

# STATE MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS, BY YEARS, 1900 - 1995 1/

TABLE MV-2  
SHEET 1 O

APRIL 1997

YEAR	AUTOMOBILES 2/			BUSES			TRUCKS 2/			ALL MOTOR VEHICLES			YEAR
	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL 3/	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL 3/	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL 3/	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	
1900	-	-	8,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,000	1900
1901	-	-	14,800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,800	1901
1902	-	-	23,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23,000	1902
1903	-	-	32,920	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,920	1903
1904	-	-	54,590	-	-	-	-	-	700	-	-	55,290	1904
1905	-	-	77,400	-	-	-	-	-	1,400	-	-	78,800	1905
1906	-	-	105,900	-	-	-	-	-	2,200	-	-	108,100	1906
1907	-	-	140,300	-	-	-	-	-	2,900	-	-	143,200	1907
1908	-	-	194,400	-	-	-	-	-	4,000	-	-	198,400	1908
1909	-	-	305,950	-	-	-	-	-	6,050	-	-	312,000	1909
1910	-	-	458,377	-	-	-	-	-	10,123	-	-	468,500	1910
1911	-	-	618,727	-	-	-	-	-	20,773	-	-	639,500	1911
1912	-	-	901,596	-	-	-	-	-	42,404	-	-	944,000	1912
1913	-	-	1,190,393	-	-	-	-	-	67,667	-	-	1,258,060	1913
1914	-	-	1,664,003	-	-	-	-	-	99,015	-	-	1,763,018	1914
1915	-	-	2,332,426	-	-	-	-	-	158,506	-	-	2,490,932	1915
1916	-	-	3,367,889	-	-	-	-	-	250,048	-	-	3,617,937	1916
1917	-	-	4,727,468	-	-	-	-	-	391,057	-	-	5,118,525	1917
1918	-	-	5,554,952	-	-	-	-	-	605,496	-	-	6,160,448	1918
1919	-	-	6,679,133	-	-	-	-	-	897,755	-	-	7,576,888	1919
1920	-	-	8,131,522	-	-	-	-	-	1,107,639	-	-	9,239,161	1920
1921	-	-	9,212,158	-	-	-	-	-	1,281,508	-	-	10,493,666	1921
1922	-	-	10,704,076	-	-	-	-	-	1,569,523	-	-	12,273,599	1922
1923	-	-	13,253,019	-	-	-	-	-	1,849,086	-	-	15,102,105	1923
1924	-	-	15,436,102	-	-	-	-	-	2,176,838	-	-	17,612,940	1924
1925	17,439,701	41,300	17,481,001	-	-	17,808	2,483,215	86,519	2,569,734	19,940,724	127,819	20,068,543	1925
1926	19,220,885	47,082	19,267,967	-	-	24,320	2,807,354	100,509	2,907,863	22,052,559	147,591	22,200,150	1926
1927	20,142,120	51,213	20,193,333	-	-	27,659	2,969,780	112,698	3,082,478	23,139,559	163,911	23,303,470	1927
1928	21,308,159	54,081	21,362,240	-	-	31,982	3,171,542	122,867	3,294,409	24,511,683	176,948	24,688,631	1928
1929	23,060,421	60,476	23,120,897	-	-	33,999	3,408,088	141,841	3,549,929	26,502,508	202,317	26,704,825	1929
1930	22,972,745	62,008	23,034,753	-	-	40,507	3,518,747	155,846	3,674,593	26,531,999	217,854	26,749,853	1930
1931	22,330,402	65,851	22,396,253	-	-	41,880	3,489,756	166,079	3,655,835	25,862,038	231,930	26,093,968	1931
1932	20,832,357	69,044	20,901,401	-	-	43,476	3,256,776	189,347	3,446,123	24,132,609	258,391	24,391,000	1932
1933	20,586,284	70,973	20,657,257	-	-	44,918	3,245,505	211,523	3,457,028	23,876,707	282,496	24,159,203	1933
1934	21,472,078	72,649	21,544,727	-	-	51,530	3,430,396	235,057	3,665,453	24,954,004	307,706	25,261,710	1934
1935	22,494,884	72,943	22,567,827	-	-	58,994	3,675,865	243,440	3,919,305	26,229,743	316,383	26,546,126	1935
1936	24,108,236	74,426	24,182,662	-	-	62,618	4,001,464	260,147	4,261,611	28,172,318	334,573	28,506,891	1936
1937	25,390,773	76,456	25,467,229	66,166	16,964	83,130	4,249,219	259,314	4,508,533	29,706,158	352,734	30,058,892	1937
1938	25,167,030	83,447	25,250,477	65,198	22,466	87,664	4,210,477	265,100	4,475,577	29,442,705	371,013	29,813,718	1938
1939	26,139,526	86,845	26,226,371	68,859	23,426	92,285	4,406,702	284,569	4,691,271	30,615,087	394,840	31,009,927	1939
1940	27,372,397	93,429	27,465,826	72,641	28,504	101,145	4,590,386	295,876	4,886,262	32,035,424	417,809	32,453,233	1940
1941	29,524,101	100,168	29,624,269	88,800	30,953	119,753	4,859,244	290,868	5,150,112	34,472,145	421,989	34,894,134	1941
1942	27,868,746	104,091	27,972,837	102,093	33,864	135,957	4,608,086	286,776	4,894,862	32,578,925	424,731	33,003,656	1942
1943	25,912,730	96,343	26,009,073	106,702	45,622	152,324	4,480,176	246,561	4,726,737	30,499,608	388,526	30,888,134	1943
1944	25,466,331	100,133	25,566,464	106,518	46,074	152,592	4,513,340	246,910	4,760,250	30,086,189	393,117	30,479,306	1944
1945	25,694,926	102,059	25,796,985	112,253	49,872	162,125	4,831,250	245,060	5,076,310	30,638,429	396,991	31,035,420	1945
1946	28,103,880	113,148	28,217,028	119,937	53,648	173,585	5,722,000	260,389	5,982,389	33,945,817	427,185	34,373,002	1946
1947	30,722,855	126,498	30,849,353	128,983	58,474	187,457	6,508,625	296,063	6,804,688	37,360,463	481,035	37,841,498	1947

# STATE MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS, BY YEARS, 1900 - 1995 1/

TABLE MV-200

SHEET 2 OF 2

APRIL 1997

YEAR	AUTOMOBILES 2/			BUSES			TRUCKS 2/			ALL MOTOR VEHICLES			YEAR
	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL 3/	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL 3/	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	PRIVATE AND COMMERCIAL 3/	PUBLICLY OWNED 3/	TOTAL	
1948	33,218,261	136,989	33,355,250	132,603	64,123	196,726	7,205,605	327,950	7,533,555	40,556,469	529,062	41,085,531	1948
1949	36,316,972	140,971	36,457,943	135,002	73,927	208,929	7,687,977	335,447	8,023,424	44,139,951	550,345	44,690,296	1949
1950	40,190,632	148,445	40,339,077	143,206	80,446	223,652	8,233,146	365,816	8,598,962	48,566,984	594,707	49,161,691	1950
1951	42,530,935	157,374	42,688,309	143,290	87,171	230,461	8,616,162	377,823	8,993,985	51,290,387	622,368	51,912,755	1951
1952	43,659,062	164,035	43,823,097	145,227	95,258	240,485	8,808,635	390,201	9,198,836	52,612,924	649,494	53,262,418	1952
1953	46,258,305	170,965	46,429,270	141,255	102,996	244,251	9,130,683	413,239	9,543,922	55,530,243	687,200	56,217,443	1953
1954	48,293,457	174,961	48,468,418	140,003	108,343	248,346	9,361,416	427,181	9,788,597	57,794,876	710,485	58,505,361	1954
1955	51,960,532	184,207	52,144,739	142,335	112,914	255,249	9,845,873	442,931	10,288,804	61,948,740	740,052	62,688,792	1955
1956	54,013,753	197,148	54,210,901	146,639	112,125	258,764	10,217,427	461,185	10,678,612	64,377,819	770,458	65,148,277	1956
1957	55,704,636	213,261	55,917,897	147,350	116,712	264,062	10,447,048	495,897	10,942,945	66,299,034	825,870	67,124,904	1957
1958	56,664,435	226,123	56,890,558	147,137	123,026	270,163	10,607,684	528,189	11,135,873	67,419,256	877,338	68,296,594	1958
1959	59,213,993	239,991	59,453,984	136,803	128,311	265,114	11,078,253	557,069	11,635,322	70,429,049	925,371	71,354,420	1959
1960	61,419,948	251,442	61,671,390	137,572	134,557	272,129	11,329,278	584,971	11,914,249	72,886,798	970,970	73,857,768	1960
1961	63,156,647	263,933	63,420,580	139,640	140,028	279,668	11,639,049	622,140	12,261,189	74,935,336	1,026,101	75,961,437	1961
1962	65,801,946	283,343	66,085,289	140,301	144,918	285,219	12,120,510	659,318	12,779,828	78,062,757	1,087,579	79,150,336	1962
1963	68,738,863	299,580	69,038,443	147,828	150,036	297,864	12,659,102	701,323	13,360,425	81,545,793	1,150,939	82,696,732	1963
1964	71,675,906	318,889	71,994,795	151,850	153,505	305,355	13,282,556	730,556	14,013,112	85,110,312	1,202,950	86,313,262	1964
1965	74,909,365	348,223	75,257,588	155,057	159,227	314,284	14,026,045	759,750	14,785,795	89,090,467	1,267,200	90,357,667	1965
1966	77,752,487	372,201	78,124,688	156,698	165,472	322,170	14,707,284	795,710	15,502,994	92,616,469	1,333,383	93,949,852	1966
1967	79,998,511	400,456	80,398,967	164,670	173,250	337,920	15,328,886	840,103	16,168,989	95,492,067	1,413,809	96,905,876	1967
1968	83,189,008	415,506	83,604,514	174,013	177,745	351,758	16,056,758	885,044	16,941,802	99,419,779	1,478,295	100,898,074	1968
1969	86,414,179	443,615	86,857,794	180,353	183,860	364,213	16,967,486	906,876	17,874,362	103,562,018	1,534,351	105,096,369	1969
1970	88,775,294	468,263	89,243,557	189,085	188,477	377,562	17,843,250	953,828	18,797,078	106,807,629	1,610,568	108,418,197	1970
1971	92,221,291	497,104	92,718,395	202,127	194,948	397,075	18,874,041	996,831	19,870,872	111,297,459	1,688,883	112,986,342	1971
1972	96,553,073	528,987	97,082,060	204,301	202,565	406,866	20,294,264	1,013,481	21,307,745	117,051,638	1,745,033	118,796,671	1972
1973	101,412,229	573,213	101,985,442	212,404	212,516	424,920	22,187,108	1,056,464	23,243,572	123,811,741	1,842,193	125,653,934	1973
1974	104,228,855	627,486	104,856,341	218,831	228,217	447,048	23,503,568	1,126,599	24,630,167	127,951,254	1,982,302	129,933,556	1974
1975	106,064,579	641,355	106,705,934	229,336	232,820	462,156	24,612,198	1,168,421	25,780,619	130,906,113	2,042,596	132,948,709	1975
1976	109,513,168	675,472	110,188,640	237,370	240,969	478,339	26,680,440	1,195,485	27,875,925	136,430,978	2,111,926	138,542,904	1976
1977	111,566,433	721,089	112,287,522	242,420	248,341	490,761	28,072,615	1,241,670	29,314,285	139,881,468	2,211,100	142,092,568	1977
1978	115,824,891	748,503	116,573,394	246,734	258,620	505,354	30,044,366	1,291,498	31,335,864	146,115,991	2,298,621	148,414,612	1978
1979	117,615,166	813,564	118,428,730	252,176	274,589	526,765	31,554,863	1,358,941	32,913,804	149,422,205	2,447,094	151,869,299	1979
1980	120,743,495	857,348	121,600,843	253,854	274,935	528,789	32,267,720	1,398,867	33,666,587	153,265,069	2,531,150	155,796,219	1980
1981	122,241,488	856,923	123,098,411	259,604	284,290	543,894	33,236,285	1,407,825	34,644,110	155,737,377	2,549,038	158,286,415	1981
1982	122,767,091	934,574	123,701,665	269,581	289,619	559,200	33,957,022	1,425,353	35,382,375	156,993,694	2,649,546	159,643,240	1982
1983	125,489,216	954,566	126,443,782	267,679	315,205	582,884	35,261,031	1,461,584	36,722,615	161,017,926	2,731,355	163,749,281	1983
1984	127,161,802	995,880	128,157,682	264,885	318,786	583,671	36,006,257	1,501,206	37,507,463	163,432,944	2,815,872	166,248,816	1984
1985 2/	126,425,301	1,459,892	127,885,193	266,808	326,677	593,485	42,086,911	1,123,289	43,210,200	168,779,020	2,909,858	171,688,878	1985 2/
1986	128,519,551	1,484,023	130,003,574	268,946	324,907	593,853	43,974,686	1,128,226	45,102,912	172,763,183	2,937,156	175,700,339	1986
1987	129,980,193	1,501,930	131,482,123	270,989	331,066	602,055	45,747,608	1,164,861	46,912,469	175,998,790	2,997,857	178,996,647	1987
1988	132,343,515	1,492,017	133,835,532	272,157	343,512	615,669	48,707,323	1,234,150	49,941,473	181,322,995	3,069,679	184,392,674	1988
1989	133,009,695	1,549,498	134,559,193	275,039	350,001	625,040	50,912,755	1,259,118	52,171,873	184,197,489	3,158,617	187,356,106	1989
1990	132,164,330	1,536,167	133,700,497	275,493	351,494	626,987	53,101,089	1,369,341	54,470,430	185,540,912	3,257,002	188,797,914	1990
1991	126,764,419	1,535,182	128,299,601	274,562	356,717	631,279	57,790,544	1,415,045	59,205,589	184,829,525	3,306,944	188,136,469	1991
1992	125,087,687	1,493,461	126,581,148	275,245	369,487	644,732	61,597,358	1,538,990	63,136,348	186,960,290	3,401,938	190,362,228	1992
1993	125,843,591	1,483,598	127,327,189	276,093	378,339	654,432	64,523,185	1,558,676	66,081,861	190,642,869	3,420,613	194,063,482	1993
1994	126,396,989	1,486,480	127,883,469	282,507	387,916	670,423	67,852,252	1,639,221	69,491,473	194,531,748	3,513,617	198,045,365	1994
1995	126,899,713	1,487,062	128,386,775	287,873	397,630	685,503	70,753,616	1,704,127	72,457,743	197,941,202	3,588,819	201,530,021	1995

1/ This table was compiled principally from information obtained from State authorities, but it was necessary to draw on other sources and to make numerous estimates in order to present a complete series. It includes Alaska and Hawaii for 1959 and subsequent years.

2/ Trucks include pickups, panels and delivery vans. Beginning in 1985, personal passenger vans, passenger minivans and utility-type

vehicles are no longer included in automobiles but are included in trucks.

3/ For the years in which no entries are given for buses and publicly owned vehicles, the available data on the relatively small number of such vehicles were not in sufficient detail to make possible reliable segregation by vehicle types.