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The Definition of Crime Changes

NIBRS Replaces UCR

Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR), which is promulgated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in conjunction with the police chiefs and sheriffs across the United States, has been the national crime reporting method since the 1930s. "Crime in the United States" is the most recognizable UCR product and is the official national summary of crime and arrests. Starting in 1989, the FBI started accepting the new NIBRS crime data from approved states. Because only eight states submit all of their crime data via NIBRS, Crime in the United States is still published in the UCR format, with the FBI translating NIBRS state's data to the UCR format for the national report.

National Incident Based Crime Reporting System (NIBRS) eliminates the UCR "hierarchical rule" where only the most serious charge in a crime is counted. NIBRS now provides a complete count of each serious charge within a criminal event. Under UCR, "*reported crimes*" was the broadest measurement of crime. Under UCR detailed crime information was only provided for the eight violent and serious property crimes. Under NIBRS detailed information is provided for 22 crimes with specific counts of all serious charges and is referred to as "*offenses received.*" These changes in counting result in a fundamental change in the measurement of crime and as such the comparison to the Crime in Delaware series which began in 1977 and ended in 2002 is only roughly comparable to the new and expanded NIBRS crime reporting.

To provide a viable history, the State Bureau of Identification in the Delaware State Police provided a 2000 to 2005 summary for the detailed NIBRS crime information for this report.

UCR Part I Crime versus NIBRS Group A Crime

UCR Part I Crimes: Murder, Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary, Larceny, Motor Vehicle Theft, and Arson.

NIBRS Group A Crimes: Homicide, Kidnapping, Forcible Sex Offenses, Robbery, Assaults (all), Arson, Extortion/Blackmail, Burglary, Larceny/Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft, Counterfeiting/Forgery, Fraud, Embezzlement, Stolen Property, Property Destruction/Vandalism, Drug/Narcotic Offenses, Other Sex Offenses, Bribery, Pornography/Obscene Material, Gambling, Prostitution, and Weapon Law Violations.

NIBRS Implementation and Data Sharing

The Delaware Uniform Crime Reporting system, maintained by the Delaware State Bureau of Identification, completed its upgrade to a National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) in 2006. NIBRS is a second-generation national crime reporting system, in which information is collected and reported on an incident level, allowing for more detailed analysis.

NIBRS collects data on each single incident and arrest within 22 Offense categories which consist of 46 specific crimes called "Group A Offenses". For each of the offenses coming to the attention of Law Enforcement, specific types of facts about each crime are gathered. In addition to the Group A offenses, there are 11 Group B offense categories for which only summary complaint and arrest data are reported.

Since its inception in 2000, 100 percent of 53 Delaware law enforcement agencies were reporting NIBRS data to the statewide repository.

NIBRS is gradually replacing the long-standing Uniform Crime Reporting program. Throughout the UCR program's first 60 years of operation it remained virtually unchanged in terms of the data collected and disseminated. With time, a wider use evolved for UCR data, and law enforcement agencies expanded their capabilities to supply crime information. In the late 1970s, the law enforcement community began a thorough evaluative study of UCR in an attempt to recommend an expanded and enhanced UCR Program to meet law enforcement needs into the 21st century. Following a multiyear study, a "Blueprint for the Future of the Uniform Crime Reporting Program" was developed. Using the "Blueprint" and in consultation with local and state law enforcement executives, new guidelines for crime reporting were formulated as The National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS).

NIBRS offers law enforcement and policy makers more comprehensive data than ever before available for management, training, planning, and research. The implementation of NIBRS will be at a pace commensurate with the resources, abilities, and limitations of the contributing law enforcement agencies. It is important to stress that while NIBRS is being implemented, the traditional UCR reporting format is still being used extensively.

FBI pilot testing has begun of a third-generation crime reporting system, which aims to extend the scope of NIBRS into the realm of information sharing. The NIBRS data are designed to be generated as a by-product of local, state and federal automated record systems. This new system promises to provide law enforcement agencies with current, secure, investigative information that has strategic, operational, and tactical intelligence value.

The FBI was able to accept NIBRS data as of January 1989, and to date, the following 29 state programs have been certified for NIBRS participation: Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, Nebraska, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wisconsin. Among those that submit NIBRS data, eight states (Delaware, Idaho, Iowa, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, and Vermont) submit all their data via the NIBRS.

http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius_04/summary/index.html

Delaware's Long Road to NIBRS implementation

***By Sharon Durham**, Delaware State Police, State Bureau of Identification.*
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I remember returning from Orange Beach, Alabama, following my first conference on the National Incident- Based Reporting System (NIBRS) in 1988 thinking that implementation of the new System wouldn't be too bad and that our Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) staff could handle modifications and additions required for NIBRS without any problems. After all, Delaware had been collecting automated, incident-based information since the 1970s. All police agencies in the state were already using a standardized incident report, and data entry was performed on a statewide mainframe system. Since, in essence, our agencies were already collecting more data than required for UCR; I assumed that only minor modifications would be necessary in order to become NIBRS compliant. Boy was I wrong! Nine years after we undertook NIBRS implementation, we are finally on the verge of being certified and are looking forward to that moment.

Hindsight illuminates the magnitude of our underestimation of what needed to transpire in order to establish a NIBRS compatible system. The first problem we encountered was a big one—funding. Initially our programming staff estimated conversion costs at $18,000; naturally, we submitted a grant request to the Bureau of Justice Statistics for that amount. Unfortunately, the original estimate was, to say the very least, off the mark, and a year later we found ourselves submitting yet another request for $80,000. However, once funding was acquired, we were on our way.

Because we only had to add about 15 additional data elements to our current data entry screens, that aspect of the conversion wasn't difficult. Programmers modified the input screens and added edit checks to the online input system to assure uniformity of data entry. State program staff modified coding and report-writing manuals and provided training at the state's four input sites. During this process, we were still producing the Summary UCR data tape and paper data collection forms monthly. When the time came to produce the first NIBRS data tape, we encountered our second major problem— programmer error. In an attempt to develop the NIBRS tape capacity, the programmer somehow totally deleted the program that produced our Summary UCR tape. Needless to say, the programmer was removed from the project, and we had to start from scratch.

The next programmer, who stayed for approximately 3 years, reestablished our ability to produce the statistical printouts required for Summary reporting. We then decided that, in order to concentrate on producing the NIBRS tape, we would rely solely on paper reports for Summary submission and not redevelop tape capacity. We have continued to submit NIBRS test tapes to the FBI since 1991. Through these years of testing, we have had five different programmers, a circumstance which has made us aware of a third problem—the learning curve. We have discovered that a programmer's learning curve for NIBRS is at least 1 year.

During this period, we encountered yet another obstacle—the state's decision makers decreed that an entirely new statewide Criminal Justice Information System would be implemented; this decision presented problems for our NIBRS data collection efforts. Further modification of data entry screens created a need for more hours of testing and training. The addition of new data elements, overall system changes, and personnel issues resulted in a tremendous input backlog throughout the state. Measures then had to be taken to eliminate the backlog. Among these

were the development of mini input screens that allowed us to distribute data entry to resources other than the state's four input sites. Again, staff provided hours of testing and training, and we expended funds for overtime and temporary personnel. Through these efforts, the backlog was eliminated, and still we managed to send NIBRS test tapes to the FBI.

In contrast to the above-mentioned setbacks, we received very positive support from the FBI. In May 1999, staff from the FBI's education/Training Services Unit provided training that proved to be extremely beneficial. Participants included the state program data entry and coding staff, programmers, and the UCR manager. During the meetings, we were able to resolve many issues relating to crime classification, and the participants came away with a better understanding of NIBRS. In September 1999, at our request, an FBI Quality Assurance Review (QAR) team reviewed all four input sites in the state. The review went well; all agencies appeared to classify crimes uniformly. In both instances, the FBI staff did an outstanding job and was great to work with. The experience and knowledge gained from the NIBRS training and the QAR reviews are invaluable. My advice to all states and agencies is to take full advantage of both of these programs.

The length of time that it has taken Delaware to reach this point in NIBRS certification clearly has not been only the result of the NIBRS certification process or requirements. As I have stated, there have been other unanticipated obstacles— personnel problems, system changes, backlogs, etc.—that have hindered the process. Since our error rate is now at an acceptable level, and we have been approved for all elements of certification except statistical reasonableness, the FBI would like to review one more tape before the final certification. At present, we are diligently working with our programmer to submit our final data tape. In spite of all our unforeseen obstacles, we anticipate NIBRS certification early in the year 2000. Since Delaware requires all police agencies to submit NIBRS data to the state Program, once certified we will be submitting NIBRS data for the entire state. Very few states in the Nation can make that statement, and Delaware will take pride in joining the ranks of those that can.

Work on NIBRS continued until it has become fully implemented. Sharon Durham was promoted to the Assistant Director of SBI but she remains the State Program Manager for Crime Reporting. Renee Rigby took over for Sharon Durham as Crime Reports Supervisor in 1996.

Delaware became a certified NIBRS (National Incident Based Reporting System) in July 2001. We had been collecting NIBRS data for many years, so there were not many changes with the data in the system. However, once we started producing new reports with more Group A offenses everyone began to question the data. We did have a few issues that were quickly resolved. Everyone adjusted well once we explained the new way of counting crime.

By Renee Rigby, *State Bureau of Identification Quality Control Manager, 2007*

In 2003 we started using a new state system, LEISS (Law Enforcement Investigative Support Systems) to complete the crime reports. This was another learning curve for the NIBRS staff. It's actually a great system that allows all law enforcement agencies throughout the state to produce their crime reports. The NIBRS Quality Control Section then uses the same system to review the reports. Once the report is approved by a Quality Control employee, the report goes directly to our NIBRS files to be submitted to the FBI. The data is then submitted electronically to the FBI. The state system produces an error listing on all reports that exist in the system and those reports are corrected and sent on the next submission. Currently Delaware is submitting crime data to the FBI monthly.

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Delaware Statewide Crime Summary 2000 - 2005

Table 1

Crime in Delaware Offenses Received 2000 - 2005						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Violent Crimes	26,498	27,858	27,994	27,129	26,309	27,263
Serious Property Crimes	31,295	30,168	30,643	29,884	29,202	28,112
Drug Crimes	7,277	7,912	7,685	8,535	8,341	9,876
Other Property & Social Crimes	28,914	28,797	29,008	28,471	27,422	27,566
Total Offenses Received	93,984	94,735	95,330	94,019	91,274	92,817
Crime Rates for Offenses Received per 1,000 Population						
Delaware Population	**786,418**	**795,419**	**805,774**	**817,831**	**830,082**	**843,540**
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Violent Crimes	33.8	35	34.7	33.2	31.8	32.3
Serious Property Crimes	39.9	37.9	38	36.5	35.2	33.3
Drug Crimes	9.3	9.9	9.5	10.4	10	11.7
Other Property & Social Crimes	36.9	36.2	36	34.8	33	32.6
Total Offenses Received	119.5	119.1	118.3	114.9	109.9	110.0
Percentage Change in Offenses Received						
	2001	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**	**2000-2005**
Violent Crimes	5.1%	.5%	-3.1%	-3%	3.6%	2.9%
Serious Property Crimes	-3.6%	1.6%	-2.5%	-2.3%	-3.7%	-10.2%
Drug Crimes	8.7%	-2.9 %	11.1%	-2.3%	18.4%	35.7%
Other Property & Social Crimes	-.4%	.7%	-1.9%	-3.7%	.5%	-4.7%
Total Offenses Received	.8%	.6%	-1.4%	-2.9%	1.7%	-1.2%

Offenses Received pertains to the number of reported crimes using the NIBRS protocol.
Violent Crimes include Criminal Homicide, Kidnapping/Abduction, Forcible sex offenses, Robbery, Assault and Weapons law violations.
Serious Property Crimes include Arson, Extortion/blackmail, Burglary, Larceny/Theft and Motor vehicle theft.
Drug Offenses include Group A Drug/Narcotic Violations and Group A Drug Equipment Violations
Other Property & Social Crimes include Counterfeiting/Forgery, Fraud, Embezzlement, Stolen Property, Property Destruction/Vandalism, non-forcible Sex Offenses, Pornography/ Obscene Material, Gambling Offenses, Prostitution and Bribery

READERS NOTES

Crime rates are sometimes calculated from multiple tables throughout the report and put into the text portion of the publication. Therefore, the reader will not necessarily see a table that reflects that calculation. Crime Rates are calculated using the most current Center for Applied Demography and Survey Research (CADSR) project Data. http://www.cadsr.udel.edu/

2000 – 2005 CRIME IN DELAWARE CRIME SUMMARY AND HIGHLIGHTS

- **TOTAL REPORTED GROUP A CRIME DECREASES.** Offenses Received have had a 1.2 percent decrease between 2000 and 2005. The total offenses received, Group A crime complaints went from 93,984 in 2000 to a five year low of 91,274 in 2004. Total crime received reached a six year high in 2002 at 95,330. (See Figure 2)

- **THE CRIME RATE DECREASES FASTER THAN THE NUMBER OF CRIMES.** There has been a 7.9 percent decrease in the Crime Rate for Offenses Received since 2000. The crime rate in 2000 was 119.51, and almost annually decreased to 110.03 in 2005. (See Tables 2 and 5) The crime rate decreased faster than the number of crimes because the state population increased so much. Between 2000 and 2005, Delaware population increased 7.3 percent, from 786,418 to 843,540. (See Table 58) As the state experienced a growth spurt, crime decreased slightly, thus generating a decreasing crime rate.

- **VIOLENT CRIMES INCREASE.** There has been a 2.9 percent increase in Violent Crimes since 2000. There were 26,498 violent offenses received in 2000, and 27, 263 reported in 2005. (See Table 7) The six year peak for Violent Crime was 27, 994 in 2002.

- **DRUG CRIMES INCREASE**. Drug Crimes have increased 35.7 percent since 2000. In 2000, there were 7,277 reported Drug Offenses. This increased to 9,876 in 2005. (See Table 24)

- **OVERALL ARRESTS INCREASE**. There has been a 33 percent overall increase in Group A arrests since 2000. In 2000, 20,610 adults and juveniles had been arrested. This increased to a six year high in 2005, when 27,407 adults and juveniles were arrested. (See Table 30)

- **ADULT ARRESTS INCREASE 36 PERCENT**. There has been a 36.3 percent increase in adult Group A arrests since 2000. In 2000, there were 16,082 adult arrests. In 2005, there were 21,917 adult arrests. (See Table 32)

- **JUVENILE ARRESTS INCREASE 21 PERCENT**. There has been a 21.2 percent increase in juvenile Group A arrests since 2000. In 2000, there were a total of 4,528 juvenile arrests. In 2005, the number of juveniles arrested increased to 5,490. (See Table 37)

- **CRIMES CLEARED INCREASE 13 PERCENT**. Since 2000, there has been a 13.2 percent increase in the percentage of statewide offenses cleared. (See Table 42)

- **GROUP B COMPLAINTS INCREASE**. Group B Complaints received, which represents the less serious crimes, has increased 5.9 percent since 2000. (See Table 55)

Delaware Statewide Crime by Offenses Received

Although Group A crime peaked in 2002, the crime rate per 1,000 actually decreased compared to earlier years because the state's population increased faster than crimes. When crime peaked in 2002 at 95,330, the crime rate per 1,000 at 118.3, it was actually lower than 2001, even though crimes was lower in 2001. Since 2002, as crime has decreased and the state's population has increased, the crime rate per 1,000 has decreased. In 2004, the crime rate reached a six year low of 109.9 per 1,000. It increased slightly (.1 percent) in 2005 as crime increased to 110.0 per 1,000.

Drug Offenses account for 11 percent of crimes received, violent crime account for 29 percent, while serious property crimes and other property and social crimes each account for 30 percent each of all crimes received.

Group A Offenses consist of the 22 major NIBRS crimes ranging from arson through assault, burglary, vandalism, drug offenses, fraud, homicides and forcible sex offenses. Group A detailed information is based on each major charge in the crime incident, instead of just the most serious incident, as was the case under the UCR crime reporting system.

The term "Offenses Received" pertains to the number of reported crimes using the NIBRS protocol.

Offenses Received increased between 2000 and 2002. In 2000, there were 93,984 Group A offenses received in Delaware and increased to 95,330 in 2002. Delaware crime had since decreased reaching a low in 2004 of 91,274. In 2005, crime increased 1.7 percent to 92,817.

Table 2

Group A Offenses Received per 1,000					
2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
119.5	119.1	118.3	114.9	109.9	110.0

Delaware Statewide Crime Offenses Received, Crimes by Type

Figure 1

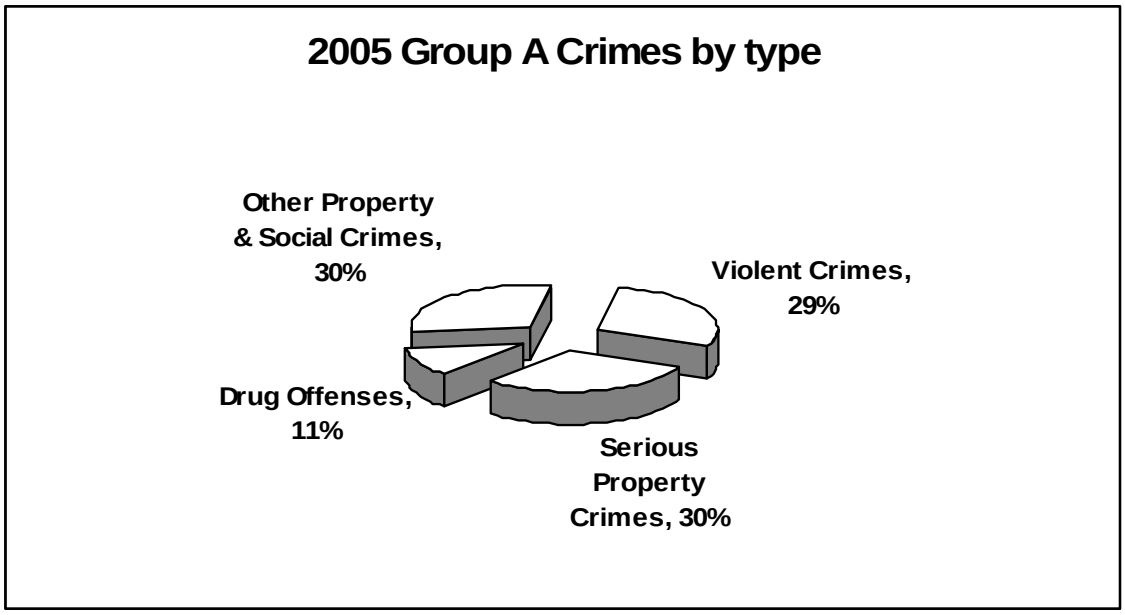
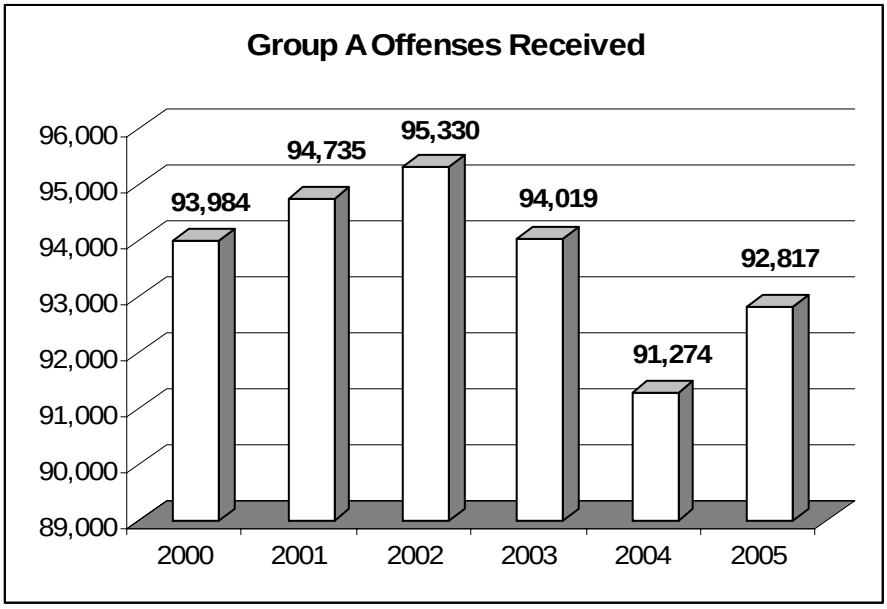


Figure 2



Delaware Statewide Crime Detail,

Group A Offenses Received 2000 – 2005

Table 3

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Criminal Homicide	27	31	32	27	28	48
Kidnapping/Abduction	382	377	432	431	418	382
Sex Offenses, Forcible	555	558	483	465	465	842*
Robbery	1,440	1,479	1,629	1,764	1,580	1,538
Assaults	21,908	23,218	23,089	22,108	21,549	21,886
Arson	462	447	431	368	376	384
Extortion/Blackmail	18	16	11	7	13	18
Burglary	5,396	5,534	5,933	6,275	5,884	6,055
Larceny/Theft	21,770	21,090	20,720	20,039	20,446	19,187
Motor Vehicle Theft	3,649	3,081	3,548	3,195	2,483	2,468
Counterfeiting/Forgery	1,163	1,219	1,143	1,128	1,180	1,231
Fraud	4,463	4,980	4,948	5,339	5,063	5,533
Embezzlement	476	524	436	397	361	422
Stolen Property	722	650	718	683	699	590
Property Destruction/Vandalism	21,852	21,094	21,436	20,572	19,744	19,448
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	7,277	7,912	7,685	8,535	8,341	9,876
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	2	53	69	83	77	67
Pornography/Obscene Material	62	49	59	38	70	57
Gambling Offenses	9	16	13	12	12	31
Prostitution	157	212	186	215	213	183
Bribery	8	0	0	4	3	4
Weapons Law Violations	2,186	2,195	2,329	2,334	2,269	2,567
Total Group A Offenses	93,984	94,735	95,330	94,019	91,274	92,817

* In the year 2005, the crimes of Fondling and Unlawful Sexual Contact were moved from a miscellaneous heading to "Sex Offenses". This explains the marked increase in "Forcible Sex Offenses" between the years 2004 and 2005.

Delaware Statewide Crime Detail,

Group A Offenses Received Percentage Change by Year

Table 4

Crime in Delaware; Percent Change in Reported Criminal Offenses 2000 – 2005						
Percent Change	00 to 01	01 to 02	02 to 03	03 to 04	04 to 05	00 to 05
Criminal Homicide	**14.8%**	**3.2%**	-15.6%	**3.7%**	**71.4%**	**77.8%**
Kidnapping/Abduction	-1.3%	**14.6%**	-0.2%	-3.0%	-8.6%	0.0%
Sex Offenses, Forcible	**0.5%**	-13.4%	-3.7%	**0.0%**	**81.1%**	**51.7%**
Robbery	**2.7%**	**10.1%**	**8.3%**	-10.4%	-2.7%	**6.8%**
Assaults	**6.0%**	-6.0%	-4.2%	-2.5%	**1.6%**	-0.1%
Arson	-3.2%	-3.6%	-14.6%	**2.2%**	**2.1%**	-16.9%
Extortion/Blackmail	-11%	-31.3%	-36.4%	**85.7%**	**38.5%**	0.0%
Burglary	**2.6%**	**7.2%**	**5.8%**	-6.2%	**2.9%**	**12.2%**
Larceny/Theft	-3.1%	-1.8%	-3.3%	**2.0%**	-6.2%	-11.9%
Motor Vehicle Theft	-15%	**15.3%**	-9.9%	-22.3%	-0.6%	-32.4%
Counterfeiting/Forgery	**4.8%**	-6.2%	-1.3%	**4.6%**	**4.3%**	**5.8%**
Fraud	**11.6%**	-0.6%	**7.9%**	-5.2%	**9.3%**	**24.0%**
Embezzlement	**10.1%**	-16.8%	-8.9%	-9.1%	**16.9%**	-11.3%
Stolen Property	-10.0%	**10.5%**	-4.9%	**2.3%**	-15.6%	-18.3%
Property Destruction/Vandalism	-3.5%	**1.6%**	-4.0%	-4.0%	-1.5%	-11.0%
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**8.7%**	-2.9%	**11.1%**	-2.3%	**18.4%**	**35.7%**
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	**-**	**30.2%**	**20.3%**	-7.2%	-13.0%	**26.4% ***
Pornography/Obscene Material	-21%	**20.4%**	-35.6%	**84.2%**	-18.6%	-8.1%
Gambling Offenses	**77.8%**	-18.8%	-7.7%	**0.0%**	**158.3%**	**244.4%**
Prostitution	**35.0%**	-12.3%	**15.6%**	-0.9%	-14.1%	**16.6%**
Bribery	-100%	**2.0%**	-	-25.0%	**33.3%**	-50.0%
Weapons Law Violations	**0.4%**	**6.1%**	**0.2%**	-2.8%	**13.1%**	**17.4%**
Total Percent Change in Offenses	**0.8%**	**0.6%**	-1.4%	-2.9%	**1.7%**	-1.2%

Bold Denotes an Increase

***Refers to the percentage change between 2001 and 2005.**

Group A Crimes by County

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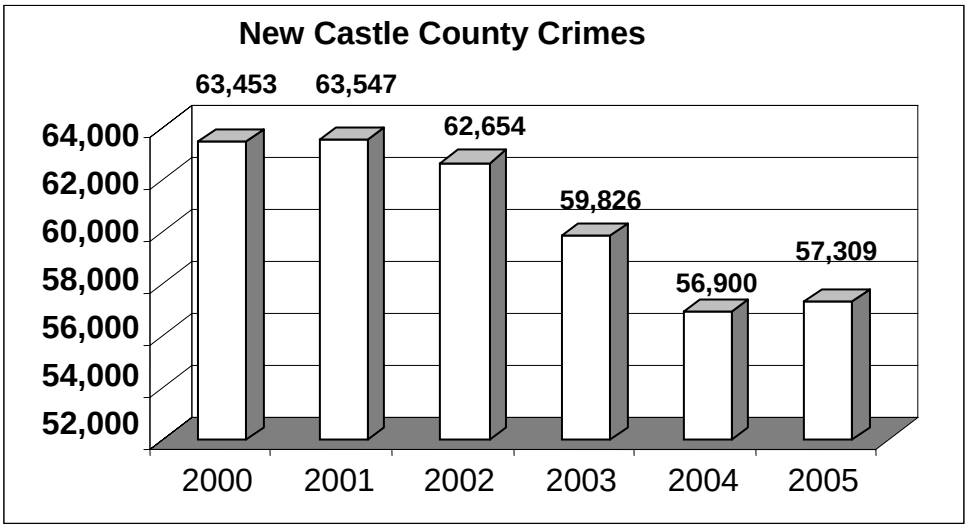

There has been a 9.7 percent decrease in Group A crimes in New Castle County between 2000 and 2005. There has been a 4.2 percent increase in population during that same time period. The smallest increase in Group A crime in 2005 in all three counties, .7 percent, occurred in New Castle County in 2005.

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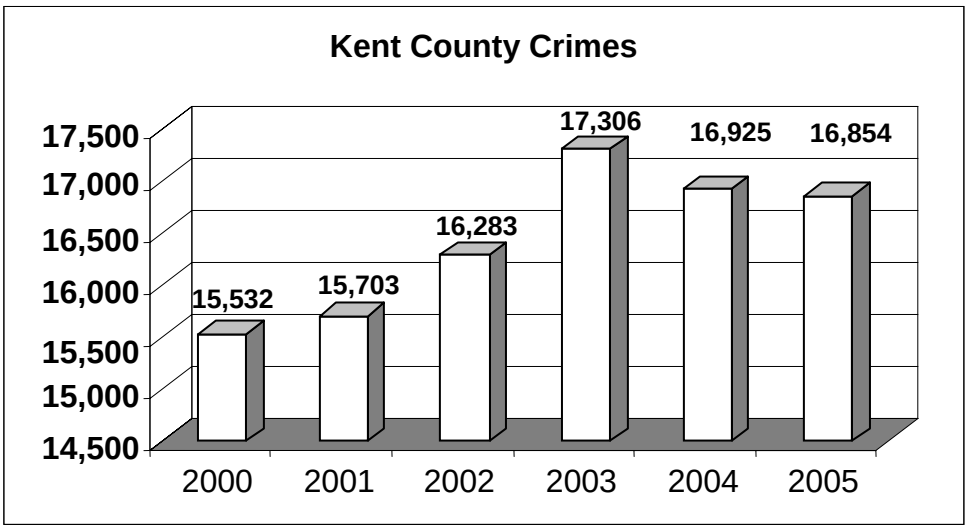

There has been an 8.5 percent increase in Group A crimes in Kent county between 2000 and 2005. There has been a 13.3 percent increase in population in Kent county between 2000 and 2005, the largest percentage increase in all three counties. There was a .4 percent decrease in Group A crimes in 2005 in Kent county, with a 3.5 percent increase in population. For most years, the Kent County population has increased faster than crime, resulting in a decreasing crime rate. In 2000, the Kent County crime rate was 122.2 per 1,000 population. By 2005, it had decreased to 117.1 per 1,000 population.

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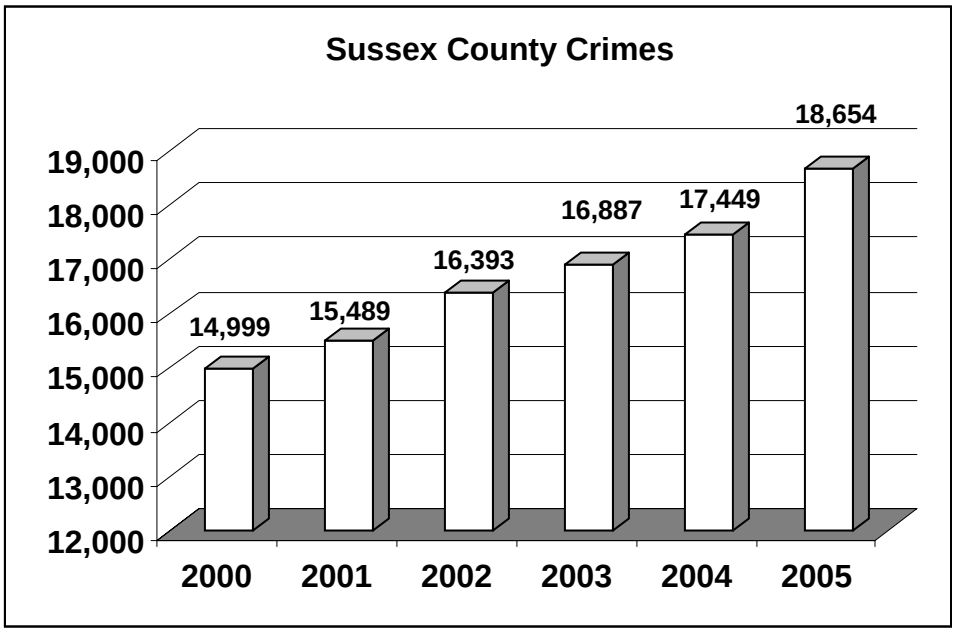

Sussex county saw the largest increase in Group A crimes between 2000 and 2005, of 24.4 percent, with a 7.5 percent increase in population. There was a 6.9 percent increase in Group A crimes and a 2.5 percent increase in population between 2004 and 2005 in Sussex county. Although the Sussex county population is increasing rapidly, crime is increasing even faster, resulting in an increasing crime rate. The 2005 Sussex county crime rate, however, is still the lowest in the state. In 2005, the Sussex county crime rate was 105.7 per 1,000, while the New Castle county was 109.6, and Kent county was 117.1

Table 5

Crime Rate per 1,000 by County for Offenses Received						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide Total	**119.51**	**119.1**	**118.31**	**114.96**	**109.96**	**110.03**
New Castle County	126.4	125.6	122.8	116.2	109.7	109.6
Kent County	122.2	121.7	123.7	128.5	121.7	117.1
Sussex County	95.3	96.5	99.9	100.3	101.3	105.7

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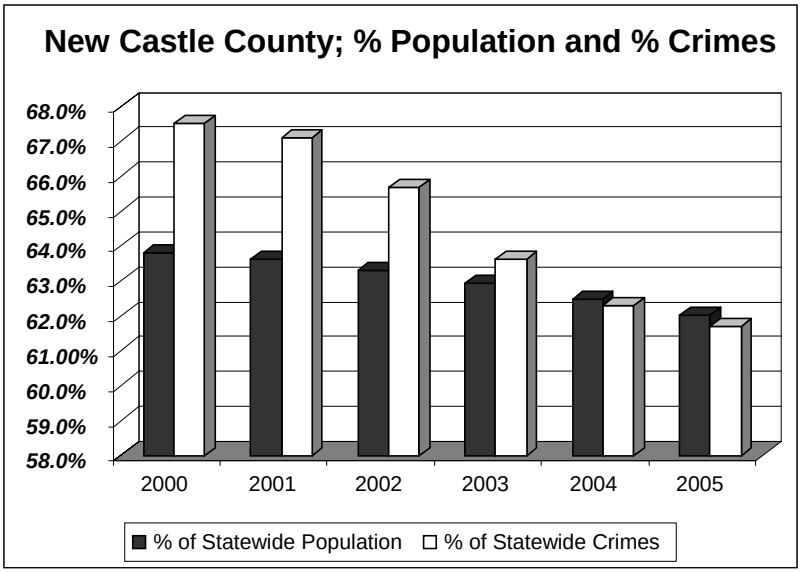

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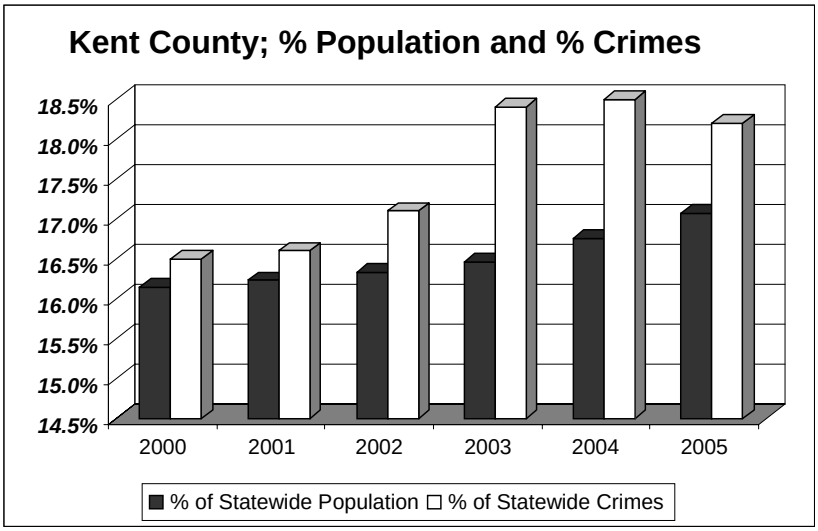

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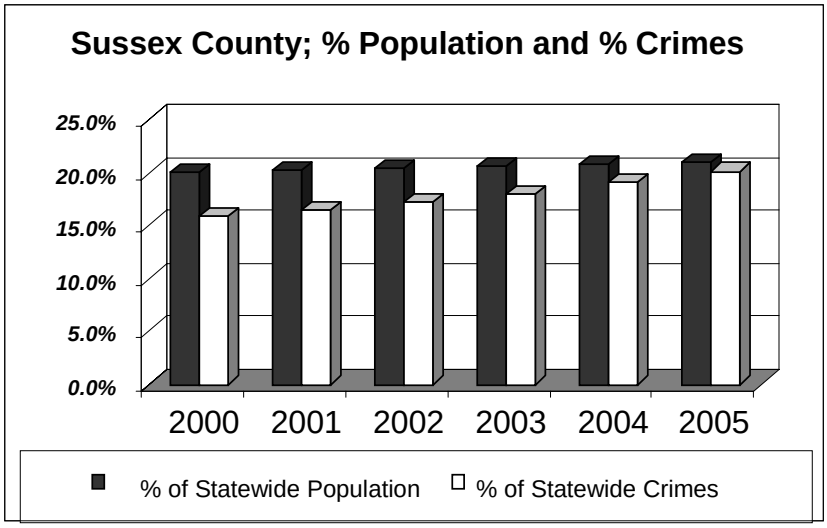

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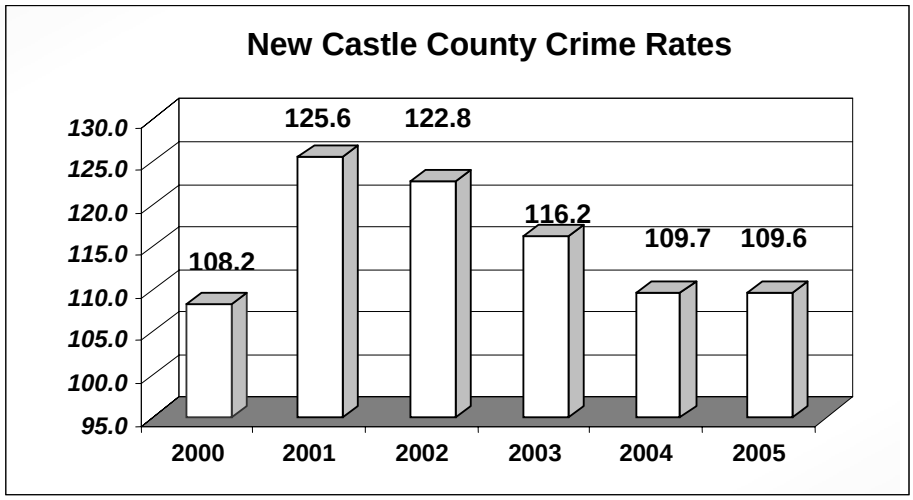

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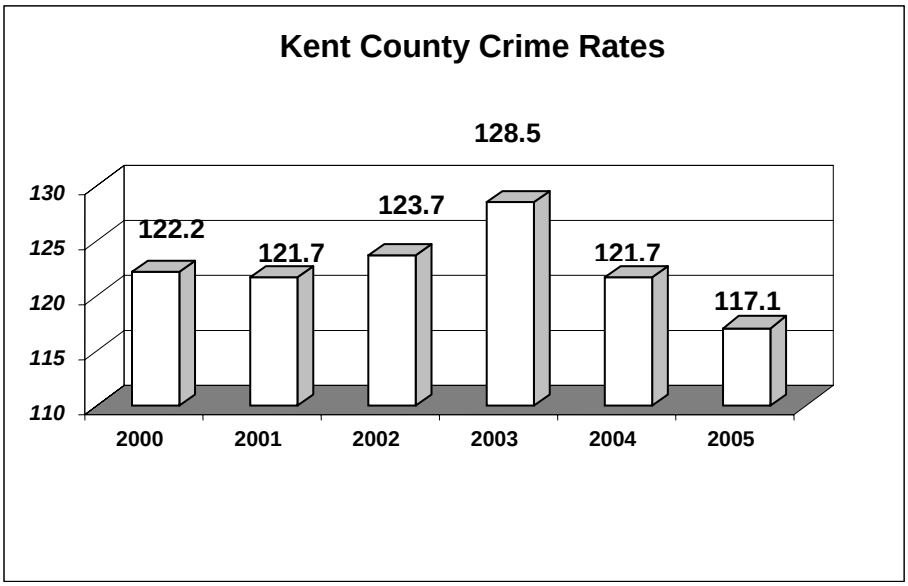

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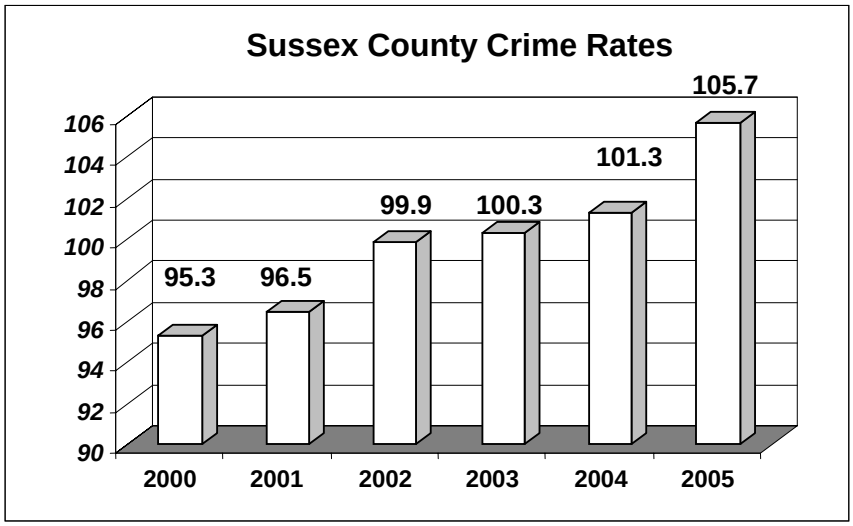

Detail Group A Crime Report by County 2000 - 2005

Table 6

	2000				2001				2002			
	NCC	KC	SC	Total	NCC	KC	SC	Total	NCC	KC	SC	Total
Criminal Homicide	23	1	3	27	26	2	3	31	22	3	7	32
Kidnapping/Abduction	238	74	70	382	227	61	89	377	236	89	107	432
Sex Offenses, Forcible	312	89	154	555	299	106	153	558	270	93	120	483
Robbery	1,187	128	125	1,933	1,209	129	141	1,479	1,304	159	166	1,629
Assault	14,554	3,626	3,728	21,908	15,220	4,048	3,950	23,218	14,755	4,076	4,258	23,089
Arson	310	90	62	462	315	77	55	447	288	82	61	431
Extortion/Blackmail	6	4	8	18	8	2	6	16	4	2	5	11
Burglary	3,471	824	1,101	5,396	3,707	802	1,025	5,534	3,878	841	1,214	5,933
Larceny/Theft	14,993	3,478	3,299	21,770	14,385	3,436	3,269	21,090	13,679	3,632	3,409	20,720
Motor Vehicle Theft	3,096	335	218	3,649	2,571	262	248	3,081	2,974	292	282	3,548
Counterfeiting/Forgery	620	294	249	1,163	717	257	245	1,219	584	287	272	1,143
Fraud	2,537	967	959	4,463	2,856	1,253	871	4,980	2,679	1,298	971	4,948
Embezzlement	249	149	78	476	304	113	107	524	254	97	85	436
Stolen Property	532	57	133	722	477	92	81	650	536	96	86	718
Property Destruction/Damage	15,542	3,256	3,054	21,852	14,813	3,149	3,132	21,094	14,790	3,403	3,243	21,436
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	4,093	1,772	1,412	7,277	4,695	1,513	1,704	7,912	4,600	1,416	1,669	7,685
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	0	1	1	2	7	20	26	53	14	30	25	69
Pornography/Obscene Material	32	16	14	62	26	14	9	49	28	10	21	59
Gambling Offenses	8	0	1	9	14	2	0	16	7	5	1	13
Prostitution	148	7	2	157	192	14	6	212	169	13	4	186
Bribery	5	2	1	8	3	0	1	4	0	0	0	0
Weapons Law Violations	1,497	362	327	2,186	1,476	351	368	2,195	1,583	359	387	2,329
Total Part A Offenses	**63,453**	**15,532**	**14,999**	**93,984**	**63,547**	**15,703**	**15,489**	**94,739**	**62,654**	**16,283**	**16,393**	**95,330**

	2003				2004				2005			
	NCC	KC	SC	Total	NCC	KC	SC	Total	NCC	KC	SC	Total
Criminal Homicide	16	7	4	27	24	4	0	28	32	6	10	48
Kidnapping/Abduction	243	103	85	431	235	98	85	418	234	70	78	382
Sex Offenses, Forcible	252	111	102	465	250	101	114	465	431	210	201	842
Robbery	1,486	135	143	1,764	1,270	148	162	1,580	1,292	106	140	1,538
Assault	13,759	4,017	4,332	22,108	13,237	4,152	4,160	21,549	13,212	4,063	4,611	21,886
Arson	232	65	71	368	221	106	49	376	256	66	62	384
Extortion/Blackmail	5	1	1	7	9	0	4	13	11	2	5	18
Burglary	3,958	923	1,394	6,275	3,476	923	1,485	5,884	3,868	803	1,384	6,055
Larceny/Theft	12,916	3,686	3,437	20,039	13,311	3,570	3,565	20,446	12,197	3,308	3,682	19,187
Motor Vehicle Theft	2,633	310	252	3,195	1,875	335	273	2,483	1,886	317	265	2,468
Counterfeiting/Forgery	573	286	269	555	631	258	291	1,180	534	380	317	1,231
Fraud	2,932	1,354	1,053	5,339	2,781	1,202	1,080	5,063	2,776	1,420	1,337	5,533
Embezzlement	215	105	77	397	188	87	86	361	228	77	117	422
Stolen Property	510	83	90	683	499	89	111	699	407	91	92	590
Property Destruction/Damage	13,638	3,596	3,338	20,572	12,649	3,493	3,602	19,744	12,575	3,095	3,778	19,448
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	4,683	2,048	1,804	8,535	4,597	1,809	1,935	8,341	5,538	2,257	2,081	9,876
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	8	27	48	83	31	17	29	77	28	23	16	67
Pornography/Obscene Material	16	12	10	38	22	34	14	70	22	23	12	57
Gambling Offenses	12		0	12	11	1	0	12	14	6	11	31
Prostitution	174	27	14	215	174	28	11	213	140	30	13	183
Bribery	1	1	2	4	0	2	1	3	3	0	1	4
Weapons Law Violations	1,564	409	361	2,334	1,409	468	392	2,269	1,625	501	441	2,567
Total Part A Offenses	**59,826**	**17,306**	**16,887**	**94,019**	**56,900**	**16,925**	**17,449**	**91,274**	**57,309**	**16,854**	**18,654**	**92,817**

Violent Crime: Total

Statewide Violent Crime; Offenses Received

Table 7

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Violent Crimes	**26,498**	**27,858**	**27,994**	**27,129**	**26,309**	**27,263**
Criminal Homicide	27	31	32	27	28	48
Kidnapping/Abduction	382	377	432	431	418	382
Sex Offenses, Forcible	555	558	483	465	465	842*
Robbery	1,440	1,479	1,629	1,764	1,580	1,538
Assault	21,908	23,218	23,089	22,108	21,549	21,886
Weapons Law Violations	2,186	2,195	2,329	2,334	2,269	2,567

Table 8

Statewide Violent Crime rate per 1,000						
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Violent Crimes	**33.7**	**35.0**	**34.7**	**33.2**	**31.7**	**32.3**
Criminal Homicide	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1
Kidnapping/Abduction	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Sex Offenses, Forcible	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	1*
Robbery	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	1.9	1.8
Assault	27.9	29.3	28.7	27.0	25.9	25.9
Weapons Law Violations	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.7	3.0

*In the year 2005, the crimes of Fondling and Unlawful Sexual Contact were moved from a miscellaneous heading to "Sex Offenses". This explains the marked increase in "Sex Crimes" between the years 2004 and 2005.

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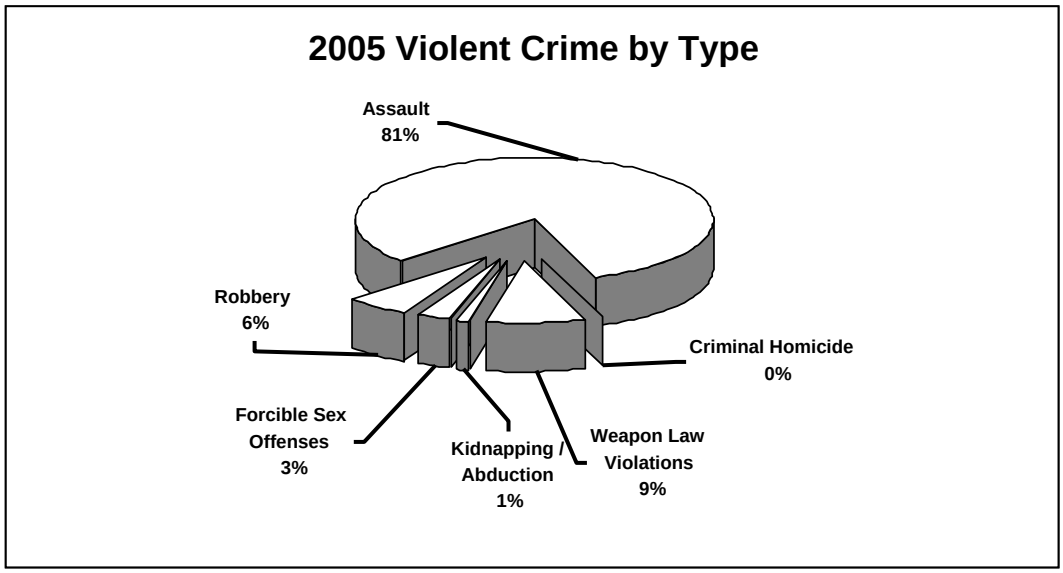

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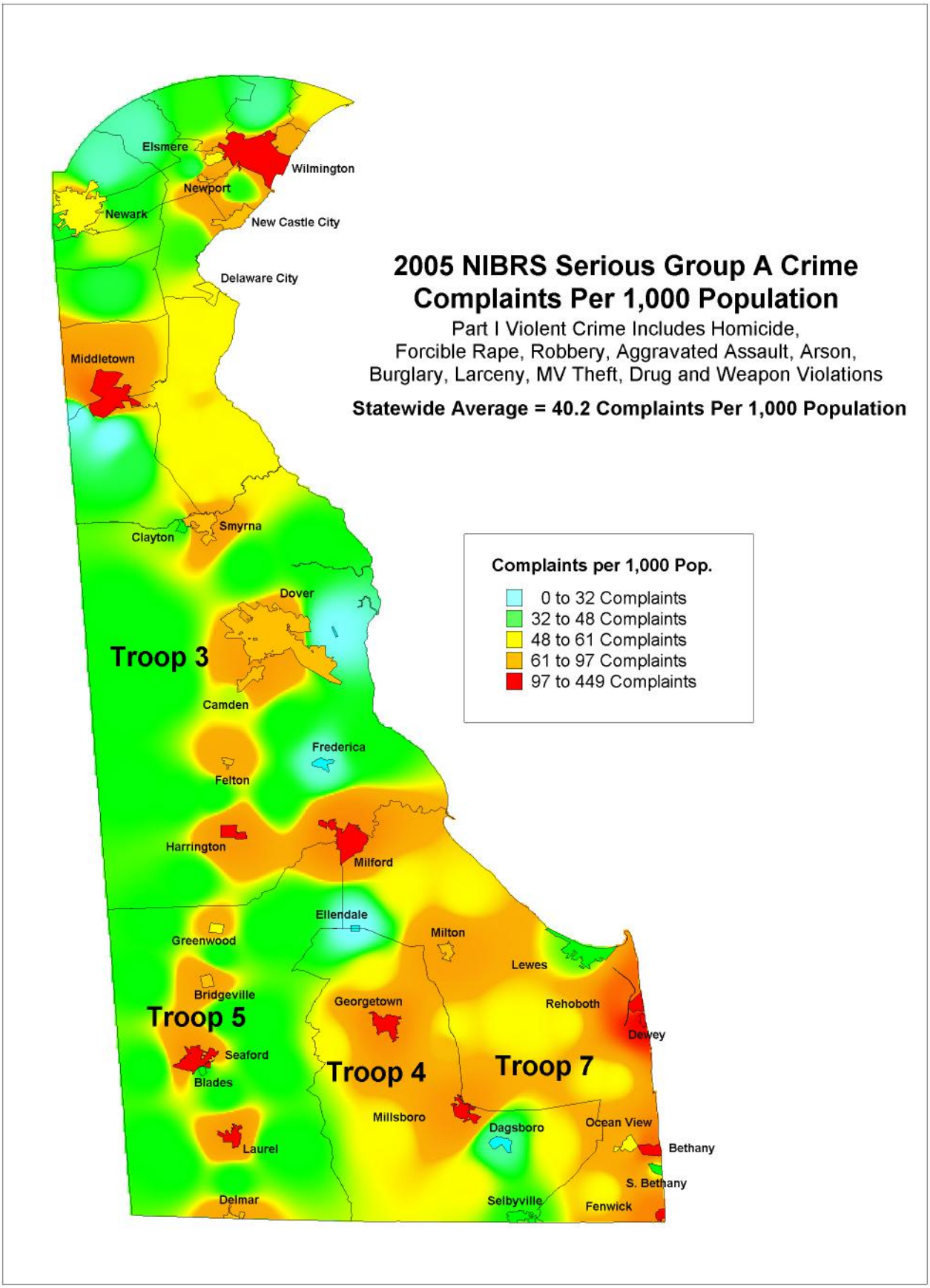
Delaware Crime Maps

The following Crime Maps are of 2005 Serious Group A complaints per 1,000 population. The crimes counted for this map include homicide, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, arson, burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft, drug violations and weapon law violations. The colors on the maps indicate the amount of complaints per 1,000 people. The blue areas have between 0 and 32 complaints, green have 32 to 48 complaints, yellow, 48 to 61 complaints, gold, 61 to 97, and the red areas have between 97 and 449 complaints per 1,000.

The second Crime Map shows the 2005 NIBRS Group A Violent Crime complaints per 1,000 population. This map includes homicide, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault complaints per 1,000 population. The blue areas are between 0 and 2.4 complaints, the green area is between 2.4 and 5.5 complaints, yellow is 5.5 to 7.2 complaints, gold, 7.2 to 10.2 complaints, and the red area is between 10.2 and 74.2 complaints per 1,000 population.

The statewide average for this map is 7.5 complaints per 1,000 population. Each group includes twenty percent of the Delaware jurisdictions.


2005 NIBRS Serious Group A Crime Complaints Per 1,000 Population
Part I Violent Crime Includes Homicide, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Arson, Burglary, Larceny, MV Theft, Drug and Weapon Violations
Statewide Average = 40.2 Complaints Per 1,000 Population
Complaints per 1,000 Pop.
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Elsmere
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Newark
New Castle City
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Middletown
Smyrna
Clayton
Dover
Troop 3
Camden
Frederica
Felton
Harrington
Milford
Ellendale
Milton
Greenwood
Lewes
Bridgeville
Georgetown
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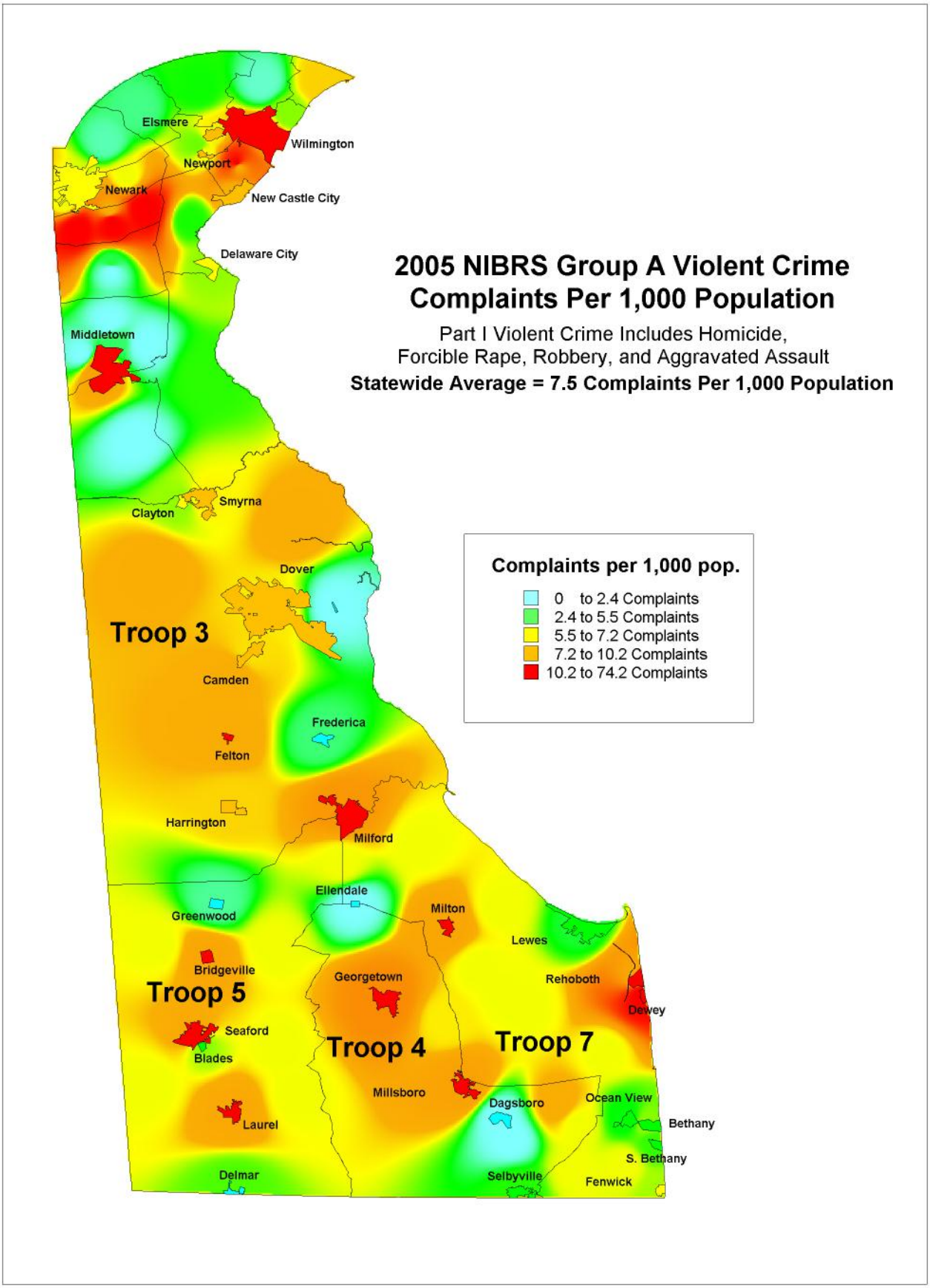
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S. Bethany
Delmar
Selbyville
Fenwick

Violent Crimes by County

Table 9

Violent Crimes by County						
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Total Violent Crimes	**26,498**	**27,858**	**27,994**	**27,129**	**26,309**	**27,263**
New Castle County	17,811	18,457	18,170	17,320	16,425	16,826
Kent County	4,280	4,697	4,779	4,782	4,971	4,956
Sussex County	4,407	4,704	5,045	5,027	4,913	5,481

Table 10

Violent Crime Rate Percentage Change by County						
	% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change
	2000 - 2001	2001 - 2002	2002 - 2003	2003 - 2004	2004 - 2005	2000 - 2005
Total Violent Crimes	**5.1%**	**0.5%**	**-3.1%**	**-3.0%**	**3.6%**	**2.9%**
New Castle County	3.6%	-1.6%	-4.7%	-5.2%	2.4%	-5.5%
Kent County	9.7%	1.7%	-10.0%	4.0%	-0.3%	15.8%
Sussex County	6.7%	7.2%	-0.4%	-2.3%	11.6%	24.4%

Table 11

Violent Crime Detail by County

Violent Crimes	**2000**				**2001**				**2002**			
	NCC	**KC**	**SC**	**Total**	**NCC**	**KC**	**SC**	**Total**	**NCC**	**KC**	**SC**	**Total**
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Violent Crimes	**2003**				**2004**				**2005**			
	NCC	**KC**	**SC**	**Total**	**NCC**	**KC**	**SC**	**Total**	**NCC**	**KC**	**SC**	**Total**
Criminal Homicide	16	7	4	27	24	4	0	28	32	6	10	48
Kidnapping/Abduction	243	103	85	431	235	98	85	418	234	70	78	382
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Assault	13,759	4,017	4,332	22,108	13,237	4,152	4,160	21,549	13,212	4,063	4,611	21,886
Weapons Law Violations	1,564	409	361	2,334	1,409	468	392	2,269	1,625	501	441	2,567
Total Violent Offenses	**17,320**	**4,782**	**5,027**	**27,129**	**16,425**	**4,971**	**4,913**	**26,309**	**16,826**	**4,956**	**5,481**	**27,263**

Violent Crime: Homicides

Offenses Received 2000 – 2005

Figure 13

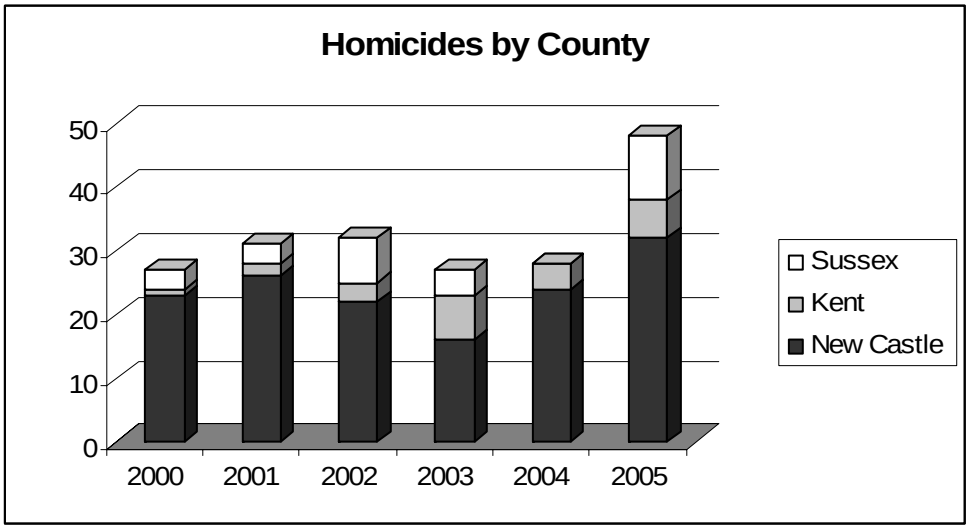

Table 12

Homicides by County						
Homicides	**2000**	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	**27**	**31**	**32**	**27**	**28**	**48**
Sussex	3	3	7	4	0	10
Kent	1	2	3	7	4	6
New Castle	23	26	22	16	24	32

Table 13

Criminal Homicide Details						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Total	**27**	**31**	**32**	**27**	**28**	**48**
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	25	30	30	23	28	44
Negligent Manslaughter	2	1	2	4	0	4

Homicide Victim and Offender Demographics

Table 14

Victim and Offender Demographics for Delaware Homicides: 2000 - 2005												
	2000		**2001**		**2002**		**2003**		**2004**		**2005**	
	Juv	Adult	Juv	Adult	Juv	Adult	Juv	Adult	Juv	Adult	Juv	Adult
VICTIMS												
MALE TOTAL	**1**	**14**	**6**	**16**	**1**	**18**	**2**	**17**	**3**	**13**	**5**	**28**
Black	1	8	3	11	1	12	2	12	3	10	2	17
White	0	6	2	5	0	6	0	5	0	3	1	9
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Other	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FEMALE TOTAL	**2**	**9**	**0**	**8**	**1**	**10**	**1**	**2**	**2**	**5**	**4**	**11**
Black	0	3	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	3	2	4
White	0	6	0	6	0	7	1	1	2	2	0	7
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Other	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	**1**	0
TOTAL VICTIMS	**3**	**23**	**6**	**24**	**2**	**28**	**3**	**19**	**5**	**18**	**9**	**39**
OFFENDERS												
MALE TOTAL	**5**	**28**	**3**	**36**	**2**	**27**	**0**	**30**	**3**	**21**	**4**	**44**
Black	4	14	2	24	2	14	0	21	1	16	3	24
White	0	14	1	12	0	13	0	9	2	2	1	14
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	6
FEMALE TOTAL	**0**	**2**	**0**	**11**	**0**	**9**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**1**	**7**
Black	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	1	1	5
White	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2
Hispanic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unknown	**0**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**6**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**1**	0	0
TOTAL OFFENDERS	**5**	**30**	**3**	**47**	**2**	**36**	**0**	**30**	**3**	**26**	**5**	**51**

The victim is the person who is harmed or killed by another person or persons. The offender is the person that commits the offense.

Regarding homicides, in 2005 there were 48 homicide victims; 5 male juvenile and 28 male adult victims, and 4 female juvenile and 11 female adult victims. There were 56 people arrested for those 48 homicides. Four were male juveniles, 44 were male adults, while 1 was a female juvenile, and 7 were female adults.

In 2005, 85 percent of males murdered were adults, while 73 percent of females murdered were adults. In 2005, 44 percent of the persons murdered were black, 11 percent were white, 33 percent were Hispanic, and 11 percent were 'other'.

On the following page, the Group A victim to offender demographics do not equal the Group A Offenses Sum, as only crimes with the highest volume of victim to offender relationships are shown.

Table 15

2005 Victim to Offender Demographics

	Homicide	Kidnapping	Forcible Sex Offense	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Other Assault	Arson	Burglary	Larceny	Motor V Theft	Counterfeit/ Forgery	Fraud	Property Destruction	Group A Offenses
Other Family Member	1	6	80	2	84	380	2	29	85	4	7	23	37	747
Other-wise Unknown	5	18	84	64	413	1,957	68	195	659	39	99	398	443	4,460
Parent (Mother/Father)	0	5	0	1	107	900	7	38	175	16	25	73	207	1,554
Relationship Undetermined	23	58	81	1,922	1,165	2,123	143	3,684	12,404	1,309	310	1,164	7,972	32,409
Sibling (Brother/Sister)	0	5	37	0	105	712	1	12	71	3	22	37	46	1,051
Step-Child	1	1	34	0	18	104	0	0	2	0	2	1	2	167
Spouse	4	47	16	2	173	1,543	1	9	28	2	16	3	53	1,900
Step-Parent	0	0	0	0	22	106	0	9	13	2	1	1	13	167
Step-Sibling	0	0	15	0	3	21	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	45
Stranger	11	42	57	674	998	2,701	83	1,483	4,551	267	239	1,159	2,351	14,657
Victim was Offender	1	5	4	3	175	2,125	2	0	19	1	2	5	63	2,406
Ex-Spouse	0	7	1	0	12	197	0	6	16	2	3	12	21	277
Victim-Less	0	0	0	3	3	20	0	4	14	2	507	2,053	16	14,662
Acquaintance	10	47	268	129	847	4,601	4	316	952	77	85	291	650	833
Baby-Sittee (Child)	0	0	8	0	2	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	21
Boy/Girl Friend	2	155	36	12	441	3,550	4	54	185	9	11	20	329	4,827
Child of Boy/Girl Friend	0	2	15	0	33	111	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	166
Child	2	26	50	0	210	583	1	2	19	3	3	16	18	934
Common Law Spouse	0	0	0	0	4	23	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	29
Employee	0	1	6	0	2	41	1	15	58	2	4	33	5	225
Employer	0	0	0	0	2	51	3	48	134	5	26	145	31	790
Friend	0	14	36	10	123	483	0	22	138	4	8	21	67	933
Grand-Child	0	2	26	0	13	26	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	71
Grand-Parent	0	0	0	0	11	54	2	7	38	2	4	10	28	156
Homosexual Relation	0	1	0	0	16	94	0	1	6	0	0	3	8	130
In-Law	1	2	3	0	26	139	0	4	22	1	21	5	13	237
Neighbor	0	1	16	2	102	499	15	72	59	5	0	5	176	954

Violent Crime: Kidnapping/Abduction

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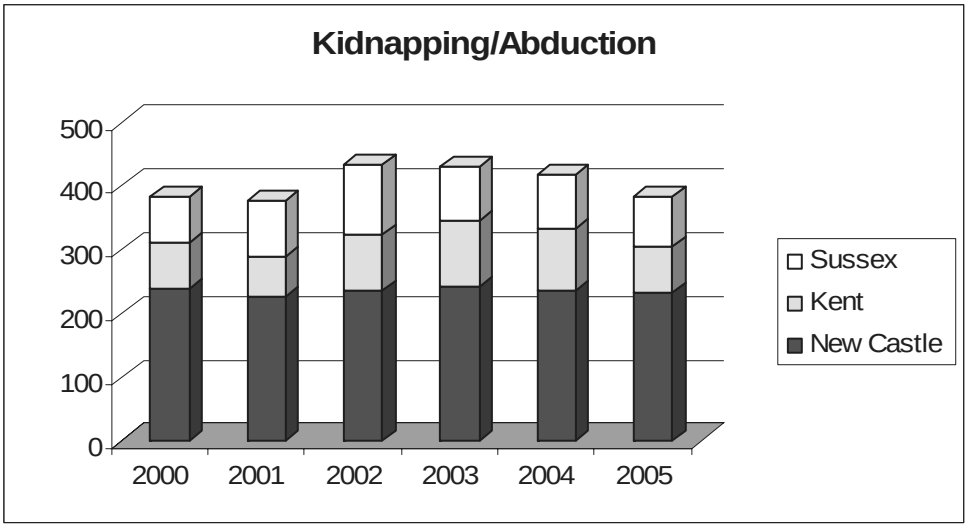

Table 16

Kidnapping/Abduction						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	**382**	**377**	432	431	418	382
Sussex	70	89	107	85	85	78
Kent	74	61	89	103	98	70
New Castle	238	227	236	243	235	234

Violent Crime: Forcible Sex Offenses

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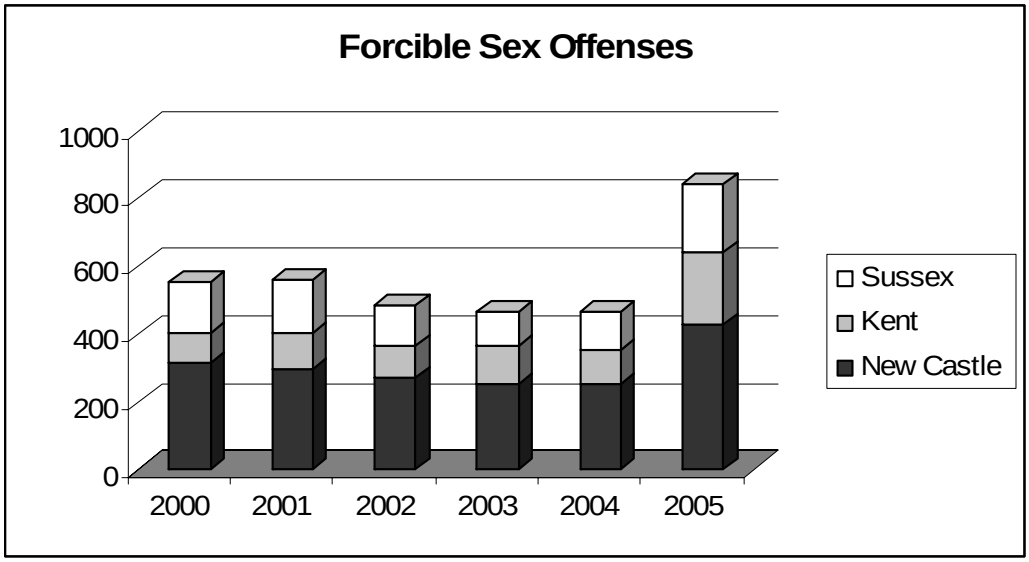

Table 17

Forcible Sex Offenses						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005***
Statewide	555	558	483	465	465	842
Sussex	154	153	120	102	114	201
Kent	89	106	93	111	101	210
New Castle	312	299	270	252	250	431

Table 18

Forcible Sex Offense Crime Detail	**2000**	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005***
Statewide	**555**	**558**	**483**	**465**	**465**	**842**
Forcible Rape	514	515	447	426	409	428
Forcible Fondling	15	15	10	16	39	383
Rape by Force - Attempted	26	28	26	23	16	21
Forcible Fondling- Attempted	0	0	0	0	1	10

*In the year 2005, the crimes of Fondling and Unlawful Sexual Contact were moved from a miscellaneous heading to “Sex Offenses”. Also, the definition of rape has been expanded to include male victims. Sex attacks against males are to be classified as either assaults or "other sex offenses", depending on the nature of the crime and the extent of the injury. This explains the marked increase in “Sex Crimes” between the years 2004 and 2005.

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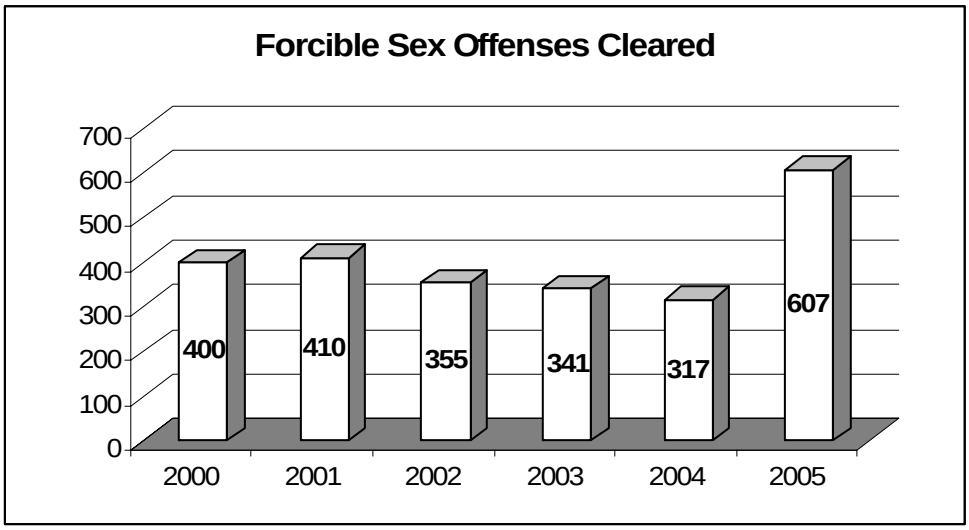

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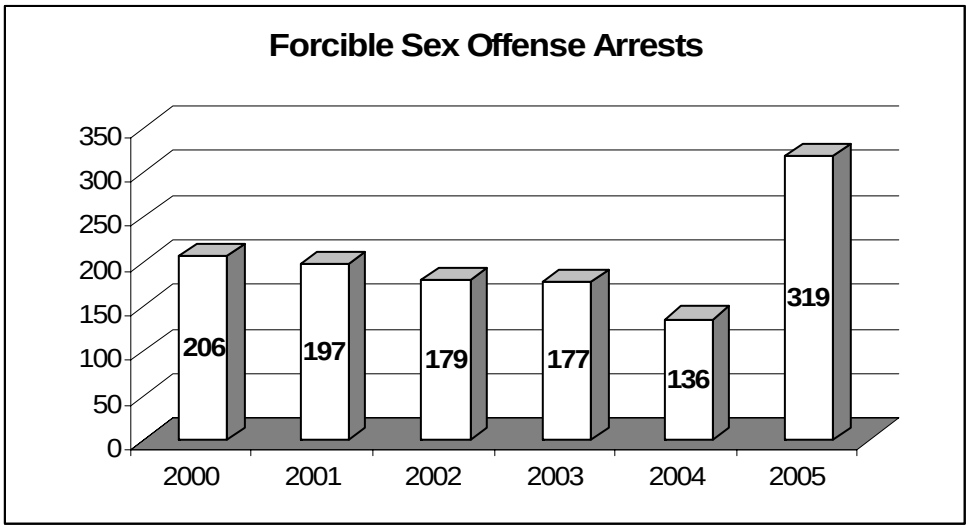

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Violent Crime: Robbery

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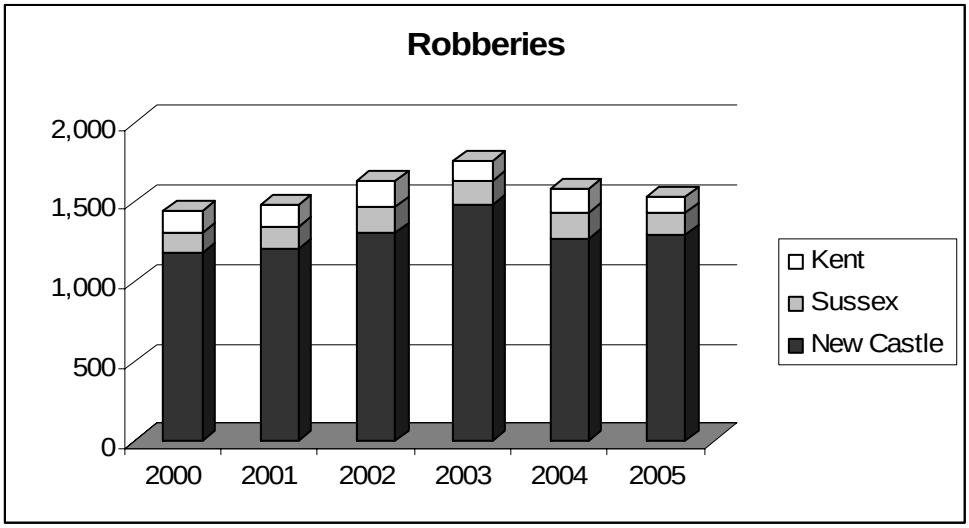

Table 19

Robbery						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	**1,440**	**1,479**	**1,629**	**1,764**	**1,580**	**1,538**
Sussex	125	141	166	143	162	140
Kent	128	129	159	135	148	106
New Castle	1,187	1,209	1,304	1,486	1,270	1,292

Table 20

Robbery; Detail						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Robbery	**1,440**	**1,479**	**1,629**	**1,764**	**1,580**	**1,538**
Firearm	653	678	789	870	737	701
Knife or Cutting Instrument	91	88	108	134	118	116
Other Dangerous Weapon	104	93	84	138	113	124
Strong-Arm (Hands, Fists, Feet)	592	620	648	622	612	597

Violent Crime: Assault

Figure 19

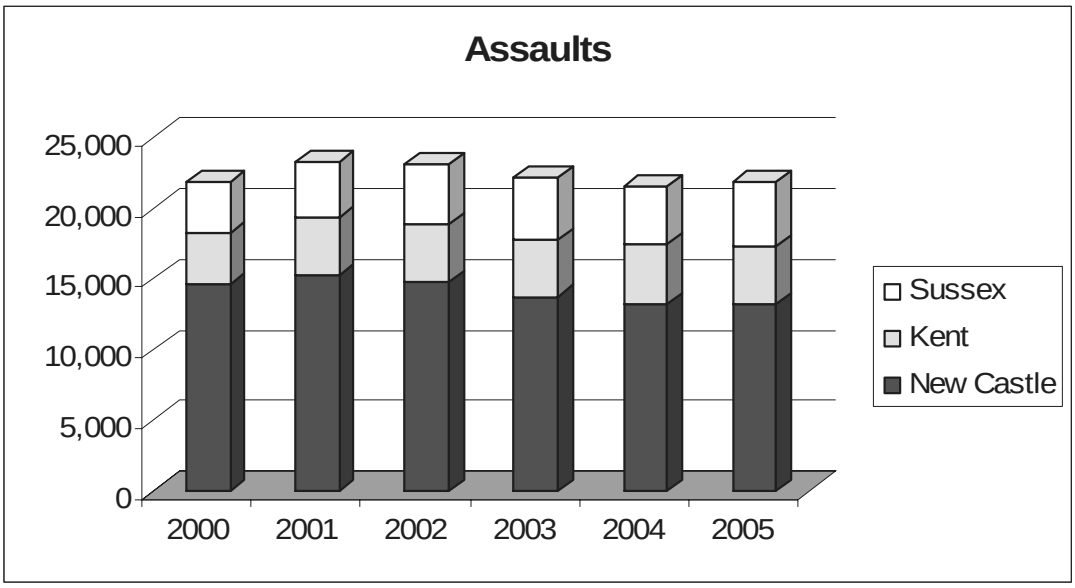

Table 21

Assaults						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	**21,908**	**23,218**	**23,089**	**22,108**	**21,549**	**21,886**
Sussex	3,728	3,950	4,258	4,332	4,160	4,611
Kent	3,626	4,048	4,076	4,017	4,152	4,063
New Castle	14,554	15,220	14,755	13,759	13,237	13,212

Table 22

Assault Detail						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Aggravated Assault	**3,589**	**3,617**	**3,697**	**3,939**	**3,646**	**3,866**
Firearm	664	717	740	755	704	835
Knife or Cutting Instrument	846	808	800	854	750	847
Other Dangerous Weapons	1,639	1,620	1,676	1,890	1,909	1,870
Hands/Fist/Feet/Agg.Injury	440	472	481	440	283	314
Other Assaults	**18,319**	**19,601**	**19,392**	**18,169**	**17,903**	**18,020**
Simple/Harassment	13,216	14,027	13,725	13,232	13,281	13,225
Intimidation	5,103	5,574	5,667	4,937	4,622	4,795
Total Assaults:	**21,908**	**23,218**	**23,089**	**22,108**	**21,549**	**21,886**

- Since 2000, ,there has been a 9.3 percent decrease in Assault Offenses Received in New Castle County, a 12.1 percent increase in Assault Offenses Received in Kent County and a 23.7 percent increase in Assault Offenses Received in Sussex County.

Violent Crime: Weapon Law Violations

Figure 20

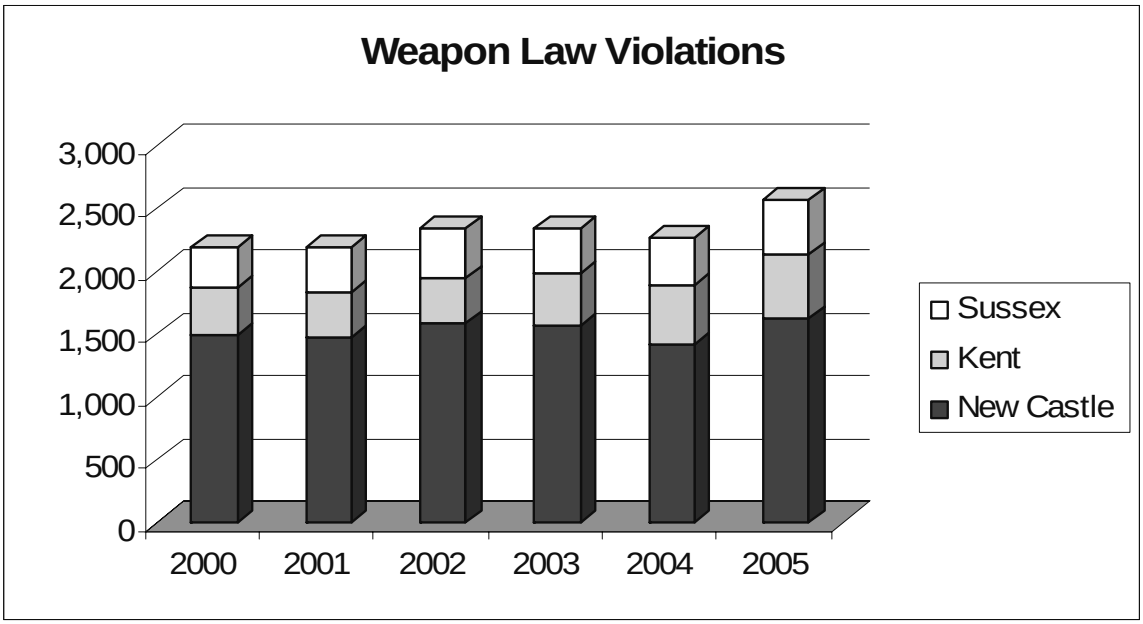

Table 23

Weapon Law Violations						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	2,186	2,195	2,329	2,334	2,269	2,567
Sussex	327	368	387	361	392	441
Kent	362	351	359	409	468	501
New Castle	1,497	1,476	1,583	1,564	1,409	1,625

Weapons Law violations under NIBRS are the violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, concealment, or use of firearms, cutting instruments, explosives, incendiary devices, or other deadly weapons. This includes violations such as the manufacture, sale, or possession of deadly weapons; carrying deadly weapons, concealed or openly; using, manufacturing, etc. silencers; and furnishing deadly weapons to minors.

Drug and Narcotic Offenses

Figure 21

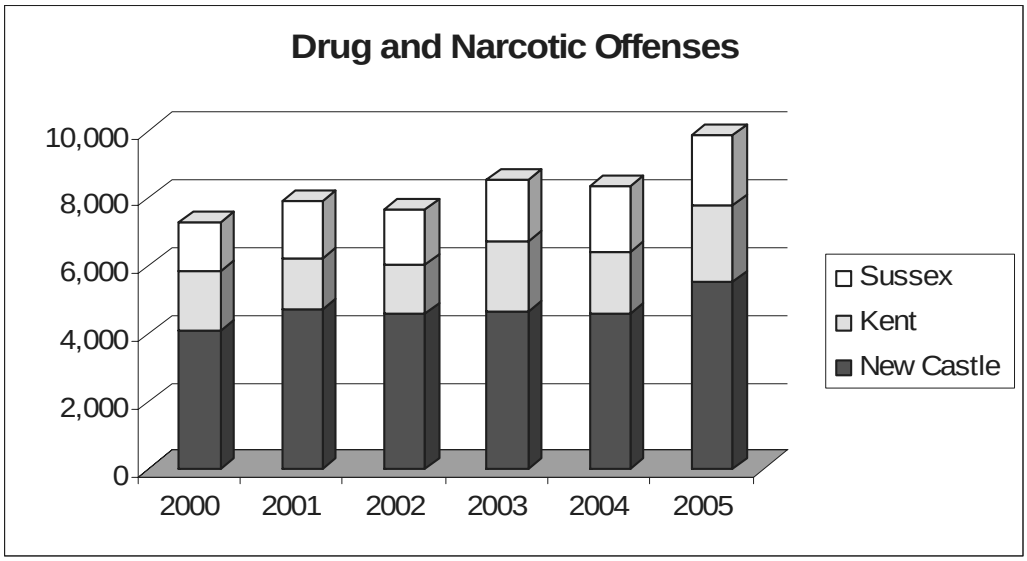

Table 24

Drug and Narcotic Offenses						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	**7,277**	**7,912**	**7,685**	**8,535**	**8,341**	**9,876**
Sussex	1,412	1,704	1,669	1,804	1,935	2,081
Kent	1,772	1,513	1,416	2,048	1,809	2,257
New Castle	4,093	4,695	4,600	4,683	4,597	5,538

Table 25

Drug and Narcotic Offenses Detail						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**7,277**	**7,912**	**7,685**	**8,535**	**8,341**	**9,876**
Drug/Narcotic	4,488	4,851	4,704	5,146	4,914	5,816
Drug Equipment	2,789	3,061	2,981	3,389	3,427	4,060

Drug/Narcotic and Drug Equipment offenses combined have risen 35.7 percent between 2000 and 2005. Drug/Narcotic offenses received have risen 29.6 percent, while Drug equipment offenses have risen 45.6 percent in that same timeframe.

Between 2000 and 2005, Kent County saw a 27.4 percent increase, New Castle County experienced a 35.3 percent increase, and Sussex county saw a dramatic 47.4 percent increase in Drug/Narcotic and Drug Equipment Offenses.

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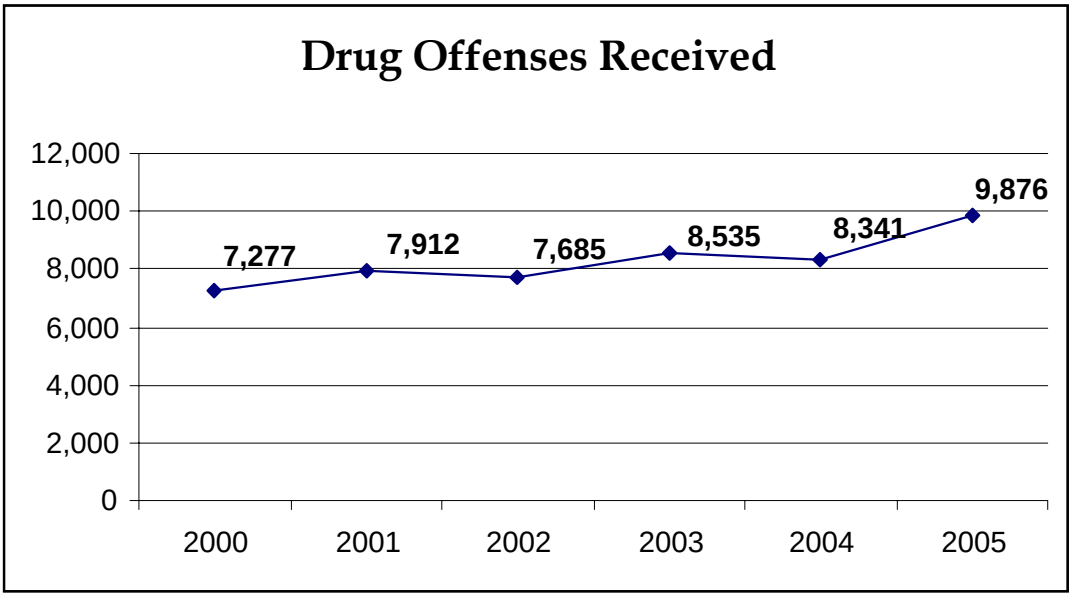

- There has been a 24.7 percent increase in Reported Drug Offenses received between 2000 and 2005.

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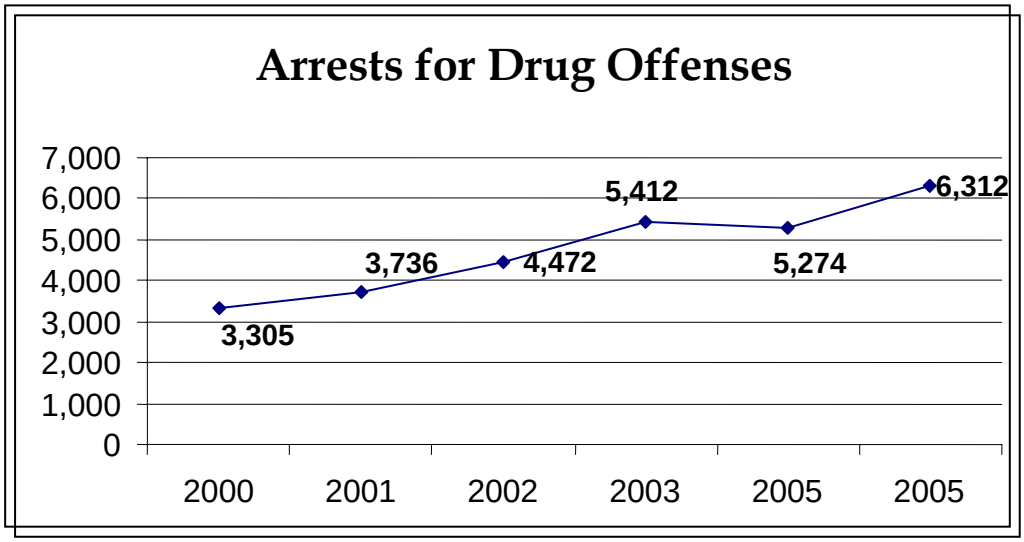

- There has been a 91 percent increase between 2000 and 2005 in arrests for juveniles and adults for Drug Offenses

Serious Property Totals

Statewide Serious Property Crimes; Offenses Reported

Figure 24

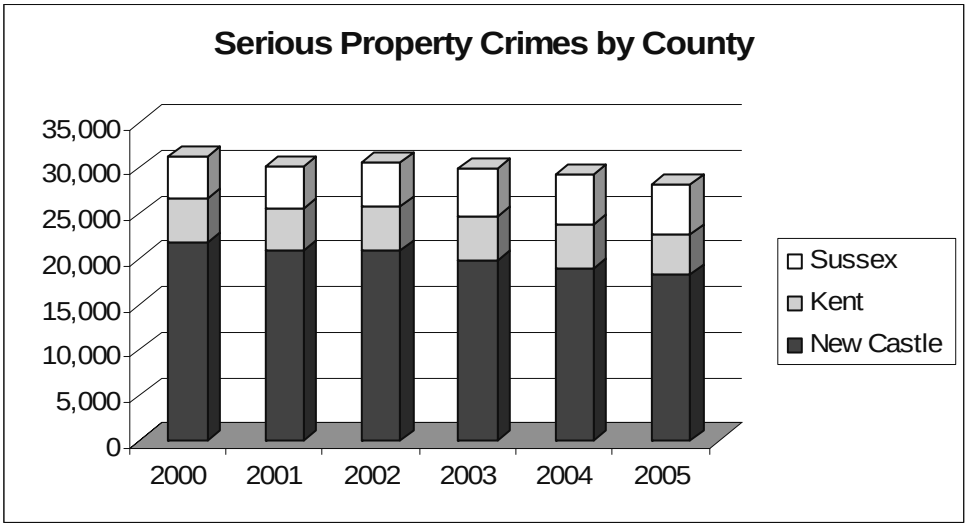

Table 26

Serious Property Crimes by County						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Statewide	**31,295**	**30,168**	**30,643**	**29,884**	**29,202**	**28,112**
Sussex	4,688	4,603	4,971	5,155	5,376	5,398
Kent	4,731	4,579	4,849	4,985	4,934	4,496
New Castle	21,876	20,986	20,823	19,744	18,892	18,218

Table 27

Serious Property Crimes						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Arson Total	**462**	**447**	**431**	**368**	**376**	**384**
Structure	208	194	161	172	159	168
Mobile	84	105	109	66	85	68
Other	170	148	161	130	132	148
Extortion/Blackmail	**18**	**16**	**11**	**7**	**13**	**18**
Burglary Total	**5,396**	**5,534**	**5,933**	**6,275**	**5,884**	**6,055**
Forcible Entry	3,050	3,065	3,206	3,291	2,918	3,167
Unlawful Entry - No force	1,857	1,895	2,024	2,276	2,318	2,227
Attempted Forcible Entry	489	574	703	708	648	661
Larceny/Theft Total	**21,770**	**21,090**	**20,720**	**20,039**	**20,446**	**19,187**
Pocket Picking	132	98	87	96	36	37
Purse Snatching	56	71	64	51	29	23
Shoplifting	3,589	3,677	3,572	3,519	3,833	3,453
Theft from Building	6,437	5,955	5,474	5,521	5,522	5,811
From coin Operated Machine or Device	108	146	200	119	130	145
Theft from Motor Vehicle	4,994	4,692	4,326	4,038	3,886	3,790
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories	3,086	2,985	3,531	3,421	3,615	2,673
Other	3,368	3,466	3,466	3,274	3,395	3,255
Motor Vehicle Theft Total	**3,649**	**3,081**	**3,548**	**3,195**	**2,483**	**2,468**
Autos	3,268	2,600	3,086	2,366	1,774	1,736
Trucks and Buses	118	190	187	344	269	301
Other Vehicles	263	291	275	485	440	431

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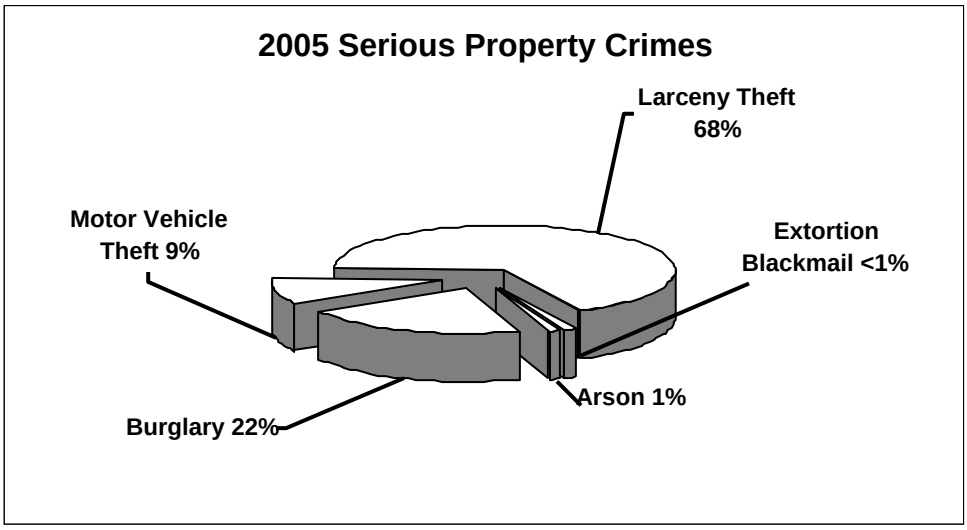

Statewide Arrests Group A Offenses

Statewide arrests have increased 33 percent between 2000 and 2005. Adult arrests increased 36.3 percent, while juvenile arrests increased 21.2 percent.

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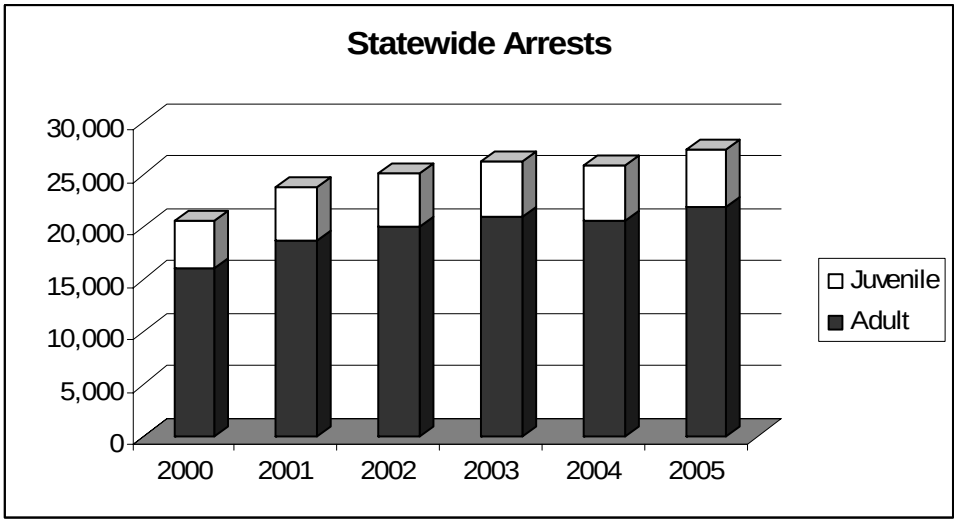

Table 28

Statewide Group A Offense Arrests						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Totals	**20,610**	**23,826**	**25,119**	**26,291**	**25,867**	**27,407**
Adult	16,082	18,661	19,994	20,948	20,578	21,917
Juvenile	4,528	5,165	5,125	5,343	5,289	5,490

Table 29

Percent Change in Statewide Group A Arrests 2000 – 2005						
	2001	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**	**2000-2005**
Total Arrests	15.6%	5.4%	4.7%	-1.6%	5.9%	33.0%
Adult Arrests	16.0%	7.1%	4.8%	-1.8%	6.5%	36.3%
Juvenile Arrests	14.1%	-0.8%	4.3%	-1.0%	3.8%	21.2%

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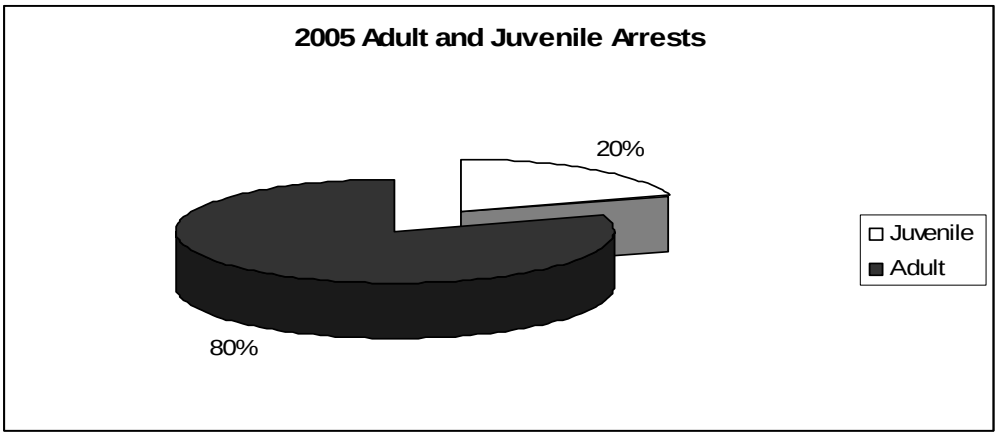

Statewide Total Arrests: Group A

Table 30

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes						
Criminal Homicide	27	27	24	21	22	27
Kidnapping/Abduction	176	199	256	285	262	274
Sex Offenses, Forcible	206	197	179	177	159	319
Robbery	396	395	509	557	436	518
Assault	8,334	9,684	9,624	9,605	9,500	9,756
Weapons Law Violations	272	317	342	394	403	417
Totals	**9,411**	**10,819**	**10,934**	**11,039**	**10,782**	**11,311**
Drug/Narcotic Offenses						
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**3,305**	**3,736**	**4,472**	**5,412**	**5,274**	**6,312**
Serious Property Crimes						
Arson	85	63	62	62	61	86
Extortion/Blackmail	6	3	3	2	6	7
Burglary	565	695	813	987	1,047	1,008
Larceny/Theft	3,309	3,919	3,918	4,053	4,093	3,970
Motor Vehicle Theft	176	179	215	203	172	175
Totals	**4,141**	**4,859**	**5,011**	**5,307**	**5,379**	**5,246**
Other Property and Social Crimes						
Counterfeiting/Forgery	496	593	632	578	585	509
Fraud	1,489	1,830	1,886	1,952	1,868	2,036
Embezzlement	191	286	235	205	188	247
Stolen Property	548	469	589	536	531	439
Property Destruction/Vandalism	919	1,035	1,154	1,030	1,067	1,082
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	2	25	38	47	31	39
Pornography/ Obscene Material	13	28	21	12	20	15
Gambling Offenses	9	14	16	9	16	12
Prostitution	85	132	131	162	126	158
Bribery	1	0	0	2	0	1
Totals	**3,753**	**4,412**	**4,702**	**4,533**	**4,432**	**4,538**
Totals of all Group A Arrests	**20,610**	**23,826**	**25,119**	**26,291**	**25,867**	**27,407**

Total Statewide Arrest Detail

Table 31

Statewide Arrests - Group A						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Violent Crimes						
Criminal Homicide	**27**	**27**	**24**	**21**	**22**	**27**
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	23	27	24	16	22	23
Negligent Manslaughter	4	0	0	5	0	4
Kidnapping/Abduction	**176**	**199**	**256**	**285**	**262**	**274**
Sex Offenses, Forcible	**206**	**197**	**179**	**177**	**136**	**319**
Forcible Rape	187	180	163	158	137	173
Forcible Fondling	9	8	7	14	15	134
Rape by Force - Attempted	10	9	9	5	6	9
Forcible Fondling- Attempted	0	0	0	0	1	3
Robbery	**396**	**395**	**509**	**557**	**436**	**518**
Firearm	140	143	217	215	135	179
Knife or Cutting Instrument	24	27	33	47	35	45
Other Dangerous Weapon	42	22	26	41	36	42
Strong-Arm (Hands, Fists, Feet)	190	203	233	254	230	252
Assault	**8,334**	**9,684**	**9,624**	**9,605**	**9,500**	**9,756**
Aggravated	**1,577**	**1,719**	**1,881**	**2,017**	**1,853**	**1,914**
Firearm	175	230	235	230	193	200
Knife or Cutting Instrument	433	419	471	512	481	508
Other Dangerous Weapons	758	774	884	963	987	995
Hands, Fists, Feet, Aggravated .Injury	211	296	291	312	192	211
Other Assaults	**6,757**	**7,965**	**7,743**	**7,588**	**7,647**	**7,842**
Simple/Harassment	5,311	6,158	6,156	6,082	6,134	6,210
Intimidation	1,446	1,807	1,587	1,506	1,513	1,632
Weapons Law Violations	**272**	**317**	**342**	**394**	**403**	**417**
Drug and Narcotic Offenses						
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**3,305**	**3,736**	**4,472**	**5,412**	**5,274**	**6,312**
Drug/Narcotic	2,907	3,240	3,908	4,753	4,494	5,486
Drug Equipment	398	496	564	659	780	826
Serious Property Crimes						
Arson	**85**	**63**	**62**	**62**	**61**	**86**
Structure	45	28	26	35	26	49
Mobile	14	10	9	10	13	11
Other **(Continued on next page)**	26	25	27	17	22	26

Extortion/Blackmail	**6**	**3**	**3**	**2**	**6**	**7**
Burglary	**565**	**695**	**813**	**987**	**1,047**	**1,008**
Forcible Entry	405	482	540	563	525	505
Unlawful Entry - No force	126	165	233	379	468	459
Attempted Forcible Entry	34	48	40	45	54	44
Larceny/Theft	**3,309**	**3,919**	**3,918**	**4,053**	**4,093**	**3,970**
Pocket Picking	5	9	6	7	3	4
Purse Snatching	2	11	8	4	7	2
Shoplifting	2,221	2,584	2,545	2,666	2,800	2,595
Theft from Building	647	770	791	838	723	838
From coin Operated Machine or Device	12	12	8	12	8	11
Theft from Motor Vehicle	158	221	212	178	187	224
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories	68	102	98	113	111	69
Other	196	210	250	235	254	227
Motor Vehicle Theft	**176**	**179**	**215**	**203**	**172**	**175**
Autos	146	153	189	147	122	125
Trucks and Buses	16	8	14	25	19	25
Other Vehicles	14	18	12	31	31	25
Other Property and Social Crimes						
Counterfeiting/Forgery	**496**	**593**	**632**	**578**	**585**	**509**
Fraud	**1,489**	**1,830**	**1,886**	**1,952**	**1,868**	**2,036**
False Pretenses/Swindle/Con Games	475	596	673	593	669	740
Credit Card/Automatic Teller Machine	32	36	32	26	30	40
Impersonation	982	1,196	1,181	1,333	1,169	1,256
Welfare Fraud	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wire Fraud	0	2	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	**191**	**286**	**235**	**205**	**188**	**247**
Stolen Property	**548**	**469**	**589**	**536**	**753**	**439**
Property Destruction/Vandalism	**919**	**1,035**	**1,154**	**1,030**	**1,067**	**1,082**
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	**2**	**25**	**38**	**47**	**31**	**39**
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	2	25	38	47	31	39
Pornography/ Obscene Material	**13**	**28**	**21**	**12**	**20**	**15**
Gambling Offenses	**9**	**14**	**16**	**9**	**16**	**12**
Prostitution	**85**	**132**	**131**	**162**	**126**	**158**
Prostitution	27	45	55	64	69	72
Promoting Prostitution	58	87	76	98	57	86
Bribery	**1**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**1**
Total Arrests for Group A Offenses	**20,610**	**23,826**	**25,119**	**26,291**	**25,867**	**27,407**

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Statewide Adult Arrests: Group A

Adult; A person 18 years of age or older.

Table 32

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes						
Criminal Homicide	23	26	21	21	19	22
Kidnapping/Abduction	168	183	240	256	245	253
Sex Offenses, Forcible	162	150	137	130	119	230
Robbery	288	279	375	388	316	343
Assault	6,723	7,660	7,732	7,664	7,458	7,651
Weapons Law Violations	175	223	222	249	248	272
Totals	7,539	8,521	8,727	8,708	8,405	8,771
Drug and Narcotic Offenses						
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	2,679	3,110	3,723	4,586	4,514	5,432
Serious Property Crimes						
Arson	34	24	18	30	28	27
Extortion/Blackmail	4	3	2	2	4	5
Burglary	319	402	525	667	690	694
Larceny/Theft	2,383	2,773	2,930	2,947	3,022	2,942
Motor Vehicle Theft	77	97	123	104	92	115
Totals	2,817	3,299	3,598	3,750	3,836	3,783
Other Property and Social Crimes						
Counterfeiting/Forgery	476	569	610	568	567	493
Fraud	1,385	1,700	1,767	1,825	1,761	1,938
Embezzlement	168	258	212	185	175	219
Stolen Property	315	299	397	367	411	332
Property Destruction/Vandalism	594	713	760	734	725	734
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	2	23	36	42	28	32
Pornography/ Obscene Material	12	26	20	11	19	15
Gambling Offenses	9	11	13	8	12	9
Prostitution	85	132	131	162	125	158
Bribery	1	0	0	2	0	1
Totals	3,047	3,731	3,946	3,904	3,823	3,931
Totals of all Adult Arrests	**16,082**	**18,661**	**19,994**	**20,948**	**20,578**	**21,917**

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Table 33 Statewide Adult Arrests - NIBRS Group A						
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes						
Criminal Homicide	**23**	**26**	**21**	**21**	**19**	**22**
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	20	26	21	16	19	18
Negligent Manslaughter	3	0	0	5	0	4
Kidnapping/Abduction	**168**	**183**	**240**	**256**	**245**	**253**
Sex Offenses, Forcible	**162**	**150**	**137**	**130**	**119**	**230**
Forcible Rape	145	136	124	112	103	130
Forcible Fondling	9	7	6	14	11	90
Rape by Force - Attempted	8	7	7	4	5	7
Forcible Fondling- Attempted	0	0	0	0	0	3
Robbery	**288**	**279**	**375**	**388**	**316**	**343**
Firearm	111	101	165	159	113	129
Knife or Cutting Instrument	20	24	31	37	28	30
Other Dangerous Weapon	30	17	21	26	24	31
Strong-Arm (Hands, Fists, Feet)	127	137	158	166	151	153
Assault	**6,723**	**7,660**	**7,732**	**7,664**	**7,458**	**7,651**
Aggravated	**1,237**	**1,379**	**1,562**	**1,621**	**1,480**	**1,559**
Firearm	146	186	203	197	154	173
Knife or Cutting Instrument	332	328	382	394	367	398
Other Dangerous Weapons	590	624	736	776	803	817
Hands, Fists, Feet,Agg.Injury	169	241	241	254	156	171
Other Assaults	**5,486**	**6,281**	**6,170**	**6,043**	**5,978**	**6,092**
Simple/Harassment	4,367	4,879	4,875	4,806	4,786	4,772
Intimidation	1,119	1,402	1,295	1,237	1,192	1,320
Weapons Law Violations	**175**	**223**	**222**	**249**	**248**	**272**
Drug and Narcotic Offenses						
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**2,679**	**3,110**	**3,723**	**4,586**	**4,514**	**5,432**
Drug/Narcotic	2,322	2,669	3,212	3,975	3,803	4,677
Drug Equipment	357	441	511	611	711	755
Serious Property Crimes						
Arson	**34**	**24**	**18**	**30**	**28**	**27**
Structure	22	12	9	10	10	16
Mobile	4	7	5	7	8	8
Other	8	5	4	13	10	3
Extortion/Blackmail	**4**	**3**	**2**	**2**	**4**	**5**
Burglary	**319**	**402**	**525**	**667**	**690**	**694**
Forcible Entry	231	280	352	400	336	358
Unlawful Entry - No force	60	91	152	237	314	308
Attempted Forcible Entry	28	31	21	30	40	28
Larceny/Theft	**2,383**	**2,773**	**2,930**	**2,947**	**3,022**	**2,942**
Pocket Picking	5	6	3	6	1	3
Purse Snatching	2	8	7	2	6	1
Shoplifting	1,569	1,815	1,891	1,874	2,030	1,904
Theft from Building	519	584	626	656	583	644
From coin Operated Machine or Device	6	8	7	8	5	9
Theft from Motor Vehicle	101	143	153	124	132	170
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories	53	64	79	100	78	51
Other	128	145	164	177	187	160
Motor Vehicle Theft	**77**	**97**	**123**	**104**	**92**	**115**
Autos	61	81	103	81	69	79
Trucks and Buses	8	7	9	17	11	20
Other Vehicles	8	9	11	6	12	16
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Other Property and Social Crimes						
Counterfeiting/Forgery	**476**	**569**	**610**	**568**	**567**	**493**
Fraud	**1,385**	**1,700**	**1,767**	**1,825**	**1,761**	**1,938**
False Pretenses/Swindle/Con Games	449	567	635	568	642	707
Credit Card/Automatic Teller Machine	30	30	26	21	26	36
Impersonation	906	1,103	1,106	1,236	1,093	1,195
Welfare Fraud	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wire Fraud	0	0	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	**168**	**258**	**212**	**185**	**175**	**219**
Stolen Property	**315**	**299**	**397**	**367**	**411**	**332**
Property Destruction/Vandalism	**594**	**713**	**760**	**734**	**725**	**734**
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	**2**	**23**	**36**	**42**	**28**	**32**
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	2	23	36	42	28	32
Pornography/ Obscene Material	**12**	**26**	**20**	**11**	**19**	**15**
Gambling Offenses	**9**	**11**	**13**	**8**	**12**	**9**
Prostitution	**85**	**132**	**131**	**162**	**125**	**158**
Prostitution	27	45	55	64	68	72
Promoting Prostitution	58	87	76	98	57	86
Bribery	**1**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**1**
Total Arrests for Group A Offenses	**16,082**	**18,661**	**19,994**	**20,948**	**20,578**	**21,917**

Figure 28

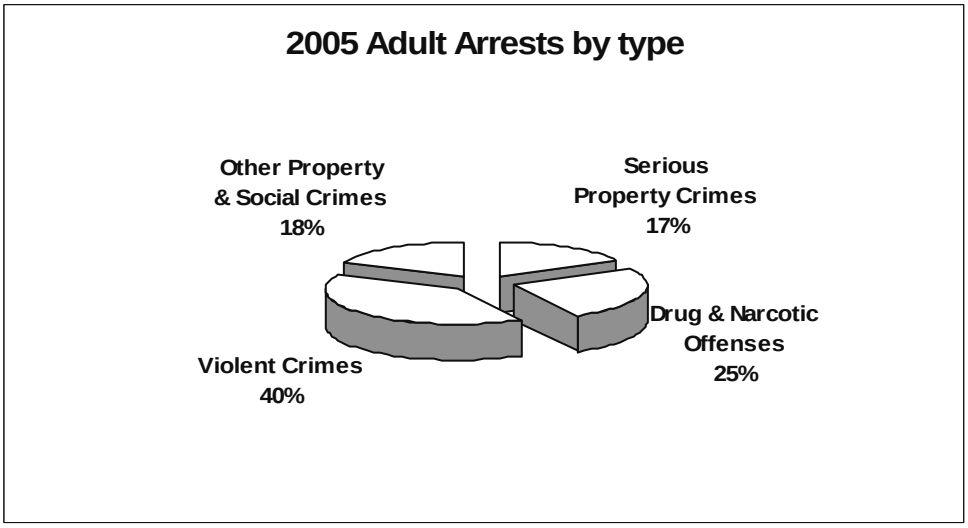

Table 34

Adult Arrest Rates for Group A Offenses Received per 1,000 Population						
Population	592,317	599,864	608,526	618,769	629,448	640,829
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Total Arrest Rates	**27.2**	**31.1**	**32.9**	**33.9**	**32.7**	**34.2**
Violent Crimes	12.7	14.2	14.3	14.1	13.4	13.7
Drug and Narcotic Offenses	4.5	5.2	6.1	7.4	7.2	8.5
Serious Property Crimes	4.8	5.5	5.9	6.1	6.1	5.9
Other Property/Social Crimes	5.1	6.2	6.5	6.3	6.1	6.1

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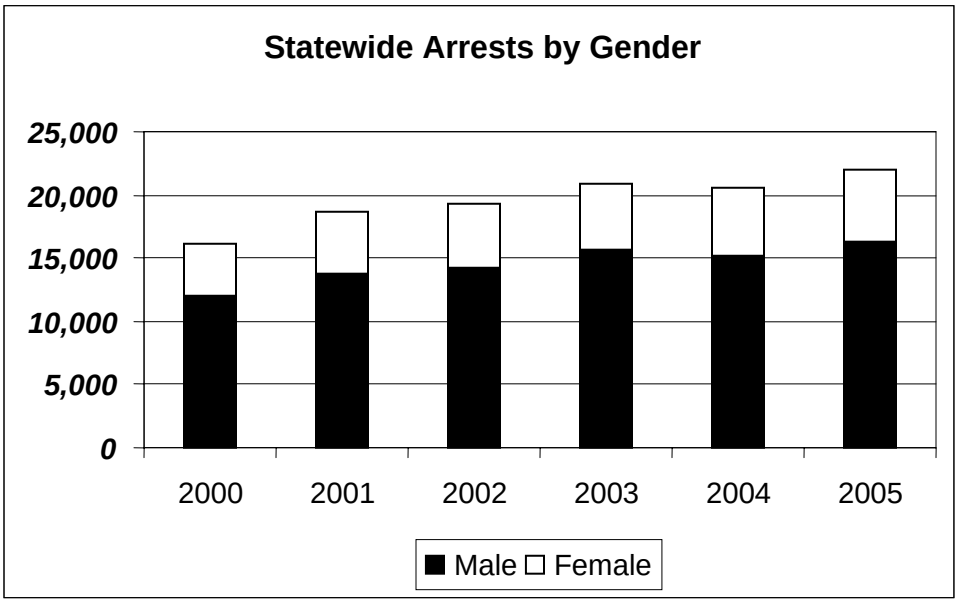

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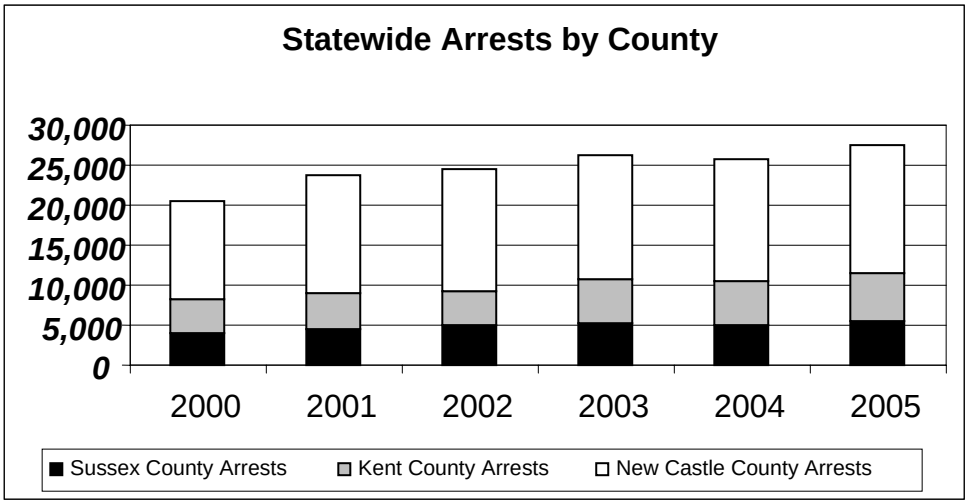

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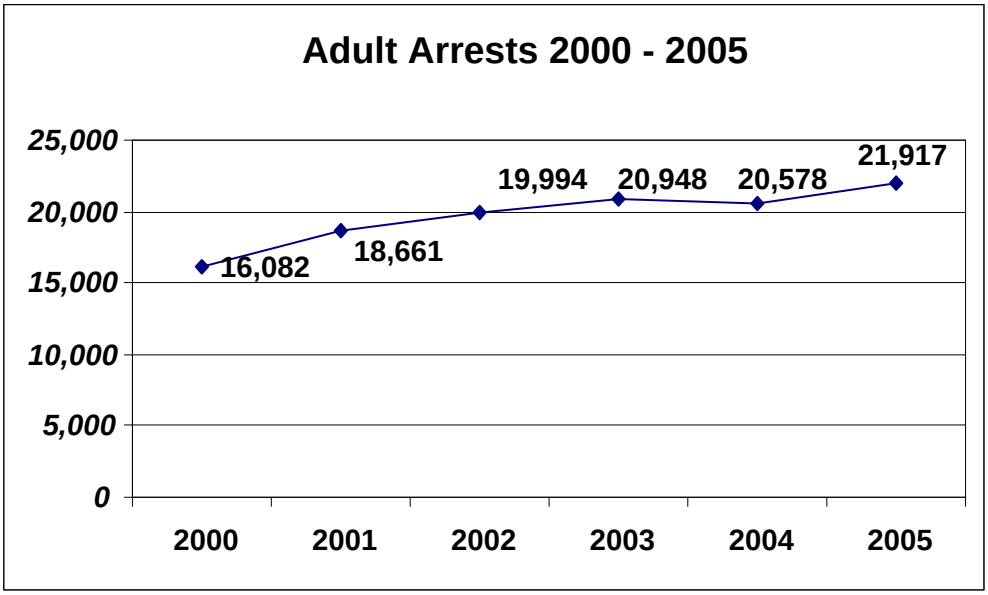

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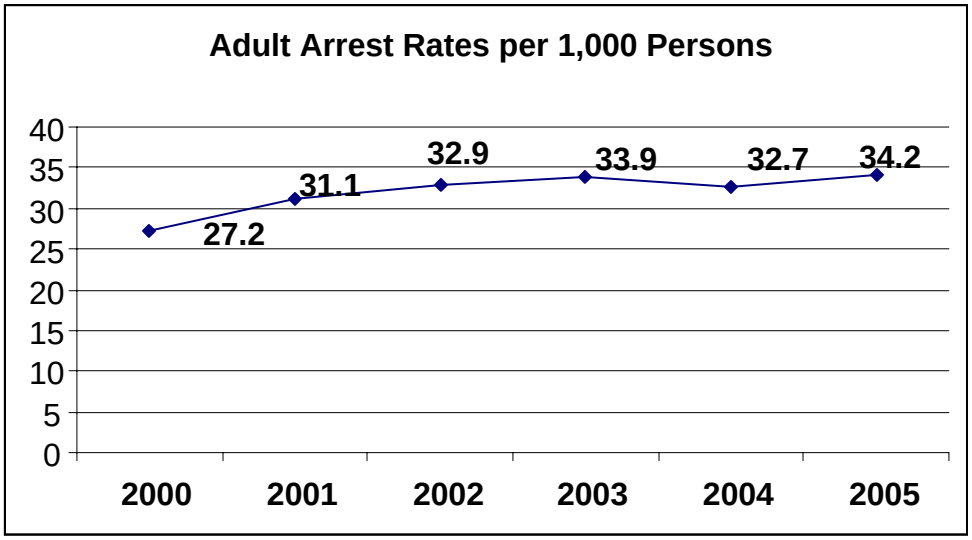

Adult Arrests by Gender

Table 35	Sex	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes							
Homicide	M	21	23	17	21	14	17
	F	2	3	4	0	5	4
Kidnapping	M	155	173	220	238	228	241
	F	13	10	20	17	17	12
Forcible Sex Offenses	M	160	146	136	129	119	227
	F	2	4	1	1	0	3
Robbery	M	254	251	331	350	283	308
	F	34	28	44	40	33	35
Aggravated Assault	M	909	1,004	1,146	1,158	1,073	1,084
	F	328	375	416	460	407	476
Other Assault	M	4,079	4,607	4,499	4,404	4,379	4,485
	F	1,408	1,674	1,671	1,630	1,596	1,607
Weapon Law Violations	M	163	205	192	231	232	253
	F	12	19	30	16	16	19
Drug and Narcotic Offenses							
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	M	1,967	2,300	2,719	3,365	3,182	3,916
	F	355	369	493	596	621	761
Drug Equipment Violations	M	275	307	357	437	485	550
	F	82	134	154	168	226	205
Serious Property Crimes							
Arson	M	28	20	16	20	22	21
	F	6	4	2	10	6	6
Extortion/Blackmail	M	2	2	2	1	4	5
	F	2	1	0	1	0	0
Burglary	M	274	355	469	581	596	614
	F	45	47	56	88	94	80
Larceny	M	1,531	1,686	1,779	1,826	1,813	1,749
	F	852	1,087	1,151	1,118	1,209	1,193
Motor Vehicle Theft	M	73	85	98	86	79	94
	F	4	12	25	19	13	21
Other Property and Social Crimes							
Counterfeiting/Forgery	M	285	355	382	335	333	290
	F	191	214	228	234	234	203
Fraud	M	961	1,203	1,170	1,278	1,245	1,365
	F	424	497	597	551	516	573
Embezzlement	M	77	127	108	99	87	100
	F	91	131	104	85	88	119
Stolen Property	M	264	252	337	304	342	278
	F	51	47	60	64	69	54
Property Destruction	M	450	545	563	568	550	524
	F	144	168	197	165	175	210
Nonforcible Sex Offenses	M	2	22	33	40	28	32
	F	0	1	3	2	0	0
Pornography	M	12	22	18	11	17	14
	F	0	4	2	0	2	1
Gambling Offenses	M	9	11	13	8	12	8
	F	0	0	0	0	0	1
Prostitution Offenses	M	59	86	75	99	59	85
	F	26	46	56	63	66	73
Bribery	M	1	1	0	2	0	1
	F	0	1	0	0	0	0
Group A Violations	M	18,750	20,979	22,686	23,742	23,376	24,685
	F	6,214	7,216	8,219	8,113	8,379	8,726

Statewide Juvenile Arrests: Group A

Juvenile; A person under 18 years of age.

Table 36

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes						
Criminal Homicide	4	1	3	0	3	5
Kidnapping/Abduction	8	16	16	29	17	21
Sex Offenses, Forcible	44	47	42	47	40	89
Robbery	108	116	134	169	120	175
Assault	1,611	2,024	1,892	1,941	2042	2,105
Weapons Law Violations	97	94	120	145	155	145
Totals	**1,872**	**2,298**	**2,207**	**2,331**	**2,377**	**2,540**
Drug and Narcotic Offenses						
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**626**	**626**	**749**	**826**	**760**	**880**
Serious Property Crimes						
Arson	51	39	44	32	33	59
Extortion/Blackmail	2	0	1	0	2	2
Burglary	246	293	288	320	357	314
Larceny/Theft	926	1,146	988	1,106	1,071	1,028
Motor Vehicle Theft	99	82	92	99	80	60
Totals	**1,324**	**1,560**	**1,413**	**1,557**	**1,543**	**1,463**
Other Property and Social Crimes						
Counterfeiting/Forgery	20	24	22	10	18	16
Fraud	104	130	119	127	107	98
Embezzlement	23	28	23	20	13	28
Stolen Property	233	170	192	169	120	107
Property Destruction/Vandalism	325	322	394	296	342	348
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	0	2	2	5	3	7
Pornography/ Obscene Material	1	2	1	1	1	0
Gambling Offenses	0	3	3	1	4	3
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	1	0
Bribery	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	**706**	**681**	**756**	**629**	**609**	**607**
Totals of all Juvenile Arrests	**4,528**	**5,165**	**5,125**	**5,343**	**5,289**	**5,490**

Juvenile Arrest Detail

Table 37

Statewide Juvenile Arrests - NIBRS Group A						
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes						
Criminal Homicide	**4**	**1**	**3**	**0**	**3**	**5**
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	3	1	3	0	3	5
Negligent Manslaughter	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kidnapping/Abduction	**8**	**16**	**16**	**29**	**17**	**21**
Sex Offenses, Forcible	**44**	**47**	**42**	**47**	**17**	**89**
Forcible Rape	42	44	39	46	34	43
Forcible Fondling	0	1	1	0	4	44
Rape by Force - Attempted	2	2	2	1	1	2
Forcible Fondling- Attempted	0	0	0	0	1	0
Robbery	**108**	**116**	**134**	**169**	**120**	**175**
Firearm	29	42	52	56	22	50
Knife or Cutting Instrument	4	3	2	10	7	15
Other Dangerous Weapon	12	5	5	15	12	11
Strong-Arm (Hands, Fists, Feet)	63	66	75	88	79	99
Assault	**1,611**	**2,024**	**1,892**	**1,941**	**2,042**	**2,105**
Aggravated	**340**	**340**	**319**	**396**	**373**	**355**
Firearm	29	44	32	33	39	27
Knife or Cutting Instrument	101	91	89	118	114	110
Other Dangerous Weapons	168	150	148	187	184	178
Hands, Fists, Feet, Aggravated .Injury	42	55	50	58	36	40
Other Assaults	**1,271**	**1,684**	**1,573**	**1,545**	**1,669**	**1,750**
Simple/Harassment	944	1,279	1,281	1,276	1,348	1,438
Intimidation	327	405	292	269	321	312
Weapons Law Violations	**97**	**94**	**120**	**145**	**155**	**145**
Drug and Narcotic Offenses						
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**626**	**626**	**749**	**826**	**760**	**880**
Drug/Narcotic	585	571	696	778	691	809
Drug Equipment	41	55	53	48	69	71
Serious Property Crimes						
Arson	**51**	**39**	**44**	**32**	**33**	**59**
Structure	23	16	17	25	16	33
Mobile	10	3	4	3	5	3
Other	18	20	23	4	12	23
Extortion/Blackmail	**2**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**2**
Burglary	**246**	**293**	**288**	**320**	**357**	**314**
Forcible Entry	174	202	188	163	189	147
Unlawful Entry - No force	66	74	81	142	154	151
Attempted Forcible Entry	6	17	19	15	14	16
Larceny/Theft	**926**	**1,146**	**988**	**1,106**	**1,071**	**1,028**
Pocket Picking	0	3	3	1	2	1
Purse Snatching	0	3	1	2	1	1
Shoplifting	652	769	654	792	770	691
Theft from Building	128	186	165	182	140	194
From coin Operated Machine or Device	6	4	1	4	3	2
Theft from Motor Vehicle	57	78	59	54	55	54
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories	15	38	19	13	33	18
Other	68	65	86	58	67	67
Motor Vehicle Theft	**99**	**82**	**92**	**99**	**80**	**60**
Autos	85	72	86	66	53	46
Trucks and Buses	8	1	5	8	8	5
Other Vehicles	6	9	1	25	19	9

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Counterfeiting/Forgery	**20**	**24**	**22**	**10**	**18**	**16**
Fraud	**104**	**130**	**119**	**127**	**107**	**98**
False Pretenses/Swindle/Con Games	26	29	38	25	27	33
Credit Card/Automatic Teller Machine	2	6	6	5	4	4
Impersonation	76	93	75	97	76	61
Welfare Fraud	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wire Fraud	0	0	0	0	0	0
Embezzlement	**23**	**28**	**23**	**20**	**13**	**28**
Stolen Property	**233**	**170**	**192**	**169**	**342**	**107**
Property Destruction/Vandalism	**325**	**322**	**394**	**296**	**342**	**348**
Non-Forcible Sex Offenses	**0**	**2**	**2**	**5**	**3**	**7**
Incest	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statutory Rape	0	2	2	5	3	7
Pornography/ Obscene Material	**1**	**2**	**1**	**1**	**1**	**0**
Gambling Offenses	**0**	**3**	**3**	**1**	**4**	**3**
Prostitution	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	1	0
Promoting Prostitution	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bribery	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
Total Arrests for Group A Offenses	**4,528**	**5,165**	**5,125**	**5,343**	**5,289**	**5,490**

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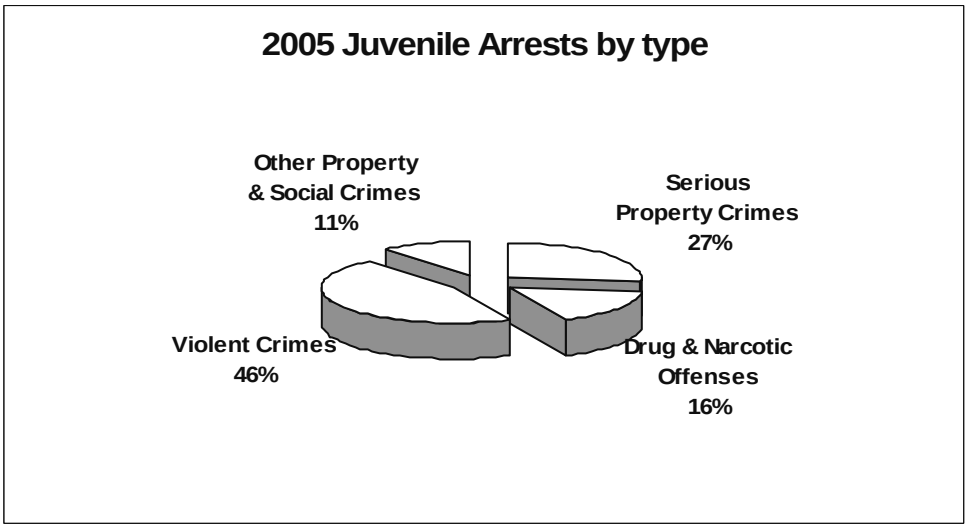

Table 38

Juvenile Arrest Rates for Group A Offenses Received per 1,000 Population						
Juvenile Population	194,101	195,555	197,248	199,062	200,634	202,711
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Violent Crimes	9.6	11.8	11.2	11.7	11.8	12.5
Drug and Narcotic Offenses	3.2	3.2	3.8	4.1	3.8	4.3
Serious Property Crimes	6.8	8.0	7.2	7.8	7.7	7.2
Other Property/Social Crimes	3.6	3.5	3.8	3.2	3.0	3.0
Total Arrest Rates	**23.3**	**26.4**	**26.0**	**26.8**	**26.4**	**27.1**

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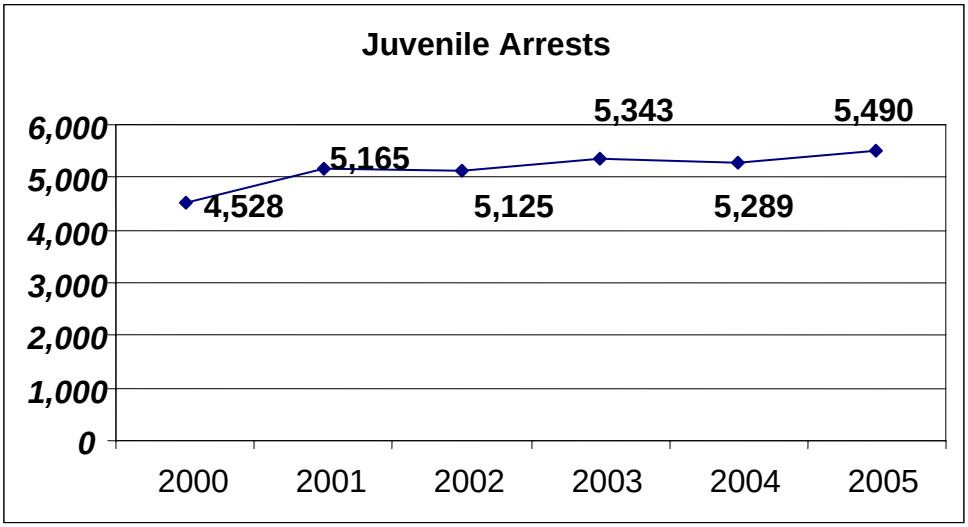

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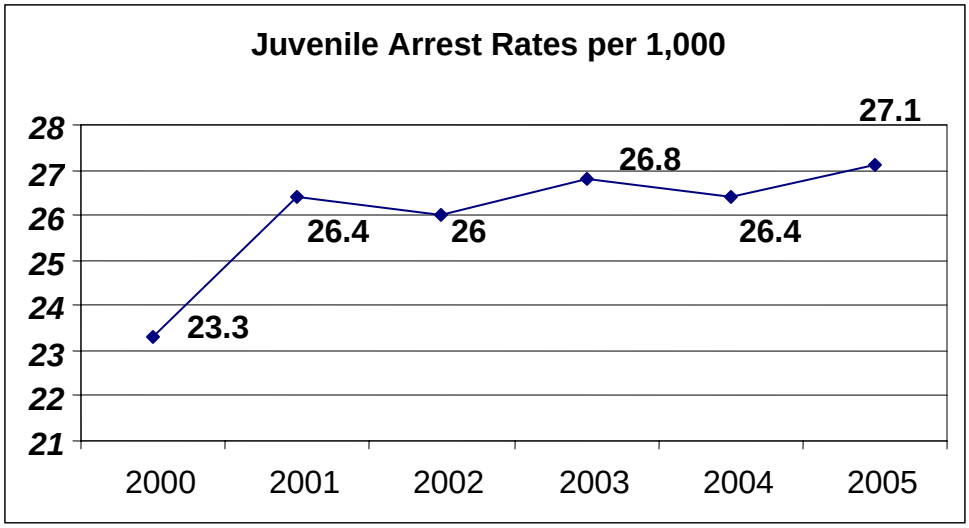

Table 39

Juvenile Arrest Percent Change				
% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change
2000 - 2001	2001 - 2002	2002 - 2003	2003 - 2004	2004 - 2005
14.1%	-0.8%	4.3%	-1.0%	3.8%

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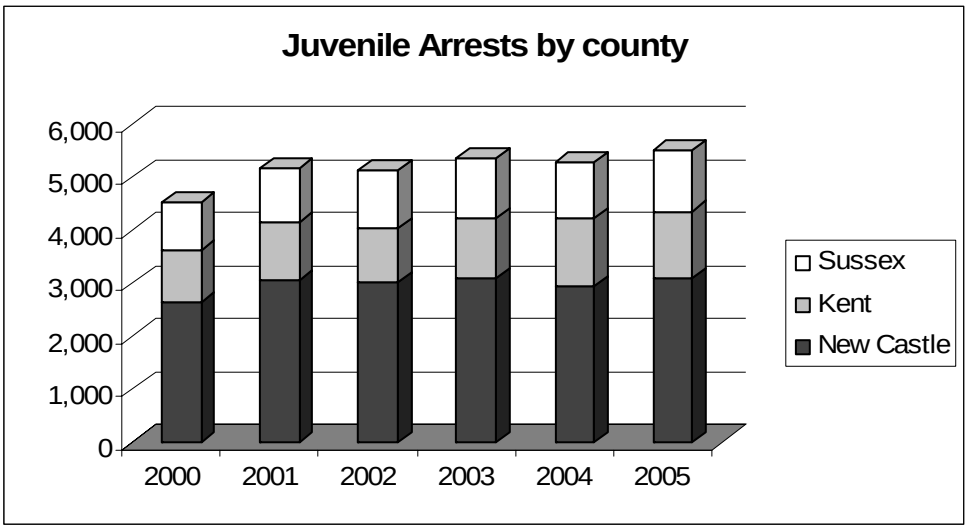

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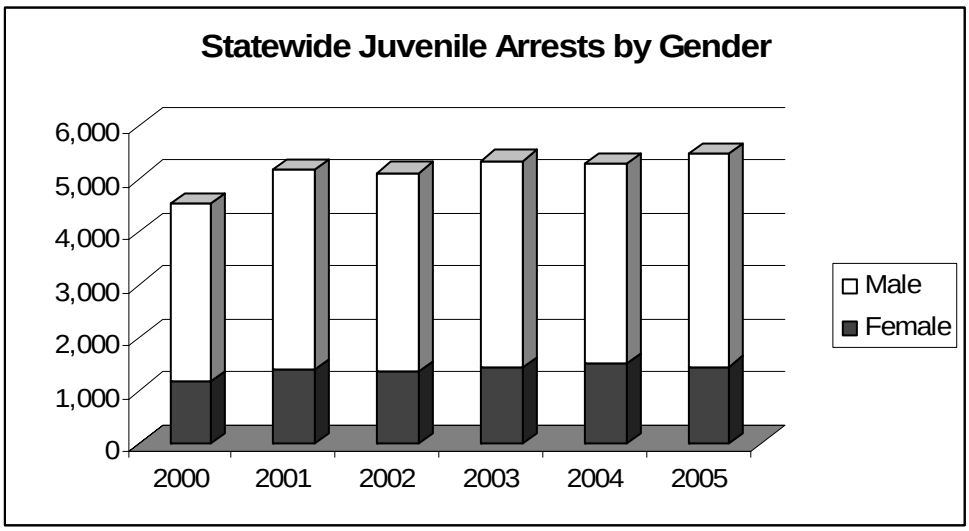

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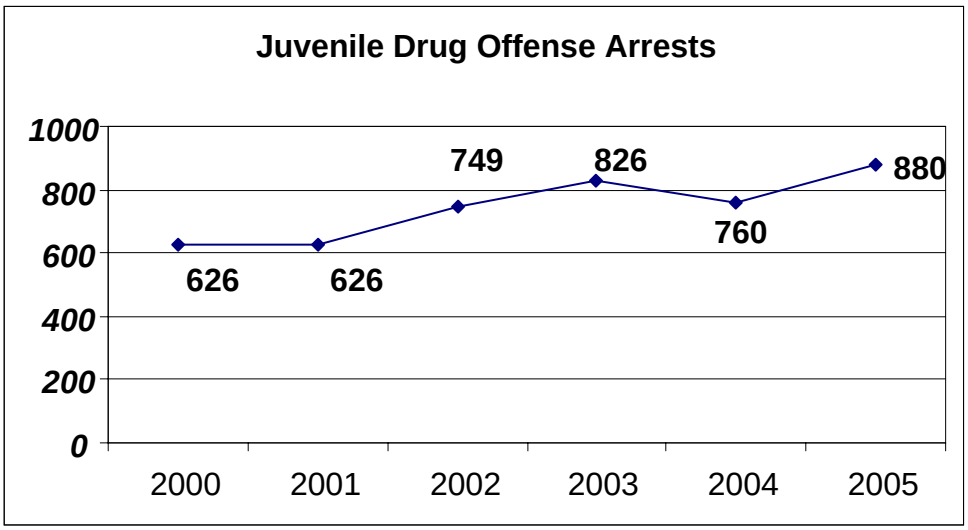

Table 40

Juvenile Drug Arrest Percent Change				
% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change	% Change
2000 - 2001	2001 - 2002	2002 - 2003	2003 - 2004	2004 - 2005
0.0%	19.6%	10.3%	-8.0%	15.8%

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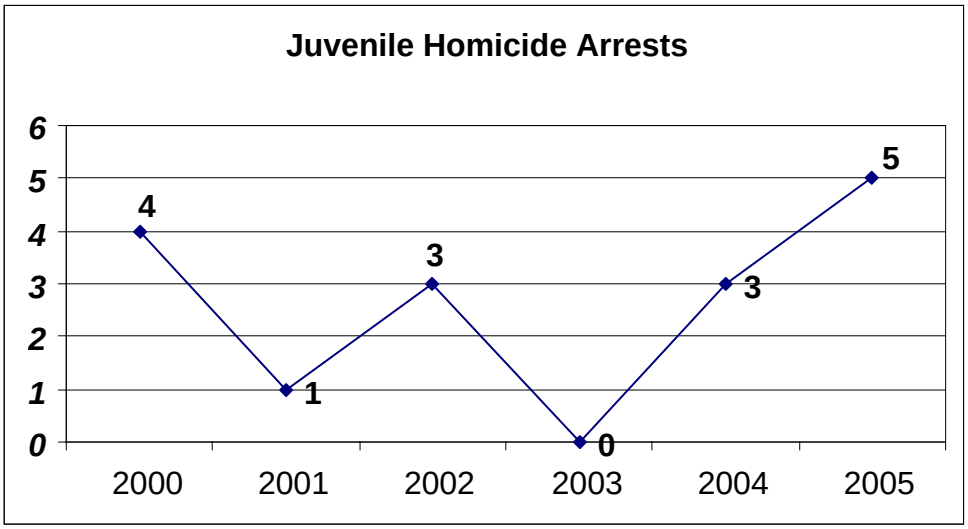

Juvenile Arrests by Gender

Table 41		Juvenile Arrests					
		2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Crimes							
Homicide	M	4	1	3	0	3	3
	F	0	0	0	0	0	2
Kidnapping	M	7	14	15	26	14	17
	F	1	2	1	3	3	4
Forcible Sex Offenses	M	44	43	41	46	39	86
	F	0	4	12	2	1	3
Robbery	M	104	103	122	151	110	165
	F	4	13	12	18	10	10
Aggravated Assault	M	266	259	245	310	273	252
	F	74	81	74	87	100	103
Other Assault	M	823	1,123	1,033	998	1,062	1,182
	F	448	561	540	549	607	568
Weapon Law Violations	M	82	83	99	117	126	121
	F	15	11	21	27	29	24
Drug and Narcotic Offenses							
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	M	507	492	601	693	604	701
	F	78	79	95	86	87	108
Drug Equipment Violations	M	39	46	44	38	56	61
	F	2	9	9	10	13	10
Serious Property Crimes							
Arson	M	43	38	41	29	31	53
	F	8	1	3	3	2	6
Extortion/Blackmail	M	1	0	1	0	2	2
	F	1	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary	M	211	263	266	294	314	291
	F	35	30	22	27	43	23
Larceny	M	560	684	571	633	591	571
	F	366	462	417	472	480	457
Motor Vehicle Theft	M	89	75	86	82	71	53
	F	10	7	6	17	9	7
Other Property and Social Crimes							
Counterfeiting/Forgery	M	13	17	14	8	9	10
	F	7	7	8	2	9	6
Fraud	M	67	90	76	97	78	72
	F	37	40	43	31	29	26
Embezzlement	M	13	21	13	9	10	10
	F	10	7	10	11	3	18
Stolen Property	M	215	158	169	143	108	93
	F	18	12	23	28	12	14
Property Destruction	M	274	251	335	231	283	291
	F	51	71	59	62	59	57
Nonforcible Sex Offenses	M	0	2	2	5	3	7
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pornography	M	1	0	0	1	0	0
	F	0	2	1	0	1	0
Gambling Offenses	M	0	3	3	1	4	3
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prostitution Offenses	M	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	1	0
Bribery	M	0	0	0	0	0	0
	F	0	0	0	0	0	0
Group A Violations	M	**3,363**	**3,766**	**3,780**	**3,912**	**3,791**	**4,044**
	F	**1,165**	**1,399**	**1,356**	**1,435**	**1,498**	**1,446**

Adult and Juvenile Arrests by Race and Ethnic Origin:

Group A

Table 42

		RACE					Ethnic Origin		
		White	Black	Indian	Asian	Unknown	Hispanic	NonHispanic	Unknown
2005	M	10,604	9,637	4	47	13	1,262	18,976	67
	F	3,879	3,181	2	27	13	354	6,705	43
Totals		**14,483**	**12,818**	**6**	**74**	**26**	**1,616**	**25,681**	**110**

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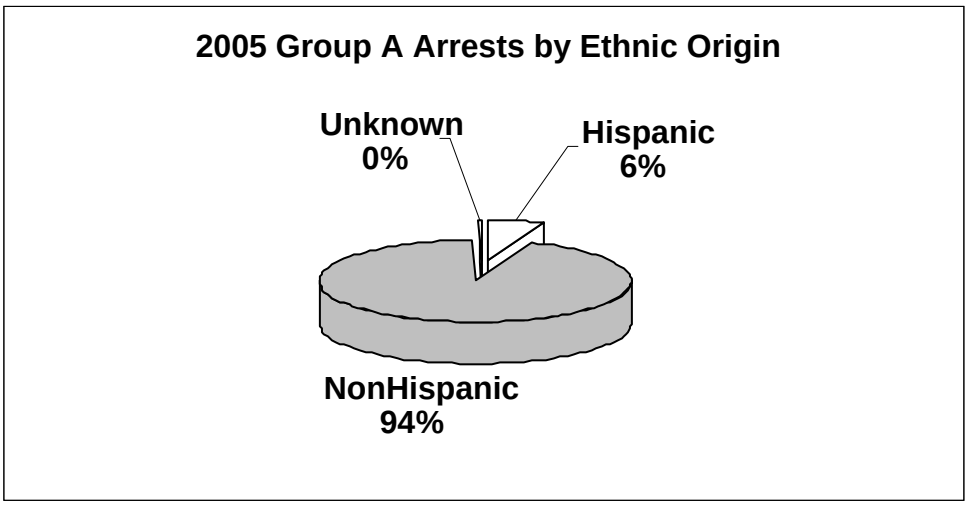

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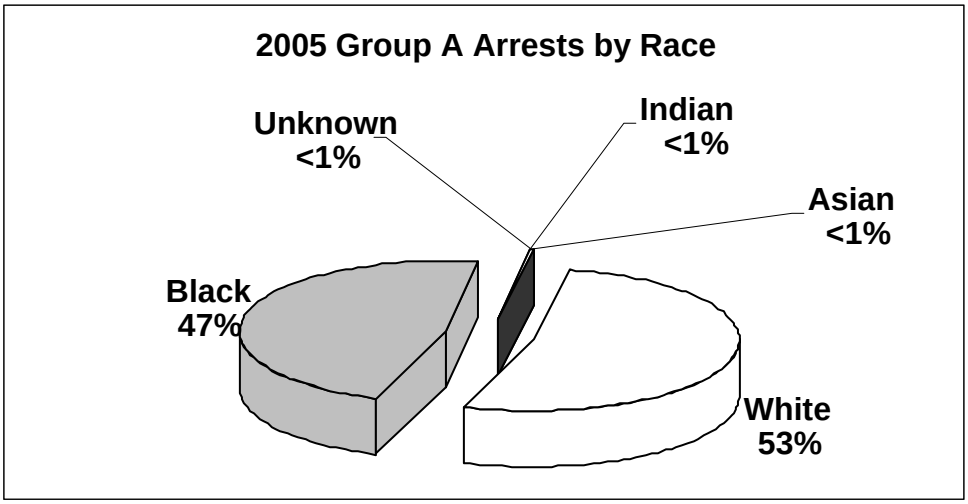

2005 Arrests by Sex/Age

Table 43	Sex	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Violent Crimes				
Homicide	M	17	3	**20**
	F	4	2	**6**
Kidnapping	M	241	17	**258**
	F	12	4	**16**
Forcible Sex Offenses	M	227	86	**313**
	F	3	3	**6**
Robbery	M	308	165	**473**
	F	35	10	**45**
Aggravated Assault	M	1,084	252	**1,336**
	F	476	103	**579**
Other Assault	M	4,485	1,182	**5,667**
	F	1,607	568	**2,175**
Weapon Law Violations	M	253	121	**374**
	F	19	24	**43**
Drug and Narcotic Offenses				
Drug/Narcotic Offenses	M	3,916	701	**4,617**
	F	761	108	**869**
Drug Equipment Violations	M	550	61	**611**
	F	205	10	**215**
Serious Property Crimes				
Arson	M	21	53	**74**
	F	6	6	**12**
Extortion/Blackmail	M	5	2	**7**
	F	0	0	**0**
Burglary	M	614	291	**905**
	F	80	23	**103**
Larceny	M	1,749	571	**2,320**
	F	1,193	457	**1,650**
Motor Vehicle Theft	M	94	53	**147**
	F	21	7	**28**
Other Property and Social Crimes				
Counterfeiting/Forgery	M	290	10	**300**
	F	203	6	**209**
Fraud	M	1,365	72	**1,437**
	F	573	26	**599**
Embezzlement	M	100	10	**110**
	F	119	18	**137**
Stolen Property	M	278	93	**371**
	F	54	14	**68**
Property Destruction	M	524	291	**815**
	F	210	57	**267**
Nonforcible Sex Offenses	M	32	7	**39**
	F	0	0	**0**
Pornography	M	14	0	**14**
	F	1	0	**1**
Gambling Offenses	M	8	3	**11**
	F	1	0	**1**
Prostitution Offenses	M	85	0	**85**
	F	73	0	**73**
Bribery	M	1	0	**1**
	F	0	0	**0**
Group A Violations	M	**24,685**	**5,768**	**30,453**
	F	**8,726**	**2,260**	**10,986**

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Clearance Rates

In Delaware, there has been a 1.2 percent decrease in total offenses received since 2000, and during that time, a 33 percent increase in arrests. This decrease in offenses, coupled with the increase in arrests, helps to explain the 11.9 percent increase in cleared offenses in Delaware. Overall, there has been a 13.2 percent increase in the percentage of crimes cleared between 2000 and 2005. In 2000, there were 40,865 Group A crimes cleared. In 2005, this count increased to 45,711.

Clearance rates in crime analysis is the number or percentage of offenses received that are solved by the police. An offense is 'cleared by arrest' or solved for crime reporting purposes when at least one person is arrested, charged with the commission of the offenses and turned over to the court for prosecution. An offense is also counted as cleared by arrest if any of the following "exceptional" conditions pertain: suicide of the offender; double murder; deathbed confession; offender killed by police or citizen; confession by offender already in custody or serving a sentence; an offender prosecuted in another jurisdiction for a different offense and that jurisdiction does not release offender to first jurisdiction; extradition denied; victim refuses to cooperate in prosecution; warrant is outstanding for felon but before arrest the offender dies of natural causes or as a result of an accident, or is killed in the commission of another offense; or, handling of a juvenile offender either orally or by written notice to parents in instances involving minor offenses where no referral to juvenile court is made as a matter of publicly accepted police policy.[1]

It should be noted that the arrest of one person can clear several crimes or several persons may be arrested to clear one crime. Violent crimes (murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault) often undergo a more vigorous investigative effort than crimes against property. Additionally, victims and or witnesses often identify the perpetrators. Consequently, violent crimes tend to have higher clearance rates than property crimes.

[1] U.S. Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Uniform Crime Reporting Handbook

Clearance Rates: Group A

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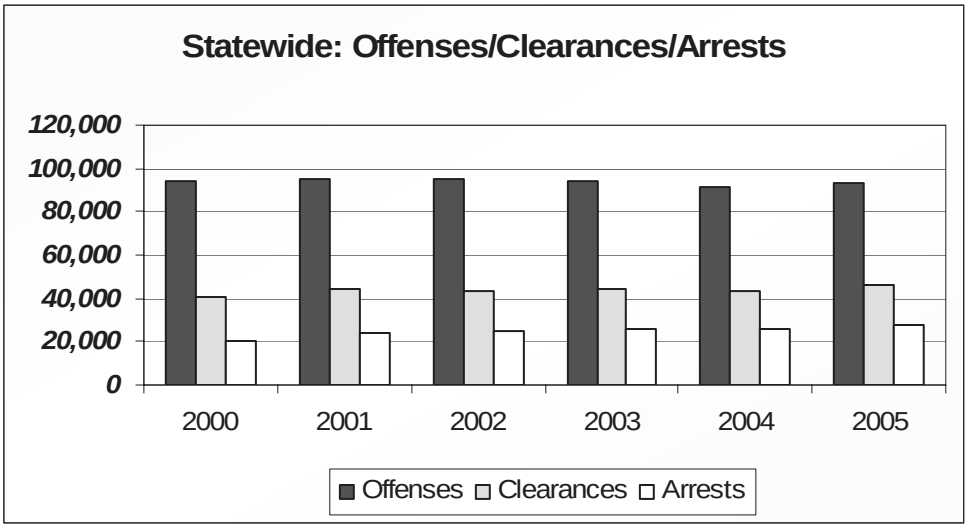

Offenses, Arrests and Clearances

Table 44

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Offenses	93,984	94,735	95,330	94,019	91,274	92,817
Offenses Cleared	40,865	44,451	43,733	44,060	43,118	45,711
Number of Arrests	20,610	23,826	25,199	26,291	25,867	27,407
% Offenses Cleared	43.9	46.9	45.9	46.9	47.2	49.2

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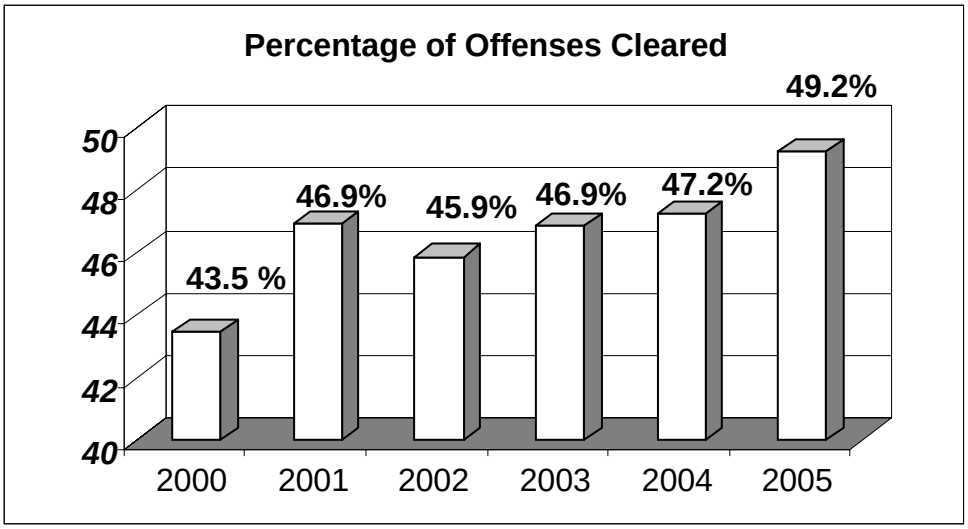

Clearance Rates by Major Crime Group

Violent Crime

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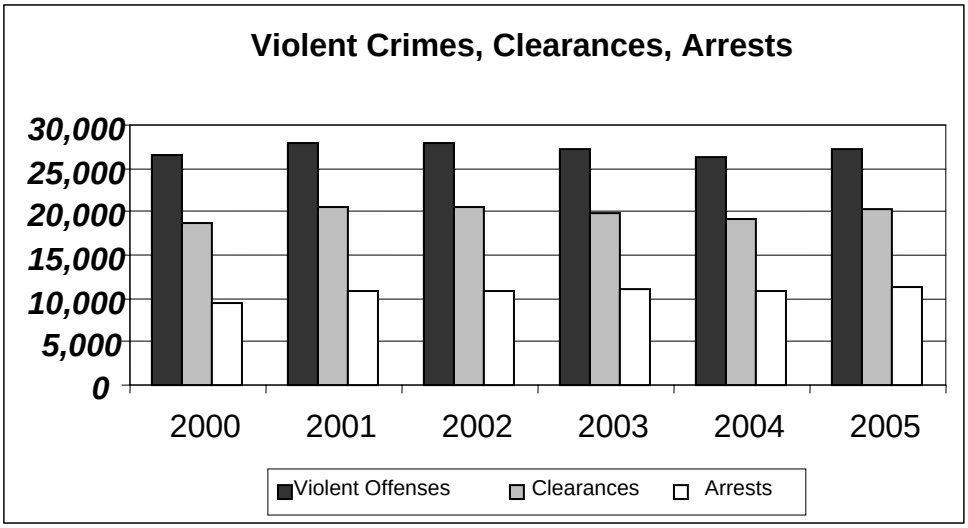

Violent Crimes, Clearances, Arrests

Table 45

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Violent Offenses	26,498	27,858	27,994	27,129	26,309	27,263
Violent Offenses Cleared	18,641	20,652	20,562	19,938	19,228	20,245
Violent Offense Arrests	9,411	10,819	10,934	11,039	10,759	11,311
Violent Offense % Cleared	**70.3%**	**74.1%**	**73.5%**	**73.5%**	**73.1%**	**74.3%**

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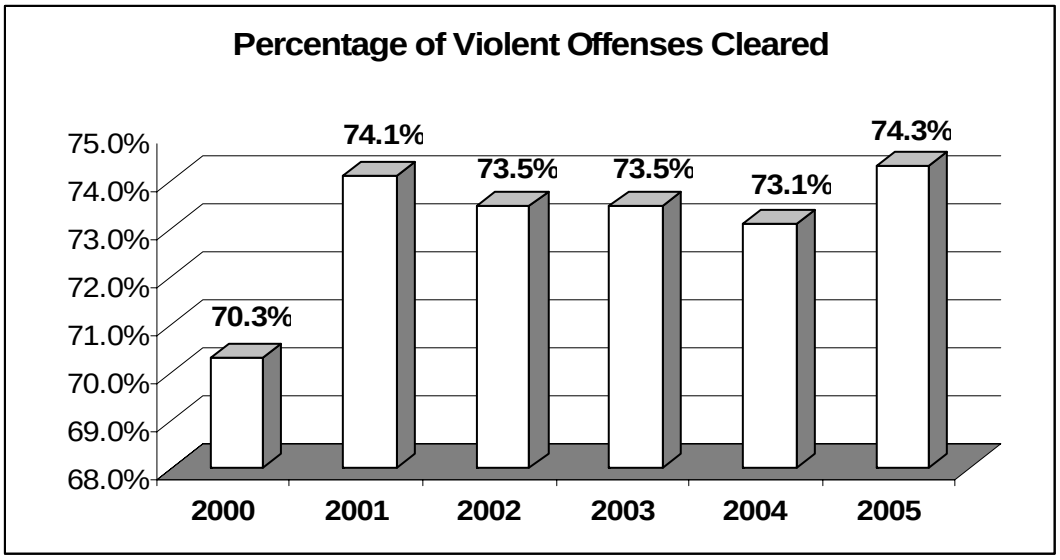

Drug Offenses

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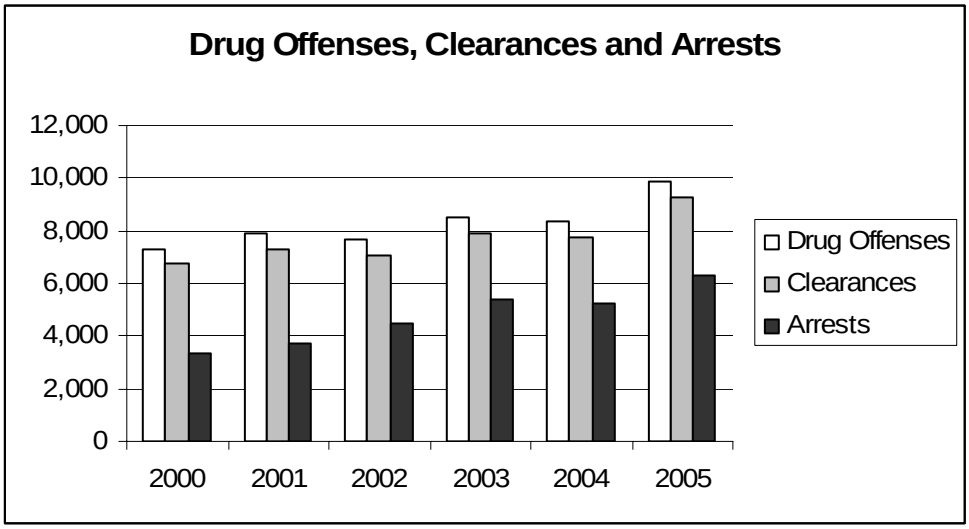

Drug Offenses, Clearances and Arrests

Table 46

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Drug Offenses	7,277	7,912	7,685	8,535	8,341	9,876
Drug Offenses Cleared	6,785	7,273	7,060	7,935	7,748	9,302
Drug Offense Arrests	3,305	3,736	4,472	5,412	5,274	6,312
Drug Offense % Cleared	**93.2%**	**91.9%**	**91.96%**	**92.9%**	**92.9%**	**94.2%**

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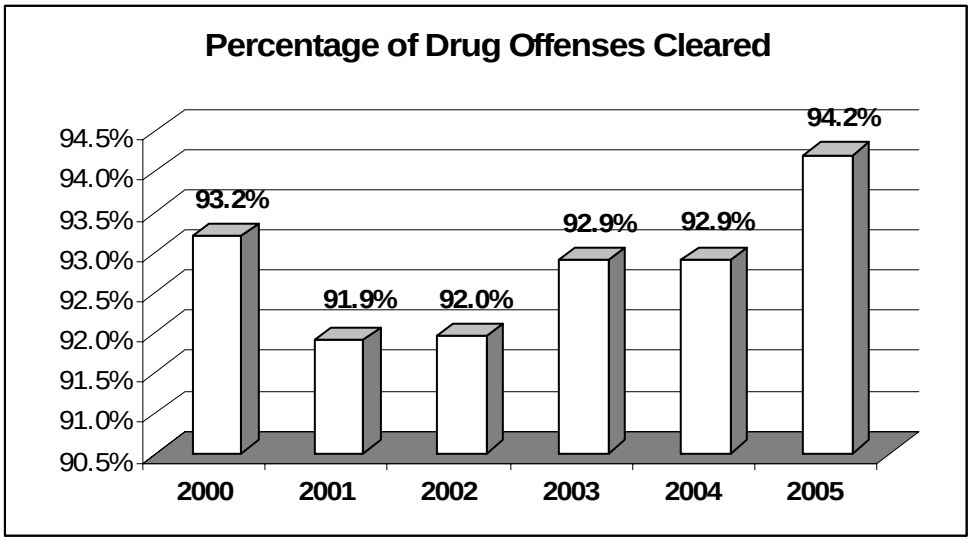

Drug Offenses Received, Cleared, and Arrests

Table 47

Drug Offenses 2000 - 2005	Offenses Rec'd	Offenses Cleared	Adult Arrest	Juvenile Arrest	Arrest Totals
2005 Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**9,876**	**9,302**	**5,432**	**880**	**6,312**
A. Drug/Narcotic	5,816	5,434	4,677	809	5,487
B. Drug Equipment	4,060	3,868	755	71	826
2004 Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**8,341**	**7,748**	**4,514**	**760**	**5,274**
A. Drug/Narcotic	4,914	4,487	3,803	691	4,494
B. Drug Equipment	3,427	3,261	711	69	780
2003 Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**8,549**	**7,941**	**4,566**	**827**	**5,393**
A. Drug/Narcotic	5,155	4,719	3,961	779	4,740
B. Drug Equipment	3,394	3,222	605	48	653
2002 Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**7,685**	**7,060**	**3,723**	**749**	**4,472**
A. Drug/Narcotic	4,704	4,238	3,212	696	3,908
B. Drug Equipment	2,981	2,822	511	53	564
2001 Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**7,912**	**7,273**	**3,110**	**626**	**3,736**
A. Drug/Narcotic	4,851	4,385	2,669	571	3,240
B. Drug Equipment	3,061	2,888	441	55	496
2000 Drug/Narcotic Offenses	**7,277**	**6,785**	**2,679**	**626**	**3,305**
A. Drug/Narcotic	4,488	4,132	2,322	585	2,907
B. Drug Equipment	2,789	2,653	357	41	398

Serious Property Crimes

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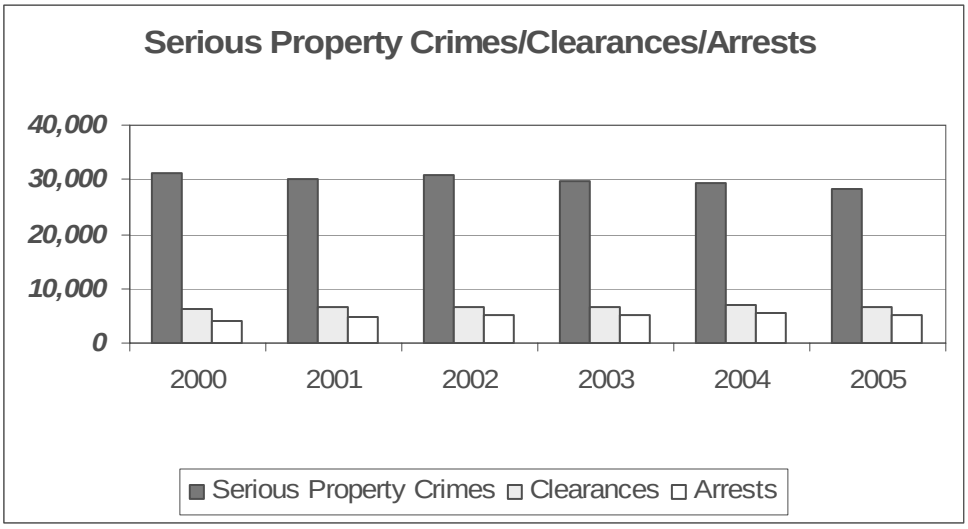

Serious Property Crimes, Clearances and Arrests

Table 48

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Serious Property Crimes	31,295	30,168	30,643	29,884	29,202	28,112
Serious Property Crimes Cleared	6,320	6,710	6,579	6,674	6,942	6,719
Serious Property Crime Arrests	4,141	4,859	5,011	5,307	5,379	5,246
Serious Property Crime % Cleared	**20.2%**	**22.2%**	**21.5%**	**22.3%**	**23.8%**	**23.9%**

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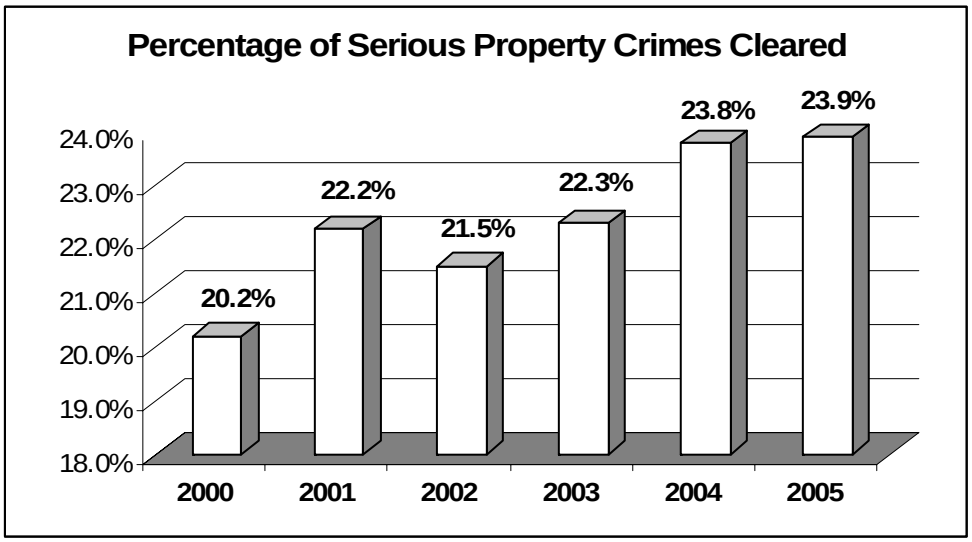

Other Property and Social Crimes

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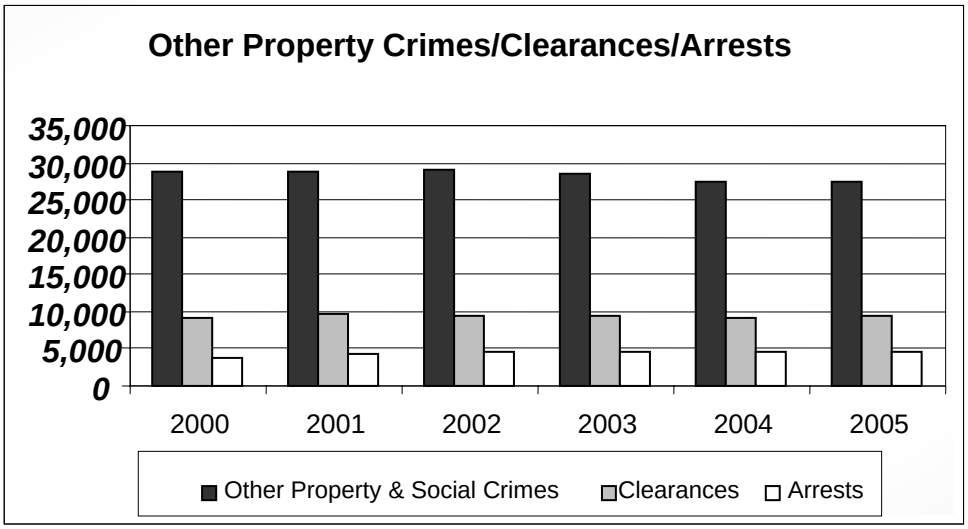

Other Property Crimes, Clearances and Arrests

Table 49

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Other Property & Social Crimes	28,914	28,797	29,008	28,471	27,422	27,566
Offenses Cleared	9,119	9,812	9,532	9,529	9,200	9,445
Number of Arrests	3,753	4,412	4,702	4,533	4,654	4,538
Percent Offenses Cleared	**31.5%**	**34.1%**	**32.9%**	**33.5%**	**33.6%**	**34.3%**

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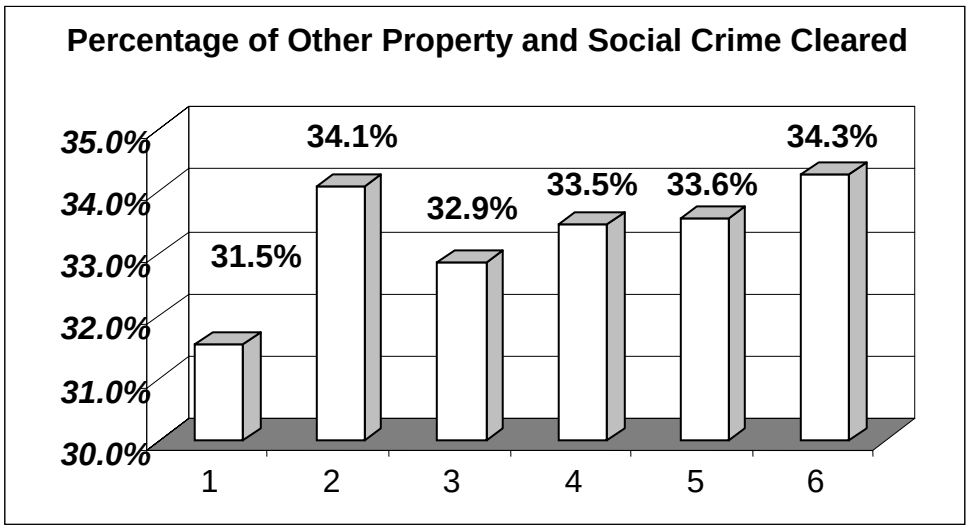

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Police Activity

- The number of law enforcement officers employed in Delaware State Police departments and Agencies totaled 2,307 in 2005. This is a 31.5 percent increase since 1999.
- 28.3 percent of Delaware Law Enforcement Officers worked for the State Police.
- There has been a 1.7 percent decrease in civilians who work with Law Enforcement Officers in the State.
- The New Castle County Police Department (NCCPD) employs 336 Law enforcement officers and 115 civilian employees.

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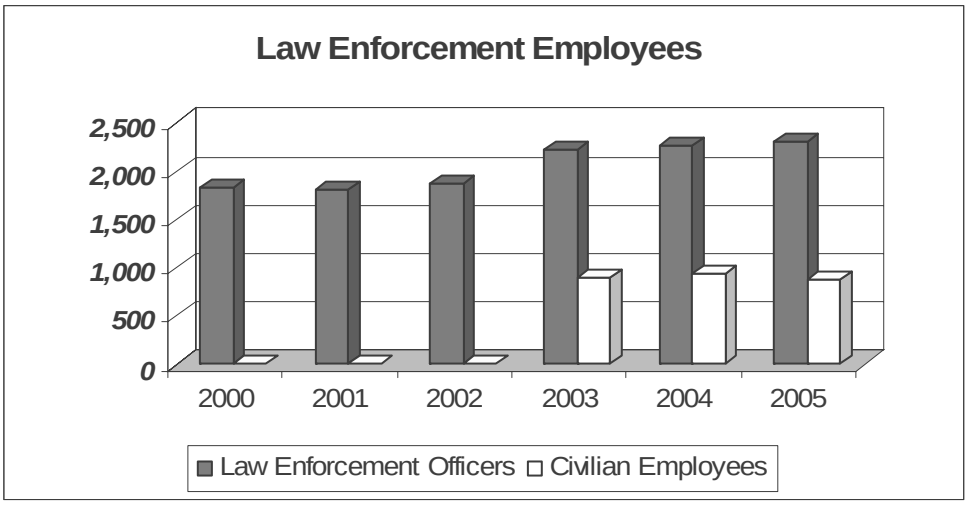

NOTE: Civilians were not reported before 2003.

Law Enforcement Manpower: Full Time Law Enforcement Officers

Table 50

Agency	County	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
DSP/Kent	Kent	*	*	*	211	221	221
DSP/NC	New Castle	*	*	*	246	248	268
DSP/Sussex	Sussex	*	*	*	172	174	163
DSP Totals		**599**	**605**	**625**	**629**	**643**	**652**
Bethany	Sussex	8	10	11	11	10	9
Bethel	Sussex	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blades	Sussex	3	3	3	2	3	2
Bowers Beach	Kent	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bridgeville	Sussex	2	3	4	5	6	5
Camden	Kent	4	6	7	9	12	14
Cheswold	Kent	1	1	1	1	4	3
Clayton	Kent	3	4	4	5	5	5
Dagsboro	Sussex	2	2	2	2	2	2
Del.City	New Castle	4	3	3	3	3	3
Delmar	Sussex	10	10	10	9	9	9
Dewey Beach	Sussex	7	7	8	8	8	8
Dover	Kent	81	81	81	84	87	90
Ellendale	Sussex	3	2	2	2	2	2
Elsmere	New Castle	9	9	10	10	10	11
Felton	Kent	4	3	4	4	4	4
Fenwick Isl.	Sussex	7	6	5	5	6	6
Frankford	Sussex	0	0	0	0	0	0
Frederica	Kent	4	2	1	2	2	0
Georgetown	Sussex	14	13	13	15	15	18
Greenwood	Sussex	5	4	4	4	4	4
Harrington	Kent	11	11	9	9	9	10
Laurel	Sussex	8	9	9	11	10	12
Lewes	Sussex	13	13	13	13	13	13
Middletown	New Castle	0	0	0	0	0	0
Milford	Kent/Sussex	26	26	26	26	26	29
Milton	Sussex	5	4	5	7	7	8
Millsboro	Sussex	9	10	10	10	13	13
NC County	New Castle	322	311	335	330	325	336
NC City	New Castle	*	*	*	17	17	17
Newark	New Castle	53	56	55	59	57	59
Newport	New Castle	7	7	7	7	7	8
Ocean View	Sussex	3	5	7	8	8	7
Rehoboth	Sussex	18	15	18	19	18	18
Seaford	Sussex	24	22	20	24	24	24
Selbyville	Sussex	6	7	6	6	7	6
Smyrna	Kent	17	16	17	18	21	21
S.Bethany	Sussex	6	6	6	6	6	6
Wilmington	New Castle	279	284	279	285	278	272
Wyoming	Kent	3	3	2	3	4	4
City/Town Totals:		**981**	**974**	**997**	**1,039**	**1,042**	**1,058**

Agency	County	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
ABC	K/NC/S	11	11	15	11	14	14
Air/Waste	K/NC/S	12	12	11	12	12	12
Amtrak	New Castle	0	0	0	0	0	0
Capitol Police	K/NC/S	24	24	32	35	32	37
Del State U.	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	10
DRBA	New Castle/Sussex	58	51	50	50	44	44
Drug Enfrcmt	New Castle	19	18	17	*	*	8
Fire Marshall	K/NC/S	19	18	17	17	18	20
Marine Police	K/NC/S	28	24	26	26	26	26
Narc/Drugs	K/NC/S	5	5	5	4	4	5
Park Rangers	K/NC/S	32	32	30	28	27	23
U of D	New Castle/Sussex	44	45	46	47	45	39
Wilm. FM	New Castle	19	18	17	169	177	180
Special Police Organization Totals:		**271**	**258**	**266**	**399**	**399**	**418**
Officer Totals		**1,828**	**1,816**	**1,871**	**2,067**	**2,084**	**2,128**

AG Office	Kent	*	*	*	25	31	31
AG Office	New Castle	*	*	*	113	119	119
AG Office	Sussex	*	*	*	23	29	29
Totals		*	*	*	**161**	**179**	**179**

Law Enforcement's Full Time Civilian Employees

Table 51

Agency	County	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
DSP/Kent	Kent	*	*	*	159	157	163
DSP/NC	New Castle	*	*	*	37	43	45
DSP/Sussex	Sussex	*	*	*	30	32	35
DSP Totals		*****	*****	*****	**226**	**232**	**243**
Bethany	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	2
Bethel	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Blades	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Bowers Beach	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	0
Bridgeville	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Camden	Kent	*	*	*	1	1	2
Cheswold	Kent	*	*	*	1	0	0
Clayton	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	0
Dagsboro	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Del.City	New Castle	*	*	*	0	0	0
Delmar	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
Dewey Beach	Sussex	*	*	*	0	2	3
Dover	Kent	*	*	*	29	29	31
Ellendale	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Elsmere	New Castle	*	*	*	1	1	1
Felton	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	0
Fenwick Isl.	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Frankford	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Frederica	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	0
Georgetown	Sussex	*	*	*	2	2	2
Greenwood	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
Harrington	Kent	*	*	*	1	1	1
Laurel	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
Lewes	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
Middletown	New Castle	*	*	*	0	0	0
Milford	Kent/Sussex	*	*	*	8	8	10
Milton	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	1
Millsboro	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
NC County	New Castle	*	*	*	208	242	115
NC City	New Castle	*	*	*	2	2	2
Newark	New Castle	*	*	*	17	18	16
Newport	New Castle	*	*	*	0	1	0
Ocean View	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
Rehoboth	Sussex	*	*	*	10	8	8
Seaford	Sussex	*	*	*	9	7	9
Selbyville	Sussex	*	*	*	1	1	1
Smyrna	Kent	*	*	*	6	6	5
S.Bethany	Sussex	*	*	*	0	0	0
Wilmington	New Castle	*	*	*	72	71	86
Wyoming	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	1
City/Town Totals:		*****	*****	*****	**375**	**407**	**302**

Agency	County	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
ABC	K/NC/S	*	*	*	2	4	4
Air/Waste	K/NC/S	*	*	*	2	2	2
Amtrak	New Castle	*	*	*	0	0	0
Capitol Police	K/NC/S	*	*	*	19	18	23
Del State U.	Kent	*	*	*	0	0	19
DRBA	New Castle/Sussex	*	*	*	16	18	16
Drug Enfrcmt	New Castle	*	*	*	0	0	3
Fire Marshall	K/NC/S	*	*	*	32	32	34
Marine Police	K/NC/S	*	*	*	5	5	6
Narc/Drugs	K/NC/S	*	*	*	3	2	0
Park Rangers	K/NC/S	*	*	*	6	1	0
U of D	New Castle/Sussex	*	*	*	24	30	37
Wilm. FM	New Castle	*	*	*	4	3	4
Special Police Organization Totals:		*	*	*	**113**	**115**	**148**
Officer Totals		*	*	*	**714**	**754**	**693**

AG Office	Kent	*	*	*	20	20	25
AG Office	New Castle	*	*	*	136	137	137
AG Office	Sussex	*	*	*	21	21	21
Totals		*	*	*	**177**	**178**	**183**

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Crimes against Law Enforcement Officials 2000 -2005

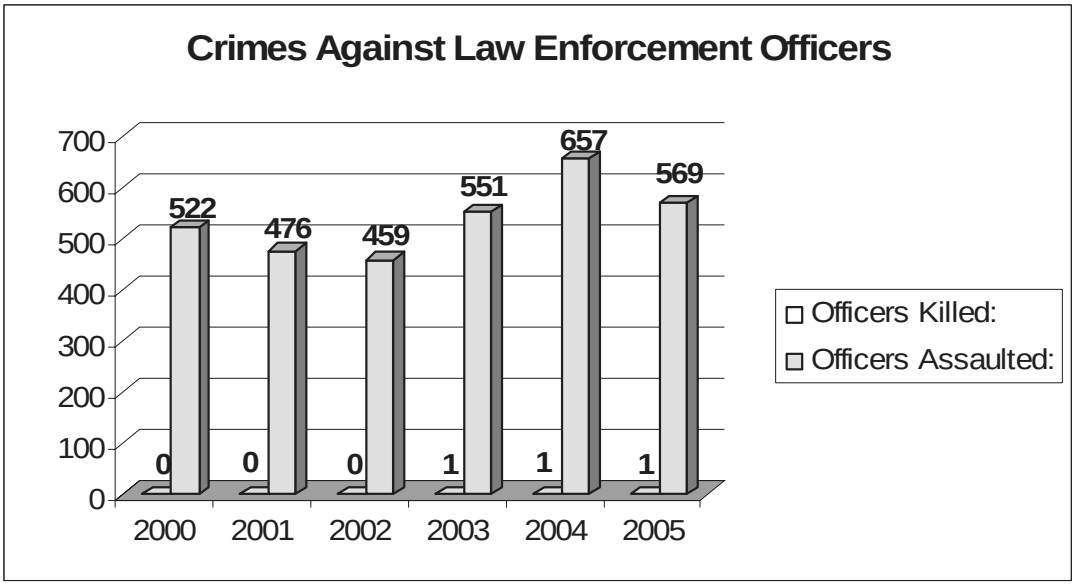
- There was a 36 percent increase in assaults on Law Enforcement Officers between 2000 and 2004, but a 13.4 percent decrease since 2004.

Crimes against Law Enforcement Officials

Table 52

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Of Officers Killed:	0	0	0	1	1	1
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	522	476	459	551	657	569

Figure 53

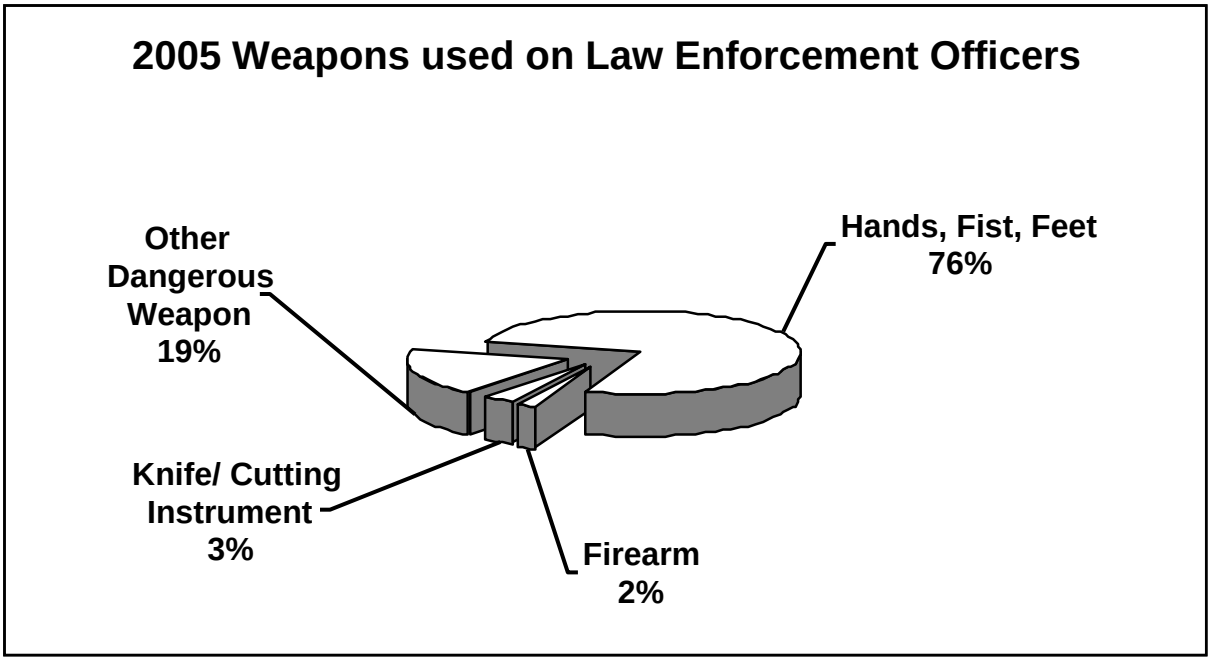


Assaults against Law Enforcement Officers by weapon type

Table 53

2000					2001				
Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet
522	**6**	**6**	**98**	**412**	**476**	**11**	**3**	**69**	**393**
2002					**2003**				
Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet
459	**6**	**6**	**93**	**354**	**551**	**12**	**12**	**94**	**433**
2004					**2005**				
Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet
658	**14**	**16**	**105**	**523**	**569**	**13**	**15**	**107**	**434**

Figure 54



Crimes against Law Enforcement Officials, Details

The following section shows by year and by county, information regarding the totals of assaults that law enforcement officers faced. This information includes the type of activities the police officers were engaged in at the time of the assaults, such as responding to a disturbance, transporting a prisoner, etc. It also includes the type of assignment the officer was involved in such as one man vehicle assisted, detective or special assignment, etc. The type of weapon used in the assault as well as time of day the assault occurred is included.

Table 54

Percentage of Activities During which Officers are Assaulted						
Type of Activity	**2000**	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Responding to Disturbance	**31.8%**	**32.6%**	**31.6%**	**27.4%**	**23.4%**	**24.1%**
Burglaries in Progress/Pursuing Suspects	**1.0%**	**0.8%**	**1.3%**	**2.7%**	**0.8%**	**0.9%**
Robberies in Progress/ Pursuing Suspects	**0.0%**	**0.2%**	**0.4%**	**0.5%**	**0.3%**	**0.5%**
Attempting Other Arrest	**21.3%**	**24.8%**	**21.1%**	**24.9%**	**25.7%**	**21.8%**
Civil Disorder	**0.4%**	**1.1%**	**0.4%**	**0.9%**	**3.2%**	**3.0%**
Handling/Transporting Prisoners	**17.8%**	**10.7%**	**12.0%**	**10.5%**	**11.1%**	**10.2%**
Investigating Suspicious Person	**2.1%**	**5.5%**	**4.1%**	**6.2%**	**5.2%**	**7.6%**
Ambush	**0.0%**	**0.0%**	**0.0%**	**0.0%**	**0.0%**	**0.4%**
Mentally Deranged Person	**0.6%**	**1.3%**	**2.4%**	**3.1%**	**4.1%**	**3.5%**
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	**9.4%**	**10.7%**	**13.5%**	**11.6%**	**9.4%**	**11.1%**
All Others	**15.7%**	**12.4%**	**13.1%**	**12.2%**	**16.9%**	**17.1%**
Totals	**100.0%**	**100.0%**	**100.0%**	**100.0%**	**100.0%**	**100.0%**

Details Regarding Assaults on Police Officers

2000

Statewide 2000													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**522**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	166	2	3	22	139	67	76	11	2	2	2	1	154
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	5	0	0	2	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	111	0	0	11	100	22	50	29	5	3	0	0	99
Civil Disorder	2	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	93	0	0	17	76	18	23	6	0	2	20	24	88
Investigating Suspicious Person	11	0	0	0	11	6	4	0	0	1	0	0	11
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	3	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	49	0	0	32	17	16	16	10	6	0	1	0	46
All Others	82	4	1	14	63	19	29	8	5	1	17	2	74
TOTALS:	522	6	6	98	412	150	206	64	18	9	40	27	481
Victim was Injured:	125	0	0	10	115								
Victim was not Injured:	397	6	6	88	297								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: AM	83	41	23	13	14	31							
P.M.	24	26	47	63	69	88							

New Castle County 2000													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**365**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	136	1	3	16	116	59	64	5	2	0	1	0	125
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	4	0	0	2	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	59	0	0	8	51	12	28	12	2	3	0	0	47
Civil Disorder	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	68	0	0	17	51	6	18	6	0	1	15	22	63
Investigating Suspicious Person	9	0	0	0	9	6	3	0	0	0	0	0	9
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	2	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	22	0	0	13	9	9	8	4	0	0	1	0	19
All Others	64	2	1	7	54	118	25	2	2	1	13	2	57
TOTALS:	365	3	6	63	293	211	152	29	6	5	30	24	326
Victim was Injured:	81	0	0	9	72								
Victim was not Injured:	284	3	6	54	221								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	63	30	22	9	12	25							
P.M.	23	24	35	52	59	66							

Kent County 2000													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**55**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	9	0	0	3	6	0	6	1	0	2	0	0	9
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	28	0	0	1	27	7	12	6	3	0	0	0	28
Civil Disorder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	6	0	0	0	6	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	6
Investigating Suspicious Person	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	4	0	0	3	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	4
All Others	6	2	0	0	4	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	5
TOTALS:	55	2	0	7	46	10	24	8	5	3	4	1	54
Victim was Injured:	17	0	0	0	17								
Victim was not Injured:	38	2	0	7	29								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	14	6	0	0	0	8							
P.M.	0	0	3	2	9	10							

Sussex County 2000													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**102**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	21	1	0	3	17	8	6	5	0	0	1	1	20
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	24	0	0	2	22	3	10	11	0	0	0	0	24
Civil Disorder	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	19	0	0	0	19	11	4	0	0	0	3	1	19
Investigating Suspicious Person	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	23	0	0	16	7	5	7	5	6	0	0	0	23
All Others	12	0	0	7	5	1	2	6	1	0	2	0	12
TOTALS:	102	1	0	28	73	29	30	27	7	1	6	2	101
Victim was Injured:	27	0	0	1	26								
Victim was not Injured:	75	1	0	27	47								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	83	41	23	13	14	31							
P.M.	24	26	47	63	69	88							

Details Regarding Assaults on Police Officers

2001

Statewide 2001													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**476**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	155	4	1	15	135	53	73	16	1	0	5	1	143
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	4	0	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Attempting Other Arrest	118	0	1	12	105	18	55	30	5	0	2	7	112
Civil Disorder	5	0	0	0	5	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	5
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	51	0	0	4	47	8	26	4	1	0	4	7	50
Investigating Suspicious Person	26	2	0	5	19	13	9	3	1	0	0	0	24
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	6	0	0	2	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	6
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	51	2	1	27	21	8	17	21	3	0	2	0	48
All Others	59	3	0	4	52	7	34	4	2	0	10	2	52
TOTALS:	476	11	3	69	393	112	221	80	13	0	25	17	445
Victim was Injured:	103	1	0	15	87								
Victim was not Injured:	373	10	3	54	306								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	85	47	10	7	18	23							
P.M.	25	29	52	47	66	67							

New Castle County 2001													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**330**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	123	4	1	11	107	41	65	6	1	0	4	1	111
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	4	0	0	0	4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	63	0	0	6	57	9	30	10	5	0	2	6	60
Civil Disorder	4	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	4
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	35	0	0	2	33	6	19	1	1	0	4	3	35
Investigating Suspicious Person	21	0	0	3	18	11	8	1	1	0	0	0	20
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	5	0	0	1	4	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	5
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	25	0	0	11	14	6	11	6	0	0	2	0	24
All Others	50	3	0	3	44	7	33	1	1	0	8	0	44
TOTALS:	330	7	1	37	285	84	172	26	9	0	22	10	307
Victim was Injured:	61	0	0	5	56								
Victim was not Injured:	269	7	1	32	229								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	66	36	9	5	12	30							
P.M.	19	26	45	36	54	54							

Kent County 2001													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**52**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	14	0	0	2	12	4	5	4	0	0	1	0	14
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	23	0	1	2	20	3	14	6	0	0	0	0	21
Civil Disorder	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	5	0	0	1	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	5
Investigating Suspicious Person	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	4	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	4
All Others	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1
TOTALS:	52	2	1	11	38	10	25	13	3	0	1	0	49
Victim was Injured:	8	1	0	0	7								
Victim was not Injured:	44	1	1	11	31								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	10	2	0	0	1	3							
P.M.	3	1	11	4	14	3							

Sussex County 2001													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**94**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	18	0	0	2	16	8	3	6	0	0	0	0	18
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Attempting Other Arrest	32	0	0	4	28	6	11	14	0	0	0	1	31
Civil Disorder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	11	0	0	1	10	2	3	2	0	0	0	4	10
Investigating Suspicious Person	3	0	0	2	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	22	2	1	12	7	2	5	15	0	0	0	0	20
All Others	7	0	0	0	7	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	7
TOTALS:	94	2	1	21	70	18	24	41	1	0	2	7	89
Victim was Injured:	34	0	0	10	24								
Victim was not Injured:	60	2	1	11	46								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	85	47	10	7	18	23							
P.M.	25	29	52	47	66	67							

Details Regarding Assaults on Police Officers

2002

Statewide 2002													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	459												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	145	1	1	31	112	56	51	23	0	0	6	9	142
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	6	0	1	2	3	1	2	0	0	0	3	0	4
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Attempting Other Arrest	97	0	1	10	86	24	44	9	8	3	5	3	94
Civil Disorder	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	55	0	2	4	49	10	26	9	3	0	6	1	52
Investigating Suspicious Person	19	1	0	1	17	7	7	1	2	0	1	1	19
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	11	1	1	5	4	0	7	1	0	2	0	1	6
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	62	1	0	31	30	14	33	9	2	0	4	0	60
All Others	60	1	0	8	51	10	28	4	3	0	8	6	56
TOTALS:	**459**	**6**	**6**	**93**	**354**	**122**	**201**	**57**	**18**	**5**	**33**	**21**	**437**
Victim was Injured:	105	0	0	18	87								
Victim was not Injured:	354	6	6	75	267								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	79	27	13	14	23	34							
P.M.	30	30	52	45	57	55							

New Castle County 2002													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	285												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	**102**	0	1	23	78	52	38	9	0	0	0	3	100
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	**5**	0	0	2	3	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	3
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	**1**	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Attempting Other Arrest	**52**	0	0	7	45	11	25	3	7	1	2	2	51
Civil Disorder	**1**	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	**29**	0	0	3	26	6	15	2	1	0	4	1	26
Investigating Suspicious Person	**12**	1	0	0	11	6	2	1	2	0	0	1	12
Ambush	**0**	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	**9**	1	0	5	3	0	6	0	0	2	0	1	4
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	**31**	1	0	14	16	9	18	2	2	0	0	0	29
All Others	**43**	0	0	8	35	9	20	4	1	0	4	4	39
TOTALS:	**285**	**3**	**1**	**63**	**218**	**94**	**127**	**22**	**13**	**3**	**12**	**12**	**266**
Victim was Injured:	**61**	0	0	12	49								
Victim was not Injured:	**224**	3	1	51	169								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	51	18	8	12	20	22							
P.M.	28	26	37	36	43	42							

Kent County 2002													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	58												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	14	0	0	3	11	1	6	6	0	0	0	1	14
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	13	0	0	1	12	1	8	2	0	2	0	0	13
Civil Disorder	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	14	0	1	0	13	3	5	5	0	0	1	0	14
Investigating Suspicious Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	2
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	5	0	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	5
All Others	8	1	0	0	7	0	6	0	1	0	0	1	8
TOTALS:	**58**	**1**	**3**	**6**	**48**	**5**	**30**	**14**	**1**	**2**	**4**	**2**	**58**
Victim was Injured:	14	0	0	1	13								
Victim was not Injured:	44	1	3	5	35								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	9	1	2	2	0	5							
P.M.	6	4	5	6	11	7							

Sussex County 2002													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	116												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	29	1	0	5	23	3	7	8	0	0	6	5	28
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Attempting Other Arrest	32	0	1	2	29	12	11	4	1	0	3	1	30
Civil Disorder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	12	0	1	1	10	1	6	2	2	0	1	0	12
Investigating Suspicious Person	7	0	0	1	6	1	5	0	0	0	1	0	7
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	26	0	0	15	11	5	12	7	0	0	2	0	26
All Others	9	0	0	0	9	1	2	0	1	0	4	1	9
TOTALS:	**116**	**2**	**2**	**24**	**88**	**23**	**44**	**21**	**4**	**0**	**17**	**7**	**113**
Victim was Injured:	30	0	0	5	25								
Victim was not Injured:	86	2	2	19	63								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	79	27	13	14	23	34							
P.M.	30	30	52	45	57	55							

Details Regarding Assaults on Police Officers

2003

Statewide 2003													
Total Of Officers Killed:	1												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	551												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	151	2	7	13	129	36	69	26	6	0	8	6	138
Burglary in Progress/Pursuing Suspects	15	0	0	4	11	6	6	1	0	0	2	0	13
Robbery in Progress/Pursuing Suspects	3	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3
Attempting Other Arrest	137	3	0	24	110	30	53	21	15	2	7	10	130
Civil Disorder	5	0	0	1	4	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	5
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	58	0	0	6	52	7	24	5	4	1	9	8	57
Investigating Suspicious Person	34	4	0	5	25	8	12	5	5	0	3	1	30
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	17	1	4	1	11	2	9	6	0	0	0	0	14
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	64	0	0	24	40	5	48	8	0	2	0	1	59
All Others	67	2	1	16	48	5	30	4	8	7	8	5	59
TOTALS:	551	12	12	94	433	101	255	76	39	12	38	31	508
Victim was Injured:	106	0	0	14	92								
Victim was not Injured:	445	12	12	80	341								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M	83	28	29	10	29	38							
P.M	50	37	50	53	72	73							

New Castle County 2003													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	345												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	109	2	3	9	95	34	48	12	6	0	4	5	97
Burglary in Progress/Pursuing Suspects	13	0	0	3	10	6	5	1	0	0	1	0	11
Robbery in Progress/Pursuing Suspects	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Attempting Other Arrest	73	1	0	15	57	19	31	3	13	1	2	5	70
Civil Disorder	2	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	34	0	0	4	30	6	13	1	2	1	5	6	33
Investigating Suspicious Person	20	2	0	2	16	5	6	3	3	0	3	0	17
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	10	1	0	1	8	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	8
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	32	0	0	11	21	3	29	0	0	0	0	0	28
All Others	49	1	1	7	40	5	26	1	5	0	8	4	42
TOTALS:	344	7	4	53	280	82	167	21	30	2	23	20	310
Victim was Injured:	67	0	0	10	57								
Victim was not Injured:	277	7	4	43	223								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	58	20	24	8	27	30							
P.M.	42	30	39	41	48	53							

Kent County 2003													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	75												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	15	0	3	1	11	1	10	4	0	0	0	0	14
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	30	0	0	8	22	6	11	8	1	1	0	3	26
Civil Disorder	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	5	0	0	0	5	0	2	0	2	0	0	1	5
Investigating Suspicious Person	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	5	0	4	0	1	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	4
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	10	0	0	6	4	1	5	2	0	1	0	1	9
All Others	9	1	0	1	7	0	3	2	3	1	0	0	9
TOTALS:	75	2	7	16	50	9	32	20	6	3	0	5	68
Victim was Injured:	8	0	0	2	6								
Victim was not Injured:	67	2	7	14	44								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	12	3	6	3	5	2							
P.M.	6	2	10	10	8	8							

Sussex County 2003													
Total Of Officers Killed:	1												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	131												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	27	0	1	3	23	1	11	10	0	0	4	1	27
Burglary in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
Robbery in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Attempting Other Arrest	34	2	0	1	31	5	11	10	1	0	5	2	34
Civil Disorder	3	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	34
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	19	0	0	2	17	1	9	4	0	0	4	1	19
Investigating Suspicious Person	13	1	0	3	9	2	6	2	2	0	0	1	12
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	22	0	0	7	15	1	14	6	0	1	0	0	22
All Others	9	0	0	8	1	0	1	1	0	6	0	1	8
TOTALS:	132	3	1	25	103	10	56	35	3	7	15	6	161
Victim was Injured:	31	0	0	2	29								
Victim was not Injured:	101	3	1	23	74								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	83	28	29	10	29	38							
P.M.	50	37	50	53	72	73							

Details Regarding Assaults on Police Officers

2004

Sussex County 2004													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**0**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**147**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	32	0	1	7	24	7	22	1	0	0	2	0	32
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	46	0	0	7	39	0	31	6	1	2	5	1	42
Civil Disorder	3	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	17	1	0	0	16	3	10	2	0	2	0	0	15
Investigating Suspicious Person	6	0	0	3	3	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	4
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	4	0	0	0	4	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	4
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	19	0	0	8	11	2	10	3	1	0	1	2	18
All Others	19	0	0	3	15	14	89	19	4	6	10	4	136
TOTALS:	147	1	1	29	115	27	171	34	6	10	18	8	255
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	147	1	1	29	116								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	28	8	0	6	4	11							
P.M.	9	11	11	25	18	16							

New Castle County 2004													
Total Of Officers Killed:	**1**												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	**405**												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	109	2	0	13	94	25	65	11	3	1	0	4	105
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	3	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	92	1	2	13	76	20	40	11	13	5	1	2	87
Civil Disorder	14	0	0	1	13	0	4	2	2	1	2	3	13
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	43	0	0	3	40	10	21	1	0	0	0	11	39
Investigating Suspicious Person	26	0	0	9	17	12	9	0	3	0	1	1	24
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	13	0	2	0	11	0	11	2	0	0	0	0	13
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	29	0	0	9	20	8	16	2	1	0	0	2	27
All Others	76	9	2	8	57	7	35	4	12	2	3	13	69
TOTALS:	406	12	6	57	331	84	203	33	34	9	7	36	380
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	406	12	6	57	331								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	77	23	6	12	24	42							
P.M.	16	30	45	48	54	29							

Kent County 2004													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	105												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	13	0	0	2	11	1	10	2	0	0	0	0	13
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Attempting Other Arrest	31	0	0	6	25	7	16	3	2	3	0	0	31
Civil Disorder	4	1	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	2
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	13	0	0	0	13	0	7	5	1	0	0	0	13
Investigating Suspicious Person	2	0	0	0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	10	0	9	0	1	0	8	1	0	0	0	1	10
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	14	0	0	8	6	2	9	1	0	1	1	0	14
All Others	16	0	0	2	14	0	7	0	5	0	1	3	14
TOTALS:	105	1	9	19	76	11	64	12	8	4	2	4	101
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	105	1	9	19	76								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	34	3	2	0	13	2							
P.M.	7	5	15	8	10	6							

Sussex County 2004													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	147												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	32	0	1	7	24	7	22	1	0	0	2	0	32
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	46	0	0	7	39	0	31	6	1	2	5	1	42
Civil Disorder	3	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	17	1	0	0	16	3	10	2	0	2	0	0	15
Investigating Suspicious Person	6	0	0	3	3	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	4
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	4	0	0	0	4	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	4
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	19	0	0	8	11	2	10	3	1	0	1	2	18
All Others	19	0	0	3	15	14	89	19	4	6	10	4	136
TOTALS:	147	1	1	29	115	27	171	34	6	10	18	8	255
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	147	1	1	29	116								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	28	8	0	6	4	11							
P.M.	9	11	11	25	18	16							

Details Regarding Assaults on Police Officers

2005

2005 Statewide													
Total Of Officers Killed:	1												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	569												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	137	1	8	19	109	20	93	6	7	0	4	8	133
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	5	0	0	1	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	5
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	3	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2
Attempting Other Arrest	124	1	1	25	97	30	64	5	6	4	8	7	122
Civil Disorder	17	0	0	2	15	6	6	0	1	0	2	2	17
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	58	0	0	7	51	6	32	4	1	2	1	12	48
Investigating Suspicious Person	43	0	0	4	39	9	27	2	1	2	2	0	40
Ambush	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Mentally Deranged Person	20	2	1	1	16	6	11	1	0	1	0	1	19
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	63	1	4	30	28	10	47	4	2	0	0	0	62
All Others	97	7	1	16	73	10	48	5	8	7	6	13	92
TOTALS:	569	13	15	107	434	97	336	28	26	16	24	43	542
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	569	13	15	107	434								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	130	26	5	25	29	36							
P.M.	50	40	55	50	81	43							

2005 New Castle County													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	366												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	90	0	6	8	76	13	64	5	4	0	1	4	87
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	4	0	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	3	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	2
Attempting Other Arrest	75	0	0	16	59	26	34	2	5	1	4	3	73
Civil Disorder	13	0	0	1	12	6	3	0	0	0	2	2	13
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	34	0	0	4	30	6	13	2	0	2	0	11	25
Investigating Suspicious Person	32	0	0	3	29	7	20	1	0	2	2	0	30
Ambush	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Mentally Deranged Person	14	0	1	1	12	6	7	0	0	0	0	1	14
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	35	0	4	16	15	8	23	2	2	0	0	0	34
All Others	63	6	1	11	45	10	24	1	6	7	5	10	60
TOTALS:	365	7	12	62	284	82	195	14	17	12	15	31	344
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	365	7	12	62	284								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	73	17	1	19	22	25							
P.M.	35	25	39	31	53	26							

2005 Kent County													
Total Of Officers Killed:	1												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	93												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	24	1	1	8	14	7	13	1	1	0	0	2	23
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	25	1	1	7	16	2	13	3	1	2	2	2	25
Civil Disorder	3	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	8	0	0	1	7	0	7	0	1	0	0	0	8
Investigating Suspicious Person	6	0	0	1	5	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	5
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	2	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	8	0	0	5	3	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	8
All Others	18	1	0	4	13	0	15	2	1	0	0	0	17
TOTALS:	94	5	2	26	61	9	66	6	5	2	2	4	91
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	94	5	2	26	61								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	25	6	3	2	3	5							
P.M.	6	8	7	10	8	11							

2005 Sussex County													
Total Of Officers Killed:	0												
Total Of Officers Assaulted:	110												
	Type of Weapon					Type of Assignment							
Type of Activity	Total Assaults by Weapon	Firearm	Knife/ Cutting Instrument	Other Dangerous Weapon	Hands Fist Feet	Two Man Vehicle	One Man Vehicle	One man Vehicle Assisted	Detective or Special Assignment	Detective or Special Assignment Assisted	Other	Other Assisted	Assault Cleared
Responding to Disturbance	23	0	1	3	19	0	16	0	2	0	3	2	23
Burglaries in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Robberies in Progress or Pursuing Suspects	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Attempting Other Arrest	24	0	0	2	22	2	17	0	0	1	2	2	24
Civil Disorder	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Handling/Transporting Custody of Prisoners	16	0	0	2	14	0	12	2	0	0	1	1	15
Investigating Suspicious Person	5	0	0	0	5	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	5
Ambush	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally Deranged Person	4	0	0	0	4	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	3
Traffic Pursuit and Stops	20	1	0	9	10	2	16	2	0	0	0	0	20
All Others	16	0	0	1	15	0	9	2	1	0	1	3	15
TOTALS:	110	1	1	19	89	6	75	8	4	2	7	8	107
Victim was Injured:	0	0	0	0	0								
Victim was not Injured:	110	1	1	19	89								
	12:01 - 2:00	2:00 - 4:00	4:00- 6:00	6:00 - 8:00	8:00 - 10:00	10:00 - 12:00							
Time of Assaults: A.M.	32	3	1	4	4	6							
P.M.	9	7	9	9	20	6							

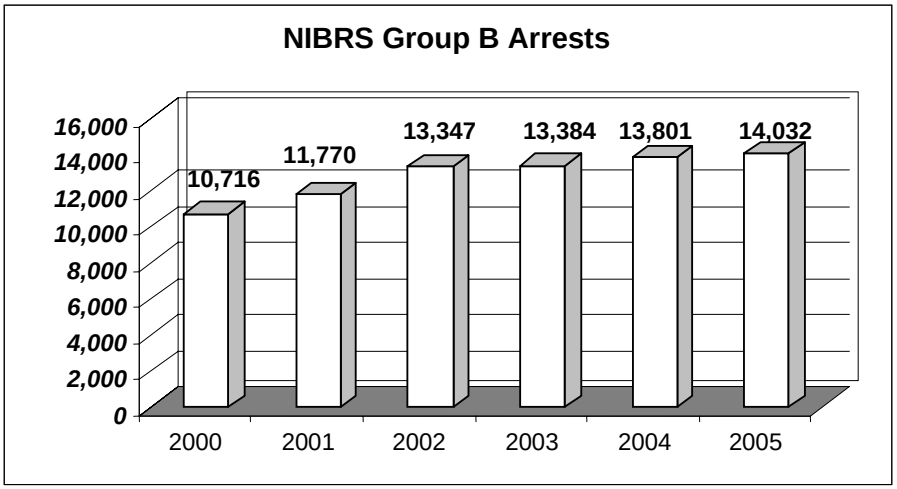
NIBRS "Group B" Crimes

NIBRS Group B Offenses consist of 11 lesser offenses: bad checks, curfew/ loitering/vagrancy violations, disorderly conduct, driving under the influence, drunkenness, nonviolent family offenses, liquor law violations, peeping tom, runaway, trespass and "Group B All Other Offenses". "Group B All Other Offenses" are all crimes which are not Group A offenses and not included in one of the specifically named Group B crime categories listed above. Group B offenses only have summary complaint data and limited arrestee data recorded in NIBRS. Not all details required for Group A incident reports are requested for Group B arrest reports. There has been a 29.4 percent increase in Adult Group B Arrests between 2000 and 2005. There has been a 38.3percent increase in Juvenile Group B Arrests between 2000 and 2005.

Table 55

NIBRS Group B Complaints and Arrests						
	2000	**2001**	**2002**	**2003**	**2004**	**2005**
Group B Complaints	58,728	62,150	63,246	61,996	62,192	61,576
Arrests: Total	10,716	11,770	13,347	13,384	13,801	14,032
Adult Male	6,739	7,191	8,006	8,151	8,194	8,424
Adult Female	2,142	2,340	2,905	2,785	2,986	3,070
Adult Total	8,881	9,531	10,911	10,936	11,180	11,494
Juvenile Male	1,227	1,534	1,633	1,635	1,744	1,724
Juvenile Female	608	705	803	813	877	814
Juvenile Total	1,835	2,239	2,436	2,448	2,621	2,538
Total Male	7,966	8,725	9,639	9,786	9,938	10,148
Total Female	2,750	3,045	3,708	3,598	3,863	3,884

Figure 55



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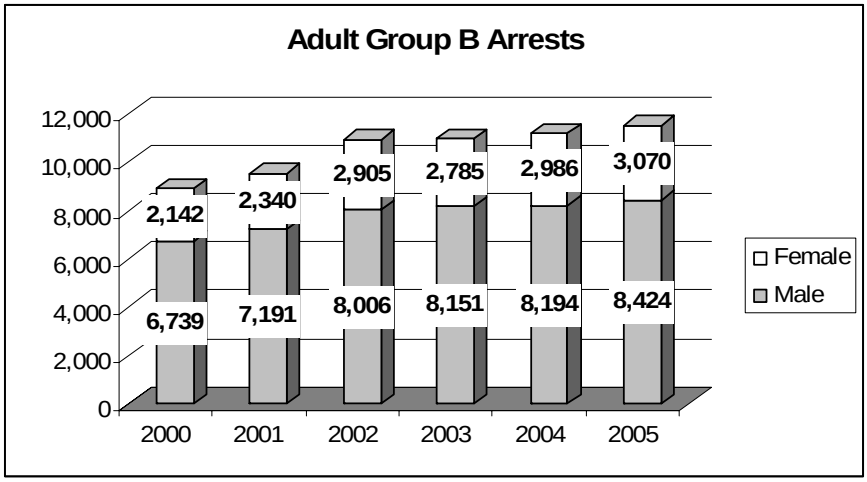

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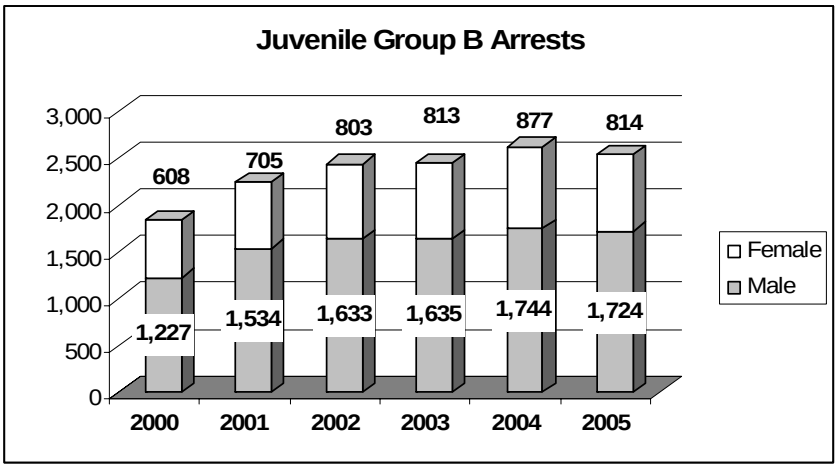

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Crime in Delaware 2000 – 2005 by Jurisdiction

Complaint, Offense and Clearance data appear by agency in the following Crime in Delaware 2000 – 2005 by Jurisdiction section.

'Complaints' are criminal offenses reported to or by the police.

'Offenses' are "offenses received" which are the primary crime statistic for NIBRS. Because serious charges in a case can be counted separately as an "offense received", these counts exceed the count of complaints. Counts of "offenses received" are provided for a select sample of crimes including homicide, kidnapping, forcible sex offenses, arson, robbery, assaults, extortion - blackmail, burglary, larceny - theft, motor vehicle theft, counterfeiting - forgery, fraud, embezzlement, stolen property, property destruction - vandalism, drug - narcotic offenses, non-forcible sex offenses, pornography - obscene material, gambling, prostitution, bribery, and weapon law violations. For each type of "offense received" the number of cleared offenses is also provided.

'Clearances' are complaints reported to the police and are considered cleared or solved once the police have identified the offender. One arrest may clear several crimes; therefore the clearance rate is often higher than the arrest rate.

The following pages provide, by Delaware agency, the numbers of total Group A and Group B complaints, which provide the summary of criminal activity by jurisdiction. The annual Complaint statistics in Crime in Delaware 2000 – 2005 are for crimes reported in each respective year. Clearance statistics for a given year show how many of that year's complaints have been solved that year. While it is recognized that more crimes will ultimately be cleared after the reporting year, clearance statistics are not updated in Crime in Delaware. This practice is consistent with that of the FBI's Crime in the United States reports; however, unlike the FBI reports, the compilation of Crime in Delaware is delayed until the reporting year statistics are complete.

It is important to note that the snapshot provided on the following pages is intended to provide a full account of a year's law enforcement activity, but there can be significant delays in conclusions and therefore, in the reporting of that activity. The SBI makes tremendous efforts to give all agencies the opportunity of have their year's activity entered into the state's information system. No agency is penalized for early, updated or late reporting – In fact, SBI does not prepare the year-end summary and the annual analysis until the last jurisdiction reports.
The percent change shown for each law enforcement agency is for the change in crime between 2004 and 2005.

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005												
		Grand Total Group A & B Complaints	Total Group A Complaints	Total Group B Complaints	Criminal Homicide		Sexual Offenses Forcible		Robbery		Assault Aggravated	
					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Statewide	05	130,758	69,182	61,576	48	29	842	607	1,538	472	3,866	2,736
	04	130,739	68,547	62,192	28	15	465	317	1,580	429	3,646	2,567
	03	132,495	70,482	62,013	28	16	470	342	1,765	573	3,949	2,911
	02	135,271	72,025	63,246	32	21	483	355	1,629	515	3,697	2,690
	01	134,551	72,401	62,150	31	24	558	410	1,479	559	3,617	2,734
	00	131,288	72,560	58,728	27	22	555	400	1,440	467	3,589	2,678
% Change 04-05		**0%**	**1%**	**-1%**	**71%**	**93%**	**81%**	**91%**	**-3%**	**10%**	**6%**	**7%**
COUNTY LEVEL												
New Castle County	05	77,154	43,029	34,125	32	17	431	295	1,292	345	2,300	1,517
	04	78,271	43,203	35,068	24	11	250	160	1,270	309	2,164	1,422
	03	82,737	45,478	37,259	16	9	254	170	1,487	431	2,323	1,593
	02	85,438	47,517	37,921	22	14	270	188	1,304	368	2,214	1,513
	01	87,664	48,677	38,987	26	21	299	214	1,209	431	2,153	1,533
	00	86,472	49,154	37,318	23	18	312	211	1,187	363	2,125	1,461
% Change 04-05		**-1%**	**0%**	**-3%**	**33%**	**55%**	**72%**	**84%**	**2%**	**12%**	**6%**	**7%**
Kent County	05	22,880	12,346	10,534	6	6	210	167	106	61	703	544
	04	23,515	12,509	11,006	4	4	101	75	148	69	737	549
	03	22,295	12,610	9,685		4	111	91	135	70	805	638
	02	22,451	12,289	10,162	3	1	93	66	159	74	727	558
	01	21,978	12,037	9,941	2	2	106	83	129	63	683	551
	00	21,279	11,893	9,386	1	1	89	73	128	47	690	569
% Change 04-05		**-3%**	**-1%**	**-4%**	**50%**	**50%**	**108%**	**123%**	**-28%**	**-12%**	**-5%**	**-1%**
Sussex County	05	30,724	13,807	16,917	10	6	201	145	140	66	863	675
	04	28,953	12,835	16,118	0	0	114	82	162	51	745	596
	03	27,463	12,394	15,069	5	3	105	81	143	72	821	680
	02	27,382	12,219	15,163	7	6	120	101	166	73	756	619
	01	24,909	11,687	13,222	3	1	153	113	141	65	781	650
	00	23,537	11,513	12,024	3	3	154	116	125	57	774	648
% Change 04-05		**6%**	**8%**	**5%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**76%**	**77%**	**-14%**	**29%**	**16%**	**13%**
STATE POLICE TROOPS												
All DSP Troops	05	42,737	24,851	17,886	13	10	339	265	465	184	1,397	1,094
	04	42,664	24,318	18,346	6	2	174	137	511	191	1,320	1,028
	03	41,361	24,110	17,251	12	8	167	135	573	209	1,463	1,147
	02	42,140	23,860	18,280	10	9	174	152	528	192	1,418	1,072
	01	41,279	23,777	17,502	6	4	214	177	522	223	1,429	1,130
	00	40,459	23,536	16,923	7	7	205	171	382	135	1,365	1,109
% Change 04-05		**0%**	**2%**	**-3%**	**117%**	**400%**	**95%**	**93%**	**-9%**	**-4%**	**6%**	**6%**
Troop 1	05	3,320	2,445	875	1	1	11	10	104	30	73	58
	04	3,440	2,493	947	0	0	3	3	114	50	61	32
	03	3,461	2,550	911	1	1	4	3	87	27	77	45
	02	3,825	2,747	1,078	1	1	4	4	91	38	103	63
	01	4,203	2,998	1,205	0	0	4	4	140	50	112	68
	00	4,295	3,097	1,198	0	0	2	2	87	14	83	49
% Change 04-05		**-3%**	**-2%**	**-8%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**267%**	**233%**	**-9%**	**-40%**	**20%**	**81%**
Troop 2	05	5,546	3,909	1,637	1	1	30	24	127	47	153	95
	04	5,512	3,868	1,644	2	0	7	5	144	41	174	127
	03	5,170	3,791	1,379	0	0	9	6	177	44	155	98
	02	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**1%**	**1%**	**0%**	**-50%**	**N/A**	**329%**	**380%**	**-12%**	**15%**	**-12%**	**-25%**
Troop 3	05	9,357	5,020	4,337	2	2	124	101	34	25	405	344
	04	10,236	5,340	4,896	1	1	65	52	53	27	435	341
	03	9,911	5,395	4,516	5	3	74	64	39	21	492	404
	02	10,119	5,165	4,954	2	1	53	47	66	27	457	355
	01	9,723	4,871	4,852	1	1	75	64	40	23	419	355
	00	9,157	4,585	4,572	1	1	59	51	38	17	393	341
% Change 04-05		**-9%**	**-6%**	**-11%**	**100%**	**100%**	**91%**	**94%**	**-36%**	**-7%**	**-7%**	**1%**
Troop 4	05	4,484	2,119	2,365	4	3	34	27	10	4	149	112
	04	4,350	1,936	2,414	0	0	25	18	15	4	159	132
	03	2,865	1,084	1,781	1	1	11	7	6	2	85	66
	02	3,107	1,188	1,919	1	1	26	24	7	1	91	78
	01	2,877	1,118	1,759	0	0	30	24	28	15	84	72
	00	3,002	1,168	1,834	0	0	29	24	6	5	86	74
% Change 04-05		**3%**	**9%**	**-2%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**36%**	**50%**	**-33%**	**0%**	**-6%**	**-15%**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005											
Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
384	144	6,055	1,440	19,187	4,781	2,468	340	9,876	9,302	2,567	1,876
376	119	5,884	1,439	20,446	5,009	2,483	364	8,341	7,748	2,269	1,613
368	111	6,277	1,430	20,048	4,781	3,196	344	8,549	7,941	2,336	1,709
431	125	5,933	1,257	20,720	4,725	3,548	464	7,685	7,060	2,329	1,702
447	115	5,534	1,345	21,090	4,865	3,081	374	7,912	7,273	2,195	1,709
462	134	5,396	1,142	21,770	4,601	3,649	432	7,277	6,785	2,186	1,598
2%	**21%**	**3%**	**0%**	**-6%**	**-5%**	**-1%**	**-7%**	**18%**	**20%**	**13%**	**16%**
COUNTY LEVEL											
256	87	3,868	801	12,197	2,731	1,886	211	5,538	5,223	1,625	1,070
221	66	3,476	782	13,311	2,913	1,875	209	4,597	4,230	1,409	906
232	71	3,959	821	12,925	2,704	2,634	217	4,684	4,297	1,563	1,076
288	80	3,878	733	13,679	2,722	2,974	303	4,600	4,148	1,583	1,096
315	82	3,707	861	14,385	3,052	2,571	250	4,695	4,251	1,476	1,111
310	78	3,471	678	14,993	2,809	3,096	289	4,093	3,744	1,497	1,039
16%	**32%**	**11%**	**2%**	**-8%**	**-6%**	**1%**	**1%**	**20%**	**23%**	**15%**	**18%**
66	27	803	319	3,308	1,025	317	64	2,257	2,177	501	438
106	31	923	341	3,570	1,103	335	71	1,809	1,721	468	396
65	16	924	238	3,684	1,111	310	65	2,048	1,931	409	344
82	26	841	218	3,632	1,051	292	73	1,416	1,316	359	286
77	19	802	252	3,436	1,006	262	56	1,513	1,412	351	293
90	30	824	194	3,478	979	335	73	1,772	1,677	362	288
-38%	**-13%**	**-13%**	**-6%**	**-7%**	**-7%**	**-5%**	**-10%**	**25%**	**26%**	**7%**	**11%**
62	30	1,384	320	3,682	1,025	265	65	2,081	1,902	441	368
49	22	1,485	316	3,565	993	273	84	1,935	1,797	392	311
71	24	1,394	371	3,439	966	252	62	1,817	1,713	364	289
61	19	1,214	306	3,409	952	282	88	1,669	1,596	387	320
55	14	1,025	232	3,269	807	248	68	1,704	1,610	368	305
62	26	1,101	270	3,299	813	218	70	1,412	1,364	327	271
27%	**36%**	**-7%**	**1%**	**3%**	**3%**	**-3%**	**-23%**	**8%**	**6%**	**13%**	**18%**
STATE POLICE TROOPS											
12	9	2,297	650	7,566	2,320	773	147	4,157	3,890	898	763
14	9	2,199	580	7,990	2,503	786	178	3,468	3,230	796	653
15	8	2,248	489	7,637	2,230	873	133	3,717	3,441	799	620
15	5	1,939	434	7,739	2,302	866	188	2,989	2,740	779	621
18	13	1,853	462	7,796	2,272	847	138	2,990	2,759	696	580
14	5	1,886	426	7,891	2,239	910	161	2,777	2,669	647	529
-14%	**0%**	**4%**	**12%**	**-5%**	**-7%**	**-2%**	**-17%**	**20%**	**20%**	**13%**	**17%**
2	1	204	55	1,097	345	92	12	250	239	65	45
2	1	116	23	1,272	473	66	7	209	204	70	52
0	0	162	17	1,207	409	94	11	290	286	58	44
2	0	158	20	1,323	404	138	23	226	220	71	53
5	3	193	43	1,402	426	126	10	235	230	70	53
1	0	198	36	1,473	395	185	20	182	177	56	37
0%	**0%**	**76%**	**139%**	**-14%**	**-27%**	**39%**	**71%**	**20%**	**17%**	**-7%**	**-13%**
0	0	261	60	1,429	379	192	33	732	717	147	117
3	1	241	57	1,528	388	212	44	483	466	121	83
0	0	287	43	1,490	370	245	27	442	416	145	92
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
-100%	**-100%**	**8%**	**5%**	**-6%**	**-2%**	**-9%**	**-25%**	**52%**	**54%**	**21%**	**41%**
1	1	514	224	1,005	251	150	31	909	896	290	270
4	3	569	206	1,108	287	176	43	808	802	247	224
3	3	584	117	1,138	284	152	32	968	960	217	193
1	0	543	124	1,155	316	124	33	487	480	180	148
5	4	485	137	1,056	258	116	27	404	399	161	146
3	0	497	114	974	251	127	32	500	495	167	146
-75%	**-67%**	**-10%**	**9%**	**-9%**	**-13%**	**-15%**	**-28%**	**13%**	**12%**	**17%**	**21%**
1	1	264	53	483	123	59	14	238	230	72	65
0	0	272	52	432	108	55	21	258	253	64	58
0	0	132	43	189	52	35	9	231	227	52	46
1	1	107	39	219	70	28	7	294	294	46	41
1	1	93	25	225	38	31	8	209	206	50	42
1	1	139	36	227	53	26	8	157	157	32	30
N/A	**N/A**	**-3%**	**2%**	**12%**	**14%**	**7%**	**-33%**	**-8%**	**-9%**	**13%**	**12%**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005												
		Grand Total Group A & B Complaints	Total Group A Complaints	Total Group B Complaints	Criminal Homicide		Sexual Offenses Forcible		Robbery		Assault Aggravated	
					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Troop 5	05	5,537	2,458	3,079	1	0	47	31	19	8	229	182
	04	5,366	2,460	2,906	0	0	42	36	26	6	179	153
	03	5,424	2,590	2,834	3	1	37	31	25	13	227	188
	02	5,397	2,308	3,089	4	4	35	31	24	12	202	166
	01	4,958	2,271	2,687	3	1	39	32	24	8	210	182
	00	4,598	2,216	2,382	1	1	43	37	18	10	210	178
% Change 04-05		**3%**	**0%**	**6%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**12%**	**-14%**	**-27%**	**33%**	**28%**	**19%**
Troop 6	05	4,978	3,316	1,662	1	1	29	22	131	42	136	101
	04	5,024	3,194	1,830	3	1	6	4	116	41	111	77
	03	5,213	3,390	1,823	1	1	6	2	189	77	148	104
	02	8,161	5,425	2,736	1	1	9	6	198	60	230	147
	01	8,129	5,511	2,618	2	2	13	8	179	73	244	165
	00	8,459	5,766	2,693	0	0	25	21	134	54	238	169
% Change 04-05		**-1%**	**4%**	**-9%**	**-67%**	**0%**	**383%**	**450%**	**13%**	**2%**	**23%**	**31%**
Troop 7	05	6,633	3,662	2,971	3	2	57	46	32	24	196	158
	04	6,250	3,370	2,880	0	0	18	13	35	18	169	143
	03	6,958	3,681	3,277	1	1	26	22	34	19	239	213
	02	6,589	3,476	3,113	0	0	36	31	35	21	215	179
	01	6,066	3,183	2,883	0	0	43	36	23	12	201	177
	00	5,664	2,994	2,670	2	2	33	26	25	15	213	192
% Change 04-05		**6%**	**9%**	**3%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**217%**	**254%**	**-9%**	**33%**	**16%**	**10%**
Troop 8 Kent	05	214	107	107	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	186	100	86	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	189	136	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	150	99	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	145	116	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	181	159	22	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**15%**	**7%**	**24%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Troop 8 New Castle	05	411	287	124	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
	04	440	321	119	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	03	401	311	90	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	02	383	296	87	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	442	325	117	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	408	306	102	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1
% Change 04-05		**-7%**	**-11%**	**4%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**400%**	**400%**
Troop 8 Sussex	05	285	249	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	106	91	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	154	147	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	196	178	18	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
	01	228	206	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	182	161	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**169%**	**174%**	**140%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Troop 9	05	1,972	1,279	693	0	0	7	4	8	4	51	39
	04	1,754	1,145	609	0	0	8	6	8	4	31	22
	03	1,615	1,035	580	0	0	0	0	16	6	38	27
	02	4,213	2,978	1,235	1	1	11	9	106	32	120	84
	01	4,508	3,178	1,330	0	0	10	9	88	42	159	111
	00	4,513	3,084	1,429	3	3	12	8	74	20	141	105
% Change 04-05		**12%**	**12%**	**14%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-13%**	**-33%**	**0%**	**0%**	**65%**	**77%**
DSP Kent	05	9,571	5,127	4,444	2	2	124	101	34	25	405	344
	04	10,422	5,440	4,982	1	1	65	52	53	27	435	341
	03	10,100	5,531	4,569	5	3	74	64	39	21	492	404
	02	10,269	5,264	5,005	2	1	53	47	66	27	457	355
	01	9,868	4,987	4,881	1	1	75	64	40	23	419	355
	00	9,338	4,744	4,594	1	1	60	52	38	17	393	341
% Change 04-05		**-8%**	**-6%**	**-11%**	**100%**	**100%**	**91%**	**94%**	**-36%**	**-7%**	**-7%**	**1%**
DSP New Castle	05	16,227	11,236	4,991	3	3	77	60	370	123	418	298
	04	16,170	11,021	5,149	5	1	24	18	382	136	378	259
	03	15,860	11,077	4,783	2	2	19	11	469	154	420	276
	02	16,582	11,446	5,136	3	3	24	19	395	130	453	294
	01	17,282	12,012	5,270	2	2	27	21	407	165	515	344
	00	17,675	12,253	5,422	3	3	40	32	295	88	463	324
% Change 04-05		**0%**	**2%**	**-3%**	**-40%**	**200%**	**221%**	**233%**	**-3%**	**-10%**	**11%**	**15%**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005											
Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
2	2	237	71	493	162	74	19	243	241	82	71
1	1	296	91	562	148	63	16	358	355	88	71
4	1	262	69	577	163	72	27	327	325	75	59
4	2	266	81	520	157	67	25	201	198	91	76
3	3	256	59	513	139	54	12	226	221	94	81
2	2	258	55	542	105	54	14	180	178	67	55
100%	**100%**	**-20%**	**-22%**	**-12%**	**9%**	**17%**	**19%**	**-32%**	**-32%**	**-7%**	**0%**
2	0	246	48	1,379	467	102	16	391	380	99	76
2	1	179	56	1,488	495	102	16	291	287	78	56
1	0	171	34	1,452	450	140	11	306	305	122	83
1	0	285	46	2,147	604	267	55	572	558	169	131
3	2	324	77	2,176	602	258	30	594	585	144	116
2	0	275	55	2,442	667	263	42	476	465	139	103
0%	**-100%**	**37%**	**-14%**	**-7%**	**-6%**	**0%**	**0%**	**34%**	**32%**	**27%**	**36%**
2	2	454	118	1,085	298	65	17	379	376	86	72
1	1	452	76	1,018	297	68	26	370	362	79	64
6	4	570	147	1,107	274	83	15	355	346	73	57
2	1	388	93	1,068	292	87	24	315	312	92	80
1	0	290	65	948	243	79	29	338	338	68	57
4	2	351	100	864	241	65	28	272	269	70	65
100%	**100%**	**0%**	**55%**	**7%**	**0%**	**-4%**	**-35%**	**2%**	**4%**	**9%**	**13%**
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	127	6	6
0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	124	82	6	6
0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	176	133	4	3
0	0	0	0	6	4	0	0	146	100	5	5
0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	151	131	2	2
0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	274	257	8	8
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**21%**	**55%**	**0%**	**0%**
0	0	0	0	5	3	0	0	316	245	15	13
1	1	0	0	7	7	2	1	325	210	21	19
0	0	2	2	4	1	1	0	299	167	18	14
0	0	0	0	8	7	2	1	275	158	12	12
0	0	0	0	2	2	7	7	298	177	8	6
0	0	0	0	4	2	2	0	256	215	15	14
-100%	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-29%**	**-57%**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**-3%**	**17%**	**-29%**	**-32%**
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	389	281	15	13
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139	109	3	3
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	231	186	10	10
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	270	223	12	11
0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	358	297	14	14
0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	285	269	9	9
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**180%**	**158%**	**400%**	**333%**
2	2	117	21	590	292	39	5	160	158	21	15
0	0	74	19	570	297	42	4	103	100	19	17
1	0	78	17	468	222	51	1	92	90	25	19
4	1	192	31	1,293	448	153	20	203	197	101	64
0	0	212	56	1,472	562	176	15	177	175	85	63
1	0	168	30	1,360	523	187	17	195	187	84	62
N/A	**N/A**	**58%**	**11%**	**4%**	**-2%**	**-7%**	**25%**	**55%**	**58%**	**11%**	**-12%**
1	1	514	224	1,005	251	150	31	1,059	1,023	296	276
4	3	569	206	1,113	290	176	43	932	884	253	230
3	3	584	117	1,143	289	152	32	1,144	1,093	221	196
1	0	543	124	1,161	320	124	33	633	580	185	153
5	4	485	137	1,057	259	116	27	555	530	163	148
3	0	497	114	977	252	128	32	774	752	175	154
-75%	**-67%**	**-10%**	**9%**	**-10%**	**-13%**	**-15%**	**-28%**	**14%**	**16%**	**17%**	**20%**
6	3	828	184	4,500	1,486	425	66	1,849	1,739	347	266
8	4	610	155	4,865	1,660	424	72	1,411	1,267	309	227
2	0	700	113	4,621	1,452	531	50	1,429	1,264	368	252
7	1	635	97	4,771	1,463	560	99	1,276	1,133	353	260
8	5	729	176	5,052	1,592	567	62	1,304	1,167	307	238
4	0	641	121	5,279	1,587	637	79	1,109	1,044	294	216
-25%	**-25%**	**36%**	**19%**	**-8%**	**-10%**	**0%**	**-8%**	**31%**	**37%**	**12%**	**17%**

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					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
DSP Sussex	05	16,939	8,488	8,451	8	5	138	104	61	36	574	452
	04	16,072	7,857	8,215	0	0	85	67	76	28	507	428
	03	15,401	7,502	7,899	5	3	74	60	65	34	551	467
	02	15,289	7,150	8,139	5	5	97	86	67	35	508	423
	01	14,129	6,778	7,351	3	1	112	92	75	35	495	431
	00	13,446	6,539	6,907	3	3	105	87	49	30	509	444
% Change 04-05		**5%**	**8%**	**3%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**62%**	**55%**	**-20%**	**29%**	**13%**	**6%**
City, Town, or County Agency												
Bethany Beach	05	581	214	367	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4
	04	551	199	352	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
	03	555	173	382	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
	02	522	166	356	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4
	01	446	164	282	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	444	169	275	0	0	3	3	0	0	3	2
% Change 04-05		**5%**	**8%**	**4%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**25%**	**33%**
Blades	05	122	60	62	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	2
	04	118	48	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	03	74	42	32	0	0	0	0	2	0	4	3
	02	130	67	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4
	01	143	74	69	0	0	1	1	0	0	6	6
	00	154	69	85	0	0	2	2	0	0	11	11
% Change 04-05		**3%**	**25%**	**-11%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**100%**	**0%**
Bridgeville	05	236	180	56	0	0	0	0	6	3	12	8
	04	199	147	52	0	0	3	2	0	0	14	11
	03	118	81	37	0	0	0	0	2	1	4	2
	02	116	93	23	0	0	4	3	4	3	9	6
	01	106	83	23	0	0	2	1	2	1	1	1
	00	200	159	41	0	0	1	1	7	2	16	11
% Change 04-05		**19%**	**22%**	**8%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-14%**	**-27%**
Camden	05	555	340	215	0	0	4	3	3	3	12	12
	04	528	343	185	0	0	1	1	3	0	6	5
	03	589	385	204	0	0	0	0	5	2	12	11
	02	406	250	156	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	12
	01	415	220	195	0	0	1	1	3	0	7	5
	00	180	127	53	0	0	3	3	0	0	12	10
% Change 04-05		**5%**	**-1%**	**16%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**300%**	**200%**	**0%**	**N/A**	**100%**	**140%**
Cheswold	05	85	48	37	0	0	2	2	0	0	3	3
	04	242	67	175	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
	03	40	13	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
	02	101	16	85	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	01	28	19	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	00	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**-65%**	**-28%**	**-79%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**50%**	**200%**
Clayton	05	170	75	95	0	0	2	1	0	0	5	2
	04	106	55	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1
	03	134	65	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	02	132	63	69	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
	01	100	50	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
	00	126	62	64	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	4
% Change 04-05		**60%**	**36%**	**86%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**67%**	**100%**
Dagsboro	05	23	9	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	35	17	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	8	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	01	10	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	00	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**-34%**	**-47%**	**-22%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Delaware City	05	277	152	125	0	0	1	0	0	0	7	3
	04	223	109	114	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
	03	64	39	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	02	90	65	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
	01	84	63	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	168	106	62	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2
% Change 04-05		**24%**	**39%**	**10%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-50%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005											
Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
5	5	955	242	2,061	583	198	50	1,249	1,128	255	221
2	2	1,020	219	2,012	553	186	63	1,125	1,079	234	196
10	5	964	259	1,873	489	190	51	1,144	1,084	210	172
7	4	761	213	1,807	519	182	56	1,080	1,027	241	208
5	4	639	149	1,687	421	164	49	1,131	1,062	226	194
7	5	748	191	1,635	400	145	50	894	873	178	159
150%	**150%**	**-6%**	**11%**	**2%**	**5%**	**6%**	**-21%**	**11%**	**5%**	**9%**	**13%**
CITY, TOWN OR COUNTY AGENCY											
1	0	17	1	118	18	1	0	29	26	5	5
0	0	12	1	102	19	1	0	41	39	4	4
0	0	6	1	99	17	0	0	26	26	2	1
0	0	18	1	77	15	2	0	19	19	1	1
0	0	10	2	78	15	1	1	20	20	4	4
0	0	1	0	88	18	0	0	26	26	2	2
N/A	**N/A**	**42%**	**0%**	**16%**	**-5%**	**0%**	**N/A**	**-29%**	**-33%**	**25%**	**25%**
0	0	4	3	20	5	1	0	0	0	1	0
0	0	4	1	10	2	1	0	1	1	1	0
0	0	5	3	7	2	1	0	1	1	3	2
0	0	6	1	13	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	10	0	23	3	2	0	1	1	0	0
0	0	14	7	15	9	2	0	0	0	2	2
N/A	**N/A**	**0%**	**200%**	**100%**	**150%**	**0%**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**0%**	**N/A**
0	0	7	0	37	3	2	0	39	36	4	2
0	0	6	3	29	2	1	0	21	21	4	4
0	0	11	1	20	2	1	0	4	4	3	2
1	0	9	3	25	4	2	2	0	0	6	5
1	0	6	1	26	4	3	0	9	9	3	3
0	0	7	2	45	8	10	4	3	3	7	5
N/A	**N/A**	**17%**	**-100%**	**28%**	**50%**	**100%**	**N/A**	**86%**	**71%**	**0%**	**-50%**
0	0	14	2	119	47	3	0	47	47	8	8
0	0	16	3	123	61	4	1	42	40	4	4
0	0	17	4	136	71	8	2	61	60	9	8
0	0	16	4	62	12	5	2	39	36	7	4
0	0	18	8	59	5	10	7	26	24	6	6
0	0	1	1	34	6	0	0	13	10	1	1
N/A	**N/A**	**-13%**	**-33%**	**-3%**	**-23%**	**-25%**	**-100%**	**12%**	**18%**	**100%**	**100%**
0	0	7	1	12	5	0	0	8	8	1	1
0	0	7	2	16	3	1	0	2	2	1	1
0	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	2	1	4	1	1	0	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**0%**	**-50%**	**-25%**	**67%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**300%**	**300%**	**0%**	**0%**
0	0	8	2	13	2	1	0	16	11	1	0
0	0	6	1	12	0	1	0	17	17	1	1
0	0	6	0	12	0	1	0	13	13	0	0
1	0	4	3	21	3	2	0	6	6	3	2
0	0	1	0	13	0	0	0	10	7	1	1
0	0	7	1	16	3	4	0	2	2	1	1
N/A	**N/A**	**33%**	**100%**	**8%**	**N/A**	**0%**	**N/A**	**-6%**	**-35%**	**0%**	**-100%**
0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	5	1	1
0	0	1	0	10	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	2	2	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**-90%**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
1	0	7	0	30	3	1	0	19	18	5	3
0	0	13	4	27	4	4	0	5	5	0	0
0	0	4	1	8	0	1	0	3	3	2	2
0	0	5	1	8	0	1	0	7	7	3	1
0	0	4	1	18	0	0	0	12	12	5	5
1	1	8	0	15	0	0	0	25	24	4	4
N/A	**N/A**	**-46%**	**-100%**	**11%**	**-25%**	**-75%**	**N/A**	**280%**	**260%**	**N/A**	**N/A**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005												
		Grand Total Group A & B Complaints	Total Group A Complaints	Total Group B Complaints	Criminal Homicide		Sexual Offenses Forcible		Robbery		Assault Aggravated	
					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Delmar	05	170	148	22	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	3
	04	172	131	41	0	0	1	1	6	0	6	0
	03	239	160	79	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	2
	02	271	164	107	0	0	0	0	5	3	4	1
	01	234	107	127	0	0	2	0	0	0	8	3
	00	183	135	48	0	0	0	0	5	3	3	3
% Change 04-05		**-1%**	**13%**	**-46%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**-83%**	**N/A**	**-17%**	**N/A**
Dewey Beach	05	752	224	528	0	0	5	1	5	2	10	8
	04	758	215	543	0	0	1	0	1	0	8	4
	03	333	193	140	0	0	1	0	1	1	4	4
	02	491	274	217	0	0	3	0	1	0	4	3
	01	412	252	160	0	0	3	0	2	2	9	5
	00	320	224	96	0	0	2	0	0	0	9	6
% Change 04-05		**-1%**	**4%**	**-3%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**400%**	**N/A**	**400%**	**N/A**	**25%**	**100%**
Dover	05	7,311	4,212	3,099	4	4	51	44	44	26	156	107
	04	7,526	4,241	3,285	3	3	22	16	67	35	186	126
	03	7,175	4,448	2,727	1	0	29	22	60	35	188	139
	02	6,792	4,281	2,511	1	0	24	15	70	41	133	94
	01	6,643	4,319	2,324	1	1	19	13	63	27	128	102
	00	6,845	4,461	2,384	0	0	16	13	68	24	144	105
% Change 04-05		**-3%**	**-1%**	**-6%**	**33%**	**33%**	**132%**	**175%**	**-34%**	**-26%**	**-16%**	**-15%**
Ellendale	05	60	10	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	65	17	48	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	73	15	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	02	106	19	87	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
	01	151	29	122	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	96	23	73	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**-8%**	**-41%**	**4%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Elsmere	05	965	531	434	0	0	2	2	8	3	34	30
	04	928	502	426	0	0	5	2	12	4	30	22
	03	854	493	361	0	0	1	1	8	2	27	13
	02	590	377	213	0	0	1	1	3	1	23	14
	01	882	536	346	0	0	5	0	18	7	26	19
	00	864	485	379	1	1	4	3	10	4	40	30
% Change 04-05		**4%**	**6%**	**2%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-60%**	**0%**	**-33%**	**-25%**	**13%**	**36%**
Felton	05	101	71	30	0	0	2	2	1	1	5	2
	04	118	73	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	03	94	62	32	0	0	1	1	1	1	3	3
	02	103	60	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	01	65	44	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	00	57	37	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
% Change 04-05		**-14%**	**-3%**	**-33%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**67%**	**-33%**
Fenwick Island	05	98	62	36	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
	04	74	36	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	03	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	50	28	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	109	55	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	134	63	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
% Change 04-05		**32%**	**72%**	**-5%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**0%**	**0%**
Frederica	05	6	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	04	58	42	16	0	0	1	1	0	0	8	7
	03	82	43	39	0	0	1	1	2	1	5	4
	02	283	47	236	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1
	01	232	46	186	0	0	1	1	1	0	5	3
	00	96	60	36	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2
% Change 04-05		**-90%**	**-90%**	**-88%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-88%**	**-86%**
Georgetown	05	1,428	739	689	0	0	15	11	31	9	59	37
	04	1,257	620	637	0	0	4	1	24	1	35	23
	03	1,123	622	501	0	0	4	3	27	4	44	33
	02	1,194	661	533	0	0	7	4	33	7	33	25
	01	1,410	664	746	0	0	10	4	19	5	35	22
	00	889	607	282	0	0	12	7	25	8	50	35
% Change 04-05		**14%**	**19%**	**8%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**275%**	**1000%**	**29%**	**800%**	**69%**	**61%**

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Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
0	0	18	0	54	8	1	0	11	2	1	1
0	0	18	3	48	2	6	0	10	5	3	1
0	0	20	4	67	1	1	1	4	2	4	2
0	0	7	0	73	8	9	0	4	1	0	0
0	0	10	0	41	1	3	0	7	5	1	1
0	0	11	2	55	5	1	0	8	6	2	2
N/A	**N/A**	**0%**	**-100%**	**13%**	**300%**	**-83%**	**N/A**	**10%**	**-60%**	**-67%**	**0%**
1	1	3	0	46	8	1	0	46	44	4	4
0	0	6	0	65	5	0	0	40	38	1	1
1	0	10	0	55	4	2	0	36	33	1	1
0	0	16	1	69	10	1	0	75	75	2	2
0	0	14	4	88	9	2	1	37	37	3	3
0	0	10	1	98	4	7	0	12	12	3	3
N/A	**N/A**	**-50%**	**N/A**	**-29%**	**60%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**15%**	**16%**	**300%**	**300%**
8	7	103	56	1,457	539	114	22	653	635	110	92
12	5	136	69	1,629	575	116	23	573	552	137	106
7	3	188	85	1,747	576	112	22	568	548	114	93
14	3	130	57	1,660	547	121	26	427	417	106	83
17	7	160	68	1,638	570	108	15	535	514	117	88
32	18	184	46	1,771	532	182	32	468	447	117	76
-33%	**40%**	**-24%**	**-19%**	**-11%**	**-6%**	**-2%**	**-4%**	**14%**	**15%**	**-20%**	**-13%**
1	0	2	1	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
1	1	1	0	10	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	1	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	2	1	5	0	4	3	1	1	0	0
0	0	3	3	8	2	1	1	1	1	0	0
1	0	2	1	6	0	2	1	2	2	0	0
0%	**-100%**	**100%**	**N/A**	**-50%**	**-83%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
0	0	53	8	119	17	24	2	66	63	16	13
1	0	33	9	106	18	13	2	42	39	14	10
0	0	38	7	126	19	31	6	29	27	10	7
0	0	30	3	86	4	32	0	21	18	11	9
0	0	33	5	140	8	17	0	31	27	14	11
1	0	31	2	118	5	28	4	39	37	17	12
-100%	**N/A**	**61%**	**-11%**	**12%**	**-6%**	**85%**	**0%**	**57%**	**62%**	**14%**	**30%**
0	0	12	3	13	0	3	1	9	9	2	2
0	0	7	3	14	1	2	0	10	10	1	1
0	0	2	0	16	2	2	2	10	10	2	2
0	0	0	0	13	3	1	0	7	7	0	0
0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	13	13	1	1
1	1	0	0	5	3	0	0	21	21	1	1
N/A	**N/A**	**71%**	**0%**	**-7%**	**-100%**	**50%**	**N/A**	**-10%**	**-10%**	**100%**	**100%**
0	0	9	0	15	1	1	0	22	22	1	1
0	0	2	0	13	1	1	0	12	11	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0
0	0	4	1	7	1	0	0	4	4	0	0
0	0	2	0	21	2	0	0	13	13	1	1
0	0	4	1	22	5	0	0	24	23	3	3
N/A	**N/A**	**350%**	**N/A**	**15%**	**0%**	**0%**	**N/A**	**83%**	**100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**
0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
1	0	1	0	9	1	0	0	0	0	2	2
0	0	6	3	14	6	2	0	1	1	3	2
0	0	4	1	10	3	2	1	2	2	1	1
0	0	3	0	11	2	1	0	15	12	1	0
0	0	5	2	10	2	0	0	22	20	1	1
-100%	**N/A**	**0%**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-50%**	**-50%**
0	0	64	11	189	82	9	3	131	120	43	30
0	0	93	17	174	58	16	7	92	86	22	14
0	0	95	25	173	58	11	2	28	25	15	9
0	0	116	19	187	62	33	12	53	48	20	11
0	0	90	12	165	49	16	7	52	40	24	15
0	0	42	9	155	40	14	2	31	23	29	20
N/A	**N/A**	**-31%**	**-35%**	**9%**	**41%**	**-44%**	**-57%**	**42%**	**40%**	**95%**	**114%**

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					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Greenwood	05	330	79	251	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
	04	284	70	214	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
	03	313	107	206	0	0	1	1	0	0	7	7
	02	303	81	222	0	0	1	1	2	1	4	4
	01	291	82	209	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1
	00	252	98	154	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
% Change 04-05		**16%**	**13%**	**17%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Harrington	05	655	428	227	0	0	4	3	5	0	18	11
	04	623	349	274	0	0	5	2	4	0	12	8
	03	480	290	190	0	0	4	1	3	0	17	9
	02	538	321	217	0	0	2	1	4	1	16	11
	01	778	398	380	0	0	4	1	0	0	20	13
	00	660	455	205	0	0	1	0	1	0	20	20
% Change 04-05		**5%**	**23%**	**-17%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-20%**	**50%**	**25%**	**N/A**	**50%**	**38%**
Laurel	05	1,336	591	745	0	0	11	8	9	4	24	18
	04	1,229	532	697	0	0	2	2	15	6	30	19
	03	1,632	745	887	0	0	3	3	7	6	55	39
	02	1,716	753	963	0	0	1	1	15	4	45	32
	01	1,357	657	700	0	0	3	3	12	8	57	42
	00	852	440	412	0	0	9	7	9	2	25	22
% Change 04-05		**9%**	**11%**	**7%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**450%**	**300%**	**-40%**	**-33%**	**-20%**	**-5%**
Lewes	05	411	149	262	0	0	2	1	4	3	1	1
	04	267	140	127	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
	03	189	100	89	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	02	288	145	143	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	01	321	150	171	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2
	00	334	177	157	0	0	1	1	2	0	3	3
% Change 04-05		**54%**	**6%**	**106%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**300%**	**N/A**	**0%**	**0%**
Milford	05	2,263	1,361	902	0	0	15	7	12	3	99	72
	04	2,470	1,428	1,042	0	0	7	6	8	2	77	63
	03	2,220	1,289	931	0	0	7	6	22	11	65	55
	02	2,392	1,327	1,065	0	0	10	4	15	5	72	62
	01	2,299	1,281	1,018	0	0	6	3	12	7	70	53
	00	2,471	1,386	1,085	0	0	5	2	15	8	65	52
% Change 04-05		**-8%**	**-5%**	**-13%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**114%**	**17%**	**50%**	**50%**	**29%**	**14%**
Millsboro	05	933	315	618	0	0	4	4	2	1	27	27
	04	792	249	543	0	0	2	1	5	2	24	21
	03	848	264	584	0	0	2	0	3	2	19	18
	02	819	268	551	0	0	0	0	3	1	16	14
	01	733	267	466	0	0	2	1	4	2	19	16
	00	891	322	569	0	0	0	0	1	1	14	12
% Change 04-05		**18%**	**27%**	**14%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**100%**	**300%**	**-60%**	**-50%**	**13%**	**29%**
Milton	05	717	235	482	0	0	6	4	0	0	16	9
	04	705	180	525	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	3
	03	753	205	548	0	0	3	1	2	2	12	11
	02	503	148	355	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4
	01	89	30	59	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	1
	00	162	68	94	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	6
% Change 04-05		**2%**	**31%**	**-8%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**300%**	**200%**
New Castle Cty PD	05	33,945	16,305	17,640	13	7	227	166	311	91	1,011	791
	04	34,895	16,889	18,006	4	3	143	103	290	68	938	744
	03	35,921	17,604	18,317	5	1	153	113	363	103	981	754
	02	37,064	18,597	18,467	8	4	158	120	316	97	753	589
	01	35,841	18,047	17,794	9	8	187	142	286	108	733	604
	00	33,652	17,144	16,508	5	4	180	124	272	112	690	548
% Change 04-05		**-3%**	**-3%**	**-2%**	**225%**	**133%**	**59%**	**61%**	**7%**	**34%**	**8%**	**6%**
City of New Castle	05	998	586	412	0	0	7	5	16	7	24	19
	04	1,196	674	522	0	0	4	4	8	2	16	13
	03	1,127	657	470	0	0	1	0	14	11	15	12
	02	1,257	717	540	0	0	4	2	7	4	33	28
	01	966	521	445	0	0	2	2	6	3	27	22
	00	925	459	466	0	0	4	4	1	0	17	12
% Change 04-05		**-17%**	**-13%**	**-21%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**75%**	**25%**	**100%**	**250%**	**50%**	**46%**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005											
Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
0	0	5	0	30	2	6	1	2	2	3	2
0	0	4	1	31	5	5	0	2	2	1	0
0	0	13	4	44	4	2	0	0	0	3	3
1	0	15	2	29	4	2	0	0	0	1	1
0	0	10	2	31	1	1	0	0	0	1	0
0	0	6	0	32	4	1	1	0	0	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**25%**	**-100%**	**-3%**	**-60%**	**20%**	**N/A**	**0%**	**0%**	**200%**	**N/A**
0	0	31	9	99	24	8	2	129	129	12	11
0	0	22	5	116	17	9	1	38	36	15	11
0	0	15	7	103	19	10	2	39	24	8	6
0	0	28	5	99	17	7	3	59	49	10	7
0	0	24	6	103	23	2	1	98	93	11	8
0	0	22	10	99	32	4	2	214	198	18	17
N/A	**N/A**	**41%**	**80%**	**-15%**	**41%**	**-11%**	**100%**	**239%**	**258%**	**-20%**	**0%**
0	0	54	9	125	28	5	1	91	89	26	20
1	1	26	6	116	35	8	2	137	117	15	12
0	0	40	14	175	31	16	2	174	157	22	18
0	0	35	12	207	39	21	7	125	119	30	24
0	0	46	10	205	34	20	4	40	39	17	13
0	0	20	7	135	33	7	2	23	23	13	9
-100%	**-100%**	**108%**	**50%**	**8%**	**-20%**	**-38%**	**-50%**	**-34%**	**-24%**	**73%**	**67%**
0	0	18	5	54	13	3	2	25	25	2	1
0	0	13	4	55	8	0	0	31	29	2	2
0	0	4	0	40	8	1	0	22	22	0	0
0	0	19	2	60	12	0	0	11	11	0	0
0	0	19	2	60	14	3	1	6	6	3	3
0	0	23	4	84	13	1	0	8	8	3	1
N/A	**N/A**	**38%**	**25%**	**-2%**	**63%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-19%**	**-14%**	**0%**	**-50%**
2	1	78	10	415	133	24	4	193	174	55	43
0	0	137	48	425	132	28	5	158	135	48	37
1	0	69	20	408	129	13	2	140	126	33	28
2	0	86	21	437	125	24	6	110	100	29	25
2	1	62	18	390	98	21	3	129	106	32	27
4	2	98	21	453	138	12	5	130	109	25	24
N/A	**N/A**	**-43%**	**-79%**	**-2%**	**1%**	**-14%**	**-20%**	**22%**	**29%**	**15%**	**16%**
0	0	32	10	104	34	6	3	55	55	8	7
0	0	24	3	68	20	5	2	38	38	7	6
0	0	29	2	73	20	3	1	33	33	7	5
1	0	28	9	82	32	3	1	35	35	6	4
1	0	14	1	100	25	4	1	11	11	5	4
0	0	30	1	177	51	3	1	19	18	2	2
N/A	**N/A**	**33%**	**233%**	**53%**	**70%**	**20%**	**50%**	**45%**	**45%**	**14%**	**17%**
1	0	35	7	56	19	2	1	16	13	6	6
0	0	21	1	43	9	1	0	24	15	11	6
0	0	20	5	65	25	1	0	29	25	9	9
1	0	24	5	32	9	3	2	13	12	3	3
0	0	8	2	5	4	1	1	1	0	1	0
0	0	3	0	16	5	1	0	11	10	4	2
N/A	**N/A**	**67%**	**600%**	**30%**	**111%**	**100%**	**N/A**	**-33%**	**-13%**	**-45%**	**0%**
20	6	1,770	458	3,721	772	765	91	1,364	1,297	614	450
11	2	1,748	467	4,181	710	782	83	1,217	1,148	479	357
13	3	1,964	506	4,020	636	1,104	78	913	786	501	356
20	8	2,028	428	4,523	720	1,161	96	924	758	519	374
23	5	1,641	462	4,303	862	1,059	99	1,055	903	478	383
23	2	1,550	359	4,235	638	1,107	107	858	736	453	355
82%	**200%**	**1%**	**-2%**	**-11%**	**9%**	**-2%**	**10%**	**12%**	**13%**	**28%**	**26%**
1	0	33	5	235	64	16	4	65	65	15	12
0	0	28	12	265	93	18	3	92	91	10	9
0	0	60	14	246	59	25	4	54	50	9	8
1	1	37	12	214	80	22	1	95	93	24	22
5	0	19	1	138	34	14	1	82	80	11	10
0	0	25	6	98	11	21	1	67	66	10	8
N/A	**N/A**	**18%**	**-58%**	**-11%**	**-31%**	**-11%**	**33%**	**-29%**	**-29%**	**50%**	**33%**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005												
		Grand Total Group A & B Complaints	Total Group A Complaints	Total Group B Complaints	Criminal Homicide		Sexual Offenses Forcible		Robbery		Assault Aggravated	
					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Newark	05	5,120	2,530	2,590	1	1	31	22	52	22	98	56
	04	5,574	2,735	2,839	1	1	15	10	58	15	85	54
	03	5,410	2,679	2,731	0	0	12	4	89	22	102	60
	02	5,603	2,960	2,643	0	0	15	9	87	27	134	68
	01	5,474	2,892	2,582	0	0	9	5	52	23	117	64
	00	5,501	2,846	2,655	0	0	14	5	62	28	110	51
% Change 04-05		**-8%**	**-7%**	**-9%**	**0%**	**0%**	**107%**	**120%**	**-10%**	**47%**	**15%**	**4%**
Newport	05	214	142	72	0	0	2	0	2	0	4	2
	04	196	132	64	0	0	1	1	2	1	10	5
	03	252	170	82	0	0	1	0	14	3	16	9
	02	263	169	94	0	0	2	1	6	2	18	15
	01	238	160	78	0	0	3	1	4	1	12	5
	00	218	137	81	0	0	1	0	3	0	2	2
% Change 04-05		**9%**	**8%**	**13%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**100%**	**-100%**	**0%**	**-100%**	**-60%**	**-60%**
Ocean View	05	715	95	620	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	04	610	112	498	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1
	03	452	79	373	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	02	450	67	383	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	01	305	62	243	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	42	32	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
% Change 04-05		**17%**	**-15%**	**24%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-40%**	**200%**
Rehoboth	05	730	392	338	0	0	2	2	8	4	8	7
	04	810	392	418	0	0	1	0	2	2	8	8
	03	801	402	399	0	0	1	0	7	3	9	9
	02	794	424	370	0	0	0	0	6	3	13	11
	01	776	461	315	0	0	2	1	0	0	16	9
	00	972	480	492	0	0	2	0	2	0	14	10
% Change 04-05		**-10%**	**0%**	**-19%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**100%**	**N/A**	**300%**	**100%**	**0%**	**-13%**
Seaford	05	1,720	962	758	2	1	11	4	9	4	53	42
	04	1,694	1,017	677	0	0	6	2	19	9	45	30
	03	1,485	917	568	0	0	10	8	20	16	35	30
	02	1,551	899	652	2	1	4	4	22	11	53	45
	01	1,815	1,057	758	0	0	9	7	22	10	76	61
	00	1,926	1,100	826	0	0	15	7	18	6	61	45
% Change 04-05		**2%**	**-5%**	**12%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**83%**	**100%**	**-53%**	**-56%**	**18%**	**40%**
Selbyville	05	1,274	123	1,151	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	4
	04	1,132	165	967	0	0	4	1	5	2	11	7
	03	1,217	139	1,078	0	0	0	0	1	0	9	3
	02	753	111	642	0	0	0	0	3	2	11	10
	01	63	42	21	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1
	00	86	66	20	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	5
% Change 04-05		**13%**	**-25%**	**19%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**-80%**	**-100%**	**-55%**	**-43%**
Smyrna	05	1,465	748	717	0	0	7	5	7	2	27	17
	04	1,238	656	582	0	0	2	2	14	6	27	22
	03	1,130	643	487	1	1	1	1	8	2	42	33
	02	1,431	811	620	0	0	4	0	8	2	41	37
	01	1,455	788	667	0	0	2	1	12	7	48	36
	00	1,457	753	704	0	0	2	2	12	2	58	42
% Change 04-05		**18%**	**14%**	**23%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**250%**	**150%**	**-50%**	**-67%**	**0%**	**-23%**
S. Bethany Beach	05	77	27	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
	04	55	24	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	105	28	77	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	02	120	40	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	01	92	34	58	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	00	115	44	71	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
% Change 04-05		**40%**	**13%**	**61%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Wilmington	05	14,310	9,949	4,361	15	6	80	36	521	98	667	290
	04	14,114	9,588	4,526	14	6	49	19	510	81	657	292
	03	18,642	11,188	7,454	9	6	63	39	513	131	709	439
	02	19,550	11,533	8,017	11	7	66	36	473	101	741	455
	01	21,471	12,464	9,007	15	11	57	36	432	124	685	440
	00	22,021	13,633	8,388	14	10	66	40	537	131	756	457
% Change 04-05		**1%**	**4%**	**-4%**	**7%**	**0%**	**63%**	**89%**	**2%**	**21%**	**2%**	**-1%**

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Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
9	1	209	39	873	161	84	10	257	227	65	55
13	1	256	38	1,048	190	52	4	228	206	54	44
14	2	177	22	1,004	185	90	8	165	150	65	50
23	2	257	26	1,040	174	129	11	209	161	77	52
10	3	237	31	1,099	173	100	15	154	150	43	27
33	2	159	21	1,034	145	106	9	95	90	50	32
-31%	**0%**	**-18%**	**3%**	**-17%**	**-15%**	**62%**	**150%**	**13%**	**10%**	**20%**	**25%**
1	0	17	1	50	1	11	0	9	8	4	3
0	0	17	4	47	1	6	0	1	0	5	3
0	0	12	2	59	2	9	0	7	7	4	4
0	0	21	1	46	2	8	0	3	2	8	5
0	0	16	1	55	3	15	3	7	7	3	1
0	0	11	1	57	6	6	0	3	3	1	0
N/A	**N/A**	**0%**	**-75%**	**6%**	**0%**	**83%**	**N/A**	**800%**	**N/A**	**-20%**	**0%**
1	0	15	2	20	4	1	1	16	16	3	3
2	0	25	1	28	5	0	0	32	31	2	2
0	0	23	4	16	1	0	0	32	32	3	3
0	0	16	1	19	1	1	0	13	13	0	0
0	0	10	2	16	4	0	0	21	21	2	2
0	0	7	2	13	1	2	1	2	2	0	0
-50%	**N/A**	**-40%**	**100%**	**-29%**	**-20%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-50%**	**-48%**	**50%**	**50%**
1	0	33	9	187	43	3	0	47	44	6	6
0	0	30	6	165	44	3	0	37	37	9	9
0	0	38	6	148	41	3	2	76	75	5	4
1	1	29	8	174	33	1	1	61	61	9	4
0	0	45	16	190	45	5	0	68	67	7	7
0	0	37	2	200	54	6	0	91	90	10	9
N/A	**N/A**	**10%**	**50%**	**13%**	**-2%**	**0%**	**N/A**	**27%**	**19%**	**-33%**	**-33%**
1	0	63	17	320	138	13	1	185	169	40	33
2	0	93	28	367	170	22	6	173	144	28	22
3	1	79	31	371	219	10	1	123	112	31	26
1	0	56	13	321	165	8	2	112	108	41	34
3	0	56	14	353	147	14	1	181	179	38	28
3	1	88	30	325	112	10	6	120	117	35	24
-50%	**N/A**	**-32%**	**-39%**	**-13%**	**-19%**	**-41%**	**-83%**	**7%**	**17%**	**43%**	**50%**
1	1	5	0	37	8	0	0	8	7	0	0
1	0	24	5	50	16	1	0	26	24	5	4
0	0	9	2	42	11	3	0	16	16	5	4
0	0	4	3	18	4	3	1	15	15	0	0
0	0	4	3	3	2	0	0	9	9	3	2
0	0	0	0	8	8	0	0	22	22	4	4
0%	**N/A**	**-79%**	**-100%**	**-26%**	**-50%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**-69%**	**-71%**	**-100%**	**-100%**
0	0	42	7	200	34	25	6	150	147	16	10
2	1	43	14	180	45	6	0	84	80	11	9
1	0	35	7	170	42	13	4	94	79	17	17
1	1	54	8	211	38	7	3	140	125	15	14
3	1	53	18	191	51	10	4	123	101	26	20
1	1	41	6	197	44	10	4	111	92	19	12
-100%	**-100%**	**-2%**	**-50%**	**11%**	**-24%**	**317%**	**N/A**	**79%**	**84%**	**45%**	**11%**
0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	11	11	2	2
0	0	5	0	11	0	0	0	3	3	0	0
0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	4	4	1	1
0	0	5	2	15	0	0	0	4	4	1	1
0	0	2	0	13	1	0	0	10	10	2	2
0	0	2	0	16	1	0	0	6	6	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**-18%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**267%**	**267%**	**N/A**	**N/A**
10	3	901	103	2,286	183	554	37	1,565	1,482	507	244
4	1	687	79	2,390	174	567	44	1,262	1,148	488	227
6	2	944	148	2,368	300	832	70	1,844	1,776	554	366
14	4	786	153	2,511	235	1,045	95	1,820	1,746	545	351
17	2	936	172	3,005	312	786	68	1,753	1,621	571	400
24	8	980	164	3,492	337	1,182	89	1,540	1,400	626	385
150%	**200%**	**31%**	**30%**	**-4%**	**5%**	**-2%**	**-16%**	**24%**	**29%**	**4%**	**7%**

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		Grand Total Group A & B Complaints	Total Group A Complaints	Total Group B Complaints	Criminal Homicide		Sexual Offenses Forcible		Robbery		Assault Aggravated	
					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Wyoming	05	163	89	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
	04	151	80	71	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	1
	03	159	91	68	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
	02	169	92	77	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	3
	01	237	148	89	0	0	1	1	1	1	6	4
	00	194	131	63	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	6
% Change 04-05		**8%**	**11%**	**4%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**100%**	**300%**
Other Agencies												
ABC	05	406	19	387	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	04	120	6	114	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	155	3	152	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	207	3	204	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	223	4	219	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	269	3	266	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**238%**	**217%**	**239%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Amtrak	05	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
	04	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	11	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	10	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	01	59	47	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	00	85	48	37	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Attorney General	05	24	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	36	33	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	32	31	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	43	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	35	35	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	29	28	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**-33%**	**-27%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Capitol Police	05	2,256	139	2,117	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
	04	1,880	140	1,740	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	4
	03	1,687	130	1,557	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	2
	02	1,098	146	952	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	01	1,713	130	1,583	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
	00	1,360	146	1,214	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1
% Change 04-05		**20%**	**-1%**	**22%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-20%**	**0%**
DRBA	05	458	142	316	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	1
	04	614	188	426	0	0	1	1	3	1	3	2
	03	424	145	279	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0
	02	336	124	212	0	0	0	0	2	1	12	11
	01	403	137	266	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	4
	00	474	128	346	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1
% Change 04-05		**-25%**	**-24%**	**-26%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**0%**	**0%**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**-33%**	**-50%**
D.O.C.	05	455	27	428	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	5
	04	371	16	355	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
	03	326	23	303	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	02	283	16	267	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	4
	01	376	38	338	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
	00	296	43	253	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	23
% Change 04-05		**23%**	**69%**	**21%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**100%**	**67%**
Drug & Narcotics	05	242	240	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	162	153	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	155	152	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	75	74	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	93	87	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	97	92	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**49%**	**57%**	**-78%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
YRS	05	15	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	11	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	03	16	9	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
	02	11	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
	01	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	30	17	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
% Change 04-05		**36%**	**200%**	**20%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005											
Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
1	0	5	2	24	1	0	0	9	9	1	1
0	0	5	2	17	5	3	1	8	8	0	0
0	0	11	5	18	2	0	0	2	0	0	0
0	0	3	1	22	6	3	0	2	2	1	1
0	0	6	4	30	8	0	0	20	19	4	4
0	0	1	0	12	3	1	0	50	50	4	3
N/A	**N/A**	**0%**	**0%**	**41%**	**-80%**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**13%**	**13%**	**N/A**	**N/A**
OTHER AGENCIES											
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	13	1	1
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	1	1
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**220%**	**160%**	**0%**	**0%**
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	4	3	0	0	2	2	0	0
0	0	0	0	18	6	0	0	9	9	1	1
0	0	0	0	23	6	0	0	3	3	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
0	0	6	0	32	4	1	0	22	18	8	8
0	0	9	2	28	2	3	0	23	22	3	3
0	0	3	0	25	3	4	1	26	26	2	2
0	0	3	0	51	4	1	0	12	11	5	5
0	0	9	4	42	8	2	0	27	27	0	0
0	0	2	0	51	3	0	0	21	21	2	2
N/A	**N/A**	**-33%**	**-100%**	**14%**	**100%**	**-67%**	**N/A**	**-4%**	**-18%**	**167%**	**167%**
0	0	3	0	9	1	2	1	79	77	3	3
0	0	7	3	12	3	4	0	92	92	9	7
0	0	2	0	7	1	4	1	79	78	6	6
0	0	3	1	22	5	2	0	50	50	8	8
0	0	3	0	21	2	4	2	45	45	10	10
0	0	5	0	29	5	2	0	33	33	4	4
N/A	**N/A**	**-57%**	**-100%**	**-25%**	**-67%**	**-50%**	**N/A**	**-14%**	**-16%**	**-67%**	**-57%**
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	5	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	4	4	0	0
0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	3	1	1
0	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	12	12	1	1
4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	12	1	1
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**0%**	**150%**	**N/A**	**N/A**
0	0	0	0	42	13	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	26	9	0	0	2	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	28	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	11	4	0	0	5	5	0	0
0	0	0	0	18	4	0	0	14	7	0	0
0	0	0	0	21	1	0	0	13	7	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**62%**	**44%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0
N/A	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005												
		Grand Total Group A & B Complaints	Total Group A Complaints	Total Group B Complaints	Criminal Homicide		Sexual Offenses Forcible		Robbery		Assault Aggravated	
					Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
Fire Marshall	05	945	309	636	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	17
	04	939	298	641	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	17
	03	918	313	605	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	19
	02	956	326	630	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	24
	01	960	331	629	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	25
	00	965	311	654	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	9
% Change 04-05		**1%**	**4%**	**-1%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-31%**	**0%**
Fish & Wildlife	05	784	65	719	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
	04	731	81	650	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
	03	731	60	671	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3
	02	802	58	744	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2
	01	865	56	809	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	00	996	68	928	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
% Change 04-05		**7%**	**-20%**	**11%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**500%**	**N/A**
Park Ranger	05	412	255	157	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	4
	04	395	172	223	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	03	406	187	219	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	3
	02	445	217	228	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	420	231	189	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
	00	674	268	406	0	0	1	1	0	0	4	3
% Change 04-05		**4%**	**48%**	**-30%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**
Del.State University	05	151	125	26	0	0	3	2	2	1	4	1
	04	51	42	9	0	0	3	0	1	0	2	2
	03	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	02	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	01	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
% Change 04-05		**196%**	**198%**	**189%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**0%**	**N/A**	**100%**	**N/A**	**100%**	**-50%**
Univ. of Delaware	05	1,534	792	742	0	0	3	3	12	1	6	6
	04	1,633	812	821	0	0	6	2	5	1	14	9
	03	1,530	869	661	0	0	4	2	15	5	14	7
	02	1,781	1,038	743	0	0	0	0	15	5	7	6
	01	1,994	1,247	747	0	0	9	7	3	0	7	6
	00	1,921	1,307	614	0	0	2	2	4	0	11	6
% Change 04-05		**-6%**	**-2%**	**-10%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-50%**	**50%**	**140%**	**0%**	**-57%**	**-33%**
Wilm.Fire Company	05	23	6	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	04	34	13	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0
	03	7	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
	02	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	01	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
	00	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
% Change 04-05		**-32%**	**-54%**	**-19%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**-100%**	**N/A**

Crime in Delaware by Jurisdiction 2000 - 2005											
Arson		Burglary		Larceny Theft		Motor Vehicle Theft		Drug/ Narcotic		Weapon Law Violations	
Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared	Offenses	Cleared
299	115	18	7	3	0	0	0	1	1	39	5
291	97	22	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	1
301	88	20	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	33	3
318	97	12	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	6
327	75	18	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	5
305	86	19	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	4
3%	**19%**	**-18%**	**75%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**70%**	**400%**
0	0	1	0	28	5	0	0	27	27	8	7
0	0	5	1	18	1	0	0	18	18	36	25
0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	16	15	31	24
0	0	2	0	14	0	0	0	16	16	19	14
0	0	4	0	19	3	0	0	7	7	16	14
1	0	0	0	11	1	0	0	13	12	33	24
N/A	**N/A**	**-80%**	**-100%**	**56%**	**400%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**50%**	**50%**	**-78%**	**-72%**
0	0	6	0	61	4	0	0	168	159	7	5
1	0	4	0	32	3	1	0	137	132	4	4
0	0	2	0	46	3	0	0	101	99	11	8
0	0	7	0	74	3	1	0	123	122	5	4
0	0	1	0	36	1	1	0	171	166	12	12
1	0	3	0	54	6	0	0	231	229	10	9
-100%	**N/A**	**50%**	**N/A**	**91%**	**33%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**23%**	**20%**	**75%**	**25%**
0	0	11	1	35	3	0	0	14	12	4	3
1	0	4	0	11	2	1	0	1	1	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
-100%	**N/A**	**175%**	**N/A**	**218%**	**50%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**1300%**	**1100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**
6	0	38	1	318	30	4	0	85	83	9	7
5	0	63	8	327	47	4	1	90	87	12	10
2	1	47	4	413	40	7	0	47	43	9	7
14	1	66	10	424	32	13	1	64	51	2	2
14	2	73	7	504	53	8	0	83	80	6	6
11	1	51	3	545	58	7	0	102	98	5	5
20%	**N/A**	**-40%**	**-88%**	**-3%**	**-36%**	**0%**	**-100%**	**-6%**	**-5%**	**-25%**	**-30%**
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
13	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
-54%	**-100%**	**-100%**	**-100%**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**	**N/A**

Delaware Population

Source: University of Delaware population consortium

Table 56

	2000		2001		2002	
Delaware Population	**786,418**	% of state	**795,419**	% of state	**805,774**	% of state
New Castle County	501,856	63.8%	505,895	63.6%	510,006	63.3%
Kent County	127,103	16.2%	129,065	16.2%	131,594	16.3%
Sussex County	157,459	20.0%	160,459	20.2%	164,174	20.4%
	2003		**2004**		**2005**	
Delaware Population	**817,831**	% of state	**830,082**	% of state	**843,540**	% of state
New Castle County	514,798	63.0%	518,732	62.5%	523,016	62.0%
Kent County	134,627	16.5%	139,122	16.8%	143,969	17.1%
Sussex County	168,406	20.6%	172,228	20.8%	176,555	20.9%

Table 57

2000 Population			**2001 Population**			**2002 Population**		
	Male	*Female*		*Male*	*Female*		*Male*	*Female*
Juvenile	99,645	94,456	Juvenile	100,153	95,402	Juvenile	100,767	96,481
Adult	281,845	310,472	Adult	285,727	314,137	Adult	290,125	318,401
Total Per	381,490	404,928	Total Per	385,880	409,539	Total Per	390,892	414,882
Total	**786,418**		Total	**795,419**		Total	**805,774**	
2003 Population			**2004 Population**			**2005 Population**		
	Male	*Female*		*Male*	*Female*		*Male*	*Female*
Juvenile	101,398	97,664	Juvenile	102,071	98,563	Juvenile	103,026	99,685
Adult	295,320	323,449	Adult	300,603	328,845	Adult	306,179	334,650
Total Per	396,718	421,113	Total Per	402,674	427,408	Total Per	409,205	434,335
Total	**817,831**		Total	**830,082**		Total	**843,540**	

Table 58

Delaware Population % Increase						
	2000 - 2001	**2001 - 2002**	**2002 - 2003**	**2003-2004**	**2004 - 2005**	**2000 - 2005**
Total Delaware Population	**1.1%**	**1.3%**	**1.5%**	**1.5%**	**1.6%**	**7.3%**
New Castle County	0.8%	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%	4.2%
Kent County	1.5%	2.0%	2.3%	3.3%	3.5%	13.3%
Sussex County	1.9%	2.3%	2.6%	2.3%	2.5%	12.1%

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Glossary of Terms

Adult	A person 18 years of age or older.
Arrest	A person physically apprehended, cited or served with a summons related to a reportable offense.
Arrest Rate	The number of arrests reported per 1,000 population.
Cleared	A complaint reported to the police is considered cleared or solved once the police have identified the offender. One arrest may clear several crimes; therefore the clearance rate is often higher than the arrest rate.
Crime Incident	One or more crimes committed by the same offender, or group of offenders at the same time and place. A reported Offense may involve more than one Crime Incident.
Complaint	A Criminal offense reported to or by the police.
Crime Rate	The number of Crimes per 1,000 populations.
Drug Offenses	The violation of laws prohibiting the production, distribution, and/or use of certain controlled substances and the equipment or devices utilized in their preparation and/or use.
Ethnicity	Indicates ethnic origin, regardless of race, as either Hispanic or not Hispanic.
Group A Offenses	22 crimes ranging from arson through assault, burglary, vandalism, drug offenses, fraud, homicides and forcible sex offenses. Group A detailed information is based on each charge in the crime incident.
Group B Offenses	11 offenses ranging from Bad Checks, drunkenness, driving under the influence to non-violent family offenses. Group B offenses only have arrestee data recorded in NIBRS. In the Group B Arrest Report, because of the different natures of Group A and B offenses, not all details required for Group A Incident Reports are requested for Group B Arrest Reports. Only arrestee data are required for Group B crimes.
Juvenile	A person under 18 years of age.
Offenses Received (Charges)	Crimes reported to or otherwise known to police. Each charge in the crime incident is counted. To be counted in Crime in Delaware, information on reported offenses must also be provided to SBI for proper classification and coding in the State's Criminal Justice Information System. If the provision of information to SBI is not complete and timely, Crime in Delaware will represent an undercounting of reported offenses.
Population data	Delaware population projection estimates are from the Delaware population Consortium.
Property Crimes	Property Crimes are based on the main criminal objective to obtain money, property, or some other benefit.
Social Crimes	Social Crimes represent certain types of criminal activity prohibited by our society.
Type of Crime	Specific Crime committed during a reportable incident.
Violent Crimes	Violent Crimes are crimes such as Homicide, Assault and Forcible sex offenses.

Delaware Changes from Uniform Crime Reporting to National Incident Based Crime Reporting System

According to the F.B.I.'s "Crime in the United States 2002", currently 4,239 law enforcement agencies contribute NIBRS data to the national UCR Program. The data submitted by these agencies represent 17 percent of the U.S. population and 18 percent of the crime statistics collected by the UCR Program, making the database much more robust and detailed. This new system eliminates the hierarchy rule formerly used in the UCR methodology. The UCR's hierarchy rule is used when there is more than one Part I offense; the law enforcement agency must select the most severe offense and not the other offenses. For example, if a person is arrested and charged with possession of a firearm during the commission of a felony and terroristic threatening, the UCR process would count only the most severe offense (Possession of a Firearm during the Commission of a Felony) and ignores the terroristic threatening offense. This crime reporting process applies only to the reported number of crimes for statistical purposes and does not affect the criminal justice process. For instance, the UCR hierarchy rule does not affect the number of charges for which the defendant may be indicted for in the courts.

NIBRS crime reporting is broken down into two major categories; "Group A", the more serious crimes, and "Group B", the less serious crimes. In the past, UCR reported eight "Part I" serious crimes, while NIBRS reports on twenty-four "Group A" serious crimes.

Known as IBR (*Incident-Based Reporting*), the new NIBRS strategy allows analysis of the incidence of crime for each charge within a crime. Incidents are the number of criminal charges known to police.

NIBRS "Group A" offenses consist of investigative and incident reports, which include attempts and suspected events. In Crime in Delaware, most of the NIBRS crime analysis is based on the "incidents" within a crime event. In a few areas, "Reported Crimes", that is, the number of crime events, is also reported. "Reported Crime" measurement is the same in the new NIBRS as it was in UCR. Detailed information is also reported for NIBRS arrests. There are twenty-four major Group A crime categories, with forty-four detail crime sub-categories.

"Group B" offense information is based solely on summary complaints and arrests. The NIBRS crime reporting method is ideal for strategic and tactical crime analysis at the local and regional level, and the data is robust enough to allow creation of new categories, such as Crimes against Society, or for the researcher to explore other relationships among the variables. The crimes that make up Group A and B offenses are much more detailed in the past and for the first time also include analysis of such offenses as pornography, counterfeiting, prostitution, embezzlement, bad checks, weapons violations, and Peeping Tom activity.

Reader's Notes

Uniform Crime Reports v. National Incident Based Reporting: Comparison of Definitions

***Note**: All FBI UCR definitions were quoted directly from the Uniform Crime Reporting Handbook published by the FBI (1984) or Crime in the United States, 1997, published by the FBI (1998); all FBI NIBRS definitions were quoted directly from the Uniform Crime Reporting Handbook: NIBRS Edition published by the FBI (1992).*

- **Arson**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Arson (200):** Any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without the intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* -Group A Arson:** To unlawfully and intentionally damage, or attempt to damage, any real or personal property by fire or incendiary device. A person is guilty of arson in the third degree when the person recklessly damages a building by intentionally starting a fire or causing an explosion.
(b) In any prosecution under this section it is an affirmative defense that no person other than the accused had a possessory or proprietary interest in the building.
Arson: The willful and malicious burning of a dwelling, motor vehicle, or other personal property, with or without the intent to defraud.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	801	FG	Arson 3rd Degree
11	802	FD	Arson 2nd Degree
11	803	FC	Arson 1st Degree

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- **Assault, Aggravated**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Aggravated Assault (13A):** An unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault usually is accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm. Simple assaults are excluded.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Aggravated Assault:** An unlawful attack by one person upon another wherein the offender uses a weapon or displays it in a threatening manner, or the victim suffers obvious severe or aggravated bodily injury involving apparent broken bones, loss of teeth, possible internal injury, severe laceration, or loss of consciousness.
Aggravated Assault: An assault classified as aggravated is determined by criteria rather than statute. The criteria pertain to the severity of the attack unless a weapon is used. Attempted Murder is an aggravated assault. Simple Assault is a Group B Crime.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	604	FE	Reckless Endangering 1st Degree
11	612	FD	Assault 2nd Degree
11	613	FC	Assault 1st Degree
11	1254	FB, FD	Assault in a Detention Facility
11	3532	FE	Intimidating Acts
11	3533	FD	Aggravated Intimidating Acts

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- **Assault, Simple**

UCR Part and Definition **- Part II Other Assaults –Simple- (13B):** Assaults and attempted assaults where no weapon was used or which did not result in serious or aggravated injury to the victim. Examples of local jurisdiction offense titles which would be included in "other assaults" are: simple assault; minor assault; assault and battery; injury by culpable negligence; resisting or obstructing an officer; intimidation; coercion; hazing; and attempts to commit the above.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Simple Assault:** An unlawful physical attack by one person upon another where neither the offender displays a weapon, nor the victim suffers obvious severe or aggravated bodily injury involving apparent broken bones, loss of teeth, possible internal injury, severe laceration, or loss of consciousness.
Simple Assault: Any of the following assaults could be aggravated, depending on the circumstances.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	601	M	Offensive Touching
11	602	M	Menacing
11	603	MA	Reckless Endangering 2nd Degree
11	611	MA	Assault 3rd Degree

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- **Assault, Intimidation**

UCR Part and Definition: No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Intimidation (13C):** To unlawfully place another person in reasonable fear of bodily harm through the use of threatening words and/or other conduct, but without displaying a weapon or subjecting the victim to actual physical attack.

- **Bad Checks**

UCR Part and Definition: No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group B Bad Checks:** Knowingly and intentionally writing and/or negotiating checks drawn against insufficient or nonexistent funds.
Issuing a bad Check; Class A Misdemeanor, Class G felony §§ 900 to 902 of Title 11.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	900	MA	Issuing a bad Check

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- **Bribery**

UCR Part and Definition: No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Bribery:** The offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value (i.e., a bribe, gratuity, or kickback) to sway the judgment or action of a person in a position of trust or influence.

- **Burglary/Breaking and Entering**

UCR Part and Definition **- Part I Burglary-Breaking or Entering:** The unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or a theft. Offenses counted on UCR forms as burglary are: unlawful entry of a structure with intent to commit a larceny or felony; breaking and entering with intent to commit a larceny; housebreaking; safecracking; and all attempts to commit the foregoing offenses.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Burglary/Breaking and Entering -** The unlawful entry into a building or other structure with the intent to commit a felony or a theft. **Burglary:** The unlawful entry (or attempted entry) into a building or structure to commit a crime.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	824	FF	Burglary 3rd Degree
11	825	FD	Burglary 2nd Degree
11	826	FC	Burglary 1st Degree

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- **Counterfeiting or Forgery**

UCR Part and Definition **- Part II Forgery and Counterfeiting:** Placed in this class are all offenses dealing with the making, altering, uttering, or possessing, with the intent to defraud, anything false in the semblance of that which is true. Includes: altering or forging public and other records; making, altering, forging, or counterfeiting bills, notes, drafts, tickets, checks, credit cards, etc.; forging wills, deeds, notes, bonds, seals, trademarks, etc.; counterfeiting coins, plates, banknotes, checks, etc.; possessing or uttering forged or counterfeited instruments; erasures; signing the name of another or fictitious person with intent to defraud; using forged labels; possession, manufacture, etc. of counterfeiting apparatus; selling goods with altered, forged or counterfeited trademarks; and all attempts to commit the above.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Counterfeiting/Forgery:** The altering, copying, or imitation of something, without authority or right, with the intent to deceive or defraud by passing the copy or thing altered or imitated as that which is original or genuine; or the selling, buying or possession of an altered, copied, or imitated thing with the intent to deceive or defraud.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	861	FF, FG, MA	Forgery 1st, 2nd, or 3rd Degrees
11	862	FG	Possession of Forgery Devices

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- **Curfew, Loitering, or Vagrancy Violations**

***UCR Part and Definition* – Part II Curfew and Loitering Laws (Persons under age 18):** Count all arrests for violations of local curfew or loitering ordinances where such laws exist.
Part II Vagrancy: Persons prosecuted on the charge of being a "suspicious character or person, etc." Included in this class are: vagrancy, begging, loitering (persons 18 and over); and vagabondage.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* – Group B Curfew/Loitering/Vagrancy Violations:** The violation of a court order, regulation, ordinance, or law requiring the withdrawal of persons from the streets or other specified areas; prohibiting persons from remaining in an area or place in an idle or aimless manner; or prohibiting persons from going from place to place without visible means of support.

- **Destruction, Damage, or Vandalism of Property**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Vandalism** The willful or malicious destruction, injury, disfigurement, or defacement of any public or private property, real or personal, without consent of the owner or person having custody or control by cutting, tearing, breaking, marking, painting, drawing, covering with filth, or any other such means as may be specified by local law. This offense covers a wide range of malicious behavior directed at property, such as: cutting auto tires, drawing obscene pictures on public restroom walls, smashing windows, destroying school records, tipping over gravestones, defacing library books, etc. Count all arrests for above, including attempts.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property:** To willfully or maliciously destroy, damage, deface, or otherwise injure real or personal property without the consent of the owner or the person having custody or control of it.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	811	FG, M	Criminal Mischief

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- **Disorderly Conduct**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Disorderly Conduct:** In this class are placed all charges of committing a breach of the peace. Include: affray; unlawful assembly; disturbing the peace; disturbing meetings; disorderly conduct at state institutions, at court, at fairs, on trains or public conveyances, etc.; blasphemy, profanity, and obscene language; desecrating the flag; refusing to assist an officer; and include all attempts to commit the above. Breach of the peace.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Disorderly Conduct:** Any behavior that tends to disturb the public peace or decorum; scandalizes the community, or shock the public

sense of morality. This offense includes: affray, breach of peace, blasphemy, profanity, obscene language, disturbing the peace, and public nuisance.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	1301	M	Disorderly Conduct
11	1311	M	Harassment
11	1312	MB	Aggravated Harassment

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- **Driving Under the Influence**

***UCR Part and Definition* -Part II Driving Under the Influence:** This class is limited to the driving or operating of any vehicle or common carrier while drunk or under the influence of liquor or narcotics.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Driving Under the Influence:** Driving or operating a motor vehicle or common carrier while mentally or physically impaired as the result of consuming an alcoholic beverage or using a drug or narcotic. This offense includes driving while intoxicated and operating a bus, train, streetcar, boat, etc., while under the influence.

- **Drug/Narcotic Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Drug Abuse Violations:** State and/or local offenses relating to the unlawful possession, sale, use, growing, and manufacturing of narcotic drugs. The following drug categories are specified: opium or cocaine and their derivatives (morphine, heroin, codeine); marijuana; synthetic narcotics - manufactured narcotics that can cause true addiction (Demerol, methadone); and dangerous nonnarcotic drugs (barbiturate, Benzedrine). Includes all attempts to sell, manufacture, or possess any of the above. The unlawful cultivation, manufacture, distribution, sale, purchase, use, possession, transportation, or importation of any controlled drug or narcotic substance.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A General definition of Drug/Narcotic Violations:** The violation of laws prohibiting the production, distribution, and/or use of certain controlled substances and the equipment or devices utilized in their preparation and/or use.
***UCR Part and Definition*:** No such category in UCR.

***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Drug Equipment Violations:** The unlawful manufacture, sale, purchase, possession, or transportation of equipment or devices utilized in preparing and/or using drugs or narcotics.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
16	4751	FC	Possession with Intent to Deliver
16	4752	FE	Possession with Intent to Del Non- Narcotics
16	4753	M	Possession or Use of Narcotics
16	4753A	FB	Drug Trafficking
16	4754	MB	Possession or Use of Non-Narcotics

16	4754A	FE	Delivery of Non-Controlled Prescriptions
16	4755	FF, MA	Maintaining a Dwelling or Vehicle for the Use or Sale of Drugs
16	4756	FF	Obtain Illegal Substance
16	4757	M	Illegal Possession of Hypodermic Needle
16	4771	MA	Possession of Drug Paraphernalia

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- **Drunkenness**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Drunkenness:** This class includes all offenses of drunkenness or intoxication, with the exception of driving under the influence. Also includes: drunkenness; drunk and disorderly; common or habitual drunkard; intoxication.

***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Drunkenness:** To drink alcoholic beverages to the extent that one's mental faculties and physical coordination are substantially impaired. Included are drunk and disorderly, common drunkard, habitual drunkard, and intoxication.

- **Embezzlement**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Embezzlement:** Misappropriation or misapplication of money or property entrusted to one's care, custody, or control. Include attempts.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Embezzlement:** The unlawful misappropriation by an offender to his/her own use or purpose of money, property, or some other thing of value entrusted to his/her care, custody, or control.

- **Extortion or Blackmail**

***UCR Part and Definition*:** No such category in UCR, included in "All Other Offenses."
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Extortion/Blackmail:** To unlawfully obtain money, property, or any other thing of value, either tangible or intangible, through the use or threat of force, misuse of authority, threat of criminal prosecution, threat of destruction of reputation or social standing, or through other coercive means.

- **Family Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Offenses Against the Family and Children:** Include here all charges of non-support and neglect or abuse of family and children, such as: desertion, abandonment, or non-support of spouse or child; neglect or abuse of spouse or child (if injury is serious, score as aggravated assault); nonpayment of alimony; and all attempts to commit the above. Do not count victims of these charges who are merely taken into custody for their own protection. Nonsupport, neglect, desertion, or abuse of family and children.

NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group B Family Offenses, Non-Violent:** Unlawful, nonviolent acts by a family member (or legal guardian) which threaten the physical, mental or economic well-being or morals of another family member, and which are not classifiable as other offenses, such as assault, incest, statutory rape, etc. This offense includes: abandonment; desertion; neglect; non-support; nonviolent abuse and nonviolent cruelty to other family members; nonpayment of court-ordered alimony not considered as "contempt of court" within the reporting jurisdiction. Do not include victims of these offenses who are taken into custody for their own protection.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	1102	MA	Endangering the Welfare of a Child
11	1105	MA	Endangering the Welfare of an Incompetent Person
11	1106	MB	Unlawfully Dealing with a Child

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- **Fraud Offenses**

UCR Part and Definition **- Part II Fraud:** Fraudulent conversion and obtaining money or property by false pretenses. Includes: bad checks, except forgeries and counterfeiting; confidence games; leaving full-service gas station without paying attendant; unauthorized withdrawal of money from an automatic teller machine; and any attempts to commit the above. Included are confidence games and bad checks, except forgeries and counterfeiting.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Fraud Offenses - General definition of Fraud Offenses:** The intentional perversion of the truth for the purpose of inducing another person, or other entity, in reliance upon it to part with some thing of value or to surrender a legal right.
UCR Part and Definition **-** No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A False Pretenses/ Swindle/ Confidence Game:** The intentional misrepresentation of existing fact or condition, or the use of some other deceptive scheme or device, to obtain money, goods, or other things of value.
UCR Part and Definition **-** No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Credit Card/ ATM Fraud:** The unlawful use of a credit (or debit) card or automatic teller machine for fraudulent purposes. This offense does not apply to the theft of a credit/debit card but rather its fraudulent use.
UCR Part and Definition **-** No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Impersonation:** Falsely representing one's identity or position, and acting in the character or position thus unlawfully assumed, to deceive others and thereby gain a profit or advantage, enjoy some right or privilege, or subject another person or entity to an expense, charge, or liability which would not have otherwise been incurred.
UCR Part and Definition **-** No such category in UCR.
NIBRS Group and Definition **- Group A Welfare Fraud:** The use of deceitful statements, practices or devices to unlawfully obtain welfare benefits.
UCR Part and Definition **-** No such category in UCR.

***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Wire Fraud:** The use of an electric or electronic communications facility to intentionally transmit a false and/or deceptive message in furtherance of a fraudulent activity.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	844	FG, MA	Theft, False Promise
11	900	FG, MA	Worthless Check
11	903	FG, MA	Unlawful Use of Credit Card
11	907	MA	Criminal Impersonation

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- **Gambling Offenses - General Definition**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Gambling:** All charges which relate to promoting, permitting, or engaging in illegal gambling are included in this category. To provide a more refined collection of gambling arrests, the following breakdown should be furnished: (a) Bookmaking (horse and sport book); (b) Numbers and lottery; (c) All other. Promoting, permitting, or engaging in illegal gambling.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A:** To unlawfully bet or wager money or something else of value; assist, promote, or operate a game of chance for money or some other stake; possess or transmit wagering information; manufacture, sell, purchase, possess, or transport gambling equipment, devices, or goods; or tamper with the outcome of a sporting event or contest to gain a gambling advantage.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	1403	MA	Advanced Gambling 1st Degree

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- **Gambling Offenses – Other**

***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Betting/Wagering:** To unlawfully stake money or something else of value on the happening of an uncertain event or on the ascertainment of a fact in dispute.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Operating/ Promoting/ Assisting:** To unlawfully operate, promote, or assist in the operation of a game of chance, lottery, or other gambling activity.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.

***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Gambling Equipment Violations:** To unlawfully manufacture, sell, buy, possess, or transport equipment, devices, and/or goods used for gambling purposes. Such equipment is also known as "gambling paraphernalia".
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Sports Tampering:** To unlawfully alter, meddle in, or otherwise interfere with a sporting contest or event for the purpose of gaining a gambling advantage. This offense includes engaging in bribery for gambling purposes.

- **Homicide Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Murder & Non-Negligent Manslaughter:** The willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Murder & Non-Negligent Manslaughter:** The willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Negligent Manslaughter:** The killing of another person through gross negligence.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Negligent Manslaughter:** The killing of another person through negligence.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Justifiable Homicide - Unfounded:** No such category in UCR. Described as "The killing of a felon by a peace officer in the line of duty, or the killing (during the commission of a felony) of a felon by a private citizen".
***NIBRS Group and Definition - Group A Justifi*able Homicide:** The killing of a perpetrator of a serious criminal offense by a peace officer in the line of duty; or the killing, during the commission of a serious criminal offense, of the perpetrator by a private individual**.**
Criminal Homicide: This includes Murder – the willful, non-negligent killing of one human being by another – and negligent Manslaughter.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	631	FE	Criminally Negligent Homicide
11	632	FC	Manslaughter
11	635	FB	Murder 2nd Degree
11	636	FA	Murder 1st Degree

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- **Kidnapping or Abduction**

***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Kidnapping/Abduction:** The unlawful seizure, transportation, and/or detention of a person against his/her will, or of a minor without the consent of his/her custodial parent(s) or legal guardian. This offense includes not only kidnapping and abduction, but hostage situations as well.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	783	FC	Kidnapping 2nd Degree
11	783A	FB	Kidnapping 1st Degree

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- **Larceny-Theft Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny-Theft:** The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another. Examples are thefts of bicycles or automobile accessories, shoplifting, pocket-picking, or the stealing of any property or article which is not taken by force and violence or by fraud. Attempted larcenies are included. Embezzlement, confidence games, forgery, worthless checks, etc., are excluded.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Larceny/Theft Offenses:** The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession, or constructive possession, of another person.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Pocket-Picking:** The theft of articles from a person by stealth where the victim usually does not become immediately aware of the theft.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Pocket-Picking:** The theft of articles from another person's physical possession by stealth where the victim usually does not become immediately aware of the theft.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Purse-Snatching:** The grabbing or snatching of a purse, handbag, etc., from the custody of an individual.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Purse-Snatching:** The grabbing or snatching of a purse, handbag, etc., from the physical possession of another person.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Shoplifting:** The theft by a person (other than an employee) of goods or merchandise exposed for sale.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Shoplifting:** The theft, by someone other than an employee of the victim, of goods or merchandise exposed for sale.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Theft from Motor Vehicle - Except theft of motor vehicle parts and accessories:** The theft of articles from a motor vehicle, whether locked or unlocked.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Theft from Motor Vehicle:** The theft of articles from a motor vehicle, whether locked or unlocked.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts and Accessories:** The theft of any part or accessory attached to the interior or exterior of a motor vehicle in a manner which would make the part an attachment to the vehicle or necessary for the operation of the vehicle.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories:** The theft of any part or accessory affixed to the interior or exterior of a motor vehicle in a manner which would make the item an attachment of the vehicle or necessary for its operation.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Theft of Bicycles:** The unlawful taking of any bicycle, tandem bicycle, unicycle, etc.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* -** No such category in NIBRS.

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Larceny - Theft from Building:** A theft from within a building which is open to the general public and where the offender has legal access.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Theft from Building:** A theft from within a building which is either open to the general public or where the offender has legal access.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Theft from a Coin-Operated Device or Machine:** A theft from a device or machine which is operated or activated by the use of a coin.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Theft from a Coin-Operated Machine or Device:** A theft from a machine or device which is operated or activated by the use of coins.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I All Other Larceny:** All thefts which do not fit the definition of the specific categories of larceny listed above.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A All other Larceny:** All thefts which do not fit any of the definitions of the specific subcategories of Larceny/Theft listed above.
Larceny: The theft (or attempted theft) of someone's property, excluding motor vehicles. Examples of larceny include pick pocketing, shoplifting, purse-snatching, theft of bicycle, livestock, farm equipment, airplane, construction equipment, motorboat, theft of item from within a motor vehicle, etc.
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Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	841	F	Larceny-Parts From Vehicle, From Auto, From Shipment, From Coin Machine, From Building, From Yards, From Mails, From Banking-Type Institution, From Interstate Shipment

- **<u>Liquor Law Violations</u>**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Liquor Laws:** With the exception of "drunkenness" and "Driving under the Influence", liquor law violations, state or local, are placed in this class. Include: manufacture, sale, transporting, furnishing, possessing, etc. intoxicating liquor; maintaining unlawful drinking places; bootlegging; operating still; furnishing liquor to a minor or intemperate person; using a vehicle for the illegal transportation of liquor; drinking on train or public conveyance; and all attempts to commit the above. Federal violations are excluded.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Liquor Law Violations:** The violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, or use of alcoholic beverages. Driving under the influence and drunkenness violations is excluded. Included are violations of laws/ordinances prohibiting the maintenance of unlawful drinking places; bootlegging; operating a still; furnishing liquor to a minor; using a vehicle for the illegal transportation of liquor, etc.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
04	904	M	Possession or Consumption of Alcohol by a Minor

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- **Motor Vehicle Theft**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Motor Vehicle Theft:** The theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle. A motor vehicle is self-propelled and runs on the surface and not on rails. Specifically excluded from this category are motorboats, construction equipment, airplanes, and farming equipment.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Motor Vehicle Theft:** The theft of a motor vehicle. A motor vehicle is defined for UCR purposes as a self-propelled vehicle that runs on land surface and not on rails and which fits one of the following property descriptions: automobiles, buses, recreational vehicles, trucks, or other motor vehicles.
Motor Vehicle Theft: The theft (or attempted theft) of a motor vehicle by person(s) without lawful access to the vehicle.

Title	Section
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- **Peeping Tom**

***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Peeping Tom:** To secretly look through a window, doorway, keyhole, or other aperture for the purpose of voyeurism.
Trespassing with intent to peer or peep into a window or door of another

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	820	MB	Peeping Tom

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- **Pornography/ Obscene Material**

***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Pornography/Obscene Material:** The violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, publishing, sale, purchase, or possession of sexually explicit material, e.g., literature, photographs, etc.

- **Prostitution Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Prostitution and Commercialized Vice Group A Prostitution Offenses:** Include in this class the sex offenses of a commercialized nature, such as: prostitution; keeping a bawdy house, disorderly house, or house of ill fame; pandering, procuring, transporting, or detaining women for immoral purposes, etc.; and all attempts to commit the above. General definition of a Prostitution Offense: To unlawfully engage in or promote sexual activities for profit.

***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Prostitution Offenses:** Definition of a Prostitution Offense: To unlawfully engage in or promote sexual activities for profit.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.

***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Prostitution:** To unlawfully engage in sexual relations for profit. This offense includes prostitution by both males and females.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Assisting or Promoting Prostitution:** To solicit customers or transport persons for prostitution purposes; to own, manage, or operate a dwelling or other establishment for the purpose of providing a place where prostitution is performed; or to otherwise assist or promote prostitution.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	1342	MB	Prostitution
11	1355	MB	Permitting Prostitution

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- **Robbery**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Robbery:** The taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Robbery:** The taking, or attempting to take, anything of value under confrontational circumstances from the control, custody, or care of another person by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear of immediate harm.
Robbery: Feloniously taking or attempting to take anything of value from someone by force, threat of force, violence, and/or by putting the victim in fear.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	831	FE	Robbery 2nd Degree
11	832	FB	Robbery 1st Degree

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- **Runaway**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II - Runaway (Persons under age 19):** Not a crime For the purposes of the UCR Program, report in this category apprehensions for protective custody as defined by local statute. Arrests for runaways from one jurisdiction by another agency should be counted by the home jurisdiction. Do not include protective custody actions with respect to runaways taken from other jurisdictions.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Runaway:** A person under 18 years of age who has left home without the permission of his/her parent/legal guardian. While running away does not constitute a criminal offense, each "handling" of a runaway should be reported.

- **Sex Offenses, Forcible**

NIBRS General Definition of a Sex Offense: Any sexual act directed against another person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent.
***UCR Part and Definition* - Part I Forcible Rape:** The carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will. Included are rapes by force and attempts or assaults to rape. Statutory offenses (no force used - victim under the age of consent) are excluded.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Forcible Rape:** The carnal knowledge of a person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity (or because of his/her youth).
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Forcible Sodomy:** Oral or anal sexual intercourse with another person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her youth or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Sexual Assault with an Object:** To use an object or instrument to unlawfully penetrate, however slightly, the genital or anal opening of the body of another person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will
where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her youth or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity. An "object" or "instrument" is anything used by the offender other than the offender's genitalia.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Forcible Fondling:** The touching of the private body parts of another person for the purpose of sexual gratification, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of this/her youth or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	763	M	Sexual Harassment
11	765	MA	Indecent Exposure 1st Degree
11	1108	FB	Sexual Exploitation of a Child
11	1109	FD	Dealing in Child Pornography

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* In the year 2001, the crimes of Fondling and Unlawful Sexual Contact were moved from a Miscellaneous heading to Sex Crimes. This explains the marked increase in “Sex Crimes” between the years 2000 and 2001

- **Sex Offenses, Non-Forcible**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Sex Offenses (Except forcible rape, prostitution, and commercialized vice.):** Include offenses against chastity, common decency, morals, and the like such as: adultery and fornication; buggery; incest; indecent exposure; indecent liberties; seduction; sodomy and crime against nature; statutory rape (no force); and all attempts are included.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* -** General Definition. Unlawful, non-forcible sexual intercourse.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Incest:** Non-forcible sexual intercourse between persons who are related to each other within the degrees wherein marriage is prohibited by law.
***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Statutory Rape:** Non-forcible sexual intercourse with a person who is under the statutory age of consent.

- **Stolen Property Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing:** Include in this class all offenses of buying, receiving, and possessing stolen property, as well as all attempts to commit any of these offenses.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Stolen Property Offenses:** Receiving, buying, selling, possessing, concealing, or transporting any property with the knowledge that it has been unlawfully taken, as by burglary, embezzlement, fraud, larceny, robbery, etc.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	851	FG, MA	Receiving Stolen Property

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- **Suspicion**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Suspicion:** No specific offense; a suspect released without formal charges being placed.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* -** No such category in NIBRS.

- **Trespass of Real Property**

***UCR Part and Definition* -** No such category in UCR.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B Trespass of Real Property:** To unlawfully enter land, a dwelling or other real property. All burglary offenses include the element of trespass. Trespass, however, involves entry with no intent to commit a felony or theft.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	823	MA	Criminal Trespass in the first degree

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- **Weapons Law Violations or Dangerous Weapons**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.:** This class deals with weapon offenses, regulatory in nature, such as: manufacture, sale, or possession of deadly weapons; carrying deadly weapons, concealed or openly; using, manufacturing, etc., silencers; furnishing deadly weapons to minors; aliens possessing deadly weapons; and all attempts to commit any of the above.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group A Weapon Law Violations:** The violation of laws or ordinances prohibiting the manufacture, sale, purchase, transportation, possession, concealment, or use of firearms, cutting instruments, explosives, incendiary devices, or other deadly weapons. Include violations such as the manufacture, sale, or possession of deadly weapons; carrying deadly weapons, concealed or openly; using, manufacturing, etc. silencers; and furnishing deadly weapons to minors.

Title	Section	Class	NCIC Offense
11	1444	FE	

- **All Other Offenses**

***UCR Part and Definition* - Part II All other Offenses:** Include in this class every other state or local offense (except traffic violations) not included in offenses 1 through 25. All violations of state and/or local laws, except those listed above and traffic offenses.
***NIBRS Group and Definition* - Group B All Other Offenses:** All crime which are not Group A offenses and not included in one of the specifically named Group B crime categories listed above. Offenses of general applicability (i.e., any offense prefixed by "accessory before/after the fact", "aiding and abetting", "assault to commit", "conspiracy to commit", "facilitation of", "solicitation to commit", "threat to commit", or any other prefix identifying it as other than the substantive offense) are included in this category, if the substantive offense is within Group A. If Group B offenses are involved, classify as the substantive offense. Generally, traffic offenses are excluded from this offense category. The vehicle-related offenses of hit and run (of a person) and vehicular manslaughter are, however, included; but driving under the influence is not as it is a separate Group B offense.

OFFENSE CODES

There are a total of 57 three-digit Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) offense codes for the Group "A" and Group "B" offenses used in NIBRS.

A. Group "A" Offense Codes

There are 22 Group "A" crime categories made up of 46 Group "A" offenses; therefore, there are 46 Group "A" Offense Codes.
The Group "A" Offense Codes were derived from the four-digit National Crime Information Center (NCIC) Uniform Offense Classification Codes in order to facilitate interrelating offense data between the NCIC and UCR Systems. This correlation was accomplished by using in the UCR Offense Codes the same first two characters as used in the NCIC coding system. The third character of the UCR Code is either a zero (0) or an alphabetical letter (A, B, etc.) referencing a subcategory of the crime category. For example, the NCIC Code for Simple Assault is 1313, whereas the UCR Code is 13B.
There are two exceptions:
1. The NCIC Offense Code for Statutory Rape is 1116, whereas the UCR Code is 36B.
2. The NCIC Offense Code for Forcible Fondling (of child) is 3601, whereas the UCR Code is 11D.
These exceptions resulted from the fact that NCIC includes Statutory Rape in Sexual Assaults, whereas UCR includes it in Nonforcible Sex Offenses; and NCIC includes Child-Fondling in Sex Offenses, whereas UCR includes it in Forcible Sex Offenses.

B. Group "B" Offense Codes

A separate 900 offense code numbering series has been assigned to the 11 Group "B" crime categories. For example, the NCIC Offense Code for Bad Checks is 2606, whereas the UCR Code is 90A. The different numbering series was established to assist in distinguishing Group "B" offenses from the Group "A" offenses. The distinction is important because of the difference in reporting requirements between the two types of offenses. Incidents and arrests involving Group "A" offenses are reported using Group "A" Incident Reports, whereas only arrests involving Group "B" offenses are reported using Group "B" Arrest Reports.

- **Offense Code Table**

The 57 UCR Offense Codes, as well as their NCIC counterparts, are listed on the following pages under their respective Group "A" offense and Group "B" offense captions.

UCR Offense	NCIC Code	UCR Code
GROUP "A" OFFENSES:		
ARSON	2001–2009; 2099	200
ASSAULT OFFENSES		
Aggravated Assault	1301–1312; 1314–1315	13A
Simple Assault	1313	13B
Intimidation	1316; 5215–5216	13C
BRIBERY	5101–5113; 5199	510
BURGLARY/BREAKING & ENTERING	2201–2205; 2207; 2299	220
COUNTERFEITING/FORGERY	2501–2507; 2509; 2510; 2589; 2599	250
DESTRUCTION/DAMAGE/VANDALISM OF PROPERTY	2901–2906; 2999	290
DRUG/NARCOTIC OFFENSES		
Drug/Narcotic Violations	3501–3505; 3510–3513; 3520–3523; 3530–3533; 3540–3543; 3560–3564; 3570–3573; 3580–3583; 3599	35A
Drug Equipment Violations	3550	35B
EMBEZZLEMENT	2701–2705; 2799	270
EXTORTION/BLACKMAIL	2101–2105; 2199	210
FRAUD OFFENSES		
False Pretenses/Swindle/ Confidence Game	2601–2603; 2607; 2699	26A
Credit Card/Automatic Teller Machine Fraud	2605	26B
Impersonation	2604	26C
Welfare Fraud	None	26D
Wire Fraud	2608	26E
GAMBLING OFFENSES		
Betting/Wagering	None	39A
Operating/Promoting/ Assisting Gambling	3901–3902; 3904–3905; 3907; 3915–3916; 3918; 3920–3921	39B
Gambling Equipment Violations	3908–3914	39C
Sports Tampering	3919	39D
HOMICIDE OFFENSES		
Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter	0901–0908; 0911–0912	09A
Negligent Manslaughter	0910	09B

Justifiable Homicide	None	09C
KIDNAPING/ABDUCTION	1001–1009; 1099	100
LARCENY/THEFT OFFENSES		
Pocket-picking	2301	23A
Purse-snatching	2302	23B
Shoplifting	2303	23C
Theft from Building	2308; 2311	23D
From Coin Operated Machine/Device	2307	23E
Theft from Motor Vehicle	2305	23F
Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories	2304; 2407	23G
All Other Larceny	2306; 2309–2310; 2312–2316; 2410	23H
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	2401–2405; 2408; 2412; 2499	240
PORNOGRAPHY/OBSCENE MATERIAL	3700–3706; 3799	370
PROSTITUTION OFFENSES		
Prostitution	4003–4004	40A
Assisting/Promoting Prostitution	4001–4002; 4006; 4099	40B
ROBBERY	1201–1211; 1299	20
SEX OFFENSES, FORCIBLE		
Forcible Rape	1101–1103	11A
Forcible Sodomy	1104–1115	11B
Sexual Assault with an Object	None	11C
Forcible Fondling	3601 (Child)	11D
SEX OFFENSES, NONFORCIBLE		
Incest	3604; 3607	36A
Statutory Rape	1116	36B
STOLEN PROPERTY OFFENSES	2801–2805; 2899	280
WEAPON LAW VIOLATIONS	5201–5214; 5299	520

GROUP "B" OFFENSES:		
BAD CHECKS	2606	90A
CURFEW/LOITERING/VAGRANCY VIOLATIONS	None	90B
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	5310–5311; 5399	90C
DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE	5403–5404	90D
DRUNKENNESS	None	90E
FAMILY OFFENSES, NONVIOLENT	3801–3803; 3806–3808; 3899	90F
LIQUOR LAW VIOLATIONS	4101–4104; 4199	90G
PEEPING TOM	3611	90H
RUNAWAY	None	90I
TRESPASS OF REAL PROPERTY	5707	90J
ALL OTHER OFFENSES	Various	90Z

[1] http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/cius_04/appendices/appendix_07.html

Highlights

Differences between Summary UCR and NIBRS

Summary UCR
- Consists of monthly aggregate crime counts for eight Index crimes
- Records one offense per incident as determined by *hierarchy rule*
- *Hierarchy rule* suppresses counts of lesser offenses in multiple-offense incidents
- Does not distinguish between attempted and completed crimes
- Applies *hotel rule* to burglary
- Records rape of females only
- Collects weapon information for murder, robbery, and aggravated assault
- Provides counts on arrests for the 8 Index crimes and 21 other offenses.

NIBRS
- Consists of individual incident records for the 8 Index crimes and 38 other offenses with details on —
  - Offense
  - Victim
  - Offender
  - Property
- Records each offense occurring in incident
- Distinguishes between attempted and completed crimes
- Expands burglary *hotel rule* to include rental storage facilities
- Records rape of males and females
- Restructures definition of assault
- Collects weapon information for all violent offenses
- Provides details on arrests for the 8 Index crimes and 49 other offenses.

Sources of data discrepancies between Summary UCR and NIBRS

Human error
Misclassifications of —
- Aggravated assault
- Motor vehicle theft
- Larceny

Hierarchy
- Suppression of multiple offenses by *hierarchy rule*

Operational
- Modified offense definitions
- Converting State penal code to FBI crime definitions
- Over-reporting because of State practices
- Recording every possible offense with which offender may be charged

Computer
- Inadequate programming

When comparing data from the same year for the jurisdictions in this study, NIBRS rates differ only slightly from Summary UCR —

- Murder rates are the same
- Rape, robbery, and aggravated assault rates in NIBRS are about 1% higher, on average, than in Summary UCR
- NIBRS burglary rates are lower by an average 0.5%
- NIBRS larceny rates are higher by an average 3.4%
- NIBRS motor vehicle theft rates are higher by an average 4.5%.

http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/bjs/pub/ascii/e