

# Pest Bio

Providing All Your Pest Facts

## House Mouse



House mice produce between 40 and 100 droppings per day!

Mice have teeth that never stop growing, they grow about 0.3mm per day, because of this they have to gnaw on stuff constantly. So when they are not eating your food they are chewing on your home, wiring and furniture. House mice are great climbers and jumpers making your home completely accessible if they can find an entry point. Mice also love to explore their territory daily so if you have mice there is a good chance you will run into them sooner or later.

**Call Barrier for help  
managing House Mice  
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### DIET

House mice are omnivorous however they primarily feed on plant matter. They eat their own feces to acquire nutrients produced by bacteria in their intestines.

### HABITAT

House Mice are located in and around homes and commercial structures as well as in open fields and agricultural lands

### BEHAVIOR

House mice are generally nocturnal and don't care for bright lights. They are territorial and there is usually only one male per territory who lives with several females and the young.

### House Mouse Facts:

Size: 3-4"

Shape: Round

Color: Grey, Brown or Black

Legs: 4

Wings: No

Antenna: No

### Scientific Name:

Kingdom:

-Animalia

Pylum:

-Chordata

Class:

-Mammalia

Order:

-Rodentia

Family:

-Muridae

Genus:

-Mus