

## **Data Declaration**

## Number of Agencies and Population Covered by Population Group, 2013

The FBI collects these data through the FBI UCR Program's NIBRS.

## **General Comment**

This table shows the number of law enforcement agencies (LEAs) reporting via both the Summary Reporting System and the NIBRS and included in *Crime in the United States (CIUS)*, 2013, and in this publication, which includes only NIBRS contributors.

## Methodology

The figures in this publication for *CIUS* come directly from the 2013 publication and follow the methodology provided.

The figures in the number of participating agencies column for this publication are derived by counting the number of LEAs that reported at least one Group A Offense Report, Group B Arrest Report, or Zero Report to the NIBRS during the period January 1 through December 31, 2013.

The FBI computed individual rates of growth from one year to the next for every city/town and county using 2010 decennial population counts and 2011 through 2012 population estimates from the U.S. Census Bureau. Each agency's rates of growth were averaged; that average was then applied and added to its 2012 Census population estimate to derive the agency's 2013 population estimate.