

GW EXTREMISM TRACKER

TERRORISM IN THE UNITED STATES

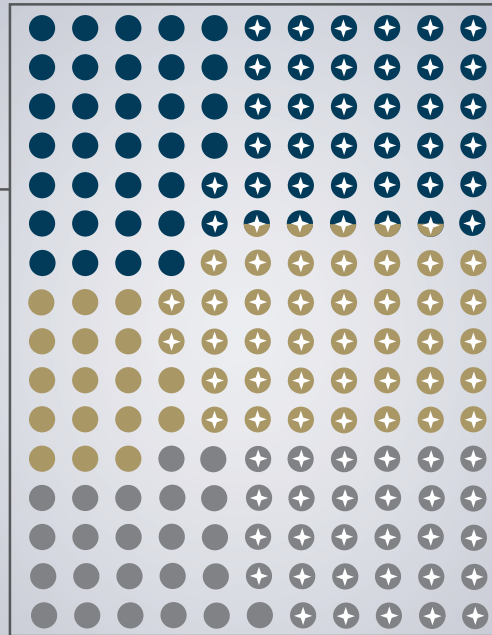
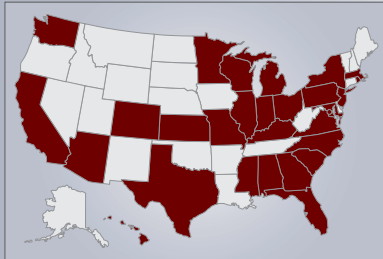
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196 INDIVIDUALS HAVE BEEN CHARGED IN THE U.S. ON OFFENSES RELATED to the Islamic State (also known as IS, ISIS, and ISIL) since March 2014, when the first arrests occurred. Of those:

The average age of those charged is **28**

90% are male

Their activities were located in **28** states and the District of Columbia



40% were accused of attempting to travel or successfully traveled abroad.

32% were accused of being involved in plots to carry out attacks on U.S. soil.

57% were charged in an operation involving an informant and/or an undercover agent.
★ indicates law enforcement operation

146 PLEAD OR WERE FOUND GUILTY

THE AVERAGE LENGTH OF SENTENCE IN YEARS IS **13.5***

* Uses 470 months for life sentences per the practice of the U.S. Sentencing Commission'

Legal Proceedings (IS & Other Jihadist Groups)

NAIF ABDULAZIZ M. ALFALLAJ

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Naif Abdulaziz M. Alfallaj, a citizen of Saudi Arabia and 35-year-old former resident of Weatherford, Oklahoma, was sentenced in the Western District of Oklahoma to 151 months' imprisonment for making a false statement to the FBI about his attendance at an al Qaeda (AQ) training camp in Afghanistan in 2000, as well as for visa fraud. Alfallaj lied on a nonimmigrant visa form when he first entered the U.S. in 2011, stating he had never supported terrorists or terrorist organizations. He also made false statements to the FBI during their investigation, claiming that he had

never visited Afghanistan or participated in religious, tactical, or military training outside Saudi Arabia. Alfallaj pleaded guilty to both counts in December of 2018. Sources: [DOJ Press Release](#), [Fox News, Task and Purpose](#)

ABDULLAHI AHMED ABDULLAHI

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Abdullahi Ahmed Abdullahi, a citizen of Canada and 34-year-old former resident of San Diego, California, made his initial court appearance in the Southern District of California after being extradited from Canada on charges of conspiracy to provide and providing material support to terrorists. The indictment alleges that Abdullahi conspired with Douglas McCain, an American who died overseas fighting

with the Islamic State (IS), and other individuals to provide personnel and money to individuals associated with IS. Abdullahi allegedly facilitated the travel of at least three Canadian nationals and two Americans to join the Islamic State. To fund their travel in part, Abdullahi and co-conspirators allegedly robbed a jewelry store in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. He was arrested by Canadian officials and was being held in Canadian custody before being extradited to the U.S. on October 24, 2019. Sources: [DOJ Press Release](#), [Fox 5](#), [ABC News](#)