

EQUUS SURVIVAL TRUST 2020 EQUINE CONSERVATION LIST

SMALL PONIES	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
Dartmoor	England	Threatened	Legacy Preservation Breed
Exmoor	England	Critical	Preservation Breed
Kerry Bog	Ireland	Critical	Legacy Landrace
Gotland	Sweden	Watch	Legacy Breed
LARGE PONIES	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
Dales	England	Critical	Preservation Legacy Breed
Fell	England	Vulnerable	Preservation Breed
Highland	Scotland	Vulnerable	Preservation Breed
Newfoundland	Newfoundland, Canada	Critical	Preservation Landrace Breed
SMALL HORSE	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
Caspian	Iran/Persia	Critical	Preservation Landrace Breed
HORSE	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
Abaco Wild Horses	Bahamas	Extinct! (2015)	Feral Landrace
Alberta Wildies	Canada	STUDY -Critical	Feral Landrace
Akhal-Teke	Turkmenistan	Vulnerable	Preservation Breed
Canadian Horse	Canada	Critical	Preservation Breed
Cleveland Bay	England	Critical	Preservation Breed
Hackney Horse	England	Critical/Nearly Extinct	Preservation Breed
Irish Draught	Ireland	Watch	Preservation Breed
Lipizzan	Austria	Watch	Preservation Breed
Lippitt Morgan – Strain	USA	Critical	Preservation Breed
Mountain Pleasure Horse+	USA	Critical	Preservation Landrace Breed

+ also known as the Old Kentucky Saddler

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HISPANIC- AMERICAN*	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
Baca Chica	NM, USA	STUDY-Critical/Nearly Extinct	Ranch Preservation Breed
Banker Wild Horses	NC, USA -Corolla/Shackelford	Critical/Nearly Extinct	Feral Landrace Preservation Breed
Carolina Marsh Tacky	Southeastern, USA	Critical	Legacy Ranch Landrace Breed
Cerbat	AZ, USA	STUDY-Critical/Nearly Extinct	Feral Landrace
Cherokee	Eastern USA	STUDY-Critical/Nearly Extinct	Tribal Landrace
Choctaw	Eastern USA	STUDY-Critical/Nearly Extinct	Tribal Landrace
Florida Cracker	FL, USA	Critical	Ranch Landrace Breed
Galiceno	Mexico	STUDY - Critical	Preservation Breed
Ojibwe Horse	USA & Canada	STUDY-Nearly Extinct	Tribal Landrace
Sulphur-Needles/Mnt Home	UT, USA	STUDY: Critical	Feral Landrace
Wilbur-Cruce	USA	Critical/Nearly Extinct	Mission/Ranch Breed

* Hispanic-American horses are heavily influenced by bloodlines tracing to Spain, Portugal, from the 16th, 17th, and 18th centuries primarily from the fluctuating content of the breeding stations in the Caribbean/West Indies (particularly Cuba, the Bahamas, and Puerto Rico) into Mexico and spreading to the American Southwest, further developed under multiple categories: Mission, Ranch, Tribal, Landrace, and/or Feral. NOTE: EST does NOT support diluting any of these EST classifications by breeding to related classifications or another breed; that is crossbreeding, not preservation. Grading back up to "pure" status is not possible as the introduced genes remain.

DRAFT HORSE	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
American Cream Draft	USA	Critical/Nearly Extinct	Legacy Breed
Clydesdale	Scotland	Vulnerable/Threatened	Legacy Breed
English Shire	England	Vulnerable	Legacy Breed
Suffolk Punch	England	Critical	Preservation Breed

DONKEYS	Country of Origin	Global Status	Classification-----
American Mammoth Jackstock	USA	Threatened	Legacy Breed
Poitou	France	Critical	Preservation Breed

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Must have historical significance, be unique as a landrace or breed, have a viable breeding population in North America, and qualify under one or more combinations listed in the Classification Glossary.

CLASSIFICATION GLOSSARY:

- Breed:** unique, historic, closed gene pool, consistently reproduces itself, has shared foundation stock, and selection is managed & tracked.
- Preservation Breed:** unique historic breed, closed gene pool, protects original traits
- Legacy Breed:** unique historic breed, has had (or allows) some outside influence in the last 75 years
- Landrace:** genetically unique type /breed that can reproduce it self, shaped in part by natural selection, environment, geographic isolation, and usage
- Mission / Ranch:** developed by missions or ranchers
- Tribal:** distinctive historic landrace, type, or breed with a closed gene pool, developed by Native Americans
- Feral Landrace:** Free roaming, unique landrace, shaped at least in part by natural selection and geographical seclusion

GLOBAL STATUS CRITERIA:

There is no one-size-fits all in determining Global Status. The numbers and categories below are for reference. *Sheer #'s are not used to automatically declare a Global Status*. It is not enough to look at the size of a population or the # of mares. To truly assess the status of a breed, one must look at many factors. The increase, decrease, or status quo of a Global Status is affected by the stability or flux of the:

- a) size, genetic diversity & health, and distribution of global and regional populations, & the trends in annual births
- b) existence, quality, and reciprocation status (or lack thereof) of breed societies and support groups
- d) quality of networking between breeders, and the quality of breeder relations with breed organizations
- e) appropriate marketing support (or lack thereof) for effective preservation of traditional traits
- f) Genetic game-changers: such as outside improvement programs, purebred grading-up schemes and/or inspections

GLOBAL STATUS # 1-6	estimated # of breeding mares	estimated # of annual foals
#1 Critical/Nearly Extinct	under 100 breeding mares	and under 75 annual foals
#2 Critical	100 - 600 breeding mares	and 25 - 150 annual foals
#3 Threatened	600 - 900 breeding mares	and 125 - 225 annual foals
#4 Vulnerable	900 - 2000 breeding mares	and 225 - 500 annual foals
#5 Watch	2000 - 4000 breeding mares	and 500 - 1000 annual foals
#6 Study - of interest and requires additional study/research for consideration		

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