2005 Audubon Christmas Bird Count (106th); the 45th Christmas Bird Count in Fairbanks, Alaska—December 31, 2005

						TOTAL		Chena Ridge		Creamer's		Ester		South Fairbanks		Farmers Loop		Steese		W. Goldstream		E. Goldstream		University		TOTALS	
SUMMARY FOR:	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	Species	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder	Field	Feeder
Parties:	101	87	75	75	80	65		6	0	5	1	5	5	6	1	4	3	8	3	2	3	3	1	5	4	44	21
Miles: Car	565	395	649	684	535	489		100.00		84.00		22.50		104.00		69.20		34.00		61.00				13.80		488.50	----
Miles: Foot	116	145	69	70	76	67				5.50		1.00		5.00		11.00		16.50				13.00		14.50		66.50	----
Miles: Ski/SnowShoe	47	10	9	4	27	29						20.50												8.00		28.50	----
Miles: Other	42	16	4	23	33	25				25.00																25.00	----
Total Miles:	770	566	731	781	671	609																				608.50	----
Hours: Car	76	51	84	85	79	72		23.00		5.75		4.50		17.50		8.50		4.25		5.00				3.00		71.50	----
Hours: Foot	84	95	44	49	54	58				3.50		0.50		9.00		7.00		16.50				8.00		13.00		57.50	----
Hours: Ski/SnowShoe	12	5	5	2	13	11						8.00												3.00		11.00	----
Hours: Other	7	4	1	3	7	5				4.50																4.50	----
Hours: Feeder	57	79	63	65	51	36					2.00		12.00		1.00		7.00		3.00		2.00		2.00		7.00	----	36.00
Total Hours:	236	234	197	204	204	181																				144.50	36.00
Mallard	39	90	84	27	122	106	1							106												106	0
Common Merganser	19	23	14	1	8	10	1							10												10	0
Duck sp.	5																									0	0
Sharp-shinned Hawk																										0	0
Northern Goshawk	7	3	2	2	1	3	1						1	2												2	1
Merlin		1																								0	0
Gyrfalcon							*			*																0	0
Spruce Grouse	*		*	*	2	18	1					1		8								7	2			16	2
Willow Ptarmigan	7			3																						0	0
Ptarmigan sp.	5			2																						0	0
Ruffed Grouse	16	5	14	14	9	22	1	1					4	1		3	9	2				1		1		9	13
Sharp-tailed Grouse		1			1																					0	0
Rock Pigeon	288	91	249	131	123	545	1			46				434				18						47		545	0
Great Horned Owl	2	2	2	*	2	6	1	1				2		3												6	0
Northern Hawk Owl	3	1			*	8	1	1						2						2		1		2		8	0
Great Grey Owl							*											*								0	0
Boreal Owl	2	1		*	3	3	1	1								1				1						3	0
Downy Woodpecker	29	14	26	13	21	23	1	2			2	2	5			5		2	1		1		2		1	11	12
Hairy Woodpecker	22	20	23	19	30	33	1	9			2		7	2		1	3	2		1		1	2	2	1	18	15
3-toed Woodpecker	3	2	5	1	5	3	1	2													1					2	1
Black-backed Woodpecker		1				1	1	1																		1	0
Woodpecker sp.	5	3	3	5	3	7	1	5						1				1								7	0
Gray Jay	126	115	135	92	127	161	1	44		1	1	9	15	5		10	5	26		11		17	8	9		132	29
Black-billed Magpie	3	5	7	5	17	9	1	2				1	1	4						1						8	1
Common Raven	2,501	1,326	1,413	2,007	1,767	1644	1	87		100		28	23	950		99	1	188	27	34		16		91		1,593	51
Black-cap'd Chickadee	984	937	615	644	851	1177	1	438		36	12	43	102	26	1	132	30	111	18	12	12	72	17	89	26	959	218
Boreal Chickadee	275	269	168	107	239	217	1	59		5	2	23	22			18	9	7	7		6	15	11	16	17	143	74
Chickadee sp.	172	90	38	5	56	46	1			14						1		6				22		3		46	0
Red-breasted Nuthatch	7	4	4	5	4	4	1	1																	3	1	3
Brown Creeper				1																						0	0
American Robin	3	1	3	3	5																					0	0
Bohemian Waxwing	256	192	347	193	131	143	1									60								83		143	0
Northern Shrike	1	2	1	*			*		*																	0	0
Golden-crowned Sparrow			1																							0	0
White-crowned Sparrow	1	*																								0	0
Dark-eyed Junco					1		*														*					0	0
Snow Bunting							*			*																0	0
Pine Grosbeak	154	214	104	101	84	35	1	2			2		5					2	15						9	4	31
Common Redpoll	900	1,584	1,448	290	4,001	798	1	114				8		168		309	14	122	5					52	6	773	25
Hoary Redpoll	31	39	76	69	64	5	1	1																4		5	0
Redpoll sp.	3,368	2,308	3,353	369	4,192	879	1	549		54				108		109				25				34		879	0
Pine Siskin	2						*						*													0	0
White-winged Crossbill	1,000	21	420	4	311	4				2									2							2	2
Bird Count Total:	10,236	7,365	8,555	4,113	12,180	5,910	----																			5,432	478
Count Day Species:	28	30	24	22	25	26	26																				
Additional Species:	1	1	1	4	1	6	6																				
Count Week Species:	29	31	25	26	26	32	32																				
Average birds/party:	101	85	114	55	152	91	----																				
Average birds/hour:	43	31	43	20	60	33	----																				

* Additional species observed in the week centered on count day

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