Tundra Swan. Golden Eagle, Townsend's Solitaire, White-eyed Vireo, Townsend's Warbler, Painted Bunting, and Hoary Redpoll. A Broad-winged Hawk was reported on the Marshfield count. This species is one of just seventeen species that require clear and precise documentation for any location in North America.

The big news this year was the return of the winter finches on the counts. Common Redpolls, for example, were seen on all but two counts, and their numbers were impressive. A total of 3,623 individuals were tallied, 942 from Quabbin. Red-breasted Nuthatches also staged an invasion. They were recorded on every count and totaled 4,042 individuals, with Quabbin again leading the pack with 1,886.

In the following table, birds identified only by species type, such as "scaup species," are not shown. One exception is for the Quincy count, where no murre could be positively identified.

We wish to thank all of the compilers who contributed their time to prepare the results for this summary. They are as follows: Gene Ballard, Andover; Dave Small, Athol; Richard Harlow, Buzzards Bay; John Nove, Cape Ann; Blair Nikula, Cape Cod; Richard Walton, Concord; Robert Stymeist, Greater Boston; Warren Harrington, Marshfield; Robert Culbert, Martha's Vineyard; Peter Trimble, Mid-Cape Cod; Elissa Landre, Millis; Edith Andrews, Nantucket; Ken Machado, New Bedford; Jim Berry, Newburyport; Trevor Lloyd-Evans, Plymouth; Scott Surner, Quabbin; Bob Abrams, Quincy; Simon Perkins, Stellwagen; Steve Arena, Taunton-Middleboro; Richard Hildreth, Uxbridge, MA/RI; John Williams, Westminster; Fran McMenemy, Worcester; Dave Emerson, Newport County, RI/Westport, MA.

**Map on facing page:** Each Christmas Count Circle was located by the latitude and longitude (in degrees and minutes) of its center. Athol (1), Buzzards Bay (2), Cape Ann (3), Cape Cod (4), Central Berkshire (5), Concord (6), Greater Boston (7), Greenfield (8), Marshfield (9), Martha's Vineyard (10), Mid Cape Cod (11), Millis (12), Nantucket (13), New Bedford (14), Newburyport (15), Northampton (16), Northern Berkshire (17), Plymouth (18), Quincy (19), Springfield (20), Taunton-Middleboro (21), Tuckernuck Island (22), Uxbridge, MA/RI (23), Westminster (24), Worcester (25), Newport County, RI/Westport, MA (26), Stellwagen Bank (27), Quabbin (28), and Andover (29).

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species	And.	Athol	B. B. C.	Ann	C. Cod	Conc.	Gr. Bos.	Marsh.	M. V.	Mid-C.	Millis
Red-throated Loon	0	0	4	6	16	0	6	7	250	4	0
Arctic/Pacific Loon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Common Loon	1	0	38	83	63	0	7	14	380	37	0
Pied-billed Grebe	0	0	11	0	19	1	5	0	3	24	0
Horned Grebe	0	0	145	27	51	0	56	1	102	38	0
Red-necked Grebe	0	0	5	17	3	0	17	2	93	5	0
Northern Gannet	0	0	0	9	313	0	0	5	1	0	0
Great Cormorant	7	0	39	75	59	0	29	10	180	19	0
Double-cr. Cormorant	5	0	13	4	3	0	22	2	1	3	0
American Bittern	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
Great Blue Heron	4	0	57	6	84	11	24	13	60	59	5
Black-cr. Night-Heron	0	0	2	1	1	0	4	0	4	0	0
Tundra Swan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mute Swan	0	0	4	16	11	1	7	10	37	68	0
Snow Goose	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
Brant	0	0	38	1	1472	0	1642	57	8	163	0
Canada Goose	825	172	753	2406	847	1854	1912	374	1000	787	2379
Wood Duck	0	0	0	2	0	1	9	2	0	2	4
Green-winged Teal	0	0	0	1	1	12	8	0	4	24	16
American Black Duck	19	32	1291	509	2812	293	1757	1594	1420	1884	110
Mallard	579	19	541	525	202	1294	2783	403	550	987	769
Northern Pintail	0	0	2	0	1	2	1	1	8	10	0
Blue-winged Teal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Shoveler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0
Gadwall	0	0	0	48	0	0	16	0	24	99	0
Eurasian Wigeon	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
American Wigeon	0	0	0	4	51	0	71	0	7	63	2
Canvasback	0	0	71	0	27	0	81	0	1	244	0
Redhead	0	0	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ring-necked Duck	0	0	2	0	19	2	60	2	1	32	44
Greater Scaup	0	0	69	6	25	0	143	0	450	3	0
Lesser Scaup	0	0	213	0	10	0	9	0	8	3	1
Common Eider	0	0	1291	227	1818	0	3632	3303	1900	2985	0
Harlequin Duck	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	54	1	0
Oldsquaw	0	0	541	46	107	0	0	18	2700	53	0
Black Scoter	0	0	2	22	58	0	0	0	161	319	0
Surf Scoter	0	0	102	13	46	0	1	0	212	144	0
White-winged Scoter	0	0	1356	254	480	0	83	83	900	1268	0
Common Goldeneye	26	0	630	185	421	14	928	119	1470	791	5
Barrow's Goldeneye	0	0	1	4	1	0	2	1	3	1	0
Bufflehead	0	2	1804	410	1518	0	636	255	1140	1568	12
Hooded Merganser	0	6	237	5	28	23	195	0	44	141	34
Common Merganser	25	16	47	3	401	14	89	0	13	394	1
Red-br. Merganser	0	0	1557	344	982	2	555	148	1070	764	0
Ruddy Duck	0	0	0	0	4	2	39	0	14	0	3
Bald Eagle	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Northern Harrier	0	0	5	0	11	1	1	11	13	12	1
Sharp-shinned Hawk	3	2	4	1	4	8	6	7	7	8	2
Cooper's Hawk	2	2	2	0	5	3	1	3	1	3	1
Northern Goshawk	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Red-shouldered Hawk	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0

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species	Nant.	N.B.	Nbpt.	Ply.	Quab.	Quin.	Stell.	Tau/Mb.	Uxbr.	Wstm.	Worc.	Nwp.RI*
RTLO	122	1	3	2	0	11	2	0	0	0	0	31 / 4
APLO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 1
COLO	261	19	32	33	5	15	22	2	0	0	5	72 / 15
PBGR	2	1	0	11	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	0 / 0
HOGR	90	100	27	35	2	58	1	1	0	0	4	140 / 13
RNGR	15	0	3	7	0	20	15	0	0	0	0	16 / 0
NOGA	27	0	29	0	0	0	278	0	0	0	0	3 / 0
GRCO	27	88	13	109	0	85	1	2	0	0	0	580 / 49
DCCO	7	2	2	5	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	5 / 5
AMBI	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
GBHE	34	11	3	3	0	36	2	6	2	0	5	15 / 20
BCNH	8	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
TUSW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14 / 0
MUSW	33	95	8	101	0	30	0	15	0	0	3	324 / 65
SNGO	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1 / 0
BRAN	102	99	0	110	0	431	1	0	0	0	0	70 / 30
CAGO	1123	1194	2325	630	64	1897	45	1487	196	54	1041	3496 / 612
WODU	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0 / 0
GWTE	15	0	5	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	30 / 0
ABDU	742	831	2031	888	349	952	103	167	187	51	370	1183 / 426
MALL	1016	291	881	509	504	771	0	578	148	213	1256	759 / 39
NOPI	6	0	13	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	12 / 0
BWTE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1 / 0
NOSH	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15 / 0
GADW	1	0	17	69	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	38 / 0
EUWI	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
AMWI	8	2	0	119	0	1	0	15	0	0	4	14 / 16
CANV	4	0	0	0	0	11	0	56	0	0	0	80 / 59
REDH	2	0	1	3	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
RNDU	10	0	0	87	0	44	0	5	0	0	0	4 / 0
GRSC	614	1200	0	700	3	463	3	0	0	0	0	1816 / 0
LESC	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	33 / 14
COEI	3888	52	89	8371	0	3170	453	0	0	0	0	1452 / 406
HADU	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85 / 2
OLDS	16112	53	38	245	0	102	40	0	0	0	0	1 / 0
BLSC	355	121	30	325	0	9	1	0	0	0	0	263 / 6
SUSC	133	72	3	849	0	213	8	0	0	0	0	58 / 19
WWSC	887	187	379	3223	0	593	3	0	0	0	0	55 / 52
COGO	3814	513	235	237	19	688	4	60	0	0	66	713 / 114
BAGO	9	4	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2 / 0
BUFF	1095	586	235	112	3	746	27	60	0	0	0	374 / 177
HOME	39	0	1	12	16	28	1	17	4	0	46	75 / 4
COME	9	0	101	25	228	17	7	34	83	1	60	119 / 2
RBME	1101	716	189	256	0	779	226	2	0	0	0	797 / 503
RUDU	0	0	3	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	5	293 / 0
BAEA	0	0	2	0	22	0	0	1	0	0	0	0 / 0
NOHA	36	3	9	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4 / 1
SSHA	15	2	4	2	12	9	2	3	8	5	5	8 / 0
COHA	3	0	2	2	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	0 / 0
NOGO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
RSHA	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0 / 0

\* Figures shown in Newport County, RI/Westport, MA CBC column are broken down by state: RI / MA.

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species	And.	Athol	B. B.	C. Ann	C. Cod	Conc.	Gr. Bos.	Marsh.	M. V.	Mid-C.	Millis
Broad-winged Hawk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Red-tailed Hawk	36	9	7	10	11	114	40	29	30	14	8
Rough-legged Hawk	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0
Golden Eagle	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
American Kestrel	0	0	2	2	2	2	4	0	2	0	2
Merlin	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	1	0
Peregrine Falcon	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Ring-necked Pheasant	0	1	1	2	0	24	21	0	10	0	8
Ruffed Grouse	1	5	0	1	0	9	0	2	0	0	23
Wild Turkey	1	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Northern Bobwhite	0	0	41	0	18	0	0	0	28	14	0
Virginia Rail	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	4	7	0
Sora	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
American Coot	0	0	2	0	2	23	83	0	1	8	31
Black-bellied Plover	0	0	2	0	13	0	1	0	20	4	0
Semipalmated Plover	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Killdeer	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	1	3	0	0
Greater Yellowlegs	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	4	0
Ruddy Turnstone	0	0	40	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Red Knot	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sanderling	0	0	10	1	145	0	352	5	500	288	0
Purple Sandpiper	0	0	0	20	0	0	32	0	0	0	0
Dunlin	0	0	0	0	288	0	210	239	50	342	0
Common Snipe	0	0	5	0	5	0	2	2	2	5	0
American Woodcock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Red Phalarope	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Little Gull	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Common Bla.-hea. Gull	0	0	1	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
Bonaparte's Gull	0	0	88	64	43	0	413	539	72	102	0
Ring-billed Gull	529	1	327	90	417	89	2961	895	100	507	511
Herring Gull	612	130	2097	3212	2375	1045	6093	3034	2600	2021	1187
Iceland Gull	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
Lesser Bla.-bac. Gull	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Glaucous Gull	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Great Bla.-bac. Gull	29	31	427	1068	665	152	886	641	440	426	54
Black-legged Kittiwake	0	0	4	4	5	0	0	10	0	0	0
Thick-billed Murre	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
murre species	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Razorbill	0	0	1	3	5	0	0	1	14	0	0
Black Guillemot	0	0	0	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rock Dove	2150	751	181	739	23	793	3673	267	146	276	243
Mourning Dove	234	573	351	247	438	1589	307	211	440	167	499
Barn Owl	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0
Eastern Screech-Owl	0	1	2	8	0	24	25	20	8	26	5
Great Horned Owl	4	3	5	8	8	15	3	5	0	9	7
Snowy Owl	0	0	0	1	0	0	6	1	1	0	0
Barred Owl	0	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2
Long-eared Owl	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Short-eared Owl	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Northern Saw-whet Owl	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Belted Kingfisher	2	1	25	8	18	5	9	7	26	32	7

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BWHA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
RTHA	42	3	42	7	23	23	2	21	17	11	31	13 / 5
RLHA	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
GOEA	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
AMKE	3	2	5	2	0	3	0	2	2	0	1	10 / 1
MERL	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0 / 0
PEFA	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 / 0
RNPH	51	0	9	0	0	4	0	0	4	3	0	0 / 0
RUGR	0	0	3	2	17	5	0	4	17	3	8	1 / 1
WITU	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	4	23	0 / 0
NOBO	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0 / 0
VIRA	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 / 0
SORA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
AMCO	4	0	12	155	0	42	0	5	0	0	0	150 / 15
BBPL	13	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
SEPL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
KILL	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0 / 0
GRYE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2 / 0
RUTU	54	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9 / 0
REKN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
SAND	431	0	61	38	0	21	61	0	0	0	0	256 / 20
PUSA	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	133 / 33
DUNL	0	161	0	126	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	444 / 11
COSN	9	0	6	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	7 / 0
AMWO	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
REPH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIGU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CBHG	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1 / 0
BOGU	627	157	108	9	0	4648	10	0	0	0	0	85 / 123
RBGU	44	1024	376	659	45	2054	14	188	93	4	976	568 / 634
HEGU	7806	1317	3377	2727	173	7745	475	752	379	231	867	1699 / 394
ICGU	50	0	10	0	0	2	14	0	0	0	0	1 / 0
LBBG	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
GLGU	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0 / 0
GBBG	2181	801	374	509	23	874	242	515	62	305	223	213 / 30
BLKI	22	0	8	1	0	1	62	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
TBMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
mu.sp.	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
RAZO	17	0	1	0	0	0	235	0	0	0	0	11 / 0
BLGU	0	0	1	1	0	1	10	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
RODO	239	758	398	181	136	863	100	169	983	327	475	478 / 41
MODO	659	243	381	189	428	72	2	115	541	166	373	347 / 132
BROW	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
EASO	0	0	11	2	1	11	0	0	22	0	5	9 / 0
GHOW	0	3	14	2	17	5	1	0	16	0	1	4 / 0
SNOW	2	1	2	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
BAOW	0	1	0	0	21	1	0	0	1	0	2	0 / 0
LEOW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 / 0
SEOW	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
NSWO	12	0	0	1	38	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 / 0
BEKI	4	4	5	7	2	5	1	2	6	1	5	9 / 4

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Red-hea. Woodpecker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Red-bel. Woodpecker	1	0	3	1	1	4	3	0	22	0	0
Yellow-bel. Sapsucker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Downy Woodpecker	66	108	93	60	59	377	138	51	46	79	135
Hairy Woodpecker	18	45	13	10	12	111	10	7	11	13	21
Northern Flicker	7	3	53	22	80	20	66	16	120	48	23
Pileated Woodpecker	0	7	0	2	0	11	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Phoebe	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Western Kingbird	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Horned Lark	16	0	61	59	47	72	29	15	2	20	0
Blue Jay	245	1828	600	371	284	1800	614	282	414	254	918
American Crow	3220	478	779	663	316	1778	1857	641	780	414	859
Fish Crow	1	0	2	1	0	8	8	0	0	0	2
Common Raven	0	13	0	0	0	00	0	0	0	0	0
Black-cap. Chickadee	483	2028	1467	940	1165	3011	1039	642	630	876	1521
Boreal Chickadee	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tufted Titmouse	120	187	234	203	75	1095	243	171	1	110	494
Red-br. Nuthatch	46	743	33	47	10	195	40	7	22	18	182
White-br. Nuthatch	80	149	97	91	38	510	124	45	60	50	250
Brown Creeper	14	37	8	7	1	47	12	5	9	2	35
Carolina Wren	2	0	298	9	136	56	30	16	136	105	43
House Wren	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winter Wren	0	0	13	0	5	4	3	1	5	7	2
Marsh Wren	0	0	0	0	6	0	4	0	0	5	0
Golden-cr. Kinglet	9	9	159	23	68	44	15	22	36	52	33
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	0	1	31	0	13	0	1	0	6	6	1
Eastern Bluebird	0	0	6	0	0	44	0	0	22	3	25
Townsend's Solitaire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hermit Thrush	0	0	18	1	13	2	1	1	13	17	0
American Robin	12	3	299	470	91	293	1750	188	440	364	133
Gray Catbird	0	0	15	0	9	4	5	0	43	13	0
Northern Mockingbird	46	13	168	68	80	273	203	34	73	87	90
Brown Thrasher	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
American Pipit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cedar Waxwing	3	863	175	46	19	186	157	194	21	44	45
Northern Shrike	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
European Starling	1821	1734	1513	3900	576	2334	152149	1826	1140	882	2710
White-eyed Vireo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Orange-cro. Warbler	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nashville Warbler	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Yellow-rumped Warbler	0	0	122	16	366	1	25	46	460	124	0
Townsend's Warbler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Pine Warbler	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Palm Warbler	0	0	14	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0
Common Yellowthroat	0	0	2	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0
Wilson's Warbler	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yellow-breasted Chat	0	0	2	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0
Western Tanager	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern Cardinal	59	74	438	172	270	528	251	117	108	261	167
Painted Bunting	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Rufous-sided Towhee	0	0	14	0	4	1	0	3	6	3	0

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RHWO	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0/0
RBWO	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	1	3/1
YBSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0/0
DOWO	15	32	121	28	125	61	3	25	165	59	118	32/9
HAWO	0	2	9	9	43	4	0	3	27	9	19	1/1
NOFL	161	28	17	39	4	33	10	26	55	0	5	96/9
PIWO	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	1	0	0	0/0
EAPH	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
WEKI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
HOLA	19	0	594	21	0	0	20	150	30	0	1	68/23
BLJA	263	160	561	319	1140	334	10	243	1433	345	737	198/90
AMCR	729	509	1191	191	246	815	23	456	697	218	666	406/47
FICR	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
CORA	0	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	0	2	1	0/0
BCCH	316	116	1725	551	2516	479	48	373	1769	899	1239	271/129
BOCH	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	0/0
TUTI	0	80	337	75	233	108	3	159	668	79	278	55/18
RBNU	49	2	54	42	1886	55	1	24	355	60	165	2/4
WBNU	7	24	145	23	234	45	1	23	306	63	222	22/9
BRCR	1	0	16	1	78	2	0	3	29	8	31	2/1
CAWR	27	40	4	66	2	21	0	21	66	0	11	124/46
HOWR	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3/0
WIWR	4	2	0	5	1	2	0	0	2	0	2	4/1
MAWR	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3/1
GCKI	24	6	40	40	178	6	2	11	50	1	17	39/7
RCKI	1	1	2	0	1	2	0	2	0	0	2	6/1
EABL	0	0	7	0	7	0	0	8	17	1	9	5/2
TOSO	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
HETH	1	0	1	6	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	3/3
AMRO	425	117	90	172	0	1189	56	14	11	2	11	246/33
GRCA	19	2	0	7	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	37/4
NOMO	92	55	84	76	0	122	2	72	86	8	56	171/27
BRTH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2/0
AMPI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/12
CEWA	34	257	78	331	140	324	6	53	46	10	145	180/21
NOSH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0/0
STAR	2194	1183	6940	1381	783	60000	47	2511	2875	613	2167	18978/294
WEVI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1/0
OCWA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
NAWA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
YRWA	1700	25	6	687	0	54	62	23	4	0	0	114/26
TOWA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
PIWA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0/1
PAWA	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3/0
COYE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4/2
WIWA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
YBCH	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1/0
WETA	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
NOCA	142	99	148	159	75	62	5	92	218	37	98	219/37
PABU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0/0
RSTO	10	4	2	1	2	1	0	2	20	0	0	16/2

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Amer. Tree Sparrow	112	144	99	138	21	581	324	59	17	73	293
Chipping Sparrow	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	1
Clay-colored Sparrow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Field Sparrow	0	0	49	0	9	19	6	11	15	8	7
Vesper Sparrow	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Savannah Sparrow	0	0	49	1	30	2	7	4	63	41	3
"Ipswich" Sparrow	0	0	0	4	3	0	2	2	1	1	0
Grasshopper Sparrow	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sharp-tailed Sparrow	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	2	0
Seaside Sparrow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fox Sparrow	1	0	3	0	0	7	2	1	1	0	0
Song Sparrow	16	9	476	80	367	193	318	80	220	320	60
Swamp Sparrow	0	0	26	2	33	11	18	7	50	32	6
White-thr. Sparrow	8	22	314	65	127	209	258	78	97	104	66
White-cr. Sparrow	0	0	5	1	0	1	5	0	0	0	0
Dark-eyed Junco	134	653	314	123	6	890	697	128	73	74	720
"Oregon" Junco	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lapland Longspur	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Snow Bunting	0	0	96	15	211	0	361	95	0	97	0
Red-winged Blackbird	0	1	0	0	3	97	47	51	2	17	229
Eastern Meadowlark	0	0	2	0	8	0	1	32	37	3	0
Rusty Blackbird	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	2	1
Common Grackle	0	0	2	0	2	66	11	1	1	10	1
Brown-headed Cowbird	0	1	0	0	0	17	0	0	0	1	0
Northern Oriole	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
"Bullock's Oriole"	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Grosbeak	0	144	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Purple Finch	12	6	0	1	0	32	6	9	2	0	17
House Finch	194	792	946	235	916	1390	592	284	210	814	396
Red Crossbill	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
White-winged Crossbill	0	0	0	0	0	22	20	0	0	0	0
Common Redpoll	38	159	47	200	260	144	350	3	4	47	25
Hoary Redpoll	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pine Siskin	13	351	1	0	2	33	4	0	0	2	69
American Goldfinch	163	462	546	247	535	1053	493	125	106	452	436
Evening Grosbeak	0	462	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
House Sparrow	952	773	745	938	782	1660	1443	346	190	851	636
number of species	55	59	114	92	115	84	122	88	117	117	77
total birds	13009	14246	25819	20022	23560	26711	193744	17978	24534	24167	16656

And. = Andover CBC	December 18, 1993
Athol = Athol CBC	December 18, 1993
B. B. = Buzzards Bay CBC	December 18, 1993
C. Ann = Cape Ann CBC	December 19, 1993
C. Cod = Cape Cod CBC	December 19, 1993
Conc. = Concord CBC	January 2, 1994
Gr. Bos. = Greater Boston CBC	December 19, 1993
Marsh. = Marshfield CBC	December 26, 1993
M. V. = Martha's Vineyard CBC	January 2, 1994
Mid-C. = Mid-Cape Cod CBC	December 28, 1993
Millis = Millis CBC	December 19, 1993

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ATSP	19	66	377	108	315	163	5	52	382	75	164	107 / 13
CHSP	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	3 / 0
CCSP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
FISP	1	6	1	14	1	9	0	33	32	0	8	23 / 10
VESP	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
SASP	23	8	1	4	0	4	2	0	3	0	0	19 / 7
"IPS"SP	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 / 2
GRSP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
STSP	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 2
SESP	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
FOSP	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0 / 0
SOSP	685	59	54	181	39	78	1	38	161	1	39	326 / 50
SWSP	23	3	2	32	1	9	0	1	7	0	4	65 / 1
WTSP	42	68	60	131	51	81	2	50	158	10	65	299 / 43
WCSP	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	20 / 0
DEJU	4	90	308	144	885	207	0	360	1072	319	526	188 / 16
"ORE" JU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
LALO	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2 / 0
SNBU	71	17	2	7	0	57	150	41	2	0	0	6 / 58
RWBL	202	0	14	12	2	12	0	21	8	0	0	20 / 0
EAME	46	0	2	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	21 / 1
RUBL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0 / 0
COGR	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0 / 0
BHCO	0	58	0	1	63	0	0	17	7	2	21	0 / 25
NOOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4 / 0
"BU" OR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1 / 0
PIGR	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	88	0	0 / 0
PUFI	2	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	5	7	1	5 / 0
HOFI	290	159	410	197	230	477	2	212	627	321	672	693 / 211
RECR	0	0	0	0	240	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0
WWCR	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	9	12	0 / 0
CORE	129	0	46	1	942	197	9	0	489	28	388	17 / 100
HORE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 1
PISI	0	0	0	0	56	1	0	0	55	43	22	1 / 0
AMGO	124	62	396	90	167	143	4	80	345	52	253	98 / 16
EVGR	2	0	0	1	145	0	0	9	28	172	28	0 / 0
HOSP	390	431	1042	493	593	711	30	210	1471	297	773	415 / 119
# of species	117	78	104	101	71	101	65	79	73	48	74	124
total birds	52401	14757	26848	27372	13723	93477	3023	9753	16653	5224	14852	46786

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- Nant. = Nantucket CBC January 1, 1994
- N. B. = New Bedford CBC December 18, 1993
- Nbpt. = Newburyport CBC December 26, 1993
- Ply. = Plymouth CBC December 29, 1993
- Quab. = Quabbin CBC January 1, 1994
- Quin. = Quincy CBC December 18, 1993
- Stell. = Stellwagen CBC December 18, 1993
- Tau-Mb. = Taunton-Middleboro CBC December 26, 1993
- Uxbr. = Uxbridge, MA/RI CBC January 2, 1994
- Wstm. = Westminster CBC December 26, 1993
- Worc. = Worcester CBC December 18, 1993
- Nwp. RI = Newport County, RI/Westport, MA CBC December 18, 1993