

TABLE 2-6. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BIG GAME ANIMALS ON PUBLIC LANDS /a/
FOR FISCAL YEAR 1998

Administrative State	Antelope	Barbary Sheep	Bear	Bighorn Sheep	Buffalo	Caribou
Alaska	0	0	7,600	900	300	940,000
Arizona	1,260	0	96	3,046	0	0
California	405	0	675	40	0	0
Colorado	13,219	31	2,055	1,830	0	0
Eastern States	0	0	4	0	0	0
Idaho	14,000	0	1,350	2,282	0	0
Montana	90,000	0	600	1,275	0	0
Nevada	10,634	0	0	4,956	0	0
New Mexico	7,320	450	181	170	0	0
Oregon	11,500	50	2,317	1,332	0	0
Utah	12,259	0	515	2,380	493	0
Wyoming	222,998	0	492	1,136	10	0
Total	383,595	531	15,885	19,347	803	940,000

TABLE 2-6. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BIG GAME ANIMALS ON PUBLIC LANDS
FOR FISCAL YEAR 1998--concluded

Administrative State	Deer	Elk	Javelina Wild Boar	Moose	Mountain Goat	Turkey
Alaska	625	0	0	26,500	100	0
Arizona	41,800	129	11,400	0	0	525
California	14,900	670	450	0	0	7,455
Colorado	292,800	91,375	0	38	15	3,435
Eastern States	120	0	0	0	0	40
Montana	91,500	20,700	0	500	285	2,500
Nevada	95,500	2,300	0	2	0	70
New Mexico	31,330	6,000	3,470	0	0	1,000
Oregon	180,100	11,130	0	60	100	12,130
Utah	188,000	16,700	0	0	73	835
Wyoming	244,300	31,900	0	2,430	70	1,430
Total	1,275,775	201,904	15,320	30,395	759	30,010

/a/ For the purposes of this table, the term "public lands" refers to those lands managed by the BLM.

Note: Due to the relatively static nature of the numbers of wildlife on public lands, this table will be updated on a 5-year basis unless a significant change in population numbers is observed. The next updated information will be published in 1999. The information provided above is from the 1995 PLS publication.