

**DIURNAL RAPTORS OF TEXAS  
NON-REVIEW SPECIES**

#	GROUP	FAMILY	GENUS SPECIES	COMMON NAME	ALL SEASONS	THROUGH MIGRANT	RANGE RESTRICTED TEXAN	WINTER TEXAN	CEN-TEX STRAGGLER	ABA CODE	
1	Vulture	New World Vultures (Cathartidae)	Coragyps atratus	Black Vulture	X					1	
			Cathartes aura	Turkey Vulture	X					1	
2	Buteo-like (large)	Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies (Accipitridae)	Buteo jamaicensis	Red-tailed Hawk	X					1	
			Buteo swainsoni	Swainson's Hawk	X	X				1	
			Buteo albonotatus	Zone-tailed Hawk	X						2
			Buteogallus anthracinus	Common Black Hawk				X			2
			Buteo regalis	Ferruginous Hawk					X		1
			Buteo lagopus	Rough-legged Hawk					X		1
	Buteo-like (medium)		Geranoaetus albicaudatus	White-tailed Hawk						X	2
			Buteo lineatus	Red-shouldered Hawk	X						1
			Buteo platypterus	Broad-winged Hawk	X	X					1
			Buteo plagiatus	Gray Hawk				X			2
			Parabuteo unicinctus	Harris's Hawk						X	1
			Accipiter cooperii	Cooper's Hawk	X						1
3	Accipiter	Accipiter striatus	Sharp-shinned Hawk	X					1		
		Caracaras and Falcons (Falconidae)	Caracara cheriway	Crested Caracara	X					2	
4	Other	Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies (Accipitridae)	Circus hudsonius	Northern Harrier				X		1	
		Ospreys (Pandionidae)	Pandion haliaetus	Osprey				X		1	
		Falco peregrinus	Peregrine Falcon	X						1	
5	Falcon	Caracaras and Falcons (Falconidae)	Falco sparverius	American Kestrel				X		1	
			Falco femoralis	Aplomado Falcon			X			3	
			Falco columbarius	Merlin				X		1	
			Falco mexicanus	Prairie Falcon				X		1	
			Haliaeetus leucocephalus	Bald Eagle	X			X		1	
6	Eagle	Aquila chrysaetos	Golden Eagle			X			1		
		7	Hawks, Kites, Eagles, and Allies (Accipitridae)	Ictinia mississippiensis	Mississippi Kite	X	X				1
Elanoides forficatus	Swallow-tailed Kite							X	1		
Elanus leucurus	White-tailed Kite							X	1		
Kite (broad)	Chondrohierax uncinatus			Hook-billed Kite				X		3	
<b>Raptor Structure Summary</b>											
Group			Wing			Tail Length					
			Length	Width	Shape						
	Vulture		Long	Broad	Rounded	Short					
	Eagle		Long	Broad	Rounded	Short					
	Buteo		Medium	Broad	Rounded	Short					
	Accipiter		Short	Broad	Rounded	Long					
	Falcon		Long	Narrow	Pointed	Long					
	Kite		Long	Narrow	Pointed	Long					
	Other	Harrier	Long	Narrow	Rounded	Long					
		Cara Cara	Medium	Medium	Rounded	Medium					
		Osprey	Long	Narrow	Rounded	Medium					