ATF STATISTICS ON FIREARM TRACES

Vermont and Nearby States 2009-2014

Year State	Total Recovered In State	Traced to Home State	Imported to	% of Imports from Neighboring States	% of Imported Firearms from VT (1)	Trace to VT	Trace to MA	Long Guns	Hand Guns	Top 10 Categories: Violent	Top 10 Categories: Non-Violent	Time to Crime * Avg (Yrs) (2)
2009 Massachusetts	1968	385	277	14%	1.8%	35	385	435	1534	133	1618	13.36
2009 Vermont	275	90	27	10%	n/a	90	5	160	114	38	196	12.11
2010 Massachusetts	2173	438	323	15%	1.2%	27	438	448	1714	230	1746	13.42
2010 Vermont	263	67	47	18%	n/a	67	5	142	120	17	226	11.51
2011 Massachusetts	1737	351	243	14%	0.0%	0	351	408	1323	125	1479	14
2011 Vermont	896 (3)	123	55	6%	n/a	123	8	410 (3)	464 (3)	14	862 (3)	13.99
2012 Massachusetts	1600	453	227	14%	0.8%	12	453	330	1265	140	1377	14.21
2012 Vermont	285	125	27	9%	n/a	125	2	134	150	48	214	11.18
2013 Massachusetts	1571	431	269	17%	1.8%	29	431	299	1264	139	1293	13.43
2013 Vermont	262	129	24	9%	n/a	129	4	140	122	27	235	10.01
2014 Massachusetts	1538	402	267	17%	1.6%	25	402	286	1243	122	1341	13.76
2014 Vermont	161	62	19	12%	n/a	62	2	60	101	16	121	13.97

^{*} Law enforcement agencies may request firearms traces for any reason. Not all firearms used in crime are traced and not all firearms traced are used in crime.

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⁽¹⁾ Actual rates calculated. "Per Capita" rates (used in other reports) are an artifical way to inflate the numbers from low population states

^{(2) &}quot;Time-To-Crime" stats indicate "Straw Purchasing" is NOT how guns are moving out of "source" states, as the length of time from purchase to trace averages a DECADE or more apart.

⁽³⁾ Anomaly: In 2011 two FFL dealers were arrested and their inventory confiscated.