

FORM FOR REPORTING IOWA CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNTS TO IOWA BIRD LIFE

Count Name: Omaha

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Day/Month/Year of Count: 17 / December / 1988

Total Number of Species: 56

Total Number of Birds: 16,524

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

Number of Field Observers: 38

Number of Field Parties: 12

Total Field-Party Hours (sum for all parties): 94½

Party-Miles by Car (sum for all parties): 615½

Miles by Foot: 39½

Miles, Other/Mode: _____

Owling (predawn, post-sunset only)

Total Party-Hours Owling: 7

Total Party-Miles Owling: 44

Feeder Birding

Number of Feeder Parties (feeder locations): 3

Number of Feeder Observers: 13

Total Feeder-Party Hours: 2

Weather (use data from paper if available)

Temperature, low/high: 16 / 32

Snow Cover, Average Inches: 0

Wind, Velocity Range, mph: 5 / 15

Wind, Predominant Direction: NW

Sky conditions: a.m.: clear, partly cloudy, cloudy, rain, sleet, snow

(circle best descriptor) 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), check spelling of names, mark with an "f" those that only participated as feeder watchers, and add additional participants to the list.

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Owls

Pied-billed Grebe: _____	American Coot: _____	+Northern Shrike: _____
Great Blue Heron: _____	Killdeer: _____	+Loggerhead Shrike: _____
*Tundra Swan: _____	Common Snipe: _____	Shrike sp.: _____
*Mute Swan: _____	Ring-billed Gull: _____	European Starling: 2000
Gr. White-fronted Goose: 2	Herring Gull: _____	+Yellow-rumped Warbler: 3
Snow Goose: 8200	Glaucous Gull: _____	Northern Cardinal: 178
Canada Goose: 45	Rock Dove: 284	Rufous-sided Towhee: _____
Wood Duck: _____	Mourning Dove: 25	American Tree Sparrow: 218
Green-winged Teal: 26	Eastern Screech-Owl: 11	+Field Sparrow: _____
American Black Duck: _____	Great Horned Owl: 5	Fox Sparrow: _____
Mallard: 490	Snowy Owl: _____	Song Sparrow: 2
Northern Pintail: _____	Barred Owl: 1	+Lincoln's Sparrow: _____
Northern Shoveler: _____	Long-eared Owl: _____	Swamp Sparrow: _____
Gadwall: _____	Short-eared Owl: _____	White-throated Sparrow: _____
American Wigeon: 1	N. Saw-whet Owl: _____	White-crowned Sparrow: _____
Canvasback: 1	Belted Kingfisher: 4	Harris' Sparrow: 19
Redhead: 1	Red-headed Woodpecker: 2	Dark-eyed Junco: 511
Ring-necked Duck: _____	Red-bellied Woodpecker: 83	Lapland Longspur: _____
Lesser Scaup: _____	Yellow-bellied Sapsucker: _____	Snow Bunting: 4
Common Goldeneye: 61	Downy Woodpecker: 124	Red-winged Blackbird: 57
Bufflehead: _____	Hairy Woodpecker: 9	+Western Meadowlark: _____
Hooded Merganser: _____	Northern Flicker: 113	Meadowlark sp.: 42
Common Merganser: 41	Pileated Woodpecker: _____	Yellow-headed Blackbird: _____
Red-breasted Merganser: _____	Horned Lark: _____	Rusty Blackbird: 200
Ruddy Duck: _____	Blue Jay: 87	+Brewer's Blackbird: _____
*Osprey: _____	American Crow: 246	Common Grackle: 1
Bald Eagle: 23 (14a, 9i)	Black-capped Chickadee: 502	Brown-headed Cowbird: _____
Northern Harrier: _____	Tufted Titmouse: 25	*Pine Grosbeak: _____
+Sharp-shinned Hawk: 4	Red-breasted Nuthatch: _____	Purple Finch: 5
+Cooper's Hawk: _____	White-breasted Nuthatch: 101	House Finch: _____
Accipiter sp.: _____	Brown Creeper: 23	Red Crossbill: _____
*Northern Goshawk: _____	Carolina Wren: 5	White-winged Crossbill: _____
Red-shouldered Hawk: _____	Winter Wren: 1	Common Redpoll: _____
Red-tailed Hawk: 80	Golden-crowned Kinglet: 6	Pine Siskin: _____
Rough-legged Hawk: _____	+Ruby-crowned Kinglet: _____	American Goldfinch: 210
American Kestrel: 40	Eastern Bluebird: 22	Evening Grosbeak: _____
*Merlin: 1	*Townsend's Solitaire: _____	House Sparrow: 1075
*Prairie Falcon: _____	Hermit Thrush: _____	
Gray Partridge: _____	American Robin: 1025	
Ring-necked Pheasant: 22	Northern Mockingbird: _____	
Ruffed Grouse: _____	Brown Thrasher: _____	
Wild Turkey: 28	+Bohemian Waxwing: _____	
Northern Bobwhite: 28	Cedar Waxwing: 195	
*Other: _____		
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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.