

Common Name	Genera and Species	Status in Dumfries and Galloway	Conservation Status
Bewick's Swan	<i>Cygnus columbianus</i>	Uncommon winter visitor	
Bean Goose	<i>Anser fabalis</i>	Formerly common winter visitor, now it has become a very scarce winter visitor	
Greenland White-fronted Goose	<i>Anser albifrons albifrons</i>	common (but declining) winter visitor	
Eurasian White-fronted Goose	<i>Anser a. flavirostris</i>	scarce winter visitors	
Pochard	<i>Aythya ferina</i>	Fairly common autumn/winter visitor	
Scaup	<i>Aythya marila</i>	Fairly common Autumn/winter visitor	
Long-tailed Duck	<i>Clangula hyemalis</i>	Fairly common autumn/winter visitor	
Common Scoter	<i>Melanitta nigra</i>	Faily common autumn and winter visitor	
Velvet Scoter	<i>Melanitta fusca</i>	Very scarce autumn/winter visitor	
Goldeneye	<i>Bucephala clangula</i>	Fairly common autumn/winter visitor	
Black Grouse	<i>Tetrao tetrix</i>	Scarce resident, breeds in small numbers	
Grey Partridge	<i>Perdix perdix</i>	Very scare resident	
Balearic Shearwater	<i>Puffinus mauretanicus</i>	Scarce autumn visitor	
Shag	<i>Phalacrocorax aristotelis</i>	Common resident	
Red-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps grisegena</i>	winter visitor. Loch Ryan 10	
Slavonian Grebe	<i>Podiceps auritus</i>	Common winter visitor	
Hen Harrier	<i>Circus cyaneus</i>	Common resident	
Merlin	<i>Falco columbarius</i>	Common resident	
Ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>	Common Resident	
Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>	Common resident	
Purple Sandpiper	<i>Calidris maritima</i>	Common winter visitor	
Dunlin	<i>Calidris alpina</i>	Common resident	
Ruff	<i>Philomachus pugnax</i>	Common winter / spring passage visitor	
Woodcock	<i>Scolopax rusticola</i>	Common winter visitor	
Black-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa limosa</i>	Common winter / spring visitor	
Whimbrel	<i>Numenius phaeopus</i>	Common autumn visitor	

Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	Common resident
Arctic Skua	<i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i>	Common spring/autumn visitor
Kittiwake	<i>Rissa tridactyla</i>	Common visitor
Herring Gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>	Common resident
Puffin	<i>Fratercula arctica</i>	Scarce spring-autumn visitor
Cuckoo	<i>Cuculus canorus</i>	Common spring-summer visitor
Swift –	<i>Apus apus</i>	Common Spring-autumn resident
Willow Tit	<i>Poecile montana</i>	Scarce resident. Areas of damp woodland, Breeds
Skylark	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>	Common resident, Breeds
House Martin	<i>Delichon urbicum</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Wood Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus sibilatrix</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Grasshopper Warbler	<i>Locustella naevia</i>	Summer visitor to suitable habitats. Breeds
Starling	<i>Sturnus vulgaris</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Ring Ouzel	<i>Turdus torquatus</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Fieldfare	<i>Turdus pilaris</i>	Common winter visitor
Mistle Thrush	<i>Turdus viscivorus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Spotted Flycatcher	<i>Muscicapa striata</i>	Summer visitor. Breeds
Whinchat	<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>	Summer visitor to suitable habitats. Breeds
House Sparrow	<i>Passer domesticus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Tree Sparrow	<i>Passer montanus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Yellow Wagtail	<i>Motacilla flava</i>	Scarce spring/summer/autumn visitor
Tree Pipit	<i>Anthus trivialis</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Greenfinch	<i>Carduelis chloris</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Linnet	<i>Carduelis cannabina</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Twite	<i>Carduelis flavirostris</i>	Common winter visitor
Lesser Redpoll	<i>Carduelis cabaret</i>	Scarce winter visitor
Yellowhammer	<i>Emberiza citrinella</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Whooper Swan	<i>Cygnus cygnus</i>	Common winter visitor
Pink Footed Goose	<i>Anser brachyrhynchus</i>	Common winter visitor

Greylag Goose	<i>Anser anser</i>	Fairly common (introduced) resident on local lochs, possible Icelandic birds have been recorded
Barnacle Goose	<i>Branta leucopsis</i>	Common winter visitor. It is said to be 'the bird' of Dumfries and Galloway
Pale-bellied Brent	<i>Branta bernicla</i> <i>Hrota</i>	a common winter visitor
Dark-bellied Brent	<i>Branta bernicla</i> <i>Bernicula</i>	uncommon winter visitor
Shelduck	<i>Tadorna tadorna</i>	Common resident, breeds in small numbers
Wigeon	<i>Anas penelope</i>	Fairly common winter visitor
Gadwall	<i>Anas strepera</i>	Fairly common winter visitor
Teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>	Common autumn winter visitor / scarce breeder inland waters
Mallard	<i>Anas platyrhynchos</i>	Common and widespread breeding resident
Pintail	<i>Anas acuta</i>	Common winter visitor
Garganey	<i>Anas querquedula</i>	Scarce spring and autumn passage migrant
Shoveler	<i>Anas chlypeata</i>	Fairly common resident
Eider	<i>Somateria mollissima</i>	Common resident
Reb-breasted Merganser	<i>Mergus serrator</i>	Fairly common resident
Quail	<i>Coturnix coturnix</i>	Very scarce spring/summer visitor with small annual records
Black-throated Diver	<i>Gavia arctica</i>	Scarce winter visitor to coasts. Rare breeder inland lochs.
Great Northern Diver	<i>Gavia immer</i>	Fairly common autumn/winter visitor
Fulmar	<i>Fulmarus glacialis</i>	Fairly common Spring/Summer visitor
Manx Shearwater	<i>Puffinus puffinus</i>	Common spring and autumn visitor
Bittern	<i>Botaurus stellaris</i>	Scarce winter visitor
Cattle Egret	<i>Bubulcus ibis</i>	rare visitor but with climate change increasing
Great White Egret	<i>Ardea alba</i>	Passage visitor often seen Autum / Spring Wigtown Bay
Spoonbill	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	Scarce visitor (bred 2006)
Honey Buzzard	<i>Pernis apivorus</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor / passage. Breeds
Red Kite	<i>Milvus migrans</i>	Common resident
Marsh Harrier	<i>Circus aeruginosus</i>	Scarce passage spring/autumn visitor

Sparrowhawk	<i>Accipiter nisus</i>	Common resident
Osprey	<i>Pandion haliaetus</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor, breeds
Kestrel	<i>Falco tinnunculus</i>	Common resident
Moorhen	<i>Gallinula chloropus</i>	Common resident
Common Crane	<i>Grus grus</i>	Rare winter visitor
Oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus ostralegus</i>	Common resident
Avocet	<i>Recurvirostra avosetta</i>	Scarce spring visitor
Grey Plover	<i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>	Common winter resident
Knot	<i>Calidris canutus</i>	Common resident
Sanderling	<i>Calidris alba</i>	Common resident
Curlew Sandpiper	<i>Calidris ferruginea</i>	Common autumn visitor
Snipe	<i>Gallinago gallinago</i>	Common resident
Bar-tailed Godwit	<i>Limosa lapponica</i>	Common winter / spring visitor
Common Sandpiper	<i>Actitis hypoleucos</i>	Common summer visitor
Green Sandpiper	<i>Tringa ochropus</i>	Common passage visitor
Spotted Redshank	<i>Tringa erythropus</i>	Common passage visitor
Greenshank	<i>Tringa nebularia</i>	Common winter / spring visitor
Wood Sandpiper	<i>Tringa glareola</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor
Redshank	<i>Tringa totanus</i>	Common resident
Turnstone	<i>Arenaria interpres</i>	Common resident
Great Skua	<i>Stercorarius skua</i>	Common spring/autumn visitor
Black Headed Gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>	Common resident
Mediterranean Gull	<i>Larus melanocephalus</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor
Common Gull	<i>Larus canus</i>	Common resident
Lesser black backed Gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>	Common summer resident
Iceland Gull	<i>Larus glaucooides</i>	Scarce winter visitor
Glaucous Gull	<i>Larus hyperboreus</i>	Scarce winter visitor
Great black-backed Gull	<i>Larus marinus</i>	Common resident
Little Tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor
Sandwich Tern	<i>Sterna sandvicensis</i>	Common spring-autumn resident
Common Tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>	Common spring-autumn resident
Arctic Tern	<i>Sterna paradisaea</i>	Scarce passage migrant

Guillemot	<i>Uria aalge</i>	Common resident
Razorbill	<i>Alca torda</i>	Common resident
Black Guillemot	<i>Cepphus grylle</i>	Common resident
Stock Dove	<i>Columba oenas</i>	Common resident
Woodpigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	Common resident
Tawny Owl	<i>Strix aluco</i>	Common resident
Short eared Owl	<i>Asio flammeus</i>	Scarce resident
Nightjar	<i>Caprimulgus europaeus</i>	Scarce spring/summer visitor
Rook	<i>Corvus frugilegus</i>	Common resident. Farmland Breeds
Yellow-browed Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus inornatus</i>	Scarce autumn visitor
Willow Warbler	<i>Phylloscopus trochilus</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia communis</i>	Common summer resident scrub, coast farmland. Breeds
Sedge Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus schoenobaenus</i>	Common summer resident reeds & marsh. Breeds
Wren	<i>Troglodytes troglodytes</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Dipper	<i>Cinclus cinclus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Song Thrush	<i>Turdus philomelos</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Redwing	<i>Turdus iliacus</i>	Common winter visitor
Black Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus ochruros</i>	Uncommon coastal winter visitor
Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Wheatear	<i>Oenanthe oenanthe</i>	Summer visitor to suitable habitats. Breeds
Pied Flycatcher	<i>Ficedula hypoleuca</i>	Summer visitor to broad-leaved woods. Breeds
Dunnock	<i>Prunella modularis</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Grey Wagtail	<i>Motacilla cinerea</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Meadow Pipit	<i>Anthus pratensis</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Bullfinch	<i>Pyrrhula pyrrhula</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Reed Bunting	<i>Emberiza schoeniclus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Mute Swan	<i>Cygnus olor</i>	Common resident, often found on large water bodies.
Tufted Duck	<i>Aythya fuligula</i>	Common autumn/winter visitor
Goosander	<i>Mergus merganser</i>	Fairly common resident
Red Grouse	<i>Lagopus lagopus</i>	Fairly common resident, breeds in small numbers

Red-throated Diver	<i>Gavia stellata</i>	Fairly common autumn/winter visitor
Sooty Shearwater	<i>Puffinus griseus</i>	Scarce autumn vagrant
Gannet	<i>Morus bassanus</i>	Common visitor / breeds within Galloway & south Ayrshire
Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	Common resident
Little Egret	<i>Egretta garzetta</i>	Regular winter /spring resident in small numbers. Crook of Baldoon 66
Grey Heron	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	Common resident
Little Grebe	<i>Tachybaptus ruficollis</i>	Common resident
Great Crested Grebe	<i>Podiceps cristatus</i>	Common resident
White tailed sea Eagle	<i>Haliaeetus albicilla</i>	Rare visitor Mainly young birds looking for territory
Goshawk	<i>Accipiter gentilis</i>	Scarce resident, breeds
Buzzard	<i>Buteo buteo</i>	Common resident
Golden Eagle	<i>Aquila chrysaetos</i>	Scarce reintroduced resident
Hobby	<i>Falco subbuteo</i>	Scarce spring visitor
Peregrine	<i>Falcon peregrinus</i>	Common resident
Water Rail	<i>Rallus aquaticus</i>	Scarce resident
Coot	<i>Fulica atra</i>	Introduced now Common resident
Little ringed Plover	<i>Charadrius dubius</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor
Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>	Common resident - winter
Little Stint	<i>Calidris minuta</i>	Scare spring/autumn visitor
Jack snipe	<i>Lymnocyptes minimus</i>	Common winter visitor
Pomarine Skua	<i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i>	Common spring/autumn visitor
*Long-tailed Skua	<i>Stercorarius longicaudus</i>	Common spring/autumn visitor
Little Gull	<i>Hydrocoloeus minutus</i>	Rare visitor
Rock Dove / Feral Pigeon	<i>Columba livia</i>	Common resident
Collared Dove	<i>Streptopelia decaocto</i>	Common resident
Barn Owl	<i>Tyto alba</i>	Common resident
Long eared Owl	<i>Asio otus</i>	Very scarce visitor
Kingfisher	<i>Alcedo atthis</i>	Common resident
Green Woodpecker	<i>Picus viridis</i>	Scarce resident
Great spotted Woodpecker	<i>Dendrocopos major</i>	Common resident

NA

Magpie	<i>Pica pica</i>	until recently uncommon resident - becoming more common. Breeds
Jay	<i>Garrulus glandarius</i>	Common resident, Woodland Breeds
Jackdaw	<i>Corvus monedula</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Carrion Crow	<i>Corvus corone</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Hooded Crow	<i>Corvus cornix</i>	Scarce visitor
Raven	<i>Corvus corax</i>	Resident Coastal, Mountain & Moorland. Breeds
Goldcrest	<i>Regulus regulus</i>	Common resident coniferous woods Passage migrant to coasts. Breeds
Blue Tit	<i>Cyanistes caeruleus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Great Tit	<i>Parus major</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Coal Tit	<i>Parus ater</i>	Common resident coniferous woods Breeds
Sand Martin	<i>Riparia riparia</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Swallow	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Long Tailed Tit	<i>Aegithalos caedatus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Chiffchaff	<i>Phylloscopus collybita</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Blackcap	<i>Sylvia atricapilla</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Garden Warbler	<i>Sylvia borin</i>	Common spring-autumn resident, Breeds
Lesser Whitethroat	<i>Sylvia curruca</i>	Uncommon summer resident scrubby areas near coast
Reed Warbler	<i>Acrocephalus scirpaceus</i>	Common summer resident reed land. Breeds
Waxwing	<i>Bombycilla garrulus</i>	Irruptive late autumn & winter visitor in variable numbers
Nuthatch	<i>Sitta europaea</i>	until recently uncommon resident - becoming more common. Breeds
Treecreeper	<i>Certhia familiaris</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Blackbird	<i>Turdus merula</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Robin	<i>Erithacus rubecula</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Stonechat	<i>Saxicola torquatus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Pied Wagtail	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Rock Pipit	<i>Anthus petrosus</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Chaffinch	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	Common resident. Breeds
Brambling	<i>Fringilla montifringilla</i>	Irruptive winter visitor in variable numbers
Goldfinch	<i>Carduelis carduelis</i>	Common resident. Breeds



Siskin	<i>Carduelis spinus</i>	Common resident. Breeds	
Common Crossbill	<i>Loxia curvirostra</i>	Common resident. Breeds	
Lesser White-fronted Goose	<i>Anser erythropus</i>	Very rare winter visitor, only 7 records 1954, 1955, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1978, 1996	NA
Snow Goose	<i>Anser caerulescens</i>	Rare winter visitor	NA
Canada Goose	<i>Branta canadensis</i>	Fairly common (introduced) resident on local lochs. Variants of species turn up from time to time.	NA
Red-breasted Goose	<i>Branta ruficollis</i>	Very rare winter visitor with 8 records 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 2001 (2), 2008, 2012	NA
Ruddy Shelduck	<i>Tadorna ferruginea</i>	Very Rare summer visitor	NA
Mandarin Duck	<i>Aix galericulata</i>	Uncommon (introduced) visitor	NA
American Wigeon	<i>Anas americana</i>	Rare winter visitor possible escape	NA
Green-winged Teal	<i>Anas carolinensis</i>	Rare winter visitor with 12 records though perhaps overlooked in large teal flocks	NA
Blue-winged Teal	<i>Anas discors</i>	Very rare visitor with 3 records 1858, 1980, 1982	NA
Ring-necked Duck	<i>Aythya collaris</i>	Very rare autumn/winter visitor	NA
Lesser Scaup	<i>Aythya affinis</i>	Rare autumn/winter visitor	
King Eider	<i>Somateria spectabilis</i>	Very rare autumn/winter visitor with 4 records 1970, 1976-1980/81, 1995, 2002-2003	
Black Scoter	<i>Melanitta americana</i>	Very rare autumn/winter visitor with 1 record 1989	
Surf Scoter	<i>Melanitta perspicillata</i>	Very scarce autumn/winter visitor	NA
Smew	<i>Mergellus albellus</i>	Scarce autumn/winter visitor	
Ruddy Duck	<i>Oxyura jamaicensis</i>	Scarce visitor	NA
Ptarmigan	<i>Lagopus muta</i>	Very rare visitor	NA
Capercaillie	<i>Tetrao urogallus</i>	Very rare visitor with 2 records 1869, 1977	NA
Red-legged Partridge	<i>Alectoris rufa</i>	Common resident, breeds and released for 'sporting' purposes	NA
Pheasant	<i>Phasianus colchicus</i>	Common resident, breeds and released for 'sporting' purposes	NA
Golden Pheasant	<i>Chrysolophus pictus</i>	Rare resident	NA
White billed Diver	<i>Gavia adamsii</i>	Very rare winter visitor with 1 record 2006	NA
Cory's Shearwater	<i>Calonectris diomedea</i>	Very rare vagrant with 1 record 1996	
Great Shearwater	<i>Puffinus gravís</i>	Very Scarce autumn vagrant	



Little Shearwater	<i>Puffinus baroli</i>	Very Rare Visitor with 1 Record 1985	
Storm Petrel	<i>Hydrobates pelagicus</i>	Common autumn visitor	
Leach's Petrel	<i>Oceanodroma leucorhoa</i>	Common autumn visitor	
Glossy Ibis	<i>Plegadis falcinellus</i>	Rare visitor Seen on Passage most often	
Black-necked Grebe	<i>Podiceps nigricollis</i>	Scarce winter visitor	
Rough-legged Buzzard	<i>Buteo lagopus</i>	Scarce autumn visitor	
Spotted Crake	<i>Porzana porzana</i>	Rare visitor	
Baillon's Crake	<i>Porzana pusill</i>	Very rare vagrant with 2 records 1891, 1935	
Corncrake	<i>Crex crex</i>	Rare visitor	
Dotterel	<i>Charadrius morinellus</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor	
American Golden Plover	<i>Pluvialis dominica</i>	Rare vagrant	
Temminck's Stint	<i>Calidris temminckii</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor	
Pectoral Sandpiper	<i>Calidris melanotos</i>	Scarce spring/autumn visitor	NA
Long billed Dowitcher	<i>Limnodromus scolopaceus</i>	Rare vagrant last recorded 2011	NA
Red-necked Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>	Rare visitor	
Grey Phalarope	<i>Phalaropus fulicarius</i>	Rare visitor	
Ivory Gull	<i>Pagophila eburnea</i>	Very rare vagrant with 1 record 1943	NA
Sabines Gull	<i>Xema sabini</i>	Rare autumn visitor	NA
Roseate Tern	<i>Sterna dougallii</i>	Rare passage migrant	
Little Auk	<i>Alle alle</i>	Rare autumn migrant	
Turtle Dove	<i>Streptopelia turtur</i>	Rare visitor	
Little Owl	<i>Athene noctua</i>	Scarce resident	NA
Hoopoe	<i>Upupa epops</i>	Rare vagrant	NA
Red-backed Shrike	<i>Lanius collurio</i>	Scarce migrant	NA
Great Grey Shrike	<i>Lanius excubitor</i>	Scarce migrant	NA
Chough	<i>Pyrrhocorax pyrrhocorax</i>	Rare visitor	NA