

SPECIES	Sp	S	F	W
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-throated Warbler	R			
<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Warbler *	C	U	U	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Prairie Warbler *	C	C	U	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Palm Warbler	C	C	C	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Bay-breasted Warbler	U	R	C	
<input type="checkbox"/> Blackpoll Warbler	C	O	C	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cerulean Warbler	O	O		
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-and-white Warbler *	C	C	C	
<input type="checkbox"/> American Redstart *	C	C	C	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Prothonotary Warbler	R	x	x	
<input type="checkbox"/> Worm-eating Warbler *	C	C	O	
<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Warbler	x ⁷⁰			
<input type="checkbox"/> Ovenbird *	C	C	C	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Waterthrush *	C	O	C	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Louisiana Waterthrush *	C	C		
<input type="checkbox"/> Kentucky Warbler *	U	O	R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Connecticut Warbler	x		R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Warbler	U	O	O	
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Yellowthroat *	C	C	C	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Warbler *	U	U	O	
<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Warbler	U	O	U	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Warbler *	C	O	C	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-breasted Chat *	U	U	O	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Summer Tanager	R	x	x	
<input type="checkbox"/> Scarlet Tanager *	C	C	C	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Tanager	x ⁷¹	x ⁷¹		x ⁷¹
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-tailed Towhee			x ⁷²	
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Towhee *	C	C	C	O
<input type="checkbox"/> American Tree Sparrow	C		C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Chipping Sparrow *	C	C	C	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Clay-colored Sparrow	x ⁷³		x ⁷³	
<input type="checkbox"/> Field Sparrow *	C	C	C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> Vesper Sparrow	O		U	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Sparrow	x ⁷⁴		x ⁷⁴	x ⁷⁴
<input type="checkbox"/> Lark Bunting	x ⁷⁵			
<input type="checkbox"/> Savannah Sparrow *	C	O	C	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Grasshopper Sparrow *	O	O	O	
<input type="checkbox"/> Henslow's Sparrow *	x ⁷⁶	x ⁷⁶	x ⁷⁶	
<input type="checkbox"/> Nelson's Sharp-tailed Sparrow	R	O	U	
<input type="checkbox"/> Saltmarsh Sharp-tailed Sparrow *	C	C	U	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Seaside Sparrow *	O	U	O	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Fox Sparrow	C		C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> Song Sparrow *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Lincoln's Sparrow	O		U	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Swamp Sparrow *	C	C	C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> White-throated Sparrow	C	x	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> White-crowned Sparrow	O	x	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Dark-eyed Junco	C		C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Lapland Longspur			O	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Bunting	R		C	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Cardinal *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Rose-breasted Grosbeak *	C	C	C	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-headed Grosbeak	x ⁷⁷			x ⁷⁷
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Grosbeak	R	R	R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Indigo Bunting *	C	C	U	x
<input type="checkbox"/> Dickcissel	R		O	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Bobolink *	C	O	C	
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-winged Blackbird *	C	C	C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Meadowlark *	U	U	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-headed Blackbird	x ⁷⁸		x ⁷⁸	
<input type="checkbox"/> Rusty Blackbird	U		U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Brewer's Blackbird				x ⁷⁹
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Grackle *	C	C	C	U

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<input type="checkbox"/> Boat-tailed Grackle	x ⁸⁰	x ⁸⁰	x ⁸⁰	
<input type="checkbox"/> Brown-headed Cowbird *	C	C	C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> Orchard Oriole *	U	U	R	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bullock's Oriole			x ⁸¹	
<input type="checkbox"/> Baltimore Oriole *	C	C	C	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Grosbeak	R			R
<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Finch *	U	U	U	U
<input type="checkbox"/> House Finch *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Red Crossbill	R		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Crossbill	R		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Redpoll	R		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Hoary Redpoll	x ⁸²			x ⁸²
<input type="checkbox"/> Pine Siskin *	O		U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> American Goldfinch *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> European Goldfinch	x ⁸³			
<input type="checkbox"/> Evening Grosbeak	U	x	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> House Sparrow *	C	C	C	C

Species with Records Not Accepted by NYS Avian Records Committee (NYSARC);
 Red-necked Stint - MC 18 Aug 1995.

Unconfirmed and Questioned Sightings (Pre- NYSARC);
 Western Grebe, Boreal Owl, Hermit Warbler, Reddish Egret.

Exotic and Escapes;
 Bar-headed Goose, Common Shelduck, Chukar, Harris's Hawk, Rose-ringed Parakeet, Budgerigar.

Rare Bird Sightings
 Some sightings below have not been submitted for review and therefore can be in question
 NYSARC – report submitted and accepted by NYSARC
 EGR - Edith G. Read Sanctuary, Rye; LPN – Lenoir Nature Preserve; MC - Marshlands Conservancy, Rye; CP - Croton Point Park, Croton; WPR - Ward Pound Ridge Reservation

- Tufted Duck - Rye Dec 1991- Jan 1992; Rye winter of 1992/3; Rye Nov 1993-Jan 1994; Kensico Res. Feb 1995
- King Eider – EGR May 1982; EGR Nov 1995
- Common Eider - Ossining Nov 1894; 2 EGR May 1982; 2 EGR APR 1986; 2 EGR Apr 1989
- Harlequin Duck - EGR Feb 1983, Harrison Dec 1988
- Barrow's Goldeneye – Rye to Larch. winters of 1993, 1994, 1995, 1998
- Pacific Loon – EGR Dec 1940 to Jan 1941
- Eared Grebe - Rye Sep-Oct 1995; Rye Jan 1996; Larchmont Jan-Mar 1998
- Yellow-nosed Albatross - CP Aug 1976^{NYSARC}
- Northern Fulmar - Chappaqua Sep 1985^{NYSARC}
- Sooty Shearwater- Dobbs Ferry Sep 1980
- Manx Shearwater – Rye Beach May 2003, EGR Aug 2004
- Wilson's Storm-Petrel - Irvington 1933
- Leach's Storm-Petrel - New Rochelle Jul 1938
- American White Pelican - Milton Harbor, MC Sep 1994
- Brown Pelican - Croton Bay Jul 1992
- White Ibis - Teatown Lake Jul 1977; Rye Sep 1980^{NYSARC}
- Swallow-tailed Kite - Chappaqua Oct 1927; Mt Kisco May 1986; Pound Ridge Jun 1988
- Mississippi Kite - Rye May 1986^{NYSARC}; Pleasantville May 1995; Bedford Aug 1995
- Swainson's Hawk - Butler Sanctuary Sep 1987^{NYSARC} and Sep 1994
- Gyr Falcon - one shot in 1879 (Grisom); Peekskill Jan 1996
- Yellow Rail - New Rochelle Oct 1984
- Black Rail - MC Jun 1986^{NYSARC}
- Purple Gallinule - Peekskill May 1939; Pound Ridge & North Castle 1958; Mamaroneck Jul 1975; West. Co Airport in Dec 1998 and Dec 1999^{NYSARC}
- Sandhill Crane - Chappaqua Jun 1984^{NYSARC}
- Piping Plover - Ossining 1898; EGR Aug 1980
- American Avocet-CP Aug 1979; EGR Sep 1982; MC Sep 1983; MC Aug 1997
- Wood Sandpiper - MC Oct - Nov 1990^{NYSARC}
- Buff-breasted Sandpiper - two Amawalk Sep 83 & 20 Sep 1995
- Ruff – MC Jul 1989
- Red-necked Phalarope - Ardsley May 1894; CP 1964; Dobbs Ferry Sep 1979; MC Aug 1983; MC Aug 1997

- Red Phalarope - Ossining Oct 1919, collected; Kensico Oct 1933
- Pomarine Jaeger - immature male collected in Ossining Oct 1877
- Parasitic Jaeger - EGR Oct 1988; 2 Yonkers Sep 1987; EGR Oct 2002; 1 EGR Sep 2003; 2 imm Rye Sep 2004
- Franklin's Gull - CP Nov 1998
- Little Gull-MC,EGR May 1975; EGR Apr 1979; EGR Apr 1985; 1 EGR Apr 2004
- Black-headed Gull - Kennedy Marina, Yonkers March 1991
- Sabine's Gull - 2 Rye Sep 1990^{NYSARC}
- Gull-billed Tern - MC Jul 1993; three Hen I.,Rye Jun 1995
- Royal Tern - Rye Jul 1975; CP Aug 1976;Larchmont Aug 1976
- Roseate Tern-Rye prior to 1964; EGR May 1975; 2 ad 1 im Rye Aug 2000
- Sooty Tern- Dobbs Ferry Sep 1979
- Dovekie - Ossining 5 Dec 1898; 11 Peekskill 1932; Bronxville Dec 1951
- Thick-billed Murre - Ossining Dec 1894; Elmsford Dec 1890; CP Dec 1928.
- Razorbill- Manursing I., Rye Dec 1927; up to 118 Rye to Larchmont Dec 2002.
- Black Guillemot - Rye Jan 1932
- Passenger Pigeon - Extinct, last known 11 Oct 1888
- Chuck-will's Widow - Portchester Jun 1963; MC May 1982; CP Apr 1999
- Calliope Hummingbird -1 Larchmont Nov 2004
- Rufous Hummingbird- imm. M. LPN Nov - Dec, 2001^{NYSARC}, imm f, LPN Oct - Nov, 2002^{NYSARC}; imm f LNP Nov 2006 - Jan 2007^{NYSARC}, Under NYSARC Review.
- Lewis' Woodpecker - Ossining Oct - Nov 1954^{NYSARC}
- American Three-toed Woodpecker - Irvington Nov, Dec 1984^{NYSARC}
- Black-backed Woodpecker - 1962 Peekskill CBC; Mt Kisco Jan 1995
- Hammond's Flycatcher – MC Nov 2006
- Say's Phoebe - Westchester Community College 16 Sep 2007
- Ash-throated Flycatcher - Larchmont Nov 1970
- Western Kingbird - Scarborough Oct 1938; EGR Nov 1981; EGR Nov 1985; CP Nov 1986; Rye Nov 1990; Rye Dec 1991
- Scissor-tailed Flycatcher - Rye May 1945; Pound Ridge Jul 2003
- Gray Jay - Amawalk 1965; Cross R. Nov 1968-69; Mt Kisco 1969-70
- Black-billed Magpie- Rye Dec 1935; Bedford Village fall 1947-Jan 1948
- Cave Swallow – Rye Train Station Dec 2004
- Boreal Chickadee - handful of records prior to 1960; 1 Peekskill CBC Dec 1961; eruption year fall 1975; Rye Oct-Dec 1981; MC Nov 1999
- Bewick's Wren - CP May 1952
- Sedge Wren-Purchase Jul 1982; MC Sep 1983; MC May 1993; WPR Jul 1999; MC Dec 1999; MC Dec 1999-Jan 2000; Larchmont Oct 2000; MC Oct 2003
- Northern Wheatear - Peekskill Nov 1947; Milton Harbor 1986; Milton Point May 1988^{NYSARC}
- Mt Bluebird-North Tarrytown Apr 1990^{NYSARC}; Purchase Dec 1998 - Jan 1999^{NYSARC}
- Fieldfare - Larchmont Feb 1973^{NYSARC}
- Varied Thrush - Ossining Nov 1928; WPR Jan-Feb 1977
- Bohemian Waxwing - Mt Kisco Nov 1924; Chappaqua Mar 1936; Rye Jan 1942; Pleasantville Apr 1947
- Black-throated Gray warbler - Katonah Aug 1962
- Swainson's Warbler - Ossining 1963, questionable record
- Western Tanager - EGR Mar 1961; WPR Jul 1980; female CP Dec 1985^{NYSARC}
- Green-tailed Towhee - Scarsdale Nov 1971
- Clay-colored Sparrow - WPR May 1979; EGR Nov 1992; EGR Nov 1994; CP last week of May 1996; CP Sep 1999; Yonkers Oct 2007
- Lark Sparrow - Pocantico Hills Oct 1975; Purchase Feb - Mar 1992; Larchmont March 2001
- Lark Bunting - CP May 1973
- Henslow's Sparrow - formerly bred in WEST; Rye Oct 1976; CP Sep 1997; 2 CP Oct 1997; Mt Kisco Oct 1997
- Black-headed Grosbeak - Katonah Feb - Apr 1954; Tarrytown mid Dec 1978 - Jan 1979
- Yellow-headed Blackbird-MC Nov 1984; Jefferson Valley May 1991; MC Aug 1991
- Brewers Blackbird - Pelham Dec 1970; Peekskill CBC 1987
- Boat-tailed Grackle - MC Apr 1994; MC Aug 2007; MC 13, 25 Sep 2007
- Bullock's Oriole - southern Westchester Nov 1993
- Hoary Redpoll - Tuckahoe March 1888; Rye Feb- Mar 1978
- European Goldfinch - adult male taken in Hastings-on-Hudson 15 Apr 1895
Recent reports considered as escapes.

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The names of the birds and their taxonomic arrangement in this guide follow that of the 7th Edition of the American Ornithologists' Union Checklist of North American Birds (2000) and its supplements.

The following legend indicates the relative abundance of each species in each season. Ver 2008C

C	Common -	seen regularly in proper habitat
U	Uncommon -	seen infrequently in proper habitat, but seen every year.
O	Occasional -	seen infrequently, not seen every year
R	Rare -	seen very infrequently.
X	Very Rare -	fewer than 5 records
E	Extinct	
*	Breeding -	recorded at least once

SP Spring March - May F Fall mid August – Nov.
 S Summer June - mid August W Winter December - February

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<input type="checkbox"/> Greater White-fronted Goose	R			R
<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Goose	U	x		O
<input type="checkbox"/> Cackling Goose	R			R
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Goose *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Brant	U	R	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Mute Swan *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Tundra Swan	R		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Duck *	C	C	C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> Gadwall	U	R		U
<input type="checkbox"/> Eurasian Wigeon	R		R	R
<input type="checkbox"/> American Wigeon	C	R	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> American Black Duck *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Mallard *	C	C	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Teal	C	U	C	R
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shoveler	U	R	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Pintail	U	x	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-winged Teal	C	O	C	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-winged Teal (Eurasian)				x
<input type="checkbox"/> Canvasback	C	R	U	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Redhead	O		U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Duck	U	x	O	U
<input type="checkbox"/> Tufted Duck	x ¹		x ¹	x ¹
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Scaup	C	R	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Scaup	C	R	C	U
<input type="checkbox"/> King Eider	x ²		x ²	
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Eider	x ³		x ³	x ³
<input type="checkbox"/> Harlequin Duck	x ⁴			x ⁴
<input type="checkbox"/> Surf Scoter			O	O
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Scoter	U	R	U	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Scoter	O		O	O
<input type="checkbox"/> Long-tailed Duck	C	R	U	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Bufflehead	C	R	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Goldeneye	C	R	U	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Barrow's Goldeneye	x ⁵			x ⁵
<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Merganser	C		C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Merganser	C	R	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Merganser	C	R	C	C
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruddy Duck	C	R	C	C