# Context

The Gun Violence Archive is an online archive of gun violence incidents collected from over 2,000 media, law enforcement, government and commercial sources daily in an effort to provide near-real time data about the results of gun violence. GVA in an independent data collection and research group with no affiliation with any advocacy organization.

# Content

This dataset includes files that separate gun violence incidents by category, including deaths and injuries of children and teens, and a collection of mass shootings.

# Inspiration

* What has been the trend of gun violence in the past few years?
* What states have the highest incidents per capita per year? How has this metric changed over time?
* Are officer involved shootings on the rise? Where are they most concentrated? Do they correlate with the rates of accidental deaths and mass shootings?

# Acknowledgements

This dataset is owned by the Gun Violence Archive, and can be accessed in its original form [here](http://www.gunviolencearchive.org/reports).