

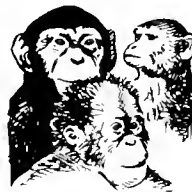
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ABSTRACT

Mammals imported into the United States in 1972 are tabulated by species and country of origin. Total numbers imported from 1968 through 1972 are given for higher taxa and for species most frequently imported. The numbers of mammals imported in 1972 increased only very slightly from the number imported in 1971 largely as a result of increased importation of laboratory animals (Muridae) from Europe. Lists of rare and endangered species imported and of mammals whose importation is restricted are also given.

MAMMALS IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED STATES IN 1972

This report is the fifth in a series that lists the numbers and species of mammals imported into the United States each year. As in the earlier reports (Jones, 1970; Jones and Paradiso, 1972; Paradiso and Fisher, 1972; Clapp and Paradiso, 1973), it is based on an analysis of import declaration forms (U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife Form 3-177) that are filed at ports of entry where wildlife shipments are presented for customs clearance.

The purpose of this report is to list, by species and country of origin¹, the number of mammals declared for importation into the United States in 1972. Scientists, wildlife managers, conservationists and others may be interested in this list for the following reasons: to indicate pressures exerted on certain populations of wild mammals and point out the need for their conservation; reveal species that could become pests if established in the wild; to help mammalogists to determine the source of exotic species found in the wild; to indicate taxa of mammals that must be identified at ports of entry to prevent importation of prohibited mammals; to suggest improvements in procedures of recording declarations of imported wildlife; and to indicate the availability of species that are useful in research. Comparison of this list with previous ones may indicate trends or changes in importance of various species in research and in the pet trade.

PROCEDURES

Procedures were the same as stated in the preceding report (Clapp and Paradiso, 1973). A notebook was compiled from original and xerographic copies of declaration forms. Therein was listed totals by species name, country of origin, and number imported. A discussion of some of the difficulties encountered in interpreting the names listed on the declaration forms in 1971 (Clapp and Paradiso, op. cit.) is still pertinent to the present listing.

Nomenclature of mammals used in this report follows the sources listed in Paradiso and Fisher (1972). Orders and families are arranged in phylogenetic sequence according to Anderson and Jones (1967); names of genera are alphabetized within each family.

This report is not intended in any way as a systematic treatment. No scientific or common names or combinations of names used herein are proposed as new names.

NUMBERS OF MAMMALS IMPORTED, BY ORDER AND FAMILY

The following list of the number of imported mammals in the various orders and families will serve in part both as a Table of Contents and Summary of the Systematic List. Totals for 1968 through 1972 are included and should serve as a summary of the overall magnitude of mammal importations during these 5 years. Tabulations of sources from

¹"Country of origin" as here used is meant to indicate the country from which the animals were received. It does not necessarily indicate that the animals were native to the country from which received nor that they were born there.

which mammals were received, tabulations of more frequently imported taxa, lists of rare and endangered species imported, and a list of prohibited mammals imported are presented in a section following the systematic list.

TABLE OF CONTENTS AND SUMMARY OF IMPORTATIONS BY ORDERS
AND FAMILIES - 1968-1972

Page	Group	Number in Family 1972	Number in Family 1968-1972	Number in Order 1972	Number in Order 1968-1972
5	Monotremata			4	25
5	Tachyglossidae	4	25		
5	Marsupialia			1,604	7,597
5	Didelphidae	1,269	5,709		
-	Dasyuridae	--	32		
-	Peramelidae	--	12		
5	Phalangeridae	18	1,115		
-	Phascolomidae	--	3		
5	Macropodidae	317	726		
-	Dermoptera			--	14
-	Cynocephalidae	--	14		
7	Insectivora			880	3,735
7	Erinaceidae	271	976		
-	Tenrecidae	--	10		
-	Solenodontidae	--	4		
-	Soricidae	--	17		
7	Macroscelididae	29	29		
7	Tupaiidae	580	2,699		
7	Chiroptera			213	1,667
7	Pteropidae	12	51		
7	Emballonuridae	2	2		
-	Noctilionidae	--	43		
-	Megadermatidae	--	6		
-	Rhinolophidae	--	22		
8	Phyllostomatidae	199	1,489 ^{1/}		
-	Thyropteridae	--	*		
-	Vespertilionidae	--	5		
-	Molossidae	--	49 ^{1/}		

*No number was listed on the 1968 import declarations.

¹This total is low because no number was listed on the import declarations for some animals imported in 1968.

Page	Group	Number in Family 1972	Number in Family 1968-1972	Number in Order 1972	Number in Order 1968-1972
8	Primates			77,638	458,479
8	Lemuridae	1	38		
-	Indriidae	--	11		
8	Lorisidae	246	1,488		
-	Tarsiidae	--	1		
9	Cebidae	39,234	253,371		
11	Callithricidae	5,746	30,405		
11	Cercopithecidae	31,959	171,164		
15	Hylobatidae	214	753		
15	Pongidae	236	1,201		
15	(Unidentifiable Primates)	2	47		
16	Edentata			869	3,406
16	Myrmecophagidae	607	2,472		
16	Bradypodidae	128	612		
16	Dasypodidae	134	322		
17	Pholidota			33	95
17	Manidae	33	95		
17	Lagomorpha			102	14,110
17	Leporidae	102	14,110		
18	Rodentia			4,452	12,663
18	Sciuridae	801	2,928		
-	Heteromyidae	--	61		
18	Pedetidae	24	66		
19	Cricetidae	105	595		
19	Muridae	2,827	4,273		
-	Gliridae	--	10		
19	Dipodidae	31	31		
19	Hystriidae	25	100		
20	Erethizontidae	52	207		
20	Caviidae	64	1,835		
20	Hydrochaeridae	270	920		
-	Dinomyidae	--	18		
20	Dasyproctidae	227	1,449		
21	Chinchillidae	26	109		
-	Capromyidae	--	49		
-	Octodontidae	--	5		
-	Echimyidae	--	7		
21	Cetacea			1	101
-	Eschrichtiidae	--	1		
-	Balaenopteridae	--	3		

Page	Group	Number in Family 1972	Number in Family 1968-1972	Number in Order 1972	Number in Order 1968-1972
	Cetacea (cont'd)				
-	Monodontidae	--	3		
-	Platanistidae	--	11		
-	Phocoenidae	--	14		
21	Delphinidae	1	29		
-	(Unknown)	--	40		
21	Carnivora			4,112	21,300
21	Canidae	35	170		
22	Ursidae	66	361		
22	Procyonidae	2,776	13,375		
23	Mustelidae	247	1,622		
24	Viverridae	132	356		
24	Hyaenidae	4	12		
24	Felidae	852	5,404		
27	Pinnepedia			15	137
27	Otariidae	3	39		
-	Odobenidae	--	4		
27	Phocidae	12	94		
27	Tubulidentata			2	11
27	Orycteropodidae	2	11		
27	Proboscidea			79	249
27	Elephantidae	79	249		
27	Hyracoidea			101	179
27	Procaviidae	101	179		
-	Sirenia			--	6
-	Trichechidae	--	6		
28	Perissodactyla			152	672
28	Equidae	88	347		
28	Tapiridae	1	229		
28	Rhinocerotidae	63	96		
28	Artiodactyla			151	987
-	Suidae	--	3		
-	Tayassuidae	--	2		
-	Hippopotamidae	--	10		
28	Camelidae	55	161		
29	Cervidae	19	184		
-	Giraffidae	--	51		
29	Antilocapridae	1	4		
29	Bovidae	76	572		
		49	1,026	49	1,026
		90,457	526,459	90,457	526,459

SYSTEMATIC LIST

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
MONOTREMATA			
TACHYGLOSSIDAE			
Spiny Anteater	<i>Tachyglossus aculeatus</i>	Australia	4
MARSUPIALIA			
DIDELPHIDAE			
Woolly Opossum	<i>Caluromys derbianus</i>	Guatemala	3
		Honduras	6
		Nicaragua	3
			<u>12</u>
Black-shouldered Opossum	+ <i>Caluromysiops irrupta</i>	Peru	1
Water Opossum	+ <i>Chironectes minimus</i>	Panama	20
Murine Opossum	<i>Marmosa</i> sp.	Colombia	1,167
		Honduras	64
		Nicaragua	2
		Peru	1
			<u>1,234</u>
Brown Four-eyed Opossum	<i>Metachirus nudicaudatus</i>	Panama	2
PHALANGERIDAE			
Spotted Cus Cus	<i>Phalanger maculatus</i>	Singapore	1
Common Cus Cus	<i>Phalanger orientalis</i>	Brit. Solomon Is.	12
Brush-tailed Possum	<i>Trichosurus vulpecula</i>	New Zealand	5
MACROPODIDAE			
Brush-tailed Rat Kangaroo	+ <i>Bettongia penicillata</i>	Australia	4
Doria's Tree Kangaroo	<i>Dendrolagus dorianus</i>	New Guinea	2
Goodfellow's Tree Kangaroo	<i>Dendrolagus goodfellowi</i>	New Guinea	5

*Indicates a family, genus or species that did not appear in previous listings.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Grizzled Tree Kangaroo	+ <i>Dendrolagus inustus</i>	Singapore	4
Matschie's Tree Kangaroo	<i>Dendrolagus matschiei</i>	New Guinea	3
New Guinean Forest Mountain Wallaby	<i>Dorcopsulus macleayi</i>	New Guinea	4
Agile Wallaby	<i>Macropus agilis</i>	Australia	6
Sandy Wallaby		Hong Kong	3
			<u>9</u>
Scrub Wallaby	<i>Macropus eugenii</i>	Hong Kong	8
Dama Wallaby	<i>Wallabia eugenii</i>	New Zealand	154
	<i>Protemnodon eugenii</i>	Singapore	41 ¹
			<u>166</u>
Red-necked Wallaby	<i>Macropus rufogriseus</i>	Canada	1
Bennett's Wallaby	<i>Macropus ruficollis</i>	England	4
	<i>Wallabia rufogrisea</i>	Indonesia	38
		New Zealand	4
			<u>47</u>
Euro	<i>Macropus robustus</i>	Australia	4
Wallaby	<i>Macropus</i> sp.	Australia	2
		Canada	10
		Singapore	20
			<u>32</u>
Red Kangaroo	<i>Megaleia rufa</i>	Australia	3
Rock Wallaby	<i>Petrogale penicillata</i>	New Zealand	4
Scrub Wallaby	+ <i>Thylogale bruijni</i>	Singapore	22
Swamp Wallaby	+ <i>Wallabia bicolor</i>	Australia	6
Black-tailed Wallaby		New Zealand	1
			<u>7</u>
Kangaroo	-----	Canada	1

¹A statement on the import declaration indicated that these animals had come from New Zealand.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
INSECTIVORA			
ERINACEIDAE			
European Hedgehog	<i>Erinaceus europaeus</i>	Pakistan	40
		West Germany	41
			<u>81</u>
Long-eared Hedgehog	<i>Hemiechinus auritus</i>	Pakistan	136
Afghan Hedgehog	<i>Hemiechinus megalotis</i>	Pakistan	4
Brandt's Hedgehog	+ <i>Paraechinus hypomelas</i>	Pakistan	5
Indian Hedgehog	<i>Paraechinus micropus</i>	Pakistan	28
Hedgehog	-----	Pakistan	17
+MACROSCELIDIDAE			
Elephant Shrew	+ <i>Elephantulus rozeti</i>	Morocco	10
Elephant Shrew	+ <i>Elephantulus rufescens</i>	Kenya	19
TUPAIIDAE			
Common Tree Shrew	<i>Tupaia glis</i>	Malaysia	20
		Thailand	530
			<u>550</u>
Terrestrial Tree Shrew	+ <i>Tupaia tana</i>	Malaysia	30
CHIROPTERA			
PTEROPIDAE			
Gould's Flying Fox	+ <i>Pteropus gouldii</i>	Australia	1
Gray-headed Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	Australia	4
Little Reddish Flying Fox	+ <i>Pteropus scapulatus</i>	Australia	1
Malayan Large Flying Fox	+ <i>Pteropus vampyrus</i>	Thailand	6
+EMBALLONURIDAE			
Greater White-lined Bat	+ <i>Saccopteryx bilineata</i>	Trinidad	2

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
PHYLLOSTOMATIDAE			
Geoffroy's Long-nosed Bat	<i>Anoura geoffroyi</i>	Trinidad	20
Hairy Fruit-eating Bat	<i>Artibeus hirsutus</i>	Mexico	18
Jamaican Fruit-eating Bat	<i>Artibeus jamaicensis</i>	Mexico	45 ¹ / ₁
Big Fruit-eating Bat	<i>Artibeus lituratus</i>	Mexico Trinidad	45 ¹ / ₃ 48 ¹ / ₁
Short-tailed Fruit Bat	<i>Carollia perspicillata</i>	Panama Trinidad	12 6 18
Vampire Bat	<i>Desmodus rotundus</i>	Mexico	24
Greater Spear-nosed Bat	<i>Phyllostomus hastatus</i>	Trinidad	26
PRIMATES			
LEMURIDAE			
Ring-tailed Lemur	<i>Lemur catta</i>	Unknown	1
LORISIDAE			
Thick-tailed Galago	<i>Galago crassicaudatus</i>	Kenya Somalia	20 ¹ / ₁₀ 30 ¹ / ₁
Senegal Galago Senegal Bushbaby Night Ape	<i>Galago senegalensis</i>	Botswana Ghana Kenya Somalia	90 3 19 ¹ / ₁ 46 158 ¹ / ₁
Slow Loris	<i>Nycticebus coucang</i>	Thailand	58

¹This figure is inexact since these animals were in a mixed shipment for which no individual species numbers were listed.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
CEBIDAE			
Black Howler Monkey	<i>Alouatta caraya</i>	Paraguay	4
Red Howler Monkey	<i>Alouatta seniculus</i>	Colombia	7
Mantled Howler Monkey	<i>Alouatta villosa</i>	Colombia	22
	<i>Alouatta palliata</i>	Honduras	9
		Panama	2
			<u>33</u>
Douroucoulis	<i>Aotus trivirgatus</i>	Colombia	3,059
Owl Monkey		Ghana	6
Night Monkey		Paraguay	1
		Peru	467
			<u>3,533</u>
Long-haired Spider Monkey	<i>Ateles belzebuth</i>	Colombia	26
		Peru	8
			<u>34</u>
Brown-headed Spider Monkey	<i>Ateles fusciceps</i>	Colombia	58
		Panama	12
			<u>70</u>
Black-handed Spider Monkey	<i>Ateles geoffroyi</i>	Colombia	855
		Honduras	9
		Nicaragua	738
		Peru	239
			<u>1,841</u>
Black Spider Monkey	<i>Ateles paniscus</i>	Ecuador	1
		Peru	121
			<u>122</u>
Spider Monkey	<i>Ateles sp.</i>	Colombia	3
Dusky Titi Monkey	<i>Callicebus moloch</i>	Colombia	14
Red Titi Monkey	<i>Callicebus brunneus</i>	Paraguay	4
Brown Titi Monkey	<i>Callicebus cupreus</i>	Peru	6
			<u>24</u>
Titi Monkey	<i>Callicebus sp.</i>	Colombia	5
		Peru	37
			<u>42</u>

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
White-fronted Capuchin	<i>Cebus albifrons</i>	Colombia	2,152
Cinnamon Ringtail	<i>Cebus aequatorialis</i>	Ecuador	32
Ringtail Monkey		Guyana	37
		Peru	555
			<u>2,776</u>
Black-capped Capuchin	<i>Cebus apella</i>	Colombia	172
Tufted Capuchin	<i>Cebus paraguayanus</i>	Paraguay	697
		Peru	1,106
			<u>1,975</u>
White-throated Capuchin	<i>Cebus capucinus</i>	Colombia	1,001
White-faced Ringtail		Ecuador	20
White-faced Sapajou		Guatemala	1
White-faced Monkey		Guyana	26
		Honduras	13
		Nicaragua	120
		Panama	13
		Peru	15
			<u>1,209</u>
Capuchin	<i>Cebus sp.</i>	Paraguay	102
		Unknown	1
			<u>103</u>
Red-backed Saki	<i>Chiropotes satanas</i>	Colombia	3
Black Saki		Peru	3
			<u>6</u>
Woolly Monkey	<i>Lagothrix lagothricha</i>	Colombia	225
	<i>Lagothrix cana</i>	Peru	1,900
			<u>2,125</u>
Monk Saki	<i>Pithecia monachus</i>	Colombia	6
		Guyana	6
		Peru	18
			<u>30</u>
Squirrel Monkey	<i>Saimiri sciureus</i>	Bolivia	100
		Colombia	4,609
		Guyana	326
		Paraguay	10
		Peru	20,248
			<u>25,293</u>
Squirrel Monkey	<i>Saimiri oerstedii</i>	Nicaragua	4

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
CALLITHRICIDAE			
Goeldi's Marmoset	<i>Callimico goeldii</i>	Peru	4
White-eared Marmoset	<i>Callithrix aurita</i>	Paraguay	48
Golden Marmoset	<i>Callithrix chrysoleuca</i>	Colombia	19
Silky Marmoset			
Common Marmoset	<i>Callithrix jacchus</i>	Paraguay	9
Marmoset	<i>Callithrix</i> sp.	Colombia	10
Pigmy Marmoset	<i>Cebuella pygmaea</i>	Colombia	102
		Peru	9
			<u>III</u>
Geoffroy's Tamarin	<i>Saguinus geoffroyi</i>	Panama	11
Red-mantled Tamarin	<i>Saguinus illigeri</i>	Peru	50
Moustached Tamarin	<i>Saguinus mystax</i>	Colombia	611
		Peru	453
			<u>1,064</u>
White-lipped Tamarin	<i>Saguinus nigricollis</i>	Colombia	1,665
		Peru	268
			<u>1,933</u>
Cotton-top Marmoset	<i>Saguinus oedipus</i>	Colombia	2,344
	<i>Oedipomidas oedipus</i>	Paraguay	50
		Peru	25
			<u>2,419</u>
Marmoset	<i>Saguinus</i> sp.	Colombia	5
Marmoset	-----	Colombia	33
		Paraguay	30
			<u>63</u>
CERCOPITHECIDAE			
Sooty Mangabey	<i>Cercocebus atys</i>	Ghana	3
	<i>Cercocebus fuliginosus</i>	Liberia	8
			<u>II</u>
Grivet Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus aethiops</i>	Ethiopia	982
African Green Monkey		Somalia	1,110
			<u>2,092</u>

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Redtail Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus ascanius</i>	Liberia	3
Moustached Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus cephus</i>	Angola	2
		Congo	$\frac{1}{3}$
Diana Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus diana</i>	Liberia	3
		Netherlands	2
		Sierra Leone	11
			$\frac{16}{16}$
Mona Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus mona</i>	Liberia	8
		Ghana	6
			$\frac{14}{14}$
De Brazza's Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus neglectus</i>	Congo	4
		Uganda	31
			$\frac{35}{35}$
Spot-nosed Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus nictitans</i>	Congo	2
		Ghana	19
		Uganda	9
			$\frac{30}{30}$
Vervet Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus pygerythrus</i>	Botswana	2
African Green Monkey		Kenya	42
		Tanzania	1,046
		Unknown	90
			$\frac{1,180}{1,180}$
Green Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus sabaues</i>	Ghana	2
Talapoin Monkey	<i>Cercopithecus talapoin</i>	West Germany	5
Abyssinian Colobus Monkey	<i>Colobus guereza</i>	Ethiopia	4
	<i>Colobus abyssinicus</i>	Switzerland	2
		Tanzania	3
			$\frac{9}{9}$
Patas Monkey	<i>Erythrocebus patas</i>	England	6
		Ghana	7
		Nigeria	208
			$\frac{221}{221}$

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Stump-tailed Macaque	<i>Macaca arctoides</i>	India	101
		Indonesia	20
		Malaysia	892
		Singapore	11
		Thailand	1,546
			1,6762
Formosan Rock Macaque	<i>Macaca cyclopis</i>	Taiwan	15
Crab-eating Macaque	<i>Macaca fascicularis</i>	Canada	803
Cynomolgus Monkey	<i>Macaca cynomolgus</i>	Indonesia	80
Long-tailed Monkey	<i>Macaca irus</i>	Malaysia	6892
Java Monkey		Philippines	300
		Singapore	11
		Thailand	237
			1,3972
Celebes Macaque	<i>Macaca maura</i>	Taiwan	1
Rhesus Macaque	<i>Macaca mulatta</i>	Bangladesh	130
Rhesus Monkey		Canada	2
		India	22,595
		Indonesia	30
		Thailand	4532
			23,2102
Pig-tailed Macaque	<i>Macaca nemestrina</i>	Indonesia	135
Pig-tailed Monkey		Malaysia	2042
		Singapore	20
		Thailand	222
			5812
Celebes Black Ape	<i>Macaca nigra</i>	Canada	2
	<i>Cynopithecus niger</i>	Singapore	9
			11
Lion-tailed Macaque	<i>Macaca silenus</i>	India	1
Wanderoo		Unknown	2
			3
Macaque	<i>Macaca sp.</i>	Thailand	39

¹An entry on the declaration form stated that these animals originally came from Thailand.

²This number is not accurate because some animals were included in mixed species shipments for which no individual species numbers were listed.

³These animals were stated to have originally come from Malaysia.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Olive Baboon	<i>Papio anubis</i>	Canada	6 ¹ / ₁
Doguera Baboon	<i>Papio doguera</i>	Ethiopia	80
		Kenya	617
		Senegal	100 ¹ / ₁
		Somalia	3
		Tanzania	257
			<u>1,063</u>
Yellow Baboon	<i>Papio cynocephalus</i>	Tanzania	20
Sacred Baboon	<i>Papio hamadryas</i>	Ethiopia	58
Hamadryas Baboon		Ghana	1
		Tanzania	30
			<u>89</u>
Drill	<i>Papio leucophaeus</i> <i>Mandrillus leucophaeus</i>	Congo	1
Guinea Baboon	<i>Papio papio</i>	Ghana	1
		Senegal	60
		Unknown	70
			<u>131</u>
Mandrill	<i>Papio sphinx</i> <i>Mandrillus sphinx</i>	Denmark	4
Baboon	<i>Papio sp.</i>	Kenya	20
Silvered Leaf Monkey	<i>Presbytis cristatus</i>	Singapore	3
Silver Langur		Thailand	31
			<u>34</u>
Hanuman Langur	<i>Presbytis entellus</i>	Thailand	12 ² / ₁
Dusky Leaf Monkey	<i>Presbytis obscurus</i>	Singapore	3
Spectacled Langur		Thailand	21
			<u>24</u>
Purple-faced Langur	<i>Presbytis senex</i>	Ceylon	1
Langur	<i>Presbytis sp.</i>	Singapore	1
		Thailand	2
			<u>3</u>
Gelada Baboon	<i>Theropithecus gelada</i>	Ethiopia	3

¹Entries on the import declaration indicated that these animals originally came from Kenya.

²These animals were stated to have originally come from India.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
HYLOBATIDAE			
Black Gibbon	<i>Hylobates concolor</i>	Hong Kong	3 ¹ / ₁
White-cheeked Gibbon		Laos	6
		Singapore	11 ¹ / ₁
		Thailand	1
			11
White-handed Gibbon	<i>Hylobates lar</i>	Denmark	30 ¹ / ₁
		Laos	18
		Singapore	37 ² / ₂
		Thailand	1
			86
Siamang Gibbon	<i>Hylobates syndactylus</i>	Denmark	2 ¹ / ₁
	<i>Symphalangus syndactylus</i>	Singapore	83
			85
Gibbon	<i>Hylobates</i> sp.	Singapore	29 ³ / ₃
		Thailand	3
			32
PONGIDAE			
Chimpanzee	<i>Chimpansee troglodytes</i>	Canada	1
	<i>Pan troglodytes</i>	Kenya	14 ¹ / ₁
	<i>Anthropithecus troglodytes</i>	Liberia	109
	<i>Pan satyrus</i>	Sierra Leone	117
	<i>Pan paniscus</i>	Thailand	5
		West Germany	1
			234
Orang-utan	<i>Pongo pygmaeus</i>	Canada	1
		West Germany	1
			2
-----	(Unidentifiable Primates)	Brazil	2

¹Entries on import declarations indicated that these animals originally came from Laos.

²One of these gibbons was stated to have originally come from Laos.

³Four of these animals were stated to have originally come from Thailand.

⁴This animal was stated to have originally come from Zaire.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
EDENTATA			
MYRMECOPHAGIDAE			
Giant Anteater	<i>Myrmecophaga tridactyla</i>	Colombia	53
Greater Anteater	<i>Myrmecophaga jubata</i>	Paraguay	4
		Peru	3
			<u>60</u>
Tamandua	<i>Tamandua tetradactyla</i>	Colombia	536
Lesser Anteater		Honduras	3
		Nicaragua	1
		Paraguay	2
		Peru	5
			<u>547</u>
BRADYPODIDAE			
Three-toed Sloth	<i>Bradypus infuscatus</i>	Colombia	52
		Nicaragua	1
		Peru	1
			<u>54</u>
Three-toed Sloth	+ <i>Bradypus torquatus</i>	Peru	3
Three-toed Sloth	<i>Bradypus tridactylus</i>	Colombia	24
		Guyana	2
			<u>26</u>
Two-toed Sloth	<i>Choloepus didactylus</i>	Colombia	21
		Guyana	2
			<u>23</u>
Two-toed Sloth	<i>Choloepus hoffmanni</i>	Colombia	7
Hoffmann's Sloth		Nicaragua	1
		Panama	12
		Peru	1
			<u>21</u>
Sloth	-----	Colombia	1
DASYPODIDAE			
Hairy Armadillo	+ <i>Chaetophractus vellerosus</i>	Argentina	21
		Paraguay	5
			<u>26</u>
Hairy Armadillo	<i>Chaetophractus villosus</i>	Paraguay	4

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Nine-banded Armadillo	<i>Dasypus novemcinctus</i>	Mexico	3
		Paraguay	4
			<u>7</u>
Six-banded Armadillo	<i>Euphractus sexcinctus</i>	Paraguay	4
		Peru	2
			<u>6</u>
Giant Armadillo	<i>+Priodontes giganteus</i>	Guyana	1
Three-banded Armadillo La Plata Armadillo	<i>Tolypeutes matacus</i>	Argentina	8
		Paraguay	35
			<u>43</u>
Pichi Armadillo	<i>Zaedyus pichiy</i>	Argentina	11
		Paraguay	3
			<u>14</u>
Armadillo	-----	Argentina	27
		Guyana	4
		Paraguay	1
			<u>32</u>
PHOLIDOTA			
MANIDAE			
Malayan Pangolin Scaly Anteater	<i>Manis javanica</i>	Singapore	1
		Thailand	32
			<u>33</u>
LAGOMORPHA			
LEPORIDAE			
Snowshoe Hare	<i>Lepus americanus</i>	Canada	60
European Hare	<i>+Lepus europaeus</i>	West Germany	15
Old World Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	England	19
		West Germany	8
			<u>27</u>

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
RODENTIA			
SCIURIDAE			
Golden-backed Squirrel	<i>Callosciurus caniceps</i>	Thailand	2
Black Squirrel	+ <i>Callosciurus germaini</i>	Thailand	2
Finlayson's Squirrel	<i>Callosciurus finlaysoni</i>	Thailand	31
Swinhoe's Striped Squirrel	+ <i>Callosciurus swinhoei</i> <i>Tamias swinhoei</i>	Thailand	6
Beautiful Squirrel Tri-colored Squirrel	<i>Callosciurus</i> sp.	Thailand	96
Northern Palm Squirrel	+ <i>Funambulus pennanti</i>	Pakistan	2
Red and White Flying Squirrel	+ <i>Petaurista alborufus</i>	Thailand	10
Dwarf Flying Squirrel	<i>Petinomys setosus</i> <i>Petinomys phipsoni</i>	Thailand	10
Malayan Giant Squirrel	<i>Ratufa bicolor</i>	Thailand	23
Indian Giant Squirrel	<i>Ratufa indica</i>	Thailand	5
Tropical Red Squirrel	<i>Sciurus granatensis</i>	Colombia Nicaragua	481 3 <u>484</u>
Variegated Squirrel Silver Squirrel	<i>Sciurus variegatoides</i>	Honduras Nicaragua	10 16 <u>26</u>
Squirrel	<i>Sciurus</i> sp.	Colombia Honduras	30 12 <u>42</u>
Squirrel	-----	Ghana Thailand	9 51 <u>60</u>
Flying Squirrel	-----	Thailand	2
PEDETIDAE			
African Jumping Hare Spring Hare	<i>Pedetes capensis</i> <i>Pedetes cafer</i>	Botswana	24

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
CRICETIDAE			
Vesper Mouse	+ <i>Calomys callosus</i>	Panama	6
Sand Rat	+ <i>Gerbillus</i> sp.	Morocco	81
Sand Rat	+ <i>Meriones libycus</i>	Morocco	7
Fat-tailed Gerbil	+ <i>Pachyuromys duprasi</i>	Morocco	1
Indian Gerbil	+ <i>Tatera indica</i>	Pakistan	8
Gerbil	-----	Pakistan	2
MURIDAE			
Egyptian Spiny Mouse	<i>Acomys cahirinus</i>	Unknown	12 ^{1/}
Golden Spiny Mouse	+ <i>Acomys russatus</i>	Unknown	11 ^{1/}
House Mouse	<i>Mus musculus</i>	Canada	6
		England	2,423
		Scotland	83
			<u>2,512</u>
Pacific Rat	<i>Rattus exulans</i>	Hawaii	30
Norway Rat	<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	Argentina	25
		Canada	25
		France	212
			<u>262</u>
+DIPODIDAE			
Small Five-toed Jerboa	+ <i>Allactaga elater</i>	Pakistan	6
Blanford's Jerboa	+ <i>Jaculus blanfordi</i>	Pakistan	25
HYSTRICIDAE			
Brush-tailed Porcupine	<i>Atherurus macrourus</i>	Thailand	2
Malayan Porcupine	<i>Hystrix brachyurum</i>	Thailand	1
Porcupine	-----	Ethiopia	4
		Thailand	18
			<u>22</u>

¹These figures are inexact since these animals arrived in a mixed species shipment for which no individual species number was given.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
ERITHIZONTIDAE			
Prehensile-tailed Porcupine	<i>Coendou bicolor</i>	Peru	4
Prehensile-tailed Porcupine	<i>Coendou mexicanus</i>	Honduras	26
		Nicaragua	16
			<u>42</u>
Prehensile-tailed Porcupine	<i>Coendou prehensilis</i>	Guyana	2
Prehensile-tailed Porcupine	<i>Coendou sp.</i>	Colombia	3
Porcupine	-----	Colombia	1
CAVIIDAE			
Guinea Pig	<i>Cavia porcellus</i>	Peru	54
Mara	<i>Dolichotis patagona</i>	Argentina	10
HYDROCHAERIDAE			
Capybara	<i>Hydrochaeris hydrochaeris</i>	Argentina	2
	<i>Hydrochaeris capybara</i>	Colombia	254
		Paraguay	6
		Peru	8
			<u>270</u>
DASYPROCTIDAE			
Paca	<i>Agouti paca</i>	Colombia	15
	<i>Cuniculus paca</i>	Honduras	5
		Nicaragua	2
		Peru	5
			<u>27</u>
Agouti	<i>Dasyprocta aguti</i>	Colombia	16
		Peru	8
			<u>24</u>
Agouti	<i>Dasyprocta fuliginosa</i>	Colombia	56
		Guyana	6
		Peru	69
			<u>131</u>

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Agouti	<i>Dasyprocta punctata</i>	Honduras	15
		Nicaragua	1
		Panama	3
		Peru	1
			<u>20</u>
Agouti	<i>Dasyprocta</i> sp.	Paraguay	3
		Peru	10
			<u>13</u>
Acushi	<i>Myoprocta</i> sp.	Peru	12
	CHINCHILLIDAE		
Chinchilla	<i>Chinchilla laniger</i>	Canada	26
	CETACEA		
	DELPHINIDAE		
Bottle-nosed Dolphin	<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	Belguim	1 ^{1/}
	CARNIVORA		
	CANIDAE		
Arctic Fox	<i>Alopex lagopus</i>	Canada	2
Coyote	<i>Canis latrans</i>	Canada	8
Gray Wolf	<i>Canis lupus</i>	Canada	15
Wolf	-----	Canada	1
Maned Wolf	<i>Chrysocyon brachyurus</i>	West Germany	1
South American Fox	+ <i>Dusicyon</i> sp.	Ecuador	2
Bush Dog	<i>Speothos venaticus</i>	Colombia	1
		Surinam	2
			<u>3</u>
Red Fox	+ <i>Vulpes fulva</i>	Canada	3

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Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
URSIDAE			
Malayan Sun Bear	<i>Helarctos malayanus</i>	Singapore	3
		Thailand	6
			<u>9</u>
Asiatic Black Bear	<i>Selenarctos thibetanus</i>	India	17
Himalayan Black Bear	<i>Ursus thibetanus</i>	Nepal	2
		Thailand	10
			<u>29</u>
American Black Bear	<i>Ursus americanus</i>	Canada	18
		Singapore	3
			<u>21</u>
Polar Bear	<i>Ursus maritimus</i>	Canada	3
	<i>Thalarctos maritimus</i>	Denmark	2
		West Germany	2 ^{1/}
			<u>7</u>
PROCYONIDAE			
Lesser Panda	<i>Ailurus fulgens</i>	Denmark	4
		Japan	2
		Nepal	4
			<u>10</u>
Cacomistle	<i>Bassariscus sumichrasti</i>	Nicaragua	2
Coati	<i>Nasua nasua</i>	Colombia	36
	<i>Nasua narica</i>	Ecuador	4
		Guatemala	4
		Honduras	137
		Nicaragua	129
		Panama	17
		Paraguay	77
		Peru	474
			<u>878</u>
Kinkajou	<i>Potos flavus</i>	Colombia	260
Honeybear		Ecuador	36
		Guatemala	3
		Honduras	6
		Nicaragua	10
		Panama	7
		Peru	148
		Unknown	3
			<u>473</u>

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Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Crab-eating Raccoon	<i>Procyon cancrivorus</i>	Colombia Honduras Nicaragua	1,391 3 1 <hr/> 1,395
Raccoon	<i>Procyon lotor</i>	Canada Honduras Nicaragua	7 4 7 <hr/> 18
MUSTELIDAE			
Oriental Small-clawed Otter	<i>Amblonyx cinerea</i>	Malaysia Thailand	5 73 <hr/> 78
Tayra	<i>Eira barbara</i>	Colombia Paraguay Peru	53 1 2 <hr/> 56
Grison	+ <i>Galictis allamandi</i>	Honduras	2
Grison	<i>Galictis vittata</i>	Colombia Peru	43 1 <hr/> 44
Southern River Otter	<i>Lutra annectens</i>	Colombia Honduras	3 1 <hr/> 4
River Otter	<i>Lutra canadensis</i>	Canada	2
River Otter	+ <i>Lutra enhydris</i>	Paraguay	1
Old World River Otter	<i>Lutra lutra</i>	Thailand	23
Otter	<i>Lutra</i> sp.	Thailand	20
Otter	-----	Thailand	9
Striped Skunk	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>	Canada	5
Long-tailed Weasel	+ <i>Mustela frenata</i>	Honduras	1
European Polecat	<i>Mustela putorius</i>	England	1
Marbled Polecat	+ <i>Vormela peregusna</i>	Pakistan	1

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
VIVERRIDAE			
Binturong	<i>Arctictis binturong</i>	Singapore Thailand	2 4 <u>6</u>
Bennett's Otter Civet	<i>+Cynogale bennetti</i>	Malaysia Thailand	5 2 <u>7</u>
Banded Palm Civet	<i>Hemigalus derbyanus</i>	Thailand	1
Masked Palm Civet Himalayan Palm Civet	<i>Paguma larvata</i>	Thailand	6
Common Palm Civet	<i>Paradoxurus hermaphroditus</i>	Malaysia Thailand	2 62 <u>64</u>
Banded Linsang Tiger Civet	<i>Prionodon linsang</i>	Thailand	6
Oriental Civet	<i>+Viverra zibetha</i>	Thailand	6
Lesser Oriental Civet	<i>Viverricula indica</i>	Thailand	36
HYAENIDAE			
Striped Hyaena	<i>Hyaena hyaena</i>	India	4
FELIDAE			
Cheetah	<i>Acinonyx jubatus</i>	South Africa SW Africa Unknown	30 13 1 <u>44</u>
Leopard Cat	<i>Felis bengalensis</i>	Malaysia Singapore Thailand	18 4 298 <u>320</u>
Domestic Cat	<i>Felis catus</i>	England Thailand	19 2 <u>21</u>
Jungle Cat	<i>Felis chaus</i>	Thailand	2

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Puma Cougar	<i>Felis concolor</i>	Canada	10
		Colombia	18
		Paraguay	2
		Peru	2
			<u>32</u>
Geoffroy's Cat	<i>Felis geoffroyi</i>	Argentina	2
		Paraguay	40
		Peru	1
			<u>43</u>
Pallas's Cat	+ <i>Felis manul</i>	Netherlands	6 ^{1/}
		USSR	1
			<u>7</u>
Marbled Cat	<i>Felis marmorata</i>	Netherlands	1
		Singapore	4
			<u>5</u>
Ocelot	<i>Felis pardalis</i>	Canada	1
		Colombia	62
		Ecuador	1
		Honduras	2
		Nicaragua	9
		Peru	33
		South Vietnam	1 ^{2/}
			<u>109</u>
Flat-headed Cat	<i>Felis planiceps</i>	Singapore	1
Serval	<i>Felis serval</i>	Kenya	3
Temminck's Golden Cat	<i>Felis temmincki</i>	Singapore	1
		Thailand	14
			<u>15</u>
Fishing Cat	<i>Felis viverrina</i>	Indonesia	2
		Singapore	1
		Thailand	4
			<u>7</u>

¹An entry on the declaration form indicated that these animals originally came from the USSR.

²This animal was a pet that had been taken to South Vietnam from the United States.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Margay	<i>Felis wiedii</i>	Colombia	4
		Paraguay	10
		Peru	2
			<u>16</u>
Jaguarundi	<i>Felis yagouaroundi</i> <i>Herpailurus yagouaroundi</i>	Colombia	159
		Ecuador	1
		Guyana	1
		Honduras	1
		Nicaragua	2
		Peru	1
			<u>165</u>
Cat	<i>Felis</i> sp.	Ghana	2
		Malaysia	2
			<u>4</u>
Lion	<i>Leo leo</i>	Canada	2
		Colombia	5
		El Salvador	4
		Jamaica	3
		Kenya	4
			<u>18</u>
Jaguar	<i>Leo onca</i>	Colombia	1
Leopard	<i>Leo pardus</i> <i>L. p. japonicus</i>	Canada	3
		Laos	4
		Singapore	1
			<u>8</u>
Tiger	<i>Leo tigris</i>	Canada	4
Canada Lynx	<i>Lynx canadensis</i>	Canada	6
Caracal	<i>Lynx caracal</i>	Botswana	5
		Morocco	2
			<u>7</u>
Clouded Leopard	<i>Neofelis nebulosa</i>	Canada	1
		Denmark	<u>31</u>
		Laos	1
		Singapore	7
			<u>12</u>

¹An entry on the declaration form indicated that these animals were originally from Laos.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Snow Leopard	<i>Uncia uncia</i>	Netherlands	2 ^{1/}
PINNIPEDIA			
OTARIIDAE			
California Sea Lion	<i>Zalophus californianus</i>	Bahama Islands	1
		Belgium	1
		Unknown	1
			<u>3</u> ^{2/}
PHOCIDAE			
Gray Seal	+ <i>Halichoerus gryphus</i>	Canada	5
Harbor Seal	<i>Phoca vitulina</i>	Canada	7
TUBULIDENTATA			
ORYCTEROPODIDAE			
Aardvark	<i>Orycteropus afer</i>	Ethiopia	2
PROBOSCIDEA			
ELEPHANTIDAE			
Indian Elephant	<i>Elephas maximus</i>	India	2
		Thailand	41
			<u>43</u>
African Elephant	<i>Loxodonta africana</i>	Canada	2
		Kenya	2
		Sierra Leone	1
		SW Africa	31
			<u>36</u>
HYRACOIDEA			
PROCAVIIDAE			
Rock Hyrax	<i>Heterohyrax syriacus</i>	Ethiopia	33
Rock Hyrax	<i>Procavia capensis</i>	Ethiopia	56
		SW Africa	12
			<u>68</u>

¹Stated on the declaration form to be originally from the USSR.

²Stated on the declaration form to be originally from the United States.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
PERISSODACTYLA			
EQUIDAE			
Donkey	+ <i>Equus asinus</i>	Canada	2
Burchell's Zebra	<i>Equus burchelli</i>	Canada	2
Grant's Zebra	<i>E. b. bohmi</i>	Kenya	54
Damara Zebra	<i>E. b. antiquorum</i>	SW Africa	29
			<u>85</u>
Onager	<i>Equus hemionus</i> <i>E. h. onager</i>	Canada	1
TAPIRIDAE			
Baird's Tapir	<i>Tapirus bairdii</i>	British Honduras	1
RHINOCEROTIDAE			
White Rhinoceros	<i>Ceratotherium simum</i>	South Africa	40
Black Rhinoceros	<i>Diceros bicornis</i>	South Africa	20
		SW Africa	1
		West Germany	<u>21</u>
			<u>23</u>
ARTIODACTYLA			
CAMELIDAE			
Dromedary Camel	<i>Camelus dromedarius</i>	Australia	52
		Canada	1
			<u>53</u>
Guanaco	<i>Lama guanaco</i>	Canada	1
Vicuna	+ <i>Vicugna vicugna</i>	Canada	1

¹These animals were transhipped from Kenya via Czechoslovakia to West Germany.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
CERVIDAE			
Red Deer Wapiti	<i>Cervus elephus</i>	Canada	3
Eld Deer Thamin	<i>Cervus eldi</i>	West Germany	1 ^{1/}
Swamp Deer Barasingha	+ <i>Cervus duvauceli</i>	West Germany	1 ^{2/}
Sika Deer Japanese Sika Deer Formosan Sika Deer	<i>Cervus nippon</i> <i>C. n. nippon</i> <i>C. n. taiouanus</i>	Canada	5
Fallow Deer	<i>Dama dama</i>	Canada	2
White-tailed Deer	<i>Odocoileus virginianus</i>	Canada	7
ANTILOCAPRIDAE			
Pronghorn Antelope	<i>Antilocapra americana</i>	Canada	1
BOVIDAE			
Addax	<i>Addax nasomaculatus</i>	Canada	1
Impala	<i>Aepyceros melampus</i>	South Africa	6
Red Hartebeest	<i>Alcelaphus buselaphus</i> <i>Alcelaphus caama</i>	SW Africa	3
Blackbuck	<i>Antilope cervicapra</i>	Canada	3
American Bison	+ <i>Bison bison</i>	Canada	5
Banteng	+ <i>Bos banteng</i>	West Germany	3
Yak	<i>Bos grunniens</i>	Canada	3
Yellow-backed Duiker	<i>Cephalophus silvicultor</i>	West Germany	1
Gnu	<i>Connochaetes</i> sp.	Canada	1

¹An entry on the declaration form indicated that this animal had been obtained in Burma.

²A declaration form entry indicated that this animal came from East Germany.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Country of Origin	Number Reported
Persian Gazelle	<i>Gazella subgutturosa</i>	West Germany	1
Sable Antelope	<i>Hippotragus niger</i>	Canada	2
		SW Africa	5
			7
Domestic Sheep	<i>Ovis aries</i>	Canada	3
Mountain Sheep	<i>Ovis canadensis</i>	Canada	31
Bighorn Sheep	<i>O. c. canadensis</i>		
	<i>O. c. californiana</i>		
Mouflon	<i>Ovis musimon</i>	Canada	2
Nyala	<i>Tragelaphus angasi</i>	SW Africa	4
Sitatunga	<i>Tragelaphus spekii</i>	West Germany	1
Greater Kudu	<i>Tragelaphus strepsiceros</i>	SW Africa	1
	<i>Tragelaphus capensis</i>		
UNKNOWN		Panama	42
		Paraguay	6
		Taiwan	1
			49

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Yearly Comparisons and Summaries

Numbers of mammals declared for importation into the United States increased from 89,854 in 1971 to 90,457 in 1972, an insignificant increase of 603 individuals or .67 percent. Most major groups imported (see below) showed almost no change in the proportion they contributed to the total imported. Primate imports declined slightly, and imports of rodents increased slightly. The increase in the number of Rodentia imported was almost entirely the result of an increase in the numbers of laboratory animals (*Rattus norvegicus* and *Mus musculus*) declared for importation.

Group	Percent of Total Imports					All Years
	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	
Primates	87.80	88.61	83.69	88.91	85.83	87.09
Rodentia	2.10	1.90	1.52	1.94	4.92	2.41
Carnivora	2.75	3.75	5.19	4.63	4.54	4.05
Marsupialia	.95	1.73	1.06	1.83	1.77	1.44
Insectivora	.54	.62	.56	.97	.97	.71
Edentata	.47	.62	.58	.71	.96	.65
Chiroptera	.20	.35	.36	.34	.24	.32
subtotal	<u>94.81</u>	<u>97.58</u>	<u>92.96</u>	<u>99.33</u>	<u>99.23</u>	<u>96.67</u>
Lagomorpha	4.52	1.63	6.49	.07	.11	2.68
All others	.67	.79	.55	.60	.66	.65

The variety of taxa imported (see below) was slightly less in 1972 than that of taxa in 1971; nonetheless the present report lists 3 families, 21 genera, and 48 species that did not appear in the four previous listings. A number of species listed here for the first time, however, (e.g., *Galictis allamandi*, *Viverra zibetha*, and *Vulpes fulva*) were probably imported during the preceding 4 years; their absence from earlier lists reflects, in part, differences in methods of interpreting the data and in part the general low level of taxonomic competence exhibited on many of the import declarations. About 70 percent of the families, 33 percent of the genera and 14 percent of the species of mammals of the world have been imported into the United States during the last 5 years.

<u>Years</u>	<u>Orders</u>	<u>Families</u>	<u>Genera</u>	<u>Species</u>	<u>Mammals Imported</u>
1968	17	62	190	288	129,520
1969	19	67	201	299	122,975
1970	18	62	192	296	93,653
1971	17	57	173	275	89,854
1972	17	53	161	271	90,457
All Years	19	85	329	573	526,459

Families of mammals making the largest contribution to the 1972 import totals are listed in table 1. With the exception of the Muridae most of the first 10 families listed show little change from that listed for 1971 and all but the Sciuridae have been among the "top 10" families in at least 4 of the 5 years covered by these reports. Similarly, species of mammals most frequently imported (table 2) have shown relatively little change from year to year. Most of the species that have shown the most marked changes in ordinal rank over the 5-year period (e.g. *Procyon cancrivorus*, *Cebus apella*, *Saguinus mystax*, and *S. nigricollis*) are also among those species for which nomenclature on the declaration forms has often been inadequate. Consequently it seems likely that the changes in the level of importation implied by changes in these ordinal rankings may be more apparent than real.

Table 1.--Families making principal contributions to numerical totals, 1968-1972

Ordinal Rank in 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971 and 1972				Family	Number Reported 1972	Percent of Total Reported 1972	Numerical Change since 1971	Number Reported 1968-1972	Percent of Total Reported 1968-1972
1	1	1	1	Cebidae	39,234	43.37	-	253,371	48.13
2	2	2	2	Cercopithecidae	31,959	35.33	+	171,164	32.51
3	3	4	3	Callithricidae	5,746	6.35	+	30,405	5.78
13	14	10	13	Muridae	2,827	3.13	+	4,273	.81
5	4	5	4	Procyonidae	2,776	3.07	+	13,375	2.54
7	7	7	5	Didelphidae	1,269	1.40	-	5,709	1.08
6	6	6	6	Felidae	852	.94	-	5,404	1.03
9	13	12	7	Sciuridae	801	.89	+	2,928	.57
12	10	9	9	Myrmecophagidae	607	.67	+	2,472	.47
10	12	8	10	Tupaiidae	580	.64	-	2,699	.51
27	28	21	17	Macropodidae	317	.35	+	726	.14
18	18	23	19	Erinaceidae	271	.30	+	976	.19
20	21	18	16	Hydrochoeridae	270	.30	+	920	.17
11	11	14	14	Mustelidae	247	.27	+	1,622	.31
14	17	17	10	Lorisidae	246	.27	-	1,488	.28
16	16	15	15	Pongidae	236	.26	+	1,201	.23
15	19	11	11	Dasyproctidae	227	.25	-	1,449	.28
21	24	20	20	Hylobatidae	214	.24	+	753	.14
17	15	13	12	Phyllostomatidae	199	.22	-	1,489	.28
28	33	35	22	Dasypodidae	134	.15	+	322	.06
41	33	39	18	Viverridae	132	.15	-	356	.07
22	20	22	28	Bradyrodidae	128	.14	+	612	.12
19	22	25	25	Cricetidae	105	.12	+	595	.11
4	5	3	28	Leporidae	102	.11	+	14,110	2.68
39	41	41	33	Procaviidae	101	.11	+	179	.03
					89,580	99.03		518,598	98.52

Table 2. Species of mammals most frequently imported, 1968-1972.

Ordinal Rank in 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971 and 1972			Number (and percentage) of Total Imported 1972		Number (and percentage) of Total Imported 1968-1972	
1	1	1	25,293	(27.96)	173,049	(32.87)
2	2	2	23,210	(25.67)	127,004	(24.12)
6	3	4	3,533	(3.91)	20,869	(3.96)
4	4	5	2,776	(3.07)	17,823	(3.39)
36	30	1/-	2,512	(2.78)	2,937	(.56)
8	5	7	2,419	(2.67)	13,711	(2.60)
9	6	6	2,125	(2.35)	12,808	(2.43)
5	7	8	2,092	(2.31)	12,721 ^{2/}	(2.42)
16	15	17	1,975	(2.18)	6,666	(1.27)
7	10	25	1,933	(2.14)	9,135	(1.74)
14	11	9	1,841	(2.04)	7,981	(1.52)
15	8	16	1,676	(1.85)	6,717	(1.28)
11	12	12	1,397	(1.54)	8,058	(1.53)
1/-	1/-	37	1,395	(1.54)	2,505	(.48)
12	9	11	1,209	(1.34)	7,448	(1.41)
10	17	15	1,180	(1.30)	5,792 ^{2/}	(1.10)
1/-	1/-	10	1,064	(1.18)	3,706	(.70)
23	34	20	1,063	(1.18)	3,039	(.58)
13	18	12	878	(.97)	5,285	(1.00)
20	27	18	581	(.64)	2,730	(.52)
22	26	23	550	(.61)	2,586	(.49)
28	28	24	547	(.60)	2,027	(.39)
26	32	28	484	(.54)	1,583	(.30)
21	23	21	473	(.52)	2,608	(.50)
48	29	26	370	(.41)	1,322	(.25)
			82,575	(91.30)	460,110	(87.41)

¹Not listed in report or ordinal ranking lower than 40.

²Five-year totals for *Cercopithecus aethiops* and *C. pygerythrus* are not highly accurate since it seems likely that a substantial number of *pygerythrus* were included with *aethiops* in the 1968, 1969, and 1970 reports. Totals for earlier years used here are based on the proportions of the two species imported in 1971 and 1972.

Sources of Imported Mammals

In 1972 imported mammals were received from 64 countries (tables 3 and 4), compared with 66 countries in 1971. Nine of these countries were not listed as sources of imported mammals in either 1970 or 1971; the total number of countries exporting mammals to the U.S. from 1970 to 1972 is 85. None of these newly listed countries, except Bangladesh, exported more than 100 mammals to the United States in 1972. The total number exported from all 9 countries was only 243 animals, a negligible 0.27 percent of all imports.

Table 5 compares numbers of mammals imported from the principal countries of origin from 1970 through 1972. For the most part the principle sources were the same in 1972 as those of the two preceding years. Variations in the ordinal rankings of two countries, Kenya and Tanzania, probably do not adequately reflect differing levels of wild-life harvest in these countries since the number of animals presumably obtained in Tanzania but exported from Nairobi (rather than Arusha) may vary considerably from year to year. The marked change in ordinal ranking for England merely reflects that a large number of laboratory mice (*Mus musculus*) were received from that country in 1972. The increase for France was all the result of a moderately large shipment of laboratory rats (*Rattus norvegicus*).

Table 3.--Major sources from which the United States imported mammals in 1972.

Country of Origin, Number Imported, Percentage of Total Imported		Principal Families	Number Imported	Percentage of Total from Country	Percentage of Total in Family
1	PERU 26,384 29.17	Cebidae	24,723	93.70	63.01
		Callithricidae	809	3.07	14.08
		Procyonidae	622	2.36	22.41
		Dasypsectidae	105	.40	46.26
		Caviidae	54	.20	84.38
		Felidae	39	.15	4.58
			<u>26,352</u>	<u>99.88</u>	
2	INDIA 22,628 25.02	Cercopithecidae	22,605	99.90	70.73
		Ursidae	17	.08	25.76
		Hyaenidae	4	.02	100.00
		Elephantidae	2	.01	2.53
			<u>22,628</u>	<u>100.00</u>	
3	COLOMBIA 21,759 24.05	Cebidae	12,217	56.15	31.14
		Callithricidae	4,789	22.01	83.34
		Procyonidae	1,687	7.75	60.77
		Didelphidae	1,167	5.36	91.96
		Myrmecophagidae	589	2.71	97.03
		Sciuridae	511	2.35	63.80

Table 3.--(cont'd)

Country of Origin Number Imported, Percentage of Total Imported			Principal Families	Number Imported	Percentage of Total from Country	Percentage of Total in Family
COLOMBIA (cont'd)			Hydrochoeridae	254	1.17	94.07
			Felidae	249	1.14	29.23
			Bradypodidae	105	.48	82.03
			Mustelidae	99	.45	40.08
			Dasyproctidae	87	.40	38.33
			21,754	99.97		
4 THAILAND 4,083 4.51			Cercopithecidae	2,563	62.77	8.02
			Tupaiaidae	530	12.98	91.38
			Felidae	320	7.84	37.56
			Sciuridae	238	5.83	29.71
			Mustelidae	125	3.06	50.61
			Viverridae	123	3.01	93.18
			Lorisidae	58	1.42	23.58
			Elephantidae	41	1.00	51.90
			Manidae	32	.78	96.97
			Hystriidae	21	.51	84.00
			Ursidae	16	.39	24.24
			Pteropidae	6	.15	50.00
				4,073	99.74	
5 ENGLAND 2,472 2.72			Muridae	2,423	98.02	85.71
			Felidae	19	.77	2.23
			Leporidae	19	.77	18.63
			2,461	99.56		
6 TANZANIA 1,356 1.50			Cercopithecidae	1,356	100.00	4.24
7 ETHIOPIA 1,222 1.35			Cercopithecidae	1,127	92.23	3.53
			Procaviidae	89	7.28	88.12
			Hystriidae	4	.33	16.00
			Orycteropodidae	2	.16	100.00
			1,222	100.00		
8 SOMALIA 1,169 1.29			Cercopithecidae	1,113	95.21	3.48
			Lorisidae	56	4.79	22.76
			1,169	100.00		
9 PARAGUAY 1,164 1.29			Cebidae	818	70.27	2.08
			Callithricidae	137	11.77	2.38
			Procyonidae	77	6.62	2.77
			Dasypodidae	57	4.90	42.54
			Felidae	52	4.47	6.10
			1,141	98.03		

Table 3.--(cont'd)

	Country of Origin Number Imported, Percentage of Total Imported	Principal Families	Number Imported	Percentage of Total from Country	Percentage of Total in Family
10	NICARAGUA 1,068 1.18	Cebidae Procyonidae Sciuridae Erithizontidae Felidae	862 149 19 16 11 <u>1,057</u>	80.71 13.95 1.78 1.50 1.03 <u>98.97</u>	2.20 5.37 2.37 30.77 1.29
11	MALAYSIA 1,064 1.18	Cercopithecidae Tupaiaidae Felidae	982 50 20 <u>1,052</u>	92.29 4.70 1.88 <u>98.87</u>	3.07 8.62 2.35
12	KENYA 801 .89	Cercopithecidae Equiidae Lorisidae Macroscelididae	679 54 39 19 <u>791</u>	84.77 6.74 4.87 2.37 <u>98.75</u>	2.12 61.36 15.85 65.52
13	GUYANA 413 .46	Cebidae Dasypsectidae Dasypodidae	395 6 5 <u>406</u>	95.64 1.45 1.21 <u>98.30</u>	1.01 2.64 3.73
14	CANADA 404 .45	Cercopithecidae Leporidae Bovidae Muridae Canidae Felidae Chinchillidae Ursidae Cervidae Macropodidae Phocidae	91 60 51 31 29 27 26 21 17 12 12 <u>277</u>	22.52 14.85 12.62 7.67 7.18 6.68 6.44 5.20 4.21 2.97 2.97 <u>93.31</u>	.28 58.82 67.11 1.10 82.86 3.17 100.00 31.82 89.47 3.79 100.00
15	HONDURAS 329 .36	Procyonidae Didelphidae Cebidae Erithizontidae Sciuridae Dasypsectidae	150 70 31 26 22 20 <u>319</u>	45.59 21.28 9.42 7.90 6.69 6.08 <u>96.96</u>	5.40 5.52 .08 50.00 2.75 8.81

Table 3.--(cont'd)

Country of Origin, Number Imported, Percentage of Total Imported		Principal Families	Number Imported	Percentage of Total from Country	Percentage of Total in Family
16	INDONESIA 305 .34	Cercopithecidae	265	86.89	.83
		Macropodidae	38	12.46	11.99
		Felidae	2	.66	.23
			<u>305</u>	<u>100.00</u>	
17	PHILIPPINES 300 .33	Cercopithecidae	300	100.00	.94
18	SINGAPORE 287 .32	Hylobatidae	150	52.26	70.09
		Cercopithecidae	58	20.21	.18
		Macropodidae	50	17.42	15.77
		Felidae	19	6.62	2.23
			<u>277</u>	<u>96.51</u>	
19	PAKISTAN 274 .30	Erinaceidae	230	83.94	84.87
		Dipodidae	31	11.31	
			<u>261</u>	<u>95.25</u>	
<u>87,482</u> 96.71					

Table 4. Minor sources of mammals imported into the United States in 1972. The first figure in parentheses is the number imported; the second represents the percentage of mammals in that family imported in 1972.

Country of Origin and Number Imported	Principal Groups Imported	Percentage of Total from Country
FRANCE--212	Muridae (212-7.50)	100.00
NIGERIA--208	Cercopithecidae (208-.65)	100.00
NEW ZEALAND--168	Macropodidae (163-51.42), Phalangeridae (5-27.78)	100.00
SENEGAL--160	Cercopithecidae (160-.50)	100.00

Table 4.--(cont'd)

Country of Origin and Number Imported	Principal Groups Imported	Percentage of Total from Country
PANAMA--159	Unknown (42-85.71), Cebidae (27-.07), Procyonidae (24-.86), Didelphidae (22-1.73), Phyllostomatidae (12-6.03), Bradypodidae (12-9.38), Callithricidae (11-.19), Cricetidae (6-5.71)	98.11
MEXICO--135	Phyllostomatidae (132-66.33), Dasypodidae (3-2.24)	100.00
LIBERIA--131	Pongidae (109-46.19), Cercopithecidae (22-.07)	100.00
+BANGLADESH--130	Cercopithecidae (130-.41)	100.00
SIERRA LEONE--129	Pongidae (117-49.58), Cercopithecidae (11-.03), Elephantidae, (1-1.27)	100.00
BOTSWANA--121	Lorisidae (90-36.59), Pedetidae (24-100.00), Felidae (5-.59)	98.35
ARGENTINA--106	Dasypodidae (67-50.00), Muridae (25-.88), Caviidae (10-15.63)	96.23
MOROCCO--101	Cricetidae (89-84.76), Macroscelididae (10-34.48), Felidae (2-.23)	100.00
BOLIVIA--100	Cebidae (100-.25)	100.00
SOUTHWEST AFRICA--99	Elephantidae (31-39.24), Equidae (29-32.95), Felidae (13-1.53), Bovidae (13-17.11), Procaviidae (12-11.88), Rhinocerotidae (1-1.59)	100.00
ECUADOR--97	Cebidae (53-.14), Procyonidae (40-1.44), Canidae (2-5.71)	97.94
SOUTH AFRICA--96	Rhinocerotidae (60-62.50), Felidae (30-3.52), Bovidae (6-7.89)	100.00
AUSTRALIA--87	Camelidae (52-94.55), Macropodidae (25-7.89), Pteropidae (6-50.00)	95.40

+Indicates a country from which imported mammals were not recorded in 1970 or 1971.

Table 4.--(cont'd)

Country of Origin and Number Imported	Principal Groups Imported	Percentage of Total from Country
WEST GERMANY--84	Erinaceidae (41-15.13), Leporidae (23-22.55), Bovidae (6-7.89) Cercopithecidae (5-.02), Cervidae (2-10.53)	91.67
+SCOTLAND--83	Muridae (83-2.94)	100.00
GHANA--59	Cercopithecidae (39-.12), Sciuridae (9-1.12), Cebidae (6-.02)	91.53
TRINIDAD--57	Phyllostomatidae (55-27.64), Emballonuridae (2-100.00)	100.00
DENMARK--45	Hylobatidae (32-14.95), Procyonidae (4-.14), Cercopithecidae (4-.01)	88.89
UGANDA--40	Cercopithecidae (40-.13)	100.00
(HAWAII)--30	Muridae (30-1.06)	100.00
LAOS--29	Hylobatidae (24-11.21), Felidae (5-.57)	100.00
TAIWAN--17	Cercopithecidae (16-.05)	94.12
+HONG KONG--14	Macropodidae (11-3.47), Hylobatidae (3-1.40)	100.00
NEW GUINEA--14	Macropodidae (14-4.42)	100.00
BRIT. SOLOMON IS.--12	Phalangeridae (12-66.67)	100.00
GUATEMALA--11	Procyonidae (7-.25), Didelphidae (3-.24), Cebidae (1-.003)	100.00
NETHERLANDS--11	Felidae (9-1.06), Cercopithecidae (2-.01)	100.00
CONGO--8	Cercopithecidae (8-.03)	100.00
+NEPAL--6	Procyonidae (4-.14), Ursidae (2-3.03)	100.00
+EL SALVADOR--4	Felidae (4-.47)	100.00
JAMAICA--3	Felidae (3-.35)	100.00

+Indicates a country from which imported mammals were not recorded in 1970 or 1971.

Table 4.--(cont'd)

Country of Origin and Number Imported	Principal Groups Imported	Percentage of Total from Country
+ANGOLA--2	Cercopithecidae (2-.01)	100.00
BELGIUM--2	Delphinidae (1-100.00), Otariidae (1-33.33)	100.00
BRAZIL--2	Unknown Primate (2-100.00)	100.00
JAPAN--2	Procyonidae (2-.07)	100.00
+SURINAM--2	Canidae (2-5.71)	100.00
SWITZERLAND--2	Cercopithecidae (2-.01)	100.00
+BAHAMA ISLANDS--1	Otariidae (1-33.33)	100.00
BRITISH HONDURAS--1	Tapiridae (1-100.00)	100.00
+CEYLON--1	Cercopithecidae (1-.003)	100.00
SOUTH VIETNAM--1	Felidae (1-.12)	100.00
USSR--1	Felidae (1-.12)	100.00

⁺Indicates a country from which imported mammals were not recorded in 1970 or 1971

Table 5.--Comparison of Numbers of Mammals Imported 1970-1972 from Countries Exporting to the United States.

Ordinal Rank in 1970, 1971 and 1972		Country of Origin	Total Imported 1971	Total Imported 1972	% Change	Total Imported 1970-1972	Percentage of Total Imported 1970-1972
1	1	Peru	30,590	26,384	- 13.75	86,844	31.70
2	2	India	21,445	22,628	+ 5.52	66,178	24.16
3	3	Colombia	20,913	21,759	+ 4.05	59,390	21.68
4	4	Thailand	3,937	4,083	+ 3.71	11,307	4.13
27	49	England	11	2,472	+ 22,372.73	2,543	.93
11	13	Tanzania	497	1,356	+ 172.84	2,777	1.01
8	8	Ethiopia	1,220	1,222	+ .16	4,161	1.52
12	9	Somalia	1,089	1,169	+ 7.35	2,886	1.05
13	10	Paraguay	984	1,164	+ 18.29	2,701	.99
7	5	Nicaragua	1,411	1,068	- 24.31	4,220	1.54
9	6	Malaysia	1,280	1,064	- 16.88	3,900	1.42
10	7	Kenya	1,237	801	- 35.25	3,380	1.23
15	12	Guyana	510	413	- 19.02	1,372	.50
4	20	Canada	187	404	+ 116.04	6,789	2.48
17	16	Honduras	358	329	- 8.10	986	.36
NA	29	Indonesia	100	305	+ 205.00	405	.15
23	14	Philippines	430	300	- 30.23	830	.30
26	27	Singapore	103	287	+ 178.64	463	.17
14	18	Pakistan	279	274	- 1.79	1,061	.39
31	40	France	23	212	+ 821.74	283	.10
21	30	Nigeria	91	208	+ 128.57	450	.16
19	23	New Zealand	134	168	+ 25.37	479	.17
38	32	Senegal	82	160	+ 95.12	267	.10
41	34	Panama	58	159	+ 174.14	238	.09
20	15	Mexico	373	135	- 63.81	684	.25
Subtotal			87,342	88,524	+ 1.35	264,594	96.58
All other countries*			2,512	1,933	- 23.05	9,370	3.42
Total			89,854	90,457	+ .67	273,964	100.00

*Includes mammals for which country of origin is unknown

Imported Rare and Endangered Species

A number of species listed in the Red Data Book (1972) by the International Union for the Conservation of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN) were declared for importation in 1972. At least some subspecies of rare and endangered mammals (e.g., *Cervus nippon taiouanus*) that were included among the rare and endangered mammals listed in the Red Data Book were among the mammals imported in 1971, but identifications were usually not made to subspecies on the import declarations.

Species of mammals listed in the IUCN Red Data Book in 1972 that were declared for importation into the United States in 1972 are listed in table 6 below. A listing of the total number imported from 1968 through 1972 is also given although some of these mammals may not have been included in the Red Data Book nor on the U.S. list of foreign species in danger of extinction during the earlier part of this period. Letters to the left of names indicate their status in the Red Data Book with V indicating vulnerable; R, rare; E, endangered; and I, indeterminate but suspected of belonging in one or more of the three former categories. Those marked with an asterisk are included on the U.S. list of foreign species in danger of extinction.

Table 6. Rare and endangered species of mammals imported into the United States from 1968 through 1972¹

Common Name	Scientific Name	Number Imported 1972	Number Imported 1968-1972
MACROPODIDAE			
* Brush-tailed Rat Kangaroo	<i>Bettongia penicillata</i>	4	4
SOLENODONTIDAE			
E * Haitian Solenodon	<i>Solenodon paradoxurus</i>		4
LEMURIDAE			
V * Fat-tailed Dwarf Lemur	<i>Cheirogalus medius</i>		3
V * Gray Gentle Lemur	<i>Hapalemur griseus</i>		3
* Ring-tailed Lemur	<i>Lemur catta</i>	1	74
E * Black Lemur	<i>Lemur macaco</i>		5
V * Mongoose Lemur	<i>Lemur mongoz</i>		25
* Ruffed Lemur	<i>Lemur variegatus</i>		8
* Lemur	<i>Lemur sp.</i>		2
R/E * Weasel Lemur	<i>Lepilemur mustelinus</i>		1
* Lesser Mouse Lemur	<i>Microcebus murinus</i>		15
* Mouse Lemur	<i>Microcebus sp.</i>		2

¹Two Giant Pandas, (*Ailuripoda melanoleuca*), listed as rare by the IUCN, were also imported in 1972 but did not appear on the declaration forms; hence their exclusion from the table above.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Number Imported 1972	Number Imported 1968-1972
INDRIIDAE			
E * Verreaux's Sifaka	<i>Propithecus verreauxi</i>		11
CEBIDAE			
E * Woolly Spider Monkey	<i>Brachyteles arachnoides</i>		39
E * Black-headed Uakari	<i>Cacajao melanocephalus</i>		4
E * Red Uakari	<i>Cacajao rubicundus</i>		210
* Squirrel Monkey	<i>Saimiri oerstedii</i>	4	6
CALLITHRICIDAE			
I * Goeldi's Marmoset	<i>Callimico goeldii</i>	4	179
E * Golden Lion Marmoset	<i>Leontideus rosalia</i>		349
CEBIDAE			
E * Lion-tailed Macaque	<i>Macaca silenus</i>	3	20
E * Douc Langur	<i>Pygathrix nemaeus</i>		35
PONGIDAE			
V Chimpanzee ^{1/}	<i>Chimpanzee troglodytes</i>	234	1,171
V * Gorilla	<i>Gorilla gorilla</i>		26
E * Orang-utan	<i>Pongo pygmaeus</i>	2	4
MYRMECOPHAGIDAE			
V Giant Anteater	<i>Myrmecophaga tridactyla</i>	60	369
BRADYPODIDAE			
R * Three-toed Sloth	<i>Bradypus torquatus</i>	3	3
DASYPODIDAE			
V Giant Armadillo	<i>Priodontes giganteus</i>	1	1
R Three-banded Armadillo	<i>Tolypeutes tricinctus</i>		1
CHINCHILLIDAE			
V Chinchilla	<i>Chinchilla laniger</i>	26	73
CAPROMYIDAE			
R Hispaniolan Hutia	<i>Plagiodontia aedium</i>		15
CANIDAE			
R Small-eared Dog	<i>Atelocynus microtis</i>		1
V Grey Wolf	<i>Canis lupus</i>	15	33
V * Maned Wolf	<i>Chrysocyon brachyurus</i>	1	15
V African Hunting Dog	<i>Lycaon pictus</i>		8
R Bush Dog	<i>Speothos venaticus</i>	3	6

¹Here including *Pan paniscus*

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URSIDAE			
V Spectacled Bear	<i>Tremarctos ornatus</i>		4
V Polar Bear	<i>Ursus maritimus</i>	7	24
MUSTELIDAE			
E * Cameroon Clawless Otter	<i>Aonyx microdon</i>		6
E * Giant Otter	<i>Pteronura brasiliensis</i>		8
HYAENIDAE			
V * Brown Hyena	<i>Hyaena brunnea</i>		2
FELIDAE			
V * Cheetah	<i>Acinonyx jubatus</i>	44	202
V * Ocelot	<i>Felis pardalis</i>	190	2,083
* Tiger Cat	<i>Felis tigrina</i>		3
* Margay	<i>Felis weidii</i>	16	258
V * Jaguar	<i>Leo onca</i>	1	74
V * Leopard	<i>Leo pardus</i>	8	64
* Tiger	<i>Leo tigris</i>	4	17
V Clouded Leopard	<i>Neofelis nebulosa</i>	12	31
E * Snow Leopard	<i>Uncia uncia</i>	2	22
ELEPHANTIDAE			
V Indian Elephant	<i>Elephas maximus</i>	43	165
TRICHECHIDAE			
V * North American Manatee	<i>Trichechus manatus</i>		6
EQUIDAE			
V * Onager	<i>Equus hemionus</i>	1	3
V Mountain Zebra	<i>Equus zebra</i>		28
TAPIRIDAE			
E * Baird's Tapir	<i>Tapirus bairdii</i>	1	11
E * Mountain Tapir	<i>Tapirus pinchaque</i>		9
* Brazilian Tapir	<i>Tapirus terrestris</i>		204
RHINOCEROTIDAE			
V Black Rhinoceros	<i>Diceros bicornis</i>	23	26
E * Indian Rhinoceros	<i>Rhinoceros unicornis</i>		5
HIPPOPOTAMIDAE			
R Pigmy Hippopotamus	<i>Choeropsis liberiensis</i>		6
CAMELIDAE			
V Bactrian Camel	<i>Camelus bactrianus</i>		3
V * Vicuna	<i>Vicugna vicugna</i>	1	1

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CERVIDAE			
E * Swamp Deer	<i>Cervus duvauceli</i>	1	1
E * Eld's Deer	<i>Cervus eldi</i>	1	5
BOVIDAE			
V Addax	<i>Addax nasomaculatus</i>	1	2
* Dibatag	<i>Ammodorcas clarkei</i>		2
* Banteng	<i>Bos banteng</i>	3	3
V * Gaur	<i>Bos gaurus</i>		3
V Water Buffalo	<i>Bubalus bubalus</i>		5
V Markhor	<i>Capra falconeri</i>		4
E Jentink's Duiker	<i>Cephalophus jentinki</i>		10
V Scimitar-horned Oryx	<i>Oryx tao</i>		2
V Bighorn Sheep	<i>Ovis canadensis</i>	31	44
<hr/> Totals		<hr/> 670	<hr/> 6,071

Importation of Restricted Mammals

Federal regulations (Title 50, Part 13, Section 13.5) of 1967 restrict the importation of five groups of mammals. Representatives of these prohibited groups were declared for importation in 1972.

Common Name	Scientific Name	Number Reported
Gould's Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus gouldii</i>	1
Gray-headed Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>	4
Little Reddish Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus scapulatus</i>	1
Malayan Large Flying Fox	<i>Pteropus vampyrus</i>	6
Old World Rabbit	<i>Oryctolagus cuniculus</i>	27

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