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*Neotropical Migrant	

a--abundant (very numerous common species) c--common (certain to be seen in suitable habitat) u--uncommon (present, but not certain to b e seen) r--rare (seen only a few times during a season annually) o--occasional (seen only a few times over a 2-5 year period) x--accidential (seen once or more since refuge establishment)

Numerals (1 through 12) indicate known months of occurrence.. Slashes (/) separate seasons. The years of occurrence (one or two) for accidental species are shown in parentheses.

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Turkey Vulture G 4-6/7-9	<u>r o r</u>
<ul> <li>Tundra Swan W 2-4/11</li> <li>Trumpeter Swan W 1-12</li> <li>Greater White-fronted Goose W 3-4/7-10</li> <li>Snow Goose W 2-4/9-11</li> <li>Ross' Goose W 3-4/11</li> <li>Brant W 9 (1994)</li> <li>Canada Goose W 1-12</li> </ul>	0 0 1 1 1 0 1 0 U U 0 0 X
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<ul> <li>Gadwall W 1-11</li> <li>American Widgeon W 2-12</li> <li>Canvasback W 1-11</li> <li>Redhead W 2-1</li> <li>Ring-necked Duck W 2-6/7-12</li> <li>Greater Scaup W 3-4</li> <li>Lesser Scaup W 2-11</li> <li>Oldsquaw W 5 (1960,1995)</li> <li>Surf Scoter W 11 (1979)</li> <li>White-winged Scoter W 9 (1936)</li> <li>Common Goldeneye W 2-4/7-1</li> <li>Barrow's Goldeneye W 4 (1968)</li> <li>Bufflehead W 2-6/7-12</li> <li>Hooded Merganser W 3-6/7-11</li> <li>Common Merganser W 3-4/10-11</li> <li>Ruddy Duck W 2-11</li> </ul>	S s F W c c c u r u o c u c o u o u o o c u c o x x u o u o x c o c o r o r u o u o r r c c c o
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<ul> <li>Black-bellied Plover W 5/8-10</li> <li>American Golden-Plover W 5/9</li> <li>Semipalmated Plover W 4-5/7-10</li> <li>Piping Plover W 6 (1937)</li> <li>Killdeer WG 3-16</li> <li>Black-necked Stilt W 5/7-8</li> <li>American Avocet W 4-11</li> <li>Greater Yellowlegs W 3-6/6-11</li> </ul>	ror oorr x acao oo ccc uuu

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	Willet W 4-9	uuo			
_0	Spotted Sandpiper W 4-5/7-9 *	rr r		Hummingbird (species) BG 8*	0
_•	Upland Sandpiper GW 4-9 *	ссо			
	Whimbrel W 5 (1969,1996)	Х		Belted Kingfisher WT 3-5/6-10	<u>rrr</u>
_•	Long-billed Curlew GW 3-9 *	ссо			
	Hudsonian Godwit W 5 (1969)	х		Red-headed Woodpecker T 5-9	ror
	Marbled Godwit W 4-5/7-9	rr o		Yellow-bellied Sapsucker T 4/1-11	0 0
	Red Knot W 5 (1972+-)	х	•	Downy Woodpecker TB 1-12	uuur
	Sanderling W 5/9-10	ro		Hairy Woodpecker T 9-5	0 0 0
	Semipalmated Sandpiper W 4-5/7-10	rr r		Northern Flicker TB 1-12	uuur
—	Western Sandpiper W 5/7-10	orr	—	Olive-sided Flycatcher T 5/9 *	0 0
	Least Sandpiper W 4-5/7-10	uru		Western Wood-Pewee T 5-9 *	uuu
	White-rumped Sandpiper W 5	0		Eastern Wood-Pewee T 6-8 *	0
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—	Pectoral Sandpiper W 3-5/7-10	uuu	—	Least Flycatcher TB 5/7-9 *	crr
—	Dunlin W 5/8-9	000	—	Cordilleran Flycatcher TB 8-9 *	0
	Stilt Sandpiper W 5/7-10	uuu	_	Eastern Phoebe T 4-5/8	0 0
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	Franklin's Gull W 4-6/7-10	uuc	•	Horned Lark G 1-12	сссс
	Bonaparte's Gull W 4-5/10-11	r r			
_	Ring-billed Gull W 2-11	cuco		Purple Martin WT 5-6/8 *	0 0
	California Gull W 5 (1969)	х	•	Tree Swallow TW 4-10	uur
	Herring Gull W 2-4/10-11	rro		Violet-green Swallow T 8 (1979,1995) *	х
	Glaucous Gull W 3 (1978)	х	C	Northern Rough-winged Swallow TW 4-9 *	uur
	Sabine's Gull W 10 (1978)	Х		Bank Swallow GTW 5-6/7-9 *	саа
	Caspian Tern W 5 (1976)	Х		Cliff Swallow GW 4-8 *	ur
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•	Forster's Tern W 4-10	сси			
	Least Tern W 8 (1968)	х		Gray Jay T 5 (1958)	х
_•	Black Tern W 4-9	ССС	•	Blue Jay T 4-10	uuu
				<u>Pinyon Jay T 9 (1968)</u>	X
	Rock Dove H 5 (1996)	х			
_•	Mourning Dove TBG 3-11	aac		Black-billed Magpie TG 1-6/7-12	0000
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_`	Long-eared Owl T 1/10-11	000 0X		House Wren TB 4-10	uuu
—.	Short-eared Owl G 1-12	rrrr		Marsh Wren W 4-11	aac
—	Northern Saw-whet Owl T 10 (1997)	X			<u>uuu</u>
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•	Common Nighthawk GT 5-9 *	ссс	_	Ruby-crowned Kinglet TB 3-5/9-11	u o
_	Common Poorwill G 5/8-10	0 0			

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## Birds of Crescent Lake National Wildlife Refuge



Crescent Lake National Wildlife Refuge, containing nearly 46,000 acres, lies in the Panhandle of western Nebraska. Established in 1931, this hilly grassland dotted with numerous shallow lakes is part of the 12 million-acre "Nebraska Sandhills".

Refuge headquarters are 28 miles north of Oshkosh and 28 miles south of Lakeside, Nebraska. Few sandhill roads are surfaced, and while travel with almost any vehicle is possible over the main roads, the side trails require 4-wheel-drive vehicles.

Among the colorful songbirds that we enjoy each summer are "neotropical migrants". These are birds that make a trip during our winter season to the tropical habitats found from southern Mexico to Argentina. Such birds nest in the U.S. and Canada, but spend most of the year in the neotropics - the Caribbean Islands, Mexican lowlands and Central and South America.

The following list of 279 species of birds observed on the refuge is compiled from records beginning in 1936, with current status determined from records since 1957. Those marked with a closed dot (•) nest or have nested on the refuge. Those marked with an open dot ( $\bigcirc$ ) are suspected to nest or have nested at least occasionally, but further confirmation is needed. Habitat preference, seasonal occurrence and abundance have been coded as follows: