

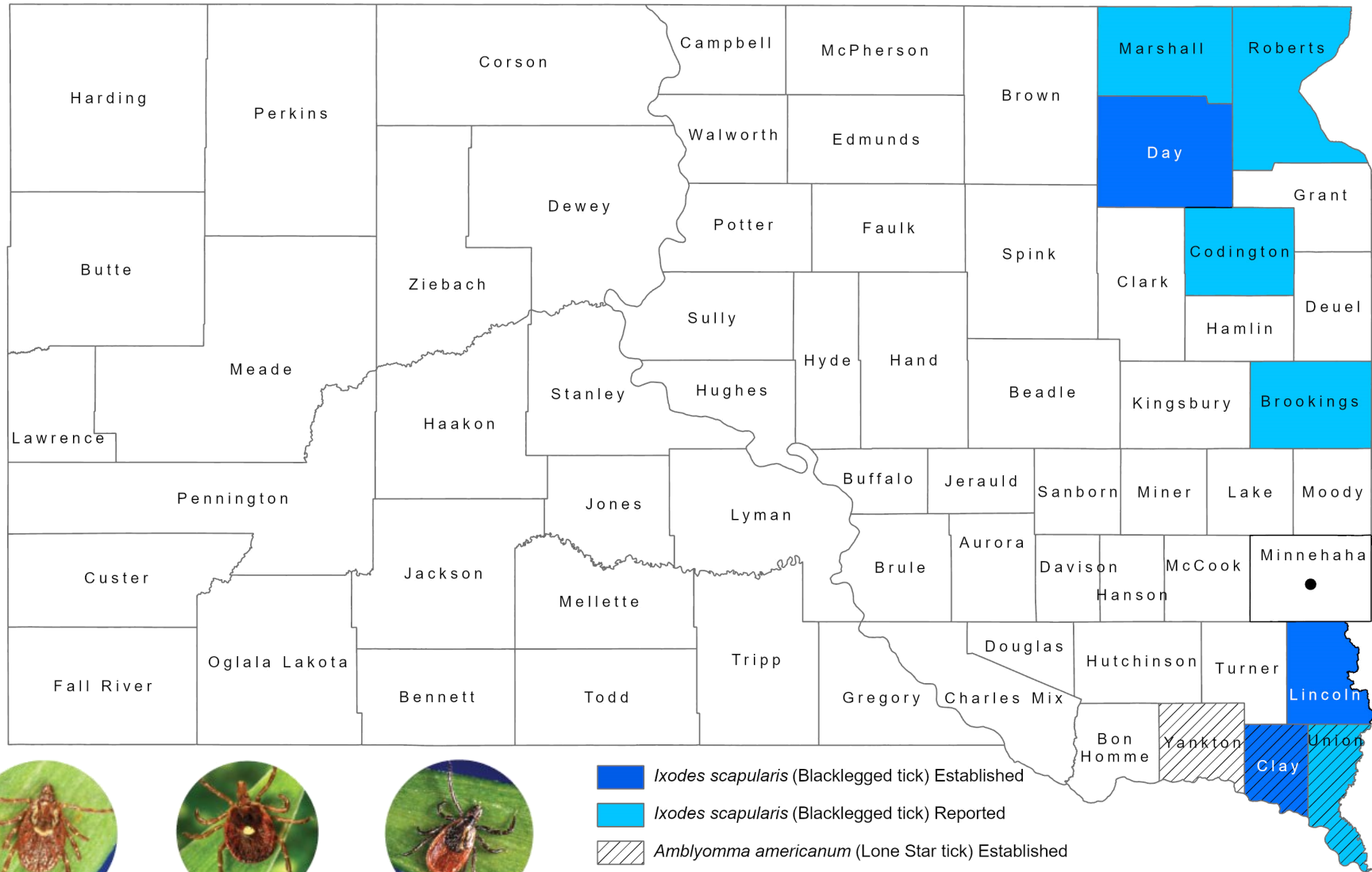
# Ticks in South Dakota



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*Dermacentor variabilis*  
AMERICAN DOG / WOOD TICK



*Amblyomma americanum*  
LONE STAR TICK



*Ixodes scapularis*  
BLACKLEGGED TICK

- Ixodes scapularis* (Blacklegged tick) Established
- Ixodes scapularis* (Blacklegged tick) Reported
- Amblyomma americanum* (Lone Star tick) Established
- Amblyomma americanum* (Lone Star tick) Reported

**Reported:** Less than 5 ticks and all ticks in same life stage (not established)  
**Established:** Six or more ticks, or ticks at two different life stages (reproducing locally)

Note: *Dermacentor variabilis* (American dog tick or wood tick) can be found in all South Dakota counties.