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FOREWORD

I am pleased to present a compilation of statistical information covering the activities of the Victoria Police Force over 1986/87. This year the traditional "Statistical Review of Crime" has been expanded to provide a wider array of information including statistics on Traffic, Children's Court Prosecutions, personnel deployment and complaints made against police members.

In previous years the Force's Annual Report has also incorporated a range of statistical information. This year, it has been decided to produce a single document containing a comprehensive set of statistics which will present the Force as a corporate organization.

It is expected that this foundation document will set a pattern that will be improved on in future years.

(S.I. Miller)
CHIEF COMMISSIONER

PART I

CRIME

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INTRODUCTION

The Statistical Review of Crime gives details of offences reported to the Victoria Police during the financial year, and of the people proceeded against for those offences. In interpreting information in the Review, the reader should bear in mind that it is based on official police reports, and thus covers only offences and offenders known to the police. Many offences are not reported to the police, and this unreported crime may not have the same characteristics as reported crime; similarly, criminals who are apprehended may not be typical of offenders in general. A survey conducted in 1983 by the Australian Bureau of Statistics ("Crime Victims Survey, Australia 1983, Preliminary", A.B.S. Canberra 1985) found reporting rates of 26% for sexual assault, 34% for assault; 38% for theft; 43% for robbery; 69% for burglary and 96% for motor vehicle theft. Reporting rates for Victorian victims (available for fewer offence types because of sampling constraints) were slightly higher than the Australian averages quoted above: 40% for assault; 44% for theft and 73% for burglary. These rates refer to personal and household crimes only, and are based on an Australia-wide sample survey, so they are not necessarily applicable directly to the crimes reported in the Statistical Review. However, they give some indication of the need for care in using statistics of reported crime. In addition, when these statistics are compared with other published figures, the definitions and explanations in this Introduction should be studied carefully.

INFORMATION IN THE STATISTICAL REVIEW

The basic information presented in the Statistical Review is a detailed set of statistics of reported offences, covering pages 50 to 65 in this edition. In this section, the left hand pages show the number of offences reported and cleared for the current year and the preceding year, the increase or decrease for the year, and the number cleared as "no offence". The right hand pages show the number of offenders classified by sex, age, previous record and birth place.

Many of the other sections of the Statistical Review are based on these detailed statistics; they are included to illustrate and focus attention on specific topics, such as clearance rates and characteristics of offenders, rather than to add new information. However, three sections draw on other data, and require some explanation:-

- (i) A set of graphs is included to show the changes in the rates of selected offences reported to police over the years since 1960. These graphs are based on Statistical Review crime figures where they are available (1960 - 1965 and 1968 onwards), and on Annual Report figures for other years. The detailed crime statistics for the earlier years have been grouped into categories reflecting, as far as possible, the present Statistical Review classifications. However, many changes have been made in counting methods, classification rules and internal recording procedures over the period covered by the graphs, and it should not be assumed that the rates for earlier years are precisely comparable with those of recent times.

- (ii) A table has been compiled showing the estimated rates of Major Crime Index and selected other offences in each Police District. This table is based largely on the monthly returns submitted by Criminal Investigations Branch Divisions of the crime reports filed in each Division; information from Statistics Section and Computer Systems Division files has also been used. As this internal data is not directly based on the reports received at the Statistics Section, it has been used only to establish the relative offence rates in the different Districts. The overall offence rates are based on the Statistical Review totals. Maps of the Metropolitan and Country Police Districts are included.
- (iii) A section is included on the value of property stolen or damaged in offences of several types. Although the available resources of the Statistics Section do not permit this information to be extracted routinely from all crime reports, samples have been taken of reports for the more common offences, and these have been used to obtain most of the distributions and estimates in this section. The charts and estimates for motor vehicle theft and for arson are based on records held by the Stolen Motor Vehicle Squad and the Arson Squad.

MAJOR CRIME INDEX

Eight groups of offences recorded in the Review have been selected for inclusion in a Major Crime Index. They are:-

1. Homicide - murder, attempted murder and manslaughter (excluding manslaughter arising out of a traffic accident).
2. Serious Assaults - all wounding except attempted murder and all assaults in which injuries amounting to "actual bodily harm", at the least, are inflicted.
3. Robbery - offences, committed or attempted, in which force or threat of force is used against a person with the intention of stealing.
4. Rape - rape and attempted rape.
5. Burglary - offences, committed or attempted, where premises are entered unlawfully with the intention of stealing therein.
6. Theft - offences, committed or attempted, against persons or property with intent to steal but without force or threat of force being used. Does NOT include motor vehicles or offences involving deception. It does include warnings issued under the Shop Stealing Warning Program.

7. Motor Vehicle Theft - stealing or attempting to steal a motor vehicle.
8. Fraud, etc. - offences, committed or attempted, involving uttering and counterfeiting.

COUNTING OF OFFENCES

The figures given in the Review are based on offences disclosed or which appear to be disclosed, by the initial investigation into an offence reported or discovered and for which crime reports are circulated. They also include people warned under the Shopstealing Warning Program for offences of theft. This procedure was implemented on a Statewide basis on the 1st July, 1985. The details and results of court proceedings are not considered (they are often not available when the Review is compiled) and so no allowance can be made for alterations for legal reasons in the charges on which an alleged offender is presented, or for acquittals or dismissals.

Lesser offences directly related to a major offence, and representing supplementary charges arising out of the same incident, are not recorded. For instance, if, as a result of a single attack on one person, a man is charged with three offences - assault occasioning actual bodily harm, assault by kicking and common assault, then only the first offence will be recorded. However, if the three assaults are committed at different places or times, or on different people, all three offences will be recorded.

OFFENCES CLEARED

An offence is regarded as "cleared" if as a result of investigation:-

- (a) It is found that no offence was committed; or
- (b) A person is charged with committing the offence or officially warned by a Police Officer in lieu of being placed before the Court; or
- (c) It is found that a person charged with other offences was responsible for committing it; or
- (d) The offender is discovered but for legal reasons (e.g. child under the age of 8) is not charged.

If an offence is reported in one year and cleared in a later year, the offence and the clearance will be counted in different editions of the Review. Thus, it occasionally happens that the number of offences or a particular category cleared in a given year exceeds the number reported in that year.

PROCEEDED AGAINST

The people "proceeded against" for a particular offence are those against whom proceedings are taken initially for that offence, whatever offences are eventually attributed to them. For example, suppose that a man is arrested for burglary and after breaking into a house and stealing property and a search causes further charges of being unlawfully in possession of a pistol and being in possession of explosives to be laid. When questioned

the man admits to having broken into eight shops and three other houses and having stolen things from them, and a check shows that these admissions are correct. The Review would then show a total of 14 offences reported, 14 offences cleared and one person proceeded against for the offence of burglary with which he was first charged.

Since children under eight are legally presumed to be incapable of committing an offence, they do not appear in the statistics of people proceeded against, even if reported offences are found to be committed by them. Accordingly, in the "Analysis by Age" and "Analysis by Sex" charts, we have compared the age and sex distributions of groups of people proceeded against with the corresponding distributions for the population aged eight and over, rather than the population as a whole. The population figures used elsewhere in the Review cover people of all ages.

PREVIOUSLY KNOWN

People proceeded against are classified as "Previously Known" if they are already recorded as offenders at the Information Bureau. The abbreviation "P.K." is used in the Review for "Previously Known".

FOREIGN MIGRANTS

"Foreign Migrants" (often abbreviated in the Review to "F.M.") are migrants from countries other than Canada, Ireland, New Zealand and the United Kingdom.

POPULATION FIGURES

The population figures used in calculating crime rates are Australian Bureau of Statistics estimates for 30th of June in each year; prior to 1971 they are census totals and intercensal estimates, while from 1971 onwards they are from the Estimated Resident Population series. For the financial year beginning 1984, the population estimates were based on the 31st December of the applicable year.

LEGISLATIVE CHANGES

During the period under review, a number of legislative changes were introduced.

In March, 1986, the Crimes (amendment) Act 1985, No. 10233 came into operation. Sections 11-43 of the Crimes Act 1958, were repealed and replaced by Sections 15-31 which deal with assaults and associated offences against the person.

The legislative changes have been incorporated into the classifications recorded on assaults at page 50.

The New Offences against the person have been incorporated under the heading "Other Offences: Against the Person" recorded at page 58.

RELATED PUBLICATIONS

A comprehensive bulletin on "Court Proceedings Initiated by Police" has been published by the Victorian Office of the Australian Bureau of Statistics, while separate statistics or proceedings in the higher courts (the County and Supreme Courts) are published annually by the Law Department.

Details of Victoria's welfare and correctional services is contained in the Annual Reports of the Department of Community Welfare Services; the Office of Corrections and the Adult and Youth Parole Boards.

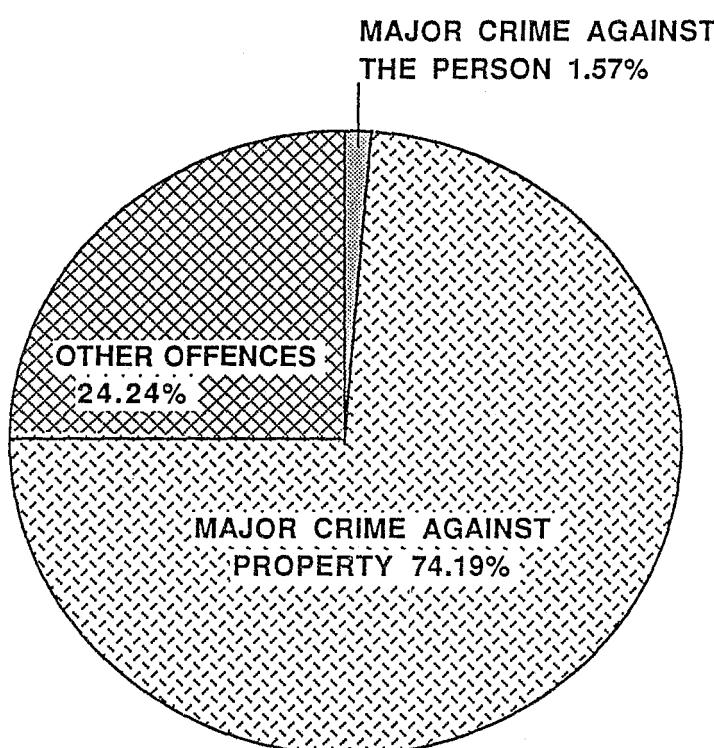
The Victorian Yearbook, published annually by the Victorian Office of the Australian Bureau of Statistics, includes a section on justice and the administration of law which summarizes information from these and other sources.

OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED			OFFENCES CLEARED				PEOPLE PROCEEDED AGAINST									
				1985/86		1986/87		UNDER 17		17 - 20		21 - 24		25 AND OVER			
	1985/6	1986/7	% CHANGE	NUMBER	% TOTAL	NUMBER	% TOTAL	1985/6	1986/7	1985/6	1986/7	1985/6	1986/7	1985/6	1986/7		
HOMICIDE	132	147	+11.36	118	89.39	133	90.48	6	4	17	22	20	24	55	78	98	128
SERIOUS ASSAULT	2,968	3,124	+ 5.26	1,846	62.19	1,915	61.29	152	140	410	405	345	346	587	638	1,494	1,529
ROBBERY	1,666	2,090	+25.45	457	27.43	556	26.60	51	75	105	115	57	66	80	111	293	367
RAPE	467	510	+ 9.21	316	67.66	358	70.19	12	1	28	25	24	23	61	106	125	155
BURGLARY	76,372	87,045	+13.98	8,702	11.39	9,136	10.49	1,929	2,205	1,443	1,360	713	705	934	1,003	5,019	5,273
THEFT	105,460	115,889	+ 9.89	24,384	23.12	26,998	23.29	6,614	7,778	3,225	3,418	1,518	1,720	5,847	9,656	17,204	22,572
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	26,334	32,598	+23.79	4,603	17.47	4,487	13.76	965	1,032	1,263	1,302	310	338	297	317	2,835	2,989
FRAUD, ETC.	35,714	42,263	+18.34	22,607	63.30	23,896	56.54	169	266	752	775	510	614	1,309	1,414	2,740	3,069

MAJOR CRIME AGAINST THE PERSON	5,233	5,871	+12.19	2,737	52.30	2,962	50.45	221	220	560	567	446	459	783	933	2,010	2,179
MAJOR CRIME AGAINST PROPERTY	243,880	277,795	+13.91	60,296	24.72	64,517	23.22	9,676	11,281	6,683	6,855	3,051	3,836	8,387	12,380	27,797	34,362
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	249,113	283,666	+13.87	63,033	25.30	67,479	23.79	9,897	11,501	7,243	7,422	3,497	4,295	9,170	13,323	29,807	36,541

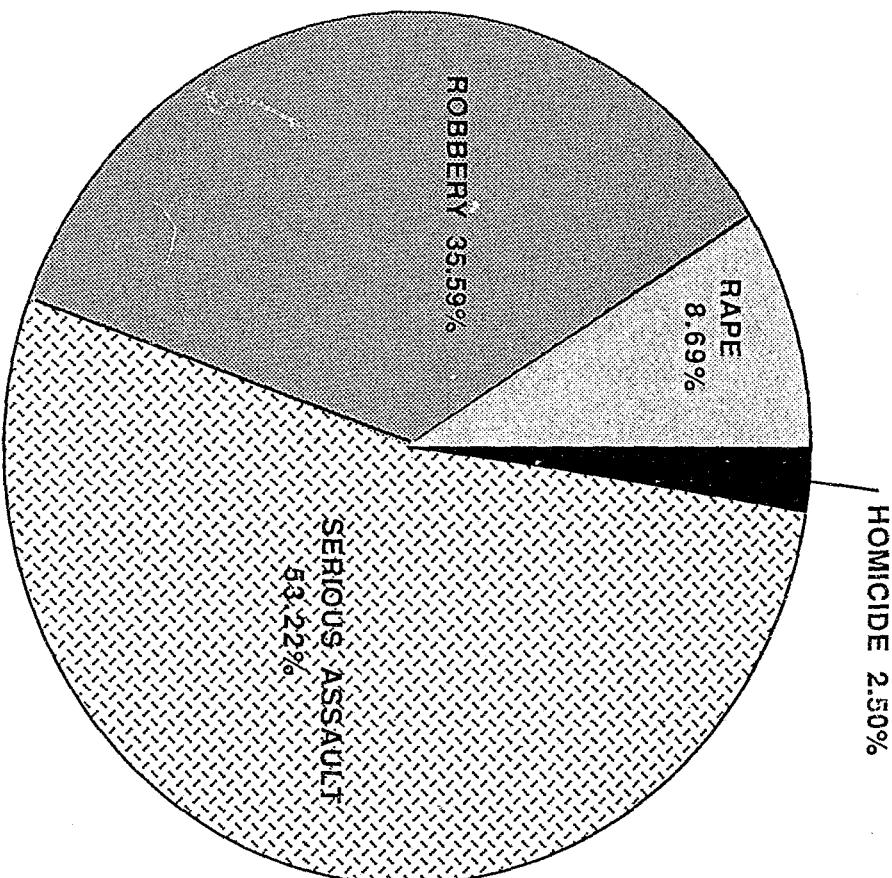
OTHER OFFENCES	80,104	89,641	+15.70	41,868	52.67	48,740	53.76	2,051	2,360	6,704	7,890	4,659	5,442	8,406	9,981	21,820	25,673
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1986/87 OFFENCE RATIOS ALL OFFENCES

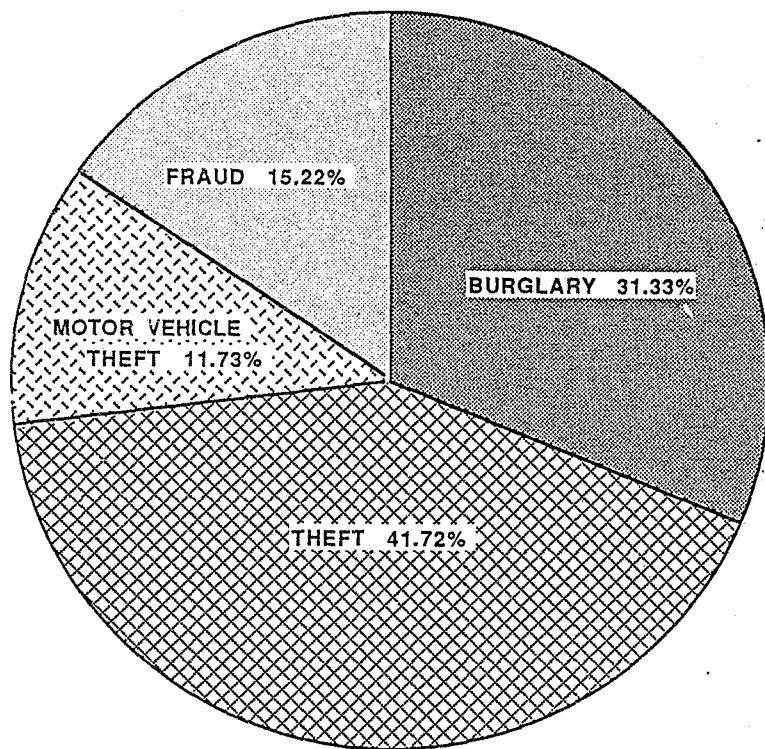


1986/87 OFFENCE RATIOS

MAJOR CRIME AGAINST THE PERSON



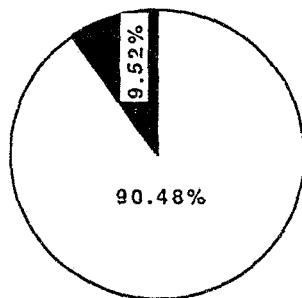
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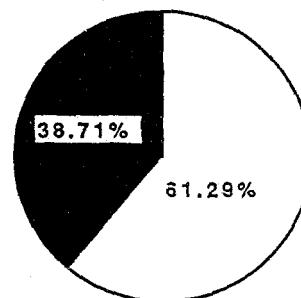
1986/87 CLEARED CRIME MAJOR CRIME AGAINST THE PERSON

REPORTED : 5,871
CLEARED : 2,962 [50.45%]

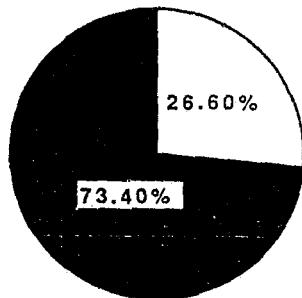
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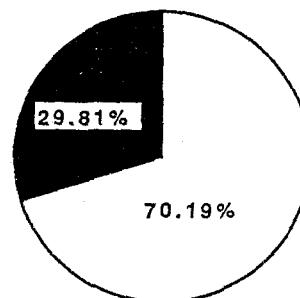
HOMICIDE:
REPORTED: 147



SERIOUS ASSAULT:
REPORTED: 3,124



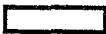
ROBBERY:
REPORTED: 2,090

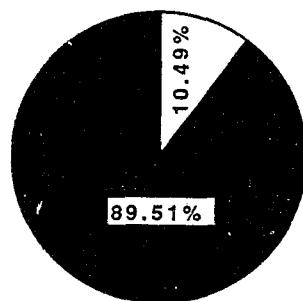


RAPE:
REPORTED: 510

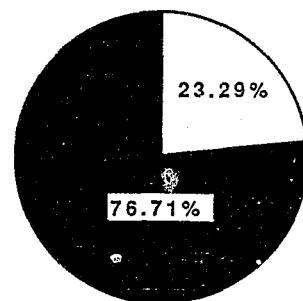
1986/87 CLEARED CRIME MAJOR CRIME AGAINST PROPERTY

REPORTED : 277,795
CLEARED : 64,517 [23.22%]

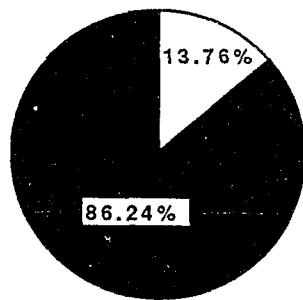
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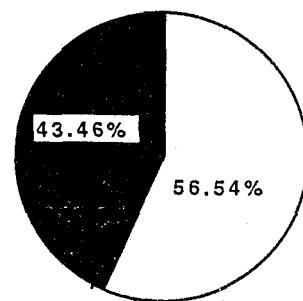
BURGLARY:
REPORTED: 87,045



THEFT:
REPORTED: 115,889



MOTOR VEHICLES:
REPORTED: 32,598



FRAUD:
REPORTED: 42,263

MAJOR CRIME INDEX SUMMARY - OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON

HOMICIDE: Total Reported 147:- Murder 68, Attempted Murder 70, Manslaughter 9, Infanticide NIL
Compared with previous year - +11%
Total Cleared 133 No Offence: NIL
Total Proceeded Against 128:- Males 113 (88%), Females 15 (12%)
Juveniles: 4 (3%), Ages 17-20: 22 (17%)
Ages 21-24: 24 (19%), Ages 25 and over: 78 (61%)
Previously Known: 82 (64%), Foreign Migrants: 20 (16%)

SERIOUS ASSAULT: Total Reported 3,124:- On Civilians 2,989, On Police 135
Compared with previous year - +5%
Total Cleared 1,915 No Offence: 107
Total Proceeded Against 1,529:- Males 1,415 (93%), Females 114 (7%)
Juveniles: 140 (9%), Ages 17-20: 405 (26%)
Ages 21-24: 346 (23%), Ages 25 and over: 638 (42%)
Previously Known: 948 (62%), Foreign Migrants: 217 (14%)

ROBBERY: Total Reported 2,090:- Firearms 655, Other Weapons 362, Other 1,073
Compared with previous year - +25%
Total Cleared 556 No Offence: 30
Total Proceeded Against 367:- Males 323 (88%), Females 44 (12%)
Juveniles: 75 (20%), Ages 17-20: 115 (31%)
Ages 21-24: 66 (19%), Ages 25 and over: 111 (30%)
Previously Known: 291 (79%), Foreign Migrants: 26 (7%)

RAPE: Total Reported 510:- Rape 406, Attempted Rape 99, Accessory 5
Compared with previous year - +9%
Total Cleared 358 No Offence: 100
Total Proceeded Against 155:- Males 151 (97%), Females 4 (3%)
Juveniles: 1 (1%), Ages 17-20: 25 (16%)
Ages 21-24: 23 (15%), Ages 25 and over: 106 (68%)
Previously Known: 110 (71%), Foreign Migrants: 17 (11%)

MAJOR CRIME INDEX SUMMARY - OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY

BURGLARY: Total Reported 87,045:- Houses 48,771, Shops 9,772, Offices 4,626
Other 23,876
Compared with previous year - +14%
Total Cleared 9,136 No Offence: 428
Total Proceeded Against 5,273:- Males 4,763 (90%), Females 510 (10%)
Juveniles: 2,205 (42%), Ages 17-20: 1,360 (26%)
Ages 21-24: 705 (13%), Ages 25 and over: 1,003 (19%)
Previously Known: 3,277 (62%), Foreign Migrants: 322 (6%)

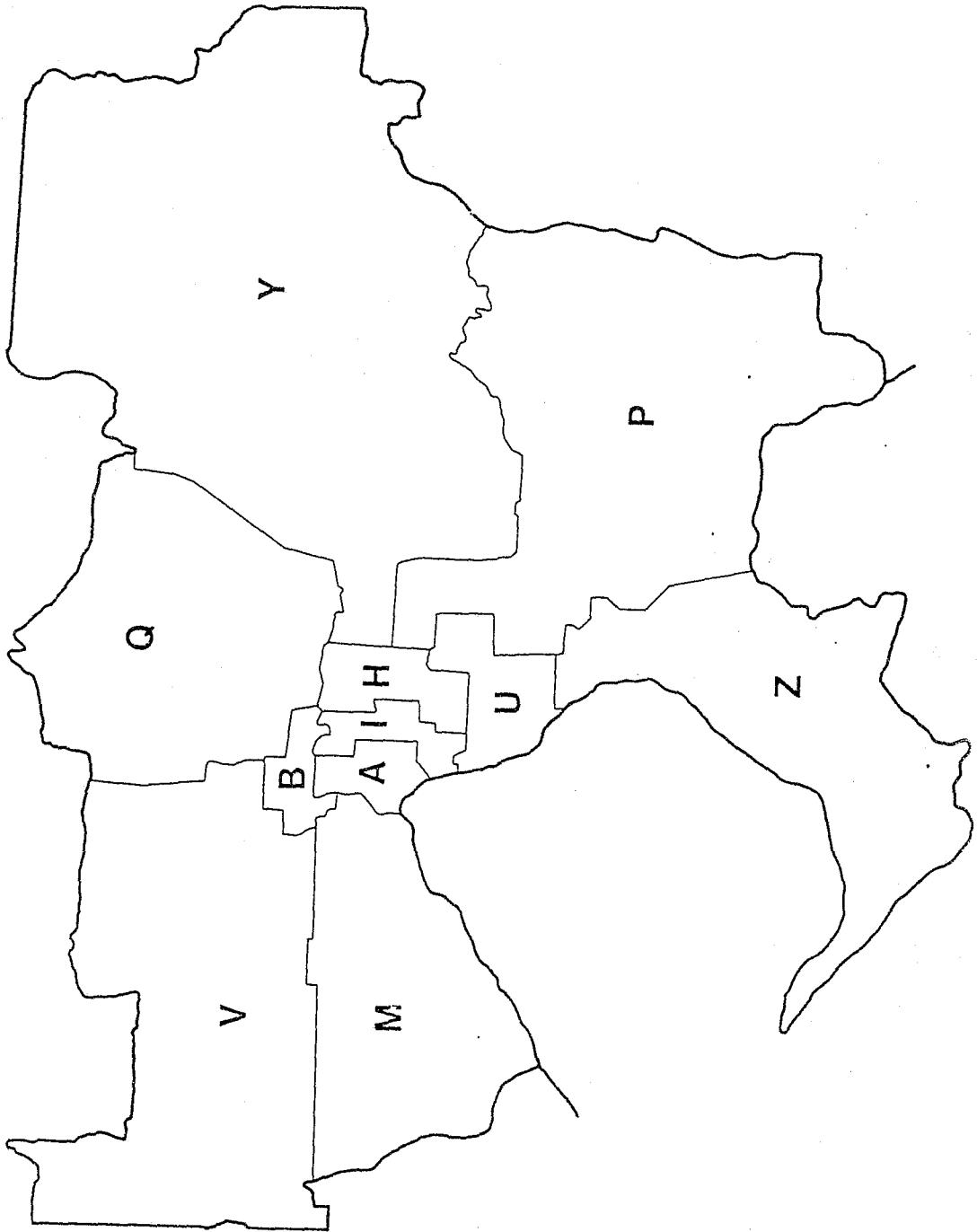
THEFT: Total Reported 115,889:- From Vehicles 41,413, Shopstealing 19,330
Bicycles 13,418, Other 41,728
Compared with previous year - +10%
Total Cleared 26,998 No Offence: 1,059
Total Proceeded Against 22,572*:- Males 13,303 (59%)
Females 9,269 (41%)
Juveniles: 7,778 (34%), Ages 17-20: 3,418 (15%)
Ages 21-24: 1,720 (8%), Ages 25 and over: 9,656 (43%)
Previously Known: 5,438 (24%), # Foreign Migrants: 4,280 (19%)
Does not include Shopstealing Warnings.

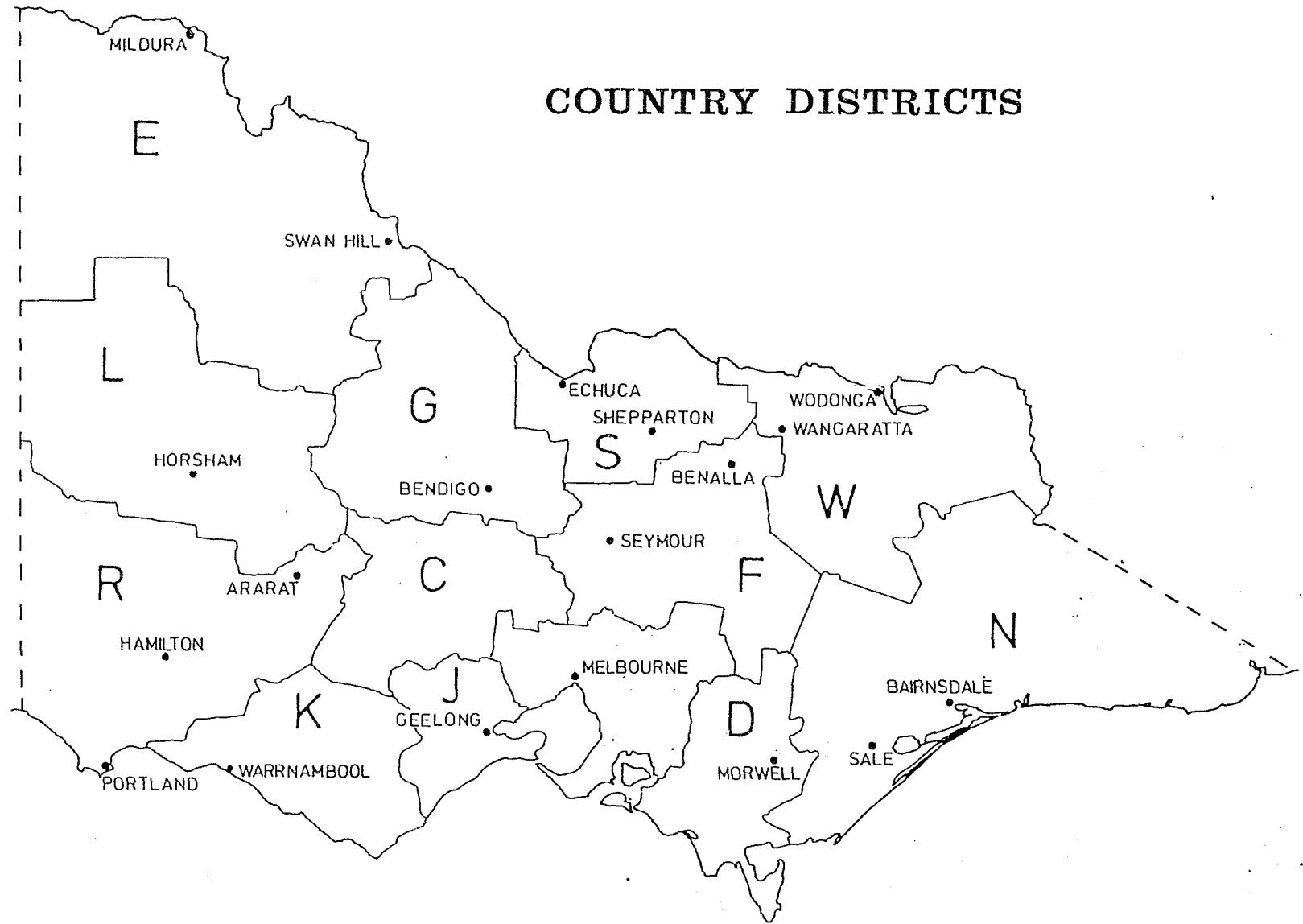
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT:
Total Reported 32,598:- Cars 28,379, Cycles 1,556, Attempts 2,663
Compared with previous year - +24%
Total Cleared 4,487 No Offence: 670
Total Proceeded Against 2,989:- Males 2,812 (94%), Females 177 (6%)
Juveniles: 1,032 (34%), Ages 17-20: 1,302 (44%)
Ages 21-24: 338 (11%), Ages 25 and over: 317 (11%)
Previously Known: 2,057 (69%), Foreign Migrants: 203 (7%)

FRAUD ETC. Total Reported 42,263:- Credit Cards 22,934, Cheques 5,072
Currency Offences 35, Misappropriation Other 14,222
Compared with previous year - +18%
Total Cleared 23,896 No Offence: 206
Total Proceeded Against 3,069:- Males 2,123 (69%), Females 946 (31%)
Juveniles: 266 (9%), Ages 17-20: 775 (25%)
Ages 21-24: 614 (20%), Ages 25 and over: 1,414 (46%)
Previously Known: 1,736 (57%), Foreign Migrants: 408 (13%)

* Of the total cleared 11,009 persons were warned under the Shop Stealing Warning Program.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICTS





CRIME RATES IN POLICE DISTRICTS 1985/86

METROPOLITAN DISTRICTS
(Rates per 100,000 Population)

	"A"	"B"	"H"	"I"	"M"	"P"
HOMICIDE	16.6	4.9	2.4	4.3	7.3	1.2
SERIOUS ASSAULT	433	123	39	276	76	70
ROBBERY	313	74	43	196	58	27
RAPE	54	14	6	35	8	9
BURGLARY:						
Aggravated	13	9	4	12	5	3
Factory	92	64	11	78	67	55
House	2,487	2,252	1,562	3,047	1,642	913
Shop	764	378	261	469	293	156
Other	2,051	382	401	583	593	379
<u>TOTAL</u>	5,407	3,085	2,239	4,189	2,600	1,506
THEFT:						
Bicycles	650	199	222	376	393	341
From Motor vehicles	6,334	1,299	1,007	2,838	1,208	567
Shopstealing	3,363	296	233	411	549	433
Other	6,589	980	855	1,904	1,018	627
<u>TOTAL</u>	16,936	2,774	2,317	5,529	3,168	1,968
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	4,226	1,138	628	1,531	1,000	706
FRAUD, ETC.	9,900	914	1,167	1,934	977	740
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	37,286	8,127	6,441	13,694	7,894	5,027
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:						
Arson	112	44	23	78	91	23
Other	485	182	120	273	132	101
<u>TOTAL</u>	597	226	143	351	223	124
DRUG OFFENCES	888	623	215	1,019	214	150
MINOR ASSAULT	1,097	219	106	416	165	118
SEX OFFENCES (Other than rape)	138	70	27	80	56	51

- NOTES:
1. These tables are based on C.I.B. data - see the Introduction for details
 2. All rates except Homicide are rounded to whole numbers; Homicide rates are rounded to one decimal place. Discrepancies between stated totals and sums of individual items are due to rounding.

CRIME RATES IN POLICE DISTRICTS 1986/87

METROPOLITAN DISTRICTS
(Rates per 100,000 population)

	<u>"A"</u>	<u>"B"</u>	<u>"H"</u>	<u>"I"</u>	<u>"M"</u>	<u>"P"</u>
HOMICIDE	14.4	7.8	1.3	9	6.2	3.4
SERIOUS ASSAULT	539	130	41	230	73	49
ROBBERY	483	119	44	200	77	32
RAPE	63	25	9	43	9	6
BURGLARY:						
Aggravated	19	8	3	12	5	6
Factory	177	78	14	46	106	66
House	3,293	2,608	1,475	2,728	1,948	1,011
Shop	967	447	277	424	325	205
Other	3,769	536	484	861	845	649
TOTAL:	8,225	3,677	2,253	4,071	3,229	1,937
THEFT:						
Bicycles	637	406	199	299	398	339
From Motor Vehicles	6,995	1,491	1,113	2,783	1,197	651
Shopstealing	3,881	441	257	669	695	426
Other	7,424	1,067	983	1,834	955	688
TOTAL:	18,937	3,405	2,552	5,585	3,245	2,104
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	4,883	1,619	633	1,668	1,436	974
FRAUD ETC.	16,868	1,296	879	2,164	888	607
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	50,012	10,279	6,412	13,970	8,963	5,712
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:						
Arson	123	68	32	64	139	32
Other	782	207	162	318	191	127
TOTAL:	905	275	194	382	330	159
DRUG OFFENCES	1,353	635	243	901	380	135
MINOR ASSAULT	1,303	239	112	431	192	139
SEX OFFENCES (other than rape)	223	96	49	81	165	92

* No cases reported to District C.I.B. during 1986/87.

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CRIME RATES IN POLICE DISTRICTS 1985/86

METROPOLITAN DISTRICTS (continued)
(Rates per 100,000 Population)

	<u>"Q"</u>	<u>"U"</u>	<u>"V"</u>	<u>"Y"</u>	<u>"Z"</u>
HOMICIDE	1.5	1.9	1.6	3.5	2.3
SERIOUS ASSAULT	53	37	72	39	57
ROBBERY	32	32	28	28	20
RAPE	11	8	10	8	8
BURGLARY:					
Aggravated	3	3	5	2	3
Factory	49	135	62	43	48
House	1,345	949	1,177	990	1,018
Shop	130	229	174	158	176
Other	254	358	346	390	493
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,781	1,674	1,764	1,583	1,738
THEFT:					
Bicycles	173	476	334	237	421
From Motor vehicles	694	899	621	709	839
Shopstealing	364	201	347	442	303
Other	474	890	591	629	958
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,705	2,466	1,893	2,017	2,521
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT:	640	571	515	533	470
FRAUD, ETC.	683	869	502	511	483
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	4,907	5,659	4,786	4,723	5,299
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:					
Arson	18	31	27	22	27
Other	113	117	151	111	115
<u>TOTAL</u>	131	148	178	133	142
DRUG OFFENCES	269	270	342	157	262
MINOR ASSAULT	107	108	126	107	122
SEX OFFENCES (Other than rape)	39	73	42	43	147

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CRIME RATES IN POLICE DISTRICTS 1986/87

METROPOLITAN DISTRICTS
(Rates per 100,000 population)

	<u>"Q"</u>	<u>"U"</u>	<u>"V"</u>	<u>"Y"</u>	<u>"Z"</u>
HOMICIDE	2.9	1	2.4	2.4	5.6
SERIOUS ASSAULT	53	39	87	44	62
ROBBERY	45	55	21	34	24
RAPE	9	5	12	4	18
BURGLARY:					
Aggravated	6	6	2	3	1
Factory	76	144	54	51	34
House	1,534	893	1,252	780	978
Shop	168	297	199	190	211
Other	363	528	440	479	604
TOTAL:	2,147	1,868	1,947	1,503	1,828
THEFT:					
Bicycles	210	418	283	211	416
From Motor Vehicles	936	1,002	675	675	956
Shopstealing	394	264	342	472	345
Other	734	896	526	596	1,070
TOTAL:	2,274	2,580	1,826	1,954	2,787
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	1,030	622	674	579	579
FRAUD ETC.	724	729	548	782	782
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	6,285	5,899	5,117	4,902	6,086
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:					
Arson	27	45	46	36	36
Other	116	164	151	137	137
TOTAL:	143	209	197	173	173
DRUG OFFENCES	283	383	523	373	373
MINOR ASSAULT	111	154	145	141	141
SEX OFFENCES (other than rape)	82	90	145	117	333

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CRIME RATES IN POLICE DISTRICTS 1985/86

COUNTRY DISTRICTS

(Rates per 100,000 Population)

	<u>"C"</u>	<u>"D"</u>	<u>"E"</u>	<u>"F"</u>	<u>"G"</u>	<u>"J"</u>
HOMICIDE	2.2	3.8	3.0	1.9	6.4	4.7
SERIOUS ASSAULT	70	57	52	43	7	70
ROBBERY	12	25	6	9	9	22
RAPE	11	20	7	9	5	14
BURGLARY:						
Aggravated	2	1	4	2	3	1
Factory	24	43	10	4	9	25
House	605	610	310	379	439	828
Shop	232	168	173	175	110	202
Other	474	508	384	373	532	496
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,337	1,330	881	933	1,093	1,552
THEFT:						
Bicycles	395	191	257	165	197	375
From Motor vehicles	530	767	312	309	497	735
Shopstealing	407	397	366	58	397	364
Other	709	833	718	855	805	960
<u>TOTAL</u>	2,041	2,188	1,653	1,387	1,896	2,434
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	284	232	217	194	145	332
FRAUD, ETC.	420	379	393	1,321	521	399
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	4,177	4,235	3,212	3,898	3,682	4,828
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:						
Arson	10	61	16	19	16	32
Other	68	153	28	83	31	82
<u>TOTAL</u>	78	214	44	102	47	114
DRUG OFFENCES	231	359	264	232	244	295
MINOR ASSAULT	108	108	81	112	75	75
SEX OFFENCES (Other than rape)	69	190	55	16	36	40

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CRIME RATES IN POLICE DISTRICTS 1986/87

COUNTRY DISTRICTS
(Rates per 100,000 population)

	"C"	"D"	"E"	"F"	"G"	"J"
HOMICIDE	1.5	3.1	1.6	4.1	3.3	3.7
SERIOUS ASSAULT	51	73	116	46	34	68
ROBBERY	17	12	11	6	10	23
RAPE	18	5	4	4	6	14
BURGLARY:						
Aggravated	1	5	1	*	1	3
Factory	41	35	12	19	6	26
House	678	523	545	434	379	687
Shop	249	186	272	170	233	169
Other	545	636	539	646	639	690
TOTAL:	1,514	1,385	1,369	1,269	1,258	1,575
THEFT:						
Bicycles	354	279	313	150	282	419
From Motor Vehicles	617	772	569	365	528	743
Shopstealing	471	487	295	117	375	471
Other	762	956	854	968	652	1,007
TOTAL:	2,204	2,494	2,031	1,600	1,837	2,640
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	370	452	345	263	186	349
FRAUD ETC.	706	703	383	226	324	907
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	4,881	5,127	4,261	3,418	3,658	5,580
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:						
Arson	14	28	17	80	64	41
Other	100	163	70	106	318	90
TOTAL:	114	191	87	186	382	131
DRUG OFFENCES	190	617	209	284	901	235
MINOR ASSAULT	141	154	121	135	431	100
SEX OFFENCES (other than rape)	81	259	41	76	81	61

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COUNTRY DISTRICTS (continued)

(Rates per 100,000 Population)

	<u>"K"</u>	<u>"L"</u>	<u>"N"</u>	<u>"R"</u>	<u>"S"</u>	<u>"W"</u>
HOMICIDE	2.8	2.3	3.0	*	1.1	2.6
SERIOUS ASSAULT	44	57	29	43	52	25
ROBBERY	5	*	3	10	15	6
RAPE	9	5	16	9	4	5
BURGLARY:						
Aggravated	1	2	*	1	1	2
Factory	29	11	18	7	2	13
House	239	190	384	235	615	215
Shop	98	192	182	119	268	79
Other	281	350	438	341	362	463
<u>TOTAL</u>	648	745	1,022	703	1,248	772
THEFT:						
Bicycles	244	151	326	184	412	443
From Motor vehicles	499	374	398	327	424	424
Shopstealing	179	213	328	96	264	211
Other	813	706	1,167	638	1,404	854
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,735	1,444	2,219	1,245	2,504	1,932
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	187	144	143	176	131	159
FRAUD, ETC.	476	394	446	446	391	364
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	3,107	2,791	3,881	2,632	4,346	3,266
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:						
Arson	15	8	19	18	15	34
Other	40	103	91	61	72	64
<u>TOTAL</u>	55	111	110	79	87	98
DRUG OFFENCES	269	245	316	193	201	325
MINOR ASSAULT	57	133	113	73	141	123
SEX OFFENCES (Other than rape)	51	33	93	19	92	57

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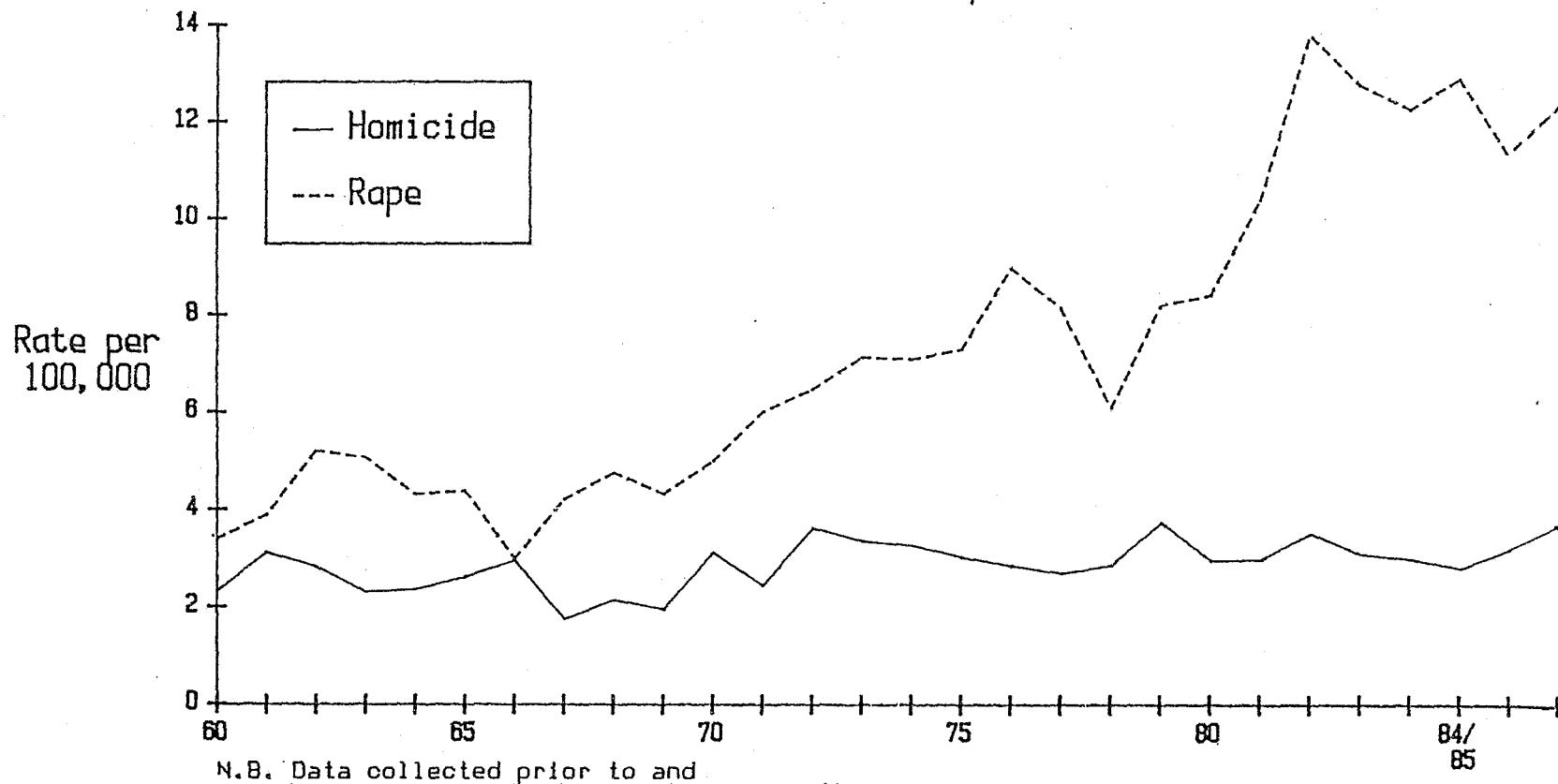
	COUNTRY DISTRICTS					
	(Rates per 100,000 population)					
	"K"	"L"	"N"	"R"	"S"	"W"
HOMICIDE	1.5	*	4.6	*	1	1
SERIOUS ASSAULT	55	27	105	60	48	36
ROBBERY	6	12	6	7	8	19
RAPE	4	12	7	24	7	14
BURGLARY:						
Aggravated	*	2	2	1	4	3
Factory	18	21	24	33	15	9
House	271	234	132	274	616	169
Shop	220	329	125	164	273	140
Other	459	420	431	358	658	632
TOTAL:	968	1,006	714	830	1,566	953
THEFT:						
Bicycles	313	237	435	213	484	505
From Motor Vehicles	644	399	556	309	506	390
Shopstealing	382	130	213	91	352	396
Other	924	643	1,038	856	1,244	1,616
TOTAL:	2,263	1,409	2,242	1,469	2,586	2,907
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	231	166	238	141	210	188
FRAUD ETC.	428	517	542	357	327	352
TOTAL MAJOR CRIME	3,957	3,149	3,859	2,888	4,753	4,470
CRIMINAL DAMAGE:						
Arson	14	21	59	6	19	20
Other	72	254	78	83	64	89
TOTAL:	86	275	137	89	83	109
DRUG OFFENCES	295	123	464	348	259	228
MINOR ASSAULT	88	126	150	78	104	93
SEX OFFENCES (other than rape)	62	108	75	29	104	52

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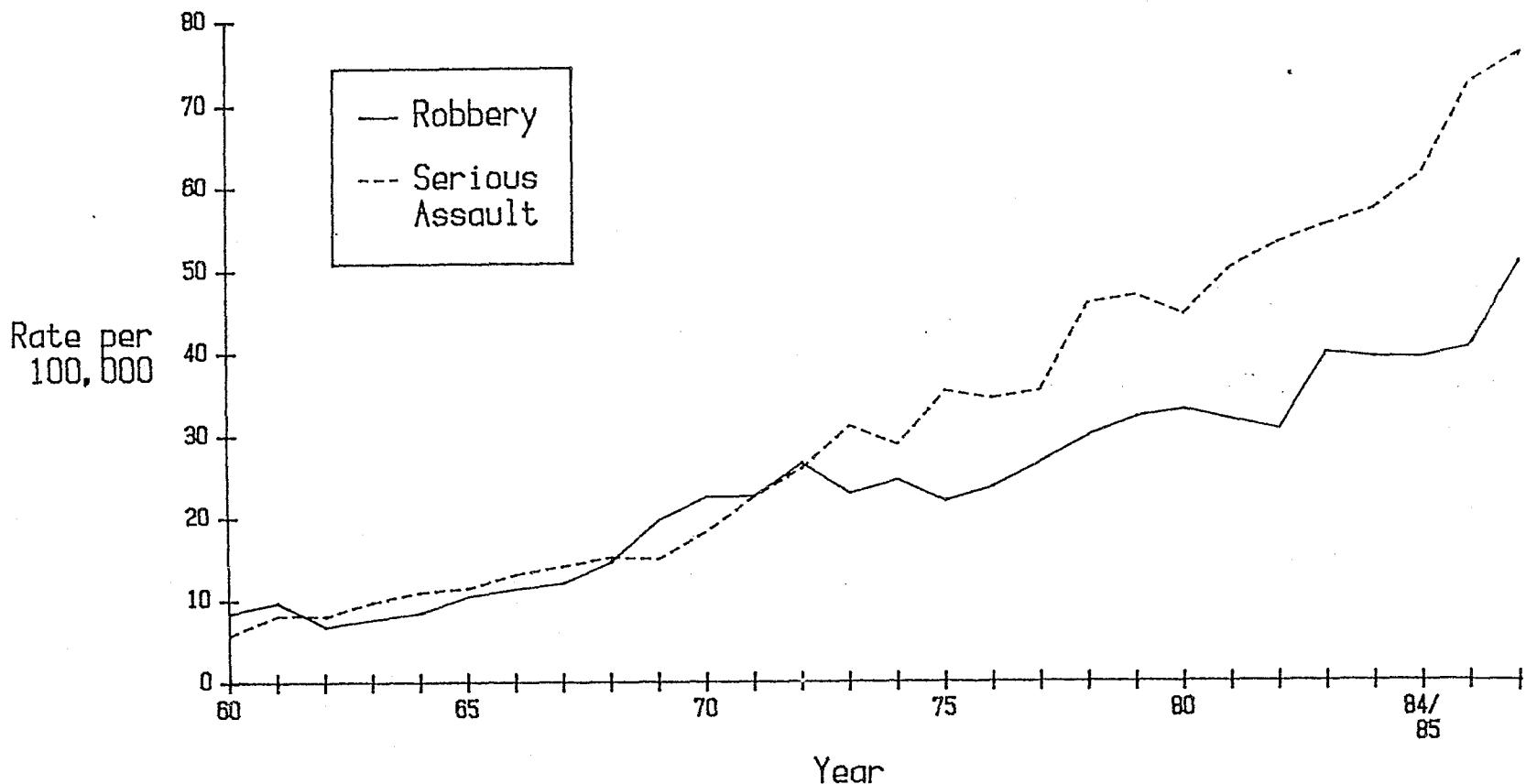
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MAJOR CRIME INDEX,
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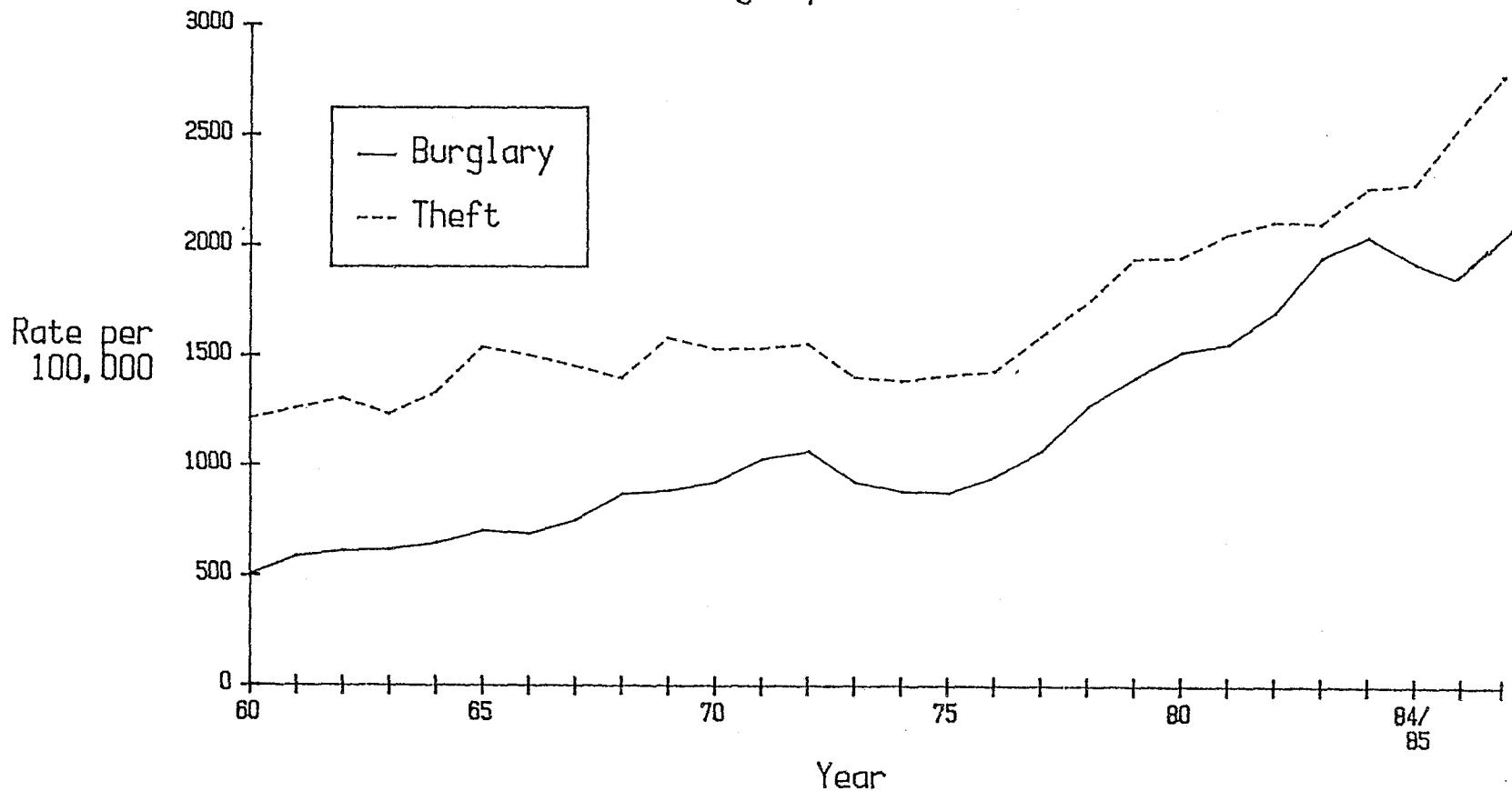
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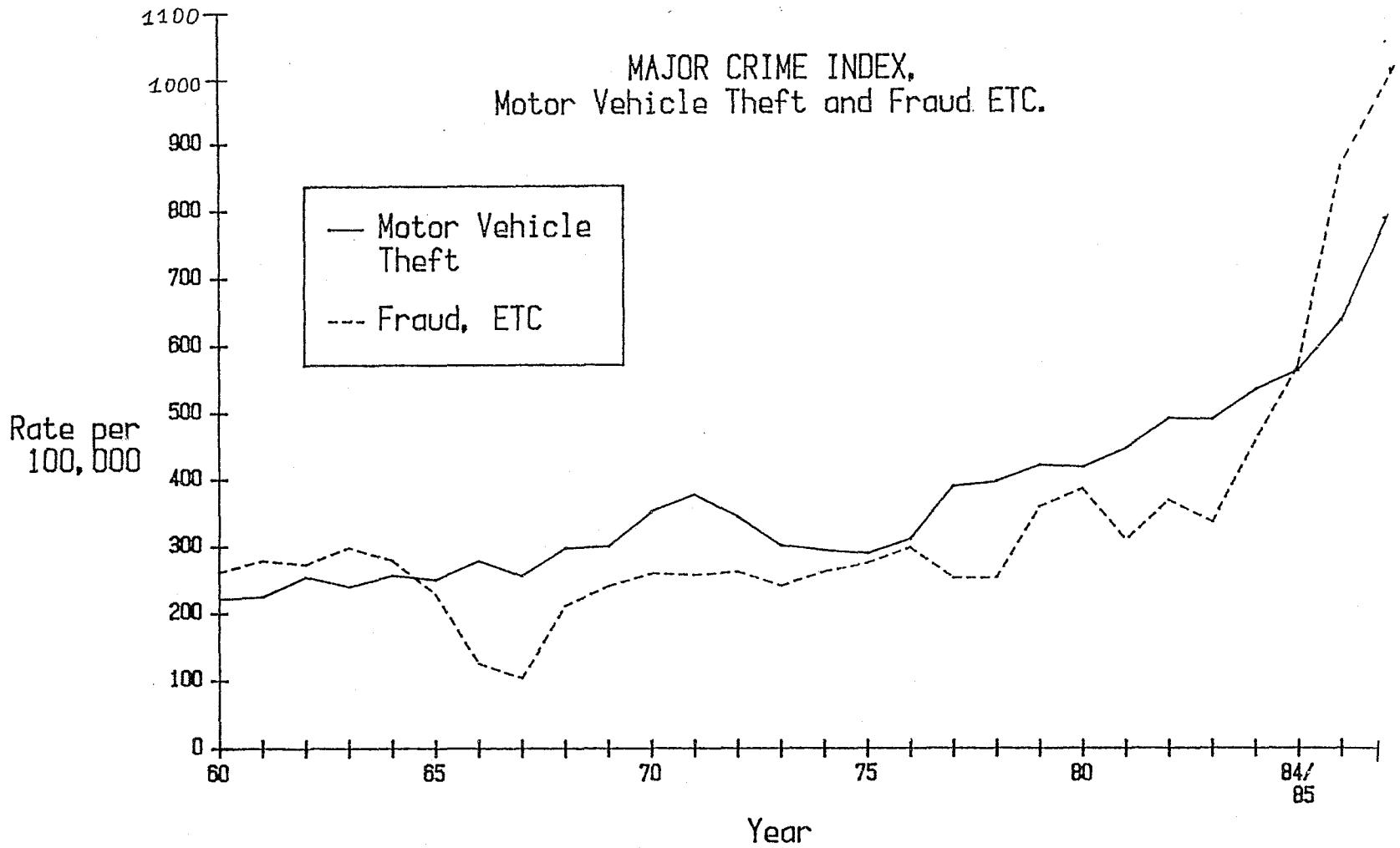


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MAJOR CRIME INDEX,
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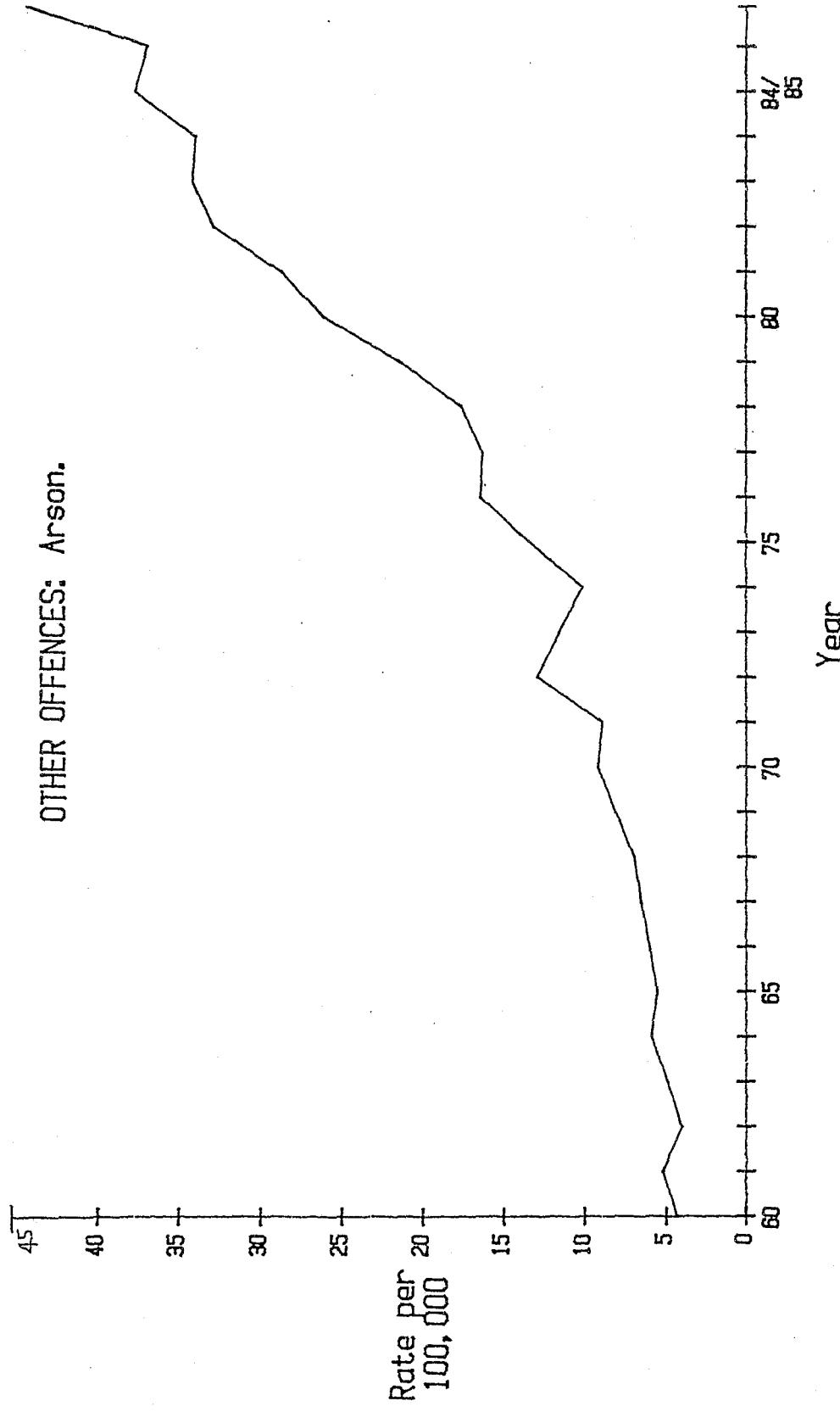


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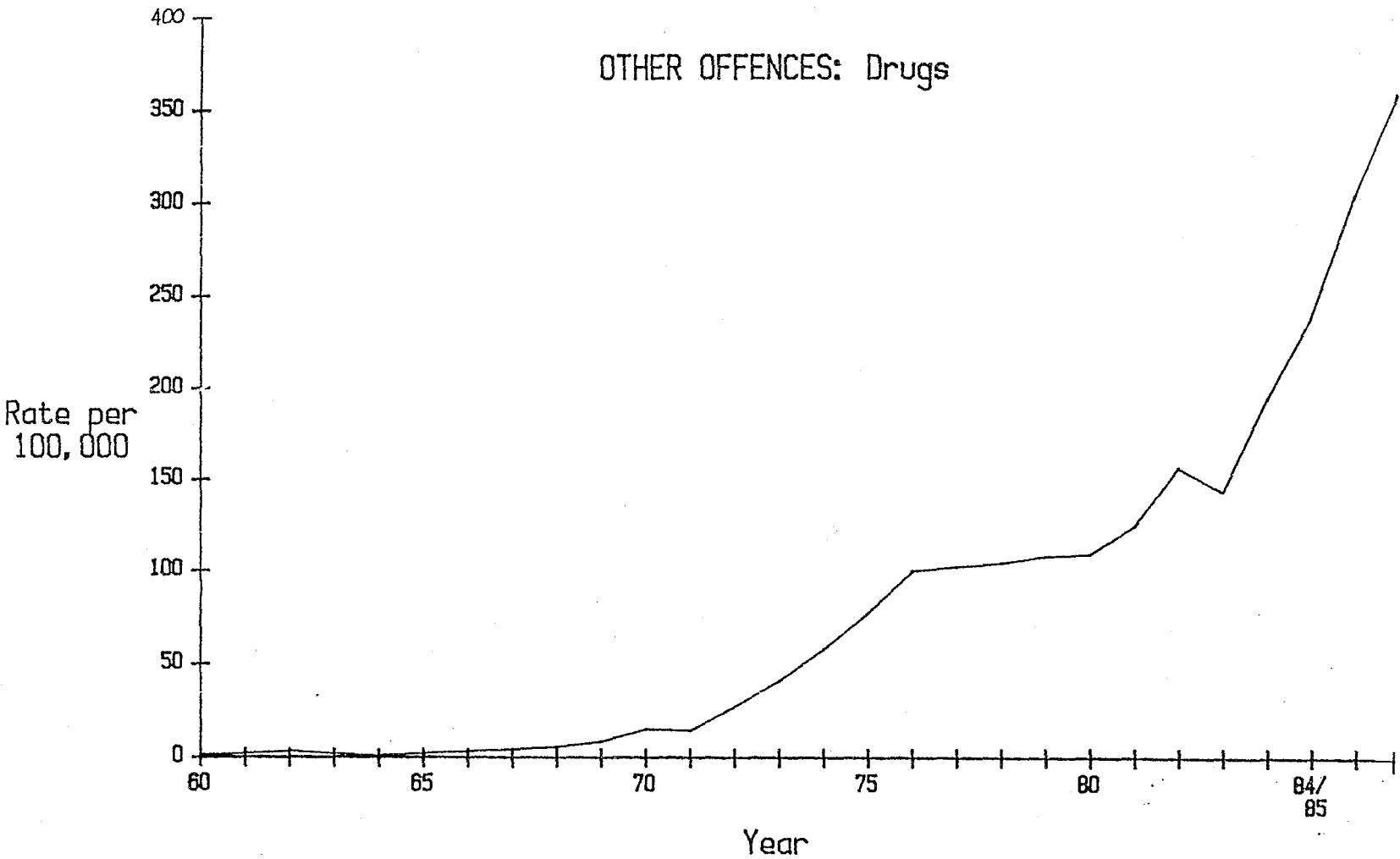


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OTHER OFFENCES: Arson.

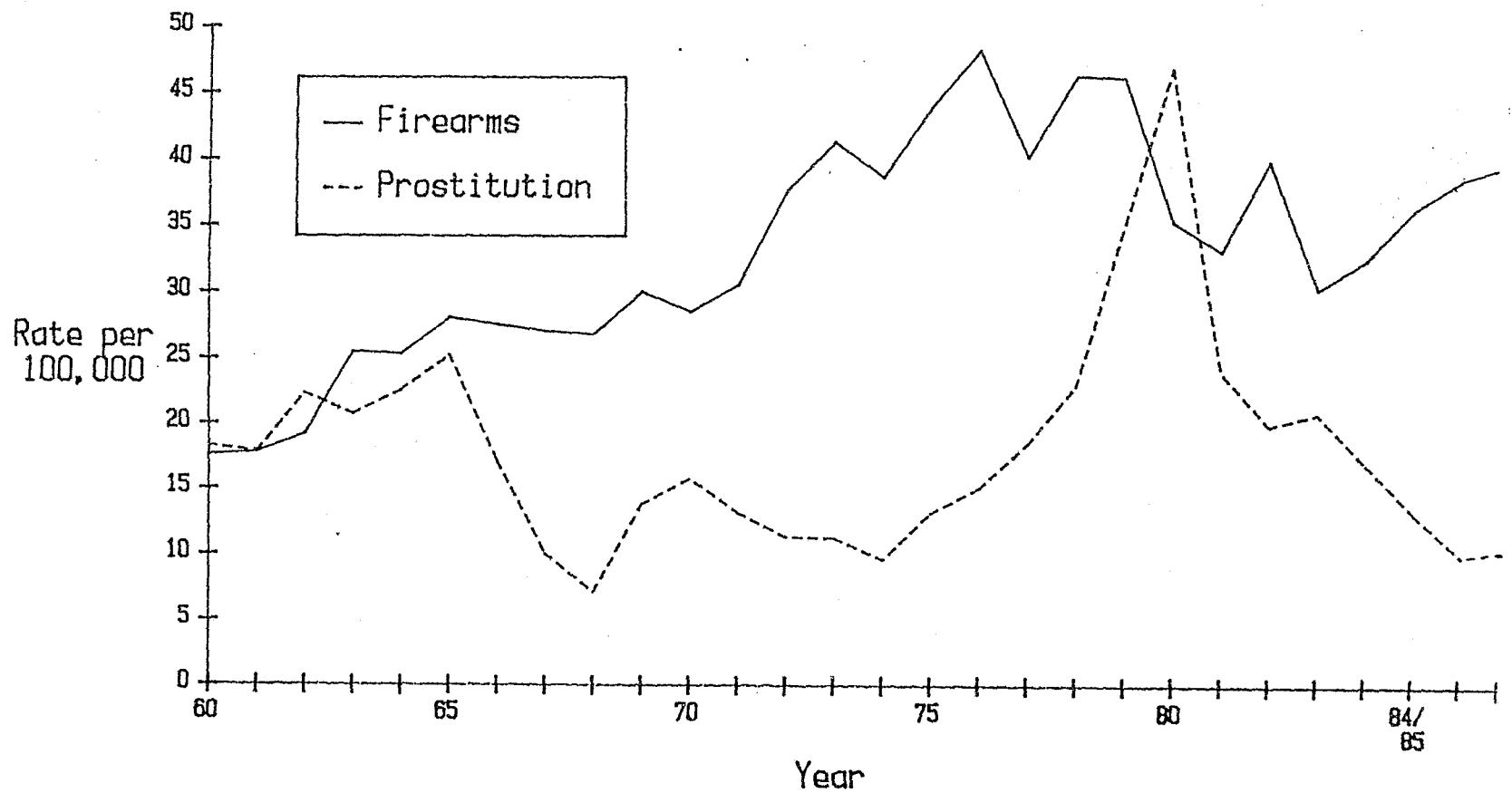


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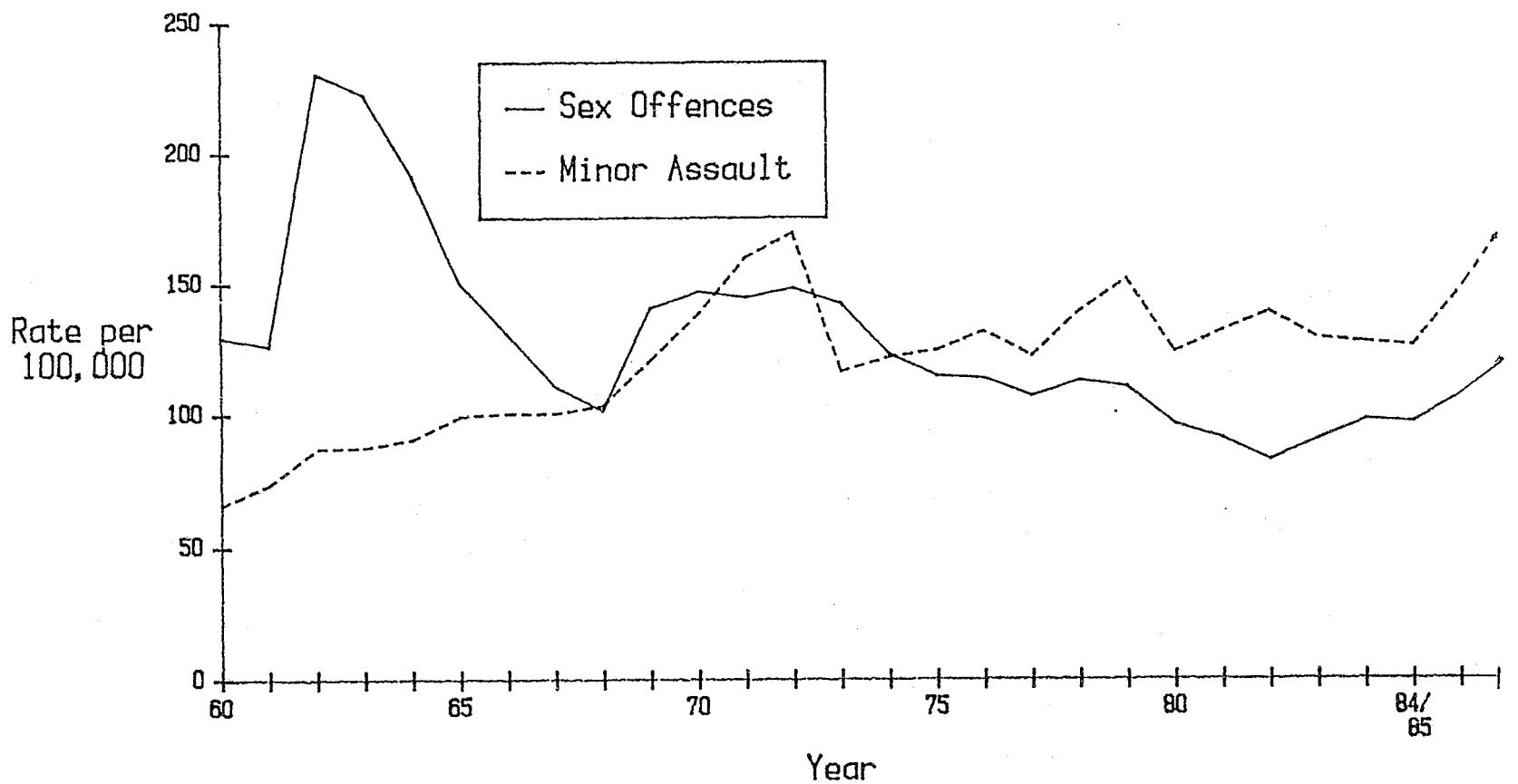
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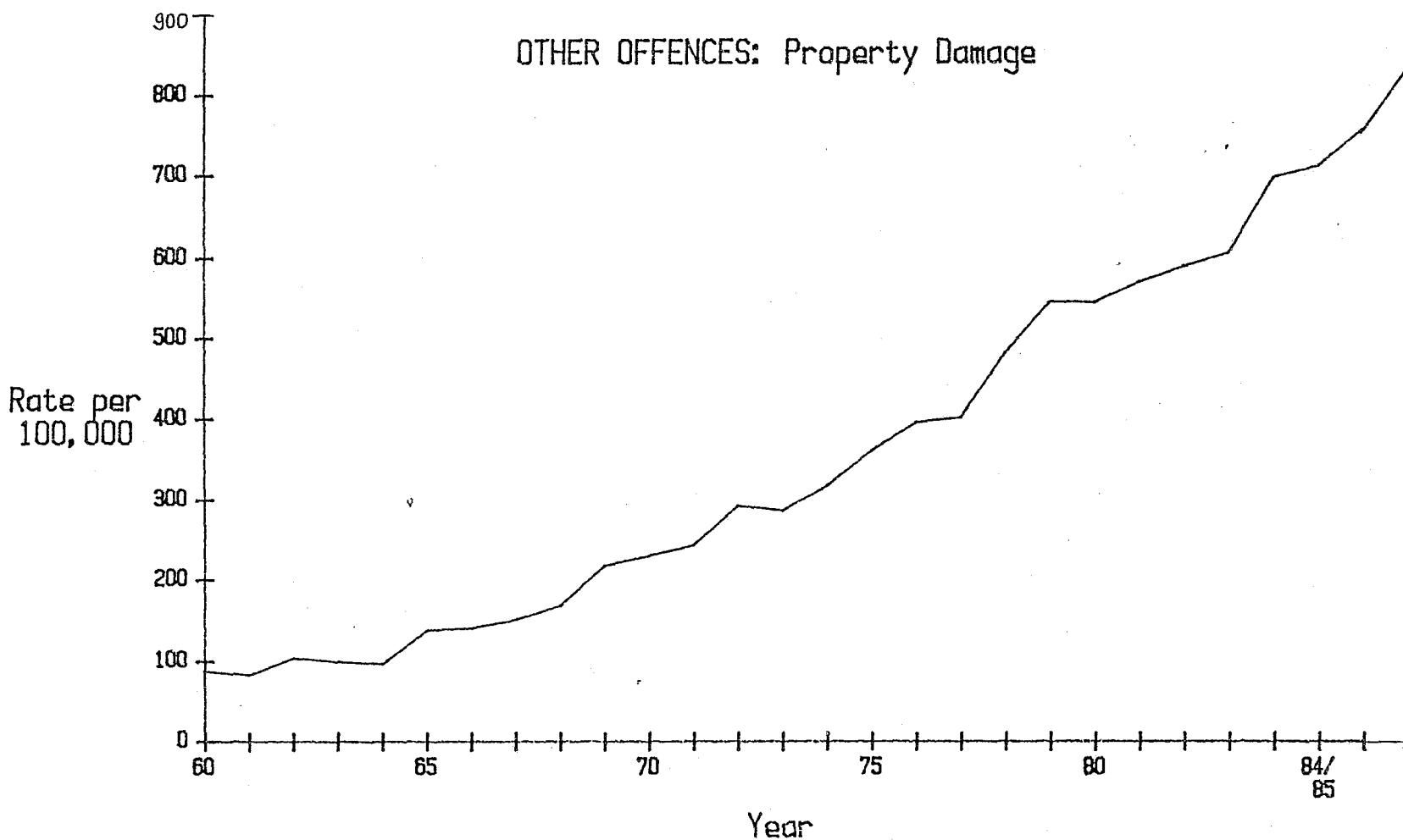


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OTHER OFFENCES: Minor Assault and
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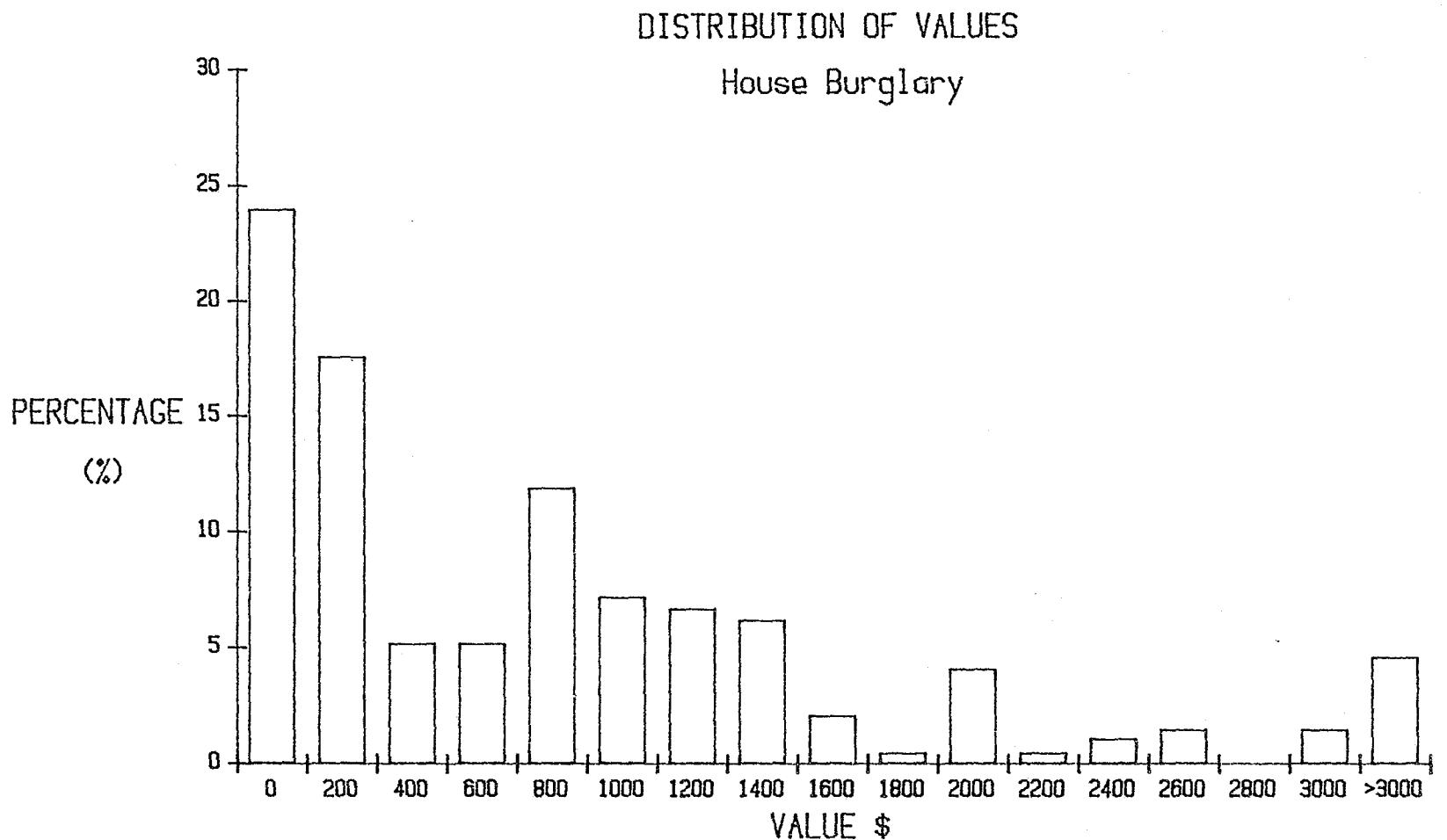
VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN AND DAMAGED

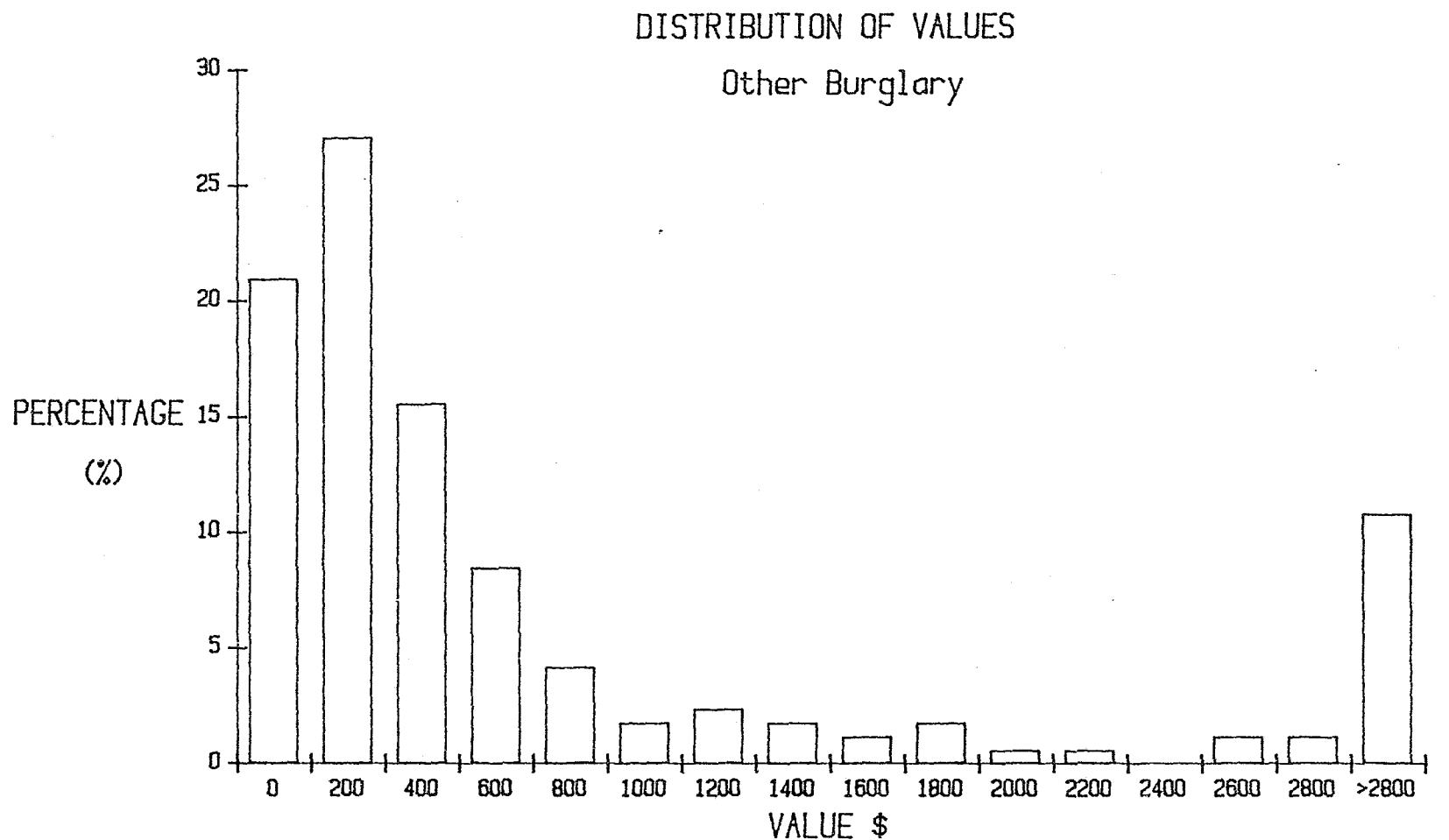
As explained in the introduction, samples of crime reports received at the statistics section have been used to estimate the distribution of the value of property stolen and damaged in some of the more common offences.

The total number of occurrences of each offence type was obtained on a monthly basis. Because of the large number of crimes, a sample was taken for each offence type, in order to arrive at the estimates. For each offence, the approximate median and average values are given, together with an estimate of the total for the State, based on the number of offences recorded in the Statistical Review.

The values shown on crime reports are usually based only on an initial assessment of the property stolen or damaged, and later corrections to the values may not be reported. In addition, estimates based on samples may be affected by sampling errors, particularly in the higher value ranges where small number of cases can have a disproportionate effect on the total and average values.

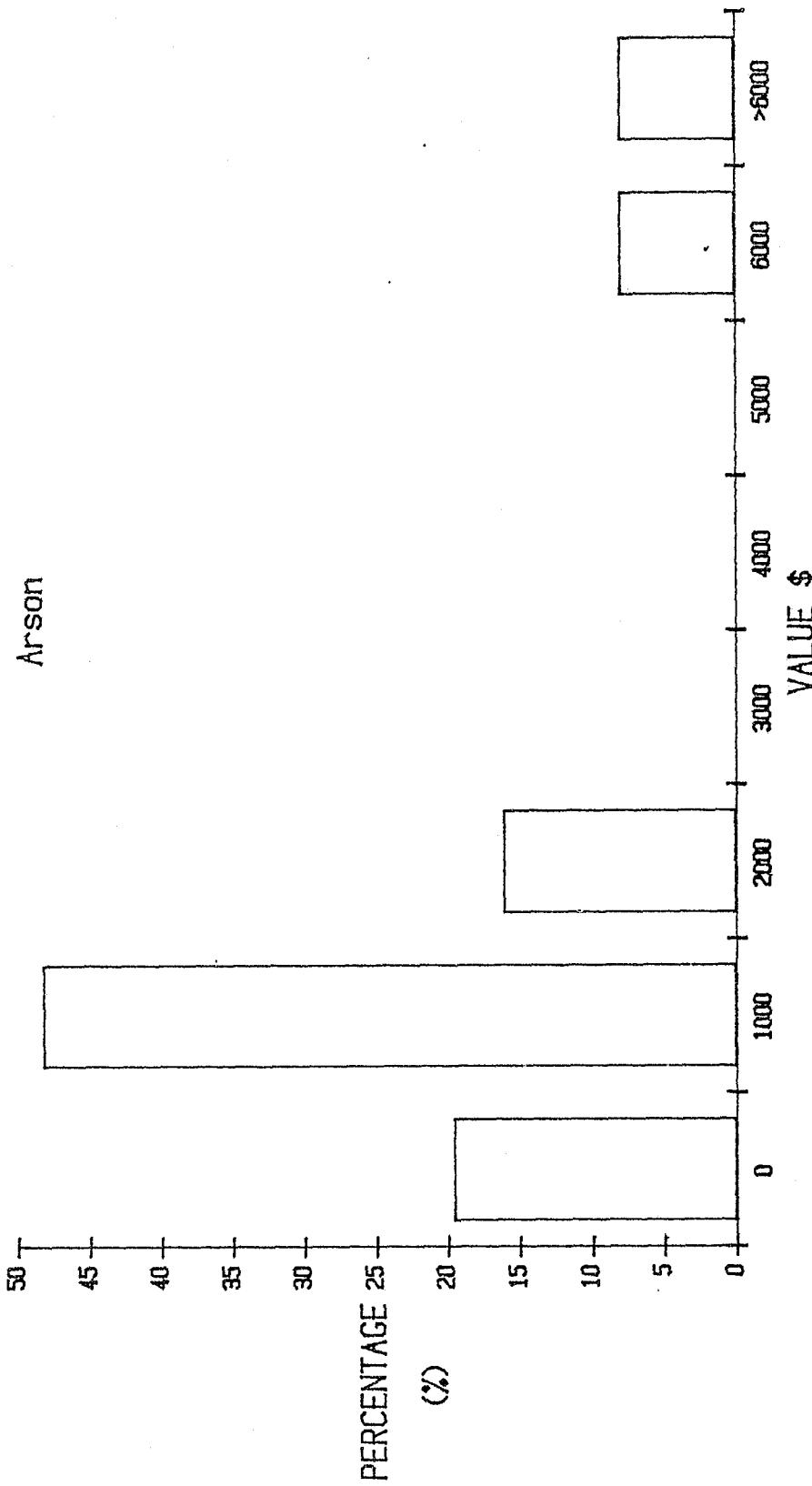
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| Burglary | - Houses: Median \$800; Average \$1106.74
State total about \$52.3 million. |
| | - Other: Median \$360; Average \$1409.41
State total about \$54.8 million. |
| Theft | - Bicycles. Median \$200; Average \$222.23
State total about \$2.7 million. |
| | - From Motor Vehicles: Median \$172.5;
Average \$456.4. State total about
\$18.9 million. |
| | - Shoplifting: Median \$70.3; Average -
\$251.01. State total about \$4.9 million
(Does not include warnings under the
shopstealing warning program). |
| | - Other; Median \$245; Average \$987.13
State total about \$41.3 million. |
| Motor Vehicle Theft | - Median \$2,350; Average \$5388.19
State total about \$167.7 million. |
| Fraud | - Median \$200; Average \$1361.36
State total about \$65.3 million. |
| Arson | - Median \$900; Average \$6325.
State total about \$12.5 million. |
| Wilful Damage | - Median \$150; Average \$231.31
State total about \$6.4 million. |





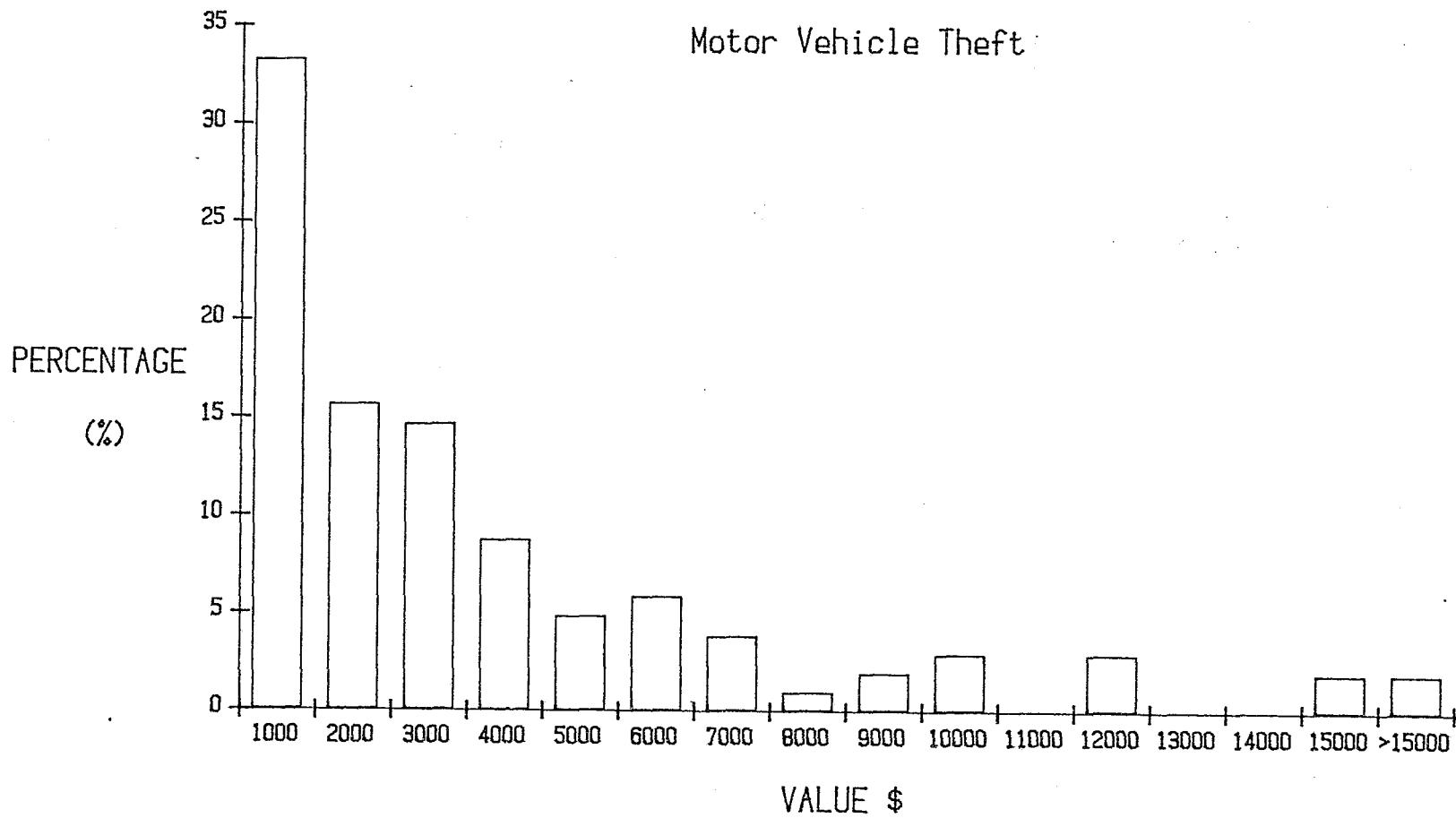
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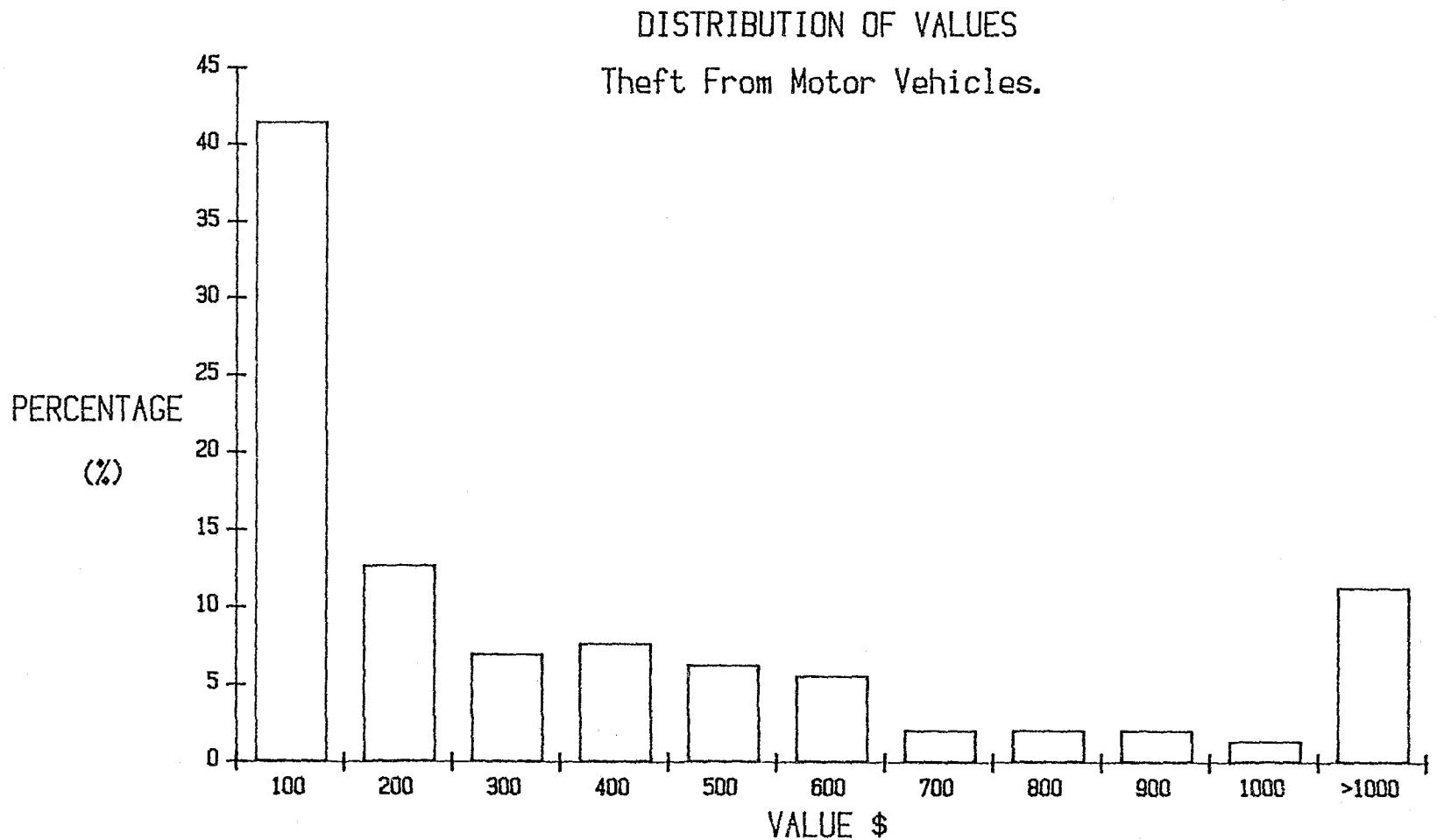
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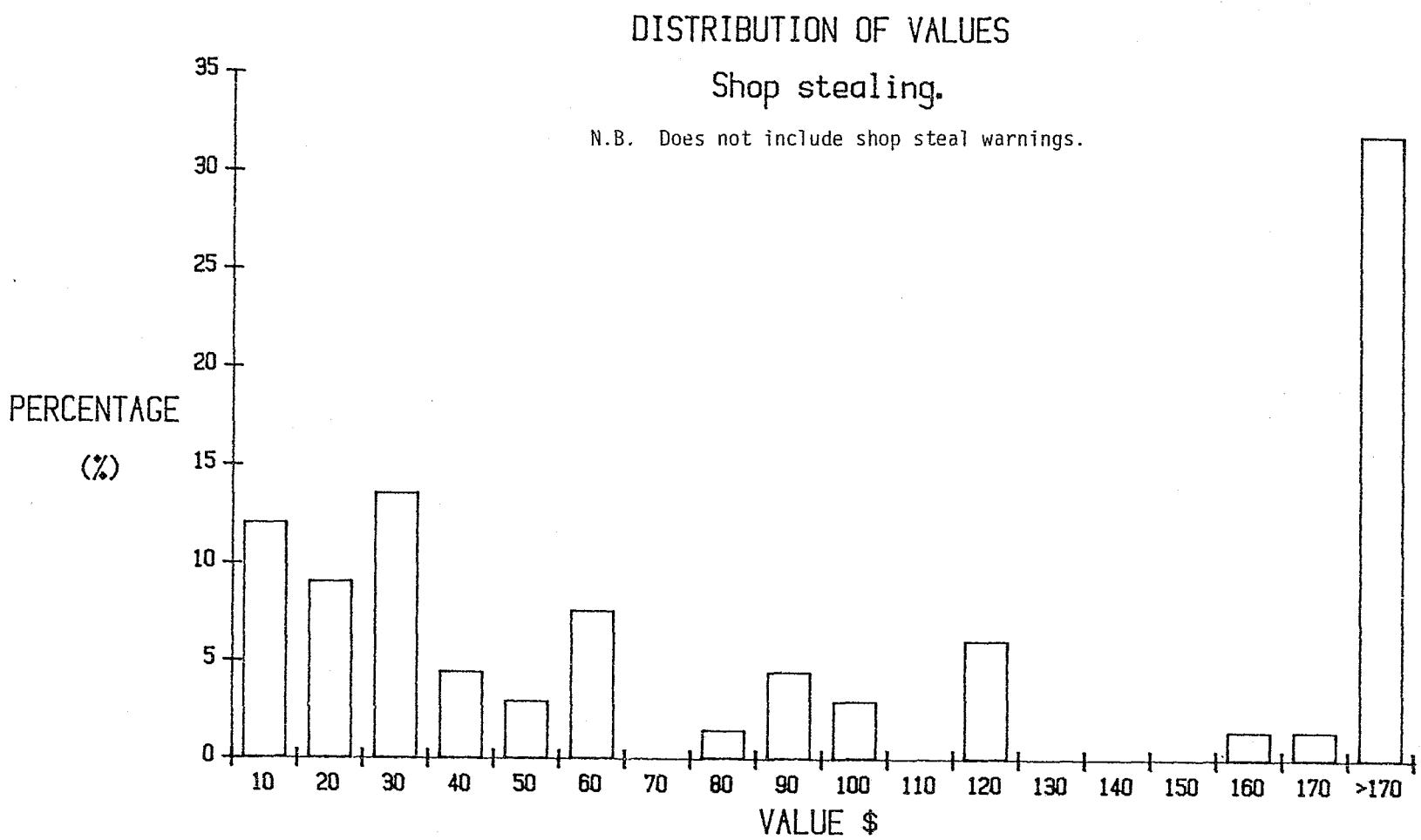


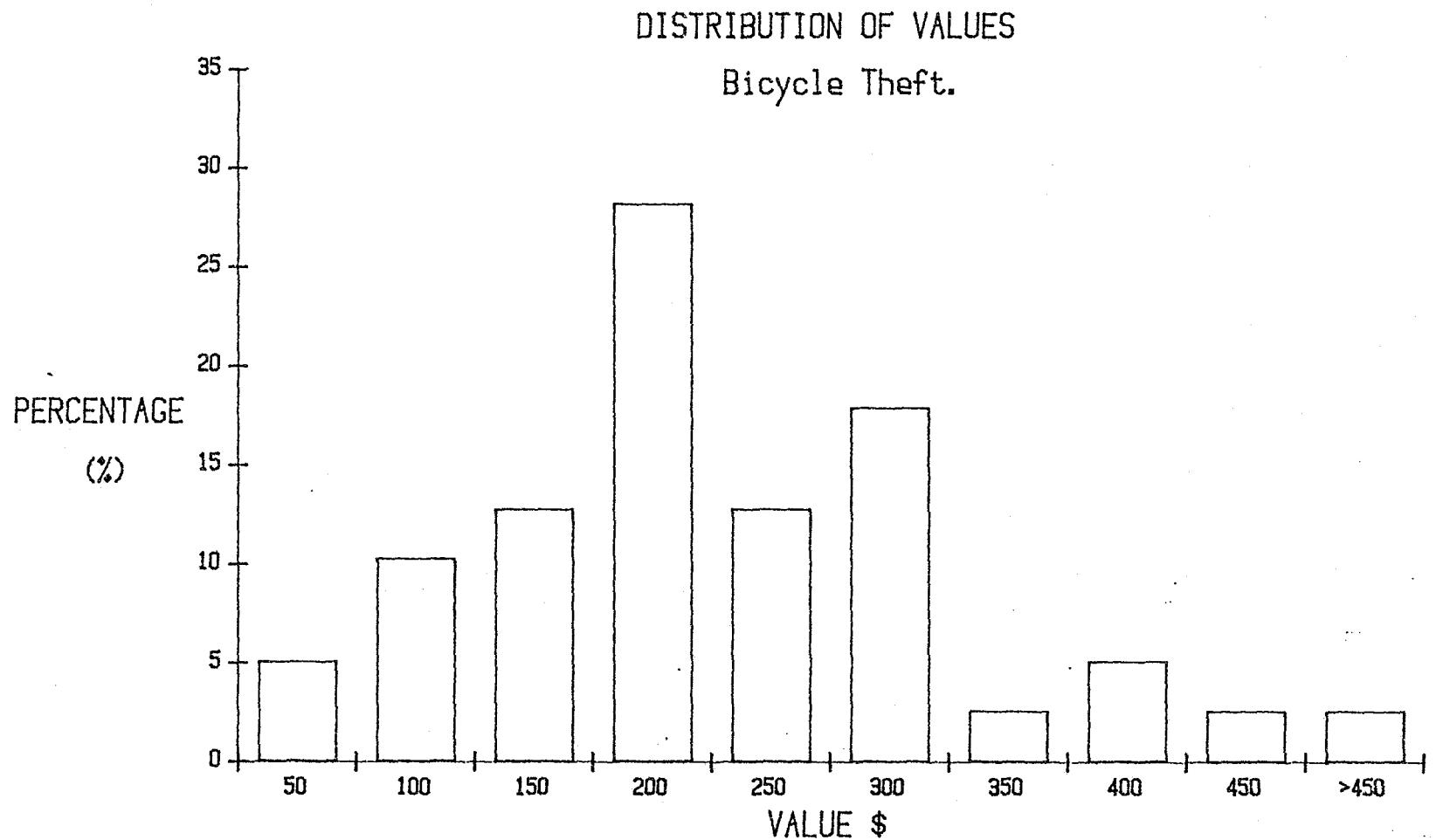
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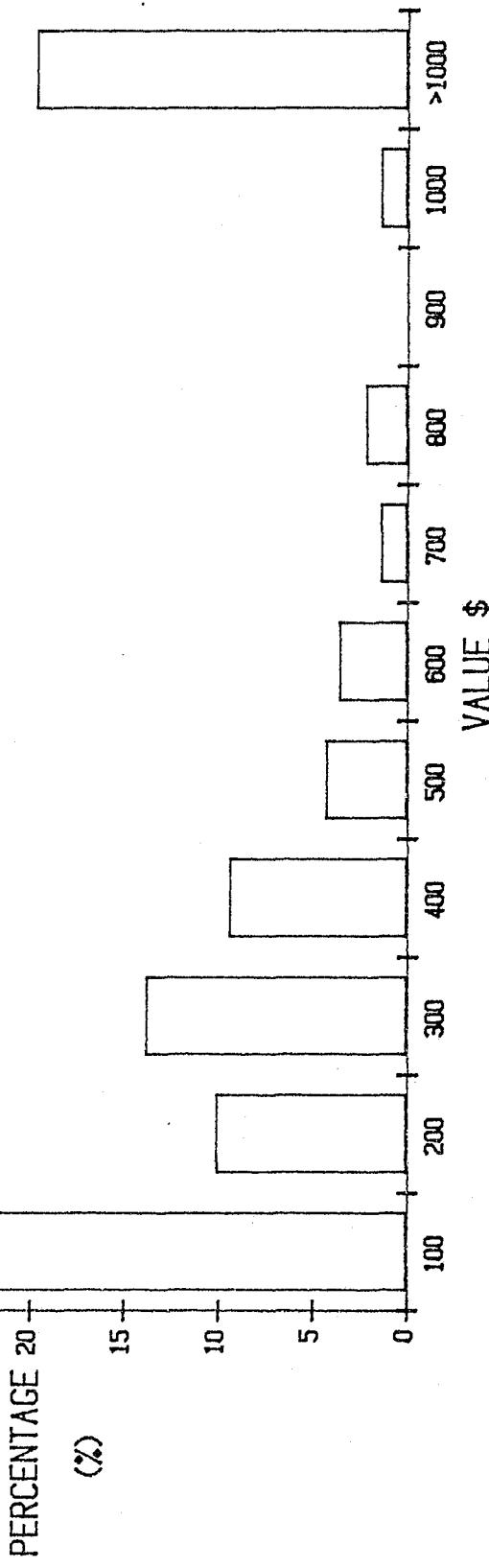






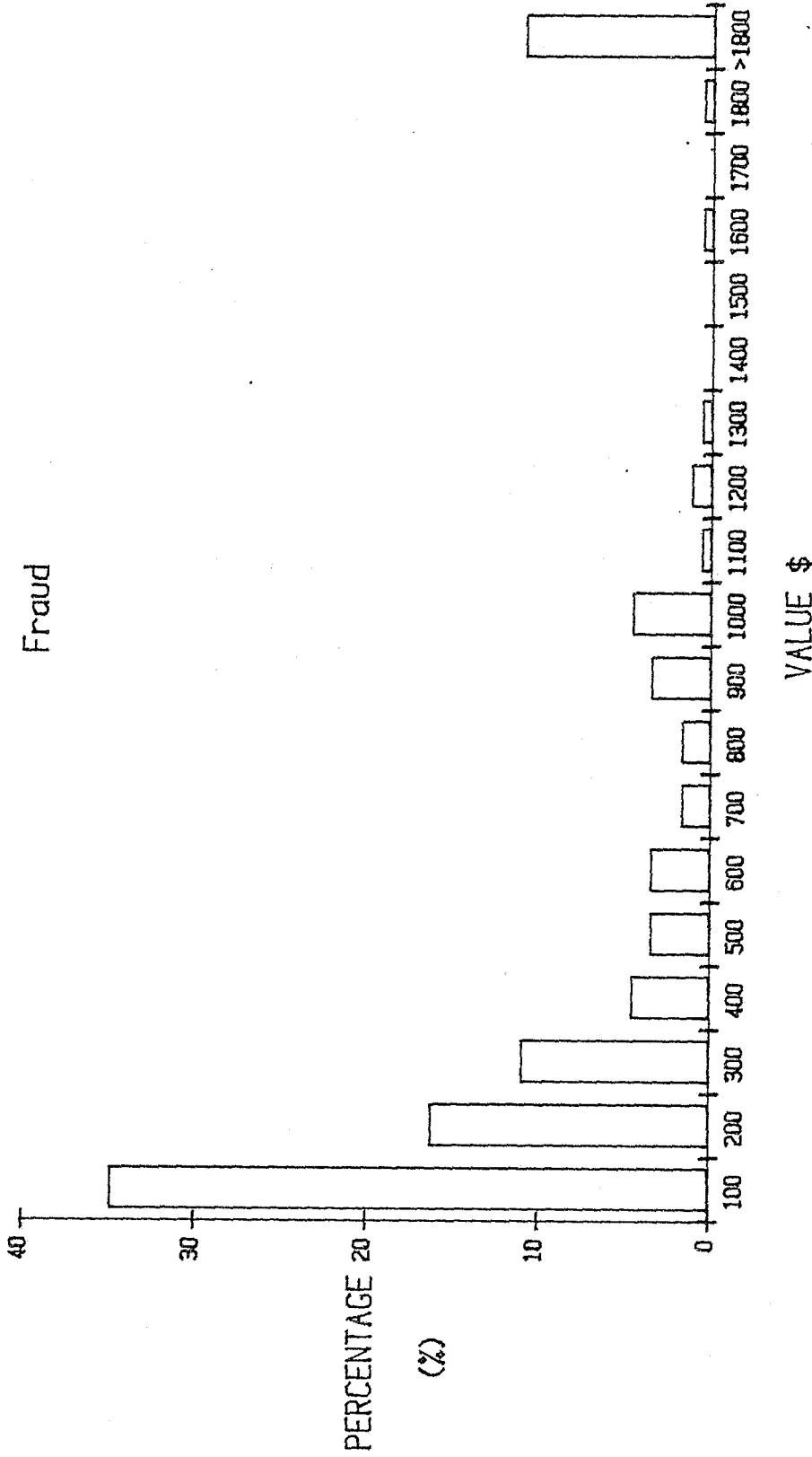
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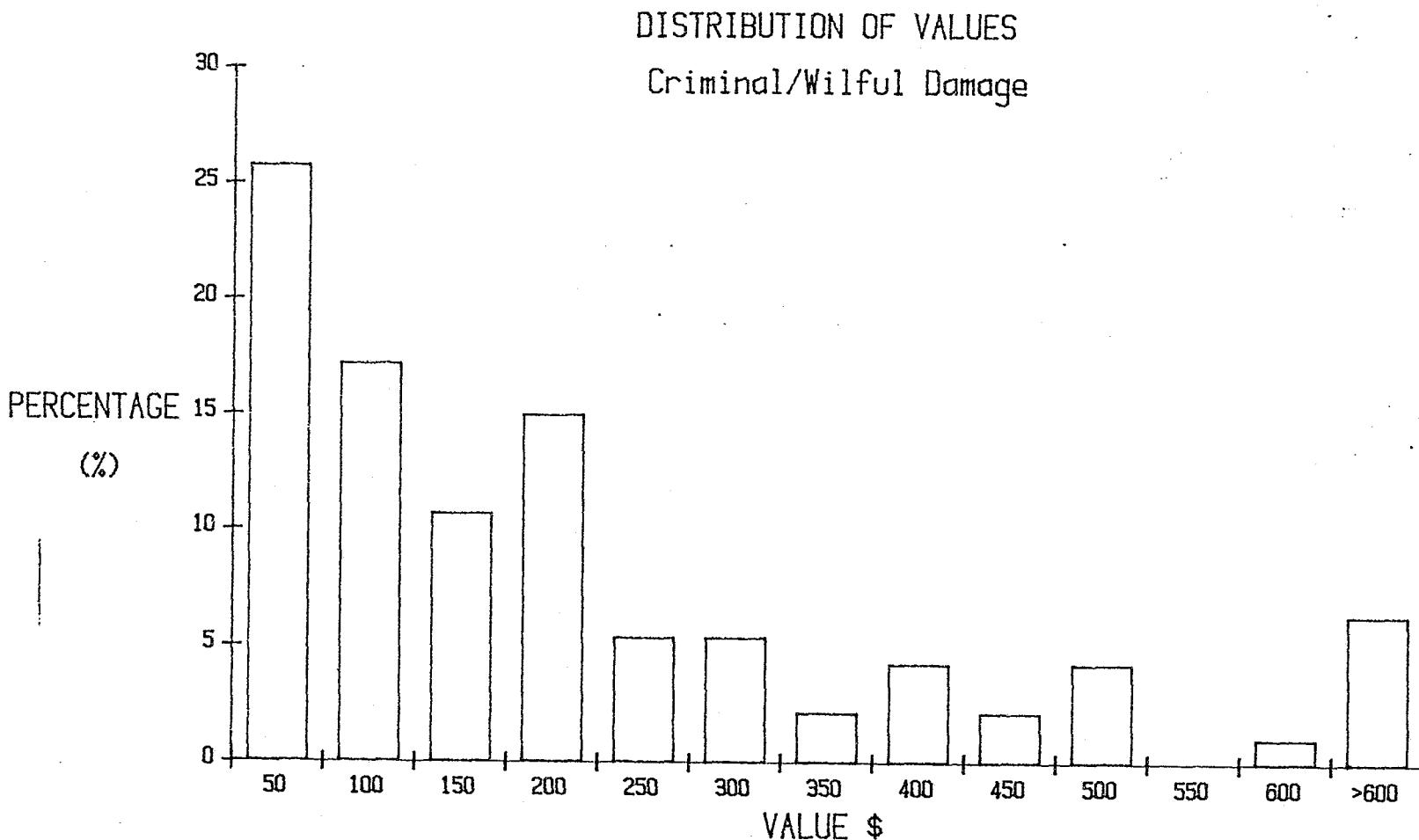
Other Theft



DISTRIBUTION OF VALUES

Fraud





ANALYSIS BY SEX PEOPLE PROCEEDED AGAINST

MALE



FEMALE



POPULATION OF VICTORIA:

50%

50%

HOMICIDE:

88%

12%

SERIOUS ASSAULT:

93%

7%

ROBBERY:

88%

12%

RAPE:

97%

3%

BURGLARY:

90%

10%

THEFT:

59 %

41 %

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT:

94%

6%

FRAUD ETC:

69%

31%

TOTAL MAJOR CRIME INDEX:

72%

28%

OTHER OFFENCES:

87%

13%

ANALYSIS BY AGE

PEOPLE PROCEEDED AGAINST

JUVENILES



AGES
17-20



AGES
21-24



AGES
25+OVER



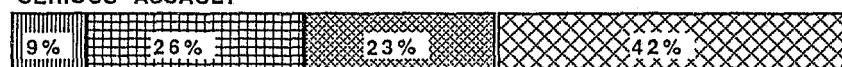
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HOMICIDE:



SERIOUS ASSAULT



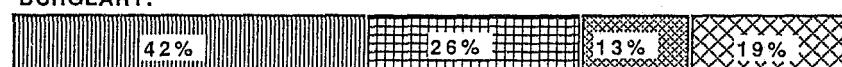
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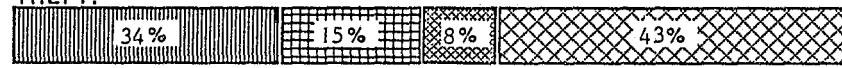
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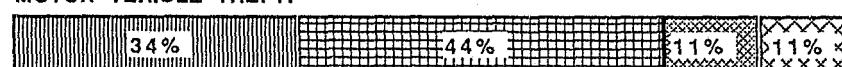
BURGLARY:



THEFT:



MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT:



FRAUD ETC:



TOTAL MAJOR CRIME INDEX:



**AGES OF PEOPLE PROCEEDED AGAINST
FOR MAJOR CRIME INDEX OFFENCES**

MAJOR CRIME INDEX OFFENCE GROUP.	TOTAL NUMBER OF OFFENDERS	MALES.				FEMALES.			
		JUVENILES.	AGES. 17 TO 20	AGES. 21 TO 24	AGES. 25 & OVER	JUVENILES.	AGES. 17 TO 20	AGES. 21 TO 24	AGES. 25 & OVER
1. HOMICIDE.	128	1	22	23	67	3	-	1	11
2. SERIOUS ASSAULTS.	1529	120	379	325	591	20	26	21	47
3. ROBBERY.	367	63	103	46	111	12	12	8	12
4. RAPE.	155	19	24	23	85	1	1	-	2
5. BURGLARY.	5273	2067	1202	617	877	138	158	88	126
6. THEFT.	22572	5086	2362	1051	4804	2692	1056	669	4852
7. MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT.	2989	974	1236	315	287	58	66	23	30
8. FRAUD ETC.	3069	177	476	417	1053	89	299	197	361
TOTALS:	36082	8507	5804	2817	7875	3013	1618	1007	5441

YOUNG OFFENDER TRENDS 1977 - 1986/87

This table shows the percentage of people proceeded against from Major Crime Index Offences who were under 21, for each of the last ten years, as well as the ten year average.

OFFENCE	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985/86	1986/87	TEN YEAR AVERAGE
HOMICIDE	26.31	20.93	21.77	15.04	22.92	25.30	27.59	23.46	23.47	20.30	22.32
SERIOUS ASSAULT	38.14	34.16	42.32	44.16	45.23	44.47	39.13	38.30	37.62	35.64	39.75
ROBBERY	59.46	52.73	52.42	58.56	62.63	60.69	58.46	51.31	53.24	51.77	55.92
RAPE	38.73	40.71	46.56	35.04	39.75	38.30	34.09	35.51	32.00	29.03	37.01
BURGLARY	78.29	80.52	77.89	77.05	79.29	76.29	73.72	70.32	67.20	67.60	74.63
THEFT	53.97	57.03	55.40	53.73	59.67	58.74	53.28	53.28	56.96	49.60	55.00
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	83.23	85.40	83.25	84.29	84.17	82.64	79.80	84.63	78.59	78.08	82.40
FRAUD	30.51	31.05	29.62	30.97	32.46	35.40	28.64	29.66	33.61	33.92	31.72
MAJOR CRIME INDEX TOTAL	59.20	61.43	59.37	59.52	63.02	62.21	57.60	56.94	57.37	52.50	58.68

* Some entries in this table may be different to previous years due to corrections being made

PREVIOUSLY KNOWN MAJOR CRIME INDEX OFFENDERS

NOTE: THE FIGURES IN BRACKETS REPRESENT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN EACH GROUP PROCEEDED AGAINST FOR THE VARIOUS OFFENCES. FOR INSTANCE OF THE 120 MALE JUVENILES PROCEEDED AGAINST FOR SERIOUS ASSAULTS 60 WERE PREVIOUSLY KNOWN.

MAJOR CRIME INDEX OFFENCE GROUP.	TOTAL NUMBER OF OFFENDERS	MALES.				FEMALES.			
		JUVENILES.	AGES. 17 TO 20.	AGES. 21 TO 24.	AGES. 25 & OVER.	JUVENILES.	AGES. 17 TO 20.	AGES. 21 TO 24.	AGES. 25 & OVER.
HOMICIDE.	128	1 (1)	12 (22)	18 (23)	45 (57)	1 (3)	- (-1)	- (1)	5 (11)
SERIOUS ASSAULTS.	1529	60 (120)	234 (379)	222 (325)	387 (591)	6 (20)	9 (26)	12 (21)	18 (47)
ROBBERY.	367	52 (63)	76 (103)	46 (46)	88 (111)	2 (12)	9 (12)	6 (8)	12 (12)
RAPE.	155	6 (19)	17 (24)	16 (23)	69 (85)	- (1)	- (1)	- (-1)	2 (2)
BURGLARY.	5273	883 (2067)	816 (1202)	518 (617)	762 (877)	43 (138)	93 (158)	61 (88)	101 (126)
THEFT.	22572	708 (5086)	995 (2362)	584 (1051)	1725 (4804)	166 (2692)	213 (1056)	216 (669)	831 (4852)
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT.	2989	589 (974)	842 (1236)	277 (315)	253 (287)	23 (58)	31 (66)	16 (23)	26 (30)
FRAUD ETC.	3069	72 (177)	253 (476)	294 (417)	682 (1053)	22 (89)	96 (299)	126 (197)	191 (361)
TOTALS:	36082	2371 (8507)	3245 (5804)	1975 (2817)	4011 (7875)	263 (3013)	451 (1618)	437 (1007)	1186 (5441)

**FOREIGN MIGRANTS PROCEEDED AGAINST
FOR MAJOR CRIME INDEX OFFENCES**

NOTE: THE FIGURES IN BRACKETS REPRESENT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN EACH GROUP PROCEEDED AGAINST, FOR INSTANCE OF THE 120 JUVENILES PROCEEDED AGAINST FOR SERIOUS ASSAULT 10 WERE FOREIGN MIGRANTS.

MAJOR CRIME INDEX OFFENCE GROUP.	TOTAL NUMBER OF OFFENDERS.	MALES.				FEMALES.			
		JUVENILES.	AGES. 17 TO 20.	AGES. 21 TO 24.	AGES. 25 & OVER.	JUVENILES.	AGES 17 TO 20.	AGES. 21 TO 24.	AGES 25 & OVER.
1. HOMICIDE.	128	- (1)	2 (22)	3 (23)	14 (67)	- (3)	- (-)	- (1)	1 (11)
2. SERIOUS ASSAULTS.	1529	10 (120)	32 (379)	23 (325)	141 (591)	- (20)	- (26)	2 (21)	9 (47)
3. ROBBERY.	367	1 (63)	9 (103)	7 (46)	9 (111)	- (12)	- (12)	- (8)	- (12)
4. RAPE.	155	- (19)	3 (24)	3 (23)	11 (85)	- (1)	- (1)	- (-)	- (2)
5. BURGLARY.	5273	78 (2067)	55 (1202)	56 (617)	105 (877)	1 (138)	4 (158)	7 (88)	16 (126)
6. THEFT.	*22572	377 (5086)	226 (2362)	129 (1051)	1496 (4804)	195 (2692)	124 (1056)	111 (669)	1622 (4852)
7. MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	2989	44 (974)	87 (1236)	35 (315)	31 (287)	1 (58)	4 (66)	- (23)	1 (30)
8. FRAUD ETC.	3069	9 (177)	35 (476)	59 (417)	214 (1053)	5 (89)	12 (299)	13 (197)	61 (361)
TOTALS:	36082	519 (8507)	449 (5804)	315 (2817)	2021 (7875)	202 (3013)	144 (1618)	133 (1007)	1710 (5441)

* Breakdown of age groups does not include Shop Stealing Warnings.

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE			CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED			
	OFFENCES REPORTED			TOTAL CLEARED	NO OFFENCE	1986/7	
	1985/6	1986/7					
HOMICIDE							
Murder	67	68	+1	62	61	-	
Attempted Murder	61	70	+9	52	54	-	
Homicide	4	9	+5	4	3	-	
Infanticide	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<u>TOTAL</u>	132	147	+15	118	133	-	
SERIOUS ASSAULT							
(for minor assaults see page 56)							
<u>On Police</u>							
- serious injury intentional	12	8	-4	11	8	-	
- serious injury recklessly	2	7	+5	2	7	-	
<u>Injury</u>							
- by kicking	35	31	-4	35	32	-	
- with knife	1	3	+2	1	3	-	
- with other weapons	17	18	+1	17	16	-	
- other	65	68	+3	62	68	-	
<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	132	135	+3	128	134	-	
<u>On civilians</u>							
- serious injury intentional	485	673	+187	298	367	33	
- serious injury recklessly	197	112	-85	123	75	2	
<u>Injury</u>							
- by kicking	414	392	-22	268	255	8	
- with knife	83	117	+34	55	81	3	
- with other weapons	361	366	+5	214	238	9	
- other	1,295	1,329	+34	760	765	52	
<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	2,836	2,989	+153	1,718	1,781	107	
<u>TOTAL</u>	2,968	3,124	+156	1,846	1,915	107	
ROBBERY							
With firearm	479	655	+176	138	200	2	
With other weapon	314	362	+48	110	127	7	
Assault and robbery	805	1,014	+209	187	215	20	
Menaces and threats	28	29	+1	11	8	-	
Other	40	30	-10	11	6	1	
<u>TOTAL</u>	1,666	2,090	+424	457	556	30	
RAPE							
<u>On Females</u>							
- Rape	338	388	+50	244	276	78	
- Attempted rape	82	95	+13	42	54	13	
- Accessory to rape	1	1	-	1	1	-	
<u>On Males</u>							
- Rape	42	18	-24	27	19	8	
- Attempted rape	4	4	-	2	4	1	
- Accessory to rape	-	4	+4	-	4	-	
<u>TOTAL</u>	467	510	+43	316	358	100	

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED		CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED		
				TOTAL	CLEARED	NO OFFENCE
	1985/6	1986/7		1985/6	1986/7	1986/7
<u>BURGLARY</u>						
<u>Commercial</u>						
- Banks	33	21	-12	9	3	-
- Factories	1,956	2,324	+368	212	198	13
- Offices	3,207	4,626	+1,419	283	410	4
- Service Stations	671	634	-37	89	66	1
- Shops: smash and grab other	277	412	+135	32	47	-
- Stores and Warehouses	7,938	9,360	+1,422	1,152	1,321	19
- Other commercial premises	766	1,089	+323	73	121	3
-	3,260	3,015	-245	444	369	10
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	18,108	21,481	+3,373	2,294	2,535
<u>Residential</u>						
- Homes: aggravated burglary	151	181	+30	62	93	10
- holiday homes	812	851	+39	110	89	2
- other	41,933	47,739	+5,806	4,253	4,534	278
- Hotels, motels, hostels, guest-houses	540	463	-77	66	64	3
- Private garages and sheds	3,378	3,980	+602	265	259	30
- Other dwellings	549	585	+36	67	83	10
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	47,363	53,799	+6,436	4,823	5,122
<u>Other</u>						
- Buildings under construction, unoccupied building	3,037	3,174	+137	152	138	17
- Government, public and municipal buildings	1,938	2,127	+189	229	216	9
- Recreation premises, halls, sports grounds	1,740	1,879	+139	290	305	8
- Schools and educational institutions	3,536	3,841	+305	811	724	10
- Other buildings	650	744	+94	103	96	1
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	10,901	11,765	+864	1,585	1,479
	<u>TOTAL</u>	76,372	87,045	+10,673	8,702	9,136
<u>THEFT</u>						
<u>Theft of</u>						
- Animals - stock	463	476	+13	99	64	49
- other	365	355	-10	36	30	16
- Bicycles	12,563	13,418	+755	718	631	146
- Boats	269	198	-71	40	27	8
- Caravans and trailers	1,122	1,217	+95	69	70	24
- Recreation vehicles, tractors, etc.	9	104	+95	7	99	3
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	14,891	15,768	+877	969	921
<u>From Commercial Premises</u>						
- Factories	584	601	+17	77	65	13
- Offices	1,607	1,776	+169	121	130	25
- Service Stations	1,719	2,176	+457	305	288	131
- Shops - shopstealing other	16,663	19,330	+2,667	14,738	* 17,407	15
- Stores and Warehouses	3,530	3,471	-59	334	299	41
- Other commercial premises	405	494	+89	36	41	9
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	4,186	4,579	+393	509	602
		20,694	23,427	+2,733	16,200	18,839
	* This figure includes	11,009 offences cleared	under the Shop Stealing Warning Program.			

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE			CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED			
	OFFENCES REPORTED			TOTAL CLEARED		NO OFFENCE	
	1985/6	1986/7		1985/6	1986/7	1986/7	
THEFT (continued)							
<u>From Residential Premises</u>							
- Homes	2,020	2,258	+238	561	632	102	
- Hotels, motels, hostels, guest-houses	349	380	+31	52	69	11	
- Private garages, sheds, verandahs, letter boxes, yards	7,215	7,732	+517	463	455	90	
- Clothes lines and laundries	1,596	1,787	+191	115	64	3	
- Other residential premises	240	213	-27	32	26	2	
<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	11,420	12,370	+950	1,223	1,246	208	
<u>From Other Places</u>							
- Buildings under construction, unoccupied buildings	2,139	2,206	+67	167	137	29	
- Government, public and municipal buildings	2,319	2,899	+580	319	393	32	
- Motor vehicles	37,843	41,413	+3,570	4,553	4,509	120	
- Recreation premises, halls, sports grounds	1,016	1,058	+42	116	83	14	
- Schools and educational institutions	1,563	1,849	+286	143	155	16	
- Other public places	2,646	2,619	-27	278	310	55	
- Theft not included in other headings	1,095	1,384	+289	262	256	23	
<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	48,621	53,428	+4,807	5,838	5,843	289	
<u>From the Person</u>							
	1,834	1,896	+62	154	149	26	
<u>TOTAL</u>	105,460	115,889	+10,429	24,384	26,998	1,059	
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT							
Cars and trucks	22,921	28,379	+5,458	4,003	3,899	650	
Motor cycles	1,412	1,556	+144	240	219	20	
Attempts	2,001	2,663	+662	360	369	-	
<u>TOTAL</u>	26,334	32,598	+6,264	4,603	4,437	670	
DECEPTION AND CURRENCY OFFENCES							
Credit Cards	18,287	22,934	+4,647	7,050	6,442	8	
Cheques	4,189	5,072	+883	3,599	4,381	69	
Currency offences	15	35	+20	1	9	1	
"Misappropriation" - company directors	9	34	+25	1	34	-	
- employees	6,229	6,707	+478	6,147	6,593	13	
- other	93	55	-38	92	56	-	
Other Deception	6,892	7,426	+534	5,717	6,281	115	
<u>TOTAL</u>	35,714	42,263	+6,549	22,607	23,296	206	

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED		CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED			
				TOTAL	CLEARED	NO OFFENCE	
	1985/6	1986/7		1985/6	1986/7	1986/7	
<u>OTHER OFFENCES: AGAINST THE PERSON</u>							
<u>MINOR ASSAULTS</u>							
<u>On Police</u>							
- by kicking	262	323	+61	262	325	-	
- with knife	33	42	+9	33	42	-	
- with other weapon	127	117	-10	123	115	-	
- other	923	1,110	+187	920	1,105	-	
<u>On Civilians</u>							
- by kicking	561	596	+35	316	338	18	
- with knife	266	266	-	155	155	5	
- with other weapon	719	762	+43	469	492	23	
- other	3,157	3,624	+467	1,683	1,931	171	
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	<u>6,048</u>	<u>6,840</u>	<u>+792</u>	<u>3,961</u>	<u>4,503</u>	
<u>SEX OFFENCES</u>							
<u>On Females</u>							
- sexual penetration under 10 years	29	127	+98	29	120	2	
- sexual penetration 10-16 years	245	147	-98	237	145	-	
- sexual penetration 16-17 years	29	74	+45	22	74	-	
- gross indecency	77	26	-51	73	27	-	
- indecent assault	1,293	1,442	+149	843	1,025	18	
- indecent suggestions	-	-	-	-	1	-	
<u>On Males</u>							
- sexual penetration under 10 years	8	38	+30	7	37	-	
- sexual penetration 10-16 years	93	155	+62	93	143	1	
- sexual penetration 16-17 years	12	3	-9	12	3	-	
- gross indecency	101	151	+50	101	148	-	
- indecent assault	407	456	+49	371	415	8	
- indecent suggestions	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Bestiality	3	3	-	3	3	-	
Incest	264	177	-87	264	180	1	
Indecent objects, photographs, publications	48	39	-9	41	36	-	
Wilful exposure	1,780	1,986	+206	515	588	14	
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>	<u>4,389</u>	<u>4,924</u>	<u>+435</u>	<u>2,611</u>	<u>2,945</u>	
<u>OTHERS</u>							
<u>Abduction</u>							
- Family Law Act	2	2	-	-	2	-	
- For ransom	-	-	-	-	-	-	
- Other	146	139	-7	94	86	10	
<u>Blackmail</u>							
<u>Criminal damage endangering life</u>							
- Arson	-	-	-	-	-	-	
- Other	11	-	-11	19	1	-	
<u>Culpable driving</u>							

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED		CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED		
				TOTAL CLEARED	NO OFFENCE	1986/7
	1985/6	1986/7		1985/6	1986/7	1986/7
<u>OTHER OFFENCES: AGAINST THE PERSON (Cont)</u>						
<u>Illtreatment of children</u>	-	3	+3	-	3	-
Administer substance causing interference or injury to person	-	14	+14	-	14	-
Threaten to kill	-	143	+143	-	116	5
Threaten to inflict injury	-	98	+98	-	77	2
Reckless endangerment to persons life	-	42	+42	-	30	-
Reckless endangerment to serious injury	-	20	+20	-	18	-
Negligently causing serious injury	-	7	+7	-	6	-
Setting trap to kill	-	5	+5	-	5	-
Setting trap to cause serious injury	-	5	+5	-	-	-
Threaten to kill with a demand	-	5	+5	-	4	-
Threaten to endanger life with a demand	-	8	+8	-	8	-
Threaten injury to prevent arrest	-	2	+2	-	2	-
Threaten injury to prevent investigation	-	1	+1	-	1	-
Assault with intent to commit indictable offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault threaten hinder obstruct resists causing injury	-	1	+1	-	-	-
Assault threaten hinder obstruct resist person who aid police	-	1	+1	-	1	-
Assault threaten resist obstruct another person to prevent arrest	-	4	+4	-	3	-
Other	223	142	-81	158	105	2
SUB-TOTAL	486	770	+284	352	596	22

PEOPLE PROCEEDED AGAINST

TOTAL (ALL AGES)						JUVENILES						AGES 17 TO 20						AGES 21 TO 24					
MALE			FEMALE			MALE			FEMALE			MALE			FEMALE			MALE			FEMALE		
Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.	Total	P.K.	F.M.
1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
43	32	8	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-	6	3	1	-	-	-	-	6	5	-	-	-	-
42	29	3	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	15	11	-	-	-	-	-	7	6	-	-	-	-
15	7	3	1	-	-	5	2	-	-	-	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	3	2	2	-	-	-
9	2	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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16	10	4	3	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	8	6	1	-	-	-	4	2	2	-	-	-
218	128	28	18	7	1	19	7	-	3	2	-	56	32	3	4	1	-	45	29	6	5	-	-

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED		CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED			
	1985/6	1986/7		TOTAL	CLEARED	NO OFFENCE	
	1985/6	1986/7		1985/6	1986/7	1986/7	
<u>OTHER OFFENCES: AGAINST PROPERTY AND GOOD ORDER</u>							
<u>DRUGS AND POISONS</u>							
<u>Cannabis</u>	- Cultivate	1,000	1,241	+241	1,000	1,239	
	- Possession	4,429	5,336	+907	4,429	5,336	
	- Traffic	1,004	1,065	+61	1,003	1,065	
	- Use	3,146	3,975	+829	3,147	3,977	
<u>Heroin, Morphine</u>	- Possession	773	576	-197	773	576	
	- Traffic	266	220	-46	266	220	
	- Use	606	465	-141	606	465	
<u>Cocaine</u>	- Possession	17	4	-13	17	4	
	- Traffic	11	15	+4	11	15	
	- Use	6	2	-4	6	2	
<u>Anthecamines</u>	- Possession	570	797	+227	571	799	
	- Traffic	180	278	+98	181	278	
	- Use	385	570	+185	385	572	
<u>Other Drugs</u>	- Possession	85	66	-19	84	66	
	- Traffic	8	10	+2	8	10	
	- Use	30	23	-7	30	23	
<u>Other Poisons Offences</u>		9	23	+14	8	23	
	SUB-TOTAL	12,525	14,666	+2,141	12,525	14,670	
<u>FIREARMS</u>							
<u>Pistols</u>	- Person convicted of an indictable offence in possession of a pistol	32	81	+49	32	83	
	- Possessing or carrying a pistol without a licence	224	228	+4	226	227	
<u>Other Firearms</u>	- Airgun offences	85	40	-45	79	36	
	- Armed with intent to commit an indictable offence	-	12	+12	-	12	
	- Disposing of a firearm unlawfully	-	-	-	-	-	
	- Possessing or carrying a firearm under 18 years	45	42	-3	45	42	
	- Possessing, shooting or carrying a firearm without a shooters licence	559	669	+110	554	668	
	- Shooting or carrying a firearm unlawfully	458	402	-56	380	329	
	- Trespassing on a farm with a firearm	34	31	-3	34	30	
	- Using a firearm to prevent apprehension	21	12	-9	19	10	
	- Other firearms offences	140	105	-35	136	105	
	SUB-TOTAL	1,598	1,622	+24	1,505	1,542	
<u>PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL</u>							
<u>Criminal Damage</u>	- animals	106	128	+22	19	14	
	- arson	1,516	1,817	+301	304	298	
	- other	5,068	6,265	+1,197	1,070	1,343	
<u>Threaten to criminal damage with a demand</u>		-	19	+19	-	7	
<u>Litter</u>		155	117	-38	148	112	
<u>Noise Pollution</u>		18	34	+16	18	34	
<u>Other environment protection</u>		3	3	-	3	3	
<u>Wilful Damage</u>		25,053	27,058	+1,005	2,460	2,510	
	SUB-TOTAL	32,919	35,441	+2,522	4,022	4,321	
						192	

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED		CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED		
			1985/6	TOTAL CLEARED	1986/7	NO OFFENCE
	1985/6	1986/7		1985/6	1986/7	1986/7
OTHER OFFENCES : AGAINST PROPERTY AND GOOD ORDER (Contd)						
PROSTITUTION						
Aiding and abetting	3	3	-	3	3	-
Inviting prostitution ("gutter crawling")	182	194	+12	182	191	-
Keeping a brothel	5	11	+6	5	11	-
Living on the earnings of a prostitute	18	28	+10	18	28	-
Solicit for immoral sexual purpose	66	34	-32	65	33	-
Procuring	6	3	-3	6	3	-
Soliciting by prostitutes	95	101	+6	95	101	-
Using or permitting premises to be used for prostitution	37	54	+17	37	54	-
SUB-TOTAL	412	428	+16	411	424	-
OTHER						
Bail Act Offences	2,124	2,747	+623	2,021	2,704	-
Breach of bond or parole	42	45	+3	42	44	-
Breach of regulations	- Port of Melbourne	-	-	-	-	-
	- Post and Telecom	82	247	+165	73	238
	- Railway	295	577	+282	22	65
	- Other	69	86	+17	67	85
Bribery	7	29	+22	7	29	-
Carrying offensive weapon - knife	217	325	+108	217	327	-
	- other	233	287	+54	233	287
Consorting and related offences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Conspiracy	158	280	+122	158	279	-
Cruelty to animals	114	91	-23	52	45	2
Escaping from legal custody	701	544	-157	419	416	4
False report	358	462	+104	365	448	-
Gaming offences	402	479	+77	402	479	-
Harbouring escapees	30	27	-3	29	27	-
Hawkers and Pedlars	4	-	-4	4	-	-
Impersonating Police	72	37	-35	58	29	1
Indecent language	1,563	1,745	+182	1,552	1,738	-
Insulting words	101	157	+56	100	154	-
Licensing offences	472	637	+165	472	636	-
Lighting a fire during a prohibited period	145	155	+10	125	147	-
Obstructing or hindering police	365	501	+136	365	501	-
Offensive or indecent behaviour	1,656	1,686	+30	1,597	1,612	1
Perjury	40	47	+7	40	47	1
Possession of housebreaking implements	250	167	-83	252	170	-
Receiving or handling stolen goods	1,935	2,161	+226	1,944	2,170	-
Resisting arrest	* 1,246	1,644	+398	1,243	1,643	-
Riot	111	108	-3	112	105	-
Secondhand and Marine Dealers Act Offences	121	111	-10	121	111	-
Tampering with a motor vehicle	2,946	2,862	-84	648	495	9
Threatening words or behaviour	164	217	+53	152	191	-
Throwing a missile	414	403	-11	215	237	2
Unlawful possession	1,268	1,579	+311	1,264	1,580	-
Unlawfully on premises	1,462	1,599	+137	737	852	15
Offences not covered by other headings	1,385	1,917	+532	1,322	1,802	4
SUB-TOTAL	20,552	23,959	+ 3,407	16,430	19,693	39
(TOTAL OTHER OFFENCES (EXCLUDING DRUNKENNESS)	80,104	89,641	+ 9,537	41,868	48,740	552

* incorrectly reported 1985/86 as 733

OFFENCES REPORTED AND CLEARED

TYPE OF OFFENCE	OFFENCES REPORTED		CHANGE	OFFENCES CLEARED		
	1985/6	1986/7		TOTAL	CLEARED	NO OFFENCE
				1985/6	1986/7	1986/7
<u>OTHER OFFENCES : AGAINST PROPERTY AND GOOD ORDER (Contd)</u>						
Drunk	12,555	14,084	+1,529	12,555	14,084	-
Drunk and disorderly	9,172	8,328	-844	9,172	8,328	-
Lost or stolen property	1,175	1,086	-89	51	41	36
Begging Alms	-	5	+5	-	5	-

PART II

TRAFFIC

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DEFINITIONS

METRO: Area which is within 36 km radius from the business centre of Melbourne.

COUNTRY: Any other area within Victoria except Metro.

T.O.G.
(DIVISION): Jurisdiction Area of Metropolitan Traffic Operation Groups.

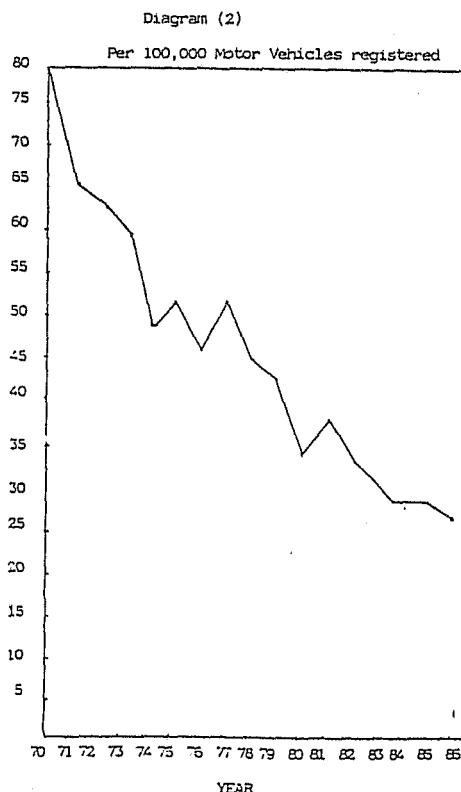
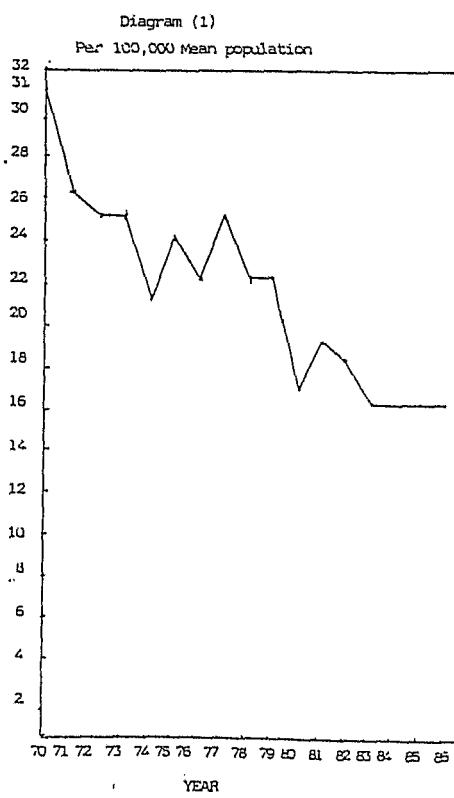
T.O.G.
(REGION): Jurisdiction Area of Country Traffic Operation Groups.

ROAD TOLL: Where a person dies within 30 days of being injured in a motor vehicle collision on a highway, such death is directly attributed to injuries sustained in the collision.

COLLISION: An event where a vehicle comes into impact with another vehicle or a fixed or moving object.

PERSONS KILLED IN ROAD TRAFFIC COLLISIONS

The gradual decline in the number of persons killed in road traffic collisions in Victoria during 17 years, period 1970 to 1986 is more apparent when examined in terms of movements in the size of the population and the number of motor vehicles registered (Diagram 1 & 2)



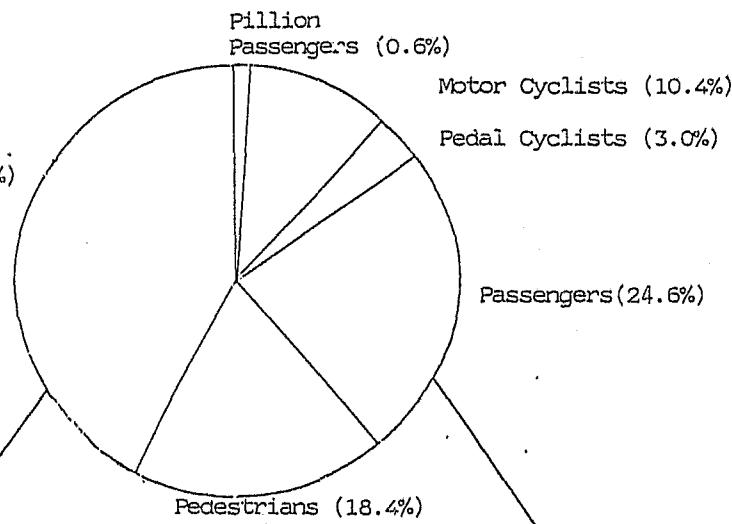
There was a further reduction in the road toll in this fiscal (1986/1987) year with 637 deaths reported compared to 697 deaths for 1985/1986 a decrease of 60 (8.6%) and compared to 676 deaths for 1984/1985, a decrease of 39 (5.8%). It is the lowest road toll since 1958 when 553 persons died on Victorian roads (Table 1).

TABLE: 1

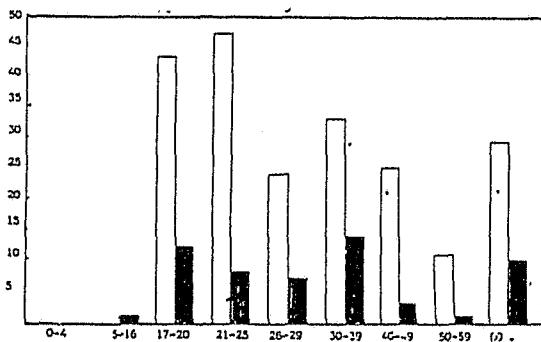
MONTHS	DAYS							A 86/87	B 85/86	C 84/85	% of A&B	% of A&C
	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL		
JULY	4	7	5	8	6	9	31	42	51	46	-17.6	-8.7
AUGUST	3	2	6	2	14	9	18	54	50	50	8.0	8.0
SEP	8	4	1	9	14	12	6	54	58	71	-6.9	-23.9
OCT	3	6	11	11	4	7	10	52	61	53	-14.8	-1.9
NOV	7	9	4	4	6	15	14	59	56	55	5.4	7.3
DEC	5	5	7	3	8	8	15	51	64	58	-20.3	-12.1
JAN	12	5	3	13	10	12	3	58	56	56	3.6	3.6
FEB	10	4	1	4	11	5	6	41	50	47	-18.0	-12.8
MARCH	5	4	7	6	8	8	16	54	70	50	-22.9	8.0
APRIL	3	6	13	10	9	6	5	52	69	65	-24.6	-20.0
MAY	3	4	5	14	7	21	9	63	59	75	6.8	-16.0
JUNE	7	8	6	7	15	8	6	57	53	50	7.6	14.0
TOTAL	70	64	69	91	112	120	111	637	697	676	-8.6	-5.8

TYPE OF ROAD USERS KILLED
VICTORIA, 1986/1987

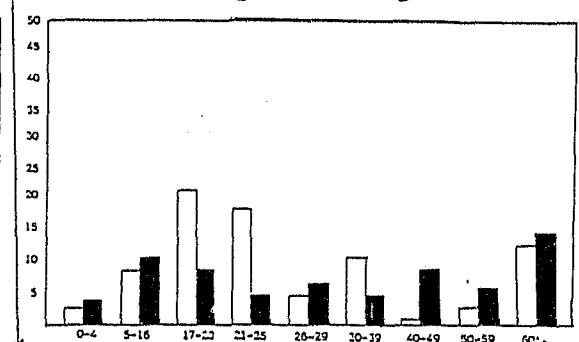
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 Motor Vehicle Drivers (43.0%)



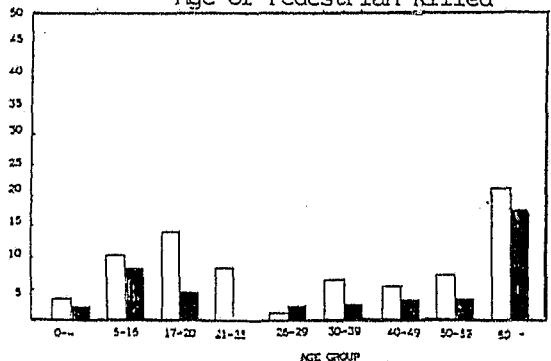
Age of Driver Killed



Age of Passenger Killed



Age of Pedestrian Killed



Male

Female

WHERE & WHEN FATALITIES OCCURRED

Of the total 637 road deaths, 120 (18.8%) occurred on Saturday, compared with an average for each day of the week of 91, the second highest number of fatal accidents occurred on Friday (112) and the lowest number of 64 occurred on Tuesday (see table 1).

For every day of the week, the period 4 pm to 6 pm showed the highest incidence of accidents. Of the total 637 road deaths 353 (55.4%) occurred in the metropolitan Traffic Operation Groups (Divisions) area and 284 (44.6%) in the country Traffic Operation Groups(Regions).(Table 3 & Diagrams 4,5)

TABLE : 3

TIME	T.O.G. (DIVISIONS)	T.O.G. (REGIONS)	TOTAL
MIDN-2AM	42	23	65
2AM-4AM	16	12	28
4AM-6AM	6	5	11
6AM-8AM	23	21	44
8AM-10AM	23	13	36
10AM-12AM	31	25	56
12AM-2PM	23	22	45
2PM-4PM	32	31	63
4PM-6PM	41	41	82
6PM-8PM	35	34	69
8PM-10PM	43	22	65
10PM-MIDN	38	35	73
T O T A L:	353	284	637

WHERE & WHEN FATALITIES OCCURRED

Diagram 4

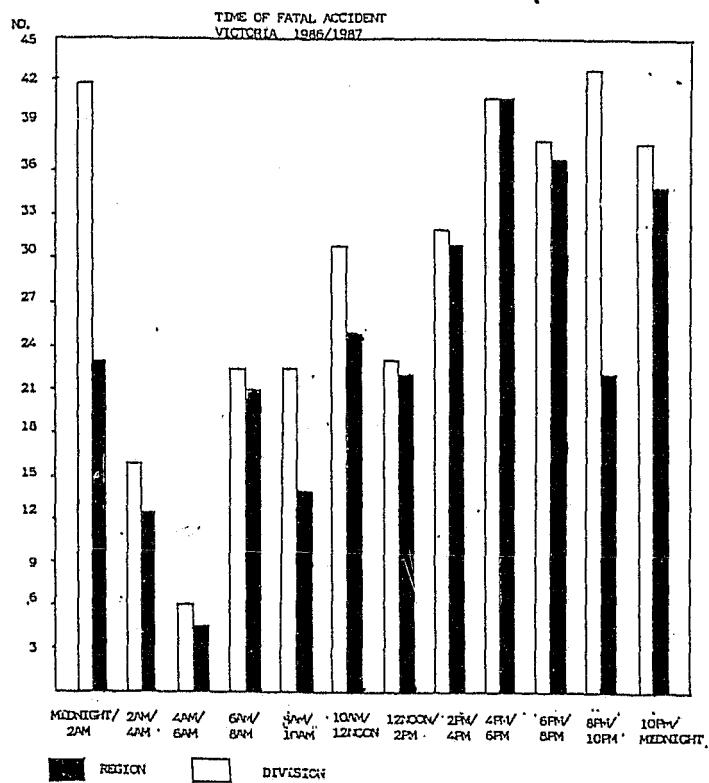
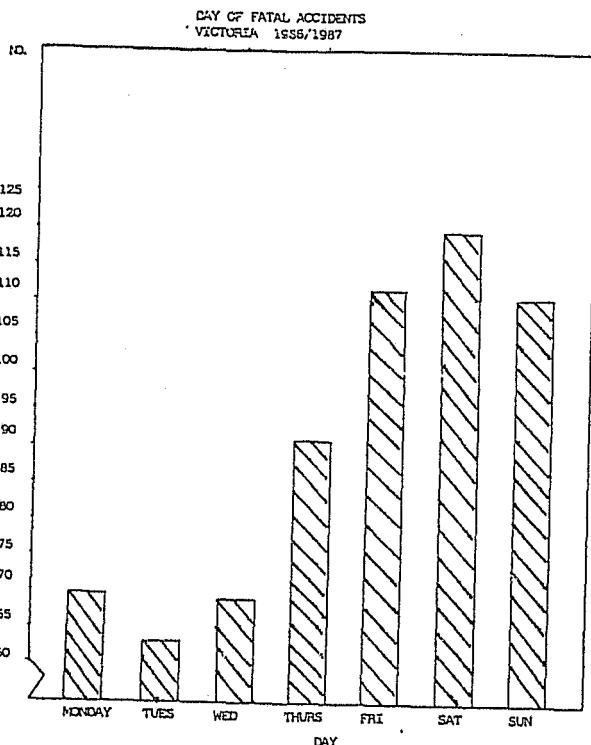


Diagram 5



SEX/ LOCATION OF ROAD USERS KILLED

Of the 637 death reported in 1986/1987, Males accounted for 72.8 per-cent and female accounted for 27.2 per-cent.

59.6 per-cent (380) of the total victims were in country area and 40.4 percent (257) in metro area. (Table 4).

TABLE : 4

BASIS	PERSONS	AVERAGE	SEX		LOCATION	
			M	F	COUNTRY	METRO
MONTHS	KILLED	AGE				
JULY	42	41	32	10	22	20
AUGUST	54	36	35	19	31	23
SEPT	54	31	42	12	29	25
OCT	52	35	39	13	29	23
NOV	59	29	46	13	38	21
DEC	51	33	40	11	30	21
JAN	58	31	44	14	45	13
FEB	41	32	26	15	21	20
MARCH	54	36	33	21	28	26
APRIL	52	38	40	12	32	20
MAY	63	36	44	19	39	24
JUNE	57	37	43	14	36	21
TOTAL	637	34	464	173	380	257

COLLISION STATISTICS

There has been a further reduction in the road toll this year with 637 deaths reported compared to 697 deaths for 1985/1986, a decrease of 60 (8.6%). It is the lowest road toll for 29 years when 553 persons died on Victorian roads in 1958.

Of the 637 persons killed, 43.0% (274) were drivers (8.6% Female 34.4% Male) compared to 39.2% in 1985/1986. Passengers were the second largest type of road user killed (24.6%), followed by Pedestrians (18.4%), which is the reverse of the 1985/1986 order. Table 5 shows the type of road user killed in Victoria during 1986/1987.

TABLE 5: Categories of People Killed (a)

ROAD USER	DRIVER M F	PASS M F	PEDEST M F	M/CYC M F	PEDAL/CYC M F	PILLION/P M F	TOTAL
	218 56	86 71	75 42	65 1	16 3	4	637
TOTAL	274	157	117	66	19	4	637
% OF ROAD USER	43.0	26.6	18.4	10.4	3.0	0.6	100.0

Of the 637 deaths reported in 1986/1987, Males accounted for 72.8% and females accounted for 27.2%.

59.6% (380) of the total victims were in the country area and 40.4% (257) in the metropolitan area.

TABLE 6: Categories of People killed (b)

PERSONS KILLED	AVERAGE AGE	SEX M F	AREA COUNTRY METRO
637	34	464 173	380 257

TABLE 7: Number of Persons killed in Road Accidents

YEAR	NUMBER	YEAR	NUMBER
1980/81	720	1984/85	660
1981/82	721	1985/86	697
1982/83	709	1986/87	637
1983/84	644		

TABLE 8: Categories of People killed - T.O.G. Regions and Divisions

T.O.G. (Divisions)	T.O.G. (Regions)	TOTAL
353	284	637

Road Traffic Offences

During the last financial year (1986/1987) the Victoria Police members detected 532860 traffic offences throughout the state of Victoria. There is an increase of 84448(18.8%) compared to the 1985/1986 figure (448412), and compared to 1984/1985 figure there is an increase of 5.6%. It is the highest number of booking that has ever been recorded.

The data was provided by the members of Traffic Operation Groups and Police Districts (A to Z) and compiled by the Statistics Section of the Traffic Department.

The total number of offences detected by the members of Traffic Operation Groups is 350140 including 2417 Non - traffic offences. This is 65.7% of the total number of offences and the rest (182720) or 34.3% detected by operational members attached to the various Police Districts (A-Z).

The total number of offences detected throughout the Melbourne metropolitan area was 364382, which is 68.4% of the total number of booking detected throughout Victoria.

In 1986/1987 there was a significant change in the "Drive Under Influence of Drug" offences detected with an increase of 124.7%, However there was a decrease of 2.4% in "Exceed 0.05% Blood Alcohol" offences which is a significant result when taken into account with the fact that 428,000 persons were subjected to breath tests in Victoria last year. The previous highest number of persons tested was 235,000 in 1985/1986. The following table shows the number of booking detected by each individual group with respect percentage.

TABLE :9

GROUPS	NO. OF BOOKING	PERCENTAGE
Division No. 1	25824	4.8%
Division No. 2	41778	7.8%
Division No. 3	40514	7.6%
Division No. 4	35556	6.7%
Camera Section	45162	8.5%
Dandenong	17712	3.3%
Task Force	9726	1.8%
Frankston	16467	3.1%
Broadmeadows	7398	1.4%
Special Solo	3033	0.6%
Accident Investigation	461	0.1%
<u>METRO T.O.G. TOTAL</u>	<u>243631</u>	<u>45.7%</u>

District A	31239	5.86%
District B	9910	1.86%
District H	6831	1.28%
District I	7979	1.50%
District M	9504	1.78%
District O	283	0.05%
District P	6327	1.20%
District Q	8983	1.70%
District U	12469	2.37%
District V	12777	2.40%
District Y	7515	1.40%
District Z	6934	1.30%

METRO DISTRICT TOTAL 120751 22.7%

Metro (T.O.G + District)
TOTAL 364382 68.4%

Region No. 1	15441	2.9%
Region No. 2	15796	3.0%
Region No. 3	20855	3.9%
Region No. 4	28222	5.3%
Region No. 5	26195	4.9%

Country T.O.G. TOTAL 106509 20.0%

District C	6015	1.13%
District D	5454	1.02%
District E	3309	0.62%
District F	7225	1.40%
District G	6050	1.14%
District J	9435	1.80%
District K	3938	0.74%
District L	3737	0.70%
District N	2842	0.53%
District R	4051	0.76%
District S	5685	1.01%
District W	4228	0.75%

COUNTRY DISTRICT TOTAL 61969 11.60%

COUNTRY (T.O.G + DISTRICTS) TOTAL 168478 31.60%

GRAND TOTAL (COUNTRY + METRO) (T.O.G. + DISTRICTS)
532860 100.0%

*Comparison between 1985/1986 and 1986/1987 of the
Traffic Offences detected by the members of "Victoria Police Force"*

TABLE :11

CODE	O F F E N C E S :	85/86	86/87	%CHANGE	
				+ OR -	-
1	Exceed 0.05% Blood Alcohol	14712	14361	-2.4	
2A.	Drive Under Influence	1006	933	-7.3	
2B.	In Charge Under Influence	167	154	-7.8	
3.	Manner Danger, Speed Reck etc.	2630	2519	-4.2	
4.	Careless Driving	8179	8066	-1.4	
5.	Accident, Fail to Stop, Report, etc.	3117	3352	7.5	
6.	Drive Licence cancell, susp., disq.	3162	3344	5.8	
7.	Unlicensed Driver	12645	12406	-1.9	
8.	Unregistered Vehicles	12055	12616	4.6	
9.	Exceed 60/75/90 kph. (Speed zone)	135806	143925	6.0	
10.	Exceed 80 kph. (Prob.)	5265	4771	-9.4	
11.	Exceed 100 kph.	61786	66139	7.0	
12.	Speed Trucks	8588	8947	4.2	
13.	Log Books	2177	2355	8.2	
14.	Double Lines	3252	3887	19.5	
15.	Fail keep Left	2263	2233	-1.3	
16.	Fail Give Stop, Turn, Div. Signal	6331	7074	11.7	
17.	Incorrect Turn	2568	3342	30.1	
18.	Lighting Offences	5132	4855	-5.4	
19.	Number Plate Offences	4014	5973	48.8	
20.	Stop Sign, Give Way Sign	15252	16017	5.0	
21.	Traffic Lights (refer to item 32)	17487	13474	-22.9	
22.	Pedestrian School Crossing	441	511	15.9	
23.	Seat Belts	20708	27060	30.7	
24.	M/Cycle Offences (not incl. above)	3921	3624	-7.6	
25.	Bicycle Offences	4985	5196	4.2	
26.	Litter Offences	366	401	9.6	
27.	Unroadworthy Vehicles (Briefs & TIN)	3017	3993	32.3	
28.	Other Traffic Offences not spec.	57548	66198	15.0	
29.	Non-Traffic Offences	1861	2417	29.9	
30.	Parking Offences	25937	35107	35.4	
31.	Drive Under Influence Drugs	77	173	124.7	
31B.	Exceed 0.00% Blood Alcohol	1957	2275	16.2	
32.	Red Light Cameras		29486		
33.	Speed Cameras		15676		
T O T A L S		448412	532860	18.8	
D	Notices of Repair	17804	23211	30.4	
A	Exceed Speed Limit by 30kph	12795	10685	-16.5	
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Comparison between 1985/1986 and 1986/1987 of the
Traffic Offences detected by the members of T.O.G (Country + Metro)
TABLE : 12

CODE	O F F E N C E S :	85/86	86/87	%CHANGE + OR -
1	Exceed 0.05% Blood Alcohol	3493	3887	11.3
2A.	Drive Under Influence	224	245	9.4
2B.	In Charge Under Influence	24	22	-8.3
3.	Manner Danger, Speed Reck etc.	1038	959	-7.6
4.	Careless Driving	1272	1288	1.3
5.	Accident, Fail to Stop, Report, etc.	189	235	24.3
6.	Drive Licence cancell, susp., disg.	701	878	25.2
7.	Unlicensed Driver	3540	3907	10.4
8.	Unregistered Vehicles	4660	5853	25.6
9.	Exceed 60/75/90 kph. (Speed zone)	94095	104664	11.2
10.	Exceed 80 kph. (Prob.)	3924	3730	-4.9
11.	Exceed 100 kph.	53358	58415	9.5
12.	Speed Trucks	7923	8328	5.1
13.	Log Books	1902	2090	9.9
14.	Double Lines	2019	2841	40.7
15.	Fail keep Left	638	696	9.1
16.	Fail Give Stop, Turn, Div. Signal	3205	4055	26.5
17.	Incorrect Turn	1530	1925	25.8
18.	Lighting Offences	2507	2824	12.6
19.	Number Plate Offences	2055	3899	89.7
20.	Stop Sign, Give Way Sign	5987	6750	12.7
21.	Traffic Lights (refer to item 32)	10422	6429	-38.3
22.	Pedestrian School Crossing	186	294	58.1
23.	Seat Belts	15571	22105	42.0
24.	M/Cycle Offences (not incl. above)	2346	2144	-8.6
25.	Bicycle Offences	2276	3005	32.0
26.	Litter Offences	141	163	15.6
27.	Unroadworthy Vehicles (Briefs & TIN)	898	1401	56.0
28.	Other Traffic Offences not spec.	31674	40858	29.0
29.	Non-Traffic Offences	1861	2417	29.9
30.	Parking Offences	7557	8131	7.6
31.	Drive Under Influence Drugs	22	29	31.8
31B.	Exceed 0.00% Blood Alcohol	394	511	29.7
32	Red Light Cameras		29486	
33	Speed Cameras		15676	
	T O T A L S :	267632	350140	30.8
D	Traffic Offenders	236296	318637	34.8
A	Non-Traffic Offenders	1438	1646	14.5
T	Notices of Repair	9920	14975	51.0
A	T.I.N's	180203	276531	53.5
	Ordinary Brief Offences	77596	62473	-19.5
	Exceed Speed Limit by 30 Kph	10730	9770	-8.9

Traffic Infringement Notices

	<u>1985/86</u>	<u>1986/87*</u>
- Total number of Traffic Infringement Notices issued.	243,155	315,970
- Number of Infringements for which Prescribed Penalties were Paid	216,034	300,141
- Number of Infringements for which Prescribed Penalties were not Paid	27,121	15,829
- Gross Revenue	\$18,276,665	\$28,476,562

* Due to computer problems, Notices issued from 1.7.86 to 31.8.86 unable to be identified, and therefore not included.

Details of the most common offences for which Traffic Infringement Notices were issued appear at page 83.

TABLE 13: COMPARATIVE FIGURES AND PERCENTAGES OF TRAFFIC INFRINGEMENT NOTICE ISSUED AND PAID

YEAR CALENDAR	FINANCIAL	T.I.N.'s ISSUED	T.I.N.'s PAID	% PAID	% INCREASE/ DECREASED FROM PREVIOUS YEAR
1978		213,186			
1979		249,414	230,123	92.0	+16.0
1980		301,155	275,148	91.4	+20.7
1981		274,566	258,652	94.2	-8.8
1982	*	146,184	131,850	90.19	-
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1982/83		278,010	262,059	94.26	-
1983/84		286,909	248,391	86.57	+3.2
1984/85		310,117	287,736	92.78	+8.0
**	1985/86	243,155	216,034	88.85	-22.0
***	1986/87	315,970	300,141	95.0	+30.0

* For period from 1.1.82 to 30.6.82 only.

** Police Industrial action - T.I.N.'s not issued
21.10.85 - 13.12.85

*** For period from 1.9.86 to 30.6.87, including
T.I.N.'s issued by R.T.A. Officers.

TABLE 14: REVENUE FROM TRAFFIC INFRINGEMENT NOTICES

FINANCIAL YEAR	GROSS COLLECTION \$	REFUND \$	NETT COLLECTION \$
1979/80	9,266,857	2,687	9,264,170
1980/81	9,519,346	3,367	9,515,979
1981/82	11,024,211	2,271	11,021,940
1982/83	14,548,024	2,729	14,545,295
1983/84	16,983,618	4,774	16,978,844
1984/85	20,789,136	11,304	20,777,832
1985/86	18,276,665	32,284	18,244,381
1986/87*	28,476,562	56,371	28,420,191

* Range of offences has been increased to 132 codes with a maximum prescribed penalty of \$135.00, effective from 1.2.87.

TABLE 15: PARKING INFRINGEMENT NOTICES

(Metropolitan area only until 1.10.86)	1985/86	1986/87
- Total number of Parking Infringement notices issued.	25,523	34,784
- Total number of Infringements for which prescribed penalties were paid	15,009	19,995
- Prosecutions	10,514	14,502
- Total number of Briefs not authorized	622	287
- Percentage of penalties paid	58.8%	57.5%
- Letters - plea, complaint, etc.	753	897
- Gross Revenue Collected.	\$59,665	\$533,752*

* Increase due to the fact that, since 1.10.86, payments made only at Penalties Office, and not at Police Stations.

The Office also issued 62,685 Courtesy Letters and 16,103 Enforcement Notices under the "PERIN" (Penalty Enforcement by Registration of Infringement Notices) System, and dealt with 4,737 written enquiries from members of the Public.

**TRAFFIC INFRINGEMENT NOTICES ISSUED -
COMMON OFFENCE STATISTICS**

<u>Offence</u>	<u>Year</u>	
	<u>1985/86</u>	<u>1986/87</u>
1. Exceeding speed limit more than 15 k.p.h.	112,184	138,865
2. Exceeding speed limit less than 15 k.p.h.	37,944	44,153
3. Disobeying any traffic control signal	15,507	33,125
4. Failing to wear safety belt	17,523	21,820
5. Disobeying a traffic sign	17,290	21,465
6. Failing to display 'P' plates	8,466	15,768
7. Registration label offences	1,903	3,771
8. Failing to give way	2,040	3,617
9. Failing to give signal	3,214	3,553
10. Failing to produce licence	2,692	3,158
11. Driving over double lines	2,042	2,882
12. Failing to have prescribed lights	2,864	2,231
13. Failing to display 'L' plates	1,262	1,584

SUMMARY OF SCREENING BLOOD SAMPLES COLLECTED AND SUBMITTED TO
THE STATE FORENSIC SCIENCE LABORATORY FOR ANALYSIS

TOTAL SCREENING SAMPLES collected to 30/6/87 23,526

TOTAL POSITIVE: 3,884

TOTAL NEGATIVE: 19,642

METROPOLITAN HOSPITALS

ZERO to .01%	13,203
OVER .01 to .05%	402
OVER .05 to .100%	482
OVER .100 to .150%	521
OVER .150 to .200%	495
OVER .200 to .250%	302
OVER .250%	134

COUNTRY HOSPITALS

ZERO to .01%	6,439
OVER .01 to .05%	276
OVER .05 to .100%	334
OVER .100 to .150%	342
OVER .150 to .200%	322
OVER .200 to .250%	162
OVER .250%	112

SAMPLES COLLECTED FROM A TOTAL OF 156 HOSPITALS THROUGHOUT VICTORIA
(31 METROPOLITAN, 125 COUNTRY)

MONTHLY AVERAGE OF FINAL BLOOD ALCOHOL READINGS

JULY	.134%
AUGUST	.130%
SEPTEMBER	.125%
OCTOBER	.126%
NOVEMBER	.127%
DECEMBER	.118%
JANUARY	.113%
FEBRUARY	.112%
MARCH	.122%
APRIL	.114%
MAY	.121%

BLOOD SAMPLES

ANALYSIS OF CATEGORIES OF SUBJECTS FROM WHOM POSITIVE SAMPLES TAKEN

DRIVERS	1036
PASSENGERS	551
PEDESTRIANS	138
BREATH TESTS	89
CYCLISTS	17
UNDER .02%	115
UNABLE TO LOCATE	67
NON ACCIDENTS	16
N.S.W. ACCIDENTS	16
PERSONS INVOLVED IN FATAL ACCIDENTS (pass., peds. etc.)	201

FIGURES ABOVE ARE JULY TO DECEMBER, 1986, ONLY

RANDOM BREATH TEST STATISTICS - ALL OPERATIONAL POLICE - YEAR 1986/87

DISTRICT	TOTAL TESTS	POSITIVE MALES	POSITIVE FEMALES	TOTAL POSITIVE	% POSITIVE	REFUSE .05	EX .05	% EX.05
ALL	409076	1251	146	1397	0.34	16	1328	0.32

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS OF BREATH TESTS CONDUCTED BY OPERATORS
ATTACHED TO THE TRAFFIC ALCOHOL SECTION

FOR 12 MONTHS 1ST JULY 1986 TO 30TH JUNE 1987

TOTAL INTERV.	NO. OF TESTS	REFUSED	.050 & UNDER	.055 TO .095	.100 TO .145	.150 & OVER	P.B.T. USED
TOTAL:	8516	8291	225	1162	1906	2838	2385

PERCENTAGE OF SUBJECTS UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE 37.9%
AVERAGE B.A.C. OF SUBJECTS UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE 0.100%
AVERAGE B.A.C. OF ALL SUBJECTS TESTED 0.115%

CHARGED EXCEED .050% B.A.C. 5978
CHARGED EXCEED .000% B.A.C. 263
CHARGES EXCEED .050% AND EXCEED .000% 1157
NOT CHARGED WITH EXCEED B.A.C. OFFENCE 1118
TOTAL TESTS CONDUCTED: 8516

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CHILDREN'S COURT PROSECUTIONS

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CHILD OFFENDERS - PRINCIPAL OFFENCE BY SEX

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE*	MALE		FEMALE		TOTAL	
	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87
Serious Assault	254	260	41	52	295	312
Robbery	66	55	7	5	73	60
Rape	9	3	0	0	9	3
Sexual Penetration	14		0	0		14
Burglary	2013	2372	145	143	2158	2515
Shopsteal	822	666	572	468	1394	1134
Shopsteal Warning Notice	2365	2464	1788	1794	4153	4258
Other Theft	1843	1926	179	203	2022	2129
Motor Vehicle Theft	1128	1147	97	83	1225	1230
Malicious/Wilful						
Damage, Arson	853	718	44	67	897	785
Deception Fraud	67	96	38	46	105	142
Firearm	156	151	20	3	176	154
Drug	138	186	5	25	143	211
Traffic	1644	1326	79	54	1723	1380
Street	592	859	104	164	696	1023
Other	983	589	150	78	1133	667
TOTAL	12933	12832	3269	3185	16202	16017

*"Principal Offence" is based upon the most serious charge levelled against the child. In 1985/86, 16202 child offenders were processed for 38,916 offences. In 1986/87, 16,017 child offenders were processed for 39,899 offences.

OFFENCES COMMITTED BY CHILDREN BY SEX AND DISPOSITION

	MALE				FEMALE				TOTAL	
	COURT		CAUTION		COURT		CAUTION		85/86	86/87
	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87
Serious Assault	557	450	121	84	73	93	19	21	770	648
Robbery	85	83	7	3	9	7	0	1	101	94
Rape	} 10	5	} 3	0	0	0	0	0	} 13	5
Sexual Penetration		29		2	0	0	0	0		31
Burglary	2825	3217	1469	1533	142	117	92	96	4528	4963
Shopsteal	543	508	737	622	316	322	1055	669	2651	2121
Shopsteal Warning Notice	-	-	2365	2464	-	-	1788	1794	4153	4258
Other Theft	5565	6442	3092	3531	380	373	232	384	9269	10730
Motor Vehicle Theft	2006	1944	396	402	124	136	56	27	2582	2509
Malicious/Wilful										
Damage, Arson	907	1026	961	812	32	50	52	56	1952	1944
Deception Fraud	489	560	83	114	165	165	105	55	842	894
Firearm	242	181	110	277	37	0	20	5	409	463
Drug	130	387	218	107	1	50	5	17	354	561
Traffic	4221	3215	2310	2172	121	80	107	111	6759	5578
Street	1254	1477	425	743	217	230	68	157	1964	2607
Other	1418	1293	910	1034	103	102	138	64	2569	2493
TOTAL	20252	20817	13207	13900	1720	1725	3737	3457	38916	39899

CHILD OFFENDERS - PRINCIPAL OFFENCE BY SEX AND DISPOSITION

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE*	MALE				FEMALE				TOTAL			
	COURT		CAUTION		COURT		CAUTION		COURT		CAUTION	
	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87	85/86	86/87
Serious Assault	182	205	72	55	36	36	5	16	218	241	77	71
Robbery	61	53	5	2	7	4	0	1	68	57	5	3
Rape	} 6	3	} 3	-	0	0	0	0	} 6	3	} 3	0
Sexual Penetration		12		2	0	0	0	0		12		2
Burglary	11084	1340	929	1032	70	66	75	77	1154	1406	1004	1109
Shopsteal	380	339	442	336	158	166	414	302	538	496	856	638
Shopsteal Warning												
Notice	-	-	2365	2464	-	-	1788	1794	-	-	4153	4258
Other Theft	942	983	901	943	97	87	82	116	1039	1070	983	1059
Motor Vehicle Theft	835	835	293	312	53	46	44	37	888	881	837	349
Malicious/Wilful												
Damage, Arson	326	324	527	394	12	32	32	35	338	356	559	429
Deception Fraud	38	60	29	36	14	26	24	20	52	86	53	56
Firearm	93	49	63	102	10	3	10	0	103	52	73	102
Drug	43	124	95	62	2	15	3	10	45	139	98	72
Traffic	817	624	827	702	27	16	52	38	844	640	879	740
Street	363	448	229	411	74	73	30	91	437	521	259	502
Other	499	284	484	305	38	32	112	46	537	316	596	351
TOTAL	15669	5674	7264	7158	598	602	2671	2583	6267	6276	9935	9741

* "Principal Offence" is based upon the most serious charge levelled against the child. In 1985/86, 16202 child offenders were processed for 38,916 offences. In 1986/87, 16,017 child offenders were processed for 39,899 offences.

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CLASSIFICATION OF COMPLAINTS RELATIVE TO EACH DISTRICT

<u>DISTRICT</u>	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	Crn	Cmn	Prs	Srv	PSG	Trn	IID	R&D	TOT
<u>CLASS</u>																																			
5-2	31	19	12	9	3	5	-	5	33	6	2	2	18	4	6	8	23	2	6	15	12	20	2	-	14	12	60	-	-	-	1	-	330		
10-1	37	21	13	8	-	3	4	17	27	6	3	3	19	8	6	15	25	1	5	34	9	15	3	2	25	13	55	-	-	-	-	-	378		
10-5	14	6	2	-	-	3	4	8	14	6	2	6	9	3	1	4	10	3	2	18	9	9	-	-	10	10	20	-	-	-	-	-	173		
10-6	31	17	4	5	2	5	1	8	23	3	1	2	11	4	2	9	7	5	2	21	12	13	2	1	19	13	26	1	-	1	1	-	253		
10-7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	8			
10-8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	6			
TOTAL	114	63	31	22	5	16	9	38	98	21	9	13	58	19	15	36	65	12	15	89	42	57	7	3	68	49	166	1	-	1	1	2	2	1	1148
PERCENT	9.9	5.5	2.7	1.9	0.4	1.4	0.8	3.3	8.5	1.8	0.8	1.1	5.1	1.7	1.3	3.1	5.7	1.1	1.3	7.7	3.6	5.0	0.6	0.3	5.9	4.3	14.4	0.1	-	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1	100

TOTAL : 1,148

SOURCE OF COMPLAINTS

	Offnd	Susp	Frnd	Rltive	Wtnss	Cmplnt	Bystnd	Busnss Orgnst	Solctr	Ombud	P.C.A.	VICPOL	MOPES	Other Law E Agency	Anon	Other	TOT
Access	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Arrest	23	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27
Children	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Corruption	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Demeanour	34	6	-	1	-	68	-	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	117
Detention	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Discipline	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	1	-	26
Dishonesty	5	-	-	-	-	14	-	2	1	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	35
Drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	3
Entry/Search	-	26	-	1	-	6	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
Firearms	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	3
Harassment	8	2	2	5	-	38	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	64
Information	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Investgation	-	-	-	2	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Waict of Dty	1	-	-	1	-	30	-	1	2	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	40
Perjury	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
PhysMeasures	261	12	3	9	3	66	-	-	15	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	370
Practice	2	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	11
Property	1	2	-	2	-	8	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	16
Prosecution	14	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	18
Records	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	5
TrafMatters	31	-	-	1	1	9	-	-	1	-	-	31	-	-	-	-	74
Warrants	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Watch-House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	1	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	2	-	253	1	-	-	-	-	266
TOTALS	386	49	5	30	4	277	-	3	58	1	253	77	-	2	1	2	1148
PERCENTAGE	33.6	4.3	0.4	2.6	0.3	24.1	-	0.3	5.1	0.1	22.0	6.7	-	0.2	0.1	0.2	100

DETERMINATION OF COMPLAINTS

	Sustained	Unfounded	Conciliated	Unable to Determine	Lesser Deficiency	Exonerated	Not Finalised	Correspdnce (No Cmplnt)	TOTAL
Access	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Arrest	-	9	5	-	-	2	11	-	27
Children	-	1	-	-	-	-	5	-	6
Corruption	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	4
Demeanour	1	35	55	-	2	-	24	-	117
Detention	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Discipline	7	4	-	3	-	-	12	-	26
Dishonesty	4	9	1	4	2	-	15	-	35
Drugs	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	3
Entry/Search	-	12	18	1	1	-	9	-	41
Firearms	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3
Harassment	-	24	23	1	-	-	16	-	64
Information	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
Investgation	-	5	4	-	-	-	3	-	12
Neglect of Dty	2	9	16	-	1	1	11	-	40
Perjury	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
PhysMeasures	4	150	36	20	2	-	158	-	370
Practice	1	3	3	-	-	-	4	-	11
Property	-	4	4	1	1	-	6	-	16
Prosecution	-	7	5	-	-	-	6	-	18
Records	-	1	2	-	-	-	2	-	5
TrafMatters	15	13	14	2	-	4	26	-	74
Warrants	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	3
Watch-House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	3	2	2	-	-	6	253	266
TOTALS	34	297	190	34	9	9	322	253	1148
PERCENTAGE	3.0	25.9	16.6	3.0	0.8	0.8	28.0	22.0	100

ACTION TAKEN AGAINST MEMBERS

	Counselled	Reprimanded	Transferred	Discipline Board	Court Hearing	No Action	Not Finalised	Correspndnc (No Cmplnt)	TOTAL
Access	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Arrest	-	-	-	-	-	16	11	-	27
Children	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	6
Corruption	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	4
Demeanour	3	-	-	-	-	90	24	-	117
Detention	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Discipline	-	3	1	3	-	7	12	-	26
Dishonesty	1	1	-	-	2	16	15	-	35
Drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3
Entry/Search	1	-	-	-	-	31	9	-	41
Firearms	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3
Harassment	-	-	-	-	-	48	16	-	64
Information	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
Investgation	-	-	-	-	-	9	3	-	12
Mglct of Dty	-	1	-	1	-	27	11	-	40
Perjury	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
PhysMeasures	2	-	-	2	2	206	158	-	370
Practice	1	-	-	-	-	6	4	-	11
Property	1	-	-	-	-	9	6	-	16
Prosecution	-	-	-	-	-	12	6	-	18
Records	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	5
TrafMatters	2	1	-	1	15	29	26	-	74
Warrants	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	3
Watch-House	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	-	-	-	-	-	7	6	253	266
TOTALS	11	6	1	7	19	529	322	253	1148
PERCENTAGE	1.0	0.5	0.1	0.6	1.7	46.1	28.0	22.0	100



PART V

PERSONNEL

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Personnel

Gains and Losses of Staff

The overall actual strength of the Force increased by two from 8978 to 8980.

Commissioners	10	Commanders	4
Chief Superintendents	28	Brevet C/Supt.	1
Superintendents	41	Brevet Supt.	1
Chief Inspectors	85	Brevet C/Insp.	4
Inspectors	234	Brevet Insp.	7
Senior Sergeants	440	Brevet S/Sgt.	20
Sergeants	1595	Brevet Sgt.	61
Senior Constables	3879	Constables	2386
Recruits in Training	184		
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<u>Total Personnel</u>	<u>8980</u>		

Applications to Join Force

	1985/86	1986/87	% Increase/Decrease
Males	1813	2283	+ 25.9
Females	643	914	+ 42.1
Total	2456	3197	+ 30.1

Ill Health Retirements 1986/87

Rank	1985/86	1986/87*	A	B	C
Superintendent	1	-	-	-	-
Chief Inspector	-	-	-	-	-
Inspector	5	1	-	1	2
Senior Sergeant	6	3	-	4	7
Sergeant	21	9	2	3	14
Senior Constable	41	36	2	-	38
Constable	5	3	1	-	4
	<hr/> <u>79</u>	<hr/> <u>52</u>	<hr/> <u>5</u>	<hr/> <u>8</u>	<hr/> <u>65</u>

Illness / Injury

Nervous disorder	56
Back	9
Heart	5
Neck/Head	5
Other	4
Total:	<u>79</u>

Victoria Police Force Age

Distribution as at 30th June, 1986

<u>Age Group</u>	<u>%</u>
18 - 19	1.0
20 - 24	17.7
25 - 29	25.3
30 - 34	21.9
35 - 39	14.1
40 - 44	8.1
45 - 49	5.2
50 - 54	4.2
55 - 59	2.4
60 - 65	<u>0.1</u>
	<u>100.0</u>

Promotions Boards

During the year 703 members appeared before the various promotion boards for classification. In addition 252 members previously classified "A" were not required to appear for re-classification.

Promotional Classification

	Number of Applicants	Classified "A"	Previously "A"	Total
to C/Inspector	162	73	52	125
to Inspector (2 boards)	166	88	32	120
to Sen. Sergeant	205	121	21	142
to Sergeant	422	169	147	316

Promotional Examinations

Rank	No. of Candidates	% Pass Rate
<u>Senior Sergeant to Inspector (June)</u> (Nov.)	46	90 %
	31	68 %
<u>Sergeant to Senior Sergeant</u>	200	77 %
General Offences Paper No. 1	241	51 %
Crime Paper No. 2	234	91 %
Court Procedure Paper No. 3	235	80 %
Traffic Paper No. 4	236	66 %
Police Regs & Misc Acts Paper No. 5	233	67 %
Licensing & Gaming Paper No. 6	230	58 %
** 64 candidates passed all six papers	-	28 %

Constable to
Senior Constable

Parts 1 & 2	365	66 %
Parts 1 only	61	91 %
Parts 2 only	56	93 %

Personnel Assessments

Assessments Compiled

Annual

Superintendents	-	27
Chief Inspectors	-	137
Inspectors	-	243
Senior Sergeants	-	158
Sergeants	-	242
Senior Constables	-	840

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Interim

All ranks, six months after promotion	-	937
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Biennial

Senior Sergeants	-	160
Sergeants	-	629
Senior Constables & Constables (3rd to 29th year)	-	3048

Overall total 6421

Objections Received	305	(4.75 %)
Successful/part successful	56	(0.87%)

Counselling

Ninety-two personnel were counselled as a result of adverse assessments. In rank structure they were:

Senior Sergeants	1
Sergeants	4
Senior Constables/	
Constables	87
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	92
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This year represents 1.4% of the total number of assessments compiled for the year.

POLICE DISCIPLINE BOARD 1986/87

The Police Discipline Board dealt with 174 charges against members.

Members involved	..	64
Charges preferred	..	174
Charges dismissed	..	42
Reprimands	..	15
Fines	..	37 (Total \$8,350)
Adjourned Charges	..	18
Reduced in rank	..	12
Members dismissed	..	1
Withdrawn	..	45

POLICE SERVICE BOARD 1986/87

Appeals lodged	..	259
Appeals heard	..	88
Appeals dismissed	..	51
Appeals up-held	..	27
Appeals out-of-time	..	111
Appeals pending	..	56

Appeals Categories and Results

C.I.B. Vacancies

Lodged	..	50
Heard	..	6
Dismissed	..	3
Up-held	..	3
Withdrawn	..	31
Pending	..	6
Out-of-time	..	1

Transfers Not Applied For

Lodged	..	8
Heard	..	-
Dismissed	..	-
Up-held	..	-
Withdrawn	..	2
Pending	..	6

Vacancies Not Involving Promotion

Lodged	..	117
Heard	..	39
Dismissed	..	27
Up-held	..	12
Withdrawn	..	49
Pending	..	29

Vacancies Involving Promotion

Lodged	..	123
Heard	..	48
Dismissed	..	23
Up-held	..	15
Withdrawn	..	57
Pending	..	18

Against Decision of Police Discipline Board

Lodged	..	7
Heard	..	1
Dismissed	..	1
Up-held	..	-
Withdrawn	..	3
Pending	..	3

Inquiry Under Section 88 A (1)

Lodged	..	4
Heard	..	2
Dismissed	..	2
Pending	..	2

PERSONNEL WASTAGE