

ILLINOIS NATURAL HISTORY SURVEY WATERFOWL AERIAL INVENTORY DATA

UPPER ILLINOIS RIVER VALLEY

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LOCATION	%WET	%ICE	MALL	ABDU	NOPI	BWTE	GWTE	AMWI	GADW	NSHO	LESC	RNDU	CANV	REDH	RUDU	COGO	BUFF	COME	HOME	TOTAL DUCKS	CAGO	GWFG	LSGO	AWPE	AMCO	AD	IMM	DCCO	SWN
Hennepin/Hopper	100	70	16,000	60	6,100	0	3,300	200	8,000	1,000	400	8,000	310	200	4,000	210	50	0	0	47,830	1,490	340	0	0	21,000	5	2	0	305
Goose Lake	70	80	12,500	20	8,000	0	4,000	0	4,400	0	300	2,980	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32,200	190	0	0	0	3,000	2	2	0	0
Senachwine Lake	90	80	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,000	0	250	0	1,210	120	40	0	0	3,680	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
Hitchcock Slough	50	50	300	0	0	0	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	420	410	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Douglas Lake	100	50	39,500	260	21,000	0	8,100	500	13,000	5,000	800	13,300	1,200	800	4,000	210	50	0	50	107,770	550	0	0	0	10,000	3	2	0	0
Goose Lake	80	40	4,110	0	2,200	0	550	0	800	0	0	800	0	0	900	0	0	0	0	9,360	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Upper Peoria	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,000	0	800	0	1,350	550	210	180	0	10,090	40	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Powerton	100	0	465	0	0	0	0	0	225	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	690	20	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0
TOTAL UPPER			72,935	340	37,300	0	16,070	700	26,425	6,000	10,500	25,080	2,560	1,000	11,460	1,090	350	180	50	212,040	2,760	340	0	0	34,000	17	7	0	305

LOWER ILLINOIS RIVER VALLEY

Goose Lake	90	10	380	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	240	400	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,220	0	0	0	0	750	0	0	0	0
Rice Lake	90	20	2,000	0	0	0	450	0	300	0	0	300	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,050	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Big Lake	90	30	20,500	70	6,800	0	3,250	200	3,000	800	200	2,290	200	100	1,800	70	15	0	15	39,310	255	0	0	0	1,100	2	0	0	15
Banner Marsh	90	20	220	0	0	0	0	0	1,010	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	1,250	365	0	0	10	210	0	0	0	245
Duck Creek	100	0	4,850	20	90	0	180	0	650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,790	405	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	180
Clear Lake	90	90	18,000	40	5,200	0	2,890	0	800	300	0	300	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	27,580	110	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0
Chautauqua	90	60	36,150	50	13,940	0	8,580	200	7,450	3,180	0	5,200	180	100	0	300	60	0	40	75,430	1,470	505	20	0	2,000	3	3	0	1,470
Emiquon/Spoon Btm	60	50	2,815	0	590	0	100	0	850	60	0	0	0	0	300	210	0	0	20	4,945	150	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	465
Grass Lake	90	30	7,000	0	2,900	0	500	0	1,600	0	40	0	0	0	30	0	30	0	15	12,115	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jack Lake	90	20	8,900	10	1,205	0	350	0	610	140	80	390	60	0	600	0	40	0	0	12,385	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0
Stewart Lake	80	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	5
Crane Lake	100	30	2,750	0	850	0	410	0	805	105	70	0	30	0	0	40	10	0	0	5,070	210	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Cuba Island	100	60	9,500	30	10,800	0	2,300	100	3,100	400	0	13,000	80	40	0	0	0	0	20	39,370	560	0	0	0	800	3	2	0	0
Sanganois	90	50	14,900	20	6,100	0	1,200	0	3,680	600	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26,500	170	0	0	0	400	2	0	0	0
Big Lake	20	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spunky Bottoms	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meredosia Lake	80	80	4,000	0	1,100	0	750	0	980	250	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,080	330	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
TOTAL LOWER			131,965	240	49,575	0	20,960	500	24,855	5,835	630	21,880	780	240	2,730	620	155	0	130	261,095	4,115	505	20	10	5,260	19	15	0	2,400
TOTAL ILLINOIS			204,900	580	86,875	0	37,030	1,200	51,280	11,835	11,130	46,960	3,340	1,240	14,190	1,710	505	180	180	473,135	6,875	845	20	10	39,260	36	22	0	2,705
10-Year Average 2015-2024			148,702	516	22,713	0	25,823	545	15,182	7,193	5,297	22,054	3,479	196	16,216	1,309	564	53	206	270,066	5,774	6,410	676	137	11,182	25	25	50	1,400