

Group A 2 toes per foot with occasional dew claws*

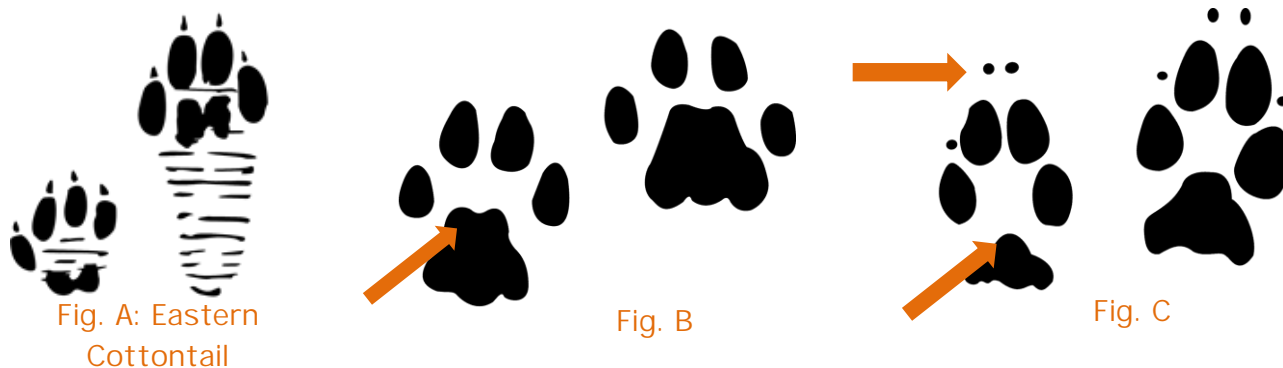
Whitetailed Deer



Group B 4 toes per foot*

1. Rear track elongated and not similar to front track (Fig. A) ... Eastern Cottontail
 1. Rear

2. Claw marks not visible and top of heel pad has 2 lobes (Fig. B)
 2. Claw marks visible and top of heel pad has 1 lobe (Fig. C)



3. Front tracks less than or equal to 1 1/2 inches in length and 1 3/8 in width ... House Bobcat
 3. Front tracks greater than 1 1/2 inches in length and 1 3/8

4. Oval-shaped tracks, approximately 2 1/2 inches long by 2 inches wide ... Coyote
 4. Tracks are not oval-shaped and are less than 2 1/2 inches long by 2 inches wide

5. Tracks 1 3/4 to 2 1/2 inches long by 1 1/2 to 2 inches wide. Hair marks often present in tracks (Fig. D) ... Red Fox
 5. Tracks less than 1 3/4 to 2 1/2 inches long by 1 1/2 to 2 inches wide. Hair not present in tracks (Fig. E) ... Gray Fox



Group C: 4 toes in the front and 5 in the rear

- 1. Hind tracks greater than 2 inches in length (Fig. F)..... Ground Hog
- 1. Hind tracks less than 2 inches in length..... 2
- 2. Hind foot almost twice as long as wide (Fig. G)..... Eastern Gray Squirrel
- 2. Hind foot almost as long as wide (Fig. H)..... Muskrat



Fig. F: Ground Hog



Fig. G: Eastern Gray Squirrel



Fig. H: Muskrat



Group D: 5 toes per foot*

- 1. Rear track has inner toe protruding sideways from other toes (Fig. I).....Opossum
- 1. Rear track does not have inner toe protruding sideways.....2
- 2. Front track over 4 inches in length and rear track not webbed(Fig. J)..... Black Bear
- 2. Front track not over 4 inches in length and rear track may or may not be webbed.....3
- 3. Rear track over 4 ½ inches in length is webbed (Fig. K).....Beaver
- 3. Rear track not over 4 ½ inches in length. Toes may or may not be webbed.....4
- 4. Toes slender, bulbous on ends and lack webbing (Fig. L).....Raccoon
- 4. Toes not bulbous on ends and may or may not have webbing.....5
- 5. Rear track over 2 ½ inches wide and has webbing (Fig. M).....River Otter
- 5. Rear track less than 2 ½ inches wide and may or may not have webbing.....6
- 6. Nails on front track long and well ahead of toes (Fig. N)..... Striped Skunk
- 6. Nails on front track not long and close to toes..... 7

- 7. Front and rear tracks over 1 ½ inches in length (Fig. O)..... **Mink**
- 7. Front and rear tracks not over 1 ½ inches in length..... **Weasel sp.**

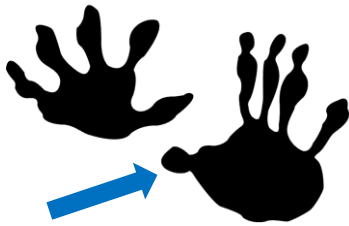


Fig. I: Opossum

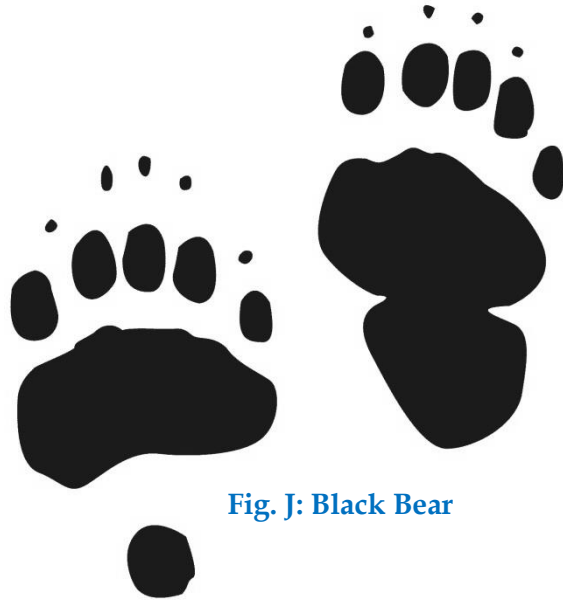


Fig. J: Black Bear

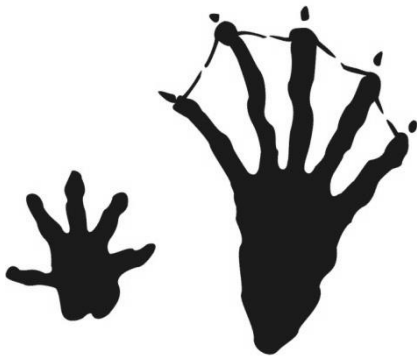


Fig. K: Beaver

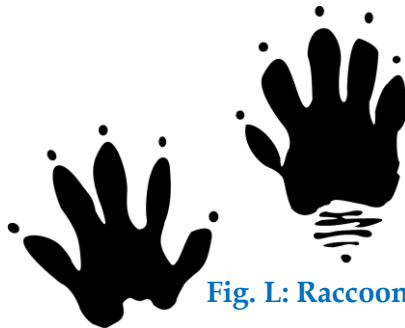


Fig. L: Raccoon



Fig. M: River Otter



Fig. N: Striped Skunk



Fig. O: Mink