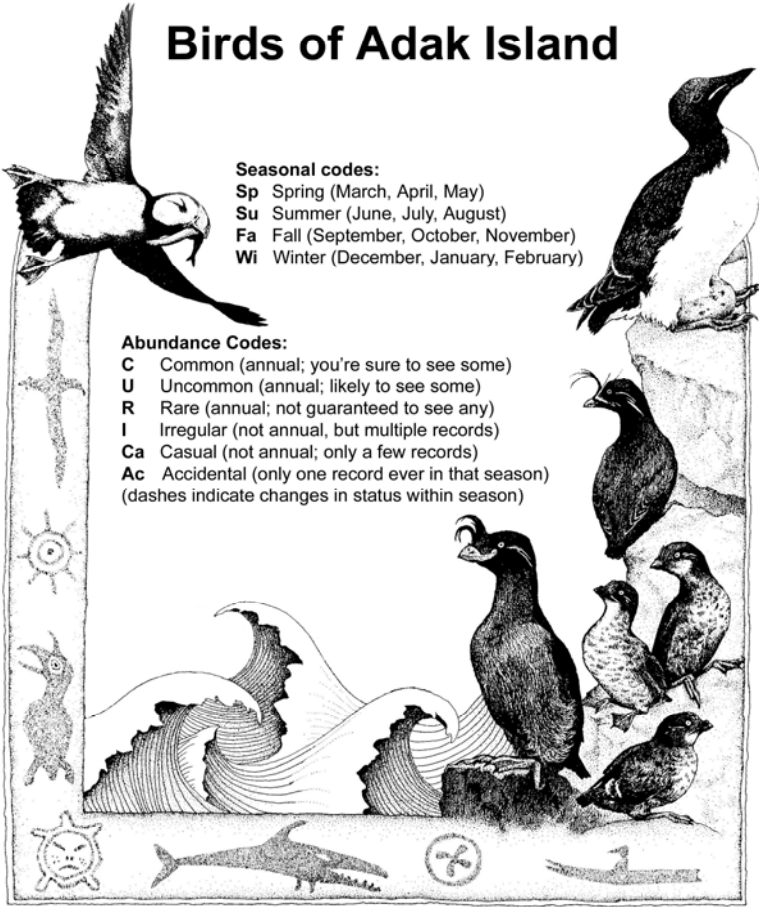


Birds of Adak Island



Seasonal codes:

- Sp** Spring (March, April, May)
- Su** Summer (June, July, August)
- Fa** Fall (September, October, November)
- Wi** Winter (December, January, February)

Abundance Codes:

- C** Common (annual; you're sure to see some)
 - U** Uncommon (annual; likely to see some)
 - R** Rare (annual; not guaranteed to see any)
 - I** Irregular (not annual, but multiple records)
 - Ca** Casual (not annual; only a few records)
 - Ac** Accidental (only one record ever in that season)
- (dashes indicate changes in status within season)

Bold* = Breeding	Sp	Su	Fa	Wi
DUCKS, GEESE and SWANS				
Taiga Bean Goose	I			
Greater White-fronted Goose	Ac		Ca	Ac
Emperor Goose	C-I	Ca	Ca-C	C
Snow Goose				Ac
Brant	Ca	Ac	Ca	Ca
Cackling Goose	U	Ca	I	Ac
Tundra Swan (<i>columbianus</i>)	Ca	Ac	Ac	
Tundra Swan (<i>bewickii</i>)				Ca
Whooper Swan	R-Ca		Ca	R
Gadwall	I	Ca	I	I
Falcated Duck	Ca	Ca	Ac	Ac
Eurasian Wigeon	U	I	U	C
American Wigeon	I	Ca	Ca	Ca
Mallard*	C	C	C	C
Spot-billed Duck	Ca	Ca	Ca	Ca
Blue-winged Teal				Ac
Northern Shoveler*	R	R	R	R
Northern Pintail*	C	U	C	C
Garganey	Ca	Ac	Ac	
Green-winged Teal (<i>carolinensis</i>)	I	Ca		Ac
Green-winged Teal* (<i>crecca</i>)	C	C	C	C
Canvasback	Ca	Ac	Ca	I
Redhead				Ac
Common Pochard	Ca	Ca	Ac	Ca
Ring-necked Duck	Ac	Ac		
Tufted Duck	U	I	R	U
Greater Scaup*	C	U	C	C
Lesser Scaup	Ca	Ac	Ac	Ac
Steller's Eider	I	Ac	Ca	I
King Eider	Ca	Ca	Ca	Ca

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DUCKS, GEESE and SWANS, continued...				
Common Eider*	U	C	U	U
Harlequin Duck	C	U	C	C
Surf Scoter	Ca	Ac	Ca	Ca
White-winged Scoter	U	I	R	U
Black Scoter	C	I	U	C
Long-tailed Duck	U	I	U	C
Bufflehead	C	I	U	C
Common Goldeneye	C	R	U	C
Barrow's Goldeneye	I	Ac		Ca
Smew	I	Ca	Ca	I
Hooded Merganser	Ac		Ac	Ca
Common Merganser	I	I	I	I
Red-breasted Merganser*	C	C	C	C
GROUSE				
Rock Ptarmigan*	C	C	C	C
LOONS and GREBES				
Red-throated Loon	Ca	Ca	Ca	Ca
Arctic Loon	Ca		Ac	Ac
Pacific Loon	I	Ca	I	I
Common Loon*	R	R	R	R
Yellow-billed Loon	Ca	Ca	Ca	Ca
Horned Grebe	U	Ca	R	U
Red-necked Grebe	U	Ca	R	U
Western Grebe				Ac
ALBATROSSES, SHEARWATERS, PETRELS and STORM-PETRELS				
Laysan Albatross	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Black-footed Albatross	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Northern Fulmar	R	R		
Cook's Petrel		Ac		
Sooty Shearwater	R	R	R	
Short-tailed Shearwater	R	R	R	
Fork-tailed Storm-Petrel*	U	U	U	
Leach's Storm-Petrel	R	R	R	
CORMORANTS				
Double-crested Cormorant	(Ac)		Ac	Ac
Red-faced Cormorant*	U	U	U	U
Pelagic Cormorant*	C	C	C	C
HERONS and BITTERNS				
Great Egret			Ac	Ca
HAWKS, EAGLES and FALCONS				
Osprey	Ca	Ca	Ac	
Bald Eagle*	C	C	C	C
Northern Harrier	Ca		Ca	Ca
Rough-legged Hawk		Ac	Ca	Ca
Merlin			Ca	Ca
Gyr Falcon	I	I	I	I
Peregrine Falcon*	U	U	U	U
CRANES				
Sandhill Crane	I	I	Ac	
PLOVERS				
Black-bellied Plover	Ac	Ca	Ca	
Pacific Golden-Plover	R	R	U	
Lesser Sand-Plover	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Common Ringed Plover		Ac		
Semipalmated Plover*	U	U	Ca	
OYSTERCATCHERS				
Black Oystercatcher*	U	U	U	U
SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES and ALLIES				
Common Sandpiper	Ca		Ca	
Gray-tailed Tattler	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Wandering Tattler	R	R	R	
Spotted Redshank	Ac		Ac	
Greater Yellowlegs			Ac	
Common Greenshank	I	Ac	Ca	
Lesser Yellowlegs	Ac	Ca		
Marsh Sandpiper		Ac	Ca	
Wood Sandpiper	R	I	Ca	Ac
Whimbrel	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Bristle-thighed Curlew	I	Ac		
Far Eastern Curlew	Ca	Ca		

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SANDPIPERS, PHALAROPES and ALLIES, continued...				
Black-tailed Godwit	Ca			
Bar-tailed Godwit	R	I	I	
Ruddy Turnstone	Ca-R	U	U-Ca	
Black Turnstone	Ac	Ac	Ac	
Great Knot		Ac		
Red Knot	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Sanderling	U	R	R	U
Western Sandpiper		Ca	I	Ac
Red-necked Stint	Ca	Ca	I	
Little Stint		Ca	Ac	
Temminck's Stint	Ca	Ac	Ac	
Long-toed Stint	Ca	Ac	Ac	
Least Sandpiper	Ac	Ac		
Baird's Sandpiper	Ac	Ca	Ca	
Pectoral Sandpiper	Ca	Ac	R	
Sharp-tailed Sandpiper		Ac	R	
Rock Sandpiper*	C	C	C	C
Dunlin	I	Ca	I	Ca
Broad-billed Sandpiper		Ac		
Ruff	Ca	Ac	Ca	
Long-billed Dowitcher			Ca	
Wilson's Snipe	Ca			
Common Snipe	I	Ca	Ca	
Red-necked Phalarope*	U	R	Ac	
Red Phalarope	Ca	Ca	Ac	
GULLS and TERNS				
Black-headed Gull	R	I	Ca	
Bonaparte's Gull	Ac			
Mew Gull	I	Ca	Ca	I
Herring Gull	Ca	Ca	Ca	Ca
Iceland Gull	Ac		Ca	Ac
Slaty-backed Gull	Ca	Ac	Ac	Ca
Glaucous-winged Gull*	C	C	C	C
Glaucous Gull	R	Ca	Ac	R
Sabine's Gull		Ac	(Ac)	
Black-legged Kittiwake	R	R	R	Ca
Red-legged Kittiwake			Ca	
Aleutian Tern*	Ac-U	U	Ac	
Common Tern		Ac	(Ac)	
Arctic Tern*	Ac-U	U	U-Ac	
JAEGERS				
Pomarine Jaeger	Ac	Ca		
Parasitic Jaeger*	U	U	U	
Long-tailed Jaeger		Ca		
AUKS, MURRES and PUFFINS				
Common Murre*	R	R	R	R
Thick-billed Murre	I	I	I	R
Pigeon Guillemot*	C	C	C	C
Long-billed murrelet	Ac			
Marbled Murrelet*	C	U	R	R
Kittlitz's Murrelet*	C	U	R	R
Ancient Murrelet	C	C	R	R
Cassin's Auklet	Ca	Ca	Ac	
Parakeet Auklet	Ca	Ac		Ca
Least Auklet	Ca	Ca	Ca	Ca
Whiskered Auklet*	Ac	Ca	Ac	Ca
Crested Auklet	Ca	Ca		Ca
Horned Puffin*	I-C	C	C-I	I
Tufted Puffin*	I-C	C	C-I	I
CUCKOOS				
Common Cuckoo		Ca	Ac	
OWLS				
Snowy Owl	I	Ca	I	I
Short-eared Owl*	R	R	R	R
SWIFTS				
Fork-tailed Swift			Ac	
SHRIKES				
Northern Shrike	Ca		Ca	Ca
CROWS and JAYS				
Common Raven*	C	C	C	C

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LARKS				
Sky Lark		Ca		
SWALLOWS				
Tree Swallow	Ac	Ca	Ac	
Bank Swallow	Ac	Ca	Ca	
Cliff Swallow	Ac			
Barn Swallow		Ca		
WRENS				
Winter Wren*	U	U	U	U
OLD WORLD FLYCATCHERS				
Gray-streaked Flycatcher			Ac	
THRUSHES				
Northern Wheatear		Ac	Ca	
Eyebrowed Thrush	Ca		Ac	
Dusky Thrush	(Ac)		Ac	
American Robin			Ac	
WAGTAILS and PIPITS				
Eastern Yellow Wagtail	Ca	Ac	Ca	
Gray Wagtail	Ac		Ac	
White Wagtail (<i>lugens</i>)	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Olive-backed Pipit	Ac		Ac	
Red-throated Pipit		Ac		
American Pipit	Ca	Ca	I	Ca
WAXWINGS				
Bohemian Waxwing	Ac		Ca	
WOOD-WARBLEDERS				
Yellow Warbler			Ac	
Yellow-rumped Warbler			Ac	
EMBERIZIDS				
American Tree Sparrow	Ac			
Savannah Sparrow	Ac	Ca	Ca	
Song Sparrow*	C	C	C	C
Golden-crowned Sparrow	Ac			
Lapland Longspur*	Ac-C	C	C-Ac	Ac
Rustic Bunting	Ca		Ac	
Snow Bunting*	C	C	C	C
McKay's Bunting	Ac			Ac
BLACKBIRDS				
Rusty Blackbird	Ac			
FINCHES				
Brambling	Ca	Ca	Ca	
Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch* (<i>griseonucha</i>)	C	C	C	C
Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch (<i>littoralis</i>)				Ac
Common Rosefinch		Ac		
White-winged Crossbill			Ac	
Common Redpoll	I	Ca	Ca	I
Hoary Redpoll	Ca	Ac	Ac	Ca
Pine Siskin	I	Ac		I
Oriental Greenfinch			Ac	
Hawfinch	Ca	Ca		
"HYPOTHETICAL" species needing more documentation				
Eurasian Kestrel				(Ac)
American Golden-plover	(Ac)			
Oriental Cuckoo			(Ac)	
Siberian Rubythroat			(Ac)	

Number of confirmed species: 191 and counting...

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