

APPENDIX 1

Checklist: Birds of Nunavut

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Currently, a full 295 species of birds have been documented as occurring in Nunavut. As well, breeding evidence has been confirmed for 145 species (those marked “*”). It should be noted that two species marked “E” are (or are considered to be) extinct.

Space to check species has been provided. As well, a box at the end of this section is provided to enable you to add any additional (new) species either seen or documented as breeding within Nunavut.

✓ SPECIES
Ducks, Geese, and Swans
<input type="checkbox"/> Snow Goose*
<input type="checkbox"/> Ross's Goose*
<input type="checkbox"/> Graylag Goose
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater White-fronted Goose*
<input type="checkbox"/> Brant*
<input type="checkbox"/> Barnacle Goose
<input type="checkbox"/> Cackling Goose*
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Goose*
<input type="checkbox"/> Trumpeter Swan
<input type="checkbox"/> Tundra Swan*
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Duck
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-winged Teal
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shoveler*
<input type="checkbox"/> Gadwall
<input type="checkbox"/> American Wigeon*
<input type="checkbox"/> Mallard*
<input type="checkbox"/> American Black Duck*
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Pintail*
<input type="checkbox"/> Green-winged Teal*
<input type="checkbox"/> Canvasback
<input type="checkbox"/> Redhead
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-necked Duck
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Scaup*
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Scaup*
<input type="checkbox"/> Steller's Eider
<input type="checkbox"/> King Eider*
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Eider*
<input type="checkbox"/> Harlequin Duck*
<input type="checkbox"/> Surf Scoter*
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Scoter*
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Scoter*
<input type="checkbox"/> Long-tailed Duck*
<input type="checkbox"/> Bufflehead
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Goldeneye*
<input type="checkbox"/> Barrow's Goldeneye
<input type="checkbox"/> Hooded Merganser*

✓ SPECIES
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Merganser*
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Merganser*
Pheasants, Grouse, and Allies
<input type="checkbox"/> Spruce Grouse*
<input type="checkbox"/> Willow Ptarmigan*
<input type="checkbox"/> Rock Ptarmigan*
<input type="checkbox"/> Sharp-tailed Grouse*
Grebes
<input type="checkbox"/> Pied-billed Grebe*
<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Grebe*
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-necked Grebe
Pigeons and Doves
<input type="checkbox"/> Passenger Pigeon (E)
<input type="checkbox"/> White-winged Dove
<input type="checkbox"/> Mourning Dove
Cuckoos
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-billed Cuckoo
Nightjars and Allies
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Nighthawk
Swifts
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Swift
<input type="checkbox"/> Chimney Swift
Hummingbirds
<input type="checkbox"/> Rufous Hummingbird
Rails, Gallinules, and Coots
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow Rail
<input type="checkbox"/> Corn Crake
<input type="checkbox"/> Virginia Rail
<input type="checkbox"/> Sora
<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Gallinule
<input type="checkbox"/> American Coot
Cranes
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandhill Crane*
<input type="checkbox"/> Whooping Crane
Stilts and Avocets
<input type="checkbox"/> American Avocet

✓ SPECIES
Plovers and Lapwings
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Lapwing
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-bellied Plover*
<input type="checkbox"/> American Golden-Plover*
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Ringed Plover*
<input type="checkbox"/> Semipalmated Plover*
<input type="checkbox"/> Piping Plover
<input type="checkbox"/> Killdeer*
Sandpipers and Allies
<input type="checkbox"/> Upland Sandpiper
<input type="checkbox"/> Whimbrel*
<input type="checkbox"/> Eskimo Curlew* (E)
<input type="checkbox"/> Long-billed Curlew
<input type="checkbox"/> Hudsonian Godwit*
<input type="checkbox"/> Marbled Godwit*
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruddy Turnstone*
<input type="checkbox"/> Red Knot*
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruff
<input type="checkbox"/> Stilt Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Sanderling*
<input type="checkbox"/> Dunlin*
<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Baird's Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Least Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> White-rumped Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Buff-breasted Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Pectoral Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Semipalmated Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Sandpiper
<input type="checkbox"/> Short-billed Dowitcher*
<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Snipe*
<input type="checkbox"/> Spotted Sandpiper*
<input type="checkbox"/> Solitary Sandpiper
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Yellowlegs*
<input type="checkbox"/> Greater Yellowlegs
<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Phalarope

✓ SPECIES
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-necked Phalarope*
<input type="checkbox"/> Red Phalarope*
Skuas and Jaegers
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Skua
<input type="checkbox"/> Pomarine Jaeger*
<input type="checkbox"/> Parasitic Jaeger*
<input type="checkbox"/> Long-tailed Jaeger*
Auks, Murres, and Puffins
<input type="checkbox"/> Dovekie*
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Murre
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick-billed Murre*
<input type="checkbox"/> Razorbill*
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Guillemot*
<input type="checkbox"/> Atlantic Puffin*
<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Puffin
<input type="checkbox"/> Tufted Puffin
Gulls, Terns, and Skimmers
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-legged Kittiwake*
<input type="checkbox"/> Ivory Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Sabine's Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Bonaparte's Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-headed Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Little Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Ross's Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Franklin's Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Mew Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Ring-billed Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> California Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Herring Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Iceland Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Black-backed Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Slaty-backed Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Glaucous-winged Gull
<input type="checkbox"/> Glaucous Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Black-backed Gull*
<input type="checkbox"/> Caspian Tern*
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Tern
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Tern*
<input type="checkbox"/> Arctic Tern*
Loons
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-throated Loon*
<input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Loon*
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Loon*
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-billed Loon*
Albatrosses
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-browed Albatross
Shearwaters and Petrels
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Fulmar*
<input type="checkbox"/> Short-tailed Shearwater
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Shearwater
Storm-Petrels
<input type="checkbox"/> Leach's Storm-Petrel

✓ SPECIES
Boobies and Gannets
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Gannet
Cormorants and Shags
<input type="checkbox"/> Double-crested Cormorant*
Pelicans
<input type="checkbox"/> American White Pelican*
Hérons, Egrets, and Bitterns
<input type="checkbox"/> American Bittern*
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Blue Heron
<input type="checkbox"/> Cattle Egret
New World Vultures
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey Vulture
Osprey
<input type="checkbox"/> Osprey*
Hawks, Eagles, and Kites
<input type="checkbox"/> Bald Eagle*
<input type="checkbox"/> White-tailed Eagle
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Harrier*
<input type="checkbox"/> Sharp-shinned Hawk
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Goshawk
<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Hawk
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-tailed Hawk
<input type="checkbox"/> Rough-legged Hawk*
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden Eagle*
Owls
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Horned Owl
<input type="checkbox"/> Snowy Owl*
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Hawk Owl
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Gray Owl
<input type="checkbox"/> Long-eared Owl
<input type="checkbox"/> Short-eared Owl*
Kingfishers
<input type="checkbox"/> Belted Kingfisher
Woodpeckers
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Sapsucker
<input type="checkbox"/> Downy Woodpecker
<input type="checkbox"/> Hairy Woodpecker*
<input type="checkbox"/> American Three-toed Woodpecker
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-backed Woodpecker*
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Flicker*
<input type="checkbox"/> Pileated Woodpecker
Falcons and Caracaras
<input type="checkbox"/> American Kestrel*
<input type="checkbox"/> Merlin*
<input type="checkbox"/> Gyrfalcon*
<input type="checkbox"/> Peregrine Falcon*
Tyrant Flycatchers
<input type="checkbox"/> Olive-sided Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-bellied Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/> Alder Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Phoebe
<input type="checkbox"/> Say's Phoebe*

✓ SPECIES
<input type="checkbox"/> Great Crested Flycatcher
<input type="checkbox"/> Western Kingbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Eastern Kingbird
<input type="checkbox"/> Fork-tailed Flycatcher
Shrikes
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Shrike*
Vireos
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue-headed Vireo
<input type="checkbox"/> Philadelphia Vireo
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-eyed Vireo
Crows, Jays, and Magpies
<input type="checkbox"/> Canada Jay*
<input type="checkbox"/> Blue Jay
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-billed Magpie
<input type="checkbox"/> American Crow*
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Raven*
Larks
<input type="checkbox"/> Horned Lark*
Swallows
<input type="checkbox"/> Purple Martin
<input type="checkbox"/> Tree Swallow
<input type="checkbox"/> Violet-green Swallow
<input type="checkbox"/> Bank Swallow
<input type="checkbox"/> Cliff Swallow*
<input type="checkbox"/> Barn Swallow*
Chickadees and Titmice
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-capped Chickadee
<input type="checkbox"/> Boreal Chickadee*
Nuthatches
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-breasted Nuthatch*
Treecreepers
<input type="checkbox"/> Brown Creeper
Wrens
<input type="checkbox"/> House Wren
<input type="checkbox"/> Winter Wren
Kinglets
<input type="checkbox"/> Golden-crowned Kinglet
<input type="checkbox"/> Ruby-crowned Kinglet*
Leaf Warblers
<input type="checkbox"/> Arctic Warbler
Old World Flycatchers
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Wheatear*
Thrushes and Allies
<input type="checkbox"/> Mountain Bluebird*
<input type="checkbox"/> Townsend's Solitaire
<input type="checkbox"/> Gray-cheeked Thrush*
<input type="checkbox"/> Swainson's Thrush
<input type="checkbox"/> Hermit Thrush*
<input type="checkbox"/> Wood Thrush
<input type="checkbox"/> Fieldfare
<input type="checkbox"/> American Robin*
<input type="checkbox"/> Varied Thrush

