

UNITED STATES POPULATION

	HORSE POPULATION ¹		NEW REGISTRATIONS ²	
	2012	CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR	2012	CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR
Alabama	49,363	-1,131	1,058	-108
Alaska	1,459	14	27	9
Arizona	51,538	-573	1,189	-51
Arkansas	57,541	-1,657	1,245	-130
California	125,006	-3,197	3,335	-260
Colorado	88,411	-2,032	2,049	-340
Connecticut	3,001	-186	27	-12
Delaware	1,102	-48	16	6
Florida	55,114	-548	1,230	-45
Georgia	46,211	-1,655	835	-214
Hawaii	2,898	-51	53	-18
Idaho	64,745	-1,064	1,849	-117
Illinois	40,269	-3,399	889	-114
Indiana	39,981	-1,185	740	-17
Iowa	68,877	-1,377	1,877	-26
Kansas	77,990	-2,119	2,227	-137
Kentucky	35,264	-968	732	-188
Louisiana	58,062	-1,412	2,039	-152
Maine	2,863	-90	29	-5
Maryland	6,743	-285	112	-31
Massachusetts	3,094	-178	36	-1
Michigan	32,240	-909	545	4
Minnesota	49,277	-744	1,103	-171
Mississippi	46,452	-1,172	1,012	-93
Missouri	101,781	-2,000	2,326	-253
Montana	87,816	-1,075	2,288	-282
Nebraska	81,326	-875	2,778	-157
Nevada	21,088	-560	526	-150
New Hampshire	1,644	-31	14	2
New Jersey	5,296	-281	56	-20
New Mexico	52,748	-1,464	1,763	-1
New York	18,301	-560	251	-32
North Carolina	38,423	-1,103	700	-69
North Dakota	49,321	-91	1,850	-100
Ohio	47,896	-1,284	864	-109
Oklahoma	175,198	-4,260	5,163	-712
Oregon	51,727	-1,152	1,209	-270
Pennsylvania	27,713	-722	437	-18
Rhode Island	505	-20	5	1
South Carolina	17,371	-568	285	-23
South Dakota	80,064	59	3,054	-159
Tennessee	47,167	-1,159	934	-120
Texas	432,695	-8,177	14,288	-1,508
Utah	59,788	-946	1,826	-38
Vermont	2,054	-25	28	5
Virginia	21,492	-801	300	-34
Washington	49,238	-829	1,067	-121
Washington D.C.	143	-1	0	-3
West Virginia	9,134	-189	176	3
Wisconsin	35,818	-232	776	-10
Wyoming	57,916	127	1,684	66

TOTAL US

POPULATION 2,581,164 -54,185 68,902 6,323

TOTAL POPULATION & REGISTRATIONS

United States	2,581,164	-54,185	68,902	-6,323
Canada	244,214	1,419	7,836	-801
International	153,398	5,548	7,263	51
GRAND TOTAL	2,978,776	-47,218	84,001	-7,073

¹Figures reflect elimination of all horses age 25 and over unless the owners(s) submitted documentation proving the horse is living.

²Reflects the number of American Quarter Horses registered during 2012 to residents within the state, province or country.

CANADIAN POPULATION

	HORSE POPULATION ¹		NEW REGISTRATIONS ²	
	2012	CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR	2012	CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR
Alberta	108,475	830	3,441	-503
British Columbia	25,282	-117	605	-57
Manitoba	23,956	184	1,070	-132
New Brunswick	1,440	-11	24	12
Newfoundland	65	6	1	1
Northwest Territory	5	-2	0	0
Nova Scotia	2,214	36	63	19
Ontario	24,559	-142	679	93
Prince Edward Island	476	-45	11	2
Quebec	12,599	29	312	-43
Saskatchewan	45,047	647	1,627	-194
Yukon	96	4	3	1
Total Canadian Population	244,214	1,419	7,836	-801

INTERNATIONAL POPULATION

	HORSE POPULATION ¹		NEW REGISTRATIONS ²	
	2012	CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR	2012	CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS YEAR
Argentina	2,398	97	75	-51
Australia	2,005	171	148	-27
Austria	4,884	204	240	-38
Belgium	4,038	140	227	-37
Brazil	5,273	738	468	342
Chile	257	8	12	-7
China	54	0	0	0
Colombia	847	72	51	22
Costa Rica	110	10	8	4
Croatia	62	0	3	0
Czech Republic	1,863	185	170	15
Denmark	1,236	38	51	-9
Dominican Republic	138	-2	2	-2
Finland	297	26	16	4
France	8,124	362	413	-70
Germany	35,807	1,031	1,643	110
Guatemala	58	-2	0	0
Hungary	425	55	35	-2
Ireland	106	0	4	0
Israel	2,449	54	63	11
Italy	23,494	461	1,024	-264
Japan	468	-13	8	-1
Luxembourg	328	28	11	-5
Mexico	36,541	970	1,465	-4
Netherlands	3,724	87	148	5
New Zealand	360	6	22	-2
Norway	427	28	14	2
Panama	589	139	87	-4
Paraguay	494	9	18	17
Poland	593	83	61	8
Portugal	74	2	4	0
Puerto Rico	125	2	1	1
Slovakia	506	61	59	20
Slovenia	509	63	68	15
South Africa	207	-10	7	-7
Spain	455	10	16	-3
Sweden	3,174	118	135	-18
Switzerland	2,920	147	111	14
United Kingdom	2,937	-4	107	-44
Uruguay	775	-13	20	10
Venezuela	3,928	118	242	48

International

Population 153,059 5,524 7,257 48

INTERNATIONAL COUNTRIES WITH AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE POPULATION OF LESS THAN 50

Algeria	Estonia	Lithuania	Netherlands	Sri Lanka
Aruba	El Salvador	Macau	Antilles	St. Kitts and Nevis
Bahamas	Falkland Islands	Madagascar	New Caledonia	Thailand
Belize	Georgia	Malta	Philippines	Turkmenistan
Bermuda	Greece	Mariana Islands	Romania	Turkey
Bolivia	Guadeloupe	Martinique	Russia	United Arab Emirates
Botsswana	Guam	Monaco	San Marino	Virgin Islands
Bulgaria	Honduras	Mongolia	Senegal	Yugoslavia
Cayman Islands	Iceland	Namibia	Serbia	
China	Isle of Man	Niue	Sierra Leone	
Ecuador	Liechtenstein	Nicaragua	Singapore	

Countries with less than 50 Population

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TOTAL INTERNATIONAL POPULATION

153,398 5,548 7,263 51

UNITED STATES TRANSFERS

	TO STATE	FROM STATE	WITHIN STATE
Alabama	823	908	1,043
Alaska	27	18	41
Arizona	1,138	938	1,367
Arkansas	935	999	1,051
California	2,003	1,871	4,881
Colorado	1,629	1,363	1,898
Connecticut	140	63	78
Delaware	30	27	16
Florida	1,192	930	1,520
Georgia	839	892	1,084
Hawaii	36	14	63
Idaho	944	1,195	1,291
Illinois	1,003	1,071	1,011
Indiana	915	771	946
Iowa	1,293	1,563	1,404
Kansas	1,032	1,467	1,583
Kentucky	729	979	878
Louisiana	1,087	1,487	1,821
Maine	77	43	84
Maryland	223	187	124
Massachusetts	139	95	45
Michigan	826	546	1,093
Minnesota	1,049	913	1,286
Missouri	1,361	1,844	2,154
Mississippi	808	741	1,173
Montana	1,032	1,046	1,635
Nebraska	1,312	1,626	1,721
Nevada	477	482	468
New Hampshire	69	34	34
New Jersey	184	154	92
New Mexico	1,084	1,123	1,475
New York	528	244	474
North Carolina	726	623	1,077
North Dakota	748	860	896
Ohio	1,087	1,080	1,746
Oklahoma	3,026	4,411	4,094
Oregon	888	870	1,424
Pennsylvania	802	474	809
Rhode Island	15	12	8
South Carolina	409	335	350
South Dakota	1,011	1,460	1,491
Tennessee	822	978	903
Texas	6,092	7,866	15,858
Utah	762	791	1,520
Vermont	87	62	48
Virginia	376	308	390
Washington	850	796	1,430
Washington D.C.	2	3	0
West Virginia	225	181	210
Wisconsin	792	598	957
Wyoming	1,234	907	1,003
TOTAL	44,918	48,249	68,048

TOP 10 AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE STATES/PROVINCES*

1. Texas	432,695	6. Colorado	88,411
2. Oklahoma	175,198	7. Montana	87,816
3. California	125,006	8. Nebraska	81,326
4. Alberta	108,475	9. South Dakota	80,064
5. Missouri	101,781	10. Kansas	77,990

*Based on AQHA population records



CANADIAN TRANSFERS

	TO PROVINCE	FROM PROVINCE	WITHIN PROVINCE
Alberta	1,136	622	3,150
British Columbia	357	234	697
Manitoba	173	480	456
New Brunswick	57	23	40
Newfoundland	6	0	1
Nova Scotia	79	49	72
Ontario	496	235	1,057
Prince Edward Island	29	24	15
Quebec	323	48	574
Saskatchewan	535	436	1,047
Yukon	2		
TOTAL	3,193	2,151	7,109

INTERNATIONAL TRANSFERS

	TO COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	WITHIN COUNTRY
Argentina	23	1	16
Australia	53	25	58
Austria	24	2	338
Belgium	11	2	330
Brazil	387	17	41
China	49	0	1
Columbia	23	2	31
Costa Rica	12	0	2
Czech Republic	12	0	141
Denmark	9	1	86
Finland	1	0	34
France	44	2	600
Germany	151	13	2,200
Hungary	0	0	39
Israel	6	1	108
Italy	95	16	1,289
Japan	3	4	17
Luxembourg	2	0	30
Mexico	1,087	141	759
Netherlands	21	1	249
New Zealand	5	0	15
Norway	5	0	33
Panama	55	0	31
Paraguay	11	0	22
Poland	10	0	49
Russia	69	0	4
Slovakia	4	0	57
Slovenia	0	0	53
South Africa	1	0	11
Spain	2	0	23
Sweden	36	3	304
Switzerland	48	1	203
United Kingdom	32	8	203
Venezuela	294	66	144
TOTAL INTERNATIONAL TRANSFERS	2,585	306	7,521



OTHER INTERNATIONAL COUNTRIES WITH AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE POPULATION OF LESS THAN 50

Chile	Iraq	Senegal
Croatia	Liberia	Serbia
Dominican Republic	Liechtenstein	Sierra Leone
Guam	New Caledonia	United Arab Emirates
Guatemala	Portugal	Uruguay
Iceland	Puerto Rico	Virgin Islands
Ireland	Saudi Arabia	

TOTAL OTHER COUNTRIES

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	TO COUNTRY	FROM COUNTRY	WITHIN COUNTRY
International Transfers	2,599	310	7,546
Canadian Transfers	3,193	2,151	7,109
U.S. Transfers	44,918	48,249	68,048

Total U.S., Canada & International Transfers

50,710 50,710 82,703

***2012 Combined Transfers 133,413**

*Calculated by combining either the "To" or the "From" total of 50,710 to the "Within" total of 82,703.