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2021 Harvest Overview

A combined total of 6,193 wild turkeys were harvested during Vermont’s four hunting seasons in 2021 which was slightly more than was taken in 2020 (6,141) and 2.5% below the previous 10-year average harvest of 6,350 (Table 1). Turkeys were harvested statewide in all 21 WMUs and in 241 of Vermont’s 253 towns (Table 2, Appendix A).

Vermont’s wild turkey population was estimated to be in excess of 45,000 birds in the fall of 2021. Wild turkeys occur throughout the state and are hunted in all 21 Wildlife Management Units (WMUs) during the spring and fall seasons. Examination of long-term trends of harvest and hunter effort suggests that Vermont’s turkey population stabilized in the early 2000s following a dramatic population increase throughout the 1990s (Figure 1). The Vermont Fish & Wildlife Department continues to monitor the turkey population using hunter-sourced data and brood production indices as further detailed below.

Vermont offers turkey hunters some of the most satisfying and productive turkey hunting opportunities in the region. The Vermont Fish & Wildlife Department administers four seasons for the pursuit of turkeys including youth and novice hunter specific seasons (both occurring the last full weekend in April), a spring season (month of May), and a fall season which occurs as either a 9-day or a 16-day shotgun season (varying by WMU), or as a 21-day archery-only season in October. The bag limit is two bearded birds in the spring and one bird of either sex in the fall. Youth and novice hunters can harvest an additional bird each during their respective

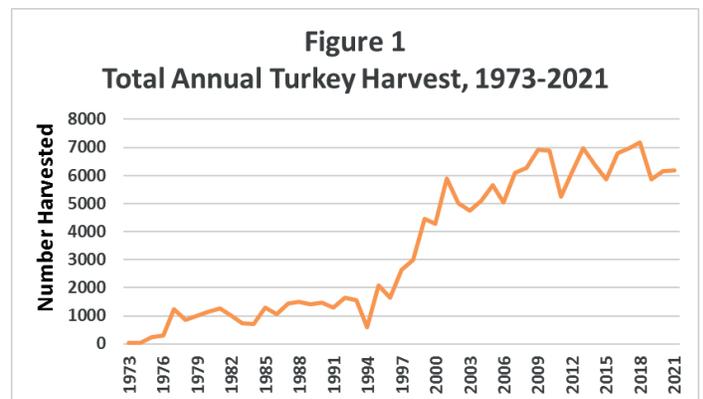


Table 1. Statewide turkey harvest per season, 2011-2021.

Year	Youth	Novice*	Spring	Fall Shotgun	Fall Archery	Total Harvest
2011	578		4,183	422	53	5,326
2012	615		4,102	1,238	127	6,082
2013	783		5,582	535	74	6,974
2014	569		4,592	1,074	158	6,393
2015	511		4,462	767	119	5,859
2016	670		4,867	1,085	188	6,810
2017	748		5,854	289	78	6,969
2018	525		5,354	1,098	207	7,184
2019	579		4,918	277	78	5,852
2020	627		4,795	568	151	6,141
2021	708	35	5,024	296	130	6,193
Previous 10-year Average	620.5	n/a	4,870.9	735.3	123.3	6,350

*New season in 2021.

seasons. All successful hunters are required to register their harvested birds either in-person at a department designated Big Game Reporting Station or online at the department’s website.

A total of 17,263 regular turkey licenses (i.e., not including permanent licenses) were purchased in 2021 for the youth, novice, spring, and fall seasons combined. Although down slightly from the previous year (17,805), turkey license sales remained high in 2021 indicating the possibility that the reactivation of hunters that occurred during the first year of the pandemic may be sustained for longer than was anticipated. Even though license sales over the past two years have approached the record high observed in 2010 (17,848), all indices continue to indicate a healthy, widespread, and abundant turkey population here in the state.

In line with hunter preferences, the Vermont Fish & Wildlife Department continues to implement a management strategy that favors quality spring hunting over fall opportunities and, accordingly, most turkeys (81%) were taken during the spring season (5,024).

Turkey Brood Survey Results

Wild turkeys experience their highest mortality rates during their first two months of life. Predation, cold temperatures, and excessive precipitation in May and June all negatively affect nest success and poult survival. To assess annual poult production and to monitor long-term trends in turkey productivity across the state, the Vermont Fish & Wildlife Department conducts an annual turkey brood survey during July and August after these factors have exerted their greatest influence on the population.

Table 2. 2021 Season Harvest by Wildlife Management Unit

WMU	Youth	Novice	Spring	Fall Archery	Fall Shotgun	Total Harvest	Spring Harvest Per Mi ² of Habitat*
A	4	0	39	4	0	47	1.34
B	105	7	520	23	10	665	1.55
C	26	0	138	5	0	169	0.47
D1	79	3	353	14	50	499	0.98
D2	26	1	216	5	32	280	0.70
E1	8	0	61	0	0	69	0.23
E2	8	0	80	0	0	88	0.27
F1	41	1	224	3	10	279	2.58
F2	48	0	219	3	16	286	1.73
G	8	0	123	5	6	142	0.36
H	44	1	278	9	31	363	0.70
I	13	4	123	2	1	143	0.35
J1	32	7	345	5	32	421	0.83
J2	77	2	533	17	35	664	0.97
K	60	0	348	10	15	433	1.15
L	12	1	119	5	2	139	0.38
M	17	0	227	0	10	254	0.58
N	37	2	241	5	3	288	1.03
O	44	3	551	10	36	644	1.26
P	8	2	101	2	1	114	0.26
Q	10	1	185	3	6	205	0.90
TOTAL	708	35	5,024	130	296	6,193	

*Calculation based on total of youth and regular spring harvest

The informative value of this survey is directly related to the number of brood observations that are reported annually. To participate in the survey, the public is encouraged to submit their observations of turkey broods during the survey period either through the department’s website or through the department’s new mobile phone app, *VT Outdoors*. In 2021, the public submitted 1,134 observations of turkeys which yielded 727 usable reports of turkey broods from 168 of Vermont’s 253 towns. When aggregated by county, the 2021 survey yielded an average of 52 brood observations per county (range, 10-139). Despite the relatively low number of reports received from some counties – particularly Grand Isle, Essex, and Lamoille counties where less than 15 reports each were received – this citizen science-based data collection effort continued to produce results that were in line with expectations and valuable for assessing turkey productivity across the state.

Using data collected via this survey, two brood production indices are calculated and assessed annually – Poults Per Hen (PPH) which is the ratio of poults observed to hens observed with or without a brood, and Poults Per Brood (PPB) which is the ratio of poults observed to hens observed with a brood. The PPH index is used to assess overall annual production while the PPB index is useful for tracking changes in brood size over time.

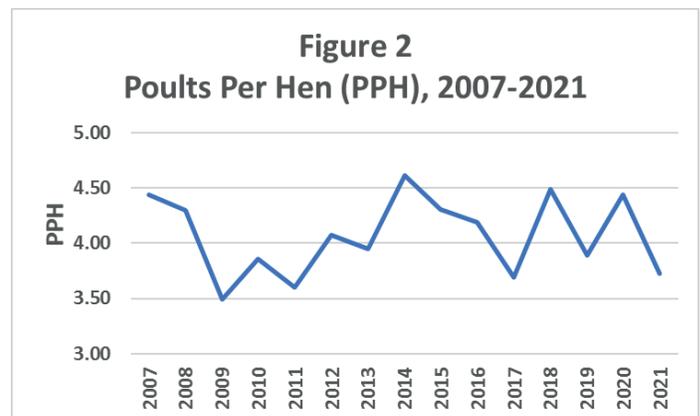
In 2021, the PPH was 3.72 (**Figure 2**) which was below the long-term average of 4.07 (2007-2021). This low PPH value was not entirely unexpected considering the prolonged wet and cold weather experienced during the critical brood-rearing months of May through July. Although lower than the previous year (5.05), the PPB index of 4.74 was nearly equivalent to the long-term average value of 4.75 (2007-2021) indicating that

brood sizes remained strong despite the overall drop in productivity observed in 2021.

Although the inclement weather experienced this past spring and summer undoubtedly had some impact on turkeys across the state, the abundant fall food sources and the relatively mild winter weather experienced since will certainly position Vermont’s wild turkey population to rebound rapidly. Importantly, a long-term analysis of these indices reveals no alarming trends and PPH values that are consistently above the regionally accepted threshold of 3.0 adding to the evidence that turkey productivity remains reliably high in Vermont and that turkeys continue to benefit from the diverse and productive habitats Vermont has to offer.

Youth Turkey Season Results

In 2021, a total of 2,180 youth season tags were issued to prospective youth hunters which was down slightly from the previous year (2,200) and 3.8% less than the previous ten-year average of 2,266. During the 2-day youth season, these young hunters, accompanied by their older mentors, harvested 708 bearded turkeys (**Table 1**) which was 14% more than the 10-year average youth season harvest of 621 birds.



Youth hunters continued to enjoy a remarkably high success rate with 32.5% harvesting birds. In line with the trend since its inception, the youth season contribution to the total spring turkey harvest was 12.3% (average 11.3, 2002-2021).

Beginning in 2017, legal shooting hours for the youth season were expanded from half day (i.e., one-half hour before sunrise to noon) to full day (i.e., one-half hour before sunrise to 5PM). In line with previous trends, 12.7% (90) of the total 2021 youth turkey season harvest was taken during the expanded hours (i.e., noon through 5PM). Turkeys were harvested with relative consistency throughout the expanded hours of the youth season ranging from 15 to 20 birds taken per hour (Figure 3).

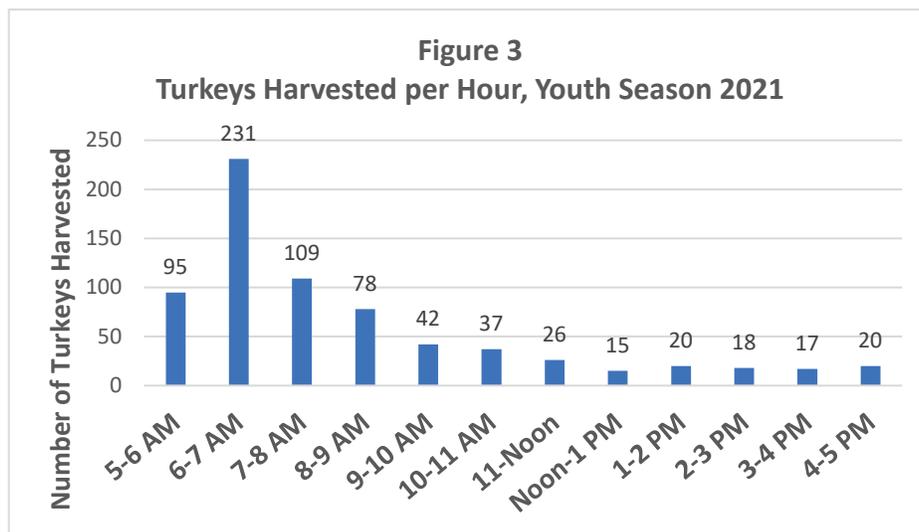
Novice Turkey Season Results

Beginning in 2021, novice hunters (i.e., people who are 16 or older and who purchased their first hunting license within the previous 12 months) were afforded the opportunity to pursue turkeys during a two-day season that runs concurrent with, and follows similar rules to, the youth season. In its inaugural year, a total of 225 tags were issued to prospective novice hunters resulting in the harvest of 35 turkeys

(Table 1). Although the success rate (15.6%) for these novice hunters was notably lower than the success rate for the youth hunters, these results were similar to the youth and novice deer season results and, at a minimum, indicated some level of interest and participation in this new season.

Spring Turkey Season Results

A total of 15,989 turkey licenses were sold for the 2021 spring season (i.e., resident and non-resident licenses purchased prior to 6/1/2021) resulting in the harvest of 5,024 bearded birds (Table 1). Regularly licensed resident and non-resident hunters (i.e., not permanent licenses) accounted for 82.4% and 8.6% of the total spring harvest, respectively. The remaining 452 spring birds (9.0%) were taken by permanent license holders. Hunter success rates for the regular spring season remained high in 2021 with 21% of licensed hunters taking at least one bird. As in most years, an impressive 36% of successful hunters also harvested a second bearded bird to fill the 2-bird regular spring season bag limit.



Adult turkeys comprised 66% of the 2021 spring harvest which closely approximated the previous 10-year average of 67.3% (2011-2020). The 2021 spring season also included 19 bearded hens in the tally.

Wild turkeys were harvested in all of Vermont's 21 WMUs during the spring season (**Table 2**). Wildlife Management Units B, J2, and O continued to record the highest turkey harvests in the state with 520, 533, and 551 turkeys taken, respectively. Wildlife Management Units F1 and F2 continued to record the highest harvest density with 2.58 and 1.73 bearded turkeys harvested per square mile of forest habitat, respectively.

Turkeys were harvested in 241 of Vermont's 253 towns (**Appendix A**) during the spring season with an average of 20.8 turkeys harvested per town and no more than 62 turkeys taken from any one town.

During the 2021 spring season, the vast majority (4,978) of turkeys were harvested using shotguns as expected. The remainder of the turkeys were taken via the use of crossbows (19), vertical bows (17) and muzzleloading shotguns (10). Despite the full legalization of crossbows in 2020, it appears that the widespread use of these implements for the pursuit of turkeys during the spring season has yet to take hold here in the state.

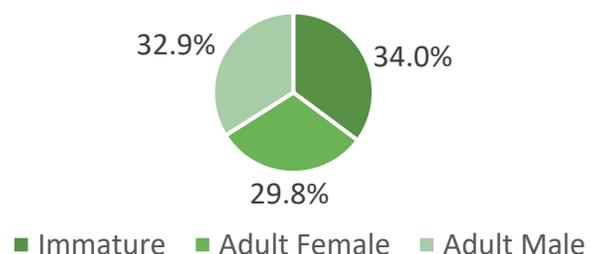
Fall Turkey Season Results

The 2021 fall season (i.e., shotgun and archery combined) harvest of 426 either-sex birds was 50.3% below the previous ten-year average of 858 (2011-2020) and accounted for only 6.9% of the overall annual harvest. It is important to note, however, that fall turkey harvests vary

widely from year-to-year in response to several factors including, most notably, the brood rearing conditions experienced earlier in the year and annual mast production (i.e., naturally occurring fruits, seeds and nuts). Although the 2021 mast surveys conducted by the department indicated only an average production year for beechnuts statewide, acorn production was the highest recorded since 2001 which undoubtedly held turkeys in forested habitats through the hunting season reducing their vulnerability to harvest. The lower fall harvest reported in 2021 may have also been influenced by the below average brood production experienced earlier in the year as discussed above. With less birds produced in the spring and summer, there are simply less birds available for harvest in the fall.

Despite the low fall harvest experienced in 2021, the age class distribution of the fall season remained remarkably close to previous years with immature birds comprising 34% of the harvest and adult females accounting for 30% (**Figure 4**). A total of 140 adult males were taken in the fall season and another 3,729 adult males were taken in the spring season for a total of 3,869 adult male birds harvested in all of 2021.

Figure 4. Sex and age distribution of fall harvested turkeys, 2021



The 2021 fall archery-only season accounted for 30.5% (130) of the fall harvested birds, with the balance of the birds (296) taken in the shotgun season. Fall birds were taken in 156 Vermont towns (**Appendix A**) with an average of 2.7 turkeys harvested per town and no more than 11 turkeys taken from any one town. Wildlife Management Unit D1 reported the highest number of fall birds with 50 taken, followed by WMU O with 36 birds, and J2 with 35 (**Table 2**). Within the region of the state having a 9-day fall shotgun season (i.e., WMUs B, D1, D2, G, H, I, J1, J2, L, M, O, P, and Q), 0.047 turkeys were

harvested per square mile of forested habitat whereas 0.050 turkeys per square mile of habitat were harvested within the region of the state having a 16-day shotgun season (i.e., F1, F2, K, and N).

Turkeys taken by crossbows accounted for 63.8% (83) of the archery-only season harvest and 4.4% (13) of the fall shotgun season harvest.



Appendix A. 2021 Turkey Harvest by Town and County

County	Town	Youth	Novice	Spring	Fall Archery	Fall Shotgun	Total Town Harvest
ADDISON	ADDISON	7	1	42	0	2	52
	BRIDPORT	0	0	23	0	0	23
	BRISTOL	2	0	20	0	1	23
	CORNWALL	3	0	27	0	0	30
	FERRISBURGH	6	0	36	0	1	43
	GOSHEN	0	1	3	0	0	4
	GRANVILLE	1	0	6	0	1	8
	HANCOCK	1	1	5	0	0	7
	LEICESTER	0	0	9	1	2	12
	LINCOLN	6	0	29	1	0	36
	MIDDLEBURY	3	0	13	0	2	18
	MONKTON	5	0	24	0	1	30
	NEW HAVEN	11	0	45	0	0	56
	ORWELL	10	0	28	0	3	41
	PANTON	3	0	10	0	0	13
	RIPTON	1	1	4	0	0	6
	SALISBURY	6	0	7	2	0	15
	SHOREHAM	8	0	19	0	0	27
	STARKEBORO	4	0	32	0	3	39
	VERGENNES	0	0	1	0	0	1
	WALTHAM	2	0	6	0	4	12
	WEYBRIDGE	1	0	10	1	0	12
	WHITING	2	0	19	0	0	21
	TOTAL	82	4	418	5	20	529
BENNINGTON	ARLINGTON	4	0	15	0	1	20
	BENNINGTON	8	2	34	2	1	47
	DORSET	0	0	28	1	1	30
	GLASTENBURY	0	0	2	0	0	2
	LANDGROVE	0	0	2	0	0	2
	MANCHESTER	4	1	17	0	0	22
	PERU	0	0	6	0	0	6
	POWNAI	5	1	40	0	1	47
	READSBORO	0	0	6	0	0	6
	RUPERT	2	0	27	2	0	31
	SANDGATE	1	0	25	0	0	26
	SEARSBURG	0	0	0	0	0	0
	SHAFTSBURY	8	0	49	1	0	58
	STAMFORD	0	0	11	0	0	11
	SUNDERLAND	2	0	4	0	0	6
	WINHALL	0	0	9	1	0	10
	WOODFORD	0	0	8	0	0	8
		TOTAL	34	4	283	7	4
CALEDONIA	BARNET	3	0	42	4	3	52
	BURKE	3	0	23	1	0	27
	DANVILLE	4	0	48	0	4	56
	GROTON	6	0	20	1	1	28
	HARDWICK	5	0	28	1	3	37
	KIRBY	1	0	28	1	5	35

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CALEDONIA <i>(cont.)</i>	LYNDON	4	0	30	0	8	42
	NEWARK	1	0	5	0	1	7
	PEACHAM	4	1	23	1	5	34
	RYEGATE	3	0	38	0	9	50
	ST. JOHNSBURY	3	0	23	2	6	34
	SHEFFIELD	0	0	15	0	1	16
	STANNARD	0	0	6	0	2	8
	SUTTON	1	0	20	0	1	22
	WALDEN	6	1	13	0	2	22
	WATERFORD	7	0	34	2	2	45
	WHEELOCK	0	0	4	0	1	5
	TOTAL		51	2	400	13	54
CHITTENDEN	BOLTON	0	0	8	0	0	8
	BUELS GORE	0	0	0	0	0	0
	BURLINGTON	0	0	0	0	0	0
	CHARLOTTE	4	0	26	2	2	34
	COLCHESTER	4	1	19	1	0	25
	ESSEX	0	0	9	3	0	12
	HINESBURG	4	0	16	0	5	25
	HUNTINGTON	2	0	16	0	0	18
	JERICO	0	0	16	0	1	17
	MILTON	10	0	36	3	6	55
	RICHMOND	2	0	12	0	1	15
	SHELBURNE	1	0	4	0	2	7
	SOUTH BURLINGTON	0	0	2	0	0	2
	ST. GEORGE	1	0	6	0	0	7
	UNDERHILL	0	0	10	0	0	10
	WESTFORD	4	0	26	1	0	31
	WILLISTON	5	0	32	0	2	39
	WINOOSKI	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL		37	1	238	10	19	305
ESSEX	AVERILL	0	0	0	0	0	0
	AVERYS GORE	0	0	0	0	0	0
	BLOOMFIELD	1	0	20	0	0	21
	BRIGHTON	0	0	10	0	1	11
	BRUNSWICK	0	0	6	0	0	6
	CANAAN	3	0	11	0	0	14
	CONCORD	3	0	12	1	0	16
	EAST HAVEN	0	0	1	0	0	1
	FERDINAND	0	0	5	0	0	5
	GRANBY	0	0	4	0	0	4
	GUILDHALL	2	0	14	0	0	16
	LEMINGTON	1	0	5	0	0	6
	LEWIS	0	0	0	0	0	0
	LUNENBURG	2	0	27	0	2	31
	MAIDSTONE	1	0	10	0	0	11
	NORTON	2	0	13	0	0	15
	VICTORY	2	0	2	0	0	4

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ESSEX <i>(cont.)</i>	WARRENS GORE	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	17	0	140	1	3	161
FRANKLIN	BAKERSFIELD	5	1	21	0	0	27
	BERKSHIRE	9	0	35	1	0	45
	ENOSBURG	10	0	40	3	1	54
	FAIRFAX	8	0	33	0	1	42
	FAIRFIELD	9	0	55	2	0	66
	FLETCHER	7	0	25	1	0	33
	FRANKLIN	10	0	37	3	1	51
	GEORGIA	7	0	36	2	0	45
	HIGHGATE	7	2	47	1	0	57
	MONTGOMERY	4	0	19	0	0	23
	RICHFORD	8	0	21	0	0	29
	SHELDON	11	2	33	2	0	48
	ST. ALBANS	1	1	26	0	0	28
	SWANTON	3	0	38	2	0	43
	TOTAL	99	6	466	17	3	591
GRAND ISLE	ALBURGH	1	0	19	0	0	20
	GRAND ISLE	0	0	9	1	0	10
	ISLE LA MOTTE	0	0	4	0	0	4
	NORTH HERO	0	0	3	0	0	3
	SOUTH HERO	3	0	4	3	0	10
	TOTAL	4	0	39	4	0	47
LAMOILLE	BELVIDERE	0	0	5	0	0	5
	CAMBRIDGE	5	0	28	0	0	33
	EDEN	3	0	11	0	0	14
	ELMORE	0	0	10	1	0	11
	HYDE PARK	11	0	21	0	5	37
	JOHNSON	2	0	23	1	1	27
	MORRISTOWN	4	0	33	2	2	41
	STOWE	6	0	30	1	2	39
	WATERVILLE	2	0	6	1	0	9
	WOLCOTT	7	0	16	2	1	26
	TOTAL	40	0	183	8	11	242
ORANGE	BRADFORD	8	0	39	0	1	48
	BRAINTREE	5	0	30	0	3	38
	BROOKFIELD	1	3	20	0	2	26
	CHELSEA	5	0	37	1	2	45
	CORINTH	7	0	27	1	1	36
	FAIRLEE	2	1	11	0	0	14
	NEWBURY	10	0	59	1	8	78
	ORANGE	1	0	19	0	0	20
	RANDOLPH	2	2	40	0	7	51
	STRAFFORD	1	0	23	2	0	26
	THETFORD	3	0	39	0	0	42
	TOPSHAM	6	0	23	0	1	30
	TUNBRIDGE	5	1	38	1	0	45
	VERSHIRE	7	0	15	0	0	22

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ORANGE (cont.)	WASHINGTON	1	0	10	0	2	13
	WEST FAIRLEE	0	0	6	0	0	6
	WILLIAMSTOWN	3	0	41	1	7	52
	TOTAL	67	7	477	7	34	592
ORLEANS	ALBANY	6	0	27	1	0	34
	BARTON	2	0	31	0	5	38
	BROWNINGTON	5	0	21	1	4	31
	CHARLESTON	4	0	20	0	4	28
	COVENTRY	5	0	23	0	5	33
	CRAFTSBURY	2	1	29	0	3	35
	DERBY	5	0	36	2	6	49
	GLOVER	6	0	14	1	4	25
	GREENSBORO	3	0	16	0	3	22
	HOLLAND	8	0	22	0	1	31
	IRASBURG	6	1	31	1	0	39
	JAY	0	0	2	0	0	2
	LOWELL	0	0	16	1	1	18
	MORGAN	2	1	10	1	0	14
	NEWPORT	6	0	24	3	3	36
	TROY	5	0	24	0	2	31
	WESTFIELD	3	0	8	2	2	15
	WESTMORE	0	0	9	1	0	10
	TOTAL	68	3	363	14	43	491
	RUTLAND	BENSON	6	0	29	2	1
BRANDON		2	0	37	0	0	39
CASTLETON		3	0	27	1	0	31
CHITTENDEN		2	0	18	0	0	20
CLARENDON		2	0	32	1	1	36
DANBY		2	0	25	0	0	27
FAIR HAVEN		2	0	12	1	1	16
HUBBARDTON		5	0	16	0	0	21
IRA		2	0	6	0	0	8
KILLINGTON		1	0	4	0	0	5
MENDON		0	0	4	0	0	4
MIDDLETOWN SPRINGS		3	0	17	0	2	22
MOUNT HOLLY		4	0	15	0	0	19
MOUNT TABOR		1	0	3	1	0	5
PAWLET		10	0	54	1	1	66
PITTSFIELD		0	0	7	0	0	7
PITTSFORD		4	0	30	1	3	38
POULTNEY		8	0	36	0	0	44
PROCTOR		0	0	5	0	0	5
RUTLAND		1	0	12	2	3	18
SHREWSBURY		3	0	16	2	0	21
SUDBURY		2	0	14	0	0	16
TINMOUTH		5	0	26	0	0	31
WALLINGFORD		1	0	20	1	0	22
WELLS		5	0	17	0	1	23

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RUTLAND <i>(cont.)</i>	WEST HAVEN	3	0	17	1	0	21
	WEST RUTLAND	4	0	18	1	0	23
	TOTAL	81	0	517	15	13	626
WASHINGTON	BARRE	4	0	29	2	4	39
	BERLIN	2	0	34	1	0	37
	CABOT	7	1	18	0	4	30
	CALAIS	2	0	27	0	1	30
	DUXBURY	0	0	4	1	0	5
	EAST MONTPELIER	5	0	36	2	9	52
	FAYSTON	0	0	3	0	0	3
	MARSHFIELD	2	0	24	1	0	27
	MIDDLESEX	1	0	7	0	1	9
	MONTPELIER	1	0	6	0	0	7
	MORETOWN	0	1	15	0	0	16
	NORTHFIELD	4	0	24	1	2	31
	PLAINFIELD	3	0	19	1	5	28
	ROXBURY	0	0	8	0	3	11
	WAITSFIELD	3	0	19	1	1	24
	WARREN	0	0	12	0	1	13
	WATERBURY	4	0	18	1	0	23
	WOODBURY	0	0	11	0	1	12
	WORCESTER	0	0	7	0	2	9
	TOTAL	38	2	321	11	34	406
	WINDHAM	ATHENS	0	0	6	0	0
BRATTLEBORO		1	0	19	1	0	21
BROOKLINE		0	1	12	0	2	15
DOVER		1	0	16	0	0	17
DUMMERSTON		1	0	38	2	1	42
GRAFTON		1	0	26	0	0	27
GUILFORD		0	0	52	3	0	55
HALIFAX		4	0	41	0	4	49
JAMAICA		1	0	13	0	0	14
LONDONDERRY		2	0	25	0	0	27
MARLBORO		0	0	17	0	0	17
NEWFANE		2	1	27	0	1	31
PUTNEY		1	0	23	0	0	24
ROCKINGHAM		6	0	38	1	3	48
SOMERSET		0	0	0	0	0	0
STRATTON		0	0	3	0	0	3
TOWNSHEND		4	0	37	0	1	42
VERNON		2	0	16	0	2	20
WARDSBORO		2	1	12	0	0	15
WESTMINSTER		2	0	32	1	2	37
WHITINGHAM		4	0	21	0	0	25
WILMINGTON		0	0	23	0	1	24
WINDHAM		0	0	10	0	0	10
TOTAL	34	3	507	8	17	569	

Appendix A. 2021 Turkey Harvest by Town and County

County	Town	Youth	Novice	Spring	Fall Archery	Fall Shotgun	Total Town Harvest
WINDSOR	ANDOVER	0	0	11	0	0	11
	BALTIMORE	1	0	4	0	0	5
	BARNARD	1	0	13	0	0	14
	BETHEL	1	0	26	0	1	28
	BRIDGEWATER	4	0	25	0	1	30
	CAVENDISH	2	0	35	0	5	42
	CHESTER	1	0	58	0	3	62
	HARTFORD	1	0	48	2	2	53
	HARTLAND	4	0	62	2	7	75
	LUDLOW	2	0	15	0	0	17
	NORWICH	1	0	24	1	0	26
	PLYMOUTH	0	0	6	0	0	6
	POMFRET	2	1	29	0	0	32
	READING	0	0	23	0	1	24
	ROCHESTER	4	1	20	0	1	26
	ROYALTON	5	0	24	0	0	29
	SHARON	0	0	33	1	2	36
	SPRINGFIELD	7	0	43	1	5	56
	STOCKBRIDGE	1	0	15	0	1	17
	WEATHERSFIELD	6	0	59	1	6	72
	WEST WINDSOR	3	0	25	1	0	29
	WESTON	2	0	13	1	0	16
	WINDSOR	4	1	30	0	4	39
WOODSTOCK	4	0	31	0	2	37	
	TOTAL	56	3	672	10	41	782
STATE	TOTAL	708	35	5,024	130	296	6,193