

Table 1. Observations of selected animals (per 100 hours hunting) by cooperating archery hunters from 7 October to 17 November 2017 statewide, east (EBR) and west (WBR) of the Blue Ridge Mountains, and on private and public lands in Virginia.

Animal	Total Seen	<u>Animals Seen/100 hrs. \pm SE</u>				
		State	EBR	WBR	Private Land	Public Land
Deer (antlered)	2,018	16.22 \pm 0.97	17.20 \pm 1.18	14.42 \pm 1.67	16.98 \pm 1.06	10.66 \pm 1.87
Deer (doe)	4,035	32.42 \pm 2.39	31.28 \pm 2.01	34.51 \pm 5.69	34.55 \pm 2.66	16.92 \pm 2.74
Deer (fawn)	1,812	14.56 \pm 1.70	15.41 \pm 2.13	13.01 \pm 2.80	16.00 \pm 1.88	4.06 \pm 1.08
Deer (unknown)	1,101	8.85 \pm 0.84	8.35 \pm 0.71	9.76 \pm 1.96	9.61 \pm 0.93	3.26 \pm 0.74
Gray Squirrel	10,917	87.72 \pm 4.61	97.23 \pm 5.99	70.31 \pm 6.11	87.08 \pm 4.65	92.39 \pm 14.46
Fox Squirrel	684	5.50 \pm 1.02	1.81 \pm 0.54	12.24 \pm 2.50	5.74 \pm 1.12	3.73 \pm 1.24
Turkey (bearded)	336	2.70 \pm 0.43	2.48 \pm 0.56	3.09 \pm 0.65	2.81 \pm 0.48	1.87 \pm 0.56
Turkey (no beard)	1,525	12.25 \pm 2.01	13.13 \pm 2.69	10.65 \pm 2.84	13.47 \pm 2.25	3.40 \pm 1.66
Turkey (unknown)	821	6.60 \pm 1.38	6.68 \pm 1.83	6.44 \pm 2.03	6.99 \pm 1.48	3.73 \pm 1.84
Turkey (total)	2,682	21.55 \pm 2.67	22.30 \pm 3.51	20.18 \pm 3.96	23.27 \pm 2.93	8.99 \pm 2.76
Grouse	27	0.22 \pm 0.07	0.00 \pm 0.00	0.61 \pm 0.18	0.15 \pm 0.06	0.73 \pm 0.33
Bear (adult)	77	0.62 \pm 0.11	0.35 \pm 0.11	1.11 \pm 0.24	0.41 \pm 0.09	2.13 \pm 0.59
Bear (cub)	32	0.26 \pm 0.09	0.11 \pm 0.06	0.52 \pm 0.23	0.17 \pm 0.08	0.87 \pm 0.37
Bear (total)	109	0.88 \pm 0.18	0.46 \pm 0.14	1.64 \pm 0.44	0.58 \pm 0.14	3.00 \pm 0.84
Red Fox	91	0.73 \pm 0.19	0.99 \pm 0.28	0.25 \pm 0.08	0.79 \pm 0.21	0.33 \pm 0.16
Gray Fox	44	0.35 \pm 0.10	0.48 \pm 0.15	0.11 \pm 0.06	0.34 \pm 0.09	0.47 \pm 0.40
Coyote	103	0.83 \pm 0.14	0.86 \pm 0.19	0.77 \pm 0.22	0.82 \pm 0.15	0.87 \pm 0.39
Bobcat	29	0.23 \pm 0.07	0.26 \pm 0.10	0.18 \pm 0.07	0.22 \pm 0.07	0.33 \pm 0.27
Raccoon	213	1.71 \pm 0.24	1.70 \pm 0.29	1.73 \pm 0.45	1.85 \pm 0.27	0.73 \pm 0.37
Opossum	33	0.27 \pm 0.06	0.30 \pm 0.08	0.20 \pm 0.10	0.25 \pm 0.06	0.40 \pm 0.19
Striped Skunk	19	0.15 \pm 0.05	0.10 \pm 0.05	0.25 \pm 0.10	0.16 \pm 0.05	0.07 \pm 0.07
Elk	0	0.00 \pm 0.00	0.00 \pm 0.00	0.00 \pm 0.00	0.00 \pm 0.00	0.00 \pm 0.00
Feral Hog	10	0.08 \pm 0.06	0.10 \pm 0.09	0.05 \pm 0.05	0.09 \pm 0.07	0.00 \pm 0.00
Dog	127	1.02 \pm 0.27	1.22 \pm 0.40	0.66 \pm 0.27	1.07 \pm 0.31	0.67 \pm 0.38
House Cat	111	0.89 \pm 0.26	0.78 \pm 0.37	1.09 \pm 0.29	0.94 \pm 0.29	0.53 \pm 0.37
Hunter	287	2.31 \pm 0.46	1.65 \pm 0.44	3.50 \pm 0.91	2.07 \pm 0.49	4.00 \pm 1.36
Total Hunters		244	170	93	230	51
Total Hunts		2,954	1,964	990	2,672	282
Total Hours		12,445	8,049	4397	10,944	1,501
Avg. Hrs. Per Hunt		4.21 \pm 0.04	4.10 \pm 0.05	4.44 \pm 0.08	4.10 \pm 0.04	5.32 \pm 0.15