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SOUTH CAROLINA

FFL BURGLARIES, ROBBERIES, & LARCENIES, 2017 - 2021

Total Theft Incidents

136

Total # of Firearms Involved

919

Average # of Firearms Involved per Theft Incident

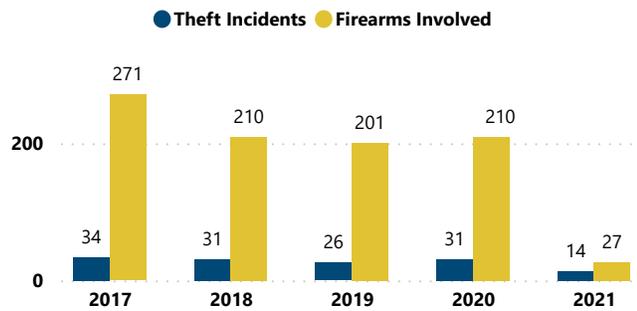
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Median # of Firearms Involved per Theft Incident

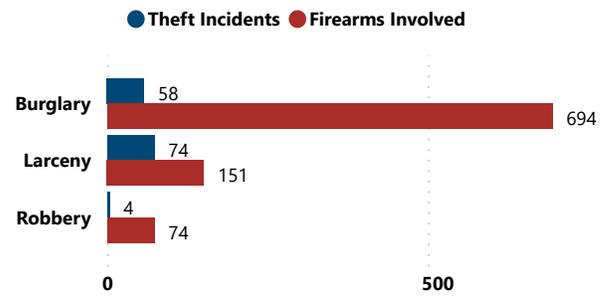
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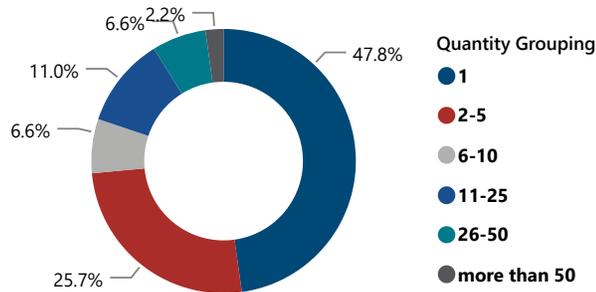
Total # of Incidents and Firearms Involved by Theft Year



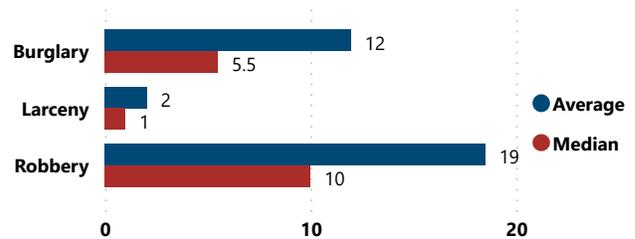
Total # of Incidents and Firearms Involved by Theft Type



% of Thefts by Number of Firearms Stolen



Average and Median # of Firearms Involved per Theft Incident by Theft Type



Thefts and Firearms Stolen by FFL Type

FFL Type	Total Incidents	% Total Incidents	Total # Firearms Involved	% Total Firearms Involved
01	77	56.6%	604	65.7%
02	46	33.8%	266	28.9%
03	1	0.7%	1	0.1%
07	12	8.8%	48	5.2%
Total	136	100.0%	919	100.0%

Firearms Stolen by Weapon Type

Weapon Type	Total # Firearms Involved	% of Total
PISTOL	612	66.6%
RIFLE	133	14.5%
REVOLVER	113	12.3%
SHOTGUN	53	5.8%
RECEIVER/FRAME	5	0.5%
DERRINGER	1	0.1%
MACHINE GUN	1	0.1%
SILENCER	1	0.1%
Total	919	100.0%

RECOVERED FIREARMS ASSOCIATED WITH ALL FFL BURGLARIES, ROBBERIES, & LARCENIES WITHIN STATE, 2017 - 2021

Total Theft Incidents w/ at Least 1 Recovered Firearm

165

Total # of Recovered Firearms

563

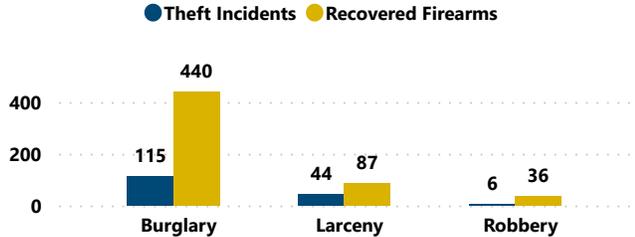
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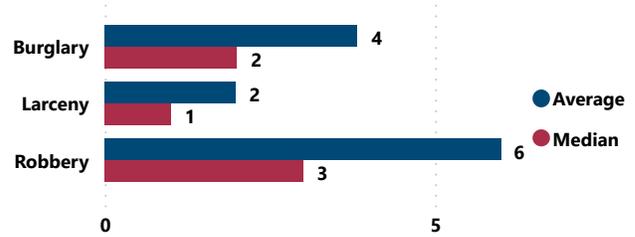
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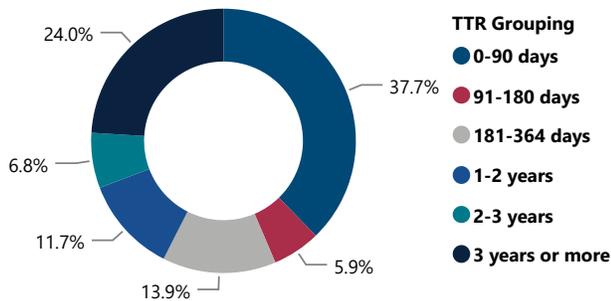
Total # of Theft Incidents Involving at Least 1 Recovered Firearm by Theft Type



Average and Median # of Firearms Recovered per Theft Incident Involving at Least 1 Recovered Firearm by Theft Type



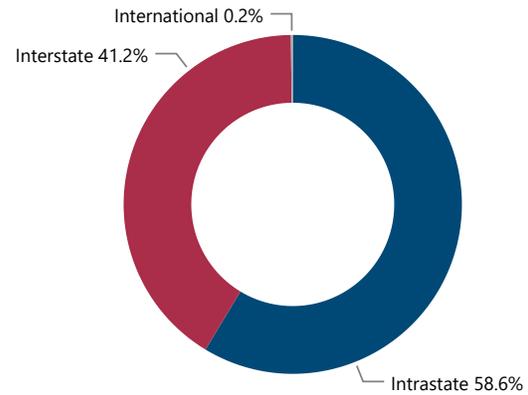
% Total of Recovered Firearms by Time-to-Recovery Grouping



Recovered Firearms by Possessor Age

Possessor Age Grouping	# of Recovered Firearms	% of Total Recovered Firearms w/ Possessor Age Determined
17 and below	14	3.48%
18-24	181	45.02%
25-34	109	27.11%
35 and older	98	24.38%
Total	402	100.00%

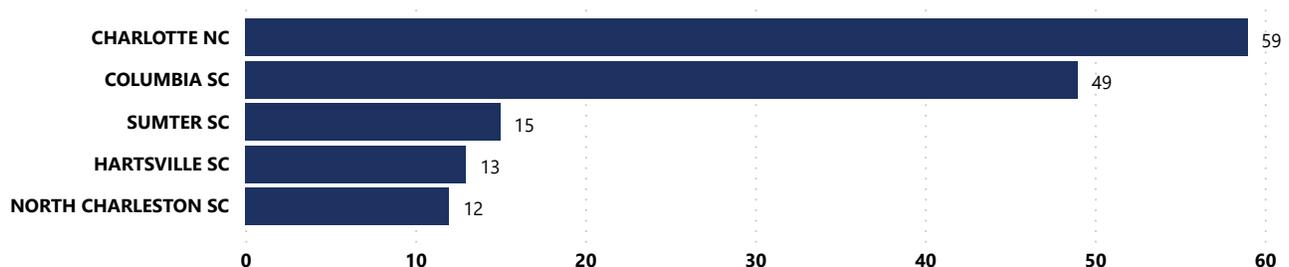
% Total of Recovered Firearms by Theft-to-Recovery Location



Distance Between FFL Theft Location and Recovery Location

Distance (Miles) from FFL Theft to Recovery Location	# of Recovered Firearms	% of Total Recovered Firearms w/ Distance Measured
(A) 0-10	83	25.23%
(B) 11-25	64	19.45%
(C) 26-50	45	13.68%
(D) 51-100	33	10.03%
(E) 101-200	16	4.86%
(F) 201-300	6	1.82%
(G) More than 300	82	24.92%
Total	329	100.00%

Top Recovery Cities Associated with Theft State



CRIME GUNS RECOVERED AND TRACED, 2017 - 2021

Traced Crime Guns

42,532

Traced Crime Guns to a Known Purchaser

35,843

Median TTC (Years)

2.3

Median Age of Possessor

31

Top Recovery Cities

Recovery City	# of Recovered Crime Guns
COLUMBIA	5,489
NORTH CHARLESTON	3,111
SPARTANBURG	1,830
SUMMERVILLE	1,622
CHARLESTON	1,547
Total	13,599

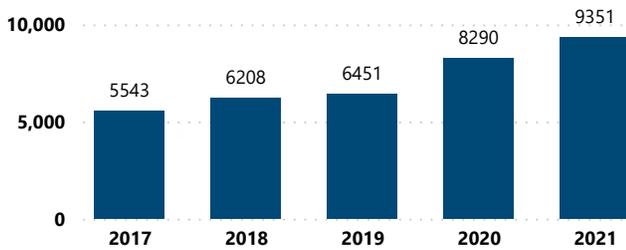
Top Source States

Source State	# of Recovered Crime Guns
SC	27,942
NC	1,882
GA	1,706
FL	675
VA	386
Total	32,591

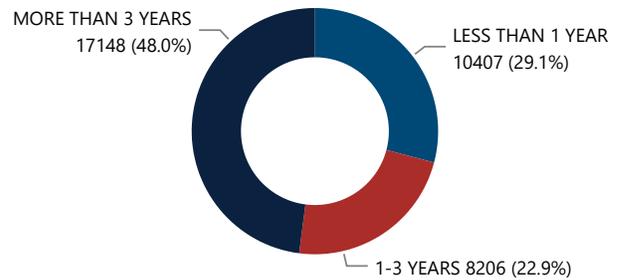
Top Source Cities

Source City	Source State	# of Recovered Crime Guns
COLUMBIA	SC	4,171
SUMMERVILLE	SC	2,652
GREENVILLE	SC	1,350
SPARTANBURG	SC	1,274
ROCK HILL	SC	1,146
Total		10,593

Crime Guns Traced to a Known Purchaser by Year



Crime Guns by TTC Grouping



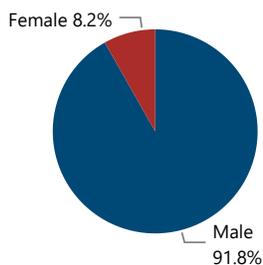
Crime Guns by Possessor Age

Possessor Age Group	# of Recovered Firearms	% of Total Recovered Firearms w/ Possessor Age Determined
17 and below	758	3.0%
18-21	3,578	14.0%
22-24	3,332	13.0%
25-34	9,103	35.6%
35-44	4,538	17.7%
45-54	2,582	10.1%
55-64	1,121	4.4%
65 and Over	577	2.3%
Total	25,589	100.0%

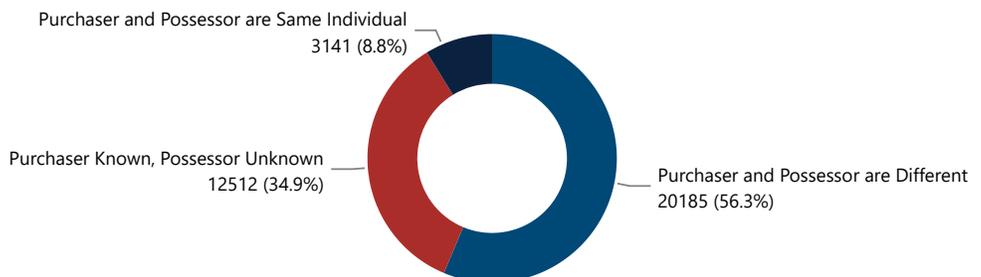
Crime Guns by FFL-to-Recovery Location

Distance (Miles) from FFL to Recovery Location	# of Recovered Firearms	% of Total Recovered Firearms w/ Distance Measured
0 - 10	10,941	35.8%
11 - 25	6,314	20.7%
26 - 50	2,882	9.4%
51 - 100	3,276	10.7%
101 - 200	2,826	9.3%
201 - 300	1,170	3.8%
More than 300	3,111	10.2%
Total	30,520	100.0%

Crime Guns by Possessor Gender



Crime Guns by Purchaser/Possessor Grouping when Purchaser is Known



CRIME GUNS SOURCED FROM THIS STATE, 2017 - 2021

Traced Crime Guns

48,381

Traced Crime Guns to a Known Purchaser

44,603

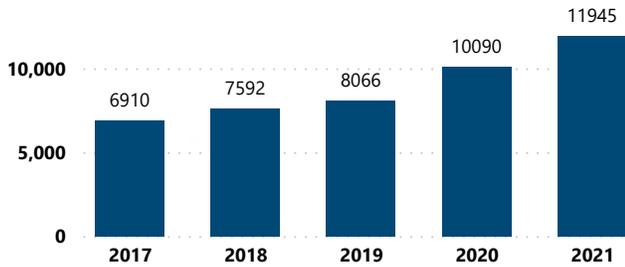
Median TTC (Years)

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Median Age of Purchaser

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Crime Guns Traced to a Known Purchaser by Year



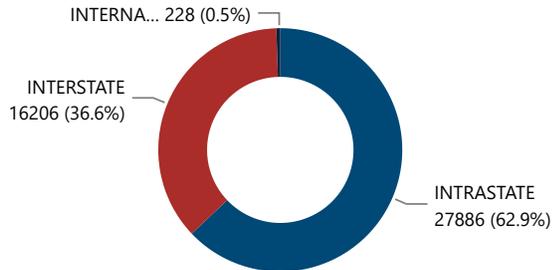
Top Recovery States

Recovery State	Recovered Crime Guns
SC	27,942
NC	4,477
NY	2,236
GA	1,784
NJ	1,108
Total	37,547

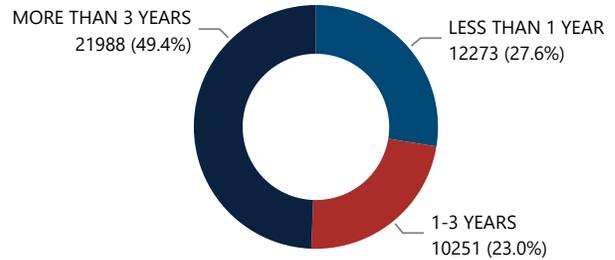
Top Recovery Cities

Recovery City/State	Recovered Crime Guns
COLUMBIA, SC	4,558
NORTH CHARLESTON, SC	2,546
CHARLOTTE, NC	1,793
SPARTANBURG, SC	1,458
NEW YORK, NY	1,421
Total	11,776

Crime Guns by Source-to-Recovery Location



Crime Guns by TTC Grouping



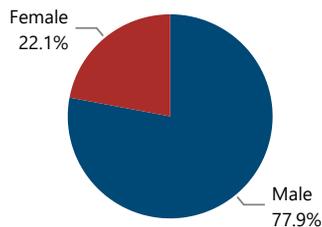
Crime Guns by Purchaser Age

Purchaser Age Group	# of Recovered Firearms	% of Total Recovered Firearms w/ Purchaser Age Determined
18-21	2,447	5.7%
22-24	8,333	19.3%
25-34	14,644	33.9%
35-44	7,489	17.3%
45-54	5,194	12.0%
55-64	3,084	7.1%
65 and Over	1,996	4.6%
Total	43,187	100.0%

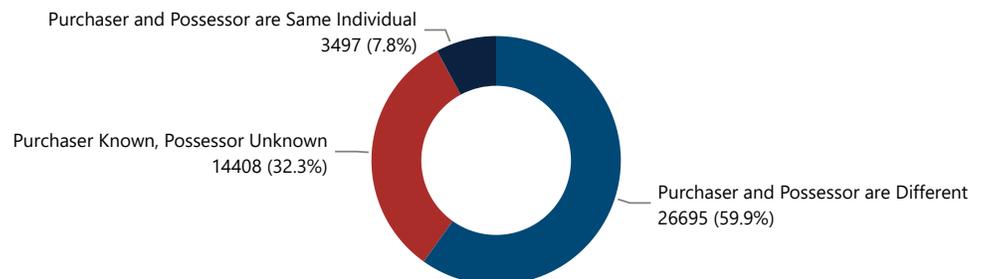
Crime Guns by Purchaser-to-FFL Location

Distance (Miles) from Purchaser's Known Residence to FFL Location	# of Recovered Firearms	% of Total Recovered Firearms w/ Distance Measured
0 - 10	23,593	55.8%
11 - 25	11,150	26.4%
26 - 50	3,281	7.8%
51 - 100	2,225	5.3%
101 - 200	1,533	3.6%
201 - 300	269	0.6%
More than 300	198	0.5%
Total	42,249	100.0%

Crime Guns by Purchaser Gender



Crime Guns by Purchaser/Possessor Grouping when Purchaser is Known



RECOVERED CRIME GUN CHARACTERISTICS, 2017 - 2021

Most Frequently Traced
Crime Gun Type

PISTOL

Most Frequently Traced
Crime Gun Caliber

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Most Frequently Traced Crime Gun
Make-Type-Caliber

TAS-P-9

Suspected PMFs
Recovered and Traced

97

Most Common Types of Crime Guns Recovered and Traced

Weapon Description	2017	% Change 2017-2018	2018	% Change 2018-2019	2019	% Change 2019-2020	2020	% Change 2020-2021	2021	% Change 2017-2021	Total
PISTOL	4,678	12.8 %	5,276	4.7 %	5,525	29.8 %	7,171	14.8 %	8,229	75.9 %	30,879
REVOLVER	1,070	-6.1 %	1,005	-14.5 %	859	7.6 %	924	-2.5 %	901	-15.8 %	4,759
RIFLE	618	25.7 %	777	-1.4 %	766	20.5 %	923	-7.8 %	851	37.7 %	3,935
SHOTGUN	492	3.9 %	511	-6.3 %	479	14.8 %	550	-1.8 %	540	9.8 %	2,572
Total	6,858	10.4 %	7,569	0.8 %	7,629	25.4 %	9,568	10.0 %	10,521	53.4 %	42,145

Top Crime Gun Calibers

Caliber	# of Recovered Crime Guns
9	15,494
40	5,240
380	4,354
22	3,615
45	2,609
38	2,069
12	1,978
357	942
762	814
556	776
Total	37,891

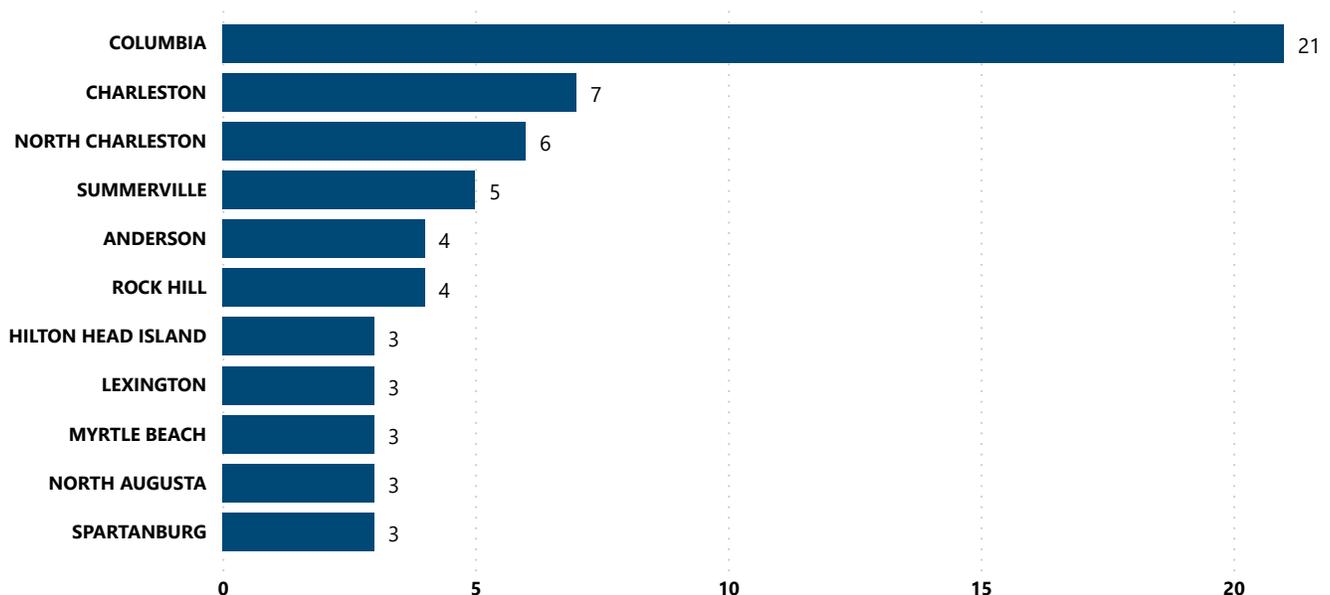
Top Crime Gun Type-Caliber Combinations

Weapon Type-Caliber	# of Recovered Crime Guns
P-9	15,333
P-40	5,204
P-380	4,332
P-45	2,528
PR-38	1,986
S-12	1,976
P-22	1,249
PR-22	1,151
R-22	1,149
PR-357	790
Total	35,698

Top Crime Gun Make-Type-Caliber Combinations

Make-Weapon Type-Caliber	# of Recovered Crime Guns
TAS-P-9	3,326
GLC-P-9	2,869
SW-P-9	2,101
GLC-P-40	1,997
SW-P-40	1,565
SKY-P-9	1,157
SR-P-9	1,150
SR-P-380	973
IMC-P-9	822
SW-PR-38	755
Total	16,715

Top Recovery Cities for Suspected PMF Traces



BALLISTIC EVIDENCE IN NIBIN, 2017 - 2021

Total Casings and Test Fires

48,730

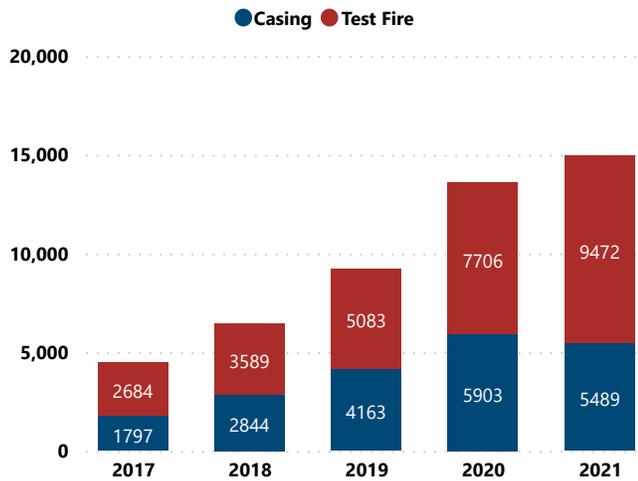
Casings and Test Fires with NIBIN Leads

9,412

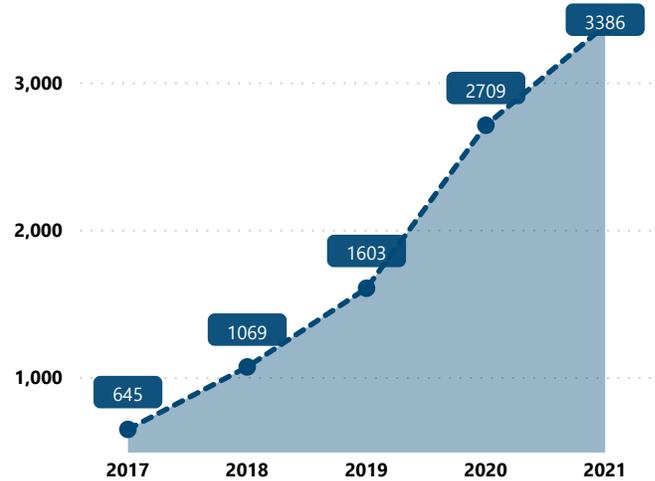
Lead Rate

19.3%

Total Casings and Test Fires by Year



Total Casings and Test Fires with Leads by Year



RECOVERED PISTOLS IN NIBIN, 2017 - 2021

Total Pistols

25,925

Pistols with Leads

2,204

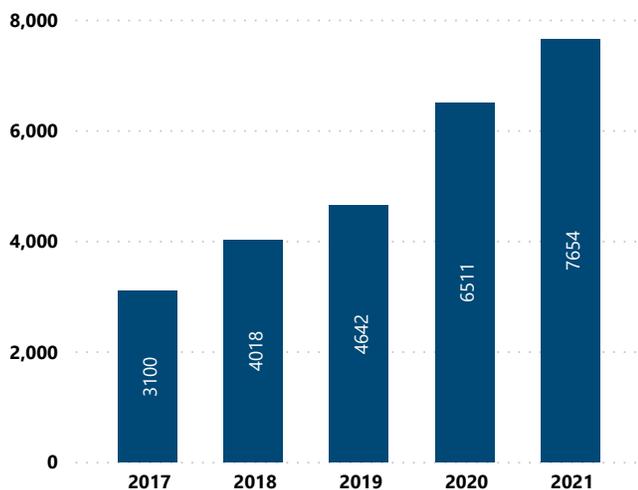
Lead Rate

8.5%

Median TTFS (Years)

1.5

Total Pistols by Year



Total Pistols with Leads by Year

