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## DESCRIPTION OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN LABORATORY EXAMS October 2019

## **Positive Animal**

Bat Greene (1) Bat St. Francois (1)

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 22 Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 17 Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 156\* Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 2 Percent Positive This Month: 1.3% Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 1885\*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	By Year
						2018: 20
Dog:	580	0	Rodent/Rabbit:	33	0	2017: 20
Cat:	430	0	Other Domestic:	23	0	2016: 25
Bat:	677	21	Other Wild:	17	0	2015: 31
Skunk:	16	1	Exotic:	0	0	2014: 27
Fox:	5	0	Unknown:	0	0	2013: 39
Cow:	1	0	Total:	1885	22	2012: 28
Horse:	9	0	Counties On Alert:			2011: 29
Ferret:	0	0				2010: 63
Raccoon:	94	0	Counties are placed on alert when there is a			2009: 65
			positive result on a	2008: 64		
			threshold levels for exceeded.			

\*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

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## Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri 2019

