



# NORTH AMERICAN FUR AUCTIONS

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## GRADING DESCRIPTIONS

### SIZE

6XL	SEXTUPLE EXTRA LARGE
5XL	QUINTUPLE EXTRA LARGE
4XL	QUADRUPLE EXTRA LARGE
3XL	TRIPLE EXTRA LARGE
XXL	DOUBLE EXTRA LARGE
XL	EXTRA LARGE
LGE	LARGE
LM	LARGE MEDIUM
MED	MEDIUM
SML	SMALL
XSM	EXTRA SMALL

### GRADE

SSL	SUPER SELECT
SEL	SELECT
I	FIRST GRADE
VSL/SLT	FIRST GRADE
	VERY SLIGHT DEFECTS
I-II	FIRST & SECOND GRADE
II	SECOND
SDG	SLIGHT DAMAGED
DGD	DAMAGED
III	THIRD GRADE
IV	FOURTH GRADE
V	FIFTH GRADE

\* an asterisk before the grade indicates labeled skins

### QUALITY

AVG	AVERAGE
CRS	COARSE
DRS	DRESSED
ELY	EARLY
FAL	FALL
FO	FUR OUT
FL	FLAT
GD	GOOD
HVY	HEAVY
LO	LEATHER OUT
PR	POOR
RUB	RUB
SEM	SEMI HEAVY
SGD	SINGED
SH	STRAIGHT HAIR
SKY	SILKY
SPR	SPRING
STL	STALE
TNT	TAINTED
TOP	TOP LOT
TS	TICKS & SCARS
VFL	VERY FLAT
WTR	WINTER
XEY	EXTRA EARLY
XFL	EXTRA FLAT

### COLOUR

BLK	BLACK
XD	EXTRA DARK
DK	DARK
DBR	DARK BROWN
BR	BROWN
LBR	LIGHT BROWN
MED	MEDIUM
PL	PALE
XP	EXTRA PALE
XXP	DOUBLE EXTRA PALE
3XP	TRIPLE EXTRA PALE
MXD	MIXED
TNY	TAWNY
LTY	LIGHT TAWNY
GRY	GREY
RED	RED
GC	GOOD COLOUR
OC	ORDINARY COLOUR
PC	POOR COLOUR

### SECTION

AK	ALASKA
CDN	CANADIAN
CEN	CENTRAL
COM	COMPLETE
CT	COAT
EST	EAST
FTY	FROSTY
GB	GREY BUTT
INC	INCOMPLETE
MKR	MKR
NC	NORTH CENTRAL
NTH	NORTH
NWT	NORTH WEST TERRITORIES
STH	SOUTH
USA	USA
WST	WEST

### CLARITY

1	EXTRA CLEAR
2	CLEAR
3	SLIGHT OFF
4	OFF
5	RED
6	EXTRA RED
7	BLUE
8	RED RIM
9	STAIN

## ATTENTION ALL WILD FUR SHIPPERS

North American Fur Auctions has changed some wild fur descriptions. This has been done to provide international buyers with a better understanding of what each grade contains. The grades have not been changed, just the descriptions.

### Formerly

Slt Damaged Gd  
Slt Damaged Avg  
Damaged Gd  
Damaged Avg  
Damaged Pr

### New

Slt Damaged A (**SDA**)  
Slt Damaged B (**SDB**)  
Damaged 1 (**DG1**)  
Damaged 2 (**DG2**)  
Damaged 3 (**DG3**)

Currently Coyote, Red Fox, Sable, Raccoon, and Beaver are the only wild fur articles where these changes have been made.