

Checklist - Eider ducks and Aurora Borealis in Varanger



Varanger and Pasvik, March-April

Mallard

Common Eider

King Eider

Steller`s Eider

Long-tailed Duck

Common Scoter

Velvet Scoter

Red-breasted Merganser

Goosander

Rock Ptarmigan

Willow Grouse

Black Grouse

Capercaillie

Red- throated Diver

White-billed Diver

Northern Fulmar

Gannet

European Shag

Great Cormorant

White-tailed Eagle

Golden Eagle

Rough-legged Buzzard

Merlin

Peregrine Falcon

Gyr Falcon

Purple Sandpiper

Common Gull

Herring Gull

Great Black-backed Gull

Lesser Black-backed Gull

Glaucous Gull

Iceland Gull (Glaucoides)

Black-legged Kittiwake

Common Guillemot

Brünnick`s Guillemot

Razorbill

Black Guillemot

Atlantic Puffin

“Ferral Dove”

Northern Hawk Owl

Tengmal`s Owl

Short-eared Owl

Great Spotted Woodpecker

Lesser Spotted Woodpecker

Three-toed Woodpecker

Rock Pipit

Bohemian Waxwing

White-throated Dipper

Eurasian Wren

Siberian Tit

Willow Tit

Great Tit

Blue Tit

Siberian Jay

Magpie

Common Raven

Hooded Crow

House Sparrow

Three Sparrow

Greenfinch

Arctic Redpoll

Common Redpoll (flammea)

Common Bullfinch

Pine Grosbeak

Snow Bunting

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There is also several other species that you might see. Some of them depending on the weather and food situation:

Hazel Hen

Red-necked Grebe

Ivory Gull

Little Auk

Great – grey Owl

Snowy Owl

Eurasian Jay

Parrot Crossbill

Common Crossbill

Two-barred Crossbill

Mammals:

Moose

“Reindeer”

Northern Hare

Red Fox

Musk Rat

Utter

“Mink”

Weasel

Harbour Seal

Grey Seal

Bearded Seal

Harbour Porpoise

Mink Whale

Killer Whale

Humpback whale