DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS
September 2009

Positive Animal | County
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Bat | Boone (1), Camden (1), Howard (1), Maries (1), Randolph (1), St. Charles (1), St. Louis City (2), St. Louis County (3)
Skunk | Perry (1), Texas (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 59
Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 57
Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 399*
Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 13
Percent Positive This Month: 3.16%
Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 2904*

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Counties On Alert: Dent

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.

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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HP:rd
Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2009

October 3, 2009

A = Bat 45
B = Cow 0
C = Cat 1
D = Dog 0
F = Fox 0
H = Horse 0
R = Raccoon 0
S = Skunk 13

Total 59

Counties with Animal Rabies