

BIRDS



Wood Thrush

(*Hylocichla mustelina*)

DISTRIBUTION & ABUNDANCE: The Wood Thrush is abundant in the Lower Peninsula and common in the Upper Peninsula. While BBS data indicate a steady or increasing population within the State, declines have been noted across its range.

ASSOCIATED LANDSCAPE FEATURES: lowland hardwood; mesic hardwood; dry hardwood; swamp; river/stream/riparian/floodplain corridor; late successional forest

ASSOCIATED THREATS: fragmentation; incompatible natural resource mgmt; invasive plants & animals

COMMENTS: Nest parasitism by Cowbirds (*Molothrus ater*) may be significant.