

Elk Populations & Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, 1984-2009

State	Estimated Elk Population			Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation Habitat Conservation Efforts	
	1984 <i>(approx.)</i>	2009 <i>(approx.)</i>	25-Year Change	Projects Completed	Acres Conserved
AK	1,100	1,365	+24%	36	4,493
AR	112	500	+346%	57	34,122
AZ	35,000	17,500	-50%	359	335,097
CA	5,470	11,400	+108%	338	83,125
CO	175,000	292,000	+67%	479	374,074
ID	110,000	115,000	+5%	358	348,095
KS	32	175	+447%	64	42,490
KY	0	10,000	+	51	3,460
MI	950	1,200	+26%	75	2,599
MN	32	135	+322%	84	14,294
MT	90,595	150,000	+66%	612	628,591
ND	220	1,000	+355%	132	53,360
NE	80	1,650	+1,963%	41	19,209
NV	1,965	9,500	+383%	171	268,298
NM	32,500	80,000	+146%	220	430,040
OK	750	1,500	+100%	41	20,640
OR	93,950	120,000	+28%	595	669,444
PA	135	725	+437%	174	14,843
SD	1,850	3,600	+95%	159	54,105
TN	0	300	+	24	74,319
UT	40,000	60,000	+50%	261	868,332
WA	55,000	59,000	+7%	404	358,611
WI	0	110	+	144	1,675
WY	70,352	95,000	+35%	380	875,336
Total	715,093	1,031,660	+44.3%	5,259	5,578,652