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GEESE & DUCKS													
Canada Goose				1				—					
Gadwall			11					—				5	
American Wigeon		19	2					—	6		102	14	48
<i>Eurasian Wigeon</i>								—			1		
Mallard	5	5	7	4	4	16	120	—	13	8	2	10	10
Blue-winged Teal		2	3					—			6	5	39
Cinnamon Teal		9	31	4				—		5	22	4	32
Northern Shoveler			4					—		16	23	2	23
Northern Pintail	1	10	4					—		5	25	1	33
Green-winged Teal		70	39					—			35	79	365
Canvasback												1	
Redhead		1						—					
Lesser Scaup	7	3	13					—			15	32	47
Surf Scoter												12	
Bufflehead	128	101	70	3				—			95	52	37
Ruddy Duck				12		1		—		2	45	39	69
LOONS													
Common Loon											1		
GREBES													
Pied-billed Grebe	1	5	2	2		2	1	—	2	4	11	3	5
Horned Grebe	1							—			1	1	
Eared Grebe	1	5	3	3				—		3	7	4	7
Western Grebe	26	2	9	13	8			—			6	5	10
Clark's Grebe	2		2	1				—			1	3	
PELICANS & CORMORANTS													
Brown Pelican	8	1						—	2	2	16	14	26
Double-crested Cormorant	2	31	31	8	1	1	7	—	9	12	25	24	61
HERONS & EGRETS													
Black-crowned Night-Heron						11	2						
Green Heron	1						1						1
Great Blue Heron	5	6	6	3	3	22	7	—	13	9	10	3	6

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Great Egret	2	11	5	2	4	2	7	—	8	8	6	3	7
Snowy Egret	6	10	6	8	4	18	39	—	13	5	7	5	10
DIURNAL BIRDS OF PREY													
Turkey Vulture	1	5	3	1	4	3	2	—	5	6	11	2	4
Osprey	2	4	1	2	3	4	3	—	4	4	4	2	4
White-tailed Kite		1						—				2	2
Northern Harrier	2		1	2	1	1		—	2	1	2	1	4
Red-shouldered Hawk								—				1	
Red-tailed Hawk	4	5		1				—		2	2	3	4
Cooper's Hawk								—				1	
American Kestrel	1		2					—		1	1	3	
Peregrine Falcon													1
RAILS													
Clapper Rail						1		—				4	15
Virginia Rail								—					5
Sora								—				1	7
GALLINULES & COOTS													
Common Moorhen								—					1
American Coot	23	105	167	245	53			—		43	246	76	345
PLOVERS													
Black-bellied Plover		7	21			13	10	—	26	1	174	20	104
Semipalmated Plover								—			12	52	
Killdeer	3	2		2	2		3	—	2	6	22	3	
STILTS & AVOCETS													
Black-necked Stilt				8				—					
American Avocet	14	280	185	327	5			—			67	51	193
SANDPIPERS													
Greater Yellowlegs							2	—			7		
Lesser Yellowlegs								—	2				2
Willet	40	99	291	236	30	77	143	—	79	91	141	40	710
Spotted Sandpiper		2	2					—				1	1
Whimbrel		2	2	1			1	—	1		4		

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Long-billed Curlew		3					6	—	1		6	2	6
Marbled Godwit	127	254	182	81	36	34	175	—	57	145	211	60	151
Least Sandpiper								—			45	30	57
Western Sandpiper	125	425	105	641			1	—		1675	651	102	253
peeps								—	120				795
Dunlin	2	3						—			21		2
Short-billed Dowitcher		110	133					—	100	10	66		
Long-billed Dowitcher								—			24		165
dowitcher sp.												41	330
GULLS, TERNS & SKIMMERS													
Heermann's Gull	2												
Bonaparte's Gull				1				—			9		
Ring-billed Gull	18	8	25		2		1	—	8		79	10	105
California Gull				1				—			14		104
Western Gull	4	13	7	4	2	15	1	—	9	10	12	4	25
Caspian Tern		4	5	23	11	9	5	—	2		4	1	13
Elegant Tern				8	16			—					
Forster's Tern	2	10	13	44	9	16	2	—	5	12	28	5	17
Least Tern					1	4		—					
Black Skimmer	15	66	75		12	12	9	—	5	103	40		187
DOVES													
Band-tailed Pigeon												2	
Mourning Dove					1			—	3	4		3	
OWLS													
Burrowing Owl												4	
Barn Owl													1
HUMMINGBIRDS													
Anna's Hummingbird				1	1		1	—			4	14	6
Allen's Hummingbird												6	9
KINGFISHERS													
Belted Kingfisher	1	1						—	4	4	4	1	2

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WOODPECKERS													
Downy Woodpecker								—				1	
Northern Flicker		1						—			1	1	1
FLYCATCHERS													
Black Phoebe										2	1	7	5
Olive-sided Flycatcher			1		1	1		—					
Say's Phoebe	4		1	1				—	1	1		2	6
Cassin's Kingbird			1					—	1		2	1	2
SHRIKES													
Loggerhead Shrike		1						—	1				1
CROWS & RAVENS													
American Crow	1	1	3	2	7	15	7	—	8	12	9	33	18
Common Raven	4	1				1		—			7		
SWALLOWS													
Cliff Swallow					8	12	33	—					
Barn Swallow					5	2		—	6				
BUSHTITS													
Bushtit								—			6	40	16
WRENS													
Cactus Wren												2	
Marsh Wren				1		5		—			2	1	5
KINGLETS & GNATCATCHERS													
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher								—				2	2
California Gnatcatcher							1	—			2	6	4
THRUSHES													
Hermit Thrush													5
MOCKINGBIRDS													
Northern Mockingbird		2	4	1	2	7	3	—	4	1	5	2	2
STARLINGS													
European Starling												16	
PIPITS													
American Pipit											3	3	

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Orange-crowned Warbler												2	
Yellow-rumped Warbler								—			1	36	
Common Yellowthroat					1	11		—	4		4	1	25
TOWHEES & SPARROWS													
Spotted Towhee							1	—					
California Towhee			2				1	—	6		6	11	
Savannah Sparrow		9	1		2	9	5	—	1		6		6
Song Sparrow	2	16	5	2	3	6	1	—	4	4	1	10	34
Lincoln's Sparrow													1
White-crowned Sparrow		1						—		9	3	32	
BLACKBIRDS													
Red-winged Blackbird								—	5				6
Western Meadowlark												7	
FINCHES													
House Finch	1	5	8	2	1	2	3	—	5	4	10	15	13
Lesser Goldfinch								—			2	3	
American Goldfinch								—				3	