

# **BERWICK BANK WIND FARM OFFSHORE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

## **APPENDIX 11.1, ANNEX A: SCIENTIFIC NAMES AND TAXONOMIC GROUPINGS**

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**Table 1: Scientific names of species used within the report listed in taxonomic order as per the British Ornithologists' Union (2017)**

Species	Scientific name
Pink-footed goose	<i>Anser brachyrhynchus</i>
Teal	<i>Anas crecca</i>
Tufted duck	<i>Aythya fuligula</i>
Common scoter	<i>Melanitta nigra</i>
Goosander	<i>Mergus merganser</i>
Rock dove	<i>Columba livia</i>
Wood pigeon	<i>Columba palumbus</i>
Red-necked grebe	<i>Podiceps grisegena</i>
Oystercatcher	<i>Haematopus ostralegus</i>
Lapwing	<i>Vanellus vanellus</i>
Golden plover	<i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>
Curlew	<i>Numenius arquata</i>
Woodcock	<i>Scolopax rusticola</i>
Black-legged kittiwake	<i>Rissa tridactyla</i>
Black-headed gull	<i>Chroicocephalus ridibundus</i>
Little gull	<i>Hydrocoloeus minutus</i>
Common gull	<i>Larus canus</i>
Great black-backed gull	<i>Larus marinus</i>
Herring gull	<i>Larus argentatus</i>
Lesser black-backed gull	<i>Larus fuscus</i>
Sandwich tern	<i>Thalasseus sandvicensis</i>
Little tern	<i>Sternula albifrons</i>
Common tern	<i>Sterna hirundo</i>
Arctic tern	<i>Sterna paradisaea</i>
Great skua	<i>Stercorarius skua</i>
Pomarine skua	<i>Stercorarius pomarinus</i>
Arctic skua	<i>Stercorarius parasiticus</i>
Little auk	<i>Alle alle</i>
Black guillemot	<i>Cephus grylle</i>
Common guillemot	<i>Uria aalge</i>
Razorbill	<i>Alca torda</i>
Atlantic puffin	<i>Fratercula arctica</i>
Red-throated diver	<i>Gavia stellata</i>
Great northern diver	<i>Gavia immer</i>
European storm-petrel	<i>Hydrobates pelagicus</i>
Fulmar	<i>Fulmarus glacialis</i>
Sooty shearwater	<i>Ardenna grisea</i>
Manx shearwater	<i>Puffinus puffinus</i>
Gannet	<i>Morus bassanus</i>
Cormorant	<i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>
European shag	<i>Phalacrocorax aristotelis</i>
Redwing	<i>Turdus iliacus</i>
Redstart	<i>Phoenicurus phoenicurus</i>

**Table 2: Taxonomic groupings used for birds with no species identification. Mixed groups are self-explanatory, for example 'Small gull / tern species' could be any of the species listed within 'small gull species' or 'tern species'.**

Species	Grouping Level 1	Grouping Level 2	Grouping Level 3
Pink-footed goose	Goose species		
Teal			
Tufted duck	Duck species		
Common scoter			
Goosander			
Red-necked grebe	Grebe species		
Oystercatcher			
Lapwing			
Golden plover	Wader species		
Curlew			
Woodcock			
Kittiwake			
Black-headed gull		Small gull species	
Little gull			
Common gull			Gull species
Great black-backed gull	Black-backed gull species		
Lesser black-backed gull		Large gull species	
Herring gull	n/a		
Sandwich tern	n/a		
Little tern	n/a		
Common tern	Arctic / common tern	Tern species	
Arctic tern			
Great skua	n/a		
Pomarine skua	Skua species excl. great	Skua species	
Arctic skua			
Little auk	Small auk		
Puffin		Auk species	
Guillemot	Large auk		
Razorbill			
Red-throated diver	Diver species		
Great northern diver			
European storm-petrel	Storm-petrel species		
Fulmar	Fulmar or gull species		
Sooty shearwater	Shearwater species		
Manx shearwater			
Gannet	Gannet species		
Redwing			
Redstart			
Rock dove	Land-based species		
Wood pigeon			

