

**ANURA**

**ACTIVE SEASON** - When is the active season for the species?

Species	Common Name	Active Season
<b>Bufonidae</b>	<b>True Frogs</b>	
<i>Bufo a. americanus</i>	Eastern American Toad	early Mar - Nov (Raithel, pers. comm.; Hulse et al. 2001); surface activity is reduced during prolonged periods of drought, extreme heat or extreme cold (Hulse et al. 2001); enter hibernation in Sept./Oct. (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Bufo fowleri</i>	Fowler's Toad	late Apr - Sept (Raithel, pers. comm., Hulse et al. 2001); enter hibernation by October (Hulse et al. 2001); greatest daily activity is during and following rainstorms (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Bufo quercicus</i>	Oak Toad	Jan - Oct (Ashton & Ashton 1988)
<i>Bufo terrestris</i>	Southern Toad	Mar - Oct (Wright and Wright 1949); possible as early as Jan - Feb, Nov - Jan inactive (Wright 1932)
<b>Hylidae</b>	<b>Treefrogs</b>	
<i>Acris c. crepitans</i>	Eastern Cricket Frog	Feb-Nov OH (Walker 1946); all winter (Dickerson 1906); active all year in southern portion of range, can be active yr.-round in northern portions if water in their habitat doesn't freeze (Hulse et al. 2001, see also Linsdale 1927, Gray 1971)
<i>Acris c. blanchardi</i>	Blanchard's Cricket Frog	active in winter IL & KS (Gray 1971); found in winter KS (Wright and Wright 1949); Nov OH (Walker 1946)
<i>Acris g. gryllus</i>	Coastal Plain Cricket Frog	all year VA, NC & AL (Wright and Wright 1949, Martof et al. 1980, Mount 1996)
<i>Hyla andersonii</i>	Pine Barrens Treefrog	April - Sept. (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Hyla chrysoscelis</i>	Cope's Gray Treefrog	early April - October (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Hyla cinerea</i>	Green Treefrog	Apr - Sept VA & NC (Martof et al. 1980); Apr - Oct FL (Ashton & Ashton 1988); Feb - Sept GA (Wright 1932)
<i>Hyla femoralis</i>	Pine Woods Treefrog	
<i>Hyla gratiosa</i>	Barking Treefrog	late spring - summer (Martof et al. 1980); Apr - Aug (Ashton & Ashton 1988); Mar - Nov (Wright 1932)
<i>Hyla squirella</i>	Squirrel Treefrog	Apr - Oct (Mount 1996); Jan - Sept (Wright 1932)
<i>Hyla versicolor</i>	Gray Treefrog	late Mar to Oct (Raithel, pers. comm., Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Pseudacris brachyphona</i>	Mountain Chorus Frog	late Mar - fall/winter OH, PA (Walker 1946, Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Pseudacris brimleyi</i>	Brimley's Chorus Frog	Feb - Nov (Wright and Wright 1949)
<i>Pseudacris c. crucifer</i>	Northern Spring Peeper	Feb - June is peak activity, the decreased (although still active) through September just before entering hibernation (Hulse et al. 2001, see also Klemens 1993).
<i>Pseudacris feriarum</i>	Upland Chorus Frog	lat Feb/early Mar - early Oct (Walker 1946, Hulse et al. 2001)

<i>Pseudacris feriarum kalmi</i>	New Jersey Chorus Frog	lat Feb/early Mar - early Oct (Walker 1946, Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Pseudacris ocularis</i>	Little Grass Frog	
<i>Pseudacris triseriata</i>	Western Chorus Frog	lat Feb/early Mar - early Oct (Walker 1946, Hulse et al. 2001)
<b>Pelobatidae</b>	<b>Spadefoot Toads</b>	
<i>Scaphiopus holbrookii</i>	Eastern Spadefoot	Apr - Oct in north (Raithel, pers. comm.)
<b>Ranidae</b>	<b>True Frogs</b>	
<i>Rana catesbeiana</i>	American Bullfrog	in PA as early as Feb, but typically mid April - Sept/Oct. (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Rana clamitans melanota</i>	Northern Green Frog	Mar - Nov./Dec (Raithel, pers. comm., Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Rana palustris</i>	Pickerel Frog	late Mar/Apr - Nov (Raithel, pers. comm., Hulse et al. 2001); may be encountered in caves in late fall/winter (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Rana pipiens</i>	Northern Leopard Frog	Mar - Oct (Ryan 1953, Rittschof 1975, Klemens 1993, Hulse et al. 2001); in OH, has been observed as early as Feb and as late as Nov in warmer winters (Walker 1946)
<i>Rana septentrionalis</i>	Mink Frog	June -Aug
<i>Rana sphenoccephala</i>	Southern Leopard Frog	Mar - Oct in PA, possibly as early as late Feb though Nov (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Rana sylvatica</i>	Wood Frog	Feb - Oct, could be as late as Nov/Dec; longest activity period of anurans in northeast (Hulse et al. 2001)
<i>Rana virgatipes</i>	Carpenter Frog	April-Sept (Wright 1932)
<b>Microhylidae</b>	<b>Narrow-mouthed Frogs</b>	
<i>Gastrophryne carolinensis</i>	Eastern Narrow-mouthed Toad	Mar - Sept (Wright 1932)

**Active Season Codes:** Specify range of months