



Wisconsin Breeding Bird Atlas II • Point Count Datasheet

Block:	Point #:	Observer:	Habitat 1:	Habitat 2:
Date:	Start Time:	Latitude: 4 _____	Longitude: - _____	
Temp. (F°):	Wind: 0 1 2 3 4 5	Sky: 0 1 2 4 5 7 8	Noise: 0 1 2 3 4	

	Species Code	Detect. Code	Distance			Minute	#	Breeding Code		Species Code	Detect. Code	Distance			Minute	#	Breeding Code
			1 0-50m	2 >50-100m	3 >100m							1 0-50m	2 >50-100m	3 >100m			
1			○			0			19			○					
2			○						20			○					
3			○						21			○					
4			○						22			○					
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14			○						32			○					
15			○						33			○					
16			○						34			○					
17			○						35			○					
18			○						36			○					

<p>Wind Speed*</p> <p>0 Calm (<1 mph)</p> <p>1 Light air (1-3 mph)</p> <p>2 Light breeze (4-7 mph)</p> <p>3 Gentle breeze (8-12 mph)</p> <p>4 Moderate breeze (13-18 mph)</p> <p>5 Fresh breeze (19-24 mph)</p> <p>*If sustained 4 or 5, end survey</p>	<p>Sky Condition</p> <p>0 Clear</p> <p>1 Partly Cloudy</p> <p>2 Cloudy</p> <p>4 Fog or Smoke</p> <p>5 Drizzle</p> <p>7 Snow</p> <p>8 Rain Showers</p>	<p>Detection Code*</p> <p>J Juvenile</p> <p>F Flyover</p> <p>S Singing</p> <p>C Calling**</p> <p>V Visual**</p> <p>*Only use one, if >1 applies, use topmost</p>
<p>Noise Code*</p> <p>0 None No background noise (BN) during most of survey</p> <p>1 Faint Faint BN during at least half of survey</p> <p>2 Moderate Moderate BN; difficulty hearing birds > 100 m away</p> <p>3 Loud Loud BN; difficulty hearing birds >50 m away</p> <p>4 Intense Intense BN; difficulty hearing birds >25 m away</p> <p>*If noise code 3 or 4, do not survey and move to next backup point</p>		

Use circle to help count individuals of common species.

All species do not have to be entered here.

Distance = distance when individual first detected **Notes:**

Minute = minute (0-9) when individual first detected

= estimated number of individuals (should be "1" in most cases)

****Upgrade C or V birds if they later sing using slashes on same line:**

Detect. Code Distance Minute

C/S 2/2 2/5