



DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS September 2007

Positive Animal

Bat

County

Franklin (1), St. Louis County (3)

Skunk

Howell (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 38

Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 58

Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 248*

Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 5

Percent Positive This Month: 1.98%

Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 2634*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	545	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	72	0	2006: 66
Cat:	476	0	Other Domestic:	5	0	2005: 73
Bat:	1395	33	Other Wild:	16	0	2004: 59
Skunk:	18	4	Exotic:	0	0	2003: 43
Fox:	0	0	Unknown:	0	0	2002: 45
Cow:	8	0	Total:	2634	38	2001: 40
Horse:	14	1	Counties On Alert: None			2000: 50
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.			1999: 31
Raccoon:	85	0				1998: 42
						1997: 31
						1996: 26

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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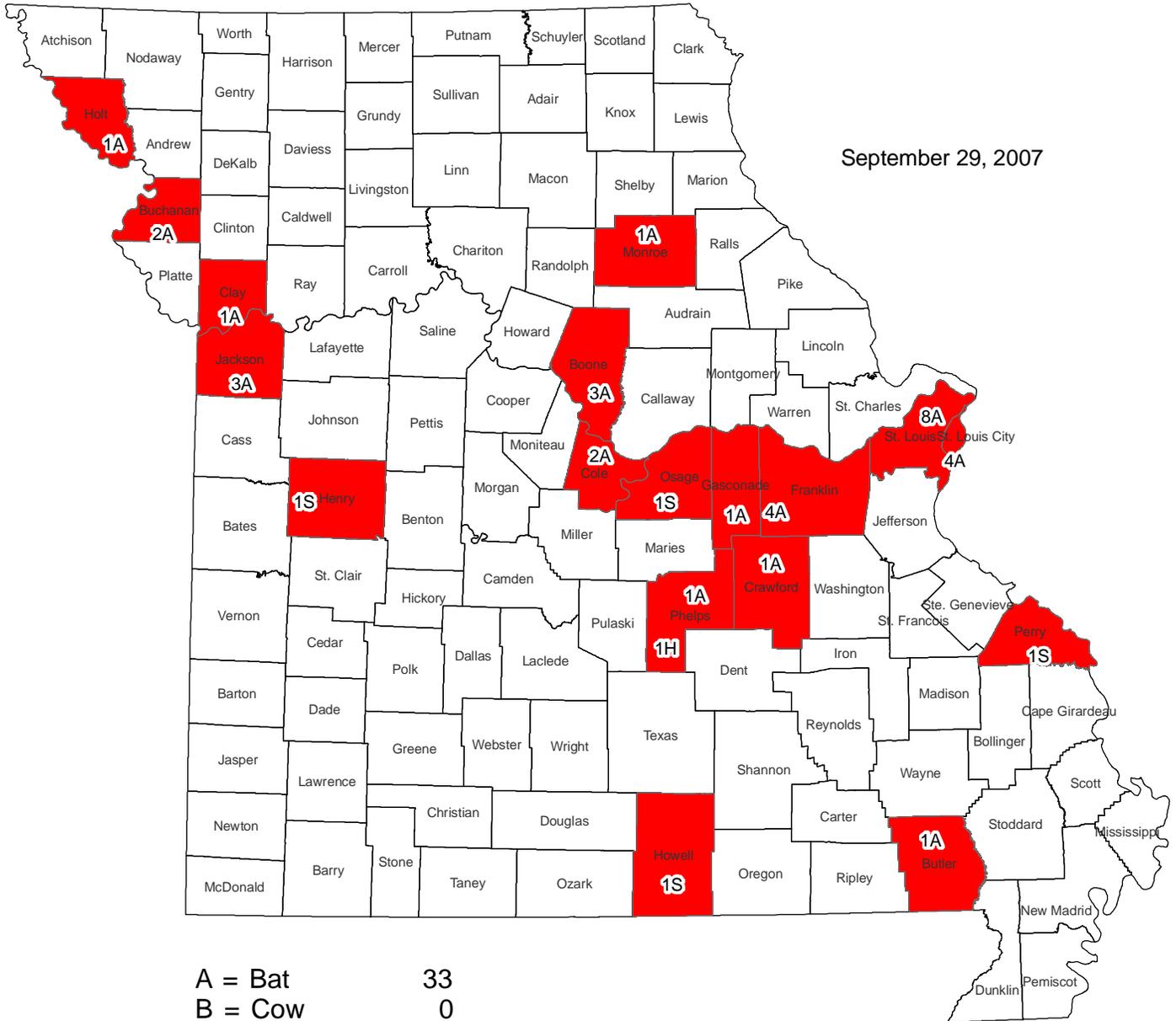
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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2007

September 29, 2007



A = Bat	33
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	0
D = Dog	0
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	1
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	4

Total	38

 Counties with Animal Rabies