RANK OF STATES

Patents Issued Per Million Population*

1.	Delaware	754	27.	Oregon	157
2.	New Jersey	514	28.	Missouri	139
3.	Connecticut	512	29.	Virginia	137
4.	California	347	30.	Kansas	134
5.	Illinois	338	31.	Wyoming	114
6.	Massachusetts	327	32.	New Mexico	114
7.	Colorado	280	33.	Idaho	112
8.	Michigan	279	34.	North Carolina	106
9.	Pennsylvania	273	35.	Lousiana	97
10.	Ohio	272	36.	Tennessee	95
11.	Arizona	272	37.	West Virginia	93
12.	New York	260	38.	District of Columbia	92
13.	Minnesota	254			
14.	Oklahoma	242	39.	South Carolina	90
15.	New Hampshire	239	40.	Nebraska	88
16.	Nevada	227	41.	Kentucky	87
17.	Rhode Island	221	42.	Alaska	87
18.	Maryland	220	43.	Georgia	73
19.	Utah	212	44.	North Dakota	71
20.	Indiana	206	45.	Montana	65
21.	Wisconsin	200	46.	South Dakota	65
22.	Texas	184	47.	Alabama	60
23.	Vermont	169	48.	Hawaii	56
24.	Washington	165	49.	Arkansas	53
25.	Florida	161	50.	Maine	52
26.	Iowa	160	51.	Mississippi	33
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Population Figures - 1970 Census Data.