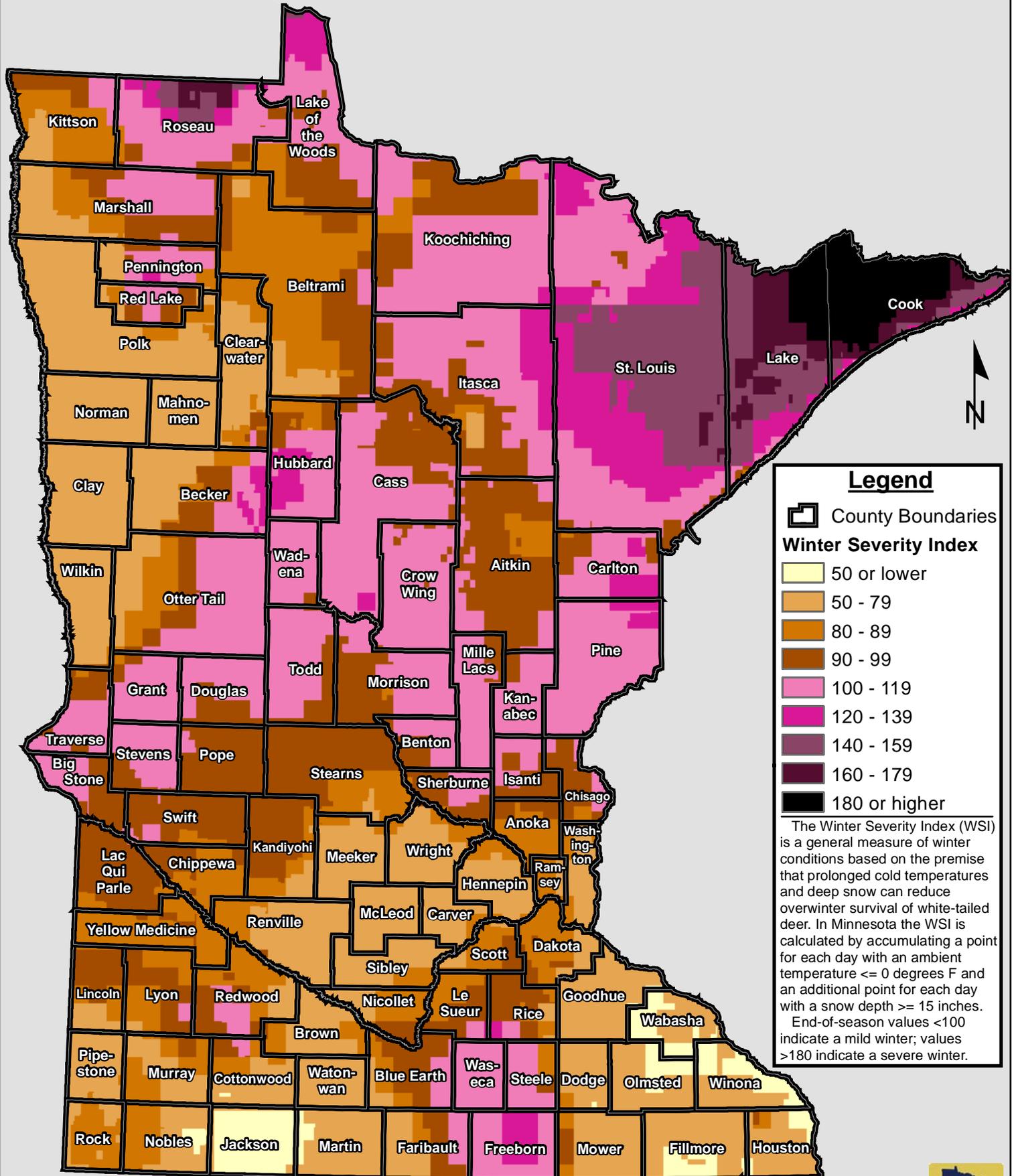


Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2000 - May 30th, 2001



Legend

County Boundaries

Winter Severity Index

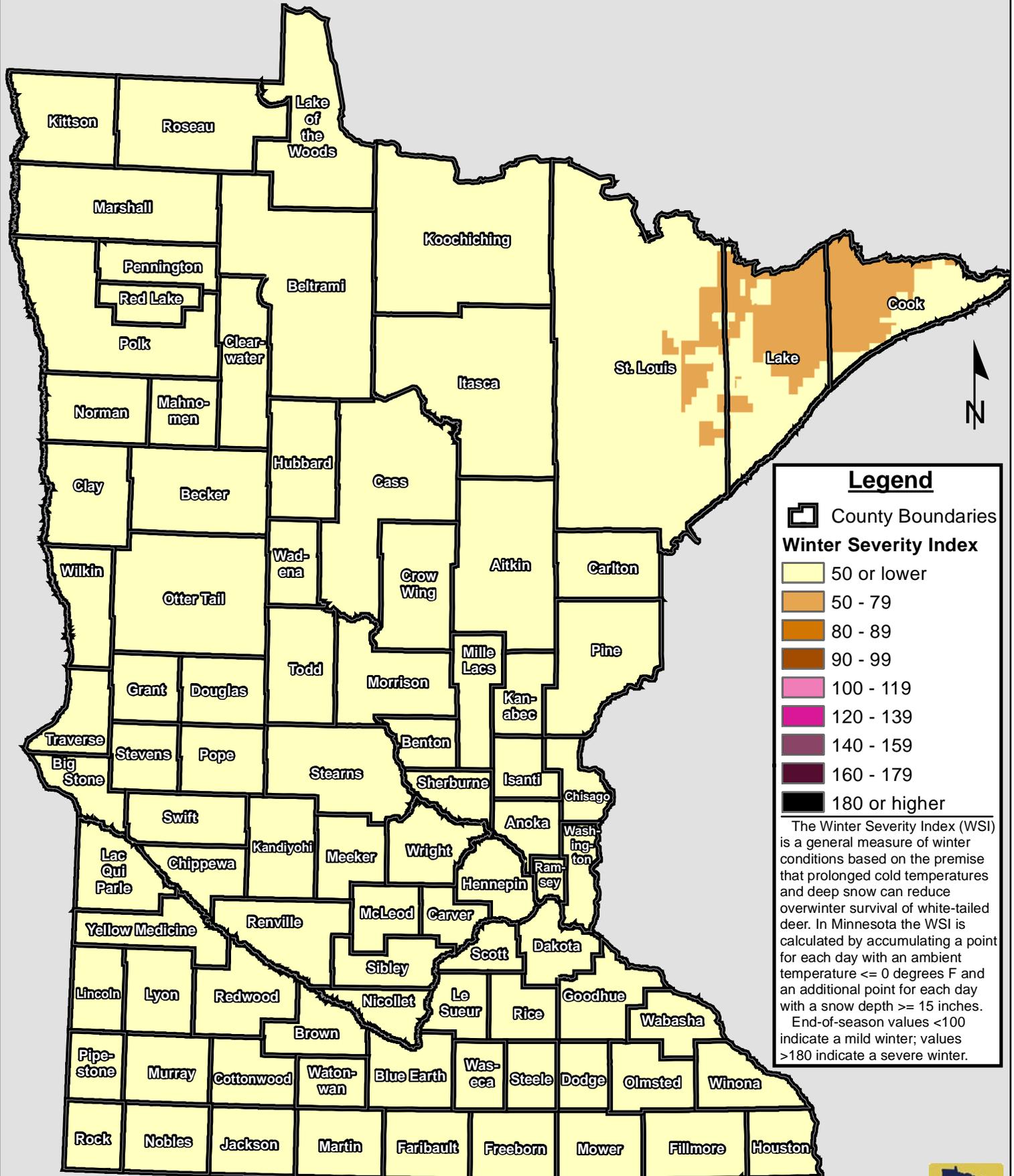
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2001 - May 30th, 2002



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County Boundaries

Winter Severity Index

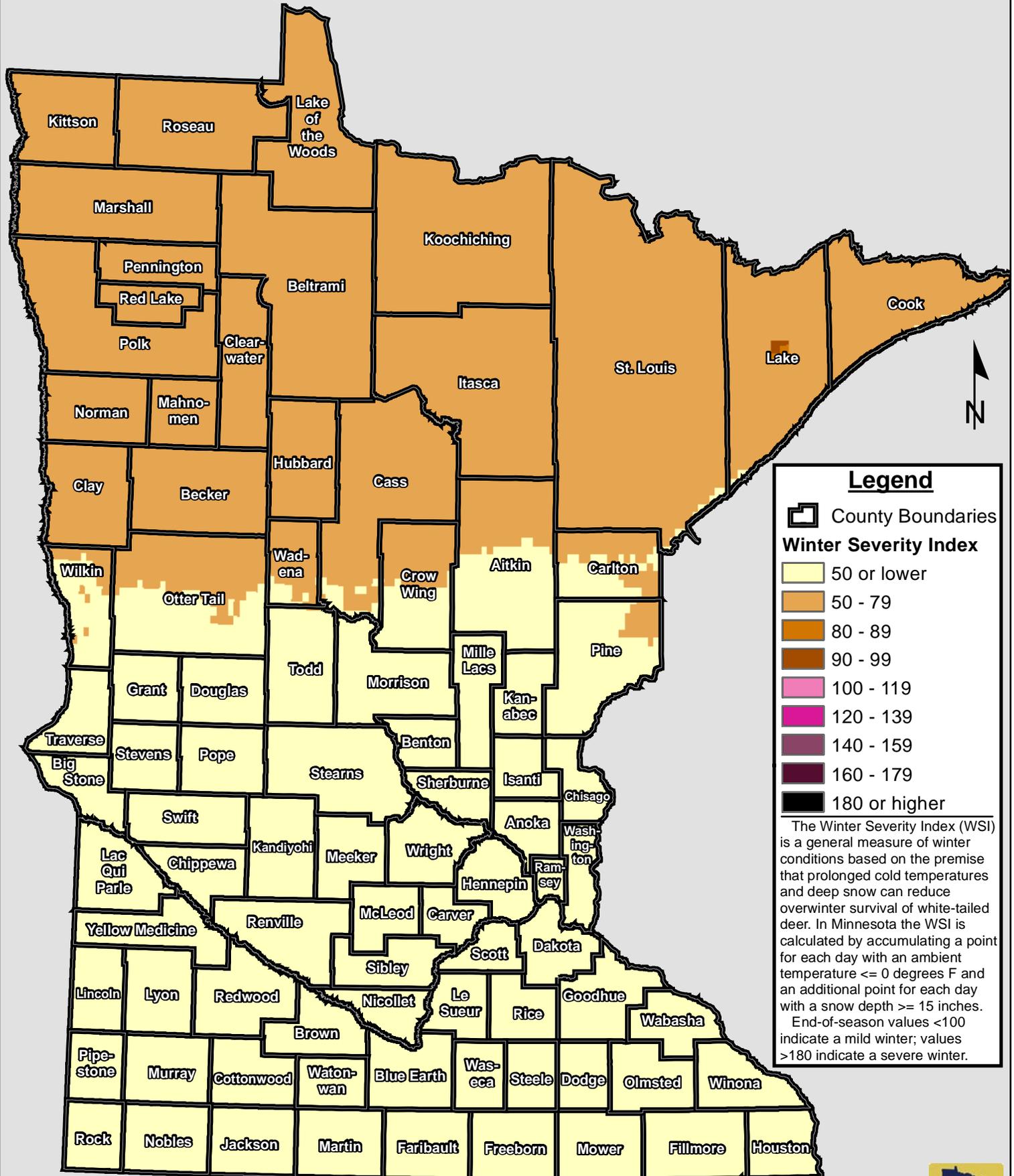
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2002 - May 30th, 2003



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County Boundaries

Winter Severity Index

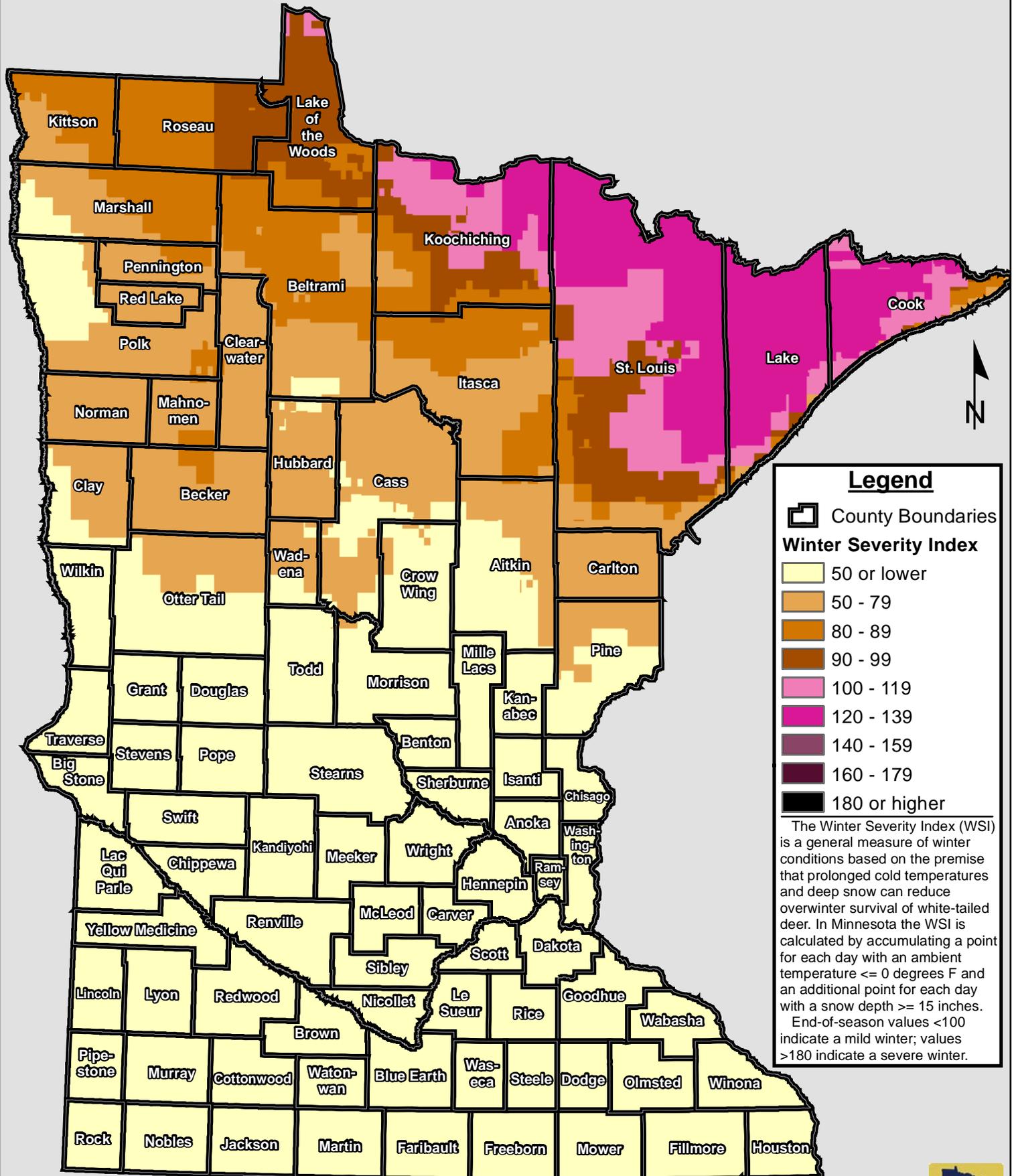
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2003 - May 30th, 2004



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- County Boundaries

Winter Severity Index

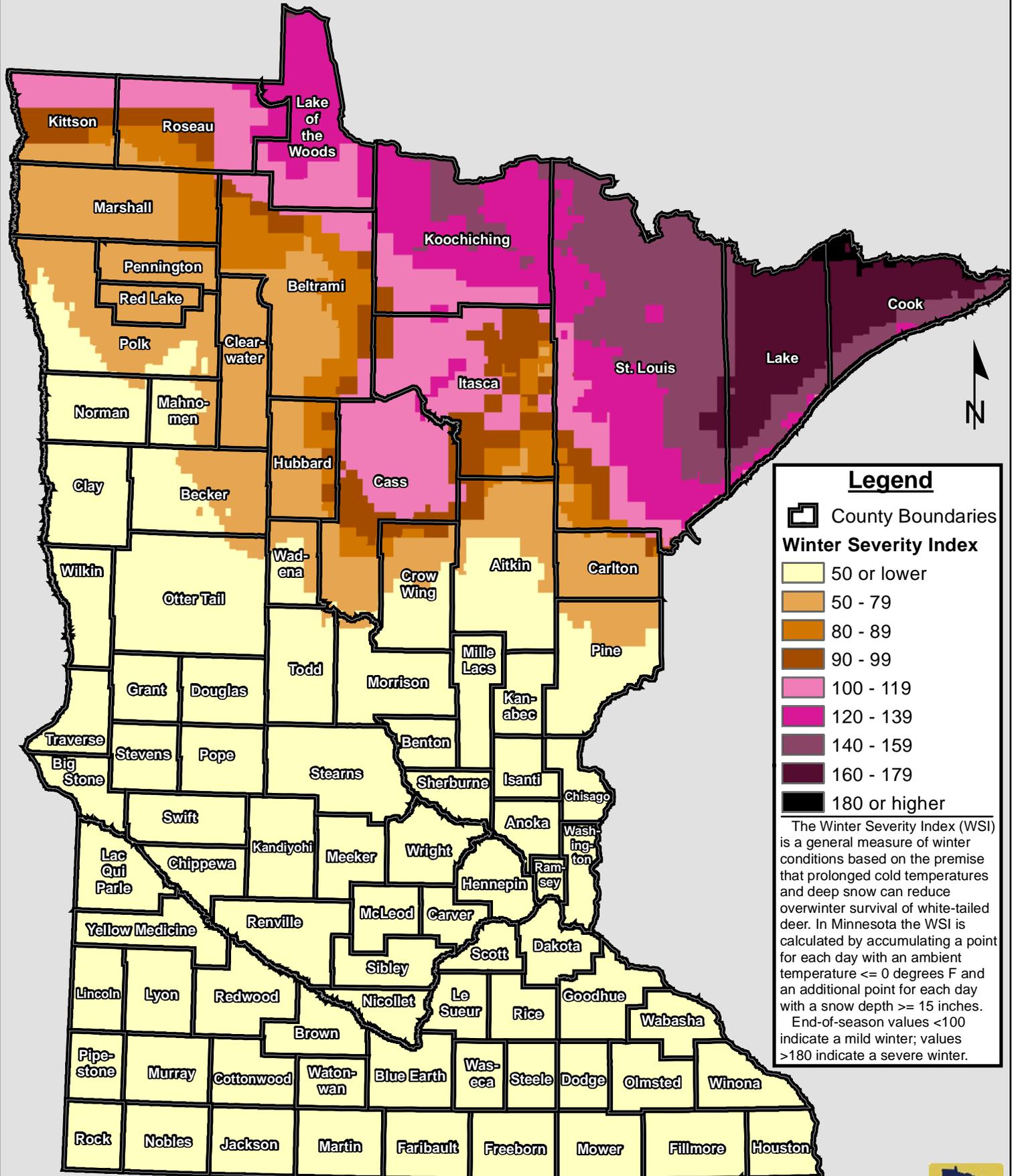
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2004 - May 30th, 2005



Legend

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Winter Severity Index

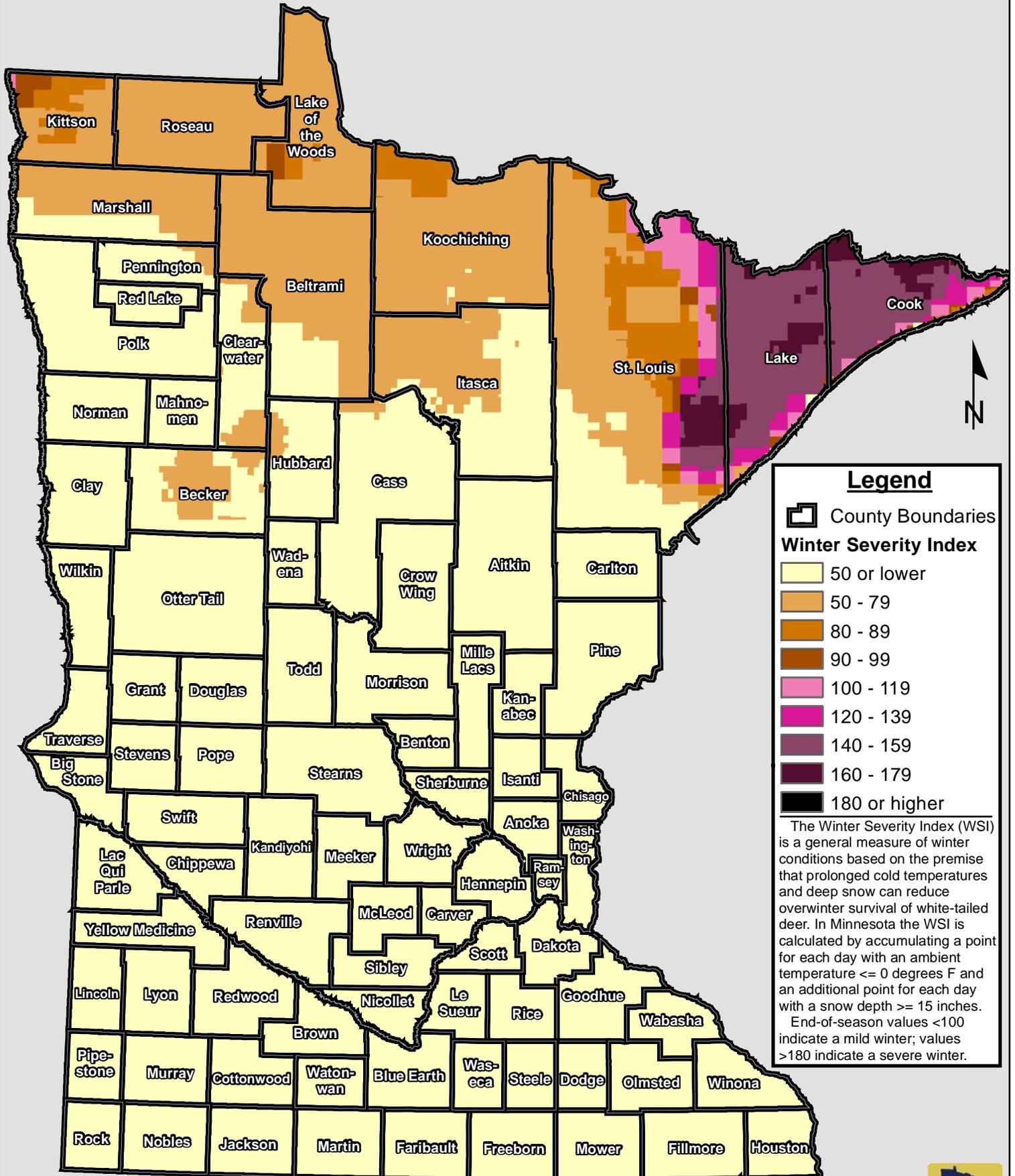
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2005 - May 30th, 2006



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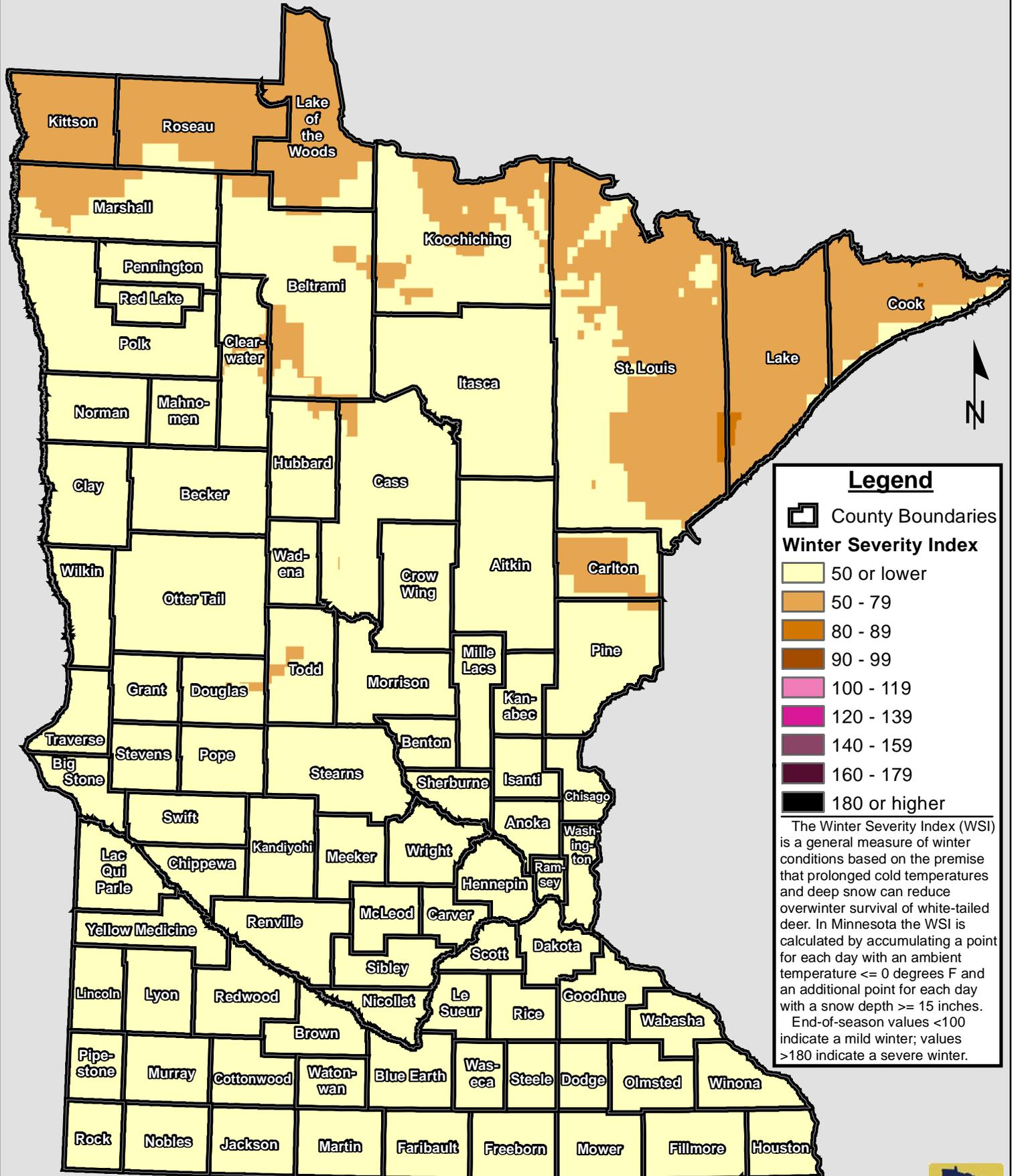
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2006 - May 30th, 2007



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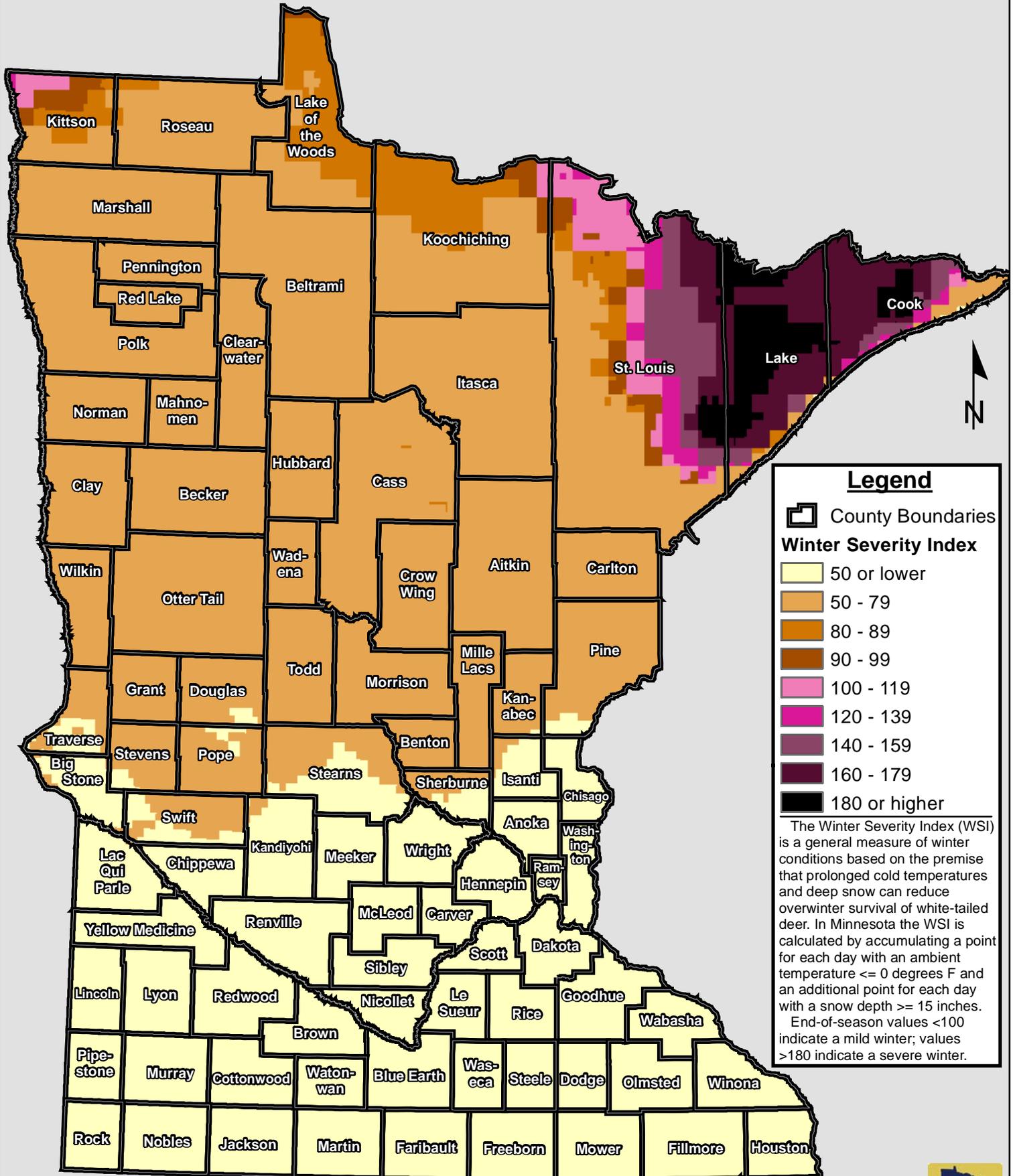
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2007 - May 30th, 2008



Legend

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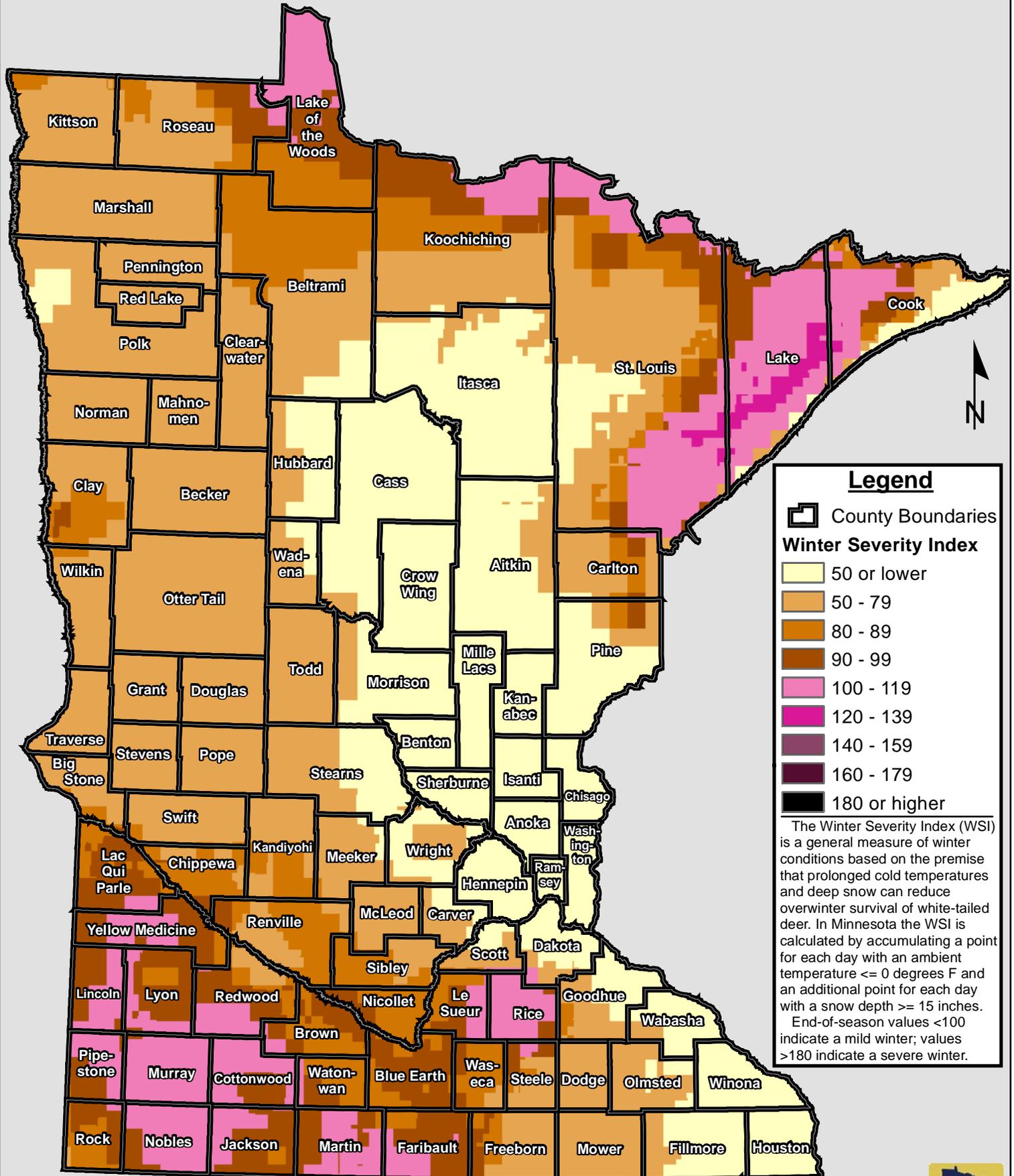
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Winter Severity Index (WSI) for White-tailed Deer

November 1st, 2009 - May 30th, 2010



Legend

County Boundaries

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