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Data Source: Firearms Tracing System


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(1) Firearm traces are designed to assist law enforcement authorities in conducting investigations by tracking the sale and possession of specific firearms. Law enforcement agencies may request firearms traces for any reason, and those reasons are not necessarily reported to the Federal Government. Not all firearms used in crime are traced and not all firearms traced are used in crime.

(2) Firearms selected for tracing are not chosen for purposes of determining which types, makes or models of firearms are used for illicit purposes. The firearms selected do not constitute a random sample and should not be considered representative of the larger universe of all firearms used by criminals, or any subset of that universe. Firearms are normally traced to the first retail seller, and sources reported for firearms traced do not necessarily represent the sources or methods by which firearms in general are acquired for use in crime.
Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced in Hawaii by Calendar Year

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Office of Strategic Intelligence and Information
Firearm Types with a Hawaii Recovery

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Office of Strategic Intelligence and Information
Top Categories Reported on Firearm Traces with a Hawaii Recovery

- Weapon Offense: 3
- Dangerous Drugs: 2
- Property Crimes: 2
- Simple Assault: 2
- Firearm Under Investigation: 9
- Homicide: 10
- None Provided: 19
- Possession of Weapon: 49

NOTE: There were four additional traces that were associated with other categories.

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Office of Strategic Intelligence and Information
Top 15 Source States for Firearms with a Hawaii Recovery

NOTE: The source state was identified in 53 total traces.

* There were 11 states tied with 1 trace each.

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Time-To-Crime Rates for Firearms with a Hawaii Recovery

1/1/2007-12/31/2007 Hawaii Average Time-to-Crime: 16.20 Years
1/1/2007-12/31/2007 National Average Time-to-Crime: 10.33 Years

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Office of Strategic Intelligence and Information
Top Recovery Cities for Firearms with a Hawaii Recovery

Kailua Kona 5
Waianae 6
Kapa 6
Keaau 7
Pearl City 8
Hilo 8
Honolulu 10
Pahoa 9

NOTE: There were 23 additional municipalities that accounted for 37 other traces. The recovery city could not be determined for four traces.

Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives, Office of Strategic Intelligence and Information
Analytical Criteria Used to Compile the Enclosed Statistics

- **Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced**
  - Includes traces with a recovery state of Hawaii, or, if the recovery state was not provided, the requesting agency had jurisdiction only within Hawaii.
  - Includes Guns Recovered and Traced Between 1/1/2007 – 12/31/2007, or if the recovery date was blank, the trace entry date was between 1/1/2007 – 12/31/2007.
  - Duplicate traces, Firearms Not Recovered, Gun Buy Back and Firearms Turned In are not included in this figure.

- **Firearm Types with a Hawaii Recovery**
  - Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.

- **Top Categories Reported on Firearm Traces with a Hawaii Recovery**
  - Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.

- **Top Source States for Firearms with a Hawaii Recovery**
  - Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.
  - Traces must identify a purchaser and the state in which the final dealer is located.

- **Time-to-Crime Rates for Firearms with a Hawaii Recovery**
  - Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.
  - Time-to-Crime was calculated for those traces in which the purchase date could be subtracted from the recovery date.

- **Top Recovery Cities for Firearms with a Hawaii Recovery**
  - Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.
  - Includes traces with a recovery city, or, if the recovery city was not provided, the requesting agency had jurisdiction only within that city.

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