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ARACHNID, CENTIPEDE, MILLIPEDE

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Not regulated by CPW; Import see Ag
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BATS

Big-eared, Townsend's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Brown, Big	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Brown, Little	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
California	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Canyon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fish-eating	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Free-tailed, Big	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Free-tailed, Brazilian	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fringed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hoary	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Long-eared	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Long-legged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pallid	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pipistrelle, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Red, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Silver-haired	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Small-footed, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Spotted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tri-colored	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Yuma	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Unlisted	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

BEARS

Black	No			No			No	Game - Bears limited to commercial permit - No pets
Grizzly	No			No			No	Endangered - Bears limited to commercial permit - No pets
Polar	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit

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Unlisted	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983
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BIRDS

Ani, Groove-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aracari (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Argus (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Avocet, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Barbet (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Bishop (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Bittern, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bittern, Least	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Blackbird, Brewer's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Blackbird, Red-winged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Blackbird, Rusty	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Blackbird, Yellow-headed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bluebird, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bluebird, Mountain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bluebird, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bobolink	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Brambling	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Brant	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Bufflehead	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - see Ag
Bunting, Indigo	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bunting, Lark	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bunting, Lazuli	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bunting, Painted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bunting, Snow	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Bunting (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Bushtit	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Canary	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Canvasback	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Capercaillie	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife
Cardinal, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Cardinal (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Catbird, Gray	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chat, Yellow-breasted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chickadee, Black-capped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chickadee, Mountain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chicken (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Citril	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Chlorophonia (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Conebill (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Cormorant, Double-crested	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Cormorant, Neotropical	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Cowbird, Brown-headed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Crane, Sandhill	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Crane, Whooping	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Creeper, Brown	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Crossbill, Red	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Crossbill, White-winged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Crossbill (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Crow	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Cuckoo, Black-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Cuckoo, Western Yellow-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Cuckoo-finch	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Curlew, Long-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dacnis (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Dickcissel	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dipper, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dove, Eurasian Collared	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Invasive Wildlife
*Dove, Mourning	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Dove, Rock (domestic & feral)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Exempt domestic animal; Game - Unlimited take & possess; Import - see Ag
*Dove, White-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Dowitcher, Long-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dowitcher, Short-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Duck, American Black	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Black-bellied whistling-	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Fulvous whistling-	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Harlequin	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Long-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Mottled	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Ring-necked	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Ruddy	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Tufted	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck, Wood	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Duck (morphologically different)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Duck (not MBTA)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Dunlin	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Eagle, Bald	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Eagle, Golden	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Egret, Cattle	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Egret, Great	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Egret, Snowy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Emu	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Euphonia (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Falcon, American Peregrine	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Falcon, Arctic Peregrine	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Falcon, Prairie	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Finch, Black Rosy-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Finch, Brown-capped Rosy-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Finch, Cassin's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Finch, Gray-crowned Rosy-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Finch, House	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Finch (rest - all types)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Flowerpiercer (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Flycatcher, Alder	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Ash-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Cordilleran	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Dusky	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Gray	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Great Crested	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Hammond's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Least	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Olive-sided	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Scissor-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Flycatcher, Southwestern Willow	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Flycatcher, Vermilion	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fody (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Gadwall	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Gallopheasant (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Garganey	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Gnatcatcher, Blue-gray	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Godwit, Hudsonian	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Godwit, Marbled	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Goldeneye, Barrow's	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goldeneye, Common	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goldfinch, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Goldfinch, European	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Goldfinch, Lesser	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Goose, Cackling	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goose, Canada	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goose, Greater White-fronted	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goose, Ross's	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Goose, Snow	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goose (morphologically different)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Goose (not MBTA)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Goshawk, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grackle, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grackle, Great-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grassquit	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Grebe, Clark's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grebe, Eared	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grebe, Horned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grebe, Pied-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grebe, Red-necked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grebe, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grosbeak, Black-headed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grosbeak, Blue	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grosbeak, Evening	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grosbeak, Pine	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grosbeak, Rose-breasted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grosbeak (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Grouse, Dusky	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Grouse, Greater Sage	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Grouse, Gunnison Sage	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Federal Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Grouse, Mountain Sharp-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Grouse, Plains Sharp-tailed	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Grouse, Ruffed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Grouse (rest)	No			No			No	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Guinea Fowl (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Gull, Bonaparte's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, California	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Franklin's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Glaucous	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Gull, Glaucous-winged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Great Black-backed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Herring	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Laughing	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Lesser Black-backed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Little	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Mew	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Ring-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Sabine's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gull, Thayer's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gyrfalcon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Harrier, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Broad-winged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Cooper's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Ferruginous	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Red-shouldered	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Red-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Rough-legged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Sharp-shinned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hawk, Swainson's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hemispingus (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Heron, Black-crowned Night-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Heron, Great Blue	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Heron, Green	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Heron, Little Blue	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Heron, Tri-colored	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Heron, Yellow-crowned Night-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Honeycreeper (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Hummingbird, Anna's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hummingbird, Black-chinned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hummingbird, Blue-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hummingbird, Broad-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Hummingbird, Calliope	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hummingbird, Magnificent	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hummingbird, Rufous	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ibis, Glossy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ibis, White	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ibis, White-faced	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Indigobird (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Jaeger, Long-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jaeger, Parasitic	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jaeger, Pomarine	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jay, Blue	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jay, Gray	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jay, Pinyon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jay, Steller's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Jay, Western Scrub-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Junco, Dark-eyed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Junco (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Junglefowl	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Kestrel, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Killdeer	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kingbird, Cassin's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kingbird, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kingbird, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kingfisher, Belted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kinglet, Golden-crowned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kinglet, Ruby-crowned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kite, Mississippi	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kittiwake, Black-legged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Knot, Red	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Lark, Horned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Linnet	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Longspur, Chestnut-collared	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Longspur, Lapland	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Longspur, McCown's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Loon, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Loon, Pacific	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Loon, Red-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Loon, Yellow-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Malimbe (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Mallard	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Martin, Purple	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Meadowlark, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Meadowlark, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Merganser, Common	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Merganser, Hooded	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Merganser, Red-breasted	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Merlin	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Monal	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Murrelet, Ancient	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Murrelet, Marbled	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Myna (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Nighthawk, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Nighthawk, Lesser	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Nutcracker, Clark's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Nuthatch, Pygmy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Nuthatch, Red-breasted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Nuthatch, White-breasted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Orangequit	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Oriole, Baltimore	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Oriole, Bullock's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Oriole, Orchard	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Oriole, Scott's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Osprey	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ostrich	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag

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Ovenbird	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Barn	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Boreal	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Burrowing	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Owl, Eastern Screech-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Flammulated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Great Horned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Long-eared	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Mexican Spotted	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Owl, Northern Pygmy-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Northern Saw-whet	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Short-eared	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Snowy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Owl, Western Screech-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Oxpecker (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Parakeet, Monk	No			No			No	Terrestrial Wildlife
Parrotbill	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Partridge, Chukar	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Partridge, Grey	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Partridge, Red-legged	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Parula, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Peacock-Pheasant (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Peafowl (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Pelican, American White	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pelican, Brown	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Phainopepla	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Phalarope, Red	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Phalarope, Red-necked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Phalarope, Wilson's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pheasant, Blood	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag

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Pheasant, Cheer	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Pheasant, Eared (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Pheasant, Koklass	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Pheasant, Long-tailed (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Pheasant, Ring-necked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pheasant, Ruffed (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Pheasant, Typical (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Phoebe, Black	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Phoebe, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Phoebe, Say's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pigeon, Band-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Pigeon, Domestic (and feral)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	Exempt domestic animal; Game - Unlimited take & possess; Import - see Ag
Pintail, Northern	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Pipet, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pipet, Sprague's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Plover, American Golden-	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Plover, Black-bellied	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Plover, Mountain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Plover, Piping	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Plover, Semipalmated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Plover, Western Snowy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Poorwill, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Prairie Chicken, Greater	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Prairie Chicken, Lesser	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Prairie Chicken (nonnative)	No			No			No	Terrestrial Wildlife
Psitticine birds (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Ptarmigan, White-tailed	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Quail, Gambel's	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Quail, Northern Bobwhite	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Quail, Scaled	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Quelea (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Rail, Virginia	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Raven, Chihuahuan	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Raven, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Redhead	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Redpoll, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Redpoll (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Redstart, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Redstart, Painted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rhea	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Roadrunner, Greater	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Robin, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ruff	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sanderling	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Baird's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Buff-breasted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Least	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Pectoral	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Semipalmated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Sharp-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Solitary	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Spotted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Stilt	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Upland	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sandpiper, White-rumped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sapsucker, Red-naped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sapsucker, Williamson's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sapsucker, Yellow-bellied	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Scaup, Greater	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Scaup, Lesser	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Scoter, Black	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Scoter, Surf	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Scoter, White-winged	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Seedeater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Serin	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Shrike, Loggerhead	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrike, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shoveler, Northern	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Siskin, Pine	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Siskin (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Snipe, Wilson's	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Solitaire, Townsend's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sora	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Sparrow, American Tree	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Baird's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Black-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Brewer's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Cassin's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Chipping	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Clay-colored	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Field	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Fox	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Golden-crowned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Grasshopper	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Harris's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Henslow's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, House	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Invasive Wildlife
Sparrow, Lark	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Le Conte's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Lincoln's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Nelson's Sharp-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Rufous-crowned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Sparrow, Sage	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Savannah	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Song	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Swamp	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, Vesper	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, White-crowned	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow, White-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sparrow (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Sparrow-weaver (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Spindalis (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Starling, European	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Invasive Wildlife
Starling (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Stilt, Black-necked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swallow, Bank	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swallow, Barn	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swallow, Cliff	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swallow, Northern Rough-winged	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swallow, Tree	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swallow, Violet-green	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swan, Trumpeter	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swan, Tundra	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swan (not MBTA)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Swift, Black	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swift, Chimney	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Swift, White-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tanager, Hepatic	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tanager, Scarlet	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tanager, Summer	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tanager, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tanager (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Teal, Blue-winged	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Teal, Cinnamon	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Teal, Green-winged	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Tern, Arctic	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tern, Black	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tern, Caspian	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tern, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tern, Forster's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tern, Least	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	No	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Thrasher, Bendire's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrasher, Brown	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrasher, Curve-billed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrasher, Northern Mockingbird Sage	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrush, Gray-cheeked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrush, Hermit	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrush, Swainson's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrush, Varied	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Thrush, Wood	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Tinkerbird (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Titmouse, Juniper	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Toucan (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Toucanet (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Towhee, Canyon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Towhee, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Towhee, Green-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Towhee, Spotted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Towhee (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Tragopan	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Turkey, Wild (morphologically different)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Turnstone, Ruddy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Veery	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vireo, Bell's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vireo, Gray	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Vireo, Philadelphia	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.
Vireo, Plumbeous	No			No			No	
Vireo, Red-eyed	No			No			No	
Vireo, Warbling	No			No			No	
Vireo, White-eyed	No			No			No	
Vireo, Yellow-throated	No			No			No	
Vulture, Turkey	No			No			No	
Warbler, Bay-breasted	No			No			No	
Warbler, Black-and-white	No			No			No	
Warbler, Black-throated Blue	No			No			No	
Warbler, Black-throated Gray	No			No			No	
Warbler, Black-throated Green	No			No			No	
Warbler, Blackburnian	No			No			No	
Warbler, Blackpoll	No			No			No	
Warbler, Blue-winged	No			No			No	
Warbler, Canada	No			No			No	
Warbler, Cape May	No			No			No	
Warbler, Chestnut-sided	No			No			No	
Warbler, Connecticut	No			No			No	
Warbler, Golden-winged	No			No			No	
Warbler, Grace's	No			No			No	
Warbler, Hermit	No			No			No	
Warbler, Hooded	No			No			No	
Warbler, Kentucky	No			No			No	
Warbler, Lucy's	No			No			No	
Warbler, MacGillivray'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	

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Warbler, Prairie	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Prothonotary	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Swainson's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Tennessee	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Townsend's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Virginia's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Wilson's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Worm-eating	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Yellow	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Yellow-rumped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Warbler, Yellow-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Waterthrush, Louisiana	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Waterthrush, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Waxwing, Bohemian	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Waxwing, Cedar	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Weaver (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Whimbrel	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Whip-poor-will	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
White-eye	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Whydah (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Widowbird (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Wigeon, American	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Wigeon, Eurasian	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Game - Noncommercial Wildlife Park license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Willet	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wood-Pewee, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wood-Pewee, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodpecker, American Three-toed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodpecker, Downy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodpecker, Hairy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodpecker, Ladder-backed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodpecker, Lewis's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodpecker, Red-bellied	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Woodpecker, Red-headed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Bewick's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Canyon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Carolina	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, House	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Marsh	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Rock	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Sedge	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wren, Winter	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Yellowlegs, Greater	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Yellowlegs, Lesser	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Yellowthroat, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Marine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Passeriformes - Tropical/ Subtropical (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - see Ag
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited

CANINES								
Coyote	No			No			No	Game - Canids limited to commercial permit - No pets
Fox, Gray	No			No			No	Game - Canids limited to commercial permit - No pets
Fox, Kit	No			No			No	Endangered - Felids limited to commercial permit - No pets
Fox, Red	No			No			No	Game - Canids limited to commercial permit - No pets
Fox, Swift	No			No			No	Game - Canids limited to commercial permit - No pets
Wolf, Gray	No			No			No	Endangered - Felids limited to commercial permit - No pets
Domestic Hybrid	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag domestic dog laws
Unlisted	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

ELEPHANTS								
All	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

FELINES								
Bobcat	No			No			No	Game - Felids limited to commercial permit - No pets

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Cougar	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.
Lynx, Canada	No			No			No	
Domestic Hybrid	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	
Unlisted	No			No			No	

FISH

Alewife	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bass, Butterfly Peacock	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit
Bass, Largemouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bass, Smallmouth	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bass, Spotted	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bass, Striped	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bass, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bitterling	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bluegill (& hybrids)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bonytail	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bowfin (all)	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Bullhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Burbot	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA

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Carp, Bighead	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal. Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Carp, Black	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Carp, Crucian	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Indian	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp (Labeo)	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Largescale Silver	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Mrigal	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Mud	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Reba	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Siamese Giant	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Silver	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, Triploid Grass	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Carp, Typical	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp, White	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Carp (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	

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Catfish, Blue	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal. Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Nongame - bans take & possess Nongame - bans take & possess Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state Nongame - bans take & possess Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state Nongame - bans take & possess Nongame - bans take & possess Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Catfish, Channel	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Catfish, Flathead	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Catfish, Walking	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Char, Arctic	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Chub, Colorado Roundtail	No			No			No	
Chub, Flathead	No			No			No	
Chub, Humpback	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Chub, Lake	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Chub, Rio Grande	No			No			No	
Crappie, Black	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Crappie, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Dace, Northern Redbelly	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Dace, Southern Redbelly	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Dace, Speckled	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Darter, Arkansas	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Darter, Iowa	No			No			No	
Darter, Plains Orangethroat	No			No			No	
Drum, Freshwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Eel, Asian Swamp	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Gar	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	

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Goby	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	<p>This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed</p> <p>Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state</p> <p>Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state</p> <p>Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state</p> <p>Legal Aquatic; Import - Aquatic permit</p> <p>Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p> <p>Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA</p>
Goldfish	Yes	No	No	Yes		No	NA	
Grayling	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Ide	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Koi	Yes	No	No	Yes		No	NA	
Loach (<i>Misgurnus</i>)	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Mahseers	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Minnow, Brassy	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Minnow, Fathead	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Minnow, Plains	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Minnow, Suckermouth	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Minnow (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Muskellunge, Tiger	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Perch, African	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Perch, Sacramento	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Perch, White	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Perch, Yellow	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Pickrel, Chain	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Pike, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	

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Pikeminnow, Colorado	Yes*			Yes*		No	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Piranha	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Pumpkinseed	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Rudd	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Ruffe, Eurasian	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Salmon, Kokanee	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Salmon (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Sauger	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Saugeye	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Sculpin	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Shad, Gizzard	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Shiner, Common	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Shiner, River	No			No			No	
Smelt, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Snakehead	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Squawfish, Colorado	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	
Stickleback (<i>Apeltes</i> , <i>Aulorhynchus</i> , <i>Gasterosteus</i> and <i>Pungitius</i>)	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Stonecat	No			No			No	
Sucker, Bluehead	No			No			No	

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Sucker, Flannelmouth	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sucker, Longnose	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Sucker, Moutain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sucker, Razorback	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state
Sucker, Rio Grande	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state
Sucker, White	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Sunfish, Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Sunfish, Redear	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Tench	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Tilapia	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Topminnow, Plains	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Trahira	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Trout, Brook	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Trout, Brown	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Trout, Cutbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Trout, Cutthroat (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Greenback	Yes*	No	No	Yes*		No	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state
Trout, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA
Trout, Lake	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA

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Trout, Rainbow	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal. Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Game - Legal - Take - see fishing laws; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Prohibited - No pets Prohibited - No pets Legal Aquatic; Import - Aquatic permit Unregulated wildlife - Possess - No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Unregulated wildlife - Possess - No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Unregulated wildlife - Possess - No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by CDA Bans all fish except unregulated, game and Cyprinidae
Walleye	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Whitefish	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Wiper	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
Zander	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Anadromous (breed upstream)	No			No			NA	
Catadromous (breed downstream)	No			No			NA	
Cyprinidae (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Marine (unlisted)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Subtropical (23.5-26 N & 23.5-26 S)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Tropical (23.5 N to 23.5 S)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	NA	
Unlisted	No			No			NA	

HERPTILES

Caecilians

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
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Crocodylians

Caiman	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Crocodile, American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Crocodile, Saltwater	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit

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Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited - Limited to commercial permit
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Frogs								
Bullfrog	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Game - Unlimited take & possess; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
*Chorus, Boreal	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
*Chorus, Western	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Clawed, African	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	Yes	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - may allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Clawed (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - Possession: No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Cricket, Blanchard's	No			No			No	Nongame - Prohibited
Cricket, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - Prohibited
Glass (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - Possession: No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Gliding (<i>all tropical/subtropical</i>)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - Possession: No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Green	No			No			NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife
Harlequin (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - Possession: No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Leopard, Northern	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Out-of-state & captive-born: Unregulated wildlife; Import - Ag Entry permit
Leopard, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Out-of-state & captive-born: Unregulated wildlife; Import - Ag Entry permit
Leopard (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Out-of-state & captive-born: Unregulated wildlife; Import - Ag Entry permit
Narrow-mouthed	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - Possession: No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Northern Cricket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Paradox (<i>Pseudidae</i>)(all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Parsley	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Poison Dart	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Snake-neck (<i>Phrynomeridae</i>)(all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Southern (<i>Leptodactylidae</i>)(all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Tree (<i>Atelopodidae & Hylidae</i>) (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Treefrog, Canyon	No			No			No	
True Frogs (<i>Ranidae</i>) (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Wood	No			No			No	
Tropical/Subtropical	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	
Unlisted	No			No			NA	

Lizards

Alligator (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Anole (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Beaded (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Blind (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Brush (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Casquehead (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Chameleon (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Collared, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Collared (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Crag (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Dragon (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit

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*Earless, Common Lesser	Yes	Yes		Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Unregulated wildlife; Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Earless (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
*Fence, Plateau	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Flat (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Fringe-toed (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Galliwasp (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Gecko (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Gecko, Eyelid (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Gila Monster (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Girdled (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Girdle-tail (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Glass (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Grass (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Ground, Neotropical (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Horned, Round-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Horned, Texas	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Horned (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Iguana (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Iguana, Marine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Karusa (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Knob-scaled (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Leopard, Long-nose	No			No			No	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Leopard (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Monitor (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Monitor, Earless (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Night (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit

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*Prairie	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Racerunner, Six-lined	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
*Sagebrush, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Short-horned, Hernandez's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
*Side-blotched, Common	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Unregulated wildlife; Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Side-blotched (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Skink, African Snake	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Skink, Great Plains	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Skink, Many-lined	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Skink (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Slowworm (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Snake (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Spiny, Desert	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Spiny (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
*Tree, Ornate	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Tree (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
True (Wall) (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Whiptail, Colorado Checkered	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Whiptail, Common Checkered	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Whiptail, Plateau Striped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
*Whiptail, Tiger	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Unregulated wildlife; Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Whiptail (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Zebra-tailed (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Sauria Tropical/Subtropical	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited

Salamanders

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Tiger, Barred	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal. Out-of-state & captive-born: Unregulated wildlife; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit Out-of-state & captive-born: Unregulated wildlife; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit 50 take & possess; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit Unregulated wildlife - Possession: No CPW permit needed; Import - Aquatic permit & Ag Entry permit
Tiger	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	
Tiger (aquatic - larvae)	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
Unlisted	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA	

Snakes								
Black-headed, Plains	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Black-headed, Smith's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Boa, Rubber	No			No			No	Nongame - Prohibited
Boa (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Boa Constrictor	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Brown	No			No			No	Nongame - Prohibited
Coachwhip	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
<i>Colubridae</i> - Venomous	No			No			No	Prohibited - Limited to commercial permit
<i>Colubridae</i> - Nonvenomous (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Coral, False (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Garter, Black-necked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Garter, Common	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
*Garter, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
*Garter, Terrestrial	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Glossy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
*Gopher	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Green, Smooth	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ground, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hog-nosed, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - Prohibited

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*Hog-nosed, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Kingsnake, California	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Kingsnake, Speckled	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Lined Snake	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Long-nosed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Massasauga	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Milksnake	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Night, Chihuahuan	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Night, Desert	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Python (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
*Racer, North American	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Rat, Great Plains	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rattlesnake, Midget Faded	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rattlesnake, Prairie	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Small Game - Take 3/day & possess 6; Import - Ag Entry permit
Ribbon, Western	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ring-necked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shield-tailed (<i>Uropeltidae</i>) (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Sunbeam (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Thread, Texas	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Wart (<i>Acrochordidae</i>) (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Water, Northern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Whip, Striped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited

Toads

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Boreal	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	Yes	No	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.	
Burrowing, Mexican (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA		
Great Plains	No			No			No		
Green	No			No			No		
Marine	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	Yes	NA		
Narrow-mouthed, Western	No			No			No		
Oriental fire-bellied (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA		
Red-spotted	No			No			No		
Spadefoot, Couch's	No			No			No		
Spadefoot, Great Basin	No			No			No		
Spadefoot, Mexican	No			No			No		
*Spadefoot, Plains	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Spadefoot (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA		
Surinam (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA		
*Woodhouse's	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
True Toad (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	NA		
Unlisted	No			No			NA		
Tortoises									
All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA		Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Turtles								
	Legal as Pets	CPW Permit	Register	Legal for Pets	CPW Permit	CDA Permit	Legal for Pets	
*Box, Ornate	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp; Import - Ag Entry permit
Hawksbill	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Leatherback	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Loggerhead	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Mud, Yellow	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mud (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Musk (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
*Painted	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Nongame - 4/year take & possess - limit 12 all * herp Import - CPW permit & Ag Entry permit
Pig-nosed (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Ridley, Kemp's	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Ridley, Pacific	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
River, Central American (all tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Sea, Green	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Slider, Red-eared	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Snapping, Common	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Small Game - unlimited take & possess; Import - Ag Entry permit
Softshell, Spiny	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Softshell (rest tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited

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Worm Lizards

All (tropical/subtropical)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
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INSECTS

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	Not regulated by CPW
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INSECTIVORA/EULIPOTYPHLA (Gymnore, Hedgehog, Mole, Moonrat, Shrew)

Hedgehog, African Pygmy	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Hedgehog, Bare-bellied	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Hedgehog, Brandt's	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Hedgehog, Desert	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Hedgehog, Indian	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Hedgehog, Long-eared	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Hedgehog, Woodland (rest)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Mole, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Crawford's Desert	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Dwarf	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Elliot's Short-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Least	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Masked	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Merriam's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Montane	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Pygmy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Shrew, Water	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Unlisted	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

INVERTEBRATES (Rest)

Clam

Fingernail, Lake	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fingernail, Long	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fingernail, Striated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Pea, Ridgebeak	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pea, Shiny	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pea, Triangular	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pea, Ubiquitous	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pillclam, Quadrangular	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Native (rest)	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	Possession not regulated; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Not regulated by Ag
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans all aquatic wildlife except unregulated
Crabs								
Marine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Crayfish								
Calico	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Unlimited take & possess east of Continental Divide; Import - CPW permit - Not regulated by Ag
Ringed	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Unlimited take & possess east of Continental Divide; Import - CPW permit - Not regulated by Ag
Rusty	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Southern Plains	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Unlimited take & possess east of Continental Divide; Import - CPW permit - Not regulated by Ag
Virile	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Unlimited take & possess east of Continental Divide; Import - CPW permit - Not regulated by Ag
Waterynymph	Yes*	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Nongame - Unlimited take & possess east of Continental Divide; Import - CPW permit - Not regulated by Ag
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited

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Mussels

Floater, Giant	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Papershell, Cylindrical	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pondhorn	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Quagga	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Zebra	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans all aquatic wildlife except unregulated

Shrimp

Killer	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans all aquatic wildlife except unregulated

Snails

Ambersnail (unnamed)	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ambersnail, Blunt	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ambersnail, Niobrara	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ambersnail, Suboval	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ancylid, Cloche	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ancylid, Creeping	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Ancylid, Fragile	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aplexa, Ashy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aplexa, Glass	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aplexa, Lance	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aplexa, Pewter	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Aplexa, Protean	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aplexa, Tadpole	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Aplexa, Utah	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Apple	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Capshell, Rocky Mountain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Coil, Compound	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Coil, Smooth	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Column, Rocky Mountain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Column, Toothless	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Column, Widespread	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dagger, Rocky Mountain	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dagger, White-lipped	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Disc, Forrest	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fossaria, Carib	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fossaria, Golden	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fossaria, Prairie	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fossaria, Pygmy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Fossaria, Rock	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gloss, Quick	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Grass, Amber	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gyro, Ash	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gyro, Disc	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hive, Brown	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Hive, Wild	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Lymnaea, Cockerell	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Lymnaea, Mimic	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Lymnaea, Swamp	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Marshsnail, Wrinkled	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Melania, Quilted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mountainsnail, Lyrate	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mountainsnail, Rocky	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Mudsnail, New Zealand	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	This is only a guide of animals that MAY be legal in a state. Due to the extensive amount of laws involved that are constantly changing, UAPPEAL and contributors of these guides cannot guarantee the accuracy of the information. Users are responsible for checking all laws BEFORE getting an animal.
Mysterysnails (<i>Cipangopaludina</i> & <i>Viviparus</i>)	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	
Pillar, Glossy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Pondsnail, Marsh	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rams-horn, Giant	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Rams-horn, Marsh	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rams-horn, Mesa	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rams-horn, Two-ridge	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Snaggletooth, Armed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Snaggletooth, Comb	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Snaggletooth, Erie	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Snaggletooth, Lambda	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Snaggletooth, Slim	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Snaggletooth, White	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sprite, Sharp	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Sprite, Umbilicate	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Spruce	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vallonia, Costate	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vallonia, Lovely	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vallonia, Multirib	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Valvata, Mossy	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Valve, European	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Vertigo, Cross	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vertigo, Five-tooth	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vertigo, Ovate	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vertigo, Variable	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit

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Aquatic (rest)	No			No			NA	Bans all aquatic wildlife except unregulated
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Prohibited

Others

Amphipod, Ponto-Caspian echinogammarid	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Fieldslug, One-ridge	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Slug, Meadow	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Water Flea (<i>Daphnia lumholtzii</i>)	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Water Flea, Fishhook	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Water Flea, Spiny	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	Yes	No	NA	Prohibited aquatic wildlife - <u>may</u> allow pet in aquaria; Import - Aquatic permit - Not regulated by Ag
Marine (all)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - see Ag
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans all aquatic wildlife except unregulated

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

All	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
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MARSUPIALS

Kangaroo, Red	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Opossum, Virginia	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Possum, Common Brush-tailed	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Possum, Northern Brush-tailed	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Possum, Short-eared Brush-tailed	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Possum, Short-tailed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Sugar Glider	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Wallaby, Bennet	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit

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Wallaby, Dama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Wallaby, Swamp	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Walleroo	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

MUSTELIDS

Badger	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Ferret, Black-footed	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	Yes	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - Ag Entry permit
Ferret, European	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Marten	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Mink (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Mink, American	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Mink, Sea	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Otter, Marine	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Otter, Northern River	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	Yes	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - Ag Entry permit
Otter, Sea	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed (marine); Import - Ag Entry permit
Weasel, Long-tailed	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Weasel, Short-tailed	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Wolverine	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	√	No	Endangered - Only if legally imported from out-of-state
Unlisted	No			No			No	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

PRIMATES

All	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
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PROCYONIDS

Raccoon	No			No			No	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
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Ringtail	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

RODENTS

Beaver	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Chinchilla, Long-toed	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Chipmunk, Cliff	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chipmunk, Colorado	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chipmunk, Hopi	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chipmunk, Least	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Chipmunk, Uinta	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Dormouse, African	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Gerbil, Mongolian	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Gopher, Botta's Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gopher, Chestnut-faced Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - No pets
Gopher, Northern Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Gopher, Plains Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - No pets
Gopher, Valley Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - No pets
Guinea Pig	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Hamster, Ciscaucasian (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Hamster, Golden	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Hamster, Romanian (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Hamster, Turkish (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Kangaroo Rat, Ord's	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Marmot, Yellow-bellied	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Mouse, Brush	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Canyon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Common (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Mouse, Deer	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Great Basin Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Hispid Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Meadow Jumping	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess

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Mouse, Northern Grasshopper	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Northern Rock	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Olive-backed Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Pinyon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Plains Harvest	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Plains Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Preble's Meadow Jumping	Yes*	No	No	Yes*	No	Yes	No	Threatened - Only if legally imported from out-of-state; Import - see Ag
Mouse, Silky Pocket	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Striped (<i>Hybomys</i>)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Mouse, Western Harvest	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, Western Jumping	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Mouse, White-footed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Muskrat	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Porcupine, Brush-tailed	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Porcupine, North American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Prairie Dog, Black-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Prairie Dog, Gunnison's	No			No			No	Nongame - Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Prairie Dog, White-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Prairie Dog (rest)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Rat, Common (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Rat, Gambian Giant Pouched	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Rat, Hispid Cotton	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Squirrel, Abert's	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Squirrel, Golden-mantled Ground	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Squirrel, Grizzled Brown Rock	No			No			No	Nongame - No pets
Squirrel, Pine	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Squirrel, Rope (<i>Funisciurus</i>)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Squirrel, Rusty Red Fox	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Squirrel, Spotted Ground	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Squirrel, Sun (<i>Heliosciurus</i>)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Squirrel, Thirteen-lined Ground	No			No			No	Nongame - No pets
Squirrel, Tree	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets

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Squirrel, White-tailed Antelope	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Squirrel, Wyoming Ground	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Vole, Long-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Meadow	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Mogollon	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Montane	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Prairie	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Sagebrush	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Southern Red-backed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Vole, Western Heather	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Bushy-tailed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Desert	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Eastern	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Mexican	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Southern Plains	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Eastern White-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Woodrat, Western White-throated	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

UNGULATES

Artiodactyla

Bovidae (Wild cattle, goats, sheep)

Addax	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Bison, American (wild)	No			No			No	Nongame - No pets
Bison (and hybrids)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Blesbok	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Bontebok	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Buffalo, Asian Water	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - Ag Entry permit
Cattle (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - Ag Entry permit
Goat, Mountain	No			No			No	Game - No pets
Goat (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag

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Goat (nonnative to North America)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Hartebeest	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Orynx	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Sheep, Bighorn	No			No			No	Game - No pets
Sheep (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - Ag Entry permit
Sheep (nonnative to North America)	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Sassbaby	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Topi	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Wildebeest	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Yak	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

Cervid (Deer family)

Deer, Fallow	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Alternative Livestock license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Deer, Mule	No			No			No	Big Game - No pets
Deer, White-tailed	No			No			No	Big Game - No pets
Elk	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Alternative Livestock license; Import - Ag Entry permit
Moose	No			No			No	Big Game - No pets
Reindeer	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets

Suidae (Wild pigs)

Hog, Feral	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Invasive Wildlife
Swine (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - Ag permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Invasive Wildlife

Others

Peccary	No			No			NA	Terrestrial Invasive Wildlife
Pronghorn	No			No			No	Big Game - No pets
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Perissodactyla (Horse, Camel, Zebra, etc)

Alpaca	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Ass (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Burro (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Camel, Bactrian	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Camel, Dromedary	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Donkey (domestic)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Horse (domestic & hybrids)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Llama	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Zebra (and hybrid)	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	NA	Unregulated wildlife - No CPW permit needed; Import - Ag Entry permit
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

VIVERRIDS

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XENARTHRA/EDENTATA (Anteater, Armadillo, Sloth)

Armadillo, Nine-Banded	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

OTHER MAMMALS

Hare, Snowshoe	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Jackrabbit, Black-tailed	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Jackrabbit, White-tailed	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Pika, American	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Rabbit, Desert Cottontail	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Rabbit, Eastern Cottontail	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Rabbit, European	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	NA	Exempt domestic animal; Import - see Ag
Rabbit, Mountain Cottontail	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets
Skunk, Eastern Spotted	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Skunk, Striped	No			No			No	Terrestrial Wildlife - No pets
Skunk, Western Spotted	No			No			No	Small Game - No pets

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Skunk, White-backed Hog-nosed	No			No			No	Nongame - bans take & possess
Unlisted	No			No			NA	Bans exotic mammals after 1983

SUMMARY: Colorado only allows listed domestic animals, listed unregulated wildlife, alternative livestock, take and/or possession of up to 4 each and 12 total of certain native reptiles and amphibians, captive game birds under a noncommercial wildlife park license, and take and/or possession of game fish. Insects and arachnids that are not endangered/threatened are exempt from the law. Exotic mammals have been banned since 1983. All other species are banned. Care of any type of pet animal, wildlife or domestic, is regulated under the Pet Animal Care Facilities Act.

Sources:

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| 1 Wildlife | 2 CCR 406-11 |
| 2 Raptors | 2 CCR 406-6 |
| 3 Nongame | 2 CCR 406-10 |
| 4 Terrestrial Wildlife | 2 CCR 406-0 |
| 5 Aquatic Wildlife | 2 CCR 406-0 |
| 6 Snapping Turtle | 2 CCR 406-020 |

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.