

Brown-headed Cowbird (*Molothrus ater*)

WINTER: Uncommon to Fairly Common Resident. Occasionally, Common to Very Common. See Remarks section for CBC data.

SUMMER: Common Resident. See Remarks section.

MIGRATION:

Spring: Common Migrant from late March to mid-April.

Fall: Common Migrant departing from early to late October.

REMARKS:

Breeding Bird Survey (Koch and Hurley 1972): Beech Fork Lake, Wayne Co., WV (29 May 1969): 50 Stops, 25 Mile. Number of Stops Recorded: 6. Total Birds: 37.

Breeding Bird Survey (Koch 1974): McClintic WMA, Mason Co., WV (29 May 1971): 50 Stops, 12.25 Mile. Number of Stops Recorded: 9. Total Birds: 17.

Singing Male Census (Eddy 2003): Cabwaylingo State Forest, Wayne Co., WV (2002): Indian Trail: dominant canopy: am. beech, yellow poplar, black birch (elevation, 259 m to 335 m): +.

Breeding Bird Survey (Bullard 2003): Cabwaylingo State Forest, Wayne Co., WV (2002): 135 Stops (7 surveys), 64 Mile. Number of Stops Recorded: 3. Total Birds: 5.

CHRISTMAS BIRD COUNT DATA

Huntington, WV (1940 to 2001): Recorded on 44% of Counts. Total Birds: 718. Range: 1 to 221.

Mason County, WV (1953 to 1976): Recorded on 56% of Counts. Total Birds: 104. Range: 1 to 39.

Ona, WV (1962 to 2001): Recorded on 75% of Counts. Total Birds: 2,537. Range: 1 to 750.

Huntington, WV (1940 to 2001): Number of Counts: 61. Birds/Party Hr.: <1.0. Party Hr./Bird: 4.2.

Mason County, WV (1953 to 1976): Number of Counts: 18. Birds/Party Hr.: <1.0. Party Hr./Bird: 3.4.

Ona, WV (1962 to 2001): Number of Counts: 40. Birds/Party Hr.: 1.4. Party Hr./Bird: 0.7.