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	2002	1997	1992	1982	1972	1962	1952 ¹	2002	1997	1992	1982	1972	1962	1952 ¹
United States	13,506	13,726	14,422	14,851	15,781	34,678	67,355	35,052	34,683	31,555	28,078	23,885	18,323	12,340
Alabama	128	127	129	127	126	114	108	525	491	487	390	286	202	70
Alaska	–	–	–	–	–	10	9	14	14	14	6	–	6	11
Arizona	231	231	228	232	237	251	270	305	304	261	130	90	52	34
Arkansas	310	311	321	372	388	417	422	704	639	561	505	366	299	231
California	1,047	1,069	1,078	1,111	1,132	1,630	2,010	2,830	3,010	2,797	2,506	2,223	1,962	1,390
Colorado	182	180	180	185	187	312	1,352	1,414	1,358	1,252	1,030	812	566	297
Connecticut	17	17	17	16	14	8	3	384	387	368	281	231	204	166
Delaware	19	19	19	19	25	90	15	260	257	196	139	78	63	40
District of Columbia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
Florida	95	95	95	95	94	67	67	626	526	462	417	315	264	188
Georgia	180	180	183	187	189	197	187	581	473	421	390	366	301	154
Hawaii	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	15	15	16	14	15	16	10
Idaho	116	114	115	117	117	121	305	798	789	728	659	543	469	395
Illinois	934	944	985	1,049	1,177	1,540	3,484	3,145	3,068	2,920	2,602	2,407	2,126	1,546
Indiana	294	294	294	305	315	884	1,115	1,125	1,236	939	897	832	560	293
Iowa	386	394	441	456	463	1,336	4,653	542	433	388	361	305	263	170
Kansas	324	324	324	326	331	2,261	3,984	1,533	1,524	1,482	1,370	1,136	880	724
Kentucky	176	176	176	180	191	208	232	720	637	590	517	446	179	130
Louisiana	66	66	66	66	66	67	67	45	39	30	39	419	241	144
Maine	99	98	91	98	78	26	4	222	229	199	195	126	125	128
Maryland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	85	241	223	264	229	176	158
Massachusetts	82	85	84	81	51	29	–	403	413	396	354	268	194	220
Michigan	580	584	585	599	647	1,866	4,845	366	332	277	184	139	99	84
Minnesota	345	360	458	436	445	2,343	6,227	403	406	377	356	211	115	71
Mississippi	164	164	173	169	162	158	93	458	395	320	315	282	266	254
Missouri	536	537	552	557	636	1,649	4,891	1,514	1,497	1,386	1,195	820	742	886
Montana	352	362	537	399	552	1,015	1,287	592	600	556	450	258	192	133
Nebraska	575	681	797	1,069	1,374	3,264	6,392	1,146	1,130	1,047	1,157	1,081	752	485
Nevada	17	17	17	17	17	17	166	158	153	156	134	134	85	44
New Hampshire	167	166	167	160	158	221	228	148	165	116	113	94	85	78
New Jersey	549	552	550	548	527	512	481	276	281	374	454	341	295	81
New Mexico	96	96	94	89	89	91	106	628	653	116	101	99	102	78
New York	683	686	713	726	746	1,231	2,915	1,135	1,126	980	923	954	970	968
North Carolina	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	319	325	321	321	248	126	106

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North Dakota	226	237	275	325	386	986	2,079	764	764	722	692	561	246	94
Ohio	667	666	666	669	640	833	1,465	631	592	513	377	275	177	140
Oklahoma	571	578	605	638	657	1,225	2,100	560	552	524	406	402	124	94
Oregon	236	258	340	352	353	484	1,071	927	959	835	825	826	727	407
Pennsylvania	516	516	516	514	528	2,179	2,506	1,885	1,919	2,006	2,050	1,777	1,398	29
Rhode Island	4	4	3	3	3	2	-	75	76	83	80	73	56	49
South Carolina	85	91	91	92	93	109	49	301	310	291	242	182	142	78
South Dakota	176	177	180	196	228	2,940	3,399	376	302	262	199	136	80	56
Tennessee	14	14	14	15	14	14	13	475	490	477	469	457	268	85
Texas	1,089	1,087	1,100	1,124	1,174	1,474	2,479	2,245	2,182	2,266	1,681	1,215	733	491
Utah	40	40	40	40	40	40	40	300	384	329	211	176	142	106
Vermont	283	279	276	273	272	32	20	152	112	104	83	74	72	70
Virginia	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	196	156	129	83	58	46	42
Washington	296	296	296	300	317	411	545	1,173	1,202	1,157	1,130	1,021	867	644
West Virginia	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	342	362	350	292	172	55	23
Wisconsin	442	442	440	408	417	1,752	5,298	684	696	377	263	121	68	73
Wyoming	55	56	56	56	70	207	318	546	478	373	225	203	144	91

- Represents zero

¹ Counts for Alaska and Hawaii territories are included in 1952

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