

American Housing Survey 2005

Table 2-11. **Reasons for Move and Choice of Current Residence--Occupied Units**

Numbers in thousands. Weighting consistent with Census 2000.

Characteristics	Total Occupied Units	Tenure		Housing unit characteristics				Household characteristics				
		Owner	Renter	New construction	Manufactured/mobile homes	Physical problems		Black alone	Hispanic	Elderly(65 years or older)	Moved in past year	Below poverty line
						Severe	Moderate					
<b>RESPONDENT MOVED DURING PAST YEAR</b>												
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,384</b>	<b>6,851</b>	<b>12,532</b>	<b>2,269</b>	<b>1,219</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>1,091</b>	<b>2,880</b>	<b>3,096</b>	<b>1,153</b>	<b>18,809</b>	<b>3,684</b>
<b>Reasons for Leaving Previous Unit<sup>1</sup></b>												
Private displacement	405	61	344	22	20	14	28	62	56	33	394	100
Owner to move into unit	107	8	100	6	-	6	9	10	14	4	102	22
To be converted to condominium or cooperative	31	5	26	-	2	-	-	-	-	5	29	4
Closed for repairs	24	2	22	-	-	-	3	2	4	2	24	5
Other	236	44	192	16	18	8	16	49	34	18	234	70
Not reported	6	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	6	-
Government displacement	104	17	87	6	5	2	5	36	16	6	104	42
Government wanted building or land	21	8	14	3	-	-	-	9	3	6	21	9

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						Severe	Moderate					
Unit unfit for occupancy	7	-	7	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	7	2
Other	71	9	62	3	5	2	5	23	10	-	71	26
Not reported	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	5	5
Disaster loss (fire, flood, etc.)	96	22	74	8	1	3	17	24	7	10	92	20
New job or job transfer	2,308	612	1,696	279	103	71	88	186	315	2	2,268	185
To be closer to work/school/other	2,330	530	1,799	201	76	62	136	278	387	35	2,299	450
Other, financial/employment related	1,088	255	833	90	57	32	61	186	151	42	1,040	248
To establish own household	3,051	1,342	1,709	312	217	40	179	506	536	46	3,007	574
Needed larger house or apartment	2,869	1,325	1,544	463	103	52	120	450	573	76	2,820	411
Married	476	227	249	74	22	9	22	44	63	5	395	26
Widowed, divorced or separated	588	219	368	51	31	16	18	52	74	57	559	78

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						Severe	Moderate					
Other, family/person related	2,152	695	1,456	247	145	36	173	297	301	266	1,984	476
Wanted better home	2,792	1,250	1,542	464	162	56	137	413	529	125	2,749	478
Change from owner to renter	208	-	208	5	7	2	11	15	38	21	201	24
Change from renter to owner	1,273	1,273	-	228	82	15	27	109	210	13	1,262	80
Wanted lower rent or maintenance	1,204	226	978	89	88	19	94	191	221	90	1,179	294
Other housing related reasons	1,585	560	1,025	194	95	29	95	252	235	176	1,555	361
Evicted from residence	118	7	110	-	3	3	12	23	4	5	115	51
Other	3,243	1,222	2,021	400	286	72	160	471	475	415	3,147	722
Not reported	453	179	274	92	71	8	21	75	26	65	444	141
<b>Main Reason for Leaving Previous Unit</b>												
All reported reasons equal	175	77	97	16	6	-	5	33	26	14	173	35
Private displacement	131	7	124	9	3	5	10	21	21	3	126	35

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						Severe	Moderate					
Government displacement	42	8	35	3	-	-	-	13	5	6	42	18
Disaster loss (fire, flood, etc.)	84	20	65	5	1	3	15	24	7	8	82	20
New job or job transfer	1,966	515	1,451	250	88	51	72	155	262	-	1,944	147
To be closer to work/school/other	1,649	330	1,318	139	60	43	101	203	278	19	1,629	344
Other, financial/employment related	629	138	491	47	44	27	27	122	104	28	593	141
To establish own household	2,173	828	1,345	204	151	25	128	426	401	31	2,139	457
Needed larger house or apartment	1,946	829	1,117	317	62	35	89	319	381	59	1,907	296
Married, widowed, divorced, or separated	1,182	395	787	118	57	31	72	140	161	51	1,074	165
Other, family/personal related	1,579	474	1,105	152	118	33	130	221	207	204	1,439	370
Wanted better home	1,587	605	982	263	105	29	89	263	325	86	1,560	317
Change from owner to renter or renter to owner	1,066	977	89	161	62	13	28	104	177	23	1,059	70
Wanted lower rent or maintenance	760	105	655	36	49	16	61	139	149	67	746	202

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Other housing related reasons	971	319	652	104	57	19	74	154	150	101	948	231
Evicted from residence	88	2	86	-	3	3	9	15	4	5	86	42
Other	2,651	998	1,653	336	269	61	137	401	375	363	2,569	591
Not reported	703	223	480	109	86	13	45	127	62	86	692	203
<b>Choice of Present Neighborhood<sup>1</sup></b>												
Convenient to job	5,335	1,550	3,785	575	197	117	299	646	883	45	5,233	483
Convenient to friends or relatives	4,375	1,520	2,855	430	345	97	230	629	730	359	4,104	839
Convenient to leisure activities	1,644	717	927	247	53	31	73	109	189	107	1,604	150
Convenient to public transportation	959	226	733	50	20	33	51	195	175	37	936	197
Good schools	2,561	1,140	1,421	394	90	59	95	284	536	29	2,529	463
Other public services	827	279	549	69	39	23	38	133	139	82	816	176
Looks/design of neighborhood	4,916	2,445	2,471	881	192	73	165	557	740	288	4,882	608
House was most important consideration	4,183	2,237	1,947	658	172	59	186	475	685	258	4,140	604
Other	4,560	1,393	3,167	462	383	94	349	799	664	334	4,376	1,163
Not reported	467	175	292	87	71	10	23	76	38	65	453	137

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<b>Main Reason for Choice of Present Neighborhood</b>												
All reported reasons equal	368	192	176	58	5	5	2	37	60	18	366	53
Convenient to job	3,715	832	2,883	336	145	80	220	512	649	33	3,655	352
Convenient to friends or relatives	2,893	916	1,978	264	293	80	165	469	448	301	2,649	639
Convenient to leisure activities	375	138	237	55	14	5	7	11	44	38	370	38
Convenient to public transportation	200	14	186	8	5	17	10	61	34	12	195	67
Good schools	1,348	518	830	192	55	33	50	165	253	10	1,338	312
Other public services	214	47	167	15	8	10	27	45	21	30	211	75
Looks/design of neighborhood	2,841	1,365	1,476	477	148	49	120	378	474	169	2,825	399
House was most important consideration	2,848	1,454	1,394	389	130	35	136	366	468	183	2,815	490
Other	4,109	1,198	2,911	389	343	81	331	759	608	293	3,927	1,118
Not reported	473	178	295	87	74	10	23	76	38	65	459	140
<b>Neighborhood Search</b>												
Looked at just this neighborhood	8,717	2,620	6,097	847	786	249	487	1,367	1,561	682	8,249	1,976
Looked at other neighborhood(s)	10,102	4,032	6,069	1,316	346	140	575	1,425	1,476	392	10,013	1,531
Not reported	565	199	366	106	87	17	29	88	58	79	547	176

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<b>Choice of Present Home<sup>1</sup></b>												
Financial reasons	6,733	2,098	4,635	559	494	176	412	998	1,097	246	6,559	1,366
Room layout/design	5,819	2,766	3,054	1,131	192	104	234	756	840	379	5,770	687
Kitchen	1,264	715	549	311	51	17	43	132	188	73	1,252	118
Size	5,013	1,955	3,058	677	225	79	283	718	877	217	4,924	731
Exterior appearance	2,463	1,302	1,161	462	78	42	101	296	431	120	2,444	288
Yard/trees/view	2,614	1,434	1,180	301	117	45	88	229	355	137	2,585	266
Quality of construction	1,926	1,250	676	495	50	22	38	170	231	135	1,909	160
Only one available	1,285	207	1,078	97	99	33	90	244	203	95	1,262	357
Other	4,047	1,331	2,716	370	241	88	254	562	637	333	3,751	822
Not reported	466	175	290	91	71	7	19	76	35	67	454	137
<b>Main Reason for Choice of Present Home</b>												
All reported reasons equal	412	232	180	55	17	5	19	52	70	36	408	53
Financial reasons	5,532	1,564	3,967	378	456	149	365	873	950	193	5,374	1,215
Room layout/design	3,481	1,681	1,800	786	115	54	137	479	459	256	3,456	425
Kitchen	113	45	68	19	4	-	7	20	16	2	113	26
Size	2,662	813	1,849	238	129	48	164	441	547	96	2,612	480
Exterior appearance	672	268	404	77	27	13	44	104	133	29	669	123
Yard/trees/view	920	461	459	81	58	21	39	67	101	46	907	107
Quality of construction	604	380	225	165	16	3	17	51	64	44	599	83

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Only one available	991	94	896	48	95	33	63	206	154	81	977	300
Other	3,519	1,129	2,390	325	232	72	218	511	562	304	3,227	736
Not reported	478	183	295	98	71	7	19	76	38	67	466	137
<b>Home Search</b>												
Now in house	9,451	5,746	3,706	1,650	...	149	280	1,086	1,355	526	9,093	1,250
Did not look at apartments	7,604	5,098	2,506	1,421	...	116	197	794	1,035	455	7,281	925
Looked at apartments too	1,572	526	1,046	181	...	24	70	251	302	39	1,545	257
Search not reported	275	122	153	48	...	10	13	42	18	31	268	68
Now in manufactured/mobile home	1,219	617	602	146	1,219	21	40	106	154	122	1,195	354
Did not look at apartments	873	439	433	79	873	15	24	79	114	93	851	268
Looked at apartments too	262	106	156	19	262	4	16	23	38	10	262	65
Search not reported	85	72	13	48	85	2	-	5	2	19	82	21
Now in apartment	8,713	488	8,225	473	...	235	771	1,688	1,587	505	8,521	2,080

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Did not look at houses	6,127	293	5,834	319	...	162	489	1,169	1,185	429	5,962	1,447
Looked at houses too	2,266	155	2,111	125	...	40	245	447	359	36	2,247	523
Search not reported	319	39	280	28	...	33	36	72	43	40	312	110
<b>Recent Mover Comparison to Previous Home</b>												
Better home	10,481	4,601	5,880	1,634	527	183	441	1,498	1,837	499	10,223	1,803
Worse home	3,224	623	2,601	139	208	91	345	451	410	137	3,135	637
About the same	5,044	1,387	3,656	391	395	122	274	827	788	424	4,838	1,089
Not reported	636	240	396	105	89	10	31	104	60	93	613	155
<b>Recent Mover Comparison to Previous Neighborhood</b>												
Better neighborhood	8,287	3,459	4,828	1,187	505	180	386	1,121	1,481	394	8,088	1,383
Worse neighborhood	2,345	454	1,891	128	104	81	271	374	285	82	2,267	551
About the same	7,415	2,443	4,972	769	470	123	356	1,180	1,153	510	7,157	1,448
Same neighborhood	688	247	442	76	44	6	49	103	114	73	671	135
Not reported	648	248	400	110	96	16	31	101	62	94	626	166

<sup>1</sup> Figures may not add up to total because more than one category may apply to a unit

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Table 2-11. **Reasons for**  
Numbers in thousands. V

Characteristics	Total Occupied Units	In MSAs			Outside MSA's	Urban		Rural			Regions			
		Central Cities	Suburbs			Total	Outside MSAs	Total	Suburbs	Outside MSAs	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
<b>RESPONDENT MOVED DURING PAST YEAR</b>														
<b>Total</b>	<b>19,384</b>	<b>7,089</b>	<b>7,966</b>	<b>4,329</b>	<b>16,079</b>	<b>2,507</b>	<b>3,305</b>	<b>1,433</b>	<b>1,822</b>	<b>2,658</b>	<b>4,155</b>	<b>7,709</b>	<b>4,863</b>	
<b>Reasons for Leaving Previous Unit<sup>1</sup></b>														
Private displacement	405	156	165	84	354	56	51	23	28	100	87	107	111	
Owner to move into unit	107	31	48	28	84	15	23	11	12	27	29	18	33	
To be converted to condominium or cooperative	31	16	15	-	29	-	2	2	-	7	-	14	10	
Closed for repairs	24	15	7	2	24	2	-	-	-	5	12	-	7	
Other	236	93	89	54	211	38	25	10	16	60	45	72	59	
Not reported	6	-	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	
Government displacement	104	37	40	27	88	14	17	4	12	17	15	47	25	
Government wanted building or land	21	12	5	5	14	-	7	2	5	-	2	16	3	

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Unit unfit for occupancy	7	-	2	4	4	2	2	-	2	2	-	2	2
Other	71	23	30	18	64	13	7	2	5	15	7	29	20
Not reported	5	3	3	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-
Disaster loss (fire, flood, etc.)	96	40	31	25	83	21	13	7	4	25	17	39	15
New job or job transfer	2,308	772	1,053	482	1,889	275	419	203	208	283	395	1,013	618
To be closer to work/school/other	2,330	906	1,033	390	2,074	250	256	111	140	284	500	901	645
Other, financial/employment related	1,088	495	412	181	944	107	144	67	74	131	247	447	263
To establish own household	3,051	1,088	1,375	588	2,567	342	484	233	247	438	692	1,205	716
Needed larger house or apartment	2,869	1,009	1,220	640	2,395	402	474	235	238	441	623	1,052	753
Married	476	165	206	106	396	72	80	47	33	65	115	203	94
Widowed, divorced or separated	588	178	282	128	471	61	117	48	66	106	135	214	132

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Other, family/person related	2,152	734	866	551	1,740	314	411	175	237	271	417	872	591
Wanted better home	2,792	931	1,213	648	2,310	388	481	220	259	452	611	1,016	712
Change from owner to renter	208	79	89	40	189	24	19	3	16	30	58	49	71
Change from renter to owner	1,273	390	564	319	1,040	190	233	100	129	178	255	463	377
Wanted lower rent or maintenance	1,204	502	450	252	1,009	129	195	68	123	213	277	400	313
Other housing related reasons	1,585	643	577	365	1,323	214	262	106	151	280	374	507	424
Evicted from residence	118	40	54	24	95	10	22	9	14	14	27	44	32
Other	3,243	1,194	1,247	801	2,597	421	647	254	380	439	651	1,170	984
Not reported	453	139	190	124	339	59	115	47	65	118	87	186	63
<b>Main Reason for Leaving Previous Unit</b>													
All reported reasons equal	175	49	78	48	155	41	20	13	7	40	32	83	20
Private displacement	131	59	58	14	120	10	11	7	4	39	25	30	37

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Government displacement	42	16	14	12	36	8	7	2	5	-	7	22	13
Disaster loss (fire, flood, etc.)	84	37	27	21	71	16	13	7	4	16	17	39	13
New job or job transfer	1,966	643	912	411	1,602	232	365	177	179	230	336	885	515
To be closer to work/school/other	1,649	676	693	280	1,476	188	172	76	92	183	353	663	449
Other, financial/employment related	629	278	234	117	546	69	83	35	48	67	141	259	162
To establish own household	2,173	819	958	396	1,845	231	328	158	165	289	535	886	463
Needed larger house or apartment	1,946	698	785	463	1,626	293	321	150	170	279	428	749	490
Married, widowed, divorced, or separated	1,182	383	522	277	947	158	235	111	119	163	283	505	231
Other, family/personal related	1,579	548	644	387	1,281	219	297	129	169	176	327	653	423
Wanted better home	1,587	567	642	377	1,335	226	251	97	152	242	353	632	359
Change from owner to renter or renter to owner	1,066	355	467	244	898	144	168	63	100	120	230	396	320
Wanted lower rent or maintenance	760	330	280	150	635	78	125	48	72	138	167	267	187

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Other housing related reasons	971	409	345	217	796	125	175	84	92	144	227	355	245
Evicted from residence	88	27	40	21	71	10	17	5	11	12	27	33	16
Other	2,651	962	980	709	2,083	360	568	209	350	348	532	981	791
Not reported	703	232	286	184	556	102	147	62	83	170	132	271	130
<b>Choice of Present Neighborhood<sup>1</sup></b>													
Convenient to job	5,335	2,068	2,396	871	4,639	490	696	305	381	770	1,050	2,092	1,423
Convenient to friends or relatives	4,375	1,595	1,843	937	3,646	515	729	303	423	722	1,000	1,705	949
Convenient to leisure activities	1,644	677	719	248	1,483	181	161	92	66	293	330	509	512
Convenient to public transportation	959	558	329	72	935	60	24	9	12	279	146	239	295
Good schools	2,561	816	1,255	490	2,192	344	369	215	146	347	552	959	702
Other public services	827	375	346	106	772	76	55	22	30	121	174	268	264
Looks/design of neighborhood	4,916	1,704	2,125	1,087	4,121	715	795	399	371	654	966	1,901	1,395
House was most important consideration	4,183	1,384	1,685	1,115	3,423	704	760	342	411	573	917	1,547	1,147
Other	4,560	1,744	1,682	1,133	3,692	637	868	360	496	612	995	1,796	1,156
Not reported	467	154	191	122	356	56	111	43	65	121	82	203	61

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<b>Main Reason for Choice of Present Neighborhood</b>													
All reported reasons equal	368	121	174	73	330	62	38	27	11	97	60	124	86
Convenient to job	3,715	1,426	1,677	612	3,212	329	503	213	283	512	746	1,519	937
Convenient to friends or relatives	2,893	1,022	1,213	658	2,340	317	554	213	341	415	691	1,188	599
Convenient to leisure activities	375	165	154	56	334	31	41	16	25	47	79	114	135
Convenient to public transportation	200	133	56	12	195	8	5	2	3	64	37	56	44
Good schools	1,348	450	654	244	1,153	183	195	128	61	145	296	559	348
Other public services	214	100	89	25	191	9	23	5	16	27	54	63	70
Looks/design of neighborhood	2,841	1,006	1,149	687	2,350	445	491	233	242	341	518	1,180	803
House was most important consideration	2,848	942	1,077	829	2,285	496	563	227	333	343	681	1,082	743
Other	4,109	1,571	1,526	1,012	3,331	570	778	323	442	546	907	1,621	1,035
Not reported	473	154	197	122	358	56	114	46	65	121	85	203	64
<b>Neighborhood Search</b>													
Looked at just this neighborhood	8,717	3,174	3,404	2,139	6,984	1,112	1,733	687	1,027	1,165	1,939	3,575	2,037
Looked at other neighborhood(s)	10,102	3,734	4,332	2,036	8,659	1,311	1,442	690	725	1,346	2,123	3,886	2,747
Not reported	565	181	230	155	435	84	130	57	71	147	92	248	79

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		Central Cities	Suburbs		Total	Outside MSAs	Total	Suburbs	Outside MSAs	Northeast	Midwest	South	West
<b>Choice of Present Home<sup>1</sup></b>													
Financial reasons	6,733	2,619	2,634	1,481	5,677	857	1,057	422	624	880	1,519	2,583	1,751
Room layout/design	5,819	2,137	2,417	1,266	4,997	865	823	409	401	819	1,241	2,323	1,436
Kitchen	1,264	404	534	326	1,087	219	177	70	107	169	239	442	415
Size	5,013	1,861	2,090	1,061	4,299	677	714	325	384	797	1,044	1,912	1,260
Exterior appearance	2,463	807	1,098	559	2,107	387	356	182	171	323	486	972	682
Yard/trees/view	2,614	783	1,268	564	2,061	301	554	277	263	378	513	908	815
Quality of construction	1,926	635	828	464	1,584	284	342	163	180	269	418	725	514
Only one available	1,285	496	494	295	1,060	171	226	93	124	164	208	571	342
Other	4,047	1,494	1,645	909	3,221	463	826	375	445	581	896	1,536	1,035
Not reported	466	155	191	120	354	54	111	43	65	121	84	202	59
<b>Main Reason for Choice of Present Home</b>													
All reported reasons equal	412	104	208	100	338	70	74	44	30	85	87	169	71
Financial reasons	5,532	2,141	2,156	1,235	4,656	702	876	333	533	692	1,229	2,172	1,439
Room layout/design	3,481	1,275	1,428	779	3,006	545	475	234	234	414	751	1,467	850
Kitchen	113	32	64	17	103	10	10	3	7	11	26	32	45
Size	2,662	1,023	1,107	531	2,299	327	362	156	205	422	552	1,042	645
Exterior appearance	672	244	315	113	594	88	78	53	25	72	139	291	170
Yard/trees/view	920	260	434	226	644	81	276	116	146	111	197	294	320
Quality of construction	604	196	238	170	488	92	116	38	78	90	157	225	132

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Only one available	991	373	399	218	811	121	179	75	97	140	149	458	244
Other	3,519	1,282	1,421	816	2,774	414	745	337	402	498	780	1,355	887
Not reported	478	159	195	124	364	59	113	45	65	125	88	206	59
<b>Home Search</b>													
Now in house	9,451	2,801	4,135	2,515	7,364	1,423	2,088	980	1,092	1,084	2,145	3,911	2,310
Did not look at apartments	7,604	2,154	3,351	2,100	5,836	1,173	1,768	829	926	791	1,791	3,151	1,870
Looked at apartments too	1,572	559	654	358	1,339	225	233	100	133	219	298	640	415
Search not reported	275	88	130	57	188	25	87	52	33	74	56	120	26
Now in manufactured/mobile home	1,219	134	313	772	538	280	681	178	492	87	174	695	263
Did not look at apartments	873	103	231	538	367	177	505	133	361	57	119	496	200
Looked at apartments too	262	31	72	159	148	81	114	37	78	21	36	153	52
Search not reported	85	-	10	74	24	21	61	8	53	9	19	45	11
Now in apartment	8,713	4,153	3,517	1,043	8,177	804	536	275	238	1,486	1,835	3,102	2,289

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Did not look at houses	6,127	2,956	2,484	688	5,765	539	362	194	148	1,070	1,290	2,218	1,549
Looked at houses too	2,266	1,050	897	319	2,099	229	167	74	90	326	506	781	653
Search not reported	319	147	136	36	312	36	7	7	-	90	39	103	87
<b>Recent Mover Comparison to Previous Home</b>													
Better home	10,481	3,740	4,242	2,498	8,567	1,462	1,914	858	1,037	1,500	2,226	4,101	2,654
Worse home	3,224	1,282	1,373	569	2,764	297	460	176	271	388	712	1,204	919
About the same	5,044	1,861	2,076	1,107	4,264	674	780	334	433	619	1,104	2,131	1,191
Not reported	636	206	274	155	484	74	151	65	81	151	113	274	99
<b>Recent Mover Comparison to Previous Neighborhood</b>													
Better neighborhood	8,287	2,843	3,481	1,963	6,703	1,127	1,584	726	837	1,105	1,732	3,384	2,067
Worse neighborhood	2,345	1,135	846	364	2,136	225	209	60	139	286	453	922	684
About the same	7,415	2,606	3,133	1,676	6,155	982	1,260	550	694	999	1,688	2,874	1,854
Same neighborhood	688	287	258	143	590	77	98	32	66	112	165	248	163
Not reported	648	218	248	183	495	97	153	65	86	157	116	281	94

<sup>1</sup> Figures may not add