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ARACHNID, CENTIPEDE, MILLIPEDE

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
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BATS

Big-eared, Rafinesque's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Brown, Big	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Native - no protection found; CDC bans take
Brown, Little	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Evening	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Native - no ADCNR protection found; CDC bans take
Free-tailed, Brazilian	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gray	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Hoary	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Native - no ADCNR protection found; CDC bans take
Indiana	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Long-eared, Northern	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Red, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Native - no ADCNR protection found; CDC bans take
Seminole	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Native - no ADCNR protection found; CDC bans take
Silver-haired	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Native - no ADCNR protection found; CDC bans take
Small-footed, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Southeastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tri-colored	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Yellow, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

BEARS

Black Bear	No			No		No	Game - Black bear provision
Black Bear (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

BIRDS

Anhinga	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Ani, Groove-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Avocet, American	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Bittern, American	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Bittern, Least	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Blackbird, Brewer's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Blackbird, Red-winged	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Blackbird, Rusty	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Blackbird, Yellow-headed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Bluebird, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Bobolink	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Booby, Brown	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Booby, Masked	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Brant	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Bufflehead	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Bunting, Indigo	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Bunting, Lark	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Bunting, Painted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Canvasback	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Cardinal, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Catbird, Gray	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Chat, Yellow-breasted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Chickadee, Carolina	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Chuck-will's-widow	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Coot, American	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Cormorant, Double-crested	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cormorant, Great	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cormorant, Neotropic	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cowbird, Bronzed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cowbird, Brown-headed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cowbird, Shiny	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Crane, Mississippi Sandhill	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Crane, Whooping	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Creeper, Brown	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Crossbill, Red	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Crow, American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Crow, Fish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Cuckoo, Black-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cuckoo, Yellow-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Curlew, Long-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Dicksissel	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Dove, Common Ground-	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Dove, Eurasian Collared-	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dove, Mourning	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Dove, Rock	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dove, White-winged	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Dowitcher, Long-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Dowitcher, Short-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Duck, American Black	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Black-bellied Whistling-	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Fulvous Whistling-	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Harlequin	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Long-tailed	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Mottled	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Ring-necked	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Ruddy	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Duck, Wood	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Dunlin	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Eagle, Bald	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Eagle, Golden	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Egret, Cattle	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Egret, Great	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Egret, Reddish	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Egret, Snowy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Eider, King	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Falcon, Perigrine	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Finch, House	No			No		No	
Finch, Purple	No			No		No	
Flicker, Northern	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Acadian	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Alder	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Ash-throated	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Fork-tailed	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Great-crested	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Hammond's	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, LaSagra's	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Least	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Scissor-tailed	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Sulphur-bellied	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, vermillion	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Willow	No			No		No	
Flycatcher, Yellow-bellied	No			No		No	
Flycatcher. Olive-sided	No			No		No	
Frigatebird, Magnificent	No			No		No	
Gadwall	No			No		No	
Gallinule, Purple	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Gannet, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Garganey	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Gnatcatcher, Blue-Gray	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Godwit, Hudsonian	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Godwit, Marbled	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Goldeneye, Common	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Goldfinch, American	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Goose, Cackling	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Goose, Canada	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Goose, Greater White-fronted	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Goose, Ross's	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003

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Goose, Snow	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Goshawk, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grackle, Boat-tailed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grackle, Common	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grebe, Eared	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grebe, Horned	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grebe, Pied-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grebe, Red-necked	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grebe, Western	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grosbeak, Black-headed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grosbeak, Blue	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grosbeak, Evening	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grosbeak, Rose-breasted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grouse, Ruffed	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Gull, Bonaparte's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, California	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Franklin's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Glaucous	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Great Black-backed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Herring	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Iceland	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Laughing	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Lesser Black-backed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Little	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Ring-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Sabine's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gull, Thayer's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Harrier, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Hawk, Broad-winged	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Hawk, Cooper's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Hawk, Ferruginous	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Hawk, Red-shouldered	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Hawk, Rough-legged	No			No		No	
Hawk, Sharp-shinned	No			No		No	
Hawk, Swainson's	No			No		No	
Heron, Black Crested Night-	No			No		No	
Heron, Great Blue	No			No		No	
Heron, Green	No			No		No	
Heron, Little Blue	No			No		No	
Heron, Tricolored	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Allen's	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Anna's	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Black-chinned	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Blue-throated	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Broad-tailed	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Buff-bellied	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Calliope	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Magnificent	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Ruby-throated	No			No		No	
Hummingbird, Rufous	No			No		No	
Ibis, Glossy	No			No		No	
Ibis, White	No			No		No	
Ibis, White-faced	No			No		No	
Jaeger, Long-tailed	No			No		No	
Jaeger, Parasitic	No			No		No	
Jaeger, Pomarine	No			No		No	
Jay, Blue	No			No		No	
Junco, Dark-eyed	No			No		No	
Kestrel, American	No			No		No	
Kildeer	No			No		No	
Kingbird, Couch's	No			No		No	
Kingbird, Eastern	No			No		No	
Kingbird, Gray	No			No		No	

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Kingbird, Western	No			No		No	<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> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>US Threatened; Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003</p> <p>Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003</p> <p>Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p> <p>Native protected nongame</p>
Kingfisher, Belted	No			No		No	
Kinglet, Golden-crowned	No			No		No	
Kinglet, Ruby-crowned	No			No		No	
Kite, Mississippi	No			No		No	
Kite, Swallowtailed	No			No		No	
Kite, White-tailed	No			No		No	
Kittiwake, Black-legged	No			No		No	
Knot, Red	No			No		No	
Lark, Horned	No			No		No	
Longspur, Lapland	No			No		No	
Longspur, Smith's	No			No		No	
Loon, Common	No			No		No	
Loon, Pacific	No			No		No	
Loon, Red-throated	No			No		No	
Mallard	No			No		No	
Martin, Purple	No			No		No	
Meadowlark, Eastern	No			No		No	
Meadowlark, Western	No			No		No	
Merganser, Common	No			No		No	
Merganser, Hooded	No			No		No	
Merganser, Red-breasted	No			No		No	
Merlin	No			No		No	
Mockingbird, Northern	No			No		No	
Moorhen, Common	No			No		No	
Night Heron, Yellow Crested	No			No		No	
Nighthawk, Common	No			No		No	
Nighthawk, Lesser	No			No		No	
Noddy, Brown	No			No		No	
Nuthatch, Brown-headed	No			No		No	
Nuthatch, Red-breasted	No			No		No	
Nuthatch, White-breasted	No			No		No	

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Oldsquaw	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.	
Oriole, Baltimore	No			No		No		
Oriole, Bullock's	No			No		No		
Oriole, Orchard	No			No		No		
Osprey	No			No		No		
Ovenbird	No			No		No		
Owl, Barn	No			No		No		
Owl, Barred	No			No		No		
Owl, Burrowing	No			No		No		
Owl, Eastern Screech-	No			No		No		
Owl, Great Horned	No			No		No		
Owl, Long-eared	No			No		No		
Owl, Northern Saw-whet	No			No		No		
Owl, Short-eared	No			No		No		
Owl, Snowy	No			No		No		
Oystercatcher, American	No			No		No		
Parakeet, Carolina	No			No		No		
Parula, Northern	No			No		No		
Pelican, American White	No			No		No		
Pelican, Brown	No			No		No		
Phalarope, Red	No			No		No		
Phalarope, Red-necked	No			No		No		
Phalarope, Wilson's	No			No		No		
Phoebe' Say's	No			No		No		
Phoebe, Eastern	No			No		No		
Pigeon, Band-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Pigeon, Passenger	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Pintail, Northern	No			No		No		Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Pintail, White-cheeked	No			No		No		Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Pipit, American	No			No		No		Native protected nongame
Pipit, Sprague's	No			No		No		Native protected nongame
Plover, American Golden-	No			No		No		Native protected nongame

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Plover, Black-bellied	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Plover, Mountain	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Plover, Piping	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Plover, Semipalmated	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Plover, Snowy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Plover, Wilson's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Quail, Bobwhite	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Rail, Black	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Rail, Clapper	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Rail, King	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Rail, Virginia	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Rail, Yellow	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Raven, Common	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Redhead	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Redpoll, Common	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Redstart, American	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Redstart, Painted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Robin, American	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Ruff	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sanderling	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Baird's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Buff-breasted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Curlew	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Least	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Pectoral	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Semipalmated	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Sharp-tailed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Solitary	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Spotted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Stilt	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Upland	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sandpiper, Western	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Sandpiper, White-rumped	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sapsucker, Yellow-bellied	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Scaup, Greater	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Scaup, Lesser	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Scoter, Black	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Scoter, Surf	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Scoter, White-winged	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Shearwater, Audubon's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shearwater, Cory's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shearwater, Greater	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shearwater, Sooty	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shoveler, Northern	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Shrike, Loggerhead	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Siskin, Pine	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Skimmer, Black	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Snipe, Wilson's	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Sora	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Sparrow, American Tree	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Bachman's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Chipping	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Clay-colored	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, English	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sparrow, Field	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Fox	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Grasshopper	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Harris's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Henslow's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, House	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sparrow, Lark	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Le Conte's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Lincoln's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Nelson's Sharp-tailed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Sparrow, Savannah	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Seaside	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Song	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Swamp	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, Vesper	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sparrow, White-throated	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Spoonbill, Roseate	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Starling, European	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Stilt, Black-necked	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Stork, Wood	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Storm-Petrel, Band-Rumped	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Storm-Petrel, Leach's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Storm-Petrel, Wilson's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swallow, Bank	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swallow, Barn	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swallow, Cave	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swallow, Cliff	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swallow, Northern Rough-winged	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swallow, Tree	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Swan, Trumpeter	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Swan, Tundra	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Swift, Chimney	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tanager, Scarlet	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tanager, Summer	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tanager, Western	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Teal, Blue-winged	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Teal, Cinnamon	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Teal, Green-winged	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Tern, Black	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Bridled	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Caspian	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Common	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Tern, Forster's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Gull-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Least	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Roseate	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Royal	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Sandwich	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tern, Sooty	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrasher, Brown	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrasher, Sage	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrush, Gray-cheeked	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrush, Hermit	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrush, Swainson's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrush, Varied	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Thrush, Wood	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Titmouse, Tufted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Towhee, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Towhee, Green-tailed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Tropicbird, Whitetailed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Turkey, Wild (in AL)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Turkey, Wild (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Turnstone, Ruddy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Veery	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Bell's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Black-whiskered	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Blue-headed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Philadelphia	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Red-eyed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Warbling	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, White-eyed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vireo, Yellow-throated	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vulture, Black	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Vulture, Turkey	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Warbler, Bachman's	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.
Warbler, Bay-breasted	No			No		No	
Warbler, Black-and-white	No			No		No	
Warbler, Blackburnian	No			No		No	
Warbler, Blackpoll	No			No		No	
Warbler, Black-throated Gray	No			No		No	
Warbler, Black-throated Green	No			No		No	
Warbler, Blue-winged	No			No		No	
Warbler, Canada	No			No		No	
Warbler, Cape May	No			No		No	
Warbler, Cerulean	No			No		No	
Warbler, Chestnut-sided	No			No		No	
Warbler, Connecticut	No			No		No	
Warbler, Golden-winged	No			No		No	
Warbler, Hooded	No			No		No	
Warbler, Kentucky	No			No		No	
Warbler, Kirtland's	No			No		No	
Warbler, Magnolia	No			No		No	
Warbler, Mourning	No			No		No	
Warbler, Nashville	No			No		No	
Warbler, Orange-crowned	No			No		No	
Warbler, Palm	No			No		No	
Warbler, Pine	No			No		No	
Warbler, Prairie	No			No		No	
Warbler, Prothonotary	No			No		No	
Warbler, Swainson's	No			No		No	
Warbler, Tennessee	No			No		No	
Warbler, Wilson,s	No			No		No	
Warbler, Worm-eating	No			No		No	
Warbler, Yellow	No			No		No	
Warbler, Yellow-rumped	No			No		No	
Warbler, Yellow-throated	No			No		No	

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Waterthrush, Louisiana	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Waterthrush, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Waxwing, Cedar	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wheatear, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Whimbrel	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Whip-poor-will	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wigeon, American	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Wigeon, Eurasian	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Willit	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodcock, American	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Woodcock, Eurasian	No			No		No	Migratory Game - Protected - grandfathers before 2003
Woodpecker, Downy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodpecker, Hairy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodpecker, Ivory-billed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodpecker, Pileated	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodpecker, Red-bellied	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodpecker, Red-cockaded	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Woodpecker, Red-headed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wood-Pewee, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, Bewick's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, Carolina	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, House	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, Marsh	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, Rock	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, Sedge	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Wren, Winter	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Yellowlegs, Greater	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Yellowlegs, Lesser	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Yellowthroat, Common	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
MBTA (rest)	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

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CANINES

Coyote (out AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species; Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Coyote (in AL)	No			NA		No	Game/Furbearer - Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Fox, Gray (out AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species; Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Fox, Gray (in AL)	No			NA		No	Game/Furbearer - Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Fox, Red (out AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species; Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Fox, Red (in AL)	No			NA		No	Game/Furbearer - Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Fox (rest - out AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species; Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Fox (rest)	No			NA		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"; Bans import
Wolf, Red	No			No		No	Game - Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Domestic Hybrid	No			No		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Unlisted	No			No		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"

ELEPHANTS

Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - No known ADCNR laws; Import - Ag laws may apply

FELINES

Bobcat	No			No		No	Game - Commercial purpose only
Bobcat (from outside AL)	No			No		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"; Invasive Species
Cougar (in AL)	No			No		No	Game - Commercial purpose only
Cougar (from outside AL)	No			No		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"; Invasive Species
Jaguarundi	No			No		No	State Endangered; Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Domestic Hybrid	No			No		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"
Unlisted	No			No		NA	Requires "USDA licensed rabies vaccine"

FISH

Anchovy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Barramundi	No			NA		NA	Invasive Species
Bass, Alabama	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Australian	No			No		NA	Invasive Species

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Bass, Cahaba	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Chattahoochee	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Coosa	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Largemouth	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Redeye	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Rock	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Saltwater Striped (& hybrids)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Shadow	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Shoal	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Smallmouth	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Spotted	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Tallapoosa	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Warrior	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, White (& hybrids)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bass, Yellow (& hybrids)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bluegill	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Bowfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Buffalo, Bigmouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Buffalo, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Buffalo, Smallmouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Bullhead, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Bullhead, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Bullhead, Snail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Bullhead, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Bullhead, Yellow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Carp, Black	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Carp, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Carp, Grass	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Carp, Mud	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Carp sucker, Highfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Carp sucker, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Catfish, Blue	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Catfish, Channel	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Catfish, Flathead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Catfish, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Catfish, Walking	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Cavefish, Alabama	No			NA		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Cavefish, Southern	No			NA		No	Native protected nongame
Chub, Bigeye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Blotched	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Bluehead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Clear	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Creek	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Dixie	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Flame	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Lined	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Redeye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Shoal	No			NA		No	Native protected nongame
Chub, Silver	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Speckled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub, Spotfin	No			NA		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Chub, Streamline	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chub (undescribed)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chubsucker, Creek	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chubsucker, Lake	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chubsucker, Sharpfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Crappie, Black	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Crappie, White	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Dace, Blacknose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dace, Rosyside	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dace, Southern Redbelly	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Alabama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Amber	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Darter, Ashy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Backwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Banded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Bandfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Bankhead	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Blackbanded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Blackfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Blackside	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Blenny	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Blotchside	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Blotchside Logperch	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Bluebreast	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Blueside	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Bluntnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Boulder	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Darter, Brighteye	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Bronze	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Choctawhatchee	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Coal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Coastal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Coldwater	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Coosa	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Crown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Crystal	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Cypress	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Dusky	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Fantail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Florida Sand	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Freckled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Fringed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Darter, Gilt	Yes	No	No	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.
Darter, Goldline	No			No		No	
Darter, Goldstripe	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Greenbreast	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Greenside	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Gulf	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Gulf Logperch	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Halloween	No			No		No	
Darter, Harlequin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Holiday	No			No		No	
Darter, Johnny	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Lipstick	No			No		No	
Darter, Logperch	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Lollipop	No			No		No	
Darter, Mobile Logperch	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Muscadine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Naked Sand	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Redline	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Redspot	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Rock	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Rush	No			No		No	
Darter, Saddleback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Scaly Sand	No			No		No	
Darter, Slackwater	No			No		No	
Darter, Slenderhead	No			No		No	
Darter, Snail	No			No		No	
Darter, Snubnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Southern Logperch	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Southern Sand	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Speckled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	

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	Legal as Pets	ADCNR Permit	Register	Legal for Pets	ADCNR Permit	Legal for Pets	
Darter, Stripetail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Swamp	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Tallapoosa	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Tennessee	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Tombigbee	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Trispot	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Tuscumbia	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Darter, Tuskalooza	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Vermilion	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Darter, Warrior	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Darter, Watercress	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Drum, Freshwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Drum, Red	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Eel, American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Flier	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Flounder, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Gar, Alligator	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Gar, Longnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Gar, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Goldeneye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Goldfish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Herring, Blueback	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Herring, Skipjack	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Hogchoker	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Hogsucker, Alabama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Hogsucker, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Killifish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Killifish, Bluefin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Killifish, Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Killifish, Rainwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Lamprey, American Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Lamprey, Chestnut	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Lamprey, Least Brook	Yes	No	No	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.	
Lamprey, Mountain Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		
Lamprey, Ohio	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		
Lamprey, Southern Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		
Lates	No			No		NA		Invasive Species
Madtom, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Madtom, Brindled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Madtom, Elegant	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Madtom, Frecklebelly	No			No		No		Native protected nongame
Madtom, Freckled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Madtom, Mountain	No			No		No		Native protected nongame
Madtom, Slender	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Madtom, Speckled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Madtom, Tadpole	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Menhaden, Gulf	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Bluntnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Bullhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Cypress	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Fathead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Longjaw	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Mississippi Silvery	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes		Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Minnow, Pugnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Minnow, Riffle	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Minnow, Stargazing	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Minnow, Suckermouth	No			No		No	Native protected nongame	
Mooneye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Mosquitofish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Mullet, Striped	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Needlefish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Paddlefish	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply	
Perch, Chinese	No			No		NA	Invasive Species	
Perch, Estuary	No			No		NA	Invasive Species	

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Perch, Golden	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Perch, Macquarie	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Perch, Nile	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Perch, Pirate	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Perch, Yellow	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Pickereel, Chain	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Pickereel, Grass	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Pickereel, Redfin	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Piranha	No			NA		NA	Invasive Species
Quillback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Blacktail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Grayfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Greater Jumprock	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Shorthead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Redhorse, Silver	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Roach	No			NA		NA	Invasive Species
Rudd	No			NA		NA	Invasive Species
Sauger	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sculpin, Banded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sculpin, Mottled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sculpin, Pygmy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sculpin, Tallapoosa	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Seabass, Asian	No			NA		NA	Invasive Species
Seatrout, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shad, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shad, Gizzard	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shad, Threadfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Alabama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Bandfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Shiner, Bigeye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Blackmouth	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shiner, Blacktail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Blacktip	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Blue	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Shiner, Bluenose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Bluestripe	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shiner, Broadstripe	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shiner, Burrhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Cahaba	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Shiner, Channel	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Cherryfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Coastal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Coosa	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Dusky	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shiner, Emerald	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Flagfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Fluvial	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Ghost	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Highland	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Highscale	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Ironcolor	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shiner, Longnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Mimic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Mountain	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Orangefin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Palezone	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Shiner, Popeye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Pretty	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Red	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Shiner, Ribbon	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Rosefin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Rough	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Sailfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Sawfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Silver	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Silverside	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Silverstripe	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Skygazer	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Spotfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Steelcolor	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Striped	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Taillight	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Tallapoosa	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Telescope	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Tennessee	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Tricolor	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Warpaint	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Weed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shiner, Whitetail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Silverside, Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Silverside, Inland	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Snakehead	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Stonecat	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Stoneroller, Bluefin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Stoneroller, Largescale	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Studfish, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Studfish, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Studfish, Stippled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sturgeon, Alabama	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Sturgeon, Gulf	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Sturgeon, Lake	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Sturgeon, Shovelnose	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Sturgeon (non native)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Sucker, Blue	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sucker, Harelip	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sucker, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sucker, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sunfish, Banded	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Bluespotted	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Dollar	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Green	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Longear	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Mud	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Orangespotted	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Sunfish, Redbreast	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Redear	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Redspotted	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Sunfish, Spring Pygmy	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Topminnow, Banded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Bayou	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Blackspotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Blackstripe	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Northern Starhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Russetfin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Southern Starhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Topminnow, Whiteline	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Trout, Rainbow	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Walleye	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Warmouth	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

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HERPTILES

Caecilians

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
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Crocodilians

Alligator	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes	Yes	Alligator permit
Alligator, American	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Crocodile	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes	Yes	Alligator permit
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

Frogs

Bullfrog, American	Yes	No	No			Yes	Native - take/day & possess 20 bullfrog & pig frogs total
Chorus, Mountain	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chorus, Ornate	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chorus, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Chorus, Upland	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Cricket	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Cricket, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Gopher	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Gopher, Dusky	No			No		No	US Endangered
Gopher, Mississippi	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Grass, Little	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Greenhouse	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Leopard, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Pickerel	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Pig	Yes	No	No			Yes	Native - take/day & possess 20 bullfrog & pig frogs total
River	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Spring Peeper, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Treefrog, Barking	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Treefrog, Bird-voiced	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Treefrog, Cope's Gray	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Treefrog, Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Treefrog, Pine Barrens	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Treefrog, Pine Woods	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Treefrog, Squirrel	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Wood	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

Lizards

Anole, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Anole, Northern Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Eastern Fence	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Gecko, Indo-Pacific	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Gecko, Turkish House	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Glass, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Glass, Eastern Slender	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Glass, Mimic	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Horned, Texas	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Prairie, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Racerunner, Eastern Six-lined	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Skink, Brown-headed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Skink, Coal	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Skink, Five-lined	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Skink, Ground	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Skink, Northern Mole	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Skink, Southeastern Five-lined	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Southern Prairie	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Texas Horned	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

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Salamanders

Amphiuma, One-toed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Amphiuma, Three-toed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Amphiuma, Two-toed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Brownback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Cave	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Cave, Tennessee	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Dusky, Apalachicola	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dusky, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Dusky, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dwarf	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Dwarf, Chamberlain's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Flatwoods, Reticulated	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Four-toed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Hellbender, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Green	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Long-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Marbled	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Mole	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Mud, Gulf Coast	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Mudpuppy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Newt, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Ocoee	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Red, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Red, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Red Hills	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Red-backed, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Seal	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Seepage	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Siren, Greater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Siren, Lesser	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Siren (Southern Coastal Plain)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Slimy, Mississippi	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Slimy, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Slimy, Southeastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Small-mouthed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Spring	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Three-lined	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Tiger, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Two-lined, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Waterdog, Black Warrior	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Waterdog, Gulf Coast	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Waterdog (<i>Necturus beyeri</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Webster's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Zigzag, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

Snakes

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<u>Non-Venomous</u>							
Brownsnake	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Coachwhip, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Coral, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Cornsnake, Red	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Crayfish, Glossy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Crowned, Southeastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Earth, Rough	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Earth, Eastern Smooth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Earth, Western Smooth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Garter, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Green, Rough	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Hognose, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Hognose, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Indigo, Eastern	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Kingsnake, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Kingsnake, Black Speckled	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Kingsnake, Eastern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Kingsnake, Mole	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Kingsnake, Prairie	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Kingsnake, Scarlet	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Kingsnake, Spectacled	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Littersnake, Pine Woods	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Milk, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Milk, Red	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Mud	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Pine, Black	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Pine, Florida	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Pine, Northern	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Queen	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Racer, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Rainbow	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Ratsnake, Gray	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Red-bellied, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Ribbon, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Ringneck	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Salt Marsh, Gulf	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Scarlet, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Swamp, North Florida	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Water, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Water, Diamondback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Water, Florida Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Water, Midland	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Water, Mississippi Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Water, Plain-bellied	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

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Water, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Worm	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
Venomous							
Coral Snake, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Copperhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Cottonmouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Rattlesnake, Eastern Diamondback	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Native venomous - Special Permit
Rattlesnake, Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Rattlesnake, Timber	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
Toads							
American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Fowler's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Narrow-mouthed, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Oak	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Spadefoot, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
Tortoises							
Tortoise, Gopher	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
Turtles							
Box, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Limit 1 - Bans sale

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Cooter, Florida	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Cooter, River	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Eastern Chicken	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Map, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Map, Barbour's	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Map, Escambia	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Map, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Map, Ouachita	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Mud, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Mud, Striped	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Musk, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Musk, Flattened	No			No		No	US/State Endangered; Native protected nongame
Musk, Loggerhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Musk, Razor-backed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Musk, Striped-neck	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Painted, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Painted, Southern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Red-bellied, Alabama	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Red-eared Slider	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Sawback, Black-knobbed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Sea, Green	No			No		No	State endangered
Sea, Kemp's Ridley	No			No		No	US/State endangered
Sea, Atlantic Leatherback	No			No		No	US/State endangered
Sea, Loggerhead	No			No		No	US Threatened/State endangered
Slider, Pond	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Snapping, Alligator	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Snapping, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Softshell, Eastern Spiny	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Softshell, Florida	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Softshell, Gulf Coast Smooth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Softshell, Gulf Coast Spiny	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles
Softshell, Midland Smooth	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Take 2/day all turtles

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Terrapin, Diamondback	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

INSECT

Ant, Fire (imported)	No			No		NA	Invasive - Quarantine Order
Beetle, American Burying	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Beetle, Japanese	No			No		NA	Invasive - Quarantine Order
Beetle, Pine Shoot	No			No		NA	Invasive - Quarantine Order
Butterfly, Mitchell's Satyr	No			No		No	US Endangered
Weevil, Boll	No			No		NA	Invasive - Quarantine Order
Weevil, Sweet Potato	No			No		NA	Invasive - Quarantine Order
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

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

Mole, Eastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shrew, North American Least	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shrew, Northern Short-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shrew, Pygmy	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shrew, Smoky	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Shrew, Southeastern	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Shrew, Southern Short-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

INVERTEBRATES (Rest)

Clams

Fanshell	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
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Crabs

Federal Protected	No			No	No	No	Protected Invertebrate
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

Crayfish

Bottlebrush, Tennessee	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Boxclaw	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Burrowing, Bog	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Burrowing, Lavender	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Burrowing, Speckled	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Capillaceous	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, Lacon Exit	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, Phantom	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, Prickly	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, Shelta	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, Sweet Home Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cave, White Spring	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Celestial	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Chattahoochee	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cobalt, Linear	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Cockscomb	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Crisscross	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Depression	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Dwarf, Angular	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Dwarf, Cajun	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Dwarf, Twisted	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Escambia	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Fireback	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Flatnose	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Fork, Mountain	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Greensaddle	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate

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Jacknife	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Lagniappe	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Least	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Longnose	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Midget, Mountain	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Mobile	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Okaloosa	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Panhandle	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Peninsula	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Prairie, Southeastern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
River, Flint	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Riverlet, Prominence	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Saddle	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Shrimp	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Slackwater	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Slenderclaw	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Smoothnose	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Speckled	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Spiny, Coosa River	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Spur	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Straightedge	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Tallapoosa	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Vernal	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
White River, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Zebra	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Protected Invertebrate
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Mussels							
Bankclimber, Purple	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Bean, Choctaw	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Bean, Cumberland	No			No		No	US Endangered

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Bean, Tennessee	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Clubshell, Black	No			No		No	US Endangered
Clubshell, Canoe Creek	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Clubshell, Ovate	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Clubshell, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Clubshell, Tennessee	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Combshell, Cumberland	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Combshell, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Combshell, Upland	No			No		No	US Endangered
Creekmussel, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Creekshell, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Creekshell, Coosa	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Creekshell, Painted	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Creeper	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Dartsnapper, Duck River	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Ebonysshell, Round	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elktoe	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elktoe, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Fanshell	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Floater, Florida	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Heelsplitter, Etowah	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Heelsplitter, Inflated	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Heelsplitter, Tennessee	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hickorynut, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hickorynut, Round	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hickorynut, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hydrob, Salt Spring	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Kidneysshell	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Kidneysshell, Rayed	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Kidneysshell, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Kidneysshell, Triangular	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Lampmussel, Alabama	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate

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Lilliput, Pale	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Lilliput, Southern Purple	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Longsolid	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Moccasinshell, Alabama	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Moccasinshell, Coosa	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Moccasinshell, Cumberland	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Moccasinshell, Gulf	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Monkeyface	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Monkeyface, Cumberland	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Mucket	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Mucket, Orangeacre	No			No		No	US Threatened
Mucket, Pink	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Oyster	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pearlshell, Alabama	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pearly, Cracking	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pearly, Dromedary	No			No		No	US Endangered
Pearly, Little-wing	No			No		No	US Endangered
Pearly, Slabside	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pheasantshell	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pimpleback, Orangefoot	No			No		No	US Endangered
Pigtoe, Dark	No			No		No	US Endangered
Pigtoe, Fine-rayed	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Flat	No			No		No	US Endangered
Pigtoe, Fuzzy	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Georgia	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Heavy	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Mississippi	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Narrow	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Ohio	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Oval	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Pyramid	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Rough	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate

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Pigtoe, Round	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Sculptured	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Shiny	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Southern	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Tapered	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Tennessee	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pigtoe, Warrior	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pocketbook, Fine-lined	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Pocketbook, Orangenacre	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Pocketbook, Shiny-rayed	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Rabbitsfoot	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Rainbow, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Rainbow, Downy	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Riffleshell, Tan	No			No		No	US Endangered
Ring Pink	No			No		No	US Endangered
Sandshell, Black	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Sandshell, Southern	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Sheepnose	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Slabshell, Chipola	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Slippershell	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Snuffbox	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Spectaclecase	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Spike	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Spike, Alabama	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Spike, Delicate	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Spike, Inflated	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Stirrupshell	No			No		No	US Endangered
Wartyback, White	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Federal Protected	No			No		No	Protected Invertebrate
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

Shrimp

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Cave, Alabama	No			No		No	
Federal Protected	No			No		No	
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate Protected Invertebrate Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

Snails

African, Giant	No			No		No	Invasive Species
Ancylid, Cahaba	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Ancylid, Wicker	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Campeloma, Slender	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Cavesnail, Manitou	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Ample	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Auger	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Brooch	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Cobble	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Cockle	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Engraved	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Fire	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Flaxen	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Lacy	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Latticed	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Lilyshoals	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Princess	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Puzzle	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Round-ribbed	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Spindle	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Squat	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Stately	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Elimia, Teardrop	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hornsnail, Corpulent	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hornsnail, Rough	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected invertebrate
Hornsnail, Rugged	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate
Hornsnail, Skirted	No			No		No	Native protected invertebrate

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Hornsnail, Striate	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.
Land, Giant African	No			No		No	
Lioplax, Cylindrical	No			No		No	
Marstonia, Angled	No			No		No	
Marstonia, Armored	No			No		No	
Mudalia, Black	No			No		No	
Pebblesnail, Cahaba	No			No		No	
Pebblesnail, Flat	No			No		No	
Pyrg, Coosa	No			No		No	
Pyrg, Moss	No			No		No	
Riversnail, Anthony's	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Armored	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Georgia	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Muddy	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Oblong	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Painted	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Plicate	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Round	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Spotted	No			No		No	
Rocksnaail, Warty	No			No		No	
Sculpin, Pygmy	No			No		No	
Tulotoma snail	No			No		No	
Watercress	No			No		No	
Federal Protected	No			No		No	Protected Invertebrate
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply

MARINE MAMMALS							
Manatee, West Indian	No			No		No	US Threatened; Native protected nongame
Sea Lion, California	No			No		No	Nongame - Federally protected = state protected
Whale, Finback	No			No		No	US Endangered
Unlisted	No			No		No	Federally Protected

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MARSUPIALS

Possum	No			No		No	Game/Furbearer - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

MUSTELIDS

Badger, American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Mink, American	No			No		No	Furbearer - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Otter, North American River	No			No		No	Furbearer - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Weasel, Long-tailed	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

PRIMATES

Federal Endangered/Threatened	No	No	No	No	No	No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

PROCYONIDS

Raccoon (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Raccoon (in AL)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Ringtail	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permits needed; Ag laws may apply
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		No	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply

RODENTS

Beaver	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Chipmunk, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Deermouse, Cotton	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Deermouse, Oldfield	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Deermouse, White-footed	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Gopher, Southeastern Pocket	No			No		No	Native protected nongame

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Mouse, Alabama Beach	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Mouse, Eastern Harvest	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Mouse, Golden	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Mouse, House	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Mouse, Meadow Jumping	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Mouse, Perdido Key Beach	No			No		No	US Endangered; Native protected nongame
Muskrat, Common	No			No		No	Furbearer - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Nutria	No			No		No	Game/Furbearer - May not breed
Oryzomys, Marsh	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Rat, Brown	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Rat, Hispid Cotton	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Rat, Roof	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Pocket Gopher, Southeastern	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Squirrel, Fox	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Squirrel, Gray	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Squirrel, Southern Flying	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Squirrel (rest - from outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Squirrel (rest - in AL)	No			NA		NA	Bans except game breeders
Vole, Prairie	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Vole, Woodland	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Woodchuck	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Woodrat, Alleghany	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Woodrat, Eastern	No			No		No	Nongame - wild rodent - invasive species
Domestic	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - No known ADCNR laws
Wild (from outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Wild (in AL)	No			NA		NA	Invasive Species

UNGULATES

Artiodactyla

Bovidae

Bison	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Unprotected - No ADCNR permit needed; Import - Ag permit
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Cattle (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Goat (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Sheep (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Unlisted (from outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Unlisted (in AL)	No			NA		NA	Bans except game breeders
Cervidae							
Deer, Fallow (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Deer, Fallow (in AL)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Deer, White-tailed (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Deer, White-tailed (in AL)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Elk (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Elk (rest)	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Originating Outside AL (rest)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Unlisted	No			NA		NA	Bans except game breeders
Suidae (Wild pigs)							
Boar, Wild	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Swine, Feral	No			No		No	Furbearer - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Nondomestic (rest - outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Nondomestic (rest - in AL)	No			NA		NA	Bans except game breeders
Others							
Alpaca	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Antelope, Pronghorn (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Antelope, Pronghorn (in AL)	No			NA		NA	Bans except game breeders
Camel	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Llama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Peccary (from outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Peccary (in AL)	No			NA		NA	Bans except game breeders
Vicuna	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
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Perissodactyla							
Equidae	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - Not regulated by ADCNR; Import - See Ag import
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		NA	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
VIVERRIDS							
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		NA	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
XENARTHRA (Anteater, Armadillo, Sloth)							
Armadillo, Nine-banded	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	Possession - No known laws at this time
Federal Endangered/Threatened	No			No		NA	Federally protected = state protected
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	NA	No known ADCNR laws; Ag laws may apply
OTHER MAMMALS							
Mongoose	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Rabbit, Appalachian Cottontail	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Rabbit, Eastern Cottontail	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Rabbit, Jack	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Rabbit, Marsh	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Rabbit, San Juan	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Rabbit, Swamp	No			No		No	Game - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Rabbit (wild - rest)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Skunk, Eastern Spotted	No			No		No	Native protected nongame
Skunk, Striped (outside AL)	No			No		NA	Native - Invasive Species
Skunk, Striped (in AL)	No			NA		No	Furbearer - Protected - Grandfathers before 2003
Skunk (exotic - outside AL)	No			No		NA	Invasive Species
Skunk (rest)	No			No		NA	Bans except game breeders
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SUMMARY: Alabama allows most exotic species as pets except for canines and felines and their hybrids due to not having a rabies vaccine, endangered and threatened species, and some invasive species. Some native species, including all game and furbearers and some nongame, are protected and prohibited as pets. Some species like cervids, foxes, skunks, raccoons and coyotes are also banned. Rest are unprotected and can be taken, imported and kept without an ADCNR permit.

Sources:

- 1 Canidae/Felidae Alabama Code Section 3-8-1
- 2 Protected Invertebrate Alabama Admin Code 220-2-.98
- 3 Protected Nongame Alabama Admin Code 220-2-.92
- 4 Invasive Species Alabama Admin Code 220-2-.26
- 5 Black Bears 9 Alabama Code Sec. 9-11-481

* Native Species List:
All Watchable Wildlife - ADCNR

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.