# **Project: FBI Gun Investigation and Data Analysis**

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### Introduction

The source of the data is FBI's National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICS). This system is used to determine whether a prospective buyer is eligible to buy firearms or explosives. Gun shops call into this system to ensure that each customer does not have a criminal record or isn't otherwise ineligible to make a purchase. The data has been supplemented with state level data from census.gov.

#### About the data:

The NICS data is found in a single sheet of an .xlsx file. It contains the number of firearm checks by month, state, and type. The U.S. census data is found in a .csv file. It contains several variables at the state level. Most variables just have one data point per state (2016), but a few have data for more than one year.

#### Questions asked:

- 1. Which state has the highest total gun purchases in April 2000 and April 2010?
- 2. What is per capita firearm sales for all states in April 2010 vs July 2016?

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In [420]: # Use this cell to set up import statements for all of the packages that you p
lan to use.
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import datetime

# Remember to include a 'magic word' so that your visualizations are plotted
# inline with the notebook. See this page for more:
# http://ipython.readthedocs.io/en/stable/interactive/magics.html
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline
import seaborn as sns
sns.set_style('darkgrid')
```

# **Data Wrangling**

**Tip**: In this section of the report, you will load in the data, check for cleanliness, and then trim and clean your dataset for analysis. Make sure that you document your steps carefully and justify your cleaning decisions.

### **General Properties**

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In [421]: # Load your data and print out a few lines. Perform operations to inspect data
# types and look for instances of missing or possibly errant data.
df_census = pd.read_csv('U.S. Census Data.csv')
df_gun = pd.read_excel('gun_data.xlsx')
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	State	Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)	Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population, Census, April 1, 2010	Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010	Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Perso und yea perce April 20
0	Alabama	4863300	4780131	0.017	4779736	0.060	0.064	0.226	0.2
1	Alaska	741894	710249	0.045	710231	0.073	0.076	0.252	0.2
2	Arizona	6931071	6392301	0.084	6392017	0.063	0.071	0.235	0.2
3	Arkansas	2988248	2916025	0.025	2915918	0.064	0.068	0.236	0.2
4	California	39250017	37254522	0.054	37253956	0.063	0.068	0.232	0.2

5 rows × 66 columns

	month	state	permit	permit_recheck	handgun	long_gun	other	multiple	admin	prep
0	2017- 09	Alabama	16717.0	0.0	5734.0	6320.0	221.0	317	0.0	
1	2017- 09	Alaska	209.0	2.0	2320.0	2930.0	219.0	160	0.0	
2	2017- 09	Arizona	5069.0	382.0	11063.0	7946.0	920.0	631	0.0	
3	2017- 09	Arkansas	2935.0	632.0	4347.0	6063.0	165.0	366	51.0	
4	2017- 09	California	57839.0	0.0	37165.0	24581.0	2984.0	0	0.0	

5 rows × 27 columns

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In [423]: df_census.set_index('State',inplace = True)
    df_census
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### Out[423]:

	Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)	Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population, Census, April 1, 2010	Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010	Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Pe } pe A
State								
Alabama	4863300	4780131	0.017	4779736	0.060	0.064	0.226	
Alaska	741894	710249	0.045	710231	0.073	0.076	0.252	
Arizona	6931071	6392301	0.084	6392017	0.063	0.071	0.235	
Arkansas	2988248	2916025	0.025	2915918	0.064	0.068	0.236	
California	39250017	37254522	0.054	37253956	0.063	0.068	0.232	
Colorado	5540545	5029324	0.102	5029196	0.061	0.068	0.228	
Connecticut	3576452	3574114	0.001	3574097	0.052	0.057	0.211	
Delaware	952065	897936	0.060	897934	0.058	0.062	0.215	
Florida	20612439	18804592	0.096	18801310	0.055	0.057	0.201	
Georgia	10310371	9688680	0.064	9687653	0.064	0.071	0.244	
Hawaii	1428557	1360301	0.050	1360301	0.064	0.064	0.216	
ldaho	1683140	1567650	0.074	1567582	0.068	0.078	0.260	
Illinois	12801539	12831574	-0.002	12830632	0.060	0.065	0.229	
Indiana	6633053	6484136	0.023	6483802	0.064	0.067	0.238	
lowa	3134693	3046869	0.029	3046355	0.064	0.066	0.233	
Kansas	2907289	2853129	0.019	2853118	0.067	0.072	0.246	
Kentucky	4436974	4339344	0.022	4339367	0.062	0.065	0.228	
Louisiana	4681666	4533479	0.033	4533372	0.066	0.069	0.238	
Maine	1331479	1328364	0.002	1328361	0.049	0.052	0.191	
Maryland	6016447	5773786	0.042	5773552	0.061	0.063	0.224	
Massachusetts	6811779	6547813	0.040	6547629	0.053	0.056	0.202	
Michigan	9928300	9884129	0.004	9883640	0.058	0.060	0.221	
Minnesota	5519952	5303924	0.041	5303925	0.064	0.067	0.233	
Mississippi	2988726	2968103	0.007	2967297	0.063	0.071	0.241	
Missouri	6093000	5988928	0.017	5988927	0.061	0.065	0.228	
Montana	1042520	989414	0.054	989415	0.060	0.063	0.218	
Nebraska	1907116	1826334	0.044	1826341	0.070	0.072	0.248	
Nevada	2940058	2700691	0.089	2700551	0.063	0.069	0.230	
New Hampshire	1334795	1316461	0.014	1316470	0.048	0.053	0.195	

	Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)	Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population, Census, April 1, 2010	Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010	Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Pe ! pe A
State								
New Jersey	8944469	8791953	0.017	8791894	0.058	0.062	0.222	
New Mexico	2081015	2059198	0.011	2059179	0.062	0.070	0.236	
New York	19745289	19378110	0.019	19378102	0.059	0.060	0.212	
North Carolina	10146788	9535688	0.064	9535483	0.060	0.066	0.227	
North Dakota	757952	672591	0.127	672591	0.073	0.066	0.233	
Ohio	11614373	11536727	0.007	11536504	0.060	0.062	0.225	
Oklahoma	3923561	3751615	0.046	3751351	0.068	0.070	0.245	
Oregon	4093465	3831072	0.068	3831074	0.058	0.062	0.212	
Pennsylvania	12784227	12702857	0.006	12702379	0.056	0.057	0.209	
Rhode Island	1056426	1052940	0.003	1052567	0.052	0.055	0.197	
South Carolina	4961119	4625410	0.073	4625364	0.059	0.065	0.221	
South Dakota	865454	814195	0.063	814180	0.071	0.073	0.246	
Tennessee	6651194	6346298	0.048	6346105	0.061	0.064	0.226	
Texas	27862596	25146100	0.108	25145561	0.072	0.077	0.262	
Utah	3051217	2763888	0.104	2763885	0.083	0.095	0.302	
Vermont	624594	625741	-0.002	625741	0.049	0.051	0.190	
Virginia	8411808	8001041	0.051	8001024	0.061	0.064	0.222	
Washington	7288000	6724545	0.084	6724540	0.062	0.065	0.224	
West Virginia	1831102	1853011	-0.012	1852994	0.055	0.056	0.205	
Wisconsin	5778708	5687289	0.016	5686986	0.058	0.063	0.223	
Wyoming	585501	563767	0.039	563626	0.065	0.071	0.237	

50 rows × 65 columns

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In [424]: #Inspecting the data and getting information on the dimensions of the datafra
    mes
    display("Census dimensions: " +str(df_census.shape))
    display("Gun Dimensions:" + str(df_gun.shape))
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<sup>&#</sup>x27;Census dimensions: (50, 65)'

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Gun Dimensions:(12485, 27)'

In [425]: #Printing concise summary of both the dataframes helping in knowing the dataty
 pes and null vales
 df\_census.info()

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Index: 50 entries, Alabama to Wyoming
Data columns (total 65 columns):
    Column
Non-Null Count Dtype
___ ___
     Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
                int64
    Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)
50 non-null
                int64
    Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2
016, (V2016)
               50 non-null
                               float64
     Population, Census, April 1, 2010
3
50 non-null
                int64
    Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons under 18 years, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
                float64
    Persons 65 years and over, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons 65 years and over, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
               float64
 10 Female persons, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 11 Female persons, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
               float64
 12 White alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
                float64
 13 Black or African American alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 14 American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 15 Asian alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 16 Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, July 1, 2016,
(V2016)
              50 non-null
                              object
 17 Two or More Races, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
                float64
18 Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 19 White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 20 Veterans, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               int64
 21 Foreign born persons, percent, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               float64
 22 Housing units, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
                int64
50 non-null
23 Housing units, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
                int64
 24 Owner-occupied housing unit rate, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               float64
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25 Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
26 Median selected monthly owner costs -with a mortgage, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
27 Median selected monthly owner costs -without a mortgage, 2011-2015
                int64
50 non-null
28 Median gross rent, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
29 Building permits, 2016
50 non-null
                int64
30 Households, 2011-2015
                int64
50 non-null
31 Persons per household, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               float64
32 Living in same house 1 year ago, percent of persons age 1 year+, 2011-20
                                float64
15
                50 non-null
33 Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 yea
rs+, 2011-2015 50 non-null
                               float64
34 High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2
015
                50 non-null
                                float64
35 Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                float64
36 With a disability, under age 65 years, percent, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                float64
37 Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years, percent
50 non-null
                float64
38 In civilian labor force, total, percent of population age 16 years+, 201
                50 non-null
                                float64
1-2015
39 In civilian labor force, female, percent of population age 16 years+, 20
                50 non-null
                                float64
11-2015
40 Total accommodation and food services sales, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
41 Total health care and social assistance receipts/revenue, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
42 Total manufacturers shipments, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                object
43 Total merchant wholesaler sales, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
               int64
44 Total retail sales, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
45 Total retail sales per capita, 2012
50 non-null
                int64
46 Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16 years+, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                float64
47 Median household income (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
48 Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
49 Persons in poverty, percent
50 non-null
                float64
50 Total employer establishments, 2015
50 non-null
                int64
51 Total employment, 2015
50 non-null
                int64
52 Total annual payroll, 2015 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
53 Total employment, percent change, 2014-2015
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50 non-null object 54 Total nonemployer establishments, 2015 50 non-null int64 55 All firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 56 Men-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 57 Women-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 58 Minority-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 59 Nonminority-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 60 Veteran-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 61 Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 62 Population per square mile, 2010 50 non-null float64 63 Land area in square miles, 2010 50 non-null float64 64 FIPS Code 50 non-null object

In [426]: #Printing concise summary of both the dataframes helping in knowing the dataty pes and null vales df\_gun.info();

> <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'> RangeIndex: 12485 entries, 0 to 12484 Data columns (total 27 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	month	12485 non-null	object
1	state	12485 non-null	object
2	permit	12461 non-null	float64
3	permit_recheck	1100 non-null	float64
4	handgun	12465 non-null	float64
5	long_gun	12466 non-null	float64
6	other	5500 non-null	float64
7	multiple	12485 non-null	int64
8	admin	12462 non-null	float64
9	prepawn_handgun	10542 non-null	float64
10	prepawn_long_gun	10540 non-null	float64
11	prepawn_other	5115 non-null	float64
12	redemption_handgun	10545 non-null	float64
13	redemption_long_gun	10544 non-null	float64
14	redemption_other	5115 non-null	float64
15	returned_handgun	2200 non-null	float64
16	returned_long_gun	2145 non-null	float64
17	returned_other	1815 non-null	float64
18	rentals_handgun	990 non-null	float64
19	rentals_long_gun	825 non-null	float64
20	private_sale_handgun	2750 non-null	float64
21	private_sale_long_gun	2750 non-null	float64
22	private_sale_other	2750 non-null	float64
23	return_to_seller_handgun	2475 non-null	float64
24	return_to_seller_long_gun	2750 non-null	float64
25	return_to_seller_other	2255 non-null	float64
26	totals	12485 non-null	int64
dtyp	es: float64(23), int64(2),	object(2)	

memory usage: 2.6+ MB

Out[427]:

	Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)	Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Population, Census, April 1, 2010	Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010	Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)	
count	5.000000e+01	5.000000e+01	50.000000	5.000000e+01	50.000000	50.000000	50.00000	5
mean	6.448927e+06	6.163127e+06	0.041800	6.162876e+06	0.061600	0.065460	0.22750	
std	7.271769e+06	6.848463e+06	0.033811	6.848235e+06	0.006612	0.007579	0.01977	
min	5.855010e+05	5.637670e+05	-0.012000	5.636260e+05	0.048000	0.051000	0.19000	
25%	1.850106e+06	1.833003e+06	0.016250	1.833004e+06	0.058000	0.062000	0.21650	
50%	4.559320e+06	4.436412e+06	0.040500	4.436370e+06	0.061000	0.065000	0.22750	
75%	7.198768e+06	6.680362e+06	0.063750	6.680312e+06	0.064000	0.069750	0.23675	
max	3.925002e+07	3.725452e+07	0.127000	3.725396e+07	0.083000	0.095000	0.30200	

8 rows × 61 columns

Out[428]:

	permit	permit_recheck	handgun	long_gun	other	multiple
count	12461.000000	1100.000000	12465.000000	12466.000000	5500.000000	12485.000000
mean	6413.629404	1165.956364	5940.881107	7810.847585	360.471636	268.603364
std	23752.338269	9224.200609	8618.584060	9309.846140	1349.478273	783.185073
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000
25%	0.000000	0.000000	865.000000	2078.250000	17.000000	15.000000
50%	518.000000	0.000000	3059.000000	5122.000000	121.000000	125.000000
75%	4272.000000	0.000000	7280.000000	10380.750000	354.000000	301.000000
max	522188.000000	116681.000000	107224.000000	108058.000000	77929.000000	38907.000000

8 rows × 25 columns

In [429]: #Looking into the column names in the dataframe
for col in df\_census.columns:
 print(col)

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Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)
Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016,
Population, Census, April 1, 2010
Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010
Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016,
Persons under 18 years, percent, April 1, 2010
Persons 65 years and over, percent, July 1, 2016,
                                                   (V2016)
Persons 65 years and over, percent, April 1, 2010
Female persons, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Female persons, percent, April 1, 2010
White alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Black or African American alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Asian alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2
016)
Two or More Races, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Veterans, 2011-2015
Foreign born persons, percent, 2011-2015
Housing units, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
Housing units, April 1, 2010
Owner-occupied housing unit rate, 2011-2015
Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2011-2015
Median selected monthly owner costs -with a mortgage, 2011-2015
Median selected monthly owner costs -without a mortgage, 2011-2015
Median gross rent, 2011-2015
Building permits, 2016
Households, 2011-2015
Persons per household, 2011-2015
Living in same house 1 year ago, percent of persons age 1 year+, 2011-2015
Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 years+,
2011-2015
High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2015
Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2015
With a disability, under age 65 years, percent, 2011-2015
Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years, percent
In civilian labor force, total, percent of population age 16 years+, 2011-201
In civilian labor force, female, percent of population age 16 years+, 2011-20
Total accommodation and food services sales, 2012 ($1,000)
Total health care and social assistance receipts/revenue, 2012 ($1,000)
Total manufacturers shipments, 2012 ($1,000)
Total merchant wholesaler sales, 2012 ($1,000)
Total retail sales, 2012 ($1,000)
Total retail sales per capita, 2012
Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16 years+, 2011-2015
Median household income (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015
Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015
Persons in poverty, percent
Total employer establishments, 2015
Total employment, 2015
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Total annual payroll, 2015 ($1,000)
Total employment, percent change, 2014-2015
Total nonemployer establishments, 2015
All firms, 2012
Men-owned firms, 2012
Women-owned firms, 2012
Minority-owned firms, 2012
Nonminority-owned firms, 2012
Veteran-owned firms, 2012
Population per square mile, 2010
Land area in square miles, 2010
FIPS Code
```

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In [430]: #looking into the column names for the gun dataframe
for col in df_gun.columns:
    print(col)
```

```
month
state
permit
permit_recheck
handgun
long gun
other
multiple
admin
prepawn handgun
prepawn_long_gun
prepawn other
redemption handgun
redemption_long_gun
redemption other
returned handgun
returned long gun
returned other
rentals handgun
rentals long gun
private_sale_handgun
private sale long gun
private sale other
return_to_seller_handgun
return to seller long gun
return_to_seller_other
totals
```

After manually analyzing both the datasets carefully in Excel, data for a few of the states is not very consistent in the datasets we are considering. Some of the states aren't present in the Gun data as compared to the Census data. The states include: Guam, District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Mariana Islands, Virgin Islands. We can eliminate the data so as to avoid any confusions in the analysis.

In [431]: #Removing all the unnecessary state data from the guns data set

```
print(df gun.state.nunique())
          df gun = df gun[df gun.state != 'Guam']
          df_gun = df_gun[df_gun.state != 'District of Columbia']
          df_gun = df_gun[df_gun.state != 'Puerto Rico']
          df_gun = df_gun[df_gun.state != 'Mariana Islands']
          df gun = df gun[df gun.state != 'Virgin Islands']
          55
In [432]: df census.dtypes
Out[432]: Population estimates, July 1, 2016,
                                                (V2016)
          int64
          Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)
          int64
          Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016,
                     float64
          (V2016)
          Population, Census, April 1, 2010
          int64
          Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
          float64
          Veteran-owned firms, 2012
          int64
          Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012
          int64
          Population per square mile, 2010
          float64
          Land area in square miles, 2010
          float64
          FIPS Code
          object
```

Length: 65, dtype: object

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In [433]: df_gun.dtypes
Out[433]: month
                                         object
          state
                                         object
                                        float64
          permit
          permit recheck
                                        float64
                                        float64
          handgun
          long_gun
                                        float64
          other
                                        float64
          multiple
                                          int64
          admin
                                        float64
          prepawn handgun
                                        float64
          prepawn_long_gun
                                        float64
          prepawn other
                                        float64
          redemption handgun
                                        float64
          redemption_long_gun
                                        float64
          redemption_other
                                        float64
          returned_handgun
                                        float64
          returned long gun
                                        float64
          returned other
                                        float64
          rentals_handgun
                                        float64
          rentals long gun
                                        float64
          private_sale_handgun
                                        float64
          private_sale_long_gun
                                        float64
          private sale other
                                        float64
          return to seller handgun
                                        float64
          return_to_seller_long_gun
                                        float64
          return to seller other
                                        float64
          totals
                                          int64
          dtype: object
          #Check for duplicates in the Guns data
In [434]:
           sum(df_gun.duplicated())
Out[434]: 0
In [435]: #Check for duplicates in the Census data
           sum(df_census.duplicated())
Out[435]: 0
In [436]: #Checking for NaN values
           df census.isnull().any().any(), sum(df census.isnull().any())
Out[436]: (False, 0)
```

```
In [437]: df census.isnull().any()
Out[437]: Population estimates, July 1, 2016,
                                                (V2016)
          False
          Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)
          False
          Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016,
          (V2016)
                     False
          Population, Census, April 1, 2010
          False
          Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
          False
          Veteran-owned firms, 2012
          False
          Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012
          False
          Population per square mile, 2010
          False
          Land area in square miles, 2010
          False
          FIPS Code
          False
          Length: 65, dtype: bool
In [438]: | df_gun.isnull().any().any(), sum(df_gun.isnull().any())
Out[438]: (True, 21)
```

In [439]: df\_gun.isnull().any()

Out[439]: month False state False permit True permit\_recheck True handgun False long\_gun False other True False multiple admin True True prepawn\_handgun prepawn\_long\_gun True prepawn other True redemption handgun True redemption\_long\_gun True redemption\_other True returned\_handgun True returned\_long\_gun True returned other True rentals\_handgun True rentals\_long\_gun True private\_sale\_handgun True private\_sale\_long\_gun True private sale other True return to seller handgun True return\_to\_seller\_long\_gun True return\_to\_seller\_other True totals False In [440]: df\_census.info()

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Index: 50 entries, Alabama to Wyoming
Data columns (total 65 columns):
    Column
Non-Null Count Dtype
___ ___
     Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
                int64
    Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)
50 non-null
                int64
    Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2
016, (V2016)
               50 non-null
                               float64
     Population, Census, April 1, 2010
3
50 non-null
                int64
    Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons under 5 years, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons under 18 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons under 18 years, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
                float64
    Persons 65 years and over, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
    Persons 65 years and over, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
               float64
 10 Female persons, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 11 Female persons, percent, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
               float64
 12 White alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
                float64
 13 Black or African American alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 14 American Indian and Alaska Native alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 15 Asian alone, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 16 Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone, percent, July 1, 2016,
(V2016)
              50 non-null
                              object
 17 Two or More Races, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
                float64
18 Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 19 White alone, not Hispanic or Latino, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
50 non-null
               float64
 20 Veterans, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               int64
 21 Foreign born persons, percent, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               float64
 22 Housing units, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
                int64
50 non-null
23 Housing units, April 1, 2010
50 non-null
                int64
 24 Owner-occupied housing unit rate, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               float64
```

```
25 Median value of owner-occupied housing units, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
26 Median selected monthly owner costs -with a mortgage, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
27 Median selected monthly owner costs -without a mortgage, 2011-2015
                int64
50 non-null
28 Median gross rent, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
29 Building permits, 2016
50 non-null
                int64
30 Households, 2011-2015
                int64
50 non-null
31 Persons per household, 2011-2015
50 non-null
               float64
32 Living in same house 1 year ago, percent of persons age 1 year+, 2011-20
                                float64
15
                50 non-null
33 Language other than English spoken at home, percent of persons age 5 yea
rs+, 2011-2015 50 non-null
                                float64
34 High school graduate or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2
015
                50 non-null
                                float64
35 Bachelor's degree or higher, percent of persons age 25 years+, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                float64
36 With a disability, under age 65 years, percent, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                float64
37 Persons without health insurance, under age 65 years, percent
50 non-null
                float64
38 In civilian labor force, total, percent of population age 16 years+, 201
                50 non-null
                                float64
1-2015
39 In civilian labor force, female, percent of population age 16 years+, 20
                50 non-null
                                float64
11-2015
40 Total accommodation and food services sales, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
41 Total health care and social assistance receipts/revenue, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
42 Total manufacturers shipments, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                object
43 Total merchant wholesaler sales, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
44 Total retail sales, 2012 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
45 Total retail sales per capita, 2012
50 non-null
                int64
46 Mean travel time to work (minutes), workers age 16 years+, 2011-2015
50 non-null
                float64
47 Median household income (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
48 Per capita income in past 12 months (in 2015 dollars), 2011-2015
50 non-null
                int64
49 Persons in poverty, percent
50 non-null
                float64
50 Total employer establishments, 2015
50 non-null
                int64
51 Total employment, 2015
50 non-null
                int64
52 Total annual payroll, 2015 ($1,000)
50 non-null
                int64
53 Total employment, percent change, 2014-2015
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50 non-null object 54 Total nonemployer establishments, 2015 50 non-null int64 55 All firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 56 Men-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 57 Women-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 58 Minority-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 59 Nonminority-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 60 Veteran-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 61 Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012 50 non-null int64 62 Population per square mile, 2010 50 non-null float64 63 Land area in square miles, 2010 50 non-null float64 64 FIPS Code 50 non-null object dtypes: float64(31), int64(30), object(4)

memory usage: 25.8+ KB

```
In [441]: df gun.info()
          <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
          Int64Index: 11350 entries, 0 to 12484
          Data columns (total 27 columns):
           #
               Column
                                           Non-Null Count
                                                           Dtype
           0
               month
                                           11350 non-null
                                                            object
           1
                                                            object
               state
                                           11350 non-null
                                           11348 non-null
           2
               permit
                                                           float64
           3
               permit_recheck
                                           1000 non-null
                                                            float64
           4
               handgun
                                           11350 non-null
                                                           float64
           5
               long_gun
                                           11350 non-null
                                                            float64
           6
               other
                                           5000 non-null
                                                            float64
           7
               multiple
                                           11350 non-null
                                                           int64
           8
               admin
                                           11348 non-null
                                                           float64
                                           9597 non-null
                                                            float64
           9
               prepawn_handgun
           10
               prepawn_long_gun
                                           9595 non-null
                                                            float64
           11
                                                            float64
               prepawn other
                                           4650 non-null
           12
               redemption handgun
                                           9600 non-null
                                                            float64
           13
               redemption_long_gun
                                           9598 non-null
                                                            float64
           14 redemption other
                                           4650 non-null
                                                            float64
           15
               returned handgun
                                           2000 non-null
                                                            float64
           16 returned_long_gun
                                           1950 non-null
                                                            float64
           17
               returned other
                                           1650 non-null
                                                            float64
           18 rentals handgun
                                                            float64
                                           900 non-null
           19
               rentals_long_gun
                                                            float64
                                           750 non-null
           20
               private sale handgun
                                           2500 non-null
                                                            float64
           21 private sale long gun
                                           2500 non-null
                                                            float64
               private sale other
           22
                                           2500 non-null
                                                            float64
           23 return to seller handgun
                                                            float64
                                           2250 non-null
           24 return to seller long gun
                                           2500 non-null
                                                            float64
           25 return_to_seller_other
                                           2050 non-null
                                                            float64
           26 totals
                                           11350 non-null
                                                            int64
          dtypes: float64(23), int64(2), object(2)
```

#### Data Cleaning

```
In [442]: # After discussing the structure of the data and any problems that need to be
# cleaned, perform those cleaning steps in the second part of this section.

# We are starting the cleaning process by checking the duplicates and getting
    rid of them, if any
    df_census.drop_duplicates(inplace = True)
    sum(df_census.duplicated())
Out[442]: 0

In [443]: df_gun.drop_duplicates(inplace = True)
    sum(df_gun.duplicated())
```

Out[443]: 0

memory usage: 2.4+ MB

```
#Now we will fill all the empty / NA values using the fillna function
          df_census.fillna('No Records', inplace = True)
          df_census.isnull().any()
Out[444]: Population estimates, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
          False
          Population estimates base, April 1, 2010, (V2016)
          False
          Population, percent change - April 1, 2010 (estimates base) to July 1, 2016,
          (V2016)
                     False
          Population, Census, April 1, 2010
          Persons under 5 years, percent, July 1, 2016, (V2016)
          False
          Veteran-owned firms, 2012
          False
          Nonveteran-owned firms, 2012
          False
          Population per square mile, 2010
          False
          Land area in square miles, 2010
          False
          FIPS Code
          False
          Length: 65, dtype: bool
```

```
df_gun.fillna(df_gun.mean(), inplace = True )
          df_gun.isnull().any()
Out[445]: month
                                        False
          state
                                        False
          permit
                                         False
          permit_recheck
                                         False
          handgun
                                         False
                                        False
          long gun
          other
                                        False
          multiple
                                        False
          admin
                                        False
          prepawn_handgun
                                        False
          prepawn_long_gun
                                        False
          prepawn other
                                        False
          redemption_handgun
                                        False
          redemption_long_gun
                                        False
          redemption_other
                                        False
          returned handgun
                                        False
          returned_long_gun
                                        False
          returned_other
                                        False
          rentals_handgun
                                        False
          rentals_long_gun
                                        False
          private_sale_handgun
                                        False
          private_sale_long_gun
                                        False
          private_sale_other
                                        False
          return_to_seller_handgun
                                        False
          return_to_seller_long_gun
                                        False
          return_to_seller_other
                                         False
          totals
                                         False
          dtype: bool
```

```
In [446]: df_gun.info()
```

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 11350 entries, 0 to 12484
Data columns (total 27 columns):

Ducu	COTAINIS (COCAT 27 COTAINIS)	<b>,</b> •	
#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	month	11350 non-null	object
1	state	11350 non-null	object
2	permit	11350 non-null	float64
3	permit_recheck	11350 non-null	float64
4	handgun	11350 non-null	float64
5	long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
6	other	11350 non-null	float64
7	multiple	11350 non-null	int64
8	admin	11350 non-null	float64
9	prepawn_handgun	11350 non-null	float64
10	prepawn_long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
11	prepawn_other	11350 non-null	float64
12	redemption_handgun	11350 non-null	float64
13	redemption_long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
14	redemption_other	11350 non-null	float64
15	returned_handgun	11350 non-null	float64
16	returned_long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
17	returned_other	11350 non-null	float64
18	rentals_handgun	11350 non-null	float64
19	rentals_long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
20	private_sale_handgun	11350 non-null	float64
21	private_sale_long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
22	private_sale_other	11350 non-null	float64
23	return_to_seller_handgun	11350 non-null	float64
24	return_to_seller_long_gun	11350 non-null	float64
25	return_to_seller_other	11350 non-null	float64
26	totals	11350 non-null	int64
dtype	es: float64(23), int64(2),	object(2)	

dtypes: float64(23), int64(2), object(2)

memory usage: 2.4+ MB

```
In [447]: #Noticing the names of the column names, we can bring the column names to a si
    ngle format

df_census.rename(columns = lambda x:x.lower(), inplace = True)
    df_census
```

Out[447]:

	population estimates, july 1, 2016, (v2016)	population estimates base, april 1, 2010, (v2016)	population, percent change - april 1, 2010 (estimates base) to july 1, 2016, (v2016)	population, census, april 1, 2010	persons under 5 years, percent, july 1, 2016, (v2016)	persons under 5 years, percent, april 1, 2010	persons under 18 years, percent, july 1, 2016, (v2016)	per: u y( per( ap
State								
Alabama	4863300	4780131	0.017	4779736	0.060	0.064	0.226	(
Alaska	741894	710249	0.045	710231	0.073	0.076	0.252	(
Arizona	6931071	6392301	0.084	6392017	0.063	0.071	0.235	(
Arkansas	2988248	2916025	0.025	2915918	0.064	0.068	0.236	(
California	39250017	37254522	0.054	37253956	0.063	0.068	0.232	(
Colorado	5540545	5029324	0.102	5029196	0.061	0.068	0.228	(
Connecticut	3576452	3574114	0.001	3574097	0.052	0.057	0.211	(
Delaware	952065	897936	0.060	897934	0.058	0.062	0.215	(
Florida	20612439	18804592	0.096	18801310	0.055	0.057	0.201	(
Georgia	10310371	9688680	0.064	9687653	0.064	0.071	0.244	(
Hawaii	1428557	1360301	0.050	1360301	0.064	0.064	0.216	(
ldaho	1683140	1567650	0.074	1567582	0.068	0.078	0.260	(
Illinois	12801539	12831574	-0.002	12830632	0.060	0.065	0.229	(
Indiana	6633053	6484136	0.023	6483802	0.064	0.067	0.238	(
lowa	3134693	3046869	0.029	3046355	0.064	0.066	0.233	(
Kansas	2907289	2853129	0.019	2853118	0.067	0.072	0.246	(
Kentucky	4436974	4339344	0.022	4339367	0.062	0.065	0.228	(
Louisiana	4681666	4533479	0.033	4533372	0.066	0.069	0.238	(
Maine	1331479	1328364	0.002	1328361	0.049	0.052	0.191	(
Maryland	6016447	5773786	0.042	5773552	0.061	0.063	0.224	(
Massachusetts	6811779	6547813	0.040	6547629	0.053	0.056	0.202	(
Michigan	9928300	9884129	0.004	9883640	0.058	0.060	0.221	(
Minnesota	5519952	5303924	0.041	5303925	0.064	0.067	0.233	(
Mississippi	2988726	2968103	0.007	2967297	0.063	0.071	0.241	(
Missouri	6093000	5988928	0.017	5988927	0.061	0.065	0.228	(
Montana	1042520	989414	0.054	989415	0.060	0.063	0.218	(
Nebraska	1907116	1826334	0.044	1826341	0.070	0.072	0.248	(
Nevada	2940058	2700691	0.089	2700551	0.063	0.069	0.230	(
New Hampshire	1334795	1316461	0.014	1316470	0.048	0.053	0.195	C

	population estimates, july 1, 2016, (v2016)	population estimates base, april 1, 2010, (v2016)	population, percent change - april 1, 2010 (estimates base) to july 1, 2016, (v2016)	population, census, april 1, 2010	persons under 5 years, percent, july 1, 2016, (v2016)	persons under 5 years, percent, april 1, 2010	persons under 18 years, percent, july 1, 2016, (v2016)	per: u yı peri ap
State								
New Jersey	8944469	8791953	0.017	8791894	0.058	0.062	0.222	(
New Mexico	2081015	2059198	0.011	2059179	0.062	0.070	0.236	(
New York	19745289	19378110	0.019	19378102	0.059	0.060	0.212	(
North Carolina	10146788	9535688	0.064	9535483	0.060	0.066	0.227	(
North Dakota	757952	672591	0.127	672591	0.073	0.066	0.233	(
Ohio	11614373	11536727	0.007	11536504	0.060	0.062	0.225	(
Oklahoma	3923561	3751615	0.046	3751351	0.068	0.070	0.245	(
Oregon	4093465	3831072	0.068	3831074	0.058	0.062	0.212	(
Pennsylvania	12784227	12702857	0.006	12702379	0.056	0.057	0.209	(
Rhode Island	1056426	1052940	0.003	1052567	0.052	0.055	0.197	(
South Carolina	4961119	4625410	0.073	4625364	0.059	0.065	0.221	(
South Dakota	865454	814195	0.063	814180	0.071	0.073	0.246	(
Tennessee	6651194	6346298	0.048	6346105	0.061	0.064	0.226	(
Texas	27862596	25146100	0.108	25145561	0.072	0.077	0.262	(
Utah	3051217	2763888	0.104	2763885	0.083	0.095	0.302	(
Vermont	624594	625741	-0.002	625741	0.049	0.051	0.190	(
Virginia	8411808	8001041	0.051	8001024	0.061	0.064	0.222	(
Washington	7288000	6724545	0.084	6724540	0.062	0.065	0.224	(
West Virginia	1831102	1853011	-0.012	1852994	0.055	0.056	0.205	(
Wisconsin	5778708	5687289	0.016	5686986	0.058	0.063	0.223	(
Wyoming	585501	563767	0.039	563626	0.065	0.071	0.237	(

50 rows × 65 columns

In [448]: df\_gun

Out[448]:

	month	state	permit	permit_recheck	handgun	long_gun	other	multiple	ad
0	2017- 09	Alabama	16717.0	0.000	5734.0	6320.0	221.0000	317	
1	2017- 09	Alaska	209.0	2.000	2320.0	2930.0	219.0000	160	
2	2017- 09	Arizona	5069.0	382.000	11063.0	7946.0	920.0000	631	
3	2017- 09	Arkansas	2935.0	632.000	4347.0	6063.0	165.0000	366	ţ
4	2017- 09	California	57839.0	0.000	37165.0	24581.0	2984.0000	0	
12480	1998- 11	Virginia	0.0	1282.552	14.0	2.0	396.0524	8	
12481	1998- 11	Washington	1.0	1282.552	65.0	286.0	396.0524	8	
12482	1998- 11	West Virginia	3.0	1282.552	149.0	251.0	396.0524	5	
12483	1998- 11	Wisconsin	0.0	1282.552	25.0	214.0	396.0524	2	
12484	1998- 11	Wyoming	8.0	1282.552	45.0	49.0	396.0524	5	

11350 rows × 27 columns

```
In [449]: #For dealing with dates, we will bring them to the standard format using the d
    atetime package
    df_gun.month = pd.to_datetime(df_gun['month'], errors='coerce')

    df_gun
```

#### Out[449]:

	month	state	permit	permit_recheck	handgun	long_gun	other	multiple	ad
0	2017- 09-01	Alabama	16717.0	0.000	5734.0	6320.0	221.0000	317	
1	2017- 09-01	Alaska	209.0	2.000	2320.0	2930.0	219.0000	160	
2	2017- 09-01	Arizona	5069.0	382.000	11063.0	7946.0	920.0000	631	
3	2017- 09-01	Arkansas	2935.0	632.000	4347.0	6063.0	165.0000	366	ţ
4	2017- 09-01	California	57839.0	0.000	37165.0	24581.0	2984.0000	0	
12480	1998- 11-01	Virginia	0.0	1282.552	14.0	2.0	396.0524	8	
12481	1998- 11-01	Washington	1.0	1282.552	65.0	286.0	396.0524	8	
12482	1998- 11-01	West Virginia	3.0	1282.552	149.0	251.0	396.0524	5	
12483	1998- 11-01	Wisconsin	0.0	1282.552	25.0	214.0	396.0524	2	
12484	1998- 11-01	Wyoming	8.0	1282.552	45.0	49.0	396.0524	5	

11350 rows × 27 columns

# **Exploratory Data Analysis**

Research Question 1: Which state has the highest total gun purchases in April 2005 and April 2010?

```
In [450]: # Use this, and more code cells, to explore your data. Don't forget to add
# Markdown cells to document your observations and findings.

#We will create a new df with all the columns that will be required to perform
the analysis

df_gun_q1 = df_gun[['month','state','totals']]

df_gun_q1
```

#### Out[450]:

	month	state	totals
0	2017-09-01	Alabama	32019
1	2017-09-01	Alaska	6303
2	2017-09-01	Arizona	28394
3	2017-09-01	Arkansas	17747
4	2017-09-01	California	123506
12480	1998-11-01	Virginia	24
12481	1998-11-01	Washington	361
12482	1998-11-01	West Virginia	408
12483	1998-11-01	Wisconsin	241
12484	1998-11-01	Wyoming	107

11350 rows × 3 columns

```
In [451]: df_gun_q1.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 11350 entries, 0 to 12484
Data columns (total 3 columns):
# Column Non-Null Count Dtype
--- 0 month 11350 non-null datetime64[ns]
1 state 11350 non-null object
2 totals 11350 non-null int64
dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), int64(1), object(1)
memory usage: 354.7+ KB
```

```
In [452]: #Now lets extract just the April 2000 and April 2010 data
q1_2005 = df_gun_q1[df_gun_q1['month'] == "2005-04-01"]
display(q1_2005.head())

q1_2010 = df_gun_q1[df_gun_q1['month'] == "2010-04-01"]
display(q1_2010.head())
```

	month	state	totals
8195	2005-04-01	Alabama	14099
8196	2005-04-01	Alaska	3843
8197	2005-04-01	Arizona	13659
8198	2005-04-01	Arkansas	10027
8199	2005-04-01	California	49679

	month	state	totals
4895	2010-04-01	Alabama	20791
4896	2010-04-01	Alaska	6411
4897	2010-04-01	Arizona	16578
4898	2010-04-01	Arkansas	14563
4899	2010-04-01	California	80750

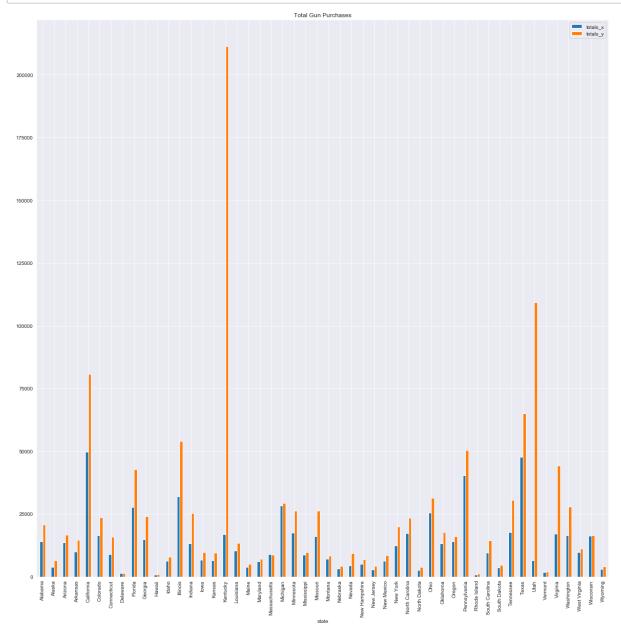
```
In [453]: print(q1_2005.describe())
    print('\n')
    print(q1_2010.describe())
```

```
totals
          50.000000
count
mean
       12932.920000
std
       11216.245617
min
         659.000000
25%
        5188.750000
50%
        9859.000000
75%
       16423.750000
       49679.000000
max
```

```
totals
           50.0000
count
        24517.7400
mean
std
        34280.1673
min
          963.0000
25%
         7197.5000
50%
        15242.5000
75%
        26335.5000
       211261.0000
max
```

### Out[454]:

	month_x	state	totals_x	month_y	totals_y
0	2005-04-01	Alabama	14099	2010-04-01	20791
1	2005-04-01	Alaska	3843	2010-04-01	6411
2	2005-04-01	Arizona	13659	2010-04-01	16578
3	2005-04-01	Arkansas	10027	2010-04-01	14563
4	2005-04-01	California	49679	2010-04-01	80750



```
In [457]: kent_2005 = q1_combined[q1_combined['state'] == 'Kentucky']['totals_x']
kent_2010 = q1_combined[q1_combined['state'] == 'Kentucky']['totals_y']

print('The total number of firearms sold in state of Ketucky in 2000 is:',kent _2005);
print('The total number of firearms sold in state of Ketucky in 2010 is:',kent _2010);
```

The total number of firearms sold in state of Ketucky in 2000 is: 16

Name: totals\_x, dtype: int64

The total number of firearms sold in state of Ketucky in 2010 is: 16

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Name: totals\_y, dtype: int64

#### Insight:

After looking through the overall firearms sold in the year of 2005 and compared to the year of 2010, there has been a very significant increase in the 5-year span. There has been an increase of 194,300 firearms in 2010 compared to 2005

### **Research Question 2:**

What is per capita firearm sales for all states in April 2010 vs July 2016?

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In [458]: # To perform analysis on the question above, we will require some data from bo
th the dataframes

df_q2 = df_gun[['state','month','totals']]

df_q2 = df_q2[df_q2['month'] == '2016-07-01']

df_q2
```

## Out[458]:

	state	month	totals
770	Alabama	2016-07-01	48927
771	Alaska	2016-07-01	6793
772	Arizona	2016-07-01	34496
773	Arkansas	2016-07-01	19378
774	California	2016-07-01	190218
775	Colorado	2016-07-01	43094
776	Connecticut	2016-07-01	29755
777	Delaware	2016-07-01	4494
779	Florida	2016-07-01	125208
780	Georgia	2016-07-01	49183
782	Hawaii	2016-07-01	1565
783	Idaho	2016-07-01	12154
784	Illinois	2016-07-01	168227
785	Indiana	2016-07-01	88340
786	Iowa	2016-07-01	11937
787	Kansas	2016-07-01	14140
788	Kentucky	2016-07-01	363085
789	Louisiana	2016-07-01	41063
790	Maine	2016-07-01	7702
792	Maryland	2016-07-01	12228
793	Massachusetts	2016-07-01	20480
794	Michigan	2016-07-01	40142
795	Minnesota	2016-07-01	43368
796	Mississippi	2016-07-01	21907
797	Missouri	2016-07-01	46637
798	Montana	2016-07-01	9869
799	Nebraska	2016-07-01	5429
800	Nevada	2016-07-01	11785
801	New Hampshire	2016-07-01	13068
802	New Jersey	2016-07-01	10074
803	New Mexico	2016-07-01	12219
804	New York	2016-07-01	29513
805	North Carolina	2016-07-01	44123
806	North Dakota	2016-07-01	5470
807	Ohio	2016-07-01	63148

	state	month	totals
808	Oklahoma	2016-07-01	25946
809	Oregon	2016-07-01	24813
810	Pennsylvania	2016-07-01	86137
812	Rhode Island	2016-07-01	2368
813	South Carolina	2016-07-01	32730
814	South Dakota	2016-07-01	7406
815	Tennessee	2016-07-01	57653
816	Texas	2016-07-01	127207
817	Utah	2016-07-01	17608
818	Vermont	2016-07-01	2674
820	Virginia	2016-07-01	43574
821	Washington	2016-07-01	47887
822	West Virginia	2016-07-01	16791
823	Wisconsin	2016-07-01	38922
824	Wyoming	2016-07-01	4585

```
In [460]: #Drop the indexes from the between and get new indexes
df_q2.reset_index(drop = True ,inplace = True)

df_q2
```

## Out[460]:

	state	month	totals
0	Alabama	2016-07-01	48927
1	Alaska	2016-07-01	6793
2	Arizona	2016-07-01	34496
3	Arkansas	2016-07-01	19378
4	California	2016-07-01	190218
5	Colorado	2016-07-01	43094
6	Connecticut	2016-07-01	29755
7	Delaware	2016-07-01	4494
8	Florida	2016-07-01	125208
9	Georgia	2016-07-01	49183
10	Hawaii	2016-07-01	1565
11	Idaho	2016-07-01	12154
12	Illinois	2016-07-01	168227
13	Indiana	2016-07-01	88340
14	Iowa	2016-07-01	11937
15	Kansas	2016-07-01	14140
16	Kentucky	2016-07-01	363085
17	Louisiana	2016-07-01	41063
18	Maine	2016-07-01	7702
19	Maryland	2016-07-01	12228
20	Massachusetts	2016-07-01	20480
21	Michigan	2016-07-01	40142
22	Minnesota	2016-07-01	43368
23	Mississippi	2016-07-01	21907
24	Missouri	2016-07-01	46637
25	Montana	2016-07-01	9869
26	Nebraska	2016-07-01	5429
27	Nevada	2016-07-01	11785
28	New Hampshire	2016-07-01	13068
29	New Jersey	2016-07-01	10074
30	New Mexico	2016-07-01	12219
31	New York	2016-07-01	29513
32	North Carolina	2016-07-01	44123
33	North Dakota	2016-07-01	5470
34	Ohio	2016-07-01	63148

	state	month	totals
35	Oklahoma	2016-07-01	25946
36	Oregon	2016-07-01	24813
37	Pennsylvania	2016-07-01	86137
38	Rhode Island	2016-07-01	2368
39	South Carolina	2016-07-01	32730
40	South Dakota	2016-07-01	7406
41	Tennessee	2016-07-01	57653
42	Texas	2016-07-01	127207
43	Utah	2016-07-01	17608
44	Vermont	2016-07-01	2674
45	Virginia	2016-07-01	43574
46	Washington	2016-07-01	47887
47	West Virginia	2016-07-01	16791
48	Wisconsin	2016-07-01	38922
49	Wyoming	2016-07-01	4585

#### Out[473]:

	state	month	totals	population_july2016
0	Alabama	2016-07-01	48927	4863300
1	Alaska	2016-07-01	6793	741894
2	Arizona	2016-07-01	34496	6931071
3	Arkansas	2016-07-01	19378	2988248
4	California	2016-07-01	190218	39250017

## Out[466]:

	state	month	totals
0	Alabama	2010-04-01	20791
1	Alaska	2010-04-01	6411
2	Arizona	2010-04-01	16578
3	Arkansas	2010-04-01	14563
4	California	2010-04-01	80750
5	Colorado	2010-04-01	23609
6	Connecticut	2010-04-01	15922
7	Delaware	2010-04-01	1439
8	Florida	2010-04-01	42794
9	Georgia	2010-04-01	24065
10	Hawaii	2010-04-01	963
11	Idaho	2010-04-01	7814
12	Illinois	2010-04-01	53929
13	Indiana	2010-04-01	25232
14	Iowa	2010-04-01	9720
15	Kansas	2010-04-01	9529
16	Kentucky	2010-04-01	211261
17	Louisiana	2010-04-01	13373
18	Maine	2010-04-01	5073
19	Maryland	2010-04-01	6992
20	Massachusetts	2010-04-01	8748
21	Michigan	2010-04-01	29383
22	Minnesota	2010-04-01	26351
23	Mississippi	2010-04-01	9702
24	Missouri	2010-04-01	26289
25	Montana	2010-04-01	8367
26	Nebraska	2010-04-01	4141
27	Nevada	2010-04-01	9294
28	New Hampshire	2010-04-01	6911
29	New Jersey	2010-04-01	4215
30	New Mexico	2010-04-01	8599
31	New York	2010-04-01	19906
32	North Carolina	2010-04-01	23378
33	North Dakota	2010-04-01	3726
34	Ohio	2010-04-01	31312

	state	month	totals
35	Oklahoma	2010-04-01	17750
36	Oregon	2010-04-01	16031
37	Pennsylvania	2010-04-01	50249
38	Rhode Island	2010-04-01	1199
39	South Carolina	2010-04-01	14441
40	South Dakota	2010-04-01	4561
41	Tennessee	2010-04-01	30453
42	Texas	2010-04-01	65012
43	Utah	2010-04-01	109391
44	Vermont	2010-04-01	2053
45	Virginia	2010-04-01	44137
46	Washington	2010-04-01	27816
47	West Virginia	2010-04-01	11180
48	Wisconsin	2010-04-01	16471
49	Wyoming	2010-04-01	4013

#### Out[472]:

	state	month	totals	population_april2010
0	Alabama	2010-04-01	20791	4780131
1	Alaska	2010-04-01	6411	710249
2	Arizona	2010-04-01	16578	6392301
3	Arkansas	2010-04-01	14563	2916025
4	California	2010-04-01	80750	37254522

## Out[477]:

	state	month	totals	population_july2016	totals_2010	population_april2010
0	Alabama	2016-07-01	48927	4863300	20791	4780131
1	Alaska	2016-07-01	6793	741894	6411	710249
2	Arizona	2016-07-01	34496	6931071	16578	6392301
3	Arkansas	2016-07-01	19378	2988248	14563	2916025
4	California	2016-07-01	190218	39250017	80750	37254522
5	Colorado	2016-07-01	43094	5540545	23609	5029324
6	Connecticut	2016-07-01	29755	3576452	15922	3574114
7	Delaware	2016-07-01	4494	952065	1439	897936
8	Florida	2016-07-01	125208	20612439	42794	18804592
9	Georgia	2016-07-01	49183	10310371	24065	9688680
10	Hawaii	2016-07-01	1565	1428557	963	1360301
11	Idaho	2016-07-01	12154	1683140	7814	1567650
12	Illinois	2016-07-01	168227	12801539	53929	12831574
13	Indiana	2016-07-01	88340	6633053	25232	6484136
14	Iowa	2016-07-01	11937	3134693	9720	3046869
15	Kansas	2016-07-01	14140	2907289	9529	2853129
16	Kentucky	2016-07-01	363085	4436974	211261	4339344
17	Louisiana	2016-07-01	41063	4681666	13373	4533479
18	Maine	2016-07-01	7702	1331479	5073	1328364
19	Maryland	2016-07-01	12228	6016447	6992	5773786
20	Massachusetts	2016-07-01	20480	6811779	8748	6547813
21	Michigan	2016-07-01	40142	9928300	29383	9884129
22	Minnesota	2016-07-01	43368	5519952	26351	5303924
23	Mississippi	2016-07-01	21907	2988726	9702	2968103
24	Missouri	2016-07-01	46637	6093000	26289	5988928
25	Montana	2016-07-01	9869	1042520	8367	989414
26	Nebraska	2016-07-01	5429	1907116	4141	1826334
27	Nevada	2016-07-01	11785	2940058	9294	2700691
28	New Hampshire	2016-07-01	13068	1334795	6911	1316461
29	New Jersey	2016-07-01	10074	8944469	4215	8791953
30	New Mexico	2016-07-01	12219	2081015	8599	2059198
31	New York	2016-07-01	29513	19745289	19906	19378110
32	North Carolina	2016-07-01	44123	10146788	23378	9535688
33	North Dakota	2016-07-01	5470	757952	3726	672591
34	Ohio	2016-07-01	63148	11614373	31312	11536727

	state	month	totals	population_july2016	totals_2010	population_april2010
35	Oklahoma	2016-07-01	25946	3923561	17750	3751615
36	Oregon	2016-07-01	24813	4093465	16031	3831072
37	Pennsylvania	2016-07-01	86137	12784227	50249	12702857
38	Rhode Island	2016-07-01	2368	1056426	1199	1052940
39	South Carolina	2016-07-01	32730	4961119	14441	4625410
40	South Dakota	2016-07-01	7406	865454	4561	814195
41	Tennessee	2016-07-01	57653	6651194	30453	6346298
42	Texas	2016-07-01	127207	27862596	65012	25146100
43	Utah	2016-07-01	17608	3051217	109391	2763888
44	Vermont	2016-07-01	2674	624594	2053	625741
45	Virginia	2016-07-01	43574	8411808	44137	8001041
46	Washington	2016-07-01	47887	7288000	27816	6724545
47	West Virginia	2016-07-01	16791	1831102	11180	1853011
48	Wisconsin	2016-07-01	38922	5778708	16471	5687289
49	Wyoming	2016-07-01	4585	585501	4013	563767

The per capita firearms for April 2010 is: 0.003978133320178106 The per capita firearms for July 2016 is: 0.006777933902633841

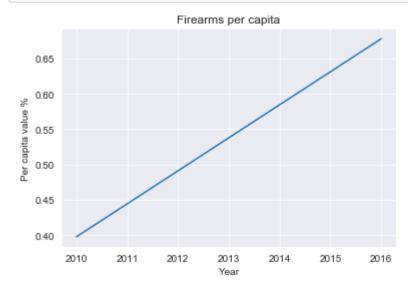
```
In [502]: #To make it easier to perform calculations and analysis, we'll multiply both t
he variables by 100
capita_2010 = capita_2010*100
capita_2016 = capita_2016*100

print('New capita_2010:',capita_2010)
print('New capita_2016:',capita_2016)
```

New capita\_2010: 0.3978133320178106 New capita\_2016: 0.677793390263384

```
In [504]: #now we plot the graph to note the changes

years = [2010,2016]
per_capita = [capita_2010,capita_2016]
plt.plot(years,per_capita);
plt.title('Firearms per capita');
plt.xlabel('Year');
plt.ylabel('Per capita value %');
```



#### Insights:

The graph shows us the increase in per capita ownership of firearms. The per-capita value (percentage value) in April 2010 is 0.38 and it goes on to 0.678 in July 2016.

# **Conclusions**

A few conclusions could be made using the questions asked to the database:

- 1. After comparing the gun data between the years 2005 and 2010, there has been a significant increase in firearm purchases. We compared the data between April 2005 and April 2010, coming to a conclusion that the state of Kentucky has the highest increase with a number of 194,300 firearms in the 5-year span.
- 2. The second graph helps us in understanding the increase in per capita ownership of firearms. The percapita value (percentage value) in April 2010 is 0.38 and it goes on to 0.678 in July 2016.

#### Number of things to be considered for the question 2 visual:

- 1. This chart is a nation-wide chart and does give us a birds-eye view.
- 2. At state level this graph's slope will vary and hence the insights cannot be generalized.
- 3. Also, we are using 2 point of time (i.e. April 2010 and July 2016), whereas we have no information about how this per capita relationship will vary over the 6 years between 2010 and 2016. Again, this insight cannot be generalized.

```
In [1]: from subprocess import call
    call(['python', '-m', 'nbconvert', 'Investigate_a_Dataset.ipynb'])
Out[1]: 0
In [ ]:
```