

2018 MULE DEER STATUS

| REGION | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2008-2017 AVERAGE |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------------|
| 1 | 11,722 | 9,296 | 8,983 | 13,095 | 6,226 | 7,590 | 10,782 | 8,008 | 6,918 | 10,670 | 5,800 | 9,329 |
| 2 | 16,188 | 13,229 | 11,486 | 14,226 | 11,472 | 12,754 | 12,267 | 14,267 | 15,960 | 17,345 | 13,864 | 13,919 |
| 3 | 46,594 | 40,747 | 33,624 | 33,293 | 33,204 | 34,172 | 35,482 | 38,912 | 43,049 | 50,496 | 43,835 | 38,957 |
| 4 | 65,826 | 59,589 | 50,096 | 46,384 | 46,216 | 49,210 | 56,133 | 56,629 | 64,264 | 71,359 | 66,281 | 56,571 |
| 5 | 41,791 | 39,813 | 38,334 | 34,720 | 33,836 | 37,977 | 32,185 | 32,042 | 36,182 | 38,357 | 36,965 | 36,524 |
| 6 | 51,428 | 45,056 | 35,488 | 42,053 | 32,983 | 36,674 | 37,487 | 43,561 | 64,660 | 65,848 | 50,701 | 45,524 |
| 7 | 101,169 | 93,167 | 69,213 | 65,549 | 47,424 | 53,934 | 79,287 | 103,812 | 135,000 | 132,000 | 117,519 | 88,056 |
| STATEWIDE TOTAL | 334,717 | 300,895 | 247,224 | 249,320 | 211,361 | 232,312 | 263,623 | 297,231 | 366,033 | 386,075 | 334,965 | 288,879 |

The estimates for mule deer populations are based upon population modeling with survey and/or harvest inputs.
Mule deer estimates are not comprehensively validated with site specific research or enhanced monitoring efforts.
Mule deer estimates are not framed with confidence intervals and are subject to adjustment.
The method used to make mule deer population estimates was changed in 2015. Population estimates on this page should be used in place of previous population estimates.