

2024 White-tailed Deer Population Report

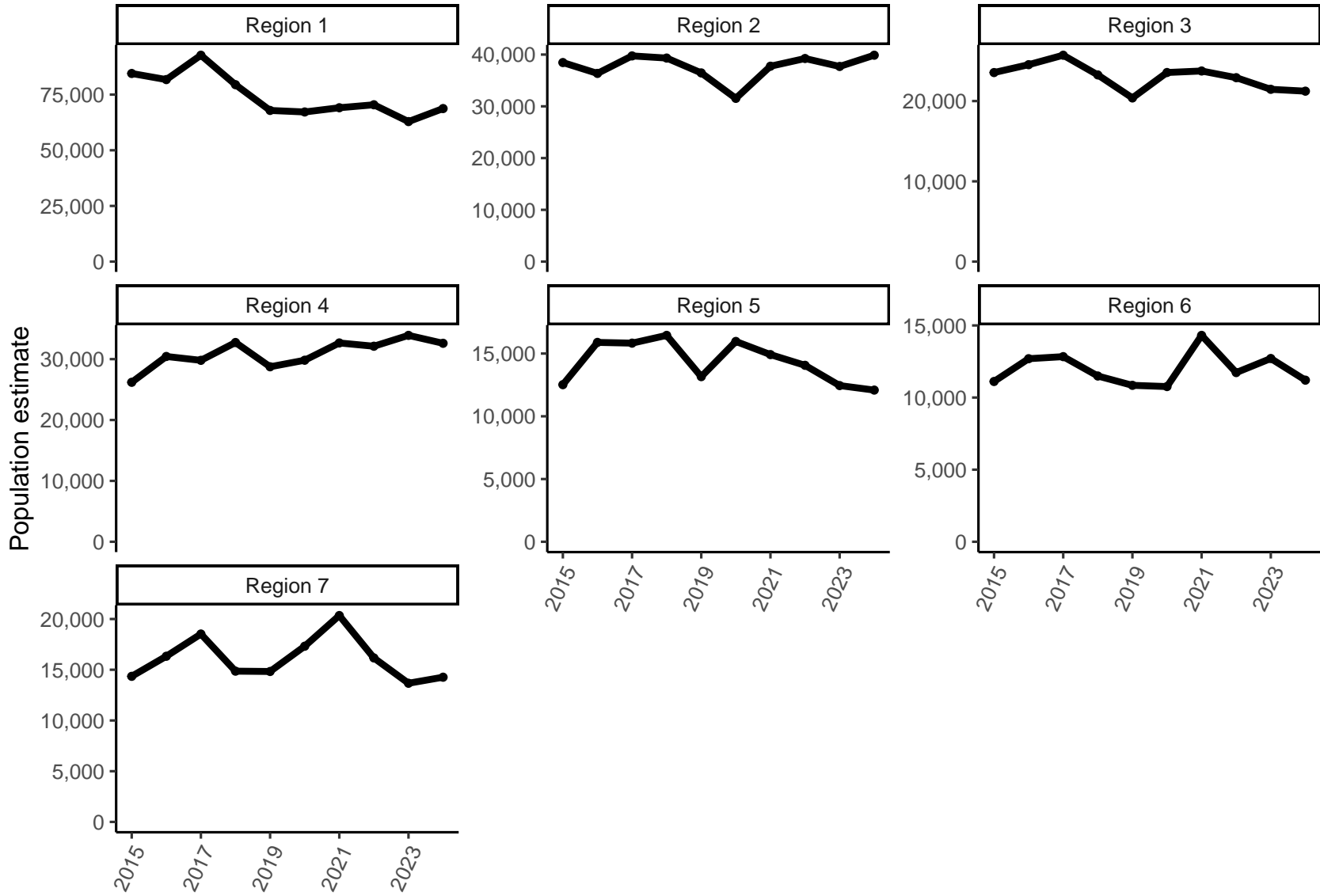
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| Region | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 | LTA | % difference from LTA |
|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------------------|
| Region 1 | 77,675 | 84,482 | 81,738 | 92,687 | 79,446 | 67,887 | 67,195 | 69,094 | 70,427 | 62,878 | 68,733 | 75,351 | -9 |
| Region 2 | 30,226 | 38,457 | 36,357 | 39,740 | 39,323 | 36,453 | 31,539 | 37,747 | 39,237 | 37,700 | 39,874 | 36,678 | 9 |
| Region 3 | 21,086 | 23,550 | 24,532 | 25,712 | 23,256 | 20,387 | 23,557 | 23,745 | 22,913 | 21,464 | 21,233 | 23,020 | -8 |
| Region 4 | 20,683 | 26,193 | 30,436 | 29,801 | 32,731 | 28,743 | 29,818 | 32,657 | 32,118 | 33,902 | 32,602 | 29,708 | 10 |
| Region 5 | 14,510 | 12,520 | 15,890 | 15,830 | 16,450 | 13,160 | 15,966 | 14,917 | 14,063 | 12,448 | 12,088 | 14,575 | -17 |
| Region 6 | 8,309 | 11,113 | 12,693 | 12,836 | 11,493 | 10,846 | 10,761 | 14,311 | 11,732 | 12,706 | 11,205 | 11,680 | -4 |
| Region 7 | 11,240 | 14,350 | 16,330 | 18,520 | 14,860 | 14,827 | 17,318 | 20,343 | 16,163 | 13,668 | 14,265 | 15,762 | -9 |
| Statewide | 183,729 | 210,665 | 217,976 | 235,126 | 217,559 | 192,303 | 196,154 | 212,814 | 206,653 | 194,766 | 200,000 | 206,159 | -3 |

LTA = long term average (previous 10 years)

- The estimates for white-tailed deer populations are based upon population modeling with survey and harvest inputs.
- White-tailed deer estimates are not comprehensively validated with site specific research or enhanced monitoring efforts.
- White-tailed deer estimates are not framed with confidence intervals and are subject to adjustment.

Regional White-tailed Deer Population Estimates



Statewide White-tailed Deer Population Estimates

