

# NICS Firearm Background Checks: Month and Year by State and Type

Each column represents the type of transaction submitted to the National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICS). In addition, each type of transaction is broken down by the type of firearm—handgun, long gun, and other. The types of firearms are defined by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives as follows:

- Handgun—(a) any firearm which has a short stock and is designed to be held and fired by the use of a single hand; and (b) any combination of parts from which a firearm described in paragraph (a) can be assembled.
- Long Gun—a weapon designed or redesigned, made or remade, and intended to be fired from the shoulder, and designed or redesigned and made or remade to use the energy of the explosive in (a) a fixed metallic cartridge to fire a single projectile through a rifled bore for each single pull of the trigger; or (b) a fixed shotgun shell to fire through a smooth bore either a number of ball shot or a single projectile for each single pull of the trigger.
- Other—refers to frames, receivers, and other firearms that are neither handguns nor long guns (rifles or shotguns), such as firearms having a pistol grip that expel a shotgun shell, or National Firearms Act firearms, including silencers.

The transaction types indicated in yellow on the chart are for background checks initiated by an officially-licensed Federal Firearms Licensee (FFL) or criminal justice/law enforcement agency prior to the issuance of a firearm-related permit or transfer. The indication of “multiple” denotes a background check where more than one type of firearm is associated to a single background check and “admin” denotes the administrative checks that are for other authorized uses of the NICS.

Other types of transactions are explained below:

- Pre-Pawn—background checks requested by an officially-licensed FFL on prospective firearm transferees seeking to pledge or pawn a firearm as security for the payment or repayment of money, prior to actually pledging or pawning the firearm.
- Redemption—background checks requested by an officially-licensed FFL on prospective firearm transferees attempting to regain possession of a firearm after pledging or pawning a firearm as security at a pawn shop.
- Returned/Disposition—background checks requested by criminal justice/law enforcement agencies prior to returning a firearm in its possession to the respective transferee, to ensure the individual is not prohibited.
- Rentals—background checks requested by an officially-licensed FFL on prospective firearm transferees attempting to possess a firearm when the firearm is loaned or rented for use off the premises of the business.
- Private Sale—background checks requested by an officially-licensed FFL on prospective firearm transferees attempting to possess a firearm from a private party seller who is not an officially-licensed FFL.
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	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	
Alabama	11,422	205	15,025	9,575	1,062	855	0	5	3	0	2,013	719	15	41	2	0	0	0	5	1	0	1	1	0	40,950
Alaska	100	161	2,820	1,972	240	198	0	0	0	0	137	66	1	32	13	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	5,746
Arizona	23,408	452	16,326	8,111	1,525	941	0	3	0	0	1,065	330	16	201	27	1	0	0	7	9	0	0	0	0	52,422
Arkansas	2,121	191	5,923	5,588	408	359	9	8	6	0	1,009	614	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	0	16,250
California	30,492	11,273	49,817	25,847	4,565	0	0	2	0	1	697	410	22	1,651	835	74	0	0	8,329	4,007	600	32	22	0	138,676
Colorado	7,383	16	13,923	9,027	1,352	1,349	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	307	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33,399
Connecticut	11,065	513	4,626	1,735	195	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	35	2	0	0	0	18,215
Delaware	989	0	1,715	833	85	62	0	0	0	0	15	8	0	46	0	0	0	0	31	3	0	0	0	0	3,787
District of Columbia	759	0	306	12	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,098
Florida	8,889	0	51,020	18,750	4,752	2,870	2	36	11	1	3,523	799	10	1,549	108	5	0	0	216	128	43	58	46	1	92,817
Georgia	11,489	0	15,360	6,784	921	678	0	10	4	0	2,086	716	15	69	4	0	0	0	13	7	5	0	0	0	38,161
Guam	0	0	154	74	12	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	251
Hawaii	1,226	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,228
Idaho	5,988	272	5,034	4,718	519	278	0	3	1	0	253	221	3	71	10	1	0	0	9	6	0	0	0	0	17,387
Illinois	11,848	138,908	20,171	8,120	705	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	179,756
Indiana	358	25,276	16,055	9,069	1,415	831	1	3	0	0	744	245	25	47	2	0	0	0	30	10	4	0	0	0	54,115
Iowa	1,953	3,676	2,325	2,142	174	93	1	0	0	0	36	22	1	80	19	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10,526
Kansas	1,140	2	4,975	3,875	418	328	0	1	2	0	371	202	7	80	19	0	0	0	2	7	1	0	0	0	11,430
Kentucky	607	286,137	8,319	5,786	454	502	4	3	2	0	1,288	621	2	27	6	0	0	0	17	15	0	0	0	0	303,790
Louisiana	730	0	9,667	5,190	668	511	0	4	1	0	789	364	8	1	0	0	0	0	10	7	3	0	1	0	17,954
Maine	355	8	2,917	2,799	286	185	1	0	0	0	40	35	0	22	9	5	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	6,665
Mariana Islands	0	0	12	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Maryland	6,446	43	7,186	4,269	118	3	0	1	2	0	101	76	8	77	18	4	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	18,361
Massachusetts	9,532	0	4,500	2,230	1,633	284	16	0	0	0	8	16	1	1	0	1	0	0	40	26	6	1	0	0	18,295
Michigan	19,689	5,597	13,410	11,207	1,336	579	83	0	2	0	18	181	5	426	28	65	0	0	21	11	1	0	2	0	52,661
Minnesota	8,310	33,668	8,023	7,434	707	431	0	1	0	0	155	160	6	84	19	1	0	0	24	13	2	2	1	0	59,041
Mississippi	1,711	0	6,934	3,789	420	310	0	5	0	0	1,206	559	1	14	0	0	0	0	7	3	1	0	1	0	14,961
Missouri	1,544	241	15,169	10,934	1,478	1,031	0	6	7	0	1,137	512	8	311	37	3	0	0	31	15	4	0	0	0	32,468
Montana	1,091	3	4,135	4,062	324	326	5	3	1	0	352	330	2	45	11	1	0	0	2	4	1	0	0	0	10,698
Nebraska	3,076	216	163	1,084	13	5	0	0	0	0	0	26	0	38	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,625
Nevada	3,070	0	4,379	1,984	364	274	0	0	0	0	238	56	1	0	0	0	0	0	382	143	21	0	0	0	10,912
New Hampshire	1,334	3	5,798	2,524	446	0	26	0	4	0	0	2	0	98	9	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	10,248
New Jersey	0	0	8,103	3,276	653	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	103	53	4	1	0	0	12,193
New Mexico	564	0	4,377	2,671	421	286	1	2	0	0	245	211	0	31	1	0	0	0	45	18	2	0	0	0	8,875
New York	2,661	1,984	9,310	7,783	649	356	0	0	0	0	43	53	7	51	69	2	8	1	351	255	37	7	8	0	23,635
North Carolina	12,134	251	20,100	8,658	1,105	833	0	16	2	2	2,242	837	10	706	112	1	1	0	43	22	2	1	0	0	47,078
North Dakota	274	3	1,602	2,136	121	122	0	0	0	0	55	39	1	8	1	0	0	0	5	2	1	0	0	0	4,370
Ohio	5,658	1,171	19,129	11,644	1,256	1,011	0	2	0	2	1,347	415	11	379	51	9	0	0	11	6	1	0	0	0	42,103
Oklahoma	2,487	28	9,820	6,287	983	724	0	9	5	1	1,499	712	9	89	7	0	0	0	11	16	1	0	0	1	22,689
Oregon	4,835	233	15,835	12,552	1,817	11	13	0	0	0	2	3	0	160	36	1	0	0	458	368	33	0	0	0	36,357
Pennsylvania	23,814	0	33,700	17,099	37	0	183	0	0	0	0	0	0	674	83	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75,594
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,237	353	49	67	0	0	0	0	39	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	756	78	6	6	1	0	4,600
Rhode Island	0	0	885	473	65	110	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	3	2	1	0	0	9	7	0	0	4	0	1,564
South Carolina	5,956	339	10,565	4,752	796	417	7	1	2	1	723	291	1	200	7	2	0	0	7	4	0	2	1	0	24,074
South Dakota	686	4	1,483	2,006	120	86	2	0	0	0	76	66	0	21	1	0	0	0	5	8	2	0	0	0	4,566
Tennessee	3,926	10,103	21,799	11,294	1,266	0	0	42	12	0	866	280	0	117	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,713
Texas	35,525	0	52,678	25,072	3,797	2,619	0	13	6	0	6,415	2,157	71	191	15	0	0	0	25	17	3	0	1	0	128,605
Utah	11,686	54,653	4,317	3,761	707	0	0	3	3	1	193	168	0	221	26	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75,768
Vermont	0	0	1,138	1,092	97	82	0	2	2	0	8	11	0	22	13	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2,470
Virgin Islands	113	14	22	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	164
Virginia	229	176	19,869	11,551	3,106	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	471	59	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35,464
Washington	10,771	403	10,723	5,530	499	29	18	0	0	0	489	258	3	611	88	13	0	0	560	292	34	26	18	0	30,365
West Virginia	1,840	123	4,009	4,030	248	272	4	0	1	0	621	432	1	34	0	1	0	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	11,628
Wisconsin	10,583	758	12,501	9,237	793	37																			

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Alabama	11,993	300	15,654	9,878	1,125	836	0	5	3	1	2,255	800	12	56	1	0	0	0	4	3	2	0	2	0	42,930
Alaska	166	179	3,037	2,249	279	242	0	0	1	3	125	84	1	54	16	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	6,438
Arizona	10,575	942	16,904	7,885	1,568	963	6	2	1	0	1,111	395	8	232	28	0	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	40,629
Arkansas	2,340	224	5,836	4,667	418	344	11	8	4	0	1,047	628	3	0	0	0	0	0	9	5	5	0	0	0	15,549
California	31,640	11,912	39,186	21,745	3,925	0	0	0	1	0	878	463	35	1,659	834	119	0	0	8,118	3,780	576	33	24	0	124,928
Colorado	8,061	7	15,383	11,008	2,284	1,711	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	329	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38,821
Connecticut	11,401	546	5,041	1,915	241	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	40	2	0	0	0	19,239
Delaware	1,193	0	1,961	895	108	87	0	0	0	0	26	4	0	78	1	0	0	0	26	7	1	0	0	0	4,387
District of Columbia	1,113	0	287	13	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,441
Florida	10,247	0	52,696	19,165	4,731	2,996	2	30	18	4	3,697	784	7	1,696	129	3	0	0	225	147	44	73	40	2	96,736
Georgia	12,208	0	15,689	7,084	849	744	3	3	3	0	2,122	717	12	93	8	0	0	0	20	10	2	0	0	0	39,567
Guam	0	0	121	73	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	208
Hawaii	1,356	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,357
Idaho	9,004	257	5,492	4,839	596	308	0	2	3	0	292	227	2	77	15	1	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	21,125
Illinois	11,844	133,238	20,760	7,617	734	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	174,194
Indiana	411	24,544	16,728	9,308	1,500	927	0	2	6	1	802	270	20	70	6	0	0	0	23	13	3	1	1	0	54,636
Iowa	2,522	4,459	2,417	2,077	185	83	2	0	0	0	49	13	3	110	20	1	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	11,946
Kansas	1,301	4	5,432	3,775	512	355	0	0	1	0	469	163	3	68	5	2	0	0	3	6	0	0	1	1	12,101
Kentucky	640	284,248	8,583	6,136	517	532	7	3	4	1	1,488	716	4	53	2	0	0	0	6	8	0	0	0	0	302,948
Louisiana	842	0	9,212	4,975	606	485	0	1	3	0	842	435	7	0	0	0	0	0	12	11	6	0	0	0	17,437
Maine	608	10	3,316	2,776	346	225	1	0	0	0	60	33	0	21	11	2	0	0	3	1	2	0	0	0	7,415
Mariana Islands	0	0	13	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18
Maryland	7,481	39	7,938	4,754	155	8	0	0	1	0	121	78	4	102	14	2	0	0	0	16	0	0	2	0	20,715
Massachusetts	11,938	1	4,544	2,294	1,566	290	10	0	0	0	9	10	2	2	0	0	0	0	55	44	9	0	1	0	20,775
Michigan	22,137	6,268	14,503	11,450	1,387	647	124	1	0	0	25	195	5	736	47	76	0	0	30	5	1	3	7	0	57,647
Minnesota	11,998	38,157	9,146	8,739	769	576	0	0	1	0	172	164	2	124	27	1	0	0	19	20	0	0	0	0	69,915
Mississippi	1,916	0	6,925	3,998	379	328	0	6	0	1	1,396	591	3	18	1	0	0	0	9	3	1	0	1	0	15,576
Missouri	1,623	245	16,016	11,287	1,633	1,051	0	4	2	0	1,181	538	8	450	33	2	0	0	28	19	2	2	2	0	34,126
Montana	1,288	13	4,175	4,342	360	348	6	2	0	0	388	387	1	58	11	4	0	0	3	5	0	0	1	0	11,392
Nebraska	3,409	127	162	1,173	12	9	0	0	0	0	1	16	0	47	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,961
Nevada	3,276	0	4,721	2,226	331	283	0	0	0	0	243	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	492	166	15	0	0	0	11,817
New Hampshire	1,302	4	6,250	2,556	530	0	19	2	4	0	0	3	0	99	9	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,787
New Jersey	0	0	7,816	2,901	660	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75	49	5	1	0	1	11,508
New Mexico	1,034	3	5,763	3,485	595	355	0	1	1	1	359	273	0	33	0	0	0	0	69	37	0	0	2	0	12,011
New York	3,060	2,053	10,487	8,438	734	354	0	0	0	0	57	64	5	71	108	2	8	1	385	300	25	9	16	0	26,177
North Carolina	14,481	309	20,656	8,937	1,238	891	0	7	3	0	2,351	877	11	816	116	0	1	1	31	6	2	1	1	0	50,736
North Dakota	417	6	1,668	2,030	132	92	0	1	1	0	79	69	0	16	2	0	0	0	12	42	1	0	0	0	4,568
Ohio	6,839	872	19,606	11,420	1,377	1,074	0	1	3	1	1,424	432	8	262	78	23	0	0	8	7	0	1	1	0	43,437
Oklahoma	2,318	158	10,376	6,675	1,233	773	2	5	2	0	1,654	848	7	88	4	0	0	0	8	18	3	1	2	0	24,175
Oregon	4,754	318	17,195	13,301	2,084	10	3	0	0	0	6	0	2	198	45	0	0	0	523	387	42	0	0	0	38,868
Pennsylvania	27,234	0	35,688	17,566	58	0	222	0	0	0	0	0	0	817	118	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81,703
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,597	356	44	63	0	0	0	0	36	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	793	57	3	4	0	0	4,960
Rhode Island	0	0	1,007	543	71	116	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	1	8	0	0	14	3	2	1	0	0	1,771
South Carolina	6,366	291	10,920	4,721	780	469	1	2	6	0	838	286	11	223	10	1	0	0	10	5	1	0	1	0	24,942
South Dakota	861	2	1,562	2,060	152	125	0	0	0	0	90	74	1	24	5	1	0	0	5	11	0	0	0	0	4,973
Tennessee	3,825	6,337	22,845	11,877	1,390	0	0	28	10	0	918	326	0	127	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47,686
Texas	29,332	0	52,063	25,551	3,657	2,632	1	20	10	3	6,512	2,236	71	187	9	0	0	0	42	30	5	2	0	0	122,363
Utah	14,656	56,212	4,852	4,041	885	0	0	4	4	2	194	192	1	210	35	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81,328
Vermont	0	0	1,068	1,155	89	104	0	2	2	0	2	9	1	17	4	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2,456
Virgin Islands	135	17	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	166
Virginia	302	109	21,095	12,216	3,324	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	541	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37,645
Washington	13,253	424	11,401	5,869	503	24	17	0	0	0	504	270	4	621	92	42	0	0	608	330	48	18	17	0	34,045
West Virginia	2,335	135	4,278	4,048	225	310	3	4	0	0	784	492	1	33	2	0	0	0	8	5	0	0	0	0	12,663
Wisconsin	10,128	687	12,941	9,932	800	56	0	0	0	0	194	163	8	162	32	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	35,110
Wyoming	540	28	2,128	2,145	161	118	12	0	0	0	125	111	2	40	7	0	0	0	11	23	1	0	1	0	5,453
Grand Total	337,703	573,685	597,149	340,171	47,851	21,953	456	146	98	19	34,928	14,508	275	10,723	1,991	359	9	2	11,758	5,634	809	151	123	4	2,000,505

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Alabama	12,593	254	16,113	10,377	1,180	911	0	8	3	1	1,952	841	15	53	0	0	0	0	16	6	0	1	0	0	44,324
Alaska	86	146	2,803	2,497	323	199	0	1	2	0	133	68	0	40	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6,310
Arizona	5,829	883	17,904	8,996	1,687	1,013	0	5	0	0	1,152	388	3	240	32	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	38,139
Arkansas	2,406	182	6,485	5,034	483	439	3	1	3	0	969	697	4	2	0	0	0	0	4	4	2	0	0	0	16,718
California	28,206	11,349	40,019	20,005	3,707	0	0	0	0	0	706	435	22	1,544	761	39	0	0	7,604	3,561	585	37	8	0	118,588
Colorado	9,086	13	18,839	15,085	3,707	2,456	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	266	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,496
Connecticut	12,653	530	5,581	2,138	317	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	51	2	0	0	0	21,323
Delaware	1,246	0	2,170	1,004	133	106	1	0	0	0	15	5	0	78	0	0	0	0	42	9	0	1	0	0	4,810
District of Columbia	778	0	212	10	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,051
Florida	10,053	0	57,793	21,924	5,570	3,116	3	9	1	0	3,383	807	11	1,729	135	4	0	0	273	156	48	52	37	0	105,104
Georgia	12,828	0	16,407	8,026	958	769	0	9	2	0	1,978	644	22	81	5	0	0	0	21	6	1	0	0	0	41,757
Guam	0	0	172	73	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	259
Hawaii	1,431	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,432
Idaho	11,264	283	5,520	5,021	578	342	0	1	1	0	277	241	2	92	14	3	0	0	12	2	0	0	0	0	23,653
Illinois	14,380	170,668	25,162	9,225	981	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	220,416
Indiana	473	24,286	18,493	11,373	1,636	1,039	2	2	5	0	716	313	29	89	9	0	0	0	21	16	5	2	2	0	58,511
Iowa	3,520	5,898	2,865	2,864	183	122	2	0	0	0	35	21	1	72	27	1	0	0	3	5	2	0	0	0	15,621
Kansas	1,358	4	5,670	4,640	601	401	0	0	2	0	423	181	7	101	9	3	0	0	10	2	2	0	2	0	13,416
Kentucky	716	290,217	8,865	7,495	555	549	5	5	4	1	1,299	718	3	40	6	1	0	0	16	15	2	0	0	0	310,512
Louisiana	964	0	10,198	5,622	730	525	0	2	1	0	854	386	11	2	0	0	0	0	6	2	1	0	0	0	19,304
Maine	537	3	3,789	3,490	350	306	5	0	0	0	52	43	0	18	6	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	8,604
Mariana Islands	0	0	14	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Maryland	8,694	58	8,852	5,505	141	3	0	0	0	1	89	86	2	92	27	0	0	0	0	15	1	0	0	0	23,566
Massachusetts	10,703	1	5,219	2,720	1,862	341	6	1	0	1	8	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	68	38	11	1	0	0	20,994
Michigan	27,080	7,016	17,290	15,193	1,813	768	183	0	0	1	18	188	3	1,079	66	73	0	0	23	22	3	0	1	0	70,820
Minnesota	16,106	44,639	11,882	13,034	1,055	952	0	1	3	0	189	162	5	97	25	14	0	0	25	14	3	0	2	0	88,208
Mississippi	2,070	0	7,557	4,755	416	379	0	4	2	0	1,283	541	2	20	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	0	1	0	17,039
Missouri	1,962	312	16,811	13,740	1,656	1,168	0	11	8	1	1,071	563	9	360	38	9	0	0	22	18	3	2	0	1	37,765
Montana	1,197	1	4,547	4,659	387	431	14	2	2	1	364	385	3	44	8	1	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	12,056
Nebraska	3,546	217	153	1,399	24	5	0	0	0	0	4	25	0	57	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,438
Nevada	2,492	1	5,060	2,290	407	275	0	0	0	0	280	65	1	0	1	0	0	0	419	166	29	0	0	0	11,486
New Hampshire	1,246	3	7,279	3,055	645	1	27	0	0	0	0	2	0	123	9	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	12,396
New Jersey	0	0	9,478	3,838	813	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	78	67	6	2	0	0	14,283
New Mexico	909	0	6,734	4,210	592	428	0	2	4	1	347	273	2	68	0	0	0	0	109	52	3	4	0	0	13,738
New York	3,393	2,170	11,427	10,722	991	420	0	0	0	0	49	48	13	77	115	3	26	0	395	296	40	8	12	1	30,206
North Carolina	17,581	268	22,171	10,063	1,264	887	0	10	4	0	2,034	943	15	815	105	0	4	0	31	13	2	1	0	0	56,211
North Dakota	513	8,581	1,950	2,736	159	115	0	0	1	1	47	66	0	6	1	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	14,183
Ohio	7,644	1,313	22,461	14,291	1,782	1,305	0	5	2	4	1,317	480	10	254	121	13	0	0	9	12	4	0	1	0	51,028
Oklahoma	2,212	16	11,547	8,021	1,504	915	0	8	1	0	1,522	879	13	92	7	0	0	0	9	13	2	3	1	0	26,765
Oregon	5,426	287	18,615	14,618	2,237	14	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	192	31	3	0	0	566	453	41	0	0	0	42,485
Pennsylvania	30,589	2	40,257	20,784	74	0	238	0	0	0	0	0	0	852	115	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92,911
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,034	351	73	58	0	1	0	0	34	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	942	103	5	9	2	0	5,623
Rhode Island	0	0	1,168	636	91	156	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	23	20	4	0	0	20	6	0	0	0	0	2,125
South Carolina	9,018	507	11,776	4,917	833	414	0	0	1	0	746	287	9	277	15	2	0	0	7	4	2	0	0	0	28,815
South Dakota	1,009	2	1,871	2,553	170	110	0	0	0	0	73	77	1	25	5	7	0	0	5	17	5	1	0	0	5,931
Tennessee	4,739	11,730	23,929	14,218	1,479	0	0	25	7	0	834	313	0	84	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57,365
Texas	33,708	0	56,121	27,759	4,215	2,700	1	20	11	4	6,581	2,451	83	216	18	0	0	0	34	23	3	1	1	0	133,950
Utah	13,763	74,152	4,961	4,107	909	1	0	4	6	1	206	165	0	189	25	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98,527
Vermont	0	0	1,265	1,708	113	124	0	1	2	0	13	17	1	18	7	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3,272
Virgin Islands	153	20	49	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	1	0	0	0	0	238
Virginia	445	115	22,264	13,975	3,577	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	602	62	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,041
Washington	14,529	432	11,705	5,779	446	22	28	2	0	0	512	265	5	836	112	17	0	0	610	360	42	19	20	0	35,741
West Virginia	2,618	214	4,676	5,284	300	356	0	3	1	2	629	506	1	40	2	7	0	0	7	8	2	0	1	0	14,657
Wisconsin	12,301	774	16,545	14,648	1,064	61	0	0	0	2	182	151	18	160	36	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	45,947
Wyoming	696	22	2,486	2,323	217	154	12	0	0	0	138	122	4	69	5	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	6,251
Grand Total	366,749	657,569	657,214	398,803	55,001	24,862	532	143	79	22	32,515	14,869	332	11,219	2,049	300	30	0	11,491	5,560	857	144	92	2	2,240,434

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Alabama	14,565	249	20,577	14,107	1,414	1,153	0	4	4	1	2,331	1,008	17	42	0	0	0	0	47	12	2	0	3	0	55,536
Alaska	61	175	3,142	2,704	374	237	0	1	0	0	144	72	1	29	13	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	6,955
Arizona	5,705	946	21,393	10,751	1,980	1,166	0	4	3	2	1,475	517	15	252	22	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	1	0	44,239
Arkansas	2,522	184	8,351	6,354	604	556	9	4	4	0	1,161	873	2	2	0	0	0	0	11	9	1	0	0	0	20,647
California	30,203	13,943	44,452	20,843	3,754	0	0	0	5	2	740	441	20	2,106	1,247	73	0	0	8,305	3,769	591	24	21	0	130,539
Colorado	8,954	10	20,635	15,345	2,930	2,856	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	230	42	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51,004
Connecticut	11,689	562	6,328	2,507	363	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	56	7	0	0	0	21,584
Delaware	966	0	3,104	1,189	164	132	0	0	0	0	23	17	0	51	0	0	0	0	52	11	0	0	1	0	5,710
District of Columbia	850	0	274	12	1	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,196
Florida	11,706	0	62,233	25,007	5,785	3,527	0	7	1	2	4,079	949	7	1,595	120	3	0	0	248	172	68	52	42	0	115,603
Georgia	13,430	0	20,993	10,826	1,151	989	0	11	9	0	2,218	900	15	140	4	0	0	0	9	4	0	1	0	0	50,700
Guam	0	0	170	74	10	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	262
Hawaii	1,001	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,002
Idaho	8,991	246	6,004	5,292	653	382	0	2	3	0	311	278	2	73	7	2	0	0	5	9	0	0	0	0	22,260
Illinois	17,632	197,488	30,898	12,061	1,290	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	259,369
Indiana	445	25,781	24,548	14,227	2,066	1,221	0	0	2	0	854	403	26	84	8	0	0	0	33	21	2	5	0	0	69,726
Iowa	4,649	9,184	3,891	3,729	256	142	1	0	0	0	45	34	4	92	19	3	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	22,057
Kansas	1,424	4	7,048	5,644	684	509	0	0	1	0	485	228	3	110	14	0	0	0	7	8	0	0	0	0	16,169
Kentucky	812	292,768	12,159	9,861	795	845	8	4	0	0	1,590	867	5	41	7	0	0	0	20	29	2	1	0	0	319,814
Louisiana	1,256	1	13,915	6,857	867	708	0	3	1	1	977	494	13	2	0	0	0	0	6	9	3	0	0	0	25,113
Maine	563	1	4,490	3,825	399	263	3	1	0	0	48	58	0	24	7	3	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	9,689
Mariana Islands	0	0	12	8	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24
Maryland	9,914	76	8,711	6,472	162	4	0	1	0	0	162	94	1	54	14	5	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	1	25,683
Massachusetts	12,087	2	6,816	3,470	2,394	406	10	1	0	0	9	21	0	1	0	0	0	0	65	54	7	0	1	0	25,344
Michigan	28,617	8,105	20,559	18,654	2,095	894	199	0	2	1	35	269	10	975	61	169	0	0	23	17	1	2	2	1	80,691
Minnesota	15,926	44,355	13,060	12,912	1,312	748	0	1	2	0	197	194	3	109	25	16	0	0	29	22	3	0	1	0	88,915
Mississippi	2,280	0	9,939	7,037	525	459	0	4	3	0	1,529	727	2	9	3	0	0	0	4	6	0	0	1	0	22,528
Missouri	1,884	279	21,199	16,496	2,047	1,515	0	10	7	1	1,255	647	11	391	26	3	0	0	40	26	6	1	0	0	45,844
Montana	1,273	0	4,636	4,846	384	450	3	0	2	0	378	428	1	45	22	5	0	0	2	7	1	0	0	0	12,483
Nebraska	4,686	192	206	1,785	27	9	0	0	0	0	4	22	0	70	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7,009
Nevada	3,227	0	5,747	2,626	445	397	0	0	0	0	299	76	0	1	0	0	0	0	442	158	25	0	0	0	13,443
New Hampshire	1,546	7	8,807	3,453	778	1	35	1	4	4	0	1	0	118	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14,770
New Jersey	0	0	9,470	4,171	854	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93	57	9	1	1	0	14,656
New Mexico	603	0	7,757	4,573	668	448	3	5	4	0	423	400	2	36	0	0	0	0	91	40	3	0	0	0	15,056
New York	3,057	2,261	11,481	11,595	1,043	393	0	0	0	0	76	59	7	71	86	1	21	3	457	407	32	8	6	1	31,065
North Carolina	16,412	227	28,844	12,787	1,561	1,158	0	7	6	1	2,414	1,004	21	799	120	0	0	0	40	10	0	1	1	0	65,413
North Dakota	353	7	2,455	3,198	176	146	0	0	0	0	67	106	1	8	7	0	0	0	1	7	1	0	0	0	6,533
Ohio	8,682	1,779	29,043	17,882	2,108	1,562	0	5	2	2	1,583	501	15	319	69	14	0	0	8	12	1	0	1	0	63,588
Oklahoma	2,405	45	13,352	9,084	1,505	1,002	1	6	2	0	1,806	973	13	86	4	0	0	0	14	15	3	1	2	0	30,319
Oregon	6,009	281	20,813	16,195	2,503	3	9	0	0	0	6	3	0	190	39	2	0	0	731	603	53	0	0	0	47,440
Pennsylvania	32,351	0	50,658	25,751	39	0	295	0	0	0	0	0	0	801	94	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	109,990
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,869	383	42	39	0	0	1	0	42	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	916	84	11	3	0	0	5,401
Rhode Island	0	0	1,370	762	151	176	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	14	12	5	0	0	19	15	2	0	0	0	2,529
South Carolina	10,070	419	16,949	6,952	1,066	577	0	2	1	1	908	346	6	217	21	9	0	0	11	10	1	0	0	0	37,566
South Dakota	1,060	4	2,369	3,064	166	133	0	0	1	0	94	93	1	18	3	0	0	0	9	33	1	0	0	0	7,049
Tennessee	4,588	8,888	28,486	17,285	1,750	0	0	33	14	0	988	360	0	110	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62,504
Texas	37,731	0	67,683	32,652	4,862	3,397	11	22	12	2	8,177	3,146	93	224	10	0	0	0	34	33	6	0	1	0	158,096
Utah	14,361	54,673	6,189	5,351	945	0	0	3	5	0	240	197	1	276	49	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82,331
Vermont	0	0	1,822	1,875	134	125	3	5	3	1	14	11	3	11	9	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	4,023
Virgin Islands	120	29	38	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	193
Virginia	438	133	27,048	16,834	4,357	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	544	79	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,434
Washington	15,630	508	13,655	6,899	522	21	31	2	0	0	616	377	4	633	93	17	0	0	745	424	55	29	21	2	40,284
West Virginia	3,343	247	6,186	6,376	368	458	0	3	0	0	794	626	3	28	2	4	0	0	4	8	1	0	0	0	18,451
Wisconsin	13,953	753	19,847	16,709	1,167	77	0	0	0	5	181	196	25	131	21	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	53,070
Wyoming	657	17	2,772	2,528	209	166	10	0	0	0	129	121	1	55	3	0	0	0	3	5	2	0	0	0	6,678
Grand Total	390,687	664,829	786,453	471,883	61,907	29,462	638	152	104	26	38,909	18,149	354	11,217	2,400	441	21	3	12,618	6,184	900	129	106	5	2,497,577



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Alabama	12,693	167	16,299	13,515	1,440	960	2	6	4	1	1,975	847	17	50	0	0	0	0	11	9	1	1	1	1	48,000
Alaska	169	38	2,019	1,742	333	182	0	0	0	0	106	58	0	49	15	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4,712
Arizona	5,997	730	18,147	9,829	1,886	1,053	0	6	2	0	1,251	479	12	317	32	1	0	0	9	7	0	2	0	0	39,760
Arkansas	1,597	621	5,986	6,506	595	452	4	6	6	0	935	646	6	1	0	0	0	0	3	7	3	0	1	0	17,375
California	31,808	12,575	41,266	18,039	3,760	0	0	0	2	0	763	515	74	2,129	952	311	0	0	7,534	3,759	609	47	22	1	124,166
Colorado	7,592	9	14,796	9,590	1,661	1,636	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	334	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35,655
Connecticut	10,205	615	5,398	2,167	285	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	48	0	0	0	0	18,784
Delaware	852	0	2,083	1,147	123	93	0	0	0	0	18	13	0	99	0	0	0	0	37	8	0	0	1	0	4,474
District of Columbia	1,141	0	278	11	0	6	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,512
Florida	10,837	0	60,122	26,324	5,881	3,321	1	2	1	0	3,620	852	8	1,524	108	7	0	0	338	192	63	66	46	0	113,313
Georgia	14,974	0	16,624	10,426	1,251	837	0	7	7	0	2,038	741	21	95	8	0	0	0	11	8	3	0	1	0	47,052
Guam	0	0	135	60	12	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	214
Hawaii	1,110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,111
Idaho	7,727	247	4,642	4,214	677	284	0	1	2	0	272	241	3	74	12	9	0	0	7	8	2	1	0	0	18,423
Illinois	202,066	0	23,697	10,299	941	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	237,003
Indiana	362	24,089	19,067	12,421	2,134	1,073	0	2	2	1	791	312	25	80	4	0	0	0	28	27	3	2	1	0	60,424
Iowa	3,705	6,379	2,624	2,550	278	100	5	0	0	0	27	22	1	51	12	2	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	15,762
Kansas	1,322	5	5,558	5,445	740	409	0	4	1	0	406	214	8	89	7	4	0	0	4	11	2	2	1	0	14,232
Kentucky	672	296,281	9,398	7,997	713	592	4	5	4	0	1,309	707	3	41	3	0	0	0	14	6	5	0	0	0	317,754
Louisiana	1,651	0	8,989	7,830	902	528	0	8	3	2	743	423	16	0	0	0	0	0	12	12	3	0	0	0	21,122
Maine	459	18	3,631	3,064	410	240	1	1	0	0	46	37	1	24	12	3	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	7,951
Mariana Islands	0	0	19	6	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
Maryland	10,942	50	8,982	5,789	141	3	0	0	0	2	130	82	3	94	22	9	0	0	0	33	1	0	1	0	26,284
Massachusetts	12,744	0	5,128	2,899	1,835	297	1	0	0	1	9	17	2	3	0	1	0	0	42	27	10	1	1	0	23,018
Michigan	18,138	5,278	19,181	14,623	2,357	886	2	1	1	1	19	183	14	117	14	2	0	0	33	25	2	2	2	0	60,881
Minnesota	12,865	32,695	9,594	8,479	1,085	544	0	0	0	0	191	166	2	126	25	1	0	0	19	11	2	0	0	0	65,805
Mississippi	1,969	0	6,397	6,114	522	354	0	3	1	1	1,301	613	3	9	1	0	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	17,298
Missouri	1,196	334	16,496	14,262	2,140	1,184	0	5	2	2	1,116	545	19	377	30	2	0	0	36	23	5	3	2	0	37,779
Montana	1,174	1	3,180	3,496	389	343	6	2	1	0	344	330	2	57	30	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	9,359
Nebraska	4,222	272	156	1,506	20	9	0	0	0	0	4	20	0	45	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,264
Nevada	2,353	0	4,959	2,463	438	348	0	0	1	0	251	81	1	0	0	0	0	0	394	134	16	1	0	0	11,440
New Hampshire	1,324	1	7,984	3,019	856	0	64	0	2	0	0	1	0	144	6	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	13,409
New Jersey	0	0	8,849	4,744	828	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	98	63	3	1	1	0	14,593
New Mexico	891	0	5,848	3,875	678	370	2	8	1	0	358	262	2	51	1	0	0	0	92	57	1	1	2	1	12,501
New York	3,076	3,069	10,369	9,827	1,174	316	0	0	0	0	65	54	17	71	100	1	21	2	405	325	41	13	19	0	28,965
North Carolina	16,910	489	23,011	12,349	1,650	968	0	11	5	0	2,078	827	20	936	115	2	0	1	33	8	1	0	1	1	59,416
North Dakota	511	7	1,873	2,336	170	119	0	1	0	0	47	70	3	9	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	5,151
Ohio	7,381	989	22,227	13,738	2,142	1,151	0	2	2	0	1,345	396	7	282	84	5	0	0	15	13	4	0	1	0	49,784
Oklahoma	2,376	3	10,888	8,697	1,524	865	0	12	9	0	1,522	824	9	84	5	0	0	0	14	18	5	1	2	0	26,858
Oregon	5,809	204	14,246	10,930	1,906	19	2	0	0	0	6	1	0	199	63	2	0	0	448	392	42	0	0	0	34,269
Pennsylvania	29,816	0	36,000	18,742	20	0	268	0	0	0	0	0	0	850	106	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85,802
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,073	329	42	48	0	6	0	0	41	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	831	67	5	2	0	0	4,448
Rhode Island	0	0	1,102	716	94	175	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	27	23	10	0	0	13	5	0	1	0	0	2,168
South Carolina	8,701	502	9,788	6,531	956	465	1	4	1	1	764	290	8	167	6	12	0	0	8	7	3	0	0	0	28,215
South Dakota	1,025	1	1,744	2,487	190	133	0	1	0	0	79	74	0	5	3	0	0	0	12	18	4	0	0	0	5,776
Tennessee	4,258	7,368	24,181	15,999	1,620	0	0	30	9	0	805	282	0	114	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54,679
Texas	25,128	0	54,251	31,636	5,020	2,858	2	24	11	3	6,669	2,378	83	287	14	0	0	0	48	27	9	1	4	0	128,453
Utah	10,008	53,050	4,769	4,164	812	2	0	1	7	0	222	174	0	265	46	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73,565
Vermont	0	0	1,323	1,288	113	100	0	0	0	0	8	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2,849
Virgin Islands	101	18	43	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	173
Virginia	369	172	23,151	15,242	3,738	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	495	58	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43,226
Washington	16,834	602	12,397	5,784	722	20	20	2	1	0	507	271	11	608	111	11	0	0	581	245	56	10	11	0	38,804
West Virginia	2,224	109	4,376	4,578	343	305	5	1	2	0	611	465	0	14	2	2	0	0	7	5	1	0	0	0	13,050
Wisconsin	15,489	753	13,593	10,720	1,103	54	0	0	0	3	152	130	17	187	30	5	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	42,240
Wyoming	432	22	1,952	1,871	210	113	17	0	0	0	118	93	4	66	7	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	4,914
Grand Total	535,205	447,763	631,889	402,419	58,860	23,826	441	162	90	18	33,062	14,750	429	10,655	2,130	497	21	3	11,228	5,626	905	158	121	4	2,180,262



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Alabama	11,977	321	26,421	25,992	1,830	1,577	0	11	5	1	2,307	1,046	18	31	0	0	0	0	8	10	3	0	2	0	71,560
Alaska	210	5	3,169	2,883	407	256	0	0	0	0	102	68	1	15	10	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7,127
Arizona	4,012	167	23,397	13,620	2,156	1,362	0	12	1	0	1,169	447	11	293	15	0	0	0	11	5	0	0	0	1	46,679
Arkansas	1,525	214	9,951	12,848	728	610	2	5	7	0	1,050	713	7	0	0	0	0	0	16	8	4	0	0	0	27,688
California	27,120	12,086	53,470	31,212	9,519	0	0	0	0	0	823	486	123	1,594	877	136	0	0	8,765	3,827	710	34	8	1	150,791
Colorado	6,426	1	19,200	14,215	1,866	2,195	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	234	39	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,179
Connecticut	7,545	615	6,384	2,701	284	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81	62	1	0	0	0	17,673
Delaware	199	0	2,640	1,912	123	135	0	0	0	0	21	9	2	62	0	0	0	0	41	17	0	0	1	0	5,162
District of Columbia	1,017	0	401	19	1	7	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,503
Florida	10,660	0	76,431	39,210	6,048	4,408	0	8	2	1	3,908	923	10	1,337	75	1	0	0	299	283	66	56	56	1	143,783
Georgia	11,461	0	24,940	20,874	1,426	1,399	0	6	6	2	2,112	827	30	90	8	0	0	0	22	18	0	0	0	1	63,222
Guam	0	0	180	74	13	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	278
Hawaii	2,522	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,526
Idaho	3,592	145	7,748	7,767	795	464	0	1	0	0	268	243	0	76	12	4	0	0	11	7	0	0	0	0	21,133
Illinois	187,564	0	29,734	16,314	1,262	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	234,874
Indiana	373	21,300	26,275	20,345	2,372	1,467	0	4	4	2	864	318	23	57	1	0	0	0	44	29	6	1	2	0	73,487
Iowa	4,315	5,116	4,155	5,348	302	173	5	0	0	0	29	22	0	77	19	5	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	19,570
Kansas	887	4	8,547	9,755	906	626	0	0	4	0	441	233	4	68	4	0	0	0	6	6	2	0	0	0	21,493
Kentucky	660	296,312	16,058	16,570	942	917	7	9	3	0	1,407	774	2	33	4	0	0	0	27	31	6	0	1	0	333,763
Louisiana	1,435	0	13,941	16,833	957	827	3	2	8	0	924	531	14	0	0	0	0	0	15	9	3	0	0	0	35,502
Maine	335	4	5,264	5,336	417	335	2	0	1	0	72	54	0	21	7	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	11,854
Mariana Islands	0	0	18	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Maryland	6,378	33	9,535	8,431	149	6	0	0	0	1	68	85	3	65	18	3	0	0	0	18	2	0	1	0	24,796
Massachusetts	9,515	1	6,010	3,757	1,888	381	4	0	0	0	9	12	0	1	2	0	0	0	41	21	10	1	1	0	21,654
Michigan	15,928	4,429	25,673	23,296	2,585	1,076	0	0	0	0	29	239	6	100	8	0	0	0	26	12	1	1	0	0	73,409
Minnesota	12,404	34,986	11,527	13,112	1,215	636	0	1	2	0	164	147	4	115	25	1	0	0	22	23	0	1	2	0	74,387
Mississippi	2,045	0	11,915	15,320	614	667	0	6	4	0	1,572	863	6	8	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	33,027
Missouri	1,255	291	25,862	25,694	2,677	1,703	0	6	1	0	1,291	618	17	358	57	2	0	0	38	67	8	2	2	0	59,949
Montana	1,079	0	5,671	6,384	491	522	15	2	0	1	336	342	2	35	32	0	0	0	3	5	0	0	1	0	14,921
Nebraska	4,594	316	297	2,936	48	12	0	0	0	0	4	33	0	36	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,289
Nevada	2,899	0	6,384	3,317	500	424	0	1	0	0	238	69	1	0	0	0	0	0	399	128	18	0	0	0	14,378
New Hampshire	1,314	2	10,745	4,147	950	0	42	0	4	0	0	2	0	127	3	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	17,344
New Jersey	0	0	8,087	5,673	1,126	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	87	75	3	2	1	0	15,057
New Mexico	498	0	7,605	5,696	713	512	0	2	3	0	397	314	2	41	1	0	0	0	115	65	1	2	2	0	15,969
New York	2,451	2,472	10,482	15,645	1,125	343	0	0	0	0	52	73	17	52	76	0	17	8	426	307	34	6	21	2	33,609
North Carolina	11,434	150	31,955	22,376	1,849	1,289	0	10	10	0	2,230	947	18	649	114	2	0	0	47	14	1	0	0	0	73,095
North Dakota	304	13	2,204	3,498	192	146	0	0	0	0	59	58	1	4	0	0	0	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	6,487
Ohio	6,969	1,203	32,475	25,449	2,577	1,794	0	3	1	2	1,481	488	15	251	68	6	0	0	11	13	2	0	0	0	72,808
Oklahoma	1,756	1	17,306	15,773	1,780	1,262	1	22	5	0	1,689	911	10	70	2	0	0	0	39	27	5	3	3	0	40,665
Oregon	5,669	203	20,091	18,181	2,560	23	2	0	0	0	2	5	2	172	37	0	0	0	530	473	45	0	0	0	47,995
Pennsylvania	26,403	0	48,588	31,047	19	0	258	0	0	0	0	0	0	634	99	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	107,048
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,617	361	58	55	0	7	0	0	33	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	879	84	7	1	0	0	5,113
Rhode Island	0	0	1,212	712	116	135	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	21	18	4	0	0	19	7	0	1	1	0	2,250
South Carolina	7,263	353	14,090	12,651	1,122	747	0	3	0	0	788	298	2	156	5	5	0	0	5	5	4	0	0	0	37,500
South Dakota	939	1	2,577	4,403	218	154	0	0	0	0	86	94	1	8	1	0	0	0	10	37	2	0	1	0	8,532
Tennessee	4,143	6,451	37,079	30,478	2,526	1	0	46	19	0	945	362	0	94	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82,148
Texas	24,557	0	79,876	55,280	5,976	4,175	11	22	12	1	7,370	2,775	85	162	9	0	0	0	53	38	8	4	4	0	180,418
Utah	8,835	52,776	7,803	8,139	909	0	0	8	5	0	209	231	0	196	23	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79,171
Vermont	0	0	1,733	2,062	136	175	0	1	2	0	5	23	4	0	0	0	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	4,151
Virgin Islands	88	22	61	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	178
Virginia	363	147	29,848	24,949	4,435	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	471	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60,271
Washington	14,601	404	26,275	15,170	1,411	60	35	0	0	0	616	415	14	576	117	11	0	0	941	482	139	32	29	4	61,332
West Virginia	1,760	162	7,700	10,040	430	541	0	2	0	0	657	552	2	22	3	0	0	0	9	11	0	0	0	0	21,891
Wisconsin	13,216	671	18,103	16,908	1,303	71	0	0	0	5	161	140	29	126	32	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	50,772
Wyoming	505	20	3,247	3,170	307	187	14	0	1	0	126	106	6	48	5	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	7,749
Grand Total	473,000	441,397	883,957	697,889	74,359	33,867	434	200	113	16	36,117	16,908	492	8,589	1,905	256	17	8	13,072	6,248	1,091	147	139	10	2,690,231



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Alabama	10,201	139	20,736	21,991	1,443	1,453	0	10	3	2	2,345	1,207	25	49	0	0	0	0	13	7	0	0	0	0	0	59,624	
Alaska	125	28	2,845	2,737	366	246	0	0	0	0	94	70	2	21	11	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,547	
Arizona	6,400	319	19,873	12,119	1,812	1,422	0	5	1	2	1,211	445	6	226	22	0	0	0	9	3	0	0	2	0	0	43,877	
Arkansas	2,211	382	7,826	12,053	553	652	6	5	8	1	1,110	1,140	4	0	0	0	0	0	6	10	4	2	0	0	0	25,973	
California	27,741	14,703	51,805	27,916	6,529	1	0	1	0	0	653	462	112	1,724	869	54	0	0	8,058	3,369	614	40	24	0	0	144,675	
Colorado	7,698	8	17,050	12,852	1,615	2,946	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	293	31	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42,494	
Connecticut	8,286	569	5,655	2,689	253	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	59	4	0	0	0	0	17,568	
Delaware	183	0	2,111	1,752	101	90	0	0	0	0	22	9	0	56	0	0	0	0	29	15	0	0	0	0	0	4,368	
District of Columbia	1,140	1	434	22	1	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,635	
Florida	11,617	0	69,854	35,955	5,512	4,570	1	9	14	0	3,815	948	10	1,310	94	1	0	0	335	214	51	45	34	0	0	134,389	
Georgia	11,874	0	19,194	16,871	1,124	1,238	0	6	6	0	2,093	940	19	96	1	0	0	0	15	9	2	0	0	0	0	53,488	
Guam	0	0	146	60	12	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	227	
Hawaii	2,455	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,458	
Idaho	4,508	87	6,485	7,050	638	479	0	1	4	1	350	259	2	75	21	0	0	0	10	9	1	0	0	0	0	19,980	
Illinois	215,932	0	27,545	16,503	1,208	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	261,188
Indiana	359	22,654	22,632	20,175	1,960	1,492	2	1	2	0	823	392	29	61	14	0	0	0	33	19	9	0	2	0	0	70,659	
Iowa	4,333	4,304	3,598	5,395	240	172	37	0	0	0	32	39	0	64	25	3	0	0	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	18,250	
Kansas	851	5	7,139	8,511	670	570	0	3	3	1	477	253	3	90	14	1	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	18,600	
Kentucky	583	300,170	12,538	15,097	749	961	10	5	4	1	1,469	1,146	3	29	1	0	0	0	7	13	0	0	1	0	0	332,787	
Louisiana	1,502	601	11,385	14,448	840	841	36	4	5	0	902	617	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	1	0	0	0	0	31,206	
Maine	434	12	5,425	5,730	473	353	1	0	0	0	76	56	1	19	13	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,598	
Mariana Islands	0	0	12	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Maryland	7,829	107	9,542	9,064	156	10	0	0	2	0	105	101	5	98	19	5	0	0	0	19	13	0	0	0	0	0	27,075
Massachusetts	10,958	0	5,908	4,205	2,258	394	5	1	0	0	17	17	2	1	0	0	0	0	48	19	10	1	1	0	0	23,845	
Michigan	16,920	5,109	23,145	26,992	2,045	1,177	0	1	1	0	34	295	2	98	14	0	0	0	30	19	0	1	0	0	0	75,883	
Minnesota	12,164	32,773	10,441	13,533	999	610	0	0	1	0	177	200	2	108	28	2	0	0	34	27	3	1	0	0	0	71,103	
Mississippi	2,074	0	8,850	12,587	598	639	2	10	6	1	1,488	1,029	4	21	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	27,320	
Missouri	1,131	222	20,845	24,352	1,998	1,709	0	9	3	1	1,285	866	18	301	41	0	0	0	30	41	1	3	1	0	0	52,857	
Montana	864	3	4,449	5,735	362	958	12	3	0	0	297	417	1	29	24	1	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	0	13,162	
Nebraska	4,257	203	294	2,878	26	23	0	0	2	0	4	40	0	22	8	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7,758	
Nevada	2,446	0	5,518	2,926	408	422	0	0	0	0	254	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	356	127	15	0	0	0	0	12,539	
New Hampshire	1,337	3	9,866	4,139	826	1	32	0	3	0	0	7	0	128	7	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,360	
New Jersey	0	0	7,971	5,836	1,096	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	79	70	8	0	3	0	0	15,064	
New Mexico	854	0	6,709	5,144	583	441	0	6	5	0	393	340	1	44	1	0	0	0	120	42	4	1	3	1	0	14,692	
New York	3,443	2,514	10,216	17,582	1,203	390	2	0	0	0	54	58	19	55	85	2	10	15	325	402	32	5	26	1	0	36,439	
North Carolina	11,484	214	27,267	19,204	1,529	1,314	0	6	7	1	2,350	1,219	13	705	127	10	1	0	29	10	0	0	0	0	0	65,490	
North Dakota	472	31,998	2,008	3,721	160	149	0	0	0	0	64	99	1	9	1	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	38,688	
Ohio	7,111	1,529	28,364	28,353	2,237	2,049	0	5	2	0	1,473	724	6	280	68	5	0	0	20	7	2	0	0	0	0	72,235	
Oklahoma	2,218	4	14,214	14,486	1,613	1,232	0	18	7	2	1,746	1,271	9	89	4	0	0	0	16	27	5	2	1	1	0	36,965	
Oregon	5,269	221	13,674	12,572	1,746	18	4	0	0	0	3	1	0	145	40	0	0	0	379	288	36	0	0	0	0	34,396	
Pennsylvania	28,991	0	43,991	30,924	29	0	266	0	0	0	0	0	0	811	115	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105,129
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,922	428	76	71	0	2	0	0	33	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	810	84	6	1	0	0	0	5,439	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,263	889	96	170	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	24	19	2	0	0	8	3	1	1	0	0	0	2,479	
South Carolina	7,326	350	12,011	10,707	930	756	5	6	3	0	801	293	2	181	8	17	0	0	3	6	5	0	0	0	0	33,410	
South Dakota	874	4	2,243	4,598	207	142	0	1	1	0	76	133	3	7	2	0	0	0	14	48	1	0	1	0	0	8,355	
Tennessee	4,489	5,959	31,142	26,933	2,302	0	0	0	0	0	45	25	0	111	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71,012	
Texas	27,292	0	65,005	47,300	4,838	4,489	12	20	16	1	7,053	3,114	69	269	8	0	0	0	40	44	1	3	3	1	0	159,578	
Utah	9,293	54,464	6,583	7,156	831	0	0	5	4	0	223	205	1	186	45	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79,030
Vermont	0	0	1,558	1,891	105	127	1	0	5	0	8	10	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	3,712	
Virgin Islands	123	18	60	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	217	
Virginia	335	219	26,748	22,975	3,724	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	445	81	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54,528
Washington	14,908	424	18,576	10,724	826	39	85	0	2	1	581	430	16	542	100	25	0	0	631	352	70	23	17	2	0	48,374	
West Virginia	1,798	89	5,878	10,243	322	472	1	3	0	1	735	1,030	1	12	3	0	0	0	9	4	2	0	0	0	0	20,603	
Wisconsin	13,204	693	17,232	18,894	1,055	82	0	0	0	5	176	235	14	144	38	7	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	51,788	
Wyoming	423	8	2,476	2,781	230	521	12	1	0	1	96	114	7	82	3	0	0	0	11	1	2	0	0	0	0	6,769	
Grand Total	518,320	481,110	762,257	649,692	61,513	35,905	537	147	120	22	35,045	20,329	420	9,063	2,013	215	11	15	11,599	5,412	907	129	119	6	0	2,594,906	





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Alabama	10,514	117	16,323	12,014	1,243	996	0	7	6	1	2,415	964	20	102	0	0	0	0	40	26	13	1	1	1	44,804	
Alaska	229	16	2,567	2,677	287	179	0	0	0	0	168	105	1	33	14	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6,278	
Arizona	12,938	2,199	14,352	7,957	1,594	974	0	15	2	1	1,310	449	15	264	12	0	0	0	3	6	1	0	1	0	42,093	
Arkansas	3,022	288	5,821	5,335	469	428	5	13	7	0	1,102	812	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	24	2	0	0	0	17,338	
California	33,355	16,198	32,817	22,053	4,091	0	0	0	0	1	705	313	60	4,511	1,922	120	0	0	7,674	3,297	518	17	10	0	127,662	
Colorado	7,833	8	16,006	10,591	1,453	1,616	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	322	51	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37,881	
Connecticut	7,643	568	4,681	1,728	265	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	466	164	12	0	0	0	15,528	
Delaware	431	0	1,558	1,000	93	74	0	0	0	0	30	11	0	57	0	0	0	0	31	4	1	1	0	0	3,291	
District of Columbia	921	0	239	8	1	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,197	
Florida	8,781	0	55,034	19,438	5,008	2,995	0	7	2	0	3,808	895	4	1,497	121	6	0	0	235	140	67	61	31	2	98,132	
Georgia	11,824	0	14,968	8,637	999	814	0	10	9	0	2,189	806	12	77	1	0	0	0	15	7	1	0	0	0	40,369	
Guam	0	0	196	92	20	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	313	
Hawaii	1,752	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,754	
Idaho	6,277	111	4,449	4,600	543	327	1	2	1	0	329	300	3	98	11	4	0	0	8	6	1	0	0	0	17,071	
Illinois	206,445	0	20,241	10,349	811	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	237,846	
Indiana	407	22,190	16,646	10,978	1,549	994	0	2	2	0	901	309	21	65	5	0	0	0	29	15	1	2	0	0	54,117	
Iowa	3,351	3,964	1,976	2,421	174	78	2	0	0	0	32	21	0	83	19	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	12,124	
Kansas	2,426	5	5,147	4,824	601	362	0	2	5	1	511	190	4	130	9	4	0	0	4	0	1	1	0	0	14,227	
Kentucky	636	234,512	8,475	7,034	552	558	11	10	7	1	1,539	820	7	38	10	0	0	0	13	13	3	1	2	0	254,242	
Louisiana	2,060	443	8,956	7,249	774	599	3	6	4	2	915	448	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	2	0	0	0	21,479	
Maine	428	14	3,111	3,538	292	205	2	0	0	0	62	60	0	30	5	1	0	0	6	9	0	0	0	0	7,763	
Mariana Islands	0	0	20	13	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	
Maryland	8,738	42	8,144	4,771	108	1	0	0	1	0	88	84	2	117	23	13	0	0	0	21	4	0	2	0	22,159	
Massachusetts	9,228	0	4,913	2,844	1,240	343	1	0	0	0	10	17	2	1	0	0	0	0	41	26	8	3	1	0	18,678	
Michigan	17,157	7,483	16,899	13,482	1,661	793	0	0	0	0	22	219	5	121	22	2	0	0	29	6	3	0	0	0	57,904	
Minnesota	11,427	36,598	8,375	10,778	856	535	0	2	1	0	184	234	0	129	28	1	0	0	18	14	1	1	0	0	69,182	
Mississippi	1,840	0	8,406	7,693	490	558	0	8	1	1	1,545	748	4	20	1	0	0	0	8	5	0	0	0	0	21,328	
Missouri	942	217	16,188	13,538	1,729	1,241	0	0	5	1	1,278	632	15	447	36	0	0	0	24	16	1	3	2	0	36,315	
Montana	884	4	4,109	4,341	308	409	6	1	1	1	410	436	0	47	15	0	0	0	11	7	2	0	0	0	10,992	
Nebraska	3,655	150	108	1,466	15	4	0	0	0	0	3	14	0	33	8	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5,458	
Nevada	3,333	0	4,365	2,014	364	286	0	0	1	0	248	67	0	1	0	0	0	0	384	148	21	0	0	0	11,232	
New Hampshire	1,511	2	4,885	2,878	441	1	38	2	0	0	0	6	0	120	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,894	
New Jersey	0	0	6,360	3,102	869	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	73	55	3	1	2	1	10,470	
New Mexico	827	0	5,602	3,547	619	389	0	12	4	0	386	303	1	53	2	0	0	0	98	42	1	0	1	0	11,887	
New York	4,513	2,750	10,576	11,456	1,003	295	0	2	0	0	40	33	5	55	58	1	1	2	334	260	19	5	4	1	31,413	
North Carolina	13,410	188	21,623	10,674	1,307	829	0	11	6	0	2,328	1,039	19	908	128	7	2	2	38	11	3	0	3	0	52,536	
North Dakota	450	14	1,614	2,506	144	106	0	1	1	0	63	66	0	8	4	0	0	0	15	21	1	0	0	0	5,014	
Ohio	8,426	1,465	18,488	12,634	1,424	997	0	4	2	0	1,412	426	7	278	98	7	0	0	11	6	2	0	1	0	45,688	
Oklahoma	3,494	1	9,803	7,584	1,177	927	0	4	3	0	1,751	967	8	100	8	0	0	0	37	32	7	1	1	0	25,905	
Oregon	5,482	279	11,431	8,386	1,592	27	25	0	0	0	7	1	2	187	27	0	0	0	389	279	26	0	0	0	28,140	
Pennsylvania	29,383	1	35,397	18,299	28	0	293	0	0	0	0	0	0	832	145	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84,378
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,826	378	45	50	0	0	0	0	52	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	968	101	6	4	0	0	5,443	
Rhode Island	0	0	919	599	80	109	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	19	11	3	0	0	13	4	0	1	1	0	1,762	
South Carolina	7,645	729	8,554	5,515	942	456	2	3	1	0	823	315	1	275	8	32	0	0	3	5	0	1	0	0	25,310	
South Dakota	888	31	1,633	2,517	130	117	0	0	0	0	94	98	0	1	0	25	0	0	15	9	1	0	0	0	5,559	
Tennessee	8,783	3,398	23,835	15,229	1,630	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	125	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53,005
Texas	27,901	0	47,559	30,913	3,810	2,585	5	24	10	1	6,959	2,601	84	255	7	1	0	0	39	24	5	0	3	1	122,787	
Utah	15,488	58,591	3,930	3,634	672	0	0	2	4	0	238	196	2	189	51	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83,049	
Vermont	0	0	1,189	1,467	79	111	0	1	2	0	9	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	0	0	0	0	2,881	
Virgin Islands	151	19	35	7	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	221	
Virginia	238	134	20,538	13,005	3,167	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	33	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37,665
Washington	13,118	418	13,987	7,348	987	41	133	0	6	1	415	453	17	661	134	11	0	0	270	198	98	1	0	0	38,297	
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Wisconsin	12,462	892	12,464	12,008	830	55	0	0	0	2	161	137	4	166	43	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	39,227	
Wyoming	607	12	1,980	2,008	177	146	9	1	0	0	164	133	1	40	1	1	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	5,288	
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Alabama	10,197	96	15,324	9,081	1,285	877	0	21	3	2	2,078	788	23	75	0	0	0	0	32	21	7	0	0	0	0	39,910	
Alaska	147	17	2,644	2,149	280	205	0	1	0	0	120	68	1	19	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,662	
Arizona	9,910	2,843	14,812	6,957	1,568	833	0	24	6	1	1,064	369	9	221	18	2	0	0	12	4	1	0	0	0	0	38,654	
Arkansas	2,912	327	5,552	4,050	433	400	3	4	5	1	995	685	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	1	0	0	0	0	15,383	
California	30,393	14,309	30,198	18,567	3,953	0	0	1	0	0	609	463	66	3,203	1,237	91	0	0	7,393	3,010	601	44	16	0	0	114,154	
Colorado	8,015	6	15,430	9,647	1,422	1,493	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	274	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36,324	
Connecticut	6,320	522	4,347	1,494	379	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	378	128	13	0	0	0	0	13,584	
Delaware	691	0	1,740	772	83	65	0	0	0	0	21	3	0	61	0	0	0	0	42	16	1	0	2	0	0	3,497	
District of Columbia	739	0	237	9	1	2	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,051	
Florida	8,746	0	59,086	18,577	4,796	3,047	0	18	3	0	3,746	843	3	1,496	105	2	0	0	262	127	63	46	51	0	0	101,017	
Georgia	10,499	0	14,937	6,725	957	697	0	13	4	0	1,963	638	13	70	3	0	0	0	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	36,529	
Guam	0	0	175	89	13	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	283	
Hawaii	1,337	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,339	
Idaho	8,265	142	4,265	3,941	537	262	0	0	1	0	298	244	1	71	12	7	0	0	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	18,060	
Illinois	199,545	0	19,386	8,274	767	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	227,972	
Indiana	376	22,454	16,217	9,321	1,450	807	0	3	1	0	768	285	14	59	1	0	0	0	24	13	7	3	1	0	0	51,804	
Iowa	2,740	3,836	2,015	1,978	159	74	1	0	0	0	27	23	0	67	10	0	0	0	6	3	0	1	0	0	0	10,940	
Kansas	1,818	2	5,207	4,166	603	350	0	1	1	0	454	163	8	101	11	1	0	0	8	3	2	0	0	0	0	12,899	
Kentucky	617	308,776	8,219	5,806	577	490	8	9	0	0	1,340	673	5	41	5	0	0	0	5	12	2	0	1	0	0	326,586	
Louisiana	1,761	487	8,535	5,199	763	475	1	4	1	1	782	353	14	0	0	0	0	0	10	5	0	0	1	0	0	18,392	
Maine	310	13	3,053	2,934	269	229	0	0	0	0	70	41	0	25	12	0	0	0	9	5	0	0	0	0	0	6,970	
Mariana Islands	0	0	21	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	
Maryland	7,349	43	7,961	4,451	101	10	0	0	2	0	115	75	0	89	60	3	0	0	12	18	1	0	0	0	0	20,290	
Massachusetts	9,140	0	3,957	2,284	1,367	235	1	0	0	0	12	14	0	1	0	0	0	0	13	22	5	0	1	1	1	17,053	
Michigan	14,926	5,683	16,571	11,322	1,652	807	3	0	2	1	21	191	1	45	10	0	0	0	27	3	9	0	1	0	0	51,275	
Minnesota	9,727	34,724	7,819	7,476	922	469	0	3	0	0	182	151	1	98	22	3	0	0	21	13	1	1	1	0	0	61,634	
Mississippi	1,775	0	6,673	4,000	407	351	0	6	5	0	1,363	599	3	16	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	15,206	
Missouri	800	155	15,409	10,686	1,687	1,014	0	1	4	0	1,127	548	16	337	36	2	0	0	32	21	10	1	0	0	0	31,886	
Montana	807	0	3,803	3,546	320	344	10	1	1	0	395	373	0	44	10	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	9,659	
Nebraska	3,435	98	115	1,151	13	6	0	0	0	0	4	16	0	29	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,881	
Nevada	3,545	0	4,118	1,815	341	246	0	0	1	1	199	59	1	0	0	0	0	0	375	151	20	0	0	0	0	10,872	
New Hampshire	1,130	2	4,771	2,525	514	0	63	1	1	1	0	3	0	91	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,113	
New Jersey	0	0	6,752	3,117	903	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	99	50	6	4	1	0	0	10,933	
New Mexico	746	0	5,751	3,425	554	326	0	6	5	0	356	269	4	51	0	0	0	0	95	29	4	0	1	0	0	11,622	
New York	5,522	2,217	8,486	8,163	733	208	0	0	0	1	24	24	2	39	68	2	1	0	257	194	21	9	4	0	0	25,975	
North Carolina	13,623	221	21,984	8,739	1,316	772	0	11	3	0	1,946	818	13	754	119	0	3	0	38	8	0	1	2	0	0	50,371	
North Dakota	388	12	1,454	1,971	131	106	0	1	0	0	66	60	0	4	1	0	0	0	4	6	2	0	0	0	0	4,206	
Ohio	8,477	845	18,760	11,771	1,472	949	0	1	0	1	1,207	398	7	292	68	14	0	0	7	8	2	0	0	0	0	44,279	
Oklahoma	3,077	1	9,653	6,393	1,099	789	2	4	3	2	1,551	799	8	87	3	0	0	0	27	16	7	0	0	0	0	23,521	
Oregon	5,054	276	11,041	7,676	1,462	17	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	177	44	2	0	0	344	266	22	0	0	0	0	26,385	
Pennsylvania	26,303	2	33,320	15,865	19	0	271	0	0	0	0	0	0	684	88	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76,555
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,583	314	50	34	0	1	0	0	49	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	974	92	9	2	0	0	0	5,115	
Rhode Island	0	0	869	516	86	97	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	18	19	4	0	0	10	2	0	1	1	0	0	1,624	
South Carolina	9,198	332	8,471	4,497	1,036	471	2	4	1	0	702	239	6	183	8	28	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	25,186	
South Dakota	821	3	1,424	1,925	123	106	0	0	0	0	97	91	0	2	1	3	0	0	6	16	1	0	1	0	0	4,620	
Tennessee	12,047	61	23,702	12,849	1,494	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50,235	
Texas	22,511	0	47,650	23,317	3,888	2,431	15	17	14	2	6,754	2,317	72	207	4	0	0	0	45	21	7	2	0	0	0	109,274	
Utah	11,849	59,586	3,925	3,474	586	0	0	3	0	0	241	179	1	212	45	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80,128	
Vermont	0	0	1,041	1,078	90	102	2	0	1	0	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	2,330	
Virgin Islands	389	28	25	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	457	
Virginia	310	96	20,735	11,824	3,133	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	425	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36,589	
Washington	11,898	304	12,617	6,268	905	43	30	1	5	2	321	371	13	512	80	14	0	0	236	161	76	0	0	0	0	33,857	
West Virginia	2,170	128	4,011	3,927	286	278	9	1	3	0	677	469	1	29	5	0	0	0	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	12,004	
Wisconsin	11,508	751	12,231	9,075	860	49	0	0	0	3	152	117	6	125	44	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	34,924	
Wyoming	471	15	1,867	1,655	148	108	6	1	0	0	128	94	1	39	9	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	4,548	
Grand Total	504,334	459,413	561,949	316,851	47,994	20,680	464	162	76	19	32,030	13,928	316	10,450	2,298	247	4	0	10,851	4,476	906	115	85	2	0	1,987,650	

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Alabama	10,198	95	16,880	10,167	1,216	997	0	15	6	2	2,384	861	15	43	0	0	0	0	43	25	15	0	2	0	42,964	
Alaska	238	81	2,961	2,270	275	204	0	0	1	0	160	82	2	28	11	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6,314	
Arizona	10,944	2,109	16,544	7,951	1,675	939	0	8	3	0	1,118	377	3	259	13	2	0	0	6	6	1	0	0	0	41,958	
Arkansas	4,128	415	6,035	4,039	466	390	0	9	9	1	1,106	690	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	8	1	1	0	0	17,305	
California	28,968	15,713	33,746	21,016	4,539	0	0	0	0	0	720	347	23	1,907	1,220	87	0	0	7,763	3,012	512	24	13	0	119,610	
Colorado	8,170	14	16,583	10,450	1,482	1,553	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	304	31	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38,588	
Connecticut	8,461	588	5,038	1,912	2,753	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	468	145	84	0	0	0	19,449	
Delaware	1,151	0	2,004	792	91	85	0	0	0	0	24	7	0	159	0	0	0	0	48	17	1	0	0	0	4,379	
District of Columbia	1,003	0	271	6	0	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,317	
Florida	11,470	0	58,766	20,981	4,863	3,213	0	6	2	0	3,812	802	7	1,511	122	3	0	0	246	140	57	63	36	0	106,100	
Georgia	10,906	0	16,292	7,548	932	790	0	26	7	1	2,225	707	20	74	0	0	0	0	13	10	0	0	0	0	39,551	
Guam	0	0	155	84	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	250	
Hawaii	1,793	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,797	
Idaho	8,552	94	5,006	4,368	520	306	0	3	1	0	290	245	2	94	7	8	0	0	5	6	0	0	1	0	19,508	
Illinois	243,305	4	19,399	7,913	761	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	271,382	
Indiana	374	24,117	17,712	9,939	1,512	904	1	8	0	0	900	311	39	63	4	0	0	0	36	19	7	2	1	0	55,949	
Iowa	3,162	3,224	2,051	1,987	138	52	2	1	0	0	32	19	1	58	6	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	10,736	
Kansas	1,995	34	5,275	3,913	576	395	0	1	3	0	439	185	2	103	11	0	0	0	2	8	4	0	0	0	12,946	
Kentucky	743	316,217	9,015	6,134	502	547	9	12	4	0	1,558	827	4	38	13	1	0	0	12	17	3	0	0	0	335,656	
Louisiana	1,928	475	9,389	5,236	729	515	1	5	1	0	899	419	9	0	0	0	0	0	9	7	2	0	0	0	19,624	
Maine	403	4	3,253	3,112	261	220	1	0	0	0	73	83	0	29	12	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	0	7,462	
Mariana Islands	0	0	19	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	
Maryland	7,787	25	8,844	4,725	110	3	0	0	1	2	122	77	2	119	26	11	0	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	21,869	
Massachusetts	7,878	0	4,408	2,335	1,170	192	2	1	0	1	11	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	34	20	7	1	1	0	16,068	
Michigan	16,807	6,478	17,696	12,108	1,626	748	0	0	3	1	27	193	7	62	13	2	0	0	26	13	2	1	1	0	55,814	
Minnesota	10,966	31,604	8,093	7,179	868	490	0	1	1	0	191	164	1	107	25	2	0	0	7	20	2	1	0	0	59,722	
Mississippi	2,306	0	7,655	4,253	421	358	1	13	5	0	1,632	686	2	16	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	17,357	
Missouri	706	123	16,411	11,306	1,587	1,091	0	8	2	3	1,410	618	23	450	47	2	0	0	30	21	8	0	1	0	33,847	
Montana	863	3	3,876	3,735	301	379	13	2	0	0	414	354	0	53	20	1	0	0	3	2	1	1	0	0	10,021	
Nebraska	3,697	101	131	1,241	19	11	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	35	5	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5,264	
Nevada	2,073	0	4,703	2,261	357	289	0	1	1	0	245	46	1	0	0	0	0	0	308	137	15	0	1	0	10,438	
New Hampshire	1,083	1	5,031	2,680	453	0	118	0	0	0	0	8	0	118	10	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,516	
New Jersey	0	0	7,530	3,387	863	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	136	50	5	1	4	0	11,978	
New Mexico	988	0	6,405	3,704	581	419	0	11	2	1	508	324	4	91	0	0	0	0	106	45	7	0	0	0	13,196	
New York	5,227	2,478	9,824	9,391	905	233	0	1	2	0	31	35	1	33	73	2	0	2	259	184	21	9	5	0	28,716	
North Carolina	16,139	223	25,982	9,799	1,266	932	0	11	5	1	2,340	1,034	16	957	152	7	1	0	46	6	0	0	0	0	58,917	
North Dakota	534	9	1,489	2,046	118	99	0	0	1	1	72	63	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4,440	
Ohio	9,214	1,624	18,799	11,658	1,258	1,011	0	5	2	1	1,350	437	15	240	71	94	0	0	13	7	2	0	1	0	45,802	
Oklahoma	3,737	3	10,384	6,425	1,152	850	0	12	4	0	1,804	896	15	161	4	1	0	0	19	21	14	1	0	0	25,503	
Oregon	5,455	324	13,917	10,485	1,841	23	8	0	0	0	3	1	0	171	36	0	0	0	301	233	23	0	0	0	32,821	
Pennsylvania	28,640	1	36,449	18,162	12	0	324	0	0	0	0	0	0	732	80	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84,403	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,567	384	67	67	0	1	0	0	37	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	929	86	8	2	0	0	6,156	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,008	566	90	104	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	21	6	5	0	0	8	9	0	0	1	0	1,823	
South Carolina	10,458	384	9,746	5,128	953	532	0	3	3	0	852	248	3	259	15	31	0	0	8	6	3	0	0	0	28,632	
South Dakota	821	1	1,563	1,988	139	112	0	0	0	0	98	79	0	6	3	2	0	0	5	3	0	1	0	0	4,821	
Tennessee	12,014	100	24,651	13,369	1,591	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	113	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51,845
Texas	28,900	0	51,381	24,918	3,800	2,653	3	29	5	3	6,995	2,389	65	284	13	0	0	0	43	24	0	1	1	0	121,507	
Utah	15,031	56,893	5,814	5,054	797	0	0	7	10	2	320	267	1	202	42	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84,482	
Vermont	0	0	1,498	1,405	96	92	0	2	1	1	7	13	5	5	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	3,129	
Virgin Islands	49	26	43	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	128	
Virginia	260	109	21,984	12,563	3,363	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	483	78	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38,842	
Washington	12,822	245	14,134	7,229	924	34	12	0	4	2	332	393	14	657	107	13	0	0	271	192	75	0	1	0	37,461	
West Virginia	2,272	147	4,369	4,232	262	310	8	1	0	0	766	551	2	24	4	1	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	12,955	
Wisconsin	11,491	750	13,776	9,343	907	57	0	0	0	0	162	132	11	149	37	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	36,822	
Wyoming	537	8	2,039	1,842	149	114	9	1	1	0	124	124	1	47	7	0	0	0	5	9	0	0	0	0	5,017	
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Alabama	10,733	92	17,565	9,949	1,179	964	0	6	5	0	2,051	817	9	54	1	0	0	0	30	21	12	1	2	0	43,491	
Alaska	185	10	3,115	2,346	294	229	0	0	0	0	137	72	1	19	11	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6,420	
Arizona	11,852	1,283	16,609	8,057	1,550	1,023	0	9	1	0	1,097	363	6	211	22	0	0	0	6	2	0	1	0	0	42,092	
Arkansas	2,697	79	6,456	4,327	405	394	8	5	5	2	942	690	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	1	0	0	0	16,024	
California	25,144	18,395	34,421	21,695	4,841	1	0	0	2	0	613	327	35	1,864	899	117	0	0	7,763	3,190	565	19	7	0	119,898	
Colorado	9,246	11	18,190	11,014	1,574	1,682	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	303	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42,050	
Connecticut	7,292	629	4,991	1,776	1,779	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	436	155	134	0	0	0	17,193	
Delaware	984	0	2,470	778	87	91	0	0	0	0	26	3	0	87	0	1	0	0	70	11	1	1	0	0	4,610	
District of Columbia	895	1	355	5	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,277	
Florida	12,457	0	61,383	21,861	4,709	3,189	0	6	6	0	3,421	832	10	1,471	119	0	0	0	285	158	51	44	36	0	110,038	
Georgia	13,018	0	17,312	7,429	857	753	1	21	5	0	2,090	705	17	81	0	0	0	0	13	2	1	0	0	0	42,305	
Guam	0	0	113	64	13	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	197	
Hawaii	2,282	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,287	
Idaho	7,179	136	5,047	4,681	590	322	0	0	4	0	284	257	3	88	21	0	0	0	7	10	2	0	1	0	18,632	
Illinois	341,541	0	23,805	11,014	1,103	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	377,463	
Indiana	398	26,309	18,327	10,110	1,464	916	0	2	2	0	734	264	26	61	6	0	0	0	22	15	3	2	1	0	58,662	
Iowa	3,861	3,063	2,236	1,939	136	74	2	0	0	0	22	25	1	60	10	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	11,432	
Kansas	2,034	4	5,434	3,993	535	349	0	4	0	0	421	178	2	109	28	1	0	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	13,101	
Kentucky	790	317,915	9,498	6,426	502	580	7	10	3	0	1,464	739	3	42	5	0	0	0	11	11	2	0	1	0	338,009	
Louisiana	2,291	493	10,189	5,502	681	587	0	7	2	0	794	416	11	0	0	0	0	0	11	7	2	2	0	0	20,995	
Maine	482	10	3,398	3,030	273	241	2	1	0	0	71	50	0	34	13	1	0	0	8	5	2	1	0	0	7,622	
Mariana Islands	0	0	17	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	
Maryland	8,767	50	11,070	5,267	109	5	0	4	0	0	89	67	1	107	26	4	0	0	0	8	8	0	0	1	25,583	
Massachusetts	8,918	1	4,567	2,330	1,095	230	6	0	0	1	8	13	2	2	0	0	0	0	23	19	7	0	0	0	17,222	
Michigan	18,254	6,410	18,504	12,622	1,673	808	0	0	1	0	15	198	2	79	23	1	0	0	27	16	2	1	0	0	58,636	
Minnesota	15,261	34,442	9,207	8,339	913	577	0	2	2	0	159	182	2	108	17	0	0	0	7	19	1	0	0	0	69,238	
Mississippi	2,849	0	7,790	4,296	375	385	0	7	2	0	1,438	576	8	19	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	1	0	0	17,755	
Missouri	797	123	17,012	11,619	1,610	1,116	0	5	1	1	1,181	542	19	434	39	2	0	0	28	17	3	2	2	0	34,553	
Montana	973	1	4,235	4,011	314	387	5	2	2	0	418	351	1	61	17	2	0	0	3	4	0	0	1	0	10,788	
Nebraska	4,949	139	158	1,205	19	7	0	0	0	0	3	27	0	30	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6,545	
Nevada	3,576	0	4,890	2,324	352	340	0	1	0	0	201	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	401	145	15	2	0	0	12,314	
New Hampshire	1,122	4	5,556	2,861	388	0	50	1	1	0	0	2	0	123	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,121	
New Jersey	0	0	8,319	3,667	1,021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99	77	5	3	0	4	13,195	
New Mexico	1,357	0	6,492	3,980	574	374	0	14	5	0	416	274	1	22	2	0	0	0	73	33	2	0	1	0	13,620	
New York	5,867	2,688	10,007	9,564	1,007	265	0	0	0	1	36	48	3	46	89	1	1	0	312	253	27	8	9	2	30,234	
North Carolina	18,244	467	30,437	10,045	1,315	921	2	10	4	1	1,787	900	7	904	123	4	3	0	41	11	0	0	1	0	65,227	
North Dakota	784	24	1,602	2,142	125	92	0	0	1	0	65	57	1	9	2	0	0	0	119	17	1	0	0	0	5,041	
Ohio	9,365	1,093	20,161	11,643	1,319	1,097	0	10	0	0	1,122	374	12	276	110	93	0	0	10	5	0	1	2	0	46,693	
Oklahoma	3,347	2	11,097	7,021	1,109	844	0	22	6	1	1,613	864	3	120	7	0	0	0	21	28	5	2	1	0	26,113	
Oregon	5,986	369	19,095	15,002	2,558	15	5	0	0	0	2	0	0	200	43	0	0	0	378	329	51	0	0	0	44,033	
Pennsylvania	31,735	0	37,238	17,503	23	0	337	0	0	0	0	0	0	868	94	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87,799	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,803	373	44	49	0	0	1	0	47	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	994	80	15	3	0	0	6,414	
Rhode Island	0	0	976	610	117	132	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	23	8	1	0	0	11	1	0	1	0	0	1,883	
South Carolina	9,849	635	10,051	5,112	856	470	2	11	0	0	714	228	2	264	22	13	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	28,237	
South Dakota	887	13	1,683	2,009	143	113	0	0	0	0	100	89	1	0	2	2	0	0	3	6	1	0	0	0	5,052	
Tennessee	13,188	50	25,911	13,591	1,592	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	97	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54,444
Texas	23,734	0	58,444	27,280	3,780	3,094	41	44	13	3	6,589	2,209	39	208	6	0	0	0	54	28	10	2	0	2	125,580	
Utah	18,502	58,078	4,930	4,030	731	0	0	0	1	2	0	211	169	0	218	54	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86,981	
Vermont	0	0	1,429	1,407	85	93	0	4	1	1	9	12	0	7	0	0	0	0	4	4	1	0	0	0	3,057	
Virgin Islands	74	33	37	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	152	
Virginia	289	212	22,469	12,389	3,212	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	536	81	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39,188	
Washington	16,877	259	16,683	8,441	1,011	81	32	2	5	3	312	402	8	646	123	22	0	0	323	194	75	0	2	1	45,502	
West Virginia	2,500	134	4,709	4,671	243	341	7	3	1	0	671	429	1	16	1	6	0	0	8	6	0	0	0	0	13,747	
Wisconsin	11,254	830	15,866	10,353	877	47	0	0	0	3	146	135	10	139	29	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39,695	
Wyoming	546	9	2,165	2,024	165	149	19	0	0	0	131	119	2	32	5	0	0	0	8	9	1	0	0	0	5,384	
Grand Total	695,212	474,496	658,524	363,735	51,328	23,441	535	214	84	17	31,653	14,079	250	10,080	2,118	350	4	0	11,636	4,911	1,009	97	67	10	2,343,850	



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Alabama	9,948	113	18,898	11,836	1,172	1,032	0	5	6	0	1,983	782	16	9	0	0	0	0	24	23	7	1	0	1	45,856	
Alaska	217	9	3,390	2,743	327	234	0	3	1	0	119	76	3	36	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	7,172	
Arizona	11,311	1,150	18,141	9,179	1,603	1,086	0	11	2	1	1,079	381	4	192	17	0	0	0	4	4	2	0	0	0	44,167	
Arkansas	3,076	365	6,947	5,295	427	425	4	8	6	0	968	638	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	8	2	0	1	0	18,178	
California	24,760	14,401	35,813	23,385	5,158	1	0	0	0	0	480	325	31	1,180	635	64	0	0	7,622	3,037	544	38	14	0	117,488	
Colorado	9,217	6	20,159	13,616	2,038	2,246	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	287	44	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47,614	
Connecticut	7,428	588	5,971	1,919	1,023	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	499	146	76	0	0	0	17,658	
Delaware	1,113	0	2,270	899	99	86	0	0	1	0	18	8	0	67	0	0	0	0	76	11	2	0	0	0	4,650	
District of Columbia	846	0	394	9	1	2	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,293	
Florida	15,760	0	69,152	24,519	4,616	3,578	0	7	3	0	3,449	813	7	1,325	99	2	0	0	307	196	73	52	41	1	124,000	
Georgia	12,933	0	18,162	8,498	882	779	0	20	3	2	1,844	691	12	72	1	0	0	0	7	6	0	1	0	0	43,913	
Guam	0	0	142	80	16	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	245	
Hawaii	1,912	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,916	
Idaho	11,989	115	5,796	5,703	619	376	0	2	1	0	291	229	4	80	14	5	0	0	16	5	1	1	0	0	25,247	
Illinois	397,601	0	27,184	11,406	1,364	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	437,555	
Indiana	412	28,966	20,732	12,656	1,670	1,056	1	3	0	0	732	312	16	74	6	0	0	0	20	18	1	2	0	0	66,677	
Iowa	4,984	5,011	2,867	2,720	161	105	3	0	0	0	29	20	0	72	15	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	15,991	
Kansas	1,898	0	6,260	4,871	622	404	0	4	1	0	411	218	8	83	12	0	0	0	12	4	0	0	0	0	14,808	
Kentucky	735	319,886	10,210	8,238	646	632	17	6	7	1	1,313	742	2	38	9	0	0	0	11	17	2	0	1	0	342,513	
Louisiana	6,444	659	10,749	5,961	800	639	0	5	2	2	714	414	13	0	0	0	0	0	8	11	4	0	0	0	26,425	
Maine	530	1	3,975	3,884	332	267	1	0	0	0	49	45	1	23	13	0	0	0	7	3	0	0	1	0	9,132	
Mariana Islands	0	0	19	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	
Maryland	11,002	21	10,756	5,927	128	4	0	0	0	0	103	84	0	82	10	7	0	0	0	27	5	0	1	0	28,157	
Massachusetts	9,026	1	5,099	2,854	1,415	289	0	0	0	0	7	12	0	2	0	0	0	0	41	23	8	1	0	0	18,778	
Michigan	17,952	6,640	22,895	17,266	2,059	1,089	0	2	0	2	24	209	10	79	6	0	0	0	32	11	0	0	0	0	68,276	
Minnesota	16,661	40,764	12,619	13,620	1,143	931	0	1	0	0	157	161	0	103	18	1	0	0	16	15	3	0	1	0	86,214	
Mississippi	2,848	0	8,473	5,084	374	363	0	3	2	0	1,347	567	8	11	0	0	0	0	7	3	0	0	1	0	19,091	
Missouri	808	146	17,821	13,932	1,600	1,269	1	5	2	0	1,144	582	20	349	40	0	0	0	33	21	3	0	2	0	37,778	
Montana	1,206	2	4,677	4,987	371	350	23	3	1	0	360	382	1	26	9	2	0	0	6	5	2	1	1	0	12,415	
Nebraska	4,929	149	174	1,592	22	7	0	0	1	0	2	15	0	19	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6,918	
Nevada	4,123	0	5,193	2,525	369	344	0	0	0	0	216	66	0	2	0	0	0	0	354	95	22	0	0	0	13,309	
New Hampshire	1,206	4	6,140	3,556	455	0	60	0	2	0	0	7	0	95	4	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	11,536	
New Jersey	0	0	8,404	3,677	982	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81	41	4	1	0	3	13,193	
New Mexico	779	0	6,711	4,144	569	422	0	5	1	0	357	297	3	57	2	0	0	0	85	37	5	1	1	0	13,476	
New York	5,224	2,770	11,156	12,438	1,366	255	0	0	1	1	22	47	6	44	70	2	1	3	275	276	18	8	9	2	33,994	
North Carolina	18,825	389	46,040	11,984	1,388	1,191	0	17	8	1	1,588	907	9	822	155	4	2	3	41	12	3	5	1	0	83,395	
North Dakota	575	3	2,115	3,021	163	140	0	0	0	1	47	70	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	6,145	
Ohio	9,427	353	23,293	15,181	1,549	1,284	0	4	1	0	1,098	369	8	267	104	60	0	0	20	6	0	0	2	0	53,026	
Oklahoma	3,207	13	12,767	8,668	1,360	937	4	23	10	1	1,535	818	4	106	3	2	0	0	32	30	6	2	3	0	29,531	
Oregon	6,361	357	26,529	16,392	301	27	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	162	46	0	0	0	54	53	7	0	0	0	50,292	
Pennsylvania	31,299	0	43,869	21,576	47	0	360	0	0	0	0	0	0	726	83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	97,960	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,396	382	40	46	0	0	0	0	47	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	933	84	6	2	0	0	5,939	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,176	736	148	177	0	0	0	0	3	4	1	22	14	10	0	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	2,306	
South Carolina	6,034	635	10,395	5,517	737	523	1	8	2	0	693	256	3	266	11	8	0	0	7	6	1	0	0	0	25,103	
South Dakota	980	19	2,093	2,740	191	155	0	1	0	0	98	66	1	4	1	7	0	0	5	13	0	0	0	0	6,374	
Tennessee	16,198	100	27,862	16,636	1,935	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	103	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62,843
Texas	25,622	0	56,795	28,584	4,022	3,191	24	49	23	2	6,282	2,334	55	306	16	1	0	0	47	28	8	5	0	0	127,394	
Utah	15,136	55,823	5,118	4,380	757	0	0	3	3	0	217	192	1	218	44	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81,933	
Vermont	0	0	1,708	1,881	105	132	2	2	1	0	5	14	1	2	0	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	3,859	
Virgin Islands	27	23	20	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	79	
Virginia	427	194	25,421	15,125	3,368	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	473	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45,077	
Washington	15,817	374	23,767	19,992	24,063	407	13	10	14	25	317	502	75	560	113	11	0	0	389	375	636	0	2	1	87,463	
West Virginia	2,690	212	4,945	5,480	272	358	18	7	0	0	586	459	0	27	1	0	0	0	10	3						





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Alabama	13,130	229	20,028	13,674	1,403	1,042	0	12	8	2	2,215	1,004	7	74	0	0	0	0	35	26	11	1	1	0	52,902				
Alaska	269	25	2,406	1,779	323	167	0	2	1	0	92	60	2	22	4	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	5,157				
Arizona	8,875	1,389	17,744	8,275	1,763	997	0	9	6	1	1,211	453	6	232	26	2	0	0	9	3	0	1	1	0	41,003				
Arkansas	1,944	272	6,484	6,290	485	405	6	13	6	0	979	750	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	1	2	0	17,648				
California	21,900	10,343	35,181	21,735	4,949	0	0	0	0	0	621	329	31	1,444	1,044	184	0	0	7,665	3,009	611	77	36	0	109,159				
Colorado	7,464	11	18,373	11,230	2,031	1,668	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	304	54	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,139				
Connecticut	8,334	2,849	5,842	1,922	2,514	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	544	169	199	0	0	0	22,375				
Delaware	434	0	2,231	1,081	86	61	0	0	0	0	15	10	0	68	0	0	0	0	99	13	1	0	0	0	4,099				
District of Columbia	960	1	326	13	0	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,362				
Florida	19,460	0	58,648	22,950	4,883	2,827	0	10	5	1	3,726	898	7	1,426	117	3	0	0	338	164	53	54	42	0	115,612				
Georgia	16,453	0	18,081	9,451	997	785	0	19	4	0	2,011	706	17	72	0	0	0	0	16	4	0	0	1	0	48,617				
Guam	0	0	188	79	19	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	292				
Hawaii	1,847	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,848				
Idaho	6,159	69	5,234	4,415	649	265	0	1	1	0	286	246	0	91	13	0	0	0	15	15	0	0	0	0	17,459				
Illinois	480,752	0	28,370	14,140	1,715	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	524,977				
Indiana	372	32,711	22,825	12,560	1,912	1,092	3	6	1	0	781	302	16	43	1	0	0	0	34	28	4	0	1	0	72,692				
Iowa	6,740	6,768	2,527	2,790	193	92	11	0	0	0	30	22	3	51	20	3	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	19,255				
Kansas	1,315	403	6,507	5,577	708	417	0	3	1	3	502	225	5	81	12	3	0	0	6	6	1	1	0	0	15,776				
Kentucky	716	301,242	10,744	8,081	628	603	6	7	4	0	1,488	806	4	31	9	0	0	0	35	18	4	2	0	0	324,428				
Louisiana	1,879	706	10,755	7,949	870	572	0	8	1	0	910	423	14	0	0	0	0	0	15	12	4	0	0	0	24,118				
Maine	522	8	3,614	3,093	352	214	0	0	0	0	59	54	2	18	6	1	0	0	8	4	0	0	0	0	7,955				
Mariana Islands	0	0	8	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11				
Maryland	21,495	36	12,299	5,849	116	10	0	0	0	0	82	93	1	113	18	2	0	0	0	44	6	0	1	0	40,165				
Massachusetts	10,720	0	5,626	2,799	1,506	242	0	1	0	1	9	16	0	2	0	0	0	0	32	23	6	1	0	0	20,984				
Michigan	18,535	6,068	21,880	15,056	2,420	915	0	0	1	2	18	195	7	57	3	0	0	0	22	9	2	1	0	0	65,191				
Minnesota	11,361	32,523	9,530	8,082	1,016	494	0	0	0	0	145	146	0	77	22	1	0	0	15	8	1	0	1	0	63,422				
Mississippi	3,346	0	8,153	6,557	511	373	0	10	8	0	1,366	694	1	23	1	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	21,050				
Missouri	853	87	19,831	14,724	2,133	1,206	2	3	0	1	1,190	546	21	400	48	2	0	0	27	28	4	0	5	0	41,111				
Montana	996	0	3,600	3,179	388	253	21	0	2	1	369	357	3	23	9	1	0	0	4	7	2	2	2	0	9,219				
Nebraska	4,240	66	227	1,665	31	10	0	0	0	0	2	22	0	26	9	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	6,301				
Nevada	1,265	0	4,875	2,288	386	304	0	0	0	0	259	77	0	4	1	0	0	0	463	162	28	0	0	0	10,112				
New Hampshire	782	4	6,094	2,872	472	0	34	2	1	0	0	4	0	109	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,384				
New Jersey	0	0	10,554	4,848	1,203	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	86	44	10	1	0	1	16,748				
New Mexico	1,193	0	6,587	3,912	640	375	0	4	4	2	401	260	1	41	3	0	0	0	82	54	6	0	2	0	13,567				
New York	4,637	4,112	10,288	10,775	1,211	241	0	0	0	0	28	38	4	45	63	1	1	1	275	213	22	8	3	0	31,966				
North Carolina	35,510	245	1,728	12,327	1,099	203	0	15	10	0	1,636	980	8	776	132	5	2	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	54,685				
North Dakota	514	12	1,876	2,325	172	101	0	1	0	0	66	51	2	10	6	0	0	0	6	19	0	0	0	0	5,161				
Ohio	7,097	233	24,938	13,130	1,563	1,115	0	4	2	0	1,328	358	5	251	93	13	0	0	12	8	3	0	0	0	50,153				
Oklahoma	2,682	14	11,935	8,559	1,339	850	1	20	13	0	1,621	850	11	308	3	0	0	0	23	37	12	1	1	0	28,280				
Oregon	7,571	396	32,268	15,723	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	165	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56,173				
Pennsylvania	38,338	0	42,802	19,236	33	0	360	0	0	0	0	0	0	836	106	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101,711				
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,827	277	62	43	0	1	0	0	49	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	804	77	3	1	0	0	5,155				
Rhode Island	0	0	1,190	622	102	127	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	24	19	17	0	0	14	3	1	0	0	0	2,120				
South Carolina	10,758	981	10,668	6,069	881	447	3	0	0	0	801	279	3	255	14	5	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	31,169				
South Dakota	843	4	2,015	2,506	183	114	0	0	0	0	89	81	1	5	1	0	0	0	7	12	0	0	1	0	5,862				
Tennessee	19,015	110	28,782	16,472	1,901	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	94	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	66,377				
Texas	28,661	0	55,982	29,702	4,323	2,819	21	44	26	3	6,766	2,495	72	199	15	0	0	0	44	37	5	2	5	0	131,221				
Utah	11,592	55,788	4,757	3,717	733	0	0	5	7	3	192	172	0	217	37	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,247				
Vermont	0	0	1,575	1,412	141	107	0	0	3	1	11	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	3,269				
Virgin Islands	317	23	25	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	379				
Virginia	478	189	26,233	15,043	3,637	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	439	108	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,130				
Washington	17,327	393	19,251	11,776	5,937	128	32	0	15	8	331	424	38	558	118	17	0	0	538	363	234	0	5	2	57,495				
West Virginia	2,751	100	5,280	5,333	363	344	6	1	0	0	664	512	2	12	4	1	0</												

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Alabama	16,023	220	29,645	25,911	1,740	1,668	0	19	6	1	2,461	1,073	20	43	0	0	0	0	27	29	13	0	0	0	78,899	
Alaska	196	9	3,231	2,824	372	196	0	2	0	0	114	51	0	15	8	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	7,021	
Arizona	8,802	1,968	23,595	11,885	2,120	1,290	0	10	3	0	1,208	426	11	183	24	1	0	0	7	5	3	0	0	0	51,541	
Arkansas	2,461	428	10,515	11,968	624	583	80	10	8	0	1,053	765	5	0	0	0	0	0	9	10	6	0	2	0	28,527	
California	22,839	10,947	40,213	28,073	5,523	0	0	1	0	1	743	380	33	1,273	752	125	0	0	7,124	2,848	610	40	18	0	121,543	
Colorado	6,354	11	22,830	15,437	1,959	2,018	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	257	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48,901	
Connecticut	5,986	1,498	6,526	2,183	1,148	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	478	151	56	0	0	0	18,027	
Delaware	274	0	2,607	1,716	115	82	0	1	0	0	20	11	0	35	0	0	0	0	94	9	1	0	0	0	4,965	
District of Columbia	945	0	300	21	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,277	
Florida	18,857	0	74,886	35,416	5,826	3,881	0	7	5	0	3,775	1,013	6	1,224	101	3	0	0	388	218	74	63	41	2	145,786	
Georgia	14,454	0	28,194	19,068	1,341	1,243	2	28	8	3	2,162	822	18	77	0	0	0	0	12	10	0	1	0	0	67,443	
Guam	0	0	179	86	15	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	285	
Hawaii	1,559	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,562	
Idaho	3,673	72	8,694	7,551	817	419	0	3	0	0	302	239	2	54	4	2	0	0	4	10	1	1	0	0	21,848	
Illinois	426,000	0	30,563	18,733	2,005	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	477,301	
Indiana	330	32,965	28,936	18,301	2,244	1,397	0	8	3	1	922	334	33	50	3	0	0	0	37	28	3	0	2	0	85,597	
Iowa	5,396	3,720	3,430	4,684	250	109	16	0	0	0	25	36	1	66	15	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	17,750	
Kansas	1,111	440	8,716	8,791	793	587	0	2	3	0	520	226	5	83	11	0	0	0	6	5	1	0	1	0	21,301	
Kentucky	522	301,296	16,789	15,697	861	980	9	12	10	0	1,519	850	1	26	5	0	0	0	19	26	2	1	0	0	338,625	
Louisiana	1,356	606	17,019	16,403	1,052	1,048	0	5	2	1	900	513	11	0	0	0	0	0	18	13	4	1	0	0	38,952	
Maine	448	5	4,895	5,150	419	326	2	1	0	0	77	47	2	26	8	1	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	11,413	
Mariana Islands	0	0	17	6	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	
Maryland	22,199	42	12,642	8,061	158	11	0	1	1	0	86	101	2	142	28	6	0	0	0	18	1	0	2	0	43,501	
Massachusetts	7,576	1	6,139	3,159	1,548	301	0	0	0	0	11	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	49	35	11	0	0	0	18,846	
Michigan	15,471	4,622	25,042	21,169	2,797	1,095	2	0	0	3	22	226	11	69	9	2	0	0	28	13	2	1	1	0	70,585	
Minnesota	10,720	33,740	11,270	11,604	1,221	657	0	1	0	0	180	142	5	59	15	0	0	0	18	9	2	0	0	0	69,643	
Mississippi	2,903	0	13,752	15,187	634	662	0	6	6	0	1,700	914	5	14	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	1	0	0	35,793	
Missouri	637	73	27,213	23,525	2,645	1,760	0	7	2	1	1,307	614	21	282	33	0	0	0	47	40	2	1	2	0	58,212	
Montana	886	2	5,469	5,386	463	351	21	5	3	0	361	370	1	47	6	3	0	0	4	8	0	1	1	2	13,390	
Nebraska	4,475	82	337	2,864	44	12	0	0	0	0	2	29	1	25	4	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	7,878	
Nevada	3,626	0	6,127	3,153	459	372	0	0	0	0	266	56	1	0	0	0	0	0	374	131	26	0	0	0	14,591	
New Hampshire	759	1	7,873	4,217	455	3	32	0	5	0	0	4	0	120	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,483	
New Jersey	0	0	8,341	4,542	981	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58	41	9	0	1	0	13,973	
New Mexico	1,522	0	8,527	5,440	720	487	0	5	3	0	416	276	0	37	3	0	0	0	68	41	2	3	0	0	17,550	
New York	3,930	3,606	10,323	15,319	1,291	275	0	0	2	0	15	38	4	41	71	2	1	1	276	252	22	5	7	1	35,482	
North Carolina	28,256	345	2,841	23,239	1,438	280	0	6	7	1	1,841	1,185	11	622	118	10	1	4	3	15	0	0	0	0	60,223	
North Dakota	566	0	1,991	2,808	202	118	0	1	0	1	50	64	0	14	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	5,820	
Ohio	5,951	267	33,116	21,775	1,912	1,743	0	19	2	1	1,307	459	10	221	74	2	0	0	15	11	0	4	0	0	66,889	
Oklahoma	1,910	8	18,067	16,175	1,726	1,296	0	19	14	0	1,760	1,002	8	25	5	0	0	0	49	50	14	3	2	0	42,133	
Oregon	7,031	413	46,735	22,029	0	10	18	0	0	0	0	1	0	158	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76,437	
Pennsylvania	32,940	1	53,009	28,275	29	0	324	0	0	0	0	0	0	685	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	115,360	
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,083	357	51	49	0	2	1	0	37	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	710	57	4	4	1	0	6,363	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,378	746	111	133	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	8	12	7	0	0	14	9	2	0	1	0	2,422	
South Carolina	14,211	597	16,374	11,987	1,266	798	0	0	4	0	842	310	1	218	12	49	0	0	7	6	1	1	0	1	46,685	
South Dakota	668	3	2,608	3,888	221	179	0	0	0	0	107	109	1	1	1	1	0	0	10	13	6	0	0	0	7,816	
Tennessee	13,694	716	40,500	28,530	2,569	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	90	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86,109	
Texas	25,237	0	83,157	52,862	5,546	4,395	40	53	26	3	7,590	2,734	54	112	7	0	0	0	66	47	20	6	2	0	181,957	
Utah	14,162	55,707	8,160	7,997	829	0	0	4	6	1	234	243	2	225	38	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87,642	
Vermont	0	0	1,994	2,111	149	116	0	2	3	0	6	11	7	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	4,408	
Virgin Islands	94	0	25	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	0	133	
Virginia	332	134	32,824	22,955	4,519	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	451	74	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61,291	
Washington	14,608	369	20,960	14,335	4,573	114	8	2	9	6	267	418	24	472	103	18	0	0	455	355	184	0	1	1	57,282	
West Virginia	1,774	71	8,317	9,749	444	502	3	4	2	0	702	557	3	5	2	2	0	0	7	7	0	0	1	0	22,152	
Wisconsin	18,453	730	19,645	15,194	1,433	82	0	0	0	2	136	137	22	110	46	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	55,992	
Wyoming	308	9	3,096	2,932	258	194	10	1	1	1	126	108	0	25	4	1	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	7,083	
Grand Total	792,485	455,724	904,715	661,477	69,917	31,834	571	247	145	27	35,174	16,917	343	7,694	1,790	280	2	5	10,503	4,550	1,085	137	86	7	2,995,715	

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Alabama	15,442	210	22,068	19,922	1,190	1,545	0	12	9	1	2,281	1,177	14	35	0	0	0	0	26	16	6	0	0	0	63,954
Alaska	292	5	3,182	2,890	332	265	0	1	0	0	83	52	1	14	12	0	0	0	0	1	19	0	0	0	7,149
Arizona	8,007	1,816	18,816	9,664	1,513	1,271	0	8	2	0	1,141	434	5	178	23	0	0	0	9	7	0	0	1	0	42,895
Arkansas	2,325	308	7,994	10,304	439	598	6	7	8	0	990	1,154	2	0	0	0	0	0	11	9	3	0	2	0	24,160
California	24,117	11,341	37,386	25,634	4,888	0	0	0	1	0	693	367	26	1,112	540	83	0	0	6,830	2,815	535	20	5	1	116,394
Colorado	6,598	35	20,088	13,493	1,551	1,819	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	293	52	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43,932
Connecticut	6,441	717	5,660	2,132	1,120	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	458	142	61	0	0	0	16,732
Delaware	257	0	1,961	1,570	76	89	0	0	0	0	17	5	0	64	0	0	0	0	71	11	0	1	0	0	4,122
District of Columbia	1,440	0	455	26	2	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,941
Florida	16,592	0	61,475	28,064	4,766	3,565	0	7	6	1	3,552	966	8	1,158	78	6	0	0	285	192	38	50	30	0	120,839
Georgia	13,585	0	20,201	14,036	866	1,126	2	19	10	0	1,913	864	12	58	0	0	0	0	12	4	1	0	0	0	52,709
Guam	0	0	196	83	13	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	307
Hawaii	1,418	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,419
Idaho	5,323	63	6,776	6,569	598	413	0	4	1	0	314	240	1	55	19	2	0	0	8	13	3	0	1	0	20,403
Illinois	412,201	0	24,875	14,612	1,564	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	453,252
Indiana	315	33,138	23,698	18,044	1,642	1,416	2	0	3	1	805	366	12	44	5	0	0	0	21	26	4	1	1	0	79,544
Iowa	4,379	3,676	3,589	5,081	176	138	7	0	0	0	24	29	0	55	10	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	17,168
Kansas	1,105	261	7,501	7,768	581	554	0	4	1	0	482	238	3	82	17	1	0	0	3	7	2	0	0	0	18,610
Kentucky	551	304,887	12,229	13,521	606	883	8	11	3	0	1,506	1,170	0	20	4	0	0	0	15	17	1	0	3	0	335,435
Louisiana	1,488	349	12,512	12,952	758	818	3	9	3	0	844	601	12	0	0	0	0	0	17	8	0	0	0	0	30,374
Maine	393	4	3,761	4,894	306	264	3	0	0	0	70	52	0	24	9	1	0	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	9,793
Mariana Islands	0	0	12	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Maryland	19,965	20	12,154	7,431	121	6	0	0	1	0	94	110	3	128	21	2	0	0	8	21	2	0	0	0	40,087
Massachusetts	9,344	0	5,791	3,340	1,389	286	0	0	0	1	15	12	0	1	0	0	0	0	25	22	8	1	1	0	20,236
Michigan	15,295	6,307	22,446	23,562	1,754	1,080	1	0	2	1	14	283	2	65	11	0	0	0	18	10	0	1	0	0	70,852
Minnesota	11,861	31,909	11,045	13,156	956	581	0	0	1	0	151	177	2	88	17	2	0	0	23	29	0	0	1	0	69,999
Mississippi	2,455	0	9,829	11,939	416	550	0	6	4	3	1,540	1,070	2	16	2	0	0	0	5	4	0	1	1	0	27,843
Missouri	702	56	21,737	21,503	1,800	1,590	3	4	7	1	1,336	816	15	367	33	5	0	0	26	32	6	1	2	1	50,043
Montana	801	2	4,283	5,028	311	298	24	1	4	0	342	402	1	35	8	0	0	0	7	4	0	1	0	0	11,552
Nebraska	3,957	121	263	2,702	25	15	0	0	0	0	2	24	0	26	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,140
Nevada	2,283	0	5,324	2,480	363	380	0	0	0	0	231	62	1	0	0	0	0	0	362	87	25	0	0	0	11,598
New Hampshire	723	3	6,358	3,753	323	0	21	0	6	0	0	2	0	133	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11,333
New Jersey	0	0	8,346	3,945	924	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	31	7	1	0	0	13,317
New Mexico	1,320	0	6,926	4,658	538	434	0	4	3	0	375	294	0	45	0	0	0	0	61	43	0	0	1	0	14,702
New York	5,462	2,850	9,328	14,518	1,093	226	0	0	1	0	37	47	4	60	66	0	1	5	271	281	22	7	9	1	34,289
North Carolina	26,689	63	2,400	17,849	1,015	259	0	6	3	0	1,721	1,241	10	695	102	9	1	0	1	15	0	1	0	0	52,080
North Dakota	447	8	1,914	3,095	131	157	0	0	2	0	50	81	2	3	1	0	0	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	5,901
Ohio	5,430	184	28,175	23,760	1,472	1,760	0	16	6	0	1,220	574	2	220	61	7	0	0	5	5	0	0	1	1	62,899
Oklahoma	1,950	4	14,698	13,433	1,244	1,202	0	19	13	1	1,738	1,277	5	27	2	0	0	0	35	36	8	4	5	0	35,701
Oregon	5,197	389	57,990	27,862	0	19	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	169	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91,661
Pennsylvania	32,362	0	45,307	27,505	28	0	336	0	0	0	0	0	0	775	126	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	106,439
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,943	438	64	59	0	0	1	0	40	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	724	54	1	0	0	0	7,330
Rhode Island	0	0	1,238	729	117	126	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	19	6	0	0	5	8	0	0	0	0	2,269
South Carolina	11,615	434	12,634	9,269	772	605	0	9	2	0	892	381	6	253	8	46	0	0	4	5	1	0	0	0	36,936
South Dakota	866	6	2,622	4,447	180	177	0	1	0	0	107	123	0	5	2	2	0	0	8	29	1	0	1	0	8,577
Tennessee	16,960	143	31,059	23,116	2,180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73,566
Texas	24,862	0	63,821	41,578	3,964	4,242	20	54	24	2	6,925	2,855	38	112	5	0	0	0	54	54	4	1	5	0	148,620
Utah	10,217	57,417	6,654	6,741	676	0	0	2	6	0	250	211	1	174	37	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82,434
Vermont	0	0	1,575	1,910	115	98	0	2	2	0	11	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	3,732
Virgin Islands	65	0	38	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	108
Virginia	534	190	27,137	19,880	3,505	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	430	92	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51,769
Washington	14,339	372	15,840	11,947	3,208	79	9	0	7	10	309	478	23	515	111	8	0	0	321	323	136	0	1	1	48,037
West Virginia	1,961	89	6,065	9,079	337	495	1	2	8	1	734	951	1	18	0	0	0	0	11	3	0	0	0	0	19,756
Wisconsin	19,868	850	19,780	17,496	1,038	88	0	0	0	1	127	229	11	135	63	3	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	59,699
Wyoming	294	18	2,724	2,534	189	177	4	1	1	0	114	109	0	28	3	1	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	6,202
Grand Total	770,093	458,245	765,879	591,953	53,236	29,773	460	209	151	24	33,090	19,541	227	7,837	1,612	249	2	5	9,819	4,396	894	91	71	5	2,747,862

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Alabama	17,148	314	17,564	13,145	1,096	989	0	17	1	0	2,308	1,018	12	62	1	0	0	0	21	18	4	1	2	0	53,721	
Alaska	283	24	3,319	3,316	378	261	0	0	0	0	123	99	0	22	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	7,833	
Arizona	7,855	1,801	16,648	8,317	1,497	952	0	14	5	1	1,181	497	4	184	11	1	0	0	10	5	0	1	0	0	38,984	
Arkansas	2,472	348	6,579	7,145	411	478	6	6	3	0	1,097	951	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	9	2	1	0	0	19,519	
California	27,623	11,356	36,991	22,350	4,451	0	0	2	0	0	591	446	28	1,131	576	47	0	0	7,383	2,942	528	68	14	0	116,527	
Colorado	6,631	21	18,115	12,580	1,582	1,626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	290	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,891	
Connecticut	7,119	644	5,379	1,875	902	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	495	141	75	0	0	0	16,635	
Delaware	407	0	1,956	1,127	86	72	0	0	0	0	15	4	0	42	0	0	0	0	56	21	0	0	0	0	3,786	
District of Columbia	1,094	0	406	29	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,537	
Florida	18,365	0	56,101	21,525	4,409	2,948	1	5	4	1	3,943	1,009	4	1,368	131	4	0	0	240	148	47	50	29	1	110,333	
Georgia	13,137	0	18,113	10,887	822	892	0	15	4	2	2,047	1,038	10	81	1	0	0	0	22	5	1	0	0	0	47,077	
Guam	0	0	194	69	21	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	295	
Hawaii	1,619	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,621	
Idaho	6,092	69	5,281	5,944	569	353	0	3	1	0	329	307	0	93	13	3	0	0	19	12	0	0	0	0	19,088	
Illinois	369,511	0	21,387	10,840	1,091	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	402,829	
Indiana	270	34,652	20,226	12,643	1,434	1,004	0	3	6	0	767	323	20	65	2	0	0	0	19	15	3	2	0	1	71,455	
Iowa	3,746	3,774	2,474	3,402	129	66	8	0	1	0	29	28	0	70	23	1	0	0	6	3	0	0	1	0	13,761	
Kansas	768	324	5,686	5,589	522	403	0	7	6	0	449	262	7	75	13	1	0	0	7	4	3	0	0	0	14,126	
Kentucky	606	306,736	9,836	9,489	517	655	7	8	8	0	1,482	1,021	1	16	3	0	0	0	20	20	1	1	0	0	330,427	
Louisiana	1,686	465	11,485	10,058	681	701	0	8	4	0	977	664	12	0	0	0	0	0	9	16	1	0	0	0	26,767	
Maine	551	6	3,706	6,019	264	243	4	1	2	0	70	77	0	30	12	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	10,988	
Mariana Islands	0	0	15	15	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	
Maryland	17,861	9	11,676	6,156	137	6	0	0	0	0	105	94	1	74	11	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	1	0	36,145	
Massachusetts	9,156	0	4,996	2,861	1,332	265	8	0	0	0	14	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	9	3	0	0	0	18,673	
Michigan	16,796	5,703	18,736	18,051	1,541	948	0	0	2	0	16	242	5	71	10	0	0	0	17	16	1	0	1	0	62,156	
Minnesota	12,424	39,807	10,012	16,617	912	593	0	1	2	0	186	278	6	87	35	4	0	0	13	22	1	0	0	0	81,000	
Mississippi	2,439	0	8,304	7,218	383	408	0	4	4	1	1,541	903	3	17	2	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0	0	21,233	
Missouri	775	113	18,211	17,451	1,639	1,268	1	8	1	0	1,305	767	18	292	38	0	0	0	35	30	6	2	1	0	41,961	
Montana	1,010	0	3,780	5,862	296	354	13	1	2	0	384	668	3	36	10	1	0	0	12	8	0	0	0	0	12,440	
Nebraska	3,469	59	106	2,049	17	6	0	4	2	0	3	31	0	18	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5,769	
Nevada	1,637	0	4,829	2,190	334	284	0	0	1	0	253	53	1	2	0	0	0	0	364	145	33	2	0	0	10,128	
New Hampshire	953	6	5,366	3,893	348	0	28	0	2	0	0	4	0	125	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,738	
New Jersey	0	0	10,050	4,137	1,067	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	48	12	10	3	0	15,401	
New Mexico	998	0	6,417	4,088	538	383	0	6	4	0	363	327	0	37	0	0	0	0	73	40	6	3	1	0	13,284	
New York	4,513	2,968	9,619	13,412	943	219	0	0	0	0	30	34	2	56	69	3	3	4	302	355	15	4	10	1	32,562	
North Carolina	24,964	69	1,458	14,220	982	216	0	5	7	0	1,847	1,268	8	724	107	8	2	0	1	9	1	1	1	1	45,899	
North Dakota	668	15	1,875	4,315	130	140	0	0	1	1	57	91	1	3	4	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	7,304	
Ohio	5,432	309	21,257	15,147	1,196	1,120	0	15	4	0	1,267	481	4	252	41	4	0	0	20	12	2	0	0	0	46,563	
Oklahoma	2,166	8	11,019	9,238	969	922	0	20	15	0	1,709	1,071	7	28	5	0	0	0	24	38	5	4	3	0	27,251	
Oregon	5,007	384	18,201	11,038	0	14	10	0	0	0	2	0	0	175	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34,863	
Pennsylvania	34,029	0	43,318	22,321	42	0	291	0	0	0	0	0	0	803	125	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100,930	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,724	308	57	51	0	2	0	0	30	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	796	62	4	2	0	0	6,041	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,011	707	104	137	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	47	10	7	0	0	22	6	1	1	1	0	2,055	
South Carolina	12,315	408	10,030	6,942	695	481	5	3	2	0	837	355	7	240	17	31	0	0	5	4	1	1	0	0	32,379	
South Dakota	940	5	2,022	5,141	136	177	0	1	0	1	114	141	1	4	3	0	0	0	10	41	0	0	0	0	8,737	
Tennessee	18,334	120	26,867	17,176	1,776	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	84	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64,371
Texas	26,520	0	56,594	33,532	3,676	3,109	12	63	25	1	7,177	3,021	47	110	6	0	0	0	61	33	8	4	4	0	134,003	
Utah	10,839	60,769	4,412	4,498	596	0	0	2	5	0	266	238	1	215	38	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81,921	
Vermont	0	0	1,564	2,005	108	105	1	0	2	0	8	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	7	0	0	0	0	3,819	
Virgin Islands	56	0	30	5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	95	
Virginia	515	244	24,372	16,631	3,310	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	484	93	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45,652
Washington	14,561	401	15,021	11,570	3,042	54	25	3	4	5	287	545	27	603	116	17	0	0	350	377	156	0	1	1	47,166	
West Virginia	1,890	113	4,981	6,824	241	430	3	0	3	0	713	727	0	13	4	0	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	15,952	
Wisconsin	20,063	794	16,814	16,646	955	65	0	0	0	1	149	189	12	145	33	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	55,872	
Wyoming	367	40	2,007	2,234	156	126	1	1	0	0	131	142	0	42	11	0	0	0	4	4	2	2	1	0	5,271	
Grand Total	737,680	472,878	641,140	470,847	48,523	23,541	431	228	133	15	34,204	19,447	257	8,317	1,683	189	5	4	10,533	4,650	923	162	74	5	2,475,869	



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Alabama	18,236	307	17,226	13,518	1,213	1,104	0	13	8	1	2,691	1,170	15	30	0	0	0	0	22	29	4	0	0	0	55,587	
Alaska	264	9	3,738	3,767	400	327	0	2	1	0	257	190	0	32	14	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	1	0	9,008	
Arizona	7,643	1,570	17,476	9,048	1,694	1,094	0	11	1	2	1,298	415	7	168	26	0	0	0	11	7	1	0	0	0	40,472	
Arkansas	2,548	443	6,670	6,102	394	452	7	12	6	0	1,211	1,057	4	0	0	0	0	0	8	10	3	0	0	0	18,927	
California	39,113	12,104	34,417	22,375	4,527	0	0	1	1	0	748	415	39	1,173	607	163	0	0	7,283	2,974	561	10	10	0	126,521	
Colorado	6,664	51	18,944	12,605	1,649	1,591	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	293	54	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,857	
Connecticut	7,888	540	5,121	1,660	856	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	386	153	50	0	0	0	16,655	
Delaware	537	0	1,803	964	66	64	0	0	0	0	16	8	0	47	0	0	0	0	37	13	0	0	0	0	3,555	
District of Columbia	569	0	634	36	0	16	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	76	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,335	
Florida	21,987	0	52,674	20,389	4,536	2,979	0	4	3	0	3,852	988	7	1,126	80	9	0	0	285	153	61	43	32	1	109,209	
Georgia	13,507	0	17,848	9,552	804	905	0	16	10	1	2,390	1,014	7	55	0	0	0	0	17	5	0	0	0	0	46,131	
Guam	0	0	239	91	17	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	357	
Hawaii	1,570	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,571	
Idaho	4,495	77	5,503	5,756	566	401	0	3	2	0	346	334	1	78	18	0	0	0	7	5	0	0	1	0	17,593	
Illinois	337,476	0	21,772	10,505	1,175	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	370,928	
Indiana	373	39,700	21,991	12,729	1,559	953	1	3	5	0	873	337	13	50	10	0	0	0	34	14	6	1	0	0	78,652	
Iowa	3,323	5,170	2,374	3,089	138	72	11	0	0	0	23	24	1	65	15	4	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0	14,316	
Kansas	998	255	5,656	5,144	550	383	0	16	0	1	564	211	5	60	3	0	0	0	11	3	0	1	0	0	13,861	
Kentucky	638	308,692	9,610	7,857	527	636	3	14	3	0	1,892	1,077	4	17	2	1	0	0	16	9	0	0	1	0	330,999	
Louisiana	1,856	395	12,116	9,347	837	742	0	7	5	0	1,076	650	14	0	0	0	0	0	10	8	1	0	0	0	27,064	
Maine	529	10	3,837	5,180	291	243	3	1	0	0	67	64	1	34	20	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	10,288	
Mariana Islands	0	0	16	15	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	
Maryland	17,878	10	11,129	5,779	121	7	0	0	0	0	93	99	2	95	42	6	0	0	0	17	2	0	1	1	35,282	
Massachusetts	8,624	0	4,784	2,739	1,102	244	2	0	0	1	6	15	2	2	0	0	0	0	28	13	3	1	1	0	17,567	
Michigan	16,258	5,464	19,068	17,606	1,731	878	0	1	3	0	26	205	1	89	9	0	0	0	25	21	1	3	1	0	61,390	
Minnesota	11,569	33,508	10,312	14,751	981	594	0	1	2	0	218	230	2	91	20	2	0	0	19	20	2	0	0	0	72,322	
Mississippi	2,590	0	8,678	6,655	405	513	0	6	6	1	1,832	891	3	19	3	0	0	0	5	4	0	1	0	0	21,612	
Missouri	829	97	18,416	15,044	1,658	1,226	3	10	2	0	1,492	742	17	289	42	1	0	0	42	42	5	3	2	0	39,962	
Montana	940	1	4,223	5,236	328	362	16	2	2	0	415	558	3	33	6	3	0	0	5	10	0	0	1	0	12,144	
Nebraska	3,154	86	115	1,758	28	4	0	0	0	0	4	40	0	16	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,209	
Nevada	1,898	0	5,043	2,322	388	349	0	1	0	0	252	65	0	1	0	0	0	0	393	142	29	0	0	0	10,883	
New Hampshire	1,127	2	5,444	3,616	319	0	40	0	0	0	0	4	0	111	8	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,681	
New Jersey	0	0	9,214	3,590	976	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77	48	9	2	1	0	13,917	
New Mexico	1,439	0	6,341	4,228	605	402	0	4	4	0	382	302	1	46	0	0	0	0	96	46	4	1	2	0	13,903	
New York	4,206	2,271	10,159	16,180	2,128	314	0	1	0	2	42	42	6	58	72	4	1	3	286	343	44	5	10	1	36,178	
North Carolina	24,094	127	1,347	12,819	1,094	235	0	12	11	0	1,923	1,303	12	799	120	6	4	1	2	9	0	0	2	0	43,920	
North Dakota	581	15	1,772	3,318	175	108	0	0	0	0	80	97	0	13	7	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	6,170	
Ohio	5,234	300	22,226	14,018	1,282	1,166	0	21	3	0	1,347	482	3	331	71	5	0	0	13	10	0	0	0	0	46,512	
Oklahoma	2,205	2	11,002	8,904	1,177	976	0	23	10	2	1,894	1,116	2	25	5	0	0	0	28	28	3	2	0	0	27,404	
Oregon	5,005	346	15,511	9,892	0	13	10	0	0	0	1	0	0	163	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30,973	
Pennsylvania	33,152	0	40,911	20,583	38	0	341	0	0	0	0	0	0	786	98	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	95,909	
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,537	263	55	32	0	0	0	0	39	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	582	66	1	0	0	0	4,580	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,025	607	90	131	0	0	0	0	6	4	0	10	10	8	0	0	14	8	1	0	0	0	1,914	
South Carolina	14,991	364	9,923	6,477	720	540	2	4	2	0	894	383	2	200	11	29	0	0	14	4	2	0	0	0	34,562	
South Dakota	1,001	7	2,118	3,486	163	184	0	1	0	0	134	144	1	5	1	1	0	0	12	27	7	0	1	0	7,293	
Tennessee	16,826	120	28,479	16,418	1,903	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	160	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63,911	
Texas	28,270	0	54,688	36,257	4,023	3,194	17	54	22	3	7,730	2,932	68	118	8	1	0	0	60	29	7	2	0	0	137,483	
Utah	10,707	62,710	4,710	4,497	568	0	0	2	4	2	277	248	0	230	51	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84,042	
Vermont	0	0	1,629	1,887	121	156	2	8	3	0	6	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	3,832	
Virgin Islands	91	0	38	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	137	
Virginia	444	227	23,514	14,899	3,420	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	479	80	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43,065	
Washington	14,454	301	16,010	10,922	3,098	92	14	0	6	3	242	564	34	494	87	21	0	0	303	280	172	1	2	1	47,101	
West Virginia	1,958	120	4,688	5,536	278	382	4	5	3	0	792	685	2	11	2	5	0	0	9	3	0	0	0	0	14,483	
Wisconsin	17,279	760	17,356	15,300	1,044	81	0	0	0	1	181	182	9	159	29	4	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	52,391	
Wyoming	663	34	2,194	2,354	162	135	0	0	0	0	139	188	0	23	9	0	0	0	3	5	1	0	0	0	5,910	
Grand Total	717,681	476,195	635,269	447,672	51,982	24,292	480	259	128	20	37,753	19,491	290	8,085	1,680	403	5	4	10,167	4,576	980	78	69	4	2,437,563	





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	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	
Alabama	19,380	389	20,615	12,473	1,670	1,168	0	17	6	0	2,307	902	19	40	0	0	0	0	26	29	8	0	0	0	59,049
Alaska	225	13	3,265	2,451	355	223	0	3	2	0	141	91	1	29	17	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	6,821
Arizona	7,912	1,369	21,680	10,684	2,246	1,487	0	5	1	2	1,049	369	6	197	15	0	0	0	12	7	2	1	0	0	47,044
Arkansas	2,495	494	7,462	4,881	624	453	11	10	5	2	1,090	790	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	11	1	0	0	0	18,337
California	20,367	11,254	43,113	27,018	7,422	0	0	0	0	8	813	454	45	923	564	135	0	0	7,848	3,128	779	39	19	1	123,930
Colorado	7,284	25	20,602	12,857	2,061	2,040	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	347	49	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45,272
Connecticut	6,991	522	5,869	1,730	1,419	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	496	141	89	0	0	0	17,258
Delaware	622	0	3,504	3,475	1,419	614	0	0	0	0	21	5	0	58	0	0	0	0	88	66	14	4	1	0	9,891
District of Columbia	496	0	406	12	0	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	928
Florida	23,118	0	70,236	26,816	6,465	4,001	0	10	1	0	3,588	890	13	1,303	101	4	0	0	373	245	91	39	42	0	137,336
Georgia	11,995	0	21,178	8,667	1,114	943	0	19	6	1	1,900	682	13	55	0	0	0	0	11	8	4	1	0	0	46,597
Guam	0	0	199	79	20	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	305
Hawaii	1,856	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,860
Idaho	6,422	8	6,832	5,661	792	448	3	1	0	1	311	256	2	66	9	0	0	0	10	9	0	0	0	0	20,831
Illinois	281,728	0	21,912	10,229	1,204	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	315,073
Indiana	407	44,018	22,310	11,461	2,008	1,144	12	7	3	2	729	276	21	47	7	0	0	0	44	40	2	0	0	0	82,538
Iowa	3,863	7,031	2,885	2,360	158	113	14	1	0	0	17	24	0	60	16	49	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	16,595
Kansas	1,498	461	6,912	4,901	806	453	0	5	1	2	488	187	8	92	8	1	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	0	15,830
Kentucky	662	315,845	10,740	7,033	763	674	1	12	5	1	1,589	790	10	17	0	0	0	0	19	8	2	1	1	0	338,173
Louisiana	2,392	339	13,840	6,700	1,105	748	0	9	3	0	895	451	9	0	0	0	0	0	14	14	2	0	0	0	26,521
Maine	495	2	4,447	3,773	437	308	5	1	0	0	98	71	0	22	6	1	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	9,676
Mariana Islands	0	0	14	13	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31
Maryland	4,126	26	8,401	5,951	188	10	0	0	0	0	99	73	1	95	35	2	0	0	0	35	0	0	0	0	19,042
Massachusetts	8,118	0	5,734	2,910	1,325	321	22	0	0	0	13	13	2	0	0	0	0	0	28	10	9	2	0	0	18,507
Michigan	17,566	6,339	22,279	14,440	2,341	997	0	0	0	0	25	189	5	93	12	0	0	0	13	11	1	1	0	0	64,312
Minnesota	13,386	31,932	10,511	8,650	1,158	585	0	2	4	0	188	166	6	85	8	0	0	0	10	15	1	1	0	0	66,708
Mississippi	2,617	0	8,976	5,134	556	477	0	6	5	2	1,628	723	1	13	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	1	0	0	20,146
Missouri	1,107	92	20,382	13,146	2,377	1,365	0	9	6	0	1,335	628	11	305	26	6	0	0	36	28	9	0	3	0	40,871
Montana	1,007	2	5,015	4,597	419	335	12	4	3	2	384	399	1	32	10	7	0	0	5	8	0	0	0	0	12,242
Nebraska	3,899	79	115	1,487	25	18	0	0	0	0	2	26	0	21	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5,677
Nevada	4,908	0	6,351	2,926	497	459	0	2	1	0	187	59	1	0	0	0	0	0	361	155	18	0	0	0	15,925
New Hampshire	905	4	6,688	3,396	354	1	41	13	6	0	0	8	0	113	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	11,537
New Jersey	0	0	6,813	5,022	978	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	68	67	9	2	1	1	12,962
New Mexico	519	0	7,367	4,361	823	406	0	2	5	2	366	248	2	45	1	0	0	0	69	39	2	1	2	0	14,260
New York	4,055	5,685	11,860	19,130	5,930	768	0	1	1	1	29	38	10	45	79	6	1	1	308	316	69	4	11	1	48,349
North Carolina	30,651	54	1,819	13,030	1,398	257	0	7	6	1	1,716	1,098	10	773	137	11	3	2	1	16	2	0	0	0	50,992
North Dakota	1,178	13	1,799	2,311	165	113	0	0	0	0	55	64	1	22	3	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	1	0	5,733
Ohio	6,801	186	29,208	13,273	1,636	1,376	2	5	2	0	1,325	406	6	210	64	1	0	0	13	4	1	0	3	0	54,522
Oklahoma	2,700	2	14,288	8,281	1,887	1,070	0	18	8	0	1,848	911	10	14	0	0	0	0	42	34	5	2	2	1	31,123
Oregon	5,916	385	17,867	10,391	0	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	43	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34,771
Pennsylvania	34,445	0	48,211	20,917	38	0	353	0	0	0	0	0	0	757	100	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	104,824
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,585	437	48	68	0	2	0	0	24	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	795	82	1	3	0	0	7,050
Rhode Island	0	0	1,457	897	129	343	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	13	8	10	0	0	9	9	0	2	1	0	2,883
South Carolina	13,630	521	12,819	5,822	873	572	2	7	2	1	887	274	5	209	18	62	0	0	9	4	2	0	0	0	35,719
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Tennessee	18,559	276	30,112	15,782	2,142	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	157	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67,036
Texas	30,240	0	69,148	32,349	5,487	3,500	20	53	16	4	6,884	2,450	67	121	4	0	0	0	61	47	10	1	1	1	150,464
Utah	13,335	60,999	6,333	4,920	756	0	0	1	3	3	236	209	0	168	27	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87,018
Vermont	0	0	1,767	1,517	136	120	0	5	5	0	9	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	3,570
Virgin Islands	241	0	44	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	1	0	0	0	0	302
Virginia	308	189	27,252	14,648	4,171	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	499	101	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47,169
Washington	16,440	292	38,603	16,561	5,553	160	26	1	9	2	267	443	40	621	74	15	0	0	463	380	237	0	2	0	80,189
West Virginia	2,165	98	5,662	4,539	344	387	0	3	1	0	755	498	1	7	3	1	0	0	4	5	0	0	0	0	14,473
Wisconsin	15,128	796	17,974	11,110	1,323	66	0	0	0	0	8	158	142	11	200	38	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	46,961
Wyoming	487	19	2,463	2,412	228	147	0	0	0	0	149	142	2	24	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6,076
Grand Total	655,262	489,759	763,168	436,141	75,581	28,908	537	241	116	45	33,739	15,570	343	8,056	1,603	362	4	3	11,282	5,013	1,374	106	90	5	2,527,308

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Alabama	17,637	337	18,288	10,569	1,085	922	1	11	6	0	2,046	751	9	20	0	0	0	0	33	15	5	0	0	0	51,735	
Alaska	207	10	3,193	2,463	303	180	0	2	1	0	160	75	0	39	22	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	6,661	
Arizona	9,868	1,574	18,297	8,087	1,511	1,226	0	9	4	1	978	341	5	224	22	1	0	0	7	7	1	0	0	0	42,163	
Arkansas	2,496	289	6,381	4,276	327	376	2	5	5	0	952	734	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	0	0	0	0	15,854	
California	18,159	11,740	37,659	23,729	5,143	0	0	2	0	0	929	376	21	1,743	871	214	0	0	7,362	3,033	607	20	4	0	111,612	
Colorado	6,357	19	19,421	11,234	1,495	1,590	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	343	42	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,505	
Connecticut	9,520	475	5,463	1,585	1,087	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	571	128	81	0	0	0	0	18,914	
Delaware	579	0	2,071	1,209	163	109	0	0	0	0	10	11	1	76	0	0	0	69	16	6	1	1	0	0	4,322	
District of Columbia	479	0	369	11	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	878	
Florida	19,022	0	59,519	20,002	4,408	2,853	1	13	5	0	3,218	797	11	1,147	78	4	0	311	190	56	46	41	1	1	111,723	
Georgia	10,324	0	20,689	7,238	779	817	0	9	4	2	1,753	628	11	71	0	0	0	21	4	1	0	1	0	0	42,352	
Guam	0	0	190	72	15	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	288	
Hawaii	1,331	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,334	
Idaho	5,887	1	6,062	5,228	569	389	1	0	1	0	254	249	0	50	5	0	0	8	6	1	0	0	0	0	18,711	
Illinois	249,554	0	19,865	8,639	1,031	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	279,089	
Indiana	379	53,735	19,617	9,957	1,372	896	0	4	3	2	596	233	25	38	8	0	0	30	20	0	1	0	0	0	86,916	
Iowa	3,302	6,978	2,321	2,191	129	79	8	0	1	0	21	30	0	57	20	2	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	15,142	
Kansas	1,543	104	5,867	4,046	499	369	0	6	0	0	434	150	7	73	12	0	0	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	13,118	
Kentucky	673	318,126	9,753	6,567	505	565	1	10	2	0	1,347	668	5	25	2	0	0	16	15	3	0	0	0	0	338,283	
Louisiana	2,025	394	12,405	5,438	771	592	0	11	2	0	746	398	10	0	0	0	0	9	8	1	0	0	0	0	22,810	
Maine	524	6	3,457	2,937	309	212	2	0	0	0	48	35	1	24	6	1	0	5	5	0	0	1	0	0	7,573	
Mariana Islands	0	0	17	26	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	
Maryland	4,251	28	7,645	5,276	123	7	0	0	0	1	93	72	1	104	17	6	0	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	17,641	
Massachusetts	8,416	0	5,041	2,508	1,009	266	8	0	0	0	9	10	3	0	0	0	0	12	14	8	1	1	0	0	17,306	
Michigan	17,208	5,510	20,573	12,514	1,690	787	0	0	4	0	21	166	6	83	19	1	0	22	11	1	0	0	0	0	58,616	
Minnesota	13,299	36,596	10,715	9,157	924	596	0	0	1	1	160	161	1	59	10	3	0	18	23	5	0	0	0	0	71,729	
Mississippi	2,358	0	8,395	4,393	457	415	0	9	1	0	1,404	581	2	30	0	0	0	14	5	1	1	0	0	0	18,066	
Missouri	1,087	0	18,363	11,898	1,790	1,180	1	8	1	2	1,144	537	12	243	36	3	0	30	36	8	2	0	1	0	36,382	
Montana	1,035	3	4,375	4,513	352	322	6	1	1	0	400	366	4	35	7	1	0	6	12	1	0	0	0	0	11,440	
Nebraska	3,848	53	111	1,269	21	4	0	0	0	0	2	19	1	19	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5,353	
Nevada	2,734	0	5,586	2,413	380	363	0	0	0	0	242	56	0	0	0	0	0	319	125	12	0	0	0	0	12,230	
New Hampshire	833	3	5,392	2,822	248	1	22	0	4	0	0	11	0	112	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,454	
New Jersey	0	0	6,682	3,955	813	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	74	68	7	2	2	4	0	11,608	
New Mexico	628	0	6,612	3,775	514	352	0	1	2	1	304	260	0	27	0	0	0	65	20	4	0	1	0	0	12,566	
New York	3,980	1,997	9,679	12,756	1,771	322	0	1	0	0	37	35	6	52	68	4	1	2	294	296	30	3	12	0	31,346	
North Carolina	27,642	72	1,579	10,792	1,044	212	0	13	6	1	1,535	946	7	659	109	7	1	2	10	4	0	0	0	0	44,641	
North Dakota	884	0	1,882	2,246	144	93	0	0	0	0	59	70	1	10	4	0	0	13	12	1	0	0	0	0	5,419	
Ohio	7,224	143	22,495	11,534	1,208	1,112	0	1	2	0	1,047	329	4	170	68	7	0	15	11	1	0	0	0	0	45,371	
Oklahoma	2,023	3	11,879	6,871	1,232	829	0	18	14	0	1,542	784	7	15	3	0	0	32	27	4	2	2	0	0	25,287	
Oregon	5,617	489	15,483	8,842	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	167	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30,641	
Pennsylvania	29,483	0	41,014	17,026	64	0	427	0	0	0	0	0	0	761	121	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88,898	
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,790	401	50	51	0	1	0	0	42	10	0	0	0	0	0	865	89	2	4	0	0	0	7,305	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,086	680	78	228	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	21	13	5	0	12	8	0	0	0	0	0	2,136	
South Carolina	10,172	617	11,806	4,936	632	584	0	5	1	0	727	237	4	176	18	50	0	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	29,978	
South Dakota	693	6	2,096	2,240	173	142	0	2	1	0	146	114	0	1	0	0	0	12	8	2	0	3	0	0	5,639	
Tennessee	19,591	440	26,402	12,876	1,737	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	140	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61,194	
Texas	24,665	0	61,073	26,898	3,881	3,084	16	40	12	2	6,280	2,250	58	150	19	0	0	57	29	6	0	2	1	0	128,523	
Utah	10,735	62,037	5,366	4,129	482	0	0	2	4	0	241	191	1	186	34	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83,437	
Vermont	0	0	1,396	1,287	97	92	1	1	0	0	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	2,894	
Virgin Islands	150	0	31	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	186	
Virginia	248	191	24,118	12,268	3,224	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	452	94	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,599	
Washington	18,511	208	26,620	12,272	3,925	89	14	2	9	7	248	450	31	561	68	4	0	382	294	210	0	1	2	0	63,908	
West Virginia	1,898	159	4,907	4,298	273	376	0	2	2	0	628	504	2	6	0	0	0	8	4	2	0	0	0	0	13,069	
Wisconsin	14,717	755	15,938	10,604	1,050	52	0	0	1	1	134	112	10	200	29	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	43,611	
Wyoming	476	24	2,421	2,148	170	131	10	1	0	1	116	135	4	27	8	0	0	3	8	1	0	0	0	0	5,684	
Grand Total	594,272	503,124	663,455	365,102	51,058	22,886	533	190	100	22	30,060	13,894	272	8,398	1,884	371	2	2	10,722	4,600	1,074	84	73	9	2,272,187	

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	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other		
Alabama	16,150	236	20,593	12,513	1,249	1,041	0	21	2	0	2,214	852	8	37	0	0	0	0	16	19	4	0	1	0	54,956	
Alaska	354	19	3,425	2,946	391	192	0	2	1	0	114	81	1	39	14	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	7,589	
Arizona	25,746	1,305	20,628	9,300	1,814	1,253	0	7	5	2	1,211	407	5	172	18	0	0	0	16	10	0	0	0	0	61,899	
Arkansas	2,043	364	7,659	5,376	483	390	4	3	8	0	1,037	832	2	0	0	0	0	0	12	7	2	0	0	0	18,222	
California	17,944	12,972	38,217	25,572	5,595	5	1	1	2	0	807	393	33	1,986	1,117	158	0	0	7,491	3,186	698	23	7	0	116,208	
Colorado	7,092	10	20,608	12,516	1,799	1,725	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	388	58	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,201	
Connecticut	12,713	673	6,064	1,909	1,684	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	482	163	87	0	0	0	23,781	
Delaware	707	0	2,326	1,357	178	134	0	0	0	0	21	9	0	54	0	0	0	0	58	25	6	1	1	0	4,877	
District of Columbia	606	0	538	20	1	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,194	
Florida	22,255	0	65,359	22,430	4,912	2,931	1	6	4	0	3,455	909	4	1,135	92	1	0	0	316	218	61	37	27	0	124,153	
Georgia	12,112	0	22,500	8,495	849	812	0	13	10	0	1,747	710	12	65	0	0	0	0	19	6	1	1	0	0	47,352	
Guam	0	0	199	82	23	7	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	312	
Hawaii	1,450	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,452	
Idaho	5,386	2	6,581	5,795	677	396	4	1	0	1	316	285	3	82	25	1	0	0	10	13	0	0	2	0	19,580	
Illinois	267,196	0	24,064	10,548	1,178	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	302,986	
Indiana	908	60,622	24,086	13,122	1,933	1,064	1	6	5	1	686	317	22	48	3	0	0	0	33	19	6	2	2	0	102,886	
Iowa	4,032	9,474	2,818	3,058	159	85	3	1	1	0	28	40	1	76	24	6	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	19,809	
Kansas	1,451	12	6,989	4,915	656	415	0	1	1	1	421	184	4	55	6	0	0	0	8	8	1	0	0	0	15,128	
Kentucky	809	321,961	11,609	8,991	601	660	5	7	4	0	1,548	848	5	28	5	0	0	0	25	16	3	0	0	0	347,125	
Louisiana	2,555	209	13,978	6,119	914	664	1	8	5	0	915	474	7	0	0	0	0	0	12	5	2	0	0	1	25,869	
Maine	481	4	4,245	3,802	394	240	3	0	0	0	64	51	4	37	17	0	0	0	4	2	1	0	0	0	9,349	
Mariana Islands	0	0	19	10	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	
Maryland	4,965	41	7,795	6,062	136	5	0	0	0	1	73	90	8	127	18	1	0	4	0	19	2	0	1	2	19,346	
Massachusetts	7,916	2	5,671	3,282	1,287	285	7	1	0	0	12	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	15	3	1	0	0	18,518	
Michigan	18,227	5,754	25,891	17,597	2,303	933	4	0	1	2	24	227	3	76	15	0	0	0	25	13	0	0	0	0	71,095	
Minnesota	16,124	41,553	14,559	13,987	1,228	987	0	0	1	0	182	179	1	73	28	1	0	0	26	28	1	1	0	0	88,959	
Mississippi	2,352	0	10,141	5,599	539	462	0	5	4	0	1,443	640	4	6	1	0	0	0	8	9	1	1	0	0	21,215	
Missouri	1,332	0	21,431	16,216	2,080	1,278	0	4	2	3	1,226	578	8	297	27	0	0	0	47	38	14	2	0	0	44,583	
Montana	1,188	1	4,796	4,978	422	370	12	2	3	0	440	443	1	33	6	1	0	0	6	17	0	0	0	0	12,719	
Nebraska	4,653	60	154	1,631	20	7	0	0	0	0	4	32	0	27	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,598	
Nevada	1,498	0	6,004	2,624	437	392	0	1	0	0	203	61	0	1	0	0	0	0	349	109	10	0	0	0	11,689	
New Hampshire	1,166	0	6,657	3,648	226	0	15	0	13	0	0	9	0	104	13	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11,858	
New Jersey	0	0	7,844	4,643	1,059	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	63	23	1	1	0	13,713	
New Mexico	450	0	7,274	4,568	600	457	0	6	2	0	373	367	2	37	0	0	0	0	80	36	2	0	1	0	14,255	
New York	3,806	2,311	11,120	16,284	2,178	329	0	1	1	0	44	46	12	37	74	2	0	5	310	367	25	4	11	0	36,967	
North Carolina	27,640	427	1,655	12,435	1,148	188	0	10	10	0	1,690	1,076	9	651	74	1	0	0	6	14	0	0	0	0	47,034	
North Dakota	730	3	2,128	2,837	198	127	0	0	1	1	46	63	2	7	4	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	6,155	
Ohio	8,958	224	27,592	15,402	1,585	1,336	0	4	5	0	1,209	436	8	208	72	6	0	0	10	11	1	0	0	0	57,067	
Oklahoma	1,851	1	14,118	8,899	1,579	988	0	23	8	0	1,679	938	7	24	1	0	0	0	27	29	8	2	1	0	30,183	
Oregon	5,527	416	17,115	10,539	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33,864	
Pennsylvania	30,311	0	49,384	21,978	59	0	421	0	0	0	0	0	0	773	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102,997	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,724	355	49	42	0	2	0	0	36	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	711	80	4	2	0	0	6,012	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,251	788	88	215	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	24	6	10	0	0	11	9	1	1	0	0	2,406	
South Carolina	12,445	619	12,404	5,569	746	512	2	6	1	0	843	284	5	194	14	14	0	0	11	12	4	0	1	0	33,686	
South Dakota	885	9	2,693	3,077	223	195	0	0	0	0	127	118	1	2	1	0	0	0	11	29	2	0	0	0	7,373	
Tennessee	20,346	485	29,042	16,037	1,805	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	141	14	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67,877	
Texas	28,691	0	64,582	28,526	4,137	3,154	12	47	16	0	6,785	2,573	50	189	8	0	0	0	59	28	9	2	1	0	138,869	
Utah	12,062	62,830	5,844	4,761	676	0	0	4	4	1	247	162	0	195	35	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86,869	
Vermont	0	0	1,772	1,897	140	105	0	1	5	1	14	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	0	0	0	3,955	
Virgin Islands	103	0	40	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	154	
Virginia	385	124	26,441	15,143	3,368	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	448	100	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,010	
Washington	17,289	219	28,741	13,744	4,558	86	7	3	11	3	327	525	37	628	73	9	0	0	370	316	199	1	2	1	67,149	
West Virginia	1,809	122	5,647	5,719	358	368	3	3	1	2	693	526	2	16	0	1	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	0	15,280	
Wisconsin	14,934	925	20,876	16,225	1,303	67	0	0	1	1	121	162	21	128	31	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	54,798	
Wyoming	507	20	2,490	2,191	206	144	14	1	0	1	126	105	0	29	3	0	0	0	3	4	1	0	0	0	5,845	
Grand Total	650,140	524,009	750,381	446,121	60,232	25,062	528	201	138	21	32,558	16,067	298	8,878	2,135	300	0	5	10,694	4,961	1,183	82	59	4	2,534,057	







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Alabama	26,820	499	17,571	12,669	1,524	880	0	14	4	0	1,822	859	12	30	0	0	0	0	21	24	13	1	1	0	62,764
Alaska	104	0	2,248	1,872	393	152	0	0	1	0	93	60	2	26	24	0	0	0	2	8	1	0	0	0	4,986
Arizona	3,034	442	18,333	8,655	1,775	958	0	16	0	0	1,065	383	5	153	16	0	0	0	8	8	4	0	0	0	34,855
Arkansas	2,324	628	6,355	5,674	498	322	3	14	4	0	958	687	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	10	3	0	0	0	17,487
California	15,010	9,409	36,971	24,010	5,150	0	0	0	6	0	523	340	32	1,372	681	160	0	0	7,090	2,856	628	32	12	0	104,282
Colorado	7,817	6	18,435	11,107	1,758	1,411	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	319	43	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,897
Connecticut	8,669	619	5,790	1,803	896	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	472	145	79	0	0	0	18,473
Delaware	512	0	2,140	1,412	189	104	0	0	0	0	14	6	0	118	0	0	0	0	65	27	8	0	1	0	4,596
District of Columbia	930	0	434	17	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,418
Florida	18,451	0	57,833	23,109	4,678	2,618	2	8	9	0	3,379	852	11	1,094	105	2	0	0	309	221	79	35	32	0	112,827
Georgia	19,849	0	15,651	8,724	927	711	3	15	7	0	1,489	624	10	37	0	0	0	0	11	4	0	0	0	0	48,062
Guam	0	0	162	83	17	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	275
Hawaii	1,352	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,358
Idaho	4,785	2	5,360	4,418	593	255	0	3	1	0	238	208	3	32	11	0	0	0	17	20	1	0	0	0	15,947
Illinois	440,424	0	22,564	9,950	1,015	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	473,953
Indiana	1,287	72,093	21,402	12,343	2,205	921	2	2	3	1	630	266	16	48	4	0	0	0	41	55	11	2	1	0	111,333
Iowa	5,661	11,306	2,307	2,377	171	67	11	0	0	1	14	16	0	53	18	3	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	22,011
Kansas	1,123	7	6,297	5,293	779	394	0	5	2	0	427	221	5	51	14	2	0	0	5	1	4	0	0	0	14,630
Kentucky	657	333,471	9,894	7,487	634	521	1	10	4	0	1,211	621	3	20	1	0	0	0	27	28	3	2	0	0	354,595
Louisiana	4,588	574	12,253	7,529	1,007	541	0	11	5	0	790	426	11	0	0	0	0	0	17	13	3	0	0	0	27,768
Maine	562	7	3,391	2,614	371	181	2	0	1	0	39	21	0	25	19	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	7,239
Mariana Islands	0	0	24	16	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43
Maryland	4,157	27	7,033	5,700	119	8	0	0	0	2	32	83	3	107	38	3	0	4	0	24	2	0	1	1	17,340
Massachusetts	7,812	0	5,244	2,765	1,126	257	16	0	0	4	8	17	2	2	0	0	0	0	24	15	5	0	0	0	17,297
Michigan	17,041	6,865	21,493	13,790	2,372	789	0	0	1	2	25	183	8	120	4	0	0	0	30	6	0	1	1	0	62,731
Minnesota	13,021	31,675	10,750	8,032	1,092	541	0	1	1	1	148	152	5	88	21	4	0	0	17	12	2	0	1	0	65,564
Mississippi	2,086	0	8,048	6,372	589	340	0	6	1	0	1,205	623	1	22	2	0	0	0	8	5	3	1	0	0	19,312
Missouri	1,210	0	18,427	13,713	2,258	1,047	0	3	4	0	1,076	528	20	287	32	4	0	0	37	34	9	2	0	0	38,691
Montana	1,038	0	3,388	3,343	350	208	12	1	3	0	313	347	1	39	5	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	9,052
Nebraska	3,940	52	148	1,647	39	8	0	0	1	0	3	22	0	33	4	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	5,904
Nevada	3,518	0	5,878	2,687	435	376	0	2	2	0	229	79	0	0	0	0	0	0	308	119	15	0	0	0	13,648
New Hampshire	590	0	5,608	2,922	254	2	3	0	5	0	0	13	0	79	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,481
New Jersey	0	0	7,448	4,914	559	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	73	59	5	2	2	0	13,063
New Mexico	746	0	6,193	3,740	722	253	0	7	4	1	327	251	2	47	0	0	0	0	67	45	6	1	4	1	12,417
New York	3,350	1,802	9,203	12,239	1,822	271	0	0	0	2	40	50	4	49	52	3	2	3	291	327	36	3	7	0	29,536
North Carolina	32,363	133	1,662	12,250	1,190	158	0	6	3	1	1,503	942	10	613	82	12	3	0	3	14	3	0	1	0	50,952
North Dakota	905	0	1,682	2,108	151	89	0	0	0	0	54	54	0	14	4	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5,064
Ohio	11,385	181	21,582	13,064	1,956	974	0	6	0	1	883	325	8	162	47	7	0	0	20	17	4	1	2	0	50,625
Oklahoma	2,057	3	12,042	8,262	1,532	799	0	14	10	0	1,550	881	9	29	0	0	0	0	41	31	11	1	1	0	27,273
Oregon	5,746	350	14,986	8,682	0	25	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	181	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30,035
Pennsylvania	31,744	0	41,927	18,418	16	0	367	0	0	0	0	0	0	712	113	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93,298
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,433	279	50	47	0	0	0	0	36	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	821	98	1	3	0	0	5,778
Rhode Island	0	0	1,142	666	91	202	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	8	0	4	0	0	12	9	0	1	2	0	2,139
South Carolina	10,332	291	10,143	5,864	939	401	0	7	6	1	654	274	1	168	10	13	0	0	12	6	1	0	0	0	29,123
South Dakota	1,032	54	2,191	2,685	231	121	0	2	1	0	103	87	2	2	0	0	0	0	12	10	3	0	0	0	6,536
Tennessee	18,354	290	26,275	15,442	1,623	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	113	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62,111
Texas	23,857	0	58,532	29,742	4,491	2,502	16	48	16	2	5,974	2,175	69	200	17	0	0	0	46	33	13	3	1	0	127,737
Utah	10,377	60,441	4,784	3,746	500	0	0	3	8	0	193	185	0	174	35	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80,486
Vermont	0	0	1,556	1,384	141	83	0	2	1	0	5	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	3,184
Virgin Islands	69	0	15	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	95
Virginia	321	139	23,681	14,124	3,491	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	368	90	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42,218
Washington	15,482	184	20,809	10,856	3,472	57	16	0	9	2	262	348	26	476	93	11	0	0	335	294	180	0	1	1	52,914
West Virginia	1,759	48	4,547	4,850	422	273	2	1	1	0	657	471	4	7	0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	13,050
Wisconsin	21,156	814	17,403	10,674	1,286	45	0	0	1	2	100	113	13	156	39	2	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	51,816
Wyoming	407	12	1,967	1,848	209	100	21	1	1	0	133	96	1	26	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	4,827
Grand Total	809,814	532,426	645,635	397,973	58,090	20,032	506	208	126	23	28,206	13,905	304	7,665	1,684	306	5	3	10,270	4,611	1,139	91	71	3	2,533,096

# NICS Firearm Background Checks

December - 2021

State / Territory								Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals
	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	
Alabama	27,674	281	30,428	26,932	1,875	1,498	0	13	10	2	2,346	999	19	37	0	0	0	0	37	29	8	2	1	0	92,191
Alaska	41	29	3,448	3,216	481	220	0	0	0	0	96	79	0	10	12	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	7,640
Arizona	3,106	485	25,636	13,507	2,135	1,363	0	13	1	2	1,142	370	6	158	15	1	0	0	30	11	2	1	1	0	47,985
Arkansas	2,197	450	11,633	11,675	717	542	1	8	9	1	1,142	848	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	11	3	1	1	0	29,247
California	15,528	11,409	46,627	31,488	5,894	0	0	0	2	0	684	338	16	1,395	743	185	0	0	6,912	3,149	582	34	11	0	124,997
Colorado	7,671	5	24,959	17,729	2,067	2,006	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	307	44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54,788
Connecticut	8,367	570	7,023	2,256	1,063	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	516	205	67	0	0	0	20,071
Delaware	213	0	2,936	2,435	212	146	0	0	0	0	14	12	0	55	0	0	0	0	87	49	0	1	1	0	6,161
District of Columbia	750	0	478	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,250
Florida	20,720	0	77,064	36,710	5,904	3,833	0	16	4	1	3,738	950	14	1,076	79	3	0	0	370	277	86	49	34	0	150,928
Georgia	20,768	0	24,587	18,223	1,131	1,184	0	26	9	0	1,786	795	16	49	0	0	0	0	17	6	2	2	0	2	68,601
Guam	0	0	242	114	15	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	380
Hawaii	1,458	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,462
Idaho	5,183	0	9,253	8,389	808	470	0	0	3	0	318	255	0	43	5	0	0	0	28	19	2	0	0	0	24,776
Illinois	392,738	0	29,123	14,315	1,471	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	437,647
Indiana	1,351	61,533	29,183	20,059	2,676	1,381	2	8	4	2	698	268	27	35	3	0	0	0	48	50	3	0	2	2	117,333
Iowa	5,688	6,975	3,190	4,584	214	108	18	0	0	0	15	27	0	41	14	5	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	20,883
Kansas	2,020	10	9,137	8,877	868	551	0	3	0	0	490	204	9	36	16	0	0	0	4	3	0	1	0	0	22,229
Kentucky	623	335,789	18,288	16,090	866	874	0	17	9	1	1,553	817	5	12	3	0	0	0	29	38	4	5	3	0	375,026
Louisiana	2,177	155	18,564	16,077	1,224	944	0	4	3	3	909	515	17	0	0	0	0	0	21	22	2	1	0	0	40,638
Maine	431	2	5,199	5,353	497	317	3	0	0	1	55	33	1	12	14	0	0	0	5	7	1	0	1	0	11,932
Mariana Islands	0	0	19	14	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41
Maryland	3,783	24	8,618	8,842	148	10	0	0	1	0	42	64	1	77	17	0	0	0	0	30	5	0	0	1	21,663
Massachusetts	6,924	0	6,416	3,795	1,147	335	1	1	0	0	9	15	2	2	0	0	0	0	29	25	8	1	0	0	18,710
Michigan	15,337	7,818	27,809	22,240	2,853	1,068	0	1	3	1	20	198	11	74	8	0	0	0	29	15	2	1	1	0	77,489
Minnesota	13,927	30,026	12,730	12,495	1,374	620	0	0	1	1	174	150	7	70	13	1	0	0	30	34	6	1	0	0	71,660
Mississippi	2,085	0	15,182	15,343	790	660	0	7	2	1	1,546	864	2	27	2	0	0	0	7	3	1	0	1	0	36,523
Missouri	1,447	0	28,648	24,331	2,906	1,595	0	15	7	0	1,376	620	13	204	21	4	0	0	56	58	8	1	5	1	61,316
Montana	810	0	5,908	6,586	392	310	29	3	5	1	346	358	3	27	7	2	0	0	6	5	0	0	0	0	14,798
Nebraska	4,405	65	227	3,307	38	10	0	0	0	0	3	31	0	21	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,112
Nevada	2,852	0	6,773	3,338	491	452	0	5	0	0	161	55	1	0	0	0	0	0	347	106	17	0	0	0	14,598
New Hampshire	683	1	7,862	4,217	282	1	2	0	5	0	0	8	0	91	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,160
New Jersey	0	0	6,835	5,940	635	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	80	91	6	2	6	1	13,598
New Mexico	520	0	9,303	6,090	759	455	0	3	2	0	349	303	3	39	0	0	0	0	85	50	2	1	3	0	17,967
New York	3,184	1,875	10,289	20,083	2,149	294	0	0	0	1	36	50	8	37	56	1	0	2	292	387	34	7	12	0	38,797
North Carolina	31,504	58	2,495	25,331	1,599	280	0	8	5	1	1,860	1,263	14	648	92	10	1	3	0	13	4	0	2	0	65,191
North Dakota	624	1	2,316	3,123	193	134	0	1	0	0	54	67	3	6	1	1	0	0	13	13	0	0	0	0	6,550
Ohio	12,210	170	32,597	24,233	2,522	1,518	0	10	3	3	1,148	424	4	129	60	4	0	0	24	11	4	0	0	0	75,074
Oklahoma	1,742	9	19,342	16,152	1,834	1,411	0	20	15	0	1,736	955	8	13	0	0	0	0	38	28	13	3	2	0	43,321
Oregon	5,673	412	20,150	12,759	0	13	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	140	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39,198
Pennsylvania	31,427	0	57,822	30,165	28	0	324	0	0	0	0	0	0	626	95	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	120,487
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,519	341	60	48	0	0	0	0	45	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	807	55	3	8	0	0	6,892
Rhode Island	0	0	1,407	952	104	266	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	11	18	0	0	13	10	0	0	2	0	2,792
South Carolina	9,070	423	17,118	12,506	1,205	664	0	7	1	0	822	346	5	140	12	48	0	0	12	9	2	0	2	0	42,392
South Dakota	901	43	2,945	4,466	273	156	0	1	3	0	125	89	1	4	2	1	0	0	10	8	7	0	0	0	9,034
Tennessee	16,748	545	42,865	30,049	2,596	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	94	19	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92,922
Texas	22,565	0	89,626	54,657	5,594	3,913	4	44	23	4	6,895	2,669	59	167	14	1	0	0	52	54	9	1	1	0	186,352
Utah	9,915	63,738	8,552	8,075	605	0	0	6	4	3	199	179	1	184	41	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	91,536
Vermont	0	0	2,169	2,106	137	126	1	1	2	0	13	15	2	1	0	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	0	0	4,583
Virgin Islands	132	0	34	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	180
Virginia	296	152	33,356	23,898	4,573	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	407	72	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62,755
Washington	18,786	215	27,276	16,586	3,724	90	6	2	7	5	281	430	20	535	102	5	0	0	384	382	176	1	0	2	69,015
West Virginia	1,596	85	8,691	10,447	506	471	0	1	1	2	729	517	0	14	1	0	0	0	9	12	1	0	0	0	23,083
Wisconsin	24,904	815	22,744	15,539	1,416	52	0	0	0	5	107	130	17	131	30	3	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	65,899
Wyoming	564	11	3,605	3,523	283	161	9	0	0	0	125	126	0	22	3	0	0	0	3	6	1	0	0	0	8,442
Totals	763,318	524,180	924,246	689,569	71,340	30,566	413	243	144	41	33,189	16,442	315	7,207	1,682	346	1	5	10,462	5,294	1,071	122	94	5	3,080,295

NOTES:

\*Refers to frames, receivers, and other firearms that are neither handguns nor long guns (rifles or shotguns), such as firearms having a pistol grip that expel a shotgun shell, or National Firearms Act firearms, including silencers.

\*\*Multiple (multiple types of firearms selected).

DISCLAIMERS:

Some states may reflect lower than expected numbers for handgun checks based on varying state laws pertaining to handgun permits. Since the permit check is done in place of the NICS check in most of the affected states, the low handgun statistics are often balanced out by a higher number of handgun permit checks.

These statistics represent the number of firearm background checks initiated through the NICS. They do not represent the number of firearms sold. Based on varying state laws and purchase scenarios, a one-to-one correlation cannot be made between a firearm background check and a firearm sale.

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November - 2021

State / Territory								Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals
	Permit	Permit Reccheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	
Alabama	24,489	229	22,126	21,230	1,319	1,265	0	15	11	2	2,162	1,202	14	39	0	0	0	0	23	26	4	2	0	0	74,158
Alaska	12	57	3,162	3,248	405	244	0	1	1	0	91	65	2	33	16	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	7,342
Arizona	2,913	579	20,104	10,905	1,562	1,194	0	20	2	2	1,071	391	8	146	13	0	0	0	15	8	0	0	0	0	38,933
Arkansas	1,773	418	8,036	10,394	451	486	3	5	10	1	1,015	1,134	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	9	2	0	0	0	23,744
California	14,038	11,195	40,966	29,795	5,177	0	0	1	1	29	383	325	15	528	369	142	0	0	6,534	2,864	598	39	6	1	112,977
Colorado	7,367	5	21,290	16,190	1,581	1,915	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	323	56	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48,728
Connecticut	9,184	754	6,498	2,355	1,063	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	452	172	86	0	0	0	20,566
Delaware	254	0	2,389	2,151	169	139	0	0	0	0	20	15	1	80	0	0	0	0	65	41	5	3	2	0	5,334
District of Columbia	635	0	600	14	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,288
Florida	18,570	0	65,666	31,575	4,266	3,324	0	11	3	0	3,450	937	4	1,081	123	3	0	0	319	245	61	42	28	0	129,708
Georgia	20,172	0	18,064	14,404	800	941	0	16	10	0	1,625	865	11	56	0	0	0	0	11	5	1	0	0	0	56,981
Guam	0	0	229	119	25	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	386
Hawaii	1,567	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,568
Idaho	5,854	0	7,501	7,729	588	456	0	2	1	0	307	222	1	32	11	0	0	0	32	13	2	1	2	0	22,754
Illinois	262,319	0	25,791	14,008	1,552	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	303,670
Indiana	1,334	69,305	23,950	19,182	1,769	1,127	3	9	3	2	553	347	22	39	2	0	0	0	43	81	4	1	2	0	117,778
Iowa	5,653	4,263	3,157	4,961	189	121	19	0	0	0	23	29	1	46	22	4	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	18,495
Kansas	2,058	16	7,761	8,310	607	451	0	5	1	2	462	200	3	43	3	0	0	0	5	6	0	1	0	0	19,934
Kentucky	699	339,779	13,586	14,178	587	709	1	13	9	0	1,463	1,141	2	5	2	0	0	0	26	32	5	0	0	0	372,237
Louisiana	2,069	324	14,553	14,437	974	803	0	9	5	3	834	562	9	0	0	0	0	0	31	22	5	0	0	1	34,641
Maine	510	2	3,977	5,350	342	247	2	0	0	0	48	43	0	13	21	1	0	0	11	4	0	0	0	0	10,571
Mariana Islands	0	0	21	12	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38
Maryland	3,523	26	7,664	8,488	136	7	0	2	0	1	60	90	2	138	28	0	0	0	0	23	2	0	0	1	20,191
Massachusetts	7,361	1	5,827	3,635	1,101	288	3	0	0	0	11	16	1	4	0	0	0	0	22	37	8	2	0	1	18,318
Michigan	15,508	4,999	24,295	25,535	1,968	943	0	0	5	0	22	224	2	73	8	0	0	0	25	12	2	1	0	0	73,622
Minnesota	14,246	27,900	12,307	13,742	1,123	635	0	0	0	0	179	200	3	71	22	3	0	0	17	17	4	0	1	0	70,470
Mississippi	2,173	0	10,948	12,904	528	524	0	10	9	0	1,478	953	5	14	0	0	0	0	12	4	3	1	0	1	29,567
Missouri	1,549	0	22,588	22,189	1,965	1,270	0	3	5	2	1,271	800	7	211	23	3	0	0	23	40	7	4	4	1	51,965
Montana	953	5	4,444	5,852	335	294	18	1	3	2	340	415	1	36	6	4	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	12,714
Nebraska	3,947	67	244	3,041	33	13	0	0	0	0	6	45	0	13	6	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7,416
Nevada	2,597	0	5,504	2,746	350	395	0	3	0	0	167	57	1	0	0	0	0	0	284	96	9	0	0	0	12,209
New Hampshire	714	1	5,987	3,781	203	2	0	0	2	0	0	10	0	93	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,798
New Jersey	0	0	7,363	6,285	612	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92	92	7	2	0	0	14,453
New Mexico	527	0	7,177	5,056	545	381	0	11	5	0	321	253	2	66	0	0	0	0	51	26	4	2	0	0	14,427
New York	3,292	1,234	9,302	19,645	1,888	262	0	0	0	1	36	52	8	28	62	1	1	4	226	374	38	11	6	0	36,471
North Carolina	30,588	46	2,142	20,952	1,094	257	0	6	18	1	1,708	1,209	8	735	85	2	1	3	2	14	2	2	0	0	58,875
North Dakota	515	2	2,023	3,262	167	134	0	0	1	0	62	85	1	8	3	4	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	6,273
Ohio	13,688	275	26,580	24,593	1,942	1,575	0	7	9	0	1,036	548	6	130	65	4	0	0	15	17	1	0	1	0	70,492
Oklahoma	1,682	3	15,436	14,390	1,288	1,011	0	25	15	0	1,776	1,202	5	25	1	0	0	0	31	31	14	0	1	0	36,936
Oregon	6,207	399	17,374	12,000	0	14	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	196	36	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36,231
Pennsylvania	31,113	0	47,708	29,011	25	0	433	0	0	0	0	0	0	681	115	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	109,089
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,704	356	44	51	0	7	2	0	29	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	746	60	4	11	0	0	7,020
Rhode Island	0	0	1,375	867	102	295	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	12	6	23	0	0	13	6	1	1	0	0	2,706
South Carolina	10,470	349	13,038	10,150	742	535	2	3	3	0	736	347	3	166	11	20	0	0	9	16	3	0	0	0	36,603
South Dakota	761	25	2,698	4,569	226	154	0	0	0	0	122	132	1	2	1	0	0	0	8	15	2	0	0	1	8,717
Tennessee	17,439	690	33,337	24,647	2,018	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	109	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78,252
Texas	18,544	0	70,441	44,916	3,960	3,589	5	40	16	4	6,215	2,776	34	155	9	0	0	0	58	40	4	2	0	1	150,809
Utah	10,006	60,935	6,616	6,972	477	0	0	6	7	0	198	180	3	233	57	141	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85,831
Vermont	0	0	1,484	1,957	117	101	1	2	3	0	4	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	3,683
Virgin Islands	128	0	37	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	181
Virginia	447	165	28,367	21,788	3,682	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	387	71	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54,909
Washington	16,313	195	20,304	14,405	3,092	69	24	0	15	6	224	421	30	462	91	8	0	0	296	305	178	0	5	1	56,444
West Virginia	1,633	64	6,431	9,913	303	473	0	1	4	0	678	924	2	16	1	0	0	0	8	8	2	0	0	0	20,461
Wisconsin	25,736	863	21,011	17,606	1,151	59	0	0	0	4	120	189	10	195	33	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	66,983
Wyoming	499	10	2,816	3,220	193	165	8	1	2	0	131	154	0	36	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	7,241
Totals	623,629	525,181	757,999	629,023	54,840	26,944	528	235	181	33	30,445	18,776	229	6,759	1,388	404	2	7	9,537	4,785	1,068	128	58	9	2,692,188

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October - 2021

State / Territory	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn				Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals
								Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other		
Alabama	25,822	258	19,188	15,531	1,309	956	0	12	13	3	2,354	967	12	18	0	0	0	0	26	23	6	0	1	0	66,499	
Alaska	129	7	3,242	3,222	340	254	0	0	1	0	173	122	1	25	27	0	0	0	11	17	0	1	0	0	7,572	
Arizona	4,170	1,069	18,744	10,232	1,561	991	0	11	1	0	1,159	393	10	148	15	0	0	0	10	7	0	1	1	0	38,523	
Arkansas	2,591	505	7,360	7,994	488	423	6	8	5	0	1,079	1,038	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	12	1	0	0	0	21,518	
California	15,704	10,895	40,185	28,159	5,364	0	0	1	0	0	494	190	8	1,437	679	144	0	0	7,034	3,196	597	32	25	0	114,144	
Colorado	7,640	22	19,992	15,443	1,553	1,914	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	355	43	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,964	
Connecticut	9,173	784	6,600	2,211	1,017	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	473	145	63	0	0	0	20,467	
Delaware	499	0	2,421	1,786	169	131	0	0	0	0	17	14	0	71	0	0	0	0	76	34	1	2	0	0	5,221	
District of Columbia	902	0	391	9	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,342	
Florida	22,246	0	63,090	26,371	4,562	3,196	0	10	8	0	3,682	934	15	1,046	136	6	0	0	292	224	55	38	26	1	125,938	
Georgia	21,421	0	17,037	11,458	736	719	3	14	18	1	1,823	905	5	38	0	0	0	0	16	6	0	2	0	0	54,202	
Guam	0	0	254	119	20	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	403	
Hawaii	1,564	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,570	
Idaho	5,306	0	6,313	7,018	586	362	0	0	3	1	342	304	1	57	7	0	0	0	10	12	0	0	0	0	20,322	
Illinois	213,822	0	24,172	12,375	1,311	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	251,681	
Indiana	1,533	69,426	21,585	15,646	1,904	1,018	3	7	4	1	643	335	8	38	4	0	0	0	31	29	5	4	4	0	112,228	
Iowa	4,996	6,232	2,701	3,877	127	67	6	0	0	1	16	30	0	45	15	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	18,119	
Kansas	2,234	8	6,894	6,529	660	387	0	4	3	0	531	216	3	41	5	2	0	0	4	6	0	2	0	0	17,529	
Kentucky	665	343,125	11,884	10,975	625	638	3	14	14	1	1,490	953	2	3	0	0	0	0	19	19	3	0	1	0	370,434	
Louisiana	2,212	550	13,922	11,617	965	852	1	4	2	1	980	631	3	0	0	0	0	0	27	24	1	0	1	0	31,793	
Maine	531	4	4,023	6,684	310	293	6	0	2	0	54	70	0	16	11	3	0	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	12,019	
Mariana Islands	0	0	11	16	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	
Maryland	3,787	33	7,387	7,212	190	6	0	0	1	0	55	86	1	133	31	2	0	0	0	12	1	0	0	3	18,940	
Massachusetts	8,233	0	5,845	3,584	1,137	302	2	0	1	1	9	9	2	1	0	0	0	0	16	24	11	1	0	0	19,178	
Michigan	17,268	5,382	23,230	22,133	2,023	876	0	3	1	0	35	218	10	66	9	0	0	0	25	12	4	0	0	0	71,295	
Minnesota	16,012	35,471	12,235	17,984	1,092	666	0	2	2	0	170	250	5	59	11	2	0	0	19	23	2	0	1	0	84,006	
Mississippi	2,280	0	9,416	8,429	513	427	0	7	5	0	1,542	823	5	13	2	0	0	0	11	11	2	0	1	0	23,487	
Missouri	1,759	0	20,788	19,311	2,012	1,206	0	9	14	0	1,396	772	23	284	26	4	0	0	46	63	13	0	3	1	47,730	
Montana	857	0	4,398	7,033	286	377	7	0	5	0	359	588	3	30	8	2	0	0	3	10	0	1	0	0	13,967	
Nebraska	3,794	71	154	2,443	26	7	0	0	0	0	2	29	0	28	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,555	
Nevada	3,352	0	5,591	2,812	368	353	0	2	1	2	167	44	0	1	0	0	0	0	325	111	13	1	0	0	13,143	
New Hampshire	693	2	6,058	4,240	225	0	18	0	0	0	0	11	0	114	3	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	11,369	
New Jersey	0	0	7,463	5,646	617	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	84	88	4	2	1	2	13,908	
New Mexico	558	0	6,893	4,845	594	340	0	3	1	0	353	325	0	27	0	0	0	0	69	43	2	1	1	0	14,055	
New York	3,241	2,273	9,842	19,469	1,999	325	0	0	1	0	41	37	9	24	69	1	0	5	283	379	47	6	2	0	38,053	
North Carolina	30,183	92	1,629	16,638	1,196	191	0	12	9	2	1,770	1,266	8	653	71	9	4	1	2	12	3	0	2	0	53,753	
North Dakota	672	1	2,040	4,154	164	146	0	0	3	0	57	105	2	8	2	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	7,361	
Ohio	14,963	54	23,158	18,255	1,983	1,210	0	9	1	2	1,075	429	7	174	52	4	0	0	15	10	0	1	2	0	61,404	
Oklahoma	1,944	4	12,742	10,459	1,186	882	0	10	5	2	1,821	1,204	5	18	1	0	0	0	28	30	15	0	2	1	30,359	
Oregon	6,416	530	16,364	11,536	0	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	176	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35,098	
Pennsylvania	32,577	0	50,185	25,812	22	0	662	0	0	0	0	0	0	671	116	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110,047	
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,653	321	60	40	0	10	3	0	42	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	873	70	2	12	1	0	7,089	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,227	812	88	238	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	17	2	23	0	0	4	3	0	0	2	0	2,418	
South Carolina	13,265	223	11,714	8,052	726	408	0	4	5	0	869	385	5	148	9	38	0	0	5	20	2	0	0	0	35,878	
South Dakota	917	18	2,465	5,863	233	198	0	0	1	0	135	159	2	1	0	0	0	0	18	36	2	0	1	0	10,049	
Tennessee	16,656	994	30,555	19,445	1,856	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	126	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69,638
Texas	23,384	0	67,440	38,737	4,157	3,108	6	46	10	3	6,657	2,745	48	133	15	0	0	0	76	19	6	1	2	0	146,593	
Utah	12,664	63,502	5,301	5,380	430	0	0	1	7	0	208	256	0	231	58	117	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88,155	
Vermont	0	0	1,726	2,287	102	152	2	3	3	0	6	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	4,300	
Virgin Islands	103	0	50	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	0	0	169	
Virginia	360	148	26,469	18,466	3,477	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	444	101	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,467	
Washington	19,560	216	20,684	15,051	3,115	60	22	2	19	9	228	582	23	505	85	9	0	0	361	400	189	1	4	2	61,127	
West Virginia	1,698	105	5,589	7,192	347	383	5	2	7	0	688	717	1	9	3	0	0	0	5	7	1	0	0	0	16,759	
Wisconsin	27,177	747	20,452	17,955	1,102	50	0	0	1	4	126	172	14	163	42	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	68,017	
Wyoming	355	6	2,127	2,920	162	149	11	1	1	0	126	151	3	9	1	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	6,027	
Totals	607,888	542,761	716,879	551,749	55,097	24,332	768	211	181	34	32,777	18,474	251	7,605	1,728	414	4	6	10,326	5,17						

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Alabama	26,657	423	18,034	15,390	1,365	912	0	16	7	0	2,094	887	16	35	0	0	0	0	27	30	7	0	0	0	65,900	
Alaska	174	13	2,497	3,094	310	173	0	1	0	0	118	84	0	24	24	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	6,520	
Arizona	5,962	780	18,406	10,477	1,769	985	0	4	1	0	1,075	351	3	172	24	0	0	0	10	9	3	0	2	0	40,033	
Arkansas	3,259	719	6,946	6,783	495	388	1	6	6	0	1,057	861	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	1	0	20,536	
California	17,520	14,442	37,842	27,880	6,190	0	0	0	0	1	413	230	12	1,109	626	101	0	0	6,793	2,963	541	23	18	0	116,704	
Colorado	8,741	19	19,018	14,169	1,696	1,914	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	299	51	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45,908	
Connecticut	7,727	777	5,798	1,894	881	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	473	122	64	0	0	0	17,742	
Delaware	382	0	2,032	1,624	148	117	0	0	0	0	13	7	0	51	0	0	0	0	57	29	8	1	0	0	4,469	
District of Columbia	708	0	340	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,076	
Florida	24,490	0	59,728	25,555	5,125	3,277	0	17	2	0	3,264	812	13	1,084	98	4	0	0	327	243	74	39	34	0	124,186	
Georgia	22,036	0	16,398	10,300	885	713	2	12	11	0	1,649	729	12	32	0	0	0	0	13	4	0	0	1	0	52,797	
Guam	0	0	252	102	23	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	392	
Hawaii	1,673	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,674	
Idaho	4,610	3	5,786	6,826	561	346	0	1	2	0	324	346	2	57	14	0	0	0	4	5	2	0	1	0	18,890	
Illinois	312,148	0	22,461	11,566	1,287	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	347,462	
Indiana	1,756	63,737	20,859	14,814	1,857	1,051	2	9	7	0	566	270	23	44	1	0	0	0	30	30	7	1	1	0	105,065	
Iowa	4,712	6,443	2,379	3,058	128	57	19	1	0	0	13	17	0	61	13	25	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	16,929	
Kansas	2,767	11	6,240	5,887	665	426	0	5	1	2	470	243	19	34	5	0	0	0	6	6	1	1	0	0	16,789	
Kentucky	703	346,021	10,921	9,383	586	563	0	16	7	0	1,589	848	6	7	4	0	0	0	25	26	1	0	0	0	370,706	
Louisiana	1,678	737	11,884	9,985	852	657	0	2	3	0	899	517	8	0	0	0	0	0	22	12	2	0	0	0	27,258	
Maine	565	5	4,036	6,058	355	287	1	1	0	0	56	51	1	24	5	0	0	0	11	15	1	0	1	0	11,473	
Mariana Islands	0	0	28	23	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	
Maryland	3,700	32	7,196	6,536	140	11	0	0	0	0	60	72	0	109	24	1	0	0	0	10	2	0	0	0	17,893	
Massachusetts	7,931	0	5,954	3,487	1,065	299	2	0	0	1	7	15	1	3	0	0	0	0	20	25	9	0	0	0	18,819	
Michigan	17,459	5,852	22,956	21,452	2,140	845	0	0	1	1	29	191	7	85	7	0	0	0	18	13	2	1	0	0	71,059	
Minnesota	16,079	28,422	11,308	16,661	1,107	633	0	0	2	0	160	200	6	77	26	1	0	0	17	15	0	1	0	1	74,716	
Mississippi	2,310	0	8,757	7,648	510	459	0	8	1	0	1,391	741	5	24	1	0	0	0	4	9	0	1	2	1	21,872	
Missouri	2,097	0	19,206	16,266	2,007	1,157	0	8	6	2	1,284	641	12	257	37	3	0	0	47	40	8	2	2	0	43,082	
Montana	839	2	4,194	5,625	326	440	14	2	0	0	374	542	2	46	11	7	0	0	11	14	0	0	1	0	12,450	
Nebraska	3,899	66	129	2,084	30	4	0	0	0	0	4	25	0	19	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,264	
Nevada	2,864	0	5,782	2,918	407	367	0	0	0	1	228	59	2	0	0	0	0	0	295	144	17	0	0	0	13,084	
New Hampshire	752	1	5,960	3,950	189	1	21	0	1	0	0	9	0	110	16	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11,013	
New Jersey	0	0	8,029	5,452	599	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92	60	2	2	1	0	14,237	
New Mexico	673	0	7,152	4,891	632	354	0	4	4	0	343	283	2	37	0	0	0	0	72	44	2	2	2	0	14,497	
New York	3,507	2,357	9,509	19,378	2,238	268	0	3	3	1	28	53	4	42	81	1	0	2	293	341	32	15	20	1	38,177	
North Carolina	31,495	29	1,589	15,434	1,274	214	0	11	6	2	1,549	1,092	9	644	101	7	4	2	1	14	4	0	1	0	53,482	
North Dakota	744	0	1,873	3,354	165	113	0	0	0	0	88	73	1	10	1	2	0	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	6,432	
Ohio	14,950	106	21,142	16,111	1,695	1,133	0	5	2	0	1,018	385	9	129	44	6	0	0	19	17	4	0	1	1	56,777	
Oklahoma	2,280	0	11,870	9,528	1,309	860	0	9	4	2	1,793	1,011	9	27	0	0	0	0	26	38	10	0	3	0	28,779	
Oregon	6,953	678	15,708	11,018	0	17	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	153	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34,563	
Pennsylvania	33,224	0	44,601	22,537	34	0	414	0	0	0	0	0	0	677	102	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101,592	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,770	332	53	41	0	12	1	0	26	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	719	66	3	4	0	0	6,031	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,176	846	95	248	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	12	4	33	0	0	12	6	0	0	0	0	2,433	
South Carolina	12,866	465	11,082	7,705	933	482	0	6	4	0	820	348	4	214	26	51	0	0	9	7	3	0	0	0	35,025	
South Dakota	911	10	2,334	4,012	228	138	0	1	3	1	118	132	4	0	1	0	0	0	6	21	3	0	1	0	7,924	
Tennessee	14,921	2,413	27,447	17,916	1,668	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	158	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64,531
Texas	24,746	0	71,702	41,561	4,300	3,156	9	50	16	4	6,368	2,595	53	103	4	0	0	0	69	34	6	1	1	0	154,778	
Utah	11,111	63,964	5,008	5,004	509	0	0	5	1	1	240	211	1	222	64	77	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86,418	
Vermont	0	0	1,665	2,027	120	126	1	1	1	0	10	26	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	5	1	0	0	0	3,993	
Virgin Islands	103	0	39	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	0	153	
Virginia	240	160	23,679	16,736	3,504	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	391	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,779
Washington	17,149	237	20,879	14,609	3,222	71	29	3	14	12	228	435	32	503	112	2	0	0	362	317	176	0	1	0	58,393	
West Virginia	1,777	169	5,201	5,922	322	351	0	1	2	0	664	607	2	4	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	1	0	0	15,034	
Wisconsin	27,317	723	19,515	16,054	1,209	53	0	0	0	2	126	131	14	146	18	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	65,312	
Wyoming	539	18	2,161	2,747	170	179	15	1	3	0	121	143	0	28	1	0	0	0	3	4	3	0	0	0	6,136	
Totals	711,704	539,835	681,458	514,674	57,380	23,906	546	221	122	33	30,679	16,279	300	7,263	1,649	352	4	4	9,935	4,756	999					

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State / Territory	Permit	Permit Reccheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Pre-Pawn Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Rentals	Private Sale	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals		
Alabama	26,984	404	18,820	14,786	1,380	886	0	14	11	1	2,022	820	11	35	0	0	0	0	0	25	24	8	0	2	0	66,233	
Alaska	188	23	2,847	3,183	275	206	0	0	2	0	123	104	2	31	25	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	7,020	
Arizona	3,236	1,060	18,697	10,195	1,685	967	0	4	2	2	966	369	1	150	13	1	0	0	0	11	5	1	0	0	0	37,365	
Arkansas	3,378	566	7,146	6,052	470	416	0	12	5	0	933	682	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	8	0	0	1	0	19,683	
California	17,798	13,364	41,275	28,433	5,995	0	0	0	3	0	353	300	28	1,907	970	82	0	0	0	6,862	2,978	575	28	6	2	120,959	
Colorado	9,196	11	19,708	13,900	1,582	1,613	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	325	48	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,385	
Connecticut	7,695	622	6,087	1,841	886	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	543	125	91	0	0	0	17,890	
Delaware	475	0	2,319	1,679	167	137	0	0	0	1	10	8	0	95	0	0	0	0	0	52	31	4	0	0	0	4,978	
District of Columbia	685	0	336	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,070	
Florida	22,109	0	61,168	24,363	5,238	3,141	5	9	6	0	3,003	749	8	1,198	94	4	0	0	0	333	244	57	40	34	0	121,803	
Georgia	24,258	0	17,598	9,517	858	715	0	11	10	2	1,530	641	6	22	0	0	0	0	0	15	3	2	1	0	0	55,189	
Guam	0	0	260	113	25	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	410	
Hawaii	1,661	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,672	
Idaho	5,906	2	5,986	6,115	516	384	0	4	4	1	298	263	1	44	1	1	0	0	0	9	12	1	0	0	0	19,548	
Illinois	385,196	0	26,981	12,930	1,456	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	426,563	
Indiana	1,800	77,774	21,769	13,831	1,786	955	115	7	8	0	559	309	13	31	7	7	0	0	0	39	49	6	2	1	0	119,061	
Iowa	4,586	7,439	2,760	2,670	96	69	7	0	0	0	12	28	0	34	17	2	0	0	0	6	7	1	0	0	0	17,734	
Kansas	2,686	6	6,215	5,631	612	398	0	6	2	2	424	197	9	67	10	0	0	0	0	5	4	1	1	0	0	16,276	
Kentucky	875	351,524	10,896	8,616	587	575	0	24	8	0	1,396	693	4	15	7	0	0	0	0	16	33	1	0	0	0	375,270	
Louisiana	1,799	462	12,190	8,107	930	793	0	8	1	0	745	418	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	14	3	0	0	0	25,498	
Maine	540	5	3,684	4,160	310	223	2	0	1	0	70	57	1	20	9	0	0	0	0	7	4	1	0	0	0	9,094	
Mariana Islands	0	0	14	11	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	
Maryland	4,067	25	8,095	6,372	157	7	1	0	1	0	68	74	1	110	16	4	0	0	0	0	15	2	0	2	2	19,019	
Massachusetts	9,107	1	6,392	3,853	1,045	330	0	0	0	2	7	13	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	34	32	14	1	0	0	20,836	
Michigan	18,335	5,465	23,032	17,613	1,962	717	2	5	1	0	25	188	4	91	17	0	0	0	0	27	9	2	1	0	0	67,496	
Minnesota	16,237	30,220	12,504	14,381	1,108	639	0	1	0	0	192	181	7	76	15	2	0	0	0	17	12	3	0	0	0	75,595	
Mississippi	2,260	0	10,370	8,178	493	502	0	9	9	1	1,341	616	3	16	1	0	0	0	0	7	2	2	2	0	0	23,812	
Missouri	2,773	0	19,196	15,047	1,815	1,044	0	12	9	1	1,176	566	13	293	47	2	0	0	0	50	43	4	2	6	0	42,099	
Montana	1,049	2	4,047	4,825	311	276	7	4	3	0	353	396	1	62	11	0	0	0	0	5	12	0	0	0	0	11,364	
Nebraska	4,475	62	152	1,815	32	5	0	0	0	0	2	25	0	25	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6,598	
Nevada	4,538	0	5,971	2,983	413	384	0	1	0	0	193	60	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	334	115	8	0	0	0	15,001	
New Hampshire	1,157	2	5,885	3,454	139	0	28	0	2	0	0	8	0	97	10	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,786	
New Jersey	0	0	9,533	5,765	660	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	64	7	2	3	1	16,100	
New Mexico	876	0	7,030	4,726	586	344	0	6	5	3	316	221	4	47	0	0	0	0	0	75	40	3	3	2	0	14,287	
New York	3,273	1,998	9,863	16,400	2,109	258	0	0	0	1	28	35	8	68	78	1	3	1	290	350	36	4	14	1	0	34,819	
North Carolina	32,676	84	1,541	14,143	1,158	183	0	9	7	1	1,507	989	10	677	111	7	5	2	3	18	2	0	0	0	0	53,133	
North Dakota	900	15	1,788	2,977	144	117	0	0	0	0	55	62	3	5	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	6,074	
Ohio	16,780	136	21,249	15,507	1,483	1,082	0	5	3	0	962	331	12	105	45	5	0	0	0	18	19	2	0	1	0	57,745	
Oklahoma	2,355	2	11,608	9,208	1,196	777	0	12	14	0	1,528	821	6	17	1	0	0	0	0	25	29	11	0	1	0	27,611	
Oregon	6,687	692	15,867	10,328	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	247	23	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33,854	
Pennsylvania	32,408	0	47,491	21,938	16	0	418	0	0	0	0	0	0	670	94	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	103,036	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,607	367	59	62	0	3	0	0	35	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	739	62	6	2	1	0	5,953	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,189	740	62	274	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	16	7	21	0	0	0	11	3	0	0	2	0	2,326	
South Carolina	14,052	655	11,509	7,043	779	456	1	5	6	0	734	327	4	187	8	16	0	0	0	5	4	3	1	0	0	35,795	
South Dakota	986	10	2,347	3,456	206	136	0	0	2	0	143	124	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	12	12	2	0	0	0	7,440	
Tennessee	16,597	2,691	29,364	18,154	1,745	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	114	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68,672
Texas	27,475	0	64,118	37,508	3,965	2,932	16	35	17	1	5,659	2,263	54	102	9	0	0	0	0	52	41	4	2	1	0	144,254	
Utah	11,692	73,702	4,844	4,489	435	0	0	2	8	1	229	181	2	180	39	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	95,834	
Vermont	0	0	1,751	1,645	117	96	0	0	2	0	6	14	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	1	0	0	0	3,650	
Virgin Islands	88	0	26	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	129	
Virginia	221	214	25,669	15,787	3,516	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	437	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45,911	
Washington	15,363	281	19,933	12,733	2,886	57	26	1	11	8	230	451	28	528	102	1	0	0	0	391	324						

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Alabama	27,622	366	19,797	12,683	1,507	930	0	22	16	7	2,220	775	9	37	0	0	0	0	24	27	7	0	2	0	66,051
Alaska	263	14	2,995	2,571	309	189	0	5	1	0	123	79	1	27	28	0	0	0	6	7	2	0	0	0	6,620
Arizona	4,049	765	19,751	9,213	1,836	1,055	0	9	8	2	969	279	4	139	23	1	0	0	10	8	2	1	1	0	38,125
Arkansas	3,563	524	7,143	4,681	472	343	5	12	11	2	954	667	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	55	2	0	0	0	18,454
California	16,911	11,338	41,996	26,036	5,945	0	0	0	2	0	421	280	9	1,766	883	106	0	0	7,335	3,057	549	33	34	0	116,701
Colorado	9,905	5	19,230	12,186	1,582	1,508	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	309	51	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,778
Connecticut	8,542	499	5,337	1,421	784	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	143	25	21	0	0	0	16,773
Delaware	896	0	2,322	1,458	182	115	0	0	0	0	7	9	0	49	0	1	0	0	62	34	6	0	0	0	5,141
District of Columbia	722	0	308	4	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,059
Florida	25,724	0	62,995	22,918	5,349	2,916	7	11	3	1	3,032	770	12	1,057	118	7	0	0	414	191	95	35	31	2	125,688
Georgia	26,260	0	18,840	8,330	918	611	0	10	13	0	1,528	594	11	38	0	0	0	0	18	11	0	1	2	0	57,185
Guam	0	0	266	103	26	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	405
Hawaii	1,133	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,135
Idaho	7,453	3	5,639	4,885	536	300	0	3	1	0	327	234	1	46	7	0	0	0	12	11	2	0	1	0	19,461
Illinois	357,709	243,182	38,557	15,385	1,605	340	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	656,778
Indiana	1,371	68,902	21,274	11,190	1,668	841	118	6	4	4	601	240	14	30	3	1	0	0	39	36	11	4	2	0	106,359
Iowa	4,905	8,942	4,092	2,092	87	65	3	2	1	0	10	12	0	41	17	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	20,275
Kansas	3,230	15	6,111	4,473	591	351	0	7	2	1	540	213	7	60	17	1	0	0	5	6	0	0	0	0	15,630
Kentucky	793	310,332	11,047	7,299	558	514	0	15	10	3	1,601	710	2	5	5	0	0	0	26	21	4	1	0	0	332,946
Louisiana	4,069	547	15,119	6,962	1,038	750	0	6	8	4	853	405	15	0	0	0	0	0	23	11	1	0	0	0	29,811
Maine	639	0	3,851	3,795	326	206	0	1	1	1	69	54	0	17	3	2	0	0	13	9	0	0	1	0	8,988
Mariana Islands	0	0	10	12	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Maryland	4,337	42	8,101	5,770	101	12	0	0	1	1	65	78	3	69	11	11	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	18,623
Massachusetts	9,319	0	6,476	3,384	1,202	299	7	0	0	1	7	11	4	0	1	0	0	0	21	19	3	0	2	0	20,756
Michigan	17,537	5,011	24,053	14,844	1,998	751	0	0	4	0	23	154	7	64	23	0	0	0	22	10	0	1	1	0	64,503
Minnesota	14,849	28,279	11,686	9,964	1,177	523	0	0	2	0	145	147	6	68	10	1	0	0	29	26	1	0	3	0	66,916
Mississippi	2,176	0	9,899	5,425	509	383	0	13	2	1	1,451	638	2	12	2	0	0	0	13	7	0	1	2	0	20,536
Missouri	3,734	0	20,008	13,122	1,936	1,104	0	10	10	2	1,265	543	11	274	26	1	0	0	34	25	7	5	1	1	42,119
Montana	974	0	3,919	4,022	271	263	19	5	4	0	342	387	0	34	9	1	0	0	3	5	2	0	0	0	10,260
Nebraska	4,351	111	169	1,494	26	2	0	0	1	0	3	21	0	22	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,213
Nevada	3,959	0	5,666	2,580	427	333	0	0	1	1	172	35	0	1	0	0	0	0	345	120	19	0	0	0	13,659
New Hampshire	916	0	5,710	3,525	165	0	17	0	1	0	0	9	0	83	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,441
New Jersey	0	0	9,720	5,090	594	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	77	59	7	1	1	0	15,550
New Mexico	913	0	7,000	4,250	659	368	0	4	4	0	334	227	0	45	0	0	0	0	84	39	0	3	5	0	13,935
New York	3,485	2,101	10,045	14,329	2,186	256	0	2	0	2	36	32	12	55	65	0	4	1	263	308	41	3	8	1	33,235
North Carolina	36,869	40	1,670	12,991	1,243	201	0	10	9	1	1,612	1,058	7	648	87	9	3	2	9	16	1	0	1	0	56,487
North Dakota	1,045	6	1,722	2,263	133	106	0	0	2	1	63	79	1	7	0	1	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	5,435
Ohio	18,183	93	22,251	13,383	1,546	955	0	7	2	1	944	339	1	187	98	9	0	0	20	13	1	2	0	6	58,041
Oklahoma	2,674	1	12,733	7,926	1,335	827	0	15	7	1	1,802	878	4	6	0	1	0	0	36	31	10	0	0	0	28,287
Oregon	5,664	659	15,698	8,712	0	19	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	153	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30,975
Pennsylvania	31,780	0	46,698	19,944	28	0	462	0	0	0	0	0	0	688	108	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99,708
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,074	348	57	60	0	0	0	0	41	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	677	69	2	5	0	0	6,340
Rhode Island	0	0	1,156	711	85	395	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	5	3	32	0	0	11	4	0	2	0	0	2,408
South Carolina	13,346	500	12,041	6,028	848	428	1	6	1	4	772	259	6	154	10	1	0	0	7	5	3	0	0	0	34,420
South Dakota	1,018	10	2,333	2,735	204	147	0	2	0	0	151	113	1	3	1	1	0	0	13	8	1	0	0	3	6,744
Tennessee	37,055	3,129	31,906	15,260	1,650	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	115	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89,125
Texas	25,470	0	65,203	29,692	4,281	2,797	7	64	28	5	5,579	2,161	68	76	10	1	0	0	56	42	10	0	0	1	135,551
Utah	10,989	80,271	5,015	3,872	428	0	0	3	3	0	224	173	1	166	44	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101,228
Vermont	0	0	1,836	1,565	130	90	2	0	2	0	6	14	6	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	0	0	0	3,662
Virgin Islands	129	0	61	3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	0	0	210
Virginia	366	350	26,346	14,418	3,568	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	406	74	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45,531
Washington	14,277	254	19,416	11,471	3,098	50	38	1	19	2	240	394	33	607	97	19	0	0	382	325	160	0	2	2	50,887
West Virginia	2,289	114	5,300	5,091	329	306	1	2	4	0	684	476	1	11	0	0	0	0	9	8	0	0	0	0	14,625
Wisconsin	27,661	790	18,964	10,888	1,156	64	0	0	1	4	122	110	21	162	18	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	59,969
Wyoming	842	17	2,134	2,126	159	120	20	1	3	0	137	104	3	28	2	0	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	0	5,706
Totals	801																								

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State / Territory	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Pre-Pawn Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Rentals	Private Sale	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals		
Alabama	31,515	455	21,625	13,805	1,448	903	1	32	6	3	1,782	604	10	31	0	0	0	0	0	33	24	5	0	2	0	72,284	
Alaska	299	20	2,964	2,388	279	187	0	1	1	0	102	84	1	36	27	0	0	0	0	10	16	0	0	0	0	6,415	
Arizona	5,387	620	19,608	8,998	1,809	908	0	7	6	3	742	248	5	153	12	1	0	0	0	16	10	5	1	0	0	38,539	
Arkansas	5,959	828	7,606	4,729	450	327	1	16	9	0	755	531	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	9	1	0	0	0	0	21,231	
California	19,320	12,744	42,689	28,180	7,523	0	0	6	1	0	472	295	8	1,444	955	106	0	0	0	7,828	3,352	634	35	17	0	125,609	
Colorado	9,963	17	19,416	11,932	1,666	1,535	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	380	58	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,970	
Connecticut	15,189	514	6,971	1,961	1,205	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25,840	
Delaware	564	0	2,586	1,319	208	118	0	0	0	0	17	9	1	58	0	0	0	0	0	76	45	6	1	1	0	5,009	
District of Columbia	649	0	309	10	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	976	
Florida	26,151	0	65,835	23,329	5,551	2,988	0	13	5	2	2,574	671	9	1,279	99	14	0	0	0	468	209	84	43	26	1	129,351	
Georgia	26,471	0	21,732	8,638	937	752	0	19	8	3	1,375	494	4	27	0	0	0	0	0	23	4	0	1	1	0	60,489	
Guam	0	0	232	122	27	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	391	
Hawaii	1,316	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,319	
Idaho	6,690	37	5,730	4,946	548	262	1	1	1	0	211	213	2	57	14	1	0	0	0	15	11	1	0	0	0	18,741	
Illinois	14,242	715,898	24,191	9,377	0	1,176	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	764,884	
Indiana	899	84,448	21,193	10,780	1,592	859	14	9	2	3	506	226	20	36	2	0	0	0	0	41	27	11	0	2	0	120,670	
Iowa	6,022	7,865	174	1,964	37	1	1	0	1	0	2	25	0	24	11	22	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	16,152	
Kansas	2,448	6	6,351	4,578	588	326	0	5	4	2	450	178	13	50	10	1	0	0	0	5	4	2	0	0	0	15,021	
Kentucky	1,026	301,660	11,034	6,804	510	491	0	14	6	1	1,118	547	2	8	5	0	0	0	27	23	0	1	3	0	0	323,280	
Louisiana	4,275	559	16,491	6,995	1,096	705	0	7	6	8	753	350	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	18	1	1	2	0	31,317	
Maine	551	1	3,645	3,143	331	184	3	2	0	0	51	41	0	31	4	3	0	0	0	13	6	3	0	0	0	8,012	
Mariana Islands	0	0	14	15	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	
Maryland	5,333	30	7,909	5,525	127	4	0	0	1	0	39	50	1	100	13	2	0	0	0	0	16	3	0	1	1	19,155	
Massachusetts	8,095	1	6,062	2,966	1,010	271	2	0	0	0	11	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	21	32	7	0	2	0	18,490	
Michigan	19,090	6,104	24,641	14,734	2,039	749	1	2	4	1	15	139	3	85	17	0	0	0	0	28	7	3	0	1	0	67,663	
Minnesota	15,906	25,962	12,119	9,001	1,021	507	0	3	2	2	138	131	5	92	21	3	0	0	0	26	37	1	0	0	0	64,977	
Mississippi	2,367	0	10,684	5,523	565	382	0	5	1	0	1,115	482	1	16	1	0	0	0	0	14	6	1	1	1	0	21,165	
Missouri	4,514	0	20,234	12,466	1,890	979	0	8	6	1	1,005	421	9	338	28	2	0	0	0	49	41	13	4	3	0	42,011	
Montana	1,072	8	3,972	3,918	268	248	4	5	2	1	323	322	0	30	8	0	0	0	0	1	12	1	0	0	0	10,195	
Nebraska	3,728	54	146	1,381	26	2	0	0	0	0	1	24	0	19	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5,385	
Nevada	3,813	0	6,128	2,676	451	310	0	0	0	0	182	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	309	106	17	0	0	0	14,049	
New Hampshire	952	4	5,409	2,986	132	0	21	0	0	0	1	6	0	106	10	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	9,633	
New Jersey	0	0	11,220	5,370	752	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	118	85	6	2	4	2	17,559	
New Mexico	948	0	6,867	4,181	657	413	0	5	4	0	222	188	4	45	0	0	0	0	0	95	42	6	1	1	0	13,679	
New York	3,754	2,702	10,062	13,400	2,261	291	0	1	3	0	39	27	7	70	85	1	4	3	339	336	40	11	12	0	0	33,448	
North Carolina	40,234	108	1,673	12,788	1,269	148	0	13	12	0	1,289	814	6	672	117	7	5	0	0	2	23	5	0	2	0	59,187	
North Dakota	1,004	6	1,721	2,227	149	89	0	3	4	0	47	71	0	14	3	1	0	0	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	5,350	
Ohio	20,686	75	23,534	12,963	1,335	940	0	6	3	4	861	250	7	153	40	21	0	0	0	17	10	1	1	0	0	60,907	
Oklahoma	2,922	2	12,794	7,442	1,285	755	0	10	8	0	1,457	776	4	20	0	0	0	0	0	62	43	13	2	1	1	27,597	
Oregon	7,024	953	15,593	9,235	0	8	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	154	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33,011
Pennsylvania	33,431	0	46,571	19,100	29	0	477	0	0	0	0	0	0	711	103	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100,422	
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,527	359	81	58	0	0	0	0	44	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	806	74	1	6	1	0	6,969	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,160	729	66	375	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	32	18	31	0	0	0	7	7	1	0	0	0	2,427	
South Carolina	13,470	502	13,662	6,023	851	471	0	12	4	0	647	220	4	149	9	0	0	0	0	14	6	6	0	0	0	36,050	
South Dakota	754	13	2,222	2,454	179	120	0	1	0	0	112	86	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	19	1	0	0	0	5,973	
Tennessee	60,775	2,719	30,015	14,389	1,712	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	119	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	109,743
Texas	30,745	0	71,295	30,634	4,550	2,857	2	41	22	8	4,802	1,877	56	108	11	0	0	0	0	65	36	9	0	1	1	147,120	
Utah	14,801	72,551	4,761	3,695	444	0	0	5	4	1	171	131	2	177	58	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96,829	
Vermont	0	0	1,669	1,377	138	76	5	1	4	0	4	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	0	0	0	3,301	
Virgin Islands	252	0	52	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	315	
Virginia	1,060	1,027	26,685	14,348	3,645	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	378	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47,216	
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	Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	
Alabama	28,248	317	21,664	12,423	1,334	865	0	19	9	1	1,441	531	14	17	0	0	0	0	29	15	9	1	0	0	66,937	
Alaska	307	7	3,368	2,701	323	208	0	1	0	0	98	57	1	33	15	0	0	0	12	14	0	0	0	0	7,145	
Arizona	21,767	695	20,984	9,259	1,676	1,010	0	7	3	0	765	229	2	143	13	5	0	0	11	10	1	0	1	0	56,581	
Arkansas	7,697	1,171	8,501	5,072	422	340	3	7	6	1	562	405	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	8	2	0	0	0	24,206	
California	20,742	11,514	40,160	25,824	5,576	0	0	11	0	0	426	245	16	2,089	1,112	129	0	0	8,165	3,024	657	36	12	1	119,739	
Colorado	11,105	3	21,819	12,848	1,987	1,980	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	297	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50,079	
Connecticut	19,608	469	7,935	2,012	1,288	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31,313	
Delaware	438	0	3,096	1,325	172	107	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	57	0	0	0	0	71	19	5	2	2	0	5,308	
District of Columbia	393	0	354	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	768	
Florida	32,677	0	65,295	22,922	4,934	2,768	0	13	4	1	2,302	532	3	999	93	8	0	0	341	206	70	39	29	1	133,237	
Georgia	25,474	0	23,243	8,801	873	820	0	12	5	2	1,246	449	6	38	0	0	0	0	22	8	3	0	1	0	61,003	
Guam	0	0	232	105	25	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	379	
Hawaii	1,163	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,169	
Idaho	5,614	2	6,539	5,208	544	329	0	1	1	0	181	180	0	47	6	1	0	0	15	6	0	0	0	0	18,674	
Illinois	16,682	945,297	25,210	9,855	0	1,282	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	998,326	
Indiana	1,099	126,356	22,724	11,629	1,660	925	247	4	5	0	378	208	26	44	4	0	0	0	87	44	7	5	2	0	165,454	
Iowa	6,436	7,230	199	2,290	35	2	0	0	0	0	1	20	0	44	16	2	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	16,280	
Kansas	1,858	7	7,043	4,971	736	347	0	6	1	0	344	134	14	65	5	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	15,534	
Kentucky	1,423	135,748	11,863	7,497	520	531	9	15	6	1	878	435	5	7	2	0	0	0	22	15	5	0	1	0	158,983	
Louisiana	3,164	313	16,067	7,157	1,065	696	0	4	2	2	591	293	5	0	0	0	0	0	23	21	2	0	1	0	29,406	
Maine	571	5	3,756	3,362	309	203	7	0	0	0	35	24	0	21	10	1	0	0	9	10	1	1	1	0	8,326	
Mariana Islands	0	0	11	8	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	
Maryland	6,240	25	8,497	5,810	146	7	0	0	0	0	34	38	1	69	15	8	0	0	0	11	0	0	2	1	20,904	
Massachusetts	9,501	1	5,803	2,840	1,161	239	18	0	1	0	5	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	14	31	14	0	1	0	19,639	
Michigan	20,648	6,462	26,243	15,258	2,004	814	0	2	2	2	23	129	6	46	11	0	0	0	34	16	2	1	0	1	71,704	
Minnesota	18,548	28,360	13,713	9,921	1,244	579	0	4	2	0	96	90	1	57	18	2	0	0	32	9	1	0	0	0	72,677	
Mississippi	2,465	0	11,779	5,751	516	412	0	12	4	2	943	377	4	12	6	0	0	0	8	5	2	4	0	0	22,302	
Missouri	5,136	0	22,598	14,505	1,992	1,097	0	13	5	2	764	308	9	287	21	6	0	0	58	35	3	0	3	0	46,842	
Montana	1,323	1	4,614	4,411	336	250	7	1	3	0	250	283	2	28	11	5	0	0	5	6	0	0	1	0	11,537	
Nebraska	4,317	65	172	1,472	29	3	0	0	0	0	3	17	0	17	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,096	
Nevada	4,070	0	7,215	2,999	480	408	1	1	0	0	152	34	2	0	0	0	0	0	338	126	14	0	0	0	15,840	
New Hampshire	1,245	4	6,182	3,210	142	0	32	1	15	0	0	3	0	112	7	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	10,959	
New Jersey	0	0	13,096	5,789	828	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	105	71	5	9	4	2	19,911	
New Mexico	952	0	7,437	4,429	662	316	0	6	0	0	192	187	1	33	0	0	0	0	87	38	6	0	2	1	14,349	
New York	3,945	2,470	10,643	14,212	2,401	298	0	0	2	4	43	36	11	38	98	1	2	6	310	310	46	6	10	0	34,892	
North Carolina	39,022	39	1,739	13,357	1,283	182	0	9	12	3	960	658	12	645	94	5	4	0	6	10	3	0	2	0	58,045	
North Dakota	527	1	2,155	2,484	150	116	0	0	2	1	60	76	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5,581	
Ohio	20,247	105	26,043	13,075	1,345	984	0	9	5	3	722	273	6	126	47	6	0	0	29	21	4	0	0	1	63,051	
Oklahoma	3,407	3	13,674	8,126	1,336	786	0	17	8	0	1,170	546	3	198	1	0	0	0	45	46	13	0	0	0	29,379	
Oregon	7,808	994	16,748	9,555	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	146	35	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35,296	
Pennsylvania	33,626	0	48,158	19,442	32	0	400	0	0	0	0	0	0	614	99	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102,373	
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,621	390	84	57	0	0	1	1	39	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	900	56	2	3	0	2	7,164	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,235	709	80	504	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	69	13	25	0	0	4	2	0	0	1	0	2,648	
South Carolina	14,550	361	14,208	5,776	775	475	2	3	1	0	491	175	3	167	7	2	0	0	13	9	0	0	0	0	37,018	
South Dakota	1,024	8	2,718	2,865	281	162	0	3	1	1	97	81	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	22	0	0	0	0	7,275	
Tennessee	11,159	4,912	31,082	14,602	1,634	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	121	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63,517	
Texas	39,607	0	72,175	32,613	4,744	2,950	0	52	30	5	4,356	1,727	40	71	5	2	0	0	80	58	6	3	1	1	158,526	
Utah	16,939	85,321	5,747	4,115	472	0	0	7	6	0	152	122	0	138	44	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	113,089	
Vermont	0	0	1,805	1,473	125	115	2	4	1	0	7	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	3,551	
Virgin Islands	70	0	44	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	118	
Virginia	1,620	956	26,658	13,588	3,489	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	366	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,767	
Washington	17,148	417	21,429	11,338	3,371	44	12	1	43	8	207	333	23	529	102	3	0	0	457	362	192	0	1	18	56,038	
West Virginia	2,434	159	5,425	271	292	0	0	5	0	0	418	302	2	9	2	0	0	0	9	11	0	0	1	0	14,022	
Wisconsin	26,556	725	20,008	11,321	1,141	36	0	0	2	8	105	106	20	156	36	2	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	60,229	
Wyoming	1,022	25	2,587	2,200	207	129	2	0	3	0	81															

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# NICS Firearm Background Checks

April - 2021

	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			
State / Territory	Permit							Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals
Alabama	35,936	432	28,723	16,905	1,962	1,101	0	33	15	1	2,103	885	6	50	0	0	0	0	34	35	10	0	0	1	88,232
Alaska	143	35	4,156	3,687	533	262	0	1	0	0	117	86	1	19	26	0	0	0	7	3	2	0	0	0	9,078
Arizona	9,798	676	27,833	12,248	2,326	1,340	0	7	2	1	971	398	4	162	20	4	0	0	21	16	3	0	0	0	55,830
Arkansas	5,039	895	10,942	7,366	600	503	3	22	15	2	798	741	1	0	0	0	0	0	16	7	1	1	0	0	26,952
California	17,570	10,773	44,095	30,019	7,117	0	0	8	1	0	545	360	8	1,472	806	98	0	0	8,962	3,627	723	64	37	0	126,285
Colorado	12,220	7	27,130	16,132	2,436	2,650	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	300	41	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60,918
Connecticut	20,318	537	8,229	2,214	1,915	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33,213
Delaware	511	0	4,546	1,797	248	203	0	0	0	0	9	7	0	69	0	0	0	0	77	36	10	0	1	0	7,514
District of Columbia	651	0	367	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,050
Florida	37,324	0	79,583	30,218	6,345	3,604	36	16	8	0	2,862	826	11	1,048	109	13	0	0	458	285	111	34	18	3	162,912
Georgia	33,271	0	29,441	11,605	1,256	987	0	21	11	2	1,516	794	15	33	0	0	0	0	29	10	2	0	0	0	78,993
Guam	0	0	227	88	34	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	363
Hawaii	1,354	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,357
Idaho	9,272	4	8,381	6,644	892	454	0	3	3	0	253	267	3	63	17	1	0	0	12	21	0	0	1	0	26,291
Illinois	21,918	889,304	30,084	12,523	0	1,610	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	955,439
Indiana	1,188	134,628	29,792	16,385	2,400	1,300	132	9	2	2	499	295	36	44	6	0	0	0	67	54	11	2	0	1	186,853
Iowa	10,970	9,731	283	2,900	66	3	1	0	1	0	1	34	0	53	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24,056
Kansas	2,656	10	9,185	6,492	890	523	0	11	1	1	462	229	22	55	15	1	0	0	15	16	3	1	0	0	20,588
Kentucky	1,448	4,871	16,555	11,347	742	866	9	14	8	1	1,488	1,016	3	9	1	0	0	0	17	17	1	0	1	0	38,414
Louisiana	4,138	444	19,881	9,348	1,424	809	0	7	5	0	822	478	21	0	0	0	0	0	22	14	1	0	1	0	37,415
Maine	690	6	5,376	4,476	558	289	1	1	1	1	44	57	3	29	4	1	0	0	14	11	2	0	0	0	11,564
Mariana Islands	0	0	9	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Maryland	7,203	27	10,753	7,293	143	14	0	1	0	4	49	68	2	69	21	8	0	0	0	8	1	0	0	2	25,666
Massachusetts	9,288	0	8,008	3,811	1,417	327	1	1	1	0	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	42	8	1	1	0	22,964
Michigan	24,972	7,979	34,820	20,687	2,997	1,008	0	7	4	1	24	214	3	118	14	1	0	0	54	13	4	0	2	0	92,922
Minnesota	27,848	31,202	19,432	13,989	1,807	864	0	3	4	1	130	147	2	77	25	3	0	0	23	16	2	0	0	2	95,577
Mississippi	3,434	0	16,031	7,950	839	576	0	9	5	2	1,267	802	1	9	3	1	0	0	18	9	2	0	2	0	30,960
Missouri	6,523	0	26,961	18,774	2,755	1,380	0	7	8	1	979	576	17	396	29	1	0	0	65	43	12	2	0	1	58,530
Montana	1,975	0	5,848	5,544	448	372	9	7	8	0	315	415	1	28	12	0	0	0	6	6	2	0	0	0	14,996
Nebraska	6,340	95	248	1,993	44	7	0	0	2	0	3	31	0	27	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	8,798
Nevada	4,746	0	8,677	3,658	619	493	0	0	0	1	210	67	0	0	0	0	0	0	381	140	21	0	0	0	19,013
New Hampshire	1,657	0	8,099	4,548	139	1	24	0	26	0	0	9	0	118	16	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	14,643
New Jersey	0	0	15,954	7,827	1,058	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139	96	7	1	1	3	25,086
New Mexico	1,073	0	9,826	6,315	852	602	0	3	3	0	262	326	1	46	0	0	0	0	99	55	4	1	3	0	19,471
New York	4,452	2,330	12,170	18,513	3,304	343	0	0	3	4	45	41	13	66	97	0	4	6	347	426	45	6	9	2	42,226
North Carolina	50,010	43	1,936	17,807	1,642	255	0	12	15	0	1,400	1,128	11	636	108	18	4	3	3	9	3	0	0	0	75,043
North Dakota	570	1	2,998	3,434	240	148	0	2	2	2	61	93	0	10	2	1	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	7,571
Ohio	24,166	121	34,710	18,884	1,928	1,496	0	16	5	2	1,044	490	12	151	58	31	0	0	29	18	3	1	0	0	83,165
Oklahoma	3,648	1	17,709	10,919	2,298	1,034	0	19	9	3	1,394	876	5	356	3	0	0	0	49	50	16	3	1	0	38,393
Oregon	8,135	1,127	20,560	11,400	0	11	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	164	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,443
Pennsylvania	43,186	0	62,389	25,486	39	0	596	0	0	0	0	0	0	688	127	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132,512
Puerto Rico	0	0	5,206	354	80	53	0	0	0	0	33	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	907	82	2	4	3	0	6,732
Rhode Island	0	0	1,722	1,040	150	462	0	0	0	0	3	4	1	145	45	44	0	0	10	5	0	2	0	0	3,633
South Carolina	15,041	323	17,866	7,696	1,061	557	2	10	6	2	714	395	6	152	14	1	0	0	17	13	3	0	0	0	43,879
South Dakota	1,147	10	3,826	3,701	335	225	0	1	1	0	107	113	3	0	0	0	0	0	15	31	1	0	0	0	9,516
Tennessee	11,845	4,045	39,652	19,833	2,036	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	104	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,525
Texas	51,375	0	79,802	39,265	5,959	3,387	3	60	28	8	5,178	2,459	72	78	7	8	0	0	88	57	5	1	2	1	187,843
Utah	18,756	86,048	7,585	5,343	623	0	0	11	2	3	182	164	1	197	60	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	119,014
Vermont	1	0	2,313	2,279	243	154	3	0	0	2	11	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	1	0	0	0	5,031
Virgin Islands	123	0	44	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	171
Virginia	1,405	1,072	34,633	17,980	4,395	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	333	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59,893
Washington	17,277	494	28,469	14,987	4,445	75	20	6	68	4	323	502	27	595	94	8	0	0	593	462	222	0	3	2	68,676
West Virginia	3,394	214	7,787	6,748	466	475	0	6	7	1	647	749	0	3	0	1	0	0	11	11	1	1	0	0	20,522
Wisconsin	26,024	839	27,652	15,672	1,661	64	0	0	0	9	97	148	21	154	49	2	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	72,407
Wyoming	511	34	3,443	3,105	296	180	0	0	0	0	119	138	2	16	5	0	0	0	5	6	1	0	0	0	7,861
Totals	602,540	1,188,358	961,947	549,244	76,064	31,082	849																		

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State / Territory	42,992	690	34,675	20,702	2,048	1,599	0	47	24	3	3,223	1,323	21	53	0	0	0	0	35	27	9	1	1	1	107,474	
Alabama	322	1	4,375	4,186	590	316	0	0	1	1	186	123	1	33	20	0	0	0	8	3	3	0	1	0	10,170	
Arizona	10,118	699	32,738	15,268	2,497	1,746	0	20	7	3	1,790	654	11	179	23	4	0	0	27	17	4	0	0	0	65,805	
Arkansas	3,712	1,173	15,039	9,815	723	744	12	29	17	1	1,417	1,411	3	0	0	0	0	0	16	21	1	0	0	0	34,134	
California	17,904	12,669	50,271	35,334	7,327	0	0	3	0	0	563	388	16	2,159	1,303	121	0	0	10,623	4,159	829	44	28	1	143,742	
Colorado	13,329	10	31,050	19,529	2,771	2,669	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	334	62	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69,757	
Connecticut	13,856	542	8,811	2,590	2,221	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28,021	
Delaware	565	0	3,994	2,056	226	164	0	0	0	0	20	5	0	106	0	0	0	0	105	33	6	0	0	0	7,280	
District of Columbia	576	0	409	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,035	
Florida	34,498	0	91,131	33,936	6,429	3,970	1	8	6	0	4,612	1,399	9	1,167	152	14	0	0	464	295	90	28	35	3	178,247	
Georgia	38,669	0	36,123	14,431	1,313	1,221	0	25	15	4	2,357	1,174	13	53	0	0	0	0	32	16	3	0	0	0	95,449	
Guam	0	0	270	108	16	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	404	
Hawaii	1,763	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,770	
Idaho	13,096	2	10,546	8,550	951	639	0	5	5	0	459	484	4	41	10	1	0	0	14	29	3	0	0	0	34,839	
Illinois	23,382	1,350,676	35,699	16,114	0	2,046	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,427,917	
Indiana	912	144,123	36,403	19,692	2,543	1,513	18	14	7	1	885	534	23	53	1	0	0	0	76	63	15	4	4	0	206,884	
Iowa	17,828	10,599	314	3,905	72	8	0	0	0	0	2	48	0	67	18	3	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	32,870	
Kansas	2,502	23	12,516	8,543	1,107	719	0	10	8	1	858	406	10	155	19	1	0	0	17	16	4	0	0	0	26,915	
Kentucky	1,802	286,391	21,777	14,505	911	1,235	1	37	21	1	2,334	1,366	9	9	6	0	0	0	29	34	3	5	0	0	330,476	
Louisiana	5,928	249	24,021	11,351	1,624	1,061	2	7	10	1	1,515	795	17	0	0	0	0	0	31	17	2	2	0	0	46,633	
Maine	994	8	6,795	5,590	577	333	4	0	1	1	77	94	0	31	9	1	0	0	15	4	1	1	1	0	14,536	
Mariana Islands	0	0	18	7	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	
Maryland	9,445	26	12,103	8,531	183	15	0	0	0	2	54	128	0	221	26	7	0	0	0	11	2	0	0	0	30,754	
Massachusetts	13,304	1	8,683	4,150	1,633	371	0	1	0	0	13	12	2	1	1	0	0	0	29	46	6	3	1	0	28,257	
Michigan	30,447	9,963	41,979	24,546	3,411	1,159	0	7	8	6	44	279	8	112	9	0	0	0	68	15	1	1	3	0	112,066	
Minnesota	30,197	33,819	21,643	16,144	1,881	921	0	4	3	0	165	226	7	110	29	0	0	0	41	33	1	0	0	0	105,224	
Mississippi	3,558	0	19,386	10,388	870	751	0	10	9	1	1,970	1,042	4	18	1	0	0	0	14	5	2	0	2	0	38,031	
Missouri	8,226	0	36,589	24,048	3,145	1,957	0	19	18	2	1,862	1,035	14	485	51	2	0	0	82	68	7	2	5	0	77,617	
Montana	2,023	0	7,144	6,774	527	540	27	7	11	1	531	696	0	22	9	3	0	0	6	5	3	0	0	0	18,329	
Nebraska	7,654	106	282	2,667	33	12	0	0	0	0	7	58	0	32	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,860	
Nevada	5,894	0	9,310	3,953	526	547	0	1	1	0	264	90	1	1	0	0	0	0	360	136	17	0	0	0	21,101	
New Hampshire	1,694	3	9,949	5,075	243	0	44	0	30	0	0	21	0	115	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	17,186	
New Jersey	0	0	15,643	7,663	1,025	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139	88	4	0	0	1	24,563	
New Mexico	1,081	0	11,694	7,378	997	566	0	17	7	0	468	537	2	55	0	0	0	0	123	87	7	2	3	0	23,024	
New York	4,955	2,801	14,211	21,691	3,916	423	0	1	1	4	47	42	8	68	92	0	7	12	365	431	61	9	12	1	49,158	
North Carolina	57,556	16	2,461	22,751	1,857	364	0	14	15	1	2,308	1,806	25	730	137	14	9	4	3	14	5	0	0	0	90,090	
North Dakota	801	0	3,640	4,061	259	195	0	0	5	3	88	128	2	4	2	2	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	9,200	
Ohio	25,646	96	42,665	23,081	2,175	1,843	0	13	3	4	1,751	780	8	225	74	10	0	0	54	38	8	0	0	0	98,474	
Oklahoma	4,194	4	22,079	13,712	2,194	1,445	1	26	18	3	2,446	1,516	5	826	1	0	0	0	43	35	19	1	0	0	48,568	
Oregon	10,308	1,528	23,731	13,927	0	12	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	187	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,752	
Pennsylvania	47,252	0	74,896	30,420	49	0	752	0	0	0	0	0	0	821	110	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	154,301	
Puerto Rico	0	0	4,296	271	72	44	0	0	1	0	33	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	688	57	2	4	1	0	5,475	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,231	1,389	154	448	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	326	120	267	0	0	13	5	1	0	0	0	4,957	
South Carolina	17,815	338	23,615	10,083	1,146	725	1	8	9	0	1,222	569	1	188	11	3	0	0	18	13	4	2	1	1	55,773	
South Dakota	1,151	14	5,016	5,071	381	295	0	1	1	1	210	204	1	0	0	0	0	0	26	56	1	1	0	0	12,430	
Tennessee	12,979	6,087	46,941	25,205	2,628	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	131	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93,979
Texas	53,947	0	95,320	47,817	6,098	4,781	2	127	45	8	9,486	4,368	104	104	11	0	0	0	116	58	12	1	4	0	222,409	
Utah	21,021	73,148	9,765	6,818	739	0	0	11	12	4	321	389	2	223	63	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112,572	
Vermont	0	0	2,967	2,511	215	168	0	2	3	1	9	16	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	1	0	0	0	5,909	
Virgin Islands	146	0	51	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	206	
Virginia	1,228	650	42,816	22,192	5,093	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	388	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72,438	
Washington	20,324	387	29,172	16,595	4,807	93	20	0	81	7	458	778	38	619	130	8	0	0	613	467	256	0	6	1	74,860	
West Virginia	4,201	210	10,610	9,063	500	660	0	13	7	0	1,098	1,031	3	8	0	1	1	0	11	9	0	0	0	0	27,426	
Wisconsin	21,114	788	33,440	18,939	1,894	83	0	0	1	25	157	219	24	146	37	1	0	0	0	16	1	0	0	0	76,885	
Wyoming	700	24	4,004	3,635	260	270	2	1	5	3	194	216	1	20	2	0	0	0	5	6	0	0				

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# NICS Firearm Background Checks

February - 2021

State / Territory	Permit	Permit	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals
		Reccheck						Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	
Alabama	31,803	512	20,970	16,026	1,548	959	0	18	14	2	1,966	791	7	19	0	0	0	0	35	27	6	2	5	0	74,710
Alaska	222	1	3,055	2,564	375	189	0	3	0	0	122	79	1	31	15	0	0	0	7	3	0	0	0	0	6,667
Arizona	9,290	1,159	20,530	9,991	1,754	1,114	0	10	3	3	1,059	404	1	132	9	1	0	0	19	15	2	0	0	0	45,496
Arkansas	3,123	1,152	7,068	5,289	448	390	8	7	13	2	771	623	4	0	0	0	0	0	12	6	0	0	0	0	18,916
California	16,025	11,953	40,789	27,915	6,499	0	0	2	0	0	508	275	6	1,669	743	71	0	0	9,126	3,416	709	60	18	0	119,784
Colorado	10,891	6	21,729	13,839	1,960	1,760	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	247	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50,485
Connecticut	9,792	476	6,046	1,996	1,438	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,748
Delaware	353	0	2,775	1,563	158	153	0	0	0	0	11	6	0	103	0	0	0	0	74	39	8	1	1	0	5,245
District of Columbia	538	1	304	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	920
Florida	31,875	0	66,307	26,720	5,116	2,894	1	10	5	0	3,162	776	8	1,079	100	10	0	0	411	279	65	22	28	2	138,870
Georgia	37,243	0	21,523	10,215	1,122	727	0	18	8	3	1,495	705	15	14	0	0	0	0	18	12	2	2	0	0	73,120
Guam	0	0	190	70	34	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	301
Hawaii	1,504	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,507
Idaho	6,846	0	6,973	5,631	762	385	0	2	3	1	261	242	1	63	16	1	0	0	18	16	2	0	0	0	21,223
Illinois	18,820	846,252	24,290	11,338	0	1,320	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	902,020
Indiana	902	150,662	25,161	14,378	2,063	998	18	3	2	1	513	276	26	19	0	1	0	0	62	57	17	0	2	1	195,162
Iowa	15,966	11,779	204	2,462	65	2	3	0	1	0	1	26	0	44	13	2	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	30,572
Kansas	2,083	7	7,573	5,810	865	430	0	7	3	2	453	201	8	41	13	3	0	0	12	16	0	0	1	0	17,528
Kentucky	1,304	352,938	12,171	8,806	609	623	0	23	9	1	1,223	730	1	12	7	0	0	0	21	18	2	0	1	0	378,499
Louisiana	2,435	204	13,373	7,560	1,094	680	0	7	9	2	853	404	16	0	0	0	0	0	20	10	1	0	1	0	26,669
Maine	678	6	4,167	3,357	416	215	2	0	0	0	52	41	1	25	8	0	0	0	8	8	1	0	0	0	8,985
Mariana Islands	0	0	10	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Maryland	7,561	26	9,199	6,777	136	10	0	0	0	1	46	73	3	55	22	3	0	0	9	9	0	0	0	1	23,931
Massachusetts	11,858	3	6,856	3,385	1,181	288	8	0	0	1	7	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	38	55	21	2	1	0	23,711
Michigan	21,953	9,059	28,567	17,556	2,545	892	0	4	4	0	25	192	7	60	19	0	0	0	44	11	4	2	0	0	80,944
Minnesota	23,639	23,839	15,446	10,501	1,380	668	0	0	4	0	132	133	4	68	20	2	0	0	24	35	2	0	1	0	75,898
Mississippi	2,468	0	9,386	6,389	573	359	0	11	4	0	1,188	563	7	4	2	0	0	0	9	7	1	0	0	0	20,971
Missouri	5,368	0	21,819	16,008	2,157	1,233	0	19	8	0	1,066	538	10	244	27	0	0	0	80	56	7	2	3	1	48,646
Montana	2,254	0	4,301	408	292	28	28	8	3	0	293	328	1	29	3	1	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	11,876
Nebraska	5,639	138	236	1,739	36	10	0	0	0	0	2	27	1	36	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	7,870
Nevada	3,965	0	6,884	3,079	473	419	5	0	0	0	218	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	350	125	22	0	0	0	15,615
New Hampshire	1,550	5	7,071	3,428	248	1	28	0	19	0	0	7	0	274	14	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	12,651
New Jersey	0	0	12,782	6,457	806	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	121	67	6	2	0	1	20,242
New Mexico	1,017	0	7,799	4,700	658	376	1	7	4	0	365	450	5	34	0	0	0	0	126	64	1	1	1	0	15,609
New York	3,746	1,928	10,259	15,690	3,263	315	0	1	0	1	36	48	7	66	64	1	3	10	297	317	51	5	7	0	36,115
North Carolina	49,450	15	2,128	15,798	1,387	236	0	21	18	3	1,512	1,097	11	622	95	7	6	1	1	21	1	0	0	0	72,430
North Dakota	673	1	2,353	2,572	206	98	0	0	1	1	55	69	4	16	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	6,057
Ohio	18,462	63	28,134	16,727	1,730	1,212	1	9	7	1	1,071	417	8	144	53	9	0	0	33	21	0	2	2	0	68,106
Oklahoma	2,501	2	12,984	8,793	1,467	832	1	7	14	1	1,360	790	3	201	0	0	0	0	25	19	6	0	0	0	29,006
Oregon	7,123	1,398	16,296	9,940	0	13	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	141	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34,957
Pennsylvania	36,118	0	54,737	22,421	40	0	486	0	0	0	0	0	0	591	87	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	114,482
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,411	231	54	32	0	2	0	0	17	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	531	47	3	3	3	0	4,339
Rhode Island	0	0	1,889	1,034	151	322	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	225	104	251	0	0	11	5	0	0	0	0	3,998
South Carolina	13,811	797	15,041	7,521	910	520	2	11	2	1	877	352	3	147	8	2	0	0	17	9	0	1	0	0	40,032
South Dakota	757	27	3,654	3,939	375	172	0	2	1	0	112	118	3	0	0	0	0	0	14	30	3	1	0	0	9,208
Tennessee	9,436	3,845	29,633	17,566	1,760	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62,346
Texas	38,182	0	53,772	27,829	4,217	2,537	0	54	32	5	5,229	2,213	45	77	8	2	0	0	54	43	10	0	1	0	134,310
Utah	19,487	58,208	6,423	4,559	538	0	0	7	10	2	173	178	1	215	52	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89,891
Vermont	0	0	1,965	1,571	179	127	0	1	4	2	9	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	3,874
Virgin Islands	107	0	48	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	159
Virginia	1,935	886	29,404	16,798	3,930	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	213	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53,222
Washington	17,955	398	24,100	12,681	3,761	65	12	0	57	7	221	447	21	436	117	10	0	0	555	365	190	0	6	5	61,409
West Virginia	3,153	99	6,478	6,160	347	385	0	11	8	1	701	546	1	3	0	0	0	0	11	9	1	0	0	0	17,914
Wisconsin	16,585	811	20,757	12,376	1,180	49	0	0	3	11	120	131	25	144	51	3	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	52,251
Wyoming	682	35	2,724	2,320	226	150	2	1	3	0	112	104	1	13	2	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	6,382
Totals	529,128	1,478,691	761,744	466,005	62,651	24,462	611	286	276	55	27,403	14,491	271	7,656	1,838	498	9	11	12,204	5,259	1,146	107	82	11	3,394,895

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Alabama	39,955	464	33,563	23,477	2,309	1,568	0	26	11	2	2,820	1,301	5	26	0	0	26	0	25	34	14	0	2	0	105,602	
Alaska	283	4	3,989	3,574	563	262	0	1	1	1	149	101	1	31	31	0	0	0	7	18	2	0	0	0	9,018	
Arizona	9,237	1,085	29,336	14,430	2,339	1,795	0	12	7	2	1,519	586	9	139	6	0	0	0	22	17	3	2	0	2	60,548	
Arkansas	3,231	1,028	11,993	10,043	715	596	15	15	15	2	1,261	1,130	4	0	0	0	0	0	21	13	2	1	0	0	30,085	
California	19,078	6,462	55,103	36,179	6,807	0	0	2	0	0	422	340	13	807	490	86	0	0	5,744	2,282	528	55	33	1	134,432	
Colorado	10,179	13	30,172	18,855	2,702	2,730	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	342	56	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65,051	
Connecticut	10,880	482	8,832	3,192	2,220	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25,606	
Delaware	53	0	4,275	2,391	234	161	0	0	0	0	20	11	0	81	0	0	0	0	117	59	5	1	0	0	7,408	
District of Columbia	693	0	357	8	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,076	
Florida	34,470	0	97,406	40,173	6,686	4,549	2	6	8	0	4,116	1,251	7	1,012	84	10	0	0	517	350	92	49	28	1	190,817	
Georgia	36,667	0	33,178	16,797	1,596	1,284	0	23	15	1	2,094	1,148	13	40	0	0	0	0	35	8	2	1	0	1	92,903	
Guam	0	0	161	84	45	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	304	
Hawaii	1,503	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,504	
Idaho	6,150	1	11,036	8,507	1,045	596	0	2	8	0	413	401	3	43	6	0	0	0	18	12	2	0	0	0	28,243	
Illinois	34,093	912,211	35,848	17,817	0	2,149	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,002,118
Indiana	1,205	195,337	37,237	22,732	3,005	1,598	33	12	14	4	809	461	40	16	3	0	0	0	79	71	23	2	3	0	262,684	
Iowa	21,062	8,447	304	4,155	98	5	134	0	2	0	0	38	1	47	15	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	34,313	
Kansas	1,566	14	12,023	9,512	1,180	704	0	10	4	3	723	341	21	44	13	1	0	0	14	16	6	0	0	0	26,195	
Kentucky	1,562	378,776	20,728	15,271	982	1,097	0	25	22	5	1,982	1,251	6	8	4	0	0	0	35	31	1	2	2	0	421,790	
Louisiana	2,758	181	19,621	13,155	1,534	1,103	0	15	3	2	1,186	638	22	0	0	0	0	0	32	13	2	0	0	1	40,266	
Maine	678	8	6,644	5,230	582	349	3	0	0	0	68	72	2	22	14	0	0	0	9	8	1	0	3	0	13,693	
Mariana Islands	0	0	13	9	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	
Maryland	7,515	24	12,312	10,732	137	13	0	2	4	0	65	106	2	66	16	6	0	0	0	11	1	0	1	1	31,014	
Massachusetts	12,398	3	9,873	5,021	1,676	453	1	0	1	0	3	6	1	0	2	0	0	0	58	59	14	0	1	0	29,570	
Michigan	30,312	11,337	44,266	28,699	3,878	1,282	0	3	5	1	23	246	6	100	12	0	0	0	43	12	2	0	0	0	120,227	
Minnesota	26,909	23,044	20,206	14,259	1,803	860	0	2	1	0	149	218	3	64	15	4	0	0	25	17	3	0	0	1	87,583	
Mississippi	3,264	0	15,048	11,420	847	632	0	12	9	1	1,831	987	4	12	0	0	0	0	16	8	0	0	2	0	34,093	
Missouri	5,526	0	34,178	24,308	3,423	1,705	0	20	10	3	1,599	961	16	290	40	5	0	0	85	53	9	1	2	0	72,234	
Montana	3,227	0	6,523	6,292	561	422	38	7	8	1	498	543	1	19	4	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	1	0	18,154	
Nebraska	6,956	117	340	2,947	58	4	0	0	0	0	2	48	0	32	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	10,509	
Nevada	3,829	0	9,181	4,325	529	546	0	0	0	0	229	89	0	0	0	0	0	0	387	133	18	0	0	0	19,266	
New Hampshire	1,740	16	11,034	5,624	465	0	31	2	31	0	0	9	0	241	10	8	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	19,214	
New Jersey	0	0	17,347	9,596	1,020	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	152	100	9	4	1	1	28,230	
New Mexico	994	0	9,617	6,511	870	521	0	16	16	0	395	510	2	39	0	0	0	0	128	62	4	3	1	0	19,689	
New York	3,664	2,108	12,143	25,221	4,447	427	0	1	1	4	56	49	14	57	102	0	3	12	317	469	62	6	19	2	49,184	
North Carolina	51,156	105	2,814	25,266	1,994	284	0	21	18	3	2,061	1,567	19	574	76	10	11	3	3	27	2	3	0	0	86,017	
North Dakota	443	16	3,664	3,854	261	196	0	0	0	3	74	112	4	14	6	2	0	0	5	7	1	0	0	0	8,662	
Ohio	19,539	77	45,379	26,775	2,405	1,972	2	14	11	2	1,508	663	10	136	54	17	0	0	44	36	5	2	0	0	98,651	
Oklahoma	3,084	0	21,729	15,182	2,581	1,348	0	23	10	3	2,268	1,367	15	587	0	0	0	0	40	24	13	1	2	1	48,278	
Oregon	8,849	1,261	24,459	14,997	0	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	119	56	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,755	
Pennsylvania	44,600	0	81,592	32,671	41	0	415	0	0	0	0	0	0	669	127	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	160,116	
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,463	258	72	36	0	0	0	1	27	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	481	31	2	3	0	0	4,377	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,279	1,421	188	480	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	401	152	248	0	0	11	5	0	1	0	0	5,190	
South Carolina	16,989	235	20,417	11,129	1,278	802	6	7	10	2	1,064	489	12	141	14	0	0	0	14	10	3	0	0	0	52,622	
South Dakota	989	43	5,326	5,011	530	304	0	2	1	0	172	161	3	0	0	0	0	0	10	18	1	0	0	0	12,571	
Tennessee	10,595	5,451	46,194	29,203	2,727	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	84	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	94,262
Texas	58,691	0	84,022	47,149	6,067	4,131	4	116	60	10	7,877	3,723	80	73	7	2	0	0	94	77	18	1	5	1	212,208	
Utah	20,909	61,803	9,840	6,964	746	0	0	5	12	5	303	291	0	194	57	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101,167	
Vermont	0	0	3,005	2,523	236	183	4	5	3	0	16	18	6	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	3	0	0	0	6,012	
Virgin Islands	90	0	58	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	154	
Virginia	1,007	556	41,711	23,650	5,208	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	261	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72,451
Washington	17,599	443	30,106	17,179	4,843	86	11	2	91	7	321	626	26	560	119	11	0	0	569	465	299	1	2	3	73,369	
West Virginia	3,404	97	10,142	9,708	565	594	0	12	14	0	1,139	917	1	6	0	0	0	0	16	11	0	0	0	0	26,626	
Wisconsin	23,800	814	30,495	16,304	1,7																					

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Alabama	33,421	505	31,103	28,933	1,855	1,388	0	43	13	1	2,447	1,121	9	25	0	0	0	0	0	30	23	5	2	3	0	100,927	
Alaska	441	3	3,658	3,822	430	233	0	0	0	0	123	84	1	49	31	0	0	0	0	9	10	1	0	1	0	8,896	
Arizona	9,043	846	25,093	14,562	1,942	1,395	0	12	4	3	1,082	349	4	170	9	0	0	0	0	21	8	3	0	1	0	54,547	
Arkansas	3,878	900	10,987	12,719	587	510	9	12	15	2	1,043	935	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	14	1	0	2	0	31,618	
California	26,034	1,788	59,909	39,389	6,932	0	0	0	0	0	450	273	20	1	2	14	0	0	0	523	27	0	59	21	0	135,442	
Colorado	10,201	13	25,577	19,716	2,132	2,292	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	268	38	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60,239	
Connecticut	9,783	444	6,741	2,694	1,682	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21,344	
Delaware	201	0	3,281	2,610	200	175	0	0	0	0	12	13	0	43	0	0	0	0	0	81	42	6	1	1	0	6,666	
District of Columbia	760	0	322	17	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,108	
Florida	35,227	0	81,564	40,115	5,594	3,733	1	16	5	0	3,650	1,022	10	987	95	21	0	0	0	400	333	94	38	42	1	172,948	
Georgia	32,767	0	28,405	20,236	1,326	1,056	0	15	19	1	1,797	925	9	50	1	1	0	0	0	24	18	0	0	0	1	86,651	
Guam	0	0	182	71	22	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	286	
Hawaii	2,003	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,006	
Idaho	6,675	4	9,354	9,550	809	476	0	3	7	0	325	252	2	35	9	2	0	0	0	16	20	3	0	0	1	27,543	
Illinois	20,056	762,537	29,133	16,557	0	1,700	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	829,983	
Indiana	1,082	205,207	30,336	21,852	2,192	1,280	7	12	5	2	655	309	41	18	0	0	0	0	0	68	49	8	5	2	0	263,130	
Iowa	16,368	9,498	312	4,678	70	11	1	0	3	0	3	36	0	41	13	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	31,037	
Kansas	1,799	13	9,708	9,941	893	582	0	12	3	1	547	245	21	58	24	0	0	0	0	12	11	1	0	3	0	23,874	
Kentucky	1,365	365,167	19,170	17,438	765	923	0	26	8	1	1,619	947	2	13	11	0	0	0	0	27	37	2	0	1	0	407,522	
Louisiana	2,726	227	19,311	18,379	1,465	965	0	14	10	1	925	593	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	19	3	0	1	0	44,689	
Maine	470	7	5,001	5,320	434	262	1	0	0	0	59	48	0	22	4	1	0	0	0	7	8	0	0	2	0	11,646	
Mariana Islands	0	0	13	11	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	
Maryland	8,693	45	10,338	9,565	407	12	0	0	1	0	57	79	3	48	24	4	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	29,285	
Massachusetts	11,182	0	7,790	3,882	1,067	313	0	0	0	2	15	7	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	124	67	29	3	1	0	24,487	
Michigan	20,363	6,629	33,647	29,180	3,121	1,097	1	0	7	0	21	193	13	79	16	0	0	0	0	60	12	0	0	0	0	94,439	
Minnesota	25,217	22,599	15,976	14,943	1,658	670	0	1	2	1	153	156	5	55	14	1	0	0	0	17	12	4	0	0	0	81,484	
Mississippi	2,844	0	14,651	16,554	709	669	0	17	10	0	1,663	924	5	28	1	0	0	0	0	15	5	3	2	1	0	38,101	
Missouri	4,306	0	29,358	26,348	2,683	1,530	0	17	6	1	1,436	621	10	199	19	11	0	0	0	59	50	16	0	2	0	66,672	
Montana	2,295	1	5,858	7,265	405	387	32	4	8	0	356	427	1	28	11	2	0	0	0	4	5	1	0	1	0	17,091	
Nebraska	6,766	93	297	3,662	39	8	0	0	0	0	3	44	0	35	13	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	10,963	
Nevada	2,780	0	8,205	4,599	481	529	0	1	0	0	202	60	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	352	113	16	0	0	0	17,338	
New Hampshire	1,585	0	7,660	4,811	285	0	18	0	41	0	0	12	0	31	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	14,450	
New Jersey	0	0	12,667	7,473	794	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	104	99	15	5	2	0	21,162	
New Mexico	1,407	0	8,979	6,931	752	482	0	7	3	0	331	380	1	56	0	0	0	0	0	56	48	1	0	1	2	19,437	
New York	3,261	1,910	10,486	24,664	3,145	367	0	1	0	2	38	56	8	63	128	1	0	10	265	399	52	2	11	1	1	44,870	
North Carolina	45,294	10	2,647	28,052	1,607	230	0	15	19	1	1,768	1,329	13	523	119	10	2	0	0	3	31	2	0	1	0	81,676	
North Dakota	706	1	2,784	4,076	217	135	0	0	1	0	60	84	2	8	4	0	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	8,085	
Ohio	19,242	45	33,723	27,057	1,804	1,444	0	13	6	0	1,166	458	8	110	47	4	0	0	0	30	31	9	1	2	0	85,200	
Oklahoma	2,377	3	18,791	17,433	2,045	1,127	0	21	8	4	1,839	1,138	8	462	1	0	0	0	0	41	30	13	0	1	0	45,342	
Oregon	7,579	1,064	21,533	16,161	0	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	176	50	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46,574	
Pennsylvania	33,608	0	62,948	29,262	41	0	435	0	0	0	0	0	0	549	98	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	126,942	
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,569	241	72	43	0	0	0	0	25	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	436	45	3	2	0	0	4,439	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,794	1,081	110	343	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	238	115	292	0	0	0	13	8	0	0	1	0	4,002	
South Carolina	14,529	506	17,908	13,367	1,011	674	0	9	4	1	848	395	6	168	10	0	0	0	0	15	5	1	0	0	0	49,457	
South Dakota	782	16	4,259	5,814	382	203	0	2	1	0	129	132	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	3	3	0	0	0	11,737	
Tennessee	10,324	5,188	40,019	32,201	2,195	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	121	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	90,064
Texas	48,860	0	79,774	58,650	5,211	3,572	0	89	42	10	6,276	2,804	78	78	7	0	0	0	0	77	64	19	2	2	1	205,616	
Utah	18,413	60,600	9,296	9,136	695	0	0	8	5	4	233	219	0	180	86	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98,918	
Vermont	0	0	2,351	2,413	174	137	2	1	4	0	7	14	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	5,110	
Virgin Islands	162	0	44	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	211	
Virginia	1,149	711	36,502	26,668	4,634	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	283	85	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	70,034	
Washington	20,536	658	27,422	18,368	4,047	57	30	2	70	11	238	447	27	505	126	4	0	0	0	553	411	209	1	4	4	73,730	
West Virginia	2,471	101	8,706	10,939	412	461	0	12	5	0	808	618	0	6	0	0											

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November - 2020

	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale				
State / Territory								Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals	
Alabama	30,694	561	27,765	25,924	1,931	1,519	0	32	15	1	2,122	1,152	14	24	0	0	0	0	42	33	9	0	1	0	91,839	
Alaska	96	0	3,474	3,878	461	301	0	1	0	0	140	88	3	23	11	0	0	0	13	20	1	0	0	0	8,510	
Arizona	7,483	1,172	25,906	14,698	2,157	1,604	0	6	6	2	924	334	6	104	8	1	0	0	18	14	0	0	0	1	54,444	
Arkansas	4,096	486	10,069	12,954	599	505	5	8	13	0	930	1,078	3	0	0	0	0	0	9	14	1	0	0	0	30,770	
California	28,797	0	56,793	37,256	7,391	0	0	0	0	0	328	217	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	130,793	
Colorado	8,841	10	27,091	20,410	2,421	2,347	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	210	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	61,362	
Connecticut	8,786	358	7,253	2,986	2,115	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21,498	
Delaware	320	0	3,863	2,777	198	174	0	0	1	1	9	8	0	64	0	0	0	0	99	41	12	0	1	0	7,568	
District of Columbia	691	0	332	11	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,066	
Florida	35,979	0	84,366	40,575	6,090	4,176	2	11	9	0	2,984	944	7	848	78	17	0	0	483	273	79	36	27	3	176,987	
Georgia	28,389	0	28,102	19,042	1,358	1,205	0	23	13	3	1,446	833	10	41	0	0	0	0	24	20	1	0	0	0	80,510	
Guam	0	0	205	99	32	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	345	
Hawaii	1,720	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,722	
Idaho	5,266	4	8,946	9,372	892	555	0	1	2	0	309	239	2	24	8	1	0	0	21	15	3	2	1	0	25,663	
Illinois	27,657	474,345	29,335	17,557	0	1,890	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	550,784	
Indiana	1,089	182,353	29,416	24,425	2,231	1,383	20	6	4	3	554	405	20	17	2	0	0	0	68	36	10	1	5	0	242,048	
Iowa	12,125	5,796	365	5,751	84	4	1	0	0	0	4	34	0	34	13	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	24,215	
Kansas	1,205	10	10,569	10,435	981	590	0	8	8	1	469	262	10	35	6	1	0	0	11	16	3	1	1	0	24,622	
Kentucky	1,608	337,673	16,578	17,091	806	820	0	15	18	2	1,337	1,090	8	6	3	0	0	0	39	43	1	0	1	0	377,139	
Louisiana	2,493	273	17,819	18,448	1,507	966	0	9	8	1	853	567	16	0	0	0	0	0	28	16	1	2	0	0	43,007	
Maine	528	19	4,801	6,062	436	305	0	0	0	1	64	50	1	19	9	0	0	0	6	7	1	1	0	0	12,310	
Mariana Islands	0	0	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	
Maryland	8,416	11	10,864	11,038	764	9	0	0	1	8	19	97	1	68	21	2	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	5	31,332	
Massachusetts	12,361	2	8,817	4,397	1,216	392	3	1	1	1	8	14	2	1	0	0	0	0	102	40	17	1	1	1	27,378	
Michigan	22,609	8,562	35,190	35,065	2,866	1,179	0	4	5	4	17	220	2	81	15	1	0	0	46	12	2	1	0	1	105,882	
Minnesota	25,000	23,234	16,316	17,448	1,506	790	0	2	5	1	153	185	3	61	18	2	0	0	11	15	4	0	0	0	84,754	
Mississippi	2,572	0	12,893	15,003	757	641	0	8	6	0	1,309	941	5	22	2	0	0	0	12	9	0	1	1	0	34,182	
Missouri	3,187	0	27,413	27,727	2,932	1,490	0	10	15	3	1,170	842	13	244	26	12	0	0	54	36	11	2	6	0	65,193	
Montana	2,075	0	5,060	6,609	418	405	46	6	2	4	301	450	2	18	6	3	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	15,410	
Nebraska	6,102	96	380	4,117	45	8	0	0	0	0	3	48	0	123	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,926	
Nevada	2,997	0	9,055	4,507	548	565	0	0	1	0	164	58	0	0	1	0	0	0	320	117	10	0	0	0	18,343	
New Hampshire	2,001	0	9,055	5,356	248	0	15	0	27	0	0	12	0	47	6	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	16,772	
New Jersey	0	0	13,826	8,053	869	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	87	6	0	0	0	22,951	
New Mexico	1,123	0	7,277	5,495	715	415	0	8	8	1	222	292	1	32	0	0	0	0	69	41	2	3	2	0	15,706	
New York	3,203	1,765	10,393	28,951	3,768	405	0	0	1	2	41	45	18	97	129	3	2	9	261	453	55	8	13	1	49,623	
North Carolina	45,847	92	2,770	28,807	1,852	241	0	19	23	4	1,572	1,299	12	572	124	7	5	2	1	20	1	0	0	0	83,270	
North Dakota	434	2	2,738	4,153	211	175	0	0	2	0	65	86	1	10	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	7,883	
Ohio	17,994	91	37,382	32,959	2,122	1,863	6	6	7	0	920	588	11	113	44	7	0	0	50	30	7	3	0	2	94,205	
Oklahoma	2,172	3	18,163	16,961	1,890	1,254	0	11	8	2	1,666	1,330	10	16	0	0	0	0	23	38	11	0	1	1	43,560	
Oregon	6,347	654	21,990	15,648	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	136	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,818	
Pennsylvania	38,174	0	75,428	34,686	29	0	425	0	0	0	0	0	0	560	99	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	149,401	
Puerto Rico	0	0	2,883	217	60	26	0	0	0	0	15	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	356	36	6	1	0	0	3,604	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,033	1,419	158	525	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	249	137	422	0	0	11	7	0	1	0	0	4,966	
South Carolina	13,819	701	19,010	13,569	1,136	787	0	7	3	1	809	390	8	153	3	0	0	0	15	25	4	1	0	0	50,441	
South Dakota	728	8	4,302	6,560	362	299	0	0	2	0	122	134	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	15	2	0	0	0	12,543	
Tennessee	10,897	4,487	37,467	31,625	2,298	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	92	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	86,872
Texas	43,661	0	78,827	56,265	5,504	4,006	2	75	43	8	5,657	2,867	58	72	6	0	0	0	98	63	8	3	1	1	197,225	
Utah	19,297	65,644	9,582	9,044	764	0	0	9	9	2	221	193	1	157	73	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105,024	
Vermont	0	0	2,104	2,445	217	165	0	0	2	0	9	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	4,957	
Virgin Islands	176	0	37	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	217	
Virginia	616	401	35,909	26,638	4,874	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	245	91	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68,774	
Washington	18,905	361	27,563	18,592	4,350	65	17	1	83	8	243	466	27	470	90	11	0	0	459	380	167	1	6	2	72,267	
West Virginia	2,486	162	8,086	11,767	483	472	0	3	9	1	681	971	2	4	0	0	0	0	10	8	2	0	0	0	25,147	
Wisconsin	20,980	984	25,742	21,825	1,596	71	0	0	1	12	97	226	20	130	37	1	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	71,736	
Wyoming	768	25	3,685	4,452	308	248	0	1	2	1	117	107	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	9,719	
Totals	542,810	1,110,345	975,298	801,156	76,556	34,858	545	291	363	78	28,078															

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Alabama	32,038	585	24,084	17,964	1,698	1,104	0	28	10	4	2,285	1,025	16	27	0	0	0	0	28	25	7	1	4	1	80,934	
Alaska	264	1	3,209	3,210	348	188	0	0	2	0	158	96	3	38	26	0	0	0	6	13	1	1	0	0	7,564	
Arizona	8,991	1,015	24,964	12,288	1,951	1,762	0	9	8	3	936	378	5	159	18	1	0	0	19	13	0	0	1	0	52,521	
Arkansas	5,108	549	8,931	9,386	567	421	8	9	24	2	1,016	1,126	4	0	0	0	0	0	15	7	4	0	0	0	27,177	
California	36,719	0	65,376	40,286	8,319	0	0	0	0	0	355	288	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	151,359	
Colorado	11,161	37	25,802	17,699	2,102	1,942	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	334	54	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59,132	
Connecticut	9,785	325	6,821	2,764	1,785	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	21,481	
Delaware	437	0	3,951	2,489	188	158	0	0	0	1	16	7	0	52	0	0	0	0	85	42	1	3	0	0	7,430	
District of Columbia	1,004	0	470	11	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,507	
Florida	43,802	0	83,816	32,346	5,782	3,495	5	15	9	0	3,387	951	8	1,148	118	13	0	0	460	256	85	45	40	2	175,783	
Georgia	31,924	0	26,383	14,710	1,145	1,100	0	25	15	1	1,561	1,033	8	45	0	0	0	0	18	9	2	0	0	0	77,979	
Guam	0	0	221	88	32	12	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	354	
Hawaii	2,110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,113	
Idaho	6,684	19	7,439	8,153	613	350	0	0	8	0	312	346	3	48	9	0	0	0	5	19	2	0	4	0	24,014	
Illinois	27,352	401,421	28,277	14,905	0	1,640	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	473,595	
Indiana	1,186	175,301	27,979	18,181	2,216	1,043	15	5	1	2	589	340	30	31	2	0	0	0	65	45	18	4	3	0	227,056	
Iowa	10,952	7,279	218	4,151	50	5	0	0	1	2	2	27	0	41	6	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	22,738	
Kansas	949	13	8,659	7,551	814	486	0	6	4	1	560	284	21	49	5	0	0	0	7	16	3	2	0	0	19,430	
Kentucky	1,912	146,464	15,816	12,804	763	793	0	20	13	0	1,645	1,101	4	7	5	0	0	0	32	45	0	0	1	0	181,425	
Louisiana	2,935	249	15,180	13,153	1,312	800	0	8	14	1	849	676	14	0	0	0	0	0	21	9	3	0	0	0	35,224	
Maine	663	10	5,087	8,215	375	291	7	0	1	0	61	87	1	19	5	0	0	0	7	6	1	0	0	0	14,836	
Mariana Islands	0	0	15	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	
Maryland	12,233	27	10,843	9,873	159	6	0	0	0	0	44	97	6	67	28	450	0	0	0	7	0	0	1	1	33,842	
Massachusetts	13,309	1	8,354	4,364	1,112	372	1	0	0	3	11	12	2	1	0	0	0	0	139	60	31	0	0	0	27,772	
Michigan	30,855	10,434	34,940	28,266	2,745	1,063	0	3	3	4	21	205	4	114	15	0	0	0	40	23	3	3	0	1	108,742	
Minnesota	30,213	25,586	16,941	20,404	1,317	780	0	2	4	0	163	238	3	82	17	2	0	0	23	16	0	0	1	0	95,792	
Mississippi	3,173	0	10,982	10,229	655	450	0	14	5	0	1,407	863	2	7	0	0	0	0	16	8	1	1	2	0	27,815	
Missouri	4,294	0	25,340	22,636	2,386	1,384	0	8	13	3	1,338	855	7	327	35	4	0	0	50	39	6	0	4	0	58,729	
Montana	2,158	1	4,429	7,087	374	311	24	4	8	0	333	624	2	27	7	2	0	0	9	13	1	0	0	0	15,414	
Nebraska	5,648	128	234	2,960	30	5	0	0	1	0	2	41	0	16	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,068	
Nevada	4,677	0	8,764	3,693	496	516	0	0	0	0	189	65	0	0	1	0	0	0	303	118	16	0	0	0	18,838	
New Hampshire	1,919	5	7,906	5,243	177	0	18	0	20	0	0	12	0	31	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,340	
New Jersey	0	0	13,275	7,171	851	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	98	84	10	2	1	3	21,495	
New Mexico	1,708	0	7,814	5,189	674	389	0	5	7	0	350	394	0	76	0	0	0	0	89	37	4	2	1	0	16,739	
New York	4,243	2,183	10,541	28,281	3,588	513	0	2	4	3	44	49	3	61	106	2	6	12	340	409	26	6	10	2	50,434	
North Carolina	51,717	55	2,421	21,403	1,663	231	0	15	19	0	1,707	1,401	7	671	141	11	4	3	2	16	1	0	1	1	81,490	
North Dakota	638	3	2,326	4,589	158	132	0	1	0	0	89	139	1	10	2	1	0	0	1	24	1	0	0	0	8,115	
Ohio	21,228	145	35,332	23,048	1,962	1,613	7	16	9	3	1,039	505	4	104	62	12	0	0	50	28	3	0	0	0	85,170	
Oklahoma	2,401	1	14,860	11,904	1,513	932	2	13	10	3	1,829	1,308	13	221	0	0	0	0	35	30	4	1	3	0	35,083	
Oregon	6,760	854	22,277	14,255	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	157	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,350	
Pennsylvania	41,227	0	73,607	29,581	45	0	414	0	0	0	0	0	0	678	128	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145,680	
Puerto Rico	0	0	3,714	252	65	44	0	0	0	1	23	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	437	52	2	1	0	0	4,595	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,143	1,359	143	458	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	372	184	477	0	0	22	11	2	2	1	0	5,178	
South Carolina	15,855	664	17,032	10,168	1,035	643	11	13	4	0	958	439	7	177	22	1	0	0	14	13	4	0	0	0	47,060	
South Dakota	847	12	3,537	6,336	243	237	0	0	0	2	138	177	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	16	7	0	1	0	11,563	
Tennessee	13,850	7,901	33,275	22,568	1,973	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	134	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79,718
Texas	57,784	0	72,591	44,620	5,042	3,237	1	78	38	8	5,620	2,849	52	63	8	2	0	0	80	68	15	2	3	1	192,162	
Utah	19,408	84,553	7,356	6,378	590	0	0	6	11	1	221	283	1	192	51	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	119,117	
Vermont	0	0	2,139	2,723	176	139	3	2	2	0	10	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	5,214	
Virgin Islands	71	0	37	4	0	0	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	222	
Virginia	1,082	406	37,867	22,986	4,606	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	223	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67,233	
Washington	20,254	422	26,765	17,191	4,170	69	23	0	68	9	259	635	18	647	106	7	0	0	474	413	223	1	5	0	71,759	
West Virginia	3,080	107	6,934	8,559	398	419	0	6	8	1	835	820	0	12	0	0	0	0	10	7	2	1	0	0	21,199	
Wisconsin	23,899	1,131	26,028	19,720	1,353	52	0	0	1	13	171	221	11	173	50	4	0	0	0	10	0					

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Alabama	33,228	642	23,455	17,369	1,633	981	0	35	20	4	2,123	887	9	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	1	2	0	80,478	
Alaska	388	2	3,275	3,333	345	201	0	1	0	0	114	86	2	77	45	0	0	0	0	8	16	2	1	1	0	7,897
Arizona	8,786	1,198	23,996	12,094	1,963	1,873	0	16	4	0	832	298	10	144	16	0	0	0	39	13	5	0	0	0	51,287	
Arkansas	3,686	554	9,214	8,003	505	383	10	8	8	0	848	801	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	12	3	0	0	0	24,043	
California	32,998	0	61,258	36,638	7,815	0	0	0	0	0	345	255	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139,313	
Colorado	10,309	24	24,260	15,873	1,919	1,721	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	305	66	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54,479	
Connecticut	9,845	416	6,101	2,284	1,443	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	20,091	
Delaware	470	0	3,501	1,909	176	141	0	0	0	0	8	4	1	45	0	0	0	0	84	37	4	1	0	0	6,381	
District of Columbia	901	0	531	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,469	
Florida	34,496	0	76,685	29,317	5,523	3,174	0	13	9	0	2,858	801	9	1,055	126	26	0	0	482	268	65	42	31	2	154,982	
Georgia	30,356	0	24,175	12,797	1,112	1,498	0	22	7	0	1,525	788	6	28	0	0	0	0	0	25	10	5	0	0	72,354	
Guam	0	0	150	54	35	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	254	
Hawaii	1,534	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,536	
Idaho	6,034	6	7,297	7,426	629	382	0	2	6	0	284	347	5	47	15	1	0	0	12	19	3	0	0	0	22,515	
Illinois	33,632	344,401	27,645	13,848	0	1,504	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	421,030	
Indiana	1,254	155,556	26,530	15,978	1,955	916	25	5	8	0	564	271	21	31	3	1	0	0	68	36	25	2	4	0	203,253	
Iowa	9,649	6,315	227	3,541	56	2	0	0	0	0	4	18	0	44	12	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	19,871	
Kansas	1,382	18	7,897	6,489	662	418	0	8	1	2	454	231	11	47	14	1	0	0	8	11	6	0	0	0	17,660	
Kentucky	2,039	3,417	16,006	10,674	715	671	3	11	7	1	1,576	912	6	12	11	0	0	0	40	34	2	1	1	0	36,139	
Louisiana	1,677	154	15,581	12,661	1,283	829	0	16	9	1	749	474	11	0	0	0	0	0	32	17	2	0	0	0	33,496	
Maine	912	11	4,758	6,249	373	276	10	0	0	0	58	58	0	25	5	0	0	0	9	3	0	0	0	0	12,747	
Mariana Islands	0	0	14	11	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	
Maryland	11,938	30	9,575	8,547	282	2	0	0	1	0	49	71	4	71	29	341	0	0	0	5	1	0	1	1	30,948	
Massachusetts	14,163	1	6,889	3,754	878	286	3	1	0	0	11	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	75	54	17	1	0	0	26,145	
Michigan	29,269	10,762	32,590	25,496	2,391	867	0	1	3	1	22	199	2	108	24	0	0	0	44	9	1	0	0	0	101,789	
Minnesota	28,892	20,113	16,169	19,127	1,292	713	0	1	5	0	146	199	4	118	16	0	0	0	17	14	4	0	0	0	86,830	
Mississippi	2,947	0	10,668	8,825	651	431	0	20	6	1	1,466	703	3	17	2	0	0	0	8	8	0	0	0	1	25,757	
Missouri	4,316	0	24,614	17,708	2,216	1,088	0	11	12	2	1,166	621	9	317	22	4	0	0	55	46	8	3	4	0	52,222	
Montana	2,032	1	4,903	6,148	319	428	5	5	6	1	351	545	0	30	12	2	0	0	5	11	3	1	0	0	14,808	
Nebraska	6,383	174	127	2,362	23	3	0	0	1	0	4	34	0	31	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	9,145	
Nevada	2,018	0	8,773	3,700	505	444	0	0	0	0	140	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	341	115	13	0	0	0	16,097	
New Hampshire	1,719	4	6,974	4,420	189	0	22	0	23	0	0	13	0	56	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,429	
New Jersey	0	0	12,591	7,274	735	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	90	6	3	1	3	20,811	
New Mexico	1,021	0	7,960	5,067	709	338	0	4	4	1	282	330	2	50	0	0	0	0	92	57	4	1	1	0	15,923	
New York	3,389	1,771	9,928	25,663	3,370	465	0	2	1	0	56	49	7	68	128	0	1	9	326	385	44	8	11	3	45,684	
North Carolina	47,822	28	2,274	19,325	1,531	188	0	17	13	2	1,562	1,242	9	672	91	9	3	4	6	10	0	0	2	0	74,810	
North Dakota	676	11	2,339	3,879	134	122	0	0	1	0	66	87	2	6	7	0	0	0	22	9	1	0	0	0	7,362	
Ohio	19,438	106	32,432	19,759	1,717	1,342	1	8	7	0	1,050	424	8	98	53	6	0	0	41	22	4	0	3	0	76,519	
Oklahoma	2,714	5	14,820	11,176	1,500	1,055	1	18	11	0	1,810	1,103	7	17	0	0	0	0	23	15	11	1	1	0	34,288	
Oregon	5,494	746	20,804	13,091	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	108	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,282	
Pennsylvania	39,823	0	68,109	25,277	46	0	536	0	0	0	0	0	0	719	116	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	134,626	
Puerto Rico	0	0	2,560	261	64	38	0	0	0	1	22	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	227	38	3	3	2	0	3,227	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,001	1,165	133	348	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	397	197	394	0	0	15	6	1	0	2	0	4,666	
South Carolina	13,912	456	14,993	9,264	915	483	1	8	5	0	780	325	3	178	18	1	0	0	28	21	1	1	2	0	41,395	
South Dakota	858	2	3,588	4,621	200	166	0	3	4	0	111	132	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	16	1	0	0	0	9,707	
Tennessee	13,713	7,046	31,341	19,732	1,661	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	105	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73,612	
Texas	46,746	0	68,804	46,463	4,888	2,928	3	91	28	10	5,321	2,566	51	65	6	1	0	0	95	65	4	0	1	0	178,136	
Utah	18,425	82,234	6,762	5,896	529	0	0	6	5	0	203	251	0	207	49	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	114,600	
Vermont	0	0	1,973	2,380	147	120	5	5	0	1	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	4,645	
Virgin Islands	51	0	34	1	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	92	
Virginia	1,087	635	31,327	19,565	4,105	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	154	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	56,930	
Washington	18,816	354	26,363	15,035	4,062	54	9	2	64	10	172	524	23	575	105	5	0	0	468	395	191	0	1	0	67,228	
West Virginia	3,242	120	6,635	7,065	380	367	0	7	6	0	765	630	0	9	0	0	0	0	14	10	1	0	0	0	19,251	
Wisconsin	21,724	770	25,970	17,806	1,448	46	0	0	0	10	129	159	11	133	36	6	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	68,257	
Wyoming	734	14	2,722	3,247	186	216	0																			

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Alabama	35,838	548	26,449	16,913	1,943	1,075	0	25	16	5	1,696	730	9	35	0	0	0	0	33	24	5	1	2	0	85,347	
Alaska	143	89	4,088	4,113	404	254	0	0	0	0	99	84	0	50	21	0	0	0	12	5	0	1	0	0	9,363	
Arizona	9,377	1,003	25,375	12,472	2,233	2,316	0	6	5	1	790	310	4	146	20	1	0	0	23	9	3	0	1	0	54,095	
Arkansas	3,266	990	9,821	7,421	619	389	13	15	7	0	763	656	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	1	0	2	0	23,980	
California	33,056	0	65,196	38,505	8,409	0	0	0	0	0	375	246	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145,797	
Colorado	11,194	16	25,765	16,476	1,948	1,610	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	335	43	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57,388	
Connecticut	7,600	348	5,952	2,014	1,616	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	17,534	
Delaware	493	0	3,402	1,919	181	111	0	0	0	0	17	8	1	73	0	0	0	0	113	42	7	0	0	0	6,367	
District of Columbia	936	0	550	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,541	
Florida	35,826	0	85,345	30,914	6,509	3,193	0	9	5	0	2,510	750	11	992	74	30	0	0	548	261	91	36	34	0	167,138	
Georgia	32,131	0	26,176	12,198	1,349	1,821	0	12	7	1	1,198	665	11	39	0	0	0	0	31	14	1	0	2	0	75,656	
Guam	0	0	151	39	57	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	256	
Hawaii	1,622	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,623	
Idaho	3,555	8	7,860	6,811	620	373	0	4	4	1	246	253	0	30	10	2	0	0	9	9	1	0	1	0	19,797	
Illinois	39,261	504,311	28,864	13,330	0	1,458	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	587,224	
Indiana	1,199	156,039	28,843	16,235	2,226	1,038	15	4	5	4	457	229	22	27	0	0	0	0	50	42	16	2	1	0	206,454	
Iowa	8,567	5,486	242	3,223	54	6	1	0	0	0	0	26	0	40	9	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17,660	
Kansas	1,491	15	8,851	6,423	781	434	0	7	3	4	388	185	18	48	6	3	0	0	13	14	3	0	0	0	18,687	
Kentucky	2,318	3,790	18,531	10,985	842	701	2	20	13	3	1,217	638	3	7	10	0	0	0	38	32	6	1	0	0	39,157	
Louisiana	1,879	240	16,826	10,171	1,568	843	0	4	6	2	629	380	10	0	0	0	0	0	21	13	2	0	0	0	32,594	
Maine	563	3	4,734	4,555	361	242	1	1	1	0	36	44	0	15	8	0	0	0	4	7	0	0	1	0	10,576	
Mariana Islands	0	0	9	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	
Maryland	10,133	5	8,270	7,807	248	4	0	0	1	0	30	64	5	86	15	592	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	3	27,273	
Massachusetts	12,657	0	6,756	3,557	748	304	1	0	2	0	7	9	0	1	0	0	0	0	73	42	15	1	3	0	24,176	
Michigan	28,773	10,996	35,892	23,104	2,709	905	4	0	1	0	21	142	10	92	12	0	0	0	29	9	3	1	0	0	102,703	
Minnesota	26,910	22,062	17,297	15,193	1,311	631	0	1	3	0	127	153	5	59	9	1	0	0	17	20	0	1	1	0	83,801	
Mississippi	2,773	0	15,129	10,518	928	585	0	14	9	0	978	516	8	4	3	0	0	0	11	5	0	1	0	0	31,482	
Missouri	4,203	0	26,351	17,461	2,343	1,115	0	14	8	2	1,012	498	4	252	26	1	0	0	48	33	10	1	6	0	53,388	
Montana	1,928	0	5,066	5,441	340	255	13	5	7	2	308	441	4	36	12	2	0	0	12	9	0	0	1	0	13,882	
Nebraska	5,990	121	140	2,280	32	2	0	0	0	0	4	16	0	17	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	8,606	
Nevada	4,578	0	9,541	3,884	575	488	0	0	1	0	165	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	394	124	24	0	0	0	19,831	
New Hampshire	1,635	0	6,952	4,034	213	1	21	0	28	0	0	8	0	37	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,934	
New Jersey	0	0	10,002	6,258	518	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89	81	4	1	1	0	16,954	
New Mexico	822	0	8,580	5,360	780	378	0	12	3	1	235	308	1	40	0	0	0	0	95	53	2	2	0	0	16,672	
New York	3,065	1,739	10,163	22,460	3,426	510	0	0	2	1	47	40	8	80	118	3	4	6	325	375	52	6	11	2	42,443	
North Carolina	51,670	45	2,534	18,885	1,603	166	0	13	9	1	1,208	949	5	587	138	6	2	7	1	14	1	0	2	0	77,846	
North Dakota	666	15	2,503	3,428	164	103	0	0	1	0	72	84	1	7	2	1	0	0	7	5	1	0	0	0	7,060	
Ohio	18,116	189	37,224	19,937	2,099	1,356	0	5	6	2	859	366	1	98	33	7	0	0	53	27	7	0	1	1	80,387	
Oklahoma	2,784	2	15,728	10,666	1,672	951	0	15	7	0	1,442	868	10	5	1	0	0	0	32	21	12	0	1	1	34,218	
Oregon	5,793	698	21,080	12,694	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	167	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,503	
Pennsylvania	36,025	0	69,325	24,361	37	0	554	0	0	0	0	0	0	761	141	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	131,205	
Puerto Rico	0	0	2,441	250	73	30	0	0	0	0	17	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	283	44	2	1	0	0	3,152	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,842	1,081	125	351	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	311	158	336	0	0	13	12	2	0	0	0	4,235	
South Carolina	11,598	594	17,111	9,137	1,043	527	0	6	8	0	625	316	4	142	13	4	0	0	22	15	3	0	1	0	41,169	
South Dakota	824	1	3,700	4,105	235	152	0	0	1	0	124	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	12	5	1	0	1	9,280	
Tennessee	11,438	8,418	35,007	21,069	1,837	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	112	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,894
Texas	50,347	0	77,807	43,770	5,975	2,967	0	72	31	4	4,616	2,270	41	65	2	0	0	0	74	37	11	0	2	0	188,091	
Utah	20,777	97,688	6,483	5,303	581	0	0	5	2	1	174	198	0	226	67	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	131,552	
Vermont	0	0	2,128	1,898	183	105	4	1	1	0	6	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	0	0	0	0	4,345	
Virgin Islands	37	0	22	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62	
Virginia	900	354	36,314	20,016	4,525	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	21	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	62,251	
Washington	16,546	347	28,536	14,497	4,259	32	11	2	74	8	209	440	16	612	80	10	0	449	375	205	1	3	1	0	66,713	
West Virginia	3,176	198	7,487	6,958	455	345	0	10	4	0	598	466	0	9	0	3	0	0	10	7	2	0	0	0	19,728	
Wisconsin	18,816	955	28,102	15,908	1,485	39	0	0	0	17	113	136	15	125	42	5	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	65,771	
Wyoming	522	14	3,080	3,188	220	128	0	1	1	0	110	97	0													

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Alabama	48,126	682		34,909	17,250	2,498	1,170	0	33	20	5	1,908	770	12	28	0	0	0	0	43	23	10	1	2	0	107,490
Alaska	69	152		4,949	3,779	435	283	0	0	1	0	177	129	1	74	37	0	0	0	14	6	2	0	0	0	10,108
Arizona	9,402	900		31,040	12,361	2,411	2,866	0	7	3	1	827	314	5	145	10	1	0	0	23	10	4	0	0	0	60,330
Arkansas	4,292	847		12,391	7,322	738	432	3	12	8	0	865	696	5	0	0	0	0	0	19	16	0	1	0	0	27,647
California	35,097	0		67,672	38,618	7,530	0	0	0	0	0	449	315	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	149,685
Colorado	11,124	31		29,171	15,184	2,077	1,695	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	336	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59,666
Connecticut	8,500	326		6,815	2,062	1,791	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,494
Delaware	445	0		4,034	1,840	249	142	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	78	0	0	0	0	81	43	11	1	0	0	6,935
District of Columbia	575	0		296	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	898
Florida	33,826	0		106,745	33,102	7,751	3,832	0	13	6	1	2,830	767	9	979	137	25	0	0	522	265	100	36	28	1	190,975
Georgia	37,840	0		38,413	13,344	1,700	3,368	0	25	15	2	1,468	703	18	30	2	0	0	0	36	14	0	0	1	0	96,979
Guam	0	0		227	85	54	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	385
Hawaii	1,840	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,841
Idaho	6,450	3		8,813	6,337	752	388	0	3	4	1	277	269	4	50	18	1	0	0	4	16	0	0	2	0	23,392
Illinois	42,167	626,794		31,853	12,250	0	1,360	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	714,424
Indiana	1,117	123,289		32,970	15,066	2,395	1,083	26	4	3	2	427	249	25	24	3	1	0	0	106	53	12	5	1	0	176,861
Iowa	11,431	4,550		248	2,685	45	6	2	0	0	0	1	20	2	33	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,035
Kansas	2,125	19		10,300	6,071	833	415	0	6	3	0	469	204	11	34	12	5	0	0	14	7	3	1	0	0	20,532
Kentucky	1,481	255,511		20,962	10,578	947	759	1	18	12	1	1,438	748	3	10	7	0	0	0	32	16	4	3	2	1	292,534
Louisiana	1,932	187		24,074	11,374	1,980	1,263	1	4	9	2	773	461	12	0	0	0	0	0	24	5	2	0	0	0	42,103
Maine	664	2		5,163	4,049	398	257	6	1	0	0	50	54	0	30	5	0	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	0	10,688
Mariana Islands	0	0		13	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Maryland	9,374	3		7,905	8,023	347	4	0	0	0	1	44	66	3	61	15	467	0	0	0	11	0	0	1	1	26,326
Massachusetts	13,334	0		6,238	3,114	730	257	3	0	0	2	8	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	50	61	5	1	2	0	23,816
Michigan	28,959	10,192		44,270	21,710	2,909	1,070	0	2	3	3	26	174	12	88	7	0	0	0	25	14	1	0	0	1	109,466
Minnesota	27,663	19,802		17,856	11,371	1,397	636	0	1	1	0	120	184	10	69	22	1	0	0	16	9	1	1	0	0	79,160
Mississippi	3,486	0		19,196	8,971	1,119	573	0	12	3	0	1,195	553	4	14	2	0	0	0	17	11	1	1	1	0	35,159
Missouri	5,289	0		31,991	17,146	2,753	1,343	0	5	11	5	1,099	508	10	288	27	3	0	0	62	27	9	0	0	0	60,576
Montana	1,971	1		5,472	4,926	339	289	7	5	10	0	293	382	2	24	8	1	0	0	4	4	2	0	1	0	13,741
Nebraska	6,481	263		135	1,929	34	4	0	0	2	0	3	33	0	24	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,913
Nevada	3,978	0		11,920	3,949	658	594	0	1	0	1	159	77	0	1	0	0	0	0	311	102	18	0	0	0	21,769
New Hampshire	1,666	3		7,918	3,788	213	1	20	0	13	0	0	8	0	101	9	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	13,743
New Jersey	0	0		7,656	6,172	448	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	63	68	3	2	0	1	14,414
New Mexico	195	0		10,102	5,084	768	447	0	2	4	0	313	380	0	68	4	0	0	0	101	48	2	4	3	0	17,525
New York	3,266	1,429		11,400	23,105	4,019	519	0	2	2	2	51	38	12	51	127	0	2	4	316	400	36	8	6	0	44,795
North Carolina	54,287	118		2,865	20,322	1,965	196	0	8	5	2	1,334	1,031	7	518	129	10	3	3	8	16	2	1	0	1	82,831
North Dakota	606	15		2,702	2,942	170	128	0	0	0	1	57	76	1	16	2	1	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	6,731
Ohio	18,219	116		43,645	18,865	2,325	1,434	4	10	4	2	850	380	3	126	35	5	0	0	59	27	11	2	2	1	86,125
Oklahoma	2,873	8		19,294	10,955	2,027	1,164	2	13	8	2	1,579	874	8	8	1	0	0	0	68	24	12	1	1	0	38,922
Oregon	5,945	810		22,479	11,897	0	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	143	30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,314
Pennsylvania	41,217	9		77,854	22,276	68	0	686	0	0	0	0	0	0	738	118	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	142,966
Puerto Rico	0	0		2,283	256	107	34	0	0	0	1	20	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	173	27	1	1	2	0	2,908
Rhode Island	0	0		2,079	1,142	139	406	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	186	47	259	0	0	23	12	2	2	0	0	4,303
South Carolina	11,394	361		23,255	8,726	1,231	626	4	8	6	2	766	292	6	166	13	3	0	0	31	14	1	0	0	0	46,905
South Dakota	788	326		3,609	3,222	254	164	0	0	3	0	121	108	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	6	2	1	0	0	8,612
Tennessee	13,825	21,082		42,011	20,831	2,075	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	112	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	99,943
Texas	58,415	0		96,689	41,060	6,431	3,366	22	76	33	6	5,241	2,337	46	106	3	0	0	0	81	39	10	3	5	0	213,969
Utah	10,244	74,786		8,314	5,447	744	0	0	8	6	0	209	163	0	249	73	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100,294
Vermont	0	0		2,373	1,739	199	122	5	3	4	0	7	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	0	4,466
Virgin Islands	208	0		48	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	260
Virginia	732	324		44,801	19,538	5,588	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84	14	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71,082
Washington	15,562	521		33,892	14,006	4,980	54	8	1	93	12	221	466	27	549	95	15	0	0	406	336	221	2	4	1	71,472
West Virginia	4,184	202		9,331	6,358	479	418	3	6	2	0	708	478	3	8	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	0	0	0	22

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June - 2020

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								Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other		
Alabama	64,643	1,171	47,159	20,120	2,604	1,732	0	31	8	1	1,563	729	11	23	0	0	0	0	44	19	9	2	2	2	139,873	
Alaska	19	148	4,785	3,091	451	234	0	0	1	0	118	82	0	63	33	0	0	0	18	15	1	0	1	0	9,060	
Arizona	7,390	870	43,291	14,267	2,769	3,918	0	15	4	3	870	413	4	168	20	3	0	0	31	16	0	0	3	0	74,055	
Arkansas	4,203	551	15,520	7,820	785	463	11	16	7	1	751	634	3	0	0	0	0	0	14	10	2	1	0	0	30,792	
California	31,700	0	76,210	40,933	8,487	0	0	0	0	0	581	428	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	158,349	
Colorado	9,000	0	35,381	16,998	2,250	1,995	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	356	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	66,038	
Connecticut	6,641	257	6,943	2,196	2,178	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18,215	
Delaware	207	0	5,303	2,116	204	183	0	0	0	0	11	5	0	64	0	0	0	0	99	28	3	1	1	0	8,225	
District of Columbia	647	0	217	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	897	
Florida	20,676	0	133,285	39,111	7,341	4,846	0	12	4	0	2,440	723	10	1,087	98	13	0	0	428	200	66	43	31	1	210,415	
Georgia	37,635	0	46,989	14,779	1,663	3,437	0	22	16	2	1,279	658	14	5	0	0	0	0	24	12	5	0	1	0	106,541	
Guam	0	0	243	100	36	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	391	
Hawaii	1,655	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,660	
Idaho	8,647	3	10,802	7,430	801	474	0	4	3	0	244	245	1	50	8	4	0	0	10	16	0	0	2	0	28,744	
Illinois	73,508	566,780	49,101	14,913	0	2,102	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	706,404	
Indiana	1,097	79,077	40,492	16,560	2,561	1,246	33	8	6	1	439	262	21	33	0	0	0	0	67	29	11	3	1	0	141,947	
Iowa	12,845	7,124	319	4,009	80	8	2	0	2	0	2	16	0	34	4	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	24,450	
Kansas	1,632	26	12,829	6,276	853	477	0	6	0	2	399	216	16	46	14	0	0	0	14	7	3	0	1	0	22,817	
Kentucky	1,175	351,397	27,051	11,707	993	957	3	19	16	1	1,137	657	7	16	12	0	0	0	24	15	1	0	0	0	395,188	
Louisiana	1,326	184	28,289	11,116	1,774	1,144	0	11	7	2	624	392	9	0	0	0	0	0	12	12	0	0	1	0	44,903	
Maine	526	4	6,583	4,059	468	316	5	0	0	0	43	46	0	23	3	0	0	0	8	4	0	2	0	0	12,090	
Mariana Islands	0	0	10	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	
Maryland	6,576	15	8,818	9,524	464	17	0	0	0	0	43	79	4	67	22	264	0	0	0	37	1	0	0	1	25,932	
Massachusetts	10,914	2	7,923	3,881	921	407	0	0	0	0	13	6	3	3	0	0	0	0	41	37	10	3	0	1	24,165	
Michigan	24,814	5,894	51,216	23,784	3,149	1,325	1	3	5	3	17	217	4	101	26	0	0	0	36	7	1	1	0	0	110,604	
Minnesota	30,531	22,988	17,758	12,316	1,435	664	0	1	1	0	108	126	5	122	16	1	0	0	14	9	2	1	2	0	86,100	
Mississippi	842	0	23,505	9,291	886	658	0	11	3	2	1,070	573	6	19	1	0	0	0	14	6	7	0	0	0	36,894	
Missouri	6,086	0	38,153	17,472	2,786	1,307	0	11	6	7	830	439	6	341	42	2	0	0	63	44	11	1	2	0	67,609	
Montana	2,276	0	6,573	5,803	389	313	2	3	5	0	275	329	2	29	9	3	0	0	4	1	0	0	2	0	16,018	
Nebraska	6,205	144	179	2,474	34	1	0	0	0	0	3	22	0	14	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	9,080	
Nevada	3,565	0	14,420	4,220	656	621	0	0	1	0	184	66	0	1	0	0	0	0	304	100	8	0	0	0	24,146	
New Hampshire	1,943	13	9,911	4,211	198	2	5	0	21	0	0	4	0	44	9	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	16,371	
New Jersey	0	0	6,921	6,077	457	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	68	49	2	1	0	2	13,578	
New Mexico	559	0	11,828	5,984	880	501	0	6	13	0	349	548	3	38	0	0	0	0	88	48	2	2	1	0	20,850	
New York	1,984	1,382	11,585	31,003	4,735	652	0	2	5	3	43	51	11	41	65	2	2	10	241	376	42	6	10	1	52,252	
North Carolina	55,925	83	3,380	25,843	2,162	213	0	15	12	0	1,217	1,054	6	477	152	13	2	6	5	27	1	0	0	0	90,593	
North Dakota	461	6	3,426	3,373	201	141	6	0	2	0	40	74	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	7	1	0	0	0	7,747	
Ohio	15,031	87	54,811	21,686	2,452	1,938	2	18	3	0	887	426	3	103	30	4	0	0	57	23	4	1	1	1	97,568	
Oklahoma	3,036	19	24,400	11,222	1,987	1,212	0	14	12	2	1,320	765	10	6	0	0	0	0	43	30	15	1	1	0	44,095	
Oregon	5,691	836	27,187	13,974	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47,918	
Pennsylvania	35,753	0	90,652	24,029	66	0	399	0	0	0	0	0	0	706	130	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	151,738	
Puerto Rico	0	0	2,838	302	153	34	0	1	0	0	15	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	152	29	5	2	1	0	3,533	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,453	1,702	177	554	0	0	0	0	2	0	3	179	164	64	0	0	26	4	1	3	0	0	5,332	
South Carolina	11,029	330	30,837	9,991	1,338	863	0	10	5	1	687	318	5	175	13	0	0	0	20	12	2	0	0	0	55,636	
South Dakota	844	336	4,487	3,492	276	198	0	0	2	0	112	81	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	6	2	0	0	0	9,844	
Tennessee	16,200	13,095	50,593	21,516	2,293	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	102	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	103,807
Texas	41,486	0	121,926	45,845	6,857	3,968	7	61	39	7	4,470	2,267	46	112	7	1	0	0	81	36	8	3	3	2	227,232	
Utah	11,993	65,565	10,796	6,292	761	0	0	6	7	1	169	176	0	201	57	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96,050	
Vermont	0	0	2,702	1,872	201	113	6	3	1	1	9	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	4,920	
Virgin Islands	117	0	29	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	
Virginia	455	286	55,177	21,748	6,338	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	84,124	
Washington	11,153	389	35,924	15,646	7,431	81	2	5	196	5	259	624	16	673	101	5	0	0	390	380	232	0	4	1	73,517	
West Virginia	3,713	66	11,554	7,043	528	418	0	6	10	0	537	489	1	4	0	0	0	0	14	5	1	0	0	0	24,389	
Wisconsin	17,284	788	35,081	13,619	1,560	51	0	0	0	12	88	109	7	105	24	3	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	68,738	
Wyoming	359	3	3,966	2,946	238	170	0	1	4	2	97	103	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	6	0	0	0	7,901	
Totals	611,997	1,119,919	1,371,811	625,791	88,307	39,977	484	321	427	59	23,346	14,458	252	5,921												

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# NICS Firearm Background Checks

May - 2020

	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale				
State / Territory	Permit							Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals	
Alabama	28,064	534	32,394	13,899	1,468	1,016	0	21	17	5	1,853	1,162	13	2	0	0	0	0	38	23	8	1	1	0	80,519	
Alaska	55	218	4,469	3,196	429	219	0	1	2	0	131	99	0	35	14	0	0	0	8	5	2	0	0	0	8,883	
Arizona	4,737	577	28,089	11,334	2,053	2,402	0	9	8	3	1,089	654	8	101	12	1	0	0	10	10	1	0	0	0	51,098	
Arkansas	3,868	603	11,572	7,005	528	453	4	17	12	1	824	995	2	0	0	0	0	0	14	15	4	0	0	0	25,917	
California	23,948	0	50,811	28,550	6,499	0	0	0	0	0	575	437	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110,823	
Colorado	3,946	0	27,297	15,043	1,998	1,408	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	221	51	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49,967	
Connecticut	2,732	162	4,654	1,673	1,714	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10,935	
Delaware	325	0	2,899	1,238	165	126	0	0	0	0	11	8	0	4	0	0	0	0	52	20	5	3	2	0	4,858	
District of Columbia	413	0	109	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	538	
Florida	6,723	0	73,691	22,529	5,156	2,790	0	9	2	0	2,624	927	8	696	87	29	0	0	305	138	31	36	34	0	115,815	
Georgia	12,489	0	34,434	11,489	1,139	1,530	0	16	12	2	1,475	1,027	12	6	0	0	0	0	21	5	0	0	1	0	63,658	
Guam	0	0	207	88	30	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	334	
Hawaii	1,493	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,494	
Idaho	5,095	7	8,228	6,848	635	356	0	1	5	2	271	363	1	25	9	0	0	0	6	8	2	1	0	0	21,863	
Illinois	25,190	598,361	26,854	9,959	0	1,106	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	661,470	
Indiana	657	42,577	30,133	14,420	2,221	1,104	15	4	4	1	479	342	25	16	0	0	0	0	64	76	12	2	3	1	92,156	
Iowa	6,292	7,793	287	2,825	77	9	0	0	1	0	4	31	0	29	10	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	17,359	
Kansas	2,129	9	10,020	5,595	869	486	0	3	3	0	496	335	15	40	10	2	0	0	13	12	5	2	0	0	20,044	
Kentucky	466	357,737	20,881	11,275	823	933	1	13	15	3	1,531	1,242	4	5	4	0	0	0	11	19	2	1	2	1	394,969	
Louisiana	546	250	20,064	8,025	1,174	823	2	10	14	1	862	759	13	0	0	0	0	0	11	9	2	0	0	0	32,565	
Maine	595	1	5,374	3,724	515	297	5	0	0	0	47	61	0	26	12	1	0	0	6	8	1	0	1	0	10,674	
Mariana Islands	0	0	8	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	
Maryland	5,012	7	5,975	6,775	207	20	0	0	1	1	53	96	3	70	20	12	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	1	18,282	
Massachusetts	6,596	0	5,743	2,665	889	343	3	1	0	0	6	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	63	44	7	4	1	0	16,371	
Michigan	11,113	3,436	39,342	20,339	2,949	1,142	1	0	1	6	21	352	7	50	12	0	0	0	36	5	0	0	1	0	78,813	
Minnesota	11,641	31,165	13,770	11,706	1,152	614	0	3	2	0	123	270	4	64	15	0	0	0	13	11	0	0	0	0	70,553	
Mississippi	80	0	18,313	7,363	555	546	0	14	9	0	1,234	914	2	9	0	0	0	0	17	8	1	2	0	0	29,067	
Missouri	3,705	0	31,302	16,484	2,308	1,291	0	3	9	2	1,047	771	9	173	21	3	0	0	47	35	5	2	4	0	57,221	
Montana	1,650	2	5,835	5,797	362	294	2	4	10	0	294	523	0	23	1	0	0	0	2	7	1	0	2	0	14,809	
Nebraska	3,168	106	120	2,026	23	4	0	0	1	1	3	34	0	9	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	5,502	
Nevada	1,276	0	10,720	3,997	710	604	0	1	0	0	253	125	0	0	0	0	0	0	216	76	9	0	0	0	17,987	
New Hampshire	912	8	7,797	3,760	211	3	28	0	30	0	0	8	0	42	13	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,817	
New Jersey	0	0	5,316	3,859	414	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	34	2	1	2	0	9,681	
New Mexico	443	0	9,638	4,888	749	494	0	8	7	1	474	615	3	52	0	0	0	0	51	14	0	2	3	0	17,442	
New York	2,452	1,246	5,312	14,212	2,581	380	0	2	2	6	28	36	16	26	47	0	2	3	163	223	20	3	4	0	26,764	
North Carolina	34,964	25	2,365	18,508	1,631	238	0	11	10	3	1,467	1,468	10	339	86	3	3	5	2	17	0	0	0	0	61,155	
North Dakota	262	2	2,734	2,740	183	129	11	0	0	0	49	56	1	5	0	0	0	0	5	1	1	0	0	0	6,179	
Ohio	8,302	215	37,486	17,996	2,268	1,524	1	16	5	1	1,089	655	5	80	24	0	0	0	37	30	5	0	0	0	69,739	
Oklahoma	2,128	105	18,787	9,863	1,571	1,066	4	14	14	3	1,358	1,211	13	4	0	0	0	0	38	24	9	0	2	0	36,214	
Oregon	4,380	679	22,539	13,415	0	10	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	148	49	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41,224	
Pennsylvania	14,063	0	56,455	16,255	85	0	381	0	0	0	0	0	0	396	117	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87,752	
Puerto Rico	0	0	1,252	135	55	25	0	1	0	0	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	4	0	0	0	0	1,524	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,571	926	101	371	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	134	98	11	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	3,232	
South Carolina	8,621	192	22,675	7,524	1,154	557	0	7	6	4	777	458	7	123	9	0	0	0	15	7	1	0	0	0	42,137	
South Dakota	353	0	3,342	3,037	199	169	0	0	1	0	116	145	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	9	0	0	0	0	7,379	
Tennessee	8,533	28,514	38,522	17,799	1,869	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	70	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	95,314
Texas	41,584	0	83,977	36,456	5,393	3,142	3	78	42	7	5,001	3,247	52	67	7	0	0	0	80	47	5	2	2	0	179,192	
Utah	10,937	64,224	7,550	5,265	559	0	0	6	4	1	197	233	3	175	61	40	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89,255	
Vermont	0	0	2,660	1,948	194	143	0	2	4	0	9	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	0	4,973	
Virgin Islands	25	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	
Virginia	298	229	36,930	16,775	4,568	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72	24	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58,898	
Washington	7,121	438	26,162	12,578	4,963	70	5	3	105	5	472	878	24	317	75	9	0	0	269	251	169	1	3	4	53,922	
West Virginia	1,229	55	10,193	7,152	532	544	0	2	8	2	749	1,055	2	6	1	0	0	0	11	5	1	0	0	2	21,549	
Wisconsin	10,120	627	25,506	11,577	1,226	57	0	0	0	12	80	174	10	114	21	3	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	49,535	
Wyoming	101	14	2,902	2,591	255	163	0	2	0	0	94	139	2	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	1	0	0	0	6,272	
Totals	330,832	1,140,118	955,275	485,131	67,410	29,010	469	282	366	73	27,277	21,927	280	3,777	917	140	5	8	1,746	1,245	312	63				

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Alabama	21,276	386	28,951	12,512	1,455	1,272	0	27	27	0	3,089	1,632	16	37	0	0	0	0	31	30	7	0	0	0	70,748	
Alaska	85	68	3,942	3,275	510	245	0	1	0	1	178	167	0	35	30	0	0	0	11	9	3	0	0	0	8,560	
Arizona	4,500	675	33,391	13,143	2,369	3,121	0	26	4	1	1,710	855	11	117	16	0	0	0	25	19	3	0	0	0	59,986	
Arkansas	3,085	801	13,814	8,463	612	678	1	28	21	0	1,362	1,663	3	0	0	0	1	0	26	15	1	0	1	0	30,575	
California	24,460	0	59,219	31,759	6,330	0	0	0	0	0	697	526	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	122,999	
Colorado	1,763	0	29,865	16,199	2,133	2,074	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	178	36	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52,249	
Connecticut	3,796	172	4,921	1,802	2,294	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	12,986	
Delaware	359	0	3,572	1,308	185	104	0	0	0	0	18	9	1	11	0	0	0	0	96	32	6	0	0	0	5,701	
District of Columbia	444	0	100	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	552	
Florida	2,258	0	84,431	26,731	4,897	3,451	0	9	7	0	4,131	1,515	13	524	76	9	0	0	324	186	38	41	27	2	128,670	
Georgia	589	0	33,720	11,724	1,162	1,539	1	26	16	1	2,182	1,291	19	1	0	0	0	0	21	7	0	0	0	0	52,299	
Guam	0	0	132	59	23	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	222	
Hawaii	1,815	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,818	
Idaho	3,146	4	9,248	7,050	696	521	0	11	9	0	428	545	4	37	5	0	0	0	19	18	5	0	1	0	21,747	
Illinois	25,857	563,741	30,500	11,184	0	1,282	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	632,564	
Indiana	233	38,272	29,904	14,843	2,332	1,240	6	9	7	1	757	518	32	21	3	0	0	0	42	33	20	2	1	0	88,276	
Iowa	8,998	13,330	296	3,284	79	8	0	0	1	0	5	45	0	27	26	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	26,108	
Kansas	255	3	10,417	5,632	863	563	0	10	3	0	706	444	15	48	12	1	0	0	14	5	2	0	0	1	18,994	
Kentucky	1,555	165,016	20,712	12,196	820	1,173	0	30	34	4	2,186	1,754	5	13	2	1	0	0	21	11	2	0	1	0	205,536	
Louisiana	986	282	18,563	7,462	1,117	889	2	17	20	1	1,256	916	11	0	0	0	0	0	15	19	3	0	0	0	31,559	
Maine	607	0	6,054	3,835	594	339	4	0	0	0	49	72	1	12	5	0	0	0	8	6	2	1	0	0	11,589	
Mariana Islands	0	0	7	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	
Maryland	6,245	8	5,717	8,524	101	18	0	1	3	1	91	147	2	41	11	4	0	0	46	0	0	2	1	0	20,963	
Massachusetts	5,074	0	1,407	674	710	52	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	6	0	0	0	7,934	
Michigan	9,765	3,244	23,375	13,600	2,507	916	0	0	5	5	46	352	11	44	14	0	0	0	22	7	1	0	0	0	53,914	
Minnesota	12,876	35,554	13,792	10,295	1,371	591	0	1	2	1	181	317	9	66	12	6	0	0	13	9	2	1	0	0	75,099	
Mississippi	200	0	17,677	7,256	586	656	0	12	9	2	1,891	1,268	5	0	0	0	0	0	11	5	1	2	0	0	29,581	
Missouri	774	0	32,009	17,962	2,470	1,641	0	13	13	1	1,639	1,262	10	106	17	4	0	0	45	29	12	2	2	0	58,011	
Montana	962	3	6,010	5,399	454	444	5	2	10	2	475	870	6	29	7	1	0	0	5	5	0	0	1	0	14,690	
Nebraska	4,917	140	146	2,177	47	9	0	0	0	0	6	54	0	19	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	7,517	
Nevada	738	0	12,225	3,870	619	695	0	1	1	0	205	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	132	38	8	1	0	0	18,621	
New Hampshire	1,171	6	8,801	4,512	259	0	5	0	29	0	0	10	0	46	10	85	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	14,935	
New Jersey	0	0	4,388	4,266	311	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	60	0	0	1	0	9,072	
New Mexico	367	0	7,439	3,798	648	373	0	3	2	0	181	291	1	51	0	0	0	0	39	20	1	0	1	1	13,216	
New York	2,920	1,468	2,853	16,007	2,918	316	0	0	2	5	18	47	6	23	41	3	1	3	82	282	28	4	6	2	27,035	
North Carolina	37,217	108	2,199	20,928	1,705	352	0	22	24	2	2,358	2,122	15	322	48	3	9	11	3	16	1	0	0	0	67,465	
North Dakota	280	8	3,041	2,898	204	170	1	2	0	0	62	128	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	1	0	0	0	6,803	
Ohio	6,057	92	37,486	18,560	2,295	1,716	0	16	8	4	1,421	891	5	180	18	1	0	0	42	15	2	0	3	0	68,812	
Oklahoma	2,076	0	21,398	11,308	1,617	1,358	3	32	22	1	2,246	1,862	16	17	1	0	0	0	58	34	5	0	0	0	42,054	
Oregon	5,267	657	25,187	13,572	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	92	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44,816	
Pennsylvania	6,473	0	54,041	14,778	40	0	356	0	0	0	0	0	0	371	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76,134	
Puerto Rico	0	0	76	10	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	97	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,841	1,247	126	412	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	156	138	47	0	0	11	7	2	0	1	0	3,988	
South Carolina	6,990	283	21,071	7,502	866	699	0	18	10	0	1,188	594	10	73	1	0	0	0	12	7	2	0	1	0	39,327	
South Dakota	248	3	4,171	3,177	282	206	0	3	2	0	175	195	3	0	0	0	0	0	8	8	6	0	0	0	8,487	
Tennessee	18,458	43	38,309	19,001	1,974	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	39	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,829
Texas	38,817	0	93,980	40,921	5,668	4,490	2	104	70	1	7,989	5,015	66	84	6	0	0	0	77	43	7	1	2	0	197,343	
Utah	15,827	62,726	9,834	6,501	676	0	0	5	14	0	352	430	0	145	78	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96,612	
Vermont	0	0	3,081	2,142	223	151	4	2	0	0	6	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5,618	
Virgin Islands	47	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	
Virginia	108	149	40,444	19,116	4,949	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64,835	
Washington	6,873	310	29,785	12,837	4,428	77	5	3	101	8	606	1,077	27	330	66	10	0	0	241	245	165	1	4	3	57,202	
West Virginia	655	35	10,120	7,913	480	655	3	9	15	1	1,164	1,350	2	4	0	0	0	0	13	7	0	2	0	1	22,429	
Wisconsin	13,623	790	27,220	11,806	1,406	49	0	0	0	14	121	224	14	72	27	3	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	55,375	
Wyoming	476	8	3,988	3,102	327	220	0	1	2	0	186	241	3	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	0	0	1	0	8,566	
Totals	311,568	888,385	984,872	508,122	68,746	34,77,																				

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NICS Firearm Background Checks																										
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State / Territory	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals	
								Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other		
Alabama	31,205	606	34,897	17,850	1,583	1,744	0	36	23	0	3,035	1,564	19	13	0	0	0	0	42	23	8	2	2	0	92,652	
Alaska	143	4	4,657	3,819	487	386	0	0	0	0	210	177	0	13	16	0	0	0	14	13	0	0	0	0	9,939	
Arizona	5,685	958	46,377	19,346	2,433	4,846	0	18	19	0	2,011	908	9	110	12	2	0	0	21	11	5	0	0	0	82,771	
Arkansas	2,424	673	15,304	8,968	600	885	4	27	25	1	1,301	1,407	5	0	0	0	0	0	11	10	3	1	0	2	31,651	
California	27,792	0	81,543	48,616	5,041	0	0	0	0	0	957	539	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	164,497	
Colorado	5,654	0	43,322	22,756	2,086	3,242	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	206	36	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	77,305	
Connecticut	4,852	335	9,196	3,290	5,421	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23,103	
Delaware	227	0	4,936	2,323	190	196	0	3	0	0	16	14	0	71	0	2	0	0	97	43	4	0	1	0	8,123	
District of Columbia	474	0	148	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	692	
Florida	16,713	0	117,900	38,365	5,017	6,073	0	26	8	0	4,912	1,602	13	853	93	5	0	0	316	184	37	54	60	3	192,234	
Georgia	16,741	1	44,107	16,807	1,245	2,305	1	31	18	2	2,011	1,292	10	3	0	0	0	0	19	7	1	0	0	0	84,601	
Guam	0	0	170	80	11	9	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	271	
Hawaii	1,842	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,843	
Idaho	8,647	3	11,611	8,193	716	714	0	6	6	1	507	520	0	40	11	1	0	0	6	5	2	0	0	0	30,989	
Illinois	39,780	541,682	44,112	17,127	0	2,408	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	645,109	
Indiana	585	53,551	45,695	22,724	2,613	2,311	18	12	9	1	817	492	16	31	3	0	0	0	60	35	40	0	2	1	129,016	
Iowa	9,606	8,668	378	5,778	91	13	0	0	0	0	3	61	0	43	9	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	24,652	
Kansas	898	4	16,715	8,964	889	952	0	8	8	1	832	444	7	52	17	0	0	0	17	5	2	0	1	0	29,816	
Kentucky	2,394	182,977	28,268	15,315	937	1,615	2	32	27	2	2,145	1,520	5	9	5	0	0	0	32	16	1	1	2	0	235,305	
Louisiana	1,620	220	25,038	10,278	1,258	1,342	0	16	21	2	1,319	845	12	0	0	0	0	0	18	17	9	0	0	0	42,015	
Maine	278	3	7,794	5,310	510	464	6	0	0	0	94	117	1	27	10	0	0	0	7	6	0	0	0	0	14,627	
Mariana Islands	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Maryland	5,810	10	6,534	16,181	335	77	0	0	2	0	126	154	4	75	38	4	0	0	0	61	2	0	0	1	29,414	
Massachusetts	7,329	1	9,765	5,100	759	564	0	0	0	0	6	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	23	13	7	0	1	0	23,579	
Michigan	18,153	4,414	50,368	28,985	2,724	2,216	0	1	4	0	46	443	8	75	8	2	0	0	23	19	3	0	0	0	107,492	
Minnesota	22,114	35,318	18,708	17,222	1,562	944	0	2	5	0	296	370	4	58	19	2	0	0	17	12	1	0	0	0	96,654	
Mississippi	1,965	0	18,567	8,714	592	794	0	42	25	1	1,707	1,137	6	14	0	0	0	0	7	9	1	0	2	0	33,583	
Missouri	3,500	0	41,905	22,607	2,610	2,450	0	11	16	3	1,712	1,132	4	209	28	2	0	0	41	23	8	0	1	0	76,262	
Montana	1,783	0	6,755	5,895	500	552	10	8	15	0	521	797	3	24	12	1	0	0	5	2	1	0	1	0	16,885	
Nebraska	6,979	213	217	3,623	45	4	0	0	0	0	9	40	1	21	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11,154	
Nevada	1,990	0	13,530	4,712	483	877	0	1	1	0	267	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	169	90	6	0	0	0	22,236	
New Hampshire	1,417	8	14,278	6,190	348	0	20	0	24	0	0	15	0	136	23	4	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	22,466	
New Jersey	0	0	4,531	6,000	286	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	59	42	1	0	0	2	10,922	
New Mexico	602	0	13,558	7,181	804	803	0	17	18	0	684	757	1	49	0	0	0	0	66	23	4	3	0	1	24,571	
New York	3,500	1,319	9,257	39,906	4,288	569	0	2	6	4	43	49	8	25	65	5	1	8	234	443	32	10	12	1	59,787	
North Carolina	40,903	76	2,488	31,949	2,016	409	0	21	20	4	2,398	2,143	17	463	95	19	9	7	1	37	1	0	1	0	83,077	
North Dakota	587	18	4,122	3,717	246	229	12	5	1	0	84	103	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	4	2	0	0	0	9,136	
Ohio	12,100	141	63,707	28,817	2,793	3,527	0	18	12	5	1,827	885	9	125	20	0	0	0	78	19	1	1	0	1	114,086	
Oklahoma	2,821	4	25,804	13,873	1,725	1,825	2	20	20	3	2,291	1,710	7	12	2	0	0	0	37	26	8	1	3	0	50,194	
Oregon	5,618	714	33,659	18,838	0	10	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	183	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59,115	
Pennsylvania	20,598	0	81,319	22,031	30	0	317	0	0	0	0	0	0	615	101	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	125,013	
Puerto Rico	0	0	660	104	34	18	0	1	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	8	0	0	1	0	862	
Rhode Island	0	0	2,533	2,303	178	613	0	0	0	0	5	4	0	185	264	65	0	0	12	5	0	1	1	0	6,169	
South Carolina	10,501	257	25,288	10,790	1,017	1,072	1	10	6	2	1,148	643	9	164	8	0	0	0	24	12	1	0	0	0	50,953	
South Dakota	491	1	5,536	4,230	337	336	0	0	1	1	174	201	1	0	0	0	0	0	12	5	6	0	0	0	11,332	
Tennessee	10,431	273	49,546	25,157	2,954	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	82	11	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88,458	
Texas	35,688	0	147,714	61,827	5,897	8,286	0	138	69	5	9,200	5,047	66	99	3	0	0	0	78	77	14	2	0	1	274,211	
Utah	15,658	61,402	13,908	8,665	628	0	0	8	10	3	373	398	1	233	61	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	101,382	
Vermont	0	0	3,853	2,636	238	267	0	0	0	0	14	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	7,023	
Virgin Islands	99	0	21	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	122	
Virginia	386	342	51,801	24,208	6,848	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83,675	
Washington	13,504	717	32,624	20,165	5,234	111	12	4	138	9	544	1,051	32	553	90	10	0	0	274	296	159	1	0	1	75,529	
West Virginia	2,186	114	11,570	8,599	564	937	0	7	13	2	1,134	1,175	5	16	1	1	0	0	15	6	0	0	1	0	26,346	
Wisconsin	14,263	474	42,224	18,582	1,627	88	0	0	3	15	161	230	14	92	29	2	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	77,811	

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Alabama	29,633	604	24,590	12,531	1,225	1,217	0	45	23	3	3,659	1,733	18	0	0	0	0	0	32	17	3	0	3	0	75,336	
Alaska	139	10	2,560	1,839	311	203	0	0	0	1	215	119	2	30	24	0	0	0	4	9	0	0	0	0	5,466	
Arizona	6,138	741	16,839	8,006	1,424	1,392	0	20	4	0	1,683	722	6	87	19	0	0	0	9	7	2	1	0	0	37,100	
Arkansas	2,994	731	8,112	5,453	363	542	4	15	20	1	1,497	1,680	3	0	0	0	0	0	18	8	4	0	0	0	21,445	
California	32,002	0	35,570	22,645	4,221	0	0	0	0	0	557	417	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	95,430	
Colorado	6,336	0	19,931	11,285	1,505	1,149	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	294	42	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40,549	
Connecticut	5,679	396	5,341	1,961	3,468	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,851	
Delaware	413	0	2,103	1,386	130	78	0	0	0	0	17	7	0	85	0	0	0	0	73	23	3	2	1	0	4,321	
District of Columbia	403	0	97	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	551	
Florida	21,258	0	59,653	20,306	3,748	2,710	1	19	14	2	5,359	1,646	9	917	85	4	0	0	281	113	25	45	43	0	116,238	
Georgia	21,221	1	19,173	8,207	752	858	0	37	25	3	2,476	1,463	3	1	0	0	0	0	18	11	1	0	0	0	54,250	
Guam	0	0	161	67	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	245	
Hawaii	1,263	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,264	
Idaho	6,945	2	5,286	4,371	420	364	0	6	5	2	477	537	1	37	7	2	0	0	8	6	0	0	0	0	18,476	
Illinois	13,769	572,881	22,743	9,761	0	913	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	620,067	
Indiana	564	40,958	25,949	12,739	1,974	1,083	30	13	8	0	921	630	26	82	2	0	0	0	52	49	25	0	2	0	85,107	
Iowa	7,512	10,604	220	2,419	48	7	0	0	0	0	1	40	0	29	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20,889	
Kansas	1,588	2	7,905	5,610	653	504	0	10	3	1	780	387	8	50	11	2	0	0	10	10	0	1	0	0	17,535	
Kentucky	1,993	365,823	15,294	8,763	668	1,096	1	34	32	0	2,602	1,856	4	8	8	0	0	0	37	24	3	0	1	0	398,247	
Louisiana	1,875	164	12,303	6,564	734	670	1	17	14	0	1,406	910	5	1	0	0	0	0	14	16	2	0	0	0	24,696	
Maine	403	2	3,920	2,871	339	216	3	0	0	0	94	86	2	15	6	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	7,966	
Mariana Islands	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	
Maryland	4,323	16	4,472	5,622	140	30	0	2	1	1	105	155	1	71	26	2	0	0	0	35	1	0	1	1	15,005	
Massachusetts	9,173	0	5,745	2,711	538	238	8	1	0	0	8	10	0	2	1	0	0	0	50	27	11	2	0	0	18,525	
Michigan	17,941	4,223	14,668	9,092	901	324	0	0	8	1	5	276	3	70	21	0	0	0	11	11	1	1	0	0	47,557	
Minnesota	12,130	26,753	11,142	9,395	990	496	0	9	3	0	265	325	1	61	3	11	0	0	11	7	1	0	0	0	61,603	
Mississippi	2,378	0	11,638	6,114	407	585	0	44	16	1	2,182	1,374	9	21	2	0	0	0	7	9	1	0	0	0	24,788	
Missouri	3,922	0	23,420	14,384	1,965	1,416	0	11	15	1	1,964	1,214	11	247	25	4	0	0	54	38	7	4	2	1	48,705	
Montana	1,968	0	3,343	3,196	293	319	8	9	8	0	511	747	1	23	7	2	0	0	9	4	0	0	0	0	10,448	
Nebraska	4,458	88	177	1,764	36	7	0	0	0	0	7	59	0	13	2	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	6,616	
Nevada	2,633	0	6,215	2,706	376	342	0	0	0	0	400	125	1	1	0	0	0	0	161	105	4	0	0	0	13,069	
New Hampshire	1,415	6	6,031	2,740	241	1	13	0	17	0	0	16	0	54	11	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	10,549	
New Jersey	0	0	4,603	3,580	224	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	71	64	3	1	0	1	8,548	
New Mexico	634	0	7,615	4,152	633	543	0	15	12	0	653	662	2	55	0	0	0	0	67	29	1	2	0	1	15,076	
New York	3,493	2,136	9,861	13,360	2,002	258	0	0	1	1	67	36	5	26	66	0	0	8	266	248	18	6	5	0	31,863	
North Carolina	29,736	39	1,984	13,177	1,191	370	0	16	25	4	2,822	2,119	16	579	124	11	11	10	5	11	0	1	1	0	52,252	
North Dakota	396	10	2,122	2,471	166	105	9	1	2	0	82	112	0	14	2	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	0	5,498	
Ohio	12,123	113	29,360	14,843	2,448	1,558	1	21	13	0	1,654	783	5	98	32	2	0	0	73	28	0	0	1	0	63,156	
Oklahoma	2,799	9	16,480	8,203	1,300	1,295	4	31	27	3	2,428	1,745	7	9	0	0	0	0	31	27	10	0	0	0	34,408	
Oregon	5,387	683	16,784	10,360	0	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	153	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33,430	
Pennsylvania	23,294	0	53,384	15,473	53	0	263	0	0	0	0	0	0	649	123	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93,240	
Puerto Rico	0	0	1,540	126	45	16	0	0	0	1	23	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	13	0	3	0	0	1,819	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,307	723	108	212	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	108	82	34	0	0	10	5	0	3	1	0	2,597	
South Carolina	11,212	258	14,700	6,120	865	582	0	15	8	3	1,434	644	6	172	12	0	0	0	33	18	3	0	0	0	36,085	
South Dakota	534	2	3,359	3,195	246	223	0	1	1	1	181	206	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	3	2	0	0	1	7,962	
Tennessee	8,152	74	32,364	15,464	1,688	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	115	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57,867
Texas	31,375	0	60,512	29,259	3,956	3,663	0	125	53	3	9,072	4,664	43	74	5	0	0	0	72	43	9	0	0	0	142,928	
Utah	14,928	59,249	4,153	3,460	378	0	0	4	6	0	330	370	0	169	35	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83,113	
Vermont	0	0	1,870	1,514	157	79	3	0	0	1	1	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	0	0	0	3,642	
Virgin Islands	35	0	33	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71	
Virginia	686	589	36,608	20,509	8,746	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	93	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67,257	
Washington	13,676	470	18,044	9,505	4,021	51	8	1	93	5	379	887	27	468	108	12	0	0	287	282	91	1	2	0	48,418	
West Virginia	2,400	144	8,200	6,163	462	813	1	17	12	1	1,349	1,348	4	4	0	0	0	0	12	10	1	1	0	0	20,942	
Wisconsin	10,071	556	17,509	11,891	1,148	75	0	0	0	9	192	235	8	76	22	3	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	41,799	
Wyoming	502	18	2,322	1,975	170	154	0	3	1	0	163	181	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	3	1	0	0	0	5,500	
Totals	393,902	1,088,355	719,327	400																						

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State / Territory	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Pre-Pawn Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Private Sale Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals		
Alabama	37,140	510	22,478	12,598	1,313	1,010	0	43	17	5	2,706	1,417	16	0	0	0	0	0	43	31	3	1	1	0	79,332	
Alaska	223	7	2,151	1,529	312	142	0	1	1	0	140	95	2	48	40	0	0	0	3	8	4	0	0	0	4,706	
Arizona	5,727	808	15,126	7,087	1,475	1,022	0	12	4	1	1,300	521	5	99	8	1	0	0	16	10	2	0	0	0	33,224	
Arkansas	3,094	790	6,621	5,524	435	368	8	14	3	0	1,072	1,153	1	0	0	0	0	0	27	12	1	1	1	1	19,126	
California	34,694	0	34,884	22,057	4,131	0	0	0	0	0	451	338	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96,567	
Colorado	7,802	0	19,614	11,451	1,757	1,141	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	309	54	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	42,133	
Connecticut	6,570	412	5,820	2,187	694	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,695	
Delaware	459	0	2,096	1,524	143	68	0	3	2	0	20	11	0	44	0	0	0	0	74	31	6	0	1	0	4,482	
District of Columbia	511	0	124	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	666	
Florida	21,461	0	54,985	19,973	3,957	2,488	0	23	11	0	4,203	1,221	6	1,014	94	9	0	0	272	151	41	57	52	1	110,019	
Georgia	25,933	0	14,422	7,886	797	549	0	22	18	1	1,814	1,081	8	6	0	0	0	0	14	3	2	1	0	0	52,557	
Guam	0	0	155	56	10	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	229	
Hawaii	1,181	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,182	
Idaho	7,050	13	4,359	3,607	496	213	0	8	3	1	373	363	1	36	6	1	0	0	5	6	0	0	0	0	16,541	
Illinois	17,551	561,765	22,567	9,588	0	940	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	612,411	
Indiana	846	40,148	22,340	12,461	2,166	890	17	6	10	1	715	402	29	31	0	0	0	0	80	57	76	1	6	1	80,283	
Iowa	7,776	12,451	198	2,030	50	4	2	0	1	0	2	41	0	34	8	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	22,600	
Kansas	1,658	11	6,624	5,196	702	365	0	7	2	3	621	308	9	43	10	0	0	0	11	7	0	1	0	0	15,578	
Kentucky	2,314	340,741	12,022	7,558	704	655	0	27	22	1	1,853	1,321	3	8	8	0	0	0	30	28	3	1	1	1	367,301	
Louisiana	1,988	245	10,706	7,687	798	502	0	12	17	2	1,030	653	12	0	0	0	0	0	15	16	2	0	1	0	23,686	
Maine	464	6	3,534	2,661	351	179	6	1	1	0	75	79	0	24	8	0	0	0	4	7	0	0	0	0	7,400	
Mariana Islands	0	0	18	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26	
Maryland	3,985	10	4,283	5,213	118	14	0	5	3	0	68	119	2	77	28	0	0	0	0	34	1	0	1	0	13,961	
Massachusetts	9,289	0	5,182	2,833	628	191	9	0	0	1	10	13	3	0	2	0	0	0	33	28	9	3	0	1	18,235	
Michigan	20,493	5,055	11,806	8,250	941	225	0	0	4	0	7	179	4	102	36	1	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	47,110	
Minnesota	11,108	26,463	9,445	7,565	974	445	0	4	4	0	243	214	4	60	11	1	0	0	13	4	3	0	0	0	56,561	
Mississippi	2,223	0	8,790	5,922	445	356	0	26	15	1	1,573	1,023	10	14	2	0	0	0	9	9	1	0	1	0	20,420	
Missouri	4,059	0	20,436	13,149	2,065	1,099	0	22	5	0	1,470	838	12	251	54	4	0	0	68	47	11	3	3	0	43,596	
Montana	2,011	0	2,884	3,010	271	224	13	4	10	0	437	595	1	24	2	4	0	0	3	6	0	0	0	0	9,499	
Nebraska	4,794	75	110	1,923	35	3	0	0	1	0	6	38	0	29	3	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	7,021	
Nevada	2,177	0	5,250	2,413	356	278	0	0	0	0	295	128	0	0	0	0	0	0	117	56	4	0	0	0	11,074	
New Hampshire	1,576	5	5,771	2,913	341	0	47	0	26	0	0	10	2	132	29	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	10,856	
New Jersey	0	0	4,349	3,639	205	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	60	53	2	3	0	0	8,313	
New Mexico	529	0	6,783	3,648	573	480	0	22	10	1	484	457	1	33	0	0	0	0	46	20	4	3	1	0	13,095	
New York	4,095	2,250	10,227	12,610	2,058	224	0	1	0	1	45	47	9	27	99	2	1	2	332	323	22	6	7	2	32,390	
North Carolina	33,070	68	1,836	12,908	1,316	248	0	23	13	2	2,113	1,492	9	559	120	10	7	4	8	10	1	1	1	0	53,819	
North Dakota	370	19	1,771	2,258	158	90	10	0	1	0	81	98	1	3	0	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	4,866	
Ohio	13,211	243	24,218	13,069	2,066	999	0	11	6	0	1,187	540	10	127	30	5	0	0	37	19	5	1	0	0	55,784	
Oklahoma	2,814	40	14,939	8,277	1,346	947	6	16	11	3	2,066	1,321	9	3	0	0	0	0	52	47	9	2	0	0	31,908	
Oregon	6,271	751	15,332	9,167	0	5	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	148	61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31,752	
Pennsylvania	27,221	0	46,160	13,636	70	0	272	0	0	0	0	0	0	714	151	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	88,224	
Puerto Rico	0	0	1,559	139	75	41	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	2	0	0	0	1	1,911	
Rhode Island	0	0	1,279	844	118	215	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	117	71	21	0	0	17	7	2	1	1	0	2,701	
South Carolina	9,740	192	11,488	5,795	969	438	1	11	4	1	961	533	1	168	17	1	0	0	23	19	2	1	0	0	30,365	
South Dakota	634	8	2,782	2,897	214	158	0	0	1	1	138	151	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	7	3	0	1	0	7,002	
Tennessee	7,872	156	28,938	14,788	1,507	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	114	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53,382
Texas	29,676	0	53,796	29,103	4,092	2,392	18	81	38	8	6,390	3,278	53	92	4	0	0	0	81	58	14	1	1	0	129,176	
Utah	11,152	62,000	3,552	2,959	387	0	0	5	10	0	253	245	3	196	62	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80,856	
Vermont	0	0	1,500	1,278	159	95	3	0	0	0	7	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	3,052	
Virgin Islands	113	0	33	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	149	
Virginia	360	361	36,391	21,424	9,713	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	129	36	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68,420
Washington	15,767	429	18,390	8,842	3,813	51	24	1	93	13	373	666	24	528	114	14	0	0	271	208	84	1	7	1	49,714	
West Virginia	2,697	135	6,543	5,664	422	432	1	11	8	0	1,101	919	2	24	0	1	0	0	9	4	1	0	0	0	17,974	
Wisconsin	11,587	731	14,521	9,835	1,168	49	0	0	1	4	137	152	10	99	40	3	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	38,349	
Wyoming	550	1	2,135	1,656	185	107	1	0	2	1	135	124	4	0	0	0	0	0	68	13	0	0	2	0	4,984	
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