

PENNSYLVANIA LEGAL PET GUIDE



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ARACHNID, CENTIPEDE, MILLIPEDE

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No known PGC or F & B laws; Import - See Ag
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BATS

Brown, Big	No			No		No	Protected Native
Brown, Little	No			No		No	Protected Native
Evening	No			No		No	Protected Native
Hoary	No			No		No	Protected Native
Indiana	No			No		No	Endangered
Long-eared, Northern	No			No		No	Protected Native
Red	No			No		No	Protected Native
Seminole	No			No		No	Protected Native
Silver-haired	No			No		No	Protected Native
Small-footed	No			No		No	Threatened
Tri-colored	No			No		No	Protected Native
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

BEARS

Black	No			No		No	Big Game - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets

BIRDS

Anhinga	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Avocet, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bittern, American	No			No		No	Endangered
Bittern, Least	No			No		No	Endangered
Blackbird, Brewer's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Blackbird, Red-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Blackbird, Rusty	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Blackbird, Yellow-headed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bluebird, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bluebird, Mountain	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bobolink	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Brambling	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Brant	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Bufflehead	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Bunting, Indigo	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bunting, Lark	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bunting, Lazuli	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bunting, Painted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Bunting, Snow	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Canvasback	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Cardinal, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Catbird, Gray	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Chat, Yellow-breasted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Chickadee, Black-capped	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Chickadee, Boreal	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Chickadee, Carolina	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Chuck-will's-widow	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Coot, American	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Cormorant, Double-crested	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Cormorant, Great	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Cowbird, Brown-headed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Crane, Sandhill	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Creepers, Brown	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Crossbill, Red	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Crossbill, White-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Crow, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Crow, Fish	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Cuckoo, Black-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Cuckoo, Yellow-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Curlew, Long-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Dickcissel	No			No		No	Endangered
Dove, Common Ground	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Dove, Eurasian Collared-	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Dove, Mourning	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Dove, White-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Dovekie	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Dowitcher, Long-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Dowitcher, Short-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Duck, American Black	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Black-bellied Whistling-	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Harlequin	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Long-tailed	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Masked	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Ring-necked	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Ruddy	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Tufted	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Duck, Wood	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Dunlin	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Eagle, Bald	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Eagle, Golden	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Egret, Cattle	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Egret, Great	No			No		No	Endangered
Egret, Snowy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Eider, Common	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Eider, King	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Falcon, Peregrine	No			No		No	Endangered
Finch, House	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Finch, Purple	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flicker, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Acadean	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Alder	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Flycatcher, Ash-throated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Fork-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Gray-crested	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Hammond's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Least	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Olive-sided	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Pacific-slope	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Scissor-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Vermilion	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Willow	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Flycatcher, Yellow-bellied	No			No		No	Endangered
Frigatebird, Magnificent	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Fulmar, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gadwall	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Gallinule, Purple	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Gannet, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gnatcatcher, Blue-gray	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Godwit, Hudsonian	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Godwit, Marbled	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Goldeneye, Barrow's	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goldeneye, Common	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goldfinch, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Goose, Barnacle	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goose, Cackling	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goose, Canada	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goose, Greater White-fronted	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goose, Pink-footed	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goose, Ross's	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goose, Snow	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Goshawk, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grackle, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grebe, Eared	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Grebe, Horned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grebe, Pied-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grebe, Red-necked	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grebe, Western	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grosbeak, Black-headed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grosbeak, Blue	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grosbeak, Evening	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grosbeak, Pine	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grosbeak, Rose-breasted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Grouse, Ruffed	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Guillemot, Black	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Black-headed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Bonaparte's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, California	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Franklin's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Glaucous	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Greater Black-backed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Herring	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Iceland	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Laughing	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Lesser Black-backed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Little	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Mew	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Ring-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Ross's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Sabine's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Slaty Black-backed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gull, Thayer's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Gyrfalcon	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Harrier, Northern	No			No		No	Threatened
Hawk, Broad-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hawk, Cooper's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Hawk, Red-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hawk, Rough-legged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hawk, Sharp-shinned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hawk, Swainson's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Heron, Black-crowned Night-	No			No		No	Endangered
Heron, Great Blue	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Heron, Green	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Heron, Little Blue	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Heron, Tricolored	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Heron, Yellow-crowned Night-	No			No		No	Endangered
Hummingbird, Allen's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hummingbird, Calliope	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hummingbird, Ruby-throated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Hummingbird, Rufous	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Ibis, Glossy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Ibis, White	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Jaeger, Long-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Jaeger, Parasitic	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Jaeger, Pomerine	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Jay, Blue	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Junco, Dark-eyed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kestrel, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Killdeer	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kingbird, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kingbird, Gray	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kingbird, Western	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kingfisher, Belted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kinglet, Golden-crowned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kinglet, Ruby-crowned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kite, Mississippi	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Kite, Swallow-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Kittiwake, Black-legged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Knot, Red	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Lark, Horned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Longspur, Lapland	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Loon, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Loon, Pacific	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Loon, Red-throated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Loon, Yellow-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Mallard	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Martin, Purple	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Meadowlark, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Meadowlark, Western	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Merganser, Common	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Merganser, Hooded	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Merganser, Red-breasted	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Merlin	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Mockingbird, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Moorhen, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Murre, Thick-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Murrelet, Ancient	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Murrelet, Long-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Nighthawk, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Nuthatch, Red-breasted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Nuthatch, White-breasted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Oriole, Baltimore	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Oriole, Bullock's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Oriole, Orchard	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Oriole, Scott's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Osprey	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Ovenbird	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Barn	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Barred	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Owl, Boreal	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Eastern Screech-	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Great Gray	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Great Horned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Long-eared	No			No		No	Threatened
Owl, Northern Hawk	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Northern Saw-whet	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Owl, Short-eared	No			No		No	Endangered
Owl, Snowy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Oystercatcher, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Parakeet, Monk	No			No		No	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Partridge, Hungarian	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Parula, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Pelican, American White	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Pelican, Brown	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Petrel, Black-capped	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Phalarope, Red	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Phalarope, Red-necked	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Phalarope, Wilson's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Pheasant, Ring-necked	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Phoebe, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Phoebe, Say's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Pigeon, Band-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Pigeon, Rock	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Unprotected
Pintail, Northern	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Pipet, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Plover, American Golden-	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Plover, Black-bellied	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Plover, Piping	No			No		No	Endangered
Plover, Semipalmated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Plover, Snowy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Plover, Wilson's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Quail, Northern Bobwhite	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rail, Black	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rail, Clapper	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rail, King	No			No		No	Endangered
Rail, Spotted	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rail, Virginia	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rail, Yellow	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Raven, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Redhead	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Redpoll, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Redpoll, Hoary	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Redstart, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Redwing	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Robin, American	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Ruff	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sanderling	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Baird's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Buff-breasted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Curlew	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Least	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Pectoral	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Purple	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Semipalmated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Solitary	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Spotted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Stilt	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, Upland	No			No		No	Endangered
Sandpiper, Western	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sandpiper, White-rumped	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sapsucker, Yellow-bellied	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Scaup, Greater	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Scaup, Lesser	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality

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Scoter, Surf	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Scoter, White-winged	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Shearwater, Cory's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Shearwater, Great	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Shoveler, Northern	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Shrike, Loggerhead	No			No		No	Endangered
Shrike, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Siskin, Pine	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Skimmer, Black	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Snipe, Wilson's	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Solitaire, Townsend's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sora	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Sparrow, American Tree	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Chipping	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Clay-colored	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Field	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Fox	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Golden-crowned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Grasshopper	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Harris's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Henslow's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, House	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Unprotected
Sparrow, Lark	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Le Conte's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Lincoln's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Nelson's Sharp-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Saltmarsh Sharp-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Savannah	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Seaside	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Song	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, Swamp	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Sparrow, Vesper	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, White-crowned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Sparrow, White-throated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Spoonbill, Roseate	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Starling, European	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Unprotected
Stilt, Black-necked	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Stork, Wood	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Storm-Petrel, Band-rumped	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Storm-Petrel, Leach's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Surfbird	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swallow, Bank	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swallow, Barn	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swallow, Cave	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swallow, Cliff	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swallow, Northern Rough-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swallow, Tree	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Swan, Mute	No			No		No	Prohibited
Swan, Trumpeter	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Swan, Tundra	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Swift, Chimney	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tanager, Scarlet	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tanager, Summer	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tanager, Western	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Teal, Blue-winged	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Teal, Cinnamon	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Teal, Green-winged	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Tern, Arctic	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tern, Black	No			No		No	Endangered
Tern, Caspian	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tern, Common	No			No		No	Endangered
Tern, Forster's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tern, Gull-billed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Tern, Least	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tern, Roseate	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tern, Royal	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tern, Sooty	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrasher, Brown	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrush, Bichnell's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrush, Gray-cheeked	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrush, Hermit	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrush, Swainson's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrush, Varied	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Thrush, Wood	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Titmouse, Tufted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Towhee, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Towhee, Green-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Towhee, Spotted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Tropicbird, White-tailed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Turkey, Wild	~			~		No	Big Game - See PGC for legality
Turnstone, Ruddy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Veery	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vireo, Blue-headed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vireo, Philadelphia	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vireo, Red-eyed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vireo, Warbling	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vireo, White-eyed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vireo, Yellow-throated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vulture, Black	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Vulture, Turkey	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Bay-breasted	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Black-and-white	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Black-throated Blue	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Black-throated Gray	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Black-throated Green	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Warbler, Blackburnian	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Blackpoll	No			No		No	Endangered
Warbler, Blue-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Canada	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Cape May	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Cerulean	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Chestnut-sided	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Connecticut	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Golden-winged	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Hooded	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Kentucky	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Kirtland's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, MacGillivray's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Magnolia	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Mourning	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Nashville	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Orange-crowned	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Palm	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Pine	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Prairie	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Prothonotary	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Swainson's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Tennessee	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Townsend's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Wilson's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Worm-eating	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Yellow	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Yellow-rumped	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Warbler, Yellow-throated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Waterthrush, Louisiana	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Waterthrush, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Waxwing, Bohemian	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected

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Waxwing, Cedar	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wheatear, Northern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Whimbrel	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Whip-poor-will, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wigeon, American	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Wigeon, Eurasian	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Willet	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wood-Pewee, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodcock, American	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Woodpecker, Black-backed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodpecker, Downy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodpecker, Hairy	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodpecker, Lewis's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodpecker, Pileated	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodpecker, Red-bellied	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Woodpecker, Red-headed	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wren, Bewick's	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wren, Carolina	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wren, House	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wren, Marsh	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Wren, Sedge	No			No		No	Endangered
Wren, Winter	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Yellowlegs, Greater	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Yellowlegs, Lesser	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
Yellowthroat, Common	No			No		No	Nongame - Protected
MBTA	No			No		No	Protected birds
Poultry	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

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CANINES

Coyote	No			No		No	Furbearer - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Dog (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Small Domestic
Fox, Gray	No			No		No	Furbearer - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Fox, Red	No			No		No	Furbearer - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Wolf, Gray (& hybrid)	No			No		No	Native - Prohibited
Domestic Hybrid	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	NA	Need Exotic wildlife Possession Permit; Importation Permit
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	NA	Need Exotic wildlife Possession Permit; Importation Permit

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US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

FELINES

Bobcat	No			No		No	Furbearer - No pets
Cat (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Small Domestic
Domestic Hybrid	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	NA	Need Exotic wildlife Possession Permit; Importation Permit
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	NA	Need Exotic wildlife Possession Permit; Importation Permit

FISH

Alewife	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Bass, Largemouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Bass, Rock	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Bass, Smallmouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Bass, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Bass, Striped	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag

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Bass, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Bluegill	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Buffalo, Bigmouth	No			No		No	Endangered
Bullhead, Black	No			No		No	Endangered
Bullhead, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Bullhead, Yellow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Burbot	No			No		No	Endangered; VHS-Susceptible
Bowfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Carp, Bighead	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Carp, Black	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Carp, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Carp, Grass	No			No		NA	Prohibited species
Carp, Grass - Triploid	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Legal - Special Permit
Carp, Silver	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Catfish, Channel	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Catfish, Flathead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Catfish, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Chub, Creek	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Over 8" = Game; <8" = Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Allows breeding
Chub, Gravel	No			No		No	Endangered
Chub, Hornyhead	No			No		No	Endangered
Chub, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Over 8" = Game; <8" = Baitfish - Take - see fishing
Cisco	No			No		No	Endangered; VHS-Susceptible
Cod, Atlantic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Cod, Pacific	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Comet	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Crappie, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Crappie, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Dace, Blacknose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Dace, Longnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Dace, Northern Redbelly	No			No		No	Endangered
Dace, Pearl	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Dace, Southern Redbelly	No			No		No	Threatened

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Darter, Banded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Darter, Bluebreast	No			No		No	Threatened
Darter, Eastern Sand	No			No		No	Endangered
Darter, Gilt	No			No		No	Threatened
Darter, Greenside	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Darter, Iowa	No			No		No	Endangered
Darter, Johnny	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Darter, Longhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Darter, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Darter, Spotted	No			No		No	Threatened
Darter, Tessellated	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Darter, Tippecanoe	No			No		No	Threatened
Drum, Freshwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Eel, American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Fallfish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Flounder, Japanese	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Gar, Longnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Gar, Spotted	No			No		No	Endangered
Goby, Round	No			No		NA	Injurious species; VHS-Susceptible
Goby, Tubenose	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Goldfish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Grayling	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Haddock	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Herring, Blueback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Herring, Skipjack	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Hogsucker, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Killifish, Banded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Koi	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Lamprey, Least Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Candidate Species - Take - See fishing; Import - See Ag
Lamprey, Northern Brook	No			No		No	Endangered
Lamprey, Ohio	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Lamprey, Sea	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag

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Logperch, Chesapeake	No			No		No	Threatened
Madtom, Brindled	No			No		No	Threatened
Madtom, Margined	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Madtom, Mountain	No			No		No	Endangered
Madtom, Northern	No			No		No	Endangered
Madtom, Tadpole	No			No		No	Endangered
Minnow, Bluntnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Minnow, Cutlips	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Minnow, Fathead	Yes	No	No	Yes			Allows breeding
Mudminnow, Central	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Mudminnow, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Mummichog	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Muskellunge	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Muskellunge, Tiger	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Paddlefish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Perch, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Perch, Yellow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Pickerel, Chain	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Pickerel, Grass	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Pickerel, Redfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Pike, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Pumpkinseed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Quillback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Redhorse, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Redhorse, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Redhorse, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Redhorse, Shorthead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Redhorse, Silver	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Redhorse (Native)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Rockling	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Rudd, European	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Ruffe	No			No		NA	Injurious species

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Salmon, Atlantic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Salmon, Chinook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Salmon, Coho	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Salmon, Chum	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Salmon, Pink	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Sauger	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Saugeye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Scuplin, Blue Ridge	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Scuplin, Deepwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Scuplin, Mottled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Scuplin, Potomac	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Sculpin, Slimy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Sculpin, Spoonhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Shad, American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Shad, Gizzard	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; VHS-Susceptible; Import - See Ag
Shad, Hickory	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, Bigmouth	No			No		No	Threatened
Shiner, Blackchin	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, Bridle	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, Comely	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Emerald	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Shiner, Ghost	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Ironcolor	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, Mimic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Redfin	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, River	No			No		No	Endangered
Shiner, Rosyface	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Sand	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Satinfan	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Silver	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag

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Shiner, Spotfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Spottail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Striped	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Shiner, Swallowtail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Smelt, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Snakehead	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Sprat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Stickleback, Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Candidate Species - Take - See fishing; Import - See Ag
Stickleback, Fourspine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Stickleback, Threespine	No			No		No	Endangered
Steelhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Stonecat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Stoneroller, Central	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Import - See Ag
Sturgeon, Atlantic	No			No		No	Endangered
Sturgeon, Lake	No			No		No	Endangered
Sturgeon, Shortnose	No			No		No	Endangered
Sucker, Longnose	No			No		No	Endangered
Sucker, Redhorse	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Sucker, Spotted	No			No		No	Threatened
Sucker, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Baitfish - Take - see fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Sunfish, Banded	No			No		No	Endangered
Sunfish, Blackbanded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Sunfish, Bluespotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Sunfish, Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Sunfish, Longear	No			No		No	Endangered
Sunfish, Mud	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Sunfish, Redbreast	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Sunfish, Redear	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Tautog	No			No		NA	Bans import & purchase
Trout, Albino	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Trout, Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Trout, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag

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Trout, Golden Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Trout, Lake	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Import - See Ag
Trout, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Trout, Tiger	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	Allows breeding; Import - See Ag
Turbot	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Walleye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Take: See fishing; Allows breeding; VHS-Susceptible; See Ag
Warmouth	No			No		No	Endangered
Weakfish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Import - must be 13"
Whitefish (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	~	VHS-Susceptible - Import - See Ag
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

***NOTE:** Under the Department of Agriculture VHS Quarantine Order, VHS-susceptible species including those listed above from the Lake Erie and Lake Ontario watersheds or the Great Lake states must have special testing.

HERPTILES

Caecilians

All	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
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Crocodilians

All	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
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Frogs

Bullfrog	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day 10 total bullfrog & green & possess 20; Bans import
Chorus, Mountain	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Chorus, New Jersey	No			No		No	Endangered
Chorus, Upland	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Chorus, Western	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Cricket, Northern	No			No		No	Endangered
Green, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day 10 total bullfrog & green & possess 20; Bans import
Leopard, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Leopard, Southern	No			No		No	Endangered
Pickerel	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import

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Spring Peeper	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Treefrog, Eastern Gray	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Wood	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

Lizards

Fence, Eastern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Skink, Broadhead	No			No		No	Candidate Species - Bans take & possess
Skink, Five-lined	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Skink, Northern Coal	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

Salamanders

Blue-spotted	No			No		No	Endangered
Dusky, Allegheny Mountain	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Dusky, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Four-toed	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Green	No			No		No	Threatened
Hellbender, Eastern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Jefferson	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Longtail	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Marbled	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Mud, Eastern	No			No		No	Endangered
Mudpuppy	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Newt, Eastern Red-Spotted	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Ravine, Northern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Red, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Redback, Eastern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Seal	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Slimy, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Spring, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import

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Spotted	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Two-lined, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Valley and Ridge	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Wehrle's	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

Snakes

Brown, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Copperhead, Eastern	Yes	NA	Yes	No		Yes	Native - Take & possess 1 annually w/ Venomous Snake Permit; Bans captive-born & import
Earth, Eastern Smooth	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Earth, Mountain	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Garter, Eastern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Garter, Shorthead	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Green, Smooth	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Green, Rough	No			No		No	Endangered
Hognose, Eastern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Kirtland's	No			No		No	Endangered
Massasauga, Eastern	No			No		No	Endangered
Milk, Eastern (Red Zigzag & Stripe color morph)	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	Exempt from native limits - Legal to breed & possess
Milk, Eastern (rest)	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Queen	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Racer, Northern Black	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Rat, Eastern (Leucistic, Sun Glow & White-sided color morph)	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	Exempt from native limits - Legal to breed & possess
Rat, Eastern (rest)	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Rattlesnake, Timber	Yes	NA	Yes	No		Yes	Native - Take & possess 1 annually w/ Venomous Snake Permit - Must be 42"; Bans captive-born & import
Rebelly, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Ribbon, Eastern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Ringneck, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import

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Water, Northern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Worm, Eastern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
Toads							
American, Eastern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Fowler's	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Spadefoot, Eastern	No			No		No	Endangered
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
Tortoises							
All	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
Tuataras							
All	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
Turtles							
Blanding's	No			No		No	Candidate Species - Bans take & possess
Bog	No			No		No	Endangered
Box, Eastern	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Map	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Mud, Eastern	No			No		No	Endangered
Musk, Eastern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Painted, Eastern	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Painted, Midland	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Redbelly, Eastern	No			No		No	Threatened
Snapping, Common	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day 15 & possess 30; Unlimited captive-born; Bans import
Softshell, Eastern Spiny	Yes	NA	No	No		Yes	Native - Take/day & possess 1; Bans in-state breeding & import
Spotted	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Wood	No			No		No	Native - Bans take & possess
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

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INSECTS

Mudbug	Yes	NA			Yes	Fishbait - Unlimited take & possess (50 in river/stream)	
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	No known PGC or F & B laws; Import - See Ag

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

Hedgehog	No			No		No	Permits not issued for pets
Mole, Eastern	No			No		No	Protected Native
Mole, Hairy-tailed	No			No		No	Protected Native
Mole, Star-nosed	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, Least	No			No		No	Endangered
Shrew, Long-tailed	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, Maryland	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, Masked	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, Northern Short-tailed	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, Pygmy	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, Smoky	No			No		No	Protected Native
Shrew, West Virginia Water	No			No		No	Threatened
Shrew, Water (rest)	No			No		No	Protected Native
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

INVERTEBRATES (Rest)

Clam

Native	No			No		No	Bans take
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

Crabs

Horseshoe	No			No		NA	Bans purchase & import for sale
Native (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Bait - Take - See fishing; Import - See Ag

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Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag
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Crayfish

Rusty	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Native	No			No		No	Bans live take & sale
Unlisted	No			No		NA	Injurious species

Mussels

Clubshell	No			No		No	Endangered
Hickorynut, Round	No			No		No	Endangered
Pearlshell, Eastern	No			No		No	Endangered
Pistolgrip	No			No		No	Endangered
Quagga	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Rabbitsfoot	No			No		No	Endangered
Rayed bean	No			No		No	Endangered
Riffleshell, Northern	No			No		No	Endangered
Salamander	No			No		No	Endangered
Sheepnose	No			No		No	Threatened
Snuffbox	No			No		No	Endangered
Wedgemussel, Dwarf	No			No		No	Endangered
Zebra	No			No		NA	Injurious species
Native (rest)	No			No		No	Bans take
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

Shrimp

Native	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Take - See fishing; Import - See Ag
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

Snails

Native	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Take - See fishing; Import - See Ag
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

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Other

Native	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Take - See fishing; Import - See Ag
Unlisted	Yes	NA	No	Yes	No	NA	No known Fish & Boat laws; Import - See Ag

MARINE MAMMALS (Dolphin, Dugong, Manatee, Porpoise, Sea Lion, Seal, Walrus, Whale)

US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

MARSUPIALS

Opossum, Virginia	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Sugar Glider	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

MUSTELIDS

Badger	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Ermine	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Ferret (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Small Domestic
Fisher	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Marten	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Mink	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Otter, North American River	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Weasel, Least	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Weasel, Long-tailed	~			~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

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PRIMATES

All	No		No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
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PROCYONIDS

Raccoon	No		No		No	Furbearer - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Threatened/Endangered	No		No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No		No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No	NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

RODENTS

Beaver	~		~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Chinchilla	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA Domestic - legal
Chipmunk, Eastern	No		No		No	Protected Native
Degu	No		No		No	Permits not issued for pets
Guinea Pig	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA Small Domestic
Hamster	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA Small Domestic
Lemming, Southern Bog	No		No		No	Protected Native
Mouse (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA Small Domestic
Mouse, Deer	No		No		No	Protected Native
Mouse, House	No		No		No	Protected Native
Mouse, Meadow Jumping	No		No		No	Protected Native
Mouse, White-footed	No		No		No	Protected Native
Mouse, Woodland Jumping	No		No		No	Protected Native
Muskrat	~		~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Nutria	No		No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Porcupine	~		~		No	Furbearer - See PGC for legality
Rat (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA Small Domestic
Rat, Norway	No		No		No	Protected Native
Squirrel, Delmarva Fox	~		~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Squirrel, Fox (rest)	No		No		No	Endangered
Squirrel, Gray	~		~		No	Game - See PGC for legality

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Squirrel, Northern Flying	No			No		No	Endangered
Squirrel, Red	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Squirrel, Southern Flying	No			No		No	Protected Native
Squirrel, Thirteen-lined Ground	No			No		No	Protected Native
Vole, Meadow	No			No		No	Protected Native
Vole, Red-backed	No			No		No	Protected Native
Vole, Woodland	No			No		No	Protected Native
Vole, Yellow-nosed	No			No		No	Protected Native
Woodchuck	~			~		No	Game - See PGC for legality
Woodrat, Alleghany	No			No		No	Threatened
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

UNGULATES

Artiodactyla

Bovidae (Wild cattle, goats, sheep)

Bison	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Buffalo	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Cattle	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Goat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Sheep	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Yak	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Bovine (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

Cervid (Deer family)

Deer, White-tailed	~			~		No	Big Game - See PGC for legality
Elk	~			~		No	Big Game - See PGC for legality

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US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit
Suidae (Wild pigs)							
Feral	No			No		No	Protected Native
Pig	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit
Others							
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit
Perissodactyla							
Ass	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Horse	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
Zebra	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Domestic animal - Import - See Ag
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit
VIVERRIDS							
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit
XENARTHRA/EDENTATA (Anteater, Armadillo, Sloth)							
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No		NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No		NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

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OTHER MAMMALS

Hare, Snowshoe	~			~	No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rabbit (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Small Domestic
Rabbit, Appalachian Cottontail	~			~	No	Game - See PGC for legality
Rabbit, Eastern Cottontail	~			~	No	Game - See PGC for legality
Skunk, Spotted	No			No	No	Furbearer - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Skunk, Striped	No			No	No	Furbearer - 137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Skunk (rest)	No			No	No	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Threatened/Endangered	No			No	NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
US Injurious	No			No	NA	137.1 - Permits not issued for pets
Unlisted	Yes*	Yes*	No	No	NA	Only allowed from legal in-state breeder; possession permit

SUMMARY: Under the Agriculture laws, ALL animals in captivity are domestic and require a CVI for import except reptiles and poultry. Fish, amphibians, reptiles and aquatic invertebrates fall under the Fish & Boat Commission while mammals and birds fall under the Game Commission.

PGC: The PGC specifically bans bears, bobcat, red and gray foxes, coyote, nutria, monk parakeet, raccoon, skunk, primates, wild-caught mammals and birds, and game and wildlife in captivity or captive-bred outside the state. The PGC does issue exotic wildlife permits, but other than exotic felines and canines which are specifically listed under exotic wildlife permits, they generally do not issue them except for species already available from a breeder in the state. There are also permits for native wildlife, but it is unclear which ones. Import of mammals and birds requires an Importation Permit.

FBC: The FBC generally allows taking a day and possessing 1 native reptile and amphibian per species. Bullfrogs, green frogs and common snapping turtles are allowed in greater numbers. Native venomous snakes require a Venomous Snake Permit. However, many native herp may not be bred and/or imported. The FBC does not regulate exotic herp. Some native fish are legal to catch and keep.

Sources:

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| 1 Exotic Wildlife | 34 Pa.CSA Ch. 29, Subch. D; 58 Pa. Code Ch. 147 Subch. N |
| 2 Endangered Birds/Mammals | 34 Pa.CSA § 2167 |
| 3 Protected Birds | 34 Pa.CSA § 2164 |
| 4 Endangered/Threatened Herp/Fish | 30 Pa.CSA § 2305; 58 Pa. Code Ch. 75 |
| 5 Nonnative Injurious Fish | 30 Pa.CSA § 2508 |
| 6 Reptiles/Amphibians | 58 Pa. Code Ch. 79 |
| 7 Import | 3 Pa.CSA § 2323 |

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- 8 Injurious Species 58 Pa. Code § 63.46
- 9 Tautog 58 Pa. Code § 63.50
- 10 Weakfish & Horseshoe Crab Impor 58 Pa. Code § 63.30 & 63.31

* Native Species List

- Birds Current List of Wild Birds in Pennsylvania (PGC) (1/26/11)
- Mammals Current List of Wild Mammals in Pennsylvania (PGC) (1/21/11)
- Fish Gallery of Pennsylvania Fishes (Fish & Boat Website)
- Reptiles/Amphibians Pennsylvania Native Reptile and Amphibian Species (Fish & Boat website)

DISCLAIMERS:

- * 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.