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<b>GEESE &amp; DUCKS</b>												
Canada Goose												
Gadwall												2
American Wigeon	30		9	185							11	8
<i>Eurasian Wigeon</i>												
Mallard	6		4	4	9	3	53	48	45		3	7
Blue-winged Teal			41	39					15			
Cinnamon Teal	4		12					3	1			
Northern Shoveler												
Northern Pintail	5											12
Green-winged Teal	1											11
Redhead												
Lesser Scaup	12										22	7
Bufflehead	281		100								55	117
Ruddy Duck	175		75	33							80	2
<b>LOONS &amp; GREBES</b>												
Common Loon				1								
Pied-billed Grebe	3		1	3	5		2	2	5		12	1
Horned Grebe	1		2									2
Eared Grebe	5		10	5							10	11
Western Grebe	2		2	6					2		11	
Clark's Grebe												
<b>PELICANS &amp; CORMORANTS</b>												
American White Pelican									7			
Brown Pelican								1	1		7	27
Double-crested Cormorant	17		28	5	1	3	10	17	7		13	46
<b>HERONS &amp; EGRETS</b>												
Great Blue Heron	5		1	1	6	2	10	11	10		6	5
Great Egret	7		4	2		1	2	5	11		5	9
Snowy Egret	11		8	14	18	15	35	33	9		11	12
Green Heron									1			

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Black-crowned Night-Heron					2							
<b>DIURNAL BIRDS OF PREY</b>												
Turkey Vulture	2		2	4	11	2	3	3	5		12	1
Osprey	2					1			1		2	2
White-tailed Kite	2											
Northern Harrier	2			2	1				1		3	7
Red-shouldered Hawk			1					1				1
Red-tailed Hawk	2			3	3	1					1	
Sharp-shinned Hawk	1											
Cooper's Hawk	1											
American Kestrel	1								1		1	
<b>RAILS</b>												
Clapper Rail	1			2				6	2			5
Virginia Rail				1	1							1
Sora												
<b>GALLINULES &amp; COOTS</b>												
Common Moorhen												
American Coot	42		503	233					1		825	174
<b>PLOVERS</b>												
Black-bellied Plover	1		85	1	43	9	27	49			66	2
Semipalmated Plover				2			15	4				
Killdeer	8			2			1	1	2			2
<b>STILTS &amp; AVOCETS</b>												
Black-necked Stilt						2						30
American Avocet	33		198	14							45	
<b>SANDPIPERS</b>												
Greater Yellowlegs			2									
Lesser Yellowlegs							1	1				
Willet	131		117	61	74	20	71	139	85		125	164
Spotted Sandpiper	2			1					5			1
Whimbrel	2		1									1

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Long-billed Curlew			3				3				7	2
Marbled Godwit	251		171	72	34	28	121	156	32		237	140
Least Sandpiper			1	5			34					
Western Sandpiper			325	85			15	277			210	57
peeps	35											77
Dunlin												
Short-billed Dowitcher												
Long-billed Dowitcher	3		466	12		8						2
dowitcher sp.								82				
<b>GULLS, TERNS &amp; SKIMMERS</b>												
Bonaparte's Gull												
Ring-billed Gull	120		20								5	2
California Gull	340				3							
Western Gull	3		1	2	1	2	3	6	3		6	2
Heermann's Gull									1			2
Caspian Tern			3	16	36	15		23	20		7	2
Elegant Tern				18	2			1			1	
Forster's Tern	17		9	24	23	16		11	10		27	7
Least Tern				3	1							
Black Skimmer	30		50		5	18		6	4		80	20
<b>DOVES</b>												
Mourning Dove			1	6	1	3	1	23	24		4	
Rock Pigeon	25							1				
<b>SWIFTS</b>												
White-throated Swift												
<b>HUMMINGBIRDS</b>												
Anna's Hummingbird	4			2	2						1	1
<b>KINGFISHERS</b>												
Belted Kingfisher	3		2					1	4		1	2
<b>WOODPECKERS</b>												
Northern Flicker	2											1

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<b>FLYCATCHERS</b>												
Black Phoebe			1	2			1		1		1	2
Say's Phoebe	1		1									
Cassin's Kingbird				1					3		2	1
<b>SHRIKES</b>												
Loggerhead Shrike												
<b>CROWS &amp; RAVENS</b>												
American Crow	6		6	36	11	22	9	9	9		2	
Common Raven				2	1							
<b>SWALLOWS</b>												
Tree Swallow				2		5					1	
N. Rough-winged Swallow				2								
Cliff Swallow						4						
Barn Swallow				3		8		6	32			
<b>BUSHTITS &amp; BABBLERS</b>												
Bushtit												
Wrentit												1
<b>WRENS</b>												
Bewick's Wren												
House Wren												
Marsh Wren					6		4		2			
<b>KINGLETS &amp; GNATCATCHERS</b>												
Ruby-crowned Kinglet												
California Gnatcatcher												
<b>MOCKINGBIRDS</b>												
Northern Mockingbird			1	3	3	3		1	2		1	
<b>STARLINGS</b>												
European Starling		E		7	4					E		
<b>WARBLERS</b>												
Yellow-rumped Warbler												
Common Yellowthroat			4	2	5	7		3	2			1

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<b>TOWHEES &amp; SPARROWS</b>												
Spotted Towhee												
California Towhee					1			2				1
Belding's Savannah Sparrow	6		2	14	14	9	6	2	3		2	3
Song Sparrow	4		10		4	4		2				5
White-crowned Sparrow												
<b>BLACKBIRDS</b>												
Red-winged Blackbird	1				1			1				13
Western Meadowlark	9										2	
Hooded Oriole				1								
<b>FINCHES</b>												
House Finch	3		5	2	2	65		5	9		2	
Lesser Goldfinch												1
American Goldfinch												