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SVALBARD MAMMALS AND BIRDS

Bird list from BirdBase, Santa Barbara, CA
Mammal list from Bird and Mammals of Svalbard by Mehlum

Note: * = Most likely to see. Includes species that breed in Svalbard or marine mammals seen in waters around Svalbard or Bear Island. It is difficult to exclude species that we will probably not see as they can occur in the Svalbard archipelago, however, most other bird species listed cannot breed in the Arctic environment.

	DAY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
MAMMALS OF SVALBARD												
Mountain Hare <i>Lepus timidus</i>												
Arctic Hare <i>L. arcticus</i>												
Common Vole <i>Microtus arvalis</i>												
Sibling Vole <i>M. epiroticus</i>												
Musk Ox <i>Ovibos moschatus</i>												
* Svalbard Reindeer <i>Rangifer tarandus platyrhynchus</i>												
* Arctic Fox <i>Alopex lagopus</i>												
* Polar Bear <i>Ursus maritimus</i>												
* Harbour Seal (Common Seal) <i>Phoca vitulina</i>												
* Ringed Seal <i>P. hispida</i>												
* Harp Seal <i>P. groenlandica</i>												
* Bearded Seal <i>Erignathus barbatus</i>												
Hooded Seal <i>Cystophora cristata</i>												
* Walrus <i>Odobenus rosmarus</i>												
* Killer Whale <i>Orcinus orca</i>												
* White-beaked Dolphin <i>Lagenorhynchus albirostris</i>												
* Beluga (White Whale) <i>Delphinapterus leucas</i>												
Narwhal <i>Monodon monoceros</i>												
Bottle-nosed Dolphin <i>Hyperoodon ampullatus</i>												
Sperm Whale <i>Physeter catodon</i>												
Bowhead Whale <i>Balaena mysticetus</i>												
Blue Whale <i>Balaenoptera musculus</i>												
* Fin Whale <i>B. physalus</i>												
Sei Whale <i>B. borealis</i>												
* Minke Whale <i>B. acutorostrata</i>												
* Humpback Whale <i>Megaptera novaeangliae</i>												

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BIRDS OF SVALBARD												
LOONS												
* Red-throated Loon (Red-throated Diver) <i>Gavia stellata</i>												
Arctic Loon (Black-throated Diver) <i>Gavia arctica</i>												
Common Loon (Great Northern Diver) <i>Gavia immer</i>												
GREBES												
Red-necked Grebe <i>Podiceps grisegena</i>												
Horned Grebe (Slavonian Grebe) <i>Podiceps auritus</i>												
TUBENOSES												
Black-browed Albatross <i>Thalassarche melanophris</i>												
* Northern Fulmar <i>Fulmarus glacialis</i>												
Wilson's Storm-Petrel <i>Oceanites oceanicus</i>												
European Storm-Petrel <i>Hydrobates pelagicus</i>												
GANNET FAMILY												
Northern Gannet <i>Morus bassanus</i>												
HERON FAMILY												
Gray Heron <i>Ardea cinerea</i>												
WATERFOWL												
Whooper Swan <i>Cygnus cygnus</i>												
Tundra Swan (Bewick's Swan) <i>Cygnus columbianus</i>												
* Pink-footed Goose <i>Anser brachyrhynchus</i>												
Greylag Goose <i>Anser anser</i>												
* Barnacle Goose <i>Branta leucopsis</i>												
* Brant (Brent Goose) <i>Branta bernicla</i>												
Eurasian Wigeon <i>Anas penelope</i>												
Green-winged Teal <i>Anas crecca</i>												
Mallard <i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>												
Northern Pintail <i>Anas acuta</i>												
Northern Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>												
Tufted Duck <i>Aythya fuligula</i>												
Greater Scaup <i>Aythya marila</i>												
* Common Eider <i>Somateria mollissima</i>												
* King Eider <i>Somateria spectabilis</i>												
Steller's Eider <i>Polysticta stelleri</i>												
Harlequin Duck <i>Histrionicus histrionicus</i>												
* Oldsquaw (Long-tailed Duck) <i>Clangula hyemalis</i>												
Black Scoter (Common Scoter) <i>Melanitta nigra</i>												
White-winged Scoter (Velvet Scoter) <i>Melanitta fusca</i>												
Barrow's Goldeneye <i>Bucephala islandica</i>												
Red-breasted Merganser <i>Mergus serrator</i>												
Common Merganser (Goosander) <i>Mergus merganser</i>												
HAWKS, EAGLES, FALCONS												
Merlin <i>Falco columbarius</i>												
Gyrfalcon <i>Falco rusticolus</i>												
GAMEBIRDS												
* Svalbard (Rock) Ptarmigan <i>Lagopus mutus hyperboreus</i>												

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RAIL FAMILY												
Water Rail <i>Rallus aquaticus</i>												
Common Moorhen <i>Gallinula chloropus</i>												
Eurasian Coot <i>Fulica atra</i>												
OYSTERCATCHER												
Eurasian Oystercatcher <i>Haematopus ostralegus</i>												
PLOVERS & LAPWINGS												
Northern Lapwing <i>Vanellus vanellus</i>												
Eurasian Golden-Plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>												
Black-bellied Plover (Grey Plover) <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>												
Common Ringed Plover <i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>												
Eurasian Dotterel <i>Charadrius morinellus</i>												
SANDPIPERS												
Eurasian Woodcock <i>Scolopax rusticola</i>												
Great Snipe <i>Gallinago media</i>												
Black-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i>												
Bar-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>												
Whimbrel <i>Numenius phaeopus</i>												
Eurasian Curlew <i>Numenius arquata</i>												
Common Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>												
Green Sandpiper <i>Tringa ochropus</i>												
Spotted Sandpiper <i>Actitis macularia</i>												
* Ruddy Turnstone <i>Arenaria interpres</i>												
Red Knot <i>Calidris canutus</i>												
* Sanderling <i>Calidris alba</i>												
White-rumped Sandpiper <i>Calidris fuscicollis</i>												
Pectoral Sandpiper <i>Calidris melanotos</i>												
Curlew Sandpiper <i>Calidris ferruginea</i>												
* Purple Sandpiper <i>Calidris maritima</i>												
Buff-breasted Sandpiper <i>Tryngites subruficollis</i>												
Red-necked Phalarope <i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>												
* Red Phalarope (Grey Phalarope) <i>Phalaropus fulicaria</i>												
JAEGERS & SKUAS												
* Great Skua <i>Catharacta skua</i>												
* Pomarine Jaeger (Pomarine Skua) <i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i>												
* Parasitic Jaeger (Arctic Skua) <i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i>												
* Long-tailed Jaeger (Skua) <i>Stercorarius longicaudus</i>												
GULLS & TERNS												
Mew Gull (Common Gull) <i>Larus canus</i>												
Ring-billed Gull <i>Larus delawarensis</i>												
* Great Black-backed Gull <i>Larus marinus</i>												
* Herring Gull (Bird Is.) <i>Larus argentatus</i>												
* Lesser Black-backed Gull (Bird Is.) <i>Larus fuscus</i>												
* Glaucous Gull <i>Larus hyperboreus</i>												
Iceland Gull <i>Larus glaucoides</i>												
Black-headed Gull <i>Larus ridibundus</i>												
* Ivory Gull <i>Pagophila eburnea</i>												
* Ross' Gull <i>Rhodostethia rosea</i>												

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* Sabine's Gull <i>Xema sabini</i>												
* Black-legged Kittiwake <i>Rissa tridactyla</i>												
* Arctic Tern <i>Sterna paradisaea</i>												
ALCIDS												
* Dovekie (Little Auk) <i>Alle alle</i>												
* Common Murre (Common Guillemot) <i>Uria aalge</i>												
* Thick-billed Murre (Brünnich's Guillemot) <i>Uria lomvia</i>												
* Razorbill (on Bird Is.) <i>Alca torda</i>												
* Black Guillemot <i>Cephus grylle</i>												
* Atlantic Puffin <i>Fratercula arctica</i>												
PIGEONS												
Common Wood-Pigeon <i>Columba palumbus</i>												
OWLS												
Snowy Owl <i>Nyctea scandiaca</i>												
Northern Long-eared Owl <i>Asio otus</i>												
Short-eared Owl <i>Asio flammeus</i>												
SWIFTS												
Common Swift <i>Apus apus</i>												
KINGFISHERS & HOOPOES												
Eurasian Hoopoe <i>Upupa epops</i>												
PASSERINES OR PERCHING BIRDS												
Horned Lark (Shore Lark) <i>Eremophila alpestris</i>												
Barn Swallow <i>Hirundo rustica</i>												
House Martin <i>Delichon urbica</i>												
White Wagtail <i>Motacilla alba</i>												
Yellow Wagtail <i>Motacilla flava</i>												
Meadow Pipit <i>Anthus pratensis</i>												
Eurasian Blackbird <i>Turdus merula</i>												
Fieldfare <i>Turdus pilaris</i>												
Redwing <i>Turdus iliacus</i>												
Eurasian River Warbler <i>Locustella fluviatilis</i>												
Sedge Warbler <i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i>												
Common Chiffchaff <i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>												
Blackcap <i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>												
Garden Warbler <i>Sylvia borin</i>												
Spotted Flycatcher <i>Muscicapa striata</i>												
European Pied Flycatcher <i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>												
European Robin <i>Erithacus rubecula</i>												
Whinchat <i>Saxicola rubetra</i>												
Northern Wheatear <i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>												
Northern Shrike (Great Grey Shrike) <i>Lanius excubitor</i>												
Carrion Crow (Hooded Crow) <i>Corvus corone</i>												
Common Raven <i>Corvus corax</i>												
Red Crossbill <i>Loxia curvirostra</i>												
Hoary Redpoll <i>Carduelis hornemanni</i>												
* Snow Bunting <i>Plectrophenax nivalis</i>												