Form for Reporting
Iowa Christmas Bird Counts to Iowa Bird Life

TRISTATE _____ Count Name

20, DEC, 87 _____ Day/Month/Year of Count

Compiler:

ROSS SILCOCK

50 _____ Number of Species

Address:

10,140 _____ Total Number of Birds

BOX 300

TABOR, IA 51653

Data for Field Parties (do not include feeder watching or owling here)

5 _____ Number of Field Observers

2 _____ Number of Field Parties

17 _____ Total Field-Party Hours
(sum of hrs for all parties)

203 _____ Party-Miles by Car (sum for all parties)

3 _____ Party-Miles by Foot   Other miles, mode

Owling (predawn, post-sunset only)

3/4 _____ Total Party-Hours Owling

1 _____ Total Party-miles Owling

Feeder Birding

0 _____ Number of Feeder Parties (feeder locations)

0 _____ Number of Feeder Observers

0 _____ Total Feeder-Party Hours

Weather (data from newspaper if available)

25, 37 _____ Temperature, low/high

0 _____ Snow Cover, Average Inches

0 to 10 _____ Wind, Velocity Range, mph

NW _____ Wind, Predominant Direction

Sky conditions
(circle best descriptor for a.m. and p.m.)

a.m.: (clear), partly cloudy, cloudy, rain, sleet, snow

p.m.: (clear), partly cloudy, cloudy, rain, sleet, snow

Observers: A sheet is attached listing last year's observers for your count. Check those that participated this year (cross out those that did not), correct misspelled names, mark with an "f" those that only participated as feeder watchers, and add additional participants to the list.

Regular Species						Uncommon Species
1	Great Blue Heron	1	Horned Lark			Pied-billed Grebe
40	Canada Goose	43	Blue Jay			*Tundra Swan
	Wood Duck	75	American Crow			*Mute Swan
	Am. Black Duck	53	Black-capped Chickadee			White-fronted Goose
5685	Mallard	24	Tufted Titmouse	2228		Snow Goose
	Canvasback	1	Red-breasted Nuthatch			Green-winged Teal
2	Lesser Scaup	22	White-breasted Nuthatch	3		Northern Pintail
	Common Goldeneye		Brown Creeper	1		Northern Shoveler
	Common Merganser		Winter Wren			Gadwall
621	Bald Eagle	3	Golden-crowned Kinglet	2		American Wigeon
	Northern Harrier	6	Eastern Bluebird			Redhead
2	+Sharp-shinned Hawk		American Robin			Ring-necked Duck
	+Cooper's Hawk		Cedar Waxwing			Bufflehead
	Accipiter sp.		+Northern Shrike			Hooded Merganser
	*Northern Goshawk		+Loggerhead Shrike			Red-breasted Merganser
	Red-shouldered Hawk		Shrike sp.			Ruddy Duck
16	Red-tailed Hawk	467	European Starling			*Osprey
	Rough-legged Hawk	40	Northern Cardinal			*Merlin
13039	American Kestrel	96	American Tree Sparrow			*Prairie Falcon
	Gray Partridge		+Field Sparrow			Ruffed Grouse
4	Ring-necked Pheasant		Fox Sparrow			American Coot
53	Wild Turkey	2	Song Sparrow			Killdeer
	Northern Bobwhite	2	Swamp Sparrow			Ring-billed Gull
	Common Snipe		White-throated Sparrow			Glaucous Gull
	Herring Gull		White-crowned Sparrow			Snowy Owl
64	Rock Dove	7	Harris' Sparrow			N. Saw-whet Owl
4	Mourning Dove	159	Dark-eyed Junco	1		Carolina Wren
6	Eastern Screech-Owl		Lapland Longspur			+Ruby-crowned Kinglet
8	Great Horned Owl		Snow Bunting			*Townsend's Solitaire
2	Barred Owl	1	Red-winged Blackbird			Hermit Thrush
	Long-eared Owl	52	Meadowlark sp.			Northern Mockingbird
	Short-eared Owl		Rusty Blackbird			Brown Thrasher
1	Belted Kingfisher		+Brewer's Blackbird			+Bohemian Waxwing
3	Red-headed Woodpecker	4	Common Grackle	9		*Yellow-rumped Warbler
14	Red-bellied Woodpecker		Brown-headed Cowbird			Rufous-sided Towhee
2	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker		Purple Finch			*Lincoln's Sparrow
16	Downy Woodpecker		Common Redpoll	2634		+Western Meadowlark
6	Hairy Woodpecker	34	Pine Siskin			Yellow-headed Blackbird
8	Northern Flicker (Yellow-orange)	26	American Goldfinch			Pine Grosbeak
	Pileated Woodpecker		Even Grosbeak			*House Finch
		791	House Sparrow			Red Crossbill
						White-winged Crossbill

Additional Species--must be documented by observer(s):

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+ = details from observer required; accipiters and shrikes will be counted as sp. unless
    convincing details given.

* = documentation by observer(s) required; use official IOU form enclosed (make copies as
    needed).

All details and documentations should be printed in black pen or typed.

Send completed form to W. Ross Silcock, Box 300, Tabor, IA 51653
as soon after the count as possible.
Reports *received* after 15 January 1987 cannot be include in the report.

Total Species: 78 Total Birds: 35671

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14. Tristate
gbhe: 1
sngo: 2228
cago: 40
mall: 5685
nopi: 3
shov: 1
amwi: 2
lesc: 2
baea: 8
ssha: 2
rtha: 16
amke: 16
rnph: 4
witu: 53
rodo: 64
modo: 4
esow: 6
ghow: 8
baow: 2
beki: 1
rhwo: 3
rbwo: 14
ybsa: 2
dowo: 16
hawo: 6
nofl: 8
hola: 1
blja: 43
amcr: 75
bcch: 53
tuti: 24
rbnu: 1
wbnu: 22
cawr: 1
gcki: 3
eabl: 6
eust: 467
yrwa: 9
noca: 40
arsp: 96
sosp: 2
swsp: 2
hasp: 7
deju: 159
rwbl: 1
weme: 26
mesp: 52
cogr: 4
pisi: 34
amgo: 22
hosp: 791

Total Species: 51 Total Birds: 10136

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