

MOTOR VEHICLES

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STATE MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS: 1998

State or other jurisdiction	(a) Automobiles	(a,b) Buses	Trucks	(a) Motorcycles	Total registrations		Percentage change
					1996	1998	
United States	131,838,538*	715,540*	79,062,475*	3,879,450	210,236,393*	215,496,003*	2.4
Alabama	2,062,734	8,641	1,787,553	44,540	3,360,389	3,903,468	13.9
Alaska	232,170	2,196	311,499	13,695	544,139	559,560	2.8
Arizona	1,728,185	4,454	1,211,377	54,373	3,054,396	2,998,389	-1.9
Arkansas	928,958	5,995	819,262	21,070	1,649,833	1,775,285	7.1
California	16,174,220	45,426	9,380,604	403,971	25,727,755	26,004,221	1.1
Colorado	1,843,385	5,720	1,616,989	97,236	3,527,504	3,563,330	1.1
Connecticut	1,998,457	9,739	692,437 (c)	50,594	2,657,159	2,751,227	3.4
Delaware	416,709	2,011	197,772	10,174	602,992	626,666	3.8
Florida	7,437,597	43,077	3,795,715	221,966	11,091,930	11,498,355	3.6
Georgia	4,032,998	17,068	2,843,253	85,552	6,356,164	6,978,871	9
Hawaii	449,731	4,107	249,998	20,445	811,031	724,281	-11.9
Idaho	501,509	3,604	613,780	34,530	1,095,159	1,153,423	5.1
Illinois	6,425,276	17,508	2,863,926	204,225	8,987,967	9,510,935	5.5
Indiana	3,273,026	25,905	2,072,722	102,848	5,312,090	5,474,501	3
Iowa	1,737,582	8,103	1,307,450	128,540	3,001,296	3,181,675	5.7
Kansas	1,127,367	3,804	990,239	47,634	2,158,649	2,169,044	0.5
Kentucky	1,715,524	12,034	1,117,054	39,901	2,732,588	2,884,513	5.3
Louisiana	1,966,954	20,926	1,442,837	39,638	3,334,328	3,470,355	4
Maine	565,338	2,899	361,368	28,117	985,427	957,722	-2.8
Maryland	2,621,923	11,736	1,116,616	42,636	3,672,515	3,792,911	3.2
Massachusetts	3,782,940	11,554	1,364,674	99,583	4,793,293	5,258,751	8.9
Michigan	5,104,781	25,142	2,998,227	154,358	8,160,367	8,282,508	1.5
Minnesota	2,412,412	14,719	1,750,710	128,097	3,977,083	4,305,938	7.7
Mississippi	1,250,200	10,185	995,359	31,138	2,211,889	2,286,882	3.3
Missouri	2,600,722	13,166	1,763,632	53,653	4,404,558	4,431,173	0.7
Montana	458,116	2,798	527,363	21,582	993,942	1,009,859	1.6
Nebraska	834,188	5,559	686,251	18,662	1,497,154	1,544,660	3.1
Nevada	665,940	1,706	552,631	24,709	1,118,147	1,244,986	10.2
New Hampshire	687,770	1,735	348,960 (c)	46,040	1,164,003	1,084,505	-7.3
New Jersey	4,215,195	19,581	1,545,560 (c)	100,564	5,913,531	5,880,900	-0.5
New Mexico	821,031	3,632	770,129	32,364	1,576,211	1,627,156	3.2
New York	7,664,320	48,636	2,709,077 (c)	138,846	10,771,848	10,560,879	-1.9
North Carolina	3,530,711	30,739	2,300,380	75,002	5,827,089	5,936,832	1.9
North Dakota	330,275	2,299	339,584	16,167	695,441	688,325	-1
Ohio	6,664,356	35,530	3,339,602	229,306	9,990,203	10,268,794	2.8
Oklahoma	1,548,949	15,935	1,354,302	53,326	3,140,933	2,972,512	-5.6
Oregon	1,588,313	12,755	1,378,996	64,506	2,911,889	3,044,570	4.4
Pennsylvania	6,131,725	35,309	2,811,780 (c)	191,073	8,758,765	9,169,887	4.5
Rhode Island	522,292	1,831	190,894 (c)	17,673	712,976	732,690	2.7
South Carolina	1,822,640	15,399	1,055,022	41,116	2,829,794	2,934,177	3.6
South Dakota	381,752	2,696	384,059	25,210	775,805	793,717	2.3
Tennessee	2,695,539	17,576	1,755,950	59,620	4,909,351	4,528,685	-8.4
Texas	7,455,714	80,091	5,788,362	149,175	13,635,683	13,473,342	-1.2
Utah	850,487	1,232	680,534	24,470	1,468,259	1,556,723	5.7
Vermont	295,664	1,931	198,558	16,684	521,395	512,837	-1.6
Virginia	3,774,372	17,783	2,026,139	57,582	5,633,643	5,875,876	4.2
Washington	2,776,482	9,088	2,038,417	106,352	4,707,100	4,930,339	4.6
West Virginia	776,583	3,299	597,953	22,496	1,422,360	1,400,331	-1.5
Wisconsin	2,544,109	13,438	1,645,772	170,329	4,141,144	4,373,648	5.4
Wyoming	219,220	2,661	337,110	15,799	577,002	574,790	-0.3
Dist. of Columbia	192,097	2,582	34,037	1,562	239,015	230,278	-3.7
Puerto Rico	1,962,378	3,418	27,869	33,502	N.A.	2,027,167	N.A.

Source: Federal Highway Administration. U.S. Department of Transportation (1998). Compiled for the calendar year ending Dec. 31, 1998 from reports of state authorities.

*Figures do not include Puerto Rico.

N.A. = Not available

(a) Includes federal, state, county and municipal vehicles. Vehicles owned by the military services are not included.

(b) The numbers of private and commercial buses given here are estimates by the Federal Highway Administration of the numbers in operation, rather than registration counts of the states.

(c) The following farm trucks, registered at a nominal fee and restricted to use in the vicinity of the owner's farm, are not included in this table:

Connecticut, 5,546; New Hampshire, 5,163; New Jersey, 6,730; New York, 30,509; Pennsylvania, 22,852; and Rhode Island, 1,137.