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| Adams | 0 | 19 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 55 |
| Asotin | 0 | 36 | 39 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 24 | 0 | 2 | 108 |
| Columbia | 0 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Garfield | 0 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 12 |
| ...Judicial District | 0 | 41 | 54 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 2 | 133 |
| Benton | 0 | 318 | 362 | 4 | 19 | 4 | 21 | 0 | 158 | 0 | 10 | 896 |
| Franklin | 0 | 139 | 140 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 76 | 0 | 4 | 371 |
| ...Judicial District | 0 | 457 | 502 | 6 | 22 | 4 | 28 | 0 | 234 | 0 | 14 | 1,267 |
| Chelan | 0 | 151 | 161 | 2 | 8 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 95 | 0 | 4 | 427 |
| Clallam | 0 | 90 | 126 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 68 | 0 | 3 | 299 |
| Clark | 0 | 695 | 884 | 12 | 21 | 35 | 82 | 4 | 328 | 0 | 20 | 2,081 |
| Cowlitz | 0 | 149 | 212 | 6 | 5 | 0 | 16 | 3 | 141 | 0 | 9 | 541 |
| Douglas | 0 | 21 | 23 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 2 | 1 | 71 |
| Ferry | 0 | 6 | 16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 32 |
| Pend Oreille | 0 | 14 | 23 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 58 |
| Stevens | 0 | 43 | 73 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 44 | 0 | 2 | 177 |
| ...Judicial District | 0 | 63 | 112 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 68 | 0 | 3 | 267 |
| Grant | 0 | 137 | 159 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 155 | 0 | 2 | 478 |
| Grays Harbor | 0 | 92 | 135 | 1 | 18 | 1 | 14 | 1 | 85 | 0 | 6 | 353 |
| Island | 0 | 119 | 169 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 16 | 1 | 27 | 1 | 2 | 341 |

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| Jefferson | 0 | 20 | 50 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 16 | 0 | 3 | 100 |
| King | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kitsap | 0 | 338 | 552 | 3 | 20 | 5 | 52 | 0 | 231 | 0 | 7 | 1,208 |
| Kittitas | 0 | 45 | 56 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 44 | 0 | 2 | 158 |
| Klickitat | 0 | 27 | 43 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 17 | 0 | 2 | 94 |
| Skamania | 0 | 12 | 14 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 3 | 0 | 43 |
| ...Judicial District | 0 | 39 | 57 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 26 | 3 | 2 | 137 |
| Lewis | 0 | 118 | 161 | 2 | 10 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 111 | 0 | 4 | 419 |
| Lincoln | 0 | 558 | 1,177 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 68 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 1,820 |
| Mason | 0 | 70 | 116 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 88 | 3 | 0 | 304 |
| Okanogan | 0 | 63 | 63 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 52 | 0 | 0 | 188 |
| Pacific | 0 | 19 | 35 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 72 |
| Wahkiakum | 0 | 217 | 625 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 857 |
| ...Judicial District | 0 | 236 | 660 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 10 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 929 |
| Pierce | 0 | 1,304 | 1,683 | 27 | 127 | 12 | 150 | 0 | 829 | 107 | 27 | 4,266 |
| San Juan | 0 | 15 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 53 |
| Skagit | 0 | 183 | 186 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 28 | 0 | 105 | 0 | 7 | 527 |
| Snohomish | 0 | 768 | 1,087 | 14 | 61 | 0 | 87 | 14 | 368 | 0 | 20 | 2,419 |
| Spokane | 0 | 735 | 945 | 10 | 103 | 17 | 102 | 0 | 559 | 1 | 20 | 2,492 |
| Thurston | 0 | 424 | 578 | 6 | 50 | 8 | 80 | 0 | 254 | 0 | 8 | 1,408 |

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| Walla Walla | 0 | 94 | 97 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 2 | 57 | 0 | 1 | 257 |
| Whatcom | 0 | 251 | 341 | 3 | 11 | 3 | 38 | 2 | 137 | 0 | 4 | 790 |
| Whitman | 0 | 52 | 50 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 7 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 126 |
| Yakima | 0 | 367 | 403 | 6 | 16 | 3 | 25 | 7 | 195 | 0 | 11 | 1,033 |
| Statewide Total: | 0 | 7,714 | 10,841 | 125 | 544 | 99 | 899 | 40 | 4,383 | 117 | 185 | 24,947 |

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