



INTERNATIONAL HUMANE TRAPPING STANDARDS (IHST)



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Illustrations of certified traps are available on the Department's Web site at this address:
<http://www.mffp.gouv.qc.ca/english/publications/online/wildlife/trapping-regulations/devices/aihts.asp> .

For certain species and certain types of traps, only traps “certified” compliant with these international humane trapping standards (IHST) are allowed to be used (see «obligatory use» sections).

OBLIGATORY USE IHST certified killing traps	
Beaver	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle classique 330 ◦ Bélisle Super X 280 ◦ Bélisle Super X 330 ◦ B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 330 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. BT 300 ◦ Bridger 330 ◦ Duke 280 ◦ Duke 330 ◦ LDL C280 ◦ LDL C280 Magnum ◦ LDL C330 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ LDL C330 Magnum ◦ Rudy 280 ◦ Rudy 330 ◦ Sauvageau 1000-11F ◦ Sauvageau 2001-8 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-11 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-12 ◦ Species-Specific 330 Dislocator Half Magnum ◦ Species-Specific 440 Dislocator Half Magnum ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 280 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Canada lynx	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 280 ◦ Bélisle Super X 330 ◦ B.M.I. 220 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 220 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ Bridger 220 ◦ Bridger 280 Mag. Bodygripper ◦ LDL C220 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ LDL C220 Magnum ◦ LDL C280 Magnum ◦ LDL C330 ◦ LDL C330 Magnum ◦ Rudy 330 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-8 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-11 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Ermine	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 110 ◦ Bélisle Super X 120 ◦ B.M.I 60 ◦ B.M.I. Body Gripper 120 Magnum ◦ B.M.I. Body Gripper 126 Magnum ◦ Bridger 120 ◦ Bridger 120 Magnum Body Gripper ◦ Bridger 155 Magnum Body Gripper ◦ Koro Muskrat Trap ◦ Koro Rodent Trap ◦ Koro Large Rodent Double spring ◦ LDL B120 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Ouell 3-10 ◦ Ouell 411-180 ◦ Ouell RM ◦ Rudy 120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau 2001-5 ◦ Sauvageau C120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau C120 "Reverse Bend" ◦ Victor Rat Trap ◦ Triple M ◦ WCS Tube Trap Int'l ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 110 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 120
Fisher	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 120 ◦ Bélisle Super X 160 ◦ Bélisle Super X 220 ◦ Koro #2 ◦ LDL C160 Magnum ◦ LDL C220 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Rudy 120 Magnum ◦ Rudy 160 Plus ◦ Rudy 220 Plus ◦ Sauvageau 2001-5 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-6 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-7 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-8

Otter	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 220 ◦ Bélisle Super X 280 ◦ Bélisle Super X 330 ◦ LDL C220 ◦ LDL C220 Magnum ◦ LDL C280 Magnum ◦ Rudy 220 Plus ◦ Rudy 280 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Rudy 330 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-8 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-11 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-12 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 220 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 280 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Marten	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 120 ◦ Bélisle Super X 160 ◦ B.M.I. 126 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ Eiabzugseisen (Germany) ◦ Kleiner Schwanenhals (Germany) ◦ Koro #1 ◦ Koro #2 ◦ KP120 (Russia) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ LDL B120 Magnum ◦ LDL C160 Magnum ◦ Northwoods 155 ◦ Rudy 120 Magnum ◦ Rudy 160 Plus ◦ Sauvageau C120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau 2001-5 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-6
Raccoon	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Classique 220 ◦ Bélisle Super X 160 ◦ Bélisle Super X 220 ◦ Bélisle Super X 280 ◦ B.M.I. 160 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 220 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 280 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ Bridger 160 ◦ Bridger 220 ◦ Bridger 280 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ Duke 160 ◦ Duke 220 ◦ Koro #2 ◦ LDL C160 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ LDL C160 Magnum ◦ LDL C220 ◦ LDL C220 Magnum ◦ LDL C280 Magnum ◦ Northwoods 155 ◦ Rudy 160 ◦ Rudy 160 Plus ◦ Rudy 220 ◦ Rudy 220 Plus ◦ Sauvageau 2001-6 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-7 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-8 ◦ Species-Specific 220 Dislocator Half Magnum ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 160 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 220
Muskrat (on land)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 110 ◦ Bélisle Super X 120 ◦ B.M.I. 120 Body Gripper ◦ B.M.I. 120 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ B.M.I. 126 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ Bridger 120 ◦ Bridger 120 Magnum Bodygripper ◦ Bridger 155 Magnum Bodygripper ◦ CONV 110 CAN (Holland) ◦ Duke 120 ◦ FMB 110 SS (Holland) ◦ FMB 150 SS (Holland) ◦ Koro Muskrat Trap ◦ Koro Large Rodent Double spring 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ LDL B120 ◦ LDL B120 Magnum ◦ Ouell 411-180 ◦ Oneida Victor 120 Stainless Steel ◦ Ouell RM ◦ Rudy 110 ◦ Rudy 120 ◦ Rudy 120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau 2001-5 ◦ Sauvageau C120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau C120 « Reverse Bend » ◦ Triple M ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 110 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 120
Muskrat (underwater)	
Any jaw-type trap (body-gripping or leg-hold) that exerts a clamping force on the animal, and maintains it underwater	

OBLIGATORY USE IHTS certified live capture traps	
Canada Lynx	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle footsnare #6 ◦ Bélisle Sélectif ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch @ equipped with 2 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch @ equipped with 4 coil springs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Oneida Victor #3 equipped with adjoining steel jaws (minimum of 8 mm thick), 4 coil springs, and an anchoring swivel centre mounted on a base plate
Raccoon	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bridger T3 ◦ Duffer ◦ Duke DP Coon Trap 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Egg trap ◦ Lil' Grizz Get'rz

IHTS certified traps – USE NOT REQUIRED but recommended

For the following species and categories of traps, the obligation to only use traps “**certified under the Agreement on International Humane Treatments Standards (IHTS)**” is not yet in effect. The date of the entry into force, if applicable, will be known at least three years ahead of time and may vary from one species to the next.

Starting in the **2018-2019** trapping season, IHTS-certified killing traps and live capture traps will be compulsory for bobcat. Compulsory use of IHTS-certified killing traps for weasels has been postponed to the **2018-2019** trapping season. For beavers (cages) and wolves, live capture traps will be compulsory from the beginning of the 2020-2021 trapping season.

In the meantime, the traps currently authorized for these species continue to be authorized. Nevertheless, we are recommending the use of the following IHTS certified traps:

USE NOT OBLIGATORY but RECOMMENDED IHTS certified killing traps	
Bobcat	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 280 ◦ Bélisle Super X 330 ◦ BMI 220 Body Gripper ◦ BMI 220 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ BMI 280 Body Gripper ◦ BMI 280 Body Gripper Magnum ◦ Bridger 220 ◦ Bridger 280 Mag. Bodygripper ◦ LDL C220 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ LDL C220 Magnum ◦ LDL C280 Magnum ◦ LDL C330 ◦ LDL C330 Magnum ◦ Rudy 330 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-8 ◦ Sauvageau 2001-11 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 330
Weasels	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Super X 110 ◦ Bélisle Super X 120 ◦ BMI 60 ◦ BMI Body Gripper 120 Magnum ◦ BMI Body Gripper 126 Magnum ◦ Bridger 120 ◦ Bridger 120 Magnum Bodygripper ◦ Bridger 155 Magnum Bodygripper ◦ Koro Muskrat Trap ◦ Koro Rodent Trap ◦ Koro Large Rodent Double spring ◦ LDL B120 Magnum 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Ouell 3-10 ◦ Ouell 411-180 ◦ Ouell RM ◦ Rudy 120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau 2001-5 ◦ Sauvageau C120 Magnum ◦ Sauvageau C120 "Reverse Bend" ◦ Triple M ◦ Victor Rat Trap ◦ WCS Tube Trap Int'l ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 110 ◦ Woodstream Oneida Victor Conibear 120
Mink (underwater)	
Any jaw-type trap (body-gripping or leg-hold) that exerts a clamping force on the animal, and maintains it underwater	
Mink, skunk and squirrel	
No killing traps certified to date	

USE NOT OBLIGATORY but RECOMMENDED IHTS certified live capture traps	
Beaver (Cage) These traps are currently authorized only for wildlife management control (relocation) or scientific purposes.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Comstock 12 x 18 x 39 Swin Through Cage ◦ Breathe Easy Live Trap ◦ Ezee Set Live Trap 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Hancock Live Trap ◦ Koro « Klam » Live Trap
Bobcat	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle footsnare #6 ◦ Bélisle Sélectif ◦ Oneida Victor #1.5 Soft Catch ® equipped with 4 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #1.75, Offset and laminated jaws equipped with 2 coil springs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch ® equipped with 2 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch ® equipped with 4 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 equipped with 3/16-inch offset jaws, with double rounded steel jaw laminations (3/16-inch on topside and 1/4-inch on underside of jaws), and with 2 coil springs
Coyote	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle footsnare #6 ◦ Bélisle Sélectif ◦ Bridger #3 equipped with 5/16-inch offset, doubled and rounded steel jaw laminations (3/16-inch on topside of jaw and 1/4-inch on underside of jaws), with 4 coil springs, and an anchoring swivel centre mounted on a base plate ◦ Duke #3 Rubber Jaws with an anchoring swivel centre mounted on the base plate ◦ Oneida Victor #1.5 Soft Catch ® equipped with 2 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #1.5 Soft Catch ® equipped with 4 coil springs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Oneida Victor #1.75 equipped with 3/16-inch offset jaws, with double rounded steel jaw laminations (3/16-inch on topside, and 1/4-inch on underside of jaws), and with 4 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch ® equipped with 2 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch ® equipped with 4 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 equipped with 3/16-inch offset jaws, with double rounded steel jaw laminations (3/16-inch on topside and 1/4-inch on underside of jaws), and with 2 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #3 equipped with 3/16-inch offset jaws, with double rounded steel jaw laminations (3/16-inch on topside of jaw and 1/4-inch on underside of jaws), and with 4 coil springs ◦ MB 550 Rubber Jaws equipped with 4 coil springs

Raccoon (Cage and box traps)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Havahart 1079 ◦ Havahart 1081 ◦ Havahart 1085 ◦ Ramconct DURA-POLY (box trap) ◦ Tomahawk 108 ◦ Tomahawk 108.1 ◦ Tomahawk 108.5 ◦ Tomahawk 108F ◦ Tomahawk 108 SS ◦ Tomahawk 108.2 SS ◦ Tomahawk 1010 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Tomahawk 1010F ◦ Tomahawk 1010 SS ◦ Tomahawk 1010 SS-F ◦ Tomahawk 608 ◦ Tomahawk 608.1 ◦ Tomahawk 608.5 ◦ Tomahawk 608F ◦ Tomahawk 608 SS ◦ Tomahawk 608.2 SS ◦ Tomahawk 6010 ◦ Tomahawk 6010F ◦ Tomahawk 6010 SS
Red fox (cross and silver included)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle footsnare #6 ◦ Bélisle Sélectif 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ BMI #2, Cushion Catch with 2 coil springs ◦ Oneida Victor #1.5, Soft Catch © with 2 coil springs
Wolf	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Bélisle Lacet #8 ◦ Bridger Alaskan #5 Offset and laminated jaws ◦ Bridger Alaskan #5 Rubber Jaws ◦ Bridger Brawn #9 Rubber Jaws 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Livestock Protection EZ Grip #7 ◦ MB 750 Alaskan equipped with 3/8" inch offset steel jaws ◦ Oneida Victor #3 Soft Catch © equipped with 4 coil springs, a minimum 8 mm thick base plate, and an anchoring swivel centre mounted on the base plate ◦ Rudy Red Wolf 4½
Arctic fox, black bear, squirrel and skunk	
No live capture traps certified to date	

Note : This list, updated following the obtention of the test results, can be obtained from the Fédération des trappeurs gestionnaires du Québec (www.ftgq.qc.ca).