



WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2021-2022: 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 (previous 10 years): 707

Total 2021-2022 Harvest (all seasons): 567

Permits issued/quota 2021-2022 (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

Firearm: 500/500 **Muzzle:** 80/80

Chronic Wasting Disease Detected: No

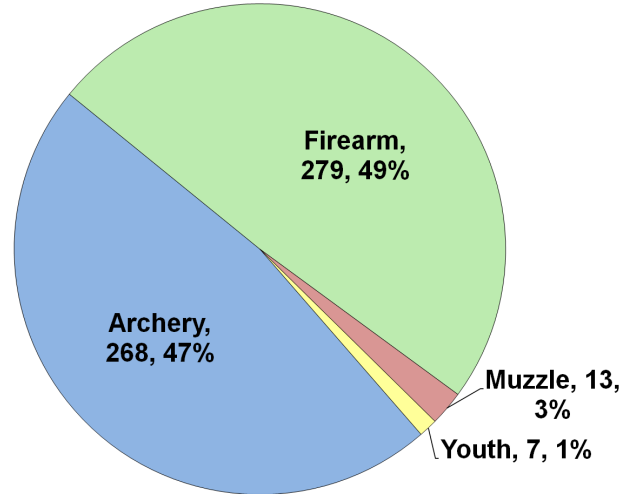
Check Station Location: N/A

Late Winter/CWD Season in 2022-2023: No.

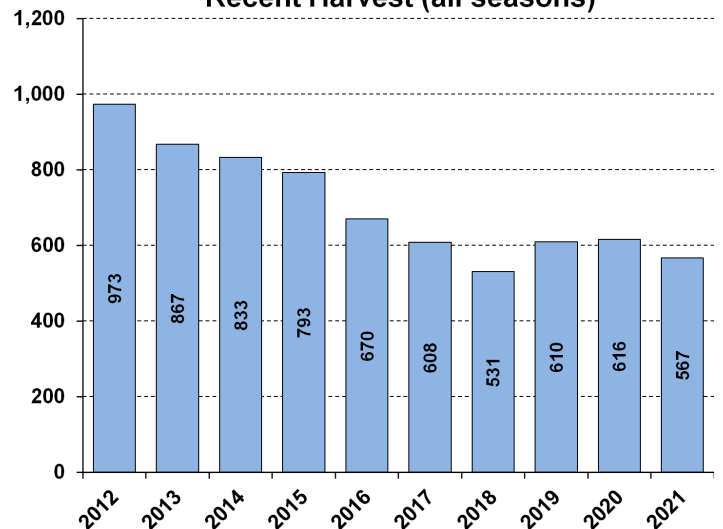
Deer Vehicle Accident (DVA) rates (accidents per billion miles driven) are used as an index of deer population size. Counties are closed to Late Winter/CWD season if DVA rates remain below goal, unless other factors (excessive crop damage and/or disease issues) are present.

Last year in Late Winter/CWD: Never

2021-2022 Harvest by Season



Recent Harvest (all seasons)



Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Compound	159	136	164	149	114
Crossbow	68	95	132	144	152
Traditional	2	0	3	5	2
Total	229	231	299	298	268

Age/Sex Composition of Recent Harvest (%)

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
M - Adult	20.8	19.5	27.7	30.5	31.4
M - Yearling	20.7	23.0	19.0	19.6	19.2
M - Fawn	7.9	5.3	6.7	5.7	7.6
F - Adult	39.8	35.2	41.8	39.8	34.9
F - Fawn	4.4	7.3	4.8	4.4	6.9

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

