

Table 9. Quartile averages for the absolute value trend differences

See report text for Key to Appendix 2 category definitions

AVERAGES	Sample size	Trend difference score	Absolute Value CBC trend - BBS trend	CBC trend - BBS trend	Range abs(CBC-BBS trend)	COMBINED CBC-BBS TRENDS	Combined trend - weighted	Variance of combined trend	Equal weighting score	Percent CBC weighting	CBC TRENDS	CBC Trend - continental 1966-2004/05	Variance - CBC	Precision estimate for CBC	Precision score for CBC	# CBC circles where species present	Sample size score	Relative abundance - CBC	Abundance score - CBC	% N. Am. Range covered by CBC	CBC Range Coverage Score	Reliability score for CBC	BBS TRENDS	BBS Continental Trend: 1966-2004/05	P	Variance - BBS	Precision estimate - BBS	Precision score - BBS	# BBS Routes where species present	Sample size score - BBS	Relative abundance - BBS	Abundance score - BBS	% N. Am. Range covered by BBS	BBS range coverage score	Reliability score for BBS
First Quartile	77	3.00	0.41	0.09	0.00 to 0.80		0.36	0.46	3.18	44.00		0.41	1.71	1.56	2.77	1110	2.97	22.39	2.65	59.17	2.22	2.05		0.32	0.23	1.02	1.46	2.73	986	2.91	5.45	2.60	71.23	2.56	2.29
Second Quartile	78	2.22	1.22	0.34	0.80 to 1.67		0.49	1.35	3.03	41.83		0.72	2.81	1.86	2.63	937	2.97	14.52	2.59	48.58	1.99	1.79		0.38	0.25	2.98	2.16	2.58	860	2.90	3.04	2.54	61.71	2.29	2.1
Third Quartile	77	1.35	2.19	0.70	1.70 to 2.80		0.11	2.08	3.21	42.28		0.57	7.23	2.71	2.53	816	2.95	19.14	2.61	52.56	2.05	1.75		-0.13	0.22	2.60	2.29	2.48	663	2.91	4.65	2.62	63.47	2.34	1.99
Fourth Quartile	77	0.29	6.30	1.92	2.80 to 23.93		1.85	16.91	2.84	41.70		3.11	45.72	5.35	2.23	602	2.92	5.26	2.42	48.72	1.92	1.43		1.20	0.22	18.71	4.53	2.09	288	2.78	2.63	2.38	60.45	2.19	1.68

OVERALL (w/o x)	309	1.72	2.52	0.76	0.00 to 23.93		0.70	5.20	3.06	42.45		1.20	14.33	2.86	2.54	866	2.95	15.32	2.57	52.24	2.05	1.76		0.44	0.23	6.32	2.61	2.47	700	2.87	3.94	2.53	64.21	2.35	2.01
OVERALL (w/ x)	550	1.67	2.69	0.84	0.01 to 42.33		0.97	5.24	1.72	50.40		1.57	16.13	3.71	2.33	657	2.80	11.69	2.39	43.27	1.69	1.45		0.57	0.22	5.20	2.47	2.50	693	2.89	3.74	2.57	53.45	1.99	2.07