

THIS IS A COPY OF AN FBI REPORT CONTAINING CRIME NUMBERS FOR CALIFORNIA SHOWING 3 STRIKES EFFECTIVENESS. WE CALL IT **THE FIRST 5 YEARS OF 3 STRIKES**. IT IS INTRODUCED WITH REMARKS BY MIKE REYNOLDS.

In the past decade, the US has been blessed with falling crime rates. To be more precise this trend started in 1994 and has continued through the current year 2000. The real question is there any particular reason for this national drop?

When it comes to social trends, cause and effect become difficult to prove.

Some of the most popular theories have included lower unemployment due to a better economy and our population's overall aging affect, thus reducing the number of young people that are most often said to be offenders.

To suggest either of these theories, the economy or population demographics as having any affect on crime statistics, one should first and foremost look to a national state by state report over this period of time to see just how uniform the results have been.

The report, with the numbers being supplied by the FBI, provides in-depth insight, state by state of crime over the last 5 years.

Crime statistics can vary dramatically from state to state. Some states have actually shown an increase in crime, some have stayed about level and some have experienced significant decreases in crime. Those decreases are as different as the number of states reporting them. New York and California have the largest measured reductions at twice the national average.

Returning to our original 2 theories, that the economy and demographics are responsible for the decrease in crime, which, if so, there must also be a discernible relationship between those factors and the statewide range of reports on crime.

Thus states with more crime have an overall and proportionate reduction in their economy and unemployment rate and or a proportionate reduction or increase in the number of people in the most crime prone years.

In other words, does California and New York have twice as good an economy as other states, and an employment rate that is half the national average? The answer is no. Do California and New York proportionately possess only half the number of people in the high crime age bracket? Again, the answer is no.

To suggest that crime rates are somehow related to the economy or population trends when state by state reports don't back up the theory clearly show that these 2 supposed causes for crime can be readily dismissed as a "red herring" that serve only to distract and diminish the real causes of reduced crime - strict enforcement and certain punishment.

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## California vs. Rest of U.S. Crime Rates During First Five Years of Three Strikes (1993-1998)

States marked with an asterisk ( \* ) have three strike laws.

	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
1993 CA Crime Rate per 100,000 residents	6,456.9	1,077.8	5,379.1	13.1	37.7	405.1	621.8	1,327.0	3,029.1	1,023.0	
1998 CA Crime Rate per 100,000 residents	4,342.8	703.7	3,639.1	6.6	29.9	210.6	456.6	823.5	2,217.1	598.5	
<b>CA 5 Year Change</b>	<b>-32.7%</b>	<b>-34.7%</b>	<b>-32.3%</b>	<b>-49.8%</b>	<b>-20.6%</b>	<b>-48.0%</b>	<b>-26.6%</b>	<b>-37.9%</b>	<b>-26.8%</b>	<b>-41.5%</b>	
	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
1993 49 States+DC Rate per 100,000 residents	5,349.0	700.4	4,649.5	9.0	41.0	235.3	415.1	1,067.8	3,033.0	547.8	
1998 49 States+DC Rate per 100,000 residents	4,653.0	547.6	4,105.5	6.2	35.1	159.0	347.3	867.3	2,798.3	439.9	
<b>49+DC 5 Year Change</b>	<b>-13.0%</b>	<b>-21.8%</b>	<b>-11.7%</b>	<b>-31.2%</b>	<b>-14.6%</b>	<b>-32.4%</b>	<b>-16.3%</b>	<b>-18.8%</b>	<b>-7.7%</b>	<b>-19.7%</b>	
Year	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
Alabama	1993	4,878.8	780.4	4,089.4	11.6	35.1	159.5	574.3	1,086.6	2,672.0	337.8
	1998	4,597.1	512.1	4,085.0	8.1	33.2	130.9	339.9	964.3	2,779.0	341.7
	Increase/Decrease	-5.8%	-34.4%	-0.3%	29.6%	-5.6%	-17.9%	-40.8%	-11.4%	4.0%	1.2%
Alaska	1993	5,567.9	760.8	4,807.2	9.0	83.8	122.4	545.6	816.9	3,539.4	450.9
	1998	4,777.0	653.9	4,123.1	6.7	68.6	86.6	492.0	667.4	3,031.1	424.6
	Increase/Decrease	-14.2%	-14.0%	-14.2%	25.9%	-18.2%	-29.2%	-9.8%	-18.3%	-14.4%	-5.8%
Arizona	1993	7,431.7	715.0	6,716.7	8.6	37.8	162.9	505.7	1,465.5	4,387.4	862.8
	1998	6,575.0	577.9	5,997.0	8.1	31.1	165.2	373.6	1,209.5	3,922.4	865.1
	Increase/Decrease	-11.5%	-19.2%	-10.7%	-6.5%	-17.8%	1.4%	-26.1%	-17.5%	-10.6%	0.2%
Arkansas	1993	4,810.7	593.3	4,217.5	10.2	42.4	124.9	415.8	1,099.3	2,795.7	322.5
	1998	3,786.5	366.3	3,420.2	4.1	22.2	133.8	206.2	665.9	2,386.3	388.1
	Increase/Decrease	-21.3%	-38.3%	-18.9%	59.5%	-47.6%	7.1%	-50.4%	-39.4%	-15.4%	20.3%
California *	1993	6,456.9	1,077.8	5,379.1	13.1	37.7	405.1	621.8	1,327.0	3,029.1	1,023.0
	1998	4,342.8	703.7	3,639.1	6.6	29.9	210.6	456.6	823.5	2,217.1	598.5

	Increase/Decrease	-32.7%	-34.7%	-32.3%	49.4%	-20.6%	-48.0%	-26.6%	-37.9%	-26.8%	-41.5%
Colorado *	1993	5,526.8	567.3	4,959.5	5.8	45.8	116.7	399.0	1,009.8	3,499.4	450.3
	1998	4,487.5	377.9	4,109.5	4.6	47.4	81.5	244.4	786.5	2,917.9	405.1
	Increase/Decrease	-18.8%	-33.4%	-17.1%	20.2%	3.5%	-30.1%	-38.8%	-22.1%	-16.6%	-10.0%
Connecticut *	1993	4,650.4	456.2	4,194.2	6.3	24.4	196.7	228.7	978.1	2,620.6	595.5
	1998	3,785.5	356.3	3,420.2	4.1	22.2	133.8	206.2	665.9	2,366.3	388.1
	Increase/Decrease	-18.6%	-19.7%	-18.5%	34.4%	-8.9%	-32.0%	-9.9%	-31.9%	-9.7%	-34.8%
Delaware	1993	4,872.1	685.9	4,186.3	5.0	77.0	186.7	417.1	892.0	2,979.0	315.3
	1998	5,363.2	762.4	4,600.8	2.8	67.1	194.2	498.3	859.5	3,313.0	428.2
	Increase/Decrease	10.1%	11.2%	9.9%	43.5%	-12.9%	4.0%	19.4%	-3.6%	11.2%	35.8%

Year	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
District of Columbia	1993	11,761.1	2,921.8	8,839.3	78.5	56.1	1,229.6	1,557.6	1,995.5	5,449.0	1,394.8
	1998	8,835.6	1,718.5	7,117.0	49.7	36.3	689.5	943.0	1,216.3	4,657.7	1,243.0
	Increase/Decrease	-24.0%	-41.2%	-19.5%	-36.7%	-35.2%	-43.9%	-39.5%	-39.1%	-14.5%	-10.9%
Florida	1993	8,351.2	1,206.0	7,145.1	8.9	53.8	357.6	785.7	1,835.4	4,413.9	895.8
	1998	6,886.0	938.7	5,947.4	6.5	49.6	242.7	639.9	1,351.7	3,886.8	698.9
	Increase/Decrease	-17.5%	-22.2%	-16.8%	-27.5%	-7.7%	-32.1%	-18.6%	-25.8%	-11.9%	-22.0%
Georgia *	1993	6,193.0	723.1	5,469.8	11.4	35.4	248.0	428.3	1,307.3	3,568.7	593.6
	1998	5,463.0	572.7	4,891.3	8.1	30.4	187.2	347.0	990.8	3,342.8	556.6
	Increase/Decrease	-11.8%	-20.8%	-10.6%	-29.1%	-14.1%	-24.5%	-19.0%	-24.2%	-6.3%	-6.3%
Hawaii	1993	6,227.0	251.2	6,015.8	3.8	33.6	103.6	120.1	1,135.7	4,429.4	450.8
	1998	5,333.0	246.9	5,085.1	2.0	29.5	102.7	112.7	936.2	3,681.0	468.9
	Increase/Decrease	-15.0%	-5.5%	-15.5%	-47.6%	-12.2%	-0.9%	-6.2%	-17.6%	-16.9%	4.0%
Idaho	1993	3,845.1	281.8	3,563.3	2.9	35.3	16.9	226.7	868.8	2,711.1	183.4
	1998	3,714.6	282.2	3,432.5	2.9	31.4	21.5	226.4	693.1	2,553.7	185.7
	Increase/Decrease	-3.4%	0.1%	-3.7%	0.6%	-11.0%	26.9%	-0.1%	3.6%	-5.8%	1.2%
Illinois	1993	5,617.9	959.7	4,658.2	11.4	34.6	381.2	532.6	1,015.5	3,084.0	558.7
	1998	4,872.8	807.7	4,065.0	8.4	34.0	248.5	516.9	826.1	2,799.4	439.5
	Increase/Decrease	-13.3%	-15.8%	-12.7%	-26.5%	-1.7%	-34.8%	-2.9%	-18.7%	-9.2%	-21.3%
Indiana *	1993	4,465.1	489.1	3,976.0	7.5	39.1	119.8	322.6	852.0	2,695.9	428.1
	1998	4,169.4	431.0	3,738.4	7.7	33.1	111.2	279.0	789.2	2,590.1	359.2
	Increase/Decrease	-6.6%	-11.9%	-6.0%	2.3%	-15.4%	-7.2%	-13.5%	-7.4%	-3.9%	-16.1%
Iowa	1993	3,846.4	325.5	3,521.0	2.3	24.4	53.9	244.8	730.7	2,599.4	190.8
	1998	3,500.6	311.5	3,189.1	1.9	25.4	50.9	233.3	673.7	2,306.6	206.7
	Increase/Decrease	-9.0%	-4.3%	-9.4%	-19.6%	4.3%	-5.6%	-4.7%	-7.8%	-11.3%	9.4%
Kansas *	1993	4,975.3	496.4	4,478.9	6.4	40.1	123.6	326.3	1,132.2	3,024.0	322.7
	1998	4,858.8	397.0	4,461.7	5.9	42.6	86.8	261.8	892.6	3,341.4	227.8
	Increase/Decrease	-2.3%	-20.0%	-0.4%	-7.9%	6.0%	-29.7%	-19.8%	-21.2%	10.5%	-29.4%

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Kentucky	1993	3,259.7	462.7	2,797.0	8.6	34.3	90.4	331.4	740.1	1,840.7	216.2
	1998	2,889.4	284.0	2,605.3	4.6	29.3	75.4	174.7	637.4	1,750.1	217.8
	Increase/Decrease	-11.4%	-38.6%	-6.9%	-29.6%	-14.7%	-16.6%	-47.3%	-13.9%	-4.9%	0.7%
Louisiana *	1993	6,846.6	1,061.7	5,784.9	20.3	42.3	283.6	715.4	1,368.3	3,802.9	613.7
	1998	6,098.3	779.5	5,318.8	12.8	36.8	198.0	531.9	1,172.1	3,605.1	541.6

	Increase/Decrease	-10.9%	-26.6%	-8.1%	-37.0%	-12.9%	-30.2%	-25.7%	-14.3%	-5.2%	-11.8%
Maine	1993	3,153.9	125.7	3,028.2	1.6	26.6	21.3	76.3	719.0	2,147.7	134.4
	1998	3,040.7	125.8	2,914.9	2.0	18.1	21.1	84.6	666.8	2,126.8	121.3
	Increase/Decrease	-3.6%	0.0%	-3.7%	24.5%	-31.9%	-0.8%	10.9%	-7.3%	-2.2%	-9.7%
Maryland *	1993	6,106.5	997.8	5,108.7	12.7	44.0	434.7	506.4	1,132.8	3,292.5	683.4
	1998	5,365.7	796.6	4,569.1	10.0	33.4	298.7	454.5	922.9	3,096.8	549.4
	Increase/Decrease	-12.1%	-20.2%	-10.6%	-21.5%	-24.2%	-31.3%	-10.2%	-18.5%	-5.9%	-19.6%
Massachusetts	1993	4,893.9	804.9	4,089.0	3.9	33.4	175.7	592.0	1,001.7	2,271.3	816.1
	1998	3,435.9	621.3	2,817.6	2.0	27.4	96.6	495.2	607.3	1,777.7	429.5
	Increase/Decrease	-29.8%	-22.8%	-31.2%	-47.9%	-17.7%	-45.0%	-15.3%	-39.4%	-21.7%	-47.4%
Michigan	1993	5,452.5	791.5	4,661.0	9.8	71.1	238.5	472.1	982.7	3,063.2	615.0
	1998	4,682.9	620.8	4,062.1	7.3	50.4	155.8	407.3	837.8	2,630.0	594.3
	Increase/Decrease	-14.1%	-21.6%	-12.8%	-25.4%	-29.2%	-34.7%	-13.7%	-14.7%	-14.1%	-3.4%
Minnesota	1993	4,386.2	327.2	4,059.0	3.4	35.2	112.7	175.8	844.5	2,872.0	342.6
	1998	4,046.5	310.2	3,736.3	2.6	49.9	92.5	165.2	687.5	2,723.6	325.2
	Increase/Decrease	-7.7%	-5.2%	-8.0%	-25.4%	42.0%	-17.9%	-6.1%	-18.6%	-5.2%	-5.1%
Mississippi	1993	4,418.3	433.9	3,984.4	13.5	42.6	139.3	238.4	1,285.8	2,363.5	335.1
	1998	4,384.0	410.7	3,973.3	11.4	37.3	123.3	238.6	1,144.5	2,490.0	338.7
	Increase/Decrease	-0.8%	-5.3%	-0.3%	-15.3%	-12.4%	-11.5%	0.1%	-11.9%	5.4%	1.1%
Missouri	1993	5,095.4	744.4	4,351.0	11.3	36.2	241.8	455.2	1,025.5	2,777.8	547.7
	1998	4,826.4	555.7	4,270.7	7.3	26.9	149.2	372.2	872.5	2,948.4	449.6
	Increase/Decrease	-5.3%	-25.4%	-1.8%	-34.9%	-25.7%	-38.3%	-18.2%	-14.9%	6.1%	-17.9%

Year	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
Montana	1993	4,790.0	177.5	4,612.5	3.0	27.9	32.4	114.2	714.2	3,652.1	246.2
	1998	4,070.7	138.8	3,931.9	4.1	17.8	19.9	96.9	511.5	3,191.6	228.9
	Increase/Decrease	-15.0%	-21.8%	-14.8%	37.3%	-36.0%	-39.7%	-15.1%	-28.4%	-12.6%	-7.1%
Nebraska	1993	4,117.1	339.1	3,778.0	3.9	27.8	55.4	252.0	663.5	2,912.9	201.6
	1998	4,405.2	451.4	3,953.8	3.1	25.1	77.6	345.7	634.0	2,971.7	348.0
	Increase/Decrease	7.0%	33.1%	4.7%	-21.8%	-9.9%	40.1%	37.2%	-4.4%	2.0%	72.7%
Nevada	1993	6,180.1	875.2	5,304.9	10.4	60.9	340.1	463.9	1,245.0	3,321.6	738.3
	1998	5,280.5	643.6	4,636.9	9.7	52.1	254.9	326.8	1,137.6	2,711.3	768.0
	Increase/Decrease	-14.6%	-26.5%	-12.6%	-6.1%	-14.4%	-25.1%	-29.5%	-8.6%	-18.4%	6.7%
New Hampshire	1993	2,905.0	137.8	2,767.2	2.0	44.4	27.3	64.1	515.1	2,058.0	194.0
	1998	2,419.8	107.2	2,312.7	1.5	33.8	21.5	50.4	325.1	1,863.2	124.4
	Increase/Decrease	-16.7%	-22.2%	-16.4%	-25.7%	-23.9%	-21.1%	-21.4%	-36.9%	-9.5%	-35.9%
New Jersey *	1993	4,800.8	626.9	4,174.0	5.3	28.1	296.0	297.5	974.0	2,486.1	714.0
	1998	3,654.1	440.1	3,213.9	4.0	20.0	186.2	230.0	671.1	2,109.3	433.6
	Increase/Decrease	-23.9%	-29.8%	-23.0%	-25.2%	-28.9%	-37.1%	-22.7%	-31.1%	-15.2%	-39.3%
New Mexico *	1993	6,266.1	929.7	6,336.4	8.0	52.1	138.4	731.1	1,421.2	3,510.1	405.1
	1998	6,719.1	961.4	5,757.7	10.9	55.1	163.4	732.0	1,394.0	3,743.9	619.9
	Increase/Decrease	7.2%	3.4%	7.9%	36.0%	5.7%	18.1%	0.1%	-1.9%	6.7%	53.0%
New York	1993	5,551.3	1,073.5	4,477.8	13.3	27.5	561.2	471.5	998.6	2,644.2	835.0
	1998	3,588.5	637.8	2,950.7	5.1	21.1	270.3	341.3	576.7	1,998.9	375.1
	Increase/Decrease	-35.4%	-40.6%	-34.1%	-61.8%	-23.2%	-51.8%	-27.6%	-42.2%	-24.4%	-55.1%
North Carolina *	1993	5,652.3	679.3	4,973.0	11.3	34.3	192.4	441.3	1,515.8	3,168.8	288.5
	1998	5,322.2	579.4	4,742.8	8.1	30.6	160.8	379.9	1,324.6	3,092.0	623.2

	Increase/Decrease	-5.8%	-14.7%	-4.6%	-28.2%	-10.6%	-16.4%	-13.9%	-12.6%	-2.4%	13.1%
North Dakota	1993	2,820.3	82.2	2,738.1	1.7	23.5	8.3	48.7	373.2	2,216.2	148.7
	1998	2,681.0	89.3	2,591.7	1.1	33.2	10.2	44.8	356.4	2,058.6	176.6
	Increase/Decrease	-4.9%	8.7%	-5.3%	-36.7%	41.6%	22.1%	-7.9%	-4.5%	-7.1%	18.8%
Year	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
Ohio	1993	4,485.3	504.1	3,981.2	6.0	49.1	192.7	256.3	878.1	2,667.7	435.3
	1998	4,327.5	362.5	3,965.0	4.0	40.5	133.5	184.5	810.1	2,771.1	383.8
	Increase/Decrease	-3.5%	-28.1%	-0.4%	-34.3%	-17.4%	-30.7%	-28.0%	-7.7%	3.9%	-11.8%
Oaklahoma	1993	5,294.3	634.8	4,659.4	8.4	49.3	121.8	455.3	1,235.0	2,943.7	480.7
	1998	5,003.9	539.4	4,464.5	6.1	45.2	92.0	396.1	1,143.4	2,915.8	405.3
	Increase/Decrease	-5.5%	-15.0%	-4.2%	-27.9%	-8.3%	-24.5%	-13.0%	-7.4%	-0.9%	-15.7%
Oregon	1993	5,765.5	503.1	5,262.5	4.6	51.3	129.6	317.8	1,024.8	3,656.9	580.7
	1998	5,646.6	419.8	5,226.8	3.8	39.8	105.2	271.0	927.5	3,773.3	526.0
	Increase/Decrease	-2.1%	-16.6%	-0.7%	-16.9%	-22.3%	-18.9%	-14.7%	-9.5%	3.2%	-9.4%
Pennsylvania	1993	3,271.4	417.5	2,853.9	6.8	26.5	179.0	205.1	582.0	1,831.7	440.2
	1998	3,273.0	420.5	2,852.4	5.3	26.9	164.9	223.5	531.4	1,965.4	355.5
	Increase/Decrease	0.0%	0.7%	-0.1%	-22.8%	1.3%	-7.9%	9.0%	-8.7%	7.3%	-19.2%
Rhode Island	1993	4,499.0	401.7	4,097.3	3.9	28.6	101.1	268.1	1,040.9	2,410.1	646.3
	1998	3,517.8	312.1	3,205.7	2.4	35.5	66.7	207.5	653.0	2,164.1	387.6
	Increase/Decrease	-21.8%	-22.3%	-21.8%	-37.7%	24.2%	-34.0%	-22.6%	-37.3%	-10.2%	-40.0%
South Carolina	1993	5,903.4	1,023.4	4,880.0	10.3	52.3	187.3	773.4	1,309.2	3,226.8	344.0
	1998	-2.1%	-11.7%	-0.1%	-22.9%	-12.6%	-17.3%	-10.2%	-11.2%	2.1%	20.9%
South Dakota	1993	2,958.2	208.4	2,749.8	3.4	44.5	15.0	145.6	549.2	2,086.0	114.5
	1998	2,624.1	154.3	2,469.8	1.4	35.0	20.2	97.8	468.5	1,897.8	103.4
	Increase/Decrease	-11.3%	-25.9%	-10.2%	-59.6%	-21.4%	34.9%	-32.8%	-14.7%	-9.0%	-9.7%
Tennessee *	1993	5,239.5	765.8	4,473.8	10.2	49.9	220.1	485.5	1,182.6	2,700.2	591.0
	1998	5,034.4	715.0	4,319.4	8.5	45.8	178.0	482.8	1,075.9	2,726.1	517.4
	Increase/Decrease	-3.9%	-6.6%	-3.4%	-17.1%	-8.3%	-19.1%	-0.6%	-9.0%	1.0%	-12.5%
Year	FBI Crime Index Total	Violent Crime	Property Crime	Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	
Texas	1993	6,439.1	762.1	5,677.0	11.9	55.0	224.4	470.8	1,297.3	3,687.3	692.3
	1998	5,111.6	564.6	4,547.0	6.8	40.0	145.1	372.6	986.3	3,071.7	489.1
	Increase/Decrease	-20.6%	-25.9%	-19.9%	-42.8%	-27.2%	-35.3%	-20.9%	-24.9%	-16.7%	-29.4%
Utah	1993	5,237.4	301.0	4,936.3	3.1	44.6	58.6	194.7	790.8	3,903.4	242.2
	1998	5,505.9	314.2	5,191.7	3.1	41.7	66.0	203.5	812.9	4,012.1	366.7
	Increase/Decrease	5.1%	4.4%	5.2%	-0.7%	-6.5%	12.5%	4.5%	2.8%	2.8%	51.4%
Vermont	1993	3,972.4	114.2	3,858.2	3.6	39.8	9.0	61.8	874.3	2,851.2	132.6
	1998	3,139.1	106.3	3,032.8	2.2	27.6	9.5	67.0	671.1	2,213.9	147.9
	Increase/Decrease	-21.0%	-7.0%	-21.4%	-39.7%	-30.6%	5.0%	8.4%	-23.2%	-22.4%	11.5%

Virginia *	1993	4,115.5	372.2	3,743.3	8.3	32.1	142.0	189.8	667.7	2,790.1	285.5
	1998	3,660.4	325.7	3,334.7	6.2	26.7	105.6	187.2	560.9	2,790.1	285.5
	Increase/Decrease	-11.1%	-12.5%	-10.9%	-25.2%	-16.9%	-25.6%	-1.4%	-16.0%	-10.3%	-5.3%
Washington *	1993	5,952.3	514.6	5,437.7	5.2	64.4	137.1	307.9	1,067.2	3,914.4	456.1
	1998	5,867.4	428.5	5,438.9	3.9	48.2	115.6	260.8	1,062.5	3,757.7	618.7
	Increase/Decrease	-1.4%	-16.7%	0.0%	-23.6%	-25.2%	-15.7%	-15.3%	-0.4%	-4.0%	35.7%
West Virginia	1993	2,532.6	208.4	2,324.2	6.9	20.1	43.0	138.5	599.1	1,563.5	161.5
	1998	2,547.2	248.6	2,298.6	4.3	18.7	37.3	188.3	613.5	1,497.9	187.2
	Increase/Decrease	0.6%	19.3%	-1.1%	-38.7%	-6.7%	-13.1%	36.0%	2.4%	-4.2%	15.9%
Wisconsin *	1993	4,054.1	264.4	3,789.7	4.4	25.2	113.4	121.4	663.0	2,762.0	364.7
	1998	3,543.1	249.0	3,294.1	3.6	19.9	85.6	139.9	569.3	2,452.8	272.0
	Increase/Decrease	-12.6%	-5.8%	-13.1%	-17.5%	-21.2%	-24.5%	15.2%	-14.1%	-11.2%	-25.4%
Wyoming	1993	4,163.0	286.2	3,876.8	3.4	34.3	17.2	231.3	643.2	3,078.7	154.9
	1998	3,807.7	247.6	3,560.1	4.8	27.7	16.2	199.0	560.5	2,860.5	139.1
	Increase/Decrease	-8.5%	-13.5%	-8.2%	40.5%	-19.3%	-5.9%	-14.0%	-12.9%	-7.1%	-10.2%

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