

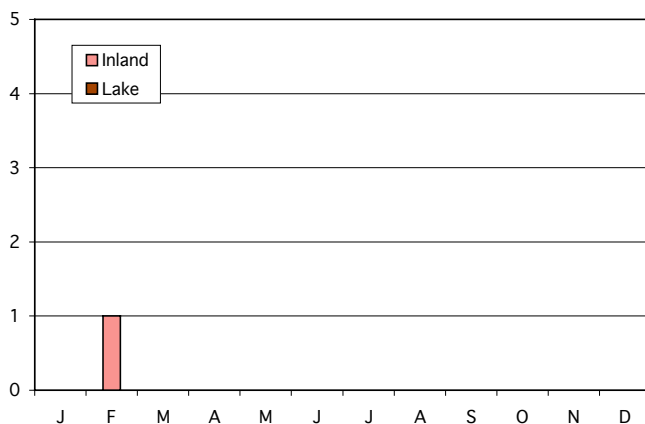
## Eurasian Tree Sparrow

*Passer montanus*

### Historical Information

First Published Record: Indiana's first report of this introduced species occurred at the A.W. Bruner residence in Parke County 16 February 1996 (Bruner 1996).

Earlier authors did not mention this species.



### Current Status

With only a single Indiana record the Eurasian Tree Sparrow is Accidental (10).

### Occurrence

Indiana's only record of this introduced species appeared at the backyard feeder of A.W. Bruner on the afternoon of 16 February 1996. The bird was also present on the following two days; it was identified by more than two-dozen observers (Bruner 1996).

The appearance of the Indiana bird is in concert with a regional northward movement of this species in Illinois and Iowa.

Eurasian Tree Sparrow Records					
All Accepted Records					
No.	Date	Location	Observer	Notes	Ref.
1	16 to 18-Feb-1996	Parke Co	A.W. Bruner	feeder	NAB

### References Cited

Bruner, A.W. (1996) Indiana's First Eurasian Tree Sparrow at IAS President's Feeder, *Indiana Audubon Quarterly*, 74:182-184.

### Status

Physical Evidence: There are no known specimens from Indiana, but a black and white photograph appears on the *Indiana Audubon Quarterly* cover of Vol. 74, No. 4.

STATUS TABLE				
Specimens				
Museum				No.
No known specimens				0
20-Year Abundance Table				
	Win	Spr	Sum	Fall
Northern Tier	n	n	n	n
Central Tier	10	n	n	n
Southern Tier	n	n	n	n
Entire State	10	n	n	n

### Eurasian Tree Sparrow Numbers per County

