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Use Non-Toxic Shot For Migratory Game Bird Hunting in 1999

Beginning September 1, 1999, use of non-toxic shot will be required for hunting most migratory game birds in ALL areas of Canada. Subject to these regulations, no person shall possess or use shot other than non-toxic shot for the purpose of hunting a migratory game bird except a woodcock, band-tailed pigeon or mourning dove.

Within National Wildlife Areas, you must use non-toxic shot for ALL hunting, including migratory birds and upland game. Consult provincial or territorial regulations for additional restrictions.

Non-toxic shot approved for use in Canada:

bismuth shot
steel shot
tin shot

tungsten-iron shot
tungsten-matrix shot
tungsten-polymer shot

For more information, contact your regional wildlife officer or visit the Canadian Wildlife Service website at:
<http://www.ec.gc.ca/cws-scf/pub/hunting/nontoxic.html>

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