

Top 50 USAF Wildlife Strikes by Count (FY19)

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Species (common name)	Count
Perching Birds	297
Barn Swallow/Swallow	182
Horned Lark	166
Mourning Dove	149
Brazilian Free-tailed Bat	104
Red Bat	93
American Kestrel	85
Eastern Meadowlark	81
Savannah Sparrow	81
Chimney Swift	75
Cliff Swallow	70
Killdeer	68
Yellow-rumped Warbler	56
Gray Catbird	51
Vesper Bats	50
American Robin	46
Common Nighthawk	46
Lincoln's Sparrow	46
Red-eyed Vireo	40
Swainson's Thrush	36
White-throated Sparrow	36
Common Yellowthroat	34
Turkey Vulture	33
Chipping Sparrow	32
Rock Dove/Pigeon	32
Cedar Waxwing	30
Crested Lark	30
House Sparrow	30
Western Meadowlark	30
Black Vulture	28
Ovenbird	26
Ruby-crowned Kinglet	26
Indigo Bunting	25
Dark-eyed Junco	23
Grasshopper Sparrow	23
Song Sparrow	23
Hermit Thrush	21
Purple Martin	21
Bank Swallow/Sand Martin	20
Common Swift	20
Hoary Bat	19

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Swamp Sparrow	19
White-throated Swift	19
American Redstart	18
Red-tailed Hawk	18
Tree Swallow	18
American Pipit	17
Orange-crowned Warbler	17
Yellow-billed Cuckoo	17
Blue-gray Gnatcatcher	16
Brewer's Sparrow	16
European Starling	16
Ruby-throated Hummingbird	16
Wilson's Warbler	16