

Marine Mammal Checklist

- ___ Beluga (R)
- ___ Killer Whale (VU)
- ___ Atlantic White-sided Dolphin (VU)
- ___ Long-finned Pilot Whale (R)
- ___ White-beaked Dolphin (VU)
- ___ Harbour Porpoise (U)
- ___ Fin Whale (U)
- ___ Minke Whale (C)
- ___ Humpback Whale (C)
- ___ Northern Right Whale (R)
- ___ Harbour Seal (C)
- ___ Grey Seal (C)
- ___ Harp Seal* (R)
- ___ Hooded Seal* (R)

The relative rarity of marine mammals is relevant to the period from mid-May to mid-October. During the late fall, winter and spring most species are rarely seen

*Harp and Hooded Seals breed on the ice off the Northern Peninsula in early spring. Very rarely single animals turn up on the southern shore in late spring or early summer

Legend:

C = Common: expect to see if one seeks them out in suitable habitat

U = Uncommon: occasionally found when one seeks them out in suitable habitat

VU = Very Uncommon: recorded some years in suitable habitat

R = Rare: Unlikely to be seen; few records