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PREFACE

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program (UCR) in Arkansas was established as a state program in 1974 in order to make Arkansas law enforcement data available to those involved with or interested in the criminal justice system. This program collects law enforcement statistics under definitions established for the collection and publication of *uniform* national crime statistics. One of the major differences between the UCR definitions and Arkansas Statutes is in the definition of rape.

The Arkansas UCR Program collects the following information on a monthly basis:

1. Offenses known to police (seven selected crimes),
2. Value of property stolen and/or recovered for the above seven crimes,
3. Adult arrests for all crimes except traffic violations and neglect,
4. Juvenile arrests for all crimes except traffic violations and neglect,
5. Supplementary homicide information,
6. Supplementary information concerning law enforcement officers killed or assaulted,
7. Supplementary forcible rape information.

The seven "offenses known to police" are commonly referred to as *Index Crimes* or the *Crime Index*. It is the Crime Index offenses which are widely publicized by the news media and which are often used to assess the criminality of a given community. The seven selected crimes used to measure the extent, fluctuation and distribution of crime are:

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>Violent Crimes</i> | 1. Murder |
| | 2. Forcible rape |
| | 3. Robbery |
| | 4. Aggravated assault |
| <i>Property Crimes</i> | 5. Burglary |
| | 6. Larceny-theft |
| | 7. Motor vehicle theft |

Crime rates are established from the number of Index Crimes in relation to the population estimates for a given area. Crime rates are generally computed as the number of Index Crimes per 100,000 population.

In reporting the numbers of the above crimes, a hierarchy is used for counting purposes. In the event of "multiple offenses" in one situation, only the "most serious" is counted for UCR purposes. For example: In the event of an armed robbery in which a murder occurs and an automobile is stolen for a get-away car, only the murder is counted. The property stolen and the value of the automobile are given on a supplementary form. In all cases, except murder, attempts to commit a crime are counted as though the crime occurred. Attempted murder is counted as aggravated assault. The number of motor vehicle thefts reported includes only those motor vehicles stolen when no other of the first five crimes occurred.

The statewide information in this report includes all of the UCR data submitted during 1977 in Arkansas. This information was submitted by law enforcement agencies representing 90% of the state's population.

In the list of law enforcement agencies, *non-reporting* refers to police departments (PD) and sheriffs' offices (SO) which did not submit Uniform Crime Reports in 1977, which represented populations of 2,000 or more, and which had been assigned an NCIC-ORI (national identifier) number. The population estimates used for this *non-reporting* classification were from "Arkansas Municipalities." All other population estimates were furnished by the U. S. Bureau of the Census through the Uniform Crime Reporting Section of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

The *Crime by Population Groupings* sections of this report include all law enforcement agencies which submitted UCR for twelve months in 1977. A full year's data are necessary in order to compute crime rates. There were no cities or counties which fell within the 40,000 to 60,000 population grouping.

While Uniform Crime Reporting is the best source of data available at the present time, it has been subject to much criticism during its history. Many of these commentaries are valid, although the criticisms are weakened when it is remembered that the program was developed to furnish management information for use primarily by law enforcement agencies.

Caution should be exercised in making comparisons of data between jurisdictions for many reasons. Comparisons may not be significant because of a great variety of factors which affect the extent and fluctuation of crime and which are not taken into consideration in either raw data or crime rates. All crimes are considered "equal" in computing crime rates. One murder affects a crime rate the same as one larceny. Despite these words of caution, the Uniform Crime Reports are the best information available, while no claim is made that they represent "all crime" or any set portion of it.

CRIME FACTORS

There are inherent limitations in current crime reporting practices. Of primary importance is the question of how much crime is being reported. Law enforcement agencies are only capable of reporting crimes known to them. In many instances, citizens do not report crimes directly to these agencies but may report them to the prosecuting authorities. A considerable volume of crime is not reported to law enforcement agencies because the victims may consider the offenses against them to be of very little consequence; they believe there is nothing the police can do about them; they fear retaliation from offenders or have shared willingly in such offenses as illegal sex acts, gambling or drug usage. Consequently, information concerning some offenses is never entered in the present statistical reporting system. The report of a national survey conducted in 1975, *Criminal Victimitizations in the United States*, by the U. S. Department of Justice (Law Enforcement Assistance Administration), indicates that 10% to 74% of crimes go unreported to law enforcement agencies. A chart depicting this information is given on page iv.

The information collected for this report is the most accurate crime information currently available in Arkansas. Caution should be exercised, however, in making direct comparisons of crime and arrest data reported by different law enforcement jurisdictions. Likewise, when comparing offense and arrest data, the reader should keep in mind that crimes relate to events while arrests relate to persons. A single criminal act may involve several crimes, several offenders, and several victims.

Set forth below are some additional conditions which will, by type and volume, affect the crime that occurs from place to place. These same conditions will also affect the amount of crime actually reported.

1. Density and size of the community population and metropolitan areas of which it is a part.
2. Variations in composition of the population with reference particularly to age, sex and race.
3. Economic conditions, including job availability.
4. Relative stability of population with respect to transient factors.
5. Climate.
6. Cultural conditions, such as educational, recreational, and religious characteristics.
7. Effective strength of law enforcement agencies.
8. Administrative and investigative emphases of law enforcement.
9. Policies of other components of the criminal justice system (i.e. prosecutorial, judicial, correctional, and probational).
10. Attitude of the public towards law and enforcement problems.
11. Crime reporting practices of citizenry.

Current methods of gathering and reporting offense and arrest data, because they are influenced by many variables, provide a less than complete picture of criminality in our society. However, despite these shortcomings, there is at present no other information system available that will more adequately perform this task.

VICTIMIZATIONS

The chart on the following page was taken from *Criminal Victimitizations in the United States, 1975*, by the U. S. Department of Justice, Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, page 14. This chart gives percent of victimizations reported to the police. Attempts to compare victimization information with data collected from police are inappropriate because of substantial differences in coverage between surveys and police statistics. A major difference arises from the fact that police statistics in the incidence of crime are derived principally from reports that persons make to the police, whereas survey data include crimes not reported to the police, as well as those that are reported. Also,

personal crimes covered in this victimization survey relate only to persons age 12 and over, while police statistics count crimes against persons of any age. This survey did not measure some offenses (e.g., homicide) that are included in police statistics, and the counting and classifying rules for the victimization and Uniform Crime Reporting programs are not fully compatible.

Percent of victimizations reported to the police, 1975

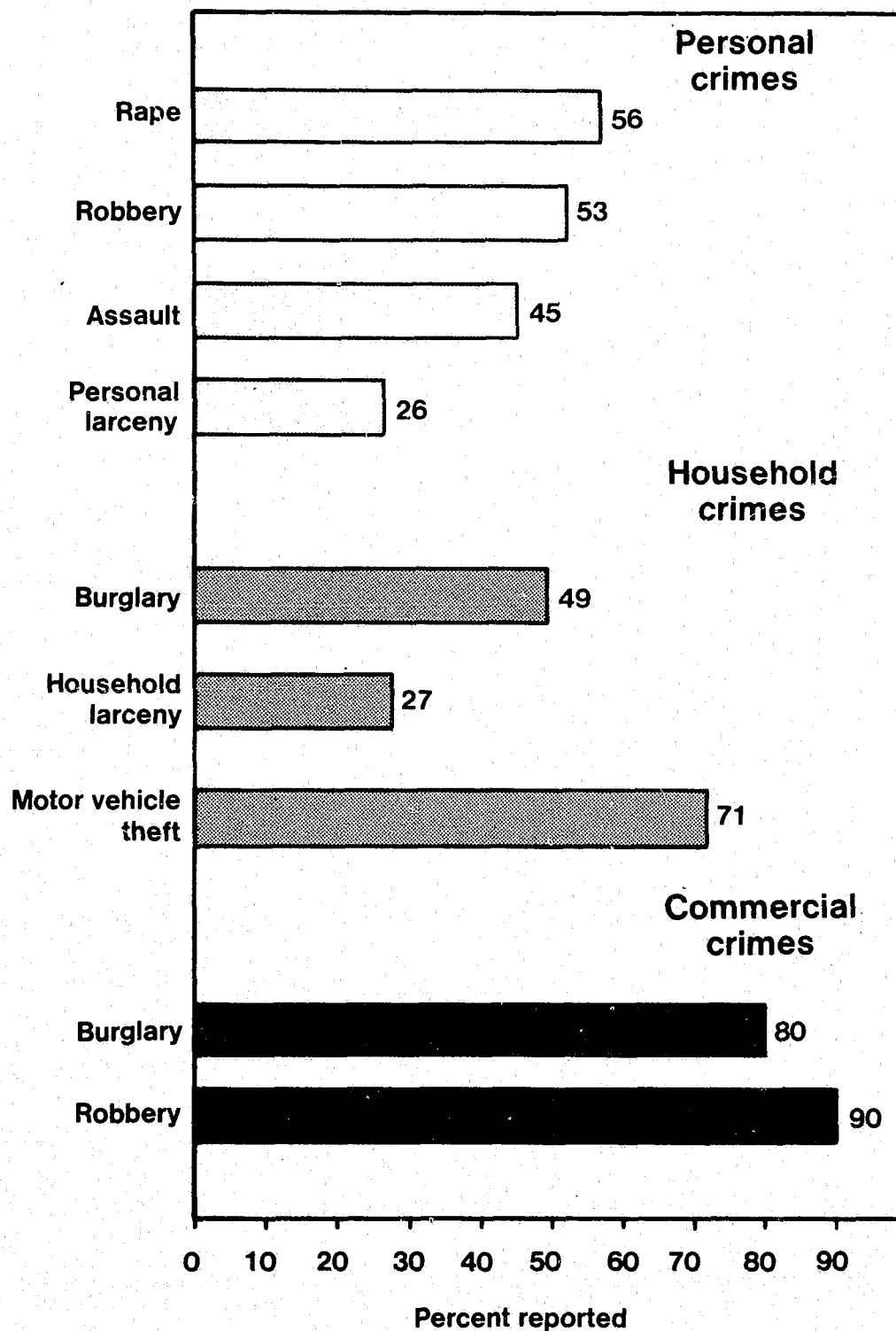


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STATEWIDE DATA
UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING, 1977



LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES

1977

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Months</u> <u>UCR</u>	<u>Population</u>
ARKANSAS CO. SO	12	7,244
DeWitt PD	12	3,838
Stuttgart PD	12	12,953
Gillett PD	2	963
ASHLEY CO. SO	12	14,182
Crossett PD	7	6,454
Hamburg PD	12	4,000
Wilmot PD	6	1,232
BAXTER CO. SO	12	16,519
Mountain Home PD	8	7,211
BENTON CO. SO	12	30,545
Bentonville PD	12	7,000
Rogers PD	12	15,078
Siloam Springs PD	12	7,000
BOONE CO. SO	12	13,124
Harrison PD	12	8,876
BRADLEY CO. SO	2	6,575
Warren PD	12	6,665
CALHOUN CO. SO	10	3,946
Hampton PD	12	1,654
CARROLL CO. SO	9	7,712
Berryville PD	12	2,950
Eureka Springs PD	12	2,000
Green Forest PD	8	1,800
CHICOT CO. SO	10	6,677
Dermott PD	12	4,300
Eudora PD	12	3,598
Lake Village PD	10	3,248
CLARK CO. SO	12	9,806
Arkadelphia PD	12	10,503
Gurdon PD	4	2,300
CLAY CO. SO	12	14,258
Corning PD	12	3,276
Piggott PD	12	3,344
Rector PD	Non Reporting	

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Months</u> <u>UCR</u>	<u>Population</u>
CLEBURNE CO. SO	9	10,574
Heber Springs PD	12	4,193
CLEVELAND CO. SO	12	7,000
COLUMBIA CO. SO	12	14,181
Magnolia PD	12	11,687
CONWAY CO. SO	12	11,441
Morrilton PD	12	7,400
CRAIGHEAD CO. SO	12	27,439
Jonesboro PD	12	32,014
Bay PD	11	1,246
CRAWFORD CO. SO	12	22,238
Van Buren PD	4	9,762
Alma PD	Non Reporting	
CRITTENDEN CO. SO	12	18,673
West Memphis PD	12	28,236
Earle PD	12	3,300
CROSS CO. SO	12	13,199
Wynne PD	12	7,883
Parkin PD	Non Reporting	
DALLAS CO. SO	12	5,174
Fordyce PD	9	4,826
DESHA CO. SO	12	8,401
McGehee PD	12	5,413
Dumas PD	Non Reporting	
DREW CO. SO	5	8,499
Monticello PD	12	8,000
FAULKNER CO. SO	12	19,217
Conway PD	12	18,804
Mayflower PD	4	1,189
FRANKLIN CO. SO	Non Reporting	
Ozark PD	Non Reporting	
FULTON CO. SO	Non Reporting	

Agency	Months UCR	Population
GARLAND CO. SO	7	25,805
Hot Springs PD	12	38,153
GRANT CO. SO	5	9,629
Sheridan PD	1	3,000
GREENE CO. SO	12	14,053
Paragould PD	12	14,447
HEMPSTEAD CO. SO	12	9,674
Hope PD	12	11,000
HOT SPRING CO. SO	Non Reporting	
Malvern PD	12	9,853
HOWARD CO. SO	12	9,144
Nashville PD	12	4,401
INDEPENDENCE CO. SO	12	17,257
Batesville PD	12	8,000
IZARD CO. SO	12	8,400
Horseshoe Bend PD	12	1,600
JACKSON CO. SO	4	13,948
Newport PD	12	7,847
JEFFERSON CO. SO	12	23,576
Pine Bluff PD	12	61,871
JOHNSON CO. SO	12	11,063
Clarksville PD	4	5,028
LAFAYETTE CO. SO	6	7,409
Stamps PD	12	2,368
LAWRENCE CO. SO	12	15,085
Walnut Ridge PD	12	4,265
Hoxie PD	Non Reporting	
LEE CO. SO	Non Reporting	
Marianna PD	12	5,190
LINCOLN CO. SO	12	11,514
Gould PD	11	1,726
Star City PD	Non Reporting	
LITTLE RIVER CO. SO	12	8,027
Ashdown PD	12	3,685

Agency	Months UCR	Population
LOGAN CO. SO	7	10,829
Booneville PD	12	3,526
Paris PD	11	3,977
LONOKE CO. SO	12	21,481
England PD	12	3,237
Cabot PD	6	3,970
Carlisle PD	Non Reporting	
Lonoke PD	Non Reporting	
MADISON CO. SO	12	10,500
MARION CO. SO	9	8,410
Yellville PD	10	1,148
Bull Shoals PD	7	626
MILLER CO. SO	12	12,959
Texarkana PD	12	22,177
MISSISSIPPI CO. SO	12	30,192
Blytheville PD	12	24,304
Osceola PD	12	8,500
Leachville PD	12	1,980
Manila PD	Non Reporting	
MONROE CO. SO	12	7,273
Brinkley PD	12	4,907
Clarendon PD	1	2,384
MONTGOMERY CO. SO	Non Reporting	
NEVADA CO. SO	Non Reporting	
Prescott PD	12	3,890
NEWTON CO. SO	12	7,004
OUACHITA CO. SO	11	12,491
Camden PD	12	15,892
Stephens PD	8	1,355
PERRY CO. SO	12	7,129
PHILLIPS CO. SO	12	14,219
Helena PD	12	11,800
West Helena PD	12	11,117
Elaine PD	12	1,157
PIKE CO. SO	12	9,370

Agency	Months UCR	Population
POINSETT CO. SO	12	16,953
Marked Tree PD	12	3,024
Trumann PD	12	5,911
Harrisburg PD	12	1,813
POLK CO. SO	12	10,931
Mena PD	9	4,855
POPE CO. SO	12	19,016
Russellville PD	12	12,984
Atkins PD	Non Reporting	
PRAIRIE CO. SO	12	6,295
Hazen PD	10	1,857
Des Arc PD	12	2,101
DeValls Bluff PD	10	644
PULASKI CO. SO	12	86,997
Jacksonville PD	12	24,360
Little Rock PD	12	143,600
North Little Rock PD	12	63,800
Sherwood PD	12	6,735
RANDOLPH CO. SO	12	9,802
Pocahontas PD	12	7,002
ST. FRANCIS CO. SO	7	16,533
Forrest City PD	12	15,344
Hughes PD	Non Reporting	
SALINE CO. SO	12	19,509
Benton PD	12	19,991
Bryant PD	11	2,500
SCOTT CO. SO	Non Reporting	
Waldron PD	Non Reporting	
SEARCY CO. SO	4	8,656
SEBASTIAN CO. SO	12	20,903
Ft. Smith PD	12	68,006
Greenwood PD	Non Reporting	
SEVIER CO. SO	11	8,063
DeQueen PD	12	3,937
SHARP CO. SO	1	11,712
STONE CO. SO	Non Reporting	

Agency	Months UCR	Population
UNION CO. SO	12	20,699
El Dorado PD	12	25,001
Smackover PD	Non Reporting	
VAN BUREN CO. SO	Non Reporting	
WASHINGTON CO. SO	12	36,664
Fayetteville PD	12	34,741
Springdale PD	12	20,458
U of A Public Safety	12	*
WHITE CO. SO	12	28,597
Searcy PD	12	12,000
Bald Knob PD	12	2,750
Beebe PD	12	3,500
Kensett PD	12	1,938
Judsonia PD	3	
Bradford PD	12	1,015
WOODRUFF CO. SO	12	6,362
Augusta PD	Non Reporting	
McCrory PD	12	2,073
YELL CO. SO	8	15,104
Dardanelle PD	Non Reporting	
Danville PD	12	1,700

*Data for the University of Arkansas Department of Public Safety are included in the 10,000 to 18,000 population grouping.



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CRIME INFO

December 1977

The following tables portray the level of crime reported by law enforcement agencies in the State of Arkansas to the Criminal Justice and Highway Safety Information Center for the period indicated.

Offense	Dec. 1976	Dec. 1977	% Change
Murder & Non-negligent Manslaughter	16	19	+ 19
Forcible Rape	37	60	+ 62
Robbery	143	147	+ 3
Aggravated Assault	241	355	+ 47
Burglary	1,409	1,883	+ 34
Larceny-Theft	2,750	3,133	+ 14
Motor Vehicle Theft	231	324	+ 40
Total Crime Index	4,827	5,921	+ 23
Violent Crime Index	437	581	+ 33
Property Crime Index	4,390	5,340	+ 22
Number of Reporting Agencies	132	156	+ 19

YEAR TO DATE

Offense	Jan.-Dec. 1976	Jan.-Dec. 1977	% Change
Murder & Non-negligent Manslaughter	171	172	+ 1
Forcible Rape	458	565	+ 23
Robbery	1,516	1,734	+ 14
Aggravated Assault	3,725	4,115	+ 10
Burglary	17,990	19,527	+ 9
Larceny - Theft	39,671	38,173	- 4
Motor Vehicle Theft	2,977	3,725	+ 25
Total Crime Index	66,508	68,011	+ 2
Violent Crime Index	5,870	6,586	+ 12
Property Crime Index	60,638	61,425	+ 1
Average Number of Reporting Agencies	129	149	+ 16

**VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BY TYPE OF OFFENSE AND PROPERTY
ARKANSAS, 1977**

OFFENSE	Number of Offenses	Amount Stolen	OFFENSE	Number of Offenses	Amount Stolen
<u>MURDER</u>	172	\$ 7,552	<u>LARCENY</u>		
			Pocket-Picking	161	\$ 22,657
			Purse-Snatching	482	45,752
<u>FORCIBLE RAPE</u>	565	\$ 6,285	Shoplifting	3,132	107,346
			Thefts from Motor Vehicles	6,574	1,825,298
<u>ROBBERY</u>			Motor Vehicle Parts & Accessories	7,720	1,030,588
Highway	516	\$ 125,176	Bicycles	3,660	289,634
Commercial House	186	64,689	From Buildings	6,173	1,700,797
Service Station	114	31,885	Coin-Operated Machines	1,369	55,378
Chain Store	271	138,333	All Other	8,902	2,457,005
Residence	243	98,104			
Bank	20	234,382	TOTAL	38,173	\$ 7,534,455
Miscellaneous	384	434,103			
TOTAL	1,734	\$ 1,126,672	<u>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</u>		
			includes the value of property contained in the vehicles at the time of the theft.	3,725	\$ 8,537,570
<u>BURGLARY</u>			<u>TYPE OF PROPERTY</u>	Amount Stolen	Amount Recovered
RESIDENCE Committed during Night (6 p.m.-6 a.m.)	5,068	\$ 2,403,387	Currency, Notes, etc.	\$ 3,039,157	\$ 849,826
RESIDENCE Committed during Day (6 a.m.-6 p.m.)	3,814	1,489,095	Jewelry & Precious Metals	1,899,138	204,714
RESIDENCE Unknown	2,859	1,264,256	Clothing & Furs	522,784	65,170
NON RESIDENCE Committed during Night (6 p.m.-6 a.m.)	5,751	2,185,997	Vehicles	8,515,525	5,923,156
NON RESIDENCE Committed during Day (6 a.m.-6 p.m.)	645	204,246	Office Equipment	221,823	58,731
NON RESIDENCE Unknown	1,390	405,022	Television, Radios, Cameras, etc.	2,811,636	315,603
TOTAL	19,527	\$ 7,952,003	Firearms	929,667	165,028
			Household Goods	955,719	107,364
			Consumable Goods	311,717	50,868
			Livestock	142,737	41,738
			Miscellaneous	5,814,634	799,343
			TOTAL	\$25,164,537	\$ 8,581,541

ADULT ARRESTS

1977

OFFENSE	TOTAL ARRESTS	SEX		RACE		
		Male	Female	White	Black	Other
INDEX OFFENSES						
Murder	153	111	42	75	76	2
Forcible Rape	212	208	4	121	88	3
Robbery	499	453	46	214	285	0
Aggravated Assault	1,936	1,659	277	1,055	879	2
Burglary	1,801	1,718	83	1,201	596	4
Larceny-Theft	5,706	3,804	1,902	3,400	2,290	16
Motor Vehicle Theft	398	370	28	328	70	0
SUBTOTAL – INDEX ARRESTS						
	10,705	8,323	2,382	6,394	4,284	27
OTHER OFFENSES						
Manslaughter by Negligence	30	27	3	17	13	0
Non-aggravated Assault	2,626	2,196	430	1,512	1,106	8
Arson	57	50	7	39	18	0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	771	516	255	537	234	0
Fraud	5,067	2,728	2,339	3,520	1,542	5
Embezzlement	10	4	6	9	1	0
Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possessing	376	335	41	293	83	0
Vandalism	267	223	44	193	73	1
Weapons:Carrying, Possession, etc.	1,387	1,277	110	763	622	2
Prostitution & Commercialized Vice	306	160	146	117	189	0
Sex Offenses (except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	232	222	10	193	39	0
Narcotic Drug Laws: Sale/Manu- facture	927	807	120	777	148	2
Narcotic Drug Laws: Possession	4,018	3,623	395	3,126	878	14
Gambling	999	971	28	83	916	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	422	372	50	359	62	1
Driving Under the Influence	22,081	20,657	1,424	17,890	4,147	44
Liquor Laws	3,457	3,093	364	2,840	612	5
Drunkenness	24,279	22,518	1,761	18,431	5,769	79
Disorderly Conduct	4,081	3,400	681	2,679	1,395	7
Vagrancy	915	182	733	134	781	0
All Other (except Traffic)	10,664	8,470	2,194	7,751	2,871	42
Suspicion	663	581	82	298	365	0
Curfew & Loitering Law Violations	—	—	—	—	—	—
Runaways	—	—	—	—	—	—
SUBTOTAL – OTHER ARRESTS						
	83,635	72,412	11,223	61,561	21,864	210
TOTAL ARRESTS						
	94,340	80,735	13,605	67,955	26,148	237

JUVENILE ARRESTS

1977

OFFENSE	TOTAL ARRESTS	SEX		RACE		
		Male	Female	White	Black	Other
<u>INDEX OFFENSES</u>						
Murder	22	21	1	7	15	0
Forcible Rape	47	47	0	15	32	0
Robbery	149	135	14	54	95	0
Aggravated Assault	187	145	42	97	90	0
Burglary	1,508	1,418	90	929	579	0
Larceny-Theft	2,975	2,199	776	1,745	1,230	0
Motor Vehicle Theft	416	352	64	324	92	0
SUBTOTAL – INDEX ARRESTS						
	5,304	4,317	987	3,171	2,133	0
<u>OTHER OFFENSES</u>						
Manslaughter by Negligence	3	3	0	3	0	0
Non-aggravated Assault	275	207	68	147	127	1
Arson	46	39	7	30	16	0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	132	114	18	90	42	0
Fraud	58	26	32	50	8	0
Embezzlement	0					
Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possessing	124	114	10	82	42	0
Vandalism	368	335	33	294	74	0
Weapons: Carrying, Possession, etc.	175	162	13	131	44	0
Prostitution & Commercialized Vice	7	2	5	3	4	0
Sex Offenses (except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	35	32	3	25	10	0
Narcotic Drug Laws: Sale/Manufacture	151	135	16	141	10	0
Narcotic Drug Laws: Possession	1,038	901	137	924	114	0
Gambling	23	23	0	0	23	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	35	22	13	33	2	0
Driving Under the Influence	577	524	53	556	21	0
Liquor Laws	1,630	1,392	238	1,560	68	2
Drunkenness	737	646	91	671	62	4
Disorderly Conduct	615	475	140	438	176	1
Vagrancy	40	29	11	24	16	0
All Other (except Traffic)	1,487	1,219	268	1,156	294	7
Suspicion	166	150	16	84	82	0
Curfew & Loitering Law Violations	547	424	123	462	85	0
Runaways	1,389	624	765	1,299	90	0
SUBTOTAL – OTHER ARRESTS						
	9,658	7,598	2,060	8,233	1,410	15
TOTAL ARRESTS						
	14,962	11,915	3,047	11,404	3,543	15

TOTAL ARRESTS BY AGE, SEX, AND RACE
1977

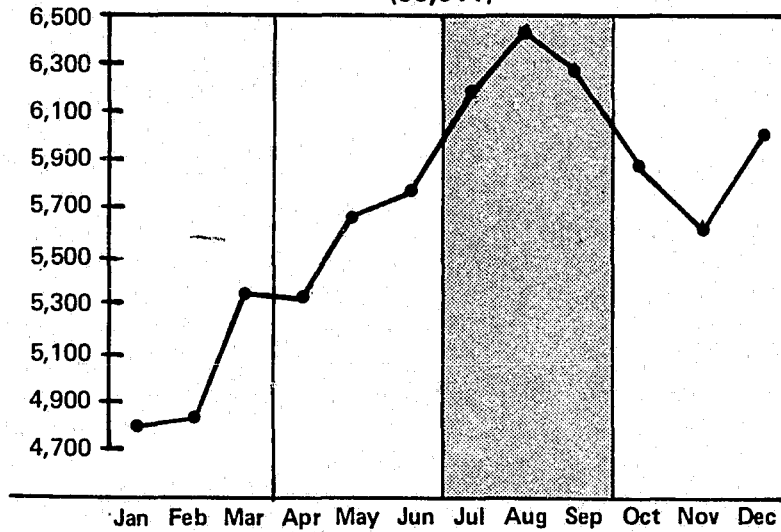
OFFENSE	TOTAL ARRESTS	AGE		SEX		RACE		
		Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other
<u>INDEX OFFENSES</u>								
Murder	175	22	153	132	43	82	91	2
Forcible Rape	259	47	212	255	4	136	120	3
Robbery	648	149	499	588	60	268	380	0
Aggravated Assault	2,123	187	1,936	1,804	319	1,152	969	2
Burglary	3,309	1,508	1,801	3,136	173	2,130	1,175	4
Larceny-Theft	8,681	2,975	5,706	6,003	2,678	5,145	3,520	16
Motor Vehicle Theft	814	416	398	722	92	652	162	0
SUBTOTAL – INDEX ARRESTS	16,009	5,304	10,705	12,640	3,369	9,565	6,417	27
<u>OTHER OFFENSES</u>								
Manslaughter by Negligence	33	3	30	30	3	20	13	0
Non-aggravated Assault	2,901	275	2,626	2,403	498	1,659	1,233	9
Arson	103	46	57	89	14	69	34	0
Forgery/Counterfeiting	903	132	771	630	273	627	276	0
Fraud	5,125	58	5,067	2,754	2,371	3,570	1,550	5
Embezzlement	10	0	10	4	6	9	1	0
Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possessing	500	124	376	449	51	375	125	0
Vandalism	635	368	267	558	77	487	147	1
Weapons:Carrying, Possession, etc.	1,562	175	1,387	1,439	123	894	666	2
Prostitution & Commercialized Vice	313	7	306	162	151	120	193	0
Sex Offenses (except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	267	35	232	254	13	218	49	0
Narcotic Drug Laws: Sale/Manufacture	1,078	151	927	942	136	918	158	2
Narcotic Drug Laws: Possession	5,056	1,038	4,018	4,524	532	4,050	992	14
Gambling	1,022	23	999	994	28	83	939	0
Offenses Against Family & Children	457	35	422	394	63	392	64	1
Driving Under the Influence	22,658	577	22,081	21,181	1,477	18,446	4,168	44
Liquor Laws	5,087	1,630	3,457	4,485	602	4,400	680	7
Drunkenness	25,016	737	24,279	23,164	1,852	19,102	5,831	83
Disorderly Conduct	4,696	615	4,081	3,875	821	3,117	1,571	8
Vagrancy	955	40	915	211	744	158	797	0
All Other (except Traffic)	12,151	1,487	10,664	9,689	2,462	8,937	3,165	49
Suspicion	829	166	663	731	98	382	447	0
Curfew & Loitering Law Violations	547	547	—	424	123	462	85	0
Runaways	1,389	1,389	—	624	765	1,299	90	0
SUBTOTAL – OTHER ARRESTS	93,293	9,658	83,635	80,010	13,283	69,794	23,274	225
TOTAL ARRESTS	109,302	14,962	94,340	92,650	16,652	79,359	29,691	252

INDEX OFFENSES
ARKANSAS, 1977

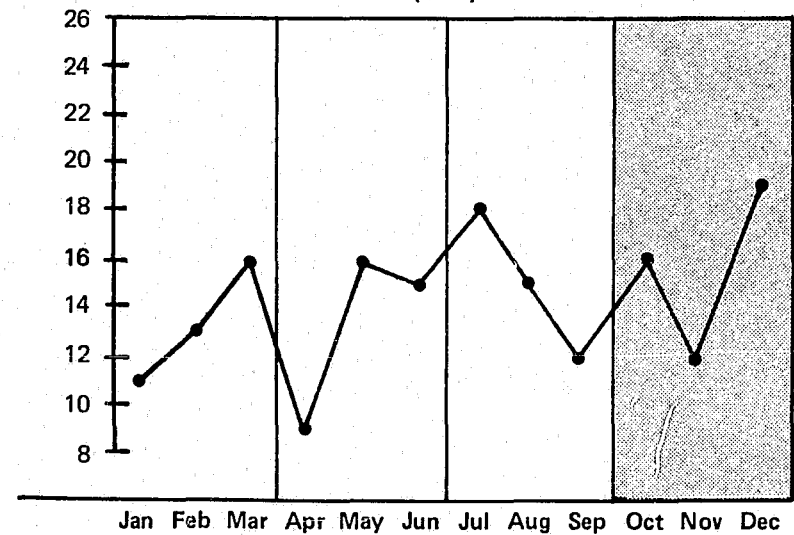
MONTH	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Number of Agencies
January	4,774	11	34	164	262	1,453	2,597	253	145
February	4,838	13	31	118	247	1,527	2,677	225	143
March	5,326	16	39	141	333	1,495	3,076	226	148
1st Quarter	14,938	40	104	423	842	4,475	8,350	704	
April	5,309	9	41	136	283	1,468	3,110	262	148
May	5,669	16	63	120	331	1,567	3,274	298	149
June	5,746	15	46	118	352	1,505	3,358	352	149
2nd Quarter	16,724	40	150	374	966	4,540	9,742	912	
July	6,188	18	55	130	418	1,699	3,481	387	150
August	6,460	15	65	159	424	1,788	3,613	396	145
September	6,299	12	52	172	396	1,803	3,508	356	155
3rd Quarter	18,947	45	172	461	1,238	5,290	10,602	1,139	
October	5,862	16	44	165	387	1,626	3,295	329	147
November	5,619	12	35	164	327	1,713	3,051	317	153
December	5,921	19	60	147	355	1,883	3,133	324	156
4th Quarter	17,402	47	139	476	1,069	5,222	9,479	970	
TOTAL FOR YEAR	68,011	172	565	1,734	4,115	19,527	38,173	3,725	149 Avg.

INDEX CRIMES, BY MONTH 1977

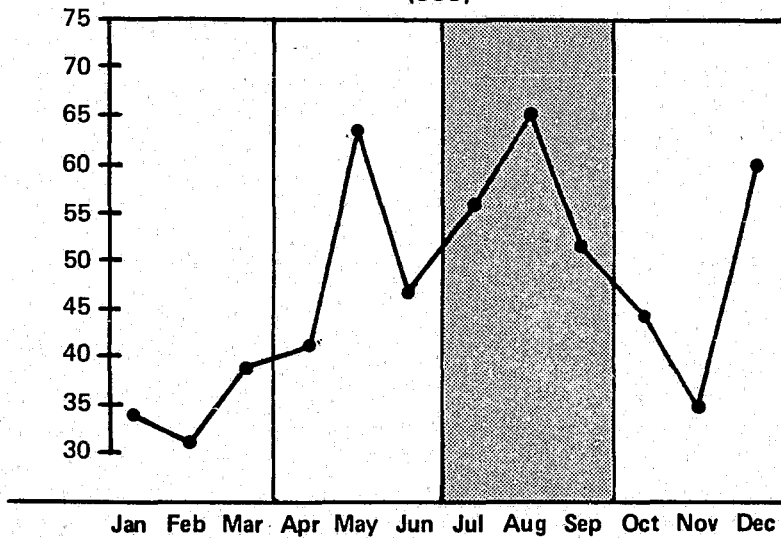
**Total Index Offenses
(68,011)**



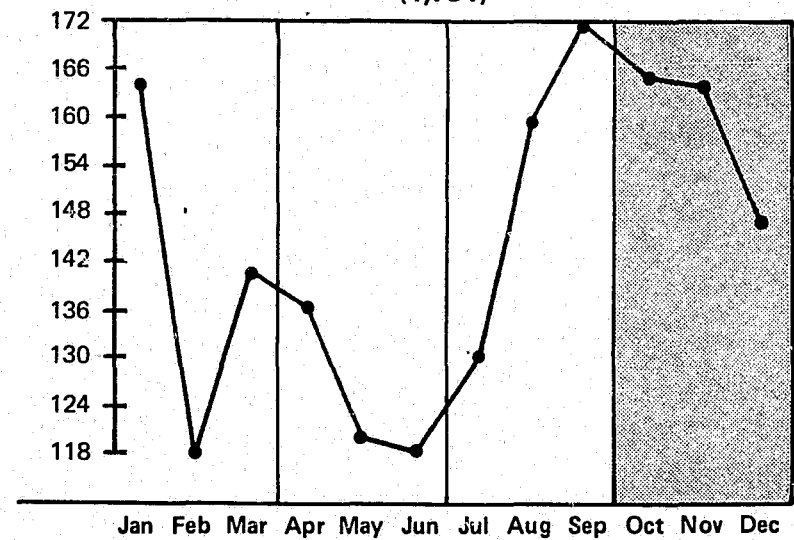
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(172)**



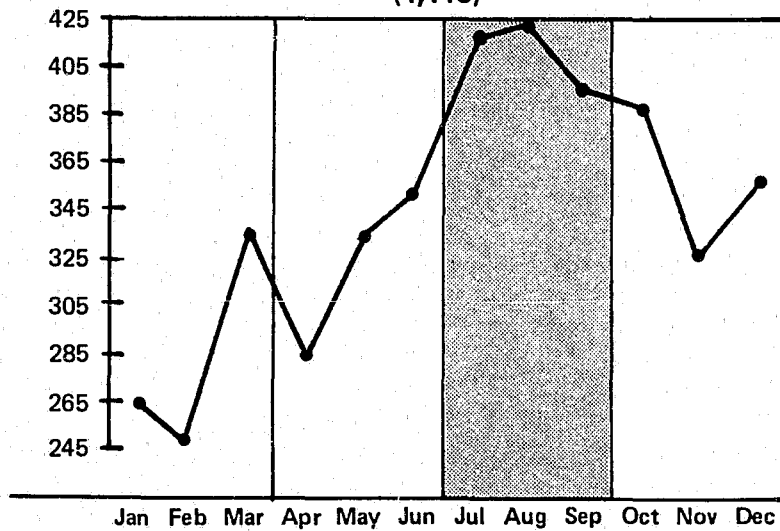
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(565)**



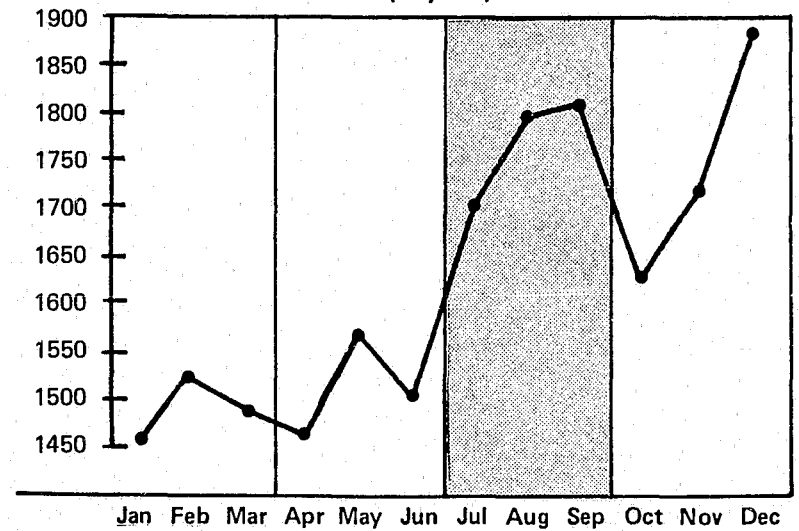
**Robbery
(1,734)**



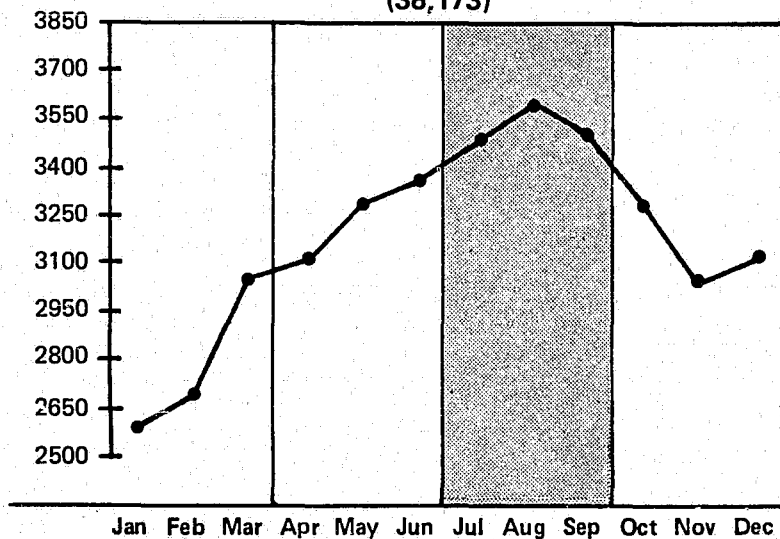
Aggravated Assault
(4,115)



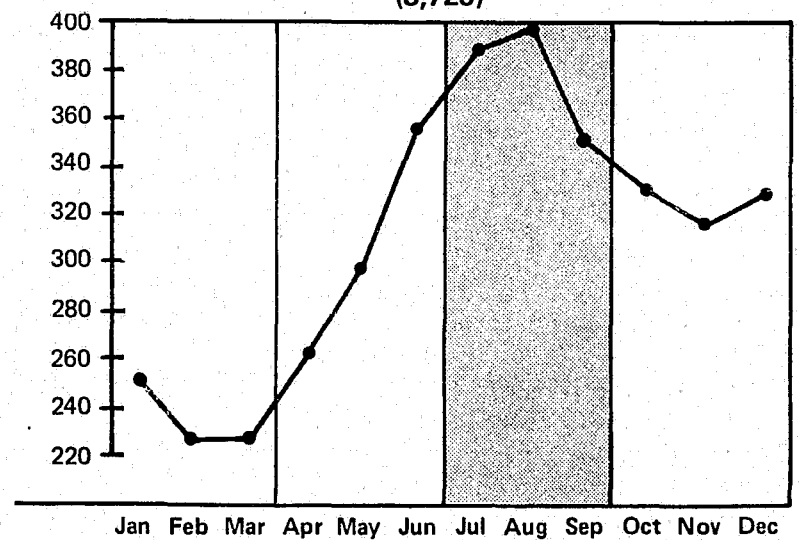
Burglary
(19,527)



Larceny - Theft
(38,173)



Motor Vehicle Theft
(3,725)

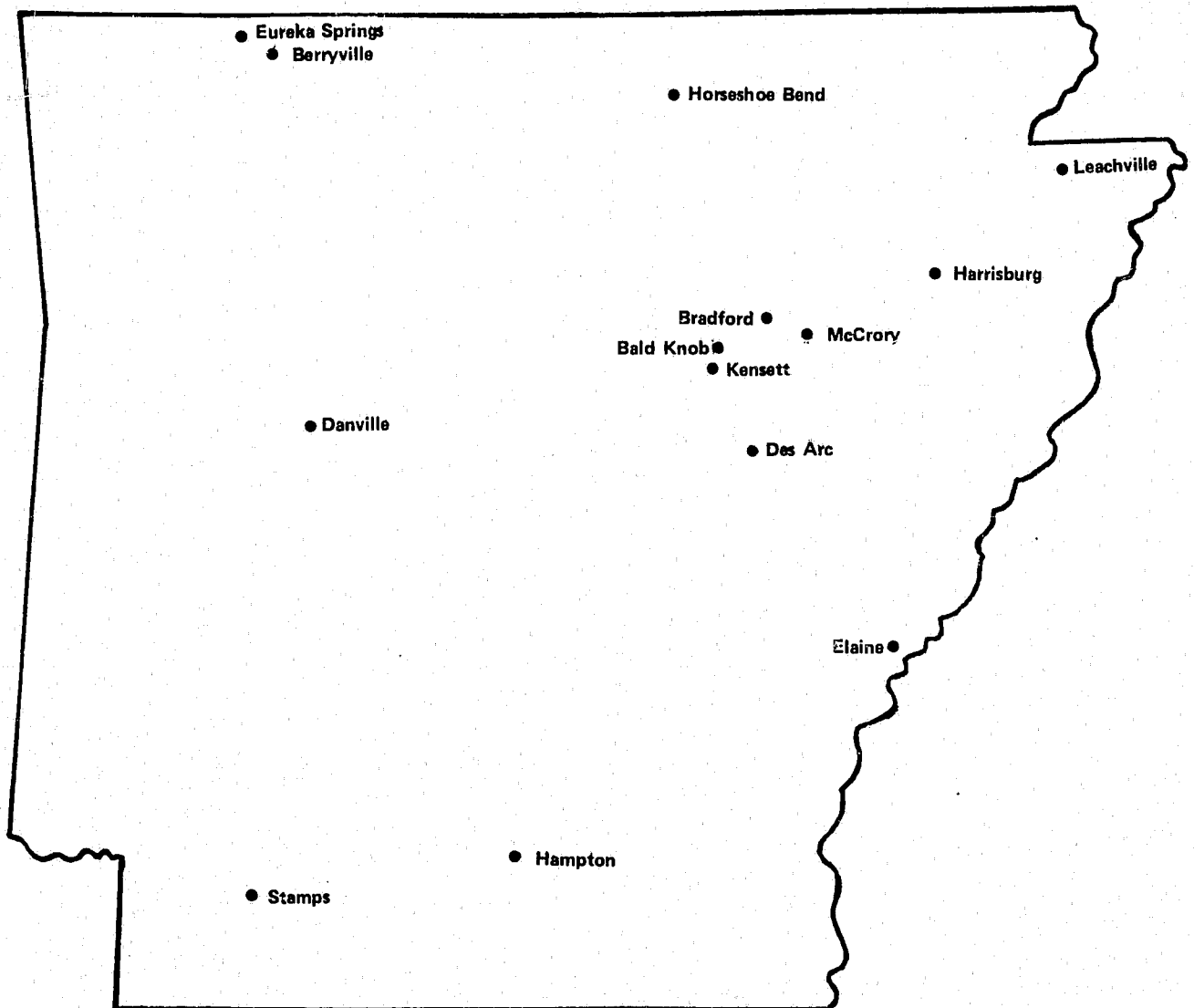


**UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING
IN ARKANSAS**

	Population Estimate	Pop. Rep. By UCR Reporting	Avg. No. Of Agencies/Month	Change In No. Of Agencies	INDEX OFFENSES	Change In Index Off.	Crime Rate per 100,000	Change In Crime Rate
1975	2,116,000	76.8% (1,625,088)	114		66,446		4,088.8	
1976	2,109,000	82.9% (1,748,361)	129	+13.2% (15)	66,508	+0.1%	3804.0	-7.0%
1977	2,144,000	89.9% (1,927,456)	149	+15.5% (20)	68,011	+2.3%	3,528.5	-7.2%
1978								
1979								
1980								
1981								
1982								



LESS THAN 3,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Bald Knob P.D.	*	2,710	*	*	*
Berryville P.D.	5,851.6	2,871	44.0%	53.8%	308
Bradford P.D.	318.1	943	0. %	0. %	104
Danville P.D.	*	1,600	*	*	*
Des Arc P.D.	2,593.1	2,121	20.0%	11.8%	252
Elaine P.D.	777.2	1,158	55.6%	0.1%	1
Eureka Springs P.D.	4,080.5	1,740	21.1%	45.8%	240
Hampton P.D.	*	1,651	*	*	*
Harrisburg P.D.	*	1,963	*	*	*
Horseshoe Bend P.D.	2,087.3	1,581	57.8%	45.9%	39
Kensett P.D.	*	1,800	*	*	*
Leachville P.D.	1,061.6	1,884	25.0%	5.9%	60
McCrary P.D.	0.	1,896	-	-	49
Stamps P.D.	0.	2,289	-	-	112
 STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	 3,804.0	 2,109,000	 27.5%	 27.5%	

* Not 12 months data for 1976

CRIME RATE: number of offenses per 100,000 population
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POPULATION: from the U. S. Bureau of the Census

CLEARANCE RATE: the percent that clearances are of actual offenses

RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property

INDEX OFFENSES
1977

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Bald Knob P.D.	81	0	1	0	10	40	27	3	2,945.5
Berryville P.D.	93	0	0	0	3	20	67	3	3,152.5
Bradford P.D.	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	295.6
Danville P.D.	24	0	0	0	5	6	12	1	1,411.8
Des Arc P.D.	18	0	0	0	4	6	7	1	856.7
Elaine P.D.	10	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	864.3
Eureka Springs P.D.	58	0	0	1	2	22	31	2	2,900.0
Hampton P.D.	53	0	1	0	16	14	21	1	3,204.4
Harrisburg P.D.	26	0	0	0	11	12	3	0	1,434.1
Horseshoe Bend P.D.	29	0	0	0	1	9	14	5	1,812.5
Kensett P.D.	11	1	0	0	1	5	2	2	567.6
Leachville P.D.	36	0	0	0	3	15	17	1	1,818.2
McCrary P.D.	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	96.5
Stamps P.D.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Bald Knob P.D.	11	400.0	70	2,545.5
Berryville P.D.	3	101.7	90	3,050.8
Bradford P.D.	0	0.	3	295.6
Danville P.D.	5	294.1	19	1,117.6
Des Arc P.D.	4	190.4	14	666.3
Elaine P.D.	1	86.4	9	777.9
Eureka Springs P.D.	3	150.0	55	2,750.0
Hampton P.D.	17	1,027.8	36	2,176.5
Harrisburg P.D.	11	606.7	15	827.4
Horseshoe Bend P.D.	1	62.5	28	1,750.0
Kensett P.D.	2	103.2	9	464.4
Leachville P.D.	3	151.5	33	1,666.7
McCrory P.D.	2	96.5	0	0.
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

RATE: Number of offenses per 100,000 population
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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Bald Knob P.D.	81	20	24.7%	\$ 32,018	\$ 6,798	21.2%
Berryville P.D.	93	25	26.9%	7,480	2,688	35.9%
Bradford P.D.	3	0	0. %	35	0	0. %
Danville P.D.	24	11	45.8%	7,836	6,699	85.5%
Des Arc, P.D.	18	10	55.6%	4,775	3,356	70.3%
Elaine P.D.	10	0	0. %	432	0	0. %
Eureka Springs P.D.	58	18	31.0%	9,122	4,270	46.8%
Hampton P.D.	53	18	34.0%	4,708	2,287	48.6%
Harrisburg P.D.	26	16	61.5%	1,201	466	38.8%
Horseshoe Bend P.D.	29	9	31.0%	22,872	6,105	26.7%
Kensett P.D.	11	8	72.7%	3,225	2,838	88.0%
Leachville P.D.	36	11	30.1%	15,749	6,397	40.6%
McCrary P.D.	2	0	0. %	0	0	-
Stamps P.D.	0	0	-	0	0	-
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

ARRESTS

1977

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Bald Knob PD	34	267	266	35	276	25	0	301
Berryville PD	52	168	179	41	219	0	1	220
Bradford PD	8	92	89	11	100	0	0	100
Danville PD	9	90	87	12	99	0	0	99
DesArc PD	27	199	207	19	201	25	0	226
Elaine PD	3	0	3	0	0	3	0	3
Eureka Springs PD	5	30	30	5	35	0	0	35
Hampton PD	14	170	168	16	118	66	0	184
Harrisburg PD	26	188	165	49	207	7	0	214
Horseshoe Bend PD	23	15	26	12	38	0	0	38
Kensett PD	33	86	100	19	109	8	2	119
Leachville PD	27	59	83	3	86	0	0	86
McCrary PD	4	51	52	3	45	10	0	55
Stamps PD	0	143	124	19	77	66	0	143
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Bald Knob P.D.	*	+ 1.5	*	*	*
Berryville P.D.	- 46.1	+ 2.8	- 17.1	- 17.9	- 28.6
Bradford P.D.	- 7.1	+ 7.6	0	0	- 3.8
Danville P.D.	*	+ 6.3	*	*	*
Des Arc P.D.	- 67.0	- 0.9	+ 35.6	+ 58.5	- 10.3
Elaine P.D.	+ 11.2	- 0.1	- 55.6	- 0.1	+200.0
Eureka Springs P.D.	- 28.9	+ 14.9	+ 9.9	+ 1.0	- 85.4
Hampton P.D.	*	+ 0.2	*	*	*
Harrisburg P.D.	*	- 7.6	*	*	*
Horseshoe Bend P.D.	- 13.2	+ 1.2	- 26.8	- 19.2	- 2.6
Kensett P.D.	*	+ 7.7	*	*	*
Leachville P.D.	+ 71.3	+ 5.1	+ 5.1	+ 34.7	+ 43.3
McCrary P.D.	+	+ 9.3	-	-	+ 12.2
Stamps P.D.	0	+ 3.5	-	-	+ 27.7
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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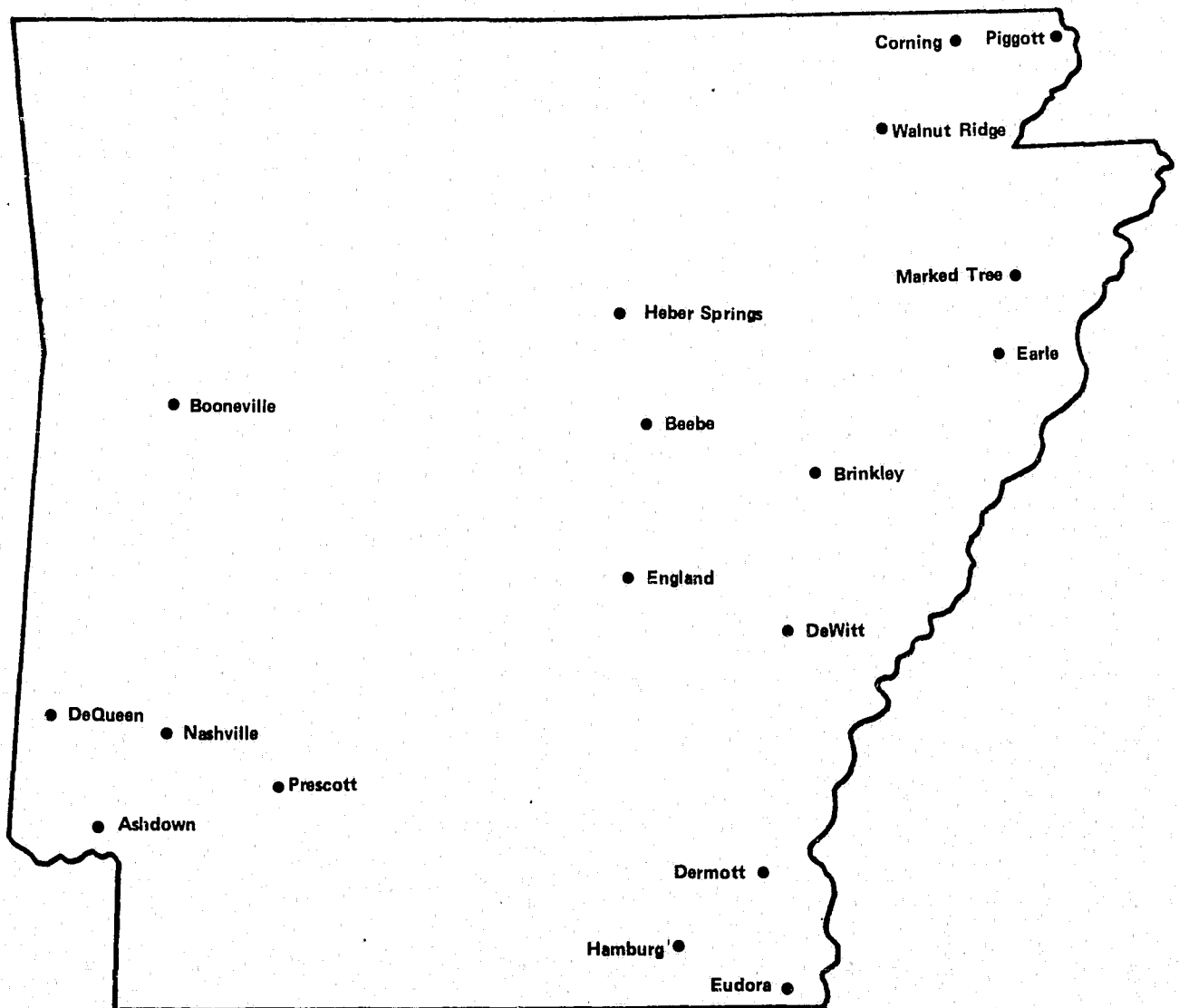
POPULATION: from the U. S. Bureau of the Census

CLEARANCE RATE: the percent that clearances are of actual offenses

RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property, in value



3,000 TO 5,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Ashdown P.D.	1,763.1	4,027	15.5%	23.7%	332
Beebe P.D.	3,504.9	3,167	6.3%	45.7%	138
Booneville P.D.	2,257.1	3,500	35.4%	33.5%	451
Brinkley P.D.	4,040.4	5,148	61.5%	61.1%	863
Corning P.D.	2,643.8	3,026	16.3%	30.0%	195
DeQueen P.D.	5,134.5	4,090	19.5%	24.9%	364
Dermott P.D.	2,645.9	4,233	61.6%	53.4%	483
DeWitt P.D.	*	3,692	*	*	*
Earle P.D.	2,548.7	3,335	31.8%	17.4%	121
England P.D.	*	3,736	*	*	*
Eudora P.D.	3,729.9	3,673	83.2%	89.0%	301
Hamburg P.D.	*	3,134	*	*	*
Heber Springs P.D.	3,313.3	3,833	37.0%	62.2%	186
Marked Tree P.D.	5,496.2	3,275	38.9%	38.6%	407
Nashville P.D.	817.1	4,406	61.1%	0.3%	360
Piggott P.D.	1,575.5	3,364	18.9%	5.0%	167
Prescott P.D.	*	3,840	*	*	*
Walnut Ridge P.D.	1,293.0	4,099	0. %	12.4%	152
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

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CRIME RATE: number of offenses per 100,000 population
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CLEARANCE RATE: the percent that clearances are of actual offenses

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INDEX OFFENSES

1977

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Ashdown P.D.	27	0	0	2	0	6	19	0	732.7
Beebe P.D.	77	1	0	0	1	29	44	2	2,200.0
Booneville P.D.	71	0	0	1	4	30	31	5	2,013.6
Brinkley P.D.	185	0	0	3	12	47	122	1	3,770.1
Corning P.D.	70	0	0	0	0	20	45	5	2,136.8
DeQueen P.D.	194	0	1	1	17	48	118	9	4,927.6
Dermott P.D.	102	1	0	0	40	34	23	4	2,372.1
DeWitt P.D.	110	1	1	2	14	34	50	8	2,866.1
Earle P.D.	134	1	0	0	21	43	63	5	4,060.6
England P.D.	81	2	0	3	16	32	22	6	2,502.3
Eudora P.D.	64	0	0	1	31	23	7	2	1,778.8
Hamburg P.D.	96	0	0	0	1	45	48	2	2,400.0
Haber Springs P.D.	124	0	0	0	14	30	76	4	2,957.3
Marked Tree P.D.	153	0	0	1	39	24	84	5	5,059.5
Nashville P.D.	41	0	2	1	19	14	4	1	931.6
Piggott P.D.	39	0	0	0	3	11	22	3	1,166.3
Prescott P.D.	28	2	1	0	11	4	10	0	719.8
Walnut Ridge P.D.	40	1	0	0	0	8	30	1	937.9
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Ashdown P.D.	2	54.3	25	678.4
Beebe P.D.	2	57.1	75	2,142.9
Booneville P.D.	5	141.8	66	1,871.8
Brinkley P.D.	15	305.7	170	3,464.4
Corning P.D.	0	0.	70	2,136.8
DeQueen P.D.	19	482.6	175	4,445.0
Dermott P.D.	41	953.5	61	1,418.6
DeWitt P.D.	18	469.0	92	2,397.1
Earle P.D.	22	666.7	112	3,393.9
England P.D.	21	648.7	60	1,853.6
Eudora P.D.	32	889.4	32	889.4
Hamburg P.D.	1	25.0	95	2,375.0
Heber Springs P.D.	14	333.9	110	2,623.4
Marked Tree P.D.	40	1,322.8	113	3,736.8
Nashville P.D.	22	499.9	19	431.7
Piggott P.D.	3	89.7	36	1,076.6
Prescott P.D.	14	359.9	14	359.9
Walnut Ridge P.D.	1	23.4	39	914.4
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

RATE: Number of offenses per 100,000 population

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Ashdown P.D.	27	3	11.1%	\$ 5,047	\$ 75	1.5%
Beebe P.D.	77	4	5.2%	22,872	6,160	26.9%
Booneville P.D.	71	23	32.4%	42,866	34,970	81.6%
Brinkley P.D.	185	65	35.1%	40,836	15,833	38.8%
Corning P.D.	70	19	27.1%	30,912	4,120	13.3%
DeQueen P.D.	194	60	30.9%	42,832	25,814	60.3%
Dermott P.D.	102	72	70.6%	17,497	8,526	48.7%
DeWitt P.D.	110	22	20.0%	32,834	19,669	59.9%
Earle P.D.	134	22	16.4%	47,994	24,204	50.4%
England P.D.	81	60	74.1%	51,766	21,310	41.2%
Eudora P.D.	64	46	71.9%	14,692	5,027	34.2%
Hamburg P.D.	96	1	1.0%	28,994	9,138	31.5%
Heber Springs P.D.	124	45	36.3%	26,912	8,604	32.0%
Marked Tree P.D.	153	72	47.1%	40,413	5,000	12.4%
Nashville P.D.	41	27	65.9%	10,869	3,304	30.4%
Piggott P.D.	39	12	30.8%	14,815	8,572	57.9%
Prescott P.D.	28	24	85.7%	6,248	498	8.0%
Walnut Ridge P.D.	40	0	0.	14,541	1,250	8.6%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

ARRESTS
1977

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Ashdown PD	23	262	258	27	211	74	0	285
Beebe PD	25	131	138	18	154	2	0	156
Booneville PD	54	362	384	32	416	0	0	416
Brinkley PD	143	728	780	91	475	393	3	871
Corning PD	45	67	96	16	112	0	0	112
DeQueen PD	88	473	429	132	510	47	4	561
Dermott PD	70	276	319	27	153	193	0	346
DeWitt PD	60	428	397	91	390	98	0	488
Earle PD	18	87	96	9	31	74	0	105
England PD	64	320	348	36	184	200	0	384
Eudora PD	31	221	222	30	76	176	0	252
Hamburg PD	0	84	82	2	63	21	0	84
Heber Springs PD	57	274	314	17	331	0	0	331
Marked Tree PD	47	392	386	53	288	146	5	439
Nashville PD	34	345	360	19	266	113	0	379
Piggott PD	27	149	165	11	176	0	0	176
Prescott PD	13	131	124	20	62	81	1	144
Walnut Ridge PD	0	156	148	8	156	0	0	156
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Ashdown P.D.	- 58.4	- 8.5	- 4.4	- 22.2	- 14.2
Beebe P.D.	- 37.2	+ 10.5	- 1.1	- 18.8	+ 13.0
Booneville P.D.	- 10.8	+ 0.7	- 3.0	+ 48.1	- 7.8
Brinkley P.D.	- 6.7	- 4.7	- 26.4	- 22.3	+ 0.9
Corning P.D.	- 19.2	+ 8.3	+ 10.8	- 16.7	- 42.6
DeQueen P.D.	- 4.0	- 3.7	+ 11.4	+ 35.4	+ 54.1
Dermott P.D.	- 10.3	+ 1.6	+ 9.0	- 4.7	- 28.4
DeWitt P.D.	*	+ 4.0	*	*	*
Earle P.D.	+ 59.3	- 1.0	- 15.4	+ 33.0	- 13.2
England P.D.	*	- 13.4	*	*	*
Eudora P.D.	- 52.3	- 2.0	- 11.3	- 54.8	- 16.3
Hamburg P.D.	*	+ 27.6	*	*	*
Heber Springs P.D.	- 10.7	+ 9.4	- 0.7	- 30.2	+ 78.0
Marked Tree P.D.	- 7.9	- 7.7	+ 8.2	- 26.2	+ 7.9
Nashville P.D.	+ 14.0	- 0.1	+ 4.8	+ 30.1	+ 5.3
Piggott P.D.	- 26.0	- 0.6	+ 11.9	+ 52.9	+ 5.4
Prescott P.D.	*	+ 1.3	*	*	*
Walnut Ridge P.D.	- 27.5	+ 4.0	0	- 3.8	+ 2.6
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

* Not 12 months data for 1976

CRIME RATE: the number of offenses per 100,000 population
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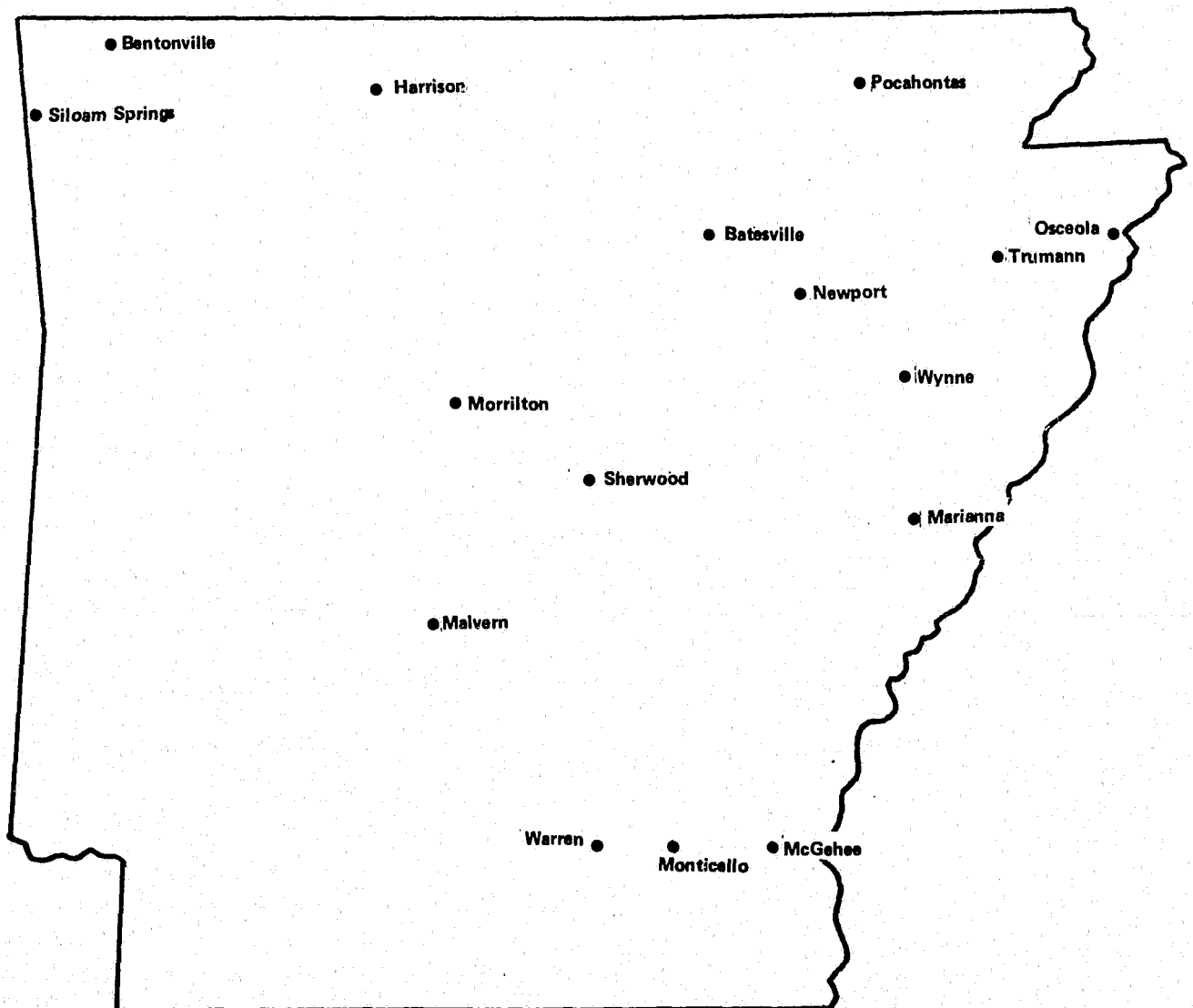
POPULATION: from the U. S. Bureau of the Census

CLEARANCE RATE: the percent that clearances are of actual offenses

RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property, in value



5,000 TO 10,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Batesville P.D.	4,526.7	8,461	18.0%	32.3%	452
Bentonville P.D.	3,146.0	6,707	28.0%	32.1%	331
Harrison P.D.	4,219.8	8,081	10.9%	19.1%	475
Malvern P.D.	2,400.3	9,332	29.9%	20.4%	557
Marianna P.D.	*	5,006	*	*	*
McGehee P.D.	*	5,613	*	*	*
Monticello P.D.	1,843.1	8,464	61.5%	30.8%	688
Morrilton P.D.	2,633.8	7,214	25.8%	28.8%	660
Newport P.D.	6,149.7	7,854	19.0%	34.3%	780
Osceola P.D.	5,256.2	8,371	37.3%	18.0%	1,189
Pocahontas P.D.	2,137.1	6,785	11.7%	2.9%	256
Sherwood P.D.	2,980.4	6,744	14.9%	30.9%	345
Siloam Springs P.D.	*	6,400	*	*	*
Trumann P.D.	*	6,402	*	*	*
Warren P.D.	1,244.9	7,551	42.6%	73.1%	380
Wynne P.D.	2,578.2	7,292	43.6%	32.4%	367
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

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CLEARANCE RATE: the percent that clearances are of actual offenses

RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property

INDEX OFFENSES

1977

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Batesville P.D.	265	1	1	1	16	53	179	14	3,312.5
Bentonville P.D.	234	0	1	5	7	34	181	6	3,342.9
Harrison P.D.	378	0	0	0	16	104	245	13	4,258.7
Malvern P.D.	213	0	0	6	9	82	107	9	2,161.8
Marianna P.D.	266	0	2	5	27	59	167	6	5,125.2
McGehee P.D.	319	1	1	5	20	112	169	11	5,893.2
Monticello P.D.	214	1	5	0	18	35	146	9	2,675.0
Morrilton P.D.	256	0	1	6	6	56	171	16	3,459.5
Newport P.D.	467	3	3	3	5	136	298	19	5,951.3
Osceola P.D.	492	0	0	6	39	65	367	15	5,788.2
Pocahontas P.D.	127	0	0	1	1	44	77	4	1,813.8
Sherwood P.D.	257	0	2	5	0	31	206	13	3,815.9
Siloam Springs P.D.	222	0	0	1	6	84	118	13	3,171.4
Trumann P.D.	198	0	2	1	7	107	69	12	3,349.7
Warren P.D.	135	0	0	4	31	32	61	7	2,025.5
Wynne P.D.	137	0	0	4	8	18	94	13	1,737.9
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Batesville P.D.	19	237.5	246	3,075.0
Bentonville P.D.	13	185.7	221	3,157.1
Harrison P.D.	16	180.3	362	4,078.4
Malvern P.D.	15	152.2	198	2,009.5
Marianna P.D.	34	655.1	232	4,470.1
McGehee P.D.	27	498.8	292	5,394.4
Monticello P.D.	24	300.0	190	2,375.0
Morrilton P.D.	13	175.7	243	3,283.8
Newport P.D.	14	178.4	453	5,772.9
Osceola P.D.	45	529.4	447	5,258.8
Pocahontas P.D.	2	28.6	125	1,785.2
Sherwood P.D.	7	103.9	250	3,712.0
Siloam Springs P.D.	7	100.0	215	3,071.4
Trumann P.D.	10	169.2	188	3,180.5
Warren P.D.	35	525.1	100	1,500.4
Wynne P.D.	12	152.2	125	1,585.7
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

RATE: Number of offenses per 100,000 population
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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Batesville P.D.	265	72	27.2%	\$ 72,956	\$ 33,274	45.6%
Bentonville P.D.	234	53	22.6%	50,812	8,212	16.2%
Harrison P.D.	378	97	25.7%	115,693	77,423	66.9%
Malvern P.D.	213	47	22.1%	56,599	14,028	24.8%
Marianna P.D.	266	53	19.9%	51,605	23,602	45.7%
McGehee P.D.	319	129	40.4%	115,537	27,249	23.6%
Monticello P.D.	214	126	58.9%	40,113	23,988	59.8%
Morrilton P.D.	256	85	33.2%	90,319	53,483	59.2%
Newport P.D.	467	172	36.8%	135,175	34,546	25.6%
Osceola P.D.	492	197	40.0%	89,243	43,258	48.5%
Pocahontas P.D.	127	4	3.1%	40,738	18,504	45.4%
Sherwood P.D.	257	9	3.5%	97,429	19,069	19.6%
Siloam Springs P.D.	222	48	21.6%	80,701	10,709	13.3%
Trumann P.D.	198	50	25.3%	46,467	19,443	41.8%
Warren P.D.	135	48	35.6%	43,684	18,483	42.3%
Wynne P.D.	137	25	18.2%	78,202	34,785	44.5%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

ARRESTS

1977

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Batesville PD	127	416	454	89	510	32	1	543
Bentonville PD	93	178	253	18	269	2	0	271
Harrison PD	89	416	464	41	503	1	1	505
Marianna PD	114	526	571	69	266	373	1	640
Malvern PD	71	527	523	75	444	154	0	598
McGehee PD	21	363	337	47	186	195	3	384
Monticello PD	168	695	749	114	613	250	0	863
Morrilton PD	39	556	532	63	490	102	3	595
Newport PD	89	732	745	76	600	220	1	821
Osceola PD	207	1,101	1,014	294	765	541	2	1,308
Pocahontas PD	124	205	279	50	329	0	0	329
Sherwood PD	75	345	363	57	383	35	2	420
Siloam Springs PD	71	247	288	30	303	0	15	318
Trumann PD	80	648	619	109	703	21	4	728
Warren PD	39	482	473	48	276	245	0	521
Wynne PD	25	404	364	65	295	132	2	429
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Batesville P.D.	- 26.8	- 5.4	+ 9.2	+ 13.3	+ 20.1
Bentonville P.D.	+ 6.3	+ 4.4	- 5.4	- 15.9	- 18.1
Harrison P.D.	+ 0.9	+ 9.8	+ 14.8	+ 47.8	+ 6.3
Malvern P.D.	- 9.9	+ 5.6	- 7.8	+ 4.4	+ 7.4
Marianna P.D.	*	+ 3.7	*	*	*
McGehee P.D.	*	- 3.6	*	*	*
Monticello P.D.	+ 45.1	- 5.5	- 2.6	+ 29.0	+ 25.4
Morrilton P.D.	+ 31.4	+ 2.6	+ 7.4	+ 30.4	- 9.8
Newport P.D.	- 3.2	- 0.1	+ 17.8	- 8.7	+ 5.3
Osceola P.D.	+ 10.1	+ 1.5	+ 2.7	+ 30.5	+ 10.0
Pocahontas P.D.	- 15.1	+ 3.2	- 8.6	+ 42.5	+ 28.5
Sherwood P.D.	+ 28.0	- 0.1	- 11.4	- 11.3	+ 21.7
Siloam Springs P.D.	*	+ 9.4	*	*	*
Trumann P.D.	*	- 7.7	*	*	*
Warren P.D.	+ 62.7	+ 11.7	- 7.0	- 30.8	+ 37.1
Wynne P.D.	- 32.6	+ 8.1	- 25.4	+ 12.1	+ 16.9
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property, in value

**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Arkansas County S.O.	167.9	8,932	100.0%	70.4%	53
Clark County S.O.	*	9,667	*	*	*
Cleveland County S.O.	*	6,936	*	*	*
Dallas County S.O.	861.0	5,691	57.1%	14.7%	117
Desha County S.O.	*	8,273	*	*	*
Hempstead County S.O.	*	10,305	*	*	*
Howard County S.O.	273.9	8,763	54.2%	50.6%	299
Izard County S.O.	*	7,869	*	*	*
Little River County S.O.	1,459.0	8,773	25.8%	32.4%	403
Monroe County S.O.	629.0	7,631	56.3%	25.4%	104
Newton County S.O.	*	6,836	*	*	*
Perry County S.O.	*	6,100	*	*	*
Pike County S.O.	683.7	9,800	6.0%	14.6%	191
Prairie County S.O.	1,684.0	6,354	16.8%	9.5%	86
Randolph County S.O.	*	9,500	*	*	*
Woodruff County S.O.	2,594.9	5,819	32.5%	34.3%	304
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

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INDEX OFFENSES

1977

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Arkansas County S.O.	20	0	0	4	1	8	3	4	276.1
Clark County S.O.	120	0	0	5	13	33	62	7	1,223.7
Cleveland County S.O.	115	3	0	1	30	29	49	3	1,642.9
Dallas County S.O.	32	0	0	2	0	11	18	1	618.5
Desha County S.O.	200	1	4	2	12	86	87	8	2,380.7
Hempstead County S.O.	71	0	0	0	0	60	11	0	733.9
Howard County S.O.	38	0	0	0	11	19	5	3	415.6
Izard County S.O.	24	1	0	0	2	18	2	1	285.7
Little River County S.O.	140	4	0	0	6	36	88	6	1,744.1
Monroe County S.O.	61	0	4	1	4	31	17	4	838.7
Newton County S.O.	47	0	1	0	1	19	20	6	671.0
Perry County S.O.	90	0	2	1	6	43	34	4	1,262.4
Pike County S.O.	56	0	3	3	2	19	26	3	597.7
Prairie County S.O.	134	0	2	3	9	37	78	5	2,128.7
Randolph County S.O.	167	1	3	1	3	49	106	4	1,703.7
Woodruff County S.O.	124	1	1	2	9	40	65	6	1,949.1
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Arkansas Co. S.O.	5	69.0	15	207.1
Clark Co. S.O.	18	183.6	102	1,040.2
Cleveland Co. S.O.	34	485.7	81	1,157.1
Dallas Co. S.O.	2	38.7	30	579.8
Desha Co. S.O.	19	226.2	181	2,154.5
Hempstead Co. S.O.	0	0.	71	733.9
Howard Co. S.O.	11	120.3	27	295.3
Izard Co. S.O.	3	35.7	21	250.0
Little River Co. S.O.	10	124.6	130	1,619.5
Monroe Co. S.O.	9	123.7	52	715.0
Newton Co. S.O.	2	28.6	45	642.5
Perry Co. S.O.	9	126.2	81	1,136.2
Pike Co. S.O.	8	85.4	48	512.3
Prairie Co. S.O.	14	222.4	120	1,906.3
Randolph Co. S.O.	8	81.6	159	1,622.1
Woodruff Co. S.O.	13	204.3	111	1,744.7
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES, 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Arkansas Co. S.O.	20	20	100. %	\$ 13,422	\$ 10,606	79.0%
Clark Co. S.O.	120	47	39.2%	55,634	25,842	46.5%
Cleveland Co. S.O.	115	63	54.8%	19,400	6,167	31.8%
Dallas Co. S.O.	32	3	9.4%	24,088	450	1.9%
Desha Co. S.O.	200	36	18.0%	71,657	28,407	39.6%
Hempstead Co. S.O.	71	0	0. %	14,096	1,439	10.2%
Howard Co. S.O.	38	17	44.7%	14,338	4,418	30.8%
Izard Co. S.O.	24	9	37.5%	40,980	2,290	5.6%
Little River Co. S.O.	140	33	23.6%	77,449	20,575	26.6%
Monroe Co. S.O.	61	27	44.3%	35,114	14,753	42.0%
Newton Co. S.O.	47	17	36.2%	21,620	16,665	77.1%
Perry Co. S.O.	90	45	50.0%	39,993	16,500	41.3%
Pike Co. S.O.	56	15	26.8%	20,783	7,140	34.4%
Prairie Co. S.O.	134	36	26.9%	72,725	27,715	38.1%
Randolph Co. S.O.	167	26	15.6%	61,492	25,776	41.9%
Woodruff Co. S.O.	124	35	28.2%	123,589	6,073	4.9%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

**ARRESTS
1977**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Arkansas Co. SO	3	107	61	49	86	24	0	110
Clark Co. SO	55	696	679	72	595	145	0	751
Cleveland Co. SO	71	203	236	38	231	43	0	274
Dallas Co. SO	2	104	97	9	51	55	0	106
Desha Co. SO	46	141	164	23	128	59	0	187
Hempstead Co. SO	1	118	118	1	88	31	0	119
Howard Co. SO	17	258	257	18	199	75	1	275
Izard Co. SO	10	62	70	2	72	0	0	72
Little River Co. SO	23	211	226	8	152	82	0	234
Monroe Co. SO	24	156	177	3	95	84	1	180
Newton Co. SO	17	102	110	9	119	0	0	119
Perry Co. SO	90	265	316	39	349	6	0	355
Pike Co. SO	37	260	283	14	248	49	0	297
Prairie Co. SO	30	77	87	20	73	34	0	107
Randolph Co. SO	107	204	259	52	311	0	0	311
Woodruff Co. SO	39	320	330	29	258	101	0	359
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Arkansas Co. S.O.	+ 64.4	- 18.9	0.	+ 8.6	+107.5
Clark Co. S.O.	*	+ 1.4	*	*	*
Cleveland Co. S.O.	*	+ 0.9	*	*	*
Dallas Co. S.O.	- 28.2	- 9.1	- 47.7	- 12.8	- 9.4
Desha Co. S.O.	*	+ 1.6	*	*	*
Hempstead Co. S.O.	*	- 6.1	*	*	*
Howard Co. S.O.	+ 51.7	+ 4.3	- 9.5	- 19.8	- 8.0
Izard Co. S.O.	*	+ 6.8	*	*	*
Little River Co. S.O.	+ 19.5	- 8.5	- 2.2	- 5.8	- 41.9
Monroe Co. S.O.	+ 33.3	- 4.7	- 12.0	+ 16.6	+ 73.1
Newton Co. S.O.	*	+ 2.5	*	*	*
Perry Co. S.O.	*	+ 16.9	*	*	*
Pike Co. S.O.	- 12.6	- 4.4	+ 20.8	+ 19.8	+ 55.5
Prairie Co. S.O.	+ 26.4	- 0.9	+ 10.1	+ 28.6	+ 24.4
Randolph Co. S.O.	*	+ 3.2	*	*	*
Woodruff Co. S.O.	- 24.9	+ 9.3	- 4.3	- 29.4	+ 18.1
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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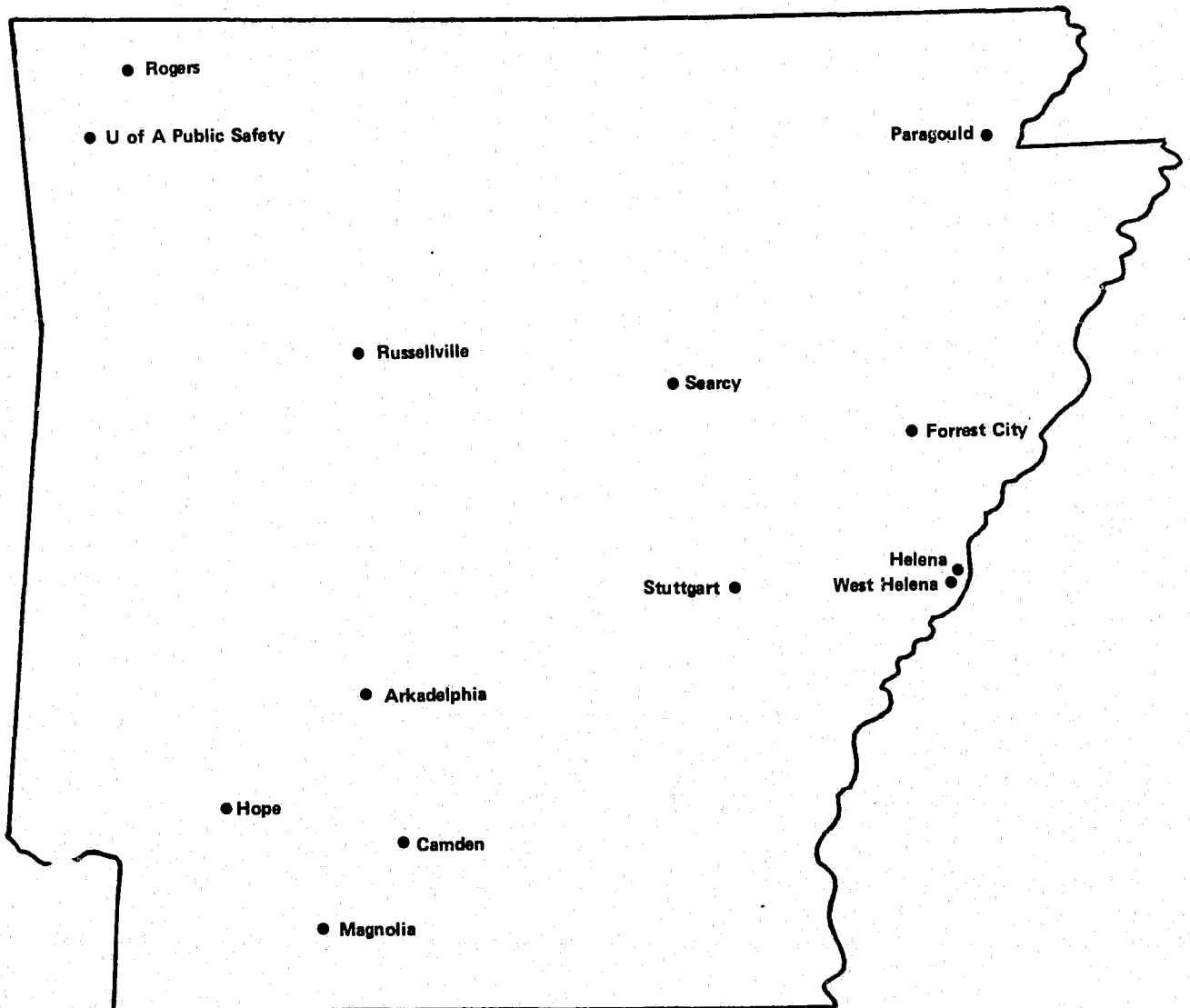
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RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property, in value



10,000 TO 18,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Arkadelphia P.D.	2,170.7	10,227	19.4%	6.0%	187
Camden P.D.	3,760.4	16,009	51.7%	6.7%	880
Forrest City P.D.	5,493.3	15,000	41.4%	27.3%	1,592
Helena P.D.	*	9,191	*	*	*
Hope P.D.	3,010.2	9,800	36.6%	40.9%	912
Magnolia P.D.	1,377.2	11,763	39.5%	10.2%	606
Paragould P.D.	6,146.9	12,673	56.7%	61.0%	2,139
Rogers P.D.	4,198.4	14,982	25.8%	10.4%	810
Russellville P.D.	4,673.2	13,909	10.3%	39.1%	1,043
Searcy P.D.	3,972.0	10,876	27.3%	22.4%	565
Stuttgart P.D.	543.0	10,497	19.3%	17.4%	514
West Helena P.D.	*	11,119	*	*	*
U of A Public Safety	-	-	8.2%	12.5%	232
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

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**INDEX OFFENSES
1977**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Arkadelphia P.D.	195	1	0	2	2	41	142	7	1,856.6
Camden P.D.	622	2	2	8	86	106	398	20	3,913.9
Forrest City P.D.	916	0	9	12	151	172	538	34	5,969.8
Helena P.D.	389	0	0	8	12	186	173	10	3,296.6
Hope P.D.	339	0	1	3	10	138	183	4	3,081.8
Magnolia P.D.	113	0	0	2	2	39	66	4	966.9
Paragould P.D.	654	0	3	2	42	126	443	38	4,526.9
Rogers P.D.	699	1	1	3	15	126	521	32	4,635.9
Russellville P.D.	795	0	1	7	31	160	563	33	6,122.9
Searcy P.D.	475	0	2	5	21	81	343	23	3,958.3
Stuttgart P.D.	154	1	0	2	4	64	77	6	1,188.9
West Helena P.D.	302	0	0	10	22	119	142	9	2,716.6
U of A Public Safety	324	0	2	1	4	98	214	5	No Population
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Arkadelphia P.D.	5	47.6	190	1,809.0
Camden P.D.	98	616.7	524	3,297.3
Forrest City P.D.	172	1,121.0	744	4,848.8
Helena P.D.	20	169.5	369	3,127.1
Hope P.D.	14	127.3	325	2,954.5
Magnolia P.D.	4	34.2	109	932.7
Paragould P.D.	47	325.3	607	4,201.6
Rogers P.D.	20	132.6	679	4,503.2
Russellville P.D.	39	300.4	756	5,822.6
Searcy P.D.	28	233.3	447	3,725.0
Stuttgart P.D.	7	54.0	147	1,134.9
West Helena P.D.	32	287.8	270	2,428.7
U of A Public Safety	7	*	317	*
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

* There is no "population" for a university. The students are counted in the populations of their home areas.

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

RATE: Number of offenses per 100,000 population
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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES, 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Arkadelphia P.D.	195	20	10.3%	\$ 43,253	\$ 25,579	59.1%
Camden P.D.	622	293	47.1%	83,978	21,928	26.1%
Forrest City P.D.	916	309	33.7%	218,605	87,159	39.9%
Helena P.D.	389	61	15.7%	89,318	30,042	33.6%
Hope P.D.	339	75	22.1%	64,766	12,281	19.0%
Magnolia P.D.	113	56	49.6%	46,288	20,574	44.4%
Paragould P.D.	654	213	32.6%	195,538	120,935	61.8%
Rogers P.D.	699	236	33.8%	208,484	72,661	34.9%
Russellville P.D.	795	65	8.2%	184,705	79,608	43.1%
Searcy P.D.	475	107	22.5%	129,688	59,738	46.1%
Stuttgart P.D.	154	61	39.6%	39,919	12,380	31.0%
West Helena P.D.	302	53	17.5%	81,521	17,905	22.0%
U of A Public Safety	324	18	5.6%	52,820	13,435	25.4%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Arkadelphia P.D.	- 14.5	+ 2.7	- 9.1	+ 53.1	+ 73.8
Camden P.D.	+ 4.1	- 0.7	- 4.6	+ 19.4	- 19.2
Forrest City P.D.	+ 8.7	+ 2.3	- 7.7	+ 12.6	- 6.1
Helena P.D.	*	+ 28.4	*	*	*
Hope P.D.	+ 2.4	+ 12.2	- 14.5	- 21.9	+ 15.6
Magnolia P.D.	- 29.8	- 0.7	+ 10.1	+ 34.2	+ 13.7
Paragould P.D.	- 26.4	+ 14.0	- 24.1	+ 0.8	- 56.0
Rogers P.D.	+ 10.4	+ 0.6	+ 8.0	+ 24.5	- 10.2
Russellville P.D.	+ 31.0	- 6.7	- 2.1	+ 4.0	- 4.1
Searcy P.D.	- 0.3	+ 10.3	- 4.8	+ 23.7	+ 5.3
Stuttgart P.D.	+119.0	+ 23.4	+ 20.3	+ 13.6	- 11.7
West Helena P.D.	*	0.	*	*	*
U of A Public Safety	-	-	- 2.6	+ 12.9	+ 25.9
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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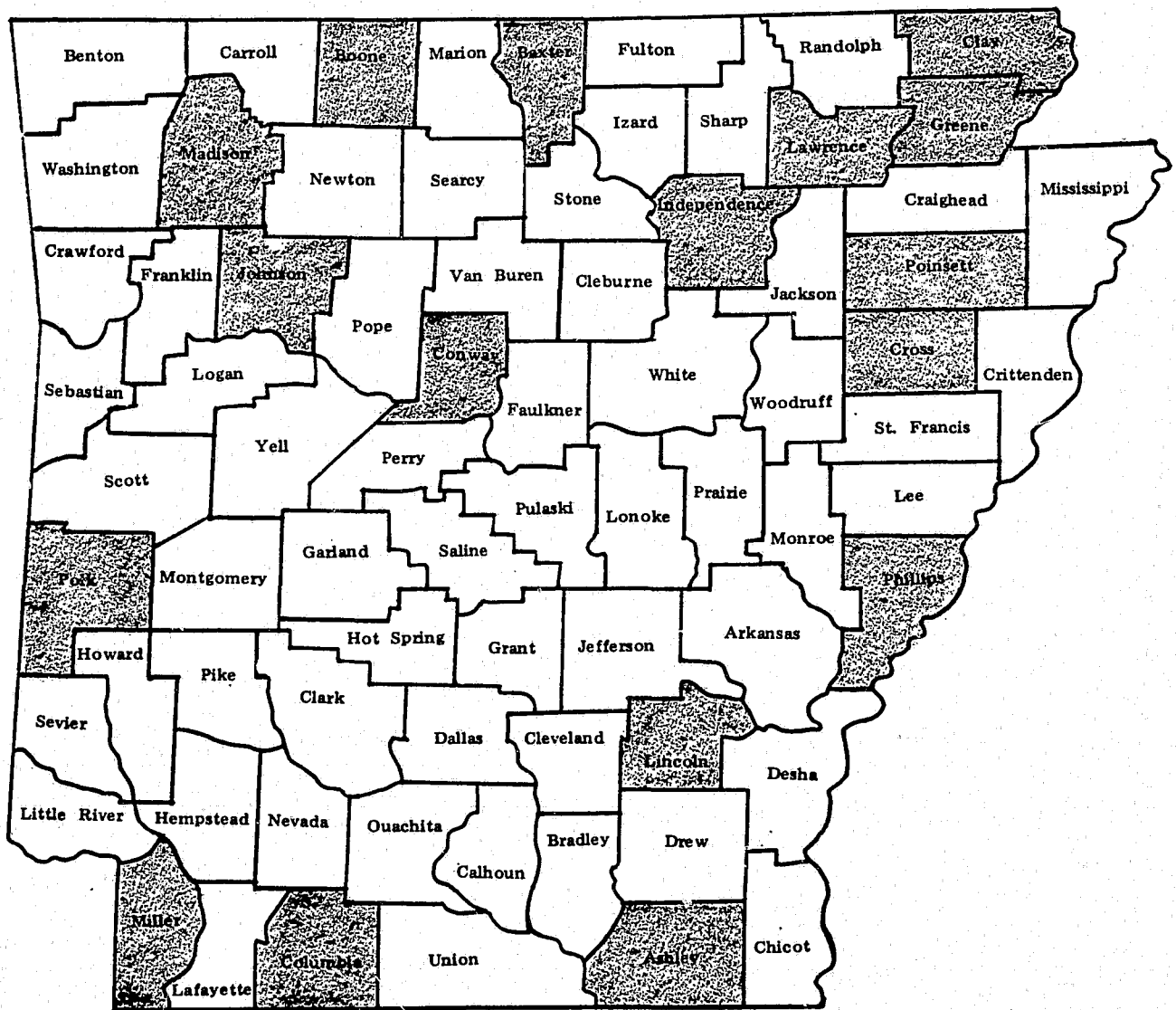
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10,000 TO 18,000 POPULATION

(County Sheriffs' Offices)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Ashley County S.O.	*	14,601	*	*	*
Baxter County S.O.	1,429.0	14,696	5.2%	15.0%	371
Boone County S.O.	755.1	11,919	20.0%	19.5%	241
Clay County S.O.	1,273.1	14,610	42.5%	43.6%	308
Columbia County S.O.	1,233.1	14,273	24.4%	9.0%	412
Conway County S.O.	*	10,579	*	*	*
Cross County S.O.	1,171.2	12,210	22.4%	7.7%	348
Greene County S.O.	1,865.8	12,327	4.8%	10.1%	204
Independence County S.O.	*	15,539	*	*	*
Johnson County S.O.	1,205.7	10,782	30.8%	20.3%	318
Lawrence County S.O.	1,365.6	14,499	33.8%	61.7%	288
Lincoln County S.O.	*	11,365	*	*	*
Madison County S.O.	*	10,983	*	*	*
Miller County S.O.	2,204.5	12,384	31.1%	57.0%	604
Phillips County S.O.	1,057.4	16,833	19.7%	14.7%	274
Poinsett County S.O.	1,176.5	18,360	29.6%	38.3%	383
Polk County S.O.	1,035.1	9,854	37.3%	69.1%	282
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

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INDEX OFFENSES
1977

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Ashley County S.O.	148	3	4	2	22	55	59	3	1,043.6
Baxter County S.O.	201	1	1	0	9	79	100	11	1,216.8
Boone County S.O.	95	1	0	0	0	32	55	7	723.9
Clay County S.O.	226	0	1	1	17	76	124	7	1,585.1
Columbia County S.O.	124	1	4	5	3	54	55	2	874.4
Conway County S.O.	210	2	10	4	25	23	139	7	1,835.5
Cross County S.O.	167	1	1	1	15	63	78	8	1,265.2
Greene County S.O.	239	0	0	0	0	20	205	14	1,700.7
Independence County S.O.	285	3	2	0	7	145	111	17	1,651.5
Johnson County S.O.	153	1	0	0	2	38	109	3	1,383.0
Lawrence County S.O.	151	2	0	0	8	44	79	18	1,001.0
Lincoln County S.O.	71	1	1	0	26	18	23	2	616.6
Madison County S.O.	139	1	0	1	0	34	92	11	1,323.8
Miller County S.O.	279	2	2	3	21	93	142	16	2,152.9
Phillips County S.O.	105	3	0	2	3	34	62	1	738.4
Poinsett County S.O.	226	3	2	4	20	88	91	18	1,333.1
Polk County S.O.	121	0	1	1	22	42	50	5	1,106.9
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Ashley Co. S.O.	31	218.6	117	825.0
Baxter Co. S.O.	11	66.6	190	1,150.2
Boone Co. S.O.	1	7.6	94	716.2
Clay Co. S.O.	19	133.3	207	1,451.8
Columbia Co. S.O.	13	91.7	111	782.7
Conway Co. S.O.	41	358.4	169	1,477.1
Cross Co. S.O.	18	136.4	149	1,128.9
Greene Co. S.O.	0	0	239	1,700.7
Independence Co. S.O.	12	69.5	273	1,582.0
Johnson Co. S.O.	3	27.1	150	1,355.9
Lawrence Co. S.O.	10	66.3	141	934.7
Lincoln Co. S.O.	28	243.2	43	373.5
Madison Co. S.O.	2	19.0	137	1,304.8
Miller Co. S.O.	28	216.1	251	1,936.9
Phillips Co. S.O.	8	56.3	97	682.2
Poinsett Co. S.O.	29	171.1	197	1,162.0
Polk Co. S.O.	24	219.6	97	887.4
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Ashley Co. S.O.	148	46	31.1%	\$ 77,341	\$ 2,000	2.6%
Baxter Co. S.O.	201	43	21.4%	114,895	45,077	39.2%
Boone Co. S.O.	95	16	16.8%	85,359	40,780	47.8%
Clay Co. S.O.	226	76	33.6%	76,013	28,477	37.5%
Columbia Co. S.O.	124	44	35.5%	32,620	13,618	41.7%
Conway Co. S.O.	210	75	35.7%	59,782	24,797	41.5%
Cross Co. S.O.	167	37	22.2%	117,128	24,672	21.1%
Greene Co. S.O.	239	16	6.7%	122,113	44,498	36.4%
Independence Co. S.O.	285	71	24.9%	62,229	12,841	20.6%
Johnson Co. S.O.	153	44	28.8%	42,934	3,250	7.6%
Lawrence Co. S.O.	151	60	39.7%	78,291	52,798	67.4%
Lincoln Co. S.O.	71	19	26.8%	26,392	2,645	10.0%
Madison Co. S.O.	139	27	19.4%	46,823	14,350	30.6%
Miller Co. S.O.	279	93	33.3%	133,065	90,793	68.2%
Phillips Co. S.O.	105	15	14.3%	80,583	8,963	11.1%
Poinsett Co. S.O.	226	82	36.3%	200,799	58,847	29.3%
Polk Co. S.O.	121	35	28.9%	33,837	7,710	22.8%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

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**ARRESTS
1977**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Ashley Co. SO	27	272	285	14	150	149	0	299
Baxter Co. SO	44	300	302	42	343	0	1	344
Boone Co. SO	39	230	241	28	268	0	1	269
Clay Co. SO	87	253	287	53	340	0	0	340
Columbia Co. SO	21	182	183	20	99	104	0	203
Conway Co. SO	36	153	172	17	150	38	1	189
Cross Co. SO	38	281	302	17	231	88	0	319
Greene Co. SO	86	341	374	53	414	1	12	427
Independence Co. SO	88	552	597	43	625	15	0	640
Johnson Co. SO	52	259	278	33	302	9	0	311
Lawrence Co. SO	74	358	397	35	432	0	0	432
Lincoln Co. SO	20	96	105	11	70	46	0	116
Madison Co. SO	28	250	274	4	278	0	0	278
Miller Co. SO	121	808	827	102	742	184	3	929
Phillips Co. SO	33	145	153	25	57	121	0	178
Poinsett Co. SO	52	350	360	42	370	31	1	402
Polk Co. SO	27	239	258	8	266	0	0	266
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Ashley Co. S.O.	*	- 2.9	*	*	*
Baxter Co. S.O.	- 14.8	+ 12.4	+ 16.2	+ 24.2	- 7.3
Boone Co. S.O.	- 4.1	+ 10.1	- 3.2	+ 28.3	+ 11.6
Clay Co. S.O.	+ 24.5	- 2.4	- 8.9	- 6.1	+ 10.4
Columbia Co. S.O.	- 29.1	- 0.6	+ 11.1	+ 32.7	- 50.7
Conway Co. S.O.	*	+ 8.2	*	*	*
Cross Co. S.O.	+ 8.0	+ 8.1	- 0.2	+ 13.4	- 8.3
Greene Co. S.O.	- 8.8	+ 14.0	+ 1.9	+ 26.3	+109.3
Independence Co. S.O.	*	+ 11.1	*	*	*
Johnson Co. S.O.	+ 14.7	+ 2.6	- 2.0	- 12.7	- 2.2
Lawrence Co. S.O.	- 26.7	+ 4.0	+ 5.9	+ 5.7	+ 50.0
Lincoln Co. S.O.	*	+ 1.3	*	*	*
Madison Co. S.O.	*	- 4.4	*	*	*
Miller Co. S.O.	- 2.3	+ 4.6	+ 2.2	+ 11.2	+ 53.8
Phillips Co. S.O.	- 30.2	- 15.5	- 5.4	- 3.6	- 35.0
Poinsett Co. S.O.	+ 13.3	- 7.7	+ 6.7	- 9.0	+ 5.0
Polk Co. S.O.	+ 6.9	+ 10.9	- 8.4	- 46.3	- 5.7
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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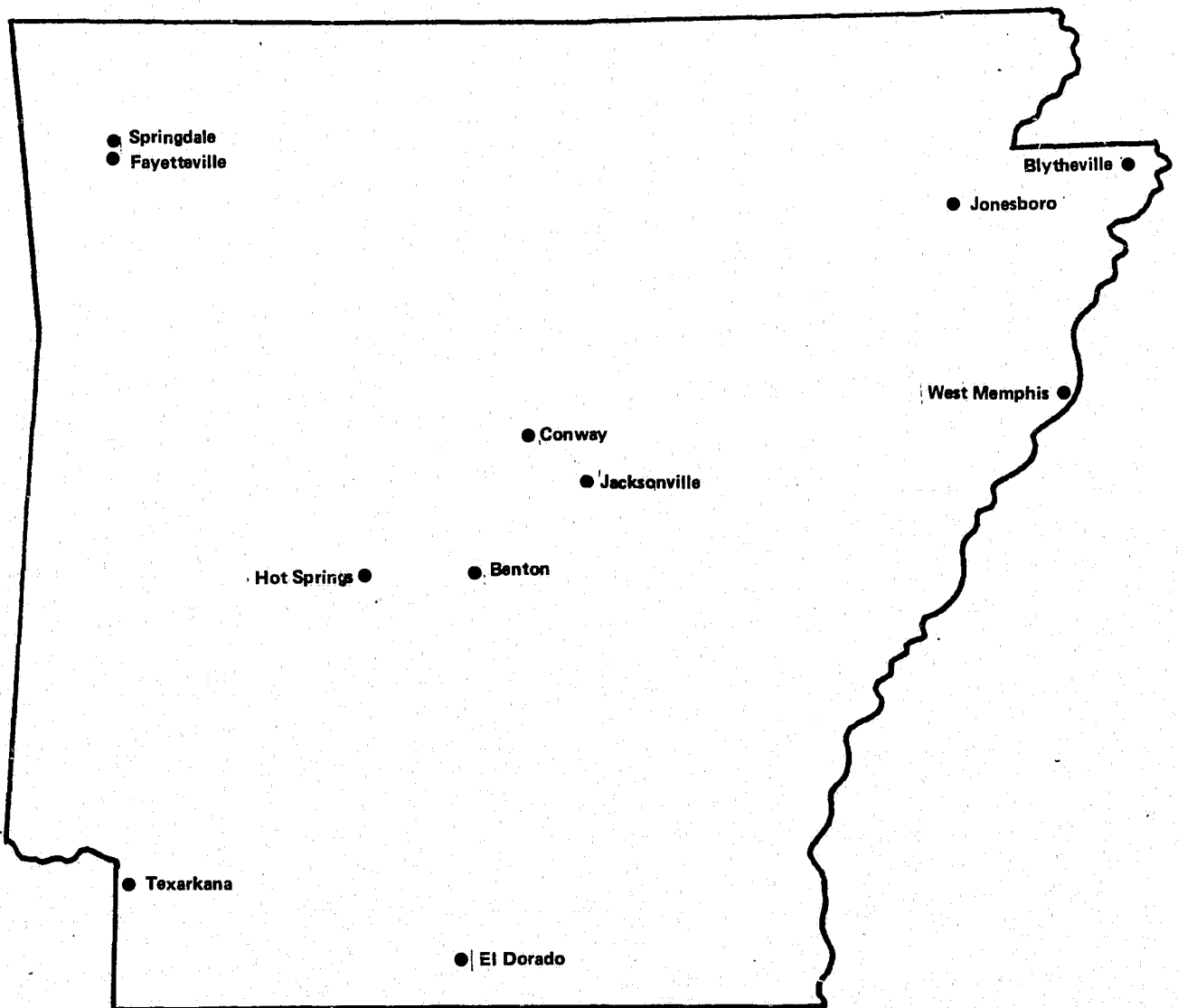
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RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property, in value



18,000 TO 40,000 POPULATION

(City Police Departments)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Benton P.D.	2,226.0	20,575	5.9%	6.2%	1,079
Blytheville P.D.	4,824.0	26,783	26.9%	42.0%	2,335
Conway P.D.	1,828.5	17,665	33.7%	35.0%	720
El Dorado P.D.	5,508.4	24,363	32.7%	50.8%	1,652
Fayetteville P.D.	2,988.0	34,036	39.6%	64.9%	3,042
Hot Springs P.D.	4,786.5	37,000	20.8%	16.4%	2,982
Jacksonville P.D.	3,505.4	24,391	9.8%	36.3%	1,277
Jonesboro P.D.	3,501.3	32,045	24.4%	28.6%	1,087
Springdale P.D.	4,619.0	20,654	17.2%	31.8%	2,051
Texarkana P.D.	9,352.6	21,192	13.1%	18.8%	3,557
West Memphis P.D.	7,224.5	28,957	18.9%	17.4%	1,722
 STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	 3,804.0	 2,109,000	 27.5%	 27.5%	

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**INDEX OFFENSES
1977**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Benton P.D.	486	3	1	5	19	139	288	31	2,431.1
Blytheville P.D.	1,393	5	5	13	92	278	938	62	5,731.6
Conway P.D.	851	1	1	18	3	183	612	33	4,525.6
El Dorado P.D.	1,370	4	1	6	109	392	771	87	5,479.8
Fayetteville P.D.	1,381	0	11	12	37	322	948	51	3,975.1
Hot Springs P.D.	1,532	3	12	51	139	430	809	88	4,015.4
Jacksonville P.D.	810	0	3	12	27	193	541	34	3,325.1
Jonesboro P.D.	1,000	2	11	8	11	225	692	51	3,123.6
Springdale P.D.	821	1	5	8	53	171	530	53	4,013.1
Texarkana P.D.	1,724	6	1	36	68	342	1,183	88	7,773.8
West Memphis P.D.	1,518	0	11	41	333	184	846	103	5,376.1
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Benton P.D.	28	140.1	458	2,291.0
Blytheville P.D.	115	473.2	1,278	5,258.4
Conway P.D.	23	122.3	828	4,403.3
El Dorado P.D.	120	480.0	1,250	4,999.8
Fayetteville P.D.	60	172.7	1,321	3,802.4
Hot Springs P.D.	205	537.3	1,327	3,478.1
Jacksonville P.D.	42	172.4	768	3,152.7
Jonesboro P.D.	32	100.0	968	3,023.7
Springdale P.D.	67	327.5	754	3,685.6
Texarkana P.D.	111	500.5	1,613	7,273.3
West Memphis P.D.	385	1,363.5	1,133	4,012.6
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

RATE: Number of offenses per 100,000 population

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Benton P.D.	486	41	8.4%	\$ 182,632	\$ 30,522	16.7%
Blytheville P.D.	1,393	346	24.8%	267,485	126,050	47.1%
Conway P.D.	851	212	24.9%	211,796	41,209	19.5%
El Dorado P.D.	1,370	490	35.8%	458,984	324,655	70.7%
Fayetteville P.D.	1,381	434	31.4%	319,922	145,362	45.4%
Hot Springs P.D.	1,532	453	29.6%	424,045	150,650	35.5%
Jacksonville P.D.	810	326	40.2%	228,352	216,295	94.7%
Jonesboro P.D.	1,000	250	25.0%	409,605	102,502	25.0%
Springdale P.D.	821	134	16.3%	241,867	102,640	42.4%
Texarkana P.D.	1,724	321	18.6%	370,812	89,768	24.2%
West Memphis P.D.	1,518	434	28.6%	718,159	218,671	30.4%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

ARRESTS
1977

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Benton PD	105	795	831	69	809	85	6	900
Blytheville PD	431	1,990	2,022	399	1,428	990	3	2,421
Conway PD	156	536	626	66	601	91	0	692
El Dorado PD	350	1,625	1,685	290	896	1,076	3	1,975
Fayetteville PD	296	3,280	2,781	795	3,383	191	2	3,576
Hot Springs PD	260	3,305	3,210	355	3,042	521	2	3,565
Jacksonville PD	207	1,475	1,414	268	1,465	207	10	1,682
Jonesboro PD	125	1,198	1,135	188	1,166	156	1	1,323
Springdale PD	262	1,554	1,532	284	1,809	2	5	1,816
Texarkana PD	430	3,674	3,514	590	2,653	1,451	0	4,104
West Memphis PD	431	1,466	1,523	374	1,044	853	0	1,897
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Benton P.D.	+ 9.2	- 2.8	+ 2.5	+ 10.5	- 16.6
Blytheville P.D.	+ 18.8	- 9.3	- 2.1	+ 5.1	+ 3.7
Conway P.D.	+147.5	+ 6.5	- 8.8	- 15.5	- 3.9
El Dorado P.D.	- 0.5	+ 2.6	+ 3.1	+ 19.9	+ 19.6
Fayetteville P.D.	+ 33.0	+ 2.1	- 8.2	- 19.5	+ 17.6
Hot Springs P.D.	- 16.1	+ 3.1	+ 8.8	+ 19.1	+ 19.6
Jacksonville P.D.	- 5.1	- 0.1	+ 30.4	+ 58.4	+ 31.7
Jonesboro P.D.	- 10.8	- 0.1	+ 0.6	- 3.6	+ 21.7
Springdale P.D.	- 13.1	+ 0.1	- 0.9	+ 10.6	- 11.5
Texarkana P.D.	- 16.9	+ 4.7	+ 5.5	+ 5.4	+ 15.4
West Memphis P.D.	- 25.6	- 2.5	+ 9.7	+ 13.0	+ 10.2
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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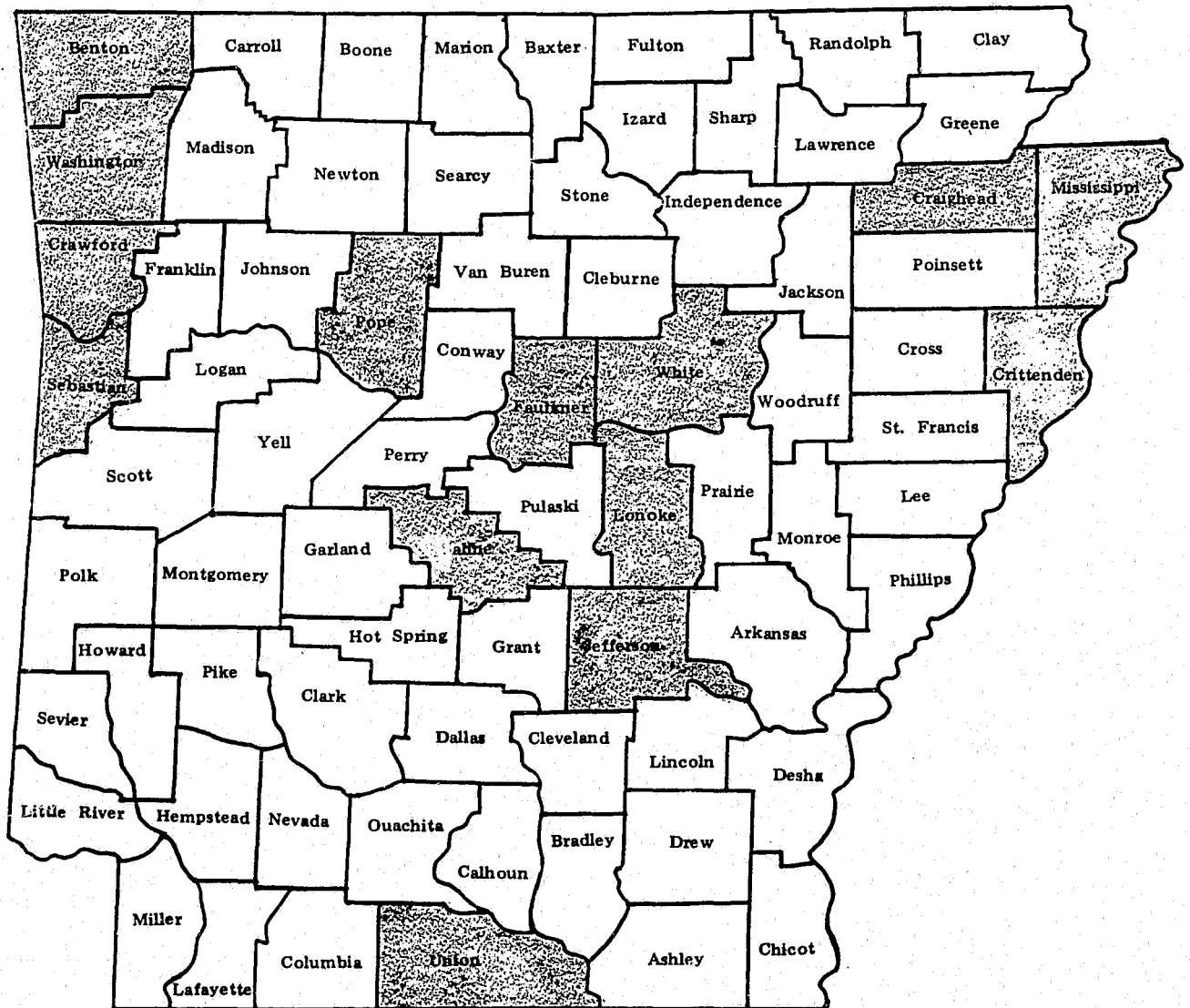
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18,000 TO 40,000 POPULATION

(County Sheriffs' Offices)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Benton County S.O.	1,239.2	31,149	24.1%	15.7%	792
Craighead County S.O.	1,066.5	26,442	3.5%	17.8%	1,245
Crawford County S.O.	*	21,168	*	*	*
Crittenden County S.O.	1,502.0	18,708	19.2%	9.3%	936
Faulkner County S.O.	*	17,800	*	*	*
Jefferson County S.O.	*	22,005	*	*	*
Lonoke County S.O.	*	25,744	*	*	*
Mississippi County S.O.	2,182.7	24,786	42.9%	34.7%	779
Pope County S.O.	*	20,371	*	*	*
Saline County S.O.	*	20,294	*	*	*
Sebastian County S.O.	*	18,052	*	*	*
Union County S.O.	1,373.3	20,171	49.8%	48.7%	680
Washington County S.O.	832.6	35,310	23.1%	32.3%	1,293
White County S.O.	719.6	25,988	2.7%	0.6%	984
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

* Not 12 months data for 1976

CRIME RATE: number of offenses per 100,000 population
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CLEARANCE RATE: the percent that clearances are of actual offenses

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**INDEX OFFENSES
1977**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Benton County S.O.	301	4	0	2	0	125	158	12	985.4
Craighead County S.O.	398	0	3	1	3	163	203	25	1,450.5
Crawford County S.O.	256	3	4	3	0	73	133	40	1,151.2
Crittenden County S.O.	261	3	11	7	24	157	55	4	1,397.7
Faulkner County S.O.	173	1	4	7	0	92	57	12	900.2
Jefferson County S.O.	588	2	9	16	31	229	272	29	2,494.1
Lonoke County S.O.	403	2	8	7	14	195	154	23	1,876.1
Mississippi County S.O.	632	2	4	10	102	214	264	36	2,093.3
Pope County S.O.	434	0	3	2	2	133	274	20	2,282.3
Saline County S.O.	575	0	0	2	0	268	262	43	2,947.4
Sebastian County S.O.	212	2	2	1	26	61	103	17	1,014.2
Union County S.O.	355	1	4	3	17	155	161	14	1,715.1
Washington County S.O.	302	1	1	3	13	145	115	24	823.7
White County S.O.	223	1	2	3	10	110	83	14	779.8
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Benton Co. S.O.	6	19.6	295	965.8
Craighead Co. S.O.	7	25.5	391	1,425.0
Crawford Co. S.O.	10	45.0	246	1,106.2
Crittenden Co. S.O.	45	241.0	216	1,156.8
Faulkner Co. S.O.	12	62.4	161	837.8
Jefferson Co. S.O.	58	246.0	530	2,248.0
Lonoke Co. S.O.	31	144.3	372	1,731.8
Mississippi Co. S.O.	118	390.8	514	1,702.4
Pope Co. S.O.	7	36.8	427	2,245.5
Saline Co. S.O.	2	10.3	573	2,937.1
Sebastian Co. S.O.	31	148.3	181	865.9
Union Co. S.O.	25	120.8	330	1,594.3
Washington Co. S.O.	18	49.1	284	774.6
White Co. S.O.	16	55.9	207	723.9
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

PROPERTY CRIME: Burglary, Larceny-Theft, Motor Vehicle Theft

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Benton Co. S.O.	301	57	18.9%	\$ 173,797	\$ 58,010	33.4%
Craighead Co. S.O.	398	17	4.3%	226,350	51,746	22.9%
Crawford Co. S.O.	256	98	38.3%	257,642	124,859	48.5%
Crittenden Co. S.O.	261	48	18.4%	157,577	21,487	13.6%
Faulkner Co. S.O.	173	22	12.7%	145,650	66,337	45.6%
Jefferson Co. S.O.	588	80	13.6%	330,990	61,195	18.5%
Lonoke Co. S.O.	403	35	8.7%	198,672	35,791	18.0%
Mississippi Co. S.O.	632	249	39.4%	338,392	120,827	35.7%
Pope Co. S.O.	434	68	15.7%	174,596	36,519	20.9%
Saline Co. S.O.	575	2	3.4%	444,039	38,143	8.6%
Sebastian Co. S.O.	212	160	75.5%	141,156	147,455	104.5%
Union Co. S.O.	355	108	30.4%	197,043	79,294	40.2%
Washington Co. S.O.	302	60	19.9%	147,225	63,062	42.8%
White Co. S.O.	223	5	2.2%	122,658	10,100	8.2%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

**ARRESTS
1977**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Benton Co. SO	175	614	676	113	780	0	9	789
Craighead Co. SO	84	1,602	1,032	654	883	803	0	1,686
Crawford Co. SO	129	592	628	93	702	12	7	721
Crittenden Co. SO	36	815	779	72	416	432	3	851
Faulkner Co. SO	19	76	88	7	74	21	0	95
Jefferson Co. SO	96	1,003	979	120	568	520	11	1,099
Lonoke Co. SO	202	336	443	95	427	110	1	538
Mississippi Co. SO	148	807	872	83	708	247	0	955
Pope Co. SO	178	798	705	271	963	13	0	976
Saline Co. SO	101	515	469	147	609	7	0	616
Sebastian Co. SO	88	1,205	1,022	271	1,171	118	4	1,293
Union Co. SO	32	379	344	67	234	177	0	411
Washington Co. SO	224	1,109	1,179	154	1,318	11	4	1,333
White Co. SO	123	628	669	82	718	33	0	751
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Benton Co. S.O.	- 20.5	- 1.9	- 5.2	+ 17.7	- 0.4
Craighead Co. S.O.	+ 36.0	+ 3.8	+ 0.8	+ 5.1	+ 35.4
Crawford Co. S.O.	*	+ 5.1	*	*	*
Crittenden Co. S.O.	- 6.9	- 0.2	- 0.8	+ 4.3	- 9.1
Faulkner Co. S.O.	*	+ 8.0	*	*	*
Jefferson Co. S.O.	*	+ 7.1	*	*	*
Lonoke Co. S.O.	*	- 16.6	*	*	*
Mississippi Co. S.O.	- 4.1	+ 21.8	- 3.5	+ 1.0	+ 22.6
Pope Co. S.O.	*	- 6.7	*	*	*
Saline Co. S.O.	*	- 3.9	*	*	*
Sebastian Co. S.O.	*	+ 15.8	*	*	*
Union Co. S.O.	+ 24.9	+ 2.6	- 19.4	- 8.5	- 39.6
Washington Co. S.O.	- 1.1	+ 3.8	- 3.2	+ 10.5	+ 3.1
White Co. S.O.	+ 8.4	+ 10.0	- 0.5	+ 7.6	- 23.7
STATEWIDE	- 7.2	+ 1.7	+ 0.3	+ 6.6	+ 12.4

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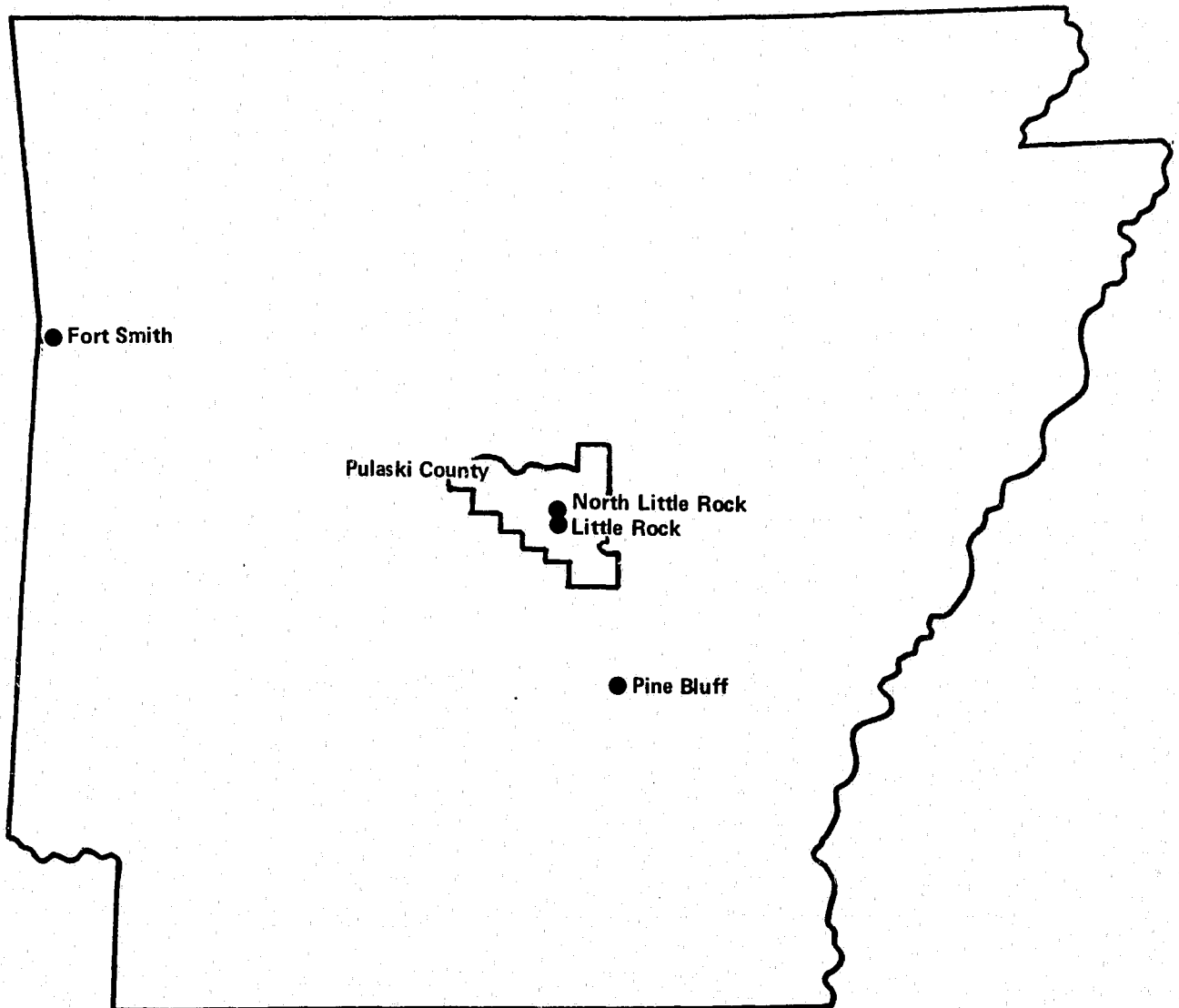
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RECOVERY RATE: the percent that recovered property is of stolen property, in value



OVER 60,000 POPULATION
(Metropolitan Departments)



**1976
CRIME SUMMARY**

AGENCY	1976 STATISTICS				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Fort Smith P.D.	5,487.3	67,720	28.1%	35.9%	6,668
Little Rock P.D.	11,338.4	153,479	38.6%	27.8%	11,382
North Little Rock P.D.	6,794.0	62,040	12.6%	27.2%	4,877
Pine Bluff P.D.	4,655.9	62,136	19.4%	19.9%	3,105
Pulaski County S.O.	5,443.2	79,255	9.2%	20.5%	1,062
STATEWIDE (Crime Rate based on 82.9% of population)	3,804.0	2,109,000	27.5%	27.5%	

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INDEX OFFENSES
1977

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Fort Smith P.D.	3,923	4	18	63	88	759	2,787	204	5,768.6
Little Rock P.D.	15,238	27	182	792	868	4,264	8,160	945	10,611.4
North Little Rock P.D.	3,833	4	42	118	184	935	2,276	274	6,007.8
Pine Bluff P.D.	3,249	5	29	84	126	1,317	1,555	133	5,251.2
Pulaski County S.O.	4,749	9	68	173	279	1,688	2,192	340	5,458.8
STATEWIDE									3,528.5

1977

VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Fort Smith P.D.	173	254.4	3,750	5,514.2
Little Rock P.D.	1,869	1,301.5	13,369	9,309.9
North Little Rock P.D.	348	545.5	3,485	5,462.4
Pine Bluff P.D.	244	394.4	3,005	4,856.9
Pulaski Co. S.O.	529	608.1	4,220	4,850.7
Statewide		341.7		3,186.8

VIOLENT CRIME: Murder, Forcible Rape, Robbery, Aggravated Assault

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES , 1977

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Fort Smith P.D.	3,923	727	18.5%	\$ 884,101	\$ 395,573	44.7%
Little Rock P.D.	15,238	6,372	41.8%	5,672,761	1,814,325	32.0%
North Little Rock P.D.	3,833	536	14.0%	1,454,483	299,149	20.6%
Pine Bluff P.D.	3,249	565	17.4%	1,590,339	694,624	43.7%
Pulaski Co. S.O.	4,749	824	17.4%	2,289,189	610,180	26.7%
STATEWIDE			27.8%			34.1%

**ARRESTS
1977**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Fort Smith PD	1,035	5,170	5,406	799	5,713	441	51	6,205
Little Rock PD	1,479	10,989	9,674	2,794	6,135	6,333	0	12,468
North Little Rock PD	659	5,171	4,818	1,012	3,866	1,940	24	5,830
Pine Bluff PD	520	2,728	2,748	500	1,428	1,820	0	3,248
Pulaski Co. SO	338	1,097	1,205	230	1,093	342	0	1,435
STATEWIDE								109,302

**1976-1977
CRIME COMPARISONS**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGES				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number Of Arrests
Fort Smith P.D.	+ 5.1	+ 0.4	- 9.6	+ 8.8	- 6.9
Little Rock P.D.	- 6.4	- 6.4	+ 3.2	+ 4.2	+ 9.5
North Little Rock P.D.	- 11.6	+ 2.8	+ 1.4	- 6.6	+ 19.5
Pine Bluff P.D.	+ 12.8	- 0.4	- 2.0	+ 23.8	+ 4.6
Pulaski Co. S.O.	+ 0.3	+ 9.8	+ 8.2	+ 6.2	+ 35.1
 STATEWIDE	 - 7.2	 + 1.7	 + 0.3	 + 6.6	 + 12.4

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1977 METROPOLITAN CRIME SUMMARY

The five largest law enforcement jurisdictions in Arkansas, representing 22.0% of the state's population covered by Uniform Crime Reporting, accounted for 45.6% of the total Index Crime for 1977. This was 3.3% less of the state's Index Crime than these agencies accounted for in 1976.

METROPOLITAN CRIME, 1977

INDEX CRIME	Total for 5 Jurisdictions	STATE TOTAL	Percent of State Total
Murder	49	172	28.5
Forcible rape	339	565	60.0
Robbery	1,230	1,734	70.9
Aggravated assault	1,545	4,115	37.5
Total Violent Crimes	3,163	6,586	48.0
Burglary	8,963	19,527	45.9
Larceny - Theft	16,970	38,173	44.5
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,896	3,725	50.9
Total Property Crimes	27,829	61,425	45.3
TOTAL INDEX CRIME	30,992	68,011	45.6

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