

# Form for Reporting Iowa Christmas Bird Counts to Iowa Bird Life

Dubuque, IA Count Name  
2 / Jan / 88 Day/Month/Year of Count  
44 Number of Species  
4229 Total Number of Birds

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

13 Number of Field Observers  
8 Number of Field Parties  
47 Total Field-Party Hours  
(sum of hrs for all parties)  
206 Party-Miles by Car (sum for all parties)  
24.5 Party-Miles by Foot  
Other miles, mode  
12 on X-C skis

*Owling (predawn, post-sunset only)*

0.5 Total Party-Hours Owling  
0.0 Total Party-miles Owling

*Feeder Birding*

6 Number of Feeder Parties (feeder locations)  
6 Number of Feeder Observers  
19 Total Feeder-Party Hours

*Weather (data from newspaper if available)*

-10 / +19 Temperature, low/high  
12 Snow Cover, Average Inches  
5 to 15 Wind, Velocity Range, mph  
SW 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

_____	Great Blue Heron	88
_____	Canada Goose	192
_____	Wood Duck	194
_____	Am. Black Duck	23
251	Mallard	_____
_____	Canvasback	55
_____	Lesser Scaup	2
6	Common Goldeneye	_____
_____	Common Merganser	3
28	Bald Eagle	_____
2	Northern Harrier	41
_____	+Sharp-shinned Hawk	50
2	+Cooper's Hawk	_____
2	Accipiter sp.	_____
_____	*Northern Goshawk	_____
_____	Red-shouldered Hawk	511
21	Red-tailed Hawk	244
3	Rough-legged Hawk	223
3	American Kestrel	_____
_____	Gray Partridge	_____
1	Ring-necked Pheasant	3
41	Wild Turkey	_____
_____	Northern Bobwhite	_____
_____	Common Snipe	_____
_____	Herring Gull	_____
132	Rock Dove	480
73	Mourning Dove	_____
_____	Eastern Screech-Owl	_____
3	Great Horned Owl	_____
_____	Barred Owl	_____
_____	Long-eared Owl	_____
_____	Short-eared Owl	_____
4	Belted Kingfisher	_____
3	Red-headed Woodpecker	_____
32	Red-bellied Woodpecker	23
1	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker	1
36	Downy Woodpecker	63
11	Hairy Woodpecker	199
7	Northern Flicker	_____
5	Pileated Woodpecker	1161
_____	Horned Lark	_____
_____	Blue Jay	_____
_____	American Crow	_____
_____	Black-capped Chickadee	_____
_____	Tufted Titmouse	_____
_____	Red-breasted Nuthatch	_____
_____	White-breasted Nuthatch	_____
_____	Brown Creeper	_____
_____	Winter Wren	_____
_____	Golden-crowned Kinglet	_____
_____	Eastern Bluebird	_____
_____	American Robin	_____
_____	Cedar Waxwing	_____
_____	+Northern Shrike	_____
_____	+Loggerhead Shrike	_____
_____	Shrike sp.	_____
_____	European Starling	_____
_____	Northern Cardinal	_____
_____	American Tree Sparrow	_____
_____	+Field Sparrow	_____
_____	Fox Sparrow	_____
_____	Song Sparrow	3
_____	Swamp Sparrow	_____
_____	White-throated Sparrow	_____
_____	White-crowned Sparrow	_____
_____	Harris' Sparrow	_____
_____	Dark-eyed Junco	_____
_____	Lapland Longspur	_____
_____	Snow Bunting	_____
_____	Red-winged Blackbird	_____
_____	Meadowlark sp.	_____
_____	Rusty Blackbird	_____
_____	+Brewer's Blackbird	_____
_____	Common Grackle	_____
_____	Brown-headed Cowbird	_____
_____	Purple Finch	_____
_____	Common Redpoll	_____
_____	Pine Siskin	_____
_____	American Goldfinch	_____
_____	Even Grosbeak	_____
_____	House Sparrow	_____

## Uncommon Species

_____	Pied-billed Grebe
_____	*Tundra Swan
_____	*Mute Swan
_____	White-fronted Goose
_____	Snow Goose
_____	Green-winged Teal
_____	Northern Pintail
_____	Northern Shoveler
_____	Gadwall
_____	American Wigeon
_____	Redhead
_____	Ring-necked Duck
_____	Bufflehead
_____	Hooded Merganser
_____	Red-breasted Merganser
_____	Ruddy Duck
_____	*Osprey
_____	*Merlin
_____	*Prairie Falcon
_____	Ruffed Grouse
1	American Coot
_____	Killdeer
_____	Ring-billed Gull
_____	Glaucous Gull
_____	Snowy Owl
_____	N. Saw-whet Owl
_____	Carolina Wren
_____	+Ruby-crowned Kinglet
_____	*Townsend's Solitaire
_____	Hermit Thrush
_____	Northern Mockingbird
_____	Brown Thrasher
_____	+Bohemian Waxwing
_____	*Yellow-rumped Warbler
1	Rufous-sided Towhee
_____	*Lincoln's Sparrow
_____	+Western Meadowlark
_____	Yellow-headed Blackbird
_____	Pine Grosbeak
1	*House Finch
_____	Red Crossbill
_____	White-winged Crossbill

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

Broad-winged hawk 1

+ = 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.

2. Dubuque  
 mall: 251  
 cogo: 6  
 baea: 28  
 hoha: 2  
 acsp: 2  
 rtha: 21  
 riha: 3  
 amke: 3  
 rnph: 1  
 witu: 41  
 rdo: 132  
 mado: 73  
 ghow: 3  
 bek1: 4  
 rhwo: 3  
 rbwo: 32  
 ybsa: 1  
 dowa: 36  
 hawa: 11  
 noti: 7  
 piwo: 5  
 bija: 88  
 amcr: 192  
 bcch: 194  
 tuti: 23  
 wbnw: 55  
 brcr: 2  
 gck1: 3  
 amro: 41  
 cewa: 50  
 eust: 511  
 noca: 244  
 rsto: 1  
 arsp: 223  
 sosp: 3  
 deju: 480  
 pufi: 23  
 core: 1  
 pisi: 63  
 amoo: 199  
 hosp: 1161

1 cont

Total Species: 41 Total Birds: 4222

42 MC 4223  
 43 RS = Buha

= 4229 - 1 hoph  
 - 1 cont  
 - 1 buha  
 4226  
 they are off by 3