

Table 383. Threatened and Endangered Wildlife and Plant Species: 2010

[As of April. Endangered species: One in danger of becoming extinct throughout all or a significant part of its natural range. Threatened species: One likely to become endangered in the foreseeable future]

Item	Mam- mals		Rep- tiles	Amphib- ians	Fishes	Snails	Clams	Crusta- ceans		Arach- nids	Plants
	Birds							Insects			
Total listings	360	281	119	34	152	36	72	22	64	12	762
Endangered species, total . . .	325	258	79	22	85	25	64	19	54	12	616
United States	70	76	13	14	74	24	62	19	50	12	615
Foreign	255	182	66	8	11	1	2	—	4	—	1
Threatened species, total	35	23	40	12	67	11	8	3	10	—	146
United States	15	16	24	11	66	11	8	3	10	—	146
Foreign	20	7	16	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—

— Represents zero.

Source: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, *Endangered Species Bulletin*, bimonthly. See also <http://ecos.fws.gov/tess_public/pub/listedanimals.jsp>, accessed May 2010.

Table 384. Tornadoes, Floods, Tropical Storms, and Lightning: 1995 to 2008

Weather type	1995	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Tornadoes: ¹										
Number	1,235	1,071	1,216	941	1,376	1,819	1,264	1,106	1,098	1,691
Lives lost	30	41	40	55	54	35	38	67	81	126
Injuries	650	882	743	968	1,087	396	537	990	659	1,714
Property loss (mil. dol.)	411	424	630	801	1,263	537	422	752	1,408	1,844
Floods and flash floods:										
Lives lost	80	38	48	49	85	82	43	76	70	82
Injuries	57	47	277	88	65	128	38	23	51	46
Property loss (mil. dol.)	1,251	1,255	1,220	655	2,541	1,696	1,538	3,768	1,278	3,406
North Atlantic tropical cyclones and hurricanes ² . . .	19	15	15	12	21	16	27	9	17	17
Hurricanes	11	8	9	4	7	9	15	5	6	8
Lives lost	17	—	24	51	14	34	1,016	—	1	12
Property loss (bil.dol.)	5.9	8.1	5.2	1.1	1.9	18.9	93.0	2.4	38.8	7.6
Lightning:										
Deaths	85	51	44	51	44	32	38	48	45	27
Injuries	433	364	371	256	237	280	309	246	138	216

— Represents zero. ¹ Source: U.S. National Weather Service, <<http://www.spc.noaa.gov/climo/torn/monthlytornstats.html>>.

A violent, rotating column of air descending from a cumulonimbus cloud in the form of a tubular- or funnel-shaped cloud, usually characterized by movements along a narrow path and wind speeds from 100 to over 300 miles per hour. Also known as a "twister" or "waterspout."² Source: National Hurricane Center (NHC), Coral Gables, FL, unpublished data. For data on individual hurricanes, see <<http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/>>.

Source: Except as noted, U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), National Weather Service (NWS), *Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services, Natural Hazard Statistics*, monthly. See also <<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/hazstats.shtml>>.

Table 385. Number of Earthquakes in the United States: 2000 to 2009

[The United States Geological Survey (USGS) detects but does not generally locate mine blasts (explosions) throughout the United States on any given business day. For more information, see "Routine United States Mining Seismicity." For information on "Top Earthquake States," see <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/states/top_states.php>]

Magnitude											Top earth- quake states	1974- 2003 ²
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009 ¹		
Total	2,342	2,261	3,876	2,946	3,550	3,685	2,783	2,791	3,618	4,256	Total	21,080
8.0 to 9.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	AK	³ 12,053
7.0 to 7.9	—	1	1	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	CA	4,895
6.0 to 6.9	6	5	4	7	2	4	7	9	9	4	HI	1,533
5.0 to 5.9	63	41	63	54	25	47	51	72	85	52	NE	778
4.0 to 4.9	281	290	536	541	284	345	346	366	432	296	WA	424
3.0 to 3.9	917	842	1,535	1,303	1,362	1,475	1,213	1,137	1,486	1,491	ID	404
2.0 to 2.9	660	646	1,228	704	1,336	1,738	1,145	1,173	1,573	2,370	WY	217
1.0 to 1.9	—	2	2	2	1	2	7	11	13	26	MT	186
0.1 to 0.9	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	UT	139
No magnitude	415	434	507	333	540	73	13	22	20	16	OR	73

— Represents zero. ¹ Data are as of July 20, 2010. ² The total number represents earthquakes of a magnitude range of 3.5 and greater. ³ The number of earthquakes is underreported. Events in the magnitude range of 3.5 to 4.0 in the Aleutian Islands are not recorded on enough seismograph stations to be located.

Source: U.S. Geological Survey, *Earthquake Facts and Statistics*. See <<http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/eqarchives/year/eqstats.php>>