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Table 3.109.2004

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(2004 estimated population)

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TOTAL ALL AGENCIES										
12,901 agencies; total population 259,392,988:										
2003	1,274,308	15,267	82,883	389,456	786,702	9,449,509	1,942,405	6,331,568	1,175,536	68,667
2004	1,251,972	14,679	82,559	375,537	779,197	9,296,738	1,920,400	6,227,507	1,148,831	64,264
Percent change	-1.8	-3.9	-0.4	-3.6	-1.0	-1.6	-1.1	-1.6	-2.3	-6.4
TOTAL CITIES										
9,089 cities; total population 174,519,351:										
2003	1,019,554	12,138	61,217	344,016	602,183	7,478,324	1,431,134	5,089,747	957,443	50,543
2004	1,000,426	11,516	61,241	331,310	596,359	7,344,699	1,420,672	4,993,963	930,064	47,103
Percent change	-1.9	-5.1	(a)	-3.7	-1.0	-1.8	-0.7	-1.9	-2.9	-6.8
Group I										
69 cities, 250,000 and over; population 52,625,671:										
2003	509,136	6,949	21,256	200,835	280,096	2,701,500	521,699	1,697,077	482,724	21,263
2004	492,798	6,605	21,016	189,843	275,334	2,613,044	510,763	1,638,819	463,462	19,597
Percent change	-3.2	-5.0	-1.1	-5.5	-1.7	-3.3	-2.1	-3.4	-4.0	-7.8
10 cities, 1,000,000 and over; population 24,789,640:										
2003	240,927	3,094	7,188	99,750	130,895	1,022,286	190,158	640,224	191,904	7,367
2004	227,942	2,875	7,201	93,100	124,766	996,170	187,227	625,397	183,546	6,499
Percent change	-5.4	-7.1	0.2	-6.7	-4.7	-2.6	-1.5	-2.3	-4.4	-11.8
22 cities, 500,000 to 999,999; population 14,642,880:										
2003	140,435	2,039	7,068	52,626	78,702	904,784	178,001	572,165	154,618	6,733
2004	135,783	1,992	6,857	49,635	77,299	873,933	172,900	550,367	150,666	6,551
Percent change	-3.3	-2.3	-3.0	-5.7	-1.8	-3.4	-2.9	-3.8	-2.6	-2.7
37 cities, 250,000 to 499,999; population 13,193,151:										
2003	127,774	1,816	7,000	48,459	70,499	774,430	153,540	484,688	136,202	7,163
2004	129,073	1,738	6,958	47,108	73,269	742,941	150,636	463,055	129,250	6,547
Percent change	1.0	-4.3	-0.6	-2.8	3.9	-4.1	-1.9	-4.5	-5.1	-8.6
Group II										
173 cities, 100,000 to 249,999; population 25,856,140:										
2003	155,828	1,985	9,756	53,023	91,064	1,257,427	247,533	841,648	168,246	8,373
2004	153,602	1,815	9,927	51,864	89,996	1,230,021	244,919	820,886	164,216	7,443
Percent change	-1.4	-8.6	1.8	-2.2	-1.2	-2.2	-1.1	-2.5	-2.4	-11.1
Group III										
389 cities, 50,000 to 99,999; population 26,826,858:										
2003	123,377	1,201	9,429	37,401	75,346	1,060,682	206,304	733,589	120,789	6,935
2004	122,869	1,148	9,340	37,510	74,871	1,055,479	210,137	726,277	119,065	6,533
Percent change	-0.4	-4.4	-0.9	0.3	-0.6	-0.5	1.9	-1.0	-1.4	-5.8
Group IV										
705 cities, 25,000 to 49,999; population 24,507,326:										
2003	89,653	811	7,946	24,190	56,706	888,239	168,299	639,419	80,521	5,451
2004	90,512	828	8,071	24,194	57,419	881,000	167,679	633,360	79,961	5,280
Percent change	1.0	2.1	1.6	(a)	1.3	-0.8	-0.4	-0.9	-0.7	-3.1
Group V										
1,569 cities, 10,000 to 24,999; population 24,790,545:										
2003	76,617	660	7,040	18,098	50,819	837,701	154,475	621,858	61,368	4,568
2004	75,759	652	7,142	17,492	50,473	837,339	155,423	621,517	60,399	4,315
Percent change	-1.1	-1.2	1.4	-3.3	-0.7	(a)	0.6	-0.1	-1.6	-5.5
Group VI										
6,184 cities, under 10,000; population 19,912,811:										
2003	64,943	532	5,790	10,469	48,152	732,775	132,824	556,156	43,795	3,953
2004	64,886	468	5,745	10,407	48,266	727,816	131,751	553,104	42,961	3,935
Percent change	-0.1	-12.0	-0.8	-0.6	0.2	-0.7	-0.8	-0.5	-1.9	-0.5

See notes at end of table.

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METROPOLITAN COUNTIES										
1,576 agencies; population 61,332,432:										
2003	205,247	2,347	16,147	41,810	144,943	1,568,064	378,954	1,002,159	186,951	14,347
2004	201,874	2,391	15,852	40,853	142,778	1,553,379	370,803	995,017	187,559	13,515
Percent change	-1.6	1.9	-1.8	-2.3	-1.5	-0.9	-2.2	-0.7	0.3	-5.8
NONMETROPOLITAN COUNTIES^b										
2,236 agencies; population 23,541,205:										
2003	49,507	782	5,519	3,630	39,576	403,121	132,317	239,662	31,142	3,777
2004	49,672	772	5,466	3,374	40,060	398,660	128,925	238,527	31,208	3,646
Percent change	0.3	-1.3	-1.0	-7.1	1.2	-1.1	-2.6	-0.5	0.2	-3.5
SUBURBAN AREAS^c										
6,825 agencies; population 109,882,014:										
2003	343,591	3,492	28,106	77,194	234,799	3,108,179	654,892	2,130,082	323,205	23,251
2004	340,971	3,494	27,884	75,965	233,628	3,083,721	644,098	2,118,010	321,613	22,004
Percent change	-0.8	0.1	-0.8	-1.6	-0.5	-0.8	-1.6	-0.6	-0.5	-5.4

Note: See Note, table 3.106.2004. These data represent all law enforcement agencies submitting complete reports for at least 6 common months in 2003 and 2004 (Source, p. 500). Forcible rape figures furnished by the State-level Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program administered by the Illinois Department of State Police for 2003 and 2004 were not in accordance with national UCR guidelines and were excluded by the Source from the forcible rape and violent crime categories. Complete data were not available for Illinois for 2003 and 2004, and Kentucky for 2003. Crime counts for these States were estimated by the Source. Due to changes in reporting practices, agencies in Arkansas were excluded. For definitions of offenses and areas, see Appendix 3.

^aLess than 0.1%.

^bIncludes State police agencies with no county breakdown.

^cIncludes law enforcement agencies in cities with less than 50,000 inhabitants and county law enforcement agencies that are within a Metropolitan Statistical Area; excludes all metropolitan agencies associated with a principal city. The agencies associated with suburban areas also will appear in other groups within this table.

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, *Crime in the United States, 2004* (Washington, DC: USGPO, 2005), pp. 243, 244. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.