



Welcome to the USFWS Migratory Bird Harvest Survey

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has been monitoring the harvest of migratory birds in the United States since 1955. In addition to estimating harvest, survey data are used to determine the number of days hunted, the number of active hunters and the number of birds bagged per hunter by state.



How does it work? In partnership with state wildlife agencies, the Service gets the names and previous hunting activity information for each registered migratory bird hunter via the [Harvest Information Program](#). We draw a statistical sample from the list and send selected hunters an invitation to participate in the Migratory Bird Harvest Survey. Hunters are asked to record the date, location and number of birds taken, as well as the number of birds downed but lost.

There are 5 separate surveys based on species:

1) doves and band-tailed pigeons; 2) waterfowl (ducks, sea ducks, geese, and brant); 3) American woodcock; 4) snipe, rails, gallinules, and coots; and 5) sandhill cranes. The surveys are conducted by state, so hunters may be selected for any state in which they are registered.



Information on harvest and hunter activity is used to make decisions about hunting seasons (such as season length, begin and end dates, or bag limits) at both the state and federal levels. Results of the Harvest Survey are combined with information from the Parts Collection Survey (another harvest survey in which hunters submit wings from the birds they shoot) to provide species-specific estimates and sex and age ratios. These estimates can be found in the annual [Hunting Activity and Harvest Report](#) available on the FWS website.

Survey Participants

Log in to enter your hunting activity:

Email

Password

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Are you hunting Dove in Louisiana this season?

Yes No

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[Add New Hunt](#)

- Please record your hunting activity only for those days you hunted dove in Louisiana.
- If you did not shoot any birds during a hunt, record zero (0) shot for that day.
- Do not include birds shot by other people.

If you have not kept a hunting log this season, please report your **SEASON TOTALS**.
(If you submit season totals you will not be able to enter a daily hunt log.)

I will not be hunting this season

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Question 1 of 4

What was the date of your hunt?



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Question 2 of 4
In which parish did you hunt?

Date	Select Parish
03/03/2019	*Please Select ▾

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Question 3 of 4
Which birds did you hunt?

Date	Parish	Birds hunted ⓘ
03/03/2019	Beauregard	Please select all that apply ▾

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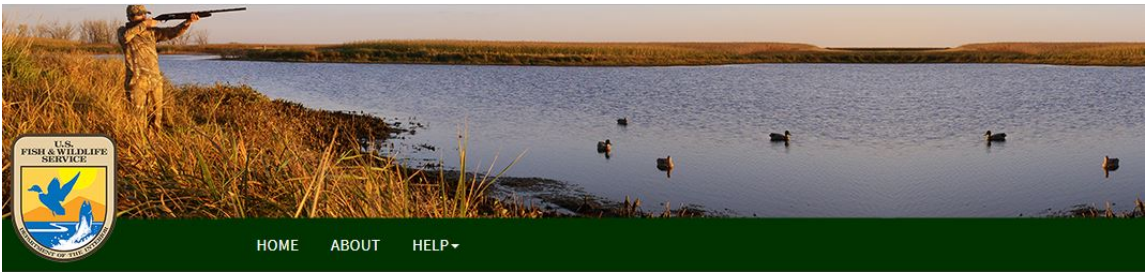
Question 4 of 4
How many birds did you shoot?

Date	Parish	Bird	Killed & Retrieved	Downed but Lost ?
03/03/2019	Beauregard	Mourning Dove	<input type="text" value="0"/>	<input type="text"/>

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Review Your Entries

- **Hunt Date:**
03/03/2019 [edit](#)
- **County:**
Beauregard County [edit](#)
- **Killed & Retrieved:**
4 Mourning Dove [edit](#)
- **Downed but Lost:**
Mourning Dove [edit](#)

Optional Comments for your use

255 character limit

Submit to Hunting Log Cancel

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2018– 2019 Daily Hunt Log




Actions	Date of Hunt	Parish	Birds	Killed & Retrieved	Downed but Lost	Comments
	03-03-2019	Beauregard	Mourning Dove	4		

I am done hunting and ready to submit my hunting record for the season

Submit Final Survey Results for the Season

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT
Authority: The information requested is authorized by the Migratory Bird Treaty Act (16 U.S.C. 703-712).
Purpose: The contact information is requested in case verification is needed about submitted migratory bird harvest information in the Migratory Bird Harvest Surveys
Routine Uses: The contact information may be used by staff from the Division of Migratory Bird Management to send reminders about the survey. More information about the routine uses may be found in the Systems of Records Notice, FWS-26 Migratory Bird Population and Harvest Systems.
Disclosure: The contact information requested in this form is voluntary.

PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT STATEMENT
We are collecting this information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. 3501) in order to estimate annual migratory bird harvest and to respond to requests made under the Freedom of Information Act and the Privacy Act of 1974. Your response is voluntary. According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, an agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number. OMB has approved this collection of information and assigned Control No. 1018-0023.

ESTIMATED BURDEN STATEMENT
We estimate it will take you an average of 3 to 5 minutes to complete the survey, including time to read instructions, gather information, complete, and submit the survey. Direct comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of the form to the Service Information Clearance Officer, Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Department of the Interior, 5275 Leesburg Pike, MS: BPHC, Falls Church, VA 22041-3803, or via email at Info_Coll@fws.gov.

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Please create an account to access your online harvest survey.

Email

Password (Password must have at least 9 characters)

Confirm password

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