

62ND ANNUAL SASKATCHEWAN CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT-2003.

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The Counts

This winter Christmas Bird Counts were conducted in 97 localities. This brings the total number of counts conducted since the first count in 1913 to 3,150 in over 300 localities across the province.

Although the average number of years each of these counts had been held is 10, 200 localities have held counts for fewer than 6 years while 50 localities have had counts for 20 years or more. The record for the most counts at one locality is 58 at Saskatoon, with Kenaston and Regina tied for second with 55.

As both Saskatoon and Regina have missed years in the late 1940s or early 1950s, the nod for most consecutive years of bird counts goes to Kenaston with 55 consecutive years. Lawrence Beckie began the count under the name of Bladworth. A few years later the count name was changed to that of nearby Kenaston, but not a single count has been missed since he began in 1949. Congratulations to Lawrence Beckie for this remarkable achievement!

On the other end of the scale, four new counts were established this year. They are Calder, Esterhazy-Hazelcliffe, Nisbet Forest Northwest, and Spruce Home Southwest. A count at Punnichy was conducted for the first time since 1976. Hats off to these new observers; let's hope these counts are also continued for 55 years straight!

Old count or new, 847 observers participated this winter, the third highest number in the history of the Saskatchewan CBC. This brings the number of observers to over 12,000. We have no idea as to the number of different observers involved but they must number in the thousands.

The birds

This year 90 species were recorded on count day with an additional four recorded

during the count period. Only 107,000 birds were recorded, substantially fewer than last year's record of 173,000. This was partly because observers were unable to conduct a count at Coronach this winter. Last winter this count hosted over 46,000 waterfowl.

As usual, Saskatoon led all counts with 41 species on count day. Six other counts had 30 or more species. Fort Walsh, a perennial challenger to Saskatoon for the most species on count day, had only 26 species. This is the first time since 1994 that this count has had so few species.

Population trends

Waterfowl numbers were down, in part due to the absence of the Coronach count. Gallinaceous birds were up tremendously over both last year and the previous five years (Table 7). Lack of snow over the previous winter may have improved survivorship over the winter, while last summer's grasshopper outbreak may have allowed for a high production of young.

Most diurnal birds of prey were up, while the results for owls were mixed. Woodpeckers were either stable, or in the case of Black-backed and Pileated Woodpeckers, up substantially.

Concerns about the possible effects of West Nile Virus on members of the crow family were not reflected in the changes in the numbers of this group. Horned Larks, Lapland Longspurs and Snow Buntings were down drastically from last year and previous years. These declines may not, however, be real. When there is no snow cover these species are not forced to frequent roadsides where they may readily be seen. Instead they are dispersed and are difficult to see in stubble or against the background of a barren fallow field. Of the irruptive species, numbers of Bohemian Waxwing were down, but those of Red-

Blue Jay

breasted Nuthatches, both redpolls and White-winged Crossbills were up markedly. Birds attracted to feeders were mostly on the increase. These included the Dark-eyed Junco, House Finch and House Sparrow.

New Species

With a Christmas Bird Count list of 176 species, any addition to the list is bound to be a surprise. Two new species were added this year and they were indeed outstanding: two species of crane! One was a Sandhill Crane, the other was not a Whooping Crane but a Common Crane. The Sandhill was seen at an abandoned garbage dump near Yorkton on 30 December 2003, while the Common Crane was seen near Leader the previous day.

Kerry Wrishko was heading north from Leader when he saw an unusual crane with some cattle just north of the Leader Bridge. Kerry checked his bird books for but to no avail. A search of the internet convinced Kerry that it was a Common Crane. He later notified Daisy Myers who was conveniently conducting her Leader North count that day. Daisy was able to add the bird to her list. For more on the saga of this Eurasian waif see Kerry's article in this issue and Jason Herzog's photograph on page 6. With these two new species the Saskatchewan CBC list stands at 178 species.

Other rarities

Other rarities include the CBC's second Western Screech-Owl and Hermit Thrush. The owl, seen on the Govenlock count, was well documented, photographed and admired at length by several of the best birders in the province. Two of these birders, Val Harris and Sheila Lamont, kept up the family penchant for finding rarities by sighting a Hermit Thrush on the Estevan Count.

Count areas and participants

(Names of compilers are in italics).

1. ARCHERWILL. Faye Black, Lyle Black, Bill Carlson, Sharren Carlson, Joe Cooper, Joyce Cooper, Doris Dewhurst, Joanne Folstad, Ken Folstad, Gerald Hiron, Susan Hiron, Pauline Hnetka, *Elaine Hughes*,

Dorothy Klettberg, Willie Klettberg, Judy Revoy, Doris Slind.

2. ARMIT. *Val Harris*, Sheila Lamont.

3. BANGOR. Allan Bolton, *Lynn Bolton*, Aileen Haywood, Allan Haywood, John Maddaford, Leslie Maddaford.

4. BEAUVAL. Clara Sanderson, *Rick Sanderson*.

5. BETHUNE-DILKE. *Doug Laing*, Vera Laing.

6. BIGGAR. Dale Booth, Linda Schnedar, Brandon Wapple, *Guy Wapple*, Marguerite Wapple, Rob Wapple, Sandra Wapple.

7. BIG RIVER. Colleen Honig, *Glenn Honig*.

8. BIRCH HILLS. Carman Dodge, Margaret Mareschal, *Moe Mareschal*, Don Weidl.

9. BRIGHTWATER RESERVOIR. Blanca Xiomara Mora Alvarez, Doug Ebbert, Keith Hobson, Doug Peters, *Alan Smith*.

10. BROADVIEW. *David Chaskavich*, Lorraine Weidl, Don Weidl, Tony Weidl.

11. BROMHEAD. Martin Bailey, *Carol Bjorklund*, John Whitell.

12. CABRI. *Carman Dodge*.

13. CALDER. John Skinner, *Tim Wendell*.

14. CANDLE LAKE. Carman Dodge, Marg Mareschal, Moe Mareschal, *Don Weidl*.

15. CLARK'S CROSSING. Carol Blenkin, Lucille Bradatsch, Dave Cook, Louise Cook, Yvonne Cuttle, Lorne Duczek, Jennifer Froese, Kenneth Froese, Marilyn Haskins, Marlene Kalanack, Gerard Lahey, Carol Maccan, Bill MacKenzie, Brian McGill, Ted Melville, Keith Pahl, Wayne Shiels, Marten Stoffel, Rick Wallace, *Michael Williams*, Kay Willson, Phil Willson, Jim Wood.

16. CODETTE LAKE. *Doug Boivin*, Carman Dodge, Don Weidl.

17. CRAVEN. Betty Binnie, Jared Clarke, Ramona Clarke, Dave Cowley, Jim Cumming, Lewis Draper, Karen Elliott, Ruth Englund, Jon Herriot, *Trevor Herriot*, Phil Holloway, Penny Johnson, Bob Luterbach, Kevin Moore, Ron Myers, Jim Nordquist, Curtis Pollock.

18. CROOKED LAKE. *Boyd Metzler*, John Pollock.

19. CROOKED RIVER. *Margaret Mehler*, Morley Mehler.

20. CRYSTAL LAKE. *Bill Vaughan*, *Kay Vaughan*.

21. CYPRESS HILLS PROVINCIAL PARK (Centre Block). Al Hartley, Amy Krause, Daniel Krause, Rick Krause, Vicky Krause, David Larson, Margaret Larson, *Melody Nagel-Hisey*.
22. DUCK LAKE. Ed Driver, Keith Hobson, *Alan Smith*.
23. DUNDURN. *Alan Smith*, Don Weidl.
24. DUVAL. George Herber, Merv Hey, Susan McArthur, *Lloyd Saul*.
25. EMMA LAKE. Glen Hanson, Jean Hanson, *Deanna Krug*, Norman Krug.
26. ENDEAVOUR. *Norman Harris*, Dan Hort, Jake Hort.
27. ESTERHAZY-HAZELCLIFFE. Gunther Gauer, Barb Lee, Les Lee, Joan Petracek, Trevor Provick, Wayne Provick, *John Simpson*.
28. ESTEVAN. Cheryl Andrist, *Val Harris*, Sheila Lamont.
29. ESTUARY NORTH. Cathy Cocks, *Dean Francis*, Frances Hartsook, Walter Steinley.
30. FENTON. *Carman Dodge*, Moe Mareschal, Don Weidl.
31. FORT QU'APPELLE. Elizabeth Aitken, James Armstrong, Phyllis Bordass, Evelyn Chubak, Dorothy Falconhauser, Doreen Harman, *Ronald Hooper*, Alice Isfan, Lois Lamontagne, Vic Lamontagne, Jack Lowe, Jean McKenna, Allan Mlazgar, Webb Palmer, Paul Paquin, Fred Warren, Elaine Willox.
32. FORT WALSH. Al Hartley, Val Harris, Ron Jensen, Sheila Lamont, Susan McAdam, Wilkes Parsonage, *Guy Wapple*.
33. GARDINER DAM. Greg Fenty, Mary Gullacher, Val Harris, Stuart Houston, Jeff Jensen, Ron Jensen, Sig Jordheim, Sheila Lamont, Marten Stoffel, *Guy Wapple*, Dan Zazelenchuk.
34. GOOD SPIRIT LAKE. *Bill Anaka*, Joyce Anaka, Virginia Baron, Willie Baron, Dorothy Riesz, Ray Riesz, Lloyd Wilson, Marge Wilson, Julia Wiwchar.
35. GOVENLOCK. *Val Harris*, Ron Jensen, Rick Jones, Sheila Lamont, Susan McAdam, Wilkes Parsonage, Joe Saville, Guy Wapple.
36. GRASSLANDS NATIONAL PARK. Richard Cherepek, Susan Robertson, Colin Schmidt, Greg Scott, *Robert Sissons*.
37. GRAYSON. Carina Helm, *Charles Helm*, Karl Zimmer.
38. HARRIS. Brandon Wapple, *Guy Wapple*, Rob Wapple.
39. HEPBURN. Margaret Mehler, Morley Mehler, *Phyllis Siemens*.
40. HOLBIEN. *Helen Harris*.
41. HUDSON BAY WEST. Len Auger, Matthew Auger, Gail Cadrain, Monique Cadrain, Ian Daisley, *John Daisley*, Brett Lewis, Amy Nagus, Laurie Nielsen, Branden Reimer, Gloria Stang.
42. INDIANHEAD. Jan Beattie, Carol Beaulieu, Denise Beaulieu, Lauren Beaulieu, Mark Beaulieu, Victor Beaulieu, Chris Blair, Bruce Bottomley, Mel Brayford, Sheila Brayford, Peter Cozac, Kay Dixon, Mike Duran, Eileen Escott, Irv Escott, David Gehl, Roberta Gehl, Lansley Gibbens, Roy Hearn, Sharon Hearn, *Gord Howe*, Jim Jinks, Linda Jinks, Tim Keslering, Nick Kucharan, Sharil Kucharan, David Livingstone, Don Livingstone, Jean Livingstone, Dan Loran, Vivian Marten, Chris Nichols, Dora Nichols, Pat Nichols, Bob Nolan, Gladys Nolan, Jim Ollett, Marg Ollett, Tom Redding, Sandra Schreiner, Lorne Scott, Chad Skinner, Chris Skinner, Fred Skinner, Mindy Skinner, Rodney Soron, Ronald Thompson, Anne Willerth, Gord Willerth, Jackie Willoughby, Ken Willoughby, Barry Yan.
43. KAMSACK. George Bernard, Hazel Bernard, Agnes Betz, Don Brock, Marlon Brock, Fred Chernoff, Norma Chernoff, Jeff Conley, Nell Conley, Lindee Dewores, Pat Fisher, Helen Jellson, Gene Kinasevich, Peggy Kinasevich, Rudy Koenigbaur, Bill Koreluk, Bernie LaRocque, Laura Leoppkey, Adaline Nykolishen, Les Pool, Molly Pool, Sidney Rielkoff, *Isabel Ritchie*, Dave Severson, Elsie Severson, Bob Smandych, Don Smandych, Joan Smandych, Salma Smandych, Arlin Smordin, Evelyn Verigin, Ilona Zeiben.
44. KELVINGTON. Pat Finnie, *Dianne Sloan*, Marguerite Sloan.
45. KENASTON. Doug Beckie, *Lawrence Beckie*, Tyler Beckie.
46. KENOSEE LAKE. Boyd Metzler, *John Pollock*.
47. KITCHEN NORTH. *Dallas Fairburn*.
48. KINDERSLEY NORTH. *Jean Harris*, Keith Harris.
49. KINISTINO (HORSESHOE BEND). *Verna Messer*, Cindy Williams.
50. KINLOCH. Elaine Asbjournhus, *Don Forbes*, Cliff Logan, Doreen Wickstrom.
51. KUTAWAGAN LAKE. *Val Harris*, Sheila Lamont.
52. LA RONGE (North). *Dianne Allen*, Jim Mills, Peter Mizanski, Lynn Riese, John Schisler.

53. LA RONGE (South). Bonnie Hamilton, Joan Kidd, Robert Kidd, *Sid Robinson*, Keewatin Trottier, Sekwan Trottier, Tim Trottier, Tukwâkin Trottier, Karen Waters.
54. LAST MOUNTAIN LAKE N.W.A. *Val Harris*, Sheila Lamont.
55. LEADER NORTH. Paul Letkeman, *Daisy Meyers*, George Meyers, Kerry Wrishko.
56. LOVE - TORCH RIVER. Carol Blenkin, *Bert Dalziel*, Duke Dalziel, Joan Dalziel, Kari Dalziel, Sara Dalziel, Scott Edwards, Rosanne Kirkpatrick, Eileen L'Heureux, Paul L'Heureux, Bill Matthews, Lynn Matthews, Lillian Nessel, David Pratt.
57. LUSELAND. Estelle Finley, Graeme Finley, *Kim Finley*, Liam Finley, Robert Finley, Valerie Finley, Brent Honeker, Shirley Honeker, Levi Honeker.
58. MACDOWALL. *Myron Barton*.
59. MAYVIEW. *Judith Graham*.
60. MEADOW LAKE. Bill Caldwell, Janet Caldwell, Don McGinnis, Linda McGinnis, Joe Twidale, Lorraine Twidale, *Bob Wilson*.
61. MOOSE MOUNTAIN. *Greg Bobbitt*, Bob Cameron, Lucille Cameron, Ross Douglas.
62. NIPAWIN. *Carol Blenkin*, Vi Budd, Joyce Christiansen, Bert Dalzeil, Sara Dalzeil, Shirley Harstad, Wally Harstad, Jennette LeCuyer, Doug Phillips, Peter Phillips, Shane Phillips, Shirley Thresher, Sandy Youzwa.
63. NISBET FOREST NORTHWEST. Ralph Abrey, *Sandra Jewell*.
64. NISBET FOREST WEST. *Kim Clark*, Kiri Clark, Shamara Clark, Suzanne Clark, Patty Levesque, Bill Marshall, Evelyn Marshall, J. Perkin, Al Scarrow.
65. PIKE LAKE. Tony Allen, Carol Blenkin, John Bond, Donna Bruce, Jill Cornford, Peter Cornford, Yvonne Cuttle, Lorne Ducek, Bob Girvan, Mike Gollop, Mary Gullacher, Robert Johanson, Elaine Konkin, Fred Konkin, Carol Maccan, Margaret Massey, Ted Melville, Hilda Noton, Keith Pahl, *Frank Roy*, Mary Jean Roy, Angela Stern, Marten Stoffel, Kirk Wallace, Michael Williams, Margaret Woloshyn, Jim Wood.
66. PREECEVILLE. *Muriel Mitchell*, Mae Tunbridge.
67. PRINCE ALBERT. Lorelei Benoit, John Burt, Pamela Burt, Kim Clark, Kiri Clark, Shamara Clark, *Carman Dodge*, Keith Dodge, Christy Hansen, Sandra Jewell, Rae Ann Krug, Murray Little, Robyn Martens, Eric Mayer, Michael Newman, Sheryl Newman, Shyla Perreault, Fred Routley, John Rye, Don Weidl, Travis Wilkinson, Kari Willer.
68. PRINCE ALBERT NATIONAL PARK. Susan Carr, Monica Case, Al Cochet, Lorrie Collingwood, *Dan Frandsen*, Judy Frandsen, Scott Hamilton, Bernadette Horn, Herb Hudson, Brad Lloyd, Frances Lloyd, Fiona Moreland, Brad Muir, Adam Pidwerbeski, Lawrence Pidwerbeski, Samuel Pidwerbeski, Norm Stolle, Don Sinclair.
69. PUNNICHY. *Jason Benko*, Angela Lee.
70. QU' APPELLE VALLEY DAM. Carol Blenkin, John Boland, Robert Johanson, Carol Maccan, Stan Shadick, Jan Tedesco, Guy Wapple, *Michael Williams*, Jim Wood.
71. RAYMORE. *Val Harris*, Sheila Lamont.
72. REGINA. Keith Barr, Lionel Bonneville, Stephane Bonneville, John Burch, Jared Clarke, Jim Cummings, Lyn Dbroskofsky, Jim Elliot, Shirley Friel, Shirley Gerlock, Susan Graham, Jon Herriot, Trevor Herriot, *Dale Hjertaas*, Paule Hjertaas, Elaine Hopfner, Phyllis Ilesley, Linda Langenbacher, Rheel Laroche, Bob Luterbach, Lauren Mang, Jim Nordquist, Diether Peschken, Brian Rainey, Ed Rogers, Margaret Skeel, Diane Smith, Michael Soroski, Frank Switzer, May Switzer.
73. ROULEAU. Bernice Henderson, Allen McGratten, Noreen McGratten, Joyce Quigley, Clayton Spalding, *Pat Sterzuk*, Linda Thome, Sidni Thome, Ida Weigelt.
74. ROUND LAKE (Qu'Appelle Valley). *Doug Francis*, Boyd Metzler, John Pollock, Pat Ward.
75. SALTCOATS. Bill Anaka, Joyce Anaka, Robert Barnhart, Joan Farquharson, Walter Farquharson, Jim Jowsey, *Shirley Jowsey*, Rob Wilson.
76. SASKATCHEWAN LANDING PROVINCIAL PARK. Laurent Dudragne, Mary Ann Dudragne, Ryan Dudragne, Val Harris, Jeff Jensen, Julie Jensen, *Ron Jensen*, Sig Jordheim, Sheila Lamont, Sue McAdam, Bob Neufeldt, Chet Neufeldt, Dan Sawatzsky, Dillan Sawatzsky, Dan Zazelenchuk.
77. SASKATCHEWAN RIVER FORKS. Carman Dodge, *Don Weidl*.
78. SASKATOON. Don Adams, Darlene Aikman, Ray Aikman, Nancy Allan, Tony Allen, Alison Baudru, Louis Baudru, Don Beazeley, Bob Besant, Joyce Besant, Michael Blom, Eveline Boudreau, Anne Brander, Annemarie Buchmann, Attila Chanady, Mike Chorney, William Christensen, Paul Coutu, Vi Coutu, Yvonne Cuttle, Eileen Daglish, Lorne Ducek, Ann Dzus, Denis Edmonds, Randi Edmonds, Melanie Elliott, Kathy Exner, Helen Fast, Joan Feather, Alison Forbes, David Forbes, Mary Gilliland, Valerie Girling, Mike Gollop, Jean Gordon, Bob Green, Carol Green, Helen Hanbidge, John Hanbidge, Colleen Hardie, Laura Hardie, Peter Hardie, Maxine Harriman, Kaija Harris, Eric Hedlin, Barry Hodge, Andrea Holtslander, Cathy

Holtlander, Pat Holtlander, John Horton, Mary Houston, Stuart Houston, Andrea Hull, Kathryn Hull, Richard Kerbes, Elaine Konkin, Fred Konkin, Gordon Koshinsky, Margaret Koshinsky, Gerard Lahey, Catherine Laratte, Anna Leighton, Ted Leighton, Jason Lewis, Audrey MacKenzie, Bill MacKenzie, Ted Melville, Cathryn Miller, Muriel Miller, Larry Mitchell, Haley Mochoruk, Maxine Morrison, Hilda Noton, Karen Olenius, Lyle Orchard, Keith Pahl, Alison Philips, Dorothy Reimer, Marella Rosta, Mary Jean Roy, Louise Roy-Mark, Jim Rynn, Ariel Santana, Trish Santo, Marjorie Scharf, Murray Scharf, Lohn Schisler, Linda Schnedar, Albert Schondelheim, Jeanne Scotland, Phil Scotland, Frank Scott, Jan Shewchuck, Joan Shewchuck, Ruth Shewchuck, Laurie Anne Slinger, Alan Smith, Angela Stern, Marten Stoffel, Philip Taylor, Kaite Thorpe, Mary Toews, Heather Wagg, Shirley Wedgwood, Ruth Welsh, George West, Shirley West, Zane Wilcox, *Michael Williams*, Kay Willson, Phil Willson, Jim Wood, Lois Wooding, Sandy Woynarski, Stan Woynarski, David Wright, Lynette Wright, Dwight Young, Nancy Young, Dan Zazelenchuk, Norman Zlotkin.

79. SHAMROCK. Donna Heinrichs, Gladys Heinrichs, *Hugh Henry*, Janet Samoissette.

80. SNOWDEN. Eleanor Bodnaruk, Ann Boehler, Yvonne Englehart, Diane Friesen, Don Friesen, Ed Hagel, *Irene Hagel*, Ernie Hall, Betty Heil, Lily Kuzniar, Bob Olsen, Jeanette Olsen, Jack Pickett, Karen Priestley, Bill Schemenauer, Vera Schemenauer, Orville Shwetz, Vicky Shwetz, Walter Stevenson, Irene White, Les White.

81. SOMME. Edwin Billeter, Sharon Birch, Wesley Black, Irene Brehmer, Florence Chase, Lorne Chase, Arthur Harris, Barbara Hooper, Margaret Hooper, *Ronald Hooper*, Gordon Johnson, Elsie Kerr.

82. SPALDING. Dora Knutson, *Velma Spizawka*, William Spizawka.

83. SPINNEY HILL. *Ed Driver*, Margaret Driver.

84. SPRUCE HOME, SW. *Sandra Jewell* (non-participating compiler) Beth Neal, Dale Neal.

85. SQUAW RAPIDS. *Val Harris*, Sheila Lamont, Marten Stoffel, Guy Wapple, Dan Zazelenchuk.

86. STENEN. *Frances Buryk*, *Peter Buryk*.

87. STOCKHOLM. Douglas Flatt, *Gordon Smith*.

88. SWIFT CURRENT. Evelyn Anderson, James Beattie, Jackie Bolton, Norris Currie, Laurent Dudragne, Mary Ann Dudragne, Ryan Dudragne, Ester Eering, Dave Green, Gord Hagen, Chantal Hamel, Hugh Henry, Jeff Jensen, Julie Jensen, *Ron Jensen*, Doreen Kreuger, Walter Kreuger, Arelyne Lawson, Noreen Liebel, Ralph Loran, Ed Nein, Ahmad Musln, Beth Parchman, Larry Peterson, Rachel Peterson, Ernest Schlichting, Shirley Schlichting, Myra Smith,

John Stephenson, Irene Stinson, Fred Switzer, Margaret Switzer, Joyce Tallon, Joe Unger, Lynne Unger, John Weston.

89. TISDALE. Carl Mohr, *Joyce Mohr*.

90. TOGO. Barb Elsasser, *Doug Elsasser*, Helen Tomochko, Claudia Zengl, Konrad Zengl.

91. TORCH RIVER VALLEY. Ken Blaine, Lorna Blaine, Sylvia Fall, *George Lidster*, Jean Lidster, Dale Nelson, Jeannette Nelson, Beatrice Runn, Holly Toews, Ruben Toews.

92. TURTLEFORD. Hank DeGraff, Marlene DeGraff, *Brent Keen*, Marg Uhlig, Hannah Warrington, David Woof.

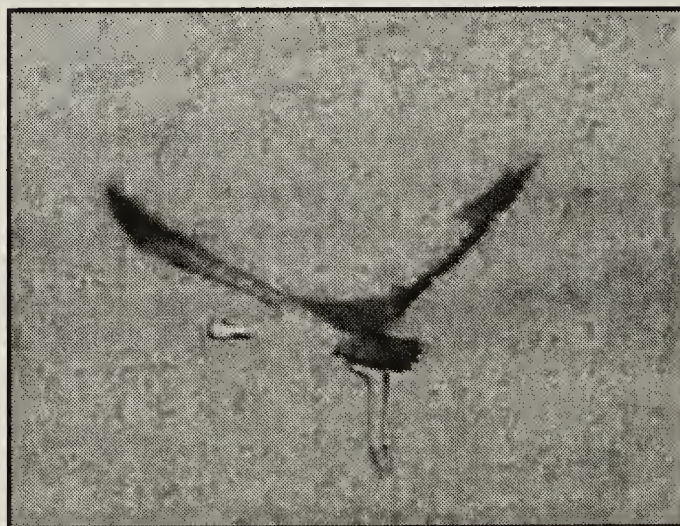
93. TURTLE LAKE. *Merle Robinson*.

94. WEYBURN. Leo Belanger, Peter Beskowiney, Bob Cameron, *Dick Gutfriend*, Alma McCormick, Doyle Thomas, Val Thomas, Sid Trepoff.

95. WHITE BEAR. Darryl Jordheim, *Sig Jordheim*, Aislin MacColloch, Elijah MacColloch, Greg MacColloch, Keely MacColloch, Lynette MacColloch.

96. WHITEWOOD. Cliff Ashfield, Freda Ede, Tom Ede, Wilfred Jordens, Bernice Juzyniec, Felix Juzyniec, Ron Kittler, Joyce Kydd, Doreen McPhail, Jean Meadows, *Boyd Metzler*, Donna Mohr, Randy Morrison, Brenda Pollock, John Pollock, Florence Pritchard, Lenore Santo, Carol Sawatzke, Diane Veresh, Pat Ward, Jean Wilson.

97. YORKTON. *Bill Anaka*, Joyce Anaka, Cliff Dixon, Lillian Dixon, Irma Esopenko, Mavis Fairclough, Elinor Hjertaas, Jim Jowsey, Shirley Jowsey, Harley Large, Ruth Large, Joyce Muir, Dorothy Riesz, Ray Riesz, Dorothy Skene, Ed Skene, Harold Wilkinson, Lloyd Wilson, Marge Wilson, Julia Wiwchar.



Common Crane photographed on 8 January 2004 about 9 km north of Leader (1 km west of Hwy 21 on the north side of the South Saskatchewan River)

Jason Herzog

Figure 1. Location of 2003 counts (numbers correspond to those in text under Count areas and participants).

Natural Vegetation Zones*

- A. Subarctic Woodland
- B. Northern Boreal Forest
- C. Southern Boreal Forest
- D. Aspen Parkland
- E. Mixed Prairie
- F. Dry Mixed Prairie
- G. Cypress Hills

*adapted from: Thorpe, J. 1999. Natural Vegetation. P. 133 in Atlas of Saskatchewan (K. Fung, ed). Univ. of Sask., Saskatoon.

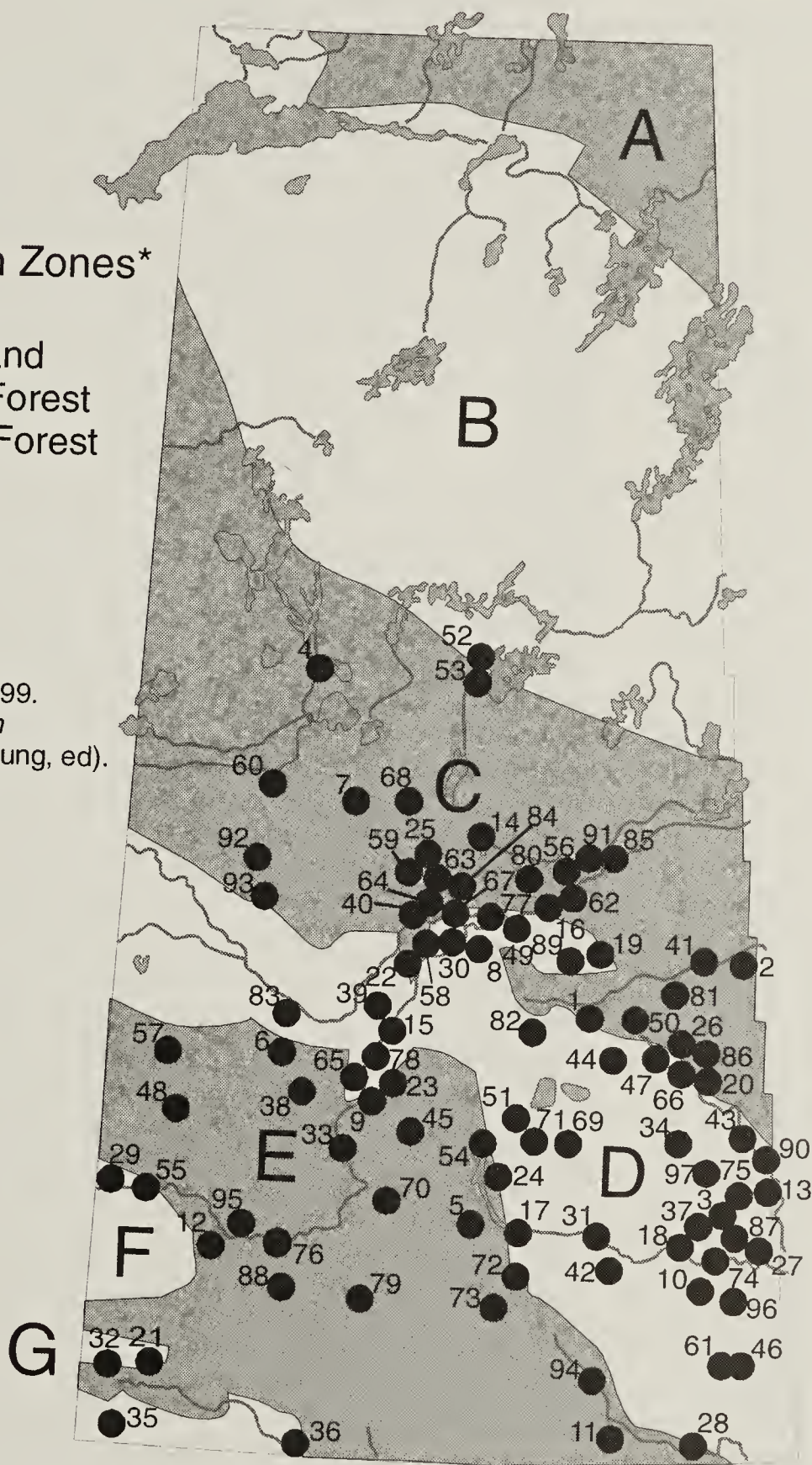


Table 1 Weather and Conditions

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|------------------|--------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Archerwill | Jan 4 | -33 | -30 | 9 | 30 | 5 | 5 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Armit | Jan 3 | -32 | -30 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 10 | mostly clear | clear |
| Bangor | Dec 27 | -24 | -20 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 18 | | |
| Beauval | Dec 21 | 2 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 16 | | clear | clear |
| Bethune-Dilke | Dec 22 | -5 | 2 | 10 | 15 | 10 | 12 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Biggar | Dec 27 | -12 | -5 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 5 | cloudy | cloudy |
| Big River | Jan 2 | -17 | -14 | 2 | 5 | 12 | 16 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Birch Hills | Dec 21 | -4 | 4 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 6 | cloudy | cloudy |
| Brightwater Res. | Dec 30 | -17 | -10 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 19 | clear | clear |
| Broadview | Dec 23 | -11 | -5 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | clear | clear |
| Bromhead | Dec 14 | -6 | | 20 | 29 | 15 | 25 | overcast | overcast |
| Cabri | Dec 25 | -5 | 0 | 20 | 29 | 0 | 2 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Calder | Dec 28 | | -4 | | 20 | | 12 | overcast | overcast |
| Candle Lake | Dec 28 | -10 | -5 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 8 | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Clark's Crossing | Dec 20 | -7 | 5 | 9 | 22 | 2 | 6 | cloudy | cloudy |
| Codette Lake | Jan 2 | -24 | -20 | 0 | 10 | 5 | 8 | partly cloudy | mostly clear |
| Craven | Dec 14 | -8 | -6 | 10 | 20 | 15 | 40 | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Crooked Lake | Dec 14 | -3 | -2 | 15 | 25 | 2 | 15 | partly cloudy | overcast |
| Crooked River | Jan 3 | -35 | -30 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 8 | clear | clear |
| Crystal Lake | Jan 3 | -28 | -18 | 2 | 19 | 7 | 12 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Cypress Hills PP | Jan 2 | -15 | -5 | 12 | 19 | 20 | 35 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Duck Lake | Dec 23 | -10 | -5 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 5 | clear | clear |
| Dundurn | Jan 4 | -32 | -28 | 10 | 15 | 5 | 10 | clear | clear |
| Duval | Dec 28 | -8 | -6 | 5 | 20 | 4 | 10 | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Emma Lake | Dec 19 | -6 | -4 | 6 | 11 | 8 | 12 | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Endeavour | Dec 20 | -15 | -4 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 15 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Esterhazy | Dec 27 | -10 | -5 | | | | | overcast | heavy snow |
| Estevan | Dec 26 | -4 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 25 | partly cloudy | cloudy |
| Estuary North | Dec 19 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 30 | 0 | 1 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Fenton | Dec 20 | -13 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 4 | clear | partly cloudy |
| Fort Qu'Appelle | Dec 15 | -8 | -8 | 10 | 20 | 6 | 9 | cloudy | cloudy |
| Fort Walsh | Dec 20 | 4 | 10 | 0 | 6 | 5 | 60 | cloudy | cloudy |
| Gardiner Dam | Dec 22 | -6 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 5 | clear | clear |
| Good Spirit Lake | Dec 16 | -10 | -9 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 15 | overcast, fog | cloudy |
| Govenlock | Dec 21 | -1 | 5 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 20 | cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Grasslands NP | Dec 22 | -10 | -8 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 30 | clear | clear |
| Grayson | Dec 23 | -5 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 15 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Harris | Dec 31 | -21 | -17 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | cloudy, fog | cloudy |
| Hepburn | Dec 27 | -5 | 0 | 0 | | 5 | 10 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Holbien | Dec 30 | | | 0 | | 4 | 6 | mostly clear | light snow |
| Hudson Bay West | Jan 3 | -32 | -27 | 8 | 10 | | | clear | clear |
| Indian Head | | | | | | | | | |
| Kamsack | Jan 1 | -24 | -24 | | 39 | 60 | | partly cloudy | |
| Kelvington | Jan 2 | -20 | -19 | 20 | 29 | 7 | 10 | overcast | overcast |
| Kenaston | Dec 19 | -8 | -3 | 10 | | 10 | | partly cloudy | mostly clear |
| Kenosee Lake | Jan 3 | -26 | -19 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 35 | overcast | mostly clear |
| Ketchen North | Dec 26 | -13 | -5 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 14 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Kindersley North | Dec 29 | -4 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | mostly clear |
| Kinistino | Jan 5 | -30 | -24 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 10 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |

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| Kinloch | Dec 15 | -12 | -8 | 5 | 20 | 8 | 11 | cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Kutawagan Lake | Dec 29 | -15 | -10 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 10 | overcast | cloudy |
| LaRonge North | Dec 14 | -22 | -8 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 15 | overcast, fog | overcast, fog |
| LaRonge South | Dec 26 | -10 | -5 | 2 | 5 | 20 | 60 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Last Mountain Lake | Jan 1 | -12 | -10 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 10 | partly cloudy | mostly clear |
| Leader North | Dec 29 | -12 | -6 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 4 | light snow | light snow |
| Love-Torch River | Dec 28 | -16 | -12 | 0 | 10 | 10 | 20 | overcast | overcast |
| Luseland | Dec 26 | -7 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 0 | 2 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| MacDowall | Dec 25 | -5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Mayview | Dec 26 | -6 | | 2 | 11 | | | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Meadow Lake | Dec 26 | -6 | -2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Moose Mountain | Jan 4 | -30 | -23 | 15 | 30 | 10 | 20 | clear | clear |
| Nipawin | Dec 27 | -7 | -3 | 10 | 15 | 5 | 10 | overcast | overcast |
| Nisbet Forest NW | Dec 14 | -7 | | 1 | | 2 | 3 | light snow | light snow |
| Nisbet Forest West | Dec 26 | -10 | -3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 15 | cloudy | mostly clear |
| Pike Lake | Jan 3 | -34 | -27 | 9 | 19 | 2 | 5 | mostly clear | clear |
| Preeceville | Jan 1 | -28 | -10 | 5 | 10 | 10 | 13 | partly cloudy | cloudy |
| Prince Albert | Dec 14 | -10 | -8 | 10 | 10 | 4 | 6 | overcast | overcast |
| Prince Albert NP | Dec 19 | -7 | -5 | 0 | 5 | 10 | 15 | partly cloudy | mostly clear |
| Punnichy | Dec 28 | -9 | -7 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 12 | | cloudy |
| Qu'Appelle Dam | Dec 14 | -5 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 2 | 6 | partly cloudy | cloudy |
| Raymore | Dec 25 | -5 | -3 | 10 | 15 | 1 | 10 | cloudy | cloudy |
| Regina | Dec 26 | -13 | -3 | 0 | 2 | 10 | 20 | mostly clear | cloudy |
| Rouleau | Jan 1 | -14 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 55 | overcast | clear |
| Round Lake | Dec 20 | -5 | -1 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 30 | clear | partly cloudy |
| Saltcoats | Dec 27 | -6 | -6 | 15 | 29 | | | overcast | overcast |
| Sask. Landing PP | Dec 14 | -3 | 4 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 20 | partly cloudy | cloudy |
| Sask. R. Forks | Dec 29 | -13 | -11 | 0 | 5 | 3 | 5 | overcast | partly cloudy |
| Saskatoon | Dec 26 | -13 | -3 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 5 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Shamrock | Jan 2 | -20 | -20 | 30 | 35 | 10 | 15 | overcast | overcast |
| Snowden | Jan 5 | -30 | -25 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 15 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Somme | Jan 5 | -25 | -20 | 15 | 30 | 6 | 8 | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Spalding | Dec 26 | -14 | -8 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 3 | light fog | fog |
| Spinney Hill | Dec 26 | -7 | 1 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 3 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Spruce Home, SW | Dec 22 | -6 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 2 | 3 | mostly clear | partly cloudy |
| Squaw Rapids | Jan 4 | -38 | -27 | 20 | 30 | 15 | 20 | partly cloudy | light snow |
| Stenen | Jan 1 | -22 | -12 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 25 | overcast | overcast |
| Stockholm | Jan 1 | -20 | | 0 | 5 | 10 | 20 | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Swift Current | Jan 3 | -27 | -23 | 1 | 3 | 15 | 25 | partly cloudy | overcast |
| Tisdale | Dec 26 | -10 | -6 | 5 | 15 | 3 | 4 | | mostly clear |
| Togo | Jan 4 | -29 | -26 | 30 | 40 | 10 | 15 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Torch River Valley | Jan 4 | -38 | -33 | 10 | 15 | 25 | 30 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Turtleford | Dec 29 | -14 | -12 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 5 | overcast, fog | overcast |
| Turtle Lake | Dec 31 | -20 | | 15 | 20 | 3 | | partly cloudy | partly cloudy |
| Weyburn | Dec 18 | -15 | -12 | 5 | 10 | 6 | 10 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| White Bear | Dec 28 | -15 | -9 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 31 | mostly clear | mostly clear |
| Whitewood | Dec 28 | -7 | -4 | 40 | 60 | 10 | 30 | overcast, snow | partly cloudy |
| Yorkton | Dec 30 | -12 | -9 | 2 | 5 | 10 | 13 | overcast, snow | overcast |

Table 2 Coverage

| Locality | Effort | | | | | | Habitat | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-------|------------|----------|--------|----------|---|
| | Participants | Km on Foot | Hours on Foot | Km by Vehicle | Hours by Vehicle | Hours at Feeders | Evergreen Forest | Mixed Forest | Deciduous Forest | Aspen / Farmland | Aspen / Prairie | Native Prairie | Tame Pasture | Farmland | Farmstead | Urban | Open Water | Riparian | Muskeg | Landfill | |
| Archerwill | 16 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 20 | 5 | | | | | 50 | 20 | 5 | | | | | |
| Armit | 2 | 1 | 1 | 275 | 9 | | 20 | 20 | 20 | 30 | | | | | | 10 | | | | | |
| Bangor | 6 | | | | 3 | 10 | | | 10 | | | | | 10 | 80 | | | | | | |
| Beauval | 2 | 3 | 2 | 150 | 4 | | 20 | 25 | 25 | | | | | | | 20 | | | | 10 | |
| Bethune-Dilke | 2 | | | | | | | | | 5 | 2 | 5 | | 80 | 5 | 3 | | | | | |
| Biggar | 7 | 19 | 10 | 386 | 14 | 2 | | | | 17 | | | | 40 | | 43 | | | | | |
| Big River | 2 | 2 | 1 | | | 2 | 70 | 20 | | | | | 10 | | | | | | | | |
| Birch Hills | 4 | 3 | 2 | 121 | 5 | 2 | | | | 50 | | | | 40 | 5 | 5 | | | | | |
| Brightwater Res. | 5 | 5 | 2 | 123 | 6 | | | | | 5 | 5 | 25 | 10 | 10 | 25 | 15 | | 5 | | | |
| Broadview | 4 | 4 | 2 | 137 | 5 | 2 | | | 20 | 30 | 10 | 5 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 5 | | | | | |
| Bromhead | 3 | 1 | 1 | 140 | 7 | | | | | | | | | 90 | 10 | | | | | | |
| Cabri | 1 | 1 | 1 | 128 | 3 | 1 | | | | | 5 | 5 | 5 | 75 | 5 | 5 | | | | | |
| Calder | 2 | 5 | | 37 | 4 | | | | | 30 | 30 | | 20 | 20 | | | | | | | |
| Candle Lake | 4 | 6 | 2 | 168 | 8 | | 30 | 30 | 30 | | | | | | | 10 | | | | | |
| Clark's Crossing | 23 | 20 | 14 | 627 | 33 | | | | | 25 | 10 | | | 15 | 25 | 10 | 10 | | | | 5 |
| Codette Lake | 3 | 2 | 1 | 108 | 5 | | 15 | 15 | 15 | 25 | | | | 15 | 10 | | 5 | | | | |
| Craven | 17 | 12 | 3 | 605 | 21 | 5 | | | | 30 | | 10 | 10 | 30 | 10 | 10 | | | | | |
| Crooked Lake | 2 | | | 142 | 6 | | | | | 20 | 20 | | | 20 | 10 | 20 | 10 | | | | |
| Crooked River | 2 | | | 25 | 1 | 4 | | | 35 | | | | | 40 | 25 | | | | | | |
| Crystal Lake | 2 | | | 55 | 3 | 3 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 70 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cypress Hills PP | 8 | 10 | 4 | | | 1 | 60 | 20 | | | 10 | 10 | | | | | | | | | |
| Duck Lake | 3 | 10 | 3 | 90 | 5 | | 10 | 30 | 10 | 10 | | | | 20 | | 20 | | | | | |
| Dundurn | 2 | 1 | 1 | 160 | 7 | | | | 5 | 5 | 10 | 5 | 10 | 45 | 10 | 10 | | | | | |
| Duval | 4 | 2 | 1 | 124 | 5 | 1 | | | | 32 | 7 | 2 | | 34 | 5 | 20 | | | | | |
| Emma Lake | 4 | 3 | 2 | 55 | 4 | 5 | | | 95 | | | | | | 5 | | | | | | |
| Endeavour | 3 | 3 | 3 | 20 | 2 | 2 | | | | 20 | | | 10 | | 60 | 10 | | | | | |
| Esterhazy | 6 | | | 44 | 3 | 4 | | | | 30 | | | | 70 | | | | | | | |
| Estevan | 3 | 3 | 2 | 121 | 7 | | | | 40 | | | 5 | | 10 | 15 | 10 | 20 | | | | |
| Estuary North | 4 | 4 | 8 | 120 | 8 | 3 | | | 50 | | | 20 | | 20 | 10 | | | | | | |
| Fenton | 3 | 2 | 1 | 145 | 4 | 2 | | | 10 | 49 | | | 5 | 15 | 15 | 5 | 1 | | | | |
| Fort Qu'Appelle | 17 | 2 | 1 | 202 | 12 | 8 | | | 20 | 20 | | | 20 | | | 30 | 10 | | | | |
| Fort Walsh | 7 | 32 | 16 | 240 | 8 | | | 43 | | | | 2 | | 46 | | | | | 9 | | |
| Gardiner Dam | 11 | 21 | 11 | 878 | 27 | | | | | 3 | | | | 82 | | | 12 | 3 | | | |
| Good Spirit Lake | 9 | 2 | 1 | 124 | 7 | 2 | | 5 | 10 | 10 | | | 30 | 30 | 5 | 10 | | | | | |
| Govenlock | 8 | 8 | 5 | 313 | 16 | | | | | | | 65 | | 25 | 10 | | | | | | |
| Grasslands NP | 5 | 5 | 4 | 91 | 5 | | | | | | | 85 | 5 | 5 | | 5 | | | | | |
| Grayson | 3 | 6 | 2 | 40 | 3 | 1 | | | 10 | 25 | | | | 35 | 10 | 15 | 5 | | | | |
| Harris | 3 | 7 | 4 | 203 | 6 | | | | | 36 | | | | 51 | | 13 | | | | | |
| Hepburn | 3 | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 100 | | | | | |
| Holbien | 1 | | | | | 4 | 10 | 10 | | | | | | 20 | | | | | | | |
| Hudson Bay West | 11 | | | 30 | 2 | 1 | | 25 | | | | | | 25 | 25 | 25 | | | | | |
| Indian Head | 52 | | | | | | | 5 | | 20 | | | | | 10 | 60 | 5 | | | | |
| Kamsack | 30 | | | | | | 9 | | | 8 | 8 | 10 | | | 10 | | 2 | | | | |
| Kelvington | 3 | 1 | 0 | 86 | 2 | 8 | | | | 30 | | | | 60 | 10 | | | | | | |
| Kenaston | 3 | | 2 | 160 | 6 | 1 | | | | 50 | | | | 40 | 10 | | | | | | |
| Kenosee Lake | 2 | | | 114 | | 1 | | 5 | 40 | 10 | 5 | | | | | 40 | | | | | |
| Ketchen North | 1 | 1 | 2 | 50 | 2 | 6 | | | | 30 | | | 20 | 20 | 20 | 10 | | | | | |
| Kindersley North | 2 | 2 | 1 | 71 | 4 | | | | | | | | | 8 | 30 | 60 | 2 | | | | |
| Kinistino | 2 | 1 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | | 30 | | | | | 40 | | 30 | | | | | | |

Table 2 Coverage

| Locality | Effort | | | | | | Habitat | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------|----------|-----------|-------|------------|----------|--------|----------|
| | Participants | Km on Foot | Hours on Foot | Km by Vehicle | Hours by Vehicle | Hours at Feeders | Evergreen Forest | Mixed Forest | Deciduous Forest | Aspen / Farmland | Aspen / Prairie | Native Prairie | Tame Pasture | Farmland | Farmstead | Urban | Open Water | Riparian | Muskeg | Landfill |
| Kinloch | 4 | 6 | 4 | 52 | 2 | 2 | 40 | 20 | 20 | 10 | | | | | 10 | | | | | |
| Kutawagan Lake | 2 | 1 | 1 | 144 | 5 | | | | | 20 | 10 | 10 | | 30 | 15 | 15 | | | | |
| LaRonge North | 5 | 14 | 2 | 98 | 5 | 6 | | 70 | 20 | | | | | | | 10 | | | | |
| LaRonge South | 9 | 10 | 6 | 55 | 4 | 4 | 25 | 25 | | | | | | | 20 | 20 | | | | 10 |
| Last Mountain Lake | 2 | 1 | 0 | 155 | 7 | | | | | 10 | | 30 | | 40 | 10 | 10 | | | | |
| Leader North | 4 | 5 | 2 | 20 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | 50 | 10 | 30 | 10 | | | | | |
| Love-Torch River | 14 | 11 | 4 | 221 | 11 | 13 | 10 | 10 | | 60 | | | | | 10 | 10 | | | | |
| Luseland | 9 | 9 | 3 | 174 | 9 | 2 | | | | 30 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 20 | | | | |
| MacDowall | 1 | 2 | 1 | 44 | 2 | 3 | 30 | 10 | 10 | 30 | | | 10 | 10 | | | | | | |
| Mayview | 1 | | 1 | | | 4 | | 50 | | | | 50 | | | | | | | | |
| Meadow Lake | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Moose Mountain | 4 | 1 | 1 | 111 | 4 | | | | 30 | 50 | | | | | 10 | 10 | | | | |
| Nipawin | 13 | 3 | 2 | 100 | 8 | 8 | 10 | | | | | | | 10 | 15 | 60 | 5 | | | |
| Nisbet Forest NW | 2 | | | | | 3 | | 50 | | | | | | 40 | 10 | | | | | |
| Nisbet Forest West | 9 | 2 | 1 | 50 | 3 | 12 | | 10 | | 30 | | | | 60 | | | | | | |
| Pike Lake | 27 | 27 | 24 | 518 | 22 | | | | 15 | 10 | | | 5 | 15 | 15 | 40 | | | | |
| Preeceville | 2 | | | 4 | 0 | 8 | | | | | | | | | 100 | | | | | |
| Prince Albert | 22 | 30 | 14 | 412 | 28 | 7 | | | | 5 | 5 | | | 5 | 85 | | | | | |
| Prince Albert NP | 18 | 50 | 28 | | | | 15 | 40 | 28 | | | | | | | 2 | 15 | | | |
| Punnichy | 2 | | | 136 | 3 | | | | 10 | 50 | 10 | | 10 | 20 | | | | | | |
| Qu'Appelle Dam | 9 | 8 | 7 | 313 | 8 | | | | 10 | 10 | 20 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | | | |
| Raymore | 2 | 1 | 1 | 89 | 5 | | | | | 80 | | | | 10 | 10 | | | | | |
| Regina | 31 | 80 | 25 | 798 | 34 | 3 | | | | 10 | | | 10 | 30 | 20 | 30 | | | | |
| Rouleau | 9 | 3 | 2 | 121 | 4 | 4 | | | | 5 | | | | 90 | 5 | | | | | |
| Round Lake | 4 | | | 193 | 7 | 3 | | | 40 | 30 | | | | 20 | | | 10 | | | |
| Saltcoats | 8 | 3 | 1 | 156 | 8 | 4 | | | | 95 | | | | | | 5 | | | | |
| Sask. Landing PP | 15 | 32 | 16 | 321 | 20 | | | | | | 10 | 25 | | 50 | 14 | | 1 | | | |
| Sask. R. Forks | 2 | 5 | 2 | 80 | 5 | | 15 | 15 | 10 | 5 | | | 5 | 40 | 5 | | 5 | | | |
| Saskatoon | 115 | 136 | 79 | 851 | 52 | 100 | | | | 10 | | | | 5 | 15 | 65 | 5 | | | |
| Shamrock | 4 | 1 | 1 | 93 | 6 | | | | | | | | | 80 | 20 | | | | | |
| Snowden | 20 | | 2 | 76 | 3 | 4 | | | 20 | | | | | 20 | 40 | 20 | | | | |
| Somme | 12 | 1 | 1 | 139 | 4 | 8 | | 20 | 20 | 20 | | | | 10 | 10 | 20 | | | | |
| Spalding | 3 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 5 | 24 | | | 10 | 40 | | | | 25 | | 25 | | | | |
| Spinney Hill | 2 | 2 | 2 | 160 | 6 | | | 5 | | 60 | 20 | | | 15 | | | | | | |
| Spruce Home, SW | 2 | | | | | 7 | | | | | | | | 10 | 90 | | | | | |
| Squaw Rapids | 5 | 14 | 7 | 316 | 12 | | 10 | 60 | 10 | | | | | 5 | 5 | | 10 | | | |
| Stenen | 2 | | | | | 3 | 50 | | | | 50 | | | | | | | | | |
| Stockholm | 2 | 2 | 1 | 94 | 6 | | | | | 10 | 10 | 10 | | 60 | 10 | | | | | |
| Swift Current | 36 | 47 | 21 | 297 | 18 | 40 | | | | | | 15 | 5 | 64 | 5 | 10 | 1 | | | |
| Tisdale | 2 | | | | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | 100 | | | | |
| Togo | 5 | | 3 | | | | | | 50 | 20 | 10 | | 10 | 5 | 5 | | | | | |
| Torch River Valley | 10 | | | 50 | 2 | 9 | 10 | 10 | 10 | | | | | | 70 | | | | | |
| Turtleford | 6 | 11 | 4 | 75 | 5 | 8 | | | | 70 | | | | 20 | 10 | | | | | |
| Turtle Lake | 1 | | | 20 | 2 | 6 | 20 | 40 | | 40 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Weyburn | 8 | 2 | 1 | 170 | 3 | 12 | | | | | | | | 50 | 10 | 40 | | | | |
| White Bear | 7 | 15 | 3 | 100 | 2 | | | | | | | 20 | | 40 | 40 | | | | | |
| Whitewood | 21 | 3 | 3 | 354 | 11 | 41 | | | | 20 | | | | 10 | 70 | | | | | |
| Yorkton | 20 | 1 | 2 | 236 | 15 | 3 | | | | 5 | 5 | | 35 | 5 | 49 | 1 | | | | |

Table 3-1 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Archerwill 4 Jan 2004 | Armit 3 Jan 2004 | Bangor 27 Dec 2003 | Beauval 21 Dec 2003 | Bethune-Dilke 22 Dec 2003 | Biggar 27 Dec 2003 | Big River 2 Jan 2004 | Birch Hills 21 Dec 2003 | Brightwater Res. 30 Dec 2003 | Broadview 23 Dec 2003 | Bromhead 14 Dec 2003 | Cabri 25 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | |
| Mallard | | | | | | 1 | | | (8) | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | (2) | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | (1) | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Golden Eagle | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Merlin | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | | | 32 | | 30 | | | 40 | | 10 | 233 | 16 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | | | | | 180 | 1 |
| Ruffed Grouse | 8 | 8 | | 5 | | | (2) | 6 | | 1 | | |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | | | 51 | 16 | 3 | 56 | | (2) | 36 | 75 | 75 | |
| Rock Pigeon | | | 13 | | 23 | 214 | | 47 | 22 | 70 | 32 | 88 |
| Great Horned Owl | 1 | | 2 | | | (1) | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Snowy Owl | 1 | | 1 | | | | | (1) | | | 2 | 2 |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | (1) | | | | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 7 | 1 | 5 | 1 | | (1) | 2 | 5 | 1 | 5 | | 1 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 10 | | 7 | 2 | | 1 | | 6 | | 1 | | |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | 3 | | 1 | | | | | (1) | | | | |
| Northern Shrike | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Gray Jay | 5 | 2 | | 8 | | | 2 | | | | | |
| Blue Jay | 28 | 1 | | 4 | | 2 | 4 | | | 2 | | |
| Black-billed Magpie | 27 | 23 | 28 | 9 | 4 | 196 | 1 | 49 | 88 | 25 | 3 | 17 |
| Common Raven | 12 | 92 | 51 | 81 | (3) | 14 | 6 | 17 | | 1 | | |
| Horned Lark | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 56 | 23 | 37 | 12 | 3 | 35 | 5 | 34 | 4 | 29 | 1 | 1 |
| Boreal Chickadee | 5 | 3 | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | 7 | | | (1) | | 9 | 2 | | | | | |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | 3 | | 2 | | | | 1 | | | 1 | | |
| Brown Creeper | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | 1 | | | | 7 | | 3 | | (1) | | (1) |
| European Starling | | | 2 | | | | | 28 | 5 | | 18 | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | 1 | | | | (24) | 425 | | | | (4) | | 5 |
| Cedar Waxwing | (20) | | | | | (2) | | | | | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | 4 | | 5 | | | 10 | | | | 4 | | |
| Snow Bunting | 65 | 44 | 32 | | 12 | (2) | | 202 | 50 | (15) | 55 | |
| Pine Grosbeak | 98 | 47 | 6 | 20 | | 1 | 6 | (4) | | | | |
| House Finch | | | | | | 32 | | | | 10 | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | 125 | 30 | | | | 18 | | | | 30 | | |
| Common Redpoll | 176 | 189 | 7 | 21 | | 317 | 13 | 245 | 129 | 218 | 31 | 4 |
| Hoary Redpoll | 1 | 11 | | | | 4 | | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Pine Siskin | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | 71 | 34 | | 24 | | | | | | | | |
| House Sparrow | 88 | 7 | 152 | | 50 | 837 | | 135 | 240 | 304 | 631 | 220 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 811 | 521 | 436 | 204 | 125 | 2189 | 42 | 821 | 577 | 801 | 1267 | 363 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 832 | 521 | 436 | 207 | 154 | 2195 | 44 | 829 | 587 | 821 | 1267 | 364 |
| Total Species Count Day | 27 | 17 | 20 | 13 | 7 | 25 | 10 | 16 | 11 | 21 | 14 | 12 |
| Total Species Count Period | 29 | 17 | 20 | 16 | 10 | 29 | 11 | 20 | 13 | 24 | 14 | 13 |

Table 3-2 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Calder 28 Dec 2003 | Candle Lake 28 Dec 2003 | Clark's Crossing 20 Dec 2003 | Codette Lake 2 Jan 2004 | Craven 14 Dec 2003 | Crooked Lake 14 Dec 2003 | Crooked River 3 Jan 2004 | Crystal Lake 3 Jan 2004 | Cypress Hills PP 2 Jan 2004 | Duck Lake 23 Dec 2003 | Dundurn 4 Jan 2004 | Duval 28 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | 493 | | | | | | | | | |
| Mallard | | | | | | 17 | | | | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | 33 | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | | | 1 | 5 | | 1 | | | | | 1 | |
| Northern Goshawk | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Golden Eagle | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | 1 | 1 |
| Merlin | | | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | | | 65 | | 95 | 9 | | | | | 32 | 14 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ruffed Grouse | 3 | 2 | | 2 | | | | | | 1 | | (2) |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | 1 | | 67 | 9 | 251 | 31 | | | 41 | 7 | 16 | 6 |
| Rock Pigeon | | | 238 | | 134 | 4 | | | | 35 | 2 | 30 |
| Great Horned Owl | | | 8 | | | 1 | | | | | 3 | 1 |
| Snowy Owl | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 3 | 2 | 4 | | 13 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 1 | | 1 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | | 7 | 7 | 2 | 14 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 4 | | (1) |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | 1 | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | 6 | | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Shrike | | | | | (1) | | | | | | | |
| Gray Jay | | 15 | | 4 | | | 1 | | | 4 | | |
| Blue Jay | 2 | 1 | | 3 | 22 | 5 | 4 | 3 | | 5 | | (4) |
| Black-billed Magpie | 18 | 6 | 291 | 16 | 89 | 34 | 2 | 1 | 11 | 25 | 77 | 30 |
| Common Raven | 9 | 104 | 109 | 13 | 28 | 27 | 2 | 6 | 21 | 21 | 6 | 6 |
| Horned Lark | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Black-capped Chickadee | | 32 | 84 | 28 | 59 | 53 | 6 | 6 | 77 | 13 | 14 | 14 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | 12 | | | | | | | | 14 | | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | | 16 | 4 | | 1 | | | | 6 | 10 | | |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | 1 | | | 1 | 14 | 5 | | | 1 | | | |
| Brown Creeper | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | | | | 1 | 3 | | | | | | |
| European Starling | | | 54 | | 12 | | | | | | | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | | | | | 28 | | | | 35 | 52 | 68 | 199 |
| Cedar Waxwing | | | | | 2 | | | | | 1 | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | | | 2 | | 7 | | | | | | | |
| Snow Bunting | 80 | | 4 | | 104 | 320 | 15 | | | | 3 | 6 |
| Pine Grosbeak | | 27 | 1 | 21 | | | 26 | 7 | | 4 | | |
| House Finch | | | 50 | | (1) | | | | | | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | 19 | | 6 | 2 | | | | | 18 | | |
| Common Redpoll | 85 | 101 | 590 | 68 | 325 | 42 | 18 | 8 | 6 | 81 | 1375 | 168 |
| Hoary Redpoll | | | | | | | 12 | | | | | 31 |
| Pine Siskin | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | | 43 | | | | | 34 | 1 | | | | |
| House Sparrow | | | 2347 | 1 | 315 | 55 | | | | 151 | 74 | 334 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 202 | 395 | 4460 | 182 | 1530 | 613 | 126 | 35 | 210 | 449 | 1672 | 841 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 202 | 395 | 4460 | 182 | 1532 | 613 | 126 | 35 | 210 | 449 | 1672 | 848 |
| Total Species Count Day | 9 | 16 | 26 | 15 | 29 | 17 | 12 | 9 | 14 | 20 | 13 | 14 |
| Total Species Count Period | 9 | 16 | 26 | 15 | 31 | 17 | 12 | 9 | 14 | 20 | 13 | 17 |

Table 3-3 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Emma Lake 19 Dec 2003 | Endeavour 20 Dec 2003 | Esterhazy 27 Dec 2003 | Estevan 26 Dec 2003 | Estuary North 19 Dec 2003 | Fenton 20 Dec 2003 | Fort Qu'Appelle 15 Dec 2003 | Fort Walsh 20 Dec 2003 | Gardiner Dam 22 Dec 2003 | Good Spirit Lake 16 Dec 2003 | Govenlock 21 Dec 2003 | Grasslands NP 22 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | 557 | | | 65 | | 1303 | | | |
| Mallard | | | | 461 | | 3 | 58 | 2 | 1192 | | (5) | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | 11 | | | 5 | | 135 | | | |
| Bald Eagle | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | 42 | | 1 | 2 |
| Northern Goshawk | | | | | 1 | 1 | (1) | 2 | | (1) | | |
| Golden Eagle | | | | | | | | 9 | | | 5 | 4 |
| Merlin | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Gray Partridge | | | | | 39 | 12 | (5) | | 29 | 11 | 14 | 53 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | 21 | 61 | | (1) | 1 | | | | |
| Ruffed Grouse | | 1 | | | | | (1) | 2 | | 4 | | |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | | (7) | 15 | (22) | 105 | 4 | 18 | 80 | 41 | 36 | 15 | 53 |
| Rock Pigeon | | 30 | 10 | 2 | 75 | 11 | (14) | | 201 | 1 | | |
| Great Horned Owl | | | | 2 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 5 | (1) | 6 | |
| Snowy Owl | | | | | | | (1) | | 1 | | 1 | |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 5 | | 2 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 13 | 1 | 5 | 4 | | |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 2 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 5 | | |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | 1 | (2) | | 2 | 2 | (1) | | | (1) | | |
| Northern Shrike | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Jay | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue Jay | 7 | 4 | 8 | | | 2 | 8 | | 3 | 6 | | |
| Black-billed Magpie | 3 | 10 | 5 | 6 | 73 | 52 | 33 | 92 | 199 | 47 | 17 | 14 |
| Common Raven | 104 | 30 | 3 | | | 20 | 13 | 1 | 14 | 52 | | |
| Horned Lark | | | | | | (2) | | 2 | 2 | | 6 | |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 101 | 22 | 12 | 23 | 16 | 48 | 94 | 47 | 15 | 85 | | |
| Boreal Chickadee | 26 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | 37 | 1 | 1 | | | | 1 | 6 | 1 | 1 | | |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | 7 | 4 | (1) | 4 | 2 | 1 | 8 | | 1 | | | |
| Brown Creeper | 1 | | | | | | | 3 | 1 | | | |
| American Robin | | (1) | | | 5 | | | | | | | |
| European Starling | | | | 2 | 20 | (20) | | | | | 8 | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | | | | 286 | | | (40) | | 34 | 35 | | |
| Cedar Waxwing | | (5) | | 1 | | (19) | 15 | | | (6) | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | | | 4 | | 1 | | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | | 1 |
| Snow Bunting | | 75 | | 1004 | 10 | | | 191 | 53 | 143 | 125 | 25 |
| Pine Grosbeak | 14 | 29 | (1) | | 4 | 23 | 20 | | | 38 | | |
| House Finch | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | | | 15 | | | (20) | 2 | 1 | | | |
| Common Redpoll | 129 | 63 | 16 | 17 | 82 | 194 | 93 | 5 | 244 | 34 | 4 | |
| Hoary Redpoll | | | | (1) | | | | | 8 | | | |
| Pine Siskin | | | | | | | 1 | | | 102 | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | 4 | 35 | 6 | | | | | | | | | |
| House Sparrow | 3 | 30 | 50 | 40 | 246 | 23 | 86 | 96 | 984 | 83 | 253 | 100 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 449 | 342 | 133 | 2609 | 750 | 415 | 550 | 604 | 4681 | 688 | 476 | 252 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 450 | 356 | 137 | 2632 | 750 | 456 | 636 | 604 | 4681 | 699 | 482 | 252 |
| Total Species Count Day | 16 | 17 | 13 | 19 | 19 | 18 | 21 | 26 | 35 | 18 | 18 | 8 |
| Total Species Count Period | 17 | 21 | 16 | 21 | 19 | 21 | 31 | 26 | 35 | 23 | 20 | 8 |

Table 3-4 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Grayson 23 Dec 2003 | Harris 31 Dec 2003 | Hepburn 27 Dec 2003 | Holbien 30 Dec 2003 | Hudson Bay West 3 Jan 2004 | Indian Head Dec 2003 | Kamsack Jan 2004 | Kelvington 2 Jan 2004 | Kenaston 19 Dec 2003 | Kenosee Lake 3 Jan 2004 | Ketchen North 26 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | | 683 | | | | | |
| Mallard | 8 | | | | | 65 | | | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | | 13 | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | | | | | | 8 | 1 | | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| Golden Eagle | | 2 | | | | 2 | | | | | |
| Merlin | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | | 28 | | | | 280 | | 3 | 11 | | |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ruffed Grouse | 2 | | | | (6) | 6 | 4 | 2 | | | 3 |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | 48 | 57 | | 2 | 9 | 557 | | | 17 | | |
| Rock Pigeon | 14 | 160 | | | | 101 | | 2 | 61 | 1 | |
| Great Horned Owl | | 1 | | | | 4 | | | (1) | 1 | (1) |
| Snowy Owl | | 1 | | | | 6 | 1 | | (1) | | |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 2 | 5 | | 2 | 2 | 27 | 28 | 3 | | 7 | 2 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 2 | 2 | | 2 | 1 | 29 | 33 | 3 | | 16 | 3 |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | | | | | | 7 | 2 | | | |
| Northern Shrike | | | | | | | | | | | (1) |
| Gray Jay | | | | | 3 | | 10 | | | | 2 |
| Blue Jay | | | | 2 | 3 | 23 | 86 | 1 | | 11 | 7 |
| Black-billed Magpie | 12 | 106 | | 2 | 25 | 171 | 18 | 17 | 37 | 35 | 19 |
| Common Raven | 1 | 2 | | 1 | 232 | 103 | 19 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 17 |
| Horned Lark | | 37 | | | | | | | 5 | | |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 12 | 15 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 243 | 204 | 8 | 2 | 130 | 10 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | | | | 1 | | 31 | | | | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | | | 2 | | 2 | 50 | 25 | | | 3 | 2 |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | | | | | 2 | 26 | 37 | | | 6 | 2 |
| Brown Creeper | | | | | | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | | | | | 4 | | | | | |
| European Starling | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | 21 | | | | | | 100 | 6 | | | |
| Cedar Waxwing | | | | | | 61 | | | | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | | | | | | 55 | 35 | 1 | | 1 | |
| Snow Bunting | | 2 | | | 104 | 426 | 100 | 800 | 375 | 28 | |
| Pine Grosbeak | | | 2 | 10 | 46 | 3 | 412 | 72 | | 9 | 21 |
| House Finch | | | | | | 53 | 2 | | | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | 4 | | | | 4 | | | | 148 | |
| Common Redpoll | 108 | 118 | | 18 | 54 | 351 | 416 | 191 | 60 | 85 | 60 |
| Hoary Redpoll | | 2 | 3 | | | | | | | 2 | 4 |
| Pine Siskin | | | | 10 | | 15 | 71 | | | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | | | | 30 | 129 | | 460 | | | | 6 |
| House Sparrow | 12 | 256 | 1 | | 12 | 1060 | 412 | 30 | 62 | 166 | 52 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 242 | 800 | 11 | 87 | 630 | 4464 | 2515 | 1165 | 632 | 657 | 211 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 242 | 800 | 11 | 87 | 636 | 4464 | 2515 | 1166 | 634 | 657 | 213 |
| Total Species Count Day | 12 | 18 | 5 | 11 | 16 | 36 | 26 | 16 | 11 | 19 | 16 |
| Total Species Count Period | 12 | 18 | 5 | 11 | 17 | 36 | 26 | 17 | 13 | 19 | 18 |

Table 3-5 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Kindersley North 29 Dec 2003 | Kinistino 5 Jan 2004 | Kinloch 15 Dec 2003 | Kutawagan Lake 29 Dec 2003 | LaRonge North 14 Dec 2003 | LaRonge South 26 Dec 2003 | Last Mountain Lake 1 Jan 2004 | Leader North 29 Dec 2003 | Love-Torch River 28 Dec 2003 | Luseland 26 Dec 2003 | MacDowall 25 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mallard | | | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | |
| Northern Goshawk | | | (1) | | | 1 | | | 2 | | 1 |
| Golden Eagle | | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Merlin | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | 33 | 6 | (8) | 13 | | | | | 7 | 6 | 25 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | | 6 | | | |
| Ruffed Grouse | | 1 | 4 | | 7 | 3 | | | 9 | | 2 |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | (4) | | | 43 | | | 45 | 50 | | (4) | 30 |
| Rock Pigeon | 53 | | 12 | 8 | | | 4 | 9 | 10 | 30 | 20 |
| Great Horned Owl | 3 | | (1) | 1 | | | 2 | 2 | (1) | 3 | 2 |
| Snowy Owl | (3) | | | 3 | | | | | | 1 | |
| Great Gray Owl | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Downy Woodpecker | | 2 | 5 | | 5 | 1 | | 2 | 4 | 3 | 3 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 1 | | 8 | 2 | 3 | 2 | | | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | 1 | | | | | | (1) | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | | | | (1) | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | 1 | 3 | | 1 | (1) | | | 1 | | 1 |
| Northern Shrike | | | (1) | | | | | | (1) | (1) | |
| Gray Jay | | 2 | 14 | | 22 | 9 | | | 7 | | 7 |
| Blue Jay | | 2 | 20 | | 2 | 1 | | 2 | 7 | (1) | 5 |
| Black-billed Magpie | 19 | 8 | 12 | 31 | | | 16 | 12 | 41 | 65 | 9 |
| Common Raven | | 1 | 26 | 3 | 39 | 86 | | | 88 | (2) | 2 |
| Horned Lark | 10 | | | | | | | | | 7 | |
| Black-capped Chickadee | | 8 | 45 | 9 | 31 | 9 | 11 | 2 | 83 | 17 | 18 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | | | | 7 | 5 | | | (1) | | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | | | 5 | | | 2 | | | 9 | 4 | |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | | | 9 | | | | | | (1) | | 1 |
| Brown Creeper | | | | | | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | | | | | | | | | | |
| European Starling | | | | 11 | | | | | | | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | (6) | | | | | | | | 7 | | 9 |
| Cedar Waxwing | | | | | | | | | | 25 | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | | | | | 4 | | | | 3 | | |
| Snow Bunting | (300) | | (50) | 219 | | (20) | 91 | | 110 | 1 | 150 |
| Pine Grosbeak | | 9 | 40 | | 57 | 8 | | | 153 | | 11 |
| House Finch | | | | | | | 17 | | | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | | 27 | 1 | | | | | 21 | | |
| Common Redpoll | (6) | 43 | 65 | 83 | 60 | 25 | 282 | | 233 | 166 | 30 |
| Hoary Redpoll | | | | 2 | 4 | | 1 | | 2 | | |
| Pine Siskin | | | (3) | | 5 | | | | | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | | 13 | 52 | | 2 | 2 | | | 84 | | 4 |
| House Sparrow | 60 | | 16 | 423 | | | 242 | 8 | 63 | 180 | |
| Total Birds Count Day | 180 | 97 | 365 | 853 | 252 | 157 | 712 | 107 | 949 | 512 | 335 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 499 | 97 | 429 | 853 | 252 | 178 | 712 | 107 | 955 | 522 | 335 |
| Total Species Count Day | 8 | 13 | 19 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 11 | 13 | 24 | 15 | 21 |
| Total Species Count Period | 13 | 13 | 25 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 11 | 13 | 30 | 21 | 21 |

Table 3-6 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Mayview 26 Dec 2003 | Meadow Lake 26 Dec 2003 | Moose Mountain 4 Jan 2004 | Nipawin 27 Dec 2003 | Nisbet Forest NW 14 Dec 2003 | Nisbet Forest West 26 Dec 2003 | Pike Lake 3 Jan 2004 | Preeceville 1 Jan 2004 | Prince Albert 14 Dec 2003 | Prince Albert NP 19 Dec 2003 | Punnichy 28 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mallard | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | (3) | | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | | | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Golden Eagle | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Merlin | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | | | 5 | 12 | | | 13 | 14 | 13 | | |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Ruffed Grouse | 6 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 3 | | | 1 | | 2 | |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | | | 12 | 8 | | | 118 | | 34 | | 46 |
| Rock Pigeon | | | 31 | 44 | 8 | 17 | 52 | 12 | 163 | | |
| Great Horned Owl | | | | (1) | | (1) | 4 | | 1 | | |
| Snowy Owl | | | | | | | | | 1 | | |
| Great Gray Owl | 1 | 2 | | | 2 | (1) | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 1 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 11 | 27 | 5 | 3 | 2 | |
| Hairy Woodpecker | | 4 | 11 | 6 | 1 | 9 | 25 | 3 | 8 | 6 | |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | | 2 | 2 | | | | 1 | 5 | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | | | 1 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | |
| Northern Shrike | (1) | (1) | | | | | (1) | | | | |
| Gray Jay | 2 | 7 | | 4 | 4 | | | | 3 | 13 | |
| Blue Jay | 2 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 4 | 15 | 9 | | 4 | | |
| Black-billed Magpie | | 11 | 19 | 35 | 6 | 19 | 231 | 4 | 99 | 19 | 10 |
| Common Raven | 2 | 35 | 4 | 52 | 1 | 29 | 31 | 7 | 155 | 23 | 3 |
| Horned Lark | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 8 | 32 | 59 | 38 | 10 | 40 | 326 | 12 | 87 | 52 | 1 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | | | | | | | | 3 | 16 | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | 3 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | 3 | |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | |
| Brown Creeper | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | | | 2 | | | 2 | | | | |
| European Starling | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | | | | 340 | 121 | (315) | 31 | | 2181 | 1 | 10 |
| Cedar Waxwing | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | | | | 5 | | | 2 | 3 | 12 | | |
| Snow Bunting | | | | | | (200) | 880 | 20 | 346 | | 84 |
| Pine Grosbeak | 8 | 22 | | 83 | 5 | 43 | 115 | 38 | 137 | 11 | |
| House Finch | | | | | | | | | | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | | 9 | | | | | | | | |
| Common Redpoll | | 71 | 167 | 538 | 20 | 255 | 845 | 71 | 759 | 93 | 75 |
| Hoary Redpoll | | | | | | 30 | 4 | 3 | 1 | | |
| Pine Siskin | 2 | | 1 | (3) | 5 | | | 8 | | 13 | |
| Evening Grosbeak | 2 | 8 | | 25 | 4 | 43 | | | 55 | | |
| House Sparrow | | 33 | 82 | 224 | | | 799 | 2 | 348 | | 3 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 37 | 244 | 414 | 1461 | 204 | 523 | 3530 | 210 | 4437 | 265 | 232 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 38 | 245 | 414 | 1469 | 204 | 1040 | 3532 | 210 | 4437 | 265 | 232 |
| Total Species Count Day | 11 | 16 | 17 | 24 | 19 | 13 | 27 | 18 | 29 | 17 | 8 |
| Total Species Count Period | 12 | 17 | 17 | 28 | 19 | 17 | 29 | 18 | 29 | 17 | 8 |

Table 3-7 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Qu'Appelle Dam 14 Dec 2003 | Raymore 25 Dec 2003 | Regina 26 Dec 2003 | Rouleau 1 Jan 2004 | Round Lake 20 Dec 2003 | Saltcoats 27 Dec 2003 | Sask. Landing PP 14 Dec 2003 | Sask. R. Forks 29 Dec 2003 | Saskatoon 26 Dec 2003 | Shamrock 2 Jan 2004 | Snowden 5 Jan 2004 |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Canada Goose | 962 | | 303 | | 1 | | | | 2792 | | |
| Mallard | 1017 | | 98 | | (12) | | 2 | | 223 | | |
| Common Goldeneye | 15 | | | | | | | | 440 | | |
| Bald Eagle | 4 | | | | 2 | | 2 | | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | 2 | | | | 1 | | (1) | | | | |
| Golden Eagle | 2 | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | |
| Merlin | 1 | | | | | | | | 6 | | |
| Gray Partridge | 17 | | 728 | | (18) | 6 | 104 | | 59 | 420 | 13 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | 3 | | | | 9 | | | (3) | |
| Ruffed Grouse | | | 2 | | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | 10 |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | 115 | | 187 | 50 | 39 | 66 | 180 | | 130 | 14 | |
| Rock Pigeon | 123 | 5 | 1138 | 9 | 6 | 106 | 34 | 7 | 2803 | | |
| Great Horned Owl | 2 | 1 | 8 | 3 | (2) | | 5 | | 4 | 2 | |
| Snowy Owl | | | 9 | 3 | (1) | | 1 | | | 1 | |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 2 | | 16 | | 3 | 4 | 14 | | 38 | | 9 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 1 | 2 | 8 | | 6 | 5 | 1 | 3 | 23 | | 10 |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | (1) | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | 23 | | 1 | | | | 19 | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | | | | (1) | | | 3 | | | |
| Northern Shrike | 1 | | (1) | | | 1 | | | 1 | | |
| Gray Jay | | | | | | | | 2 | | | 12 |
| Blue Jay | | | 1 | | 16 | | | 4 | 52 | | 23 |
| Black-billed Magpie | 96 | 12 | 124 | | 30 | 15 | 104 | 16 | 842 | 2 | 103 |
| Common Raven | 19 | 7 | 20 | | 26 | 19 | | 12 | 13 | | 308 |
| Horned Lark | 7 | | | | (2) | | | | | 7 | |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 15 | 14 | 60 | 2 | 72 | 91 | 92 | 26 | 763 | | 86 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | | | | | | | 5 | | | 2 |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | 1 | 1 | 50 | | 2 | | | 3 | 217 | | 10 |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | | | 6 | | 8 | 4 | | | 3 | | |
| Brown Creeper | | | 8 | | | | 1 | | 4 | | |
| American Robin | | | 10 | | 10 | | 1 | 4 | 4 | | |
| European Starling | 9 | | 146 | 20 | | | 20 | | 21 | | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | 106 | | 5 | | 21 | 13 | 26 | 5 | 1034 | | |
| Cedar Waxwing | | | | | | | | | 57 | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | | | 190 | | 6 | 4 | | | 33 | | 2 |
| Snow Bunting | 6 | 3 | 40 | 90 | 1 | (60) | | | 9 | 1050 | 85 |
| Pine Grosbeak | | 3 | | | 26 | 8 | | 82 | 17 | | 201 |
| House Finch | 7 | 7 | 106 | | | | | | 667 | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | 8 | 25 | | 36 | | | 8 | 50 | | |
| Common Redpoll | 109 | 102 | 156 | | 193 | 46 | 201 | 131 | 730 | | 537 |
| Hoary Redpoll | | | | | (2) | | | | 5 | | |
| Pine Siskin | | | 31 | | | | 1 | | 2 | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | | | | | | | | 7 | | | 136 |
| House Sparrow | 896 | 180 | 2459 | 170 | 39 | 228 | 695 | 12 | 7102 | 157 | 25 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 3543 | 345 | 5994 | 383 | 550 | 617 | 1499 | 336 | 18202 | 1653 | 1593 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 3543 | 345 | 5997 | 383 | 589 | 678 | 1500 | 336 | 18205 | 1656 | 1593 |
| Total Species Count Day | 31 | 13 | 36 | 10 | 27 | 16 | 23 | 21 | 41 | 8 | 19 |
| Total Species Count Period | 31 | 13 | 39 | 10 | 35 | 18 | 24 | 21 | 44 | 9 | 19 |

Table 3-8 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Somme 5 Jan 2004 | Spalding 26 Dec 2003 | Spinney Hill 26 Dec 2003 | Spruce Home, SW 22 Dec 2003 | Squaw Rapids 4 Jan 2004 | Stenen 1 Jan 2004 | Stockholm 1 Jan 2004 | Swift Current 3 Jan 2004 | Tisdale 26 Dec 2003 | Togo 4 Jan 2004 | Torch River Valley 4 Jan 2004 |
|----------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | 36 | | | | | | |
| Mallard | | | | | | | | 8 | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | 38 | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | (1) | | | | 7 | | (1) | 1 | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | 1 | | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | 2 |
| Golden Eagle | (1) | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Merlin | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Gray Partridge | 38 | 18 | | 4 | 17 | | 19 | 207 | | | 10 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | | 84 | | | |
| Ruffed Grouse | (4) | | | 5 | 1 | 5 | | | | | 5 |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | 71 | | 5 | | 27 | | 58 | 116 | | 12 | |
| Rock Pigeon | 17 | | 10 | | | | 30 | 342 | | | |
| Great Horned Owl | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | |
| Snowy Owl | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 6 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 9 | 2 | | 14 | | 7 | 18 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 5 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | | 5 | 15 |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | 1 | | 2 | | | 2 | | | | 1 | 5 |
| Northern Shrike | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Jay | 9 | | | | 5 | 4 | | | | | 15 |
| Blue Jay | 13 | | 7 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 1 | | | 6 | 10 |
| Black-billed Magpie | 59 | 3 | 62 | 4 | 11 | 4 | 5 | 78 | 2 | 2 | 26 |
| Common Raven | 118 | | 6 | 5 | 48 | 10 | 4 | | 5 | 50 | 54 |
| Horned Lark | | | | | | | 1 | 12 | | | 2 |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 65 | 10 | 27 | | 7 | 15 | 1 | 9 | 3 | 50 | 94 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | | | 2 | 4 | | | | | | 2 |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | | | | | 3 | 2 | | 53 | | | 9 |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | 10 | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 7 | 11 |
| Brown Creeper | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| European Starling | | | | | 5 | | | | | | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | | 20 | 31 | | | | | 155 | | | |
| Cedar Waxwing | | | | | | | | 1 | 40 | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | (6) | | | 1 | | | | 46 | | | 6 |
| Snow Bunting | 15 | | 16 | | 29 | | 200 | 50 | | 20 | 575 |
| Pine Grosbeak | 96 | 5 | 17 | 16 | 47 | 25 | | | | 18 | 79 |
| House Finch | | | | | | | | 177 | | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | | (2) | 3 | | 115 | | | 59 | | | (9) |
| Common Redpoll | 66 | 24 | 91 | 20 | 245 | 40 | | 214 | 8 | 33 | 71 |
| Hoary Redpoll | | (1) | | | 4 | | | 2 | | | 15 |
| Pine Siskin | | | | | | | | 8 | | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | 85 | | | 3 | 3 | 15 | | | | | 308 |
| House Sparrow | 55 | 30 | 105 | 20 | 57 | | 20 | 2158 | 10 | 15 | |
| Total Birds Count Day | 730 | 113 | 392 | 88 | 787 | 130 | 390 | 3838 | 69 | 226 | 1334 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 742 | 116 | 392 | 88 | 787 | 130 | 391 | 3838 | 69 | 226 | 1343 |
| Total Species Count Day | 18 | 9 | 20 | 14 | 30 | 13 | 15 | 35 | 7 | 13 | 22 |
| Total Species Count Period | 22 | 11 | 20 | 14 | 30 | 13 | 16 | 35 | 7 | 13 | 23 |

Table 3-9 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Turtleford 29 Dec 2003 | Turtle Lake 31 Dec 2003 | Weyburn 18 Dec 2003 | White Bear 28 Dec 2003 | Whitewood 28 Dec 2003 | Yorkton 30 Dec 2003 | Totals Count Day | Totals Count Period | # of Counts Seen Count Day | # of Counts Seen Count Period |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | | | 7198 | 7198 | 11 | 11 |
| Mallard | | | | | | 22 | 3181 | 3206 | 16 | 19 |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | | | 691 | 694 | 9 | 10 |
| Bald Eagle | | | | | | | 90 | 94 | 21 | 24 |
| Northern Goshawk | | | | | (1) | | 21 | 27 | 16 | 22 |
| Golden Eagle | | | | 4 | | | 37 | 38 | 16 | 17 |
| Merlin | | | (1) | | (1) | | 15 | 17 | 9 | 11 |
| Gray Partridge | 13 | | 270 | 32 | 31 | 22 | 3231 | 3262 | 51 | 54 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | 4 | | | | 371 | 375 | 11 | 13 |
| Ruffed Grouse | 1 | | | | (1) | | 148 | 164 | 40 | 46 |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | 6 | 7 | 79 | 36 | 30 | 8 | 3420 | 3459 | 60 | 65 |
| Rock Pigeon | 37 | | 150 | 232 | 29 | 247 | 7419 | 7433 | 60 | 61 |
| Great Horned Owl | 1 | | 1 | | (1) | | 99 | 110 | 40 | 50 |
| Snowy Owl | | 1 | 1 | 2 | | 1 | 42 | 49 | 22 | 27 |
| Great Gray Owl | | 1 | | | | | 10 | 12 | 8 | 10 |
| Downy Woodpecker | 1 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 437 | 438 | 77 | 78 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 5 | 4 | 2 | | 9 | 3 | 410 | 411 | 73 | 74 |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | 1 | | | | | | 19 | 21 | 12 | 14 |
| Northern Flicker | | | (1) | | 1 | | 49 | 51 | 9 | 11 |
| Pileated Woodpecker | | 1 | | | | (1) | 66 | 74 | 28 | 35 |
| Northern Shrike | | | | | | | 7 | 16 | 7 | 16 |
| Gray Jay | | | | | | | 202 | 202 | 30 | 30 |
| Blue Jay | 3 | 7 | 1 | | | 15 | 516 | 521 | 60 | 62 |
| Black-billed Magpie | 38 | 4 | 7 | 75 | 44 | 22 | 4519 | 4519 | 92 | 92 |
| Common Raven | 18 | 15 | | | 58 | 113 | 2779 | 2784 | 77 | 79 |
| Horned Lark | | | | | 2 | | 108 | 112 | 15 | 17 |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 37 | 15 | 2 | 4 | 147 | 41 | 4375 | 4375 | 91 | 91 |
| Boreal Chickadee | | | | | | | 139 | 140 | 17 | 18 |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | | | 1 | | 3 | 1 | 598 | 599 | 47 | 48 |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | | | 1 | | 14 | 1 | 232 | 234 | 44 | 46 |
| Brown Creeper | | | | | | | 21 | 21 | 9 | 9 |
| American Robin | | | | | | | 58 | 61 | 15 | 18 |
| European Starling | | | 2 | 35 | | | 418 | 438 | 18 | 19 |
| Bohemian Waxwing | | | | | 11 | 80 | 5502 | 5891 | 34 | 39 |
| Cedar Waxwing | 6 | | | | | 57 | 266 | 318 | 11 | 16 |
| Dark-eyed Junco | 3 | | 4 | | 4 | | 467 | 473 | 34 | 35 |
| Snow Bunting | 120 | | 40 | | 305 | | 9008 | 9655 | 56 | 63 |
| Pine Grosbeak | 64 | 25 | | | | 10 | 2446 | 2451 | 58 | 60 |
| House Finch | | | 28 | | 46 | | 1202 | 1203 | 13 | 14 |
| White-winged Crossbill | 66 | | | | (4) | | 850 | 885 | 27 | 31 |
| Common Redpoll | | 30 | | 50 | 384 | 132 | 14053 | 14059 | 86 | 87 |
| Hoary Redpoll | 3 | | | | | 2 | 159 | 163 | 26 | 29 |
| Pine Siskin | | | 5 | | | | 287 | 293 | 18 | 20 |
| Evening Grosbeak | 2 | 15 | | | | | 1745 | 1745 | 34 | 34 |
| House Sparrow | 45 | | 933 | 150 | 791 | 492 | 29325 | 29325 | 78 | 78 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 481 | 134 | 1533 | 624 | 1922 | 1274 | 107091 | | | |
| Total Birds Count Period | 481 | 134 | 1538 | 624 | 1930 | 1275 | | 108495 | | |
| Total Species Count Day | 23 | 15 | 19 | 14 | 20 | 20 | 90 | | | |
| Total Species Count Period | 23 | 15 | 23 | 14 | 25 | 21 | | 94 | | |

Table 3-1 Species found in 9 or more localities () = seen during count period

| Aves | Archerwill 4 Jan 2004 | Armit 3 Jan 2004 | Bangor 27 Dec 2003 | Beauval 21 Dec 2003 | Bethune-Dilke 22 Dec 2003 | Biggar 27 Dec 2003 | Big River 2 Jan 2004 | Birch Hills 21 Dec 2003 | Brightwater Res. 30 Dec 2003 | Broadview 23 Dec 2003 | Bromhead 14 Dec 2003 | Cabri 25 Dec 2003 |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|
| Canada Goose | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | |
| Mallard | | | | | | 1 | | | (8) | | | |
| Common Goldeneye | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bald Eagle | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | (2) | | | |
| Northern Goshawk | (1) | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| Golden Eagle | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Merlin | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Gray Partridge | | | 32 | | 30 | | | 40 | | 10 | 233 | 16 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | | | | | | | | | | | 180 | 1 |
| Ruffed Grouse | 8 | 8 | | 5 | | | (2) | 6 | | 1 | | |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | | | 51 | 16 | 3 | 56 | | (2) | 36 | 75 | 75 | |
| Rock Pigeon | | | 13 | | 23 | 214 | | 47 | 22 | 70 | 32 | 88 |
| Great Horned Owl | 1 | | 2 | | | (1) | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Snowy Owl | 1 | | 1 | | | | | (1) | | | 2 | 2 |
| Great Gray Owl | | | | (1) | | | | | | | | |
| Downy Woodpecker | 7 | 1 | 5 | 1 | | (1) | 2 | 5 | 1 | 5 | | 1 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | 10 | | 7 | 2 | | 1 | | 6 | | 1 | | |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Northern Flicker | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pileated Woodpecker | 3 | | 1 | | | | | (1) | | | | |
| Northern Shrike | 1 | | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| Gray Jay | 5 | 2 | | 8 | | | 2 | | | | | |
| Blue Jay | 28 | 1 | | 4 | | 2 | 4 | | | 2 | | |
| Black-billed Magpie | 27 | 23 | 28 | 9 | 4 | 196 | 1 | 49 | 88 | 25 | 3 | 17 |
| Common Raven | 12 | 92 | 51 | 81 | (3) | 14 | 6 | 17 | | 1 | | |
| Horned Lark | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| Black-capped Chickadee | 56 | 23 | 37 | 12 | 3 | 35 | 5 | 34 | 4 | 29 | 1 | 1 |
| Boreal Chickadee | 5 | 3 | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| Red-breasted Nuthatch | 7 | | | (1) | | 9 | 2 | | | | | |
| White-breasted Nuthatch | 3 | | 2 | | | | 1 | | | 1 | | |
| Brown Creeper | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| American Robin | | 1 | | | | 7 | | 3 | | (1) | | (1) |
| European Starling | | | 2 | | | | | 28 | 5 | | 18 | |
| Bohemian Waxwing | 1 | | | | (24) | 425 | | | | (4) | | 5 |
| Cedar Waxwing | (20) | | | | | (2) | | | | | | |
| Dark-eyed Junco | 4 | | 5 | | | 10 | | | | 4 | | |
| Snow Bunting | 65 | 44 | 32 | | 12 | (2) | | 202 | 50 | (15) | 55 | |
| Pine Grosbeak | 98 | 47 | 6 | 20 | | 1 | 6 | (4) | | | | |
| House Finch | | | | | | 32 | | | | 10 | | |
| White-winged Crossbill | 125 | 30 | | | | 18 | | | | 30 | | |
| Common Redpoll | 176 | 189 | 7 | 21 | | 317 | 13 | 245 | 129 | 218 | 31 | 4 |
| Parus Redpoll | 1 | 11 | | | | 4 | | 1 | | | 2 | |
| Tree Siskin | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Evening Grosbeak | 71 | 34 | | 24 | | | | | | | | |
| House Sparrow | 88 | 7 | 152 | | 50 | 837 | | 135 | 240 | 304 | 631 | 220 |
| Total Birds Count Day | 811 | 521 | 436 | 204 | 125 | 2189 | 42 | 821 | 577 | 801 | 1267 | 363 |
| Total Birds Count Period | 832 | 521 | 436 | 207 | 154 | 2195 | 44 | 829 | 587 | 821 | 1267 | 364 |
| Total Species Count Day | 27 | 17 | 20 | 13 | 7 | 25 | 10 | 16 | 11 | 21 | 14 | 12 |
| Total Species Count Period | 29 | 17 | 20 | 16 | 10 | 29 | 11 | 20 | 13 | 24 | 14 | 13 |

Table 4 Species found in fewer than 9 localities

| Species | Locality and Number (* = Count Period) |
|-----------------------|---|
| Harris's Sparrow | Broadview (1), Craven (1), Indian Head (1), Sask. Landing PP (2), Sask. R. Forks (1), Swift Current (1), White Bear (1) |
| White-crowned Sparrow | Pike Lake (1), Preeceville (1), Swift Current (2) |
| Lapland Longspur | Stockholm (30) |
| Northern Cardinal | Saskatoon (1*) |
| Red-winged Blackbird | Fort Walsh (1), Indian Head (5), Regina (1*) |
| Western Meadowlark | Cypress Hills PP (1), Govenlock (1) |
| Rusty Blackbird | Fort Walsh (31), Regina (1), Round Lake (1) |
| Brewer's Blackbird | Beauval (1*), Brightwater Res. (1), Endeavour (1*), Govenlock (3) |
| Common Grackle | Archerwill (1), Birch Hills (1), Broadview (2), Endeavour (1), Kamsack (1), Kutawagan Lake (1), Regina (3) |
| Brown-headed Cowbird | Saskatoon (1*) |
| Purple Finch | Craven (4), Gardiner Dam (1), Good Spirit Lake (2*), Indian Head (21), Kenosee Lake (1), Round Lake (1), Saskatoon (11), Swift Current (21) |
| Red Crossbill | Armit (5), Fort Walsh (9), Saskatoon (1), Snowden (20), Squaw Rapids (47), Turtleford (9), Turtle Lake (1) |
| American Goldfinch | Clark's Crossing (1), Craven (3), Fort Qu'Appelle (9), Kenosee Lake (6), Regina (5), Whitewood (2) |

Table 5 Birds not identified to species

| Category | Locality and Number |
|----------------|--|
| Goose sp. | Estevan (150) |
| Duck sp. | Rouleau (35) |
| Raptor sp. | Craven (1) |
| Eagle sp. | Fort Walsh (1) |
| Falcon sp. | Govenlock (1) |
| Woodpecker sp. | Clark's Crossing (1), LaRonge North (1), Saskatoon (1) |
| Crossbill sp. | Fenton (8) |



Gray Partridge

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Table 6. New (in bold and italics) and tying high counts for individual species 2003. Count period results are in brackets.

| LOCATION | 2003 COUNT | PREVIOUS HIGH, LOCATION, YEAR |
|------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Regina | 728 Gray Partridge | 532 Saskatoon 1970 |
| Bromhead | 180 Ring-necked Pheasant | 137 Grasslands National Park 1989 |
| Indian Head | 1 Swainson's Hawk | 1 Webb-Swift Current 1978, Eastend-Consul 1997, Indian Head 2002 |
| Yorkton | 1 Sandhill Crane | NEW SPECIES |
| Leader | 1 Common Crane | NEW SPECIES |
| Swift Current | 8 Eurasian Collared-Dove | 8 Moose Jaw 2001 |
| Govenlock | 1 Western Screech-Owl | 1 Leader South 1998 |
| Snowden | 308 Common Raven | 279 Nipawin 1993 |
| Saskatoon | 217 Red-breasted Nuthatch | 207 Saskatoon 1995 |
| Estevan | 1 Hermit Thrush | 1 MacDowall 1997 |
| Pike Lake | (1) Northern Mockingbird | 1 Regina 1967, 1987 |
| Swift Current | 2 White-crowned Sparrow | 2 Craven 1999 |
| Saskatoon | 667 House Finch | 466 Saskatoon 2002 |

Table 7. Population changes in numbers of selected species in 2003* compared to 2002 and the average for 5 years, based on number of birds per observer. A minus sign indicates a decrease from previous years.

| Species | % change from 2002 | % change from 1998-2002 | Species | % change from 2002 | % change from 1998-2002 |
|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Canada Goose | -79 | -60 | Black-billed Magpie | -20 | -18 |
| Mallard | -93 | -88 | American Crow | 46 | 56 |
| Common Goldeneye | 3 | 0 | Common Raven | -8 | 3 |
| Common Merganser | 196 | -16 | Horned Lark | -95 | -96 |
| Gray Partridge | 206 | 197 | Black-capped Chickadee | -17 | -4 |
| Ring-necked Pheasant | 239 | 148 | Boreal Chickadee | -17 | -17 |
| Ruffed Grouse | 80 | 32 | Red-breasted Nuthatch | 48 | 29 |
| Sharp-tailed Grouse | 286 | 216 | White-breasted Nuthatch | -5 | -25 |
| Bald Eagle | -16 | 12 | Brown Creeper | 73 | 85 |
| Northern Goshawk | 48 | 33 | Golden-crowned Kinglet | 26 | -42 |
| Rough-legged Hawk | 442 | 45 | American Robin | 10 | -57 |
| Golden Eagle | 35 | 12 | European Starling | 33 | -7 |
| Merlin | -1 | 6 | Bohemian Waxwing | -58 | -49 |
| Prairie Falcon | -38 | -50 | Cedar Waxwing | -56 | -22 |
| Rock Pigeon | -6 | -1 | American Tree Sparrow | -88 | -72 |
| Great Horned Owl | 15 | 2 | Dark-eyed Junco | 20 | 114 |
| Snowy Owl | -51 | -42 | Lapland Longspur | -99 | -98 |
| Great Gray Owl | 163 | -71 | Snow Bunting | -48 | -61 |
| Short-eared Owl | -78 | -88 | Pine Grosbeak | 69 | 82 |
| Downy Woodpecker | -5 | 9 | Purple Finch | -64 | -39 |
| Hairy Woodpecker | -5 | 10 | House Finch | 14 | 81 |
| Black-backed Woodpecker | 56 | 114 | White-winged Crossbill | 474 | 661 |
| Northern Flicker | -21 | 6 | Common Redpoll | 975 | 61 |
| Pileated Woodpecker | 49 | 103 | Hoary Redpoll | 3819 | 49 |
| Northern Shrike | -62 | -58 | Pine Siskin | -28 | -19 |
| Gray Jay | 19 | 22 | Evening Grosbeak | 49 | -2 |
| Blue Jay | -38 | -27 | House Sparrow | 21 | 31 |

*As tremendous changes can occur in small sample sizes, only those species recorded on an annual average of six counts are included.