How to use this data form: This form may be used in the field to record information which will later be reported to www.ebird.org. A different form should be used for each location searched. All observations should be reported, even if no Rusty Blackbirds are found.

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Optional Datasheet

REQUIRED DATA:

This is required for e-bird data entry.

Effort:

County		**State**	
Location (GPS coordinates if available.)			
Date	/ /	**Start Time**	
Duration of Survey (Hours, Min.)			
Party Size (# of people)			

Bird Counts:

Rusty Blackbirds (Sex ratio is optional)	**Unknown Sex:**	
	Male	**Female**
Red-winged Blackbird		
Brown-headed Cowbird		
Brewer's Blackbird		
Common Grackle		
European Starling		

OPTIONAL DATA:

This data is not required for participation in the effort, but is VERY helpful to Rusty Blackbird researchers. Should you collect this data, please enter it into the comments section for your e-bird report.

Rusty Habitat Use (Circle All That Apply):

Flooded Forest Dry Forest Beaver Flowage

Shrub-Scrub Ditch

Edge of Creek or River Pecan Orchard

Cropfield Lawn

Edge of Slough, Pond or Lake Agricultural Feedlot

Feeder Exposed Mud

Other (Please Explain):

Behavior (Circle One):

Feeding Roosting Flyover

Additional Comments:_____

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