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Lat/long \_\_\_\_\_ Record type \_\_\_\_\_ Serial No. 84016  
Habitat \_\_\_\_\_ Disposition \_\_\_\_\_ Cx Nos. \_\_\_\_\_

Common Name White-winged Crossbill  
Scientific Name Loxia leucoptera  
Obs. date 2 July 84 Time(s) 5:00 p.m.  
Duration of obs. 30 MIN  
Distance from bird 45-70 Ft.  
Light conditions excellent - Bright Sunlight  
Optical equip. Bushnell Binoc (7X35) + Spotting Scope

Weather at time of this observation.  
cloudless sky - Bright Sunshine  
Prior weather and number of days since change.  
4 days

Photo equip. \_\_\_\_\_  
Notes made at time of sighting \_\_\_\_\_  
Notes made later from memory \_\_\_\_\_

Locality Lower East slope of Strawberry Ridge - on logging Road 2 miles south of Battle Hollow

Enter number of birds in each category.	GENDER(S)	AGES(S)	PLUMAGE(S)	PHOTO(S)
<u>2</u>	Males <u>1</u> Females <u>1</u> ♀ or Imms _____ Unknowns _____	Adults _____ Juv/Imms _____ 2/3 yr birds _____ Unknowns _____	Breeding <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Transition _____ Eclipse _____ Dark phase _____ Winter _____ Light ph. _____ Other _____	Available _____ Enclosed _____

Description of bird: Size, colors, all field marks OBSERVED. - Unique features of this individual, if any.

slightly larger than Red Crossbill  
Crossed Mandibles  
2 wide white wing bars

Male: Different Red than Red Crossbill - more pink & brighter  
Black wings  
2 white wing bars  
Crossed Mandibles

Female: like Female Red Crossbill but with 2 white wing bars. Greenish-gray ~~with~~ but Dull. yellowish Rump

Field marks which were not seen. Why not?

None

Variations from expected field marks.

None

List similar species and describe why or how you eliminated them.

1. Pine Grosbeak : This bird had Crossbill
2. Red Crossbill : This bird had 2 white wing bar.

Behavior of this bird. Other species seen with this one. Any interaction between birds?

Hanging on & feeding on spruce cones  
Feeding with 15 Red Crossbills & flying with them  
from tree to tree.

Habitat at this location. Adjacent or near by habitat, if significant.

Engelmann Spruce

Describe bird's song or sounds.

No call. But Red Crossbills  
called in flight.

Print reporter's name, address, phone number.

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What is your experience with this or similar birds?

Have seen white-winged Crossbill  
before. Have seen Red Crossbills  
& Pine Grosbeak for past  
10 years

Corroborating observers not reporting separately.

Stephen Parsons  
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