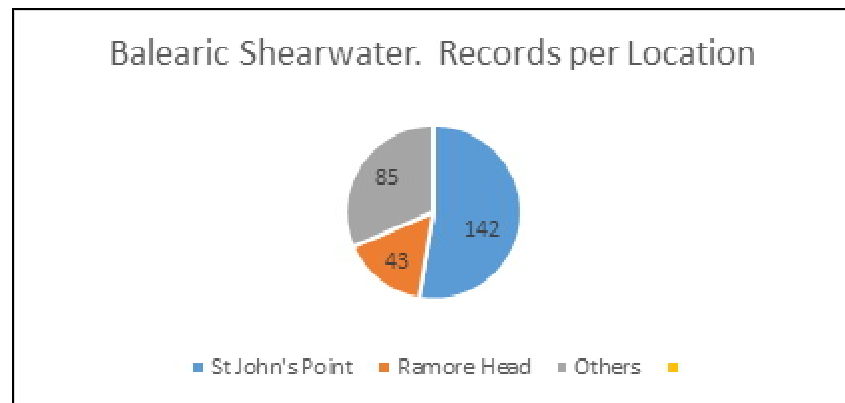


**Balearic Shearwater** *Puffinus mauretanicus* (0, 170, 133).

(Breeds Balearic Islands).



**1956**

One: Belfast Lough, County Down/Antrim, 1st August (Ivor McDonald). *Rutledge* 1957.

**1964**

One: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down, 14th September (J.I. Sinclair). *Rutledge* 1965.

**1966**

One: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down, 10th October (Joe Donaldson, R.J.S. O'Donnell, T.A.E. O'Donnell). *Rutledge* 1968.

**1974**

One: Portstewart, County Londonderry, 22nd September. *NIBRC* 76/1974.

**1975**

One: Castlerock, County Londonderry, 23rd July (W.G. Hilditch, Hill Dick). *Preston* 1977

**1977**

One: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down, 24th September (Bill Laird, Anthony McGeehan). *Preston* 1978

**1979**

One: Portrush, County Antrim, 17th August (P.S. Watson). *Preston* 1980

**1980**

Two: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; singles on 8th September (P.S. Watson) and 1st October (Doug Radford). *NIBRC* 1982.

**1982**

One: Observed in North Channel from Larne-Stranraer ferry, 5th October (C.N. Davidson). *NIBRC* 1987.

One: Black Arch, Larne, County Antrim, 4th December (Davy Hunter, Stephen Foster). *NIBRC* 1987.

**1983**

Four: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim, 11th September (Tom Ennis *et al.*). *NIBRC* 1987.

**1985**

One: Black Arch, Larne, County Antrim, 25th September (Stephen Foster). *NIBRC* 1987.

**1987**

One: Portavogie, County Down, 11th November. *NIBA* 1992.

**1988**

One: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim, 20th August. *NIBA* 1992.

**1990**

Three: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; singles on 16th August, 2nd and 4th September. *NIBA* 1992.

Four: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; three 19th August and one on 16th September. *NIBA* 1992.

Two: Copeland Islands, County Down, 14th September. *NIBA* 1992.

**1991**

Five: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; three 17th August with singles on 18th and 22nd September. *NIBA* 1993.

One: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down, 21st September. *NIBA* 1993.

**1992**

12: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; one: 9th August with 11 on 22nd August. *NIBA* 1993.  
Four: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; singles on 30th August, 3rd, 14th and 15th September. *NIBA* 1993.

**1993**

One: Groomsport, County Down, 5th August (Anthony McGeehan). *Irish Birds* 1994.  
Two: Observed among several hundred Manx Shearwaters, were off the coast of mid-Down, 7th August (Chris Murphy). *NIBA* 1994.  
Eight: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; two 7th August (Anthony McGeehan), one 14th August (Anthony McGeehan), one 29th August (David Steele), one 7th September (George Gordon *et al.*). *Irish Birds* 1994. Singles on 14th and 29th September (Flightline). *NIBA* 1994 and one 31st October (Anthony McGeehan). *Irish Birds* 1994.  
One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down, 20th October (Dave Allen, Anthony McGeehan). *Irish Birds* 1994.

**1994**

Two: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; singles on 7th and 22nd August (Anthony McGeehan). *NIBA* 1996.  
Six: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim, 28th August (David Steele *et al.*). *NIBA* 1996.  
One: On a pelagic off the Copeland Islands, County Down, 3rd September (Anthony McGeehan). *NIBA* 1996.  
One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down, 21st October (Dave Allen *et al.*). *NIBA* 1996.

**1995**

19: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; one 9th August, two 11th August, two 14th August, four 15th August, one 19th August, two 20th August singles on 21st and 23rd August, two 25th August, one 7th September (Anthony McGeehan) with two on 12th November (Anthony McGeehan). *NIBA* 1997, note changes to *NIBA* 1997.  
One: Observed from the Larne-Stranraer ferry, County Antrim, 27th August (B.C Forrester). *NIBA* 1997.  
Five: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; one 14th August (David Steele). *Charles and Crory* 2019, one 25th August (Anthony McGeehan *et al.*) with three on 26th September (David Steele *et al.*). *NIBA* 1997.  
One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down, 20th October (Colin Guy). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**1996**

One: Black Arch, Larne, County Antrim, 27th January (Davy Hunter). *NIBA* 1998.  
17: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; two 4th August, three 17th August (Anthony McGeehan), three 18th August (Anthony McGeehan, Oscar Campbell), two 22nd August (David Knight *et al.*) and two 26th August (Walter Veale). *NIBA* 1998. *Charles and Crory* 2019. In September singles were recorded on 8th September (Oscar Campbell *et al.*) and 15th September (Anthony McGeehan) with three on 17th September (Oscar Campbell). *Charles and Crory* 2019.  
Four: Observed during an RSPB ship survey in North Irish Sea, County Down, 6th September (David Steele). *NIBA* 1998  
Singles at Black Head, north east of Whitehead, County Antrim on 11th and 14th September and a single at Grey Point, Belfast Lough, Crawfordsburn, County Down on 17th September (Paul McCullough, Anthony McGeehan). *Charles and Crory* 2019.  
Three: Copeland Bird Observatory, Light House Island, Copeland Islands, County Down; two 12th October with a single on 13th October (Kerry Leonard). *NIBA* 1998.

**1997**

14: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; one 7th August (Anthony McGeehan). *Milne & O'Sullivan* 1998, singles on 10th August (Willie McDowell) and 20th August (Geoff Campbell) *Charles and Crory* 2019. One 31st August with eight on 21st September (Anthony McGeehan). *Milne & O'Sullivan* 1998. One 5th October (Eric Randall) *Charles and Crory* 2019 with another single on 16th November (Anthony McGeehan) *Milne & O'Sullivan* 1998.  
Two: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim, 7th September (Anthony McGeehan). *Milne & O'Sullivan* 1998.  
Three: Kearney, Outer Ards Peninsula; one 15th September with two on 24th September (Geoff Campbell). *Charles and Crory* 2019.  
One: Grey Point, Belfast Lough, Crawfordsburn, County Down, 16th September (Anthony McGeehan). *Milne & O'Sullivan* 1998.  
One: Red Bay, Garron Point, Larne, County Antrim, 8th December (David Steele). *Milne & O'Sullivan* 1998.

**1998**

11: Red Bay, Cushendall, County Antrim; ten 10th January (Ian Enlander, David Steele), six 11th January, hereafter they were observed in lesser numbers until only a single bird seen on 16th and 29th January (Ian Enlander, David Steele). *NIBA* 2000.

Six: St John's Point, Killough, County Down; two 9th August (Eric Randall) *Charles and Crory* 2019, with four on 6th September (Anthony McGeehan). *NIBA* 2000

**1999**

One: Portstewart, County Londonderry, 10th August (K. Smith). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

Three: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; two 22nd August with a single on 18th September (Anthony McGeehan). *NIBA* 2002.

One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down, 5th September (Brad Robson). *NIBA* 2001.

Four: Garron Point, Carnlough, County Antrim, 4th November (David Steele). *NIBA* 2001.

**2000**

One: St John's Point, Killough, County Down, 31st August (Dave Hadrick, Orcilla Hadrick). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Portstewart, County Londonderry, 6th September (C. Shaw). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2001**

Four: St John's Point, Killough, County Down; singles on 8th August (Martin Garner), 18th August (Ivan Quail), 1st September (Garry Armstrong) and 30th September (Eric Randall). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim, 16th September (Eric Randall). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2002**

Eight: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; one 26th January, two 14th August, two 17th August and two on 18th August (*all* Anthony McGeehan) with a single on 29th December (Dennis Weir, Willie McDowell). *NIBA* 2004.

One: Rathlin Sound, County Antrim, 5th February. *NIBA* 2004.

Three: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down; singles on 7th August (Kerry Leonard), 7th September (Neville McKee) and 6th October (Kerry Leonard). *NIBA* 2004.

One: Portstewart Point, Portstewart, County Londonderry, 5th September (David Steele). *NIBA* 2004.

One: Garron Point, Carnlough, County Antrim, 31st December (Richard Gray, David Steele). *NIBA* 2004.

**2003**

One: At Sea, Rathlin West, County Antrim, 18th July (David Steele). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

14: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; one 2nd August (Walter Veale *et al.*). *NIBA* 2006, two 9th August and two 10th August (Walter Veale *et al.*) *Charles and Crory* 2019, two 17th August (Walter Veale, Ted Rolston *et al.*) *Charles and Crory* 2019, two 24th August (Walter Veale *et al.*) *Charles and Crory* 2019, one 26th August (Andrew Crory) *Charles and Crory* 2019, three 5th September (Anthony McGeehan, Gerard McGeehan). *NIBA* 2006, with a single on 18th September (Anthony McGeehan) *Charles and Crory* 2019.

Five: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; two 22nd August (Gerard McGeehan, Anthony McGeehan), one 29th August (David Steele) and two 11th September (Stuart McKee). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Grey Point, Belfast Lough, Crawfordsburn, County Down, 9th September (Anthony McGeehan). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down, 26th September (Kerry Leonard). *NIBA* 2006.

One: Portstewart, County Londonderry, 23rd September (Richard Gray) *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2004**

Three: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; one 8th August with two on 3rd September. *NIBA* 2006.

Nine: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; seven 25th August, one 29th August and one on 14th September. *NIBA* 2006.

**2005**

11: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; two 6th August (Anthony McGeehan, Ivan Quail *et al.*) *Charles and Crory* 2019, six 13th August (Matthew Tickner, Anthony McGeehan *et al.*). *NIBA* 2008a, two 18th August (Geoff Campbell) with a single on 19th August (Geoff Campbell) *Charles and Crory* 2019.

Seven: St John's Point, Killough, County Down; singles on 31st July and 21st August (Walter Veale *et al.*), two 24th August (Walter Veale, Ted Rolston *et al.*) one 28th August (Anthony McGeehan) with two on 3rd September (Dave Hadrick, Orcilla Hadrick) *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Orlock, Groomsport, County Down, 3rd September (Richard Weyl). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2006**

One: St John's Point, Killough, County Down, 29th July (Anthony McGeehan). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2007**

Three: Ramore Head, Portrush, County Antrim; two 15th August (Derek Charles, David Steele) with a single on 1st September (Colin Guy, David Steele). *NIBA* 2008a

Six: St. John's Point, Killough, County Down; three 12th August (Derek Charles), one 2nd September with two on 14th September (Garry Armstrong). *NIBA* 2008a.

Four: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down; three 26th August (Oscar Campbell) with a single on 2nd September (Neville McKee). *NIBA* 2008a.

**2008**

Two: Kearney Point, Kearney, Outer Ards Peninsula, 16th August (Keith Bennett). *NIBA* 2008a.

One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, County Down, 6th September (Colin Guy). *NIBA* 2008a.

**2010****Down**

Six: St John's Point, Killough; two 19th August, two 20th August and two 21st August (Walter Veale, Christopher Veale, Derek Charles, Oscar Campbell, Anthony McGeehan, Jimmy Whitla, Fulton Summerville). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Burial Island, Portavogie, Outer Ards Peninsula, 28th August (Richard Weyl). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Kearney, Outer Ards Peninsula, 29th August (James Robinson). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, 6th September (Neville McKee). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2011****Down**

Four: St John's Point, Killough; one 4th September, two 25th September and one 27th September (Gerard McGeehan, Shirley Dunlop Eric Randall *et al.*). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands, 9th October (David Galbraith). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2012****Down**

One: St John's Point, Killough, 10th August (Oscar Campbell). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**Londonderry**

Two: Barmouth, Bann Estuary, Coleraine, 23rd August (Derek Charles). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

Two: Portstewart, 24th August (Matthew Ticker). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2013****Antrim**

One: Carnlough, 30th December (Derek Charles). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**Down**

Three: Copeland Bird Observatory, Lighthouse Island, Copeland Islands; singles on 30th July, 1st August and 7th September (Kerry Leonard, David Galbraith). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: Ballyquintin, Outer Ards Peninsula, 30th July (Keith Bennett). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2014****Antrim**

One: Ramore Head, Portrush, 30th July (Stuart McKee). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2015****Antrim**

Seven: Ramore Head, Portrush, 4th September (Derek Charles). Duplication of individuals on a feeding circuit is possible. *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**Down**

One: Ballyquintin Point, Outer Ards Peninsula, 19th July (Billy Miskelly). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

One: St. John's Point, Killough, 8th August (Tim Murphy *et al.*). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2016****Down**

One: Kinnegar Shore, Belfast Lough, Holywood, 9th July (Derek Charles). *Charles and Crory* 2019.

**2017**

**Antrim**

One: Rathlin Ferry, 27th June (Matthew Tickner). *Charles and Crory 2019*.

One: Torr Head, Ballycastle, 7th July (Ian Enlander). *Charles and Crory 2019*.

One: Ramore Head, Portrush, 18th August (Derek Charles). *Charles and Crory 2019*.

**Down**

One: St. John's Point, Killough, 16th August (Tim Murphy). *Charles and Crory 2019*.