

Surf Scoter ***(seaduck)***



VERTEBRATE

Melanitta perspicillate

diet: invertebrates, especially mollusks.

size: 48-60 cm (19-23 in)

Habitat: Primarily immatures, non-breeding that visit us from early spring to summer. Seen just offshore they are often confused for Puffins with their black, white heads and bright orange bills. Tends to be near shore in less than 9.14 m (30 ft) of water.

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