2014 Minnesota Wolf Season Short Summary

Preliminary Analysis - 2/9/15

Zone Results*

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* based on data from wolf inspections
* awaiting data from 8 wolves

Wolf Harvest Sex Ratio

Seasons/Zones Combined (n= 263)

49% Males

51% Females

Early Season Hunting (n= 118)

47% Males

53% Females

Late Season Hunting (n= 23)

35% Males

65% Females

Late Season Trapping (n= 122)

53% Males

47% Females
Land Ownership for Wolf Harvest Locations

**Land Ownership - All Seasons/Zones (n= 254)**

- **Public**: 48%
- **Private**: 52%

### Land Ownership - NW Zone (n= 171)

- **Public**: 53%
- **Private**: 47%

### Land Ownership - NE Zone (n= 76)

- **Public**: 36%
- **Private**: 64%

### Land Ownership - EC Zone (n= 7)

- **Public**: 57%
- **Private**: 43%

**Methods of Take**

### Hunting Method Early Season (n= 118)

- **Opportunistic**: 8%
- **Calling**: 11%
- **Over Bait**: 81%

### Hunting Method - Late Season (n= 23)

- **Opportunistic**: 44%
- **Calling**: 26%
- **Over Bait**: 30%

### Trapping Method Late Season (n= 123)

- **Foothold**: 45%
- **Standard Snare**: 28%
- **Wolf Snare**: 27%
2014 Wolf Harvest Locations (awaiting location verification for 8 animals)