

Table 5-13a. WILD FREE-ROAMING HORSE AND BURRO ADOPTIONS, BY STATE, FISCAL YEAR 2018

Administrative State¹	<i>Horses adopted FY 1971 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Burros adopted FY 1971 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Total adopted FY 1971 to FY 2017²</i>	<i>Horses adopted FY 2018</i>	<i>Burros adopted FY 2018</i>	<i>Total adopted FY 2018</i>
Arizona	4,342	3,360	7,702	148	199	347
California	20,331	7,499	27,830	270	183	453
Colorado	8,276	1,015	9,291	141	48	189
Eastern States	65,968	15,711	81,679	634	70	704
Idaho	4,948	372	5,320	128	34	162
Montana	10,098	1323	11,421	76	17	93
Nevada	4,816	379	5,195	50	12	62
New Mexico	24,473	4,194	28,667	280	30	310
Oregon	15,353	1,431	16,784	218	1	219
Utah	6,994	731	7,725	237	38	275
Wyoming	17,585	1,238	18,823	215	32	247
National Program Office	23,387	1,761	25,148	62	35	97
Total	206,571	39,014	245,585	2,459	699	3,158

Note: Mules are reported as burros.

¹ Before 1996, adoptions were reported by geographic state, including the District of Columbia. Since 1996, adoptions have been reported by the BLM administrative state. Beginning in 1999, adoptions conducted in the national centers; Elm Creek, Nebraska; and Palomino Valley, Nevada, have been reported under the National Program Office. California also administers the wild horse and burro program in Hawaii; Eastern States Office administers the program in the 31 states east of and bordering on the Mississippi River, plus the District of Columbia; Montana also administers the program in North Dakota and South Dakota; New Mexico also administers the program in Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas; Oregon also administers the program in the State of Washington; and Wyoming also administers the program in Nebraska.

² Historical adoption numbers have been adjusted to account for animals that have been returned or re-adopted. Due to jurisdictional changes in the Wild Horse and Burro Program over the years, New Mexico and National Program Office adoption numbers have changed.

Table 5-13b. WILD FREE-ROAMING HORSE AND BURRO REMOVALS, BY STATE, FISCAL YEAR 2018

Administrative State	<i>Horses Removed FY 1971 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Burros Removed FY 1971 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Total Removed¹ FY 1971 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Horses Removed FY 2018</i>	<i>Burros Removed FY 2018</i>	<i>Total Removed² FY 2018</i>
Arizona	225	11,368	11,593	1	858	859
California	17,149	10,090	27,239	2	340	342
Colorado	4,527	0	4,527	27	0	27
Idaho	3,606	0	3,606	7	0	7
Montana	488	3	491	1	0	1
Nevada	131,436	8,090	139,526	5,328	525	5,853
New Mexico	712	11	723	0	0	0
Oregon	18,413	22	18,435	222	0	222
Utah	13,926	442	14,368	1,120	0	1,120
Wyoming	37,591	3	37,594	3,041	0	3,041
<i>Total</i>	<i>228,073</i>	<i>30,029</i>	<i>258,102</i>	<i>9,749</i>	<i>1,723</i>	<i>11,472</i>

Note: Mules are reported as burros.

¹ Historical removal numbers from U.S. Forest Service land are incorporated in BLM administrative state totals.

² Removal numbers for FY 2018 include 231 animals removed from U.S. Forest Service land; all from Nevada.

Table 5-13c. WILD FREE-ROAMING HORSE AND BURRO SALES, BY STATE, FISCAL YEAR 2018

Administrative State	<i>Horses sold FY 2005 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Burros sold FY 2005 to FY 2017</i>	<i>Total sold FY 2018¹</i>	<i>Horses sold FY 2018</i>	<i>Burros sold FY 2018</i>	<i>Total sold FY 2018</i>
Arizona	16	39	55	102	9	111
California	520	263	783	69	34	103
Colorado	1,241	22	1,263	11	7	18
Eastern States	859	115	974	476	45	521
Idaho	36	0	36	10	0	10
Montana	5	0	5	55	6	61
Nevada	9	6	15	0	0	0
New Mexico	135	70	205	344	37	381
Oregon	137	1	138	31	0	31
Utah	318	58	376	34	97	131
Wyoming	215	4	219	0	0	0
National Program Office	2,400	201	2,601	69	15	84
Total	5,891	779	6,670	1,201	250	1,451

Note: Mules are reported as burros.

¹ The Wild Free-Roaming Horses and Burros Act of 1971 was amended in FY 2005 to allow the sale of animals 11 years and older and those that have been offered for adoption three times and were not adopted.