



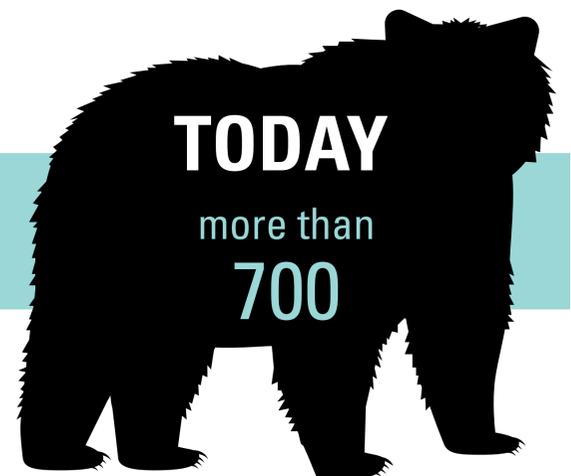
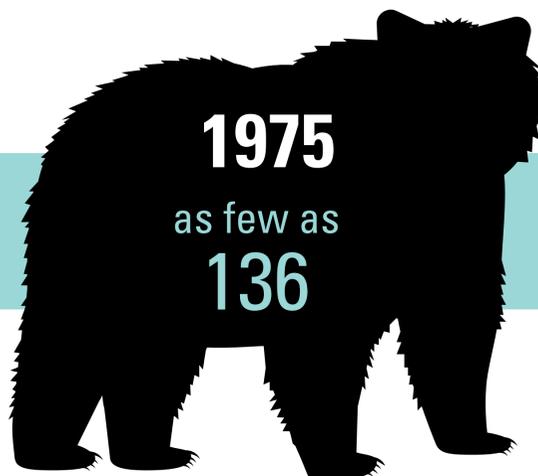
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Yellowstone Grizzly Bear Population Proposed Delisting

Yellowstone Grizzly Bear Recovery

Grizzly Bear Population

Stable population for more than a decade ≈ at or near carrying capacity

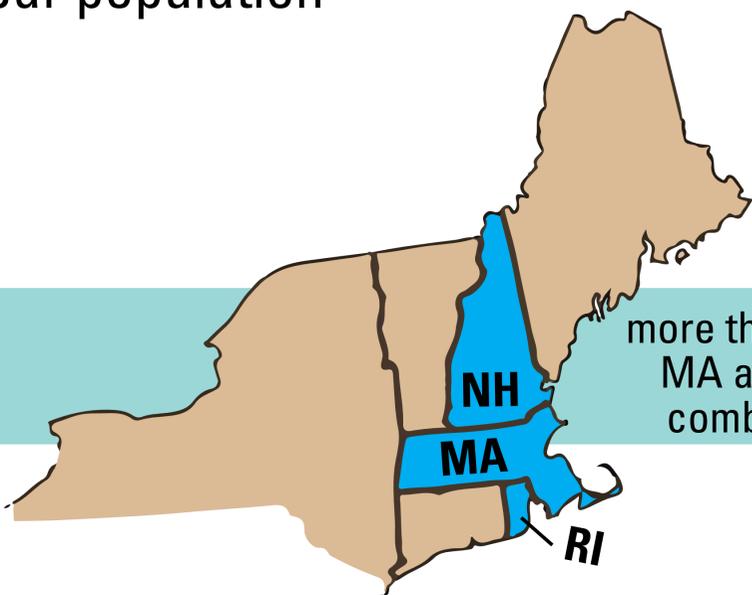


Only affects the Yellowstone grizzly bear population – all other populations remain listed

Range

more than **doubled** since the **mid-1970s**

Occupy more than **22,500 miles²**



more than NH, MA and RI combined

Recovery: based on more than just numbers

- Quantity and quality of habitat
- Sustainable mortality limits
- Adequate regulatory mechanisms
- Balance of male and female bears well-distributed throughout ecosystem

Achieved: collaboration, partner-driven, cross-jurisdictional approach by Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee (IGBC)

