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Count period Dec 17-Jan 3

Form for Reporting Iowa Christmas Bird Counts to Iowa Bird Life

Fort Dodge Count Name

1, 3, '88 Day/Month/Year of Count

29 Number of Species

2125 Total Number of Birds

Compiler:

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Address:

732-12th Ave. N.
Fort Dodge, Iowa
50501

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

6 Number of Field Observers

5 Number of Field Parties

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

76 Party-Miles by Car (sum for all parties)

8 Party-Miles by Foot Other miles, mode

Owling (predawn, post-sunset only)

1 Total Party-Hours Owling

3 Total Party-miles Owling

Feeder Birding

27 Number of Feeder Parties (feeder locations)

29 Number of Feeder Observers

48 Total Feeder-Party Hours

Weather (data from newspaper if available)

10 | 20 Temperature, low/high

4-6" Snow Cover, Average Inches

5 to 20 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

_____	Great Blue Heron
<u>1</u>	Canada Goose
_____	Wood Duck
_____	Am. Black Duck
_____	Mallard
_____	Canvasback
_____	Lesser Scaup
_____	Common Goldeneye
_____	Common Merganser
_____	Bald Eagle
_____	Northern Harrier
<u>1</u>	+Sharp-shinned Hawk
_____	+Cooper's Hawk
<u>1</u>	Accipiter sp.
_____	*Northern Goshawk
_____	Red-shouldered Hawk
_____	Red-tailed Hawk
_____	Rough-legged Hawk
<u>2</u>	American Kestrel
_____	Gray Partridge
<u>9</u>	Ring-necked Pheasant
_____	Wild Turkey
_____	Northern Bobwhite
_____	Common Snipe
_____	Herring Gull
<u>165</u>	Rock Dove
<u>2</u>	Mourning Dove
_____	Eastern Screech-Owl
<u>3</u>	Great Horned Owl
_____	Barred Owl
_____	Long-eared Owl
_____	Short-eared Owl
_____	Belted Kingfisher
_____	Red-headed Woodpecker
<u>15</u>	Red-bellied Woodpecker
_____	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
<u>50</u>	Downy Woodpecker
<u>14</u>	Hairy Woodpecker
<u>3</u>	Northern Flicker
_____	Pileated Woodpecker

<u>161</u>	Horned Lark
<u>80</u>	Blue Jay
<u>100</u>	American Crow
<u>159</u>	Black-capped Chickadee
_____	Tufted Titmouse
_____	Red-breasted Nuthatch
<u>81</u>	White-breasted Nuthatch
<u>2</u>	Brown Creeper
_____	Winter Wren
_____	Golden-crowned Kinglet
_____	Eastern Bluebird
<u>4</u>	American Robin
<u>6</u>	Cedar Waxwing
_____	+Northern Shrike
_____	+Loggerhead Shrike
_____	Shrike sp.
<u>265</u>	European Starling
<u>85</u>	Northern Cardinal
<u>2</u>	American Tree Sparrow
_____	+Field Sparrow
_____	Fox Sparrow
<u>3</u>	Song Sparrow
_____	Swamp Sparrow
_____	White-throated Sparrow
_____	White-crowned Sparrow
_____	Harris' Sparrow
<u>148</u>	Dark-eyed Junco
_____	Lapland Longspur
<u>1</u>	Snow Bunting
_____	Red-winged Blackbird
_____	Meadowlark sp.
_____	Rusty Blackbird
_____	+Brewer's Blackbird
<u>4</u>	Common Grackle
_____	Brown-headed Cowbird
<u>6</u>	Purple Finch
_____	Common Redpoll
_____	Pine Siskin
<u>118</u>	American Goldfinch
_____	Even Grosbeak
<u>638</u>	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
_____	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
_____	Rufous-sided Towhee
_____	*Lincoln's Sparrow
_____	+Western Meadowlark
_____	Yellow-headed Blackbird
_____	Pine Grosbeak
_____	*House Finch
_____	Red Crossbill
_____	White-winged Crossbill

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

+ = 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 included in the report.

35. Fort Dodge

cago: 1
acsp: 1
amke: 2
rnpd: 9
rodo: 165
mado: 2
qhow: 3
rbwa: 15
dowo: 50
hawa: 14
nofi: 3
holia: 161
blja: 80
amcr: 100
bcch: 159
wbnu: 81
brcr: 2
amro: 4
cewa: 6
eust: 265
noca: 85
arsp: 2
sosp: 3
deju: 148
snbu: 1
cogr: 4
pufi: 6
amgo: 11
hosp: 638

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Total Species: 29 Total Birds: 2021

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