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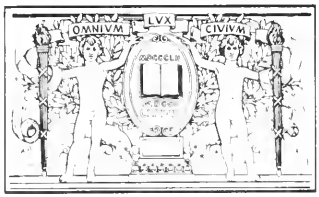

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UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING
(1970 Preliminary Annual Release)

During calendar year 1970 crime in the United States, as measured by the Crime Index offenses, increased 11 percent over 1969. The violent crimes as a group rose 12 percent with robbery up 17 percent, murder and aggravated assault up 7 percent and forcible rape up 2 percent. The property crimes increased 10 percent. Larceny $50 and over was up 14 percent, burglary 10 percent and auto theft 5 percent. Crime in the large core cities with 250,000 or more inhabitants increased 6 percent, suburban areas reported a 15 percent rise and the rural areas 14 percent (**Table 1**). Geographically, the Southern States reported an increase of 13 percent in the Crime Index offenses, the North Central States 11 percent, the Northeastern States 10 percent and the Western States 9 percent (**Table 2**). Armed robbery, which makes up about two-thirds of all robbery offenses, recorded an increase of 20 percent during the year. Aggravated assaults committed with firearms increased 10 percent.

TABLE 1 **CRIME INDEX TRENDS**
(Percent change 1970 over 1969, offenses known to the police)

Population Group and Area	Number of Agencies	Population in thousands	Total	Violent	Property	Murder	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Total all agencies	5244	157,942	+ 11	+12	+10	+ 7	+ 2	+17	+ 7	+10	+14	+ 5
Cities over 25,000	835	90,086	+ 9	+12	+ 9	+ 7	+ 3	+17	+ 6	+10	+11	+ 5
Suburban area	2031	47,078	+ 15	+13	+15	+ 5	--	+21	+10	+13	+20	+10
Rural area	1146	18,209	+ 14	+ 7	+15	+11	+ 5	+14	+ 6	+11	+24	+ 3
Over 1,000,000	6	19,537	+ 8	+13	+ 6	+11	- 2	+21	+ 1	+ 7	+ 2	+ 9
500,000 to 1,000,000	20	13,055	+ 3	+ 6	+ 2	+ 3	+ 1	+ 8	+ 4	+ 5	+ 6	- 4
250,000 to 500,000	30	10,652	+ 8	+12	+ 8	+ 8	+ 5	+14	+10	+11	+ 8	+ 3
100,000 to 250,000	93	13,788	+ 14	+12	+14	+13	+10	+17	+ 8	+15	+16	+ 7
50,000 to 100,000	251	17,468	+ 14	+14	+14	+ 2	+10	+18	+12	+13	+18	+ 7
25,000 to 50,000	435	15,586	+ 15	+17	+15	+ 3	+ 2	+25	+14	+14	+18	+ 8
10,000 to 25,000	1118	17,776	+ 15	+15	+15	- 10	- 2	+19	+16	+12	+21	+10
Under 10,000	1873	9,779	+ 14	+11	+15	- 6	+11	+16	+11	+10	+21	+ 9

TABLE 2 **CRIME INDEX TRENDS BY GEOGRAPHIC REGION**
(1970 over 1969)

Region	Total	Violent	Property	Murder	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Northeastern States	+10	+17	+ 9	+13	+ 1	+24	+ 8	+ 8	+11	+ 9
North Central States	+11	+10	+11	+ 8	+ 1	+16	+ 4	+12	+16	+ 1
Southern States	+13	+11	+13	+ 4	+ 4	+15	+ 9	+12	+18	+ 6
Western States	+ 9	+ 5	+ 9	+ 6	+ 1	+ 6	+ 5	+10	+11	+ 4

TABLE 3 **CRIME INDEX TRENDS**
(Percent change 1965-1970, each year over previous year)

Years	Total	Violent	Property	Murder	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
1966/1965	+11	+11	+11	+11	+10	+14	+ 9	+10	+13	+13
1967/1966	+16	+16	+17	+11	+ 7	+28	+ 9	+16	+17	+18
1968/1967	+17	+19	+17	+13	+15	+30	+11	+14	+21	+19
1969/1968	+12	+11	+12	+ 7	+17	+14	+ 9	+ 7	+19	+12
1970/1969	+11	+12	+10	+ 7	+ 2	+17	+ 7	+10	+14	+ 5

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Table 4

Offenses Known to the Police, 1969 and 1970

Cities over 100,000 population

			Murder, non-negligent man-slaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary - breaking or entering	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Abilene	Texas	1969	8	3	28	26	679	541	130
		1970	10	11	35	30	768	749	145
Akron	Ohio	1969	23	91	747	433	3,943	4,286	3,227
		1970	25	106	716	463	4,090	4,773	3,089
Albany	N Y	1969	5	4	134	89	1,276	448	1,201
		1970	6	10	191	88	1,329	530	1,004
Albuquerque	N Mex	1969	11	98	402	849	4,427	4,710	1,751
		1970	19	95	433	893	5,235	4,856	1,832
Alexandria	Va	1969	8	45	273	348	1,111	1,248	647
		1970	14	31	348	371	1,660	1,936	823
Allentown	Pa	1969	2	12	60	119	622	982	334
		1970	1	12	52	148	841	1,324	389
Amarillo	Texas	1969	2	15	56	207	1,418	1,209	360
		1970	13	16	97	156	1,697	1,561	451
Anaheim	Calif	1969	4	33	181	143	2,783	2,332	675
		1970	2	37	248	139	3,390	2,559	549
Arlington	Va	1969	5	32	129	84	1,277	2,134	781
		1970	8	33	211	86	1,493	2,473	1,061
Atlanta	Ga	1969	175	173	1,107	1,192	8,700	5,859	4,068
		1970	242	202	2,126	1,304	11,529	7,251	4,724
Austin	Texas	1969	27	44	233	744	3,691	1,373	1,011
		1970	32	36	215	931	3,515	952	1,083
Baltimore	Md	1969	236	675	8,464	9,023	19,967	12,829	10,361
		1970	281	555	10,965	7,159	19,041	13,866	10,333
Baton Rouge	La	1969	23	76	241	516	3,680	2,034	1,206
		1970	15	58	316	664	3,783	2,124	1,217
Beaumont	Texas	1969	13	12	128	566	1,888	432	355
		1970	18	15	168	537	1,751	644	317
Berkeley	Calif	1969	10	111	455	193	3,780	703	1,183
		1970	12	116	369	235	3,946	787	1,077
Birmingham	Ala	1969	92	87	305	1,900	3,724	4,230	1,905
		1970	63	86	328	1,509	4,367	4,267	1,744
Boston	Mass	1969	91	253	4,984	1,529	9,002	6,348	15,190
		1970	114	303	5,371	1,627	10,002	7,543	15,334
Bridgeport	Conn	1969	12	8	394	192	2,852	1,124	1,798
		1970	27	21	502	234	2,993	3,341	2,304
Buffalo	N Y	1969	44	140	1,057	780	5,622	5,310	5,830
		1970	57	151	1,497	896	5,909	5,405	5,219
Camden	N J	1969	23	35	345	203	2,101	682	1,726
		1970	27	41	684	266	2,726	1,046	2,214
Canton	Ohio	1969	4	23	168	130	909	1,532	993
		1970	5	21	287	130	861	1,570	544
Cedar Rapids	Iowa	1969	2	7	48	45	490	634	468
		1970	3	6	18	22	572	696	310
Charlotte	N C	1969	56	67	422	2,083	4,392	3,148	1,088
		1970	79	66	488	1,417	5,480	4,135	1,367
Chattanooga	Tenn	1969	34	18	408	164	2,474	963	1,409
		1970	26	26	431	171	2,756	482	1,240
Chicago	Ill	1968	715	1,334	21,476	12,767	36,465	19,641	36,028
		1970	810	1,405	23,198	11,667	35,190	16,479	34,268
Cincinnati	Ohio	1969	66	179	860	700	5,068	4,189	4,832
		1970	59	170	1,234	790	6,395	6,118	5,627
Cleveland	Ohio	1969	266	303	5,638	2,073	11,867	7,197	22,229
		1970	271	307	5,475	1,909	10,765	6,553	20,503
Colorado Springs	Colo	1969	9	32	167	144	1,448	1,531	481
		1970	9	45	245	211	1,925	2,286	629
Columbia	S C	1969	23	29	238	343	2,717	1,373	1,242
		1970	18	18	233	338	2,406	1,342	854
Columbus	Ohio	1969	52	270	1,384	769	8,124	6,929	4,338
		1970	47	263	1,602	922	8,095	6,558	5,217
Corpus Christi	Texas	1969	13	47	186	761	3,136	2,949	963
		1970	32	55	346	947	3,905	3,528	1,093
Dallas (1)	Texas	1969							
		1970	242	552	2,964	4,399	19,510	15,069	7,655
Dayton	Ohio	1969	58	83	1,017	784	5,068	3,077	2,281
		1970	57	95	1,752	972	6,813	4,138	2,770
Dearborn	Mich	1969	7	10	138	68	847	1,414	944
		1970	4	14	152	60	1,075	1,545	668
Denver	Colo	1969	68	330	1,702	1,522	11,415	8,993	6,564
		1970	74	474	1,900	1,665	15,111	9,569	7,742
Des Moines	Iowa	1969	8	36	245	100	1,901	2,588	1,939
		1970	11	35	340	97	1,963	3,157	1,160
Detroit	Mich	1969	439	913	17,114	4,934	41,264	22,308	42,438
		1970	495	819	23,038	4,881	50,868	26,665	20,864
Duluth	Minn	1969	1	10	48	14	923	783	478
		1970	1	9	42	22	755	809	434
Elizabeth	N J	1969	7	38	122	299	1,883	782	2,224
		1970	3	32	279	314	1,764	930	1,406
El Paso	Texas	1969	15	41	223	397	4,054	2,006	1,693
		1970	13	43	310	413	4,827	2,146	1,591
Erie	Pa	1969	3	15	129	102	753	560	364
		1970	3	30	186	144	949	749	463
Evansville	Ind	1969	14	43	206	394	1,614	1,792	655
		1970	12	58	211	385	1,922	2,629	701
Fall River	Mass	1969	1	2	44	69	1,488	544	1,176
		1970	2	8	80	68	1,927	965	1,520
Flint	Mich	1969	30	69	846	1,408	3,689	3,812	1,952
		1970	25	63	584	1,288	4,115	3,346	1,092
Fort Lauderdale	Fla	1969	27	48	233	260	2,434	2,168	1,217
		1970	16	41	402	280	3,311	2,176	1,303
Fort Wayne	Ind	1969	14	40	152	78	1,593	2,315	693
		1970	9	42	263	96	2,080	3,624	784
Fort Worth	Texas	1969	87	92	965	611	6,571	3,194	3,429
		1970	105	72	1,016	589	7,301	3,126	3,443
Fresno	Calif	1969	12	35	303	185	3,322	3,536	1,619
		1970	23	29	287	195	3,346	3,004	1,980
Garden Grove	Calif	1969	5	20	133	111	1,765	2,014	416
		1970	3	32	159	108	1,931	2,283	537
Gary	Ind	1969	49	125	779	479	3,026	2,345	3,498
		1970	52	103	929	467	3,412	2,845	4,224
Glendale	Calif	1969	3	27	106	75	1,553	1,373	701
		1970	4	22	114	101	1,696	1,274	770
Grand Rapids	Mich	1969	14	49	270	434	3,327	2,495	626
		1970	14	103	376	471	3,737	1,964	757
Greensboro	N C	1969	28	22	129	963	1,498	1,463	575
		1970	18	24	200	974	1,906	1,979	522
Hammond	Ind	1969	6	27	201	112	926	1,402	1,022
		1970	9	25	223	221	934	1,602	1,423
Hampton	Va	1969	9	19	58	70	739	1,022	249
		1970	6	27	94	99	994	1,207	213
Hartford	Conn	1969	15	32	419	549	3,168	2,479	2,501
		1970	25	28	553	630	2,885	2,602	2,582
Honolulu	Hawaii	1969	17	56	230	118	6,194	6,646	4,167
		1970	15	55	368	170	6,875	5,463	3,110
Houston	Texas	1969	281	405	5,395	2,753	24,684	11,796	12,973
		1970	289	411	6,405	2,746	25,626	10,914	13,573
Huntington Beach	Calif	1969	2	29	60	148	1,338	1,713	355
		1970	7	29	58	106	1,625	1,646	410
Huntsville	Ala	1969	6	10	68	297	1,666	1,564	464
		1970	4	32	132	248	2,218	2,241	582
Independence	Mo	1969	1	19	31	145	742	655	255
		1970	3	15	45	170	801	692	324
Indianapolis	Ind	1969	65	165	1,651	859	8,924	4,606	4,933
		1970	60	253	2,073	1,205	10,309	6,063	5,314
Jackson	Miss	1969	20	14	58	97	1,149	926	378
		1970	29	13	87	138	1,750	1,162	456
Jacksonville (1)	Fla	1969							
		1970	95	296	1,507	2,211	11,568	6,602	2,944
Jersey City	N J	1969	33	41	579	231	1,455	882	2,037
		1970	36	41	866	357	1,815	417	4,154
Kansas City	Kans	1969	23	104	440	404	3,470	935	1,881
		1970	18	104	576	485	3,797	965	1,905
Kansas City	Mo	1969	105	375	2,671	1,895	12,260	7,597	6,926
		1970	120	401	2,962	1,921	11,265	6,736	5,570
Knoxville	Tenn	1969	23	11	110	286	2,018	1,099	1,026
		1970	19	22	194	467	2,347	1,360	1,250
Lansing	Mich	1969	5	27	155	256	2,230	1,964	805
		1970	7	29	247	296	3,512	3,217	660
Las Vegas	Nev	1969	21	28	309	133	1,733	1,005	737
		1970	17	31	311	138	1,971	947	927
Lincoln	Nebr	1969	3	16	48	151	729	1,034	335
		1970	1	19	45	256	718	1,515	292
Little Rock	Ark	1969	21	69	314	653	2,821	927	464
		1970	38	79	300	702	2,950	2,973	465
Livonia	Mich	1969	1	8	45	121	1,193	840	333
		1970	0	19	45	155	1,640	1,074	324
Long Beach	Calif	1969	29	189	903	516	5,634	4,433	2,863
		1970	29	134	1,194	572	6,471	4,118	3,177
Los Angeles	Calif	1969	377	2,115	11,909	14,798	64,515	43,679	32,149
		1970	395	1,988	12,695	14,026	67,993	43,876	33,946
Louisville	Ky	1969	76	96	1,443	694	5,166	6,592	5,802
		1970	89	77	1,332	718	5,399	6,018	5,780
Lubbock	Texas	1969	12	34	64	301	2,264	2,020	335
		1970	13	42	118	571	2,254	2,159	380
Macon	Ga	1969	26	30	189	151	2,182	1,433	662
		1970	21	28	210	227	2,454	1,887	979
Madison	Wis	1969	2	23	55	20	992	1,770	426
		1970	3	29	86	28	1,723	2,397	454
Memphis (2)	Tenn	1969							
		1970	91	189	998	1,401	8,889	7,300	7,746
Miami	Fla	1969	72	88	2,749	2,585	7,044	5,092	3,079
		1970	91	90	2,867	2,864	8,436	6,281	3,274
Milwaukee	Wis	1969	43	78	643	688	4,381	9,350	5,036
		1970	50	93	649	720	4,303	9,355	5,018
Minneapolis	Minn	1969	30	174	1,846	582	9,382	5,766	5,599
		1970	28	160	1,810	766	9,723	5,731	5,200
Mobile	Ala	1969	33	53	300	551	2,405	1,541	1,021
		1970	26	77	365	473	5,282	1,734	1,230
Montgomery	Ala	1969	17	20	140	90	1,712	1,412	374
		1970	26	15	198	130	1,504	1,809	406
Nashville	Tenn	1969	73	132	837	1,305	3,295	4,599	3,367
		1970	64	107	1,015	1,814	6,934	4,394	3,375
Newark	N J	1969	101	234	3,888	2,211	10,884	5,826	7,345
		1970	143	253	4,666	2,170	11,375	6,105	7,069
New Bedford	Mass	1969		9	126	135	1,625	1,084	1,541
		1970	3	14	106	187	2,188	1,057	1,122
New Haven	Conn	1969	10	34	400	339	3,275	1,790	2,172
		1970	10	42	464	341	3,783	1,910	2,223
New Orleans	La	1969	76	325	2,539	2,202	8,459	8,161	6,522
		1970	100	324	3,632	2,270	11,086	9,352	8,130
Newport News	Va	1969	15	27	174	285	1,528	1,329	474
		1970	14	37	165	317	1,841	1,618	594
New York	N Y	1969	1,043	2,120	59,192	29,717	103,911	70,190	85,790
		1970	1,117	2,141	74,102	31,255	181,494	132,572	94,835
Norfolk	Va	1969	36	82	917	1,043	4,206	4,224	1,910
		1970	38	85	857	1,149	4,391	4,741	1,551
Oakland	Calif	1969	74	197	2,572	1,118	14,182	6,448	6,369
		1970	69	212	2,497	1,088	13,787	6,066	4,993
Oklahoma City	Okla	1969	44	97	534	703	5,965	4,132	2,180
		1970	32	122	548	647	5,656	1,843	2,538
Omaha	Nebr	1969	28	51	648	983	3,398	2,850	3,138
		1970	33	71	753	1,137	3,739	2,889	3,340
Orlando (1)	Fla	1969							
		1970	10	20	267	476	2,495	1,857	344
Pasadena	Calif	1969	11	74	329	355	2,999	1,794	1,003
		1970	9	106	459	415	3,193	1,839	1,084
Paterson (1)	N J	1969							
		1970	20	18	652	296	2,705	683	2,533
Peoria	Ill	1969	7	32	408	439	1,904	1,401	639
		1970	14	41	424	717	2,323	1,544	707
Philadelphia	Pa	1969	271	565	4,859	3,617	14,063	3,277	10,868
		1970	352	452	6,377	3,947	15,163	5,263	14,180
Phoenix	Ariz	1969	46	166	1,167	1,969	11,659	6,798	4,175
		1970	63	206	1,395	1,891	14,097	7,172	4,659
Pittsburgh	Pa	1969	46	249	3,841	1,739	10,125	7,867	9,246
		1970	63	246	2,690	1,646	8,432	6,571	8,748
Portland	Oreg	1969	30	116	1,292	793	7,752	7,221	3,454
		1970	35	134	1,534	858	8,476	7,819	3,324
Portsmouth	Va	1969	7	21	239	193	1,502	1,088	583
		1970	11	14	357	218	1,702	1,248	570
Providence	R I	1969	14	16	504	377	3,809	1,975	4,627
		1970	16	13	524	416	3,926	1,756	4,940
Pueblo	Colo	1969	3	12	42	191	698	972	330
		1970	3	19	54	196	857	1,293	399
Raleigh	N C	1969	11	18	110	438	816	1,546	263
		1970	10	19	125	518	1,135	2,304	279
Reading	Pa	1969	4	26	113	101	817	486	321
		1970	2	6	81	66	639	564	244
Richmond (2)	Va	1969							
		1970	65	94	921	596	6,558	4,340	2,433
Riverside	Calif	1969	4	32	216	347	3,748	2,246	897
		1970	6	48	237	390	4,069	2,529	824
Roanoke	Va	1969	12	8	153	211	1,252	957	651
		1970	15	28	155	277	1,549	1,056	641
Rochester	N Y	1969	35	59	360	508	3,391	4,309	1,188
		1970	20	38	509	708	4,564	4,915	1,688
Rockford	Ill	1969	9	27	264	158	1,781	1,501	753
		1970	9	16	176	194	1,473	1,711	588
Sacramento	Calif	1969	21	47	589	385	4,245	3,607	2,301
		1970	19	68	583	432	4,518	3,983	2,155
Saginaw	Mich	1969	14	21	390	299	1,671	522	658
		1970	21	26	403	402	2,292	539	430
St Louis	Mo	1969	254	604	4,957	3,493	14,073	4,149	14,434
		1970	266	546	5,296	3,239	19,011	4,532	13,025
St. Paul	Minn	1969	16	88	984	590	6,015	3,975	4,947
		1970	14	65	1,160	562	5,927	3,928	3,393
St. Petersburg	Fla	1969	14	52	510	736	3,626	1,903	521
		1970	20	51	632	667	4,003	2,009	504
Salt Lake City	Utah	1969	9	59	346	272	3,648	3,439	1,461
		1970	11	52	358	263	4,169	3,927	1,581
San Antonio	Texas	1969	95	215	895	2,057	11,533	7,058	5,136
		1970	73	202	1,062	1,912	11,660	7,353	4,959
San Bernardino	Calif	1969	6	20	267	192	3,240	2,547	874
		1970	9	20	270	239	2,609	2,285	1,055
San Diego	Calif	1969	36	155	763	788	5,002	9,286	3,467
		1970	32	135	939	981	6,902	10,613	3,730
San Francisco	Calif	1969	127	598	6,502	2,966	18,637	7,418	17,533
		1970	108	572	5,881	3,020	18,841	14,515	14,193
San Jose	Calif	1969	13	161	369	347	6,274	2,263	2,709
		1970	12	168	544	737	6,530	2,630	3,571
Santa Ana	Calif	1969	8	39	184	209	2,523	882	693
		1970	7	52	225	260	3,293	976	906
Savannah	Ga	1969	28	63	363	363	2,366	1,950	643
		1970	29	48	310	248	2,022	2,158	554
Scranton	Pa	1969		5	20	87	557	502	409
		1970	5	6	25	129	604	595	381
Seattle	Wash	1969	58	248	2,559	1,096	14,820	10,514	5,891
		1970	42	184	1,984	954	14,770	8,942	4,300
Shreveport	La	1969	43	9	161	654	1,709	894	653
		1970	34	13	142	659	2,007	1,110	702
South Bend	Ind	1969	7	10	353	114	1,414	1,470	729
		1970	9	17	430	134	2,195	1,847	874
Spokane	Wash	1969	6	20	164	116	2,118	1,737	645
		1970	4	30	181	110	2,432	2,143	660
Springfield	Mass	1969	6	17	65	171	2,392	1,866	2,850
		1970	12	17	70	272	3,117	1,402	2,944
Springfield	Mo	1969	2	7	27	30	1,072	967	185
		1970	4	4	74	50	1,732	1,544	260
Syracuse	N Y	1969	7	35	376	301	2,270	2,025	607
		1970	12	36	444	312	2,671	2,566	539
Tacoma	Wash	1969	7	49	352	339	2,448	1,840	972
		1970	14	38	221	343	2,611	1,903	966
Tampa	Fla	1969	29	64	760	986	5,508	3,662	4,218
		1970	52	62	812	999	6,216	4,404	1,441
Topeka	Kans	1969	10	31	199	371	1,584	1,872	315
		1970	3	29	188	306	1,582	2,210	382
Torrance	Calif	1969	3	29	162	109	1,766	2,208	691
		1970	3	22	129	99	1,992	2,245	815
Trenton	N J	1969	20	35	724	199	2,357	1,247	1,446
		1970	27	38	657	239	3,333	1,785	1,345
Tucson	Ariz	1969	17	60	263	354	3,264	1,791	1,424
		1970	53	72	347	387	3,782	2,175	1,713
Tulsa	Okla	1969	18	79	362	522	3,847	4,707	1,926
		1970	31	74	384	546	4,682	4,781	2,169
Utica	N Y	1969	8	8	40	23	581	204	134
		1970	2	3	64	21	556	162	135
Virginia Beach	Va	1969	3	24	61	191	1,149	1,972	270
		1970	11	24	47	191	948	2,902	297
Waco	Texas	1969	11	25	96	266	1,681	1,007	340
		1970	9	23	155	277	1,615	1,171	322
Warren	Mich	1969	2	25	132	243	1,536	1,990	752
		1970	3	23	201	231	1,670	2,356	773
Washington	D C	1969	287	336	12,366	3,609	22,833	11,508	11,190
		1970	221	313	11,816	4,089	22,348	9,414	11,110
Waterbury	Conn	1969	6	3	111	63	1,285	903	1,015
		1970	5	5	125	111	1,394	830	940
Wichita	Kans	1969	12	46	285	371	3,310	3,265	1,264
		1970	18	51	404	417	4,444	4,011	1,672
Wichita Falls	Texas	1969	10	6	46	133	642	421	171
		1970	6	5	55	119	686	453	234
Winston-Salem	N C	1969	31	28	121	1,001	1,489	1,282	449
		1970	26	35	204	663	2,012	1,722	399
Worcester	Mass	1969	8	21	345	124	3,981	1,601	3,852
		1970	7	16	369	131	4,612	2,250	4,011
Yonkers	N Y	1969	5	8	237	187	1,844	2,212	1,443
		1970	8	4	364	148	2,089	2,314	1,552
Youngstown	Ohio	1969	23	25	415	288	1,738	592	1,532
		1970	25	31	440	223	2,575	935	1,671

(1) 1969 figures not comparable with 1970, and are not used in trend tabulations. Agency reports which are determined to be influenced by a change in reporting practices, for all or specific offenses, are removed from trend tables.
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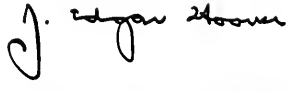
Preface

In the last several years great strides have been made by law enforcement in developing and implementing statewide programs to collect meaningful crime statistics. The FBI is presently receiving Uniform Crime Reports data from central state sources in ten states and is assisting in the development of similar programs in an additional ten states for implementation in 1972. These programs are an integral part of central state systems designed to provide criminal justice information services. Statistical data on crime and the basic activities of the criminal justice agencies are essential to each state if it is to intelligently analyze the crime problem, plan for and evaluate the criminal justice response.

Vital to the success of these state programs are adequate field staffs to assist local agencies by counseling them in proper records management and crime reporting practices. Administrative services of this kind provided by the state agency should include periodic audits since conclusions drawn and decisions made from the statistical information are only as valid as the reliability of the data base.

The National Crime Information Center and its related state computer systems, while initially established as operational information systems, will increasingly provide valuable statistical information as a by-product. With the addition, in the near future, of offenders' criminal history records, a ready source becomes available for in depth research, particularly that aimed at evaluating criminal justice measures. Progress is being made in adapting new technology to meet the needs in this area, however, it must be again stressed that proper and accurate recording of data is vital. We all share a most important responsibility to constantly improve on identification, communication, information collecting and processing techniques if we expect to derive from these systems more meaningful and rewarding results.



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Crime Factors

Uniform Crime Reports give a nationwide view of crime based on police statistics made possible by the voluntary cooperation of local law enforcement agencies. Since the factors which cause crime are many and vary from place to place, readers are cautioned against drawing conclusions from direct comparisons of crime figures between individual communities without first considering the factors involved. The national material summarized in this publication should be used, however, as a starting point to determine deviations of individual cities from the national averages.

Crime is a social problem and the concern of the entire community. The law enforcement effort is limited to factors within its control. Some of the conditions which will affect the amount and type of crime that occurs from place to place are briefly outlined below:

Density and size of the community population and the metropolitan area of which it is a part.

Composition of the population with reference particularly to age, sex and race.

Economic status and mores of the population.

Relative stability of population, including commuters, seasonal, and other transient types.

Climate, including seasonal weather conditions.

Educational, recreational, and religious characteristics.

Effective strength of the police force.

Standards governing appointments to the police force.

Policies of the prosecuting officials and the courts.

Attitude of the public toward law enforcement problems.

The administrative and investigative efficiency of the local law enforcement agency, including the degree of adherence to crime reporting standards.

Summary

This section is for readers who are interested in the general crime picture for the United States. The volume, trend and rate of crime related to current population are discussed in context with the Crime Index offenses—murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny $50 and over in value and auto theft. In addition, Crime Index offenses are treated individually to better delineate the nature of these criminal acts. Arrests, persons charged, clearances of crime, police employee data, police killed, and police assaults are discussed. Statistical data concerning the criminal recidivism of persons who have at least on one occasion during their criminal career become involved in the commission of a federal offense are also examined. In subsequent sections technical data of interest primarily to police, social scientists and other students are presented. If you desire assistance in the interpretation of any information in this publication, please communicate with the Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. 20535.

Chart 1

CRIME AND POPULATION

1960 - 1970

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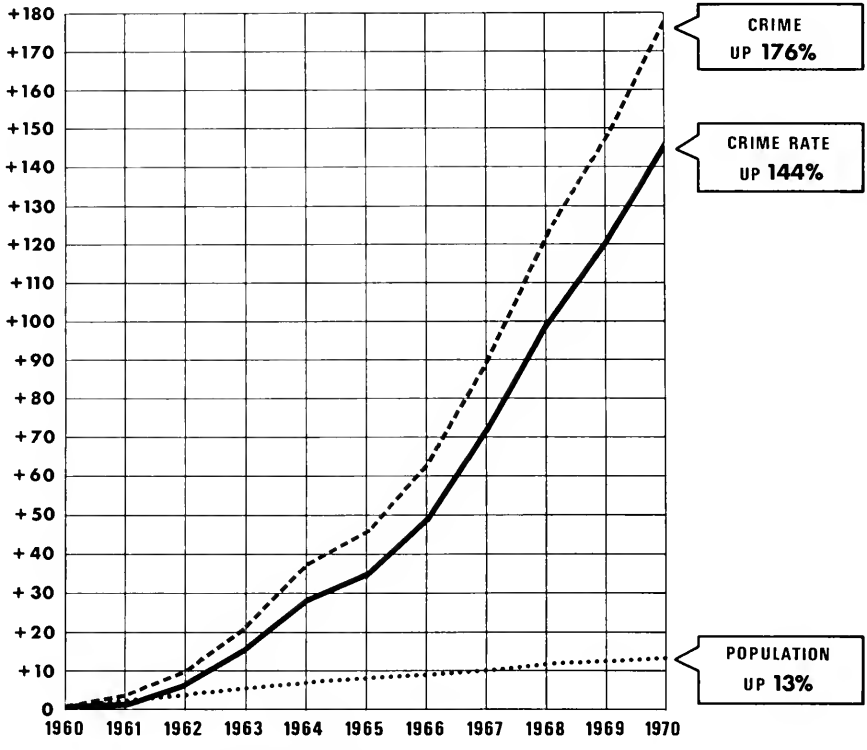

CRIME = CRIME INDEX OFFENSES

CRIME RATE = NUMBER OF OFFENSES PER 100,000 POPULATION

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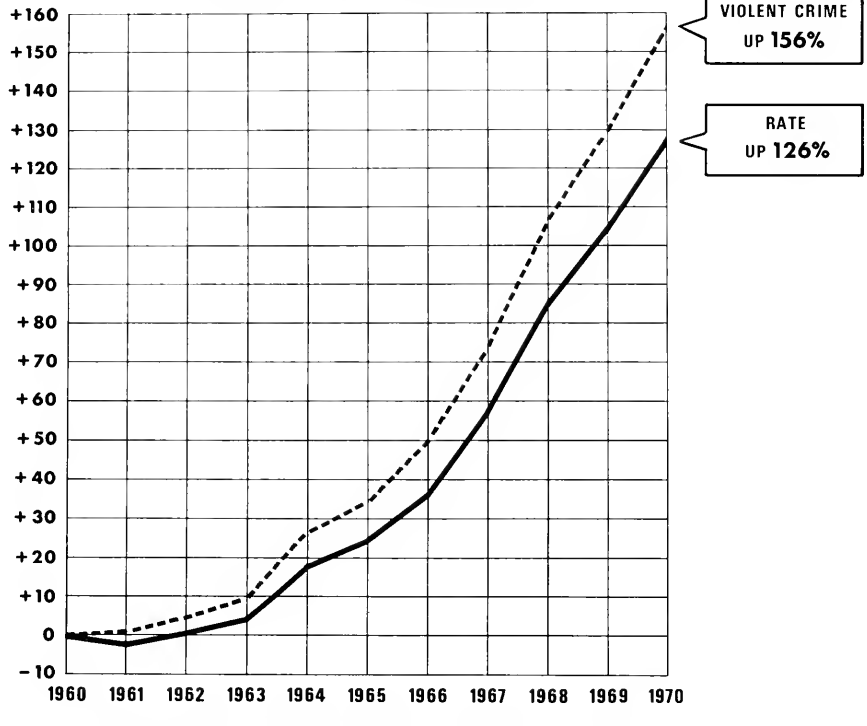
1960 - 1970

PERCENT CHANGE OVER 1960



LIMITED TO MURDER, FORCIBLE RAPE, ROBBERY AND AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

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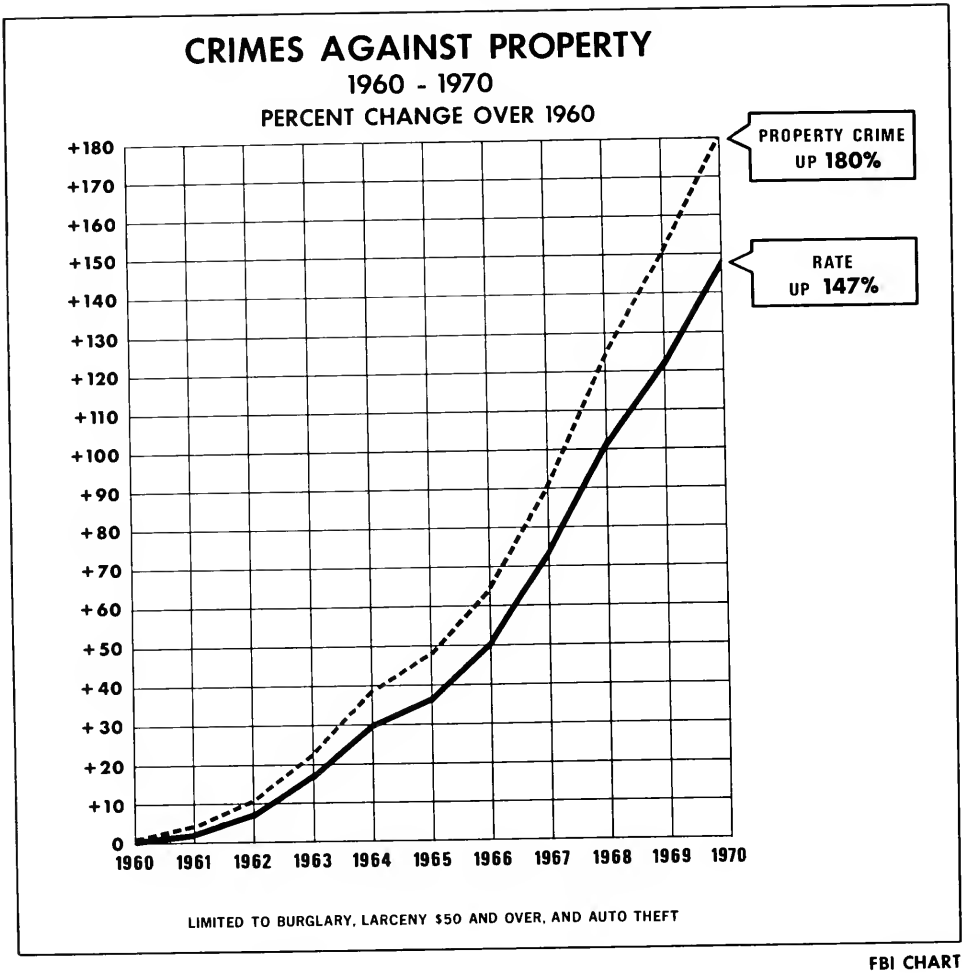

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CRIME INDEX TOTALS

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program employs seven crime classifications to establish an index to measure the trend and distribution of crime in the United States. These crimes—murder, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny $50 and over in value, and auto theft—are counted by law enforcement agencies as the crimes become known to them. These crimes were selected for use in the Crime Index because, as a group, they represent the most common local crime problem. They are all serious crimes, either by their very nature or due to the volume in which they occur. Offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault are categorized as violent crimes. Offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over in value, and auto theft are classed as crimes against property.

It is believed desirable to point out that there is no way of determining the total number of crimes which are committed. Many criminal acts occur which are not reported to official sources. In light of this fact, the best source for obtaining a count of crime is the next logical universe, namely, crimes which come to police attention. The crimes used in the Crime Index are those considered to be most consistently reported to police and the computations of crime trends and crime rates are prepared using this universe—offenses known to police.

The crime counts set forth in this publication are actual offenses established by police investigation. When police receive a complaint of a crime and the follow-up investigation discloses no crime occurred it is "unfounded." On a national average, police investigations "unfound" 4 percent of the citizen complaints concerning Crime Index offenses ranging from 3 percent in the larceny classification to 18 percent in forcible rape complaints. Unfounded complaints are eliminated from these crime counts.

In calendar year 1970 an estimated 5,568,200 Index offenses were reported to law enforcement agencies, an 11 percent increase over 1969. The violent crimes as a group made up 13 percent of the Crime Index total and rose 12 percent, with murder up 8 percent, forcible rape 2 percent, robbery 17 percent, and aggravated assault 8 percent. Each of the voluminous property crimes recorded an increase, which contributed to the 11 percent rise in this group of offenses representing 87 percent of the Crime Index total. Individually, burglary was up 11 percent, larceny $50 and over in value increased 15 percent, and auto theft was up 6 percent. Since 1960, the violent crimes as a group have increased 156 percent, property crimes 180 percent, and the combined Crime Index 176 percent in volume.

As in prior years the suburban areas continued to show an above average rise in the volume of crime with a 14 percent increase over 1969. The large core cities having populations in excess of 250,000 were up 6 percent in volume and the rural areas registered a 15 percent upswing. The largest American cities over 1 million population registered an average increase of 8 percent. As noted in prior issues, while the suburban areas continued to record sharp percentage upswings in the volume of crime, a much higher level of crime occurs in the large cities.

Crime increases were noted in each crime classification and each geographic region with the volume of crime in 1970 up 14 percent in the Southern States, 12 percent in the North Central States, 11 percent in the Northeastern States, and 9 percent in the Western States.

Estimated 1970 crime figures for the United States are set forth in the following table.

CRIME AND POPULATION

Crime rates relate the incidence of crime to population. From a realistic point of view, a crime rate should be considered as a victim risk rate. The discussion that follows will demonstrate that the risk of becoming a victim of crime in this country is increasing and that population growth cannot alone account for the crime increases.

The Crime Index rate for the United States rose from 2,477 offenses per 100,000 inhabitants in 1969 to 2,740 in 1970, an 11 percent increase in the victim rate. The national crime rate, or the risk of being a victim of one of these crimes, has increased 144 percent since 1960. Many factors influence the nature and extent of crime in a particular community. A number of these factors are shown on page vii of this publication. A crime rate only takes into consideration the numerical factor of population and does not incorporate any of the other elements which contribute to the amount of crime in a given area. The statistical

National Crime, Rate, and Percent Change

Crime Index offenses	Estimated crime 1970		Percent change over 1969		Percent change over 1965		Percent change over 1960	
	Number	Rate per 100,000 inhabitants	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Total	5,568,200	2,740.5	+11.3	+10.6	+90.0	+81.3	+176.4	+143.9
Violent	731,400	360.0	+11.7	+11.0	+90.9	+82.2	+156.5	+126.4
Property	4,836,800	2,380.5	+11.3	+10.6	+89.9	+81.1	+179.7	+146.8
Murder	15,810	7.8	+8.4	+8.3	+60.5	+52.9	+75.7	+56.0
Forcible rape	37,270	18.3	+2.2	+1.1	+62.3	+53.8	+121.1	+94.7
Robbery	348,380	171.5	+17.1	+16.4	+152.3	+140.5	+224.4	+186.3
Aggravated assault	329,940	162.4	+7.7	+7.0	+55.6	+48.3	+117.1	+91.7
Burglary	2,169,300	1,067.7	+11.3	+10.6	+71.9	+64.0	+141.7	+113.3
Larceny $50 and over	1,746,100	859.4	+14.5	+13.8	+120.4	+110.2	+244.9	+204.4
Auto theft	921,400	453.5	+5.7	+5.0	+86.9	+78.3	+182.9	+149.7

tables in this publication disclose the varying crime experiences, especially among large cities and suburban communities, are affected by a complex set of involved factors and are not solely limited to numerical population differences. The text tables set forth on these pages reveal the variation in crime experience by geographic region and particularly large core cities as contrasted with the suburban and rural areas.

The above table discloses each crime category recorded a rate increase ranging from 1 percent in forcible rape to 16 percent in robbery offenses. The number of crimes per unit of population is, as expected, highest in the large metropolitan centers and in those areas where the population is rapidly increasing.

The accompanying charts illustrate the trend of crime in the United States for 1960 through 1970 by showing percentage changes in volume and rate of crime together with the population increase.

Crime Rate by Area, 1970

[Rate per 100,000 inhabitants]

Crime Index offenses	Area			
	Total U.S.	Cities over 250,000	Suburban	Rural
Total	2,740.5	5,335.1	2,137.0	927.4
Violent	360.0	980.4	176.7	120.0
Property	2,380.5	4,354.7	1,960.3	807.4
Murder	7.8	17.5	3.8	6.4
Forcible rape	18.3	39.7	13.0	9.9
Robbery	171.5	589.4	58.3	14.1
Aggravated assault	162.4	333.9	101.6	89.6
Burglary	1,067.7	1,947.9	871.7	434.1
Larceny $50 and over	859.4	1,290.1	800.8	302.7
Auto theft	453.5	1,116.7	287.8	70.7

Crime Rate by Region, 1970

[Rate per 100,000 inhabitants]

Crime Index offenses	Northeastern States	North Central States	Southern States	Western States
Total	2,845.9	2,398.7	2,400.2	3,761.4
Violent	285.3	323.2	362.2	380.0
Property	2,460.6	2,075.5	2,038.0	3,381.3
Murder	5.8	6.5	11.2	6.4
Forcible rape	12.7	17.0	18.0	28.9
Robbery	232.8	172.7	130.2	157.5
Aggravated assault	134.0	127.0	202.7	187.3
Burglary	1,065.5	896.6	960.7	1,541.8
Larceny $50 and over	823.2	759.7	750.2	1,269.3
Auto theft	571.9	419.3	327.1	570.2

Separate charts provide similar information relative to crimes of violence and crimes against property. Since 1960, the rate for crimes of violence as a group increased 126 percent and property crime rates rose 147 percent.

The reader's attention is directed to the tables containing arrest data which commence on page 119 for additional information on the seven Crime Index offenses, as well as arrest statistics for other criminal acts.

MURDER AND NONNEGLIGENT MANSLAUGHTER

This Crime Index offense includes all willful killings without due process and is scored on the basis of police investigation as opposed to any decision of a court, coroner, jury or other judicial body. Deaths caused by negligence are not included in this category but are counted as man-

slaughter by negligence. Attempts to kill or assaults to kill are scored as aggravated assaults and not as murder. The crime count for this offense classification also excludes suicides, accidental deaths and justifiable homicides.

Volume

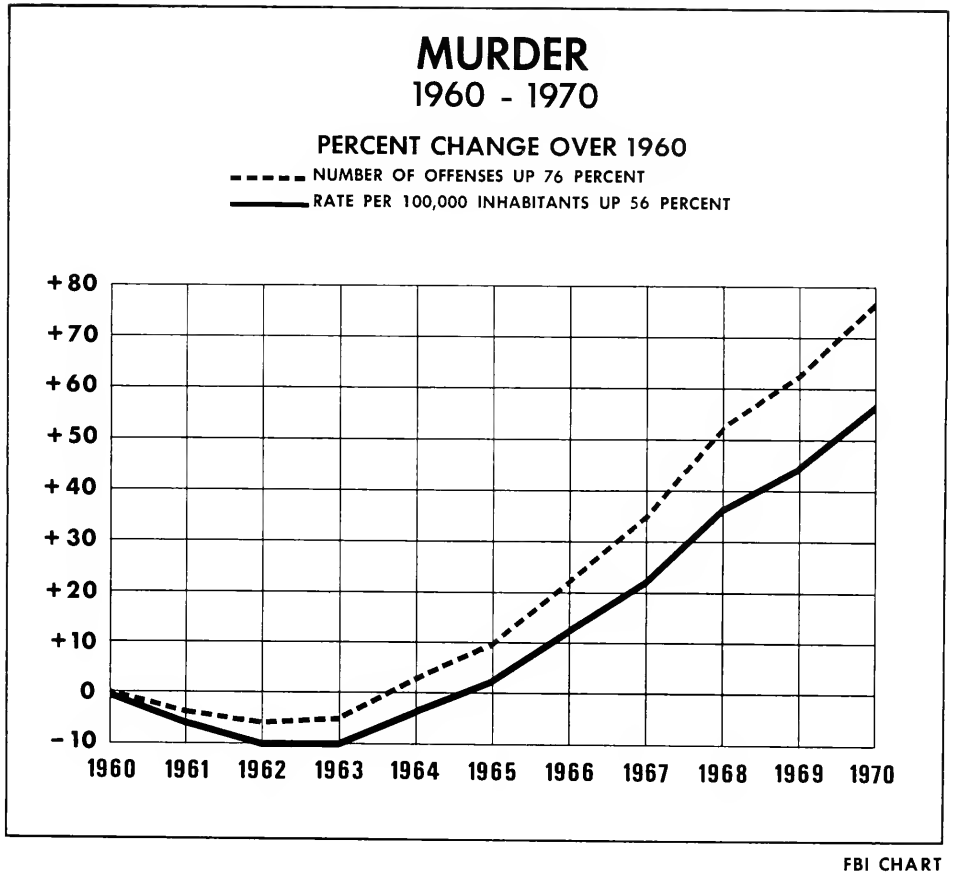
In 1970, there were an estimated 15,810 murders committed in the United States. This represents a numerical increase of 1,220 over the 14,590 homicides recorded in 1969. This crime makes up slightly more than 2 percent of the crimes of violence and represents less than one-half of 1 percent of all Crime Index offenses.

The frequency of murder in 1970 was highest during the period August through December, with August and September representing the high months of the year. In a breakdown by region, 45 percent of the murders in 1970 occurred in the Southern States followed by the North Central States with 23 percent, Northeastern States with 18 percent, and the Western States with 14 percent of the total.

Trend

Murder increased 8 percent in 1970 over 1969. The long term trend in this serious crime reveals an increase from 9,000 in 1960 to 15,810 murders in 1970. This is a rise of 76 percent. (Chart 4.)

Regionally, murder offenses rose 13 percent in



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the Northeastern States, 8 percent in the North Central States, and 7 percent in both the Western and Southern States. Large core cities with 250,000 or more population and suburban areas had an 8 percent rise in the number of murders in 1970, while rural areas experienced a 15 percent increase in the number of murder offenses.

Murder Rate

There were 7.8 victims per 100,000 inhabitants in 1970. This is a rise from the 7.2 murder rate recorded in 1969 and represents an 8 percent increase in the murder rate, 1970 over 1969. Nationwide, cities with 250,000 or over in population had a murder rate of 17.5 per 100,000 inhabitants, up 11 percent over 1969. In the suburbs the murder rate was 3.8 per 100,000 while the rate in the rural areas was 6.4 per 100,000 inhabitants.

As in past years, the number of murder victims in proportion to population was highest in the Southern States where the rate of 11.2 was 8 percent above 1969. In the North Central States a rate of 6.5 was 7 percent above the prior year and the Western States rate of 6.4 was up 5 percent. The Northeastern States had a rate of 5.8 which was 12 percent higher than the 1969 rate.

Nature of Murder

Through the use of a supplemental report, details are collected on murder offenses to obtain data on age, sex, and race of the victims, the weapon used to commit the offenses and the circumstances or motives which lead to the crime.

Males outnumbered females as victims of murder by more than 3 to 1 in 1970, which is similar to the experience in 1969. Nationwide, the ratio of arrests for murder was more than five males to each female. Forty-four of every 100 victims were white and 55 were Negro. The remaining 1 percent was distributed among all other races. It was determined that six out of every ten murder victims were between 20 and 45 years of age, with the largest number, 30 percent, falling in the 20 to 29 age group.

Firearms continue to be the predominant weapon used in murder, as illustrated in the accompanying chart. For the year 1970, as in 1968

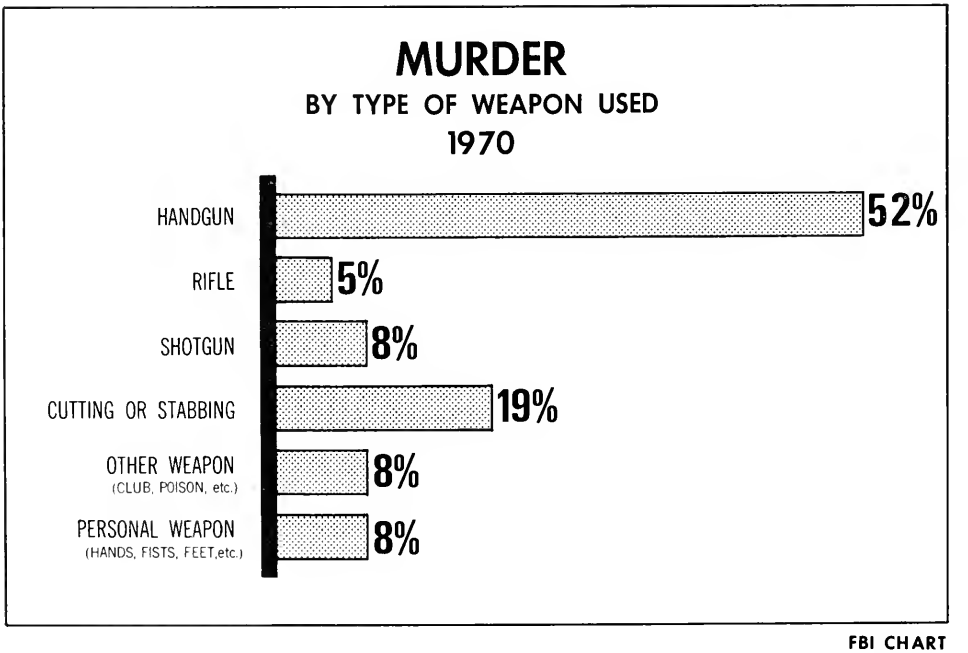

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Chart 5

and 1969, 65 percent of the homicide victims were killed through the use of a firearm. As in prior years handguns were again the predominate firearm used, with 52 percent of the murders resulting from the use of handguns, 8 percent from the use of shotguns, and 5 percent of the murder victims died from rifle wounds. Cutting or stabbing weapons were used in 19 percent of the murders, other weapons (blunt objects such as hammers and clubs, poison, arson, explosives, drowning, etc.) in 8 percent, and in the remaining 8 percent of the murders, personal weapons such as hands, fists and feet were used.

An analysis of types of murder weapons by region shows that in 1970 the Southern States led in homicides by use of firearms with seven of every ten victims succumbing from gunshot wounds. Knives or other cutting instruments were used most frequently as murder weapons in the Northeastern States where three out of every ten homicide victims died of cut or stab wounds. The use of personal weapons resulting in murder by strangulation and internal injuries was highest in the Northeastern States and lowest in the Southern States. Since 1964, murder through the use of a firearm has more than doubled while use of a cutting or stabbing instrument has increased 35 percent.

Murder, type of weapon used

[Percent distribution]

Region	Total all weapons used	Firearms	Knife or other cutting instrument	Other weapon; club, poison, etc.	Personal weapons
Northeastern States	100.0	49.9	28.3	9.9	11.9
North Central States	100.0	70.6	15.6	5.9	7.9
Southern States	100.0	73.1	16.3	5.6	5.0
Western States	100.0	56.6	18.4	13.4	11.6
Total	100.0	65.4	18.9	7.6	8.1

As it has been pointed out in prior issues of this publication, police are powerless to prevent a large number of these crimes, which is made readily apparent from the circumstances or motives which surround criminal homicide. The significant fact emerges that most murders are committed by relatives of the victim or persons acquainted with the victim. It follows, therefore, that criminal homicide is, to a major extent, a national social problem beyond police prevention. In 1970, killings within the family made up about one-fourth of all murders. Over one-half of these involved spouse killing spouse and the remainder involved other family killings such as parents killing children and other in-family relationship type murders. In this Program, felony murder is defined as those killings resulting from robberies, sex motives, gangland slayings, and other felonious activities. These known and suspected felonious killings comprise 29 percent of the total murder offenses in 1970, up from 27 percent in 1969 and 25 percent known or suspected felonious homicides in 1968. The following table demonstrates by geographic region the percentage of murder by type or circumstance in 1970.

During 1970, 7 percent of the murders were the result of romantic triangles or lovers' quarrels. More than four of every ten were the direct result of arguments outside the family unit and not involving the romantic triangle situations. It is known that the persons participating in these arguments were most frequently acquainted prior to the fatal act.

In situations involving husband and wife, the wife was the victim in 54 percent of the cases and the husband in 46 percent. In these incidents, 47 percent of the victims were white, 52 percent were Negro and the remaining 1 percent other race or race not stated.

Murder by circumstance

[Percent distribution]

Region	Total	Spouse killing spouse	Parent killing child	Other family killings	Romantic triangle and lovers quarrels	Other arguments	Known felony type	Suspected felony type
Northeastern States	100.0	9.6	3.7	6.1	7.9	38.4	25.4	8.9
North Central States	100.0	11.3	3.0	8.9	5.0	39.5	22.4	9.9
Southern States	100.0	13.8	2.2	8.8	8.4	46.0	13.9	6.9
Western States	100.0	12.5	4.9	7.0	6.4	32.2	28.0	9.0
Total	100.0	12.1	3.1	8.1	7.1	40.8	20.4	8.4

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In lovers' quarrels, the females were the victims in 55 percent of the murders, but when a third party entered the scene to complete a romantic triangle, a male was the victim in 93 percent of the confrontations.

The victims of felony-type murders were 64 percent white, 35 percent Negro, and 1 percent other race or race not stated.

Clearances

Nationwide, police continue to be successful in clearing or solving by arrest a higher percentage of the murder cases than any other Crime Index offense. In 1970, 86 percent of the criminal homicides were solved. Persons under 18 years of age were involved in 6 percent of the willful killings solved by the police.

Persons Arrested

Based on reports submitted by law enforcement agencies, 10 percent of all persons arrested for murder were under 18 years of age, and 43 percent were under 25. The involvement of the young age group under 18 years of age is indicated in the long-term arrest trends for murder, 1960–1970, where a 203 percent increase occurred. The increase in adult arrests for murder during this period was 94 percent. Numerically, the 20 to 24 year age group had the heaviest involvement during 1970 with 23 percent of the total arrests coming from within this age group. Negroes made up 60 percent of the arrests for murder in 1970, and 55 percent of the victims of homicide were also Negroes. There was an 8 percent increase in the number of arrests of females for murder in 1970.

Persons Charged

Law enforcement agencies' reports disclose that 67 percent of all adults charged with murder in 1970 were prosecuted during the year. Forty-four percent of the adults prosecuted were found guilty as charged, and 15 percent were convicted on some lesser charge. The remaining 41 percent won release by acquittal or dismissal of the charges against them. Of all individuals processed for murder, 12 percent were juveniles who had their cases referred to juvenile court jurisdiction.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT

Aggravated assault is defined as an unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe bodily injury usually accompanied by the use of a weapon or other means likely to produce death or serious bodily harm. Attempts are included since it is not necessary that an injury result when a gun, knife, or other weapon is used which could and probably would result in serious personal injury if the crime was successfully completed.

Volume

In calendar year 1970, there was an estimated total of 329,940 aggravated assaults. This is an increase of 23,520 offenses over the previous year. This violent crime against the person made up over 6 percent of the Crime Index offenses in 1970 and comprised 45 percent of the crimes of violence. Regionally, the Southern States recorded 38 percent of the total count of these crimes followed by the North Central States 22 percent, while the Northeastern and Western States each accounted for 20 percent. As has been the experience in prior years, the warm summer months recorded the high frequencies during 1970. (See Chart 14.)

Trend

In 1970, the volume of aggravated assault offenses increased 8 percent over 1969 and 117 percent over 1960. Cities with 250,000 inhabitants and over had a 3 percent increase in volume. The suburban areas reported a 12 percent rise and rural areas were up 7 percent. The Western States reported an upward trend of 9 percent while North Central States registered an increase of 5 percent. The Northeastern and Southern States each recorded an increase of 8 percent.

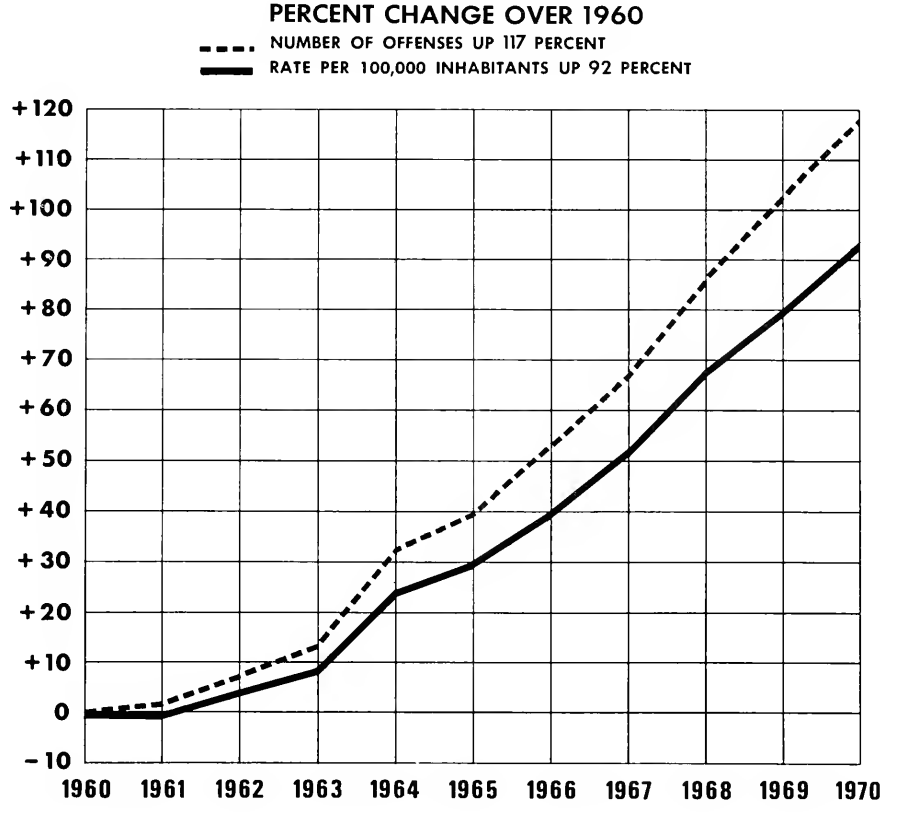
Aggravated Assault Rate

For each 100,000 persons in the United States during 1970, there were 162 victims of aggravated assault. Large core cities 250,000 and over in population recorded a victim rate of 334 per 100,000, suburban 102, and rural areas 90. Overall, the victim rate for aggravated assault increased 7 percent over 1969, and 92 percent over 1960. (See Chart 6.) The Southern States were again highest with a rate of 203 per 100,000 followed by the Western States 187, Northeastern States 134, and the North Central States 127. This victim rate was up 5 percent in large core cities while the suburban area rate was up 7 percent and the rural area 5 percent.

Nature of Aggravated Assault

Most aggravated assaults occur within the family unit, or among neighbors or acquaintances.

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT
1960 - 1970



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The victim and offender relationship, as well as the very nature of the attack makes this crime similar to murder. In 1970, 24 percent of the serious assaults were committed with the use of a firearm. A knife or other cutting instrument was used in 28 percent of the assaults, 24 percent were committed with blunt objects or other dangerous weapons, and 23 percent with personal weapons, such as hands, fists and feet. The collection of crime counts in this offense category was broken down into the above subclassifications commencing in 1964 in order to further define the nature of these serious assaults. A comparison of the assault subclassifications for 1970 with 1964 indicates that assaults with firearms have increased 167 percent; assaults with a knife or other cutting instrument have risen 15 percent; those assaults where blunt objects or other dangerous weapons are used increased 75 percent, and those assaults through use of personal weapons have climbed 75 percent. The table which follows demonstrates the regional experience of aggravated assault in 1970 by type of weapon used.

Aggravated Assault By Type of Weapon Used

[Percent distribution]

Region	Total all weapons used	Firearms	Knife or other cutting instrument	Other weapon; club, poison, etc.	Personal weapons
Northeastern States	100.0	16.8	31.3	31.6	20.3
North Central States	100.0	27.9	26.7	20.8	24.6
Southern States	100.0	27.7	29.2	19.9	23.2
Western States	100.0	22.3	23.9	28.4	25.4
Total	100.0	24.3	28.0	24.4	23.3

Clearances

Performance, as measured by solutions, indicates American law enforcement agencies were successful in solving 65 of each 100 cases in 1970 which is the same level achieved in 1969. This relatively high solution ratio follows that of the other crimes against the person. Persons under 18 years of age were identified in 10 percent of these clearances. Due to the nature of these crimes, arrests are frequently made upon the response of patrol units. This type of patrol call is hazardous to the officers. Since 1961, 98 officers have lost their lives responding to disturbance-type calls, which frequently involve family arguments.

Persons Arrested

Comparing aggravated assault arrests for 1970 with those in 1960 indicates that arrests of young persons under 18 increased 133 percent while arrests of adults were up 54 percent. As a group, persons 21 years of age and over accounted for 70 percent of the arrests for aggravated assault in 1970 and those under age 21 accounted for 30 percent. Arrests of males outnumbered females by about 7 to 1.

Persons Charged

Law enforcement agencies have difficulty in obtaining convictions based on original charge in the aggravated assault category. The close family or other relationship which exists between victims and assailants in this category accounts for the victim's frequent unwillingness to testify for the prosecution. Acquittals and dismissals, therefore, continue to run high, four out of each ten cases. Seventy-one out of every 100 adults arrested for aggravated assault in 1970 were prosecuted. Forty-four percent of the adults prosecuted for this offense were convicted on this charge, 16 percent were convicted of lesser charges while 18 percent of all persons processed were referred to juvenile court jurisdiction.

FORCIBLE RAPE

Forcible rape, as defined under this Program, is the carnal knowledge of a female through the use of force or the threat of force. Assaults to commit forcible rape are also included; however, statutory rape (without force) is not counted. Crime counts in this offense category are broken down by actual forcible rapes and attempted forcible rapes.

Volume

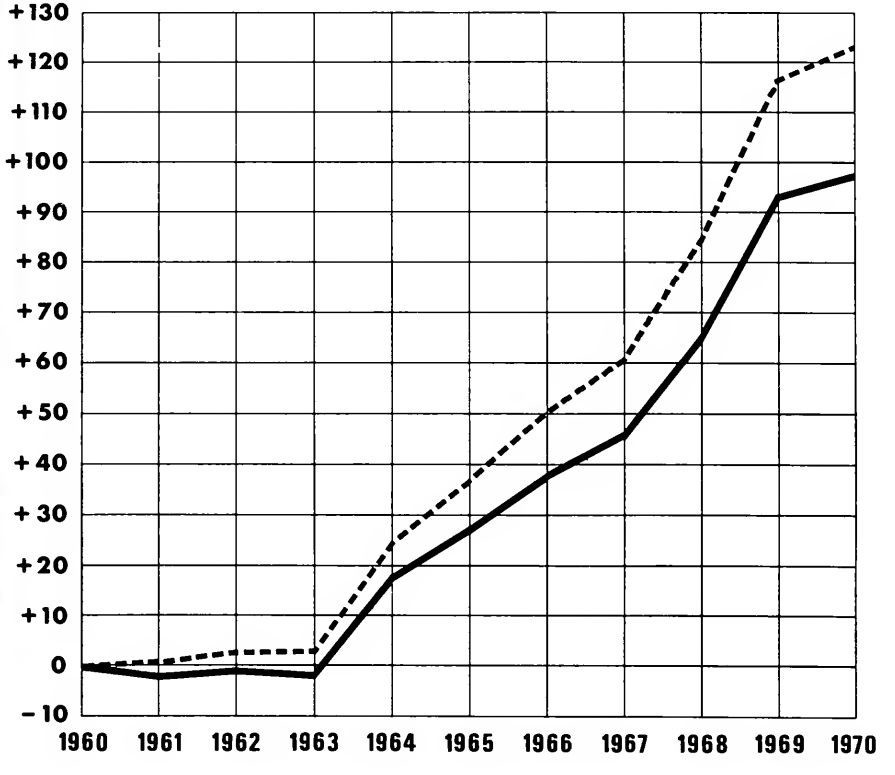
During 1970, there was an estimated total of 37,270 forcible rapes. Numerically, the volume increased by 800 offenses over 1969. Forcible rape made up less than 1 percent of the Crime Index total and 5 percent of the crimes of violence in 1970. The greatest volume was recorded in the Southern States with 30 percent of the total, while the Western States recorded 27 percent, the North Central States 26 percent and the Northeastern States 17 percent.

A comparison of the month-to-month variations of forcible rape in 1970 with the long-term seasonally adjusted trend followed the pattern set for many years. Chart 14 reflects the month-to-month variations of forcible rape during 1970, as well as a comparison with the prior 5-year experience.

FORCIBLE RAPE
1960 - 1970

PERCENT CHANGE OVER 1960

NUMBER OF OFFENSES UP 121 PERCENT
RATE PER 100,000 INHABITANTS UP 95 PERCENT



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Trend

The volume of forcible rape offenses in 1970 increased 2 percent over 1969, and 121 percent over 1960. This crime was committed most often in the big cities with 250,000 or more inhabitants which accounts for 45 percent of the forcible rapes. In 1970, this group of cities registered a one percent increase and the suburban areas also were up 1 percent. A rise of 5 percent was recorded in the rural areas. Geographically, the Southern States were up 5 percent, the Northeastern States 2 percent, the Western States 1 percent and the North Central States remained at the 1969 level.

Forcible Rape Rate

A crime rate equates the number of crimes per unit of population, and in its proper perspective, is a victim risk rate. In 1970, 36 out of every 100,000 females in this country were reported forcible rape victims. Since 1960, the forcible rape victim rate has increased 95 percent. In calendar year 1970, the forcible rape rate increased 1 percent over 1969.

The large core cities recorded a victim risk rate of 77 per 100,000 females, while the suburban area rate was 25 and the rural area 19. Again, as experienced in 1969, females residing in the Western States were most often the victims of forcible rape. In these States, the forcible rape rate was 56 per 100,000 females. The North Central States recorded a rate of 33, followed by the Southern and Northeastern States with rates of 35 and 25 per 100,000 females respectively.

Nature of Offenses

In 1970, 71 percent of all offenses reported in this crime class were actual rapes by force while the remainder were attempts or assaults to commit forcible rape. This offense is a violent crime against the person, and of all the Crime Index offenses, law enforcement administrators recognize that this offense is probably one of the most under-reported crimes due primarily to fear and/or embarrassment on the part of the victims. As a national average, 18 percent of all forcible rapes reported to police were determined by investigation to be unfounded. In other words, the police established that no forcible rape offense or attempt occurred. This is caused primarily due to the question of the use of force or threat of force frequently complicated by a prior relationship between victim and offender. Crime counts in this publication are limited to actual offenses established by police investigation.

Clearances

The solution rate in 1970 was 56 percent which is a 0.9 percent increase over the clearance rate achieved in 1969. The large cities with 250,000 or more inhabitants had a solution rate of 56 percent while the suburban law enforcement agencies solved 52 percent and the rural areas 70 percent. Nationally, 13 percent of the forcible rape offenses were cleared by the arrest of persons under the age of 18.

Persons Arrested

Males 17 to 20 years of age constituted the greatest concentration of arrests for forcible rape in 1970. Total arrests for this offense increased 1 percent with the arrest of persons under 18 years of age up 3 percent over 1969. Sixty-four percent of the arrests for forcible rape during the year were of persons under the age of 25. All arrests for forcible rape in 1970 compared to 1960 indicate an increase of 55 percent. Figures for the same years indicate that arrests of those under 18 years of age have increased 85 percent. In 1970, approximately 48 percent of the persons arrested for forcible rape were Negroes, 50 percent whites, and all other races comprised the remainder.

Persons Charged

Of all adults arrested for forcible rape in 1970, 70 percent were prosecuted for this offense. Thirty-six percent were found guilty of the substantive offense. An additional 18 percent of the adults prosecuted were convicted of lesser offenses. Prosecutive problems accounted for acquittals and/or dismissals in 46 percent of the cases. Juvenile referrals amounted to 22 percent of the persons processed on forcible rape charges in 1970.

ROBBERY

Robbery is a vicious type of crime which takes place in the presence of the victim to obtain property or a thing of value from a person by use of force or threat of force. Assault to rob and attempts are included. This is a violent crime and frequently results in injury to the victim. For crime reporting purposes data on robbery is collected for armed robbery where any weapon is used, and strong-arm robbery where no weapon other than a personal weapon, is employed. The

latter category includes crimes such as mugging, yoking, etc.

Volume

During calendar year 1970, there were an estimated 348,380 robberies committed in the United States. This represents a significant increase over the 297,580 robberies which occurred in calendar year 1969. This offense makes up 6 percent of the total Crime Index and comprises 48 percent of the crimes of violence. In 1970, these offenses occurred most frequently during the period August through December.

Geographically, the heaviest volume of robbery occurred in the Northeastern States, which reported 33 percent of the total in 1970. The percentage distribution in the other geographic regions showed the North Central States had 28 percent, the Southern States 23 percent, and the Western States 16 percent.

Trend

In 1970 robbery offenses increased 17 percent in volume when compared with 1969. Since 1960, robbery has increased 224 percent. Large core cities with over 250,000 population witnessed a 16 percent rise in the volume of robbery. Suburban areas surrounding the large core cities recorded a 20 percent increase while the rural areas reported an upward trend of 14 percent.

There were substantial increases in robbery in each geographic region. The Northeastern States had the sharpest increase with a 24 percent rise, while the North Central States were up 17 percent, the Southern States 16 percent, and the Western States 6 percent.

The accompanying chart depicts the long-term trend in the volume of robbery and the robbery rate, 1960–1970.

Robbery Rate

The 1970 robbery rate of 171 victims per 100,000 inhabitants was 16 percent above the 1969 rate and 186 percent above the 1960 rate. Robbery is a big city crime. American cities with over 250,000 population accounted for nearly three out of every four robberies which occurred in the United States during 1970.

Cities with over 250,000 inhabitants had a robbery rate of 589 victims per 100,000 inhabitants. There were 58 robbery victims per 100,000 in the surburban areas, up 16 percent over the preceding year, and 14 victims in the rural portions of the country. Robbery rates in the larger cities were about 10 times greater than they were in the suburban areas, again pointing out the fact that robbery rates tend to increase in proportion to density of population. On a geographic basis, this crime occurred most frequently in relation to population in the Northeastern States where the rate was 233, 23 percent higher than 1969. The North Central States followed with a rate of 173, which was a 16 percent increase, the Western States 157, a 4 percent rise, and the Southern States 130, a 16 percent increase.

Robbery by Geographic Region

	Total	North-eastern	North Central	Southern	Western
Armed—any weapon	63.3	65.6	61.5	63.3	61.6
Strong-arm—no weapon	36.7	34.4	38.5	36.7	38.4
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Nature of Robbery

Supplemental information is obtained from cities with populations of 2,500 or more as to robbery by type as a part of the monthly collection of statistical data under this Program. In 1970, these figures disclosed that 55 percent of the robberies were committed in the street. Nationally, bank robbery offenses increased 29 percent, but continued to account for less than one percent of total robbery. The average bank robbery dollar loss decreased from $4,526 in 1969 to $4,166 in 1970.

The long-term trends in robbery by type as illustrated by the following charts show bank robbery has increased 409 percent since 1960. During this same period, gas or service station holdups have increased 230 percent, chain store robberies 389 percent, street robberies 229 percent, robberies in residences 213 percent, and holdups of other commercial or business establishments rose 144 percent.

Armed perpetrators were responsible for 6 out of every 10 robbery offenses during 1970, while 37 percent were muggings, yokings, or other violent confrontations where personal weapons were used to subdue or overcome the victim. Since 1964, armed robbery has increased 198 percent and unarmed robbery increased 129 percent.

Special surveys have indicated that approximately 63 percent of all armed robbery is committed with a firearm, 24 percent with a knife or other cutting instrument, and 13 percent with blunt objects such as clubs, etc.

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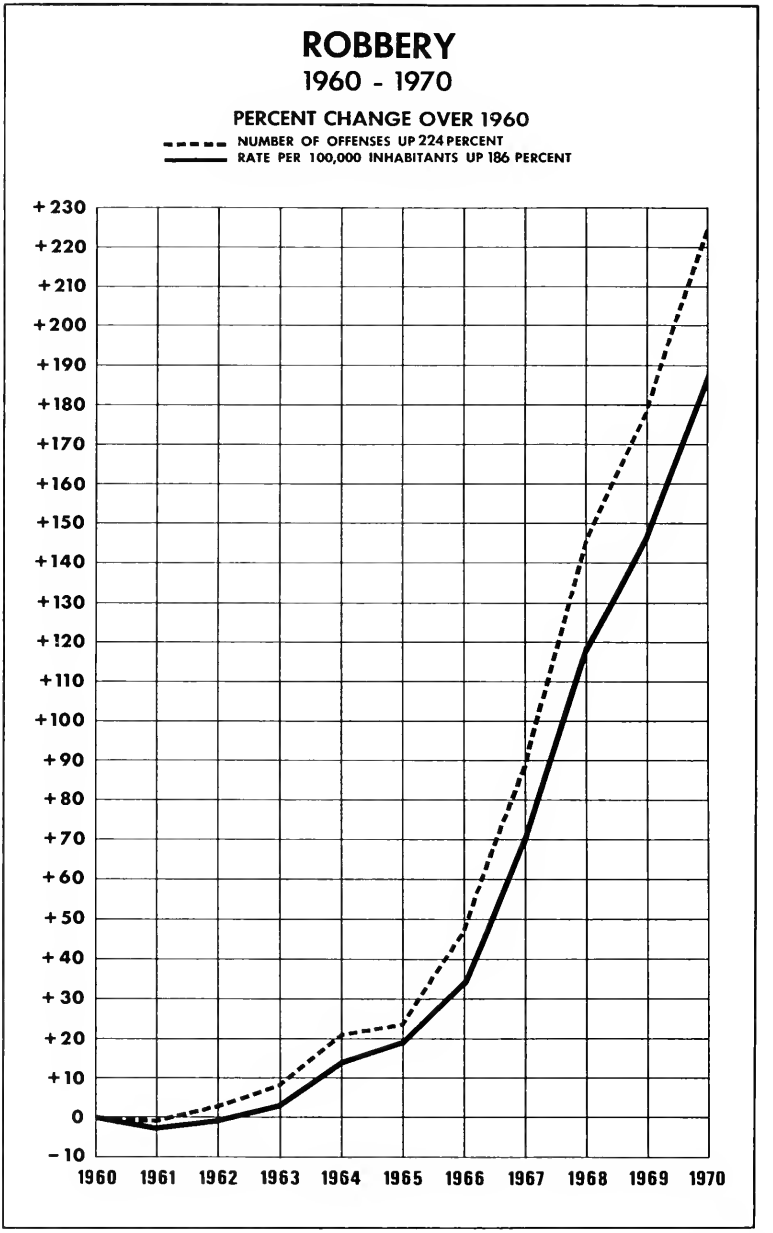

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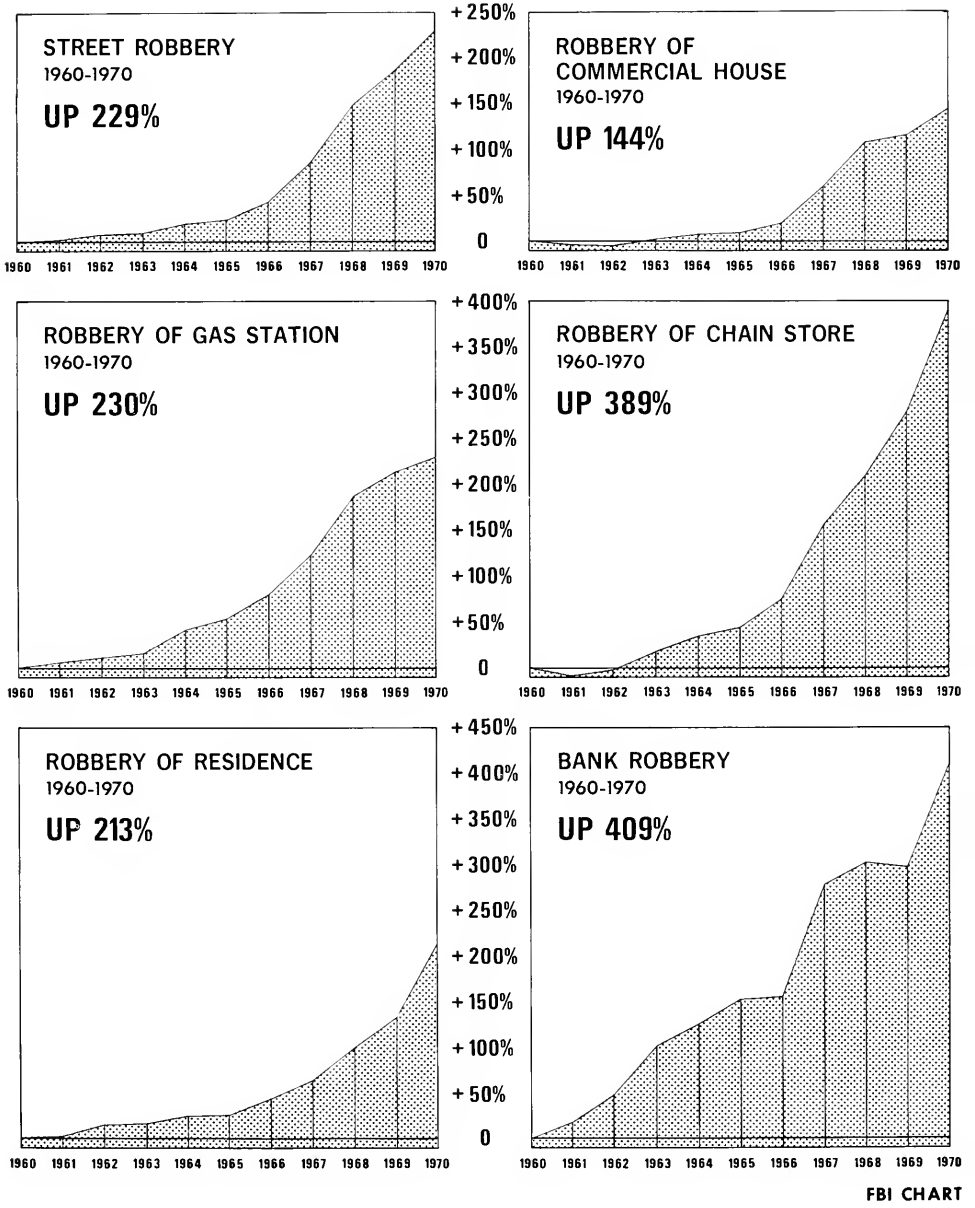

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As it has been pointed out in prior issues of this publication, the full impact of this violent crime on the victim cannot be completely measured in terms of dollar loss alone. While the object of the attack is money or property, many victims of the mugger and the strong-arm robber, as well as the armed robber, suffer serious personal injury as a result of the attack. During 1970, the average value loss to the victims of robbery was $235 for a total loss of $82 million.

Clearances

In 1970, law enforcement agencies were successful in solving 29 percent of these crimes. Seventy-nine percent of the robberies which were cleared by arrest involved adults. Fourteen percent of the armed robberies and 32 percent of the strong-arm type which were cleared, involved arrests of persons under 18 years of age.

Persons Arrested

Nationally, arrests for robbery increased 10 percent in 1970 compared to 1969. The greatest volume of arrests occurred in cities and were up 10 percent. In the rural areas arrests increased 5 percent and in the suburban areas arrests rose 14 percent.

Arrest data discloses that 77 percent of the persons arrested for robbery were under 25 years of age, and 57 percent were under 21 years of age. Nationally, 33 percent of the persons arrested for robbery were under 18. This greater proportion of young age arrests, compared to solutions, is accounted for in part by the fact they act in groups such as in strong-arm robbery. Robbery arrests for this young age group recorded a 9 percent increase in 1970 over 1969. In the suburban areas young persons made up 27 percent of the arrests, and in the rural areas 15 percent.

In 1970, six of every 100 persons arrested for robbery were females and arrests of women for this offense rose 8 percent in 1970 when related to 1969.

From a standpoint of race, 65 percent of those arrested were Negro, 33 percent were white, and all other races made up the remaining 2 percent.

Persons Charged

In 1970, 57 percent of all adults arrested for robbery were prosecuted, and 41 percent of the persons processed for this crime were juveniles whose cases were referred to juvenile court jurisdiction. Of the adults prosecuted in 1970, 47 percent were convicted of the substantive charge, 13 percent were convicted on lesser charges, and 40 percent were acquitted or their cases were dismissed.

BURGLARY

Under this Program, burglary is defined as the unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft, even though no force was used to gain entrance. Collection of crime counts in this category is broken down into three subclassifications: forcible entry, unlawful entry where no force is used, and attempted forcible entry.

Volume

An estimated total of 2,169,300 burglaries occurred during 1970. Volumewise, there was an increase of 219,500 offenses over 1969. The large cities over 250,000 population accounted for 38 percent of all burglaries during 1970. This offense makes up 39 percent of the Crime Index offenses and 45 percent of the voluminous property crimes. The Southern States reported 28 percent of the total volume, the Western States, 25 percent, the Northeastern States, 24 percent and the North Central States, 23 percent.

Highs were recorded during the last half of 1970, with the peak month being December.

Trend

Since 1960, burglary has increased 142 percent. In 1970, burglary rose 11 percent over 1969. Cities over 250,000 population recorded an increase of 7 percent while the suburban and rural areas were each up 12 percent. By region, the Southern States registered the largest overall gain in volume; up 14 percent. The North Central States were up 12 percent, the Western States 10 percent and the Northeastern States 9 percent.

Burglary Rate

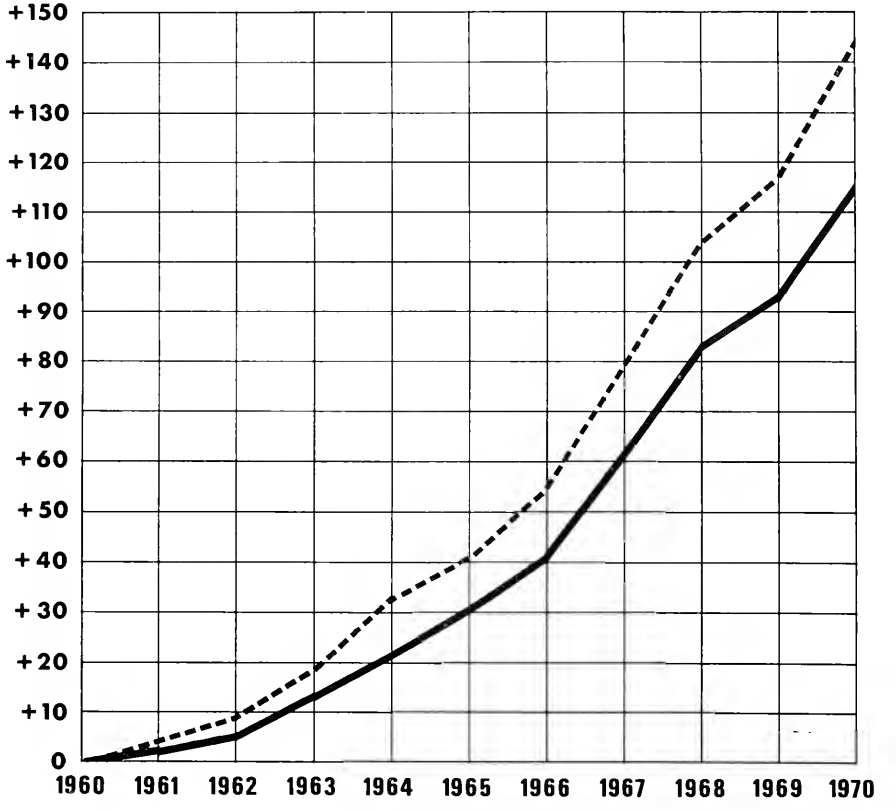
The long-term rise in the burglary rate, 1960–1970 was 113 percent. The 11 percent rise in the burglary rate, 1970 over 1969, followed a 6 percent rise in the rate, 1969 over 1968. It should be remembered the crime rate equates the number of offenses per 100,000 inhabitants and this continuing upswing in volume indicates the increasing number of victims of burglary both residential and nonresidential. The Western States again recorded the highest burglary rate in 1970 with 1,542 offenses per 100,000 inhabitants followed by the Northeastern States with a rate of 1,065, the Southern States 961 and North Central States 897.

BURGLARY

1960 - 1970

PERCENT CHANGE OVER 1960

NUMBER OF OFFENSES UP 142 PERCENT
RATE PER 100,000 INHABITANTS UP 113 PERCENT



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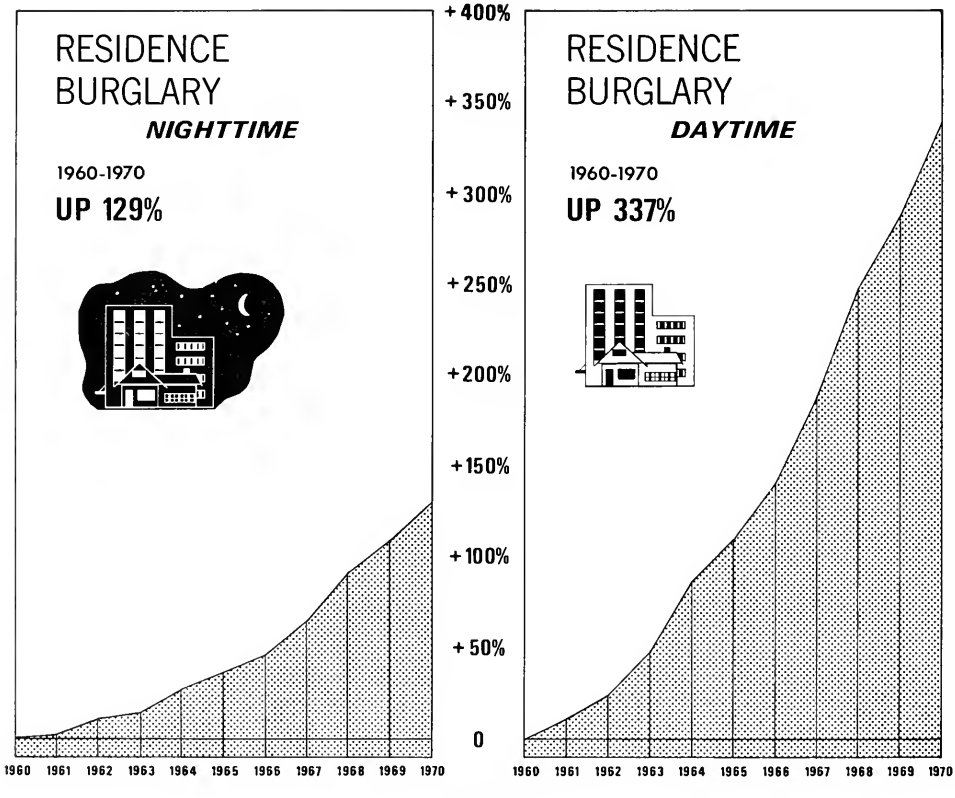

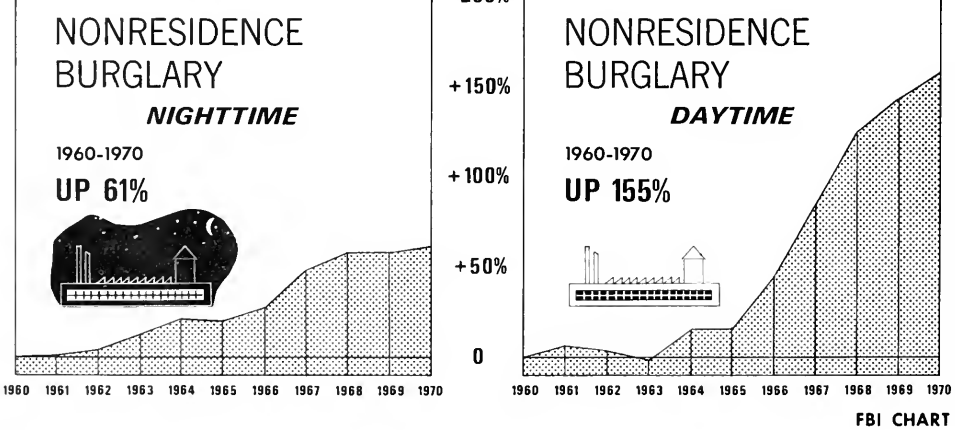

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Core cities over 250,000 population recorded a rate of 1,948 per 100,000 inhabitants while the suburban and rural areas had rates of 872 and 434 respectively.

Nature of Burglary

As it has been pointed out in prior issues, burglary is a crime of stealth and opportunity committed by amateurs and professionals alike. In 1970, 77 percent of the burglaries involved forcible entry, while 17 percent were unlawful entry (without force) and 6 percent were attempts. Residential burglary accounted for 58 percent of the total while nonresidential amounted to 42 percent in 1970. Daytime burglaries of residences rose 13 percent in 1970, and accounted for over one-half of these offenses. Since 1960, there has been a substantial increase of 337 percent in daytime residential burglaries. It should be noted that unattended apartments and homes during daytime hours are becoming increasingly easy prey for the burglar. Daytime burglaries of nonresidences rose 7 percent in 1970, but accounted for only 6 percent of the total burglary.

As a group, residential and nonresidential nighttime burglary represented 62 percent of the total volume. Prevention and detection are most difficult for law enforcement agencies due to the tremendous volume of these offenses and the lack of adequate police patrols. In 1970, property owners suffered an economic loss of $672 million, with an average dollar loss of $310 per burglary. Residential burglary losses amounted to $407 million while nonresidential losses due to burglaries amounted to $265 million.

Clearances

Law enforcement agencies were successful in solving 19 percent of the burglary offenses in 1970 which is a 3 percent increase over the 1969 clearance rate.

Adults were identified in 63 percent of all cases solved while young persons under 18 years of age were identified in 37 percent. Law enforcement agencies in cities 250,000 and above solved 22 percent of these crimes in 1970. In the suburban areas 16 percent were solved while 21 percent were cleared in the rural areas.

Persons Arrested

In 1970, total arrests for burglary increased 6 percent. Arrests of persons under 18 years of age increased 2 percent and arrests of persons 18 years and over rose 11 percent. Burglary arrests increased 5 percent in the cities, 6 percent in suburban areas, and rural areas recorded an 11 percent increase. An analysis of the period 1960–1970, reveals a 62 percent increase in burglary arrests. Arrests of individuals under the age of 18 increased 72 percent, while arrests of adult burglary offenders increased 52 percent, 1960–1970.

Nationally, persons under 25 accounted for 83 percent of all arrests for burglary in 1970. Of the total, young persons under 18 accounted for 52 percent of all arrests for this crime. Females were involved in five out of 100 arrests for burglary during 1970. Arrests of whites outnumbered Negroes by almost 2 to 1.

Persons Charged

Nationally, in 1970, 70 percent of the adults arrested for burglary were prosecuted. Of the adults, 53 percent were found guilty as charged, 17 percent were convicted of lesser charges and 30 percent were freed through acquittal or dismissal of charges. Juveniles referred to juvenile court jurisdiction accounted for 57 percent of all persons processed for burglary in 1970.

LARCENY–THEFT

Larceny-theft is the unlawful taking or stealing of property or articles of value without the use of force or violence or fraud. It includes crimes such as shoplifting, pocket-picking, purse-snatching, thefts from autos, thefts of auto parts and accessories, bicycle thefts, etc. In the Uniform Crime Reporting Program this crime category does not include embezzlement, "con" games, forgery, and worthless checks. Auto theft, of course, is excluded from this category for crime reporting purposes inasmuch as it is a separate Crime Index offense.

The Crime Index offense of larceny is limited to those thefts where the value of property stolen is $50 or more.

Volume

Larceny, the second most voluminous Index crime is exceeded only by burglary. In 1970 there were 1,746,100 offenses of larceny $50 and over, up from 1,524,600 in 1969. This crime makes up 31 percent of the Crime Index total. From a seasonal standpoint, larceny was highest in the summer months and reached a peak in August.

The Southern States accounted for 27 percent of larceny-thefts while the Western and North Central States each contributed 25 percent, and the Northeastern States 23 percent.

Trend

In 1970, the Index offense of larceny $50 and over, recorded a 15 percent increase over 1969 and 245 percent over 1960. Substantial increases were noted in all population groups with cities over 250,000 population up 5 percent. The suburban areas increased 19 percent and the rural areas registered a 25 percent upward trend.

Geographically, larceny increased 17 percent in the North Central States, 19 percent in the Southern States, and 11 percent in the Western and the Northeastern States.

Larceny Rate

During 1970, the larceny crime rate rose to 859 offenses per 100,000 inhabitants, an increase of 14 percent over the 1969 rate and 204 percent over 1960. In 1970, the large core cities registered a crime rate of 1,290 per 100,000 inhabitants. The suburban larceny rate was 801 and the rural rate was 303. Viewed geographically, the Western States reported the highest larceny rate with 1,269 offenses per 100,000 inhabitants which was 8 percent above 1969. The Northeastern States had a rate of 823 up 11 percent; the North Central States 760 up 16 percent, and the Southern States 750 an increase of 20 percent in the rate.

Nature of Larceny-Theft

The average value of property stolen in each larceny in 1970 was $106, up from $74 in 1960. This average value includes losses from the voluminous thefts under $50 in value, of which there were 2,500,000 in 1970. When average value is applied to the estimated crimes in this category, the dollar loss to victims was in excess of $450 million. It is true that a portion of the goods stolen was recovered and returned to victims, but the relatively low percentage of these crimes cleared by arrest, and the lack of specific identification characteristics on such property indicates these recoveries will not materially reduce the overall loss. In addition, of course, many offenses in this category, particularly where the value of the stolen goods is small, never come to police attention.

Since dollar valuation of property stolen in thefts determines whether or not a theft becomes a Crime Index offense, economic conditions are a factor. The rising cost of living with its upward influence on prices, coupled with increased demand for more expensive commodities, present greater criminal opportunity and also exert some unreal effects on the larceny $50 and over trend. Likewise, the average value of property stolen in larceny was 43 percent over the 1960 figures. However, the volume of thefts $50 and over was 245 percent more than the larceny volume recorded in 1960.

The dollar valuation of larceny (larceny $50 and over in value) as a Crime Index offense has been the subject of discussion by the Committee on Uniform Crime Records of the IACP. In recent years, beginning with the April, 1963, meeting in Washington, D.C., the Committee has considered raising the dollar valuation in order to take account of the increasing cost of living factor. It has been felt, however, that this does not solve the problem but merely postpones it. Furthermore, it does not come to grips at all with the problem of fixing dollar valuation within the thousands of reporting law enforcement agencies.

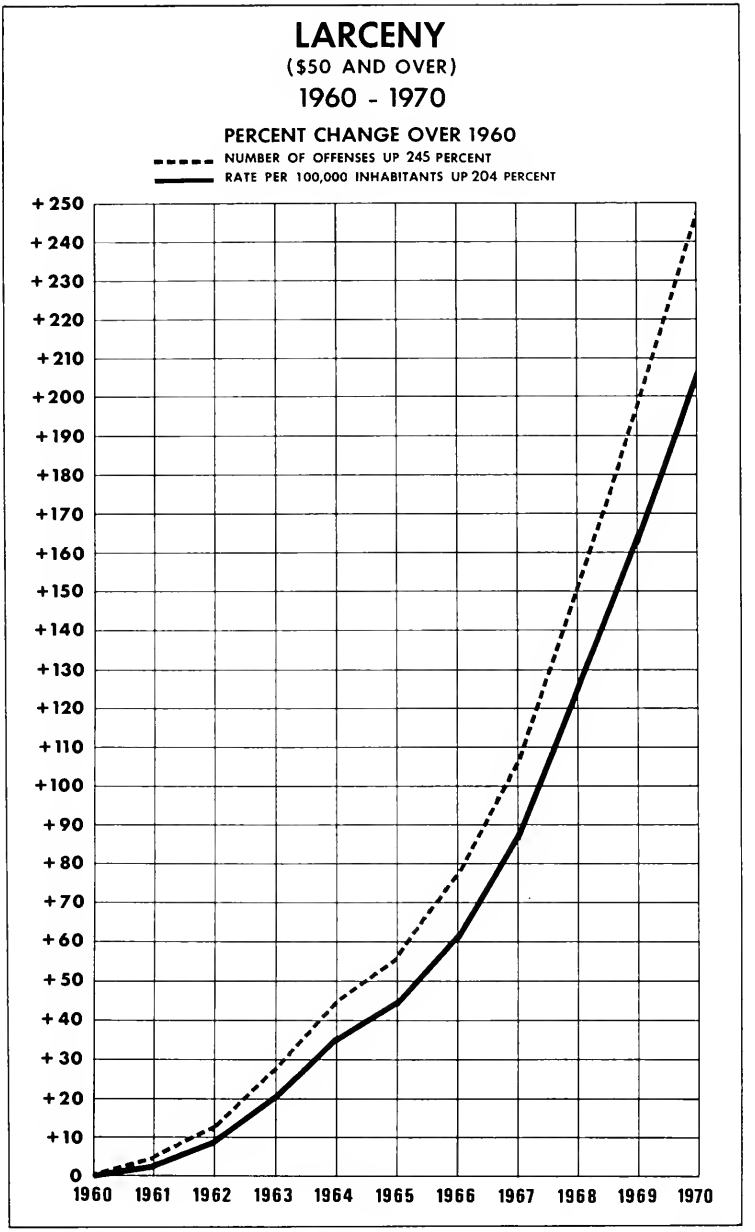
In the past, discussion has dealt with the possibility of selecting a certain type or types of larceny-theft to be utilized as the Crime Index offense without respect to dollar value. In 1964, the FBI began an expanded collection of data on larceny by type. It should be noted that the percent distribution of larceny by type and area is significant. Likewise, the trend in "street larceny," without relation to dollar loss, suggests a better indicator of this crime experience than the present reporting subdivisions of "larceny $50 and over in value" and "larceny under $50 in value". In this regard, it should be noted that the category "street larceny" should include pocket-picking, purse-snatching, thefts from autos, automobile accessories, thefts from coin-operated machines and "all other" larceny.

The term "street larceny" is used to identify this group of thefts since they generally occur within reach of police patrols. When "street thefts" are used collectively, a larceny upswing of 5 percent was registered, 1970 over 1969, and 62 percent, 1970 over 1964. During the same periods, larceny $50 and over in value increased 15 percent and 139 percent respectively.

In 1970, the average value of goods and property reported stolen from victims of pickpockets was $80, by purse-snatchers $47, by shoplifters $26, by thefts from autos $139, and by miscellaneous thefts from buildings $185.

The accompanying table presents distribution of larceny by type for large cities, suburban and rural areas. Cities and suburban areas appear to have similar characteristics except for pocket-picking and purse-snatching which are consider-

Chart 12



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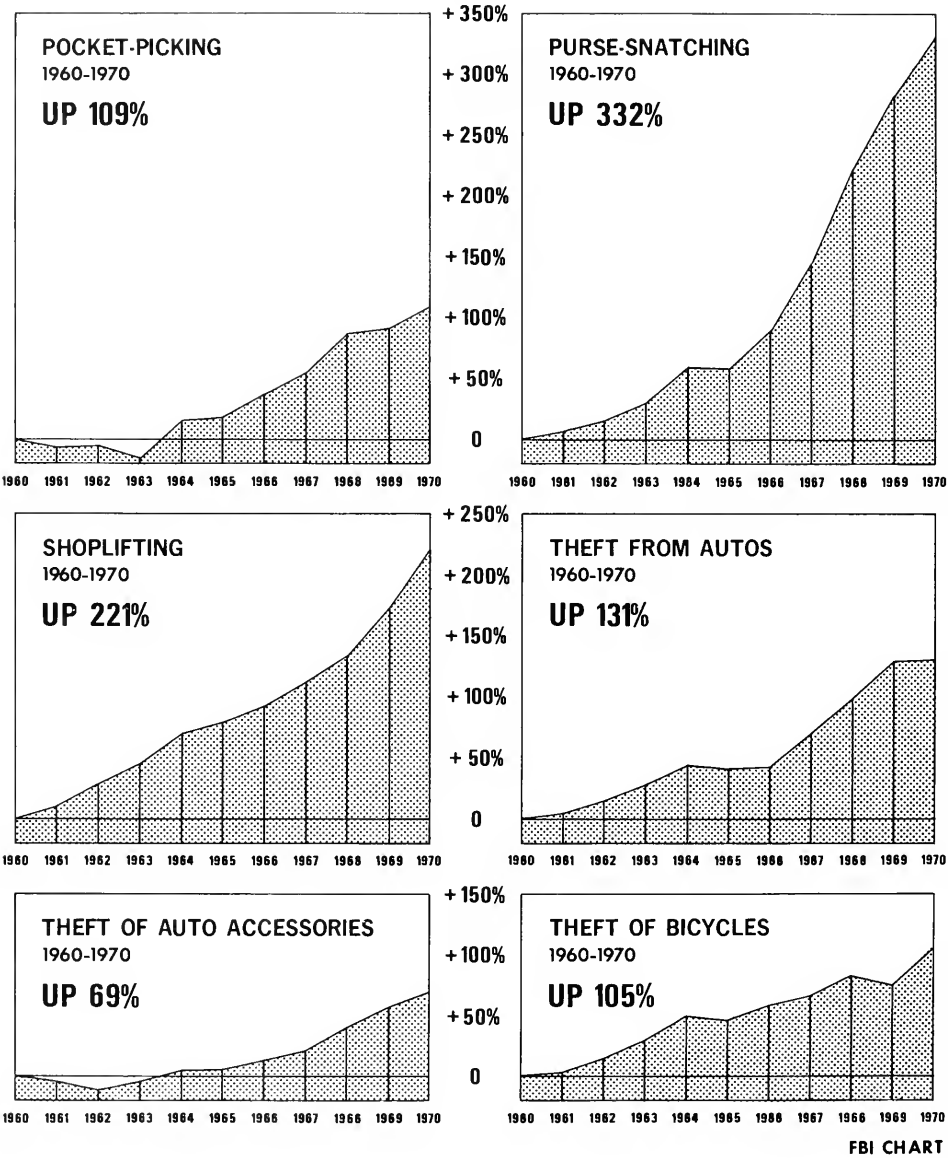

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ably less in the suburban or residential areas. This, of course, is to be expected as these theft opportunities flourish where population and business houses are highly concentrated. It is interesting to note that figures for shoplifting are quite similar in the city and suburban areas while there is a decided drop in the rural area. The shopping center which is still largely absent in rural areas contributes substantially to these figures. Thefts from autos made up 22 percent of larceny in large cities over 250,000 in population, 14 percent in suburban areas and 12 percent in rural areas.

From one year to another, the distribution of larceny as to type of theft remains relatively constant. As in prior years, a major portion of these thefts, 40 percent, represented thefts of auto parts and accessories and other thefts from automobiles. Other major types of thefts which contributed to the large number of these crimes were thefts from buildings, 16 percent, and stolen bicycles, 15 percent. Miscellaneous types of larcenies, not falling into any of the specific categories for which statistics were collected made up 15 percent of the total. The remainder was distributed among pocket-picking, purse-snatching, shoplifting and thefts from coin-operated machines.

Larceny Analysis, 1970

[Percent distribution]

Classification	Area			
	Total United States	Cities over 250,000	Suburban	Rural
Pocket-picking	1.2	2.5	0.3	0.2
Purse-snatching	2.6	5.2	.6	.3
Shoplifting	8.8	8.5	8.4	2.8
From autos (except accessories)	19.0	21.6	14.2	12.4
Auto accessories	20.6	21.9	23.6	15.5
Bicycles	14.6	10.6	14.5	3.8
From buildings	16.3	18.2	14.7	15.0
From coin-operated machines	1.6	1.2	1.7	1.9
All others	15.3	10.3	22.0	48.1
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Clearances

The nature of larceny, a crime of opportunity, sneak thievery, and petty unobserved thefts, makes it an extremely difficult one for law enforcement officers to solve. A lack of witnesses and the tremendous volume of these crimes work in the thief's favor. In 1970, 18 percent of the larceny offenses brought to police attention were solved. Involvement of the young age group is demonstrated by the fact that 40 percent of these crimes which were cleared in the Nation's cities were solved by arrest of persons under 18 years of age. Juvenile clearance figures for suburban areas and rural areas were 43 percent and 27 percent, respectively.

The larceny clearance percentages were consistent in all population groups ranging from 16 percent in the suburbs to a high of 20 percent in the cities over 250,000 inhabitants and 19 percent in the rural areas. Nationally, the larceny solution rate rose to 18.4 percent from 17.9 percent in 1969.

Persons Arrested

Forty-eight percent of the total arrests for serious crimes in 1970 were for larceny. Arrests for this crime were up 13 percent, 1970 over 1969. Volumewise, 51 percent of these arrests were of persons under 18 years of age and when individuals under 21 were considered, the ratio rose to two-thirds. When examined by sex of arrested persons, it was determined that females comprised 28 percent of all arrests for larceny-theft and had a higher involvement in this offense than for any of the Index offenses. In fact, women were arrested more often for larceny than any other offense in 1970.

Arrests of females rose 19 percent in 1970; while arrests of males increased 11 percent. Arrests of whites out-numbered Negroes by 2 to 1 with all other races comprising about 2 percent of the arrests for larceny-theft. The total volume of arrests for larceny-theft in 1970, as compared with the 1960 figures, indicates a 108 percent increase. It is significant to note that arrests of individuals under 18 were 112 percent greater than 1960. The number of adult arrests rose 104 percent over the number of recorded arrests in 1960, for this offense.

Persons Charged

As in prior years, law enforcement agencies nationally charged more than twice as many offenders for larceny-theft than for any other serious offense. Seventy-one percent of the adults prosecuted for larceny-theft were found guilty of this offense, 6 percent were found guilty of a lesser charge, and 23 percent had their cases dismissed or were acquitted. Thirty-eight percent of persons processed in 1970 for larceny were referred to juvenile court jurisdiction.

AUTO THEFT

In Uniform Crime Reporting, auto theft is defined as the unlawful stealing or driving away

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Chart 14

CRIMES

KEY: ---- 1965-1969 MOVING AVERAGE

AGAINST THE PERSON

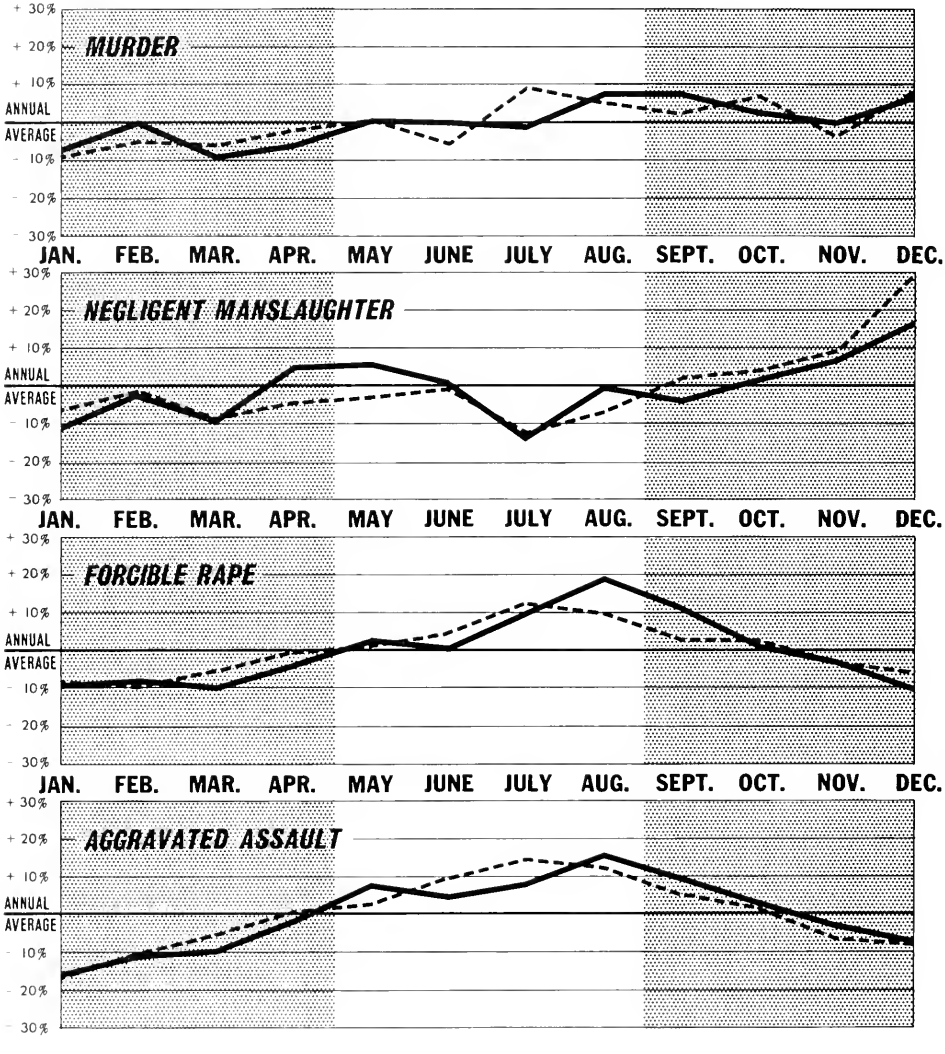
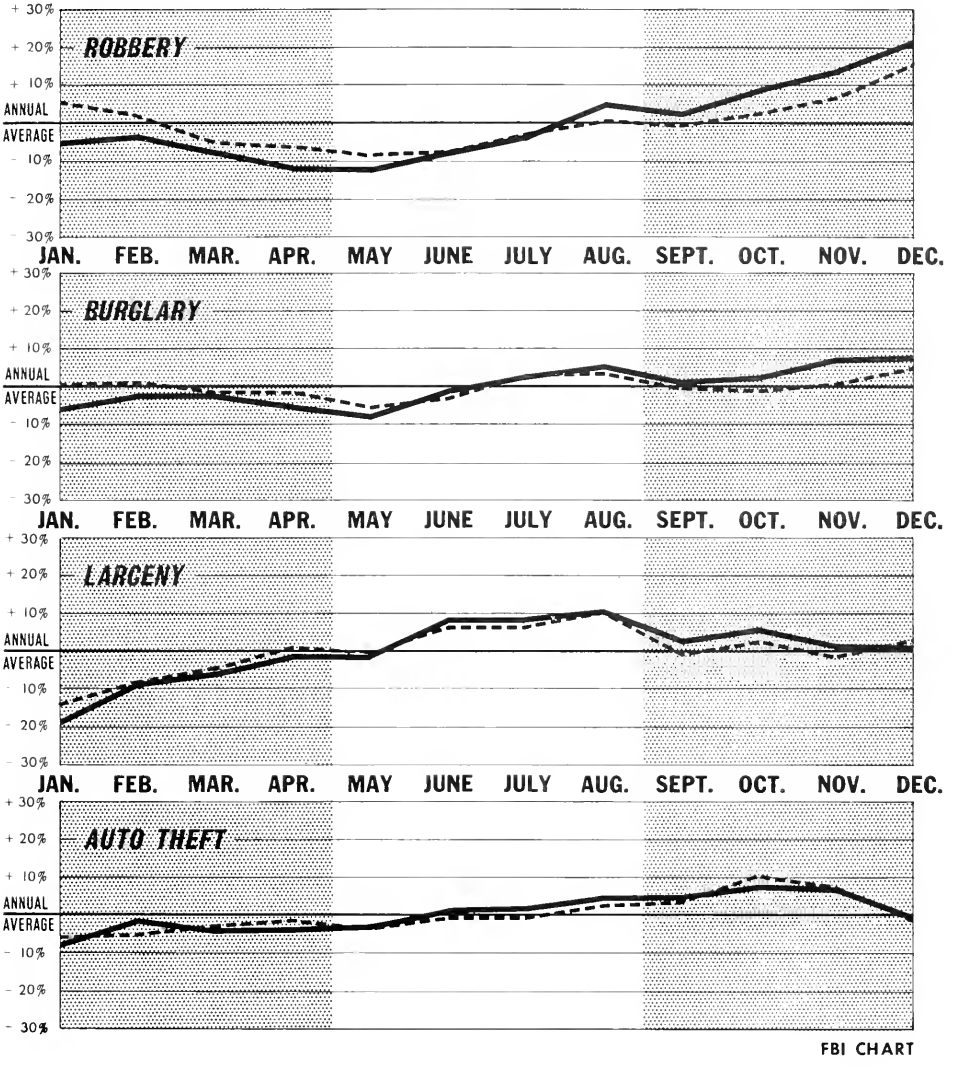


Chart 14

BY MONTH

VARIATIONS FROM 1970 ANNUAL AVERAGE

AGAINST PROPERTY



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of a motor vehicle, including attempts. This definition excludes taking for temporary use when the vehicle is actually returned by the taker provided prior authority for its use has been granted or can be assumed.

Volume

In 1970, 921,400 motor vehicles were reported stolen. Geographically, the volume of auto theft was highest in the Northeastern States which reported 30 percent of the total number followed by the North Central States with 26 percent. The Southern and Western States each reported 22 percent. This crime made up 17 percent of the total Crime Index offenses. As was experienced in prior years, seasonal variations during 1970 disclosed auto theft reached its peak in the fall of the year with October, the high month in volume.

Trend

Auto thefts in 1970 volumewise increased 6 percent over 1969. This offense has been steadily rising each year since 1960, with an overall increase of 183 percent 1960–1970. As it has been pointed out in prior issues, it should be remembered that it is invalid to assume more auto thefts occur solely because of more automobile registrations. From 1960 through 1970, the percentage increase in auto theft has been four times greater than the percentage increase in automobile registrations and four times greater than the percentage increase in the young age population, 15 to 24 years.

Auto theft increased 3 percent in big cities with 250,000 or more inhabitants while the suburban areas registered a 10 percent increase. The rural areas increased four percent.

Geographically, auto thefts were up 9 percent in the Northeastern States. The Southern and Western States each reported rises of 6 percent, and the North Central States 2 percent. The accompanying chart shows the trend in auto thefts, 1960–1970.

Auto Theft Rate

There was an increase in the auto theft rate from 432 offenses per 100,000 inhabitants in 1969 to 453 offenses in 1970, an increase of 5 percent. Since 1960, the auto theft rate has risen 150 percent. As in 1969, citizens in cities with 500,000 to 1 million population were deprived more often of their motor vehicles in 1970 than in any other population group, with 1,238 per 100,000 inhabitants suffering an auto theft. It should be recalled that as a part of a prior special study 30 percent of the autos stolen in the District of Columbia were owned by nonresident victims. This ratio will undoubtedly hold true in other large core cities because of the high mobility of the general population.

Nationally, the auto theft rate in large core cities as a group averaged 1,117. In the suburbs the rate was 288, and in the rural areas the auto theft rate was 71.

The auto theft rates by geographic region disclosed the Northeastern States were high in 1970 with 572 followed by the Western States 570, the North Central States 419, and the Southern States 327 auto thefts per 100,000 inhabitants.

Across the Nation in 1970, one of every 100 registered automobiles was stolen or a rate of 10 per 1,000 registered autos. Regionally, this rate was the highest in the Northeastern States where 14 cars per 1,000 registered vehicles were stolen. In the other three regions the figures were 12 in the Western States, 9 in the North Central States, and 7 in the Southern States.

Nature of Auto Theft

Auto theft rates again clearly indicate that this crime is primarily a big city problem, since the highest rates appear in the most heavily populated sections of the Nation. In 1970, the average value of stolen automobiles was $948 at the time of theft, and although police were successful in recovering 84 percent of the stolen vehicles, the remaining unrecovered 16 percent represented a dollar loss of $140 million.

Prior studies conducted under the Uniform Crime Reporting Program have documented the fact that auto theft is primarily a crime of opportunity. The young offender who is most often involved finds the vehicle subject to theft conveniently ready to drive away or in many instances the ignition can be easily compromised.

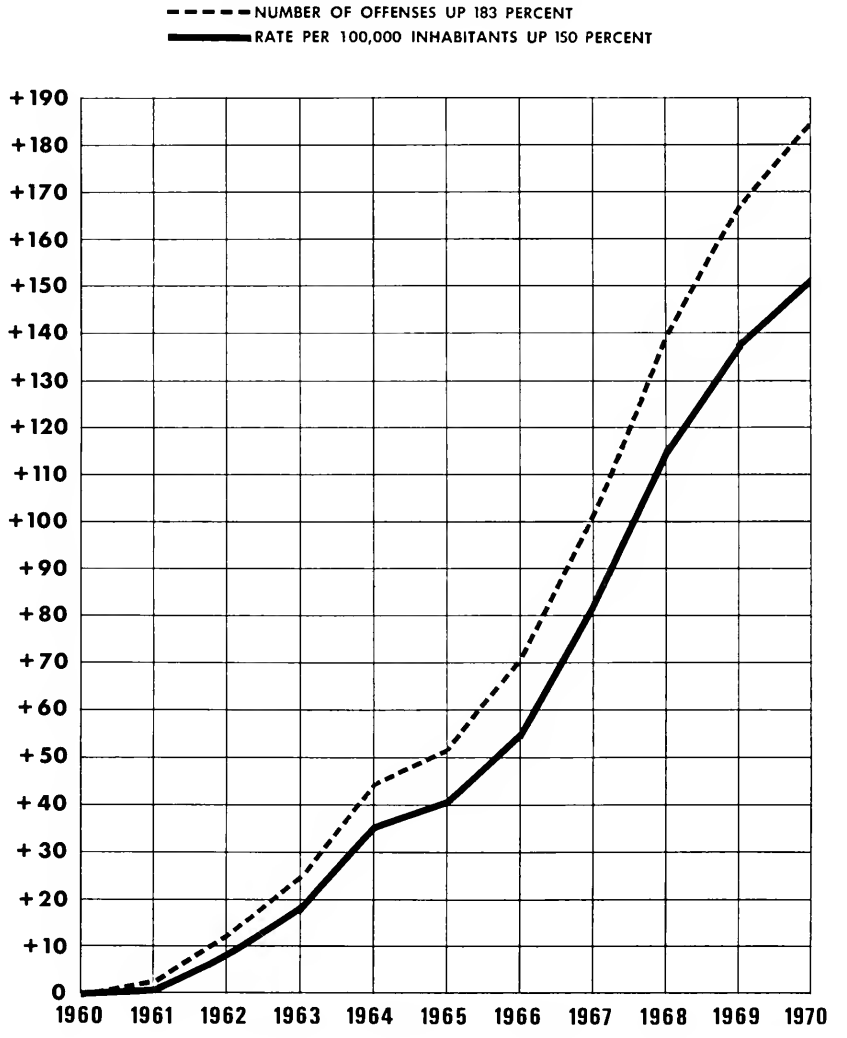
Clearances

Due to the fact that prior studies have documented two-thirds of all auto thefts occur at night and over one-half are from private residences, apartments, or streets in residential districts, law enforcement agencies were successful in solving only 17 percent of these thefts by arrest of the offender. These crimes occur under cover of darkness and there are seldom any witnesses to the theft. On the other hand, police nationally are successful in recovering about 84 percent of all stolen cars. Over one-half of the stolen vehicles

AUTO THEFT

1960 - 1970

PERCENT CHANGE OVER 1960



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are taken and recovered within 48 hours. Although recovery of the vehicle does not clear the offense, the property is available for return to the victim. This high recovery percentage can be attributed to the fact that approximately 75 percent of all cars stolen are used for transportation or the purpose of the theft is unknown. The remainder were taken for resale, stripping for parts, or use in another crime.

In the Nation's largest cities 17 percent of auto thefts were cleared during 1970. Police in the suburban areas were again somewhat more successful clearing up 18 percent. Throughout the country auto theft clearance percentages ranged from 14 percent in the Middle Atlantic States to 21 percent in the West North Central States.

In all geographic divisions and population groups the participation of the young age group population is indicated by the high proportion of these clearances which were through the arrest of persons under 18 years of age. In the large core cities, 42 percent were solved by an arrest in this age group while juveniles account for 40 percent in the suburbs and 33 percent in the rural areas.

Persons Arrested

As in prior years, persons arrested for auto theft come primarily from the young age group population. In 1970, 56 percent of all persons arrested for this crime were under 18 years of age. When persons under 21 are included in the computations, the proportion of arrests rises to 75 percent.

The national trend in auto theft arrests disclosed a decrease of 4 percent in 1970 when compared to 1969. Adult arrests rose 3 percent while arrests of persons under 18 decreased 8 percent. During the period 1960–1970, auto theft arrests increased 68 percent. Arrests of individuals under the age of 18 rose 51 percent during the same period. The long-term arrest trend for adults disclosed a 94 percent increase for auto theft, 1960 through 1970.

Of all crimes against property, next to burglary, auto theft as measured by arrest showed the least participation by females. Females under 18 recorded a 7 percent decrease in arrests for auto theft. White persons made up 61 percent of the arrests for auto theft, Negroes 36 percent and all other races the remainder.

Persons Charged

Police reports disclosed that of all persons formally processed for auto theft in 1970, 63 percent were referred to juvenile court jurisdiction. No other Crime Index offense results in such a high percentage of juvenile referrals. When the remaining adult offenders were considered as a group, 50 percent of those prosecuted on charges of auto theft were found guilty as charged, 12 percent were convicted of lesser charges, and 38 percent were acquitted or their cases were dismissed.

NCIC Stolen Vehicle File

The National Crime Information Center (NCIC) is a computerized law enforcement system which provides law enforcement with the ability to immediately enter auto theft record information into the system and to immediately modify the record when the vehicle is recovered. The system currently has on file some 660,000 active stolen vehicle records.

A review of the auto theft data entered in the NCIC system for November, 1970, shows there was a total of 62,756 vehicle records entered in the system. When looking at this monthly total by type of vehicle it was determined automobiles made up 91 percent of these records, motorcycles 7 percent, trucks approximately 2 percent and mini-bikes less than 1 percent.

Of the autos entered in the system during November, 1970, 69 percent were recovered by law enforcement by December 31, 1970. During the same period 87 percent of the trucks, 30 percent of motorcycles and 28 percent of the mini-bikes were recovered.

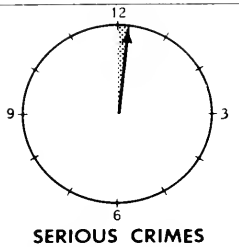
The NCIC records show the 1964-year model to be the most frequently stolen of all vehicles.

CLEARANCES

In this Program police clear a crime when they have identified the offender, have sufficient evidence to charge him and actually take him into custody. Crime solutions are also recorded in exceptional instances when some element beyond police control precludes the placing of formal charges against the offender, such as the victim's refusal to prosecute or local prosecution is declined because the subject is being prosecuted elsewhere for a crime committed in another jurisdiction. The arrest of one person can clear several crimes or several persons may be arrested in the process of clearing one crime.

Law enforcement agencies in the nation cleared 20 percent of Index Crimes during 1970. It is to be noted this is the same percentage of clearances as experienced during 1969.

CRIME CLOCKS
1970



SERIOUS CRIMES

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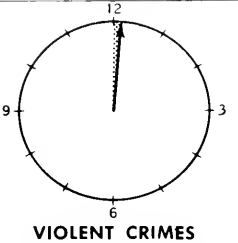

VIOLENT CRIMES

MURDER, FORCIBLE RAPE, ROBBERY OR ASSAULT TO KILL

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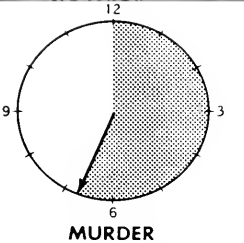

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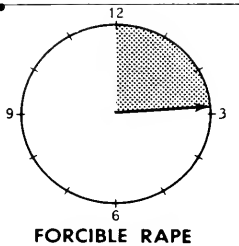

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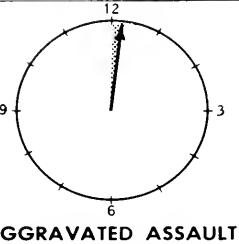

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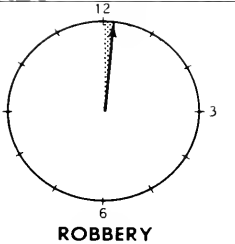

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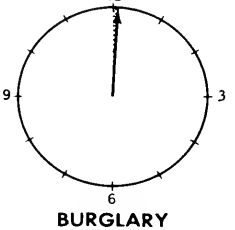

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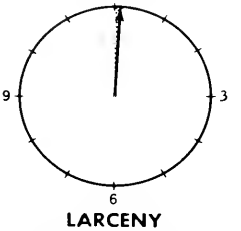
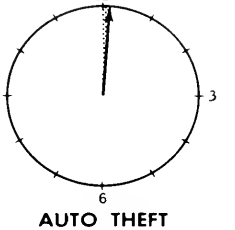


LARCENY

($50 and over)

ONE EVERY **18** SECONDS



AUTO THEFT

ONE EVERY **34** SECONDS

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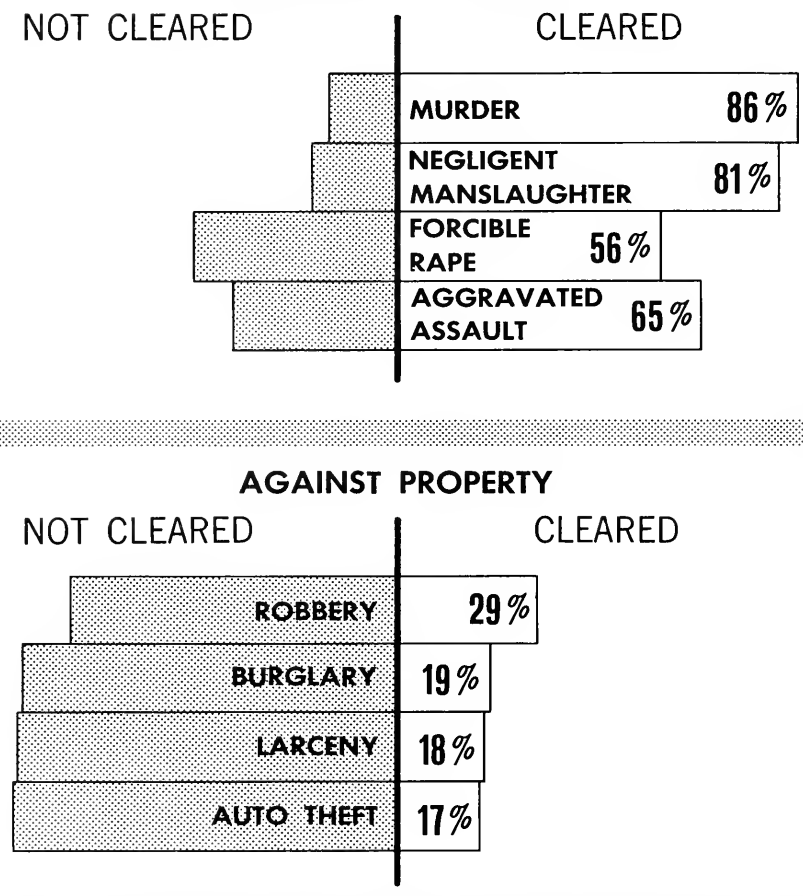
CRIMES CLEARED BY ARREST
1970



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The murder clearance rate increased 0.5 percent, forcible rape increased 0.9 percent, robbery increased 8.2 percent, burglary increased 2.6 percent, larceny $50 and over increased 2.6 percent and auto theft decreased 5.6 percent. The highest overall Crime Index clearance rate regionally was recorded by the Southern States with 22 percent, the North Central States 21 percent, the Western States 18 percent and the Northeastern States with 17 percent.

Reports submitted by law enforcement agencies in 1970 disclosed police were successful in solving 86 percent of the murder offenses, 56 percent of forcible rapes, 65 percent of aggravated assaults and 29 percent of the robberies. Solutions in the property crime categories showed police cleared 19 percent of the burglaries, 18 percent of the larcenies and 17 percent of the auto thefts. Police are able to clear a higher percentage of the crimes against the person, not only because of the more intense investigative effort afforded these violent offenses, but also due to the smaller volume of these crimes requiring police attention and, more importantly, because witnesses are usually available who can identify the perpetrators.

The accompanying chart reveals the crime and police clearance experience in the 1960's. From 1960 to 1970 the Crime Index offenses rose 176 percent. Police response to this sharp upward trend was an 87 percent increase in the number of arrests for Crime Index type offenses. However, the clearance rate, which relates the number of known offenses cleared, has declined. In 1960, the ratio of Crime Index offenses cleared to crimes reported was 31 out of 100. In 1970, for each 100 Crime Index offenses 20 were cleared.

There are a number of factors influencing the overall police solution rate. These include court decisions which have resulted in restrictions on police investigative and enforcement practices; increases of police workloads in criminal and noncriminal matters, riots, disturbances, marches, etc. The almost constant rate of police strength is not commensurate with the sharp increase in crime and the increasing mobility of those who commit crimes. Clearance tables are provided commencing on page 108.

Offenses Cleared by Arrests of Juveniles

It has been noted in several prior sections of this publication that persons under 18 years of age are becoming increasingly involved with police through commission of serious crimes. Persons 10 to 17 years of age make up approximately 16 percent of the total United States population. One means of measuring the involvement of the young age group in crime is to identify the number of crimes in which they are the offenders. In 1970, 29 percent of all Crime Index offenses solved involved persons under 18 years of age.

PERSONS ARRESTED

In 1970, arrests for all criminal acts, excluding traffic, increased 5 percent over 1969. The total volume of city arrests rose 4 percent while arrests in suburban areas were up 8 percent and the number of arrests in the rural areas increased 16 percent. Nationally, there were 43 arrests for each 1,000 persons in the United States. In 1969, there were 40 arrests for each 1,000 inhabitants. The arrest rate for big cities as a group was 58 per 1,000 inhabitants, up from 55 in 1969, for suburban areas 29, up from 28 in the prior year and in the rural areas the arrest rate rose to 20 up from 18 arrests per 1,000 people in 1969.

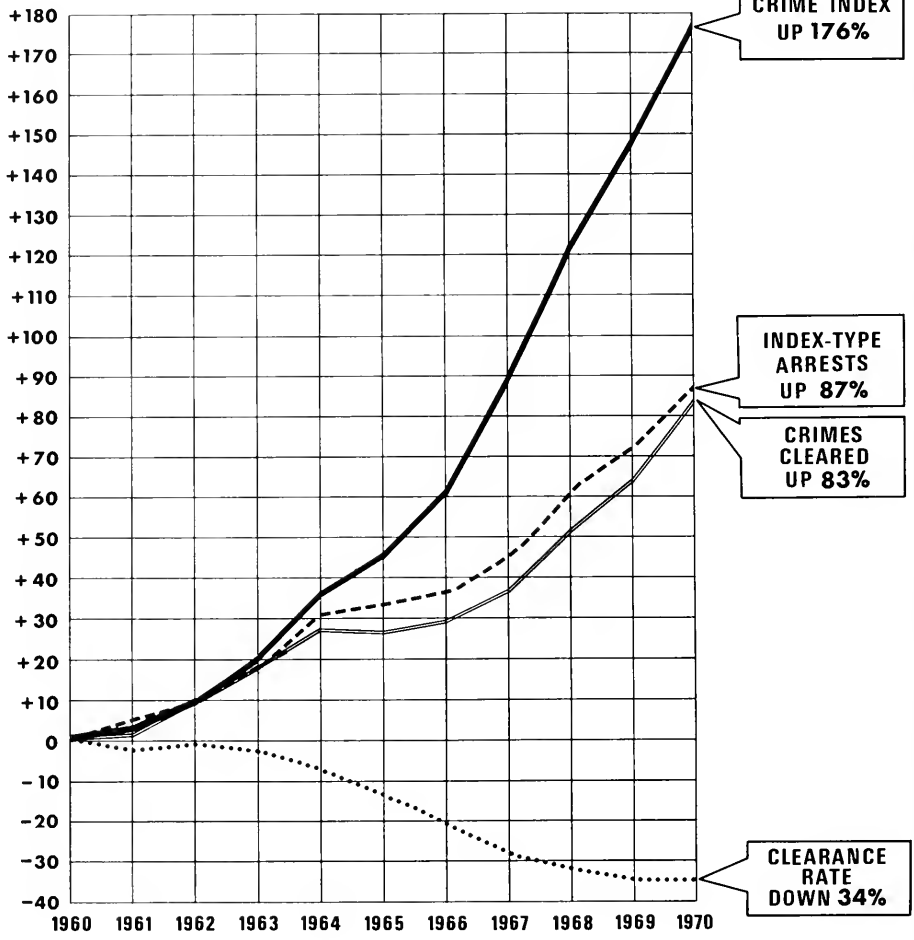
Arrests are primarily a measure of police activity. Arrest practices, policies and enforcement emphasis will vary from place to place and within a community from time to time. The volume of police arrests for certain unlawful conduct such as drunkenness, disorderly conduct, and certain local ordinances is particularly influenced by the above. On the other hand, robbery, burglary, and other arrests for serious crimes are more likely the result of standard procedures. Arrests are first a measure of police activity as it relates to crime. Arrests do, however, provide a useful index to measure involvement in criminal acts by the age, sex, and race of the perpetrators, particularly for those crimes which have a high solution rate. Procedures used in this Program require that an arrest be counted on each separate occasion when a person is taken into custody, notified or cited. Arrests do not measure the number of individuals taken into custody since one person may be arrested several times during the year for the same or different offenses. As noted above, this happens frequently for certain types of offenses against public order such as drunkenness, vagrancy, disorderly conduct and related violations.

In 1970, law enforcement agencies nationally made an estimated 8 million arrests for all criminal acts, excluding traffic offenses. A percent distribution of arrests by type of offense in 1970 indicates that approximately 8 percent were for crimes against the person, property crime arrests

CRIME AND CRIMES CLEARED

1960 - 1970

PERCENT CHANGE OVER 1960



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made up 22 percent of the total, crimes against morals 10 percent, crimes against public order and decency 48 percent and all other offenses (except traffic) 12 percent.

Arrest Trends

In 1970, police arrests of adults increased 6 percent, while arrests for juveniles had an overall increase of 4 percent. For the period 1960–1970, police arrests for all criminal acts, except traffic offenses, increased 31 percent. During this same period, arrests of persons under 18 years of age more than doubled while the number of persons in this young age group, 10 to 17 rose 29 percent. It is apparent, therefore, the involvement of young persons as measured by police arrests is escalating at a pace almost four times their percentage increase in the national population. As it has been pointed out in prior issues, a relatively small percentage of the total young age population become involved in criminal acts, about 5 out of 100. Adult arrests, 1960–1970, rose 17 percent in volume. As in the 1960's, decreases in police arrests have occurred in the high volume offenses such as drunkenness, vagrancy, gambling, and sex offenses other than forcible rape and prostitution.

When only the serious crimes are used in computing the long term trend 1960–1970, total arrests increased 86 percent. Adult arrests rose 79 percent, while arrests of juveniles for serious crimes rose 95 percent. Arrests of adults for violent crimes were up 67 percent and for property crimes 86 percent. Juvenile arrests for violent crimes increased 167 percent, 1960–1970, while arrests of persons under 18 for the property crimes rose 89 percent.

Narcotic Drug Laws

[Percent]

Region	Heroin or cocaine	Marijuana	Synthetic narcotics	Other
Northeastern States	59.6	29.2	3.0	8.2
North Central States	18.4	54.6	5.0	22.0
Southern States	22.4	50.2	7.0	20.4
Western States	10.6	56.6	7.6	25.2
Total	31.3	45.4	5.5	17.9

Age

Nationally, persons under 15 years of age made up 9 percent of the total police arrests; under 18, 25 percent; under 21, 39 percent; and under 25, 52 percent. In the suburban areas, the involvement of the young age groups in police arrests is again markedly higher than the national figures with the under 15 age group represented in 13 percent; under 18, 35 percent; under 21, 50 percent; and under 25, 63 percent. In the rural areas the distributions were lower for the younger age groups, with the under 15 group being involved in 5 percent; under 18 in 20 percent; under 21 in 37 percent; and those under 25, 52 percent of total police arrests. When only the serious crimes are considered 20 percent of all arrests in 1970 were for persons under the age of 15 and almost one-half were under 18 years of age.

In reviewing arrest figures, it is important to keep in mind that police arrest practices and emphasis vary which will account for some variations in these statistics from year to year. It is noted arrests of persons under 18 for Narcotic Drug Law violations have increased sharply in recent years. In fact, in 1970, 53 percent of the individuals arrested for violations of the Narcotic Drug Laws were persons under 21 years of age. Twenty-six percent of the marijuana arrests in 1970 were persons under the age of 18 and 62 percent of the arrests for this offense involved persons under 21 years of age. It should be noted that in 1964 less than one-fourth or 23 percent of the persons arrested for Narcotic Drug Law violations were under 21 years of age.

Arrests for Narcotic Drug Law violations 1970 over 1969 were up 44 percent nationally. From 1960 to 1970, arrests for this violation increased 741 percent. There is set forth a tabulation by geographic region showing the type of narcotic drug involved in the arrest of the offender in 1970.

Sex

Male arrests outnumbered female arrests 6 to 1 in 1970. Male arrests in 1970 rose by 4 percent, while female arrests were up 11 percent. Females were arrested in 17 percent of the serious or Crime Index type offenses. Ten percent of the arrests for violent crimes in 1970 involved females and arrests of females for these types of crimes increased 7 percent, 1970 over 1969. Again, as in prior years their involvement was primarily for larceny, which accounted for one out of every five female arrests. In fact, 19 percent of all property crime arrests in 1970 were of females. Females accounted for 24 percent of the forgery, 27 percent of the fraud, 25 percent of the embezzlement, and 16 percent of the narcotics arrests. Over one-half

of the runaway—police custody cases—were girls under 18 years of age.

Long-term arrest trends, 1960–1970, revealed that arrests for young females under 18 years of age increased 204 percent, while arrests for young males under 18 rose 98 percent. It is noted that arrests for young females under 18 for each Crime Index offense more than doubled, 1960–1970. When the serious crimes, as a group, are considered, arrests of males 1960–1970, were up 73 percent and female arrests increased 202 percent.

Traffic

Supplemental data submitted by agencies over 2,500 in population relating to traffic enforcement disclosed that nationwide, 55 percent of the citations and summonses issued and arrests made in traffic matters were for parking violations. Hazardous traffic violations accounted for 34 percent, and other regulatory violations 11 percent. In the Southern States 44 percent of the traffic arrests were for hazardous violations, in the Western States 43 percent of the arrests were for this type of infraction, in the North Central States 29 percent, and in the Northeastern States 13 percent.

Arrest Rates

The following table sets forth arrest rates by geographic regions for Crime Index type offenses. Arrest rates indicate law enforcement activity in response to crime rates.

Arrests by Region, 1970

[Rate per 100,000 inhabitants]

Offense	Northeastern States	North Central States	Southern States	Western States
Murder	5.9	8.7	12.1	7.0
Forcible rape	7.8	10.3	11.3	12.0
Robbery	60.3	55.3	51.0	67.2
Aggravated assault	72.2	58.0	112.6	97.3
Burglary	143.0	167.8	202.2	267.7
Larceny	246.1	465.6	451.5	493.7
Auto theft	64.7	78.1	73.0	136.6
Total	600.0	843.7	913.8	1081.5

PERSONS CHARGED

Disposition data reveals the results of cases in which law enforcement agencies have made an arrest and subsequently formally charged the offender in a court of jurisdiction. This information is important to the law enforcement administrator in evaluating the quality of investigations and court presentation functions.

In 1970, 80 percent of the adults arrested for Crime Index type offenses were prosecuted in the courts. Of the adults prosecuted for Crime Index offenses 61 percent were found guilty as charged, and 10 percent of a lesser charge.

It must be recognized that not all arrested persons are turned over to the courts for prosecution. There are various reasons for this: failure of the victim to cooperate or appear for the prosecution, persons arrested are released with a warning, evidence is obtained which discloses the arrested person did not commit the offense or there is not sufficient evidence obtainable to support either a formal charge or a subsequent prosecution. For example, about one-half of the juveniles arrested are handled by the individual law enforcement agencies without preferring a formal charge or referring them to juvenile authorities. All contributors to this Program are urged to obtain and report final disposition in cases involving persons they arrest. Tables containing this data commence on page 114. Keep in mind that police methods of handling juvenile offenders differ widely. Also, the tables concerning juveniles (local age limit) refer to those who were arrested and turned over to juvenile authorities in connection with specific criminal acts.

In 1970, 41 percent of the murder defendants were either acquitted or their cases dismissed at some prosecutive stage. Forty-six percent of those charged with forcible rape were acquitted or had their cases dismissed, and 39 percent of the persons charged with aggravated assault won their freedom through acquittal or dismissal.

Of the adults who were prosecuted for Crime Index offenses, 29 percent were acquitted or their cases were dismissed. Larceny, 71 percent, recorded the highest percentage for persons found guilty on the original charge in 1970. This was followed by 53 percent on the original charge for burglary, 50 percent for auto theft, 47 percent for robbery, 44 percent for aggravated assault, 44 percent for murder and 36 percent for forcible rape. The offense which had the highest percentage of a lesser charge was forcible rape where 18 percent of the defendants were convicted on some charge other than forcible rape.

Forty-three percent of the persons processed for the Crime Index categories were young persons referred to juvenile court jurisdiction. Again, as

in 1969, juvenile referrals were highest for auto theft with 63 percent of those processed for this offense, 57 percent burglary, 38 percent larceny, 41 percent robbery, 22 percent forcible rape, 18 percent aggravated assault and 12 percent murder.

During 1970, as in past years, arson, auto theft, burglary and vandalism recorded high percentages of juvenile referrals. When all crime categories are reviewed, it is noted that convictions on original charges remained high in the offenses against public order and decency—driving under the influence, drunkenness, disorderly conduct and vagrancy. As in prior years offenses against trust such as fraud and embezzlement also recorded a high percentage of conviction on original charges.

CAREERS IN CRIME

From 1963 through 1969 the Uniform Crime Reporting Program processed data on some 240,000 offenders for statistical use. This study has been used to document the extent to which criminal recidivism over a period of time contributes to annual crime counts and has also been used to show the need for the centralization of law enforcement information at the state and national level in view of criminal repeating and mobility. This study was made possible by the cooperative exchange of criminal fingerprint data among local, state and federal law enforcement agencies. While the basis of selection in this study was a federal offense, it should be kept in mind that most federal criminal violations are also violations of local and state laws. The offender records examined in this study are, therefore, felt to be comparable to the local and state experience for the more serious violators.

The Careers in Crime study brought to the Uniform Crime Reporting Program valuable statistical experience in the field of criminal histories, and has demonstrated the potential use of criminal history information to measure the success or failure of the entire criminal justice system. The key to the effectiveness of the system is in knowing what happened to the people who were handled or treated by the criminal justice process, specifically, whether they were deterred from further criminal acts and/or rehabilitated.

Beginning in January 1970, the FBI commenced converting Federal offender records to computer form for an operational criminal history file within the National Crime Information Center (NCIC). The record formats and data elements for criminal history, although designed for operational use, were established with full recognition of the value of criminal history for statistical and research purposes.

Profile

A summary of 37,884 offenders arrested on federal charges in 1970 is set forth in table A. Of these offenders, 25,909 or 68 percent had previously been arrested on a criminal charge.

These 37,884 offenders had an average criminal career of 5 years and 5 months (span of years from first to last arrest). During this time they were arrested on criminal charges an average of four times each for a total of 158,000 charges. These offenders had a total of 52,936 convictions and 22,240 imprisonments of 6 months or more during their crime careers prior to their arrest in 1970.

The extent to which these offenders had a prior arrest for any offense is set forth in the following table. Likewise, percent convicted for a prior crime is set forth.

Keep in mind that this presentation is conservative and understates the amount of crime committed by these offenders since it is based on police detection, arrest and submission of a fingerprint card. As indicated in earlier pages of this publication law enforcement agencies do not clear or solve most crimes. It is also true that the prior conviction and imprisonment rates are slightly lower than actual because police agencies do not always submit such data after arrest, conviction and release.

A profile of criminal repeating for selected offenders is shown in the following table. Average age for the first arrest is high because of the general practice not to submit criminal fingerprint cards on juveniles. Criminal career is the average years between the first and last arrest.

The offender profile is classified by type of crime for which arrested in 1970.

A study of the 25,909 repeat offenders indicate that 45 percent were rearrested in the same state during their criminal careers and 55 percent were rearrested at least one time in states other than that of the original arrest. Twelve percent of the repeat offenders were arrested in three different states during their criminal career and 10 percent were rearrested in more than three different states.

4 Year Follow-up

A part of the Careers in Crime Program was the follow-up on offenders after their release from the

Table A—Profile of Offenders Arrested During 1970

[By last charge in 1970]

	Total	Murder	Aggravated assault	Rape	Robbery	Burglary	Larceny	Auto theft
Total number of subjects	37,884	271	1,746	186	2,273	1,410	3,509	2,592
Average age at last charge	29	29	31	24	24	24	29	26
Average age at first charge	24	23	25	20	20	20	24	21
Average criminal career	5	6	6	4	4	4	5	5
Average number of charges during criminal career	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	5
Frequency of charges (percent of total subjects):								
One	31.6	22.1	31.6	35.5	27.5	31.8	38.2	20.2
Two	19.8	20.3	23.8	21.5	22.1	22.2	19.8	17.3
Three	11.3	14.0	11.6	14.5	10.5	9.1	10.6	11.9
Four or more	37.3	43.6	33.0	28.5	39.9	36.9	31.4	50.6
Frequency of convictions (percent of total subjects):								
One	22.1	23.2	21.1	15.1	20.8	17.5	24.3	22.7
Two	10.3	12.5	9.6	7.0	9.9	7.7	8.5	12.9
Three	5.8	3.7	5.1	4.3	5.4	6.0	3.8	7.9
Four or more	12.5	10.7	9.7	3.8	12.3	11.1	10.0	20.6
Mobility (percent of persons rearrested):								
One State	45.5	40.8	52.6	55.8	55.4	53.8	57.5	24.6
Two States	32.8	41.7	34.8	28.3	28.5	29.2	27.1	37.2
Three States	11.8	10.9	7.4	11.7	9.5	9.2	8.4	17.9
Four or more States	9.9	6.6	5.2	4.2	6.6	7.8	7.0	20.3

	Forgery	Embezzlement	Fraud	Weapons	Narcotics	Gambling	Stolen property	All other offenses
Total number of subjects	1,706	1,187	1,411	2,166	5,131	867	1,519	11,910
Average age at last charge	29	30	35	31	26	45	30	31
Average age at first charge	23	28	29	25	22	35	24	25
Average criminal career	6	2	6	6	4	10	6	6
Average number of charges during criminal career	5	2	4	4	3	3	5	5
Frequency of charges (percent of total subjects):								
One	21.9	66.0	32.8	30.7	39.7	35.3	25.0	28.2
Two	18.1	17.5	19.4	23.0	21.1	21.1	20.1	18.2
Three	13.1	7.3	12.0	12.3	11.4	12.0	12.5	11.2
Four or more	46.9	9.2	35.8	34.0	27.8	31.6	42.4	42.4
Frequency of convictions (percent of total subjects):								
One	21.7	26.9	23.9	20.8	21.6	19.4	22.5	22.4
Two	12.0	5.1	10.1	10.8	8.0	6.5	10.1	12.3
Three	7.4	1.5	5.2	6.6	4.0	3.8	6.3	7.3
Four or more	18.2	1.5	10.6	8.7	6.2	5.3	13.0	16.8
Mobility (percent of persons rearrested):								
One State	49.0	63.8	43.2	50.7	48.4	62.7	47.9	39.0
Two States	29.0	25.3	33.3	33.7	37.0	28.2	30.9	33.7
Three States	11.3	6.7	11.9	9.7	10.6	6.8	10.6	14.3
Four or more States	10.7	4.2	11.6	5.9	4.1	2.3	10.6	13.0

federal criminal justice system. The records of offenders released during 1965 were followed for new arrests through 1969. Charts and tables are presented in this section on the rearrest experience by offense; type of release; and age, sex and race of the offender.

Keep in mind that this Program for completeness depends on the criminal fingerprint identification function. The arrest fingerprint card establishes the charge and, usually on minor charges, the actual disposition. Otherwise, to obtain disposition data at prosecutive or court level the system relies on the submission of a second form. Further, for correctional release, another form or fingerprint card must be submitted. For the follow-up study only those records can be used that are complete and actually show a release in a given year (1963, 1965) back to the community. If the disposition or correctional release information is not received routinely for a specific charge it does not become known on a subsequent rearrest.

Of the 16,332 offenders released to the

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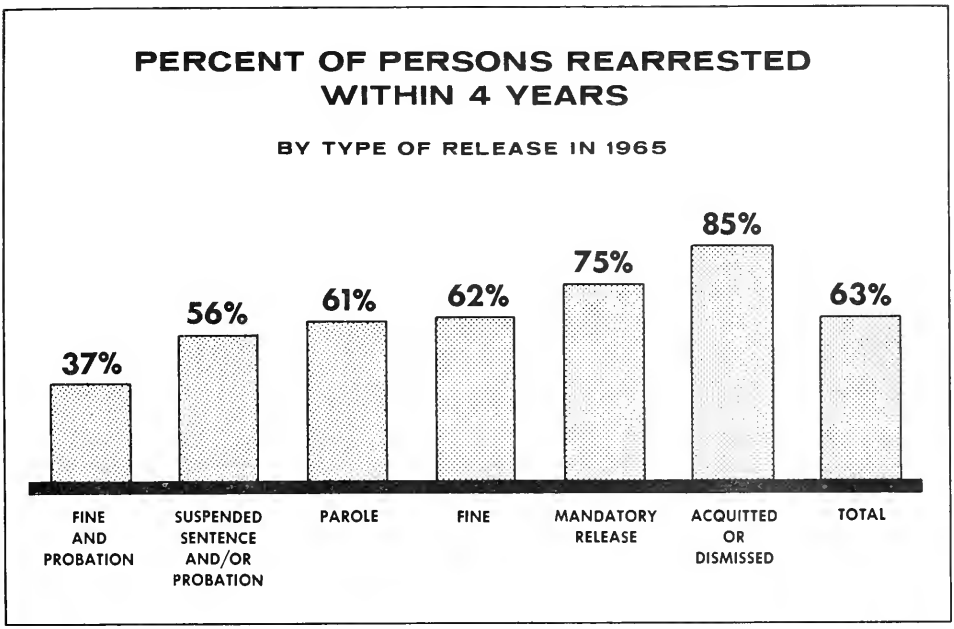

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community in 1965, 63 percent had been rearrested by the end of the fourth calendar year after release. Of those persons who were acquitted or had their cases dismissed in 1965, 85 percent were rearrested for new offenses. Of those released on probation 56 percent repeated, parole 61 percent, and mandatory release after serving prison time 75 percent. Offenders receiving a sentence of fine and probation in 1965 had the lowest repeating proportion with 37 percent rearrest. This type of sentence is generally found in connection with violations such as income tax, fraud and embezzlement.

When criminal repeating is viewed by type of crime for which arrested, convicted, or released in 1965, rearrests ranged from 16 percent for the income tax violators to 80 percent of the auto thieves. The predatory crime offenders had high repeat rates with 76 percent of the burglars being rearrested within 4 years, 68 percent of assault offenders, and 57 percent of the robbers released in 1965. Likewise, 69 percent of the narcotic offenders who are frequently users were rearrested after release. The fact that 67 percent of the forgery offenders were rearrested for new violations within the 4-year follow-up, documents law enforcement experience with this type offender.

The younger the age group, the higher the repeating rate has been documented many times, as it is here. Nevertheless, this fact calls for greater rehabilitation efforts directed at the young offender, if hardened criminal careers are to be aborted. Of the offenders under 20 released in 1965, 74 percent were rearrested by the end of 1969, 71 percent of those 20 to 24 years of age, and 65 percent of the offenders 25 to 29 years. When viewed by race the Negro rearrest rate, 68 percent, was higher than the white offender rate of 60 percent. All other races, made up primarily of Indian Americans, had a rearrest rate of 65 percent between release in 1965 and 1969. Of the 1,290 female offenders released in 1965, 41 percent had been rearrested for new offenses by 1969.

Table B sets forth the cumulative percentage of rearrest by age group and by year after release. By the end of the second calendar year (1967), after release during 1965, 53 percent of the of-

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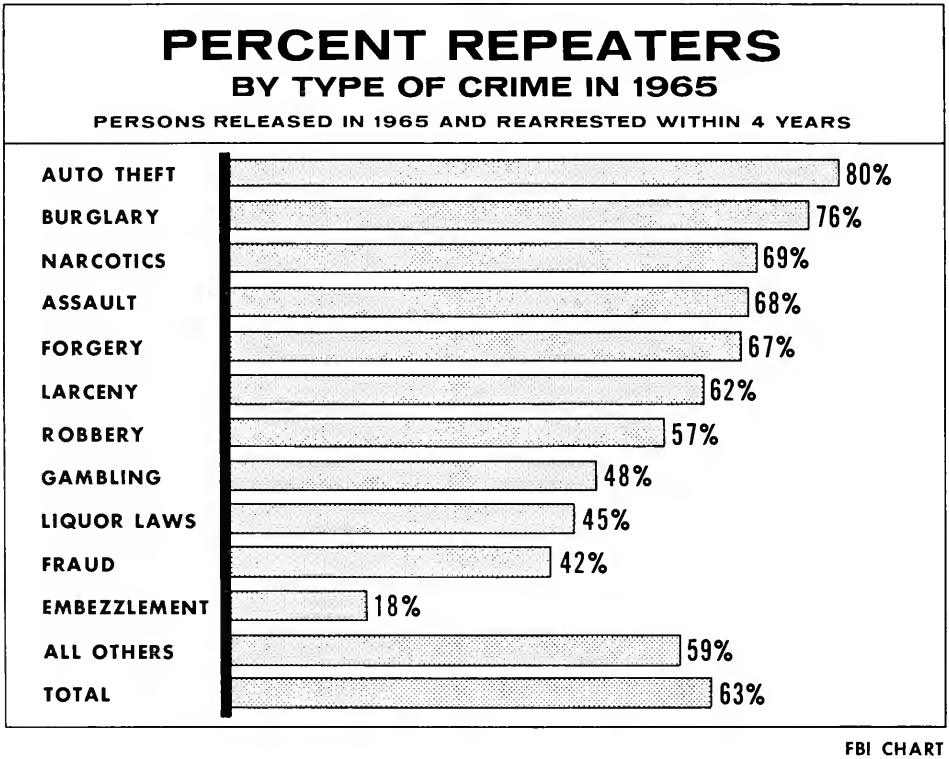

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Table B.—*Persons Rearrested after Release in 1963 and 1965*

[Cumulative percentage by year after release]

When Rearrested	Total all ages		Under 20		20–24		25–29		30–39		40–49		50 and over	
	1963	1965	1963	1965	1963	1965	1963	1965	1963	1965	1963	1965	1963	1965
During year of release	21.8	21.2	23.0	23.3	25.3	25.4	23.6	22.3	22.3	20.9	18.4	17.6	11.4	12.3
By end of first year after release	43.0	42.7	52.3	51.8	49.3	50.6	45.8	44.3	42.8	41.6	34.2	34.7	25.4	23.8
By end of second year after release	52.6	52.5	62.8	63.2	59.3	61.2	55.9	54.7	52.4	51.7	43.1	52.9	32.5	30.6
By end of third year after release	57.9	58.3	67.9	69.6	64.3	67.5	61.9	60.5	57.8	57.5	48.4	48.5	36.7	34.8
By end of fourth year after release	60.9	62.5	70.6	73.6	67.5	71.2	64.9	65.0	61.1	62.4	51.8	52.4	39.0	38.1

fenders had been rearrested. This pattern supports prior studies of this kind and is consistent for all age groups. Of all offenders rearrested during this 4-year follow-up, over one-half were under 30 years of age and the majority of these rearrests occurred within 2 years after release. There is set forth in table B the rearrest experience of federal offenders released to the community in 1965 and for comparison purposes the experience of a generally different group released in 1963. The latter experience has been previously published in prior issues of Uniform Crime Reports. The repeat rate for both groups over the similar periods of follow-up (4 years) is about the same. This is true not only for each age group as shown here but also by type of offense and type of release.

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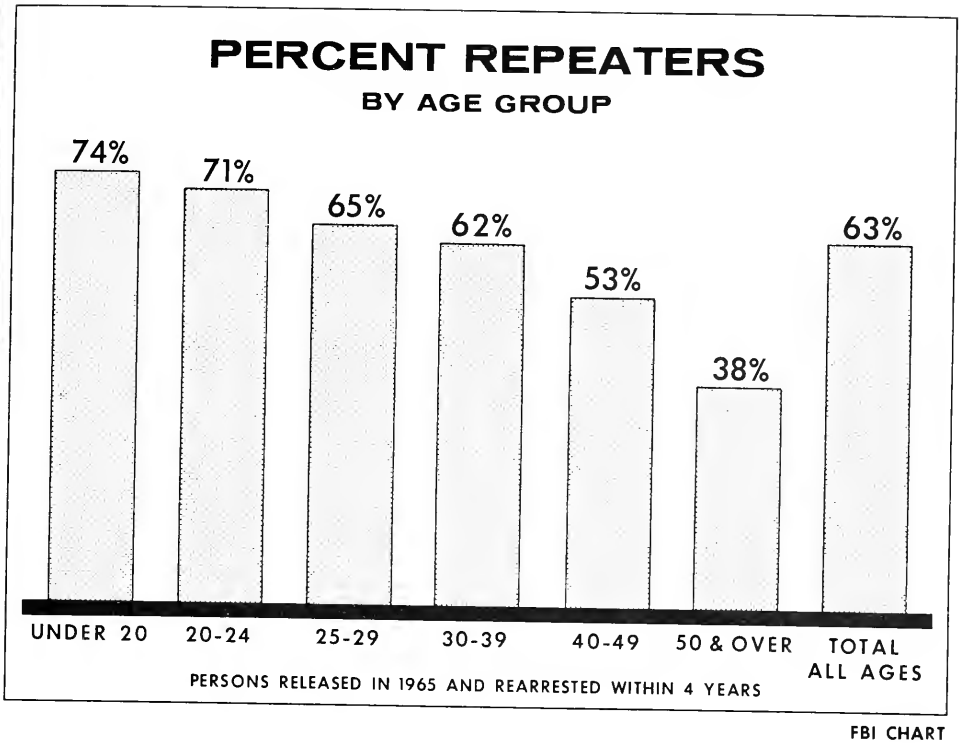

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Table C.—*4-Year Follow-Up of Persons Released in 1965*

[By age, sex and race]

Age	Total	Race			Sex	
		White	Negro	Other	Male	Female
Total all ages	16,332	10,890	3,980	1,462	15,042	1,290
Percent with subsequent charge	62.5	60.4	67.6	64.5	64.3	41.1
Under 20	1,751	1,220	330	201	1,669	82
Percent with subsequent charge	73.7	71.6	77.2	80.1	74.9	48.8
20–24	3,816	2,661	825	330	3,479	337
Percent with subsequent charge	71.2	68.8	77.6	74.8	73.7	45.4
25–29	2,780	1,800	720	260	2,524	256
Percent with subsequent charge	65.0	62.2	71.1	67.7	67.0	45.7
30–39	4,066	2,533	1,192	341	3,712	354
Percent with subsequent charge	62.4	61.1	68.4	58.9	64.5	41.0
40–49	2,501	1,709	603	189	2,314	187
Percent with subsequent charge	52.6	51.0	56.7	53.4	54.4	30.5
50 and over	1,418	967	310	141	1,344	74
Percent with subsequent charge	38.1	36.9	40.6	40.4	38.8	24.3

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Table D—4-Year Follow-Up by Age Group and Type of Release in 1965

Type of release	Total	Under 20	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50 and over
Total	16,332	1,751	3,816	2,780	4,066	2,501	1,418
Percent with a subsequent charge	62.5	73.7	71.2	65.0	62.4	52.6	38.1
Probation and suspended sentence	5,787	902	1,422	975	1,258	796	434
Percent with a subsequent charge	56.1	68.7	63.2	58.6	55.4	42.7	28.1
Fine	1,340	84	235	219	359	243	200
Percent with a subsequent charge	61.6	83.3	77.4	66.2	59.9	52.7	43.0
Fine and probation	663	28	87	103	163	147	135
Percent with a subsequent charge	37.0	50.0	43.7	59.2	30.1	32.0	26.7
Acquitted or dismissed	995	159	255	166	244	110	61
Percent with a subsequent charge	84.6	88.1	82.7	83.7	88.1	84.5	72.1
Parole and pre-release	4,421	499	1,555	847	789	465	266
Percent with a subsequent charge	61.3	76.8	74.7	60.7	51.8	38.5	23.7
Mandatory release	3,126	79	262	470	1,253	740	322
Percent with a subsequent charge	74.8	79.7	86.6	80.4	76.2	71.4	58.7

POLICE EMPLOYEE DATA

This publication has a section on Law Enforcement Employee Data which contains tables showing average police employee strength by geographic divisions and population group, percentages of civilian employees, and an individual listing of police employees for reporting cities and surrounding suburban counties. Tables are published containing data relative to law enforcement officers killed and assaulted in the line of duty to supplement the narrative material which follows.

Employee Rates

The average number of police employees per 1,000 inhabitants in 1970 (including civilian employees) was 2.3 which is a 5 percent increase over the 1969 rate of 2.2.

Most United States cities continue to operate with a police employee ratio of less than the national average of 2.3 per 1,000. When arrayed by quartile, 50 percent of all American cities have police employee ratios ranging from 1.2 to 1.9 police employees per 1,000 inhabitants.

Nationally, large cities with 250,000 or more inhabitants as a group, had an average ratio of 3.3 employees per 1,000 inhabitants, an increase of 6 percent over the 1969 figure of 3.1.

The ratio of police employees to population in the suburban areas was 1.7, the same as the ratio in 1969. Again it should be noted those communities which are experiencing rapidly growing and increasing densities of population are also recording the largest percentage increases in the volume of crime. One-half of the suburban police departments have from 1.0 to 1.8 employees per 1,000 inhabitants. The average rate of full-time employees in sheriffs' departments was 1.3 per 1,000 inhabitants, however, in three-fourths of these departments the rate was 1.0 or fewer employees.

Police departments in the Middle Atlantic States continued to have the highest rate, 3.0 employees per 1,000 inhabitants. Cities in the West South Central States had the lowest ratio of 1.8.

Civilian Employees

In Table 52 the percentage of total law enforcement personnel represented by civilian employees is tabulated by population group. On the average, during 1970, 13.2 percent of all city police personnel were civilian employees, up from 12.5 percent in 1969. Law enforcement administrators are continuing to utilize greater numbers of civilian employees, thereby relieving sworn personnel for active police duties.

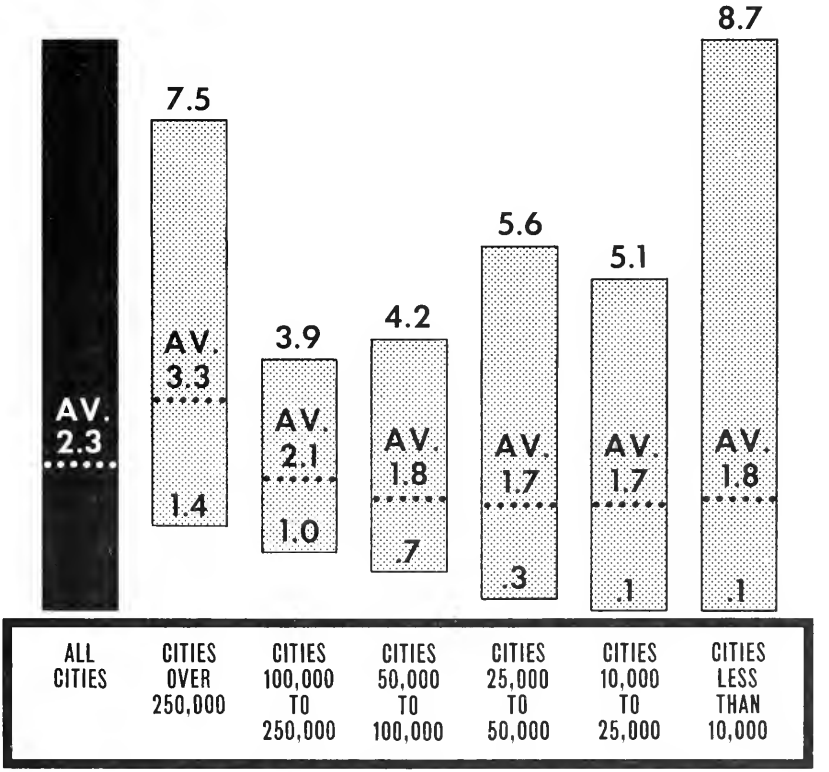
Sworn Personnel

Computing law enforcement employee rates on the basis of sworn personnel only (excluding civilian employees) determines that the average rate for all cities was 2.0 in 1970 compared to the 1969 rate of 1.9 per 1,000 inhabitants. The city rates, nationally, range from 0.1 to 7.5 per 1,000 inhabitants. The average ratio of sworn employees in sheriffs' departments was 1.1, the same as in 1969 and the rate range for the 1,252 reporting county agencies was 0.1 to 9.9 per 1,000 inhabitants. Caution should be exercised, however, in using rates for comparative purposes since there is a wide variation in the responsibilities of various law enforcement agencies throughout the country. Just as the conditions which affect the amount and type of crime that occurs vary from place to place, so do the requirements for types of police services based upon the conditions which exist in

POLICE EMPLOYEE DATA

AVERAGE NUMBER OF POLICE DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEES, AND RANGE IN NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES, PER 1,000 INHABITANTS

BY POPULATION GROUPS, DECEMBER 31, 1970



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a given community. For example, the increased need for police service in a community which has a highly mobile or seasonal population, differs from a community which has a relatively stable or fixed population. In addition, a small community situated between two large cities may require a greater number of law enforcement personnel to handle crime conditions based solely on its geographic location.

The functions of the sheriffs also vary widely in different sections of the country. In certain areas the sheriffs' responsibilities are limited almost exclusively to civil functions and/or the administration of the county jail facilities. The sheriffs' departments used in computing rates, however, are all engaged in police activity and are responsible for all phases of policing in their jurisdiction.

State Police and State Highway Patrols

There were 54,754 employees in State Police and State Highway Patrol organizations in 1970. This was an increase of 4 percent over 1969. Of the total employees, 74 percent were sworn personnel, and 14,284, or 26 percent, were civilian employees.

The police employee strengths of State Police and State Highway Patrol organizations are set forth in Table 56. This table provides additional data relative to the miles of primary highway and the number of state motor vehicle registrations per sworn employee, by state.

Annual Average Number Per Officer

Police activity	Geographic region			
	Northeastern States	North Central States	Southern States	Western States
Crime Index offenses	11.3	12.6	13.2	22.1
Drunk and disorderly conduct arrests	2.8	5.9	12.9	14.6
Other arrests (criminal)	8.3	14.3	18.2	22.4
Traffic charges issued	99	95	128	220

Police Activity

The volume and type of police activity, both criminal and noncriminal, vary widely from place to place. Likewise, police policy and practice are not standardized, resulting in widely differing arrest rates from one community to another. The table above is provided to show the relative police workloads by geographic region using reported Crime Index offenses, criminal arrests made, and traffic charges issued per sworn police officer.

The variations in officer workload result from many factors. It assumes that all sworn officers in all regions are assigned to such duties. This is not the case. Many police officers are fully engaged in administrative functions, special assignments and other non-line duties.

It is pointed out the figures set forth in the detailed police employee tables (Tables 50 and 51) represent national averages. They should be used as a guide or indicator and not considered as recommended or desirable police strengths. Adequate manpower for a specific place can only be determined after a careful study and analysis of the various factors which contribute to the need for police service in that community.

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED

During 1970, 100 law enforcement officers were killed by felonious criminal action. This is a 16 percent increase over 1969, when 86 law enforcement officers were slain. During the period 1961–1970 (10 years) 633 officers were murdered. The average number of police officers slain was 59 a year during the period 1961–1969. Specifically, there were 37 killed in 1961; 48 in 1962; 55 in 1963; 57 in 1964; 53 in 1965; 57 in 1966; 76 in 1967; 64 in 1968; 86 in 1969; and 100 in 1970.

Circumstances Surrounding Deaths

Examination of circumstances under which police officers were murdered in 1970, discloses a most urgent need for officers to be more alert than ever before in connection with all their duties, regardless of how routine these duties have been in the past. It is essential that officers be extremely alert with all individuals with whom they come into contact. No arrest situation can be considered routine as evidenced by the fact that during the period 1961–1970 more officers were killed attempting arrests than in any other manner. During 1970, 37 officers were killed while attempting arrests for crimes other than robbery or burglary. Nineteen officers were slain by felons they encountered during the commission of a robbery, or who they were in pursuit of as robbery suspects. In connection with the crime of burglary, 5 officers were killed at the scene of the burglary or while pursuing burglary suspects.

During the period 1966–1970, 29 officers were slain from ambush, 19 of which occurred during 1970, 3 occurred in 1969, and 7 in 1968. There were no ambush slayings in 1966 or 1967. In 1970, 4

Law Enforcement Officers Killed, 1961–1970

(By Type of Weapons Used)

Type of weapon used	Total	Percent distribution [1]	1961–1965	Percent distribution [1]	1966–1970	Percent distribution [1]
Handgun	466	73.6	185	74.0	281	73.4
Shotgun	78	12.3	35	14.0	43	11.2
Rifle	60	9.5	21	8.4	39	10.2
Total firearms	604	95.4	241	96.4	363	94.8
Knife	6	.9	1	.4	5	1.3
Bombs	2	.3			2	.5
Personal weapons (hands, fists, feet, etc.)	8	1.3	3	1.2	5	1.3
Other (clubs, etc.)	13	2.1	5	2.0	8	2.1
Total	633	100.0	250	100.0	383	100.0

[1] Because of rounding, percentages may not add to total.

officers were slain by mentally deranged persons. During the period 1961–1970 a total of 25 officers were murdered by mentally deranged persons, 20 of which occurred during the period 1966–1970.

Seven officers were murdered while investigating suspicious persons or circumstances in 1970, and 6 met death in responding to "disturbance calls" involving such things as family quarrels, man with gun, etc. Three officers were slain while they were transporting or otherwise engaged in custody of prisoners.

During 1970, 35 officers were slain in the North Central States, 24 in the Southern States 22 in the Western States and 19 in the Northeastern States. The following chart shows the number of law enforcement officers killed by region for each of the two 5-year periods, 1961–1965 and 1966–1970.

Weapons Used

Ninety-three of the police murders in 1970 were perpetrated through use of firearms. Of these deaths, 73 were caused through the use of handguns, 12 with shotguns, and rifles were used to kill 8 of the officers. Five officers were killed when their own guns were used against them by their assailants. The premeditated slaying of 2 officers, in two separate incidents, occurred through the use of bombs. Three policemen met death as a result of being assaulted with knives, while 1 officer was killed through the use of personal weapons when he was beaten with hands, fists, feet, etc. by two men. One officer was feloniously killed through the use of an automobile, when he was run down by an offender who was wanted for robbery and auto theft.

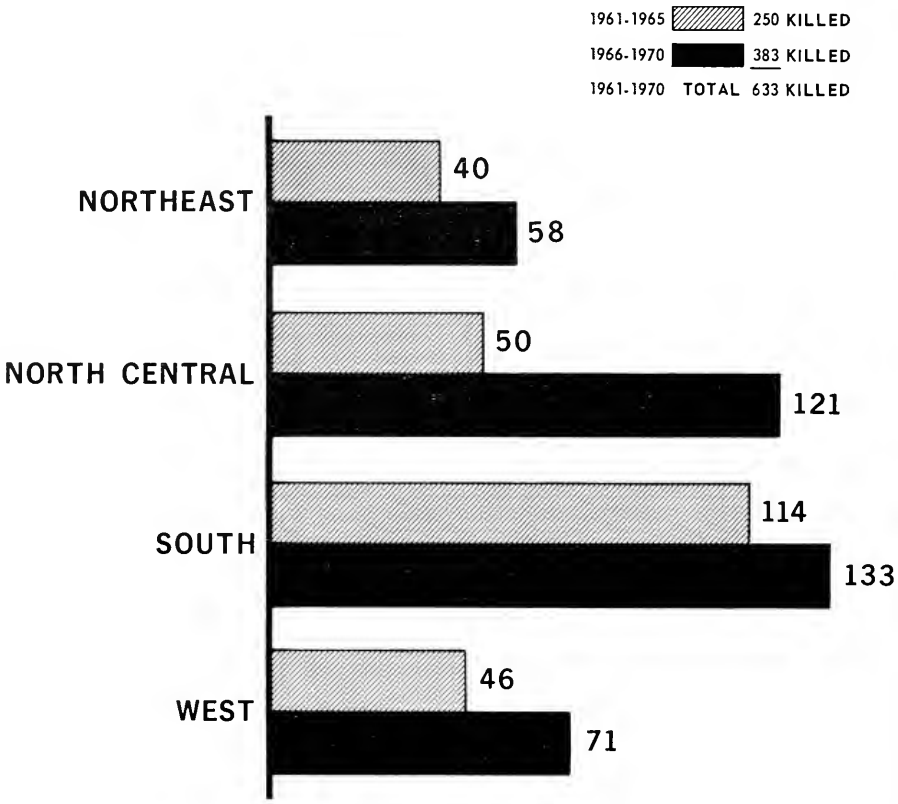
During the period 1961–1970, firearms were used by felons to commit 95 percent of the police killings. Seventy-four percent of the weapons used were handguns. Specifically, of the 633 law enforcement officers slain by criminal action during this period, 466 were killed through use of handguns, 78 with shotguns, 60 with rifles, 6 with knives, 2 with bombs, 8 with personal weapons such as hands, fists, and feet, and 13 by other means such as clubs, automobiles, etc. A total of 80 officers or 13 percent were murdered with their own handguns. The preceding table shows the type of weapons used to kill officers from 1961 through 1970.

Profile of Victim Officers

During the period 1961–1965, the median age of the victim officer was 32 and the most common age was 28. Ninety-four percent of the officers were white and 5 percent Negro. The median years of service were 5 and 10 percent of the officers had 1 year or less service. Forty-six percent had 5 years or less service and 32 percent had 10 years or more. During the period 1966–1970, the median age dropped to 30 and the most common age for victim officers was 24. Eighty-six percent of the victims were white and 13 percent were Negro. The median years of service remained at 5. Fifteen percent of the victims had 1 year or less of service, 47 percent 5 years or less, and 28 percent over 10 years of service. For the entire 10-year period, 1961–1970, the victim officers' median age was 31 and the most common age was 25. For this 10-year period, 89 percent of the officers were white and 10 percent Negro. The median years of service for the entire period was 5. Thirteen percent had

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED
BY REGION

1961-1970



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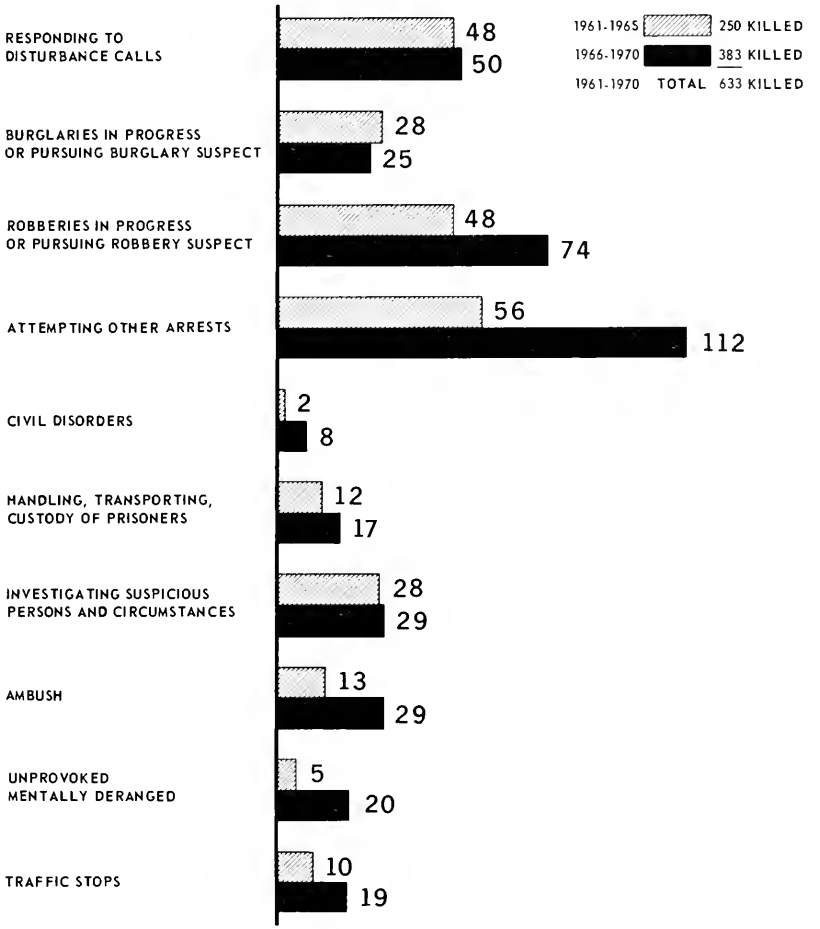
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED

BY TYPE OF ACTIVITY

1961-1970



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Profile of Victim Officers

Law enforcement officers	1961–65	1966–70	1961–70
Median age	32	30	31
Most common age	28	24	25
Percent White	94	86	89
Percent Negro	5	13	10
Percent Other race	1	1	1
Median years of service	5	5	5
Percent with 1 year or less service	10	15	13
Percent with 5 years or less service	46	47	47
Percent over 10 years of service	32	28	29

1 year or less of service, 47 percent had 5 years or less, and 29 percent had over 10 years of service. The preceding table sets forth additional information concerning the victim officers.

Types of Assignment

Officers who are assigned patrol duties within law enforcement organizations have the most hazardous type of assignment. During the course of his duties the patrol officer is frequently in contact with suspicious persons who are in automobiles or on foot. Each of these situations constitutes a threat to the officer's personal safety. The patrol officer is readily identifiable because of his uniform and/or patrol vehicle. The patrol officer cannot hide his presence or official capacity. The patrol officer frequently must determine quickly and accurately if a person, or persons, is involved in a criminal act, and if the person, or persons, constitutes a danger to his personal safety. The patrol officer does not have the benefit of 20/20 hindsight, which other people not immediately involved, constantly utilize. The patrol officer also risks his life through frequent encounters with criminal offenders at, or near, crime scenes. These perils are in a large measure substantiated by the fact that officers assigned to patrol duty are the most frequent targets of the police killer. Officers assigned in other capacities are confronted with equally tense and dangerous types of situations while performing their duties, but not with the same frequency.

During 1970, 64 patrol officers were slain. Sixty of these officers were assigned to patrol cars while four were foot patrolmen. Twenty-four officers were detectives or officers on special assignments. During 1970, in the highest tradition of the law enforcement profession, 12 officers while in an off-duty status were taking appropriate police action concerning crimes committed in their presence when they were slain. Since 1961, 72 percent or 456 of the 633 officers slain by felons were assigned to patrol duties. In 1970, 40 of the officers were alone when killed. During the period 1961–1970, 35 percent or 224 of the officers were alone when they sacrificed their lives for the community they were sworn to protect. Information is set forth in the following table concerning types of assignment and circumstances involved in connection with the murders of officers during the periods of 1961–1965 and 1966–1970.

Time of Murder

The months of January and June proved to be the most dangerous for law enforcement officers during 1970. During each of these months 15 officers were feloniously murdered.

In 1970, more officers were slain on Friday than on any other day of the week. This is in contrast to 1969, when more officers were killed on Sunday. During the period 1961–1970, Friday proved to be the most dangerous day. One hundred eight officers were killed on Friday, 96 Saturday, 92 Monday, 89 Thursday, 88 Sunday, 83 Wednesday, and 77 on Tuesday. During the period 1966–1970, Monday was the most dangerous day with 63 officers slain followed by Friday with 58, Saturday 56, Sunday 55, Thursday 54, Tuesday 51, and Wednesday 46. During the period 1961–1965, Friday was the most dangerous day with 50 officers being killed, followed by Saturday with 40, Wednesday 37, Thursday 35, Sunday 33, Monday 29, and Tuesday 26. During the 10-year period, 1961–1970, 70 percent of all killings of law enforcement officers occurred between 4:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m. The most dangerous times were between 11:00 p.m. and midnight when 53 officers were killed and from 1:00 a.m. until 2:00 a.m. when 54 officers were murdered. Chart 25 shows the distribution of police murders by hour of day in all instances when known.

Criminal Offenders

Law enforcement cleared 91 of the 100 police murders that occurred in calendar year 1970. In clearing these crimes, law enforcement arrested 133 persons. Thirty-nine percent of the offenders were white and 61 percent Negro.

During the period 1961–1970, 633 officers were slain; 849 offenders were arrested, clearing 96 percent of these killings. Seventy-one percent of the offenders had prior arrest for criminal charges. Fifty-seven percent of the offenders had been convicted of prior criminal charges and 38 percent had prior arrests for violent types of crime such as murder, rape, armed robbery,

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED—TYPE OF ACTIVITY, 1961–1970

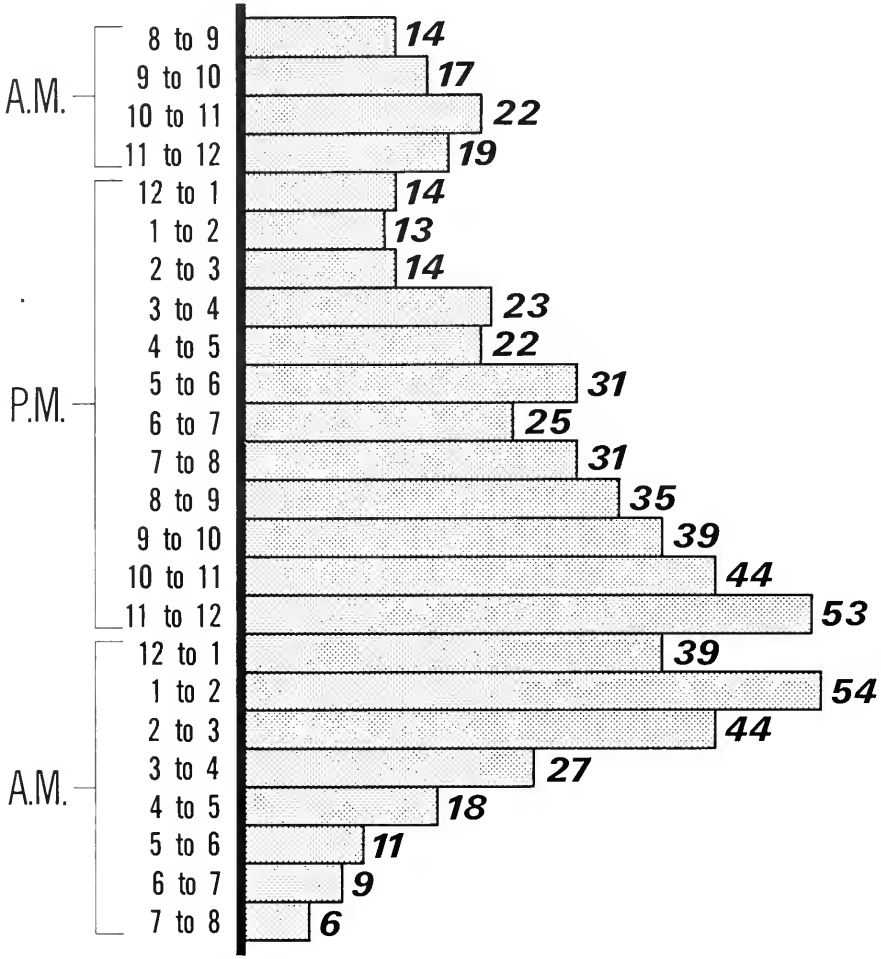
Type of activity		Total	Type of assignment														Off duty
			2-man cars		1-man cars				Foot Patrol				Detective and special assignment				
					Alone		Assisted		Alone		Assisted		Alone		Assisted		
			4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	4 p.m.–8 a.m.	8 a.m.–4 p.m.	
Responding to "disturbance" calls (family quarrels, man with gun).	1961–65	48	21	3	4	2	8		3		1		2		3		1
	1966–70	50	12	5	7	4	9		3				1		4	3	2
	Percent change	+4.2															
Burglaries in progress or pursuing burglary suspects.	1961–65	28	9	1	8		2		1				2	1	3	1	
	1966–70	25	5	1	10	1	2				1				2	2	1
	Percent change	−10.7															
Robberies in progress or pursuing robbery suspects.	1961–65	48	10	1	9	3	6	1	2	1	2		1	1	2	2	7
	1966–70	74	14	9	6	7	6	2	3				4		6		17
	Percent change	+54.2															
Attempting other arrests (excludes traffic stops).	1961–65	56	13	2	13	5	5		3			1	2	1	4	3	4
	1966–70	112	25	8	16	7	7	2	3		1		6	1	22	5	9
	Percent change	+100.0															
Civil disorders (mass disobedience, riot, etc.).	1961–65	2	1												1		
	1966–70	8	1					1	1		1				4		
	Percent change	+300.0															
Handling, transporting, custody of prisoners.	1961–65	12	4		5								1		1	1	
	1966–70	17	3	2	3	1	1						1		4	1	1
	Percent change	+41.7															
Investigating suspicious persons and circumstances.	1961–65	28	8		8	3	2		1		1		1	1	2		1
	1966–70	29	8		12	3							1		2		3
	Percent change	+3.6															
Ambush (premeditated and without warning or provocation.)	1961–65	13	2		2				3		2						4
	1966–70	29	12	1	4		1	2			1		3		3		2
	Percent change	+123.1															
Unprovoked—mentally deranged	1961–65	5	2						1	1					1		
	1966–70	20		3		1	2	1					3		4	4	2
	Percent change	+300.0															
Traffic stops	1961–65	10			9	1											
	1966–70	19	6	1	10	1	1										
	Percent change	+90.0															
Total	1961–65	250	70	7	58	14	23	1	14	2	6	1	9	4	17	7	17
	1966–70	383	86	30	68	25	29	8	10		4		19	1	51	15	37
	Percent change	+53.2															
Total number of officers killed	1961–70	633	156	37	126	39	52	9	24	2	10	1	28	5	68	22	54

The total number and percent distribution of total on duty officers who were killed while alone during shifts covering the night time (4 p.m.–8 a.m.) are as follows: (1) 1-man car, 126, or 21 percent (2) foot patrol, 24, or 4 percent; and (3) detective or special assignment, 28, or 5 percent.

LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED

BY HOUR OF DAY

1961 - 1970



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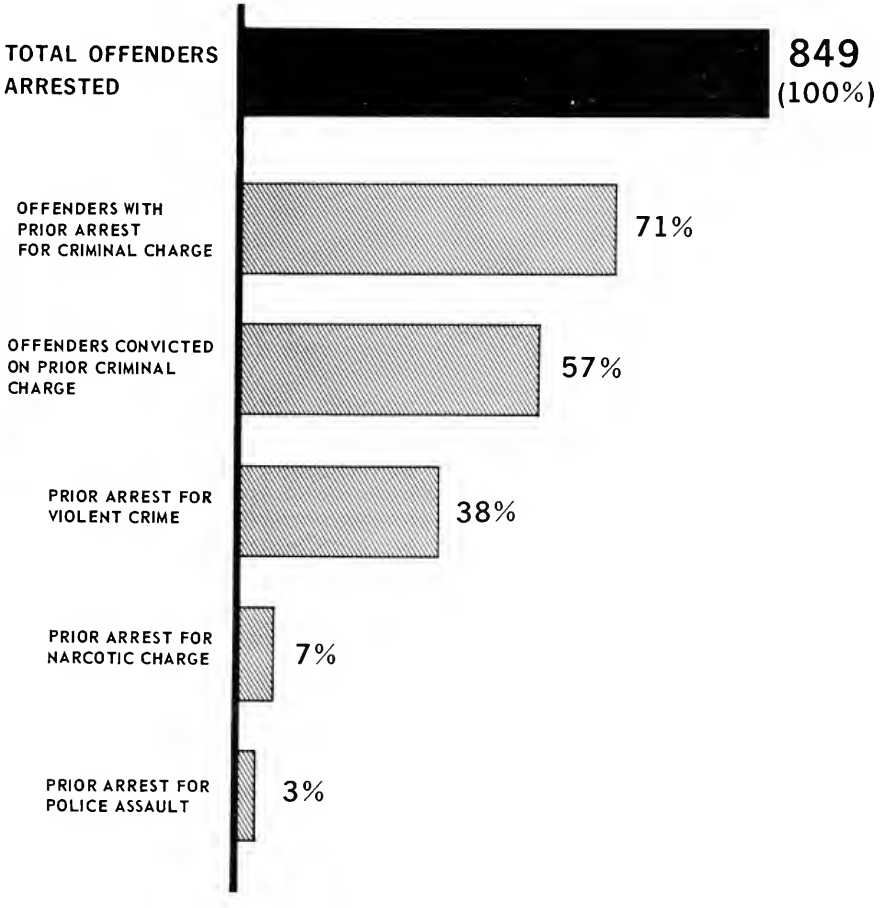
CRIMINAL HISTORY PROFILE OF 849 PERSONS ARRESTED FOR MURDERING LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS

1961 - 1970



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aggravated assault, etc. Sixty-seven percent of those who had previously been convicted on criminal charges had been granted leniency in the form of parole or probation. In fact, 23 percent of the offenders were on parole or probation when they were involved with the murder of an officer. Seven percent of the offenders had a prior arrest for a narcotics charge and 3 percent had prior arrests for police assault.

Ninety-six percent were male and 4 percent female. During this period, 56 percent of the offenders were white and 44 percent Negro.

In 1970, 10 offenders were killed at the scene of the crime or soon thereafter by officers and one offender committed suicide. For the period 1961–1970, 92 assailants were killed at the crime site or within a short time after the murder was committed; 18 committed suicide shortly after the killing and four died from other causes.

Between 1961 and 1970 the offenders ranged in age from 13 years to 82. During this period the median age of these offenders was 25 while one-half were between the ages of 20 and 30. Nine percent, or 78 were under the age of 18 and 20 was the most common age of the police killers. In 1970, the median age of the offenders was 25 and one-half of these persons were between the ages of 20 and 30. Six of the persons committing these fatal attacks were under the age of 18. The most common age of the police killer was 20 in 1970.

The following table sets forth additional details regarding the offender.

Profile of Offender

Offenders	Total	Percent of all offenders	1961–1965	Percent	1966–1970	Percent
Total	849	100	319	100	530	100
Under age of 18	78	9	21	7	57	11
From 20 to 30 years of age	424	50	161	50	263	50
Male	819	96	308	97	511	96
Female	30	4	11	3	19	4
White	477	56	209	66	268	51
Negro	372	44	110	34	262	49
Prior criminal arrest	607	71	246	77	361	68
Convicted on a prior criminal charge	485	57	212	66	273	52
Prior arrest for crime of violence	322	38	128	40	194	37
Convicted on criminal charge—granted leniency	324	38	138	43	186	35
On parole or probation at time of killing	199	23	99	31	100	19
Conviction on prior murder charge	20	2	8	3	12	2
Prior arrest on narcotic drug law violation	61	7	25	8	36	7
Prior arrest for assaulting policeman or resisting arrest	29	3	13	4	16	3

Most common age of offender: 1961–65, age 25; 1966–70, age 20; 1961–70, age 20.

Geographic Locations

The 100 law enforcement officers slain during 1970 were from 70 different law enforcement agencies in 27 states. The Chicago, Ill., Police Department had 10 officers murdered and the New York City Police Department had seven officers slain. The State of California had the highest number of officers killed during the year. While safeguarding life and property, 20 law enforcement officers were murdered. The State of Illinois was second with 12 and New York State was third with nine, followed by the States of Michigan and Ohio with seven each.

Assaults on Officers

One of the increasingly serious problems facing law enforcement today is the growing attitude of disrespect for police and the failure of citizens to come to the aid of the officers being attacked as they attempt to perform their lawful duties. These duties often necessitate confrontations with emotionally aroused citizens protesting real or imagined grievances. These situations have, in a large measure, accounted for the upward trend of assaults on police. There was an increase of 11 percent in the rate of assaults on police in 1970 over 1969. Nationally, there were 18.7 assaults for every 100 officers in 1970 up from 16.9 in 1969 and 15.8 in 1968. Geographically, the highest assault rate occurred in the East North Central States with 27 for every 100 officers, followed by 21 in South Atlantic and Pacific States.

While every assault does not result in personal injury to the police officer, many of them—34 percent in 1969 and 35 percent in 1970—did result in physical harm to the officer and usually in loss of duty time. The national assault-with-injury rate of 6.6 per 100 officers reflects the continuing hazards of the law enforcement profession when compared with the rates of 5.7 in 1969, 6.6 in 1968, and 5.4 in 1967. In 1970, 81 percent of the police assaults were by use of hands, fists, feet, teeth, etc. Where weapons were used in committing these assaults firearms were used in 31 percent, a knife or cutting instrument in 15 percent and blunt objects or other weapons in 54 percent. Table 54 sets out police assault rates

for geographic divisions and population groups for 1970.

Accidental Deaths

Three hundred forty-five law enforcement officers died as a result of accidents occurring in the line of duty for the period of 1961 through 1969. In 1970, an additional 46 officers died, bringing the total number of such deaths from 1961 through 1970 to 391. These officers were not included in the preceding information concerning law enforcement officers who were killed as a result of felonious criminal action. Automobile accidents have claimed the lives of 204 officers making it the leading cause of accidental deaths in the law enforcement profession. Seventy-nine officers have been killed in accidents involving motorcycles. Forty-two died as a result of accidents while they were directing traffic or while they were at the scene of a previous accident. The other deaths took place when firearms were accidentally discharged, helicopter crashes, falls, etc. Thirteen officers were killed in these types of accidents in 1970.

Law Enforcement Code of Ethics

As a Law Enforcement Officer, *my fundamental duty is to serve mankind; to safeguard lives and property; to protect the innocent against deception, the weak against oppression or intimidation, and the peaceful against violence or disorder; and to respect the Constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.*

I will *keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in the face of danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of others. Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in obeying the laws of the land and the regulations of my department. Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature or that is confided to me in my official capacity will be kept ever secret unless revelation is necessary in the performance of my duty.*

I will *never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities or friendships to influence my decisions. With no compromise for crime and with relentless prosecution of criminals, I will enforce the law courteously and appropriately without fear or favor, malice or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence and never accepting gratuities.*

I recognize *the badge of my office as a symbol of public faith, and I accept it as a public trust to be held so long as I am true to the ethics of the police service. I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession . . . law enforcement.*

INTRODUCTION

Background

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program is the outgrowth of a need for a national and uniform compilation of law enforcement statistics. This need was expressed by law enforcement executives many years ago. In 1930, crime reports were solicited from law enforcement agencies throughout the Nation based on uniform classifications and procedures developed by the Committee on Uniform Crime Records of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP). In that year the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), on request of the above organization, assumed the role as the national clearinghouse.

The Committee on Uniform Crime Records, IACP, continues to serve in an advisory capacity to the FBI in the operation of this Program. In this connection, the Field Service Division of the IACP is also playing an active and effective part in quality control through surveys of police record and crime reporting systems. Dr. Peter P. Lejins, Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, continues as a consultant to the FBI in the conduct of this Program.

The National Sheriff's Association (NSA) in June 1966, established a Committee on Uniform Crime Records to serve in an advisory capacity to the NSA membership and the national Uniform Crime Reporting Program. This Committee actively encourages sheriffs throughout the country to fully participate in this important Program.

Committees on Uniform Crime Reporting within state law enforcement associations are active in providing service by promoting interest in the Uniform Crime Reporting Program, fostering more widespread and more intelligent use of uniform crime statistics and by lending assistance to contributors when the need exists.

In the last several years the FBI has been actively assisting individual states in the development of statewide programs of police statistics compatible with the national system. These statistical programs have been given impetus by developing statewide computerized law enforcement information systems, of which they are an essential part. Through such mandatory state programs more complete and a better quality of reporting is envisioned. Likewise, through coordination with the state agency the data is available for the use of the state, and the collection machinery to the national agency is substantially streamlined.

In 1969 the FBI ceased the collection of all data directly from municipalities and counties in New Jersey and Michigan. In California the FBI no longer collects the monthly offenses known reports direct from law enforcement agencies; however, the annual arrest, disposition of persons charged, and law enforcement employee reports continue to be collected direct from the individual law enforcement agencies. During 1969 and 1970 seven additional states began collecting all Uniform Crime Reporting data from individual agencies. These states are Kentucky, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, Minnesota, Nebraska, Florida, and Wisconsin. At least 12 additional states have enacted necessary legislation to establish State Uniform Crime Reporting Programs. Most of these states are actively working with the FBI in an effort to establish their systems in 1972. The conditions under which these systems are established are as follows:

(1) The state program must conform to the national Uniform Crime Reports standards and information required. This, of course, does not prohibit the state from collecting other statistical data beyond the national collection. (2) The state agency must have a proven effective mandatory statewide program with at least 2 years experience. (3) Coverage within the state by a state agency must at least be equal to that attained by Uniform Crime Reports. (4) The state agency must have adequate field staff assigned to assist local units in record practices and crime reporting procedures. (5) The state agency must furnish to the FBI all of the detailed data regularly collected by the FBI in the form of duplicate returns, computer printouts or magnetic tape. (6) The state must have the proven capability (tested over a period of time) to supply all the statistical data required to the FBI

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in time to meet national Uniform Crime Reports publication deadlines. (7) The FBI will continue its internal procedures of verifying and reviewing individual agency reports for both completeness and quality. (8) The FBI will continue to have direct contact with individual reporting units within the state where necessary in connection with crime reporting matters, but will coordinate such contacts with the state agency. (9) Upon request, the FBI will continue its training programs within the state with respect to police records and crime reporting procedures. For mutual benefit these will be coordinated with the state agency. (10) Should circumstances develop whereby the state agency cannot provide the data required by the national program, the FBI will reinstitute a direct collection of Uniform Crime Reports from police units within the state.

Objectives

The fundamental objective of this Program is to produce a reliable fund of nationwide criminal statistics for administrative and operational use of law enforcement agencies and executives. At the same time, meaningful data is provided for other professionals with related interests in the crime problem and for scholars, as well as to inform the public of general crime conditions.

Specifically, the means utilized to attain these goals are: (1) An attempt is made to measure the extent, fluctuation and distribution of serious crime in the United States through the use of a Crime Index consisting of seven selected offenses. This count is based on these seven offenses being reported to the police or coming directly to their attention. (2) The total volume of all types of criminal offenses is compiled as they become known by police arrests. (3) Since the above are also measures of law enforcement activity, related data is collected to demonstrate effectiveness of enforcement activities, available police strength and significant factors involved in crime.

Reporting Procedure

Under this national voluntary system each contributing law enforcement agency is wholly responsible for compiling its own crime reports for submission to the FBI. Each contributor is supplied with the Uniform Crime Reporting Handbook which outlines in detail procedures for scoring and classifying offenses. The Handbook illustrates and discusses the monthly and annual reporting forms; as well as the numerous tally sheets made available to facilitate the periodic tabulation of the desired data.

The publication of the Uniform Crime Reporting "Newsletter," which was initiated in October 1963, has continued with issues being published when pertinent. This "Newsletter" is utilized to explain revisions in the Program as well as to present information and instructional material to assist contributors.

Recognizing that a sound records system is necessary if crime reporting is to meet desirable standards, the FBI furnishes a Manual of Police Records to law enforcement agencies upon request. Special Agents of the FBI are widely utilized to encourage new contributors and to assist them by explaining the procedures and definitions necessary under the uniform system.

On a monthly basis, law enforcement agencies (police, sheriffs, and state police) report the number of offenses that became known to them during the month in the following crime categories: Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, manslaughter by negligence, forcible rape, robbery, assault, burglary, larceny and auto theft. This count is taken from a record of all complaints of crimes received by the law enforcement agency from victims, other sources, and/or discovered by officers. Whenever complaints of crime are determined through investigation to be unfounded or false they are eliminated from this count. The number of "offenses known" in these crime categories is reported to the FBI without regard to whether anyone is arrested for the crime, stolen property recovered, local prosecutive policy, or any other consideration. Law enforcement agencies on a monthly basis report the total number of these reported crimes which they clear either by arrest or by exceptional means. A separate count of crimes cleared which involve only persons under the age of 18 is shown. Law enforcement agencies also report the number of justifiable homicides which occur, the number of law enforcement officers killed, and the value of property stolen and recovered during the month. Total arrests are also reported for all criminal acts, except traffic, separated as to adults and juveniles.

On an annual basis law enforcement agencies provide detailed arrest reports on persons arrested for all criminal offenses, except traffic, with respect to the age, sex, and race of the offenders, as well as a report on the number of persons formally charged and their ultimate disposition. Law enforcement employee data specifically encompasses the number

of sworn and other personnel, and is collected as of December 31 each year. As State Uniform Crime Reporting systems are developed the states are encouraged to have law enforcement agencies report the detailed arrest data by crime category, age, sex, and race on a monthly basis as well as the report concerning the number of persons formally charged and the disposition of such charges. Beginning in January 1972, a monthly collection will be made on law enforcement officers assaulted. Data will be collected concerning the type of weapon used and the circumstances of the assault as well as information concerning injury, if any, to the victim officer.

Reporting Area

During calendar year 1970, crime reports were received from law enforcement agencies representing 97 percent of the total United States population living in standard metropolitan statistical areas, 88 percent of the population in other cities, and 71 percent of the rural population. The combined coverage accounts for 91 percent of the national population.

Presentation of crime data by areas as used in this publication follows as closely as practical the definitions used by the Office of Management and Budget and the Bureau of the Census for standard metropolitan statistical areas and other cities. There is, however, some deviation insofar as the rural area is concerned. For crime reporting purposes rural is generally the unincorporated portion of a county outside of standard metropolitan statistical areas. In addition, statistics are presented in certain tables relative to "suburban" areas. A suburban area consists of cities with 50,000 or less population together with counties which are within a standard metropolitan statistical area. In this use of suburban the core city experience is, of course, excluded. The suburban area concept is used because of the particular crime conditions which exist in these communities surrounding the major core cities. These metropolitan areas are not rural in nature, yet neither are they comparable to large cities although they have many of the problems identified with the latter.

Standard metropolitan statistical areas are generally made up of an entire county or counties having at least one core city of 50,000 or more inhabitants, with the whole meeting the requirements of certain metropolitan characteristics. In New England, "town" instead of "county" is used to describe standard metropolitan statistical areas. These towns do not coincide generally with established crime reporting units; therefore, metropolitan state economic areas in New England are used in these area tabulations since they encompass an entire county or counties. Standard metropolitan statistical areas, as used in this publication, make up approximately 69 percent of the total United States population.

Other cities are urban places outside standard metropolitan statistical areas. Most of these places of 2,500 or more inhabitants are incorporated and comprise 12 percent of the 1970 population. Rural areas are made up of the unincorporated portions of counties outside of urban places and standard metropolitan statistical areas and represent 19 percent of our national population. Throughout this Program, sheriffs, county police and many State police report on crimes committed within the limits of the counties but outside cities, while local police report on crime committed within the city limits (urban places).

Verificotion Processes

Uniformity of crime data collected under this Program is of primary concern to the FBI as the national clearinghouse. With the receipt of reports covering approximately 9,200 jurisdictions, prepared on a voluntary basis, the problems of attaining uniformity are readily apparent. Issuance of instructions does not complete the role of the FBI. On the contrary, it is standard operating procedure to examine each incoming report not only for arithmetical accuracy but also, and possibly of even more importance, for reasonableness as a possible indication of errors.

Variations in the level and ratios among the crime classes established by previous reports of each agency are used as a measure of possible or probable incompleteness or changes in reporting policy. Necessary arithmetical adjustments or unusual variations are brought to the attention of the submitting agency by correspondence. During 1970, 21,250 letters were addressed to contributors primarily as a result of editing and evaluation processes. Correspondence with contributors is the principal tool for supervision of quality. Not only are the individual reports stud-

ied, but also periodic trends for individual reporting units are prepared, as are crime rates in descending order for all units grouped for general comparability to assist in detecting variations and fluctuations possibly due to some reason other than chance. For the most part, the problem is one of keeping the contributors informed of the type information necessary to the success of this Program.

The elimination of duplication of crime reporting by the various agencies is given constant attention. In addition to detailed instructions as to the limits of reporting jurisdictions between sheriffs and police in urban places, lists of urban places by county are furnished to sheriffs, county police and in some instances state police organizations.

Uniform Crime Reporting has been taught to all law enforcement officers attending the FBI National Academy. The Academy was established in 1935 and there are 3,175 graduates who are still in law enforcement, 28 percent of whom are the executive heads of law enforcement agencies. The FBI also presents this subject to regional law enforcement schools throughout the country.

Contacts by Special Agents of the FBI are utilized to enlist the cooperation of new contributors and to explain the purpose of this Program and the methods of assembling information for reporting. When correspondence, including specially designed questionnaires fail, Special Agents may be directed to visit the contributor to affirmatively resolve the misunderstanding.

Variations from the desired reporting standards which cannot be resolved by the steps indicated above are brought to the attention of the Committee on Uniform Crime Records of the IACP. The Committee may designate a representative to make a personal visit to the local department to assist in the needed revision of records and reporting methods.

It is clear, of course, that regardless of the extent of the statistical verification processes used by the FBI, the accuracy of the data assembled under this Program depends upon the degree of sincere effort exerted by each contributor to meet the necessary standards of reporting and, for this reason, the FBI is not in a position to vouch for the validity of the reports received.

The Crime Totals

Communities not represented by crime reports are relatively few, as discussed previously and as shown by an examination of the tables which follow presenting 1970 crime totals for the Index of Crime classifications. The FBI conducts a continuing program to further reduce the unreported areas.

Within each of the three areas—standard metropolitan statistical, other urban and rural—it is assumed that the unreported portion had the same proportionate crime experience as that for which reports were received. In lieu of figures for the entire year from those agencies, reports for as many as 9 months are accepted as sufficiently representative on which to base estimates for the year. Estimates for unreported areas are based on the reported crime experience of similar areas within each state. Certain refinements are made of this basic estimating procedure as the need arises.

Crime Trends

Crime data for trends are homogeneous to the extent that figures from identical reporting units are used for each of the periods tabulated. In all trend tabulations only those reporting units are used which have provided comparable data for the period under consideration. National, geographic and area trends are always established on the basis of 2 consecutive years. Exclusions from trend computations are made when figures from a reporting unit are obviously inaccurate for any period or when it is ascertained that unusual fluctuations are due to such variables as improved records procedures and not to chance.

As a matter of standard procedure crime trends for individual places are analyzed five times a year by the FBI. Any significant increase or decrease is made the subject of a special inquiry with the contributing agency. In 1970 for example, more than 2,200 letters were sent to police administrators of contributing agencies inquiring as to the reason for significant increases or decreases in pertinent crime classifications. The communication containing this inquiry specifically directs attention to possible changes in records or reporting procedures. When it is found that crime reporting procedures are in part responsible for the difference in the level of crime, the figures for specific crime categories or totals are excluded from the trend tabulations. Year-to-year trends in Uniform Crime Reports are valid and may be used to reasonably establish long-term trends as well as to re-estimate crime volume and reconstruct crime trends for prior years. It can be assumed logically that the current year is the most complete in terms

of volume. Trend or percent change as established by comparable units for each 2-year period is then applied as the basis for re-estimating the volume of crime for prior years.

On the other hand, crime rate tables by state and standard metropolitan statistical area contain the most reliable reports available for the current year, and care should be exercised in any direct comparisons with prior issues. Changes in crime level may have been due in part to improved reporting or records procedures rather than to chance.

Population Data

In computing crime rates by state, geographic division, standard metropolitan statistical area and the Nation as a whole, the 1970 Decennial Census Reports issued by the Bureau of the Census were used. The estimated United States population increase in 1970 was 1 percent over 1969 according to the Decennial Census Reports.

Classification of Offenses

A stumbling block to a uniform national crime reporting system in the United States results from variations in definitions of criminal violations among the states. This obstacle, insofar as uniformity of definitions is concerned, was removed by the adoption of a standard set of crime classifications. To some extent the title of each classification connotes in a general way its content. However, in reading the explanation of each category, it is very important to keep in mind that because of the differences among the state codes there is no possibility in a system such as this to distinguish between crimes by designations such as "felony" and "misdemeanor."

A continuing program is carried out to furnish contributors with timely supplemental instructions as the need arises in certain classifications. These are aimed at the clarification of any misunderstandings which may arise and the redirection of attention to the proper application of classification procedures under this system.

Brief definitions of crime classifications utilized in this Program are listed below:

1. **Criminal homicide.**—(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter: all willful felonious homicides as distinguished from deaths caused by negligence. Excludes attempts to kill, assaults to kill, suicides, accidental deaths, or justifiable homicides. Justifiable homicides are limited to: (1) the killing of a person by a peace officer in line of duty; (2) the killing of a person in the act of committing a felony by a private citizen. (*b*) Manslaughter by negligence: any death which the police investigation establishes was primarily attributable to gross negligence of some individual other than the victim.

2. **Forcible rape.**—Rape by force, assault to rape and attempted rape. Excludes statutory offenses (no force used—victim under age of consent).

3. **Robbery.**—Stealing or taking anything of value from the care, custody or control of a person by force or violence or by putting in fear, such as strong-arm robbery, stickups, armed robbery, assault to rob and attempts to rob.

4. **Aggravated assault.**—Assault with intent to kill or for the purpose of inflicting severe bodily injury by shooting, cutting, stabbing, maiming, poisoning, scalding, or by the use of acids, explosives, or other means. Excludes simple assault, assault and battery, fighting, etc.

5. **Burglary—breaking or entering.**—Burglary, housebreaking, safecracking, or any breaking or unlawful entry of a structure with the intent to commit a felony or a theft. Includes attempts.

6. **Larceny—theft** (except auto theft).—(*a*) Fifty dollars and over in value; (*b*) under $50 in value. Thefts of bicycles, automobile accessories, shoplifting, pocket-picking, or any stealing of property or article of value which is not taken by force and violence or by fraud. Excludes embezzlement, "con" games, forgery, worthless checks, etc.

7. **Auto theft.**—Stealing or driving away and abandoning a motor vehicle. Excludes taking for temporary or unauthorized use by those having lawful access to the vehicle.

8. **Other assaults.**—Assaults and attempted assaults which are not of an aggravated nature.

9. **Arson.**—Willful or malicious burning with or without intent to defraud. Includes attempts.

10. **Forgery and counterfeiting.**—Making, altering, uttering or possessing, with intent to defraud, anything false which is made to appear true. Includes attempts.

11. **Fraud.**—Fraudulent conversion and obtaining money or property by false pretenses. Includes bad checks except forgeries and counterfeiting.

12. **Embezzlement.**—Misappropriation or misapplication of money or property entrusted to one's care, custody or control.

13. **Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing.**—Buying, receiving, and possessing stolen property and attempts.

14. **Vandalism.**—Willful or malicious destruction, injury, disfigurement or defacement of property without consent of the owner or person having custody or control.

15. **Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.**—All violations of regulations or statutes controlling the carrying, using, possessing, furnishing and manufacturing of deadly weapons or silencers. Includes attempts.

16. **Prostitution and commercialized vice.**—Sex offenses of a commercialized nature and attempts, such as prostitution, keeping a bawdy house, procuring or transporting women for immoral purposes.

17. **Sex offenses** (except forcible rape, prostitution, and commercialized vice).—Statutory rape, offenses against chastity, common decency, morals and the like. Includes attempts.

18. **Narcotic drug laws.**—Offenses relating to narcotic drugs, such as unlawful possession, sale or use. Excludes violations limited strictly to Federal control.

19. **Gambling.**—Promoting, permitting, or engaging in gambling.

20. **Offenses against the family and children.**—Nonsupport, neglect, desertion, or abuse of family and children.

21. **Driving under the influence.**—Driving or operating any motor vehicle while drunk or under the influence of liquor or narcotics.

22. **Liquor laws.**—State or local liquor law violations, except "drunkenness" (class 23) and "driving under the influence" (class 21). Excludes Federal violations.

23. **Drunkenness.**—Drunkenness or intoxication.

24. **Disorderly conduct.**—Breach of the peace.

25. **Vagrancy.**—Vagabondage, begging, loitering, etc.

26. **All other offenses.**—All violations of state or local laws, except classes 1–25 and traffic.

27. **Suspicion.**—Arrests for no specific offense and released without formal charges being placed.

28. **Curfew and loitering laws (juveniles).**—Offenses relating to violation of local curfew or loitering ordinances where such laws exist.

29. **Runaway (juveniles).**—Limited to juveniles taken into protective custody under provisions of local statutes as runaways.

The Index of Crime, 1970

In this section, tabulations are shown to indicate the probable extent, fluctuation and distribution of crime for the United States as a whole, geographic divisions, individual states and standard metropolitan statistical areas. The measure used is a Crime Index consisting of seven important offenses which are counted as they become known to the law enforcement agencies. Crime classifications used in the Index are: murder and nonnegligent manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary—breaking or entering, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

The total number of criminal acts that occur is unknown, but those that are reported to the police provide the first means of a count. Not all crimes come readily to the attention of the police; not all crimes are of sufficient importance to be significant in an index; and not all important crimes occur with enough regularity to be meaningful in an index. With these considerations in mind, the above crimes were selected as a group to furnish an abbreviated and convenient measure of the crime problem.

It is important to remember in reviewing the tables in this section that the volume of crime in a state or standard metropolitan statistical area is subject to the factors set forth on page vii. The 1970 Decennial Census Reports published by the Bureau of the Census have been used to construct crime rates. With our highly mobile population all communities, metropolitan areas and states are affected to a greater or lesser degree by the element of transient population. This factor is not accounted for in crime rates since no reliable estimates by state are available nationwide.

Tables are presented showing the comparative crime experience by population group of suburban cities having 50,000 or less inhabitants with cities of the same size isolated from suburban areas. The effects of being a part of the metropolitan fringe can be readily discerned by a review of these tables.

Table 1.—*Index of Crime, United States, 1970*

Area	Population [1]	Total crime index	Violent [2] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
United States Total	**203,184,772**	**5,568,197**	**731,402**	**4,836,795**	**15,812**	**37,273**	**348,380**	**329,937**	**2,169,322**	**1,746,107**	**921,366**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		**2,740.5**	**360.0**	**2,380.5**	**7.8**	**18.3**	**171.5**	**162.4**	**1,067.7**	**859.4**	**453.5**
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	**140,226,949**										
Area actually reporting [3]	97.2%	4,691,725	634,446	4,057,279	12,093	30,847	331,819	259,687	1,797,699	1,420,012	839,568
Estimated total	100.0%	4,762,638	641,078	4,121,560	12,265	31,302	333,810	263,701	1,825,851	1,446,224	849,485
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,396.4	457.2	2,939.2	8.7	22.3	238.0	188.1	1,302.1	1,031.3	605.8
Other Cities	**21,092,789**										
Area actually reporting	87.8%	396,450	37,895	358,555	906	1,877	8,149	26,963	155,296	163,380	39,879
Estimated total	100.0%	445,129	43,695	401,434	1,070	2,124	9,098	31,403	174,775	182,246	44,413
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,847.6	181.4	1,666.2	4.4	8.8	37.8	130.3	725.4	756.4	184.3
Rural	**38,865,034**										
Area actually reporting	71.3%	267,388	28,735	238,653	1,534	2,614	3,639	20,948	129,021	88,702	20,930
Estimated total	100.0%	360,430	46,629	313,801	2,477	3,847	5,472	34,833	168,696	117,637	27,468
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		927.4	120.0	807.4	6.4	9.9	14.1	89.6	434.1	302.7	70.7

[1] Population is Bureau of the Census decennial census, 1970.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault; property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

[3] The percentage representing area actually reporting will not coincide with the ratio between reported and estimated crime totals since these data represent the sum of the calculations for individual states which have varying populations, portions reporting and crime rates.

Table 9.—*Index of Crime, United States, 1960–1970*

Population [1]	Total Crime Index	Violent [2] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and non-negligent man-slaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Nomber of offenses:										
1960—179,323,175	2,014,600	285,200	1,729,400	9,000	16,860	107,390	152,000	897,400	506,200	325,700
1961—182,953,000	2,082,400	286,100	1,796,300	8,630	16,890	106,210	154,400	934,200	528,500	333,500
1962—185,822,000	2,213,600	298,200	1,915,400	8,430	17,210	110,390	162,100	978,200	573,100	364,100
1963—188,531,000	2,435,900	313,400	2,122,500	8,530	17,310	115,980	171,600	1,068,800	648,500	405,200
1964—191,334,000	2,755,000	360,100	2,395,000	9,250	21,020	129,830	200,000	1,193,600	732,000	469,300
1965—193,818,000	2,930,200	383,100	2,547,200	9,850	22,970	138,100	212,100	1,261,800	792,300	493,100
1966—195,857,000	3,264,200	425,400	2,838,800	10,920	25,330	157,320	231,800	1,387,200	894,600	557,000
1967—197,864,000	3,802,300	494,600	3,307,700	12,090	27,100	202,050	253,300	1,605,700	1,047,100	654,900
1968—199,861,000	4,466,600	588,800	3,877,700	13,650	31,060	261,730	282,400	1,828,900	1,271,100	777,800
1969—201,921,000	5,001,400	655,100	4,346,400	14,590	36,470	297,580	306,420	1,949,800	1,524,600	871,900
1970—203,184,772	5,568,200	731,400	4,836,800	15,810	37,270	348,380	329,940	2,169,300	1,746,100	921,400
Percent change 1960–1970 [3]	+176.4	+156.5	+179.7	+75.7	+121.1	+224.4	+117.1	+141.7	+244.9	+182.9
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants: [3]										
1960	1,123.4	159.0	964.4	5.0	9.4	59.9	84.7	500.5	282.3	181.6
1961	1,138.2	156.4	981.8	4.7	9.2	58.1	84.4	510.6	288.9	182.3
1962	1,191.2	160.5	1,030.8	4.5	9.3	59.4	87.3	526.4	308.4	196.0
1963	1,292.0	166.2	1,125.8	4.5	9.2	61.5	91.0	566.9	344.0	214.9
1964	1,439.9	188.2	1,251.7	4.8	11.0	67.9	104.5	623.8	382.6	245.3
1965	1,511.9	197.6	1,314.2	5.1	11.9	71.3	109.5	651.0	408.8	254.4
1966	1,666.6	217.2	1,449.4	5.6	12.9	80.3	118.4	708.3	456.8	284.4
1967	1,921.7	250.0	1,671.7	6.1	13.7	102.1	128.0	811.5	529.2	331.0
1968	2,234.8	294.6	1,940.2	6.8	15.5	131.0	141.3	915.1	636.0	389.1
1969	2,476.9	324.4	2,152.5	7.2	18.1	147.4	151.8	965.6	755.1	431.8
1970	2,740.5	360.0	2,380.5	7.8	18.3	171.5	162.4	1,067.7	859.4	453.5
Percent change 1960–1970 [3]	+143.9	+126.4	+146.8	+56.0	+94.7	+186.3	+91.7	+113.3	+204.4	+149.7

[1] Population is Bureau of the Census provisional estimates as of July 1, except Apr. 1, 1960 and 1970, census.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault. Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

[3] Percent change and crime rates calculated prior to rounding number of offenses. Revised estimates and rates based on changes in reporting practices.

Table 3.—*Index of Crime by Regions,*

[Number and rate per 100,000

Area	Year	Population [1]	Total Crime Index		Violent crime [2]		Property crime [2]		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	
			Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000
United States Total [3]	**1969**	**201, 921, 000**	**5, 001, 452**	**2, 476. 9**	**655, 081**	**324. 4**	**4, 346, 391**	**2, 152. 5**	**14, 587**	**7. 2**
	1970	**203, 184, 772**	**5, 568, 197**	**2, 740. 5**	**731, 402**	**360. 0**	**4, 836, 795**	**2, 380. 5**	**15, 812**	**7. 8**
Percent change			**+11. 3**	**+10. 6**	**+11. 7**	**+11. 0**	**+11. 3**	**+10. 6**	**+8. 4**	**+8. 3**
Northeast	**1969**	**48, 782, 000**	**1, 261, 399**	**2, 585. 8**	**161, 188**	**330. 4**	**1, 100, 211**	**2, 255. 4**	**2, 521**	**5. 2**
	1970	**48, 999, 999**	**1, 394, 492**	**2, 845. 9**	**188, 809**	**385. 3**	**1, 205, 683**	**2, 460. 6**	**2, 849**	**5. 8**
Percent Change			+10. 6	+10. 1	+17. 1	+16. 6	+9. 6	+9. 1	+13. 0	+11. 5
New England	1969	11, 512, 000	266, 977	2, 319. 1	17, 521	152. 2	249, 456	2, 166. 9	350	3. 0
	1970	11, 847, 186	302, 549	2, 553. 8	20, 218	170. 7	282, 331	2, 383. 1	369	3. 1
Percent change			+13. 3	+10. 1	+15. 4	+12. 2	+13. 2	+10. 0	+5. 4	+3. 3
Connecticut	1969	3, 000, 000	70, 048	2, 334. 9	4, 415	147. 2	65, 633	2, 187. 8	86	2. 9
	1970	3, 032, 217	78, 076	2, 574. 9	5, 167	170. 4	72, 909	2, 404. 5	106	3. 5
Maine	1969	978, 000	10, 129	1, 035. 7	681	69. 6	9, 448	966. 1	16	1. 6
	1970	993, 663	11, 344	1, 141. 6	823	82. 8	10, 521	1, 058. 8	15	1. 5
Massachusetts	1969	5, 467, 000	149, 807	2, 740. 2	10, 272	187. 9	139, 535	2, 552. 3	191	3. 5
	1970	5, 689, 170	170, 900	3, 004. 0	11, 542	202. 9	159, 358	2, 801. 1	197	3. 5
New Hampshire	1969	717, 000	7, 036	981. 3	325	45. 3	6, 711	936. 0	18	2. 5
	1970	737, 681	8, 798	1, 192. 7	413	56. 0	8, 385	1, 136. 7	15	2. 0
Rhode Island	1969	911, 000	25, 448	2, 793. 4	1, 594	175. 0	23, 854	2, 618. 4	28	3. 1
	1970	949, 723	27, 787	2, 925. 8	1, 944	204. 7	25, 843	2, 721. 1	30	3. 2
Vermont	1969	439, 000	4, 509	1, 027. 1	234	53. 3	4, 275	973. 8	11	2. 5
	1970	444, 732	5, 644	1, 269. 1	329	74. 0	5, 315	1, 195. 1	6	1. 3
Middle Atlantic	1969	37, 271, 000	994, 422	2, 668. 1	143, 667	385. 5	850, 755	2, 282. 6	2, 171	5. 8
	1970	37, 152, 813	1, 091, 943	2, 939. 1	168, 591	453. 8	923, 352	2, 485. 3	2, 480	6. 7
Percent change			+9. 8	+10. 2	+17. 3	+17. 7	+8. 5	+8. 9	+14. 2	+15. 5
New Jersey	1969	7, 148, 000	175, 722	2, 458. 3	17, 226	241. 0	158, 496	2, 217. 3	369	5. 2
	1970	7, 168, 164	196, 709	2, 744. 2	20, 583	287. 1	176, 126	2, 457. 1	412	5. 7
New York	1969	18, 321, 000	653, 405	3, 566. 4	104, 398	569. 8	549, 007	2, 996. 6	1, 320	7. 2
	1970	18, 190, 740	713, 453	3, 922. 1	122, 976	676. 0	590, 477	3, 246. 0	1, 439	7. 9
Pennsylvania	1969	11, 803, 000	165, 295	1, 400. 4	22, 043	186. 8	143, 252	1, 213. 7	482	4. 1
	1970	11, 793, 909	181, 781	1, 541. 3	25, 032	212. 2	156, 749	1, 329. 1	629	5. 3
North Central	**1969**	**56, 078, 000**	**1, 217, 113**	**2, 170. 4**	**164, 486**	**293. 3**	**1, 052, 627**	**1, 877. 1**	**3, 427**	**6. 1**
	1970	**56, 577, 067**	**1, 357, 129**	**2, 398. 7**	**182, 866**	**323. 2**	**1, 174, 263**	**2, 075. 5**	**3, 697**	**6. 5**
Percent change			+11. 5	+10. 5	+11. 2	+10. 2	+11. 6	+10. 6	+7. 9	+6. 6
East North Central	1969	39, 904, 000	907, 025	2, 273. 0	132, 150	331. 2	774, 875	1, 941. 8	2, 703	6. 8
	1970	40, 252, 678	1, 023, 588	2, 542. 9	147, 738	367. 0	875, 850	2, 175. 9	2, 890	7. 2
Percent change			+12. 9	+11. 9	+11. 8	+10. 8	+13. 0	+12. 1	+6. 9	+5. 9
Illinois	1969	11, 047, 000	246, 154	2, 228. 2	49, 543	448. 5	196, 611	1, 779. 8	950	8. 6
	1970	11, 113, 976	260, 858	2, 347. 1	52, 006	467. 9	208, 852	1, 879. 2	1, 066	9. 6
Indiana	1969	5, 118, 000	99, 241	1, 939. 1	9, 752	190. 5	89, 489	1, 748. 5	252	4. 9
	1970	5, 193, 669	117, 923	2, 270. 5	11, 714	225. 5	106, 209	2, 045. 0	250	4. 8
Michigan	1969	8, 766, 000	279, 883	3, 192. 8	42, 796	488. 2	237, 087	2, 704. 6	729	8. 3
	1970	8, 875, 083	324, 742	3, 659. 0	49, 947	562. 8	274, 795	3, 096. 3	787	8. 9
Ohio	1969	10, 740, 000	223, 223	2, 078. 4	26, 648	248. 1	196, 575	1, 830. 3	685	6. 4
	1970	10, 652, 017	253, 158	2, 376. 6	30, 279	284. 3	222, 879	2, 092. 4	699	6. 6
Wisconsin	1969	4, 233, 000	58, 524	1, 382. 6	3, 411	80. 6	55, 113	1, 302. 0	87	2. 1
	1970	4, 417, 933	66, 907	1, 514. 4	3, 792	85. 8	63, 115	1, 428. 6	88	2. 0

See footnotes at end of table.

Geographic Divisions and State, 1969–70

inhabitants percent change over 1969]

Forcible rape		Robbery		Aggravated assault		Burglary		Larceny $50 and over		Auto theft	
Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000
36,470	**18.1**	**297,584**	**147.4**	**306,420**	**151.8**	**1,949,843**	**965.6**	**1,524,618**	**755.1**	**871,930**	**431.8**
37,273	**18.3**	**348,380**	**171.5**	**329,937**	**162.4**	**2,169,322**	**1,067.7**	**1,746,107**	**859.4**	**921,366**	**453.5**
+2.2	**+1.1**	**+17.1**	**+16.4**	**+7.7**	**+7.0**	**+11.3**	**+10.6**	**+14.5**	**+13.8**	**+5.7**	**+5.0**
6,133	12.6	91,984	188.6	60,550	124.1	480,652	985.3	362,780	743.7	256,779	526.4
6,238	12.7	114,071	232.8	65,651	134.0	522,080	1,065.5	403,380	823.2	280,223	571.9
+1.7	+.8	+24.0	+23.4	+8.4	+8.0	+8.6	+8.1	+11.2	+10.7	+9.1	+8.6
1,015	8.8	7,547	65.6	8,609	74.8	105,973	920.5	73,332	637.0	70,151	609.4
1,154	9.7	8,786	74.2	9,909	83.6	120,083	1,013.6	86,181	727.4	76,067	642.1
+13.7	+10.2	+16.4	+13.1	+15.1	+11.8	+13.3	+10.1	+17.5	+14.2	+8.4	+5.4
260	8.7	1,696	56.5	2,373	79.1	29,624	987.5	23,175	772.5	12,834	427.8
276	9.1	2,136	70.4	2,649	87.4	32,874	1,084.2	25,353	836.1	14,682	484.2
58	5.9	111	11.3	496	50.7	4,995	510.7	3,108	317.8	1,345	137.5
70	7.0	125	12.6	613	61.7	5,588	562.4	3,481	350.3	1,452	146.1
592	10.8	4,955	90.6	4,534	82.9	56,450	1,032.6	36,135	661.0	46,950	858.8
684	12.0	5,658	99.5	5,003	87.9	64,523	1,134.1	44,880	788.9	49,955	878.1
29	4.0	75	10.5	203	28.3	3,322	463.3	2,362	329.4	1,027	143.2
44	6.0	89	12.1	265	35.9	4,172	565.6	2,944	399.1	1,269	172.0
36	4.0	669	73.4	861	94.5	8,950	982.4	7,405	812.8	7,499	823.2
34	3.6	744	78.3	1,136	119.6	9,677	1,018.9	8,008	843.2	8,158	859.0
40	9.1	41	9.3	142	32.3	2,632	599.5	1,147	261.3	496	113.0
46	10.3	34	7.6	243	54.6	3,249	730.6	1,515	340.7	551	123.9
5,118	13.7	84,437	226.5	51,941	139.4	374,679	1,005.3	289,448	776.6	186,628	500.7
5,084	13.7	105,285	283.4	55,742	150.0	401,997	1,082.0	317,199	853.8	204,156	549.5
−.7	.....	+24.7	+25.1	+7.3	+7.6	+7.3	+7.6	+9.6	+9.9	+9.4	+9.7
914	12.8	9,657	135.1	6,286	87.9	68,123	953.0	53,131	743.3	37,242	521.0
927	12.9	12,145	169.4	7,099	99.0	74,649	1,041.4	61,520	858.2	39,957	557.4
2,849	15.6	64,349	351.2	35,880	195.8	238,990	1,304.5	196,069	1,070.2	113,948	622.0
2,823	15.5	80,641	443.3	38,073	209.3	257,262	1,414.2	209,123	1,149.6	124,092	682.2
1,355	11.5	10,431	88.4	9,775	82.8	67,566	572.4	40,248	341.0	35,438	300.2
1,334	11.3	12,499	106.0	10,570	89.6	70,086	594.3	46,556	394.7	40,107	340.1
9,660	**17.2**	**83,253**	**148.5**	**68,146**	**121.5**	**452,664**	**807.2**	**366,851**	**654.2**	**233,112**	**415.7**
9,633	**17.0**	**97,693**	**172.7**	**71,843**	**127.0**	**507,268**	**896.6**	**429,789**	**759.7**	**237,206**	**419.3**
−.3	−1.2	+17.3	+16.3	+5.4	+4.5	+12.1	+11.1	+17.2	+16.1	+1.8	+.9
7,242	18.1	68,981	172.9	53,224	133.4	330,774	828.9	267,747	671.0	176,354	441.9
7,231	18.0	81,414	202.3	56,203	139.6	377,022	936.6	316,165	785.5	182,663	453.8
−.2	−.6	+18.0	+17.0	+5.6	+4.6	+14.0	+13.0	+18.1	+17.1	+3.6	+2.7
2,113	19.1	26,153	236.7	20,327	184.0	81,602	738.7	62,593	566.6	52,416	474.5
2,270	20.4	27,908	251.1	20,762	186.8	85,067	765.4	66,234	596.0	57,551	517.8
780	15.2	4,667	91.2	4,053	79.2	38,935	760.7	31,327	612.1	19,227	375.7
930	17.9	5,584	107.5	4,950	95.3	44,664	860.0	39,270	756.1	22,275	428.9
2,399	27.4	23,361	266.5	16,307	186.0	109,647	1,250.8	83,983	958.1	43,457	495.7
2,035	22.9	30,921	348.4	16,204	182.6	132,546	1,493.5	101,514	1,143.8	40,735	459.0
1,645	15.3	13,604	126.7	10,714	99.8	79,489	740.1	65,310	608.1	51,776	482.1
1,700	16.0	15,539	145.9	12,341	115.9	90,953	853.9	79,438	745.8	52,488	492.8
305	7.2	1,196	28.3	1,823	43.1	21,101	498.5	24,534	579.6	9,478	223.9
296	6.7	1,462	33.1	1,946	44.0	23,792	538.5	29,709	672.5	9,614	217.6

Area	Year	Population [1]	Total Crime Index		Violent crime [2]		Property crime [2]		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	
			Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000
West North Central	1969	16,174,000	310,088	1,917.2	32,336	199.9	277,752	1,717.3	724	4.5
	1970	16,324,389	333,541	2,043.2	35,128	215.2	298,413	1,828.0	807	4.9
Percent change			+7.6	+6.6	+8.6	+7.7	+7.4	+6.4	+11.5	+8.9
Iowa	1969	2,781,000	35,340	1,270.8	1,918	69.0	33,422	1,201.8	39	1.4
	1970	2,825,041	40,548	1,435.3	2,241	79.3	38,307	1,356.0	54	1.9
Kansas	1969	2,321,000	40,956	1,764.6	3,873	166.9	37,083	1,597.7	81	3.5
	1970	2,249,071	48,215	2,143.8	4,561	202.8	43,654	1,941.0	107	4.8
Minnesota	1969	3,700,000	74,842	2,022.8	5,253	142.0	69,589	1,880.8	69	1.9
	1970	3,805,069	80,034	2,103.4	5,782	152.0	74,252	1,951.4	75	2.0
Missouri	1969	4,651,000	127,098	2,732.7	18,260	392.6	108,838	2,340.1	485	10.4
	1970	4,677,399	129,329	2,765.0	18,986	405.9	110,343	2,359.1	499	10.7
Nebraska	1969	1,449,000	20,522	1,416.3	2,302	158.9	18,220	1,257.4	36	2.5
	1970	1,483,791	22,512	1,517.2	2,731	184.1	19,781	1,333.1	44	3.0
North Dakota	1969	615,000	4,602	748.3	220	35.8	4,382	712.5	1	.2
	1970	617,761	5,227	846.1	211	34.2	5,016	812.0	3	.5
South Dakota	1969	659,000	6,728	1,020.9	510	77.4	6,218	943.6	13	2.0
	1970	666,257	7,676	1,152.1	616	92.5	7,060	1,059.7	25	3.8
South	**1969**	**63,086,000**	**1,323,179**	**2,097.4**	**205,766**	**326.2**	**1,117,413**	**1,771.3**	**6,877**	**10.4**
	1970	**62,798,347**	**1,507,263**	**2,400.2**	**227,440**	**362.2**	**1,279,823**	**2,038.0**	**7,055**	**11.2**
Percent change			+13.9	+14.4	+10.5	+11.0	+14.5	+15.1	+7.3	+7.7
South Atlantic [4]	1969	30,484,000	702,992	2,306.1	119,722	392.7	583,270	1,913.4	3,217	10.6
	1970	30,671,337	816,474	2,662.0	130,464	425.4	686,010	2,236.6	3,627	11.8
Percent change			+16.1	+15.4	+9.0	+8.3	+17.6	+16.9	+12.7	+11.3
Delaware	1969	540,000	11,966	2,215.9	1,276	236.3	10,690	1,979.6	39	7.2
	1970	548,104	14,887	2,716.1	1,403	256.0	13,484	2,460.1	38	6.9
Florida	1969	6,354,000	201,160	3,165.9	29,411	462.9	171,749	2,703.0	720	11.3
	1970	6,789,443	244,399	3,599.7	33,824	498.2	210,575	3,101.5	860	12.7
Georgia	1969	4,641,000	82,750	1,783.0	11,235	242.1	71,515	1,540.9	551	11.9
	1970	4,589,575	101,279	2,206.7	13,976	304.5	87,303	1,902.2	702	15.3
Maryland	1969	3,765,000	123,552	3,281.6	24,295	645.3	99,257	2,636.3	350	9.3
	1970	3,922,399	131,283	3,347.0	24,512	624.9	106,771	2,722.1	362	9.2
North Carolina	1969	5,205,000	80,216	1,541.1	17,755	341.1	62,461	1,200.0	556	10.7
	1970	5,082,059	94,566	1,861.4	18,423	362.5	76,173	1,498.9	565	11.1
South Carolina	1969	2,692,000	45,541	1,691.7	6,429	238.8	39,112	1,452.9	336	12.5
	1970	2,590,516	53,540	2,066.8	7,387	285.2	46,153	1,781.6	377	14.6
Virginia	1969	4,669,000	81,070	1,736.3	10,643	228.0	70,427	1,508.4	276	5.9
	1970	4,648,494	99,904	2,149.2	12,040	259.0	87,864	1,890.2	391	8.4
West Virginia	1969	1,819,000	13,910	764.7	1,766	97.1	12,144	667.6	102	5.6
	1970	1,744,237	16,722	958.7	2,158	123.7	14,564	835.0	109	6.2
East South Central	1969	13,107,000	193,239	1,474.3	27,176	207.3	166,063	1,267.0	1,395	10.6
	1970	12,804,552	219,448	1,713.8	32,103	250.7	187,345	1,463.1	1,362	10.6
Percent change			+13.6	+16.2	+18.1	+20.9	+12.8	+15.5	−2.4	
Alabama	1969	3,531,000	56,647	1,576.0	8,842	250.4	46,805	1,325.5	485	13.7
	1970	3,444,165	64,249	1,865.4	10,185	295.7	54,064	1,569.7	404	11.7
Kentucky	1969	3,232,000	53,745	1,662.9	5,745	177.8	48,000	1,485.1	336	10.4
	1970	3,219,311	61,957	1,924.5	7,167	222.3	54,800	1,702.2	357	11.1
Mississippi	1969	2,360,000	17,476	740.5	3,354	142.1	14,122	598.4	192	8.1
	1970	2,216,912	19,141	863.4	3,974	179.3	15,167	684.1	255	11.5
Tennessee	1969	3,985,000	66,371	1,665.5	9,236	231.7	57,136	1,433.8	382	9.6
	1970	3,924,164	74,101	1,888.3	10,787	274.9	63,314	1,613.4	346	8.8
West South Central	1969	19,495,000	426,948	2,190.0	58,868	302.0	368,080	1,888.1	1,965	10.1
	1970	19,322,458	471,341	2,439.3	64,873	335.7	406,468	2,103.6	2,066	10.7
Percent change			+10.4	+11.4	+10.2	+11.2	+10.4	+11.4	+5.1	+5.9
Arkansas	1969	1,995,000	28,295	1,418.3	4,390	220.1	23,905	1,198.2	197	9.9
	1970	1,923,295	30,845	1,603.8	4,276	222.3	26,569	1,381.4	195	10.1
Louisiana	1969	3,745,000	73,544	1,963.8	13,492	360.3	60,052	1,603.5	356	9.5
	1970	3,643,180	87,606	2,404.7	15,063	413.5	72,543	1,991.2	426	11.7
Oklahoma	1969	2,568,000	43,020	1,675.2	4,652	181.2	38,368	1,494.1	148	5.8
	1970	2,559,253	49,929	1,950.9	5,061	197.8	44,868	1,753.2	151	5.9
Texas	1969	11,187,000	282,089	2,521.6	36,334	324.8	245,755	2,196.8	1,264	11.3
	1970	11,196,730	302,961	2,705.8	40,473	361.5	262,488	2,344.3	1,294	11.6

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Inhabitants; percent change over 1969]

Forcible rape		Robbery		Aggravated assault		Burglary		Larceny $50 and over		Auto theft	
Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000
2,418	14.9	14,272	88.2	14,922	92.3	121,890	753.6	99,104	612.7	56,758	350.9
2,402	14.7	16,279	99.7	15,640	95.8	130,246	797.9	113,624	696.0	54,543	334.1
−.7	−1.3	+14.1	+13.6	+4.8	+3.8	+6.9	+5.9	+14.7	+13.6	−3.9	−4.8
178	6.4	622	22.4	1,079	38.8	13,603	489.1	14,882	535.1	4,937	177.5
175	6.2	804	28.5	1,208	42.8	14,331	507.3	19,031	673.7	4,945	175.0
350	15.1	1,271	54.8	2,171	93.5	16,091	693.3	15,701	676.5	5,291	228.0
325	14.5	1,689	75.1	2,440	108.5	19,829	881.7	18,053	802.7	5,772	256.6
424	11.5	3,016	81.5	1,744	47.1	28,836	779.4	26,533	717.1	14,220	384.3
369	9.7	3,389	89.1	1,949	51.2	30,507	801.7	30,592	804.0	13,153	345.7
1,270	27.3	8,483	182.4	8,022	172.5	52,037	1,118.8	29,896	642.8	26,905	578.5
1,283	27.4	9,333	200.8	7,811	167.0	53,184	1,137.0	32,003	684.2	25,156	537.8
98	6.8	751	51.8	1,417	97.8	6,989	482.3	7,109	490.6	4,122	284.5
138	9.3	850	57.3	1,699	114.5	7,486	504.5	7,964	536.7	4,331	291.9
25	4.1	44	7.2	150	24.4	1,533	249.3	2,264	368.1	585	95.1
38	6.2	40	6.5	130	21.0	1,769	286.4	2,685	434.6	562	91.0
73	11.1	85	12.9	339	51.4	2,801	425.0	2,719	412.6	698	105.9
74	11.1	114	17.1	403	60.5	3,140	471.3	3,296	494.7	624	93.7
10,749	**17.0**	**70,764**	**112.2**	**117,676**	**186.5**	**528,284**	**837.4**	**395,138**	**626.3**	**193,991**	**307.5**
11,331	**18.0**	**81,793**	**130.2**	**127,261**	**202.7**	**603,288**	**960.7**	**471,096**	**750.2**	**205,439**	**327.1**
+5.4	+5.9	+15.6	+16.0	+8.1	+8.7	+14.2	+14.7	+19.2	+19.8	+5.9	+6.4
5,448	17.9	44,941	147.4	66,116	216.9	274,114	899.2	207,759	681.5	101,397	332.6
5,527	18.0	51,674	168.5	69,636	227.0	320,085	1,043.6	259,736	846.8	106,189	346.2
+1.5	+.6	+15.0	+14.3	+5.3	+4.7	+16.8	+16.1	+25.0	+24.3	+4.7	+4.1
67	12.4	614	113.7	556	103.0	4,391	813.1	3,824	708.1	2,475	458.3
92	16.8	559	102.0	714	130.3	5,366	979.0	5,133	936.5	2,985	544.6
1,347	21.2	10,345	162.8	16,999	267.5	86,308	1,358.3	61,110	961.8	24,331	382.9
1,509	22.2	12,636	186.1	18,819	277.2	106,036	1,561.8	77,609	1,143.1	26,930	396.6
794	17.1	2,895	62.4	6,995	150.7	32,555	701.5	26,288	566.4	12,672	273.0
740	16.1	4,395	95.8	8,139	177.3	41,301	899.9	31,838	693.7	14,164	308.6
1,125	29.9	11,086	294.4	11,734	311.7	41,970	1,114.7	34,976	929.0	22,311	592.6
936	23.9	13,280	338.6	9,934	253.3	41,234	1,051.2	44,059	1,123.3	21,478	547.6
602	11.6	2,111	40.6	14,486	278.3	29,429	565.4	25,256	485.2	7,776	149.4
640	12.6	2,502	49.2	14,716	289.6	36,011	708.6	32,509	639.7	7,653	150.6
360	13.4	1,345	50.0	4,388	163.0	19,293	716.7	13,667	507.7	6,152	228.5
444	17.1	1,555	60.0	5,011	193.4	23,466	905.8	16,302	629.3	6,385	246.5
690	14.8	3,645	78.1	6,032	129.2	31,266	669.7	26,272	562.7	12,889	276.1
717	15.4	4,276	92.0	6,656	143.2	37,448	805.6	36,592	787.2	13,824	297.4
93	5.1	347	19.1	1,224	67.3	5,870	322.7	4,720	259.5	1,554	85.4
116	6.7	476	27.3	1,457	83.5	6,777	388.5	6,175	354.0	1,612	92.4
1,584	12.1	7,025	53.6	17,172	131.0	77,628	591.5	58,366	445.3	30,169	230.2
1,883	14.7	7,714	60.2	21,144	165.1	88,386	690.3	67,023	523.4	31,936	249.4
+18.9	+21.6	+9.8	+12.3	+23.1	+26.0	+14.0	+16.7	+14.8	+17.5	+5.9	+8.3
494	14.0	1,448	41.0	6,415	181.7	23,158	655.8	17,602	498.5	6,045	171.2
637	18.6	1,731	50.3	7,413	215.2	26,283	763.1	20,085	583.2	7,696	223.5
370	11.4	2,236	69.2	2,803	86.7	18,399	569.3	18,422	570.0	11,179	345.9
441	13.7	2,344	72.8	4,015	124.7	22,662	703.9	20,988	651.9	11,150	346.3
215	9.1	345	14.6	2,602	110.3	7,479	316.9	4,921	208.5	1,722	73.0
198	8.9	421	19.0	3,100	139.8	7,785	351.2	5,645	254.6	1,737	78.4
505	12.7	2,996	75.2	5,352	134.3	28,492	716.0	17,421	437.2	11,223	281.6
607	15.6	3,218	82.0	6,616	168.6	31,656	806.7	20,306	517.4	11,353	289.3
3,717	19.1	18,798	96.4	34,388	176.4	176,642	906.1	129,013	661.8	62,425	320.2
3,921	20.3	22,405	116.0	36,481	188.8	194,817	1,008.2	144,337	747.0	67,314	348.4
+5.5	+6.3	+19.2	+20.3	+6.1	+7.0	+10.3	+11.3	+11.9	+12.9	+7.8	+8.8
347	17.4	885	44.4	2,961	148.4	11,717	587.3	10,168	509.7	2,020	101.3
328	17.1	877	45.6	2,876	149.5	13,176	685.1	11,297	587.4	2,096	109.0
829	22.1	3,843	102.6	8,464	226.0	26,013	694.6	21,899	584.8	12,140	324.2
841	23.1	5,131	140.8	8,665	237.8	32,426	890.0	26,101	716.4	14,016	384.7
366	14.3	1,248	48.6	2,890	112.5	17,657	687.6	14,514	565.2	6,197	241.3
400	15.6	1,378	53.8	3,132	122.4	20,303	793.3	17,616	684.4	7,049	275.4
2,175	19.4	12,822	114.6	20,073	179.4	121,255	1,083.9	82,432	736.9	42,068	376.0
2,352	21.0	15,019	134.1	21,808	194.8	128,912	1,151.3	89,423	798.7	44,153	394.3

Table 3.—*Index of Crime by Regions,*

[Number and rate per 100,000

Area	Year	Population [1]	Total Crime Index		Violent crime [2]		Property crime [2]		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	
			Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000
West	**1969**	**33,974,000**	**1,199,761**	**3,531.4**	**123,621**	**363.9**	**1,076,140**	**3,167.5**	**2,062**	**6.1**
	1970	**34,809,359**	**1,309,313**	**3,761.4**	**132,287**	**380.0**	**1,177,026**	**3,381.3**	**2,211**	**6.4**
Percent change			+9.1	+6.5	+7.0	+4.4	+9.4	+6.7	+7.2	+4.9
Mountain	1969	8,021,000	209,348	2,610.0	19,665	245.2	189,683	2,364.8	414	5.2
	1970	8,283,585	245,573	2,964.6	22,849	275.8	222,724	2,688.7	553	6.7
Percent change			+17.3	+13.6	+16.2	+12.5	+17.4	+13.7	+33.6	+28.8
Arizona	1969	1,693,000	52,233	3,085.2	5,742	339.2	46,491	2,746.1	102	6.0
	1970	1,772,482	61,066	3,445.2	6,564	370.3	54,502	3,074.9	168	9.5
Colorado	1969	2,100,000	63,532	3,025.3	6,275	298.8	57,257	2,726.5	112	5.3
	1970	2,207,259	80,834	3,662.2	7,874	356.7	72,960	3,305.5	137	6.2
Idaho	1969	718,000	10,874	1,514.5	806	112.3	10,068	1,402.2	14	1.9
	1970	713,008	12,728	1,785.1	879	123.3	11,849	1,661.8	33	4.6
Montana	1969	694,000	10,330	1,488.5	682	98.3	9,648	1,390.2	25	3.6
	1970	694,409	11,366	1,636.8	774	111.5	10,592	1,525.3	22	3.2
Nevada	1969	457,000	16,221	3,549.5	1,642	359.3	14,579	3,190.2	41	9.0
	1970	488,738	19,531	3,996.2	1,948	398.6	17,583	3,597.6	43	8.8
New Mexico	1969	994,000	28,562	2,873.4	2,772	278.9	25,790	2,594.6	61	6.1
	1970	1,016,000	29,113	2,865.5	2,975	292.8	26,138	2,572.6	95	9.4
Utah	1969	1,045,000	22,762	2,178.2	1,460	139.7	21,302	2,038.5	26	2.5
	1970	1,059,273	25,134	2,372.8	1,459	137.7	23,675	2,235.0	36	3.4
Wyoming	1969	320,000	4,834	1,510.6	286	89.4	4,548	1,421.3	33	10.3
	1970	332,416	5,801	1,745.1	376	113.1	5,425	1,632.0	19	5.7
Pacific	1969	25,953,000	990,413	3,816.2	103,956	400.6	886,457	3,415.6	1,648	6.3
	1970	26,525,774	1,063,740	4,010.2	109,438	412.6	954,302	3,597.6	1,658	6.3
Percent change			+7.4	+5.1	+5.3	+3.0	+7.7	+5.3	+.6	
Alaska	1969	282,000	7,452	2,642.6	624	221.3	6,828	2,421.3	30	10.6
	1970	302,173	8,130	2,690.5	840	278.0	7,290	2,412.5	37	12.2
California	1969	19,443,000	804,483	4,137.6	89,878	462.3	714,605	3,675.4	1,386	7.1
	1970	19,953,134	859,373	4,307.0	94,741	474.8	764,632	3,832.1	1,376	6.9
Hawaii	1969	794,000	23,094	2,908.6	684	86.1	22,410	2,822.4	27	3.4
	1970	769,913	26,148	3,396.2	938	121.8	25,210	3,274.4	28	3.6
Oregon	1969	2,032,000	53,877	2,651.4	4,527	222.8	49,350	2,428.6	81	4.0
	1970	2,091,385	62,476	2,987.3	5,373	256.9	57,103	2,730.4	97	4.6
Washington	1969	3,402,000	101,507	2,983.7	8,243	242.3	93,264	2,741.4	124	3.6
	1970	3,409,169	107,613	3,156.6	7,546	221.3	100,067	2,935.2	120	3.5

[1] Population for each state for 1969 is Bureau of the Census provisional estimate as of July 1 and 1970 is decennial census.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault. Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over, and auto theft.

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Forcible rape		Robbery		Aggravated assault		Burglary		Larceny $50 and over		Auto theft	
Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000	Number	Rate per 100,000
9,928	**29.2**	**51,583**	**151.8**	**60,048**	**176.7**	**488,243**	**1,437.1**	**399,849**	**1,176.9**	**188,048**	**553.5**
10,071	**28.9**	**54,823**	**157.5**	**65,182**	**187.3**	**536,686**	**1,541.8**	**441,842**	**1,269.3**	**198,498**	**570.2**
+1.4	−1.0	+6.3	+3.8	+8.5	+6.0	+9.9	+7.3	+10.5	+7.9	+5.6	+3.0
1,664	20.7	6,267	78.1	11,320	141.1	82,578	1,029.5	76,345	951.8	30,760	383.5
1,906	23.0	7,509	90.6	12,881	155.5	97,424	1,176.1	89,752	1,083.5	35,548	429.1
+14.5	+11.1	+19.8	+16.0	+13.8	+10.2	+18.0	+14.2	+17.6	+13.8	+15.6	+11.9
390	23.0	1,692	99.9	3,558	210.2	22,053	1,302.6	17,012	1,004.8	7,426	438.6
478	27.0	2,130	120.2	3,788	213.7	26,464	1,493.0	19,155	1,080.7	8,883	501.2
605	28.8	2,324	110.7	3,234	154.0	23,798	1,133.2	22,812	1,086.3	10,647	507.0
795	36.0	2,849	129.1	4,093	185.4	30,481	1,380.9	29,491	1,336.1	12,988	588.4
72	10.0	120	16.7	600	83.6	4,236	590.0	4,888	680.8	944	131.5
88	12.3	146	20.5	612	85.8	4,803	673.6	6,018	844.0	1,028	144.2
77	11.1	154	22.2	426	61.4	3,899	561.8	4,251	612.5	1,498	215.9
73	10.5	155	22.3	524	75.5	4,123	593.7	4,929	709.8	1,540	221.8
94	20.6	781	170.9	726	158.9	6,245	1,366.5	5,774	1,263.5	2,560	560.2
96	19.6	921	188.4	888	181.7	8,116	1,660.6	6,238	1,276.3	3,229	660.7
242	24.3	633	63.7	1,836	184.7	11,672	1,174.2	10,111	1,017.2	4,007	403.1
220	21.7	672	66.1	1,988	195.7	11,598	1,141.5	10,557	1,039.1	3,983	392.0
147	14.1	512	49.0	775	74.2	8,867	848.5	9,324	892.2	3,111	297.7
115	10.9	563	53.1	745	70.3	9,692	915.0	10,633	1,003.8	3,350	316.3
37	11.6	51	15.9	165	51.6	1,808	565.0	2,173	679.1	567	177.2
41	12.3	73	22.0	243	73.1	2,147	645.9	2,731	821.6	547	164.6
8,264	31.8	45,316	174.6	48,728	187.8	405,665	1,563.1	323,504	1,246.5	157,288	606.0
8,165	30.8	47,314	178.4	52,301	197.2	439,262	1,656.0	352,090	1,327.4	162,950	614.3
−1.2	−3.1	+4.4	+2.2	+7.3	+5.0	+8.3	+5.9	+8.8	+6.5	+3.6	+1.4
83	29.4	190	67.4	321	113.8	2,455	870.6	2,705	959.2	1,668	591.6
79	26.1	217	71.8	507	167.8	2,387	789.9	3,237	1,071.2	1,666	551.3
7,053	36.3	39,240	201.8	42,199	217.0	325,891	1,676.1	256,771	1,320.6	131,943	678.6
7,005	35.1	41,277	206.9	45,083	225.9	349,788	1,753.0	277,330	1,389.9	137,514	689.2
97	12.2	282	35.5	278	35.0	10,360	1,304.8	7,795	981.7	4,255	535.9
91	11.8	487	63.3	332	43.1	11,211	1,456.1	9,525	1,237.2	4,474	581.1
371	18.3	1,760	86.6	2,315	113.9	22,853	1,124.7	20,026	985.5	6,471	318.5
377	18.0	2,144	102.5	2,755	131.7	26,632	1,273.4	23,510	1,124.1	6,961	332.8
660	19.4	3,844	113.0	3,615	106.3	44,106	1,296.5	36,207	1,064.3	12,951	380.7
613	18.0	3,189	93.5	3,624	106.3	49,244	1,444.5	38,488	1,129.0	12,335	361.8

[3] Offense totals based on all reporting agencies and estimates for unreported areas.

[4] Includes the District of Columbia.

Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
ALABAMA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,801,695										
Area actually reporting	86.8%	44,314	5,130	39,184	190	323	1,278	3,339	18,906	14,016	6,262
Estimated total	100.0%	47,485	5,514	41,971	216	356	1,347	3,601	20,291	15,114	6,566
Other cities	544,894										
Area actually reporting	59.7%	5,864	985	4,879	26	26	100	833	2,395	2,012	472
Estimated total	100.0%	9,829	1,652	8,177	44	44	168	1,396	4,014	3,372	791
Rural	1,098,176										
Area actually reporting	33.3%	2,308	1,065	1,303	56	79	72	804	658	532	113
Estimated total	100.0%	6,935	3,019	3,916	150	237	216	2,416	1,978	1,599	339
State total	3,444,165	64,249	10,185	54,064	404	637	1,731	7,413	26,283	20,085	7,696
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,865.4	295.7	1,569.7	11.7	18.5	50.3	215.2	763.1	583.2	223.5
ALASKA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	None										
Other cities	86,059										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,554	586	3,968	18	51	181	336	1,119	1,909	940
Rural	216,114										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,576	254	3,322	19	28	36	171	1,268	1,328	726
State total	302,173	8,130	840	7,290	37	79	217	507	2,387	3,237	1,666
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,690.5	278.0	2,412.5	12.2	26.1	71.8	167.8	789.9	1,071.2	551.3
ARIZONA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,320,154										
Area actually reporting	99.8%	51,693	5,558	46,135	144	402	1,967	3,045	22,828	15,294	8,013
Estimated total	100.0%	51,804	5,566	46,238	144	403	1,969	3,050	22,867	15,345	8,026
Other cities	174,705										
Area actually reporting	97.0%	5,167	611	4,556	6	36	128	441	1,936	2,162	458
Estimated total	100.0%	5,329	630	4,699	6	37	132	455	1,997	2,230	472
Rural	277,623										
Area actually reporting	55.9%	2,197	205	1,992	10	21	16	158	894	883	215
Estimated total	100.0%	3,933	368	3,565	18	38	29	283	1,600	1,580	385
State total	1,772,482	61,066	6,564	54,502	168	478	2,130	3,788	26,464	19,155	8,883
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,445.2	370.3	3,074.9	9.5	27.0	120.2	213.7	1,493.0	1,080.7	501.2
ARKANSAS											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	595,030										
Area actually reporting	93.9%	16,926	2,434	14,492	84	179	625	1,546	7,013	6,276	1,203
Estimated total	100.0%	17,510	2,555	14,955	88	191	651	1,625	7,254	6,457	1,244
Other cities	474,692										
Area actually reporting	66.0%	4,978	625	4,353	22	31	95	477	2,283	1,734	336
Estimated total	100.0%	7,542	947	6,595	33	47	144	723	3,459	2,627	509
Rural	853,573										
Area actually reporting	37.6%	2,181	292	1,889	28	34	31	199	927	833	129
Estimated total	100.0%	5,793	774	5,019	74	90	82	528	2,463	2,213	343
State total	1,923,295	30,845	4,276	26,569	195	328	877	2,876	13,176	11,297	2,096
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,603.8	222.3	1,381.4	10.1	17.1	45.6	149.5	685.1	587.4	109.0
CALIFORNIA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	18,500,066										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	816,642	92,111	724,531	1,301	6,752	40,616	43,442	330,867	260,055	133,609
Other cities	591,801										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	20,872	1,353	19,519	25	97	419	812	8,616	8,868	2,035
Rural	861,327										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	21,859	1,277	20,582	50	156	242	829	10,365	8,407	1,870
State total	19,953,134	859,373	94,741	764,632	1,376	7,005	41,277	45,083	349,788	277,330	137,514
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,307.0	474.8	3,832.1	6.9	35.1	206.9	225.9	1,753.0	1,389.9	689.2

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970—Continued*

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
COLORADO											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,681,739										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	69,612	6,893	62,719	117	696	2,766	3,314	26,780	23,908	12,031
Other cities	239,879										
Area actually reporting	93.7%	6,170	393	5,777	4	22	49	318	1,695	3,523	559
Estimated total	100.0%	6,584	418	6,166	4	23	52	339	1,809	3,760	597
Rural	385,641										
Area actually reporting	77.3%	3,684	435	3,149	12	59	24	340	1,462	1,409	278
Estimated total	100.0%	4,638	563	4,075	16	76	31	440	1,892	1,823	360
State total	2,207,259	80,834	7,874	72,960	137	795	2,849	4,093	30,481	29,491	12,988
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,662.2	356.7	3,305.5	6.2	36.0	129.1	185.4	1,380.9	1,336.1	588.4
CONNECTICUT											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,585,153										
Area actually reporting	97.3%	70,883	4,783	66,100	100	241	2,014	2,428	29,162	23,081	13,857
Estimated total	100.0%	72,158	4,833	67,325	100	245	2,028	2,460	29,703	23,694	14,028
Other cities	171,651										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,986	191	2,795	3	7	70	111	1,412	1,020	363
Rural	275,413										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,932	143	2,789	3	24	38	78	1,759	739	291
State total	3,032,217	78,076	5,167	72,909	106	276	2,136	2,649	32,874	25,353	14,682
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,574.9	170.4	2,404.5	3.5	9.1	70.4	87.4	1,084.2	836.1	484.2
DELAWARE											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	386,856										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	12,438	1,103	11,335	24	60	489	530	4,382	4,165	2,788
Other cities	42,867										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	996	149	847	3	7	40	99	354	395	98
Rural	119,381										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,453	151	1,302	11	25	30	85	630	573	99
State total	548,104	14,887	1,403	13,484	38	92	559	714	5,366	5,133	2,985
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,716.1	256.0	2,460.1	6.9	16.8	102.0	130.3	979.0	936.5	544.6
FLORIDA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	4,656,993										
Area actually reporting	99.2%	196,649	27,497	169,152	610	1,108	11,187	14,592	83,411	62,610	23,131
Estimated total	100.0%	198,007	27,641	170,366	613	1,113	11,241	14,674	83,961	63,117	23,288
Other cities	712,835										
Area actually reporting	94.0%	20,890	2,412	18,478	56	99	704	1,554	9,637	7,193	1,648
Estimated total	100.0%	22,213	2,664	19,649	58	105	749	1,652	10,248	7,649	1,752
Rural	1,419,615										
Area actually reporting	54.6%	15,607	2,336	13,271	122	188	417	1,609	7,634	4,417	1,220
Estimated total	100.0%	24,179	3,619	20,560	189	291	646	2,493	11,827	6,843	1,890
State total	6,789,443	244,399	33,824	210,575	860	1,509	12,636	18,819	106,036	77,609	26,930
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,599.7	498.2	3,101.5	12.7	22.2	186.1	277.2	1,561.8	1,143.1	396.6
GEORGIA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,280,230										
Area actually reporting	96.1%	70,903	7,843	63,060	426	481	3,602	3,334	29,581	22,304	11,175
Estimated total	100.0%	73,158	8,029	65,129	432	492	3,662	3,443	30,497	23,138	11,494
Other cities	671,679										
Area actually reporting	67.3%	8,583	1,227	7,356	46	35	191	955	3,130	3,346	880
Estimated total	100.0%	12,746	1,822	10,924	68	52	284	1,418	4,648	4,969	1,307
Rural	1,637,666										
Area actually reporting	33.2%	5,098	1,368	3,730	67	65	149	1,087	2,041	1,237	452
Estimated total	100.0%	15,375	4,125	11,250	202	196	449	3,278	6,156	3,731	1,363
State total	4,589,575	101,279	13,976	87,303	702	740	4,395	8,139	41,301	31,838	14,164
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,206.7	304.5	1,902.2	15.3	16.1	95.8	177.3	899.9	693.7	308.6

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
HAWAII											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	630,528										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	23,954	834	23,120	25	85	473	251	10,252	8,627	4,241
Other cities	54,380										
Area actually reporting	61.2%	692	31	661	1	3	7	20	317	254	90
Estimated total	100.0%	1,131	51	1,080	2	5	11	33	518	415	147
Rural	85,005										
Area actually reporting	70.5%	751	38	713	1	1	2	34	311	341	61
Estimated total	100.0%	1,063	53	1,010	1	1	3	48	441	483	86
State total	**769,913**	**26,148**	**938**	**25,210**	**28**	**91**	**487**	**332**	**11,211**	**9,525**	**4,474**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,396.2	121.8	3,274.4	3.6	11.8	63.3	43.1	1,456.1	1,237.2	581.1
IDAHO											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	112,230										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,534	255	2,279	6	26	39	184	861	1,142	276
Other cities	284,996										
Area actually reporting	99.0%	6,475	339	6,136	16	24	77	222	2,268	3,302	566
Estimated total	100.0%	6,541	342	6,199	16	24	78	224	2,291	3,336	572
Rural	315,782										
Area actually reporting	90.2%	3,294	254	3,040	10	34	26	184	1,489	1,389	162
Estimated total	100.0%	3,653	282	3,371	11	38	29	204	1,651	1,540	180
State total	**713,008**	**12,728**	**879**	**11,849**	**33**	**88**	**146**	**612**	**4,803**	**6,018**	**1,028**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,785.1	123.3	1,661.8	4.6	12.3	20.5	85.8	673.6	844.0	144.2
ILLINOIS											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	8,903,065										
Area actually reporting	96.9%	232,884	48,984	183,900	992	2,059	27,168	18,765	73,808	55,372	54,720
Estimated total	100.0%	237,945	49,523	188,422	1,001	2,092	27,340	19,090	75,625	57,301	55,496
Other cities	930,345										
Area actually reporting	81.5%	10,740	1,214	9,526	21	63	348	782	4,160	4,243	1,123
Estimated total	100.0%	13,177	1,489	11,688	26	77	427	959	5,104	5,206	1,378
Rural	1,280,566										
Area actually reporting	63.6%	6,197	633	5,564	25	64	90	454	2,761	2,372	431
Estimated total	100.0%	9,736	994	8,742	39	101	141	713	4,338	3,727	677
State total	**11,113,976**	**260,858**	**52,006**	**208,852**	**1,066**	**2,270**	**27,908**	**20,762**	**85,067**	**66,234**	**57,551**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,347.1	467.9	1,879.2	9.6	20.4	251.1	186.8	765.4	596.0	517.8
INDIANA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	3,213,598										
Area actually reporting	97.3%	92,172	9,832	82,340	207	767	5,110	3,748	33,799	29,078	19,463
Estimated total	100.0%	93,895	9,937	83,958	208	776	5,149	3,804	34,411	29,783	19,764
Other cities	775,982										
Area actually reporting	91.2%	12,931	994	11,937	15	68	287	624	4,518	5,911	1,508
Estimated total	100.0%	14,184	1,090	13,094	16	75	315	684	4,956	6,484	1,654
Rural	1,204,089										
Area actually reporting	98.4%	9,681	676	9,005	26	78	118	454	5,210	2,954	841
Estimated total	100.0%	9,844	687	9,157	26	79	120	462	5,297	3,003	857
State total	**5,193,669**	**117,923**	**11,714**	**106,209**	**250**	**930**	**5,584**	**4,950**	**14,664**	**39,270**	**22,275**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,270.5	225.5	2,045.0	4.8	17.9	107.5	95.3	860.0	756.1	428.9
IOWA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,005,569										
Area actually reporting	97.8%	21,766	1,488	20,278	37	101	696	654	6,882	9,744	3,652
Estimated total	100.0%	22,228	1,509	20,719	38	103	702	666	7,009	9,992	3,718
Other cities	736,317										
Area actually reporting	85.1%	9,035	415	8,620	4	39	57	315	3,216	4,649	755
Estimated total	100.0%	10,617	488	10,129	5	46	67	370	3,779	5,463	887
Rural	1,083,155										
Area actually reporting	79.7%	6,138	195	5,943	9	21	28	137	2,823	2,849	271
Estimated total	100.0%	7,703	244	7,459	11	26	35	172	3,543	3,576	340
State total	**2,825,041**	**40,548**	**2,241**	**38,307**	**54**	**175**	**804**	**1,208**	**14,331**	**19,031**	**4,945**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,435.3	79.3	1,356.0	1.9	6.2	28.5	42.8	507.3	673.7	175.0

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent[1] crime	Property[2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
KANSAS											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	951,592										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	30,245	3,186	27,059	52	226	1,319	1,589	12,489	10,106	4,464
Other cities	619,252										
Area actually reporting	99.6%	11,848	901	10,947	30	47	269	555	4,672	5,305	970
Estimated total	100.0%	11,898	904	10,994	30	47	270	557	4,692	5,328	974
Rural	678,227										
Area actually reporting	94.3%	5,725	444	5,281	24	49	94	277	2,497	2,469	315
Estimated total	100.0%	6,072	471	5,601	25	52	100	294	2,648	2,619	334
State total	**2,249,071**	**48,215**	**4,561**	**43,654**	**107**	**325**	**1,689**	**2,440**	**19,829**	**18,053**	**5,772**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,143.8	202.8	1,941.0	4.8	14.5	75.1	108.5	881.7	802.7	256.6
KENTUCKY											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,288,084										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	43,382	4,178	39,204	169	246	1,982	1,781	14,495	15,423	9,286
Other cities	584,885										
Area actually reporting	99.7%	8,338	1,273	7,065	45	51	155	1,022	3,385	2,847	833
Estimated total	100.0%	8,360	1,276	7,084	45	51	155	1,025	3,394	2,855	835
Rural	1,346,342										
Area actually reporting	98.9%	10,105	1,684	8,421	141	142	205	1,196	4,722	2,681	1,018
Estimated total	100.0%	10,215	1,703	8,512	143	144	207	1,209	4,773	2,710	1,029
State total	**3,219,311**	**61,957**	**7,157**	**54,800**	**357**	**441**	**2,344**	**4,015**	**22,662**	**20,988**	**11,150**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,924.5	222.3	1,702.2	11.1	13.7	72.8	124.7	703.9	651.9	346.3
LOUISIANA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,998,071										
Area actually reporting	97.4%	70,647	11,406	59,241	227	613	4,719	5,847	26,149	20,277	12,815
Estimated total	100.0%	71,780	11,569	60,211	231	626	4,751	5,961	26,615	20,637	12,959
Other cities	448,768										
Area actually reporting	78.9%	5,036	811	4,225	26	20	136	629	2,081	1,754	390
Estimated total	100.0%	6,383	1,027	5,356	33	25	172	797	2,638	2,224	494
Rural	1,196,341										
Area actually reporting	49.5%	4,675	1,221	3,454	80	94	103	944	1,571	1,604	279
Estimated total	100.0%	9,443	2,467	6,976	162	190	208	1,907	3,173	3,240	563
State total	**3,643,180**	**87,606**	**15,063**	**72,543**	**426**	**841**	**5,131**	**8,665**	**32,426**	**26,101**	**14,016**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,404.7	413.5	1,991.2	11.7	23.1	140.8	237.8	890.0	716.4	384.7
MAINE											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	283,807										
Area actually reporting	97.1%	4,103	293	3,810	3	27	67	196	1,844	1,320	646
Estimated total	100.0%	4,185	297	3,888	3	27	68	199	1,879	1,353	656
Other cities	398,999										
Area actually reporting	88.3%	3,968	253	3,715	4	22	35	192	1,883	1,317	515
Estimated total	100.0%	4,495	287	4,208	5	25	40	217	2,133	1,492	583
Rural	310,857										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,664	239	2,425	7	18	17	197	1,576	636	213
State total	**993,663**	**11,344**	**823**	**10,521**	**15**	**70**	**125**	**613**	**5,588**	**3,481**	**1,452**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,141.6	82.8	1,058.8	1.5	7.0	12.6	61.7	562.4	350.3	146.1
MARYLAND											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	3,307,337										
Area actually reporting	99.8%	123,592	23,829	99,763	333	890	13,088	9,518	38,160	40,873	20,730
Estimated total	100.0%	123,814	23,852	99,962	333	891	13,096	9,532	38,212	40,985	20,765
Other cities	146,262										
Area actually reporting	98.4%	2,304	278	2,116	6	8	85	179	920	955	241
Estimated total	100.0%	2,433	282	2,151	6	8	86	182	935	971	245
Rural	468,800										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	5,036	378	4,658	23	37	98	220	2,087	2,103	468
State total	**3,922,399**	**131,283**	**24,512**	**106,771**	**362**	**936**	**13,280**	**9,934**	**41,234**	**44,059**	**21,478**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,347.0	624.9	2,722.1	9.2	23.9	338.6	253.3	1,051.2	1,123.3	547.6

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
MASSACHUSETTS											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	5,523,413										
Area actually reporting	94.3%	159,560	11,055	148,505	191	646	5,515	4,703	59,480	41,295	47,730
Estimated total	100.0%	166,867	11,390	155,477	195	668	5,634	4,893	62,464	43,551	49,462
Other cities	117,997										
Area actually reporting	91.3%	3,353	110	3,243	1	9	17	83	1,715	1,138	390
Estimated total	100.0%	3,672	121	3,551	1	10	19	91	1,878	1,246	427
Rural	47,760										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	361	31	330	1	6	5	19	181	83	66
State total	**5,689,170**	**170,900**	**11,542**	**159,358**	**197**	**684**	**5,658**	**5,003**	**64,523**	**44,880**	**49,955**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,004.0	202.9	2,801.1	3.5	12.0	99.5	87.9	1,134.1	788.9	878.1
MICHIGAN											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	6,806,151										
Area actually reporting	95.6%	282,872	46,276	236,596	730	1,746	29,858	13,942	112,862	86,350	37,384
Estimated total	100.0%	291,906	47,217	244,689	739	1,788	30,274	14,416	116,177	90,061	38,451
Other cities	957,837										
Area actually reporting	83.9%	16,796	1,550	15,246	19	100	482	949	7,487	6,356	1,403
Estimated total	100.0%	20,013	1,847	18,166	23	119	574	1,131	8,921	7,573	1,672
Rural	1,111,095										
Area actually reporting	94.7%	12,148	836	11,312	24	121	69	622	7,056	3,676	580
Estimated total	100.0%	12,823	883	11,940	25	128	73	657	7,448	3,880	612
State total	**8,875,083**	**324,742**	**49,947**	**274,795**	**787**	**2,035**	**30,921**	**16,204**	**132,546**	**101,514**	**40,735**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,659.0	562.8	3,096.3	8.9	22.9	348.4	182.6	1,493.5	1,143.8	459.0
MINNESOTA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,165,029										
Area actually reporting	99.6%	63,982	5,350	58,632	51	326	3,299	1,674	23,792	22,962	11,878
Estimated total	100.0%	64,152	5,355	58,797	51	327	3,301	1,676	23,841	23,056	11,900
Other cities	523,660										
Area actually reporting	97.4%	7,223	183	7,040	6	11	47	119	2,468	3,818	754
Estimated total	100.0%	7,413	187	7,226	6	11	48	122	2,533	3,919	774
Rural	1,116,380										
Area actually reporting	94.8%	8,026	227	7,799	17	29	38	143	3,917	3,428	454
Estimated total	100.0%	8,469	240	8,229	18	31	40	151	4,133	3,617	479
State total	**3,805,069**	**80,034**	**5,782**	**74,252**	**75**	**369**	**3,389**	**1,949**	**30,507**	**30,592**	**13,155**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,103.4	152.0	1,951.4	2.0	9.7	89.1	51.2	801.7	804.0	345.7
MISSISSIPPI											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	393,488										
Area actually reporting	76.4%	5,065	463	4,602	43	22	121	277	2,352	1,619	631
Estimated total	100.0%	5,421	634	4,787	55	39	144	396	2,464	1,650	673
Other cities	614,344										
Area actually reporting	79.5%	8,132	1,603	6,529	57	68	138	1,340	3,321	2,610	598
Estimated total	100.0%	10,225	2,015	8,210	72	85	173	1,685	4,176	3,282	752
Rural	1,209,080										
Area actually reporting	32.7%	1,142	433	709	42	24	34	333	374	233	102
Estimated total	100.0%	3,495	1,325	2,170	128	74	104	1,019	1,145	713	312
State total	**2,216,912**	**19,141**	**3,974**	**15,167**	**255**	**198**	**421**	**3,100**	**7,785**	**5,645**	**1,737**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		863.4	179.3	684.1	11.5	8.9	19.0	139.8	351.2	254.6	78.4
MISSOURI											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,997,393										
Area actually reporting	97.2%	112,118	17,399	94,719	439	1,163	9,113	6,684	45,259	25,497	23,963
Estimated total	100.0%	113,671	17,514	96,157	441	1,174	9,145	6,754	45,916	26,046	24,195
Other cities	496,769										
Area actually reporting	85.2%	6,353	452	5,901	12	17	114	309	2,624	2,790	487
Estimated total	100.0%	7,455	531	6,924	14	20	134	363	3,079	3,274	571
Rural	1,183,237										
Area actually reporting	55.2%	4,525	519	4,006	24	49	63	383	2,311	1,480	215
Estimated total	100.0%	8,203	941	7,262	44	89	114	694	4,189	2,683	390
State total	**1,677,399**	**129,329**	**18,986**	**110,343**	**499**	**1,283**	**9,393**	**7,811**	**53,184**	**32,003**	**25,156**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,765.0	405.9	2,359.1	10.7	27.4	200.8	167.0	1,137.0	684.2	537.8

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
MONTANA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	169,171										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,442	279	4,163	4	22	85	168	1,629	1,859	675
Other cities	202,343										
Area actually reporting	94.9%	3,466	164	3,302	7	10	35	112	1,076	1,730	496
Estimated total	100.0%	3,654	173	3,481	7	11	37	118	1,134	1,824	523
Rural	322,895										
Area actually reporting	87.7%	2,869	283	2,586	10	35	29	209	1,193	1,093	300
Estimated total	100.0%	3,270	322	2,948	11	40	33	238	1,360	1,246	342
State total	694,409	11,366	774	10,592	22	73	155	524	4,123	4,929	1,540
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,636.8	111.5	1,525.3	3.2	10.5	22.3	75.5	593.7	709.8	221.8
NEBRASKA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	635,571										
Area actually reporting	97.9%	15,913	2,378	13,535	35	97	809	1,437	4,931	4,863	3,741
Estimated total	100.0%	16,042	2,384	13,658	35	97	810	1,442	4,979	4,923	3,756
Other cities	316,440										
Area actually reporting	94.3%	3,298	173	3,125	5	23	23	122	1,175	1,589	361
Estimated total	100.0%	3,496	182	3,314	5	24	24	129	1,246	1,685	383
Rural	531,780										
Area actually reporting	68.7%	2,045	114	1,931	3	12	11	88	867	932	132
Estimated total	100.0%	2,974	165	2,809	4	17	16	128	1,261	1,356	192
State total	1,483,791	22,512	2,731	19,781	44	138	850	1,699	7,486	7,964	4,331
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,517.2	184.1	1,333.1	3.0	9.3	57.3	114.5	504.5	536.7	291.9
NEVADA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	394,356										
Area actually reporting	93.9%	16,115	1,557	14,558	32	81	806	638	6,992	4,815	2,751
Estimated total	100.0%	17,416	1,675	15,741	34	88	863	690	7,498	5,296	2,947
Other cities	37,189										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	681	63	618	2	.....	12	49	212	314	92
Rural	57,193										
Area actually reporting	89.4%	1,281	187	1,094	6	7	41	133	363	561	170
Estimated total	100.0%	1,434	210	1,224	7	8	46	149	406	628	190
State total	488,738	19,531	1,948	17,583	43	96	921	888	8,116	6,238	3,229
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,996.2	398.6	3,597.6	8.8	19.6	188.4	181.7	1,660.6	1,276.3	660.7
NEW HAMPSHIRE											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	223,941										
Area actually reporting	95.2%	2,207	122	2,085	7	6	35	74	916	788	381
Estimated total	100.0%	2,309	129	2,180	8	6	36	79	958	817	405
Other cities	308,990										
Area actually reporting	92.9%	4,363	196	4,167	1	19	41	135	1,897	1,701	569
Estimated total	100.0%	4,694	210	4,484	1	20	44	146	2,041	1,831	612
Rural	204,750										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,795	74	1,721	6	18	9	41	1,173	296	252
State total	737,681	8,798	413	8,385	15	44	89	265	4,172	2,944	1,269
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,192.7	56.0	1,136.7	2.0	6.0	12.1	35.9	565.6	399.1	172.0
NEW JERSEY											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	5,611,330										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	159,656	18,170	141,486	364	760	10,977	6,069	59,979	46,458	35,049
Other cities	1,496,566										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	33,837	2,268	31,569	37	143	1,119	969	12,961	13,983	4,625
Rural	160,268										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,216	146	3,071	11	24	49	61	1,709	1,079	283
State total	7,168,164	196,709	20,583	176,126	412	927	12,146	7,099	74,649	61,620	39,957
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,744.2	287.1	2,457.1	5.7	12.9	169.4	99.0	1,041.4	858.2	557.4

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
NEW MEXICO											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	315,774										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	15,300	1,622	13,678	23	124	465	1,010	6,257	5,222	2,199
Other cities	385,017										
Area actually reporting	96.2%	10,597	908	9,689	23	48	165	672	4,262	4,468	959
Estimated total	100.0%	11,020	945	10,075	24	50	172	699	4,432	4,646	997
Rural	315,209										
Area actually reporting	98.3%	2,746	400	2,346	47	45	34	274	894	678	774
Estimated total	100.0%	2,793	408	2,385	48	46	35	279	909	689	787
State total	**1,016,000**	**29,113**	**2,975**	**26,138**	**95**	**220**	**672**	**1,988**	**11,598**	**10,557**	**3,983**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,866.5	292.8	2,672.6	9.4	21.7	66.1	195.7	1,141.5	1,039.1	392.0
NEW YORK											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	15,726,064										
Area actually reporting	99.2%	680,259	120,479	559,780	1,361	2,685	80,133	36,309	241,070	197,613	121,097
Estimated total	100.0%	682,690	120,650	562,040	1,364	2,691	80,213	36,382	241,921	198,664	121,455
Other cities	950,184										
Area actually reporting	93.3%	13,396	1,243	12,153	20	37	263	923	5,305	5,567	1,281
Estimated total	100.0%	14,357	1,332	13,025	21	40	282	989	5,686	5,966	1,373
Rural	1,514,492										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	16,406	994	15,412	54	92	146	702	9,655	4,493	1,264
State total	**18,190,740**	**713,453**	**122,976**	**590,477**	**1,439**	**2,823**	**80,641**	**38,073**	**257,262**	**209,123**	**124,092**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,922.1	676.0	3,246.0	7.9	15.5	443.3	209.3	1,414.2	1,149.6	682.2
NORTH CAROLINA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,896,423										
Area actually reporting	90.0%	51,327	8,415	42,912	250	268	1,693	6,204	20,057	18,354	4,501
Estimated total	100.0%	54,143	8,771	45,372	266	289	1,758	6,458	21,343	19,359	4,670
Other cities	862,148										
Area actually reporting	85.0%	16,867	3,592	13,275	85	103	348	3,056	5,577	6,122	1,576
Estimated total	100.0%	19,842	4,225	15,617	100	121	409	3,595	6,561	7,202	1,854
Rural	2,323,488										
Area actually reporting	41.2%	8,501	2,238	6,263	82	95	138	1,923	3,344	2,453	466
Estimated total	100.0%	20,611	5,427	15,184	199	230	335	4,663	8,107	5,948	1,129
State total	**5,082,059**	**94,596**	**18,423**	**76,173**	**565**	**640**	**2,502**	**14,716**	**36,011**	**32,509**	**7,653**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,861.4	362.5	1,498.9	11.1	12.6	49.2	289.6	708.6	639.7	150.6
NORTH DAKOTA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	73,653										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,041	31	1,010	2	6	9	14	240	652	118
Other cities	189,756										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,583	63	2,520	.....	11	15	37	773	1,435	312
Rural	354,352										
Area actually reporting	81.8%	1,311	96	1,215	1	17	13	65	618	489	108
Estimated total	100.0%	1,603	117	1,486	1	21	16	79	756	598	132
State total	**617,761**	**5,227**	**211**	**5,016**	**3**	**38**	**40**	**130**	**1,769**	**2,685**	**562**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		846.1	34.2	812.0	.5	6.2	6.5	21.0	286.4	434.6	91.0
OHIO											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	8,272,512										
Area actually reporting	96.0%	219,811	27,152	192,659	656	1,554	14,974	9,968	76,265	67,005	49,389
Estimated total	100.0%	224,535	27,546	196,989	664	1,582	15,096	10,204	78,075	68,773	50,141
Other cities	987,718										
Area actually reporting	89.6%	13,876	1,513	12,363	13	59	299	1,142	5,602	5,319	1,442
Estimated total	100.0%	15,480	1,689	13,791	15	66	334	1,274	6,249	5,933	1,609
Rural	1,391,787										
Area actually reporting	69.8%	9,169	728	8,441	14	36	76	602	4,625	3,301	515
Estimated total	100.0%	13,143	1,044	12,099	20	52	109	863	6,629	4,732	738
State total	**10,652,017**	**253,158**	**30,279**	**222,879**	**699**	**1,700**	**15,539**	**12,341**	**90,953**	**79,438**	**52,488**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,376.6	284.3	2,092.4	6.6	16.0	145.9	115.9	853.9	745.8	492.8

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
OKLAHOMA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,280,531										
Area actually reporting	99.8%	34,632	3,473	31,159	94	292	1,154	1,933	14,533	10,976	5,650
Estimated total	100.0%	34,686	3,477	31,209	94	292	1,155	1,936	14,553	11,001	5,655
Other cities	566,885										
Area actually reporting	87.7%	7,940	655	7,285	14	29	98	514	2,875	3,620	790
Estimated total	100.0%	9,053	747	8,306	16	33	112	586	3,278	4,127	901
Rural	711,837										
Area actually reporting	63.1%	3,906	528	3,378	26	47	70	385	1,560	1,507	311
Estimated total	100.0%	6,190	837	5,353	41	75	111	610	2,472	2,388	493
State total	**2,559,253**	**49,929**	**5,061**	**44,868**	**151**	**400**	**1,378**	**3,132**	**20,303**	**17,516**	**7,049**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,950.9	197.8	1,753.2	5.9	15.6	53.8	122.4	793.3	684.4	275.4
OREGON											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,280,691										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	48,424	4,189	44,235	63	288	1,993	1,845	20,758	17,714	5,763
Other cities	346,952										
Area actually reporting	99.5%	7,903	556	7,347	10	38	80	428	3,109	3,476	762
Estimated total	100.0%	7,941	558	7,383	10	38	80	430	3,124	3,493	766
Rural	463,742										
Area actually reporting	99.6%	6,087	624	5,463	24	51	71	478	2,739	2,294	430
Estimated total	100.0%	6,111	626	5,485	24	51	71	480	2,750	2,303	432
State total	**2,091,385**	**62,476**	**5,373**	**57,103**	**97**	**377**	**2,144**	**2,755**	**26,632**	**23,510**	**6,961**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,987.3	256.9	2,730.4	4.6	18.0	102.5	131.7	1,273.4	1,124.1	332.8
PENNSYLVANIA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	9,365,552										
Area actually reporting	93.4%	150,377	22,803	127,574	567	1,141	11,833	9,262	55,171	36,200	36,203
Estimated total	100.0%	159,074	23,535	135,539	578	1,182	12,115	9,660	58,477	39,137	37,925
Other cities	923,401										
Area actually reporting	87.6%	9,094	641	8,453	16	26	179	420	3,591	3,675	1,187
Estimated total	100.0%	10,386	732	9,654	18	30	204	480	4,101	4,197	1,356
Rural	1,504,956										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	12,321	765	11,556	33	122	180	430	7,508	3,222	826
State total	**11,793,909**	**181,781**	**25,032**	**156,749**	**629**	**1,334**	**12,499**	**10,570**	**70,086**	**46,556**	**40,107**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,541.3	212.2	1,329.1	5.3	11.3	106.0	89.6	594.3	394.7	340.1
RHODE ISLAND											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	769,789										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	23,342	1,610	21,732	28	30	644	908	8,004	6,093	7,635
Other cities	176,200										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,195	311	3,884	2	1	99	209	1,556	1,841	487
Rural	3,734										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	250	23	227		3	1	19	117	74	36
State total	**949,723**	**27,787**	**1,944**	**25,843**	**30**	**34**	**744**	**1,136**	**9,677**	**8,008**	**8,158**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,925.8	204.7	2,721.1	3.2	3.6	78.3	119.6	1,018.9	843.2	859.0
SOUTH CAROLINA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,017,254										
Area actually reporting	97.6%	28,948	3,713	25,235	143	228	1,125	2,217	12,390	8,713	4,132
Estimated total	100.0%	29,490	3,770	25,720	145	229	1,140	2,256	12,611	8,932	4,177
Other cities	445,589										
Area actually reporting	78.3%	8,842	1,276	7,566	44	71	173	988	3,659	3,037	870
Estimated total	100.0%	11,294	1,630	9,664	56	91	221	1,262	4,674	3,879	1,111
Rural	1,127,673										
Area actually reporting	51.6%	6,578	1,025	5,553	91	64	100	770	3,187	1,800	566
Estimated total	100.0%	12,756	1,987	10,769	176	124	194	1,493	6,181	3,491	1,097
State total	**2,590,516**	**53,540**	**7,387**	**46,153**	**377**	**444**	**1,555**	**5,011**	**23,466**	**16,302**	**6,385**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,066.8	285.2	1,781.6	14.6	17.1	60.0	193.4	905.8	629.3	246.5

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
SOUTH DAKOTA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	95,209										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,312	90	1,222	5	28	23	34	486	596	140
Other cities	210,622										
Area actually reporting	94.0%	3,244	208	3,036	3	16	54	135	1,221	1,535	280
Estimated total	100.0%	3,453	221	3,232	3	17	57	144	1,300	1,634	298
Rural	360,426										
Area actually reporting	58.7%	1,709	179	1,530	10	17	20	132	795	626	109
Estimated total	100.0%	2,911	305	2,606	17	29	34	225	1,354	1,066	186
State total	**666,257**	**7,676**	**616**	**7,060**	**25**	**74**	**114**	**403**	**3,140**	**3,296**	**624**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,152.1	92.5	1,059.7	3.8	11.1	17.1	60.5	471.3	494.7	93.7
TENNESSEE											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	1,917,569										
Area actually reporting	96.2%	56,383	7,665	48,718	223	400	2,721	4,321	24,114	15,129	9,475
Estimated total	100.0%	57,326	7,766	49,560	227	410	2,735	4,394	24,602	15,356	9,602
Other cities	592,403										
Area actually reporting	64.7%	5,031	666	4,365	24	28	121	493	2,089	1,736	540
Estimated total	100.0%	7,780	1,029	6,751	37	43	187	762	3,231	2,685	835
Rural	1,414,192										
Area actually reporting	23.4%	2,101	465	1,636	19	36	69	341	893	529	214
Estimated total	100.0%	8,995	1,992	7,003	82	154	296	1,460	3,823	2,264	916
State total	**3,924,164**	**74,101**	**10,787**	**63,314**	**346**	**607**	**3,218**	**6,616**	**31,656**	**20,305**	**11,353**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,888.3	274.9	1,613.4	8.8	15.5	82.0	168.6	806.7	517.4	289.3
TEXAS											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	8,234,458										
Area actually reporting	91.8%	258,024	34,805	223,219	1,033	1,922	14,244	17,606	109,333	72,807	41,079
Estimated total	100.0%	267,993	35,914	232,079	1,077	2,031	14,442	18,364	113,642	76,663	41,774
Other cities	1,246,338										
Area actually reporting	85.9%	16,236	1,642	14,594	57	94	236	1,255	7,184	6,141	1,269
Estimated total	100.0%	18,910	1,913	16,997	66	110	275	1,462	8,367	7,152	1,478
Rural	1,715,934										
Area actually reporting	54.5%	8,756	1,443	7,313	82	115	165	1,081	3,764	3,058	491
Estimated total	100.0%	16,058	2,646	13,412	151	211	302	1,982	6,903	5,608	901
State total	**11,196,730**	**302,961**	**40,473**	**262,488**	**1,294**	**2,352**	**15,019**	**21,808**	**128,912**	**89,423**	**44,153**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,705.8	361.5	2,344.3	11.6	21.0	134.1	194.8	1,151.3	798.7	394.3
UTAH											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	821,689										
Area actually reporting	98.4%	22,525	1,333	21,192	28	105	541	659	8,579	9,464	3,149
Estimated total	100.0%	22,778	1,351	21,427	29	106	544	672	8,670	9,577	3,180
Other cities	75,956										
Area actually reporting	39.7%	365	12	353	.....	.....	1	11	137	177	39
Estimated total	100.0%	920	31	889	.....	.....	3	28	345	446	98
Rural	161,628										
Area actually reporting	69.0%	991	53	938	5	6	11	31	467	421	50
Estimated total	100.0%	1,436	77	1,359	7	9	16	45	677	610	72
State total	**1,059,273**	**25,134**	**1,459**	**23,675**	**36**	**115**	**563**	**745**	**9,692**	**10,633**	**3,350**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,372.8	137.7	2,235.0	3.4	10.9	53.1	70.3	915.0	1,003.8	316.3
VERMONT											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	None										
Other cities	209,214										
Area actually reporting	79.6%	2,425	197	2,228	3	13	17	164	1,083	801	344
Estimated total	100.0%	3,045	247	2,798	4	16	21	206	1,360	1,006	432
Rural	235,518										
Area actually reporting	97.7%	2,539	80	2,459	2	29	13	36	1,846	497	116
Estimated total	100.0%	2,599	82	2,517	2	30	13	37	1,889	509	119
State total	**444,732**	**5,644**	**329**	**5,315**	**6**	**46**	**34**	**243**	**3,249**	**1,515**	**551**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,269.1	74.0	1,195.1	1.3	10.3	7.6	54.6	730.6	340.7	123.9

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Table 4.—*Index of Crime by State, 1970*—Continued

Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
VIRGINIA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,846,034										
Area actually reporting	97.6%	85,061	9,630	75,431	263	572	3,927	4,868	31,852	31,596	11,983
Estimated total	100.0%	86,859	9,814	77,045	267	584	3,996	4,967	32,442	32,357	12,246
Other cities	406,388										
Area actually reporting	95.8%	6,096	1,027	5,069	31	36	156	804	2,125	2,340	604
Estimated total	100.0%	6,365	1,072	5,293	32	38	163	839	2,219	2,443	631
Rural	1,396,072										
Area actually reporting	99.5%	6,642	1,146	5,496	91	94	116	845	2,772	1,782	942
Estimated total	100.0%	6,680	1,154	5,526	92	95	117	850	2,787	1,792	947
State total	**4,648,494**	**99,904**	**12,040**	**87,864**	**391**	**717**	**4,276**	**6,656**	**37,448**	**36,592**	**13,824**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,149.2	259.0	1,890.2	8.4	15.4	92.0	143.2	805.6	787.2	297.4
WASHINGTON											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,248,837										
Area actually reporting	99.7%	80,246	5,859	74,387	90	473	2,855	2,441	37,651	26,453	10,283
Estimated total	100.0%	80,458	5,870	74,588	90	474	2,858	2,448	37,749	26,532	10,307
Other cities	516,543										
Area actually reporting	94.4%	14,240	941	13,299	11	57	224	649	5,207	6,832	1,260
Estimated total	100.0%	15,092	997	14,095	12	60	237	688	5,519	7,241	1,335
Rural	643,789										
Area actually reporting	92.3%	11,129	627	10,502	17	73	87	450	5,513	4,350	639
Estimated total	100.0%	12,063	679	11,384	18	79	94	488	5,976	4,715	693
State total	**3,409,169**	**107,613**	**7,546**	**100,067**	**120**	**613**	**3,189**	**3,624**	**49,244**	**38,488**	**12,335**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,156.6	221.3	2,935.2	3.5	18.0	93.5	106.3	1,444.5	1,129.0	361.8
WEST VIRGINIA											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	545,243										
Area actually reporting	93.8%	9,195	1,064	8,131	28	48	364	624	3,540	3,653	938
Estimated total	100.0%	9,959	1,096	8,863	29	48	366	653	3,991	3,907	965
Other cities	325,385										
Area actually reporting	48.6%	1,395	141	1,254	11	7	17	106	505	643	106
Estimated total	100.0%	2,870	290	2,580	23	14	35	218	1,039	1,323	218
Rural	873,609										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,893	772	3,121	57	54	75	586	1,747	945	429
State total	**1,744,237**	**16,722**	**2,158**	**14,564**	**109**	**116**	**476**	**1,457**	**6,777**	**6,175**	**1,612**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		958.7	123.7	835.0	6.2	6.7	27.3	83.6	388.5	354.0	92.4
WISCONSIN											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	2,543,177										
Area actually reporting	99.0%	48,385	3,086	45,299	70	199	1,303	1,514	15,092	22,076	8,131
Estimated total	100.0%	48,706	3,103	45,603	70	200	1,306	1,527	15,229	22,211	8,163
Other cities	722,410										
Area actually reporting	97.5%	8,443	329	8,114	6	27	95	201	3,079	4,175	860
Estimated total	100.0%	8,662	337	8,325	6	28	97	206	3,159	4,284	882
Rural	1,152,346										
Area actually reporting	86.1%	8,212	303	7,909	10	59	51	183	4,652	2,767	490
Estimated total	100.0%	9,539	352	9,187	12	68	59	213	5,404	3,214	569
State total	**4,417,933**	**66,907**	**3,792**	**63,115**	**88**	**296**	**1,462**	**1,946**	**23,792**	**29,709**	**9,614**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,514.4	85.8	1,428.6	2.0	6.7	33.1	44.0	538.5	672.5	217.6
WYOMING											
Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	None										
Other cities	190,207										
Area actually reporting	94.6%	3,663	171	3,492	10	20	48	93	1,424	1,712	356
Estimated total	100.0%	3,871	181	3,690	11	21	51	98	1,505	1,809	376
Rural	142,119										
Area actually reporting	86.6%	1,672	169	1,503	7	17	19	126	556	799	148
Estimated total	100.0%	1,930	195	1,735	8	20	22	145	642	922	171
State total	**332,416**	**5,801**	**376**	**5,425**	**19**	**41**	**73**	**243**	**2,147**	**2,731**	**547**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,745.1	113.1	1,632.0	5.7	12.3	22.0	73.1	645.9	821.6	164.6

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over, and auto theft.

For standard metropolitan statistical areas in this table the percentage actually reporting may not coincide with the ratio between reported and estimated crime totals since these data represent the sum of such calculations for individual areas varying in size, portions reporting, and crime rates.

Population is 1970 census.

Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Abilene, Tex.	**113,959**										
(Includes Taylor and Jones Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,084	141	1,943	13	12	50	66	893	895	155
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,828.7	123.7	1,705.0	11.4	10.5	43.9	57.9	783.6	785.4	136.0
Akron, Ohio	**679,239**										
(Includes Summit and Portage Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	99.7%	20,025	1,982	18,043	37	172	839	934	6,513	7,324	4,206
Estimated total	100.0%	20,068	1,982	18,086	37	172	839	934	6,527	7,345	4,214
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,954.5	291.8	2,662.7	5.4	25.3	123.5	137.5	960.9	1,081.4	620.4
Albany-Schenectady-Troy, N.Y	**720,786**										
(Includes Albany, Rensselaer, Saratoga and Schenectady Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	10,626	822	9,804	20	44	389	369	4,665	3,069	2,070
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,474.2	114.0	1,360.2	2.8	6.1	54.0	51.2	647.2	425.8	287.2
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	**315,774**										
(Includes Bernalillo County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	15,300	1,622	13,678	23	124	465	1,010	6,257	5,222	2,199
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,845.2	513.7	4,331.6	7.3	39.3	147.3	319.8	1,981.5	1,653.7	696.4
Allentown-Bethlehem-Easton, Pa.-N.J	**543,551**										
(Includes Lehigh and Northampton Counties, Pa. and Warren County, N.J.)											
Area actually reporting	96.3%	7,168	515	6,653	13	27	158	317	2,723	3,162	768
Estimated total	100.0%	7,449	538	6,911	13	28	167	330	2,830	3,257	824
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,370.4	99.0	1,271.5	2.4	5.2	30.7	60.7	520.7	599.2	151.6
Altoona, Pa.	**135,356**										
(Includes Blair County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,250	102	1,148	6	10	24	62	677	301	170
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		923.5	75.4	848.1	4.4	7.4	17.7	45.8	500.2	222.4	125.6
Amarillo, Tex.	**144,396**										
(Includes Potter and Randall Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,330	329	4,001	17	17	111	184	1,825	1,723	453
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,998.7	227.8	2,770.9	11.8	11.8	76.9	127.4	1,263.9	1,193.2	313.7
Anaheim-Santa Ana-Garden Grove, Calif.	**1,420,386**										
(Includes Orange County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	50,942	3,142	47,800	38	311	1,333	1,460	22,828	19,621	5,351
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,586.6	221.2	3,365.3	2.7	21.9	93.8	102.8	1,607.2	1,381.4	376.7
Anderson, Ind.	**138,451**										
(Includes Madison County.)											
Area actually reporting	91.9%	1,669	162	1,507	4	15	44	99	895	428	184
Estimated total	100.0%	1,891	175	1,716	4	16	49	106	974	619	223
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,365.8	126.4	1,239.4	2.9	11.6	35.4	76.6	703.6	374.9	161.1
Ann Arbor, Mich.	**234,103**										
(Includes Washtenaw County.)											
Area actually reporting	99.3%	9,213	728	8,485	5	37	345	341	4,612	3,049	924
Estimated total	100.0%	9,264	733	8,531	5	37	347	344	4,531	3,070	930
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,957.2	313.1	3,644.1	2.1	15.8	148.2	146.9	1,935.5	1,311.4	397.3
Appleton-Oshkosh, Wis.	**276,894**										
(Includes Calumet, Outagamie and Winnebago Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,318	108	3,210		9	27	72	1,585	1,301	324
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,198.3	39.0	1,159.3		3.3	9.8	26.0	572.4	469.9	117.0
Atlanta, Ga.	**1,390,164**										
(Includes Clayton, Cobb, De Kalb, Fulton and Gwinnett Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	97.3%	48,522	5,346	43,176	281	297	2,670	2,098	20,166	15,238	7,772
Estimated total	100.0%	49,594	5,446	44,148	284	301	2,700	2,161	20,677	16,638	7,933
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,567.5	391.8	3,175.7	20.4	21.7	194.2	155.4	1,480.2	1,124.9	570.7
Atlantic City, N.J.	**175,043**										
(Includes Atlantic County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,396	630	7,766	9	38	414	169	3,224	3,276	1,266
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,796.5	359.9	4,436.6	5.1	21.7	236.5	96.5	1,841.8	1,871.5	723.3
Augusta, Ga.-S.C.	**253,460**										
(Includes Richmond County, Ga. and Aiken County, S.C.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	5,201	847	4,354	56	47	222	522	2,315	1,377	662
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,052.0	334.2	1,717.8	22.1	18.5	87.6	205.9	913.4	543.3	201.2

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Austin, Tex.	**295,516**										
(Includes Travis County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,222	1,483	6,739	24	91	227	1,141	4,202	1,369	1,168
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,782.3	501.8	2,280.4	8.1	30.8	76.8	386.1	1,421.9	463.3	395.2
Bakersfield, Calif.	**329,162**										
(Includes Kern County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	12,096	857	11,239	25	76	355	401	4,932	4,991	1,316
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,674.8	260.4	3,414.4	7.6	23.1	107.8	121.8	1,498.4	1,516.3	399.8
Baltimore, Md.	**2,070,670**										
(Includes Baltimore City and Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Howard and Harford Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	90,485	20,879	69,606	273	722	11,687	8,197	27,983	27,107	14,516
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,369.8	1,008.3	3,361.5	13.2	34.9	564.4	395.9	1,351.4	1,309.1	701.0
Baton Rouge, La.	**285,167**										
(Includes East Baton Rouge Parish.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	12,348	1,770	10,578	29	103	413	1,225	5,555	3,332	1,691
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,330.1	620.7	3,709.4	10.2	36.1	144.8	429.6	1,948.0	1,168.4	593.0
Bay City, Mich.	**117,339**										
(Includes Bay County.)											
Area actually reporting	98.9%	1,458	218	1,240	6	18	105	89	643	482	115
Estimated total	100.0%	1,498	222	1,276	6	18	107	91	658	498	120
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,276.6	189.2	1,087.4	5.1	15.3	91.2	77.6	560.8	424.4	102.3
Beaumont-Port Arthur, Tex.	**315,943**										
(Includes Jefferson and Orange Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	80.6%	7,039	1,236	5,803	27	35	329	845	3,366	1,801	636
Estimated total	100.0%	7,979	1,338	6,641	31	45	347	915	3,764	2,170	707
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,525.5	423.5	2,102.0	9.8	14.2	109.8	289.6	1,191.4	686.8	223.8
Binghamton, N.Y.-PA.	**302,672**										
(Includes Broome and Tioga Counties, N.Y. and Susquehanna County, Pa.)											
Area actually reporting	99.2%	3,902	239	3,663	3	19	58	159	1,992	1,273	398
Estimated total	100.0%	3,933	241	3,692	3	19	59	160	2,004	1,284	404
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,299.4	79.6	1,219.8	1.0	6.3	19.5	52.9	662.1	424.2	133.5
Birmingham, Ala.	**739,274**										
(Includes Jefferson, Shelby and Walker Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	91.0%	18,923	2,641	16,282	95	149	465	1,932	6,793	6,112	3,377
Estimated total	100.0%	19,796	2,747	17,049	101	158	484	2,004	7,176	6,413	3,460
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,677.8	371.6	2,306.2	13.7	21.4	65.5	271.1	970.7	867.5	468.0
Bloomington-Normal, Ill.	**104,389**										
(Includes McLean County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,732	198	1,534	1	14	66	117	708	615	211
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,659.2	189.7	1,469.5	1.0	13.4	63.2	112.1	678.2	589.1	202.1
Boise, Idaho	**112,230**										
(Includes Ada County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,534	255	2,279	6	26	39	184	861	1,142	276
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,257.9	227.2	2,030.7	5.3	23.2	34.8	163.9	767.2	1,017.6	245.9
Boston-Lowell-Lawrence, Mass.	**3,375,396**										
(Includes Essex, Middlesex, Norfolk and Suffolk Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	94.9%	100,559	8,266	92,293	146	488	4,531	3,101	33,934	26,101	32,258
Estimated total	100.0%	104,570	8,450	96,120	148	500	4,597	3,205	35,572	27,339	33,209
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,098.0	250.3	2,847.7	4.4	14.8	136.2	95.0	1,053.9	809.9	983.9
Bridgeport-Danbury-Norwalk-Stamford, Conn.	**792,814**										
(Includes Fairfield County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	24,311	1,460	22,851	43	61	773	583	9,839	7,960	5,052
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,066.4	184.2	2,882.3	5.4	7.7	97.5	73.5	1,241.0	1,004.0	637.2
Brockton, Mass.	**333,314**										
(Includes Plymouth County.)											
Area actually reporting	84.6%	6,786	492	6,294	6	31	88	367	3,261	2,010	1,023
Estimated total	100.0%	7,968	546	7,422	7	34	107	398	3,744	2,375	1,303
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,390.5	163.8	2,226.7	2.1	10.2	32.1	119.4	1,123.3	712.5	390.9
Brownsville-Harlingen-San Benito, Tex.	**140,368**										
(Includes Cameron County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,987	272	2,715	4	19	16	233	1,491	913	311
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,128.0	193.8	1,934.2	2.8	13.5	11.4	166.0	1,062.2	650.4	221.6

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Buffalo, N.Y.	**1,349,211**										
(Includes Erie and Niagara Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	32,419	3,706	28,713	77	185	1,953	1,491	11,631	11,036	6,046
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,402.8	274.7	2,128.1	5.7	13.7	144.8	110.5	862.1	818.0	448.1
Canton, Ohio	**372,210**										
(Includes Stark County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	7,282	781	6,501	11	49	459	262	2,309	3,244	948
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,956.4	209.8	1,746.6	3.0	13.2	123.3	70.4	620.3	871.6	254.7
Cedar Rapids, Iowa	**163,213**										
(Includes Linn County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,051	78	1,973	5	12	23	38	766	869	338
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,256.6	47.8	1,208.8	3.1	7.4	14.1	23.3	469.3	532.4	207.1
Champaign-Urbana, Ill.	**163,281**										
(Includes Champaign County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,498	551	2,947	4	32	155	360	1,548	1,158	241
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,142.3	337.5	1,804.9	2.4	19.6	94.9	220.5	948.1	709.2	147.6
Charleston, S.C.	**303,849**										
(Includes Charleston and Berkeley Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,787	1,100	7,687	31	107	390	572	3,614	2,792	1,281
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,891.9	362.0	2,529.9	10.2	35.2	128.4	188.3	1,189.4	918.9	421.6
Charleston, W. Va.	**229,515**										
(Includes Kanawha County.)											
Area actually reporting	89.4%	4,458	491	3,967	13	22	179	277	1,769	1,716	482
Estimated total	100.0%	4,979	514	4,465	14	22	181	297	2,076	1,889	500
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,169.4	224.0	1,945.4	6.1	9.6	78.9	129.4	904.5	823.0	217.9
Charlotte, N.C.	**409,370**										
(Includes Mecklenburg and Union Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	16,258	2,527	13,731	101	94	560	1,772	7,017	5,106	1,608
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,971.5	617.3	3,354.2	24.7	23.0	136.8	432.9	1,714.1	1,247.3	392.8
Chattanooga, Tenn.-Ga.	**304,927**										
(Includes Hamilton County, Tenn. and Walker County, Ga.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,473	820	7,653	47	34	466	273	4,476	1,229	1,948
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,778.7	268.9	2,509.8	15.4	11.2	152.8	89.5	1,467.9	403.0	638.8
Chicago, Ill.	**6,978,947**										
(Includes Cook, Du Page, Kane, Lake, McHenry and Will Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	97.2%	191,085	43,843	147,242	893	1,753	25,182	16,015	56,610	41,729	48,903
Estimated total	100.0%	194,621	44,216	150,405	899	1,776	25,300	16,241	57,894	43,074	49,437
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,788.7	633.6	2,155.1	12.9	25.4	362.5	232.7	829.6	617.2	708.4
Cincinnati, Ohio-Ky.-Ind.	**1,384,911**										
(Includes Hamilton, Clermont and Warren Counties, Ohio, and Campbell, Kenton and Boone Counties, Ky. and Dearborn County, Ind.)											
Area actually reporting	97.8%	32,246	3,427	28,819	87	230	1,648	1,462	12,451	11,656	4,712
Estimated total	100.0%	32,781	3,466	29,315	88	233	1,661	1,484	12,635	11,868	4,812
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,367.0	250.3	2,116.7	6.4	16.8	119.9	107.2	912.3	857.0	347.5
Cleveland, Ohio	**2,064,194**										
(Includes Cuyahoga, Lake, Geauga and Medina Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	96.6%	62,444	9,263	53,181	298	380	5,913	2,672	16,651	11,822	24,708
Estimated total	100.0%	63,632	9,355	54,277	300	385	5,943	2,727	17,053	12,286	24,938
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,082.7	453.2	2,629.5	14.5	18.7	287.9	132.1	826.1	595.2	1,208.
Colorado Springs, Colo.	**235,972**										
(Includes El Paso County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	7,343	698	6,645	11	63	335	289	2,748	3,102	795
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,111.8	295.8	2,816.0	4.7	26.7	142.0	122.5	1,164.5	1,314.6	336.9
Columbia, S.C.	**322,880**										
(Includes Lexington and Richland Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	96.4%	9,142	1,300	7,842	40	63	326	871	4,233	2,412	1,197
Estimated total	100.0%	9,392	1,326	8,066	41	63	333	889	4,335	2,513	1,217
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,908.8	410.7	2,498.1	12.7	19.5	103.1	275.3	1,342.6	778.3	377.

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Columbus, Ga.-Ala.	238,584										
(Includes Chattahoochee and Muscogee Counties, Ga. and Russell County, Ala.)											
Area actually reporting	80.8%	3,354	286	3,068	20	18	114	134	1,274	1,001	793
Estimated total	100.0%	4,114	352	3,762	24	25	134	169	1,616	1,264	882
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,724.3	147.5	1,576.8	10.1	10.5	56.2	70.8	677.3	529.8	369.7
Columbus, Ohio	916,228										
(Includes Franklin, Delaware and Pickaway Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	96.6%	31,843	3,324	28,519	55	316	1,824	1,130	11,582	11,039	5,898
Estimated total	100.0%	32,219	3,358	28,861	56	318	1,834	1,150	11,748	11,172	5,941
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,516.6	366.6	3,150.0	6.1	34.7	200.2	125.6	1,282.2	1,219.3	648.4
Corpus Christi, Tex	284,832										
(Includes Nueces and San Patricio Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	98.8%	11,024	1,635	9,489	38	77	371	1,049	4,497	3,765	1,227
Estimated total	100.0%	11,096	1,641	9,555	38	77	372	1,054	4,623	3,797	1,285
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,896.6	541.0	3,354.6	13.3	27.0	130.6	370.0	1,588.0	1,333.1	433.6
Dallas, Tex	1,555,950										
(Includes Collin, Dallas, Denton, Ellis, Kaufman and Rockwall Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	95.6%	63,437	9,268	54,169	281	626	3,181	5,180	24,163	21,084	8,932
Estimated total	100.0%	64,396	9,382	55,013	286	638	3,201	5,257	24,692	21,437	8,984
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,138.6	603.0	3,535.7	18.4	41.0	205.7	337.9	1,580.5	1,377.7	577.4
Davenport-Rock Island-Moline, Iowa-Ill.	362,638										
(Includes Scott County, Iowa, and Rock Island and Henry Counties, Illinois.)											
Area actually reporting	92.3%	7,458	760	6,698	11	41	291	417	2,795	2,846	1,057
Estimated total	100.0%	8,042	795	7,247	12	44	302	437	2,963	3,141	1,143
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,217.6	219.2	1,998.4	3.3	12.1	83.3	120.5	817.1	866.2	315.2
Dayton, Ohio	850,266										
(Includes Greene, Miami, Montgomery and Preble Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	99.0%	25,461	3,655	21,806	77	147	2,035	1,296	10,817	7,779	3,310
Estimated total	100.0%	25,596	3,566	22,031	77	148	2,038	1,302	10,863	7,832	3,336
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,010.4	419.3	2,691.1	9.1	17.4	239.7	153.1	1,277.6	921.1	392.3
Decatur, Ill.	125,010										
(Includes Macon County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,609	339	2,270	5	4	131	199	1,129	892	249
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,087.0	271.2	1,815.9	4.0	3.2	104.8	159.2	903.1	713.5	199.2
Denver, Colo.	1,227,529										
(Includes Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Denver and Jefferson Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	59,177	5,843	53,334	102	610	2,367	2,764	23,041	19,490	10,803
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,820.8	476.0	4,344.8	8.3	49.7	192.8	225.2	1,877.0	1,587.7	880.1
Des Moines, Iowa	286,101										
(Includes Polk County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,099	673	7,426	16	36	365	256	2,318	3,938	1,270
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,830.8	200.3	2,630.6	5.6	12.6	127.6	54.6	810.2	1,376.4	443.9
Detroit, Mich	4,199,931										
(Includes Macomb, Oakland and Wayne Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	97.3%	212,827	38,148	174,679	614	1,290	27,080	9,154	82,167	61,096	31,416
Estimated total	100.0%	216,249	38,504	177,745	618	1,306	27,237	9,343	83,423	62,502	31,820
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		6,148.9	916.8	4,232.1	14.7	31.1	648.5	222.5	1,986.3	1,488.2	757.6
Duluth-Superior, Minn.-Wis.	265,350										
(Includes St. Louis County, Minn. and Douglas County, Wis.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,407	186	4,222	3	18	58	106	1,857	1,630	735
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,660.8	69.7	1,591.1	1.1	6.8	21.9	39.9	699.8	614.3	277.0
Durham, N.C.	190,388										
(Includes Durham and Orange Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	5,037	754	4,283	24	31	166	533	2,118	1,625	540
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,645.6	396.0	2,249.6	12.6	16.3	87.2	280.0	1,112.5	853.6	283.6
El Paso, Tex.	359,291										
(Includes El Paso County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	9,647	810	8,837	14	47	316	433	4,981	2,280	1,576
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,685.0	225.4	2,459.6	3.9	13.1	88.0	120.5	1,386.3	629.0	444.2

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Erie, Pa.	263,651										
(Includes Erie County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,754	425	3,329	5	45	208	167	1,543	1,193	593
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,423.8	161.2	1,262.6	1.9	17.1	78.9	63.3	585.2	452.5	224.9
Eugene, Oreg.	213,358										
(Includes Lane County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	6,366	269	6,097	9	31	83	146	2,537	3,105	455
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,983.7	126.1	2,857.6	4.2	14.6	38.9	68.4	1,189.1	1,455.3	213.3
Evansville, Ind.-Ky.	232,775										
(Includes Vanderburgh and Warwick Counties, Ind. and Henderson County, Ky.)											
Area actually reporting	97.5%	7,107	815	6,292	16	62	223	514	2,466	3,022	804
Estimated total	100.0%	7,223	823	6,400	16	63	226	518	2,507	3,069	824
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,103.0	353.6	2,749.4	6.9	27.1	97.1	222.5	1,077.0	1,318.4	354.0
Fall River-New Bedford, Mass.	444,301										
(Includes Bristol County.)											
Area actually reporting	97.4%	14,788	693	14,095	8	36	237	412	6,770	3,533	3,792
Estimated total	100.0%	15,050	705	14,345	8	37	241	419	6,877	3,614	3,854
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,387.3	158.7	3,228.7	1.8	8.3	54.2	94.3	1,547.8	813.4	867.4
Fargo-Moorhead, N. Dak.-Minn.	120,238										
(Includes Cass County, N. Dak. and Clay County, Minn.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,915	54	1,861	2	9	12	31	548	1,142	171
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,592.7	44.9	1,547.8	1.7	7.5	10.0	25.8	455.8	949.8	142.2
Fayetteville, N.C.	212,042										
(Includes Cumberland County.)											
Area actually reporting	98.1%	4,913	996	3,917	21	27	149	799	1,654	2,035	328
Estimated total	100.0%	5,048	1,027	4,021	22	28	154	823	1,605	2,077	339
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,380.7	484.3	1,896.3	10.4	13.2	72.6	388.1	756.9	979.5	159.9
Flint, Mich.	496,658										
(Includes Genesee and Lapeer Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	83.5%	13,873	2,244	11,629	31	92	673	1,448	5,314	4,915	1,400
Estimated total	100.0%	16,347	2,503	13,844	34	104	787	1,578	6,221	5,931	1,692
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,291.4	504.0	2,787.4	6.8	20.9	158.5	317.7	1,252.6	1,194.2	340.7
Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood, Fla.	620,100										
(Includes Broward County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	26,687	2,582	24,105	87	119	1,174	1,202	11,070	8,787	4,248
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,303.7	416.4	3,887.3	14.0	19.2	189.3	193.8	1,785.2	1,417.0	685.1
Fort Smith, Ark.-Okla.	160,421										
(Includes Sebastian and Crawford Counties, Ark. and Le Flore and Sequoyah Counties, Okla.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,739	249	1,490	5	30	35	179	681	610	199
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,084.0	155.2	928.8	3.1	18.7	21.8	111.6	424.5	380.2	124.0
Fort Wayne, Ind.	280,455										
(Includes Allen County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,158	499	7,659	10	54	291	144	2,709	4,069	881
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,908.8	177.9	2,730.9	3.6	19.3	103.8	51.3	965.9	1,450.9	314.1
Fort Worth, Tex.	762,086										
(Includes Johnson and Tarrant Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	98.9%	24,172	2,290	21,882	125	100	1,140	925	9,877	7,394	4,611
Estimated total	100.0%	24,344	2,305	22,039	125	101	1,143	936	9,938	7,470	4,631
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,194.4	302.5	2,891.9	16.4	13.3	150.0	122.8	1,304.1	980.2	607.7
Fresno, Calif.	413,053										
(Includes Fresno County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	16,843	1,081	15,762	35	108	433	505	6,868	5,894	3,000
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,077.7	261.7	3,816.0	8.5	26.1	104.8	122.3	1,662.7	1,426.9	726.3
Gainesville, Fla.	104,764										
(Includes Alachua County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,109	578	3,531	18	21	158	381	1,681	1,525	325
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,922.1	551.7	3,370.4	17.2	20.0	150.8	363.7	1,604.6	1,455.7	310.2
Gary-Hammond-East Chicago, Ind.	633,367										
(Includes Lake and Porter Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	24,719	2,834	21,885	73	180	1,519	1,062	6,590	6,738	8,557
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,902.8	447.4	3,455.3	11.5	28.4	239.8	167.7	1,040.5	1,063.8	1,351.0

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Grand Rapids, Mich.	**539,225**										
(Includes Kent and Ottawa Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	98.2%	11,586	1,141	10,445	15	125	417	584	5,329	4,076	1,040
Estimated total	100.0%	11,887	1,172	10,715	15	126	431	600	5,439	4,200	1,076
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,204.5	217.3	1,987.1	2.8	23.4	79.9	111.3	1,008.7	778.9	199.5
Green Bay, Wis.	**158,244**										
(Includes Brown County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,252	41	2,211	1	2	19	19	913	1,059	239
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,423.1	25.9	1,397.2	.6	1.3	12.0	12.0	577.0	669.2	151.0
Greensboro-High Point, N.C.	**603,895**										
(Includes Guilford, Forsyth, Randolph and Yadkin Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	89.1%	14,774	2,808	11,966	62	79	468	2,199	5,671	5,130	1,165
Estimated total	100.0%	15,668	2,907	12,761	67	86	487	2,267	6,091	5,455	1,215
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,594.5	481.4	2,113.1	11.1	14.2	80.6	375.4	1,008.6	903.3	201.2
Greenville, S.C.	**299,502**										
(Includes Greenville and Pickens Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	95.5%	9,480	1,061	8,419	60	51	364	586	3,859	3,019	1,541
Estimated total	100.0%	9,772	1,092	8,680	61	52	372	607	3,978	3,137	1,565
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,262.7	364.6	2,898.1	20.4	17.4	124.2	202.7	1,328.2	1,047.4	522.5
Harrisburg, Pa.	**410,626**										
(Includes Cumberland, Dauphin and Perry Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	89.8%	4,874	730	4,144	12	34	323	361	2,495	1,062	587
Estimated total	100.0%	5,461	780	4,681	13	37	342	388	2,718	1,260	703
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,329.9	190.0	1,140.0	3.2	9.0	83.3	94.5	661.9	306.8	171.2
Hartford-New Britain-Bristol, Conn.	**816,737**										
(Includes Hartford County.)											
Area actually reporting	95.8%	21,148	1,923	19,225	35	87	768	1,033	8,312	6,922	3,991
Estimated total	100.0%	21,789	1,948	19,841	35	89	775	1,049	8,584	7,180	4,077
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,667.8	238.5	2,429.3	4.3	10.9	94.9	128.4	1,051.0	879.1	499.2
Honolulu, Hawaii	**630,528**										
(Includes Honolulu County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	23,954	834	23,120	25	85	473	251	10,252	8,627	4,241
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,799.0	132.3	3,666.8	4.0	13.5	75.0	39.8	1,625.9	1,368.2	672.6
Houston, Tex.	**1,985,031**										
(Includes Harris, Brazoria, Fort Bend, Liberty and Montgomery Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	78.6%	64,971	10,459	54,512	306	468	6,529	3,156	27,679	12,579	14,254
Estimated total	100.0%	71,316	11,164	60,152	335	537	6,655	3,637	30,413	15,038	14,701
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,592.7	562.4	3,030.3	16.9	27.1	335.3	183.2	1,532.1	757.6	740.6
Huntington-Ashland, W. Va.-Ky.-Ohio	**253,743**										
(Includes Cabell and Wayne Counties, W. Va., Boyd County, Ky. and Lawrence County, Ohio.)											
Area actually reporting	92.2%	4,327	600	3,727	10	29	164	397	1,603	1,693	431
Estimated total	100.0%	4,685	623	4,062	10	30	170	413	1,751	1,827	484
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,846.4	245.5	1,600.8	3.9	11.8	67.0	162.8	690.1	720.0	190.7
Huntsville, Ala.	**228,239**										
(Includes Madison and Limestone Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	5,769	452	5,317	8	34	139	271	2,372	2,346	599
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,527.6	198.0	2,329.6	3.5	14.9	60.9	118.7	1,039.3	1,027.9	262.4
Indianapolis, Ind.	**1,109,882**										
(Includes Marion, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Morgan, Shelby and Boone Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	97.1%	33,610	4,283	29,327	82	369	2,263	1,569	14,269	8,470	6,588
Estimated total	100.0%	34,244	4,322	29,922	83	372	2,277	1,590	14,494	8,729	6,699
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,085.4	389.4	2,696.0	7.5	33.5	205.2	143.3	1,305.9	786.5	603.6
Jackson, Mich.	**143,274**										
(Includes Jackson County.)											
Area actually reporting	98.3%	2,574	279	2,295	5	22	114	138	1,150	948	197
Estimated total	100.0%	2,647	286	2,361	5	22	117	142	1,177	978	206
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,847.5	199.6	1,647.9	3.5	15.4	81.7	99.1	821.5	682.6	143.8

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent[1] crime	Property[2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Jackson, Miss.	**258,906**										
(Includes Hinds and Rankin Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	79.2%	3,876	352	3,524	35	21	99	197	1,837	1,200	487
Estimated total	100.0%	4,082	451	3,631	42	31	112	266	1,902	1,218	511
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,576.6	174.2	1,402.4	16.2	12.0	43.3	102.7	734.6	470.4	197.4
Jacksonville, Fla.	**528,865**										
(Includes Duval County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	26,293	4,213	22,080	96	308	1,535	2,274	12,014	7,024	3,042
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,971.6	796.6	4,175.0	18.2	58.2	290.2	430.0	2,271.7	1,328.1	575.2
Jersey City, N.J.	**609,266**										
(Includes Hudson County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	15,807	1,820	13,987	52	60	1,112	596	4,828	2,322	6,837
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,594.4	298.7	2,295.7	8.5	9.8	182.5	97.8	792.4	381.1	1,122.2
Johnstown, Pa.	**262,822**										
(Includes Cambria and Somerset Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	95.3%	1,401	117	1,284	5	11	39	62	751	372	161
Estimated total	100.0%	1,576	132	1,444	5	12	45	70	817	431	196
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		599.6	50.2	549.4	1.9	4.6	17.1	26.6	310.9	164.0	74.6
Kalamazoo, Mich.	**201,550**										
(Includes Kalamazoo County.)											
Area actually reporting	97.2%	5,848	954	4,894	7	25	211	711	2,227	2,246	421
Estimated total	100.0%	6,019	972	5,047	7	26	219	720	2,290	2,316	441
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,986.4	482.3	2,504.1	3.5	12.9	108.7	357.2	1,136.2	1,149.1	218.8
Kansas City, Mo.-Kans.	**1,256,649**										
(Includes Clay, Jackson, Cass and Platte Counties, Mo. and Johnson and Wyandotte Counties, Kans.)											
Area actually reporting	99.9%	46,331	7,456	38,875	158	584	3,693	3,021	18,804	11,693	8,378
Estimated total	100.0%	46,373	7,459	38,914	158	584	3,694	3,023	18,819	11,710	8,385
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,690.2	593.6	3,096.6	12.6	46.5	294.0	240.6	1,497.6	931.8	667.3
Kenosha, Wis.	**117,917**										
(Includes Kenosha County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,765	201	2,564	2	7	108	84	1,021	1,097	446
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,344.9	170.5	2,174.4	1.7	5.9	91.6	71.2	865.9	930.3	378.2
Knoxville, Tenn.	**400,337**										
(Includes Anderson, Blount and Knox Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	98.5%	7,960	1,013	6,947	33	46	213	721	3,577	1,923	1,447
Estimated total	100.0%	8,046	1,020	7,026	33	46	214	727	3,618	1,948	1,460
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,009.8	254.8	1,755.0	8.2	11.5	53.5	181.6	903.7	486.6	364.7
Lafayette, La.	**111,745**										
(Includes Lafayette Parish.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,368	603	2,765		32	102	469	1,453	954	358
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,014.0	539.6	2,474.4		28.6	91.3	419.7	1,300.3	853.7	320.4
Lafayette-West Lafayette, Ind.	**109,378**										
(Includes Tippecanoe County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,050	65	1,985		15	28	22	769	1,003	213
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,874.2	59.4	1,814.8		13.7	25.6	20.1	703.1	917.0	194.7
Lake Charles, La.	**145,415**										
(Includes Calcasieu Parish.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,948	323	2,625	15	18	83	207	1,331	1,072	222
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,027.3	222.1	1,805.2	10.3	12.4	57.1	142.4	915.3	737.2	152.7
Lancaster, Pa.	**319,693**										
(Includes Lancaster County.)											
Area actually reporting	95.9%	2,340	211	2,129	5	22	87	97	1,099	822	208
Estimated total	100.0%	2,523	226	2,297	5	23	93	105	1,169	884	244
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		789.2	70.7	718.5	1.6	7.2	29.1	32.8	365.7	276.5	76.3
Lansing, Mich.	**378,423**										
(Includes Clinton, Eaton and Ingham Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	82.2%	13,338	859	12,479	9	63	314	473	5,793	5,632	1,054
Estimated total	100.0%	15,380	1,072	14,308	11	73	408	580	6,542	6,471	1,295
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,064.2	283.3	3,781.0	2.9	19.3	107.8	153.3	1,728.8	1,710.0	342.2
Las Vegas, Nev.	**273,288**										
(Includes Clark County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	11,905	1,208	10,697	27	65	627	489	5,284	3,366	2,047
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,356.2	442.0	3,914.2	9.9	23.8	229.4	178.9	1,933.5	1,231.7	749.0

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Lawton, Okla.	108,144										
(Includes Comanche County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,403	526	2,877	6	38	129	353	1,312	1,324	241
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,146.7	486.4	2,660.3	5.5	35.1	119.3	326.4	1,213.2	1,224.3	222.9
Lexington, Ky.	174,323										
(Includes Fayette County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	6,582	532	6,050	22	51	179	280	2,647	2,703	700
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,775.7	305.2	3,470.6	12.6	29.3	102.7	160.6	1,518.4	1,550.6	401.6
Lima, Ohio	171,472										
(Includes Allen, Putnam and Van Wert Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	93.9%	3,487	346	3,141	5	8	166	167	1,435	1,476	230
Estimated total	100.0%	3,665	360	3,305	5	9	171	175	1,495	1,546	264
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,137.4	209.9	1,927.4	2.9	5.2	99.7	102.1	871.9	901.6	154.0
Lincoln, Nebr.	167,972										
(Includes Lancaster County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,018	337	2,681	2	20	49	266	784	1,588	309
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,796.7	200.6	1,596.1	1.2	11.9	29.2	158.4	466.7	945.4	184.0
Little Rock-North Little Rock, Ark.	323,296										
(Includes Pulaski and Saline Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	88.8%	11,628	1,734	9,894	58	146	492	1,078	4,509	4,590	795
Estimated total	100.0%	12,212	1,855	10,357	62	158	478	1,157	4,750	4,771	836
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,777.3	573.8	3,203.6	19.2	48.9	147.9	357.9	1,469.2	1,475.7	258.6
Lorain-Elyria, Ohio	256,843										
(Includes Lorain County.)											
Area actually reporting	96.1%	4,951	532	4,419	5	37	232	258	1,823	1,366	1,230
Estimated total	100.0%	5,117	545	4,572	5	38	236	266	1,879	1,431	1,262
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,992.3	212.2	1,780.1	1.9	14.8	91.9	103.6	731.6	557.1	491.4
Los Angeles-Long Beach, Calif.	7,032,075										
(Includes Los Angeles County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	356,095	51,859	304,236	662	3,514	21,610	26,073	139,267	98,643	66,426
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		5,063.9	737.5	4,326.4	9.4	50.0	307.3	370.8	1,980.5	1,401.3	944.6
Louisville, Ky.-Ind.	826,553										
(Includes Jefferson County, Ky. and Clark and Floyd Counties, Ind.)											
Area actually reporting	98.3%	30,396	2,930	27,466	124	173	1,595	1,038	9,246	10,424	7,796
Estimated total	100.0%	30,671	2,946	27,725	124	174	1,601	1,047	9,344	10,537	7,844
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,710.7	356.4	3,354.3	15.0	21.1	193.7	126.7	1,130.5	1,274.8	949.0
Lubbock, Tex.	179,295										
(Includes Lubbock County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	6,178	841	5,337	23	50	124	644	2,562	2,361	414
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,445.7	469.1	2,976.7	12.8	27.9	69.2	359.2	1,428.9	1,316.8	230.9
Lynchburg, Va.	123,474										
(Includes Lynchburg City and Amherst and Campbell Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,589	386	1,203	22	14	52	298	625	493	85
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,286.9	312.6	974.3	17.8	11.3	42.1	241.3	506.2	399.3	68.8
Macon, Ga.	206,342										
(Includes Bibb and Houston Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	89.5%	6,625	523	6,102	26	31	226	240	2,774	2,270	1,058
Estimated total	100.0%	7,113	557	6,556	27	34	238	258	2,985	2,449	1,122
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,447.2	269.9	3,177.2	13.1	16.5	115.3	125.0	1,446.6	1,186.9	543.8
Madison, Wis.	290,272										
(Includes Dane County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	6,037	288	5,749	6	40	107	135	2,230	2,879	640
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,079.8	99.2	1,980.6	2.1	13.8	36.9	46.5	768.2	991.8	220.5
Manchester-Nashua, N.H.	223,941										
(Includes Hillsborough County.)											
Area actually reporting	95.2%	2,207	122	2,086	7	6	35	74	916	788	381
Estimated total	100.0%	2,309	129	2,180	8	6	36	79	958	817	405
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,031.1	57.6	973.5	3.6	2.7	16.1	35.3	427.8	364.8	180.9
Mansfield, Ohio	129,997										
(Includes Richland County.)											
Area actually reporting	97.7%	2,956	453	2,503	9	16	79	349	1,093	1,105	305
Estimated total	100.0%	3,006	456	2,550	9	16	80	351	1,110	1,125	315
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,312.4	350.8	1,961.6	6.9	12.3	61.5	270.0	853.9	865.4	242.3

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
McAllen-Pharr-Edinburg, Tex. (Includes Hidalgo County.)	**181,535**										
Area actually reporting	96.1%	2,176	92	2,084	1	6	22	63	1,333	583	168
Estimated total	100.0%	2,323	104	2,219	1	7	24	72	1,385	649	185
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,279.6	57.3	1,222.4	.6	3.9	13.2	39.7	762.9	357.5	101.9
Memphis, Tenn.-Ark. (Includes Shelby County, Tenn. and Crittenden County, Ark.)	**770,126**										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	23,546	2,923	20,623	100	215	1,059	1,549	9,823	7,913	2,887
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,057.4	379.6	2,677.9	13.0	27.9	137.5	201.1	1,275.5	1,027.5	374.9
Miami, Fla. (Includes Dade County.)	**1,267,792**										
Area actually reporting	98.3%	66,905	11,079	55,826	196	212	5,379	5,292	23,219	22,802	9,805
Estimated total	100.0%	67,736	11,167	56,569	198	215	5,412	5,342	23,556	23,112	9,901
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		5,342.8	880.8	4,462.0	15.6	17.0	426.9	421.4	1,858.0	1,823.0	781.0
Milwaukee, Wis. (Includes Milwaukee, Waukesha, Ozaukee and Washington Counties.)	**1,403,887**										
Area actually reporting	99.9%	28,044	1,797	26,247	53	117	760	877	7,002	13,562	5,683
Estimated total	100.0%	28,063	1,797	26,266	53	117	750	877	7,009	13,572	5,685
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,999.0	128.0	1,870.9	3.8	8.3	53.4	62.5	499.3	966.7	404.9
Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn. (Includes Anoka, Dakota, Hennepin, Ramsey and Washington Counties.)	**1,813,647**										
Area actually reporting	99.5%	58,696	5,192	53,504	47	303	3,237	1,605	21,685	20,693	11,126
Estimated total	100.0%	58,866	5,197	53,669	47	304	3,239	1,607	21,734	20,787	11,148
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,245.7	286.5	2,959.2	2.6	16.8	178.6	88.6	1,198.4	1,146.1	614.7
Mobile, Ala. (Includes Mobile and Baldwin Counties.)	**376,690**										
Area actually reporting	87.4%	10,852	1,128	9,724	42	100	395	591	6,118	2,329	1,277
Estimated total	100.0%	11,912	1,244	10,668	46	105	413	680	6,516	2,748	1,404
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,162.3	330.2	2,832.0	12.2	27.9	109.6	180.5	1,729.8	729.5	372.7
Modesto, Calif. (Includes Stanislaus County.)	**194,506**										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	7,607	521	7,086	4	41	186	290	3,173	3,240	673
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,910.9	267.9	3,643.1	2.1	21.1	95.6	149.1	1,631.3	1,665.8	346.0
Monroe, La. (Includes Ouachita Parish.)	**115,387**										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,498	349	1,149	17	11	21	300	543	419	187
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,298.2	302.5	995.8	14.7	9.5	18.2	260.0	470.6	363.1	162.1
Muncie, Ind. (Includes Delaware County.)	**129,219**										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,448	275	2,173	2	22	135	116	910	905	358
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,894.5	212.8	1,681.6	1.5	17.0	104.5	89.8	704.2	700.4	277.0
Muskegon-Muskegon Heights, Mich. (Includes Muskegon County.)	**157,426**										
Area actually reporting	98.8%	5,058	648	4,410	9	36	142	461	2,070	2,109	231
Estimated total	100.0%	5,113	654	4,459	9	36	145	464	2,090	2,132	237
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,247.9	415.4	2,832.4	5.7	22.9	92.1	294.7	1,327.6	1,354.3	150.5
Nashville, Tenn. (Includes Davidson, Sumner and Wilson Counties.)	**540,982**										
Area actually reporting	87.5%	17,977	3,057	14,920	64	107	1,020	1,866	7,056	4,448	3,416
Estimated total	100.0%	18,834	3,151	15,683	68	117	1,033	1,933	7,503	4,650	3,530
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,481.4	582.5	2,899.0	12.6	21.6	190.9	357.3	1,386.9	859.5	652.5
Newark, N.J. (Includes Essex, Morris and Union Counties.)	**1,856,556**										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	64,607	10,121	54,486	176	386	6,184	3,381	24,422	17,685	12,379
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,479.9	545.1	2,934.8	9.5	20.5	333.1	182.1	1,315.4	952.6	666.8
New Haven-Waterbury, Conn. (Includes New Haven County.)	**744,948**										
Area actually reporting	95.8%	20,901	1,119	19,782	19	71	402	627	8,902	6,523	4,357
Estimated total	100.0%	21,473	1,141	20,332	19	73	408	641	9,145	6,753	4,434
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,882.5	153.2	2,729.3	2.6	9.8	54.8	86.0	1,227.6	906.5	595.2

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
New London-Groton-Norwich, Conn.	**230,654**										
(Includes New London County.)											
Area actually reporting	98.6%	4,523	281	4,242	3	22	71	185	2,109	1,676	457
Estimated total	100.0%	4,585	284	4,301	3	22	72	187	2,135	1,701	465
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,987.8	123.1	1,864.7	1.3	9.5	31.2	81.1	925.6	737.6	201.6
New Orleans, La.	**1,046,470**										
(Includes Jefferson, Orleans, St. Bernard and St. Tammany Parishes.)											
Area actually reporting	95.1%	43,971	7,293	36,678	121	423	3,912	2,837	14,611	12,584	9,483
Estimated total	100.0%	45,104	7,456	37,648	125	436	3,944	2,951	15,077	12,944	9,627
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,310.1	712.5	3,597.6	11.9	41.7	376.9	282.0	1,440.7	1,236.9	919.9
Newport News-Hampton, Va.	**292,159**										
(Includes Newport News and Hampton Cities and York County.)											
Area actually reporting	98.1%	7,149	782	6,367	23	66	268	425	2,963	2,776	628
Estimated total	100.0%	7,317	801	6,516	23	67	276	435	3,013	2,851	652
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,504.5	274.2	2,230.3	7.9	22.9	94.5	148.9	1,031.3	975.8	223.2
New York, N.Y.	**11,528,649**										
(Includes Bronx, Kings, Manhattan, Queens, Richmond, Nassau, Rockland, Suffolk and Westchester Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	99.6%	600,949	113,005	487,944	1,208	2,290	76,613	32,894	209,644	169,242	109,058
Estimated total	100.0%	601,800	113,065	488,735	1,209	2,292	76,641	32,923	209,942	169,610	109,183
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		5,220.0	980.7	4,239.3	10.5	19.9	664.8	285.6	1,821.0	1,471.2	947.1
Norfolk-Portsmouth, Va.	**680,600**										
(Includes Norfolk, Chesapeake, Portsmouth and Virginia Beach Cities.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	24,004	3,283	20,721	69	147	1,332	1,735	7,934	10,126	2,662
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,526.9	482.4	3,044.5	10.1	21.6	196.7	254.9	1,165.7	1,487.7	391.1
Ogden, Utah	**126,278**										
(Includes Weber County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,971	246	2,725	5	24	95	122	1,111	1,153	461
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,352.7	194.8	2,157.9	4.0	19.0	75.2	96.6	879.8	913.1	365.1
Oklahoma City, Okla.	**640,889**										
(Includes Canadian, Cleveland and Oklahoma Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	15,939	1,657	14,282	38	140	592	887	7,395	3,916	2,971
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,487.0	258.5	2,228.5	5.9	21.8	92.4	138.4	1,153.9	611.0	463.6
Omaha, Nebr.-Iowa	**541,453**										
(Includes Douglas and Sarpy Counties, Nebr. and Pottawattamie County, Iowa.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	15,639	2,167	13,472	35	91	811	1,230	4,999	4,610	3,863
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,888.3	400.2	2,488.1	6.6	16.8	149.8	227.2	923.3	851.4	713.5
Orlando, Fla.	**428,003**										
(Includes Orange and Seminole Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	14,544	1,595	12,949	48	127	445	975	7,602	4,482	865
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,398.1	372.7	3,025.4	11.2	29.7	104.0	227.8	1,776.2	1,047.2	202.1
Oxnard-Ventura, Calif.	**376,430**										
(Includes Ventura County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	11,266	576	10,690	8	97	179	292	5,072	4,692	1,026
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,992.9	153.0	2,839.8	2.1	25.8	47.6	77.6	1,347.4	1,219.9	272.6
Paterson-Clifton-Passaic, N.J.	**1,358,794**										
(Includes Bergen and Passaic Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	30,642	2,309	28,333	35	77	1,338	859	11,080	10,577	6,676
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,255.1	169.9	2,085.2	2.6	5.7	98.5	63.2	815.4	778.4	491.3
Pensacola, Fla.	**243,075**										
(Includes Escambia and Santa Rosa Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,369	696	7,673	20	34	212	430	3,816	3,126	731
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,443.0	286.3	3,156.6	8.2	14.0	87.2	176.9	1,569.9	1,286.0	300.7
Peoria, Ill.	**341,979**										
(Includes Peoria, Tazewell and Woodford Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	95.8%	8,564	1,388	7,176	21	51	474	842	3,637	2,549	990
Estimated total	100.0%	8,863	1,422	7,441	22	53	485	862	3,738	2,664	1,039
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,591.7	415.8	2,175.9	6.4	15.5	141.8	252.1	1,093.0	779.0	303.8

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas—Cantinued*

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Philadelphia, Pa.-N.J. (Includes Bucks, Chester, Delaware, Montgomery and Philadelphia Counties, Pa. and Burlington, Camden and Gloucester Counties, N.J.)	4,817,914										
Area actually reporting	95.8%	97,359	15,234	82,125	442	718	8,259	5,815	35,255	21,694	25,176
Estimated total	100.0%	100,173	15,471	84,702	446	731	8,350	5,944	36,325	22,644	25,733
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,079.2	321.1	1,758.1	9.3	15.2	173.3	123.4	754.0	470.0	534.1
Phoenix, Ariz. (Includes Maricopa County.)	968,487										
Area actually reporting	99.7%	41,037	4,526	36,511	83	300	1,581	2,562	18,256	12,244	6,011
Estimated total	100.0%	41,148	4,534	36,614	83	301	1,583	2,567	18,295	12,295	6,024
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,248.7	468.2	3,780.5	8.6	31.1	163.5	265.1	1,889.0	1,269.5	622.0
Pittsburgh, Pa. (Includes Allegheny, Beaver, Washington and Westmoreland Counties.)	2,401,245										
Area actually reporting	89.7%	45,291	6,230	39,061	101	319	3,373	2,437	15,386	11,465	12,210
Estimated total	100.0%	48,748	6,521	42,227	106	335	3,485	2,595	16,700	12,632	12,895
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,030.1	271.6	1,758.5	4.4	14.0	145.1	108.1	695.5	526.1	537.0
Pittsfield, Mass. (Includes Berkshire County.)	149,402										
Area actually reporting	90.7%	1,678	76	1,602	1	12	12	51	762	598	242
Estimated total	100.0%	2,000	90	1,910	1	13	17	59	894	698	318
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,338.7	60.2	1,278.4	.7	8.7	11.4	39.5	598.4	467.2	212.8
Portland, Maine. (Includes Cumberland County.)	192,528										
Area actually reporting	97.5%	2,657	161	2,496	2	21	48	90	1,094	899	503
Estimated total	100.0%	2,707	164	2,543	2	21	49	92	1,115	919	509
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,406.0	85.2	1,320.8	1.0	10.9	25.5	47.8	579.1	477.3	264.4
Portland, Oreg.-Wash. (Includes Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington Counties, Oreg. and Clark County, Wash.)	1,009,129										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	40,734	3,679	37,055	48	228	1,888	1,515	17,680	14,211	5,164
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,036.6	364.6	3,672.0	4.8	22.6	187.1	150.1	1,752.0	1,408.2	511.7
Providence-Pawtucket-Warwick, R.I. (Includes Bristol, Kent and Providence Counties.)	769,789										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	23,342	1,610	21,732	28	30	644	908	8,004	6,093	7,635
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,032.3	209.1	2,823.1	3.6	3.9	83.7	118.0	1,039.8	791.5	991.8
Provo-Orem, Utah. (Includes Utah County.)	137,776										
Area actually reporting	90.2%	1,677	96	1,581		1	5	90	587	860	134
Estimated total	100.0%	1,930	114	1,816	1	2	8	103	678	973	165
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,400.8	82.7	1,318.1	.7	1.5	5.8	74.8	492.1	706.2	119.8
Pueblo, Colo. (Includes Pueblo County.)	118,238										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,092	352	2,740	4	23	64	261	991	1,316	433
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,615.1	297.7	2,317.4	3.4	19.5	54.1	220.7	838.1	1,113.0	366.2
Racine, Wis. (Includes Racine County.)	170,838										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,080	568	3,512	8	20	274	266	1,558	1,457	497
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,388.2	332.5	2,055.7	4.7	11.7	160.4	155.7	912.0	852.9	290.9
Raleigh, N.C. (Includes Wake County.)	228,453										
Area actually reporting	96.5%	5,373	757	4,616	17	23	141	576	1,654	2,635	327
Estimated total	100.0%	5,640	816	4,824	18	25	150	623	1,755	2,720	349
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,468.8	357.2	2,111.6	7.9	10.9	65.7	272.7	768.2	1,190.6	152.8
Reading, Pa. (Includes Berks County.)	296,382										
Area actually reporting	90.2%	2,666	213	2,453	3	12	88	110	1,184	928	341
Estimated total	100.0%	3,075	248	2,827	4	14	101	129	1,339	1,066	422
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,037.5	83.7	953.8	1.3	4.7	34.1	43.5	451.8	359.7	142.4
Richmond, Va. (Includes Richmond City and Chesterfield, Henrico and Hanover Counties.)	518,319										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	21,278	1,993	19,285	77	129	1,016	771	9,181	7,016	3,088
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,105.2	384.5	3,720.7	14.9	24.9	196.0	148.8	1,771.3	1,353.6	595.8

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and non-negligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Roanoke, Va	181,436										
(Includes Roanoke City and Roanoke County.)											
Area actually reporting	87.9%	4,366	540	3,826	17	31	160	332	1,839	1,292	695
Estimated total	100.0%	5,044	618	4,426	19	36	191	372	2,040	1,595	791
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,780.0	340.6	2,439.4	10.5	19.8	105.3	205.0	1,124.4	879.1	436.0
Rochester, N.Y	882,667										
(Includes Monroe, Livingston, Orleans and Wayne Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	95.5%	19,118	1,708	17,410	30	80	556	1,042	6,994	8,166	2,250
Estimated total	100.0%	19,891	1,762	18,129	31	82	581	1,068	7,265	8,500	2,364
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,253.5	199.6	2,053.9	3.5	9.3	65.8	121.0	823.1	963.0	267.8
Rockford, Ill	272,063										
(Includes Winnebago and Boone Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	95.8%	5,526	514	5,012	12	32	210	260	1,995	2,335	682
Estimated total	100.0%	5,662	525	5,137	12	33	212	268	2,059	2,383	695
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,081.1	193.0	1,888.2	4.4	12.1	77.9	98.5	756.8	875.9	255.5
Sacramento, Calif	800,592										
(Includes Sacramento, Placer and Yolo Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	33,292	2,213	31,079	45	160	1,041	967	12,670	14,117	4,292
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,158.4	276.4	3,882.0	5.6	20.0	130.0	120.8	1,582.6	1,763.3	536.1
Saginaw, Mich	219,743										
(Includes Saginaw County.)											
Area actually reporting	97.1%	5,642	937	4,705	26	29	427	455	3,053	1,168	484
Estimated total	100.0%	5,835	957	4,878	26	30	436	465	3,124	1,247	507
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,655.4	435.5	2,219.9	11.8	13.7	198.4	211.6	1,421.7	567.5	230.7
St. Louis, Mo.-Ill	2,363,017										
(Includes St. Louis City and Jefferson, St. Charles, St. Louis and Franklin Counties, Mo. and Madison and St. Clair Counties, Ill.)											
Area actually reporting	95.3%	82,069	12,356	69,713	345	798	6,541	4,672	33,626	16,579	19,508
Estimated total	100.0%	84,263	12,556	71,707	349	813	6,604	4,790	34,457	17,397	19,853
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,565.9	531.4	3,034.6	14.8	34.4	279.5	202.7	1,458.2	736.2	840.2
Salem, Oreg	186,658										
(Includes Marion and Polk Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,782	339	3,443	6	32	60	241	1,776	1,350	317
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,026.2	181.6	1,844.5	3.2	17.1	32.1	129.1	951.5	723.2	169.8
Salinas-Monterey, Calif	250,071										
(Includes Monterey County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,825	599	8,226	16	48	279	256	3,632	3,667	927
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,529.0	239.5	3,289.5	6.4	19.2	111.6	102.4	1,452.4	1,466.4	370.7
Salt Lake City, Utah	557,635										
(Includes Salt Lake and Davis Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	17,877	991	16,886	23	80	441	447	6,881	7,451	2,554
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,205.9	177.7	3,028.1	4.1	14.3	79.1	80.2	1,234.0	1,336.2	458.0
San Antonio, Tex	864,014										
(Includes Bexar and Guadalupe Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	30,209	3,565	26,734	82	243	1,124	2,116	12,918	8,657	5,159
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,506.8	412.6	3,094.2	9.5	28.1	130.1	244.9	1,495.1	1,002.0	597.1
San Bernardino-Riverside-Ontario, Calif	1,143,146										
(Includes Riverside and San Bernardino Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	44,325	3,546	40,779	71	291	1,187	1,997	21,153	14,372	5,254
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,877.5	310.2	3,567.3	6.2	25.5	103.8	174.7	1,850.4	1,257.2	459.6
San Diego, Calif	1,357,854										
(Includes San Diego County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	39,686	3,024	36,662	56	263	1,263	1,442	13,728	17,120	5,814
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,922.7	222.7	2,700.0	4.1	19.4	93.0	106.2	1,011.0	1,260.8	428.2
San Francisco-Oakland, Calif	3,109,519										
(Includes Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, San Francisco and San Mateo Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	165,715	19,437	146,278	258	1,334	10,813	7,032	67,282	49,237	29,759
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		5,329.3	625.1	4,704.2	8.3	42.9	347.7	226.1	2,163.7	1,583.4	957.0

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Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas—Continued*

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
San Jose, Calif.	**1,064,714**										
(Includes Santa Clara County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	33,752	2,592	31,160	23	323	906	1,340	14,235	10,954	5,971
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,170.1	243.4	2,926.6	2.2	30.3	85.1	125.9	1,337.0	1,028.8	560.8
Santa Barbara, Calif.	**264,324**										
(Includes Santa Barbara County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,508	588	7,920	15	62	136	375	3,877	3,384	659
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,218.8	222.5	2,996.3	5.7	23.5	51.5	141.9	1,466.8	1,280.2	249.3
Santa Rosa, Calif.	**204,885**										
(Includes Sonoma County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	6,368	322	6,046	10	32	81	199	3,057	2,644	346
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,108.1	157.2	2,950.9	4.9	15.6	39.5	97.1	1,492.1	1,290.6	168.4
Savannah, Ga.	**187,767**										
(Includes Chatham County.)											
Area actually reporting	97.9%	7,370	862	6,508	35	75	359	393	2,812	2,934	762
Estimated total	100.0%	7,482	872	6,610	35	75	362	400	2,855	2,976	779
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,984.7	464.4	3,520.3	18.6	39.9	192.8	213.0	1,520.5	1,584.9	414.9
Scranton, Pa.	**234,107**										
(Includes Lackawanna County.)											
Area actually reporting	90.8%	2,370	213	2,157	6	22	36	149	923	737	497
Estimated total	100.0%	2,673	238	2,435	6	23	46	163	1,038	840	557
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,141.8	101.7	1,040.1	2.6	9.8	19.6	69.6	443.4	358.8	237.9
Seattle-Everett, Wash.	**1,421,869**										
(Includes King and Snohomish Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	99.5%	58,560	4,333	54,227	62	337	2,323	1,611	28,001	18,479	7,747
Estimated total	100.0%	58,772	4,344	54,428	62	338	2,326	1,618	28,099	18,558	7,771
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,133.4	305.5	3,827.9	4.4	23.8	163.6	113.8	1,976.2	1,305.2	546.5
Shreveport, La.	**293,887**										
(Includes Bossier and Caddo Parishes.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	6,514	1,068	5,446	45	26	188	809	2,656	1,916	874
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,216.5	363.4	1,853.1	15.3	8.8	64.0	275.3	903.7	652.0	297.4
Sioux City, Iowa-Nebr.	**116,189**										
(Includes Woodbury County, Iowa and Dakota County, Nebr.)											
Area actually reporting	88.7%	2,176	117	2,059	4	4	13	96	545	904	610
Estimated total	100.0%	2,305	123	2,182	4	4	14	101	593	964	625
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,983.8	105.9	1,878.0	3.4	3.4	12.0	86.9	510.4	829.7	537.9
South Bend, Ind.	**280,031**										
(Includes St. Joseph and Marshall Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	96.0%	7,486	705	6,781	16	24	467	198	3,128	2,559	1,094
Estimated total	100.0%	7,708	718	6,990	16	25	472	205	3,207	2,650	1,133
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,752.6	256.4	2,496.2	5.7	8.9	168.6	73.2	1,145.2	946.3	404.6
Spokane, Wash.	**287,487**										
(Includes Spokane County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	7,436	443	6,993	4	50	206	183	3,182	3,013	798
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,586.6	154.1	2,432.5	1.4	17.4	71.7	63.7	1,106.8	1,048.0	277.6
Springfield, Ill.	**161,335**										
(Includes Sangamon County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,279	294	2,985	3	24	153	114	1,628	881	476
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,032.4	182.2	1,850.2	1.9	14.9	94.8	70.7	1,009.1	546.1	295.0
Springfield, Mo.	**152,929**										
(Includes Greene County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	3,959	143	3,816	5	5	81	52	1,849	1,678	289
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,588.8	93.5	2,495.3	3.3	3.3	53.0	34.0	1,209.1	1,097.2	189.0
Springfield, Ohio	**167,115**										
(Includes Clark County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,825	274	2,551	6	30	190	48	1,298	933	320
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,798.0	174.4	1,623.7	3.8	19.1	120.9	30.6	826.1	593.8	203.7
Springfield-Chicopee-Holyoke, Mass.	**583,031**										
(Includes Hampden and Hampshire Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	98.0%	16,348	704	15,644	18	44	177	465	6,540	4,300	4,804
Estimated total	100.0%	16,617	716	15,901	18	45	181	472	6,650	4,383	4,868
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,850.1	122.8	2,727.3	3.1	7.7	31.0	81.0	1,140.6	751.8	834.9

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Steubenville-Weirton, Ohio-W. Va. (Includes Jefferson County, Ohio and Brooke and Hancock Counties, W. Va.)	165,627										
Area actually reporting	94.8%	1,816	224	1,692	9	15	56	144	764	616	212
Estimated total	100.0%	1,976	233	1,743	9	16	58	151	838	674	231
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,193.0	140.7	1,052.4	5.4	9.1	35.0	91.2	506.0	406.9	139.5
Stockton, Calif. (Includes San Joaquin County.)	290,208										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	13,119	1,175	11,944	26	57	615	477	5,540	4,473	1,931
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,520.6	404.9	4,115.7	9.0	19.6	211.9	164.4	1,909.0	1,541.3	665.4
Syracuse, N.Y. (Includes Madison, Onondaga and Oswego Counties.)	635,946										
Area actually reporting	94.7%	10,677	869	9,808	21	62	495	291	4,788	4,068	952
Estimated total	100.0%	11,335	916	10,419	22	64	517	313	5,018	4,352	1,049
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,782.4	144.0	1,638.3	3.5	10.1	81.3	49.2	789.1	684.3	165.0
Tacoma, Wash. (Includes Pierce County.)	411,027										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	11,792	985	10,807	24	83	288	590	5,233	4,009	1,565
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,868.9	239.6	2,629.3	5.8	20.2	70.1	143.5	1,273.2	975.4	380.8
Tallahassee, Fla. (Includes Leon County.)	103,047										
Area actually reporting	84.9%	2,652	340	2,312	7	20	85	228	1,258	841	213
Estimated total	100.0%	2,934	340	2,594	7	20	85	228	1,397	938	259
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,847.2	329.9	2,517.3	6.8	19.4	82.5	221.3	1,355.7	910.3	251.3
Tampa-St. Petersburg, Fla. (Includes Hillsborough and Pinellas Counties.)	1,012,594										
Area actually reporting	99.6%	34,910	4,689	30,221	96	204	1,765	2,624	17,458	9,870	2,893
Estimated total	100.0%	35,057	4,705	30,352	96	205	1,771	2,633	17,517	9,925	2,910
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,462.1	464.6	2,997.5	9.5	20.2	174.9	260.0	1,729.9	980.2	287.4
Terre Haute, Ind. (Includes Vigo, Clay, Sullivan and Vermillion Counties.)	175,143										
Area actually reporting	97.3%	3,321	189	3,132	3	11	66	109	1,458	1,297	377
Estimated total	100.0%	3,414	195	3,219	3	12	68	112	1,491	1,335	393
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,949.3	111.3	1,837.9	1.7	6.9	38.8	63.9	851.3	762.2	224.4
Texarkana, Tex.-Ark. (Includes Bowie County, Tex. and Miller County, Ark.)	101,198										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,974	334	1,640	8	13	69	244	689	746	205
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,950.6	330.0	1,620.6	7.9	12.8	68.2	241.1	680.8	737.2	202.6
Toledo, Ohio-Mich. (Includes Lucas and Wood Counties, Ohio, and Monroe County, Mich.)	692,571										
Area actually reporting	91.6%	16,798	1,829	14,969	35	111	1,072	611	7,234	5,838	1,897
Estimated total	100.0%	17,694	1,906	16,688	36	117	1,098	655	7,680	6,127	1,981
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,540.4	275.2	2,265.2	5.2	16.9	158.5	94.6	1,094.5	884.7	286.0
Topeka, Kans. (Includes Shawnee County.)	155,322										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	5,208	580	4,628	3	32	196	349	1,816	2,402	410
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,353.0	373.4	2,979.6	1.9	20.6	126.2	224.7	1,169.2	1,546.5	264.0
Trenton, N.J. (Includes Mercer County.)	303,968										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	11,908	1,117	10,791	31	61	750	285	5,144	3,690	1,957
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,917.5	367.5	3,550.0	10.2	16.8	246.7	93.8	1,692.3	1,213.9	643.8
Tucson, Ariz. (Includes Pima County.)	351,667										
Area actually reporting	100.0%	10,656	1,032	9,624	61	102	386	483	4,572	3,050	2,002
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,030.1	293.5	2,736.7	17.3	29.0	109.8	137.3	1,300.1	867.3	569.3
Tulsa, Okla. (Includes Creek, Osage and Tulsa Counties.)	475,991										
Area actually reporting	99.4%	15,109	1,204	13,905	45	96	423	640	5,785	5,705	2,415
Estimated total	100.0%	15,163	1,208	13,955	45	96	424	643	5,805	5,730	2,420
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,185.6	253.8	2,931.8	9.6	20.2	89.1	135.1	1,219.6	1,203.8	508.4

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Tuscaloosa, Ala.	116,029										
(Includes Tuscaloosa County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,660	426	2,234	11	14	48	353	1,222	741	271
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,292.5	367.1	1,925.4	9.5	12.1	41.4	304.2	1,053.2	638.6	233.6
Utica-Rome, N.Y.	340,477										
(Includes Herkimer and Oneida Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	97.8%	2,826	148	2,678	3	5	72	68	1,526	818	334
Estimated total	100.0%	2,975	158	2,817	3	5	77	73	1,678	883	356
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		873.8	46.4	827.4	.9	1.5	22.6	21.4	463.5	259.3	104.6
Vallejo-Napa, Calif.	249,081										
(Includes Solano and Napa Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	8,203	579	7,624	9	35	199	336	3,553	3,206	865
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,293.3	232.5	3,060.9	3.6	14.1	79.9	134.9	1,426.4	1,287.1	347.3
Vineland-Millville-Bridgeton, N.J.	121,374										
(Includes Cumberland County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,622	238	2,384	12	23	82	121	957	941	486
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,160.3	196.1	1,964.2	9.9	18.9	67.6	99.7	788.5	775.3	400.4
Waco, Tex.	147,553										
(Includes McLennan County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	4,394	540	3,854	11	23	178	328	2,103	1,371	380
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,977.9	366.0	2,611.9	7.5	15.6	120.6	222.3	1,425.3	929.2	257.5
Washington, D.C.-Md.-Va.	2,861,123										
(Includes District of Columbia; Montgomery and Prince Georges Counties, Md. and Alexandria, Fairfax and Falls Church Cities and Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun and Prince William Counties, Va.)											
Area actually reporting	99.7%	117,389	22,006	95,383	326	656	14,399	6,625	40,935	32,544	21,904
Estimated total	100.0%	117,611	22,029	95,582	326	657	14,407	6,639	40,987	32,656	21,939
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		4,110.7	769.9	3,340.7	11.4	23.0	503.5	232.0	1,432.5	1,141.4	766.8
Waterloo, Iowa	132,916										
(Includes Black Hawk County.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	2,338	273	2,065	5	15	85	168	699	1,156	210
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,759.0	205.4	1,553.6	3.8	11.3	64.0	126.4	625.9	869.7	158.0
West Palm Beach, Fla.	348,753										
(Includes Palm Beach County.)											
Area actually reporting	97.1%	11,898	1,725	10,173	42	63	434	1,186	5,154	4,056	963
Estimated total	100.0%	12,278	1,765	10,513	43	64	449	1,209	5,308	4,198	1,007
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,520.5	506.1	3,014.5	12.3	18.4	128.7	346.7	1,522.0	1,203.7	288.7
Wheeling, W. Va.-Ohio	182,712										
(Includes Marshall and Ohio Counties, W. Va., and Belmont County, Ohio.)											
Area actually reporting	86.0%	1,398	114	1,284	5	13	54	42	544	614	126
Estimated total	100.0%	1,844	147	1,697	6	15	64	62	710	784	203
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,009.2	80.5	928.8	3.3	8.2	35.0	33.9	388.6	429.1	111.1
Wichita, Kans.	389,352										
(Includes Sedgwick and Butler Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	13,038	1,119	11,919	21	72	500	526	6,393	4,729	1,797
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,348.6	287.4	3,061.2	5.4	18.5	128.4	135.1	1,385.1	1,214.6	461.5
Wichita Falls, Tex.	127,621										
(Includes Archer and Wichita Counties.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	1,978	272	1,706	7	11	59	195	844	604	258
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,549.9	213.1	1,336.8	5.5	8.6	46.2	152.8	661.3	473.3	202.2
Wilkes-Barre-Hazelton, Pa.	342,301										
(Includes Luzerne County.)											
Area actually reporting	92.8%	2,189	114	2,075	5	13	31	65	810	902	363
Estimated total	100.0%	2,533	143	2,390	5	15	42	81	941	1,018	431
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		740.0	41.8	698.2	1.5	4.4	12.3	23.7	274.9	297.4	125.9
Wilmington, Del.-N.J.-Md.	499,493										
(Includes New Castle County, Del., Salem County, N.J., and Cecil County, Md.)											
Area actually reporting	100.0%	14,352	1,272	13,080	33	72	537	630	5,139	4,890	3,051
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,873.3	254.7	2,618.7	6.6	14.4	107.5	126.1	1,028.8	979.0	610.8

See footnote at end of table.

Table 5.—*Index of Crime, 1970, Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas*—Continued

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area	Population	Total Crime Index	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary	Larceny $50 and over	Auto theft
Wilmington, N.C. (Includes New Hanover and Brunswick Counties.)	107,219										
Area actually reporting	77.4%	3,160	440	2,720	11	10	169	250	1,456	1,053	211
Estimated total	100.0%	3,490	476	3,014	13	12	176	275	1,611	1,173	230
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,255.0	444.0	2,811.1	12.1	11.2	164.2	256.5	1,502.5	1,094.0	214.5
Worcester, Mass. (Includes Worcester County.)	637,969										
Area actually reporting	91.5%	19,401	824	18,577	12	35	470	307	8,213	4,753	5,611
Estimated total	100.0%	20,662	883	19,779	13	39	491	340	8,727	5,142	5,910
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		3,238.7	138.4	3,100.3	2.0	6.1	77.0	53.3	1,367.9	806.0	926.4
York, Pa. (Includes York and Adams Counties.)	329,540										
Area actually reporting	97.5%	3,906	509	3,397	6	31	261	211	2,012	988	397
Estimated total	100.0%	4,019	519	3,500	6	32	265	216	2,055	1,026	419
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		1,219.6	157.5	1,062.1	1.8	9.7	80.4	65.5	623.6	311.3	127.1
Youngstown-Warren, Ohio (Includes Mahoning and Trumbull Counties.)	536,003										
Area actually reporting	98.8%	11,496	1,390	10,106	37	53	698	602	4,440	3,398	2,268
Estimated total	100.0%	11,601	1,398	10,203	37	53	701	607	4,476	3,439	2,288
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants		2,164.4	260.8	1,903.5	6.9	9.9	130.8	113.2	835.1	641.6	426.9

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

General United States Crime Statistics

The data presented in this section are primarily of value to law enforcement executives, news media and others for the purpose of comparing the crime experience of a community with the averages reported nationally by communities of similar size. Crime trends and rates are tabulated by grouping places according to population size. Police performance in clearing crimes by arrest is presented by population group and geographic division.

National city averages are also shown indicating the type and value of the property stolen, by offense and type, and value recovered by police investigation. Robbery, burglary and larceny-theft are examined by type, as well as where and when they occurred. An analysis is provided showing weapons used to commit murders as well as a distribution of murder victims by age, sex, and race. Dispositions made of persons formally charged for all criminal offenses are set forth in Table 15 and disposition data on juvenile offenders is provided by population group in Table 18.

City, suburban and rural arrest rates are shown for all criminal offenses. Arrest rates by population group are also listed for specific offenses. This is another step in building totals for crime categories other than those in the Crime Index and in presenting crimes known to the police through arrests.

Statistical data relating to suburban areas are provided for the use of law enforcement officials in suburban communities in making limited comparisons. Places used to establish totals for suburban areas include cities with 50,000 or less population together with county law enforcement agencies in standard metropolitan statistical areas. Of course, the crime experience of the large core city is excluded.

It is important to remember in studying averages that usually about half the units used must be above and about half below. National averages can provide the police administrator with valuable guidance in analyzing the local crime count, as well as the performance of his force in combating crime. The analysis, however, does not end with such a comparison, for it is only through an appraisal of local conditions that a clear picture of the community crime problem or the effectiveness of the police operation is possible.

Table 6.—*Crime Trends, Offenses Known to the Police, 1969–70, by Population Groups*

[1970 population]

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
TOTAL ALL AGENCIES: 5,695 agencies; total population 168,120,000:													
1969	6,494,613	4,601,202	587,746	3,913,456	12,796	7,624	32,433	285,303	257,215	1,753,914	1,345,158	1,985,687	814,384
1970	7,146,430	4,977,076	655,606	4,321,470	13,764	7,136	33,237	332,665	275,940	1,936,974	1,627,334	2,162,216	857,162
Percent change	+10.0	+10.6	+11.5	+10.4	+7.6	−6.4	+2.6	+16.6	+7.3	+10.4	+13.5	+8.9	+5.3
TOTAL CITIES: 4,033 cities; total population 116,634,000:													
1969	5,485,492	3,769,672	617,956	3,251,716	10,522	4,708	25,603	267,901	213,930	1,420,969	1,104,469	1,711,112	726,278
1970	6,017,238	4,143,305	578,860	3,564,446	11,208	4,330	25,300	312,582	228,670	1,565,196	1,237,071	1,869,603	762,178
Percent change	+9.7	+9.9	+11.8	+9.6	+6.5	−8.0	+2.7	+16.7	+6.9	+10.1	+12.0	+9.3	+4.9
GROUP I													
55 cities over 250,000; population 41,436,000:													
1969	2,704,010	2,052,616	361,489	1,691,127	6,822	2,495	16,403	212,065	126,199	756,251	483,973	648,899	450,903
1970	2,889,857	2,184,463	400,731	1,783,732	7,361	2,289	16,511	246,538	130,321	811,320	506,702	703,105	465,710
Percent change	+6.9	+6.4	+10.9	+5.5	+7.9	−8.3	+.7	+16.3	+3.3	+7.3	+4.7	+8.4	+3.3
6 cities over 1,000,000; population 18,743,000:													
1969	1,221,076	981,111	199,310	781,801	3,127	812	7,392	120,205	68,586	352,384	230,066	239,153	199,352
1970	1,318,597	1,054,699	225,811	828,888	3,458	770	7,216	145,815	69,322	376,534	235,688	263,128	216,666
Percent change	+8.0	+7.5	+13.3	+6.0	+10.6	−5.2	−2.4	+21.3	+1.1	+6.9	+2.4	+10.0	+8.7
19 cities, 500,000 to 1,000,000: population 12,227,000:													
1969	842,716	638,005	105,798	532,207	2,342	937	5,931	63,334	34,191	236,080	135,006	203,774	161,121
1970	872,154	654,195	111,091	543,104	2,366	874	6,161	67,168	35,396	246,699	141,189	217,085	155,216
Percent change	+3.5	+2.5	+5.0	+2.0	+1.0	−6.7	+3.9	+6.1	+3.5	+4.5	+4.6	+6.5	−3.7
30 cities, 250,000 to 500,000; population 10,466,000:													
1969	640,218	433,500	56,381	377,119	1,353	746	3,080	28,526	23,422	167,787	118,902	205,972	90,430
1970	699,106	475,569	63,829	411,740	1,537	645	3,134	33,555	25,603	188,087	129,825	222,892	93,828
Percent change	+9.2	+9.7	+13.2	+9.2	+13.6	−13.5	+1.8	+17.6	+9.3	+12.1	+9.2	+8.2	+3.8
GROUP II													
95 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 13,502,000:													
1969	720,463	470,256	51,096	419,160	1,262	736	2,961	20,928	25,945	182,507	144,799	249,471	91,854
1970	805,147	534,335	57,323	477,012	1,407	710	3,208	24,522	28,186	210,348	167,769	270,102	98,895
Percent change	+11.8	+13.6	+12.2	+13.8	+11.5	−3.5	+8.3	+17.2	+8.6	+15.3	+15.9	+8.3	+7.7

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 6.—*Crime Trends, Offenses Known to the Police, 1969–70, by Population Groups*—Continued

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
GROUP III													
246 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 16,993,000:													
1969	692,771	431,765	39,303	392,462	865	639	2,257	15,553	20,628	164,370	154,687	260,367	73,405
1970	778,337	488,417	44,201	444,216	884	546	2,503	17,950	22,864	184,950	181,425	289,374	77,841
Percent change	+12.4	+13.1	+12.5	+13.2	+2.2	−14.6	+10.9	+15.4	+10.8	+12.5	+17.3	+11.1	+6.0
GROUP IV													
486 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 16,833,000:													
1969	592,667	369,770	30,028	339,742	708	450	1,803	11,079	16,438	136,751	146,096	222,447	56,895
1970	670,381	423,422	35,194	388,228	721	402	1,857	13,808	18,808	155,811	171,053	246,557	61,364
Percent change	+13.1	+14.5	+17.2	+14.3	+1.8	−10.7	+3.0	+24.6	+14.4	+13.9	+17.1	+10.8	+7.9
GROUP V													
1,117 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 17,490,000:													
1969	524,060	300,608	24,104	276,504	599	275	1,510	6,166	15,829	121,829	117,294	223,177	37,381
1970	590,356	346,480	27,626	318,854	566	237	1,486	7,458	18,116	136,836	140,749	243,639	41,269
Percent change	+12.7	+15.3	+14.6	+15.3	−5.5	−13.8	−1.6	+21.0	+14.4	+12.3	+20.0	+9.2	+10.4
GROUP VI													
2,034 cities under 10,000; population 10,380,000:													
1969	251,521	144,657	11,936	132,721	266	113	669	2,110	8,891	59,261	57,620	106,751	15,840
1970	283,160	166,188	13,785	152,403	269	146	735	2,406	10,375	65,931	69,373	116,826	17,099
Percent change	+12.6	+14.9	+15.5	+14.8	+1.1	+29.2	+9.9	+14.0	+16.7	+11.3	+20.4	+9.4	+7.9
SUBURBAN AREA [3]													
2,234 agencies; population 56,121,000:													
1969	1,572,671	1,047,113	87,583	959,530	1,977	1,780	7,257	27,767	50,582	433,687	379,244	523,778	146,599
1970	1,768,931	1,194,566	99,249	1,095,317	2,130	1,797	7,318	33,187	56,614	484,258	450,137	572,563	160,922
Percent change	+12.5	+14.1	+13.3	+14.2	+7.7	+1.0	+.8	+19.5	+11.9	+11.7	+18.7	+9.3	+9.8
RURAL AREA													
1,322 agencies; population 21,981,000:													
1969	257,465	194,929	20,265	174,664	1,025	1,641	1,983	2,656	14,601	97,181	59,836	60,895	17,647
1970	290,301	223,830	21,874	201,956	1,178	1,464	2,087	3,030	15,579	108,906	74,732	65,007	18,318
Percent change	+12.8	+14.8	+7.9	+15.6	+14.9	−10.8	+5.2	+14.1	+6.7	+12.1	+24.9	+6.8	+3.8

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

[3] Includes suburban, city, and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups.

Table 7.—Crime Trends, Offenses Known to the Police, 1969–70, for Suburban and Nonsuburban Cities[1] by Population Groups

[1970 Population]

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime[2]	Property crime[3]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Suburban Cities													
TOTAL SUBURBAN CITIES: 1,894 cities; total population 26,616,000:													
1969	821,115	510,512	38,058	472,454	729	505	2,410	13,021	21,898	197,923	198,391	310,098	76,140
1970	930,040	584,625	44,377	540,248	752	455	2,468	16,234	24,923	221,386	234,606	344,960	84,256
Percent change	+13.3	+14.5	+16.6	+14.3	+3.2	−9.9	+2.4	+24.7	+13.8	+11.9	+18.3	+11.2	+10.7
GROUP IV													
313 cities 25,000 to 50,000; population 10,888,000:													
1969	374,551	242,656	18,948	223,708	356	275	1,119	7,701	9,772	89,377	93,251	131,620	41,080
1970	424,530	276,046	21,835	254,211	364	223	1,151	9,675	10,645	101,303	108,240	148,261	44,668
Percent change	+13.3	+13.8	+15.2	+13.6	+2.2	−18.9	+2.9	+25.6	+8.9	+13.3	+16.1	+12.6	+8.7
GROUP V													
681 cities 10,000 to 25,000; population 10,844,000:													
1969	317,796	190,428	13,369	177,059	255	163	956	3,935	8,223	77,615	73,932	127,205	25,512
1970	360,169	219,978	15,941	204,037	273	155	944	5,059	9,665	85,889	88,997	140,036	29,151
Percent change	+13.3	+15.5	+19.2	+15.2	+7.1	−4.9	−1.3	+28.6	+17.5	+10.7	+20.4	+10.1	+14.3
GROUP VI													
900 cities under 10,000; population 4,883,000:													
1969	128,768	77,428	5,741	71,687	118	67	335	1,385	3,903	30,931	31,208	51,273	9,548
1970	145,341	88,601	6,601	82,000	115	77	373	1,500	4,613	34,194	37,369	56,663	10,437
Percent change	+12.9	+14.4	+15.0	+14.4	−2.5	+14.9	+11.3	+8.3	+18.2	+10.5	+19.7	+10.5	+9.3
Nonsuburban Cities													
TOTAL NONSUBURBAN CITIES: 1,743 cities; total population 18,087,000:													
1969	547,133	304,523	28,010	276,513	844	333	1,572	6,334	19,260	119,918	122,619	242,277	33,976
1970	513,857	351,465	32,228	319,237	804	330	1,610	7,438	22,375	137,192	146,569	262,062	35,476
Percent change	+12.2	+15.4	+15.1	+15.5	−4.7	−.9	+2.4	+17.4	+16.2	+14.4	+19.5	+8.2	+4.4
GROUP IV													
173 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 5,944,000:													
1969	218,116	127,114	11,080	116,034	352	175	684	3,378	6,666	47,374	52,845	90,827	15,815
1970	245,851	147,376	13,359	134,017	357	179	706	4,133	8,163	54,508	62,813	98,296	16,696
Percent change	+12.7	+15.9	+20.6	+15.5	+1.4	+2.3	+3.2	+22.4	+22.5	+15.1	+18.9	+8.2	+5.6
GROUP V													
436 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 6,646,000:													
1969	206,264	110,180	10,735	99,445	344	112	554	2,231	7,606	44,214	43,362	95,972	11,869
1970	230,187	126,502	11,685	114,817	293	82	542	2,399	8,451	50,947	51,752	103,603	12,118
Percent change	+11.6	+14.8	+8.8	+15.5	−14.8	−26.8	−2.2	+7.5	+11.1	+15.2	+19.3	+8.0	+2.1
GROUP VI													
1,134 cities under 10,000; population 5,497,000:													
1969	122,753	67,229	6,195	61,034	148	46	334	725	4,988	28,330	26,412	55,478	6,292
1970	137,819	77,587	7,184	70,403	154	69	362	906	5,762	31,737	32,004	60,163	6,662
Percent change	+12.3	+15.4	+16.0	+15.4	+4.1	+50.0	+8.4	+25.0	+15.5	+12.0	+21.2	+8.4	+5.9

[1] Suburban places are within Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas and include suburban city and county police agencies within the metropolitan area. Excludes core cities; nonsuburban places are outside S.M.S.A.'s.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

Table 8.—*Crime Trends, Offenses Known to the Police, 1969–70, for Suburban and Nonsuburban Counties by Population Groups*

[1970 population]

Population group	Grand total	Crime index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Suburban Counties													
Over 100,000													
78 counties, population 18,695,000:													
1969	541,486	378,295	34,860	343,435	749	412	3,071	11,250	19,790	160,982	132,076	162,779	50,377
1970	607,706	432,429	39,133	393,296	827	451	3,095	13,116	22,095	179,828	157,354	174,826	56,114
Percent change	+12.2	+14.3	+12.3	+14.5	+10.4	+9.5	+.8	+16.6	+11.6	+11.7	+19.1	+7.4	+11.4
25,000 to 100,000													
177 counties, population 9,554,000:													
1969	143,076	105,358	10,220	95,138	330	299	1,230	2,252	6,408	49,887	35,224	37,419	10,027
1970	157,463	118,659	10,835	107,824	343	296	1,153	2,577	6,762	56,031	41,475	38,508	10,318
Percent change	+10.1	+12.6	+6.0	+13.3	+3.9	−1.0	−6.3	+14.4	+5.5	+12.3	+17.7	+2.9	+2.9
10,000 to 25,000													
63 counties, population 1,204,000:													
1969	15,722	12,824	1,272	11,552	55	40	193	240	784	6,388	4,070	2,858	1,094
1970	17,782	14,511	1,477	13,034	65	90	164	252	996	6,884	4,954	3,181	1,196
Percent change	+13.1	+13.2	+16.1	+12.8	+18.2	+125.0	−15.0	+5.0	+27.0	+7.8	+21.7	+11.3	+9.3
Nonsuburban Counties													
25,000 to 100,000													
247 counties, population 9,952,000:													
1969	84,108	60,626	6,959	53,667	237	100	647	787	5,288	29,530	19,975	23,382	4,162
1970	98,221	73,429	8,160	65,269	320	92	734	1,038	6,068	35,112	25,648	24,700	4,509
Percent change	+16.8	+21.1	+17.3	+21.6	+35.0	−8.0	+13.4	+31.9	+14.8	+18.9	+28.4	+5.6	+8.3
10,000 to 25,000													
486 counties, population 7,696,000:													
1969	61,171	46,552	5,414	41,138	239	115	519	556	4,100	22,365	16,093	14,504	2,680
1970	68,996	53,253	5,396	47,857	284	137	509	605	3,998	25,198	19,813	15,606	2,846
Percent change	+12.8	+14.4	−.3	+16.3	+18.8	+19.1	−1.9	+8.8	−2.5	+12.7	+23.1	+7.6	+6.2
Under 10,000													
573 counties, population 3,265,000:													
1969	32,182	24,888	2,584	22,304	128	62	228	250	1,978	11,755	9,223	7,232	1,326
1970	37,026	28,719	2,814	25,905	150	60	232	285	2,147	13,206	11,224	8,247	1,475
Percent change	+15.1	+15.4	+8.9	+16.1	+17.2	−3.2	+1.8	+14.0	+8.5	+12.3	+21.7	+14.0	+11.2

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

Table 9.—*Crime Rates, Offenses Known to the Police, 1970, by Population Groups*

[1970 population. Rate=Number of crimes per 100,000 inhabitants]

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
TOTAL ALL AGENCIES: 6,414 agencies; total population 177,476,000:													
Number of offenses known	7,548,166	5,243,654	890,510	4,553,144	14,154	7,331	34,585	341,508	300,263	2,034,717	1,631,645	2,297,181	886,782
Rate	4253.1	2954.6	389.1	2565.5	8.0	4.1	19.5	192.4	169.2	1146.5	919.4	1294.4	499.7
TOTAL CITIES: 4,481 cities; total population 121,254,000:													
Number of offenses known	6,346,537	4,351,584	807,784	3,743,800	11,316	4,437	27,163	320,634	248,671	1,635,042	1,323,567	1,990,516	785,191
Rate	5234.1	3588.8	501.2	3087.6	9.3	3.7	22.4	264.4	205.1	1348.4	1091.5	1641.6	647.6
GROUP I													
56 cities over 250,000; population 42,181,000:													
Number of offenses known	3,016,998	2,250,404	413,559	1,836,845	7,361	2,317	16,764	248,611	140,823	821,529	544,192	764,277	471,024
Rate	7152.5	5335.1	980.4	4354.7	17.5	5.5	39.7	589.4	333.9	1947.9	1290.1	1811.9	1116.7
6 cities over 1,000,000; population 18,743,000:													
Number of offenses known	1,318,597	1,064,699	225,811	838,888	3,458	770	7,216	145,815	69,322	376,534	235,688	263,128	216,666
Rate	7035.0	5627.1	1204.8	4422.3	18.4	4.1	38.5	778.0	369.9	2008.9	1257.5	1403.9	1156.0
20 cities, 500,000 to 1,000,000; population 12,971,000:													
Number of offenses known	988,273	717,556	123,182	594,374	2,366	902	6,414	69,241	45,161	257,008	176,836	259,815	160,530
Rate	7618.8	5531.8	949.6	4582.2	18.2	7.0	49.4	533.8	348.2	1981.3	1363.3	2080.1	1237.6
30 cities, 250,000 to 500,000; population 10,466,000:													
Number of offenses known	710,128	478,149	64,566	413,583	1,537	645	3,134	33,555	26,340	188,087	131,668	231,334	93,828
Rate	6785.0	4568.5	616.9	3951.6	14.7	6.2	29.9	320.6	251.7	1797.1	1258.0	2210.3	896.5
GROUP II													
98 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 14,051,000:													
Number of offenses known	876,429	589,645	63,278	526,368	1,407	744	3,331	27,950	30,590	236,893	185,099	285,039	104,576
Rate	6237.5	4196.5	450.3	3746.1	10.0	5.3	23.7	198.9	217.7	1684.5	1317.3	2035.7	744.3
GROUP III													
252 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 17,425,000:													
Number of offenses known	817,711	515,607	47,661	467,946	912	555	2,671	19,202	24,876	194,203	190,629	301,549	83,114
Rate	4692.7	2959.0	273.5	2685.5	5.2	3.2	15.3	110.2	142.8	1114.5	1094.0	1730.5	477.0

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 9.—*Crime Rates, Offenses Known to the Police, 1970, by Population Groups*—Continued

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
GROUP IV													
604 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 17,398,000:													
Number of offenses known	701,308	443,429	37,297	406,132	729	413	1,950	14,316	20,302	163,567	178,394	257,466	64,171
Rate	4030.9	2548.7	214.4	2334.3	4.2	2.4	11.2	82.3	116.7	940.1	1025.4	1479.8	368.8
GROUP V													
1,177 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 18,466,000:													
Number of offenses known	619,420	365,779	29,403	336,376	602	246	1,585	7,786	19,430	144,969	148,187	253,395	43,220
Rate	3354.3	1980.8	159.2	1821.6	3.3	1.3	8.6	42.2	105.2	785.0	802.6	1372.2	234.0
GROUP VI													
2,394 cities under 10,000; population 11,733,000:													
Number of offenses known	314,671	186,719	16,586	170,133	305	162	862	2,769	12,650	73,981	77,066	127,790	19,086
Rate	2682.0	1591.4	141.4	1450.1	2.6	1.4	7.3	23.6	107.8	630.6	656.8	1089.2	162.7
SUBURBAN AREA [3]													
2,415 agencies; population 69,177,000:													
Number of offenses known	1,864,242	1,264,591	104,555	1,160,036	2,240	1,840	7,671	34,529	60,115	515,868	473,865	597,811	170,303
Rate	3150.3	2137.0	176.7	1960.3	3.8	3.1	13.0	58.3	101.6	871.7	800.8	1010.2	287.8
RURAL AREA													
1,563 agencies; population 26,012,000:													
Number of offenses known	318,002	246,279	25,481	220,798	1,372	1,625	2,364	3,333	18,412	119,345	81,379	70,198	20,074
Rate	1271.4	984.6	101.9	882.8	5.5	6.1	9.5	13.3	73.6	477.2	325.4	280.7	80.3

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

[3] Includes suburban, city, and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups.

Population figures rounded to the nearest thousand. All rates were calculated on the population before rounding.

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Table 10.—*Crime Rates, Offenses Known to the Police, 1970, for Suburban and Nonsuburban Cities by Population Groups*

[1970 population. Rate: Number of crimes per 100,000 inhabitants]

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Suburban Cities													
TOTAL SUBURBAN CITIES:													
2,045 cities; total population 27,967,000:													
Number of offenses known	**980,615**	**618,800**	**47,310**	**571,490**	**774**	**471**	**2,613**	**16,988**	**26,935**	**235,538**	**247,166**	**361,344**	**88,786**
Rate	**3506.3**	**2212.6**	**169.2**	**2043.4**	**2.8**	**1.7**	**9.3**	**60.7**	**96.3**	**842.2**	**883.8**	**1292.0**	**317.5**
GROUP IV													
323 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 11,190,000: Number of offenses known	442,185	288,505	22,926	265,579	369	229	1,205	10,015	11,337	106,642	112,129	153,451	46,808
Rate	3951.7	2578.3	204.9	2373.4	3.3	2.0	10.8	89.5	101.3	953.0	1002.1	1371.4	418.3
GROUP V													
714 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 11,428,000: Number of offenses known	379,662	233,042	16,879	216,163	282	160	1,001	5,285	10,311	91,380	94,272	146,460	30,511
Rate	3322.3	2039.3	147.7	1891.6	2.5	1.4	8.8	46.2	90.2	799.6	824.9	1281.6	267.0
GROUP VI													
1,008 cities under 10,000; population 5,350,000: Number of offenses known	158,768	97,253	7,505	89,748	123	82	407	1,688	5,287	37,516	40,765	61,433	11,467
Rate	2967.8	1817.9	140.3	1677.6	2.3	1.5	7.6	31.6	98.8	701.3	762.0	1148.3	214.3
Nonsuburban Cities													
TOTAL NONSUBURBAN CITIES:													
2,030 cities; total population 19,630,000:													
Number of offenses known	**654,784**	**377,127**	**35,976**	**341,151**	**862**	**350**	**1,784**	**7,883**	**25,447**	**146,979**	**156,481**	**277,307**	**37,691**
Rate	**3335.6**	**1921.2**	**183.3**	**1737.9**	**4.4**	**1.8**	**9.1**	**40.2**	**129.6**	**748.7**	**797.2**	**1412.7**	**192.0**
GROUP IV													
181 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 6,209,000: Number of offenses known	259,123	154,924	14,371	140,553	360	184	745	4,301	8,965	56,925	66,265	104,015	17,363
Rate	4173.6	2495.3	231.5	2263.9	5.8	3.0	12.0	69.3	144.4	916.9	1067.3	1675.4	279.7
GROUP V													
463 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 7,039,000: Number of offenses known	239,758	132,737	12,524	120,213	320	86	584	2,501	9,119	53,589	53,915	106,935	12,709
Rate	3406.4	1885.9	177.9	1707.9	4.5	1.2	8.3	35.5	129.6	761.4	766.0	1519.3	180.6
GROUP VI													
1,386 cities under 10,000; population 6,383,000: Number of offenses known	155,903	89,466	9,081	80,385	182	80	455	1,081	7,363	36,465	36,301	66,357	7,619
Rate	2442.5	1401.6	142.3	1259.4	2.9	1.3	7.1	16.9	115.4	571.3	568.7	1039.6	119.4

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

Table 11.—*Crime Rates, Offenses Known to the Police, 1970, Suburban and Nonsuburban Counties by Population Groups*

[1970 population. Rate: Number of crimes per 100,000 inhabitants]

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Suburban Counties													
Over 100,000													
82 counties, population 19,576,000:													
Number of offenses known	642,687	460,194	40,699	419,495	878	453	3,256	13,538	23,027	193,559	166,178	182,040	59,758
Rate	3283.0	2350.8	207.9	2142.9	4.5	2.3	16.6	69.2	117.6	988.7	848.9	929.9	305.3
25,000 to 100,000													
194 counties, population 10,253,000:													
Number of offenses known	163,505	123,405	11,380	112,025	375	314	1,180	2,668	7,157	58,271	42,963	39,786	10,791
Rate	1594.7	1203.6	111.0	1092.6	3.7	3.1	11.5	26.0	69.8	568.3	419.0	388.1	105.3
10,000 to 25,000													
70 counties, population 1,329,000:													
Number of offenses known	18,830	15,479	1,532	13,947	65	92	165	259	1,043	7,277	5,365	3,259	1,305
Rate	1417.2	1165.0	115.3	1049.7	4.9	6.9	12.4	19.5	78.5	547.7	403.8	245.3	98.2
Nonsuburban Counties													
25,000 to 100,000													
271 counties, population 10,740,000:													
Number of offenses known	104,819	78,522	9,139	69,383	376	107	808	1,124	6,831	37,227	27,307	26,190	4,849
Rate	975.9	731.1	85.1	646.0	3.5	1.0	7.5	10.5	63.6	346.6	254.2	243.8	45.1
10,000 to 25,000													
588 counties, population 9,243,000:													
Number of offenses known	80,791	63,059	7,068	55,991	373	171	635	712	5,348	29,906	22,608	17,561	3,477
Rate	874.1	682.2	76.5	605.8	4.0	1.9	6.9	7.7	57.9	323.6	244.6	190.0	37.6
Under 10,000													
686 counties, population 3,961,000:													
Number of offenses known	43,062	33,409	3,503	29,906	189	69	287	358	2,669	15,244	12,830	9,584	1,832
Rate	1087.2	843.5	88.4	755.1	4.8	1.7	7.2	9.0	67.4	384.9	323.9	242.0	46.3

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

Table 12.—*Offenses Known and Percent Cleared by Arrest, 1970, by Population Groups*

[1970 population]

Population group	Grand total	Crime index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					Total	$50 and over	
TOTAL CITIES													
4,068 cities; total population 102,316,000:													
Offenses known	5,044,868	3,310,390	418,393	2,891,997	8,898	3,978	21,038	201,897	186,560	1,247,541	2,775,734	1,045,234	599,222
Percent cleared by arrest	21.0	20.1	47.6	16.1	86.5	80.9	56.4	29.1	54.9	19.4	18.4	11.7	16.9
GROUP I													
51 cities over 250,000; total population 29,323,000:													
Offenses known	1,993,910	1,387,265	239,955	1,147,310	5,222	1,965	11,518	135,951	87,264	502,922	935,426	330,746	313,642
Percent cleared by arrest	22.7	23.2	48.3	18.0	85.9	81.6	56.3	29.8	62.4	21.9	19.5	13.2	16.6
3 cities over 1,000,000; total population 6,548,000:													
Offenses known	356,055	233,634	58,059	175,575	1,451	482	2,268	35,980	18,360	75,979	154,514	32,575	67,021
Percent cleared by arrest	27.4	28.0	45.7	22.2	87.6	85.7	57.8	36.4	59.2	23.8	24.7	19.9	21.6
20 cities, 500,000 to 1,000,000; total population 12,971,000:													
Offenses known	988,273	717,556	123,182	594,374	2,366	902	6,414	69,241	45,161	257,008	446,651	176,836	160,530
Percent cleared by arrest	21.7	22.0	41.8	17.9	86.0	84.6	55.1	27.3	59.9	22.5	17.8	13.2	15.7
28 cities, 250,000 to 500,000; total population 9,804,000:													
Offenses known	649,582	436,075	58,714	377,361	1,405	581	2,836	30,730	23,743	169,935	334,261	121,335	86,091
Percent cleared by arrest	21.5	20.3	47.4	16.1	84.1	73.7	57.6	27.8	69.5	20.3	19.3	11.3	14.6
GROUP II													
94 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; total population 13,541,000:													
Offenses known	840,938	567,257	61,413	505,844	1,353	719	3,251	26,903	29,906	227,317	451,360	178,398	100,129
Percent cleared by arrest	19.9	19.0	50.3	15.2	88.7	80.1	56.6	28.3	67.7	18.8	17.5	11.0	14.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 12.—*Offenses Known and Percent Cleared by Arrest, 1970, by Population Groups—Continued*

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					Total	$50 and over	
GROUP III													
233 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; total population 16,120,000:													
Offenses known	728,563	457,984	42,753	415,231	832	519	2,339	16,774	22,808	172,968	440,281	170,221	72,042
Percent cleared by arrest	19.5	18.0	50.5	14.6	84.9	81.7	53.1	27.3	66.1	17.5	17.8	11.2	15.9
GROUP IV													
465 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; total population 16,076,000:													
Offenses known	646,926	406,289	33,812	372,477	662	400	1,767	12,873	18,510	149,433	405,456	166,219	57,825
Percent cleared by arrest	19.6	17.0	49.0	14.1	86.4	74.3	56.9	25.4	63.3	16.5	18.5	10.7	17.5
GROUP V													
1,065 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; total population 16,638,000:													
Offenses known	554,443	325,924	26,011	299,913	549	225	1,395	6,991	17,076	129,304	360,220	131,926	38,683
Percent cleared by arrest	19.8	18.6	58.0	15.2	90.5	89.3	58.1	28.4	69.1	17.6	17.6	10.9	22.1
GROUP VI													
2,160 cities under 10,000; total population 10,618,000:													
Offenses known	280,088	165,671	14,449	151,222	280	150	768	2,405	10,996	65,597	182,991	68,724	16,901
Percent cleared by arrest	21.1	20.2	64.3	16.0	83.6	78.7	62.9	33.5	70.7	17.8	18.2	11.6	27.0
SUBURBAN AREA [3]													
2,141 agencies; total population 52,065,000:													
Offenses known	1,626,636	1,096,243	90,618	1,005,625	1,889	1,642	6,484	30,186	52,059	442,802	943,641	414,890	147,933
Percent cleared by arrest	17.8	16.6	48.7	13.8	82.3	69.1	52.3	26.7	59.7	15.9	15.7	9.9	18.1
RURAL AREA													
1,350 agencies; total population 21,136,000:													
Offenses known	273,984	211,490	20,031	191,459	1,049	1,385	1,916	2,619	14,447	105,023	131,426	70,317	16,119
Percent cleared by arrest	24.8	25.7	71.7	20.9	87.7	62.6	70.2	47.6	75.2	21.1	18.6	16.5	38.2

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

[3] Includes suburban, city, and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups

Table 13.—*Offenses Known and Percent Cleared by Arrest, 1970, by Geographic Divisions*

[1970 population]

Geographic division	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					Total	$50 and over	
TOTAL ALL DIVISIONS													
4,068 cities; total population 102,316,000;													
Offenses known	**5,044,868**	**3,310,390**	**418,393**	**2,891,997**	**8,898**	**3,978**	**21,038**	**201,897**	**186,560**	**1,247,541**	**2,775,734**	**1,045,234**	**599,222**
Percent cleared by arrest	**21.0**	**20.1**	**47.6**	**16.1**	**86.5**	**80.9**	**56.4**	**29.1**	**64.9**	**19.4**	**18.4**	**11.7**	**16.9**
NEW ENGLAND STATES													
341 cities; total population 8,750,000:													
Offenses known	339,391	256,214	17,923	238,291	322	255	928	8,232	8,441	96,716	156,139	73,217	68,358
Percent cleared by arrest	17.3	16.9	49.8	14.4	81.4	69.4	61.9	29.3	67.3	16.3	15.5	12.0	14.3
MIDDLE ATLANTIC STATES													
984 cities; total population 18,144,000:													
Offenses known	605,467	432,207	51,617	380,590	1,078	555	2,280	28,067	20,192	156,898	306,494	133,789	89,903
Percent cleared by arrest	25.4	17.6	42.8	14.2	84.3	76.2	58.3	25.2	63.5	18.0	14.8	10.1	13.5
EAST NORTH CENTRAL STATES													
870 cities; total population 23,349,000:													
Offenses known	1,121,946	696,638	102,013	594,625	2,040	811	4,951	54,136	40,886	235,557	642,765	218,268	140,800
Percent cleared by arrest	22.2	21.3	46.0	17.1	84.5	87.8	55.1	32.4	61.1	21.0	19.9	12.7	17.4
WEST NORTH CENTRAL STATES													
429 cities; total population 8,860,000:													
Offenses known	436,510	264,083	30,627	233,456	630	290	1,911	15,451	12,635	98,868	257,940	85,803	48,785
Percent cleared by arrest	22.1	21.3	44.9	18.2	84.8	71.7	58.7	25.8	64.3	21.9	19.6	12.2	21.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 13.—*Offenses Known and Percent Cleared by Arrest, 1970, by Geographic Divisions*—Continued

Geographic division	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					Total	$50 and over	
SOUTH ATLANTIC STATES													
350 cities; total population 11,625,000:													
Offenses known	731,927	500,048	89,255	410,793	1,962	602	3,040	42,496	41,757	190,575	382,977	151,700	68,518
Percent cleared by arrest	21.8	21.7	47.8	16.0	89.4	88.5	59.1	26.2	67.0	18.7	17.8	11.7	18.4
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES													
238 cities; total population 4,620,000:													
Offenses known	179,961	135,594	16,411	119,183	557	228	756	5,703	9,395	54,975	86,278	42,139	22,069
Percent cleared by arrest	20.4	19.1	60.4	13.4	89.6	68.4	67.5	28.6	77.4	16.9	16.9	9.3	14.7
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL STATES													
300 cities; total population 11,022,000:													
Offenses known	571,161	373,223	50,322	322,901	1,365	640	2,678	20,265	26,014	153,647	306,851	109,553	59,701
Percent cleared by arrest	24.5	23.1	52.6	18.4	89.1	84.7	57.1	31.7	66.6	21.3	22.3	14.0	19.3
MOUNTAIN STATES													
202 cities; total population 4,622,000:													
Offenses known	298,326	179,914	16,803	163,111	342	237	1,302	6,185	8,974	70,447	183,520	65,345	27,319
Percent cleared by arrest	20.3	18.2	51.7	14.7	85.7	81.4	49.9	33.5	63.2	18.8	18.2	9.0	18.2
PACIFIC STATES													
354 cities; total population 11,323,000:													
Offenses known	760,179	472,469	43,422	429,047	602	360	3,192	21,352	18,266	189,858	452,770	165,420	73,769
Percent cleared by arrest	19.5	18.5	45.6	15.8	83.6	76.7	50.7	30.6	61.1	19.5	17.5	11.4	16.3

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.
[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

Table 14.—*Offenses Cleared, 1970, by Arrest of Persons Under 18 Years of Age*

[Percent of total cleared; 1970 population]

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					Total	$50 and over	
TOTAL CITIES													
3,981 cities; total population 95,924,000:													
Total clearances	**955,812**	**599,503**	**174,636**	**424,867**	**6,722**	**2,882**	**10,488**	**47,010**	**110,416**	**224,246**	**463,783**	**110,356**	**90,265**
Percent under 18	**34.8**	**29.5**	**13.4**	**36.1**	**6.0**	**6.0**	**13.2**	**21.3**	**10.5**	**36.8**	**40.4**	**28.6**	**43.5**
GROUP I													
48 cities over 250,000; total population 24,882,000:													
Total clearances	373,167	259,991	84,579	175,412	3,650	1,297	5,343	29,584	46,002	97,595	146,692	34,813	43,004
Percent under 18	29.9	26.4	14.1	32.3	6.5	5.2	12.7	21.2	10.3	31.1	34.9	23.5	42.0
2 cities over 1,000,000; total population 3,181,000:													
Total clearances	35,742	26,724	9,226	17,498	544	127	534	3,866	4,282	8,348	11,376	2,485	6,665
Percent under 18	22.0	18.9	14.4	21.2	6.3	11.0	17.8	13.9	15.4	25.1	27.5	13.0	19.5
19 cities, 500,000 to 1,000,000; total population 12,256,000:													
Total clearances	201,022	147,349	48,372	98,977	1,946	748	3,249	17,532	25,645	55,692	71,976	19,051	24,234
Percent under 18	29.4	26.7	15.1	32.3	5.8	5.2	12.1	23.6	10.3	30.3	33.6	22.8	44.6
27 cities 250,000 to 500,000; total population 9,445,000:													
Total clearances	136,403	85,918	26,981	58,937	1,160	422	1,560	8,186	16,075	33,555	63,340	13,277	12,105
Percent under 18	32.6	28.2	12.2	35.5	7.8	3.6	12.3	19.3	8.9	34.0	37.6	26.6	49.3
GROUP II													
91 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; total population 13,135,000:													
Total clearances	160,092	103,933	30,241	73,692	1,163	561	1,776	7,396	19,906	40,947	74,458	18,860	13,885
Percent under 18	33.6	29.3	12.8	36.0	5.9	6.1	13.4	21.2	10.0	36.3	38.3	27.1	47.3
GROUP III													
224 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; total population 15,515,000:													
Total clearances	134,368	77,139	20,074	57,065	646	416	1,137	4,148	14,143	28,454	74,750	17,937	10,674
Percent under 18	36.7	30.7	13.3	36.7	5.3	5.0	11.9	20.8	11.7	38.9	41.1	28.3	45.2

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 14.—*Offenses Cleored, 1970, by Arrest of Persons Under 18 Years of Age*—Continued

Population group	Grand total	Crime Index total	Violent crime [1]	Property crime [2]	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
					Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					Total	$50 and over	
GROUP IV													
454 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; total population 15,667,000:													
Total clearances	123,520	66,906	16,114	50,792	564	293	975	3,158	11,417	23,929	73,341	17,020	9,843
Percent under 18	41.0	34.4	13.3	41.0	5.3	9.2	15.3	22.3	11.0	45.1	45.4	33.5	44.3
GROUP V													
1,047 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; total population 16,347,000:													
Total clearances	107,083	58,889	14,581	44,308	478	199	791	1,941	11,371	21,937	61,963	13,968	8,403
Percent under 18	40.9	33.4	11.6	40.6	4.4	7.0	13.3	21.7	10.1	44.9	46.3	32.6	42.7
GROUP VI													
2,117 cities, under 10,000; total population 10,379,000:													
Total clearances	57,582	32,645	9,047	23,598	221	116	466	783	7,577	11,384	32,579	7,758	4,456
Percent under 18	41.3	35.0	11.7	43.9	6.3	7.8	17.6	21.8	10.5	49.7	46.8	37.1	40.9
SUBURBAN AREA [3]													
2,090 agencies; total population 49,910,000:													
Total clearances	278,432	174,081	42,148	131,933	1,502	1,121	3,197	7,758	29,691	67,209	142,248	39,018	25,706
Percent under 18	37.8	32.1	14.2	37.9	6.5	7.3	13.7	22.2	12.5	41.4	43.0	30.6	39.8
RURAL AREA													
1,306 agencies; total population 20,151,000:													
Total clearances	63,690	50,586	12,926	37,660	850	847	1,239	1,161	9,676	21,002	23,151	10,894	5,764
Percent under 18	25.5	24.6	7.7	30.3	4.5	4.6	11.6	11.6	7.1	34.0	26.6	21.7	33.1

[1] Violent crime offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny $50 and over and auto theft.

[3] Includes suburban, city, and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups

Table 15.—*Disposition of Persons Formally Charged by the Police; 1970*

[3,025 cities; 1970 population 68,897,000]

Offense	Charged (held for prosecution)	Guilty		Acquitted or dismissed	Referred to juvenile court
		Offense charged	Lesser offense		
Total	**2,602,511**	**63.3**	**3.5**	**15.2**	**18.0**
Criminal homicide:					
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	3,585	35.2	20.1	34.3	10.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	961	38.4	10.8	42.2	8.5
Forcible rape	4,915	27.7	15.6	34.8	21.9
Robbery	23,320	25.2	11.1	23.6	40.1
Aggravated assault	38,466	36.3	14.5	31.1	18.1
Burglary—breaking or entering	97,282	23.1	8.6	12.9	55.5
Larceny—theft	236,495	45.6	3.9	14.5	36.0
Auto theft	47,519	18.7	5.3	13.9	62.1
Violent crime [1]	70,286	31.9	13.7	29.0	25.3
Property crime [2]	381,296	36.5	5.3	14.0	44.2
Subtotal for above offenses	452,543	35.8	6.6	16.4	41.2
Other assaults	123,729	46.4	4.0	36.0	13.7
Arson	3,163	17.8	4.6	15.4	62.2
Forgery and counterfeiting	13,903	55.9	10.3	21.2	12.6
Fraud	28,133	65.4	4.3	26.8	3.5
Embezzlement	2,884	51.1	6.2	32.3	10.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	20,043	36.6	6.7	21.3	35.4
Vandalism	35,320	24.8	1.4	19.9	53.8
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	37,164	58.3	6.2	22.0	13.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	11,818	67.5	2.7	27.2	2.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	19,278	51.9	7.9	21.2	18.9
Narcotic drug laws	93,583	40.6	5.9	25.1	28.4
Gambling	27,877	69.0	3.7	26.0	1.3
Offenses against family and children	22,919	55.1	2.9	29.1	12.9
Driving under the influence	177,846	75.8	15.4	7.9	.8
Liquor laws	105,005	65.1	1.5	12.3	21.1
Drunkenness	803,823	91.5	.3	6.7	1.5
Disorderly conduct	217,237	60.5	1.0	23.0	15.4
Vagrancy	29,606	68.2	.9	23.9	7.1
All other offenses	376,637	48.4	1.5	16.8	33.2

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 16.—*Persons Charged—Percent Arrested or Summoned—1970*

[1,223 cities; 1970 population 31,200,000]

Offense	Number of persons charged	Percent of charged	
		Arrested	Summoned
Total	**1,263,420**	**86.9**	**13.1**
Criminal homicide:			
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,262	96.4	3.6
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	734	84.7	15.3
Forcible rape	2,878	93.8	6.2
Robbery	14,519	94.9	5.1
Aggravated assault	22,827	89.2	10.8
Burglary—breaking or entering	52,352	86.5	13.5
Larceny—theft	130,756	78.8	21.2
Auto theft	22,626	86.5	13.5
Violent crime	41,486	91.8	8.2
Property crime	205,734	81.7	18.3
Subtotal for above offenses	247,954	83.4	16.6
Other assaults	66,573	82.2	17.8
Arson	2,012	79.3	20.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	7,941	89.1	10.9
Fraud	19,002	84.4	15.6
Embezzlement	1,360	80.6	19.4
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	15,740	91.5	8.5
Vandalism	18,206	71.5	28.5
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	19,855	94.4	5.6
Prostitution and commercialized vice	9,071	91.3	8.7
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	10,409	89.3	10.7
Narcotic drug laws	64,805	94.2	5.8
Gambling	10,507	91.5	8.5
Offenses against family and children	13,337	67.6	32.4
Driving under the influence	62,358	91.4	8.6
Liquor laws	48,324	74.9	25.1
Drunkenness	317,695	96.0	4.0
Disorderly conduct	120,837	86.4	13.6
Vagrancy	13,471	90.3	9.7
All other offenses	193,963	78.4	21.6

Table 17.—*Offenses Known, Cleared; Persons Arrested, Charged and Disposed of in 1970*

[2,221 cities; 1970 population 59,532,000]

Type	TOTAL	Violent [1] crime	Property [2] crime	Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft	Auto theft
Offenses known	2,925,235	209,384	2,715,851	4,499	11,861	97,558	95,466	728,805	1,642,095	344,951
Offenses cleared	579,389	100,868	478,521	3,853	6,667	27,012	63,336	135,266	286,373	56,882
Percent cleared	19.8	48.2	17.6	85.6	56.2	27.7	66.3	18.6	17.4	16.5
TOTAL ARRESTS	561,768	89,378	472,390	4,588	6,081	31,337	47,372	116,565	299,450	56,375
Per 100 offenses	19.2	42.7	17.4	102.0	51.3	32.1	49.6	16.0	18.2	16.3
Arrests under 18	279,446	20,703	258,743	496	1,243	10,516	8,448	64,275	159,603	34,865
Per 100 offenses	9.6	9.9	9.5	11.0	10.5	10.8	8.8	8.8	9.7	10.1
Persons charged	489,471	83,167	406,304	4,302	5,738	28,286	44,841	103,138	253,616	49,550
Per 100 offenses	16.7	39.7	15.0	95.6	48.4	29.0	47.0	14.2	15.4	14.4
Persons guilty as charged	139,170	20,050	119,120	1,164	1,232	5,550	12,104	19,259	92,057	7,804
Per 100 offenses	4.8	9.6	4.4	25.9	10.4	5.7	12.7	2.6	5.6	2.3
Persons guilty of lesser offenses	22,641	7,116	15,525	405	626	1,570	4,515	6,319	7,254	1,952
Per 100 offenses	.8	3.4	.6	9.0	5.3	1.6	4.7	.9	.4	.6
Persons acquitted or dismissed	65,295	18,208	47,087	1,076	1,550	4,736	10,846	10,959	30,138	5,990
Per 100 offenses	2.2	8.7	1.7	23.9	13.1	4.9	11.4	1.5	1.8	1.7
Juveniles referred to juvenile court	169,342	15,792	153,550	355	980	8,262	6,195	48,248	78,459	26,843
Per 100 offenses	5.8	7.5	5.7	7.9	8.3	8.5	6.5	6.6	4.8	7.8

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 18.—*Police Disposition of Juvenile Offenders Taken Into Custody, 1970*

[1970 population]

Population group	Total [1]	Handled within department and released	Referred to juvenile court jurisdiction	Referred to welfare agency	Referred to other police agency	Referred to criminal or adult court
TOTAL, ALL AGENCIES						
3,933 agencies; total population 101,370,000:						
Number	**1,266,151**	**571,552**	**636,375**	**20,035**	**27,800**	**10,389**
Percent [2]	**100.0**	**45.1**	**50.3**	**1.6**	**2.2**	**0.8**
TOTAL CITIES						
3,184 agencies; total population 79,568,000:						
Number	**1,104,336**	**504,558**	**550,367**	**17,186**	**23,220**	**9,005**
Percent	**100.0**	**45.7**	**49.8**	**1.6**	**2.1**	**.8**
GROUP I						
37 cities over 250,000; population 21,311,000:						
Number	288,019	108,447	169,656	6,258	2,947	711
Percent	100.0	37.7	58.9	2.2	1.0	.2
GROUP II						
75 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 10,719,000:						
Number	160,065	69,764	84,382	2,494	2,704	721
Percent	100.0	43.6	52.7	1.6	1.7	.5
GROUP III						
192 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 13,342,000:						
Number	200,461	100,654	90,926	2,827	4,800	1,254
Percent	100.0	50.2	45.4	1.4	2.4	.6
GROUP IV						
271 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 12,859,000:						
Number	181,499	88,171	82,326	3,316	5,405	2,281
Percent	100.0	48.6	45.4	1.8	3.0	1.3
GROUP V						
831 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 13,092,000:						
Number	171,919	87,661	76,044	1,345	4,894	2,275
Percent	100.0	51.0	44.2	.8	2.7	1.3
GROUP VI						
1,678 cities, under 10,000; population 8,245,000:						
Number	102,373	49,861	47,033	946	2,770	1,763
Percent	100.0	48.7	45.9	.9	2.7	1.7
SUBURBAN AREA [3]						
1,653 agencies; population 33,847,000:						
Number	401,866	211,526	168,638	4,644	12,888	4,170
Percent	100.0	52.6	42.0	1.2	3.2	1.0
RURAL AREA						
624 agencies; population 9,005,000:						
Number	40,845	13,632	23,737	889	1,755	832
Percent	100.0	33.4	58.1	2.2	4.3	2.0

[1] Includes all offenses except traffic and neglect cases.

[2] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.

[3] Includes suburban, city, and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities also included in other city groups.

Table 19.—*Offense Analysis 1970—Percent Distribution, Average Value, and Percent Change Over 1969*

[1,308 cities, 2,500 and over; 1970 population 89,882,000]

Classification	Number of offenses	Percent change over 1969	Percent distribution [1]	Average value
ROBBEBY				
Total	**273,750**	**+14.4**	**100.0**	**$235**
Highway	150,055	+14.9	54.8	164
Commercial house	45,588	+12.3	16.7	319
Gas or service station	11,859	+5.1	4.3	115
Chain store	9,029	+29.1	3.3	379
Residence	32,752	+34.5	12.0	286
Bank [2]	1,593	+30.4	.6	4,166
Miscellaneous	22,874	−6.2	8.4	183
BURGLARY—BREAKING OR ENTERING				
Total	**1,293,529**	**+8.3**	**100.0**	**310**
Residence (dwelling):				
Night	334,134	+10.0	25.8	322
Day	410,261	+13.3	31.7	330
Nonresidence (store, office, etc.):				
Night	471,107	+3.4	36.4	293
Day	78,027	+6.6	6.0	248
LARCENY—THEFT (EXCEPT AUTO THEFT)				
Total	**2,519,466**	**+8.0**	**100.0**	**106**
By type:				
Pocket-picking	36,101	+9.1	1.4	80
Purse-snatching	80,677	+12.5	3.2	47
Shoplifting	231,154	+17.3	9.2	26
From autos (except accessories)	503,300	+.9	20.0	139
Auto accessories	525,455	+7.7	20.9	69
Bicycles	366,488	+16.9	14.5	35
From buildings	427,842	+6.7	17.0	185
From coin-operated machines	38,354	−2.7	1.5	29
All others	310,095	+6.9	12.3	178
By value:				
$50 and over	1,035,288	+8.9	41.1	237
Under $50	1,484,178	+7.4	58.9	15
Auto theft				948

[1] Because of rounding the percentages may not add to total.

[2] For total U.S., bank robbery increased from 1,813 offenses in 1969 to 2,331 in 1970 or 28.6 percent.

Table 20.—*Type and Value of Property Stolen and Recovered, 1970*

[1,307 cities 2,500 and over; 1970 population 82,014,000]

Type of property	Value of property		Percent recovered
	Stolen	Recovered	
Total	**$1,111,900,000**	**$466,400,000**	42
Currency, notes, etc	101,200,000	10,200,000	10
Jewelry and precious metals	78,000,000	5,400,000	7
Furs	9,000,000	400,000	5
Clothing	33,300,000	4,600,000	14
Locally stolen automobiles	526,500,000	403,100,000	77
Miscellaneous	363,900,000	42,700,000	12

Table 21.—*Murder Victims—Weapons Used, 1970*

Age	Number	Weapons							
		Gun	Cutting or stabbing	Blunt object (club, hammer, etc.)	Personal weapons (strangulations and beatings)	Poison	Explosives	Other (drownings, arson, etc.)	Unknown and not stated
Total	**13,649**	**9,039**	**2,424**	**604**	**1,031**	**11**	**8**	**353**	**179**
Percent [1]	**100.0**	**66.2**	**17.8**	**4.4**	**7.6**	**0.1**	**0.1**	**2.6**	**1.3**
Infant (under 1)	96	5	4	5	56			20	6
1–4	252	38	13	18	119	4		51	9
5–9	100	35	8	6	32			16	3
10–14	189	112	30	9	12			22	4
15–19	1,222	869	203	45	53	1		37	14
20–24	2,172	1,568	421	43	90	1		36	13
25–29	1,885	1,424	332	38	61	2		15	13
30–34	1,472	1,058	271	39	74		3	17	10
35–39	1,259	868	234	61	66		1	19	10
40–44	1,247	860	227	55	74	1	2	15	13
45–49	1,003	644	189	53	84	1	2	18	12
50–54	793	497	149	49	77			11	10
55–59	572	329	127	40	53			9	14
60–64	452	269	68	38	49			21	7
65–69	298	161	48	38	33			9	9
70–74	201	95	32	21	30			8	15
75 and over	221	62	42	33	61			17	6
Unknown	215	145	26	13	7	1		12	11

[1] Because of rounding the percentages do not add to total.

Table 22.—*Murder Victims by Age, Sex, and Race, 1970*

Age	Number	Percent	Sex		Race					
			Male	Female	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
Total	**13,649**		**10,681**	**2,968**	**5,999**	**7,490**	**75**	**13**	**12**	**60**
Percent		[1] **100.0**	**78.3**	**21.7**	**44.0**	**54.9**	**0.5**	**0.1**	**0.1**	**0.4**
Infant (under 1)	96	.7	56	40	58	35				3
1–4	252	1.8	136	116	129	121	1	1		
5–9	100	.7	51	49	55	42	1		2	
10–14	189	1.4	117	72	82	105		2		
15–19	1,222	9.0	988	234	466	740	10	2	2	2
20–24	2,172	15.9	1,735	437	828	1,331	9		1	3
25–29	1,885	13.8	1,501	384	759	1,108	9	1	2	6
30–34	1,472	10.8	1,162	310	590	861	12	1		8
35–39	1,259	9.2	990	269	525	720	10	1		3
40–44	1,247	9.1	980	267	500	732	10	2		3
45–49	1,003	7.3	812	191	458	534	5	1	4	1
50–54	793	5.8	637	156	399	391	1	1		1
55–59	572	4.2	472	100	317	252				3
60–64	452	3.3	367	85	274	174	1		1	2
65–69	298	2.2	236	62	175	119	1	1		2
70–74	201	1.5	151	50	127	72				2
75 and over	221	1.6	129	92	170	51				
Unknown	215	1.6	161	54	87	102	5			21

[1] Because of rounding the percentages may not add to total.

Arrest Data

Tables in the following section provide certain personal characteristics of individuals arrested for all criminal acts. Arrest rates and trends are shown for city, suburban and rural areas, as well as the United States as a whole. Tabulations are published containing characteristics of persons arrested by age, sex and race.

Arrest statistics are collected annually from contributing law enforcement agencies and the figures used in the tables this year were submitted by agencies representing 75 percent of the United States population. In using these arrest figures it is important to remember that the same person may be arrested several times during 1 year for the same type or for different offenses. Each arrest is counted. Further, the arrest of one person may solve several crimes and, in other instances, two or more persons may be arrested during the solution of one crime.

Arrests are primarily a measure of police activity, as it relates to crime. Although police arrest practices vary, particularly with respect to juveniles, contributors to this Program are instructed to count one arrest each time an individual is taken into custody for committing a specific crime. A juvenile is counted as a person arrested when he commits an offense and the circumstances are such that if the offender were an adult, an arrest would be made.

Arrest data, while primarily a measure of law enforcement activity, is also a gauge of criminality when used within its limitations, as must be done with all forms of criminal statistics, including court and penal.

Total Estimated Arrests,[1] United States, 1970

Total	8,117,700	Arson	11,900
		Forgery and counterfeiting	55,500
Criminal homicide:		Fraud	104,600
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	15,230	Embezzlement	10,000
Manslaughter by negligence	4,190	Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	74,000
Forcible rape	19,050	Vandalism	141,900
Robbery	98,210	Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	120,400
Aggravated assault	155,060	Prostitution and commercialized vice	51,700
Burglary—breaking or entering	358,100	Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	59,700
Larceny—theft	748,200	Narcotic drug laws	415,600
Auto theft	153,300	Gambling	91,700
		Offenses against family and children	78,500
Violent crime	287,550	Driving under the influence	555,700
Property crime	1,259,600	Liquor laws	309,000
		Drunkenness	1,825,500
Subtotal for above offenses	1,551,300	Disorderly conduct	710,000
		Vagrancy	113,400
Other assaults	348,900	All other offenses (except traffic)	1,042,600
		Suspicion	83,500
		Curfew and loitering law violations	129,600
		Runaways	232,700

[1] Arrest totals based on all reporting agencies and estimates for unreported areas.

Table 23.—*Arrests, Number and Rate, 1970, by Population Groups*

Offense charged	Cities								Other areas	
	Total (5,270 agencies; total population 151,604,000)	Total city arrests (3,929 cities; population 111,408,000)	Group I (55 cities, over 250,000; population 41,819,000)	Group II (90 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 12,915,000)	Group III (230 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 15,959,000)	Group IV (433 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 15,035,000)	Group V (971 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 15,416,000)	Group VI (2,150 cities under 10,000; population 10,264,000)	Suburban area [1] (2,018 agencies; population 45,206,000)	Rural area (1,131 agencies; population 19,366,000)
TOTAL	**6,500,300**	**5,597,804**	**2,440,545**	**723,705**	**707,902**	**645,284**	**636,641**	**443,727**	**1,327,608**	**386,006**
Rate per 100,000 inhabitants	**4,287.7**	**5,024.6**	**5,835.9**	**5,603.4**	**4,435.6**	**4,291.7**	**4,129.8**	**4,323.3**	**2,936.8**	**1,993.2**
Criminal homicide:										
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	12,836	10,774	7,278	1,306	839	622	494	235	1,797	927
Rate per 100,000	8.5	9.7	17.4	10.1	5.3	4.1	3.2	2.3	4.0	4.8
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	3,020	2,013	804	285	273	260	235	156	742	656
Rate per 100,000	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.2	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.6	3.4
Forcible rape	15,411	12,256	7,218	1,478	1,354	969	747	490	3,147	1,304
Rate per 100,000	10.2	11.0	17.3	11.4	8.5	6.4	4.8	4.8	7.0	6.7
Robbery	87,687	79,747	56,928	8,207	6,252	4,362	2,727	1,271	11,578	1,928
Rate per 100,000	57.8	71.6	136.1	63.5	39.2	29.0	17.7	12.4	25.6	10.0
Aggravated assault	125,971	104,899	54,659	13,584	11,725	8,814	9,387	6,730	25,514	8,058
Rate per 100,000	83.1	94.2	130.7	105.2	73.5	58.6	60.9	65.6	56.4	41.6
Burglary—breaking or entering	285,418	231,031	106,823	31,884	30,468	24,716	23,114	14,026	67,738	21,567
Rate per 100,000	188.3	207.4	255.4	246.9	190.9	164.4	149.9	136.7	149.8	111.4
Larceny—theft	616,099	549,500	211,476	73,261	82,977	80,027	67,319	34,440	144,361	22,867
Rate per 100,000	406.4	493.2	505.7	567.2	519.9	532.3	436.7	335.6	319.3	118.1
Auto theft	127,341	108,982	57,620	13,731	13,810	10,515	8,375	4,931	26,667	6,613
Rate per 100,000	84.0	97.8	137.8	106.3	86.5	69.9	54.3	48.0	59.0	34.1
Violent crime [2]	241,905	207,676	126,083	24,675	20,170	14,767	13,355	8,726	42,036	12,217
Rate per 100,000	159.6	186.4	301.5	190.3	126.4	98.2	86.6	85.0	93.0	63.1
Property crime [3]	1,028,858	889,513	375,919	118,876	127,255	115,258	98,808	53,397	238,766	51,047
Rate per 100,000	678.6	798.4	898.9	920.4	797.4	766.6	641.0	520.3	528.2	263.6
Subtotal for above offenses	1,273,783	1,099,202	502,806	143,736	147,698	130,285	112,398	62,279	281,544	63,920
Rate per 100,000	840.2	986.6	1,202.3	1,112.9	925.5	866.5	729.1	606.8	622.8	330.1
Other assaults	287,027	250,748	109,845	38,642	29,949	29,728	26,813	15,771	59,470	12,943
Rate per 100,000	189.3	225.1	262.7	299.2	187.7	197.7	173.9	153.7	131.6	66.8
Arson	9,409	7,738	3,206	1,006	1,028	994	967	537	2,428	832
Rate per 100,000	6.2	6.9	7.7	7.8	6.4	6.6	6.3	5.2	5.4	4.3
Forgery and counterfeiting	43,833	34,885	15,414	5,209	5,074	3,844	3,526	1,818	9,427	3,825
Rate per 100,000	28.9	31.3	36.9	40.3	31.8	25.6	22.9	17.7	20.9	19.8
Fraud	76,861	64,266	18,046	10,087	7,475	7,236	7,639	3,783	19,578	12,328
Rate per 100,000	50.7	48.7	43.2	78.1	46.8	48.1	49.6	36.9	43.3	63.7
Embezzlement	8,172	7,060	1,549	3,009	617	1,291	377	217	1,504	673
Rate per 100,000	5.4	6.3	3.7	23.3	3.9	8.6	2.4	2.1	3.3	3.5
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	61,617	53,395	28,118	5,754	5,911	5,868	5,011	2,733	13,248	3,007
Rate per 100,000	40.6	47.9	67.2	44.6	37.0	39.0	32.5	26.6	29.3	15.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 23.—*Arrests, Number and Rate, 1970, by Population Groups—Continued*

Offense charged	Cities								Other areas	
	Total (5,270 agencies; total population 151,604,000)	Total city arrests (3,929 cities; population 111,408,000)	Group I (55 cities, over 250,000; population 41,819,000)	Group II (90 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 12,915,000)	Group III (230 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 15,959,000)	Group IV (433 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 15,035,000)	Group V (971 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 15,416,000)	Group VI (2,150 cities under 10,000; population 10,264,000)	Suburban area [1] (2,018 agencies; population 45,206,000)	Rural area (1,131 agencies; population 19,366,000)
Vandalism	111,671	94,920	33,274	10,981	13,387	13,313	14,468	9,497	32,774	7,089
Rate per 100,000	73.7	85.2	79.6	85.0	83.9	88.5	93.9	92.5	72.5	36.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	102,725	92,353	51,409	11,606	9,364	8,234	7,364	4,376	16,712	3,540
Rate per 100,000	67.8	82.9	122.9	89.9	58.7	54.8	47.8	42.6	37.0	18.3
Prostitution and commercialized vice	49,344	47,394	42,960	2,259	1,134	589	308	144	2,191	237
Rate per 100,000	32.5	42.5	102.7	17.5	7.1	3.9	2.0	1.4	4.8	1.2
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	49,328	41,304	21,732	5,811	5,115	3,848	3,212	1,586	10,645	2,469
Rate per 100,000	32.5	37.1	52.0	45.0	32.1	25.6	20.8	15.5	23.5	12.7
Narcotic drug laws	346,412	292,141	164,398	30,871	36,545	26,707	21,768	11,852	83,967	12,492
Rate per 100,000	228.5	262.2	393.1	239.0	229.0	177.6	141.2	115.5	185.7	64.5
Gambling	84,804	79,999	65,920	6,764	2,656	2,268	1,618	773	5,017	2,160
Rate per 100,000	55.9	71.8	157.6	52.4	16.6	15.1	10.5	7.5	11.1	11.2
Offenses against family and children	56,620	36,883	13,071	6,962	4,626	4,682	4,749	2,793	15,961	9,168
Rate per 100,000	37.3	33.1	31.3	53.9	29.0	31.1	30.8	27.2	35.3	47.3
Driving under the influence	423,522	341,083	126,117	31,842	44,425	45,319	50,156	43,224	103,042	41,960
Rate per 100,000	279.4	306.2	301.6	246.5	278.4	301.4	325.4	421.1	227.9	216.7
Liquor laws	222,464	177,888	34,087	15,680	22,033	30,079	38,838	37,171	62,337	27,900
Rate per 100,000	146.7	159.7	81.5	121.4	138.1	200.1	251.9	362.2	137.9	144.1
Drunkenness	1,512,672	1,376,719	581,475	216,678	171,663	143,432	150,608	112,863	185,121	72,552
Rate per 100,000	997.8	1,235.7	1,390.4	1,677.7	1,075.7	954.0	977.0	1,099.7	409.5	374.6
Disorderly conduct	589,642	540,076	242,825	59,905	62,536	60,777	65,848	48,185	114,799	19,707
Rate per 100,000	388.9	484.8	580.7	463.8	391.9	404.2	427.1	469.5	253.9	101.8
Vagrancy	101,093	94,862	65,478	9,629	5,517	5,542	4,737	3,959	8,569	2,245
Rate per 100,000	66.7	85.1	156.6	74.6	34.6	36.9	30.7	38.6	19.0	11.6
All other offenses (except traffic)	804,780	640,352	238,796	82,304	88,769	86,097	84,985	59,401	212,720	71,136
Rate per 100,000	530.8	574.8	571.0	637.3	556.2	572.6	551.3	578.8	470.6	367.3
Suspicion (not included in totals)	70,173	65,553	27,667	5,684	12,031	8,179	6,364	5,628	16,442	1,897
Rate per 100,000	46.3	58.8	66.2	44.0	75.4	54.4	41.3	54.8	36.4	9.8
Curfew and loitering law violations	105,548	97,008	33,471	7,545	16,269	14,292	15,032	10,399	29,421	2,254
Rate per 100,000	69.6	87.1	80.0	58.4	101.9	95.1	97.5	101.3	65.1	11.6
Runaways	179,073	137,528	46,548	17,425	26,111	20,859	16,219	10,366	57,133	13,569
Rate per 100,000	118.1	123.4	111.3	134.9	163.6	138.7	105.2	101.0	126.4	70.1

[1] Includes suburban, city and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups. Population figures rounded to the nearest thousand. All rates were calculated on the population before rounding.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

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Table 24.—*Total Arrest Trends, 1960–70*

[2,528 agencies; 1970 population 98,698,000] [1]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested								
	Total all ages			Under 18 years of age			18 years of age and over		
	1960	1970	Percent change	1960	1970	Percent change	1960	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	**3,543,884**	**4,644,006**	**+31.0**	**517,039**	**1,104,943**	**+113.7**	**3,026,845**	**3,539,063**	**+16.9**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	5,008	10,109	+101.9	380	1,152	+203.2	4,628	8,957	+93.5
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	1,968	1,824	−7.3	153	158	+3.3	1,815	1,666	−8.2
Forcible rape	7,149	11,094	+55.2	1,284	2,380	+85.4	5,865	8,714	+48.6
Robbery	33,794	74,401	+120.2	8,385	25,550	+204.7	25,409	48,851	+92.3
Aggravated assault	57,006	93,012	+63.2	6,730	15,686	+133.1	50,276	77,326	+53.8
Burglary—breaking or entering	123,891	260,261	+61.6	58,983	101,650	+72.3	64,908	98,611	+51.9
Larceny—theft	207,584	432,272	+108.2	100,689	213,920	+112.5	106,895	218,352	+104.3
Auto theft	57,931	97,124	+67.7	35,387	53,417	+51.0	22,544	43,707	+93.9
Violent crime [2]	102,957	188,616	+83.2	16,779	44,768	+166.8	86,178	143,848	+66.9
Property crime [3]	389,406	729,657	+87.4	195,059	368,987	+89.2	194,347	360,670	+85.6
Subtotal for above offenses	494,331	920,097	+86.1	211,991	413,913	+95.3	282,340	506,184	+79.3
Other assaults	131,488	208,813	+58.8	13,527	37,408	+176.5	117,961	171,405	+45.3
Forgery and counterfeiting	21,331	32,306	+51.5	1,551	3,355	+116.3	19,780	28,951	+46.4
Embezzlement and fraud	35,102	59,051	+68.2	883	2,578	+192.0	34,219	56,473	+65.0
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	10,125	46,427	+358.5	2,710	13,312	+391.2	7,415	33,115	+346.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	33,545	77,660	+131.5	6,952	12,344	+77.6	26,593	65,316	+145.6
Prostitution and commercialized vice	29,060	45,803	+57.6	425	1,037	+144.0	28,635	44,766	+56.3
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	47,913	36,768	−23.3	10,033	7,139	−28.8	37,880	29,629	−21.8
Narcotic drug laws	31,611	265,734	+740.6	1,664	54,856	+3,196.6	29,947	210,878	+604.2
Gambling	121,611	75,325	−38.1	1,534	1,442	−6.0	120,077	73,883	−38.5
Offenses against family and children	40,373	38,129	−5.6	568	417	−26.6	39,805	37,712	−5.3
Driving under the influence	147,819	281,450	+90.4	1,130	2,928	+159.1	146,689	278,522	+89.9
Liquor laws	86,093	136,679	+58.8	17,561	43,715	+148.9	68,532	92,964	+35.7
Drunkenness	1,281,703	1,097,260	−14.4	13,090	28,582	+118.3	1,268,613	1,068,678	−15.8
Disorderly conduct	424,843	436,862	+2.8	50,531	86,563	+71.3	374,312	350,299	−6.4
Vagrancy	140,602	82,311	−41.5	8,463	9,435	+11.5	132,139	72,876	−44.8
All other offenses (except traffic)	466,334	803,331	+72.3	174,426	385,919	+121.3	291,908	417,412	+43.0
Suspicion (not included in totals)	118,658	51,764	−56.4	21,999	13,294	−39.6	96,659	38,470	−60.2

[1] Based on comparable reports from 1,898 cities representing 81,246,000 population and 630 counties representing 17,452,000 population.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 25.—*Total Arrest Trends, 1965–70*

[3,381 agencies; 1970 population 122,233,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested								
	Total all ages			Under 18 years of age			18 years of age and over		
	1965	1970	Percent change	1965	1970	Percent change	1965	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	**4,484,205**	**5,413,710**	**+20.7**	**962,082**	**1,367,763**	**+42.2**	**3,522,123**	**4,045,947**	**+14.9**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	6,661	10,829	+62.6	593	1,191	+100.8	6,068	9,638	+58.8
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	2,389	2,211	−7.5	169	190	+12.4	2,220	2,021	−9.0
Forcible rape	9,725	12,775	+31.4	2,108	2,729	+29.5	7,617	10,046	+31.9
Robbery	43,424	78,388	+80.5	13,370	26,968	+101.7	30,054	51,420	+71.1
Aggravated assault	77,176	101,315	+31.3	12,179	17,560	+44.2	64,997	83,755	+28.9
Burglary—breaking or entering	177,860	235,504	+32.4	92,588	122,550	+32.4	85,272	112,954	+32.6
Larceny—theft	348,666	526,834	+51.1	193,654	270,344	+39.6	155,012	256,490	+65.5
Auto theft	92,894	107,952	+16.2	58,654	60,935	+3.9	34,240	47,017	+37.3
Violent crime [1]	136,986	203,307	+48.4	28,250	48,448	+71.5	108,736	154,859	+42.4
Property crime [2]	619,420	870,290	+40.5	344,896	453,829	+31.6	274,524	416,461	+51.7
Subtotal for above offenses	758,795	1,075,808	+41.8	373,315	502,467	+34.6	385,480	573,341	+48.7
Other assaults	187,920	239,616	+27.5	29,925	45,035	+50.5	157,995	194,581	+23.2
Arson	5,583	7,733	+38.5	3,714	4,652	+25.3	1,869	3,081	+64.8
Forgery and counterfeiting	26,122	36,482	+39.7	2,578	3,988	+54.7	23,544	32,494	+38.0
Fraud	46,038	62,691	+36.2	1,695	2,775	+63.7	44,343	59,916	+35.1
Embezzlement	6,779	7,263	+7.1	260	280	+7.7	6,519	6,983	+7.1
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	17,448	53,435	+206.3	6,292	16,061	+155.3	11,156	37,374	+235.0
Vandalism	79,289	91,100	+14.9	61,130	65,699	+7.5	18,159	25,401	+39.9
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	49,373	87,854	+77.9	10,342	14,933	+44.4	39,031	72,921	+86.8
Prostitution and commercialized vice	33,041	45,395	+37.4	818	1,058	+29.3	32,223	44,337	+37.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	54,212	42,102	−22.3	13,015	8,751	−32.8	41,197	33,351	−19.0
Narcotic drug laws	43,550	293,971	+575.0	5,117	65,194	+1,174.1	38,433	228,777	+495.3
Gambling	110,639	78,985	−28.6	2,457	1,500	−38.9	108,182	77,485	−28.4
Offenses against family and children	51,728	43,610	−15.7	538	641	+19.1	51,190	42,969	−16.1
Driving under the influence	212,271	337,589	+59.0	1,654	3,527	+113.2	210,617	334,062	+58.6
Liquor laws	153,224	174,518	+13.9	41,660	59,194	+42.1	111,564	115,324	+3.4
Drunkenness	1,383,654	1,266,073	−8.5	23,515	31,541	+34.1	1,360,139	1,234,532	−9.2
Disorderly conduct	530,269	496,357	−6.4	87,171	103,499	+18.7	443,098	392,858	−11.3
Vagrancy	113,905	94,270	−17.2	7,487	10,835	+44.7	106,418	83,435	−21.6
All other offenses (except traffic)	472,934	645,802	+36.6	141,968	193,077	+36.0	330,966	452,725	+36.8
Suspicion (not included in totals)	69,751	56,907	−18.4	18,837	18,077	−4.0	50,914	38,830	−23.7
Curfew and loitering law violations	66,237	90,842	+37.1	66,237	90,842	+37.1			
Runaways	81,194	142,214	+75.2	81,194	142,214	+75.2			

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 26.—*Total Arrest Trends by Sex, 1960–70*

[2,628 agencies; 1970 population 98,698,000] [1]

Offense charged	Males						Females					
	Total			Under 18			Total			Under 18		
	1960	1970	Percent change	1960	1970	Percent change	1960	1970	Percent change	1960	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	**3,156,811**	**3,968,794**	**+25.7**	**439,929**	**870,460**	**+97.9**	**387,073**	**675,212**	**+74.4**	**77,110**	**234,483**	**+204.1**
Criminal homicide:												
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	4,137	8,582	+107.4	353	1,072	+203.7	871	1,527	+75.3	27	80	+196.3
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	1,769	1,613	−8.8	144	142	−1.4	199	211	+6.0	9	16	+77.8
Forcible rape	7,149	11,094	+55.2	1,284	2,380	+85.4						
Robbery	32,191	69,786	+116.8	7,996	23,737	+196.9	1,603	4,615	+187.9	389	1,813	+366.1
Aggravated assault	48,503	80,585	+66.1	6,041	13,421	+122.2	8,503	12,427	+46.1	689	2,265	+228.7
Burglary—breaking or entering	119,908	190,949	+59.2	57,232	97,200	+69.8	3,983	9,312	+133.8	1,751	4,450	+154.1
Larceny—theft	173,267	309,684	+78.7	85,986	157,911	+83.6	34,317	122,588	+257.2	14,703	56,009	+280.9
Auto theft	55,837	92,245	+65.2	34,043	50,633	+48.7	2,094	4,879	+133.0	1,344	2,784	+107.1
Violent crime [2]	91,980	170,047	+84.9	15,674	40,610	+159.1	10,977	18,569	+69.2	1,105	4,158	+276.3
Property crime [3]	349,012	592,878	+69.9	177,261	305,744	+72.5	40,394	136,779	+238.6	17,798	63,243	+255.3
Subtotal for above offenses	442,761	764,538	+72.7	193,079	346,496	+79.5	51,570	155,559	+201.6	18,912	67,417	+256.5
Other assaults	118,484	180,980	+52.7	11,533	29,428	+155.2	13,004	27,833	+114.0	1,994	7,980	+300.2
Forgery and counterfeiting	17,884	24,388	+36.4	1,199	2,429	+102.6	3,447	7,918	+129.7	352	926	+163.1
Embezzlement and fraud	29,752	42,816	+43.9	722	1,936	+168.1	5,350	16,235	+203.5	161	642	+298.8
Stolen property; buying, receiving possessing	9,247	41,990	+354.1	2,525	12,371	+389.9	878	4,437	+405.4	185	941	+408.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	31,718	72,466	+128.5	6,749	11,832	+75.3	1,827	5,194	+184.3	203	512	+152.2
Prostitution and commercialized vice	8,084	9,473	+17.2	128	311	+143.0	20,976	36,330	+73.2	297	726	+144.4
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	39,115	31,809	−18.7	7,118	5,606	−21.2	8,798	4,959	−43.6	2,915	1,533	−47.4
Narcotic drug laws	26,931	224,694	+734.3	1,421	43,436	+2,956.7	4,680	41,040	+776.9	243	11,420	+4,599.6
Gambling	110,615	69,162	−37.5	1,492	1,393	−6.6	10,996	6,163	−44.0	42	49	+16.7
Offenses against family and children	36,940	34,487	−6.6	397	271	−31.7	3,433	3,642	+6.1	171	146	−14.6
Driving under the influence	139,246	262,596	+88.6	1,073	2,763	+157.5	8,573	18,854	+119.9	57	165	+189.5
Liquor laws	73,479	118,790	+61.7	15,059	36,057	+139.4	12,614	17,889	+41.8	2,502	7,658	+206.1
Drunkenness	1,181,259	1,021,568	−13.5	11,727	24,639	+110.1	100,444	75,692	−24.6	1,363	3,943	+189.3
Disorderly conduct	366,475	369,815	+.9	42,948	71,432	+66.3	58,368	67,047	+14.9	7,583	15,131	+99.5
Vagrancy	129,912	64,661	−50.2	7,549	7,749	+2.6	10,690	17,650	+65.1	914	1,686	+84.5
All other offenses (except traffic)	394,909	634,561	+60.7	135,210	272,311	+101.4	71,425	168,770	+136.3	39,216	113,608	+189.7
Suspicion (not included in totals)	105,563	44,311	−58.0	19,267	10,852	−43.7	13,095	7,453	−43.1	2,732	2,442	−10.6

[1] Based on comparable reports from 1,898 cities representing 81,246,000 population and 630 counties representing 17,452,000 population.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 27.—*Total Arrest Trends, 1969–70*

[4,222 agencies; 1970 population 137,267,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested											
	Total all ages			Under 15 years of age			Under 18 years of age			18 years of age and over		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	5,628,997	5,922,688	+5.2	551,762	554,908	+.6	1,447,635	1,504,402	+3.9	4,181,362	4,418,286	+5.7
Criminal homicide:												
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	11,172	11,942	+6.9	156	180	+15.4	1,100	1,302	+18.4	10,072	10,640	+5.6
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	3,111	2,700	−13.2	37	35	−5.4	255	219	−14.1	2,856	2,481	−13.1
Forcible rape	13,936	14,116	+1.3	560	596	+6.4	2,898	2,986	+3.0	11,038	11,130	+.8
Robbery	76,213	83,691	+9.8	9,142	9,395	+2.8	25,934	28,275	+9.0	50,279	55,416	+10.2
Aggravated assault	110,694	115,232	+4.1	6,030	6,420	+6.5	18,647	19,509	+4.6	92,047	95,723	+4.0
Burglary—breaking or entering	247,368	261,690	+5.8	63,460	60,499	−4.7	133,984	136,018	+1.5	113,384	125,672	+10.8
Larceny—theft	502,945	567,728	+12.9	140,145	144,259	+2.9	267,555	289,053	+8.0	235,390	278,675	+18.4
Auto theft	122,802	118,251	−3.7	19,787	17,763	−10.2	72,039	66,175	−8.1	50,763	52,076	+2.6
Violent crime [1]	212,015	224,981	+6.1	15,888	16,591	+4.4	48,579	52,072	+7.2	163,436	172,909	+5.8
Property crime [2]	873,115	947,669	+8.5	223,392	222,521	−.4	473,578	491,246	+3.7	399,537	456,423	+14.2
Subtotal for above offenses	1,088,241	1,175,350	+8.0	239,317	239,147	−.1	522,412	543,537	+4.0	565,829	631,813	+11.7
Other assaults	251,306	262,500	+4.5	17,797	19,556	+9.9	44,839	48,758	+8.7	206,467	213,742	+3.5
Arson	8,270	8,597	+4.0	3,635	3,423	−5.8	5,184	5,159	−.5	3,086	3,438	+11.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	35,623	39,811	+11.8	825	658	−20.2	4,027	4,246	+5.4	31,596	35,565	+12.6
Fraud	59,692	66,465	+11.3	915	674	−26.3	2,990	2,882	−3.6	56,702	63,583	+12.1
Embezzlement	6,065	7,531	+24.2	45	59	+31.1	246	310	+26.0	5,819	7,221	+24.1
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	44,669	56,061	+25.5	4,705	5,076	+7.9	14,230	16,801	+18.1	30,439	39,260	+29.0
Vandalism	103,694	102,224	−1.4	50,006	46,645	−6.7	75,996	73,870	−2.8	27,698	28,354	+2.4
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	87,939	95,204	+8.3	3,956	4,223	+6.7	15,138	15,937	+5.3	72,801	79,267	+8.9
Prostitution and commercialized vice	47,979	48,127	+.3	94	100	+6.4	976	1,097	+12.4	47,003	47,030	+.1
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	49,811	46,163	−7.3	4,283	3,721	−13.1	10,823	9,660	−10.7	38,988	36,503	−6.4
Narcotic drug laws	227,661	327,792	+44.0	7,933	9,621	+21.3	56,187	73,139	+30.2	171,474	254,653	+48.5
Gambling	77,885	82,470	+5.9	259	208	−19.7	1,671	1,592	−4.7	76,214	80,878	+6.1
Offenses against family and children	47,912	46,607	−2.7	163	232	+42.3	788	702	−10.9	47,124	45,905	−2.6
Driving under the influence	335,549	375,784	+12.0	75	81	+8.0	3,621	4,054	+12.0	331,928	371,730	+12.0
Liquor laws	201,612	194,712	−3.4	5,862	5,940	+1.3	67,671	66,583	−1.6	133,941	128,129	−4.3
Drunkenness	1,390,965	1,364,125	−1.9	4,929	4,658	−5.5	41,277	36,999	−10.4	1,349,688	1,327,126	−1.7
Disorderly conduct	565,967	543,927	−3.9	40,362	40,212	−.4	115,642	115,308	−.3	450,325	428,619	−4.8
Vagrancy	103,448	95,502	−7.7	1,925	2,038	+5.9	11,022	11,892	+7.9	92,426	83,610	−9.5
All other offenses (except traffic)	640,564	724,433	+13.1	77,106	79,416	+3.0	198,750	212,573	+7.0	441,814	511,860	+15.9
Suspicion (not included in totals)	92,847	62,464	−32.7	5,367	5,550	+3.4	20,764	18,182	−12.4	72,083	44,282	−38.6
Curfew and loitering law violations	98,375	96,342	−2.1	25,567	24,841	−2.8	98,375	96,342	−2.1			
Runaways	155,770	162,961	+4.6	62,003	64,379	+3.8	155,770	162,961	+4.6			

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 28.—*Total Arrests by Age, 1970*

[5,270 agencies; 1970 population 151,604,000]

Offense charged	Grand total all ages	Ages under 15	Ages under 18	Ages 18 and over	Age								
					10 and under	11–12	13–14	15	16	17	18	19	20
TOTAL	6,570,473	607,133	1,660,643	1,909,830	78,020	134,362	394,751	323,317	372,374	357,819	343,657	304,092	261,888
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	9.2	25.3	74.7	1.2	2.0	6.0	4.9	5.7	5.4	5.2	4.6	4.0
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	12,836	187	1,346	11,490	18	25	144	271	398	490	677	625	592
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	3,020	41	243	2,777	5	9	27	26	53	113	152	179	124
Forcible rape	15,411	634	3,205	12,206	22	90	522	660	855	1,056	1,169	1,140	1,019
Robbery	87,687	9,695	29,289	58,398	647	2,176	6,872	5,615	6,724	7,255	7,437	6,937	6,011
Aggravated assault	125,971	6,767	20,756	105,215	708	1,496	4,563	3,881	4,811	5,297	5,863	5,684	5,385
Burglary—breaking or entering	285,418	65,491	148,296	137,122	8,774	15,908	40,809	28,516	28,967	25,322	22,258	17,060	13,247
Larceny—theft	616,099	154,775	312,066	304,033	21,816	42,143	90,816	56,199	54,248	46,844	41,316	31,509	24,540
Auto theft	127,341	19,165	71,456	55,885	460	2,161	16,544	18,417	19,104	14,770	10,523	7,677	5,784
Violent crime [3]	241,905	17,283	54,596	187,309	1,395	3,787	12,101	10,427	12,788	14,098	15,146	14,286	13,007
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	7.1	22.6	77.4	.6	1.6	5.0	4.3	5.3	5.8	6.3	5.9	5.4
Property crime [4]	1,028,858	239,431	531,818	497,040	31,050	60,212	148,169	103,132	102,319	86,936	74,097	56,246	43,571
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	23.3	51.7	48.3	3.0	5.9	14.4	10.0	9.9	8.4	7.2	5.5	4.2
Subtotal for above offenses	1,273,783	256,755	586,657	687,126	32,450	64,008	160,297	113,585	115,170	101,147	89,395	70,711	56,702
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	20.2	46.1	53.9	2.5	5.0	12.6	8.9	9.0	7.9	7.0	5.6	4.5
Other assaults	287,027	20,814	52,282	234,745	2,756	5,115	12,943	9,383	10,675	11,410	12,358	11,842	11,529
Arson	9,409	3,673	5,594	3,815	1,217	898	1,558	754	661	506	384	308	257
Forgery and counterfeiting	43,833	726	4,632	39,201	39	131	556	725	1,287	1,894	2,490	2,747	2,729
Fraud	76,861	702	3,087	73,774	52	169	481	510	772	1,103	2,205	2,689	3,039
Embezzlement	8,172	70	349	7,823	4	16	50	50	100	129	238	277	322
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	61,547	5,630	18,554	42,963	409	1,191	4,030	3,679	4,547	4,698	4,892	4,268	3,634
Vandalism	111,671	50,597	80,632	31,039	12,372	14,463	23,762	12,558	10,183	7,294	4,505	3,373	2,375
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	102,725	4,516	17,010	85,715	314	950	3,252	3,182	4,359	4,953	5,798	5,174	4,619
Prostitution and commercialized vice	49,344	104	1,156	48,188	4	7	93	144	275	633	1,940	3,286	3,850
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	49,328	4,017	10,421	38,907	412	818	2,787	2,080	2,202	2,122	2,200	2,135	2,068
Narcotic drug laws	346,412	10,151	77,756	268,656	177	992	8,982	13,641	23,143	30,821	37,306	36,524	31,724
Gambling	84,804	218	1,649	83,155	9	14	195	280	438	713	1,012	1,181	1,241
Offenses against family and children	56,620	263	857	55,763	87	51	125	102	168	324	2,100	2,083	2,187
Driving under the influence	423,522	95	4,633	418,889	2	18	75	235	1,268	3,045	7,555	8,910	9,622
Liquor laws	222,464	6,612	75,288	147,176	87	476	6,049	11,147	24,203	33,326	38,673	31,640	22,338
Drunkenness	1,512,672	5,031	40,966	1,471,706	122	459	4,450	6,555	11,755	17,625	28,843	27,891	27,018
Disorderly conduct	589,642	42,795	124,077	465,565	5,630	10,033	27,132	22,434	27,487	31,361	37,508	32,103	27,303
Vagrancy	101,093	2,179	12,311	88,782	141	376	1,662	1,878	3,360	4,894	6,793	5,974	4,766
All other offenses (except traffic)	804,780	88,784	237,361	567,419	14,022	17,729	57,033	47,029	51,163	50,385	50,882	45,490	40,236
Suspicion	70,173	6,205	20,750	49,423	805	1,279	4,121	4,034	4,895	5,616	6,580	5,486	4,329
Curfew and loitering law violations	105,548	26,966	105,548	....	1,720	4,094	21,152	22,714	32,098	23,770	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	179,073	70,230	179,073	....	5,189	11,075	53,966	46,618	42,175	20,050	.....	.....	.....

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Table 28.—*Total Arrests by Age, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Age												
	21	22	23	24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–64	65 and over	Not known
TOTAL	252,042	234,562	214,738	173,741	647,010	481,092	442,801	443,873	389,393	295,299	200,544	120,287	104,187	624
Percent distribution [1]	3.8	3.6	3.3	2.6	9.8	7.3	6.7	6.8	5.9	4.5	3.1	1.8	1.6	(2)
Criminal homicide:														
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	638	588	612	497	2,031	1,368	1,081	898	677	471	326	179	224	6
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	155	194	151	134	483	316	229	204	159	111	64	52	70	
Forcible rape	958	906	878	665	2,387	1,280	782	454	271	149	71	37	40	
Robbery	5,495	4,891	4,171	3,279	10,210	4,618	2,433	1,392	763	357	234	77	83	20
Aggravated assault	5,504	5,466	5,282	4,670	18,809	13,424	10,906	8,828	6,276	3,992	2,428	1,391	1,382	25
Burglary—breaking or entering	11,055	9,746	8,797	6,633	21,212	10,686	6,832	4,494	2,533	1,309	685	314	241	20
Larceny—theft	20,764	18,346	15,919	12,297	41,796	25,953	19,132	16,110	12,450	9,002	6,119	4,004	4,737	39
Auto theft	4,672	3,940	3,295	2,539	7,859	3,870	2,272	1,658	986	480	246	97	79	8
Violent crime [3]	12,595	11,851	10,943	9,111	33,437	20,690	15,202	11,572	7,977	4,969	3,059	1,684	1,729	51
Percent distribution [1]	5.2	4.9	4.6	3.8	13.8	8.6	6.3	4.8	3.3	2.1	1.3	.7	.7	(2)
Property crime [4]	36,491	32,032	28,011	21,469	70,867	40,509	28,236	22,162	15,969	10,791	7,060	4,415	5,057	67
Percent distribution [1]	3.5	3.1	2.7	2.1	6.9	3.9	2.7	2.2	1.6	1.0	.7	.4	.5	(2)
Subtotal for above offenses	49,241	44,077	39,105	30,714	104,787	61,515	43,667	33,938	24,105	15,871	10,173	6,161	6,856	118
Percent distribution [1]	3.9	3.5	3.1	2.4	8.2	4.8	3.4	2.7	1.9	1.2	.8	.5	.5	(2)
Other assaults	12,218	12,342	12,139	10,320	42,971	31,071	26,016	20,654	14,118	8,656	4,694	2,483	2,509	25
Arson	211	179	189	164	574	416	331	279	216	128	87	45	46	1
Forgery and counterfeiting	2,715	2,919	2,675	2,217	7,803	4,713	3,120	2,311	1,456	726	340	139	97	4
Fraud	3,596	4,010	4,231	3,783	15,691	10,803	8,397	6,413	4,309	2,396	1,204	499	500	9
Embezzlement	382	461	469	366	1,676	1,253	916	616	417	231	115	65	28	1
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	3,226	2,912	2,678	2,167	7,358	4,216	2,730	1,982	1,290	811	411	212	173	4
Vandalism	2,131	1,847	1,666	1,276	4,567	2,835	2,101	1,691	1,155	664	399	226	223	6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	4,915	4,921	4,678	3,843	14,862	10,159	8,055	6,584	4,755	3,023	2,017	1,163	1,136	13
Prostitution and commercialized vice	5,763	5,781	4,888	3,620	9,458	3,744	2,117	1,358	981	585	381	202	229	5
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	2,212	2,268	2,236	1,860	6,931	4,464	3,540	2,990	2,234	1,471	968	580	746	4
Narcotic drug laws	27,963	24,128	20,019	13,649	38,848	17,448	9,824	5,914	2,777	1,322	595	314	276	26
Gambling	1,610	1,802	1,796	1,863	10,056	10,582	10,321	10,338	9,204	7,532	5,876	4,085	4,644	12
Offenses against family and children	2,558	2,777	3,077	2,585	11,310	8,653	7,134	5,151	3,151	1,679	759	298	258	3
Driving under the influence	13,361	14,366	14,532	12,697	56,096	50,552	51,224	53,366	47,704	36,121	23,134	12,636	8,016	8
Liquor laws	6,089	4,461	3,514	2,543	7,729	5,553	5,328	5,158	4,682	3,638	2,614	1,706	1,506	14
Drunkenness	36,909	35,342	34,226	30,221	133,256	138,089	163,005	199,324	200,503	165,823	117,882	73,163	60,129	82
Disorderly conduct	28,275	25,949	23,433	18,805	66,772	46,916	41,406	37,967	30,119	21,091	13,114	7,301	7,420	93
Vagrancy	6,796	6,516	5,344	4,002	12,413	7,384	6,131	6,013	5,167	4,159	3,350	1,960	2,011	5
All other offenses (except traffic)	37,891	34,060	30,930	24,834	86,630	56,741	45,510	39,620	29,484	19,426	11,811	6,701	6,980	193
Suspicion	3,982	3,465	2,913	2,212	7,222	3,985	2,928	2,316	1,566	1,046	620	368	405	
Curfew and loitering law violations														
Runaways														

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.
[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.
[4] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

Table 29.—*Total Arrests of Persons Under 15, Under 18, Under 21, and Under 25 Years of Age, 1970*

[6,270 agencies; 1970 population 151,604,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested					Percentage			
	Grand total all ages	Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25	Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25
TOTAL	**6,570,473**	**607,133**	**1,660,643**	**2,570,280**	**3,445,363**	**9.2**	**25.3**	**39.1**	**52.4**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	12,836	187	1,346	3,240	5,575	1.5	10.5	25.2	43.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	3,020	41	243	698	1,332	1.4	8.0	23.1	44.1
Forcible rape	15,411	634	3,205	6,533	9,940	4.1	20.8	42.4	64.5
Robbery	87,687	9,695	29,289	49,674	67,510	11.1	33.4	56.6	77.0
Aggravated assault	125,971	6,767	20,756	37,588	58,510	5.4	16.5	29.8	46.4
Burglary—breaking or entering	285,418	65,491	148,296	200,861	237,092	22.9	52.0	70.4	83.1
Larceny—theft	616,099	154,775	312,066	409,431	476,757	25.1	50.7	66.5	77.4
Auto theft	127,341	19,165	71,456	95,440	109,886	15.1	56.1	74.9	86.3
Violent crime [1]	241,905	17,283	54,596	97,035	141,535	7.1	22.6	40.1	58.5
Property crime [2]	1,028,858	239,431	531,818	705,732	823,735	23.3	51.7	68.6	80.1
Subtotal for above offenses	1,273,783	256,755	586,657	803,465	966,602	20.2	46.1	63.1	75.9
Other assaults	287,027	20,814	52,282	88,011	135,030	7.3	18.2	30.7	47.0
Arson	9,409	3,673	5,594	6,543	7,286	39.0	59.5	69.5	77.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	43,833	726	4,632	12,598	23,124	1.7	10.6	28.7	52.8
Fraud	76,861	702	3,087	11,020	26,640	.9	4.0	14.3	34.7
Embezzlement	8,172	70	349	1,186	2,864	.9	4.3	14.5	35.0
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	61,517	5,630	18,554	31,348	42,330	9.2	30.2	51.0	68.8
Vandalism	111,671	50,597	80,632	90,885	97,805	45.3	72.2	81.4	87.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	102,725	4,516	17,010	32,601	50,958	4.4	16.6	31.7	49.6
Prostitution and commercialized vice	49,344	104	1,156	10,232	30,284	.2	2.3	20.7	61.4
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	49,328	4,017	10,421	16,824	25,400	8.1	21.1	34.1	51.5
Narcotic drug laws	346,412	10,151	77,756	183,310	269,069	2.9	22.4	52.9	77.7
Gambling	84,804	218	1,649	5,083	12,154	.3	1.9	6.0	14.3
Offenses against family and children	56,620	263	857	7,227	18,224	.5	1.5	12.8	32.2
Driving under the influence	423,522	95	4,633	30,720	85,666	(3)	1.1	7.3	20.2
Liquor laws	222,464	6,612	75,288	167,939	184,636	3.0	33.8	75.5	83.0
Drunkenness	1,512,672	5,031	40,966	124,718	261,416	.3	2.7	8.2	17.3
Disorderly conduct	589,642	42,795	124,077	220,991	317,453	7.3	21.0	37.5	53.8
Vagrancy	101,093	2,179	12,311	29,844	52,500	2.2	12.2	29.5	51.9
All other offenses (except traffic)	804,780	88,784	237,361	373,969	501,684	11.0	29.5	46.5	62.3
Suspicion	70,173	6,205	20,750	37,145	49,717	8.8	29.6	52.9	70.8
Curfew and loitering law violations	105,548	26,966	105,548	105,548	105,548	25.5	100.0	100.0	100.0
Runaways	179,073	70,230	179,073	179,073	179,073	39.2	100.0	100.0	100.0

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

[3] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

Table 30.—*Total Arrests, Distribution by Sex, 1970*

[5,270 agencies; 1970 population 151,604,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested			Percent Male	Percent Female	Percent of total [1]		
	Total	Male	Female			Total	Male	Female
TOTAL	6,570,473	5,623,576	946,897	85.6	14.4	100.0	100.0	100.0
Criminal homicide:								
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	12,836	10,857	1,979	84.6	15.4	.2	.2	.2
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	3,020	2,697	323	89.3	10.7	(2)	(2)	(2)
Forcible rape	15,411	15,411		100.0		.2	.3	
Robbery	87,687	82,340	5,347	93.9	6.1	1.3	1.5	.6
Aggravated assault	125,971	110,057	15,914	87.4	12.6	1.9	2.0	1.7
Burglary—breaking or entering	285,418	272,047	13,371	95.3	4.7	4.3	4.8	1.4
Larceny—theft	616,099	443,902	172,197	72.1	27.9	9.4	7.9	18.2
Auto theft	127,341	120,858	6,483	94.9	5.1	1.9	2.1	.7
Violent crime [3]	241,905	218,665	23,240	90.4	9.6	3.7	3.9	2.5
Property crime [4]	1,028,858	836,807	192,051	81.3	18.7	15.7	14.9	20.3
Subtotal for above offenses	1,273,783	1,058,169	215,614	83.1	16.9	19.4	18.8	22.8
Other assaults	287,027	249,613	37,414	87.0	13.0	4.4	4.4	4.0
Arson	9,409	8,547	862	90.8	9.2	.1	.2	.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	43,833	33,437	10,396	76.3	23.7	.7	.6	1.1
Fraud	76,861	56,018	20,843	72.9	27.1	1.2	1.0	2.2
Embezzlement	8,172	6,160	2,012	75.4	24.6	.1	.1	.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	61,517	55,770	5,747	90.7	9.3	.9	1.0	.6
Vandalism	111,671	103,158	8,513	92.4	7.6	1.7	1.8	.9
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	102,725	95,850	6,875	93.3	6.7	1.6	1.7	.7
Prostitution and commercialized vice	49,344	10,199	39,145	20.7	79.3	.8	.2	4.1
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	49,328	43,033	6,295	87.2	12.8	.8	.8	.7
Narcotic drug laws	346,412	292,265	54,147	84.4	15.6	5.3	5.2	5.7
Gambling	84,804	77,935	6,869	91.9	8.1	1.3	1.4	.7
Offenses against family and children	56,620	51,608	5,012	91.1	8.9	.9	.9	.5
Driving under the influence	423,522	395,583	27,939	93.4	6.6	6.4	7.0	3.0
Liquor laws	222,464	193,764	28,700	87.1	12.9	3.4	3.4	3.0
Drunkenness	1,512,672	1,405,611	107,061	92.9	7.1	23.0	25.0	11.3
Disorderly conduct	589,642	500,973	88,669	85.0	15.0	9.0	8.9	9.4
Vagrancy	101,093	81,139	19,954	80.3	19.7	1.5	1.4	2.1
All other offenses (except traffic)	804,780	674,580	130,200	83.8	16.2	12.2	12.0	13.8
Suspicion	70,173	60,291	9,882	85.9	14.1	1.1	1.1	1.0
Curfew and loitering law violations	105,548	83,122	22,426	78.8	21.2	1.6	1.5	2.4
Runaways	179,073	86,751	92,322	48.4	51.6	2.7	1.5	9.7

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.

[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 31.—*Total Arrest Trends by Sex, 1969–70*

[4,222 agencies; 1970 population 137,267,000]

Offense charged	Males						Females					
	Total			Under 18			Total			Under 18		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	4,848,940	5,059,952	+4.4	1,154,107	1,182,666	+2.5	780,057	862,736	+10.6	293,528	321,736	+9.6
Criminal homicide:												
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	9,472	10,112	+6.8	1,003	1,208	+20.4	1,700	1,830	+7.6	97	94	−3.1
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	2,782	2,406	−13.5	222	195	−12.2	329	294	−10.6	33	24	−27.3
Forcible rape	13,936	14,116	+1.3	2,898	2,986	+3.0						
Robbery	71,442	78,632	+9.9	24,166	26,275	+8.7	4,771	5,159	+8.1	1,768	2,000	+13.1
Aggravated assault	96,626	100,320	+3.8	16,302	16,755	+2.8	14,068	14,912	+6.0	2,345	2,754	+17.4
Burglary—breaking or entering	236,561	249,185	+5.3	128,312	129,741	+1.1	10,807	12,505	+15.7	5,672	6,277	+10.7
Larceny—theft	368,115	407,752	+10.8	203,631	214,175	+5.2	134,830	159,976	+18.7	63,924	74,878	+17.1
Auto theft	116,404	112,188	−3.6	68,217	62,630	−8.2	6,398	6,063	−5.2	3,822	3,545	−7.2
Violent crime [1]	191,476	203,080	+6.1	44,369	47,224	+6.4	20,539	21,901	+6.6	4,210	4,848	+15.2
Property crime [2]	721,080	769,125	+6.7	400,160	406,546	+1.6	152,035	178,544	+17.4	73,418	84,700	+15.4
Subtotal for above offenses	915,338	974,611	+6.5	444,751	453,965	+2.1	172,903	200,739	+16.1	77,661	89,572	+15.3
Other assaults	220,811	228,118	+3.3	36,528	38,839	+6.3	30,495	34,382	+12.7	8,311	9,919	+19.3
Arson	7,487	7,791	+4.1	4,769	4,786	+.4	783	806	+2.9	415	373	−10.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	27,482	30,306	+10.3	3,082	3,116	+1.1	8,141	9,505	+16.8	945	1,130	+19.6
Fraud	44,039	48,198	+9.4	2,394	2,197	−8.2	15,653	18,267	+16.7	596	685	+14.9
Embezzlement	4,779	5,636	+17.9	179	234	+30.7	1,286	1,895	+47.4	67	76	+13.4
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	40,772	50,802	+24.6	13,187	15,576	+18.1	3,897	5,259	+34.9	1,043	1,225	+17.4
Vandalism	96,134	94,385	−1.8	71,180	68,919	−3.2	7,560	7,839	+3.7	4,816	4,951	+2.8
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	82,193	88,794	+8.0	14,445	15,282	+5.8	5,746	6,410	+11.6	693	655	−5.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	9,686	9,973	+3.0	287	345	+20.2	38,293	38,154	−.4	689	752	+9.1
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	43,268	40,163	−7.2	8,446	7,570	−10.4	6,543	6,000	−8.3	2,377	2,090	−12.1
Narcotic drug laws	192,231	276,573	+43.9	44,423	57,616	+29.7	35,430	51,219	+44.6	11,764	15,523	+32.0
Gambling	71,763	75,793	+5.6	1,620	1,539	−5.0	6,122	6,677	+9.1	51	53	+3.9
Offenses against family and children	43,395	42,228	−2.7	592	469	−20.8	4,517	4,379	−3.1	196	233	+18.9
Driving under the influence	313,957	350,567	+11.7	3,453	3,840	+11.2	21,592	25,217	+16.8	168	214	+27.4
Liquor laws	175,494	169,329	−3.5	56,212	54,846	−2.4	26,118	25,383	−2.8	11,459	11,737	+2.4
Drunkenness	1,291,342	1,266,827	−1.9	35,893	31,961	−11.0	99,623	97,298	−2.3	5,384	5,038	−6.4
Disorderly conduct	482,852	461,752	−4.4	96,351	95,265	−1.1	83,115	82,175	−1.1	19,291	20,043	+3.9
Vagrancy	91,336	76,121	−16.7	9,468	9,885	+4.4	12,112	19,381	+60.0	1,554	2,007	+29.2
All other offenses (except traffic)	540,819	607,557	+12.3	153,085	161,988	+5.8	99,745	116,876	+17.2	45,665	50,585	+10.8
Suspicion (not included in totals)	78,946	53,672	−32.0	17,622	14,939	−15.2	13,901	8,792	−36.8	3,142	3,243	+3.2
Curfew and loitering law violations	78,443	76,032	−3.1	78,443	76,032	−3.1	19,932	20,310	+1.9	19,932	20,310	+1.9
Runaways	75,319	78,396	+4.1	75,319	78,396	+4.1	80,451	84,565	+5.1	80,451	84,565	+5.1

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 32.—*Total Arrests by Race, 1970*

[5,208 agencies; 1970 population 142,474,000]

Offense charged	Total arrests							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**6,257,104**	**4,373,157**	**1,688,389**	**130,981**	**2,582**	**3,882**	**58,113**	**69.9**	**27.0**	**2.1**	.....	**0.1**	**0.9**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	**11,847**	4,503	7,097	76	6	.....	165	38.0	59.9	.6	.1	.....	1.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	**2,930**	2,238	613	25	1	3	50	76.4	20.9	.9	.....	.1	1.7
Forcible rape	**14,419**	7,260	6,900	103	5	8	143	50.4	47.9	.7	.....	.1	1.0
Robbery	**74,484**	24,770	48,282	545	34	43	810	33.3	64.8	.7	.....	.1	1.1
Aggravated assault	**114,153**	59,567	52,323	1,138	67	43	1,015	52.2	45.8	1.0	.1	.....	.9
Burglary—breaking or entering	**270,498**	174,512	91,305	1,908	102	170	2,501	64.5	33.8	.7	.....	.1	.9
Larceny—theft	**590,660**	392,769	186,720	4,167	547	753	5,704	66.5	31.6	.7	.1	.1	1.0
Auto theft	**120,082**	73,687	43,341	1,205	76	125	1,648	61.4	36.1	1.0	.1	.1	1.4
Violent crime [1]	**214,903**	96,100	114,602	1,862	112	94	2,133	44.7	53.3	.9	.1	.....	1.0
Property crime [2]	**981,240**	640,968	321,366	7,280	725	1,048	9,853	65.3	32.8	.7	.1	.1	1.0
Subtotal for above offenses	**1,199,073**	739,306	436,581	9,167	838	1,145	12,036	61.7	36.4	.8	.1	.1	1.0
Other assaults	**269,716**	162,074	102,956	2,018	63	66	2,540	60.1	38.2	.7	.....	.....	.9
Arson	**8,826**	6,403	2,295	59	6	7	57	72.5	26.0	.7	.1	.1	.6
Forgery and counterfeiting	**40,145**	27,422	12,307	236	27	14	139	68.3	30.7	.6	.1	.....	.3
Fraud	**75,098**	56,180	18,378	308	15	10	207	74.8	24.6	.4	.....	.....	.3
Embezzlement	**7,653**	5,702	1,904	19	1	4	23	74.5	24.9	.2	.....	.1	.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	**49,028**	30,130	18,283	241	29	23	322	61.5	37.3	.5	.1	.....	.7
Vandalism	**105,518**	82,280	21,540	653	43	28	974	78.0	20.4	.6	.....	.....	.9
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	**96,127**	46,040	48,436	463	29	45	1,114	47.9	50.4	.6	.....	.....	1.2
Prostitution and commercialized vice	**42,283**	14,616	27,210	158	23	22	254	34.6	64.4	.4	.1	.1	.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	**46,706**	36,705	10,111	247	20	44	579	76.4	21.6	.5	.....	.1	1.2
Narcotic drug laws	**291,600**	226,779	61,223	710	167	314	2,407	77.8	21.0	.2	.1	.1	.8
Gambling	**70,170**	20,527	46,550	56	204	470	2,363	29.3	66.3	.1	.3	.7	3.4
Offenses against family and children	**55,940**	38,924	16,386	337	4	7	282	69.6	29.3	.6	.....	.....	.5
Driving under the influence	**415,024**	333,950	69,307	4,872	126	311	6,458	80.6	16.7	1.2	.....	.1	1.6
Liquor laws	**218,142**	190,001	22,812	4,004	44	59	1,222	87.1	10.5	1.8	.....	.....	.6
Drunkenness	**1,496,414**	1,101,612	298,826	87,908	246	245	7,577	73.6	20.0	5.9	.....	.....	.5
Disorderly conduct	**572,211**	363,998	191,282	7,484	156	132	9,159	63.6	33.4	1.3	.....	.....	1.6
Vagrancy	**66,671**	47,940	16,630	1,386	22	45	648	71.9	24.9	2.1	.....	.1	1.0
All other offenses (except traffic)	**781,306**	564,318	203,339	7,047	342	533	5,726	72.2	26.0	.9	.....	.1	.7
Suspicion	**69,142**	47,934	20,588	440	63	34	83	69.3	29.8	.6	.1	.....	.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	**103,955**	82,416	18,806	1,188	39	174	1,333	79.3	18.1	1.1	.....	.2	1.3
Runaways	**176,357**	148,901	22,640	1,980	76	160	2,610	84.4	12.8	1.1	.....	.1	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 32.—*Total Arrests by Race, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests under 18[3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**1,492,857**	**1,089,484**	**370,594**	**13,624**	**714**	**1,561**	**16,880**	**73.0**	**24.8**	**0.9**	.....	**0.1**	**1.1**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	**1,213**	335	850	2	.....	.....	26	27.6	70.1	.2	.....	.....	2.1
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	**226**	176	48	2	.....	.....	.....	77.9	21.2	.9	.....	.....	.....
Forcible rape	**2,825**	1,087	1,696	17	.....	2	23	38.5	60.0	.6	.....	.1	.8
Robbery	**22,416**	5,776	16,174	113	18	25	310	25.8	72.2	.5	.1	.1	1.4
Aggravated assault	**17,280**	8,094	8,808	127	21	9	221	46.8	51.0	.7	.1	.1	1.3
Burglary—breaking or entering	**132,968**	85,960	44,425	985	46	114	1,438	64.6	33.4	.7	.....	.1	1.1
Larceny—theft	**275,046**	187,349	82,003	1,886	217	475	3,116	68.1	29.8	.7	.1	.2	1.1
Auto theft	**65,462**	41,864	21,780	641	43	98	1,036	64.0	33.3	1.0	.1	.1	1.6
Violent crime[1]	**43,734**	15,292	27,528	259	39	36	580	35.0	62.9	.6	.1	.1	1.3
Property crime[2]	**473,476**	315,173	148,208	3,512	306	687	5,590	66.6	31.3	.7	.1	.1	1.2
Subtotal for above offenses	**617,436**	330,641	175,784	3,773	345	723	6,170	63.9	34.0	.7	.1	.1	1.2
Other assaults	**46,367**	24,909	20,596	258	9	14	581	53.7	44.4	.6	.....	.....	1.3
Arson	**4,849**	3,689	1,083	34	2	7	34	76.1	22.3	.7	.....	.1	.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	**4,136**	3,115	961	27	1	.....	32	75.3	23.2	.7	.....	.....	.8
Fraud	**2,788**	1,751	1,015	11	2	.....	9	62.8	36.4	.4	.1	.....	.3
Embezzlement	**258**	219	36	.....	1	.....	2	84.9	14.0	.....	.4	.....	.8
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	**14,415**	9,170	5,041	44	17	14	129	63.6	35.0	.3	.1	.1	.9
Vandalism	**70,983**	57,067	12,957	373	18	19	549	80.4	18.3	.5	.....	.....	.8
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	**15,047**	8,365	6,360	67	8	9	238	55.6	42.3	.4	.1	.1	1.6
Prostitution and commercialized vice	**929**	380	538	2	2	1	6	40.9	57.9	.2	.2	.1	.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	**9,392**	6,501	2,732	31	4	13	111	69.2	29.1	.3	.....	.1	1.2
Narcotic drug laws	**67,275**	58,868	7,174	301	40	101	791	87.5	10.7	.4	.1	.2	1.2
Gambling	**1,517**	293	1,145	2	1	8	68	19.3	75.5	.1	.1	.5	4.5
Offenses against family and children	**660**	554	103	3	.....	.....	.....	83.9	15.6	.5	.....	.....	.....
Driving under the influence	**4,319**	3,877	329	68	2	1	42	89.8	7.6	1.6	.....	.....	1.0
Liquor laws	**67,400**	63,129	2,649	1,285	10	20	307	93.7	3.9	1.9	.....	.....	.5
Drunkenness	**38,595**	32,069	4,408	1,777	8	13	320	83.1	11.4	4.6	.....	.....	.8
Disorderly conduct	**113,065**	74,386	36,331	704	27	33	1,584	65.8	32.1	.6	.....	.....	1.4
Vagrancy	**8,946**	6,770	1,860	59	7	24	226	75.7	20.8	.7	.1	.3	2.5
All other offenses (except traffic)	**220,565**	169,784	47,013	1,598	90	213	1,867	77.0	21.3	.7	.....	.1	.8
Suspicion	**20,238**	15,757	4,331	100	9	25	16	77.9	21.4	.5	.....	.1	.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	**100,043**	79,036	18,310	1,175	36	174	1,312	79.0	18.3	1.2	.....	.2	1.3
Runaways	**163,634**	139,154	19,838	1,932	75	149	2,486	85.0	12.1	1.2	.....	.1	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 32.—*Total Arrests by Race, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests 18 and over[3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	1,448,648	3,073,214	1,221,854	115,192	1,732	2,311	34,345	69.1	27.5	2.6		0.1	0.8
Criminal homicide:													
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	9,997	3,955	5,823	71	6		131	39.7	58.2	.7	.1		1.3
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	2,513	1,928	542	23	1	3	16	76.7	21.6	.9		.1	.6
Forcible rape	10,761	5,680	4,893	84	4	6	94	52.8	45.5	.8		.1	.9
Robbery	47,504	17,840	28,714	425	16	18	491	37.6	60.4	.9			1.0
Aggravated assault	91,840	48,767	41,272	989	42	34	736	53.1	44.9	1.1			.8
Burglary—breaking or entering	120,841	77,256	41,696	844	49	56	940	63.9	34.5	.7			.8
Larceny—theft	274,736	178,843	90,861	2,164	299	277	2,292	65.1	33.1	.8	.1	.1	.8
Auto theft	49,566	28,512	19,906	524	29	27	568	57.5	40.2	1.1	.1	.1	1.1
Violent crime[1]	160,102	76,253	80,702	1,569	68	58	1,452	47.6	50.4	1.0			.9
Property crime[2]	445,143	284,611	152,463	3,532	377	360	3,800	63.9	34.3	.8	.1	.1	.9
Subtotal for above offenses	607,758	362,792	233,707	5,124	446	421	5,268	59.7	38.5	.8	.1	.1	.9
Other assaults	212,470	130,083	78,682	1,714	52	52	1,887	61.2	37.0	.8			.9
Arson	3,206	2,169	987	24	3		23	67.7	30.8	.7	.1		.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	33,642	22,816	10,490	202	26	14	94	67.8	31.2	.6	.1		.3
Fraud	68,841	52,434	15,914	293	11	10	179	76.2	23.1	.4			.3
Embezzlement	6,875	5,067	1,768	18		4	18	73.7	25.7	.3		.1	.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	30,268	18,463	11,434	189	10	9	163	61.0	37.8	.6			.5
Vandalism	27,375	19,252	7,462	250	23	9	379	70.3	27.3	.9	.1		1.4
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	74,801	34,747	38,802	387	20	35	810	46.5	51.9	.5			1.1
Prostitution and commercialized vice	38,040	13,336	24,270	150	19	21	244	35.1	63.8	.4		.1	.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	35,583	27,784	7,088	210	15	30	456	78.1	19.9	.6		.1	1.3
Narcotic drug laws	212,444	159,113	51,054	393	123	210	1,551	74.9	24.0	.2	.1	.1	.7
Gambling	67,840	19,916	44,912	53	203	462	2,294	29.4	66.2	.1	.3	.7	3.4
Offenses against family and children	50,424	35,063	14,802	304	4	7	244	69.5	29.4	.6			.5
Driving under the influence	387,152	313,168	66,904	4,721	108	309	1,942	80.9	17.3	1.2		.1	.5
Liquor laws	127,191	105,563	18,327	2,600	24	39	641	83.0	14.4	2.0			.5
Drunkenness	1,421,261	1,041,189	287,974	84,980	222	231	6,665	73.3	20.3	6.0			.5
Disorderly conduct	442,088	275,869	151,878	6,684	125	99	7,433	62.4	34.4	1.5			1.7
Vagrancy	56,199	40,306	14,142	1,300	13	21	417	71.7	25.2	2.3			.7
All other offenses (except traffic)	496,283	361,907	125,000	5,256	231	319	3,570	72.9	25.2	1.1		.1	.7
Suspicion	48,904	32,177	16,257	340	54	9	67	65.8	33.2	.7	.1		.1
Curfew and loitering law violations													
Runaways													

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.
[3] Data used only when adult and juvenile race furnished.

Table 33.—*City Arrest Trends, 1969–70*

[3,181 cities over 2,500; 1970 population 103,043,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested								
	Total all ages			Under 18 years of age			18 years of age and over		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change [1]	1969	1970	Percent change [1]
TOTAL	**4,981,446**	**5,189,146**	**+4.2**	**1,273,220**	**1,365,513**	**+2.5**	**3,768,226**	**3,883,633**	**+4.7**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	9,766	10,336	+5.8	1,017	1,171	+15.1	8,749	9,165	+4.8
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	2,231	1,891	−15.2	187	173	−7.6	2,044	1,718	−15.9
Forcible rape	11,560	11,579	+.2	2,532	2,555	+.9	9,028	9,024	(2)
Robbery	70,038	76,887	+9.8	24,516	26,726	+9.0	45,522	50,161	+10.2
Aggravated assault	95,657	98,418	+2.9	16,778	17,391	+3.7	78,879	81,027	+2.7
Burglary—breaking or entering	205,433	216,554	+5.4	112,196	113,398	+1.1	93,237	103,156	+10.6
Larceny—theft	452,488	512,149	+13.2	245,500	265,424	+8.1	206,988	246,725	+19.2
Auto theft	108,071	102,702	−5.0	64,124	57,992	−9.6	43,947	44,710	+1.7
Violent crime [3]	187,021	197,220	+5.5	44,843	47,843	+6.7	142,178	149,377	+5.1
Property crime [4]	765,992	831,405	+8.5	421,820	436,814	+3.6	344,172	394,591	+14.6
Subtotal for above offenses	955,244	1,030,516	+7.9	466,850	484,830	+3.9	488,394	545,686	+11.7
Other assaults	222,829	232,100	+4.2	40,889	44,569	+8.9	181,940	187,591	+3.1
Arson	6,871	7,196	+4.7	4,459	4,445	−.3	2,412	2,751	+14.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	29,593	32,694	+10.5	3,503	3,660	+4.5	26,090	29,034	+11.3
Fraud	44,000	49,477	+12.4	2,710	2,611	−3.7	41,290	46,866	+13.5
Embezzlement	4,706	6,636	+41.0	215	247	+14.9	4,491	6,389	+42.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	39,965	49,767	+24.5	13,036	15,117	+16.0	26,929	34,650	+28.7
Vandalism	90,940	87,872	−3.4	67,061	63,968	−4.6	23,889	23,904	+.1
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	80,944	86,698	+7.1	13,981	14,723	+5.3	66,963	71,975	+7.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	45,994	46,319	+.7	954	1,071	+12.3	45,040	45,248	+.5
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	43,395	39,309	−9.4	9,378	8,149	−13.1	34,017	31,160	−8.4
Narcotic drug laws	198,160	280,143	+41.4	48,950	62,118	+26.9	149,210	218,025	+46.1
Gambling	73,776	78,268	+6.1	1,625	1,556	−4.2	72,150	76,712	+6.3
Offenses against family and children	33,719	32,525	−3.5	624	583	−6.6	33,095	31,942	−3.5
Driving under the influence	281,262	309,279	+10.0	2,891	3,342	+15.6	278,371	305,937	+9.9
Liquor laws	167,889	158,771	−5.4	55,868	53,782	−3.7	112,021	104,989	−6.3
Drunkenness	1,294,208	1,261,427	−2.5	34,844	30,923	−11.3	1,259,364	1,230,504	−2.3
Disorderly conduct	528,087	504,248	−4.5	106,899	105,974	−.9	421,188	398,274	−5.4
Vagrancy	98,322	90,576	−7.9	10,384	10,465	+.8	87,938	80,111	−8.9
All other offenses (except traffic)	525,083	590,050	+12.4	171,655	178,165	+3.8	353,428	411,885	+16.5
Suspicion (not included in totals)	88,394	58,558	−33.8	19,176	16,330	−14.8	69,218	42,228	−39.0
Curfew and loitering law violations	91,551	88,734	−3.1	91,551	88,734	−3.1	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	124,903	126,541	+1.3	124,903	126,541	+1.3	.....	.....	.....

[1] In 742 cities over 25,000 population, arrests of persons under 18 years of age increased 1.7 percent and arrests of persons 18 and over increased 4.6 percent; in 2,439 cities under 25,000 population, arrests of persons under 18 increased 6.6 percent and arrests of persons 18 and over increased 5.6 percent.

[2] Increase of less than one-tenth of one percent.

[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 34.—*City Arrests by Age, 1970*

[3,929 cities over 2,500; 1970 population 111,408,000]

Offense charged	Grand total all ages	Ages under 15	Ages under 18	Ages 18 and over	Age								
					10 and under	11–12	13–14	15	16	17	18	19	20
TOTAL	**5,663,357**	**533,655**	**1,423,617**	**4,239,740**	**68,290**	**120,468**	**344,897**	**276,954**	**312,662**	**300,346**	**284,747**	**254,371**	**220,186**
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	9.4	25.1	74.9	1.2	2.1	6.1	4.9	5.5	5.3	**5.0**	**4.5**	3.9
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	**10,774**	162	1,195	9,579	18	20	124	236	363	434	580	525	505
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	**2,013**	33	183	1,830	5	8	20	22	47	81	115	122	84
Forcible rape	**12,256**	572	2,670	9,586	19	87	466	571	706	821	878	878	766
Robbery	**79,747**	9,223	27,535	52,212	624	2,068	6,531	5,324	6,287	6,701	6,656	6,209	5,394
Aggravated assault	**104,899**	6,115	18,248	86,651	631	1,380	4,104	3,437	4,196	4,500	4,767	4,592	4,442
Burglary—breaking or entering	**231,031**	55,695	121,116	109,915	7,486	13,550	34,059	23,263	22,808	19,950	16,958	13,245	10,426
Larceny—theft	**549,500**	143,965	283,857	265,643	20,528	39,542	83,895	51,086	47,983	40,823	35,404	27,292	21,476
Auto theft	**108,982**	16,835	61,796	47,186	403	1,950	14,482	15,909	16,284	12,768	8,803	6,537	4,863
Violent crime [3]	**207,676**	16,072	49,648	158,028	1,292	3,555	11,225	9,568	11,552	12,456	12,881	12,204	11,107
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	7.7	23.9	76.1	.6	1.7	5.4	4.6	5.6	6.0	6.2	5.9	5.3
Property crime [4]	**889,513**	215,895	466,769	422,744	28,417	55,042	132,436	90,258	87,075	73,541	61,165	47,074	36,765
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	24.3	52.5	47.5	3.2	6.2	14.9	10.1	9.8	8.3	6.9	5.3	4.1
Subtotal for above offenses	**1,099,202**	232,000	516,600	582,602	29,714	58,605	143,681	99,848	98,674	86,078	74,161	59,400	47,956
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	21.1	47.0	53.0	2.7	5.3	13.1	9.1	9.0	7.8	6.7	5.4	4.4
Other assaults	**250,748**	19,169	47,343	203,405	2,546	4,737	11,886	8,548	9,516	10,110	10,654	10,211	10,075
Arson	**7,738**	3,240	4,770	2,968	1,076	799	1,365	630	520	380	273	219	185
Forgery and counterfeiting	**34,885**	648	3,926	30,959	33	121	494	610	1,090	1,578	1,981	2,221	2,200
Fraud	**54,266**	660	2,750	51,516	51	164	445	468	686	936	1,712	2,044	2,216
Embezzlement	**7,060**	61	277	6,783	4	14	43	45	70	101	204	245	285
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	**53,395**	5,124	16,313	37,082	388	1,113	3,623	3,253	3,880	4,056	4,119	3,671	3,103
Vandalism	**94,920**	44,216	69,069	25,851	10,754	12,722	20,746	10,719	8,303	5,831	3,436	2,636	1,904
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	**92,353**	4,196	15,586	76,767	294	885	3,017	2,964	3,995	4,431	5,108	4,573	4,154
Prostitution and commercialized vice	**47,394**	103	1,128	46,266	4	7	92	139	267	619	1,891	3,222	3,755
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	**41,304**	3,408	8,587	32,717	346	709	2,353	1,715	1,774	1,690	1,748	1,761	1,710
Narcotic drug laws	**292,141**	8,706	65,155	226,986	158	878	7,670	11,555	19,266	25,628	30,122	29,831	26,243
Gambling	**79,999**	208	1,597	78,402	9	13	186	274	426	689	987	1,131	1,194
Offenses against family and children	**36,883**	242	683	36,200	81	45	116	83	114	244	1,618	1,541	1,604
Driving under the influence	**341,083**	80	3,763	337,320	1	16	63	188	1,037	2,458	5,891	7,072	7,594
Liquor laws	**177,888**	5,620	59,775	118,113	73	403	5,144	9,120	18,958	26,077	30,299	24,834	17,830
Drunkenness	**1,376,719**	4,290	33,953	1,342,766	113	411	3,766	5,453	9,650	14,560	23,731	23,440	22,789
Disorderly conduct	**540,076**	39,210	113,078	426,998	4,987	9,227	24,996	20,508	24,860	28,506	34,111	29,334	24,825
Vagrancy	**94,862**	1,814	10,795	84,067	122	319	1,373	1,583	2,968	4,430	6,314	5,603	4,471
All other offenses (except traffic)	**640,352**	74,611	195,219	445,133	11,074	15,263	48,274	38,875	41,090	40,643	40,150	36,187	31,975
Suspicion	**65,553**	5,713	18,714	46,839	755	1,213	3,745	3,613	4,384	5,004	6,237	5,195	4,118
Curfew and loitering law violations	**97,008**	25,307	97,008	.....	1,680	3,923	19,704	20,921	29,424	21,356	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	**137,528**	55,029	137,528	.....	4,027	8,881	42,121	35,842	31,710	14,947	.....	.....	.....

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 34.—*City Arrests by Age, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Age												
	21	22	23	24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–64	65 and over	Not known
TOTAL	**215,634**	**199,428**	**182,616**	**147,367**	**553,475**	**412,833**	**383,895**	**389,596**	**346,142**	**263,983**	**180,458**	**109,184**	**95,214**	**611**
Percent distribution [1]	3.8	3.5	3.2	2.6	9.8	7.3	6.8	6.9	6.1	4.7	3.2	1.9	1.7	(2)
Criminal homicide:														
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	535	513	515	414	1,708	1,143	892	734	544	381	267	145	173	5
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	96	117	93	85	319	206	164	117	105	81	43	41	42	.....
Forcible rape	750	698	686	616	1,930	1,042	616	381	223	110	59	27	26	.....
Robbery	4,897	4,394	3,697	2,907	9,130	4,116	2,179	1,258	681	319	208	70	77	20
Aggravated assault	4,555	4,451	4,315	3,834	15,573	11,142	9,008	7,196	5,151	3,260	2,011	1,170	1,159	25
Burglary—breaking or entering	8,955	7,901	7,057	5,408	17,490	8,806	6,630	3,769	2,117	1,070	572	278	214	19
Larceny—theft	18,224	15,919	13,840	10,646	36,376	22,536	16,760	14,193	11,084	8,110	5,572	3,701	4,471	39
Auto theft	3,954	3,305	2,790	2,178	6,699	3,259	1,904	1,306	826	410	193	83	68	8
Violent crime [3]	10,737	10,056	9,213	7,671	28,341	17,443	12,695	9,569	6,599	4,070	2,545	1,412	1,435	50
Percent distribution [1]	5.2	4.8	4.4	3.7	13.6	8.4	6.1	4.6	3.2	2.0	1.2	.7	.7	(2)
Property crime [4]	31,133	27,125	23,687	18,232	60,565	34,601	24,294	19,268	14,027	9,590	6,337	4,062	4,753	66
Percent distribution [1]	3.6	3.0	2.7	2.0	6.8	3.9	2.7	2.2	1.6	1.1	.7	.5	.5	(2)
Subtotal for above offenses	41,966	37,298	32,993	25,988	89,225	62,250	37,153	28,954	20,731	13,741	8,925	5,515	6,230	116
Percent distribution [1]	3.8	3.4	3.0	2.4	8.1	4.8	3.4	2.6	1.9	1.3	.8	.5	.6	(2)
Other assaults	10,698	10,773	10,991	9,007	37,516	26,786	21,657	17,598	12,193	7,316	4,066	2,136	2,204	24
Arson	162	133	137	124	463	334	271	229	184	104	73	39	37	1
Forgery and counterfeiting	2,270	2,354	2,156	1,765	6,215	3,616	2,405	1,710	1,081	537	257	106	81	4
Fraud	2,644	2,919	3,095	2,704	11,087	7,268	6,666	4,240	2,847	1,557	799	339	370	9
Embezzlement	342	407	416	309	1,448	1,084	799	515	353	206	96	49	24	1
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	2,789	2,522	2,350	1,908	6,476	3,684	2,341	1,702	1,065	667	349	180	152	4
Vandalism	1,772	1,536	1,394	1,066	3,935	2,480	1,874	1,474	1,017	677	346	206	193	5
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	4,384	4,377	4,182	3,432	13,377	9,151	7,198	5,900	4,272	2,740	1,838	1,031	1,037	13
Prostitution and commercialized vice	5,589	5,459	4,641	3,453	9,017	3,605	2,043	1,297	948	558	364	196	223	5
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	1,857	1,919	1,869	1,538	5,947	3,767	2,975	2,510	1,878	1,267	849	498	620	4
Narcotic drug laws	23,372	20,314	16,954	11,740	33,789	15,539	8,870	5,393	2,517	1,197	543	287	252	23
Gambling	1,558	1,727	1,698	1,763	9,549	9,968	9,781	9,732	8,647	7,057	5,447	3,788	4,363	12
Offenses against family and children	1,823	1,888	2,013	1,674	7,212	5,374	4,336	3,142	2,009	1,076	508	195	186	1
Driving under the influence	10,915	11,595	11,707	10,172	45,551	40,953	41,410	43,173	38,509	27,955	18,340	10,116	6,330	7
Liquor laws	4,660	3,554	2,863	2,072	6,524	4,687	4,429	4,339	3,984	3,058	2,231	1,436	1,300	13
Drunkenness	32,421	30,609	29,897	26,376	118,548	124,807	148,966	184,167	186,739	154,640	110,181	68,691	56,682	82
Disorderly conduct	25,947	23,659	21,394	17,127	61,065	42,969	38,042	34,926	27,857	19,555	12,229	6,811	7,054	93
Vagrancy	6,522	6,261	5,130	3,823	11,858	7,063	5,754	5,639	4,875	3,873	3,132	1,838	1,906	5
All other offenses (except traffic)	30,148	26,829	24,348	19,222	67,810	43,619	35,267	30,797	22,961	15,329	9,321	5,387	5,594	189
Suspicion	3,795	3,295	2,788	2,104	6,863	3,799	2,758	2,159	1,475	973	564	340	376	.....
Curfew and loitering law violations	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.

[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 35.—*City Arrests of Persons Under 15, Under 18, Under 21, and Under 25 Years of Age, 1970*

[3,929 cities over 2,500; 1970 population 111,408,000]

Offense charged	Grand total, all ages	Number of persons arrested				Percentage			
		Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25	Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25
TOTAL	**5,663,357**	**533,655**	**1,423,617**	**2,182,921**	**2,927,966**	**9.4**	**25.1**	**38.5**	**51.7**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	10,774	162	1,195	2,805	4,782	1.5	11.1	26.0	44.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	2,013	33	183	504	895	1.6	9.1	25.0	44.5
Forcible rape	12,256	572	2,670	5,192	7,842	4.7	21.8	42.4	64.0
Robbery	79,747	9,223	27,535	45,794	61,689	11.6	34.5	57.4	77.4
Aggravated assault	104,899	6,115	18,248	32,049	49,204	5.8	17.4	30.6	46.9
Burglary—breaking or entering	231,031	55,095	121,116	161,745	191,066	23.8	52.4	70.0	82.7
Larceny—theft	549,500	143,965	283,857	368,029	426,658	26.2	51.7	67.0	77.6
Auto theft	108,982	16,835	61,796	81,999	94,226	15.4	56.7	75.2	86.5
Violent crime [1]	207,676	16,072	49,648	85,840	123,517	7.7	23.9	41.3	59.5
Property crime [2]	889,513	215,895	466,769	611,773	711,950	24.3	52.5	68.8	80.0
Subtotal for above offenses	1,099,202	232,000	516,609	698,117	836,362	21.1	47.0	63.5	76.1
Other assaults	250,748	19,169	47,343	78,283	119,352	7.6	18.9	31.2	47.6
Arson	7,738	3,240	4,770	5,447	6,003	41.9	61.6	70.4	77.6
Forgery and counterfeiting	34,885	648	3,926	10,328	18,873	1.9	11.3	29.6	54.1
Fraud	54,266	660	2,750	8,722	20,084	1.2	5.1	16.1	37.0
Embezzlement	7,060	61	277	1,011	2,485	.9	3.9	14.3	35.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	53,395	5,124	16,313	27,206	36,775	9.6	30.6	51.0	68.9
Vandalism	91,920	44,216	69,069	77,045	82,813	46.6	72.8	81.2	87.2
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	92,353	4,196	15,586	29,421	45,796	4.5	16.9	31.9	49.6
Prostitution and commercialized vice	47,394	103	1,128	9,996	29,138	.2	2.4	21.1	61.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	41,304	3,408	8,587	13,806	20,989	8.3	20.8	33.4	50.8
Narcotic drug laws	292,141	8,706	65,155	151,351	223,731	3.0	22.3	51.8	76.6
Gambling	79,999	208	1,597	4,909	11,655	.3	2.0	6.1	14.6
Offenses against family and children	36,883	242	683	5,446	12,844	.7	1.9	14.8	34.8
Driving under the influence	341,083	80	3,763	24,320	68,709	[3]	1.1	7.1	20.1
Liquor laws	177,888	5,620	59,775	132,738	145,887	3.2	33.6	74.6	82.0
Drunkenness	1,376,719	4,290	33,953	103,913	223,216	.3	2.5	7.5	16.2
Disorderly conduct	540,076	39,210	113,078	201,348	289,475	7.3	20.9	37.3	53.6
Vagrancy	94,862	1,814	10,795	27,183	48,919	1.9	11.4	28.7	51.6
All other offenses (except traffic)	640,352	74,611	195,219	303,531	404,078	11.7	30.5	47.4	63.1
Suspicion	65,553	5,713	18,714	34,264	46,246	8.7	28.5	52.3	70.5
Curfew and loitering law violations	97,008	25,307	97,008	97,008	97,008	26.1	100.0	100.0	100.0
Runaways	137,528	55,029	137,528	137,528	137,528	40.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

[3] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

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Table 36.—*City Arrests, Distribution by Sex, 1970*

[3,929 cities over 2,500; 1970 population 111,408,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested			Percent male	Percent female	Percent of total [1]		
	Total	Male	Female			Total	Male	Female
TOTAL	**5,663,357**	**4,837,393**	**825,964**	**85.4**	**14.6**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Criminal homicide:								
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	10,774	9,126	1,648	84.7	15.3	.2	.2	.2
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	2,013	1,772	241	88.0	12.0	(2)	(2)	(2)
Forcible rape	12,256	12,256	.....	100.0	.....	.2	.3	.....
Robbery	79,747	74,836	4,911	93.8	6.2	1.4	1.5	.6
Aggravated assault	104,899	90,965	13,934	86.7	13.3	1.9	1.9	1.7
Burglary—breaking or entering	231,031	220,398	10,633	95.4	4.6	4.1	4.6	1.3
Larceny—theft	549,500	390,227	159,273	71.0	29.0	9.7	8.1	19.3
Auto theft	108,982	103,527	5,455	95.0	5.0	1.9	2.1	.7
Violent crime [3]	207,676	187,183	20,493	90.1	9.9	3.7	3.9	2.5
Property crime [4]	889,513	714,152	175,361	80.3	19.7	15.7	14.8	21.2
Subtotal for above offenses	1,099,202	903,107	196,095	82.2	17.8	19.4	18.7	23.7
Other assaults	250,748	217,233	33,515	86.6	13.4	4.4	4.5	4.1
Arson	7,738	6,974	764	90.1	9.9	.1	.1	.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	34,885	26,376	8,509	75.6	24.4	.6	.5	1.0
Fraud	54,266	39,087	15,179	72.0	28.0	1.0	.8	1.8
Embezzlement	7,060	5,197	1,863	73.6	26.4	.1	.1	.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	53,395	48,294	5,101	90.4	9.6	.9	1.0	.6
Vandalism	94,920	87,500	7,420	92.2	7.8	1.7	1.8	.9
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	92,353	86,090	6,263	93.2	6.8	1.6	1.8	.8
Prostitution and commercialized vice	47,394	9,891	37,503	20.9	79.1	.8	.2	4.5
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	41,304	35,935	5,369	87.0	13.0	.7	.7	.7
Narcotic drug laws	292,141	246,297	45,844	84.3	15.7	5.2	5.1	5.6
Gambling	79,999	73,548	6,451	91.9	8.1	1.4	1.5	.8
Offenses against family and children	36,883	32,719	4,164	88.7	11.3	.7	.7	.5
Driving under the influence	341,083	317,714	23,369	93.1	6.9	6.0	6.6	2.8
Liquor laws	177,888	154,854	23,034	87.1	12.9	3.1	3.2	2.8
Drunkenness	1,376,719	1,280,895	95,824	93.0	7.0	24.3	26.5	11.6
Disorderly conduct	540,076	457,854	82,222	84.8	15.2	9.5	9.5	10.0
Vagrancy	94,862	75,923	18,939	80.0	20.0	1.7	1.6	2.3
All other offenses (except traffic)	640,352	534,427	105,925	83.5	16.5	11.3	11.0	12.8
Suspicion	65,553	56,395	9,158	86.0	14.0	1.2	1.2	1.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	97,008	76,820	20,188	79.2	20.8	1.7	1.6	2.4
Runaways	137,528	64,263	73,265	46.7	53.3	2.4	1.3	8.9

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.

[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 37.—*City Arrest Trends by Sex, 1969–70*

[3,181 cities over 2,500; 1970 population 103,043,000]

Offense charged	Males						Females					
	Total			Under 18			Total			Under 18		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	4,287,575	4,428,078	+3.3	1,015,962	1,027,889	+1.2	693,865	761,068	+9.7	257,258	277,624	+7.9
Criminal homicide:												
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	8,260	8,762	+6.1	933	1,089	+16.7	1,506	1,574	+4.5	84	82	−2.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	1,974	1,666	−15.6	163	152	−6.7	257	225	−12.5	24	21	−12.5
Forcible rape	11,560	11,579	+.2	2,532	2,555	+.9						
Robbery	65,619	72,109	+9.9	22,829	24,817	+8.7	4,419	4,778	+8.1	1,687	1,909	+13.2
Aggravated assault	82,931	85,170	+2.7	14,651	14,899	+1.7	12,726	13,248	+4.1	2,127	2,492	+17.2
Burglary—breaking or entering	196,552	206,437	+5.0	107,528	108,392	+.8	8,881	10,117	+13.9	4,668	5,006	+7.2
Larceny—theft	328,322	363,354	+10.7	185,758	195,159	+5.1	124,166	148,795	+19.8	59,742	70,265	+17.6
Auto theft	102,600	97,512	−5.0	60,773	54,920	−9.6	5,471	5,190	−5.1	3,351	3,072	−8.3
Violent crime [1]	168,370	177,620	+5.5	40,945	43,360	+5.9	18,651	19,600	+5.1	3,898	4,483	+15.0
Property crime [2]	627,474	667,303	+6.3	354,059	358,471	+1.2	138,518	164,102	+18.5	67,761	78,343	+15.6
Subtotal for above offenses	797,818	846,589	+6.1	395,167	401,983	+1.7	157,426	183,927	+16.8	71,683	82,847	+15.6
Other assaults	195,329	201,086	+2.9	33,253	35,250	+6.0	27,500	31,014	+12.8	7,636	9,259	+21.3
Arson	6,192	6,479	+4.6	4,096	4,122	+.6	679	717	+5.6	363	323	−11.0
Forgery and counterfeiting	22,725	24,752	+8.9	2,654	2,649	−.2	6,868	7,942	+15.6	849	1,011	+19.1
Fraud	32,301	35,681	+10.5	2,169	1,989	−8.3	11,699	13,796	+17.9	541	622	+15.0
Embezzlement	3,669	4,861	+32.5	153	173	+13.1	1,037	1,775	+71.2	62	74	+19.4
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	36,452	45,022	+23.5	12,078	14,009	+16.0	3,513	4,746	+35.1	958	1,108	+15.7
Vandalism	84,227	80,989	−3.8	62,843	59,656	−5.1	6,713	6,883	+2.5	4,208	4,312	+2.5
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	75,619	80,804	+6.9	13,351	14,120	+5.8	5,325	5,894	+10.7	630	603	−4.3
Prostitution and commercialized vice	9,387	9,732	+3.7	280	329	+17.5	36,607	36,587	−.1	674	742	+10.1
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	37,579	34,090	−9.3	7,303	6,394	−12.4	5,816	5,219	−10.3	2,076	1,755	−15.4
Narcotic drug laws	167,402	236,184	+41.1	38,721	48,773	+26.0	30,758	43,959	+42.9	10,229	13,345	+30.5
Gambling	68,044	71,963	+5.8	1,579	1,504	−4.7	5,731	6,305	+10.0	46	52	+13.0
Offenses against family and children	29,801	28,762	−3.5	464	391	−15.7	3,918	3,763	−4.0	160	192	+20.0
Driving under the influence	262,759	287,902	+9.6	2,776	3,167	+14.1	18,503	21,377	+15.5	115	175	+62.2
Liquor laws	146,116	137,921	−5.6	46,657	44,466	−4.7	21,773	20,850	−4.2	9,211	9,316	+1.1
Drunkenness	1,203,661	1,173,708	−2.5	30,492	26,946	−11.6	90,547	87,719	−3.1	4,362	3,977	−8.6
Disorderly conduct	449,715	427,439	−5.0	89,249	87,853	−1.6	78,372	76,809	−2.0	17,650	18,121	+2.7
Vagrancy	86,753	72,097	−16.9	8,927	8,963	+.4	11,569	18,479	+59.7	1,457	1,502	+3.1
All other offenses (except traffic)	440,488	492,850	+11.9	132,212	135,985	+2.9	84,595	97,200	+14.9	39,443	42,180	+6.9
Suspicion (not included in totals)	75,080	50,416	−32.9	16,395	13,551	−17.3	13,314	8,142	−38.8	2,781	2,779	−.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	73,237	70,358	−3.9	73,237	70,358	−3.9	18,314	18,376	+.3	18,314	18,376	+.3
Runaways	58,301	58,809	+.9	58,301	58,809	+.9	66,602	67,732	+1.7	66,602	67,732	+1.7

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 38.—*City Arrests by Race, 1970*

[3,891 cities over 2,500; 1970 population 102,647,000]

Offense charged	Total arrests							Percent distribution					
	TOTAL	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	5,339,176	3,598,136	1,572,938	113,625	2,250	3,626	48,601	67.4	29.5	2.1		0.1	0.9
Crimes against:													
Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	9,784	3,167	6,424	51	6		136	32.4	65.7	.5	.1		1.4
Manslaughter by negligence	1,920	1,423	471	8	1	2	15	74.1	24.5	.4	.1	.1	.8
Forcible rape	11,237	4,869	6,171	77	4	6	110	43.3	54.9	.7		.1	1.0
Robbery	66,436	19,790	45,321	466	33	43	783	29.8	68.2	.7		.1	1.2
Aggravated assault	93,079	44,137	47,147	824	66	38	868	47.4	50.7	.9	.1		.9
Burglary—breaking or entering	215,306	127,982	83,674	1,200	97	156	2,197	59.4	38.9	.6		.1	1.0
Larceny—theft	521,046	335,746	175,227	3,496	522	724	5,331	64.4	33.6	.7	.1	.1	1.0
Auto theft	101,555	58,868	40,062	883	74	121	1,547	58.0	39.4	.9	.1	.1	1.5
Violent crime[1]	180,536	71,963	105,063	1,418	108	87	1,897	39.9	58.2	.8	.1		1.1
Property crime[2]	837,907	522,596	298,963	5,579	693	1,001	9,075	62.4	35.7	.7	.1	.1	1.1
Subtotal for above offenses	1,020,363	595,982	404,497	7,005	802	1,090	10,987	58.4	39.6	.7	.1	.1	1.1
Other assaults	233,161	132,499	96,514	1,623	61	64	2,400	56.8	41.4	.7			1.0
Arson	7,089	4,864	2,124	38	5	6	52	68.6	30.0	.5	.1	.1	.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	31,043	19,919	10,842	132	26	13	111	64.2	34.9	.4	.1		.4
Fraud	52,101	36,373	15,618	204	12	9	185	69.4	29.8	.4			.4
Embezzlement	6,501	4,658	1,808	11	1	3	20	71.7	27.8	.2			.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	40,615	23,474	16,647	173	27	23	271	57.8	41.0	.4	.1	.1	.7
Vandalism	88,304	66,308	20,526	481	41	28	830	75.2	23.2	.5			.9
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	85,420	38,295	45,627	400	25	43	1,030	44.8	53.4	.5		.1	1.2
Prostitution and commercialized vice	40,323	13,387	26,498	155	23	22	238	33.2	65.7	.4	.1	.1	.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	38,669	28,525	9,355	195	18	39	537	73.8	24.2	.5		.1	1.4
Narcotic drug laws	236,376	177,412	55,885	580	146	282	2,071	75.1	23.6	.2	.1	.1	.9
Gambling	65,360	17,021	45,277	54	190	467	2,351	26.0	69.3	.1	.3	.7	3.6
Offenses against family and children	36,179	22,348	13,452	154	4	4	217	61.8	37.2	.4			.6
Driving under the influence	333,112	264,856	62,362	3,209	81	290	2,314	79.5	18.7	1.0		.1	.7
Liquor laws	172,653	147,335	21,182	3,222	26	52	836	85.3	12.3	1.9			.5
Drunkenness	1,359,705	987,039	284,997	80,364	193	238	6,874	72.6	21.0	5.9			.5
Disorderly conduct	522,150	323,085	183,593	6,538	109	108	8,717	61.9	35.2	1.3			1.7
Vagrancy	60,448	42,571	15,958	1,238	17	43	621	70.4	26.4	2.0		.1	1.0
All other offenses (except traffic)	615,248	423,175	181,544	5,008	280	477	4,764	68.8	29.5	.8		.1	.8
Suspicion	64,662	43,951	20,157	384	63	33	74	68.0	31.2	.6	.1	.1	.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	95,162	74,315	18,403	1,092	37	166	1,149	78.1	19.3	1.1		.2	1.2
Runaways	134,232	110,654	20,072	1,365	63	126	1,952	82.4	15.0	1.0		.1	1.5

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Table 38.—City Arrests by Race, 1970—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests under 18 [3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	1,273,972	898,600	348,105	10,550	664	1,466	14,587	70.5	27.3	0.8	0.1	0.1	1.1
Criminal homicide:													
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,072	245	801	1			25	22.9	74.7	.1			2.3
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	170	126	43	1				74.1	25.3	.6			
Forcible rape	2,341	760	1,545	12		2	22	32.5	66.0	.5		.1	.9
Robbery	20,731	4,859	15,427	101	18	25	301	23.4	74.4	.5	.1	.1	1.5
Aggravated assault	14,870	6,432	8,114	91	21	9	203	43.3	54.6	.6	.1	.1	1.4
Burglary—breaking or entering	108,243	65,242	40,969	652	43	104	1,233	60.3	37.8	.6		.1	1.1
Larceny—theft	249,407	165,938	78,225	1,599	207	464	2,974	66.5	31.4	.6	.1	.2	1.2
Auto theft	56,478	34,510	20,322	514	43	96	993	61.1	36.0	.9	.1	.2	1.8
Violent crime [1]	39,014	12,296	25,887	205	39	36	551	31.5	66.4	.5	.1	.1	1.4
Property crime [2]	414,128	265,690	139,516	2,765	293	664	5,200	64.2	33.7	.7	.1	.2	1.3
Subtotal for above offenses	453,312	278,112	165,446	2,971	332	700	5,751	61.4	36.5	.7	.1	.2	1.3
Other assaults	41,610	21,185	19,631	211	9	14	560	50.9	47.2	.5			1.3
Arson	4,102	3,021	1,023	21	2	6	29	73.6	24.9	.5			.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	3,474	2,545	882	23	1		23	73.3	25.4	.7			.7
Fraud	2,483	1,483	981	8	2		9	59.7	39.5	.3	.1		.4
Embezzlement	196	160	34		1		1	81.6	17.3		.5		.5
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	12,468	7,667	4,619	39	15	14	114	61.5	37.0	.3	.1	.1	.9
Vandalism	60,644	47,534	12,375	251	17	19	448	78.4	20.4	.4			.7
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	13,739	7,328	6,101	60	8	9	233	53.3	44.4	.4	.1	.1	1.7
Prostitution and commercialized vice	901	356	534	2	2	1	6	39.5	59.3	.2	.2	.1	.7
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	7,644	4,972	2,528	27	3	10	104	65.0	33.1	.4		.1	1.4
Narcotic drug laws	55,258	47,715	6,562	259	35	94	593	86.3	11.9	.5	.1	.2	1.1
Gambling	1,468	275	1,115	2	1	8	67	18.7	76.0	.1	.1	.5	4.6
Offenses against family and children	532	437	94	1				82.1	17.7	.2			
Driving under the influence	3,530	3,144	305	52	1	1	27	89.1	8.6	1.5			.8
Liquor laws	54,952	51,178	2,494	1,030	9	16	225	93.1	4.5	1.9			.4
Drunkenness	31,891	26,332	3,920	1,380	7	13	239	82.6	12.3	4.3			.7
Disorderly conduct	102,843	65,935	35,003	532	25	29	1,319	64.1	34.0	.5			1.3
Vagrancy	7,458	5,395	1,762	53	7	24	217	72.3	23.6	.7	.1	.3	2.9
All other offenses (except traffic)	180,229	134,214	43,040	1,125	80	193	1,577	74.5	23.9	.6		.1	.9
Suspicion	18,312	13,950	4,246	74	9	24	9	76.2	23.2	.4		.1	
Curfew and loitering law violations	91,754	71,407	17,924	1,085	35	166	1,137	77.8	19.5	1.2		.2	1.2
Runaways	125,172	104,255	17,486	1,344	63	125	1,899	83.3	14.0	1.1	.1	.1	1.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 38.—*City Arrests by Race, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests 18 and over [3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**3,835,844**	**2,562,859**	**1,135,598**	**101,562**	**1,498**	**2,155**	**32,172**	**66.8**	**29.6**	**2.6**		**0.1**	**0.8**
Criminal homicide:													
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	8,175	2,784	5,228	48	6		109	34.1	64.0	.6	.1		1.3
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	1,652	1,229	407	7	1	2	6	74.4	24.6	.4	.1	.1	.4
Forcible rape	8,351	3,850	4,349	65	4	4	79	46.1	52.1	.8			.9
Robbery	41,635	14,076	26,692	359	15	18	475	33.8	64.1	.9			1.1
Aggravated assault	74,255	35,882	36,950	727	40	29	627	48.3	49.8	1.0	.1		.8
Burglary—breaking or entering	95,758	56,465	37,797	509	49	52	886	59.0	39.5	.5	.1	.1	.9
Larceny—theft	239,417	150,537	84,336	1,810	288	260	2,186	62.9	35.2	.8	.1	.1	.9
Auto theft	41,392	22,240	18,226	345	29	25	527	53.7	44.0	.8	.1	.1	1.3
Violent crime [1]	132,416	56,592	73,219	1,199	66	51	1,290	42.7	55.3	.9			1.0
Property crime [2]	376,567	229,242	140,359	2,664	366	337	3,599	60.9	37.3	.7	.1	.1	1.0
Subtotal for above offenses	510,635	287,063	213,985	3,870	432	390	4,895	56.2	41.9	.8	.1	.1	1.0
Other assaults	182,672	106,046	73,346	1,389	50	50	1,791	58.1	40.2	.8			1.0
Arson	2,424	1,490	892	16	3		23	61.5	36.8	.7	.1		.9
Forgery and counterfeiting	25,996	16,570	9,206	104	25	13	78	63.7	35.4	.4	.1	.1	.3
Fraud	47,108	33,424	13,312	194	10	9	159	71.0	28.3	.4			.3
Embezzlement	5,976	4,249	1,696	11		3	17	71.1	28.4	.2		.1	.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	24,976	14,262	10,416	131	10	9	148	57.1	41.7	.5			.6
Vandalism	22,742	15,065	7,071	212	22	9	363	66.2	31.1	.9	.1		1.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	66,819	29,016	36,643	335	17	34	774	43.4	54.8	.5		.1	1.2
Prostitution and commercialized vice	36,150	12,155	23,580	147	19	21	228	33.6	65.2	.4	.1	.1	.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	29,752	22,555	6,568	164	14	28	423	75.8	22.1	.6		.1	1.4
Narcotic drug laws	173,406	124,497	46,869	312	108	187	1,433	71.8	27.0	.2	.1	.1	.8
Gambling	63,174	16,467	43,725	51	189	459	2,283	26.1	69.2	.1	.3	.7	3.6
Offenses against family and children	33,122	20,728	12,046	140	4	4	200	62.6	36.4	.4			.6
Driving under the influence	315,284	249,921	60,160	3,105	74	288	1,736	79.3	19.1	1.0		.1	.6
Liquor laws	106,996	87,243	17,003	2,160	14	36	540	81.5	15.9	2.0			.5
Drunkenness	1,300,801	940,941	275,196	78,052	174	224	6,214	72.3	21.2	6.0			.5
Disorderly conduct	405,730	246,563	148,769	5,929	81	79	7,309	60.8	35.9	1.5			1.8
Vagrancy	51,590	36,412	13,587	1,162	10	19	400	70.6	26.3	2.3			.8
All other offenses (except traffic)	384,141	268,191	108,617	3,768	188	284	3,093	69.8	28.3	1.0		.1	.8
Suspicion	46,350	30,001	15,911	310	54	9	65	64.7	34.3	.7	.1		.1
Curfew and loitering law violations													
Runaways													

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.
[3] Data used only when adult and juvenile race furnished.

Table 39.—*Suburban Arrest Trends, 1969–70*

[1,675 agencies; 1970 population 39,775,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested								
	Total all ages			Under 18 years of age			18 years of age and over		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	**1,067,085**	**1,157,495**	**+8.5**	**373,422**	**403,079**	**+7.9**	**693,663**	**754,416**	**+8.8**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,410	1,527	+8.3	110	128	+16.4	1,300	1,399	+7.6
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	668	625	−6.4	63	53	−15.9	605	572	−5.5
Forcible rape	2,627	2,689	+2.4	475	496	+4.4	2,152	2,193	+1.9
Robbery	9,084	10,324	+13.7	2,487	2,898	+16.5	6,597	7,426	+12.6
Aggravated assault	19,703	22,025	+11.8	3,317	3,648	+10.0	16,386	18,377	+12.2
Burglary—breaking or entering	56,541	59,792	+5.7	32,573	33,232	+2.0	23,968	26,560	+10.8
Larceny—theft	112,274	126,783	+12.9	63,682	69,995	+9.9	48,592	56,788	+16.9
Auto theft	23,507	23,627	+.5	14,387	14,142	−1.7	9,120	9,485	+4.0
Violent crime [1]	32,824	36,565	+11.4	6,389	7,170	+12.2	26,435	29,395	+11.2
Property crime [2]	192,322	210,202	+9.3	110,642	117,369	+6.1	81,680	92,833	+13.7
Subtotal for above offenses	225,814	247,392	+9.6	117,094	124,592	+6.4	108,720	122,800	+13.0
Other assaults	50,144	53,116	+5.9	9,538	10,450	+9.6	40,606	42,666	+5.1
Arson	2,062	2,160	+4.8	1,508	1,482	−1.7	554	678	+22.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	7,140	8,419	+17.9	853	843	−1.2	6,287	7,576	+20.5
Fraud	15,417	17,483	+13.4	513	538	+4.9	14,904	16,945	+13.7
Embezzlement	1,694	1,285	−24.1	46	51	+13.3	1,649	1,234	−25.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	8,897	11,372	+27.8	3,243	4,164	+28.4	5,654	7,208	+27.5
Vandalism	29,695	29,223	−1.3	24,761	24,029	−3.0	4,834	5,194	+7.4
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	12,497	14,419	+15.4	3,133	3,200	+2.1	9,364	11,219	+19.8
Prostitution and commercialized vice	2,025	1,980	−2.2	23	33	+43.5	2,002	1,947	−2.7
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	9,414	9,492	+.8	2,562	2,526	−1.4	6,852	6,966	+1.7
Narcotic drug laws	48,609	75,747	+55.8	14,781	22,106	+49.6	33,828	53,641	+58.6
Gambling	4,081	4,344	+6.4	147	135	−8.2	3,934	4,209	+7.0
Offenses against family and children	12,865	12,259	−4.7	325	309	−4.9	12,540	11,950	−4.7
Driving under the influence	77,324	89,266	+15.4	1,041	1,161	+11.5	76,283	88,105	+15.5
Liquor laws	52,909	52,329	−1.1	22,292	22,154	−.6	30,617	30,175	−1.4
Drunkenness	163,480	160,667	−1.7	12,967	11,064	−14.7	150,513	149,603	−.6
Disorderly conduct	99,446	101,635	+2.2	30,394	31,316	+3.0	69,052	70,319	+1.8
Vagrancy	8,317	7,269	−12.6	1,290	2,002	+55.2	7,027	5,267	−25.0
All other offenses (except traffic)	164,536	179,510	+9.1	56,093	62,796	+11.9	108,443	116,714	+7.6
Suspicion (not included in totals)	13,535	12,650	−6.5	5,321	5,729	+7.7	8,214	6,921	−15.7
Curfew and loitering law violations	24,958	26,318	+5.4	24,958	26,318	+5.4			
Runaways	45,861	51,810	+13.0	45,861	51,810	+13.0			

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 40.—*Suburban Arrests by Age, 1970*

[2,018 agencies; 1970 population 45,206,000]

Offense charged	Grand total all ages	Ages under 15	Ages under 18	Ages 18 and over	Age								
					10 and under	11–12	13–14	15	16	17	18	19	20
TOTAL	**1,344,050**	**169,153**	**463,761**	**880,289**	**22,528**	**36,376**	**110,249**	**92,429**	**106,298**	**95,881**	**87,312**	**70,092**	**56,955**
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	**12.6**	**34.5**	**65.5**	**1.7**	**2.7**	**8.2**	**6.9**	**7.9**	**7.1**	**6.5**	**5.2**	**4.2**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	**1,797**	22	141	1,656	1	5	16	32	43	44	82	98	76
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	**742**	10	63	679	2	1	7	4	17	32	45	42	31
Forcible rape	**3,147**	89	588	2,559	4	14	71	113	167	219	283	248	218
Robbery	**11,578**	944	3,165	8,413	65	248	631	525	766	930	1,192	996	873
Aggravated assault	**25,514**	1,281	4,205	21,309	127	254	900	808	1,008	1,108	1,405	1,229	1,161
Burglary—breaking or entering	**67,738**	16,232	37,688	30,050	2,037	3,704	10,491	7,659	7,555	6,242	5,716	4,038	3,015
Larceny—theft	**144,361**	38,821	79,096	65,265	5,599	10,327	22,895	13,916	14,368	11,991	10,105	6,860	5,250
Auto theft	**26,667**	4,086	15,978	10,689	79	399	3,608	4,395	4,399	3,098	2,252	1,525	1,124
Violent crime [3]	**42,036**	2,336	8,069	33,937	197	521	1,618	1,478	1,984	2,301	2,962	2,571	2,328
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	5.6	19.3	80.7	.5	1.2	3.8	3.5	4.7	5.5	7.0	6.1	5.5
Property crime [4]	**238,766**	59,139	132,762	106,004	7,715	14,430	36,994	25,970	26,322	21,331	18,073	12,423	9,389
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	24.8	55.6	44.4	3.2	6.0	15.5	10.9	11.0	8.9	7.6	5.2	3.9
Subtotal for above offenses	**281,544**	61,485	140,924	140,620	7,914	14,952	38,619	27,452	28,323	23,664	21,080	15,036	11,748
Percent distribution [1]	**100.0**	21.8	50.1	49.9	2.8	5.3	13.7	9.8	10.1	8.4	7.5	5.3	4.2
Other assaults	**59,470**	4,679	11,504	47,966	711	1,177	2,791	2,033	2,399	2,393	2,663	2,361	2,258
Arson	**2,428**	1,104	1,640	788	405	248	451	205	190	141	106	79	64
Forgery and counterfeiting	**9,427**	135	901	8,526	6	21	108	138	234	394	516	592	566
Fraud	**19,578**	125	609	18,969	14	28	83	90	150	244	509	617	775
Embezzlement	**1,504**	20	62	1,442	.....	4	16	5	18	19	57	52	43
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	**13,248**	1,454	4,818	8,430	88	278	1,088	997	1,177	1,190	1,192	914	785
Vandalism	**32,774**	16,954	26,775	5,999	4,035	4,800	8,119	4,221	3,382	2,218	1,128	816	555
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	**16,712**	1,140	3,587	13,125	94	288	758	638	790	1,019	1,199	952	794
Prostitution and commercialized vice	**2,191**	2	49	2,142	.....	.....	2	4	18	25	56	85	116
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	**10,645**	1,100	2,902	7,743	124	211	765	568	647	587	530	498	457
Narcotic drug laws	**83,967**	3,275	24,525	59,442	46	290	2,939	4,460	7,403	9,387	11,088	9,760	7,902
Gambling	**5,017**	42	151	4,866	1	4	37	17	41	51	50	70	59
Offenses against family and children	**15,961**	132	385	15,576	43	25	64	65	79	109	535	517	541
Driving under the influence	**103,042**	27	1,358	101,684	.....	3	24	63	347	921	2,123	2,410	2,378
Liquor laws	**62,337**	2,475	25,931	36,406	33	181	2,261	3,962	8,416	11,078	12,072	9,087	6,148
Drunkenness	**185,121**	1,704	12,124	172,997	15	121	1,568	2,187	3,492	4,741	7,098	6,155	5,524
Disorderly conduct	**114,799**	12,510	34,538	80,261	1,832	2,998	7,680	6,450	7,808	7,770	8,974	6,877	5,357
Vagrancy	**8,569**	523	2,123	6,446	27	83	413	424	525	651	866	660	463
All other offenses (except traffic)	**212,720**	29,403	75,164	137,556	4,939	5,930	18,534	15,455	16,329	13,977	13,840	11,282	9,593
Suspicion	**16,442**	1,935	7,137	9,305	204	402	1,329	1,542	1,859	1,801	1,630	1,272	829
Curfew and loitering law violations	**29,421**	6,700	29,421	.....	215	907	5,578	6,420	9,052	7,249	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	**57,133**	22,229	57,133	.....	1,782	3,425	17,022	15,033	13,619	6,252	.....	.....	.....

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 40.—*Suburban Arrests by Age, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Age												
	21	22	23	24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–64	65 and over	Not known
TOTAL	**50,227**	**45,701**	**41,994**	**33,421**	**119,675**	**84,375**	**72,787**	**69,149**	**56,498**	**40,263**	**25,503**	**14,536**	**11,776**	25
Percent distribution [1]	**3.7**	**3.4**	**3.1**	**2.5**	**8.9**	**6.3**	**5.4**	**5.1**	**4.2**	**3.0**	**1.9**	**1.1**	**.9**	(2)
Criminal homicide:														
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	97	65	99	74	270	205	171	147	95	71	52	17	37	
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	35	50	27	25	117	68	62	56	43	26	23	10	19	
Forcible rape	214	200	204	147	482	233	161	74	41	27	11	5	11	
Robbery	823	729	600	506	1,391	631	328	183	74	43	28	9	7	
Aggravated assault	1,156	1,116	1,103	959	3,870	2,579	2,128	1,750	1,195	768	436	226	228	
Burglary—breaking or entering	2,461	2,078	1,959	1,404	4,340	2,091	1,264	788	480	223	123	43	27	
Larceny—theft	4,369	3,879	3,463	2,618	8,863	5,471	3,965	3,340	2,540	1,801	1,140	763	838	
Auto theft	932	752	610	437	1,369	660	410	275	186	81	55	13	7	1
Violent crime [3]	2,290	2,110	2,006	1,686	6,013	3,648	2,788	2,154	1,405	909	527	257	283	
Percent distribution [1]	5.4	5.0	4.8	4.0	14.3	8.7	6.6	5.1	3.3	2.2	1.3	.6	.7	
Property crime [4]	7,762	6,709	6,032	4,459	14,572	8,222	5,639	4,403	3,206	2,105	1,318	819	872	1
Percent distribution [1]	3.3	2.8	2.5	1.9	6.1	3.4	2.4	1.8	1.3	.9	.6	.3	.4	(2)
Subtotal for above offenses	10,087	8,869	8,065	6,170	20,702	11,938	8,489	6,613	4,654	3,040	1,868	1,086	1,174	1
Percent distribution [1]	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.2	7.4	4.2	3.0	2.3	1.7	1.1	.7	.4	.4	(2)
Other assaults	2,349	2,398	2,393	2,054	8,576	6,423	5,233	4,591	3,030	1,770	939	524	404	
Arson	48	42	47	34	107	89	60	41	31	18	13	3	6	
Forgery and counterfeiting	527	657	598	504	1,714	1,065	682	510	352	141	64	22	14	2
Fraud	898	1,015	1,036	1,021	4,276	2,910	2,164	1,720	1,059	545	257	108	54	5
Embezzlement	61	135	67	61	256	240	189	127	78	41	26	7	2	
Stolen property; buying, receiving possessing	663	583	517	415	1,313	746	470	334	232	153	69	29	15	
Vandalism	375	367	302	243	774	462	294	250	183	106	75	35	34	
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	870	787	778	613	2,131	1,386	1,121	924	654	397	242	148	128	1
Prostitution and commercialized vice	207	343	265	173	481	157	91	72	40	23	19	7	7	
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	455	425	476	418	1,367	843	610	526	440	271	180	102	145	
Narcotic drug laws	6,373	5,226	4,256	2,687	6,977	2,587	1,263	689	321	183	68	33	28	1
Gambling	66	80	109	112	582	698	630	631	521	444	335	236	243	
Offenses against family and children	637	755	808	751	3,186	2,521	2,110	1,481	947	477	180	69	60	1
Driving under the influence	3,360	3,451	3,478	3,104	13,576	12,288	12,222	13,123	11,549	8,551	5,474	2,862	1,734	1
Liquor laws	1,416	993	737	500	1,344	824	742	701	646	482	340	190	183	1
Drunkenness	6,390	6,103	5,700	4,606	18,860	16,946	17,923	20,449	19,304	15,522	10,711	6,450	5,256	
Disorderly conduct	5,387	4,594	4,213	3,309	11,256	7,539	6,380	5,596	4,452	2,842	1,692	964	829	
Vagrancy	391	385	285	238	742	447	386	379	377	320	228	136	141	2
All other offenses (except traffic)	8,895	7,875	7,371	5,997	20,271	13,676	11,275	10,025	7,373	4,701	2,640	1,472	1,260	10
Suspicion	772	618	493	411	1,184	590	453	367	255	236	83	53	59	
Curfew and loitering law violations														
Runaways														

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.
[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 41.—*Suburban Arrests of Persons Under 15, Under 18, Under 21, and Under 25 Years of Age, 1970*

[2,018 agencies; 1970 population 45,206,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested					Percentage			
	Grand total all ages	Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25	Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25
TOTAL	**1,344,050**	**169,153**	**463,761**	**678,120**	**849,463**	**12.6**	**34.5**	**50.5**	**63.2**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,797	22	141	397	732	1.2	7.8	22.1	40.7
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	742	10	63	181	318	1.3	8.5	24.4	42.9
Forcible rape	3,147	89	588	1,337	2,102	2.8	18.7	42.5	66.8
Robbery	11,578	944	3,165	6,226	8,884	8.2	27.3	53.8	76.7
Aggravated assault	25,514	1,281	4,205	8,000	12,334	5.0	16.5	31.4	48.3
Burglary—breaking or entering	67,738	16,232	37,688	50,457	58,359	24.0	55.6	74.5	86.2
Larceny—theft	144,361	38,821	79,096	101,311	115,640	26.9	54.8	70.2	80.1
Auto theft	26,667	4,086	15,978	20,879	23,610	15.3	59.9	78.3	88.5
Violent crime [1]	42,036	2,336	8,099	15,960	24,052	5.6	19.3	38.0	57.2
Property crime [2]	238,766	59,139	132,762	172,647	197,609	24.8	55.6	72.3	82.8
Subtotal for above offenses	281,544	61,485	140,924	188,788	221,979	21.8	50.1	67.1	78.8
Other assaults	59,470	4,679	11,504	18,786	27,980	7.9	19.3	31.6	47.0
Arson	2,428	1,104	1,640	1,889	2,060	45.5	67.5	77.8	84.8
Forgery and counterfeiting	9,427	135	901	2,575	4,861	1.4	9.6	27.3	51.6
Fraud	19,578	125	609	2,510	6,480	.6	3.1	12.8	33.1
Embezzlement	1,504	20	62	214	538	1.3	4.1	14.2	35.8
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	13,248	1,454	4,818	7,709	9,887	11.0	36.4	58.2	74.6
Vandalism	32,774	16,954	26,775	29,274	30,561	51.7	81.7	89.3	93.2
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	16,712	1,140	3,587	6,532	9,580	6.8	21.5	39.1	57.3
Prostitution and commercialized vice	2,191	2	49	306	1,294	.1	2.2	14.0	59.1
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	10,645	1,100	2,902	4,387	6,161	10.3	27.3	41.2	57.9
Narcotic drug laws	83,967	3,275	24,525	53,275	71,817	3.9	29.2	63.4	85.5
Gambling	5,017	42	151	330	697	.8	3.0	6.6	13.9
Offenses against family and children	15,961	132	385	1,978	4,929	.8	2.4	12.4	30.9
Driving under the influence	103,042	27	1,358	8,269	21,662	(3)	1.3	8.0	21.0
Liquor laws	62,337	2,475	25,931	53,238	56,884	4.0	41.6	85.4	91.3
Drunkenness	185,121	1,704	12,124	30,901	53,700	.9	6.5	16.7	29.0
Disorderly conduct	114,799	12,510	34,538	55,746	73,249	10.9	30.1	48.6	63.8
Vagrancy	8,569	523	2,123	4,112	5,411	6.1	24.8	48.0	63.1
All other offenses (except traffic)	212,720	20,403	75,164	109,879	140,017	13.8	35.3	51.7	65.8
Suspicion	16,442	1,935	7,137	10,868	13,162	11.8	43.4	66.1	80.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	29,421	6,700	29,421	29,421	29,421	22.8	100.0	100.0	100.0
Runaways	57,133	22,229	57,133	57,133	57,133	38.9	100.0	100.0	100.0

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

[3] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

Table 42.—*Suburban Arrests, Distribution by Sex, 1970*

[2,018 agencies; 1970 population 45,206,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested			Percent male	Percent female	Percent of total [1]		
	Total	Male	Female			Total	Male	Female
TOTAL	**1,344,050**	**1,137,585**	**206,465**	**84.6**	**15.4**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Criminal homicide:								
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,797	1,503	294	83.6	16.4	.1	.1	.1
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	742	647	95	87.2	12.8	.1	.1	(2)
Forcible rape	3,147	3,147	.....	100.0	.....	.2	.3	.....
Robbery	11,578	10,964	614	94.7	5.3	.9	1.0	.3
Aggravated assault	25,514	22,786	2,728	89.3	10.7	1.9	2.0	1.3
Burglary—breaking or entering	67,738	64,661	3,077	95.5	4.5	5.0	5.7	1.5
Larceny—theft	144,361	104,341	40,020	72.3	27.7	10.7	9.2	19.4
Auto theft	26,667	25,223	1,444	94.6	5.4	2.0	2.2	.7
Violent crime [3]	42,036	38,400	3,636	91.4	8.6	3.1	3.4	1.8
Property crime [4]	238,766	194,225	44,541	81.3	18.7	17.8	17.1	21.6
Subtotal for above offenses	281,544	233,272	48,272	82.9	17.1	20.9	20.5	23.4
Other assaults	59,470	52,333	7,137	88.0	12.0	4.4	4.6	3.5
Arson	2,428	2,289	139	94.3	5.7	.2	.2	.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	9,427	7,176	2,251	76.1	23.9	.7	.6	1.1
Fraud	19,578	13,959	5,619	71.3	28.7	1.5	1.2	2.7
Embezzlement	1,504	1,117	387	74.3	25.7	.1	.1	.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	13,248	12,176	1,072	91.9	8.1	1.0	1.1	.5
Vandalism	32,774	30,514	2,260	93.1	6.9	2.4	2.7	1.1
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	16,712	15,765	947	94.3	5.7	1.2	1.4	.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	2,191	375	1,816	17.1	82.9	.2	(2)	.9
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	10,645	9,562	1,083	89.8	10.2	.8	.8	.5
Narcotic drug laws	83,967	70,859	13,108	84.4	15.6	6.2	6.2	6.3
Gambling	5,017	4,575	442	91.2	8.8	.4	.4	.2
Offenses against family and children	15,961	14,957	1,004	93.7	6.3	1.2	1.3	.5
Driving under the influence	103,042	95,632	7,410	92.8	7.2	7.7	8.4	3.6
Liquor laws	62,337	54,256	8,081	87.0	13.0	4.6	4.8	3.9
Drunkenness	185,121	168,404	16,717	91.0	9.0	13.8	14.8	8.1
Disorderly conduct	114,799	99,238	15,561	86.4	13.6	8.5	8.7	7.5
Vagrancy	8,569	7,263	1,306	84.8	15.2	.6	.6	.6
All other offenses (except traffic)	212,720	177,975	34,745	83.7	16.3	15.8	15.6	16.8
Suspicion	16,442	14,163	2,279	86.1	13.9	1.2	1.2	1.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	29,421	22,567	6,854	76.7	23.3	2.2	2.0	3.3
Runaways	57,133	29,158	27,975	51.0	49.0	4.3	2.6	13.5

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.

[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 43.—*Suburban Arrests by Race, 1970*

[2,001 agencies; 1970 population 44,903,000]

Offense charged	Total arrests							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**1,334,504**	**1,127,382**	**191,919**	**6,571**	**366**	**444**	**7,792**	**84.5**	**14.4**	**0.5**			**0.6**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	**1,788**	1,099	676	**4**			9	61.5	37.8	.2			.5
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	733	617	97	2			17	84.2	13.2	.3			2.3
Forcible rape	3,127	2,187	901	9	2	1	27	69.9	28.8	.3	0.1		.9
Robbery	**11,556**	6,490	4,985	28	2	1	50	56.2	43.1	.2			.4
Aggravated assault	**25,395**	18,220	6,903	104	11	5	152	71.7	27.2	.4			.6
Burglary—breaking or entering	**67,341**	54,642	12,211	180	9	30	269	81.1	18.1	.3			.4
Larceny—theft	**143,259**	114,508	27,682	311	68	75	615	79.9	19.3	.2		0.1	.4
Auto theft	**26,171**	20,650	5,509	144	14	9	145	78.9	20.8	.5	.1		.5
Violent crime [1]	**11,866**	27,996	13,465	145	15	7	238	66.9	32.2	.3			.6
Property crime [2]	**237,071**	189,800	45,402	635	91	114	1,029	80.1	19.2	.3			.4
Subtotal for above offenses	**279,670**	218,413	58,964	782	106	121	1,284	78.1	21.1	.3			.5
Other assaults	**59,337**	46,015	12,917	161	8	5	231	77.5	21.8	.3			.4
Arson	**2,115**	2,142	266	3		3	1	88.7	11.0	.1		.1	
Forgery and counterfeiting	**9,397**	7,394	1,940	28	2	5	28	78.7	20.6	.3		.1	.3
Fraud	**19,588**	16,143	3,402	25	2	1	15	82.4	17.4	.1			.1
Embezzlement	**1,502**	1,320	173	7			2	87.9	11.5	.5			.1
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	**13,114**	9,712	3,287	27	3	2	83	74.1	25.1	.2			.6
Vandalism	**32,464**	29,675	2,587	51	6	3	142	91.4	8.0	.2			.4
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	**16,657**	11,811	4,715	33	3	2	93	70.9	28.3	.2			.6
Prostitution and commercialized vice	**2,189**	1,396	774	3		2	14	63.8	35.4	.1		.1	.6
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	**10,599**	9,440	1,063	37	3	4	52	89.1	10.0	.3			.5
Narcotic drug laws	**83,321**	74,585	8,170	91	32	62	381	89.5	9.8	.1		.1	.5
Gambling	**4,955**	3,038	1,867	2	14	1	33	61.3	37.7		.3		.7
Offenses against family and children	**15,881**	13,063	2,704	45		5	64	82.3	17.0	.3			.4
Driving under the influence	**102,616**	91,086	8,852	469	12	44	2,153	88.8	8.6	.5			2.1
Liquor laws	**61,725**	58,494	2,688	263	7	8	265	94.8	4.4	.4			.4
Drunkenness	**183,024**	156,408	22,832	3,082	22	24	656	85.5	12.5	1.7			.4
Disorderly conduct	**111,111**	95,543	17,508	390	43	34	623	83.7	15.3	.3			.5
Vagrancy	**8,556**	7,251	1,203	63	2	3	34	84.7	14.1	.7			.4
All other offenses (except traffic)	**210,874**	180,208	29,084	660	72	61	780	85.5	13.8	.3			.4
Suspicion	**16,106**	14,529	1,805	33	1	2	36	88.6	11.0	.2			.2
Curfew and loitering law violations	**29,265**	27,421	1,521	108	8	12	195	93.7	5.2	.4			.7
Runaways	**56,808**	52,295	3,627	199	20	40	627	92.1	6.4	.4		.1	1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 43.—*Suburban Arrests by Race, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests under 18 [3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**425,964**	**373,274**	**48,768**	**1,128**	**102**	**201**	**2,491**	**87.6**	**11.4**	**0.3**	.....	.....	**0.6**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	123	69	54	.....	.....	.....	.....	56.1	43.9	.....	.....	.....	.....
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	59	54	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	91.5	8.5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Forcible rape	524	314	207	3	.....	.....	.....	59.9	39.5	.6	.....	.....	.....
Robbery	2,902	1,473	1,405	7	.....	1	16	50.8	48.4	.2	.....	.....	.6
Aggravated assault	3,922	2,744	1,139	14	1	2	22	70.0	29.0	.4	.....	.1	.6
Burglary—breaking or entering	34,624	28,575	5,780	92	6	21	150	82.5	16.7	.3	.....	.1	.4
Larceny—theft	70,635	58,744	11,431	134	24	36	266	83.2	16.2	.2	.....	.1	.4
Auto theft	14,770	11,852	2,749	74	9	7	79	80.2	18.6	.5	.1	.....	.5
Violent crime [1]	7,471	4,600	2,805	24	1	3	38	61.6	37.5	.3	.....	.....	.5
Property crime [2]	120,029	99,171	19,960	300	39	64	495	82.6	16.6	.2	.....	.1	.4
Subtotal for above offenses	127,559	103,825	22,770	324	40	67	533	81.4	17.9	.3	.....	.1	.4
Other assaults	10,667	8,032	2,589	12	1	3	30	75.3	24.3	.1	.....	.....	.3
Arson	1,498	1,362	131	1	.....	3	1	90.9	8.7	.1	.....	.2	.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	844	726	109	1	.....	.....	8	86.0	12.9	.1	.....	.....	.9
Fraud	514	426	88	.....	.....	.....	.....	82.9	17.1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Embezzlement	50	48	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	96.0	4.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	4,145	3,153	970	2	1	2	17	76.1	23.4	.....	.....	.....	.4
Vandalism	24,302	22,440	1,721	27	4	2	108	92.3	7.1	.1	.....	.....	.4
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	3,279	2,711	553	3	1	.....	11	82.7	16.9	.1	.....	.....	.3
Prostitution and commercialized vice	47	35	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	74.5	25.5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	2,711	2,361	326	10	1	2	11	87.1	12.0	.4	.....	.1	.4
Narcotic drug laws	23,093	21,737	1,097	18	8	22	211	94.1	4.8	.1	.....	.1	.9
Gambling	140	74	65	.....	.....	.....	1	52.9	46.4	.....	.....	.....	.7
Offenses against family and children	265	238	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	89.8	10.2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Driving under the influence	1,263	1,201	44	11	.....	.....	7	95.1	3.5	.9	.....	.....	.6
Liquor laws	22,608	21,985	454	85	2	6	76	97.2	2.0	.4	.....	.....	.3
Drunkenness	11,422	10,567	678	93	1	2	81	92.5	5.9	.8	.....	.....	.7
Disorderly conduct	31,537	26,728	4,429	70	3	10	297	84.8	14.0	.2	.....	.....	.9
Vagrancy	2,077	1,906	158	2	.....	1	10	91.8	7.6	.1	.....	.....	.5
All other offenses (except traffic)	70,693	62,761	7,406	166	16	28	316	88.8	10.5	.2	.....	.....	.4
Suspicion	7,095	6,563	515	6	.....	1	10	92.5	7.3	.1	.....	.....	.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	27,572	25,880	1,380	107	5	12	188	93.9	5.0	.4	.....	.....	.7
Runaways	52,583	48,515	3,244	190	19	40	575	92.3	6.2	.4	.....	.1	1.1

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 43.—*Suburban Arrests by Race, 1970—Continued*

Offense charged	Arrests 18 and over [3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**808,027**	**671,890**	**127,817**	**5,258**	**217**	**241**	**2,604**	**83.2**	**15.8**	**0.7**			**0.3**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,513	957	548	4			4	63.3	36.2	.3			.3
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	610	513	89	2			6	84.1	14.6	.3			1.0
Forcible rape	2,336	1,681	633	5	1	1	15	72.0	27.1	.2			.6
Robbery	7,718	4,595	3,068	19	2		34	59.5	39.8	.2			.4
Aggravated assault	19,981	14,490	5,272	89	7	3	120	72.5	26.4	.4			.6
Burglary—breaking or entering	27,701	22,006	5,521	82	1	9	82	79.4	19.9	.3			.3
Larceny—theft	58,671	45,011	13,178	165	38	38	241	76.7	22.5	.3	.1	.1	.4
Auto theft	10,066	7,491	2,446	68	3	2	56	74.4	24.3	.7			.6
Violent crime [1]	31,548	21,723	9,521	117	10	4	173	68.9	30.2	.4			.5
Property crime [2]	96,438	74,508	21,145	315	42	49	379	77.3	21.9	.3		.1	.4
Subtotal for above offenses	128,596	96,744	30,755	434	52	53	558	75.2	23.9	.3			.4
Other assaults	15,500	35,549	9,629	140	6	2	174	78.1	21.2	.3			.4
Arson	712	607	104	1				85.3	14.6	.1			
Forgery and counterfeiting	7,912	6,187	1,673	27	2	5	18	78.2	21.1	.3		.1	.2
Fraud	17,895	14,921	2,936	24	1	1	12	83.4	16.4	.1			.1
Embezzlement	1,283	1,125	150	6			2	87.7	11.7	.5			.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	7,436	5,494	1,867	21	2		52	73.9	25.1	.3			.7
Vandalism	5,358	4,697	616	22	2	1	20	87.7	11.5	.4			.4
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	11,638	8,014	3,535	27	2	2	58	68.9	30.4	.2			.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	2,070	1,331	720	3		2	14	64.3	34.8	.1		.1	.7
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	7,244	6,521	657	25	2	2	37	90.0	9.1	.3			.5
Narcotic drug laws	55,267	48,856	6,134	68	20	39	150	88.4	11.1	.1		.1	.3
Gambling	4,575	2,797	1,729	2	14	1	32	61.1	37.8		.3		.7
Offenses against family and children	13,885	11,373	2,416	42		5	49	81.9	17.4	.3			.4
Driving under the influence	91,874	82,826	8,326	452	12	44	214	90.2	9.1	.5			.2
Liquor laws	29,389	27,278	1,883	167	2	2	57	92.8	6.4	.6			.2
Drunkenness	161,181	136,671	21,099	2,922	16	22	451	84.8	13.1	1.8			.3
Disorderly conduct	75,349	62,675	12,014	308	38	24	290	83.2	15.9	.4	.1		.4
Vagrancy	6,328	5,220	1,022	61		2	23	82.5	16.2	1.0			.4
All other offenses (except traffic)	125,224	105,038	19,262	479	45	33	367	83.9	15.4	.4			.3
Suspicion	9,311	7,966	1,290	27	1	1	26	85.6	13.9	.3			.3
Curfew and loitering law violations													
Runaways													

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.
[3] Data used only when adult and juvenile race furnished.

Table 44.—*Rural Arrest Trends, 1969–70*

[872 agencies; 1970 population 15,753,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested								
	Total all ages			Under 18 years of age			18 years of age and over		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	**244,136**	**281,989**	**+15.5**	**50,078**	**57,916**	**+15.7**	**194,058**	**224,073**	**+15.5**
Criminal homicide:									
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	551	670	+21.6	16	40	+150.0	535	630	+17.8
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	565	532	−5.8	36	22	−38.9	529	510	−3.6
Forcible rape	834	937	+12.4	100	150	+50.0	734	787	+7.2
Robbery	1,299	1,366	+5.2	167	190	+13.8	1,132	1,176	+3.9
Aggravated assault	4,816	5,347	+11.0	351	402	+14.5	4,465	4,945	+10.8
Burglary—breaking or entering	14,480	16,023	+10.7	6,548	7,218	+10.2	7,932	8,805	+11.0
Larceny—theft	15,004	17,517	+16.7	5,061	6,195	+22.4	9,943	11,322	+13.9
Auto theft	4,838	5,025	+3.9	2,369	2,410	+1.7	2,469	2,615	+5.9
Violent crime [1]	7,500	8,320	+10.9	634	782	+23.3	6,866	7,538	+9.8
Property crime [2]	34,322	38,565	+12.4	13,978	15,823	+13.2	20,344	22,742	+11.8
Subtotal for above offenses	42,387	47,417	+11.9	14,648	16,627	+13.5	27,739	30,790	+11.0
Other assaults	8,776	9,505	+8.3	566	601	+6.2	8,210	8,904	+8.5
Arson	580	653	+12.6	200	301	+50.5	380	352	−7.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	2,253	2,597	+15.3	221	272	+23.1	2,032	2,325	+14.4
Fraud	6,920	7,938	+14.7	103	105	+1.9	6,817	7,833	+14.9
Embezzlement	373	570	+52.8	13	50	+284.6	360	520	+44.4
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	1,438	2,116	+47.1	357	480	+34.5	1,081	1,636	+51.3
Vandalism	4,760	5,565	+16.9	2,891	3,386	+17.1	1,869	2,179	+16.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	2,095	2,424	+15.7	206	238	+15.5	1,889	2,186	+15.7
Prostitution and commercialized vice	292	198	−32.2	11	9	−18.2	281	189	−32.7
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	1,786	1,866	+4.5	275	258	−6.2	1,511	1,608	+6.4
Narcotic drug laws	4,394	9,290	+111.4	909	1,695	+86.5	3,485	7,595	+117.9
Gambling	2,055	1,942	−5.5	16	12	−25.0	2,039	1,930	−5.3
Offenses against family and children	6,262	6,571	+4.9	84	60	−28.6	6,178	6,511	+5.4
Driving under the influence	25,490	30,487	+19.6	369	308	−16.5	25,121	30,179	+20.1
Liquor laws	21,025	22,688	+7.9	6,829	7,527	+10.2	14,196	15,161	+6.8
Drunkenness	39,663	46,442	+17.1	1,539	1,631	+6.0	38,124	44,811	+17.5
Disorderly conduct	12,358	12,801	+3.6	1,382	1,505	+8.9	10,976	11,296	+2.9
Vagrancy	1,830	1,687	−8.3	158	156	−1.3	1,681	1,531	−8.9
All other offenses (except traffic)	49,803	57,216	+14.9	9,714	10,679	+9.9	40,089	46,537	+16.1
Suspicion (not included in totals)	1,372	1,439	+4.9	575	614	+6.8	797	825	+3.5
Curfew and loitering law violations	1,420	1,672	+17.7	1,420	1,672	+17.7			
Runaways	8,167	10,344	+26.7	8,167	10,344	+26.7			

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Table 45.—*Rural Arrests by Age, 1970*

[1,131 agencies; 1970 population 19,366,000]

Offense charged	Grand total all ages	Ages under 15	Ages under 18	Ages 18 and over	Age								
					10 and under	11–12	13–14	15	16	17	18	19	20
TOTAL	387,903	17,458	76,263	311,640	1,930	3,064	12,464	14,385	21,731	22,689	25,072	22,199	18,894
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	4.5	19.7	80.3	.5	.8	3.2	3.7	5.6	5.8	6.5	5.7	4.9
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	927	8	53	874	.....	1	7	8	13	24	39	37	39
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	656	4	30	626	.....	1	3	1	4	21	23	44	31
Forcible rape	1,301	13	194	1,110	1	1	11	34	57	90	115	119	109
Robbery	1,928	47	286	1,642	.....	7	40	36	85	118	185	175	167
Aggravated assault	8,058	92	565	7,493	19	16	57	72	160	241	369	364	383
Burglary—breaking or entering	21,567	2,964	9,650	11,917	337	690	1,937	1,799	2,537	2,350	2,346	1,749	1,311
Larceny—theft	22,867	2,240	8,042	14,825	244	491	1,505	1,434	2,098	2,270	2,446	1,829	1,291
Auto theft	6,613	640	3,150	3,463	23	49	568	770	1,019	721	626	443	354
Violent crime [3]	12,217	160	1,098	11,119	20	25	115	150	315	473	708	695	698
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	1.3	9.0	91.0	.2	.2	.9	1.2	2.6	3.9	5.8	5.7	5.7
Property crime [4]	51,047	5,844	20,842	30,205	604	1,230	4,010	4,003	5,654	5,341	5,418	4,021	2,956
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	11.4	40.8	59.2	1.2	2.4	7.9	7.8	11.1	10.5	10.6	7.9	5.8
Subtotal for above offenses	63,920	6,008	21,970	41,950	624	1,256	4,128	4,154	5,973	5,835	6,149	4,760	3,685
Percent distribution [1]	100.0	9.4	34.4	65.6	1.0	2.0	6.5	6.5	9.3	9.1	9.6	7.4	5.8
Other assaults	12,943	151	876	12,067	9	43	99	123	247	355	614	667	571
Arson	832	160	367	465	51	46	63	68	70	69	59	51	45
Forgery and counterfeiting	3,825	36	371	3,454	4	7	25	62	118	155	249	245	219
Fraud	12,328	9	137	12,191	.....	.....	9	13	42	73	257	362	450
Embezzlement	673	2	51	622	.....	.....	2	3	24	22	22	21	23
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	3,007	96	711	2,296	3	13	80	121	247	247	311	234	206
Vandalism	7,089	2,012	4,409	2,680	479	528	1,005	754	852	791	624	415	262
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	3,540	66	320	3,220	6	11	49	43	89	122	178	195	153
Prostitution and commercialized vice	237	1	9	228	.....	.....	1	2	3	3	8	6	14
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	2,469	76	361	2,108	6	13	57	74	97	114	160	115	131
Narcotic drug laws	12,492	190	2,360	10,132	2	17	171	321	749	1,100	1,775	1,791	1,483
Gambling	2,160	2	14	2,146	.....	1	1	2	3	7	6	13	16
Offenses against family and children	9,168	11	93	9,075	.....	4	7	13	22	47	228	265	287
Driving under the influence	41,960	6	432	41,528	1	.....	5	30	118	278	856	929	1,104
Liquor laws	27,900	502	8,997	18,903	10	36	456	1,097	3,030	4,368	5,255	4,372	2,907
Drunkenness	72,552	131	2,356	70,196	4	9	118	296	772	1,157	1,971	1,864	1,974
Disorderly conduct	19,707	427	2,520	17,187	42	83	302	398	755	940	1,220	1,116	1,110
Vagrancy	2,245	17	186	2,059	3	2	12	24	51	94	158	136	108
All other offenses (except traffic)	71,136	3,157	13,160	57,976	571	492	2,094	2,478	3,614	3,911	4,800	4,495	4,060
Suspicion	1,897	148	740	1,157	11	22	115	153	195	244	172	147	86
Curfew and loitering law violations	2,254	423	2,254	.....	8	45	370	505	707	619	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	13,569	3,827	13,569	.....	96	436	3,295	3,651	3,953	2,138	.....	.....	.....

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Table 45.—*Rural Arrests by Age, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Age													
	21	22	23	24	25–29	30–34	35–39	40–44	45–49	50–54	55–59	60–64	65 and over	Not known
TOTAL	15,988	15,486	14,463	12,077	40,740	31,340	28,236	26,373	21,410	16,519	11,046	6,364	5,427	6
Percent distribution [1]	4.1	4.0	3.7	3.1	10.5	8.1	7.3	6.8	5.5	4.3	2.8	1.6	1.4	(2)
Criminal homicide:														
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	41	38	37	42	141	101	87	77	65	43	31	24	31	1
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	39	52	42	35	104	70	37	56	32	21	12	9	19	.....
Forcible rape	80	81	75	64	188	102	67	35	25	22	5	7	7	.....
Robbery	151	124	114	93	297	144	86	41	29	16	13	3	4	.....
Aggravated assault	381	439	416	356	1,216	947	767	660	490	316	181	96	112	.....
Burglary—breaking or entering	930	810	733	561	1,493	775	530	300	187	113	47	14	17	1
Larceny—theft	1,016	929	812	629	1,981	1,295	827	648	456	304	189	86	87	.....
Auto theft	275	249	206	155	472	269	153	114	71	33	25	8	10	.....
Violent crime [3]	662	682	642	555	1,842	1,294	1,007	813	609	397	230	130	154	1
Percent distribution [1]	5.4	5.6	5.3	4.5	15.1	10.6	8.2	6.7	5.0	3.2	1.9	1.1	1.3	(2)
Property crime [4]	2,221	1,988	1,751	1,345	3,946	2,339	1,510	1,062	714	450	261	108	114	1
Percent distribution [1]	4.4	3.9	3.4	2.6	7.7	4.6	3.0	2.1	1.4	.9	.5	.2	.2	(2)
Subtotal for above offenses	2,922	2,722	2,435	1,935	5,892	3,703	2,554	1,931	1,355	868	503	247	287	2
Percent distribution [1]	4.6	4.3	3.8	3.0	9.2	5.8	4.0	3.0	2.1	1.4	.8	.4	.4	(2)
Other assaults	569	599	647	570	2,012	1,671	1,283	1,064	701	511	284	139	164	1
Arson	31	25	26	24	58	37	28	30	17	13	10	6	5	.....
Forgery and counterfeiting	180	208	203	183	592	449	312	275	168	100	47	15	9	.....
Fraud	506	585	668	542	2,283	1,902	1,539	1,233	862	549	252	104	97	.....
Embezzlement	24	32	32	29	138	105	68	55	37	18	9	5	4	.....
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	167	160	122	84	329	177	162	126	100	58	27	17	16	.....
Vandalism	199	150	140	108	288	155	102	100	52	34	21	8	22	.....
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	176	192	175	149	543	371	321	278	183	111	84	63	48	.....
Prostitution and commercialized vice	14	23	21	20	47	26	14	10	10	11	1	2	1	.....
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	129	120	121	100	299	225	219	169	117	68	45	33	57	.....
Narcotic drug laws	1,285	974	813	470	952	275	108	83	57	27	17	8	13	1
Gambling	15	32	30	40	210	225	208	271	269	236	228	170	177	.....
Offenses against family and children	368	417	542	437	1,808	1,471	1,271	934	524	280	139	64	38	2
Driving under the influence	1,278	1,435	1,508	1,276	5,161	4,562	4,860	5,026	4,603	3,772	2,654	1,462	1,042	.....
Liquor laws	995	596	447	329	784	590	604	572	467	405	251	188	141	.....
Drunkenness	2,117	2,472	2,286	2,223	7,788	7,304	7,854	8,511	7,686	6,519	4,625	2,761	2,241	.....
Disorderly conduct	994	1,056	940	811	2,588	1,753	1,592	1,362	1,008	758	433	256	190	.....
Vagrancy	108	71	84	74	200	132	199	198	153	163	125	85	65	.....
All other offenses (except traffic)	3,817	3,544	3,173	2,630	8,644	6,139	4,874	4,069	2,990	1,981	1,254	714	792	.....
Suspicion	94	73	50	43	124	68	64	76	51	37	37	17	18	.....
Curfew and loitering law violations	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Runaways	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.
[2] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.
[3] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.
[4] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

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Table 46.—*Rural Arrests of Persons Under 15, Under 18, Under 21, and Under 25 Years of Age, 1970*

[1,131 agencies; 1970 population 19,366,000]

Offense charged	Grand total all ages	Number of persons arrested				Percentage			
		Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25	Under 15	Under 18	Under 21	Under 25
TOTAL	**387,903**	**17,458**	**76,263**	**142,428**	**200,442**	**4.5**	**19.7**	**36.7**	**51.7**
Criminal homicide:									
(a) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	927	8	53	168	326	.9	5.7	18.1	35.2
(b) Manslaughter by negligence	656	4	30	128	296	.6	4.6	19.6	46.1
Forcible rape	1,304	13	194	537	846	1.0	14.9	41.2	64.9
Robbery	1,928	47	286	813	1,295	2.4	14.8	42.2	67.2
Aggravated assault	8,058	92	565	1,681	3,273	1.1	7.0	20.9	40.6
Burglary—breaking or entering	21,567	2,964	9,650	15,056	18,090	13.7	44.7	69.8	83.9
Larceny—theft	22,867	2,240	8,042	13,608	16,994	9.8	35.2	59.6	74.3
Auto theft	6,613	640	3,160	4,673	5,458	9.7	47.6	69.2	82.5
Violent crime [1]	12,217	160	1,098	3,199	6,740	1.3	9.0	26.2	47.0
Property crime [2]	51,047	5,844	20,842	33,237	40,642	11.4	40.8	65.1	79.4
Subtotal for above offenses	63,920	6,008	21,970	36,564	46,578	9.4	34.4	57.2	72.9
Other assaults	12,943	161	876	2,728	6,113	1.2	6.8	21.1	39.5
Arson	832	160	367	522	628	19.2	44.1	62.7	75.5
Forgery and counterfeiting	3,825	36	371	1,084	1,858	.9	9.7	28.3	48.6
Fraud	12,328	9	137	1,206	3,607	.1	1.1	9.8	28.4
Embezzlement	673	2	51	117	234	.3	7.6	17.4	34.8
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	3,007	96	711	1,462	1,995	3.2	23.6	48.6	66.3
Vandalism	7,089	2,012	4,409	6,710	6,307	28.4	62.2	80.6	89.0
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	3,540	66	320	846	1,538	1.9	9.0	23.9	43.4
Prostitution and commercialized vice	237	1	9	37	115	.4	3.8	16.6	48.5
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	2,469	76	361	767	1,237	3.1	14.6	31.1	60.1
Narcotic drug laws	12,492	190	2,360	7,409	10,951	1.5	18.9	59.3	87.7
Gambling	2,160	2	14	49	166	.1	.6	2.3	7.7
Offenses against family and children	9,168	11	93	873	2,637	.1	1.0	9.5	28.8
Driving under the influence	41,960	6	432	3,321	8,818	(3)	1.0	7.9	21.0
Liquor laws	27,900	602	8,997	21,631	23,898	1.8	32.2	77.2	85.7
Drunkenness	72,552	131	2,356	8,165	17,263	.2	3.2	11.3	23.8
Disorderly conduct	19,707	427	2,520	5,966	9,767	2.2	12.8	30.3	49.6
Vagrancy	2,245	17	186	588	925	.8	8.3	26.2	41.2
All other offenses (except traffic)	71,136	3,167	13,160	26,515	39,679	4.4	18.5	37.3	56.8
Suspicion	1,897	148	740	1,148	1,405	7.8	39.0	60.4	74.1
Curfew and loitering law violations	2,254	423	2,254	2,254	2,254	18.8	100.0	100.0	100.0
Runaways	13,569	3,827	13,669	13,569	13,569	28.2	100.0	100.0	100.0

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

[3] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

Table 47.—*Rural Arrests, Distribution by Sex, 1970*

[1,131 agencies; 1970 population 19,366,000]

Offense charged	Number of persons arrested			Percent Male	Percent Female	Percent of total [1]		
	Total	Male	Female			Total	Male	Female
TOTAL	**387,903**	**350,619**	**37,284**	**90.4**	**9.6**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Criminal homicide:								
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	927	791	136	85.3	14.7	.2	.2	.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	656	608	48	92.7	7.3	.2	.2	.1
Forcible rape	1,304	1,304	.....	100.0	.....	.3	.4	.....
Robbery	1,928	1,840	88	95.4	4.6	.5	.6	.2
Aggravated assault	8,058	7,553	505	93.7	6.3	2.1	2.2	1.4
Burglary—breaking or entering	21,567	20,525	1,042	95.2	4.8	5.6	5.9	2.8
Larceny—theft	22,867	20,755	2,112	90.8	9.2	6.9	5.9	5.7
Auto theft	6,613	6,254	359	94.6	5.4	1.7	1.8	1.0
Violent crime [2]	12,217	11,488	729	94.0	6.0	3.1	3.3	2.0
Property crime [3]	51,047	47,534	3,513	93.1	6.9	13.2	13.6	9.4
Subtotal for above offenses	63,920	59,630	4,290	93.3	6.7	16.6	17.0	11.5
Other assaults	12,943	11,937	1,006	92.2	7.8	3.3	3.4	2.7
Arson	832	786	46	94.5	5.5	.2	.2	.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	3,825	3,132	693	81.9	18.1	1.0	.9	1.9
Fraud	12,328	9,718	2,610	78.8	21.2	3.2	2.8	7.0
Embezzlement	673	580	93	86.2	13.8	.2	.2	.2
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	3,007	2,780	227	92.5	7.5	.8	.8	.6
Vandalism	7,089	6,726	363	94.9	5.1	1.8	1.9	1.0
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	3,540	3,362	178	95.0	5.0	.9	1.0	.5
Prostitution and commercialized vice	237	81	156	34.2	65.8	.1	(4)	.4
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	2,469	2,268	211	91.5	8.5	.6	.6	.6
Narcotic drug laws	12,492	10,779	1,713	86.3	13.7	3.2	3.1	4.6
Gambling	2,160	2,011	149	93.1	6.9	.6	.6	.4
Offenses against family and children	9,168	8,777	391	95.7	4.3	2.4	2.5	1.0
Driving under the influence	41,960	40,233	1,727	95.9	4.1	10.8	11.6	4.6
Liquor laws	27,900	24,637	3,263	88.3	11.7	7.2	7.0	8.8
Drunkenness	72,552	68,516	4,036	94.4	5.6	18.7	19.6	10.8
Disorderly conduct	19,707	17,909	1,798	90.9	9.1	5.1	6.1	4.8
Vagrancy	2,245	2,069	176	92.2	7.8	.6	.6	.5
All other offenses (except traffic)	71,136	63,154	7,982	88.8	11.2	18.3	18.0	21.4
Suspicion	1,897	1,678	219	88.5	11.5	.5	.5	.6
Curfew and loitering law violations	2,254	1,588	666	70.5	29.5	.6	.5	1.8
Runaways	13,569	8,278	6,291	61.0	39.0	3.5	2.4	14.2

[1] Because of rounding, the percentages may not add to total.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

[4] Less than one-tenth of 1 percent.

Table 48.—*Rural Arrests by Race, 1970*

[1,107 agencies; 1970 population 18,998,600]

Offense charged	Total arrests							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**376,368**	**323,370**	**34,329**	**14,374**	**143**	**83**	**4,069**	**85.9**	**9.1**	**3.8**			**1.1**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	**911**	605	261	23			22	66.4	28.6	2.5			2.4
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	**647**	523	88	15		1	20	80.8	13.6	2.3		0.2	3.1
Forcible rape	**1,279**	1,049	196	18		1	15	82.0	15.3	1.4		.1	1.2
Robbery	**1,896**	1,376	452	59			9	72.6	23.8	3.1			.5
Aggravated assault	**7,770**	5,970	1,498	240		4	58	76.8	19.3	3.1		.1	.7
Burglary—breaking or entering	**21,184**	18,895	1,636	580	4	3	156	88.8	7.7	2.7			.7
Larceny—theft	**22,353**	19,377	2,344	526	2	3	101	86.7	10.5	2.4			.5
Auto theft	**6,422**	5,522	595	254		1	50	86.0	9.3	4.0			.8
Violent crime [1]	**11,886**	9,000	2,407	340		8	104	78.9	20.3	2.9			.9
Property crime [2]	**49,959**	43,704	4,575	1,360	6	7	307	87.5	9.2	2.7			.6
Subtotal for above offenses	**62,462**	53,227	7,079	1,718	6	13	431	85.2	11.3	2.7			.7
Other assaults	**12,729**	10,216	2,118	311		2	83	80.2	16.6	2.4			.7
Arson	**823**	725	73	19		1	5	88.1	8.9	2.3		.1	.6
Forgery and counterfeiting	**3,739**	3,208	437	79	1	1	13	85.8	11.7	2.1			.3
Fraud	**12,141**	10,999	1,032	92	2	1	15	90.6	8.5	.8			.1
Embezzlement	**650**	599	45	3		1	2	92.2	6.9	.5		.2	.3
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	**2,920**	2,519	322	50	1		28	86.3	11.0	1.7			1.0
Vandalism	**6,928**	6,527	215	147			39	94.2	3.1	2.1			.6
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	**3,482**	2,655	744	43	1	1	38	76.2	21.4	1.2			1.1
Prostitution and commercialized vice	**238**	138	93				7	58.0	39.1				2.9
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	**2,386**	2,166	173	31		1	15	90.8	7.3	1.3			.6
Narcotic drug laws	**12,164**	11,491	531	72	7	10	53	94.5	4.4	.6	0.1	.1	.4
Gambling	**2,157**	1,882	264		1	3	7	87.3	12.2			.1	.3
Offenses against family and children	**9,022**	7,822	1,036	147			17	86.7	11.5	1.6			.2
Driving under the influence	**39,169**	32,621	3,181	1,443	30	4	1,890	83.3	8.1	3.7	.1		4.8
Liquor laws	**25,788**	24,146	733	690	12	2	205	93.6	2.8	2.7			.8
Drunkenness	**71,108**	58,834	5,448	6,352	41	2	431	82.7	7.7	8.9	.1		.6
Disorderly conduct	**19,169**	15,509	2,731	787	9	2	131	80.9	14.2	4.1			.7
Vagrancy	**2,203**	1,953	123	111	3	1	12	88.7	5.6	5.0	.1		.5
All other offenses (except traffic)	**69,677**	60,000	7,429	1,663	24	28	533	86.1	10.7	2.4			.8
Suspicion	**1,790**	1,647	89	48			6	92.0	5.0	2.7			.3
Curfew and loitering law violations	**2,265**	2,109	46	89		6	24	93.1	2.0	3.5		.3	1.1
Runaways	**13,358**	12,378	396	491	5	4	84	92.7	3.0	3.7			.6

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Table 48.—*Rural Arrests by Race, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests under 18 [3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	67,027	60,325	3,712	2,531	15	28	416	90.0	5.5	3.8			0.6
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	49	37	10	1			1	75.5	20.4	2.0			2.0
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	26	23	2	1				88.5	7.7	3.8			
Forcible rape	172	134	35	2			1	77.9	20.3	1.2			.6
Robbery	268	199	62	6			1	74.3	23.1	2.2			.4
Aggravated assault	513	391	88	28			6	76.2	17.2	5.5			1.2
Burglary—breaking or entering	8,244	7,337	524	274	3	1	105	89.0	6.4	3.3			1.3
Larceny—theft	6,947	6,119	584	216	1	1	26	88.1	8.4	3.1			.4
Auto theft	2,824	2,473	232	102		1	16	87.6	8.2	3.6			.6
Violent crime [1]	1,002	761	195	37			9	75.9	19.5	3.7			.9
Property crime [2]	18,015	15,929	1,340	592	4	3	147	88.4	7.4	3.3			.8
Subtotal for above offenses	19,043	16,713	1,537	630	4	3	156	87.8	8.1	3.3			.8
Other assaults	805	616	143	37			9	76.5	17.8	4.6			1.1
Arson	311	276	17	12		1	5	88.7	5.5	3.9		0.3	1.6
Forgery and counterfeiting	343	294	39	3			7	85.7	11.4	.9			2.0
Fraud	124	107	14	3				86.3	11.3	2.4			
Embezzlement	49	48					1	98.0					2.0
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	597	531	50	4	1		11	88.9	8.4	.7	0.2		1.8
Vandalism	3,811	3,592	96	111			12	94.3	2.6	2.9			.3
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc	278	230	42	6				82.7	15.1	2.2			
Prostitution and commercialized vice	9	9						100.0					
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	323	291	28	1		1	2	90.1	8.7	.3		.3	.6
Narcotic drug laws	2,068	2,003	25	31		3	6	96.9	1.2	1.6		.1	.3
Gambling	12	9	3					75.0	25.0				
Offenses against family and children	75	70	3	2				93.3	4.0	2.7			
Driving under the influence	368	335	9	13	1		10	91.0	2.4	3.5	.3		2.7
Liquor laws	6,992	6,692	47	222	1	1	29	95.7	.7	3.2			.4
Drunkenness	2,178	1,728	74	362			14	79.3	3.4	16.6			.6
Disorderly conduct	2,316	1,930	239	131			16	83.3	10.3	5.7			.7
Vagrancy	176	168	3	5				95.5	1.7	2.8			
All other offenses (except traffic)	12,102	10,748	905	384	3	9	53	88.8	7.5	3.2		.1	.4
Suspicion	660	610	21	25			4	92.4	3.2	3.8			.6
Curfew and loitering law violations	2,154	2,010	45	76		6	17	93.3	2.1	3.5		.3	.8
Runaways	12,233	11,315	372	473	5	4	64	92.8	3.0	3.9			.5

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 48.—*Rural Arrests by Race, 1970*—Continued

Offense charged	Arrests 18 and over[3]							Percent distribution					
	Total	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others	White	Negro	Indian	Chinese	Japanese	All others
TOTAL	**278,693**	**236,360**	**29,384**	**11,325**	**118**	**53**	**1,453**	**84.8**	**10.5**	**4.1**			**0.5**
Criminal homicide:													
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	828	547	241	21			19	66.1	29.1	2.5			2.3
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	570	466	84	14		1	5	81.8	14.7	2.5		0.2	.9
Forcible rape	986	811	153	15		1	6	82.3	15.5	1.5		.1	.6
Robbery	1,539	1,118	363	52			6	72.6	23.6	3.4			.4
Aggravated assault	6,825	5,204	1,375	197		4	45	76.2	20.1	2.9		.1	.7
Burglary—breaking or entering	10,682	9,320	1,056	271		2	33	87.2	9.9	2.5			.3
Larceny—theft	13,100	11,385	1,675	285	1	2	52	85.0	12.5	2.1			.4
Auto theft	3,160	2,668	333	136			23	84.4	10.5	4.3			.7
Violent crime[1]	10,178	7,680	2,132	285		5	76	75.5	20.9	2.8			.7
Property[2]	27,242	23,373	3,064	692	1	4	108	85.8	11.2	2.5			.4
Subtotal for above offenses	37,990	31,519	5,280	991	1	10	189	83.0	13.9	2.6			.5
Other assaults	11,129	8,860	1,943	255		2	69	79.6	17.5	2.3			.6
Arson	422	369	46	7				87.4	10.9	1.7			
Forgery and counterfeiting	3,105	2,639	386	74	1	1	4	85.0	12.4	2.4			.1
Fraud	11,742	10,648	980	88	1	1	15	90.7	8.4	.7			.1
Embezzlement	541	495	42	3		1		91.5	7.8	.6		.2	
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	2,020	1,737	230	45			8	86.0	11.4	2.2			.4
Vandalsim	2,309	2,162	112	24			11	93.6	4.9	1.0			.5
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	2,766	2,100	606	35	1		24	75.9	21.9	1.3			.9
Prostitution and commercialized vice	216	126	83				7	58.3	38.4				3.2
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	1,905	1,729	135	29			12	90.8	7.1	1.5			.6
Narcotic drug laws	8,962	8,441	428	37	7	7	42	94.2	4.8	.4	.1	.1	.5
Gambling	2,092	1,852	229		1	3	7	88.5	10.9			.1	.3
Offenses against family and children	7,916	6,783	991	130			12	85.7	12.5	1.6			.2
Driving under the influence	35,346	30,635	3,146	1,403	28	4	130	86.7	8.9	4.0	.1		.4
Liquor laws	12,983	11,810	650	391	10	1	91	91.2	5.0	3.0	.1		.7
Drunkenness	65,421	54,023	5,177	5,825	41	2	353	82.6	7.9	8.9	.1		.5
Disorderly conduct	15,841	12,639	2,453	641	9	2	97	79.8	15.5	4.0	.1		.6
Vagrancy	1,975	1,741	116	102	3	1	12	88.2	5.9	5.2	.2	.1	.6
All other offenses (except traffic)	52,882	44,985	6,274	1,222	15	18	368	85.1	11.9	2.3			.7
Suspicion	1,130	1,037	68	23			2	91.8	6.0	2.0			.2
Curfew and loitering law violations													
Runaways													

[1] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[2] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

[3] Data used only when adult and juvenile race furnished

Table 49.—*Suburban and Rural Arrest Trends* [1] *by Sex, 1969–70*

Offense charged	1,675 suburban agencies; 1970 population 39,775,000						872 rural agencies; 1970 population 15,753,000					
	Males			Females			Males			Females		
	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change	1969	1970	Percent change
TOTAL	**911,326**	**978,144**	**+7.3**	**155,759**	**179,351**	**+15.1**	**220,746**	**253,991**	**+15.1**	**23,390**	**27,998**	**+19.7**
Criminal homicide:												
(*a*) Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	1,197	1,281	+7.0	213	246	+15.5	473	568	+20.1	78	102	+30.8
(*b*) Manslaughter by negligence	606	542	−10.6	62	83	+33.9	518	492	−5.0	47	40	−14.9
Forcible rape	2,627	2,689	+2.4				834	937	+12.4			
Robbery	8,595	9,776	+13.7	489	548	+12.1	1,231	1,300	+5.6	68	66	−2.9
Aggravated assault	17,796	19,677	+10.6	1,907	2,348	+23.1	4,519	4,980	+10.2	297	367	+23.6
Burglary—breaking or entering	54,049	56,968	+5.4	2,492	2,824	+13.3	13,967	15,219	+9.0	513	804	+56.7
Larceny—theft	82,227	91,736	+11.6	30,047	35,047	+16.6	13,517	15,862	+17.3	1,487	1,655	+11.3
Auto theft	22,213	22,315	+.5	1,294	1,312	+1.4	4,581	4,769	+4.1	257	256	−.4
Violent crime [2]	30,215	33,423	+10.6	2,609	3,142	+20.4	7,057	7,785	+10.3	443	535	+20.8
Property crime [3]	158,489	171,019	+7.9	33,833	39,183	+15.8	32,065	35,850	+11.8	2,257	2,715	+20.3
Subtotal for above offenses	189,310	204,984	+8.3	36,504	42,408	+16.2	39,640	44,127	+11.3	2,747	3,290	+19.8
Other assaults	44,543	46,718	+4.9	5,601	6,398	+14.2	8,148	8,747	+7.4	628	758	+20.7
Arson	1,921	2,029	+5.6	141	131	−7.1	543	614	+13.1	37	39	+5.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	5,453	6,406	+17.5	1,687	2,013	+19.3	1,877	2,078	+10.7	376	519	+38.0
Fraud	11,152	12,469	+11.8	4,265	5,014	+17.6	5,490	6,152	+12.1	1,430	1,786	+24.9
Embezzlement	1,298	935	−28.0	396	350	−11.6	323	492	+52.3	50	78	+56.0
Stolen property; buying, receiving, possessing	8,234	10,444	+26.8	663	928	+40.0	1,352	1,953	+44.5	86	163	+89.5
Vandalism	27,688	27,168	−1.9	1,907	2,055	+7.8	4,488	5,287	+17.8	272	278	+2.2
Weapons; carrying, possessing, etc.	11,837	13,602	+14.9	660	817	+23.8	1,983	2,297	+15.8	112	127	+13.4
Prostitution and commercialized vice	295	285	−3.4	1,730	1,695	−2.0	86	65	−24.4	206	133	−35.4
Sex offenses (except forcible rape and prostitution)	8,392	8,529	+1.6	1,022	963	−5.8	1,650	1,730	+4.8	136	136	
Narcotic drug laws	40,729	63,975	+57.1	7,880	11,772	+49.4	3,759	8,019	+113.3	635	1,271	+100.2
Gambling	3,655	3,955	+8.2	426	389	−8.7	1,942	1,801	−7.3	113	141	+24.8
Offenses against family and children	11,999	11,423	−4.8	866	836	−3.5	6,038	6,318	+4.6	224	253	+12.9
Driving under the influence	72,089	82,784	+14.8	5,235	6,482	+23.8	24,351	29,247	+20.1	1,139	1,240	+8.9
Liquor laws	46,498	45,597	−1.9	6,411	6,732	+5.0	18,530	19,934	+7.6	2,495	2,754	+10.4
Drunkenness	149,080	145,934	−2.1	14,400	14,733	+2.3	36,742	43,454	+18.3	2,921	2,988	+2.3
Disorderly conduct	86,930	87,817	+1.0	12,516	13,818	+10.4	11,276	11,677	+3.6	1,082	1,124	+3.9
Vagrancy	7,533	6,091	−19.1	784	1,178	+50.3	1,688	1,572	−6.9	151	115	−23.8
All other offenses (except traffic)	139,803	150,593	+7.7	24,733	28,917	+16.9	44,542	50,851	+14.2	5,261	6,365	+21.0
Suspicion (not included in totals)	11,841	10,829	−8.5	1,694	1,821	+7.5	1,208	1,264	+4.6	164	175	+6.7
Curfew and loitering law violations	19,088	20,094	+5.3	5,870	6,224	+6.0	1,102	1,223	+11.0	318	449	+41.2
Runaways	23,799	26,312	+10.6	22,062	25,498	+15.6	5,196	6,353	+22.3	2,971	3,991	+34.3

[1] In suburban agencies male arrests under 18 increased 6.1 percent and female arrests under 18 increased 15.2 percent. In rural agencies male arrests under 18 increased 14.3 percent and female arrests under 18 increased 22.2 percent.

[2] Violent crime is offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault.

[3] Property crime is offenses of burglary, larceny and auto theft.

Police Employee Data

This section contains tables relating to police personnel. Figures showing police strength by number of full-time police officers and civilian employees are based on national averages. These figures should not be interpreted as indicating recommended or desirable police strength. Adequate police requirements for a specific place can only be determined following careful study and analysis of the local situation together with a thorough evaluation of the numerous factors which affect local police needs.

Two tables containing police employee rates are set forth. In the first, total employees including civilian personnel are used, whereas in the second table only sworn personnel are used to compute rates.

The police employee rate ranges in Table 50, which include civilians, show the interquartile range between the upper limits of the lowest quartile and the lower limits of the highest quartile. In other words, 50 percent of the cities shown in each population group and geographic division have a police strength within the rate ranges shown. By arraying rates in this manner, extremes are eliminated.

In Table 51 where rates are published for police officers, complete rate ranges are provided as supplemental data for those who may be interested in using these figures to make limited comparisons.

Another table is presented showing police strength for all state police and state highway patrol organizations. This table is designed to show, by state, the number of miles of state and Federal highway per sworn employee, as well as the number of registered vehicles per officer. These rates are only a rough yardstick as to comparative workload and personnel strength because of widely differing functions and other factors. The wide variations in sworn and civilian personnel among the various states can be accounted for in part by the differences in responsibilities assigned to the departments. It is pointed out, for instance, that state police generally are responsible not only for traffic patrol, but also conduct a major portion of the criminal investigative work in the unincorporated areas of the states. On the other hand, the activities of the state highway patrol organizations for the most part are limited to traffic and highway patrol, which includes handling all types of crime which come to their attention during the performance of their patrol functions. Many of these state highway patrol groups also are authorized to and do participate in criminal investigative work when requested to do so by local departments or sheriffs' offices.

The annual collection of police employee data provides figures for police killed and assaulted. Collection of these data is supplemented with respect to police killed in the line of duty through the use of a special questionnaire, by means of which additional details on this important subject are accumulated. Data relative to police killed and assaulted are also presented in the Summary Section of this publication.

Table 50.—*Full-Time Police Department Employees,[1] December 31, 1970, Number and Rate per 1,000 Inhabitants, by Geographic Divisions and Population Groups*

[1970 population]

Geographic division	TOTAL (4,068 cities; population 114,751,000)	Population group					
		Group I (55 cities over 250,000; population 41,275,000)	Group II (94 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 13,470,000)	Group III (242 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 16,742,000)	Group IV (471 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 16,254,000)	Group V (1,027 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 16,194,000)	Group VI (2,179 cities, under 10,000; population 10,816,000)
TOTAL: 4,068 cities; population 114,751,000:							
Number of police employees	269,127	136,397	28,133	29,569	27,747	27,342	19,939
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	2.3	3.3	2.1	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8
Interquartile range	1.2–1.9	1.5–2.6	1.4–2.1	1.2–1.8	1.2–1.8	1.2–1.8	1.1–2.0
New England: 338 cities; population 8,933,000:							
Number of police employees	19,369	3,099	3,940	4,737	3,471	3,009	1,113
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	2.2	4.8	2.8	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.5
Interquartile range	1.3–2.0	(2)	2.7–3.3	1.7–2.3	1.5–2.0	1.4–1.8	1.1–1.9
Middle Atlantic: 939 cities; population 25,686,000:							
Number of police employees	76,371	50,184	3,433	5,353	5,994	6,798	4,609
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	3.0	4.3	2.6	1.9	1.9	1.7	1.7
Interquartile range	1.1–2.2	3.0–4.4	2.1–3.2	1.4–2.3	1.4–2.3	1.3–2.0	1.0–2.2
East North Central: 901 cities; population 23,914,000:							
Number of police employees	56,212	31,095	4,387	5,313	5,629	5,509	4,279
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	2.4	3.6	1.9	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.8
Interquartile range	1.3–2.0	1.8–3.3	1.8–2.2	1.3–1.8	1.2–1.8	1.3–1.8	1.3–2.1
West North Central: 409 cities; population 8,712,000:							
Number of police employees	16,189	6,746	1,821	1,272	2,063	2,232	2,055
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	1.9	2.7	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.5	1.7
Interquartile range	1.3–1.9	1.8–3.6	1.4–1.7	1.3–1.6	1.1–1.6	1.3–1.8	1.3–2.0
South Atlantic: 348 cities; population 10,700,000:							
Number of police employees	27,591	10,077	5,699	3,408	3,015	3,092	2,300
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	2.6	3.8	2.0	2.4	2.1	2.2	2.4
Interquartile range	1.9–2.7	2.1–2.7	1.6–2.3	1.9–2.7	1.9–2.4	1.9–2.6	1.9–2.9
East South Central: 258 cities; population 5,038,000:							
Number of police employees	9,812	3,371	2,124	431	1,470	1,045	1,371
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	1.9	1.9	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.6	1.9
Interquartile range	1.5–2.3	1.6–2.1	1.9–2.4	1.9–2.1	1.8–2.3	1.4–2.0	1.5–2.3
West South Central: 280 cities; population 10,754,000:							
Number of police employees	18,966	9,831	2,032	2,491	1,535	1,791	1,286
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.5	1.7
Interquartile range	1.3–1.9	1.6–1.9	1.6–2.3	1.2–1.7	1.3–1.7	1.3–1.7	1.3–2.2
Mountain: 183 cities; population 4,814,000:							
Number of police employees	9,211	3,027	1,493	1,381	1,217	1,027	1,066
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	1.9	2.2	2.2	1.5	1.6	1.7	2.1
Interquartile range	1.5–2.4	1.9–2.4	1.8–3.5	1.2–1.6	1.4–1.9	1.5–2.1	1.6–2.6
Pacific: 412 cities; population 16,200,000:							
Number of police employees	35,406	18,967	3,204	5,183	3,353	2,839	1,860
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	2.2	2.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	2.2
Interquartile range	1.6–2.4	1.9–3.0	1.6–2.1	1.4–1.8	1.4–1.8	1.5–2.0	1.8–2.8

Suburban Police and County Sheriff Departments

Suburban:[3] 2,076 agencies; population 48,291,000:	
Number of police employees	81,724
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	1.7
Interquartile range	1.0–1.8

Sheriffs: 1,252 agencies; population 37,178,000:	
Number of police employees	49,484
Average number of employees per 1,000 inhabitants	1.3
Interquartile range	0.3–1.0

[1] Includes civilians.

[2] Only one city this size in geographic division.

[3] Includes suburban city and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups. Population figures rounded to the nearest thousand. All rates were calculated on the population before rounding.

Table 51.—*Full-Time Police Department Officers, December 31, 1970, Number and Rate per 1,000 Inhabitants, by Geographic Divisions and Population Groups*

[1970 population]

Geographic division	TOTAL (4,068 cities; population 114,751,000)	Population group					
		Group I (55 cities over 250,000; population 41,275,000)	Group II (94 cities, 100,000 to 250,000; population 13,470,000)	Group III (242 cities, 50,000 to 100,000; population 16,742,000)	Group IV (471 cities, 25,000 to 50,000; population 16,254,000)	Group V (1,027 cities, 10,000 to 25,000; population 16,194,000)	Group VI (2,179 cities under 10,000; population 10,816,000)
Total: 4,068 cities; population 114,751,000:							
Number of police officers	233,562	117,325	23,879	25,643	24,686	24,580	17,449
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	2.0	2.8	1.8	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6
Rate range	0.1–7.5	1.2–6.7	0.8–3.3	0.1–3.9	0.3–4.7	0.1–4.9	0.1–7.5
New England: 338 cities; population 8,933,000:							
Number of police officers	17,878	2,798	3,547	4,358	3,265	2,870	1,040
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	2.0	4.4	2.6	1.9	1.7	1.5	1.4
Rate range	0.2–4.5	(1)	2.0–3.0	1.4–2.6	.9–2.8	.2–2.5	.3–4.5
Middle Atlantic: 939 cities; population 25,686,000:							
Number of police officers	69,671	45,629	3,024	4,853	5,544	6,391	4,230
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	2.7	3.9	2.3	1.7	1.8	1.6	1.6
Rate range	0.1–7.4	2.3–4.0	1.4–3.3	.7–3.9	.5–4.7	.1–4.9	.1–7.4
East North Central: 901 cities; population 23,914,000:							
Number of police officers	48,734	26,799	3,834	4,603	5,019	4,828	3,651
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	2.0	3.1	1.7	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5
Rate range	0.1–6.5	1.5–3.8	.8–2.2	.1–1.9	.3–3.1	.3–3.3	.1–6.5
West North Central: 409 cities; population 8,712,000:							
Number of police officers	13,512	5,340	1,480	1,134	1,832	1,982	1,744
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.6	2.1	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.4
Rate range	0.6–6.4	1.2–3.6	1.0–1.7	.7–1.8	.7–1.6	.6–3.3	.6–6.4
South Atlantic: 348 cities; population 10,700,000:							
Number of police officers	23,590	8,495	4,770	2,927	2,620	2,762	2,016
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	2.2	3.2	1.7	2.1	1.9	1.9	2.1
Rate range	0.4–7.4	1.4–6.7	1.0–2.4	1.4–3.4	.9–2.8	.9–3.3	.4–7.4
East South Central: 258 cities; population 5,038,000:							
Number of police officers	8,333	2,840	1,682	378	1,285	953	1,195
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.5	1.7
Rate range	0.3–4.7	1.3–1.8	1.2–2.1	1.4–1.9	1.4–2.4	.8–2.3	.3–4.7
West South Central: 280 cities; population 10,754,000:							
Number of police officers	16,069	8,181	1,756	2,137	1,354	1,553	1,088
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4
Rate range	0.5–2.8	1.2–2.4	1.3–2.3	.9–2.2	.7–1.9	.5–2.8	.6–2.7
Mountain: 183 cities; population 4,814,000:							
Number of police officers	7,521	2,447	1,184	1,149	996	864	884
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.7
Rate range	0.6–5.0	1.3–2.3	1.4–3.0	.8–2.7	.6–2.0	.7–2.4	.7–5.0
Pacific: 412 cities; population 16,200,000:							
Number of police officers	28,251	14,796	2,602	4,104	2,771	2,377	1,601
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.7	2.1	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.9
Rate range	0.4–7.5	1.2–2.8	1.0–1.8	.8–2.1	.8–3.6	.5–3.6	.4–7.5

Suburban Police and County Sheriff Departments

Suburban: [2] 2,076 agencies; population 48,291,000:		**Sheriffs: 1,252 agencies; population 37,178,000:**	
Number of police officers	69,636	Number of officers	40,471
Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.4	Average number of officers per 1,000 inhabitants	1.1
Rate range	0.1–7.4	Rate range	0.1–9.9

[1] Only one city this size in geographic division.

[2] Includes suburban city and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups. Population figures rounded to the nearest thousand. All rates were calculated on the population before rounding.

Table 52.—*Civilian Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Percentage of Total by Population Groups*

Population group	Percentage civilian employees	Population group	Percentage civilian employees
TOTAL, ALL CITIES	13.2	Group III (50,000–100,000)	13.3
		Group IV (25,000–50,000)	11.0
Group I (Over 250,000)	14.0	Group V (10,000–25,000)	10.0
(Over 1,000,000)	12.8	Group VI (Under 10,000)	12.7
(500,000–1,000,000)	15.2	Suburban agencies	14.8
(250,000–500,000)	15.7	Sheriffs	18.2
Group II (100,000–250,000)	15.1		

Table 53.—*Number of Police Officers Killed,*[1] *1970, by Geographic Division and Population Groups*

Geographic division	Total	Population group						
		Group I	Group II	Group III	Group IV	Group V	Group VI	County, State police, and highway patrol
		Over 250,000	100,000 to 250,000	50,000 to 100,000	25,000 to 50,000	10,000 to 25,000	Under 10,000	
TOTAL	146	69	10	7	6	9	7	48
New England	2	1	1					
Middle Atlantic	29	17		2	2	2		6
East North Central	38	17	2	1		3	5	10
West North Central	6	2			1			3
South Atlantic	23	5	3	2		2		11
East South Central	6	1			1	1		2
West South Central	15	5	3		1	1	2	3
Mountain	4	2			1			1
Pacific	24	9	1	2				12

[1] 100 killed by felons; 46 killed in accidents.

Table 54.—*Assaults on Police Officers, 1970 by Geographic Divisions and Population Groups*

[5,185 agencies; 1970 population 130,713,000]

Geographic division	Total assaults	Rate per 100 police officers	Assaults with injury	Rate per 100 police officers	Population group	Total assaults	Rate per 100 police officers	Assaults with injury	Rate per 100 police officers
TOTAL	43,171	18.7	15,165	6.6	**TOTAL**	43,171	18.7	15,165	6.6
New England	2,466	16.3	984	6.5	Group I (over 250,000)	20,143	21.3	7,185	7.6
Middle Atlantic	9,654	13.3	4,334	6.0	Group II (100,000 to 250,000)	5,004	29.0	1,778	10.3
East North Central	11,584	26.9	3,477	8.1	Group III (50,000 to 100,000)	4,337	19.2	1,444	6.4
West North Central	2,263	15.9	741	5.2	Group IV (25,000 to 50,000)	3,880	16.9	1,318	5.7
South Atlantic	5,942	20.7	1,967	6.8	Group V (10,000 to 25,000)	3,850	15.9	1,296	5.3
East South Central	1,386	19.6	312	4.4	Group VI (under 10,000)	3,078	17.2	1,044	5.8
West South Central	3,065	19.7	898	5.8					
Mountain	1,721	18.8	605	6.6	Suburban agencies [1]	8,024	13.4	2,987	5.0
Pacific	5,090	20.6	1,847	7.5	Sheriffs	2,879	9.2	1,100	3.5

[1] Includes suburban city and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups.

Table 55.—*Assaults on Police Officers, 1970, Percent Distribution of Weapons Used*

[5,091 agencies; 1970 population 123,525,000]

Population group	Total assaults	Firearms	Knife or cutting instrument	Other dangerous weapon	Hands, fists, feet, etc.
TOTAL ALL AGENCIES	**38,467**	**2,240**	**1,094**	**3,962**	**31,171**
	100.0	**5.8**	**2.8**	**10.3**	**81.0**
Group I (over 250,000)	17,252	7.2	2.9	12.1	77.7
(over 1,000,000)	10,640	6.2	3.1	11.1	79.7
(500,000 to 1,000,000)	3,357	12.2	3.4	18.3	66.1
(250,000 to 500,000)	3,255	5.6	1.9	9.2	83.3
Group II (100,000 to 250,000)	4,126	4.7	2.3	11.3	81.7
Group III (50,000 to 100,000)	4,047	4.0	2.6	9.7	83.6
Group IV (25,000 to 50,000)	3,715	3.3	2.2	6.3	88.2
Group V (10,000 to 25,000)	3,805	4.3	2.9	5.9	86.9
Group VI (under 10,000)	2,978	4.5	3.1	10.4	82.0
Suburban agencies [1]	7,648	5.0	3.1	8.9	83.0
Sheriffs	2,544	8.3	4.2	9.5	78.0

Geographic division	Total assaults	Firearms	Knife or cutting instrument	Other dangerous weapon	Hands, fists, feet, etc.
TOTAL	**38,467**	**2,240**	**1,094**	**3,962**	**31,171**
	100.0	**5.8**	**2.8**	**10.3**	**81.0**
New England	2,306	3.6	2.1	12.3	82.0
Middle Atlantic	7,034	4.0	3.3	3.6	89.1
East North Central	11,179	6.3	2.6	13.3	77.9
West North Central	2,237	10.5	2.7	12.0	74.8
South Atlantic	5,730	5.8	2.8	9.9	81.6
East South Central	1,155	2.9	2.5	2.6	92.0
West South Central	3,044	6.7	3.1	10.1	80.1
Mountain	1,520	8.6	3.0	9.6	78.8
Pacific	4,262	5.7	3.2	14.6	76.5

[1] Includes suburban city and county police agencies within metropolitan areas. Excludes core cities. Suburban cities are also included in other city groups. Due to rounding percentage may not add to 100.0.

Table 56.—*Full-Time State Police and Highway Patrol Employees, December 31, 1970*

State	Total	Police officers	Civilians	Police killed	Miles of primary highway per police officer	State motor vehicle registration per police officer
TOTAL	**54,754**	**40,470**	**14,284**	**27**	**11.4**	**2,677**
Alabama	846	596	250	2	16.9	3,216
Alaska	270	177	93		19.8	791
Arizona	797	610	187	1	9.0	1,789
Arkansas	511	389	122		37.0	2,512
California	7,214	5,491	1,723	7	2.6	2,182
Colorado	690	464	226		18.9	3,101
Connecticut	1,026	779	247		1.6	2,214
Delaware	439	347	92		1.8	905
Florida	1,301	930	371	1	12.6	4,429
Georgia	1,065	765	300		23.1	3,413
Idaho	156	132	24		37.8	3,689
Illinois	2,276	1,697	579	1	9.8	3,138
Indiana	1,153	866	287		13.1	3,319
Iowa	631	409	222		24.9	4,384
Kansas	415	321	94		32.5	4,875
Kentucky	902	639	263		7.1	2,757
Louisiana	947	644	303		7.2	2,783
Maine	356	301	55		12.9	1,691
Maryland	1,724	1,179	545		1.7	1,595
Massachusetts	1,140	934	206		2.9	2,683
Michigan	2,294	1,743	551		5.3	2,692
Minnesota	513	483	30		24.9	4,557
Mississippi	748	534	214		20.0	2,096
Missouri	1,388	729	659	2	10.7	3,295
Montana	264	186	78		33.2	2,656
Nebraska	391	304	87		32.0	3,118
Nevada	147	112	35		19.1	3,080
New Hampshire	197	160	37		12.4	2,431
New Jersey	2,024	1,558	466	1	1.3	2,343
New Mexico	397	275	122		45.3	2,309
New York	3,861	3,350	511	2	4.4	1,993
North Carolina	1,186	934	252	1	14.1	3,039
North Dakota	93	78	15		86.5	5,564
Ohio	1,912	1,098	814	2	17.2	5,466
Oklahoma	495	487	8	1	24.6	3,485
Oregon	738	638	100		7.6	2,169
Pennsylvania	4,090	3,505	585	1	4.6	1,697
Rhode Island	170	144	26		7.2	3,326
South Carolina	652	581	71	1	16.5	2,356
South Dakota	163	128	35		66.8	3,313
Tennessee	884	665	219		14.1	3,048
Texas	3,948	2,107	1,841	1	31.6	3,234
Utah	332	325	7		16.3	1,923
Vermont	297	206	91		12.1	1,097
Virginia	1,275	916	359	2	10.2	2,474
Washington	1,142	716	426		9.6	3,080
West Virginia	536	378	158	1	13.9	2,296
Wisconsin	670	375	295		31.7	5,659
Wyoming	88	85	3		68.7	2,929

Table 57.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities 25,000 and over in Population*

City by State	Number of Police department employees		
	Total	Police officers	Civilians
ALABAMA			
Anniston	76	66	10
Bessemer	61	59	2
Birmingham	633	544	89
Dothan	85	73	12
Florence	62	58	4
Gadsden	101	95	6
Huntsville	239	171	68
Mobile	358	266	92
Montgomery	309	241	68
Phenix City	58	45	13
Selma	53	48	6
Tuscaloosa	134	115	19
ALASKA			
Anchorage	94	83	11
ARIZONA			
Flagstaff	43	38	5
Glendale	59	48	11
Mesa	78	72	6
Phoenix	1,183	943	240
Scottsdale	80	66	14
Tempe	75	62	13
Tucson	429	338	91
Yuma	66	54	12
ARKANSAS			
El Dorado	42	37	5
Fayetteville	36	34	2
Fort Smith	98	93	5
Jonesboro	35	33	2
Little Rock	239	205	34
North Little Rock	120	109	11
Pine Bluff	85	81	4
West Memphis	42	42	----
CALIFORNIA			
Alameda	92	80	12
Alhambra	108	86	22
Anaheim	283	230	53
Antioch	43	33	10
Arcadia	75	64	11
Azusa	57	46	11
Bakersfield	188	145	43
Baldwin Park	67	53	14
Berkeley	267	215	52
Beverly Hills	103	92	11
Buena Park	101	75	26
Burbank	172	133	39
Burlingame	47	36	11
Chula Vista	102	80	22
Compton	184	125	59
Concord	118	90	28
Corona	43	37	6
Costa Mesa	126	107	19
Covina	52	41	11
Culver City	73	56	17
Cypress	43	35	8
Daly City	88	71	17
Downey	122	98	24
El Cajon	84	62	22
El Cerrito	46	36	10
El Monte	102	77	25
Escondido	55	44	11
CALIFORNIA—Con.			
Fairfield	57	44	13
Fountain Valley	36	29	7
Fremont	120	103	17
Fullerton	152	114	38
Gardena	81	71	10
Garden Grove	149	123	26
Glendale	200	152	48
Glendora	43	34	9
Hawthorne	59	53	6
Hayward	132	106	26
Huntington Beach	177	142	35
Huntington Park	61	49	12
Inglewood	162	126	36
La Habra	55	42	13
La Mesa	49	41	8
Livermore	39	31	8
Lodi	48	39	9
Lompoc	36	29	7
Long Beach	848	700	148
Los Angeles	8,983	6,806	2,177
Lynwood	64	50	14
Manhattan Beach	56	44	12
Modesto	110	84	26
Monrovia	59	59	----
Montebello	67	58	9
Monterey	60	46	14
Monterey Park	64	54	10
Mountain View	78	61	17
Napa	54	43	11
National City	61	52	9
Newark	37	28	9
Newport Beach	137	107	30
Novato	33	27	6
Oakland	939	706	233
Oceanside	84	69	15
Ontario	97	74	23
Orange	126	101	25
Oxnard	105	89	16
Pacifica	39	31	8
Palo Alto	103	91	12
Pasadena	253	190	63
Pomona	143	118	25
Redlands	60	49	11
Redondo Beach	90	67	23
Redwood City	80	67	13
Rialto	38	35	3
Richmond	208	161	47
Riverside	218	177	41
Sacramento	590	483	107
Salinas	108	77	31
San Bernardino	239	184	55
San Bruno	45	36	9
San Carlos	31	28	3
San Diego	1,128	920	208
San Francisco	2,343	1,820	523
San Gabriel	52	45	7
San Jose	640	538	102
San Leandro	114	84	30
San Luis Obispo	43	34	9
San Mateo	140	114	26
San Rafael	72	54	18
Santa Ana	261	194	67
Santa Barbara	149	118	31
Santa Clara	115	95	20
Santa Cruz	58	48	10
Santa Maria	53	43	10
Santa Monica	168	126	42
Santa Rosa	57	55	2
Seaside	42	32	10
South Gate	105	91	14
South San Francisco	72	58	14
Stockton	228	196	32
Sunnyvale	103	78	25
Torrance	232	186	46
Upland	47	38	9
Vallejo	110	89	21
Ventura	84	66	18
Visalia	38	38	----
Walnut Creek	75	58	17
West Covina	92	74	18
Westminster	79	62	17
Whittier	111	87	24
COLORADO			
Arvada	59	50	9
Aurora	86	72	14
Boulder	82	82	----
Colorado Springs	243	197	46
Denver	1,415	1,166	249
Englewood	57	47	10
Fort Collins	52	40	12
Greeley	58	42	16
Lakewood	111	73	38
Littleton	36	31	5
Pueblo	160	150	10
CONNECTICUT			
Bridgeport	497	470	27
Bristol	82	76	6
Danbury	88	85	3
East Hartford	95	88	7
East Haven	40	39	1
Enfield	52	50	2
Fairfield	95	92	3
Greenwich	161	148	13
Hamden	97	92	5
Hartford	535	474	61
Manchester	77	71	6
Meriden	98	88	10
Middletown	64	58	6
Milford	106	95	11
New Britain	184	162	22
New Haven	491	416	75
New London	78	74	4
Norwalk	172	147	25
Norwich	59	55	4
Shelton	33	33	----
Southington	38	37	1
Stamford	244	235	9
Stratford	105	100	5
Torrington	64	61	3
Trumbull	46	40	6
Wallingford	44	42	2
Waterbury	289	279	10
West Hartford	120	111	9
West Haven	118	82	36
Westport	53	51	2
Wethersfield	46	40	6
DELAWARE			
Wilmington	340	271	69

Table 57.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities 25,000 and over in Population*—Con.

City by State	Number of Police department employees		
	Total	Police officers	Civilians
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA			
Washington	5,677	5,055	622
FLORIDA			
Boca Raton	64	60	4
Clearwater	132	95	37
Coral Gables	140	118	22
Daytona Beach	135	107	28
Fort Lauderdale	423	330	93
Fort Myers	76	63	13
Fort Pierce	63	45	18
Gainesville	135	105	30
Hialeah	156	104	52
Hollywood	272	195	77
Jacksonville	1,085	730	355
Key West	53	41	12
Lakeland	117	88	29
Melbourne	73	64	9
Miami	895	687	208
Miami Beach	280	220	60
North Miami	58	47	11
North Miami Beach	63	57	6
Orlando	326	271	55
Panama City	62	50	12
Pensacola	125	105	20
Pompano Beach	116	81	35
Saint Petersburg	439	306	133
Sarasota	116	86	30
Tallahassee	135	125	10
Tampa	708	562	146
Titusville	46	38	8
West Palm Beach	171	133	38
GEORGIA			
Albany	119	116	3
Atlanta	1,109	950	159
Columbus	334	308	26
East Point	80	76	4
Macon	189	182	7
Marietta	65	55	10
Rome	62	58	4
Savannah	253	222	31
Valdosta	53	52	1
Warner Robins	78	76	2
HAWAII			
Hilo	110	94	16
Honolulu	1,130	909	221
IDAHO			
Boise	120	90	30
Idaho Falls	68	60	8
Lewiston	36	31	5
Pocatello	67	52	15
ILLINOIS			
Alton	65	60	5
Arlington Heights	75	58	17
Aurora	117	103	14
Belleville	50	47	3
Berwyn	58	54	4
Bloomington	57	52	5
Calumet City	42	32	10
ILLINOIS—Con.			
Champaign	81	76	5
Chicago	15,954	12,961	2,993
Chicago Heights	70	56	14
Cicero	105	101	4
Danville	71	61	10
Decatur	124	99	25
De Kalb	43	33	10
Des Plaines	82	78	4
Downers Grove	38	35	3
East Saint Louis	116	108	8
Elgin	98	74	24
Elmhurst	70	61	9
Elmwood Park	30	27	3
Evanston	166	134	32
Evergreen Park	40	34	6
Freeport	40	35	5
Galesburg	50	43	7
Granite City	43	41	2
Harvey	50	44	6
Highland Park	58	48	10
Joliet	132	118	14
Kankakee	51	50	1
Lansing	19	19	
Lombard	48	39	9
Maywood	47	44	3
Moline	70	62	8
Morton Grove	39	36	3
Mount Prospect	37	32	5
Niles	58	49	9
Northbrook	34	34	
North Chicago	29	25	4
Oak Lawn	83	71	12
Oak Park	99	83	16
Park Forest	32	27	5
Park Ridge	49	45	4
Pekin	43	40	3
Peoria	247	208	39
Quincy	59	58	1
Rantoul	18	13	5
Rockford	265	232	33
Rock Island	90	74	16
Skokie	137	119	18
Springfield	159	126	33
Urbana	40	36	4
Villa Park	35	28	7
Waukegan	46	34	12
Wheaton	44	36	8
Wilmette	46	36	10
INDIANA			
Anderson	142	130	12
Bloomington	65	54	11
Columbus	56	55	1
Elkhart	125	107	18
Evansville	260	242	18
Fort Wayne	298	280	18
Gary	440	394	46
Hammond	208	185	23
Indianapolis	1,242	1,090	152
Kokomo	96	95	1
Lafayette	80	75	5
Marion	77	73	4
Michigan City	83	72	11
Mishawaka	61	59	2
Muncie	131	121	10
New Albany	63	58	6
Richmond	79	72	7
South Bend	254	226	28
Terre Haute	113	103	10
IOWA			
Ames	44	36	8
Burlington	46	34	12
Cedar Falls	37	34	3
Cedar Rapids	159	131	28
Clinton	48	44	4
Council Bluffs	87	79	8
Davenport	133	122	11
Des Moines	348	293	55
Dubuque	79	74	5
Iowa City	46	39	7
Marshalltown	33	30	3
Mason City	50	37	13
Ottumwa	38	37	1
Sioux City	124	102	22
Waterloo	133	116	17
KANSAS			
Hutchinson	50	42	8
Kansas City	405	293	112
Lawrence	61	48	13
Leavenworth	32	30	2
Manhattan	44	36	8
Overland Park	72	58	14
Prairie Village	35	30	5
Salina	63	53	10
Topeka	217	164	53
Wichita	495	337	158
KENTUCKY			
Ashland	42	41	1
Bowling Green	60	56	4
Covington	111	98	13
Lexington	261	217	44
Louisville	750	614	136
Newport	56	43	13
Owensboro	85	70	15
Paducah	66	63	3
LOUISIANA			
Alexandria	76	73	3
Baton Rouge	432	382	50
Bossier City	63	56	7
Houma	46	41	5
Lafayette	78	70	8
Lake Charles	71	69	2
Monroe	117	90	27
New Iberia	48	39	9
New Orleans	1,845	1,454	391
Shreveport	409	342	67
MAINE			
Bangor	65	53	12
Lewiston	87	76	11
Portland	153	136	17
MARYLAND			
Annapolis	75	70	5
Cumberland	71	65	6
Hagerstown	77	69	8

Table 57.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities 25,000 and over in Population*—Con.

City by State	Number of Police department employees		
	Total	Police officers	Civilians
MASSACHUSETTS			
Arlington	101	90	11
Attleboro	55	52	3
Belmont	68	63	5
Beverly	72	70	2
Boston	3,099	2,798	301
Braintree	69	65	4
Brockton	180	171	9
Brookline	161	151	10
Cambridge	265	252	13
Chelmsford	38	37	1
Chelsea	75	72	3
Chicopee	106	103	3
Danvers	35	34	1
Dedham	53	52	1
Everett	121	118	3
Fall River	259	233	26
Fitchburg	79	73	6
Framingham	103	100	3
Gloucester	59	56	3
Haverhill	82	76	6
Holyoke	113	110	3
Lawrence	152	145	7
Leominster	40	38	2
Lexington	54	47	7
Lowell	198	184	14
Lynn	191	183	8
Malden	118	117	1
Marlborough	40	38	2
Medford	137	131	6
Melrose	56	54	2
Methuen	42	41	1
Milton	57	56	1
Natick	57	54	3
Needham	47	46	1
New Bedford	273	252	21
Newton	226	208	18
Northampton	44	44	
Peabody	78	74	4
Pittsfield	89	81	8
Quincy	211	194	17
Revere	110	104	6
Salem	90	84	6
Saugus	33	32	1
Springfield	354	328	26
Taunton	72	70	2
Wakefield	48	46	2
Waltham	118	114	4
Watertown	94	89	5
Wellesley	42	40	2
Westfield	56	53	3
West Springfield	60	59	1
Weymouth	94	93	1
Woburn	65	61	4
Worcester	494	419	75
MICHIGAN			
Ann Arbor	182	142	40
Battle Creek	81	66	15
Bay City	87	81	6
Birmingham	51	40	11
Bloomfield Township	50	48	2
Clinton Township	43	36	7
Dearborn Heights	81	75	6
Detroit	5,590	5,159	431
East Detroit	63	56	7
Ferndale	59	51	8
Flint	444	389	55
Garden City	43	38	5
Grand Rapids	388	330	58
Hamtramck	60	58	2
Highland Park	131	111	20
Holland	44	39	5
Inkster	59	52	7
Jackson	103	91	12
Kalamazoo	174	143	31
Lansing	274	237	37
Lincoln Park	70	65	5
Livonia	135	116	19
Madison Heights	46	42	4
Midland	43	39	4
Portage	38	31	7
Port Huron	62	52	10
Redford Township	74	62	12
Roseville	74	70	4
Royal Oak	117	97	20
Saint Clair Shores	97	91	6
Saginaw	186	172	14
Saginaw Township	13	12	1
Southfield	119	102	17
Taylor	65	57	8
Wyandotte	65	59	6
Wyoming	53	53	.....
Ypsilanti	50	49	1
MINNESOTA			
Austin	41	37	4
Bloomington	80	73	7
Brooklyn Center	33	27	6
Brooklyn Park	22	20	2
Coon Rapids	32	30	2
Crystal	28	27	1
Duluth	165	135	30
Edina	48	43	5
Fridley	27	22	5
Mankato	41	41	.....
Maplewood	27	26	1
Minneapolis	868	791	77
Minnetonka	26	25	1
Moorhead	27	26	1
Richfield	46	43	3
Rochester	102	95	7
Roseville	38	37	1
Saint Cloud	52	49	3
Saint Louis Park	53	49	4
Saint Paul	532	469	63
South Saint Paul	33	32	1
Winona	38	36	2
MISSISSIPPI			
Columbus	50	42	8
Greenville	111	95	16
Gulfport	80	68	12
Hattiesburg	68	53	15
Jackson	341	271	70
Meridian	98	83	15
Pascagoula	55	48	7
Vicksburg	45	43	2
MISSOURI			
Cape Girardeau	44	40	4
Columbia	73	65	8
Ferguson	50	46	4
Florissant	74	68	6
Independence	134	114	20
Jefferson City	57	52	6
Joplin	78	52	26
Kansas City	1,328	998	330
Kirkwood	59	48	11
Raytown	49	46	3
Saint Charles	42	41	1
Saint Joseph	124	109	15
Saint Louis	2,907	2,220	687
Springfield	166	157	9
University City	78	75	3
Webster Groves	45	41	4
MONTANA			
Billings	88	76	12
Great Falls	82	68	14
Missoula	46	38	8
NEBRASKA			
Grand Island	46	39	7
Lincoln	227	193	34
Omaha	616	525	91
NEVADA			
Las Vegas	446	374	72
North Las Vegas	80	73	7
Reno	250	195	55
NEW HAMPSHIRE			
Concord	49	45	4
Manchester	154	148	6
Nashua	105	93	12
Portsmouth	44	42	2
NEW JERSEY			
Atlantic City	269	227	42
Bayonne	243	193	50
Belleville	83	79	4
Bergenfield	48	47	1
Bloomfield	116	113	3
Bridgewater Township	34	32	2
Camden	398	336	62
Cherry Hill	106	94	12
Clifton	137	128	9
Cranford Township	52	50	2
Dover Township	83	67	16
East Brunswick Township	67	55	12
East Orange	218	198	20
Edison	108	103	5
Elizabeth	297	276	21
Ewing Township	47	44	3
Fair Lawn	52	49	3
Fort Lee	56	56	.....
Franklin Township	38	36	2
Garfield	54	50	4
Gloucester Township	26	24	2
Hackensack	105	90	15
Hamilton Township	132	117	15
Hoboken	135	135	.....
Irvington	132	118	14

Table 57.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities 25,000 and over in Population*—Con.

City by State	Number of Police department employees		
	Total	Police officers	Civilians
NEW JERSEY—Con.			
Jersey City	960	880	80
Kearny	122	122	.....
Lakewood	57	54	3
Linden	122	119	3
Livingston	44	42	2
Lodi	43	43	.....
Long Branch	57	54	3
Madison Township	75	73	2
Middletown Township	65	57	8
Montclair	103	96	7
Neptune Township	48	46	2
Newark	1,702	1,445	257
New Brunswick	113	106	7
North Bergen Township	123	113	10
Nutley	59	58	1
Orange	92	90	2
Paramus	90	79	11
Parsippany-Troy Hills	61	60	1
Passaic	144	133	11
Paterson	431	393	38
Pennsauken	58	49	9
Perth Amboy	114	99	15
Piscataway Township	77	75	2
Plainfield	140	111	29
Rahway	67	64	3
Ridgewood	48	42	6
Sayreville	66	58	8
Teaneck Township	94	86	8
Trenton	359	319	40
Union City	131	116	15
Union Township	118	114	4
Vineland	70	65	5
Wayne Township	89	83	6
Westfield	55	53	2
West New York	85	85	.....
West Orange	100	96	4
Willingboro Township	41	33	8
Woodbridge Township	150	137	13
NEW MEXICO			
Albuquerque	494	370	124
Clovis	46	35	11
Hobbs	52	43	9
Las Cruces	72	63	9
Roswell	62	54	8
Santa Fe	101	70	31
NEW YORK			
Albany	270	239	31
Amherst	104	101	3
Auburn	70	62	8
Binghamton	153	140	13
Brighton	38	34	4
Buffalo	1,651	1,430	221
Cheektowaga	107	103	4
Clarkstown	78	78	.....
Colonie Town	49	47	2
Elmira	109	108	1
Freeport	74	70	4
Garden City	56	50	6
Glen Cove	55	50	5
Greece	50	47	3
Greenburgh	105	100	5
Hempstead	76	75	1
Irondequoit	47	46	1
NEW YORK—Con.			
Ithaca	60	53	7
Jamestown	75	72	3
Kingston	69	68	1
Lackawanna	81	78	3
Lockport	47	45	2
Long Beach	91	79	12
Mount Vernon	208	187	21
Newburgh	82	70	12
New Rochelle	203	184	19
New York	34,655	31,671	2,984
Niagara Falls	231	205	26
North Tonawanda	42	38	4
Orangetown	66	65	1
Port Chester	64	61	3
Poughkeepsie	92	82	10
Poughkeepsie Town	51	49	2
Ramapo Town	68	67	1
Rochester	785	684	101
Rome	70	64	6
Rotterdam	28	27	1
Schenectady	177	160	17
Syracuse	532	443	89
Tonawanda Town	120	114	6
Utica	203	188	15
Vestal	22	17	5
Watertown	65	62	3
West Seneca	51	49	2
White Plains	199	196	3
Yonkers	543	481	62
NORTH CAROLINA			
Asheville	131	119	12
Burlington	76	71	5
Charlotte	554	457	97
Durham	171	157	14
Fayetteville	132	117	15
Gastonia	83	79	4
Goldsboro	54	53	1
Greensboro	323	277	46
Greenville	53	51	2
High Point	154	139	15
Kannapolis	31	31	.....
Raleigh	275	224	51
Rocky Mount	72	68	4
Wilmington	90	68	22
Wilson	59	58	1
Winston-Salem	322	280	42
NORTH DAKOTA			
Bismarck	54	47	7
Fargo	87	79	8
Grand Forks	62	55	7
Minot	51	48	3
OHIO			
Akron	505	480	25
Alliance	41	35	6
Barberton	44	42	2
Beavercreek Township	8	7	1
Brook Park	37	34	3
Canton	210	196	14
Cincinnati	1,118	939	179
Cleveland	2,643	2,464	179
Cleveland Heights	80	69	11
Columbus	1,039	897	142
OHIO—Con.			
Cuyahoga Falls	62	57	5
Dayton	547	424	123
Delbi Township	12	11	1
East Cleveland	77	69	8
Elyria	61	60	1
Fairborn	42	37	5
Findlay	43	40	3
Garfield Heights	45	44	1
Hamilton	112	109	3
Kettering	75	64	11
Lakewood	81	76	5
Lancaster	50	47	3
Lima	93	83	10
Lorain	84	84	.....
Mansfield	107	88	19
Maple Heights	53	46	7
Marion	52	49	3
Massillon	43	43	.....
Mentor	41	35	6
Middletown	93	83	10
North Olmsted	34	32	2
Norwood	49	49	.....
Parma	97	84	13
Parma Heights	26	22	4
Portsmouth	49	47	2
Sandusky	57	45	12
Shaker Heights	74	67	7
South Euclid	44	38	6
Springfield	136	121	15
Steubenville	57	54	3
Toledo	757	721	36
Upper Arlington	41	38	3
Warren	104	93	11
Whitehall	35	32	3
Xenia	46	36	10
Youngstown	312	288	24
Zanesville	50	36	14
OKLAHOMA			
Bartlesville	50	45	5
Del City	26	21	5
Enid	62	51	11
Lawton	122	98	24
Midwest City	61	54	7
Muskogee	70	51	19
Norman	61	58	3
Oklahoma City	621	554	67
Ponca City	50	48	2
Shawnee	40	40	.....
Stillwater	35	32	3
Tulsa	523	464	59
OREGON			
Corvallis	39	33	6
Eugene	179	147	32
Portland	903	729	174
Salem	145	104	41
Springfield	44	37	7
PENNSYLVANIA			
Abington Township	81	74	7
Allentown	178	152	26
Altoona	105	93	12
Baldwin Borough	24	20	4
Bethel Park	35	34	1

Table 57.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities 25,000 and over in Population—Con.*

City by State	Number of Police department employees		
	Total	Police officers	Civilians
PENNSYLVANIA—Con.			
Bethlehem	138	125	13
Bristol Township	66	60	6
Cheltenham Township	64	61	3
Chester	156	127	29
Easton	60	55	5
Erie	234	208	26
Haverford Township	73	68	5
Johnstown	94	85	9
Lancaster	132	119	13
Lebanon	46	44	2
Lower Merion Township	149	129	20
Lower Paxton Township	19	19	----
Marple Township	34	30	4
McKeesport	77	74	3
Millcreek Township	39	32	7
Monroeville	32	28	4
New Castle	61	60	1
Norristown	72	70	2
North Huntingdon Township	20	16	4
Penn Hills Township	63	54	9
Philadelphia	8,663	7,780	883
Pittsburgh	1,768	1,739	29
Pottstown	42	34	8
Radnor Township	52	49	3
Reading	199	168	31
Ridley Township	34	29	5
Ross Township	38	36	2
Scranton	191	177	14
Shaler Township	25	25	----
Springfield Township	30	27	3
State College	36	33	3
Upper Darby Township	175	144	31
Warminster Township	38	33	5
West Mifflin	31	29	2
Wilkes-Barre	98	95	3
Wilkinsburg	43	36	7
Williamsport	71	69	2
York	108	103	5
RHODE ISLAND			
Cranston	116	105	11
Cumberland	28	27	1
East Providence	88	82	6
Middletown	27	27	----
Newport	94	85	9
North Kingstown	32	29	3
Pawtucket	166	145	21
Providence	498	422	76
Warwick	167	149	18
Woonsocket	96	91	5
SOUTH CAROLINA			
Anderson	67	60	7
Charleston	183	146	37
Columbia	226	204	22
Florence	52	45	7
Greenville	154	144	10
Rock Hill	81	62	19
Spartanburg	102	88	14
SOUTH DAKOTA			
Aberdeen	36	35	1
Rapid City	73	67	6
SOUTH DAKOTA—Con.			
Sioux Falls	104	94	10
TENNESSEE			
Chattanooga	282	256	26
Clarksville	62	60	2
Jackson	85	76	9
Johnson City	74	65	9
Kingsport	76	56	20
Knoxville	334	260	74
Memphis	1,272	1,089	183
Nashville	716	593	123
Oak Ridge	47	44	3
TEXAS			
Abilene	127	106	21
Amarillo	221	182	39
Arlington	117	103	14
Austin	429	326	103
Baytown	74	59	15
Beaumont	188	175	13
Brownsville	85	67	18
Bryan	43	39	4
Corpus Christi	307	262	45
Dallas	2,060	1,635	425
Denton	56	46	10
El Paso	467	392	75
Farmers Branch	37	34	3
Fort Worth	755	650	105
Galveston	111	101	10
Garland	110	88	22
Grand Prairie	58	45	13
Harlingen	53	38	15
Houston	2,063	1,794	269
Hurst	34	27	7
Irving	106	87	19
Killeen	51	43	8
Kingsville	39	28	11
Laredo	79	79	----
Longview	76	70	6
Lubbock	236	208	28
McAllen	28	26	2
Mesquite	67	53	14
Midland	143	131	12
Odessa	117	95	22
Pasadena	102	89	13
Port Arthur	97	86	11
Richardson	69	63	6
San Angelo	110	95	15
San Antonio	1,068	912	156
Sherman	54	45	9
Temple	55	55	----
Texarkana	49	43	6
Texas City	41	40	1
Tyler	78	75	3
Victoria	64	52	12
Waco	170	132	38
Wichita Falls	141	116	25
UTAH			
Bountiful	21	16	5
Ogden	118	96	22
Orem	21	18	3
Provo	51	47	4
Salt Lake City	310	243	67
VERMONT			
Burlington	64	51	13
VIRGINIA			
Alexandria	230	186	44
Arlington	286	239	47
Charlottesville	71	68	3
Chesapeake	141	126	15
Danville	109	95	14
Hampton	149	130	19
Lynchburg	124	116	8
Newport News	237	223	14
Norfolk	603	511	92
Petersburg	72	66	6
Portsmouth	217	197	20
Richmond	567	516	51
Roanoke	173	162	11
Virginia Beach	247	190	57
WASHINGTON			
Bellevue	92	82	10
Bellingham	60	52	8
Bremerton	62	55	7
Everett	106	91	15
Longview	44	44	----
Renton	69	56	13
Richland	43	40	3
Seattle	1,463	1,185	278
Spokane	282	253	29
Tacoma	295	257	38
Vancouver	65	54	11
Yakima	107	87	20
WEST VIRGINIA			
Charleston	162	148	14
Fairmont	38	34	4
Huntington	120	112	8
Morgantown	35	35	----
Weirton	32	30	2
Wheeling	95	92	3
WISCONSIN			
Appleton	97	83	14
Beloit	68	58	10
Brookfield	51	46	5
Eau Claire	81	64	17
Fond du Lac	65	55	10
Green Bay	185	136	49
Janesville	73	65	8
Kenosha	152	137	15
La Crosse	83	76	7
Madison	282	240	42
Manitowoc	64	59	5
Menomonee Falls	55	47	8
Milwaukee	2,247	2,088	159
New Berlin	40	34	6
Oshkosh	93	90	3
Racine	233	172	61
Sheboygan	100	91	9
Superior	67	66	1
Waukesha	82	75	7
Wausau	57	56	1
Wauwatosa	107	94	13
West Allis	152	132	20
WYOMING			
Casper	52	45	7
Cheyenne	63	48	15

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City by State	Total police employees
ALABAMA	
Albertville	21
Alexander City	27
Athens	26
Auburn	26
Boaz	12
Chickasaw	19
Evergreen	14
Fayette	11
Fort Payne	19
Graysville	6
Greenville	21
Hartselle	12
Homewood	36
Hueytown	7
Lafayette	9
Leeds	15
Midfield	11
Mountain Brook	30
Northport	19
Oneonta	10
Oxford	10
Pell City	6
Pleasant Grove	8
Saraland	17
Sylacauga	28
Tallassee	19
Thomasville	8
Troy	26
Tuscumbia	17
Union Springs	12
ALASKA	
Fairbanks	60
Juneau	16
Ketchikan	20
Kodiak	14
Petersburg	8
Sitka	13
ARIZONA	
Avondale	13
Bisbee	20
Casa Grande	21
Chandler	33
Douglas	21
Globe	13
Hnachuca City	4
Kingman	20
Miami	7
Nogales	20
Page	8
Peoria	7
Prescott	27
Safford	9
Sierra Vista	20
Tolleson	5
Willcox	11
Williams	12
Winslow	23
ARKANSAS	
Arkadelphia	12
Batesville	8
Bentonville	11
Blytheville	33
Brinkley	11
Camden	16
Clarksville	10
Hope	15
Malvern	12
Mena	7
Monticello	10
Morrilton	10
Newport	15
Paragould	16
Pocahontas	7
Rogers	19
Russellville	14
Springdale	28
Texarkana	45
Walnut Ridge	8
CALIFORNIA	
Anderson	14
Angels Camp	2
Arcata	16
Arroyo Grande	10
Arvin	10
Atherton	20
Atwater	16
Auburn	17
Banning	21
Barstow	36
Beaumont	9
Bell	30
Belmont	33
Benicia	24
Bishop	11
Blythe	20
Brea	38
Brisbane	9
Broadmoor	8
California City	9
Calipatria	5
Calistoga	6
Campbell	30
Carlsbad	25
Carmel	20
Carpinteria	14
Ceres	11
Chico	38
Chino	31
Chowchilla	12
Cloverdale	9
Coalinga	13
Colma	3
Colton	38
Colusa	6
Corcoran	12
Corning	7
Coronado	34
Corte Madera	16
Crescent City	9
Del Rey Oaks	6
Dinuba	17
Dixon	10
Dorris	2
Dos Palos	6
El Segundo	69
Emeryville	23
Escalon	6
Etna	1
Eureka	44
Exeter	7
Farmersville	6
Ferndale	3
Fillmore	13
Firebangh	7
Folsom	14
Fontana	31
Fort Bragg	13
Fort Jones	1
Fortuna	8
Foster City	25
Galt	7
Gilroy	25
Gonzales	5
Grass Valley	16
Gridley	10
Grover City	11
Half Moon Bay	7
Hanford	31
Healdsburg	14
Hemet	26
Hermosa Beach	40
Hillsborough	21
Hollister	14
Holtville	11
Huron	4
Imperial	11
Imperial Beach	26
Indio	35
Ione	1
Irwindale	16
Isleton	3
Jackson	6
Kensington	8
Kerman	6
Kingsburg	10
Lafayette	10
La Palma	19
Larkspur	13
Lemoore	11
Lindsay	14
Live Oak	6
Livingston	8
Los Altos	28
Los Banos	21
Los Gatos	28
Madera	28
Marysville	30
Maywood	28
McFarland	8
Mendota	7
Merced	48
Millbrae	25
Mill Valley	18
Montague	2
Montclair	46
Morro Bay	14
Nevada City	6
Newman	5
Orange Cove	8
Orland	8
Oroville	21
Pacific Grove	20
Palm Springs	79
Palos Verdes Estates	20
Parlier	5
Petaluma	28
Piedmont	21
Pinole	21
Pismo Beach	13
Pittsburg	34
Placentia	29
Pleasant Hill	34
Pleasanton	24
Port Hueneme	19
Redding	45
Reedley	15
Ridgecrest	17
Rio Vista	7
Ripon	7
Riverbank	7
Rocklin	4
Rohnert Park	8
Roseville	34
Ross	5
Saint Harbor	20
Saint Helena	9
San Anselmo	20
San Clemente	47
Sand City	2
San Fernando	45
Sanger	18
San Jacinto	11
San Juan Bautista	2
San Marino	28
San Pablo	42
Santa Paula	31
Sausalito	32
Sebastopol	13
Selma	17
Shafter	12
Sierra Madre	20
Soledad	5
Sonoma	13
Sonora	10
South Lake Tahoe	42
South Pasadena	40
Stanton	35
Suisun City	9
Susanville	11
Sutter Creek	3
Tehachapi	9
Tracy	26
Tulare	32
Turlock	25
Ukiah	23
University of California, Berkeley	90
University of California, Davis	36
University of California, Irvine	9
University of California, Riverside	17
University of California, Medical School	24
Vacaville	31
Vernon	66
Wasco	14
Watsonville	35
Weed	6
Westmorland	2
Wheatland	3
Willits	11
Willows	7
Woodlake	5
Woodland	35
Yreka City	11
Yuba City	28

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City by State	Total police employees
COLORADO	
Aspen	15
Brighton	13
Broomfield	8
Brush	11
Cherry Hills	10
Colorado State University	26
Commerce City	41
Cortez	18
Delta	7
Durango	22
Edgewater	6
Florence	6
Glendale	15
Golden	15
Grand Junction	43
Gunnison	12
Kremmling	1
La Junta	11
Lamar	15
Leadville	7
Longmont	37
Loveland	25
Manzanola	1
Monte Vista	8
Montrose	12
Rifle	4
Rocky Ford	8
Salida	9
Sterling	20
Thornton	20
Vail	11
Westminster	22
CONNECTICUT	
Avon	19
Bethel	16
Bloomfield	34
Cheshire	24
Clinton	12
Danielson	7
Darien	44
Farmington	30
Glastonbury	32
Granby	5
Groton	22
Guilford	19
Monroe	19
Naugatuck	38
New Canaan	37
North Haven	37
Orange	24
Putnam	11
Ridgefield	24
Seymour	19
Simsbury	25
Sprague Town	1
Stafford Springs	3
Stonington	20
Waterford	25
Willimantic	29
Wilton	26
Windsor	36
Wolcott	20
Woodbridge	17
DELAWARE	
Dover	58
Laurel	6
Milford	20
Newark	44
Seaford	13
Smyrna	13
FLORIDA	
Apalachicola	4
Apopka	16
Auburndale	12
Bartow	28
Biscayne Park	4
Boynton Beach	36
Bradenton	43
Brooksville	6
Clewiston	7
Cocoa	31
Cocoa Beach	30
Dade City	16
Dania	26
Deerfield Beach	29
De Land	35
Dunedin	29
Eustis	17
Florida City	6
Frostproof	6
Hallandale	60
Holly Hill	13
Jacksonville Beach	38
Kissimmee	21
Lake City	20
Lake Wales	17
Lake Worth	56
Lantana	14
Largo	37
Leesburg	32
Lighthouse Point	18
Maitland	17
Margate	21
Miramar	35
Mount Dora	16
Neptune Beach	5
New Port Richey	15
North Palm Beach	18
Oakland Park	34
Ocala	72
Ocoee	10
Opa Locka	28
Ormond Beach	30
Palatka	22
Palm Beach	70
Palm Beach Gardens	24
Pinellas Park	32
Plantation	43
Quincy	28
Safety Harbor	5
Saint Augustine	30
Saint Cloud	10
Saint Petersburg Beach	26
Sanford	34
Sebring	15
South Miami	30
South Pasadena	9
Starke	15
Stuart	15
Tarpon Springs	16
Tavares	6
Temple Terrace	15
Treasure Island	15
Venice	21
Vero Beach	43
Wilton Manor	24
Windermere	2
Winter Garden	16
Winter Haven	55
Winter Park	56
Zephyrhills	10
GEORGIA	
Adel	12
Barnesville	10
Bremen	11
Camilla	11
Canton	10
Cartersville	29
Decatur	37
Douglasville	12
Dublin	29
Elberton	19
Fort Valley	19
Gainesville	49
Garden City	7
Greenshoro	4
Griffin	61
Hawkinsville	8
Hinesville	9
Lafayette	13
La Grange	48
Lawrenceville	8
Manchester	10
Milledgeville	33
Montezuma	12
Perry	17
Rossville	17
Statesboro	15
Sylvania	10
Tallapoosa	10
Thomaston	23
Thomasville	34
Trion	7
Waycross	48
Waynesboro	10
West Point	16
Winder	17
IDAHO	
American Falls	4
Blackfoot	21
Buhl	5
Burley	22
Caldwell	23
Coeur d'Alene	23
Craters of the Moon	1
Emmett	7
Grace	1
Grangeville	6
Jerome	9
Kellogg	10
Moscow	24
Mountain Home	17
Nampa	32
Payette	7
Rexburg	7
Rupert	11
Sandpoint	10
Shelley	4
Soda Springs	4
Twin Falls	34
Wallace	5
Weiser	10
ILLINOIS	
Abingdon	4
Addison	36
Algonquin	10
Antioch	7
Barrington	22
Bartonville	7
Batavia	20
Bellwood	33
Benld	1
Bensenville	22
Berkeley	12
Bethalto	6
Bolinghrook	8
Bourbonnais	2
Bradley	11
Bridgeview	22
Broadview	21
Brookfield	26
Cahokia	20
Calumet Park	17
Canton	19
Carbondale	34
Carmi	11
Carol Stream	14
Carpentersville	32
Carterville	3
Cary	11
Casey	6
Centralia	22
Chester	8
Chicago Ridge	16
Clarendon Hills	13
Columbia	10
Crest Hill	15
Crestwood	6
Crete	5
Crystal Lake	27
Deerfield	31
Dixon	25
Du Quoin	8
East Alton	16
East Moline	27
Effingham	13
Elk Grove Village	49
Eureka	3
Fairmont City	4
Flossmoor	15
Forest Park	30
Fox Lake	13
Franklin Park	36
Fulton	3

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City by State	Total police employees
ILLINOIS—Con.	
Galena	6
Galva	2
Geneseo	13
Geneva	17
Genoa	4
Georgetown	4
Gibson City	6
Glencoe	22
Glendale Heights	16
Glen Ellyn	32
Glenview	40
Golf	9
Grayslake	9
Hanover Park	19
Harrisburg	13
Harvard	12
Harwood Heights	17
Highland	9
Highwood	6
Hinsdale	29
Hoffman Estates	30
Homewood	26
Hoopeston	11
Huntley	3
Itasca	12
Jacksonville	38
Jerseyville	12
Justice	5
Kenilworth	12
Kewanee	20
La Grange	35
La Grange Park	25
Lake Bluff	9
Lake Forest	38
Lakemoor	4
Lake Zurich	12
Lawrenceville	10
Lebanon	4
Lemont	10
Libertyville	24
Lincolnwood	29
Lisle	13
Litchfield	9
Lyons	18
Macomb	21
Maple Park	2
Marquette Heights	8
Mascoutah	5
Matteson	7
Mattoon	32
McHenry	18
Melrose Park	58
Mendota	10
Milan	8
Momence	4
Morrison	5
Morton	10
Mount Morris	11
Mount Olive	3
Mount Vernon	25
Mundelein	28
Murphysboro	13
Naperville	31
New Lenox	3
Nokomis	9
Norridge	19
North Aurora	5
Northern Illinois University	36
Northfield	17
Northlake	33
North Riverside	17
Oak Forest	20
O'Fallon	12
Oglesby	5
Olney	16
Olympia Fields	7
Orland Park	10
Palos Park	15
Paxton	6
Phoenix	5
Pittsfield	5
Plano	9
Polo	3
Posen	3
Riverdale	21
River Forest	28
Robinson	7
Rock Falls	21
Rolling Meadows	33
Roselle	13
Rosemont	24
Round Lake Beach	10
Round Lake Park	4
Saint Charles	31
Salem	13
Sandwich	12
Sauk Village	10
Schaumburg	27
Schiller Park	26
Shelbyville	14
Silvis	10
South Elgin	5
Spring Valley	8
Staunton	3
Stone Park	16
Streator	26
Sycamore	12
Tuscola	6
Vandalia	10
Venice	15
Washington	11
Washington Park	12
Watseka	12
Wauconda	13
Westchester	25
West Dundee	6
Western Springs	18
Westmont	18
Wheeling	32
White Hall	6
Wilmington	8
Winfield	5
Winnetka	27
Wood Dale	18
Woodstock	18
Worth	22
INDIANA	
Alexandria	10
Angola	6
Attica	6
Auburn	12
Batesville	3
Bedford	35
Beech Grove	25
Berne	3
Bicknell	4
Bluffton	12
Brookville	5
Brownsburg	10
Chesterfield	4
Chesterton	15
Clinton	10
Connersville	43
Corydon	3
Crown Point	16
Decatur	15
Dunkirk	6
Dyer	9
East Gary	16
Fairmount	11
Frankfort	24
Garrett	6
Gas City	11
Goshen	31
Greencastle	16
Greensburg	12
Greenwood	20
Hartford City	10
Highland	31
Hobart	23
Huntington	25
Jasper	12
Jeffersonville	29
Knox	6
La Porte	41
Lawrence	24
Lebanon	17
Lincoln Boyhood	1
Logansport	34
Long Beach	6
Madison	22
Monticello	11
Mooresville	10
Mount Vernon	12
Munster	23
New Haven	10
New Whiteland	8
North Manchester	8
North Vernon	12
Peru	30
Portage	27
Portland	13
Princeton	13
Rensselaer	12
Rochester	8
Rushville	14
Sellersburg	7
Seymour	20
Speedway	32
Valparaiso	33
Vincennes	27
Wabash	24
Warsaw	19
West Lafayette	27
West Terre Haute	5
Whiting	26
IOWA	
Algona	9
Ankeny	10
Atlantic	9
Audubon	4
Bloomfield	6
Boone	15
Centerville	12
Chariton	10
Clarinda	12
Clarion	5
Clear Lake	13
Clive	5
Coralville	5
Decorah	16
Eldora	3
Estherville	12
Evansdale	4
Fort Madison	27
Grinnell	9
Hampton	14
Harlan	10
Humboldt	10
Independence	11
Jefferson	7
Knoxville	12
Le Mars	11
Manchester	8
Maquoketa	12
Marion	21
Missouri Valley	4
Monticello	8
Mount Pleasant	13
Mount Vernon	4
Muscatine	31
Newton	23
Oelwein	14
Osage	6
Osceola	4
Oskaloosa	13
Pella	11
Perry	14
Red Oak	10
Sheldon	5
Shenandoah	8
Sibley	4
Spencer	14
Spirit Lake	6
Storm Lake	14
Tama	4
Washington	6
Waverly	12
Webster City	18
West Burlington	2
West Des Moines	21
Windsor Heights	8
Winterset	5
KANSAS	
Abilene	12
Atchison	18
Augusta	19
Belleville	8
Beloit	8
Caney	5
Chanute	26
Cherryvale	3
Clay Center	9
Coffeyville	30
Colby	8
Columbus	5
Concordia	10
Council Grove	3
Derby	14
Ellinwood	4
Ellis	4
Emporia	30
Eureka	9

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City by State	Total police employees
KANSAS—Con.	
Fairway	6
Fort Scott	16
Fredonia	9
Garden City	31
Gardner	2
Garnett	8
Goodland	11
Great Bend	30
Haysville	7
Herington	6
Hiawatha	8
Hillsboro	3
Hoisington	8
Holton	7
Horton	7
Hugoton	10
Humboldt	5
Independence	17
Iola	12
Junction City	39
Larned	7
Leawood	16
Lenexa	6
Liberal	21
Lyons	8
Marysville	6
McPherson	16
Merriam	11
Mission	11
Neodesha	5
Oakley	7
Olathe	24
Osage City	5
Osawatomie	7
Ottawa	14
Paola	10
Parsons	19
Phillipsburg	4
Pittsburg	34
Pratt	12
Roeland Park	7
Russell	12
Scott City	8
Shawnee	26
Ulysses	8
Valley Center	4
WaKeeney	4
Wellington	14
Westwood	6
Winfield	18
KENTUCKY	
Albany	2
Alexandria	1
Anchorage	10
Auburn	2
Augusta	3
Barbourville	7
Bardstown	11
Beattyville	3
Beaver Dam	2
Bellevue	9
Benton	10
Berea	13
Bloomfield	2
Brandenburg	1
Brooksville	1
Burkesville	3
Cadiz	5
Calvert City	3
Campbellsville	14
Carlisle	3
Carrollton	8
Catlettsburg	5
Cave City	4
Central City	6
Clarkson	1
Clinton	3
Cloverport	2
Corbin	17
Corydon	1
Crofton	1
Cumberland	5
Cynthiana	18
Danville	22
Dawson Springs	5
Dayton	6
Earlington	2
Eddyville	1
Edmonton	2
Elizabethtown	15
Elkton	5
Eminence	4
Erlanger	15
Falmouth	5
Flatwoods	8
Flemingsburg	4
Florence	12
Fort Mitchell	13
Fort Thomas	18
Frankfort	44
Franklin	15
Fulton	10
Georgetown	10
Glasgow	23
Grayson	4
Greensburg	5
Greenup	2
Greenville	6
Guthrie	2
Hardinsburg	2
Harlan	12
Harrodsburg	13
Hartford	2
Hawesville	2
Hazard	11
Henderson	41
Hickman	5
Highland Heights	2
Hodgenville	4
Hopkinsville	44
Irvington	1
Jackson	7
Jamestown	3
Jeffersontown	8
Jenkins	5
La Grange	5
Lakeside Park	1
Lancaster	7
Lawrenceburg	7
Lebanon	11
Leitchfield	8
Liberty	4
London	11
Louisa	8
Ludlow	8
Madisonville	22
Manchester	5
Marion	4
Martin	1
Mayfield	25
Maysville	22
Middlesboro	20
Midway	2
Monticello	4
Morehead	11
Morganfield	7
Morgantown	3
Mount Sterling	12
Mount Vernon	4
Mount Washington	3
Muldraugh	3
Murray	19
New Castle	2
Nicholasville	8
Olive Hill	2
Owenton	2
Owingsville	3
Paintsville	8
Paris	18
Park Hills	4
Pembroke	1
Pewee Valley	1
Pikeville	8
Pineville	10
Prestonsburg	8
Princeton	11
Providence	5
Raceland	5
Radcliff	14
Richmond	24
Russell Springs	2
Russellville	15
Saint Matthews	15
Scottsville	9
Shelbyville	8
Shepherdsville	5
Shively	20
Somerset	23
Southgate	2
Springfield	6
Stanford	5
Sturgis	3
Taylor Mill	3
Taylorsville	3
Tompkinsville	3
Vanceburg	3
Versailles	11
Vine Grove	5
Warsaw	2
West Liberty	3
West Point	7
Williamstown	5
Wilmore	2
Winchester	20
LOUISIANA	
Berwick	11
Bogalusa	39
De Quincy	9
De Ridder	14
Donaldsonville	15
Franklin	23
Golden Meadow	2
Hammond	20
Jennings	11
Jonesboro	10
Kaplan	14
Mamou	10
Marksville	9
Minden	15
Morgan City	36
New Roads	6
Pineville	14
Plaquemine	20
Rayne	16
Ruston	23
Sulphur	12
Thibodaux	34
Vivian	9
Welsh	6
West Monroe	30
MAINE	
Auburn	40
Bath	18
Brewer	14
Brunswick	24
Bucksport	10
Calais	8
Camden	5
Cape Elizabeth	7
Caribou	14
Dexter	3
Ellsworth	7
Farmington	5
Gardiner	10
Hallowell	3
Hampden	3
Houlton	12
Kittery	12
Limestone	4
Lincoln	4
Madawaska	4
Madison	3
Mexico	3
Millinocket	10
Old Town	12
Orono	7
Pittsfield	3
Presque Isle	16
Rockland	12
Rumford	14
Saco	16
Sanford	23
Scarborough	8
Skowhegan	10
South Portland	43
Topsham	5
Waterville	38
Wells	4
Westbrook	22
Winthrop	6
MARYLAND	
Aberdeen	21
Bel Air	11
Bladensburg	13
Brunswick	7
Cambridge	32
Chestertown	7
Crisfield	9
District Heights	6
Easton	16
Elkton	9

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City by State	Total police employees
MARYLAND—Con.	
Frederick	57
Frostburg	12
Greenbelt	22
Havre De Grace	19
Hyattsville	21
Laurel	28
Mount Ranier	16
Riverdale	5
Salisbury	44
Sparrows Point	208
Takoma Park	28
University of Maryland	54
University Park	4
Westminster	14
MASSACHUSETTS	
Acton	15
Acushnet	11
Adams	18
Agawan	34
Amesbury	18
Amherst	19
Andover	39
Ashburnham	4
Athol	17
Auburn	16
Avon	7
Ayer	11
Barnstable	54
Bedford	23
Blackstone	10
Bourne	23
Boylston	3
Bridgewater	21
Burlington	43
Chatham	15
Clinton	22
Cohasset	16
Concord	28
Dalton	9
Dartmouth	29
Dover	8
Dracut	20
Dudley	10
Duxbury	15
East Bridgewater	23
Easthampton	18
East Longmeadow	18
Easton	17
Fairhaven	21
Falmouth	36
Foxboro	18
Franklin	21
Gardner	35
Grafton	10
Greenfield	33
Groveland	6
Hanson	8
Hingham	44
Holden	10
Holliston	17
Hopedale	5
Hudson	23
Hull	25
Lincoln	9
Littleton	7
Ludlow	24
Lynnfield	18

City by State	Total police employees
MASSACHUSETTS—Con.	
Mansfield	14
Marblehead	36
Marion	8
Marshfield	37
Mashpee	12
Mattapoisett	12
Maynard	17
Medfield	13
Medway	12
Merrimac	5
Middleboro	26
Millbury	13
Millis	11
Montague	12
Newbury	2
Newburyport	24
North Adams	33
North Andover	27
North Attleboro	26
Northbridge	14
Norton	12
Norwell	12
Orange	8
Pembroke	16
Provincetown	13
Reading	36
Rehoboth	9
Rockport	13
Rowley	1
Salisbury	11
Scituate	37
Seekonk	18
Sharon	18
Shrewsbury	24
Somerset	17
Southboro	9
Southbridge	32
South Hadley	23
Southwick	8
Sterling	2
Stoneham	37
Stoughton	33
Stow	9
Sudbury	21
Sutton	6
Swampscott	31
Swansea	14
Topsfield	6
Tyngsborough	13
Uxbridge	9
Walpole	25
Ware	10
Wareham	24
Wayland	25
Webster	27
Westboro	17
West Boylston	2
Weston	25
Westport	18
Westwood	29
Wilbraham	20
Williamstown	12
Wilmington	33
Winchester	44
Wrentham	8
MICHIGAN	
Ahmeek	1
Algonac	6

City by State	Total police employees
MICHIGAN—Con.	
Allegan	6
Alma	15
Almont	3
Armada	2
Auburn	1
Bangor	4
Baraga	1
Bath Township	1
Bedford Township	5
Bellevue	1
Berrien Springs	3
Bessemer	4
Big Rapids	16
Birch Run	2
Blissfield	2
Bloomfield Hills	20
Boyne City	7
Breckenridge	1
Breedsville	1
Bridgman	1
Brighton	4
Bronson	5
Brooklyn	2
Brown City	1
Calumet	4
Capac	2
Caro	6
Carson City	2
Caspian	2
Cass City	3
Cement City	1
Charlotte	12
Cheboygan	10
Chelsea	5
Chesaning	5
Clare	11
Clarkston	10
Clawson	24
Coloma Township	6
Colon	2
Coopersville	1
Corunna	2
Croswell	3
Crystal Falls	4
Decatur	3
Deckerville	1
De Witt	1
Dimondale	1
Dundee	2
Durand	8
East Grand Rapids	20
East Jordan	3
East Tawas	3
Ecorse	49
Emmett Township	10
Essexville	7
Farmington	26
Farwell	1
Fenton	14
Ferris State College	15
Ferrysburg	1
Flat Rock	12
Flushing	8
Fowlerville	4
Frankenmuth	3
Frankfort	4
Fremont	7
Fruitport	5
Galesburg	1

City by State	Total police employees
MICHIGAN—Con.	
Gibraltar	11
Gladstone	8
Goodrich	5
Grand Blanc	4
Grand Blanc Township	6
Grand Ledge	10
Grandville	13
Grant	3
Green Oak Township	1
Grosse Ile Township	14
Grosse Pointe	19
Grosse Pointe Farms	28
Grosse Pointe Park	34
Grosse Pointe Shores	20
Grosse Pointe Woods	57
Hancock	6
Harbor Beach	2
Harper Woods	37
Hastings	14
Hazel Park	39
Hesperia	1
Hillsdale	15
Holly	10
Homer	2
Hopkins	1
Houghton	8
Howard Township	5
Howell	8
Huntington Woods	17
Ionia	9
Iron River	5
Ironwood	14
Ishpeming	16
Ithaca	3
Jonesville	2
Keego Harbor	4
Kentwood	16
Lake Linden	1
Lake Odessa	1
Lake Orion	8
L'Anse	3
Lapeer	14
Lathrup Village	5
Laurium	4
Lawton	2
Lexington	2
Linden	2
Litchfield	2
Ludington	14
Mackinaw City	5
Manistee	15
Manistique	6
Marcellus	3
Marine City	6
Marlette	2
Marquette Township	1
Marshall	13
Mason	8
Mayville	1
Melvindale	24
Memphis	2
Mendon	1
Menominee	15
Michiana	1
Michigan State University	54
Milan	11
Monroe	45
Montague	3
Montrose	2

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City by State	Total police employees
MICHIGAN—Con.	
Mount Morris	13
Muskegon Heights	35
Muskegon Township	9
Nashville	2
Negaunee	12
Newaygo	1
New Baltimore	5
New Buffalo	4
New Haven	2
Niles	29
Niles Township	7
North Branch	1
Northville	14
Northville Township	2
Norton Shores	16
Novi	22
Olivet	2
Onaway	3
Ontonagon	3
Orchard Lake	7
Oscoda Township	7
Otisville	4
Otsego	5
Ovid	1
Owosso	27
Oxford	9
Parchment	3
Pennfield Township	5
Petoskey	12
Pinckney	2
Pinconning	2
Plainwell	5
Plymouth	19
Pontiac Township	9
Port Austin	1
Portland	6
Potterville	3
Quincy	8
Reading	1
Richmond	4
River Rouge	48
Riverview	25
Rochester	14
Rockford	5
Rogers City	5
Romulus Township	11
Roosevelt Park	5
Royal Oak Township	14
Saint Charles	2
Saint Johns	10
Saint Joseph	24
Sandusky	1
Sault Sainte Marie	27
Schoolcraft	1
Scottville	2
Sebewaing	3
Shepherd	1
Sheridan	1
South Range	1
Spring Lake	4
Stambaugh	3
Sturgis	16
Swartz Creek	8
Sylvan Lake	5
Tawas City	1
Three Rivers	17
Traverse City	21
Trenton	50
Tuscarora Township	1
Utica	13
Vicksburg	5
Wakefield	5
Walker Township	13
Walled Lake	11
Waterford Township	36
Watervliet	2
Wayland	4
Wayne	42
Wehberville	1
West Branch	3
White Cloud	1
Whitehall	14
White Pigeon	2
Williamston	4
Wixom	6
Wolverine Lake	14
Woodhaven	14
Zeeland	5
MINNESOTA	
Albert Lea	31
Alexandria	16
Anoka	19
Arden Hills	5
Aurora	4
Babbitt	4
Bayport	4
Bemidji	19
Blue Earth	6
Brainerd	21
Breckenridge	10
Cloquet	13
Columbia Heights	20
Cottage Grove Village	11
Crookston	17
Crosby	4
Deephaven	4
Detroit Lakes	9
Eagan Township	10
East Grand Forks	16
Ely	8
Eveleth	10
Fairmont	16
Faribault	25
Fergus Falls	19
Forest Lake	5
Gilbert	4
Glenwood	6
Golden Valley	29
Grand Rapids	10
Hastings	15
Hibbing	27
Hopkins	24
Hoyt Lakes	5
Hutchinson	9
International Falls	12
Inver Grove Heights	10
Jackson	5
La Crescent	2
Lake City	5
Lauderdale	2
Little Falls	10
Luverne	10
Mahtomedi	5
Marshall	21
Mendota Heights	7
Montevideo	8
Morris	8
Mound	8
Mounds View	9
New Brighton	17
New Hope	19
Newport	4
New Prague	2
New Ulm	20
Northfield	12
North Mankato	6
North Saint Paul	11
Orono	8
Ortonville	8
Owatonna	22
Park Rapids	5
Pipestone	13
Plymouth	13
Red Wing	21
Redwood Falls	5
Robbinsdale	16
Saint Anthony	11
Saint James	6
Saint Peter	11
Sauk Rapids	5
Silver Bay	4
Sleepy Eye	5
Springfield	4
Spring Lake Park	7
Spring Valley	3
Stillwater	12
Tracy	5
Two Harbors	9
Virginia	24
Wadena	6
Waseca	7
Wayzata	6
West Saint Paul	27
White Bear Lake	25
Willmar	20
Worthington	15
MISSISSIPPI	
Aberdeen	14
Batesville	10
Bay Saint Louis	8
Booneville	10
Brookhaven	20
Cleveland	25
Clinton	11
Durant	4
Greenwood	37
Grenada	21
Hazlehurst	10
Indianola	21
Long Beach	7
McComb	25
Moss Point	23
New Albany	11
Newton	7
Ocean Springs	19
Okolona	4
Port Gibson	6
Senatobia	6
Tupelo	46
Water Valley	7
MISSOURI	
Ballwin	17
Bellefontaine Neighbors	20
Berkeley	39
Blue Springs	12
Boonville	15
Brentwood	24
Bridgeton	39
Butler	11
Cameron	5
Carthage	16
Charlack	12
Clayton	55
Clinton	11
Crestwood	25
Dellwood	11
De Soto	9
Eldon	5
Excelsior Springs	17
Farmington	8
Fayette	4
Fenton	8
Frontenac	11
Gladstone	33
Glendale	13
Hannibal	23
Hanley Hills	11
Harrisonville	6
Hazelwood	22
Hermann	3
Higginsville	7
Jackson	8
Jennings	46
Ladue	30
Lamar	5
Liberty	16
Louisiana	6
Manchester	9
Maplewood	24
Marceline	5
Marshall	16
Maryville	17
Mexico	20
Moberly	26
Moline Acres	8
Monett	10
Neosho	12
Normandy	8
North Kansas City	28
Olivette	17
Overland	43
Pagedale	11
Pine Lawn	13
Poplar Bluff	29
Potosi	6
Richmond	8
Richmond Heights	29
Riverview	3
Rock Hill	10
Rolla	25
Saint Ann	26
Saint John Village	13
Sedalia	39
Shrewsbury	11
Slater	4
Valley Park	5
Vinita Park	6
Warrensburg	14
Warson Woods	7
Washington	15
Webb City	12
Wellstown	24
West Plains	13
Woodson Terrace	8

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City by State	Total police employees
MONTANA	
Anaconda	11
Baker	4
Bozeman	21
Choteau	3
Conrad	3
Cut Bank	11
Dillon	11
Glasgow	12
Glendive	14
Helena	35
Kalispell	21
Laurel	8
Lewistown	12
Libby	8
Livingston	14
Miles City	20
Red Lodge	4
Sidney	11
Wolf Point	4
NEBRASKA	
Alliance	16
Aurora	4
Beatrice	27
Bellevue	28
Chadron	12
Columbus	21
Cozad	11
Crawford	3
Crete	7
Fairbury	8
Falls City	11
Fremont	35
Gering	13
Gothenburg	8
Hastings	40
Holdrege	11
Kearney	30
Kimball	10
McCook	20
Nebraska City	11
North Platte	35
Ralston	5
Scottsbluff	31
Seward	8
Sidney	14
Superior	5
Wayne	10
York	14
NEVADA	
Boulder City	12
Carson City	35
Elko	20
Fallon	12
Henderson	34
Sparks	55
Winnemucca	9
NEW HAMPSHIRE	
Berlin	31
Claremont	21
Conway	12
Durham	9
Exeter	17
Gilford	7
Goffstown	13
NEW HAMPSHIRE—Con.	
Hampton	16
Hooksett	3
Keene	27
Laconia	31
Lebanon	18
Littleton	7
Milford	6
Newport	14
Pelham	5
Peterborough	4
Rochester	26
Somersworth	16
NEW JERSEY	
Absecon	14
Allendale	14
Allenhurst	10
Allentown	1
Alpha	1
Alpine	7
Asbury Park	62
Atlantic Highlands	12
Audubon Park	3
Avalon	18
Avon-by-the-Sea	8
Barnegat Light	24
Barrington	14
Bay Head	5
Beach Haven	10
Beachwood	6
Bedminster Township	4
Bellmawr	17
Belmar	20
Belvidere	3
Berkeley Heights	25
Berkeley Township	13
Berlin	7
Bernards Township	16
Bernardsville	15
Beverly	9
Bloomingdale	9
Bogota	18
Boonton	18
Boonton Township	5
Bordentown	9
Bound Brook	20
Bradley Beach	17
Bridgeton	45
Brielle	18
Brigantine	15
Brooklawn	3
Burlington	30
Burlington Township	18
Butler	10
Caldwell	23
Califon	1
Cape May	17
Carlstadt	22
Carteret	39
Cedar Grove Township	23
Chatham	18
Chatham Township	19
Chester	3
Chester Township	6
Cinnaminson Township	24
Clark	36
Clayton	12
Clementon	7
Cliffside Park	31
NEW JERSEY—Con.	
Clinton	1
Clinton Township	2
Closter	16
Collingswood	24
Cranbury Township	6
Cresskill	15
Deal	16
Deerfield Township	1
Delanco Township	4
Delran Township	12
Demarest	10
Denville Township	28
Deptford Township	22
Dover	28
Dumont	35
Dunellen	14
East Greenwich Township	4
East Hanover Township	17
East Newark	10
East Paterson	36
East Rutherford	27
East Windsor Township	27
Eatontown	23
Edgewater	20
Edgewater Park Township	5
Egg Harbor City	5
Emerson	16
Englewood	93
Englewood Cliffs	24
Essex Fells	11
Evesham Township	17
Fairfield	20
Fair Haven	9
Fairview	25
Fanwood	16
Far Hills	1
Flemington	6
Florence Township	14
Florham Park	19
Franklin	5
Franklin Lakes	14
Franklin Township	8
Freehold	23
Freehold Township	14
Frenchtown	1
Galloway Township	8
Garwood	13
Glassboro	23
Glen Ridge	28
Glen Rock	26
Gloucester City	24
Green Brook	8
Greenwich Township	13
Guttenberg	15
Hackettstown	12
Haddonfield	27
Haddon Heights	18
Haddon Township	22
Haledon	10
Hamilton Township	5
Hammonton	22
Hanover Township	26
Harding Township	7
Hardyston Township	6
Harrington Park	8
Harrison	60
Harvey Cedars	3
NEW JERSEY—Con.	
Hasbrouck Heights	27
Haworth	11
Hawthorne	23
Hazlet Township	24
Helmetta	1
High Bridge Boro	2
Highland Park	32
Highlands	10
Hightstown	13
Hillsborough Township	17
Hillsdale	23
Hillside Township	68
Ho-Ho-Kus	12
Holland Township	1
Holmdel Township	8
Hopatcong	9
Hopewell	1
Hopewell Township	1
Interlaken	4
Island Heights	1
Jackson Township	28
Jamesburg	8
Jefferson Township	20
Keansburg	14
Kenilworth	21
Keyport	16
Kinnelon	9
Lacey Township	17
Lakehurst	4
Lambertville	6
Laurel Springs	1
Lavallette	8
Lawnside	5
Lawrence Township (Cumberland County)	38
Lawrence Township (Mercer County)	1
Lebanon Township	1
Leonia	19
Lincoln Park	14
Lindenwold	18
Linwood	14
Little Egg Harbor Township	5
Little Falls Township	19
Little Ferry	18
Little Silver	14
Loch Arbour	1
Long Beach Township	24
Longport	8
Lower Township	20
Lumberton	4
Lyndhurst Township	43
Madison	32
Magnolia	5
Mahwah Township	25
Manasquan	14
Manchester Township	17
Mantoloking	6
Mantua Township	5
Manville	17
Maple Shade Township	19
Maplewood Township	59
Margate City	24
Marlborough	18
Matawan	19
Matawan Township	34
Maywood	21
Medford Lakes	7
Medford Township	14
Mendham	8

Table 58.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities with Population under 25,000—Con.*

City by State	Total police employees
NEW JERSEY—Con.	
Mendham Township	5
Merchantville	12
Metuchen	34
Middlesex	25
Middle Township	15
Midland Park	11
Milford	1
Millburn Township	56
Milltown	10
Millville	35
Mine Hill Township	6
Monmouth Beach	5
Monroe	13
Monroe Township	19
Montvale	13
Montville Township	23
Moonachie	4
Moorestown Township	30
Morris Plains	16
Morristown	44
Morris Township	35
Mountain Lakes	10
Mountainside	19
Mount Arlington	5
Mount Ephraim	9
Mount Holly	27
Mount Laurel Township	21
Mount Olive Township	13
Mullica Township	1
Neptune	13
Netcong	4
New Milford	32
New Providence	22
New Shrewsbury	16
Newton	12
North Arlington	37
North Brunswick Township	28
North Caldwell	12
North Egg Harbor Township	4
Northfield	16
North Haledon	11
North Hanover Township	1
North Plainfield	34
Northvale	7
North Wildwood	21
Norwood	8
Oakland	25
Oaklyn	10
Ocean City	53
Ocean Gate	1
Ocean Grove	13
Oceanport	12
Ocean Township, Monmouth County	32
Ocean Township, Ocean County	6
Ogdensburg	2
Old Tappan	7
Oradell	20
Oxford Township	1
Palisades Park	27
Palmyra	12
Park Ridge	16
Passaic Township	19
Paulsboro	16
Peapack and Gladstone	4
Pemberton	1
Pemberton Township	25
Pennington	1
Penns Grove	14
Pennsville Township	21
Pequannock Township	21
Phillipsburg	29
Pine Beach	3
Pine Hill	7
Pitman	18
Pleasantville	35
Plumsted Township	1
Pohatcong	5
Point Pleasant	24
Point Pleasant Beach	19
Pompton Lakes	23
Princeton	29
Princeton Township	29
Prospect Park	5
Ramsey	23
Randolph Township	23
Raritan	13
Raritan Township	3
Readington Township	4
Red Bank	42
Ridgefield	28
Ridgefield Park	24
Ringwood	12
Riverdale	8
River Edge	22
Riverside	9
Riverton	4
River Vale	18
Rochelle Park Township	17
Rockaway	10
Rockaway Township	25
Roseland	15
Roselle	45
Roselle Park	29
Roxbury Township	18
Rumson	14
Runnemede	16
Rutherford	45
Saddle Brook Township	27
Saddle River	8
Salem	20
Scotch Plains	35
Sea Bright	7
Sea Girt	12
Sea Isle City	13
Seaside Heights	14
Seaside Park	13
Secaucus	32
Ship Bottom	8
Shrewsbury	10
Somerdale	7
Somers Point	18
Somerville	31
South Amboy	22
South Belmar	6
South Bound Brook	8
South Brunswick Township	25
South Hackensack	12
South Orange	48
South Plainfield	44
South River	29
South Toms River	6
Sparta Township	21
Spotswood	13
Springfield	40
Spring Lake	15
Spring Lake Heights	9
Stafford Township	8
Stanhope	5
Stone Harbor	15
Stratford	10
Summit	45
Surf City	7
Sussex	4
Swedesboro	4
Tenafly	33
Teterboro	4
Tewksbury Township	1
Totowa	16
Tuckerton	2
Union Beach	12
Upper Deerfield Township	1
Upper Penns Neck	14
Upper Saddle River	15
Ventnor City	27
Verona	30
Voorhees Township	14
Waldwick	17
Wallington	17
Wall Township	36
Wanaque	10
Washington	11
Washington Township, Bergen County	17
Washington Township, Gloucester County	19
Washington Township, Morris County	9
Watchung	19
Weehawken Township	43
Wenonah	3
West Caldwell	30
West Cape May	1
West Deptford Township	20
West Long Branch	12
West Milford Township	26
West Paterson	18
Westville	7
West Wildwood	1
West Windsor Township	9
Westwood	24
Wharton	10
Wildwood	32
Wildwood Crest	16
Winfield Township	24
Winslow Township	6
Woodbine	2
Woodbury	26
Woodcliff Lake	13
Woodlynne	4
Wood Ridge	19
Woodstown	4
Woolwich	1
Wrightstown	2
Wyckoff	20
NEW MEXICO	
Alamogordo	31
Artesia	17
Aztec	12
Belen	13
Bernalillo	6
Carlsbad	31
Clayton	6
Deming	14
Ennice	6
Farmington	55
Gallup	50
Las Vegas City	34
Los Alamos	33
Milan	5
Portales	19
Silver City	18
State University	17
Tucumcari	18
NEW YORK	
Alfred	5
Amityville	20
Angola	6
Ardsley	14
Asharoken	5
Baldwinsville	10
Ballston Spa	4
Batavia	40
Bath	14
Beacon	32
Bethlehem	26
Blasdell	5
Briarcliff Manor	17
Bronxville	27
Camden	3
Canajoharie	4
Canandaigua	21
Canisteo	2
Canton	9
Carmel	21
Carthage	6
Cayuga Heights	6
Cazenovia	5
Chittenango	3
Clyde	1
Cobleskill	3
Cohoes	33
Cooperstown	4
Corinth	3
Corning	23
Cornwall	4
Cortland	33
Coxsackie	2
Croton-on-Hudson	16
Dansville	11
Delhi	1
Depew	28
Dobbs Ferry	21
Dolgeville	2
Dryden	2
Dunkirk	30
East Aurora	16
Eastchester	59
East Rochester	8
Ellenville	17
Elmira Heights	9
Elmsford	13
Endicott	44
Evans	19
Fairport	8
Fayetteville	5
Floral Park	41
Fort Edward	3
Fredonia	14
Glens Falls	32
Gloversville	29
Gouverneur	8
Green Island	11
Greenport	5

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City by State	Total police employees
NEW YORK—Con.	
Groton	4
Hamburg	19
Hamilton	4
Harrison	73
Hastings on Hudson	22
Haverstraw	16
Herkimer	20
Highland	21
Highland Falls	10
Hoosick Falls	3
Hornell	22
Horseheads	13
Hudson	22
Hudson Falls	13
Ilion	14
Irvington	19
Johnson City	34
Johnstown	18
Lake Placid	11
Lancaster Town	19
Lancaster Village	16
Larchmont	30
Le Roy	7
Liberty	16
Liverpool	6
Lynbrook	48
Lyons	6
Malone	15
Malverne	21
Mamaroneck Town	38
Mamaroneck Village	50
Massena	27
Medina	11
Middletown	44
Mohawk	5
Mount Kisco	26
Mount Pleasant	38
New Castle	27
New Paltz	7
North Pelham	18
Northport	20
North Syracuse	12
North Tarrytown	30
Nunda	2
Ogdensburg	25
Olean	35
Oneida	24
Oneonta	26
Orchard Park	19
Ossining	47
Oswego	45
Owego	14
Painted Post	3
Palisades Interstate Park	78
Palmyra	5
Pelham	16
Pelham Manor	29
Penn Yan	11
Plattsburgh	42
Pleasantville	18
Port Jervis	18
Queensbury	6
Rensselaer	25
Riverhead Town	43
Rye	47
Sag Harbor	3
Saint Johnsville	4
Salamanca	15
Sands Point	18
Saranac Lake	14
Saratoga Springs	42
Saugerties	10
Scotia	13
Skaneateles	5
Sloan	6
Sloatsburg	2
Sodus Point	1
Solvay	15
Southampton	19
South Nyack	4
Spring Valley	41
Springville	6
Stony Point	6
Suffern	18
Ticonderoga	6
Tonawanda	33
Tuckahoe	22
Tupper Lake	12
Tuxedo	5
Tuxedo Park	8
Vanderbilt Mansion	10
Walden	7
Walton	6
Wappingers Falls	6
Warwick	7
Waterloo	7
Watervliet	25
Watkins Glen	8
Waverly	13
Westfield	6
Whitehall	3
Woodbury	7
NORTH CAROLINA	
Albemarle	31
Asheboro	37
Ayden	7
Bessemer City	7
Blowing Rock	7
Brevard	12
Canton	12
Cherryville	9
Clayton	12
Clinton	18
Concord	37
Edenton	14
Elizabeth City	38
Elkin	10
Enfield	8
Farmville	12
Forest City	13
Granite Falls	10
Hamlet	13
Havelock	8
Hendersonville	22
Jacksonville	37
Kings Mountain	17
Kinston	60
Laurinburg	21
Lenoir	32
Lexington	45
Lincolnton	15
Lumberton	36
Marion	15
Monroe	25
Mooresville	20
Morehead City	13
Morganton	34
Mount Airy	20
Mount Olive	9
Red Springs	6
Roxboro	18
Salisbury	48
Sanford	37
Scotland Neck	6
Selma	8
Shelby	36
Siler City	9
Smithfield	22
Southern Pines	14
Spencer	3
Statesville	51
Tarboro	22
Thomasville	36
Valdese	7
Washington	21
Waynesville	16
Williamston	15
Zebulon	5
NORTH DAKOTA	
Bottineau	4
Devils Lake	12
Dickinson	24
Grafton	11
Jamestown	25
Mandan	17
Rugby	3
Valley City	14
Wahpeton	9
West Fargo	6
Williston	22
OHIO	
Alger	1
Amberley	15
Arlington Heights	4
Ashland	26
Ashtabula	42
Avon Lake	16
Bay Village	18
Beachwood	24
Bedford	25
Bedford Heights	27
Bellaire	15
Bellefontaine	19
Bellevue	15
Belpre	6
Berea	31
Bexley	23
Blanchester	5
Blue Ash	10
Bowling Green	23
Brecksville	17
Broadview Heights	13
Brunswick	14
Bryan	17
Bucyrus	17
Cambridge	25
Canfield	10
Centerville	13
Chagrin Falls	14
Chardon	8
Chester Township	6
Chevlot	9
Chillicothe	43
Circleville	22
Clyde	9
Coldwater	3
Conneaut	18
Crestline	7
Crooksville	1
Darbydale	1
Deer Park	7
Defiance	26
Delaware	22
Dennison	6
Dover	20
Eastlake	24
East Liverpool	27
Eaton	9
Elmwood Place	6
Fairfax	7
Fairfield	25
Fairview Park	29
Fayette	2
Forest Park	10
Fostoria	27
Franklin	13
Fremont	31
Gahanna	16
Galion	23
Gallipolis	16
Germantown	7
Glendale	6
Grandview Heights	16
Greenfield	9
Greenhills	6
Greenville	15
Grove City	17
Heath	13
Hicksville	8
Highland Heights	12
Hilliard	13
Hillsboro	10
Hubbard	10
Huron	13
Indian Hill	18
Lebanon	16
Leetonia	4
Lockland	15
Logan	12
Loudonville	4
Louisville	8
Lyndhurst	24
Madeira	11
Mariemont	8
Marietta	30
Martins Ferry	19
Marysville	8
Mason	7
Maumee	22
Medina	19
Mentor-On-The-Lake	7
Miamisburg	24
Middleburg Heights	18
Middleport	4
Mingo Junction	9
Mogadore	5
Montgomery	6
Moraine	24
Mount Gilead	4
Mount Healthy	5
Napoleon	14

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City by State	Total police employees
OHIO—Con.	
Navarre	2
New Boston	11
Newburgh Heights	7
Newcomerstown	9
New Lexington	4
New Philadelphia	20
Newton Falls	6
Niles	29
North Baltimore	4
North Canton	20
North Ridgeville	13
North Royalton	19
Oakwood	38
Oakwood Village	9
Oberlin	14
Ontario	10
Orrville	13
Orwell	1
Ottawa	4
Ottowa Hills	12
Oxford	12
Painesville	25
Pepper Pike	9
Perrysburg	17
Piqua	27
Port Clinton	14
Ravenna	13
Reynoldsburg	17
Richmond Heights	18
Rocky River	30
Rossford	8
Russell Township	5
Saint Bernard	18
Salem	21
Sebring	8
Seven Hills	11
Shadyside	6
Sharonville	19
Sheffield Lake	7
Shelby	16
Sidney	24
Silver Lake	6
Silverton	9
Solon	25
South Charleston	2
South Russell	6
Springdale	10
Stow	21
Strongsville	17
Tallmadge	18
Terrace Park	4
Tiffin	33
Toronto	8
Trenton	8
Trotwood	14
Troy	27
Twinsburg	17
Uhrichsville	6
Urbana	20
Vandalia	21
Van Wert	17
Vermilion	19
Wadsworth	20
Wapakoneta	11
Warrensville Heights	40
Washington Court House	17
Wauseon	5
Waverly	11
Wellington	9
Wellsville	9
West Carrollton	17
Westerville	19
Westlake	26
Wickliffe	27
Willoughby	32
Willoughby Hills	7
Wilmington	17
Windham	8
Woodlawn	10
Wooster	34
Worthington	22
Wyoming	15
Yellow Springs	10
OKLAHOMA	
Ada	27
Alva	10
Ardmore	41
Bethany	23
Blackwell	20
Cherokee	4
Chickasha	31
Cleveland	6
Commerce	3
Dewey	5
Duncan	40
Edmond	20
Elk City	14
El Reno	20
Henryetta	12
Hominy	6
Kingfisher	5
Madill	7
Miami	30
Nichols Hills	12
Nowata	5
Okmulgee	22
Pauls Valley	13
Perry	7
Purcell	11
Sallisaw	7
Sand Springs	19
Sapulpa	26
Tahlequah	17
Tecumseh	7
Tonkawa	11
Village	16
Vinita	9
Weatherford	16
Wewoka	11
Woodward	14
Yukon	10
OREGON	
Albany	33
Ashland	20
Astoria	24
Baker	15
Beaverton	32
Bend	24
Cannon Beach	2
Canyonville	3
Coos Bay	26
Coquille	11
Cottage Grove	15
Dallas	8
Florence	4
Forest Grove	14
Gladstone	8
Grants Pass	26
Hermiston	11
Hillsboro	25
Hood River	7
Joseph	2
Klamath Falls	30
Lake Oswego	25
Lakeview	5
Lebanon	18
McMinnville	15
Mill City	3
Milton-Freewater	11
Milwaukie	22
Monmouth	4
Myrtle Creek	6
Myrtle Point	8
Newberg	11
Newport	13
North Bend	16
Nyssa	6
Ontario	16
Oregon City	20
Prineville	12
Redmond	8
Roseburg	32
Saint Helens	13
Seaside	12
Silverton	7
Sutherlin	5
Sweet Home	11
The Dalles	24
Tigard	18
Tillamook	8
Toledo	9
Winston	9
Woodburn	14
PENNSYLVANIA	
Aliquippa	31
Ambler	10
Ambridge	17
Annville	4
Apollo	2
Arnold	12
Ashland	4
Aston Township	7
Avalon	12
Avoca	2
Baldwin Township	4
Bangor	5
Barnesboro	4
Beaver	11
Beaver Falls	25
Bedford	4
Bellefonte	10
Belle Vernon	1
Bellevue	19
Bentleyville	2
Berwick	13
Birdsboro	4
Boothwyn	6
Boyertown	5
Braddock	18
Bradford	26
Brentwood	24
Bristol	17
Brookhaven	6
Brownsville	12
Burnham-Derry Township	9
Butler	33
Butler Township	17
Caernarvon Township	1
California	6
Camp Hill	8
Canonsburg	19
Carbondale	14
Carlisle	25
Carnegie	15
Catasauqua	6
Center Township	9
Chambersburg	27
Churchill	9
Clairton	25
Clarion	8
Clearfield	13
Columbia	10
Conewago Township	1
Connellsville	19
Coplay	3
Coraopolis	18
Corry	11
Crafton	13
Cresson	7
Cressona	1
Cumru Township	8
Curwensville	2
Dallastown	3
Danville	7
Derry	2
Donora	14
Doylestown	13
Dravosburg	6
Du Bois	16
Dunmore	21
Dupont	1
Duquesne	22
East Conemaugh	2
East Lansdowne	4
East Norriton Township	11
East Pennsboro Township	9
East Stroudsburg	9
Easttown Township	13
East Whiteland Township	8
Edgewood	10
Edgeworth	9
Ellwood City	16
Emmaus	10
Emporium	3
Etna	12
Exeter Township	5
Fairview Township	4
Farrell	24
Ferndale	2
Fleetwood	3
Forest City	1
Forest Hills	12
Forty Fort	9
Franklin Township	11
Freeland	5
Freeport	7
Gallitzin	1
Gettysburg	10
Glassport	10
Greencastle	2

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City by State	Total police employees
PENNSYLVANIA—Con.	
Green Tree	9
Greenville	14
Grove City	12
Hamburg	4
Hanover	24
Hatboro	16
Hatfield Township	10
Heidelberg	2
Hellertown	8
Honesdale	7
Hopewell Township	9
Horsham Township	21
Hummelstown	4
Huntingdon	10
Indiana	19
Jefferson	21
Jenkintown	15
Jersey Shore	6
Jessup	3
Kennedy Township	12
Kennet Square	9
Kingston	20
Kulpmont	2
Lansdale	26
Lansford	4
Latrobe	22
Lawrence Park Township	4
Leetsdale	4
Lehighton	7
Lemoyne	5
Lewisburg	7
Lewistown	21
Liberty Boro	6
Ligonier	4
Littlestown	3
Lock Haven	18
Lower Allen Township	8
Lower Burrell	10
Lower Makefield Township	18
Lower Providence Township	12
Lower Saucon Township	2
Lower Southhampton	20
Loyalhanna Township	1
Lykens	1
Mahanoy City	8
Manheim	5
Mansfield	3
Marcus Hook	7
McAdoo	6
McCandless Township	24
McConnellsburg	3
McDonald	2
Meadville	24
Mechanicsburg	9
Millcreek Township	1
Millersville	4
Milton	9
Minersville	5
Monaca	9
Monessen	20
Montoursville	2
Morrisville	11
Mount Oliver	10
Mount Pleasant	12
Mount Union	5
Muhlenberg Township	13
Myerstown	2
Narberth	6
Nether Providence Township	13
New Brighton	10
New Cumberland	8
New Eagle	1
New Holland	2
Northampton Township	16
North Belle Vernon	1
North Braddock	15
North Catasauqua	2
North East	5
North Versailles Township	16
Oakmont	12
Oil City	26
Olyphant	6
Palmer Township	11
Palmyra	7
Parkesburg	5
Penbrook	3
Penn Township	7
Peters Township	12
Philipsburg	5
Pitcairn	5
Plains Township	10
Pleasant Hills	18
Port Allegany	3
Port Carbon	3
Port Vue	4
Pottsville	35
Prospect Park	5
Punxsutawney	13
Pymatuning Township	4
Quakertown	12
Reserve Township	4
Reynoldsville	4
Richland Township	7
Ridley Park	7
Roaring Spring	2
Robeson Township	1
Rochester	9
Rockledge	1
Rosslyn Farms Boro	2
Royersford	2
Saint Clair	6
Saint Marys	8
Salisbury Township	6
Scottdale	11
Selinsgrove	5
Sharon	38
Sharon Hill	11
Sharpsburg	7
Shenandoah	15
Shippenshurg	9
Slippery Rock	3
Somerset	10
South Fork	1
South Greensburg	2
South Lebanon Township	3
Southmont	2
South Williamsport	3
Speers Boro	1
Spring City	2
Springettsbury Township	18
Springfield Township	31
Spring Garden Township	17
Stowe Township	12
Sunbury	18
Swissvale	20
Tamaqua	9
Taylor	5
Titusville	13
Towanda	5
Trafford	4
Tredyffrin Township	33
Trevorton	1
Tyrone	9
Union City	8
Uniontown	35
Upper Dublin Township	24
Upper Gwynedd Township	13
Upper Merion Township	41
Upper Moreland Township	27
Upper Saucon Township	2
Upper Southampton Township	17
Upper Yoder Township	2
Vandergrift	8
Verona	6
Washington	34
Waynesburg	6
Wellsboro	4
West Chester	33
West Goshen Township	14
West Homestead	14
West Lampeter Township	2
Westmont	7
West Newton	2
West Norriton Township	9
West Reading	6
West View	8
Whitehall	18
Whitehall Township	20
Whitemarsh Township	25
Whitpain Township	11
Wilkins Township	11
Williamstown	2
Willistown Township	9
Wilson	6
Wyomissing	14
Yeadon	18
Youngwood	3
RHODE ISLAND	
Barrington	26
Bristol	25
Burrillville	9
Central Falls	36
Coventry	27
East Greenwich	18
Jamestown	8
Johnston	37
Lincoln	21
Narragansett	22
North Providence	34
North Smithfield	8
Portsmouth	16
Smithfield	17
South Kingstown	27
Tiverton	17
RHODE ISLAND Con.	
Warren	18
Westerly	28
West Warwick	39
SOUTH CAROLINA	
Bamberg	6
Barnwell	11
Bennettsville	16
Camden	23
Chester	15
Clemson	11
Conway	25
Darlington	22
Duncan	1
Greenwood	41
Greer	21
Lake City	16
Marion	16
Newberry	20
Orangeburg	36
Seneca	16
Sumter	43
Union	21
Williston	6
Winnsboro	13
SOUTH DAKOTA	
Belle Fourche	6
Brookings	20
Chamberlain	5
Flandreau	4
Hot Springs	8
Lead	8
Madison	13
Mitchell	19
Pierre	17
Spearfish	7
Vermillion	13
Webster	5
Yankton	22
TENNESSEE	
Alcoa	20
Bristol	30
Camden	10
Collegedale	3
Columbia	33
Crossville	8
Dayton	7
Gallatin	23
Greeneville	28
Henderson	6
Humboldt	22
Jefferson City	7
Lebanon	22
Lenoir City	12
Lexington	14
Maryville	21
McKenzie	6
McMinnville	22
Millington	18
Morristown	38
Paris	17
Pulaski	17
Red Bank	16
Savannah	14
Sevierville	8

Table 58.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities with Population under 25,000—Con.*

City by State	Total police employees
TENNESSEE—Con.	
Signal Mountain	18
South Fulton	3
Springfield	15
TEXAS	
Alamo	5
Alamo Heights	17
Alice	25
Alvin	15
Andrews	12
Angleton	13
Aransas Pass	13
Atlanta	5
Azle	10
Ballinger	7
Bellmead	8
Bellville	3
Belton	10
Bonham	14
Borger	23
Bowie	9
Brady	7
Brownfield	22
Brownwood	24
Burkburnett	15
Cameron	5
Canadian	5
Carrollton	25
Carthage	10
Castle Hills	8
Cisco	12
Cleburne	24
Clute	10
Cockrell Hill	9
College Station	17
Colorado city	10
Comanche	5
Commerce	13
Crockett	9
Cuero	6
Deer Park	20
Denison	34
Denver city	7
DeSoto	16
Diboll	6
Dimmitt	3
Donna	9
Dumas	16
Duncanville	18
Eagle Lake	5
Eagle Pass	21
Eastland	5
Edinburg	21
Euless	26
Forest Hill	13
Fort Stockton	14
Gainesville	29
Gilmer	6
Graham	14
Grapevine	15
Greenville	31
Groves	10
Hamlin	9
Henderson	18
Hereford	19
Highland Park	29
Hillsboro	11
Huntsville	13
Ingleside	7

City by State	Total police employees
TEXAS—Con.	
Iowa Park	9
Jacinto	10
Jefferson	3
Keller	8
Kenedy	4
Kennedale	7
Kermit	15
Kilgore	23
Lake Jackson	13
Lake Worth	11
Lamesa	20
Lancaster	15
La Porte	17
League City	17
Lewisville	17
Littlefield	10
Lockhart	7
Lufkin	29
Marshall	40
McGregor	5
McKinney	30
Mercedes	9
Mexia	11
Mineola	5
Mission	14
Mount Pleasant	15
Nacogdoches	35
North Richland Hills	21
Olmos Park	6
Olney	5
Orange	36
Palestine	28
Pampa	28
Paris	37
Pecos	13
Plainview	28
Plano	31
Port Aransas	3
Port Isabel	7
Portland	10
Port Lavaca	18
Raymondville	9
Richland Hills	15
Richmond	6
Robstown	28
Rosenberg	20
Rusk	4
San Benito	17
San Marcos	26
Seguin	24
Seminole	8
Sinton	9
Slaton	12
Stamford	6
Stephenville	15
Sweetwater	20
Taft	3
Taylor	12
Tulia	5
University of Texas, Austin	106
University of Texas, Galveston	40
University of Texas, San Antonio	9
Uvalde	15
Waxahachie	20
Weatherford	20
Winters	3

City by State	Total police employees
UTAH	
American Fork	7
Helper	4
Layton	11
Midvale	8
Pleasant Grove	6
Richfield	6
Roy	12
Saint George	7
Sandy	6
South Ogden	9
Spanish Fork	8
Sunset	5
Tooele	15
Vernal	6
VERMONT	
Bellows Falls	8
Brattleboro	25
Colchester	6
Essex Junction	12
Hartford	14
Middlebury	5
Montpelier	13
Newport	11
Northfield	2
Proctor	1
Randolph	2
Saint Albans	14
Saint Johnsbury	12
Windsor	8
Winooski	10
Woodstock	4
VIRGINIA	
Abingdon	12
Bedford	20
Big Stone Gap	6
Blacksburg	21
Bluefield	11
Bristol	28
Buena Vista	17
Cape Charles	3
Chase City	10
Christiansburg	13
Clifton Forge	13
Covington	16
Culpeper	15
Dublin	6
Emporia	17
Fairfax	47
Falls Church	31
Franklin	17
Fredericksburg	38
Harrisonburg	30
Hopewell	35
Lexington	20
Luray	7
Manassas	12
Manassas Park	8
Marion	14
Martinsville	42
Norton	12
Orange	6
Pulaski	21
Radford	18
Saltville	8
South Boston	16

City by State	Total police employees
VIRGINIA—Con.	
Staunton	48
Suffolk	33
Vienna	23
Vinton	9
Warrenton	13
Waynesboro	37
Williamsburg	24
Winchester	36
Wise	5
Wytheville	13
WASHINGTON	
Anacortes	14
Auburn	44
Blaine	5
Bothell	12
Burlington	5
Camas	12
Clarkston	11
Clyde Hill Town	5
College Place	6
Colville	6
Des Moines	12
Edmonds	31
Ellensburg	23
Enumclaw	11
Ephrata	11
Fircrest	3
Goldendale	4
Grand Coulee	2
Grandview	9
Hoquiam	16
Issaquah	10
Kelso	21
Kennewick	27
Kent	29
Kirkland	27
Lacey	14
Marysville	12
Mercer Island	31
Moses Lake	17
Mount Vernon	14
Oak Harbor	10
Ocean Shores	9
Orting	2
Othello	8
Pasco	32
Port Angeles	25
Port Orchard	12
Port Townsend	7
Puyallup	27
Raymond	8
Redmond	20
Sedro Woolley	6
Selah	4
Shelton	14
Snohomish	6
Sumner	8
Toppenish	14
Walla Walla	46
Wapato	9
Washougal	5
Wenatchee	37
WEST VIRGINIA	
Beckley	35
Bluefield	26
Bridgeport	4

Table 58.—*Number of Full-Time Police Department Employees, December 31, 1970, Cities with Population under 25,000*—Con.

City by State	Total police employees
WEST VIRGINIA—Con.	
Clarksburg	47
Grafton	7
Mc Mechen	2
Philippi	4
Point Pleasant	7
Ravenswood	9
Ripley	4
Saint Albans	18
Summersville	7
Williamstown	1
WISCONSIN	
Algoma	5
Antigo	15
Ashland	15
Baraboo	19
Bayside	16
Beaver Dam	25
Berlin	10
Black River Falls	7
Brown Deer	23
Burlington	21
Cedarburg	12
Chilton	4
Chippewa Falls	25
Clintonville	10
Columbus	5
Cornell	3
Cudahy	36
De Forest	2
Delavan	11
De Pere	16
WISCONSIN—Con.	
Dodgeville	5
Elkhorn	7
Elm Grove	18
Evansville	8
Fort Atkinson	16
Fox Point	21
Franklin	18
Germantown	16
Glendale	33
Grafton	11
Greendale	18
Greenfield	25
Hales Corners	11
Hartford	12
Horicon	5
Hudson	8
Hurley	7
Jefferson	11
Kaukauna	18
Kewaunee	5
Kiel	5
Kimberly	6
Lake Geneva	16
Lake Mills	4
Lancaster	5
Little Chute	6
Marinette	20
Marshfield	36
Mayville	6
Menomonie	24
Merrill	17
Middleton	11
Monona	13
WISCONSIN—Con.	
Monroe	21
Muskego	18
Neenah	41
Neillsville	4
Nekoosa	6
New Holstein	6
New Richmond	5
Oak Creek	34
Oconomowoc	17
Oconto	6
Onalaska	3
Park Falls	5
Peshtigo	4
Platteville	17
Plymouth	10
Portage	16
Port Washington	13
Prairie du Chien	10
Reedsburg	13
Rhinelander	17
Rice Lake	14
Richland Center	10
Ripon	15
River Falls	8
Rothschild	4
Saint Francis	13
Schofield	4
Shawano	12
Sheboygan Falls	8
Shorewood	28
South Milwaukee	32
Sparta	11
Spooner	5
WISCONSIN—Con.	
Stevens Point	33
Stoughton	12
Sturgeon Bay	11
Sun Prairie	12
Tomah	11
Tomahawk	8
Two Rivers	25
Viroqua	8
Waterford	3
Watertown	25
Waupaca	9
Waupun	12
West Bend	30
West Milwaukee	26
Whitefish Bay	30
Whitewater	20
Wisconsin Dells	12
Wisconsin Rapids	41
WYOMING	
Buffalo	7
Lander	15
Laramie	31
Newcastle	10
Powell	12
Rawlins	13
Riverton	17
Rock Springs	18
Sheridan	23
Thermopolis	10
Torrington	13
Worland	14

Table 59.—*Number of Full-Time Employees, December 31, 1970, Suburban Counties*

Suburban county by State	Total employees
ALABAMA	
Limestone	12
Mobile	118
ARIZONA	
Maricopa	421
Pima	256
ARKANSAS	
Jefferson	19
Miller	10
Pulaski	75
CALIFORNIA	
Alameda	607
Contra Costa	350
Fresno	299
Kern	343
Los Angeles	6,434
Monterey	191
Sacramento	607
San Bernardino	543
San Diego	688
CALIFORNIA—Con.	
San Joaquin	292
San Mateo	340
Santa Clara	554
Solano	93
Sonoma	144
Stanislaus	129
Ventura	469
Yolo	93
COLORADO	
Adams	99
Arapahoe	79
El Paso	70
Jefferson	129
Pueblo	28
FLORIDA	
Alachua	102
Broward	316
Dade	1,347
Orange	241
Pinellas	219
FLORIDA—Con.	
Santa Rosa	17
Seminole	55
GEORGIA	
Bibb	54
Chatham	52
Clayton	57
Muscogee	34
Richmond	119
HAWAII	
Honolulu	246
IDAHO	
Ada	45
ILLINOIS	
Cook	398
Du Page	161
Lake	120
McHenry	39
McLean	28
Peoria	71
Rock Island	55
ILLINOIS—Con.	
Sangamon	45
Tazewell	32
Winnebago	121
Woodford	6
INDIANA	
Allen	76
Boone	6
Hancock	10
Lake	105
Marshall	7
Saint Joseph	86
Vanderburgh	59
Warrick	10
IOWA	
Black Hawk	35
Dubuque	20
Linn	35
Polk	72
Pottawattamie	18
Woodbury	15

Table 59.—Number of Full-Time Employees, December 31, 1970, Suburban Counties—Con.

Suburban county by State	Total employees
KANSAS	
Butler	10
Johnson	73
Sedgwick	84
Shawnee	45
Wyandotte	52
KENTUCKY	
Boone	9
Boyd	6
Campbell	15
Daviess	9
Fayette	44
Henderson	7
Jefferson	354
Kenton	21
LOUISIANA	
Calcasieu	125
East Baton Rouge	283
Jefferson	560
Ouachita	68
Saint Tammany	70
MAINE	
Androscoggin	14
Cumberland	29
MARYLAND	
Baltimore	1,065
Harford	41
Howard	78
Montgomery	708
Prince Georges	747
MICHIGAN	
Bay	34
Clinton	15
Eaton	41
Genesee	102
Ingham	124
Jackson	44
Kalamazoo	77
Kent	138
Lapeer	16
Macomb	137
Oakland	178
Saginaw	53
Washtenaw	105
Wayne	132
MINNESOTA	
Anoka	36
Clay	13
Dakota	33
Hennepin	257
Olmsted	29
Saint Louis	62
Washington	30
MISSOURI	
Cass	7
Clay	37
Jackson	172
Jefferson	36
Platte	17
Saint Charles	38
Saint Louis	540
MONTANA	
Cascade	27
NEBRASKA	
Douglas	89
Lancaster	35
NEVADA	
Clark	381
NEW JERSEY	
Atlantic	91
Bergen	123
Camden	124
Cumberland	49
Essex	90
Gloucester	47
Hudson	131
Morris	40
Passaic	73
Salem	26
Union	137
Warren	4
NEW YORK	
Broome	77
Herkimer	17
Livingston	29
Madison	17
Monroe	186
Nassau	4,394
Niagara	98
Onondaga	284
Rensselaer	39
Rockland	22
Schenectady	26
Suffolk	2,486
Tioga	23
Wayne	33
NORTH CAROLINA	
Cumberland	89
Durham	29
Forsyth	74
Guilford	110
Mecklenburg	91
Orange	21
NORTH CAROLINA—Con.	
Union	12
Wake	47
NORTH DAKOTA	
Cass	14
OHIO	
Belmont	15
Delaware	15
Franklin	130
Geauga	27
Greene	44
Hamilton	200
Lake	30
Lorain	29
Lucas	78
Mahoning	50
Medina	26
Miami	22
Montgomery	117
Portage	35
Putnam	9
OKLAHOMA	
Canadian	11
Cleveland	15
Comanche	17
Osage	13
Tulsa	82
OREGON	
Clackamas	56
Lane	96
Marion	68
Multnomah	298
Polk	25
Washington	69
PENNSYLVANIA	
Allegheny	54
SOUTH CAROLINA	
Aiken	38
Berkeley	10
Charleston	143
Lexington	20
SOUTH DAKOTA	
Minnehaha	17
TENNESSEE	
Anderson	16
Knox	100
Shelby	336
TEXAS	
Archer	4
Cameron	44
Ector	30
El Paso	94
Fort Bend	18
Grayson	21
Hidalgo	42
Jefferson	77
Johnson	9
Lubbock	46
McLennan	28
Nueces	72
Potter	41
Randall	13
Taylor	18
Travis	79
Wichita	28
UTAH	
Davis	27
Salt Lake	286
Utah	22
Weber	47
VIRGINIA	
Amherst	14
Campbell	22
Chesterfield	66
Fairfax	464
Hanover	29
Henrico	163
Prince George	23
Prince William	61
WASHINGTON	
Clark	72
King	442
Pierce	143
Snohomish	92
Spokane	125
WISCONSIN	
Brown	100
Calumet	12
Dane	85
Kenosha	76
Milwaukee	369
Outagamie	44
Ozaukee	27
Racine	78
Washington	44
Waukesha	126
Winnebago	43
OTHER AREAS	
Canal Zone	342
Guam	178

Table 60.—*Number of Offenses Known to the Police, 1970, Cities and Towns 25,000 and Over in Population*

City	Total Crime Index	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Cities over 250,000 in population										
Akron, Ohio	13,252	25	15	106	716	463	4,080	4,773	4,593	3,089
Atlanta, Ga	27,378	242	67	202	2,126	1,304	11,529	7,251	12,714	4,724
Austin, Tex	6,794	22	23	76	215	931	3,515	952	8,472	1,083
Baltimore, Md	62,150	231	79	555	10,965	7,159	19,041	13,866	19,452	10,333
Birmingham, Ala	13,362	63	27	86	328	1,509	4,365	4,267	4,248	2,744
Boston, Mass	38,294	114	30	303	3,371	1,627	10,002	7,543	4,914	15,334
Buffalo, N.Y	18,284	57	3	151	1,497	896	5,959	5,405	5,679	4,319
Chicago, Ill	128,017	810	286	1,405	23,198	11,667	35,190	16,479	85,606	39,268
Cincinnati, Ohio	17,395	59	35	170	1,236	790	6,395	6,118	8,399	2,627
Cleveland, Ohio	44,564	271	42	307	5,475	1,909	10,765	6,234	12,312	19,603
Columbus, Ohio	25,784	47	32	263	1,682	922	9,095	8,558	9,146	5,217
Dallas, Tex	50,391	242	127	552	2,964	4,399	19,510	15,069	23,996	7,655
Denver, Colo	37,835	74	35	474	1,980	1,685	15,111	10,569	11,027	7,942
Detroit, Mich	127,630	495	22	819	23,038	4,881	50,868	26,665	30,056	20,864
El Paso, Tex	9,333	13	30	43	310	413	4,827	2,146	9,204	1,581
Fort Worth, Tex	15,652	105	9	72	1,016	589	7,301	3,126	12,322	3,443
Honolulu, Hawaii	16,056	15	3	55	368	170	6,875	5,463	7,746	3,110
Houston, Tex	59,883	289	67	411	6,405	2,746	25,626	10,833	18,174	13,573
Indianapolis, Ind	25,277	60	28	253	2,073	1,205	10,309	6,063	12,311	5,314
Jacksonville, Fla	25,223	95	1	296	1,507	2,211	11,568	6,602	9,592	2,944
Jersey City, N.J	7,690	36	10	45	866	357	1,815	417	1,012	4,154
Kansas City, Mo	28,995	120	55	401	2,982	1,921	11,265	6,736	9,020	5,570
Long Beach, Calif	15,695	29	6	134	1,194	572	6,471	4,118	7,762	3,177
Los Angeles, Calif	175,719	395	182	1,988	12,695	14,826	67,993	43,876	50,700	33,946
Louisville, Ky	19,420	89	62	78	1,332	718	5,399	6,024	3,994	5,780
Memphis, Tenn	21,614	91	29	189	998	1,401	8,889	7,300	5,293	2,746
Miami, Fla	23,903	91	33	90	2,867	2,864	8,436	6,281	6,841	3,274
Milwaukee, Wis	20,188	50	37	93	649	720	4,303	9,355	9,048	5,018
Minneapolis, Minn	23,420	28	9	160	1,818	760	9,723	5,731	8,924	5,200
Nashville, Tenn	17,703	64	40	107	1,015	1,814	6,934	4,394	3,115	3,375
Newark, N.J	31,781	143	29	253	4,666	2,170	11,375	6,105	5,875	7,069
New Orleans, La	35,371	100	47	324	3,632	2,270	11,086	9,829	8,592	8,130
New York, N.Y	517,716	1,117	84	2,141	74,102	31,255	181,694	132,572	60,433	94,835
Norfolk, Va	13,402	38	20	85	857	1,149	4,351	5,371	5,163	1,551
Oakland, Calif	28,712	69	37	212	2,497	1,088	13,787	6,066	14,160	4,993
Oklahoma City, Okla	11,386	32	27	122	548	647	5,656	1,843	8,442	2,538
Omaha, Nebr	11,962	33	11	71	753	1,137	3,739	2,889	6,377	3,340
Philadelphia, Pa	45,734	352	129	452	6,377	3,947	15,163	5,263	18,159	14,180
Phoenix, Ariz	29,483	63	54	206	1,395	1,891	14,097	7,172	21,467	4,659
Pittsburgh, Pa	28,396	63	41	246	2,690	1,646	8,432	6,571	4,347	8,748
Portland, Oreg	23,275	36	20	128	1,634	858	9,476	7,819	8,814	3,324
Rochester, N.Y	12,442	20	15	38	509	708	4,564	4,915	7,696	1,688
Sacramento, Calif	11,708	19	11	68	583	432	4,518	3,933	8,638	2,155
Saint Louis, Mo	45,915	266	43	546	5,296	3,239	19,011	4,532	25,479	13,025
Saint Paul, Minn	15,050	14	12	65	1,160	562	5,927	3,929	4,565	3,393
San Antonio, Tex	27,221	73	97	202	1,062	1,912	11,660	7,353	14,962	4,959
San Diego, Calif	23,232	32	63	135	839	981	6,902	10,613	16,021	3,730
San Francisco, Calif	57,136	111	46	572	5,881	3,020	18,844	14,515	16,423	14,193
San Jose, Calif	14,492	12	28	168	544	737	6,830	2,630	17,517	3,571
Seattle, Wash	31,176	42	9	184	1,984	954	14,770	8,942	13,189	4,300
Tampa, Fla	13,986	52	25	62	812	999	6,216	4,404	7,614	1,441
Toledo, Ohio	13,407	30	13	94	1,003	379	5,742	4,482	9,234	1,677
Tucson, Ariz	8,529	53	12	72	347	387	3,782	2,175	8,644	1,713
Tulsa, Okla	12,667	31	12	74	384	546	4,682	4,781	4,226	2,189
Washington, D.C	59,311	221	7	313	11,816	4,089	22,348	9,414	23,224	11,110
Wichita, Kans	11,097	18	9	51	484	417	4,444	4,011	9,876	1,672

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		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Cities 100,000 to 250,000 in population										
Albany, N.Y.	3,358	6		10	191	88	1,529	530	434	1,004
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	13,363	19	20	95	433	893	5,235	4,856	6,446	1,832
Alexandria, Va.	5,356	14	6	31	518	371	1,663	1,936	3,307	823
Allentown, Pa.	2,667	1	9	12	52	148	841	1,324	1,363	289
Amarillo, Tex.	3,991	13	6	16	97	156	1,697	1,561	2,149	451
Anaheim, Calif.	7,225	3	11	37	248	139	3,390	2,559	4,388	849
Arlington, Va.	5,365	8	13	33	211	86	1,493	2,473	2,346	1,061
Baton Rouge, La.	8,377	15	16	58	316	664	3,783	2,324	4,173	1,217
Beaumont, Tex.	3,460	18	3	15	168	537	1,751	644	3,363	317
Berkeley, Calif.	6,442	12	2	116	369	235	3,846	787	5,919	1,077
Bridgeport, Conn.	9,922	27	5	21	502	234	2,993	3,341	2,028	2,804
Cambridge, Mass.	7,663	1	5	41	256	276	2,181	1,448	1,186	3,360
Camden, N.J.	7,004	27		41	684	266	2,726	1,046	1,767	2,214
Canton, Ohio	3,418	5	6	21	287	130	861	1,870	1,745	544
Cedar Rapids, Iowa	1,537	3	6	6	18	22	572	606	2,662	310
Charlotte, N.C.	12,982	79	26	66	488	1,417	6,430	4,135	4,250	1,367
Chattanooga, Tenn.	5,132	26	17	26	431	171	2,756	482	1,364	1,240
Colorado Springs, Colo.	5,390	9	10	45	285	211	1,925	2,286	2,875	629
Columbia, S.C.	5,209	18	5	18	233	338	2,406	1,342	2,952	854
Columbus, Ga.	2,673	17	15	11	103	95	1,056	676	766	718
Corpus Christi, Tex.	9,706	32		55	346	947	3,905	3,328	3,211	1,093
Dayton, Ohio	16,097	57	8	95	1,752	972	6,813	4,138	7,614	2,270
Dearborn, Mich.	3,518	4	8	14	152	60	1,075	1,545	3,493	668
Des Moines, Iowa	6,753	11	19	35	340	87	1,963	3,157	4,067	1,160
Duluth, Minn.	2,072	1	5	9	42	22	755	809	1,669	434
Elizabeth, N.J.	4,727	2	8	32	279	314	1,764	930	2,115	1,406
Erie, Pa.	2,524	3		30	186	144	949	749	2,282	463
Evansville, Ind.	5,808	12	6	58	211	365	1,922	2,629	1,933	701
Flint, Mich.	10,513	25	9	63	584	1,288	4,115	3,346	5,358	1,092
Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	8,533	16	14	41	402	280	3,315	3,176	4,312	1,303
Fort Wayne, Ind.	6,898	9	7	42	263	96	2,080	3,624	4,769	784
Fremont, Calif.	2,666	4	3	11	42	97	1,525	740	3,382	247
Fresno, Calif.	8,854	23	9	29	287	185	3,346	3,004	5,996	1,980
Garden Grove, Calif.	5,053	3	3	32	159	108	1,931	2,283	2,259	537
Gary, Ind.	11,472	52	20	103	929	467	3,412	2,285	1,954	4,224
Glendale, Calif.	3,981	4	7	22	114	101	1,696	1,274	2,236	770
Grand Rapids, Mich.	7,422	14	9	103	376	471	3,737	1,964	3,528	757
Greensboro, N.C.	5,623	18	20	24	200	974	1,906	1,979	2,585	522
Hammond, Ind.	4,437	9	7	25	223	221	934	1,602	1,601	1,423
Hampton, Va.	2,540	6		27	94	99	994	1,107	1,812	213
Hartford, Conn.	9,305	25		28	553	630	2,885	2,602	5,328	2,882
Hialeah, Fla.	4,293	5	10	9	173	169	1,407	1,941	1,250	589
Hollywood, Fla.	5,013	10	9	18	198	176	2,039	1,697	3,499	875
Huntington Beach, Calif.	4,073	7	7	28	58	106	1,623	1,845	2,909	406
Huntsville, Ala.	5,457	4		32	132	248	2,218	2,241	2,584	582
Independence, Mo.	1,950	3	2	15	45	170	801	692	1,140	224
Jackson, Miss.	3,635	29	4	13	87	138	1,750	1,162	3,000	456
Kansas City, Kans.	7,850	18	20	104	576	485	3,797	965	4,611	1,905
Knoxville, Tenn.	5,659	19	21	22	194	467	2,347	1,360	1,603	1,250
Lansing, Mich.	7,968	7		29	247	296	3,512	3,217	4,093	660
Las Vegas, Nev.	4,331	17	7	20	311	138	1,971	947	1,900	927
Lexington, Ky.	5,037	13	7	27	137	205	1,857	2,233	1,816	565
Lincoln, Nebr.	2,846	1	9	19	45	256	718	1,515	3,203	292
Little Rock, Ark.	7,507	38	13	79	300	702	2,950	2,973	3,612	465
Livonia, Mich.	3,219	5	5	19	45	112	1,640	1,074	1,120	324

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Cities 100,000 to 250,000 in population—Continued										
Lubbock, Tex.	5,537	13	18	42	118	371	2,254	2,159	2,665	380
Macon, Ga.	5,806	21	12	28	210	227	2,454	1,887	1,361	979
Madison, Wis.	4,620	3	...	29	86	28	1,723	2,297	3,670	454
Mobile, Ala.	9,187	26	13	77	365	473	5,282	1,734	1,708	1,230
Montgomery, Ala.	4,178	26	5	15	198	80	1,564	1,809	2,316	486
New Bedford, Mass.	4,657	3	8	14	106	187	2,168	1,057	1,214	1,122
New Haven, Conn.	8,473	10	3	42	164	341	3,783	1,910	3,336	2,223
Newport News, Va.	4,386	14	5	37	165	317	1,841	1,618	2,539	394
Parma, Ohio	1,680	2	2	3	36	76	455	709	932	399
Pasadena, Calif.	7,111	9	9	106	459	415	3,199	1,839	4,072	1,084
Paterson, N.J.	6,907	20	...	18	652	296	2,705	683	1,341	2,533
Peoria, Ill.	5,902	15	...	42	424	717	2,323	1,644	2,723	737
Portsmouth, Va.	4,120	11	4	14	357	218	1,702	1,248	1,591	570
Providence, R.I.	11,091	16	3	13	524	416	3,926	1,256	4,913	4,940
Raleigh, N.C.	4,390	10	...	19	125	518	1,135	2,304	1,710	279
Richmond, Va.	15,007	65	18	94	921	596	6,658	4,340	5,068	2,433
Riverside, Calif.	8,103	6	8	48	237	390	4,069	2,529	4,013	824
Rockford, Ill.	4,167	9	3	16	176	194	1,473	1,711	3,533	588
Saint Petersburg, Fla.	7,886	20	12	51	632	667	4,003	2,009	5,208	504
Salt Lake City, Utah	10,361	9	23	52	358	265	4,169	3,927	5,585	1,581
San Bernardino, Calif.	6,447	9	12	20	270	239	2,569	2,285	2,364	1,055
Santa Ana, Calif.	5,619	7	7	52	225	260	3,293	976	4,658	806
Savannah, Ga.	5,369	29	...	48	310	248	2,022	2,158	1,986	554
Scranton, Pa.	1,745	5	1	6	25	129	604	595	602	381
Shreveport, La.	4,667	34	...	13	142	659	2,007	1,110	4,375	702
South Bend, Ind.	5,806	9	3	17	430	134	2,195	1,847	3,343	874
Spokane, Wash.	5,560	4	4	30	181	110	2,432	2,143	4,249	660
Springfield, Mass.	7,834	12	16	17	70	272	3,117	1,402	2,985	2,944
Springfield, Mo.	3,668	4	13	4	74	50	1,732	1,544	3,073	260
Stamford, Conn.	3,565	6	5	15	138	71	2,206	426	362	703
Stockton, Calif.	6,147	9	4	17	411	213	2,461	1,806	4,079	1,230
Syracuse, N.Y.	6,480	12	1	36	444	212	2,671	2,566	4,743	539
Tacoma, Wash.	6,096	14	16	38	221	343	2,611	1,903	2,865	966
Topeka, Kans.	4,701	3	4	29	188	306	1,582	2,210	2,753	383
Torrance, Calif.	5,305	3	2	22	129	99	1,992	2,245	2,197	815
Trenton, N.J.	7,424	27	3	38	657	239	3,333	1,785	1,562	1,345
Virginia Beach, Va.	4,418	11	...	24	47	191	946	2,902	3,158	297
Warren, Mich.	5,257	3	5	23	201	231	1,670	2,356	2,362	773
Waterbury, Conn.	3,336	5	2	5	125	111	1,390	890	692	810
Winston-Salem, N.C.	5,261	26	20	35	204	863	2,012	1,722	2,030	399
Worcester, Mass.	11,396	7	11	16	369	131	4,612	2,250	2,084	4,011
Yonkers, N.Y.	6,477	6	...	4	364	148	2,089	2,314	2,717	1,552
Youngstown, Ohio	5,900	25	11	31	440	223	2,675	935	4,085	1,671
Cities 50,000 to 100,000 in population										
Abilene, Tex.	1,748	10	6	11	35	30	768	749	1,597	145
Abington Township, Pa.	1,067	1	3	3	25	31	419	415	393	173
Alameda, Calif.	1,271	3	5	11	58	38	620	258	2,221	283
Albany, Ga.	901	6	...	21	56	76	514	93	61	135
Alhambra, Calif.	2,128	2	...	17	75	73	861	781	781	319
Altoona, Pa.	831	4	2	4	13	37	431	203	143	139
Amherst, N.Y.	1,456	...	...	2	20	15	567	661	429	191
Anderson, Ind.	988	3	2	15	37	69	496	225	155	143
Ann Arbor, Mich.	5,763	1	1	20	213	159	2,734	2,248	3,400	388
Appleton, Wis.	658	...	...	...	8	6	318	259	1,365	67

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Cities 50,000 to 100,000 in population—Continued										
Arlington, Mass	569		1	3	14	27	276	103	36	146
Arlington, Tex	3,232	4	10	13	35	83	739	1,934	1,898	424
Arlington Heights, Ill	833		1		6	17	343	399	1,098	68
Asheville, N.C	1,812	14	1	4	40	75	587	770	667	322
Augusta, Ga	1,258	35	5	3	95	248	414	121	163	342
Aurora, Colo	2,729	1	2	16	54	180	950	1,205	1,191	323
Aurora, Ill	1,678	9	2	7	74	171	407	796	973	214
Bakersfield, Calif	3,547	11	2	11	151	98	1,318	1,387	3,235	571
Bayonne, N.J	975	2	2	2	27	13	349	270	183	312
Bellevue, Wash	1,798	1		12	16	82	804	776	1,072	107
Berwyn, Ill	771	1	2	2	22	11	276	235	240	224
Bethlehem, Pa	1,278	4	7	6	34	68	441	558	723	167
Billings, Mont	2,072	3	2	4	44	30	677	1,034	1,753	280
Binghamton, N.Y	1,369	2	2	8	30	82	649	450	1,003	148
Bloomfield, N.J	999	1		2	24	4	411	421	403	136
Bloomington, Minn	1,792			2	16	42	372	1,139	1,452	222
Boise, Idaho	1,958	6		14	33	105	592	969	2,033	239
Boulder, Colo	3,209	2	4	10	41	264	565	1,996	2,697	331
Bristol, Conn	853	2	4	17	3	73	314	379	302	65
Bristol Township, Pa	1,840	1		5	34	66	691	720	897	333
Brockton, Mass	2,116	2	1	19	41	124	789	640	391	500
Brookline, Mass	3,659	1	6	21	59	31	1,161	1,334	610	962
Brownsville, Tex	1,671	3	3		2	31	962	459	1,386	214
Buena Park, Calif	1,727	1	1	1	54	45	812	539	1,404	275
Burbank, Calif	2,454	3		5	86	100	1,075	654	1,878	531
Champaign, Ill	1,898	2	2	24	119	253	853	477	1,179	170
Charleston, S.C	3,422	9		37	176	273	1,349	1,260	1,919	318
Charleston, W. Va	2,818	6	5	11	163	184	892	1,210	1,326	352
Cheektowaga, N.Y	1,237	1	9	1	16	20	406	519	1,134	274
Cherry Hill, N.J	2,227	1		10	24	11	819	850	411	512
Chesapeake, Va	2,064	9	4	24	71	177	935	604	1,329	244
Chester, Pa	3,416	14	7	29	379	420	1,039	408	594	1,127
Chicopee, Mass	1,218	1			11	38	398	404	126	366
Chula Vista, Calif	1,863	2		14	40	60	796	720	1,782	231
Cicero, Ill	1,041	3		5	90	47	202	234	230	460
Clarkstown, N.Y	846	1	3	2	25	9	293	440	469	76
Clearwater, Fla	1,813	4	2	10	49	94	747	751	1,442	168
Cleveland Heights, Ohio	1,286		8	15	38	48	338	447	706	400
Clifton, N.J	1,200		1	1	34	19	392	303	709	361
Colonie Town, N.Y	999			1	6	3	294	570	488	125
Columbia, Mo	1,243	4	2	15	31	74	407	618	981	94
Compton, Calif	10,092	22		118	660	791	3,329	1,459	3,087	3,713
Concord, Calif	3,527	1	9	9	52	50	1,408	1,633	2,561	374
Costa Mesa, Calif	3,057	5	1	18	66	71	1,327	1,288	1,815	282
Council Bluffs, Iowa	2,382	2	9	11	44	58	702	1,161	1,211	404
Covington, Ky	2,289	5	3	7	129	104	842	686	1,324	516
Cranston, R.I	1,488	3	2	2	21	45	550	580	963	287
Daly City, Calif	2,185	2	1	14	104	51	847	669	1,135	498
Danbury, Conn	907		1	2	9	17	285	428	479	166
Davenport, Iowa	2,725	5	4	18	143	116	1,119	780	3,198	544
Dearborn Heights, Mich	2,039		3	10	102	112	832	766	1,551	217
Decatur, Ill	2,376	3		3	130	198	1,004	790	2,021	248
Des Plaines, Ill	1,167	1		2	18	31	404	562	717	149
Downey, Calif	3,305	1	1	9	121	69	1,155	1,443	1,493	507
Dubuque, Iowa	1,262			1	14	17	382	619	1,071	229

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Cities 50,000 to 100,000 in population—Continued										
Durham, N.C.	3,846	15	11	18	135	385	1,459	1,141	1,514	393
East Hartford, Conn.	961		1	3	9	35	367	424	409	123
East Orange, N.J.	3,449	5	8	25	371	227	1,270	949	1,251	602
East Saint Louis, Ill.	4,470	36	1	80	460	289	1,631	634	527	1,340
Edison, N.J.	1,556	1	5	7	39	15	540	675	416	279
El Cajon, Calif.	1,362	1		20	24	29	502	615	1,001	171
Elgin, Ill.	1,270	1	1	12	64	114	311	649	944	119
Elmhurst, Ill.	814		2	2	9	32	273	402	664	96
El Monte, Calif.	2,178	8	1	31	99	145	772	427	684	696
Elyria, Ohio	1,028	1	3	8	47	42	422	218	550	290
Euclid, Ohio	665		4	2	11	8	164	53	868	427
Eugene, Oreg.	3,398	5	1	14	52	44	1,030	2,002	2,717	251
Evanston, Ill.	1,991	5	2	17	111	113	842	450	3,010	453
Everett, Wash.	2,244	1		9	34	75	673	1,153	1,591	299
Fairfield, Conn.	1,521		3		14	9	562	624	487	312
Fall River, Mass.	4,570	2	1	8	80	68	1,927	965	639	1,520
Fargo, N. Dak.	846		2	5	9	11	176	551	1,141	94
Fayetteville, N.C.	2,527	8		13	96	687	679	806	565	238
Florissant, Mo.	806	1		1	13	21	279	387	951	104
Fort Smith, Ark.	1,188		4	10	22	63	451	480	826	162
Framingham, Mass.	1,408		5	3	14	30	456	645	492	260
Fullerton, Calif.	2,832	3	2	10	90	65	640	1,696	2,213	328
Gadsden, Ala.	1,308	5		5	22	72	649	378	454	177
Gainesville, Fla.	3,360	10	4	8	119	295	1,298	1,366	2,113	264
Galveston, Tex.	3,867	15	3	21	247	315	1,494	1,478	1,243	297
Garland, Tex.	1,875	2	1	8	26	162	639	856	1,153	182
Grand Prairie, Tex.	1,700	6	4	7	33	83	678	681	925	212
Great Falls, Mont.	1,573		2	11	40	58	620	529	1,413	315
Greece, N.Y.	837			3	2	23	239	509	678	61
Green Bay, Wis.	1,196				8	5	537	490	569	156
Greenville, S.C.	3,937	23	9	25	238	243	1,415	1,359	882	634
Greenwich, Conn.	630		2	1	12	12	255	250	318	100
Hamilton, N.J.	1,785	2	5	3	36	6	785	633	836	320
Hamilton, Ohio	2,067	5	5	9	71	251	500	1,042	1,536	189
Harrisburg, Pa.	2,778	8		16	273	252	1,212	567	921	450
Haverford Township, Pa.	490	1			3	10	101	290	219	85
Hawthorne, Calif.	2,193	1	2	7	96	54	735	829	574	471
Hayward, Calif.	5,028		1	18	140	166	1,664	2,284	3,323	756
High Point, N.C.	1,891	10	10	7	34	49	772	880	924	139
Holyoke, Mass.	2,403	3	3	6	44	37	1,086	595	559	632
Huntington, W. Va.	2,735	3	2	16	121	229	964	1,149	2,029	253
Inglewood, Calif.	5,158	4		19	461	120	1,622	1,681	1,526	1,251
Irondequoit, N.Y.	871			7	9	18	189	582	1,027	66
Irving, Tex.	2,413	8	7	15	40	190	799	1,045	1,514	316
Irvington, N.J.	1,785	2	3	3	114	38	738	491	908	399
Joliet, Ill.	2,588	7	1	24	157	143	808	1,084	1,208	365
Kalamazoo, Mich.	4,349	5	4	17	188	618	1,558	1,645	3,486	318
Kenosha, Wis.	1,722	2		3	97	47	647	664	1,895	362
Kettering, Ohio	1,118		1	6	38	35	515	385	1,081	139
La Crosse, Wis.	821		3		7	2	321	381	1,509	110
Lafayette, La.	2,499	5		18	93	233	1,214	646	1,400	290
Lake Charles, La.	1,503	10	1	7	54	61	726	498	889	147
Lakewood, Ohio	500	1	4	2	23	21	182	30	672	241

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Cities 50,000 to 100,000 in population—Continued										
Lancaster, Pa.	1,077	1	2	10	54	46	435	433	1,065	98
Laredo, Tex.	1,306	1		1	14	55	699	398	431	138
Lawrence, Mass.	1,962	2	1	1	37	35	690	337	256	860
Lawton, Okla.	3,138	5	10	32	120	310	1,205	1,239	1,632	227
Lima, Ohio	1,888	1		5	140	41	787	784	1,233	130
Lincoln Park, Mich.	2,023	1	1	13	81	65	440	1,062	1,126	361
Lorain, Ohio	2,654	3	4	22	141	135	835	759	1,142	759
Lowell, Mass.	2,620	3	6	10	53	56	773	720	681	1,005
Lower Merion Township, Pa.	1,366	2	1	4	27	25	432	514	546	362
Lynchburg, Va.	843	8	4	4	40	66	397	283	843	45
Lynn, Mass.	4,288	3	1	9	146	139	1,992	800	1,153	1,199
Malden, Mass.	829			2	25	8	194	267	121	333
Manchester, N.H.	1,290	2	10	6	25	32	520	553	653	152
Mansfield, Ohio	1,961	7		9	70	291	571	765	893	248
Medford, Mass.	886		5	3	11	1	277	340	174	254
Meriden, Conn.	1,304	1	2	5	42	35	396	587	447	238
Mesa, Ariz.	1,829	2	4	3	35	55	660	805	2,035	269
Mesquite, Tex.	1,090	2	2	3	19	51	325	573	1,088	117
Miami Beach, Fla.	2,892	4	4	10	132	44	1,537	750	2,138	415
Middletown Township, N.J.	609	2	2	7	7	7	275	266	240	45
Midland, Tex.	807	3	1	3	15	69	393	246	491	78
Milford, Conn.	1,526			2	13	9	454	767	662	281
Modesto, Calif.	3,493	1	4	9	79	113	1,229	1,741	2,657	321
Monroe, La.	987	8	2	1	15	215	372	228	1,727	148
Mountain View, Calif.	1,590	2		9	37	36	429	756	1,333	321
Mount Vernon, N.Y.	2,168	4		4	82	39	633	769	626	637
Muncie, Ind.	2,059	2		19	119	112	724	769	631	314
Nashua, N.H.	422	3	2		7	18	134	108	176	154
New Britain, Conn.	2,857	2	2	8	105	104	1,357	882	817	399
New Rochelle, N.Y.	2,106			2	90	77	627	972	587	338
Newton, Mass.	2,556			7	23	56	1,049	915	485	506
Niagara Falls, N.Y.	3,256	2	2	6	177	198	1,201	1,379	1,496	293
Norman, Okla.	1,144	4	3	2	7	17	452	586	619	76
North Little Rock, Ark.	2,036	14	2	19	70	179	723	860	1,150	171
Norwalk, Conn.	2,682	3		12	48	88	1,252	982	897	297
Oak Lawn, Ill.	874	1		9	18	48	323	326	851	149
Oak Park, Ill.	993			2	92	29	410	276	896	184
Odessa, Tex.	1,134	7	1	3	42	75	629	241	2,644	137
Ogden, Utah	2,259	3	3	17	87	79	804	878	2,647	391
Ontario, Calif.	2,584	2		14	49	122	1,134	939	1,122	324
Orange, Calif.	2,650			11	57	59	1,351	953	2,436	219
Orlando, Fla.	5,466	10	5	20	267	476	2,492	1,857	2,461	344
Oshkosh, Wis.	913			1	11	2	370	431	1,579	98
Overland Park, Kans.	1,389	2	2	5	13	55	406	805	897	103
Owensboro, Ky.	972	2	2	3	32	54	354	461	564	66
Oxnard, Calif.	3,352	2		18	77	122	1,643	1,064	1,306	426
Palo Alto, Calif.	2,462		1	11	71	60	802	1,260	1,882	258
Parsippany-Troy Hills, N.J.	756		2	4	10	10	307	337	234	88
Pasadena, Tex.	1,468	2	4	16	34	56	557	425	1,037	378
Passaic, N.J.	2,499	4	2	11	136	207	860	663	581	618
Pawtucket, R.I.	1,561	3		3	35	20	612	328	1,116	560
Penn Hills Township, Pa.	810	1	5	3	43	15	403	161	189	184
Pensacola, Fla.	2,243	9	5	7	119	107	870	950	1,455	181
Pine Bluff, Ark.	2,070	6	2	7	52	96	1,220	608	510	81
Pittsfield, Mass.	849		4	4	4	18	337	357	383	129

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Cities 50,000 to 100,000 in population—Continued										
Pomona, Calif.	3,841	3	3	32	196	216	1,575	1,251	1,869	668
Pontiac, Mich.	6,633	14	8	27	691	949	2,853	1,518	2,499	581
Port Arthur, Tex.	1,920	5		14	111	81	995	599	676	206
Portland, Maine	1,445	1		11	38	48	492	475	1,155	380
Provo, Utah	450				4	4	64	325	1,088	53
Pueblo, Colo.	2,721	3	2	19	54	186	857	1,203	1,859	399
Quincy, Mass.	3,350		3	3	57	50	1,225	1,180	1,038	835
Racine, Wis.	3,171	6	2	18	253	256	1,153	1,061	2,775	424
Reading, Pa.	1,602	2		6	81	66	639	564	844	244
Redford Township, Mich.						Incomplete				
Redondo Beach, Calif.	3,166	5	2	21	95	95	980	1,477	1,393	493
Redwood City, Calif.	2,095		3	6	56	30	692	894	539	417
Reno, Nev.	3,213	5		13	155	113	1,324	1,006	2,392	597
Richmond, Calif.	5,322	8		66	283	439	2,331	1,277	2,484	918
Roanoke, Va.	3,721	15	4	28	155	277	1,549	1,056	2,705	641
Rochester, Minn.	803	1		2	12	3	249	411	1,375	125
Rock Island, Ill.	1,660	4		10	95	100	441	787	834	223
Rome, N.Y.	385				1	3	111	199	210	71
Roseville, Mich.	1,709	1	1	2	43	30	522	830	1,379	281
Royal Oak, Mich.	2,363	1	4	11	90	157	961	913	1,582	230
Saginaw, Mich.	4,113	21	5	26	403	402	2,292	539	3,998	430
Saint Clair Shores, Mich.	1,945	3		14	40	80	752	939	1,096	117
Saint Joseph, Mo.	1,983	1		1	25	65	676	946	1,943	269
Salem, Oreg.	1,969	2	1	12	43	120	890	682	2,309	220
Salinas, Calif.	2,402	5		8	94	64	743	1,111	930	377
San Angelo, Tex.	1,377	5		8	27	44	773	345	1,568	175
San Leandro, Calif.	2,731	4	4	10	84	45	1,124	1,172	1,276	292
San Mateo, Calif.	3,095	2		15	115	106	1,377	984	3,269	496
Santa Barbara, Calif.	2,412	7	2	13	63	77	1,025	937	2,423	290
Santa Clara, Calif.	2,643	4		34	31	90	1,038	1,061	2,518	385
Santa Monica, Calif.	5,588	6	1	73	299	281	1,758	2,380	2,110	791
Santa Rosa, Calif.	2,167	2	1	3	35	44	692	1,172	1,750	219
Schenectady, N.Y.	1,175	1		2	86	36	445	318	955	287
Scottsdale, Ariz.	2,090	4	4	8	30	72	713	988	1,631	275
Sioux City, Iowa	2,047	4	9	4	12	94	491	840	2,034	602
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	1,096	5	3	21	20	33	398	498	1,340	121
Skokie, Ill.	1,815		4	4	14	45	600	996	830	156
Somerville, Mass.	2,837	7	5	7	60	54	1,203	585	283	921
Southfield, Mich.	2,720		9	5	58	49	909	1,335	1,821	364
South Gate, Calif.	2,616	6		19	150	55	1,018	777	853	591
Springfield, Ill.	2,553	3		6	132	88	1,171	702	1,182	461
Springfield, Ohio	1,592	6	5	12	170	28	775	382	1,540	219
Sterling Heights, Mich.	1,730		3	18	20	83	646	762	815	201
Sunnyvale, Calif.	1,746	2	2	14	35	62	655	614	3,340	364
Tallahassee, Fla.	2,231	4	2	11	63	123	1,119	744	1,277	167
Taylor, Mich.	2,627	1		15	75	103	1,002	1,104	1,075	327
Tempe, Ariz.	2,711	4	5	25	38	103	732	1,526	1,489	283
Terre Haute, Ind.	2,189	2	1	7	54	57	831	966	1,390	272
Tonawanda Town, N.Y.	1,167	3		4	20	13	449	527	765	141
Troy, N.Y.	1,378	3	1	8	45	76	567	404	525	275
Tuscaloosa, Ala.	2,108	7		8	40	238	977	612	432	226
Tyler, Tex.	1,758	6		28	20	179	722	630	1,017	173
Union City, N.J.	1,582	2	2	5	35	38	742	228	155	632
Union Township, N.J.	1,404	2	8	5	48	28	367	676	593	278
Upper Darby Township, Pa.	1,559	3	1	7	35	36	599	359	1,375	520

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Cities 50,000 to 100,000 in population—Continued										
Utica, N.Y.	743	2		3	64	21	356	162	876	135
Vallejo, Calif.	3,181	3	3	10	114	80	1,391	1,174	1,990	409
Ventura, Calif.	2,216	1	2	10	28	42	813	1,125	844	197
Waco, Tex.	3,772	9	8	23	155	277	1,815	1,171	2,139	322
Waltham, Mass.	1,269	1	1	1	6	38	593	328	300	302
Warren, Ohio	2,122	4	1	7	114	129	770	850	522	248
Warwick, R.I.	2,361		3	3	8	53	517	1,333	1,175	447
Waterford Township, Mich.	2,228	3		8	45	82	847	1,072	1,158	171
Waterloo, Iowa	1,730	4		14	84	157	553	759	1,457	159
Waukegan, Ill.	2,226	7	1	13	160	96	746	863	1,116	341
Wauwatosa, Wis.	991			3	17	13	318	552	669	88
West Allis, Wis.	997		1	4	15	11	274	598	1,439	95
West Covina, Calif.	2,410	1	1	9	57	63	853	1,147	1,400	280
West Hartford, Conn.	1,053		3	2	12	22	514	333	338	170
West Haven, Conn.	1,049			6	12	13	394	387	458	237
Westland, Mich.						Incomplete				
Westminster, Calif.	2,089		1	16	56	48	1,044	667	1,014	258
West Palm Beach, Fla.	2,679	12		10	146	159	1,160	934	2,563	258
Weymouth, Mass.	319		1		8	10	131	84	39	86
White Plains, N.Y.	1,656	2		2	99	114	430	839	770	170
Whittier, Calif.	2,186	2		11	70	73	948	831	1,411	251
Wichita Falls, Tex.	1,558	6	10	5	55	119	686	453	2,261	234
Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	785			2	6	19	229	350	322	179
Wilmington, Del.	5,990	18	1	17	393	90	2,033	1,601	2,152	1,838
Woodbridge Township, N.J.	1,771	4	5	3	45	14	612	708	710	385
Wyoming, Mich.	1,170	1	3	4	18	27	363	648	1,188	109
York, Pa.	1,658	3	3	14	219	113	644	419	735	246
Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population										
Aberdeen, S. Dak.	331	1			4	25	112	162	595	27
Alexandria, La.	1,503	7		9	71	102	598	533	1,006	183
Allen Park, Mich.	1,158			4	26	49	322	642	655	115
Alliance, Ohio	857	2		4	61	63	259	358	645	110
Alton, Ill.	920	1		9	48	43	452	270	730	97
Ames, Iowa	684			5	7	20	127	466	621	59
Amsterdam, N.Y.	223				2	23	75	82	77	41
Anchorage, Alaska	2,580	7	4	26	150	146	688	1,050	1,598	513
Anderson, S.C.	775	4		3	9	45	296	346	480	72
Annapolis, Md.	1,369	2		4	50	55	387	755	481	116
Anniston, Ala.	717	13		7	21	122	220	253	211	81
Antioch, Calif.	1,204	1		4	23	9	528	551	848	88
Arcadia, Calif.	1,229		1	2	23	31	397	642	814	134
Arvada, Colo.	804		4	1	8	15	281	450	777	49
Ashland, Ky.	452			1	13	4	148	230	300	56
Athens, Ga.	1,678	5	4	9	41	192	486	803	408	142
Atlantic City, N.J.	5,644	6		25	358	120	2,097	2,063	1,105	975
Attleboro, Mass.	650	2		1	8	27	206	223	256	183
Auburn, N.Y.	224				2		94	110	85	18
Austin, Minn.	382	1			4	3	148	189	747	37
Azusa, Calif.	870	2		18	26	49	418	239	454	118
Baldwin Borough, Pa.	210		1		7	7	101	62	112	33
Baldwin Park, Calif.	1,412	4		15	69	76	644	397	674	207
Bangor, Maine	340	2	1	1	5	14	146	88	453	84
Barberton, Ohio	1,047		1	6	27	106	307	379	704	222

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Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
Bartlesville, Okla.	397		1	3	2	24	143	212	303	13
Battle Creek, Mich.	2,109	4	1	23	136	203	961	587	1,150	195
Bay City, Mich.	1,173	5		6	86	61	506	411	1,433	98
Baytown, Tex.	1,080	1	3	8	30	122	367	438	483	114
Beavercreek Township, Ohio	308	1		1	5	4	165	123	134	9
Belleville, Ill.	732				24	7	228	401	387	72
Belleville, N.J.	565	1	2	3	10	5	229	204	112	113
Bellingham, Wash.	1,139			3	9	3	316	657	1,167	151
Belmont, Mass.	266			1	8	7	111	106	117	33
Beloit, Wis.	964	1	5	1	50	28	263	540	1,172	81
Bensalem Township, Pa.	1,237	2		4	16	60	435	424	366	296
Bergenfield, N.J.	366				4	13	116	202	182	31
Bessemer, Ala.	1,134	8	3	11	35	188	385	370	271	137
Bethel Park, Pa.	386				7	4	147	158	141	70
Beverly, Mass.	942			2	9	10	368	358	661	195
Beverly Hills, Calif.	1,561	3		2	77	17	650	615	343	197
Big Spring, Tex.	532	1		4	9	48	255	178	345	37
Biloxi, Miss.	475	1			9	73	286	78	118	28
Birmingham, Mich.	543			3	22	39	182	254	572	43
Bismarck, N. Dak.	397					1	108	260	766	28
Bloomfield Township, Mich.				4	19	26	363	(1)	(1)	70
Bloomington, Ill.	1,143	1	1	5	51	61	441	402	556	182
Bloomington, Ind.	522	1	1	5	4	3	109	276	367	124
Boca Raton, Fla.	611	2		4	8	10	155	375	315	67
Bossier City, La.	926	1	4	2	17	74	258	452	768	122
Bountiful, Utah	441				5	36	183	181	556	36
Bowling Green, Ky.	1,337	11		3	18	110	453	518	285	224
Braintree, Mass.	1,105	1		1	11	33	247	446	285	366
Bremerton, Wash.	881	2	3	10	10	30	348	379	938	102
Bridgewater Township, N.J.	381	1	5		6	6	181	161	142	26
Brighton, N.Y.	570			2	2	11	161	338	200	56
Brookfield, Wis.	387				3		175	190	1,087	19
Brooklyn Center, Minn.	862	1	2	3	8	11	265	447	732	127
Brooklyn Park, Minn.	611		2	3	5	4	122	334	212	43
Brook Park, Ohio					Incomplete					
Bryan, Texas	662	2		5	13	44	266	257	602	66
Burlingame, Calif.	1,150	1		5	30	44	432	477	544	161
Burlington, Iowa	246	1		1	6		102	117	340	19
Burlington, N.C.	648	6	3		10	84	170	333	305	45
Burlington, Vt.	1,011	1		8	9	12	431	369	833	181
Calumet City, Ill.	1,783	5	2	9	59	133	442	512	511	623
Cape Girardeau, Mo.	741	2		5	31	14	343	292	502	54
Casper, Wyo.	862	4		6	18		378	380	504	76
Cedar Falls, Iowa	383					11	85	246	418	41
Chapel Hill, N.C.	661	1	1		14	75	236	238	844	97
Charlottesville, Va.	990	2	4	7	23	70	271	474	628	143
Chelmsford, Mass.	448				2	10	202	155	132	79
Chelsea, Mass.	804			4	26	41	321	139	74	273
Cheltenham Township, Pa.	1,373	2		6	20	11	395	667	667	272
Cheyenne, Wyo.	1,013	5	1	5	17	28	372	460	1,275	126
Chicago Heights, Ill.	1,835	2	1	16	110	286	603	432	601	386
Clarksville, Tenn.	677	2			7	17	276	280	211	95
Clinton, Iowa	781		1	10	6	6	187	514	1,090	58

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Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
Clinton Township, Mich	1,241	2	2	7	35	46	482	551	759	118
Clovis, N. Mex	713	3	1	5	4	50	266	334	342	52
Columbus, Ind	647	2		2	8	21	293	241	669	80
Columbus, Miss	447	4		9	5	49	231	112	240	37
Concord, N.H	299		3	4	2	3	123	116	81	51
Coon Rapids, Minn	564			3	4	24	145	337	474	51
Coral Gables, Fla	2,009	2		5	80	29	414	1,239	1,391	240
Corona, Calif	865			6	18	22	307	387	606	125
Corvallis, Oreg	506	1		2	1	37	92	332	965	41
Covina, Calif	931			7	25	21	423	279	430	176
Cranford Township, N.J	224		2	1	5	8	66	114	149	30
Crystal, Minn	522				12	3	212	242	475	53
Culver City, Calif	1,978		1	10	133	44	531	879	949	381
Cumberland, Md	241			2	5	3	63	136	208	32
Cumberland, R.I	390			1	6	3	117	173	275	90
Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio	749		2	1	12	26	211	363	454	136
Cypress, Calif	729		2	5	22	22	336	302	286	42
Danvers, Mass	417			1	3	14	95	195	194	109
Danville, Ill	1,236	4		11	88	60	528	416	650	129
Danville, Va	737	4	1	3	12	85	203	356	515	74
Daytona Beach, Fla	3,280	5	8	20	152	191	1,640	955	2,286	317
Decatur, Ala					Incomplete					
Dedham, Mass	823		6		32		167	319	166	305
De Kalb, Ill	226	1		3	1	4	69	135	190	13
Del City, Okla	488			4	7	22	121	295	403	39
Delhi Township, Ohio	225			3		23	98	88	160	13
Denton, Texas	746	1	1	8	9	45	130	454	556	99
De Witt, N.Y					Incomplete					
Dothan, Ala	1,224	1	1	1	24	56	530	540	185	72
Dover Township, N.J	669	2	7		2	10	239	360	192	56
Downers Grove, Ill	421				4	26	144	192	382	55
East Brunswick Township, N.J	598	1	1	1	7	16	203	292	296	78
East Chicago, Ind	3,123	8	2	23	232	200	444	617	516	1,599
East Cleveland, Ohio	1,020	4	2	9	83	25	290	72	841	537
East Detroit, Mich	1,177	1		1	47	19	345	616	706	148
East Haven Town, Conn	346			2	3	28	178	91	55	44
East Lansing, Mich	832			11	14	18	315	402	402	72
Easton, Pa	661	3		3	42	10	236	235	523	132
East Point, Ga	784	3	2	3	35	121	277	263	191	82
East Providence, R.I	1,051		4		6	32	298	461	837	254
Eau Claire, Wis	502			4	4	3	121	259	446	111
Edina, Minn	608				1	4	126	389	754	88
El Cerrito, Calif	961	2		1	56	9	397	372	636	124
El Dorado, Ark	723	4		4	11	88	349	248	244	19
Elkhart, Ind	1,270	2		13	32	98	369	634	604	122
Elmira, N.Y	746			1	16	12	229	443	823	45
Elmwood Park, Ill	564				14	4	133	294	187	119
Enfield, Conn	775	4		1	8	3	375	275	355	109
Englewood, Colo	1,301	1		6	27	22	408	614	1200	223
Enid, Okla	838	1		1	10	20	319	395	801	92
Escondido, Calif	837	2			17	37	459	208	495	114
Everett, Mass	530			2	24	28	215	139	97	122
Evergreen Park, Ill	777			1	12	2	72	478	684	212

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Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
Ewing Township, N.J	945	1	2	1	19	14	309	487	436	114
Fairborn, Ohio	427	3	1	5	8	12	120	213	702	66
Fairfield, Calif	919	2		2	15	28	370	406	1,212	96
Fair Lawn, N.J	451				5	5	224	178	383	39
Fairmont, W. Va					Incomplete					
Falls Township, Pa	538			1	9	1	240	211	468	76
Farmers Branch, Tex	539			6	6	19	182	287	165	39
Fayetteville, Ark	459	1			1	8	190	224	286	35
Ferguson, Mo	606	2	1	1	12	12	220	287	365	72
Ferndale, Mich	1,221	2		6	78	146	547	328	396	114
Findlay, Ohio	533	1		3	10	2	211	241	278	65
Fitchburg, Mass	1,412				24	20	585	424	432	359
Flagstaff, Ariz	839			6	28	84	211	433	562	77
Florence, Ala	422			2	7		289	72	269	52
Florence, S.C	730	4		9	32	30	298	251	207	106
Fond du Lac, Wis	268				1		82	133	306	52
Fort Collins, Colo	1,032			11	11	102	216	626	912	66
Fort Dodge, Iowa					Incomplete					
Fort Lee, N.J	1,062				32	4	368	332	144	326
Fort Myers, Fla	1,080	2		7	17	133	392	410	745	119
Fort Pierce, Fla	423				1	7	265	150	238	
Fountain Valley, Calif	1,187	1	1	12	23	24	553	523	642	51
Franklin Township, N.J	663	2	1	6	17	19	328	196	289	95
Freeport, Ill	358	1		1	16	23	109	165	213	43
Freeport, N.Y	1,563		1	3	80	38	424	691	788	327
Fridley, Minn	743			4	17	1	140	507	757	74
Galesburg, Ill	574			4	22	61	206	238	417	43
Gardena, Calif	1,897	2		8	141	50	513	697	438	486
Garden City, Mich	767		1	2	17	24	251	365	1,177	108
Garden City, N.Y	597	1		1	11	5	177	346	188	56
Garfield, N.J	251				11	4	67	94	101	75
Garfield Heights, Ohio	450	1		4	25	7	169	131	321	113
Gastonia, N.C	1,997	2	12	9	50	319	682	764	1,043	171
Genesee Township, Mich	137			1	4	3	69	45	87	15
Glen Cove, N.Y	782	3		2	15	16	274	384	224	88
Glendale, Ariz	1,574	1		7	21	79	711	590	764	165
Glendora, Calif	793		1	10	17	26	359	322	402	59
Gloucester, Mass	351			4	4	7	156	26	145	154
Gloucester Township, N.J	610	1		4	2	4	321	196	182	82
Goldsboro, N.C	1,230	6		3	27	59	522	528	429	85
Grand Forks, N. Dak	846			5	11	8	193	520	979	109
Grand Island, Nebr	673	1			2		328	276	514	66
Granite City, Ill	1,444			4	22	38	702	383	969	295
Greeley, Colo	1,336	2			17	101	278	801	1,016	137
Greenburgh, N.Y	1,371			5	38	30	597	591	376	110
Greenville, Miss	877	3	1	1	15	16	398	420	555	24
Greenville, N.C	872	2		3	7	53	281	374	523	152
Groton Town, Conn	480	1	2	2	4	10	171	239	208	53
Gulfport, Miss	654	7	1		9	3	209	314	393	112
Hackensack, N.J	1,168	3		7	76	25	412	353	326	292
Hagerstown, Md	846	3		4	47	75	378	270	538	69
Haltom City, Tex	914	2			14	78	255	291	525	274
Hamburg Town, N.Y	347			1	7	3	117	179	332	40
Hamden, Conn	1,163	1	3	1	21	35	415	578	482	112

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Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
Hamtramck, Mich	2,196	9		11	321	193	547	527	827	588
Harlingen, Tex	779	1	3	10	6	90	316	299	485	57
Harvey, Ill	2,537	2	3	23	183	343	738	635	458	613
Hattiesburg, Miss	758	8			9	28	312	335	356	66
Haverhill, Mass	1,290				8		690	345	302	247
Hazleton, Pa	199			1	2	5	81	93	66	17
Hempstead, N.Y	2,006	3		13	116	42	547	819	394	466
Highland, Park Ill	699			1	5	3	183	470	334	37
Highland Park, Mich	3,485	12	1	14	585	167	1,156	987	1,268	564
Hilo, Hawaii	533	1	1	3	7	17	253	186	360	66
Hobbs, N. Mex	992	4		3	14	44	369	481	567	77
Hoboken, N.J	1,728	5	1	4	89	137	646	219	185	628
Holland, Mich	528		2		2	31	189	271	499	35
Hot Springs, Ark	1,086	5	1	12	46	96	407	410	267	110
Houma, La	623	5	2		22	45	288	226	175	37
Huntington Park, Calif	1,851	4		14	171	78	695	434	659	455
Hurst, Tex	673			1	11	22	214	324	231	101
Hutchinson, Kans	804	1	1	2	20	8	494	222	1,641	57
Idaho Falls, Idaho	1,149	1		3	19	23	353	671	1,007	79
Inkster, Mich	3,028	6	1	28	306	331	1,562	549	1,175	246
Iowa City, Iowa	781			4	5	37	225	433	584	77
Ithaca, N.Y	835			6	16	14	252	466	562	81
Jackson, Mich	1,723	4		15	99	138	546	815	1,126	106
Jackson, Tenn	943	3	3	8	44	49	390	387	535	62
Jamestown, N.Y	376				7	27	194	108	73	40
Janesville, Wis	625	1		1	3	11	272	274	902	63
Jefferson, City, Mo	596	1	2	2	15	57	191	300	580	30
Johnson City, Tenn	750	4	2	4	18	93	253	274	268	104
Johnstown, Pa	517		1		34	24	239	109	191	111
Jonesboro, Ark	222	1		2	3	11	136	54	71	15
Joplin, Mo	1,196		4	3	17	65	429	582	1,011	100
Kankakee, Ill	1,073	3		9	61	205	211	466	263	118
Kannapolis, N.C	417	2		1	4	74	84	207	211	45
Kearny, N.J	870	1			21	15	301	365	279	167
Kent, Ohio	520	1	1	8	6	26	157	226	441	96
Key West, Fla	873	3		10	33	60	344	361	404	62
Killeen, Tex	1,342	2		23	48	79	458	558	524	174
Kingsport, Tenn	282	2	1	7	14	23	102	103	352	31
Kingston, N.Y	609	1	1		13	54	212	251	209	78
Kingsville, Tex	515	1		1	3	42	207	231	428	30
Kirkwood, Mo	426			3	12	15	189	156	505	51
Kokomo, Ind	836	2	1		26	4	264	389	597	151
Lackawanna, N.Y	943	3		2	111	63	322	257	224	185
Lafayette, Ind	1,312			5	22	5	428	689	891	163
La Habra, Calif	1,239	1		11	39	47	397	595	651	149
Lakeland, Fla	1,404	2	1	3	83	22	574	579	1,177	141
Lakewood, N.J	1,106	1	2	5	64	84	399	455	268	98
La Mesa, Calif	1,061			4	8	25	442	471	878	111
Lancaster, Ohio	784		4	2	12	106	213	369	406	82
Lansing, Ill	461		1		5	20	135	197	188	104
Las Cruces, N. Mex	1,460	2	8	6	38	7	638	612	853	157
Lawrence, Kans	1,554	3	1	4	36	42	299	1,007	974	163
Leavenworth, Kans	560	1		3	27	90	140	250	179	49
Lebanon, Pa	354	1			1	12	145	167	371	28
Leominster, Mass	866			1	8	8	368	298	380	183

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Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
Lewiston, Idaho	297	2	2	1	3	6	166	59	508	70
Lewiston, Maine	861	1		5	12	94	391	261	687	97
Lexington, Mass	509			4	13	8	256	171	295	67
Linden, N.J	1,139	1	3	2	49	16	445	314	483	312
Littleton, Colo	556	2		2	7	37	157	244	387	107
Livermore, Calif	825			11	8	36	440	290	1,232	40
Livingston, N.J	209		1		4	10	124	41	82	30
Lockport, N.Y	305	2			7	8	119	124	94	45
Lodi, Calif	613	1		2	17	9	184	307	584	93
Lodi, N.J	623			2	27	14	197	252	124	131
Lombard, Ill	463	1		1	5	33	103	258	272	62
Lompoc, Calif	710		1	1	4	15	337	322	699	31
Long Beach, N.Y					Incomplete					
Long Branch, N.J	1,516			7	70	34	593	587	458	225
Longview, Tex	780	5		5	20	75	348	253	147	74
Longview, Wash	639			2	6	9	325	203	1,027	94
Lower Paxton Township, Pa	280	1		1	5	9	157	90	165	17
Lynwood, Calif	2,446	2	1	14	189	106	825	681	852	629
Madison Heights, Mich	1,181	2		3	36	23	373	538	624	206
Madison Township, N.J	829		9	4	15	3	371	305	192	131
Manchester Township, Conn	1,039	1		7	7	46	466	430	508	82
Manhattan, Kans	1,020	1		3	38	24	356	510	694	88
Manhattan Beach, Calif	1,397	3		9	40	23	611	521	466	190
Manitowoc, Wis	727	1	1			8	415	265	768	38
Mankato, Minn	718			3	1		248	401	719	65
Maple Heights, Ohio	597				18	23	141	106	507	309
Maplewood, Minn	639			4	8	11	253	281	686	82
Marietta, Ga	1,822	5	1	6	46	54	704	685	627	322
Marion, Ind	938	1	1	10	56	6	270	428	976	167
Marion, Ohio	1,041	1		10	27	39	421	461	964	82
Marlborough, Mass	568	1		3	7	8	298	136	300	115
Marple Township, Pa	373					1	103	203	296	66
Marshalltown, Iowa	613				3	9	318	222	556	61
Mason City, Iowa	671	1			7	2	233	379	530	49
Massillon, Ohio	952	1	1	11	43	20	283	447	488	147
Maywood, Ill	1,027	5		6	80	93	422	261	300	160
McAllen, Tex	662	1			5		418	172	805	66
McKeesport, Pa	853	1	1	3	54	95	296	213	297	191
Medford, Oreg	1,163			9	18	43	449	525	1,099	119
Melbourne, Fla	853	1	1	4	31	33	396	321	1,306	67
Melrose, Mass	526				4	5	218	168	228	131
Menlo Park, Calif	1,157	2		8	24	61	447	508	600	107
Menomonee Falls, Wis	222	1		2	3	4	84	112	282	16
Mentor, Ohio	605		3	1	2	1	287	235	586	79
Meridian, Miss	580	9	4	3	10	43	295	113	762	107
Methuen, Mass	938		5	5	16	17	393	287	290	220
Michigan City, Ind	1,492	1	2	6	57	127	498	610	698	193
Middletown, Conn	795	1	3	2	53	31	310	251	333	147
Middletown, R.I	420				8	21	136	202	251	53
Middletown, Ohio	1,709	2	2	4	51	32	722	727	1,252	171
Middletown Township, Pa	652	1	1	2	6		293	220	257	130
Midland, Mich	555		1	2	5	9	189	289	878	61
Midwest City, Okla	968	1	1	6	9	106	295	443	539	108
Millcreek Township, Pa	410	1	6	5	8	5	166	165	280	60
Milpitas, Calif	550	1		4	11	15	253	212	537	54

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Milton, Mass.	367		3		10	6	164	115	86	72
Minnetonka, Minn.	436			2	4		145	262	188	23
Minot, N. Dak.	320			4		12	104	154	429	46
Mishawaka, Ind.	836	1		4	22	10	326	364	861	109
Missoula, Mont.	945	3		5	12	4	246	520	1,108	155
Moline, Ill.	1,275	2		2	24	78	516	500	886	153
Monrovia, Calif.	939	3	2	7	54	75	408	248	388	144
Montclair, N.J.	944	1	2	2	55	4	423	360	302	99
Montebello, Calif.	1,813	1	2	8	79	62	700	691	449	272
Monterey, Calif.	1,581	2	1	6	35	48	529	793	690	168
Monterey Park, Calif.	1,257			3	30	12	429	612	445	171
Moorhead, Minn.	781			2	3	14	266	450	572	46
Morgantown, W. Va.	397	3		5	4	29	122	189	111	45
Morton Grove, Ill.	689			3	8	23	275	319	341	61
Mount Lebanon Township, Pa.	222					4	103	81	73	34
Mount Prospect, Ill.	605		1		8	43	151	350	272	53
Muskegon, Mich.	2,553	3		14	110	290	904	1,103	1,684	129
Muskogee, Okla.	969	3	4	6	23	54	301	459	427	123
Napa, Calif.	1,013	1		5	13	47	453	391	928	103
Natick, Mass.	602		2	4	5	2	158	290	126	143
National City, Calif.	1,526	4		13	122	35	472	589	1,048	291
Needham, Mass.	527		2		1		189	268	282	69
Neptune Township, N.J.	1,127			10	101	57	432	415	412	112
New Albany, Ind.	1,220	4	2	6	37	7	376	570	761	220
Newark, Calif.	696	1	1	2	9	28	414	185	836	57
Newark, Ohio	1,192			7	10	136	350	579	529	110
New Berlin, Wis.	233			2	2	8	106	99	235	16
New Brunswick, N.J.	3,088	5		6	255	109	989	986	735	738
Newburgh, N.Y.	1,753	7			85	313	671	458	387	219
New Castle, Pa.	985	2	4		40	70	306	326	261	241
New Iberia, La.	195	1	1		5	19	74	85	483	11
New London, Conn.	1,265			5	35	113	488	477	399	147
Newport, Ky.	858	5	2		36	35	385	206	491	191
Newport, R.I.	1,854	1	1		84	110	638	756	769	265
Newport Beach, Calif.	3,077	1		15	28	60	1,316	1,461	1,714	196
Niles, Ill.	770		4		2	45	223	418	291	82
Normal, Ill.	156			2	7	36	70	24	257	17
Norristown, Pa.	717			11	32	77	209	216	165	172
Northampton, Mass.	305			4	2	12	63	163	108	61
North Bergen Township, N.J.	1,318	2	1		31	12	416	439	198	418
Northbrook, Ill.	257			1	2	3	121	111	252	19
North Chicago, Ill.	508	1	1	1	47	35	126	219	193	79
North Huntingdon, Township, Pa.	255		3	2	13	2	104	91	170	43
North Kingstown, R.I.	231	1	1		1	7	122	95	91	5
North Las Vegas, Nev.	2,150	2	2	13	86	103	1,129	495	632	322
North Miami, Fla.	1,800	2			114	64	722	647	1,078	251
North Miami Beach, Fla.	1,532			4	63	76	468	617	832	304
North Olmsted, Ohio	361		1		4	3	82	200	321	72
North Tonawanda, N.Y.	353			5	12	12	168	112	169	44
Norwich, Conn.	1,287	1	3	7	14	28	636	458	843	143
Norwood, Mass.	560				2	14	156	228	201	160
Norwood, Ohio	886	3		1	45	4	240	404	271	189
Novato, Calif.	671			2	3	12	290	301	739	63
Nutley, N.J.	334				4	2	138	146	125	44
Oak Park, Mich.	948				60	31	369	383	734	105

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Oak Ridge, Tenn	393	1	2	3	5	16	150	176	276	42
Oceanside, Calif	1,648	4		31	75	76	623	596	1,204	243
Orange, N.J	1,271	5		2	110	80	462	415	818	197
Orangetown, N.Y	637	1	1	1	3	48	224	313	201	47
Orem, Utah	407				1	35	181	154	545	36
Ottumwa, Iowa	349		1	1	4	27	131	137	323	49
Pacifica, Calif	1,232	1		5	11	22	785	248	538	160
Paducah, Ky	579	4	2	3	14	31	179	275	463	73
Panama City, Fla	785	3	3	4	9	110	287	343	554	29
Paramus, N.J	1,500		1	1	30	9	315	856	626	289
Parkersburg, W. Va						Incomplete				
Park Forest, Ill	189				6	5	56	73	663	49
Park Ridge, Ill	615			1	9	9	166	373	499	57
Parma Heights, Ohio	454			3	2	36	97	232	168	84
Pascagoula, Miss	677	3		1	12	42	271	288	159	60
Peabody, Mass	1,038	4		3	10	11	564	158	72	288
Pekin, Ill	481	1			14	8	205	203	483	50
Pennsauken, N.J	1,413	2	5	5	45	12	527	445	324	377
Perth Amboy, N.J	1,064	2			39	39	288	383	233	313
Petersburg, Va	994	6	1	19	67	106	465	196	1,391	135
Phenix City, Ala	563	3		6	11	30	166	276	338	71
Piscataway Township, N.J	801		2	6	16	23	316	324	338	116
Plainfield, N.J	2,763	2		6	152	145	1,243	878	933	337
Pocatello, Idaho	1,401	2	3	8	22	36	423	783	826	127
Pompano Beach, Fla	2,103	4	1	6	67	50	1,060	629	673	287
Ponca City, Okla	334				4	8	145	133	212	44
Portage, Mich	566	1		3	4	69	223	233	540	33
Port Chester, N.Y	544	4		2	33	72	252	77	494	104
Port Huron, Mich	1,562			3	60	31	671	657	1,221	140
Portsmouth, N.H	598			4	23	7	201	238	213	125
Portsmouth, Ohio	1,032	2		1	62	38	428	410	511	91
Pottstown, Pa	447		1	6	23	21	131	207	314	69
Poughkeepsie, N.Y	1,121	3		7	54	97	344	488	501	128
Poughkeepsie Town, N.Y	577	1		1	5	3	168	341	350	58
Prairie Village, Kans	444			1	3	26	135	263	285	16
Prichard, Ala						Incomplete				
Quincy, Ill	957		1	6	40	23	343	397	171	148
Radnor Township, Pa	586		3		8	25	156	255	167	142
Rahway, N.J	798		3	3	57	40	341	158	205	199
Ramapo Town, N.Y	579		1		5	17	197	310	113	50
Rantoul, Ill	173	1			1	9	85	72	354	5
Rapid City, S. Dak	1,649	1	1	15	40	61	580	793	994	159
Raytown, Mo	436	1		3	5	33	128	203	282	63
Redlands, Calif	1,227	1		10	9	39	532	538	860	98
Renton, Wash	1,236		3	7	14	62	512	439	683	202
Revere, Mass	1,339	2	1	9	25	22	562	179	137	540
Rialto, Calif	1,205	1	1	1	41	25	596	439	528	102
Richardson, Tex	817	1	2	2	9	43	259	438	876	65
Richfield, Minn	842			2	21	5	253	374	289	187
Richland, Wash	168				2	3	75	79	280	9
Richmond, Ind	1,148	2	5		39	39	363	570	834	135
Ridgewood, N.J	282		1		2	4	169	84	54	23
Ridley Township, Pa	790	1	3	6	20	32	191	310	534	230
Rock Hill, S.C	1,007	5		6	14	33	546	274	670	129
Ross Township, Pa	596		1	1	13	12	227	201	172	142

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Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
Rockville Centre, N.Y.	679				14	3	217	303	235	142
Rocky Mount, N.C.	909	3	4	6	14	101	341	353	433	91
Rome, Ga.	922	8	1		16	141	273	367	290	117
Roseville, Minn.	781				13		160	464	491	144
Roswell, N. Mex.	892	4			8	20	277	517	482	66
Rotterdam, N.Y.	354				2	4	134	183	191	31
Saginaw Township, Mich.	315				3	3	123	175	218	11
Saint Charles, Mo.	419			1	6	17	123	177	234	95
Saint Cloud, Minn.	808				5	4	242	456	1,388	101
Saint Louis Park, Minn.	1,137		1	4	17	7	265	711	854	133
Salem, Mass.	830		2	4	18	27	519	257	405	5
Salina, Kans.	630	2		2	11	10	243	305	1,075	57
San Bruno, Calif.	843	2	3	7	18	14	414	192	569	196
San Carlos, Calif.	818			2	14	9	295	412	380	86
Sandusky, Ohio	571	1		3	18	31	244	216	881	58
San Gabriel, Calif.	739	3	4	1	37	16	281	300	400	101
San Luis Obispo, Calif.	525	3		2	10	14	180	236	131	80
San Rafael, Calif.	1,988	2	1	9	30	31	605	1,073	976	238
Santa Cruz, Calif.	1,561	2		10	50	83	589	619	918	208
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	1,349	3	2	4	23	29	542	555	458	193
Santa Maria, Calif.	1,119	1		9	23	71	492	441	512	82
Sarasota, Fla.	1,649	3		16	55	102	754	588	1,203	131
Saugus, Mass.	669				22	2	320	325	199	
Sayreville, N.J.	526		2		11	14	129	306	159	66
Seaside, Calif.	977	2		6	55	41	531	253	326	89
Selma, Ala.	939	4	1	8	25	231	355	250	425	66
Shaker Heights, Ohio	1,283	1	1	3	56	46	284	334	549	559
Shaler Township, Pa.	280		3		5		141	73	166	61
Shawnee, Okla.	523	2		1	5	72	187	158	213	98
Sheboygan, Wis.	575		2	1	7	7	192	309	1,079	59
Shelby Township, Mich.	521	1	1	6	12	28	218	202	217	54
Shelton, Conn.	373				3	17	197	109	155	47
Sherman, Texas	246	1		2	2	9	85	135	151	12
South Euclid, Ohio	157			1	7	1	65	54	194	29
Southgate, Mich.	1,290	1		3	40	49	322	715	637	160
Southington Town, Conn.	591		1	2	14	16	228	288	231	43
South Saint Paul, Minn.	384				4	3	90	218	200	69
South San Francisco, Calif.	1,551	1		4	28	13	576	688	670	241
Spartanburg, S.C.	2,170	8	3	20	61	235	756	874	935	216
Springfield, Oreg.	831			6	15	44	419	277	931	70
Springfield Township, Pa.	431			2	9	16	87	207	354	110
State College, Pa.	450			4		28	165	217	435	36
Steubenville, Ohio	784			4	21	16	323	340	442	80
Stillwater, Okla.	398				4	6	171	200	326	17
Stratford, Conn.	1,293	1	2	1	18	36	399	595	402	243
Superior, Wis.	745			3	10	60	250	288	818	144
Taunton, Mass.	1,603		7	3	16	31	796	267	447	490
Teaneck Township, N.J.	939			2	54	23	426	336	454	98
Temple, Tex.	797	1	2	8	26	42	285	343	420	92
Texarkana, Tex.	1,034	3	1	10	34	79	327	475	271	106
Texas City, Tex.	771	6		6	24	83	284	302	582	66
Titusville, Fla.	1,039	3			19	63	474	411	484	69
Torrington, Conn.	355		1	1	3	7	151	154	160	39
Troy, Mich.	1,471	1		3	26	17	524	712	1,030	188
Trumbull, Conn.	437				3	21	210	137	354	66

Table 60.—*Number of Offenses Known to the Police, 1970, Cities and Towns 25,000 and over in Population*—Continued

City	Total Crime Index	Criminal homicide		Forcible rape	Robbery	Aggravated assault	Burglary—breaking or entering	Larceny—theft		Auto theft
		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
Cities 25,000 to 50,000 in population—Continued										
University City, Mo.	1,527	3		4	111	32	740	327	973	310
Upland, Calif.	668			5	13	22	200	340	734	88
Upper Arlington, Ohio	425			1	2	10	201	195	1,284	16
Urbana, Ill.	557	1	1	4	31	31	238	197	341	55
Valdosta, Ga.	670	2	1	5	17	80	176	318	355	72
Vancouver, Wash.	946			1	16	29	468	351	506	81
Vernon, Conn.	540	1	1	2	4	38	303	157	263	35
Vestal, N.Y.	394		1			8	109	252	224	25
Vicksburg, Miss.	486	3			11	52	215	149	146	56
Victoria, Tex.	561	2	2	1	4	77	266	161	590	50
Villa Park, Ill.	219				4	19	114	53	225	29
Vineland, N.J.	1,097	2	6	6	34	37	370	446	468	202
Visalia, Calif.	1,073	3	2	3	24	41	530	339	1,320	133
Wakefield, Mass.	474		3	1	7	18	167	220	135	61
Wallingford, Conn.	673		5		4	13	317	247	327	92
Walnut Creek, Calif.	1,157			4	14	14	332	664	872	129
Warminster Township, Pa.	580		1	1	7	45	197	258	185	72
Warner Robins, Ga.	351	2			7		89	210	175	43
Watertown, Mass.	840	1			15	7	341	320	180	156
Watertown, N.Y.	537	1		1	1	8	227	263	428	36
Waukesha, Wis.	388	1		1	6	2	126	206	506	46
Wausau, Wis.	305				1	11	112	138	742	43
Wayne Township, N.J.	1,508	1		1	17	9	322	948	581	210
Webster Groves, Mo.	431		2	2	16	10	206	172	382	25
Weirton, W. Va.	389	1		1	8	11	210	89	150	69
Wellesley, Mass.	481		1		2	4	187	219	144	69
West Bloomfield Township, Mich.	586			4	4	8	298	229	203	43
Westfield, Mass.	566	1		2	5	4	165	292	208	97
Westfield, N.J.	313		1	1	4	16	142	108	334	42
West Memphis, Ark.	518	2		1	27	41	198	206	480	43
West Mifflin, Pa.	315	1	3	2	8	11	86	97	72	110
West New York, N.J.	813				5	9	298	191	94	310
West Orange, N.J.	589		1	2	10	4	241	239	188	93
Westport, Conn.	1,192			1	6	6	529	531	425	119
West Seneca, N.Y.	786		1		14	11	281	368	455	112
West Springfield, Mass.	1,284			2	19	41	376	519	230	327
Wethersfield, Conn.	337		3	1	11	8	123	145	167	49
Wheaton, Ill.	262			2	2	15	101	112	366	30
Wheeling, W. Va.	865	2	1	2	39	27	265	464	407	76
Whitehall, Ohio	870	3		6	25	9	363	333	582	131
Wilkinsburg, Pa.	998			3	100	63	341	206	243	285
Williamsport, Pa.	728	1	1	2	11	20	292	350	692	52
Willingboro Township, N.J.	430			1	10	25	243	79	77	72
Wilmette, Ill.	461	1		3	7	11	249	158	961	32
Wilmington, N.C.	2,510	11		10	152	206	1,156	812	1,038	163
Wilson, N.C.	864	5	2	4	17	163	217	349	703	109
Winona, Minn.	480			1	5	6	140	269	418	59
Woburn, Mass.	519				8		188	174	52	149
Woonsocket, R.I.	735	1			5	22	177	217	61	313
Wyandotte, Mich.	1,031	2	3	1	24	18	332	523	1,016	131
Xenia, Ohio	548			1	19	24	170	267	621	67
Yakima, Wash.	2,895	2	2	10	100	180	1,078	1,315	2,957	210
Ypsilanti, Mich.	1,343	2		7	83	108	622	337	1,066	184
Yuma, Ariz.	1,559	4		10	63	138	526	646	929	172
Zanesville, Ohio	772				28	4	384	256	378	100

[1] Larceny figures unclassified.

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		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
ALABAMA										
Jefferson	2,060	13	7	42	78	105	1,098	542	32	182
Limestone	77	3		1	4	13	21	33	21	2
Madison	108				2	3	69	32	20	2
Mobile	668	7		12	7	42	315	256	75	29
Shelby	149	5	1	6	1	13	62	44	8	18
ARIZONA										
Maricopa	2,778	9	38	48	49	287	1,077	1,028	713	280
Pima	2,127	8	9	30	39	96	790	875	760	289
ARKANSAS										
Crittenden	137	3			4	19	62	39	20	10
Pulaski	1,920	6	11	46	82	197	781	659	413	149
Sebastian	216			1		54	92	67	43	2
CALIFORNIA [1]										
Alameda	4,065	2		33	120	138	2,075	1,335	883	362
Contra Costa	5,913	10		47	130	279	3,192	2,255	1,794	
Fresno	5,518	9		69	123	274	2,862	2,174	1,660	7
Kern	6,893	10		54	180	188	2,986	3,039	4,034	436
Los Angeles	71,095	121	10	686	3,155	6,911	30,073	19,206	22,771	10,943
Marin	1,977	3	2	24	67	26	708	1,136	1,096	23
Monterey	2,486	7		20	70	86	1,353	942	937	8
Napa	856			7	22	91	419	308	183	9
Orange	4,806	3	1	41	91	279	2,615	1,331	2,392	446
Placer	1,227	4			5	14	586	615	445	3
Riverside	6,846	16	1	65	165	431	3,711	1,922	2,929	536
Sacramento	15,537	13	2	72	344	335	5,500	7,878	5,181	1,395
San Bernardino	8,826	25	8	59	190	396	4,706	2,464	2,201	986
San Diego	6,721	10		42	121	165	3,069	2,673	2,165	641
San Joaquin	4,956	14		34	143	242	2,529	1,994	1,552	
San Mateo	4,141	6		36	117	233	1,928	1,225	1,121	596
Santa Barbara	3,570	3		36	42	190	1,620	1,663	1,693	16
Santa Clara	6,934	2	2	73	123	262	3,018	2,790	1,908	666
Solano	705	1		7	23	27	349	293	204	5
Sonoma	3,057	8	2	23	37	123	1,839	1,019	1,007	8
Stanislaus	3,028	4	1	29	85	126	1,642	909	1,447	233
Ventura	4,920	5	3	66	55	112	2,222	2,123	2,709	337
Yolo	1,689	4		12	56	27	881	676	718	134
COLORADO										
Adams	2,145	4		27	44	215	810	807	753	238
Arapahoe	1,057	2		9	10	71	492	394	320	79
Boulder	793	3		2	4	32	384	301	287	67
El Paso	1,784	1	3	17	49	72	748	745	714	152
Jefferson	2,882	10	2	35	98	81	1,861	342	266	455
Pueblo	371	1		4	10	75	134	113	120	34
DELAWARE										
New Castle	1,329	2	1	4	11	340	416	455	834	101
FLORIDA										
Alachua	749	8		13	39	86	383	159	252	61
Broward	5,700	38		36	242	425	2,536	1,506	1,393	917
Dade	27,705	87	50	81	1,795	1,761	9,211	10,425	8,224	4,345
Escambia	5,671	9		21	85	284	2,802	1,962	1,839	508
Hillsborough	5,510	13		54	129	434	3,332	1,112	2,968	436
Orange	5,271	23		61	118	72	3,381	1,327	1,008	289
Palm Beach	3,844	12	4	32	97	570	1,447	1,388	1,555	298

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		Murder and non-negligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
FLORIDA—Con.										
Pinellas	2,685	4		15	54	166	1,824	436	1,110	186
Santa Rosa	455	2	1	6	8	39	144	214	68	42
Seminole	1,407	8	7	28	13	178	661	480	331	39
GEORGIA										
Bibb	377	3	3	3	8	11	189	137	49	26
Chatham	1,879	6	7	26	44	137	738	732	531	196
Clayton	1,318	1		9	42	4	503	592	238	167
Cobb	3,147	10	5	29	91	195	1,461	929	432	432
Fulton	1,595	6	6	10	45	12	743	578	342	201
Muscogee	118		2	1		9	52	49	14	7
Richmond	2,410	15	16	37	82	86	1,217	766	747	207
HAWAII										
Honolulu	7,898	10		30	105	81	3,377	3,164	5,108	1,131
IDAHO										
Ada	576			12	6	79	269	173	133	37
ILLINOIS										
Champaign	870			4	4	67	372	412	239	11
Cook	3,155	4	22	27	67	208	1,201	1,274	792	374
Du Page	1,993	3		26	19	138	933	717	465	157
Henry	212			2	1	10	120	71	31	8
Lake	1,420		6	22	26	116	752	376	758	128
McHenry	732	4	2	4	11	24	281	352	198	56
McLean	433			7	8	20	197	189	96	12
Macon	233	2		1	1	1	125	102	56	1
Madison	1,485			17	32	17	689	512	176	218
Peoria	638	3		3	9	17	335	200	179	71
Rock Island	492		1	6	1	91	232	137	128	25
Sangamon	703			12	22	22	450	167	71	30
Winnebago	1,039	3		14	29	39	382	494	310	78
Woodford	101				2		69	26	29	4
INDIANA										
Allen	1,134	1	22	12	27	46	578	400	289	70
Boone	65						62	2	1	1
Delaware	352			3	13	2	170	129	123	35
Hancock	135			1	1		101	28		4
Lake	1,806	1	1	7	61	24	509	716	518	488
Madison	431						265	162	37	4
Marion	4,716	13	1	96	112	191	2,356	1,291	2,156	657
Marshall	274		6			11	189	62	40	12
Saint Joseph	601	4	6		11	29	278	248	487	31
Shelby	430	1	1	5		53	183	168	52	20
Sullivan	233					21	104	105	11	3
Vanderburgh	259		1	1	6	21	168	53	187	10
Vermillion	30					4	15	10	3	1
Warrick	68						60	5		3
IOWA										
Black Hawk	166	1			1		44	113	82	7
Dubuque	190				1	2	115	60	30	12
Linn	399	2		5	5	13	148	203	111	23
Polk	765	3		1	21	47	237	396	80	60
Pottawattamie	362			3	7	1	150	174	62	27
Scott	173			1	1	2	84	78	22	7
Woodbury	129		6		1	2	54	64	32	8

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		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
KANSAS										
Butler	376	2		9	2	6	211	128	118	18
Johnson	372	1	4	6	7	48	172	116	62	22
Sedgwick	944	1	4	9	11	37	452	361	386	73
Shawnee	507			3	8	43	234	192	70	27
Wyandotte	443	6			6	31	179	134	103	87
KENTUCKY										
Boone [2]	300				6	13	164	66	42	51
Boyd	40				1	4	19	13	6	3
Campbell	242	1	3	4	5	23	114	78	80	20
Daviess	271	1	1	7	9	31	67	145	95	11
Fayette	1,391	6	4	22	37	62	718	441	661	105
Henderson	132						66	67	14	
Jefferson	6,934	15	25	69	142	174	2,356	2,960	2,009	1,218
Kenton	361	4		5	15	10	171	101	44	55
LOUISIANA										
Bossier	367	4	1	6	11	60	124	139	90	23
Caddo	550	6		5	18	15	267	212	143	27
Calcasieu	1,328	4		11	27	134	547	533	287	72
East Baton Rouge	3,967	10	3	45	97	561	1,772	1,008	1,150	474
Jefferson	7,821	16	4	80	271	458	3,209	2,507	1,973	1,280
Lafayette	874			14	9	236	239	308	175	68
Ouachita	349	8	13	10	6	40	124	136	184	26
Saint Tammany	779	5	1	19	9	109	316	248	350	73
MAINE										
Androscoggin	188						144	38	39	6
Cumberland	313					7	221	81	42	4
MARYLAND										
Baltimore	15,012	11	7	89	432	459	4,629	7,044	8,406	2,348
Harford	257			1		9	131	106	124	10
Howard	1,184	2	1	11	16	88	495	466	564	106
Montgomery	11,080	13	4	28	294	152	3,448	5,505	6,222	1,640
Prince Georges	16,716	39	46	115	916	873	3,469	5,872	6,131	3,431
MICHIGAN										
Clinton	156			1		2	86	56	46	11
Eaton	805	1	12	5	10	24	405	314	383	46
Genesee	2,085	2	5	23	72	103	657	1,026	978	202
Ingham	1,774		2	8	26	41	824	702	719	173
Jackson	829	1		7	15		602	116	402	88
Kalamazoo	610	1		6	12	12	303	237	341	39
Kent	922			9	12	11	394	420	613	76
Lapeer	176	2		3	2		118	40	119	11
Macomb	1,353		6	12	26	57	542	620	388	96
Monroe	1,020	3	1	8	19	40	432	454	754	64
Oakland	3,202	9		30	51	65	1,619	1,102	1,129	326
Ottawa	618			1	2	18	309	260	652	19
Saginaw	798	4		2	15	14	477	253	505	33
Washtenaw	1,909	2	2	10	47	58	1,076	387	946	329
MINNESOTA										
Anoka	381			5	3	4	177	168	73	24
Clay	93		1	1		3	42	40	38	7
Dakota	162			4	2	3	67	74	45	12
Hennepin	365	1		7	4	1	122	186	95	44
Olmsted	253			4		2	145	73	63	29
Ramsey	233			1	1	6	65	139	115	21
Saint Louis	771	1	1	4	4	16	462	245	162	39
Washington	593	1		1	4	3	301	245	115	38

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		Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter	Manslaughter by negligence					$50 and over	Under $50	
MISSISSIPPI										
Rankin	169	6	1	8	11	56	53	15	46	20
MISSOURI										
Buchanan	540	1	1	9	15	73	132	168	129	142
Cass	229	1		4	2	11	116	88	15	7
Clay	182			4	4	8	89	72	23	5
Greene	291	1	2	1	7	2	117	134	84	29
Jackson	494	1	4	9	4	39	261	148	110	32
Jefferson	1,315			11	6	112	773	302	263	111
Saint Charles	580	2		6	12	18	267	243	124	32
Saint Louis	6,393	7	28	43	97	162	3,074	1,939	3,708	1,071
MONTANA										
Cascade	219	1		3		11	116	57	74	31
Yellowstone	516			4	1	69	175	228	135	39
NEBRASKA										
Douglas	445		3	4	6	5	226	169	132	35
Lancaster	172	1	1	1	4	10	66	73	133	17
NEVADA										
Clark	4,859	8		27	212	194	1,889	1,797	899	732
NEW JERSEY										
Atlantic	659		15	4	26	22	326	193	68	88
Bergen	18	1	6	1	2	2	2	8		2
Burlington	747	2	20	8	24	25	320	228	78	140
Camden	203		13		9	8	114	48	18	24
Cumberland	451	8	11	3	16	25	222	117	30	60
Essex	16		4		3		2	8	1	3
Hudson	32		1		7	1	7	10		7
Mercer	235	1	6	2	6	5	115	76	16	30
Morris	23			1	1	1	8	11	1	1
Salem	341	3	6	4	15	13	174	89	23	43
Union	12		3		1		6	4		1
Warren	378	1	11	5	10	7	233	100	41	22
NEW MEXICO										
Bernalillo	1,712	4		27	29	100	981	346	610	225
NEW YORK										
Broome	537			8	13	34	305	126	589	51
Erie	785	1	1	1	10	121	242	338	308	72
Livingston	277			2	2	10	181	53	282	29
Madison	41	1	1	3	3	6	20	7	4	1
Monroe	1,832	3		5	13	18	697	943	2,076	153
Nassau	21,665	14	3	21	725	229	6,980	8,828	12,643	4,868
Niagara	640	3	8	1	10	34	265	280	264	47
Onondaga	1,226	2	1	11	18		536	532	1,359	127
Orleans	91	1		3	1	23	50	9	50	4
Oswego	147			1	1	3	91	42	111	9
Rensselaer	10			2			5	3	9	
Rockland	87					17	44	25	21	1
Schenectady	96				3	8	36	43	51	6
Suffolk	29,098	27	4	57	578	286	9,907	14,352	11,045	3,891
Tioga	217		3			4	129	64	120	20
Wayne	217	1		5	1	43	96	54	212	17

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NORTH CAROLINA										
Cumberland	2,386	13	2	14	53	112	875	1,229	1,263	90
Durham	566	6		1	2	10	311	202	84	34
Forsyth	733	2	1	6	7	42	421	205	233	50
Guilford	958	4		5	21	103	423	289	265	23
Mecklenburg	2,650	13	12	23	58	126	1,359	861	553	210
New Hanover	650				17	44	300	241	129	48
Orange	264	2		12	15	63	112	44	33	16
Union	273	5		5	7	81	131	40	16	4
Wake	843	7	1	3	15	35	452	283	56	48
NORTH DAKOTA										
Cass	125	2		1		2	54	51	50	15
OHIO										
Allen	1,101		3	3	23	81	444	484	702	66
Belmont	222	2		6	6	6	113	77	35	12
Clark	767			13	12	12	340	332	365	58
Clermont	664	1		2	8	8	376	190	183	79
Delaware	300	1	1			1	182	107	70	9
Franklin	2,424	1		30	78	83	845	1,054	927	333
Geauga	700	1			5	25	285	335	123	49
Greene	499			11	6	35	305	116	123	26
Hamilton	2,463	2	21	18	39	42	1,039	1,046	1,458	277
Jefferson	405	2	2	9	27	111	142	75	31	39
Lake	449	2	1	1	7	33	314	39	46	53
Lawrence	582	3	5	7	18	88	262	125	162	79
Lorain	569	1	16	2	34	17	298	116	76	101
Lucas	779	1	2	4	17	107	375	238	173	37
Mahoning	582		10	10	29	51	230	212	93	50
Medina	581	1		3	6	30	277	196	154	68
Miami	583	1	8	4	17	21	307	202	142	31
Montgomery	2,121	10	7	9	118	32	1,127	593	1,455	232
Portage	818	3		18	21	37	392	280	304	67
Preble	269	2			4	10	179	70	42	4
Putnam	122	2			1	15	62	34	74	8
Richland	802	2		6	8	27	447	277	233	35
Stark	1,805	4	3	12	66	40	805	760	1,235	118
Summit	2,234	2	2	22	39	177	830	734	665	430
Trumbull	531	5			19	58	276	111	187	62
Van Wert	112					10	33	65	60	4
Warren	666			4	13	149	339	139	104	22
OKLAHOMA										
Canadian	154				3	10	75	57	15	9
Cleveland	137			1	1	4	81	49	24	1
Comanche	265	1	3	6	9	43	107	85	90	14
Le Flore	66	3		3	4	26	13	11	2	6
Osage	215	3		4	8	8	124	63	10	5
Sequoyah	105	2	1	14	4	24	25	19	6	17
Tulsa	916	2		4	16	17	532	258	142	87
OREGON										
Clackamas	2,119	1	8	18	10	54	1,081	809	473	146
Lane	1,678	4	9	9	10	49	873	650	841	83
Marion	1,141	3	6	10	13	73	575	422	504	45
Multnomah	6,648	2	3	43	142	302	3,011	2,280	3,063	868
Polk	188	1		7		11	104	59	41	6
Washington	2,102	3		10	16	69	1,110	714	618	180
PENNSYLVANIA										
Allegheny	630	3		2	20	4	126	3		472

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SOUTH CAROLINA										
Aiken	881	11		5	23	128	407	237	276	69
Berkeley	198	6	1	6	11	35	85	51	15	4
Charleston	5,167	15	25	64	203	264	2,180	1,481	2,123	959
Greenville	4,577	31		23	104	234	2,109	1,322	874	754
Lexington	752	6	1	8	13	39	293	377	141	26
Pickens	725	4	2	2	15	90	247	243	36	124
Richland	2,953	16	4	37	80	492	1,442	589	283	297
SOUTH DAKOTA										
Minnehaha	216			7	3	1	88	98	43	19
TENNESSEE										
Anderson	336	2		9	8	51	159	71	38	36
Hamilton	1,518	2		6	20	25	691	390	112	384
Knox	813	9		7	5	122	599	51	101	20
Shelby	1,131	4	9	25	30	80	612	323	600	57
TEXAS										
Archer	33	1			1	1	9	20	4	1
Bexar	2,268	8		35	47	119	927	991	909	141
Bowie	63	1					40	18	17	4
Cameron	227			9	4	67	74	53	71	20
Collin	376			4	5	7	198	146	40	15
Denton	177	2		2	9	21	89	47	38	7
Ector	587	1		2	8	9	233	309	192	25
El Paso	314	1	11	4	6	20	154	114	72	15
Fort Bend	316	2		17	19	51	131	85	28	11
Grayson	546	2		4	4	23	300	203	73	10
Guadalupe	152			3	4	32	76	32	19	5
Hidalgo	495			3	1	22	355	97	128	17
Jefferson	410	2		2	11	28	165	180	60	22
Johnson	471	2	2		8	15	223	179	61	44
Lubbock	521	9		8	4	59	247	166	45	28
McLennan	435	2			15	35	211	137	51	35
Nueces	418	2		10	16	6	176	124	24	84
Potter	258	2		1	12	26	93	123	45	1
Randall	81	2			2	2	35	39	11	1
Tarrant	779	5		10	25	40	296	346	100	57
Taylor	205				14	23	68	94	41	6
Travis	1,185	2		14	8	189	646	281	157	45
Webb	40	1		1		2	15	21		
Wichita	192			5	3	60	52	62	24	9
UTAH										
Davis	210	3		5	3	12	107	65	85	15
Salt Lake	5,419	7	2	21	54	79	1,989	2,559	4,137	710
Utah	478			1		36	195	223	104	23
Weber	290	1		6	4	16	144	112	87	7
VIRGINIA										
Amherst	213	6		5	3	71	66	57	45	5
Campbell	446	6		5	7	129	150	131	151	18
Chesterfield	1,075	5	25	9	14	36	486	471	604	54
Fairfax	9,760	17	22	66	222	373	4,054	3,027	8,837	2,001
Hanover	464	1		2	3	1	252	177	95	28
Henrico	4,566	6	19	22	67	133	1,840	1,972	2,940	526
Prince George	181			4	2	11	81	74	144	9
Roanoke	579	2		3	5	52	271	211	285	35
York	196	2		2	4	5	125	49	33	9

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WASHINGTON										
Clark	1,307	.....	.....	2	20	25	656	525	796	79
King	14,157	10	.....	95	194	237	6,863	4,806	3,836	1,952
Pierce	4,960	9	.....	42	60	206	2,293	1,835	1,640	515
Snohomish	3,370	5	.....	19	23	93	2,192	718	986	320
Spokane	1,876	.....	.....	20	25	73	750	870	761	138
WISCONSIN										
Brown	638	1	6	2	11	7	266	287	507	64
Calumet	137	.....	.....	2	.....	5	62	50	73	18
Dane	909	3	.....	8	12	99	313	345	306	129
Douglas	306	.....	.....	1	1	9	202	47	69	46
Kenosha	1,043	.....	6	4	11	37	474	433	427	84
Milwaukee	182	.....	1	1	3	18	3	114	94	43
Outagamie	356	.....	.....	4	1	7	172	141	283	31
Ozaukee	136	.....	1	3	.....	1	55	62	78	15
Racine	815	2	1	2	20	9	382	337	522	63
Washington	326	.....	.....	.....	2	2	143	161	96	18
Waukesha	632	.....	16	1	2	17	279	305	180	28
OTHER AREAS										
Canal Zone [3]	727	2	2	6	23	12	423	201	996	60
Guam	1,136	6	7	8	10	43	513	388	530	168
Puerto Rico	58,227	167	339	637	2,006	12,218	22,786	12,859	10,382	7,554

[1] Does not include auto theft offenses reported by California Highway Patrol.
[2] Includes crime from both sheriff and county police.
[3] Fiscal year figures.

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