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

05/29/22 – 07/02/22

<u>Positive Animal</u>	<u>County</u>
Bat (1)	Boone
Bat (1)	Callaway
Bat (1)	Jackson
Cat (1)	Jefferson
Bat (1)	St Louis Co

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 11
Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 4
Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 292*
Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 5
Percent Positive This Month: 1.71%
Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 931*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	302	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	23	0	2021: 19
Cat:	175	1	Other Domestic:	13	0	2020: 16
Bat:	350	9	Other Wild:	9	0	2019: 24
Skunk:	3	1	Exotic:	1	0	2018: 20
Fox:	0	0	Unknown:	0	0	2017: 20
Cow:	0	0	Total:	931	11	2016: 25
Horse:	3	0	Counties On Alert: None			2015: 31
Ferret:	1	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.			2014: 27
Raccoon:	51	0				2013: 39
						2012: 28
						2011: 29

*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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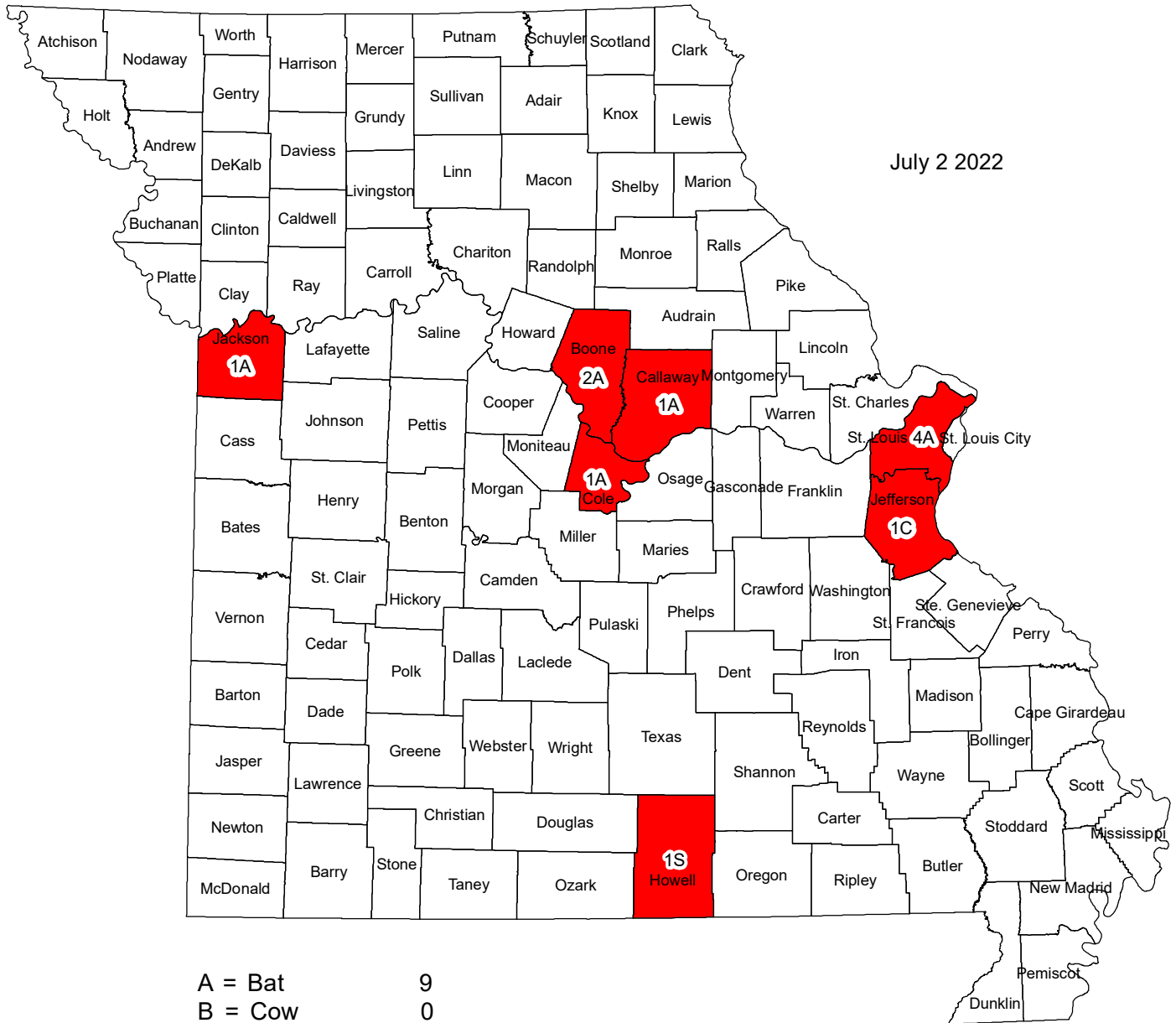
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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2022



A = Bat	9
B = Cow	0
C = Cat	1
D = Dog	0
F = Fox	0
H = Horse	0
R = Raccoon	0
S = Skunk	1

Total 11

Counties with Animal Rabies