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Mapping Bird Migrations—Part III

Using Google Maps Measure Bird Migration

ALASKA

How far did each bird fly
from banding site to final
recapture site?



Pacific Brant:

_____ Miles



Dunlin:

_____ Miles



Pacific Golden-plover:

_____ Miles



Northern Goshawk:

_____ Miles



Tundra Swan:

_____ Miles

DISCUSSION & THINKING QUESTIONS: (WRITE YOUR THOUGHTS BELOW)

- Did any of the birds get close to each other? How do the birds keep their energy up on their journeys?
- The birds visited protected places along their journeys. Birds need food and shelter when they migrate. What makes these places special? Are there forests and water nearby?
- Now that you know how to track things in Google Maps, what else could you collect data on and map?