

# DEER PERMIT AREA 183 HUNTING INFORMATION

## 2022 Deer Hunting Information

**Designation:** One-deer limit: either sex

**Firearm Options:** All Legal Firearms

**Special Regulations:** N/A

**Seasons:**

Archery: Sept. 17 - Dec. 31

Youth: Oct. 20 - Oct. 23

Early Antlerless: N/A

Firearm A: Nov. 5 - Nov. 20

Firearm B: N/A

Muzzleloader: Nov. 26 - Dec. 11

Late CWD Hunts: N/A

## Land Cover Types % Tot.

Woody Cover	80
Grassland and Wetlands	14
Annual Row Crops	0
Open Water	2
Developed	3

## Total Land Area in 2021 (Non-water)

663 Sq. Mi.

## Lands Open to Public Hunting

Publically Owned Lands	Sq. Mi.
State Wildlife Management Area	9
State Forest	147
Misc. State Land	12
County Managed Land	65
USFWS Land (WPA and NWR)	0
USFS Land (National Forest)	0
Privately Owned Lands	
Forest Legacy/Forests for Future	0
Walk-In Access	0
<b>Total for Public Hunting</b>	<b>233</b>

## Wildlife Manager Report

Deer Permit Area 183 lies in SE Carlton and NE Pine Counties. The model suggests the population is slowly decreasing at a rate of approximately 2% since 2017. However, the buck harvest and bucks harvested per hunter have both been stable since 2018. Overall, I think the population is relatively stable under an either sex designation. Either-sex will be utilized again in 2022 for consistency.

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**Important Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) Information**  
Optional CWD testing available. Visit [mndnr.gov/cwd/cwd-testing.html](http://mndnr.gov/cwd/cwd-testing.html)

**A deer feeding ban is in effect for Carlton and Pine Counties. See [mndnr.gov/cwd/feedban.html](http://mndnr.gov/cwd/feedban.html) for details**

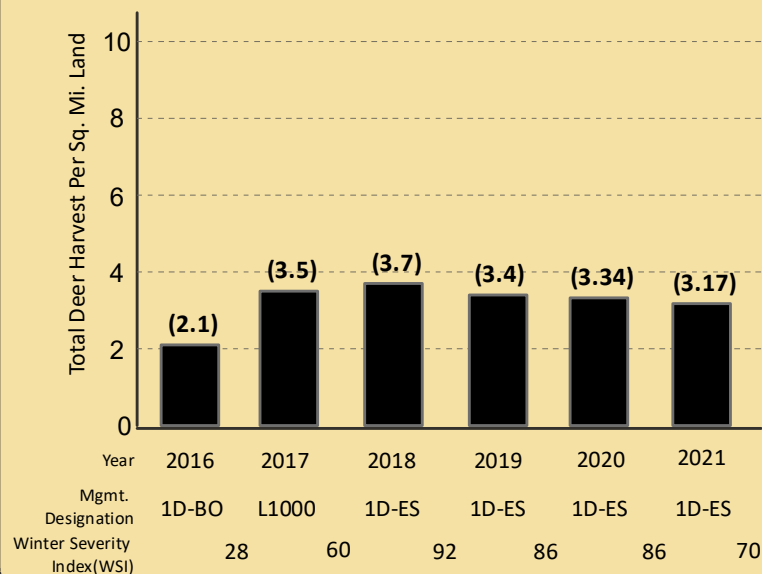
## 2021 Firearm Deer Hunter Statistics

Hunters per Sq. Mi. Land:	10
Hunter Success:	29%

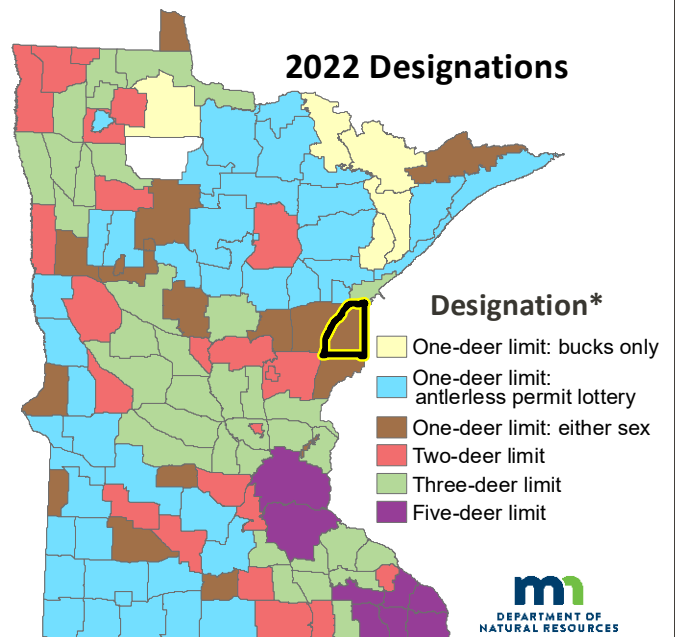
## 2021 Deer Harvest

	Adult Male	Fawn Male	Adult Female	Fawn Female	Total
<b>Firearms</b>	1095	152	656	76	1979
<b>Archery</b>	61	4	36	3	104
<b>Muzzleloader</b>	8	1	11	1	21
<b>Total Harvest</b>	1164	157	703	80	2104

## Deer Harvest, Management Designation and Winter Severity Index from 2016 - 2021/22



## 2022 Designations



\* see page 67 in the hunting regulations for details