

# Wolf (*Canis lupus*)

## Scientific classification

**Order:** *Carnivora*

**Family:** *Canidae*

## Legal status

### International law

The Berne Convention – Appendix II

The Washington Convention, CITES – Appendix II

The Habitat Directive – a priority species, Annex II, IV,

Poland and Slovakia have been granted derogation from the strict protection of wolf.

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