



# WHITE-TAILED DEER SUMMARY 2022-2023: 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 (previous 10 years):** 1,178

**Total 2022-2023 Harvest (all seasons):** 1,544

**Permits issued/quota 2022-2023** (excludes landowner; archery and youth are statewide):

**Firearm:** 1944/1950 **Muzzle:** 205/240

**Chronic Wasting Disease Detected:** No

**Check Station Location:** N/A

**Late Winter/CWD Season in 2023-2024:** 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

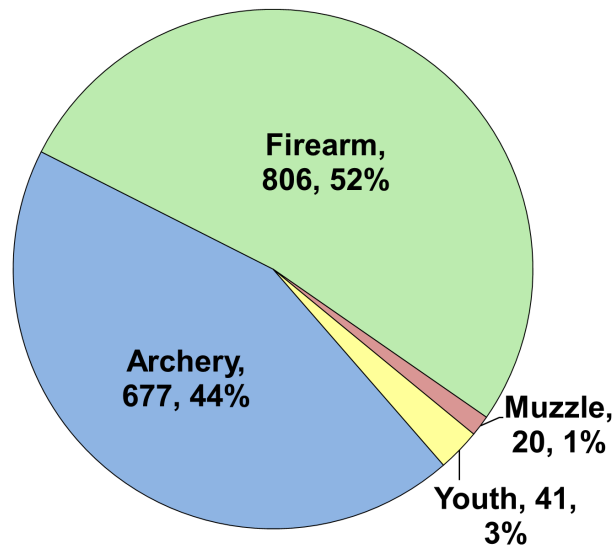
## Recent Archery Harvest by Bow Type

Type	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Compound	293	328	338	267	314
Crossbow	178	235	328	298	359
Traditional	2	2	7	4	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>473</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>677</b>

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

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
M - Adult	27.7	23.7	23.4	27.8	25.1
M - Yearling	26.7	26.5	21.0	21.5	23.6
M - Fawn	9.8	8.2	10.5	10.9	7.5
F - Adult	34.9	37.0	40.4	33.8	37.2
F - Fawn	6.6	4.6	4.7	6.0	6.6

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



## Recent Harvest (all seasons)

