

GEORGIA DEER HARVEST SUMMARY 2009-2010

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TOTAL DEER HARVEST	398,668	-0.06%	NUMBER OF LICENSED RESIDENT DEER HUNTERS	206,246	17.0%
PERCENT DOES IN HARVEST	64.85	4.6%	NUMBER OF LICENSED, NON-RESIDENT DEER HUNTERS	33,700	-6.4%
TOTAL BUCKS	140,142	-12.2%	NUMBER OF HONORARY DEER HUNTERS	40,588	1.1%
TOTAL DOES	258,536	8.1%	NUMBER OF LIFETIME LICENSE DEER HUNTERS²	23,793	N/A
AVERAGE DEER PER HUNTER³	1.31	4.0%	TOTAL NUMBER OF GEORGIA DEER HUNTERS	304,327	0.7%
AVERAGE DAYS PER DEER	16.31	-3.3%	PERCENT OF GEORGIA DEER HUNTERS HARVESTING AT LEAST ONE DEER⁴	52.62	-2.2%
AVERAGE DAYS PER HUNTER	21.34	3.8%			

MODERN FIREARM (GUN) HARVEST

(93.01% of deer hunters hunted with modern firearms at least once during the deer season)

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TOTAL GUN HUNTERS	283,054	-2.0%	GUN BUCKS	123,097	-10.7%	AVG. DEER PER HUNTER	1.17	5.4%
TOTAL GUN HARVEST	331,173	-3.3%	GUN DOES	208,076	13.4%	AVG. DAYS PER DEER	14.70	-5.6%
% OF TOTAL DEER HARVEST	83.1%	2.8%	% DOES IN GUN HARVEST	62.83	9.2%	AVG. DAYS PER HUNTER	17.16	-0.7%

ARCHERY HARVEST

(35.42% of deer hunters hunted with archery equipment at least once during the deer season)

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TOTAL ARCHERY HUNTERS	107,792	18.1%	ARCHERY BUCKS	16,640	84.8%	AVG. DEER PER HUNTER	0.51	8.5%
TOTAL ARCHERY HARVEST	54,974	28.2%	ARCHERY DOES	41,334	22.1%	AVG. DAYS PER DEER	25.80	-6.4%
% OF TOTAL DEER HARVEST	13.8%	2.6%	% DOES IN ARCHERY HARVEST	75.19	5.3%	AVG. DAYS PER HUNTER	13.24	2.7%

MUZZLELOADER (MZZL) HARVEST

(17.06 % of deer hunters hunted with a MZZL at least once during the deer season)

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TOTAL MZZL HUNTERS	51,918	-10.9%	MZZL BUCKS	3,423	-54.8%	AVG. DEER PER HUNTER	0.24	-17%
TOTAL MZZL HARVEST	12,460	-26.2	MZZL DOES	9,037	-15.1%	AVG. DAYS PER DEER	16.87	14.4%
% OF TOTAL DEER HARVEST	3.1%	-1.4%	% DOES IN MZZL HARVEST	72.53	14.8%	AVG. DAYS PER HUNTER	4.06	-6.0%

HUNTER SUCCESS SUMMARY (% OF DEER HUNTERS HARVESTING THE INDICATED NUMBER OF DEER)

ALL DEER		BUCKS		DOES	
0 DEER HARVESTED	47.38	0 BUCKS HARVESTED	65.30	0 DOES HARVESTED	61.33
1 DEER HARVESTED	20.40	1 BUCK HARVESTED	24.68	1 DOE HARVESTED	17.82
2 DEER HARVESTED	13.67	2 BUCKS HARVESTED	9.25	2 DOES HARVESTED	10.38
3 DEER HARVESTED	8.30	3 BUCKS HARVESTED	0.54	3 DOES HARVESTED	4.78
4 DEER HARVESTED	3.97	> 3 BUCKS HARVESTED	0.24	4 DOES HARVESTED	2.35
5 DEER HARVESTED	2.30			5 DOES HARVESTED	1.17
> 5 DEER HARVESTED	3.97			> 5 DOES HARVESTED	2.18

¹ Change from 2008-2009 estimates.

² Of 6 years of age or older.

³ Harvest rate used for calculations of harvest estimates is estimated from survey of licensed resident hunters following the 2009-10 season.

⁴ Calculated for licensed resident hunters only.