

TABLE DL-201: LICENSED DRIVERS, BY STATE, 1949-2022 (1)

STATE	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Alabama	860,025	851,269	1,134,257	1,146,065	1,070,963	1,056,683	1,201,515	1,251,081	1,328,498	1,330,957	1,324,005	1,320,922
Alaska (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	108,889	109,060
Arizona	308,319	335,730	364,315	416,341	453,758	419,144	477,722	541,373	591,851	644,039	715,869	777,899
Arkansas	585,314	591,578	635,931	660,471	688,843	707,180	743,721	769,220	786,259	779,360	798,678	810,825
California	5,083,333	5,182,893	5,470,713	5,803,946	6,127,287	6,351,316	6,631,453	6,964,514	7,320,862	7,622,056	8,154,462	8,694,099
Colorado	670,882	717,213	754,359	802,919	845,550	871,387	896,288	954,684	1,009,028	1,036,012	1,077,172	1,092,354
Connecticut	794,554	836,983	890,252	934,181	979,849	1,023,130	1,108,718	1,164,395	1,198,326	1,252,899	1,396,146	1,449,444
Delaware	139,347	148,234	153,007	160,636	173,962	176,322	191,694	202,846	211,453	216,795	224,503	231,288
Dist. of Col.	303,370	314,037	320,618	324,173	326,360	330,411	333,749	336,977	337,026	337,233	339,988	342,346
Florida	1,213,234	1,302,728	1,419,975	1,530,968	1,618,884	1,708,891	1,882,318	2,138,007	2,384,867	2,431,957	2,552,905	2,658,883
Georgia	1,125,332	1,187,294	1,304,311	1,353,844	1,390,056	1,445,922	1,596,537	1,623,123	1,681,900	1,716,588	1,729,002	1,791,253
Hawaii (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	275,750
Idaho	319,956	350,399	376,987	346,035	330,488	349,997	357,325	369,142	378,378	391,023	403,473	420,045
Illinois	3,886,940	3,994,644	3,791,880	3,969,700	4,219,242	4,170,500	4,254,313	4,489,089	4,586,045	4,533,629	4,538,406	4,564,904
Indiana	2,008,680	1,690,355	1,847,155	1,909,608	2,011,444	2,104,550	2,204,688	2,604,020	2,300,572	2,292,818	2,299,373	2,298,352
Iowa	1,490,445	1,473,892	1,421,409	1,313,307	1,352,066	1,352,066	1,365,395	1,396,833	1,403,514	1,452,967	1,470,814	1,458,038
Kansas	1,206,847	1,155,918	1,144,254	1,187,913	1,278,250	1,257,969	1,315,646	1,350,830	1,318,248	1,348,365	1,394,137	1,406,670
Kentucky	842,214	921,721	953,432	1,000,200	1,059,739	1,137,155	1,138,038	1,180,000	1,202,226	1,183,646	1,250,256	1,253,649
Louisiana	729,326	850,569	854,139	890,015	1,018,539	979,721	1,063,722	1,161,389	1,172,626	1,251,675	1,274,574	1,308,427
Maine	325,988	338,355	349,163	357,859	369,477	377,489	391,231	406,246	422,004	425,547	442,410	445,731
Maryland	756,863	883,457	920,673	1,012,770	1,065,230	1,166,534	1,191,856	1,251,623	1,315,859	1,337,325	1,409,845	1,480,034
Massachusetts	1,596,999	1,772,912	1,749,864	1,876,446	1,862,232	1,969,395	2,002,899	2,108,890	2,118,815	2,202,539	2,505,988	2,609,751
Michigan	2,741,414	2,885,869	3,002,527	3,161,880	3,265,395	3,145,948	3,195,985	3,272,496	3,885,276	3,959,338	4,040,423	4,077,758
Minnesota	1,759,593	1,708,275	1,675,010	1,654,019	1,670,011	1,763,500	1,797,759	1,595,633	1,546,510	1,708,585	1,756,215	1,792,984
Mississippi	526,346	569,349	527,592	564,735	592,483	682,218	688,824	711,822	712,479	726,376	723,255	747,442
Missouri	1,479,341	1,770,607	1,951,557	1,910,818	1,980,223	1,972,489	2,054,641	2,084,771	1,956,743	1,970,530	1,987,456	2,084,782
Montana	259,322	272,196	280,333	285,178	304,785	319,065	330,662	347,202	352,564	355,180	352,617	356,097
Nebraska	694,684	684,780	716,281	715,627	765,461	767,474	789,552	793,173	802,253	854,885	888,018	895,933
Nevada	88,176	90,433	103,439	107,348	122,674	134,022	143,393	162,932	170,920	150,181	156,320	166,535
New Hampshire	206,398	167,980	224,243	233,835	245,739	235,457	281,277	274,992	292,089	279,786	297,698	311,780
New Jersey	1,788,578	1,890,620	1,985,213	2,082,495	2,190,164	2,278,551	2,385,533	2,461,004	2,419,976	2,461,654	2,573,607	2,756,932
New Mexico	258,397	290,452	322,218	344,460	372,434	371,066	397,291	410,376	444,928	462,606	498,735	497,784
New York	4,976,615	5,289,991	5,571,739	5,633,721	5,859,431	6,061,161	6,143,862	6,399,684	6,127,811	6,688,223	6,885,480	7,062,287
North Carolina	1,243,700	1,334,222	1,449,316	1,504,822	1,596,545	1,665,280	1,720,199	1,794,345	1,844,605	1,885,068	1,941,163	2,000,284
North Dakota	298,541	290,840	307,653	315,542	325,294	311,791	318,134	326,618	346,749	357,665	358,439	353,259
Ohio	3,131,331	3,377,155	3,553,221	3,801,967	3,888,528	4,085,450	4,218,899	4,385,697	4,404,371	4,536,679	4,606,361	4,694,374
Oklahoma	938,482	929,850	1,005,932	945,131	975,991	1,048,925	1,092,123	1,099,017	1,075,262	1,134,611	1,200,268	1,223,151
Oregon	770,555	701,855	760,041	821,878	815,494	824,607	850,617	874,396	887,275	900,991	927,546	948,806
Pennsylvania	3,509,556	4,036,983	4,021,630	4,170,937	4,350,300	4,468,095	4,640,030	4,791,945	5,107,356	5,250,631	5,416,198	5,770,396
Rhode Island	295,476	314,794	323,341	321,477	347,351	356,272	380,421	388,669	393,579	398,601	409,597	415,792
South Carolina	868,587	828,044	829,162	835,022	1,000,864	1,084,251	1,089,610	1,119,239	1,333,911	1,001,334	1,052,711	1,097,016
South Dakota	312,389	332,420	341,925	340,438	360,557	384,956	415,130	415,200	405,695	414,888	389,528	425,112
Tennessee	1,031,665	1,059,275	1,220,824	1,225,034	1,319,532	1,317,805	1,425,273	1,423,673	1,504,651	1,501,255	1,606,312	1,604,237
Texas	2,687,349	2,796,862	3,117,218	3,357,522	3,556,395	3,733,127	3,874,834	4,009,296	4,110,866	4,168,370	4,281,850	4,352,168
Utah	284,571	318,526	338,472	343,904	359,395	373,888	396,291	416,291	413,099	427,591	458,723	482,331
Vermont	140,063	145,000	145,340	151,642	154,884	156,789	160,237	165,197	167,981	171,424	176,861	179,196
Virginia	1,044,782	1,173,989	1,210,477	1,313,222	1,400,787	1,459,561	1,540,751	1,630,245	1,678,973	1,725,524	1,792,242	1,827,232
Washington	1,138,851	1,484,736	1,048,749	1,130,533	1,169,699	1,211,206	1,251,083	1,232,603	1,278,812	1,317,971	1,404,738	1,422,149
West Virginia	644,417	682,601	691,136	738,974	768,091	789,410	808,438	819,932	830,853	885,679	808,462	832,974
Wisconsin	1,758,013	1,682,978	1,676,477	1,619,646	1,687,976	1,730,776	1,731,150	1,772,700	1,866,650	1,849,185	1,893,795	1,862,512
Wyoming	197,118	182,632	186,021	196,625	196,931	208,187	215,122	215,396	200,086	204,485	202,678	211,536
Total	59,322,278	62,193,495	64,443,781	66,825,829	69,869,781	71,897,089	74,685,949	77,658,826	79,630,680	81,536,726	84,498,191	87,252,563

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STATE	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972
Alabama	1,329,688	1,391,528	1,478,420	1,582,565	1,689,539	1,554,168	1,598,288	1,613,522	1,686,942	1,740,279	1,800,717	1,805,801
Alaska (2)	104,868	96,825	103,869	111,616	119,338	107,446	114,563	128,429	135,194	141,317	146,572	153,631
Arizona	830,741	872,419	895,299	906,878	907,739	941,107	964,336	1,003,749	1,045,034	1,124,207	1,172,814	1,184,421
Arkansas	818,530	842,703	880,526	918,355	948,532	982,862	1,012,907	1,051,218	1,034,821	1,057,874	1,081,045	1,119,004
California	9,172,640	8,541,854	9,053,189	9,516,910	9,916,119	10,356,079	10,688,074	11,324,141	11,425,000	11,646,000	12,130,000	12,650,000
Colorado	1,120,544	1,159,561	1,156,167	1,092,661	1,122,925	1,227,440	1,261,386	1,260,787	1,332,537	1,379,460	1,475,154	1,535,918
Connecticut	1,505,663	1,552,438	1,482,600	1,666,103	1,766,070	1,842,596	1,897,875	1,982,948	1,709,530	1,724,174	1,760,286	1,797,821
Delaware	246,512	250,966	265,401	258,668	276,418	285,993	295,086	311,693	308,475	326,941	339,608	348,779
Dist. of Col.	344,767	347,539	347,193	349,619	343,782	343,646	343,549	343,366	346,454	339,272	345,151	344,671
Florida	2,755,703	2,919,457	3,073,245	2,976,004	3,091,863	3,237,123	3,335,861	3,424,776	3,613,764	3,994,024	4,083,846	4,360,625
Georgia	1,846,208	1,975,460	2,102,442	2,032,902	2,182,527	2,208,192	2,152,911	2,279,084	2,470,003	2,709,823	2,731,046	3,205,859
Hawaii (2)	291,179	303,422	319,010	336,659	362,500	379,600	392,800	374,616	462,502	501,179	523,935	491,805
Idaho	400,505	394,169	402,143	413,089	427,291	419,562	429,233	473,323	473,704	484,465	501,100	508,203
Illinois	4,585,638	4,647,242	5,228,632	5,441,669	5,596,806	5,820,736	5,801,527	5,971,676	5,689,165	5,752,361	5,903,167	6,003,602
Indiana	2,395,947	2,453,097	2,499,735	2,543,110	2,685,940	2,752,313	2,661,091	2,572,598	2,840,439	2,699,127	2,803,665	2,936,579
Iowa	1,470,674	1,476,392	1,474,980	1,498,703	1,517,455	1,552,569	1,584,015	1,597,635	1,632,757	1,678,262	1,688,591	1,727,257
Kansas	1,416,000	1,291,960	1,324,862	1,361,274	1,355,147	1,363,697	1,409,730	1,395,788	1,436,194	1,453,075	1,495,889	1,564,697
Kentucky	1,280,113	1,334,964	1,401,459	1,472,108	1,353,027	1,382,505	1,441,985	1,476,588	1,571,788	1,609,191	1,626,355	1,683,984
Louisiana	1,321,035	1,362,622	1,358,046	1,463,826	1,537,304	1,594,848	1,621,822	1,676,969	1,723,203	1,781,620	1,812,868	1,916,845
Maine	454,065	456,549	463,465	464,258	505,229	474,068	484,748	490,659	496,633	513,388	539,720	556,881
Maryland	1,455,539	1,531,296	1,613,746	1,567,088	1,639,057	1,792,524	1,867,273	1,925,204	2,015,964	2,054,453	2,072,636	2,151,407
Massachusetts	2,435,296	2,518,284	2,448,517	2,549,726	2,635,085	2,738,780	2,790,546	2,850,027	2,900,773	2,987,565	3,060,240	3,141,000
Michigan	4,113,525	4,159,731	3,977,165	4,025,133	4,306,015	4,417,776	4,513,847	4,572,481	5,009,251	5,127,129	5,213,390	5,311,836
Minnesota	1,836,252	1,862,861	1,876,073	1,898,554	1,973,439	2,036,199	2,073,939	2,078,425	2,221,474	2,309,739	2,368,059	2,336,027
Mississippi	779,513	808,930	808,199	853,041	887,201	870,689	971,762	1,009,644	1,319,836	1,236,795	1,308,579	1,382,030
Missouri	2,156,307	2,169,485	2,268,392	2,339,742	2,405,521	2,296,416	2,499,627	2,449,681	2,528,167	2,568,633	2,719,453	2,775,589
Montana	367,551	373,192	401,350	380,949	382,123	394,473	391,198	392,308	397,784	409,356	421,468	444,276
Nebraska	911,061	921,147	877,385	893,869	895,791	901,656	917,797	886,464	898,232	934,247	1,033,162	1,007,000
Nevada	174,568	178,486	205,885	227,075	266,550	287,094	337,856	327,467	334,833	336,574	353,978	369,595
New Hampshire	333,407	343,814	361,547	369,671	386,859	379,075	371,412	390,310	401,968	426,739	441,324	461,124
New Jersey	2,968,641	3,044,164	3,168,858	3,290,412	3,397,601	3,528,532	3,596,637	3,732,742	3,868,492	4,028,832	4,073,926	4,124,513
New Mexico	482,876	503,591	529,791	536,575	511,599	534,565	548,684	539,613	553,201	576,568	600,122	637,291
New York	7,089,733	7,266,977	7,664,391	7,436,470	7,402,233	7,609,355	7,903,004	7,983,361	7,991,023	8,055,785	8,277,914	8,450,000
North Carolina	2,062,764	2,116,205	2,283,576	2,263,905	2,339,864	2,430,184	2,511,867	2,547,927	2,635,267	2,742,707	2,834,862	2,918,709
North Dakota	359,764	362,797	368,883	380,812	363,106	359,559	333,432	332,731	328,416	330,905	341,056	347,310
Ohio	4,918,589	5,065,703	5,099,961	5,295,300	5,499,500	5,510,638	5,726,270	5,860,173	5,828,160	6,104,922	5,947,672	6,140,623
Oklahoma	1,258,393	1,290,973	1,315,000	1,365,972	1,389,738	1,420,966	1,465,389	1,461,398	1,492,489	1,621,202	1,656,994	1,630,647
Oregon	975,816	994,289	1,009,000	1,080,704	1,113,504	1,087,290	1,100,002	1,157,092	1,175,956	1,304,443	1,359,883	1,512,657
Pennsylvania	5,221,318	5,815,943	5,851,840	5,659,000	6,102,642	6,301,133	5,913,029	6,076,102	6,217,156	6,213,058	6,312,484	6,532,145
Rhode Island	421,373	430,561	440,726	456,600	447,166	433,661	468,984	480,191	496,129	504,000	526,950	537,849
South Carolina	965,452	1,057,014	1,099,370	1,216,666	1,087,910	1,187,897	1,243,991	1,326,451	1,376,828	1,409,352	1,460,213	1,563,788
South Dakota	460,269	377,055	391,961	401,786	396,103	400,487	404,099	397,733	401,308	410,685	418,990	423,880
Tennessee	1,692,383	1,698,365	1,775,960	1,786,487	1,861,572	1,905,524	2,060,000	2,010,000	2,012,730	2,078,315	2,087,502	2,159,499
Texas	4,690,587	4,880,958	5,100,783	5,151,569	5,413,887	5,552,718	5,600,749	5,627,240	5,860,093	6,380,057	6,595,332	6,789,721
Utah	528,699	543,731	547,952	566,713	562,202	559,776	557,933	513,371	526,774	615,014	572,296	649,770
Vermont	183,820	188,439	193,807	198,511	204,275	213,322	219,299	224,127	246,265	253,012	268,125	280,408
Virginia	1,901,611	1,950,489	2,014,448	2,076,854	2,160,163	2,185,853	2,229,546	2,307,265	2,388,246	2,345,466	2,492,079	2,670,493
Washington	1,402,067	1,455,365	1,513,328	1,603,429	1,579,415	1,606,360	1,705,157	1,788,050	1,903,504	1,919,980	1,965,962	2,007,862
West Virginia	830,683	805,147	893,597	884,023	822,079	822,950	855,055	832,477	861,371	912,609	981,976	1,016,060
Wisconsin	1,855,322	1,985,991	1,934,368	2,078,980	2,141,483	2,185,086	2,280,544	2,360,815	2,458,037	2,459,539	2,465,315	2,527,731
Wyoming	219,999	216,174	226,438	224,944	223,118	221,383	220,926	215,715	222,214	229,067	232,429	217,251
Total	88,744,198	90,588,324	93,572,980	95,467,537	98,502,152	100,998,471	103,171,641	105,410,150	108,306,080	111,542,787	114,425,900	118,414,474

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STATE	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984
Alabama	1,851,584	1,902,812	1,944,155	2,083,851	2,122,679	2,159,612	2,209,982	2,271,493	2,315,799	2,316,209	2,393,878	2,472,717
Alaska (2)	161,188	179,155	208,397	213,619	225,781	220,696	218,856	217,040	228,477	258,061	288,739	305,000
Arizona	1,221,771	1,284,155	1,326,436	1,373,033	1,419,363	1,612,555	1,771,363	1,933,321	2,020,142	2,085,980	2,178,815	2,256,884
Arkansas	1,203,248	1,269,165	1,312,403	1,358,286	1,402,035	1,366,869	1,412,169	1,468,700	1,532,316	1,591,119	1,649,567	1,674,379
California	12,775,000	13,176,000	13,564,000	14,047,000	14,579,000	15,020,183	15,336,179	15,668,731	16,046,252	16,299,376	16,648,518	16,946,908
Colorado	1,611,341	1,643,451	1,689,795	1,774,280	1,878,330	1,996,420	2,024,327	2,048,409	2,104,355	2,182,380	2,229,042	2,269,225
Connecticut	1,807,796	1,784,898	1,860,781	1,889,714	1,912,713	2,060,965	2,107,092	2,174,482	2,197,505	2,235,145	2,249,525	2,336,665
Delaware	370,704	370,269	373,774	381,408	383,749	402,907	408,471	417,462	429,036	433,284	432,029	440,310
Dist. of Col.	335,388	331,938	335,515	335,371	349,685	349,049	345,211	344,042	343,000	385,100	370,196	374,159
Florida	4,758,804	4,945,289	5,673,691	6,256,318	6,572,489	6,868,333	7,289,502	7,267,962	7,641,035	7,978,824	8,347,269	8,185,949
Georgia	3,338,920	3,452,478	3,038,079	2,897,688	3,163,940	3,213,660	3,276,692	3,423,669	3,517,737	3,605,067	3,725,127	3,901,386
Hawaii (2)	475,176	492,310	517,667	532,356	534,028	533,891	536,316	541,543	534,851	561,346	575,013	583,452
Idaho	539,340	553,351	522,944	600,029	595,292	587,583	621,864	631,008	642,702	663,411	648,108	669,092
Illinois	6,124,554	6,299,774	6,389,533	6,548,674	6,741,192	6,853,843	6,929,810	7,002,549	6,863,009	6,964,608	6,984,733	6,685,374
Indiana	2,876,539	3,185,040	3,337,783	3,445,290	3,474,158	3,529,895	3,591,167	3,631,457	3,495,306	3,345,254	3,550,785	3,574,337
Iowa	1,780,781	1,843,033	1,883,513	1,959,216	1,984,650	2,021,520	2,106,066	2,106,608	2,122,000	1,926,852	1,928,799	1,927,018
Kansas	1,593,442	1,641,506	1,671,609	1,718,246	1,768,749	1,778,369	1,851,585	1,675,438	1,680,099	1,693,782	1,681,197	1,691,552
Kentucky	1,722,322	1,742,084	1,872,766	1,956,937	1,993,756	2,037,552	2,067,777	2,055,297	2,147,255	2,141,104	2,192,567	2,249,177
Louisiana	2,015,999	2,033,227	2,121,973	2,152,850	2,223,033	2,258,857	2,291,000	2,259,417	2,405,698	2,539,776	2,767,356	2,830,287
Maine	595,478	650,462	627,962	647,359	667,681	683,290	702,490	729,893	752,553	757,264	770,240	790,623
Maryland	2,217,934	2,358,860	2,440,554	2,487,374	2,529,740	2,550,003	2,645,011	2,721,609	2,723,416	2,741,333	2,799,441	2,860,835
Massachusetts	3,209,000	3,567,311	3,554,287	3,643,688	3,652,145	3,726,326	3,652,145	3,700,000	3,593,339	3,641,141	3,678,678	3,831,746
Michigan	5,436,121	5,532,599	5,949,949	6,049,944	6,150,000	6,250,000	6,350,000	6,400,000	6,450,000	6,390,130	6,344,657	6,200,076
Minnesota	2,384,410	2,402,550	2,416,869	2,571,540	2,598,123	2,234,646	2,286,218	2,335,935	2,382,897	2,397,077	2,373,908	2,397,204
Mississippi	1,379,109	1,378,308	1,456,039	1,505,966	1,572,875	1,588,158	1,582,281	1,587,011	1,699,197	1,734,173	1,802,952	1,786,211
Missouri	2,874,676	2,908,549	2,971,765	3,033,752	3,100,117	3,163,722	3,213,455	3,244,744	3,280,679	3,297,491	3,322,500	3,354,496
Montana	462,047	494,640	514,426	535,003	515,643	580,000	583,243	598,982	483,866	491,879	488,603	473,535
Nebraska	1,086,797	1,044,347	1,063,910	1,025,990	1,025,244	1,060,748	1,076,458	1,093,255	1,087,997	1,084,396	1,094,680	1,107,545
Nevada	388,842	398,003	418,704	449,764	478,818	527,118	564,789	625,673	642,155	654,658	676,074	681,256
New Hampshire	505,322	525,017	534,094	561,197	584,143	613,402	637,251	652,411	665,085	677,478	697,012	715,708
New Jersey	4,342,059	4,216,959	4,323,242	4,215,807	4,294,084	4,496,464	4,374,505	4,927,909	5,154,921	5,337,632	5,458,667	5,680,087
New Mexico	665,839	701,660	735,172	753,585	774,436	803,352	843,401	854,562	914,330	929,770	933,680	949,393
New York	8,545,595	8,730,473	8,832,000	8,935,093	8,970,091	9,125,934	9,186,446	9,240,059	9,248,668	8,992,488	9,605,780	9,715,670
North Carolina	3,060,227	3,161,146	3,294,096	3,403,213	3,490,420	3,599,341	3,692,110	3,777,067	3,830,684	3,903,103	3,966,351	4,049,269
North Dakota	353,574	361,720	372,554	385,661	394,940	403,050	413,823	418,758	424,952	428,006	431,740	434,173
Ohio	6,294,028	6,781,081	7,545,084	8,107,181	8,505,035	8,178,585	7,515,194	7,031,428	6,336,612	7,668,931	7,397,289	7,389,156
Oklahoma	1,673,664	1,711,805	1,720,912	1,785,549	1,874,891	1,874,344	1,899,428	1,965,149	1,952,975	2,039,398	2,174,350	2,205,606
Oregon	1,496,798	1,533,153	1,564,424	1,601,454	1,754,349	1,827,036	1,849,073	1,990,689	1,983,597	1,893,609	1,900,674	2,078,899
Pennsylvania	6,573,742	6,659,977	6,861,134	6,938,416	7,025,750	7,070,662	7,337,575	7,056,468	7,251,529	7,351,333	7,442,842	7,469,884
Rhode Island	558,127	555,658	528,512	595,565	600,213	580,544	583,068	586,637	593,141	599,687	603,176	610,730
South Carolina	1,415,728	1,462,971	1,566,027	1,584,583	1,741,432	1,814,389	1,891,699	1,952,830	1,948,520	1,959,351	2,007,683	2,100,448
South Dakota	417,071	411,283	417,698	473,492	470,531	470,020	474,844	480,778	476,272	486,421	482,439	486,589
Tennessee	2,244,706	2,371,396	2,430,363	2,532,450	2,597,025	2,694,460	2,753,129	2,809,655	2,838,014	2,902,326	2,933,197	2,977,842
Texas	6,973,335	7,287,730	7,509,497	7,869,731	8,192,443	8,568,930	8,945,853	9,287,826	9,673,885	10,154,386	11,406,433	10,855,549
Utah	664,546	721,042	729,193	759,152	771,066	773,082	795,293	844,717	888,984	913,773	926,434	928,932
Vermont	292,873	302,400	309,940	302,029	331,679	328,069	337,086	343,800	348,765	355,051	360,642	371,011
Virginia	2,855,948	2,944,068	3,017,481	3,069,347	3,277,231	3,259,131	3,338,967	3,460,686	3,570,363	3,625,377	3,704,171	3,773,233
Washington	2,145,283	2,122,131	2,176,585	2,289,371	2,339,215	2,485,248	2,579,368	2,662,658	2,732,785	2,774,210	2,867,032	2,972,976
West Virginia	1,051,025	1,078,000	1,262,038	1,324,000	1,367,093	1,422,975	1,452,777	1,506,401	1,488,300	1,410,893	1,417,000	1,293,523
Wisconsin	2,593,838	2,663,886	2,721,284	2,773,783	2,840,543	2,899,070	2,954,000	2,982,366	3,027,347	3,036,428	3,085,549	3,147,657
Wyoming	224,097	257,462	280,057	300,436	309,275	319,049	329,731	346,250	362,767	397,788	394,041	359,976
Total	121,545,736	125,426,582	129,790,666	134,035,641	138,120,893	140,843,907	143,283,995	145,295,036	147,075,169	150,233,659	154,389,178	155,423,709

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STATE	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Alabama	2,461,559	2,544,715	2,773,636	2,097,596	2,843,587	2,752,590	2,937,981	2,977,311	3,008,575	2,860,724	3,456,100	3,138,237
Alaska (2)	300,000	310,000	300,000	300,000	300,000	314,300	318,000	405,100	437,696	435,677	434,389	439,855
Arizona	2,324,591	2,162,505	2,272,863	2,351,903	2,371,588	2,392,618	2,400,002	2,505,887	2,623,680	2,849,304	2,626,222	2,727,312
Arkansas	1,723,753	1,645,779	1,657,795	1,676,863	1,710,953	1,722,021	1,720,270	1,712,225	1,750,765	1,768,394	1,769,012	1,752,229
California	17,444,640	18,017,285	18,562,926	18,925,973	19,569,735	19,845,906	19,930,785	20,110,665	20,123,481	20,156,177	20,139,586	20,249,200
Colorado	2,284,364	2,292,473	2,310,349	2,226,285	2,115,926	2,043,003	2,083,864	2,392,276	2,591,011	2,732,682	2,727,570	2,756,807
Connecticut	2,314,612	2,334,843	2,346,668	2,369,966	2,373,817	2,214,146	2,212,725	2,357,607	2,180,314	2,318,543	2,349,051	2,343,779
Delaware	447,937	455,400	462,514	468,844	480,622	484,801	495,281	501,397	506,274	513,406	524,992	529,291
Dist. of Col.	384,736	388,658	388,835	391,775	394,344	412,312	406,270	351,675	361,068	361,854	338,549	333,445
Florida	8,016,239	8,334,798	8,593,062	8,789,843	9,006,249	9,231,405	9,692,974	10,537,677	10,762,041	11,005,438	11,024,064	11,399,593
Georgia	3,910,454	4,081,482	4,215,283	4,335,537	4,317,566	4,478,260	4,610,271	4,599,515	4,613,295	4,816,618	4,840,495	4,966,348
Hawaii (2)	593,952	612,101	628,027	634,880	657,156	677,626	699,664	716,545	734,381	745,392	732,508	733,486
Idaho	692,404	684,098	690,893	707,561	706,472	704,184	711,662	720,974	770,403	800,513	805,911	819,713
Illinois	6,949,622	7,093,371	7,186,070	7,262,508	7,205,156	7,294,732	7,359,537	7,410,693	7,462,158	7,502,201	7,210,972	7,609,618
Indiana	3,597,585	3,761,193	3,590,173	3,773,008	3,838,030	3,601,354	3,453,186	3,800,436	3,790,781	3,860,329	3,706,182	3,704,156
Iowa	1,900,998	1,883,849	1,842,538	1,886,950	1,921,629	1,872,486	1,856,650	1,858,605	1,899,430	1,896,518	1,905,450	1,955,601
Kansas	1,655,820	1,651,608	1,678,418	1,705,869	1,703,798	1,714,507	1,780,520	1,691,883	1,774,036	1,771,566	1,770,786	1,788,259
Kentucky	2,248,381	2,298,441	2,338,005	2,367,574	2,392,052	2,401,661	2,413,670	2,457,118	2,468,992	2,516,408	2,535,463	2,566,545
Louisiana	2,755,943	2,700,790	2,614,425	2,597,965	2,573,954	2,575,460	2,574,762	2,616,830	2,576,701	2,594,615	2,593,509	2,624,131
Maine	803,830	817,928	870,716	866,728	886,912	887,042	888,963	917,944	905,533	913,597	864,447	873,713
Maryland	2,907,494	2,949,234	3,009,476	3,136,819	3,097,915	3,361,936	3,213,900	3,233,818	3,274,392	3,308,006	3,344,125	3,377,470
Massachusetts	3,792,074	3,922,078	3,944,206	4,249,814	4,257,842	4,229,311	4,205,850	4,170,038	4,161,137	4,471,529	4,211,029	4,355,014
Michigan	6,254,118	6,332,878	6,378,723	6,388,518	6,422,031	6,440,390	6,433,993	6,480,686	6,527,401	6,601,924	6,658,750	6,716,789
Minnesota	2,473,073	2,455,826	2,471,180	2,478,925	2,429,251	2,528,941	2,545,936	2,625,071	2,637,458	2,705,701	2,761,121	2,830,232
Mississippi	1,810,847	1,744,188	1,775,864	1,813,559	1,841,840	1,884,544	1,924,696	1,628,169	1,640,301	1,671,690	1,693,159	1,700,132
Missouri	3,393,353	3,430,062	3,471,458	3,511,676	3,688,684	3,732,342	3,732,342	3,454,414	3,472,140	3,382,046	3,587,086	3,749,348
Montana	582,085	591,222	604,051	534,457	597,638	603,614	580,313	597,037	530,744	525,780	573,749	573,754
Nebraska	1,089,797	1,097,585	1,069,148	1,088,104	1,064,796	1,088,677	1,068,695	1,128,888	1,141,134	1,146,447	1,151,764	1,159,831
Nevada	699,077	707,549	719,058	749,037	794,067	846,410	908,684	957,421	976,214	1,007,191	1,044,609	1,116,795
New Hampshire	737,852	762,879	785,591	798,336	809,389	843,470	847,564	850,136	868,560	877,471	901,104	915,451
New Jersey	5,793,689	5,904,000	6,022,080	5,451,556	5,615,102	5,584,727	5,659,994	5,285,107	5,458,841	5,433,383	5,403,671	5,485,980
New Mexico	977,880	1,024,085	1,037,634	1,047,261	1,062,806	1,073,816	1,081,431	1,126,193	1,148,230	1,167,462	1,173,442	1,179,256
New York	9,841,209	9,947,494	10,029,037	10,143,464	10,177,995	10,254,229	10,266,741	10,359,792	10,326,635	10,376,615	10,473,731	10,483,665
North Carolina	4,122,866	4,244,176	4,318,723	4,421,934	4,484,107	4,550,644	4,547,443	4,655,434	4,724,661	4,840,104	5,028,421	5,187,288
North Dakota	443,002	438,282	434,046	431,366	425,202	424,898	425,935	433,117	437,942	439,330	448,781	449,225
Ohio	7,336,386	7,386,538	7,402,416	7,378,737	7,369,821	7,427,409	7,470,352	9,168,860	7,634,742	7,142,173	7,772,757	7,852,548
Oklahoma	2,243,223	2,137,925	2,163,148	2,219,296	2,292,867	2,277,540	2,283,068	2,286,983	2,336,410	2,343,555	2,155,558	2,395,825
Oregon	1,959,765	1,943,598	2,027,554	2,170,124	2,189,654	2,211,551	2,373,660	2,425,710	2,373,138	2,542,681	2,541,873	2,612,659
Pennsylvania	7,555,006	7,691,269	7,684,136	7,731,880	7,796,615	7,899,052	7,950,559	8,018,519	8,054,636	8,115,074	8,154,055	8,221,143
Rhode Island	619,132	627,430	647,887	666,248	675,701	670,651	676,228	685,201	674,901	688,399	670,360	668,940
South Carolina	2,131,895	2,168,629	2,195,348	2,305,533	2,338,660	2,372,825	2,401,642	2,399,902	2,430,511	2,492,019	2,542,139	2,574,575
South Dakota	483,890	484,940	485,367	482,575	492,466	492,378	500,564	498,106	506,558	508,076	515,869	518,592
Tennessee	3,025,458	3,106,584	3,156,826	3,198,978	3,432,019	3,334,425	3,393,127	3,486,025	3,542,531	3,825,671	3,739,043	3,805,600
Texas	10,809,078	11,129,193	11,153,472	11,080,702	11,103,511	11,136,694	11,293,184	11,437,571	11,876,268	12,109,960	12,369,243	12,568,265
Utah	962,881	970,824	1,005,942	977,636	1,027,363	1,046,106	1,067,030	1,143,000	1,189,593	1,245,205	1,255,460	1,319,263
Vermont	385,132	397,073	402,088	406,194	409,897	411,920	412,369	423,489	430,538	445,576	455,606	468,863
Virginia	3,804,113	3,937,571	4,053,303	4,129,510	4,233,574	4,388,805	4,651,070	4,697,006	4,579,666	4,601,235	4,628,886	4,692,071
Washington	2,980,717	3,029,457	3,156,743	3,198,023	3,272,941	3,376,671	3,490,585	3,627,434	3,698,920	3,775,019	3,765,376	3,908,217
West Virginia	1,298,585	1,297,861	1,303,404	1,308,212	1,306,445	1,283,703	1,285,627	1,314,244	1,302,081	1,298,478	1,304,539	1,274,453
Wisconsin	3,211,330	3,229,246	3,248,206	3,268,207	3,294,057	3,327,872	3,394,428	3,542,702	3,502,341	3,554,003	3,601,619	3,723,685
Wyoming	331,850	326,007	339,150	348,946	333,493	333,546	341,023	342,960	350,074	341,706	346,299	343,093
Total	156,868,277	159,487,000	161,818,461	162,853,255	165,555,295	167,015,250	168,995,076	173,125,396	173,149,313	175,403,465	176,628,482	179,539,340

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STATE	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Alabama	3,387,123	3,434,117	3,445,893	3,521,444	3,559,897	3,577,986	3,598,034	3,613,138	3,637,414	3,665,180	3,691,762	3,753,550
Alaska (2)	446,247	456,891	459,362	465,256	472,211	480,295	481,487	482,532	486,582	489,024	495,249	503,162
Arizona	3,119,537	3,198,276	3,297,281	3,433,995	3,550,367	3,668,326	3,819,425	3,783,927	3,943,180	4,032,643	4,153,739	4,315,579
Arkansas	1,878,618	1,918,451	1,925,733	1,947,867	1,961,883	1,965,008	1,998,127	1,862,430	2,024,466	2,034,975	2,046,039	2,055,189
California	20,385,245	20,498,902	20,830,674	21,243,939	21,623,793	22,394,800	22,657,288	22,761,088	22,895,965	23,021,279	23,467,452	23,697,667
Colorado	2,836,339	2,946,476	2,990,673	3,107,258	3,287,922	3,165,815	2,975,337	3,205,054	3,341,275	3,341,275	3,502,709	3,605,682
Connecticut	2,270,228	2,349,286	2,373,723	2,652,593	2,650,374	2,672,145	2,659,918	2,694,574	2,740,270	2,805,124	2,848,602	2,883,324
Delaware	535,712	545,872	551,787	556,688	564,099	573,021	585,136	533,943	610,406	619,877	624,472	651,877
Dist. of Col.	356,181	349,835	348,873	348,216	328,094	309,349	313,027	349,122	330,363	357,569	396,193	373,735
Florida	11,749,244	12,026,947	12,400,841	12,853,428	12,743,403	12,744,055	12,905,812	13,146,357	13,373,700	13,988,630	14,138,846	14,033,844
Georgia	5,063,192	5,315,739	5,471,100	5,550,176	5,833,802	6,012,847	5,757,953	5,793,143	5,939,513	5,906,834	6,134,298	6,257,484
Hawaii (2)	738,865	746,329	752,693	759,383	787,820	814,668	834,188	843,876	856,163	867,375	862,903	884,767
Idaho	843,891	862,674	872,825	883,546	896,666	907,029	921,283	942,983	978,450	1,008,016	1,027,502	1,038,314
Illinois	7,691,750	7,700,880	7,925,204	7,961,046	7,809,500	8,033,399	8,054,232	8,057,683	7,870,872	8,071,253	8,190,023	8,260,940
Indiana	3,923,614	3,976,241	3,856,177	3,976,241	4,116,924	4,221,123	4,536,205	4,521,329	4,246,189	4,246,189	4,308,845	5,550,469
Iowa	1,952,935	1,950,374	1,935,201	1,952,508	1,978,748	1,992,803	1,977,909	2,003,723	2,033,417	2,040,873	2,093,649	1,989,663
Kansas	1,824,944	1,851,449	1,892,478	1,908,117	1,871,301	1,935,361	1,987,251	1,979,746	1,974,238	2,003,112	2,018,219	2,021,905
Kentucky	2,574,662	2,640,335	2,660,468	2,694,469	2,756,634	2,772,674	2,799,635	2,823,454	2,860,729	2,896,460	2,933,266	2,932,659
Louisiana	2,677,845	2,736,305	2,762,571	2,759,120	2,759,120	3,168,238	3,119,960	3,169,627	3,083,516	3,014,191	3,033,966	2,998,162
Maine	900,844	912,506	911,704	920,235	942,556	948,748	932,455	984,829	1,003,972	1,005,160	1,009,780	1,006,057
Maryland	3,346,622	3,177,783	3,194,601	3,382,451	3,451,966	3,523,311	3,552,187	3,594,251	3,709,594	3,694,290	3,737,847	3,786,650
Massachusetts	4,393,429	4,394,355	4,421,054	4,489,695	4,610,666	4,686,416	4,645,705	4,645,857	4,612,829	4,711,735	4,699,301	4,674,058
Michigan	6,751,267	6,802,704	6,863,199	6,925,246	6,976,982	7,025,357	7,065,438	7,103,404	7,105,272	7,112,992	7,058,955	7,118,378
Minnesota	2,839,291	2,868,002	2,907,027	2,940,789	2,961,236	2,997,058	3,035,553	3,083,007	3,083,757	3,086,610	3,149,109	3,190,183
Mississippi	1,722,513	1,758,293	1,788,189	2,007,746	1,859,487	1,861,496	1,885,974	1,896,008	1,965,464	1,929,636	1,926,969	1,935,764
Missouri	3,744,320	3,798,096	3,839,764	3,856,271	3,862,300	3,856,271	3,931,448	3,965,610	4,047,652	4,139,632	4,161,957	4,196,682
Montana	662,418	646,512	660,151	678,899	683,351	694,743	704,509	712,880	715,512	723,976	735,753	738,982
Nebraska	1,178,880	1,185,794	1,202,517	1,195,219	1,267,284	1,275,206	1,311,332	1,315,819	1,320,617	1,327,916	1,330,698	1,346,406
Nevada	1,186,097	1,245,905	1,322,014	1,370,643	1,420,714	1,460,903	1,487,899	1,548,097	1,596,353	1,626,021	1,661,588	1,678,550
New Hampshire	883,064	907,479	918,563	929,630	941,829	954,910	967,770	985,775	998,214	1,027,582	1,026,546	1,031,158
New Jersey	5,576,064	5,563,492	5,550,772	5,654,973	5,715,089	5,711,794	5,728,975	5,799,532	5,870,720	5,834,227	5,782,155	5,782,155
New Mexico	1,194,284	1,203,869	1,221,927	1,239,043	1,231,701	1,243,894	1,236,488	1,271,365	1,304,721	1,338,246	1,365,249	1,365,249
New York	10,529,855	10,554,098	10,626,625	10,871,344	11,014,805	10,913,850	11,356,988	11,246,675	11,071,911	11,146,367	11,369,280	11,284,545
North Carolina	5,399,301	5,534,284	5,491,228	5,690,494	5,884,651	5,943,288	6,014,782	6,122,137	6,227,817	6,315,667	6,383,542	6,457,000
North Dakota	452,163	454,933	457,890	458,944	455,921	461,090	459,971	461,780	466,701	468,711	470,731	473,019
Ohio	8,185,824	7,941,479	8,045,787	8,205,524	7,736,115	7,707,870	7,656,362	7,675,007	7,707,842	7,739,410	7,975,774	7,962,266
Oklahoma	2,278,757	2,305,361	2,312,621	2,295,036	2,172,394	2,324,442	2,348,449	2,369,621	2,234,114	2,264,151	2,283,178	2,301,848
Oregon	2,276,533	2,417,002	2,461,639	2,495,059	2,534,464	2,563,529	2,589,764	2,625,856	2,692,948	2,767,291	2,827,188	2,856,085
Pennsylvania	8,317,715	8,404,689	8,478,276	8,229,490	8,226,202	8,323,741	8,369,575	8,430,142	8,460,530	8,526,204	8,600,691	8,646,273
Rhode Island	680,107	681,832	688,650	654,035	660,435	720,550	731,323	741,841	746,465	741,921	743,793	748,351
South Carolina	2,613,102	2,679,131	2,810,221	2,842,553	2,849,885	2,918,957	2,918,957	2,972,369	2,987,593	3,067,747	3,126,890	3,185,408
South Dakota	524,182	535,339	543,573	543,817	544,997	546,386	554,553	563,298	566,255	582,517	588,546	597,326
Tennessee	3,929,026	4,072,836	4,175,766	4,251,228	4,188,317	4,205,933	4,204,166	4,247,884	4,351,868	4,387,883	4,425,881	4,450,644
Texas	12,833,603	13,322,911	13,359,305	13,462,023	13,045,727	13,184,629	13,498,071	14,543,528	14,659,390	14,906,701	15,184,123	15,374,063
Utah	1,357,064	1,393,242	1,439,534	1,463,366	1,495,887	1,529,934	1,548,456	1,582,599	1,599,514	1,619,085	1,651,790	1,687,306
Vermont	475,389	497,172	495,824	495,824	515,348	529,453	543,412	550,462	563,162	532,041	534,495	541,990
Virginia	4,901,088	4,787,150	4,729,373	4,836,993	4,920,753	5,158,232	5,045,857	5,112,523	5,178,156	5,210,685	5,259,512	5,301,182
Washington	4,009,833	4,078,895	4,128,775	4,154,501	4,237,845	4,381,417	4,407,269	4,504,581	4,681,927	4,790,864	4,879,705	4,953,872
West Virginia	1,285,158	1,280,539	1,273,701	1,347,207	1,316,955	1,325,029	1,272,135	1,292,036	1,327,569	1,335,303	1,358,529	1,360,926
Wisconsin	3,672,469	3,709,957	3,733,122	3,770,453	3,667,497	3,529,720	3,765,644	3,910,188	3,993,348	4,049,450	4,066,273	4,075,764
Wyoming	352,770	359,158	363,471	370,740	370,713	303,357	378,009	380,180	382,735	390,538	398,283	404,489
Total	182,709,204	184,980,177	187,170,420	190,625,023	191,275,719	194,295,633	196,165,665	198,888,912	200,548,972	202,810,438	205,741,845	208,320,601

Source: Highway Statistics, DL-1C Table, Multiple Years.

(1) The data in this table were obtained chiefly from State authorities and agencies. Where data were not available, estimates were developed by the Federal Highway Administration.

(2) Alaska and Hawaii became States in 1959; data for Hawaii was not captured prior to 1960.

