

Mammals of Point Reyes National Seashore

Order	Family	Genus/Species	Common Name	
Artiodactyla	Cervidae	<i>Cervus canadensis nannodes</i>	tule elk	
		<i>Dama dama</i>	fallow deer ***	
		<i>Odocoileus hemionus columbianus</i>	black-tailed deer	
Carnivora	Canidae	<i>Canis latrans</i>	coyote	
		<i>Urocyon cinereoargenteus</i>	gray fox	
		<i>Vulpes vulpes</i>	red fox ***	
	Felidae	<i>Felis catus</i>	feral cat ***	
		<i>Lynx rufus</i>	bobcat	
		<i>Puma concolor</i>	mountain lion	
	Mephitidae	<i>Mephitis mephitis</i>	striped skunk	
		<i>Spilogale putorius</i>	spotted skunk	
	Mustelidae	<i>Enhydra lutris nereis</i>	sea otter	
		<i>Lutra canadensis</i>	river otter	
		<i>Mustela erminea</i>	short-tailed weasel	
		<i>Mustela frenata</i>	long-tailed weasel	
		<i>Taxidea taxus</i>	badger	
	Otariidae	<i>Arctocephalus townsendi</i>	Guadalupe fur seal	
		<i>Callorhinus ursinus</i>	northern fur seal	
		<i>Eumetopias jubatus</i>	northern (Steller) sea lion	
		<i>Zalophus californianus</i>	California sea lion	
	Phocidae	<i>Mirounga angustirostris</i>	northern elephant seal	
		<i>Phoca vitulina richardii</i>	harbor seal	
	Procyonidae	<i>Bassariscus astutus</i>	ringtail	
		<i>Procyon lotor</i>	raccoon	
	Ursidae	<i>Ursus americanus</i>	black bear	
	Cetacea	Balaenopteridae	<i>Balaenoptera acutorostrata</i>	minke whale
			<i>Balaenoptera borealis</i>	sei whale
			<i>Balaenoptera musculus</i>	blue whale
			<i>Balaenoptera physalus</i>	fin whale
			<i>Megaptera novaeangliae</i>	humpback whale
Delphinidae		<i>Delphinus capensis</i>	long-beaked common dolphin	
		<i>Delphinus delphis</i>	common dolphin	
		<i>Grampus griseus</i>	Risso's dolphin	
		<i>Globicephala macrorhynchus</i>	Short-finned pilot whale	
		<i>Lagenorhynchus obliquidens</i>	Pacific white-sided dolphin	
		<i>Lissodelphis borealis</i>	northern right whale dolphin	
		<i>Orcinus orca</i>	killer whale	
		<i>Pseudorca crassidens</i>	false killer whale	
		<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>	striped dolphin	
		<i>Steno bredanensis</i>	rough-toothed dolphin	
		<i>Tursiops truncatus</i>	bottlenose dolphin	
Eschrichtiidae		<i>Eschrichtius robustus</i>	gray whale	
Kogiidae		<i>Kogia breviceps</i>	pygmy sperm whale	
		<i>Kogia sima</i>	dwarf sperm whale	

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Cetacea cont.	Phocoenidae	<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>	harbor porpoise
		<i>Phocoenoides dalli</i>	Dall's porpoise
	Physeteridae	<i>Physeter catodon</i>	sperm whale
	Ziphiidae	<i>Berardius bairdii</i>	Baird's beaked whale
		<i>Mesoplodon carlhubbsi</i>	Hubb's beaked whale
		<i>Mesoplodon densirostris</i>	Blainville's beaked whale
		<i>Mesoplodon ginkgodens</i>	ginkgo-toothed beaked whale
<i>Ziphius cavirostris</i>	Cuvier's beaked whale		

Chiroptera	Molossidae	<i>Tadarida brasiliensis</i>	Brazilian free-tailed bat
	Vespertilionidae	<i>Antrozous pallidus</i>	pallid bat
		<i>Corynorhinus townsendii</i>	Townsend's big-eared bat
		<i>Eptesicus fuscus</i>	big brown bat
		<i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i>	silver-haired bat
		<i>Lasiurus blossevillii</i>	western red bat
		<i>Lasiurus cinereus</i>	hoary bat
		<i>Myotis californicus</i>	California myotis
		<i>Myotis evotis</i>	long-eared myotis
		<i>Myotis lucifugus</i>	little brown myotis
		<i>Myotis thysanodes</i>	fringed myotis
		<i>Myotis volans</i>	long-legged myotis
<i>Myotis yumanensis</i>	Yuma myotis		

Didelphimorphia	Didelphidae	<i>Didelphis virginiana</i>	Virginia opossum ***
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Insectivora	Soricidae	<i>Sorex sonomae</i>	fog shrew
		<i>Sorex trowbridgii</i>	Trowbridge's shrew
		<i>Sorex vagrans</i>	vagrant shrew
	Talpidae	<i>Neurotrichus gibbsii</i>	shrew-mole
		<i>Scapanus latimanus</i>	broad-footed mole

Lagomorpha	Leporidae	<i>Lepus californicus</i>	black-tailed jackrabbit
		<i>Sylvilagus bachmani</i>	brush rabbit

Rodentia	Aplodontiidae	<i>Aplodontia rufa phaea</i>	mountain beaver
	Dipodidae	<i>Zapus trinotatus orarius</i>	jumping mouse
	Erethizontidae	<i>Erethizon dorsatum</i>	porcupine
	Geomyidae	<i>Thomomys bottae</i>	Botta's pocket gopher
	Muridae	<i>Microtus californicus</i>	California vole
		<i>Mus musculus</i>	house mouse ***
		<i>Neotoma fuscipes</i>	dusky-footed woodrat
		<i>Ondatra zibethicus</i>	muskrat
		<i>Peromyscus maniculatus</i>	deer mouse
		<i>Rattus norvegicus</i>	Norway rat ***
		<i>Rattus rattus</i>	black rat ***
<i>Reithrodontomys megalotis</i>	western harvest mouse		

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Rodentia cont.	Sciuridae	<i>Sciurus griseus</i>	western gray squirrel
		<i>Sciurus niger</i>	eastern fox squirrel ***
		<i>Tamias sonomae</i>	Sonoma chipmunk

Historically Present Mammals

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Artiodactyla	Antilocapridae	<i>Antilocapra americana</i>	pronghorn
	Bovidae	<i>Capra hircus</i>	feral goat ***
	Cervidae	<i>Axis axis</i>	axis deer ***
	Suidae	<i>Sus scrofa</i>	wild pig ***

Carnivora	Mustelidae	<i>Mustela vison</i>	mink
	Ursidae	<i>Ursus arctos</i>	grizzly bear

Rodentia	Sciuridae	<i>Spermophilus beecheyi</i>	California ground squirrel
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*** indicates non-native species

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