

Glossy Ibis *Plegadis falcinellus* (11, 1, 0). **RV**

(Breeds France and Spain: otherwise, European Breeding range centered north and west of Black sea in Ukraine and Romania, with small population in the Balkans. To the east breeds from Volga River to Kazakhstan. Palearctic population migratory, most wintering in east Africa, but with west European population wintering Morocco and Mediterranean basin. Resident or dispersive populations occur in Africa, south Asia, Australia, east USA and the Caribbean to north South America).

Published records:

1819

One: Shot. Bog Meadows, Belfast, County Antrim, 30th September. *Thompson 1850; Ussher and Warren 1900;*

1853

One: Shot from a flock of six at Bushmills, County Antrim, in autumn. *Ussher and Warren 1900.*

1906

One: An immature male. Shot. Twin Islands, Belfast Harbour, Belfast, County Down. *Witherby & Ticehurst 1906.*

1909

One: Shot. Ballyferris, near Donaghadee, County Down, 15th October. *Witherby & Ticehurst 1909.*

One: County Londonderry, October. *Campbell 1909.*

1921

One: Lough Neagh, County Antrim, 28th February. *Bennington 1934.*

1944

One: Monlough Lake, Moneyreagh, County Down, 5th to 6th June. *Kennedy, Rutledge & Scroope 1954.*

1989

One: Waterfoot, near Toomebridge, County Londonderry, 25th April. *NIBA 1992.*

2007

One: Reported. Tyrella Beach, Tyrella, Downpatrick, County Down, 9th June. *NIBA 2008b.* We are leaving this off our totals.