

# SAY NO TO FUR!



Every year, over 50 MILLION animals are killed for their fur. These animals, that are victims of the fur trade, are no different than the companion animals we have at home. Bobcats, lynxes, coyotes and foxes are just the wild cousins of our cats and dogs. Rabbits, mink, chinchillas, seal pups, newborn lambs, as well as countless other species are exploited.

**No fur-bearing animal is safe.**

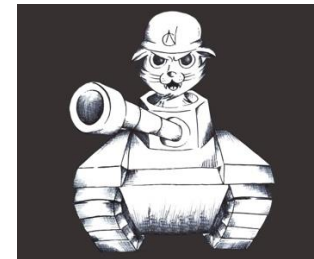
On fur farms, animals are killed in a variety of gruesome ways: gassing, trapping, anal and vaginal electrocution. Small animals like chinchillas have their necks broken by hand. These animals are cramped into filthy and crowded cages, deprived of anything natural to them and given absolutely no medical attention. Disease runs rampant as these animals await their day of execution.

In the wild, millions of animals are captured by the fur industry with fatal strangling snares and steel leg hold or body crushing traps. If they survive, the animals lay tortured and terrified for days until the trapper comes to shoot or beat them to death. Sometimes mothers will chew their limbs off to return to their cubs (who they themselves become a secondary victim).

In countries such as China, there are no animal welfare standards, and resultantly animals are beaten, strangled, drowned, and are even skinned alive. **If you have any doubts, google CHINA FUR FARMS to see for yourself.**



Always read labels and please do not buy any item made of, trimmed with or lined with fur. If you do own any fur, please donate it to [www.coatsforcubs.org](http://www.coatsforcubs.org) where it can be used to rehabilitate many injured and orphaned animals (some orphaned by the fur trade itself). Fur is violently stolen from animals, we feel the proper ethical course is to return it back to these innocent beings. FUR IS MURDER! You are the animals' voice, so speak up against fur in any way you can and at any chance you get.



**ACT UP. FIGHT BACK. GO VEGAN.**

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