

Table 1.65

**Mean and per capita police department personnel expenditures in cities with populations of 10,000 or more**

By population group, geographic division, and metro status, United States, 2003

	Number of cities reporting	Expenditures for police department personnel <sup>a</sup>	
		Mean expenditure	Per capita expenditure
Total, all cities	993	\$8,009,679	\$154.89
<u>Population group</u>			
Over 1,000,000	4	331,809,762	244.76
500,000 to 1,000,000	2	150,608,191	250.45
250,000 to 499,999	10	68,476,377	188.65
100,000 to 249,999	64	25,153,769	166.35
50,000 to 99,999	130	11,257,358	163.04
25,000 to 49,999	249	5,081,479	146.35
10,000 to 24,999	534	2,437,841	153.86
<u>Geographic division</u>			
New England	45	3,872,015	167.39
Mid-Atlantic	94	11,600,310	166.56
East North Central	158	5,744,321	162.56
West North Central	125	5,505,043	120.24
South Atlantic	184	7,128,261	190.08
East South Central	46	7,809,448	143.17
West South Central	145	6,956,330	124.48
Mountain	72	15,112,004	144.35
Pacific Coast	124	10,690,662	160.52
<u>Metro status</u>			
Central	195	22,903,008	163.36
Suburban	562	5,147,802	161.24
Independent	236	2,518,900	132.78

Note: See Note, [table 1.64](#). For definitions of terms, a list of States in regions, and detail of survey response rates, see [Appendix 2](#).

<sup>a</sup>Personnel expenditures include salaries and wages for all department personnel (civilian and uniformed), as well as contributions for Social Security; employee retirement programs; and health, hospitalization, disability, and life insurance programs.

Source: Evelina R. Moulder, "Police and Fire Personnel, Salaries, and Expenditures for 2003," in *The Municipal Year Book 2004* (Washington, DC: International City/County Management Association, 2004), p. 130, Table 3/12. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff. Reprinted by permission.