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## Wisconsin Wild Turkeys

For *Wisconsin wild turkeys*, the wingspan differs between the males and females. The male wingspan can get up to an average of forty-two to forty-eight inches in length. The female wingspan can get up to an average of thirty-four to thirty-nine inches in length. This wingspan helps them fly well. You will generally find ***Wisconsin wild turkeys*** from the central portion of the state all the way down to the southern border. They tend to stay in this general area. More [Wisconsin Wildlife!](#)

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The female **Wisconsin wild turkeys** especially have a benefit that helps them survive. Their lighter color helps them blend into their surroundings when hiding from predators. Although, these are wonderful benefits for the wild turkey; they do have their unfortunate downfalls. *Wild turkeys* do not see well at night so they have a disadvantage to the predators lurking nearby. **Wild turkeys** have many predators not just for them, but also for their eggs. Humans tend to hunt them for their meat; which many love.

### Wild Turkey Video

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## Meleagris Gallopavo

**Name:** Wild Turkeys

**Scientific Name:** Meleagris gallopavo

**Measurements:** height: 2.5-3ft tall, weight: up to 25lbs, male wingspan: 42-48in, female wingspan: 34-39in

**Habitat:** open areas mainly; use forests for hiding from predators and for roosting

**Diet:** plants, animals, insects, acorns, seeds, and fruit

**Behavior:** mobile, feed in morning and afternoon, travel in groups

**Reproduction:** Feb. to Apr., 10-12 eggs BUT sometime has a second hatching.

**Predators:** bobcats, foxes, great horned owls, red-tailed hawks, and humans

**Life Expectancy:** males: just over 2 years old, females: just over 3 years old

**Extra Facts:** between 5,000-6,000 feathers on body, males breed w/ more than one female

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