

MONTANA LEGAL PET GUIDE



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ARACHNID

Scorpion, Emperor	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt: Import - see Ag
Scorpion, Tanzanian Redclaw	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt: Import - see Ag
Native	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Not regulated by FWP; Import - see Ag
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

BATS

Big-eared, Townsend's	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Brown, Big	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Brown, Little	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Fringed	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Hoary	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Long-eared	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Long-legged	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Northern	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Pallid	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Red, Eastern	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Silver-haired	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Small-footed, Western	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Spotted	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Yuma	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Microbats (microchiroptera)	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Banned under Health Code

BEARS

Black	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Need Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - limit 10 all species - must be tattooed; Import - Ag Permit
Grizzly	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Need Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - limit 10 all species - must be tattooed; Import - Ag Permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Need Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - limit 10 all species - must be tattooed; Import - Ag Permit

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BIRDS

Amazon (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Antpecker (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Aracari (<i>Ramphastidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Avadavet (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Avocet, American	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Babler (<i>Timaliidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Bananaquit (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Barbet (<i>Ramphastidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Bishop (<i>Ploceidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Bittern, American	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Bittern, Least	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Bluebill (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Brant	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Brolga	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Budgerigar (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Bufflehead	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Bullfinch (<i>Fringillidae, Emberizidae, Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit

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Bunting (<i>Emberizidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Canary (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Canvasback	No			No			No	
Caracara, Crested	No			No			No	
Cardinal (<i>Emberizidae, Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Coalcrest (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Cockatiel (<i>Cacatuidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Cockatoo (<i>Cacatuidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Conebill (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Coot, American	No			No			No	
Cordonbleu (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Corella (<i>Cacatuidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Cormorant, Double-crested	No			No			No	
Crane, Black-Crowned	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Black-necked	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Blue	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Little Brown	No			No			No	
Crane, Common	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	

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Crane, Demoiselle	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Crane, Grey Crowned	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Hooded	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Red-crowned	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Sandhill	No			No			No	
Crane, Sarus	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Siberian	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Wattled	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, White-naped	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Crane, Whooping	No			No			No	
Creeper (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Crossbill (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Cuckoo, Black-billed	No			No			No	
Cuckoo, Yellow-billed	No			No			No	
Cuckoo-finch (<i>Viduidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Dacnis (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Dove, Eurasian Collared	No			No			No	
Dove, Inca	No			No			No	
Dove, Mourning	No			No			No	

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Dove, White-winged	No			No			No	
Duck, American Black	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck, Harlequin	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck, Long-tailed	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck, Ring-necked	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck, Ruddy	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck, Tufted	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck, Wood	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Duck (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Eagle, Bald	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Eagle, Golden	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Egret, Cattle	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Egret, Great	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Egret, Snowy	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Eider	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Emu	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Falcon, Barbary	Yes	Yes	No	Yes			NA	Controlled species - Need Controlled Species Permit
Falcon, Peregrine	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Falcon, Prairie	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Falcon, Taita	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Fig-Parrot (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Finch (<i>Fringillidae, Estrildidae, Emberizidae, Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Firefinch (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Firetail (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit

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Flicker, Northern	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Flicker, Northern Red-shafted	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Flicker, Northern Yellow-shafted	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Flowerpincher (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Fody (<i>Ploceidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Gadwall	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Galah (<i>Cacatuidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Gallinule, Common	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Garganey	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goldeneye, Barrow's	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goldeneye, Common	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goldeneye (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Goldfinch (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Goose, Cackling	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goose, Canada	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goose, Greater White-fronted	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goose, Ross's	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goose, Snow	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Goose (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Goshawk, Northern	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Grassquit (<i>Emberizidae, Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Grebe, Clark's	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Grebe, Eared	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Grebe, Horned	No			No			No	Native - Protected

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Grebe, Pied-billed	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Grebe, Red-necked	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Grebe, Western	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Greenfinch (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Grenadier (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Grosbeak (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Grouse, Dusky	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Grouse, Ruffed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Grouse, Sharp-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Grouse, Spruce	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Gyrfalcon	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hanging-Parrot (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Harrier, Northern	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Broad-winged	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Cooper's	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Ferruginous	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Red-shouldered	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Red-tailed	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Rough-legged	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Sharp-shinned	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hawk, Swainson's	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Hemispingus (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Heron, Black-crowned Night-	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Heron, Great Blue	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Heron, Green	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Heron, Little Blue	No			No			No	Native - Protected

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Heron, Yellow-crowned Night-	No			No			No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Honeycreeper (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Hookbill (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Hummingbird, Anna's	No			No			No	
Hummingbird, Black-chinned	No			No			No	
Hummingbird, Broad-tailed	No			No			No	
Hummingbird, Calliope	No			No			No	
Hummingbird, Costa's	No			No			No	
Hummingbird, Ruby-throated	No			No			No	
Hummingbird, Rufous	No			No			No	
Ibis, Glossy	No			No			No	
Ibis, White-faced	No			No			No	
Indigobird (<i>Viduidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Junco (<i>Emberizidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Junglefowl (<i>Phasianae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Kestrel, American	No			No			No	
King-Parrot (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Kingfisher, Belted	No			No			No	
Kite, Mississippi	No			No			No	
Kite, White-tailed	No			No			No	
Loon, Common	No			No			No	
Loon, Pacific	No			No			No	
Loon, Red-throated	No			No			No	
Loon, Yellow-billed	No			No			No	

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Lorikeet (<i>Loriidae & Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	<p>This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.</p>
Lory (<i>Loriidae & Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Lovebird (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Macaw (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Malimbe (<i>Ploceidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Mallard	No			No			No	
Merganser, Common	No			No			No	
Merganser, Hooded	No			No			No	
Merganser, Red-breasted	No			No			No	
Merganser (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Merlin	No			No			No	
Munia (<i>Estrildidae & Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Myna (<i>Sturnidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Negrofinch (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Nighthawk, Common	No			No			No	
Oliveback (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Orangequit (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Osprey	No			No			No	
Ostrich	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Owl, Barn	No			No			No	

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Owl, Barred	No			No			No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Owl, Boreal	No			No			No	
Owl, Burrowing	No			No			No	
Owl, Eastern Screech-	No			No			No	
Owl, Flammulated	No			No			No	
Owl, Great Gray	No			No			No	
Owl, Great Horned	No			No			No	
Owl, Long-eared	No			No			No	
Owl, Northern Hawk	No			No			No	
Owl, Northern Pygmy-	No			No			No	
Owl, Northern Saw-whet	No			No			No	
Owl, Short-eared	No			No			No	
Owl, Snowy	No			No			No	
Owl, Western Screech-	No			No			No	
Pelican, American White	No			No			No	
Parakeet (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Parrot (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Parrotbill (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Parrotfinch (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Parrotlet (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Partridge, Chukar	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Partridge, Hungarian	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Partridge (rest) (<i>Phasianae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Peafowl (<i>Phasianae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit

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Pheasant, Ring-necked	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Pheasant (rest) (<i>Phasianae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Pigeon, Band-tailed	No			No			No	
Pigeon, Passenger	No			No			No	
Pigeon, Rock	No			No			No	
Pintail, Northern	No			No			No	
Plover, Piping	No			No			No	
Plushcap (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Poorwill, Common	No			No			No	
Prairie Chicken, Greater	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Ptarmigan, White-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Ptarmigan, Willow	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Pygmy-Parrot (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Pytilia (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Quail, California	No			No			NA	
Quail, Gambel's	No			No			NA	
Quail, Northern Bobwhite	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Quelea (<i>Ploceidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Rail, Buff-banded	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Rail, Giant Wood	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Rail, Virginia	No			No			No	
Rail, Yellow	No			No			No	
Raquet-tail (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	

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Redhead	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Redpoll (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Rhea	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Rosefinch (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Rosella (<i>Psittacidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Rosy-finch (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Sage-Grouse, Greater	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Upland Game - noncommercial license; Import - Ag permit
Saltater (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Sapsucker, Red-naped	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Sapsucker, Williamson's	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Sapsucker, Yellow-bellied	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Sawbill	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Scaup, Greater	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Scaup, Lesser	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Scoter, Black	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Scoter, Surf	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Scoter, White-winged	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Scoter (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Seed-finch (<i>Emberizidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Seedcracker (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Seedeater (<i>Fringillidae, Emberizidae, Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit

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Shearwater, Manx	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Shelduck (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Shoveler, Northern	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Shoveler (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Siskin (<i>Fringillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Smew	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Snipe, Wilson's	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Sora	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Sparrow (<i>Estrildidae & Emberizidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Starling (<i>Sturnidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Stilt, Black-necked	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Stork, Wood	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Swan, Mute	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Swan, Trumpeter	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Swan, Tundra	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Swan (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Swift, Black	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Swift, Chimney	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Swift, Vaux's	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Swift, White-throated	No			No			No	Native - Protected
Tanager (<i>Thraupidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Teal, Baikal	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected
Teal, Blue-winged	No			No			No	Migratory Game Bird - Protected

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Teal, Cinnamon	No			No			No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Teal, Green-winged	No			No			No	
Teal (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Tern, Least	No			No			No	
Tinkerbird (<i>Ramphastidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Toucan (<i>Ramphastidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Toucanet (<i>Ramphastidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Towhee (<i>Emberizidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Tragopan (<i>Phasianae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Turkey, Wild	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	
Vulture, Turkey	No			No			No	
Waterhen, White-breasted	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Waxbill (<i>Estrildidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Weaver (<i>Ploceidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Whip-poor-will, Eastern	No			No			No	
White-eye (<i>Zosteropidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Widowbird (<i>Ploceidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Wigeon, American	No			No			No	
Wigeon, Eurasian	No			No			No	

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Wigeon (exotic)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Woodpecker, American Three-toed	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Black-backed	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Downy	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Hairy	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Lewis's	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Pileated	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Red-bellied	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, Red-headed	No			No			No	
Woodpecker, White-headed	No			No			No	
Wydah (<i>Viduidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Yuhina (<i>Zosteropidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Native Shorebirds	No			No			No	
Native Songbirds	No			No			No	
Rest in above listed out families	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	

CANINES

Coyote	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Native Predator - must be tattooed including 50%+ hybrids; Import - Ag permit
Fox, Red	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Fox, Northern Swift	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Banned under Health Code
Fox (<i>Vulpes</i>) (rest)	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Fox (unlisted)	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Banned under Health Code
Wolf, Gray	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Native - must be tattooed including 50%+ hybrids; Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

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ELEPHANTS

All	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
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FELINES

Bobcat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Furbearing animal - no license required for pets - must be captive-born; Import - Ag permit
Cheetah	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - 10 total; Import - Ag Permit
Jaguar	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - 10 total; Import - Ag Permit
Jungle Cat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Leopard	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - 10 total; Import - Ag Permit
Lion	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - 10 total; Import - Ag Permit
Lynx, Canada	No			No			No	Furbearing animal/Threatened - Unclassified - Banned
Mountain Lion	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Game - Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - limit 10 all species - must be tattooed; Import - Ag permit
Ocelot	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - 10 total; Import - Ag Permit
Serval Cat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Savannah	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Legal due to serval being legal - Import - See Ag
Tiger	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - limit 10 all species - must be tattooed; Import - Ag permit
Large Cats & hybrids (Unlisted)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Wild Animal Menagerie Permit - 10 total; Import - Ag Permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

FISH

Bass, Largemouth	No			No			No	Exotic game - Unclassified - Banned
Bass, Rock	No			No			No	Exotic game - Unclassified - Banned
Bass, Smallmouth	No			No			No	Exotic game - Unclassified - Banned
Bass, White	No			No			No	Exotic game - Unclassified - Banned
Bluegill	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned

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Buffalo, Bigmouth	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Buffalo, Smallmouth	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Bullhead, Black	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Bullhead, Yellow	No			No			No	
Burbot	No			No			No	
Carp, Bighead	No			No			NA	
Carp, Black	No			No			NA	
Carp, Common	No			No			No	
Carp, Grass	No			No			NA	
Carp, Silver	No			No			NA	
Carsucker, River	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Catfish, Channel	No			No			No	
Catfish, Walking	No			No			NA	
Chub, Creek	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Chub, Flathead	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Chub, Lake	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Chub, Sicklefins	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Chub, Sturgeon	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Chub, Utah	No			No			No	
Cisco	No			No			No	
Crappie, Black	No			No			No	
Crappie, White	No			No			No	
Dace, Longnose	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Dace, Northern Pearl	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Dace, Northern Redbelly	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Dace, Northern Redbelly x Finscale	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	

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Darter, Iowa	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Drum, Freshwater	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Gar, Shortnose	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Goby, Round	No			No			NA	
Goldeneye	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Goldfish	Yes	No	Yes*	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Grayling, Arctic	No			No			No	
Killifish, Northern Plains	No			No			No	
Koi	Yes	No	Yes*	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Minnow, Brassy	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Minnow, Fathead	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Minnow, Plains	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Minnow, Western Silvery	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Molly, Sailfin	No			No			No	
Molly, Shortfin	No			No			No	
Mosquitofish, Western	No			No			No	
Mudminnow, Central	No			No			No	
Muskellunge, Tiger	No			No			No	
Paddlefish	No			No			No	
Peamouth	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Perch, White	No			No			NA	
Perch, Yellow	No			No			No	
Pike, Northern	No			No			No	
Pikeminnow, Northern	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Platyfish, Variable	No			No			No	
Pumpkinseed	No			No			No	
Redhorse, Shorthead	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	

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Ruffe, Eurasian	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Salmon, Chinook	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Salmon, Coho	No			No			NA	Controlled species - commercial only
Salmon, Kokanee	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Sauger	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Sculpin, Cedar	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sculpin, Columbia Slimy	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sculpin, Deepwater	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Species of Concern - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sculpin, Rocky Mountain	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sculpin, Spoonhead	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Species of Concern - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sculpin, Torrent	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Species of Concern - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Shiner, Emerald	Yes	No	No	No			No	Bait - Bans import w/o special approval
Shiner, Golden	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Shiner, Red	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Shiner, Redside	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Shiner, Sand	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Shiner, Spot-tail	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Smelt, Rainbow	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Snakehead	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Stickleback, Brook	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Stonecat	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sturgeon, Pallid	No			No			No	Endangered species
Sturgeon, Shovelnose	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Sturgeon, White	No			No			No	Endangered species
Sucker, Blue	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Species of Concern - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sucker, Largescale	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Native - see fishing for legality; Import - FWP Import permit
Sucker, Longnose	Yes	No	No	No			No	Bait - Bans import w/o special approval - see fishing

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Sucker, Mountain	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Sucker, White	Yes	No	No	No			No	
Sunfish, Green	No			No			No	
Swordtail, Green	No			No			No	
Tench	No			No			No	
Tilapia	No			No			NA	
Trout, Brook	No			No			No	
Trout, Brown	No			No			No	
Trout, Bull	No			No			No	
Trout, California Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Trout, Columbia River Redband	No			No			No	
Trout, Lake	No			No			No	
Trout, Rainbow	No			No			No	
Trout, Westslope Cutthroat	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Trout, Yellowstone Cutthroat	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Trout-perch	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	
Walleye	No			No			No	
Whitefish, Lake	No			No			No	
Whitefish, Mountain	No			No			No	
Whitefish, Pygmy	No			No			No	
Zander	No			No			NA	
Tropical, Subtropical, Marine (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Native (rest)	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Unlisted	No			No			NA	

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Caecilian (<i>Caeciliidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Caecilian, Beaked (<i>Rhinatreumatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Caecilian, Fish (<i>Ichthyophiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Caecilian, Indian (<i>Uraeotyphlidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Caecilian, Tropical (<i>Scolecophoridae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Crocodylians

Alligator	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Caiman	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Crocodile (true)	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Gharial, False	No			No			NA	Prohibited species

Frogs

Brush (<i>Hyperoliidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Bullfrog, American	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Chorus, Boreal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Clawed, African	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Clawed, Eritrea	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Glass (<i>Centrolenidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Leopard, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Narrow-mouthed (<i>Microhylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Parsley, Caucasian	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Parsley, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Parsley, Iberian	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Poison Dart (<i>Dendrobatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Sedge (<i>Hyperoliidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Shrub (<i>Rhacophoridae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Southern (<i>Leptodactylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Spotted, Columbia	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Tailed, Rocky Mountain	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Treefrog, Pacific	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Treefrog (rest) (<i>Atelopodidae</i> & <i>Hylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
True Frogs (rest) (<i>Ranidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Volcano, Cameroon	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Lizards

Venomous	No			No			NA	Unlisted - prohibited by default
Alligator, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Alligator (rest) (<i>Anguidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Anole, Bush (<i>Polychrotidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Basilisk (<i>Corytophanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Beaded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Blind (<i>Dibamidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Brush (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Caiman (<i>Teiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Chameleon	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Chuckwalla (<i>Iguanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Collared (<i>Crotaphytidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Crag (<i>Cordylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Dragon (<i>Agamidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Earless (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Fence, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Flat (<i>Cordylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Fringe-toed (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Galliwasp (<i>Anguidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Gecko (<i>Eublepharidae</i> / <i>Gekkonidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Gila Monster	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Girdled (<i>Cordylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit

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Glass (<i>Anguillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Grass (<i>Cordylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Ground, Neotropical (<i>Tropiduridae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Horned (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Iguana (<i>Iguanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Iguana, Casquehead (<i>Corytophanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Iguana, Helmeted (<i>Corytophanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Jungle-runner (<i>Teiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Knob-scaled (<i>Xenosauridae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Komodo Dragon (<i>Varanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Legless, American (<i>Anniellidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Leopard (<i>Crotaphytidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Limbless (<i>Anelytropsidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Monitor, Earless	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Monitor, False (<i>Teiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Monitor (<i>Varanidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Night (<i>Xantusiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Rock (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Sagebrush, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Short-horned, Greater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Short-horned, Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Side-blotched (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Skink, African Snake	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Skink, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Skink (rest) (<i>Scincidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Slowworm (<i>Anguillidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Snake (<i>Pygopodidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Spiny (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Tegu (<i>Teiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Tree (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	

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Wall (<i>Lacertidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Whiptail (<i>Teiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Worm (<i>Amphisbaenidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Zebra-tailed (<i>Phrynosomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	

Salamanders

Amphiuma	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Asiatic (<i>Hynobiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Coeur d'Alene	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Giant, California	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Giant, Chinese	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Giant, Coastal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Giant, Cope's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Giant, Idaho	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Giant, Japanese	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Hellbender	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Long-toed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Lungless (<i>Plethodontidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Mole (<i>Ambystomatidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Mudpuppy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Newt, Rough-skinned	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Newt (rest) (<i>Salamandridae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Siren	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Tiger, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
True (<i>Salamandridae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Snakes

Anaconda, Green	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
<i>Atractaspidae</i> (Burrowing asps)	No			No			NA	Prohibited species

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Blind (<i>Typhlopidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Blind, Primitive (<i>Anomalepididae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Boa, Dwarf (all) (<i>Tropidophiidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Boa, Eyelash	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Boa, Northern Rubber	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Boa, Round Island Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Boa (rest) (<i>Boidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Boomslang	No			No			NA	
<i>Colubridae</i> (nonvenomous)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
<i>Colubridae</i> (rest)	No			No			NA	
Coral, False	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
<i>Elapidae</i>	No			No			NA	
Filesnake (<i>Acrochordidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Gartersnake, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Gartersnake, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Gartersnake, Terrestrial	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Gophersnake	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Green, Smooth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Hognosed, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Milksnake, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Python, African Rock	No			No			NA	
Python, Amethystine	No			No			NA	
Python, Indian (Burmese)	No			No			NA	
Python, Reticulated	No			No			NA	
Python (rest) (<i>Pythonidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Racer, North American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Rattlesnake, Prairie	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shieldtail (<i>Uropeltidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Sunbeam (<i>Xenopeltidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Threadsnake (<i>Leptotyphlopidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
<i>Viperidae</i> (exotic)	No			No			NA	

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Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Toads

Burrowing, Mexican	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Great Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Narrow-mouthed (<i>Microhylidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Spadefoot, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Spadefoot, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Spadefoot, Moraccan	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Spadefoot, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Spadefoot, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
True (all) (<i>Bufo</i> spp.)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Woodhouse's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Tortoises

All (<i>Testudinidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
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Turtles

Big-headed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Blanding's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Bog	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Box (<i>Emydidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Chicken	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Cooter	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Map	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Mud	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Musk	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Pig-nosed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt; Import Ag Permit
Painted, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Painted (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Pond, European	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Pond, Sicilian	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Pond, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
River, Central American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Side-necked (<i>Chelidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Side-necked, African	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Slider, Pond	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Slider, Red-eared	No			No			NA	
Snapping, Alligator	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Snapping, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Softshell, Spiny	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Softshell (rest) (<i>Trionychidae</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Terrapin, Diamondback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Wood	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	

Other

Unlisted	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
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INSECTS

Endangered	No			No			No	Prohibited
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Legal

INSECTIVORA/EULIPOTYPHLA (Gymnore, Hedgehog, Mole, Moonrat, Shrew)

Hedgehog, African Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Shrew, Arctic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Shrew, Dusky	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Shrew, Dwarf	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Hayden's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Masked	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Merriam's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Northern Short-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Preble's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Vagrant	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Shrew, Water	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

INVERTEBRATES (Rest)

Clam

Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
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Crabs

Hermit, Terrestrial	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Noncontrolled species - FWP permit exempt: Import - see Ag
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Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
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Calico	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Native - take; Import - see Ag
Pilose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Native - take; Import - see Ag
Red Swamp	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Rusty	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Signal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Native - take
Virile	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
Mussels								
Quagga	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Zebra	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Native (Unlisted)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Take w/o permit & only in Eastern District; Import - See Ag
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
Shrimp								
White, Pacific	No			No			NA	Controlled species - commercial only
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
Snails								
Mudsnail, New Zealand	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
Other								
Exotic (all)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
MARINE MAMMALS (Dolphin, Dugong, Manatee, Porpoise, Sea Lion, Seal, Walrus, Whale)								
All	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
MARSUPIALS								
Opossum, Short-tailed	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Opossum, Virginia	No			No			NA	Prohibited species

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Possum, Brushed-tailed	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Sugar Glider	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Wallaby, Bennets	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Wallaby, Tammar	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Walleroo	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Controlled species - Import/Possess Controlled Species Permit; Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

MUSTELIDS

Badger	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Ferret, Black-footed	No			No			No	Endangered species
Ferret, Eurasian	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic animal - Import - Ag permit
Fisher	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Marten	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Mink, American	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Otter, North American River	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Weasel, Least (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Native Predator - Legal - Import Ag Permit
Weasel, Least (wild)	No			No			No	Native Predator - Unclassified - Banned
Weasel, Long-tailed (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Native Predator - Legal - Import Ag Permit
Weasel, Long-tailed (wild)	No			No			No	Native Predator - Unclassified - Banned
Weasel, Short-tailed (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Native Predator - Legal - Import Ag Permit
Weasel, Short-tailed (wild)	No			No			No	Native Predator - Unclassified - Banned
Wolverine	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

PRIMATES

Bonobo	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
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Capuchin	No			No			NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.	
Chimpanzee	No			No			NA		
Gibbon	No			No			NA		
Gorilla	No			No			NA		
Marmoset	No			No			NA		
Monkey, Howler	No			No			NA		
Monkey, Night	No			No			NA		
Monkey, Owl	No			No			NA		
Monkey, Spider	No			No			NA		
Monkey, Squirrel	No			No			NA		
Monkey, Wooly	No			No			NA		
Muriqui	No			No			NA		
Orangutan	No			No			NA		
Saki	No			No			NA		
Tamarin	No			No			NA		
Titi	No			No			NA		
Uakari	No			No			NA		
<u>Old World Monkeys (all) including:</u>									
Baboon	No			No			NA		Prohibited species
Colobus	No			No			NA		Prohibited species
Douc	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Drill	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Grivet	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Guenon (<i>Cercopithecus</i>)	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Langur	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Lutung	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Macaque	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Malbrouck	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Mandrill	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	
Mangabey	No			No			NA	Prohibited species	

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Monkey, Green	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Monkey, Leaf	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Monkey, Patas	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Monkey, Proboscis	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Monkey, Snub-nosed	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Monkey, Swamp	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Monkey, Tantalus	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Surili	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Talapoin	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Vervet	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
PROCYONIDS								
Kinkajou	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Raccoon	No			No			No	Native - Banned under Health Code
Raccoon, Cozumel	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Raccoon, Crab-eating	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
RODENTS								
Beaver	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Chipmunk, Least	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Chipmunk, Red-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Chipmunk, Uinta	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Chipmunk, Yellow-Pine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Degu	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Noncontrolled species - no FWP permit required; Import - Ag permit
Gopher, Idaho Pocket	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Gopher, Northern Pocket	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Kangaroo Rat, Ord's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Lemming, Northern Bog	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Marmot, Hoary	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Marmot, Yellow-bellied	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, Columbia Plateau Pocket	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, Deer	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, Hispid Pocket	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, House (wild)	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Mouse, Meadow Jumping	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, Multimammate (rat)	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Mouse, Northern Grasshopper	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, Olive-backed Pocket	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Mouse, Western Harvest	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Mouse, Western Jumping	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Mouse, White-footed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Muskrat	No			No			No	Furbearing animal - Unclassified - Banned
Nutria	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Porcupine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Prairie Dog, Black-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Prairie Dog, White-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Rat, Norway (wild)	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Squirrel, Columbian Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Eastern Fox	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Eastern Gray	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Squirrel, Golden-mantled Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Northern Flying	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Red	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Richardson's Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Southern Flying	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Squirrel, Thirteen-lined Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Squirrel, Uinta Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Squirrel, Wyoming	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Vole, Heather	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Long-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Meadow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Montane	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Prairie	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Sagebrush	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Southern Red-backed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Vole, Water	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Woodrat, Bushy-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Domestic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic animals - Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

UNGULATES

Artiodactyla

Bovidae (Wild cattle, goats, sheep)

Addax	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Antelope, Pronghorn	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Antelope, Pronghorn (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Bison, American (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Bison, American (wild)	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned

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Caribou	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Cattle (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Chamois	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Gemsbok	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Goat (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Goat, Mountain (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Goat, Mountain (wild)	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Ibex, Alpine	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Ibex, Nubian	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Ibex, Siberian	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Ibex, Spanish	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Ibex, Walia	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Markhor	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Moose	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Musk Ox	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Oryx, Arabian	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Oryx, East African	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Oryx, Scimitar	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Reedbuck, Bohor	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Reedbuck, Mountain	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Reedbuck, Southern	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Sheep (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Sheep, Argali	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Sheep, Barbary	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Sheep, Bighorn (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Sheep, Bighorn (wild)	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Sheep, Mouflon	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Sheep, Transcaspien Urial	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Tahr	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Tur, East Caucasian	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Tur, West Caucasian	No			No			NA	Prohibited species

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Yak	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Cervid (Deer family)

Caribou (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Deer, Axis	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Deer, Mule (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Deer, Mule (wild)	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Deer, Red	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Deer, Roe	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Deer, Rusa	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Deer, Sambar	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Deer, Sika	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Deer, White-tailed (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Deer, White-tailed (wild)	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Elk (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Elk (wild)	No			No			No	Game - Unclassified - Banned
Moose (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Reindeer (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Alternative Livestock - Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Suidae (Wild pigs)

Swine (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited species

Others

Alpaca	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Camel (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Guanaco	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Llama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Peccary, Collared	No			No			NA	Prohibited species

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Vicuna	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

Perissodactyla

Ass (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Horse (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Horse, Feral	No			No			No	Exotic introduced - Unclassified - banned
Mule (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Domestic Livestock - not regulated by FWP; Import - Ag permit
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

VIVERRIDS

Genet, Small spotted	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default

XENARTHRA/EDENTATA (Anteater, Armadillo, Sloth)

All	No			No			NA	Unclassified - Prohibited by default
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OTHER MAMMALS

Aardwolf	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Cottontail, Desert	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Cottontail, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Cottontail, Mountain	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Hare, Snowshoe	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit
Hyena	No			No			NA	Prohibited species
Jack Rabbit, Black-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame -Take/Possess - no known FWP laws; Import - Ag permit

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Pika	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Rabbit, Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	
Skunk, Spotted	No			No			NA	
Skunk, Striped	No			No			No	
Skunk, Western Spotted	No			No			No	
Skunk (Unlisted)	No			No			No	
Sloth, Two-toed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	
Exotic (Unlisted)	No			No			NA	

SUMMARY: For native species, upland game birds require a noncommercial permit. Game fish are banned. Unprotected fish are legal but live fish are banned in various waters. Bobcats, coyotes and wolves are legal. Other furbearers are banned. Nongame (including herp) are often legal. Cougars and black bears need menagerie permit.

For exotic species, there are many noncontrolled species legal as pets without possession permits, including many popular birds and herp, most tropical/subtropical fish, and some mammals like wallabies, rodents, and exotic cats. Some cranes, falcons, and exotic waterfowl and wallaroos are controlled and legal with a permit. Domestic species are also legal. Large exotic cats and bears require menagerie permit. All other nondomestic species are either prohibited or prohibited by default.

Sources:

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| 1 Exotic Wildlife | MT Code Ann. 87-5-7; Admin. Rules of MT 12.6.22 |
| 2 Tattooing | Admin. Rules of MT 12.6.1901 - 12.6.1905 |
| 3 Wild Animal Menagerie | MT Code Ann. 87-4-8 |
| 4 Bat, fox, raccoon, skunk | MT Code Ann. 50-23-1 |
| 5 Furbearing animals | MT Code Ann. 87-4-10; Admin. Rules of MT 12.6.17 |

DISCLAIMERS:

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* The laws listed above lists whether a species to legal to possess and import according to state laws and then any federally protected species with stricter regulations than the state. **Be sure to review all federal laws** as some ban certain species as pets or make it legal to possess a species but bans their interstate import in commerce or purchasing across state lines (you can still move with your animals across state lines).

*For states that do allow keeping wild-caught native species as pets, it is usually limited to game birds, game animals, furbearers, reptiles, amphibians and invertebrates. Such taking usually requires some type of hunting or fishing license **in addition to any required captive wildlife permits**. All laws must be followed, including daily bag and possession limits, seasons, size limits and location specific regulations.

* These guides are usually based on state fish & game laws, state agriculture and health import laws, and marine resource laws except when otherwise noted. Check laws for all requirements. Additional state laws may apply, including general animal control and care, livestock, and other health laws.

* Species lists vary on each state page depending on each state's law. While we try to include as many native vertebrate species as possible, we cannot guarantee that all species are covered above.