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Massachusetts Department of Public Health

**MA Opioid-Related EMS Incidents 2018-2023**

# Enhancement of Opioid Overdose Surveillance

MATRIS, the Massachusetts Ambulance Trip Record Information System, is a statewide database for collecting emergency medical service (EMS) data from licensed ambulance services. It was not specifically designed to track opioid overdose incidents. To more accurately identify ambulance trips that are opioid-related, several pieces of information from MATRIS are combined such as: a notation that a trip was listed as a poisoning, that there was an administration of naloxone, or that the patient admitted to drug use. This report documents all opioid-related incidents in Massachusetts, defined as 911 calls in which opioids are involved; not all incidents are clinical overdoses and not all are nonfatal. For a more detailed, interactive dashboard with data broken down by geographic region, EMS service, patient demographics, and other factors, please reference the Bureau of Health Care Safety and Quality’s EMS Regional Opioid Related Incident Dashboard: [https://www.mass.gov/info-](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/ems-regional-opioid-related-incident-dashboard) [details/ems-regional-opioid-related-incident-dashboard.](https://www.mass.gov/info-details/ems-regional-opioid-related-incident-dashboard)

# Results

For 2023, the greatest number of suspected opioid-related incidents treated by EMS were among males aged 35-44, accounting for 20.4% of opioid-related incidents with a known age and sex (Table 1).

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| **Table 1: All Suspected Opioid-Related Incidents by Sex and Age: 2023** | | | | | | | | |
|  | **11-14** | **15-24** | **25-34** | **35-44** | **45-54** | **55-64** | **65+** | **Total** |
| Male | (1-4) | 667 | 2,955 | 3,618 | 2,271 | 1,691 | 833 | 12,035± |
| Female | (1-4) | 312 | 1,297 | 1,780 | 1,031 | 751 | 500 | 5,671± |
| Total | \* | 979 | 4,252 | 5,398 | 3,302 | 2,442 | 1,333 | 17,706± |
| (1-4) = value is suppressed because it is between 1 and 4; \*complementary suppression to prevent calculation of suppressed  numbers; ±Total of non-suppressed numbers | | | | | | | | |

All opioid-related incidents are sorted into one of the five categories as determined by the patient’s listed complaints, the EMS provider’s impressions, the narrative report details of the incident and treatments, the presence of naloxone administration and the patient’s response to it, and the patient’s disposition (their treatment and transport status). These five severity categories are dead on arrival (of opioid overdose), acute opioid overdose, opioid intoxicated, opioid withdrawal, and other opioid-related incident.

Between 2018 and 2023, the total number of suspected opioid-related incidents has been slowly decreasing. However, the percentage of these incidents that are in the most severe categories (dead on arrival and acute overdose) has been increasing each year. In 2018, 54.6% of all opioid related incidents were acute opioid overdoses and 1.2% were dead on arrival of an opioid overdose; by 2023, 58.7% of all opioid related incidents were acute opioid overdoses and 1.7% were dead on arrival of an opioid overdose (Figure 1).

Lastly, this report applies the Massachusetts State Office of Rural Health’s definition to group communities based on their population levels and proximity to urban areas. Towns classified as rural level 1 and rural level 2 are all rural communities, but towns in level 2 are less densely populated and more isolated from urban core areas.

**Figure 1: Severity Breakdown of Opioid-Related Incidents, MA: 2018-2023**

25,000

20,000

15,000

10,000

Total DOAs

Total Withdrawal Total Other

Total Intox

Total Acute ODs

5,000

0

2018

2019

2020

2021

2022

2023

**Year of Incident**

**Total EMS Runs in Category**

Between 2018 and 2023, the age-adjusted rate of opioid-related incidents for all of Massachusetts and in urban communities decreased 5% yearly; rural level 1 communities followed a similar trend, although they decreased at a slightly faster rate (5.6% per year). In rural level 2 communities, the age-adjusted opioid-related incident rate has remained steady during the same timeframe. In 2023, rural level 2 communities had the highest age-adjusted opioid-related incident rate at 289 incidents per 100,000 residents (Figure 2).

**Figure 2: Age-Adjusted Opioid-Related Incident Rate per 100,000 Residents by**

**Rurality, MA: 2018-2023**

400

350

300

250

200

150

100

50

0

2018

2019

2020

2021

2022

2023

Year

Urban

Rural level 1

Rural level 2

MA Overall

Rate per 100,000 Residents

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
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|  | **2022** | | | | | **2023** | | | | |
| City/Town | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** |
| Abington | 11 | 9 | 8 | 5 | **33** | 9 | (1-4) | \* | 10 | **27** |
| Acton | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** |
| Acushnet | (1-4) | 9 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **17** | 7 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **16** |
| Adams | \* | (1-4) | 7 | 9 | **26** | \* | 9 | 7 | (1-4) | **27** |
| Agawam | 19 | 12 | 12 | 7 | **50** | 18 | 13 | 19 | 14 | **64** |
| Alford | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Amesbury | 9 | \* | (1-4) | 9 | **27** | (1-4) | \* | 6 | 5 | **19** |
| Amherst | 11 | 9 | 5 | 8 | **33** | 6 | 13 | 11 | 6 | **36** |
| Andover | 12 | \* | 11 | (1-4) | **32** | 15 | 8 | 8 | 7 | **38** |
| Aquinnah | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Arlington | 12 | 8 | 8 | 8 | **36** | 5 | 5 | 8 | 8 | **26** |
| Ashburnham | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **5** |
| Ashby | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **7** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Ashfield | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Ashland | (1-4) | 14 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **22** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **14** |
| Athol | 16 | 17 | 12 | 12 | **57** | 7 | 15 | 18 | 12 | **52** |
| Attleboro | 23 | 32 | 19 | 18 | **92** | 29 | 30 | 24 | 22 | **105** |
| Auburn | 19 | 6 | 7 | 8 | **40** | 15 | 11 | 10 | 7 | **43** |
| Avon | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Ayer | (1-4) | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **15** | \* | (1-4) | 11 | 10 | **29** |
| Barnstable | 34 | 42 | 48 | 29 | **153** | 6 | 12 | 23 | 31 | **72** |
| Barre | (1-4) | † | \* | 6 | **16** | 8 | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **21** |
| Becket | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Bedford | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **18** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 9 | (1-4) | **18** |
| Belchertown | (1-4) | 8 | 7 | (1-4) | **21** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **16** |
| Bellingham | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | 8 | 7 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **20** |
| Belmont | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 8 | **19** | 5 | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **15** |
| Berkley | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Berlin | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Bernardston | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Beverly | 14 | 11 | 12 | 9 | **46** | 18 | 7 | 9 | 20 | **54** |
| Billerica | 10 | 8 | 13 | 12 | **43** | 14 | 10 | 8 | 15 | **47** |
| Blackstone | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** |
| Blandford | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Bolton | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Boston | 593 | 674 | 778 | 626 | **2671** | 658 | 745 | 672 | 673 | **2748** |
| Bourne | 10 | 10 | 15 | 13 | **48** | 8 | 8 | 6 | 8 | **30** |
| Boxborough | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |

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| Boxford | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Boylston | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Braintree | 20 | 19 | 15 | 12 | **66** | 16 | 18 | 15 | 12 | **61** |
| Brewster | † | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** |
| Bridgewater | 6 | 13 | (1-4) | \* | **27** | 12 | 10 | 18 | 5 | **45** |
| Brimfield | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | 5 | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **16** |
| Brockton | 98 | 118 | 126 | 97 | **439** | 96 | 118 | 141 | 106 | **461** |
| Brookfield | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Brookline | 7 | 10 | 8 | 19 | **44** | 13 | 10 | 13 | 19 | **55** |
| Buckland | † | † | † | † | **†** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Burlington | 8 | (1-4) | 9 | \* | **25** | 5 | 11 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **23** |
| Cambridge | 130 | 130 | 166 | 153 | **579** | 80 | 122 | 111 | 96 | **409** |
| Canton | \* | (1-4) | 7 | 7 | **23** | 6 | 7 | 5 | 7 | **25** |
| Carlisle | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Carver | (1-4) | 5 | 5 | (1-4) | **14** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** |
| Charlemont | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Charlton | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **15** |
| Chatham | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Chelmsford | \* | 8 | 8 | (1-4) | **24** | 7 | 11 | 8 | 9 | **35** |
| Chelsea | 41 | 57 | 73 | 41 | **212** | 28 | 50 | 46 | 41 | **165** |
| Cheshire | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Chester | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Chesterfield | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Chicopee | 83 | 77 | 101 | 75 | **336** | 74 | 64 | 82 | 78 | **298** |
| Chilmark | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Clarksburg | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Clinton | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **15** | 11 | (1-4) | \* | 6 | **23** |
| Cohasset | (1-4) | 7 | 6 | (1-4) | **18** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **11** |
| Colrain | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Concord | 6 | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **20** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Conway | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Cummington | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Dalton | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Danvers | 24 | 32 | 30 | 20 | **106** | 23 | 24 | 15 | 18 | **80** |
| Dartmouth | 26 | 19 | 33 | 23 | **101** | 17 | 22 | 28 | 5 | **72** |
| Dedham | 8 | 9 | 6 | 16 | **39** | 10 | 10 | 13 | 8 | **41** |
| Deerfield | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **6** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Dennis | (1-4) | \* | 8 | 7 | **25** | 8 | 9 | 10 | 6 | **33** |
| Dighton | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |

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| Douglas | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Dover | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Dracut | 14 | 9 | 5 | 6 | **34** | 9 | 7 | 15 | 8 | **39** |
| Dudley | 11 | \* | 9 | (1-4) | **33** | \* | 6 | 6 | (1-4) | **20** |
| Dunstable | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Duxbury | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **10** |
| East Bridgewater | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 9 | **14** | 5 | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **14** |
| East Brookfield | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| East Longmeadow | (1-4) | 12 | \* | 7 | **27** | † | \* | 6 | (1-4) | **16** |
| Eastham | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Easthampton | 7 | 12 | 10 | 8 | **37** | (1-4) | \* | 11 | 10 | **33** |
| Easton | \* | 9 | 6 | (1-4) | **24** | 8 | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **18** |
| Edgartown | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Egremont | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Erving | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Essex | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Everett | 22 | 55 | 32 | 43 | **152** | 43 | 34 | 33 | 43 | **153** |
| Fairhaven | 7 | 14 | 8 | 5 | **34** | 9 | 7 | \* | (1-4) | **23** |
| Fall River | 142 | 208 | 225 | 179 | **754** | 144 | 157 | 175 | 131 | **607** |
| Falmouth | 19 | 20 | 31 | 25 | **95** | 29 | 24 | 20 | 26 | **99** |
| Fitchburg | 40 | 44 | 72 | 38 | **194** | 45 | 32 | 48 | 39 | **164** |
| Florida | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Foxborough | 7 | 6 | 6 | 5 | **24** | 5 | 9 | 6 | 8 | **28** |
| Framingham | 25 | 36 | 46 | 38 | **145** | 34 | 51 | 44 | 35 | **164** |
| Franklin | \* | 8 | (1-4) | 9 | **28** | 9 | 15 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **31** |
| Freetown | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **15** | 5 | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **8** |
| Gardner | 19 | 32 | 32 | 21 | **104** | 19 | 27 | 19 | 25 | **90** |
| Georgetown | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **10** |
| Gill | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Gloucester | 20 | 28 | 16 | 17 | **81** | 10 | 15 | 24 | 10 | **59** |
| Goshen | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Gosnold | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Grafton | (1-4) | (1-4) | 8 | 5 | **19** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **15** |
| Granby | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **13** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **11** |
| Granville | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Great Barrington | 7 | 7 | (1-4) | \* | **23** | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **14** |
| Greenfield | 28 | 23 | 24 | 23 | **98** | 23 | 33 | 28 | 22 | **106** |
| Groton | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Groveland | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |

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| City/Town | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** |
| Hadley | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **13** |
| Halifax | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **12** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **14** |
| Hamilton | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **5** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **6** |
| Hampden | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **6** | † | 5 | † | † | **5** |
| Hancock | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Hanover | 7 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **17** | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **12** |
| Hanson | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **6** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Hardwick | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Harvard | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Harwich | 6 | (1-4) | \* | 6 | **20** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **13** |
| Hatfield | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Haverhill | 55 | 56 | 54 | 54 | **219** | 44 | 54 | 62 | 52 | **212** |
| Hawley | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Heath | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Hingham | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **15** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **13** |
| Hinsdale | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Holbrook | 9 | 10 | \* | (1-4) | **28** | 10 | 11 | (1-4) | \* | **31** |
| Holden | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | (1-4) | 9 | 12 | (1-4) | **26** |
| Holland | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **13** |
| Holliston | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Holyoke | 91 | 128 | 108 | 51 | **378** | 73 | 112 | 176 | 122 | **483** |
| Hopedale | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **12** |
| Hopkinton | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **6** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Hubbardston | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** |
| Hudson | (1-4) | 8 | \* | 12 | **28** | (1-4) | 7 | \* | 6 | **22** |
| Hull | 8 | \* | 7 | (1-4) | **24** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** |
| Huntington | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Ipswich | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** |
| Kingston | 6 | 6 | \* | (1-4) | **20** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | 8 | **17** |
| Lakeville | 11 | \* | 6 | (1-4) | **27** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **14** |
| Lancaster | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | \* | 9 | 5 | **21** |
| Lanesborough | † | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **11** | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Lawrence | 102 | 97 | 140 | 119 | **458** | 89 | 130 | 145 | 109 | **473** |
| Lee | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **12** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Leicester | 6 | 7 | 6 | 7 | **26** | (1-4) | 12 | (1-4) | 5 | **24** |
| Lenox | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** |
| Leominster | 29 | 40 | 28 | 20 | **117** | 29 | 22 | 35 | 21 | **107** |
| Leverett | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Lexington | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **11** |

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|  | **2022** | | | | | **2023** | | | | |
| City/Town | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** |
| Leyden | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Lincoln | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Littleton | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **12** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** |
| Longmeadow | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **12** | (1-4) | \* | † | † | **8** |
| Lowell | 138 | 141 | 203 | 143 | **625** | 170 | 160 | 211 | 201 | **742** |
| Ludlow | 9 | 10 | 6 | 10 | **35** | 10 | 14 | 18 | 14 | **56** |
| Lunenburg | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **5** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **13** |
| Lynn | 101 | 111 | 132 | 86 | **430** | 112 | 94 | 142 | 104 | **452** |
| Lynnfield | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **15** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **5** |
| Malden | 38 | 44 | 45 | 34 | **161** | 27 | 31 | 41 | 26 | **125** |
| Manchester | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Mansfield | (1-4) | 8 | 11 | (1-4) | **26** | (1-4) | 6 | 7 | (1-4) | **19** |
| Marblehead | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | 6 | **17** | (1-4) | 6 | 5 | (1-4) | **16** |
| Marion | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Marlborough | 25 | 19 | 17 | 14 | **75** | 26 | 15 | 21 | 17 | **79** |
| Marshfield | \* | (1-4) | 7 | 8 | **25** | 8 | 5 | 8 | 5 | **26** |
| Mashpee | (1-4) | (1-4) | 10 | (1-4) | **19** | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | **19** |
| Mattapoisett | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Maynard | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Medfield | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **7** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Medford | 17 | 28 | 26 | 32 | **103** | 33 | 22 | 11 | 28 | **94** |
| Medway | (1-4) | (1-4) | 10 | (1-4) | **16** | \* | (1-4) | 6 | 5 | **17** |
| Melrose | 5 | 9 | 6 | 5 | **25** | (1-4) | 7 | \* | 7 | **23** |
| Mendon | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **7** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Merrimac | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **6** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Methuen | 15 | 23 | 33 | 21 | **92** | 26 | 31 | 29 | 20 | **106** |
| Middleborough | 18 | 20 | 14 | 14 | **66** | 13 | 11 | 15 | 19 | **58** |
| Middlefield | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Middleton | (1-4) | 10 | 6 | (1-4) | **22** | (1-4) | 5 | 5 | (1-4) | **15** |
| Milford | 10 | 14 | 6 | 8 | **38** | 10 | (1-4) | † | \* | **16** |
| Millbury | 9 | 13 | 11 | 14 | **47** | 8 | 17 | 25 | 20 | **70** |
| Millis | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **17** |
| Millville | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Milton | (1-4) | 5 | 8 | (1-4) | **19** | 6 | (1-4) | \* | 11 | **26** |
| Monroe | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Monson | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **16** | 6 | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** |
| Montague | 8 | \* | 11 | (1-4) | **30** | 6 | 9 | 7 | 5 | **27** |
| Monterey | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Montgomery | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |

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| City/Town | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** |
| Mount Washington | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Nahant | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Nantucket | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Natick | (1-4) | \* | 9 | 9 | **26** | 10 | 10 | (1-4) | \* | **32** |
| Needham | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **12** |
| New Ashford | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| New  Bedford | 160 | 190 | 192 | 171 | **713** | 132 | 176 | 191 | 113 | **612** |
| New Braintree | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| New Marlborough | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| New Salem | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Newbury | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Newburyport | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **14** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | 7 | **14** |
| Newton | 12 | 12 | 9 | 13 | **46** | 17 | 11 | 18 | 7 | **53** |
| Norfolk | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **7** | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **13** |
| North Adams | 25 | 23 | 27 | 17 | **92** | 25 | 25 | 30 | 28 | **108** |
| North Andover | 10 | 11 | 10 | 10 | **41** | \* | (1-4) | 7 | 6 | **21** |
| North Attleboro | 14 | 28 | 16 | 17 | **75** | 20 | 19 | 19 | 16 | **74** |
| North Brookfield | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **5** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| North Reading | (1-4) | 8 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **16** | 10 | 9 | (1-4) | \* | **31** |
| Northampton | 22 | 28 | 20 | 25 | **95** | 22 | 25 | 33 | 25 | **105** |
| Northborough | \* | 7 | (1-4) | 7 | **23** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **13** |
| Northbridge | \* | 10 | 10 | (1-4) | **30** | (1-4) | 11 | 6 | \* | **26** |
| Northfield | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Norton | (1-4) | \* | 5 | 9 | **22** | 8 | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **18** |
| Norwell | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **7** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **9** |
| Norwood | 14 | 21 | 12 | 15 | **62** | 13 | \* | 16 | (1-4) | **38** |
| Oak Bluffs | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Oakham | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Orange | 7 | 7 | 6 | 12 | **32** | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **16** |
| Orleans | (1-4) | (1-4) | 8 | (1-4) | **17** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Otis | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Oxford | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **15** | 9 | \* | 9 | (1-4) | **25** |
| Palmer | \* | 7 | (1-4) | 6 | **22** | 8 | 11 | 11 | 9 | **39** |
| Paxton | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Peabody | 24 | 32 | 29 | 33 | **118** | 29 | 22 | 34 | 24 | **109** |
| Pelham | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Pembroke | 6 | 6 | 9 | 10 | **31** | \* | 8 | (1-4) | 5 | **19** |
| Pepperell | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** |
| Peru | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |

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| Petersham | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Phillipston | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Pittsfield | 63 | 83 | 93 | 67 | **306** | 70 | 91 | 58 | 43 | **262** |
| Plainfield | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Plainville | (1-4) | 8 | (1-4) | 5 | **19** | 7 | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **18** |
| Plymouth | 34 | 34 | 32 | 39 | **139** | 29 | 31 | 42 | 36 | **138** |
| Plympton | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Princeton | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Provincetown | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **16** |
| Quincy | 74 | 73 | 94 | 67 | **308** | 42 | 90 | 97 | 74 | **303** |
| Randolph | 15 | 9 | 14 | 15 | **53** | 11 | 8 | 16 | 14 | **49** |
| Raynham | 5 | 10 | 8 | 6 | **29** | 13 | 7 | (1-4) | \* | **28** |
| Reading | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 8 | **16** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **10** |
| Rehoboth | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** |
| Revere | 47 | 51 | 55 | 46 | **199** | 40 | 37 | 49 | 38 | **164** |
| Richmond | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Rochester | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **6** |
| Rockland | 17 | 10 | 11 | 12 | **50** | 13 | 9 | 7 | 11 | **40** |
| Rockport | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Rowe | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Rowley | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Royalston | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Russell | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Rutland | † | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **11** | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Salem | 24 | 23 | 40 | 31 | **118** | 22 | 25 | 31 | 34 | **112** |
| Salisbury | 8 | 10 | 7 | 9 | **34** | (1-4) | \* | 6 | 9 | **24** |
| Sandisfield | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Sandwich | (1-4) | 7 | 10 | \* | **26** | (1-4) | \* | 7 | 5 | **19** |
| Saugus | 17 | 28 | 32 | 32 | **109** | 28 | 17 | 19 | 22 | **86** |
| Savoy | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Scituate | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **7** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **8** |
| Seekonk | 9 | 6 | 8 | 5 | **28** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **14** |
| Sharon | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **16** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **5** |
| Sheffield | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **5** |
| Shelburne | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Sherborn | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Shirley | † | \* | (1-4) | 7 | **13** | 7 | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **17** |
| Shrewsbury | 7 | 5 | 12 | 9 | **33** | (1-4) | 7 | 6 | (1-4) | **20** |
| Shutesbury | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |

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| Somerset | 10 | 13 | 16 | 7 | **46** | 11 | 5 | 9 | 9 | **34** |
| Somerville | 50 | 45 | 36 | 39 | **170** | 24 | 29 | 64 | 47 | **164** |
| South Hadley | 8 | 15 | 8 | 7 | **38** | 15 | 15 | 12 | 7 | **49** |
| Southampton | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **5** |
| Southborough | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | † | **11** |
| Southbridge | 15 | 23 | 17 | 14 | **69** | 14 | 15 | 18 | 16 | **63** |
| Southwick | (1-4) | 5 | 6 | (1-4) | **17** | 6 | 8 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **17** |
| Spencer | \* | 11 | 8 | (1-4) | **27** | 7 | 7 | 8 | 9 | **31** |
| Springfield | 247 | 282 | 300 | 275 | **1104** | 258 | 260 | 348 | 243 | **1109** |
| Sterling | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **7** |
| Stockbridge | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Stoneham | 8 | 10 | 8 | 5 | **31** | (1-4) | 7 | 10 | (1-4) | **24** |
| Stoughton | 19 | 20 | 19 | 17 | **75** | 12 | 15 | 9 | 9 | **45** |
| Stow | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Sturbridge | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 14 | **22** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | **17** |
| Sudbury | † | † | † | † | **†** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Sunderland | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Sutton | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | **15** |
| Swampscott | (1-4) | (1-4) | 7 | 6 | **16** | (1-4) | 7 | (1-4) | 7 | **19** |
| Swansea | 5 | 6 | 9 | 6 | **26** | 10 | 7 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **24** |
| Taunton | 46 | 59 | 54 | 55 | **214** | 40 | 53 | 51 | 53 | **197** |
| Templeton | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Tewksbury | 16 | 16 | 20 | 24 | **76** | 28 | 19 | 13 | 21 | **81** |
| Tisbury | 5 | † | † | † | **5** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Tolland | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Topsfield | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **6** |
| Townsend | (1-4) | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **12** | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** |
| Truro | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **6** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Tyngsborough | 6 | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **15** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** |
| Tyringham | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Upton | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **6** | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Uxbridge | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **13** | 8 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **14** |
| Wakefield | 9 | 8 | 14 | 6 | **37** | 8 | 9 | 14 | 10 | **41** |
| Wales | † | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **9** |
| Walpole | \* | 7 | (1-4) | 6 | **22** | 5 | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **15** |
| Waltham | 40 | 34 | 36 | 19 | **129** | 23 | 26 | 21 | 22 | **92** |
| Ware | 8 | 9 | 16 | 13 | **46** | 6 | 7 | \* | (1-4) | **21** |
| Wareham | 26 | 29 | 24 | 25 | **104** | 21 | 38 | 27 | 25 | **111** |
| Warren | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | 6 | **12** | † | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **14** |

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|  | **2022** | | | | | **2023** | | | | |
| City/Town | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** |
| Warwick | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Washington | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Watertown | 10 | 16 | (1-4) | \* | **35** | 12 | 10 | 7 | 5 | **34** |
| Wayland | † | † | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Webster | 34 | 28 | 23 | 29 | **114** | 17 | 19 | 24 | 17 | **77** |
| Wellesley | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** |
| Wellfleet | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Wendell | † | † | † | † | **†** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Wenham | (1-4) | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| West Boylston | (1-4) | 6 | 7 | (1-4) | **20** | 5 | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **12** |
| West Bridgewater | (1-4) | 8 | 6 | (1-4) | **19** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **9** |
| West Brookfield | 5 | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **16** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| West Newbury | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| West Springfield | 28 | 31 | 24 | 26 | **109** | 21 | 34 | 34 | 24 | **113** |
| West Stockbridge | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| West Tisbury | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Westborough | 20 | 21 | 14 | 16 | **71** | \* | 16 | 17 | (1-4) | **47** |
| Westfield | 17 | 17 | 25 | 21 | **80** | 18 | 25 | 21 | 24 | **88** |
| Westford | (1-4) | \* | 5 | 5 | **16** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** |
| Westhampton | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Westminster | 6 | 10 | 13 | 5 | **34** | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | 10 | **14** |
| Weston | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | 12 | (1-4) | 10 | **27** |
| Westport | \* | 10 | 9 | (1-4) | **28** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | **(1-4)** |
| Westwood | (1-4) | 5 | 6 | (1-4) | **15** | † | (1-4) | 6 | (1-4) | **9** |
| Weymouth | 32 | 43 | 26 | 33 | **134** | 25 | 31 | 36 | 21 | **113** |
| Whately | † | † | † | † | **†** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Whitman | \* | (1-4) | 14 | 6 | **28** | 7 | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **20** |
| Wilbraham | 8 | 10 | 7 | 11 | **36** | 7 | 5 | (1-4) | (1-4) | **19** |
| Williamsburg | 6 | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **11** | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| Williamstown | (1-4) | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **8** |
| Wilmington | 20 | 22 | 6 | 20 | **68** | 13 | 14 | \* | (1-4) | **41** |
| Winchendon | 11 | 10 | 5 | 9 | **35** | 8 | \* | (1-4) | 5 | **22** |
| Winchester | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | (1-4) | **10** |
| Windsor | † | † | † | † | **†** | † | † | † | † | **†** |
| Winthrop | 8 | 6 | 6 | 9 | **29** | (1-4) | 8 | 7 | (1-4) | **22** |
| Woburn | 17 | 29 | 21 | 15 | **82** | 12 | 17 | 13 | 23 | **65** |
| Worcester | 270 | 234 | 283 | 238 | **1025** | 212 | 214 | 209 | 197 | **832** |
| Worthington | † | (1-4) | † | † | **(1-4)** | (1-4) | † | † | † | **(1-4)** |
| Wrentham | (1-4) | \* | 6 | 10 | **26** | (1-4) | (1-4) | 5 | (1-4) | **12** |

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| City/Town | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** | Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | **Total** |
| Yarmouth | 17 | 12 | 21 | 17 | **67** | 23 | 21 | 19 | 20 | **83** |
| Unknown | (1-4) | † | (1-4) | (1-4) | **5** | † | † | † | (1-4) | **(1-4)** |
| **Grand Total** | **4,350** | **4,935** | **5,272** | **4,433** | **18,990** | **4,153** | **4,557** | **4,948** | **4,156** | **17,814** |

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