

WEEKLY WATERFOWL POPULATION SUMMARY
Tennessee National Wildlife Refuge

Refuge Total

December 1-15, 2008
Survey Period

Tundra Swan			Redhead	40
Trumpeter Swan			Ring-necked Duck	9,660
Canada Goose	1,802		Canvasback	1,138
Cackling Goose	200		Scaup	2,846
White-fronted Goose	325		Common Goldeneye	8
Snow Goose			Bufflehead	519
Ross's Goose			Ruddy Duck	2,295
			Hooded Merganser	371
Mallard	72,961		Common Merganser	
Black Duck	1,825		Red-breasted Merganser	58
Gadwall	7,948		American Coot	2,730
American Wigeon	2,419		Eagles:	
Pintail	3,605		Bald (Adult)	9
Green-winged Teal	8,156		Bald (Immature)	22
Blue-winged Teal			Golden (Adult)	
Northern Shoveler	441		Golden (Immature)	
Wood Duck	100		Other: Sandhill Crane	11
Unidentified Duck			Other: White Pelican	480

TOTALS:	Swans	0	Geese	2,327	Ducks	114,390	Eagles	31
							Bald	31
							Golden	

	Geese	Ducks
Change From Last Survey Conducted This Year	+56 %	+62 %
Change From Last Year Survey During the Same Period of the Year	+17 %	-16 %
Change From 5-Year Average During the Same Period of the Year	-4 %	+17 %
Change From 10-Year Average During the Same Period of the Year	+6 %	+30 %
Change From 15-Year Average During the Same Period of the Year	+6 %	+55 %

Note: NA = no previous survey for comparison

Note: % change = difference divided by former population level

Survey Details: Ground Aerial Water 100 % of Area Date Conducted: 12/04/2008

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Wheat
(Observer)