

National Tracing Center Trace Request



Part II - Crime Code Information

2a. NCIC Crime Code\*\*:

Part III - ATF Agent Requesting Trace

3a. Organization Code\*  
3b. Phone Number:  
Fax Number:  
E-Mail:  
3c. ATF Sp...  
3d. Badge Number  
3e. ATF Case Number  
3f. Field Office

Part IV - Other Agency Requesting Trace

4a. ORI Number\*  
4b. Phone Number:  
Fax Number:  
E-Mail:  
4c. Other Agency Off...  
4d. Badge Number  
4e. Other Agency Case Number  
4f. Department/Unit

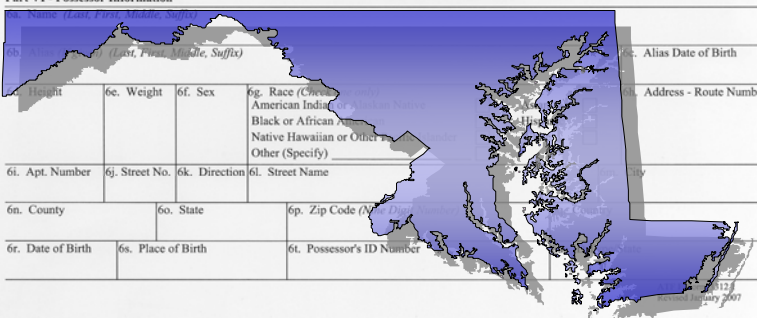
4g. Mailing Address

Part V - Firearms Information

5a. Serial Number\* (From Frame or Receiver)  
5b. Obliterated (If yes, complete Part IX) Yes  No   
5c. Firearms Manufactur...  
5d. Type\*  
5e. Caliber\*  
5f. Model\*  
5g. Country of Origin\* (Importer required if other than U.S.)  
5h. Importer\*  
5i. Additional Markings

Part VI - Possessor Information

6a. Name (Last, First, Middle, Suffix)  
6b. (Last, First, Middle, Suffix)  
6c. Alias Date of Birth  
6d. Address - Route Number  
6e. Weight  
6f. Sex  
6g. Race (Caucasian, American Indian, Black or African, Native Hawaiian or Other, Other (Specify))  
6h. Apt. Number  
6i. Street No.  
6j. Direction  
6k. Street Name  
6l. County  
6m. State  
6n. Zip Code (N...)  
6o. Date of Birth  
6p. Place of Birth  
6q. Possessor's ID Number



# Maryland

Department of Justice  
Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco,  
Firearms and Explosives

Office of Strategic Intelligence and Information  
Data Source: Firearms Tracing System

**January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006**



# ***ATF Firearms Trace Data Disclaimer***

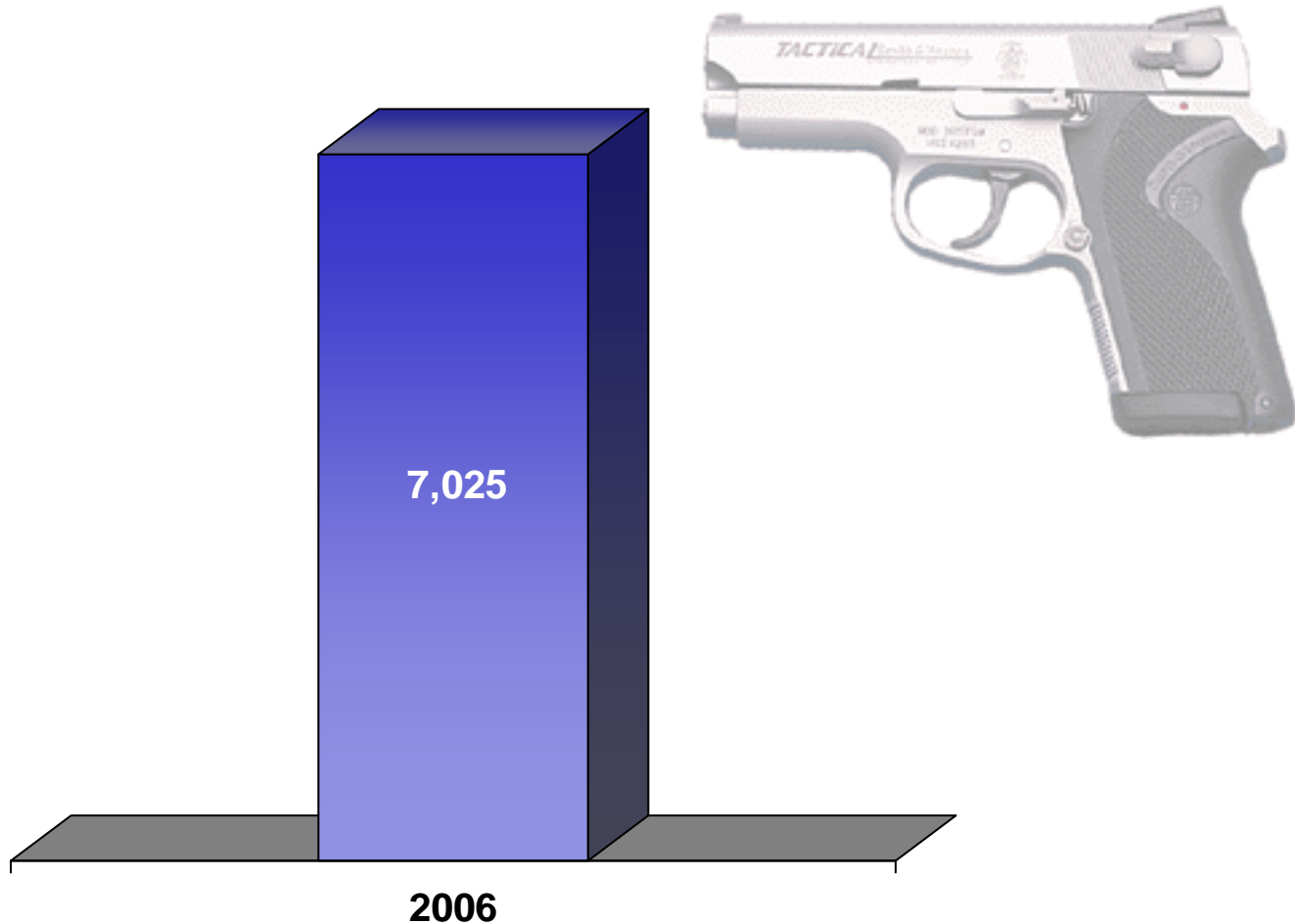


**Public L. No. 109-108, Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2006, SEC. 621**

**(1) Firearm traces are designed to assist law enforcement authorities in conducting investigations by tracking the sale and possession of specific firearms. Law enforcement agencies may request firearms traces for any reason, and those reasons are not necessarily reported to the Federal Government. Not all firearms used in crime are traced and not all firearms traced are used in crime.**

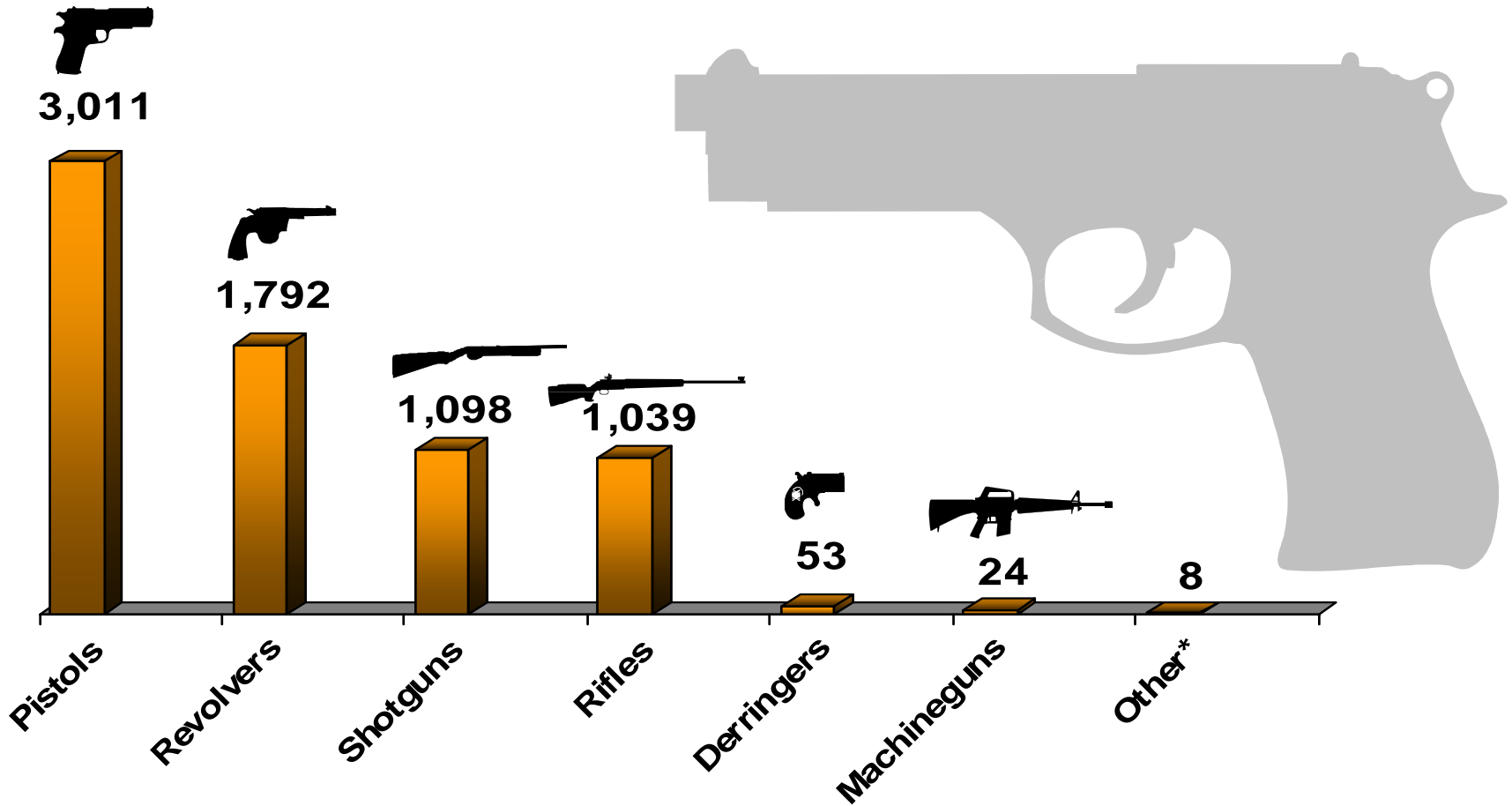
**(2) Firearms selected for tracing are not chosen for purposes of determining which types, makes or models of firearms are used for illicit purposes. The firearms selected do not constitute a random sample and should not be considered representative of the larger universe of all firearms used by criminals, or any subset of that universe. Firearms are normally traced to the first retail seller, and sources reported for firearms traced do not necessarily represent the sources or methods by which firearms in general are acquired for use in crime.**

# ***Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced in Maryland by Calendar Year***



# Firearm Types with a Maryland Recovery

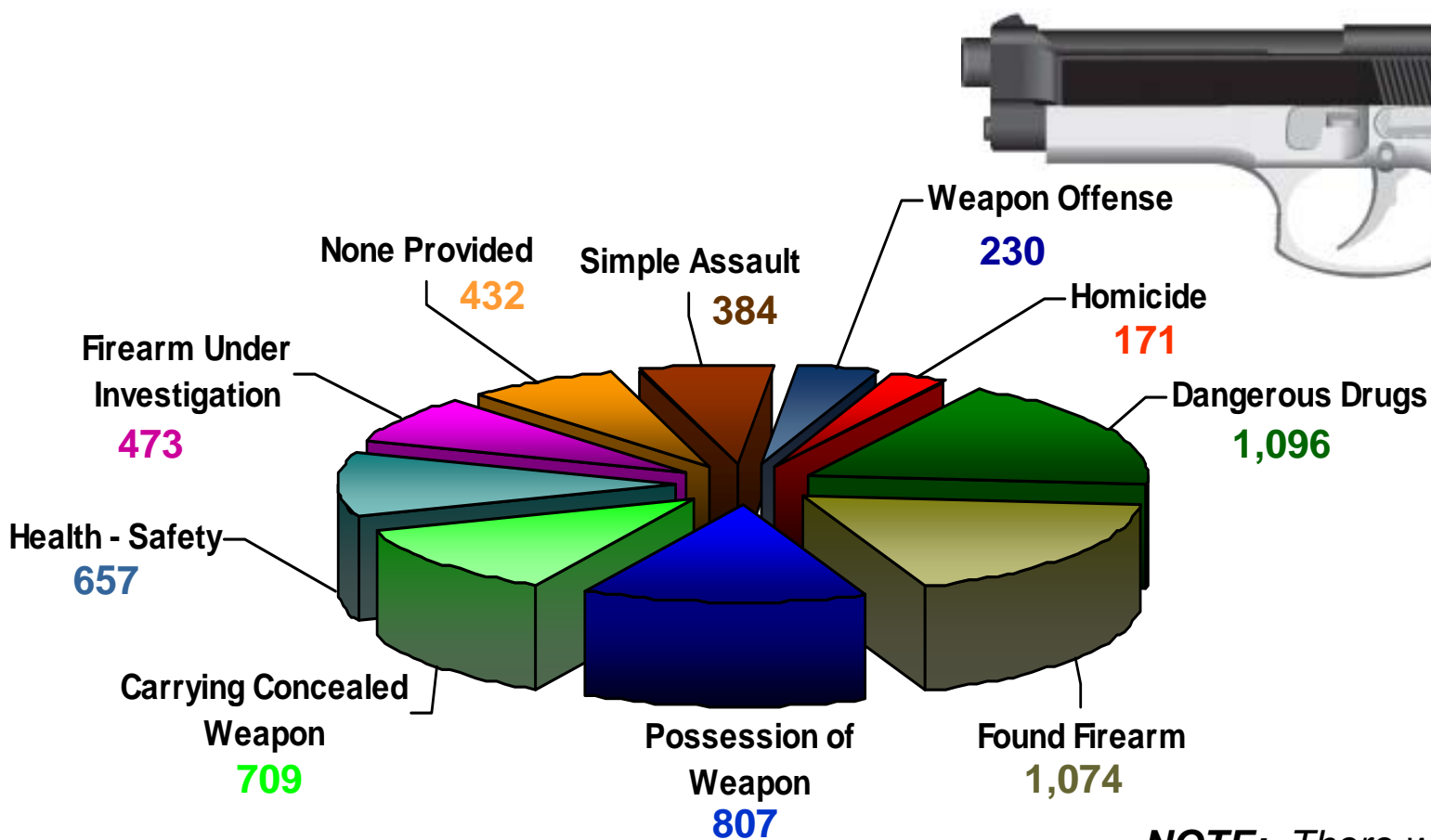
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*\*Other includes Destructive Device, Unknown Type and Combination firearms.*

# Top Categories Reported on Firearm Traces with a Maryland Recovery

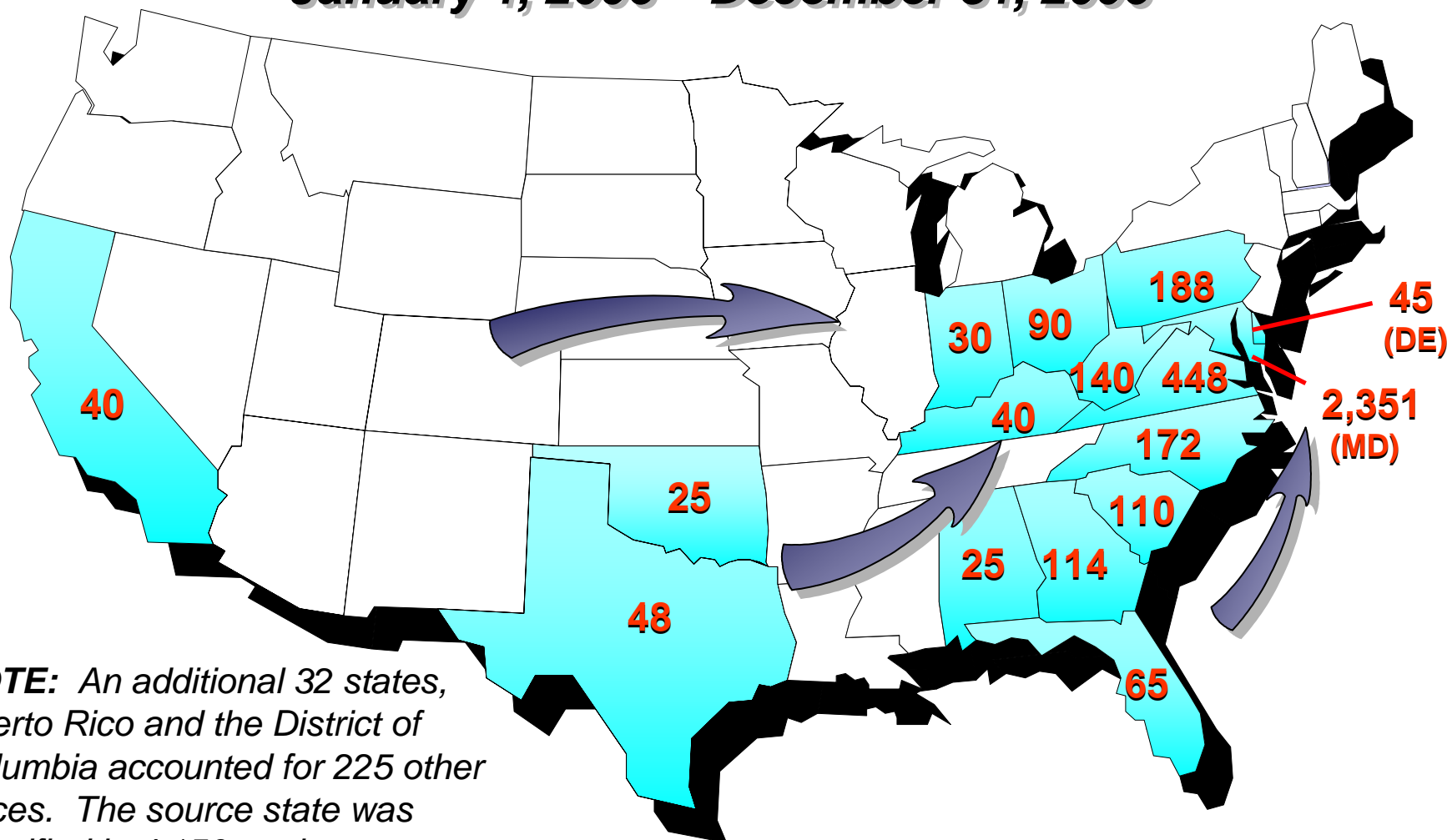
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**NOTE:** There were 992 additional traces that were associated with other categories.

# Top 15 **Source** States for Firearms with a Maryland Recovery

January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

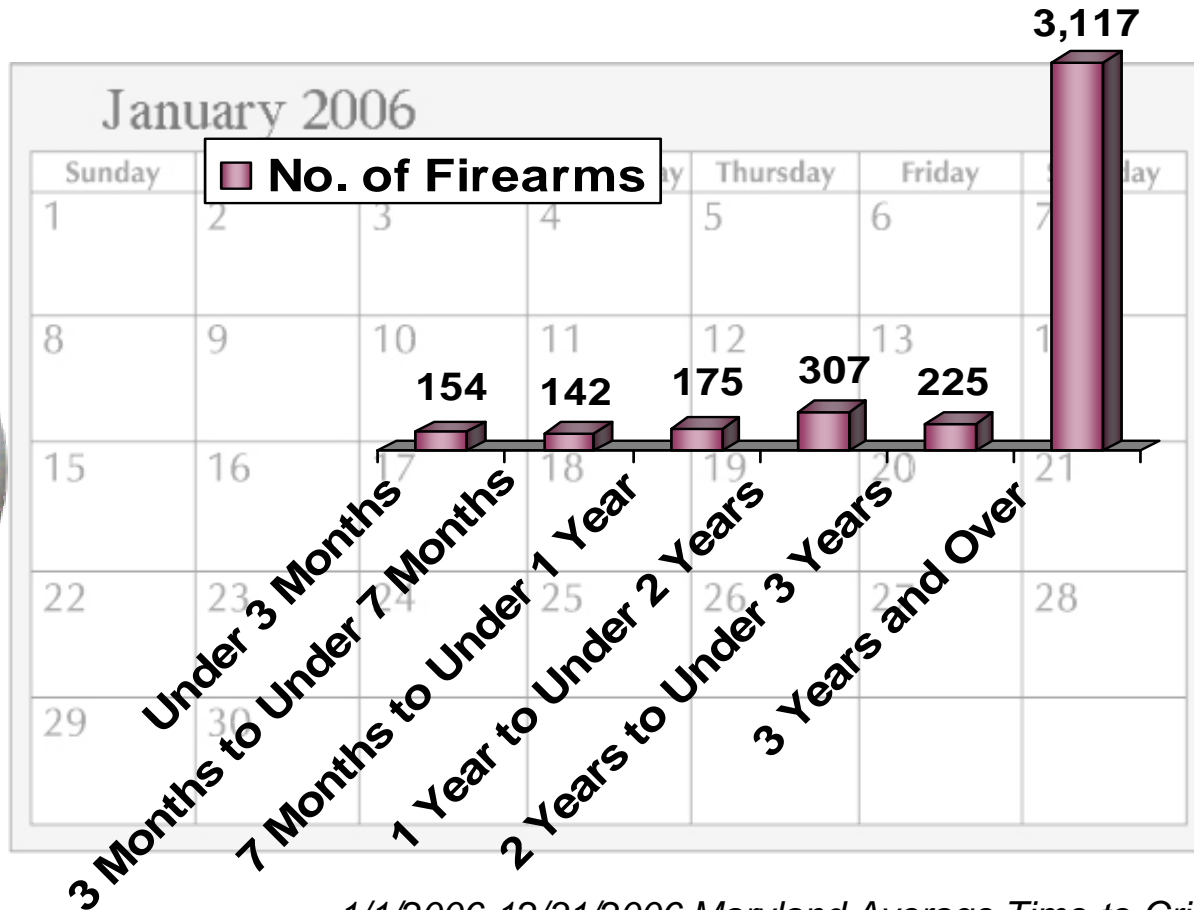


**NOTE:** An additional 32 states, Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia accounted for 225 other traces. The source state was identified in 4,156 total traces.

\* There were 2 states tied with 25 traces each.

# Time-To-Crime Rates for Firearms with a Maryland Recovery

January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006

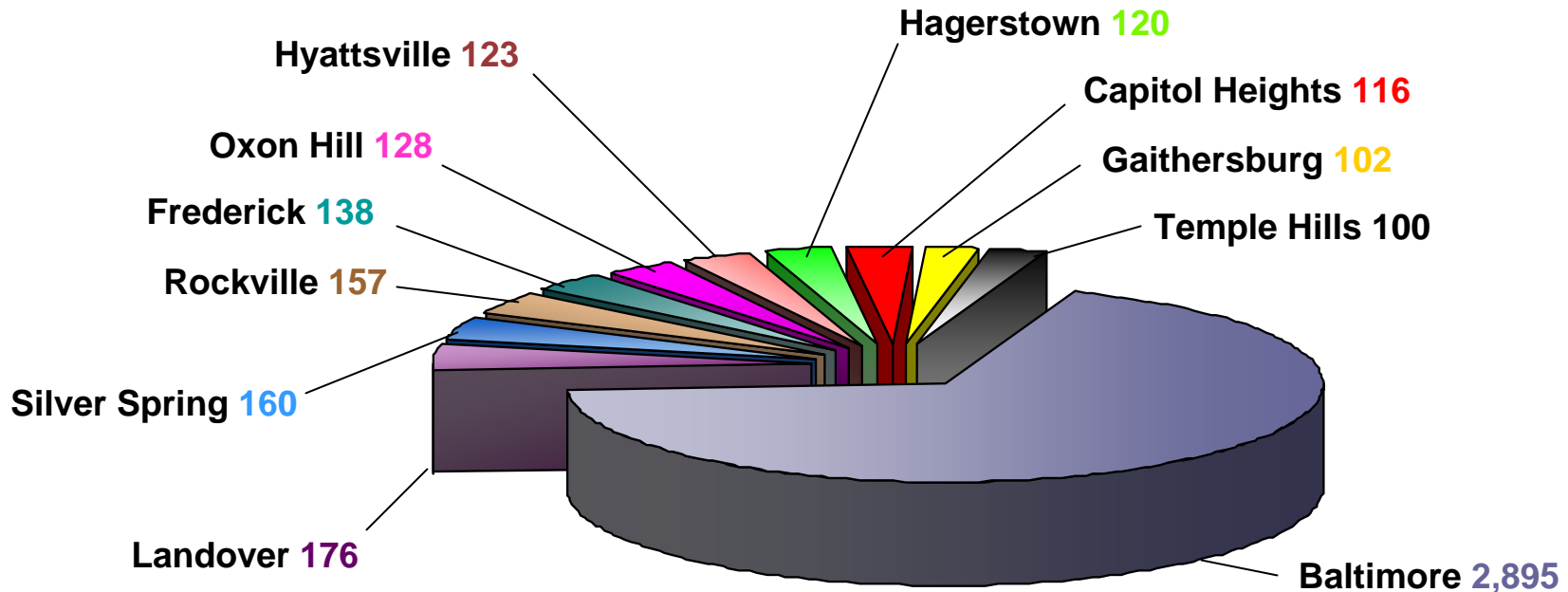


1/1/2006-12/31/2006 Maryland Average Time-to-Crime: **10.95 Years**

1/1/2006-12/31/2006 National Average Time-to-Crime: **10.17 Years**

# ***Top Recovery Cities for Firearms with a Maryland Recovery***

***January 1, 2006 – December 31, 2006***



***NOTE:*** There were 251 additional municipalities that accounted for 2,797 other traces. The recovery city could not be determined for 13 traces.



# ***Analytical Criteria Used to Compile the Enclosed Statistics***

## **● Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced**

- Includes traces with a recovery state of Maryland, or, if the recovery state was not provided, the requesting agency had jurisdiction only within Maryland.
- Includes Guns Recovered and Traced Between 1/1/2006 – 12/31/2006, or if the recovery date was blank, the trace entry date was between 1/1/2006 – 12/31/2006.
- Duplicate traces, Firearms Not Recovered, Gun Buy Back and Firearms Turned In are not included in this figure.

## **● Firearm Types with a Maryland Recovery**

- Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.

## **● Top Categories Reported on Firearm Traces with a Maryland Recovery**

- Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.

## **● Top Source States for Firearms with a Maryland Recovery**

- Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.
- Traces must identify a purchaser and the state in which the final dealer is located.

## **● Time-to-Crime Rates for Firearms with a Maryland Recovery**

- Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.
- Time-to-Crime was calculated for those traces in which the purchase date could be subtracted from the recovery date.

## **● Top Recovery Cities for Firearms with a Maryland Recovery**

- Includes same criteria as Total Number of Firearms Recovered and Traced.
- Includes traces with a recovery city, or, if the recovery city was not provided, the requesting agency had jurisdiction only within that city.