

Ratio of Licenses to US Population

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Alabama	4,780*	727	1 / 6,575	742	1 / 6,442	794	1 / 6,020	770	1 / 6,208	779	1 / 6,136	799	1 / 5,982	795	1 / 6,013
Alaska	710 *	297**	1 / 2,391	310	1 / 2,290	368	1 / 1,929	368**	1 / 1,929	343	1 / 2,070	343	1 / 2,312	333	1 / 2,132
Arizona	6,392*	2,110	1 / 3,029	2,198	1 / 2,908	2,227	1 / 2,870	2,492	1 / 2,565	2,958	1 / 2,161	2,958	1 / 2,161	2,958	1 / 2,161
Arkansas	2,916*	521	1 / 5,597	584	1 / 4,993	553	1 / 5,273	542	1 / 5,380	563	1 / 5,179	563	1 / 5,179	560	1 / 5,207
California	37,254*	13,444	1 / 2,771	13,251	1 / 2,812	13,193	1 / 2,824	13,106	1 / 2,843	12,957	1 / 2,875	12,957	1 / 2,875	12,957	1 / 2,875
Colorado	5,029*	2,425	1 / 2,074	2,425	1 / 2,074	2,565	1 / 1,961	2,876	1 / 1,749	2,565	1 / 1,961	2,565	1 / 1,961	2,565	1 / 2,565
Connecticut	3,574*	986**	1 / 3,625	986**	1 / 3,625	986**	1 / 3,625	995	1 / 3,592	995**	1 / 3,592	995	1 / 3,592	995	1 / 3,592
Delaware	898*	352**	1 / 2,551	352**	1 / 2,551	352**	1 / 2,551	352**	1 / 2,551	352**	1 / 2,551	352	1 / 2,551	352	1 / 2,551
Dist of Columbia	602*	78	1 / 7,718	101	1 / 5,960	160	1 / 3,763	160	1 / 3,763	160**	1 / 3,763	160	1 / 3,763	160	1 / 3,763
Florida	18,801*	5,613	1 / 3,350	5,382	1 / 3,493	6,640	1 / 2,831	6,966	1 / 2,699	6,069	1 / 3,098	6,331	1 / 2,970	6,331	1 / 2,970
Georgia	9,688*	3,223**	1 / 3,006	3,223**	1 / 3,006	3,482	1 / 2,782	3,379	1 / 2,867	3,563	1 / 2,719	3,563	1 / 2,719	3,563	1 / 2,719
Hawaii	1,360*	472	1 / 2,881	472	1 / 2,881	474	1 / 2,869	474**	1 / 2,869	479	1 / 2,839	614	1 / 2,215	656	1 / 2,073
Idaho	1,568*	617**	1 / 2,541	617**	1 / 2,541	647	1 / 2,423	659	1 / 2,379	659**	1 / 2,379	659	1 / 2,379	698	1 / 2,246
Illinois	12,831*	4,140	1 / 3,099	4,293	1 / 2,989	4,435	1 / 2,893	4,077	1 / 3,147	4,077**	1 / 3,147	4,077	1 / 3,147	4,077	1 / 3,147
Indiana	6,484*	1,242	1 / 5,221	1,242	1 / 5,221	1,262	1 / 5,138	1,262**	1 / 5,138	1,262**	1 / 5,138	1,262	1 / 5,138	1,348	1 / 4,810
Iowa	3,046*	1,737	1 / 1,754	1,737	1 / 1,754	1,789	1 / 1,703	1,789**	1 / 1,703	1,789**	1 / 1,703	1,789	1 / 1,693	1,789	1 / 1,693
Kansas	2,853*	1,053	1 / 2,709	1,330	1 / 2,145	1,118	1 / 2,552	1,118**	1 / 2,552	1,118**	1 / 2,552	1,118	1 / 2,552	1,118	1 / 2,552
Kentucky	4,339*	924**	1 / 4,696	924**	1 / 4,696	899	1 / 4,826	898	1 / 4,832	898**	1 / 4,832	898	1 / 4,832	898	1 / 4,832
Louisiana	4,533*	690	1 / 6,570	724	1 / 6,261	718	1 / 6,313	737	1 / 6,151	737**	1 / 6,151	767	1 / 5,936	758	1 / 7,028
Maine	1,328*	384**	1 / 3,458	384**	1 / 3,458	384**	1 / 3,458	384**	1 / 3,458	645	1 / 2,059	645	1 / 2,059	645	1 / 2,059
Maryland	5,774*	802**	1 / 7,200	802**	1 / 7,200	871	1 / 6,629	825	1 / 6,999	893	1 / 6,466	893	1 / 6,466	893	1 / 6,466
Massachusetts	6,548*	2,171**	1 / 3,016	2,171**	1 / 3,016	2,171**	1 / 3,016	2,171**	1 / 3,016	2,171**	1 / 3,016	2,171	1 / 3,016	2,171	1 / 3,016
Michigan	9,884*	2,967	1 / 3,331	2,967	1 / 3,331	3,009	1 / 3,285	3,009**	1 / 3,285	3,009**	1 / 3,285	3,053	1 / 3,237	3,053	1 / 3,237
Minnesota	5,304*	2,979	1 / 1,781	2,979**	1 / 1,781	3,048	1 / 1,740	3,112	1 / 1,704	3,145	1 / 1,686	5,721	1 / 927	5,721	1 / 927
Mississippi	2,967*	351	1 / 8,453	372	1 / 7,976	381	1 / 7,787	381	1 / 7,787	348	1 / 8,526	348	1 / 8,526	348	1 / 8,526
Missouri	5,989*	2,450	1 / 2,445	2,341	1 / 2,558	2,419	1 / 2,476	2,428	1 / 2,467	2,428**	1 / 2,467	2,428	1 / 2,467	2,428	1 / 2,467
Montana	989*	395	1 / 2,504	403	1 / 2,454	407	1 / 2,430	407**	1 / 2,430	407**	1 / 2,430	407	1 / 2,430	407	1 / 2,430
Nebraska	1,826*	655	1 / 2,788	655	1 / 2,788	698	1 / 2,616	737	1 / 2,478	737**	1 / 2,478	737	1 / 2,478	737	1 / 2,478
Nevada	2,701*	626	1 / 4,315	665	1 / 4,062	626	1 / 4,315	676	1 / 3,996	614	1 / 4,399	709	1 / 3,810	721	1 / 3,665
New Hampshire	1,316*	450	1 / 2,925	430	1 / 3,061	448	1 / 2,938	448**	1 / 2,938	433	1 / 3,039	433	1 / 3,039	433	1 / 3,039
New Jersey	8,792*	3,262	1 / 2,695	3,262	1 / 2,695	3,262**	1 / 2,695	3,262**	1 / 2,695	3,262**	1 / 2,695	3,262	1 / 2,695	3,262	1 / 2,695
New Mexico	2,059*	519	1 / 3,967	506	1 / 4,069	547	1 / 3,764	668	1 / 3,082	668**	1 / 3,082	668	1 / 3,082	668	1 / 3,082
New York	19,378*	4,565	1 / 4,245	5,299	1 / 3,657	5,293	1 / 3,661	5,293	1 / 3,661	5,248	1 / 3,692	5,180	1 / 3,741	5,180	1 / 3,741
North Carolina	9,535*	2,010**	1 / 4,744	2,010**	1 / 4,744	2,010**	1 / 4,744	2,048	1 / 4,656	2,049	1 / 4,653	2,049	1 / 4,653	2,049	1 / 4,653
North Dakota	673*	397	1 / 1,695	403	1 / 1,670	415	1 / 1,622	431	1 / 1,561	438	1 / 1,537	438	1 / 1,537	436	1 / 1,544
Ohio	11,537*	2,440	1 / 4,728	2,542	1 / 4,539	2,471	1 / 4,669	2,573	1 / 4,484	2,532	1 / 4,556	2,532	1 / 4,556	2,576	1 / 4,478
Oklahoma	3,751*	854	1 / 4,392	860	1 / 4,362	828	1 / 4,530	838	1 / 4,476	838	1 / 4,476	838	1 / 4,476	860	1 / 4,362
Oregon	3,831*	1,535	1 / 2,496	1,654	1 / 2,316	1,571	1 / 2,439	1,195	1 / 3,206	1,195	1 / 3,206	1,706	1 / 2,246	1,214	1 / 3,156
Pennsylvania	12,702*	4,062**	1 / 3,127	4,062	1 / 3,127	4,040	1 / 3,144	4,173	1 / 3,044	4,173**	1 / 3,044	4,176	1 / 3,042	4,173	1 / 3,044
Rhode Island	1,053*	260**	1 / 4,004	246	1 / 4,281	156	1 / 6,750	156**	1 / 6,750	248	1 / 4,246	248	1 / 4,246	248	1 / 4,246
South Carolina	4,625*	1,428	1 / 3,239	1,630	1 / 2,838	1,571	1 / 2,944	1,571**	1 / 2,944	1,571**	1 / 2,944	1,571	1 / 2,944	1,571	1 / 2,944
South Dakota	814*	411	1 / 1,981	421	1 / 1,934	426	1 / 1,911	434	1 / 1,876	439	1 / 1,854	439	1 / 1,854	446	1 / 1,825

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Tennessee	6,346*	1,722	1 / 3,685	1,714	1 / 3,703	1,719	1 / 3,692	1,196	1 / 5,306	1,195	1 / 5,310	1,195	1 / 5,310	1,195	1 / 5,310
Texas	25,146*	5,021	1 / 5,008	6,355	1 / 3,957	5,234	1 / 4,804	5,709	1 / 4,405	5,709	1 / 4,405	5,709	1 / 4,405	6,974	1 / 3,606
Utah	2,764*	909**	1 / 3,041	909**	1 / 3,041	916	1 / 3,017	971	1 / 2,847	949	1 / 2,913	949	1 / 2,913	996	1 / 2,775
Vermont	626*	240	1 / 2,608	256	1 / 2,445	256	1 / 2,445	260	1 / 2,408	238	1 / 2,630	238	1 / 2,630	225	1 / 2,782
Virginia	8,001*	1,567	1 / 5,106	1,343	1 / 5,958	1,583	1 / 5,054	1,779	1 / 4,497	1,779**	1 / 4,497	1,779	1 / 6,786	1,779	1 / 6,786
Washington	6,725*	2,388	1 / 2,816	2,470	1 / 2,723	2,514	1 / 2,675	2,545	1 / 2,642	2,545	1 / 2,642	2,545	1 / 2,645	2,605	1 / 2,582
West Virginia	1,853*	324	1 / 5,719	325	1 / 5,702	320	1 / 5,791	317	1 / 5,845	316	1 / 5,864	316	1 / 5,864	314	1 / 5,901
Wisconsin	5,687*	2,330**	1 / 2,441	2,330**	1 / 2,441	2,409	1 / 2,361	2,379	1 / 2,391	2,489	1 / 2,285	2,489	1 / 2,285	2,489	1 / 2,285
Wyoming	564*	194	1 / 2,907	196	1 / 2,878	183	1 / 3,082	182	1 / 3,099	192	1 / 2,938	192	1 / 2,938	192	1 / 2,938
Puerto Rico	3,726**	187**	1 / 19,925	187**	1 / 19,925	187**	1 / 19,925	187**	1 / 19,925	187**	1 / 19,925	187	1 / 19,925	187	1 / 19,925
Virgin Islands	108**	29	1 / 3,724	29**	1 / 3,724	29**	1 / 3,724	29**	1 / 3,724	29**	1 / 3,724	29	1 / 3,724	29	1 / 3,724
US Total	297,221	91,535		94,071		95,064		96,152		95,438		102,202		100,136	

* Population statistics taken from 2010 U.S. Census

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***No new statistics were provided - Information from previous year