

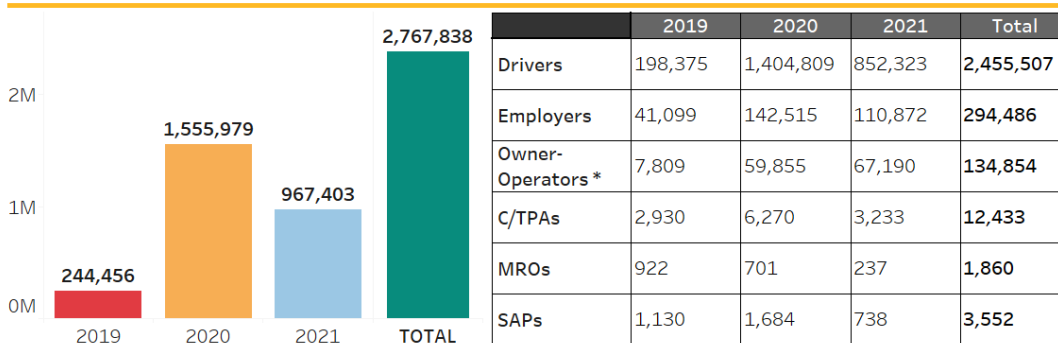
# DRUG & ALCOHOL CLEARINGHOUSE

## October 2021 Monthly Summary Report

### REGISTRATIONS

Registration for the FMCSA Drug and Alcohol Clearinghouse (Clearinghouse) began for all user roles on September 28, 2019. Commercial driver's license (CDL) or commercial learner's permit (CLP) holders, employers, consortia/third-party administrators (C/TPAs), medical review officers (MROs), and substance abuse professionals (SAPs) all must register within the Clearinghouse. In some cases, a single user may have multiple roles within the Clearinghouse. For a summary of the number of drivers and organizations that registered in the Clearinghouse, see the table below.

#### CDL/CLP Holder and Organization Registrations



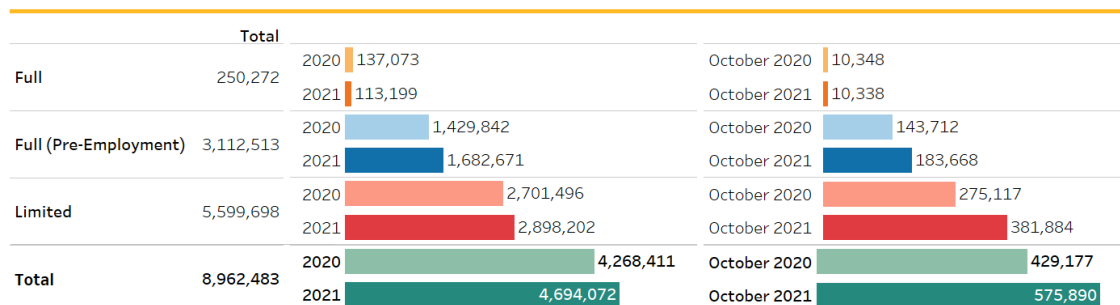
This chart reflects the number of CDL/CLP holders (drivers) and organizations registered within the Clearinghouse by role type since September 28, 2019.

Number of completed registrations through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021. \* Owner-operator counts are not included in the annual totals, as owner-operators are a subset of Employers and are included in the Employer counts.

### QUERIES

Employers are required to conduct queries in the Clearinghouse when hiring a new CDL/CLP holder and annually for all CDL/CLP holders they currently employ.

#### Queries Conducted

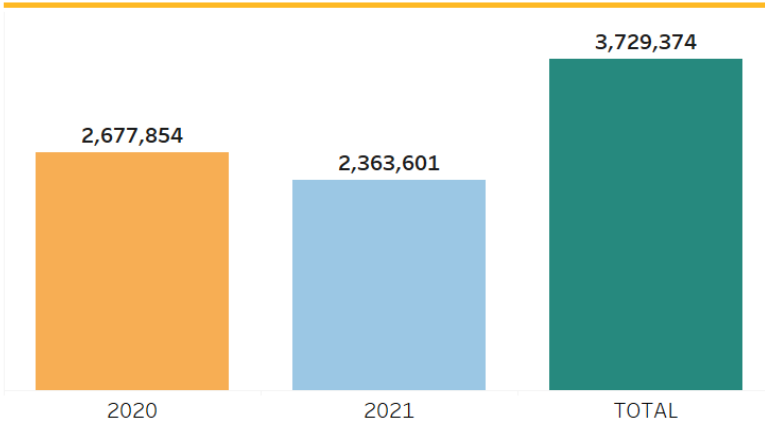


The graph illustrates the number of each type of query conducted by employers, or their designated C/TPA since January 6, 2020. The full query total includes limited queries that have been elevated to full.

Queries conducted through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021.

QUERIES REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE CONTINUED

### Unique CDL/CLP Holders Queried



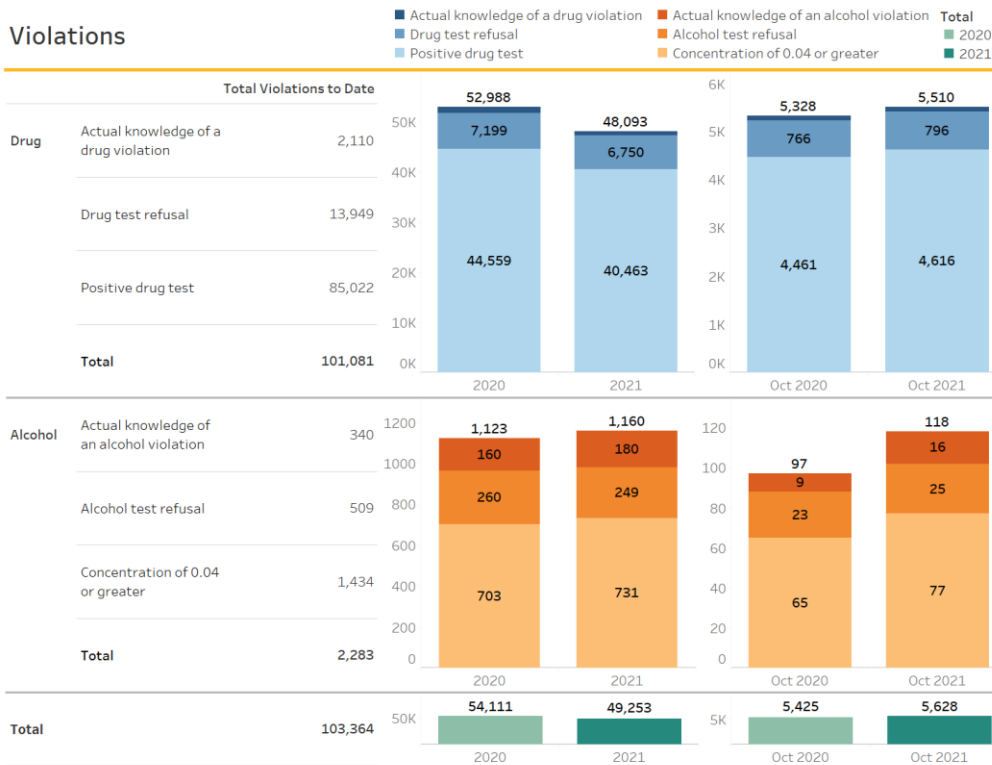
The graph illustrates the number of CDL/CLP holders whose information has been queried by employers (or their designated C/TPA) since January 6, 2020.

Unique drivers queried through October 2021, as of 11/01/2021.

## VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE

Employers or their designated C/TPA, and MROs are required to report violations of the drug and alcohol program.

### Violations



The graph to the left illustrates the number of violations reported to the Clearinghouse since January 6, 2020.

Violations reported through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021.

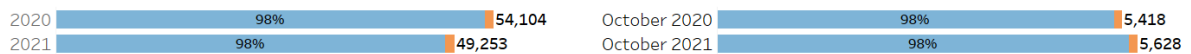
VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE CONTINUED

## Drug and Alcohol Test Results By Test Type

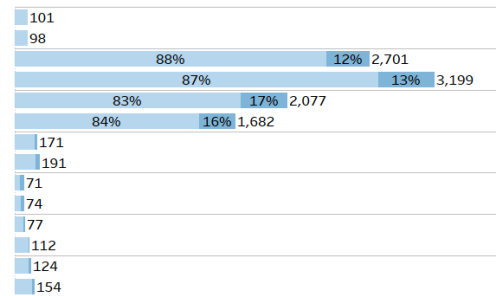
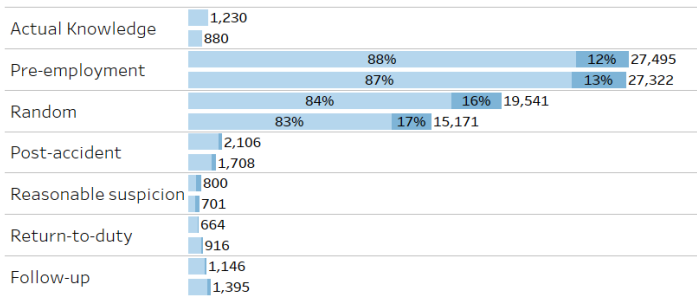
Since January 6, 2020 there were 103,364 test results reported to the Clearinghouse. The table below breaks out these test results by type of test, for controlled substance (drug) tests and alcohol tests. The left side depicts test results by year and the right side compares October 2020 with October 2021.

Note: This table does not include 7 violations (6 drug and 1 alcohol) for which a "reason for test" was not indicated during entry.

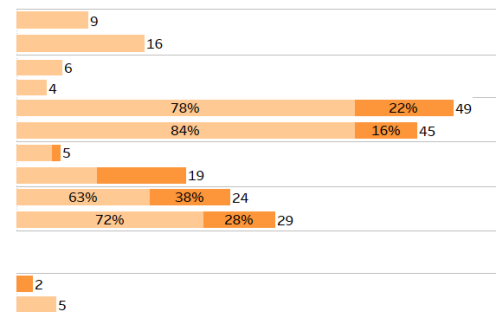
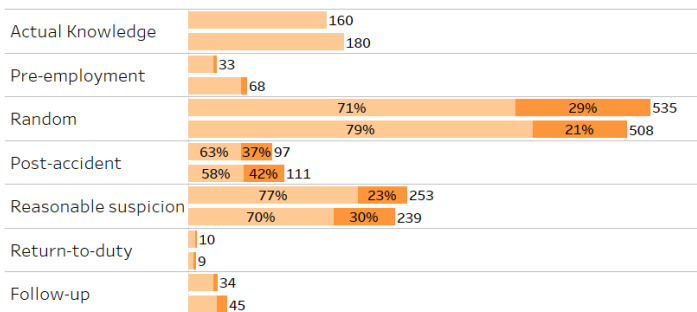
### Total Test Results (Drug or Alcohol) by Test Type - Year and Month (October) Comparison



### Drug Test Results (Positive or Refusal) by Test Type



### Alcohol Test Results (Positive or Refusal) by Test Type



Test Results reported through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021.

VIOLATIONS REPORTED TO CLEARINGHOUSE CONTINUED

Positive drug tests account for **82%** of the total violations reported.

See chart to the right for a breakdown of results reported to the Clearinghouse by year since January 6, 2020 of the number of times a driver tested positive for each substance.

The graph below shows total results reported to the Clearinghouse since January 6, 2020 of the number of times a driver tested positive for each substance.

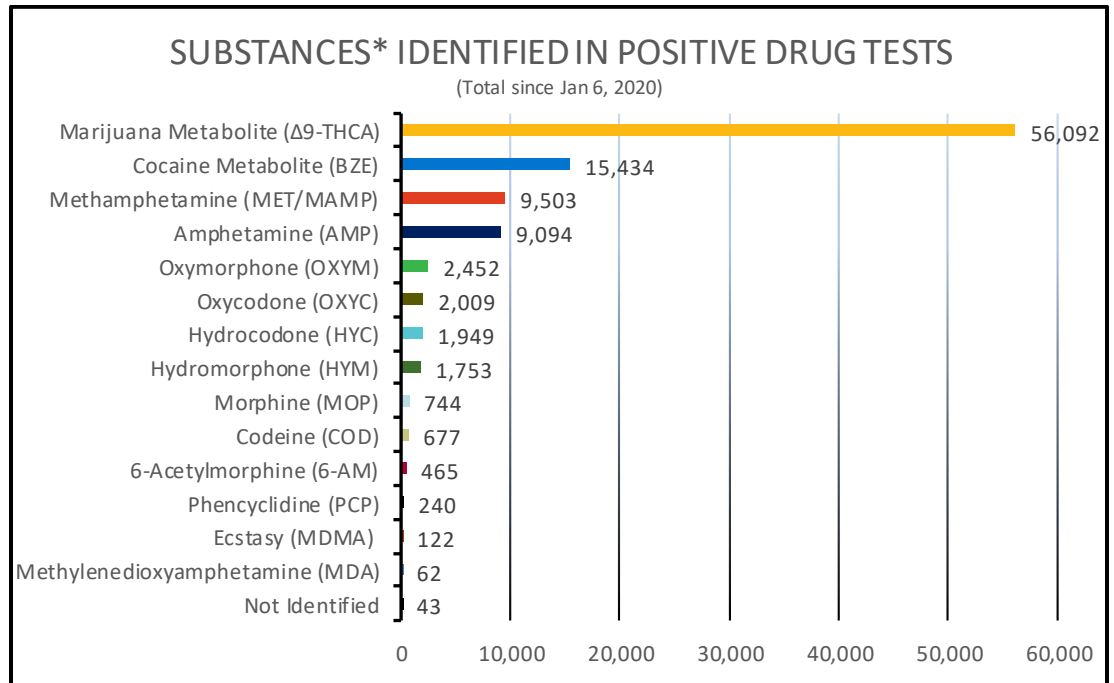
Note: To date, there have been **4,521** reports of dilute specimens, with **2,123** occurring in 2021. Reports of dilute specimens must also indicate an identified substance, therefore these dilute specimens are reflected in the total substance counts.

**SUBSTANCES IDENTIFIED IN POSITIVE DRUG TESTS**  
(Reported through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021)

Substance	2020	2021	# Tests Identified*
Marijuana Metabolite (Δ9-THCA)	29,511	26,581	56,092
Cocaine Metabolite (BZE)	7,940	7,494	15,434
Methamphetamine (MET/MA MP)	5,187	4,316	9,503
Amphetamine (AMP)	4,953	4,141	9,094
Oxymorphone (OXYM)	1,372	1,080	2,452
Oxycodone (OXYC)	1,106	903	2,009
Hydrocodone (HYC)	1,082	867	1,949
Hydromorphone (HYM)	1,000	753	1,753
Morphine (MOP)	443	301	744
Codeine (COD)	386	291	677
6-Acetylmorphine (6-AM)	302	163	465
Phencyclidine (PCP)	137	103	240
Ecstasy (MDMA)	65	57	122
Methylenedioxyam-phetamine (MDA)	30	32	62
Not Identified	43	0	43
<b>All substances</b>	<b>53,557</b>	<b>47,082</b>	<b>100,639</b>

\*Total since January 6, 2020

Note: More than one substance can appear in a positive drug test



Positive drug tests reported through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021

## RETURN-TO-DUTY PROCESSES

If a CDL/CLP holder has a drug and alcohol program violation recorded in the Clearinghouse, the CDL/CLP holder must be removed from safety-sensitive functions, including operating a commercial motor vehicle, until the return-to-duty (RTD) process is completed. Select milestones of a driver's RTD process are recorded in the Clearinghouse. The table below provides a snapshot of the number of drivers in the RTD process with their status in the Clearinghouse as of November 1, 2021.

### CDL/CLP Holders in the Return-to-Duty (RTD) Process as of 11/1/2021

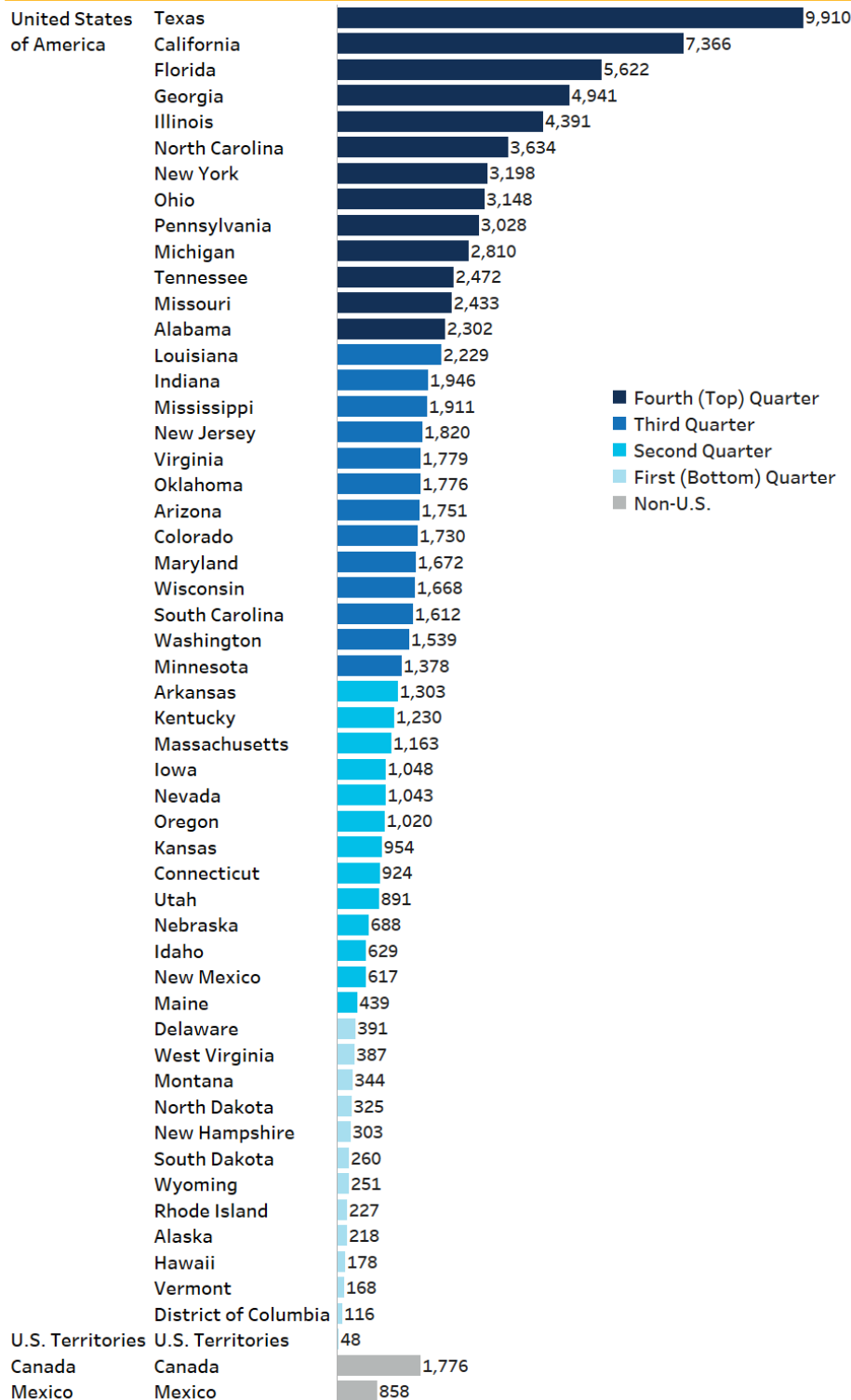
RTD STATUS	# DRIVERS
<b>All Drivers (with at least 1 violation)</b>	<b>95,876</b>
<b>CDL/CLP holders in Prohibited Status</b>	<b>75,337</b>
RTD Process Not Started	56,543
Substance Abuse Professional (SAP) Request Sent	659
SAP Designation Confirmed	1,830
SAP Request Declined	384
Initial SAP Assessment Complete	3,534
Determined Eligible for RTD Testing	12,387
<b>CDL/CLP Holders in Not-Prohibited Status*</b>	<b>20,539</b>
RTD Test with Negative Results	18,955
Follow-Up Testing Plan Complete	1,584

\* A driver is no longer prohibited from performing safety-sensitive functions once they have a negative RTD test result.

## INFORMATION BY LOCATION

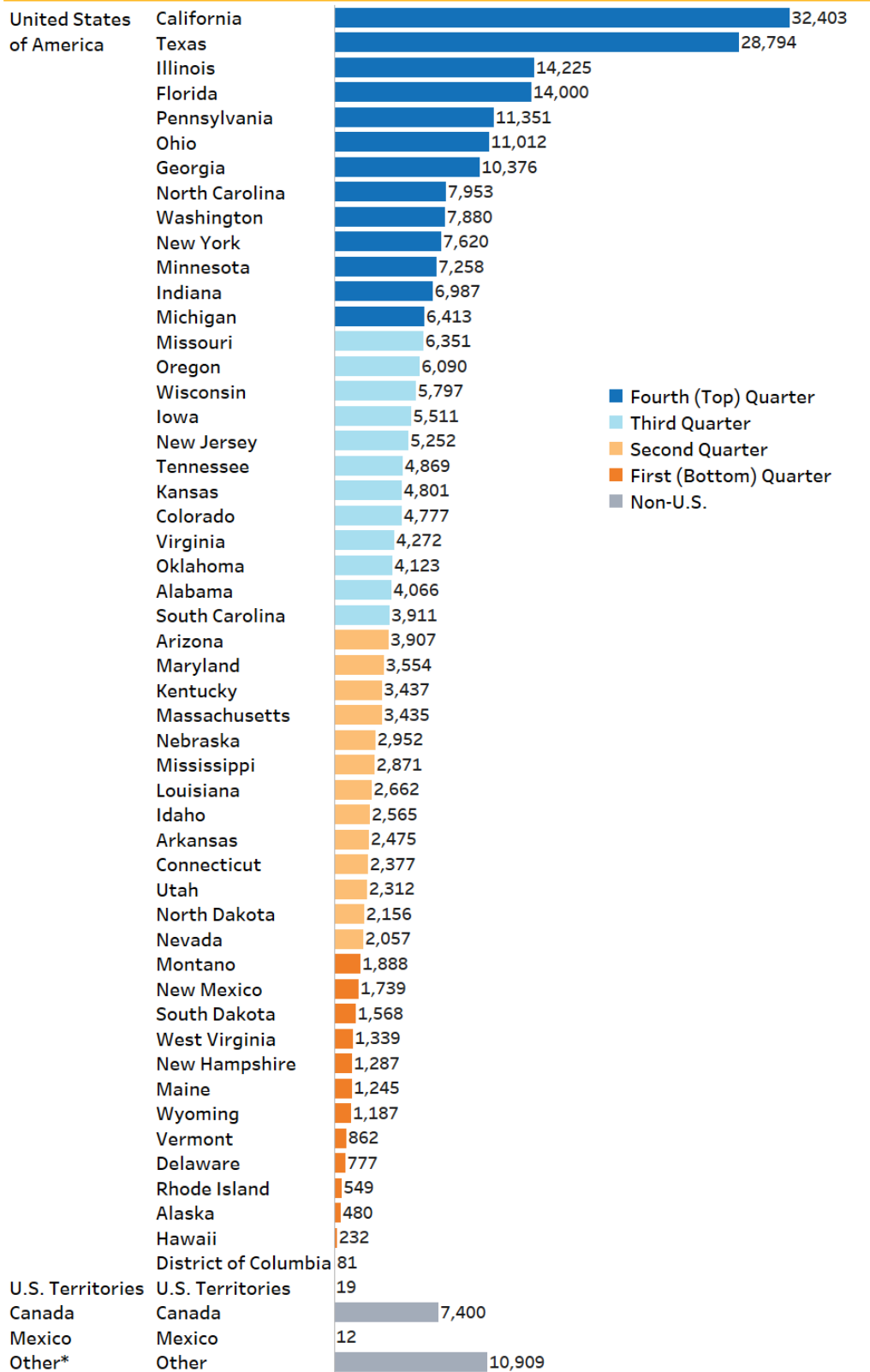
The following tables provide breakdowns of violations based on the jurisdiction that issued the driver's CDL/CLP and the number of registered employers by their domicile.

### Violations Reported, by Location of CDL/CLP Issuance



Violations (by location) reported or modified through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021.

## Unique Registered Employers by Location



Number of registered employers through October 2021, as of 11/1/2021. \* "Other" represents data where the location is missing or otherwise not able to be determined.