

Table 1.48

**Semiautomatic sidearms authorized for use by sworn personnel in sheriffs' offices**

By size of population served, United States, 2000

Population served	Percent of agencies authorizing semiautomatic sidearms					
	Any type	.40 caliber	9mm	.45 caliber	.380 caliber	10mm
All sizes	97%	73%	65%	59%	38%	32%
1,000,000 or more	97	56	76	69	53	22
500,000 to 999,999	96	63	67	52	30	24
250,000 to 499,999	97	73	78	62	53	42
100,000 to 249,999	99	75	74	63	54	41
50,000 to 99,999	98	82	68	56	43	37
25,000 to 49,999	99	81	61	62	41	33
10,000 to 24,999	96	72	65	57	32	31
Less than 10,000	98	64	60	60	31	27

Note: See Note, [table 1.33](#).

Source: U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Sheriffs' Offices 2000*, NCJ 196534 (Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, 2003), p. 18, Table 37.