

Searcher Pelagic Trip, 2-6 Sep 2019

Sep 2, 2019 – Day One

San Diego Bay, 9-Mile Bank, San Diego Trough, and 30-Mile Bank

33 species

Mallard	6	Elegant Tern	29
Rock Pigeon	5	Leach's Storm-Petrel	5
Black Oystercatcher	4	Black Storm-Petrel	55
Killdeer	1	Pink-footed Shearwater	247
Willet	1	Sooty Shearwater	9
Red-necked Phalarope	24	Black-vented Shearwater	91
Pomarine Jaeger	1	Nazca Booby	1
Parasitic Jaeger	1	Brandt's Cormorant	801
Long-tailed Jaeger	6	Double-crested Cormorant	25
Craveri's Murrelet	11	Brown Pelican	127
Cassin's Auklet	5	Great Blue Heron	1
Sabine's Gull	54	Great Egret	1
Heermann's Gull	52	Snowy Egret	4
Western Gull	765	Red-masked Parakeet	3
Caspian Tern	10	Barn Swallow	1
Common Tern	23	European Starling	10
Royal Tern	3		

Sep 3, 2019 – Day 2

Santa Barbara County Waters including the Osborn Bank, Sutil Island, Santa Cruz Basin, Santa Rosa Flats, and San Miguel Island waters

27 species (+3 other taxa)

Black Oystercatcher	1	Black Tern	1
Whimbrel	1	Common/Arctic Tern	1
Least Sandpiper	1	Arctic Tern	5
Red-necked Phalarope	141	Forster's Tern	1
Red Phalarope	10	Elegant Tern	1
Pomarine Jaeger	1	Leach's Storm-Petrel	2
Long-tailed Jaeger	13	Ashy Storm-Petrel	513
Jaeger sp.	1	Black Storm-Petrel	73
Craveri's Murrelet	8	Pink-footed Shearwater	81
Murrelet sp.	4	Sooty Shearwater	93
Cassin's Auklet	5	Nazca Booby	1
Rhinoceros Auklet	1	Brown Booby	17
Sabine's Gull	42	Brandt's Cormorant	33
Heermann's Gull	1	Pelagic Cormorant	3
Western Gull	50	Brown Pelican	6

Sep 4, 2019 – Day 3

Rodriguez Seamount, San Miguel Gap, and the San Juan Seamount

27 species

Red-necked Phalarope	34	Black-footed Albatross	21
Red Phalarope	16	Wilson's Storm-Petrel	1
South Polar Skua	4	Leach's Storm-Petrel	79
Pomarine Jaeger	8	Townsend's Storm-Petrel	6
Parasitic Jaeger	1	Black Storm-Petrel	20
Long-tailed Jaeger	21	Northern Fulmar	1
Cassin's Auklet	3	Cook's Petrel	19
Sabine's Gull	31	Pink-footed Shearwater	87
Heermann's Gull	2	Buller's Shearwater	24
Western Gull	106	Sooty Shearwater	378
Arctic Tern	70	Nazca Booby	1
Royal Tern	2	Brandt's Cormorant	4
Elegant Tern	4	Brown Pelican	5
Red-billed Tropicbird	1		

Sep 5, 2019 – Day 4

Garrett Ridge, Cortez Bank, Cortez Basin, Mushroom bank, and Sixty Mile Bank

22 Species (+1 other taxa)

Whimbrel	41	Common/Arctic Tern	1
Marbled Godwit	7	Red-billed Tropicbird	1
Red-necked Phalarope	21	Black-footed Albatross	23
Red Phalarope	38	Leach's Storm-Petrel	87
Pomarine Jaeger	3	Townsend's Storm-Petrel	29
Parasitic Jaeger	1	Black Storm-Petrel	20
Long-tailed Jaeger	19	Northern Fulmar	1
Guadalupe Murrelet	2	Cook's Petrel	104
Cassin's Auklet	1	Pink-footed Shearwater	135
Sabine's Gull	15	Buller's Shearwater	8
Western Gull	47	Sooty Shearwater	16
Arctic Tern	28		

Sep 6, 2019 – Day 5

Nine Mile Bank and San Diego Bay

16 Species

Spotted Sandpiper	2	Black Storm-Petrel	8
Red-necked Phalarope	16	Pink-footed Shearwater	1
Parasitic Jaeger	8	Black-vented Shearwater	26
Cassin's Auklet	2	Nazca Booby	3
Heermann's Gull	1	Brandt's Cormorant	1
Western Gull	20	Double-crested Cormorant	1
Common Tern	5	Brown Pelican	1
Elegant Tern	360	Brown-headed Cowbird	1