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As a printing aid the following abbreviations have been used throughout this report:

Observation Locations:

AmnBot	= American Bottoms (Monroe Co)	LowdMil	= Lowden-Miller State Forest (Ogle Co)
AndalSl	= Andalusia Slough Recreation Area (Rock Island Co)	LRen	= Lake Renwick (Will Co)
Ark	= Arklands Reclamation Area / Pyramid State Park (Perry & Randolph Cos)	LShel-M	= Lake Shelbyville (Moultrie Co)
BaldwinL	= Baldwin Lake (Randolph and St. Clair Cos)	LShel-S	= Lake Shelbyville (Shelby Co)
BeallWds	= Beall Woods State Park (Wabash Co)	LSpfld	= Lake Springfield (Sangamon Co)
CarlL	= Carlyle Lake (Clinton and Fayette Cos)	LVerm	= Lake Vermilion (Vermilion Co)
CarlL-B	= Carlyle Lake (Bond Co)	LTFP	= Loud Thunder Forest Preserve and vicinity (Rock Island Co)
CarlL-C	= Carlyle Lake (Clinton Co)	MARb	= Morton Arboretum (DuPage Co)
CarlL-F	= Carlyle Lake (Fayette Co)	MeadbrkPk	= Meadowbrook Park (Champaign Co)
CBG	= Chicago Botanic Garden (Cook Co)	MermetL	= Mermet Lake State Fish & Wildlife Area (Massac Co)
Champaign	= Champaign (Champaign Co)	MidSav	= Middlefork Savanna Forest Preserve (Lake Co)
Chann	= Channahon (Will Co)	Merwin	= Merwin Nature Preserve (McLean Co)
Chau	= Chautauqua National Wildlife Refuge (Mason Co)	MissR	= Mississippi River (various Cos)
Chi	= Chicago and vicinity (Cook Co)	MRB	= Mississippi River Blufflands (Monroe Co)
ClearL	= Clear Lake (Mason Co)	Nachusa	= Nachusa Grasslands (Lee Co)
ClintonL	= Clinton Lake State Recreation Area (DeWitt Co)	NWU	= Northwestern University Lakefill, Evanston (Cook Co)
COLSP	= Chain O' Lakes State Park (Lake Co)	OakBot	= Oakwood Bottoms (Jackson Co)
CONWR	= Crab Orchard National Wildlife Refuge (Williamson Co)	PaulDouglas	= Paul Douglas FP (Cook Co)
EForkL	= East Fork Lake, Olney (Richland Co)	PLNWR	= Port Louisa National Wildlife Refuge - Keithsburg Division (Mercer Co)
Emiquon	= Emiquon Preserve (Fulton Co)	PRKWA	= Peabody River King State Fish & Wildlife Area (St. Clair Co)
ESTL	= East St. Louis (St. Clair Co)	PrRdg-J	= Prairie Ridge State Natural Area (Jasper Co)
Fermi	= Fermilab (DuPage Co)	PrRdg-M	= Prairie Ridge State Natural Area (Marion Co)
GLPSNA	= Goose Lake Prairie State Natural Area (Grundy Co)	QC	= Quad Cities and vicinity (Rock Island Co)
GreeneVal	= Greene Valley Forest Preserve (DuPage Co)	Rckfd	= Rockford and vicinity (Winnebago Co)
GreenR	= Green River State Wildlife Area (Lee Co)	RendL	= Rend Lake and vicinity (Franklin and Jefferson Cos)
HennepinL	= Hennepin-Hopper Lake Restoration Area (Putnam Co)	RendL-F	= Rend Lake and vicinity (Franklin Co)
HL	= Horseshoe Lake State Park (Madison Co)	RendL-J	= Rend Lake and vicinity (Jefferson Co)
HLCA	= Horseshoe Lake Conservation Area (Alexander Co)	RockCut	= Rock Cut State Park (Winnebago Co)
IBSP	= Illinois Beach State Park (Lake Co)	RollinsSav	= Rollins Savanna Forest Preserve (Lake Co)
JP	= Jackson Park, Chicago (Cook Co)	Sang	= Sangamon Co
Kankakee	= Kankakee (Kankakee Co)	SantaFe	= Santa Fe Bottoms (Clinton Co)
KankakeePks	= LeVasseur & Perry Farm Parks (Kankakee Co)	Shabl	= Shabbona Lake State Recreation Area (DeKalb Co)
KArb	= Klehm Arboretum (Winnebago Co)	SouthFarms	= U of I South Farms (Champaign Co)
KCP	= Kennekuk County Park (Vermilion Co)	Spfld	= Springfield and vicinity (Sangamon Co)
KinkL	= Kinkaid Lake (Jackson Co)	SRSF	= Sand Ridge State Forest (Mason Co)
KLMSNA	= Kidd Lake Marsh State Natural Area (Monroe Co)	StarvedRock	= Starved Rock State Park and vicinity (LaSalle Co)
KSRA	= Kickapoo State Recreation Area (Vermilion Co)	UCCA	= Union County Conservation Area (Union Co)
LCal	= Lake Calumet and vicinity (Cook Co)	Urbana	= Urbana (Champaign Co)
LMurph	= Lake Murphysboro State Park (Jackson Co)	WaterGlen	= Waterfall Glen Forest Preserve (DuPage Co)
LostMound	= Lost Mound National Wildlife Refuge (Jo Daviess Co)	Wauk	= Waukegan Beach and vicinity (Lake Co)
		WhalonL	= Whalon Lake Forest Preserve (Will Co)
		WinthropH	= Winthrop Harbor and North Point Marina (Lake Co)