Trends in cougar complaints, damage, harvest, and other mortality in Oregon during 1992–2013. Complaint data entry incomplete and mortality data current through February 11, 2014, based on checkin of cougars. Numbers may change as late data are added.

|                   |                                   |                                  | Number of Mortalities by Source |                     |                              |   |       |       |
|-------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|---|-------|-------|
| Year              | Number of Complaints <sup>a</sup> | Number of Tags Sold <sup>b</sup> | Hunter-<br>Harvest              | Damage <sup>c</sup> | Human<br>Safety <sup>d</sup> | Administrative<br>Removals <sup>e</sup> | Other | Total |
| 1992              | 184                               | 517                              | 187                             | 17                  | 3                            | 0                                       | 22    | 229   |
| 1993              | 276                               | 560                              | 160                             | 21                  | 6                            | 0                                       | 21    | 208   |
| 1994              | 554                               | 588                              | 144                             | 30                  | 9                            | 0                                       | 21    | 204   |
| 1995              | 742                               | 385                              | 34                              | 41                  | 22                           | 0                                       | 12    | 109   |
| 1996              | 840                               | 779                              | 45                              | 66                  | 32                           | 0                                       | 25    | 168   |
| 1997              | 798                               | 935                              | 61                              | 82                  | 20                           | 0                                       | 18    | 181   |
| 1998              | 954                               | 11,761                           | 153                             | 93                  | 20                           | 0                                       | 17    | 283   |
| 1999              | 1,072                             | 14,564                           | 157                             | 91                  | 39                           | 0                                       | 25    | 312   |
| 2000 <sup>g</sup> | 942                               | 22,386                           | 136                             | 120                 | 25                           | 0                                       | 19    | 300   |
| 2001              | 829                               | 28,447                           | 220                             | 97                  | 25                           | 0                                       | 23    | 365   |
| 2002              | 765                               | 32,126                           | 232                             | 111                 | 23                           | 0                                       | 37    | 403   |
| 2003              | 697                               | 34,135                           | 248                             | 111                 | 28                           | 0                                       | 25    | 412   |
| 2004              | 545                               | 34,071                           | 265                             | 95                  | 28                           | 0                                       | 35    | 423   |
| 2005              | 622                               | 38,079                           | 224                             | 125                 | 28                           | 0                                       | 30    | 407   |
| 2006              | 451                               | 38,719                           | 289                             | 106                 | 26                           | 0                                       | 32    | 453   |
| 2007              | 453                               | 41,813                           | 309                             | 114                 | 21                           | 52                                      | 41    | 537   |
| 2008              | 518                               | 43,211                           | 273                             | 109                 | 23                           | 34                                      | 54    | 492   |
| 2009              | 437                               | 45,375                           | 274                             | 110                 | 31                           | 21                                      | 37    | 473   |
| 2010              | 469                               | 48,776                           | 239                             | 99                  | 25                           | 79                                      | 39    | 481   |
| 2011              | 501                               | 50,889                           | 241                             | 139                 | 23                           | 71                                      | 32    | 506   |
| 2012              | 420                               | 53,698                           | 253                             | 129                 | 46                           | 56                                      | 45    | 529   |
| 2013              | 276 <sup>h</sup>                  | 55,072                           | 292                             | 147                 | 25                           | 36                                      | 30    | 530   |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Number of complaints received during the calendar year. Sightings not associated with damage or public safety concerns are not included.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>Includes general and additional tags (including Sports Pac licenses).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>Number of animals killed as a result of damage during a calendar year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup>Animals killed as a result of real or perceived threat to humans or pets.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>e</sup>Adminstrative removals on cougar target areas (2007–present only).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>f</sup>Includes roadkill, accidental, found dead, and illegal kill.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>g</sup>Hunting season changed to calendar year.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>h</sup>Complaint data entry incomplete.