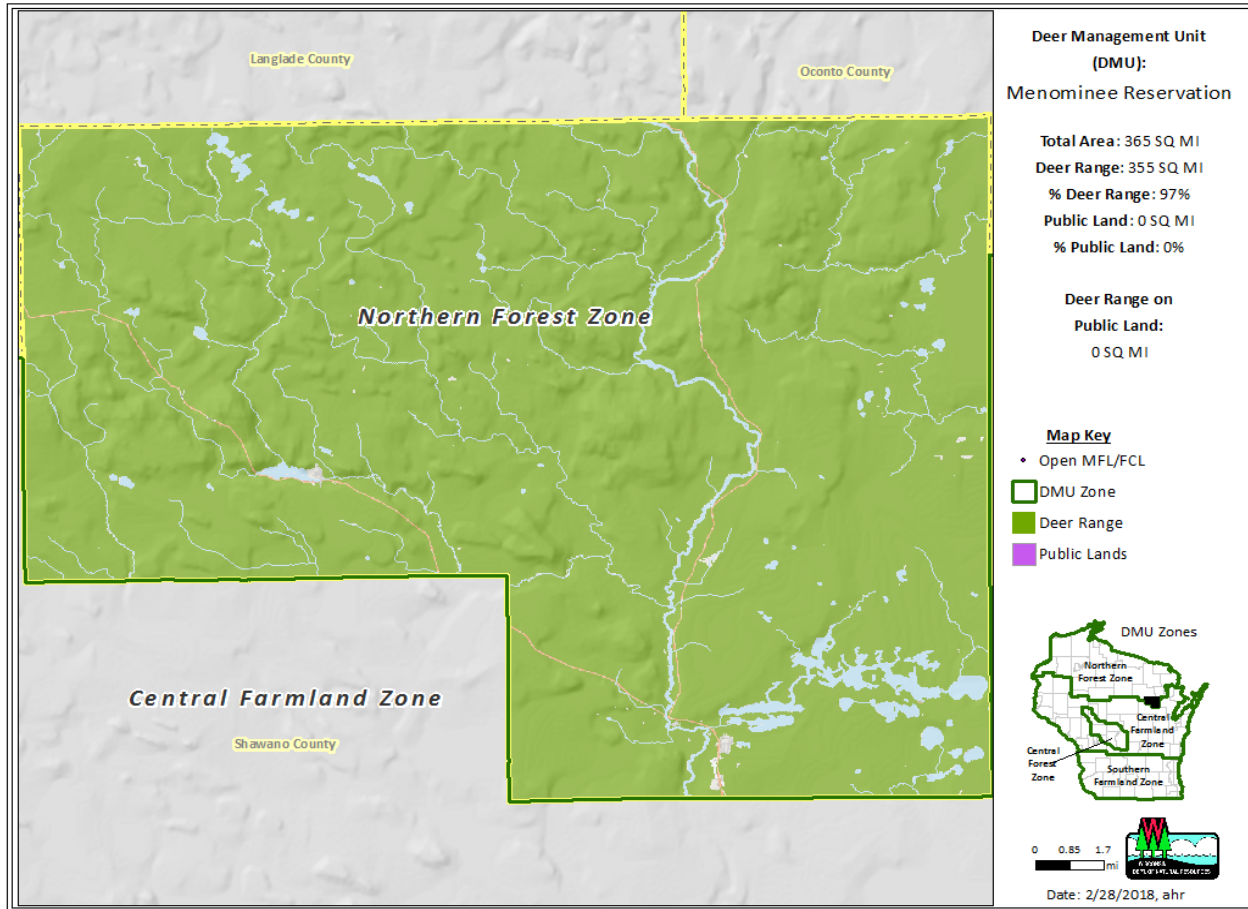


# Menominee County Deer Metrics Report

## Spring of 2024

### Management Unit:



### Manager's Note:

The Menominee Reservation Deer Management Unit is located in the Northern Forest Zone. Most of the Menominee Reservation is under Menominee Tribal jurisdiction with deer hunting regulated by the Tribal government. There are some private land inholdings within the unit that would be under state regulations. Hunters are advised to familiarize themselves with property boundaries, as non-tribal access and hunting is not allowed on tribal lands. Non-tribal hunters who harvest deer on private, non-tribal properties within this unit should register their deer under the Menominee Unit designation. Tribal lands may block access to some of these properties. There is no season for firearm deer hunting by non-tribal members in this unit; the unit is archery-only for non-tribal members.

### Deer Management Unit Harvest History

Fawn to doe ratios collected in late summer give information on fawn recruitment and survival and are used as an input into the formula for annual deer herd abundance estimation. Fawn to doe ratios were summarized using groups of county deer management units. County deer management units were grouped based on location, habitat characteristics, and deer demography.

#### Northern Forest Management Zone

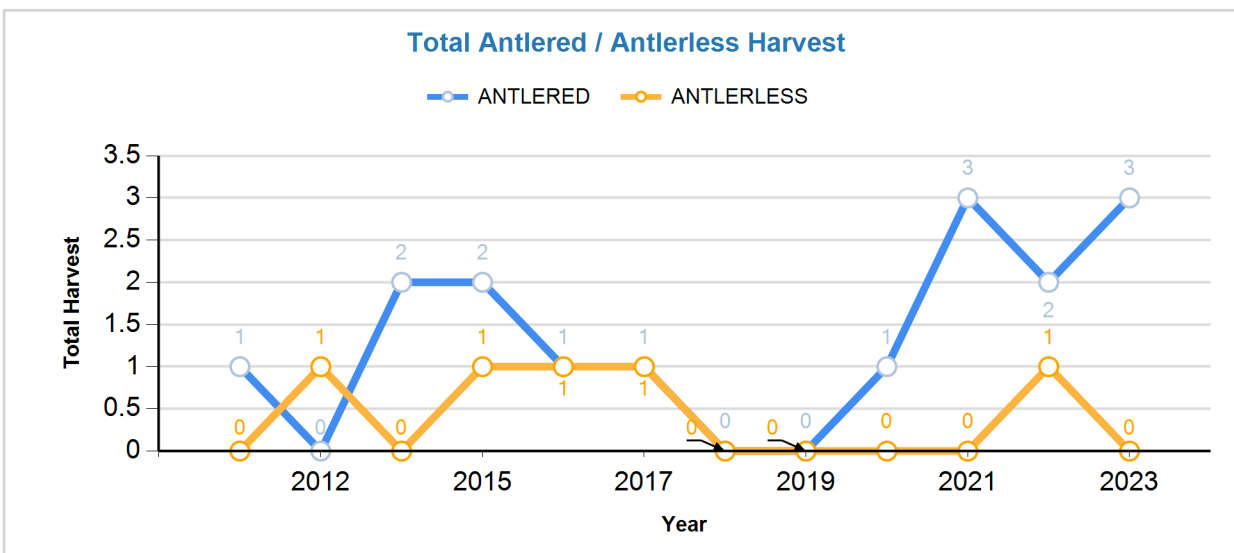
Total Area of Unit (Sq. Miles): 364.80

Deer Range of Unit (Sq. Miles): 354.60

## Total Harvest for Menominee County - Northern Forest Management Zone

Year	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>Total Harvest</b>										
Antlered	2	2	1	1	0	0	1	3	2	3
Antlerless	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	2	3	2	2	0	0	1	3	3	3
<b>Gun</b>										
Antlered	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Antlerless	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	0
<b>Bow</b>										
Antlered	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	1
Antlerless	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	1
<b>Crossbow</b>										
Antlered	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
<b>Tribal*</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Youth Antlerless*</b>										
Antlerless	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

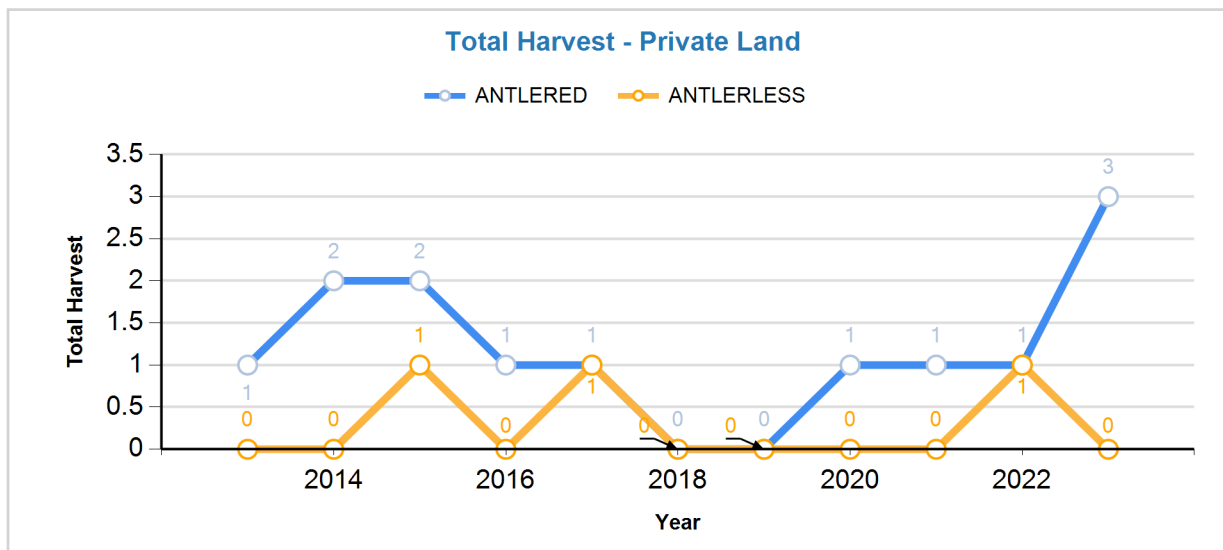
\* Tribal and Youth Antlerless data are included in above totals where they apply



## Total Harvest for Menominee County - Northern Forest Management Zone - Private Land

Year	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>Total Harvest</b>										
Antlered	2	2	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	3
Antlerless	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	2	3	1	2	0	0	1	1	2	3
<b>Gun</b>										
Antlered	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Antlerless	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
<b>Bow</b>										
Antlered	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Antlerless	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1
<b>Crossbow</b>										
Antlered	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
<b>Tribal*</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Youth Antlerless*</b>										
Antlerless	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0

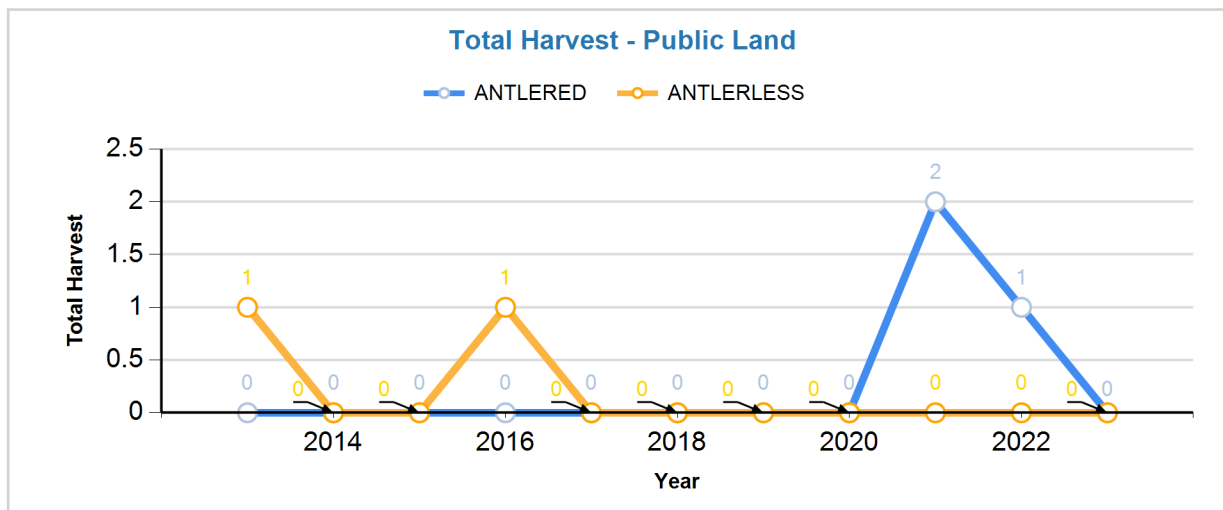
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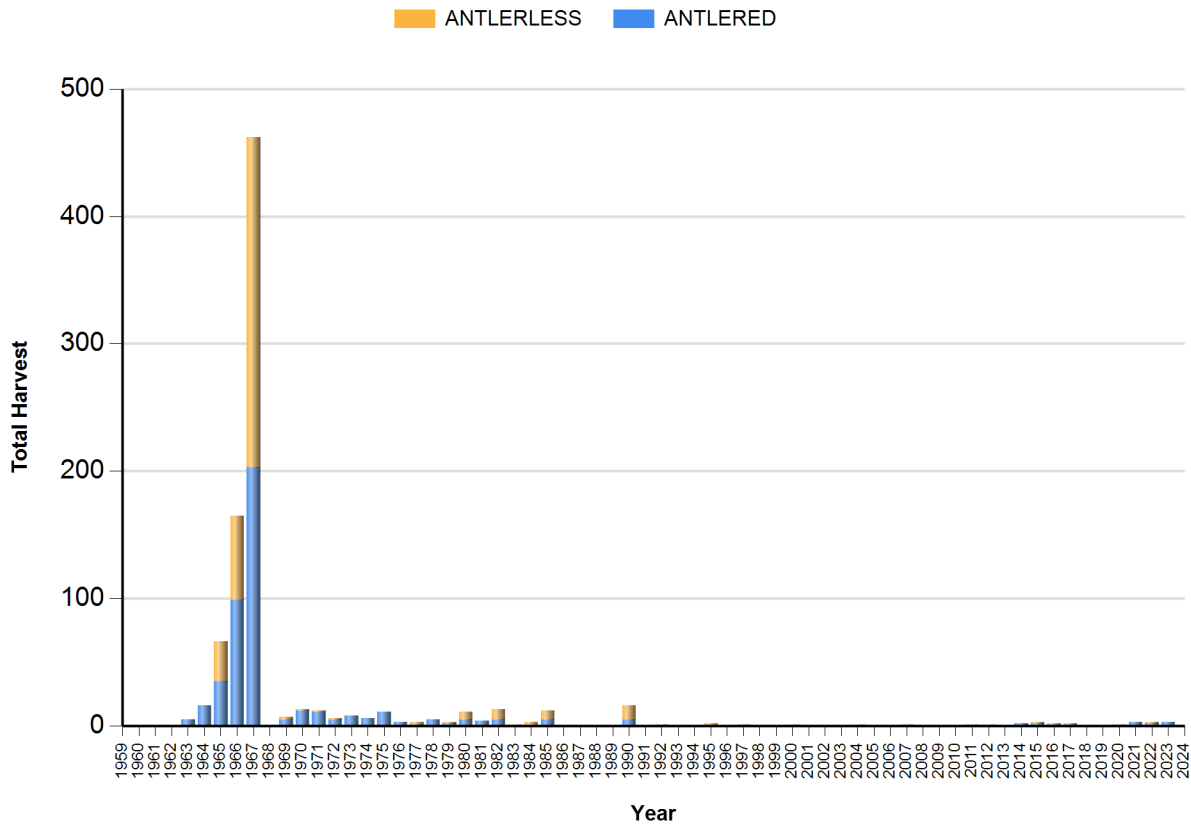
## Total Harvest for Menominee County - Northern Forest Management Zone - Public Land

Year	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>Total Harvest</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Antlerless	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
<b>Gun</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Antlerless	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
<b>Bow</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
<b>Crossbow</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Tribal*</b>										
Antlered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Youth Antlerless*</b>										
Antlerless	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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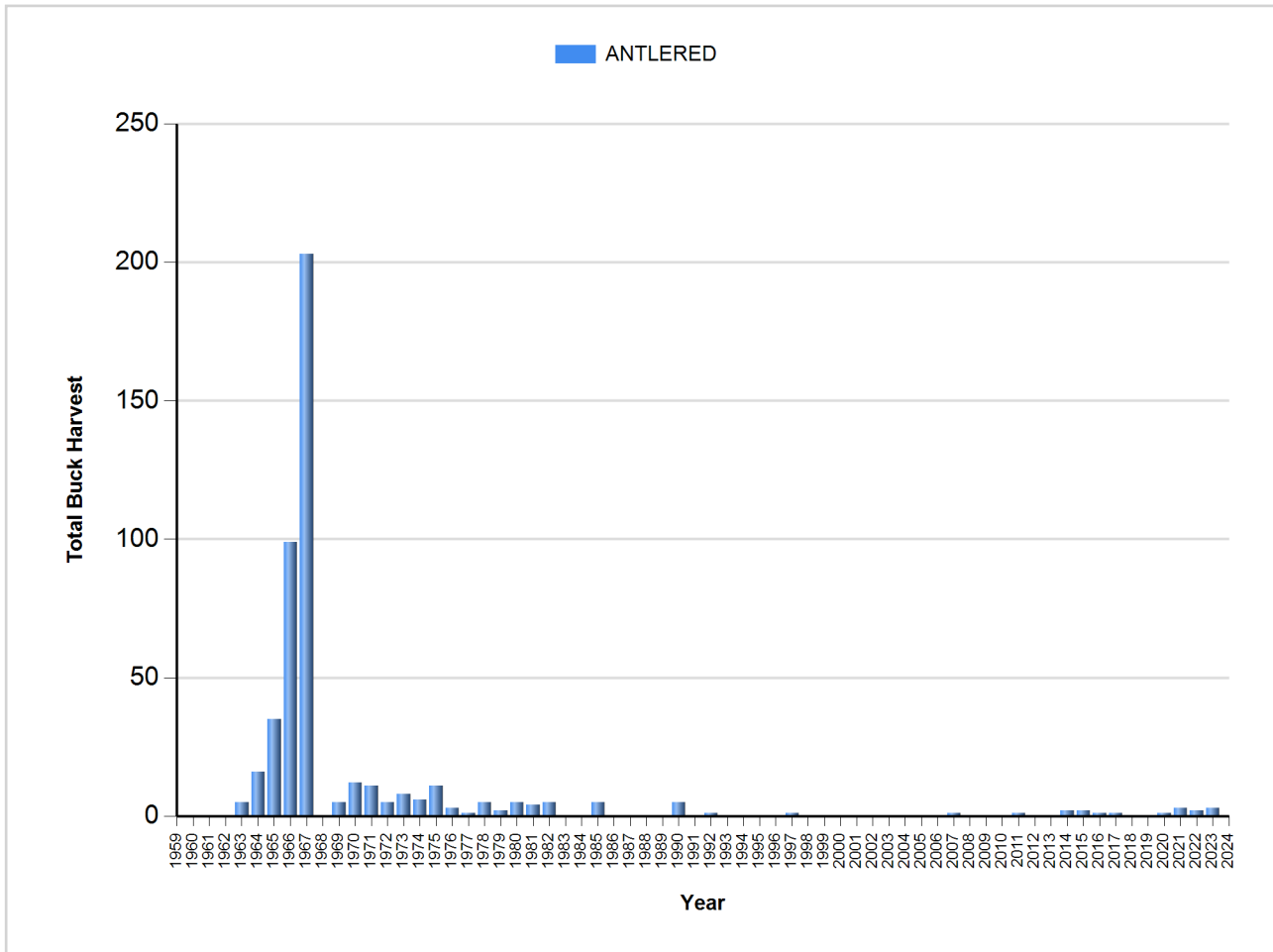
Total Deer Harvest 1960 - Present



## Total Buck Harvest 1960 - Present

Historic High: 1967 - 203

Historic Low: 1999 - 0

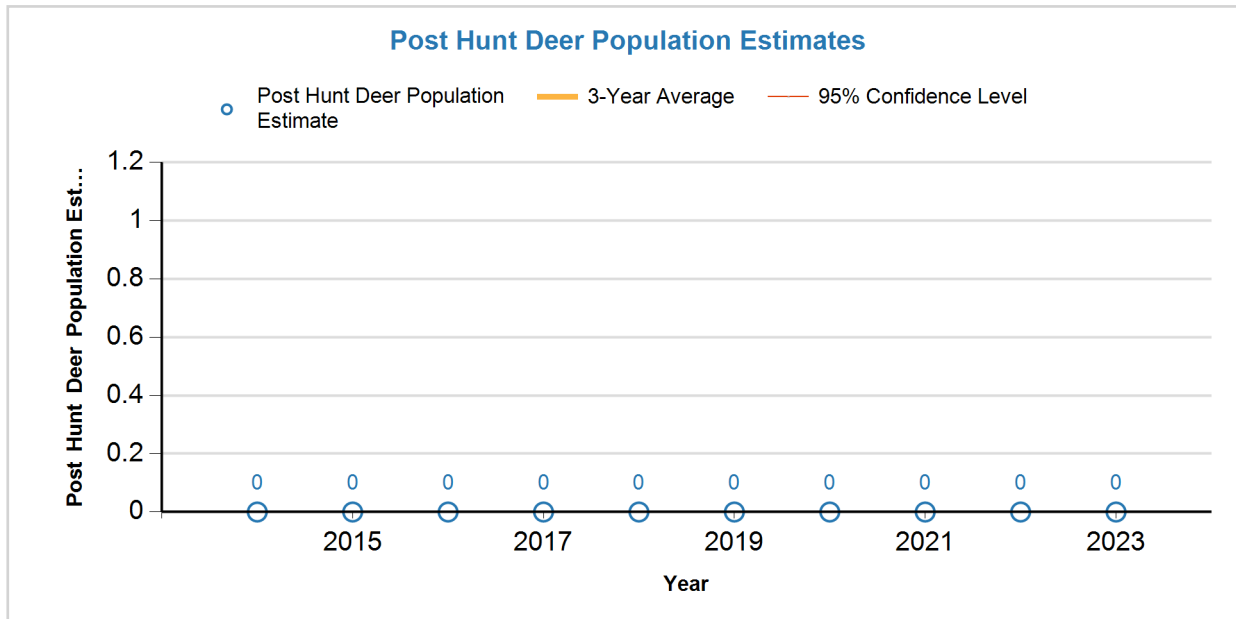


**Antlerless Tag Issuance & Success for Menominee County - Northern Forest**

Year	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>Farmland - Public</b>				
Issued				
Killed				
Success Rate (%)				
<b>Farmland - Private</b>				
Issued				
Killed				
Success Rate (%)				
<b>Farmland - Total</b>				
Issued				
Killed				
Success Rate (%)				
<b>Bonus- Public</b>				
Available				
Issued	0	0	0	0
Killed	0	0	0	0
Success Rate (%)				
<b>Bonus- Private</b>				
Available				
Issued	0	0	0	0
Killed	0	0	0	0
Success Rate (%)				
<b>Bonus- Total</b>				
Available				
Issued	0	0	0	0
Killed	0	0	0	0
Success Rate (%)				

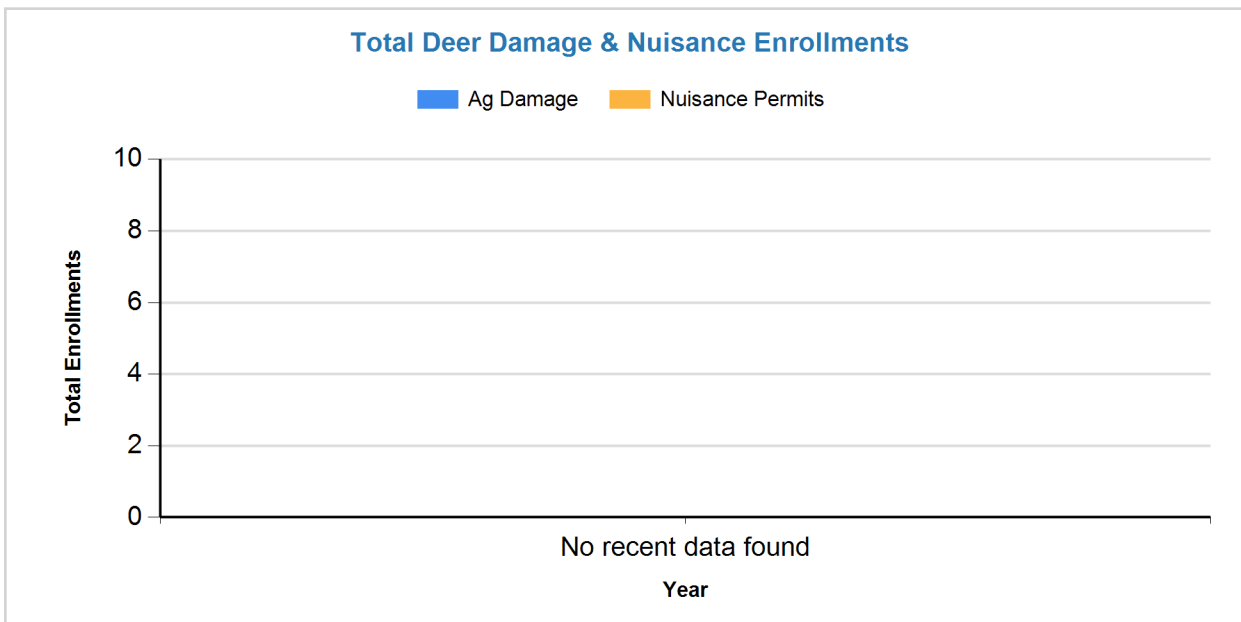
## Herd Abundance

Deer herd abundance is estimated annually with hunter-collected data and a mathematical model to get post hunt deer population estimates.

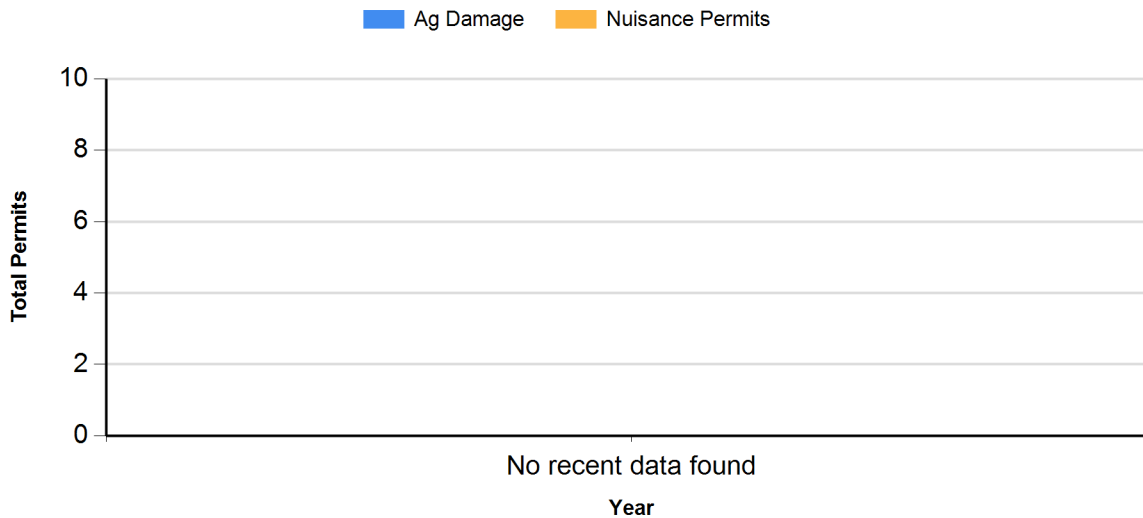


## Deer Impacts – Agriculture & Nuisance Impacts

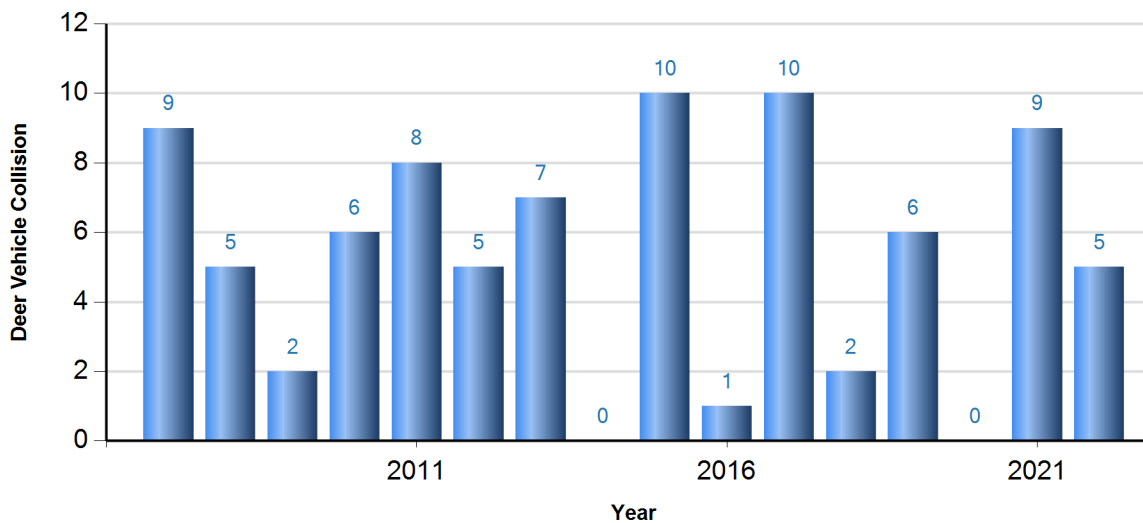
View trends in county and statewide enrollment, shooting permit, Ag Damage, and Nuisance harvest numbers over the years.





**Total Deer Damage & Nuisance Shooting Permits Issued*****Deer Impacts - Deer Vehicle Collision***

Deer-vehicle collisions (DVCs) are one of the most visible negative impacts that deer populations have on society. As managing deer involves balancing the positive benefits of deer with their negative impacts, it makes sense to consider DVCs when making deer management decisions.

**Deer Vehicle Collisions*****Hunter Dynamics - Hunter Field Observations***

This metric provides voluntary hunter observation data that is collected either during the process of registering a deer, or from submitted field observations through an on-line reporting form.

## Deer Seen Per Hunted Hour

