

**Field Checklist of
The Birds
of
Baja California, Mexico
(Northern Baja)**



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Observer(s) _____

1 Date _____ Time _____ Total Species _____

Weather _____

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- Purple Gallinule *
- Common Gallinule
- American Coot
- Gruidae - Cranes**
- Sandhill Crane *
- Recurvirostridae - Stilts and Avocets**
- Black-necked Stilt
- American Avocet
- Haematopodidae - Oystercatchers**
- American Oystercatcher
- Black Oystercatcher
- Charadriidae - Plovers**
- Eurasian Dotterel *
- Killdeer
- Semipalmated Plover
- Wilson's Plover
- Mountain Plover
- Snowy Plover
- Black-bellied Plover
- American Golden-Plover #
- Pacific Golden-Plover #
- Scolopacidae - Sandpipers, Phalaropes, and Allies**
- Whimbrel
- Long-billed Curlew
- Bar-tailed Godwit *
- Hudsonian Godwit *
- Marbled Godwit
- Ruddy Turnstone
- Black Turnstone
- Red Knot
- Surfbird
- Ruff #
- Sharp-tailed Sandpiper
- Stilt Sandpiper
- Sanderling
- Dunlin
- Baird's Sandpiper
- Little Stint *
- Least Sandpiper
- Buff-breasted Sandpiper *
- Pectoral Sandpiper
- Semipalmated Sandpiper
- Western Sandpiper

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<input type="checkbox"/> Lesser Black-backed Gull #						
<input type="checkbox"/> Glaucous-winged Gull						
<input type="checkbox"/> Glaucous Gull #						
<input type="checkbox"/> Sooty Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Least Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Gull-billed Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Caspian Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Arctic Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Forster's Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Royal Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandwich Tern *						
<input type="checkbox"/> Elegant Tern						
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Skimmer						
Phaethontidae - Tropicbirds						
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-billed Tropicbird						
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-tailed Tropicbird						
Gaviidae - Loons						
<input type="checkbox"/> Red-throated Loon						
<input type="checkbox"/> Arctic Loon *						
<input type="checkbox"/> Pacific Loon						
<input type="checkbox"/> Common Loon						
<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow-billed Loon *						
Diomedidae - Albatrosses						
<input type="checkbox"/> Laysan Albatross						
<input type="checkbox"/> Black-footed Albatross						
<input type="checkbox"/> Short-tailed Albatross *						
Oceanitidae - Southern Storm-Petrels						
<input type="checkbox"/> Wilson's Storm-Petrel						
Hydrobatidae - Storm-Petrels						
<input type="checkbox"/> Fork-tailed Storm-Petrel *						
<input type="checkbox"/> Leach's Storm-Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Townsend's Storm-Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Ainley's Storm-Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Ashy Storm-Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Wedge-rumped Storm-Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Storm-Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Guadalupe Storm-Petrel (ex)						
<input type="checkbox"/> Least Storm-Petrel						
Procellariidae - Shearwaters						
<input type="checkbox"/> Northern Fulmar						
<input type="checkbox"/> Cook's Petrel						
<input type="checkbox"/> Cory's Shearwater *						

- Marsh Wren
- Bewick's Wren
- Cactus Wren
- Poliophtidae - Gnatcatchers**
 - Blue-gray Gnatcatcher
 - California Gnatcatcher
 - Black-tailed Gnatcatcher
- Regulidae - Kinglets**
 - Golden-crowned Kinglet
 - Ruby-crowned Kinglet
- Phylloscopidae - Leaf Warblers**
 - Dusky Warbler *
 - Arctic/Kamchatka Leaf Warbler *
- Sylviidae - Sylviid Warblers**
 - Wrentit
- Muscicapidae - Old World Flycatchers**
 - Northern Wheatear
- Turdidae - Thrushes**
 - Western Bluebird
 - Mountain Bluebird
 - Townsend's Solitaire
 - Gray-cheeked Thrush *
 - Swainson's Thrush
 - Hermit Thrush
 - American Robin
 - Varied Thrush #
- Mimidae - Catbirds, Mockingbirds, and Thrashers**
 - Gray Catbird
 - Brown Thrasher
 - Bendire's Thrasher
 - Gray Thrasher
 - California Thrasher
 - LeConte's Thrasher
 - Crissal Thrasher
 - Sage Thrasher
 - Northern Mockingbird
- Sturnidae - Starlings**
 - European Starling (int)
- Bombycillidae - Waxwings**
 - Cedar Waxwing
- Ptiliognatidae - Silky-flycatchers**
 - Phainopepla

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Estrildidae - Waxbills

- Scaly-breasted Munia (int)

Passeridae - Old World Sparrows

- House Sparrow (int)

Motacillidae - Wagtails and Pipits

- Eastern Yellow Wagtail *
- Olive-backed Pipit *
- Red-throated Pipit #
- American Pipit
- Sprague's Pipit *

Fringillidae - Finches and Goldfinches

- House Finch
- Purple Finch #
- Cassin's Finch
- Red Crossbill
- Pine Siskin
- Lesser Goldfinch
- Lawrence's Goldfinch
- American Goldfinch

Calcariidae - Longspurs and Snow Buntings

- Lapland Longspur #
- Chestnut-collared Longspur #
- McCown's Longspur *

Passerellidae - New World Sparrows

- Cassin's Sparrow *
- Grasshopper Sparrow
- Black-throated Sparrow
- Lark Sparrow
- Lark Bunting
- Chipping Sparrow
- Clay-colored Sparrow
- Black-chinned Sparrow
- Brewer's Sparrow
- Fox Sparrow
- Guadalupe Junco
- Dark-eyed Junco
- White-crowned Sparrow
- Golden-crowned Sparrow
- Harris's Sparrow *
- White-throated Sparrow
- Sagebrush Sparrow
- Bell's Sparrow
- Vesper Sparrow

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This checklist contains 493 species of birds that have been recorded in Baja California, Mexico.

The species list conforms to the American Ornithologists' Society (AOS), checklist order and nomenclature as of the 60th supplement published July 2019.

- * = Accidental, not to be expected, very few records.
- # = Very rare, generally less than annual, not unexpected
- (int)** = Introduced
- (ex)** = Extirpated or Extinct previously bred or presumed to have bred in Baja, but no longer occurs naturally. They may have been re-introduced but remain un-established.

Species or subspecies marked with an asterisk or pound sign (*, #) should be documented with photographs and or written details.

Documentation of unusual species should be sent to North American Birds regional editor, Baja Peninsula

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