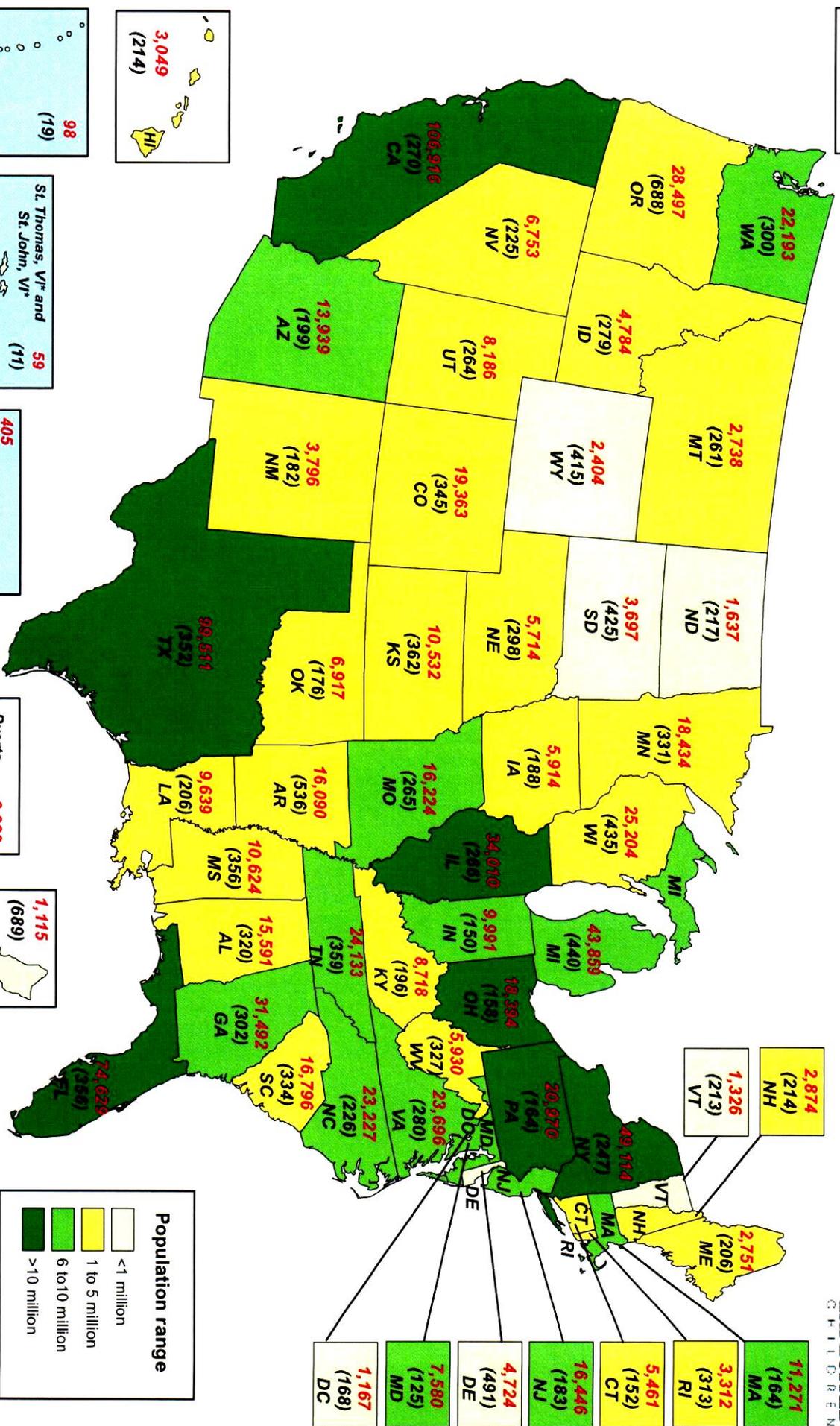


Registered sex offenders in the United States and its territories per 100,000 population

Total - 917,771 (per 100,000 population - 279)



Territories with population rates per 10,000 (American Samoa, N. Mariana and Virgin Islands)

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 RSO data: State or territory sex offender registries
 Population range: July 2017 Estimates US Census Bureau or
 *2010 US Census Bureau
 Mapping software donated to NCMEC by Esri, Redlands, California

Map of Registered Sex Offenders in the United States

- Data obtained via a survey of the individual sex offender registries in the 50 states, the District of Columbia, and five Territories of the United States (American Samoa, Guam, Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands). In the U.S. Virgin Islands, Saint Thomas and Saint John share a sex offender registry, while Saint Croix maintains its own separate sex offender registry. This brings the total number of registries surveyed to 57.
- The total number of registered sex offenders has been compared to census data to determine the number of sex offenders per 100,000 total population in that state. There are 4 exceptions to this: American Samoa, Northern Mariana Islands, Saint Thomas/Saint John, and Saint Croix. These territories have total populations below 100,000. Therefore, these territories were calculated at a rate of sex offenders per 10,000 total population.
- Displayed on each state and territory is the total number of registered sex offenders in red with the number per 100,000 total population or per 10,000 total population where applicable just below in parentheses in black.
- Rates were computed by dividing the total number of registered sex offenders¹ by the overall population² in that state or territory and multiplying them by 100,000 or 10,000, respectively.
- Colors indicate the total population range in each state and territory. This range is explained in the legend of the map. The territories in which sex offenders per 10,000 total population were calculated are also denoted with a background color.

¹ Registered Sex Offenders – Registered sex offender totals are based on counts obtained from the state and territory sex offender registries.

² Population – Population totals are based on tables downloaded from the 2014 U.S. Census Bureau or 2010 U.S. Census Bureau.

Sex Offenders Per Capita by State - High to Low (data pulled from NCMEC Map)

Order	Total/100,000	State
1	688	Oregon
2	536	Arkansas
3	491	Delaware
4	440	Michigan
5	435	Wisconsin
6	425	South Dakota
7	415	Wyoming
8	362	Kansas
9	356	Mississippi
10	359	Tennessee
11	356	Florida
12	352	Texas
13	345	Colorado
14	334	S Carolina
15	331	Minnesota
16	328	Alaska
17	327	W Virginia
18	320	Alabama
19	313	Rhode Island
20	302	Georgia
21	300	Washington
22	298	Nebraska
23	280	Virginia
24	279	Idaho
25	266	Illinois
26	265	Missouri
27	270	California
28	264	Utah
29	261	Montana
30	247	New York
31	226	N Carolina
32	225	Nevada
33	217	North Dakota
34	214	Hawaii
35	214	New Hampshire
36	213	Vermont
37	206	Maine
38	206	Louisiana
39	199	Arizona
40	196	Kentucky
41	188	Iowa
42	183	New Jersey
43	182	New Mexico

44	176	Oklahoma
46	164	Pennsylvania
47	164	Massachusetts
48	158	Ohio
49	152	Connecticut
50	150	Indiana
51	125	Maryland