

# NICS Firearm Background Checks: 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.
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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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Alabama	22,471	474	35,375	25,820	2,413	2,159	0	28	11	0	4,696	1,852	27	108	6	0	0	0	20	70	2	0	1	0	95,533
Alaska	93	292	4,923	3,913	591	330	0	2	4	0	222	83	0	72	25	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	10,551
Arizona	22,209	249	36,174	18,283	3,235	2,016	0	7	1	1	2,610	919	21	509	51	1	0	0	14	13	3	0	2	0	86,318
Arkansas	3,367	269	13,462	12,707	882	1,013	18	16	2	1	2,168	1,560	9	0	1	0	0	0	16	6	1	1	1	0	35,500
California	62,256	21,061	75,192	37,851	8,209	0	0	3	1	0	1,388	916	80	3,476	1,830	111	0	0	15,416	6,435	1,239	74	21	0	235,559
Colorado	16,182	14	34,665	20,675	4,140	3,253	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	590	107	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79,628
Connecticut	15,108	1,518	10,959	4,115	513	0	18	0	0	0	222	77	11	126	1	6	0	0	15	6	0	0	0	0	32,695
Delaware	1,412	0	3,793	2,165	238	176	0	0	1	0	35	18	1	186	2	0	0	0	68	23	0	0	1	0	8,119
District of Columbia	2,265	0	652	46	3	15	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	121	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,128
Florida	20,098	0	112,363	46,259	9,752	6,493	0	96	38	7	8,264	1,907	9	3,633	248	5	0	0	496	308	85	177	139	19	210,396
Georgia	26,329	0	38,312	21,453	2,226	1,969	1	19	11	1	4,755	1,745	43	134	1	0	0	0	37	19	0	0	0	0	97,055
Guam	0	0	363	166	28	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	567
Hawaii	2,224	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,265
Idaho	14,930	414	10,281	9,013	1,136	644	0	1	3	0	590	467	4	196	20	1	0	0	16	10	2	0	1	0	37,729
Illinois	31,785	480,012	48,362	20,547	2,140	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	582,847
Indiana	828	52,839	39,642	23,143	3,395	2,263	8	3	1	2	1,797	665	41	146	5	0	0	0	60	45	6	3	2	1	124,895
Iowa	7,188	14,242	6,494	5,844	499	264	2	0	0	0	78	55	3	248	72	7	0	0	5	2	1	0	0	0	35,004
Kansas	2,433	7	12,412	10,692	1,256	905	0	2	4	1	982	443	8	216	24	1	0	0	12	10	1	0	2	0	29,411
Kentucky	1,386	565,277	20,184	15,611	1,313	1,449	11	13	7	0	3,082	1,655	5	86	20	0	0	0	19	20	2	1	1	0	610,142
Louisiana	1,070	0	22,339	14,912	1,542	1,181	1	6	7	3	1,923	914	26	1	0	0	0	0	25	19	5	0	0	0	43,974
Maine	1,139	21	6,470	5,258	586	481	3	1	2	0	105	70	2	50	25	0	0	0	6	11	0	0	0	0	14,230
Mariana Islands	0	0	19	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32
Maryland	22,406	8,637	17,372	11,090	277	9	0	1	3	0	231	125	8	192	51	16	0	0	0	49	1	0	1	0	60,469
Massachusetts	26,517	1	10,970	5,028	985	532	5	0	0	1	30	26	5	6	0	0	0	0	81	65	5	0	1	0	44,258
Michigan	55,275	16,477	34,698	27,733	3,311	1,457	183	0	3	1	71	399	7	1,217	112	125	0	0	29	18	5	0	3	0	141,124
Minnesota	21,763	70,989	18,263	16,330	1,691	1,043	0	1	1	0	358	316	3	225	39	11	0	0	38	79	6	1	7	0	131,164
Mississippi	3,291	0	16,827	13,437	969	887	0	13	3	1	3,032	1,478	6	17	1	0	0	0	6	11	4	1	0	0	39,984
Missouri	4,064	674	34,908	27,856	3,451	2,657	0	9	8	0	2,442	1,183	20	637	74	5	0	0	61	55	8	1	3	1	78,117
Montana	2,560	0	6,787	6,883	721	676	37	3	5	0	724	755	4	108	34	5	0	0	4	3	0	0	0	0	19,309
Nebraska	8,931	443	380	3,396	80	24	0	0	1	0	5	56	0	99	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13,424
Nevada	4,248	0	11,245	4,696	771	630	0	1	0	0	553	168	2	3	3	0	0	0	414	152	16	0	27	6	22,935
New Hampshire	2,614	6	12,186	5,427	1,038	1	62	0	18	0	0	14	0	244	12	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21,638
New Jersey	0	0	16,426	8,068	1,369	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	198	155	11	4	4	0	26,238
New Mexico	2,584	0	10,566	6,618	1,014	971	0	2	2	0	800	606	3	98	0	0	0	0	99	58	6	2	2	0	23,431
New York	5,514	4,328	21,077	18,063	1,622	748	0	0	0	0	61	54	10	168	190	0	28	0	733	601	63	17	20	0	53,297
North Carolina	29,828	391	49,305	24,533	2,767	2,203	1	22	6	5	5,384	1,894	29	1,602	214	10	4	3	79	33	5	0	3	0	118,321
North Dakota	589	4,808	3,355	4,430	278	233	0	0	1	0	117	120	1	12	4	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	13,951
Ohio	12,995	2,508	47,087	27,958	3,372	2,797	1	6	1	0	3,288	1,162	25	698	83	27	0	0	24	5	0	1	1	0	102,039
Oklahoma	7,778	60	24,281	18,202	2,478	1,925	0	13	6	2	3,514	1,820	9	262	18	0	0	0	20	24	4	4	5	0	60,425
Oregon	11,734	659	27,210	20,401	3,119	32	7	0	0	0	4	4	0	371	70	2	0	0	893	681	50	0	0	0	65,237
Pennsylvania	56,027	2	76,106	38,530	73	0	601	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,562	196	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	173,100
Puerto Rico	4,236	322	5,947	614	71	107	0	3	0	0	90	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,708	161	12	11	1	0	13,296
Rhode Island	118	0	2,603	1,465	260	351	0	1	0	0	6	3	0	20	4	7	0	0	27	19	2	1	0	0	4,887
South Carolina	14,569	1,114	25,571	13,429	1,940	1,074	1	16	7	0	1,810	645	5	549	30	7	0	0	34	15	8	2	0	1	60,827
South Dakota	1,528	23	3,726	4,990	317	248	1	1	0	0	175	151	2	44	6	2	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	11,220
Tennessee	26,449	15,537	51,040	31,135	3,191	1	0	91	31	0	2,078	737	0	204	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	130,506
Texas	70,716	0	120,989	62,218	8,546	6,153	1	31	11	6	16,059	5,705	152	448	43	0	0	0	75	38	19	0	2	0	291,212
Utah	22,320	101,488	11,030	9,232	1,935	0	0	8	11	0	508	403	1	406	72	78	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	147,492
Vermont	2	0	2,812	2,541	204	204	0	0	0	0	13	11	3	16	3	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	5,814
Virgin Islands	379	0	65	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	4	0	0	0	0	468
Virginia	717	148	46,941	29,449	7,409	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	950	118	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	85,735
Washington	24,724	1,348	26,210	13,908	1,086	199	34	1	0	0	1,145	566	5	1,177	199	23	0	0	1,599	861	123	46	64	4	73,322
West Virginia	3,573	290	9,206	9,566	570	792	1	1	2	0	1,479	1,107	3	40	2	4	0	0	8	7	2	0	1	1	26,655
Wisconsin	33,629	1,666	29,176	23,440	1,950	155	0	0	0	4	410	281	49	313	61	12	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	91,152
Wyoming	960	38	3,958	3,669	406	265	27	0	2	0	297	223	9	90	10	0	0	0	27	15	4	0	1	0	10,001
Grand Total	737,411	1,368,678	1,310,759	792,825	101,370	50,998	1,047	421	215	36	77,601	33,371	651	21,564	4,115	611	32	3	22,401	10,118	1,702	347	317	33	4,536,626

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Alabama	146,669	3,004	210,340	169,987	14,781	12,906	2	100	61	11	26,520	10,846	171	692	38	0	0	0	139	83	17	6	14	1	596,388
Alaska	1,034	1,644	33,568	29,998	3,675	2,615	0	12	14	3	1,606	918	11	432	134	2	0	0	10	9	1	1	1	0	75,688
Arizona	125,913	6,356	216,441	119,268	19,901	12,884	6	48	14	8	14,820	5,218	132	3,033	258	5	0	0	87	70	15	3	1	1	524,482
Arkansas	24,898	2,815	82,784	94,167	5,959	5,862	109	85	65	3	12,634	9,516	46	21	3	0	0	0	92	101	25	1	5	0	239,191
California	360,678	141,413	482,101	256,112	49,624	1	0	11	10	4	9,004	5,336	596	20,478	10,201	1,019	0	0	90,394	41,402	6,852	467	238	3	1,475,944
Colorado	93,405	167	196,829	138,142	22,125	22,443	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,405	465	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	477,002
Connecticut	111,088	6,772	64,085	26,024	3,220	0	25	0	0	0	287	111	11	139	2	1	0	0	563	452	24	0	0	0	212,804
Delaware	10,255	0	24,365	14,266	1,480	1,107	1	0	0	0	253	98	1	968	6	20	0	0	418	123	6	1	2	0	53,370
District of Columbia	12,625	1	3,262	187	8	51	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	355	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,602
Florida	115,577	2	679,462	292,801	62,381	40,426	22	338	144	22	45,918	10,606	93	19,648	1,401	50	0	0	2,922	1,866	525	683	540	10	1,275,437
Georgia	151,710	1	216,773	132,966	12,367	11,163	9	115	86	5	26,107	10,005	202	989	47	0	0	0	176	88	25	4	7	1	562,846
Guam	0	0	1,879	919	143	69	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,011
Hawaii	15,366	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,402
Idaho	87,561	2,869	66,521	66,019	7,003	4,203	1	24	23	3	3,432	3,069	25	980	158	31	0	0	72	81	7	2	1	0	242,085
Illinois	389,097	1,940,735	291,083	135,547	12,482	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,768,955
Indiana	4,828	308,968	232,832	155,102	20,515	13,250	22	16	22	6	10,103	3,965	283	888	48	0	0	0	360	261	42	16	12	1	751,540
Iowa	37,298	64,034	36,049	39,696	2,540	1,470	19	0	0	2	494	307	19	977	198	53	0	0	48	30	4	2	0	1	183,241
Kansas	16,773	69	72,625	67,458	6,857	5,329	1	11	13	3	5,500	2,450	60	1,085	127	22	0	0	60	76	9	3	7	1	178,539
Kentucky	7,876	3,458,513	122,418	108,618	7,612	8,386	67	55	35	3	17,462	9,668	57	501	81	2	0	0	149	163	26	5	7	0	3,741,704
Louisiana	10,205	19	131,055	102,511	9,103	7,438	4	47	21	6	10,723	5,789	131	16	0	0	0	0	141	117	31	1	1	0	277,359
Maine	5,819	120	41,313	44,067	3,789	3,013	18	3	1	0	597	481	5	302	124	17	0	0	50	25	4	0	1	0	99,749
Mariana Islands	0	0	144	73	11	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	239
Maryland	101,730	14,697	96,500	70,604	1,702	78	0	9	8	4	1,528	1,017	36	1,004	267	36	0	0	0	211	9	0	5	1	289,446
Massachusetts	151,569	29	67,852	44,851	28,216	5,497	73	3	1	8	130	160	12	11	2	3	0	0	516	392	90	11	10	1	299,437
Michigan	283,854	81,045	200,689	199,349	20,796	1,332	2	12	5	281	2,566	67	7,171	540	889	0	0	0	211	144	20	13	18	1	808,275
Minnesota	141,621	454,810	115,710	136,426	10,934	7,544	0	6	14	1	2,165	2,176	36	1,240	276	50	0	0	263	265	18	6	11	0	873,572
Mississippi	24,029	0	95,772	86,751	5,448	5,278	3	62	34	4	16,877	8,483	48	150	14	0	0	0	71	47	4	3	10	0	243,088
Missouri	20,558	3,662	214,513	189,526	21,532	15,992	0	80	58	6	14,362	7,257	134	4,082	351	30	0	0	384	269	50	13	10	2	492,871
Montana	14,575	30	50,807	58,367	4,276	5,482	95	28	19	3	4,463	4,969	31	576	161	27	0	0	47	61	4	2	2	0	144,025
Nebraska	45,714	3,103	2,262	21,271	283	107	4	0	1	0	42	299	2	583	93	7	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	73,776
Nevada	32,549	2	59,854	29,585	4,527	4,017	0	1	2	0	3,207	814	8	5	1	0	0	0	5,103	1,812	241	1	1	0	141,730
New Hampshire	14,608	42	85,698	39,678	7,044	17	445	4	72	4	0	49	0	1,455	116	73	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	149,309
New Jersey	0	0	96,210	48,447	8,775	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	16	2	0	0	0	1,014	776	80	14	13	4	155,352
New Mexico	11,146	4	69,014	44,673	6,492	4,966	7	33	20	3	4,166	3,421	12	501	9	0	0	0	812	385	21	6	6	2	145,699
New York	34,528	27,409	124,632	131,244	10,381	4,644	1	0	0	0	574	689	89	833	1,165	19	194	10	4,632	3,839	405	98	142	10	345,538
North Carolina	164,487	3,209	286,835	155,044	16,057	12,858	4	147	68	10	28,375	11,496	185	9,868	1,348	22	14	7	413	146	20	6	7	2	690,628
North Dakota	4,022	24,630	21,654	33,029	1,804	1,457	0	9	7	1	733	852	8	98	31	1	0	0	35	68	6	0	2	0	88,447
Ohio	80,393	14,230	281,537	197,581	21,011	16,775	0	42	26	17	17,573	5,962	125	3,632	909	125	0	0	116	105	22	4	6	0	640,191
Oklahoma	37,436	395	142,173	114,018	15,740	11,358	4	86	45	9	19,940	11,236	96	1,207	80	6	0	0	169	221	42	18	31	1	354,311
Oregon	61,892	3,349	195,680	160,706	22,872	143	83	0	0	0	53	20	2	2,201	545	28	0	0	6,036	4,816	441	0	0	0	458,867
Pennsylvania	347,756	5	478,509	268,484	538	1	2,928	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,617	1,160	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,109,012
Puerto Rico	6,138	165	39,121	4,153	529	667	2	7	1	0	481	112	4	10	0	0	0	0	9,696	997	67	58	7	0	62,215
Rhode Island	137	0	13,188	7,769	1,020	1,760	0	0	0	1	24	11	3	97	83	57	0	0	173	94	9	9	9	0	24,444
South Carolina	82,630	6,001	144,811	84,671	10,421	6,481	20	34	23	7	10,188	3,823	69	2,595	164	50	0	0	91	88	26	3	3	0	352,199
South Dakota	10,523	72	22,545	35,907	1,837	1,546	13	1	4	0	1,062	1,034	9	272	50	37	0	0	49	129	17	2	0	0	75,109
Tennessee	58,661	104,900	305,721	204,597	20,364	0	1	415	142	0	11,312	4,260	0	1,279	85	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	711,739
Texas	372,776	0	702,180	414,978	50,932	38,871	23	237	112	28	85,871	32,222	898	2,482	139	3	0	0	467	325	76	12	20	0	1,702,652
Utah	136,580	677,283	63,938	60,791	10,562	5	0	45	71	13	2,624	2,404	8	2,616	419	438	0	0	0	00					

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Alabama	134,985	1,925	230,077	171,451	15,681	13,714	2	142	61	12	27,944	11,792	191	596	10	0	0	0	316	242	96	4	9	2	609,252
Alaska	2,514	254	34,532	29,928	3,900	2,560	0	7	4	1	1,608	1,008	19	320	134	0	0	0	8	8	7	3	0	0	76,815
Arizona	109,861	16,745	213,403	112,500	20,268	13,170	0	143	28	13	14,750	5,226	86	2,831	213	7	0	0	88	48	9	4	8	3	509,404
Arkansas	32,567	3,707	84,015	81,214	5,975	5,857	50	95	79	9	13,208	9,878	33	0	0	0	0	0	82	113	24	4	4	0	236,914
California	324,246	171,854	462,746	282,081	63,665	3	0	6	6	1	8,559	4,747	584	24,959	12,763	1,217	0	0	94,255	38,805	7,007	590	253	6	1,498,353
Colorado	98,544	124	215,789	144,984	20,759	23,470	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,508	460	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	507,651
Connecticut	93,659	9,188	66,059	24,596	11,976	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,304	1,501	695	0	0	0	211,999
Delaware	6,815	0	25,460	13,527	1,111	1,034	1	0	2	0	272	107	2	920	1	1	0	0	654	157	11	2	3	0	50,080
District of Columbia	11,189	3	3,726	145	8	42	144	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	411	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,687
Florida	159,291	0	751,561	303,865	59,451	41,604	2	102	47	3	46,315	10,955	89	17,207	1,344	27	0	0	3,412	2,137	722	618	508	7	1,399,267
Georgia	153,963	0	219,201	128,565	12,206	11,103	1	189	74	9	25,870	9,696	190	946	15	0	0	0	166	77	9	1	3	4	562,288
Guam	0	0	1,830	943	172	77	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,022
Hawaii	23,714	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23,750
Idaho	81,673	1,328	65,642	64,660	7,217	4,308	2	21	17	1	3,674	3,268	20	973	162	37	0	0	112	95	5	3	2	0	233,220
Illinois	3,502,639	4	300,818	144,172	13,603	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,961,236
Indiana	4,607	305,908	246,931	160,301	20,742	13,336	34	41	20	3	10,347	4,037	271	784	56	0	0	0	374	249	57	18	14	1	768,131
Iowa	53,705	56,124	32,697	37,867	2,253	1,315	83	3	2	1	368	333	9	791	201	26	0	0	31	27	2	1	1	0	185,840
Kansas	17,765	475	75,281	69,674	7,998	5,469	1	25	28	5	5,825	2,702	51	1,086	160	11	0	0	63	69	17	4	1	0	186,710
Kentucky	8,145	3,391,543	128,845	110,554	7,558	8,359	130	101	55	4	18,766	10,728	49	442	82	1	0	0	211	220	29	10	11	0	3,685,843
Louisiana	26,622	7,872	128,884	103,384	9,464	7,981	44	78	40	6	10,976	5,920	119	0	0	0	0	0	131	97	34	2	2	0	301,656
Maine	5,293	92	48,236	49,337	4,028	3,201	13	2	3	0	853	696	6	307	106	7	0	0	72	46	4	1	1	0	112,304
Mariana Islands	0	0	169	88	2	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	275
Maryland	127,015	550	118,095	73,966	1,530	72	0	5	12	5	1,192	1,047	24	1,197	305	89	0	0	12	243	57	0	7	4	325,427
Massachusetts	110,467	5	62,206	36,312	18,085	3,626	51	3	1	7	121	184	16	17	2	0	0	0	405	303	94	12	8	1	231,926
Michigan	210,098	71,669	253,920	205,526	23,889	11,703	3	6	15	10	287	2,799	71	1,080	150	7	0	0	355	139	29	10	3	0	781,769
Minnesota	155,330	432,273	119,735	135,740	11,845	7,447	0	14	14	0	2,073	2,229	25	1,302	281	17	0	0	202	214	19	6	9	0	868,775
Mississippi	29,737	0	103,186	87,492	5,620	5,579	7	94	50	6	18,497	9,127	52	202	8	0	0	0	70	28	5	1	5	1	259,767
Missouri	11,223	2,074	227,681	193,023	22,347	16,067	8	70	37	8	15,751	8,077	220	4,528	538	15	0	0	413	408	66	19	25	0	502,598
Montana	11,687	14	51,667	56,206	4,336	5,215	142	22	12	3	4,613	5,008	10	451	186	8	0	0	51	68	16	7	9	0	139,731
Nebraska	53,050	1,781	2,221	21,808	296	109	0	0	3	0	34	302	0	330	100	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	80,046
Nevada	33,010	0	60,473	29,270	4,575	4,063	0	8	3	1	3,024	802	7	8	3	0	0	0	4,574	1,659	242	3	3	0	141,728
New Hampshire	13,806	31	78,234	39,534	6,318	2	572	6	21	1	0	65	0	1,396	81	86	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	140,156
New Jersey	0	0	96,066	50,062	11,816	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	3	0	0	0	1,065	666	62	20	14	10	159,796
New Mexico	10,939	0	79,586	51,249	7,171	4,944	0	90	52	5	5,062	3,871	24	584	14	0	0	0	1,136	579	39	15	19	2	165,381
New York	55,615	32,714	126,418	152,294	13,918	3,741	3	5	3	3	468	565	82	554	840	23	38	89	3,863	3,512	297	96	127	9	395,277
North Carolina	231,318	3,519	262,050	157,376	15,761	10,170	2	154	99	7	25,256	12,569	149	9,581	1,551	84	19	7	339	119	10	8	9	0	730,157
North Dakota	5,890	32,147	22,277	33,828	1,826	1,467	0	4	5	2	738	897	10	94	24	0	0	0	162	82	6	1	1	0	99,461
Ohio	99,798	11,382	284,868	195,393	20,492	16,079	0	55	22	6	16,549	5,845	95	3,265	1,001	788	0	0	175	106	17	5	11	0	655,952
Oklahoma	34,700	55	145,472	112,209	15,990	11,946	12	194	92	8	20,880	11,785	102	2,025	50	4	0	0	303	311	86	16	16	2	356,258
Oregon	70,645	3,736	228,996	155,415	15,214	242	74	0	0	0	35	13	6	2,130	483	4	0	0	3,153	2,475	267	0	0	0	482,888
Pennsylvania	375,464	9	500,106	264,585	330	0	3,761	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,285	1,207	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,154,761
Puerto Rico	0	0	48,104	4,246	644	608	0	13	1	0	514	80	3	0	0	0	0	0	11,018	1,059	85	26	2	0	66,403
Rhode Island	0	0	13,194	8,243	1,327	1,654	1	0	2	0	19	14	3	275	168	74	0	0	118	64	6	7	9	0	25,178
South Carolina	100,321	7,221	129,536	83,060	10,695	6,686	19	61	20	1	9,940	3,700	40	2,787	173	215	0	0	60	58	21	1	0	0	354,615
South Dakota	10,592	140	23,561	36,769	1,968	1,691	0	3	2	0	1,180	1,201	7	56	19	47	0	0	100	245	12	1	5	0	77,599
Tennessee	134,774	29,240	336,342	216,586	22,538	1	0	46	19	0	1,000	387	0	1,229	56	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	742,222
Texas	315,786	0	697,421	404,397	51,043	39,168	166	419	194	30	87,420	32,466	818	2,918	127	4	0	0	549	384	72	22	26	4	1,633,434
Utah	155,657	676,034	63,131	58,387	8,873	0	0	60	51	11	2,901	2,632	8	2,523	540	531	0	0	0	0	0	0</			

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Alabama	235,684	4,064	249,523	177,186	16,493	14,062	1	178	75	5	28,682	11,853	162	442	1	0	0	0	329	282	80	4	7	0	739,113	
Alaska	2,908	171	38,136	33,190	4,415	2,674	0	17	7	2	1,584	1,092	13	328	178	0	0	0	28	33	23	2	1	0	84,802	
Arizona	103,082	16,596	239,132	115,782	21,872	14,727	0	124	35	10	14,505	5,133	68	2,154	217	6	0	0	140	95	16	2	3	0	533,699	
Arkansas	28,465	4,770	91,507	78,652	5,892	5,540	152	102	76	5	13,272	10,649	28	0	0	0	0	0	90	117	26	2	5	0	239,350	
California	282,209	141,508	465,700	299,930	65,963	11	1	9	13	9	8,616	4,616	414	16,701	9,312	1,679	0	0	89,953	37,154	7,674	337	164	20	1,431,993	
Colorado	85,251	360	241,886	154,180	21,030	21,118	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,895	572	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	528,335	
Connecticut	102,047	8,495	68,284	22,006	18,175	0	20	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	7,924	2,392	1,355	0	0	0	230,702	
Delaware	6,129	0	27,676	17,763	2,845	1,667	0	1	1	0	206	92	4	826	0	0	0	0	770	283	47	9	4	0	58,323	
District of Columbia	9,949	0	5,484	230	4	68	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	333	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,102	
Florida	247,358	0	753,761	293,950	60,250	38,826	5	96	56	7	44,747	11,465	103	14,679	1,191	51	0	0	3,936	2,518	776	547	395	13	1,474,730	
Georgia	171,438	0	247,937	124,555	11,137	11,124	7	209	93	13	23,917	9,765	144	776	5	0	0	0	195	69	17	5	1	0	601,407	
Guam	0	0	2,320	1,024	208	120	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,673	
Hawaii	18,804	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18,842	
Idaho	68,558	426	76,559	68,992	7,784	4,744	8	25	11	2	3,813	3,282	19	794	161	8	0	0	122	138	10	4	5	0	235,465	
Illinois	4,038,067	0	282,847	139,696	15,445	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,476,055	
Indiana	7,406	600,682	285,096	161,294	21,965	13,508	23	66	53	11	9,436	3,886	230	579	58	0	0	0	388	291	48	11	7	2	1,105,040	
Iowa	51,839	89,614	34,175	38,213	1,920	1,118	93	2	4	1	284	370	6	758	185	69	0	0	27	20	3	0	2	0	218,703	
Kansas	14,720	2,450	83,066	68,333	8,094	5,400	0	66	22	4	6,016	2,603	58	773	137	8	0	0	69	49	18	5	4	0	191,895	
Kentucky	7,932	3,708,386	139,290	112,710	7,772	8,756	51	130	66	1	19,404	11,132	43	309	41	1	0	0	222	226	20	8	9	1	4,016,510	
Louisiana	29,211	4,667	166,683	105,653	11,322	8,928	6	99	55	2	11,455	6,289	126	0	0	0	0	0	156	132	19	2	2	1	344,808	
Maine	6,454	66	48,504	49,533	4,417	3,037	35	4	5	0	832	623	8	316	144	8	0	0	47	51	5	0	1	0	114,090	
Mariana Islands	0	0	175	151	15	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	372	
Maryland	127,702	294	117,432	74,767	1,635	105	0	3	4	4	1,033	1,092	32	1,379	311	44	0	0	8	244	13	0	8	4	326,114	
Massachusetts	104,650	3	67,038	36,451	15,336	3,450	77	1	2	7	136	158	19	11	1	0	0	0	276	216	79	11	6	0	227,928	
Michigan	205,104	70,548	269,891	202,814	24,935	11,251	9	2	18	11	286	2,664	55	1,012	131	4	0	0	261	135	9	13	7	0	789,160	
Minnesota	161,842	423,470	138,149	140,680	12,977	7,650	0	7	21	2	2,226	2,289	35	936	228	23	0	0	224	260	20	2	3	0	891,044	
Mississippi	30,254	0	120,835	91,687	6,252	6,152	0	73	51	12	19,417	9,664	38	228	15	1	0	0	96	53	16	13	7	0	284,864	
Missouri	12,531	598	251,770	194,969	25,119	16,489	12	86	44	9	15,988	8,099	152	3,484	413	31	0	0	502	489	98	27	20	2	530,932	
Montana	11,987	16	53,758	56,504	4,449	3,877	176	23	33	3	4,739	5,479	24	439	84	20	0	0	64	114	6	2	4	2	141,803	
Nebraska	48,361	999	1,939	22,560	333	111	0	4	3	0	35	367	2	282	72	1	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	75,084	
Nevada	33,231	0	68,890	31,021	4,905	4,499	0	14	10	0	2,828	765	6	7	2	0	0	0	4,257	1,589	234	3	0	0	152,261	
New Hampshire	10,653	31	74,917	42,038	3,929	8	247	13	73	0	0	86	0	1,372	103	36	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	133,507	
New Jersey	0	0	100,866	54,234	10,852	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	934	700	105	23	15	5	167,740	
New Mexico	11,058	0	86,104	53,163	7,738	4,817	0	63	43	6	4,799	3,969	14	486	4	0	0	0	958	500	42	14	14	1	173,793	
New York	50,988	34,402	126,970	190,484	29,607	4,565	0	6	7	7	458	486	77	599	809	31	11	32	3,541	3,851	446	63	115	12	447,567	
North Carolina	352,593	1,714	22,109	172,574	14,478	2,888	0	99	91	5	21,592	14,073	119	8,619	1,377	108	21	9	28	162	22	3	10	1	612,695	
North Dakota	9,535	110	23,399	33,972	2,044	1,487	0	2	5	4	694	915	13	137	41	11	0	0	37	41	6	2	2	1	72,458	
Ohio	91,808	2,980	314,770	187,815	19,042	16,011	2	135	34	6	15,090	5,484	66	2,511	797	61	0	0	170	117	15	9	11	2	656,936	
Oklahoma	26,835	42	162,004	115,732	17,538	12,135	1	246	139	7	21,206	12,306	95	980	30	1	0	0	404	427	97	26	23	1	370,275	
Oregon	68,334	4,715	270,591	149,356	0	166	117	0	0	0	3	1	0	2,077	478	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	495,842
Pennsylvania	394,509	2	557,415	262,090	499	0	4,257	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,077	1,270	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,229,129
Puerto Rico	0	0	60,276	4,313	656	603	0	10	3	0	428	82	5	0	0	0	0	0	9,509	898	23	34	1	0	76,841	
Rhode Island	0	0	14,729	8,906	1,241	2,302	0	0	0	0	30	16	0	210	111	84	0	0	155	97	7	6	6	0	27,900	
South Carolina	150,736	5,564	148,767	83,236	10,021	6,729	17	56	28	10	10,505	4,011	50	2,498	165	468	0	0	129	79	22	4	2	1	423,098	
South Dakota	10,986	144	28,769	39,609	2,481	1,994	0	10	5	1	1,546	1,520	8	70	14	9	0	0	132	241	44	1	5	0	87,589	
Tennessee	229,530	3,216	363,979	214,632	23,839	0	3	0	0	0	15	4	0	1,627	97	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	836,953
Texas	321,698	0	778,486	412,457	53,868	41,128	246	643	268	25	87,076	32,774	710	1,787	115	1	0	0	731	464	116	29	25	4	1,732,651	
Utah	139,490	728,769	69,361	60,214	7,641	0	0	34	58	8	2,940	2,510	7	2,345	445	455	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Alabama	369,697	4,831	289,613	209,890	19,404	13,442	1	267	147	27	26,533	11,085	144	397	0	0	0	0	353	321	93	8	16	2	946,271	
Alaska	2,383	211	40,098	37,634	4,783	2,710	0	14	8	2	1,498	1,063	12	333	266	0	0	0	87	94	9	1	1	0	91,207	
Arizona	89,033	9,672	272,367	134,723	22,949	14,468	0	124	43	20	13,228	4,672	64	1,821	186	18	0	0	202	133	26	6	6	2	563,763	
Arkansas	45,522	9,429	109,413	89,893	6,451	5,498	58	147	121	12	11,744	10,071	26	0	0	0	0	0	138	162	15	3	3	0	288,706	
California	208,138	138,758	521,998	355,242	75,414	0	0	34	10	1	5,684	3,566	155	17,782	9,679	1,371	0	0	91,918	38,067	7,522	483	245	6	1,476,073	
Colorado	118,207	123	275,513	182,752	23,583	24,194	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,818	603	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	628,811	
Connecticut	140,331	7,026	84,167	25,943	15,981	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,600	794	392	0	0	0	277,250	
Delaware	5,203	0	35,691	21,584	2,293	1,691	0	0	0	1	165	110	2	875	0	1	0	0	919	449	64	12	8	0	69,068	
District of Columbia	7,902	1	4,553	85	0	28	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	334	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,910	
Florida	330,854	0	855,268	344,790	65,505	40,460	52	140	62	5	39,797	10,607	113	13,126	1,285	96	0	0	4,714	3,048	940	458	351	14	1,711,685	
Georgia	332,710	0	277,764	142,719	12,425	10,674	5	207	133	18	20,024	9,293	127	440	0	0	0	0	249	93	17	6	7	1	806,912	
Guam	0	0	2,815	1,247	315	141	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,518	
Hawaii	17,659	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17,707	
Idaho	81,980	54	89,683	80,448	8,337	4,983	1	24	35	3	3,694	3,411	19	593	114	6	0	0	187	167	17	1	5	0	273,762	
Illinois	2,053,069	5,902,820	342,407	157,603	8,682	9,923	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,474,505	
Indiana	15,350	1,246,231	311,130	190,318	24,923	13,566	705	97	62	20	7,210	3,769	278	429	36	2	0	0	642	591	120	25	25	2	1,815,531	
Iowa	108,824	95,945	19,757	38,918	1,214	508	211	3	6	1	96	334	2	547	183	72	0	0	25	26	6	0	0	0	266,678	
Kansas	28,108	133	97,049	79,613	9,369	5,613	0	79	30	16	6,207	2,762	138	691	131	10	0	0	93	100	18	7	1	0	230,168	
Kentucky	12,923	3,486,954	170,750	130,771	8,083	8,716	23	227	129	15	18,115	10,507	47	100	46	0	0	0	292	307	30	14	12	0	3,848,061	
Louisiana	36,702	4,725	195,686	122,751	13,820	9,853	3	80	57	26	10,940	6,006	160	0	0	0	0	0	303	198	23	4	6	2	401,345	
Maine	7,378	52	55,153	56,558	4,913	3,146	34	5	6	4	679	637	9	261	112	12	0	0	120	93	12	2	7	0	129,193	
Mariana Islands	0	0	178	136	24	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	364	
Maryland	66,494	340	107,834	87,888	1,744	116	1	5	9	9	637	927	17	1,216	240	52	0	0	9	177	19	0	6	13	267,753	
Massachusetts	113,319	11	82,195	43,911	14,775	3,802	45	3	4	6	96	130	20	16	5	0	0	0	339	427	123	11	9	1	259,248	
Michigan	248,866	85,431	345,891	245,297	29,818	11,104	3	34	42	13	308	2,372	74	974	154	1	0	0	417	145	28	9	8	1	970,990	
Minnesota	234,397	346,544	175,329	159,042	16,117	8,115	0	19	23	4	1,830	2,073	56	889	225	24	0	0	300	274	26	2	8	2	945,299	
Mississippi	30,840	0	146,886	105,348	7,553	6,067	0	113	60	9	17,063	8,888	43	177	21	1	0	0	133	76	16	10	13	2	323,319	
Missouri	48,652	0	292,813	220,375	28,003	15,727	0	143	106	16	15,043	7,781	154	3,563	376	33	0	0	675	565	98	25	37	6	634,191	
Montana	17,356	18	59,312	64,802	4,469	4,084	207	50	55	6	4,324	5,273	15	391	99	25	0	0	57	85	8	1	3	0	160,640	
Nebraska	59,505	1,017	2,499	26,383	411	79	0	0	3	0	38	381	1	291	56	2	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	90,676	
Nevada	46,479	0	82,682	38,067	5,534	5,007	6	13	3	5	2,343	722	7	4	0	0	0	0	4,055	1,458	192	1	0	0	186,578	
New Hampshire	13,753	39	85,206	48,038	2,572	6	266	3	132	0	1	110	0	1,554	115	45	0	0	0	11	0	2	0	0	151,853	
New Jersey	0	0	134,985	76,880	9,206	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	1,264	961	70	29	22	14	223,437	
New Mexico	10,132	0	97,795	63,372	8,471	5,036	1	85	55	3	3,920	3,810	26	513	0	0	0	0	1,094	590	41	20	24	1	194,989	
New York	44,498	26,177	128,338	218,031	32,161	3,760	0	9	14	23	471	502	109	619	949	8	31	64	3,622	4,428	533	89	131	8	464,575	
North Carolina	480,743	675	23,817	213,256	16,996	2,795	0	146	144	18	19,536	13,947	140	7,884	1,174	105	57	24	35	191	35	5	10	0	781,733	
North Dakota	8,518	50	28,293	37,765	2,231	1,592	0	6	20	11	764	1,020	21	108	27	16	0	0	47	52	5	0	0	0	80,546	
Ohio	219,520	1,371	347,442	223,587	22,089	15,920	3	110	54	22	13,140	5,329	90	1,789	690	126	0	0	317	231	33	9	7	8	851,887	
Oklahoma	32,433	31	184,700	131,837	19,309	11,968	2	193	127	15	20,551	11,942	72	2,294	8	1	0	0	448	404	153	10	13	3	416,514	
Oregon	86,847	10,631	218,548	135,407	0	144	53	0	0	0	1	0	0	1,976	518	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	454,133
Pennsylvania	430,742	0	662,848	298,947	383	0	5,839	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,107	1,283	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,408,165
Puerto Rico	0	0	58,851	3,928	776	582	0	34	8	2	411	65	12	0	0	0	0	0	8,874	729	32	65	10	2	74,381	
Rhode Island	0	0	18,046	11,250	1,325	4,307	0	0	0	0	29	11	1	1,269	485	1,016	0	0	120	61	3	6	7	0	37,936	
South Carolina	164,745	5,171	181,311	99,712	11,254	6,523	17	82	52	9	9,768	4,212	56	1,953	139	182	0	0	140	121	32	4	3	1	485,487	
South Dakota	11,316	231	37,884	48,142	3,451	2,207	0	13	14	3	1,604	1,512	22	12	5	3	0	0	154	276	24	2	2	4	106,881	
Tennessee	236,205	37,521	418,991	246,269	24,030	0	1	0	0	0	14	6	0	1,373	94	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	964,512
Texas	414,731	0	884,916	472,378	57,892	40,138	58	729	327	65	74,301	31,576	713	1,247												

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Alabama	425,306	7,334	358,234	213,863	21,206	15,228	0	399	209	34	28,486	13,922	162	246	0	0	0	0	436	290	82	12	23	3	1,085,475
Alaska	2,065	702	45,217	38,884	4,923	2,889	0	5	7	2	1,803	1,306	14	535	328	0	0	0	120	129	17	3	3	0	98,952
Arizona	87,259	10,763	339,487	151,658	25,180	28,517	0	156	73	18	14,054	6,056	77	1,550	168	11	0	0	255	140	28	1	6	1	665,458
Arkansas	43,994	8,475	132,356	101,038	6,938	6,029	80	181	163	8	12,272	12,824	36	0	0	0	1	0	165	143	25	4	6	3	324,741
California	367,297	1,788	714,441	425,252	81,105	0	0	0	0	0	6,120	4,279	125	1	2	14	0	0	523	27	0	59	21	0	1,601,054
Colorado	97,331	131	333,076	199,090	24,328	22,616	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,352	557	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	680,507
Connecticut	84,569	3,951	76,558	27,913	26,201	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	0	0	0	219,227
Delaware	4,356	0	42,941	23,439	2,209	1,656	0	6	3	2	162	98	3	634	0	2	0	0	1,034	424	68	12	8	0	77,057
District of Columbia	7,759	0	3,296	81	0	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	3	312	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11,485
Florida	308,245	0	1,042,466	373,384	67,365	43,961	9	175	89	3	41,888	12,869	113	11,100	1,161	201	0	0	4,821	2,628	752	509	449	16	1,912,204
Georgia	308,015	2	364,499	163,219	14,748	20,266	2	276	181	19	20,232	11,759	128	255	3	1	0	0	275	130	18	1	5	1	904,035
Guam	0	0	2,204	886	352	128	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,572
Hawaii	20,078	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20,102
Idaho	74,194	76	99,243	85,148	8,079	5,166	0	49	62	8	4,053	4,279	24	459	115	15	0	0	121	157	21	3	11	1	281,284
Illinois	385,780	6,519,019	370,984	160,979	0	18,303	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,455,065
Indiana	10,909	1,292,328	370,587	205,484	27,082	14,617	227	88	70	18	7,374	4,449	308	362	18	2	0	0	790	540	273	27	31	3	1,935,587
Iowa	122,121	98,894	3,310	44,374	784	83	9	0	9	2	31	395	2	429	129	23	0	0	3	14	1	0	1	0	270,614
Kansas	17,111	143	120,494	84,183	9,793	6,272	0	91	41	16	6,721	3,545	162	550	141	15	0	0	144	121	31	8	6	1	249,589
Kentucky	20,620	2,875,713	231,291	146,384	9,783	11,096	13	265	217	19	20,286	13,786	54	114	86	1	0	0	363	320	27	8	13	3	3,330,462
Louisiana	21,983	2,675	223,754	135,318	15,970	11,036	6	138	149	16	11,275	7,626	150	1	0	0	0	0	236	168	31	2	3	0	430,537
Maine	6,673	68	62,803	56,910	5,154	3,444	54	3	3	1	730	802	6	257	80	2	0	0	77	69	5	4	4	0	137,149
Mariana Islands	0	0	133	70	13	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	222
Maryland	92,738	187	93,594	106,692	3,572	213	0	8	14	12	729	1,224	38	802	277	2,142	0	0	291	7	0	0	7	16	302,563
Massachusetts	125,381	7	80,609	40,932	10,196	3,719	32	4	3	9	105	103	18	13	3	0	0	0	779	475	164	19	9	3	262,583
Michigan	263,107	83,841	407,304	266,871	29,912	12,329	7	14	49	27	270	2,952	80	1,004	206	4	0	0	372	135	16	7	1	3	1,068,511
Minnesota	264,295	311,637	185,170	166,985	15,965	7,974	0	28	37	3	2,078	2,737	57	875	172	28	0	0	182	138	22	4	4	0	958,391
Mississippi	25,483	0	182,009	114,760	8,290	6,944	0	234	116	8	17,675	10,789	65	169	15	0	0	0	144	92	17	10	8	1	366,829
Missouri	47,641	0	352,292	231,084	29,517	17,154	0	136	129	30	15,883	9,601	105	2,954	342	54	0	0	646	447	114	18	36	1	708,184
Montana	23,109	9	62,188	66,576	4,464	4,221	167	59	99	9	4,455	6,730	24	315	94	23	0	0	63	71	9	1	9	0	172,695
Nebraska	67,891	1,641	2,262	31,297	423	58	0	0	6	1	53	463	1	351	42	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	104,511
Nevada	33,407	0	118,618	46,250	6,463	6,553	0	5	5	1	2,623	1,007	1	3	2	0	0	0	3,120	1,154	136	1	0	0	219,349
New Hampshire	18,959	58	99,054	51,978	2,923	8	232	0	299	0	0	128	2	757	132	114	0	0	0	14	0	4	0	0	174,662
New Jersey	0	0	100,125	69,822	6,112	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0	0	929	811	54	19	8	12	177,901
New Mexico	9,410	0	107,573	62,777	8,685	5,643	0	109	91	5	4,558	5,414	16	600	4	0	0	0	859	438	27	24	14	5	206,252
New York	38,871	20,598	112,006	280,222	39,898	5,178	0	14	26	30	521	543	111	588	1,119	21	22	84	3,151	4,316	427	73	106	15	507,940
North Carolina	528,452	747	29,763	260,107	20,242	3,082	0	195	192	25	21,526	17,649	126	6,282	1,367	112	60	62	45	225	11	3	9	2	890,284
North Dakota	6,082	110	32,608	40,524	2,212	1,659	49	9	11	1	807	1,127	11	83	21	5	0	0	62	72	12	0	0	0	85,465
Ohio	181,061	1,583	466,806	256,596	26,351	20,314	22	158	86	17	13,949	6,901	72	1,362	428	53	0	0	607	299	58	9	13	6	976,751
Oklahoma	30,995	199	223,464	141,841	20,193	14,186	24	218	158	26	21,874	15,235	118	780	6	0	0	0	481	346	119	7	14	2	470,286
Oregon	70,532	9,146	270,851	163,072	0	78	47	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,791	575	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	516,096
Pennsylvania	357,476	9	809,282	271,645	610	0	5,038	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,456	1,397	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1,



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Alabama	348,147	6,973	160,667	120,258	8,515	7,868	0	267	194	16	22,809	13,693	101	2	1	0	0	0	298	213	43	6	11	2	690,084
Alaska	2,579	118	31,943	31,090	3,784	2,476	0	7	4	2	2,188	1,686	13	362	294	0	0	0	193	168	11	4	0	1	76,923
Arizona	68,547	6,544	158,864	89,182	15,720	10,361	0	143	76	21	14,863	6,824	60	1,199	130	13	0	0	209	112	35	4	4	1	372,912
Arkansas	35,865	9,224	68,549	68,773	4,399	4,947	161	154	157	3	13,212	15,575	43	0	0	0	0	0	102	151	19	1	9	0	221,344
California	431,844	0	432,239	299,161	49,517	0	17,326	0	0	0	6,165	4,257	123	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,240,632
Colorado	75,319	0	210,909	147,663	18,205	13,330	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,421	663	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	469,535
Connecticut	78,974	5,216	58,808	22,410	7,516	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	172,935
Delaware	4,501	0	20,228	16,949	1,553	993	0	18	19	1	142	115	4	795	0	3	0	0	697	324	58	13	14	0	46,427
District of Columbia	4,376	0	1,295	41	0	19	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,926
Florida	202,456	0	608,924	225,560	46,349	29,538	19	472	221	6	48,615	15,133	110	10,892	1,224	157	0	0	2,761	1,521	465	588	524	4	1,195,539
Georgia	222,456	1	162,135	102,665	7,785	7,489	0	258	183	17	21,996	13,628	92	107	5	0	0	0	192	73	19	4	8	0	539,113
Guam	0	0	1,446	714	157	77	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2,397
Hawaii	12,624	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,666
Idaho	85,366	45	50,565	54,904	4,839	3,040	1	71	90	6	4,345	5,141	12	484	122	42	0	0	70	112	5	5	9	1	209,275
Illinois	166,970	4,403,672	248,616	119,357	0	10,955	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,949,570
Indiana	227,637	810,006	228,087	140,126	19,698	9,861	279	97	72	21	7,475	5,194	230	227	9	4	0	0	619	535	328	27	31	2	1,450,565
Iowa	64,525	85,741	2,098	28,752	548	52	22	0	4	0	23	523	4	345	123	13	0	0	1	24	3	0	1	0	182,802
Kansas	18,691	72	66,735	58,576	6,527	4,380	0	113	61	21	7,271	3,717	122	375	84	10	0	0	135	87	22	5	5	1	167,010
Kentucky	1,782,427	2,069,338	126,820	90,486	5,650	7,313	71	302	236	7	21,257	16,151	30	120	108	0	0	0	288	243	25	5	12	3	4,120,892
Louisiana	22,367	1,261	119,091	100,417	9,144	7,355	3	129	108	9	12,500	9,404	77	3	0	0	0	0	188	173	23	8	4	0	282,264
Maine	6,287	57	36,250	39,112	3,685	2,219	27	11	7	0	1,107	1,266	18	251	172	2	0	0	63	70	10	4	8	0	90,626
Mariana Islands	0	0	88	80	13	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	189
Maryland	40,927	89	43,180	58,776	1,468	463	0	33	28	4	820	1,459	13	723	282	6	0	0	324	183	18	16	1	0	148,813
Massachusetts	123,086	6	50,515	29,507	5,911	2,117	86	2	3	3	82	67	5	8	2	0	0	0	434	335	109	23	15	0	212,316
Michigan	218,541	15,695	126,582	115,256	8,845	2,845	24	10	52	4	104	2,803	15	1,012	144	5	0	0	112	111	7	0	2	2	492,171
Minnesota	129,788	297,448	105,932	125,236	11,065	5,542	0	26	48	6	2,413	3,573	33	641	162	31	0	0	172	214	17	3	5	1	682,356
Mississippi	20,766	1	97,345	77,832	4,703	5,131	1	258	145	14	18,863	12,960	42	93	13	0	0	0	113	80	20	3	5		



NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2018

January 1, 2018 - December 31, 2018

State / Territory	Permit		Permit		Handgun		Long Gun		*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals
	Permit	Reccheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Handgun	Long Gun
Alabama	271,958	263	84,187	81,930	3,701	4,794	0	141	135	3	14,456	12,030	54	0	0	0	3,159	651	25	0	0	311	285	27	6	6	7	474,294	
Alaska	2,803	56	32,193	32,217	3,424	2,343	0	29																					

# NICS Firearm Background Checks: Year by State/Type Year 2017

January 1, 2017 - December 31, 2017

State / Territory	Permit	Permit						Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			Totals
	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	253,338	1,401	97,751	86,210	3,293	4,293	0	129	152	8	15,781	14,584	36	0	0	0	0	0	176	165	15	2	5	6	477,345
Alaska	2,923	32	34,556	32,648	2,827	2,247	0	49	42	0	2,440	2,049	12	281	238	10	0	0	205	258	17	1	3	1	80,839
Arizona	8																								

NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2016

January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2016

State / Territory	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	Totals
Alabama	291,039	0	153,123	121,963	6,104	6,545	5	111	114	2	20,036	17,697	62	0	0	0	0	0	72	65	4	3	2	0	616,947
Alaska	3,121	0	37,491	36,887	2,889	2,316	0	84	70	0	2,234	2,046	24	233	141	0	0	0	39	66	1	2	3	0	87,647
Arizona	87,771	5,109	166,784	108,988	13,122	7,908	0	74	60	3	16,576	8,390	78	1,116	133	1	0	0	76	56	11	11	11	1	416,279
Arkansas	55,456	7,036	80,244	82,120	3,059	4,400																			

NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2015

January 1, 2015 - December 31, 2015

State / Territory	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Redemption Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Returned/Disposition Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Rentals Handgun	Long Gun	Private Sale Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Return to Seller - Private Sale Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	Totals
Alabama	246,203		243,734	176,075	9,442	10,781	0	162	169	11	27,932	22,808	86	0	0	0			38	48	6	9	5	0	737,509
Alaska	2,682		37,086	36,372	2,318	2,240	0	94	84	0	2,328	2,170	27	117	80	4			10	9	0	0	0	0	85,621
Arizona	47,873		148,400	93,155	8,896	6,794	0	49	30	5	16,479	8,808	52	797	43	2			21	4	4	4	1	0	331,442
Arkansas	55,516		77,394	83,097	2,264	4,248</																			

NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2014

January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2014

State / Territory	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	Totals
Alabama	204,273		178,355	170,815	6,715	9,254	0	108	177	4	26,804	24,720	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	621,305
Alaska	2,714		35,694	39,625	2,279	2,278	0	67	92	0	2,472	2,390	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	87,623
Arizona	56,033		123,375	91,086	7,480	6,216	0	68	49	1	16,987	9,338	39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	310,672
Arkansas	48,399		60,520	82,670	1,556	4,086	28	54	106	1	11,995	2													

NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2013

January 1, 2013 - December 31, 2013

State / Territory	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	Totals
Alabama	100,231		195,052	203,530	5,955	9,270	2	99	157	0	24,521	25,001	61				1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	563,880
Alaska	2,569		36,678	44,001	2,646	2,449	0	64	94	0	2,437	2,459	8				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93,405
Arizona	76,048		138,744	110,309	6,824	6,339	0	73	44	1	15,586	9,043	25				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	363,036
Arkansas	66,434		74,884	94,837	1,278	4,335	0	73	148	4	11,797	25,918	28												





NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2011

January 1, 2011 - December 31, 2011

		Permit						Pre-Pawn			Redemption			Returned/Disposition			Rentals		Private Sale			Return to Seller - Private Sale			
State / Territory	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	Totals
Alabama	5,036		130,490	146,290	2,121	6,262	0	131	189	0	21,257	24,306	20												336,102
Alaska	0		28,291	34,607	955	1,678	0	74	83	0	2,153	2,354	3												70,198
Arizona	32,906		108,245	81,285	3,111	4,700	0	95	42	1	12,987	8,079	26												251,477
Arkansas	30,087		54,659	78,806	768	3,672	1,403	75	269	0	10,650	25,822	17												206,228
California	278,625		303,169	320,988	186	0	24	0	0	0	1,645	1,058	6												905,701
Colorado	1,280		148,975	146,166	0	39,875	0	0	0	0	0	0	0												336,296
Connecticut	93,587		49,793	41,435	1,145	0	108	0	0	0	0	0	0												186,068
Delaware	0		11,126	10,672	266	417	0	0	0	0	5	4	0												22,490
District of Columbia	0		280	9	0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0												300
Florida	10		379,889	212,419	0	19,204	9,501	537	297	4	12,804	8,550	14												643,229
Georgia	90,278		116,794	112,097	1,567	5,137	0	189	316	0	17,923	23,569	24												367,8

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NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2010

January 1, 2010 - December 31, 2010

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	4,621		116,963	136,519	1,771	5,465	19	115	183	1	19,574	23,341	35											308,607	
Alaska	0		25,720	33,177	825	1,519	0	85	122	1	2,065	2,393	2											65,909	
Arizona	24,751		89,162	69,067	2,091	3,768	0	57	38	0	10,310	6,793	13											206,050	
Arkansas	31,305		49,992	72,206	636	3,145	64	148	372	2	9,655	23,910	13											191,448	
California	295,252		245,159	275,458	0	0	530	0	0	0	0	0	0											816,399	
Colorado	12,928		130,155	129,642	0	28,094	1	0	0	0	0	0	0											300,820	
Connecticut	90,942		47,545	40,546	470	0	92	0	0	0	0	0	0											179,595	
Delaware	0		9,230	9,466	207	337	0	0	0	0	0	0	0											19,240	
District of Columbia	2		308	11	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0											349	
Florida	35		332,371	186,675	0	15,541	5,468	357	196	2	10,987	7,705	10											559,347	
Georgia	95,959		99,145	95,541	1,223	4,278	0	145	300	1	15,200	21,434	21											333,247	
Guam	0		240	268</																					

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NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2009

January 1, 2009 - December 31, 2009

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
Alabama	2,619		119,867	146,978	819	6,787	2	123	174		18,155	22,344												317,868	
Alaska	0		23,339	31,112	466	1,930	0	97	68		1,718	2,050												60,780	
Arizona	41,143		82,347	71,188	891	5,038	0	35	21		8,959	5,757												215,379	
Arkansas	43,585		55,239	76,494	224	3,331	69	105	218		8,469	22,108												209,842	
California	291,115		240,795	256,203	0	0	51	0	0		0	0												788,164	
Colorado	1		126,647	132,671	0	54,322	0	0	0		0	0												313,641	
Connecticut	114,110		46,464	40,850	112	708	210	0	0		0	0												202,454	
Delaware	0		9,712	10,246	76	496	0	0	0		0	0												20,530	
District of Columbia	0		356	2	0	0	11	0	0		0	0												369	
Florida	0		323,436	195,554	0	15,658	6,416	116	59		8,939	6,362												556,540	
Georgia	128,237		105,011	101,644	489	5,021	0	208	451		12,951	19,225												373,237	
Guam	0		221	268	12	9	0	0	0		0	0												510	
Hawaii	10,511		0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0											</		

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NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2008

January 1, 2008 - December 31, 2008

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	117		112,649	143,499		5,673	3	148	178		16,720	20,445													299,432
Alaska	0		22,983	33,094		1,808	0	57	99		1,575	2,113													61,729
Arizona	38,724		80,623	71,653		4,171	4	38	24		7,733	5,751													208,721
Arkansas	31,181		49,419	79,698		3,127	31	83	269		7,330	20,661													191,799
California	335,184		227,528	217,609		0	77	0	0		0	0													780,398
Colorado	1		117,975	132,372		35,173	0	0	0		0	0													285,521
Connecticut	73,454		37,234	37,053		855	7,289	0	0		0	0													155,885
Delaware	0		7,822	9,841		439	0	0	0		0	0													18,102
District of Columbia	0		187	70		2	0	0	0		0	0													259
Florida	0		288,165	187,986		11,381	3,894	72	30		6,906	5,238													503,672
Georgia	116,574		105,299	109,944		4,788	1	225	407		12,026	18,110													367,374
Guam	0		183	256		8	0	0	0		0	0													447
Hawaii	8,562		0	0		0	7	0	0		0	0													8,569
Idaho	17,469		23,542	46,609		3,116	0	35	100		2,479	7,107													100,457
Illinois	427,723		80,729	102,650		4,839	0	0	0		0	0													615,941
Indiana	0		94,880	115,552		4,106	0	0	19		14	5,329													219,900
Iowa	63,746		355	42,766		82	0	0	9		23	1,349													108,330
Kansas	0		50,572	64,304																					

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NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2007

January 1, 2007 - December 31, 2007

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	0		91,446	114,695		4,253	0	391	611		14,987	18,972													245,355
Alaska	0		18,339	26,540		1,124	0	74	115		1,463	1,949													49,604
Arizona	33,595		73,717	68,907		3,236	0	50	39		7,291	5,236													192,071
Arkansas	21,203		40,060	78,154		2,790	19	128	327		6,750	20,393													169,824
California	277,806		195,941	191,063		191,133	0	0	0		0	0													855,943
Colorado	3,079		84,766	112,173		21,715	4	0	0		0	0													221,737
Connecticut	52,769		29,991	28,627		664	4,061	0	0		0	0													116,112
Delaware	0		6,300	9,316		296	0	0	0		0	0													15,912
District of Columbia	0		26	108		2	0	0	0		0	0													136
Florida	0		236,772	169,954		8,739	23	71	46		5,964	4,611													426,180
Georgia	46,333		82,899	109,975		3,676	0	200	352		10,455	16,578													270,468
Guam	0		147	291		3	0	0	0		0	0													

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NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2006

January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

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	0		83,100	121,077		3,865	0	491	816		14,663	19,164	0	0	0	0	0	0							243,176
Alaska	0		16,948	25,236		1,001	0	52	66		1,610	2,124	0	0	0	0									47,037
Arizona	32,182		77,463	77,512		3,406	0	110	64		7,614	5,827	0	0	0	0									204,178
Arkansas	14,281		37,171	87,465		2,649	1	63	233		6,914	21,352	0	0	0	0									170,129
California	172,352		200,857	227,982		16,624	5	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0									617,820
Colorado	12,522		79,488	117,350		5,389	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0									214,749
Connecticut	41,706		25,726	26,291		719	3,174	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0									97,616
Delaware	0		6,107	10,367		220	0	0	0		0	4	0	0	0	0									16,698
District of Columbia	0		54	196		2	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0									252
Florida	0		213,821	179,478		7,892	60	90	49		5,696	4,642	0	0	0	0									411,728
Georgia	35,443		100,961	138,972		4,837	2	256	408		13,016	18,006	0	0	0	0									311,901
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NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2005

January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005

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
Alabama	0		77,044	119,189		3,976	0	360	641		14,557	20,106												235,873	
Alaska	0		15,458	23,570		1,052	0	34	58		1,765	2,577												44,514	
Arizona	18,587		68,553	71,164		3,267	0	124	78		8,256	6,620												176,649	
Arkansas	10,813		33,743	86,731		2,679	0	77	196		7,068	22,694												164,001	
California	146,608		219,760	239,155		68	5,431	0	0		0	0												611,022	
Colorado	9,701		75,000	116,200		5,386	0	0	0		0	0												206,287	
Connecticut	44,075		24,806	24,630		973	3,115	0	0		0	0												97,599	
Delaware	0		6,210	10,681		208	0	0	0		3	19												17,121	
District of Columbia	0		19	1		0	0	0	0		0	0												20	
Florida	0		182,793	170,428		6,986	31	110	83		5,522	4,692												370,645	
Georgia	33,641		78,525	126,314		3,512	257	140	217		5,491	9,718												257,815	
Guam	0		184	211		13	0	0	0		0	0												408	
Hawaii	7,574		0	0		0	1	0	0		0	0												7,575	
Idaho	11,236		15,320	4																					

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.



NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2004

January 1, 2004 - December 31, 2004

State / Territory	Permit	Permit Recheck	Handgun	Long Gun	*Other	**Multiple	Admin	Pre-Pawn Handgun	Pre-Pawn Long Gun	*Other	Redemption Handgun	Redemption Long Gun	*Other	Returned/Disposition Handgun	Returned/Disposition Long Gun	*Other	Rentals Handgun	Rentals Long Gun	Private Sale Handgun	Private Sale Long Gun	*Other	Return to Seller - Private Sale Handgun	Return to Seller - Private Sale Long Gun	*Other	Totals
Alabama	0		69,932	117,692		3,632	0	468	636		15,421	22,216													229,997
Alaska	0		13,026	21,959		882	0	44	82		1,749	2,762													40,504
Arizona	17,605		56,236	62,487		3,042	58	122	99		8,655	7,415													155,719
Arkansas	8,214		31,085	85,476		2,545	0	104	223		7,184	23,535													158,366
California	141,926		177,220	219,511		39	10,147	0	0		0	0													548,843
Colorado	10,012		69,512	109,333		5,132	2	0	0		0	0													194,191
Connecticut	48,361		22,768	25,045		1,113	3,629	0	0		0	0													100,916
Delaware	0		4,977	11,197		208	0	0	0		18	24													16,424
District of Columbia	0		14	0		0	0	0	0		0	0													14
Florida	0		144,755	155,333		6,066	3	149	160		5,976	5,582													318,024
Georgia	34,429		70,216	123,561		2,866	1,131	0	0		0	0													232,203
Guam	0		192	237		10	0	0	0		0	0													439
Hawaii	7,295		0	0		0	3	0	0		0	0													7,298
Idaho	11,570		13,278	37,931		1,178	62	18	62		2,693	8,823													75,553
Illinois	433,946		53,904	99,523		3,044	0	0	0		0	0													590,417
Indiana	0		63,235	105,228		2,122	0	2	44		14	5,875													176,520
Iowa	51,050		306	45,008		46	105	0	28		29	1,945													98,517
Kansas	0		24,008	63,202		1,952	0	100	67		3,321	6,357													99,007
Kentucky	0		67,889	124,173		4,927	0	110	273		13,213	24,389													234,974
Louisiana	0		49,283	93,711		2,520	0	43	66		9,614	17,184													172,421
Maine	0		13,287	35,746		977	0	94	497		444	1,620													52,665
Mariana Islands	0		0	0		0	0	0	0		0	0													0
Maryland	23,183		2,552	49,825		101	2	8	12		523	1,275													77,481
Massachusetts	41,202		20,815	16,535		595	33,849	0	0		0	0													112,996
Michigan	135,692		32,590	169,747		729	0	1	226		2	3,431													342,418
Minnesota	51,552		38,578	128,666		1,459	0	16	60		862	6,653													227,846
Mississippi	0		38,079	78,965		2,227	0	606	1,049		10,759	20,609													152,294
Missouri	0		44,533	142,138		1,689	0	23	150		2,261	18,522													209,316
Montana	4,066		15,596	45,577		1,624	74	46	243		3,679	12,640													83,545
Nebraska	17,188		156	29,683		25	0	0	12		20	1,352													48,436
Nevada	0		23,762	27,412		1,501	4	0	0		1,104	971													54,754
New Hampshire	17,082		13,343	26,177		168	0	0	0		0	21													56,791
New Jersey	0		14,399	22,384		566	27	0	0		0	0													37,376
New Mexico	0		24,903	38,923		1,856	0	39	60		4,756	11,009													81,546
New York	35,791		10,349																						







NICS Firearm Background Checks:  
Year by State/Type  
Year 2000

January 1, 2000 - December 31, 2000

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	12		81,983	136,767		3,149	0																		221,911
Alaska	0		12,714	26,311		934	0																		39,959
Arizona	10,401		65,267	64,828		2,960	4,807																		148,263
Arkansas	6,749		43,458	116,885		2,536	0																		169,628
California	163,145		328,615	302,746		0	0																		794,506
Colorado	0		118,000	178,889		10,531	92																		307,512
Connecticut	87,541		8	4		0	33																		87,586
Delaware	0		4,948	10,260		139	0																		15,347
District of Columbia	0		17	0		0	0																		17
Florida	0		122,562	122,921		4,529	16,023																		266,035
Georgia	38,994		83,738	130,224		2,853	96,548																		352,357
Guam	0		119	151		9	0																		279
Hawaii	6,609		0	0		0	0																		6,609
Idaho	0		19,285	46,396		1,165	10,292																		77,138
Illinois	296,360		60,504	90,875		2,032	0																		449,771
Indiana	67,405		22,982	91,875		57	0																		182,319
Iowa	45,153		440	41,996		34	173																		87,796
Kansas	0		29,377	65,492		1,847	0																		96,716
Kentucky	0		84,688	140,793		4,415	0																		229,896
Louisiana	2		59,327	112,960		2,417	0																		174,706
Maine	0		12,055	32,362		611	0																		45,028
Mariana Islands	0		12	1		0	0																		13
Maryland	35,960		1,708	46,531		110	0																		84,309
Massachusetts	26,698		14,067	10,857		302	2,919																		54,843
Michigan	121,971		964	177,663		63	0																		300,661
Minnesota	32,839		29,984	121,151		1,126	0																		185,100
Mississippi	4		56,142	105,749		2,085	0																		163,980
Missouri	2		36,523	153,556		1,497	0																		191,578
Montana	2		18,401	51,480		1,226	6																		71,115
Nebraska	15,279		393	29,121		32	0																		44,825
Nevada	0		23,817	24,605		1,385	0																		49,807
New Hampshire	578		14,495	24,898		149	0																		40,120
New Jersey	0		15,263	21,233		574	36																		37,106
New Mexico	0		29,382	53,048		1,604	0																		84,034
New York	53,844		9,624	99,927		111	468																		163,974
North Carolina	103,453		16,227	170,004		1,200	0																		290,884
North Dakota	2,301																								



