

Ardivachar Bird List

Mute Swan	Common resident, breeds locally
Whooper Swan	Spring and autumn migrant, wintering population
White-fronted Goose (Greenland)	Spring and autumn migrant, small wintering population
Greylag Goose	Large resident breeding population
Barnacle Goose	Autumn migration
Brent Goose (Dark-bellied)	Autumn migration (rare)
Brent Goose (Light-bellied)	Autumn migration
Shelduck	Small breeding population, winter visitor
Mallard	Common resident, breeds locally
Eider	Common resident, breeds locally
Long-tailed Duck	Small wintering population
Red-breasted Merganser	Small resident population
Red-throated Diver	Occasionally on migration
Great Northern Diver	Winter visitor. Spring & autumn migration
Fulmar	Autumn migration
Red-necked Grebe	Autumn migration (rare)
Slavonian Grebe	Winter visitor
Sooty Shearwater	Autumn migration
Leach's Petrel	Autumn migration
Gannet	Spring & autumn migration
Cormorant	Common resident, breeds locally
Shag	Occasional
Little Egret	Occasional
Grey Heron	Occasional
White-tailed Eagle	Rare
Hen Harrier	Resident, hunts regular on the coast over machair
Sparrowhawk	Uncommon visitor
Buzzard	Common resident, breeds locally
Kestrel	Winter visitor
Merlin	Resident, hunts regular on the coast over machair
Gyr Falcon (grey morph)	Rare visitor
Peregrine Falcon	Resident, hunts regular on the coast over machair
Corncrake	Migrant breeding population
Oystercatcher	Common resident, breeds locally. Winter visitor. Spring & autumn migration
Ringed Plover	Common resident, breeds locally.
Kentish Plover	Rare visitor
American Golden Plover	Rare autumn visitor
Golden Plover	Common spring autumn migration, wintering population
Lapwing	Common resident breeder. Common spring autumn migration, wintering population
Knot	Uncommon on migration and in winter
Sanderling	Common spring autumn migration, wintering. Small numbers non-breeding birds
Little Stint	Rare spring migrant
Pectoral Sandpiper	Rare visitor
Curlew Sandpiper	Occasional autumn migrant
Purple Sandpiper	Wintering population
Dunlin	Migrant breeder. Common spring and autumn migration, wintering population
Buff-breasted Sandpiper	Rare visitor

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Snipe	Breeds locally. Spring autumn migration, wintering population
Woodcock	Occasionally in winter
Black-tailed Godwit	Spring and autumn migration
Bar-tailed Godwit	Common spring autumn migration, wintering. Small numbers non-breeding birds
Whimbrel	Spring and autumn migration
Curlew	Resident or migrant breeder. Wintering population
Spotted Redshank	Rare visitor
Redshank	Common resident or migrant breeder. Common spring and autumn migration
Turnstone	Common spring autumn migration, wintering population
Red-necked Phalarope	Rare autumn migrant
Grey Phalarope	Uncommon autumn migration, winter visitor
Pomarine Skua	Uncommon spring migration
Arctic Skua	Spring migration
Long-tailed Skua	Uncommon spring migration
Great Skua	Uncommon spring migration
Sabine's Gull	Rare visitor
Kittiwake	Occasional winter visitor
Bonaparte's Gull	Rare visitor
Black-headed Gull	Common resident, spring and autumn migration
Little Gull	Rare visitor
Laughing Gull	Rare visitor
Mediterranean Gull	Rare visitor
Common Gull	Common resident
Lesser Black-backed Gull	Occasional visitor
Herring Gull	Common resident
Iceland Gull	Uncommon winter visitor
Glaucous Gull	Uncommon winter visitor
Great Black-backed Gull	Small resident population
Little Tern	Occasional
Sandwich Tern	Rare visitor
Common Tern	Small numbers spring migration
Arctic Tern	Spring and autumn migration. Small breeding population
Guillemot	Occasional visitor
Black Guillemot	Occasional visitor
Little Auk	Rare visitor
Rock Dove	Common resident breeder. Common spring autumn migration, wintering population
Collared Dove	Occasional visitor
Wood Pigeon	Rare visitor
Swift	Rare visitor
Hooded Crow	Rare visitor
Raven	Common resident
Skylark	Common resident breeder. Spring and autumn migration, wintering population
Swallow	Spring and autumn migration.
House Martin	Rare visitor
Wren	Common resident breeder
Starling	Common resident breeder. Large passage and wintering flocks
Rose-coloured Starling	Rare visitor

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Blackbird	Common resident breeder. Autumn migrant, wintering population
Song Thrush	Uncommon resident
Redwing	Autumn migration, wintering population
Wheatear	Migrant breeder, spring and autumn migration
House Sparrow	Common resident breeder
Pied Wagtail (yarrellii)	Migrant breeder, spring and autumn migration
White Wagtail	Spring and autumn migration
Meadow Pipit	Common migrant breeder. Spring and autumn migration
Rock Pipit	Uncommon resident
Greenfinch	Occasional autumn/winter visitor
Linnet	Occasional winter visitor
Twite	Wintering population
Redpoll	Rare visitor
Snow Bunting	Autumn migrant, winter visitor
Lapland Bunting	Rare visitor
Reed Bunting	Occasional winter visitor
Corn Bunting	Uncommon resident breeder