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

EA	earliest arrival(s)	juv.	juvenal(s) / juvenile(s)	NC	Nature Center
MC	maximum count(s)	1st yr/2nd yr/...	first plumage year/ second plumage year/...	NWR	National Wildlife Refuge
LD	latest departure(s)			P	Park
*	documented record	CA	Conservation Area	Pr	Prairie
m.ob.	many observers	Co(s)	County (Counties)	R	River
:ph	photographed	Crk	Creek	SNA	State Natural Area
spec(s).	specimen(s)	FP	Forest Preserve	SP	State Park
(sub)ad.	(sub)adult(s)	L	Lake	Wds	Woods
imm.	immature(s)	LWR	Land & Water Reserve		

(L) Bloomington	(Lake) Bloomington (McLean Co)	Kankakee	Kankakee (Kankakee Co)
Braidwd	Braidwood (Will Co)	Kidd L M	Kidd Lake Marsh State Natural Area (Monroe Co)
Carl.B/C/F	Carlyle Lake (Bond Co/Clinton Co/Fayette Co)	LCal	Lake Calumet area (s. Cook Co)
Carl.L	Carlyle Lake, as above (county unspecified)	Ldn-Mlr	Lowden-Miller State Forest (Ogle Co)
Chau	Chautauqua National Wildlife Refuge (Mason Co)	Linc. P	Lincoln Park, Chicago (Cook Co)
Chi	Chicago (Cook Co); see also Chi Loop, Grant P, JP, Linc. P, Montrose H, Northerly I	Mackinaw Bluffs	Mackinaw Bluffs Corridor (Woodford Co)
Chi Loop	central business district, downtown Chicago (Cook Co)	M.Arb.	Morton Arboretum, Lisle (Du Page Co)
Clin.L	Clinton Lake (DeWitt Co)	Momence	Momence (Kankakee Co)
(L) Decatur	(Lake) Decatur (Macon Co)	Montrose H	Montrose Harbor, Lincoln Park, Chicago (Cook Co)
ECape Gir.	East Cape Girardeau (Alexander Co)	Northerly I	Northerly Island, Burnham Park, Chicago (Cook Co)
Grant P	Grant Park, Chicago (Cook Co)	Palos	Palos area (sw. Cook Co)
Greene Vly FP	Greene Valley Forest Preserve (Du Page Co)	PrRdg	Prairie Ridge State Natural Area (Jasper Co unless specified)
Guzy Pr	"Guzy Prairie" = Margaret Guzy Pothole Wetlands Land & Water Reserve (Shelby Co)	Rend L	Rend L (Franklin/Jefferson Cos)
Hennepin L	Hennepin-Hopper Lake Restoration Area (Putnam Co)	Salt Crk Wds	Salt Creek Woods Nature Preserve (w. Cook Co)
HL	Horseshoe Lake State Park (Madison Co)	Sauer Pr	Sauer Family Prairie Kame Forest Preserve (Kane Co)
IBSP	Illinois Beach State Park (Lake Co)	Two Rivers NWR	Two Rivers NWR (Calhoun Co unless specified)
IL	Illinois	Urb.	Urbana (Champaign Co)
JP	Jackson Park and vicinity, Chicago (Cook Co)	Wauk.	Waukegan (Lake Co)
		Winthrop H	Winthrop Harbor (Lake Co)

Transparent directionals (n. = north(ern), ne. = northeast(ern), etc.) are used where applicable. Headings for species requiring IORC (Illinois Ornithological Records Committee) review in parts of Illinois or in some plumages are underlined, while those for species requiring review of all records are **CAPITALIZED AND UNDERLINED**. Records pending completion of IORC review are enclosed in square brackets []. The IORC review list can be viewed at the IOS/IORC website, <http://www.illinoisbirds.org/iorc.html>. Noteworthy dates and sites of occurrence and remarkably high counts for the state as a whole or for particular regions of the state are underlined and boldfaced, and some further editorial remarks are boldfaced.

Remarks on the historical significance of records aim to be valid for the corpus of data published in Bohlen's 1989 *Birds of Illinois* and in the seasonal summaries in the *Illinois journals Illinois Birds and Birding* (summer 1984 - spring 1991) and *Meadowlark* (summer 1991 - present). Most of these remarks were supplied by Paul R. Clyne.

The 2003 DeLorme Illinois Atlas & Gazetteer has been used as a standard for spelling of place names for sites included therein. Species names and sequencing follow the current American Ornithologists' Union's Check-list of North American Birds and its annual supplements, last revised July 2009.