

Annex D:
Breeding Bird Surveys

Species: Common Name	Species: Scientific Name	Survey 1 09.05.23	Survey 2 31.05.23	Survey 3 15.06.23	Conservation Status & Protection	Breeding Status
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	3	2	3	Amber List	Probable A,T,H
Swift	<i>Apus apus</i>	1			Red List	Probable D
Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia f. domestica</i>	2 flyovers		1 flyover	Green List	Non-breeder F
Stock Dove	<i>Columba oenas</i>	2 + 6 flyovers	1 flyover	2 flyovers	Amber List	Possible H
Woodpigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	51 + 9 flyovers	28 + 6 flyovers	20 + 4 flyovers	Amber List	Possible S,H
Black-headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	7 flyovers		1 flyover	Amber List	Non-breeder F
Herring Gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>	3 flyovers	1 flyover	1 flyover	Red List NERC S.41	Non-breeder F
Lesser Black-backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	22 flyovers	5 flyovers	9 flyovers	Amber List	Non-breeder F
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	3 flyovers		3 + 1 flyover	Green List	Non-breeder F
Great Spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>	3	1	1	Green List	Possible H
Ring-necked Parakeet	<i>Psittacula krameri</i>	7 + 3 flyovers	3 + 3 flyovers	7 flyovers	Not Listed	Probable A,P,H
Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>	1			Green List	Possible H
Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>	21	11 + 1 flyover	6	Green List	Confirmed FL,A,H
Jackdaw	<i>Coloeus monedula</i>	14 + 35 flyovers	7 flyovers	6 flyovers	Green List	Possible H
Carrion Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>	6 + 5 flyovers	4 + 3 flyovers	4 + 4 flyovers	Green List	Confirmed FF,S,H
Coal Tit	<i>Periparus ater</i>	1	2	1	Green List	Possible S,H
Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>	18	14	11	Green List	Confirmed FL,A,P,S,H
Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>	13	15	9	Green List	Confirmed FL,P,S,H
Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	1 flyover			Green List	Non-breeder F
Long-tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caudatus</i>	2	4	2	Green List	Confirmed FL,H
Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>	10	6	3	Green List	Probable A,P,S,H
Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>	13	6	7	Green List	Probable A,S,H

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Lesser Whitethroat	<i>Curruca curruca</i>	1	2	1	Green List	Possible S,H
Whitethroat	<i>Curruca communis</i>	2	4	2	Amber List	Probable T,P,H
Goldcrest	<i>Regulus regulus</i>	1		1	Green List	Possible S,H
Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>	17	12	9	Amber List	Probable A,S,H
Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	6 flyovers	4 flyovers	5 flyovers	Red List NERC S.41	Non-breeder F
Song Thrush	<i>Turdus philomelos</i>	5	2	3	Amber List NERC S.41	Possible S,H
Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	16	4	11	Green List	Probable A,P,S,H
Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	16	15	12	Green List	Confirmed FL,S,H
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>				Red List NERC S.41	Probable T,H
Dunnock	<i>Prunella modularis</i>	10	9	13	Amber List NERC S.41	Confirmed FF,T,P,S,H
Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>		2		Green List	Possible H
Bullfinch	<i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i>	1	2	1	Amber List NERC S.41	Probable T,H
Greenfinch	<i>Chloris chloris</i>	1	4	6	Red List	Probable D,S,H
Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	6 + 8 flyovers	2 + 1 flyover	4	Green List	Possible S,H

Breeding Status evidence can be broken down into four sections, each with their own codes, as defined by the European Ornithological Atlas Committee:

Confirmed breeder

DD – distraction display or injury feigning

UN – used nest or eggshells found from this season

FL – recently fledged young or downy young

ON – adults entering or leaving nest-site in circumstances indicating occupied nest

FF – adult carrying faecal sac or food for young

NE – nest containing eggs

NY – nest with young seen or heard

Probable breeder - Evidence accumulated during the survey indicates that the bird species is breeding on site.

P – pair in suitable nesting habitat

T – permanent territory (defended over at least 2 survey occasions)

D – courtship and display

N – visiting probable nest site

A – agitated behaviour

I – brood patch of incubating bird (from bird in hand)

B – nest building or excavating nest-hole

Possible breeder - Evidence accumulated during the survey indicates that the bird species could be breeding on site, but the evidence is less conclusive than that obtained for probable breeders.

H – observed in suitable nesting habitat

S – singing male

Non-breeder

F – flying over

M – migrant

U – summering non-breeder

UH – observed in unsuitable nesting habitat