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State	Week Ending					
	Feb 25	Mar 4	Mar 11	Mar 18	Mar 25	Apr 1
	1,000					
AL	25,628	25,566	25,375	25,718	25,807	25,262
AR	28,450	28,644	29,033	28,741	27,989	28,533
DE	4,665	4,686	4,713	4,552	4,502	4,706
FL	*2,661	*2,690	*2,732	*2,694	*2,653	2,682
GA	*26,784	*26,922	*26,841	26,721	*28,014	27,316
MD	8,690	8,747	8,817	8,818	8,706	8,925
MS	14,794	14,968	15,089	14,998	14,566	15,186
NC	*17,564	*17,674	*17,453	17,985	17,234	17,920
PA	3,322	3,211	3,125	3,201	*3,261	3,387
SC	4,366	4,362	4,338	4,145	4,248	4,239
TX	10,766	10,933	10,994	10,981	10,948	10,983
VA	6,447	6,525	6,511	*6,519	6,313	6,532
CA, TN, & WV	9,451	9,574	9,864	9,886	9,529	8,890
1995 Total	*163,588	*164,502	*164,885	*164,959	*163,770	164,561
1994 Total	157,780	157,660	158,323	158,683	157,181	158,118
% of Prev Yr	104	104	104	104	104	104

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DE	4,628	5,311	5,813	5,980	5,001	5,273
FL	2,616	2,851	2,687	*2,576	*2,815	2,552
GA	*20,928	*20,819	21,199	21,742	*22,070	22,412
MD	6,173	6,003	5,941	5,800	6,277	5,550
MS	13,013	11,961	12,545	12,887	13,187	13,383
NC	13,137	13,311	13,951	14,038	14,234	14,484
PA	2,272	2,443	2,507	2,505	*2,527	2,483
SC	3,566	3,298	3,685	3,623	*3,495	3,050
TX	7,202	7,948	8,002	8,079	8,173	8,377
VA	5,074	5,239	5,283	*5,010	5,652	5,586
CA, TN, & WV	8,440	9,243	9,681	*9,346	9,611	9,408
1995 Total	*128,297	*129,246	131,415	*133,816	*133,888	134,312
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