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KEY TO STATUS

BIRDS OF THE KEWEENAW

(Baraga, Houghton, and mainland Keweenaw counties, Michigan)

Seasonal Terms

- SP Spring (26 March - 7 June)
SU Summer (8 June - 14 August)
F Fall (15 August - 7 November)
EW Early Winter (8 November - 7 January)
LW Late Winter (8 January - 25 March)
P Permanent (present all year)

Mode of Occurrence

- i Irregular(ly) (detectability annually or periodically variable, including irruptions)
l Local(ly) (absent from large geographic areas where its habitat is available, or unusually numerous at a few small sites)
R Resident (present throughout stated season)
T Transient (migrates through in spring and/or fall between its normal summer and winter homes)
VA Vagrant (outside its normal range; usually intermittent in the stated season)
VI Visitant (within its normal range but outside its migration and resident periods; intermittent in stated season)

Detectability

Regular (expected annually; defined as the average number of different individual birds per birding day, week, month, or season expected by an expert observer when birding eight hours every day during the species' normal period of season and in all habitats in proportion to the number of species expected in each habitat. Local detectability based on eight-hour averages birding in all regions, except migrating spring raptors at Brockway Mt. and migrating fall waterbirds on Lake Superior off Agate Harbor are based on one-hour averages, times four, at those sites. Flocking species occur in numbers corresponding to detectability ratings, but are seen less often than non-flocking species. For summer and winter residents, transient detectability given usually only if greater than in summer or winter):

- ab Abundant (30+ per day)
vc Very common (10-30/day)
c Common (3-10/day)
fc Fairly common (1-3/day)
u Uncommon (2/week-1/day)
vu Very uncommon (3/month-2/week)
r Rare (1-3/month)
vr Very rare (1-3/season)

Irregular (absent some years; defined as an average of one record by all observers in the stated number of years during the given season):

- o Occasional (1-3 years)
ca Casual (3-11 years)
ac Accidental (11+ years)

Breeding (formerly or presently)

- \* Confirmed (165 species)
\*\* Probable (11 species)
\*\*\* Possible (1 species)

Total species, 321.

IMPORTANT: please, within the hour, report all vagrants to 289-4863, 482-8986, 482-3361, or 487-2068.

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Localities: \_\_\_\_\_

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Observers: \_\_\_\_\_

Weather: \_\_\_\_\_

Hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Total species: \_\_\_\_\_ Individuals: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Loon, Red-throated caSPT, fcFT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Pacific caFT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Common\* cSPT, vu(lc)SUR, fc(lvc)FT, oEWVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Grebe, Pied-billed\* fcSPT, rSUR, uFT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Horned c(iab)SPT, caSUVI, c(lvc)FT, caEWVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Red-necked c(iab)SPT, c(iab)FT, vuEWVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Eared caSPVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Western caFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Pelican, American White vrSPT, caFT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Cormorant, Double-crested\* fc(lc)T, uSUR, oEWVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Bittern, American\* lfcSUR \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Least\*\* caSUR \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Heron, Great Blue\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Egret, Great acSPFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Snowy acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Heron, Little Blue acFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Egret, Cattle acSPVA, caFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Heron, Green\* vrSUR \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Black-crowned Night- acSPSUFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Ibis, White acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Glossy acFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Vulture, Black acSPSUFWVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Turkey\* u(lfc)SPT, vu(lfc)SUR \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Goose, Greater White-fronted caSPT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Snow oSPT, acSUVI, vuFT, acEWVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Ross's acSPFVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Canada\* abT, vcSUR, o(ilab)EWVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Brant acEWVA \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Swan, Mute\* extirpated \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Trumpeter acT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Tundra vuSPT, caSUVI, oFEWT, acSUR \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Duck, Wood\* fcSPT, uSUR, cFT \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Gadwall\* vuT, oSUR \_\_\_\_\_

Wigeon, Eurasian acSPVA  
American\* fcSPT, oSUR, u(lvc)FT, acEWVI  
Duck, American Black\* u(lvcF)T, vuSUR, oEWVI, caWR  
Mallard\* abT, u(lvc)SUR, o(ic)EWVI, caWR  
Teal, Blue-winged\* cSPT, fcSUR, vc(ilab)FT  
Shoveler, Northern\* fcSPT, o(iu)SUR, vuFT  
Pintail, Northern\* lcSPT, loSUR, r(lu)FT, acEWVI  
Teal, Green-winged\* cSPT, fcSUR, vcFT  
Canvasback rSPT, acSUVI, o(lr)FT, caEWVI  
Redhead lvuSPT, acSUR, lvcFT, caEWVI  
Duck, Ring-necked\* c(lvc)SPT, vu(lvc)SUR, vu(lc)FT, caEWVI  
Scaup, Greater rSPT, u(lab)FT, caEWVI  
Lesser vcSPT, oSUR, cFT, oEWVI  
Eider, King acFVA  
Duck, Harlequin acEWVA  
Scoter, Surf acSPTSUVI, u(lc)FT, caEWVI  
White-winged caSPT, u(lvc)FT, oEWVI  
Black acSPT, o(lu)FT, caEWVI  
Duck, Long-tailed oSPT, acSUVI, fcFTEWVI, caLWVI  
Bufflehead abSPT, caSUVI, labFT, oEWVI, acLWVI  
Goldeneye, Common\* cSPT, vrSUR, vc(ilab)FTEWVI, caWR  
Barrow's acSPVA  
Merganser, Hooded\* fcT, rSUR, oEWVI, caLWVI  
Common\* cSPT, u(lfc)SUR, fc(lc)FT, o(ilc-ab)EWVI, caLWVI  
Red-breasted\* vcSPT, cSUR, fc(lab)FT, oEWVI, caLWVI  
Duck, Ruddy oSPT, caSUVIFT, acEWVI  
Osprey\* vu(lfc)SPT, rSUR  
Eagle, Bald\* u(lfc)SPT, vuSUR, uFT, vu(ilu-c)EWVI, oWR  
Harrier, Northern\* u(lfcSP)T, vuSUR  
Hawk, Sharp-shinned\* fc(lab)SPT, vuSUR, caEWVI, acLWVI  
Cooper's\* r(lu)SPT, acSUR  
Goshawk, Northern\* vrPR(r-luSPT)  
Hawk, Red-shouldered\* vr(lvu)SPT, lvrSUR  
Broad-winged\* c(lab)SPT, fcSUR  
Swainson's loSPT  
Red-tailed\* fc(lvc)SPT, rSUR, uFT, caEWVI  
Hawk, Rough-legged u(lc)SPT, vuFT, oEWVI, acWR  
Eagle, Golden vr(lvu)SPT, acFT  
Kestrel, American\* fc(lc)SPT, uSUR  
Merlin\* vu(lu)SUR  
Gyr Falcon acEWVI  
Falcon, Peregrine\*\* vu(lu)SPT, acSUR, vr(lvu)FT  
Grouse, Ruffed\* PR(cSPF, vuSU, uW)  
Spruce\* luPR

Grouse, Sharp-tailed\* extirpated  
Prairie-Chicken, Greater\*\* extirpated  
Turkey, Wild\* lrPR  
Rail, Yellow caT  
Virginia\* vuSUR  
Sora\* uSUR  
Moorhen, Common acT  
Coot, American\* r(ilfc)SPT, acSUR, r(ilvc)FT  
Crane, Sandhill\* cSPT, fcSUR  
Plover, Black-bellied rSPT, uFT  
American Golden- caSPT, vu(lfc)FT  
Semipalmated fcSPT, c(ilab)FT  
Piping acT  
Killdeer\* cSPT, fcSUR, vcFT  
Avocet acT  
Yellowlegs, Greater u(ilab)T  
Lesser cSPT, vcFT  
Sandpiper, Solitary vuSPT, cFT  
Willet oSPT, acFT  
Sandpiper, Spotted\* u(lc)SUR  
Upland\* vu(lc)SUR  
Whimbrel oSPT, caFT  
Godwit, Hudsonian oSPT  
Marbled oSPT, acFT  
Turnstone, Ruddy oSPT, caFT  
Knot, Red acT  
Sanderling oSPT, vuFT  
Sandpiper, Semipalmated c(ivc)SPT, acSUR, c(ivc)FT  
Least cSPT, vcFT  
White-rumped oSPT, acSUR, caFT  
Baird's caSPT, cFT  
Pectoral oSPT, vcFT  
Dunlin cSPT, uFT  
Sandpiper, Stilt caSPT, uFT  
Buff-breasted uFT  
Ruff acFVA  
Dowitcher, Short-billed uT  
Long-billed caFT  
Snipe, Wilson's\* fcT, uSUR  
Woodcock, American\* uSUR  
Phalarope, Wilson's vuSPT, oFT  
Red-necked caFT  
Red acFT  
Jaeger, Pomarine acFT  
Parasitic acFT  
Long-tailed acFT  
Gull, Franklin's acSPFVA  
Little acSPEWVA  
Bonaparte's fc(ilab)SPT, acSUVI, uFT, acEWVI  
Ring-billed\* abSUR, o(ilvc)EWVI  
Herring\* vcSUR, vr(iab)EWVI, o(iab)WR

Gull, Glaucous acSPEWVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Great Black-backed acSPEWVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Sabine's acFT \_\_\_\_\_  
Kittiwake, Black-legged acFEWT \_\_\_\_\_  
Tern, Caspian uSPTSUVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Common Ic(ilab)SPT, oSUVI, o(ilab)FT \_\_\_\_\_  
Forster's oSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Black\* oSPT, acSURSUVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Pigeon, Rock\* fcPR(vcW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Dove, White-winged acSPFVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Mourning\* fcPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Pigeon, Passenger\*\* extinct \_\_\_\_\_  
Cuckoo, Black-billed\*\* uSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Yellow-billed\* caSURFVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Owl, Great Horned\* vuPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Snowy r(ivu)FEWT, caWR, oSPT \_\_\_\_\_  
Northern Hawk caFEWVI, acLWSPSUVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Burrowing acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Barred\* fcPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Great Gray\*\*\* caSPT, acSURPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Long-eared\* caSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Short-eared\*\* vrSPT, acSUR, caFT \_\_\_\_\_  
Boreal caWSPVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Northern Saw-whet\* uSPT, rSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Nighthawk, Common\* vu(lvc)SUR, uFT \_\_\_\_\_  
Whip-poor-will\*\* lcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Swift, Chimney\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Hummingbird, Broad-billed acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Ruby-throated\* cSPT, fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Rufous acFVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Kingfisher, Belted\* fcSPT, uSUR, caWR \_\_\_\_\_  
Woodpecker, Lewis's acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Red-headed\* caSPFVA, acSUVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Red-bellied oFWSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Sapsucker, Yellow-bellied\* cSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Woodpecker, Downy\* PR(fcSU, cFW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Hairy\* PR(uSU, fcFW) \_\_\_\_\_  
American Three-toed\* caPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Black-backed\* rPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Flicker, Northern\* cSUR, vcFT, acWR \_\_\_\_\_  
Woodpecker, Pileated\* uPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Flycatcher, Olive-sided\* lvuSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Wood-Pewee, Eastern\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Flycatcher, Yellow-bellied\* uSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Alder\* cSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Least\* cSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Phoebe, Eastern\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Say's acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Flycatcher, Great Crested\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Kingbird, Tropical/Couch's acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Western caSPFVA, acSUVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Eastern\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_

Flycatcher, Scissor-tailed acSPFVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Shrike, Loggerhead caT, acSUEWVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Northern uT, vuWR \_\_\_\_\_  
Vireo, Bell's acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Yellow-throated\* caSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Blue-headed\* fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Warbling\* lvuSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Philadelphia\* vuSPT, r(lu)SUR, uFT \_\_\_\_\_  
Red-eyed\* vcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Jay, Gray\* uPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Blue\* cPR(labSPFT) \_\_\_\_\_  
Magpie, Black-billed acSPSUVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Crow, American\* vcPR(fcEW, uLW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Raven, Common\* cPR((lvc)SP, fcSUFW, ivcEW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Lark, Horned vrSPT, acSUVI, cFT, caEWVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Martin, Purple\* extirpated \_\_\_\_\_  
Swallow, Tree\* vcSPT, cSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Northern Rough-winged\* luSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Bank\* lcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Cliff\* vcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Barn\* cSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Chickadee, Black-capped\* PR(vcSP, cSU, abFW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Boreal\* rPR \_\_\_\_\_  
Titmouse, Tufted acWVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Nuthatch, Red-breasted\* PR(cSPSU, civcF, civu-vcW) \_\_\_\_\_  
White-breasted\* PR(uSPSUF, fciv-cW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Creeper, Brown\* PR(uSPSUF, vrW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Wren, Rock acSUFVA \_\_\_\_\_  
House\* uSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Winter\* c(lvc)SUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Sedge\* u(lvc)SUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Marsh\*\* lrSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Kinglet, Golden-crowned\* PR(fcSPSU, civcF, vrW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Ruby-crowned\* fcT, uSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Gnatcatcher, Blue-gray oSPFVA, acSUVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Bluebird, Eastern\* fc(ilc)SPT, fcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Solitaire, Townsend's caFWSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Veery\* vcSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Thrush, Gray-cheeked oSPT, rFT \_\_\_\_\_  
Swainson's\* fcSUR, c(ivu-vc)FT \_\_\_\_\_  
Hermit\* cSUR, acEWVI \_\_\_\_\_  
Wood\* lvuSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Robin, American\* vc(lab)SUR, oEWVI, caWR \_\_\_\_\_  
Thrush, Varied caFWVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Catbird, Gray\* uSUR \_\_\_\_\_  
Mockingbird, Northern oSPVA, caSUFVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Thrasher, Brown\* uSUR, caEWVIWR \_\_\_\_\_  
Starling, European\* PR(vcSPSUF, ifc-abW) \_\_\_\_\_  
Wagtail, White acSPVA \_\_\_\_\_  
Pipit, American uSPT, fcFT \_\_\_\_\_  
Waxwing, Bohemian c(ivr-ab)WVI \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Waxwing, Cedar\* abSPT, vcSUR, oEWVI, caLWVI  
\_\_\_ Warbler, Blue-winged acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Golden-winged\* lvuSUR  
\_\_\_ Tennessee\*\* uSPT, oSUR, c(ilvc)FT  
\_\_\_ Orange-crowned uT  
\_\_\_ Nashville\* vcSUR  
\_\_\_ Parula, Northern\* fcSUR  
\_\_\_ Warbler, Yellow\* fcSUR  
\_\_\_ Chestnut-sided\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Magnolia\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Cape May\* fcSPT, lvuSUR, cFT, acEWVI  
\_\_\_ Black-throated Blue\* fc(lc)SUR  
\_\_\_ Yellow-rumped\* vcT, cSUR, caEWVI  
\_\_\_ Black-throated Green\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Blackburnian\* fcSUR  
\_\_\_ Yellow-throated acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Pine\* u(lc)SUR, acEWVI  
\_\_\_ Kirtland's\* caSUVA  
\_\_\_ Prairie acFVA  
\_\_\_ Palm\* cSPT, lrSUR, vcFT  
\_\_\_ Bay-breasted\* rSPT, oSUR, uFT  
\_\_\_ Blackpoll rSPT, cFT  
\_\_\_ Black-and-white\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Redstart, American\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Warbler, Worm-eating acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Ovenbird\* vcSUR  
\_\_\_ Waterthrush, Northern\* uSUR  
\_\_\_ Warbler, Connecticut\*\* vrSUR  
\_\_\_ Mourning\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Yellowthroat, Common\* c(lvc)SUR  
\_\_\_ Warbler, Wilson's cSPT, acSUVI, rFT  
\_\_\_ Canada\* fcSUR  
\_\_\_ Chat, Yellow-breasted acSPSUFVA  
\_\_\_ Tanager, Summer acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Scarlet\* uSUR  
\_\_\_ Western acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Towhee, Eastern\* oSPVA, lrSUR, acEWVA  
\_\_\_ Sparrow, Cassin's acFVA  
\_\_\_ American Tree cSPT, c(lvc)FT, oEWVI, caWR  
\_\_\_ Chipping\* vc(ilab)SPT, vcSUR  
\_\_\_ Clay-colored\* luSUR  
\_\_\_ Field caSPSUVA, acFVA  
\_\_\_ Vesper\* fcSUR  
\_\_\_ Lark acSPVA, caFVA  
\_\_\_ Bunting, Lark acSPFVA  
\_\_\_ Sparrow, Savannah\* vcSUR  
\_\_\_ Grasshopper caSPVA, oSUVA  
\_\_\_ Henslow's acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Le Conte's\* lvuT, lrSUR  
\_\_\_ Nelson's Sharp-tailed acFT  
\_\_\_ Fox uT, acEWVI  
\_\_\_ Song\* vcSUR, acEWVI

\_\_\_ Sparrow, Lincoln's\* fc(lc)T, uSUR  
\_\_\_ Swamp\* fcSUR, cFT, acEWVI  
\_\_\_ White-throated\* vcSUR, oEWVI, acWR  
\_\_\_ Harris's oSPT, acSUR, vuFT, caEWVIWR  
\_\_\_ White-crowned c(ilab)T, acEWVI  
\_\_\_ Junco, Dark-eyed\* vc(iab)T, u(lfc)SUR,  
o(ilfc)EWVI, ca(ivr)WR  
\_\_\_ Longspur, Lapland vuSPT, c(ilab)FT, acLWVI  
\_\_\_ Smith's acT  
\_\_\_ Chestnut-collared acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Bunting, Snow uSPT, c(ilab)FT, oEWVI, caWVI  
\_\_\_ Cardinal, Northern\* rPR  
\_\_\_ Grosbeak, Rose-breasted\* cSUR, acLWVI  
\_\_\_ Black-headed acSPVA  
\_\_\_ Bunting, Indigo\* cSUR, acWVI  
\_\_\_ Painted caSPVA  
\_\_\_ Dickcissel\* acSUR  
\_\_\_ Bobolink\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Blackbird, Red-winged\* abT, vcSUR, oEWVI,  
acLWVI  
\_\_\_ Meadowlark, Eastern\* lvuSUR  
\_\_\_ Western\* oSUR, acWR  
\_\_\_ Blackbird, Yellow-headed oSPVA, acFVA  
\_\_\_ Rusty uSPT, cFT  
\_\_\_ Brewer's\* cSUR  
\_\_\_ Grackle, Common\* c(lvc)SPT, fc(lc)SUR, oEWVI,  
acLWVI  
\_\_\_ Cowbird, Brown-headed\* c(lvc)SPT, cSUR,  
caEWVI, acLWVI  
\_\_\_ Oriole, Orchard caSPVA  
\_\_\_ Baltimore\* vuSUR  
\_\_\_ Grosbeak, Pine c(iab)WR, acSUVI  
\_\_\_ Finch, Purple\* cT, fcSUR, o(iab)EWVI, o(ic)WR  
\_\_\_ House\* lrSUR, caEWVI  
\_\_\_ Crossbill, Red\*\* caSPF(iabF)WVI, lcaSUR  
\_\_\_ White-winged\* acSPVI, ca(ilvc)SURFVI,  
o(iab)WVI  
\_\_\_ Redpoll, Common c(ivr-ab)WR  
\_\_\_ Hoary oWVI  
\_\_\_ Siskin, Pine\* iabT, fcSUR, o(iab)EWVI, ca(ic)WR  
\_\_\_ Goldfinch, American\* vcSPT, cSUR,  
vc(ivr-ab)EWVI, o(iab)WR  
\_\_\_ Grosbeak, Evening\* PR; vc(iu-ab)SPT, fcSUR,  
cFT, c(iu-ab)EWVI, o(ic)WR  
\_\_\_ Sparrow, House\* lvuPR