

## Skellig Michael Bird Census 2014

A breeding seabird census was carried out 18-23 June 2014 by Alyn Walsh and David Tierney

The table below gives breeding seabird count details:

Species	Count
Fulmar	765 apparently occupied sites (AOS)
Shag	2 apparently occupied nests (AON)
Lesser black-backed gull	18 AOS
Herring gull	20 AOS
Great black-backed gull	6 AOS
Kittiwake	573 (AON)
Guillemot	1625 individuals
Razorbill	196 individuals
Puffin	Not counted

### Other bird species recorded:

Raven	1
Chough	2
Shag	4 (individuals)
Rock pipit	12
Oystercatcher	1
Collared dove	1
Peregrine falcon	1 (female)
Wren	4+
Swift	4
Wheatear	2 (breeding?)
Whimbrel	1
Hooded crow	2 +2 juveniles