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PREFACE

Harvest estimates reported herein for the 2010 furbearer seasons were developed as described for other species in Wildlife Survey Manual, 2009-2015, South Dakota Department of Game, Fish and Parks. If species specific methodologies are not reported there, the methodologies are presented within this report.

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FURBEARER HARVEST SUMMARY

Individual furbearer seasons had different season dates, license requirements, and open areas within the state and are discussed later in separate sections. This report only includes harvest from furbearer license holders, therefore harvest for coyotes, red fox, gray fox, skunks, raccoons and badgers are minimal estimates. Any resident or nonresident with a predator/varmint license or any type of hunting license was eligible to hunt those species.

Harvest surveys were sent to resident and nonresident furbearer license holders who had a 2010 license or a 2011 license that was purchased prior to May 1, 2011 and response rates were 65.9% and 86.2% respectively.

In the 2010/2011 seasons, there were 246,417 resident and 136,050 nonresident licenses issued that allowed holders to hunt furbearers. Of those, only 2,405 residents and 29 nonresidents had licenses that allowed trapping of furbearers. Some 2010 furbearer license holders also purchased 2011 licenses that were valid during the 2010 seasons. In addition to those who had both 2010 and 2011 licenses, 770 residents and 63 nonresidents purchased 2011 licenses prior to May 1, 2011 making them eligible to hunt or trap the 2010 seasons.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons.

Furbearer harvest by nonresidents was negligible for all species except muskrat and most harvest tables included in this report show distributions for residents only.

When asked their satisfaction on the seasons, (1 being least satisfied, 7 being most satisfied), resident hunters/trappers reported an average satisfaction level of 5.18, while nonresidents reported a higher rating of 6.42.

Survey participants reported 96 observations of river otters or their sign and 76 observations of swift fox during the year prior to receiving the survey.

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| FURBEARER HARVEST PROJECTIONS FOR 2010-11 | | | |
|--|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| <i>Revised: 2 Aug 2011</i> | Resident | Nonresident | Totals |
| Licenses Sold* | 3,175 | 92 | 3,267 |
| Projected ACTIVE TRAPPERS/HUNTERS | 1,911 | 86 | 1,997 |
| Projected Black Hills TRAPPERS/HUNTERS | 145 | 1 | 146 |
| Trapping Harvest | | | |
| Coyotes | 3,189 | 0 | 3,189 |
| Red Fox | 1,019 | 0 | 1,019 |
| Gray Fox | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Bobcat | 464 | 0 | 464 |
| Raccoon | 26,936 | 437 | 27,373 |
| Beaver | 2,335 | 77 | 2,411 |
| Muskrat | 297,152 | 103,851 | 401,003 |
| Mink | 3,892 | 38 | 3,930 |
| Weasel | 191 | 3 | 195 |
| Badger | 1,283 | 0 | 1,283 |
| Opossum | 2,543 | 0 | 2,543 |
| Striped Skunk | 7,404 | 10 | 7,414 |
| Spotted Skunk | 183 | 0 | 183 |
| Hunting Harvest | | | |
| Coyotes | 6,385 | 9 | 6,394 |
| Red Fox | 599 | 0 | 599 |
| Gray Fox | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bobcat | 202 | 0 | 202 |
| Raccoon | 9,425 | 6 | 9,431 |
| Beaver | 672 | 0 | 672 |
| Muskrat | 3,342 | 63 | 3,405 |
| Mink | 22 | 0 | 22 |
| Weasel | 6 | 0 | 6 |
| Badger | 364 | 0 | 364 |
| Opossum | 253 | 0 | 253 |
| Striped Skunk | 2,045 | 0 | 2,045 |
| Spotted Skunk | 28 | 18 | 46 |
| Total Harvest | | | |
| Coyotes | 9,574 | 9 | 9,583 |
| Red Fox | 1,618 | 0 | 1,618 |
| Gray Fox | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| Bobcat | 666 | 0 | 666 |
| Raccoon | 36,361 | 443 | 36,804 |
| Beaver | 3,007 | 77 | 3,084 |
| Muskrat | 300,494 | 103,914 | 404,408 |
| Mink | 3,914 | 38 | 3,952 |
| Weasel | 197 | 3 | 201 |
| Badger | 1,647 | 0 | 1,647 |
| Opossum | 2,797 | 0 | 2,797 |
| Striped Skunk | 9,448 | 10 | 9,459 |
| Spotted Skunk | 211 | 18 | 229 |
| Furbearer Mean Satisfaction Score ** | 5.18 | 6.42 | 5.22 |
| * Licenses sold for the 2010 licensing year (15 Dec 2009 - 31 Jan 2011) and the 2011 licensing year (15 Dec 2010 - 31 Jan 2011) purchased prior to 1 May 2011 (833 licenseholders) | | | |
| ** Based on scale of 1-7 with 1="very dissatisfied" and 7="very satisfied" | | | |

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| Total Furbearer Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| COUNTY | Coyote | Red Fox | Bobcat | Raccoon | Beaver | Muskrat | Mink | Weasel | Badger | Opossum | Striped Skunk | Spotted Skunk | Total Harvest | % of Total |
| Minnehaha | 295 | 57 | 2 | 1,217 | 153 | 5,424 | 193 | 2 | 32 | 203 | 357 | 4 | 7,938 | 1.7 |
| Pennington | 134 | 17 | 102 | 127 | 58 | 52 | 20 | 0 | 35 | 0 | 134 | 0 | 680 | 0.1 |
| Brown | 541 | 52 | 0 | 2,472 | 16 | 46,856 | 45 | 33 | 196 | 6 | 581 | 0 | 50,799 | 10.7 |
| Beadle | 150 | 0 | 0 | 616 | 71 | 7,843 | 68 | 7 | 89 | 56 | 157 | 33 | 9,089 | 1.9 |
| Codington | 141 | 4 | 0 | 878 | 53 | 29,013 | 430 | 21 | 17 | 5 | 220 | 0 | 30,782 | 6.5 |
| Brookings | 167 | 8 | 0 | 1,104 | 49 | 7,962 | 123 | 9 | 23 | 110 | 377 | 0 | 9,932 | 2.1 |
| Yankton | 96 | 13 | 0 | 837 | 35 | 13,563 | 8 | 0 | 7 | 205 | 201 | 0 | 14,963 | 3.2 |
| Davison | 181 | 36 | 0 | 586 | 30 | 1,845 | 93 | 0 | 8 | 241 | 315 | 2 | 3,337 | 0.7 |
| Lawrence | 77 | 0 | 13 | 238 | 3 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 364 | 0.1 |
| Aurora | 43 | 4 | 0 | 210 | 2 | 4,201 | 5 | 0 | 22 | 24 | 72 | 0 | 4,581 | 1.0 |
| Bennett | 36 | 0 | 0 | 109 | 15 | 37 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 48 | 0 | 254 | 0.1 |
| Bon Homme | 93 | 36 | 0 | 2,469 | 112 | 11,089 | 29 | 0 | 47 | 164 | 183 | 0 | 14,222 | 3.0 |
| Brule | 74 | 9 | 0 | 218 | 2 | 846 | 2 | 2 | 25 | 74 | 137 | 22 | 1,410 | 0.3 |
| Buffalo | 66 | 0 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 9 | 10 | 6 | 127 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 165 | 149 | 8 | 1,043 | 93 | 88 | 29 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 111 | 0 | 1,697 | 0.4 |
| Campbell | 20 | 0 | 0 | 178 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 202 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 101 | 31 | 3 | 378 | 46 | 693 | 11 | 0 | 20 | 81 | 189 | 31 | 1,584 | 0.3 |
| Clark | 295 | 6 | 0 | 736 | 151 | 49,858 | 602 | 12 | 8 | 14 | 411 | 0 | 52,093 | 11.0 |
| Clay | 93 | 20 | 0 | 1,217 | 303 | 1,850 | 45 | 0 | 22 | 141 | 132 | 0 | 3,822 | 0.8 |
| Corson | 332 | 19 | 7 | 33 | 5 | 255 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 61 | 0 | 724 | 0.2 |
| Custer | 114 | 14 | 64 | 156 | 9 | 0 | 79 | 2 | 25 | 0 | 75 | 0 | 538 | 0.1 |
| Day | 409 | 14 | 0 | 987 | 71 | 63,447 | 256 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 418 | 0 | 65,612 | 13.8 |
| Deuel | 95 | 14 | 0 | 928 | 64 | 8,239 | 110 | 0 | 8 | 42 | 260 | 0 | 9,759 | 2.1 |
| Dewey | 66 | 0 | 0 | 26 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 121 | 0.0 |
| Douglas | 74 | 7 | 0 | 323 | 26 | 510 | 22 | 0 | 3 | 48 | 68 | 0 | 1,081 | 0.2 |
| Edmunds | 48 | 22 | 0 | 432 | 0 | 239 | 40 | 0 | 49 | 5 | 719 | 39 | 1,593 | 0.3 |
| Fall River | 321 | 52 | 51 | 123 | 21 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 51 | 14 | 184 | 0 | 836 | 0.2 |
| Faulk | 3 | 0 | 0 | 206 | 16 | 38 | 3 | 0 | 4 | 16 | 116 | 0 | 402 | 0.1 |
| Grant | 114 | 6 | 0 | 1,228 | 265 | 7,771 | 247 | 52 | 27 | 122 | 427 | 0 | 10,259 | 2.2 |
| Gregory | 55 | 79 | 32 | 302 | 25 | 63 | 8 | 2 | 26 | 119 | 179 | 0 | 889 | 0.2 |
| Haakon | 332 | 22 | 23 | 153 | 8 | 125 | 4 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 152 | 0 | 849 | 0.2 |
| Hamlin | 125 | 6 | 0 | 400 | 33 | 9,730 | 20 | 26 | 0 | 64 | 121 | 0 | 10,524 | 2.2 |
| Hand | 86 | 39 | 0 | 155 | 7 | 44 | 3 | 0 | 25 | 16 | 75 | 10 | 459 | 0.1 |
| Hanson | 88 | 4 | 0 | 721 | 56 | 3,718 | 34 | 0 | 46 | 49 | 145 | 18 | 4,879 | 1.0 |
| Harding | 137 | 45 | 21 | 75 | 35 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 41 | 0 | 95 | 0 | 456 | 0.1 |
| Hughes | 46 | 12 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 94 | 0.0 |
| Hutchinson | 271 | 28 | 0 | 631 | 176 | 4,218 | 26 | 2 | 28 | 103 | 178 | 0 | 5,661 | 1.2 |
| Hyde | 21 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 51 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 139 | 5 | 74 | 43 | 0 | 26 | 0 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 56 | 0 | 373 | 0.1 |
| Jerauld | 93 | 14 | 0 | 138 | 15 | 693 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 970 | 0.2 |
| Jones | 184 | 12 | 8 | 26 | 0 | 389 | 541 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 34 | 0 | 1,198 | 0.3 |
| Kingsbury | 66 | 11 | 0 | 361 | 15 | 14,969 | 8 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 100 | 0 | 15,538 | 3.3 |
| Lake | 90 | 96 | 0 | 2,094 | 74 | 22,896 | 167 | 0 | 10 | 27 | 136 | 0 | 25,589 | 5.4 |
| Lincoln | 118 | 23 | 0 | 1,228 | 35 | 4,825 | 94 | 0 | 25 | 175 | 117 | 4 | 6,645 | 1.4 |
| Lyman | 132 | 2 | 7 | 268 | 56 | 333 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 53 | 0 | 871 | 0.2 |
| McCook | 44 | 36 | 0 | 1,684 | 20 | 26,328 | 112 | 2 | 15 | 38 | 191 | 6 | 28,475 | 6.0 |
| McPherson | 93 | 3 | 4 | 99 | 0 | 321 | 0 | 0 | 191 | 0 | 142 | 0 | 852 | 0.2 |
| Marshall | 55 | 0 | 0 | 254 | 15 | 15,468 | 34 | 7 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 15,845 | 3.3 |
| Meade | 262 | 7 | 21 | 342 | 16 | 26 | 17 | 0 | 36 | 0 | 119 | 0 | 846 | 0.2 |
| Mellette | 478 | 2 | 139 | 246 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 14 | 104 | 0 | 1,012 | 0.2 |
| Miner | 39 | 8 | 0 | 408 | 12 | 10,397 | 8 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 50 | 0 | 10,939 | 2.3 |
| Moody | 303 | 50 | 0 | 878 | 79 | 3,478 | 54 | 3 | 41 | 67 | 294 | 0 | 5,249 | 1.1 |
| Perkins | 287 | 68 | 19 | 446 | 38 | 243 | 2 | 0 | 34 | 0 | 88 | 0 | 1,225 | 0.3 |
| Potter | 23 | 0 | 0 | 31 | 2 | 778 | 3 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 5 | 18 | 874 | 0.2 |
| Roberts | 238 | 99 | 0 | 262 | 53 | 8,602 | 46 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 82 | 0 | 9,395 | 2.0 |
| Sanborn | 25 | 0 | 0 | 344 | 2 | 1,786 | 23 | 0 | 7 | 130 | 125 | 10 | 2,452 | 0.5 |
| Spink | 60 | 19 | 0 | 1,867 | 15 | 6,806 | 106 | 0 | 32 | 5 | 84 | 0 | 8,995 | 1.9 |
| Stanley | 462 | 2 | 0 | 19 | 43 | 140 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 676 | 0.1 |
| Sully | 55 | 20 | 0 | 58 | 0 | 1,181 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 57 | 6 | 1,387 | 0.3 |
| Tripp | 203 | 53 | 3 | 863 | 12 | 120 | 18 | 0 | 85 | 70 | 265 | 2 | 1,694 | 0.4 |
| Turner | 153 | 78 | 0 | 1,490 | 168 | 3,733 | 48 | 4 | 15 | 181 | 88 | 0 | 5,958 | 1.3 |
| Union | 193 | 167 | 0 | 1,703 | 248 | 876 | 35 | 0 | 67 | 128 | 119 | 0 | 3,537 | 0.7 |
| Walworth | 44 | 11 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 257 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 341 | 0.1 |
| Ziebach | 55 | 9 | 10 | 5 | 27 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 138 | 0.0 |
| Shannon | 88 | 0 | 55 | 51 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 126 | 0 | 349 | 0.1 |
| Todd | 90 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 142 | 0.0 |
| TOTALS: | 9,583 | 1,618 | 666 | 36,804 | 3,084 | 404,408 | 3,952 | 201 | 1,647 | 2,797 | 9,459 | 229 | 474,447 | 100% |

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* Includes unknown county projection values by assuming unknown county values are distributed the same as reported county values. Total values may be different due to rounding.

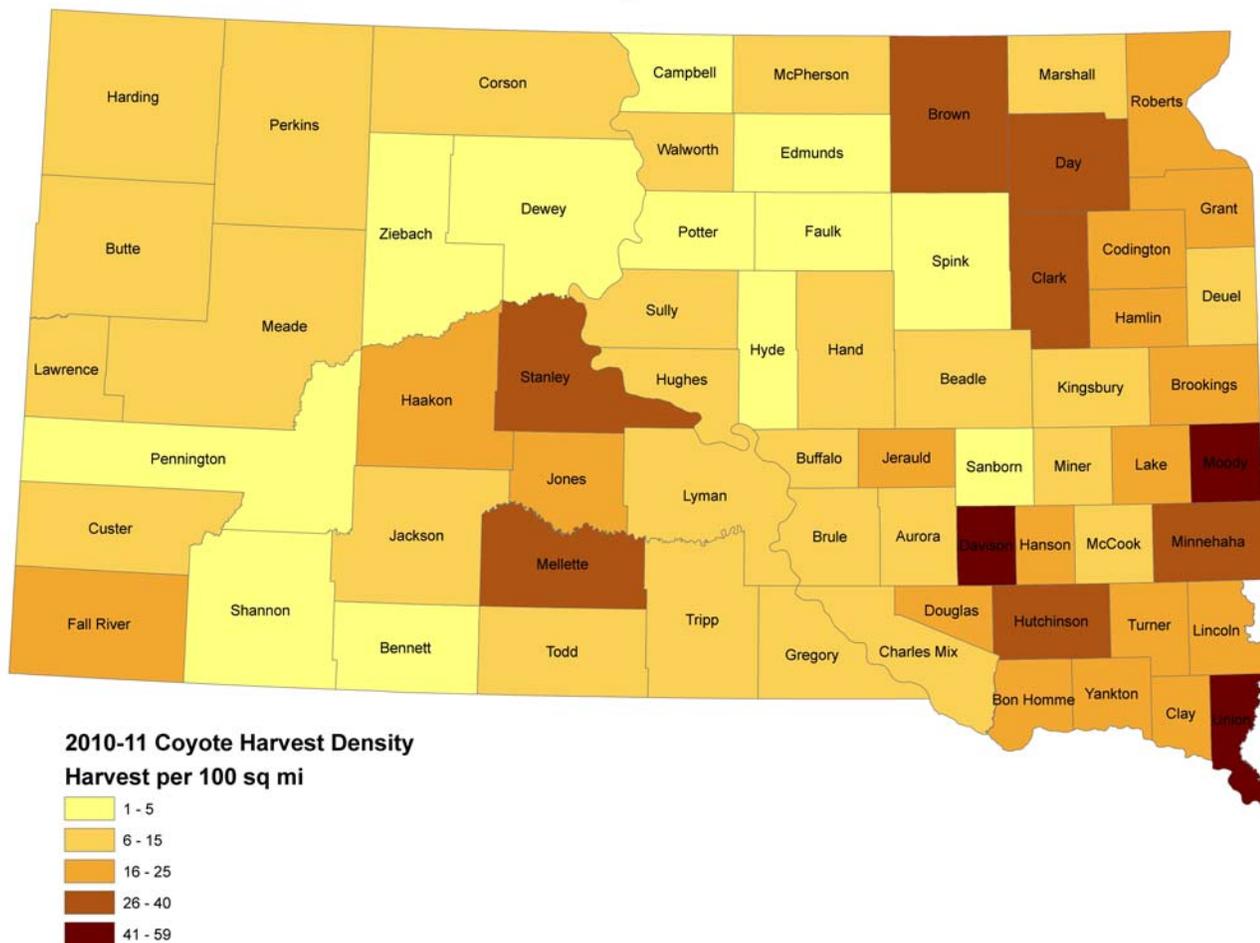
COYOTE

The 2010 coyote season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a predator/varmint, furbearer or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt coyotes and residents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap coyotes. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt coyotes. Nonresidents holding a predator/varmint or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt coyotes, and nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap coyotes.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 9,583 coyotes were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported coyote harvest densities were Moody, Davison, Union, Day and Mellette.

2010-11 Coyote Harvest



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| Resident Coyote Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 111 | 173 | 2.9 | 184 | 71 | 101 | 3.5 | 111 | 295 | 3.1 |
| Pennington | 43 | 67 | 1.1 | 71 | 40 | 57 | 2.0 | 63 | 134 | 1.4 |
| Brown | 88 | 137 | 2.3 | 146 | 252 | 358 | 12.4 | 396 | 541 | 5.7 |
| Beadle | 46 | 72 | 1.2 | 76 | 47 | 67 | 2.3 | 74 | 150 | 1.6 |
| Codington | 52 | 81 | 1.4 | 86 | 35 | 50 | 1.7 | 55 | 141 | 1.5 |
| Brookings | 56 | 87 | 1.5 | 93 | 47 | 67 | 2.3 | 74 | 167 | 1.7 |
| Yankton | 36 | 56 | 0.9 | 60 | 23 | 33 | 1.1 | 36 | 96 | 1.0 |
| Davison | 81 | 126 | 2.1 | 134 | 30 | 43 | 1.5 | 47 | 181 | 1.9 |
| Lawrence | 17 | 26 | 0.4 | 28 | 31 | 44 | 1.5 | 49 | 77 | 0.8 |
| Aurora | 9 | 14 | 0.2 | 15 | 18 | 26 | 0.9 | 28 | 43 | 0.5 |
| Bennett | 14 | 22 | 0.4 | 23 | 8 | 11 | 0.4 | 13 | 36 | 0.4 |
| Bon Homme | 19 | 30 | 0.5 | 32 | 39 | 55 | 1.9 | 61 | 93 | 1.0 |
| Brule | 18 | 28 | 0.5 | 30 | 28 | 40 | 1.4 | 44 | 74 | 0.8 |
| Buffalo | 3 | 5 | 0.1 | 5 | 39 | 55 | 1.9 | 61 | 66 | 0.7 |
| Butte | 52 | 81 | 1.4 | 86 | 50 | 71 | 2.5 | 78 | 165 | 1.7 |
| Campbell | 12 | 19 | 0.3 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 20 | 0.2 |
| Charles Mix | 43 | 67 | 1.1 | 71 | 19 | 27 | 0.9 | 30 | 101 | 1.1 |
| Clark | 157 | 245 | 4.1 | 260 | 22 | 31 | 1.1 | 35 | 295 | 3.1 |
| Clay | 42 | 65 | 1.1 | 70 | 15 | 21 | 0.7 | 24 | 93 | 1.0 |
| Corson | 186 | 290 | 4.8 | 308 | 15 | 21 | 0.7 | 24 | 332 | 3.5 |
| Custer | 51 | 79 | 1.3 | 85 | 19 | 27 | 0.9 | 30 | 114 | 1.2 |
| Day | 150 | 234 | 3.9 | 249 | 102 | 145 | 5.0 | 160 | 409 | 4.3 |
| Deuel | 8 | 12 | 0.2 | 13 | 52 | 74 | 2.6 | 82 | 95 | 1.0 |
| Dewey | 35 | 55 | 0.9 | 58 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 66 | 0.7 |
| Douglas | 39 | 61 | 1.0 | 65 | 6 | 9 | 0.3 | 9 | 74 | 0.8 |
| Edmunds | 10 | 16 | 0.3 | 17 | 20 | 28 | 1.0 | 31 | 48 | 0.5 |
| Fall River | 117 | 182 | 3.0 | 194 | 81 | 115 | 4.0 | 127 | 321 | 3.4 |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.0 |
| Grant | 26 | 41 | 0.7 | 43 | 45 | 64 | 2.2 | 71 | 114 | 1.2 |
| Gregory | 31 | 48 | 0.8 | 51 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 55 | 0.6 |
| Haakon | 184 | 287 | 4.8 | 305 | 17 | 24 | 0.8 | 27 | 332 | 3.5 |
| Hamlin | 24 | 37 | 0.6 | 40 | 54 | 77 | 2.7 | 85 | 125 | 1.3 |
| Hand | 14 | 22 | 0.4 | 23 | 40 | 57 | 2.0 | 63 | 86 | 0.9 |
| Hanson | 40 | 62 | 1.0 | 66 | 14 | 20 | 0.7 | 22 | 88 | 0.9 |
| Harding | 60 | 94 | 1.6 | 99 | 24 | 34 | 1.2 | 38 | 137 | 1.4 |
| Hughes | 28 | 44 | 0.7 | 46 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 46 | 0.5 |
| Hutchinson | 154 | 240 | 4.0 | 255 | 10 | 14 | 0.5 | 16 | 271 | 2.8 |
| Hyde | 12 | 19 | 0.3 | 20 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 2 | 21 | 0.2 |
| Jackson | 82 | 128 | 2.1 | 136 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 139 | 1.5 |
| Jerauld | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 2 | 58 | 82 | 2.9 | 91 | 93 | 1.0 |
| Jones | 35 | 55 | 0.9 | 58 | 80 | 114 | 3.9 | 126 | 184 | 1.9 |
| Kingsbury | 35 | 55 | 0.9 | 58 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 66 | 0.7 |
| Lake | 29 | 45 | 0.8 | 48 | 27 | 38 | 1.3 | 42 | 90 | 0.9 |
| Lincoln | 38 | 59 | 1.0 | 63 | 35 | 50 | 1.7 | 55 | 118 | 1.2 |
| Lyman | 68 | 106 | 1.8 | 113 | 12 | 17 | 0.6 | 19 | 132 | 1.4 |
| McCook | 21 | 33 | 0.5 | 35 | 6 | 9 | 0.3 | 9 | 44 | 0.5 |
| McPherson | 56 | 87 | 1.5 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 93 | 1.0 |
| Marshall | 13 | 20 | 0.3 | 22 | 21 | 30 | 1.0 | 33 | 55 | 0.6 |
| Meade | 100 | 156 | 2.6 | 166 | 61 | 87 | 3.0 | 96 | 262 | 2.7 |
| Mellette | 167 | 260 | 4.3 | 277 | 128 | 182 | 6.3 | 201 | 478 | 5.0 |
| Miner | 16 | 25 | 0.4 | 27 | 8 | 11 | 0.4 | 13 | 39 | 0.4 |
| Moody | 146 | 228 | 3.8 | 242 | 39 | 55 | 1.9 | 61 | 303 | 3.2 |
| Perkins | 120 | 187 | 3.1 | 199 | 56 | 80 | 2.8 | 88 | 287 | 3.0 |
| Potter | 14 | 22 | 0.4 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 23 | 0.2 |
| Roberts | 132 | 206 | 3.4 | 219 | 12 | 17 | 0.6 | 19 | 238 | 2.5 |
| Sanborn | 14 | 22 | 0.4 | 23 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 2 | 25 | 0.3 |
| Spink | 27 | 42 | 0.7 | 45 | 10 | 14 | 0.5 | 16 | 60 | 0.6 |
| Stanley | 250 | 390 | 6.5 | 414 | 30 | 43 | 1.5 | 47 | 462 | 4.8 |
| Sully | 32 | 50 | 0.8 | 53 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 2 | 55 | 0.6 |
| Tripp | 108 | 168 | 2.8 | 179 | 15 | 21 | 0.7 | 24 | 203 | 2.1 |
| Turner | 63 | 98 | 1.6 | 104 | 31 | 44 | 1.5 | 49 | 153 | 1.6 |
| Union | 57 | 89 | 1.5 | 95 | 63 | 90 | 3.1 | 99 | 193 | 2.0 |
| Walworth | 23 | 36 | 0.6 | 38 | 4 | 6 | 0.2 | 6 | 44 | 0.5 |
| Ziebach | 33 | 51 | 0.9 | 55 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 55 | 0.6 |
| Shannon | 49 | 76 | 1.3 | 81 | 4 | 6 | 0.2 | 6 | 88 | 0.9 |
| Todd | 54 | 84 | 1.4 | 90 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 90 | 0.9 |
| Unknown | 246 | 383 | - | - | 213 | 303 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 4,097 | 6,385 | 100% | 6,385 | 2,245 | 3,189 | 100% | 3,189 | 9,574 | 100% |

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* Includes unknown county projection values by assuming unknown county values are distributed the same as reported county values. Total values may be different due to rounding.

** Calculation uses "# projected" values without correction for unknown/unreported county values.

BOBCAT

The 2010 bobcat season was only open west of the Missouri River from December 10, 2010 through February 15, 2011. Residents age 16 and older holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap bobcats. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt bobcats. Nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap bobcats.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 666 bobcats were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported bobcat harvest densities were Mellette, Custer, Jackson, Pennington and Gregory.

Survey recipients were also asked whether they had observed bobcats east of the Missouri River within the previous year and in which county they occurred. A total of 81 reports of bobcat observations were received in 18 different East River counties, with Charles Mix, Bon Homme, Yankton and Brule listed in 49 of those reports.

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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0.4 | 2 | 2 | 0.3 |
| Pennington | 3 | 5 | 2.6 | 5 | 58 | 87 | 20.9 | 97 | 102 | 15.4 |
| Brown | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Yankton | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Davison | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lawrence | 1 | 2 | 0.9 | 2 | 7 | 11 | 2.5 | 12 | 13 | 2.0 |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 1.8 | 8 | 8 | 1.3 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.7 | 3 | 3 | 0.5 |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 1.4 | 7 | 7 | 1.0 |
| Custer | 5 | 8 | 4.4 | 9 | 33 | 50 | 11.9 | 55 | 64 | 9.6 |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Edmunds | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Fall River | 3 | 5 | 2.6 | 5 | 27 | 41 | 9.7 | 45 | 51 | 7.6 |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Gregory | 4 | 7 | 3.5 | 7 | 15 | 23 | 5.4 | 25 | 32 | 4.8 |
| Haakon | 11 | 19 | 9.6 | 20 | 2 | 3 | 0.7 | 3 | 23 | 3.4 |
| Hamlin | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hanson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Harding | 7 | 12 | 6.1 | 12 | 5 | 8 | 1.8 | 8 | 21 | 3.1 |
| Hughes | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hutchinson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 1 | 2 | 0.9 | 2 | 43 | 65 | 15.5 | 72 | 74 | 11.1 |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jones | 1 | 2 | 0.9 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 1.4 | 7 | 8 | 1.3 |
| Kingsbury | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lincoln | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lyman | 1 | 2 | 0.9 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 1.1 | 5 | 7 | 1.0 |
| McCook | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| McPherson | 2 | 3 | 1.8 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0.5 |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Meade | 8 | 13 | 7.0 | 14 | 4 | 6 | 1.4 | 7 | 21 | 3.1 |
| Mellette | 64 | 108 | 56.1 | 113 | 15 | 23 | 5.4 | 25 | 139 | 20.8 |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Perkins | 1 | 2 | 0.9 | 2 | 10 | 15 | 3.6 | 17 | 19 | 2.8 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Roberts | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Sanborn | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Sully | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tripp | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.7 | 3 | 3 | 0.5 |
| Turner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Union | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Ziebach | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 2.2 | 10 | 10 | 1.5 |
| Shannon | 2 | 3 | 1.8 | 4 | 31 | 47 | 11.2 | 52 | 55 | 8.3 |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Unknown | 6 | 10 | - | - | 31 | 47 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 120 | 202 | 100% | 202 | 308 | 464 | 100% | 464 | 666 | 100% |

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 * Includes unknown county projection values by assuming unknown county values are distributed the same as reported county values. Total values may be different due to rounding.
 ** Calculation uses "# projected" values without correction for unknown/unreported county values.

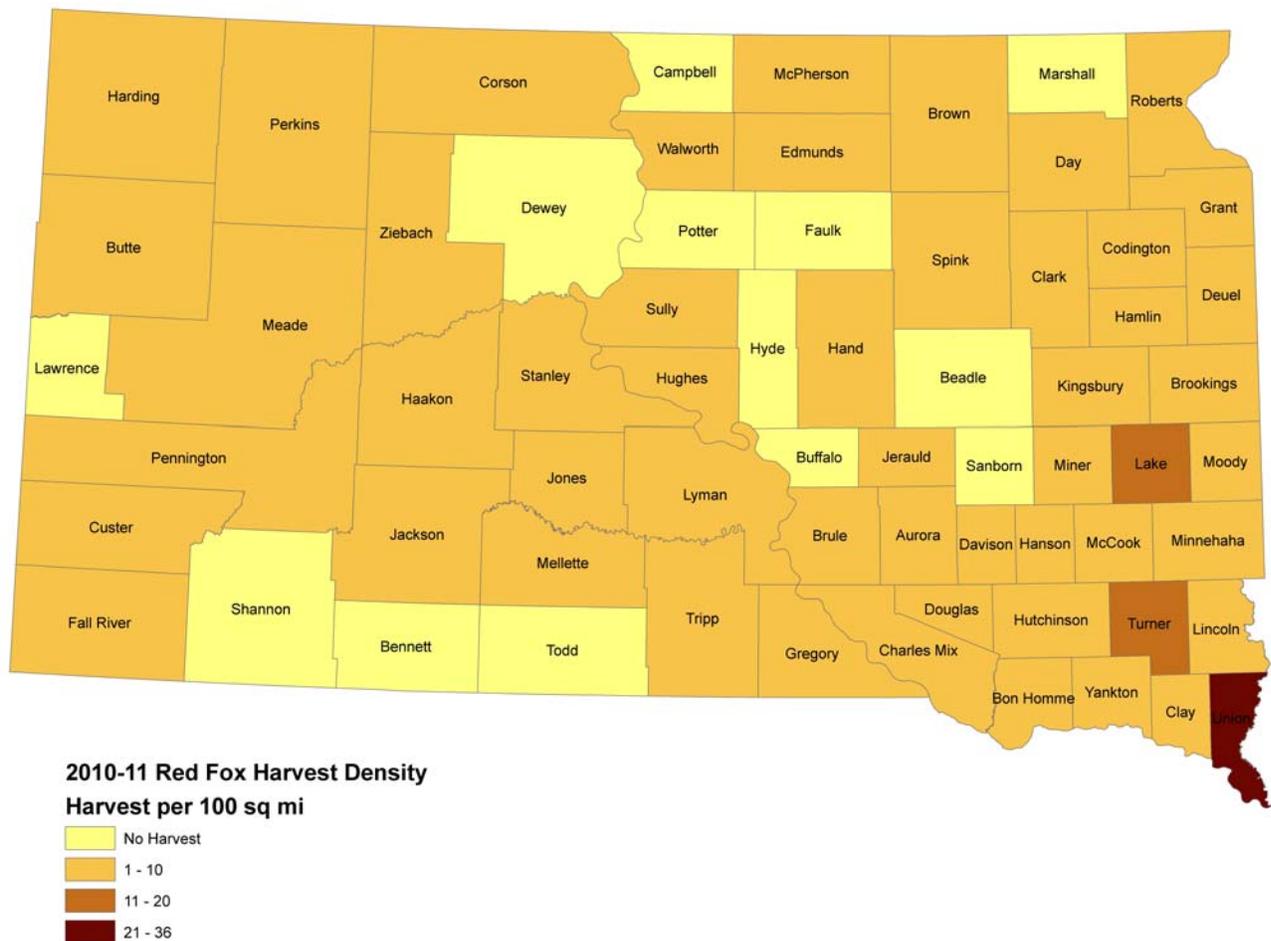
RED FOX

The 2010 red fox season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a predator/varmint, furbearer or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt fox and residents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap fox. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt fox. Nonresidents holding a predator/varmint or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt fox, and nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap fox.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 1,618 red fox were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported red fox harvest densities were Union, Moody, Lake, Turner and Roberts.

2010-11 Red Fox Harvest



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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 7 | 11 | 2.0 | 12 | 23 | 33 | 4.4 | 45 | 57 | 3.5 |
| Pennington | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 8 | 11 | 1.5 | 16 | 17 | 1.1 |
| Brown | 11 | 17 | 3.2 | 19 | 17 | 24 | 3.2 | 33 | 52 | 3.2 |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.4 | 4 | 4 | 0.2 |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0.8 | 8 | 8 | 0.5 |
| Yankton | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 6 | 9 | 1.1 | 12 | 13 | 0.8 |
| Davison | 5 | 8 | 1.4 | 9 | 14 | 20 | 2.7 | 27 | 36 | 2.2 |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.4 | 4 | 4 | 0.2 |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bon Homme | 4 | 6 | 1.2 | 7 | 15 | 21 | 2.9 | 29 | 36 | 2.2 |
| Brule | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 4 | 6 | 0.8 | 8 | 9 | 0.6 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 9 | 14 | 2.6 | 16 | 69 | 98 | 13.1 | 134 | 149 | 9.2 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 10 | 16 | 2.9 | 17 | 7 | 10 | 1.3 | 14 | 31 | 1.9 |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.6 | 6 | 6 | 0.4 |
| Clay | 5 | 8 | 1.4 | 9 | 6 | 9 | 1.1 | 12 | 20 | 1.3 |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 1.9 | 19 | 19 | 1.2 |
| Custer | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 1.3 | 14 | 14 | 0.8 |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 1.3 | 14 | 14 | 0.8 |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 1.3 | 14 | 14 | 0.8 |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Douglas | 3 | 5 | 0.9 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0.2 | 2 | 7 | 0.4 |
| Edmunds | 5 | 8 | 1.4 | 9 | 7 | 10 | 1.3 | 14 | 22 | 1.4 |
| Fall River | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 26 | 37 | 5.0 | 50 | 52 | 3.2 |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Grant | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0.4 | 4 | 6 | 0.3 |
| Gregory | 11 | 17 | 3.2 | 19 | 31 | 44 | 5.9 | 60 | 79 | 4.9 |
| Haakon | 6 | 9 | 1.7 | 10 | 6 | 9 | 1.1 | 12 | 22 | 1.4 |
| Hamlin | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0.4 | 4 | 6 | 0.3 |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 20 | 29 | 3.8 | 39 | 39 | 2.4 |
| Hanson | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0.2 | 2 | 4 | 0.2 |
| Harding | 16 | 25 | 4.6 | 28 | 9 | 13 | 1.7 | 17 | 45 | 2.8 |
| Hughes | 7 | 11 | 2.0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 12 | 0.7 |
| Hutchinson | 7 | 11 | 2.0 | 12 | 8 | 11 | 1.5 | 16 | 28 | 1.7 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 3 | 5 | 0.9 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0.3 |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 1.3 | 14 | 14 | 0.8 |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 1.1 | 12 | 12 | 0.7 |
| Kingsbury | 2 | 3 | 0.6 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 0.8 | 8 | 11 | 0.7 |
| Lake | 14 | 22 | 4.0 | 24 | 37 | 53 | 7.0 | 72 | 96 | 5.9 |
| Lincoln | 2 | 3 | 0.6 | 3 | 10 | 14 | 1.9 | 19 | 23 | 1.4 |
| Lyman | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0.1 |
| McCook | 2 | 3 | 0.6 | 3 | 17 | 24 | 3.2 | 33 | 36 | 2.3 |
| McPherson | 2 | 3 | 0.6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 0.2 |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Meade | 3 | 5 | 0.9 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0.2 | 2 | 7 | 0.4 |
| Mellette | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0.8 | 8 | 8 | 0.5 |
| Moody | 10 | 16 | 2.9 | 17 | 17 | 24 | 3.2 | 33 | 50 | 3.1 |
| Perkins | 8 | 12 | 2.3 | 14 | 28 | 40 | 5.3 | 54 | 68 | 4.2 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Roberts | 56 | 87 | 16.1 | 97 | 1 | 1 | 0.2 | 2 | 99 | 6.1 |
| Sanborn | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 1.9 | 19 | 19 | 1.2 |
| Stanley | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Sully | 6 | 9 | 1.7 | 10 | 5 | 7 | 1.0 | 10 | 20 | 1.2 |
| Tripp | 24 | 37 | 6.9 | 41 | 6 | 9 | 1.1 | 12 | 53 | 3.3 |
| Turner | 17 | 27 | 4.9 | 29 | 25 | 36 | 4.8 | 49 | 78 | 4.8 |
| Union | 72 | 112 | 20.7 | 124 | 22 | 31 | 4.2 | 43 | 167 | 10.3 |
| Walworth | 5 | 8 | 1.4 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 0.2 | 2 | 11 | 0.7 |
| Ziebach | 5 | 8 | 1.4 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 0.5 |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Unknown | 37 | 58 | - | - | 190 | 271 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 384 | 599 | 100% | 599 | 715 | 1,019 | 100% | 1,019 | 1,618 | 100% |

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GRAY FOX

The 2010 gray fox season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a predator/varmint, furbearer or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt fox and residents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap fox. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt fox. Nonresidents holding a predator/varmint or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt fox, and nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap fox.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 3 gray fox were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The only counties with reported gray fox harvest were Union and Hamlin.

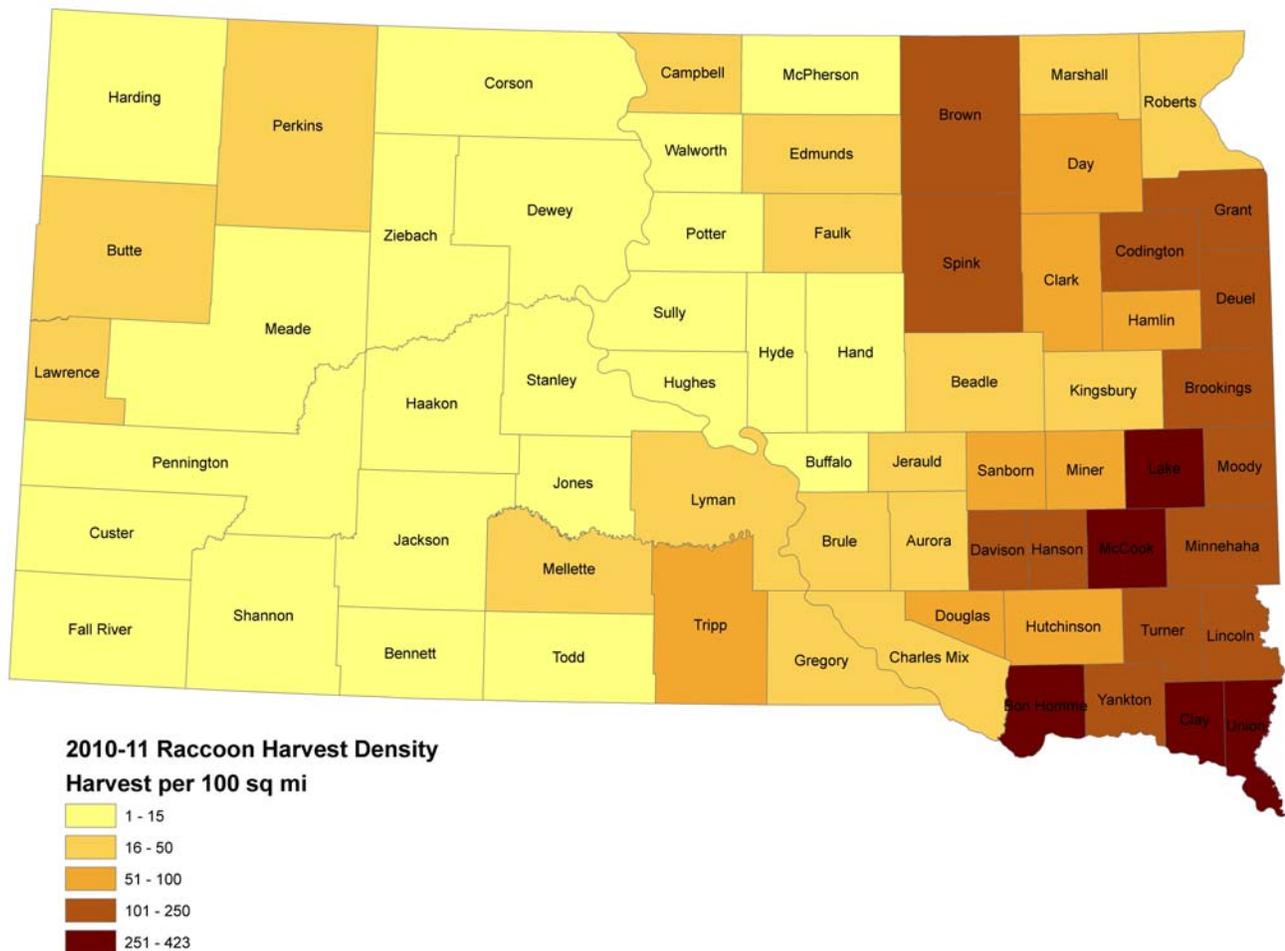
RACCOON

The 2010 raccoon season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a predator/varmint, furbearer or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt raccoons and residents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap raccoons. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt raccoons. Nonresidents holding a predator/varmint or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt raccoons, and nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap raccoons.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 36,804 raccoons were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported raccoon harvest densities were Bon Homme, Union, Lake, McCook and Clay.

2010-11 Raccoon Harvest



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| Raccoon Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 38 | 61 | 0.7 | 66 | 700 | 1,053 | 4.2 | 1,151 | 1,217 | 3.3 |
| Pennington | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 2 | 76 | 114 | 0.5 | 125 | 127 | 0.3 |
| Brown | 43 | 69 | 0.8 | 75 | 1458 | 2,194 | 8.8 | 2,396 | 2,472 | 6.7 |
| Beadle | 26 | 42 | 0.5 | 45 | 347 | 522 | 2.1 | 570 | 616 | 1.7 |
| Codington | 70 | 113 | 1.3 | 122 | 460 | 692 | 2.8 | 756 | 878 | 2.4 |
| Brookings | 44 | 71 | 0.8 | 77 | 625 | 941 | 3.8 | 1,027 | 1,104 | 3.0 |
| Yankton | 256 | 414 | 4.7 | 447 | 237 | 357 | 1.4 | 390 | 837 | 2.3 |
| Davison | 36 | 58 | 0.7 | 63 | 318 | 479 | 1.9 | 523 | 586 | 1.6 |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 145 | 218 | 0.9 | 238 | 238 | 0.6 |
| Aurora | 40 | 65 | 0.7 | 70 | 85 | 128 | 0.5 | 140 | 210 | 0.6 |
| Bennett | 5 | 8 | 0.1 | 9 | 61 | 92 | 0.4 | 100 | 109 | 0.3 |
| Bon Homme | 779 | 1,258 | 14.4 | 1,361 | 674 | 1,014 | 4.0 | 1,108 | 2,469 | 6.7 |
| Brule | 9 | 15 | 0.2 | 16 | 123 | 185 | 0.7 | 202 | 218 | 0.6 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 20 | 30 | 0.1 | 33 | 33 | 0.1 |
| Butte | 229 | 370 | 4.2 | 400 | 391 | 588 | 2.3 | 643 | 1,043 | 2.8 |
| Campbell | 8 | 13 | 0.1 | 14 | 100 | 150 | 0.6 | 164 | 178 | 0.5 |
| Charles Mix | 76 | 123 | 1.4 | 133 | 149 | 224 | 0.9 | 245 | 378 | 1.0 |
| Clark | 92 | 149 | 1.7 | 161 | 350 | 527 | 2.1 | 575 | 736 | 2.0 |
| Clay | 20 | 32 | 0.4 | 35 | 719 | 1,082 | 4.3 | 1,182 | 1,217 | 3.3 |
| Corson | 13 | 21 | 0.2 | 23 | 6 | 9 | 0.0 | 10 | 33 | 0.1 |
| Custer | 34 | 55 | 0.6 | 59 | 59 | 89 | 0.4 | 97 | 156 | 0.4 |
| Day | 55 | 89 | 1.0 | 96 | 542 | 816 | 3.3 | 891 | 987 | 2.7 |
| Deuel | 8 | 13 | 0.1 | 14 | 556 | 837 | 3.3 | 914 | 928 | 2.5 |
| Dewey | 14 | 23 | 0.3 | 24 | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 2 | 26 | 0.1 |
| Douglas | 68 | 110 | 1.3 | 119 | 124 | 187 | 0.7 | 204 | 323 | 0.9 |
| Edmunds | 45 | 73 | 0.8 | 79 | 215 | 324 | 1.3 | 353 | 432 | 1.2 |
| Fall River | 11 | 18 | 0.2 | 19 | 63 | 95 | 0.4 | 104 | 123 | 0.3 |
| Faulk | 80 | 129 | 1.5 | 140 | 40 | 60 | 0.2 | 66 | 206 | 0.6 |
| Grant | 273 | 441 | 5.1 | 477 | 457 | 688 | 2.7 | 751 | 1,228 | 3.3 |
| Gregory | 30 | 48 | 0.6 | 52 | 152 | 229 | 0.9 | 250 | 302 | 0.8 |
| Haakon | 45 | 73 | 0.8 | 79 | 45 | 68 | 0.3 | 74 | 153 | 0.4 |
| Hamlin | 10 | 16 | 0.2 | 17 | 233 | 351 | 1.4 | 383 | 400 | 1.1 |
| Hand | 16 | 26 | 0.3 | 28 | 77 | 116 | 0.5 | 127 | 155 | 0.4 |
| Hanson | 42 | 68 | 0.8 | 73 | 394 | 593 | 2.4 | 648 | 721 | 2.0 |
| Harding | 24 | 39 | 0.4 | 42 | 20 | 30 | 0.1 | 33 | 75 | 0.2 |
| Hughes | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0.0 | 3 | 5 | 0.0 |
| Hutchinson | 161 | 260 | 3.0 | 281 | 213 | 321 | 1.3 | 350 | 631 | 1.7 |
| Hyde | 10 | 16 | 0.2 | 17 | 3 | 5 | 0.0 | 5 | 22 | 0.1 |
| Jackson | 3 | 5 | 0.1 | 5 | 23 | 35 | 0.1 | 38 | 43 | 0.1 |
| Jerauld | 3 | 5 | 0.1 | 5 | 81 | 122 | 0.5 | 133 | 138 | 0.4 |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 16 | 24 | 0.1 | 26 | 26 | 0.1 |
| Kingsbury | 59 | 95 | 1.1 | 103 | 157 | 236 | 0.9 | 258 | 361 | 1.0 |
| Lake | 822 | 1,328 | 15.2 | 1,436 | 400 | 602 | 2.4 | 657 | 2,094 | 5.7 |
| Lincoln | 65 | 105 | 1.2 | 114 | 678 | 1,020 | 4.1 | 1,114 | 1,228 | 3.3 |
| Lyman | 64 | 103 | 1.2 | 112 | 95 | 143 | 0.6 | 156 | 268 | 0.7 |
| McCook | 673 | 1,087 | 12.5 | 1,176 | 309 | 465 | 1.9 | 508 | 1,684 | 4.6 |
| McPherson | 33 | 53 | 0.6 | 58 | 25 | 38 | 0.2 | 41 | 99 | 0.3 |
| Marshall | 5 | 8 | 0.1 | 9 | 149 | 224 | 0.9 | 245 | 254 | 0.7 |
| Meade | 50 | 81 | 0.9 | 87 | 155 | 233 | 0.9 | 255 | 342 | 0.9 |
| Mellette | 22 | 36 | 0.4 | 38 | 126 | 190 | 0.8 | 207 | 246 | 0.7 |
| Miner | 34 | 55 | 0.6 | 59 | 212 | 319 | 1.3 | 348 | 408 | 1.1 |
| Moody | 51 | 82 | 0.9 | 89 | 480 | 722 | 2.9 | 789 | 878 | 2.4 |
| Perkins | 40 | 65 | 0.7 | 70 | 229 | 345 | 1.4 | 376 | 446 | 1.2 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 19 | 29 | 0.1 | 31 | 31 | 0.1 |
| Roberts | 56 | 90 | 1.0 | 98 | 100 | 150 | 0.6 | 164 | 262 | 0.7 |
| Sanborn | 32 | 52 | 0.6 | 56 | 175 | 263 | 1.1 | 288 | 344 | 0.9 |
| Spink | 17 | 27 | 0.3 | 30 | 1118 | 1,683 | 6.7 | 1,838 | 1,867 | 5.1 |
| Stanley | 10 | 16 | 0.2 | 17 | 1 | 2 | 0.0 | 2 | 19 | 0.1 |
| Sully | 7 | 11 | 0.1 | 12 | 28 | 42 | 0.2 | 46 | 58 | 0.2 |
| Tripp | 337 | 544 | 6.2 | 589 | 167 | 251 | 1.0 | 274 | 863 | 2.3 |
| Turner | 185 | 299 | 3.4 | 323 | 710 | 1,069 | 4.3 | 1,167 | 1,490 | 4.0 |
| Union | 112 | 181 | 2.1 | 196 | 917 | 1,380 | 5.5 | 1,507 | 1,703 | 4.6 |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 0.0 | 5 | 5 | 0.0 |
| Ziebach | 3 | 5 | 0.1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0.0 |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 31 | 47 | 0.2 | 51 | 51 | 0.1 |
| Todd | 3 | 5 | 0.1 | 5 | 10 | 15 | 0.1 | 16 | 22 | 0.1 |
| Unknown | 440 | 711 | - | - | 1,535 | 2,310 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 5,838 | 9,431 | 100% | 9,431 | 18,189 | 27,373 | 100% | 27,373 | 36,804 | 100% |

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| Resident Badger Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|--|
| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total | |
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | | |
| Minnehaha | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 19 | 28 | 2.5 | 32 | 32 | 1.9 | |
| Pennington | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 19 | 28 | 2.5 | 32 | 35 | 2.2 | |
| Brown | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 115 | 172 | 15.0 | 193 | 196 | 11.9 | |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 53 | 79 | 6.9 | 89 | 89 | 5.4 | |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 15 | 1.3 | 17 | 17 | 1.0 | |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 14 | 21 | 1.8 | 23 | 23 | 1.4 | |
| Yankton | 1 | 2 | 0.5 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0.4 | 5 | 7 | 0.4 | |
| Davison | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.7 | 8 | 8 | 0.5 | |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Aurora | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 11 | 16 | 1.4 | 18 | 22 | 1.3 | |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 28 | 42 | 3.7 | 47 | 47 | 2.8 | |
| Brule | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 12 | 18 | 1.6 | 20 | 25 | 1.5 | |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 3 | 0.2 | |
| Butte | 4 | 7 | 2.0 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 11 | 0.6 | |
| Campbell | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0.2 | |
| Charles Mix | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 10 | 15 | 1.3 | 17 | 20 | 1.2 | |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.7 | 8 | 8 | 0.5 | |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 13 | 19 | 1.7 | 22 | 22 | 1.3 | |
| Corson | 7 | 12 | 3.4 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 13 | 0.8 | |
| Custer | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 12 | 18 | 1.6 | 20 | 25 | 1.5 | |
| Day | 1 | 2 | 0.5 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0.4 | 5 | 7 | 0.4 | |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.7 | 8 | 8 | 0.5 | |
| Dewey | 5 | 8 | 2.5 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 0.5 | |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 3 | 0.2 | |
| Edmunds | 7 | 12 | 3.4 | 13 | 22 | 33 | 2.9 | 37 | 49 | 3.0 | |
| Fall River | 7 | 12 | 3.4 | 13 | 23 | 34 | 3.0 | 39 | 51 | 3.1 | |
| Faulk | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0.2 | |
| Grant | 1 | 2 | 0.5 | 2 | 15 | 22 | 2.0 | 25 | 27 | 1.6 | |
| Gregory | 7 | 12 | 3.4 | 13 | 8 | 12 | 1.0 | 13 | 26 | 1.6 | |
| Haakon | 15 | 25 | 7.4 | 27 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 30 | 1.8 | |
| Hamlin | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hand | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 12 | 18 | 1.6 | 20 | 25 | 1.5 | |
| Hanson | 5 | 8 | 2.5 | 9 | 22 | 33 | 2.9 | 37 | 46 | 2.8 | |
| Harding | 9 | 15 | 4.4 | 16 | 15 | 22 | 2.0 | 25 | 41 | 2.5 | |
| Hughes | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 | |
| Hutchinson | 8 | 13 | 3.9 | 14 | 8 | 12 | 1.0 | 13 | 28 | 1.7 | |
| Hyde | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0.2 | |
| Jackson | 11 | 18 | 5.4 | 20 | 6 | 9 | 0.8 | 10 | 30 | 1.8 | |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 3 | 0.2 | |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 3 | 0.2 | |
| Kingsbury | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0.3 | |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 0.8 | 10 | 10 | 0.6 | |
| Lincoln | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 12 | 18 | 1.6 | 20 | 25 | 1.5 | |
| Lyman | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| McCook | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 7 | 10 | 0.9 | 12 | 15 | 0.9 | |
| McPherson | 13 | 22 | 6.4 | 23 | 100 | 150 | 13.1 | 167 | 191 | 11.6 | |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 3 | 0.2 | |
| Meade | 8 | 13 | 3.9 | 14 | 13 | 19 | 1.7 | 22 | 36 | 2.2 | |
| Mellette | 7 | 12 | 3.4 | 13 | 11 | 16 | 1.4 | 18 | 31 | 1.9 | |
| Miner | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 0.8 | 10 | 15 | 0.9 | |
| Moody | 5 | 8 | 2.5 | 9 | 19 | 28 | 2.5 | 32 | 41 | 2.5 | |
| Perkins | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 18 | 27 | 2.3 | 30 | 34 | 2.0 | |
| Potter | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 6 | 9 | 0.8 | 10 | 14 | 0.8 | |
| Roberts | 1 | 2 | 0.5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0.1 | |
| Sanborn | 3 | 5 | 1.5 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 7 | 0.4 | |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 19 | 28 | 2.5 | 32 | 32 | 1.9 | |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Sully | 2 | 3 | 1.0 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0.3 | 3 | 7 | 0.4 | |
| Tripp | 36 | 60 | 17.7 | 65 | 12 | 18 | 1.6 | 20 | 85 | 5.1 | |
| Turner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 1.2 | 15 | 15 | 0.9 | |
| Union | 1 | 2 | 0.5 | 2 | 39 | 58 | 5.1 | 65 | 67 | 4.1 | |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.4 | 5 | 5 | 0.3 | |
| Ziebach | 1 | 2 | 0.5 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 0.1 | |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Unknown | 14 | 23 | - | - | 92 | 138 | - | - | - | - | |
| TOTALS: | 217 | 364 | 100% | 364 | 858 | 1,283 | 100% | 1,283 | 1,647 | 100% | |

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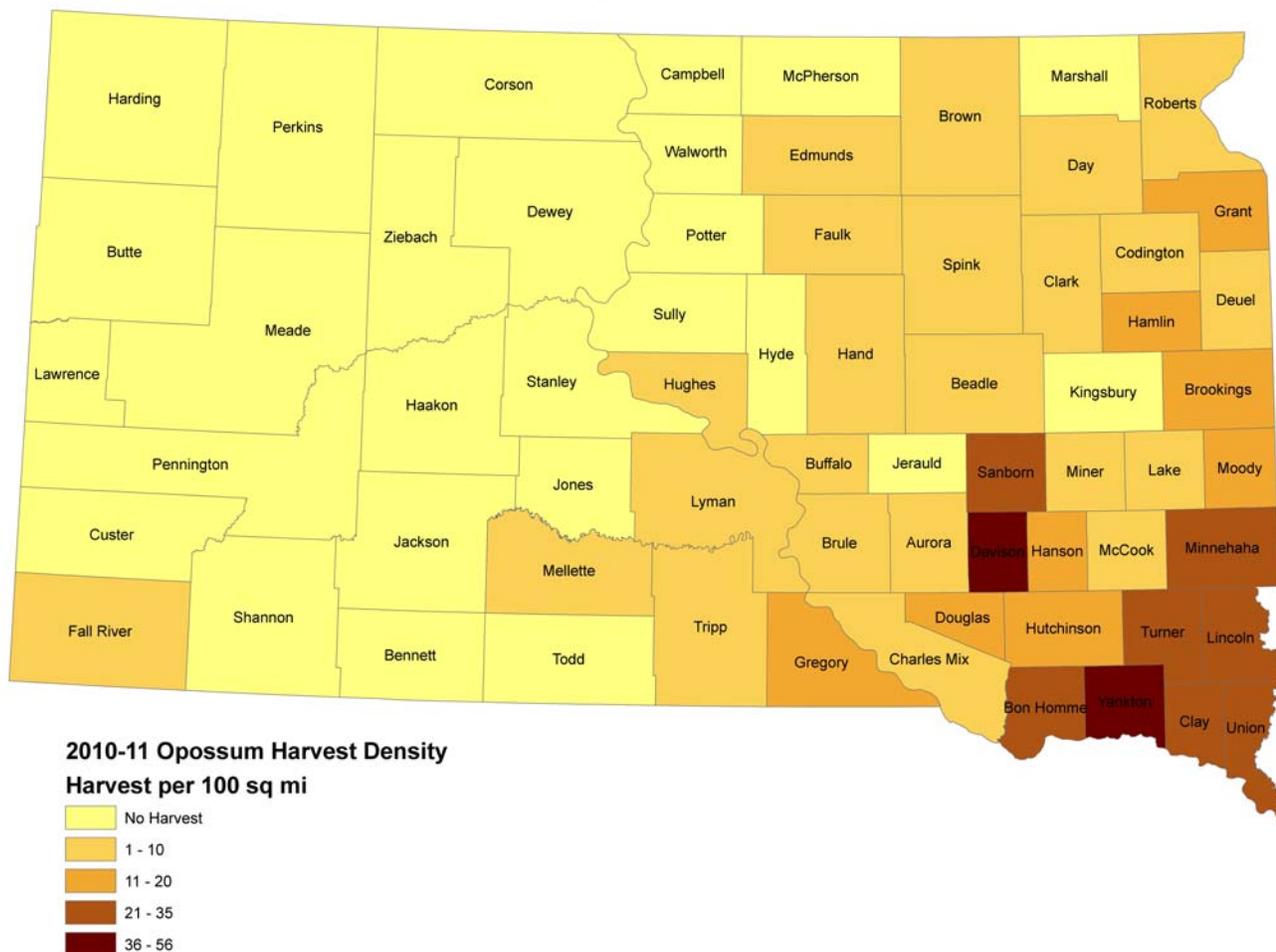
OPOSSUM

The 2010 opossum season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap opossums. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt opossums. Nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap opossums.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 2,797 opossums were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported opossum harvest densities were Davison, Yankton, Clay, Lincoln and Turner.

2010-11 Opossum Harvest



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| Resident Possum Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|--|
| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total | |
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | | |
| Minnehaha | 10 | 14 | 6.0 | 15 | 120 | 171 | 7.4 | 188 | 203 | 7.3 | |
| Pennington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Brown | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0.2 | 6 | 6 | 0.2 | |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 36 | 51 | 2.2 | 56 | 56 | 2.0 | |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.2 | 5 | 5 | 0.2 | |
| Brookings | 1 | 1 | 0.6 | 2 | 69 | 98 | 4.3 | 108 | 110 | 3.9 | |
| Yankton | 6 | 8 | 3.6 | 9 | 125 | 178 | 7.7 | 196 | 205 | 7.3 | |
| Davison | 24 | 34 | 14.3 | 36 | 131 | 186 | 8.1 | 205 | 241 | 8.6 | |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 15 | 21 | 0.9 | 24 | 24 | 0.8 | |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Bon Homme | 4 | 6 | 2.4 | 6 | 101 | 144 | 6.2 | 158 | 164 | 5.9 | |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 47 | 67 | 2.9 | 74 | 74 | 2.6 | |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 0.4 | 9 | 9 | 0.3 | |
| Butte | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Charles Mix | 4 | 6 | 2.4 | 6 | 48 | 68 | 3.0 | 75 | 81 | 2.9 | |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 14 | 14 | 0.5 | |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 90 | 128 | 5.5 | 141 | 141 | 5.0 | |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Custer | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 | |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 27 | 38 | 1.7 | 42 | 42 | 1.5 | |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Douglas | 3 | 4 | 1.8 | 5 | 28 | 40 | 1.7 | 44 | 48 | 1.7 | |
| Edmunds | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.2 | 5 | 5 | 0.2 | |
| Fall River | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 14 | 14 | 0.5 | |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 0.6 | 16 | 16 | 0.6 | |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 78 | 111 | 4.8 | 122 | 122 | 4.4 | |
| Gregory | 7 | 10 | 4.2 | 11 | 69 | 98 | 4.3 | 108 | 119 | 4.2 | |
| Haakon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hamlin | 10 | 14 | 6.0 | 15 | 31 | 44 | 1.9 | 49 | 64 | 2.3 | |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 0.6 | 16 | 16 | 0.6 | |
| Hanson | 11 | 15 | 6.5 | 17 | 21 | 30 | 1.3 | 33 | 49 | 1.8 | |
| Harding | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hughes | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 | |
| Hutchinson | 31 | 44 | 18.5 | 47 | 36 | 51 | 2.2 | 56 | 103 | 3.7 | |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jackson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Kingsbury | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Lake | 2 | 3 | 1.2 | 3 | 15 | 21 | 0.9 | 24 | 27 | 0.9 | |
| Lincoln | 5 | 7 | 3.0 | 8 | 107 | 152 | 6.6 | 168 | 175 | 6.3 | |
| Lyman | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 0.4 | 11 | 11 | 0.4 | |
| McCook | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 24 | 34 | 1.5 | 38 | 38 | 1.3 | |
| McPherson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Meade | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Mellette | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 14 | 14 | 0.5 | |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 | |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 43 | 61 | 2.6 | 67 | 67 | 2.4 | |
| Perkins | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Roberts | 1 | 1 | 0.6 | 2 | 7 | 10 | 0.4 | 11 | 12 | 0.4 | |
| Sanborn | 5 | 7 | 3.0 | 8 | 78 | 111 | 4.8 | 122 | 130 | 4.6 | |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.2 | 5 | 5 | 0.2 | |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Sully | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Tripp | 32 | 45 | 19.0 | 48 | 14 | 20 | 0.9 | 22 | 70 | 2.5 | |
| Turner | 10 | 14 | 6.0 | 15 | 106 | 151 | 6.5 | 166 | 181 | 6.5 | |
| Union | 2 | 3 | 1.2 | 3 | 80 | 114 | 4.9 | 125 | 128 | 4.6 | |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Ziebach | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Unknown | 12 | 17 | - | - | 166 | 236 | - | - | - | - | |
| TOTALS: | 180 | 253 | 100% | 253 | 1,789 | 2,543 | 100% | 2,543 | 2,797 | 100% | |

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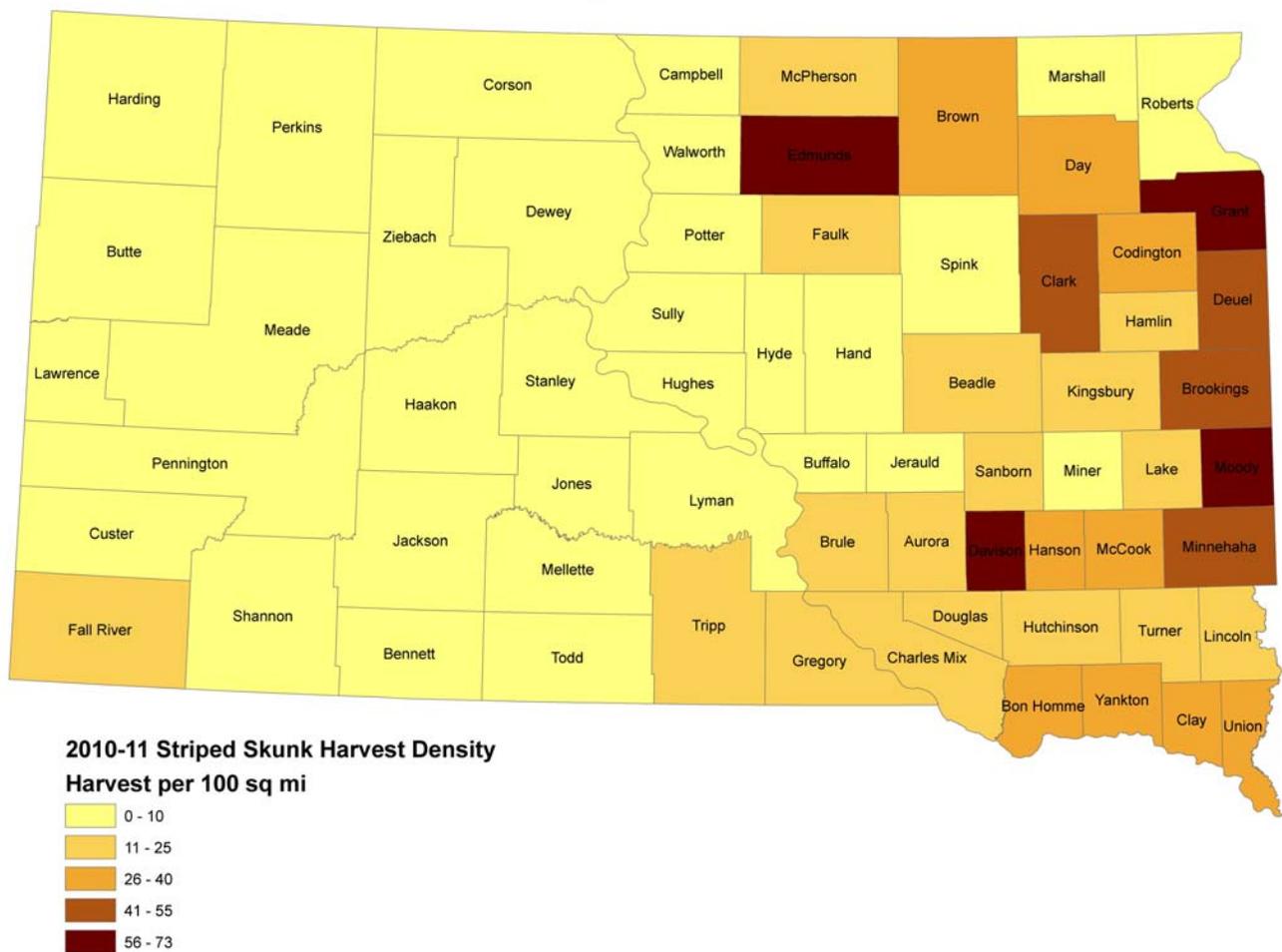
STRIPED SKUNK

The 2010 striped skunk season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a predator/varmint, furbearer or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt striped skunks and residents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap striped skunks. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt striped skunks. Nonresidents holding a predator/varmint or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt striped skunks, and nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap striped skunks.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 9,459 striped skunks were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported striped skunk harvest densities were Davison, Edmunds, Grant, Moody and Brookings.

2010-11 Striped Skunk Harvest



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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| | Minnehaha | 15 | 26 | 1.4 | 29 | 202 | 301 | 4.4 | | |
| Pennington | 7 | 12 | 0.7 | 13 | 74 | 110 | 1.6 | 120 | 134 | 1.4 |
| Brown | 35 | 61 | 3.3 | 67 | 316 | 471 | 6.9 | 514 | 581 | 6.1 |
| Beadle | 9 | 16 | 0.8 | 17 | 86 | 128 | 1.9 | 140 | 157 | 1.7 |
| Codington | 26 | 45 | 2.4 | 50 | 105 | 156 | 2.3 | 171 | 220 | 2.3 |
| Brookings | 22 | 38 | 2.1 | 42 | 206 | 307 | 4.5 | 335 | 377 | 4.0 |
| Yankton | 8 | 14 | 0.7 | 15 | 114 | 170 | 2.5 | 185 | 201 | 2.1 |
| Davison | 49 | 85 | 4.6 | 94 | 136 | 203 | 3.0 | 221 | 315 | 3.3 |
| Lawrence | 4 | 7 | 0.4 | 8 | 10 | 15 | 0.2 | 16 | 24 | 0.3 |
| Aurora | 1 | 2 | 0.1 | 2 | 43 | 64 | 0.9 | 70 | 72 | 0.8 |
| Bennett | 10 | 17 | 0.9 | 19 | 18 | 27 | 0.4 | 29 | 48 | 0.5 |
| Bon Homme | 15 | 26 | 1.4 | 29 | 95 | 141 | 2.1 | 154 | 183 | 1.9 |
| Brule | 7 | 12 | 0.7 | 13 | 76 | 113 | 1.7 | 124 | 137 | 1.4 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 0.1 | 10 | 10 | 0.1 |
| Butte | 17 | 30 | 1.6 | 33 | 48 | 71 | 1.1 | 78 | 111 | 1.2 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 45 | 78 | 4.2 | 86 | 63 | 94 | 1.4 | 102 | 189 | 2.0 |
| Clark | 55 | 96 | 5.1 | 105 | 188 | 280 | 4.1 | 306 | 411 | 4.3 |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 81 | 121 | 1.8 | 132 | 132 | 1.4 |
| Corson | 32 | 56 | 3.0 | 61 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 61 | 0.6 |
| Custer | 13 | 23 | 1.2 | 25 | 31 | 46 | 0.7 | 50 | 75 | 0.8 |
| Day | 22 | 38 | 2.1 | 42 | 231 | 344 | 5.1 | 375 | 418 | 4.4 |
| Deuel | 27 | 47 | 2.5 | 52 | 128 | 191 | 2.8 | 208 | 260 | 2.7 |
| Dewey | 8 | 14 | 0.7 | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 15 | 0.2 |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 42 | 63 | 0.9 | 68 | 68 | 0.7 |
| Edmunds | 120 | 208 | 11.2 | 230 | 301 | 448 | 6.6 | 489 | 719 | 7.6 |
| Fall River | 6 | 10 | 0.6 | 11 | 106 | 158 | 2.3 | 172 | 184 | 1.9 |
| Faulk | 30 | 52 | 2.8 | 57 | 36 | 54 | 0.8 | 59 | 116 | 1.2 |
| Grant | 59 | 103 | 5.5 | 113 | 193 | 287 | 4.2 | 314 | 427 | 4.5 |
| Gregory | 6 | 10 | 0.6 | 11 | 103 | 153 | 2.3 | 167 | 179 | 1.9 |
| Haakon | 71 | 123 | 6.6 | 136 | 10 | 15 | 0.2 | 16 | 152 | 1.6 |
| Hamlin | 1 | 2 | 0.1 | 2 | 73 | 109 | 1.6 | 119 | 121 | 1.3 |
| Hand | 7 | 12 | 0.7 | 13 | 38 | 57 | 0.8 | 62 | 75 | 0.8 |
| Hanson | 13 | 23 | 1.2 | 25 | 74 | 110 | 1.6 | 120 | 145 | 1.5 |
| Harding | 36 | 63 | 3.4 | 69 | 16 | 24 | 0.4 | 26 | 95 | 1.0 |
| Hughes | 2 | 3 | 0.2 | 4 | 4 | 6 | 0.1 | 7 | 10 | 0.1 |
| Hutchinson | 21 | 36 | 2.0 | 40 | 85 | 127 | 1.9 | 138 | 178 | 1.9 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.0 | 3 | 3 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 15 | 26 | 1.4 | 29 | 17 | 25 | 0.4 | 28 | 56 | 0.6 |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 0.2 | 11 | 11 | 0.1 |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 21 | 31 | 0.5 | 34 | 34 | 0.4 |
| Kingsbury | 10 | 17 | 0.9 | 19 | 50 | 74 | 1.1 | 81 | 100 | 1.1 |
| Lake | 14 | 24 | 1.3 | 27 | 67 | 100 | 1.5 | 109 | 136 | 1.4 |
| Lincoln | 11 | 19 | 1.0 | 21 | 59 | 88 | 1.3 | 96 | 117 | 1.2 |
| Lyman | 10 | 17 | 0.9 | 19 | 21 | 31 | 0.5 | 34 | 53 | 0.6 |
| McCook | 13 | 23 | 1.2 | 25 | 102 | 152 | 2.2 | 166 | 191 | 2.0 |
| McPherson | 68 | 118 | 6.4 | 130 | 7 | 10 | 0.2 | 11 | 142 | 1.5 |
| Marshall | 3 | 5 | 0.3 | 6 | 2 | 3 | 0.0 | 3 | 9 | 0.1 |
| Meade | 6 | 10 | 0.6 | 11 | 66 | 98 | 1.4 | 107 | 119 | 1.3 |
| Mellette | 4 | 7 | 0.4 | 8 | 59 | 88 | 1.3 | 96 | 104 | 1.1 |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 31 | 46 | 0.7 | 50 | 50 | 0.5 |
| Moody | 18 | 31 | 1.7 | 34 | 160 | 238 | 3.5 | 260 | 294 | 3.1 |
| Perkins | 8 | 14 | 0.7 | 15 | 45 | 67 | 1.0 | 73 | 88 | 0.9 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.1 | 5 | 5 | 0.1 |
| Roberts | 7 | 12 | 0.7 | 13 | 42 | 63 | 0.9 | 68 | 82 | 0.9 |
| Sanborn | 12 | 21 | 1.1 | 23 | 63 | 94 | 1.4 | 102 | 125 | 1.3 |
| Spink | 3 | 5 | 0.3 | 6 | 48 | 71 | 1.1 | 78 | 84 | 0.9 |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0.0 |
| Sully | 6 | 10 | 0.6 | 11 | 28 | 42 | 0.6 | 46 | 57 | 0.6 |
| Tripp | 47 | 82 | 4.4 | 90 | 108 | 161 | 2.4 | 176 | 265 | 2.8 |
| Turner | 5 | 9 | 0.5 | 10 | 48 | 71 | 1.1 | 78 | 88 | 0.9 |
| Union | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 73 | 109 | 1.6 | 119 | 119 | 1.3 |
| Walworth | 2 | 3 | 0.2 | 4 | 8 | 12 | 0.2 | 13 | 17 | 0.2 |
| Ziebach | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Shannon | 7 | 12 | 0.7 | 13 | 69 | 103 | 1.5 | 112 | 126 | 1.3 |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 11 | 16 | 0.2 | 18 | 18 | 0.2 |
| Unknown | 109 | 189 | - | - | 416 | 619 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 1,177 | 2,045 | 100% | 2,045 | 4,972 | 7,404 | 100% | 7,404 | 9,448 | 100% |

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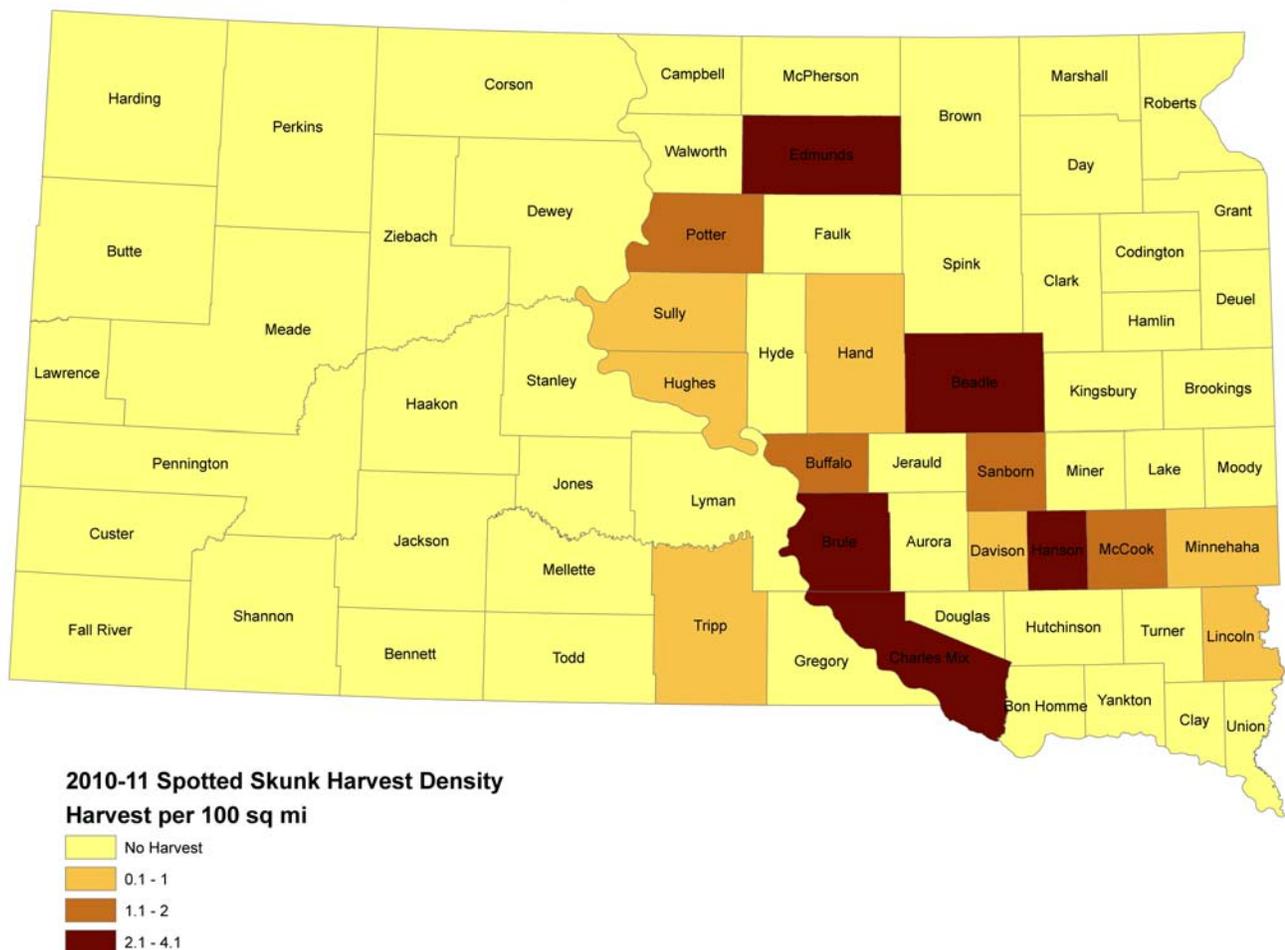
SPOTTED SKUNK

The 2010 spotted skunk season was open statewide and year-round. Residents age 16 and older holding a predator/varmint, furbearer or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt spotted skunks and residents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap spotted skunks. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt spotted skunks. Nonresidents holding a predator/varmint or any type of hunting license were eligible to hunt spotted skunks, and nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to trap spotted skunks.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 229 spotted skunks were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported spotted skunk harvest densities were Hanson, Edmunds, Charles Mix, Beadle and Brule.

2010-11 Spotted Skunk Harvest



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| Resident Spotted Skunk Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|--|
| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total | |
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | | |
| Minnehaha | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2.2 | 4 | 4 | 1.9 | |
| Pennington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Brown | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Beadle | 1 | 1 | 12.5 | 4 | 15 | 24 | 16.1 | 29 | 33 | 15.6 | |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Yankton | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Davison | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 | |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 11 | 18 | 11.8 | 22 | 22 | 10.2 | |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 3.2 | 6 | 6 | 2.8 | |
| Butte | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Charles Mix | 6 | 8 | 75.0 | 21 | 5 | 8 | 5.4 | 10 | 31 | 14.7 | |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Custer | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Edmunds | 1 | 1 | 12.5 | 4 | 18 | 29 | 19.4 | 35 | 39 | 18.4 | |
| Fall River | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Gregory | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Haakon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hamlin | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 5.4 | 10 | 10 | 4.7 | |
| Hanson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 15 | 9.7 | 18 | 18 | 8.4 | |
| Harding | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hughes | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 | |
| Hutchinson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jackson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Kingsbury | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Lincoln | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2.2 | 4 | 4 | 1.9 | |
| Lyman | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| McCook | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 3.2 | 6 | 6 | 2.8 | |
| McPherson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Meade | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Mellette | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Perkins | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 15 | 9.7 | 18 | 18 | 8.4 | |
| Roberts | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Sanborn | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 8 | 5.4 | 10 | 10 | 4.7 | |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Sully | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 3.2 | 6 | 6 | 2.8 | |
| Tripp | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 | |
| Turner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Union | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Ziebach | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Unknown | 12 | 17 | - | - | 19 | 31 | - | - | - | - | |
| TOTALS: | 20 | 28 | 100% | 28 | 112 | 183 | 100% | 183 | 211 | 100% | |

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| Resident Muskrat Harvest Distribution by County 2010-11 | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|--|
| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total | |
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | | |
| Minnehaha | 14 | 30 | 1.0 | 35 | 3088 | 4,693 | 1.8 | 5,389 | 5,424 | 1.8 | |
| Pennington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 30 | 46 | 0.0 | 52 | 52 | 0.0 | |
| Brown | 150 | 325 | 11.2 | 376 | 22970 | 34,911 | 13.5 | 40,087 | 40,463 | 13.5 | |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4494 | 6,830 | 2.6 | 7,843 | 7,843 | 2.6 | |
| Codington | 20 | 43 | 1.5 | 50 | 16596 | 25,223 | 9.7 | 28,963 | 29,013 | 9.7 | |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4562 | 6,934 | 2.7 | 7,962 | 7,962 | 2.6 | |
| Yankton | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 426 | 647 | 0.3 | 743 | 743 | 0.2 | |
| Davison | 1 | 2 | 0.1 | 3 | 1056 | 1,605 | 0.6 | 1,845 | 1,845 | 0.6 | |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Aurora | 3 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 2403 | 3,652 | 1.4 | 4,194 | 4,201 | 1.4 | |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 21 | 32 | 0.0 | 37 | 37 | 0.0 | |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6207 | 9,434 | 3.6 | 10,832 | 10,832 | 3.6 | |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 485 | 737 | 0.3 | 846 | 846 | 0.3 | |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Butte | 20 | 43 | 1.5 | 50 | 22 | 33 | 0.0 | 38 | 88 | 0.0 | |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Charles Mix | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 397 | 603 | 0.2 | 693 | 693 | 0.2 | |
| Clark | 1 | 2 | 0.1 | 3 | 16249 | 24,696 | 9.5 | 28,358 | 28,360 | 9.4 | |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1060 | 1,611 | 0.6 | 1,850 | 1,850 | 0.6 | |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 146 | 222 | 0.1 | 255 | 255 | 0.1 | |
| Custer | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Day | 10 | 22 | 0.7 | 25 | 19652 | 29,868 | 11.5 | 34,296 | 34,322 | 11.4 | |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4721 | 7,175 | 2.8 | 8,239 | 8,239 | 2.7 | |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 292 | 444 | 0.2 | 510 | 510 | 0.2 | |
| Edmunds | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 137 | 208 | 0.1 | 239 | 239 | 0.1 | |
| Fall River | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 11 | 17 | 0.0 | 19 | 19 | 0.0 | |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 22 | 33 | 0.0 | 38 | 38 | 0.0 | |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4453 | 6,768 | 2.6 | 7,771 | 7,771 | 2.6 | |
| Gregory | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 36 | 55 | 0.0 | 63 | 63 | 0.0 | |
| Haakon | 50 | 108 | 3.7 | 125 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 125 | 0.0 | |
| Hamlin | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4290 | 6,520 | 2.5 | 7,487 | 7,487 | 2.5 | |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 25 | 38 | 0.0 | 44 | 44 | 0.0 | |
| Hanson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1148 | 1,745 | 0.7 | 2,003 | 2,003 | 0.7 | |
| Harding | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Hughes | 2 | 4 | 0.1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 0.0 | |
| Hutchinson | 20 | 43 | 1.5 | 50 | 2388 | 3,629 | 1.4 | 4,168 | 4,218 | 1.4 | |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Jackson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 15 | 23 | 0.0 | 26 | 26 | 0.0 | |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 397 | 603 | 0.2 | 693 | 693 | 0.2 | |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 223 | 339 | 0.1 | 389 | 389 | 0.1 | |
| Kingsbury | 40 | 87 | 3.0 | 100 | 8520 | 12,949 | 5.0 | 14,869 | 14,969 | 5.0 | |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5774 | 8,776 | 3.4 | 10,077 | 10,077 | 3.4 | |
| Lincoln | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2765 | 4,202 | 1.6 | 4,825 | 4,825 | 1.6 | |
| Lyman | 18 | 39 | 1.3 | 45 | 165 | 251 | 0.1 | 288 | 333 | 0.1 | |
| McCook | 97 | 210 | 7.3 | 243 | 13294 | 20,205 | 7.8 | 23,201 | 23,444 | 7.8 | |
| McPherson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 184 | 280 | 0.1 | 321 | 321 | 0.1 | |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2438 | 3,705 | 1.4 | 4,255 | 4,255 | 1.4 | |
| Meade | 5 | 11 | 0.4 | 13 | 8 | 12 | 0.0 | 14 | 26 | 0.0 | |
| Mellette | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Miner | 500 | 1,084 | 37.5 | 1,253 | 5240 | 7,964 | 3.1 | 9,145 | 10,397 | 3.5 | |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1993 | 3,029 | 1.2 | 3,478 | 3,478 | 1.2 | |
| Perkins | 3 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 135 | 205 | 0.1 | 236 | 243 | 0.1 | |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 446 | 678 | 0.3 | 778 | 778 | 0.3 | |
| Roberts | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3276 | 4,979 | 1.9 | 5,717 | 5,717 | 1.9 | |
| Sanborn | 75 | 163 | 5.6 | 188 | 916 | 1,392 | 0.5 | 1,599 | 1,786 | 0.6 | |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3900 | 5,927 | 2.3 | 6,806 | 6,806 | 2.3 | |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 80 | 122 | 0.0 | 140 | 140 | 0.0 | |
| Sully | 4 | 9 | 0.3 | 10 | 671 | 1,020 | 0.4 | 1,171 | 1,181 | 0.4 | |
| Tripp | 9 | 20 | 0.7 | 23 | 56 | 85 | 0.0 | 98 | 120 | 0.0 | |
| Turner | 280 | 607 | 21.0 | 701 | 1737 | 2,640 | 1.0 | 3,031 | 3,733 | 1.2 | |
| Union | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 502 | 763 | 0.3 | 876 | 876 | 0.3 | |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 147 | 223 | 0.1 | 257 | 257 | 0.1 | |
| Ziebach | 12 | 26 | 0.9 | 30 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 30 | 0.0 | |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | |
| Unknown | 207 | 449 | - | - | 25,245 | 38,369 | - | - | - | - | |
| TOTALS: | 1,541 | 3,342 | 100% | 3,342 | 195,514 | 297,152 | 100% | 297,152 | 300,494 | 100% | |

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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Pennington | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Brown | 0 | | | | 1995 | 5,725 | 6.2 | 6,394 | 6,394 | 6.2 |
| Beadle | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Codington | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Brookings | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Yankton | 0 | | | | 4000 | 11,479 | 12.3 | 12,819 | 12,819 | 12.3 |
| Davison | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lawrence | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Aurora | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bennett | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bon Homme | 0 | | | | 80 | 230 | 0.2 | 256 | 256 | 0.2 |
| Brule | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Buffalo | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Campbell | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Chas Mix | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Clark | 0 | | | | 6708 | 19,250 | 20.7 | 21,498 | 21,498 | 20.7 |
| Clay | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Corson | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Custer | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Day | 0 | | | | 9088 | 26,081 | 28.0 | 29,125 | 29,125 | 28.0 |
| Deuel | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Dewey | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Douglas | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Edmunds | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Fall River | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Faulk | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Grant | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Gregory | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Haakon | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hamlin | 0 | | | | 700 | 2,009 | 2.2 | 2,243 | 2,243 | 2.2 |
| Hand | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hanson | 0 | | | | 535 | 1,535 | 1.7 | 1,715 | 1,715 | 1.7 |
| Harding | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hughes | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hutchinson | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hyde | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jerauld | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jones | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Kingsbury | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lake | 0 | | | | 4000 | 11,479 | 12.3 | 12,819 | 12,819 | 12.3 |
| Lincoln | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lyman | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| McCook | 0 | | | | 900 | 2,583 | 2.8 | 2,884 | 2,884 | 2.8 |
| McPherson | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Marshall | 0 | | | | 3499 | 10,041 | 10.8 | 11,214 | 11,214 | 10.8 |
| Meade | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Mellette | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Miner | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Moody | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Perkins | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Potter | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Roberts | 0 | | | | 900 | 2,583 | 2.8 | 2,884 | 2,884 | 2.8 |
| Sanborn | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Spink | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Stanley | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Sully | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tripp | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Turner | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Union | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Walworth | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Ziebach | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Shannon | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Todd | 0 | | | | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Unknown | 0 | | | | 3,783 | 10,856 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 0 | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 36,188 | 103,851 | 100.0% | 103,851 | 103,851 | 100% |

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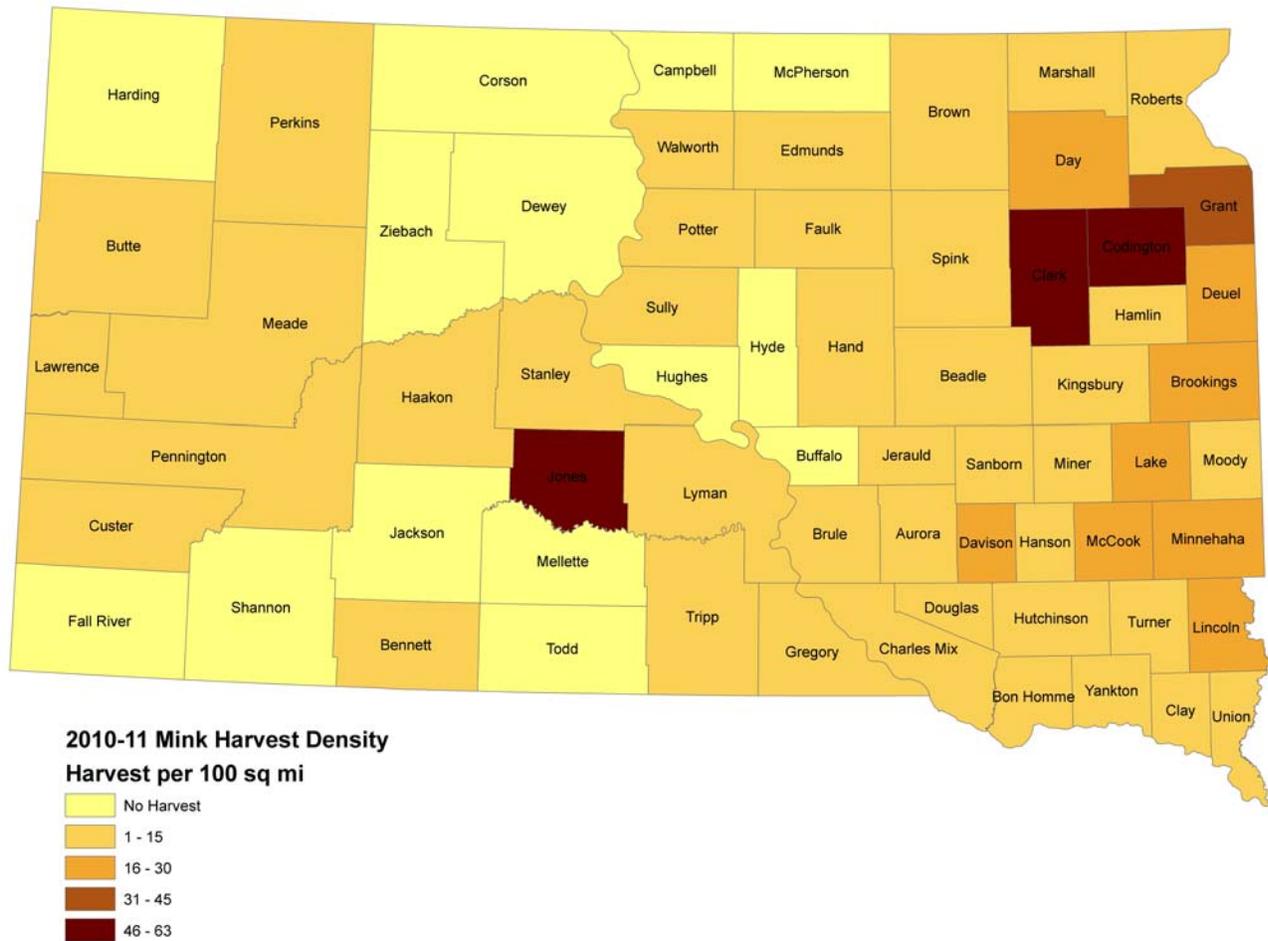
MINK

The 2010 mink season was open November 5, 2010 through January 31, 2011 statewide. Residents age 16 and older holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap mink. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt mink. Nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap mink.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 3,952 mink were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported mink harvest densities were Clark, Codington, Jones, Grant and Lake.

2010-11 Mink Harvest



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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 125 | 178 | 5.0 | 193 | 193 | 4.9 |
| Pennington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 13 | 18 | 0.5 | 20 | 20 | 0.5 |
| Brown | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 29 | 41 | 1.1 | 45 | 45 | 1.1 |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 44 | 63 | 1.7 | 68 | 68 | 1.7 |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 279 | 397 | 11.1 | 430 | 430 | 11.0 |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 80 | 114 | 3.2 | 123 | 123 | 3.2 |
| Yankton | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 8 | 0.2 |
| Davison | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 60 | 85 | 2.4 | 93 | 93 | 2.4 |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 8 | 0.2 |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.1 | 5 | 5 | 0.1 |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 0.2 | 9 | 9 | 0.2 |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 19 | 27 | 0.8 | 29 | 29 | 0.7 |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0.0 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 19 | 27 | 0.8 | 29 | 29 | 0.7 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 0.3 | 11 | 11 | 0.3 |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 390 | 555 | 15.5 | 602 | 602 | 15.4 |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 29 | 41 | 1.1 | 45 | 45 | 1.1 |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Custer | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 51 | 73 | 2.0 | 79 | 79 | 2.0 |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 166 | 236 | 6.6 | 256 | 256 | 6.5 |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 71 | 101 | 2.8 | 110 | 110 | 2.8 |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 14 | 20 | 0.6 | 22 | 22 | 0.6 |
| Edmunds | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 26 | 37 | 1.0 | 40 | 40 | 1.0 |
| Fall River | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 160 | 228 | 6.3 | 247 | 247 | 6.3 |
| Gregory | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 8 | 0.2 |
| Haakon | 2 | 3 | 18.2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 0.1 |
| Hamlin | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 13 | 18 | 0.5 | 20 | 20 | 0.5 |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Hanson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 22 | 31 | 0.9 | 34 | 34 | 0.9 |
| Harding | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hughes | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hutchinson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 17 | 24 | 0.7 | 26 | 26 | 0.7 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 351 | 499 | 13.9 | 541 | 541 | 13.8 |
| Kingsbury | 4 | 7 | 36.4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 8 | 0.2 |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 108 | 154 | 4.3 | 167 | 167 | 4.3 |
| Lincoln | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 61 | 87 | 2.4 | 94 | 94 | 2.4 |
| Lyman | 1 | 2 | 9.1 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 10 | 0.2 |
| McCook | 1 | 2 | 9.1 | 2 | 71 | 101 | 2.8 | 110 | 112 | 2.9 |
| McPherson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 22 | 31 | 0.9 | 34 | 34 | 0.9 |
| Meade | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 11 | 16 | 0.4 | 17 | 17 | 0.4 |
| Mellette | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.2 | 8 | 8 | 0.2 |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 35 | 50 | 1.4 | 54 | 54 | 1.4 |
| Perkins | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.0 | 2 | 2 | 0.0 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Roberts | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 30 | 43 | 1.2 | 46 | 46 | 1.2 |
| Sanborn | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 15 | 21 | 0.6 | 23 | 23 | 0.6 |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 69 | 98 | 2.7 | 106 | 106 | 2.7 |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 6 | 9 | 0.2 | 9 | 9 | 0.2 |
| Sully | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Tripp | 2 | 3 | 18.2 | 4 | 9 | 13 | 0.4 | 14 | 18 | 0.5 |
| Turner | 1 | 2 | 9.1 | 2 | 30 | 43 | 1.2 | 46 | 48 | 1.2 |
| Union | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 23 | 33 | 0.9 | 35 | 35 | 0.9 |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Ziebach | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Unknown | 2 | 3 | - | - | 212 | 302 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 13 | 22 | 100% | 22 | 2,735 | 3,892 | 100% | 3,892 | 3,914 | 100% |

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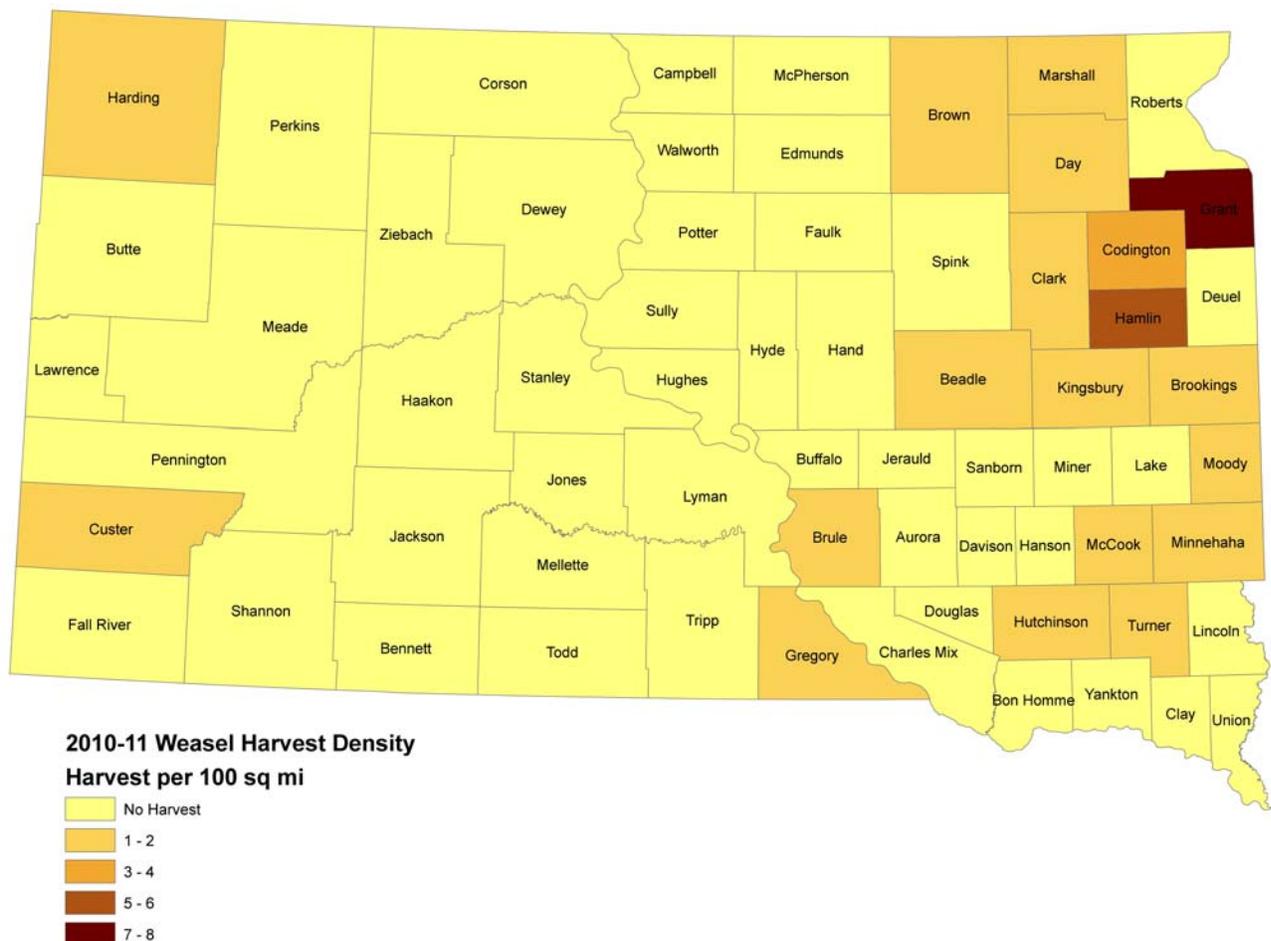
WEASEL

The 2010 weasel season was open November 5, 2010 through January 31, 2011 statewide. Residents age 16 and older holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap weasels. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt weasels. Nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap weasels.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 201 weasels were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported weasel harvest densities were Grant, Hamlin, Codington, Brown and Clark.

2010-11 Weasel Harvest



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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/ Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 |
| Pennington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Brown | 1 | 1 | 33.3 | 2 | 18 | 25 | 16.4 | 31 | 33 | 16.8 |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 3.6 | 7 | 7 | 3.5 |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 12 | 17 | 10.9 | 21 | 21 | 10.6 |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 4.5 | 9 | 9 | 4.4 |
| Yankton | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Davison | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 6.4 | 12 | 12 | 6.2 |
| Clay | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Corson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Custer | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1.8 | 3 | 3 | 1.8 |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Edmunds | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Fall River | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 30 | 42 | 27.3 | 52 | 52 | 26.5 |
| Gregory | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 |
| Haakon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hamlin | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 15 | 21 | 13.6 | 26 | 26 | 13.2 |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hanson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Harding | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 3.6 | 7 | 7 | 3.5 |
| Hughes | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Hutchinson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Kingsbury | 1 | 1 | 33.3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 1.0 |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lincoln | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Lyman | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| McCook | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 2 | 0.9 |
| McPherson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 3.6 | 7 | 7 | 3.5 |
| Meade | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Mellette | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1.8 | 3 | 3 | 1.8 |
| Perkins | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Roberts | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Sanborn | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Spink | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Stanley | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Sully | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tripp | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Turner | 1 | 1 | 33.3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0.9 | 2 | 4 | 1.8 |
| Union | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Ziebach | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Unknown | 1 | 1 | - | - | 26 | 37 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 4 | 6 | 100% | 6 | 136 | 191 | 100% | 191 | 197 | 100% |

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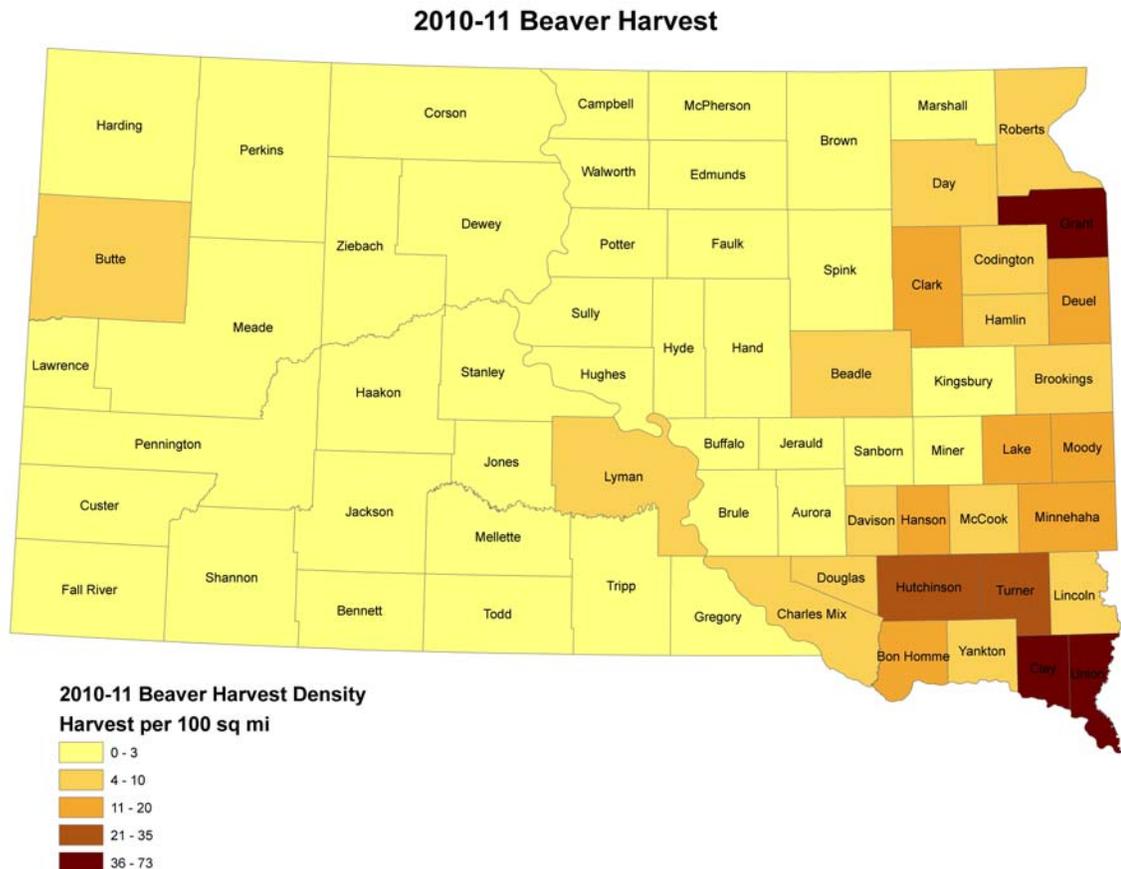
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BEAVER

The 2010 beaver season was open November 5, 2010 through April 30, 2011 east of the Missouri River, year-round west of the Missouri River except in the Black Hills, where the season was open only January 1, 2011 through March 31, 2011. Residents age 16 and older holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap weasels. Resident youth under age 16 were not required to have any license to trap or hunt beaver. Nonresidents holding a furbearer license were eligible to hunt or trap beaver.

Based on survey responses indicating at least one day of hunting or trapping furbearers, there were a projected 1,911 resident and 86 nonresident active hunters/trappers that held a furbearer license during the 2010 seasons. An estimated 3,084 beaver were harvested during the 2010 season by furbearer license holders.

The five counties with the highest reported beaver harvest densities were Clay, Union, Grant, Turner, and Hutchinson.



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| COUNTY | HUNTING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | TRAPPING HARVEST DISTRIBUTION | | | | Total Harvest | % of Total |
|----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|-------------|
| | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/Unk * | # Reported | # Projected | % of Total | # Proj w/Unk * | | |
| Minnehaha | 20 | 30 | 5.1 | 34 | 72 | 103 | 5.1 | 119 | 153 | 5.1 |
| Pennington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 35 | 50 | 2.5 | 58 | 58 | 1.9 |
| Brown | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 0.7 | 16 | 16 | 0.5 |
| Beadle | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 43 | 62 | 3.0 | 71 | 71 | 2.4 |
| Codington | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 32 | 46 | 2.3 | 53 | 53 | 1.8 |
| Brookings | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 30 | 43 | 2.1 | 49 | 49 | 1.6 |
| Yankton | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 21 | 30 | 1.5 | 35 | 35 | 1.1 |
| Davison | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 18 | 26 | 1.3 | 30 | 30 | 1.0 |
| Lawrence | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 3 | 0.1 |
| Aurora | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Bennett | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 15 | 15 | 0.5 |
| Bon Homme | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 68 | 97 | 4.8 | 112 | 112 | 3.7 |
| Brule | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Butte | 12 | 18 | 3.0 | 20 | 44 | 63 | 3.1 | 72 | 93 | 3.1 |
| Campbell | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Charles Mix | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 28 | 40 | 2.0 | 46 | 46 | 1.5 |
| Clark | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 92 | 132 | 6.5 | 151 | 151 | 5.0 |
| Clay | 110 | 167 | 27.9 | 188 | 70 | 100 | 4.9 | 115 | 303 | 10.1 |
| Corson | 2 | 3 | 0.5 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 5 | 0.2 |
| Custer | 5 | 8 | 1.3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 0.3 |
| Day | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 43 | 62 | 3.0 | 71 | 71 | 2.4 |
| Deuel | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 39 | 56 | 2.8 | 64 | 64 | 2.1 |
| Dewey | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0.2 | 5 | 5 | 0.2 |
| Douglas | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 16 | 23 | 1.1 | 26 | 26 | 0.9 |
| Edmunds | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Fall River | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 12 | 17 | 0.8 | 20 | 21 | 0.7 |
| Faulk | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 0.7 | 16 | 16 | 0.5 |
| Grant | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 161 | 231 | 11.4 | 265 | 265 | 8.8 |
| Gregory | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 15 | 21 | 1.1 | 25 | 25 | 0.8 |
| Haakon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 5 | 7 | 0.4 | 8 | 8 | 0.3 |
| Hamlin | 1 | 2 | 0.3 | 2 | 19 | 27 | 1.3 | 31 | 33 | 1.1 |
| Hand | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 4 | 6 | 0.3 | 7 | 7 | 0.2 |
| Hanson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 34 | 49 | 2.4 | 56 | 56 | 1.9 |
| Harding | 15 | 23 | 3.8 | 26 | 6 | 9 | 0.4 | 10 | 35 | 1.2 |
| Hughes | 3 | 5 | 0.8 | 5 | 2 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 | 8 | 0.3 |
| Hutchinson | 75 | 114 | 19.0 | 128 | 29 | 42 | 2.0 | 48 | 176 | 5.8 |
| Hyde | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jackson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Jerauld | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 15 | 15 | 0.5 |
| Jones | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Kingsbury | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 15 | 15 | 0.5 |
| Lake | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 45 | 64 | 3.2 | 74 | 74 | 2.5 |
| Lincoln | 12 | 18 | 3.0 | 20 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 15 | 35 | 1.2 |
| Lyman | 24 | 37 | 6.1 | 41 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 15 | 56 | 1.9 |
| McCook | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 12 | 17 | 0.8 | 20 | 20 | 0.7 |
| McPherson | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Marshall | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 9 | 13 | 0.6 | 15 | 15 | 0.5 |
| Meade | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 10 | 14 | 0.7 | 16 | 16 | 0.5 |
| Mellette | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Miner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 0.5 | 12 | 12 | 0.4 |
| Moody | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 48 | 69 | 3.4 | 79 | 79 | 2.6 |
| Perkins | 3 | 5 | 0.8 | 5 | 20 | 29 | 1.4 | 33 | 38 | 1.3 |
| Potter | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Roberts | 2 | 3 | 0.5 | 3 | 30 | 43 | 2.1 | 49 | 53 | 1.8 |
| Sanborn | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.1 | 2 | 2 | 0.1 |
| Spink | 3 | 5 | 0.8 | 5 | 6 | 9 | 0.4 | 10 | 15 | 0.5 |
| Stanley | 25 | 38 | 6.3 | 43 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 43 | 1.4 |
| Sully | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Tripp | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 0.5 | 12 | 12 | 0.4 |
| Turner | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 102 | 146 | 7.2 | 168 | 168 | 5.6 |
| Union | 65 | 99 | 16.5 | 111 | 83 | 119 | 5.9 | 137 | 248 | 8.2 |
| Walworth | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 |
| Ziebach | 16 | 24 | 4.1 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 27 | 0.9 |
| Shannon | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 18 | 26 | 1.3 | 30 | 30 | 1.0 |
| Todd | 0 | 0 | 0.0 | 0 | 8 | 11 | 0.6 | 13 | 13 | 0.4 |
| Unknown | 48 | 73 | - | - | 211 | 302 | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS: | 442 | 672 | 100% | 672 | 1,629 | 2,335 | 100% | 2,335 | 3,007 | 100% |

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SWIFT FOX AND RIVER OTTER

Swift fox and river otters are both protected from harvest in South Dakota and are classified as threatened species by the State. In order to learn more about the distribution of these species, questions were included in the 2010 Furbearer Harvest Survey asking whether the participant had observed either of the species or scat of the river otter within the previous year, and if so, in which county the observations were made.

Totals of 95 river otters or scat and 76 swift fox were reported by furbearer license holders in the 2010 survey. River otters or sign were reported in 22 different counties with Moody, Grant and Roberts listed most often. Swift fox were reported in 20 different counties with Pennington, Fall River, Jackson and Stanley listed most often.

The reliability of these observations is unknown and the actual presence of either otters or swift fox within these counties has not been verified.

Furbearer license holder observations of river otters or swift fox during the 2010-2011 seasons

| River Otter | | Swift Fox | |
|--------------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|
| County | Number | County | Number |
| Moody | 15 | Pennington | 12 |
| Grant | 14 | Fall River | 12 |
| Roberts | 9 | Jackson | 6 |
| Lincoln | 6 | Stanley | 6 |
| Brookings | 5 | Butte | 5 |
| Deuel | 5 | Haakon | 5 |
| Lake | 5 | Harding | 4 |
| Codington | 4 | Meade | 4 |
| Butte | 4 | Perkins | 2 |
| Day | 4 | Turner | 2 |
| Hamlin | 4 | Codington | 1 |
| Minnehaha | 3 | Davison | 1 |
| Union | 3 | Lawrence | 1 |
| Brown | 2 | Custer | 1 |
| Douglas | 2 | Grant | 1 |
| Custer | 1 | Jones | 1 |
| Faulk | 1 | McCook | 1 |
| Hanson | 1 | Potter | 1 |
| Lyman | 1 | Tripp | 1 |
| McCook | 1 | Ziebach | 1 |
| Marshall | 1 | | |
| Turner | 1 | | |
| Total | 92 | Total | 68 |