



**WILDLIFE TRAFFICKING IS A
GLOBAL CONCERN FOR AVIATION**



Illegal wildlife trade is happening on every urbanized continent in the world.

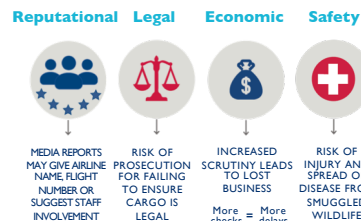
The country where the wildlife is sourced from is often not the same country where people buy or consume that wildlife.



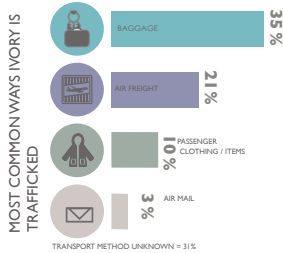
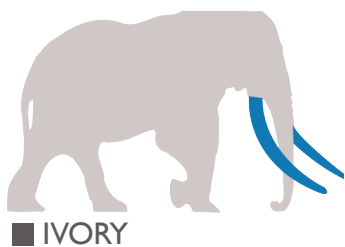
Transportation, transit hubs and airports play a major enabling role in the illegal wildlife trade.

**AIRPORTS ACROSS THE
WORLD ARE EXPLOITED
DAILY** 50+ SEIZURES A DAY
20,000 SEIZURES A YEAR

**SERIOUS RISKS TO THE
AVIATION INDUSTRY**

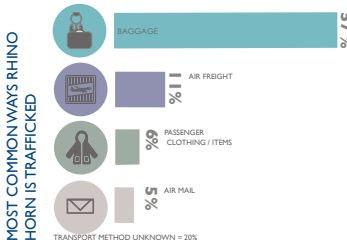


Ivory, rhino horn, reptiles and birds collectively account for over 60% of all trafficked wildlife, according to the United Nations Office On Drugs and Crime (UNODC). Other mammals, including pangolin (the world's most trafficked mammal), and marine species make up a further 20%.



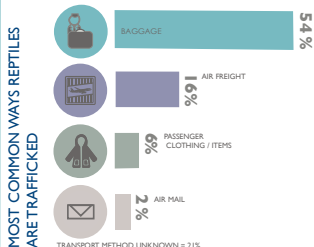
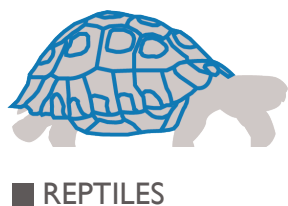
INDICATORS OF TRAFFICKING - IVORY

- Items wrapped in aluminum or tin foil, paper, plastic or cloth (to disguise shape and to prevent being recognized as organic material by scanners).
- Suspected change of baggage tags (to disguise route or to swap to an 'easier' route).
- Additional baggage; baggage or unusual or uneven weight.
- Physical pat down or clothing presents unusual bulk or lumps.
- Indirect transport routes, especially if originating from African countries.
- Missing, incomplete or fraudulent customs documentation.



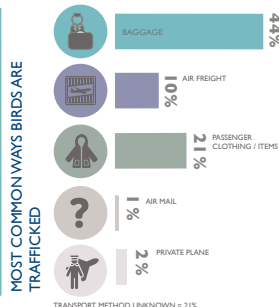
INDICATORS OF TRAFFICKING - RHINO HORN

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- Suspected change of baggage tags.
- Additional baggage; baggage or unusual or uneven weight.
- Physical pat down or clothing presents unusual bulk or lumps.
- Indirect transport routes, especially if originating from African countries.
- Missing, incomplete or possibly fraudulent customs documentation.
- Described or labeled as taxidermy or pottery.



INDICATORS OF TRAFFICKING - REPTILES

- Detected movement or noise from baggage
- Unusual smell
- Unusual number of suitcases
- Contents described as 'stones'
- Direct flights
- Passenger appears nervous or over-dressed, is walking or moving strangely, visits bathroom frequently.
- Missing, incomplete or possibly fraudulent customs documentation.



INDICATORS OF TRAFFICKING - BIRDS

- Detected movement or noise from baggage
- Scanner presents multiple tubular shapes
- Unusual smell
- Physical pat down or passenger clothing presents unusual bulk or lumps
- Direct flights
- Passenger appears nervous or over-dressed, is walking or moving strangely, visits bathroom frequently.
- Missing, incomplete or possibly fraudulent customs documentation.

Sources: 'Flying Under The Radar', C4ADS, ROUTES 2017; 'In Plane Sight', C4ADS, ROUTES August 2018.

