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National

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2008	1,909,620	9.0	6.4	7,107,000	6.0	4.5	14.1	2,943,996	16.5	14.8	4,916,523	14.9
2007	1,953,242	9.1	6.4	7,526,585	6.2	4.5	13.9	3,058,130	16.4	14.9	4,759,588	15.0
2006	1,842,970	9.2	6.6	7,192,043	6.4	4.7	13.8	2,945,212	16.4	14.8	4,521,591	14.0
2005	1,641,264	9.4	6.6	6,709,486	6.4	4.8	13.9	2,869,075	16.1	14.7	4,381,087	13.6
2004	1,630,186	9.3	6.8	6,582,905	6.4	4.7	14.1	2,814,475	16.1	14.8	4,364,901	13.5
2003	1,505,016	9.0	7.2	6,003,860	6.4	5.0	13.9	2,576,591	15.8	14.7	3,600,353	13.4
2002	1,254,683	9.0	7.6	5,060,321	6.3	5.5	13.5	2,139,100	15.4	14.3	3,421,187	13.0
2001	1,217,626	9.0	8.0	4,390,867	6.3	5.4	12.9	1,814,873	15.1	13.1	3,116,606	13.4
2000	1,235,686	8.9	8.3	4,617,585	6.0	5.4	12.8	1,932,131	15.2	13.2	3,217,568	13.7
1999	1,301,847	8.9	8.4	5,149,796	5.9	5.7	12.3	2,187,151	15.0	12.7	3,645,746	14.5

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1998	1,307,687	8.9	8.5	5,365,056	6.0	5.9	12.0	2,320,924	14.9	12.2	3,864,299	14.5
1997	1,199,049	8.8	8.5	5,389,269	6.1	5.9	11.7	2,396,884	14.6	11.6	3,925,299	14.5
1996	1,277,355	8.7	8.7	5,624,304	6.2	6.0	11.4	2,479,125	14.4	11.4	4,158,251	15.3
1995	1,289,474	9.0	8.6	5,497,483	6.6	6.0	11.2	2,372,868	14.1	11.0	4,125,108	15.9
1994	1,270,449	9.2	8.5	5,192,014	6.8	6.2	11.2	2,168,677	13.9	10.9	3,855,156	15.8
1993	1,061,208	9.2	8.4	4,566,496	6.8	6.7	11.0	1,857,797	13.6	10.7	3,368,409	16.1
1992	962,937	9.3	8.4	4,189,029	6.9	6.9	10.9	1,585,600	13.5	10.6	3,016,330	15.9
1991	1,020,919	9.4	8.3	3,977,097	7.1	7.3	10.5	1,403,114	13.0	10.0	2,748,979	16.3
1990	958,828	9.2	8.2	3,329,394	7.4	7.5	10.6	1,156,421	13.1	10.0	2,362,182	16.3
1989	826,736	9.1	8.1	3,106,714	7.4	7.4	10.4	1,115,794	12.9	9.6	2,111,468	15.6

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1988	532,664	9.5	7.8	1,903,637	7.8	7.8	9.1	676,741	12.1	8.4	1,380,353	14.8
1987	444,229	9.9	7.5	1,668,076	8.2	8.1	9.2	585,297	11.9	8.2	1,217,664	14.5
1986	367,997	9.9	7.6	1,512,514	8.5	8.0	9.4	538,821	12.0	8.4	1,127,586	15.0
1985	313,159	10.0	7.4	1,262,066	8.4	8.3	9.3	473,634	11.9	8.2	966,479	15.9
1984	249,655	10.0	7.6	989,258	8.6	7.9	8.8	368,151	12.0	7.6	770,212	16.6
1983	217,314	10.3	7.6	808,045	9.4	8.0	8.8	282,979	12.1	7.7	619,567	17.9
1982	168,673	10.2	7.8	617,201	9.8	7.7	9.1	227,461	12.7	8.1	466,815	18.1
1981	119,475	10.5	7.9	493,366	9.7	7.5	9.8	184,223	13.0	8.5	371,131	19.5
1980	124,800	10.0	8.5	518,312	8.8	7.2	10.0	214,369	13.0	8.6	432,280	18.1
1979	67,299	10.1	8.2	270,921	8.5	6.8	10.0	113,329	12.8	8.3	240,211	16.8

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1978	48,187	10.0	8.3	207,748	8.7	7.3	9.8	84,956	12.6	8.2	177,846	18.9
1977	40,767	10.2	8.6	170,103	9.0	7.7	10.7	72,267	12.8	8.4	146,205	18.6
1976	26,045	9.6	8.7	121,153	9.3	7.1	12.0	53,521	13.4	9.6	114,145	16.4
1975	20,728	9.7	8.4	85,611	10.5	7.8	12.5	33,864	13.5	10.3	81,821	19.3
1974	10,309	9.8	9.1	34,099	11.7	8.8	12.7	12,897	14.2	10.5	36,301	22.4
1973	195	9.7	11.8	11,078	8.7	8.4	10.2	7,375	10.2	6.6	10,884	31.0

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