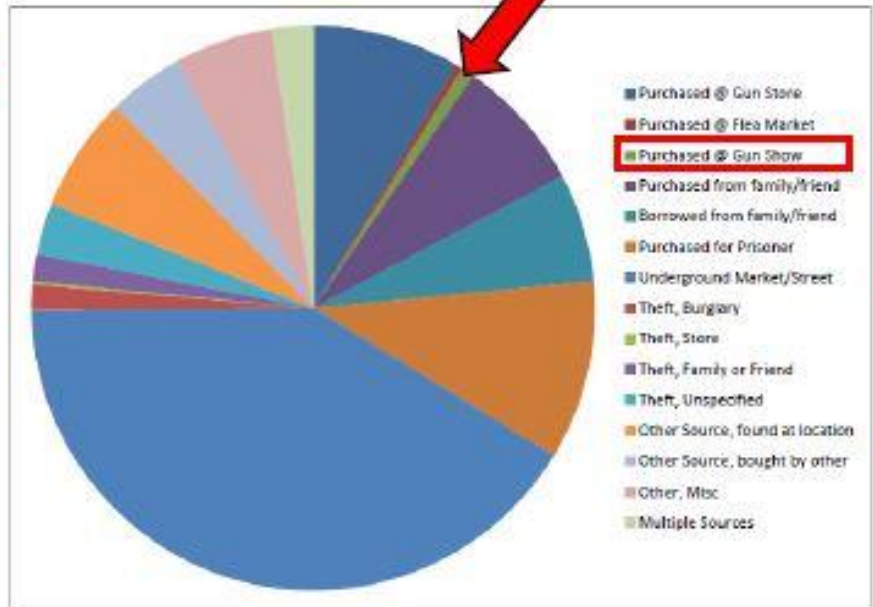


**Sources & Methods used to obtain firearms, 2016 (256,400 state/federal prisoners in possession during offense, serving time for)**

**Detail**

Purchased @ Gun Store	8.9%
Purchased @ Flea Market	0.4%
<b>Purchased @ Gun Show</b>	<b>0.8%</b>
Purchased from family/friend	8.0%
Borrowed from family/friend	6.5%
Purchased for Prisoner	10.8%
Underground Market/Street	43.2%
Theft, Burglary	1.5%
Theft, Store	0.2%
Theft, Family or Friend	1.6%
Theft, Unspecified	3.1%
Other Source, found at location	6.9%
Other Source, bought by other	4.6%
Other, Misc	5.9%
Multiple Sources	2.5%

Total in Survey: 256,400



**TABLE 5**

**Among state and federal prisoners who had possessed a firearm during the offense for which they were serving time, sources and methods used to obtain a firearm, 2016**

Source and method to obtain firearm	All prisoners	State	Federal
<b>Purchased/traded at retail source</b>	<b>10.1%</b>	9.7%	13.2%
Gun shop/store	7.5	7.1	9.6
Pawn shop	1.6	1.5	2.2
Flea market	0.4	:	:
Gun show	0.8	0.8	1.4
<b>Obtained from individual</b>	<b>25.3%</b>	26.0%	20.5%
Purchased/traded from family/friend	8.0	7.9	9.1
Rented/borrowed from family/friend	6.5	7.0	3.0
Gift/purchased for prisoner	10.8	11.2	8.4
<b>Off the street/underground market<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>43.2%</b>	43.2%	42.9%
<b>Theft<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>6.4%</b>	6.6%	4.7%
From burglary	1.5	1.5	:
From retail source	0.2	:	:
From family/friend	1.6	1.8	:
Unspecified theft <sup>c</sup>	3.1	3.3	1.8
<b>Other source</b>	<b>17.4%</b>	17.1%	20.1%
Found at location of crime/victim	6.9	6.7	7.9
Brought by someone else	4.6	4.7	3.6
Other <sup>d</sup>	5.9	5.6	8.5
<b>Multiple sources<sup>e</sup></b>	<b>2.5%</b>	2.6%	2.0%
Estimated number of prisoners who possessed a firearm, excluding prisoners who did not report source <sup>f</sup>	256,400	227,100	29,300

**STRAW PURCHASE QUESTION FROM FEDERAL FORM**

11. Answer the following questions by checking or marking "yes" or "no" in the boxes to the right of the questions.

a. Are you the actual transferee/buyer of the firearm(s) listed on this form? **Warning: You are not the actual transferee/buyer if you are acquiring the firearm(s) on behalf of another person. If you are not the actual transferee/buyer, the licensee cannot transfer the firearm(s) to you. Exception: If you are picking up a repaired firearm(s) for another person, you are not required to answer 11.a. and may proceed to question 11.b. (See Instructions for Question 11.a.)**

Yes	No
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>