

Summary of Helena MT 2013 Christmas Bird Count

2013 CBC - December 14, 2013 - Summary of 59 counts, 1954-2013 (no count in 1958)					
Species	2013 Count	Times Seen	Prev. High Count	Year(s)	Freq.
Snow Goose		12	40	87	20%
Canada Goose	2,363	45	3,656	07	76%
Trumpeter Swan	14	7	12	91	12%
Tundra Swan		20	35	88	34%
Wood Duck	22	26	36	04	44%
Gadwall	13	23	61	95	39%
American Wigeon		16	26	90	27%
Mallard	1,602	55	10,216	80	93%
Blue-winged Teal		6	5	11	10%
Cinnamon Teal		3	7	93	5%
Northern Shoveler		6	13	03	10%
Northern Pintail	1	25	11	90	42%
Green-winged Teal	5	23	20	91	39%
Canvasback		4	10	06	7%
Redhead	20	8	5	95	14%
Ring-necked Duck		4	40	04	7%
Greater Scaup		2	4	01	3%
Lesser Scaup	1	11	5	95	19%
White-winged Scoter		1	1	87	2%
Long-tailed Duck		1	4	03	2%
Bufflehead		20	7	84,09	34%
Common Goldeneye	207	57	377	07	97%
Barrow's Goldeneye	18	40	185	00	68%
Hooded Merganser		16	9	91	27%
Common Merganser	8	47	214	73	80%
Red-breasted Merganser		4	12	99	7%
Ruddy Duck	2	8	3	01	14%
Chukar		1	1	98	2%
Gray Partridge	7	43	137	78	73%
Ring-necked Pheasant		31	60	62	53%
Ruffed Grouse		1	6	86	2%
Dusky Grouse		1	1	95	2%
Sharp-tailed Grouse		13	12	81	22%
Wild Turkey		1	5	10	2%
Common Loon		7	7	91	12%
Pied-billed Grebe	1	6	4	92	10%
Horned Grebe		4	2	89	7%
Eared Grebe		2	1	88,12	3%
Western Grebe	1	11	3	03	19%
American White Pelican	2	9	6	04	15%
Double-crested Cormorant		1	1	04	2%
Great Blue Heron	2	24	5	88	41%
Turkey Vulture		1	1	66	2%
Bald Eagle	16	51	32	90,11	86%
Northern Harrier	28	51	16	81	86%
Sharp-shinned Hawk	3	31	7	03	53%
Cooper's Hawk	cw	24	3	77,03	41%
Northern Goshawk	1	14	4	83	24%
Red-tailed Hawk	11	18	7	07	31%
Ferruginous Hawk		1	1	76	2%
Rough-legged Hawk	56	50	43	98	85%
Golden Eagle		36	7	64	61%
American Kestrel	3	16	3	81,82,93	27%
Merlin	6	42	10	91	71%
Gyr Falcon		8	2	90,93	14%
Peregrine Falcon		7	2	70	12%
Prairie Falcon	2	30	4	87	51%
American Coot	1	30	588	10	51%

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Killdeer		25	12	66	42%
Spotted Sandpiper		1	1	97	2%
Wilson's Snipe	1	47	11	78	80%
Ring-billed Gull		20	803	03	34%
California Gull		11	57	01	19%
Herring Gull		11	15	01	19%
Glaucous Gull		1	1	97	2%
Rock Pigeon	1,016	40	1,306	05	68%
Eurasian Collared-Dove	303	7	104	11	12%
Mourning Dove		8	7	09	14%
Western Screech Owl		1	1	69	2%
Great Horned Owl	1	40	7	87	68%
Snowy Owl		3	1	80,84,96	5%
Northern Pygmy Owl		7	4	85	12%
Long Eared Owl		1	1	80	2%
Short-eared Owl		18	11	68	31%
Northern Saw-whet Owl		1	1	86	2%
Belted Kingfisher	3	32	6	88,12	54%
Downy Woodpecker	11	54	18	00	92%
Hairy Woodpecker	9	44	9	93	75%
American Three-toed Woodpecker	1	2	1	12	3%
Northern Flicker (Red-shafted)	88	56	109	09	95%
Yellow Shafted Flicker (race)		5	2	05	8%
Pileated Woodpecker		1	1	09	2%
Loggerhead Shrike		2	1	65,83	3%
Northern Shrike	4	50	15	96	85%
Gray Jay		5	24	90	8%
Steller's Jay	2	9	4	81,86	15%
Blue Jay	cw	17	3	76,97,98,00	29%
Pinyon Jay	30	26	156	60	44%
Clark's Nutcracker	28	52	220	91	88%
Black-billed Magpie	326	59	453	77	100%
American Crow	169	27	120	06	46%
Common Raven	237	46	470	10	78%
Horned Lark	5	46	5,329	72	78%
Black-capped Chickadee	109	57	156	00	97%
Mountain Chickadee	104	58	225	94	98%
Red-breasted Nuthatch	5	54	273	74	92%
White-breasted Nuthatch	13	42	22	97	71%
Pygmy Nuthatch	32	24	41	12	41%
Brown Creeper		15	7	81,04	25%
Canyon Wren		3	1	95,01	5%
Winter Wren		1	1	97	2%
Marsh Wren		8	4	88	14%
American Dipper	3	53	9	87	90%
Golden-crowned Kinglet		5	6	85,01	8%
Mountain Bluebird		1	1	97	2%
Townsend's Solitaire	61	58	142	07	98%
American Robin	27	43	227	05	73%
Varied Thrush		1	1	81	2%
Northern Mockingbird		1	1	87	2%
European Starling	705	55	686	07	93%
Bohemian Waxwing	712	52	16,101	05	88%
Cedar Waxwing	12	25	96	01	42%
Spotted Towhee		1	1	11	2%
American Tree Sparrow	37	59	145	86	100%
Song Sparrow	3	53	44	66	90%
White-throated Sparrow		3	1	87,91,11	5%
Harris's Sparrow		6	2	63,90	10%

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White-crowned Sparrow		5	2	63,90,97	8%
Dark-eyed Junco		42	59	95	71%
Lapland Longspur		7	40	70	12%
Snow Bunting		11	80	96	19%
Red-winged Blackbird	2	31	161	65	53%
Western Meadowlark		10	51	79	17%
Rusty Blackbird		4	7	93	7%
Brewer's Blackbird	1	12	17	67	20%
Brown-headed Cowbird		1	1	75	2%
Common Grackle		1	1	11	2%
Rosy Finch		14	75	77	24%
Pine Grosbeak		20	253	77	34%
Purple Finch		1	1	95	2%
Cassin's Finch		29	100	64	49%
House Finch	449	34	946	00	58%
Red Crossbill		32	351	95	54%
White-winged Crossbill		3	30	84	5%
Common Redpoll		43	979	01	73%
Hoary Redpoll		2	2	77,01	3%
Pine Siskin	12	31	388	95	53%
American Goldfinch		12	26	79	20%
Evening Grosbeak		29	141	84	49%
House Sparrow	758	59	2,397	03	100%

Total Species - 63
Total Birds - 9695