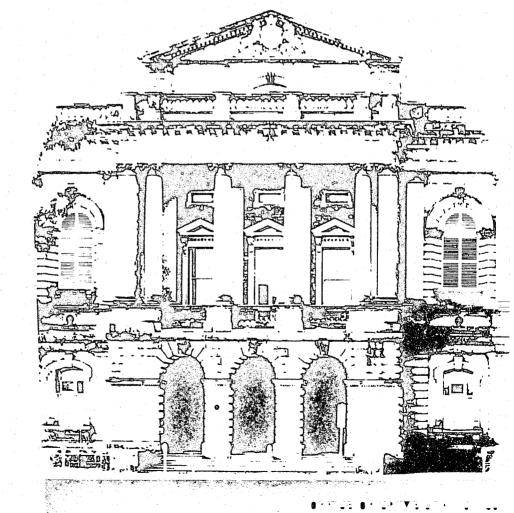
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PREFACE

This is the fourteenth report from the Office of Crime Statistics on proceedings in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction in South Australia. These reports complement the Office's regular summaries of juvenile and Higher Criminal Court appearances and offences reported or becoming known to South Australian Police, and its statistics on the operations of the Correctional Services system (see even-numbered reports in the Crime and Justice series).

The Courts of Summary Jurisdiction collection was implemented on 1 January 1979. For the first six months coverage was limited to the Adelaide Magistrate's Court, but from 1 July 1979 scope was extended to cases heard throughout the State. A list of contributor courts is in Appendix C.

In 1982, the system was comprehensively revised. These changes related to cases heard from 1 July 1982 onward. Among the most important were adoption of an Act and Section system of offence-codes, inclusion of restraint orders under Section 99 of the Justices Act (and breaches of these orders), refinement of case-outcome codes and collection of data on previous similar offences by persons charged with drink-driving or drug offences.

To complement the information in these six-monthly reports, the Office of Crime Statistics also provides a specialised information service for members of the legal profession and researchers. Users generally are charged a fee covering computing costs and labour. Details are available from the Office (10th floor, S.G.I.C. Building, 211 Victoria Square, Adelaide - telephone 237 0110).

It would not be possible to provide statistics from Courts of Summary Jurisdiction without the assistance of numerous individuals. Clerks of Court throughout the State have contributed time and effort to collecting data on cases heard in their courts. Within the Office of Crime Statistics, David Burton was responsible for day-to-day management of the system and Valija Kalnins assisted in monitoring the quality of input forms received. The Office's Statistician Adrian Barnett, and Project Officer Julie Gardner undertook the computer analysis of data. Lesley Giles typed the report and the Word Processing section of the Attorney-General's Department provided assistance with the tables. Clerical officers from the South Australian Police Department coded all information on the backgrounds of defendants.

SUMMARY

- During the final six months of 1985, Criminal Courts of Summary Jurisdiction dealt with 13,101 appearances by defendants facing charges which fell within the scope of the Office of Crime Statistics' collection. This was 5.7% lower than the preceding six months, and 10.6% fewer than the same period in 1984.
- . Main trends in appearances compared to the prior six months were a fall by 27% in the number of drug offences heard and an increase by 45.6% in cases involving larceny (other than shop theft).
- Young males aged between 18 and 24 years accounted for 42.3% of all defendants appearing before Courts of Summary Jurisdiction. Defendants charged with shop theft, sexual offences or issued with restraint orders were older than other groups of defendants.
- The rate of appearances per 1,000 unemployed people was 110.2 during the six months July - December 1985, whereas the rate for employed people was 10.9. Country regions had higher rates of appearances (15.5 per 1,000 adult population) than metropolitan regions (13.5 per 1,000 adult population).
- Although the majority of defendants (65.1%) had some legal representation, two thirds of those whose cases required only one hearing were not represented.

PART 1 - OVERVIEW

Introduction

This report provides a statistical overview of criminal matters dealt with in South Australian Criminal Courts of Summary Jurisdiction during the final six months of 1985. Each year, these Summary Courts hear more than 100,000 cases. Because of resource constraints, the Office of Crime Statistics' collection is limited only to a selected range. Relatively minor cases involving such charges as breaches of local authority by-laws and lesser traffic offences have been excluded. Appendix B lists the more significant Acts not included in statistics.

The report also does not extend to matters involving persons under eighteen years of age, whose charges generally are heard and disposed of before Children's Courts or Children's Aid Panels. Statistics on these cases are contained in other Crime and Justice reports (the 'blue' series).

The following pages contain a brief overview of the main trends to emerge in the six months 1 July - 31 December 1985. Detailed tables on these cases are in Part 2. Before analysing these figures it is important to be aware of some background points about court statistics.

Understanding Court Statistics

A key to understanding court statistics is the distinction between court and police figures, and of the phenomenon of unreported crime. Court figures - such as those in this report - count numbers of appearances by alleged offenders who have been arrested or summonsed to answer some charge. Police figures, on the other hand, count the actual number of offences reported or which police themselves have detected. Police figures do not always accurately reflect the incidence of crime. For a variety of reasons - for example the fact that offender and victim were close relatives or friends, or the crime itself was considered trivial, or there was no obvious victim - many crimes do not come to the attention of police. Court figures are even less likely to reflect crime rates because not all offences result in an arrest, or if a person is charged he or she may be dealt with simultaneously for several offences. In addition, times elapsed between the commission of an offence and the final court appearance by a defendant are not always consistent, so it is not possible to argue that court appearances relate to crimes committed during a specific Rather than being used as evidence of crime rates, court statistics should be seen as indicators of the way the criminal justice system functions, the characteristics of persons being arrested and the penalties being imposed for various types of offences.

Accuracy and Completeness of the Collection

Every effort is made to ensure that the Courts of Summary Jurisdiction collection is accurate and complete, but caution should be exercised in interpreting some data items — in particular those relating to the backgrounds of individuals appearing. These are based on items in the Police Department's apprehension reports and criminal history files. It is possible that on occasions, persons arrested may give misleading information. Moreover, where the South Australian Police Department did not lay the initial complaint, or where there was no finding of guilty, data on the characteristics of the defendant could not always be recorded. As mentioned earlier, not all criminal offences result in court appearances. Some segments of society, because of their lifestyle and lack of resources, are more vulnerable to prosecution for their offences.

Trends in Appearances

Between 1 July and 31 December 1985, there were 13,101 appearances by defendants facing charges which fell within the scope of the Office's Courts of Summary Jurisdiction statistical collection. This figure represents a decline of 5.7% from the previous six months and a 10.6% decrease in appearances when compared with the same period in 1984.

The main contributor to this decline was a fall by 27% in the number of drug offences heard during the last half of 1985 (see Table 1, opposite page). It is likely that the number of drug cases will further decline when 'on-the-spot' fines for the possession or use of small amounts of cannabis are introduced in April 1987. During the current reporting period the majority (78.8%) of drug cases involved either possession of Indian Hemp or instruments for its use, with only a few defendants being charged with possession of heroin or other drugs. If current trends are maintained, approximately four out of every five people currently charged with a drug offence will be diverted from Courts of Summary Jurisdiction.

Although there was an overall downturn in the number of court appearances in the six months July to December 1985, the number of cases finalised relating to larceny offences (other than shop theft) and restraint orders increased (by 45.6% and 23.3% respectively).

Driving offences comprised the largest single category of cases heard in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction. Nearly one in every four cases heard during the current reporting period related to either drink/driving, driving in a manner dangerous or driving while disqualified. Serious offences such as robbery or sexual offences comprised only a small proportion of total cases heard (.5% and .6% of total cases respectively).

TABLE 1 COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION APPEARANCES BY MAJOR CHARGE

1 JULY - 31 DECEMBER, 1985

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Major Charge Type	Number of Appearances	% of Total Appearances	% Increase or Decrease When Compared With Jan.—June 1985
Offences Against the Person	1030	7.9	- 9.1
Robbery and Extortion	62	0.5	N/A*
Sexual Offences	82	0.6	N/A*
Drug Offences	1485	11.3	- 27.1
Fraud and Deception	508	3.9	- 8.5
Break and Enter	378	2.9	- 13.9
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	236	1.8	- 12.3
Shop Theft	1200	9.2	- 12.7
Other Larceny	792	6.0	+ 45.6
Unlawful Possession of Property	341	2.6	- 3.7
Driving Offences	3147	24.0	- 5.9
Unlawful Possession of Guns or Explosives	180	1.4	+ 10.4
Damage Property	511	3.9	+ 14.0
Other Minor Street Offences	1313	10.0	- 10.7
Offences Against Order	683	5.2	-
Restraint Orders Issued or Breached	1052	8.0	+ 23.3
Other Offences	101	0.8	- 5.6
TOTAL	13101	100.0	- 5.7

st N/A signifies that there were too few appearances in a category to warrant calculating percentage increases or decreases.

Case Outcomes and Penalties

Tables 2.1 through to 2.35 contain statistics on case outcomes penalties for each type of major charge. Details on the methods used in compiling these tables are in the appendix to this report. The majority (81.5%) of people appearing before a Court of Summary Jurisdiction were found quilty of either the major offence charged or a lesser offence. The remainder were either committed to a higher criminal court for trial or sentence (2.7%) or the case was dismissed Less than one percent of defendants were or withdrawn (15.5%)*. acquitted of their major charge (.1%). Fines comprised just over half (52.0%) the penalties imposed for all offences during the six months July to December 1985. These ranged in value from \$5 to \$4,300 (the later was for a customs offence). The average (mean) fine of \$141 was \$25 more than the preceding six months. A suspension of a driver's licence was the next most commonly imposed sanction (26.7%): a pattern consistent with the high proportion of driving offences among total offences. Type of penalty varied, however, according to the offence convicted. For example, 31.1% of people convicted with break and enter offences were imprisoned, six times the average rate of imprisonment (5.5%). Nearly all drug offenders (94.6%) received a fine.

Background of Defendants

Tables 2.36 to 2.43 contain details on the backgrounds of defendants. The average (mean) age of all defendants was 28.9 years. The average age for males was 28.2 years while female defendants were slightly older with an average age of 31.6 years. Young males aged between eighteen and twenty-four years had by far the highest rate of appearances before Courts of Summary Jurisdiction. This group alone accounted for 42.3% of all defendants. Males were also far more likely to appear than a female. While the rate of appearances per 1,000 adult males was 18.9, for females the rate per 1,000 was only 3.9. Over a third (37.8%) of the males charged with break and enter offences were aged nineteen years or less, even though only 20.2% of all male defendants were in this age group. While 12.8% of male defendants were aged over forty years, 41.7% of males charged with shop theft were in this older age bracket. Males charged with sexual offences or issued with restraint orders also tended to be older than other defendants. The average age of these defendants was thirty-two years, and nearly a quarter of the males in these offence groups were aged forty or more. It should be noted however, that the age of the recipient was unknown for a high percentage of restraint orders. Female shoplifters, like their male counterparts, also tended to be older than other Summary Court defendants. The average age of females charged with shop theft was 38.3 years, and 25.7% were aged over fifty. Females charged with drug offences have an average age of twenty-five years with 57.2% being aged between eighteen and twenty-four. While a high percentage of defendants (45.7%) were employed, the unemployed were overrepresented.

^{*} If the charge was for an indictable offence the case may have been brought back to court after dismissal when more evidence had been gathered.

The rate of appearances per 1,000 for employed people was 10.9, whereas the rate for per 1,000 for unemployed people as 110.2. Other background details on defendants include marital status (62.8% never married), birthplace (53.1% born in South Australia), and normal place of residence. The metropolitan areas of Hindmarsh and Elizabeth had the highest rate per 1,000 of defendants (29.6 and 27.3 respectively), while Brighton and Mitcham had the lowest rates (6.2 and 6.5 per 1,000 respectively). Country regions generally had higher rates of appearances than metropolitan regions (15.5 compared with 13.5).

Previous Convictions

Table 2.44 contains figures on the defendant's number of previous convictions (if any) and whether they had served a prison sentence prior to their current court appearance. Although a high proportion of defendants (43.6%) had no prior convictions, 17.9% had previously been imprisoned. Defendants charged with break and enter were most likely to have been imprisoned (40.2%), while those issued with restraint orders or charged with shop theft had the lowest proportions (2.5% and 9% respectively).

The Court Process

Tables 2.45 to 2.47 examine details of the court process, such as bail, legal representation and plea entered. Very few defendants appearing between July and December 1985 had been in custody (5.5%) prior to their final hearing in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction. Although 65.1% of defendants had some legal representation at their final court appearance, two thirds of those whose cases required only one hearing were not legally represented. Most defendants (72.6%) pleaded guilty at their final court appearance and only 3.5% entered not guilty pleas.

PART 2 - STATISTICS

TABLE 2.1 ALL OFFENCE CATEGORIES

		Conv	icted							T	OTAL.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Amber	Percentage
Offences Against The Person	58	491	18	70	3	4	40(3)	344	2	1030	7.9
Robbery and Extortion	34	1	_	_	-	-	_	26	1	62	0.5
Sexual Offences	49	-,	-	- 1	1	-	· · ·	32(1)	-	82	0.6
Drug Offences	105	1062	28	76(3)	. 35	-	29(2)	149(30)	1	1485	11.3
Fraud and Deception	- 33	318	22	45	-	1	- 17	72	-	508	3.9
Break and Enter	19	239	7	17	8	_	4(2)	84(6)	_	378	2.9
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle		172	8.	17	-		34	. 5	-	236	1.8
Shop Theft	6	740	24	- 248	_	3	17	161	1	1200	9.2
Other Larceny	10	543	24	81(2)	11	1	5(1)	117(7)	-	792	6.0
Unlawful Possession of Property	14	178	10	13(1)	3	1	66(1)	55(1)	ı	341	2,6
Driving Offences		2851	14	36(1)	84	4	141(77)	13(6)	4 .	31.47	24.0
Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	- "	132	- 8 .	9(1)	4	-	24(3)	3	·	1.60	1.4
Damage Property	12	315	39	33(3)	18	1	71(14)	21(1)	1.	511	3,9
Minor Street Offences	-	1167	39	39	7	1	48(6)	12(1)	-	1313	10.0
Offences Against Order	- 6	448	33	35(13)	62	1	70(47)	27(2)	1	683	5.2
Restraint Orders, Breaches	-	51	17	655	_	-	241	87	1	1052	8.0
Other Offences	2	66	2	5			10	16		101	8,0
TOTAL	348	8774	293	1379	236	17	817	1224	13	13101	
Percentage	2.7	67.0	2.2	10,5	, 1, 8	0.1	6.2	9.3	0.1		100.0

^{*} Numbers in brackets denote additional cases where defendant was not convicted of major charge, but convicted of a lesser charge. These cases also appear in the 'Guilty of Lesser' outcome column.

⁺ For ease of presentation, Restraint Orders Imposed are grouped in this table with criminal charges which had a 'Guilty Without Conviction' outcome.

STATISTICS: COURTS OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION, 1 JULY - 31 DECEMBER, 1985 COURT OUTCOME AND MAJOR OFFENCE CHARGED*

TABLE 2.2 OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON

		Cons	ricted		, ,						IIAL.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Quilty . Without Conviction	Quilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Amber	Percentage
									·		l <u></u>
Murder	5		'	-		-		1	·	6	0.6
Attempted Murder	11	- .	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	14	1.4
Manslaughter	1	-	-	-	-	-		3	. –	4	0.4
Cause Death by Driving	4	_	-		· -		1	1	1	7	0.7
Assault, Major	21	74	2	2	- ,	3	5	52	·	159	15.4
Assault Police	-	63		4.	3	_	2(3)	3	-	75	7.3
Assault, Common		-									
- On Female	2	130	7	17	-		15	131	- 1	302	29.3
- On Male	9	215		47	-	. 1	16	147	1.	445	43.2
Assault With Intent	-	٠ ــ	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	0.2
Abduction	-	-	-	· -	- · -	· <u>-</u>	. - .	-		0	0.0
Other Offences	5	9	-	-		. -	1	1	-	16	1.6
TOTAL	58	491	18	70	3	. 4	40	344	2	1030	
Percentage	5.6	47.7	1.7	6,8	. 0.3	0.4	3.9	33.4	0.2		100.0

^{*} Numbers in brackets denote additional cases where defendant was not convicted of major charge, but convicted of a lesser charge.

These cases also appear in the 'Guilty of Lesser' outcome column.

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STATISTICS:----COURTS OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION, 1 JULY - 31 DECEMBER, 1985 COURT OUTCOME AND MAJOR OFFENCE CHARGED

TABLE 2.3 ROBBERY AND EXTORTION

		Conv	icted				-			760	TAL
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Robbery With Major Assault	27	_	-	· <u>-</u>		- .	-	17	_	44	71.0
Assault, Intent to Rob	2	1		. -	. .	_	-	-	· - ·	3	4.8
Kidnapping	5		<u>-</u>	**	-	-	· <u>-</u>	. 8	. 1	14	22.6
Other Offences		. - .	-	<u>-</u>	-	<u>-</u> "	-	1		1	1.6
TOTAL	34	1	0	0	0	0	0	26 ¹	1	62	
Percentage	54.8	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	41.9	1.6		100.0

TABLE 2.4 SEXUAL OFFENCES

		Conv	icted								Mai,
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Rape of Female	12		-	_	1	-	_	19(1)	-	32	39.0
Rape of Male	. <u>-</u>	-	-	-			.		<u>-</u>	0	0.0
Attempted Rape of Female	-	-	-	-	-	. - ,	<u>.</u>	1	-	1	1.2
Attempted Rape of Male	1	_ "	 '	·	-	. <u>.</u>	-	1		2	2.4
Unlawful Sexual Intercourse		•	* 4								
- With Female	- 6		-	-		· -		_	-	6	7.3
- With Male	3	-			-	-	-	-		. 3	3.7
Indecent Assault of Female	20	· <u>-</u> .	=	_	_	-	· · · · -	7	-	27	32.9
Indecent Assault of Male	4	-	- .	· -	-	-	· -	. 3	-	7	8.5
Gross Indecency	э	-	-	_	· -	- .	.	1	-	4	4.9
Other Offences	-	-	<u>.</u>	-	-	-	-	0.	0.0
TOTAL	49.	C	0	0	1	0	. 0 .	322	0	82	
Percentage	59.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.0	0.0	39.0	0.0		100.0

^{*} Numbers in brackets denote additional cases where defendant was not convicted of major charge, but convicted of a lesser charge.

These cases also appear in the 'Guilty of Lesser' outcome column.

DRUG OFFENCES

		Corr	victed						1 1	7	UZAL
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Quilty Without Conviction	Cuilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Hajor Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Hajor Cherge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Mmber	Percentage
Heroin											
- Import, Possess Imports	5 -	. 7	2	\ · _			_	. 7	- 1	21.	1.4
- Sell Offences	5	_	_		. 2		-	3(2)	- 1	10	0.7
- Use Offences	 	10	_	-	-	-		6		16	1.1
- Other Offences	-	-	-		. 1	. -	_	2(1)	-	3	0.2
Cocaine											
- Use Offences	-	-	-	-		= .	-	_	- 1	0	0.0
- Other Offences		-	· -	-	-	-	-	_		0	0.0
Amphetamines			_	-443		-		. 8	_	32	2.2
- Use Offences	3	16	2	2(1)	1	_	_	4(2)		6	0.4
- Other Offences	-	-		-	2	- -		4(2)			0.4
Hashish	-										
- Use Offences	-	6	-	2	-	· -	1	1	- 1	10	0.7
- Other Offences	1	2	· •		- ,	-	-	7	-	. 4	0.3
Indian Herp											
- Import, Possess Imports	-	-	- "	-	·	-	-	1	-	1	0.1
- Sell Offences	33	1	_	\	9	_	3	8(9)	- 1	54	3.6
- Cultivate	23	-	-	· · · - ·	. 13	_	-(2)	18(11)	-	54	3.6
- Use, Possess	26	789	13	40		-	9	45	1	923	62.2
- Possess Instruments	2	154	8	30(2)	5	-	11	37(3)	- '	247	16.6
Other Drugs	=			}							
- Import, Possess Imports	-	1	-	-	·		-	2	-	3	0,2
- Sell Offences	2	-	-	-	- 1	. –	-	2(1)	-	5	0.3
- Manufacture	4	1	_	-		-	1	-	-	6	0:4
- Use Offences	_	. 73	3	2	-	-	4	2	-	84	5.7
- Forge, Utter Prescription	1	2	<u>-</u>	-	. 1	-	-	2(1)	-	6	0.4
							·	·			
DOTAL	105	1062	28	76	35	0	29	149	1	1485	
Percentage	7.1	71.5	1.9	5.1	2.4	0.0	2.0	10.0	0.1		100.0

^{*} Numbers in brackets denote additional cases where defendant was not convicted of major charge, but convicted of a lesser charge. These cases also appear in the 'Guilty of Lesser' outcome column.

STATISTICS: COURTS OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION, 1 JULY - 31 DECEMBER 1985 COURT OUTCOME AND MAJOR OFFENCE CHARGED

TABLE 2.6 FRAUD AND DECEPTION

		Convi	cted							n	ITAL.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Forge and Utter	6	<u>-</u>			_	<u>-</u>	-	7	· <u>-</u>	13	2.6
Conspire to Defraud		·	- _		_	- :		· · · · · -	-	0	0.0
Embezzlement as a Servant	1.	12	-	-	· .	_	·	. з	_	16	3.1
Falsification of Accounts	. 1	-	-	-		-	-	_	-	1	0.2
Larceny as a Servant	5	36	1	. g	- ,	_	3	3	-	57	11.2
Fraud Offences	3	13	1	-	<u>-</u>	_	1	 5		23	4.5
False Pretences	8	185	16	35	_	1	9	42	-	298	58.3
False Statement											
- Unemployment Benefits	2	36	3	-	. -	-	1	1	_	43	8.4
- Other Benefit	4	_ 10	1	-	-	-	3	1	-	19	3.7
Other Offences	3	26	-	1	· <u>-</u> ·	-	-	10	-	60	7.9
TOTAL.	33	318	22	45	0	1	17	72.	0	508	
Percentage	6.5	62.6	4.3	8.9	0.0	0.2	3.3	14.2	0.0		100.0

TABLE 2.7 BREAK AND ENTER

-			Conv	icted	-						10	TAI.
	Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Merber	Percentage
	Burglary	1	-	_	-		- .	_	3	_	4 "	1.1
	Break and Enter Dwelling	7	79	1	- 3 ··	2		1(1)	30(1)	-	123	32.5
	Break and Enter Dwelling With Intent	2	6	· 🕳 .		, -	-		8	. 	16	4.2
	Break and Enter Other	4	108	2 -	- 10	<u>-</u>	-	1	28	- -	. 153	40.5
	Break and Enter Other With Intent	, 3	42	· 2	4	- -	_	1	9	- .	61	16.1
-	Possess Break and Enter Implements	2	4	- 2	·	6	-	1(1)	6(5)		21	5.6
	TOTAL	19	239	7	17	8	0	4	84	O	378	
	Percentage	5.0 -	63.2	1.9	4.5	2.1	0.0	1.1	22.2	0.0		100.0

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TABLE 2.8

UNLAWFUL USE, THEFT OF VEHICLE

		Conv	icted		2 434 - 5 3 2 - 444		16.4			70	ITAL
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
larceny of Motor Vehicle	-	-		-	-	-	-	_	-	· o ·	0.0
Unlawful Use of Motor Vehicle		137	7	12		- "	20	. 4 .	_	180	76.3
Intefere With Motor Vehicle	_	35	1	5	<u>-</u>	· -	14	1	-	56	23.7
IUTAL	0	172	8	. 17	O	0	34	5	0	235	
Percentage	0.0	72.9	3,4	7.2	0.0	0.0	14.4	2.1	0.0		100.0

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TABLE 2.9

SHOP THEFT

		Conv	icted							30	JIAL
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Mmber	Percentage
Shop Theft	6	740	24	248	<u>-</u> .	3	17	161	1	1200	100.0
TOTAL.	6	740	24	248	0	3	17	161	1	1200	
Percentage	0.5	61.7	2.0	20,7	0.0	0.3	1.4	13.4	0.1		100.0

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TABLE 2.10

OTHER LARCENY

ſ			Conv	icted							77	ЛAL
	Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Quilty Without Conviction	Guilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
	Other Theft Offences	10	543	24	81(2)	10	1	5(1)	117(7)		792	100.0
ţ	TOTAL	10	543	24	81	10	1.	5	117	0	752.	
	Percentage	1.3	68.6	3.0	10.2	1.3	0.1	0.6	14.8	0.0		100.0

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TABLE 2.11 UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF PROPERTY

		Conv	ricted				1-			T	OTAL
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Receiving Unlawful Possession of Property	14	70 108	5 5	6(1) 7	2	1 -	3 63(1)	47(1) 8	_ 1	148 193	43.4 56.6
TOTAL	14	178	10	13	3	1 .	66	55	1	341	
Percentage	4.1	52.2	2.9	3.8	0.9	0.3	19.4	16.1	0.3		100.0

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TABLE 2.12 DRIVING OFFENCES

		Conv	ricted							T.	TAL.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Driving Under the Influence	-	443	1	1	56	1	12(53)	-(3)	1	515	16.4
Prescribed Content of Alcohol - Blood Alcohol Level											
08 up to .15	-	815		13	3	1	26(2)	2(1)	1	851	27.4
15 or More	_ -	563	1	11	1		12	-(1)	1	589	18.7
- Unknown Blood Alcohol Level	-	287	-	. 1	, 2	_	10(2)	1	-	301	9.6
Refuse Breath Test	* * <u></u> *	30	-	-	-	<u>-</u>	7	1	-	. 38	1.2
Drive Whilst Disqualified		321	11	3(1)	5	-	25(4)	4		369	11.7
Fail to Stop and Report Accident	-	90	1	2	ĭ	· -	10(1)	1	1	106	3.4
Manner Dangerous	-	302	-	5	16	. 2	39(15)	4(1)	-	368	11.7
				-			· .	·			
TOTAL	0	2851	. 14	36	84	4	141	13	4	3147	
Percentage	. 0,0	90.6	0.4	1.1	2.7	0.1	4.4	0.4	0.1		100.0

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TABLE 2.13 UNLAWFUL USE OR POSSESSION OF GUNS OR EXPLOSIVES

			Conv	icted				,			π	NAL .
	Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Hajor Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Mmber	Percentage
Posses Exp.	ss Dangerous Guns or losives	_	110	7	9(1)	4	_	21(3)	2	- - .	153	85.0
Other	Offences	_	- 22	1	<u>-</u>	-	_	3	. 1		27	15.0
TOTAL		0	132	. 8	9	4	0	24	3	. О "	160	
Percer	ntage	0,0	73.3	4.4	5.0	2.2	0.0	13.3	1.7	0.0		100.0

TABLE 2.14

DAMAGE PROPERTY

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		Conv	ricted			-				7	JIAI.
Major Charge	Command For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Arson	8			_	_	· -	-	2	_	10	2.0
Malicious Damage	3	. 6	1	-	_		2	. 6	-	18	3.5
Wilful Damage of Vehicle		30	2	7(1)	1	<u>-</u> -		3		48	9.4
Wilful Damage (Other)		273	36	25(2)	17	1.	64(14)	9(1)	1	425	83.4
Other Offences	1	6	. = .	- 1 _	_	- - ,	-	1	-	- 9	1.8
TOTAL.	12	315	39	33	18	1	71	21	1	511	-
Percentage	2.3	61.6	7.6	6.5	3.5	0.2	13.9	4.1	0.2		100.0

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TABLE 2.15 MINOR STREET OFFENCES

			Conv	icted							71	HAL
	Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Hajor Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Mimber	Percentage
	Indecent Behaviour	_	28	-	4	1	1	5(1)	-	-	39	3.0
	Disorderly Behaviour	-	374	26	21	5	-	21(4)	5(1)	-	452	34.4
	Offensive or Indecent Language	·	370	7	9	1	-	15(1)	. 4	. <u>.</u> –	406	30.9
	Urinate in Public Place		190	1	-	- '	* <u>-</u> -	- - .		-	191	14.5
	Loitering		188	5	4		. -	. 7		-	208	15.7
	Other Offences	-	17	="	<u>1</u>	n .	- -		1		19	1.4
	TOTAL	o	1167	39	39	. 7	1	48	12	0	1313	-
- 1	Percentage	0.0	88.9	3.0	3.0	0.5	0.1	3.7	0.9	0.0		100.0

^{*} Numbers in brackets denote additional cases where defendant was not convicted of major charge, but convicted of a lesser charge.

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TABLE 2.16 OFFENCES AGAINST ORDER

-		Conv	icted								MAI.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Quilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Escape Prison Offences	-	8	1	_	1	-	-(1)	2	- -	12	1.8
Resist Arrest	-	204	6	9(10)	45	-	21(33)	8(2)	-	363	42.9
 Hinder Police	_	101	4	6(2)	10	1	7(8)	3		132	19.3
Refuse Name to Police		51	14	8(1)	5	-	16(4)	5		99	14.5
Perjury and Bribery		3	-	-	· -		· ·	. 4,		7	1.0
Contempt Offences	- .	-	_	_ :	· -	_	- -	_	-	0	0.0
Unlawfully on Premises	_	56	7	10	- 1 .	. - ,	20(1)	1	1	96	14.1
Accessory Before or After the Fact	4	6	· 🕳 -	. 1		-	-	4	_	- 15	2.2
Other Offences	2	19	1	- 1	.	-	6	-		29	4.2
KULAL	. 6	448	33	35	62	1	70	27	. 1	683	
Percentage	0.9	65.6	4.8	5.1	9.1	0.1	10.2	4.0	0.1		100.0

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TABLE 2.17 RESTRAINT ORDERS, BREACHES*

		Conv	icted							3	DIAL.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Order of Restraint										-	
- Assault Female	-	-	- •	361	-	_	112	28	· -	501	47.6
- Other	-	-	-	260			79	39	-	380	35.1
Breach of Order of Restraint		' -									
- Assault Female	-	21	3	28	-	-	25	24	1 .	92	8.7
- Other	-	. 30	14	6	-		25	. 4	-	79	7.5
TIMAL	0	51	17	655	0	0	241	87	1	1052	
Percentage	0.0	4.8	1.6	62.3	0.0	0.0	22.9	8.3	0.1		100.0

^{*} The first two rows in this table refer to applications taken by police or private citizens to impose restraint orders, the second two rows refer to prosecution for breaches of these orders. Applications which were approved by the court (ie. the order was imposed) are shown in the 'Guilty Without Conviction' column. Applications which were withdrawn or rejected by the court are shown in the 'Major Charge Withdrawn' column.

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TABLE 2.18 OTHER OFFENCES

		Conv	icted	-	-					780	FAL.
Major Charge	Committed For Trial Or Sentence	With Penalty	Without Penalty	Guilty Without Conviction	Guilty of Lesser Offence	Acquitted On Major Charge	Major Charge Withdrawn	Major Charge Dismissed	Other (eg.Defendant Died)	Number	Percentage
Prostitution Offences		19	1	1		-	2	·	-	23	22.8
Restricted Publications	,-	5	-	1	-	- ,	. -	_	-	6	5.9
Customs Offences, Non Drugs	- ;	18	1	· 1 ·	-		4	6	-	30	29.7
Listening Device Offences	2	-	· -	.	-	_	-	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· <u>-</u>	2	2.0
Betting Offences	<u> </u>	· 9 -	· · . –	1	-	-	1	-	-	n	10.9
Other Offences	- , .	15	-	1	-	· <u>-</u>	3	10	-	29	28.7
TOTAL	2	- 66	2	5	0	0	10	16	. 0	101	
Percentage	2.0	65.3	2.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	9.9	15.8	0.0		100.0

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TABLE 2.19 ALL OFFENCE CATEGORIES

Major Charge Convicted			Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond	Brind		Luc	z isome	nt (Week	s)		CITAL
Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	λvge.	Max.	Munber	Percentage
Offences Against the Person	19	2	1	259	20	256	800	-	53	6	98	95	1	16.4	88	533	5.7
Robbery and Extortion	-	-	_	1	120	120	120	-	. -		-	-			-	1	· .o ·
Drug Offences	30	2	1	1060	12	- 111	600	- - .	17	2	7	1	. 8	8.0	8	1120	12.0
Fraud and Deception	22	· 2	. .	187	25	270	1500	-	36	12	- 46 -	40	1	30.0	104	345	3.7
Break and Enter	. 8	-	-	28	50	277	600	i	12	, 9	117	79	4	38.7	96	254	2.7
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	9	-	-	46	45	170	400	5		5	53	61	3	19.2	68	187 -	2,0
Shop Theft	24	-		584	5	167	700	-	59	35	46	16	2	15.7	88	764	8.2
Other larceny	24	·		350	15	179	750	2	78	18	44	- 52	. 1	13,9	52	568	6.1
Unlawful Possession of Property	10	1		111	10	221	1000	1	15	3	30	21	2	16,2	48	192	2.1
Driving Offences	14	-	-	216	20	230	750	2471	30	,4	120	102	1	7.6	20	2957	31.8
Unlawful Possession of Guns or Explosives	8	-	-	120	30	110	- 500	-	4	4	2	3	4	12.0	20	141	1.5
Damage Property	39	10	-	258	10	114	750	4	10	8	12	14	2	7.4	24	365	3.8
Minor Street Offences	40		1,	1148	. 5	76	700	1	22	11	14	. 8	1	4.1	8	1245	13.4
Offences Against Order	33	. 1	-	386	10	114	1000	<u>-</u>	10	9	25	21	1	8.8	24	487	5.2
Restraint Orders, Breaches	16	38	-	23	50	133	300		3	3	4	1	1	1.0	ı	88	0.9
Other Offences	2		· - ·	- 65	20	284	4300	-	1	1	-	· <u>-</u>			. 1	69	0.7
TOTAL	200																
TOTAL	298	56	- 3	4842	5	141	4300	2485	358	130	618	514	1	18.4	104	9306	
Percentage	3.2	0.6	.0	52.0			į	25.7	3.8	- 1.4	6.6	5.5			l		100.0

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TABLE 2.20 OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON

	Major Charge			Rising of the		Fine	(\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond Without	Bond With		Ιπ	ac isome	ent (Heek	s)	7	OTAL.
- [Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	Жо.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
	Assault, Major	2	-	-	32	40	340	800	-	6		19	18	12	40.2	88	π	14.4
	Assault Police	-	1 _	-	30	50	190	800	_	5	. 2	24	21	1	9.7	24	83	15.6
	Assault, Common							-										
- 1	- On Female	7	1 -	1	75	20	236	700	_	20	3	14	17	1	6.9	24	1,38	25.9
	- On Male	9	-	-	114	30	274	800		22	1	41	38	2	11.2	36	225	42.2
	Assault With Intent	-	-	. <u>.</u> .	-				-	-	· = ·	· - .					0	.0
	Abduction	1	. - ,	. -	-				-	" ·		-	-				1	0.2
	Other Offences	-	_	-	8	25	96	400	-		-	-	1	88	88.0	-88	9	1.7
	TOTAL.	19	2	1	259	20	256	800	0	53	6	98	95	. 1	16.4	68	533	
	Percentage	3.6	0.4	0,2	48.6				.0 .	9.9	1.1	18.4	17.8					100,0

TABLE 2.21 ROBBERY AND EXTORTION

			Bistos		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond	Bond With		Ing	risome	nt (Week	s)		MAL.
Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Bond Without Supervision	Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	λνge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Robbery with Major Assault	-	· -	-	-		-		. <u>-</u>	_	-	-	-				0	.0
Assault with Intent to Rob	-	· -	· _	. 1	120	120	120	-	-	. .	- -	-				1	100.0
Kidnapping	-		-	-				_	· -	, <u> </u>		-			-	0	0
Other Offences	-	-	-	-					-	-	-	-			-	.0	-0
TOTAL	0	0	0	1	120	120	120	0	ø	0	O	0				1	
Percentage	.0	.0	.0	100.0				.0	.0	.0	.0	.0					100.0

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TABLE 2.22 DRUG OFFENCES

			Bining		Fine	(\$)		Summeton	Road	Bond		Ing	risome	nt (Week	s)		THAL
Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Hax.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Bond Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Heroin			<u></u>		!					1	<u> </u>		L,				
- Import, Possess Imports	2			5	200	390	600	_	,	_	_	١,	. 8	8.0	a	,	0.8
	2	_	_	8	75	147	250			_	5		ŭ	5.0		13	1.2
- Use Offences) °	15	141	230	_	_	-						_	
Amphetamines																	
- Use Offences	2	· -	-	15	50	162	500	-	1		1					19	1.7
															-		
Hash1sh				١.												_	0.5
- Use Offences	-	-	· -	6	80	1.30	200	_	-	_	-	. –			- 1	b.	0.2
- Other Offences	-	-	-	2	80	290	500	-	- .		-	_				2	U.2
Indian Heap																	Ī
- Sell Offences	_	-	-	1	80	80	80	_	· _	-	-	-				1	0.1
- Use, Possess Offences	15	1	1	796	20	109	500	_	9	-	-	-				822	73.4
- Possess Instruments	8	1	_	153	12	98	500		5	i	-	-				168	15.0
												-			ľ		1
Other Drugs				1													
- Import, Possess Import		· • .		1	200	200	200	_	-	-	- ·	-				1	0.1
Manufacture	-	-	-	1	150	150	150	-	-	-	-	-				. 1	0.1
- Use Offences	3	-	-	71	25	127	400	-	1	1 .	-	-				76	6.8
- Forge, Utter Prescription	-	-	- "	1.	250	250	250	-	. -	-	1	-			-	2	0,2
NHAL:	30	2	1 -	1060	12	111	600	0	17	T	7	1	8	8.0	. 8	1120	
Percentage	2.7	0.2	0.1	94.6				.0	1.5	0.2	0.6	0.1					100.0

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TABLE 2.23 FRAUD AND DECEPTION

Matur Charre			Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Pond	Bond		Imp	risonner	nt (Weeks	s)	,	TUTAL.
Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Bond Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	λvge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Forge and Utter	-	_	_	-				_	_	_	-	-				0	.0
Conspiracy to Defraud		- - -	-	-				-	-	- · ·	• •	-				0	.0
Embezzlement as a Servant	-	-	-	5	200	620	1500		2	, –	4	1	78	78.0	78	12	3.5
Falsification of Accounts	_		-	-				-	. -	-	-	-				0.	.0
larceny as a Servant	1	-	· <u>-</u> -	25	40	344	1000	-	3	1	7	-				37	10.7
Fraud Offences	1	-	-	6	25	108	150	-	3	-	. 5					15	4,3
False Pretences	16	1	-	101	25	212	1000	_	21	8	27	31	4	34.3	104	205	59.4
False Statement																	
- Unemployment Benefits	3	-	-	28	80	364	800	- "	3	-	2	3	1	5.7	12	39	11.3
- Other Benefit	1	1	-	6	200	470	700	-	_	1	<u>-</u> -	2	1.	2.5	4	11	3.2
Other Offences	-	-		16	50	226	500	-	4	2	. 1	3	. 4	13.3	24	25	7.5
TOTAL.	22	2	0	167	25	270	1500	0	36	12	46	40	1	30.0	104	345	
Percentage	6.4	0.6	.0	54.2				.0	10.4	3.5	13.3	11.6					100.0

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TABLE 2.24 BREAK AND ENTER

	Major Charge Convicted			Rising of the	-	Fine	(\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond Without	Bond With		Imp	risonne	ent (Week	s)		HAL
	Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Supervision	Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	λvge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
-	Break and Enter Dwelling	1	-	_	.5	100	270	500	-	4	1	32	37	- 4	36.8	96	80	31.5
	Break and Enter Dwelling With Intent			-	1	500	500	500	-	. 1	- · ·	з	. 2	56	62.0	68	7	2.8
	Break and Enter Other	2			11	50	242	500	1	. 5	. 7	59	31	12	38.7	90	116	45.7
	Break and Enter Other With Intent	3	-	- i	8	50	319	600	- <u>-</u> .	. 1	1	23	9	16	41.2	60	45	17.7
	Possess Break and Enter Implements	2	· -	- 1	3	100	233	400	- .	1	-	-	_				. e -	2.4
	Other Offences	-	_						-	-	-	- 1	-				0	*0.
	TOTAL	8	. 0	. 0	28	50	271	600	ı	12	9	117	79	. 4	33.7	96	254	
	Percentage	3.1	.0	.0	11.0				0.4	4.7	3.5	46,1	31.1					100.0

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TABLE 2.25

UNLAWFUL USE, THEFT OF VEHICLE

	Mailor Charms		_	Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond	Bond With		Is	prisome	nt (Weel	us)		TUTAL
	Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min,	Avge.	Max.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	With Supervision	Suspended Imprisorment	No.	Min.	λvye.	Max.	Amber	Percentage
	Larceny of Motor Vehicle	_	-	_	_	-					-	- -	_				. 0	.0
	Unlawful Use of Motor Vehicle	7	- -	-	28	50	184	400	3	5	4	45	55	3	18.9	88	147	78.6
	Interfere With Motor Vehicle	- 2 ·		-	18	45	149	350	2	3	- 1	8	6	4	21.5	88	40	21.4
1	Other Offences	-	-		-				· -	· = = = ;	. .	-	-				0	.0
ſ	TOTAL	9	0	0	4 5	45	170	600	5	. 8	5	53	61	3	19.2	63	187	
. [Percentage	4.8	.0	٠0	24.6				2.7	4.3	2.7	28.3	32.6					100.0

TABLE 2.26

SHOP THEFT

Major Charge Convicted			Rising of the		Fine	: (\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond Without	Bond With		Im	prisone	ent (Wee)	:5)	7	DEAL
Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Shop Theft	24	_	-	584	5	167	700	-	59	35	46	16	2	15,7	88	764	100.0
TOTAL	24	0	0	584	- 5	167	700	0	59	35	45	15	2	15.7	25	764	
Percentage	3.1	.0	.0	76.4				.0	7.7	4.5	6.0	2.1					100.0

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TABLE 2.27 OTHER LARCENY

Mator Charge			Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Band	Bond		Ing	risome	nt (Week	ıs)	7	CITAL.
Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	λvge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Bond Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Other Theft Offences	24	-	1	350	15	179	750	. 2	78	18	44	52	1	13.9	52	568	100.0
TOTAL	24	0	0	350	15	179	750	2	78	18	44	52	1	13.9	52	568	
Percentage	4.2	.0	.0	61.6				0.4	13.7	3,2	7.7	9.2					100.0

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TABLE 2.28 UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF PROPERTY

	Hajor Charge Convicted			Rising of the		Fine	(\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond	Bond		Im	prisonne	nt (Week	s)	:	DOTAL.
-	Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	of Driver's licence	Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Amber	Percentage
-	Receiving	5	-	-	46	50	280	1000	·	5	1	13	8	6	25.5	48	78	40,6
-	Unlawful Possession of Property	5	1	-	65	10	179	750	1	10	2	17	13	2	10.5	48	114	59.4
	Other Offences		· -		-				-	-	_	-	-				0	.0
	TOTAL	10	1	0	111	10	221	1000	1	15	3	. 30	21	2	16.2	43	192	
	Percentage	5,2	0.5	.0	57.8				0.5	7.8	1.6	15.6	10.9					100.0

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TABLE 2.29 DRIVING OFFENCES

Mator Charge	-		Rising of the		Fine	(\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond	Bond With		Im	prisome	nt (Week	s)		TOTAL
Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Driving Under the Influence (D.U.I.)	1	_	-	18	75	455	650	406	4	-	7	12	4	10.8	16	448	15.2
Prescribed Content of Alcohol				-				•			_				-		
08 to .15	-	-		22	4D	325	450	81.3	2	-	- ,	-				537	28.3
15 or more	1	_	-	6	400	443	600	579	6	-	-	_				592	20.0
- Unknown Blood Alcohol Level		-	-	14	60	308	500	289	2	-	-	_			į	305	10.3
Refuse Breath Test		-	-	1	500	500	500	32	, 2	<u>-</u> _	-	1	3	3.0	3	36	1.2
Drive Whilst Disqualified	11	-	-	57	50	268	750	53	10	4	112	87	1	7.4	20	334	11.3
Fail to Stop and Report Accident	" 1		₋	84	20	89	200	B	_	~ ~	- 1	1	2	2.0	2	95	3.2
Manner Dangerous	_		- ,	14	100	299	460	291	Ā	-		1	4	4.0	4	310	10.5
Other Offences	-	-	-	_				· -	_		-	-		**		⁻ 0	.0
TOTAL	14	0	0	216	20	230	750	2471	30	4	120	102	1	7.6	20	2957	
Percentage	0.5	.0	.0	7.3				83.6	1.0	0.1	4.1	3.4					100.0

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TABLE 2.30 UNLAWFUL USE OR POSSESSION OF GUNS OR EXPLOSIVES

Major Charge Convicted	-		Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond.	Pond		Inf	risome	nt (Week	s)	n	TAL
Cónvicted	No Per=***y	Order	of the Court	No.	Hin.	λVge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Mumber	Percentage
Possess Dangerous Gins or Explosives	7	-	-	99	30	100	500		2	4	2	3	4	12.0	20	117	83.0
Other Offences	1		-	21	30	155	500	<u> </u>	2	-	_					. 24	17.0
TOTAL.	8	0	0	120	30	110	500	0	4	4	2	3	4	12.0	20	141	
Percentage	5.7	0	.0	85.1				.0	2.8	2.8	1.4	2.1		_			100.0

TABLE 2.31 DAMAGE PROPERTY

Major Charge Convirted	-		Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond	Bond		In	prisonne	ent (Wee	ks)		KITAL .
Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge,	Max.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Bond Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Manber	Fercentage
Arson	-	_	-	-				- <u>-</u>	<u>.</u>		_	-				0	.0
Malicious Damage	1	-	-	2	200	350	500	. -	_	-	3	1	24	24.0	24	7	2.0
Wilful Damage			- 1														
- Of Vehicle	2	-	-	24	25	111	300		-	<u> </u>	2	4	4	8.0	16	32	9.0
Other	36	9		228	10	110	500	4	9	7	7	9	2	5.3	8	309	87.0
Other Offences		1		4	20	225	750		1	- 1	<u>-</u>	_				7	2.0
TOTAL	39	10	0	258	10	114	750	4	20	8	12	14	2	7.4	24	355	
Percentage	11.0	2.8	.0	72.7				1.1	2.8	2.3	3.4	3.9		-			100.0

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TABLE 2.32 MINOR STREET OFFENCES

Major Charge Convicted			Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond Without	Bond With		In	pr isome	nt (Heek	s)		KHAL.
Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Hax.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	λvge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Indecent Behaviour	-	_		17	20	106	700	·_ ·	3	2	6	_				28	2.2
Disorderly Behaviour	26	-	1	369	10	97	500	1,	. 5	5	6	5	1	4.2	8	418	33.6
Offensive or Indecent Language	8		- -	373	5	79	300	-	5	1	-	. 3	2	4,0	В	390	31.3
Urinate in Public Place	1 .	-	-	192	5	40	150	-	" <u>-</u> ' ·	.=		-			ļ	133	15.5
loitering	5	_	-	183	5	64	300		. 5	3	2	_				198	15,9
Other Offences	_	-	<u>.</u>	14	30	79	150	-		- -	~ · •					3B	1.4
TOTAL	40	0	1 -	1345	. 5	76	700	1	22	11	14	8	1	4.1	8	1245	
Percentage	3.2	.0	0.1	92.2				0.1	1.8	. 0*8	1.1	0.5					100.0

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TABLE 2.33 OFFENCES AGAINST ORDER

Hajor Charge Convicted			Rising		Fine	(\$)		Suspension of Driver's	Bond Without	Bond With		Im	prisome	nt (Week	3)	7	TAL.
Convicted	No Penalty	Order	Rising of the Court	No.	Min.	Avga.	Hax.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Нах.	Mmber	Percentage
Escape Lawful Custody Offences	1	-		3	- 50	233	500	-	-	_	-	5	4	14.4	24	9	1.8
Resist Arrest	5	. - ,		173	25	114	400	_	3	4"	15	. 8	1	5.4	16	211	43.3
Hinder Police	4	-	-	96	15	107	800		.2	- _	1	2	4	4.0	4	105	21.6
Refuse Name to Police	14	_	· -	51	10	-63	300	_	2	1	-	-				68	14.0
Perjury and Bribery		. -	-	3	200	733	1000	_	-	_	· - 1					3	0.6
Unlawfully on Premises	7	1	-	43	30	116	400		3-	, 1	5	3	4	9.3	16	េ	12.9
Accessory Before or After the Fact	-	-	-	6	90	253	500	7		-	2	-				8	1.6
Other Offences	1	-	-	'n	50	139	400	- -	- .	3	2	3	5	8,7	13	20	4.1
TOTAL	333	1	0	385	10	114	1000	0	10	9	25	21	1	8.8	24	487	
Percentage	6.8	0.2	٥.	79.3				.0	2.1	1.8	5.1	4.3					100.0

TABLE 2.34 RESTRAINT ORDERS, BREACHES

Major Charge			Rising of the		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond	Bond With		In	risome	nt (Week	s) .	п	TAL.
Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	With Supervision	Suspended Imprisonment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Number	Percentage
Breach of Order of Restraint							_	·						-			
- Assault Female	2	38	- 1	-				-	1	-	-	_				41	46.6
- Other	14	-		23	50	133	300	-	2	. 3	4	1	1	1.0	1	47	53.4
TOTAL.	16	38	0	23	50	133	300	Ð	3	3	4	1	1	1.0	1	83	
Percentage	18.2	43.2	.0	26,1				0	3.4	3.4	4.5	1.1					100.0

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TABLE 2.35 OTHER OFFENCES

-	Mator Charge			Rising of the		Fine	(\$)		Suspension	Bond	Bond		In	prisone	ent (Week	5)		CUL
	Major Charge Convicted	No Penalty	Order	of the Court	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Suspension of Driver's Licence	Without Supervision	Bond With Supervision	Suspended Imprisorment	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.	Reber	Percentage
	Prostitution Offences	1	-	-	18	20	91	200		1	1		_	-			21	30.4
١	Restricted Publications				5	100	450	900	-	-	· <u>-</u>	·					5	7.2
	Oustons Offences, Non Drugs	1.		- [18	80	571	4300	_	, · · · <u>-</u> · ·	. .		-				19	27.5
	Betting Offences	-	· <u>-</u>	-	9	100	327	1500		-	-	-	-				9	13.0
	Other Offences	-	··· <u>-</u> -	-	15	. 30	88	200	-	-	-	· 🗕 -) 5	21.7
	TUTAL	2	0	- O	. 65	20	284	4300	Q	l	1	C .	Q				69	
l	Percentage	2.9	.0	.0	94.2				.0	1,4	1.4	.0	.0					100.0

TABLE 2.36 PENALTIES IMPOSED UPON ALL OFFENDERS CONVICTED OF DRIVING WITH MORE THAN THE PRESCRIBED CONTENT OF ALCOHOL (P.C.A.)

Į			Fí	ne				Pice	nce su	pensi	on Whe	n No P	rison :	Senteno	:е							Impris	orment	
	Blood Alcohol Level	TOTAL CONVICTED	Imp	osed				Duj	ration	of Id	cence :	Suspen	sion (i	onths'						Total	<u> </u>	uration	(Weeks)	
			No.	Avge.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7- 9	10- 12	13- 15	16- 18	19 24	25- 36	Over 36	Avge.	Until Further Order	Licence Suspen- sion	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.
	.08 < .10	169	169	340	2	-	58	25	5	44	14	9	6	_	1	_	-	5.4	0	164	-	-	-	
	.10 < .15	646	644	380	-	1	81	80	57	130	146	70	31	14	4	3	3	7.5	. 3	620	_			
j	.15 < .20	370	368	471	-	1	3	2	. - .	65	48	111	53	17	6	34	16	14.7	3	- 356	-			
	.20 < .25	154	152	517	-	í	1	1	-	3	15	30	28	32	15	16	. 4	17,3	. 6	146	. =			
1	.25+	40	40	550	-	_	-	-	-	-	8	2	3	7	7	6	. 4	22.0	2	37	-			
ļ	Unknown	284	282	418	1	0	40	27	15	49	44	- 31	15	13	8	15	1	9.7	5	259	_			
-	TOTAL	1663	1655	419	3	3	183	135	77	291	275	253	136	83	41	74	28	10.5	19	1582	0	-		
	Percentage	100.0	99.5	٠	0.2	0.2	11.0	8,1	4.6	17,5	16.5	15.2	8.2	5.0	2.5	4.4	1.7		1.1	95.1	0			

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TABLE 2.37 PENALTIES IMPOSED UPON OFFENDERS WITH NO PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS FOR DRINK DRIVE CONVICTED OF DRIVING WITH MORE THAN THE PRESCRIBED CONTENT OF ALCOHOL (P.C.A.)

		F	ine				Lice	nce Su	spensi	on Whe	n No I	rison	Senten	ce							Impuis	onnent	
Blood Alcohol Level	TOTAL	Ing	osed				Du	ration	of 14	cence	Susper	sion (Months	١							Duration	(Weeks)	
-		No.	Avge.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7- 9	10- 12	13- 15	16- 18	19- 24	25- 36	Over 36	Avge.	Until Further Order	Total Licence Suspen- sion	No.	Min.	Avge.	Max.
.08 < .10	137	137	324	2	_	51	22	3	46	12	3	_	-		-	_	4.7		133	_			
.10 < .15	504	502	361	-	1	65	73	52	111	128	38	. 5	4	2	. 2	3	6.7	0	484	_			
.15 < .20	258	256	444	-	. 1	"1	1	-	50	39	90	42	13	5	3	3	11.7	1	248				
.20 < .25	101	100	487	~	1	1	-	_	. 3	10	25	22	24	11	3	-	14.8	1	100	-			
.25+	21	21	502		-	-	-	_	_	7	1	1	7	4	1	-	16.0		21	-			
Unknown	200	198	390	-	_	32	24	13	40	36	20	9	8	. 7	3	_	8.1	-	192	-			
MOLVI	1221	1214	392	2	3	150	120	ಟ	244	232	177	79	56	29	12	6	8.6	. 2	1178	0		-	
Percentage	100.0	99.4		0.2	0.2	12,3	9.8	5.6	20.0	19.00	14.5	6.5	4.6	2.4	1.0	0.5		0.2	96.5	0			

AGE SEX AND DEFENCE CHARGED FOR ALL APPEARANCES.

Major Charge					Age of Mal	P.S.				Average Age	ATOTAL OLTAMADHII	WITH N AVALLABLE	Informatio
(Grouped)	Under 18	18 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 ~ 39	40 - 49	50 - 59	60 Plus	(Years)	Number	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	10	125	260	165	- 118:	96	82	31	16	29.5	903	9.8	y.
Robbery and Extortion	-	12	16	. 13	5	1	2	1	_	25.3	- 50	0.5	ı
Sexual Offences	· -	10	13	10	12	9	13	3	. 1,	32.1	n	0.8	1
Drug Offences	4	316	502	265	90	30	25	9	5	24.4	1246	13.5	5
Fraud and Deception	2	34	81	62	63	26	28	18	3	30.2	317	3.4	. 5
Break and Enter	15	- 118	122	60	22	10	2	3		23.1	352	3.8	5
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	3	67	84	29	11.	2	4 .	3	. 1	23.3	204	2.2	13
Shop Theft	0	54	92	67	63	41	52	76	99	39.9	544	5.9	3
Other Larceny	1	161	184	80	40	35	26	23	23	27.6	573	5.2	
Unlawful Possession of Property	2	52	78	. 63	_ 32	. 18	23	δ	5	28.1	279	3.0	5
Driving Offences	4	285	680	440	243	193	228	110	45	29.9	2228	24.1	543
Unlawful Use or Possession of Ouns or Explosives	2	. 60	46	24	18	12	9	" 2 ·	. 1 .	25.6	174	1.9	1
Damage Property	. 2	99	159	81	52	20	25	10	, 3	26.4	455	4.9	4
Minor Street Offences	7	264	408	175	106	65	50	27	11	26.2	1113	12.1	. 8
Offences Against Order	3	134	189	120	56	38	25	13	3	26.3	581	6.3	
Restraint Orders, Breaches	. 3 -	5	16	22	12	9	17	4	·	32.1	89	1.0	847
Other Offences	0	В	4	7	11	7	4.	. 7	2	35.5	50	0.5	3
TOTAL	62	1804	2934	1683	954	612	615	346	219	28.2	9229	-	1457
Percentage	0,7	19.5	31.8	18.2	10.3	6.6	6.7	3,7	2.4			100.0	
Rate per 1,000 of Arult Population**	*	78.6	50.2	29.7	17.6	11.7	8.2	5.1	2.2		18.9		

^{*} Rate of appearances in Courts of Surmary Jurisdiction by persons under 18 not calculated because the majority of juveniles appear before Children's Courts or Children's Aid Panels.

^{***} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics 'Australian Demographic Statistics December 1985', Table 11.

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TABLE 2.38(b) AGE, SEX AND OFFENCE CHARGED FOR ALL APPEARANCES

Major Charge			n	ч .	Age of Fema	iles				Average Age	TOTAL INFORMATIO	WITH N AVAILABLE	Informatio Not Availab
(Grouped)	Under 18	18 - 19	20 - 24	25 – 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 49	50 59	60 Plus	(Years)	Mumber	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	2	14	23	16	13	. 12	10	7	1	30.7	93	5.0	. 6
Robbery and Extortion	-	3	* 4 *	1	1	-	-	-		23.2	9	5	-
Sexual Offences	· · · .	- 1		_	_	-		. 1	· · · <u>-</u>	30.9	z	0.1	1
Drug Offences		40	87	61	23	· ,	3	. 1	-	25.0	222	11.2	2
Fraud and Deception	1	28	48	28	24	13	15	10	-	29.2	167	8.4	3
Break and Enter	_	6	9	- -	-	-	1	=	· -	22.5	16	0.8	-
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	· -	8.	. 1	5	ì	-	-	· .= "		22.6	15	0.8	· -
Shop Theft	. 1	50	113	89	66	76	73	72	90	39,3	630	31.8	7
Other Larceny	-	32	50	35	17	9	23	23	16	33.6	205	10.4	-
Inlawful Possession of Property	1	6	15	- 12	4	2	4	2	2	29.0	46	2.4	-
Driving Offences	1	25	74	. 43	29	24 ·	18	5	1-	28.5	220	11.1	47
Jnlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives		. ,1	1	1	-	-	-			23.6	3	0.2	-
Damage Property	- ,	10	9	8	7	3	2	, -	1	27.2	40	2.0	2
linor Street Offences	1	28	63	42	19	10	10	9	_	27.2	182	9.2	3
Offences Against Order	•••	15	38	16	В	7	4	2	2	27.4	52	4.6	1
Restraint Orders, Breaches		. , 1	1	-	- '	-	· -	-	· _	19.3	2	0.1	101
Other Offences		5	2	4	14	2	1	-		29.2	22	1.4	2
NUTAL Percentage	7 0.4	273 13.8	538 27,2	361 18,2	226 11.4	165 8.3	164 8.3	132 6.7	113 5.7	31.6	1979	100.0	175
	U. 4	13.0	21.2	10.2	11.4	8.3	0.3	D, /	5.1			100.0	
Rate per 1,000 of Abult Population**	*	12.4	9.4	6.5	4.2	3.2	2.2	2.0	0.9		3.9+		

^{*} Rate of appearances in Courts of Surmary Jurisdiction by persons under eighteen not calculated because the majority of juveniles appear before Children's Courts or Children's Aid Panels.

^{***} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics' 'Australian Demographic Statistics December 1985', Table 11. (ABS Catalogue No. 3101.0, released 23 May, 1986)

TABLE 2.38(c) AGE, SEX AND OFFENCE CHARGED FOR ALL APPEARANCES

Major Charge			,		Age of All	Defendants		<u> </u>		Average Age	TOTAL	WITH N AVAILABLE	Information Not Available
(Grouped)	Uncier 18	15 - 19	20 – 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35 - 39	40 - 49	50 59	60 Plus	(lears)	Mumber	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	12	139	283	181	131	108	92	38	17	29.6	1001	8.9	- 29
Robbery and Extortion	-	15	20	. 14	. 6	1	2	1	-	25.0	59	.5	3
Sexual Offences		. 11	13	10	12	9	13	4	1	32.3	73	0.7	9
Drug Offences	4	356	589	326	113	37 -	28	10	5	24.5	1468	13.1	17
Fraud and Deception	3	62	129	90	87	. 39	43	28	3	29,9	484	4.3	24
Break and Enter	15	124	131	60	22	10	3	3	- .	23.1	368	3.3	10
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	3	75	85	34	12	2		. 3	1	23,3	219	2,0	17
Shop Theft	1	104	205	156	129	117	125	148	189	39.0	1174	10.5	26
Other Larceny	1	193	234	115	57	44	49	46	39	29.2	778	6.9	. 14
Unlawful Possession of Property	3	- 58	93	75	36	20	27	8	7	28.2	327	2.9	14
Driving Offences	5	310	754	483	272	217	246	115	47	29,8	2449	21.8	698
Unlawful Use or Possession of Cuns or Explosives	. 2	61	47	25	18	12	9	. 2	1	25,6	177	1.6	3
Damage Property	6	109	168	89	59	23	27	10	4	26,5	495	4.4	16
Minor Street Offences	8	292	471	217	125	75	60	36	11	26.4	1295	11.5	18
Offences Against Order	з -	149	227	136	64	45	29	15	5	26.5	673	6.0	10
Restraint Orders, Breaches	3	6	17	22	12	9	17	. 4	1	31.8	91.	0,8	961
Other Offences	-	13	6	111	25	, 9	10	7	2	33.2	83	0.7	. 18_
TOTAL	69	2077	34772	2044	1180	TTI	784	478	333	28.9	11214		1887
Percentage	0.6	18.5	31.0	18.2	10.5	6,9	7.0	4.3	3.0	<u>.</u>		100.0	
Rate per 1,000 of Adult Population**	*	46.2	29.9	18.2	11.0	7.5	5,2	3.5	1.5		11.2		

^{*} Rate of appearances in Courts of Summary Jurisdiction by persons under 18 not calculated because the majority of juveniles appear before Children's Courts or Children's Aid Panels.

^{**} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics' 'Australian Demographic Statistics December 1985', Table 11. (ABS Catalogue No. 3101.0, released 23 May, 1986)

TABLE 2.39 OFFENCE TYPE AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF DEFENDANT

Major Charge			Occupational	Status	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		INFORMATIO	WITH N AVAILABLE	Information Not Available
(Grouped)	Employed	Unemployed	Pensioner	Student	Home Duties	Self Employed	Number	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	451	370	84	. 13	41	5	964	8.9	66
Robbery and Extortion	16	34	4	2	1	· -	57	0.5	5
Sexual Offences	32	31	3	· -	2	. 1	69	0.6	13
Drug Offences	66	626	67	28	. 52	6	1439	13.3	46
Fraud and Deception	169	183	41	8	52	-	453	4.2	55
Break and Enter	83	237	16	12	4	-	352	3.3	26
mlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	53	144	9	.3	· 1	1	211	1.9	25
hop Theft	333	248	278	42	246	11	11.58	10.7	42
ther larceny	223	332	106	8	80	3	752	6.9	. 40
nlawful Possession of Property	108	157	26	6	14	. 3	314	2.9	27
riving Offences	1632	561	103	41	50	7.	2394	22.1	753
nlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	77	90	4	" 1 ·	. 2	1	175	1.6	5
emage Property	218	217	23	- 11 ,	6	.	475	4.4	36
inor Street Offences	558	518	81	38	33	2	1230	11.4	. 83
ffences Against Order	252	310	42	9	14	2	629	5.8	54
estraint Orders, Breaches	41	28	11	· · · · · ·	1 .	1	82	0.8	970
ther Offences	42	27	5		2	_	76	0.7	25
DTAL	4948	4113	903	222	601	43	10330		2271
ercentage	45.7	38.0	8.3	2.0	5.5	0.4		100.0	
Rate per 1,000 of Adult Population**	10.9	110,2	4.8	3.9	5.4	0.8	12.0		

^{*} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics 1981 Census.

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TABLE 2.40 OFFENCE TYPE AND MARITAL STATUS OF DEFENDANT

Major Charge			Marital St	itus			TOTAL INFORMATIO	L WITH IN AVAILABLE	Information Not Available
(Grouped)	Never Married	Defacto	Married	Permanently Separated	Divorced	Widowed	Minber	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	489	92	211	53	47	8	900	8.8	130
Robbery and Extortion	37	5	. 5 _	3	1	_	51.	0.5	11
Sexual Offences	27	9	18	4	8	1	ត	0.6	. 15
Drug Offences	1058	86	159	63	- 41	. =.	1407	13.8	78
Fraud and Deception	194	26	110	22	23	3	378	3.7	1.30
Break and Enter	269	27	22	6	5	-	329	3,2	. 49
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	172	8	9	6	. 5	··· 2	202	2.0	34
Shop Theft	405	35	515	63	59	57	1134	11.1	56
Other Larceny	437	34	183	33	25	12	724	7.1	68
Unite 11 Possession of property	164	33	72	16	13	2	300	2.9	41
Driving Offences	1390	86	558	104	124	20	2282	22,4	865
Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	129	11	18	7	5 -	- ,	170	1.7	10
Damage Property	310	21	66	33	12	, з	445	4.4	66
Minor Street Offences	838	66	140	22	26	3	1095	10.7	218
Offences Against Order	416	35	83	20	15	1	570	5.6	113
Restraint Orders, Breaches	31	3	21	13	4		. 72	0.7	980
Other Offences	32		21		9	_	64	0.6	37
TOTAL	6398	577	2211	470	422	112	10190		2911
Percentage	62.8	5.7	21.7	4.5	4.1	1.1	-	100.0	
Rate per 1,000 of Achit Population**	3	9.4	3.7	19.3	11.5	1.7	11.2		-,141.27.1.
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^{*} This rate is a combination of the two categories because the Australian Bureau of Statistics' publications do not distinguish between 'Never Married' and 'Defacto'.

^{**} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics' 1981 Census.

Major Charge						State or (Country of B	rth						TOTA	L WITH ON AVAILABLE	
(Grouped)			Australasia		<u></u>			,1	Durope			Asia		INFORMATI	ON AVAILABLE	Information Not Availab
	Aboriginal	South Australia	Interstate	Australia Unspecified	New Zealand	United Kingdom	Germany	Greece	Italy	Yugoslavia	Other Durope	ASIA	Other	Number	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	158	451	123	· 3 .	8_	80	9	16	16	14	65	21	. 6	970	9.0	60
Robbery and Extortion	5	23	, 9	_		9	-	· 1	_	· -	. 4	3	2	56	0.5	. 6
Sexual Offences	6	40	9	- '	1	5	2	2		-	6	1	-	72	0.7	- 10
Drug Offences	34	899	171	13	. 9 ,	166	14	15	25	13	58	14	. 8	1440	13.3	45
raud and Deception	13	234	79.	10	6	49	8	11	9	3	27	7	1	457	4.2	51
Break and Enter	62	197	47	-	2	31	<u> -</u>	1	, 5	. 5	12	4	-	366	3.4	12
nlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	51	100	33	· -	5	. 15	-	~ .	1	1	4	3	· -	213	2.0	23
hop Theft	15	507	159	16	4	102	42	33	42	29	150	46	15	1160	10.7	40
ther larceny	36	406	133	,6	11	85	17	.5	7	7	36	11	2	762	7.0	30
nlawful Possession of Property	21	153	49	3	. 2	33	3	7	13	5	15	8	6	318	2,9	23
riving Offences	121	1388	290	22	19	231	23	. 10	27	41	137	24	21	2354	21.8	793
hlavful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	14	87	28	S	3	13	, 1		3	3	6	4	~	168	1.5	12
amage Property	68	256	66	2	4 .	36	2	2	3	5	19	6	3	472	4.4	39
inor Street Offences	273	604	141	9	. 11	92	8	6	12	. 6	. 39	. 7	10	1218	11.3	95
ffences Against Order	89	323	94	7	7	54	1	. 3	a 4	6	27	10	4	629	5.8	54
estraint Orders, Breaches	3	50	15	7-	3	8		2	2	1	6	· -	-	90	0.8	962
ther Offences	3	32	19	-	. 1	-	1	4	3		3	. 8	-	74	0.7	27
UTAL	972	5750	1465	96	96	1009	131	119	173	139	614	177	78	10819		2282
ercentage	9.0	53,1	13.5	9.0	0.9	9.3	1,2	1.1	1.6	1.3	5.7	1.5	0.7		100.0	
ate per 1,000 of Adult Population**	191.7		11.6		19.3	7.5	9.3	8.6	5.7	16.4	16.2	13,6	9.0	12.0		

^{*} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics' 1981 Census.

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TABLE 2.42 OFFENCE TYPE AND RESIDENCE OF DEFENDANT - LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA IN METROPOLITAN ADELAIDE

Cifence Type	93	5	8 3	Campbelltown	East Torrens	seth	9		5 1	/ & Grange	rrsh	ofton &		E	Parra
	Adelaide	Brighton	Burnside	24	East 7	Elizabeth	Enfletd	Caviler	Glenelg	Renley	Hindnarsh	Kensington Norwood	Marricon	Mitcham	Muno
		-	·		1				L,			!		·	L
Offences Against the Person	13	5	24	- 13	.2	38	101	3.	5	6	9	6	31	13	35
Robbery and Extortion	2	-,			1	5	4	1	-	_	-	·-	1	1	2
Sexual Offences	2	-	1	2	_	6	2	-				.4	1		1
Drug Offences	22	8	26	38	3	74	118	12	11	12	23	14	41	41	35
Fraud and Deception	10	- 2	10	19	. . .	46	41	10	5	7	9	4	16	. 7	17
Break and Enter	4	3	3	6	1	13	31	3	" 4 °	- 3	9	1	8	3	14
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	3	_	2	2		.3	22	. 1	1	1	9	1	5	6	5
Shop Theft	36	17	41-	51	, 4	25	121	δ	17	10	21	13	67	42	14-
Other Larceny	9	4	12	22	-	95	38	9	4	8	11	2	19	13	44
Unlawful Possession of Property	4	1	7	8	_	20	32	-	- 3	. 4	. 9	9	8	7	9
Driving Offences	38	27	76	82	. 8:	120	237	26	39	29	29	13	129	100	69
Unlawful Use or Possession of Quns or Explosives	4		1	. 3	_	11	17	-	1	3	2	1	7-	з.	8
Damage Property	6.	, 5	6	7	-	20	44	3	2	. 3	.3	2	15	7	11
Minor Street Offences	23	11	14	22	2	27	104	- 1 .	- 11	. 9	22	5	43	24	32
Offences Against Order	17	10	12	11	2	24	68	. 2	4	6	11	9	24	14	15
Restraint Orders, Breaches	17	. 6	18	17	-	68	103	9	6	7	11	11	19	13	. 43
Other Offences	8	2	-	2	1	7	6		-	5		1	. 4	. 4	3
THAL	218	101	253	305	24	602	1099	86	113	1113	178	96	438	298	357
Percentage	5.1	2.4	5.9	7.1	0.6	14.1	25.5	2.0	2.6	2.6	4.2	2.2	10.3	7.0	8.4
Rate per 1,000 of Adult Population*	22.4	6.2	8.4	9.7	6.7	27.3	21.4	18.0	9.8	9,2	29,6	12.8	8.5	6.5	20.8

^{*} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics 'Estimated Resident Population by Age for Local Government Areas, South Australia, 30 June 1981'. (ABS Catalogue No. 3204.4, released 26 January, 1984)

Offence Type	Noarlunga	Psyrehan	Port Adelaide	Prospect	Selisbury	Stirling	St. Peters	Tea Tree Gully	Thebarton	thaley	Walkerville	West Torrens	Willunga	Woodville	TOTAL
				L.,	اا	L									
Offences Against the Person	, 53	10	48	20	70	5	2	28	12	16		26	7	61	662
Robbery and Extortion	9	1	1	1	1	-	٠ _	2	3	à		2	-	5	45
Sexual Offences	7	-	- "	2	- 5			1	1	6	1	2	-	9	53
Drug Offences	- 55	29	65	32	145	8	13	65	15	37	5	61	11	. 86	1105
Fraud and Deception	36	17	14	6	40	2	6	21	6	14 .	2	20	1	21	409
Break and Enter	33	3.	11	7	19	. 1	,3	4	4	9	-	12	1	21	234
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	10	2	16	1	12	2	1	9	5	5	1	5		- 6	136
Shop Theft	53	18	54	24	76	10	5	48	21	51	. 3	. 63	. 6	91	1006
Other Larceny	31	7	30	6	97	3	6	22	8	15	3	14	5	21	558
Unlawful Possession of Property	13	10	. 11	- 11	26	-	6	13	5	8	-	12	2	16	254
Driving Offences	140	. 50	105	34	242	23	26	170	34	72	12	86	13	150	23.83
Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	11	. 2	9	7	9	_	1	- 9	1	5	-	6	. 1	5	127
Damaga Property	23	7	19	9	28	· -	3	15	6	9	-	10	3	22	293
Hinor Street Offences	48	13	71	15	79	2	6	44	20	22	5	41	3	62	781
Offences Against Order	25	, 9	36	15	46	4	1	20	6	15	2	18	- 2	. 36	454
Restraint Orders, Breaches	52	13	39	15	99	9	ġ	37	12	25		15	9	40	726
Other Offences	3	2	ĭ	. 6	- 4	1		3	3	1	1	9	-	5	82
KUTAL.	605	193	530	211	998	70	58	512	162	313	39	402	68	657	9120
Percentage	12.5	4.0	10.9	4.4	20.6	1,4	1.8	10.6	3,3	6.5	0.8	8.3	1.4	13.5	
Rate per 1,000 of Adult Population**	15.3	14.4	19.5	13.9	17.7	7.7	13.2	11.5	22.5	10.7	7.1	11.1	14.3	11.2	13.5

^{**} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics' 'Estimated Resident Population by Age for Local Government Areas, South Australia, 30 June 1981'. (ABS Catalogue No. 3204.4, released 26 January, 1984)

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TABLE 2.43 OFFENCE TYPE AND RESIDENCE OF DEFENDANT - LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREA

Offence Type	Mount Gambier	Riverland	Port Lincoln	Port Augusta	Port Pirie	Wiyaila	Cocher Pecky	Far North	Other Country	No Fixed Place of Abode	Interstate or Overseas	Unknown	TOTAL
-													
Offences Against the Person	10	17,	9	26	11	41	15	32	137	55	11	4	358
Robbery and Extortion	2	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	. 1	. 8	. 2	_	17
Sexual Offences	-	3	5	2		- 3			7	9	_	-	29
Drug Offences	12	44	16	17	18	50	2	-	164	39	17	1	350
Fraud and Deception	8	4	_	4	8	7	_	_	28	29	11	_	99
Break and Enter	7	3	3	5	12	7	. 4	. 21	38	.36	3	5	144
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	3	4	1	. 7	_	. 2	3	10	38	19	8	5	100
Shop Theft	24	5	2	2	1	19	1	_	90	27	17		192
Other Larceny	8	11	9	14	21	 14	' 1	- 5	85	46	19	1	234
Unlawful Possession of Property	1	2	1	6	5	9	_	-	24	32	6	1	87
Driving Offences	101	92	27	82	59	130	4	7	389	21	50	2	954
Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	1	3	-	1	2	6	1	2	25	5 .	7	.	53
Demage Property	9	17	2	21	 8	34	4	10	71	38	4	-	218
Minor Street Offences	18	24	7	- 40	22	62	7	34	167	69	75	7	532
Offences Against Order	11	. 11	7	. 6	5	31	4	5	77	44	13	5	219
Restraint Orders, Breaches	17	25	4	43	10	57	 1	3	113	36	5	12	3226
Other Offences	-	-	-		2	· .	4 ,	,-	. 4	4	5	-	19
TOTAL	232	266	94	276	184	473	52	129	1458	517	253	47	3981
Percentage	5.8	6.7	2.4	6.9	4.6	11.9	1.3	3.2	36.6	13.0	6.4	1.2	
Rate per 1,000 of Adult Population**	17.8	11.9	9.1	26.6	15,5	22.3	32	2.4	9.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.5

^{***} Adult population from Australian Bureau of Statistics' 'Estimated Resident Population by Age for Local Government Areas, South Australia, 30 June 1981'. (ABS Catalogue No. 3204.4, released 26 January, 1984)

TABLE 2.44 OFFENCE TYPE AND PREVIOUS CRIMINAL RECORD

-				Prior	Criminal Reco					TOI	AL WITH	
Major Charge (Grouped)		-	Number of 1	rior Criminal	Convictions			One or Mor	e Previous contents	INFORMATI	ON AVAILABLE	Information Not Available
	No Prior Convictions	1	2 - 4	5-9	10 - 49	50 or More	Average	Namber	Percentage of Offence Group	Number	Percentage	
Offences Against the Person	245	102	174	142	290	55	11.6	. 312	30.9.	1011	7.9	19
Robbery and Extortion	8	5	7	15	23	. 1	11.9	22	37.3	59	0.5	3
Sexual Offences	18	7	11	12	23		12.7	30	40.0	75	0.6	7
Drug Offences	483	122	295	229	323	17	7.0	252	17.2	1469	11.4	16
Frauci and Deception	226	. 44_	76	38	85	26	8.2	111	22.4	495	3.9	13
Break and Enter	61	30	45	51	168	16	14.9	150	40.2	373	2.9	5
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	53	10	33	26	- 89	21	16.1	8.3	35.8	232	1.8	4
Shop Theft	748	114	128	76	99	7	3.0	105	9.0	1172	9,1	25
Other Larceny	300	. 77	119	97	166	26	8.3	162	20.6	785	6.1	7
Unlawful Possession of Property	89	33	52	37	112	- 9	10.5	93	28.0	332	2.6	9
Driving Offences	1540	292	513	299	374	29	4.3	345	11.3	3047	23.7	100
Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Doplosives	52	23	25	27	43	. 8	9.9	48	27.0	178	1.4	2
Damage Property	151	41	76	. 69	148	13	9.7	120	24.1	498	3.9	13
Minor Street Offences	424	113	245	138	309	52	9.5	247	19.3	1282	10.0	31
Offences Against Order	169	57	115	109	194	30	11.1	177	26.3	674	5,3	9
Restraint Orders, Breaches	974	5	28	-16	26	_	0.8	26	2.5	1049	8.2	3
Other Offences	52	15	17	5	11		2.7	9	9.0	100	0.8	1
MINT	5596	1090	1960	1336	2483	316	7.1	2292	17.9	12831		270
Percentage	43.6	8.5	15.3	10.8	19.4	2.5		17.9			100.00	

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TABLE 2.45 OFFENCE TYPE AND BAIL STATUS AT FINAL COURT APPEARANCE

Ţ	Offence Type		One Court Hearing		Two	or More Court Hea	rings	Costmix	tted for Trial or	Sentence	INFURMATION	L WITH N AVAILABLE	Tofounties
	diene lye	Allowed At large	Police Custody	In Custody On Another Matter	On Bail	Remanded In Custody	In Custody On Another Hatter	On Bail	Remanded In Custody	In Oustody On Another Matter	Number	Percentage	Information Not Available
	Offences Against the Person	165	1	1	728	63	. 11	43	12	2	1026	7.9	4
1	Robbery and Extortion	-		· · -	19	9	-	16	17		62	0.5	_
	Sexual Offences	1 -		_	27	5	_	38	9	2	82	0.6	_]
	Drug Offences	:649	. 7	2	678		- 12	102	3	-	1480	11.3	5
1	Fraud and Deception	110	-	"1	329	26	6	32	1	· -	505	3.9.	з .
	Break and Enter	33	2	1	243	70	8	17	• 1	. - ,	375	2.9	3
	Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	38	3 .	2	157	19	15			-	234	1.8	2
	Shop Theft	533	2	2	633	17	· 5 _	. 6	-	-	1198	9.2	2
	Other Larceny	263	8	2	458 .	37	11	6	4	-	7789	6.0	3
	Unlawful Possession of Property	56	· · 2 · .		237	23	8	13	. 1		340	2.6	1
	Driving Offences	1192		3	1884	33	18		· · -	-	3139	24.0	a
	Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	56	1	1	109	12	· -	-	-	-	179	1,4	1
-	Damage Property	162	1	3	299	23	10	9	1	2	510	3.9	1
-	Minor Street Offences	733	32	ž	505	28	10	-	_	-	1310	10.0	3
	Offences Against Order	168	· 9.	. 1	469	20	5	5	1 1		679	5.2	4
	Restraint Orders, Breaches	145	4.	з	876	12	3		- · -	- ,	1043	8.0	9
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TABLE 2.46 OFFENCE TYPE AND LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT FINAL COURT APPEARANCE

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Major Charge		One Court Hearing		Two	or More Court Hear	rings	Commit	ted for Trial or	Sentence	TOTA INFORMATIO	AL WITH IN AVAILABLE	Information Not Available
(Grouped)	Duty Solicitor	Other Legal Representation	No legal Representation	Duty Solicitor	Other Legal Representation	No legal Representation	Duty Solicitor	Other Legal Representation	No legal Representation	Mmber	Percentage	Not Available
Offences Against the Person	12	82	60	39	676	69	3	52	3	996	8.1	34
Robbery and Extortion	_	-	· · · · · · <u>-</u> ·	· 1 ,	25	-	-	33	-	59	0.5	3
Sexual Offences		1	- _	2	30	-	3	45	1	82	0.7	-
Drug Offences	36	80	472	31	524	138	. 4	91	8	1384	11.2	101
Fraud and Deception	3	59	46	17	315	25	-	34	-	499	4.0	9
Break and Enter	5	27	3	16	287	18	· -	19	<u>-</u> , ,	375	3.0	3.
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	5	. 14	19	7	167	16		- ,	-	228	1.8	8
Shop Theft	. 36	147	309	32	519	89	- <u>-</u> .	. 6	-	11138	9.2	62
Other Larceny	21	64	174	42	- 380	71	-	9	1	762	6,2	- 30: .
Unlawful Possession of Property	3	30	- 20	16	228	23	-	14	· -	334	2,7	7
Driving Offences	41	339	752	86	1355	435		1	-	3009	24.4	138
Unlawful Use or Possession of Cuns or Explosives	5	10	38	5	94	20	· -		-	173	1.4	7
Damage Property	12	46	98	22	245	57	. - .	13	_	453	4.0	18
Hinor Street Offences	40	119	519	30	375	117	-	-	_	1200	9.7	113
Offences Against Order	20	45	100	28	402	53	-	5	· 1 ·	655	5.3	28
Restraint Orders, Breaches	8	24	79	22	258	458	- -		-	849	6.9	203
Other Offences	2	9	4	2	72	. 2	-	2	<u>-</u>	93	0.8	8
KITAL	249	1097	2693	399	5952	1591	10	324	14	12329	-	772
Percentage	2.0	8.9	21.8	3.2	48.3	12.9	0.1	2.6	0.1		100.0	5.9

TABLE 2.47 OFFENCE TYPE AND PLEA AT FINAL COURT APPEARANCE

MAJOR CHARGE	Final	Lised in Summary	y Court		Commit	ted for Trial	Le Sentence	n	TAL
(Grouped)	Cullty	Guilty 4A	Not Quilty	No Plea	Guilty	Not Guilty	No Plea	Number	Percentage
Offences Against the Person	535	· 1.	121	315	1	6	51	1030	7.9
Robbery and Extortion	1		-	27	-	* • - .	34	62	0.5
Sexual Offences	_	-	2	31	3	1	45	82.	0.6
Drug Offences	1107	28	16	229	7	2	96	1485	11.3
Fraud and Deception	365	. -	6	104	1	· 3	29	508	3,9
Break and Enter	259	_	12	88	1	з. з	15	378	2.9
Unlawful Use, Theft of Vehicle	189	i	. 5	_41		-	_	236	1.8
Shop Theft	985	-	- 71 _	138	-	2	4	1200	9.2
Other Larceny	633	. -	29	120	-	· · ·	10	792	6.0
Unlawful Possession of Property	185	_	23	119		. 2 .	12	341	2.6
Driving Offences	2756	31	68	292		- .	-	3147	24.0
Unlawful Use or Possession of Guns or Explosives	141	1	5	33	_		_	180	1.4
Dumage Property	368	5	6	120	-	-	12	511	3,9
Hinor Street Offences	1092	76	30	115	-	· - ·		1313	10.0
Offences Against Order	499	1	36	141	1	. .	5	603	5.2
Restraint Orders, Breaches	172	- <u>-</u> ·	6	. 874	_	-	-	1052	8.0
Other Offences	62	. 2	12	23			2	101	0.8
TOTAL	9349 -	146	448	2810	14	19	315	13101	
Percentage	71.4	1.1	3.4	21.5	.1	.1	2.4		100

PART 3 - APPENDICES

APPENDIX A - EXPLANATORY NOTES ON TABLES

(1) The Courts of Summary Jurisdiction Data Collection

A form for each defendant involved in a case finalised in a Criminal Court of Summary Jurisdiction and which involved at least one charge falling within the Office's collections (see Appendix B) is coded by Court Services Department staff onto a data collection form, (see Appendix D). This form is then sent to the Office of Crime Statistics. The first 23 questions contain information derived from court files, which is punched and added to a data base.

The second half of the form relates to the defendant's social background and previous convictions, and is sent on to the Police Department for completion. After being returned from the Police Department and punched, this information also is merged with the data base.

(2) Definitions

- (i) Offence Categories: Offence categories are based on the Act and Section under which the defendant was charged (contact Office of Crime Statistics for a detailed list of offences under each code).
- (ii) Major charge: The 'major charge' in tables 2.1 to 2.18 is the major offence for which a defendant was charged or convicted. This is determined by the following procedures.
 - (a) Out of the charges, if any, for which the defendant was convicted, select the one which received the highest penalty. If two charges received the same (highest) penalty, select the one for which the highest maximum penalty is prescribed in the statutes. If all statutory penalties are the same, select the first charge listed on the coded form. The charge selected by this method is the 'major charge convicted'.

- (b) Out of the charges, if any, for which the defendant was not convicted, select the one with the highest maximum statutory penalty. If two or more charges not convicted have the same maximum statutory penalty, select the first listed on the coded form. The charge selected by this method is the 'major charge not convicted'.
- (c) From the 'major charge convicted' and the 'major charge not convicted', select the charge which has the highest maximum statutory penalty. If the 'major charge convicted' and the 'major charge not convicted' have the same maximum statutory penalty select the major charge convicted. The charge selected by these rules becomes the major charge.
- (iii) Offence Type: To enable broad comparisons, offences have been grouped into seventeen major types (see Table 2.1). Tables 2.2 to 2.18 show which specific offence-codes are contained in each of these broad categories.

 The category 'Restraint Orders and Breaches' refer to restraint orders laid under Section 99 of the Justices Act which came into effect on 3 June 1982, and to breaches of these orders. Note that details of breaches refer to the nature of the original order, rather than the circumstances of the breach (eg. 'Breach, Assault Female' refers to breach of an order originally imposed after an alleged assault on a female).
- (iv) Outcomes: In Tables 2.1 to 2.18 the case outcome is defined as follows.
 - . Committed for trial or sentence: The defendant was committed for trial or sentence in the Supreme or District Criminal Court (see Crime and Justice 'Blue' reports for details of penalties, etc. in these cases).
 - Convicted with penalty/without penalty: The defendant was found guilty and a criminal conviction recorded. In most of these cases a penalty is awarded, but in some no penalty is imposed but the defendant pays court costs.
 - Guilty without conviction: The defendant was found guilty but no conviction was recorded. In these circumstances the defendant can be given a penalty, such as a bond, but not a monetary fine (see Section 4 of the Offenders Probation Act).

- . Guilty of lesser offence: The defendant was found not guilty of the major charge but guilty of a lesser offence and a sentence was handed down.
- . Acquitted on major charge: The defendant pleaded not guilty to the major charge and was acquitted.
- . Major charge withdrawn: The major charge was withdrawn by the complainant.
- . Major charge dismissed: The magistrate decided, after hearing the evidence, that there was no case to answer and dismissed the charge.
- . Other (eg. 'defendant died'): The case was finalised when the defendant died or was found to be unfit to plead.

(v) Plea: A defendant can enter:

- a guilty plea: in these cases a defendant may be found guilty (with or without a conviction recorded) in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction, or may be committed for sentence in the Supreme or District Criminal Court.
- a guilty 4A plea: in these cases the defendant sends the court a 'Guilty 4A' form which admits guilt, and sentence is passed without the defendant being required to appear in court (see Section 57A of the Justices Act for details of this procedure).
- a not guilty plea: in these cases a trial takes place before a magistrate who determines both outcome and sentence, or if the defendant wishes to be tried before a judge he or she can be committed for trial in the Supreme or District Criminal Court.
- no plea: in these cases the complainant has withdrawn the charge, or a magistrate finds no case to answer, or the defendant has 'reserved' his or her defence and been committed to the Supreme or District Criminal Court.

- (vi) Penalty: Once a defendant has been found guilty, the following penalties - listed in order of severity may be imposed:
 - . immediate imprisonment
 - . suspended imprisonment
 - bond with supervision
 - . bond without supervision
 - . community service order (as part of a bond)
 - . suspension of driver's licence
 - . monetary fine
 - other order (eg. restitution, confiscation of drugs)
 - . sentenced to the rising of the court
 - . no penalty
- (vii) Major Penalty: The major penalty is the most severe penalty handed down (see above for order of severity).

(3) Offence Categories

Offence categories are based on the acts, sections and sub-sections where offences are defined and penalties prescribed. Please contact the Office of Crime Statistics (Tel. (08) 237 0110), for acts and sections included in each offence code.

(4) Tables

Tables 2.1 - 2.18 Case Outcome and Major Charge

For each court appearance which was finalised during the six month period covered in this report, only the outcome for the major charge is recorded (see earlier definition of major charge).

Each table refers to appearances by individual defendants. For example, if four co-defendants were tried and convicted jointly for an offence which they committed together, each would be recorded separately in the case outcome and sentencing tables. An individual tried or sentenced on two separate occasions within the same reporting period would be recorded twice. It also is possible that in some instances (namely committals) the Crown may have formulated charges against an individual, withdrawn them, but then subsequently re-charged the same person for the same or additional offences. These cases also would appear more than once in the tables.

Table 2.1 is a summary and tables 2.2 to 2.18 give a breakdown for each offence type.

Where defendants have not been convicted on the major charge but were convicted on another less serious charge, the number of cases involving lesser charges is shown in brackets. Some of those 'lesser' charges may be for offences in groups other than the major charge — eg. a person charged with assault (an offence against the person) may eventually be found guilty only of offensive language. In such instances cases are shown in the penalty tables for the offence group which they were convicted. Thus in the example given the case would appear in the outcome tables for offences against the person, but in the penalty tables for minor street offences. This is a change from reports prior to July — December 1985, in which cases always appeared in the same offence group for both outcome and penalty tables. This means that it is no longer possible to compare totals in corresponding outcome and penalty tables except for overall totals in the two summary tables (Tables 2.1 and 2.19).

Tables 2.19 - 2.35 Major Penalty for Major Charge Convicted

For each defendant convicted, the most serious penalty is recorded (order of severity given in Section 2, (vi)). The numbers receiving each type of penalty are recorded, as well as the minimum, average (mean), and maximum for direct imprisonment (weeks) and monetary fines (\$'s).

Table 2.19 is a summary table for each offence type and tables 2.20 to 2.35 give a breakdown for offences within each offence type. There are no penalty tables for the Sexual Offences group since these cases were preliminary committal hearings.

Tables 2.36 - 2.37 Penalties for defendants convicted of Driving with more than the Prescribed Content of Alcohol (PCA)

These two tables summarise the penalties imposed, and blood alcohol content, of persons convicted of PCA offences. Blood alcohol content (BAC) is broken down into: 0.08 up to 0.10; 0.10 up to 0.15; 0.15 up to 0.20; 0.20 up to 0.25; 0.25 and over, and Unknown BAC.

Table 2.36 gives the penalties for all defendants and table 2.37 for those who have had no prior convictions for drink drive offences.

As pointed out in discussion of the case outcome tables (2.1 - 2.18), penalties for persons convicted of 'lesser' offences are included under the offence group for the major charge, even if the offence group for the major charge is different from the lesser offence (eg. major charge assault police; but found guilty of lesser offence of resisting arrest). All the lesser offences which are of a different offence type are included as 'other offence' entries in the penalty tables. This ensures that for each major offence group, the numbers in the penalty tables are equal to the total number of convictions for the major charges in this group plus the total convictions for lesser offences.

Tables 2.38 to 2.43 Sex, Age, Occupation, Marital Status, Country of Birth and Residence of the Defendant

One entry appears in each of these tables for each appearance by a defendant. These background items refer to the status of the defendant at the time of arrest (as recorded by the Police Department). The country of birth table distinguishes defendants with aboriginal backgrounds from all other persons born in Australia. The group 'Australia Unspecified' denotes that the defendant was born in Australia, but that the particular State was not recorded. Residences of defendants are grouped into Local Government Areas in Metropolitan Adelaide (Table 2.42) and non Metropolitan Adelaide (Table 2.43).

Table 2.44 Prior Convictions of defendant

For each appearance by a defendant, a summary is given of previous convictions and previous imprisonment. Only for defendants with less than 10 previous convictions is the actual number of convictions recorded. For those with 10 or more, the numbers are rounded upward to the nearest 10 (ie. 10 = 10, 11 = 20). Defendants with 90 or more previous convictions are recorded as 90.

Table 2.45 - 2.46 Bail Status and Legal Representation of Defendant.

'Bail Status' is at the final court appearance. For defendants with only one court hearing, therefore, this refers to police bail. For those with two or more hearings the bail status has been accorded by the court. 'Legal Representation' refers to whether the defendant was legally represented at the final court appearance. The term 'Duty Solicitor' refers to solicitors rostered to service courts under the Law Society's Duty Solicitor Scheme. 'Other' legal representation refers to solicitors from legal aid organisations and private solicitors. Tables 2.45 and 2.46 distinguish between cases which required only one court hearing, those needing two or more court appearances, and defendants committed for trial or sentence.

Table 2.47 Offence Type and Final Plea

The 'Final Plea' refers to the plea entered to the major charge at the final court appearance. This can be either 'Guilty', 'Guilty 4A', 'Not Guilty' or 'No Plea'. Table 2.47 distinguishes pleas given by defendants committed for trial or sentence.

Australian Bureau of Statistics Population Statistics
Tables 2.38 - 2.43 give a rate of appearances per 1,000 in the relevant South Australian population (eg. Aboriginals, unemployed people, etc.). The population figures used in calculating these rates are derived from the 1981 Census.

APPENDIX B - MAJOR OFFENCES WHICH ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE SYSTEM O'S STATISTICS FROM COURTS OF SUMMARY JURISDIC ION

Offences with the following descriptions, or under the following Acts and Sections, are not included in the Courts of Summary Jurisdiction collection.

1. DRIVING

Road Maintenance Act (all sections)
Registration and Insurance Offences
Commercial Motor Vehicle (Hours of Driving) Act (all sections).
Road Traffic Act, Section, 23, 31, 38, 41, 42, 45, 48-58, 60, 61, 63-70, 71a, 72, 74, 74a, 75-78, 79a, 80-83, 84, 85, 87-91, 93, 94, 94a, 95, 100-103, 109, 111, 120, 122, 126, 132, 137, 139, 144, 157, 160, 162, 162a, 162b, 162ab, 162c, 163.

- 2. ADELAIDE CITY COUNCIL BY-LAWS (Parking)
- 3. INCOME TAX Fail to Provide Tax Returns. Income Tax Assessment Act Section 223.

4. ENVIRONMENT OFFENCES

Bushfires Act
Bushfire Regulations
Excessive Noise
Hunting Regulations
Local Government Act
National Parks and Wildlife Act and Regulations
Registration of Dogs Act, Section 24

5. OTHER

(Unless specific sections are listed, offences under $\underline{\text{all}}$ sections of Acts listed below are not included in Office of Crime Statistics collections).

Acts Interpretation Act
Australian National Railways Act
Bankruptcy Act, Sections 80, 271 and 272
Bills of Sale Act
Births, Deaths and Marriages Act
Boating Act
Boating Regulations
Books Purchases Act

Brands Act Breach of Recognizance Building Contracts Act Builders Licensing Act Business Names Act Bus, Tram Fare, Avoid Payment Commonwealth Electoral Act Companies Act Consumer Transactions Act Coroners Act Criminal Injuries Compensation Act Crown Lands Act Dairy Industry Act Defence Act Diesel Fuel, Offences Disp. Dog, Unregistered Electoral, Act Electricity Trust Act Fisheries Act (S.A.) Harbours Act Hawkers Act Hide, Skin, Wool Dealers Act Hospitals Act Illicit Spirits, Possess Imprint Act Inflammable Liquids Act Land, Business Agents Act Law Courts (Order) Act Marine Act Marine Stores Act Mining Act Miscellaneous Acts Naturalisation Certificate Misuse Non-payment by Hirer Oaths Act Pawnbrokers Act Physiotherapists Act Places of Public Entertainment Act Post Bills Poultry Return, Fail to Furnish Private Parking Areas Act Public Meetings Act Racial Discrimination Act Recreation Grounds (Reg) Act Sales of Goods Act Sales Tax Information, Fail to Provide Sales Tax Return, Fail to Furnish Second Hand Dealers Act. Shearers Act State Lotteries Act State Railways Act, Sections 115, 116 and 117 Statistics Act Stock Disease Act Swimming Pool (Safety) Act

Tax Return, Fail to Provide
Trading Stamp Act
Transmit, Receive Not Licensed
Unlicensed etc. CB Radio
Urban Land Price Control
Vertebrate Pest Act
Waterworks Act

APPENDIX C - LIST OF CONTRIBUTING COURTS

Adelaide Christies Beach Glenelg Holden Hill Para Districts Port Adelaide

*Berri
*Coober Pedy
*Kadina
*Marla
Millicent

COUNTRY
Mount Barker
Mount Gambier
Murray Bridge
Naracoorte
*Oodnadatta

Port Augusta Port Lincoln Port Pirie Tanunda Whyalla

^{*} Denotes courts administered by personnel from the Police Department. All other courts are fully administered by the Court Services Department.

APPENDIX D - STATISTICAL COLLECTION FORM

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APPENDIX E - PUBLICATIONS OF THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN OFFICE OF CRIME STATISTICS (April, 1987)

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