Juneau - Airport Dike Trail-Mendenhall Wetlands Species Checkli

ALASKA BIRDING TRAIL

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Seasons:

Spring: March–May

Fall: August–November

Summer: June and July

Winter: December–February

Frequency Classification:

C = Common: Occurs in essentially all suitable habitats during appropriate seasons, with certain species at times abundant; species should be easy to find.

F = Fairly common: Occurs in some or most suitable habitats during appropriate seasons, but less abundant and at times few in number; species often found.

U = Uncommon: Occurs in relatively small numbers; species not observed regularly even in proper habitats.

R = Rare: Either found in restricted habitat, or occurs most years in small numbers; species difficult to find.

V = Very Rare: A species beyond its normal range that may occur intermittently and in very small numbers.

+ = Accidental: Only one or two historical records to date.

Guild	Species	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ American Wigeon*	С	U	С	U
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Barrow's Goldeneye*	С	U	С	С
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Blue-winged Teal*	U	U	U	_
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Bufflehead	С	V	С	С
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Canada Goose*	С	F	С	F
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Canvasback	R	V	R	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Cinnamon Teal	R	R	_	_
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Common Goldeneye*	F	R	F	F
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Common Merganser*	С	F	С	F
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Eurasian Wigeon	R	V	V	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Gadwall*	U	R	U	R
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Greater Scaup*	С	R	С	F
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Green-winged Teal*	С	U	С	U
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Harlequin Duck*	F	F	F	F
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Hooded Merganser*	U	R	U	U
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Lesser Scaup*	F	R	F	R
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Mallard*	С	С	С	С
Swans, Geese, Ducks	□ Northern Pintail*	С	U	С	U
Swans, Geese, Ducks	□ Northern Shoveler*	F	U	F	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Red-breasted Merganser*	F	U	F	F
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Redhead*	R	V	R	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Ring-necked Duck*	U	R	U	R
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Trumpeter Swan*	U	R	U	U
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Tundra Swan	U	_	U	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ Wood Duck	V	+	V	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks	☐ American Black Duck	+	_	_	+

Owens Occas D. I		Brant (Black)	U	R	D	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks		Brant (Black)	U	V	R U	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks		Cackling Goose Common Eider*	V	V	V	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks		Emperor Goose	V V	V +	V +	V +
Swans, Geese, Ducks	_	Greater White-fronted Goose	v F	V	U	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks		Ross's Goose	+		U	V
Swans, Geese, Ducks		Snow Goose	U	_	– U	_
Swans, Geese, Ducks	_	_	С	+	С	+ C
Grouse, Ptarmigan		Sooty Grouse*	F	С		
Loons		Common Loon*	F	U	F	U
Loons		Red-throated Loon*	=	F	F	R
Grebes		Pied-billed Grebe*	V	+	R	V
Cormorants		Double-crested Cormorant*	U	R	U	U
Cormorants		Brandt's Cormorant*	R	R	R	R
Cormorants		Pelagic Cormorant*	С	F	С	C
Cormorants		Red-faced Cormorant	_	_	_	+
Herons, Bitterns		American Bittern*	V	R	V	_
Herons, Bitterns		Black-crowned Night-Heron	+	+	_	_
Herons, Bitterns		Great Blue Heron*	F	F	F	U
Herons, Bitterns		Green Heron	_	+	_	_
Herons, Bitterns	Ш	Cattle Egret	_	_	V	+
Herons, Bitterns		Great Egret	+	+	+	+
Herons, Bitterns		Tricolored Heron	+	_	_	_
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Bald Eagle*	С	С	С	С
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Osprey*	R	R	R	_
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Steller's Sea-Eagle	+	+	+	+
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Northern Harrier*	U	V	U	V
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Red-tailed Hawk*	U	U	U	V
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Rough-legged Hawk	R	+	R	V
Hawks, Eagles, etc.		Sharp-shinned Hawk*	F	U	F	R
Falcons		American Kestrel*	U	V	U	V
Falcons		Gyrfalcon	V	_	V	V
Falcons		Merlin*	U	R	U	R
Falcons		Peregrine Falcon*	R	R	R	V
Rails, Coots		American Coot	R	+	R	R
Rails, Coots		Sora*	R	R	R	+
Rails, Coots		Virginia Rail	V	V	+	+
Cranes		Sandhill Crane*	U	R	U	V
Plovers		American Golden-Plover	U	R	U	_
Plovers		Black-bellied Plover	F	R	F	+
Plovers		European Golden-Plover	_	_	_	+
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Plovers	Killdeer*	U	U	U	R
Plovers	Pacific Golden-Plover	U	_	U	_
Plovers	Semipalmated Plover*	F	F	F	+
Oystercatchers	Black Oystercatcher*	U	U	U	R
Avocets	American Avocet	_	+	_	_
Sandpipers	Greater Yellowlegs*	С	F	С	V
Sandpipers	Lesser Yellowlegs*	U	U	F	_
Sandpipers	Red-necked Phalarope*	С	U	С	+
Sandpipers	Solitary Sandpiper*	R	R	R	_
Sandpipers	Spotted Sandpiper*	F	F	F	+
Sandpipers	Wilson's Phalarope	V	V	V	_
Sandpipers	Least Sandpiper*	С	U	С	_
Sandpipers	Pectoral Sandpiper	F	R	F	_
Sandpipers	Sharp-tailed Sandpiper	V	_	R	_
Sandpipers	Short-billed Dowitcher*	F	R	F	_
Sandpipers	Stilt Sandpiper	V	V	R	_
Sandpipers	Upland Sandpiper	V	V	V	_
Sandpipers	Whimbrel	U	R	U	_
Sandpipers	Wilson's Snipe*	F	F	F	R
Sandpipers	Baird's Sandpiper	U	R	U	_
Sandpipers	Bar-tailed Godwit	V	+	V	_
Sandpipers	Black Turnstone	F	R	F	F
Sandpipers	Bristle-thighed Curlew	+	_	_	_
Sandpipers	Buff-breasted sandpiper	+	_	V	_
Sandpipers	Curlew Sandpiper	+	_	+	_
Sandpipers	Dunlin	С	+	U	U
Sandpipers	Hudsonian Godwit	R	R	V	_
Sandpipers	Long-billed Dowitcher	U	R	U	+
Sandpipers	Long-toed Stint	+	_	_	_
Sandpipers	Marbled Godwit	R	+	V	_
Sandpipers	Red Knot	R	+	V	_
Sandpipers	Red-necked Stint	_	+	+	_
Sandpipers	Rock Sandpiper	F	+	F	F
Sandpipers	Ruddy Turnstone	F	U	F	_
Sandpipers	Ruff	V	_	V	_
Sandpipers	Sanderling	U	R	U	R
Sandpipers	Semipalmated Sandpiper	U	R	U	_
Sandpipers	Surfbird	U	R	U	R
Sandpipers	Wandering Tattler	U	U	U	_
Sandpipers	Western Sandpiper	С	U	С	_

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Sandpipers		White-rumped Sandpiper	+	+	+	_
Gulls, Terns		Aleutian Tern*	R	R	+	_
Gulls, Terns		Arctic Tern*	F	F	F	_
Gulls, Terns	Ц	Bonaparte's Gull*	С	F	С	V
Gulls, Terns		Glaucous Gull	R	V	R	R
Gulls, Terns		Glaucous-winged Gull*	С	С	С	С
Gulls, Terns		Herring Gull*	С	F	С	F
Gulls, Terns		Mew Gull*	С	С	С	С
Gulls, Terns		Ring-billed Gull	R	R	R	V
Gulls, Terns		Black Tern	+	_	+	_
Gulls, Terns		Black-headed Gull	_	+	+	_
Gulls, Terns		Black-legged Kittiwake*	F	U	F	R
Gulls, Terns		Black-tailed Gull	_	+	+	_
Gulls, Terns		California Gull	R	R	U	+
Gulls, Terns		Caspian Tern*	R	R	R	_
Gulls, Terns		Franklin's Gull	+	V	V	_
Gulls, Terns		Heermann's Gull	_	_	V	_
Gulls, Terns		Ivory Gull	_	+	+	_
Gulls, Terns		Lesser Black-backed Gull	+	+	+	+
Gulls, Terns		Little Gull	V	_	+	_
Gulls, Terns		Sabine's Gull	R	V	R	_
Gulls, Terns		Slaty-backed Gull	V	_	V	V
Gulls, Terns		Thayer's Gull	F	R	F	U
Gulls, Terns		Western Gull	V	+	R	V
Jaegers		Parasitic Jaeger*	U	U	U	_
Alcids		Ancient Murrelet*	F	F	F	U
Alcids		Cassin's Auklet*	U	U	U	U
Alcids		Common Murre*	С	F	С	С
Alcids		Horned Puffin*	R	R	R	V
Alcids		Marbled Murrelet*	С	С	С	С
Alcids		Parakeet Auklet*	R	+	+	+
Alcids		Pigeon Guillemot*	С	С	U	U
Alcids		Rhinoceros Auklet*	F	F	F	V
Alcids		Thick-billed Murre*	R	R	R	R
Alcids		Tufted Puffin*	U	U	U	V
Pigeons, Doves		Mourning Dove	V	V	R	+
Pigeons, Doves		Rock Pigeon*	F	F	F	F
Owls	\Box	Short-eared Owl*	U	V	F	R
Owls		Snowy Owl	+	_	V	V
Nighthawks		Common Nighthawk*	_	R	R	_
Manual	_	Common ragination				

Swifts	Black Swift*	+	R	R	_
Swifts	Vaux's Swift*	U	U	U	_
Hummingbirds	Rufous Hummingbird*	С	С	U	+
Kingfishers	Belted Kingfisher*	F	F	F	F
Flycatchers	Alder Flycatcher*	R	U	U	_
Flycatchers	Eastern Kingbird	_	V	V	_
Flycatchers	Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	_	V	_	_
Flycatchers	Western Kingbird	+	V	+	_
Shrikes	Northern Shrike	U	_	U	R
Jays, Crows	American Crow*	R	R	R	R
Jays, Crows	Black-billed Magpie*	U	R	F	F
Jays, Crows	Common Raven*	С	С	С	С
Jays, Crows	Northwestern Crow*	С	С	С	С
Larks	Horned Lark	R	V	R	V
Swallows	Bank Swallow*	U	U	U	_
Swallows	Barn Swallow*	F	F	F	_
Swallows	Cliff Swallow*	R	R	R	_
Swallows	Northern Rough-winged Swallow*	R	R	V	_
Swallows	Tree Swallow*	F	F	F	_
Swallows	Violet-green Swallow*	F	U	U	_
Wrens	Winter Wren*	С	С	С	U
Dippers	American Dipper*	F	F	F	F
Thrushes	American Robin*	С	С	С	R
Thrushes	Mountain Bluebird	R	V	V	V
Thrushes	Varied Thrush*	С	С	С	U
Thrushes	Northern Wheatear	+	_	V	_
Starlings	European Starling*	U	U	U	U
Wagtails, Pipits	American Pipit*	С	F	С	V
Wagtails, Pipits	Red-throated Pipit	_	_	V	_
Wagtails, Pipits	Eastern Yellow Wagtail	_	+	+	_
Wagtails, Pipits	White Wagtail	+	+	+	+
Warblers	Common Yellowthroat*	U	U	U	_
Sparrows	American Tree Sparrow	U	+	U	R
Sparrows	Chipping Sparrow*	R	R	R	V
Sparrows	Dark-eyed Junco - Oregon*	С	С	С	С
Sparrows	Dark-eyed Junco - Slate-colored*	U	V	U	F
Sparrows	Lincoln's Sparrow*	С	С	С	R
Sparrows	Savannah Sparrow*	C	С	C	V
Sparrows	Song Sparrow*	F	F	F	U
Sparrows	Swamp Sparrow	+	+	V	V

Sparrows	Lapland Longspur	U	_	U	V
Sparrows	McKay's Bunting	_	_	_	+
Sparrows	Smith's Longspur	+	_	V	_
Sparrows	Snow Bunting*	U	R	U	U
Sparrows	Vesper Sparrow	_	+	_	_
Blackbirds	Bobolink	_	+	+	_
Blackbirds	Brewer's Blackbird	V	_	V	V
Blackbirds	Brown-headed Cowbird*	R	R	R	+
Blackbirds	Common Grackle	+	_	+	+
Blackbirds	Red-winged Blackbird*	U	U	U	V
Blackbirds	Rusty Blackbird*	U	R	U	R
Blackbirds	Western Meadowlark	+	_	V	V
Blackbirds	Yellow-headed Blackbird	+	+	+	_
Finches	Brambling	V	_	V	V
Finches	Common Redpoll*	F	U	F	F
Finches	Hoary Redpoll	V	_	_	R
Finches	Gray-crowned Rosy Finch*	U	U	U	R

Species information compiled from:

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