

Fed Probe Affirms U.S. is Overwhelmingly ISIS's Main Target, FBI has 1,000 Investigations Open

[reported](#) that the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has nearly 1,000 active probes involving the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS) inside the United States, a congressional inquiry confirms that the U.S. is overwhelmingly the terrorist group's main target. The federal investigation examined the 75 ISIS-linked terrorist plots against the west to date and found that one-third of them were aimed at the U.S. or its interests overseas.

The probe was conducted by the House Homeland Security Committee, which closely analyzed dozens of ISIS-linked attacks on the west that have been recorded so far. More than one-third were aimed at the U.S., according to the committee's findings, which were released this month in a report titled [letter](#) to the commander-in-chief after the White House announced that two federal prisons in Florence (Supermax and the U.S. Penitentiary) along with a state complex near Canon City were reviewed by the Pentagon for the potential transfer. The outraged law enforcement officials say a civilian prison with an untold number of enemy combatant inmates would provide a very tempting target for anyone wishing to either free the detainees or make a political statement.