

## **The Baltic Sea Project**

### **SPRING WATERBIRDS COUNTING**

between 15 th and 30th April 2012

Protocol of observation to be sent to Bird Ecology co-ordinator Andrzej Úliwiński (e-mail: andrewsl@wp.pl)

**Date of counting:** 27.04.2012

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**Observation area:** Pärисpea peninsula Eru and Hara Bay ,National Park of Lahemaa

**Temperature:** + 10 C

**Visibility:** 2-5 km

**Clouds:** Cloudless

**Wind** (strength and direction): 13 m/s ; from the west

**Total number of birds observed:** 10 262

(In case you observe birds which are not mentioned in the list, please add them at the end of it. The results should be sent to me within one month from the date of counting.)

**Species of birds observed along the route:** 34

**Latin name - English name – male – female - juv. - total**

Gavia arctica Black-throated diver  
Gavia stellata Red-throated diver  
Podiceps cristatus Great crested grebe -Tuttpütt 4  
Podiceps grisegena Red-necked grebe  
Tachybaptus ruficollis Little grebe  
Podiceps nigricollis Black-necked grebe  
Podiceps auritus Slavonian grebe  
Phalacrocorax carbo Cormorant -Kormoran 10  
Ardea cinerea Grey heron -Hallhaigur 12  
Cygnus olor Mute swan -Kühmnokk-luik 123  
Cygnus cygnus Whooper swan -Laululuik 14  
Cygnus columbianus Bewick's swan  
Anser anser Greylag goose -Hallhani 6  
Anser albifrons White-fronted goose -Suur-laukhani 8820  
Anser fabalis Bean goose -Rabahani 980  
Anser brachyrhynchus Pink-footed goose  
Branta bernicla Brent goose  
Branta leucopsis Barnacle goose- Valgepõsk-lagle 12  
Branta canadensis Canada goose  
Tadorna tadorna Shelduck- Ristpart 21  
Anas platyrhynchos Mallard -Sinikaelpart 36  
Anas strepera Gadwall-Rääkspart 6  
Anas penelope Wigeon -Viupart 4  
Anas crecca Teal -Piilpart 2  
Anas acuta Pintail  
Anas clypeata Shoveler-Luitsnokk-part 6  
Netta rufina Red-crested pochard  
Aythya ferina Pochard -Punapea-vart 2  
Aythya nyroca Ferruginous duck  
Aythya fuligula Tufted duck  
Aythya marila Scaup  
Bucephala clangula Goldeneye -Sõtkas 14  
Clangula hyemalis Long-tailed duck- AUL 24  
Melanitta nigra Common scoter  
Melanitta fusca Velvet scoter  
Somateria stelleri Steller's eider  
Somateria mollissima Eider -Hahk 4  
Somateria spectabilis King eider  
Mergus merganser Goosander-Jääkoskel 26  
Mergus serrator Red-breasted merganser-Rohukoskel 14  
Mergus albellus Smew  
Fulica atra Coot  
Gallinula chloropus Moorhen  
Larus ridibundus Black-headed gull-Naerukajakas 30  
Larus canus Common gull -Kalakajakas 38  
Larus argentatus Herring gull-Hõbekajakas 16  
Larus cachinnans Yellow-legged gull  
Larus marinus Great black-backed gull -Merikajakas 6

*Sterna paradisae* - Randtiir 8  
*Charadrius hiaticula* - Liivatüll 2  
*Pluvialis apricaria*-Põldrüüt 12  
*Tringa hypoleucos* - Vihitaja 11  
*Haliaeetus albicilla* - Merikotkas 3