

Prince Edward Island National Park, P.E.I. 46°23'N 63°08'W, center 0.75 mi. S of junction of Routes 25 and 6 on Route 25, to include Rustico, Brackley, Covehead. Tracadie and Winter Bays, those areas north of Sherwood and West Royalty, as well as Harrington, North Milton, Milton Station and Cymbria, also Gulf of St. Lawrence between Rustico Island and Blooming Point; elevation 0 to 200 ft.

Dec. 17, 1982; 8:15 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. A.M.: clear. P.M.: mostly cloudy. Temp. 29° to 32° F. Wind NW, 0-5 m.p.h. Snow cover 0. Fresh water open. Salt water open. Wild food crop good.

Twelve observers, in 4-5 parties. Total party hours, 28 (6 3/4 on foot, 16 3/4 by car, 4 1/2 stationary). Total party miles 346 1/2 (9 1/2 on foot, 337 by car). Total species 30; 5164 individuals.

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16 Great Cormorant	410 Great Black-backed Gull
521 Canada Goose	225 Rock Dove
781 American Black Duck	62 Blue Jay
1 Mallard	446 American Crow
37 Oldsquaw	40 Common Raven
6 White-winged Scoter	24 Black-capped Chickadee
118 Common Goldeneye	3 Boreal Chickadee
52 Common Merganser	8 Golden-crowned Kinglet
19 Red-breasted Merganser	861 European Starling
2 Bald Eagle (imm)	3 American Tree Sparrow
2 Rough-legged Hawk	61 Snow Bunting
1 Merlin	52 Brown-headed Cowbird
15 Gray Partridge	25 Evening Grosbeak
2 Ruffed Grouse	507 House Sparrow
6 Ring-billed Gull	
828 Herring Gull	<hr/> 5164

Hillsborough, P.E.I. 46°08'N 63°02'W, center ca. 0.75 mi. E of most easterly point on Governor's Island in Hillsborough Bay, to include Hillsborough Bay and Charlotte-town Harbour, Orwell and Pownal Bays, Point Prim, Rocky Point and areas of Bunbury, Keppoch and Earnscliffe; elevation 0 to 275 ft.

Dec. 27, 1983; 6:30 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. A.M.: overcast, light snow. P.M.: overcast, light snow. Temp. 20° to 30° F. Wind SW, 0-15 m.p.h. Snow cover 2 to 15 in. Fresh water frozen. Salt water frozen. Wild food crop good.

Twenty-two observers in 7 parties. Total party hours, 40 (14 1/2 on foot, 21 by car, 4 1/2 stationary). Total party miles, 239 (14 on foot, 225 by car).

Total species 44 (plus 1 hybrid); 4905 individuals. (In count area count week but not seen count day: Snowy Owl).

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