



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: ADAMS COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 873 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 5,012 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 3,928

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 3,875

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 5282/5300     **Muzzle:** 595/595

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M:47% F;(43% antlered: 57% antlerless)

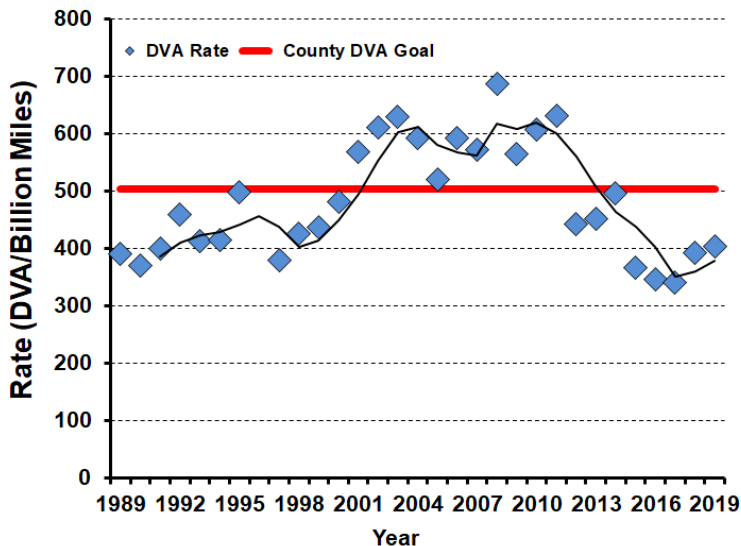
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

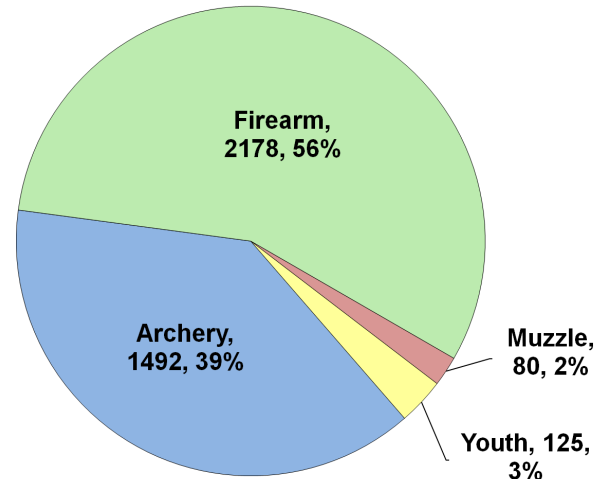
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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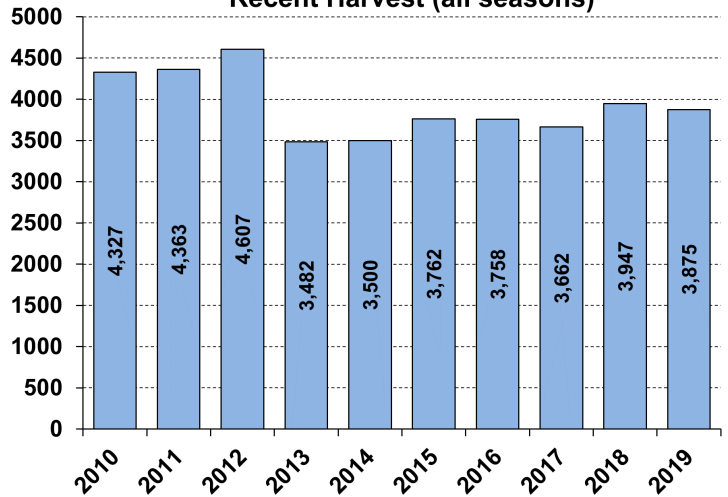
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	1059	1060	902	857	808
Crossbow	128	130	349	530	667
Traditional	19	12	17	11	17
<b>Total</b>	<b>1206</b>	<b>1202</b>	<b>1268</b>	<b>1398</b>	<b>1492</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.3	27.4	29.8	28.6	28.0
M - Yearling	15.0	17.2	16.2	16.0	15.1
M - Fawn	13.7	10.4	10.1	9.5	9.5
F - Adult	34.7	36.5	35.8	36.5	38.9
F - Fawn	11.4	8.4	8.2	9.3	8.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: ALEXANDER COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 253 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 896 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 733

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 735

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1273/1275      **Muzzle:** 194/235

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

59% M:41% F;(51% antlered: 49% antlerless)

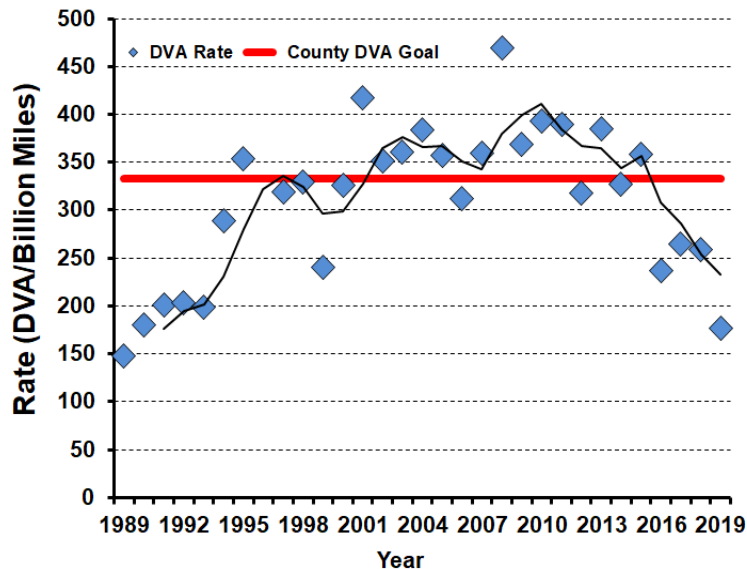
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

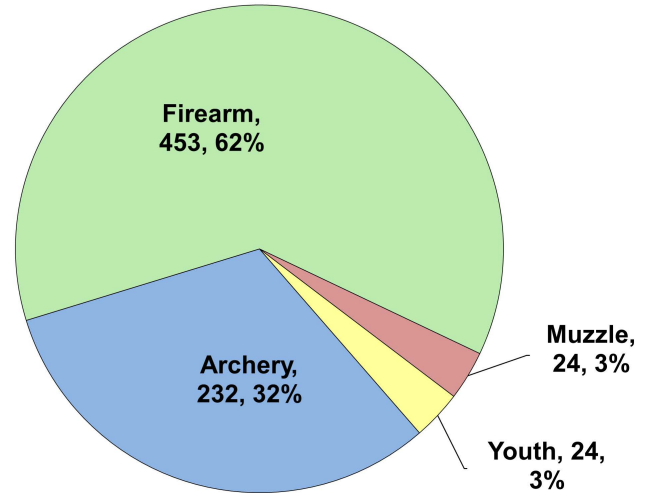
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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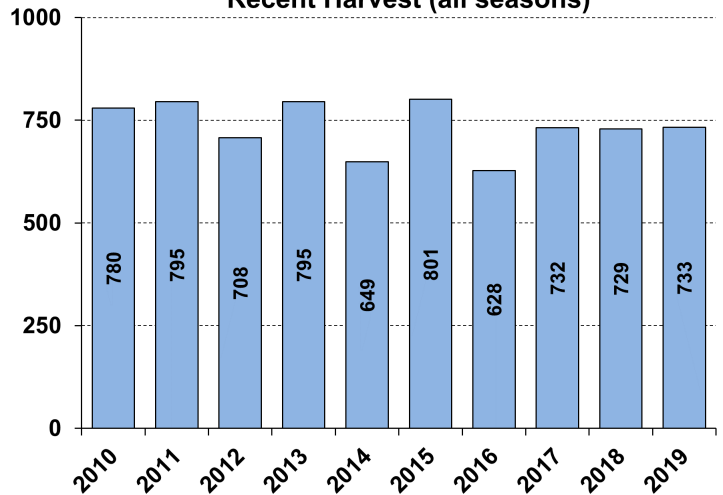
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	196	141	129	110	127
Crossbow	24	23	70	80	104
Traditional	4	0	0	3	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>232</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	30.3	28.7	29.2	28.1	28.8
M - Yearling	21.8	24.5	22.7	25.1	22.6
M - Fawn	6.5	6.8	9.6	7.0	8.0
F - Adult	35.5	33.0	32.2	33.1	34.1
F - Fawn	5.9	7.0	6.3	6.7	6.4

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: BOND COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 383 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 1,666 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,169

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,128

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 2061/2100      **Muzzle:** 196/235

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

55% M:45% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

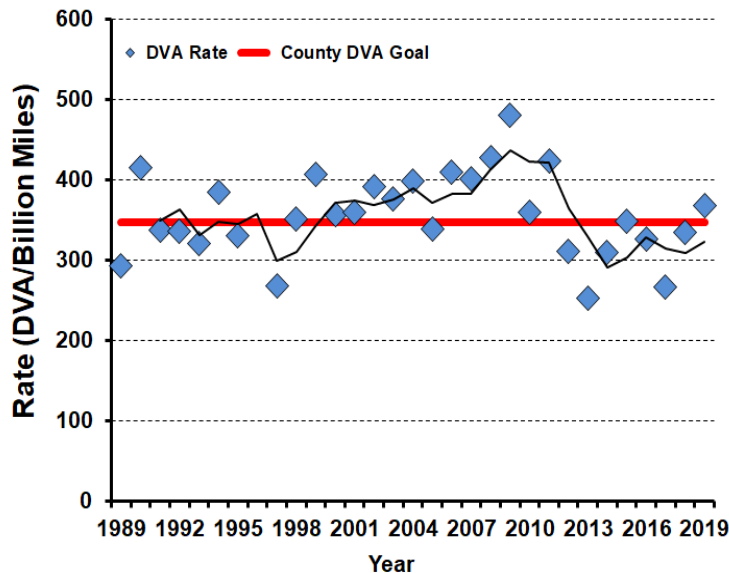
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

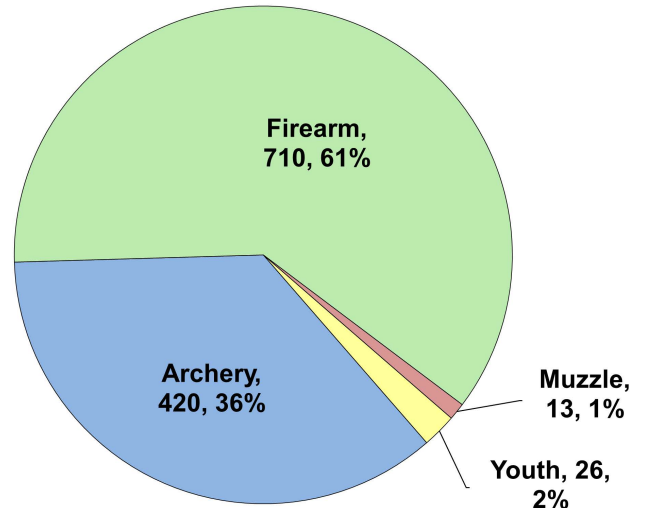
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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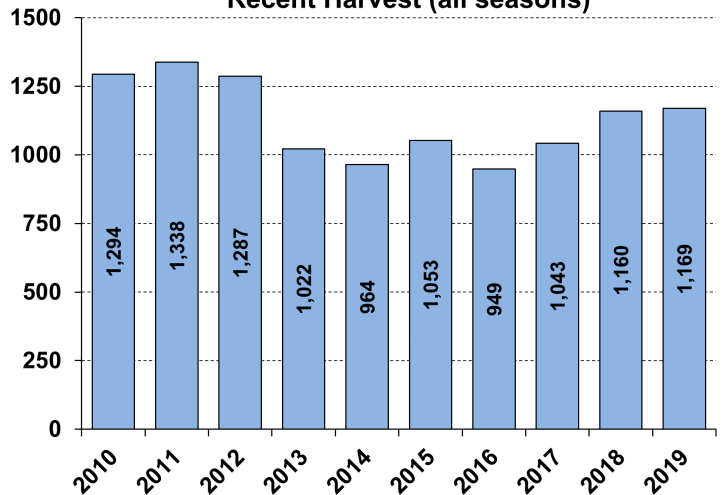
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	306	283	244	242	231
Crossbow	42	45	98	146	181
Traditional	1	0	3	9	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>349</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>397</b>	<b>420</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	18.2	18.8	21.4	24.2	21.8
M - Yearling	22.7	20.2	24.5	22.8	23.3
M - Fawn	10.5	12.6	11.7	10.3	9.7
F - Adult	40.6	39.4	36.5	35.3	38.5
F - Fawn	7.9	9.0	5.8	7.4	6.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: BOONE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 282 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 634 (1995)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 287

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 281

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 614/1350 **Muzzle:** 64/300 **CWD:** 16

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

68% M: 32% F;(63% antlered: 37% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Boone Co. Fairgrounds

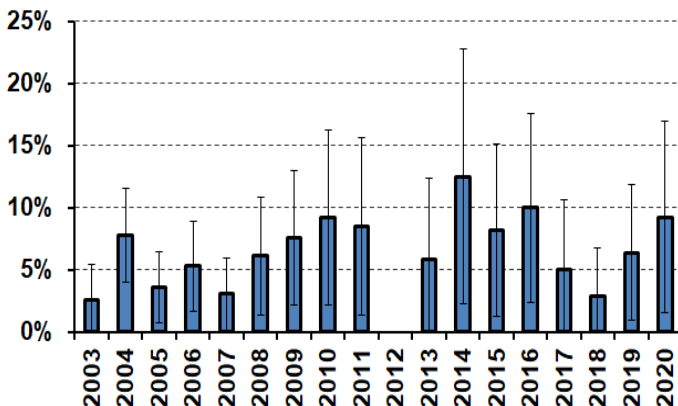
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

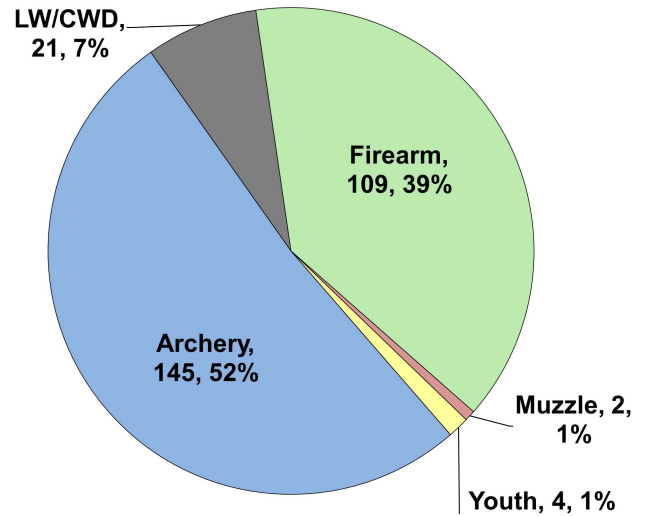
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 115

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 10

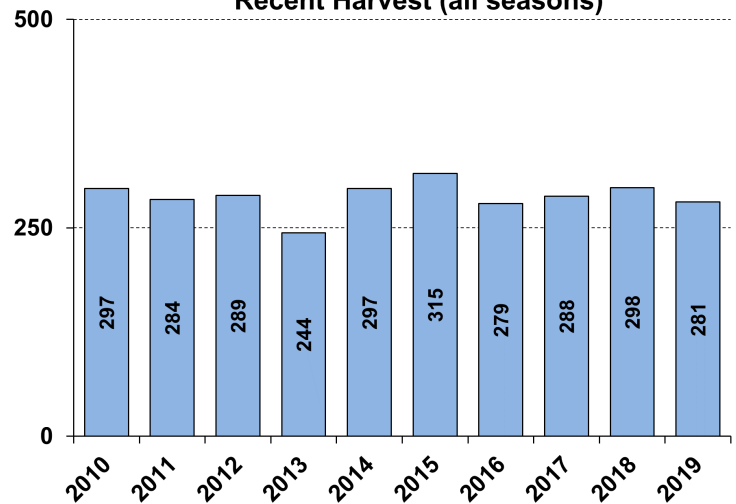
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 59 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	129	98	97	79	85
Crossbow	18	17	29	45	60
Traditional	0	2	1	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>145</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	19.0	26.3	24.4	30.7	49.3
M - Yearling	33.2	24.9	29.3	22.7	26.7
M - Fawn	12.7	5.3	11.0	10.3	5.3
F - Adult	30.7	36.0	27.6	29.4	26.7
F - Fawn	4.4	5.3	4.4	5.2	5.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: BROWN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 308 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1959

**Record Harvest:** 5,012 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,338

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,118

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2728/3150 **Muzzle:** 444/575

**Late Winter:** 101

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M: 46% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

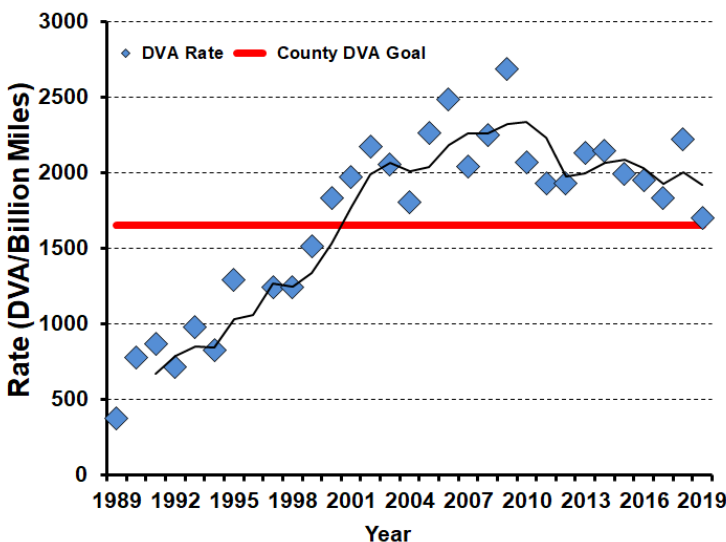
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

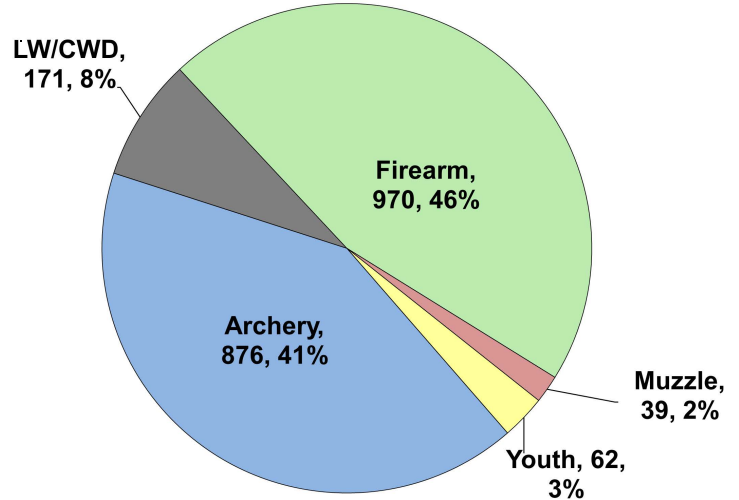
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

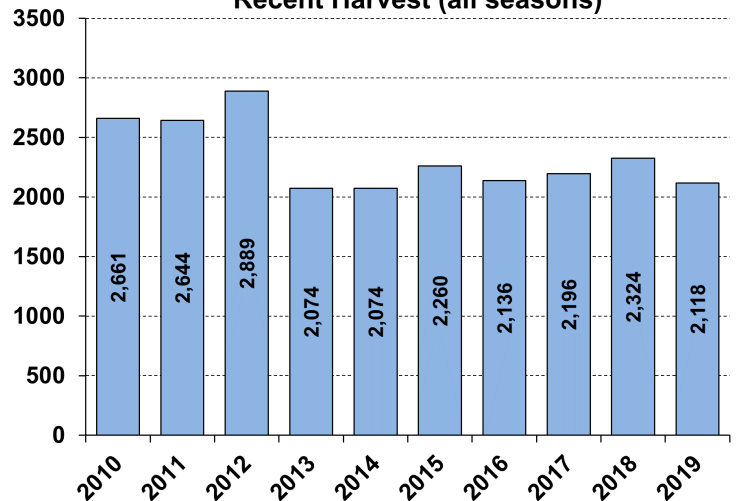
**Time in Late Winter:** 2003 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	657	700	622	618	503
Crossbow	89	113	228	305	362
Traditional	10	9	7	15	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>756</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>938</b>	<b>876</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.7	29.5	31.1	33.9	32.5
M - Yearling	12.1	12.5	12.9	11.4	12.8
M - Fawn	12.1	8.7	9.1	9.1	8.5
F - Adult	38.5	40.0	38.2	38.2	38.0
F - Fawn	10.5	7.6	7.8	8.3	8.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: BUREAU COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 874 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1961

**Record Harvest:** 2,873 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,002

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,761

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3153/3600      **Muzzle:** 506/625

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

55% M:45% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

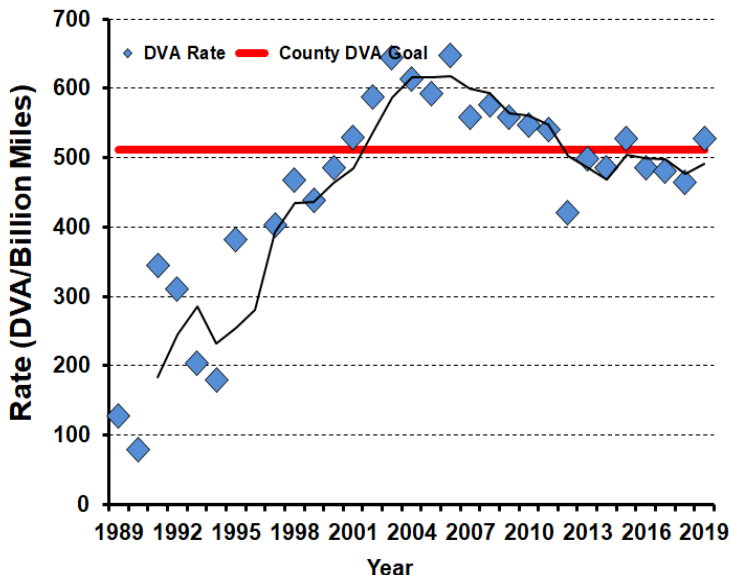
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

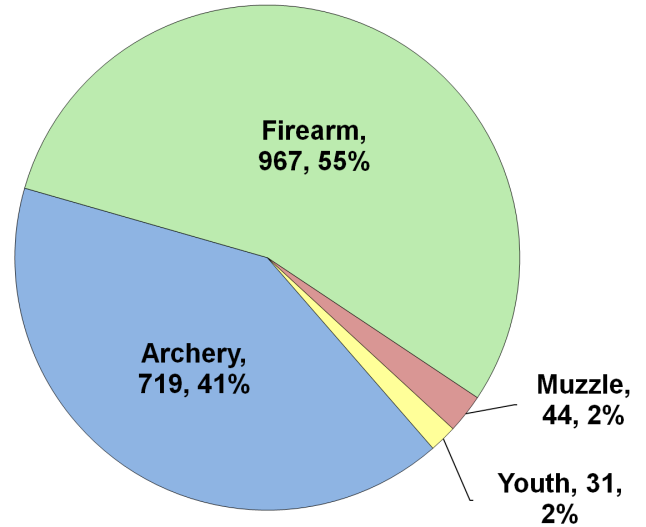
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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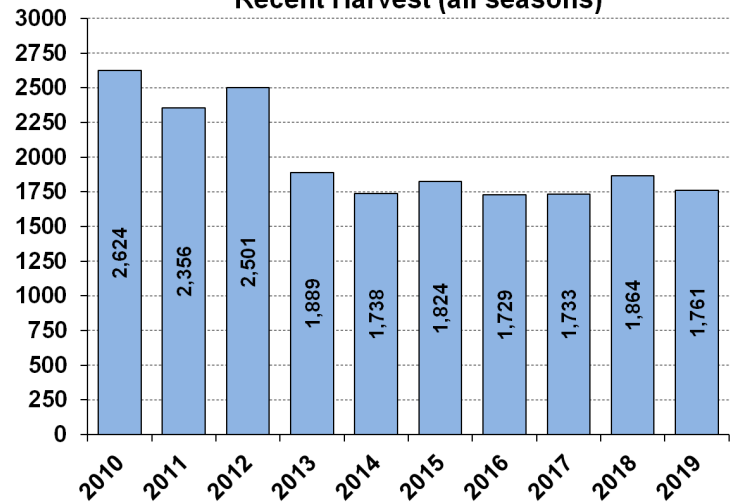
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	529	534	446	421	398
Crossbow	91	95	201	262	312
Traditional	7	5	5	6	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>627</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>719</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.6	28.1	28.5	26.8	25.8
M - Yearling	17.7	18.2	18.0	18.4	19.8
M - Fawn	10.5	9.7	9.4	9.8	9.6
F - Adult	39.3	37.4	37.4	37.8	38.3
F - Fawn	5.8	6.6	6.8	7.2	6.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CALHOUN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 284 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,255 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,838

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,891

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Archery:** 1950/1950      **Muzzle:** 229/230

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

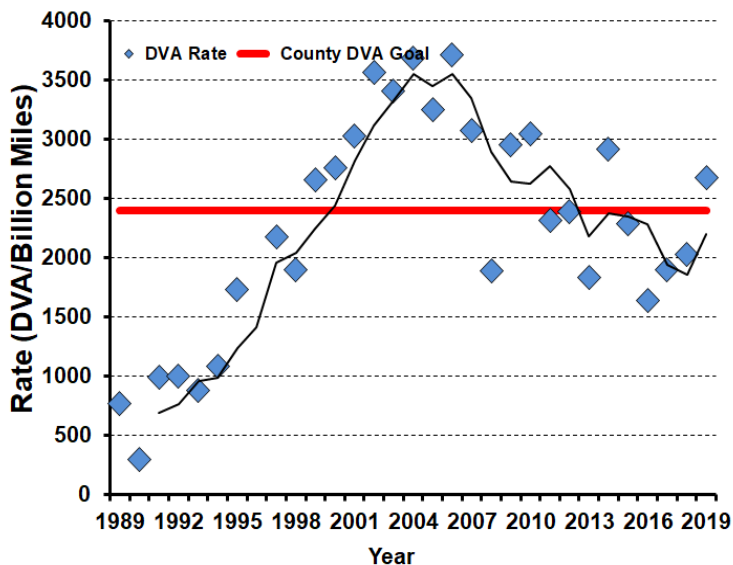
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

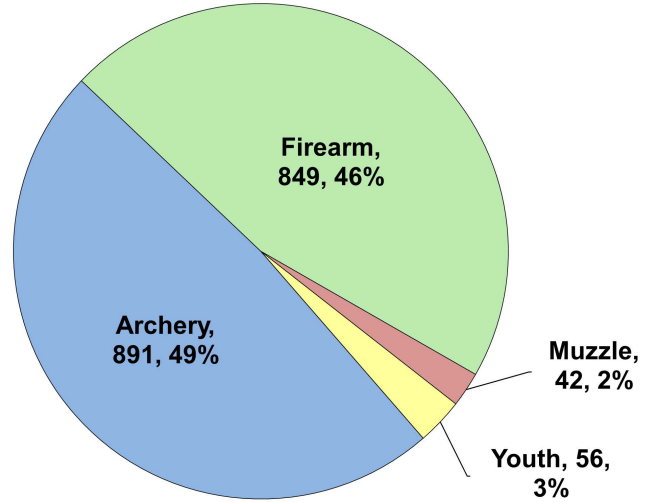
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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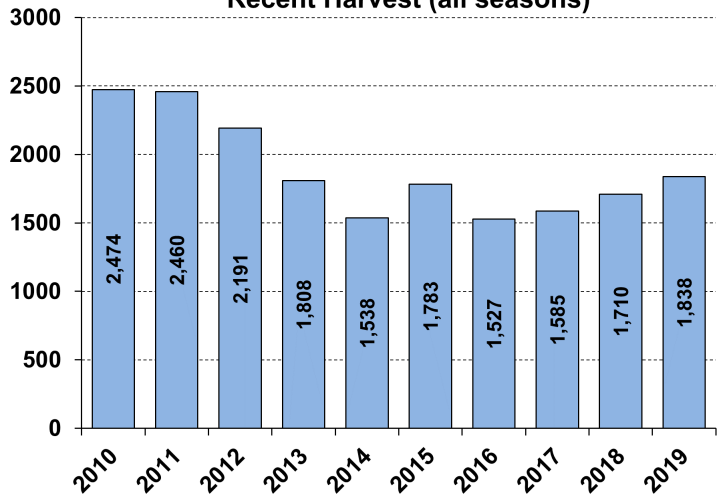
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	664	545	508	488	492
Crossbow	71	85	163	281	386
Traditional	5	4	5	7	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>776</b>	<b>891</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	32.4	35.3	36.1	34.5	34.2
M - Yearling	14.5	12.8	15.3	11.8	12.8
M - Fawn	8.5	8.3	7.1	6.8	7.2
F - Adult	37.2	36.7	36.1	39.7	38.2
F - Fawn	7.4	6.9	5.4	7.1	7.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CARROLL COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 467 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 2,044 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,590

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,350

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2382/3050 **Muzzle:** 325/450 **CWD:** 46

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):** 54% M: 46% F; (45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

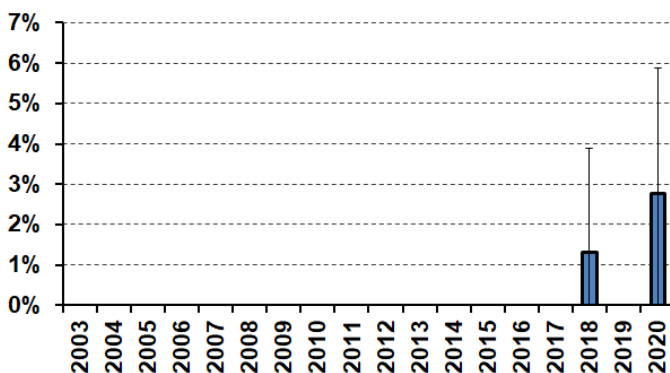
**Check Station Location:** Mississippi Palisades State Park

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes. CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

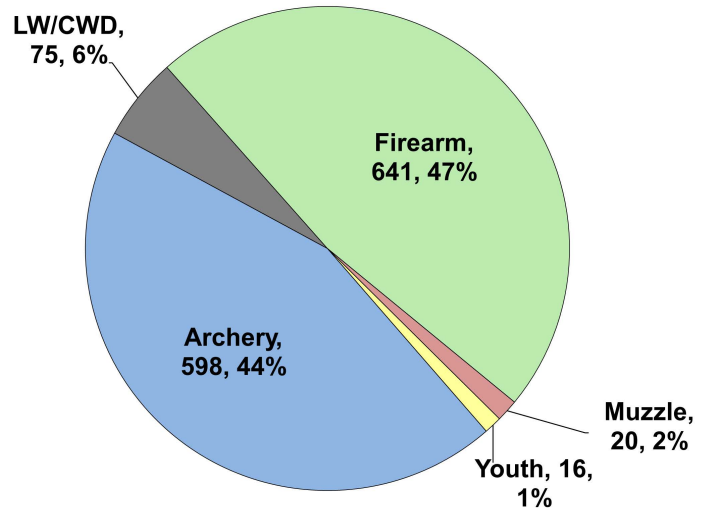
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 174

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 4

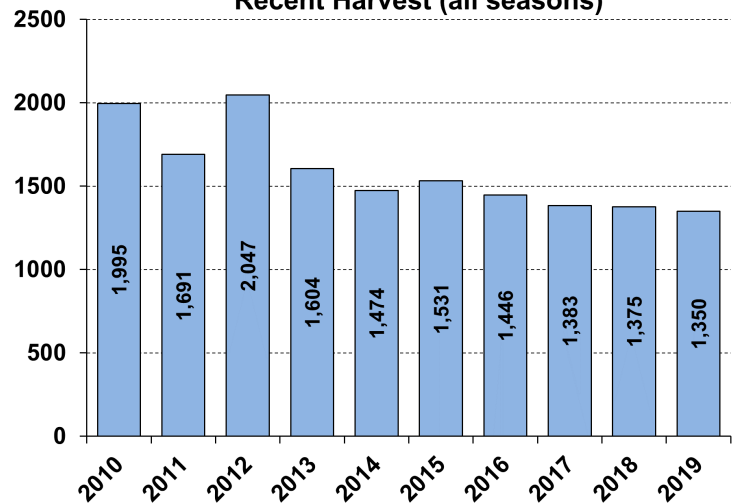
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 60 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	456	436	355	325	303
Crossbow	97	94	188	214	285
Traditional	11	11	10	7	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>553</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>598</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.4	24.8	25.1	23.2	29.3
M - Yearling	16.9	16.6	19.0	19.8	15.9
M - Fawn	9.8	11.5	8.8	8.6	8.7
F - Adult	38.9	38.1	37.7	39.6	40.3
F - Fawn	9.0	7.6	6.6	6.1	5.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CASS COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 384 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,774 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,341

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,317

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1543/1750    **Youth:** 181/230

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

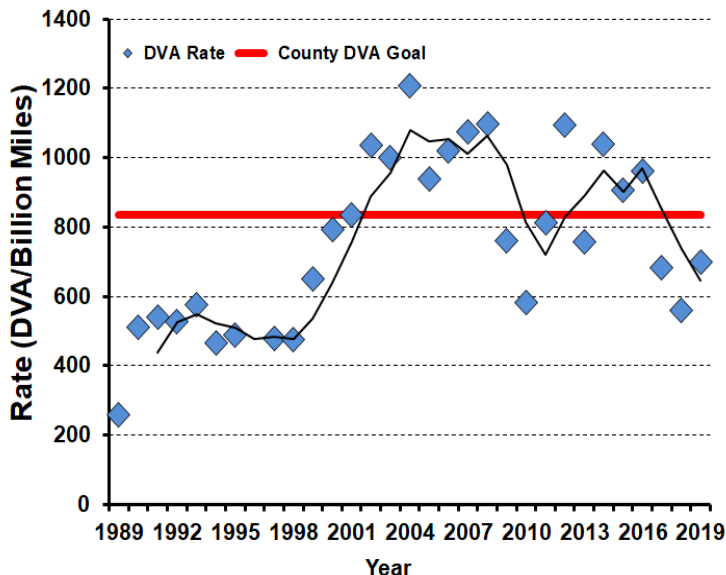
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

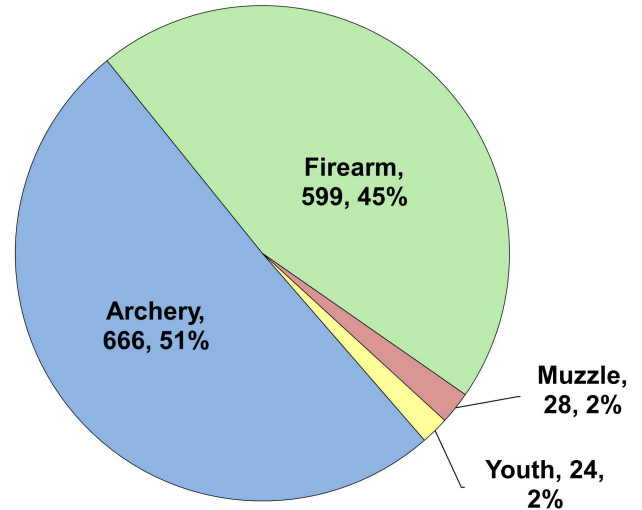
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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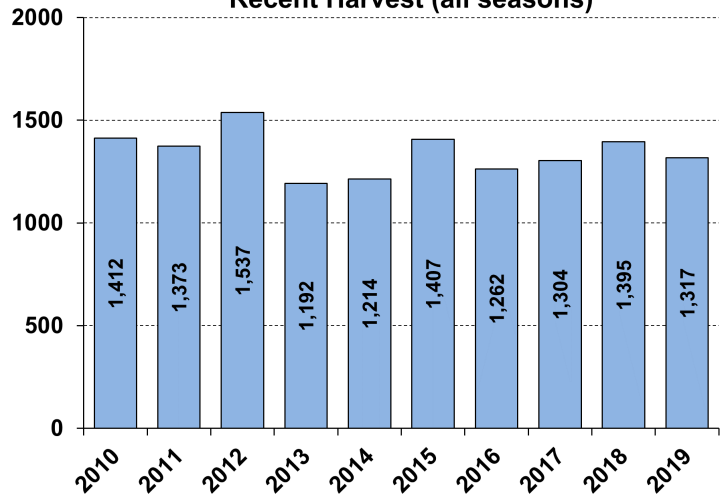
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2013



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	547	466	443	392	382
Crossbow	55	57	136	244	278
Traditional	3	7	9	7	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>530</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>666</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.2	29.3	30.7	27.5	29.8
M - Yearling	13.5	14.2	14.6	13.3	14.9
M - Fawn	11.5	9.9	10.8	12.6	9.6
F - Adult	37.8	36.4	35.8	36.3	38.2
F - Fawn	9.0	10.2	8.1	10.3	7.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 998 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 1,337 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 644

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 637

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 425/425      **Muzzle:** 125/125

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

61% M:39% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

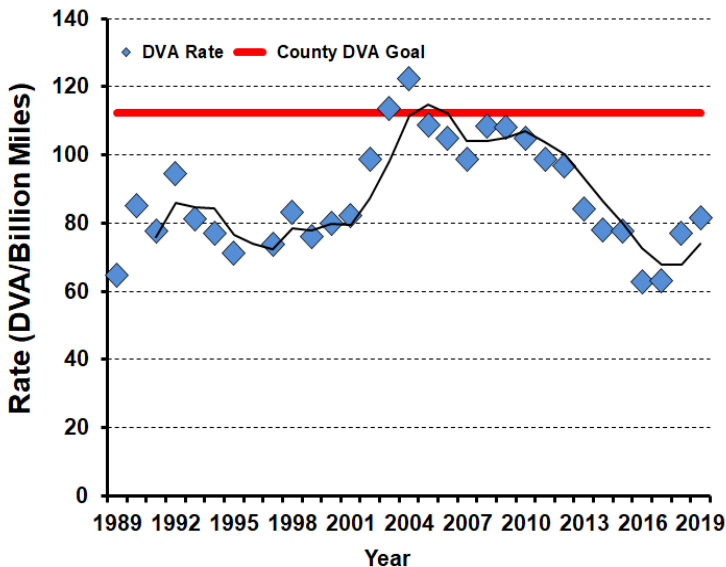
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

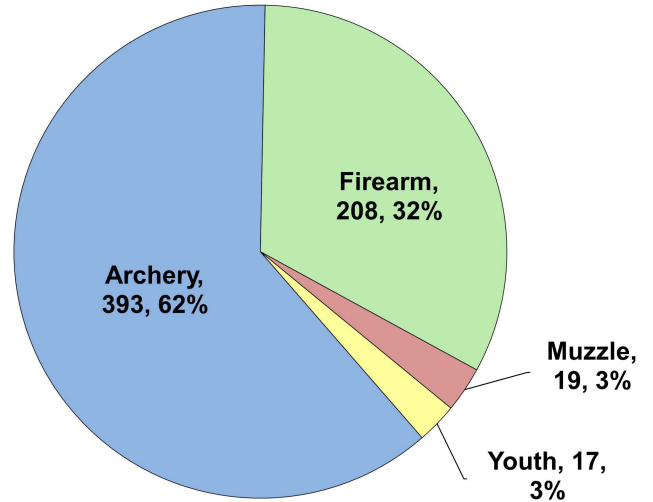
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

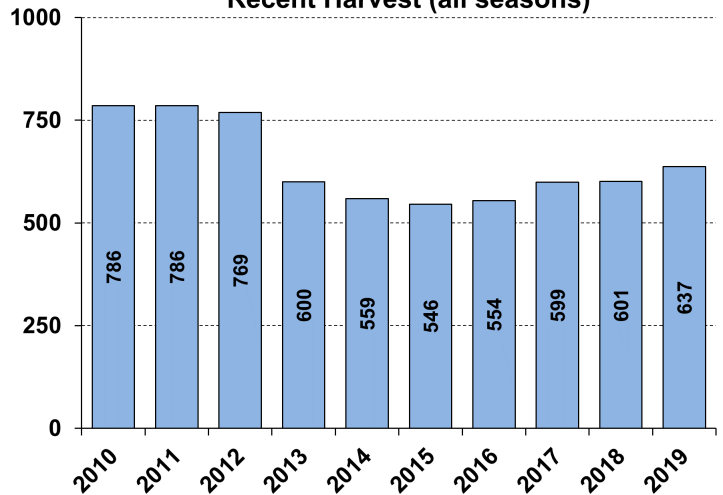
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	264	246	247	189	166
Crossbow	41	48	109	182	222
Traditional	1	2	4	4	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>296</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>393</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	31.5	28.9	29.4	33.3	32.7
M - Yearling	17.0	22.0	21.9	20.3	19.5
M - Fawn	8.6	9.4	8.2	5.3	8.9
F - Adult	37.5	36.6	35.6	36.4	36.7
F - Fawn	5.3	3.1	4.8	4.7	2.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CHRISTIAN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 715 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 1,337 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,143

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,166

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1532/1550      **Muzzle:** 247/270

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
55% M:45% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

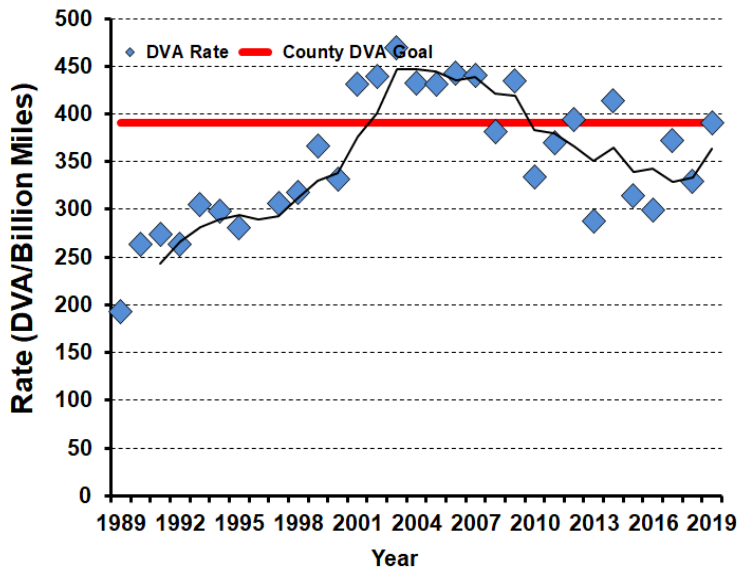
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

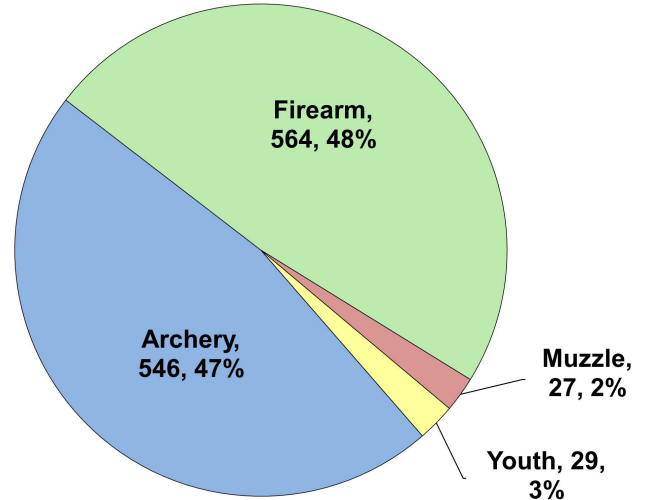
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

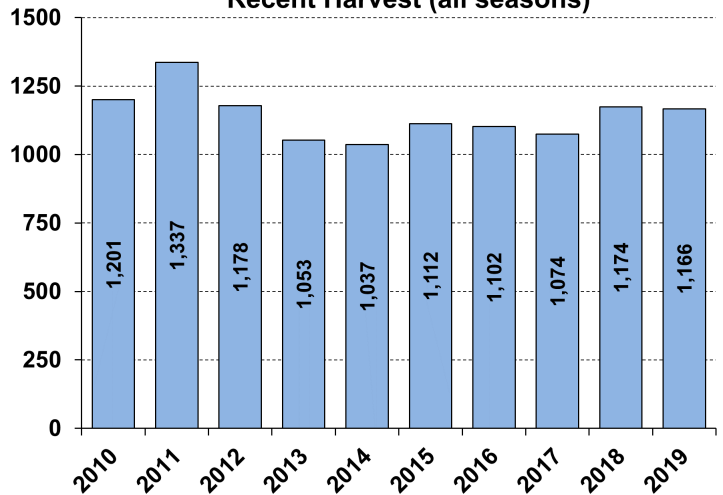
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	389	344	290	283	245
Crossbow	71	81	176	243	301
Traditional	5	1	4	3	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>546</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.8	24.3	28.4	28.1	27.3
M - Yearling	20.3	19.9	20.8	18.7	20.2
M - Fawn	10.5	10.6	7.5	10.7	7.5
F - Adult	39.7	39.5	36.5	36.5	38.2
F - Fawn	7.6	5.7	6.8	6.0	6.9

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CLARK COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 505 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 2,591 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,171

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,982

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 2672/2900      **Muzzle:** 406/460

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

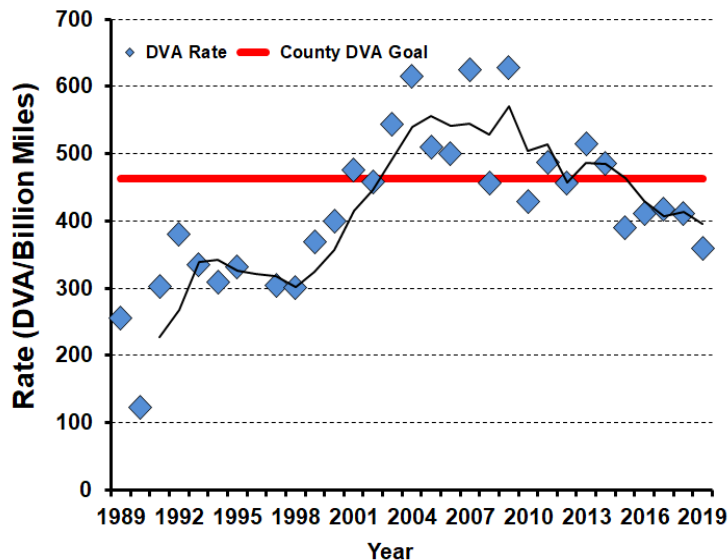
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

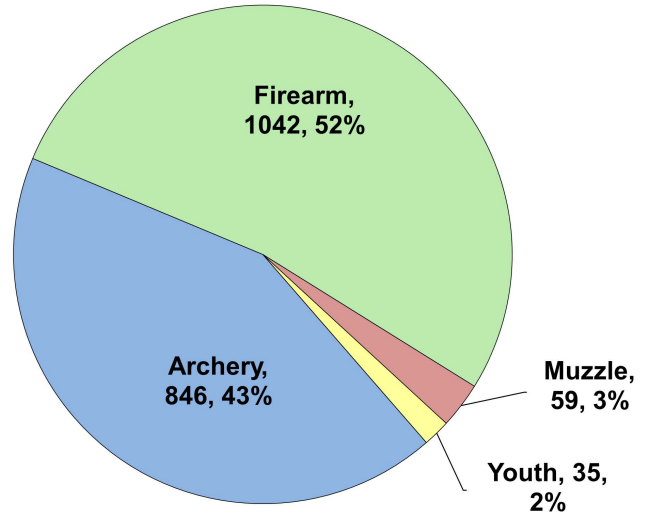
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

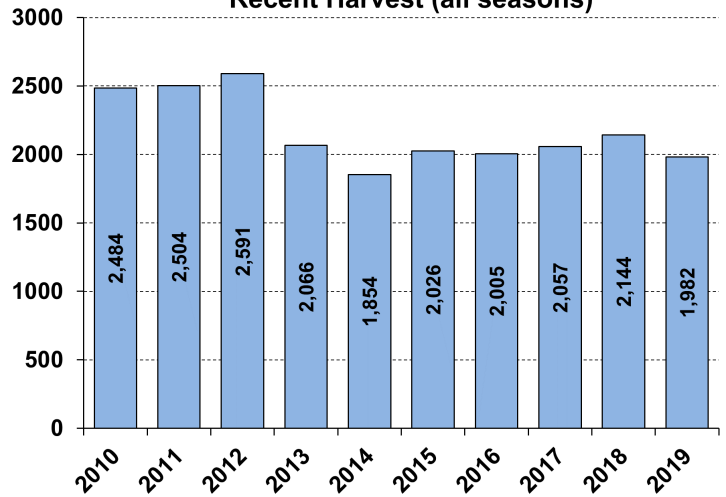
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2017



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	605	649	593	549	484
Crossbow	93	101	224	322	353
Traditional	6	5	4	4	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>704</b>	<b>755</b>	<b>821</b>	<b>875</b>	<b>846</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.8	30.7	32.6	33.1	30.8
M - Yearling	13.9	14.7	14.3	15.6	14.7
M - Fawn	9.4	9.5	9.1	8.7	8.2
F - Adult	38.5	37.3	36.1	35.8	37.6
F - Fawn	9.5	7.8	7.8	6.8	8.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CLAY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 469 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1970

**Record Harvest:** 2,560 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,904

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,930

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2949/3100 **Muzzle:** 337/475

**Late Winter:** 25

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M: 46% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

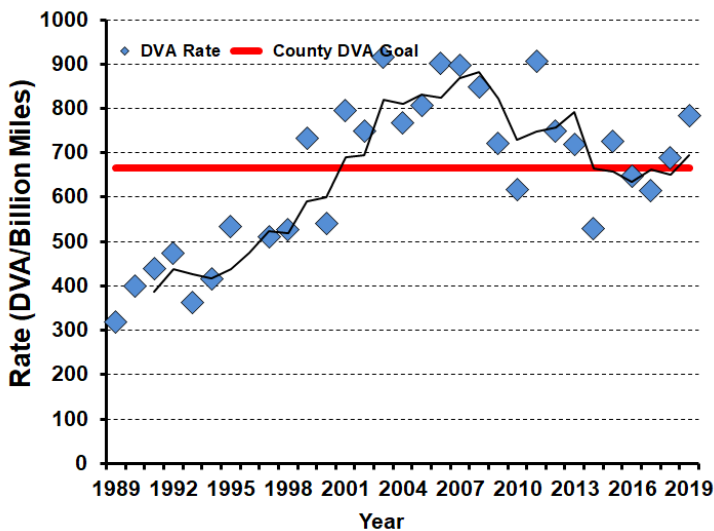
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

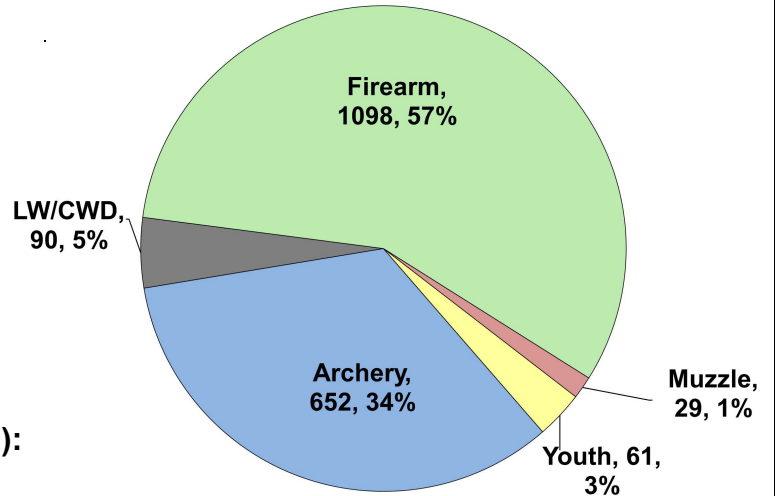
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

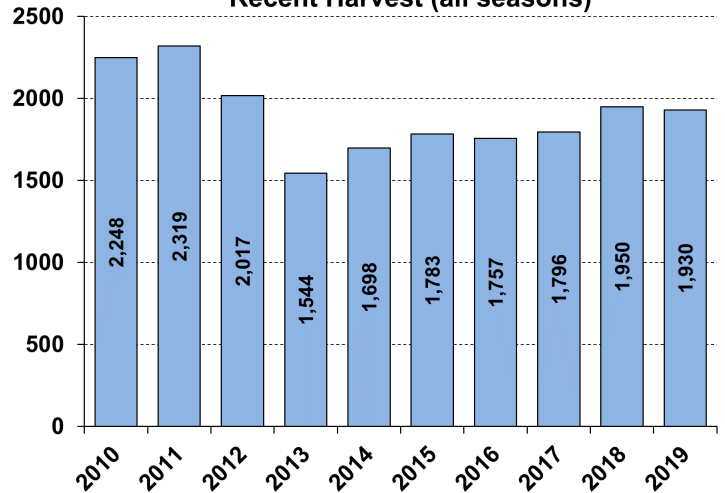
**Time in Late Winter:** 2005 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	420	434	368	348	394
Crossbow	65	77	140	203	248
Traditional	6	8	5	11	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>652</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.0	23.2	25.5	26.5	26.6
M - Yearling	18.1	19.2	18.5	17.4	17.5
M - Fawn	12.5	11.3	12.6	11.9	9.4
F - Adult	38.1	36.0	35.9	35.9	39.0
F - Fawn	9.4	10.0	7.7	10.5	7.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CLINTON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 503 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 1,702 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,142

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,251

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1800/1800      **Muzzle:** 180/180

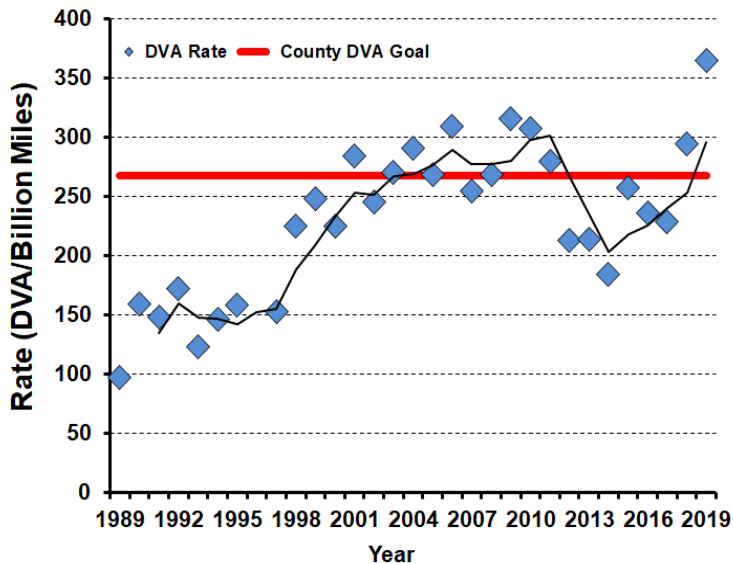
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
58% M:42% F;(50% antlered: 50% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

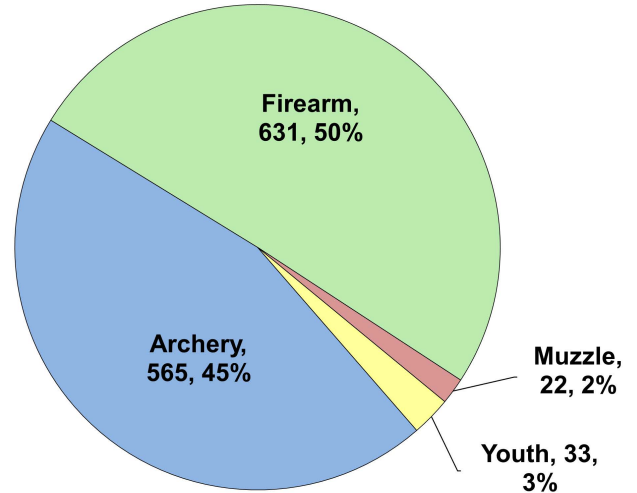
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

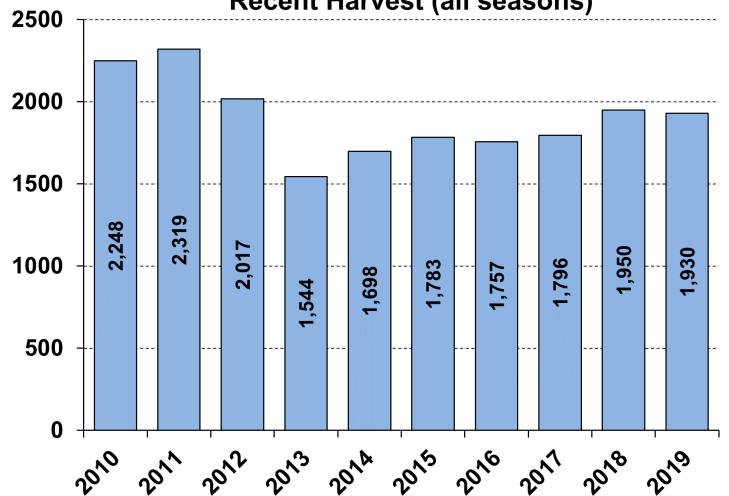
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	295	271	259	293	328
Crossbow	43	42	126	178	235
Traditional	2	1	5	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>565</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	17.7	21.6	19.4	21.9	23.7
M - Yearling	25.7	26.4	25.9	26.7	26.5
M - Fawn	10.8	12.1	12.6	9.8	8.2
F - Adult	38.9	32.5	34.8	34.9	37.0
F - Fawn	6.9	7.4	7.3	6.6	4.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: COLES COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 510 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 1,610 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,290

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,432

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Archery:** 1680/1750      **Muzzle:** 227/300

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
57% M:53% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

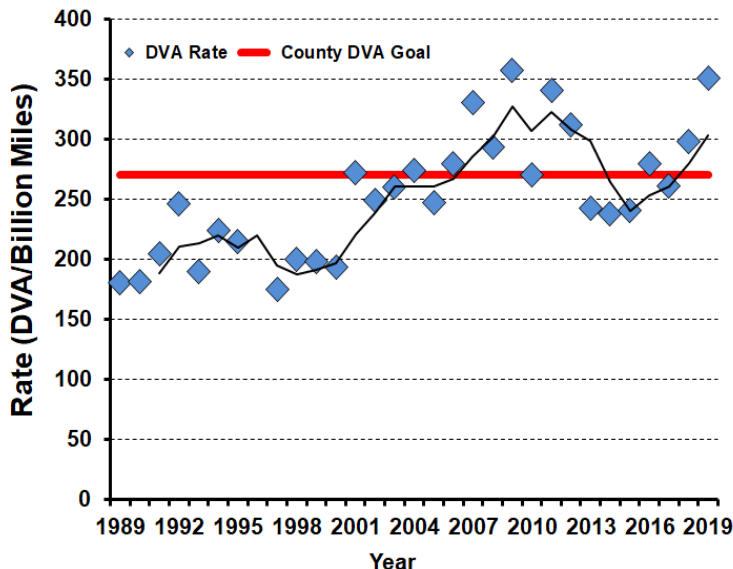
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

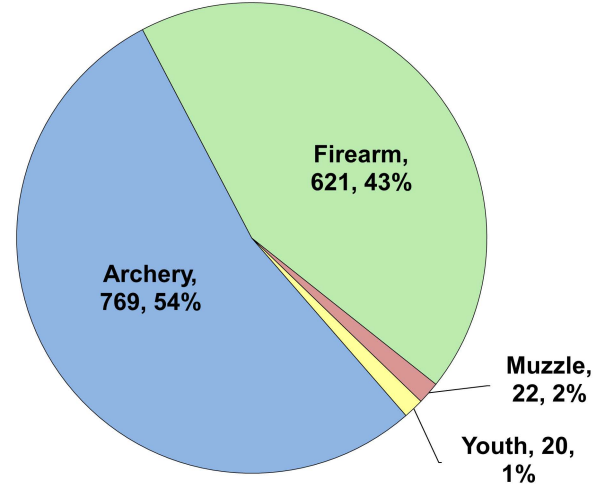
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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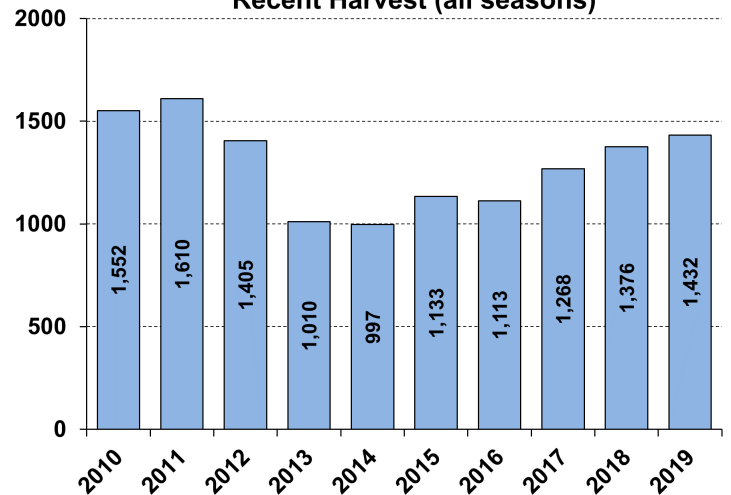
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2015



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Compound	1104	1059	1060	902	857
Crossbow	97	128	130	349	530
Longbow	7	13	9	11	7
Recurve	5	6	3	6	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>1213</b>	<b>1206</b>	<b>1202</b>	<b>1268</b>	<b>1398</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
M - Adult	24.8	25.3	27.4	29.8	28.6
M - Yearling	16.9	15.0	17.2	16.2	16.0
M - Fawn	10.8	13.7	10.4	10.1	9.5
F - Adult	36.5	34.7	36.5	35.8	36.5
F - Fawn	10.9	11.4	8.4	8.2	9.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: COOK COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 957 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1964

**Record Harvest:** 234 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 140

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 145

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):  
- No firearm hunting in Cook Co.

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
76% M:24% F;(75% antlered: 25% antlerless)

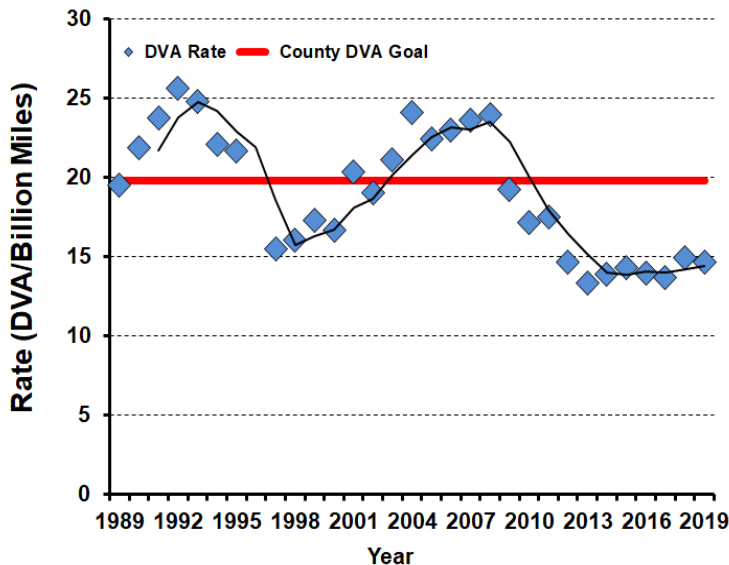
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** N/A

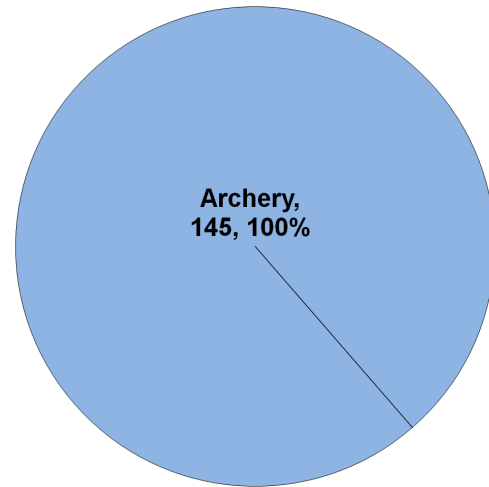
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

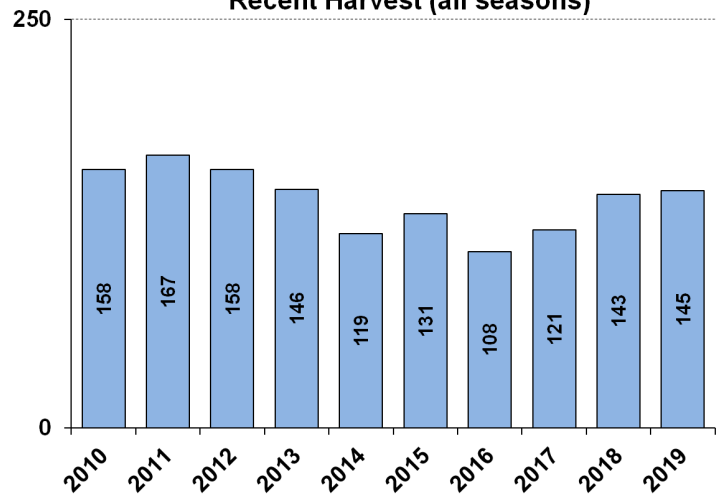
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	120	94	79	87	81
Crossbow	9	11	39	52	59
Traditional	2	3	3	4	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>145</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	35.9	38.9	41.3	39.2	48.0
M - Yearling	17.6	19.4	19.0	27.3	27.0
M - Fawn	7.6	9.3	9.1	5.6	1.4
F - Adult	35.1	30.6	28.1	25.9	21.6
F - Fawn	3.8	1.9	2.5	2.1	2.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CRAWFORD COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 768 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1970

**Record Harvest:** 2,554 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,046

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,999

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2455/2600 **Muzzle:** 239/325

**Late Winter:** 35

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

49% M: 51% F;(39% antlered: 61% antlerless)

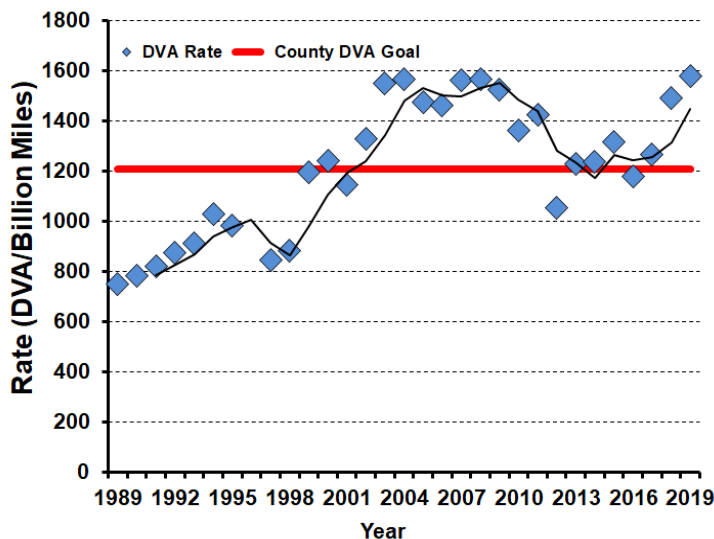
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

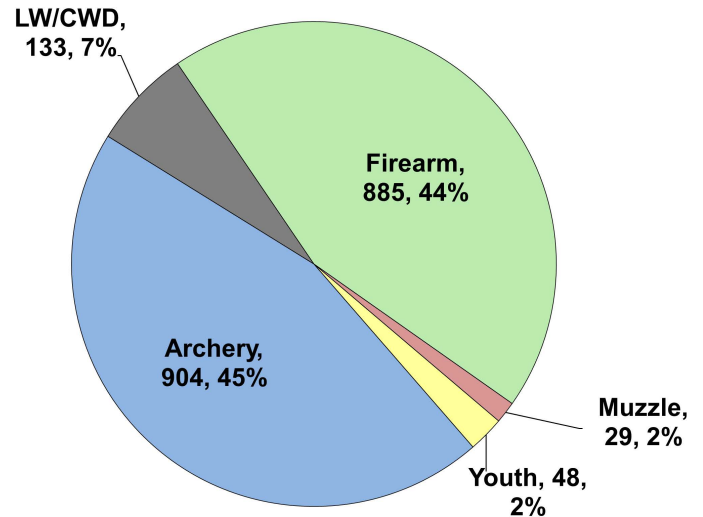
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

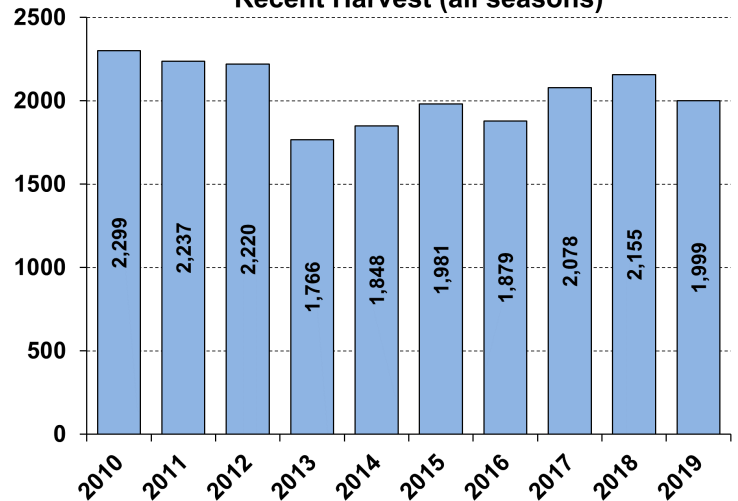
**Time in Late Winter:** 2003 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	699	702	623	561	512
Crossbow	81	64	258	324	380
Traditional	16	11	8	9	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>777</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>894</b>	<b>904</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.6	27.6	27.3	30.9	24.4
M - Yearling	15.8	14.7	16.4	15.1	14.2
M - Fawn	9.7	10.2	9.9	10.8	10.3
F - Adult	41.9	38.6	40.7	38.4	40.9
F - Fawn	8.0	7.4	7.0	7.2	10.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: CUMBERLAND COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 347 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 1,557 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,273

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,430

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1795/1800     **Muzzle:** 199/210

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M:47% F;(43% antlered: 57% antlerless)

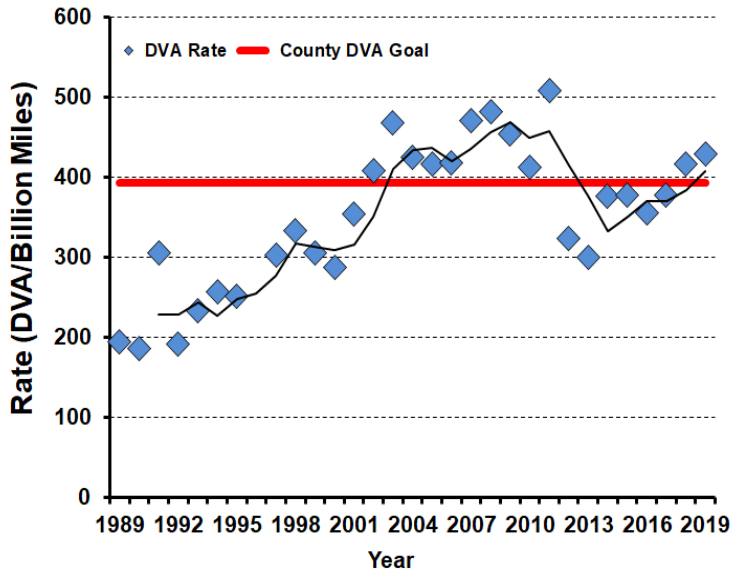
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

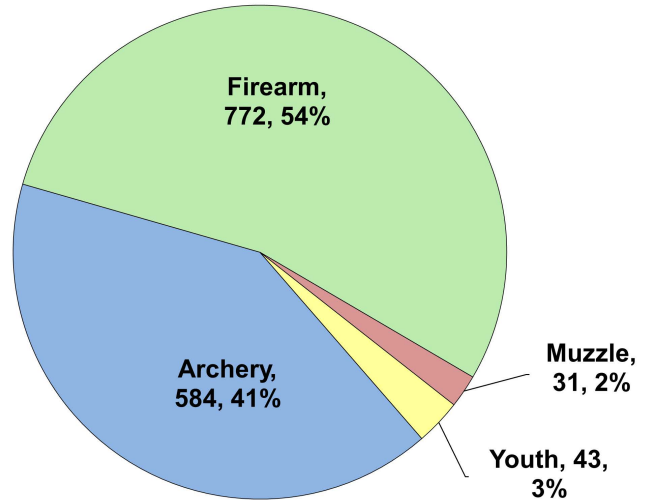
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

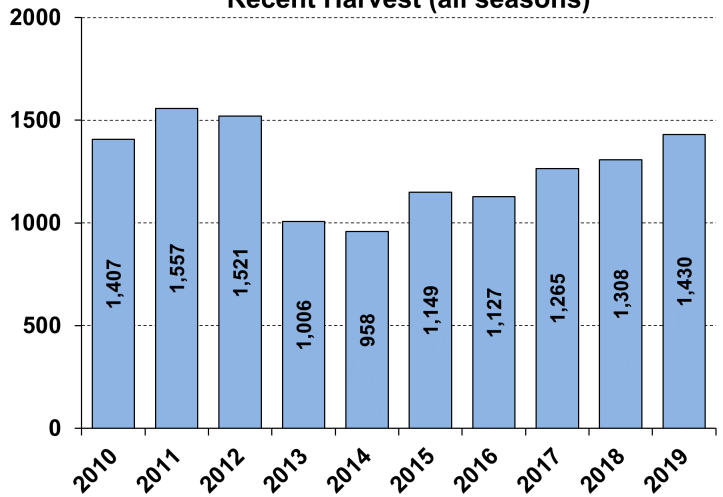
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	348	327	301	325	364
Crossbow	39	31	137	147	214
Traditional	4	5	9	10	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>363</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>584</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.2	25.2	27.1	28.5	27.1
M - Yearling	17.3	16.8	18.9	16.8	16.0
M - Fawn	10.1	11.8	11.5	9.6	10.2
F - Adult	37.2	35.1	34.7	36.5	38.8
F - Fawn	10.1	11.1	7.9	8.6	7.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: DEKALB COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 634 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 659 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 369

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 321

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 572/1500 **Muzzle:** 78/275 **CWD:** 25

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

64% M: 36% F;(56% antlered: 44% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Shabbona Lake State Park

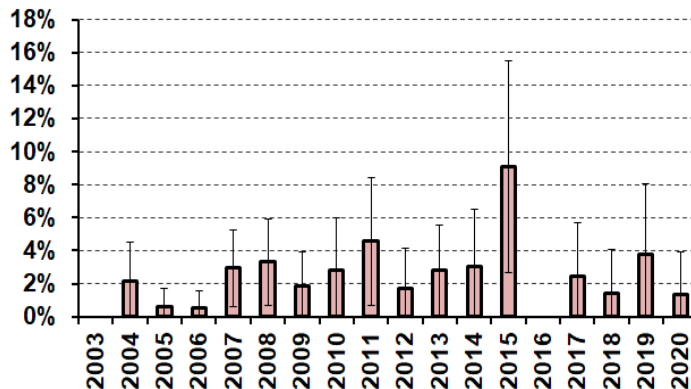
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

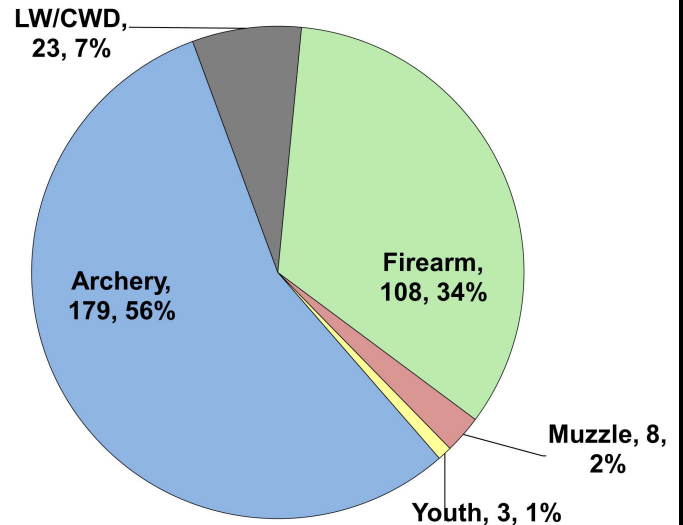
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 107

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 1

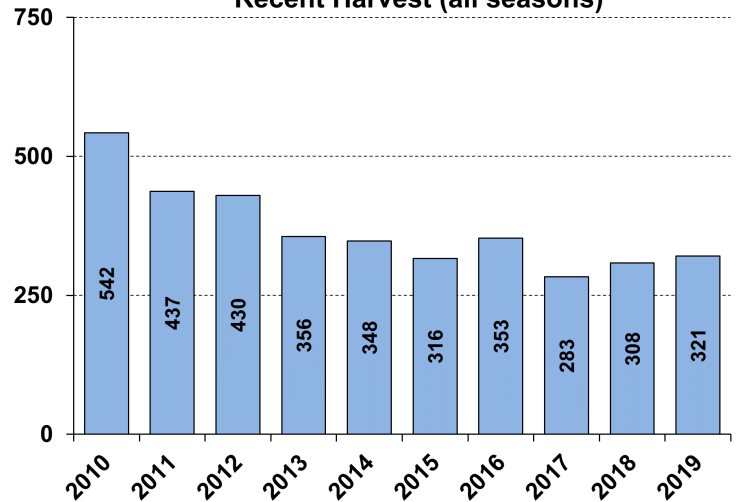
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 29 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	132	153	110	89	88
Crossbow	16	22	37	67	90
Traditional	1	2	0	4	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>179</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	19.2	30.5	21.6	22.5	32.4
M - Yearling	22.5	25.6	28.4	24.6	23.4
M - Fawn	13.1	9.6	9.5	11.1	8.7
F - Adult	37.1	34.4	33.7	35.3	32.4
F - Fawn	8.0	4.4	4.2	5.8	3.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: DEWITT COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 405 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1970

**Record Harvest:** 1,108 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 944

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 926

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 950/950      **Muzzle:** 214/240

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

51% M:49% F;(43% antlered: 57% antlerless)

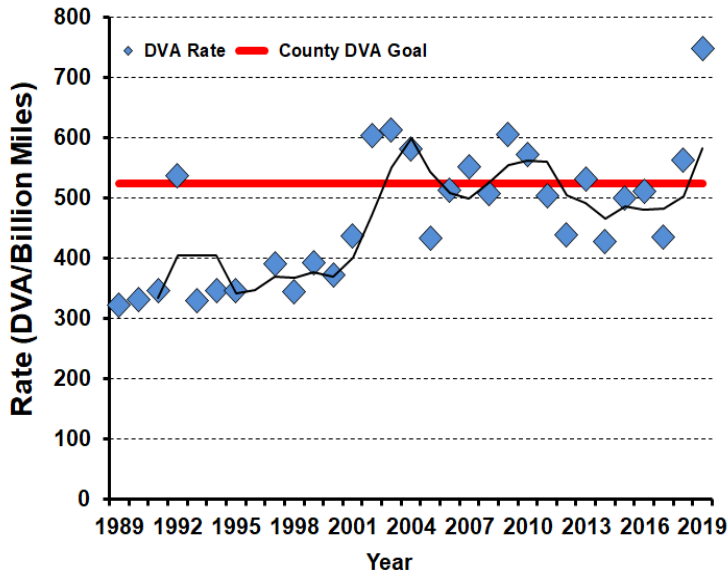
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

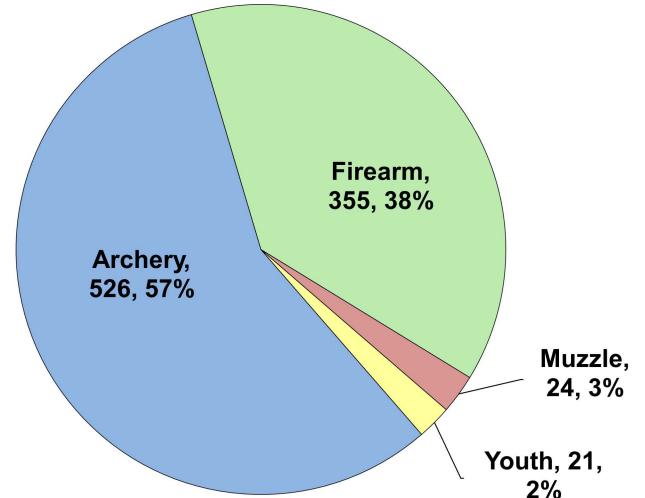
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

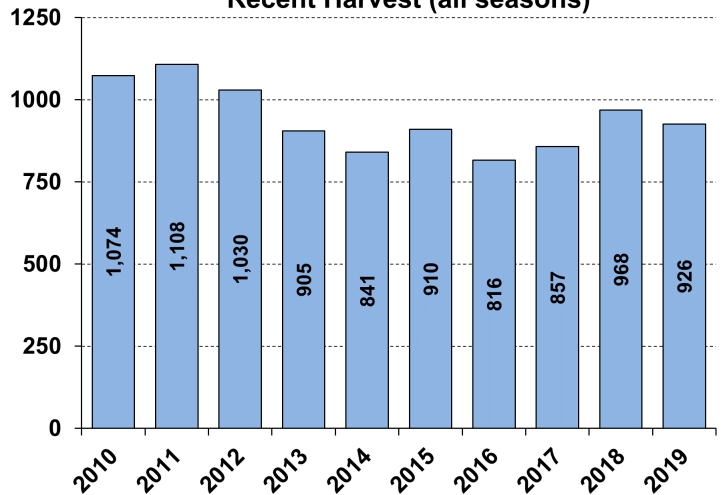
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	406	359	320	314	263
Crossbow	75	67	158	229	255
Traditional	6	2	5	4	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>487</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>526</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.1	22.1	23.2	22.0	25.5
M - Yearling	16.0	16.7	15.6	17.8	17.7
M - Fawn	10.7	8.7	9.1	8.6	7.8
F - Adult	39.9	44.5	44.3	42.6	42.4
F - Fawn	10.3	8.1	7.7	9.1	6.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: DOUGLAS COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 417 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 501 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 339

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 335

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 350/350      **Muzzle:** 60/60

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

64% M:46% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

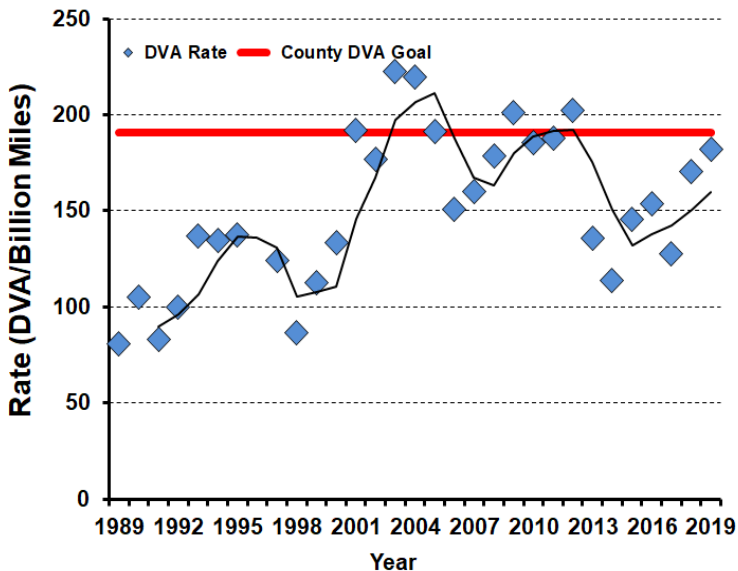
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

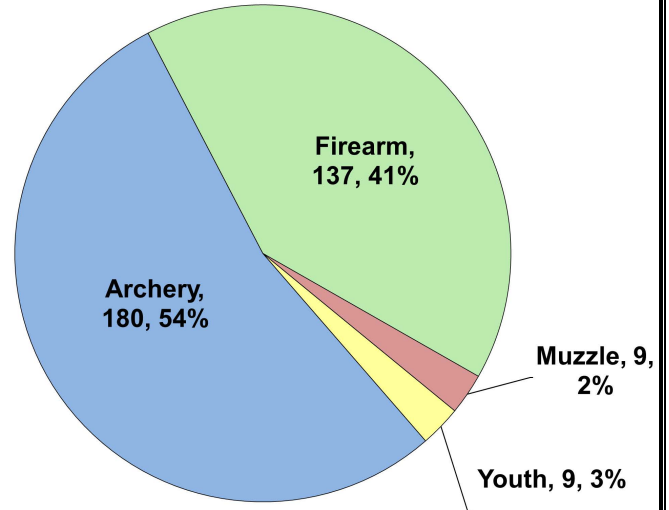
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

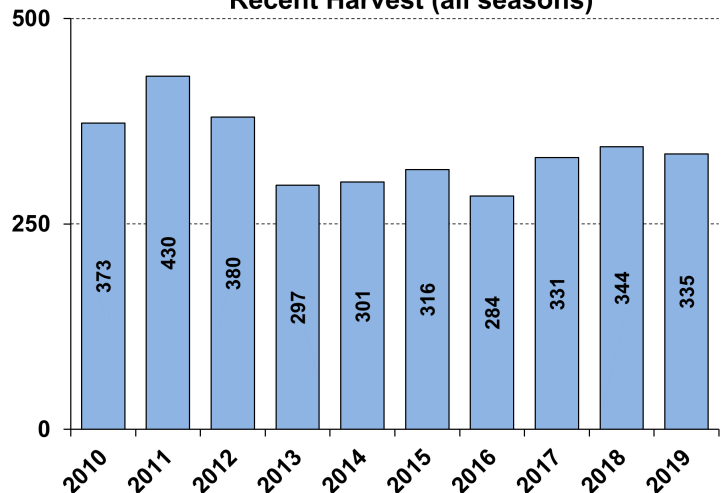
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	134	107	121	115	80
Crossbow	20	24	63	70	95
Traditional	4	2	1	2	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>180</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.8	27.8	31.4	26.7	29.3
M - Yearling	19.9	25.0	20.2	23.0	22.7
M - Fawn	11.4	8.5	8.5	9.3	11.9
F - Adult	37.3	31.3	35.0	34.9	29.9
F - Fawn	8.5	7.4	4.8	6.1	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: DUPAGE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 336 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1964

**Record Harvest:** 152 (1995)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 42

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 42

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

- No firearm seasons in DuPage Co.

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

64% M:36% F;(62% antlered: 38% antlerless)

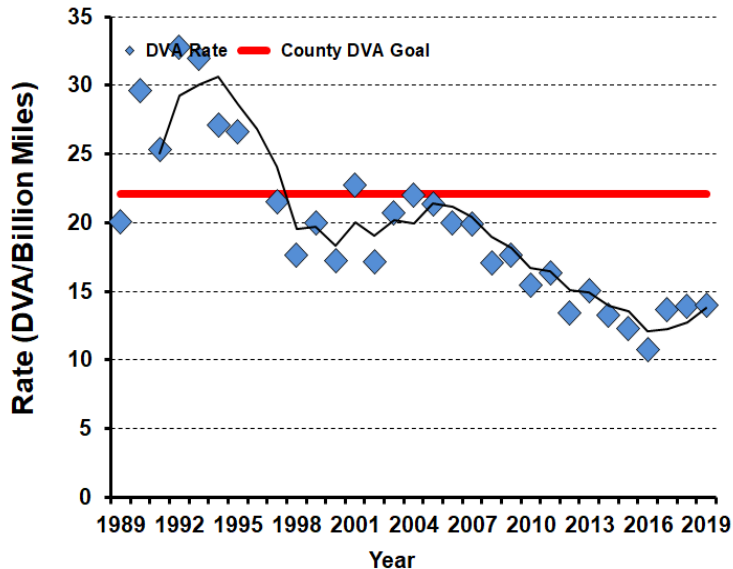
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

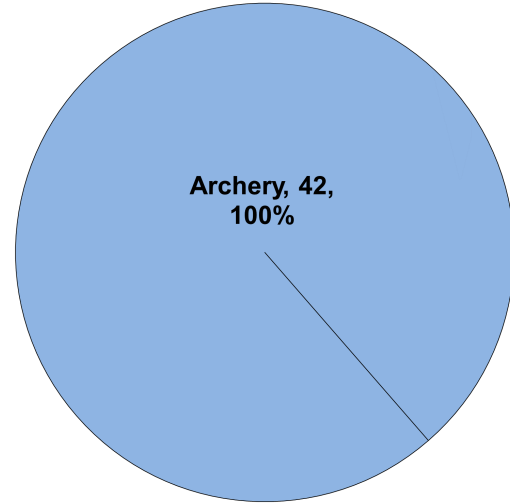
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

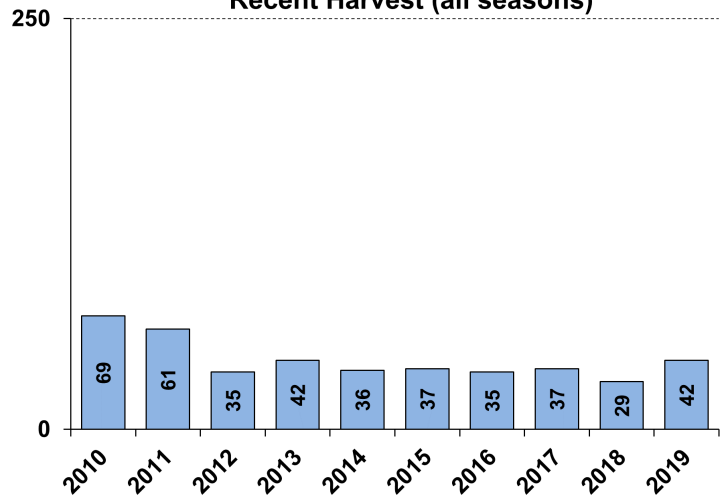
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	31	23	20	19	20
Crossbow	6	12	17	10	22
Traditional	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>42</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	32.4	31.4	37.8	37.9	40.5
M - Yearling	18.9	8.6	27.0	34.5	21.4
M - Fawn	8.1	11.4	2.7	3.4	2.4
F - Adult	37.8	45.7	29.7	24.1	31.0
F - Fawn	2.7	2.9	2.7	0.0	4.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: EDGAR COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 623 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 1,474 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,205

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,068

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1297/1300      **Muzzle:** 260/265

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M:43% F;(50% antlered: 50% antlerless)

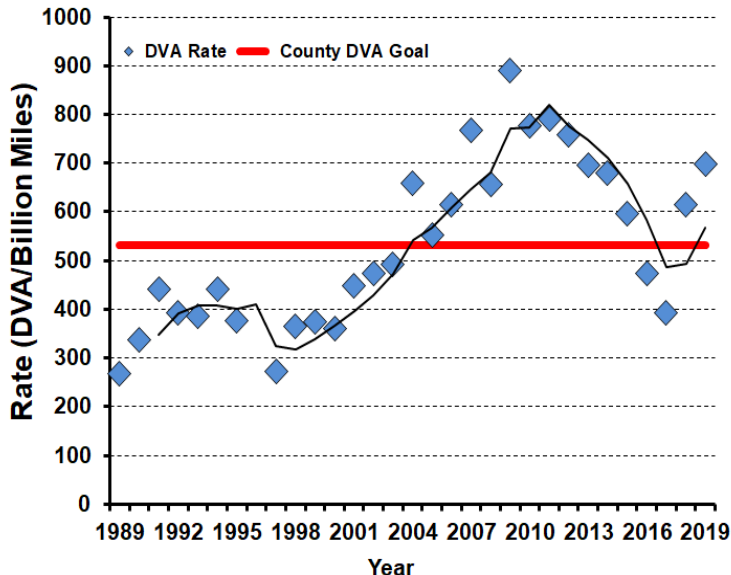
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

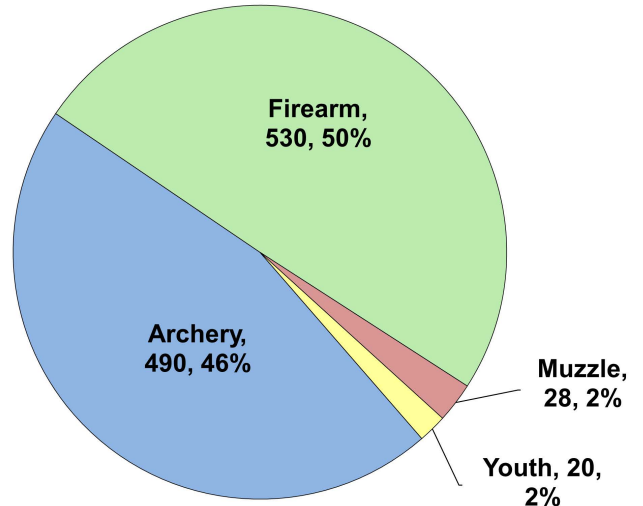
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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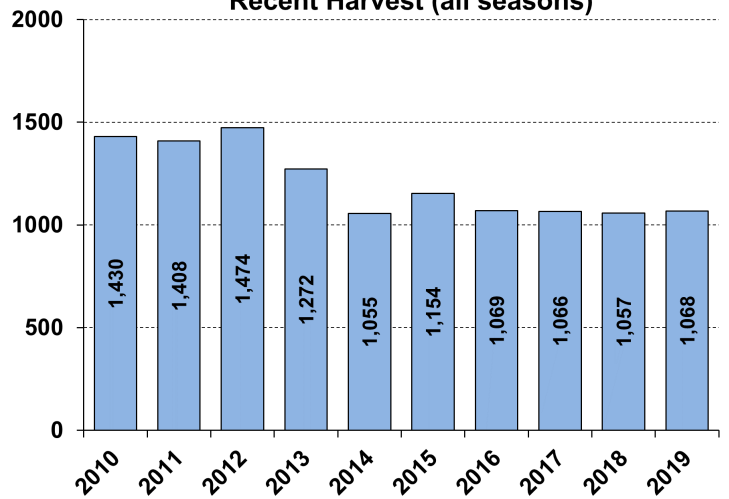
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2018



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	356	319	315	304	314
Crossbow	47	47	91	145	167
Traditional	3	4	5	3	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>490</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.2	31.2	33.6	34.3	37.6
M - Yearling	14.1	15.1	14.8	16.7	12.7
M - Fawn	10.2	9.0	8.7	8.6	6.9
F - Adult	37.6	37.8	34.8	34.9	36.0
F - Fawn	9.9	6.9	8.1	5.4	6.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: EDWARDS COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 422 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 914 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 731

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 714

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 800/800      **Muzzle:** 111/120

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
56% M:44% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

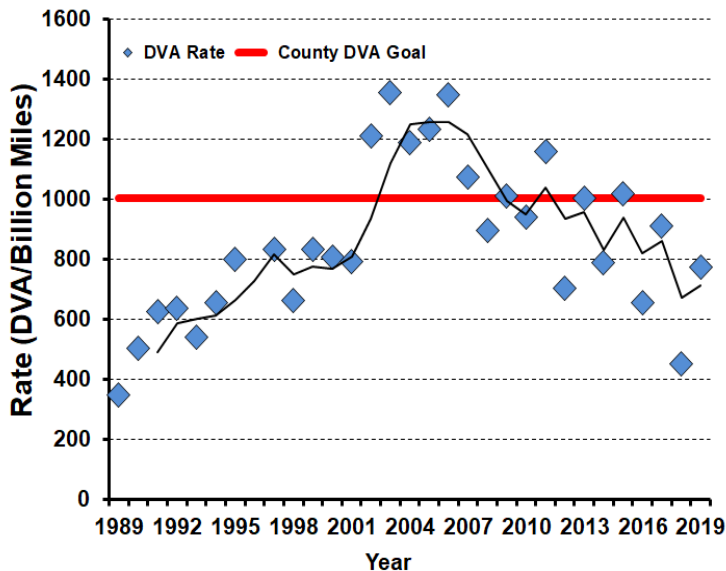
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

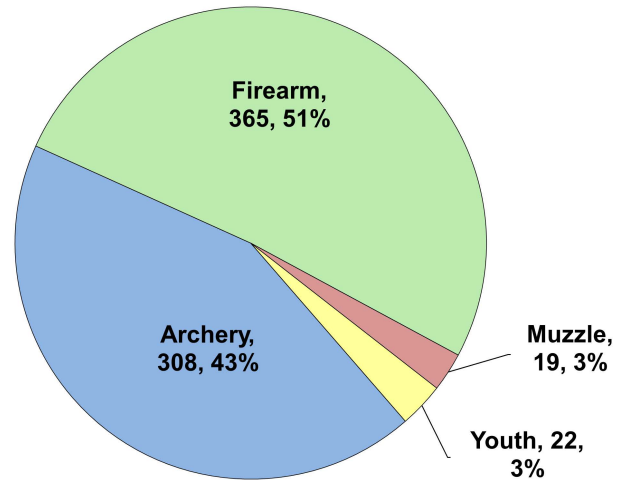
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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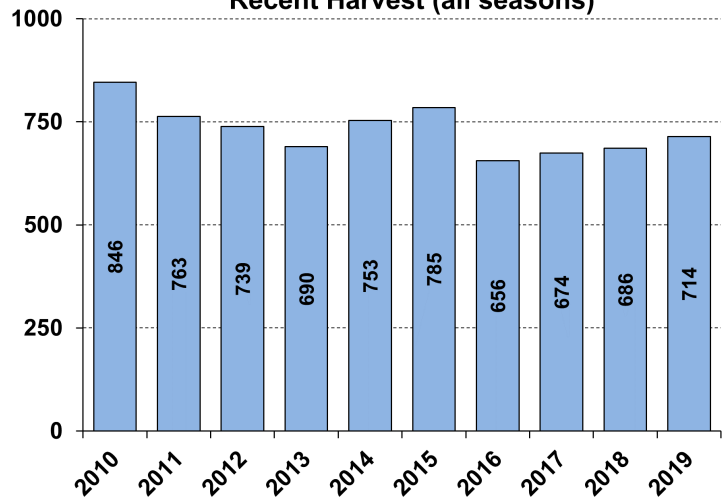
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2016



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	199	185	158	137	158
Crossbow	35	24	62	100	146
Traditional	0	0	3	2	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>308</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.4	28.7	30.6	28.5	32.4
M - Yearling	17.1	14.9	14.9	16.3	16.4
M - Fawn	10.6	7.3	8.5	9.6	7.0
F - Adult	36.4	35.8	35.6	34.3	38.2
F - Fawn	9.6	7.6	5.4	7.1	6.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: EFFINGHAM COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 480 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 1,790 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,428

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,685

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2342/2350 **Muzzle:** 283/340

**Late Winter:** 39

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M: 47% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

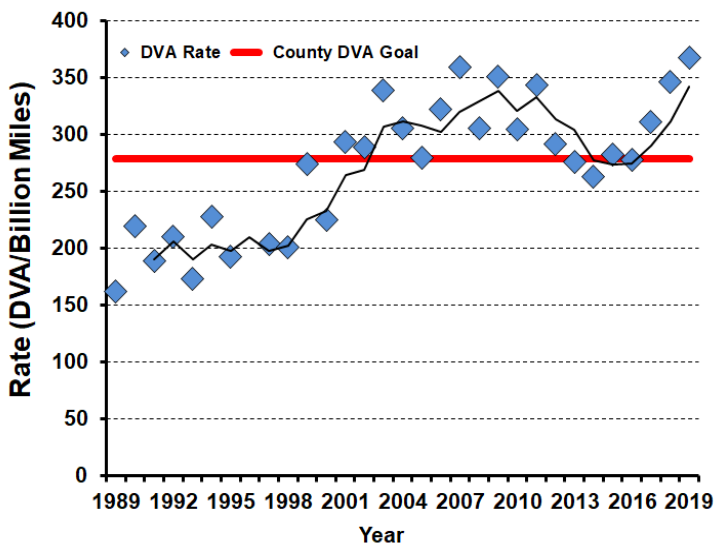
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

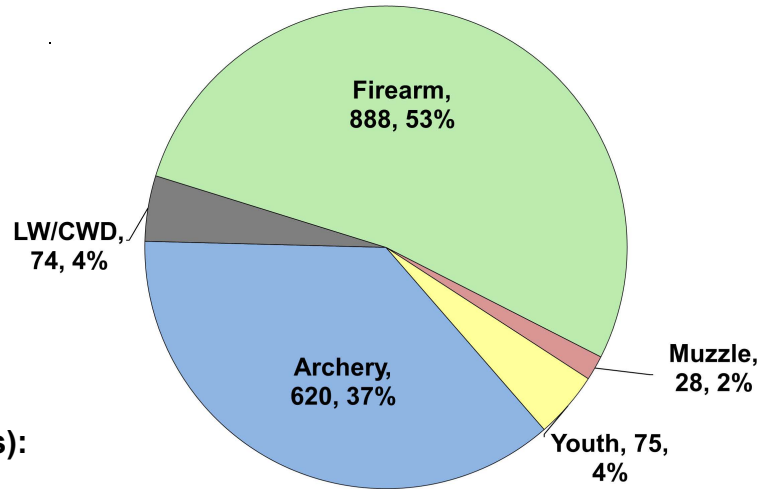
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

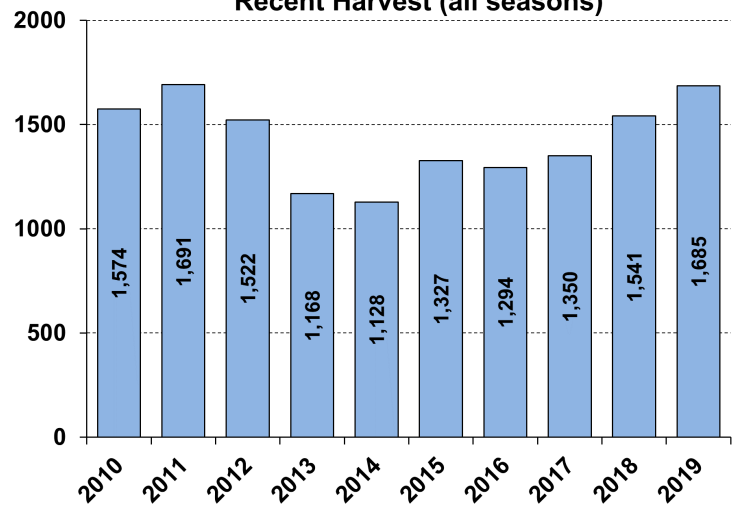
**Time in Late Winter:** 2020 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	357	363	326	318	398
Crossbow	49	57	97	171	220
Traditional	5	2	1	0	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>411</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>424</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>620</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.9	23.9	29.1	31.9	25.4
M - Yearling	21.7	19.1	21.2	19.3	18.5
M - Fawn	11.7	13.2	10.1	10.6	9.1
F - Adult	35.9	34.8	32.4	33.5	38.8
F - Fawn	7.8	8.4	7.7	9.1	8.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: FAYETTE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 726 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 3,511 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,565

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,705

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3600/3600      **Muzzle:** 385/385

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M:43% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

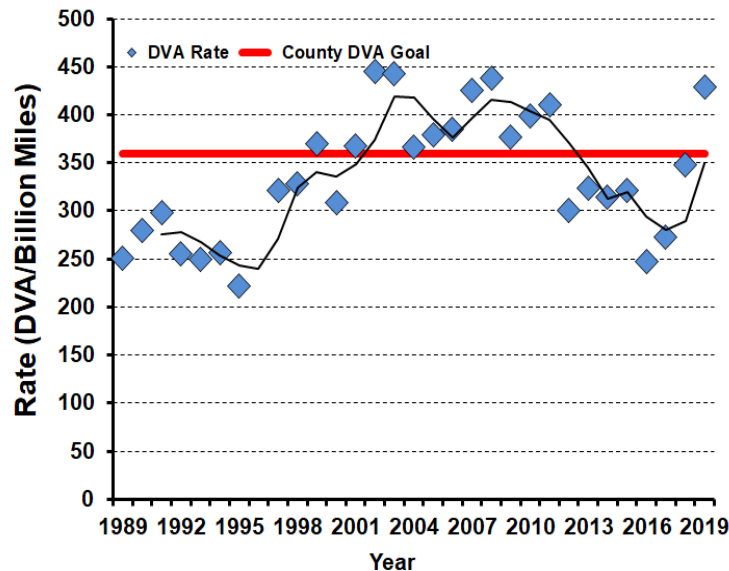
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

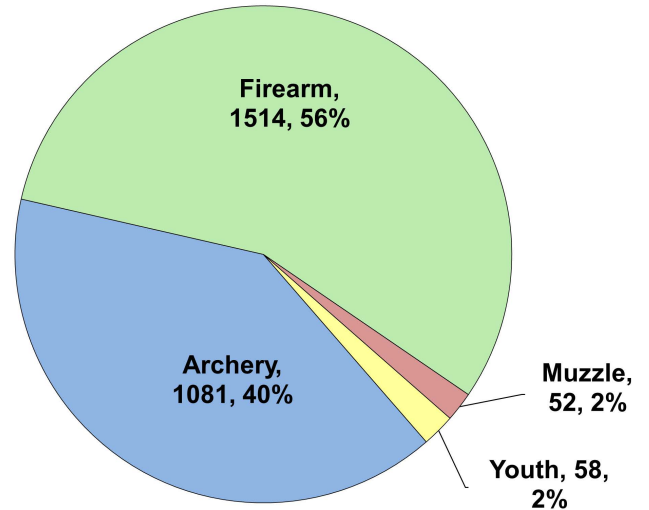
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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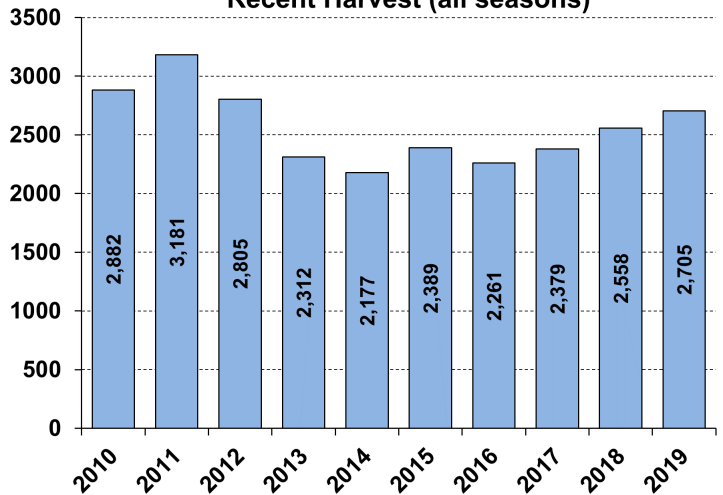
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	556	574	553	540	626
Crossbow	75	70	190	339	453
Traditional	10	10	8	8	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>751</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>1081</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.3	22.9	24.9	27.1	29.5
M - Yearling	21.7	19.5	21.5	20.5	19.1
M - Fawn	11.8	13.1	10.9	9.9	8.2
F - Adult	34.7	34.4	34.5	34.5	36.4
F - Fawn	9.5	10.1	8.0	7.9	6.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: FORD COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 486 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 260 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 188

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 175

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 325/325      **Muzzle:** 80/100

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
65% M:35% F;(55% antlered: 45% antlerless)

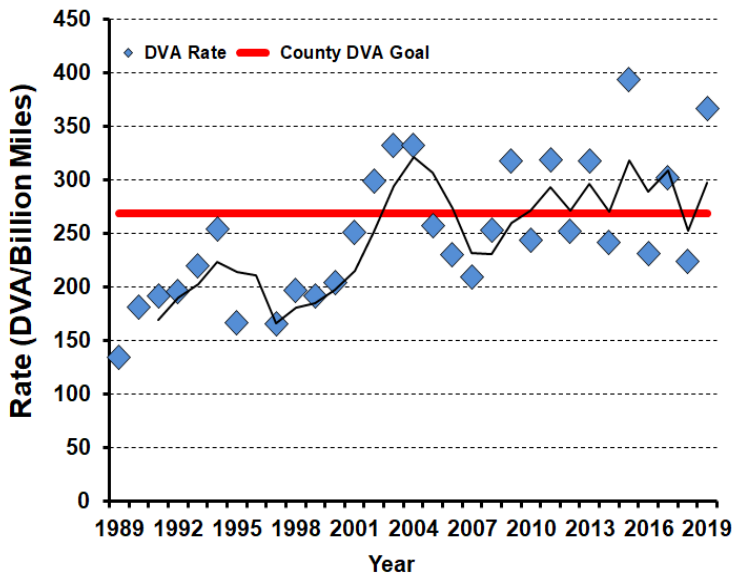
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

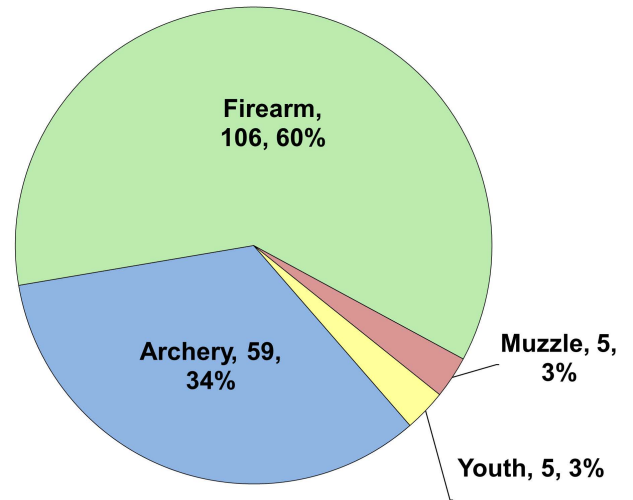
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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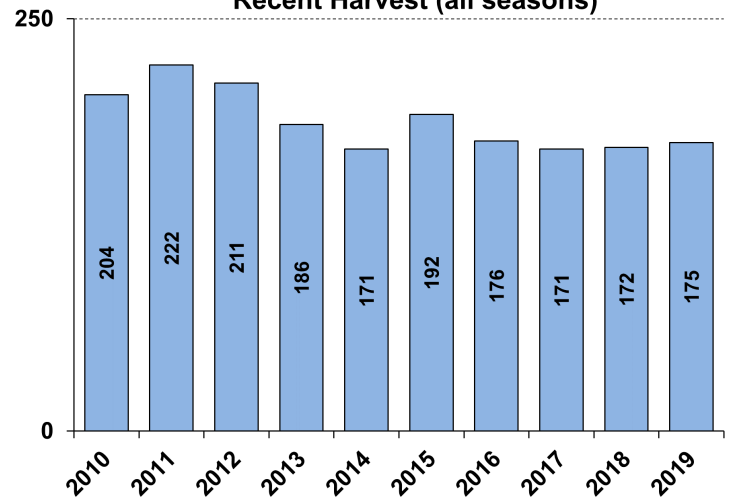
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	40	40	39	27	32
Crossbow	9	2	14	23	27
Traditional	6	4	4	2	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>59</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	32.3	27.6	26.0	31.3	32.6
M - Yearling	24.0	19.3	26.5	18.6	22.9
M - Fawn	7.3	10.2	8.2	4.7	9.7
F - Adult	29.7	34.1	32.4	35.5	29.1
F - Fawn	6.8	6.3	3.5	6.4	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: FRANKLIN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 432 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1962

**Record Harvest:** 2,723 (2019)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,359

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,723

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3110/3200     **Muzzle:** 347/400

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
50% M:50% F;(42% antlered: 58% antlerless)

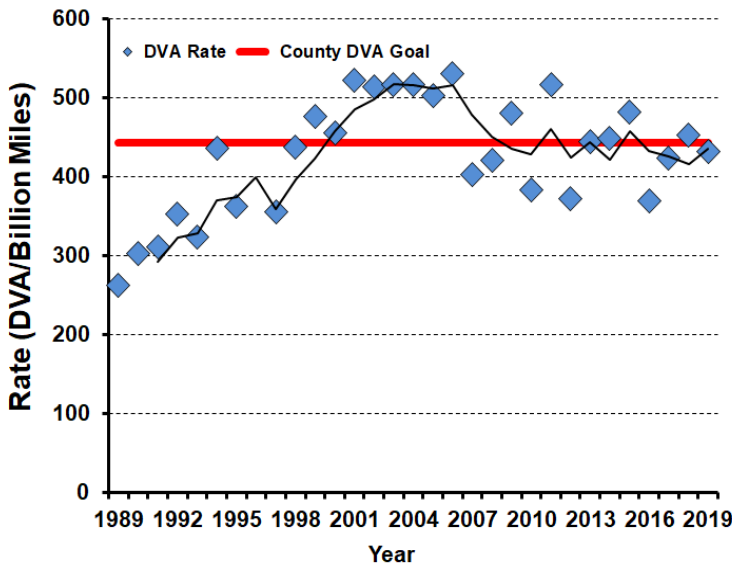
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

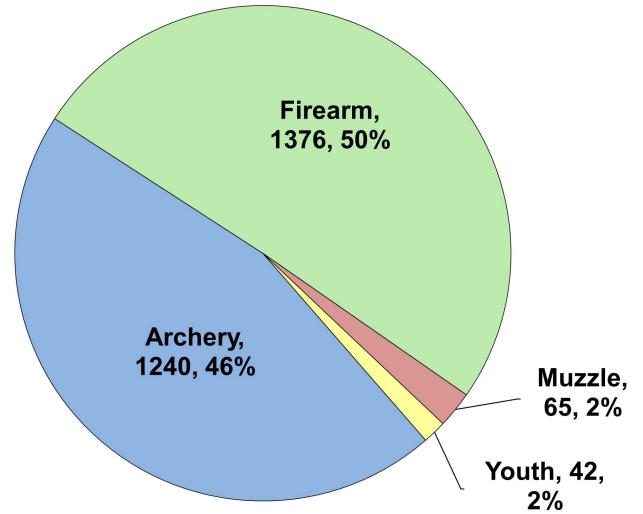
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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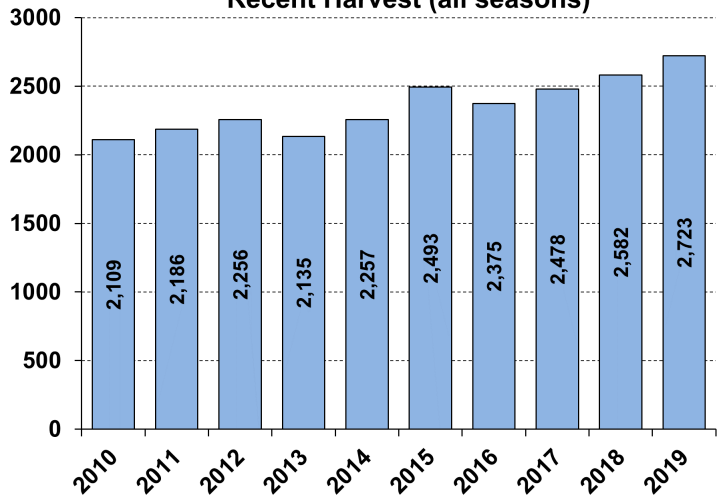
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2009



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	911	828	703	708	718
Crossbow	130	132	290	377	512
Traditional	21	27	29	40	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>1062</b>	<b>987</b>	<b>1022</b>	<b>1125</b>	<b>1240</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.5	25.5	23.1	24.0	25.4
M - Yearling	20.0	18.1	18.8	18.1	16.6
M - Fawn	8.4	9.1	9.1	8.3	7.5
F - Adult	40.9	38.9	41.5	42.4	42.7
F - Fawn	8.2	8.3	7.4	7.2	7.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: FULTON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 884 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 5,717 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 4,460

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 4,028

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 5689/6200 **Muzzle:** 787/965

**Late Winter:** 98

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M: 46% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

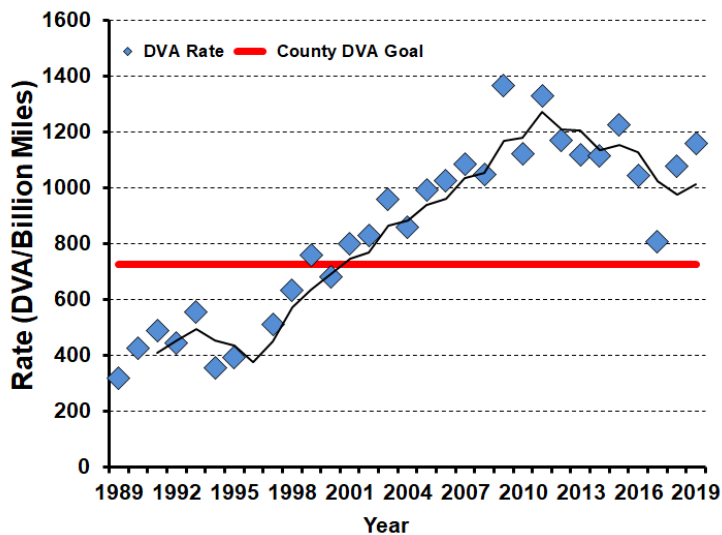
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

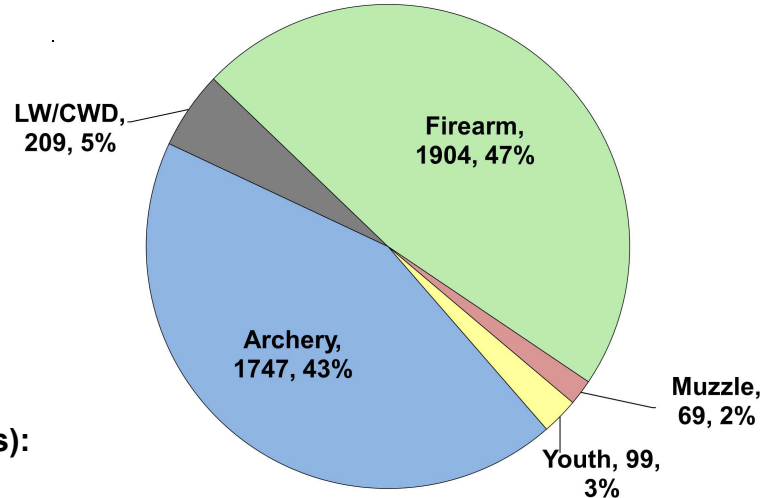
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

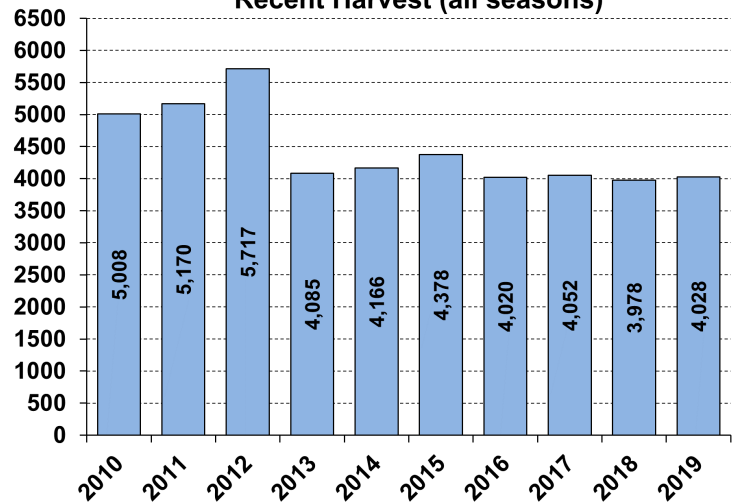
**Time in Late Winter:** 2003 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	1356	1271	1145	975	1014
Crossbow	244	191	442	557	702
Traditional	6	6	14	11	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>1606</b>	<b>1468</b>	<b>1601</b>	<b>1543</b>	<b>1747</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.1	27.6	28.4	23.0	29.1
M - Yearling	14.5	14.7	14.3	14.8	17.3
M - Fawn	10.6	9.6	10.1	10.6	7.8
F - Adult	39.8	36.9	38.6	39.6	39.7
F - Fawn	10.0	8.7	6.2	9.6	6.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: GALLATIN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 328 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,091 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 844

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 739

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1203/1450      **Muzzle:** 115/125

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

59% M:41% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

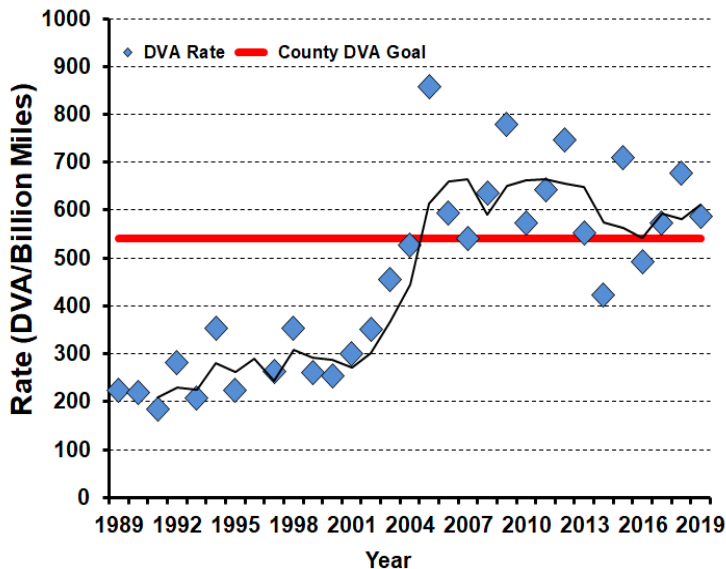
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

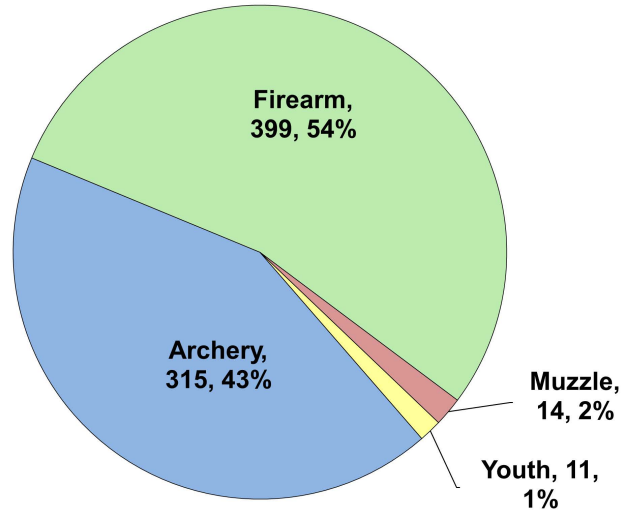
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

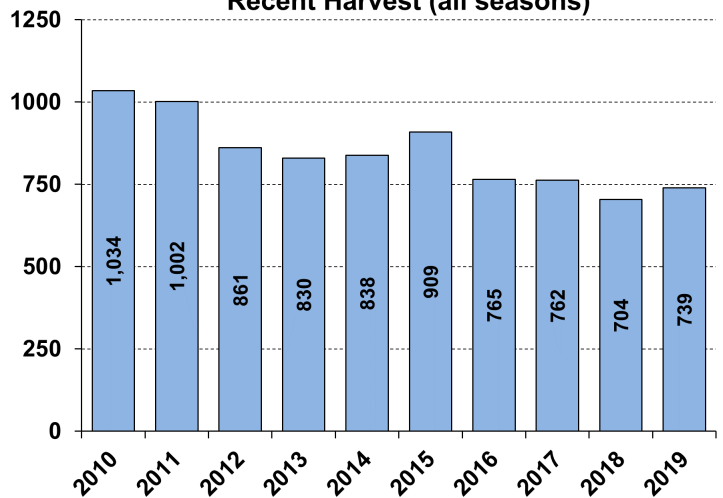
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	286	209	216	167	202
Crossbow	59	44	60	88	111
Traditional	5	8	4	6	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>315</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	30.4	32.0	33.5	31.8	34.8
M - Yearling	17.3	19.1	15.2	18.6	17.3
M - Fawn	9.0	7.7	7.6	8.4	7.0
F - Adult	36.9	36.7	35.6	33.5	34.4
F - Fawn	6.5	4.4	8.1	7.7	6.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: GREENE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 548 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 3,241 (2004)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,094

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,074

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 111/111      **Muzzle:** 111/111

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M:47% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

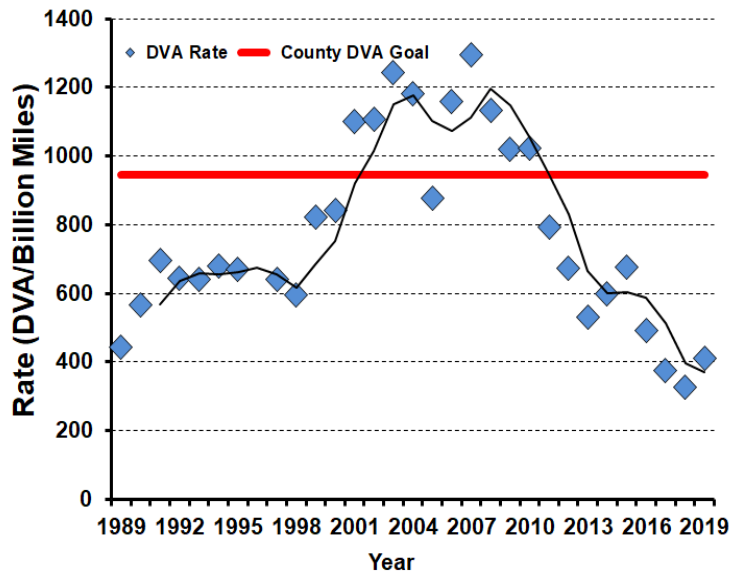
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

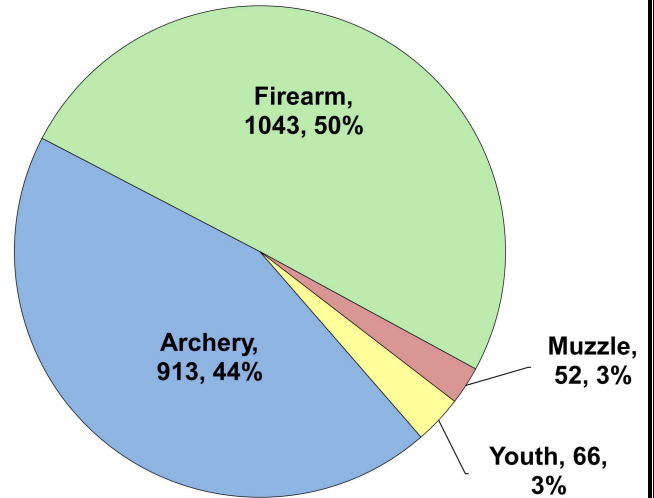
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

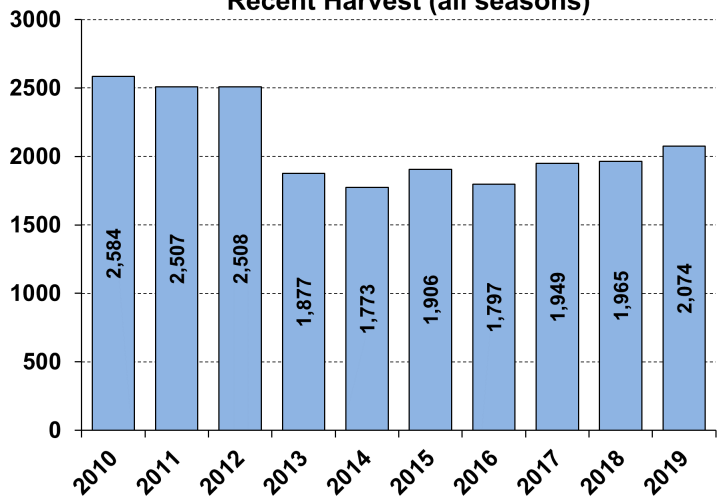
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2013



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	575	546	591	511	529
Crossbow	78	94	217	323	373
Traditional	5	4	4	5	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>644</b>	<b>812</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>913</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.5	28.7	26.3	28.8	29.8
M - Yearling	12.7	13.5	13.3	12.3	15.1
M - Fawn	10.7	10.5	11.5	8.8	8.3
F - Adult	38.4	37.6	40.3	40.8	39.1
F - Fawn	11.7	9.8	8.6	9.3	7.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: GRUNDY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 430 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 1,157 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 825

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 682

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 1119/1850 **Muzzle:** 151/475 **CWD:** 53

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):** 54% M: 43% F;(43% antlered: 54% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Gebhard Woods SP

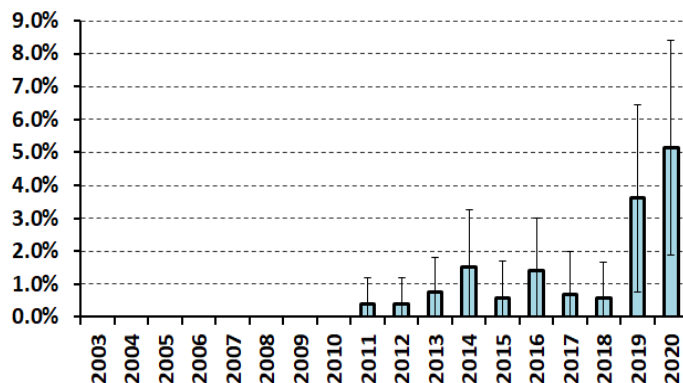
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

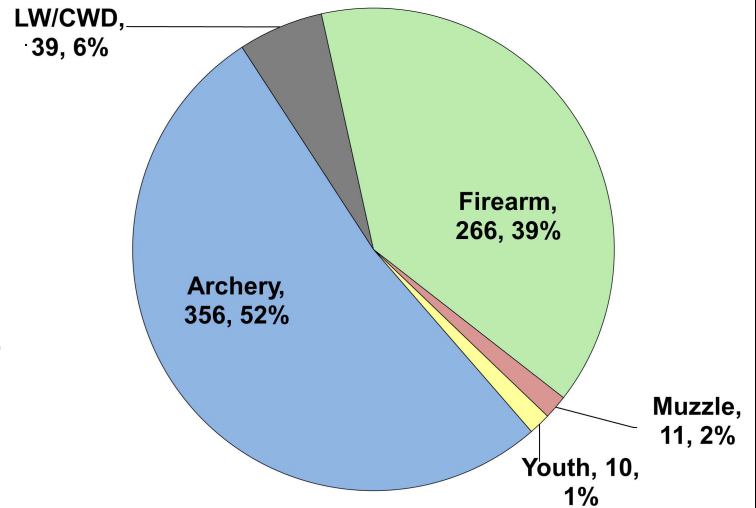
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 333

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 17

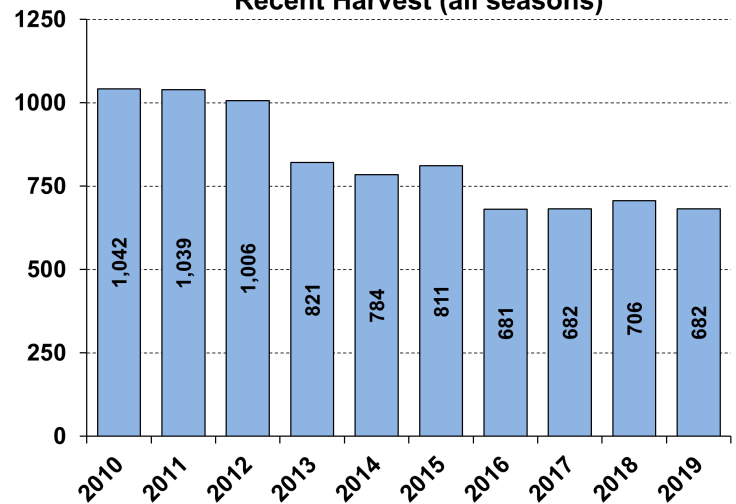
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 147 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	295	261	223	208	220
Crossbow	45	30	84	120	134
Traditional	8	8	12	11	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>356</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.7	21.5	18.7	20.7	28.0
M - Yearling	19.1	16.0	19.1	21.9	18.5
M - Fawn	11.5	10.4	12.8	10.6	7.9
F - Adult	39.6	38.1	42.2	38.1	39.9
F - Fawn	8.0	10.7	4.2	7.1	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: HAMILTON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 436 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1961

**Record Harvest:** 2,404 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,016

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,171

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2391/2400 **Muzzle:** 311/315

**Late Winter:** 96

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M: 46% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

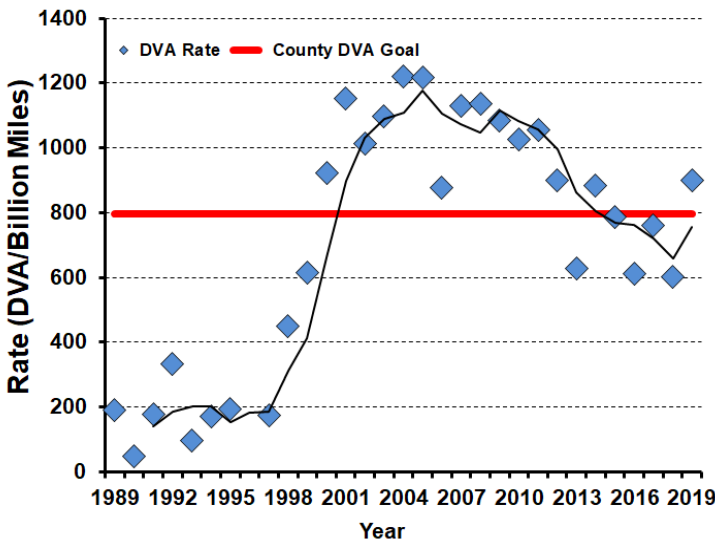
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

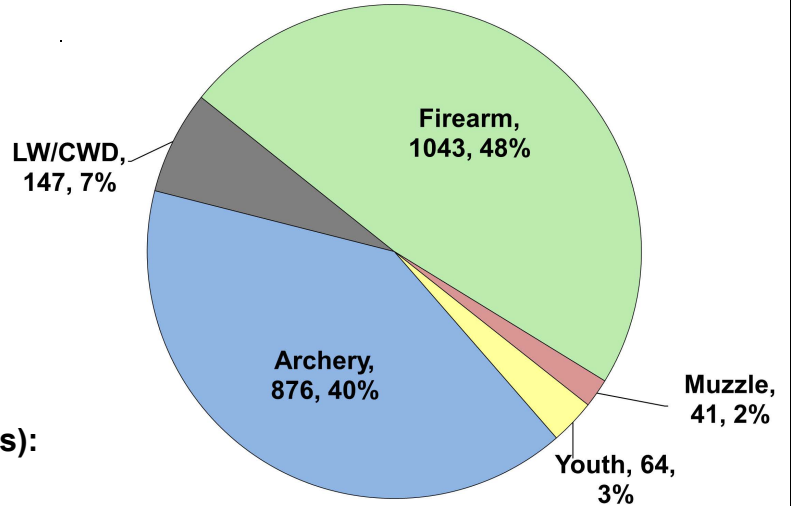
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

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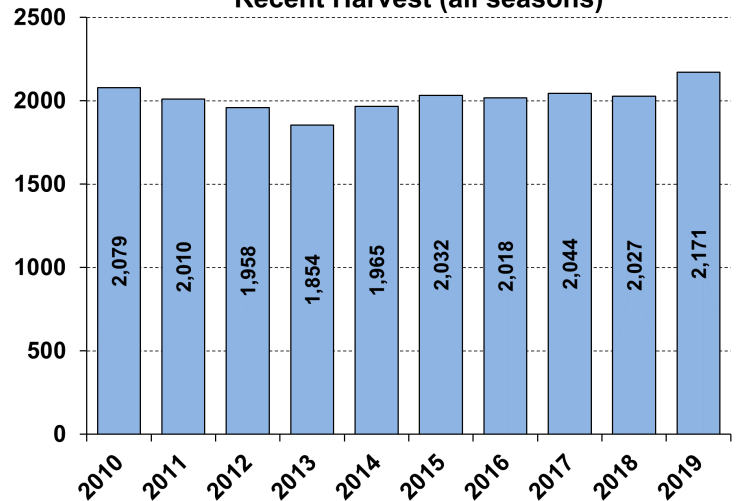
**Time in Late Winter:** 2005 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	512	530	446	373	459
Crossbow	69	88	204	301	396
Traditional	7	10	8	11	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>628</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>685</b>	<b>876</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.2	27.6	27.4	27.6	30.1
M - Yearling	16.5	15.6	17.2	17.8	17.2
M - Fawn	7.1	7.7	8.8	7.3	6.2
F - Adult	42.3	40.9	39.9	41.0	39.4
F - Fawn	8.9	8.1	6.9	6.3	7.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: HANCOCK COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 816 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,661 (2008)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,819

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,713

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3894/4200      **Muzzle:** 585/665

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M:47% F;(42% antlered: 58% antlerless)

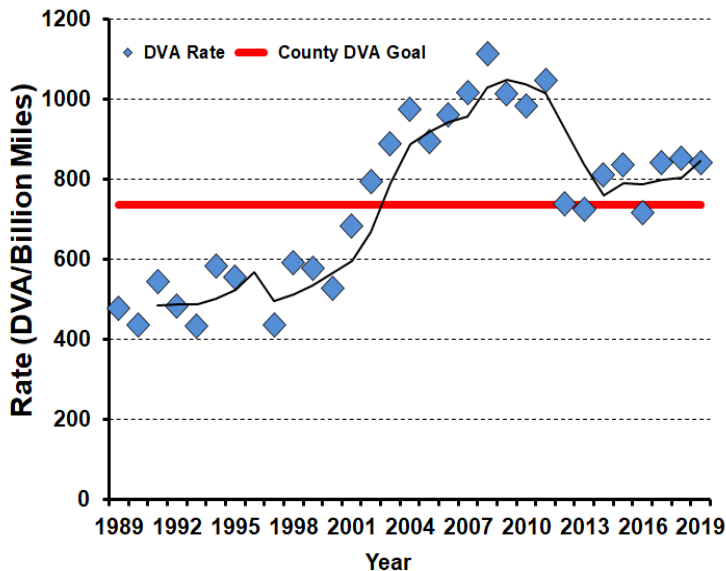
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

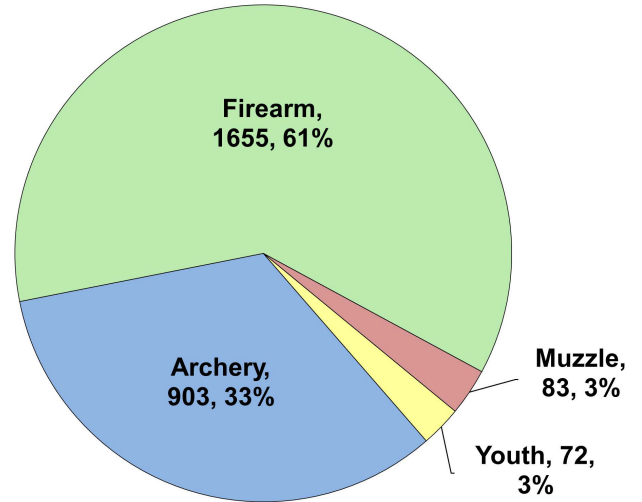
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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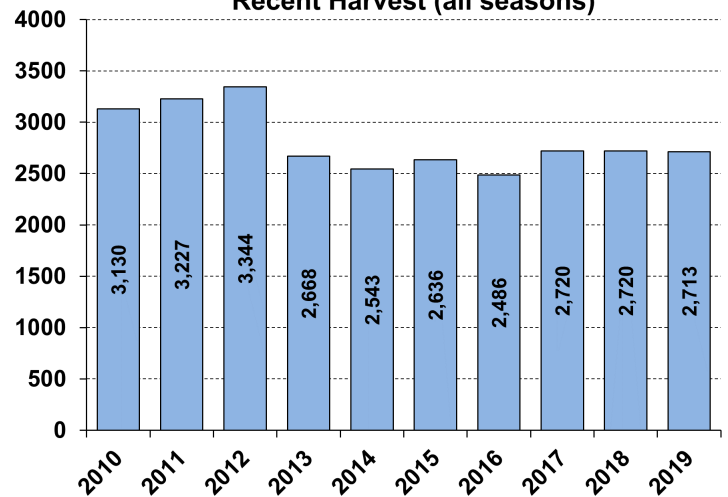
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	596	626	563	517	477
Crossbow	91	91	204	327	415
Traditional	9	3	4	8	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>696</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>852</b>	<b>903</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.3	29.5	29.9	28.1	28.3
M - Yearling	15.2	16.3	15.6	15.7	13.6
M - Fawn	13.4	11.0	11.2	10.6	11.5
F - Adult	36.7	34.8	34.0	35.1	37.9
F - Fawn	11.5	8.4	9.2	10.4	8.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: HARDIN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 181 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,667 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,461

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,416

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 2412/2475      **Muzzle:** 216/235

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

51% M:49% F;(43% antlered: 57% antlerless)

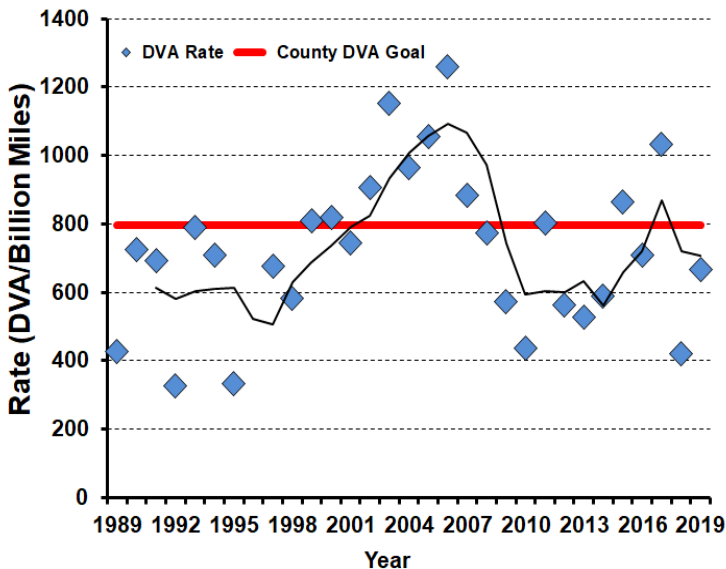
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

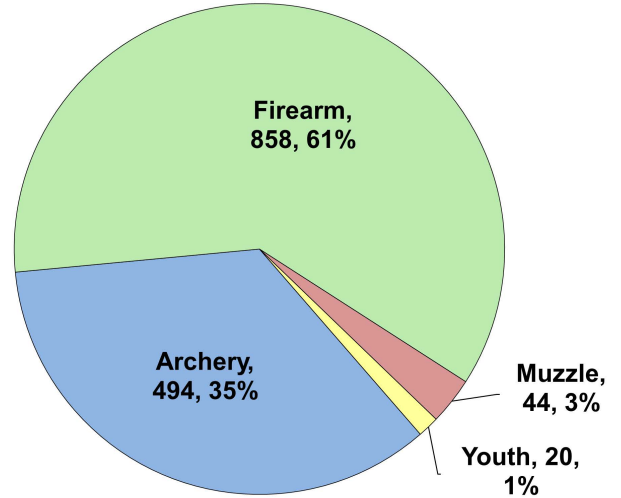
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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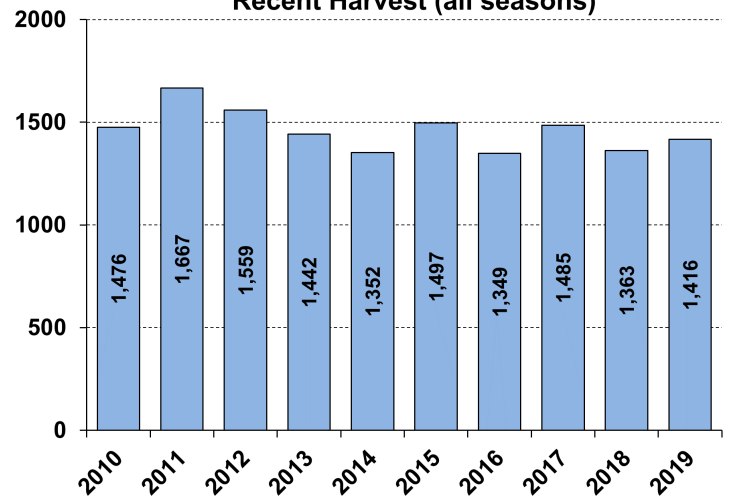
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	354	319	283	240	236
Crossbow	76	77	155	182	250
Traditional	2	4	4	4	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>494</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.7	24.9	24.6	23.0	24.9
M - Yearling	19.8	23.1	18.8	22.3	18.6
M - Fawn	9.7	8.8	8.0	6.6	7.8
F - Adult	36.4	36.9	39.9	41.1	40.9
F - Fawn	8.4	6.2	8.7	7.0	7.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: HENDERSON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 397 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,247 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 908

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 806

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 1309/1350 **Muzzle:** 180/210

**Late Winter:** 24

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M: 43% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

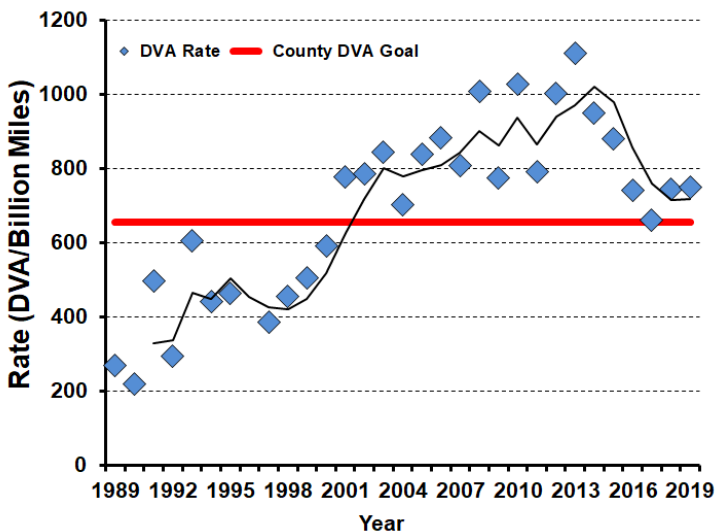
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

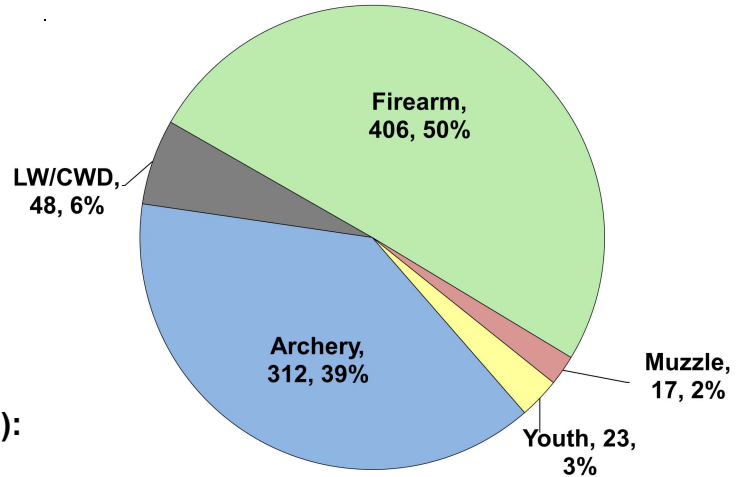
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

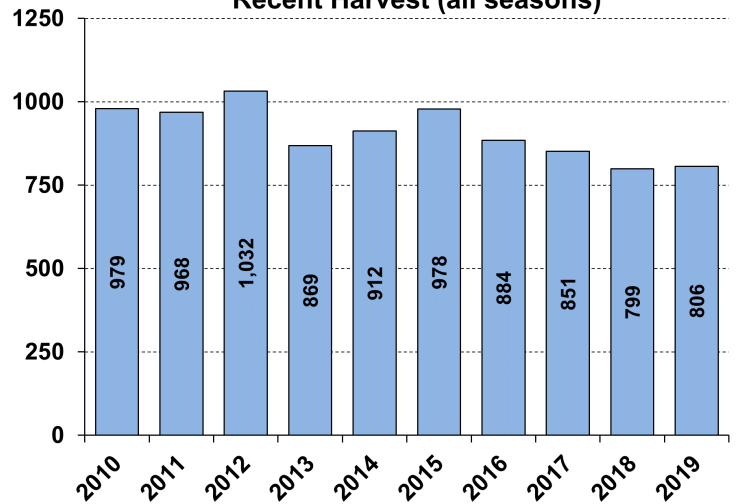
**Time in Late Winter:** 2007 - Present



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	235	214	177	147	160
Crossbow	45	36	76	101	148
Traditional	1	6	4	1	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>312</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.3	27.3	27.1	25.4	30.5
M - Yearling	14.3	18.1	15.6	13.6	17.4
M - Fawn	12.2	11.8	10.9	9.3	8.8
F - Adult	40.0	34.2	35.1	38.8	35.7
F - Fawn	10.2	5.8	7.2	7.3	7.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: HENRY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 826 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1962

**Record Harvest:** 1,634 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,188

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 992

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1325/1325    **Muzzle:** 260/260

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

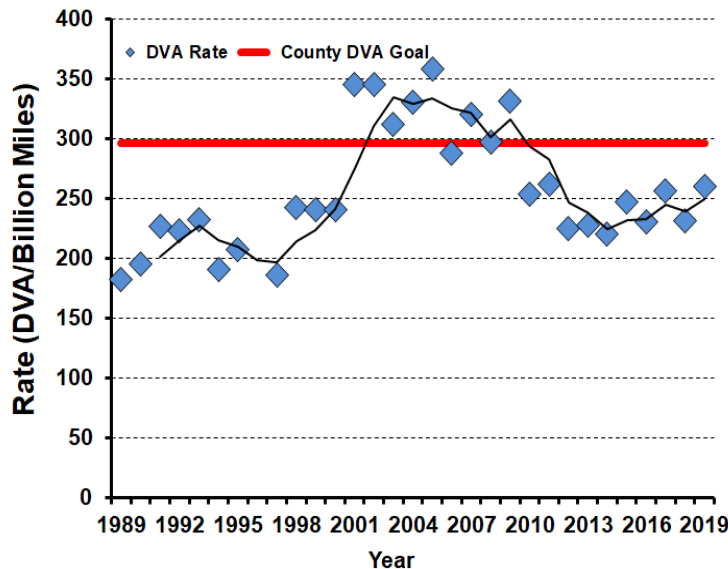
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

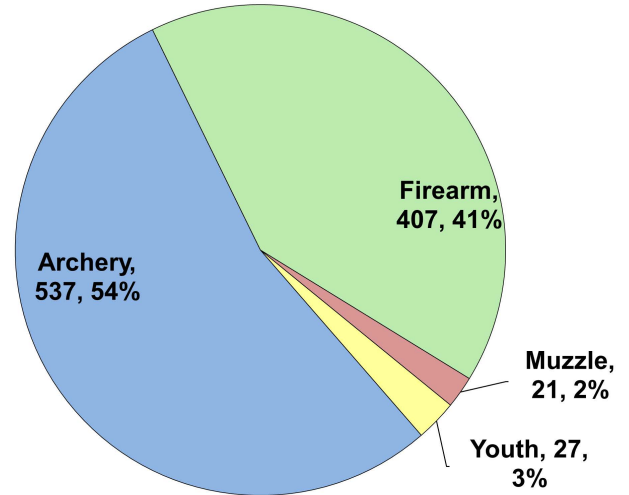
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

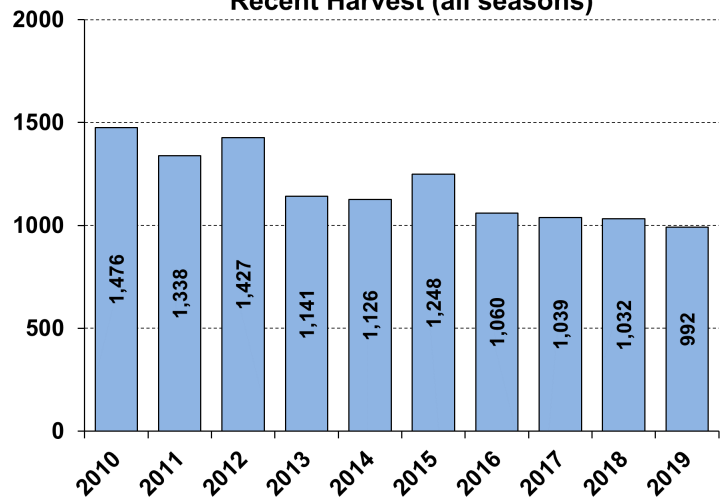
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	366	317	277	277	268
Crossbow	94	107	189	218	263
Traditional	4	2	3	4	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>537</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.3	24.4	24.0	23.2	26.5
M - Yearling	17.7	16.6	19.6	18.2	18.1
M - Fawn	11.5	12.5	10.0	9.5	9.6
F - Adult	39.3	35.3	35.9	37.6	39.8
F - Fawn	8.3	7.0	5.7	6.6	5.9

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: IROQUOIS COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 1,119 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 1,368 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,080

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 974

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1400/1400      **Muzzle:** 375/375

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

61% M:39% F;(54% antlered: 46% antlerless)

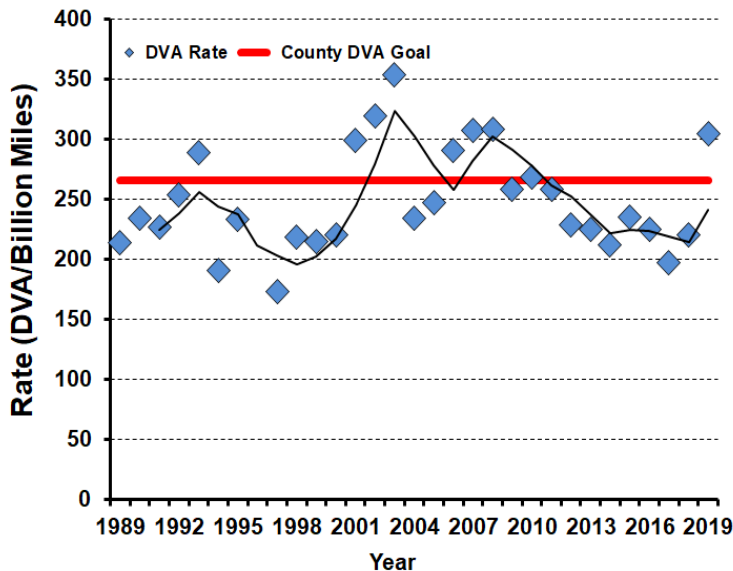
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

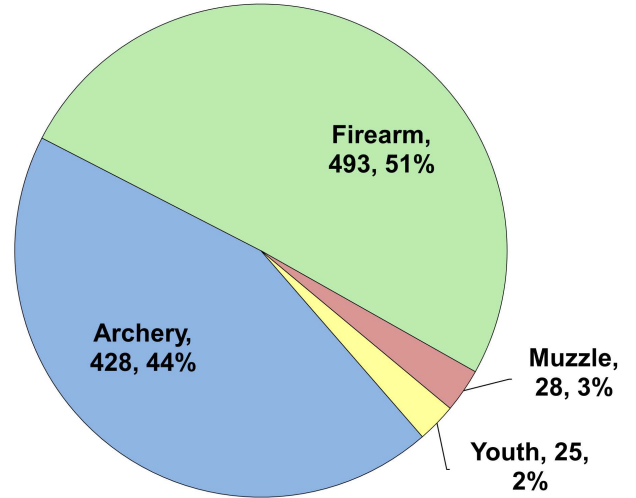
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

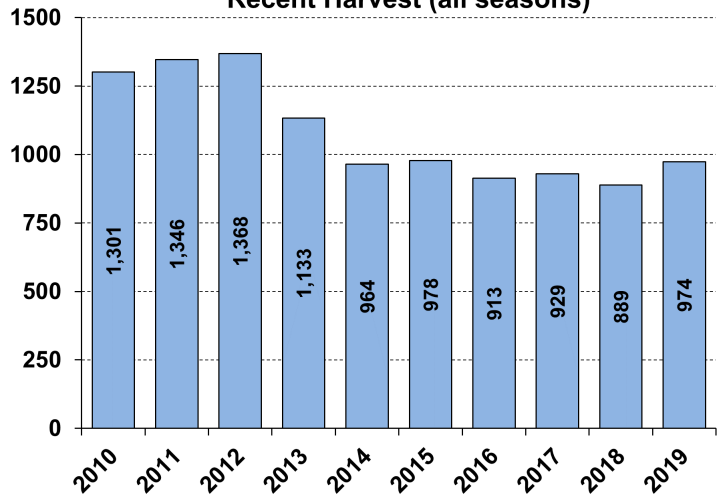
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	312	281	212	198	210
Crossbow	68	70	137	183	215
Traditional	12	3	12	7	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>428</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	29.6	30.3	25.1	30.7	31.8
M - Yearling	17.8	19.2	20.7	17.3	21.8
M - Fawn	7.7	8.8	9.4	9.2	7.3
F - Adult	38.7	36.4	38.3	37.5	35.1
F - Fawn	6.3	5.4	6.6	5.3	4.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: JACKSON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 606 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,710 (2018)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 3,386

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 3,545

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 5594/5800      **Muzzle:** 552/575

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M:47% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

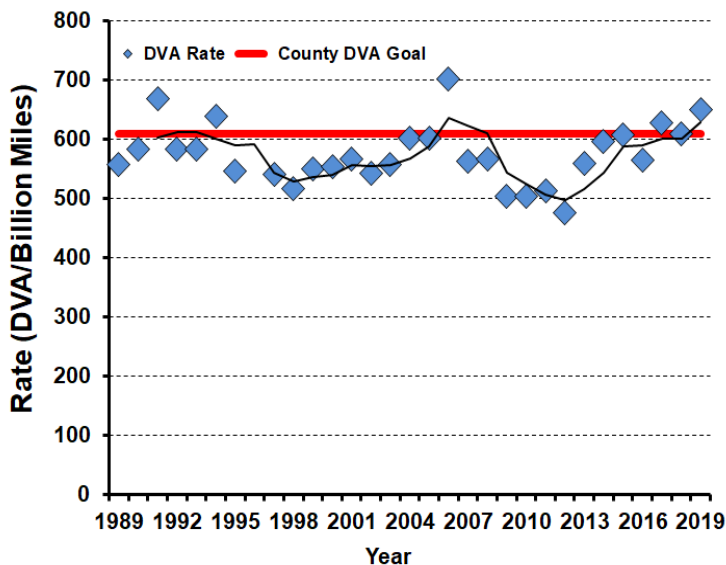
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

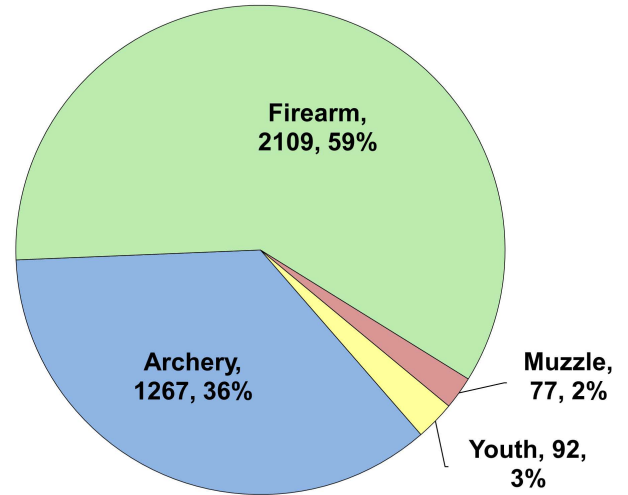
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

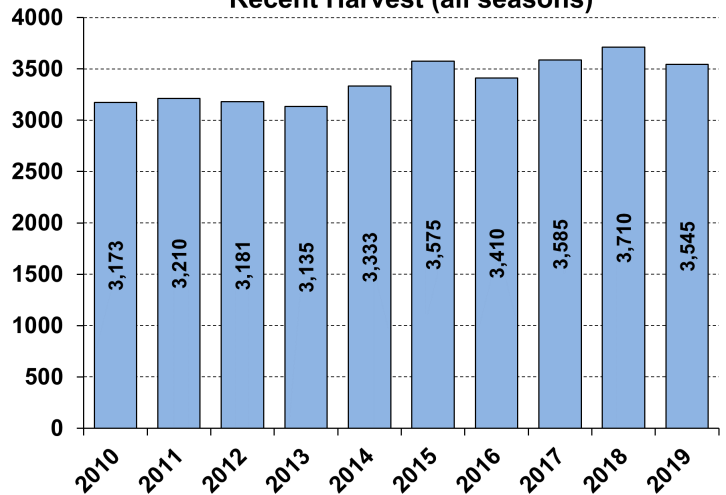
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2009



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	889	820	735	625	662
Crossbow	181	171	370	517	590
Traditional	5	4	14	8	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>1075</b>	<b>995</b>	<b>1119</b>	<b>1150</b>	<b>1267</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.8	27.7	24.3	27.4	26.2
M - Yearling	21.5	20.7	23.4	22.1	18.4
M - Fawn	8.3	8.3	8.8	8.1	8.0
F - Adult	37.2	36.6	37.2	36.3	40.5
F - Fawn	7.2	6.7	6.3	6.1	6.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: JASPER COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 498 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 2,322 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,675

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,860

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1985/2000      **Muzzle:** 225/225

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

51% M:49% F;(40% antlered: 60% antlerless)

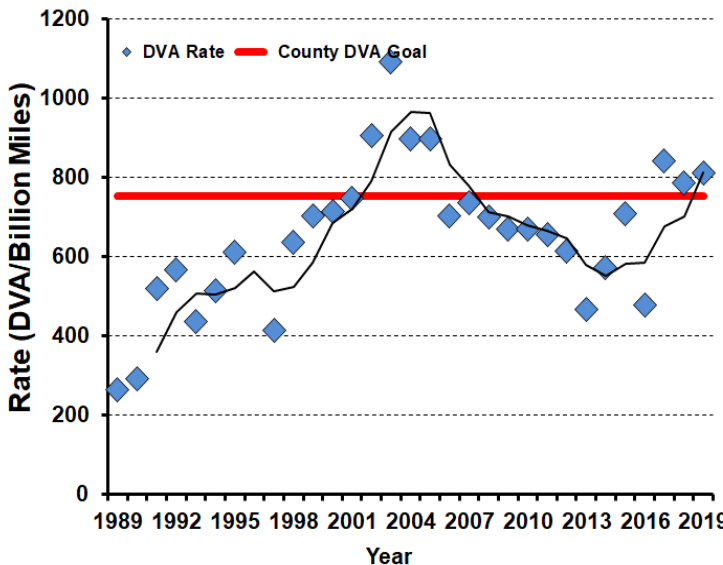
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

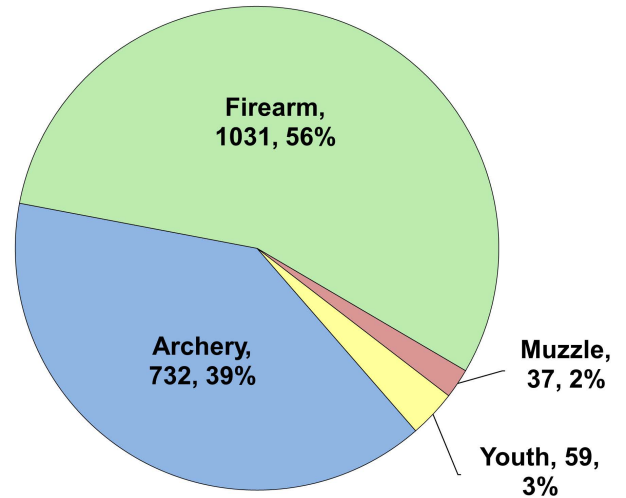
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

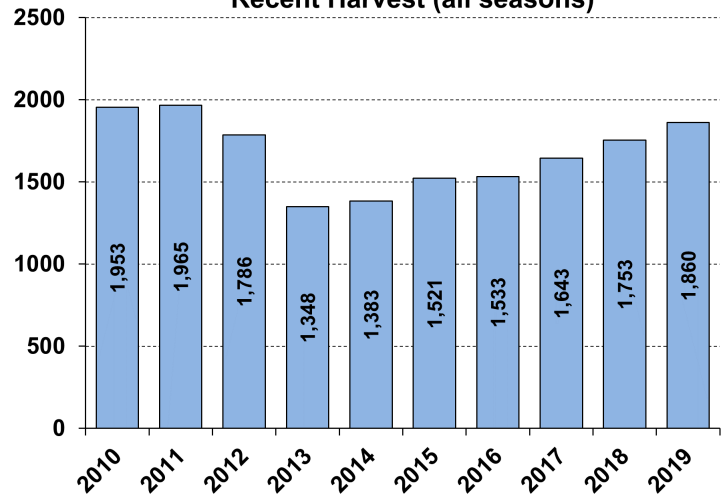
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2009



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	440	416	425	436	448
Crossbow	49	62	144	210	275
Traditional	9	12	9	19	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>732</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.8	25.7	28.3	31.0	24.1
M - Yearling	17.6	18.5	19.7	18.7	16.1
M - Fawn	12.8	10.1	12.8	11.0	11.0
F - Adult	35.8	37.4	35.4	33.4	39.2
F - Fawn	8.2	8.5	5.8	10.0	9.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: JEFFERSON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 584 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1963

**Record Harvest:** 4,903 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 3,790

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 3,809

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3690/3700      **Muzzle:** 552/575

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

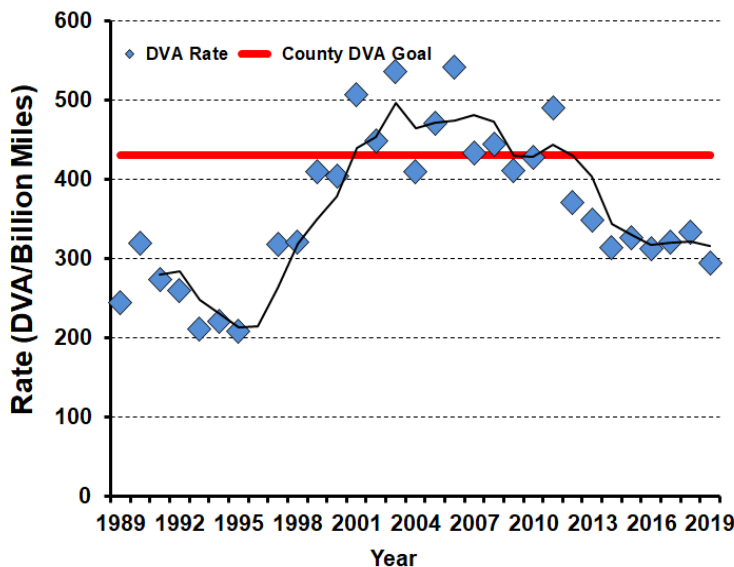
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

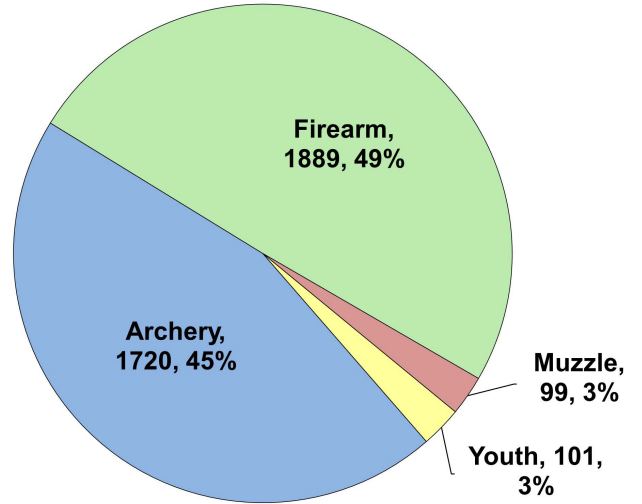
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

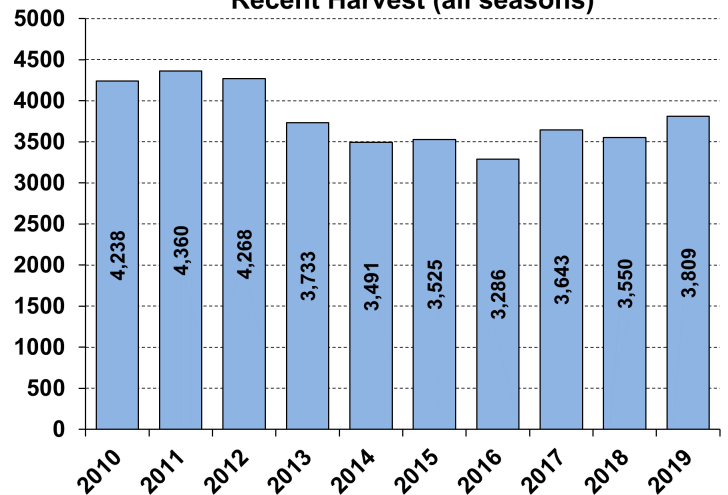
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	1116	1061	963	906	983
Crossbow	139	157	398	573	726
Traditional	15	11	14	11	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>1270</b>	<b>1229</b>	<b>1375</b>	<b>1490</b>	<b>1720</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.8	24.8	25.2	26.0	26.9
M - Yearling	19.5	19.3	19.6	19.6	20.0
M - Fawn	10.0	8.4	9.0	8.5	6.8
F - Adult	39.3	38.8	40.3	39.6	39.7
F - Fawn	7.4	6.9	6.8	6.5	6.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: JERSEY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 378 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 2,150 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,369

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,326

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1790/1800     **Muzzle:** 154/155

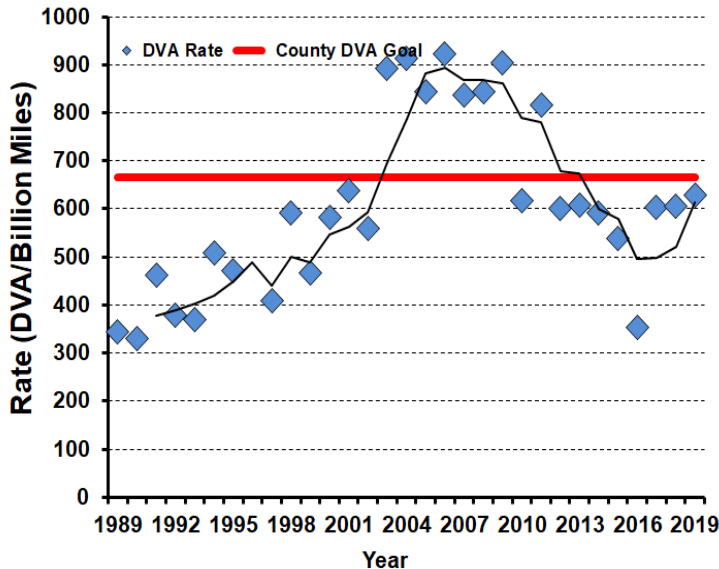
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
54% M:46% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

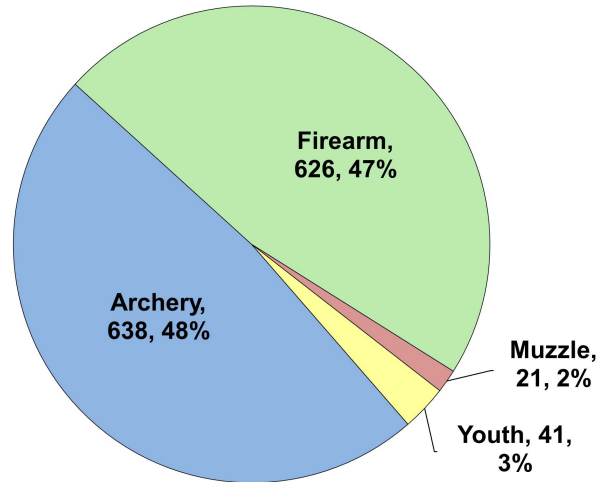
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

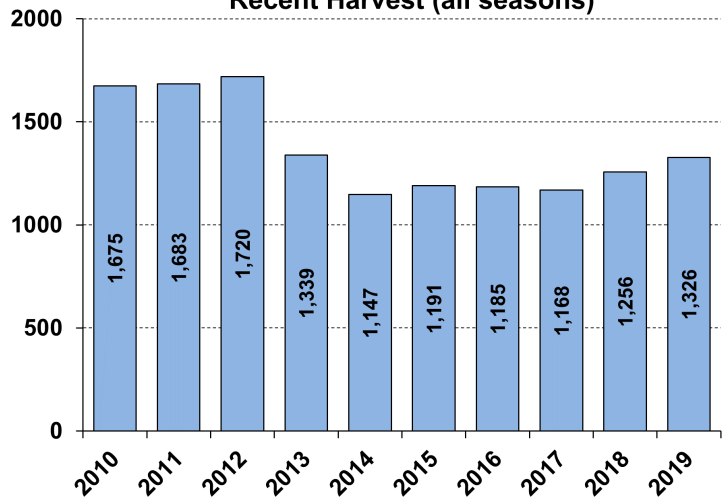
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	413	380	347	319	356
Crossbow	63	73	127	211	267
Traditional	15	8	11	16	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>638</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.0	29.3	26.5	29.3	29.5
M - Yearling	18.4	15.7	17.6	17.6	18.3
M - Fawn	9.2	9.3	9.9	7.9	6.6
F - Adult	40.6	37.9	38.3	40.9	39.3
F - Fawn	7.8	7.7	7.1	5.8	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: JODAVIESS COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 619 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 4,364 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 3,653

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,998

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 5712/7000 **Muzzle:** 722/1300 **CWD:** 165

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

55% M:45% F; (46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Elizabeth Community Building

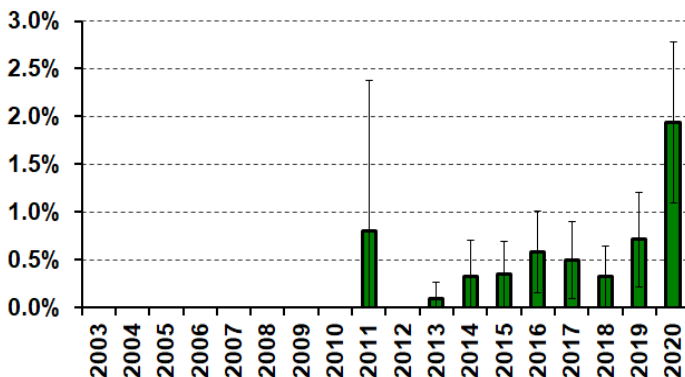
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

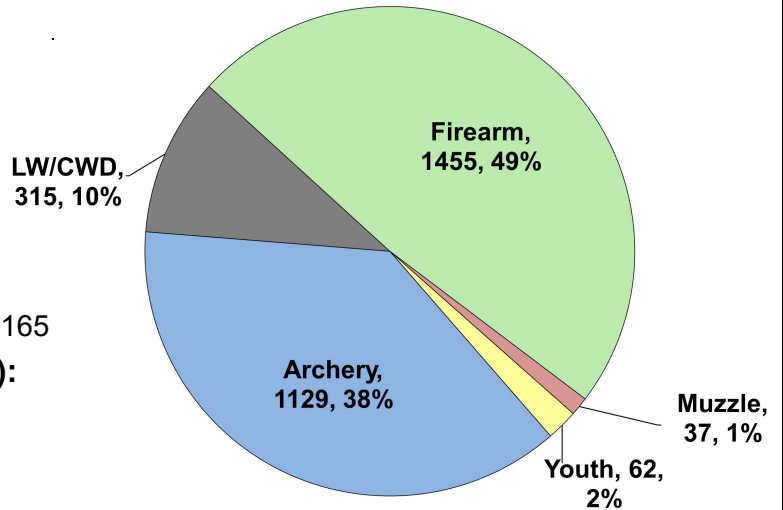
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 1234

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 25

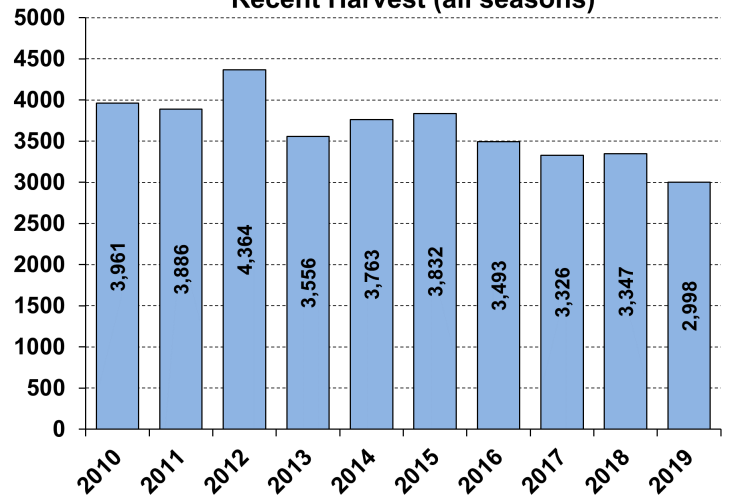
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 125 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	918	806	710	638	649
Crossbow	149	156	294	425	461
Traditional	11	11	13	19	19
<b>Total</b>	<b>1078</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>1017</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>1129</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.5	22.4	23.1	24.1	28.4
M - Yearling	16.7	16.6	19.2	16.8	17.6
M - Fawn	10.8	10.6	9.6	8.4	8.6
F - Adult	40.8	41.2	37.9	42.8	38.1
F - Fawn	8.2	8.2	6.9	7.0	7.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: JOHNSON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 349 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 2,997 (1995)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,444

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,266

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3866/3900      **Muzzle:** 421/450

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
55% M:45% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

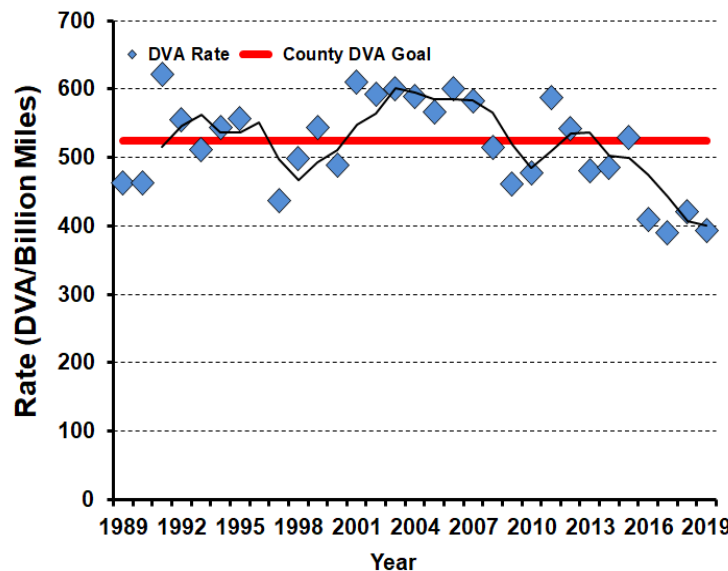
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

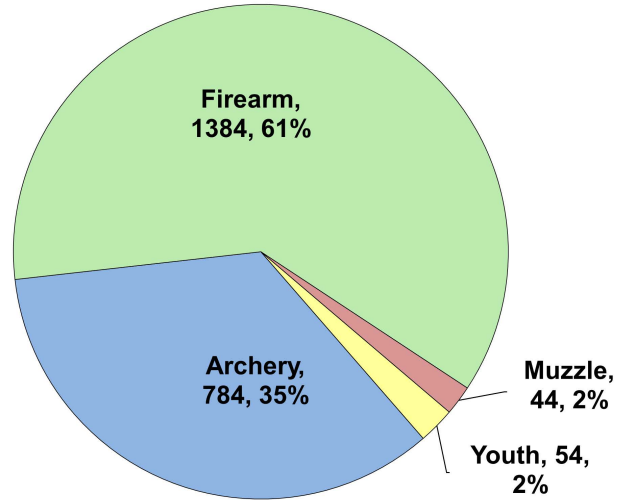
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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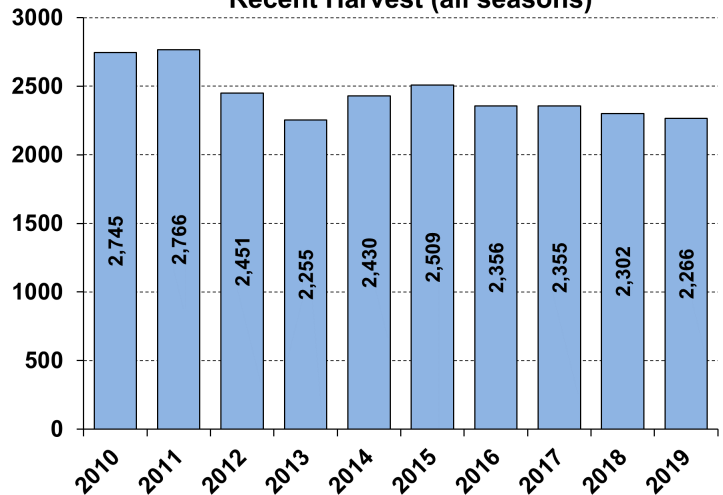
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	540	505	457	377	393
Crossbow	119	119	212	279	379
Traditional	4	5	2	2	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>658</b>	<b>784</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.5	23.2	23.4	25.2	26.1
M - Yearling	22.4	21.8	23.4	24.2	22.0
M - Fawn	7.9	8.4	9.9	7.8	6.8
F - Adult	38.1	38.6	35.0	34.1	38.9
F - Fawn	7.1	6.5	6.8	6.5	6.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: KANE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 524 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1964

**Record Harvest:** 559 (2004)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 389

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 360

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited)::

**Firearm:** 238/525 **Muzzle:** 26/200 **CWD:** 19

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

61% M: 39% F;(53% antlered: 47% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Use Boone, DeKalb, Kendall, or McHenry check station

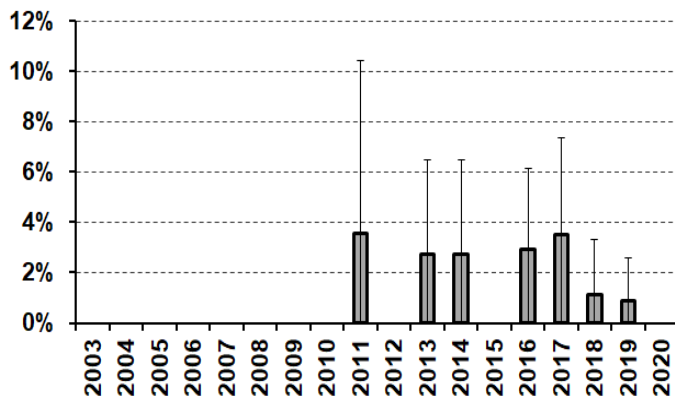
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

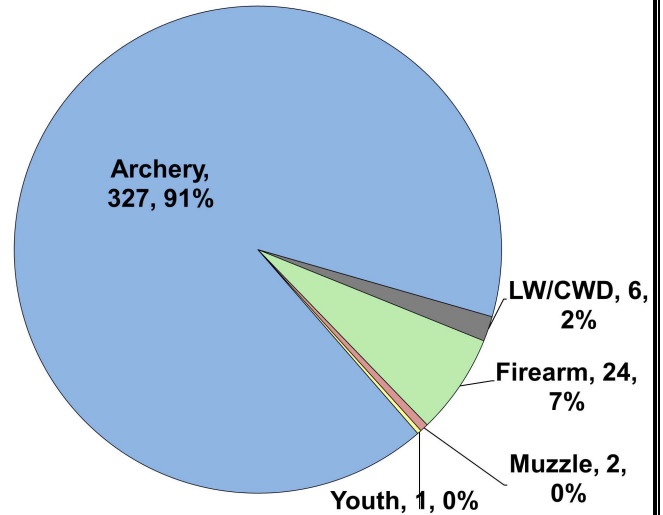
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 277

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 2

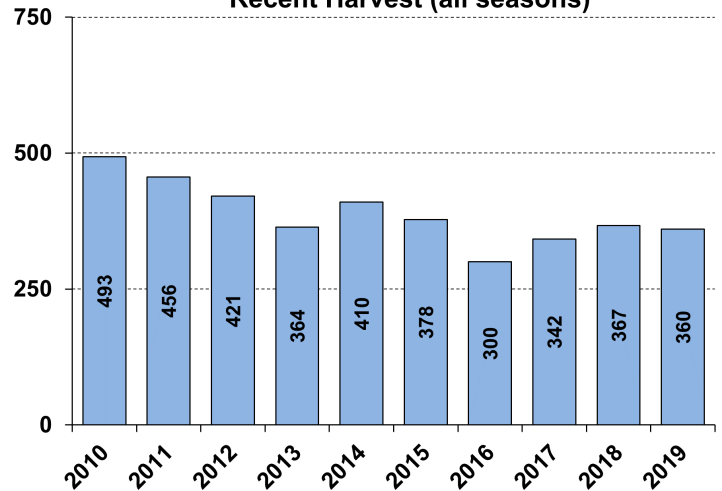
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 118 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	277	220	205	195	181
Crossbow	46	40	91	135	143
Traditional	3	2	1	4	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>327</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.4	22.0	29.8	27.9	31.9
M - Yearling	21.2	20.6	20.2	23.5	22.5
M - Fawn	9.7	11.5	6.0	6.3	6.4
F - Adult	39.3	32.5	38.7	37.8	34.2
F - Fawn	6.4	7.7	2.7	3.7	5.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: KANKAKEE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 681 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1975

**Record Harvest:** 633 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 559

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 558

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 1085/1300 **Muzzle:** 247/325 **CWD:** 49

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M: 43% F; (51% antlered: 49% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Kankakee River State Park Visitor Center

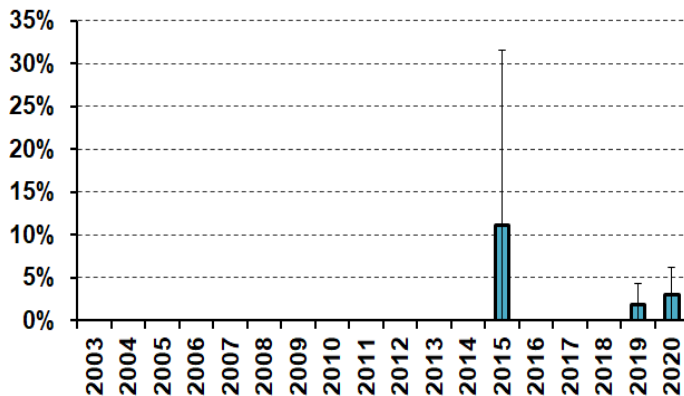
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

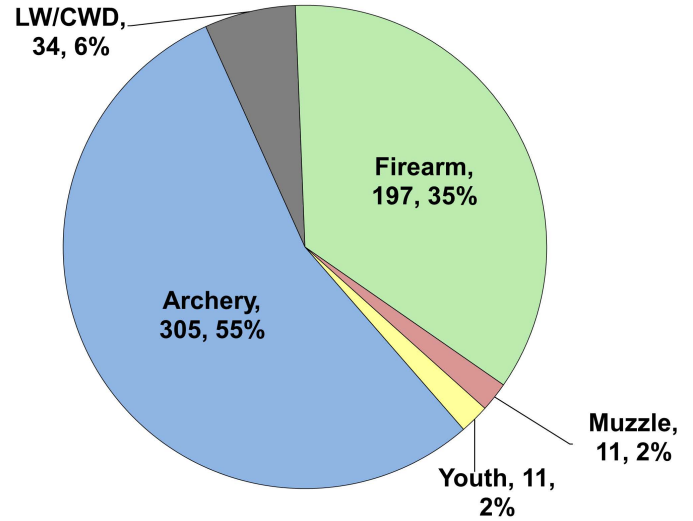
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 139

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 3

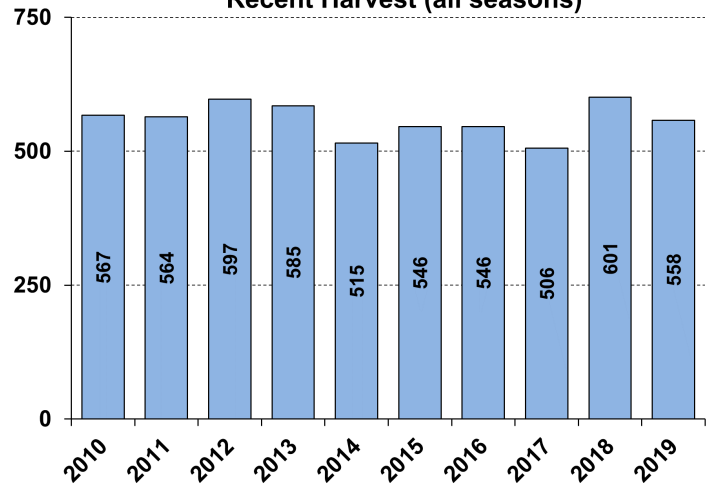
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 35 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	225	214	166	176	163
Crossbow	47	65	93	136	140
Traditional	2	2	1	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>305</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.4	14.5	15.2	18.5	26.3
M - Yearling	18.0	21.5	22.8	24.6	24.7
M - Fawn	11.4	12.2	9.3	10.1	6.3
F - Adult	42.0	41.9	39.8	36.6	36.6
F - Fawn	6.2	5.5	6.1	6.9	6.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: KENDALL COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 322 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 403 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 324

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):**

290 **Permits issued/quota 2019-2020**

(excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 459/600 **Muzzle:** 71/225 **CWD:** 15

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M: 43% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Silver Springs State Park

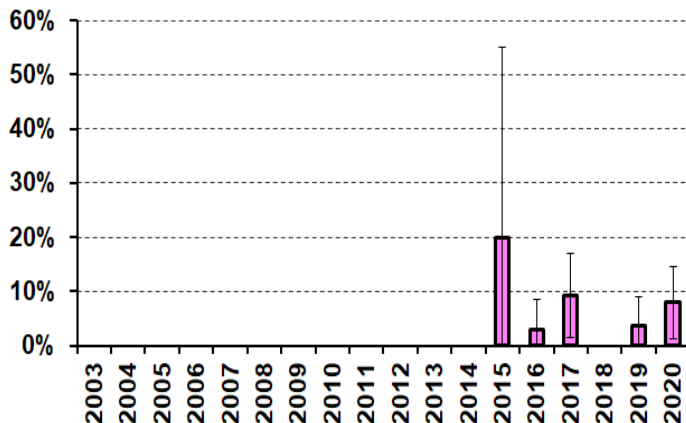
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

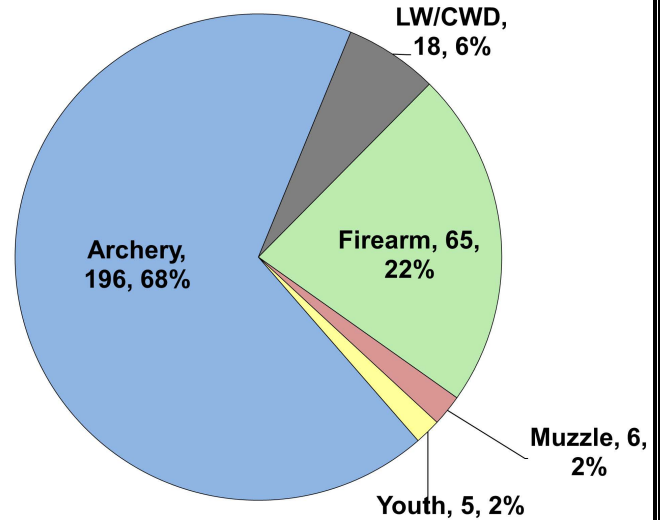
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 124

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 11

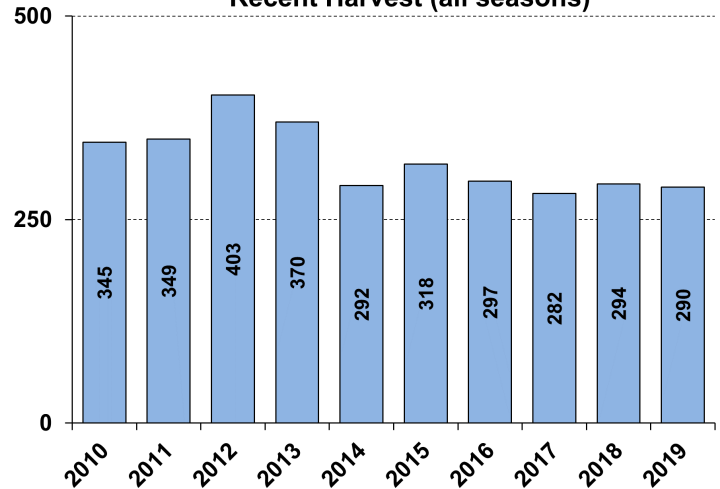
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 59 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	165	135	120	100	117
Crossbow	27	27	54	65	79
Traditional	23	11	16	13	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>196</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	19.7	18.6	16.7	21.6	20.3
M - Yearling	24.2	21.5	22.8	22.7	28.3
M - Fawn	8.2	11.4	10.3	10.3	7.9
F - Adult	39.8	39.9	41.4	38.2	38.3
F - Fawn	8.2	5.3	6.0	3.9	5.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: KNOX COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 720 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1960

**Record Harvest:** 3,000 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,508

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,262

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 3330/3900 **Muzzle:** 513/700

**Late Winter:** 57

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

51% M: 43% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

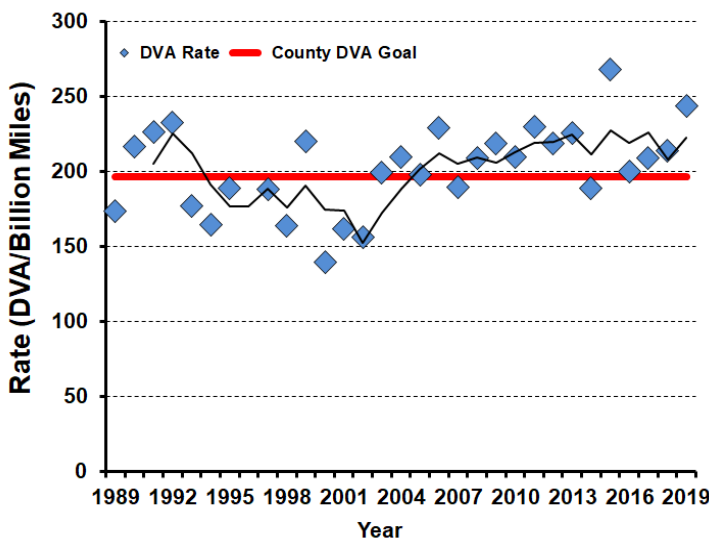
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

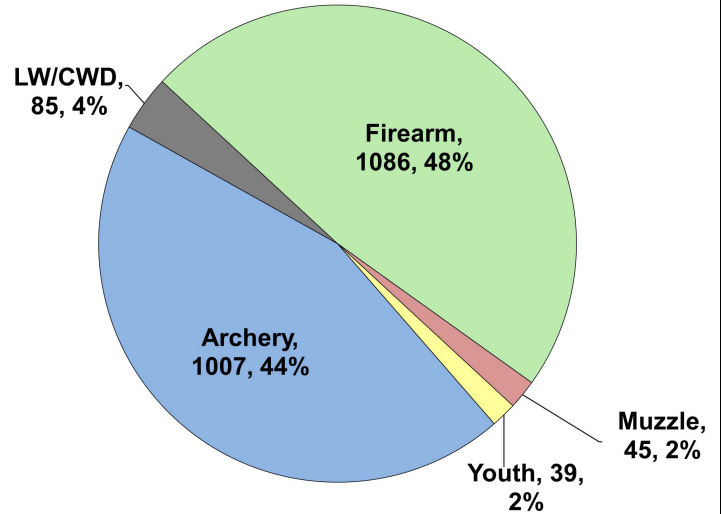
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

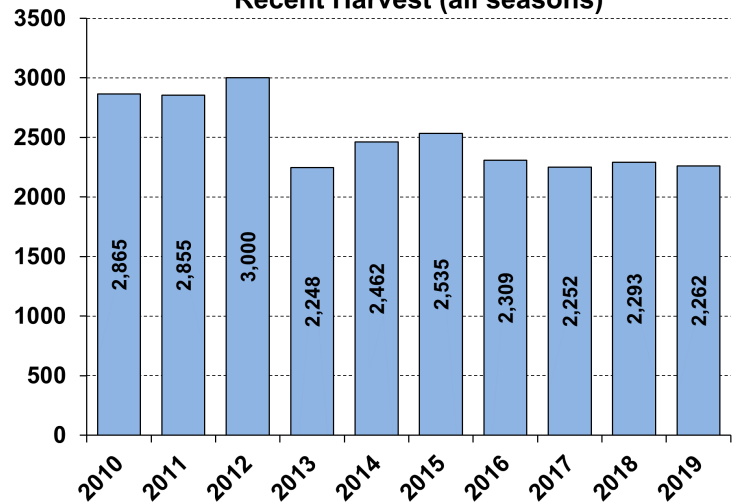
**Time in Late Winter:** 2005 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	743	689	599	518	506
Crossbow	176	151	280	390	475
Traditional	14	9	6	7	26
<b>Total</b>	<b>933</b>	<b>849</b>	<b>885</b>	<b>915</b>	<b>1007</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.0	26.3	25.9	23.7	26.6
M - Yearling	15.4	15.4	15.9	15.4	17.2
M - Fawn	12.1	9.3	10.1	9.9	7.4
F - Adult	38.9	38.0	37.7	39.9	42.4
F - Fawn	8.6	8.5	7.2	8.6	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: LAKE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 470 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1964

**Record Harvest:** 607 (1995 and 1996)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 390

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 295

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020:** No firearm or muzzleloader hunting except at Chain-O-Lakes SP

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

70% M: 30% F; (67% antlered: 33% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Use McHenry Co. check station

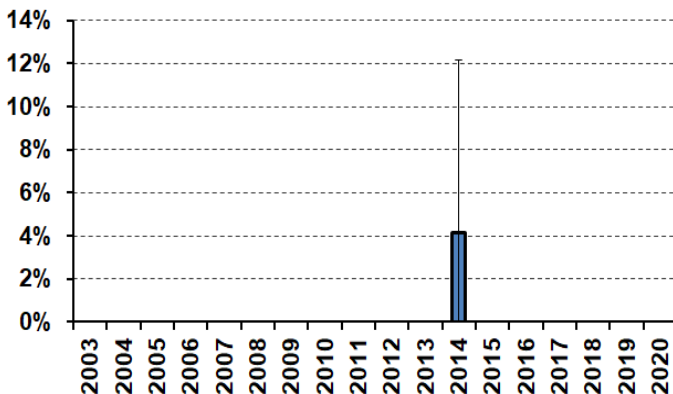
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

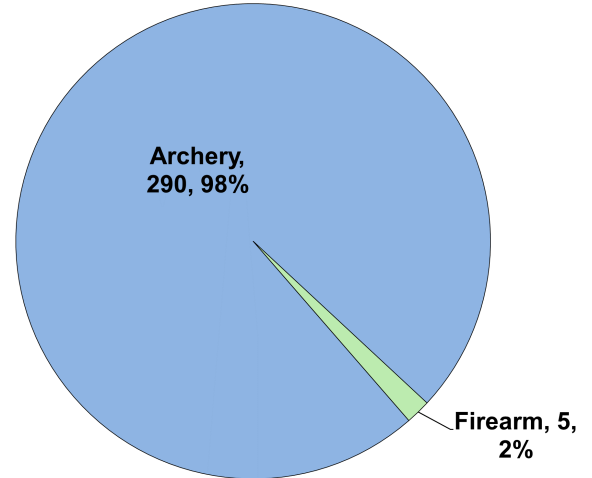
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 250

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 0

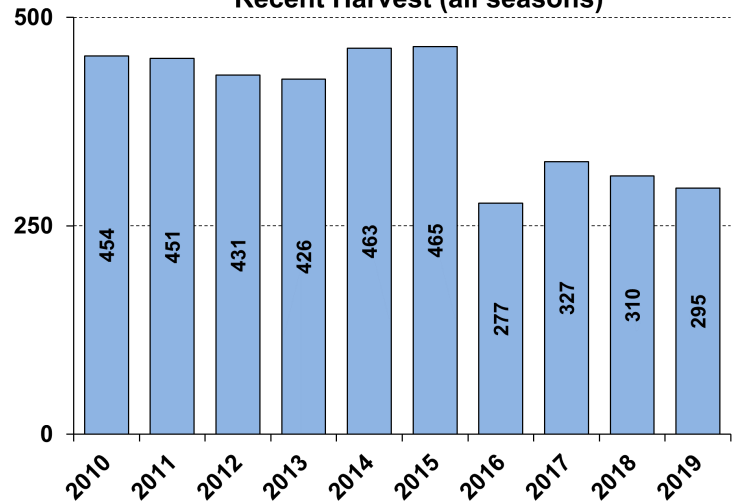
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 0 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	365	219	240	221	182
Crossbow	85	47	84	87	107
Traditional	13	8	3	9	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>463</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>327</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>290</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	30.1	16.3	23.0	23.2	37.3
M - Yearling	20.9	24.2	30.1	26.5	29.5
M - Fawn	7.5	12.6	6.7	5.5	3.4
F - Adult	38.1	30.7	27.6	30.7	25.8
F - Fawn	3.4	5.1	2.8	2.3	4.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: LA SALLE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 1,148 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1965

**Record Harvest:** 3,170 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,956

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,584

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2540/4025 **Muzzle:** 318/825 **CWD:** 142

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

56% M: 44% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Buffalo Rock State Park

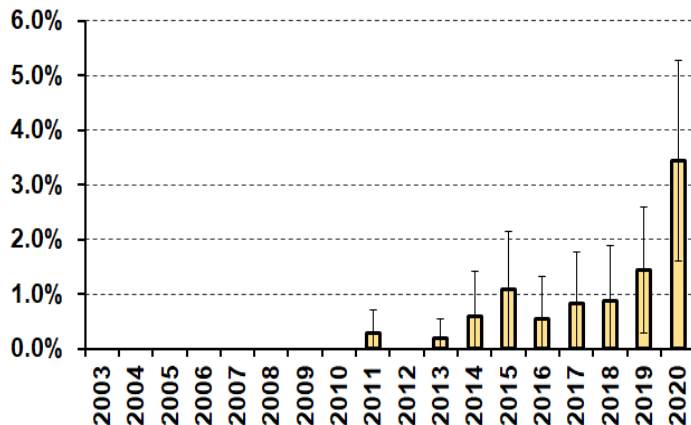
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

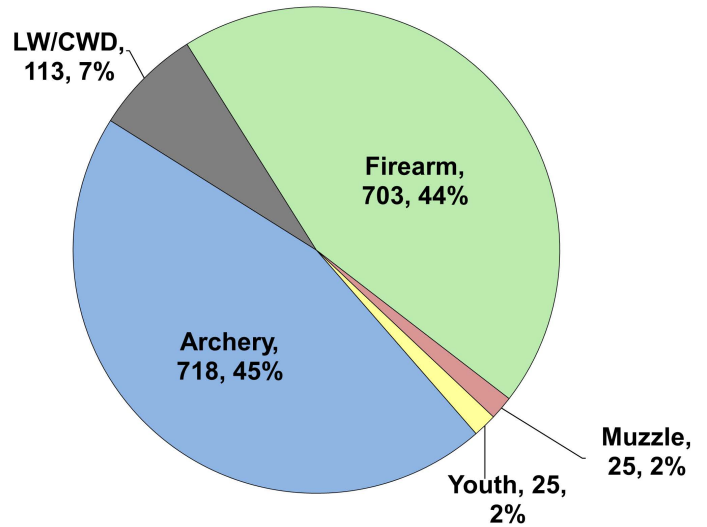
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 550

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 20

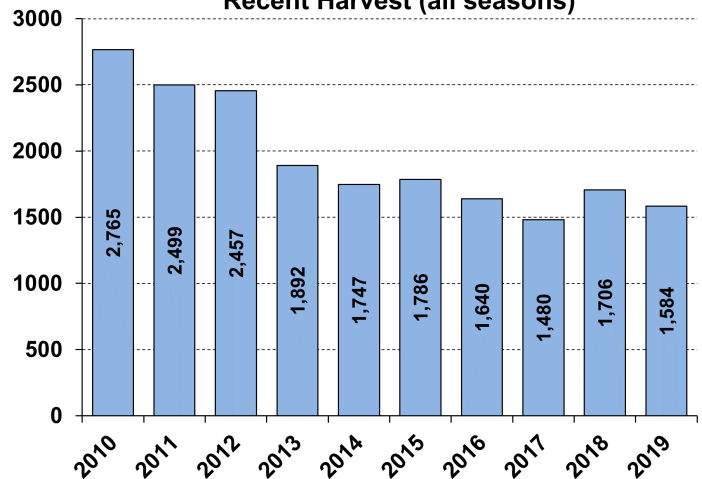
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 162 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	613	582	425	408	369
Crossbow	97	95	222	324	342
Traditional	3	7	5	8	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>713</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>740</b>	<b>718</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	17.2	18.0	17.9	18.5	27.0
M - Yearling	22.0	21.3	25.1	21.7	20.6
M - Fawn	10.9	11.5	9.4	11.3	8.0
F - Adult	41.4	40.4	36.9	40.2	36.9
F - Fawn	8.4	7.6	7.6	7.9	7.4

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: LAWRENCE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 374 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 1,433 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,104

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,193

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1403/1650     **Muzzle:** 151/260

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

51% M:49% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

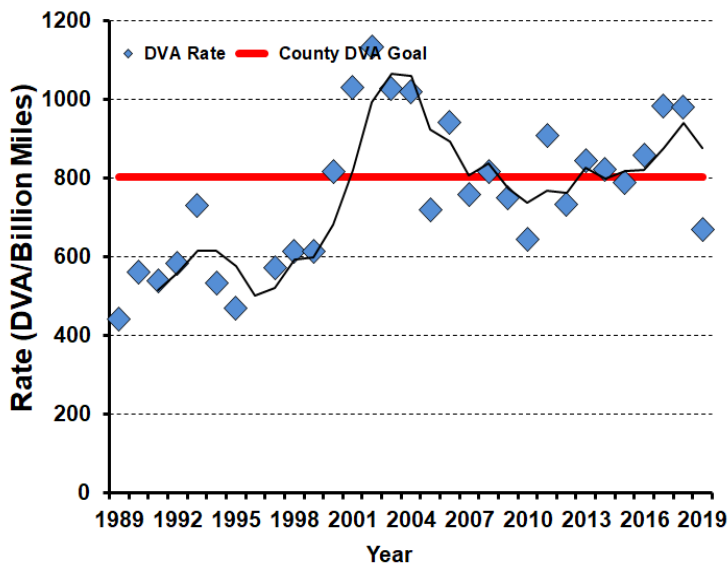
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

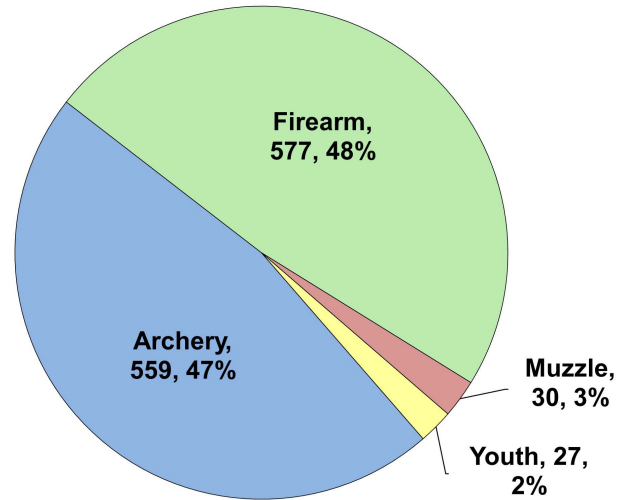
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

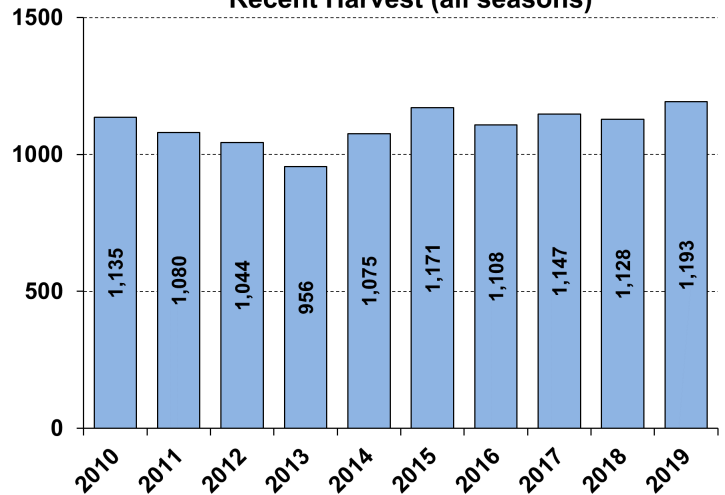
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	404	402	365	279	295
Crossbow	76	69	112	156	258
Traditional	9	5	3	2	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>558</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.4	27.3	26.6	25.3	24.7
M - Yearling	19.2	17.5	20.0	18.9	18.9
M - Fawn	8.7	9.5	8.9	10.7	7.9
F - Adult	39.7	37.6	37.5	36.8	42.2
F - Fawn	7.0	6.5	6.5	7.4	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: LEE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 729 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,542 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,150

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 971

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 1784/2400 **Muzzle:** 227/435

**Late Winter:** 51

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

56% M: 44% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

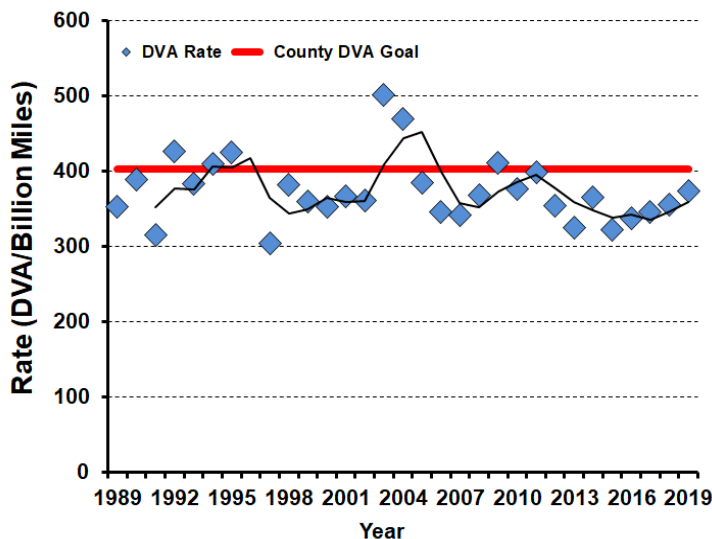
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

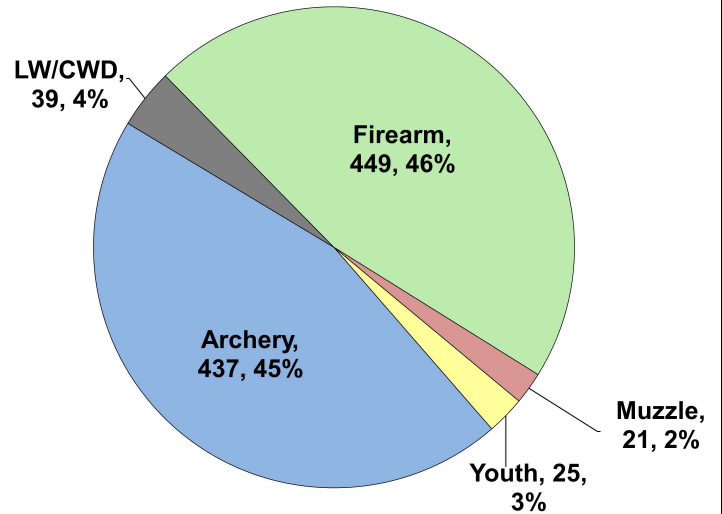
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

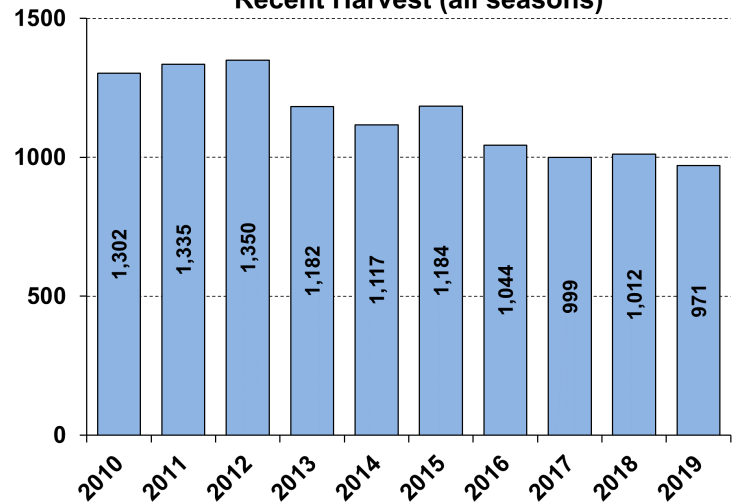
**Time in Late Winter:** 2007 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	382	342	255	219	217
Crossbow	61	65	129	179	218
Traditional	2	1	3	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>437</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.0	21.1	17.6	21.7	23.2
M - Yearling	18.6	18.7	19.8	20.1	22.2
M - Fawn	12.7	12.5	12.6	11.0	10.6
F - Adult	39.5	39.5	41.8	36.6	37.9
F - Fawn	7.2	5.5	4.9	7.0	6.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: LIVINGSTON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 1,046 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 995 (2010)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 766

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 653

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 1323/1775 **Muzzle:** 162/350 **CWD:** 28

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

55% M: 45% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Pontiac Sportsman's Club

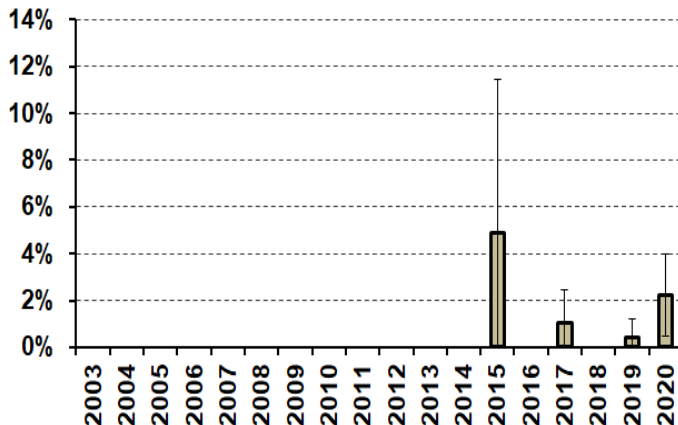
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

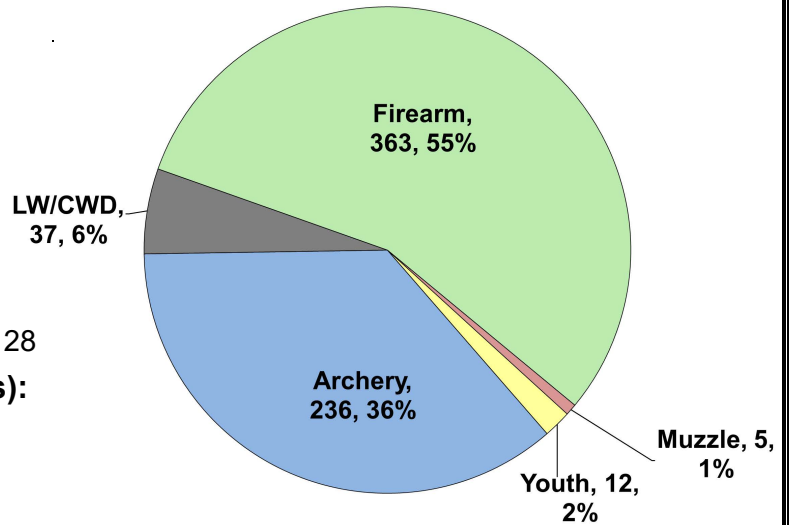
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 290

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 7

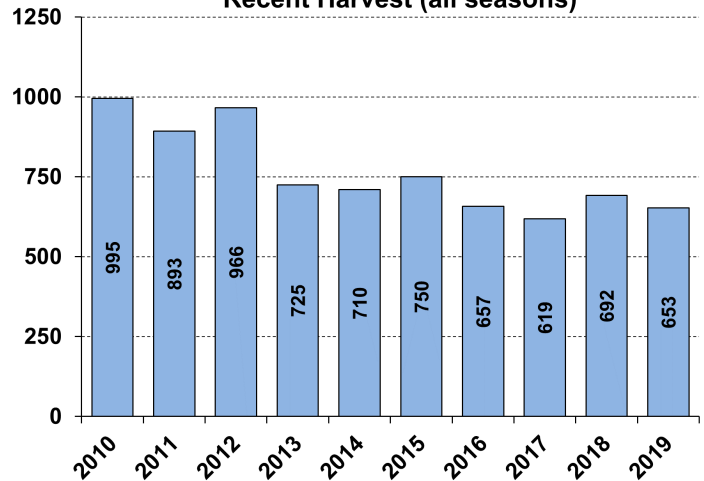
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 14 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	209	169	151	138	129
Crossbow	34	22	57	79	104
Traditional	1	0	0	3	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>244</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>220</b>	<b>236</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.9	11.2	10.4	9.2	27.1
M - Yearling	20.1	19.7	23.5	19.9	19.9
M - Fawn	12.7	11.6	9.4	9.6	8.1
F - Adult	36.4	39.9	36.8	43.2	38.6
F - Fawn	6.9	6.2	5.2	8.5	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: LOGAN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 619 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1967

**Record Harvest:** 892 (2012)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 752

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 858

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 750/750      **Muzzle:** 140/140

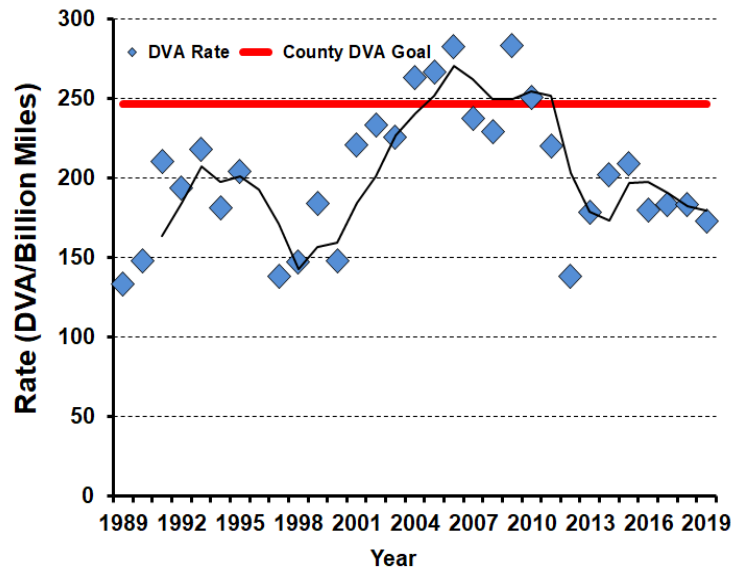
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
59% M:41% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

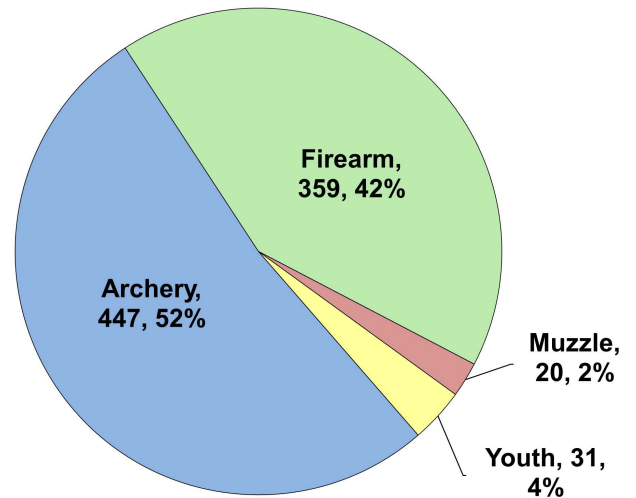
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

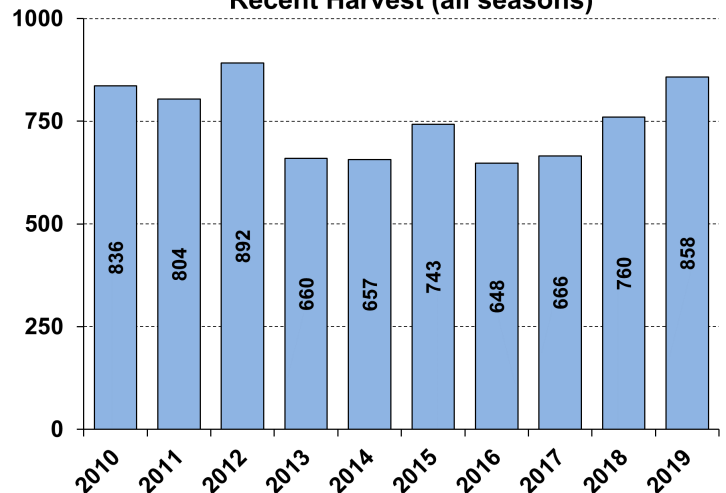
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	223	200	186	171	208
Crossbow	48	45	101	168	234
Traditional	2	3	5	5	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>447</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.8	29.1	26.6	33.4	37.2
M - Yearling	21.0	15.9	17.6	14.9	15.2
M - Fawn	10.2	10.5	9.9	9.2	7.1
F - Adult	33.8	33.3	37.2	35.4	35.1
F - Fawn	6.2	6.9	5.6	7.9	5.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MACON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 586 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 1,025 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 807

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 770

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 600/600      **Muzzle:** 188/200

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
59% M:41% F;(51% antlered: 49% antlerless)

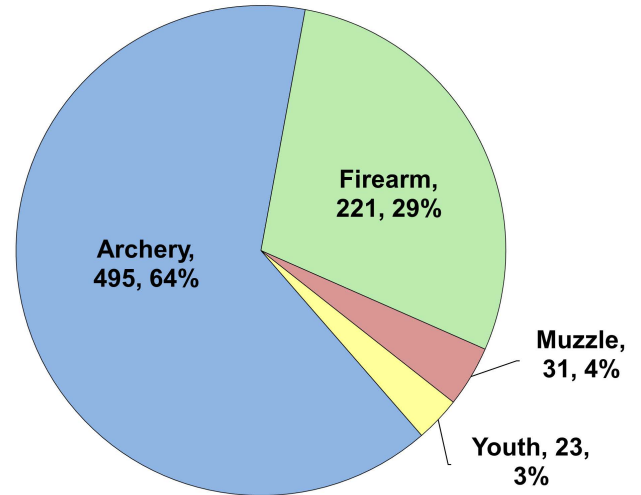
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

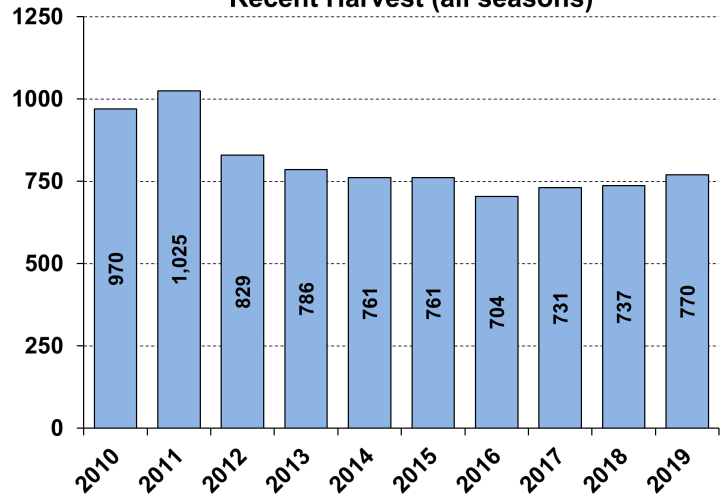
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never

**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



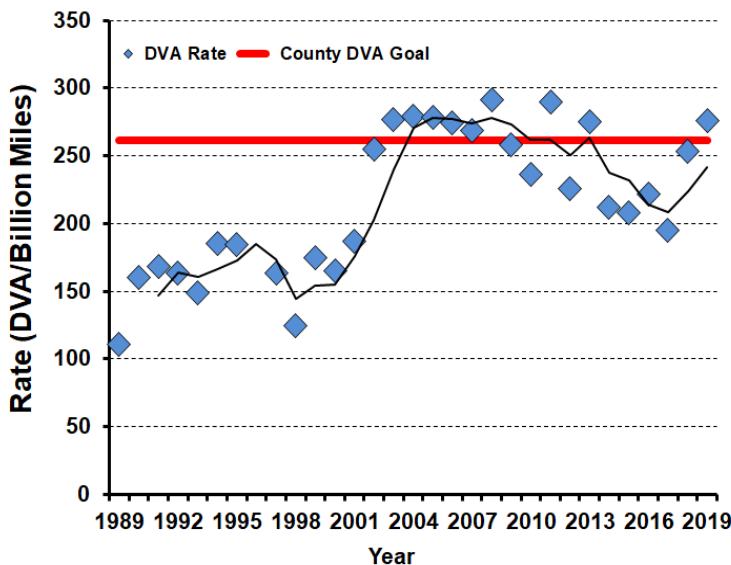
**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	374	331	293	274	251
Crossbow	93	76	161	196	241
Traditional	9	3	8	6	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>495</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.7	25.6	21.9	26.9	29.9
M - Yearling	18.9	16.9	21.8	18.2	21.3
M - Fawn	10.9	10.1	10.3	9.5	8.3
F - Adult	38.6	39.2	39.0	37.2	36.0
F - Fawn	7.9	6.1	6.2	7.3	4.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MACOUPIN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 868 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1963

**Record Harvest:** 3,860 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,733

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 3,038

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 4614/4950 **Muzzle:** 502/600

**Late Winter:** 61

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

56% M: 44% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

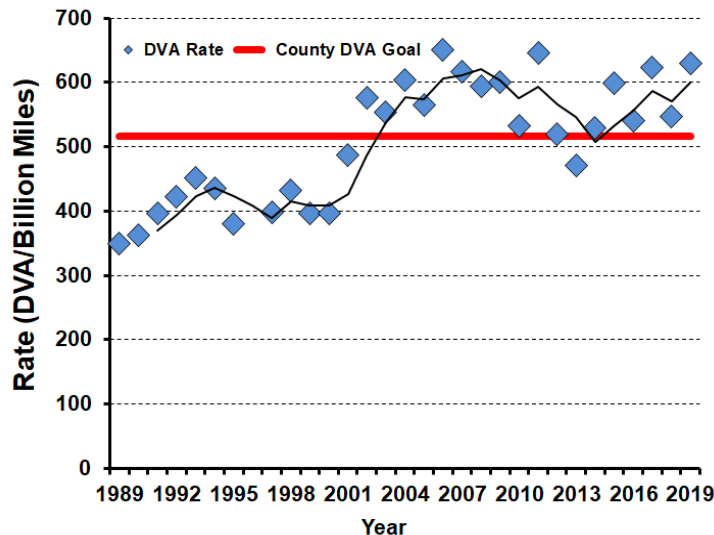
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

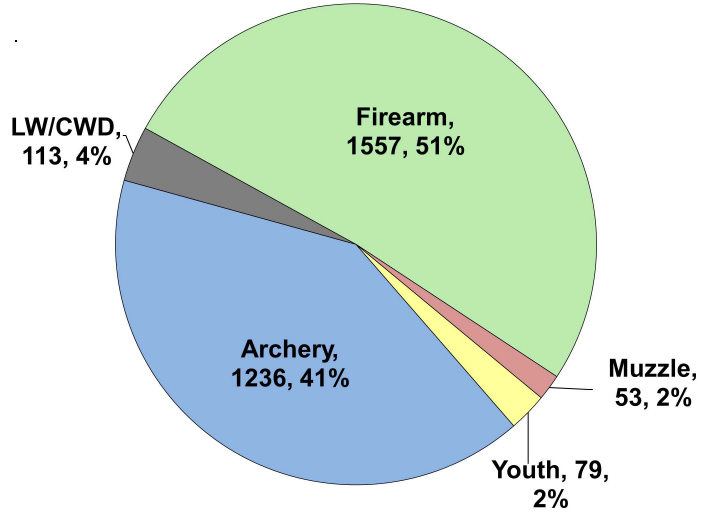
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

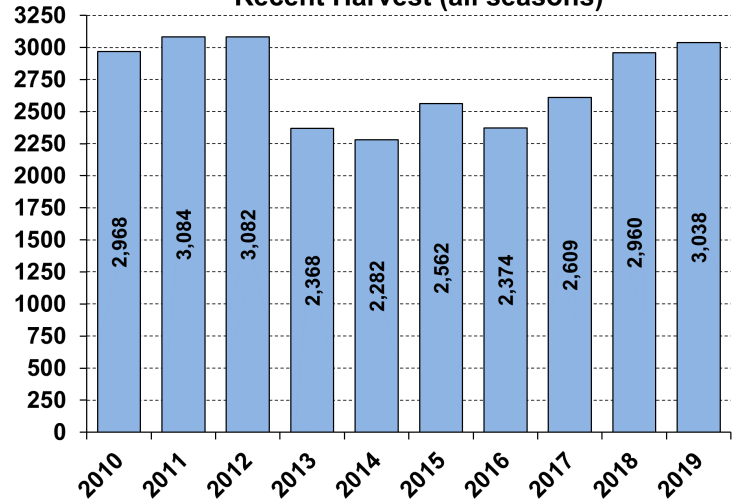
**Time in Late Winter:** 2019 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	789	751	739	608	706
Crossbow	117	100	269	400	520
Traditional	6	6	13	9	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>912</b>	<b>857</b>	<b>1021</b>	<b>1017</b>	<b>1236</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.6	26.0	28.7	30.5	28.7
M - Yearling	18.2	18.4	18.2	17.6	18.3
M - Fawn	11.2	10.2	9.9	11.9	8.9
F - Adult	36.9	35.7	37.2	36.2	37.7
F - Fawn	8.0	7.8	6.6	7.8	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MADISON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 741 square miles  
**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966  
**Record Harvest:** 2,544 (2007)  
**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,830  
**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,729  
**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2296/2300 **Muzzle:** 285/310

**Late Winter:** 50

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M: 47% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

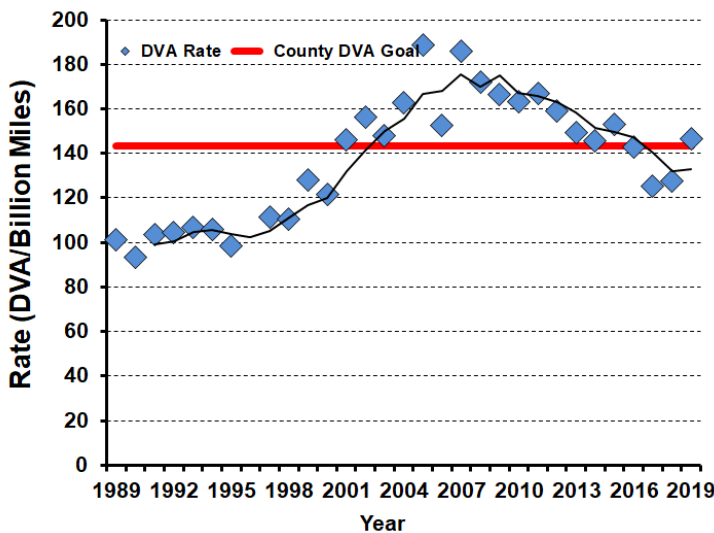
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

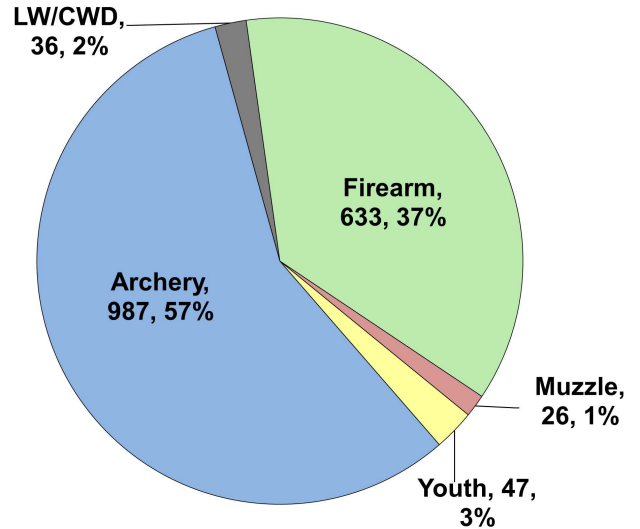
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

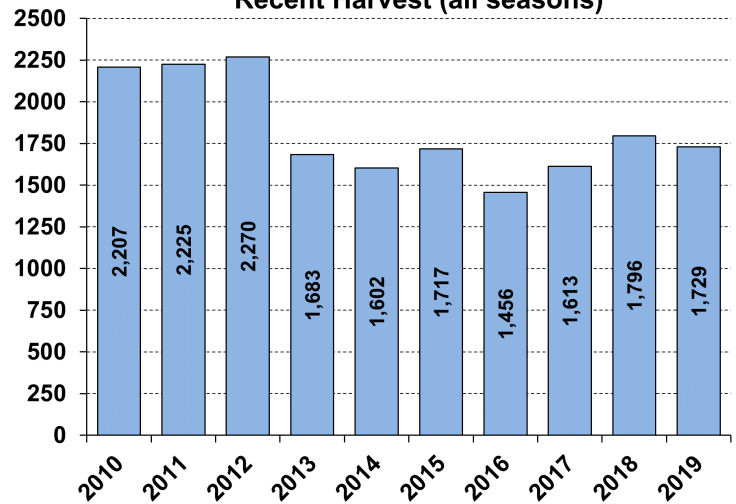
**Time in Late Winter:** 2005 - Present



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	743	628	573	556	537
Crossbow	108	94	220	336	442
Traditional	8	5	8	10	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>859</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>801</b>	<b>902</b>	<b>987</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.8	18.3	23.4	24.9	23.3
M - Yearling	19.0	20.2	20.2	21.9	21.9
M - Fawn	11.4	11.1	10.1	9.1	8.3
F - Adult	40.3	38.6	39.4	38.4	40.9
F - Fawn	7.5	8.4	5.3	6.7	5.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MARION COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 576 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1965

**Record Harvest:** 3,897 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,929

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,947

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 3936/4100 **Muzzle:** 535/645

**Late Winter:** 40

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

55% M: 45% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

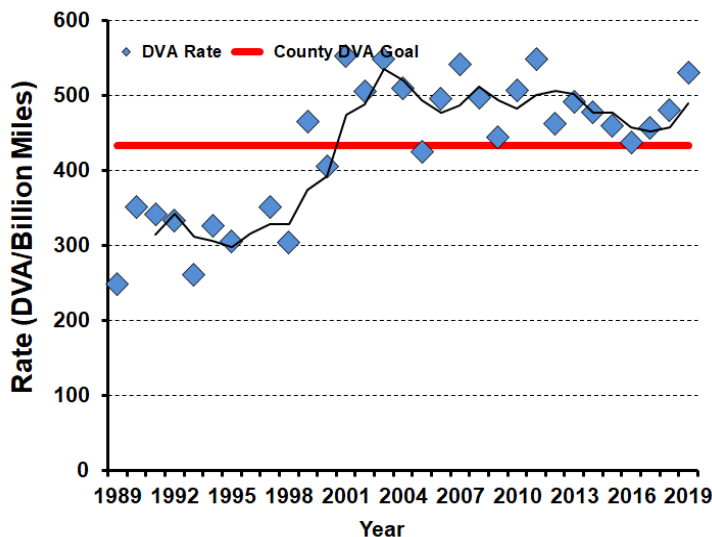
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

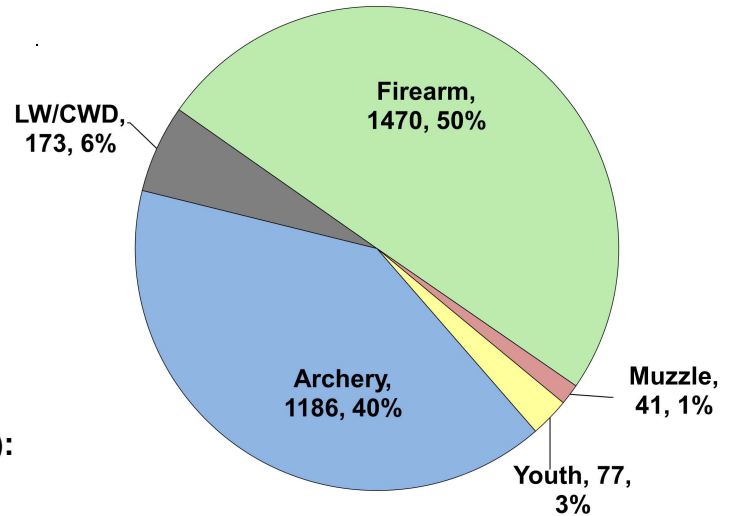
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

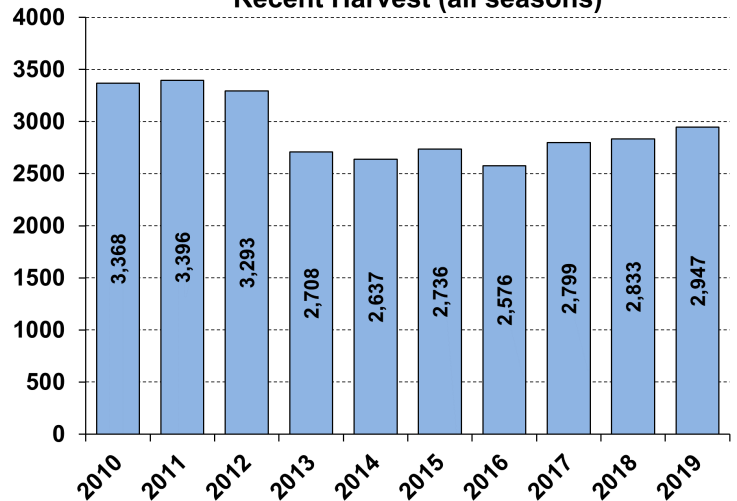
**Time in Late Winter:** 2005 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	763	706	677	546	614
Crossbow	126	159	295	413	563
Traditional	2	2	1	5	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>891</b>	<b>867</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>964</b>	<b>1186</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.1	25.4	25.7	26.6	26.9
M - Yearling	20.4	18.2	20.2	19.3	19.9
M - Fawn	10.4	9.9	11.0	8.9	8.3
F - Adult	37.9	37.2	35.7	37.5	37.8
F - Fawn	7.2	7.7	8.1	8.6	7.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MARSHALL COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 399 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,387 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,075

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,009

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1500/1500      **Muzzle:** 226/315

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
55% M:45% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

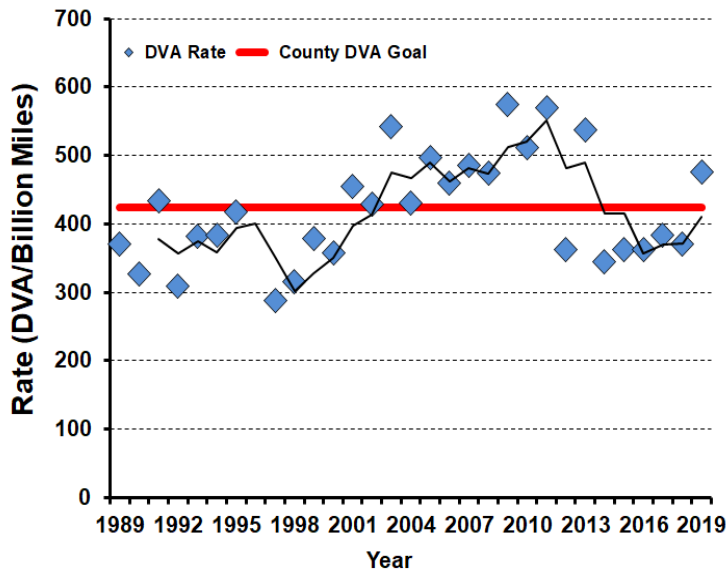
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

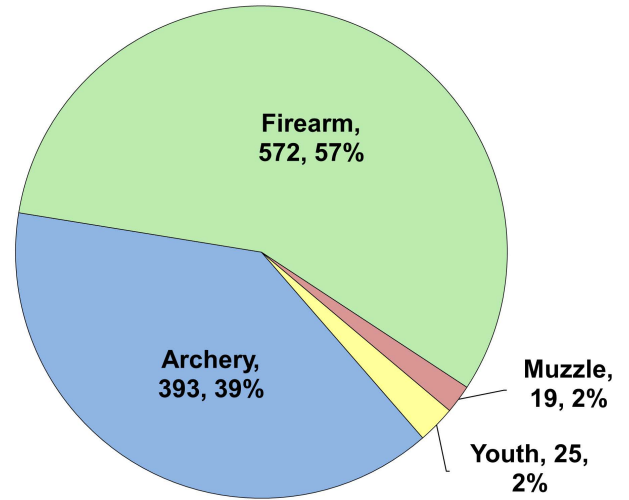
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

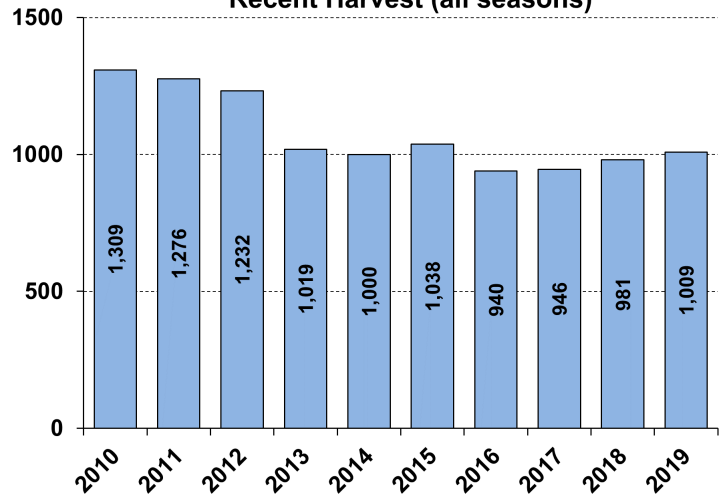
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2016



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	304	286	204	180	210
Crossbow	34	46	99	151	180
Traditional	2	4	5	3	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>393</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.4	24.0	23.8	26.2	26.5
M - Yearling	16.0	19.5	18.4	17.5	20.3
M - Fawn	10.4	9.4	9.1	9.5	8.2
F - Adult	39.5	36.9	39.5	38.8	39.4
F - Fawn	7.7	7.8	6.9	6.4	5.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MASON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 564 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,320 (2004)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 901

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 894

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 751/751      **Muzzle:** 150/150

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

58% M:42% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

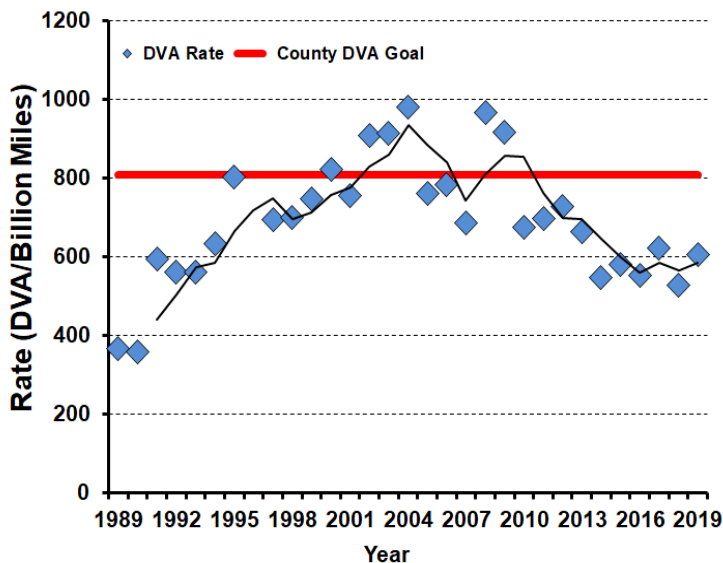
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

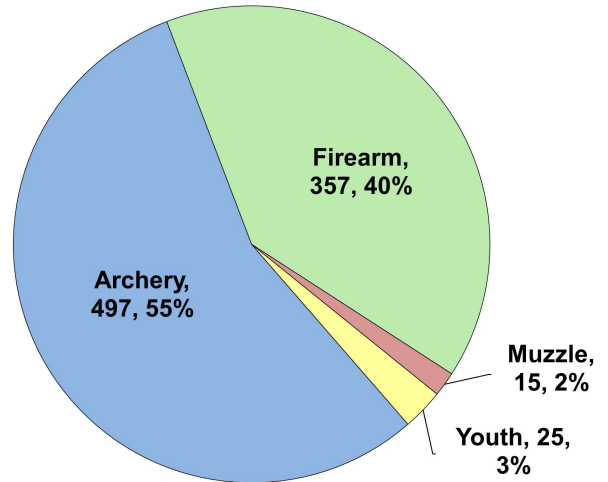
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

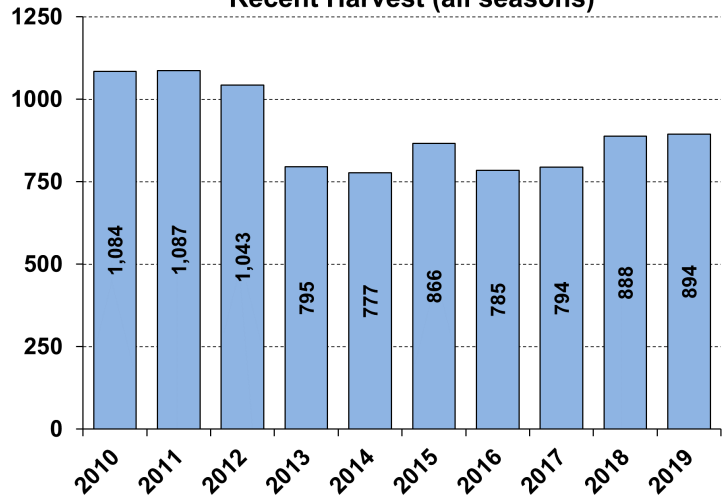
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	255	233	224	235	240
Crossbow	87	71	142	174	249
Traditional	3	4	9	4	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>375</b>	<b>413</b>	<b>497</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.8	29.8	24.2	26.7	30.1
M - Yearling	18.6	16.8	20.0	19.3	19.4
M - Fawn	9.1	11.1	12.3	10.1	8.6
F - Adult	38.0	31.8	33.9	36.7	35.9
F - Fawn	9.5	7.4	7.3	7.9	6.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MASSAC COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 242 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,227 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,001

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 866

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1089/1100      **Muzzle:** 145/145

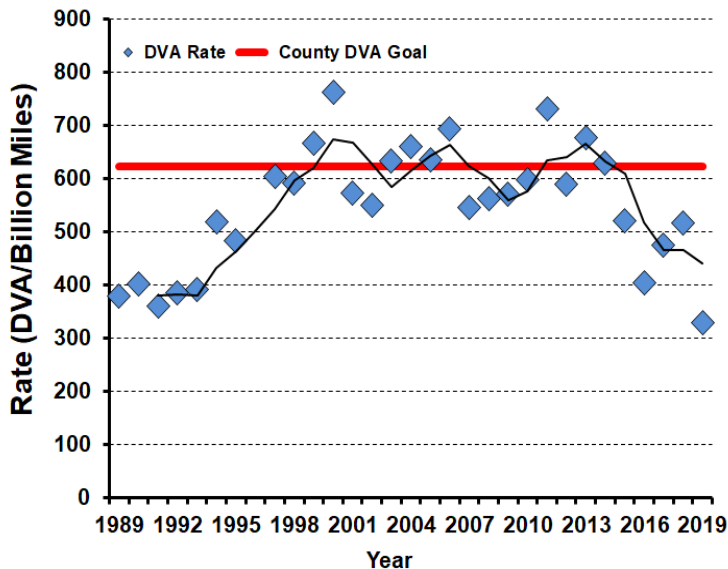
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
55% M:45% F;(50% antlered: 50% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

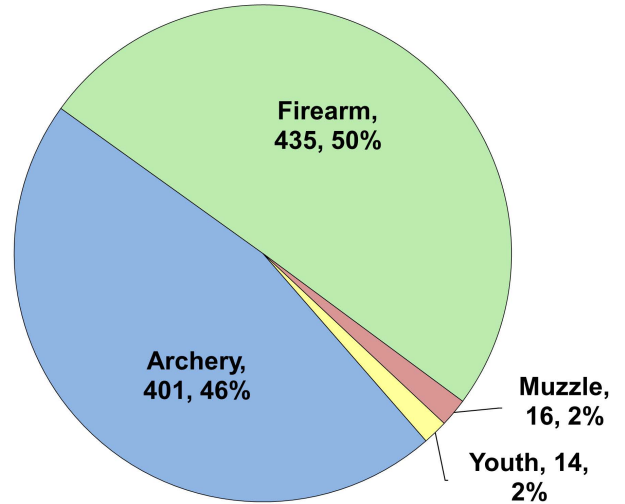
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

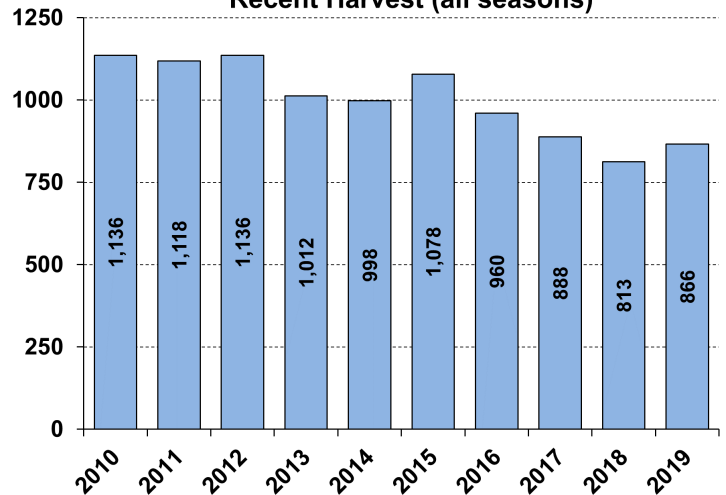
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2009



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	304	297	224	190	231
Crossbow	60	40	97	139	168
Traditional	3	1	2	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>367</b>	<b>338</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>401</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	31.1	28.0	26.6	22.5	33.1
M - Yearling	16.4	16.7	16.6	18.2	16.6
M - Fawn	6.5	5.5	6.0	5.9	5.3
F - Adult	40.0	40.6	40.7	41.5	40.5
F - Fawn	6.0	5.7	4.4	4.6	4.4

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: McDONOUGH COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 591 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1959

**Record Harvest:** 2,085 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,597

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,429

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2156/2200 **Muzzle:** 303/350

**Late Winter:** 34

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M: 47% F;(43% antlered: 57% antlerless)

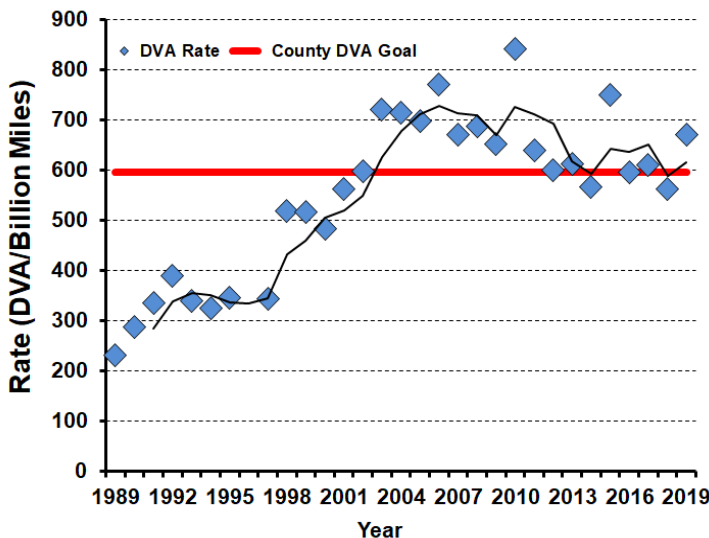
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

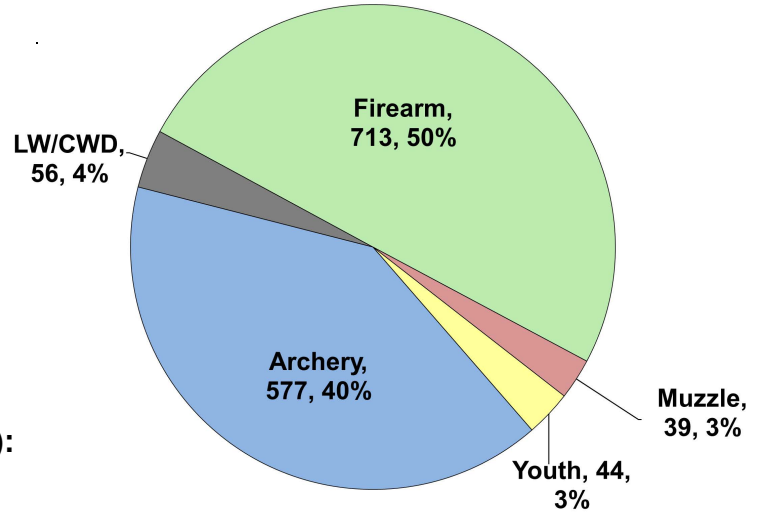
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

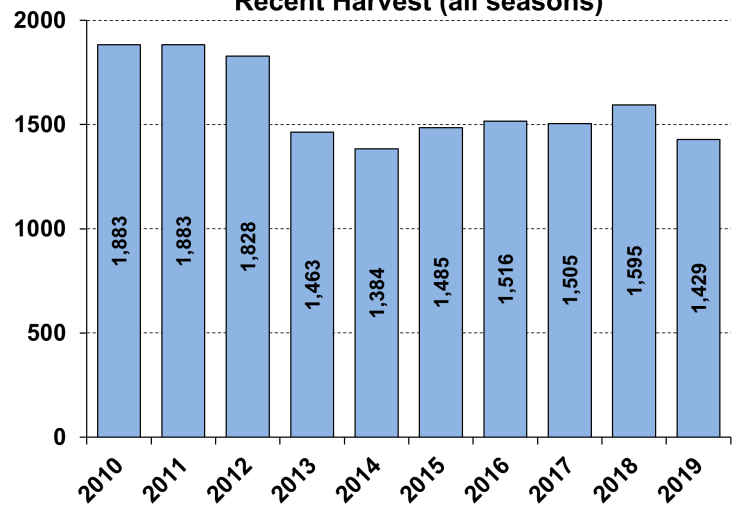
**Time in Late Winter:** 2005 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	379	423	393	367	342
Crossbow	62	77	140	209	228
Traditional	11	6	7	12	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>506</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>577</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.9	30.9	32.5	30.8	27.6
M - Yearling	14.3	17.0	14.6	14.4	15.8
M - Fawn	11.9	9.7	9.2	10.2	9.7
F - Adult	39.3	35.5	36.1	37.2	38.3
F - Fawn	10.6	7.5	8.0	9.5	8.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: McHENRY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 611 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1963

**Record Harvest:** 1,592 (1995)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 945

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 873

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited)::

**Firearm:** 1380/3400 **Muzzle:** 174/550 **CWD:** 61

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

68% M: 32% F;(60% antlered: 40% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Moraine Hills State Park

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

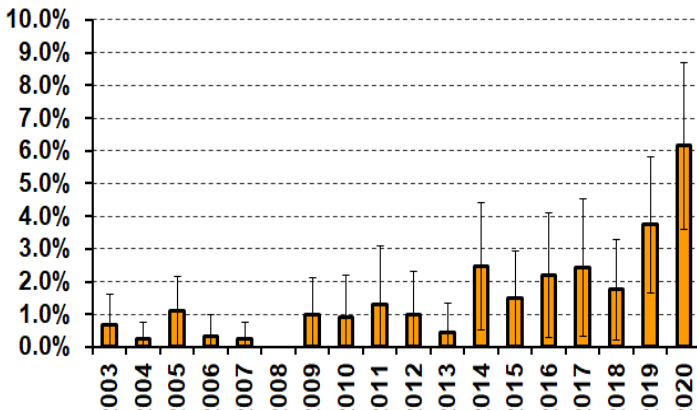
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 425

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 30

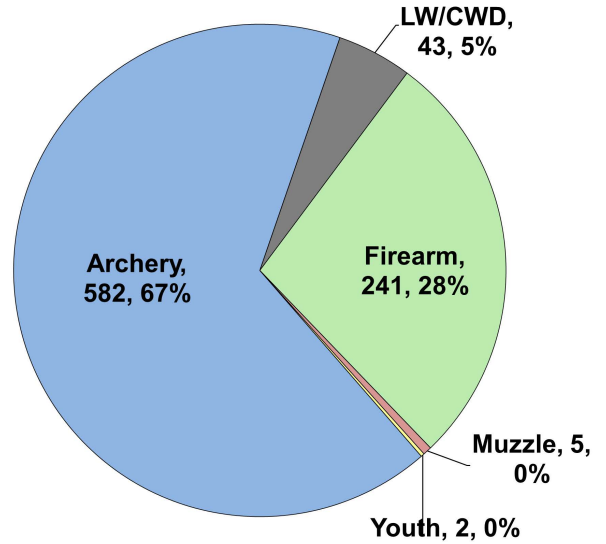
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 62 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known

CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts

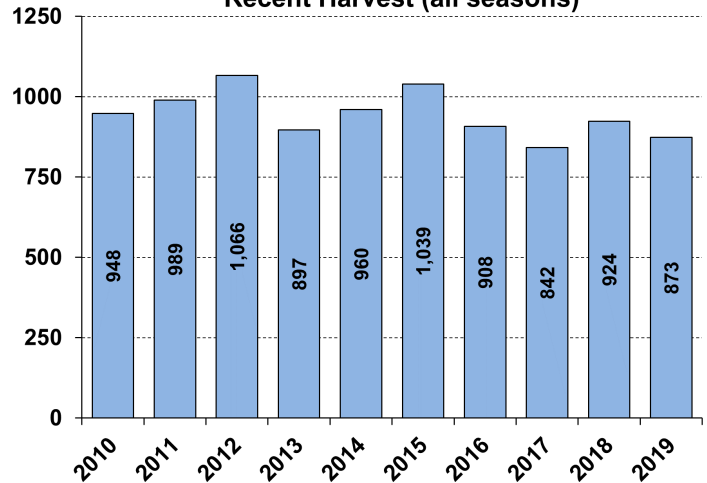
CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	523	442	351	365	376
Crossbow	69	75	144	185	194
Traditional	5	10	5	5	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>527</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>555</b>	<b>582</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.0	19.5	22.1	24.6	34.1
M - Yearling	22.8	25.7	30.1	26.0	25.9
M - Fawn	8.8	12.7	6.4	6.5	8.1
F - Adult	36.2	32.4	30.4	35.5	28.3
F - Fawn	6.2	7.1	4.5	4.3	3.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: McLEAN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 1,186 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1970

**Record Harvest:** 1,688 (2010)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,285

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,113

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1810/1875 **Muzzle:** 275/375

**2018-2019 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

58% M: 42% F; (49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

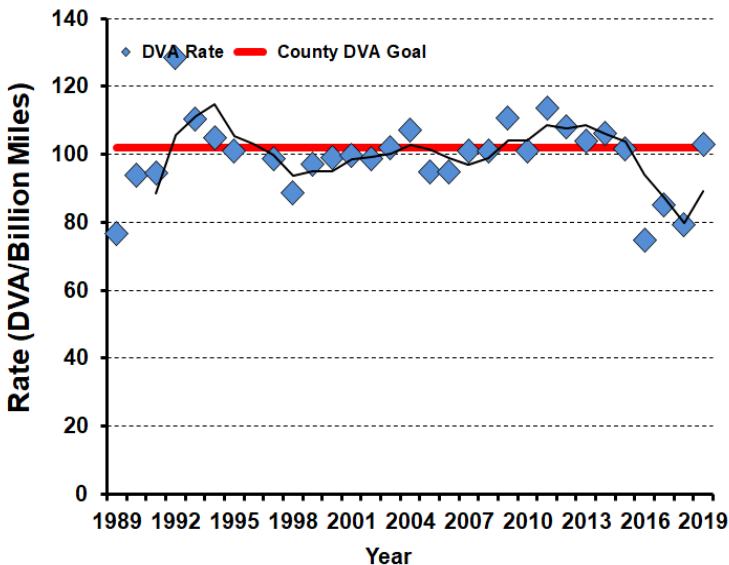
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

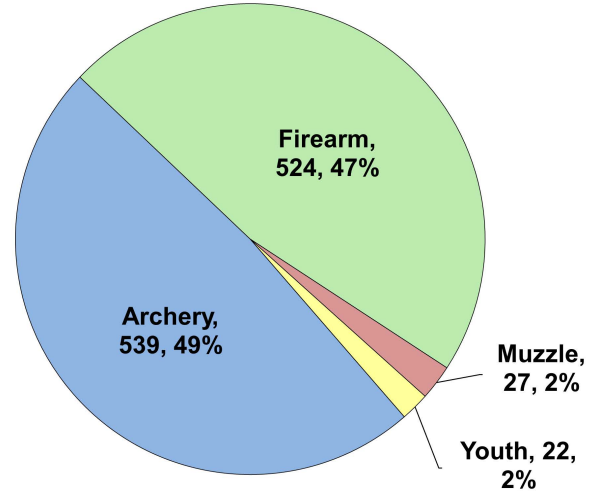
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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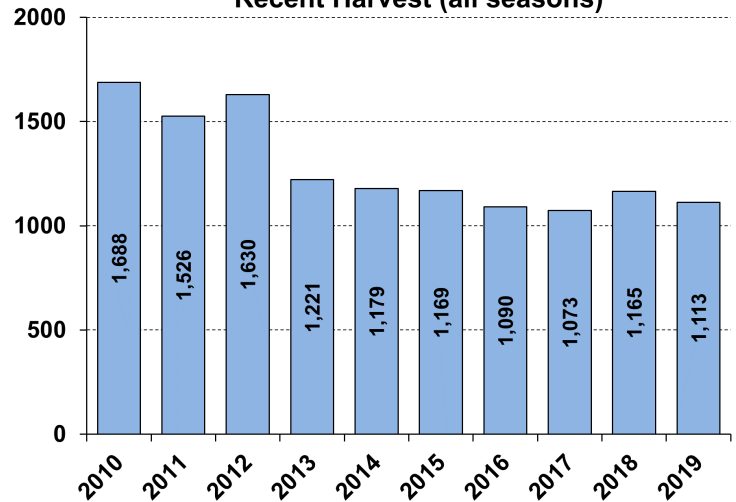
**Last year in Late Winter:** 2019



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	378	373	326	292	275
Crossbow	77	82	167	235	260
Traditional	5	3	3	1	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>539</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.8	27.0	22.3	27.3	29.1
M - Yearling	17.3	16.8	18.1	17.2	19.7
M - Fawn	10.8	8.3	10.2	8.7	9.2
F - Adult	40.3	39.3	41.0	40.5	37.1
F - Fawn	6.8	6.6	6.4	6.3	4.9

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MENARD COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 316 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1962

**Record Harvest:** 1,035 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 790

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 847

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1000/1000      **Muzzle:** 160/160

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

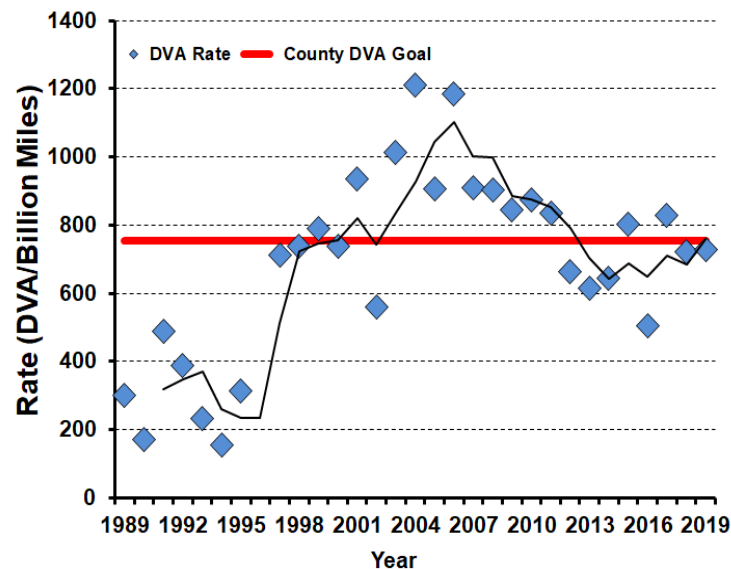
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

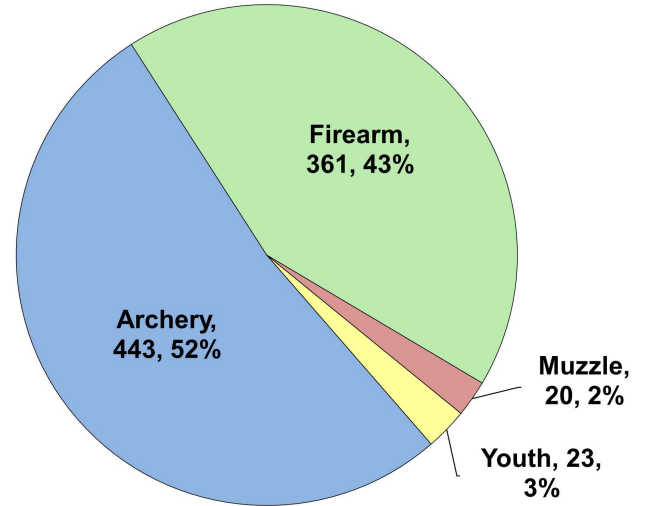
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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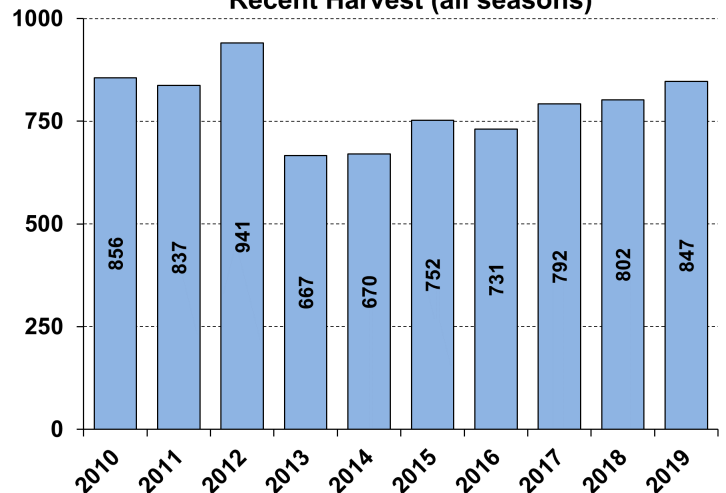
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	287	261	259	213	219
Crossbow	46	58	126	173	222
Traditional	4	2	3	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>443</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	31.9	33.0	36.3	30.7	31.8
M - Yearling	13.4	15.7	13.6	15.8	15.6
M - Fawn	9.0	9.3	7.7	7.7	6.7
F - Adult	40.2	33.4	38.8	39.0	41.0
F - Fawn	5.5	7.7	5.4	8.6	5.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MERCER COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 568 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,623 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,506

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,465

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2508/2900 **Muzzle:** 386/500

**Late Winter:** 24

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

52% M: 48% F;(41% antlered: 59% antlerless)

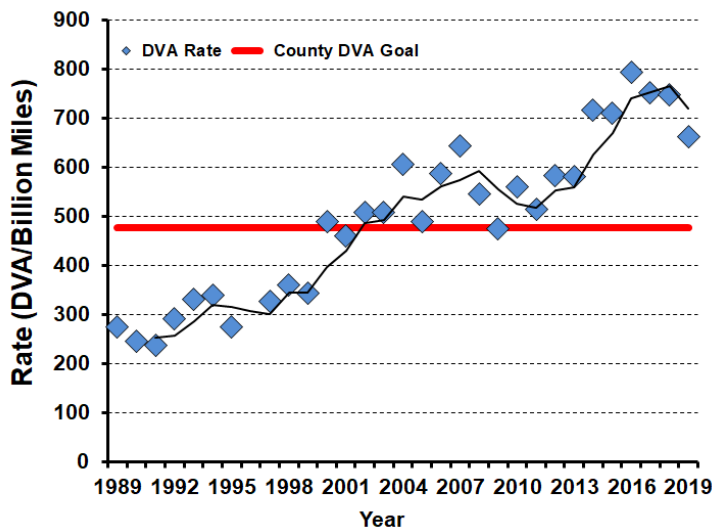
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

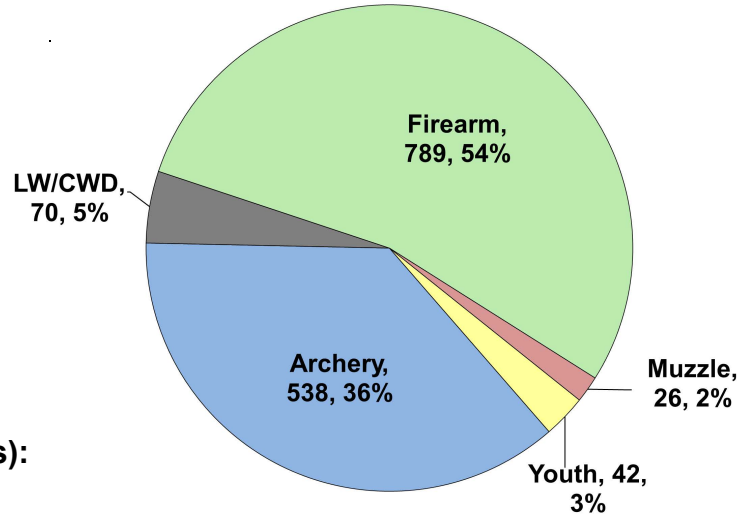
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

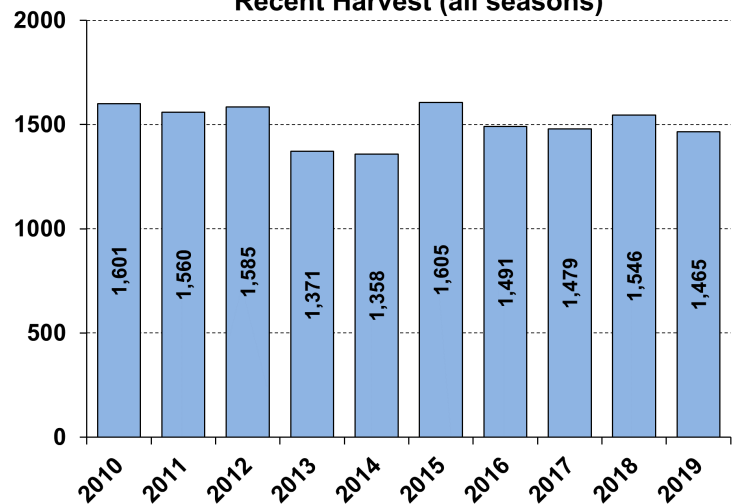
**Time in Late Winter:** 2007 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	438	333	329	294	256
Crossbow	77	80	173	226	279
Traditional	2	2	2	1	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>504</b>	<b>521</b>	<b>538</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.3	23.9	24.9	25.5	24.4
M - Yearling	15.0	14.5	16.8	15.2	16.5
M - Fawn	14.1	12.6	12.4	11.6	11.3
F - Adult	37.6	37.9	36.0	37.5	38.4
F - Fawn	10.9	9.3	7.8	9.2	9.4

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MONROE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 398 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1964

**Record Harvest:** 1,786 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,406

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,544

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2645/2700 **Muzzle:** 306/345

**Late Winter:** 34

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

55% M: 45% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

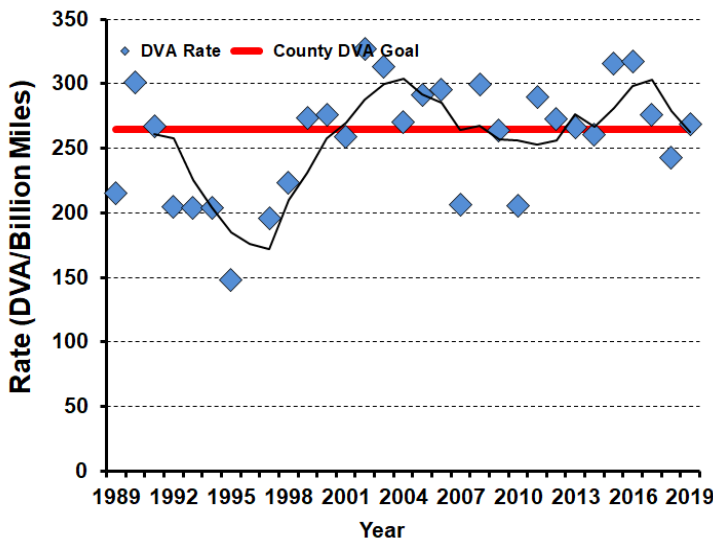
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

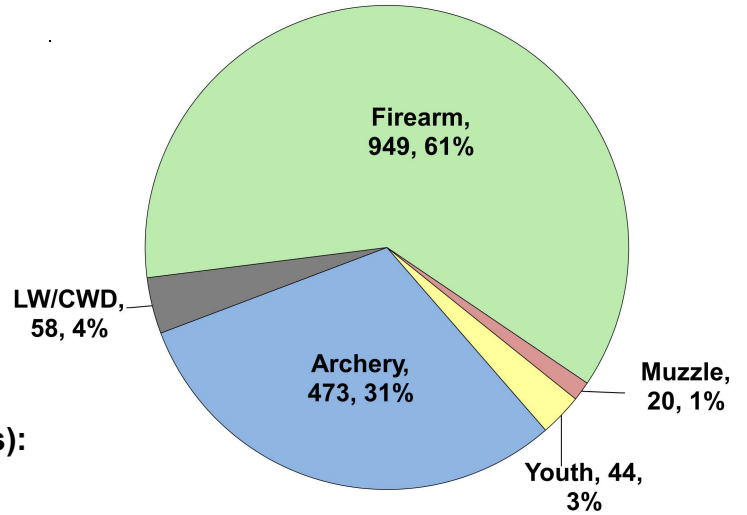
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

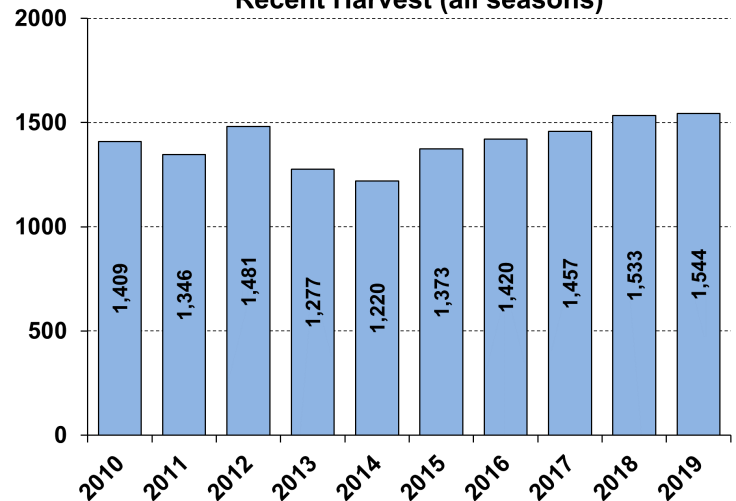
**Time in Late Winter:** 2006 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	256	275	251	226	216
Crossbow	54	67	149	156	251
Traditional	0	4	4	5	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>473</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.9	27.8	28.1	28.2	26.0
M - Yearling	21.1	18.9	22.1	22.8	21.2
M - Fawn	7.7	9.9	9.5	8.3	8.2
F - Adult	38.8	37.8	36.9	37.9	38.9
F - Fawn	5.5	6.5	4.9	5.8	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 710 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 2,424 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,693

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,712

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1799/1800      **Muzzle:** 188/190

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

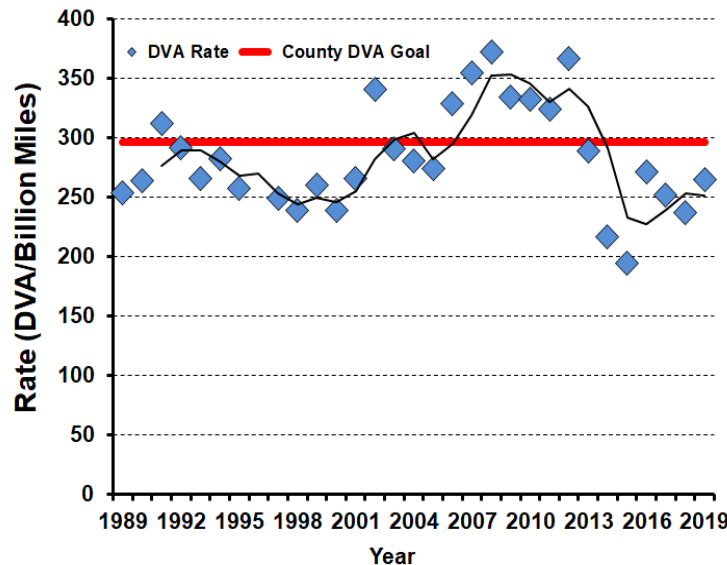
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

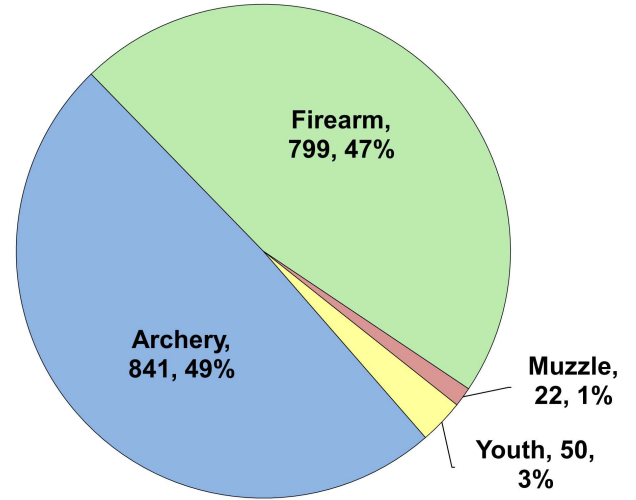
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

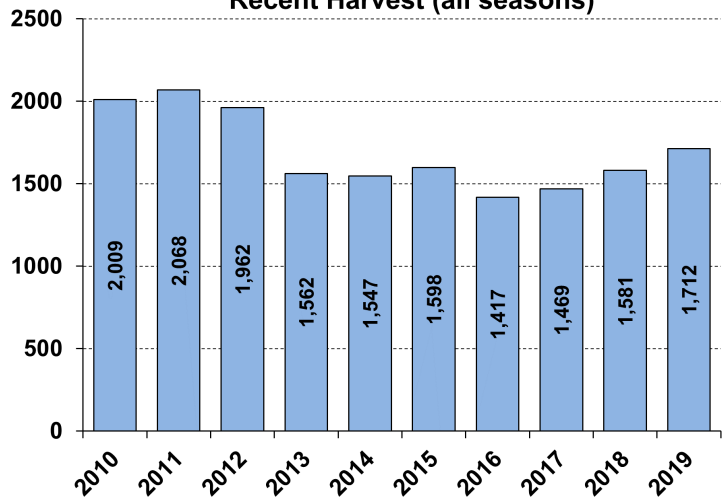
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2015



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	527	480	429	472	506
Crossbow	74	91	199	255	327
Traditional	6	4	1	4	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>575</b>	<b>629</b>	<b>731</b>	<b>841</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.6	22.5	23.8	29.8	28.3
M - Yearling	22.5	19.6	19.8	20.1	18.5
M - Fawn	11.5	11.5	11.4	8.9	7.5
F - Adult	36.0	34.5	36.8	34.9	39.0
F - Fawn	7.3	9.0	6.1	6.1	6.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MORGAN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 574 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 2,222 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,422

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,360

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1500/1500     **Muzzle:** 170/170

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

59% M:41% F;(50% antlered: 50% antlerless)

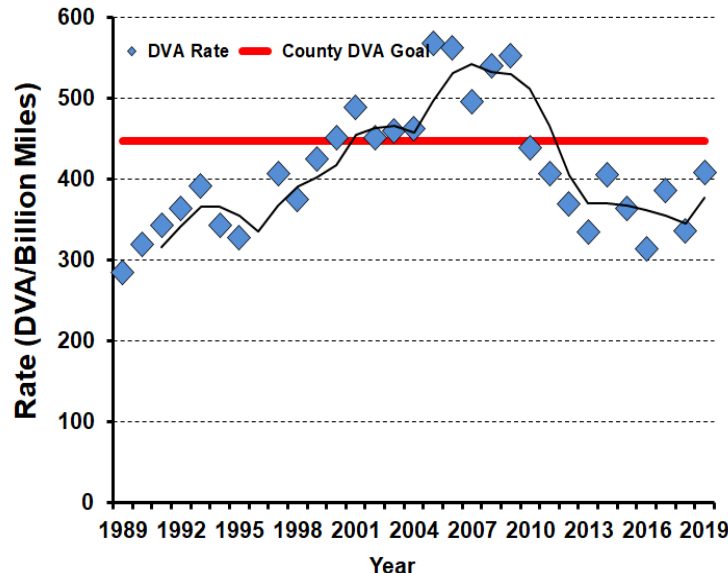
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

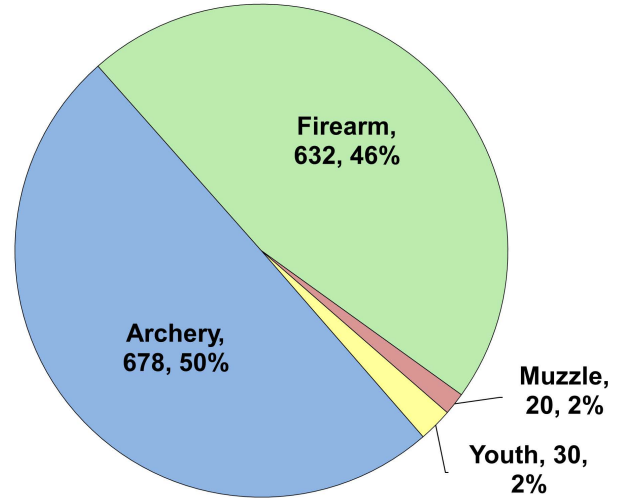
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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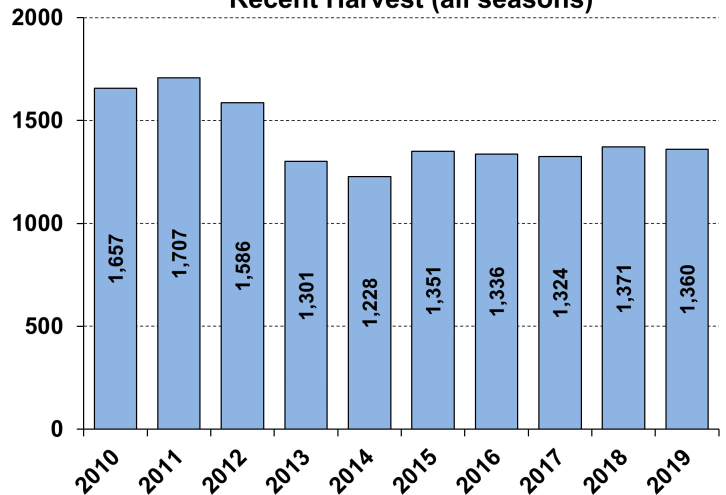
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	442	434	401	348	376
Crossbow	60	74	164	231	295
Traditional	1	3	3	0	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>678</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.1	30.3	34.0	34.6	33.2
M - Yearling	18.4	16.1	14.9	14.9	17.2
M - Fawn	9.1	8.8	9.9	10.7	9.0
F - Adult	35.9	36.2	34.5	32.7	35.1
F - Fawn	8.5	8.3	6.0	7.6	5.4

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: MOULTRIE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 344 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1972

**Record Harvest:** 777 (2011)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 600

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 663

**Permits issued/filled 2019-2020:**

Firearm: 325/325 Muzzle: 80/80

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M:43% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

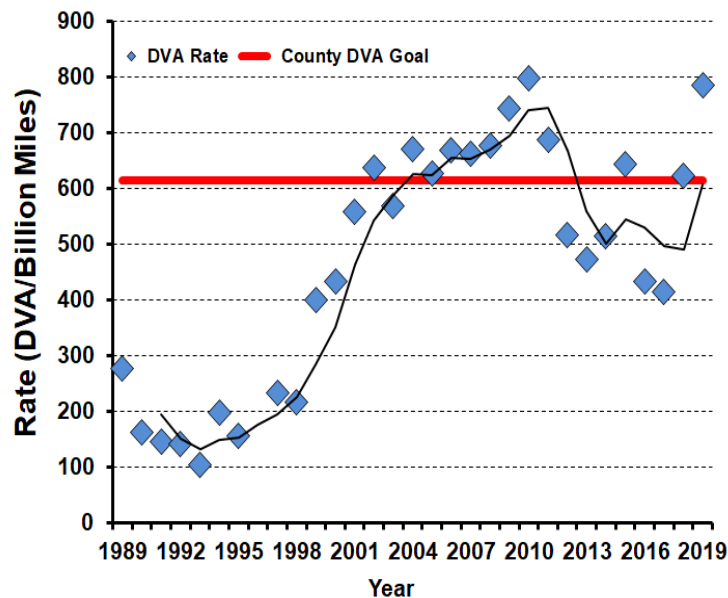
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

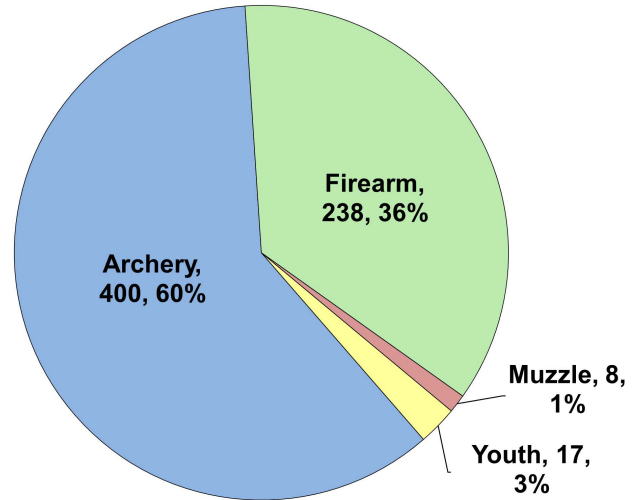
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

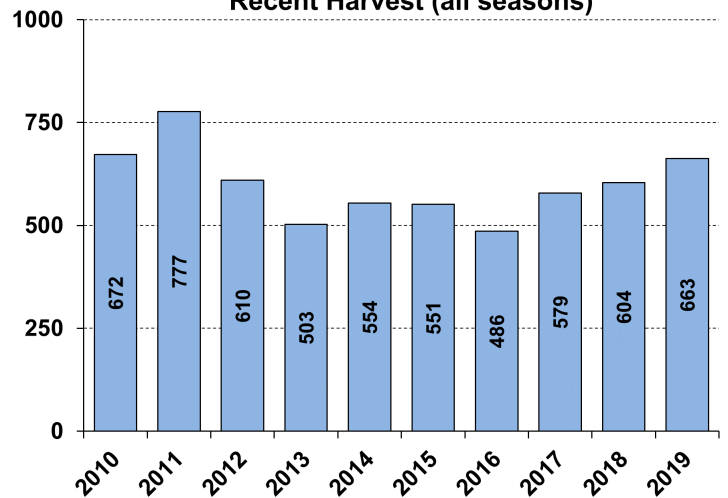
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	266	222	222	189	205
Crossbow	46	26	129	172	190
Traditional	3	8	4	7	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>256</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>368</b>	<b>400</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.4	23.4	26.3	28.3	23.4
M - Yearling	20.0	18.3	21.1	22.8	25.5
M - Fawn	12.9	10.3	10.0	10.6	8.0
F - Adult	35.2	37.7	36.8	33.6	35.6
F - Fawn	10.5	7.2	7.1	7.1	7.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: OGLE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 764 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 2,488 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,812

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,435

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2589/3850 **Muzzle:** 304/675 **CWD:** 55

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M: 43% F;(50% antlered: 50% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Castle Rock State Park

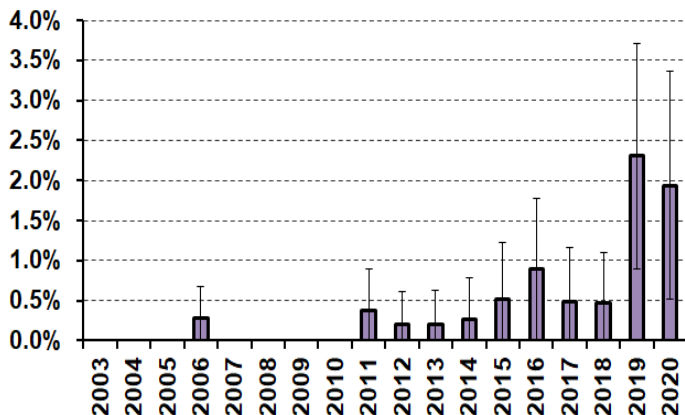
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

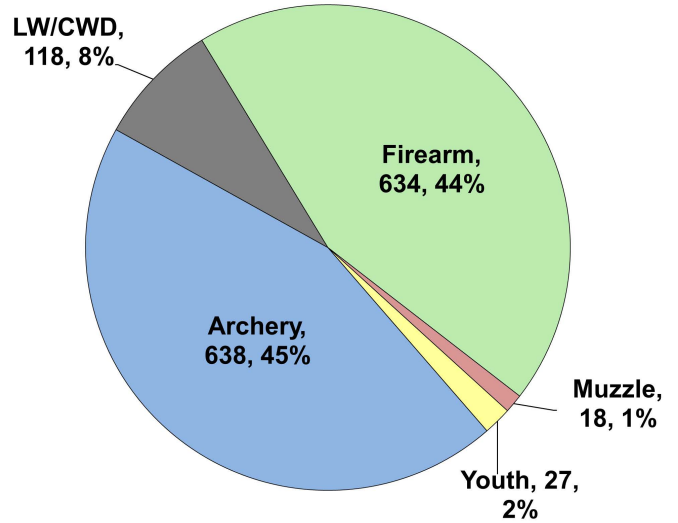
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 388

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 7

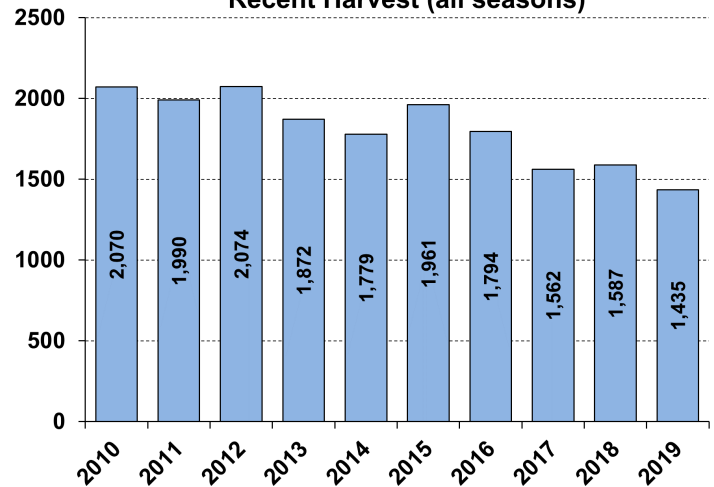
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 25 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	612	585	419	376	386
Crossbow	122	99	164	240	250
Traditional	9	6	9	9	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>743</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>638</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.2	24.2	21.2	18.8	28.8
M - Yearling	19.9	17.8	19.2	22.1	20.8
M - Fawn	10.3	11.6	8.3	9.1	7.8
F - Adult	40.4	39.2	39.5	38.8	36.1
F - Fawn	8.2	6.4	5.4	7.3	6.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: PEORIA COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 630 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1962

**Record Harvest:** 3,366 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,287

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,888

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 2598/2600    **Muzzle:** 360/360

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

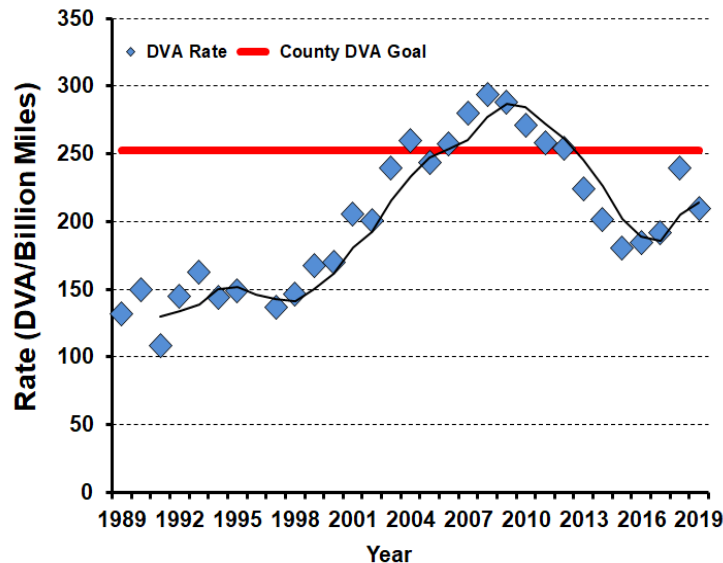
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

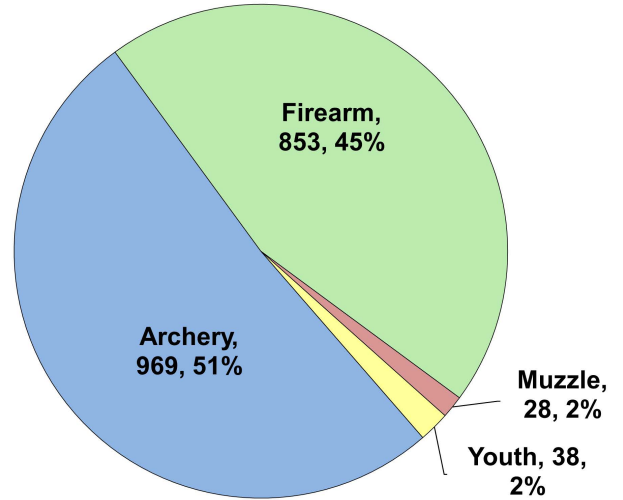
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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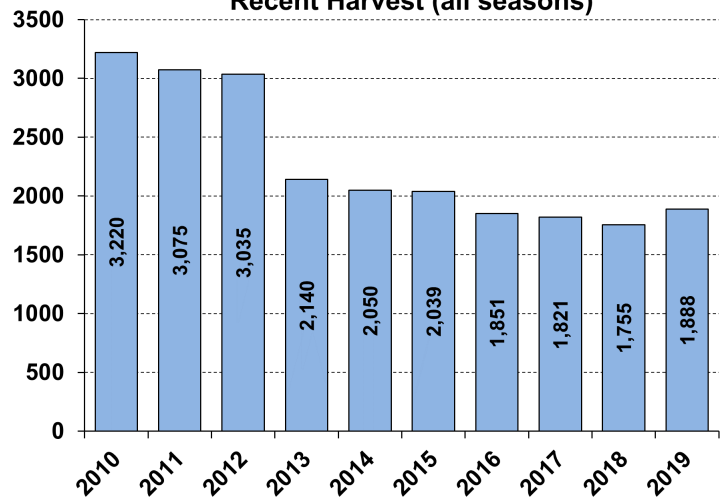
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2015



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	760	669	562	450	497
Crossbow	108	130	313	381	460
Traditional	8	15	17	8	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>876</b>	<b>814</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>969</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.3	22.1	21.4	18.0	24.5
M - Yearling	20.1	19.4	21.1	18.3	21.2
M - Fawn	10.8	12.0	9.2	11.7	8.5
F - Adult	37.3	37.7	40.0	40.0	38.9
F - Fawn	8.4	6.5	5.7	9.0	6.9

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: PERRY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 447 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1963

**Record Harvest:** 2,810 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,358

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,741

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited)::

**Firearm:** 2983/3100 **Muzzle:** 452/500

**Late Winter:** 200

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

51% M: 49% F;(43% antlered: 57% antlerless)

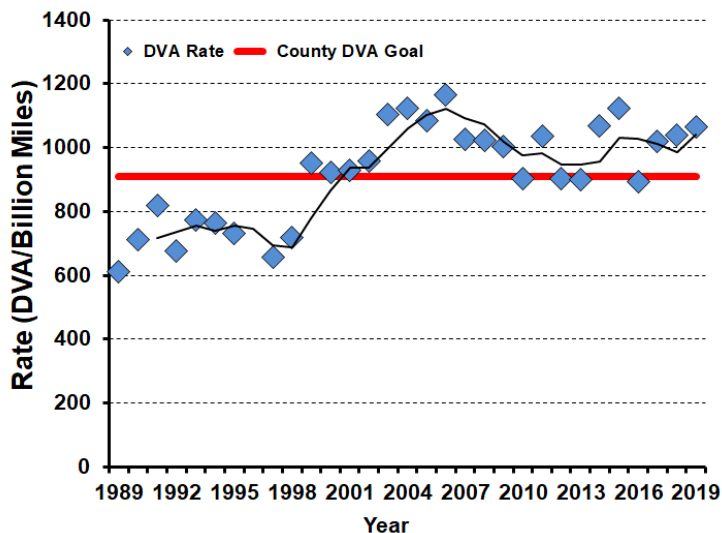
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

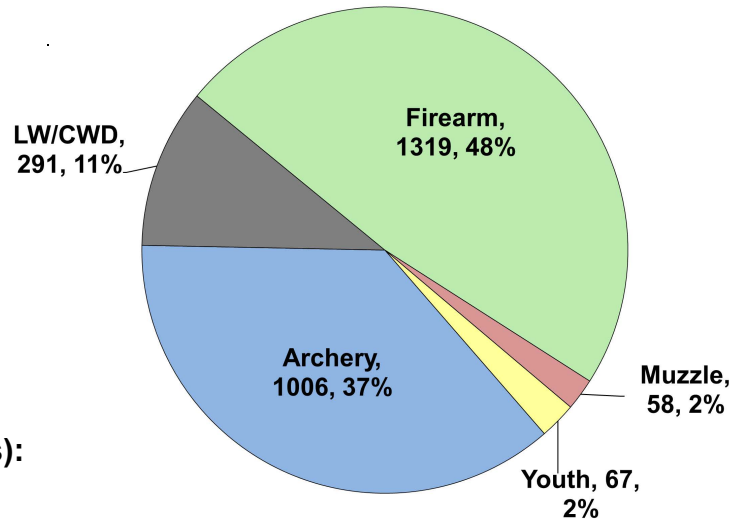
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

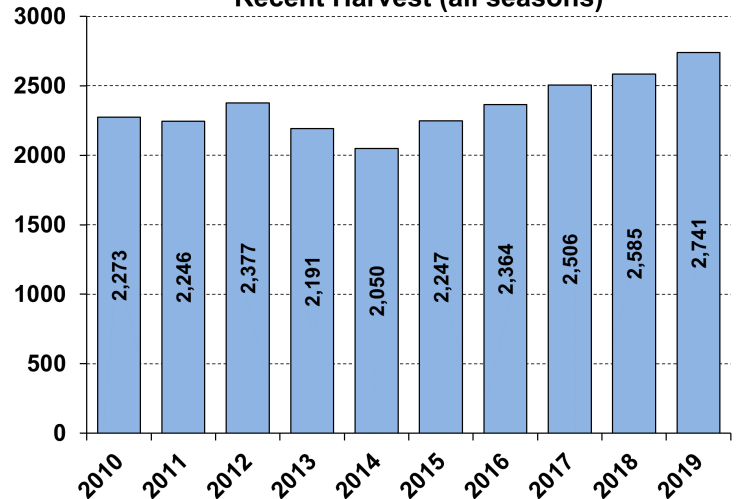
**Time in Late Winter:** 2017 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	667	662	579	495	531
Crossbow	127	125	233	362	462
Traditional	3	5	5	9	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>797</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>1006</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.0	28.0	31.0	33.0	27.7
M - Yearling	17.6	14.1	14.3	14.0	15.1
M - Fawn	8.5	9.1	9.3	8.4	8.0
F - Adult	38.5	41.9	41.5	42.1	41.9
F - Fawn	7.4	8.3	7.1	6.8	7.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: PIATT COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 439 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1972

**Record Harvest:** 619 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 341

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 396

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 300/300      **Muzzle:** 75/75

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
57% M:43% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

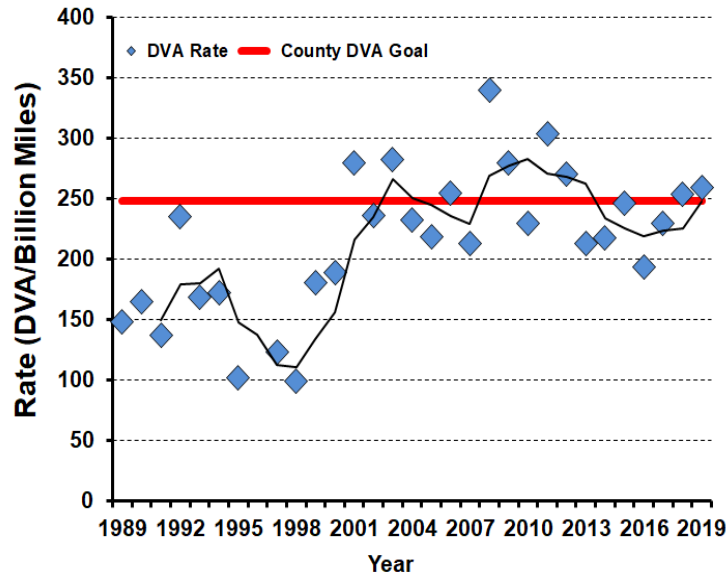
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

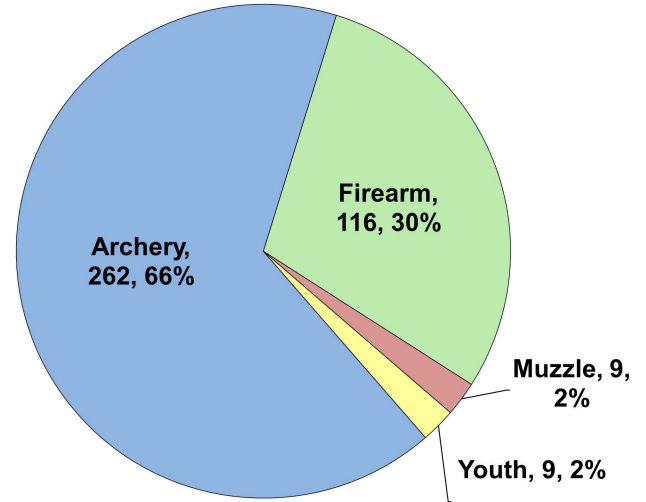
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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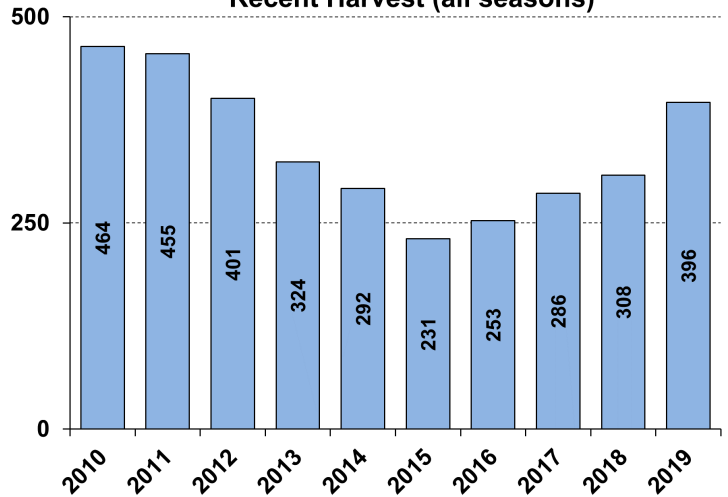
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	115	111	125	115	129
Crossbow	9	16	46	66	132
Traditional	30	15	18	30	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>262</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	33.3	37.2	39.8	40.3	31.6
M - Yearling	17.7	20.9	19.2	20.5	20.5
M - Fawn	8.7	6.3	5.6	6.2	5.3
F - Adult	34.2	32.4	40.9	37.3	37.1
F - Fawn	6.1	6.3	2.1	5.8	5.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: PIKE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 848 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 9,033 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 5,538

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 4,387

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 4761/4800      **Muzzle:** 879/885

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

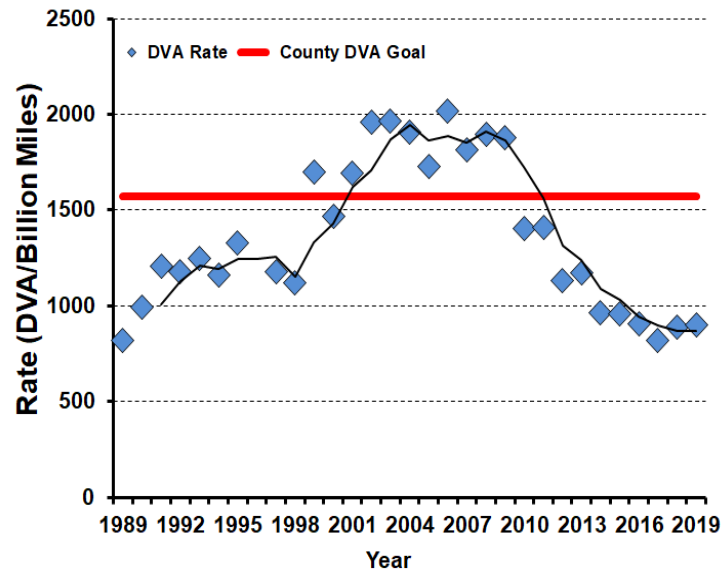
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

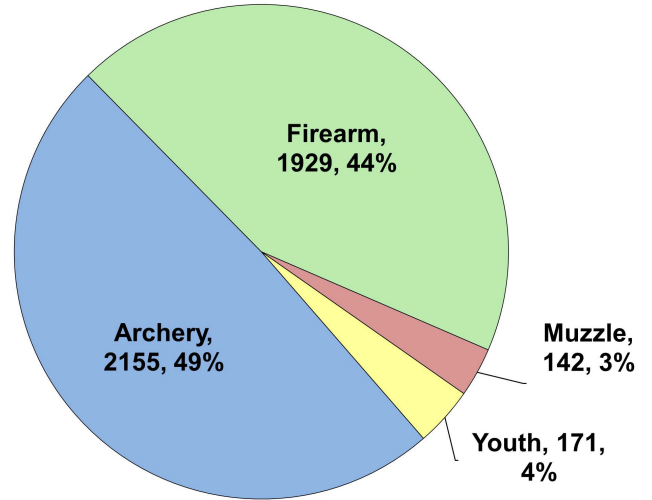
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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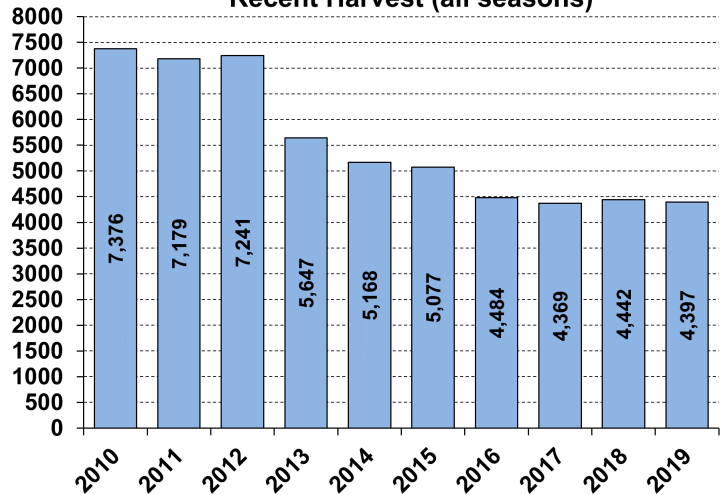
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2016



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	1878	1775	1488	1268	1179
Crossbow	231	260	549	823	930
Traditional	13	14	16	20	46
<b>Total</b>	<b>2122</b>	<b>2049</b>	<b>2053</b>	<b>2111</b>	<b>2155</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	30.4	32.5	31.9	31.2	33.4
M - Yearling	11.4	12.9	12.5	12.4	13.7
M - Fawn	8.9	7.2	7.2	6.6	6.8
F - Adult	41.5	36.5	37.1	39.2	40.1
F - Fawn	7.8	6.6	6.0	6.1	6.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: POPE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 374 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,230 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,498

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,472

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 4200/4200      **Muzzle:** 390/425

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
58% M:42% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

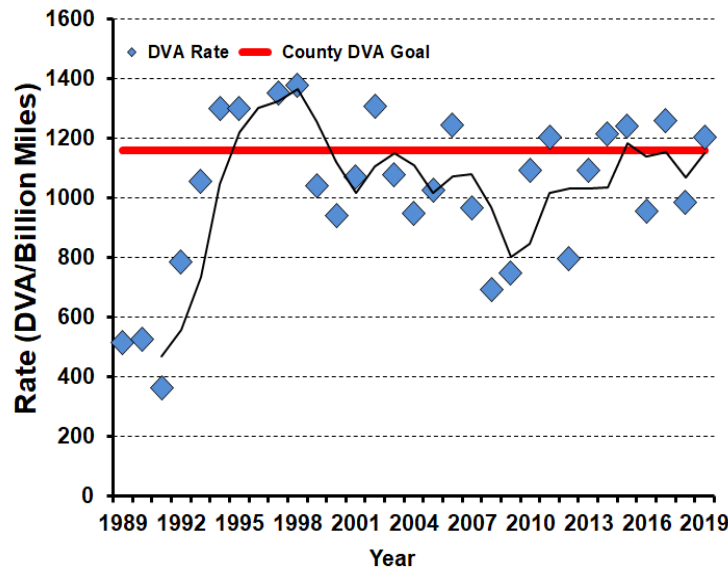
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

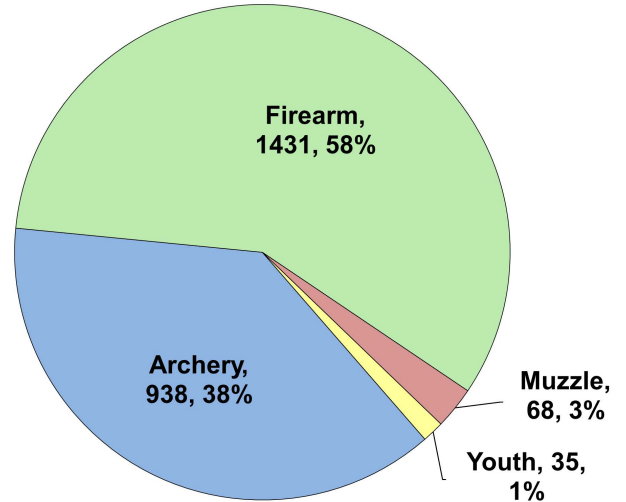
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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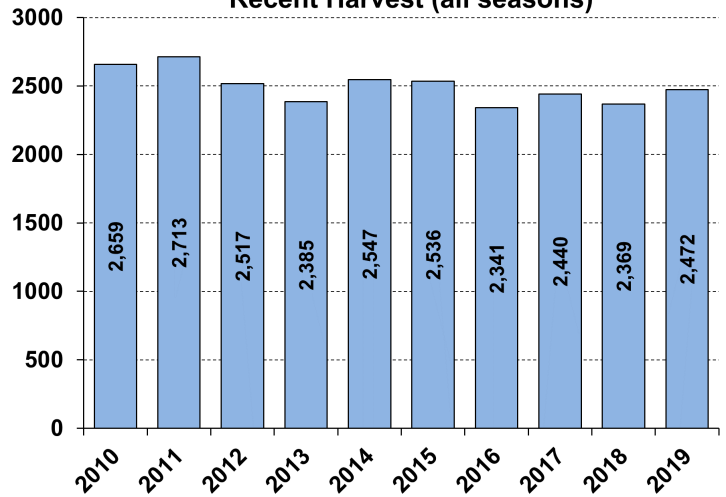
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	701	690	601	529	499
Crossbow	118	134	225	326	433
Traditional	5	1	6	1	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>825</b>	<b>832</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>938</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.5	22.6	23.4	24.6	27.7
M - Yearling	25.6	25.2	23.6	26.3	24.2
M - Fawn	8.8	7.7	10.1	7.7	6.6
F - Adult	33.8	37.0	35.6	34.7	35.0
F - Fawn	6.4	5.7	6.4	4.9	6.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: PULASKI COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 203 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,171 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 809

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 610

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 500/500      **Muzzle:** 80/80

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M:47% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

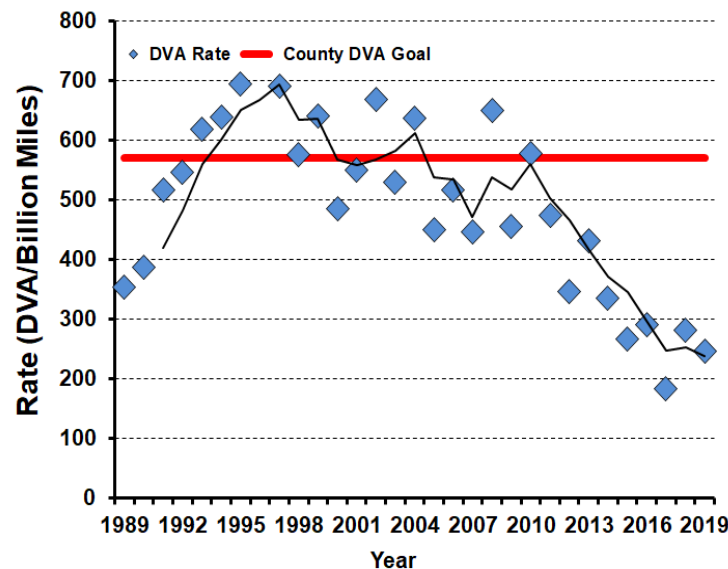
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

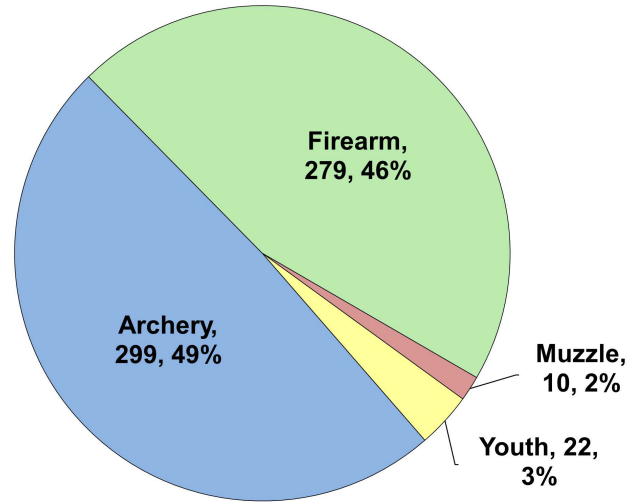
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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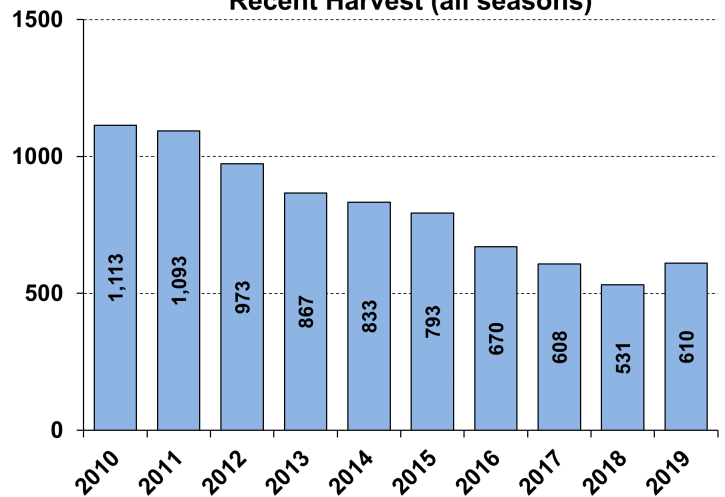
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** Never



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	179	184	159	136	164
Crossbow	36	34	68	95	132
Traditional	0	1	2	0	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>299</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.3	21.9	20.8	19.5	27.7
M - Yearling	21.7	21.3	20.7	23.0	19.0
M - Fawn	7.7	7.8	7.9	5.3	6.7
F - Adult	39.3	39.9	39.8	35.2	41.8
F - Fawn	5.9	5.1	4.4	7.3	4.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: PUTNAM COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 172 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,146 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 761

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 705

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 997/1000 **Muzzle:** 183/195

**Late Winter:** 32

**2018-2019 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

52% M: 48% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

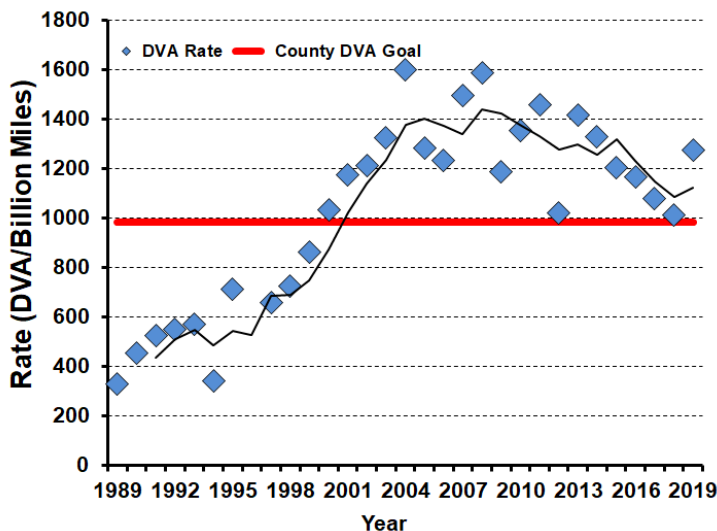
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

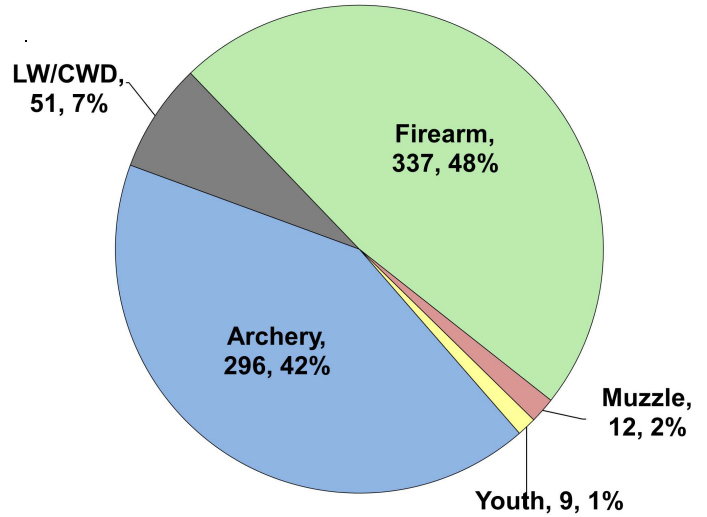
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

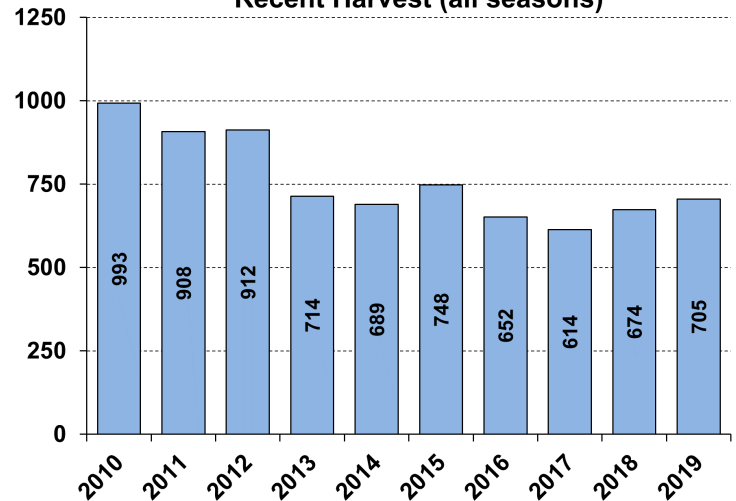
**Time in Late Winter:** 2008 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	215	188	138	144	147
Crossbow	48	44	72	108	148
Traditional	4	11	6	5	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>296</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	21.7	21.0	22.1	22.2	27.5
M - Yearling	15.2	16.7	18.9	17.1	17.7
M - Fawn	10.4	8.3	9.8	9.2	7.2
F - Adult	43.7	41.9	36.5	40.7	42.1
F - Fawn	9.0	9.0	7.8	8.5	5.4

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: RANDOLPH COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 595 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1963

**Record Harvest:** 4,139 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 3,538

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 3,794

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 4485/4500      **Muzzle:** 610/660

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

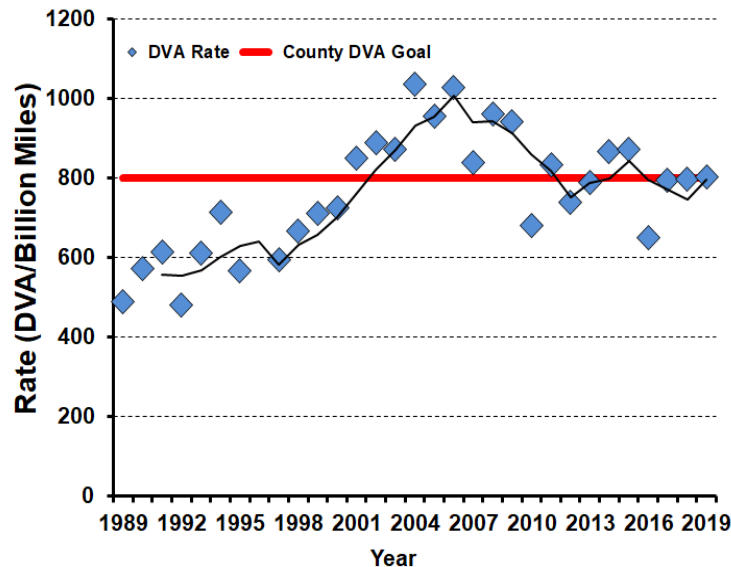
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

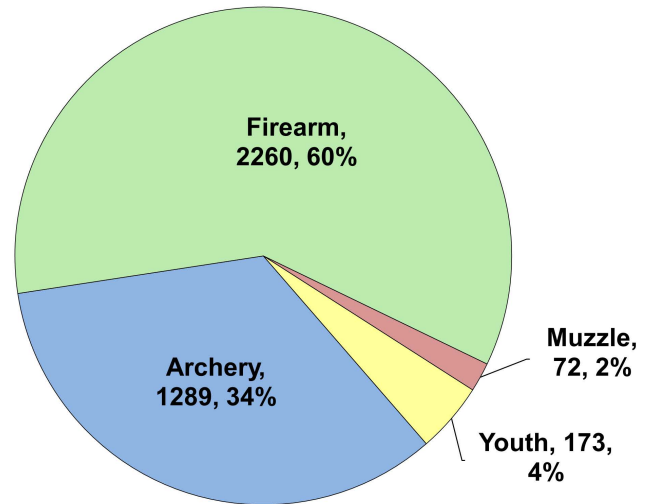
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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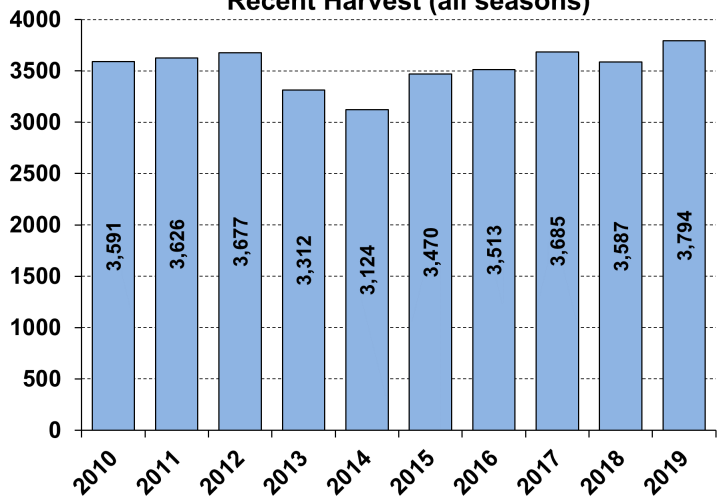
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	811	821	715	620	644
Crossbow	159	175	364	475	638
Traditional	1	3	4	7	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>971</b>	<b>999</b>	<b>1083</b>	<b>1102</b>	<b>1288</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	27.3	29.6	29.9	27.7	28.6
M - Yearling	18.2	17.8	16.0	19.8	17.1
M - Fawn	9.2	9.1	9.9	8.3	8.0
F - Adult	37.7	37.0	38.4	37.9	40.5
F - Fawn	7.6	6.8	7.5	7.1	5.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: RICHLAND COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 362 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 1,852 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,234

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,274

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1297/1300     **Muzzle:** 140/140

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

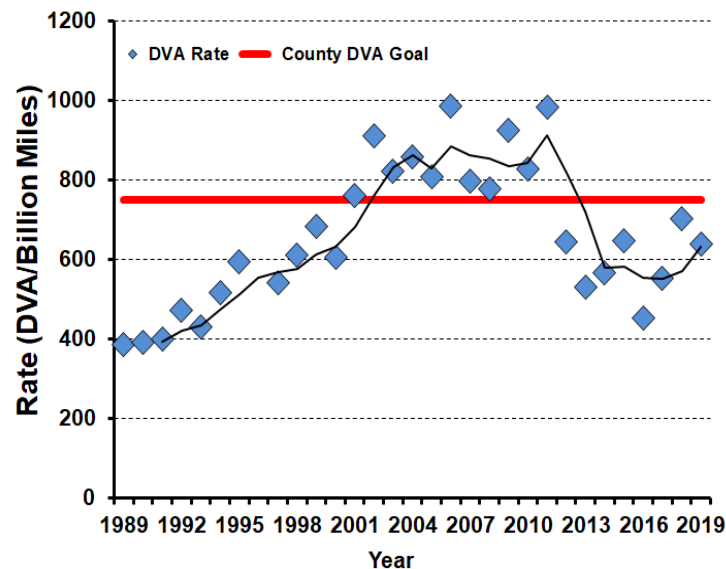
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

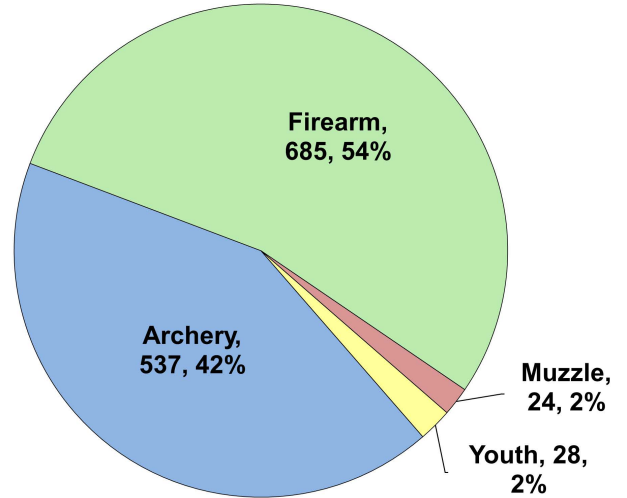
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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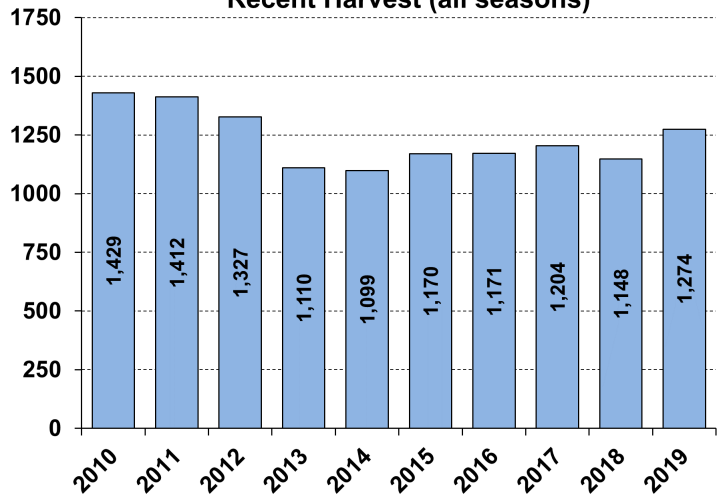
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	330	341	312	280	307
Crossbow	53	42	126	145	230
Traditional	7	3	5	4	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>429</b>	<b>537</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.7	26.6	28.1	26.4	27.4
M - Yearling	19.4	16.1	17.0	16.3	16.5
M - Fawn	10.9	10.3	10.2	11.8	10.0
F - Adult	36.3	38.2	36.2	34.4	38.5
F - Fawn	8.6	8.8	9.2	10.6	7.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 452 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1961

**Record Harvest:** 1,926 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,631

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,375

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2330/3000 **Muzzle:** 381/550

**Late Winter:** 14

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

53% M: 47% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

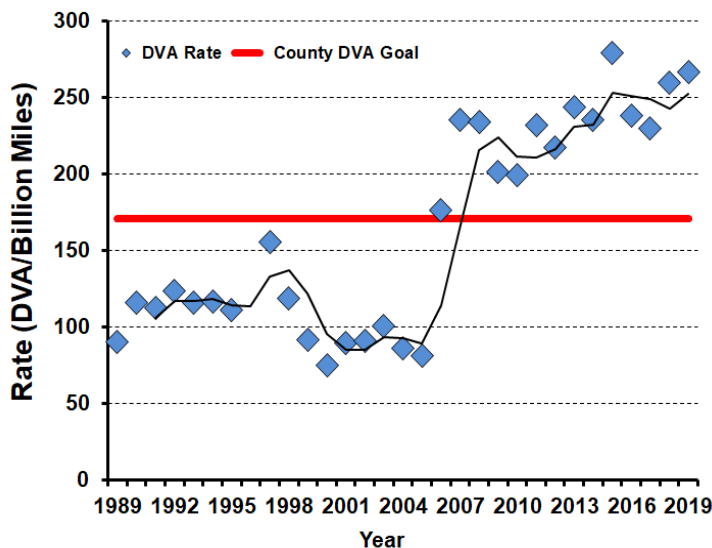
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

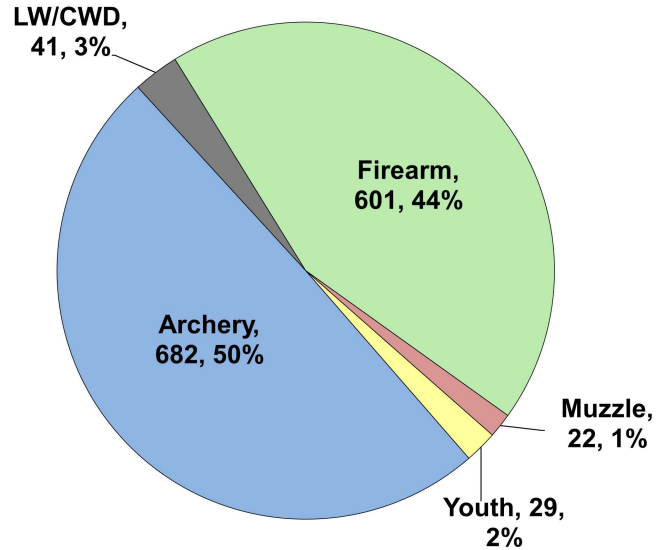
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

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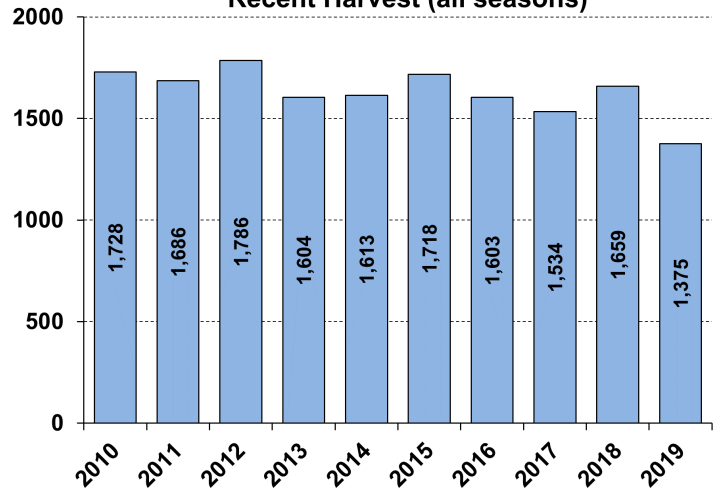
**Time in Late Winter:** 2007 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	596	541	443	376	353
Crossbow	113	109	247	334	323
Traditional	2	2	3	11	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>711</b>	<b>652</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>682</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	19.4	21.8	21.4	23.0	25.6
M - Yearling	17.5	18.2	20.5	19.3	18.0
M - Fawn	12.3	12.0	10.2	10.8	9.7
F - Adult	41.5	37.5	38.4	38.0	38.5
F - Fawn	9.3	8.9	6.9	8.0	8.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: SALINE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 387 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,913 (2010)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,657

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,753

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2508/2800 **Muzzle:** 272/300

**Late Winter:** 57

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M; 46% F; (46% antlered; 54% antlerless)

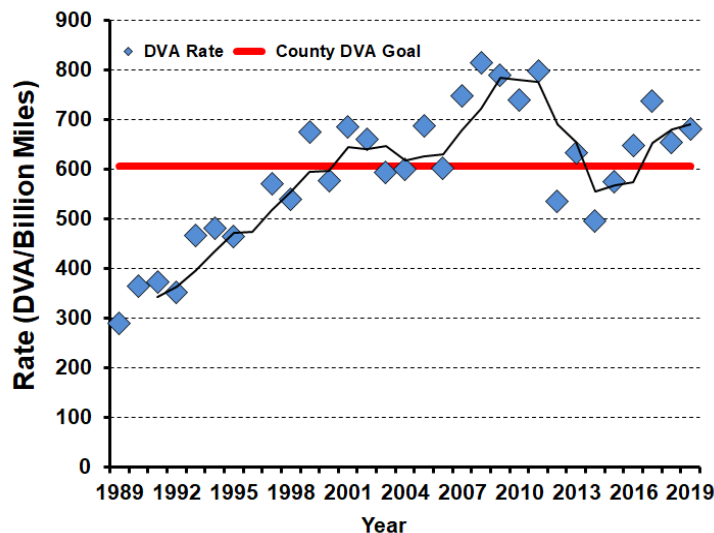
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**Check Station Location:** N/A

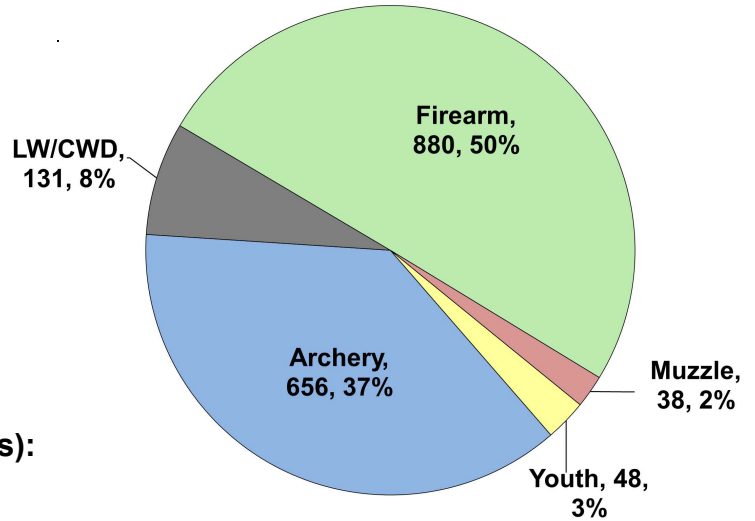
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

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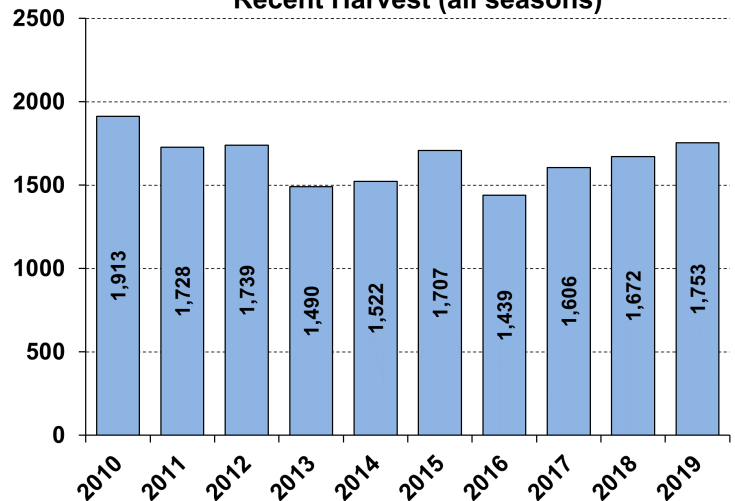
**Time in Late Winter:** 2019 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	440	386	348	324	334
Crossbow	77	63	185	237	314
Traditional	5	4	8	11	8
<b>Total</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>572</b>	<b>656</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	26.8	25.3	26.8	25.2	28.5
M - Yearling	16.4	19.7	17.9	18.8	17.0
M - Fawn	9.0	7.6	7.7	6.4	8.0
F - Adult	40.3	36.4	38.1	42.7	39.9
F - Fawn	7.6	6.3	7.7	6.3	6.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: SANGAMON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 877 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1965

**Record Harvest:** 1,980 (2006)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,549

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,517

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1350/1350      **Muzzle:** 270/270

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

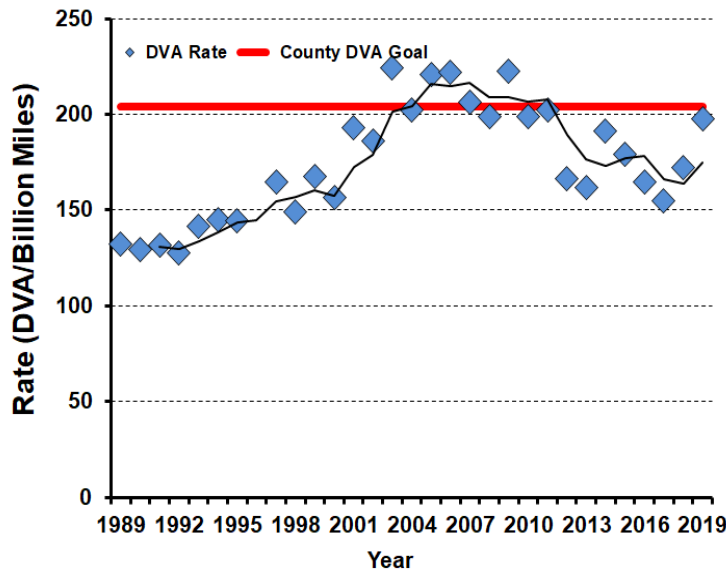
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

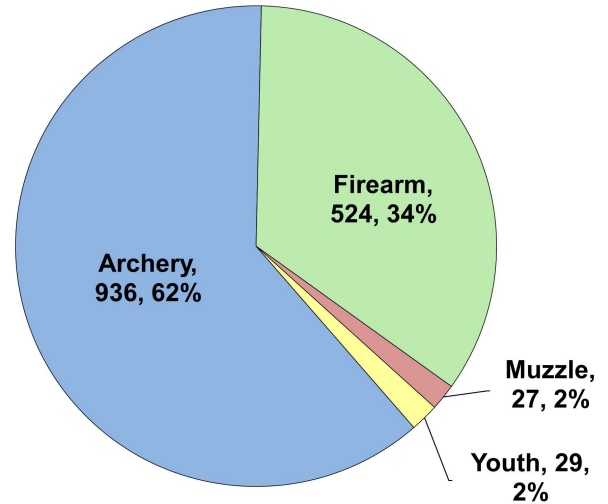
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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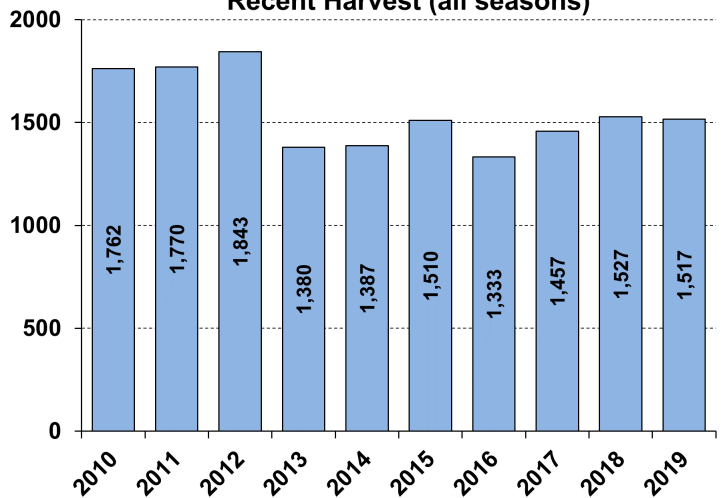
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	597	552	503	482	486
Crossbow	124	120	263	412	443
Traditional	9	7	7	12	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>906</b>	<b>936</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.4	24.0	28.1	29.0	30.4
M - Yearling	18.2	17.0	18.7	17.7	17.2
M - Fawn	10.2	11.8	9.0	10.2	6.7
F - Adult	38.6	37.0	37.6	37.2	40.0
F - Fawn	7.5	7.0	5.6	6.2	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: SCHUYLER COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 442 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,243 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,738

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,519

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 3738/3875      **Muzzle:** 498/500

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
55% M:45% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

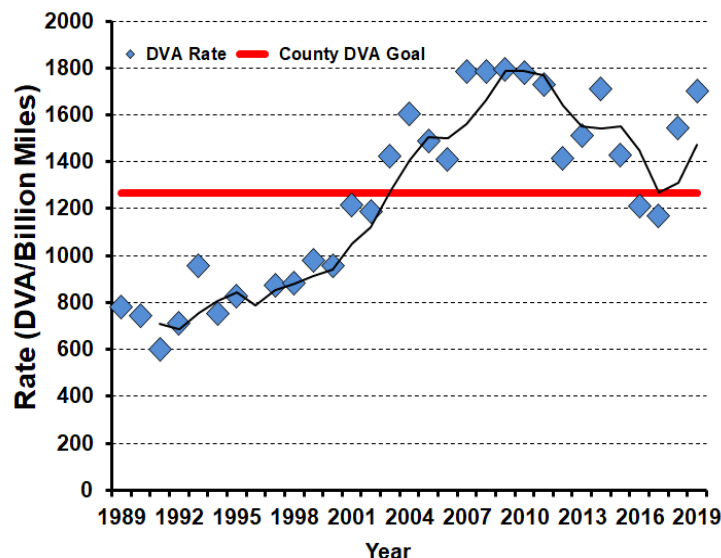
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

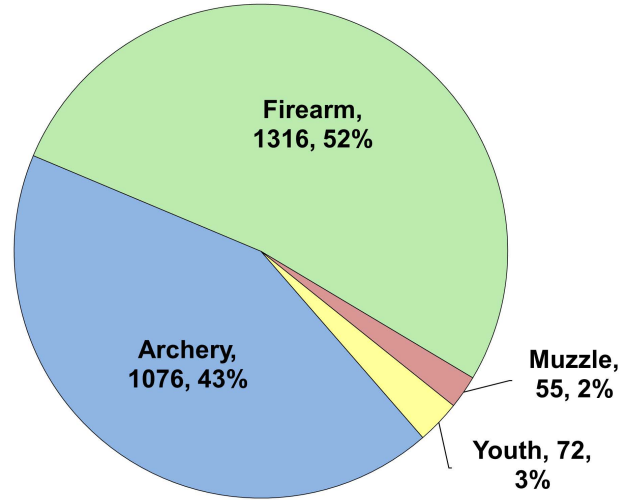
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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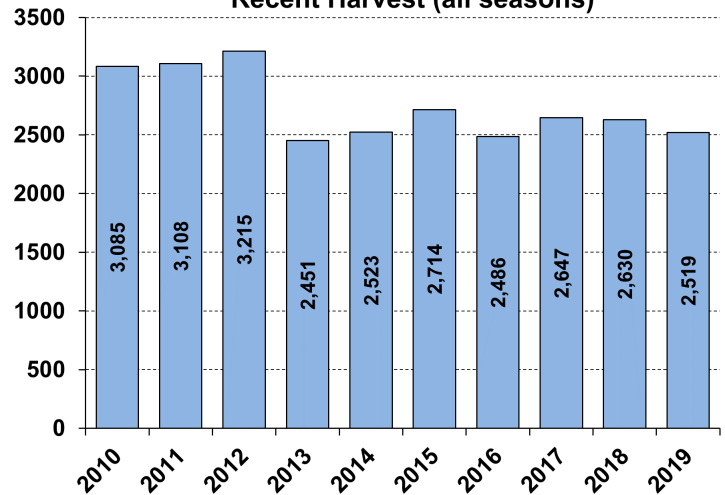
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2018



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	739	740	716	567	581
Crossbow	112	103	287	418	485
Traditional	4	1	1	7	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>1004</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>1076</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.6	28.3	30.2	29.5	31.1
M - Yearling	12.4	14.6	14.1	14.8	15.4
M - Fawn	12.6	10.3	8.9	9.5	8.8
F - Adult	38.5	36.9	38.8	35.2	37.9
F - Fawn	11.0	7.3	7.2	10.1	6.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: SCOTT COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 253 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,214 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 716

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 645

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 650/650      **Muzzle:** 105/105

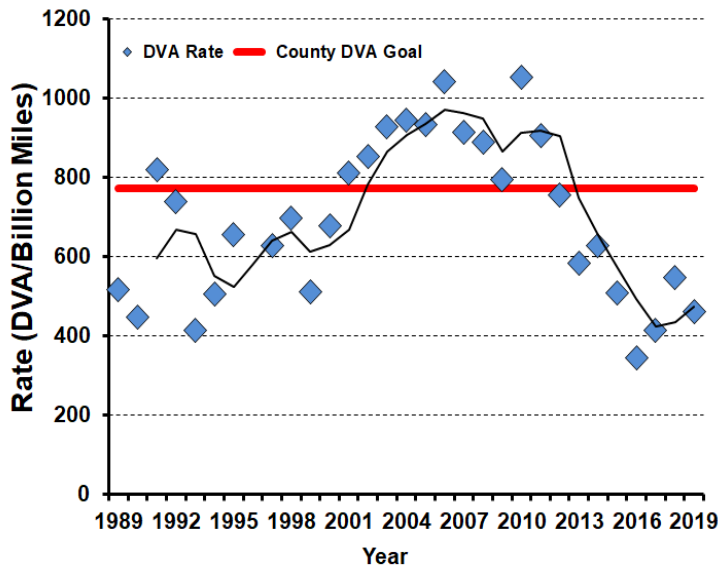
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
54% M:46% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

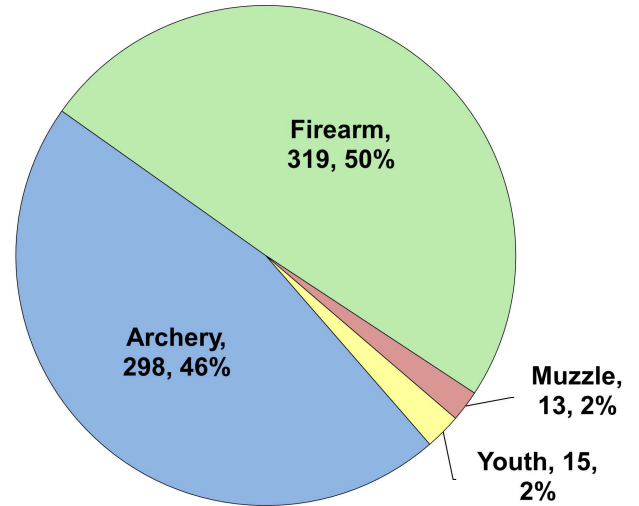
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

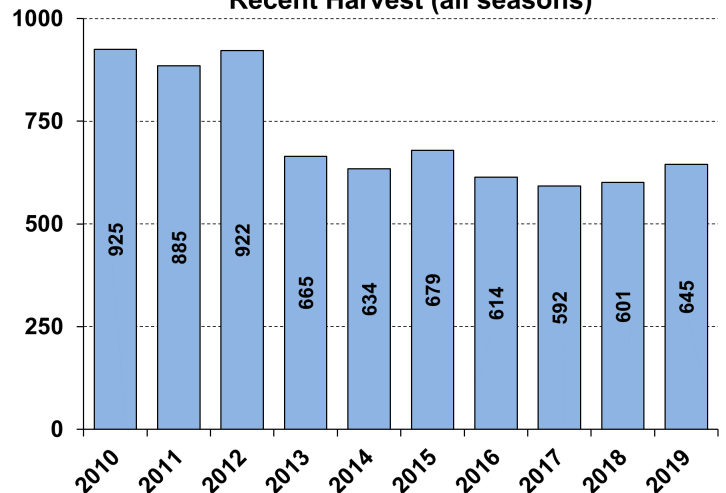
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	739	740	716	567	581
Crossbow	112	103	287	418	485
Traditional	4	1	1	7	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>844</b>	<b>1004</b>	<b>992</b>	<b>1076</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.6	28.3	30.2	29.5	31.1
M - Yearling	12.4	14.6	14.1	14.8	15.4
M - Fawn	12.6	10.3	8.9	9.5	8.8
F - Adult	38.5	36.9	38.8	35.2	37.9
F - Fawn	11.0	7.3	7.2	10.1	6.8

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: SHELBY COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 768 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1970

**Record Harvest:** 2,554 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,088

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,300

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; late winter are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 12997/3300 **Muzzle:** 380/550

**Late Winter:** 46

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

56% M: 44% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

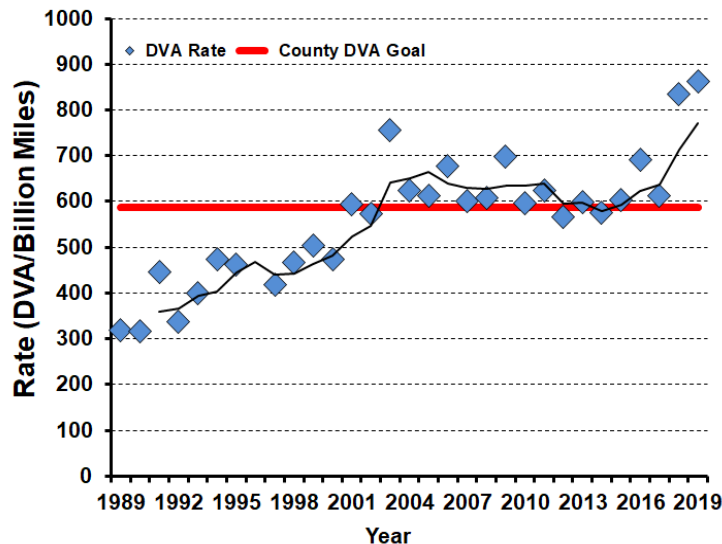
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

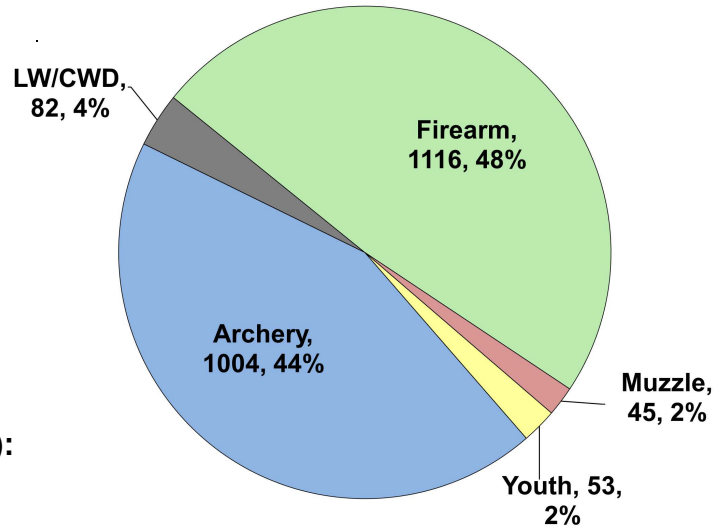
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties remain or are added to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates are above goal, or other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

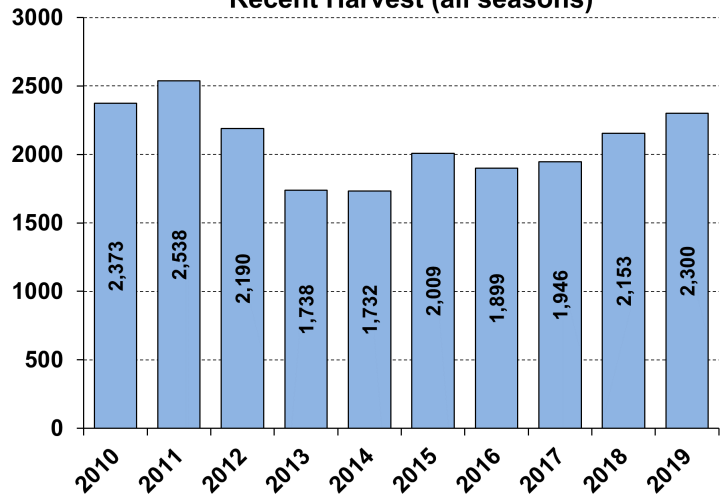
**Time in Late Winter:** 2007 - Present



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	586	565	500	503	591
Crossbow	83	80	233	322	403
Traditional	0	2	2	3	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>1004</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.6	23.6	24.9	27.1	26.5
M - Yearling	20.2	20.2	19.3	19.4	20.0
M - Fawn	11.5	13.0	11.0	10.8	9.2
F - Adult	37.6	34.3	36.3	35.8	36.5
F - Fawn	7.0	7.5	7.7	8.7	7.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: ST. CLAIR COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 675 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 2,123 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,458

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,443

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1800/1800      **Muzzle:** 185/185

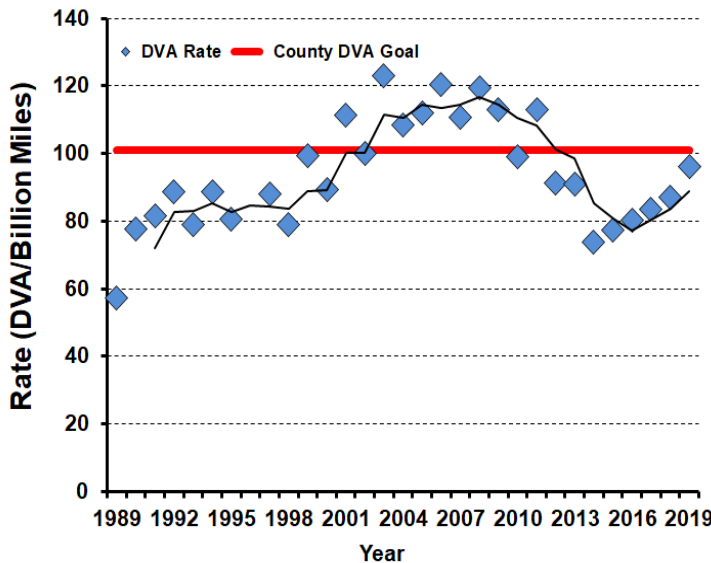
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
58% M:42% F;(51% antlered: 49% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

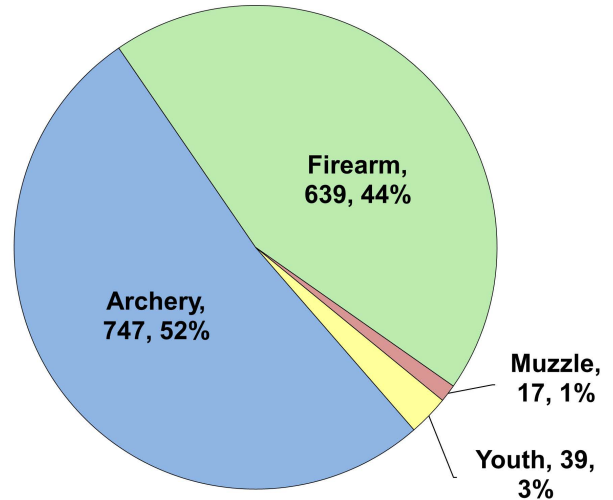
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

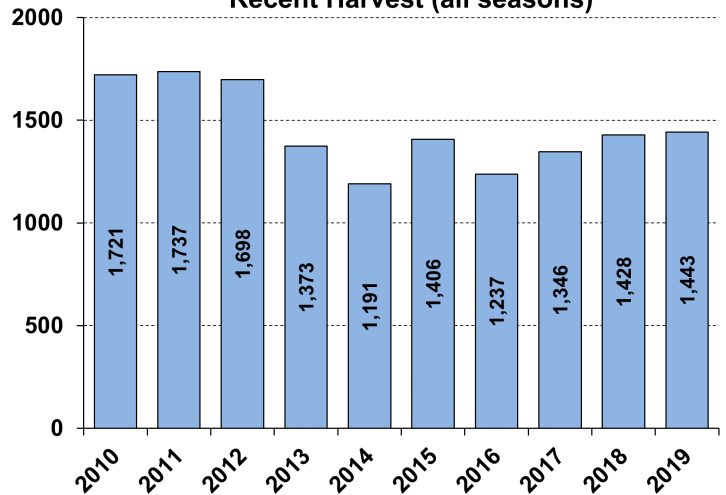
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2019



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	490	413	410	360	360
Crossbow	113	111	203	309	384
Traditional	6	9	5	8	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>609</b>	<b>533</b>	<b>618</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>747</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.5	22.9	23.3	28.3	26.7
M - Yearling	26.9	22.7	26.3	25.4	24.3
M - Fawn	8.5	9.1	9.2	6.9	6.6
F - Adult	36.0	36.5	34.6	36.0	37.1
F - Fawn	6.1	5.7	5.5	3.9	5.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: STARK COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 289 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1962

**Record Harvest:** 598 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 401

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 311

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 568/600      **Muzzle:** 86/115

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

59% M:41% F;(51% antlered: 49% antlerless)

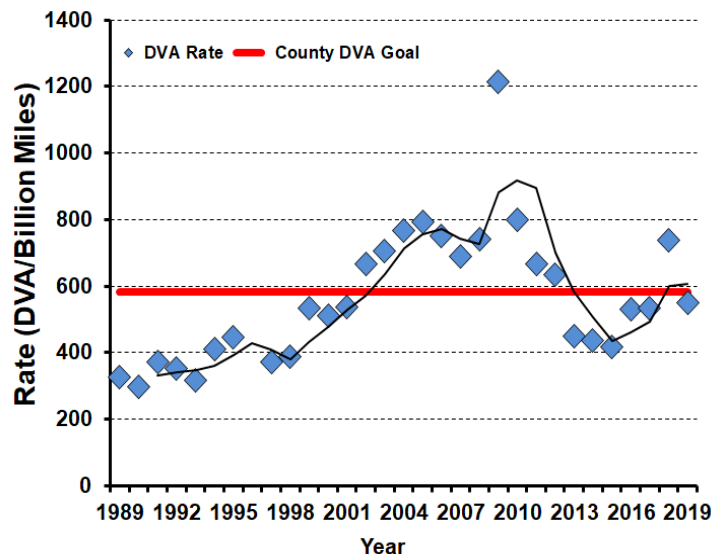
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

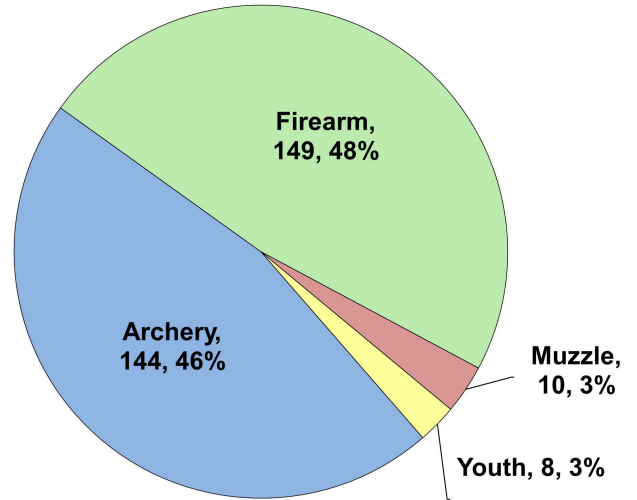
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

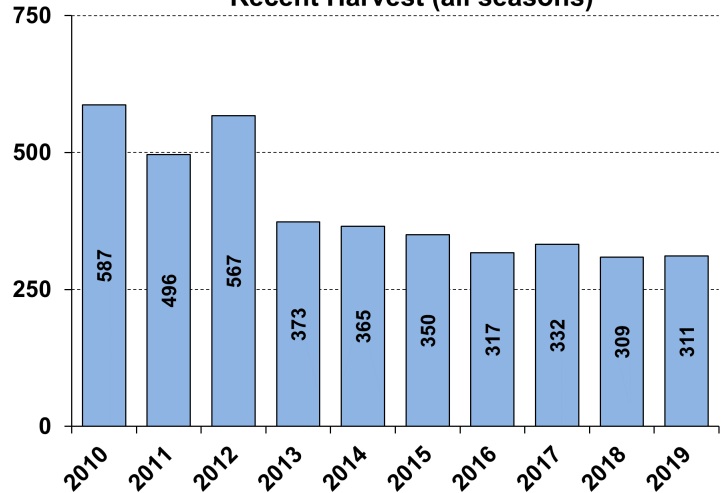
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2015



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	86	82	72	60	69
Crossbow	23	27	44	60	75
Traditional	2	1	2	4	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>153</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	29.1	25.4	24.6	21.1	31.8
M - Yearling	21.7	18.3	18.7	17.2	19.0
M - Fawn	6.9	9.1	10.2	12.3	7.7
F - Adult	36.3	40.4	39.5	37.5	35.4
F - Fawn	6.0	4.1	5.7	9.1	6.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: STEPHENSON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 565 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,829 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,493

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,216

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 2377/3250    **Muzzle:** 254/525    **CWD:** 51

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

59% M: 41% F;(50% antlered: 50% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Stephenson Co. Fairgrounds

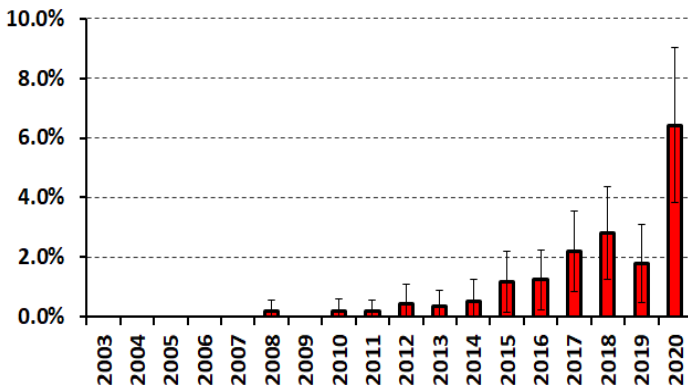
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

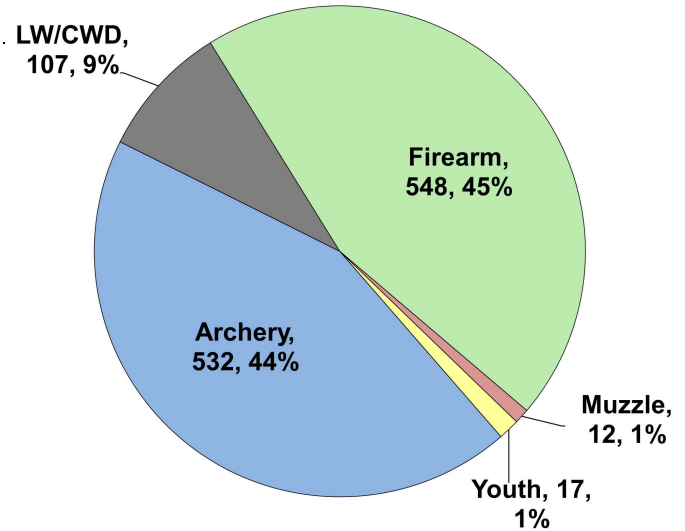
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 497

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 26

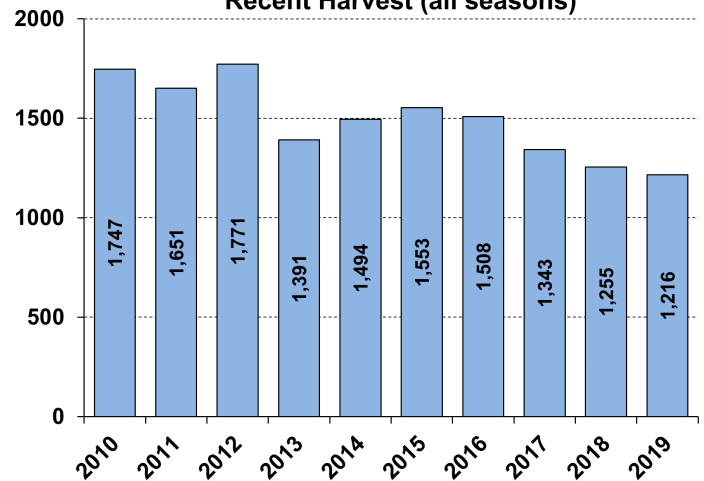
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 142 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	402	385	310	251	274
Crossbow	87	87	159	205	258
Traditional	6	5	9	6	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>532</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.5	24.3	24.5	21.2	30.7
M - Yearling	19.7	18.9	19.4	20.3	19.4
M - Fawn	11.4	10.5	10.4	9.4	8.5
F - Adult	37.0	36.8	36.8	41.7	35.0
F - Fawn	8.4	8.2	6.4	5.6	6.5

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: TAZEWELL COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 658 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1965

**Record Harvest:** 1,750 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,261

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,220

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1275/1275    **Muzzle:** 160/160

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

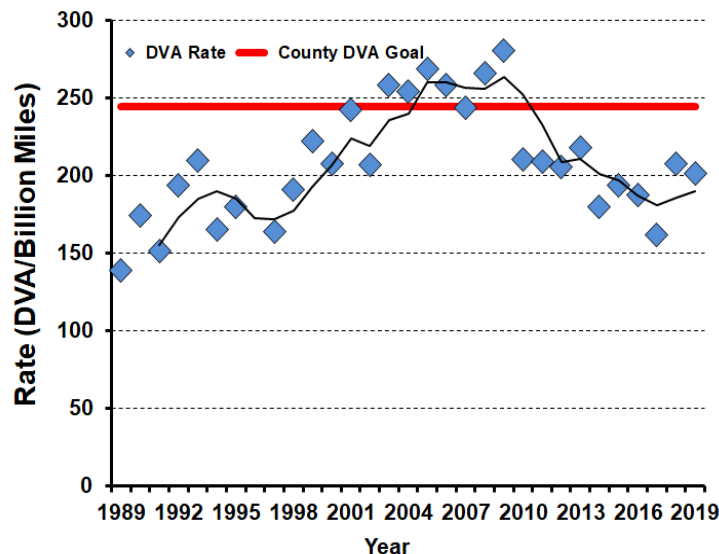
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

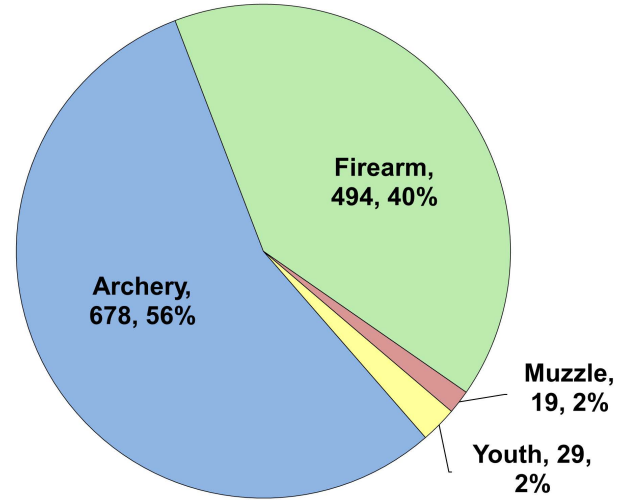
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

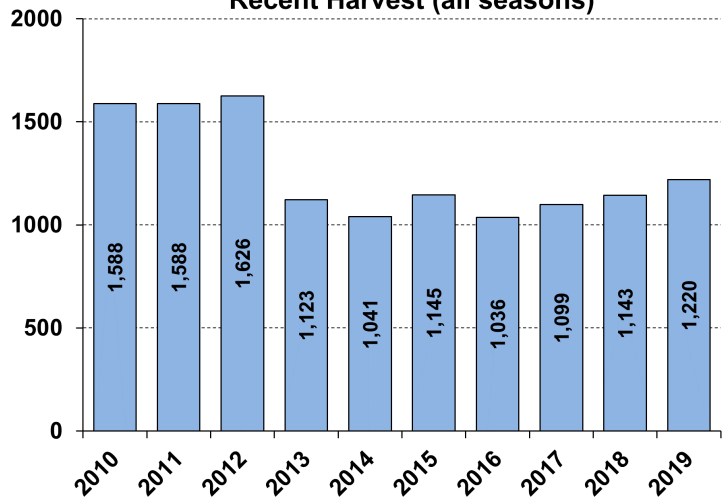
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	472	383	353	363	357
Crossbow	82	87	171	251	312
Traditional	6	12	13	7	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>621</b>	<b>669</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	20.9	20.8	20.3	25.4	23.1
M - Yearling	20.5	20.6	25.1	19.3	22.1
M - Fawn	10.8	13.7	10.5	9.1	9.0
F - Adult	39.3	34.0	36.4	38.2	38.7
F - Fawn	8.5	8.8	6.7	7.9	7.0

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: UNION COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 422 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,213 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,614

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,342

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 2700/2700      **Muzzle:** 305/305

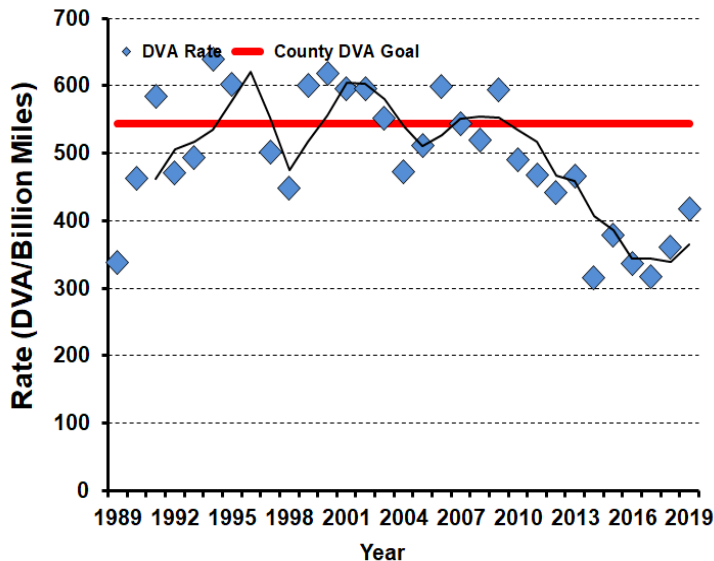
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
51% M:49% F;(44% antlered: 56% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

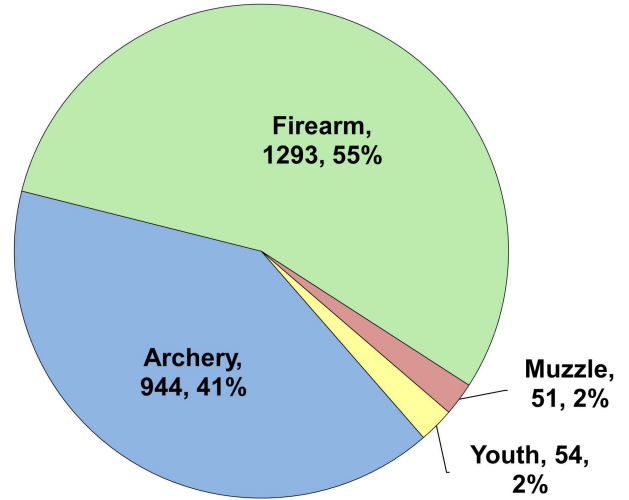
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

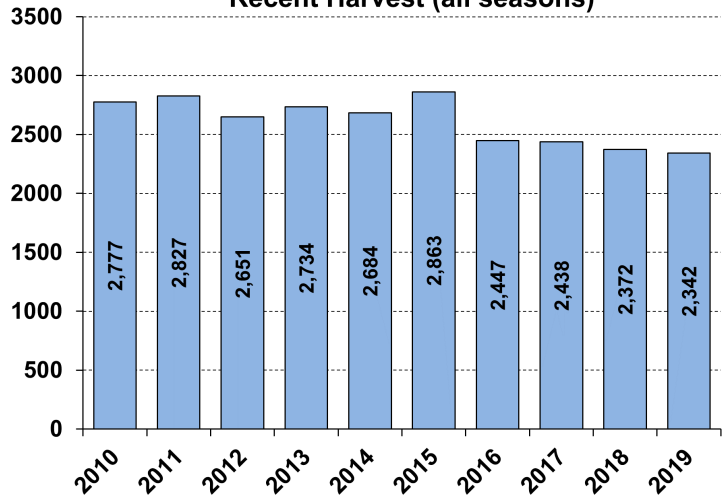
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	673	629	549	511	474
Crossbow	113	108	237	342	460
Traditional	3	5	4	17	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>742</b>	<b>790</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>944</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	28.0	24.2	23.6	24.2	27.2
M - Yearling	19.0	19.3	19.9	18.6	17.0
M - Fawn	6.3	6.5	8.1	5.9	6.7
F - Adult	40.6	39.3	37.7	40.6	42.9
F - Fawn	6.2	6.5	6.7	5.7	6.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: VERMILION COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 901 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1974

**Record Harvest:** 2,353 (2009)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,746

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,514

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Archery:** 1500/1500    **Muzzle:** 335/335

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

56% M:44% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

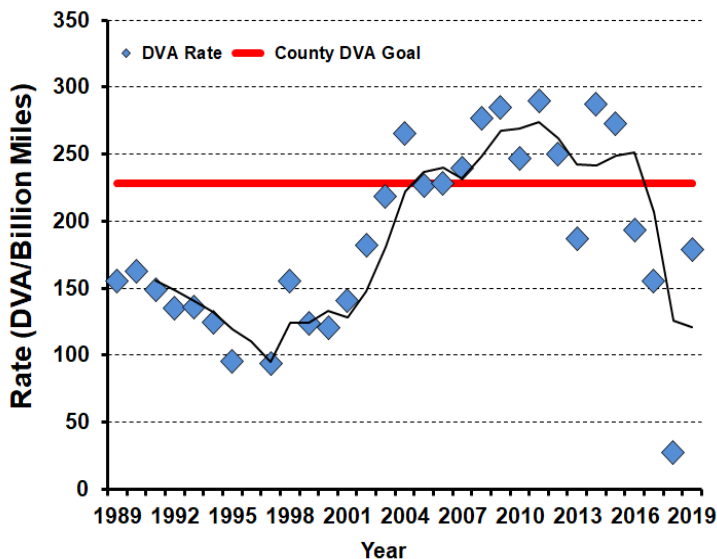
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

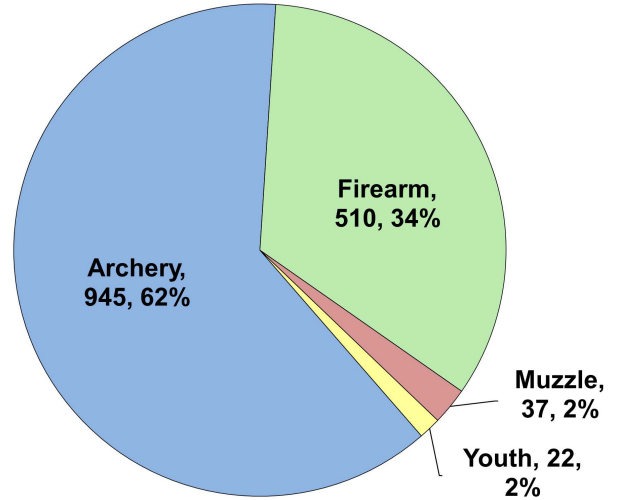
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

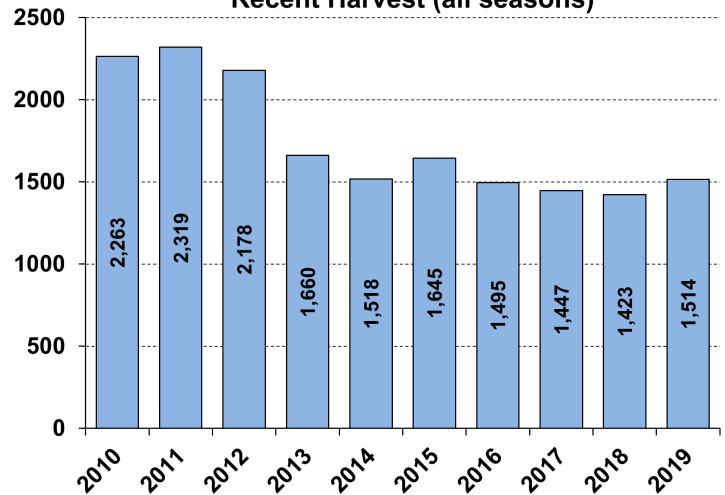
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2018



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	737	642	530	509	437
Crossbow	82	99	254	362	504
Traditional	1	5	4	12	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>820</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>788</b>	<b>883</b>	<b>945</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.2	26.8	26.9	28.0	31.3
M - Yearling	17.1	17.1	16.4	17.6	17.0
M - Fawn	9.4	10.4	8.6	8.9	7.9
F - Adult	39.9	36.2	39.2	35.8	37.3
F - Fawn	8.4	6.8	5.1	5.5	6.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WABASH COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 227 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1971

**Record Harvest:** 737 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 477

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 389

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Archery:** 350/350      **Muzzle:** 65/65

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

61% M:39% F;(54% antlered: 46% antlerless)

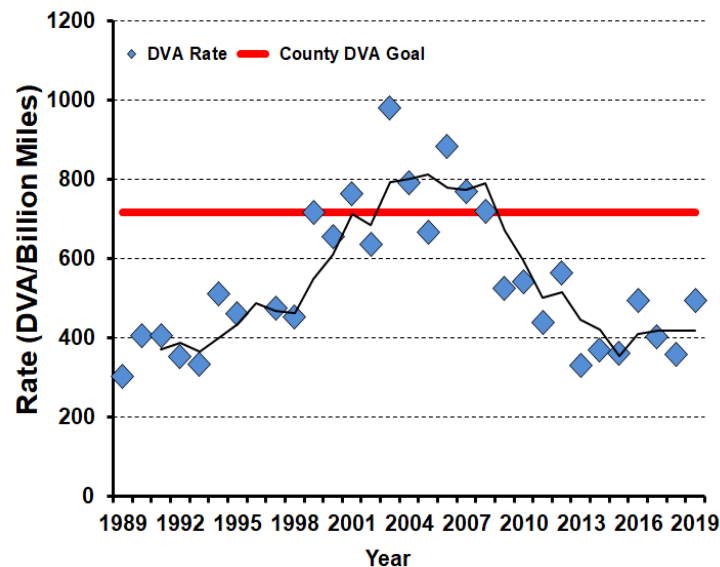
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

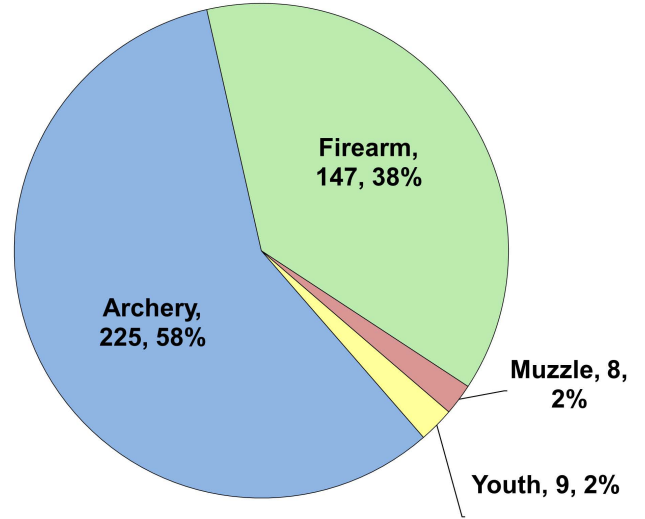
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

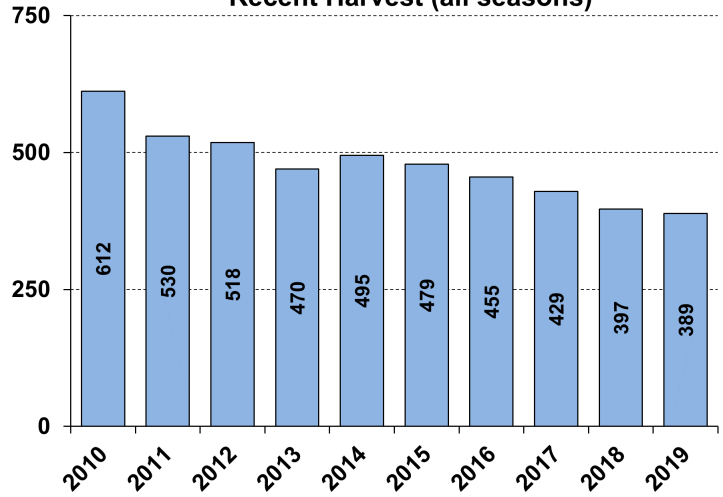
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2012



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	191	173	150	116	120
Crossbow	19	31	55	63	93
Traditional	2	2	1	1	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>225</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	32.2	28.4	31.5	31.5	30.6
M - Yearling	17.1	18.7	20.7	19.9	23.7
M - Fawn	10.2	8.6	6.8	8.3	6.7
F - Adult	35.9	37.4	32.9	29.2	34.2
F - Fawn	4.6	5.5	4.4	4.5	4.9

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WARREN COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 545 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,276 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 911

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 769

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1422/1425      **Muzzle:** 197/215

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

56% M:44% F;(48% antlered: 52% antlerless)

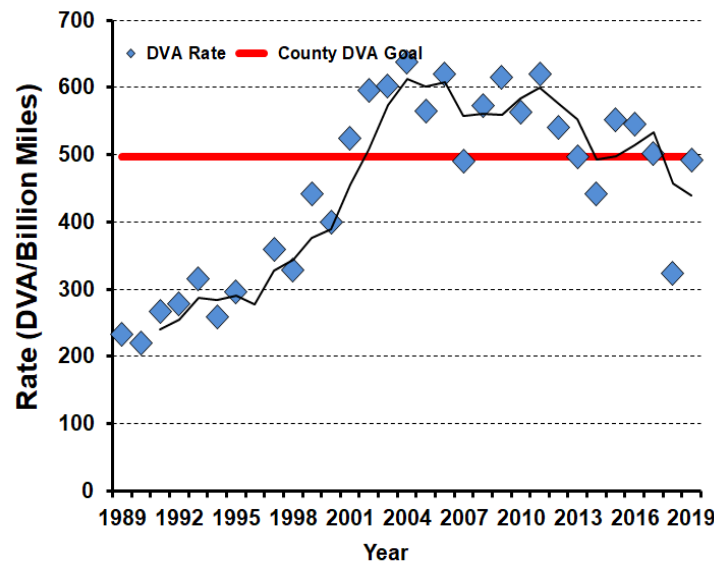
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

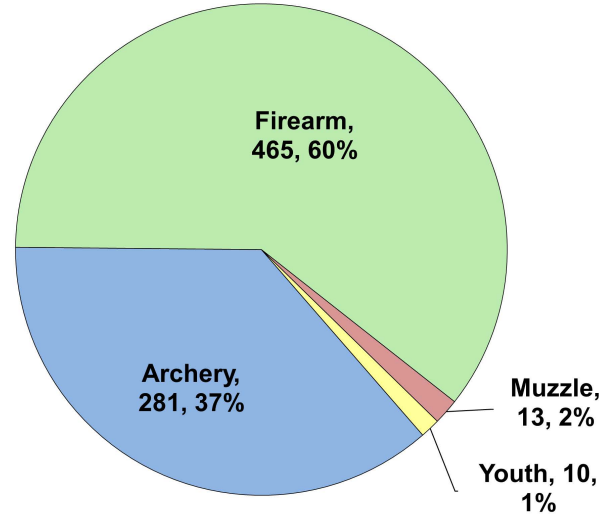
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

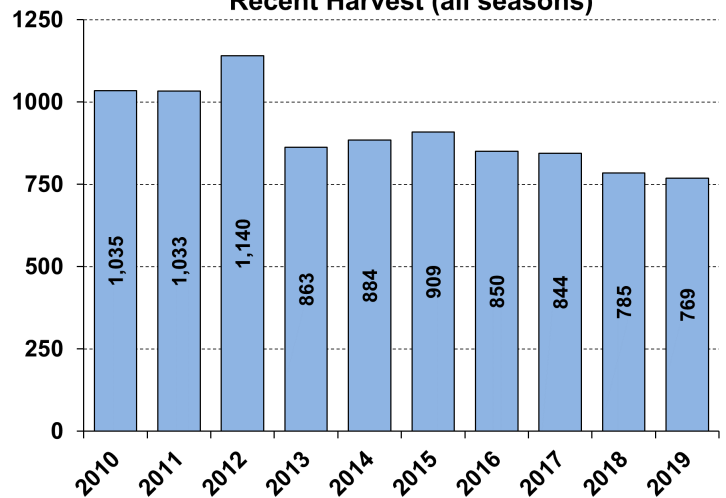
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2015



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	218	191	185	163	147
Crossbow	59	54	77	104	125
Traditional	6	3	3	3	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>281</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	27.6	29.4	32.3	24.1	29.6
M - Yearling	19.6	16.9	17.5	17.6	17.9
M - Fawn	10.2	9.2	9.2	11.5	8.1
F - Adult	33.4	35.3	33.5	35.5	39.0
F - Fawn	9.1	7.2	4.9	7.5	5.3

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WASHINGTON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 564 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1961

**Record Harvest:** 2,288 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,538

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,607

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1899/1900      **Muzzle:** 245/245

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M:43% F;(49% antlered: 51% antlerless)

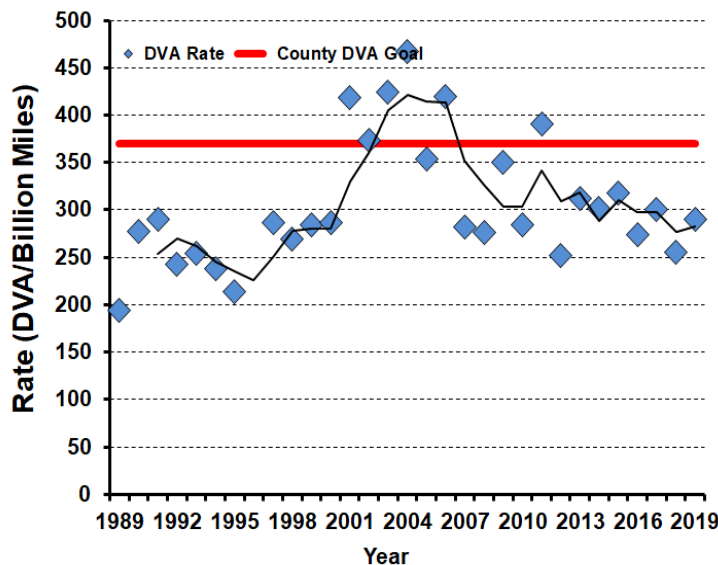
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

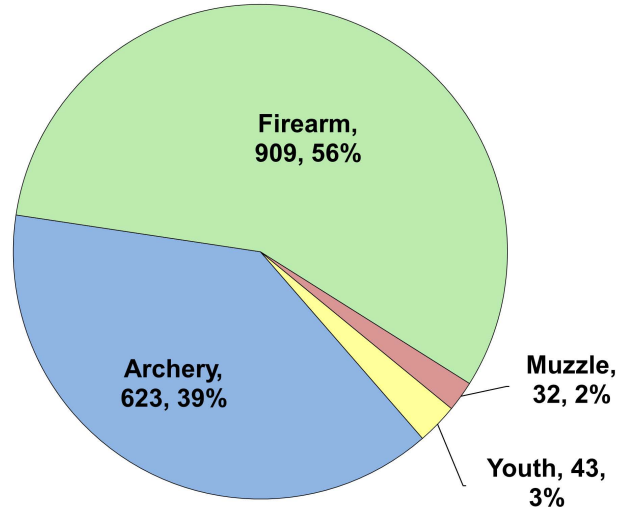
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

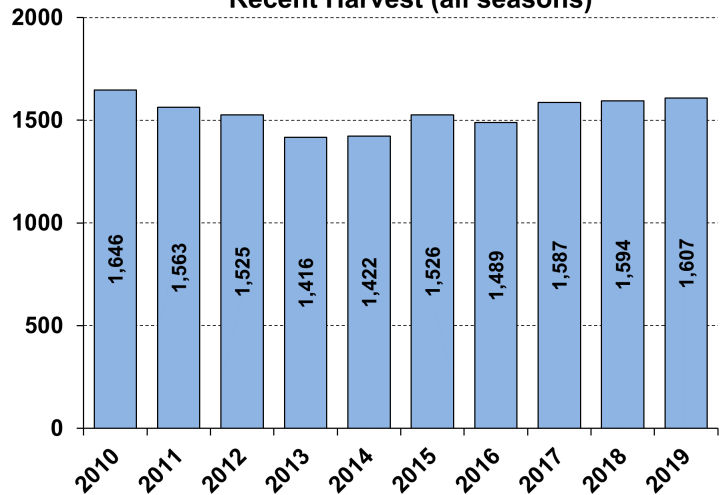
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2009



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	405	391	341	303	333
Crossbow	68	68	169	224	280
Traditional	11	11	9	7	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>623</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.8	28.8	30.5	33.0	31.2
M - Yearling	22.6	18.8	20.4	19.6	17.6
M - Fawn	9.3	9.4	10.2	8.5	8.0
F - Adult	36.3	37.0	34.0	34.8	37.5
F - Fawn	6.0	5.3	6.1	5.5	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WAYNE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 715 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1966

**Record Harvest:** 3,540 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,772

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 2,618

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 2800/2800      **Muzzle:** 325/325

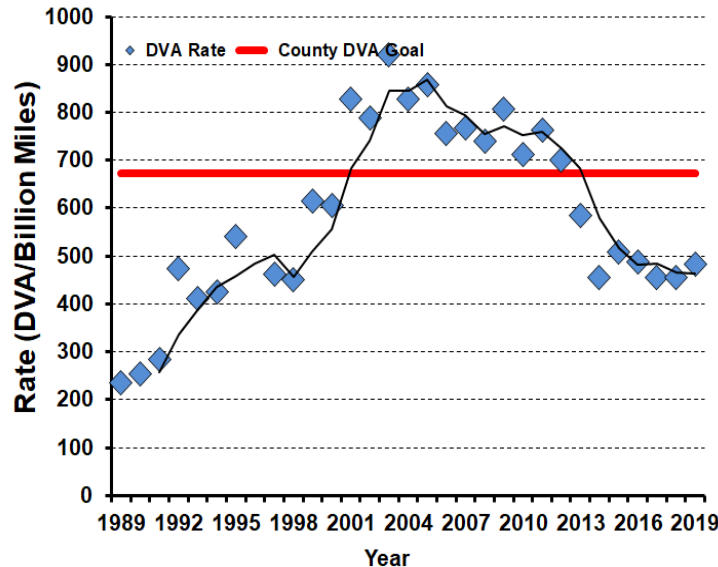
**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
54% M:46% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

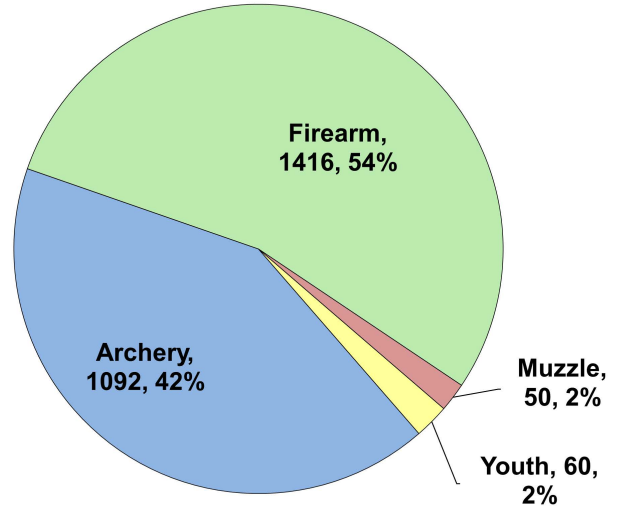
**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.  
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

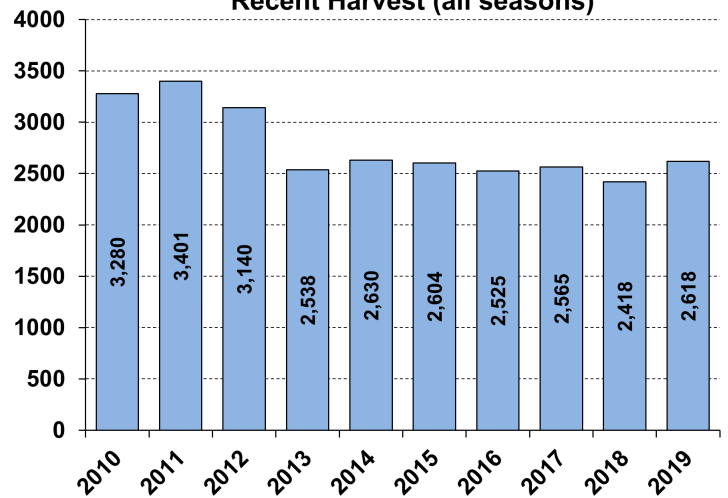
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2015



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	405	391	341	303	333
Crossbow	68	68	169	224	280
Traditional	11	11	9	7	10
<b>Total</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>623</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.8	28.8	30.5	33.0	31.2
M - Yearling	22.6	18.8	20.4	19.6	17.6
M - Fawn	9.3	9.4	10.2	8.5	8.0
F - Adult	36.3	37.0	34.0	34.8	37.5
F - Fawn	6.0	5.3	6.1	5.5	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WHITE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 502 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1961

**Record Harvest:** 2,299 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,688

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,420

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1878/1900     **Muzzle:**250/250

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
52% M:48% F;(46% antlered: 54% antlerless)

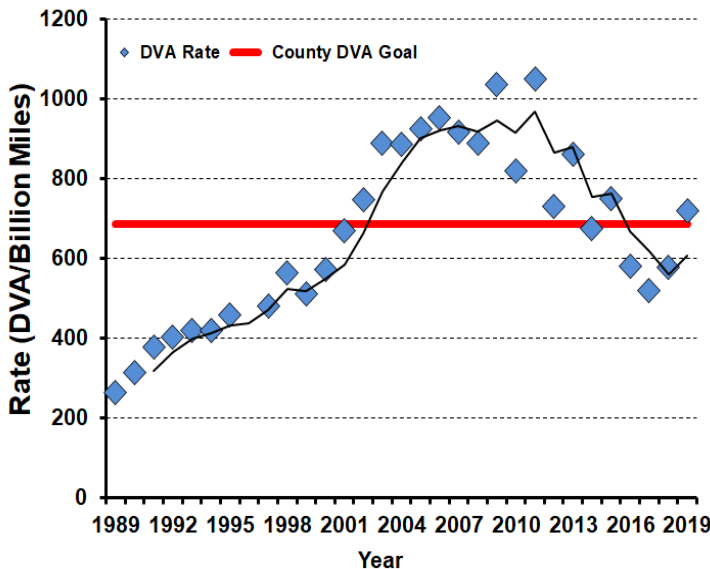
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

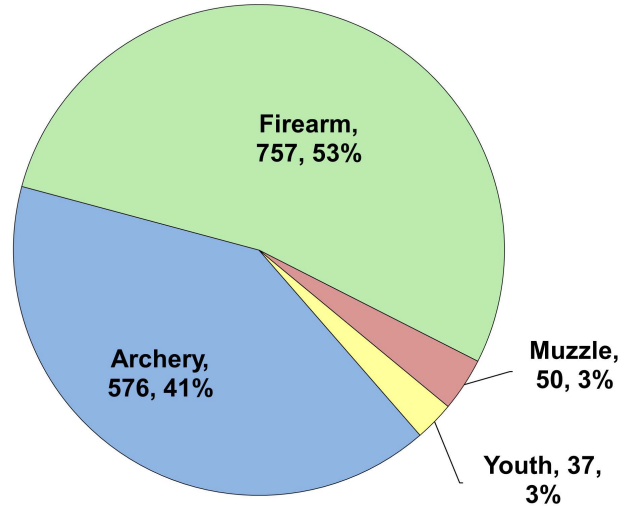
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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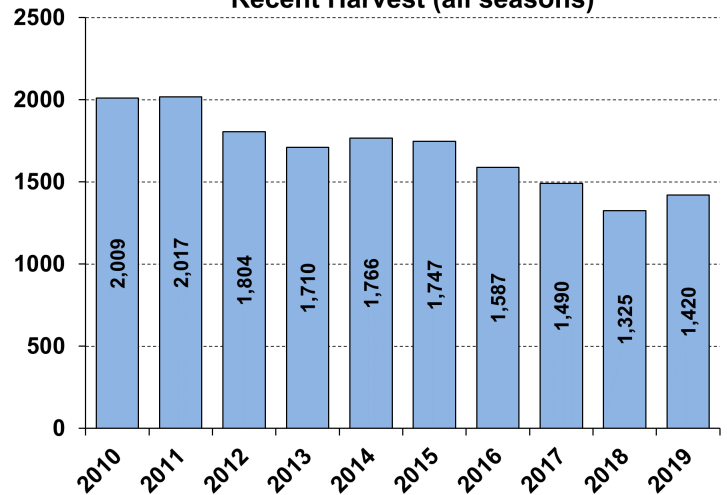
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2018



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	493	429	327	308	320
Crossbow	87	76	196	179	249
Traditional	8	6	19	5	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>511</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>576</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	27.3	31.9	28.8	24.4	31.5
M - Yearling	13.9	12.7	14.8	14.1	15.0
M - Fawn	7.7	6.8	6.5	6.4	5.3
F - Adult	44.4	39.3	37.8	40.5	43.0
F - Fawn	6.8	6.0	7.1	6.7	5.2

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WHITESIDE COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 698 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,704 (2005)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,244

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,093

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1976/2025     **Muzzle:** 245/260

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

57% M:43% F;(47% antlered: 53% antlerless)

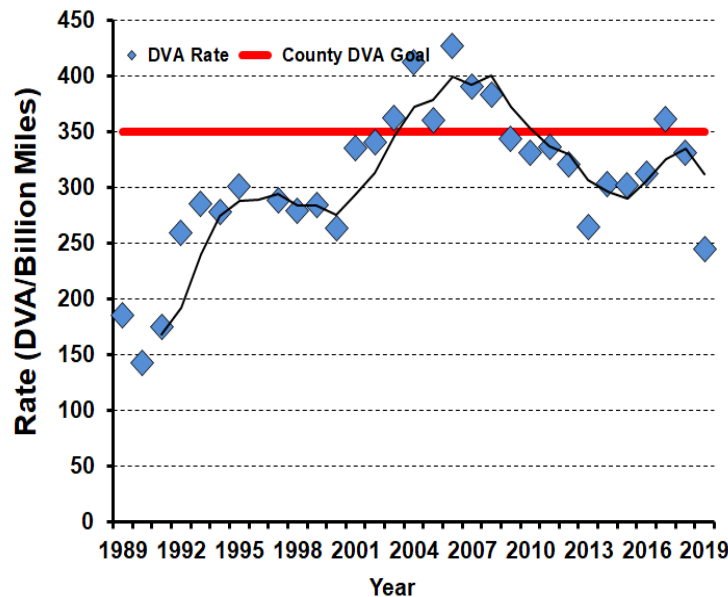
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

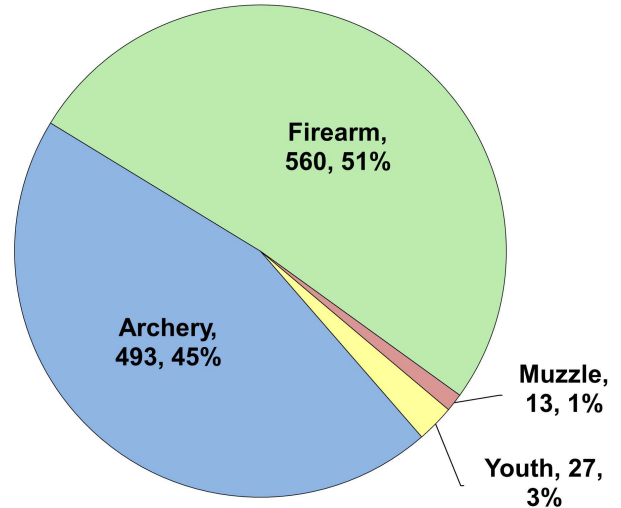
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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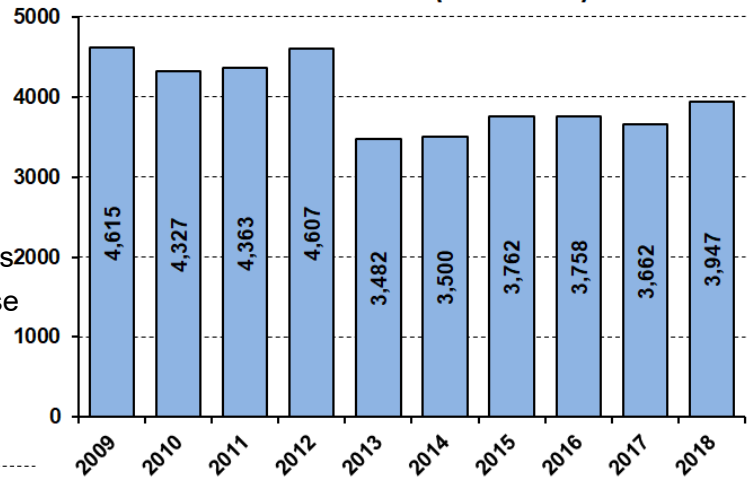
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	400	403	320	300	250
Crossbow	74	72	137	186	232
Traditional	2	7	3	4	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>493</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	22.7	21.2	21.0	21.0	26.6
M - Yearling	17.9	19.2	19.9	20.7	20.9
M - Fawn	11.8	10.1	10.8	11.1	9.4
F - Adult	39.7	38.9	38.6	38.3	36.5
F - Fawn	7.9	8.2	7.7	7.4	6.6

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WILL COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 849 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1976

**Record Harvest:** 1,435 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,159

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,051

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited)::

**Firearm:** 1140/1450 **Muzzle:** 232/350 **CWD:** 60

**2012-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

63% M: 37% F;(56% antlered: 44% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Des Plaines Game Propagation Center

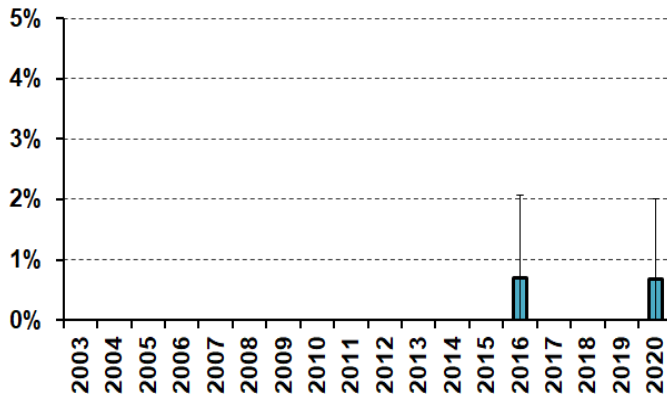
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

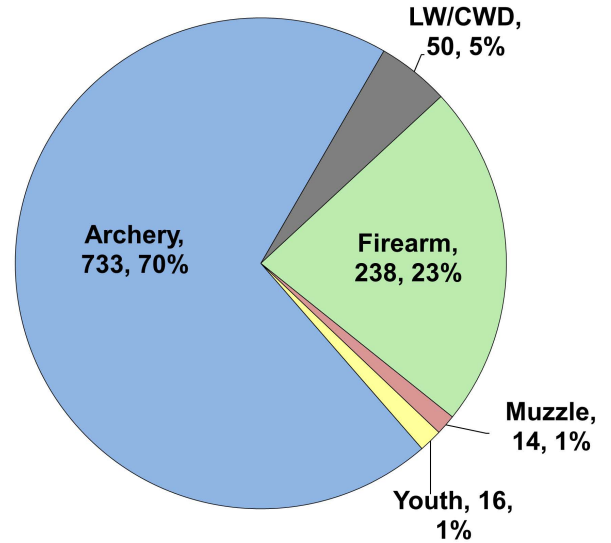
**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 251

**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 4

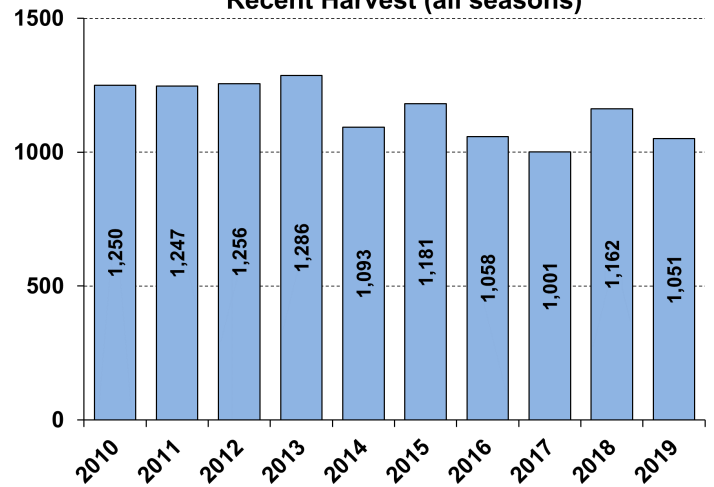
**IDNR sharpshooting:** 16 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	646	613	476	468	378
Crossbow	105	109	217	326	348
Traditional	11	12	12	12	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>762</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>806</b>	<b>732</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	24.2	23.5	23.1	25.4	31.4
M - Yearling	19.6	20.3	23.2	19.5	24.5
M - Fawn	8.9	9.9	9.5	8.4	7.1
F - Adult	39.0	37.1	35.7	39.6	31.8
F - Fawn	8.2	7.5	5.5	6.6	5.1

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older





# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WILLIAMSON COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 444 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 3,358 (2019)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 2,879

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 3,358

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 4177/4200      **Muzzle:** 352/395

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

54% M:46% F;(45% antlered: 55% antlerless)

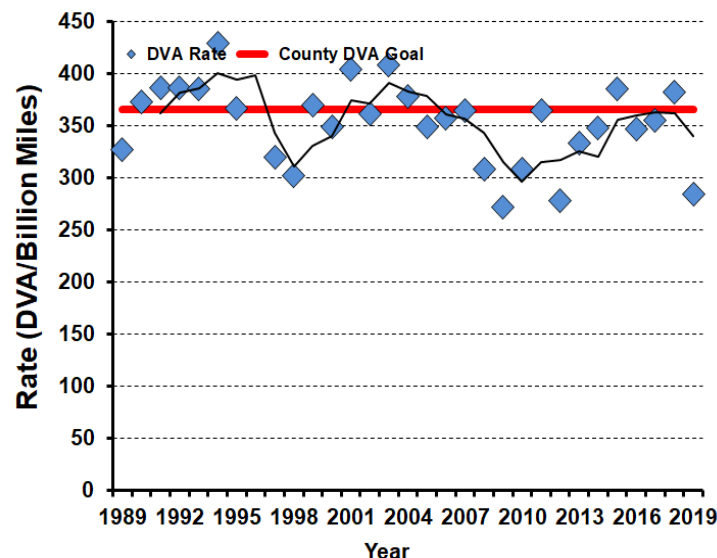
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

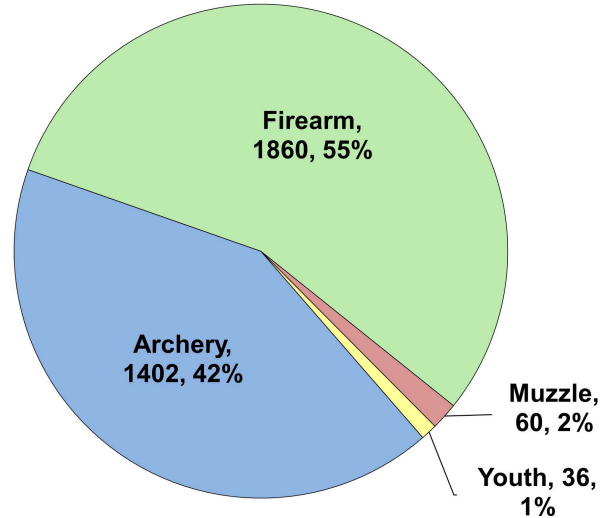
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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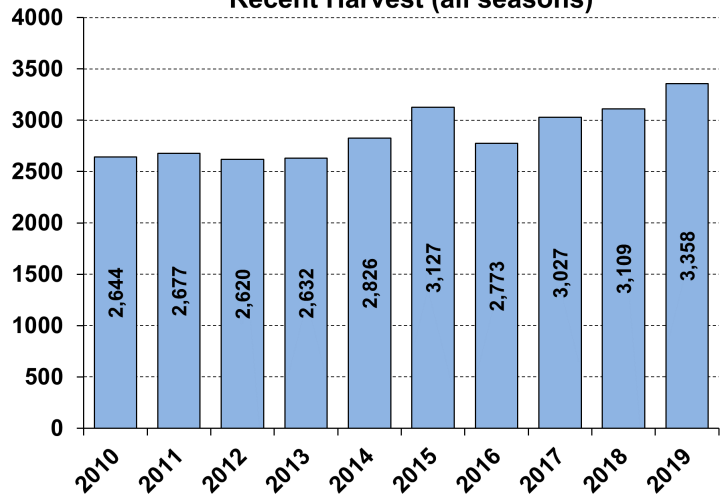
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2009



**2019-2020 Harvest by Season**



**Recent Harvest (all seasons)**



**Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type**

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	860	780	725	647	692
Crossbow	219	188	430	516	698
Traditional	11	8	8	6	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>1090</b>	<b>976</b>	<b>1163</b>	<b>1169</b>	<b>1402</b>

**Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)**

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.2	23.0	23.5	26.0	25.3
M - Yearling	21.6	21.6	23.2	20.5	20.1
M - Fawn	9.4	7.5	8.5	8.7	8.5
F - Adult	39.1	39.3	36.9	38.3	40.4
F - Fawn	6.6	5.7	7.1	6.5	5.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WINNEBAGO COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 519 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1957

**Record Harvest:** 1,480 (1995)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 930

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 831

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; CWD are unlimited):

**Firearm:** 1378/3000 **Muzzle:** 175/450 **CWD:** 40

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**

62% M: 38% F;(52% antlered: 48% antlerless)

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** Yes

**Check Station Location:** Rock Cut State Park

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** Yes.

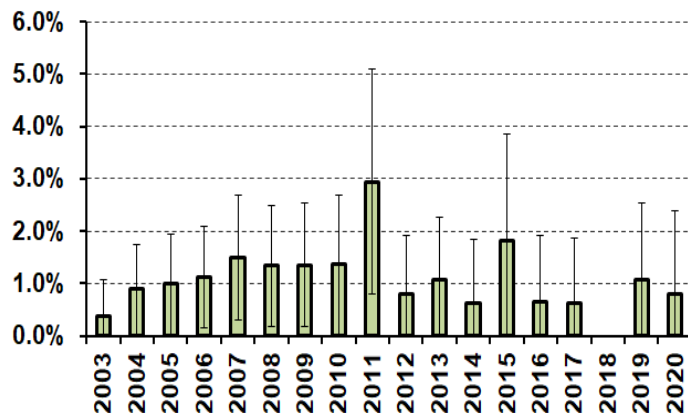
CWD has and continues to be detected in this county. CWD seasons allow for extra hunter harvest to reduce deer density and disease transmission.

**Number tested for CWD 2019-2020:** 227

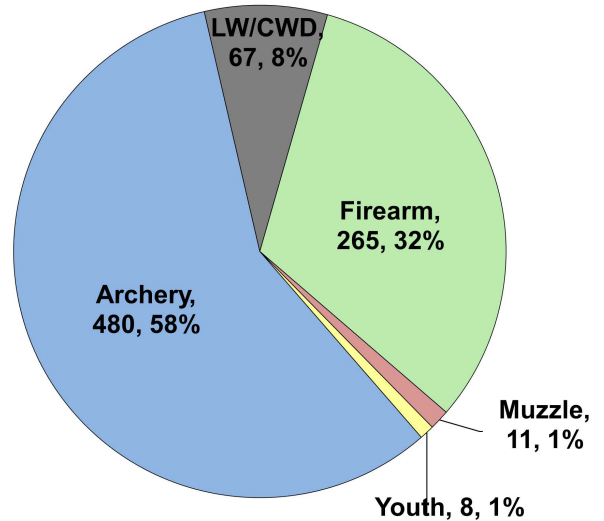
**CWD positive deer 2019-2020:** 7

**IDNR sharpshooting:** 43 deer were removed via sharpshooting which is used to supplement hunter harvest, allows localized deer reductions in known

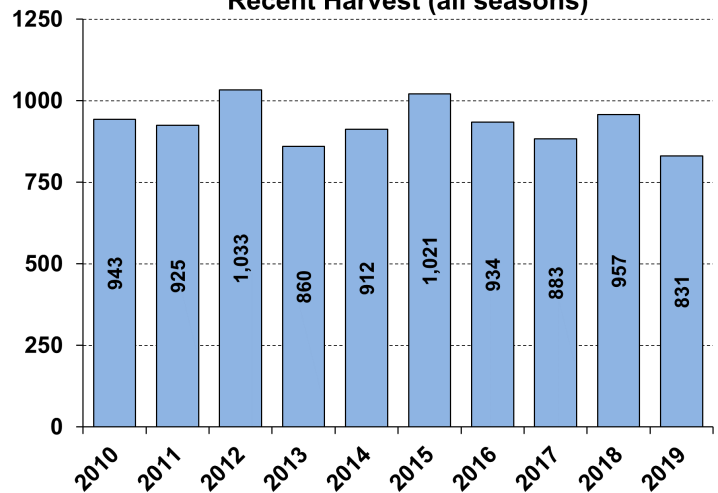
CWD positive areas to reduce transmission rates and environmental contamination. Through these efforts CWD prevalence has remained low (see below).



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	396	359	307	278	263
Crossbow	84	98	140	180	212
Traditional	2	3	6	3	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>453</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>480</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	23.8	24.5	21.9	24.4	31.0
M - Yearling	23.7	24.8	28.1	24.0	20.7
M - Fawn	12.3	10.5	7.4	7.1	9.9
F - Adult	34.0	31.8	33.8	38.6	33.7
F - Fawn	6.2	6.4	4.7	3.4	4.7

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2019-2020: WOODFORD COUNTY

Forest Wildlife Program, Illinois Department of Natural Resources



**County Size:** 543 square miles

**Year Opened to Deer Hunting:** 1963

**Record Harvest:** 2,035 (2007)

**Average Harvest (2010-2019):** 1,395

**Total 2019-2020 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,381

**Permits issued/quota 2019-2020** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1300/1300      **Muzzle:** 220/220

**2019-2020 Harvest Sex Ratio (all seasons):**  
49% M:51% F;(40% antlered: 60% antlerless)

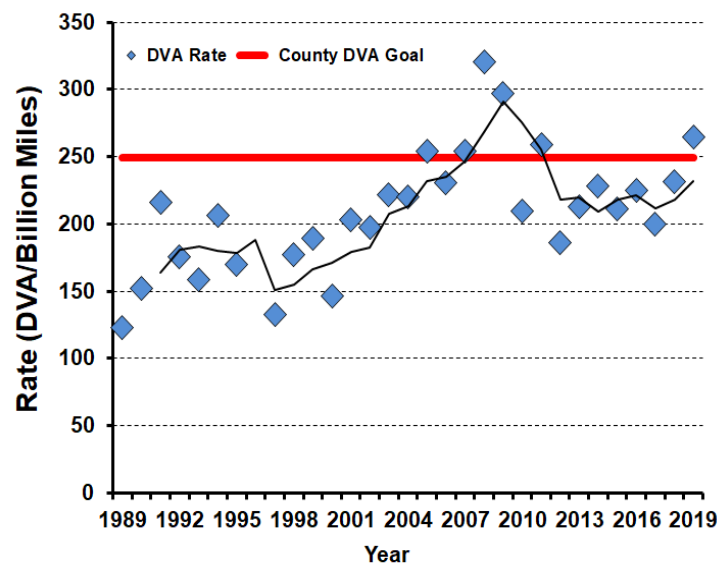
**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

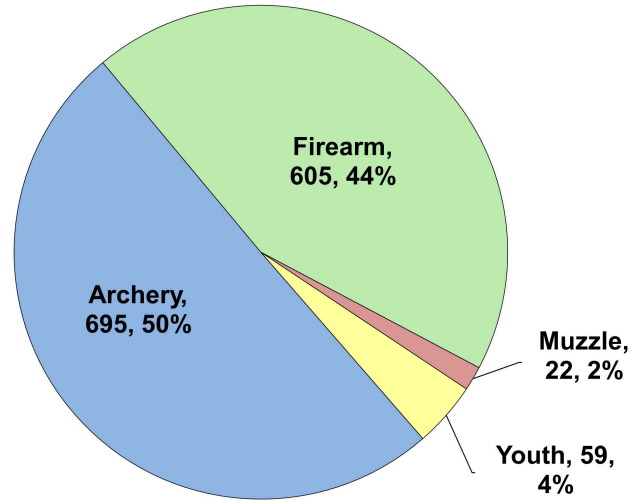
**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2020-2021:** No.

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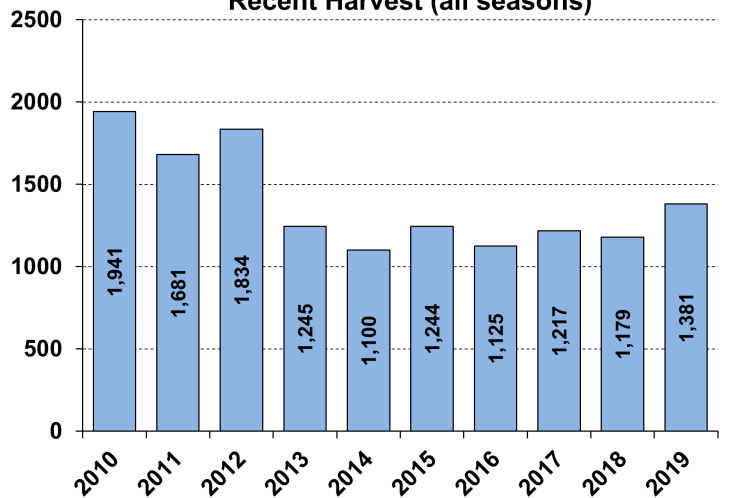
**Last year in Late Winter/CWD:** 2014



## 2019-2020 Harvest by Season



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)



## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
Compound	417	397	356	339	364
Crossbow	77	73	180	228	322
Traditional	2	6	6	3	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>496</b>	<b>476</b>	<b>542</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>695</b>

## Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
M - Adult	25.9	23.8	22.2	25.2	24.3
M - Yearling	16.7	17.2	16.8	14.8	16.1
M - Fawn	13.6	12.1	12.2	11.7	8.8
F - Adult	34.4	35.5	40.1	38.9	40.8
F - Fawn	9.4	8.9	8.2	8.0	9.9

M - Adult = 2.5 and older; F - Adult = 1.5 and older