Manx BirdLife

Working to conserve the Isle of Man's wild birds and their habitats

garden birdwatch count form

HOW TO MARK THE BOXES: For each species, you can either mark the relevant box with a ✔ or —.
Alternatively, you can write the actual number of birds observed, at any one time, eg 6. This would be particularly helpful for those species in TABLE B.

TABLE A - WEEKS RECORDED AND FREQUENT SPECIES

- Mark the top line of boxes to show which weeks you recorded birds, by putting the week commencing date in it. If you did not record the birds in your garden during a particular week (eg through illness or absence), make no mark whatsoever for that week.
- For species recorded in Table A - mark one of the four boxes provided to show the highest number observed **at any one time** for that week. For example, if you saw a maximum of four Blue Tits, mark box "3-4"; if you saw a maximum of 5 Blackbirds, mark box "4+". Only mark a box if the species was recorded during the week.

COUNT WEEK		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	mba use
WEEKS RECORDED															
Robin	1														
	2														
	3														
	4+														
Blackbird	1														
	2														
	3														
	4+														
Blue Tit	1														
	2														
	3-4														
	5+														
Coal Tit	1														
	2														
	3-4														
	5+														
Great Tit	1														
	2														
	3-4														
	5+														
House Sparrow	1-5														
	6-10														
	11-20														
	21+														
Starling	1-5														
	6-10														
	11-20														
	21+														
Chaffinch	1-5														
	6-10														
	11-20														
	21+														
Greenfinch	1-5														
	6-10														
	11-20														
	21+														

TABLE B - LESS FREQUENT SPECIES

If you recorded any of these species in your garden during the week, mark the relevant box

COUNT WEEK	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	mba use
Blackcap														
Black-headed Gull														
Brambling														
Collared Dove														
Dunnock														
Hooded Crow														
Feral Pigeon														
Fieldfare														
Goldcrest														
Goldfinch														
Grey Heron														
Grey Wagtail														
Herring Gull														
Jackdaw														
Long-tailed Tit														
Magpie														
Mistle Thrush														
Pheasant														
Pied Wagtail														
Redwing														
Rook														
Siskin														
Song Thrush														
Sparrowhawk														
Treecreeper														
Tree Sparrow														
Woodpigeon														
Wren														
Yellowhammer														
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