

Kind of animal and locality	Open season (both dates inclusive)	Bag limit
<p>There shall be an open season for hunting bear with rifles, shotguns loaded with single slug or ball, and with bow and arrow in that part of Pierce county lying northerly of state highway 29-----</p>	Nov. 18 through Nov. 23	See note below
<p><i>Non-rifle Season</i> There shall be an open season for hunting bear with smooth-bore muzzle-loading muskets of not less than .45 caliber and shotguns loaded with single slug or ball, and with bow and arrow in that part of the counties of Dunn and St. Croix lying northerly of state highway 29 and that part of Brown county lying north of said highway 29 and west of the Fox river-----</p>	Nov. 15 through Nov. 23	See note below
<p>There shall be an open season for hunting bear with smooth-bore muzzle-loading muskets of not less than .45 caliber and shotguns loaded with single slug or ball and with bow and arrow in that part of Pierce county lying north of state highway 29-----</p>	Nov. 15 through Nov. 17	See note below
<p><i>Bow and Arrow Season</i> There shall be an open season for hunting bear with bow and arrow only in all that part of Wisconsin lying northerly of a line beginning at the junction of state highway 29 extended westerly to the west boundary of said state, thence easterly along said highway 29 to its junction with the Fox river, thence northerly along said Fox river to its junction with Green Bay which is the east boundary of said state-----</p>	Sept. 20 through Nov. 11	See note below
<p>There shall be no open season for bear in all other counties or parts of counties in Wisconsin.</p>		NOTE: The bag limit on bear shall be one bear per license holder per year.

(4) FUR-BEARING ANIMALS

<p>(a) Muskrat and mink All that part of Wisconsin lying northerly of state highway 64-----</p>	Oct. 20 through Dec. 19 (water sets permitted)	No bag limit
<p>All that part of Wisconsin (except that part lying west and south of a line beginning at the junction of the Chippewa river with the west boundary of said state, thence northerly along said Chippewa river to state highway 35, thence southeasterly along said highway 35 to its junction with U. S. highway 18, thence westerly along said highway 18 to its junction with the west boundary of said state) lying southerly of state highway 64 and northerly of a line beginning at the junction of U. S. highway 18 with the west boundary of said state, thence southeasterly along said highway 18 to its junction with state highway 60, thence easterly along said highway 60 and eastward to Lake Michigan-----</p>	Oct. 28 through Dec. 19 (water sets permitted)	No bag limit
<p>All that part of Wisconsin (except that part lying west and south of a line beginning at the junction of U. S. highway 18 with the west boundary of said state, thence easterly along said highway 18 to the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad right-of-way, thence southeasterly along said railroad right-of-way to its junction with the south boundary of said state) lying southerly of a line beginning at the junction of U. S. highway 18 with the west boundary of said state, thence southeasterly along said highway 18 to its junction with state highway 60, thence easterly along said highway 60 and eastward to Lake Michigan-----</p>	Nov. 5 through Dec. 19 (water sets permitted)	No bag limit

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All that part of Wisconsin, including the Upper Mississippi River Wildlife and Fish Refuge, lying west and south of a line beginning at the junction of the Chippewa river with the west boundary of said state, thence northerly along said Chippewa river to state highway 35, thence southeasterly along said highway 35 to its junction with U. S. highway 18, thence westerly along said highway 18 to the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad right-of-way, thence southeasterly along said railroad right-of-way to its junction with the south boundary of said state.	Nov. 20 through Jan. 15 (water sets permitted)	No bag limit
All that part of Dodge county lying northerly of state highway 60, and Waupaca, Waushara and Winnebago counties.	Dec. 20 through March 15 (water sets prohibited)	No bag limit
(c) Beaver All that part of Wisconsin lying northerly of state highway 64.	Feb. 1 through April 20	35 per season
All that part of Wisconsin lying south and west of a line beginning at the junction of U. S. highway 16 with the west boundary of said state, thence easterly along said highway 16 to its junction with state highway 33, thence easterly along said highway 33 to its junction with state highway 73, thence southerly along said highway 73 to its junction with U. S. highway 51, thence southerly along said highway 51 to its junction with the southern boundary of said state.	Feb. 25 through April 10	35 per season
In the counties of Brown, Calumet, that part of Columbia lying south and east of state highway 73, that part of Dane County lying east of a line beginning at the junction of state highway 73 with the north boundary of said county and southerly along said highway 73 to its junction with U. S. highway 51, thence southerly along said highway 51 to its junction with the south boundary of said county, all of Dodge County, except that part lying west of state highway 73, Jefferson, Kenosha, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, that part of Rock County lying east of U. S. highway 51, Walworth, Washington, and Waukesha.	None	
All other parts of the state of Wisconsin.	Feb. 25 through March 26	35 per season
The skins of all beaver taken in the aforesaid open season beginning on February 1 and extending through February 24 and beginning on March 27 and extending through April 20 shall be tagged pursuant to section 29.132, Wis. Stats., in the county where trapped.		
(d) Otter All that part of Wisconsin lying northerly of state highway 64.	Feb. 1 through April 10	2 per season
In the counties of Brown, Calumet, that part of Columbia lying south and east of state highway 73, that part of Dane County lying east of a line beginning at the junction of state highway 73 with the north boundary of said county and southerly along said highway 73 to its junction with U. S. highway 51, thence southerly along said highway 51 to its junction with the south boundary of said county, all of Dodge County, except that part lying west of state highway 73, Jefferson, Kenosha, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Racine, that part of Rock County lying east of U. S. highway 51, Walworth, Washington, and Waukesha.	None	
All other parts of the state of Wisconsin.	Feb. 25 through March 26	2 per season

(e) **Musk rats taken in beaver traps.** 1. Any person duly licensed pursuant to section 29.132, Wis. Stats., may salvage not to exceed eight muskrats which are taken in beaver traps during the open season for beaver and incidental to the licensee's beaver trapping operations.

2. All such muskrat pelts shall be tagged with a metal tag immediately when the animal is taken; such tags to be furnished by the conservation commission upon request. Any unused tags so furnished shall be returned to the commission at the time the licensee makes his beaver trapping report pursuant to section 29.132 (4), Wis. Stats.

3. All muskrat pelts taken pursuant to this section shall be exhibited for inspection, together with any beaver pelts taken, in the same manner as is provided for presenting beaver by section 29.132 (3) (a), Wis. Stats.

(f) **Tagging of otter pelts.** Each person who has trapped an otter during the established open season shall exhibit each pelt to a conservation warden or authorized representative of the Conservation Commission, not later than five days after the close of the otter trapping season. The conservation warden or authorized representative of the Conservation Commission shall inspect the pelt and attach and lock a special tag indicating it has been inspected. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess a raw otter pelt beginning 6 days after the close of the season to the opening date of the following season without such tag attached and locked. Otter taken from February 1 through February 24 and from March 27 through April 10 shall be exhibited and tagged in the county where trapped.

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WCD 10.02 Wild animals protected at all times. (1) There shall be no open season on Canada lynx, timber wolf, badger, woodchuck, moose, elk, marten, fisher, wolverine, or flying squirrel.

(2) There shall be no open season on prairie chicken, Canada spruce grouse (spruce hen), turkeys, mourning doves, swans, cranes, bitterns, eagles, plovers, sandpipers, all species of hawks and owls