

SPECIES PRIORITY LIST

*Tracking priority for this study
in descending order*

Level 1

Wolverine
Fisher
Lynx
Wolf
Grizzly Bear
Mountain Goat
Cougar
Marten

Level 2

Elk
Mule Deer
Mountain Red Fox

Level 3

All other mammals larger than a snowshoe hare including mink

DO NOT RECORD

Snowshoe hares and smaller mammals

KEY

Level 1 species should be trailed wherever possible. In the case of the top 5 species (wolverine, fisher, lynx, wolf, grizzly bear), these can be trailed even before a transect is completed, as they are critical rare species.

Level 2 species should be trailed in the absence of Level 1 species, after completing the outward leg of your transect and where time is available.

Level 3 species should only be trailed if there are no level 1 or 2 species present on transect.