

Empidonax virescens

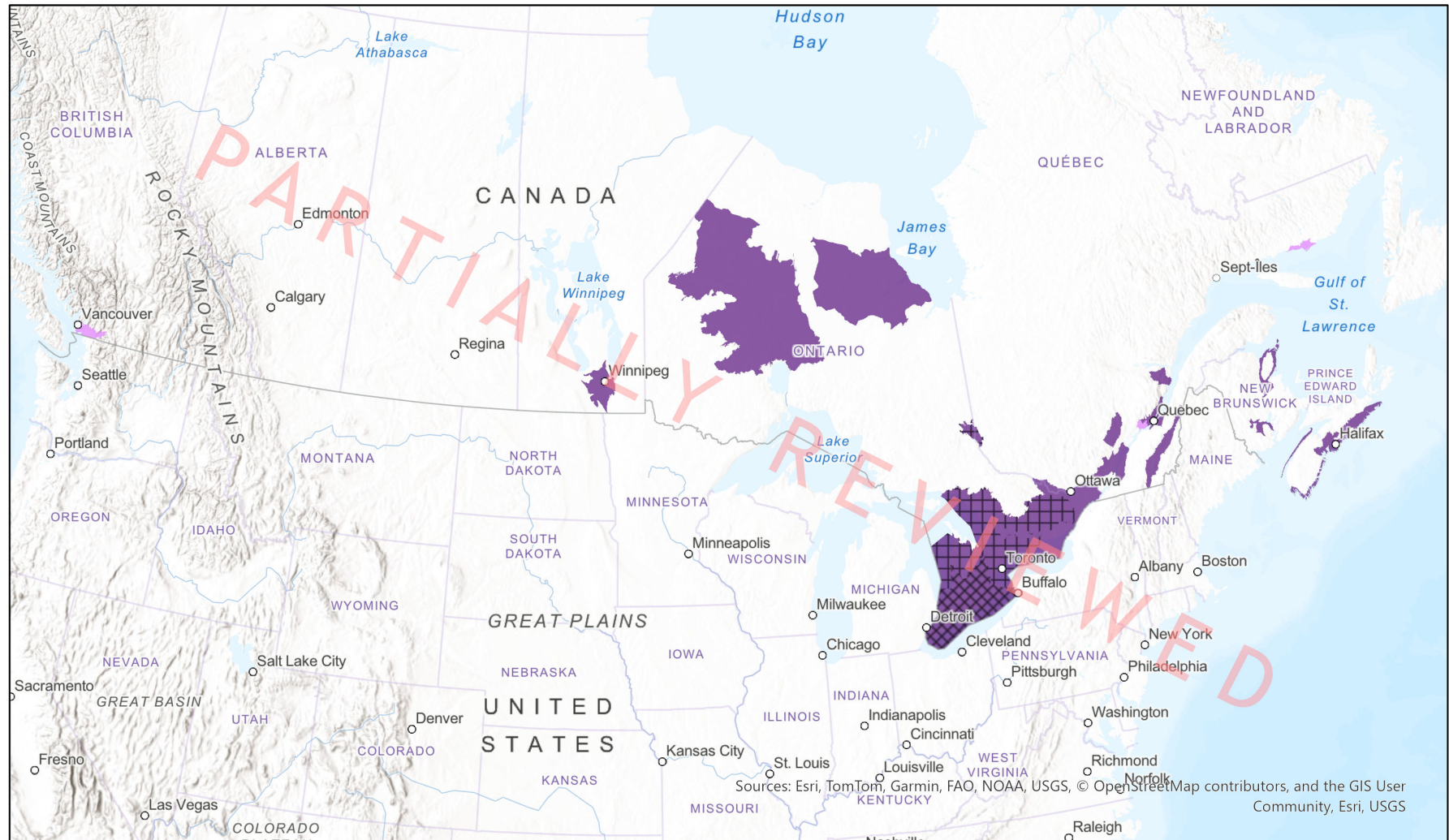


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Ecosystem-based Automated Range (EBAR)

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Synonyms Used: None



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Map centre: 91.1528° O 48.6193° N
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Input Records - 3 ACCDC Observations (2013-2017), 334 Birds Canada Nature Counts (1884-2024), 2994 eBird (1928-2022), 183 ECCC Critical Habitat (2024), 146 iNaturalist.ca (2011-2025), 19 iNaturalist.ca (original coordinates for obscured records) (2006-2024), 81 ON Breeding Bird Atlas (2001), 61 ON Element Occurrences (1900-2000), 3042 ON Observations and Source Features (1909-2024), 2 QC Breeding Bird Atlas (2010); Expert Reviews -

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Ecosystem-based Automated Range (EBAR) Metadata

Species

National Scientific Name:	<i>Empidonax virescens</i> (Vieillot, 1818)
Scientific Name Reference:	American Ornithologists' Union (AOU). 1998. Check-list of North American birds. Seventh edition. American Ornithologists' Union, Washington, D.C. [as modified by subsequent supplements and corrections published in <i>The Auk</i>]. Also available online: http://www.aou.org/ .
National English Name:	Acadian Flycatcher
National French Name:	Moucherolle vert
Element National ID:	165642
Element Global ID:	103712 (go to NatureServe Explorer)
Element Code:	ABPAE33020
Endemism Type:	N
Canadian COSEWIC Name:	
Canadian COSEWIC ID:	19
English COSEWIC Common Name:	Acadian Flycatcher
French COSEWIC Common Name:	Moucherolle vert

Rank/Status

Global Rank:	G5 (reviewed April 07, 2016)
National Rank (Canada):	N1B (reviewed 2022)
Subnational Ranks (Canada):	ON=S1B
National Rank (United States):	N5B (reviewed 1997)
Subnational Ranks (United States):	AL=S5B, AR=S4B, CT=S4B, DE=S5B, FL=SNRB, GA=S5, IA=S3B,S3N, IL=S5, IN=S4B, KS=S3B, KY=S5B, LA=S5B, MA=S2B, MD=S5B, MI=S4, MN=S3B, MO=SNRB, MS=S5B, NC=S5B, NE=S2?, NJ=S4B,S4N, NY=S3B, OH=S5, OK=SNRB, PA=S4B,S4M, RI=S1B,S1N, SC=S4B, SD=SH, TN=S5, TX=S4S5B, VA=S5, WI=S4B, WV=S5B
National Rank (Mexico):	None
Subnational Ranks (Mexico):	None
Canadian SARA Status:	Endangered/En voie de disparition (June 05, 2003)
Canadian COSEWIC Status:	Endangered
US ESA Status:	None

Range Map

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Comments:	This range has been partially reviewed.
Disclaimer:	Please review our methods document before using EBAR. EBAR range data are relatively coarse scale and appropriate for screening and education purposes, but are not intended for all types of applications and analysis. The absence of data in any geographic areas does not necessarily mean that a species is not present. An ecoshape with a presence value does not necessarily mean that a species is present throughout the entire geographic area.
Presence Definitions:	(Please see Comments above for any exceptions) Present - the species is found within the ecoshape based on species observation data, Element Occurrences, Source Features, Canadian Federal Critical Habitat, or expert opinion. Presence Expected - expert opinion the species may be present, or the ecoshape overlapped with a range estimate or a habitat suitability model. Historical - all species occurrence data within the ecoshape contains observation data greater than 40 years old or an Element Occurrence (EO) that was ranked as Extirpated or Historical (EO Rank of H, H?, X or X?), or expert opinion that the species is extirpated or historical.
Usage Type Definitions:	(Please see Comments above for any exceptions) Breeding - the species is thought to breed within the ecoshape based on eBird Breeding and Behaviour Codes or expert opinion. Possible Breeding - the species is probably or possibly breeding within the ecoshape based on eBird, BBA or jurisdiction Breeding and Behaviour Codes, or on expert opinion.
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