

**Vermont Fish and Wildlife Department**  
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Animal Group	Order	Suborder	Family	Genus	Species	Common Name(s)
Mammals*	Carnivora	Feliformia	Felidae			All wild-domestic hybrid cats of F4 generation or greater
Mammals	Diprotodontia	Phalangeriformes	Acrobatidae	<i>Acorbates</i>	<i>pygmaeus</i>	Feathertail glider
Mammals	Diprotodontia	Phalangeriformes	Petauridae	<i>Petaurus</i>	<i>breviceps</i>	Sugar glider
Mammals	Lagomorpha		Leporidae	<i>Oryctolagus</i>	<i>cuniculus</i>	Domesticated rabbits
Mammals	Rodentia	Hystricomorpha	Caviidae	<i>Cavia</i>	<i>porcellus</i>	Guinea pig
Mammals	Rodentia	Hystricomorpha	Chinchillidae	<i>Chinchilla</i>	all species	Chinchillas
Mammals	Rodentia	Hystricomorpha	Dasyproctidae	<i>Dasyprota</i>	all species	Agoutis
Mammals	Rodentia	Hystricomorpha	Octodontidae	<i>Octodon</i>	all species	Degus
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Cricetidae	<i>Mesocricetus</i>	all species	Hamsters
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Cricetidae	<i>Cricetus</i>	all species	Hamsters
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Cricetidae	<i>Phodopus</i>	all species	Dwarf hamsters
Mammals	Rodentia	Castorimorpha	Heteromyidae		all species	All species kangaroo rats, pocket mice, kangaroo mice
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Muridae	<i>Acomys</i>	all species	Spiny mice
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Muridae	<i>Gerbillus</i>	all species	Gerbils
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Muridae	<i>Gerbillurus</i>	all species	Gerbils
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Muridae	<i>Mus</i>	<i>musculus</i>	Domesticated mice
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Muridae	<i>Rattus</i>	<i>norvegicus</i>	Norway rat
Mammals	Rodentia	Myomorpha	Muridae	<i>Rattus</i>	<i>rattus</i>	Domesticated rat
Birds	Columbiformes		Columbidae	<i>Columba</i>	<i>livia</i>	Common pigeon (rock dove) (Captive Bred Only]
Birds	Falconiformes		Accipitridae	<i>Buteo</i>	<i>buteo</i>	European buzzard (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Eriodidae	<i>Chloebia/Erythr</i>	<i>gouldiae</i>	Gouldian finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Aegintha/Neochr</i>	<i>modesta</i>	Cherry finch; Plum-Headed Finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Emblema</i>	<i>guttata</i>	Diamond sparrow (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Emblema</i>	<i>picta</i>	Painted finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Lonchura</i>	<i>castaneothorax</i>	Chestnut-breasted finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Lonchura</i>	<i>domestica</i>	Society (Bengalese) finch (Captive Bred Only]
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Lonchura</i>	<i>pectoralis</i>	Pictorella finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Neochmia</i>	<i>ruficauda</i>	Star finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Poephila</i>	<i>acuticauda</i>	Long-tailed grassfinch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Poephila</i>	<i>bichenovii</i>	Double-barred finch (Captive Bred Only)

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Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Poephila</i>	<i>cincta</i>	Parson finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Poephila</i>	<i>guttata</i>	Zebra finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Estrildidae	<i>Poephila</i>	<i>personata</i>	Masked finch (Captive Bred Only)
Birds	Passeriformes		Fringillidae	<i>Serinus</i>	<i>canaria</i>	Common canary (Captive Bred Only)
Amphibians*	Anura					All species of frogs and toads, <b>except</b> those listed in <b>Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b>
Amphibians	Caudata					All species salamanders and newts, <b>except</b> those listed in <b>Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b>
Reptiles*	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Anguidae		all species	All species of alligator lizards, glass lizards, slow worms
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Lacertidae			All species of wall lizards, <b>except</b> those listed in <b>Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b>
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Scincidae			All species of skinks, <b>except</b> those listed in <b>Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b>
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Teiidae		all species	Tegus and whiptails
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Varanidae	<i>Varanus</i>	<i>brevicauda</i>	Short-tailed pygmy monitor
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Varanidae	<i>Varanus</i>	<i>exanthematicus</i>	Savannah/Bosc's monitor
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Varanidae	<i>Varanus</i>	<i>storri</i>	Dwarf monitor
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Varanidae	<i>Varanus</i>	<i>timorensis</i>	Timor monitor
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Agamidae		all species	Agamas
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Chamaelonidae		all species	Chameleons
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Crotaphytidae	<i>Crotaphytus</i>	all species	Collared lizards
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Polychrotidae	<i>Anolis</i>	all species	Anoles
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Phrynosomatidae	<i>Sceloporus</i>	all species	Fence lizards, spiny lizards
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Tropiduridae	<i>Leiocephalus</i>	all species	Curly-tailed lizards
Reptiles	Squamata	Iguania	Tropiduridae	<i>Liolaemus</i>	all species	South American swifts
Reptiles	Squamata	Scleroglossa	Gekkonidae		all species	Geckos

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Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae			All species of boas and pythons, <b>except those listed in Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b>
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae			All species of colubrids, <b>except those listed in Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b>
Reptiles	Testudines		Emydidae	<i>Chrysemys</i>	<i>picta dorsalis</i>	Southern painted turtle (Captive Bred Only)
Reptiles	Testudines		Emydidae	<i>Trachemys</i>	<i>scripta elegans</i>	Red-eared slider (Captive Bred Only)
Reptiles	Testudines		Emydidae	<i>Trachemys</i>	<i>scripta scripta</i>	Yellowbelly slider (Captive Bred Only)
Reptiles	Testudines		Emydidae	<i>Trachemys</i>	<i>scripta troostii</i>	Cumberland slider (Captive Bred Only)
Invertebrates*						All species of Mussels, Crustaceans, and Arachnids, <b>except those listed in Appendix that require an importation and possession permit</b> . Note: Importation of any invertebrate species also requires compliance with USDA regulations.
<b>* Taxonomy by animal groups defined by the following:</b>						
Mammals, Birds, Amphibians, Reptiles - Univ. of Michigan Museum of Zoology - Animal Diversity Web ( <a href="http://www.animaldiversity.unmz.umich.edu/site/index.html">www.animaldiversity.unmz.umich.edu/site/index.html</a> )						
Birds - <a href="http://www.fws.gov/international/wbca/wbcaacbs.html">http://www.fws.gov/international/wbca/wbcaacbs.html</a>						
Invertebrates - American Arachnological Society Common Names of Arachnids 2003. ( <a href="http://www.americanarachnology.org/acn5.pdf">www.americanarachnology.org/acn5.pdf</a> )						
<b>Note: All captive bred only species must be accompanied by a statement of origin or certificate of veterinary inspection identifying the business of origin and the number of individual animals imported to the individual/business.</b>						

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<b>Species below are exceptions to Unrestricted Wild Animal List status and require an importation and possession permit</b>						
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Amphibians	Anura		Bufo	<i>Bufo</i>	all species	True toads
Amphibians	Anura		Discoglossidae	<i>Alytes</i>	all species	Midwife toads
Amphibians	Anura		Discoglossidae	<i>Bombina</i>	<i>bombina</i>	Fire-bellied toads
Amphibians	Anura		Hylidae		all species	Treefrogs, peepers, chorus frogs
Amphibians	Anura		Pipidae	<i>Xenopus</i>	all species	African clawed frogs
Amphibians	Anura		Ranidae	<i>Rana</i>	<i>temporaria</i>	European common frog
Amphibians	Caudata		Ambystomatidae	<i>Ambystoma</i>	all species	Mole salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Cryptobranchidae	<i>Cryptobranchus</i>	<i>alleganiensis</i>	Hellbenders
Amphibians	Caudata		Dicamptodontidae	<i>Dicamptodon</i>	all species	American giant salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Hynobiidae	<i>Ranodon</i>	all species	Asian salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Plethodontidae	<i>Desmognathus</i>	<i>fuscus</i>	Northern dusky salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Plethodontidae	<i>Eurycea</i>	all species	Two-lined salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Plethodontidae	<i>Gyrinophilus</i>	<i>porphyriticus</i>	Spring salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Plethodontidae	<i>Hemidactylum</i>	<i>scutatum</i>	Four-toed salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Plethodontidae	<i>Plethodon</i>	all species	Slimy salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Proteidae	<i>Necturus</i>	<i>maculosus</i>	Mudpuppy
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Cynops</i>	<i>cyanurus</i>	Blue tailed fire belly newt
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Cynops</i>	<i>orphicus</i>	Dayang newt
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Cynops</i>	<i>chenggongensis</i>	Chenggong fire belly newt
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Cynops</i>	<i>wolterstorffi</i>	Wolterstorff's newt
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Euproctus</i>	all species	Brook salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Mertensiella</i>	all species	Spine-tailed salamanders
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Notopthalmus</i>	all species	Eastern newts
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Taricha</i>	<i>rivularis</i>	Western newts
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Taricha</i>	<i>torasa</i>	Western newts
Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Taricha</i>	<i>granulose</i>	Western newts

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Amphibians	Caudata		Salamandridae	<i>Triturus</i>	all species	Alpine newts		
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Lacertidae	<i>Gallotia</i>	all species	Canary Island lizards		
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Lacertidae	<i>Lacerta</i>	<i>monticola</i>	Iberian mountain lizard		
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Lacertidae	<i>Lacerta</i>	<i>strigata</i>	Caucasian green lizard		
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Lacertidae	<i>Lacerta</i>	<i>vivipara</i>	Viviparous lizard		
Reptiles	Squamata	Autarchoglossa	Scincidae	<i>Eumeces</i>	all species	Skinks		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Apodora</i>	<i>papuana</i>	Water/Papuan python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Eunectes</i>	all species	Anacondas		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Eryx</i>	<i>johnii</i>	Indian sand boa		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Gongylophis</i>	<i>conicus</i>	Russell's sand boa		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Liasis</i>	<i>olivaceous</i>	Olive python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Morelia</i>	<i>amethystina</i>	Scrub/Amethystine python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Morelia</i>	<i>oenpelliensis</i>	Oenpelli python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Python</i>	<i>molurus</i>	Indian/Burmese python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Python</i>	<i>reticulatus</i>	Reticulated python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Boidae	<i>Python</i>	<i>sebae</i>	Rock/African rock python		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Boiga</i>	<i>dendrophilia</i>	Mangrove snake		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Boiga</i>	<i>irregularis</i>	Brown tree snake		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Coluber</i>	all species	Racers		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Diadophis</i>	all species	Ring-necked snakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Dispholidus</i>	<i>typus</i>	Boomsnang		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Elaphe</i>	<i>obsoleta</i>	N. American/Eastern ratsnakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Elapomorphus</i>	all species	Diadem snakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Hydrodynastes</i>	<i>gigas</i>	False water cobra		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Lampropeltis</i>	<i>triangulum</i> <i>traingulum</i>	Eastern milk snake		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Nerodia</i>	<i>sipedon</i>	Northern watersnake		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Opheodrys</i>	all species	Green snakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Rhabdophis</i>	<i>subminiatus</i>	Red-necked snakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Rhabdophis</i>	<i>tigrinus</i>	Tiger keelback snakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Storeria</i>	<i>dekayi</i>	Dekay's brownsnakes		

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Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Tachymenis</i>	all species	False vipers		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Thamnophis</i>	all species	Garter snakes, ribbon snakes		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Thelotornis</i>	<i>capensis</i>	Twig/Bird snake		
Reptiles	Squamata	Serpentes	Colubridae	<i>Thelotornis</i>	<i>kirtlandi</i>	Bird/Vine snake		
Mussels	Bivalvia		Corbulida	<i>Corbicula</i>	all species	Asian clams		
Mussels	Bivalvia		Dreissenidae	<i>Dreissena</i>	<i>polymorpha</i>	Zebra mussels		
Mussels	Bivalvia		Dreissenidae	<i>Dreissena</i>	<i>bugensis</i>	Quagga mussel		
Mussels	Bivalvia		Margaritiferidae		all species	Freshwater mussels		
Mussels	Bivalvia		Unionidae		all species	Freshwater mussels		
Crustaceans	Decapoda		Cambaridae	<i>Orconectes</i>	<i>rusticus</i>	Rusty crayfish		
Crustaceans	Decapoda		Grapsidae	<i>Eriocheir</i>	all species	Chinese mitten crabs		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Actinopodidae	<i>Missulena</i>	all species	Mouse spiders		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Ctenidae	<i>Phoneutria</i>	all species	Wandering spiders		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Hexathelidae	<i>Hadronyche</i>	all species	Funnel web spiders		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Hexathelidae	<i>Atrax</i>	all species	Sydney funnel web spiders		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Sicariidae	<i>Loxusceles</i>	all species	Recluse spiders		
Arachnids	Araneae		Theridiidae	<i>Lactrodectus</i>	all species	Black widow/redback spiders		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Theridiidae	<i>Tegenaria</i>	<i>agrestis</i>	Hobo spider		
Arachnids	Arachnida		Theridiidae	<i>Cheiracanthium</i>	all species	Yellow sac/Long legged spiders		
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Androctonus</i>	all species	Fat-tailed scorpions		
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Parabuthus</i>	all species	Fat-tailed scorpions		
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Buthacus</i>	all species			
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Buthus</i>	all species			
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Compsobuthus</i>	all species			

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Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Hottentota</i>	all species			
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Mesobuthus</i>	all species			
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Odontobuthus</i>	all species			
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Centruroides</i>	all species	Bark scorpions		
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Buthidae	<i>Leiurus</i>	<i>quinquestriatus</i>	Five keeled gold scorpion		
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Hemiscorpiidae	<i>Hemiscorpius</i>	all species			
Arachnids	Scorpionida		Scorpionidae	<i>Opisththalmus</i>	<i>glabrifons</i>	Yellow legged creeping scorpion		
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Birds - Birdnet, The Ornithological Society ( <a href="http://www.nmnh.si.edu/BIRDNET/Orders/Birdaccounts.html">www.nmnh.si.edu/BIRDNET/Orders/Birdaccounts.html</a> ) and <a href="http://www.fws.gov/international/wbca/wbcaacbs.html">http://www.fws.gov/international/wbca/wbcaacbs.html</a>								
Arachnids - American Arachnological Society Common Names of Arachnids 2003. ( <a href="http://www.americanarachnology.org/acn5.pdf">www.americanarachnology.org/acn5.pdf</a> )								