

Availability and Number of Primate Species

As of 2021, the following primates are housed at PRI:

I. Experimental Sacrifice and Surgery

1. Scheduled to be provided (M= male, F=female)

Name of Species	Weight, sex	Numbers	Name of Species	Weight, sex	Numbers
Japanese macaque (<i>Macaca fuscata</i>)	2-15 kg, M&F	15	rhesus macaque (<i>Macaca mulatta</i>)	2-15 kg, M&F	10
common marmoset (<i>Callithrix jacchus</i>)	30-450 g, M&F	5			

Prospective Japanese and rhesus macaque study subjects are mainly 1-3 years old. For detailed information, or information regarding other species, please contact your prospective host (corresponding) researcher at PRI.

II. Non-sacrificial Experiments (e.g. observation)

1. For behavioral observation (all socially-housed primates)

Name of Species	Number	Note
Japanese macaque (<i>Macaca fuscata</i>)	57	open (850 m ² · Age and family tree well-known)
"	50	enclosure (1,200 m ² · ")
"	57	" (730 m ² · ")
rhesus macaque	60	" (700 m ² · ")
(<i>Macaca mulatta</i>)	9	" (530 m ² · ")

Behavioral observation of animals in open enclosures or group cages can be approved at any time. However, to avoid conflict with other researchers, please seek advice from your prospective host (corresponding) researcher in advance.

2. For drawing blood or behavioral experiments (the numbers and species are subject to change)

Name of Species	Numbers	Name of Species	Numbers
chimpanzee (<i>Pan troglodytes</i>)	12	rhesus macaque (<i>Macaca mulatta</i>)	50
agile gibbon (<i>Hylobates agilis</i>)	3	common marmoset (<i>Callithrix jacchus</i>)	10
Japanese macaque (<i>Macaca fuscata</i>)	100		

For convenience, three flexible categories of research are distinguished as behavioral observations, drawing blood, and behavioral experiments. Blood draws from groups used for behavioral observation should be done in September- November, during the regular health checkups, of each perspective group, conducted by PRI staff. Please note that, due to health concerns, some of the individuals in groups used for behavioral observation may be removed in the autumn of each year. In the event of planning to conduct research with numbers of subjects exceeding those listed above, justification should be provided in the "Research Plan and Methods" section of the form "Handling Plan for Living Primates".