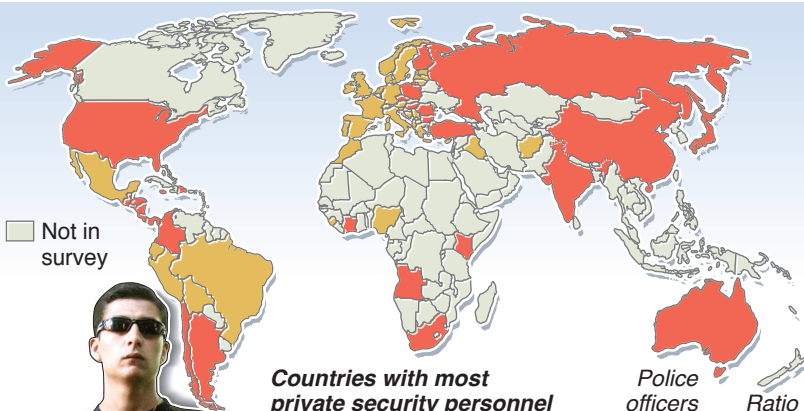


Private security outnumbers police worldwide

The private security industry is enjoying a global boom, employing almost twice as many people as governments have police officers, according to a research institution survey of 70 countries

More private security than police More police than private security



Countries with most private security personnel

		Police officers	Ratio
India	7,000,000	1,406,021	4.98
China	5,000,000	2,690,000	1.86
United States	2,000,000	883,600	2.26
Russia	800,000	601,000	1.33
Brazil	570,000	687,684	0.83
Japan	459,305	246,800	1.86
Mexico	450,000	495,821	0.91
South Africa	387,273	150,513	2.57
Turkey	257,192	201,064	1.28
Colombia	190,000	119,146	1.59
World total	19,545,308	10,799,059	1.81