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| AL | 23,960 | 24,262 | *22,095 | 24,061 | 23,340 | 23,353 |
| AR | 28,552 | 28,144 | 27,940 | 29,552 | 28,867 | 28,853 |
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| FL | 2,871 | 2,823 | 2,929 | 2,947 | 2,727 | 2,851 |
| GA | 24,586 | 27,395 | *26,415 | 28,213 | *28,102 | 27,202 |
| MD | 8,591 | 8,303 | 8,518 | 8,545 | 8,653 | 8,534 |
| MS | 14,937 | 13,913 | 13,664 | 14,605 | 15,162 | 14,566 |
| NC | 16,681 | 15,641 | 17,068 | 17,108 | 17,290 | 16,646 |
| PA | 3,044 | 3,166 | 3,183 | 3,224 | 3,057 | 3,360 |
| SC | 4,352 | 4,354 | 4,152 | 4,307 | 4,368 | 4,397 |
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| VA | 6,330 | 5,981 | 6,169 | 6,249 | 6,493 | 6,207 |
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| 1994 Total | 151,563 | 146,751 | 145,038 | 157,323 | 157,301 | 149,865 |
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| GA | 21,257 | 21,579 | 21,627 | 19,795 | *21,735 | 21,340 |
| MD | 5,494 | 6,453 | 5,903 | 4,976 | 5,709 | 5,776 |
| MS | 12,833 | 12,761 | 12,734 | 12,637 | 12,032 | 11,943 |
| NC | 13,944 | 13,564 | 13,985 | 13,173 | 12,499 | 13,295 |
| PA | 2,389 | 2,197 | 2,362 | 2,378 | 2,476 | 2,378 |
| SC | 3,641 | 3,144 | 3,199 | 3,445 | 3,418 | 3,236 |
| TX | 8,113 | 8,035 | *8,220 | *8,028 | *7,510 | 7,420 |
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