

AOPA GENERAL AVIATION TRENDS

Total GA Landings by Aircraft Type

	Piston SE	Piston ME*	Total Piston	Turbo-prop	Turbo-jet	Rotor-craft	Experi-mental	Other	TOTAL
Yearly data									
1985	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	44,300,000
1986	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	47,600,000
1987	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	46,800,000
1988	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	48,100,000
1989	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	44,800,000
1990	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	52,900,000
1991	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	48,000,000
1992	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	39,600,000
1993	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	33,200,000
1994	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	34,900,000
1995	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	35,800,000
1996	24,431,875	2,076,859	26,508,734	1,804,191	1,238,862	4,560,419	1,541,006	329,064	35,982,276
1997	19,577,891	716,691	20,294,582	650,095	207,172	3,803,879	1,184,728	278,711	26,418,167
1998	23,177,082	3,854,298	27,031,380	2,600,054	1,894,445	6,221,975	1,669,118	642,516	40,059,488
1999	31,405,869	3,615,697	35,021,566	1,925,509	2,346,462	7,137,042	1,854,034	438,299	48,722,913
2000	29,608,049	3,673,774	33,301,424	2,383,337	2,229,381	6,931,774	2,115,492	483,201	47,444,609
2001	28,071,385	3,008,311	31,108,181	1,903,833	1,999,534	4,869,983	1,842,580	415,821	42,139,932
2002	27,594,941	2,521,951	30,127,617	4,009,605	2,184,197	4,877,998	2,016,243	439,796	43,655,457
2003	24,129,913	2,641,118	26,792,031	3,071,357	2,096,498	6,270,340	1,867,399	322,357	40,419,983
2004	23,682,479	3,218,935	26,949,354	2,425,208	2,796,740	6,268,086	2,047,004	350,777	40,837,169
2005	22,361,387	3,042,301	25,419,487	2,231,300	2,788,796	7,905,863	1,984,879	342,989	40,697,787

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Note:

* ME Piston includes *Other piston*

In 1992, procedures used by the FAA to estimate the number of active aircraft and the number of hours flown in general aviation were revised. This change in methodology resulted in lowering landing estimates probably between 6% to 8% for 1991 compared to what would have been produced under the old procedures. Landing totals for previous years were not revised by the FAA.

Source: General Aviation and Air Taxi Activity Survey (CY 2005) released 12/2006