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rizona	34,746	136,427	564	239,051	********	
rkansas	24,156,417	1,269,730	2,210,822	1,952	22,387	54
difornia	1,993,325	29,017,707	1,341,271	12,579,561	181,681	22,30
olorado	455,968	1,425,014	640,900	107,116	19,465	11
onnecticut	1,880,421	38,742	1,000,706	12,286	370,733	137,56
akota	2,000,864	2,830,280	2,217,132	277,424	24,359	2,52
elaware	3,894,264	1,175,272	378,508	523	5,953	
strict of Columbia	29,750	6,402		3-3	3,704	5,85
orida	3,174,234	422	7,440 468,112	210	2,965	******
orgia	23,202,018	3,159,771	5,548,743	18,662	101,716	
aho	16,408	540,580	462,236	274,750		40
nois	325,792,481	51,110,502	63,180,200		4,341	*******
liana	115,482,300	47,284,853	15,599,518	1,229,523	3,121,785	178,85
va	275,024,247		50,610,501	382,835	303,105	89,70
nsas		31,154,205	8,180,385	4,022,588	1,518,605	166,89
ntucky	105,729,325	17,324,141		300,273 486,326	413,181 668,050	24,42
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ine	9,906,189	5,034	229,840		1,013	
	960,633	665,714	2,265,575	242,185	26,398	382,70
rylandssachusetts	15,968,533	8,004,864	1,794,872	6,097	288,067	136,66
	1,797,593	15,768	645,159	80,128	213,716	67,11
chigan	32,461,452	35,532,543	18,190,793	1,204,316	294,918	413,00
nnesota	14,831,741	34,601,030	23,382,158	2,972,965	215,245	41,75
ssissippi	21,340,800	218,890	1,959,620	348	5,134	
souri	202,485,723	24,966,627	20,670,958	123,031	535,426	57,64
ntana	5,649	469,688	900,915	39,970	430	43
oraska	65,450,135	13,847,007	6,555,875	1,744,686	424,348	17,56
rada	12,891	69,298	186,860	513,470		-/,5-
w Hampshire	1,350,248	169,316	1,017,620	77,877	34,638	94,09
w Jersey	11,150,705	1,901,739	3,710,573	4,001	949,064	466,41
v Mexico	633,786	706,641	156,527	50,053	240	400,41
w York	25,875,480	11,587,766	37,575,506	7,792,062	2,634,690	4,461,20
th Carolina	28,019,839	3,397,393	3,838,068	2,421	285,160	44,66
0	111,877,124	46,014,869	28,664,505	1.707,129	389,221	280,22
gon	126,862	7,480,010	4,385,650	920,977	13,305	
nsylvania	45,821,531	19,462,405	33,841,439	438,100	3,683,621	6,21
ode Island	372,967	240	159,339	17,783		3,593,32
th Carolina	11,767,000	962,358	2,715,505	16,257	12,997	1,25
nessee	62,764,429	7,331,353	4,722,190	30,019	27,049	••••••
as	29,065,172	2,567,760	4,893,359	72,786	156,419	33,43
h	163,342	1,169,199	418,082	217,140	25,399	53
mont	2,014,271	337,257	3,742,282	267,625	9,605	
inia	29,106,661	7,822,504	5,333,181	14,223	71,733	356,61
shington	39,183	1,021,322	1,571,706	566,537	324,431	136,00
st Virginia	14,000,600	4,001,711	1,908,505		7,124	2,49
consin	34,230,579	24,884,689	32,905,320	9,740	113,181	285,29
oming	341-3-1379	4,674		5,043,118	2,298,513	299,10
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Total United States	1,754,861,535	459,479,505	407,858,999	44,113,405	19,831,595	11,817,32