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A phone survey completed last week helped confirm a number of successful kills by state hunters during the season which ended February 15. That state's harvest stands at 40 (28 in Gardiner, 12 in West).

Combined state and tribal harvest bison stands at 182, with tribal harvest confirmed by representatives:
- State – 40 (Season ended February 15)
- Salish & Kootenai – 110 (Season ended January 31)
- Nez Perce – 23*
- Shoshone-Bannock – 5*
- Umatilla – 4*

As for bison migration, there are no current reports of bison in the Gardiner or West hunting areas outside of Yellowstone National Park.

Thank you for your efforts in providing up to date information.

Please use these numbers as in-season indicators.

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2014-15 HD-385 Bison Hunt Harvest Log (GARDINER)

	Male	Female	(M) Calf	(F) Calf	Unknown	
RUNNING OVERALL	125	24	6	12	3	total bison taken to date … 170
RUNNING STATE	27	1	0	0	0	State to date … 28
RUNNING CSKT	74	20	4	12	0	CSKT to date … 110
RUNNING NP	16	2	2	0	3	NP to date … 23
RUNNING SB	4	1	0	0	0	SB to date … 5
RUNNING CTU	4	0	0	0	0	CTU to date … 4

2014-15 HD-395 Bison Hunt Harvest Log (WEST)

	Male	Female	(M) Calf	(F) Calf	Unknown	
RUNNING OVERALL	6	6	0	0	0	total bison taken to date … 12
RUNNING STATE	6	6	0	0	0	State to date … 12
RUNNING CSKT	0	0	0	0	0	CSKT to date … 0
RUNNING NP	0	0	0	0	0	NP to date … 0
RUNNING SB	0	0	0	0	0	SB to date … 0
RUNNING CTU	0	0	0	0	0	CTU to date … 0

2014-15 Bison Hunt Harvest Log (TOTALS)

	Male	Female	(M) Calf	(F) Calf	Unknown	
RUNNING OVERALL	131	30	6	12	3	total bison taken to date … 182
RUNNING STATE	33	7	0	0	0	State to date … 40
RUNNING CSKT	74	20	4	12	0	CSKT to date … 110
RUNNING NP	16	2	2	0	3	NP to date … 23
RUNNING SB	4	1	0	0	0	SB to date … 5
RUNNING CTU	4	0	0	0	0	CTU to date … 4