

# eBird Field Checklist

## Iowa, US

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448 species (+163 other taxa) - Year-round, All years

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Start time:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Duration:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Distance:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Party size:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Notes:** \_\_\_\_\_

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### Waterfowl

- Black-bellied Whistling-Duck
- Fulvous Whistling-Duck
- Bar-headed Goose
- Snow Goose
- Ross's Goose
- Snow x Ross's Goose (hybrid)
- Snow/Ross's Goose
- Graylag Goose
- Swan Goose
- Graylag x Swan Goose (hybrid)
- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Snow x Greater White-fronted Goose (hybrid)
- Taiga Bean-Goose
- Domestic goose sp. (Domestic type)
- Brant
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose
- Swan Goose x Canada Goose (hybrid)
- Greater White-fronted x Canada Goose (hybrid)
- Graylag x Canada Goose (hybrid)
- Domestic goose sp. x Canada Goose (hybrid)
- Snow x Canada Goose (hybrid)
- Cackling/Canada Goose
- Snow/Ross's x Cackling/Canada Goose (hybrid)
- goose sp.
- Mute Swan
- Black Swan
- Trumpeter Swan
- Tundra Swan
- Trumpeter/Tundra Swan
- Whooper Swan
- swan sp.
- Egyptian Goose
- Ruddy Shelduck
- Muscovy Duck
- Ringed Teal
- Wood Duck
- Mandarin Duck
- Garganey
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Blue-winged x Cinnamon Teal (hybrid)
- Blue-winged/Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Blue-winged Teal x Northern Shoveler (hybrid)
- Cinnamon Teal x Northern Shoveler (hybrid)
- Gadwall
- Northern Shoveler x Gadwall (hybrid)
- Eurasian Wigeon
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- Muscovy Duck x Mallard (hybrid)
- Northern Shoveler x Mallard (hybrid)
- Gadwall x Mallard (hybrid)
- American Wigeon x Mallard (hybrid)
- American Black Duck
- Mallard x American Black Duck (hybrid)
- Mallard/American Black Duck
- Mottled Duck

- White-cheeked Pintail
- Northern Pintail
- Mallard x Northern Pintail (hybrid)
- Green-winged Teal
- Blue-winged x Green-winged Teal (hybrid)
- Gadwall x Green-winged Teal (hybrid)
- teal sp.
- dabbling duck sp.
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Greater Scaup
- Lesser Scaup
- Greater/Lesser Scaup
- Ring-necked Duck x scaup sp. (hybrid)
- Aythya sp.
- King Eider
- Common Eider
- Harlequin Duck
- Surf Scoter
- White-winged Scoter
- Black Scoter
- Common/Black Scoter
- scoter sp.
- Long-tailed Duck
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Bufflehead x Common Goldeneye (hybrid)
- Barrow's Goldeneye
- Common x Barrow's Goldeneye (hybrid)

- Common/Barrow's Goldeneye
- Hooded Merganser
- Bufflehead x Hooded Merganser (hybrid)
- Common Goldeneye x Hooded Merganser (hybrid)
- Common Merganser
- Red-breasted Merganser
- Common/Red-breasted Merganser
- merganser sp.
- Ruddy Duck
- duck sp.
- waterfowl sp.

#### **Grouse, Quail, and Allies**

- Helmeted Guineafowl
- Northern Bobwhite
- Wild Turkey
- Ruffed Grouse
- Greater Prairie-Chicken
- Gray Partridge
- Ring-necked Pheasant
- Ring-necked/Green Pheasant
- Red Junglefowl
- Chukar

#### **Grebes**

- Pied-billed Grebe
- Horned Grebe
- Red-necked Grebe
- Eared Grebe
- Horned/Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe
- Clark's Grebe

- Western x Clark's Grebe (hybrid)
- Western/Clark's Grebe
- grebe sp.

#### **Pigeons and Doves**

- Rock Pigeon
- Passenger Pigeon
- Eurasian Collared-Dove
- African Collared-Dove
- Inca Dove
- Common Ground Dove
- White-winged Dove
- Mourning Dove
- pigeon/dove sp.

#### **Cuckoos**

- Groove-billed Ani
- Yellow-billed Cuckoo
- Black-billed Cuckoo
- Yellow-billed/Black-billed Cuckoo
- cuckoo sp. (Cuculidae sp.)

#### **Nightjars**

- Common Nighthawk
- Chuck-will's-widow
- Eastern Whip-poor-will

#### **Swifts**

- Chimney Swift

#### **Hummingbirds**

- Mexican Violetear
- Ruby-throated Hummingbird
- Anna's Hummingbird
- Rufous Hummingbird

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Rufous/Allen's Hummingbird  
 *Selasphorus* sp.  
 Broad-billed Hummingbird  
 hummingbird sp.

### Rails, Gallinules, and Allies

King Rail  
 Virginia Rail  
 Sora  
 Common Gallinule  
 American Coot  
 Purple Gallinule  
 Yellow Rail  
 Black Rail  
 rail/crake sp.

### Limpkin

Limpkin

### Cranes

Sandhill Crane  
 Whooping Crane

### Shorebirds

Black-necked Stilt  
 American Avocet  
 Black-bellied Plover  
 American Golden-Plover  
 Black-bellied Plover/golden-plover sp.  
 Snowy Plover  
 Semipalmated Plover  
 Piping Plover  
 Killdeer  
 small plover sp.

plover sp.  
 Upland Sandpiper  
 Whimbrel  
 Eskimo Curlew  
 Long-billed Curlew  
 Bar-tailed Godwit  
 Hudsonian Godwit  
 Marbled Godwit  
 Hudsonian/Marbled Godwit  
 godwit sp.  
 Ruddy Turnstone  
 Red Knot  
 Ruff  
 Sharp-tailed Sandpiper  
 Stilt Sandpiper  
 Curlew Sandpiper  
 Sanderling  
 Dunlin  
 Baird's Sandpiper  
 Least Sandpiper  
 White-rumped Sandpiper  
 Buff-breasted Sandpiper  
 Pectoral Sandpiper  
 Semipalmated Sandpiper  
 Western Sandpiper  
 Semipalmated/Western Sandpiper  
 peep sp.  
 Calidris sp.  
 Short-billed Dowitcher  
 Long-billed Dowitcher

Short-billed/Long-billed Dowitcher  
 American Woodcock  
 Wilson's Snipe  
 Common/Wilson's Snipe  
 Wilson's Phalarope  
 Red-necked Phalarope  
 Red Phalarope  
 phalarope sp.  
 Spotted Sandpiper  
 Solitary Sandpiper  
 Greater Yellowlegs  
 Willet  
 Lesser Yellowlegs  
 Greater/Lesser Yellowlegs  
 *Tringa* sp.  
 large shorebird sp.  
 shorebird sp.

### Skuas and Jaegers

Pomarine Jaeger  
 Parasitic Jaeger  
 Long-tailed Jaeger  
 jaeger sp.

### Alcids

Thick-billed Murre  
 Long-billed Murrelet  
 Ancient Murrelet

### Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers

Black-legged Kittiwake  
 Ivory Gull  
 Sabine's Gull

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- Bonaparte's Gull
- Black-headed Gull
- Little Gull
- Ross's Gull
- Laughing Gull
- Franklin's Gull
- Laughing/Franklin's Gull
- Black-tailed Gull
- Heermann's Gull
- Short-billed Gull
- Ring-billed Gull
- California Gull
- Herring Gull
- Iceland Gull
- Herring/Iceland Gull
- Lesser Black-backed Gull
- Herring/Lesser Black-backed Gull
- Slaty-backed Gull
- Glaucous-winged Gull
- Glaucous Gull
- Great Black-backed Gull
- Larus sp.
- gull sp.
- Least Tern
- Caspian Tern
- Black Tern
- Common Tern
- Arctic Tern
- Common/Arctic Tern
- Forster's Tern

- Common/Forster's Tern
- Sterna sp.
- Royal Tern
- tern sp.
- gull/tern sp.

### Loons

- Red-throated Loon
- Pacific Loon
- Common Loon
- Yellow-billed Loon
- loon sp.

### Storks

- Wood Stork

### Frigatebirds, Boobies, and Gannets

- Magnificent Frigatebird
- frigatebird sp.
- Brown Booby

### Cormorants and Anhingas

- Anhinga
- Double-crested Cormorant
- Neotropic Cormorant
- Double-crested/Neotropic Cormorant
- cormorant sp.

### Pelicans

- American White Pelican
- Brown Pelican

### Herons, Ibis, and Allies

- American Bittern
- Least Bittern
- Great Blue Heron

- Great Egret
- Snowy Egret
- Little Blue Heron
- Tricolored Heron
- Reddish Egret
- Cattle Egret
- white egret sp.
- Green Heron
- Black-crowned Night-Heron
- Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
- Black-crowned/Yellow-crowned Night-Heron
- heron sp.
- White Ibis
- Glossy Ibis
- White-faced Ibis
- Glossy x White-faced Ibis (hybrid)
- Glossy/White-faced Ibis
- Roseate Spoonbill

### Vultures, Hawks, and Allies

- Black Vulture
- Turkey Vulture
- Osprey
- White-tailed Kite
- Swallow-tailed Kite
- Golden Eagle
- Mississippi Kite
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Sharp-shinned/Cooper's Hawk

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- Northern Goshawk
- Accipiter sp.
- Bald Eagle
- Red-shouldered Hawk
- Broad-winged Hawk
- Swainson's Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk
- Ferruginous Hawk
- Buteo sp.
- Buteo/eagle sp.
- hawk sp.
- eagle sp.

**Owls**

- Barn Owl
- Eastern Screech-Owl
- Snowy Owl
- Great Horned Owl
- Northern Hawk Owl
- Burrowing Owl
- Barred Owl
- Great Gray Owl
- Long-eared Owl
- Short-eared Owl
- Boreal Owl
- Northern Saw-whet Owl
- owl sp.

**Kingfishers**

- Belted Kingfisher

**Woodpeckers**

- Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
- Red-breasted Sapsucker
- Lewis's Woodpecker
- Red-headed Woodpecker
- Acorn Woodpecker
- Red-bellied Woodpecker
- Black-backed Woodpecker
- Downy Woodpecker
- Hairy Woodpecker
- Downy/Hairy Woodpecker
- Pileated Woodpecker
- Northern Flicker
- woodpecker sp.

**Falcons and Caracaras**

- Crested Caracara
- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Gyrfalcon
- Peregrine Falcon
- Prairie Falcon
- large falcon sp.
- small falcon sp.
- falcon sp.
- diurnal raptor sp.

**Parrots, Parakeets, and Allies**

- Budgerigar
- Monk Parakeet
- Carolina Parakeet

**Tyrant Flycatchers: Pewees, Kingbirds, and Allies**

- Olive-sided Flycatcher
- Western Wood-Pewee
- Eastern Wood-Pewee
- Western/Eastern Wood-Pewee
- Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
- Acadian Flycatcher
- Alder Flycatcher
- Willow Flycatcher
- Alder/Willow Flycatcher (Trail's Flycatcher)
- Least Flycatcher
- Pacific-slope/Cordilleran Flycatcher (Western Flycatcher)
- Empidonax sp.
- Eastern Phoebe
- Say's Phoebe
- Vermilion Flycatcher
- Great Crested Flycatcher
- Western Kingbird
- Eastern Kingbird
- Scissor-tailed Flycatcher
- Fork-tailed Flycatcher
- new world flycatcher sp.

**Vireos**

- White-eyed Vireo
- Bell's Vireo
- Yellow-throated Vireo
- Blue-headed Vireo
- solitary vireo sp.
- Philadelphia Vireo
- Warbling Vireo

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Philadelphia/Warbling Vireo  
 Red-eyed Vireo  
 vireo sp.

**Shrikes**

Loggerhead Shrike  
 Northern Shrike  
 Loggerhead/Northern Shrike  
 shrike sp.

**Jays, Magpies, Crows, and Ravens**

Canada Jay  
 Pinyon Jay  
 Blue Jay  
 Black-billed Magpie  
 Clark's Nutcracker  
 American Crow  
 Fish Crow  
 American/Fish Crow  
 crow sp.  
 Common Raven  
 crow/raven sp.

**Tits, Chickadees, and Titmice**

Black-capped Chickadee  
 Boreal Chickadee  
 Tufted Titmouse

**Larks**

Horned Lark

**Martins and Swallows**

Northern Rough-winged Swallow  
 Purple Martin  
 Tree Swallow

Violet-green Swallow  
 Bank Swallow  
 Barn Swallow  
 Cliff Swallow  
 Cave Swallow  
 Cliff/Cave Swallow  
 swallow sp.

**Kinglets**

Ruby-crowned Kinglet  
 Golden-crowned Kinglet

**Nuthatches**

Red-breasted Nuthatch  
 White-breasted Nuthatch  
 Pygmy Nuthatch

**Treecreepers**

Brown Creeper

**Gnatcatchers**

Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

**Wrens**

Rock Wren  
 House Wren  
 Pacific Wren  
 Winter Wren  
 Sedge Wren  
 Marsh Wren  
 Carolina Wren  
 Bewick's Wren  
 wren sp.

**Starlings and Mynas**

European Starling

**Catbirds, Mockingbirds, and Thrashers**

Gray Catbird  
 Curve-billed Thrasher  
 Brown Thrasher  
 Sage Thrasher  
 Northern Mockingbird

**Thrushes**

Eastern Bluebird  
 Mountain Bluebird  
 Townsend's Solitaire  
 Varied Thrush  
 Veery  
 Gray-cheeked Thrush  
 Swainson's Thrush  
 Hermit Thrush  
 Catharus sp.  
 Wood Thrush  
 American Robin  
 thrush sp.

**Waxwings**

Bohemian Waxwing  
 Cedar Waxwing

**Old World Sparrows**

House Sparrow  
 Eurasian Tree Sparrow  
 House x Eurasian Tree Sparrow (hybrid)  
 House/Eurasian Tree Sparrow  
 Passer sp.

**Wagtails and Pipits**

American Pipit

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Sprague's Pipit

### Finches, Euphonias, and Allies

Brambling  
 Evening Grosbeak  
 Pine Grosbeak  
 Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch  
 House Finch  
 Purple Finch  
 House/Purple Finch  
 Common Redpoll  
 Hoary Redpoll  
 Red Crossbill  
 White-winged Crossbill  
 Pine Siskin  
 Lesser Goldfinch  
 American Goldfinch  
 Spinus sp.  
 finch sp.

### Longspurs and Snow Buntings

Lapland Longspur  
 Chestnut-collared Longspur  
 Smith's Longspur  
 longspur sp.  
 Snow Bunting

### New World Sparrows

Grasshopper Sparrow  
 Chipping Sparrow  
 Clay-colored Sparrow  
 Field Sparrow  
 Spizella sp.

Black-throated Sparrow  
 Lark Sparrow  
 Lark Bunting  
 American Tree Sparrow  
 Fox Sparrow  
 Dark-eyed Junco  
 White-crowned Sparrow  
 Golden-crowned Sparrow  
 Harris's Sparrow  
 White-throated Sparrow  
 White-crowned x White-throated Sparrow  
 (hybrid)  
 Dark-eyed Junco x White-throated Sparrow  
 (hybrid)  
 Vesper Sparrow  
 LeConte's Sparrow  
 Nelson's Sparrow  
 LeConte's/Nelson's Sparrow  
 Nelson's/Saltmarsh Sparrow (Sharp-tailed  
 Sparrow)  
 Ammospiza sp.  
 Savannah Sparrow  
 Baird's Sparrow  
 Henslow's Sparrow  
 Song Sparrow  
 Lincoln's Sparrow  
 Swamp Sparrow  
 Green-tailed Towhee  
 Spotted Towhee  
 Eastern Towhee  
 Spotted x Eastern Towhee (hybrid)  
 Spotted/Eastern Towhee (Rufous-sided Towhee)  
 towhee sp.

new world sparrow sp.

### Yellow-breasted Chat

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### Blackbirds

Yellow-headed Blackbird  
 Bobolink  
 Western Meadowlark  
 Eastern Meadowlark  
 Western/Eastern Meadowlark  
 Orchard Oriole  
 Hooded Oriole  
 Bullock's Oriole  
 Baltimore Oriole  
 Bullock's x Baltimore Oriole (hybrid)  
 Scott's Oriole  
 new world oriole sp.  
 Red-winged Blackbird  
 Brown-headed Cowbird  
 Rusty Blackbird  
 Brewer's Blackbird  
 Rusty/Brewer's Blackbird  
 Common Grackle  
 Great-tailed Grackle  
 grackle sp.  
 blackbird sp.

### Wood-Warblers

Ovenbird  
 Worm-eating Warbler  
 Louisiana Waterthrush  
 Northern Waterthrush

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- Louisiana/Northern Waterthrush
- Golden-winged Warbler
- Blue-winged Warbler
- Golden-winged x Blue-winged Warbler (hybrid)
- Brewster's Warbler (hybrid)
- Lawrence's Warbler (hybrid)
- Golden-winged/Blue-winged Warbler
- Black-and-white Warbler
- Prothonotary Warbler
- Swainson's Warbler
- Tennessee Warbler
- Orange-crowned Warbler
- Nashville Warbler
- Leiothlypis sp.
- Connecticut Warbler
- MacGillivray's Warbler
- Mourning Warbler
- Connecticut/MacGillivray's/Mourning Warbler
- MacGillivray's/Mourning Warbler
- Kentucky Warbler
- Common Yellowthroat
- Hooded Warbler
- American Redstart
- Cape May Warbler
- Cerulean Warbler
- Northern Parula
- Cerulean Warbler x Northern Parula (hybrid)
- Magnolia Warbler
- Bay-breasted Warbler
- Blackburnian Warbler

- Yellow Warbler
- Chestnut-sided Warbler
- Blackpoll Warbler
- Bay-breasted/Blackpoll Warbler
- Black-throated Blue Warbler
- Palm Warbler
- Pine Warbler
- Yellow-rumped Warbler
- Yellow-throated Warbler
- Northern Parula x Yellow-throated Warbler (hybrid)
- Prairie Warbler
- Black-throated Gray Warbler
- Townsend's Warbler
- Black-throated Green Warbler
- Setophaga sp.
- Canada Warbler
- Wilson's Warbler
- new world warbler sp.

#### **Cardinals, Grosbeaks, and Allies**

- Summer Tanager
- Scarlet Tanager
- Western Tanager
- tanager sp. (Piranga sp.)
- Northern Cardinal
- Yellow Grosbeak
- Rose-breasted Grosbeak
- Black-headed Grosbeak
- Rose-breasted/Black-headed Grosbeak
- Blue Grosbeak
- Lazuli Bunting

- Indigo Bunting
- Painted Bunting
- Dickcissel

**Others**

- passerine sp.
- bird sp.

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