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Adams	75	114	54	41	6	0	20	27	337
Asotin	157	187	119	124	13	6	56	62	724
Columbia	39	45	19	29	0	1	18	6	157
Garfield	13	13	5	6	0	1	4	4	46
...Judicial District	209	245	143	159	13	8	78	72	927
Benton	1,412	2,375	944	1,573	176	86	275	250	7,091
Franklin	555	1,192	539	18	33	16	123	164	2,640
...Judicial District	1,967	3,567	1,483	1,591	209	102	398	414	9,731
Chelan	517	926	402	482	43	278	129	115	2,892
Clallam	275	696	182	431	84	103	0	105	1,876
Clark	2,694	5,199	1,974	4,756	584	803	496	299	16,805
Cowlitz	1,029	1,386	488	366	89	89	507	145	4,099
Douglas	215	415	75	67	9	0	40	74	895
Ferry	21	67	30	12	1	1	9	3	144
Pend Oreille	81	158	58	49	13	0	35	9	403
Stevens	294	507	154	189	6	146	75	40	1,411
...Judicial District	396	732	242	250	20	147	119	52	1,958
Grant	548	1,069	452	207	66	4	309	178	2,833
Grays Harbor	425	899	258	245	47	151	102	99	2,226
Island	194	520	330	261	30	3	78	62	1,478
Jefferson	95	304	110	162	13	6	24	24	738

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King	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kitsap	1,029	2,221	1,247	1,158	136	101	440	105	6,437
Kittitas	251	490	90	174	15	1	47	30	1,098
Klickitat	62	225	91	75	5	2	41	10	511
Skamania	58	67	35	16	1	0	31	7	215
...Judicial District	120	292	126	91	6	2	72	17	726
Lewis	750	1,111	345	266	72	517	328	176	3,565
Lincoln	59	126	1,917	77	21	0	8	17	2,225
Mason	227	518	98	247	22	89	124	31	1,356
Okanogan	44	366	150	19	7	0	98	49	733
Pacific	138	510	263	110	6	1	33	13	1,074
Wahkiakum	22	40	974	20	3	0	4	8	1,071
...Judicial District	160	550	1,237	130	9	1	37	21	2,145
Pierce	3,745	11,883	4,089	2,735	650	1,777	1,522	461	26,862
San Juan	19	120	36	52	1	0	7	0	235
Skagit	822	1,465	517	582	56	212	376	94	4,124
Snohomish	3,231	9,931	2,244	2,318	291	1,783	1,058	404	21,260
Spokane	3,502	6,731	2,404	3,753	512	2,184	1,252	546	20,884
Thurston	1,158	4,827	1,419	1,110	130	983	578	323	10,528
Walla Walla	356	785	203	265	30	0	190	40	1,869
Whatcom	1,358	1,633	652	545	105	251	520	191	5,255

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Whitman	193	360	125	111	9	10	40	32	880
Yakima	2,108	2,611	824	640	212	318	355	418	7,486
Statewide Total:	27,771	62,092	23,916	23,291	3,497	9,923	9,352	4,621	164,463

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