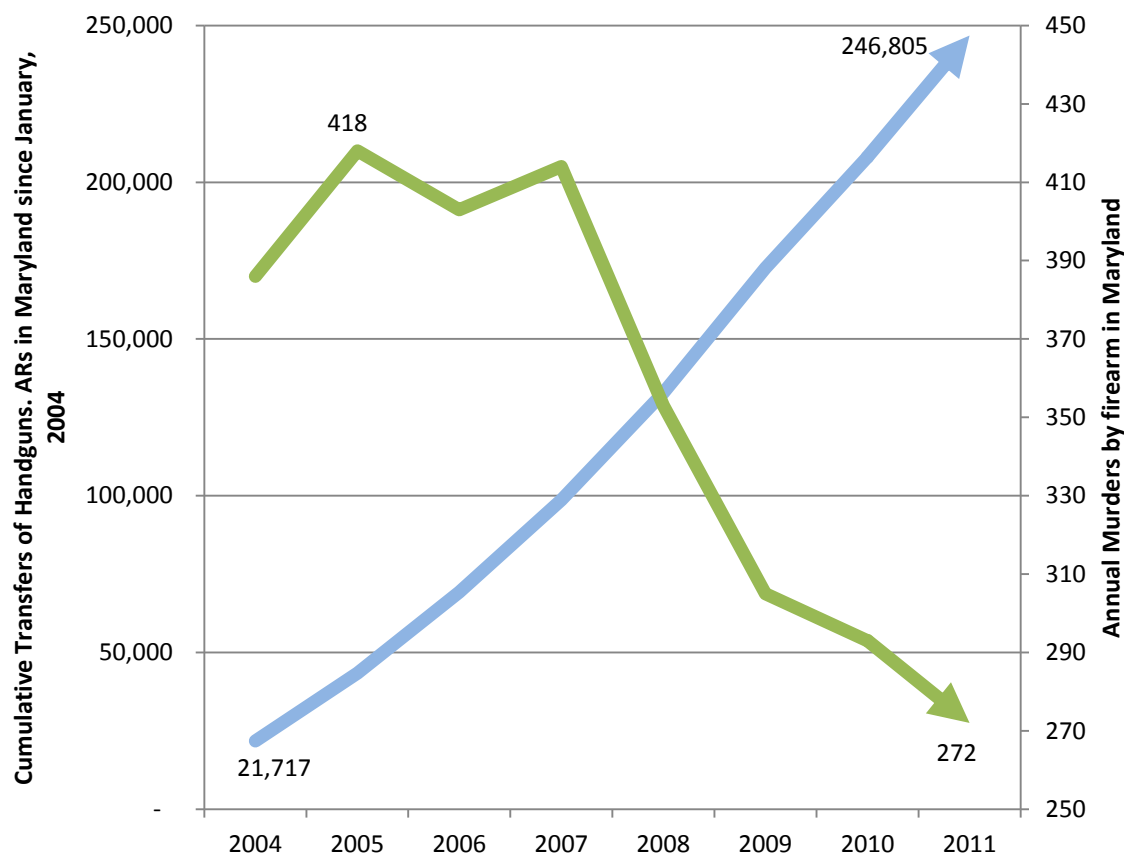


# Annual Gun Murders

vs.

## Maryland-Regulated Gun Sales, '04-'11



Handguns & Assault Rifles

Nearly 250K

Killings

1/3

**Sources:** (A) Maryland State Police Annual Reports; (B) FBI Uniform Crime Reporting Program, Supplemental Homicide Table 20

**Notes:** Federal Assault Weapons Ban expired in Sept., 2004. For this entire period, 2004-2011, Maryland-regulated weapons included all handguns and designated assault rifles. All primary and secondary sales during this period, excluding law enforcement, required background checks and approval by Maryland State Police. The state has no gun show or private sale exemption for handguns or designated assault rifles. Reliable estimates for illegal sales of any firearms are not available and not included.