

__ Solitary Sandpiper
__ Greater Yellowlegs
__ Lesser Yellowlegs
__ Long-billed Curlew
__ Marbled Godwit
__ Western Sandpiper
__ Least Sandpiper
__ White-rumped Sandpiper
__ Baird's Sandpiper
__ Pectoral Sandpiper
__ Short-billed Dowitcher
__ Long-billed Dowitcher
__ Wilson's Snipe
__ Wilson's Phalarope
__ Red-necked Phalarope

GULLS

__ Bonaparte's Gull
__ Franklin's Gull
__ Ring-billed Gull
__ California Gull

TERNs

__ Common Tern
__ Forster's Tern

PIGEONS & DOVES

__ Rock Pigeon
__ Band-tailed Pigeon
__ Eurasian Collared-Dove
__ Mourning Dove

CUCKOOS

__ Yellow-billed Cuckoo

BARN-OWLS

__ Barn Owl

OWLS

__ Flammulated Owl
__ Western Screech-Owl
__ Great Horned Owl
__ Northern Pygmy-Owl
__ Burrowing Owl
__ Spotted Owl
__ Long-eared Owl
__ Boreal Owl
__ Northern Saw-whet Owl

NIGHTJARS

__ Lesser Nighthawk
__ Common Nighthawk
__ Common Poorwill

SWIFTS

__ Black Swift
__ Chimney Swift
__ White-throated Swift

HUMMINGBIRDS

__ Ruby-throated Hummingbird
__ Black-chinned Hummingbird
__ Calliope Hummingbird
__ Broad-tailed Hummingbird
__ Rufous Hummingbird

KINGFISHERS

__ Belted Kingfisher

WOODPECKERS

__ Lewis's Woodpecker
__ Williamson's Sapsucker
__ Red-naped Sapsucker
__ Downy Woodpecker
__ Hairy Woodpecker

__ American Three-toed Woodpecker
__ Northern Flicker

FLYCATCHERS

__ Olive-sided Flycatcher
__ Western Wood-Pewee
__ Willow Flycatcher
__ Hammond's Flycatcher
__ Gray Flycatcher
__ Dusky Flycatcher
__ Cordilleran Flycatcher
__ Black Phoebe
__ Say's Phoebe
__ Ash-throated Flycatcher
__ Cassin's Kingbird
__ Western Kingbird
__ Eastern Kingbird

SHRIKES

__ Loggerhead Shrike
__ Northern Shrike

VIREOS

__ Gray Vireo
__ Plumbeous Vireo
__ Cassin's Vireo
__ Warbling Vireo
__ Red-eyed Vireo

JAYS & CROWS

__ Gray Jay
__ Pinyon Jay
__ Steller's Jay
__ Blue Jay
__ Western Scrub-Jay
__ Clark's Nutcracker
__ Black-billed Magpie
__ American Crow
__ Common Raven

LARKS

__ Horned Lark

SWALLOWS

__ Purple Martin
__ Tree Swallow
__ Violet-green Swallow
__ Northern Rough-winged Swallow
__ Bank Swallow
__ Cliff Swallow
__ Barn Swallow

CHICKADEES

__ Black-capped Chickadee
__ Mountain Chickadee
__ Juniper Titmouse

BUSHTITS

__ Bushtit

NUTHATCHES

__ Red-breasted Nuthatch
__ White-breasted Nuthatch
__ Pygmy Nuthatch

CREEPERS

__ Brown Creeper

WRENS

__ Rock Wren
__ Canyon Wren
__ Bewick's Wren
__ House Wren
__ Marsh Wren

GNATCATCHERS

__ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher

DIPPERS

__ American Dipper

KINGLETS

__ Golden-crowned Kinglet
__ Ruby-crowned Kinglet

THRUSHES

__ Eastern Bluebird
__ Western Bluebird
__ Mountain Bluebird
__ Townsend's Solitaire
__ Veery
__ Swainson's Thrush
__ Hermit Thrush
__ American Robin

THRASHERS

__ Gray Catbird
__ Northern Mockingbird
__ Sage Thrasher
__ Brown Thrasher

STARLINGS

__ European Starling

PIPITS

__ American Pipit

WAXWINGS

__ Bohemian Waxwing
__ Cedar Waxwing

LONGSPURS

__ Lapland Longspur

WARBLERS

__ Orange-crowned Warbler
__ Nashville Warbler
__ Virginia's Warbler
__ Yellow Warbler
__ Black-throated Blue Warbler
__ Yellow-rumped Warbler
__ Black-throated Gray Warbler
__ Townsend's Warbler
__ Grace's Warbler
__ Black-and-white Warbler
__ American Redstart
__ Northern Waterthrush
__ Kentucky Warbler
__ MacGillivray's Warbler
__ Common Yellowthroat
__ Hooded Warbler
__ Wilson's Warbler
__ Yellow-breasted Chat

SPARROWS

__ Green-tailed Towhee
__ Spotted Towhee
__ American Tree Sparrow
__ Chipping Sparrow
__ Clay-colored Sparrow
__ Brewer's Sparrow
__ Vesper Sparrow
__ Lark Sparrow
__ Black-throated Sparrow
__ Sage Sparrow
__ Lark Bunting
__ Savannah Sparrow
__ Grasshopper Sparrow
__ Fox Sparrow
__ Song Sparrow

__ Lincoln's Sparrow
__ White-throated Sparrow
__ Harris's Sparrow
__ White-crowned Sparrow
__ Dark-eyed Junco

CARDINALS

__ Western Tanager
__ Rose-breasted Grosbeak
__ Black-headed Grosbeak
__ Blue Grosbeak
__ Lazuli Bunting
__ Indigo Bunting
__ Dickcissel

BLACKBIRDS

__ Red-winged Blackbird
__ Western Meadowlark
__ Yellow-headed Blackbird
__ Brewer's Blackbird
__ Common Grackle
__ Great-tailed Grackle
__ Brown-headed Cowbird
__ Bullock's Oriole

FINCHES

__ Gray-crowned Rosy-Finch
__ Black Rosy-Finch
__ Brown-capped Rosy-Finch
__ Pine Grosbeak
__ Purple Finch
__ Cassin's Finch
__ House Finch
__ Red Crossbill
__ Common Redpoll
__ Pine Siskin
__ Lesser Goldfinch
__ American Goldfinch
__ Evening Grosbeak

OLD WORLD SPARROWS

__ House Sparrow

COLORADO FIELD ORNITHOLOGISTS

Checklist of the Birds of Colorado

Montrose County - 260 Species

Date _____ Time _____

Locality _____

Sky _____ Wind _____ Temp _____

Observers _____

Total Species _____ Total Individuals _____

GEESE

- Greater White-fronted Goose
- Snow Goose
- Cackling Goose
- Canada Goose

SWANS

- Tundra Swan

DUCKS

- Wood Duck
- Gadwall
- American Wigeon
- Mallard
- Blue-winged Teal
- Cinnamon Teal
- Northern Shoveler
- Northern Pintail
- Green-winged Teal
- Canvasback
- Redhead
- Ring-necked Duck
- Lesser Scaup
- Surf Scoter
- Bufflehead
- Common Goldeneye
- Hooded Merganser
- Common Merganser
- Ruddy Duck

QUAIL

- Gambel's Quail

PARTRIDGES

- Chukar

PHEASANTS

- Ring-necked Pheasant

GROUSE

- Gunnison Sage-Grouse
- Dusky Grouse
- Sharp-tailed Grouse

TURKEYS

- Wild Turkey

GREBES

- Pied-billed Grebe
- Eared Grebe
- Western Grebe
- Clark's Grebe

CORMORANTS

- Double-crested Cormorant

HERONS

- Great Blue Heron
- Snowy Egret
- Cattle Egret
- Black-crowned Night-Heron

IBISES

- White-faced Ibis

VULTURES

- Turkey Vulture

HAWKS

- Osprey
- Bald Eagle
- Northern Harrier
- Sharp-shinned Hawk
- Cooper's Hawk
- Northern Goshawk
- Common Black-Hawk
- Swainson's Hawk
- Red-tailed Hawk
- Ferruginous Hawk
- Rough-legged Hawk
- Golden Eagle

FALCONS

- American Kestrel
- Merlin
- Peregrine Falcon
- Prairie Falcon

RAILS

- Virginia Rail
- Sora
- American Coot

CRANES

- Sandhill Crane

POLOVERS

- Snowy Plover
- Semipalmated Plover
- Killdeer

AVOCETS & STILTS

- American Avocet

SANDPIPERS

- Spotted Sandpiper

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