

Divorce Rate in 2008

Reporting States' Rate = 3.5 Divorces per 1,000 Population*

ALPHA ORDER

RANK	STATE	RATE
11	Alabama	4.2
10	Alaska	4.3
19	Arizona	3.7
2	Arkansas	5.6
NA	California**	NA
11	Colorado	4.2
31	Connecticut	3.2
22	Delaware	3.6
8	Florida	4.5
NA	Georgia**	NA
NA	Hawaii**	NA
7	Idaho	4.7
41	Illinois	2.5
NA	Indiana**	NA
43	Iowa	2.4
22	Kansas	3.6
5	Kentucky	4.9
NA	Louisiana**	NA
22	Maine	3.6
36	Maryland	2.9
44	Massachusetts	2.0
28	Michigan	3.4
NA	Minnesota**	NA
9	Mississippi	4.4
16	Missouri	3.8
22	Montana	3.6
28	Nebraska	3.4
1	Nevada	6.5
19	New Hampshire	3.7
34	New Jersey	3.0
14	New Mexico	4.1
37	New York	2.7
16	North Carolina	3.8
37	North Dakota	2.7
28	Ohio	3.4
4	Oklahoma	5.0
15	Oregon	4.0
37	Pennsylvania	2.7
37	Rhode Island	2.7
41	South Carolina	2.5
33	South Dakota	3.1
11	Tennessee	4.2
31	Texas	3.2
27	Utah	3.5
22	Vermont	3.6
16	Virginia	3.8
19	Washington	3.7
6	West Virginia	4.8
34	Wisconsin	3.0
3	Wyoming	5.1

RANK ORDER

RANK	STATE	RATE
1	Nevada	6.5
2	Arkansas	5.6
3	Wyoming	5.1
4	Oklahoma	5.0
5	Kentucky	4.9
6	West Virginia	4.8
7	Idaho	4.7
8	Florida	4.5
9	Mississippi	4.4
10	Alaska	4.3
11	Alabama	4.2
11	Colorado	4.2
11	Tennessee	4.2
14	New Mexico	4.1
15	Oregon	4.0
16	Missouri	3.8
16	North Carolina	3.8
16	Virginia	3.8
19	Arizona	3.7
19	New Hampshire	3.7
19	Washington	3.7
22	Delaware	3.6
22	Kansas	3.6
22	Maine	3.6
22	Montana	3.6
22	Vermont	3.6
27	Utah	3.5
28	Michigan	3.4
28	Nebraska	3.4
28	Ohio	3.4
31	Connecticut	3.2
31	Texas	3.2
33	South Dakota	3.1
34	New Jersey	3.0
34	Wisconsin	3.0
36	Maryland	2.9
37	New York	2.7
37	North Dakota	2.7
37	Pennsylvania	2.7
37	Rhode Island	2.7
41	Illinois	2.5
41	South Carolina	2.5
43	Iowa	2.4
44	Massachusetts	2.0
NA	California**	NA
NA	Georgia**	NA
NA	Hawaii**	NA
NA	Indiana**	NA
NA	Louisiana**	NA
NA	Minnesota**	NA

District of Columbia 2.5

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*Provisional data by state of occurrence. National rate is only for reporting states.

**Not available.