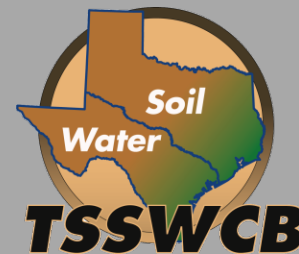


Feral Hog Abatement and Landowner Education in Texas



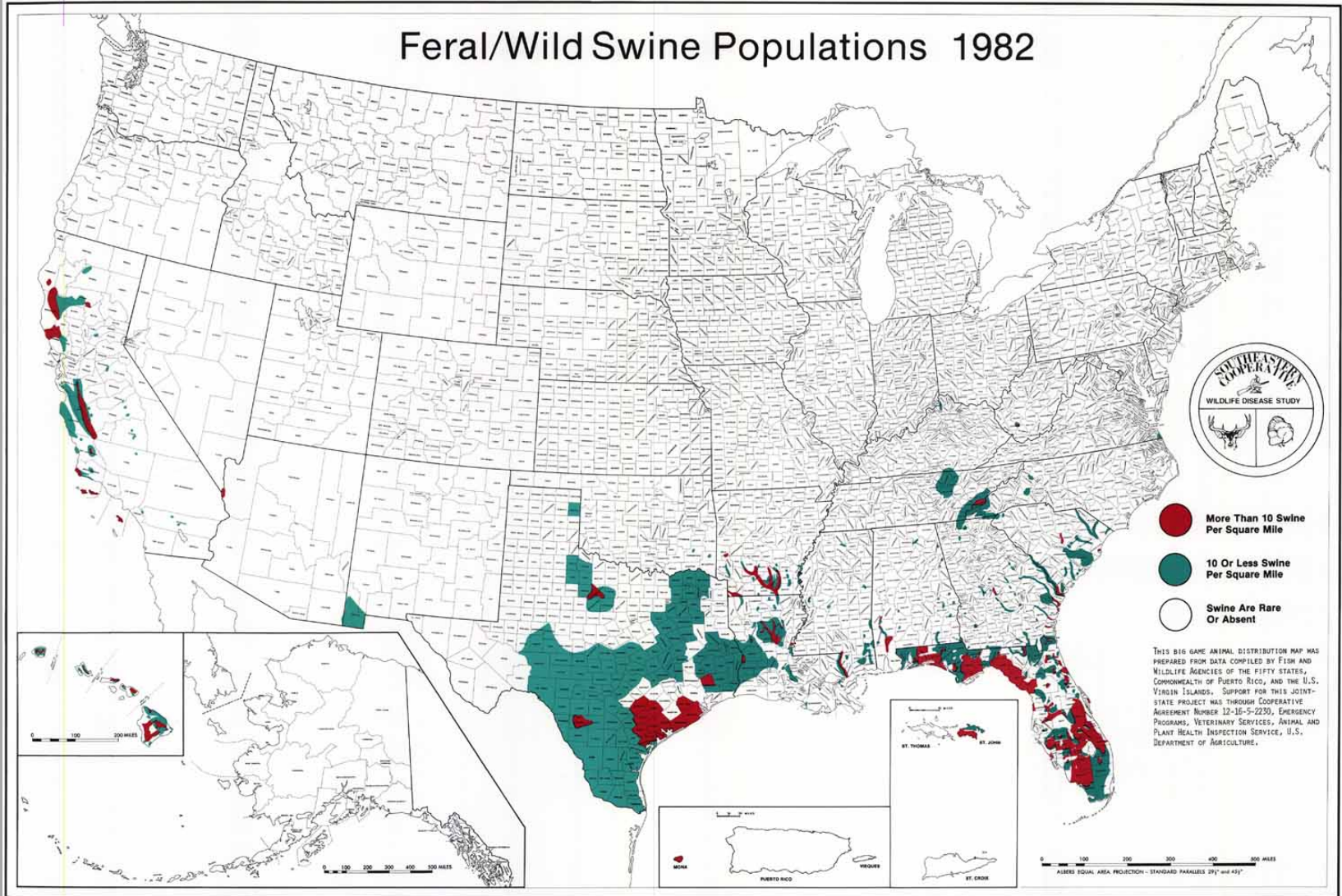
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Animal Intelligence Quiz

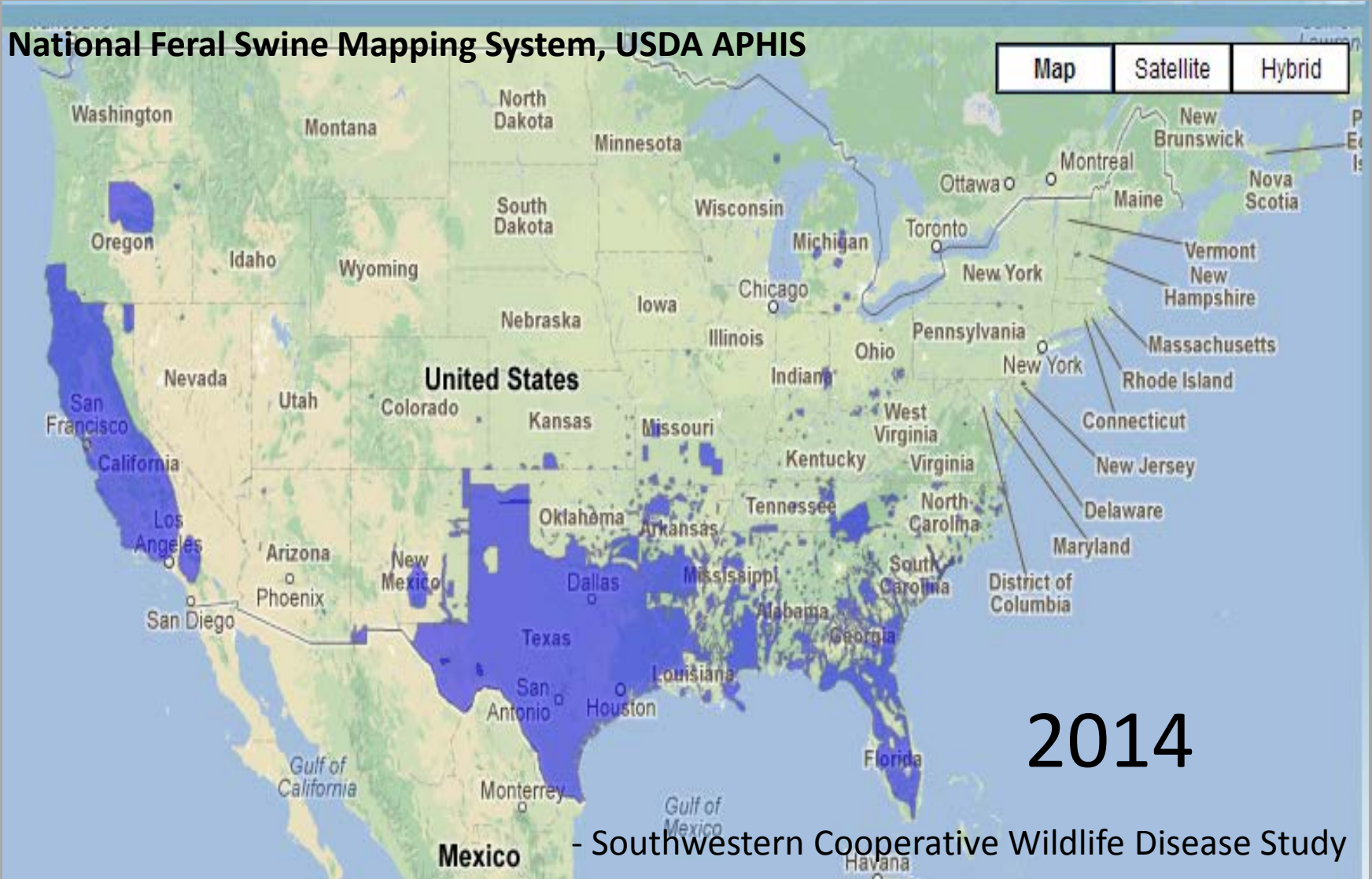


U.S. Distribution



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National Feral Swine Mapping System, USDA APHIS



Ultimate Invasive Mammal

- Intelligent
- Highly Social
- Generalist Diet
- Females reproduce in their 1st year
- Gestation 114 days
- Few natural predators



Legal Management Techniques in Texas

Trapping



Snaring



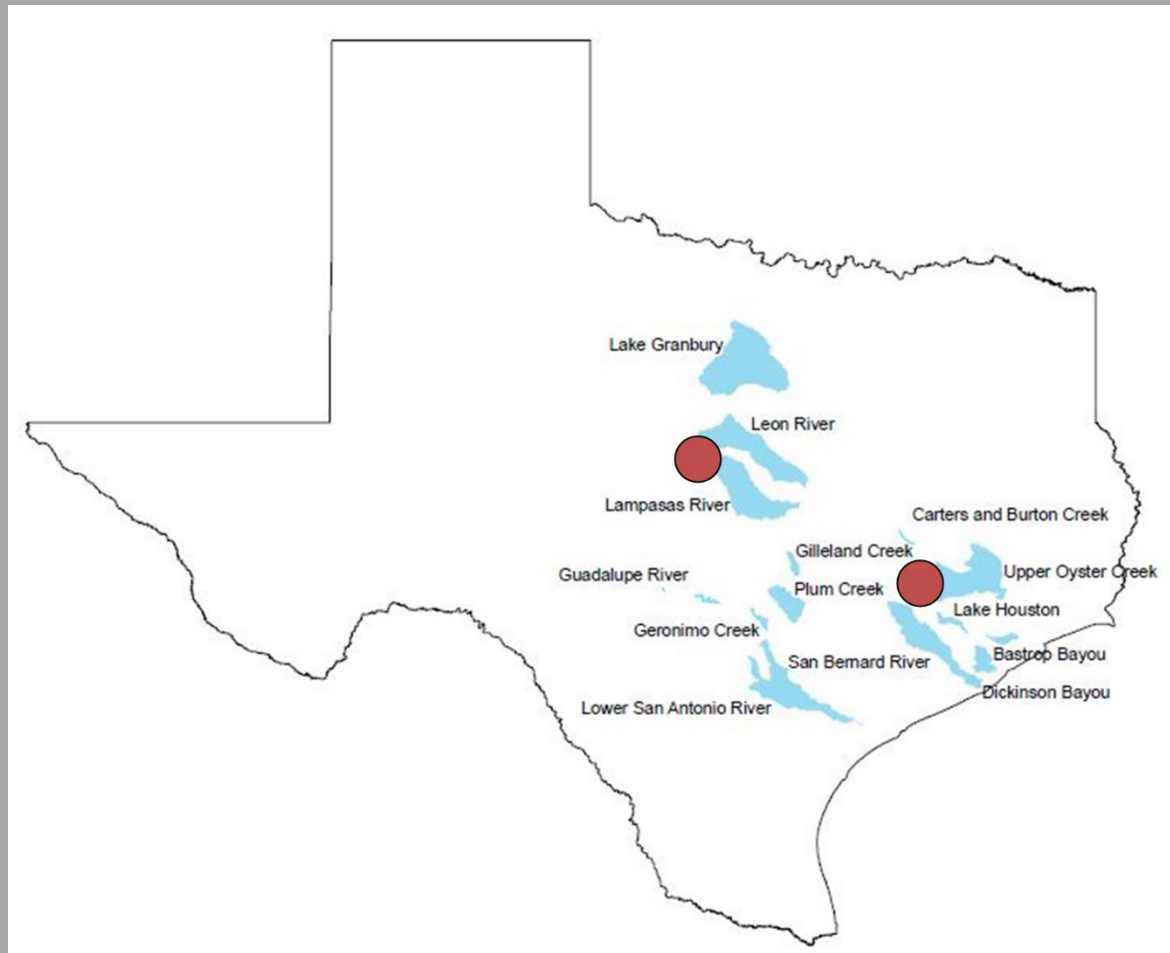
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Trained Dogs

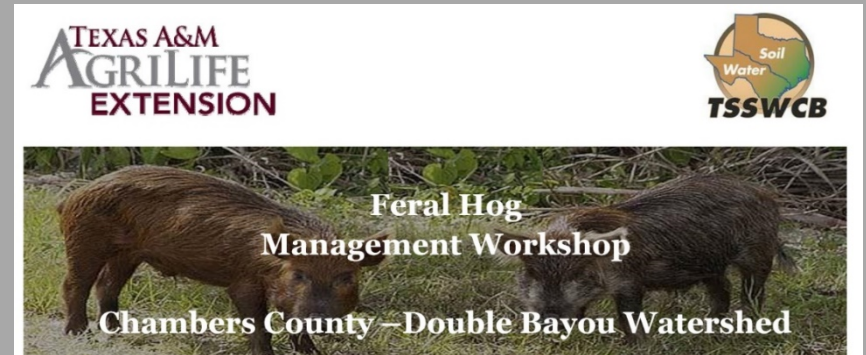


Project Watersheds



Project Outreach

- Watershed-based Wild Pig Educational Trainings
- One-on-one technical assistance site visits
- Online Educational Resources



Online wild pig Educational Resources

- Coping with Feral Hogs
<http://feralhogs.tamu.edu>
- Feral Hog Community of Practice
http://extension.org/feral_hogs

The screenshot shows the website for 'Coping with Feral Hogs' from Texas A&M Agrilife Extension. The header includes the Texas A&M Agrilife Extension logo and navigation links for Teaching, Research, Extension, and Service. A search bar is also present. The main content area features a large image of a fenced field with a gate. Below the image is a search bar and a list of articles, including 'Wild Pig Damage Abatement Education and Applied Research Activities' and 'Hogs in the Peaches-Follow us LIVE!!!-Part I'. The sidebar contains sections for 'About the Site', 'Information' (including a 2012 conference and a population growth guide), and 'Popular Publications' (featuring a squirrel image and a management calendar).

The screenshot shows the 'Feral Hogs' resource page on the eXtension website. The header includes the eXtension logo and navigation links for Home, Resource Areas, About, Support Us, and Recent. A search bar is also present. The main content area features a large image of a field with a hog field sign. Below the image is a search bar and a list of articles, including 'Hogs in the Peaches-Follow us LIVE!!!-Part I' and 'Hogs in the Peaches-Follow us LIVE!!!-Part II'. The sidebar contains sections for 'Connect with us' (with social media icons), 'Welcome' (describing eXtension as an interactive learning environment), and 'Select a different institution' (with a search bar and a 'LOCATE' button). The bottom section features 'More about this Resource Area' with a 'LEARN MORE' button, 'Resources' (including 'History and Biology' and 'Damages'), 'Our People' (featuring a photo of John J. ('Jack') Mayer), 'Recent Webinars' (including 'Current and Future Feral Hog Research' and 'Control Techniques and Managing Feral Hog Populations'), and 'Latest Tweets' (featuring a tweet from @feralhogsCoP).

Online Wild Pig Educational Resources

- TAMU Wildlife and Fisheries Extension
<http://youtube.com/WFSCAgrilife>



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- Facebook- <http://facebook.com/feralhogcop>



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Online Wild Pig Educational Resources

- Wild Wonderings Blog
- <http://wild-wonderings.blogspot.com>

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Wildlife Management Property Tax Valuation: If your trapping hogs, your almost there!

by Kristen Tyson, M.A.

Do you trap or hunt feral hogs on your property? Would you like to save on your tax bill? Read on.

Improved Feral Hog Box Trap

Wildlife Management Plans (WMP) are usually created by landowners or managers who have a vision for their property and seek to utilize all that the land has to offer whether it's part of their livelihood to be hunted or



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Potential for a Sodium Solution: Sodium Nitrite as a Toxicant for Feral Hogs

By:

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James Cash, Student Assistant

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The feral hog (*Sus scrofa*) is quickly becoming one of the most prolific invasive exotic species known to occur in Texas. Land managers have



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What does the lesser prairie chicken "threatened" listing mean for me as a landowner?

This may be a question many landowners are asking since the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) announced in March 2014 that the lesser prairie chicken (*Tympanuchus pallidicinctus*) had been listed as "threatened" under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). "Threatened" means a species is likely to become endangered within the foreseeable future. The 2013 population survey found almost a 50 percent reduction to a record low of 17,616 birds.

Online Wild Pig Educational Resources

- Scribd
- http://scribd.com/jccathey_scribd

The screenshot displays the Scribd profile for Jim Cathey. At the top, the Scribd logo is on the left, followed by a search bar containing the text "Search the world's digital library" and a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar is a "Browse" button. Further right is an "UPLOAD" button with an upward arrow icon. Below the search bar, a teal bar contains a profile picture placeholder with the letter "J" and four statistics: 7 FOLLOWERS, 37 PUBLISHED, 41K VIEWS, and 106 LIKES. The main content area is divided into two sections: "Uploads by Jim Cathey" and "Collections by Jim Cathey".

Uploads by Jim Cathey

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- Native Grassland Restoration in the JIM CATHEY
- Door Modifications for Feral Hog Traps JIM CATHEY
- Feral Hogs Negatively Affect JIM CATHEY
- Using Fences to Exclude Feral Hogs from Wildlife Feeding Stations JIM CATHEY
- Feral Hogs and Water Quality in JIM CATHEY

Collections by Jim Cathey

- Trinity River
- Wild Turkey
- Wild Deer

Online Wild Pig Educational Resources

- Feral Hog Management App



- Available in the iTunes Store
- iPhone, iPad and iPod Touch
- Android version in the works

An advertisement for the Feral Hog Management App. It features a large smartphone icon on a green background. The phone screen displays the app's logo, which includes the text "Feral Hog Management", the "ATM" logo, and "TEXAS A&M AGRILIFE EXTENSION". A silhouette of a person is shown interacting with the phone. Below the phone, the text "Feral Hogs: There's an App for that!" is written in white. At the bottom, a small line of text states: "Feral Hog Management is available in the iTunes Store for use with iPhone, iPad and iPod Touch."/>

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In-Print Wild Pig Educational Resources

- 12 Publications and 5 Factsheets



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