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## DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS August 2018

<u>Positive Animal</u> <b>Bat</b>	<u>County</u> <b>Adair (1)</b> <b>Jefferson (1)</b>
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**Total Rabies Cases to Date: 13**  
**Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 15**  
**Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 309\***  
**Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 2**  
**Percent Positive This Month: 0.64%**  
**Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 1386\***

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	395	1	Rodent/Rabbit:	31	0	2016: 20
Cat:	274	0	Other Domestic:	13	0	2015: 31
Bat:	521	8	Other Wild:	25	0	2014: 27
Skunk:	20	4	Exotic:	1	0	2013: 39
Fox:	6	0	Unknown:	1	0	2012: 28
Cow:	15	0	<b>Total:</b>	<b>1386</b>	<b>13</b>	2011: 29
Horse:	11	0	<b>Counties On Alert: Johnson County</b>			2010: 63
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.			2009: 65
Raccoon:	73	0				2008: 64
						2007: 38
						2006: 66

\*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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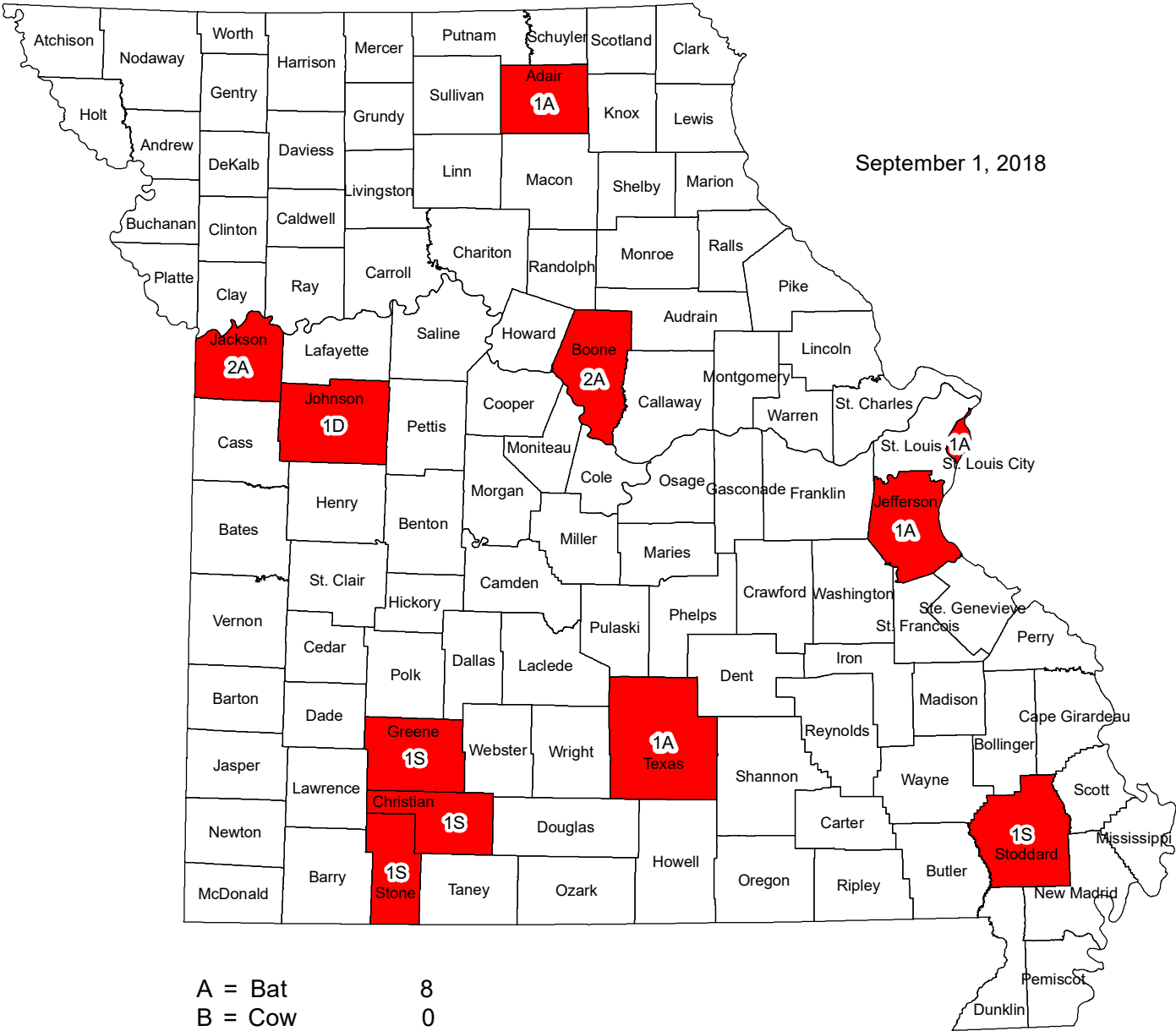
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# Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2018



A = Bat	8
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	0
D = Dog	1
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	0
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	4

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**Total** **13**

■ Counties with Animal Rabies