

Effort	Observers		<p>Notes and Instructions for Christmas Bird Count Feeder Watchers</p> <p>The purpose of the CBC feeder watch is to determine the maximum number of each species seen at one time on your feeders and the area around your feeding station. Your complete feeder watch observation has two parts:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Checklist <p>It is a list of the most common feeder bird species in this area, and effort, which is the time spent watching and counting birds; as well as the number of observers. <i>Checklists without effort data cannot be accepted.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to count: <p>Usually the same birds are coming and going so you will need to take a visual "snapshot" and record the highest number of each species counted at a single glance during the entire observation period. If you saw four chickadees at eleven o'clock and six chickadees at eleven-fifteen, the count is six, not ten.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Timing: <p>The observation is timed. Record the beginning of your watch and the end of your watch. This can be accomplished while you are doing chores, working around home, and so forth as long as you are checking and counting at regular and constant intervals. If you leave home, stop the clock. Time spent on errands away from home does not count.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reporting: <p>Email your results to the compilers at cbc@hampshirebirdclub.org or to Sally Hills at sara09@charter.net the afternoon of Count Day _____ or as soon as possible. Please complete the checklist before you call or email. Your contributions to the Christmas Bird Count are important.</p>
	Address:		
	Email:		
Total time in hrs. & minutes			
Total number of observers:			
Checklist	Species	Maximum Number Seen At One Time	
	Wild Turkey		
	Rock Pigeon		
	Mourning Dove		
	Sharp-shinned Hawk		
	Cooper's Hawk		
	accipiter sp.		
	Red-Tailed Hawk		
	Red-bellied Woodpecker		
	Downy Woodpecker		
	Hairy Woodpecker		
	Northern Flicker		
	Blue Jay		
	American Crow		
	Black-capped Chickadee		
	Tufted Titmouse		
	Red-breasted Nuthatch		
	White-breasted Nuthatch		
	Brown Creeper		
	Carolina Wren		
	Eastern Bluebird		
	American Robin		
	Northern Mockingbird		
	European Starling		
	House Sparrow		
	Purple Finch*		
	House Finch		
	Pine Siskin		
	American Goldfinch		
	American Tree Sparrow		
Song Sparrow			
White-throated Sparrow			
Dark-eyed Junco			
Red-winged Blackbird			
Common Grackle			
Brown-headed Cowbird			
Northern Cardinal			
Total Species			

* Indicates the need for a rare bird report available at <https://hampshirebirdclub.org/wp-content/uploads/rarebirdreport2017.pdf>