

Top 50 USAF Wildlife Strikes by Count	
Filtered for Only One Type of Species per Mishap FY1995 - FY2016	
Species (Common Name)	Count
Perching Birds	4,623
Horned Lark	3,283
Mourning Dove	2,759
Barn Swallow/Swallow	2,421
No Feather Remains Found	1,791
Killdeer	1,437
Eastern Meadowlark	1,334
Chimney Swift	1,179
Cliff Swallow	1,167
American Kestrel	1,120
American Robin	1,015
Common Nighthawk	706
Savannah Sparrow	680
Brazilian Free-tailed Bat	664
Bats (Mammals)	645
Insect	598
Red-tailed Hawk	568
Turkey Vulture	510
Rock Dove/Pigeon	504
Vesper Bats	503
Red Bat	500
House Sparrow	489
Yellow-rumped Warbler	481
Common Swift	466
Western Meadowlark	423
Black Vulture	414
Swallows and Martins	391
Eurasian Skylark/Skylark	377
European Starling	327
No Wildlife Received	324
Red-eyed Vireo	320
Gray Catbird	310
Swainson's Thrush	308
Dark-eyed Junco	287
Chipping Sparrow	279
Tree Swallow	269
Cedar Waxwing	261
Other	256
Purple Martin	256
Hermit Thrush	254
Common Yellowthroat	253
White-throated Sparrow	253
Eurasian Kestrel	226
Lincoln's Sparrow	221
Mallard	220
Plovers, Lapwings, and Dotterels	217
Song Sparrow	211
Hairy-tailed Bats	208
Grasshopper Sparrow	205
Scissor-tailed Flycatcher	202