

Avon Park Air Force Range
Outdoor Recreation
Annual Report
2025-2026 Season





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Revenue, Budget, and Visitor Use

Permit Sales

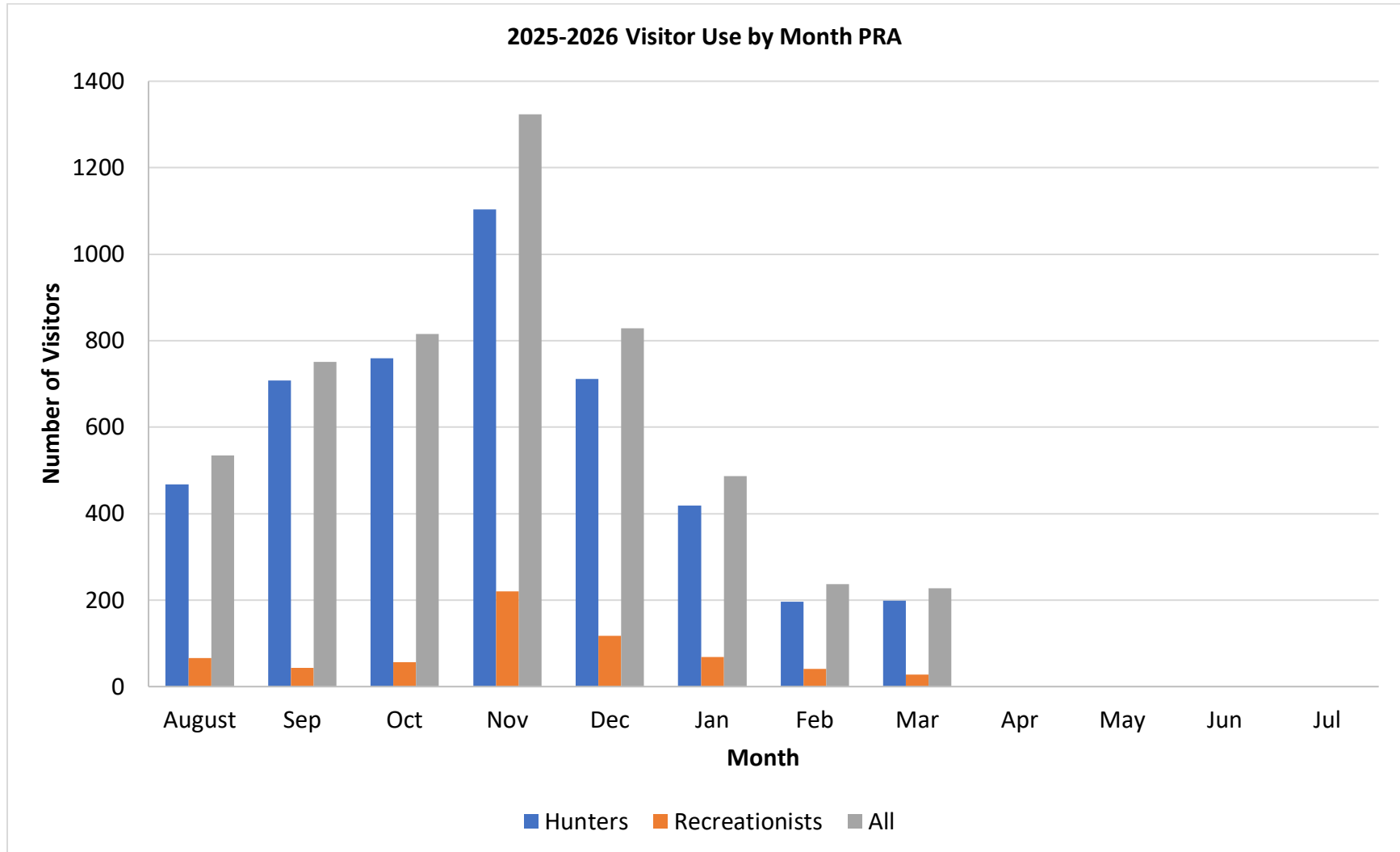
Permit Type	Number Issued	Cost	Revenue Generated
PRA Annual Hunt (early bird)	358	\$500	\$179,000
PRA Annual Hunt	67	\$600	\$40,200
PRA Companion Hunt (early bird)	19	\$300	\$5,700
PRA Companion Hunt	2	\$400	\$800
PRA Active Duty	13	\$200	\$2,600
PRA Retired	15	\$350	\$5,250
PRA Companion Military Discounted	7	\$100	\$700
MRA Annual Hunt Permit	139	\$35	\$4865
MRA Hunt Companion	11	\$12	\$132
MRA Weekly Hunt Permit	25	\$16	\$400
Purple Heart Companion Permit	1	\$52	\$52
PRA Annual Hunt with Deer Dogs (early bird)	57	\$550	\$31,350
PRA Annual Hunt with Hog Dogs (early bird)	39	\$550	\$21,450
PRA Annual Hunt with Hog Dogs	3	\$650	\$1,950
PRA Annual Hunt with Deer & Hog Dogs (early bird)	59	\$600	\$35,400
PRA Companion Hunt with Deer Dogs (early bird)	2	\$350	\$700
PRA Companion Hunt with Hog Dogs (early bird)	4	\$350	\$1,400
PRA Companion Hunt with Deer & Hog Dogs (early bird)	3	\$400	\$1,200
PRA Annual Recreation	299	\$60	\$17,940
PRA Weekend Recreation	9	\$30	\$270
PRA Hunt Guest	35	\$100	\$3,500
MRA Hunt Guest	47	\$15	\$705
PRA Camping Annual (Camper)	84	\$300	\$25,200
PRA Camping Annual (Tent)	11	\$100	\$1,100
MRA Camping (Camper)	9	\$200	\$1,800
MRA Camping (Tent)	2	\$100	\$200
Additional Vehicle Pass	35	\$10	\$350
TOTAL	1359		\$384,214.00





Attendance

Outdoor recreation was open for 66 days for the 2025-2026 season hosting a total of 5205 visitors.





Budget

FY26

Category	Amount
GS Civilian Pay*	\$85,789
CSU Pay**	\$243,162
Utilities	\$ 4,186
Supplies	\$ 5,119
Rebate	-\$ 576
Outreach	\$706
Media	\$7,571
Maintenance	\$4,646
Equipment	\$0
Fuel	\$ 9,000
Mid Florida	\$ 19,740
Campground Improvements	\$ 0
Total	\$ 418,963
<i>* GS7 Office Manager</i>	
<i>** 1 Park Ranger, 1 Office Assistant, and 1 Equipment Operator</i>	

FY27 Projected

Category	Amount
GS Civilian Pay*	\$ 86,647
CSU Pay**	\$ 230,240
Utilities	\$ 2,100
Supplies	\$ 8,500
Outreach	\$ 700
Media	\$ 7,000
Maintenance	\$ 9,500
Equipment	\$ 19,000
Fuel	\$ 9,000
Mid Florida	\$ 21,000
Campground Improvements	\$ 25,000
Total	\$ 418,539
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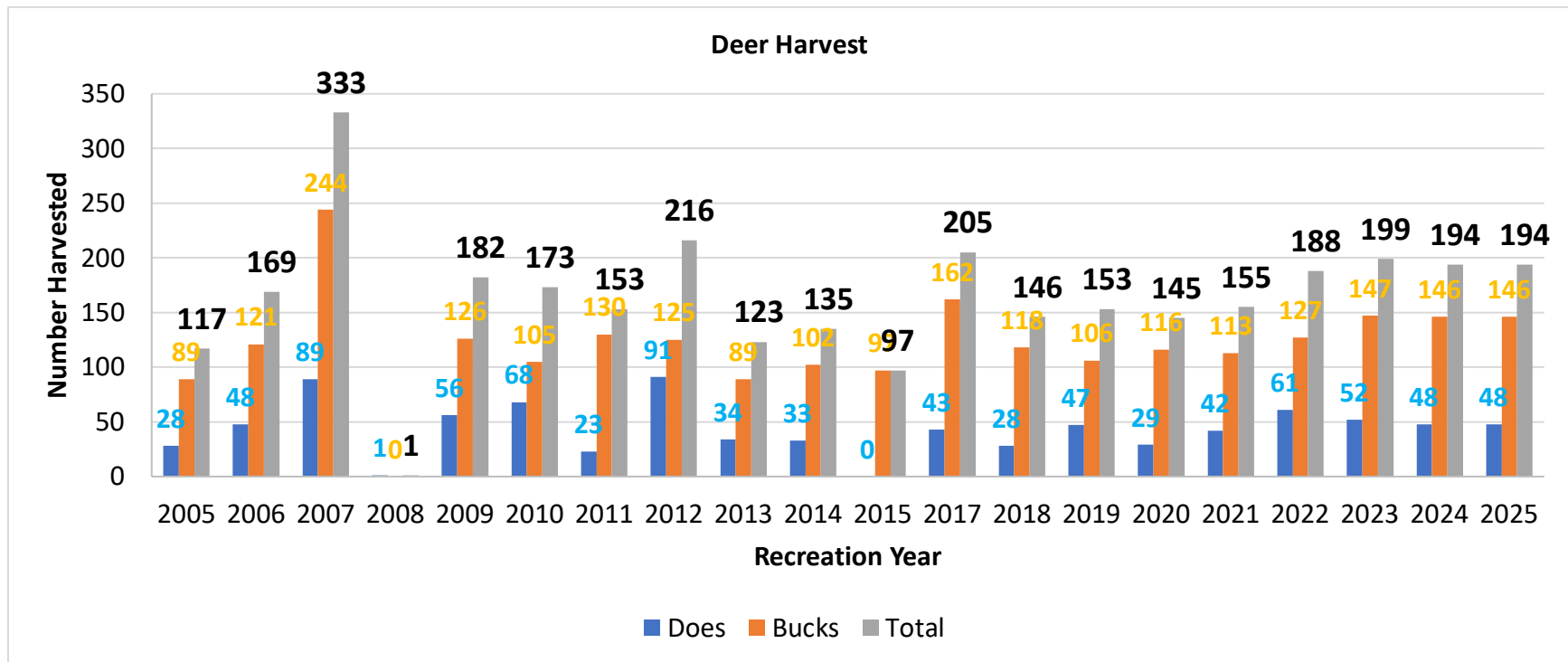


White Tailed Deer

General Season Information

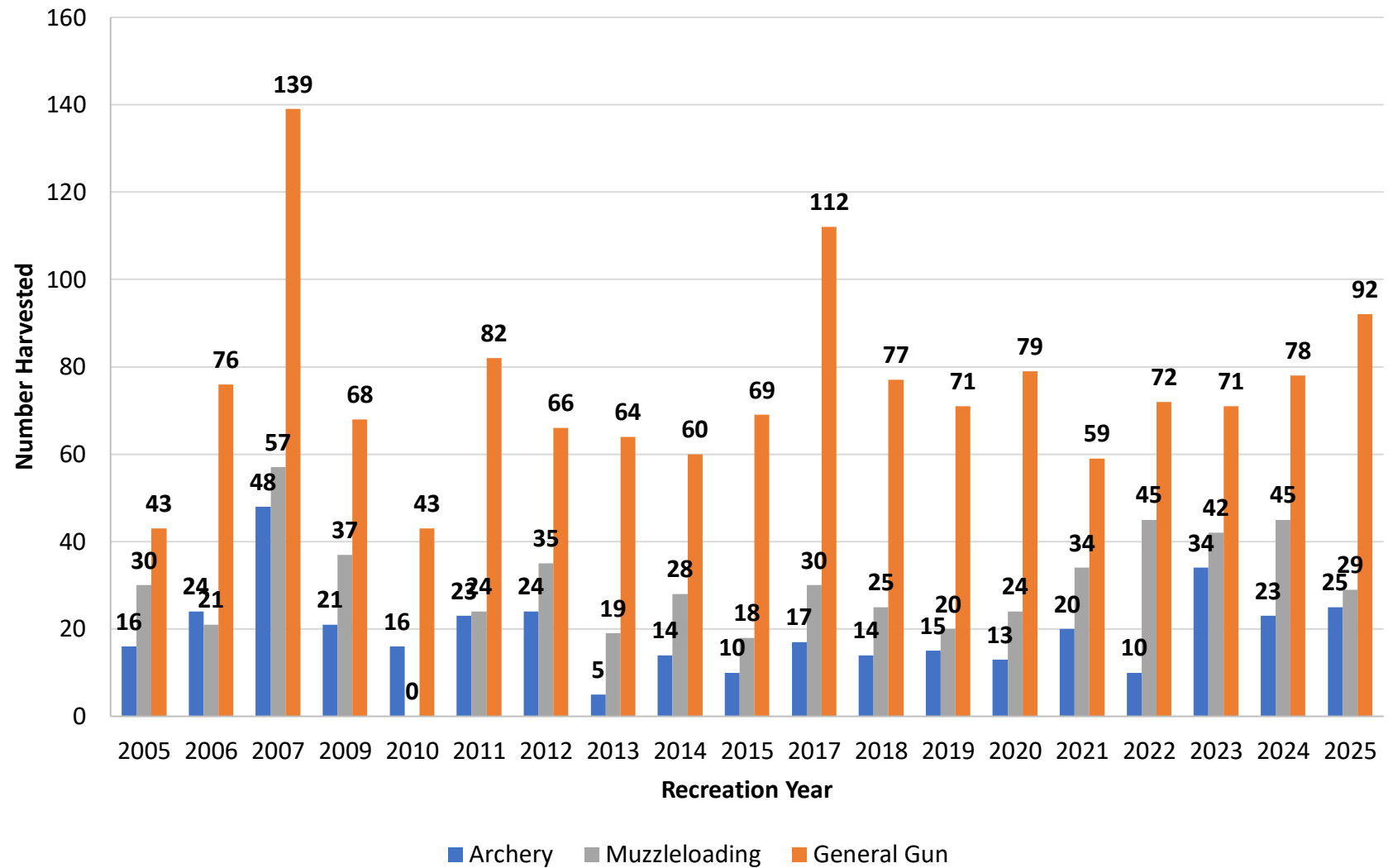
Season	Start Date	End Date	Days Open
Archery	13 Sept 2025	12 Oct 2025	11
Muzzleloader	18 Oct 2025	26 Oct 2025	2
General Gun	01 Nov 2025	11 Jan 2026	27
Dog Hunts	01 Nov 2025	11 Jan 2026	27
TAKE LIMIT: 150 BUCKS			TOTAL
			40

Harvest Numbers



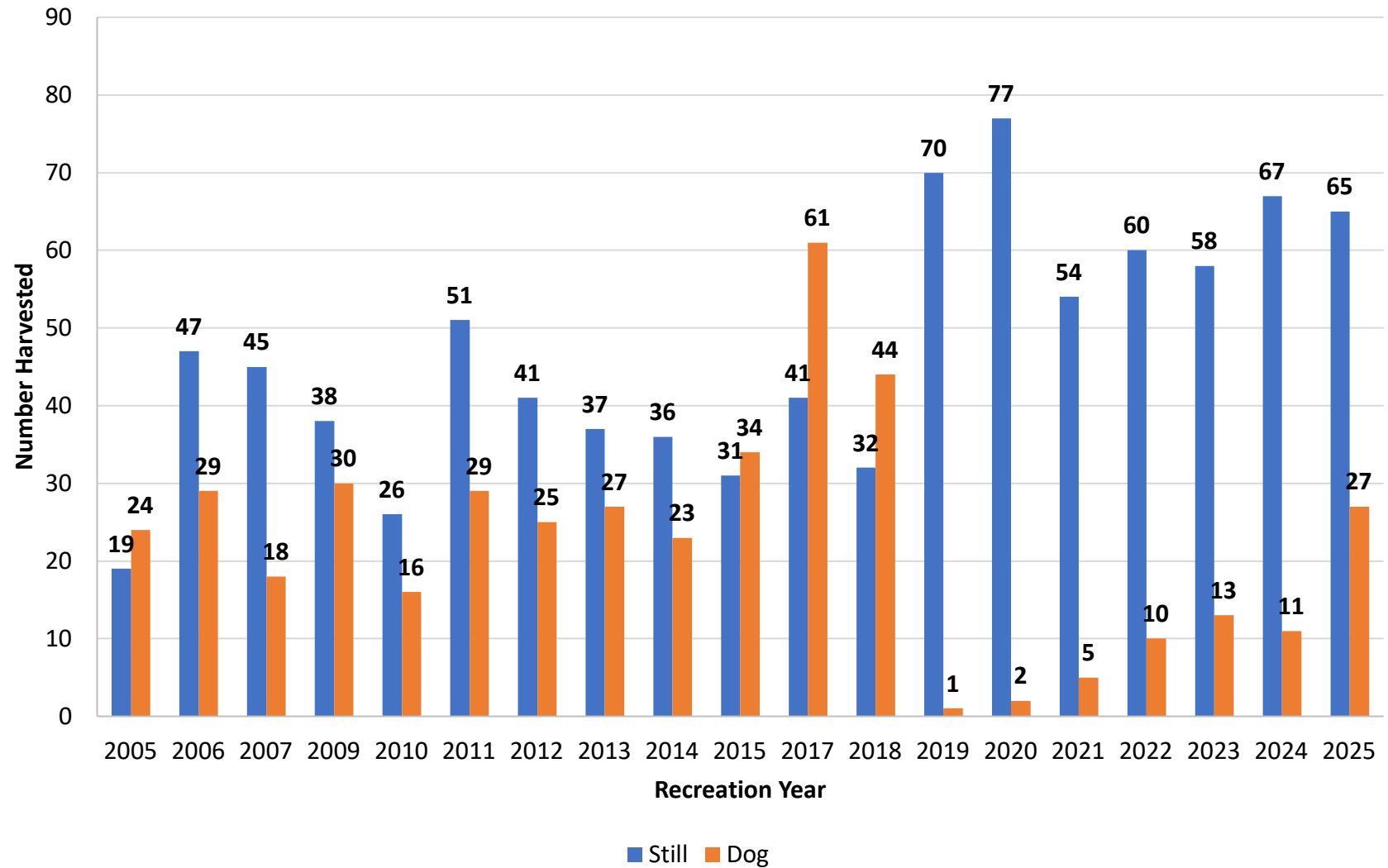


Buck Harvest



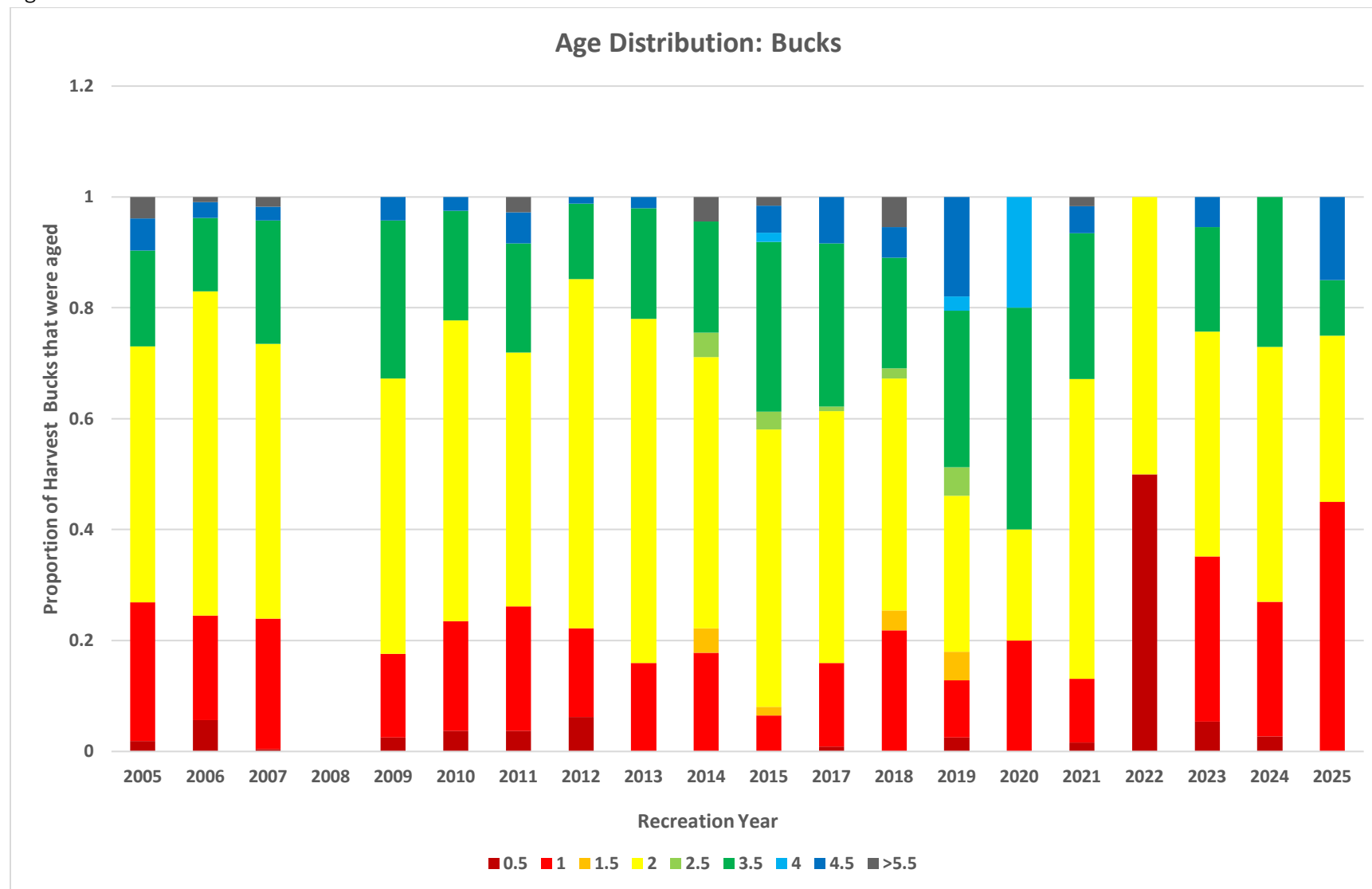


Buck Harvest (General Gun)



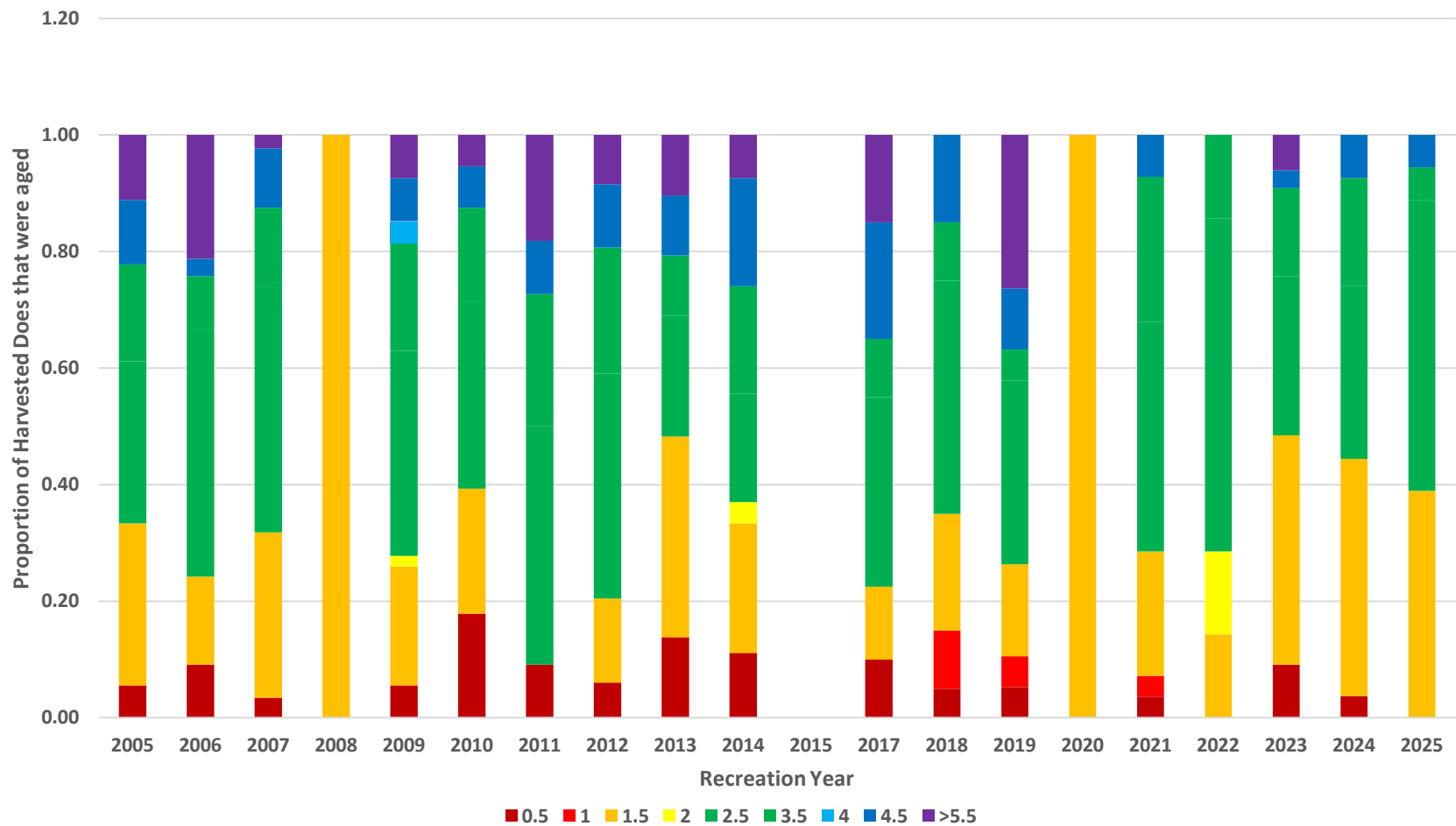


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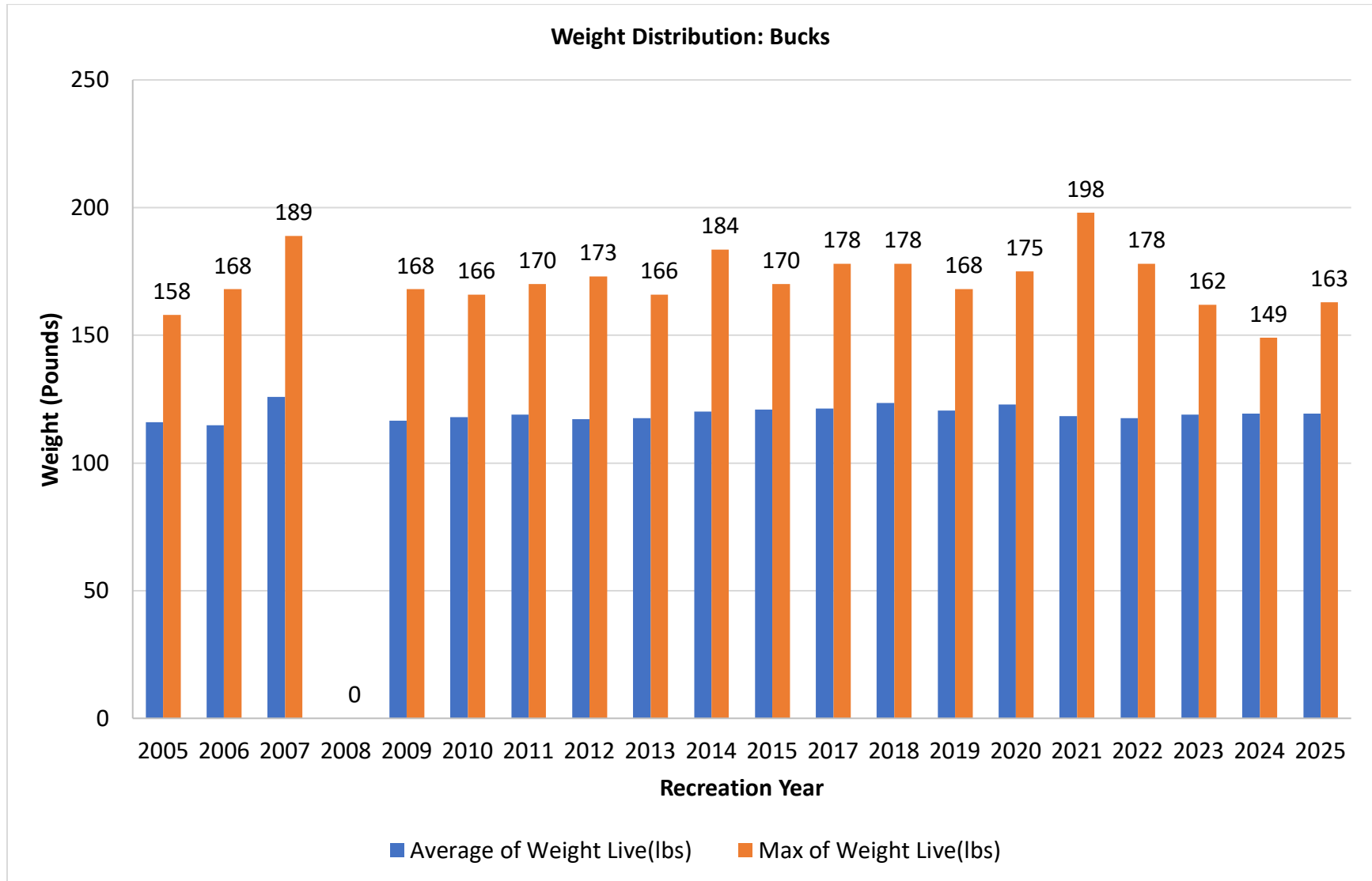


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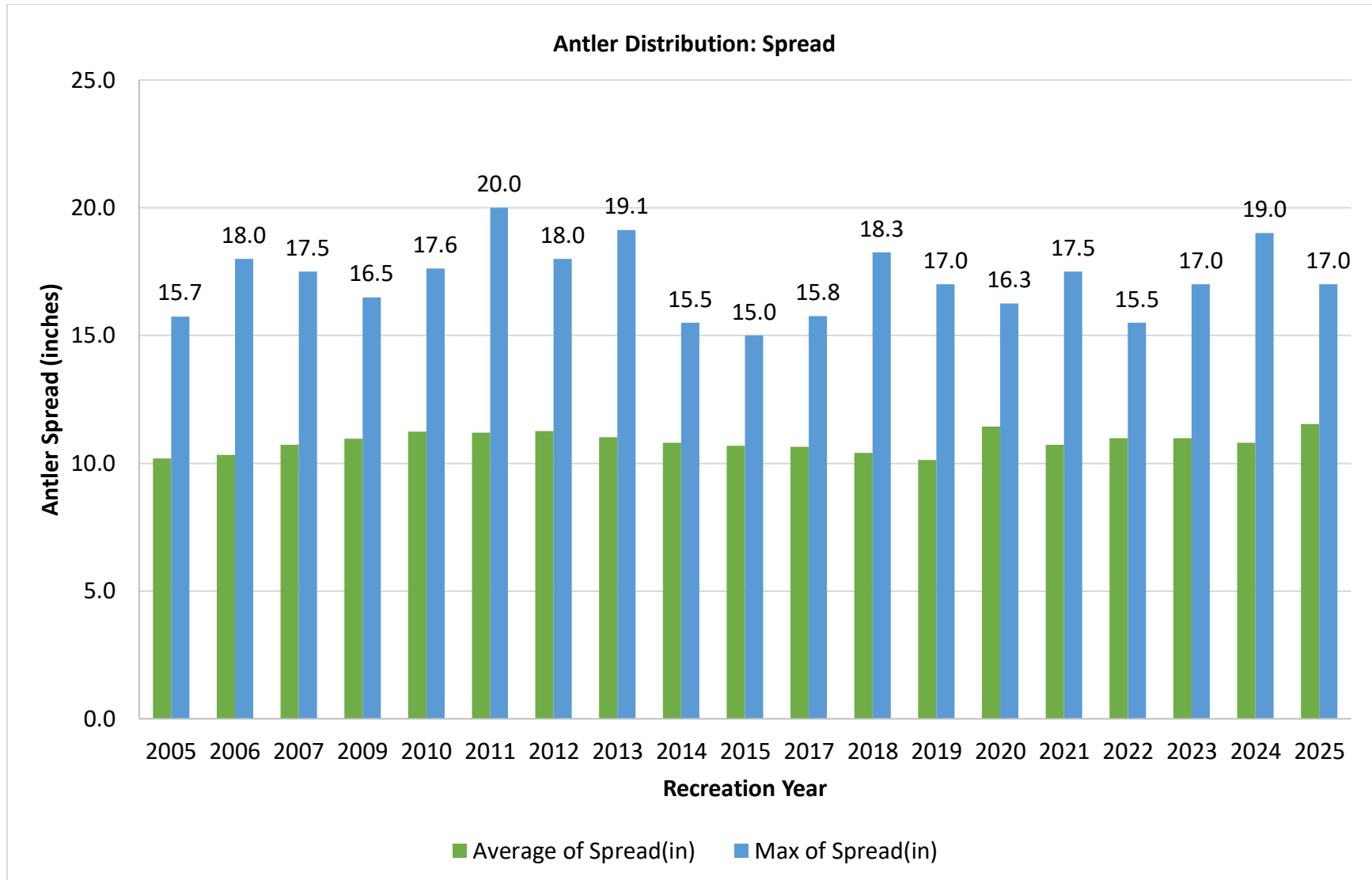
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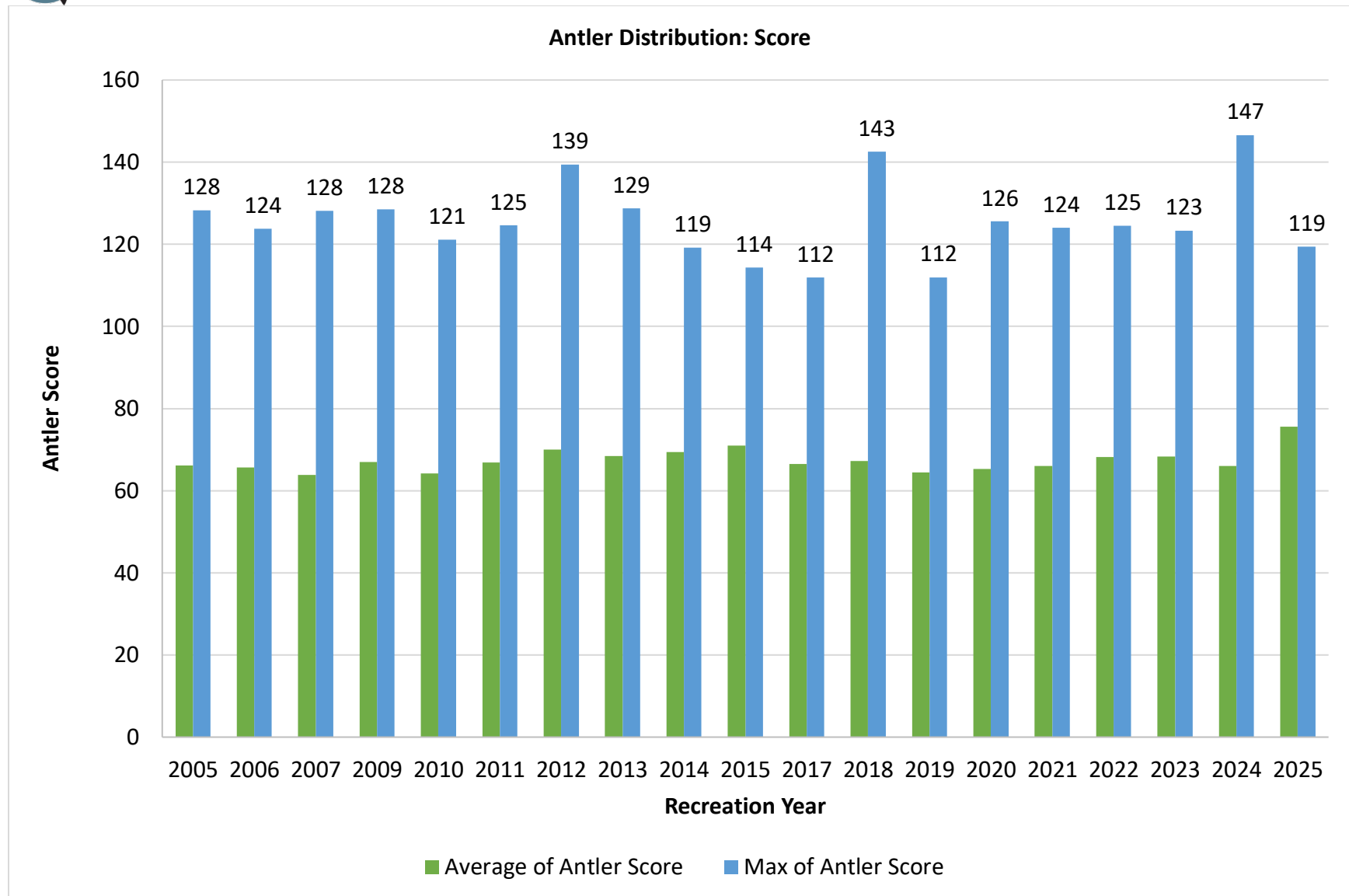


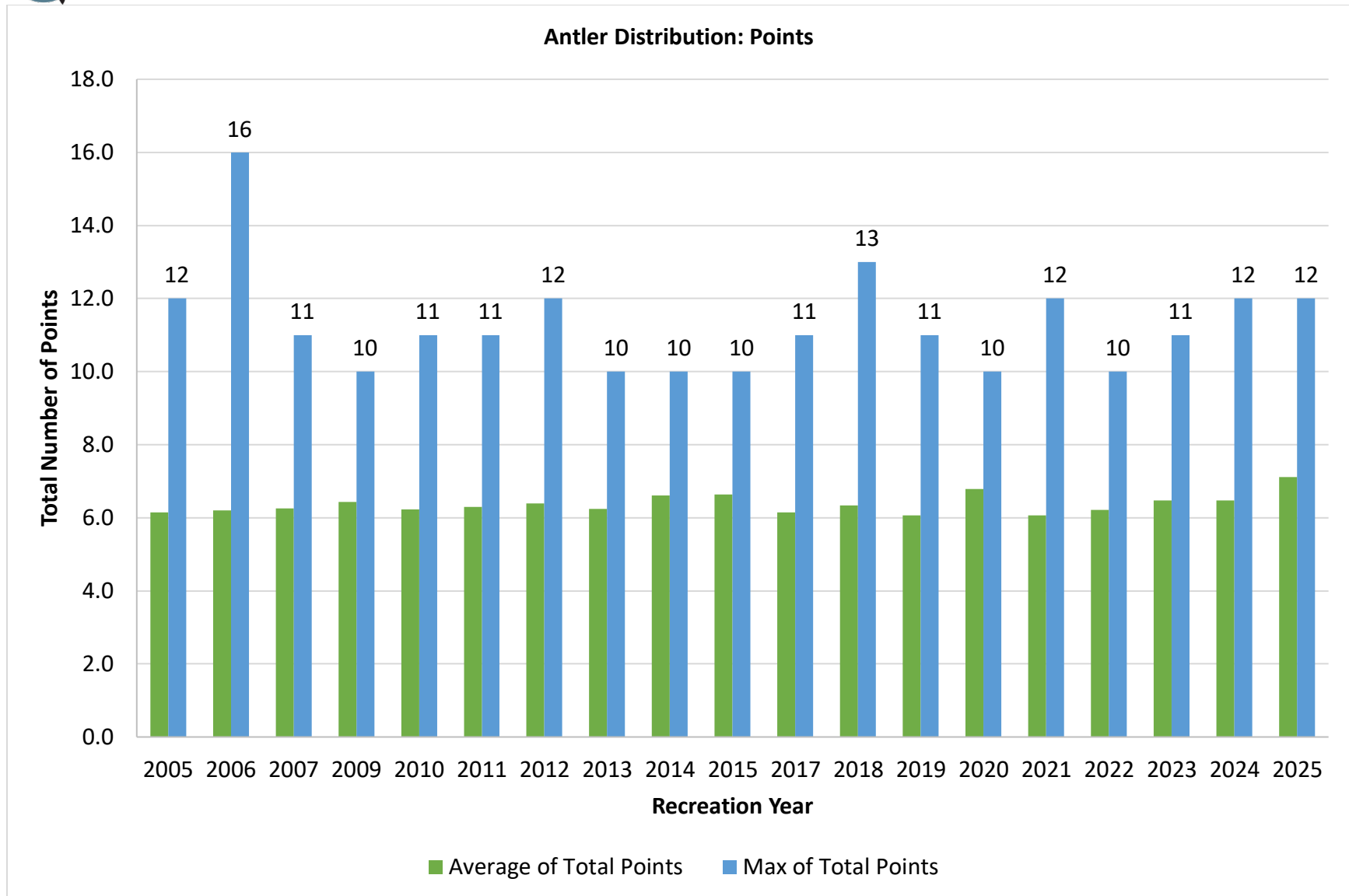




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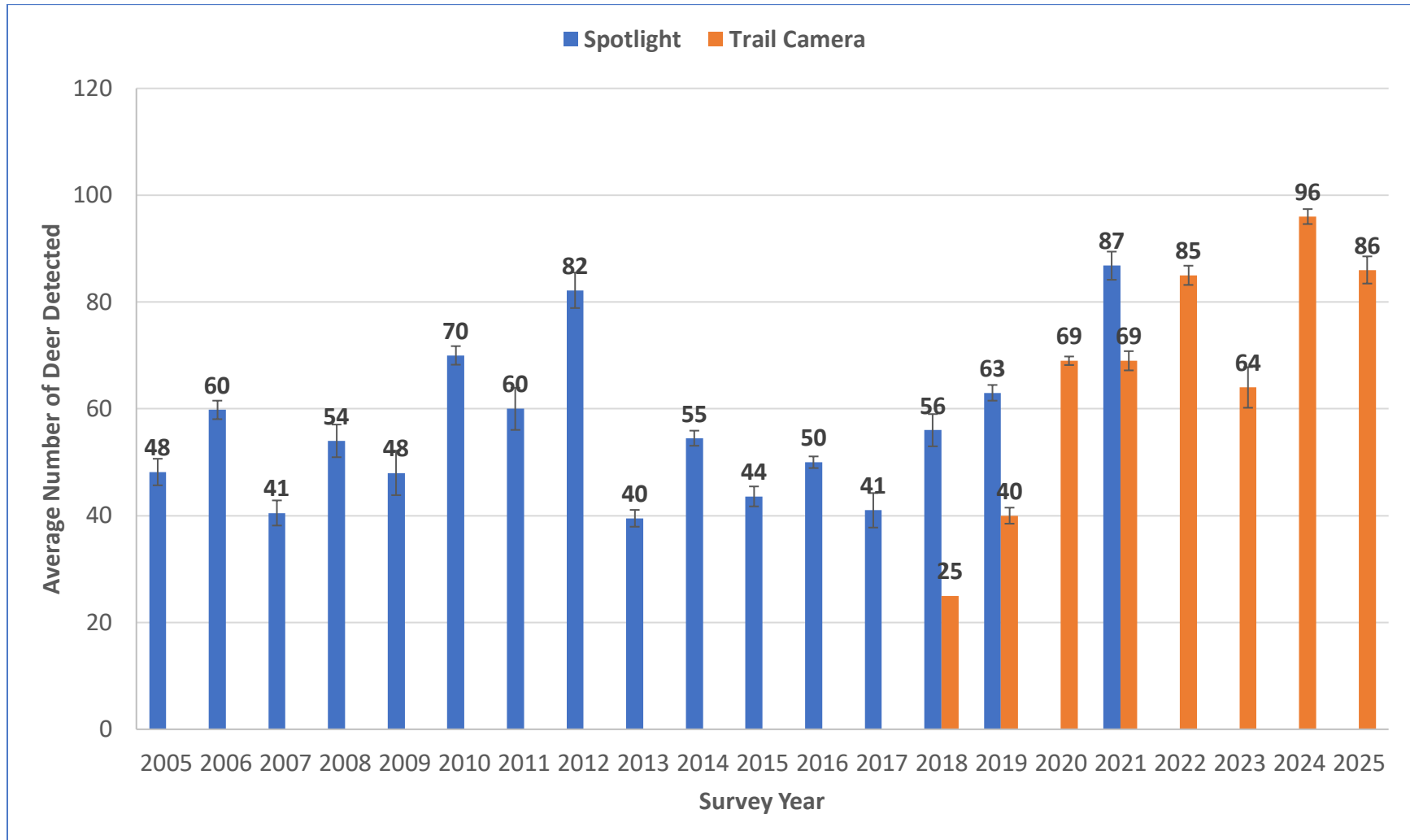








Population Trends



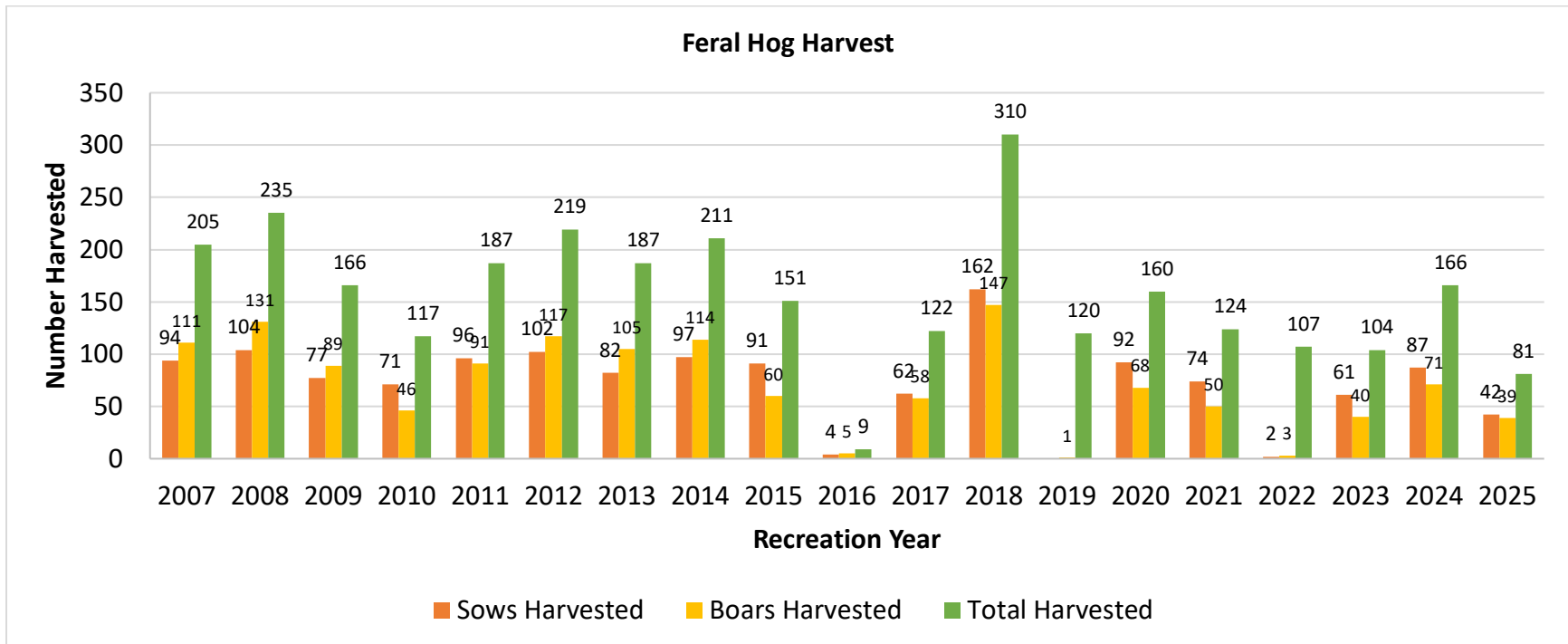


Feral Hogs

General Season Information

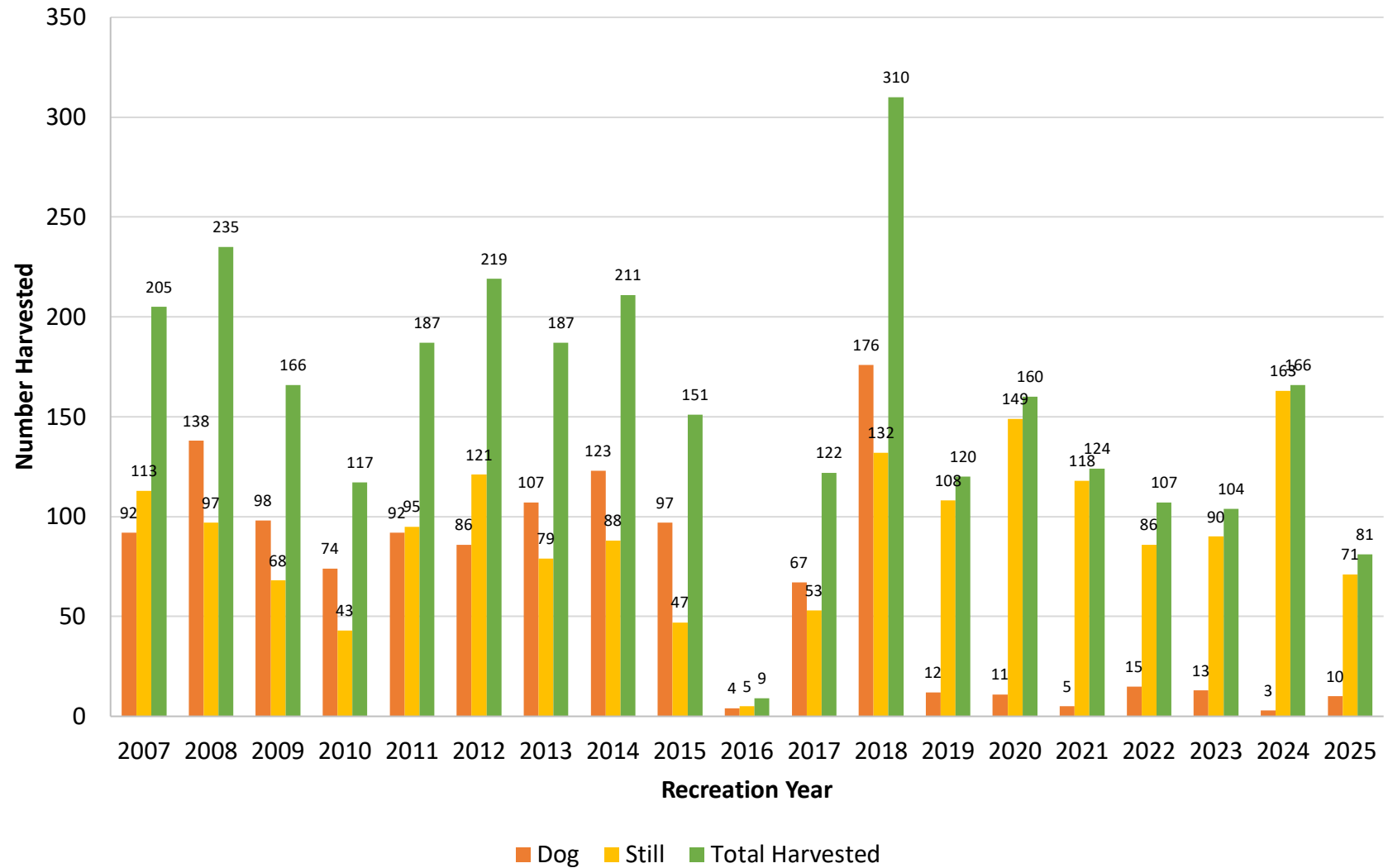
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Archery	13 Sept 2025	12 Oct 2025	11
Muzzleloader	18 Oct 2025	26 Oct 2025	2
General Gun	01 Nov 2025	18 Jan 2026	29
Dog Hunts	03 Jan 2026	08 Feb 2026	9
Small Game	08 Nov 2025	01 Mar 2026	33
TOTAL			49

Harvest Numbers



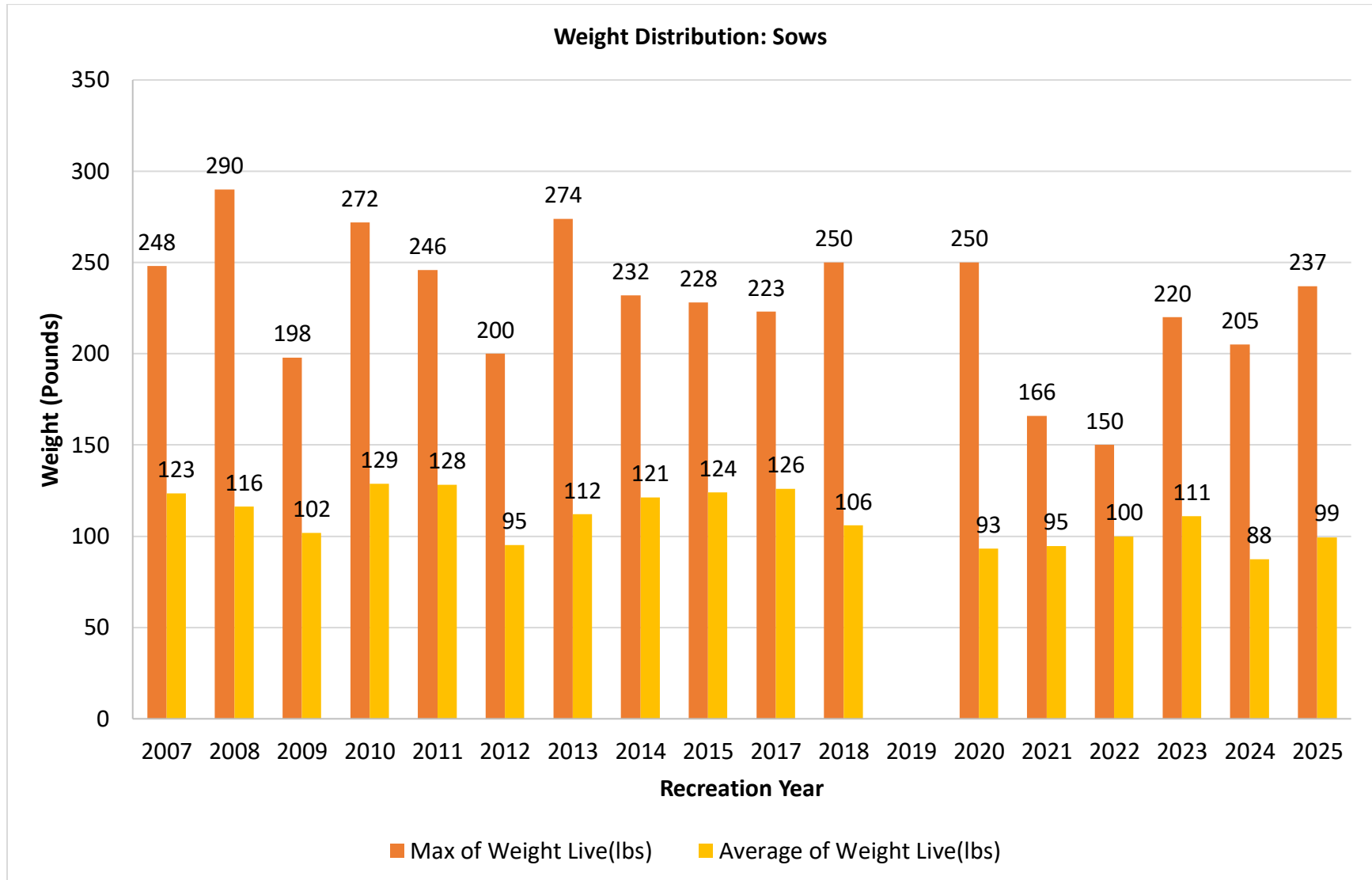


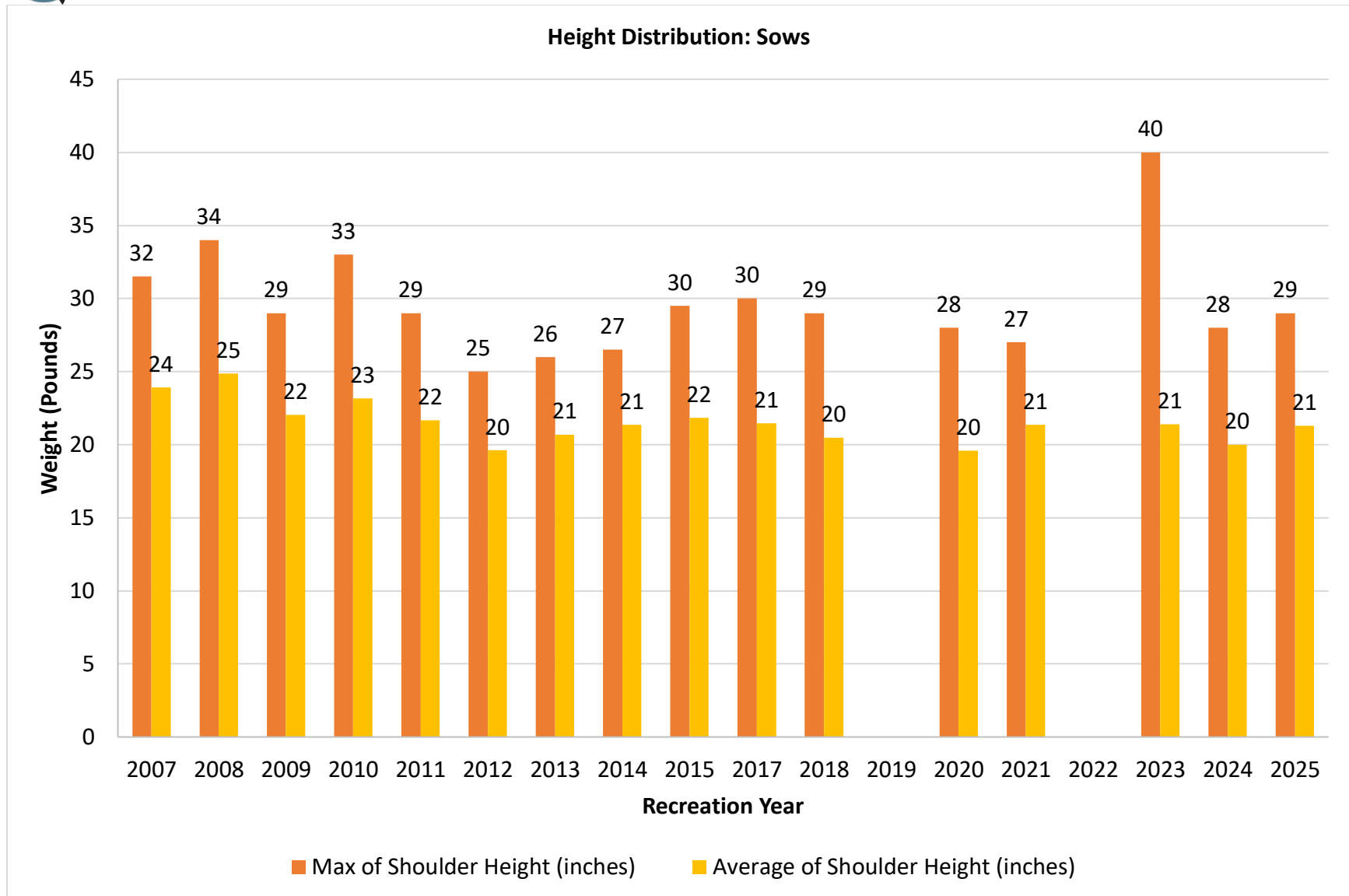
Feral Hog Harvest

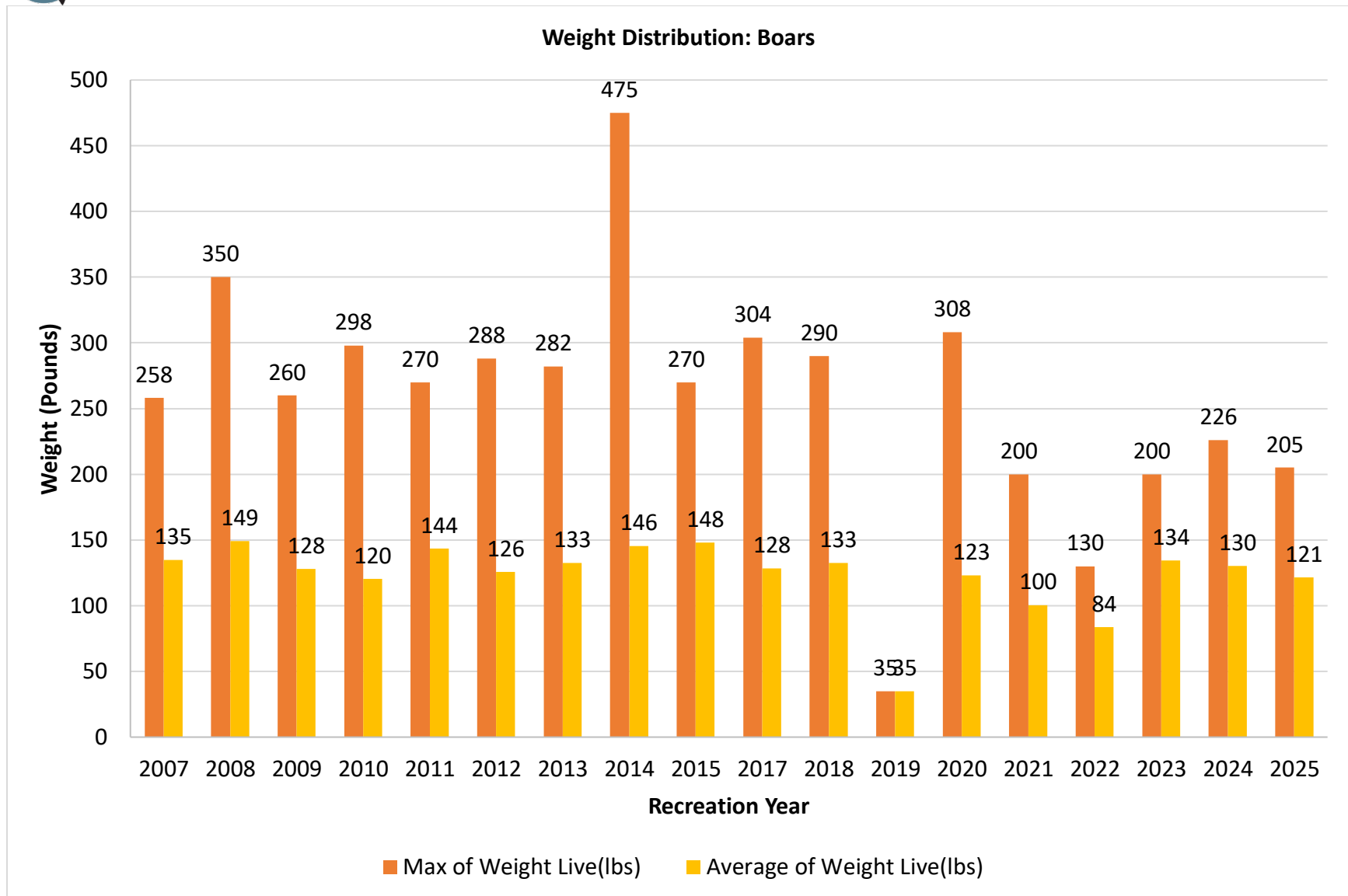


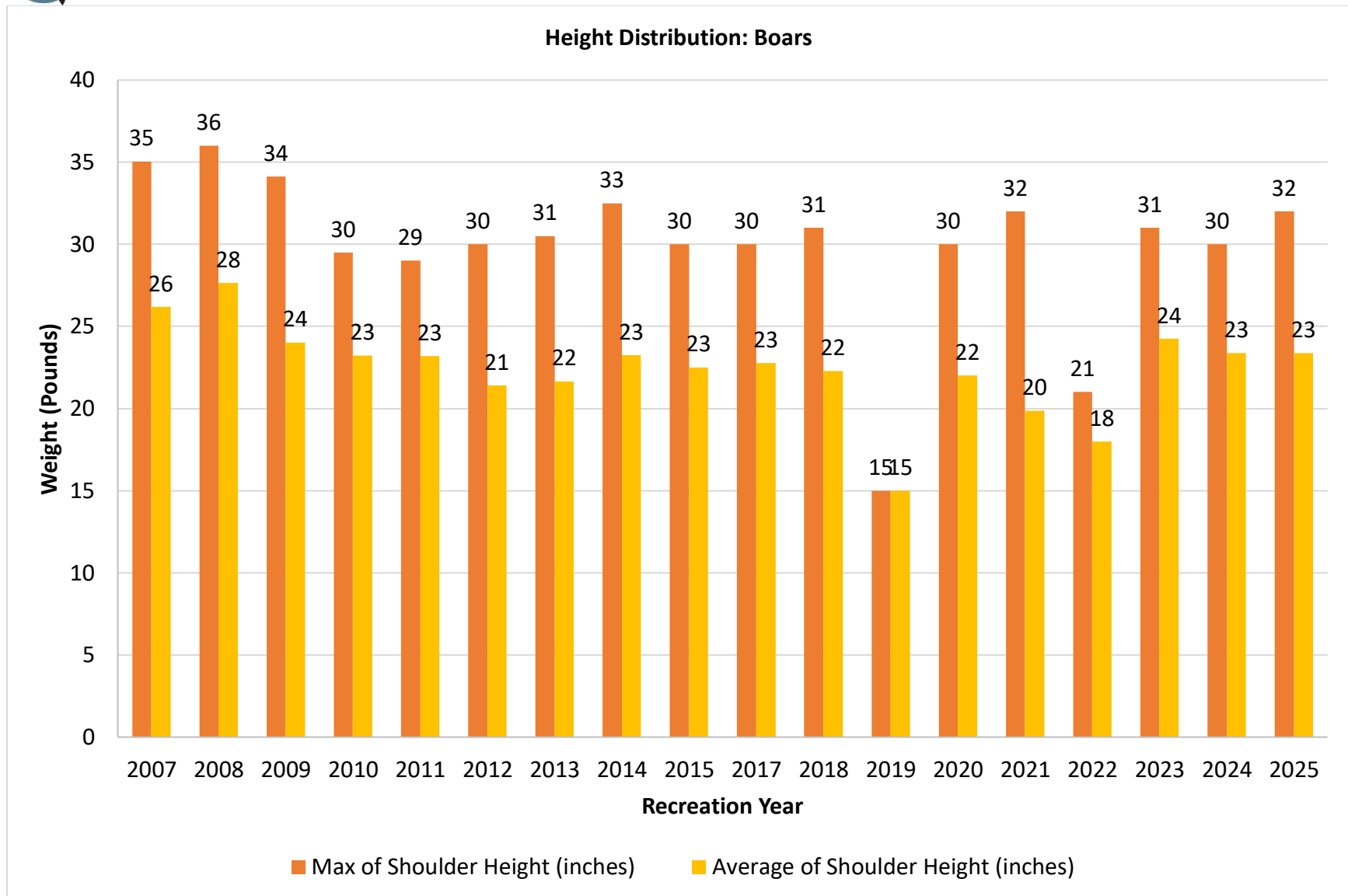


Weight and Height Distribution









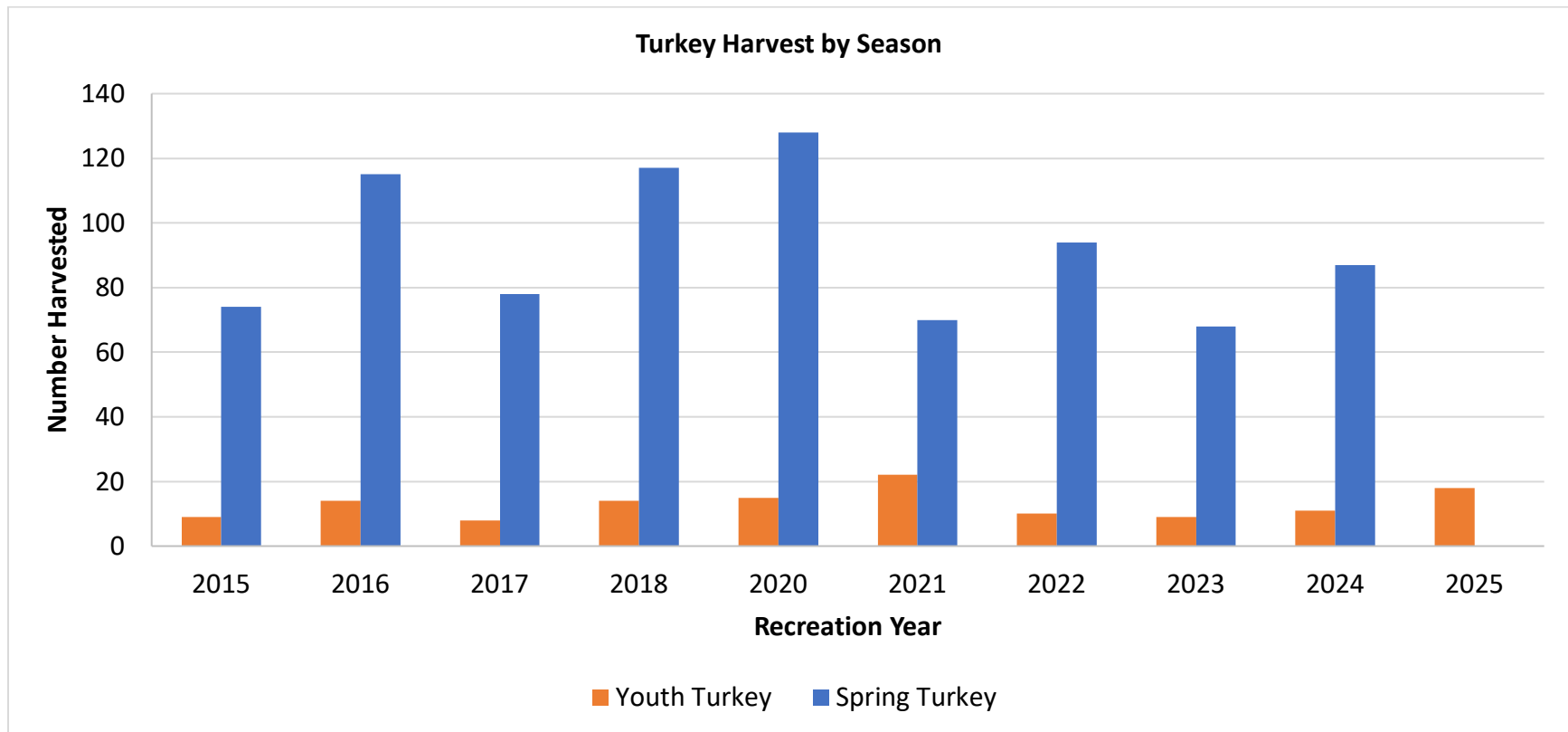


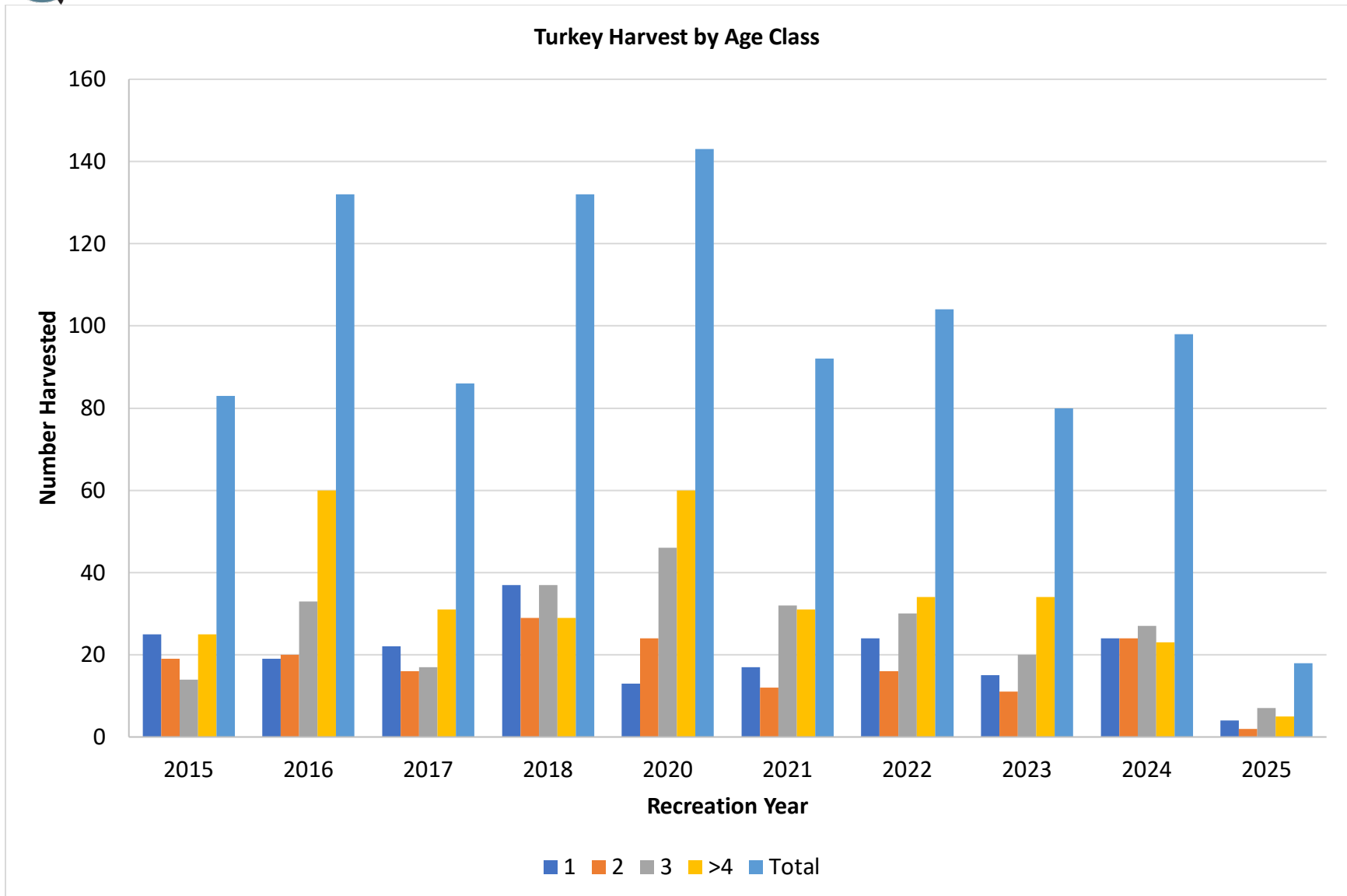
Turkey

General Season Information

Season	Start Date	End Date	Days Open
Youth Spring Turkey	13 March 2026	16 March 2026	3
Spring Turkey	CLOSED DUE TO FORCE PROTECTION	CLOSED DUE TO FORCE PROTECTION	0
TOTAL			3

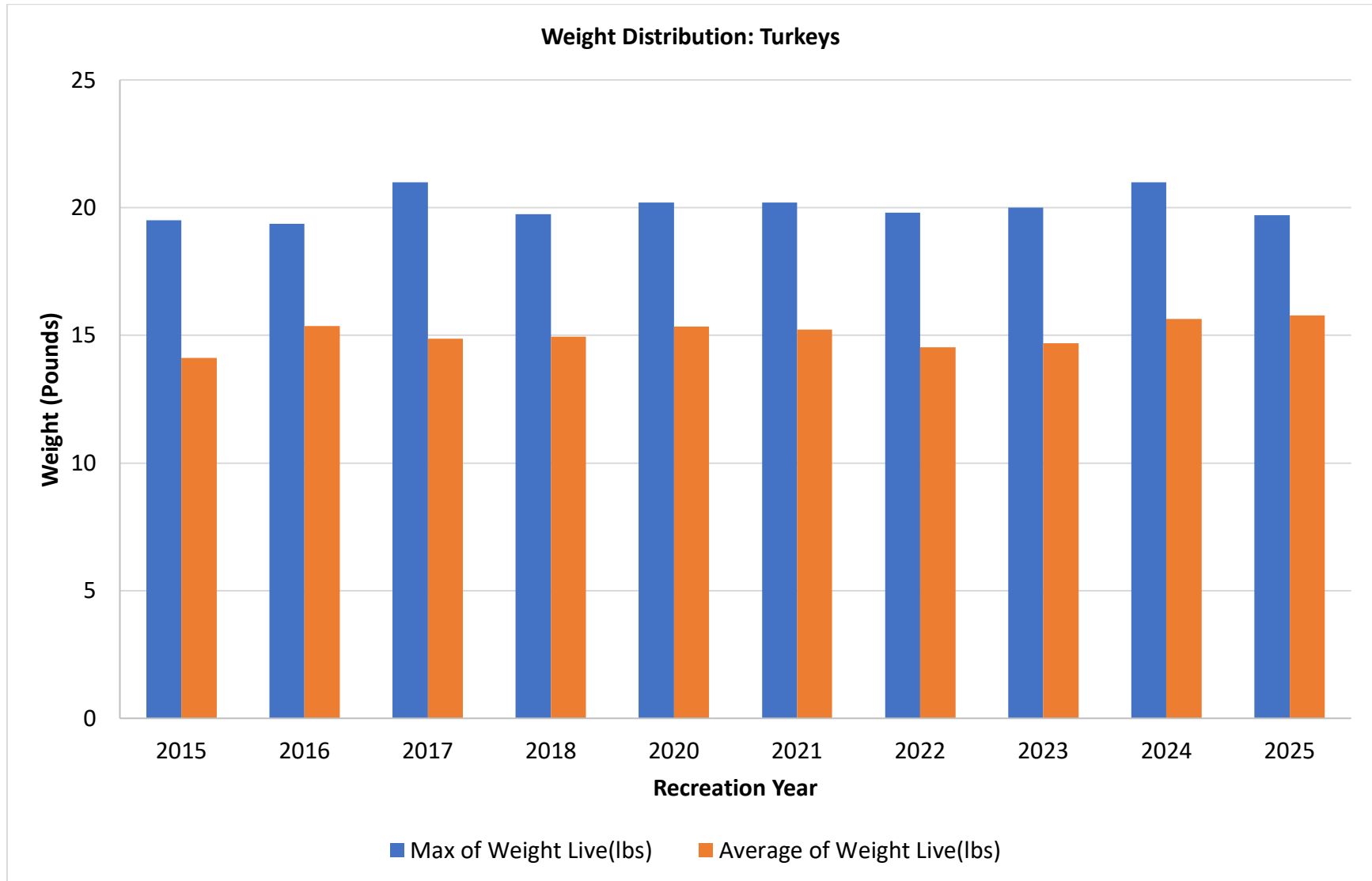
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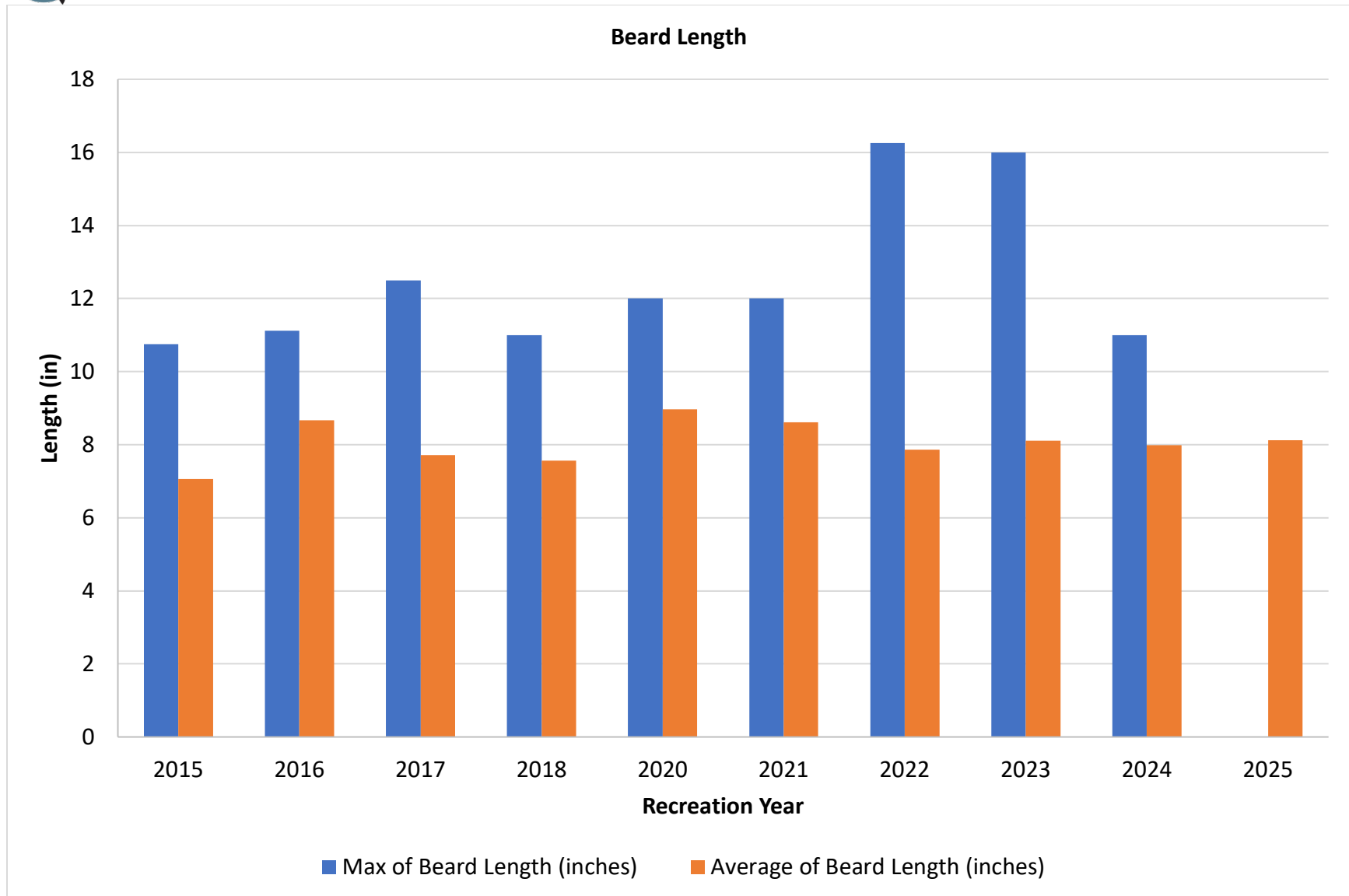






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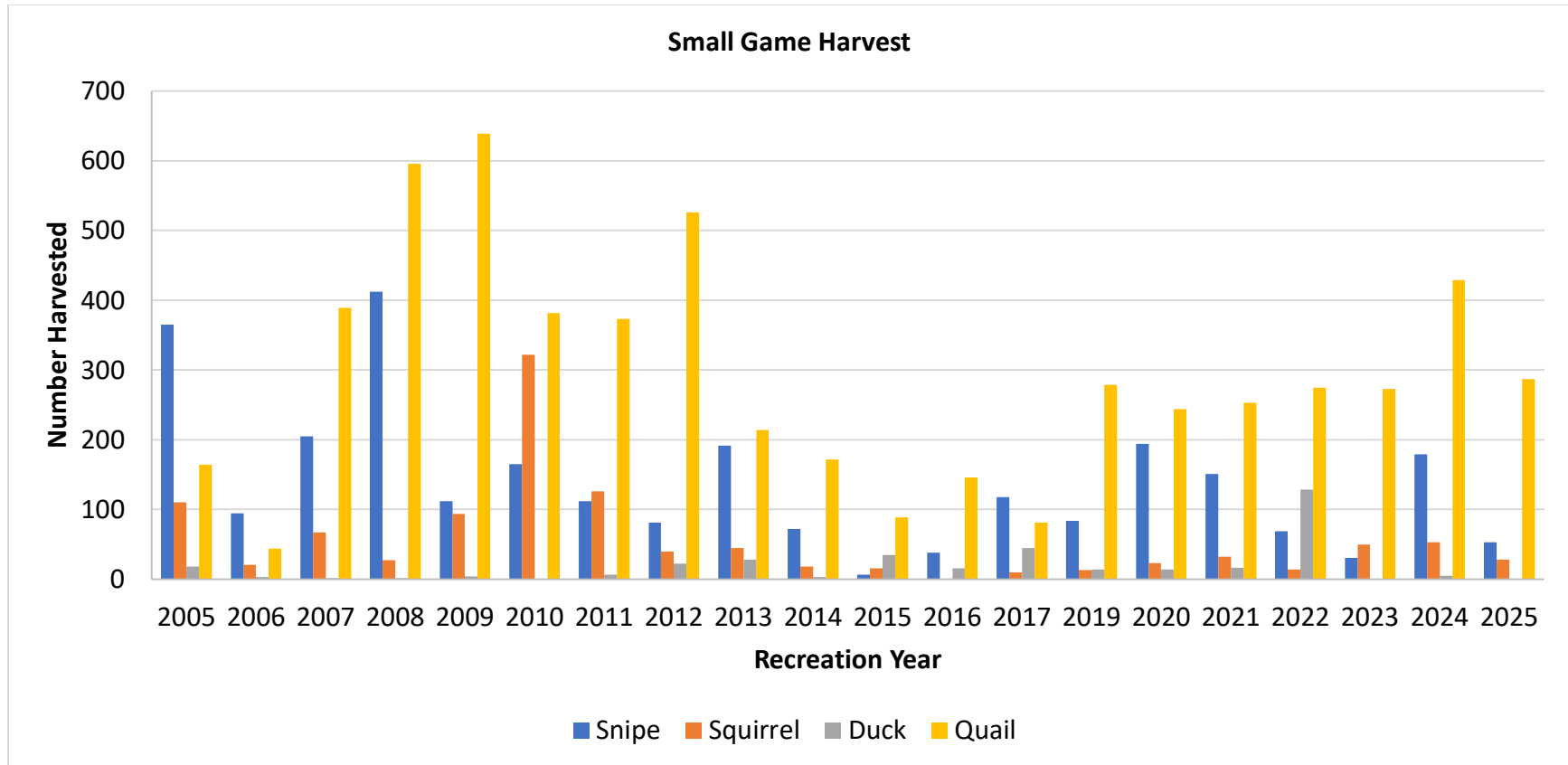


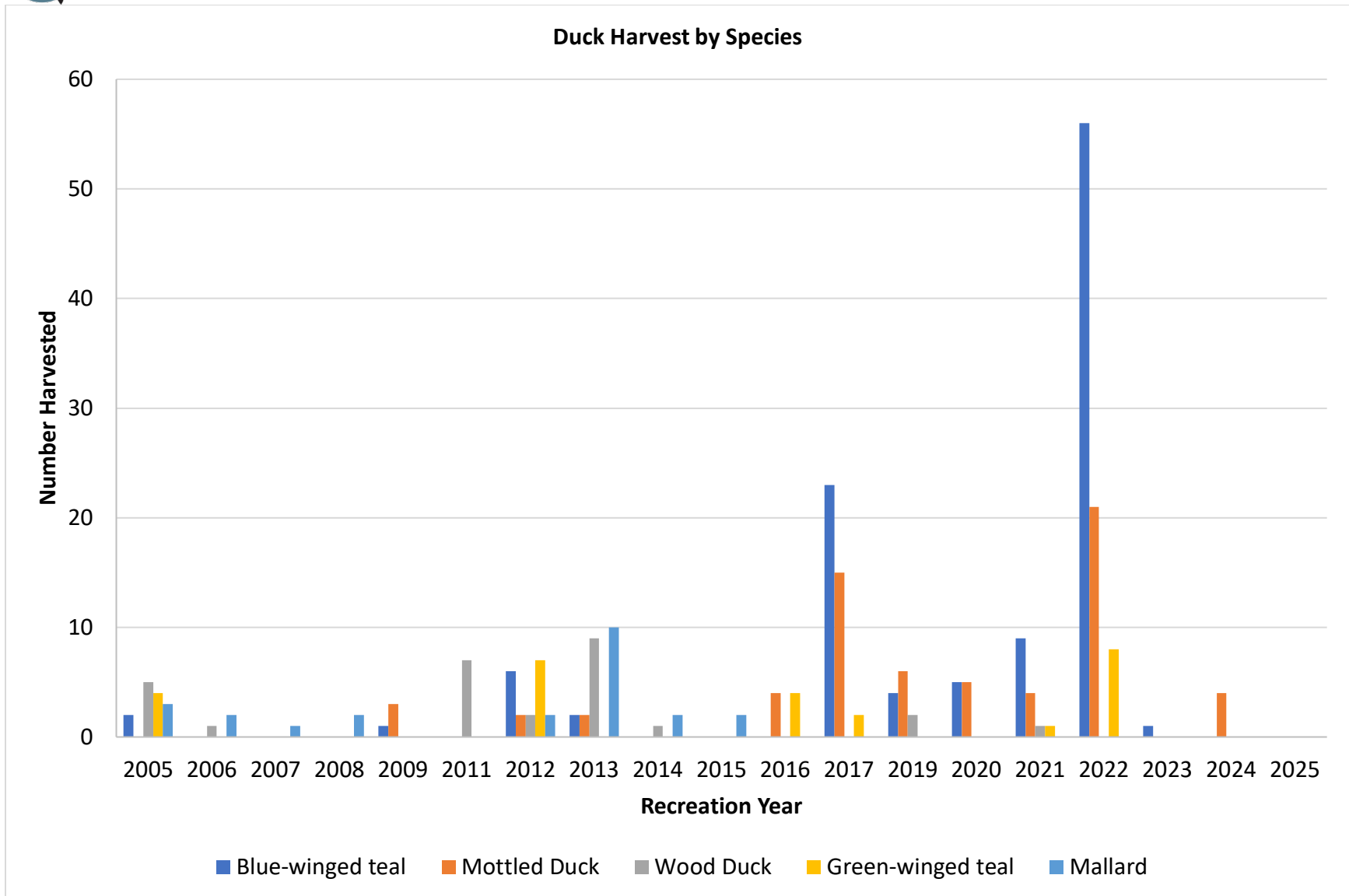
Small Game

General Season Information

Season	Start Date	End Date	Days Open
Small Game	08 Nov 2025	01 March 2026	33

Harvest Numbers







Population Trends





Bobwhite Quail Detections

