



# Bats Found in Mississippi

Common Name	Scientific Name	Conservation Status	Roost Preferences
Gray bat	<i>Myotis grisescens</i>	Endangered	Caves
Indiana bat	<i>Myotis sodalis</i>	Endangered	Caves, mines
Rafinesque's big-eared bat	<i>Corynorhinus rafinesquii</i>	Species of Special Concern	Abandoned buildings, bridges, caves, cisterns, hollow trees
Southeastern myotis	<i>Myotis austroriparius</i>	Species of Special Concern	Caves, buildings, hollow trees
Silver-haired bat	<i>Lasionycteris noctivagans</i>	Species of Special Concern	Loose tree bark, buildings, rock crevices
Hoary bat	<i>Lasiurus cinereus</i>	Species of Special Concern	Tree foliage
Northern yellow bat	<i>Lasiurus intermedius</i>	Species of Special Concern	Spanish moss
Little brown bat	<i>Myotis lucifugus</i>	Species of Special Concern	Caves, mines, buildings
Northern long-eared bat	<i>Myotis septentrionalis</i>	Species of Special Concern	Caves, mines, buildings, under tree bark
Big brown bat	<i>Eptesicus fuscus</i>	Common	Attics, barns, man-made structures, caves, mines
Eastern red bat	<i>Lasiurus borealis</i>	Common	Tree foliage, hollow trees
Seminole bat	<i>Lasiurus seminolus</i>	Common	Spanish moss
Eastern pipistrelle	<i>Pipistrellus subflavus</i>	Common	Trees, caves, mines, rock crevices
Brazilian free-tailed bat	<i>Tadarida brasiliensis</i>	Common	Buildings, caves
Evening bat	<i>Nycticeius humeralis</i>	Common	Tree cavities, buildings