

Red Deer

(*Cervus elaphus*)

Size: Shoulder height:
110-120cm

Weight: 225kg

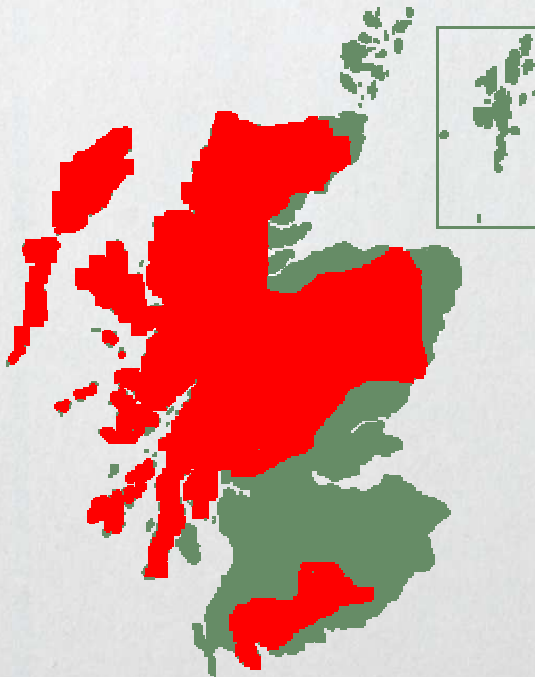
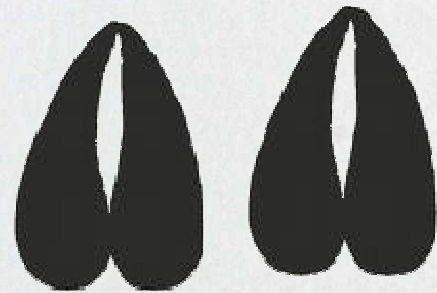
Lifespan: up to 25 years

Diet: grasses, herbs, leaves,
buds, shoots and bark.

Habitat: mixed woodland,
mountains and moorland

Predators: humans

Status: Not threatened



o Red deer are the largest land mammals in Britain.

o Only males have antlers and they fall off in spring. They grow new antlers in August.

o Their summer coat is reddish brown and their winter coat is brown-grey.

