



**DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN  
 LABORATORY EXAMS  
 December 2018**

**Positive Animal**                      **County**  
**Cat**    **Howell (1)**

**Total Rabies Cases to Date: 19**  
**Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 20**  
**Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 112\***  
**Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 1**  
**Percent Positive This Month: 0.89%**  
**Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 1971\***

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	589	1	Rodent/Rabbit:	44	0	2018: 20
Cat:	399	1	Other Domestic:	23	0	2017: 20
Bat:	721	13	Other Wild:	35	0	2016: 25
Skunk:	23	4	Exotic:	2	0	2015: 31
Fox:	6	0	Unknown:	0	0	2014: 27
Cow:	16	0	<b>Total:</b>	<b>1971</b>	<b>19</b>	2013: 39
Horse:	14	0	<b>Counties On Alert:</b>			2012: 28
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.			2011: 29
Raccoon:	99	0				2010: 63
						2009: 65
						2008: 64

\*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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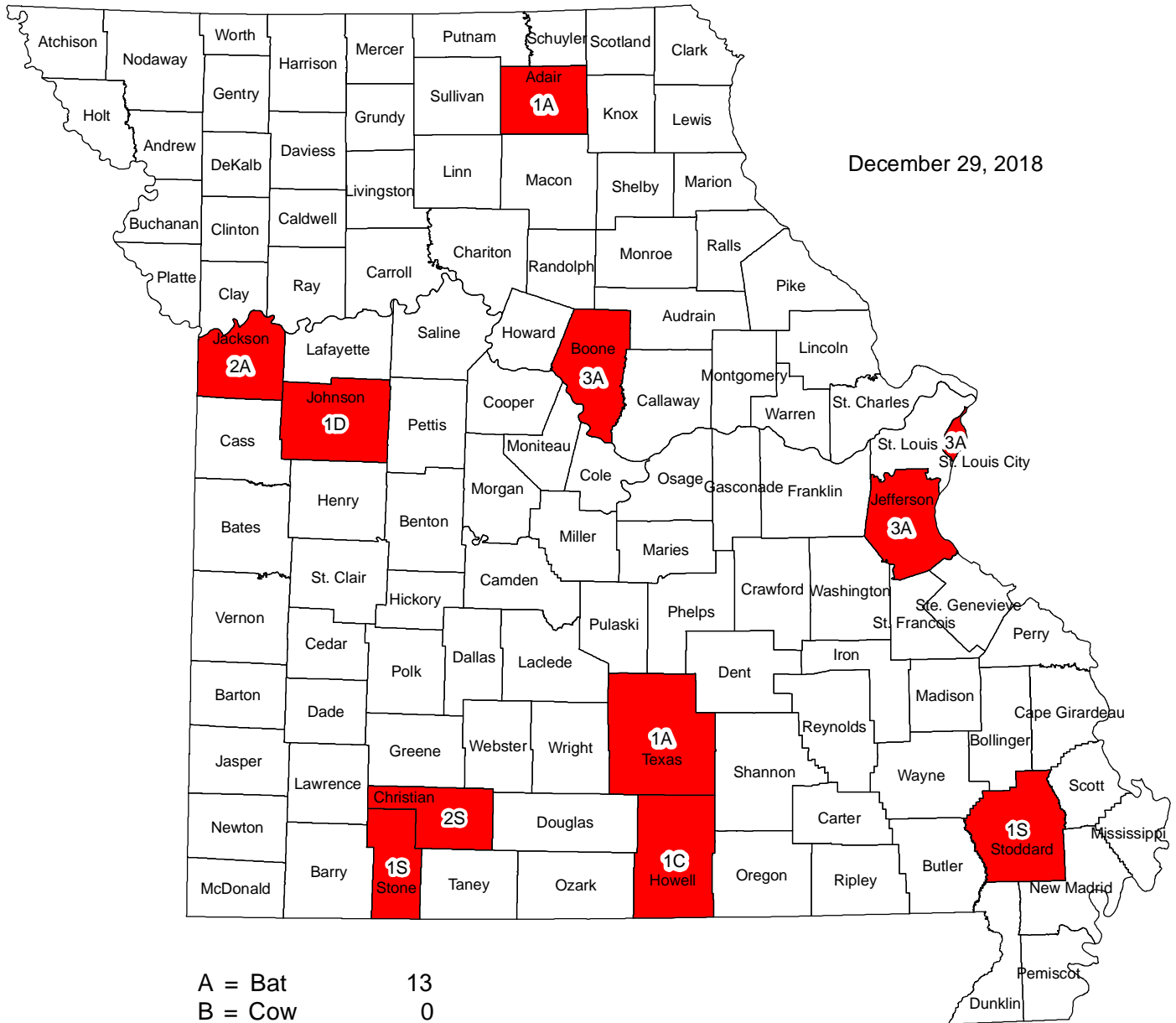
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# Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2018



A = Bat	13
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	1
D = Dog	1
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	0
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	4

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Total 19

Counties with Animal Rabies