

# Mountain Hunter Species Minimums & Category Boundary Descriptions

## ALASKA – YUKON MOOSE

\* Use Entry Form #1

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 210''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 170''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Yukon, and the Mackenzie Mountains in the far west of the Northwest Territories.

## NORTHERN B.C. MOOSE

\* Use Entry Form #1

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 185''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 135''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions north of M.U. 6-16, 6-17, 6-18, the Ingenika River through to the top of Wiliston Lake, along the northern height of land of the Sikanni Chief River then east to the Alberta border.

## CENTRAL B.C. MOOSE

\* Use Entry Form #1

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 165''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 130''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions south of and including M.U. 6-16, 6-17, 6-18, the Ingenika River through to the top of Wiliston Lake along the northern height of land of the Sikanni Chief River then east to the Alberta border.

## SHIRAS MOOSE

\* Use Entry Form #1

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 140''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 125''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Southeastern British Columbia east of the Duncan River, Duncan Lake and Kootenay Lake, and south of the Trans Canada Highway.

## ALASKA – YUKON BARREN GROUND CARIBOU

\* Use Entry Form #2

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 375''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 325''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** **Yukon** – North of the southern boundary of Game Management Zone 2 (1978 regulations), and further identified as North of the Stewart River and – from the junction of the Stewart and Yukon Rivers – North of the Yukon River. **Northwest Territories** – North of latitude 66°N. and west of the Mackenzie River.

## CENTRAL BARREN GROUND CARIBOU

\* Use Entry Form #2

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 345''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 300''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** **Northwest Territories & Nunavut** – The mainland east of the Mackenzie River (north of Great Slave Lake) and east of the Slave River (south of Great Slave Lake), and also on King William, Southampton (introduced), Coates and Baffin Islands.



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## MOUNTAIN CARIBOU

\* Use Entry Form #2

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 360''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 300''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** **Yukon Territory** – South of Game Management Zone 2 (1978 regulations) and further identified as south of the Stewart River and – from the junction of the Stewart and Yukon Rivers – south of the Yukon River. **Northwest Territories** – South of latitude 66°N. and west of the Mackenzie River to Great Slave Lake, then south of Great Slave Lake to the Slave River. **British Columbia** – All regions where caribou are found.

## MULE DEER – TYPICAL

\* Use Entry Form #3

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 165''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 135''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of British Columbia east of the Coast Range, including all hybrids with Black-tailed deer.

## MULE DEER – NON TYPICAL

\* Use Entry Form #3NT

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 195''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 150''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of British Columbia east of the Coast Range, including all hybrids with Black-tailed deer.

## COLUMBIA BLACK-TAILED DEER

\* Use Entry Form #3

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 110''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 90''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** WALES Island northeast to the head of Portland Canal then southward to Bella Bella near the mouth of the Dean Channel eastward to Bella Coola on North Bentinck Arm, then along the height of land of the Coast Range (including Mts. Monarch, Waddington, and Dalglish) to Alta Lake, then northeast along Anderson and Seton lakes, east along the height of land of Mt. Brew, then south along the Fraser River to the height of land between the Chilliwack and Skagit Rivers to the border of Washington State. Also includes Vancouver Island and other off shore islands south to the border of Washington State.

## SITKA BLACK-TAILED DEER

\* Use Entry Form #3

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 80''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 70''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Queen Charlotte Islands.

## WHITETAIL DEER – TYPICAL

\* Use Entry Form #4

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 140''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 125''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Whitetail deer are found.



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## WHITETAIL DEER – NON TYPICAL

\* Use Entry Form #4NT

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 160*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 135*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Whitetail deer are found.

## ROCKY MOUNTAIN ELK – TYPICAL

\* Use Entry Form #5

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 320''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 260''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of mainland British Columbia and the Queen Charlotte Islands.

## ROCKY MOUNTAIN ELK – NON TYPICAL

\* Use Entry Form #5NT

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 330''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 285''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of mainland British Columbia and the Queen Charlotte Islands.

## ROOSEVELT ELK

\* Use Entry Form #5NT

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 290''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 250''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Vancouver Island and portions of the Sechelt Region on mainland British Columbia.

## PLAINS BISON

\* Use Entry Form #6

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 115''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 100''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of British Columbia with Plains Bison.

## WOOD BISON

\* Use Entry Form #6

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 120''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 100''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of the Yukon and Northwest Territories with Wood Bison.

## MUSK OX

\* Use Entry Form #7

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 105''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 90''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of the Northwest Territories and Nunavut with Musk Ox.

## MOUNTAIN GOAT

\* Use Entry Form #8

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 47''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 40''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Mountain Goats are found.



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## ROCKY MOUNTAIN BIG HORN SHEEP

\* Use Entry Form #9

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 175"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 140"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** The Omineca – Peace and Kootenay wildlife regions in the Rocky Mountains near the Alberta border. Also introduced in two areas (M.U. 3-17, west of Spences Bridge, and M.U. 3-20, southeast of Kamloops) in the Thompson-Nicola Wildlife Region that were formerly California Bighorn habitat.

## DALL SHEEP

\* Use Entry Form #9

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 160"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 120"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** The extreme northeastern corner of British Columbia, the northern and western Yukon Territory, and the Mackenzie Mountains in the Northwest Territories.

*The White Dall Sheep and the larger Grey-Black Stone Sheep intergrade in northwestern British Columbia and the central Yukon, with a great many colour variations resulting. As it would be impossible to draw a line where Dall Sheep end and Stone Sheep begin, our rule for record keeping purposes is that a Dall Sheep may have no dark hairs whatsoever, except on the tail. Any sheep that is not pure white (other than the tail) will be treated as a Stone Sheep. This follows long established Record Book traditions.*

## STONE SHEEP

\* Use Entry Form #9

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 165"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 120"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Northern British Columbia north of Peace River, extending northward into the southern Yukon Territory.

## CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP

\* Use Entry Form #9

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 160"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 120"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of British Columbia with California Bighorn Sheep.

## COASTAL BLACK BEAR

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 18"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 17"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Wales Island northeast to the head of Portland Canal, south to Bella Coola, on North Bentinck Arm, then along the height of land of the Coastal Range (including Mts. Monarch, Waddington, and Dalgleish) to Alta Lake, then across Garibaldi Provincial Park to Harrison Lake, then down Harrison Lake to Harrison Hot Springs, then eastward along the height of land between the Chilliwack and Skagit Rivers to the Washington Border. Also includes the Queen Charlotte Island, Vancouver Island and other offshore Islands south to the border of Washington State.



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## MOUNTAIN BLACK BEAR

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 18"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 17"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All parts of British Columbia north and east of the Coastal Black Bear range including the Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

## COASTAL GRIZZLY BEAR

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 23"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 20"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** The Taku River and its tributaries. From Wales Island northeast to the head of Portland Canal, south to Bella Coola, on North Bentinck Arm, then along the height of land of the Coast Range (including Mts. Monarch, Waddington, and Dalglish) to Alta Lake, then across Garibaldi Provincial Park to Harrison Lake, then down Harrison Lake to Harrison Hot Springs, then eastward along the height of land between the Chilliwack and Skagit Rivers to the Washington border.

## MOUNTAIN GRIZZLY BEAR

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 22"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 19"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of British Columbia north and east of the Coastal Grizzly Bear boundary.

## TUNDRA GRIZZLY BEAR

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 20"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 18"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Extreme northwestern corner of British Columbia, Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut; all parts north of latitude 60°N.

## POLAR BEAR

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 26"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 20"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

## COASTAL MOUNTAIN LION

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 14"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 13 8/16"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** Vancouver Island and other off shore Islands, south to the border of Washington State.

## INTERIOR MOUNTAIN LION

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 14 8/16"*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 14"*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions of mainland British Columbia.



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## LYNX

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 8''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 8''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Lynx are found.

## BOBCAT

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 6''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 6''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Bobcat are found.

## WOLF

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 14''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 12''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Wolves are found.

## COYOTE

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 10''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 8''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Coyotes are found.

## WOLVERINE

\* Use Entry Form #10

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 9''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 8''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Wolverines are found.

## PACIFIC WALRUS

\* Use Entry Form #11

*Minimum Score (rifle) = 100''*

*Minimum Score (archery) = 80''*

**DISTRIBUTION:** All regions where Pacific Walrus are found.

