## NUMBER OF STARS

## DATES OF USE

## STATES REPRESENTED

0 The first British Union Jack appeared in the canton.	late 1775 ? - 13 June 1777 (unofficial)	Connecticut, Delaware, Georgia, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Virginia
13	14 June 1777 - 30 April 1795	SAME AS ABOVE
15	1 May 1795 - 3 July 1818	Kentucky, Vermont
20	4 July 1818 - 3 July 1819	Indiana, Louisiana, Mississippi, Ohio, Tennessee
21	4 July 1819 - 3 July 1820	Illinois
23	4 July 1820 - 3 July 1822	Alabama, Maine
24	4 July 1822 - 3 July 1836	Missouri
25	4 July 1836 - 3 July 1837	Arkansas
26	4 July 1837 - 3 July 1845	Michigan

27	4 July 1845 - 3 July 1846	Florida
28	4 July 1846 - 3 July 1847	Texas
29	4 July 1847 - 3 July 1848	Iowa
30	4 July 1848 - 3 July 1851	Wisconsin
31	4 July 1851 - 3 July 1858	California
32	4 July 1858 - 3 July 1859	Minnesota
33	4 July 1859 - 3 July 1861	Oregon
34	4 July 1861 - 3 July 1863	Kansas
35	4 July 1863 - 3 July 1865	West Virginia
36	4 July 1865 - 3 July 1867	Nevada
37	4 July 1867 - 3 July 1877	Nebraska
38	4 July 1877 - 3 July 1890	Colorado

43	4 July 1890 - 3 July 1891	Idaho, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Washington
44	4 July 1891 - 3 July 1896	Wyoming
45	4 July 1896 - 3 July 1908	Utah
46	4 July 1980 - 3 July 1912	Oklahoma
48	4 July 1912 - 3 July 1959	Arizona, New Mexico
49	4 July 1959 - 3 July 1960	Alaska
50	4 July 1960 - present	Hawaii

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