



# USBDC

## United States Bomb Data Center



Serving as the national repository for arson and explosive related incident data

### MISSION

To increase regional and national situational awareness by collecting, analyzing, and disseminating information and intelligence products to assist U.S. federal agents, investigators from state, local, tribal, and military departments, and international partners in preventing violent crime and acts of terrorism. These products use statistical and technical information, as well as analysis trends related to the criminal use of explosives and arson.



### 1976

ATF began collecting, storing, and analyzing records on arson and explosive related incidents.

### 2004

The Attorney General mandated that all Department of Justice arson and explosive related incidents be consolidated in a single database, known as BATS.

### BATS

Bomb Arson Tracking System

### NETC

National Explosives Tracing Center



12,600 active users



2,600 inter-agency partners



Information about 490,000+ arson and explosive related incidents



Mobile BATS (mBATS): Allowing real-time reporting of incidents into this secure national database



Partnerships with Defense and Explosives industry aid in tracing recovered explosives



Trace back to point of origin, including interstate movement and international commerce.

USBDC also collects, monitors, and maintains information about the theft and loss of explosive materials in coordination with U.S. law enforcement agencies and disseminates security alerts to U.S. law enforcement partners.

