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**DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN
 LABORATORY EXAMS
 March 2013**

Positive Animal
Skunk

County
Bollinger (1), Cape Girardeau (2), Perry (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 9
Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 6
Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 93*
Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 4
Percent Positive This Month: 4.12%
Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 290*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	122	1	Rodent/Rabbit:	7	0	2012: 28
Cat:	67	0	Other Domestic:	0	0	2011: 29
Bat:	45	0	Other Wild:	6	0	2010: 63
Skunk:	13	7	Exotic:	0	0	2009: 65
Fox:	1	0	Unknown:	0	0	2008: 64
Cow:	5	0	Total:	290	9	2007: 38
Horse:	6	1	Counties On Alert: Oregon, Wayne			2006: 66
Ferret:	0	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a positive result on a domestic animal or when threshold levels for wild animals have been exceeded.			2005: 73
Raccoon:	18	0				2004: 59
						2003: 43
						2002: 45

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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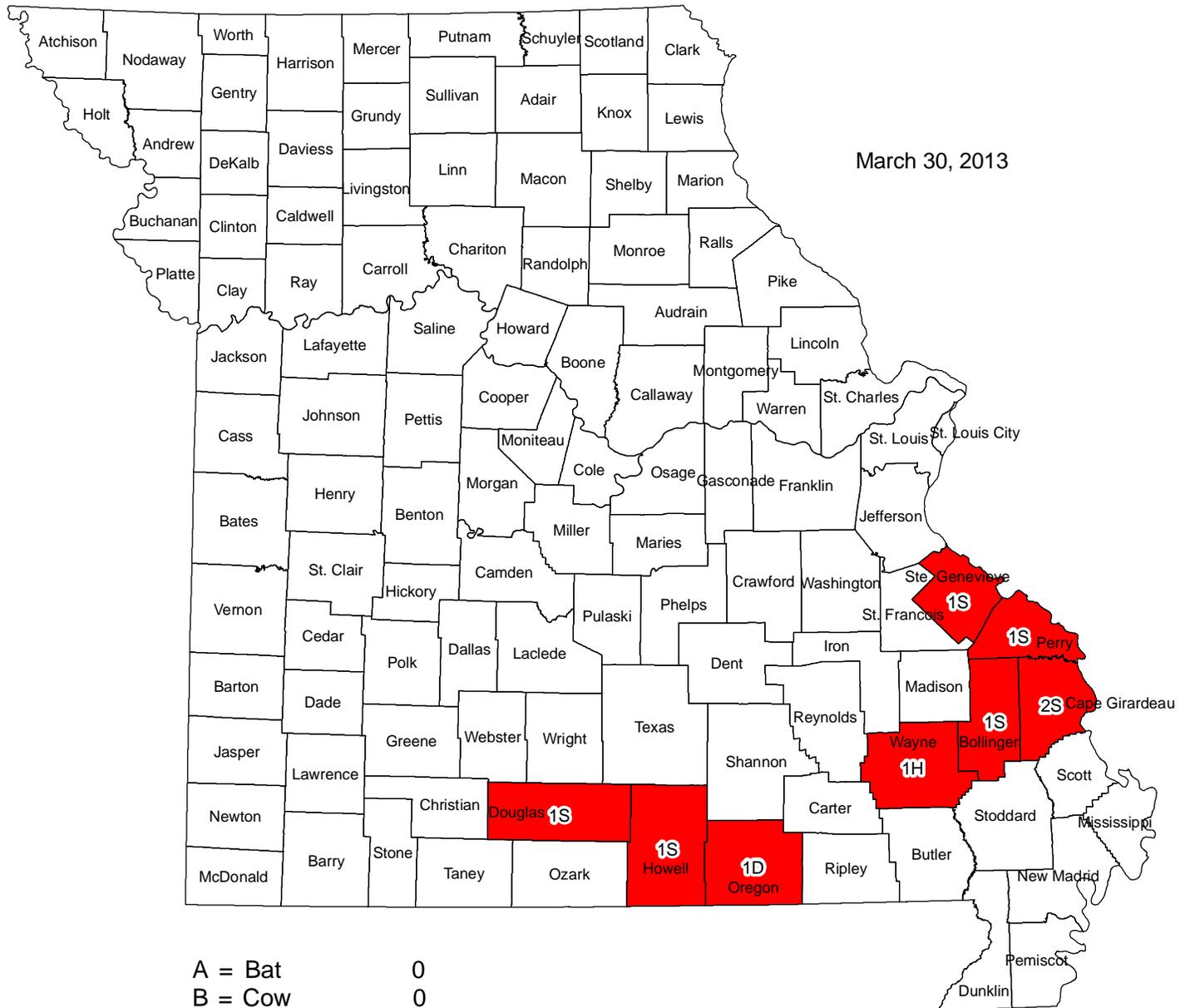
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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2013



A = Bat	0
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	0
D = Dog	1
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	1
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	7

Total	9

Counties with Animal Rabies