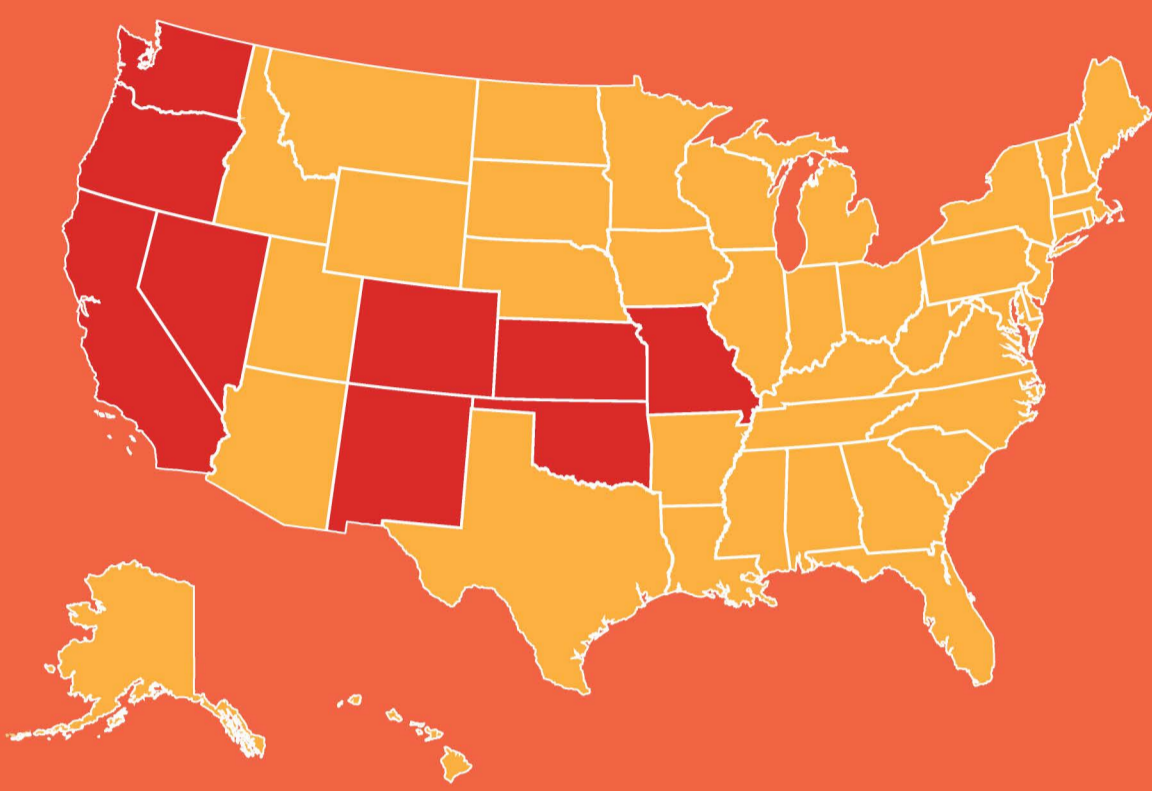


# 20 hot spots

NICB Annual Auto Theft Report

## Top 10 *Hottest* States for Auto Theft

*Theft rate is total thefts per 100,000 residents.*



Washington, D.C. tops the list in 2020. 4,013 vehicles were reported stolen which is a 40% increase from 2019.

<b>1</b>	<b>Washington, D.C.</b>	<b>562.98</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Oregon</b>	<b>385.08</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Colorado</b>	<b>502.12</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Oklahoma</b>	<b>371.28</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>California</b>	<b>475.24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>Washington</b>	<b>368.46</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Missouri</b>	<b>453.63</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>Nevada</b>	<b>365.84</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>New Mexico</b>	<b>426.19</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Kansas</b>	<b>325.28</b>

## Top 5 MSAs by Theft Rate

*In 2020, these Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) had the highest rates of auto theft per 100,000 residents:*

Rank Metropolitan Statistical Area  
Theft Rate

<b>1</b>	<b>Bakersfield, CA</b>	<b>905.41</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Yuba City, CA</b>	<b>724.46</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>705.80</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>Odessa, TX</b>	<b>664.28</b>
<b>5</b>	<b>San Francisco, CA</b>	<b>655.20</b>

## Total Thefts over Five Years

*After two years of declines, 2020 saw an 11% increase in total thefts from 2019.*

