

# A Few "Bad Apple" Gun Dealers = A Flood of Crime Guns



**1,700,000  
Crime Guns**

Corrupt gun  
dealers  
**trafficked,**  
on average,  
**550 guns** each

1,800 dealers  
inspected by  
ATF averaged **80**  
federal firearms  
**violations** per  
dealer

**57%** of crime  
guns were sold  
by **1%** of the  
nation's gun  
dealers

Approximate number of guns traced by ATF 1996-2003

Source: Department of Justice, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives