

## New Jersey Estimated Fur Trapping Harvest, 1973<sup>1</sup>-2019

As derived from New Jersey Trapper Harvest Surveys, unless otherwise noted

| Year                 | # Trappers | Muskrat | Raccoon | Red Fox            | Gray Fox | Mink    | Opossum | Skunk   | Weasel  | Beaver <sup>2</sup> | Otter <sup>3</sup> | Coyote <sup>4</sup> |
|----------------------|------------|---------|---------|--------------------|----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| 1973-74              | 2,893      | No data | No data | No data            | No data  | No data | No data | No data | No data | 64                  | No season          | No season           |
| 1974-75              | 3,192      | 472,847 | 14,669  | 5,525 <sup>5</sup> |          | 675     | 10,176  | 1,200   | 230     | 87                  | No season          | No season           |
| 1975-76              | 3,475      | 654,436 | 23,153  | 3,989              | 2,063    | 593     | 20,422  | 3,292   | 351     | 63                  | No season          | No season           |
| 1976-77              | 3,527      | 486,017 | 29,861  | 3,693              | 2,817    | 1,022   | 15,615  | 2,282   | 393     | 116                 | No season          | No season           |
| 1977-78              | 4,192      | 432,770 | 37,470  | 6,171              | 5,380    | 1,957   | 22,601  | 4,526   | 743     | 121                 | No season          | No season           |
| 1978-79              | 4,228      | 434,156 | 44,538  | 5,076              | 5,499    | 954     | 21,150  | 4,653   | 647     | 94                  | No season          | No season           |
| 1979-80              | 4,406      | 439,980 | 44,084  | 8,644              | 10,373   | 1,729   | 33,712  | 9,076   | 864     | 117                 | No season          | No season           |
| 1980-81              | 4,070      | 356,166 | 39,574  | 6,315              | 5,894    | 1,684   | 25,681  | 5,473   | 421     | 260                 | No season          | 1                   |
| 1981-82              | 3,492      | 330,030 | 43,928  | 8,398              | 7,486    | 1,178   | 25,004  | 4,636   | 418     | 215                 | 25                 | 2                   |
| 1982-83              | 3,071      | 397,789 | 42,053  | 7,023              | 6,408    | 1,208   | 25,674  | 4,548   | 323     | 113                 | 31                 | 3                   |
| 1983-84              | 2,262      | 329,836 | 31,999  | 8,813              | 6,523    | 1,606   | 14,072  | 3,536   | 339     | 125                 | 31                 | 6                   |
| 1984-85              | 1,837      | 252,247 | 33,969  | 7,398              | 5,607    | 1,045   | 15,703  | 3,073   | 149     | 130                 | 31                 | 5                   |
| 1985-86 <sup>6</sup> | 1,438      | 289,980 | 21,271  | 3,566              | 2,146    | 532     | 6,087   | 1,509   | 44      | 122                 | 37                 | 5                   |
| 1986-87              | 1,167      | 199,056 | 21,404  | 2,940              | 1,658    | 567     | 4,557   | 1,082   | 41      | 134                 | 22                 | 3                   |
| 1987-88              | 1,244      | 184,805 | 29,677  | 3,635              | 3,208    | 449     | 6,736   | 1,435   | 56      | 160                 | 32                 | 3                   |
| 1988-89              | 1,145      | 177,402 | 17,169  | 3,907              | 2,040    | 579     | 3,231   | 864     | 82      | 168                 | 33                 | 4                   |
| 1989-90              | 768        | 126,807 | 10,593  | 2,382              | 779      | 525     | 1,532   | 1,050   | 36      | 132                 | 29                 | 7                   |
| 1990-91              | 527        | 66,349  | 6,946   | 1,547              | 520      | 541     | 969     | 1,000   | 99      | 169                 | 34                 | 4                   |
| 1991-92              | 454        | 72,909  | 6,788   | 1,831              | 513      | 323     | 1,091   | 882     | 4       | 152                 | 38                 | 5                   |
| 1992-93              | 494        | 78,228  | 6,618   | 1,800              | 995      | 658     | 1,455   | 730     | 5       | 168                 | 39                 | 4                   |
| 1993-94              | 462        | 42,278  | 4,200   | 1,495              | 480      | 114     | 490     | 321     | 0       | 113                 | 22                 | 3                   |
| 1994-95              | 468        | 56,737  | 4,679   | 2,209              | 1,027    | 572     | 1,052   | 398     | 0       | 172                 | 30                 | 7                   |
| 1995-96              | 560        | 82,506  | 3,941   | 1,545              | 931      | 704     | 918     | 459     | 7       | 266                 | 34                 | 4                   |
| 1996-97              | 502        | 74,837  | 6,907   | 3,219              | 647      | 828     | 1,893   | 450     | 0       | 304                 | 46                 | 12                  |
| 1997-98              | 628        | 81,351  | 7,168   | 2,199              | 383      | 556     | 1,565   | 333     | 5       | 288                 | 49                 | 7                   |
| 1998-99              | 596        | 66,736  | 4,437   | 1,066              | 217      | 434     | 1,298   | 460     | 27      | 329                 | 50                 | 1                   |
| 1999-00              | 463        | 33,185  | 2,085   | 611                | 199      | 454     | 399     | 185     | 20      | 399                 | 37                 | 6                   |
| 2000-01              | 464        | 70,882  | 3,436   | 1,578              | 141      | 665     | 586     | 178     | 0       | 463                 | 39                 | 6                   |
| 2001-02              | 509        | 49,590  | 3,864   | 1,899              | 186      | 694     | 565     | 351     | 0       | 607                 | 59                 | 8                   |
| 2002-03              | 569        | 36,402  | 3,845   | 2,972              | 293      | 617     | 433     | 135     | 0       | 501                 | 51                 | 31                  |
| 2003-04              | 610        | 56,413  | 3,994   | 2,477              | 348      | 639     | 544     | 219     | 4       | 496                 | 46                 | 59                  |
| 2004-05              | 609        | 39,208  | 4,629   | 2,666              | 220      | 897     | 621     | 303     | 9       | 579                 | 49                 | 46                  |
| 2005-06              | 608        | 34,465  | 4,041   | 3,144              | 232      | 1,656   | 234     | 366     | 23      | 632                 | 51                 | 85 <sup>7</sup>     |
| 2006-07              | 723        | 33,747  | 3,741   | 3,108              | 164      | 981     | 813     | 151     | 17      | 711                 | 42                 | 107                 |
| 2007-08              | 799        | 25,721  | 5,870   | 3,263              | 144      | 1,052   | 1,199   | 160     | 9       | 653                 | 40                 | 90                  |

<sup>1</sup> A separate Trapping license was established in calendar year 1973.

<sup>2</sup> Actual harvest figures as reported annually at official checking stations.

<sup>3</sup> Actual harvest figures as reported annually at official checking stations.

<sup>4</sup> Reported harvest figures as required annually to Division Law Enforcement Offices.

<sup>5</sup> Combined total for both gray fox and red fox.

<sup>6</sup> Steel-jawed leghold type traps (i.e., coil-springs and longsprings) were prohibited as of October 27, 1985.

<sup>7</sup> Change in cable restraint regulations to increase loop diameter and maximum height above walking surface.

|         |       |        |                     |       |     |       |       |     |    |     |    |     |
|---------|-------|--------|---------------------|-------|-----|-------|-------|-----|----|-----|----|-----|
| 2008-09 | 881   | 28,089 | 4,921               | 2,504 | 108 | 573   | 817   | 180 | 7  | 523 | 39 | 93  |
| 2009-10 | 930   | 36,933 | 4,902               | 2,461 | 102 | 1,092 | 722   | 168 | 0  | 607 | 48 | 69  |
| 2010-11 | 1,061 | 37,842 | 5,593               | 3,534 | 134 | 1,224 | 849   | 123 | 5  | 426 | 51 | 171 |
| 2011-12 | 1,050 | 44,599 | 7,943               | 5,293 | 105 | 1,491 | 932   | 297 | 7  | 711 | 37 | 162 |
| 2012-13 | 1,161 | 21,229 | 6,231               | 5,967 | 164 | 1,086 | 1,121 | 295 | 5  | 708 | 52 | 243 |
| 2013-14 | 1,330 | 26,071 | 9,647               | 6,871 | 234 | 1,460 | 1,124 | 270 | 0  | 594 | 43 | 194 |
| 2014-15 | 1,408 | 17,098 | 7,096               | 9,068 | 181 | 963   | 1,148 | 248 | 3  | 660 | 45 | 197 |
| 2015-16 | 1,405 | 17,298 | 12,607 <sup>8</sup> | 8,781 | 202 | 1,987 | 1,106 | 798 | 15 | 697 | 51 | 171 |
| 2016-17 | 1,268 | 10,644 | 3,724               | 3,575 | 96  | 752   | 513   | 326 | 0  | 765 | 40 | 195 |
| 2017-18 | 1,200 | 9,279  | 4,233               | 3,822 | 97  | 824   | 467   | 129 | 3  | 613 | 51 | 198 |
| 2018-19 | 1,120 | 4,558  | 3,277               | 3,613 | 130 | 1,027 | 649   | 289 | 12 | 608 | 39 | 144 |

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<sup>8</sup> Foot encapsulating traps (also known as dog-proof traps and/or species-specific traps) were added to the list of legal trapping devices.