

Rocky Mountain elk population size and herd composition in Oregon, 2022 - 2026. Dash marks (-) indicate that no data was available.

UNIT	Population							% MO	Bulls:100 Cows							Calves:100 Cows				
	MO	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	MO		2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026		
Paulina/E. Ft Rock	1,600	1,400	1,400	1,300	1,200	1,100	75%	15	8	11	11	32	-	18	22	15	13	-		
Maury	1,400	400	400	400	200	200	14%	20	14	3	7	11	0	22	11	29	11	0		
Upper Deschutes	700	800	800	800	800	900	114%	10	11	10	7	8	9	21	18	27	26	30		
Metolius	700	750	750	700	800	950	114%	10	13	10	9	12	8	16	15	22	15	26		
Ochoco	4,500	4,200	4,100	4,250	4,100	4,000	91%	20	12	14	10	8	7	13	40	15	18	18		
Grizzly	1,500	1,200	1,400	1,400	1,300	1,200	87%	15	19	10	8	11	6	19	28	23	16	39		
Maupin/Biggs/Col. Basin	EDA	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500		EDA	36	14	-	17	47	17	23	-	15	16		
White River	1,030	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,600	1,700	155%	10	9	13	9	7	12	16	24	21	21	18		
Hood	120	400	400	400	400	400	333%	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Fossil	-	-	-	-				10	-	-	-			-	-	-				
N. Fossil	600	600	650	650	700	650	117%	10	14	4	5	5	4	12	15	17	18	7		
S. Fossil	400	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,600	1,600	400%	10	11	8	30	12	17	11	17	19	30	13		
Murderers Cr	1,700	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900	1,900	112%	15	14	24	9	21	5	11	13	14	11	15		
Northside	2,000	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	2,500	125%	10	13	8	11	10	5	11	12	17	18	11		
Heppner	5,000	4,800	5,100	5,200	5,200	5,500	104%	10	9	10	7	9	17	12	18	18	19	14		
Ukiah	5,000	5,100	5,000	5,350	5,050	5,500	101%	10	14	16	13	7	16	16	13	15	12	15		
Desolation	1,300	1,000	900	900	900	900	69%	10	3	13	4	6	3	13	10	11	24	11		
Sumpter	2,000	2,175	2,000	2,257	2,200	2,200	110%	10	13	17	12	24	12	35	29	39	40	38		
Starkey	5,300	7,382	7,761	9,219	7,502	7,502	142%	10	10	8	7	11	12	10	23	26	24	16		
Catherine Cr	1,000	2,823	2,585	2,694	2,384	2,384	238%	10	19	30	10	29	14	19	25	24	36	19		
Mt Emily	5,700	2,991	3,300	3,100	3,300	3,300	58%	10	8	12	9	9	16	19	15	13	15	13		
Walla Walla	1,800	2,657	2,746	2,750	2,750	2,750	153%	15	15	17	10	8	19	16	12	12	13	16		
Wenaha	4,250	1,500	-	-	1,308	1,308	31%	15	15	10	7			12	20	19		17		
Sled Springs	2,750	1,200	-	-	1,600	1,600	58%	10	8	11	7	8	8	18	22	9	22	17		
Chesnimnus	3,500	3,000	-	-	3,200	3,200	91%	10	14	14	7	19	19	12	29	8	23	17		
Snake River	4,500	2,400	-	-	3,400	3,400	76%	15	6	6	7	8	8	9	20	13	16	17		
Minam	2,000	1,300	-	-	1,100	1,100	55%	20	13	8	6	7	7	11	18	11	15	17		
Imnaha	2,000	1,500	-	-	1,500	1,500	75%	15	7	16	10	9	9	10	24	12	21	17		
Pine Cr	800	863	1,001	1,064	1,000	1,000	125%	15	17	20	11	13	6	32	28	32	42	17		
Keating	400	940	857	1,079	1,000	1,000	250%	10	13	13	11	5	6	36	53	32	34	40		
Lookout Mt	600	1,335	1,200	1,214	1,200	1,200	200%	15	17	18	23	11	32	32	29	44	48	29		
East Beulah	EDA	1,300	1,200	1,400	1,200	1,200		EDA	22	25	11	34	30	21	21	26	23	21		
West Beulah	500	400	400	400	400	400	80%	15	-	51	-	80	9	-	22	-	10	33		
N. Malheur River	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500		100%	15	14	13	10	13	17	26	24	26	35	20		
Silvies	2,200	2,350	2,200	2,200	2,200		100%	15	14	10	11	9	9	30	33	26	36	26		
Warner	500	200	200	200	200	200	40%	20	14	2	8			32	30	18				
N. Wagontire	***	300	-	150	-	150			9		-	-	18	16		-	-	21		
High Desert***	1,600	1,700	1,700	1,700	1,700		106%	20	12	11	17	16	22	26	21	28	29	22		
South Central**	3,000	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	1,500	50%	20	13	5	10	11	17	29	17	21	34	24		
Total/Average	73,450	71,166	60,250	62,977	71,894	67,394	98%		13	13	10	15	13	19	22	21	23	20		

** South Central includes: Silver Lake, Interstate, Klamath and Sprague MU's

*** High Desert Includes: Steens, Owyhee, Whitehorse, Beatys Butte, Juniper, Wagontire, and S. Malheur MU's

EDA=Elk De-Emphasis Area (No MO)