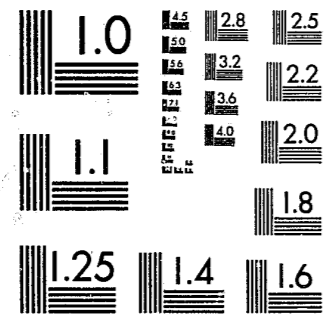


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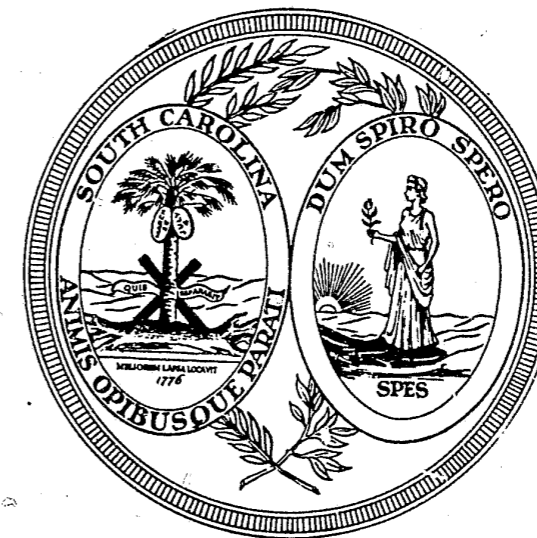
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Crime in South Carolina and the United States continues to increase. The cost to citizens is high in human suffering as well as property loss. The costs of criminal justice programs also rise with the crime rate.

This report attempts neither to explain the continued rise in crimes committed or to suggest ways of combatting criminal conduct. It is published as a tool to assist government, criminal justice agencies and the public in recognizing the crime problem in our state in the hope that better understanding will lead to eventual methods of reducing crime.

As in years past, I commend the law enforcement agencies in our state that contribute to this important program of Uniform Crime Reports. A high degree of professionalism is indicated by their participation.

Yours truly,

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BACKGROUND OF UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING

NATIONAL UCR PROGRAM

Development of the current nationwide Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program began nearly forty years ago. In 1930, crime counts were first requested from local police departments with the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) designated by Congress to collect, compile and analyze the statistics. The Committee on Uniform Crime Records of the International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) played a primary role in the origin and development of UCR and today serves in a strong advisory capacity. Standardized offense classification and counting procedures developed by the IACP are the basis for the UCR program. The National Sheriffs' Association (NSA) also serves in an advisory role to the national program. The publication, Crime in the United States, is the annual report by the FBI dealing with national crime statistics.

In recent years the FBI has actively assisted states in the development of state level UCR programs compatible with the national system.

SOUTH CAROLINA UCR PROGRAM

South Carolina was one of the first states to implement an operational state UCR program. The South Carolina Law Enforcement Division is the agency administering the program. The information collected and the uniform classifications under which it is collected are based directly upon the guidelines developed by the IACP and FBI.

Upon initiation of the South Carolina UCR program in July 1973, SLED in conjunction with the FBI, held workshops around the state to instruct or refresh the county and city law enforcement agencies on the scope of the program and the mechanics of completing the forms.

Since that time, SLED, along with the local law enforcement agencies, has instituted an incident-based records management system which has greatly enhanced and improved the quality of information gathered under the Uniform Crime Reports system. Under this new procedure crime data and other information gathered by municipal and county law enforcement agencies is collected and submitted to SLED on a daily, monthly and annual basis. This new system lends itself to a more complete and accurate crime reporting system which in most instances alleviates some of the paperwork with which many departments are now burdened. An additional advantage of using standard incident and booking reports will be realized from the uniformity of forms. Standardized reports facilitate the exchange of information between law enforcement agencies within the state. The forms have been included in the report writing classes taught at the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy.

OBJECTIVES

The fundamental objectives of the South Carolina Uniform Crime Reporting Program are:

- (1) To inform the Governor, Legislature, other governmental officials and the public as to the nature of the crime problem in South Carolina.
- (2) To provide law enforcement administrators with criminal statistics for administrative and other operational use.
- (3) To determine who commits crimes by age, sex, race and other attributes in order to find the proper focus for crime prevention and enforcement.
- (4) To provide base data and statistics to help measure the workload and effectiveness of the criminal justice system.
- (5) To provide base data and statistics for research to improve the efficiency, effectiveness and performance of criminal justice agencies.

A particularly important goal of the state UCR program is to return statistical information back to its contributors. With the implementation of the new incident reporting system, participating police agencies furnish data that are verified, analyzed and then returned to each jurisdiction in the form of monthly printouts. With the completion of the annual report, contributing agencies possess detailed information showing crime trends within their jurisdictions. This enables them to make important decisions in budgeting, manpower allocations and the identification of high crime areas.

This information is also forwarded by SLED to the FBI on a monthly and annual basis for inclusion in the FBI's annual UCR publication.

REPORTING AND CLASSIFICATION

In reporting offenses to the Uniform Crime Reports program, offenses are classified according to standard definitions (given in a later section of the report) that are used throughout the nation. The UCR definitions are designed to insure that offenses with different titles under state and local law are appropriately counted under the UCR program without regard to findings of courts or juries, since the statistics are gathered primarily to assist in identifying areas of concern to law enforcement officers, and not meant to reflect the outcomes of inquests, hearings or trials.

CRIME FACTORS

The presence of crime in our state's communities is a serious concern not only of the law enforcement profession, but of society at large. Historically, the causes and origins of crime have been the subjects of investigation by many disciplines. However, no definitive conclusions have yet been reached. Instead, a number of factors affecting the volume and type of crime that occurs from place to place have been delineated. Some of these are as follows:

- Density and size of community population and its surrounding area.
- Variations in composition of the population, particularly age structure.
- Stability of population with respect to transient factors.
- Economic conditions, including job availability.
- Cultural conditions, such as educational, recreational, and religious characteristics.
- Climate.
- Effective strength of law enforcement agencies.
- Administrative and investigative emphases of law enforcement.
- Policies of other components of criminal justice system (i.e., prosecutorial, judicial, correctional, and probational).
- Attitudes of citizenry toward crime.
- Crime reporting practices of citizenry.

These and other crime influencing factors are present, to some degree, in every community and their presence affects, in varying degrees, the crime experience of that community. Attempts at comparison of crime figures between communities should not be made without first considering the individual factors present in each community.

Police cannot shoulder the entire burden of fighting crime. The same is true of the courts, correction agencies, and any other elements of the criminal justice system. Real progress against crime can be attained only when each individual recognizes that crime prevention is his personal responsibility, and acts accordingly.

SOUTH CAROLINA CRIME INDEX

The tabulations presented in the tables, graphs, and charts in this publication indicate the volume, fluctuation, and distribution of crime in South Carolina on the basis of a crime index. The crime figures are categorized by agency, county and state on the basis of information submitted by police agencies from these areas. The seven offenses comprising the Crime Index and their definitions are:

1. **Murder:** The willful killing of a human being (includes voluntary or non-negligent manslaughter).

2. **Forcible Rape:** The carnal knowledge of a female through the use or threat of force (does not include statutory rape).
3. **Robbery:** Unlawfully obtaining the property of another by force or the threat of force. Robbery occurs only in the presence of a victim.
4. **Aggravated Assault:** An unlawful attack upon a person for the purpose of inflicting severe bodily injury.
5. **Breaking or Entering:** The unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft.
6. **Larceny:** The unlawful taking of the property of another without the use of force or fraud.
7. **Motor Vehicle Theft:** The unlawful taking of a motor vehicle. Motor Vehicle Theft includes alleged joy-rides.

The Crime Index is used as a basic measure of crime. The crimes were selected for use as an index on the basis of their serious nature, their frequency of occurrence and the reliability of reporting from citizens to law enforcement agencies. The offenses of murder, forcible rape, robbery and aggravated assault are categorized as violent crimes. Offenses of breaking or entering, larceny and motor vehicle theft are classed as nonviolent crimes. The crime index is the total of actual offenses that come to the attention of law enforcement agencies.

In reviewing crime index figures the reader should keep in mind that there is currently no way of determining the total number of crimes committed. The crime index has been established to measure only the instances of crime which come to the attention of law enforcement agencies. It is important to remember in reviewing the tables and graphs in this report that the volume of crime in a given area or municipality is related to the crime factors previously listed in this report.

CRIME RATES

The crime rate indicates the number of Index Crimes per unit of population, generally per 10,000. It should be noted that the crime rate only takes into consideration the numerical factor of population and does not incorporate any of the other elements which contribute to the amount of crime in a given community. The effect of changes in population on rates should be kept in mind when attempting to make a comparison of crime rates.

The population data used in this report are taken from the Federal-State Cooperative Program for Population Estimates. The figures are provisional for July 1, 1978 and were issued by the U.S. Bureau of Census during November, 1979.

PERCENT CHANGE

The percent changes in numbers of offenses and arrests from year to year are shown in a number of tables in this publication. The percent change shown after any 1977 figures reflects a comparison to information reported in 1976.

VIOLENT CRIME

Crimes of violence include murder, rape, robbery and aggravated assault. Violent crimes involve the element of personal confrontation between the victim and the offender and, because of their nature, are generally considered to be more serious than nonviolent crimes.

NONVIOLENT CRIME

For UCR purposes, nonviolent crimes include the offenses of breaking and entering, larceny and motor vehicle theft. While these offenses generally do not involve personal danger to the victim, the value of property lost in these crimes is many times greater than in violent crimes.

PERCENT ROUNDING

Percentages shown in this publication may not add to 100 due to rounding.

UPDATED DATA

Any data published here concerning figures for prior years supersede those in previous reports.

1977-79 INDEX CRIME TRENDS

Offense	1977	% Change	1978	% Change	1979	% Change
Murder	336	+2.8	337	+0.3	368	+9.2
Rape	942	+6.1	1,026	+8.9	1,002	-2.3
Robbery	3,032	+2.8	2,934	-2.9	3,134	+6.8
Aggravated Assault	13,818	+10.8	14,179	+2.6	15,273	+7.7
Subtotal Violent	18,177	+9.0	18,476	+2.0	19,777	+7.0
Breaking or Entering	45,941	+6.2	43,356	-5.6	43,893	+1.2
Larceny	66,572	-4.4	71,829	+7.9	75,298	+4.8
Motor Veh. Theft	6,986	-0.1	7,991	+14.4	8,643	+8.2
Subtotal Nonviolent	119,499	-0.3	123,176	+3.1	127,833	+3.8
State Total	137,616	+0.8	141,652	+2.9	147,611	+4.2

CRIME RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION BY YEAR

Offense	1977	% Change	1978	% Change	1979	% Change
Murder	1.2	0	1.2	0	1.3	+8.3
Rape	3.3	+3.1	3.6	+9.1	3.4	-5.6
Robbery	10.7	+2.9	10.2	-4.7	10.7	+4.9
Aggravated Assault	48.6	+9.7	49.3	+1.4	52.3	+6.1
Subtotal Violent	63.7	+8.0	64.2	+0.8	67.8	+5.6
Breaking or Entering	161.5	+5.1	150.6	-6.7	150.4	-0.1
Larceny	234.1	-5.3	249.6	+6.6	258.0	+3.4
Motor Veh. Theft	24.6	-0.8	27.8	+13.0	29.6	+6.5
Subtotal Nonviolent	420.2	-1.3	428.0	+1.9	438.1	+2.4
State Total	483.9	-0.2	492.2	+1.7	505.9	+2.8

Population estimates used in the crime rate table are taken from the Federal-State Cooperative Program for Population Estimates. The following state population totals were used: 1976- 2,816,000, 1977- 2,844,000, 1978 - 2,878,000, 1979 - 2,918,000.

1979 INDEX CRIMES BY MONTH

Offense	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Jan-Jun
Murder	37	36	27	25	26	40	191
Rape	70	97	95	103	85	100	550
Robbery	327	267	256	213	255	251	1,569
Aggravated Assault	1,135	1,118	1,187	1,154	1,335	1,359	7,288
Subtotal Violent	1,569	1,518	1,565	1,495	1,701	1,750	9,598
Breaking or Entering	4,165	3,483	3,448	3,335	3,645	3,558	21,634
Larceny	6,006	5,465	6,277	5,903	6,238	6,196	36,085
Motor Veh.Theft	751	614	716	724	718	725	4,248
Subtotal Nonviolent	10,922	9,562	10,441	9,962	10,601	10,479	61,967
State Total Index	12,491	11,080	12,006	11,457	12,302	12,229	71,565

Offense	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total Jul-Dec
Murder	28	25	29	37	30	28	177
Rape	74	77	81	63	82	75	452
Robbery	230	258	267	273	249	288	1,565
Aggravated Assault	1,382	1,464	1,556	1,261	1,210	1,112	7,985
Subtotal Violent	1,714	1,824	1,933	1,634	1,571	1,503	10,179
Breaking or Entering	3,850	3,848	3,891	3,619	3,533	3,518	22,259
Larceny	6,597	7,041	6,521	6,678	6,218	6,158	39,213
Motor Veh.Theft	755	768	807	756	708	601	4,395
Subtotal Nonviolent	11,202	11,657	11,219	11,053	10,459	10,276	65,866
State Total Index	12,916	13,481	13,152	12,687	12,030	11,780	76,046

CLEARANCE RATES

For crime reporting purposes, a crime index offense is cleared when a law enforcement agency has identified the offender, there is enough evidence to charge him and he is actually taken into custody. The arrest of one person can clear several crimes or several persons may be arrested in the process of clearing one crime. Crime solutions are also recorded in exceptional circumstances when some element beyond law enforcement control precludes formal charges against the offender.

For the 1979 reporting period, 22.9 percent of all Index Crimes were cleared. The percentage of violent crimes cleared was 59.7 percent, while the clearance rate for nonviolent crimes was 17.2 percent. These figures compare with a total clearance rate of 22.4 percent of all Index Offenses, a violent crime clearance rate of 58.2 percent, and nonviolent crime clearance of 17.0 percent for the year 1978.

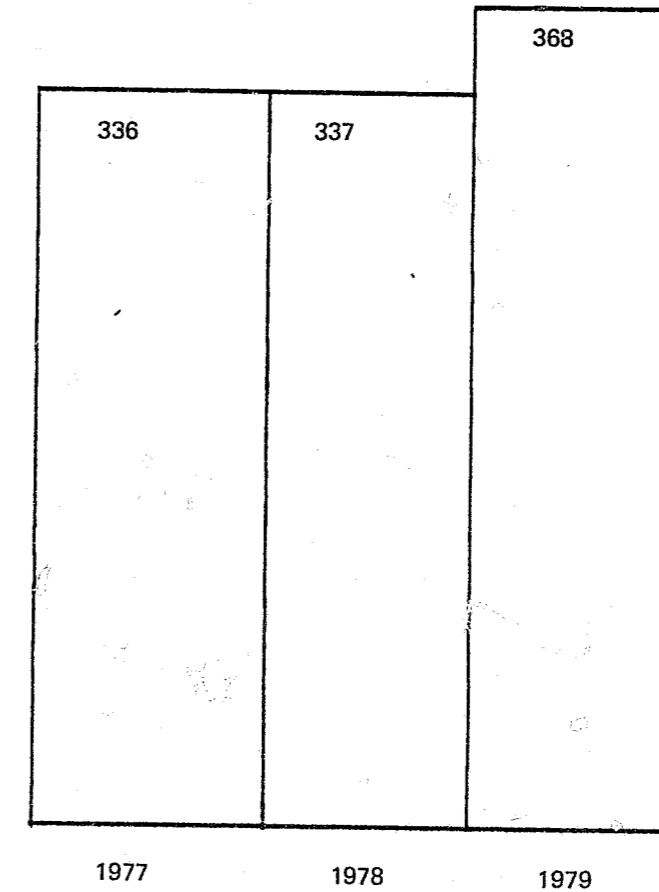
1979 CLEARANCE DATA

Offense	Number Of Offenses	% Cleared	Total Cleared	Clearances Involving Only Persons Under Age 18
Murder	368	93.5	344	12
Rape	1,002	60.4	605	61
Robbery	3,134	30.4	953	86
Aggravated Assault	15,273	64.8	9,897	592
Breaking Or Entering	43,893	15.1	6,612	1,403
Larceny	75,298	18.3	13,770	3,067
Motor Veh.Theft	8,643	18.0	1,556	400
State Total	147,611	22.9	33,737	5,621

1977-79 STOLEN AND RECOVERED PROPERTY TRENDS

Type Of Property	Year	Value Stolen	% Distribution Property Stolen	Value Recovered	% Of Stolen Value Recovered
Currency	1977	\$ 3,179,902	7.0	\$ 201,964	6.4
	1978	3,445,260	6.5	187,297	5.4
	1979	4,677,937	6.9	604,631	12.9
Jewelry	1977	2,473,405	5.4	263,522	10.7
	1978	3,652,218	6.9	295,797	8.1
	1979	4,839,853	7.1	438,808	9.1
Furs, Clothing	1977	1,212,651	2.7	124,578	10.3
	1978	1,205,573	2.3	92,193	7.6
	1979	1,546,071	2.3	315,187	20.4
Motor Vehicles	1977	16,508,295	36.4	9,663,603	58.5
	1978	20,857,170	39.6	11,822,199	56.7
	1979	26,511,743	39.1	13,427,605	50.6
Office Equipment	1977	505,452	1.1	56,216	11.1
	1978	537,205	1.0	85,545	15.9
	1979	705,564	1.0	85,722	12.1
Televisions, Radios	1977	6,175,626	13.6	490,615	7.9
	1978	6,176,574	11.7	483,405	7.8
	1979	6,966,094	10.3	575,252	8.3
Firearms	1977	1,466,760	3.2	186,651	12.7
	1978	1,503,461	2.9	151,458	10.1
	1979	1,859,306	2.7	166,709	9.0
Household Goods	1977	744,369	1.6	60,904	8.2
	1978	1,114,242	2.1	85,414	7.7
	1979	1,543,826	2.3	155,437	10.1
Consumable Goods	1977	972,192	2.1	65,923	6.8
	1978	826,737	1.6	56,233	6.8
	1979	1,415,109	2.1	211,297	14.9
Livestock	1977	43,311	0.1	5,105	11.8
	1978	98,302	0.2	12,271	12.5
	1979	124,960	0.2	9,932	7.9
Miscellaneous	1977	\$ 12,132,510	26.7	\$ 2,158,110	17.8
	1978	13,266,066	25.2	1,754,649	13.2
	1979	17,686,287	26.1	2,609,320	14.8
State Total	1977	\$ 45,414,473	100.0	\$ 13,277,191	29.2
	1978	52,682,308	100.0	15,026,461	28.5
	1979	67,876,750	100.0	18,599,906	27.4

MURDER



Murder is defined as the willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another except those cases classified as justifiable homicide. Under the UCR definition, justifiable homicides are specifically limited to the killing of an offender by a police officer in the line of duty or the killing of a felon by a private citizen. This definition does not take into consideration the findings of coroners' juries or other courts. Suicides are not defined as murders under UCR. Attempts to commit murder are classified as aggravated assaults.

1979 SUMMARY

Firearms were used in 75.6 percent of the murders, cutting instruments in 13.6 percent, other weapons in 7.3 percent, hands and feet in 3.5 percent.

Males accounted for 78 percent of murder victims, females 22 percent, whites 42.7 percent, blacks 56.8 percent, other races 0.5 percent. Victims in the age range of 20 through 29 years accounted for 29 percent.

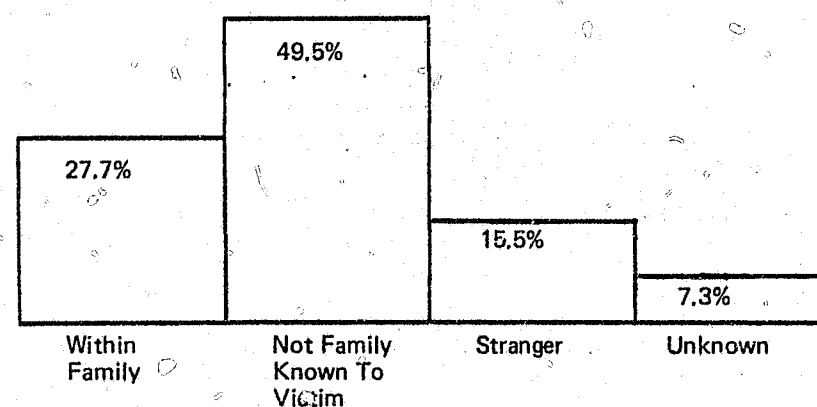
Persons killed during armed robberies accounted for 10.1 percent of all victims.

Alcohol was known to have been present in 32.9 percent of all murders.

1979 MURDER VICTIMS BY AGE, SEX, AND RACE

Age	Number	Percent Distribution	Male	Female	White	Negro	Other
Newborn	2	0.5	2			2	
1-4	4	1.1	3	1	1	3	
5-9	3	0.8	2	1	1	2	
10-14	2	0.5	2		1	1	
15-19	25	6.8	20	5	11	14	
20-24	55	14.9	42	13	17	38	
25-29	52	14.1	44	8	15	37	
30-34	44	12.0	32	12	19	23	2
35-39	35	9.5	27	8	17	18	
40-44	37	10.1	30	7	16	21	
45-49	28	7.6	25	3	11	17	
50-54	28	7.6	23	5	12	16	
55-59	18	4.9	11	7	10	8	
60-64	13	3.5	9	4	10	3	
65 and Over	21	5.7	14	7	15	6	
Unknown	1	0.3	1		1		
State Total	368	100.0	287	81	157	209	2
% Distribution			78.0	22.0	42.7	56.8	0.5

1979 MURDER VICTIMS BY RELATIONSHIP TO OFFENDERS



1979 MURDER DISTRIBUTION BY CIRCUMSTANCE AND WEAPON TYPE

Circumstance	Handgun	Shotgun	Other Firearms	Knife Or Cutting Instr.	Hands, Etc.	Other Wpns	Total	% Distr.
Rape	4	1				2	8	2.2
Robbery	18	7	4	4	1	3	37	10.1
Breaking Or Entering						1	1	0.3
Arson						5	5	1.4
Other Sex Offenses	1			1		1	3	0.8
Narcotic Drug Laws	1		1				2	0.5
Other Crimes	2	2	1	1	1	1	8	2.2
Suspected Other Crimes	2			1		2	5	1.4
Lovers Triangle	24	12	3	8		2	49	13.3
Fights Due To Alcohol	14	6	3	3			26	7.1
Arguments Over Money Or Property	15	4	2	4			25	6.8
Other Arguments	78	28	21	28	7	6	168	45.7
Other	15	3			2	4	24	6.5
Unknown Circumstances	4	1	1		1		7	1.9
Weapon Totals	178	64	36	50	13	27	368	100.0
% Distribution	48.4	17.4	9.8	13.6	3.5	7.3	100.0	

1977-79 MURDER BY RELATIONSHIP

Relationship Of Victim to Offender	Number Of Offenses 1977	% Distr.	Number Of Offenses 1978	% Distr.	Number Of Offenses 1979	% Distr.
Within Family						
Husband	28	8.3	26	7.7	18	4.9
Wife	30	8.9	27	8.0	28	7.6
Common-Law Husband	5	1.5	4	1.2	2	0.5
Common-Law Wife	1	0.3	0	0.0	1	0.3
Mother	2	0.6	0	0.0	3	0.8
Father	5	1.5	8	2.4	7	1.9
Son	5	1.5	6	1.8	7	1.9
Daughter	1	0.3	3	0.9	0	0.0
Brother	7	2.1	4	1.2	7	1.9
Sister	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
In-Law	6	1.8	12	3.6	2	0.5
Other Family	11	3.3	16	4.7	25	6.8
Outside Family But Known To Victim						
Acquaintance	161	47.9	150	44.5	178	48.4
Boyfriend	0	0.0	3	0.9	2	0.5
Girlfriend	0	0.0	1	0.3	4	1.1
Offender Not Known To Victim						
Stranger	42	12.5	41	12.1	57	15.5
Unknown Relationship						
Unable To Determine	32	9.5	36	10.7	27	7.3
Total	336	100.0	337	100.0	368	100.0

1977-79 MURDER CIRCUMSTANCE TRENDS

Circumstance	Number of Offenses 1977	% Distr.	Number of Offenses 1978	% Distr.	Number of Offenses 1979	% Distr.
Rape	7	2.1	5	1.5	8	2.2
Robbery	28	8.3	32	9.5	37	10.1
Breaking or Entering	1	0.3	1	0.3	1	0.3
Arson	0	0.0	3	0.9	5	1.4
Other Sex Offenses	1	0.3	5	1.5	2	0.5
Narcotic Drug Laws	3	0.9	2	0.6	2	0.5
Other Crimes	8	2.4	4	1.2	9	2.4
Suspected Other Crimes	5	1.5	7	2.1	5	1.4
Lover's Triangle	38	11.3	42	12.5	49	13.3
Fights Due To Alcohol	26	7.7	25	7.4	26	7.1
Fights Due To Narcotic	4	1.2	2	0.6	0	0.0
Arguments Over Money or Property	18	5.4	24	7.1	25	6.8
Other Arguments	161	47.9	147	43.6	168	45.7
Other	29	8.6	24	7.1	24	6.5
Unknown Circumstances	7	2.1	14	4.2	7	1.9
Total	336	100.0	337	100.0	368	100.0

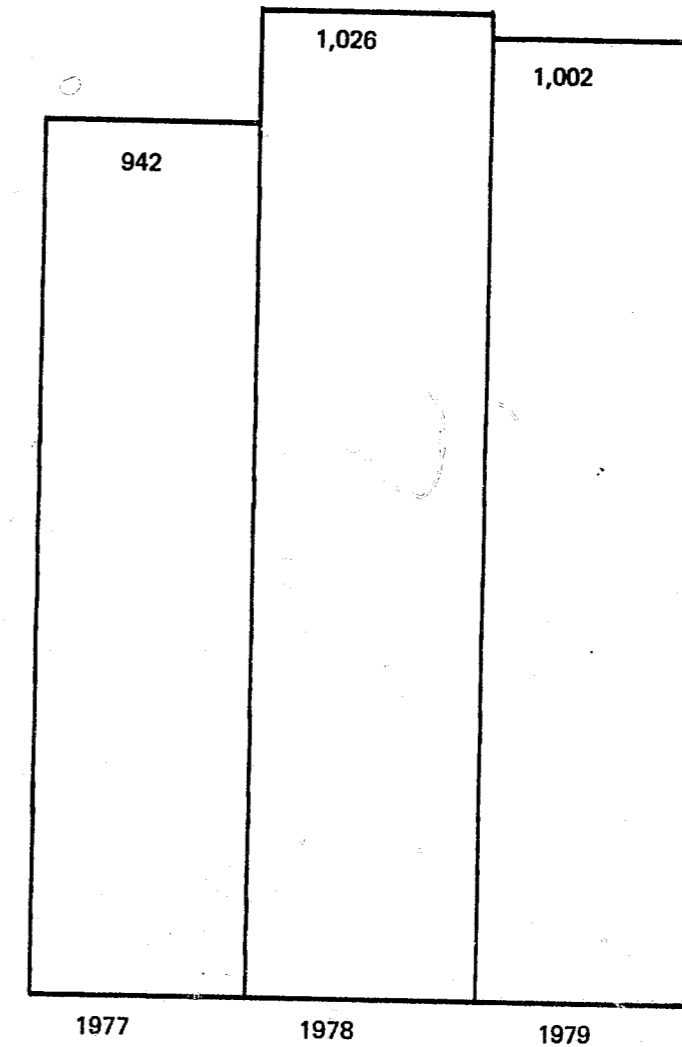
1977-79 MURDER WEAPON TRENDS

Weapons	Number of Offenses 1977	% Distr.	Number of Offenses 1978	% Distr.	Number of Offenses 1979	% Distr.
Handgun	172	51.2	149	44.2	178	48.4
Shotgun	52	15.5	62	18.4	64	17.4
Rifle	23	6.7	16	4.7	31	8.4
Unknown Type Firearm	6	1.8	11	3.3	5	1.4
Knife Or Cutting Istr.	45	13.1	50	14.8	50	13.6
Hands, Fists, Feet	10	2.9	11	3.3	13	3.5
Other Weapons	28	8.3	38	11.3	27	7.3
Total	336	100.0	337	100.0	368	100.0

1977-79 MURDER DISTRIBUTION BY DAY OF WEEK

Day Of Week	Year	Number Of Offenses	% Distribution
Sunday	1977	58	17.3
	1978	67	19.9
	1979	63	17.1
Monday	1977	43	12.5
	1978	39	11.6
	1979	37	10.1
Tuesday	1977	35	10.2
	1978	33	9.8
	1979	24	6.5
Wednesday	1977	31	9.2
	1978	43	12.8
	1979	41	11.1
Thursday	1977	32	9.2
	1978	36	10.7
	1979	47	12.8
Friday	1977	57	17.0
	1978	42	12.5
	1979	67	18.2
Saturday	1977	81	24.1
	1978	77	22.9
	1979	89	24.2
Total	1977	327	100.0
	1978	336	100.0
	1979	368	100.0

RAPE



Forcible Rape, by UCR definition, is the carnal knowledge of a female through the use or threat of force. Assaults to rape or attempts to commit rape are included in this category. One offense is counted for each victim of rape. Statutory rapes and other types of sexual assaults are not counted as rapes under the UCR program.

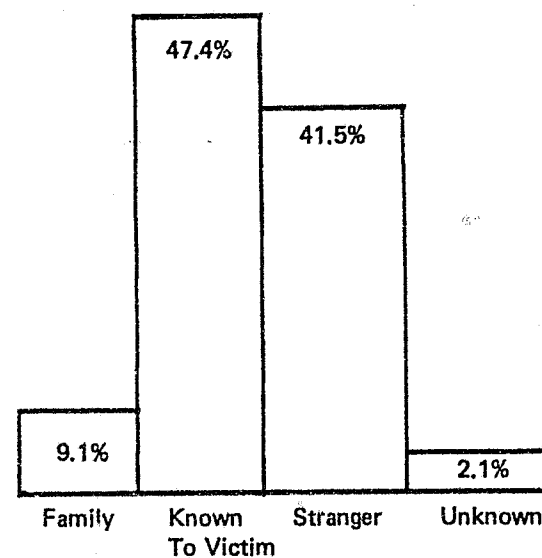
1979 SUMMARY

During 1979 the number of rapes decreased by 2.3 percent compared to those reported in 1978. Forcible rape accounted for 70.7 percent and attempted rape for 29.3 percent.

In 56.4 percent of all rapes the offender was known to the victim.

Dangerous weapons were employed in 21.1 percent of all rapes.

1979 RELATIONSHIPS OF RAPE VICTIMS TO OFFENDERS



1979 RAPE BY PREMISE TYPE

Premise	Number	% Distribution
Residential	533	53.2
Highway, Streets, Etc.	219	21.9
Woods, Etc.	81	8.1
Commercial	63	6.3
Schools, Churches	27	2.7
Hotels, Motels	24	2.4
Other	55	5.5
Total	1,002	100.0

1977-79 FORCIBLE AND ATTEMPTED RAPE TRENDS

Year	Number Forcible	% Change	Number Attempts	% Change
1977	626	+14.4	316	-7.3
1978	659	+5.3	367	+16.1
1979	708	+7.4	294	-19.9

1979 RAPE DISTRIBUTION BY DAY OF WEEK

Day of Week	Number of Offenses	% Distribution
Sunday	148	14.8
Monday	110	11.0
Tuesday	105	10.5
Wednesday	150	15.0
Thursday	128	12.8
Friday	164	16.4
Saturday	197	19.7
Total	1,002	100.0

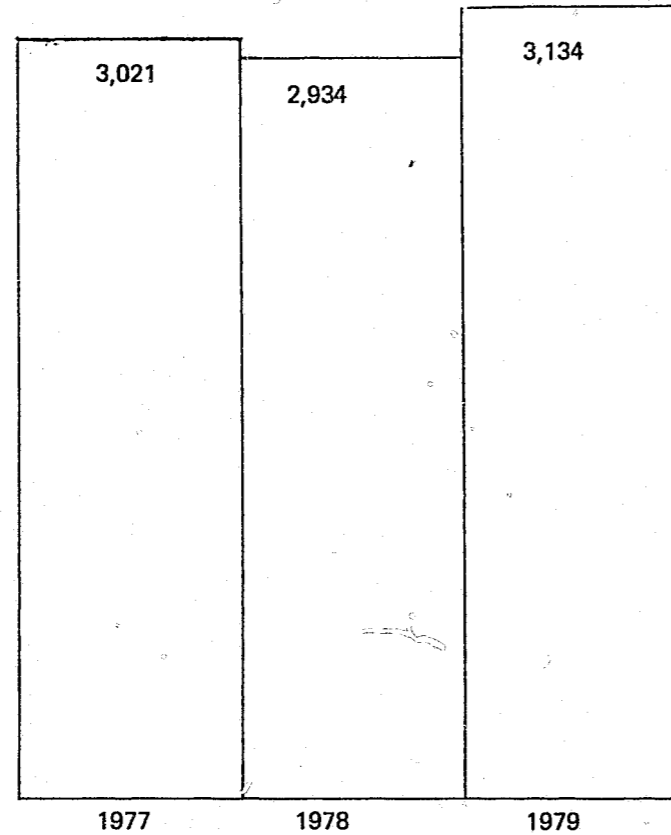
1979 RAPE VICTIMS BY AGE, RACE

Age Group	% Distribution	White	% Distribution	Negro	% Distribution
1-4	1.3	4	30.8	9	69.2
5-9	3.7	14	37.8	23	62.2
10-14	12.3	51	41.5	72	58.5
15-19	28.4	143	50.2	142	49.8
20-24	21.1	109	51.7	102	48.3
25-29	12.2	75	61.5	47	38.5
30-34	6.6	34	51.5	32	48.5
35-39	4.3	27	62.8	16	37.2
40-44	2.1	14	66.7	7	33.3
45-49	2.2	13	59.1	9	40.9
50-54	1.3	8	61.5	5	38.5
55-59	1.1	4	36.4	7	63.6
60-64	0.7	3	42.9	4	57.1
65 & Over	1.6	7	43.8	9	56.3
Unknown	1.2	5	41.7	7	58.3
Total	100.0	511	51.0	491	49.0

1979 WEAPONS USED IN RAPES

Weapon Type	Offenses	% Distribution
Firearms	88	8.8
Knives, etc.	103	10.3
Hands, etc.	791	78.9
Other	20	2.0
Total	1,002	100.0

ROBBERY



Robbery, for UCR purposes, is defined as the unlawful taking of the property of another through the use or threat of force. Robbery is a violent crime in which the element of personal confrontation between the victim and offender is present. Attempts to rob are included in the robbery count. Armed robberies, those involving weapons, and strong-arm robberies, those not involving weapons, make up the two major categories. One robbery is counted for each distinct operation, regardless of the number of victims present at the time.

1979 SUMMARY

Armed robberies accounted for 59.1 percent of all robberies, while strong-arm accounted for 40.9 percent.

Highway robberies (roads, streets, alleys, etc.) accounted for 33.5 percent of all robberies, while general commercial establishments accounted for 29.8 percent, service stations 5.1 percent, convenience stores 8.4 percent, residences 15.6 percent, banks (including those on bank grounds in which the bank itself was not the target) 1.5 percent and miscellaneous premises 6.0 percent.

Firearms were used in 37.1 percent of all robberies, cutting instruments in 12.4 percent, other dangerous weapons in 9.6 percent and hands, feet, etc. in 40.9 percent.

There were 37 murders reported as occurring during robberies.

1977-79 ROBBERY BY PREMISE AND VALUE

Premise	Year	Number Of Offenses	% Change	Total Value Stolen
Highway	1977	1,138	-0.1	\$ 247,307
	1978	1,089	-4.3	239,699
	1979	1,051	-3.5	321,777
Commercial Establishment	1977	686	-0.9	227,531
	1978	862	+25.7	733,095
	1979	935	+8.5	524,540
Service Station	1977	166	-12.6	34,711
	1978	160	-3.6	33,111
	1979	161	+0.6	71,732
Convenience Store	1977	364	+37.4	71,705
	1978	233	-36.0	42,487
	1979	262	+12.4	98,961
Residence	1977	466	+14.2	212,065
	1978	426	-8.6	155,918
	1979	488	+14.6	308,448
Bank	1977	26	+23.8	156,352
	1978	23	-11.5	32,105
	1979	48	+108.7	311,563
Miscellaneous	1977	175	-21.5	24,191
	1978	141	-19.4	40,345
	1979	189	+34.0	50,241
State Total	1977	3,021	+2.8	\$ 973,862
	1978	2,934	-2.9	1,276,760
	1979	3,134	+6.8	1,687,262

1979 ROBBERY BY WEAPON TYPE

Weapon	1977	1978	% Change	1979	% Change
Firearms	1,077	1,036	-3.8	1,164	+12.4
Knives, Etc.	351	333	-5.1	388	+16.5
Other Weapons	303	256	-15.5	300	+17.2
Hands, Etc.	1,290	1,309	+1.5	1,282	-2.1
State Total	3,021	2,934	-2.9	3,134	+6.8

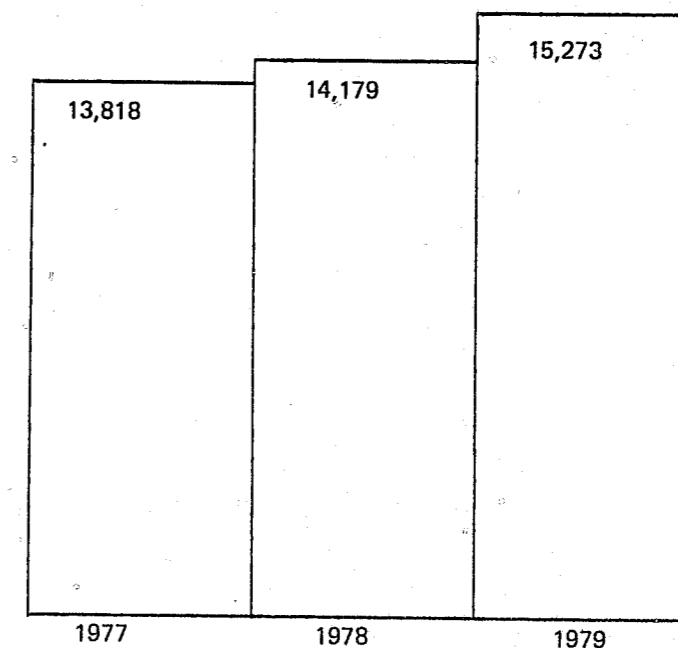
1979 ROBBERY BY PREMISE AND TIME OF DAY

Premise	8 A.M. to 4 P.M. % Distr.	4 P.M. to Midnight % Distr.	Midnight to 8 A.M. % Distr.	Time Unknown % Distr.
Highway 1,051	21.6	48.1	27.6	2.8
Commercial Establishment 935	26.2	51.8	19.5	2.6
Service Station 161	13.0	55.9	26.7	4.4
Convenience Store 262	16.4	45.6	35.7	2.3
Residence 488	22.2	49.4	23.1	5.3
Bank 48	45.8	39.6	8.3	6.3
Miscellaneous 189	28.0	43.9	20.6	7.4
State Total 3134 % Distribution	22.9	49.2	24.4	3.4

1979 ROBBERY DISTRIBUTION BY DAY OF WEEK

Day Of Week	Number Of Offenses	% Distribution
Sunday	338	10.8
Monday	411	13.1
Tuesday	359	11.5
Wednesday	374	11.9
Thursday	471	15.0
Friday	577	18.4
Saturday	604	19.3
State Total	3,134	100.0

AGGRAVATED ASSAULT



Aggravated Assault, for UCR purposes, is defined as an unlawful attack by one person upon another with the intent of inflicting serious bodily injury. Aggravated assaults are frequently accomplished through the use of or threatened use of dangerous weapons. However, assaults resulting in serious injury from the use of hands or feet also are counted in this category. Attempts to assault are counted here since it is not necessary that injury result whenever a dangerous weapon is employed. Attempts to commit murder are classified under this category. One offense is counted for each victim of aggravated assault.

1979 SUMMARY

There were 15,273 aggravated assaults reported during 1979. This offense accounted for 10.3 percent of all index crimes.

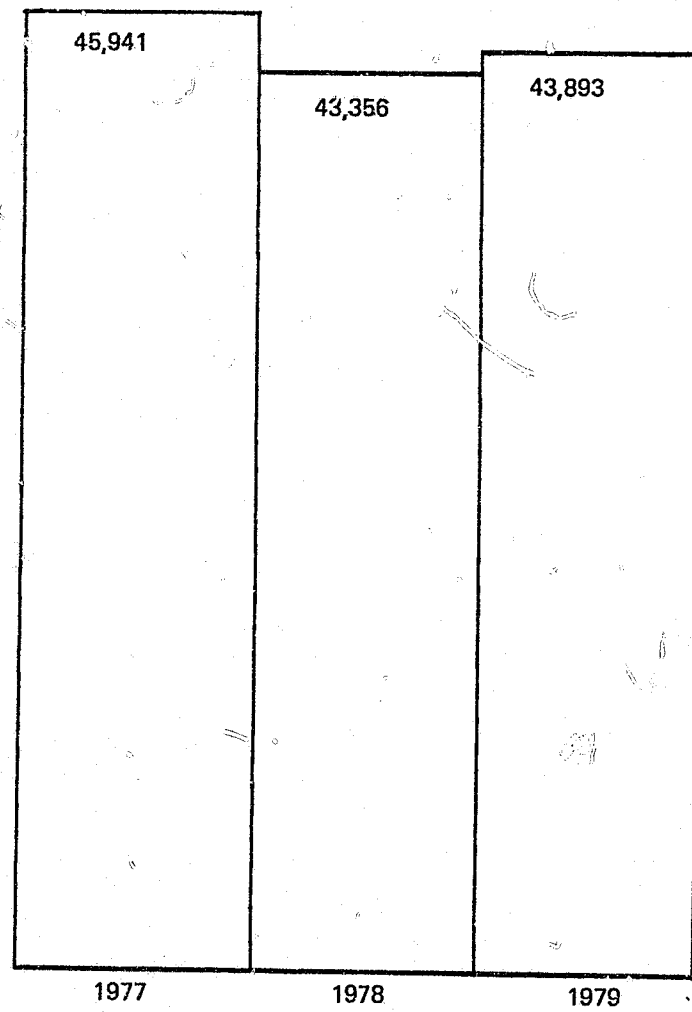
Dangerous weapons were used in 88.8 percent of all aggravated assaults, hands and feet in 11.2 percent.

During 1979, aggravated assaults increased 7.7 percent over those reported in 1978.

1977-79 AGGRAVATED ASSAULT BY WEAPON TYPE

Weapon	1977	% Change	1978	% Change	1979	% Change
Firearms	4,154	+19.5	4,346	+4.6	4,715	+8.5
Cutting Instruments	3,937	+20.8	4,028	+2.3	4,332	+7.6
Other Weapons	4,229	+44.6	4,439	+5.0	4,522	+1.9
Hands, Etc.	1,498	-46.7	1,366	-8.8	1,704	+24.7
State Total	13,818	+10.8	14,179	+2.3	15,273	+7.7

BREAKING OR ENTERING



Breaking or entering, for UCR purposes, is defined as the unlawful entry of a structure with intent to commit a felony or theft. It is not necessary that force be used in gaining entry in order for the offense to be classified as an unlawful entry. Neither is it necessary that property loss occur in an unlawful entry or forcible entry for the crime to be counted in this category. Attempts to unlawfully enter a structure are also counted. One offense is counted for each distinct operation.

1979 SUMMARY

Of the three categories of breaking or entering, forcible entry accounted for 80.3 percent, unlawful entry for 11.5 percent and attempted forcible entry for 8.2 percent.

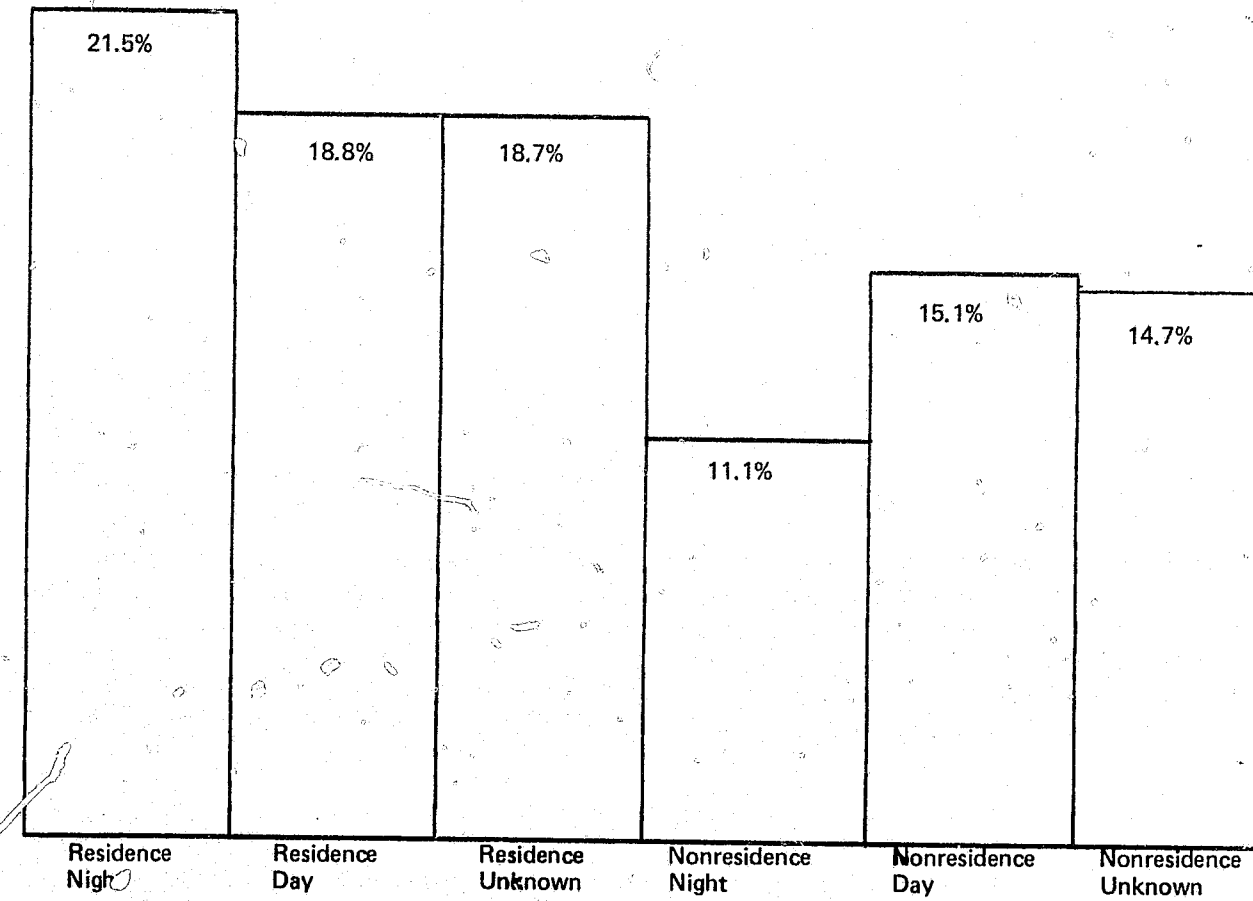
Residential structures accounted for 59 percent of these offenses.

Night operations accounted for 32.6 percent of breaking or entering offenses, daylight operations for 33.9 percent and 33.4 percent occurred at unknown times.

1977-79 BREAKING OR ENTERING BY TYPE ENTRY

Type Entry	1977	% Distribution	1978	% Distribution	1979	% Distribution
Forcible	32,480	70.7	33,469	77.2	35,250	80.3
Unlawful entry-No force	9,724	21.2	6,325	14.6	5,045	11.5
Attempted forcible entry	3,737	8.1	3,562	8.2	3,598	8.2
State Total	45,941	100.0	43,356	100.0	43,893	100.0

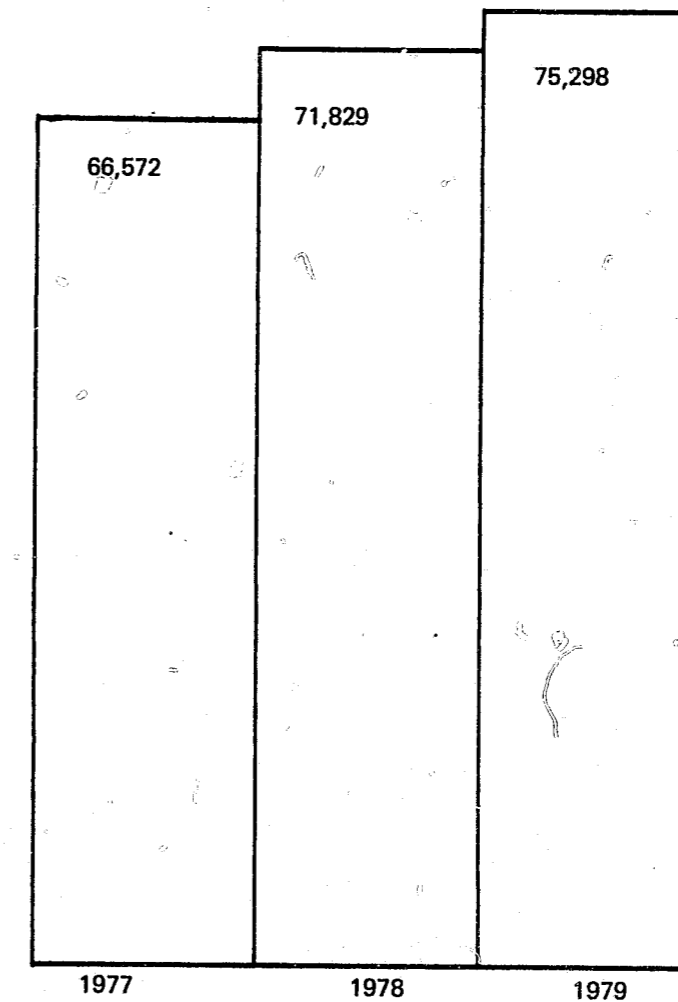
1979 BREAKING OR ENTERING BY PREMISE AND TIME OF DAY



**1977-79 BREAKING OR ENTERING TRENDS
BY PREMISE, TIME, AND VALUE**

Premise		Year	Number Of Offenses	% Change	Total Value
Residence	Night	1977	11,413	+5.5	\$ 3,780,043
		1978	10,124	-11.3	3,696,058
		1979	9,446	-6.7	4,434,453
	Day	1977	12,321	-2.7	4,402,624
		1978	8,625	-30.0	3,405,100
		1979	8,263	-4.2	3,874,860
	Unknown	1977	5,161	+36.8	2,161,288
		1978	7,637	+48.0	4,065,595
		1979	8,203	+7.4	4,855,420
Subtotal Residence		1977	28,895	+6.0	10,343,955
		1978	26,383	-8.7	11,166,753
		1979	25,912	-1.8	13,164,733
Nonresidence	Night	1977	7,084	-20.0	2,162,441
		1978	4,806	-32.2	1,432,922
		1979	4,892	+1.8	1,719,645
	Day	1977	7,031	+34.1	2,390,194
		1978	6,499	-7.6	2,622,933
		1979	6,628	+2.0	2,959,562
	Unknown	1977	2,931	+50.9	1,158,648
		1978	5,665	+93.1	2,243,930
		1979	6,461	+14.1	3,634,088
Subtotal Nonresidence		1977	17,046	+6.6	5,711,283
		1978	16,970	-0.4	6,299,785
		1979	17,981	+6.0	8,313,295
State Total		1977	45,941	+6.2	\$ 16,055,238
		1978	43,356	-5.6	17,466,538
		1979	43,893	+1.2	21,478,028

LARCENY



Larceny, for UCR purposes, is defined as the unlawful taking of the property of another without the use of force or fraud. Larceny does not have the element of unlawful entry. This offense category includes such crimes as shoplifting, purse-snatching, stealing items from vehicles and the like. Larceny does not include theft by fraud, forgery, embezzlement or similar crimes. Motor Vehicle thefts fall under a separate category and are not counted as larcenies. Attempts to commit larceny are included in this category. One offense is counted for each distinct operation, regardless of the number of victims.

1979 SUMMARY

Individual offenses of larceny in which property stolen amounted to \$200 or more accounted for 28.9 percent of all larcenies, those in which the value stolen was from \$50 to \$200 accounted for 32.8 percent and those in which the value stolen was less than \$50 for 38.3 percent.

Offenses of shoplifting accounted for 11.8 percent of all larcenies, thefts of items from within motor vehicles 13.1 percent and thefts of motor vehicle parts or accessories for 26.3 percent.

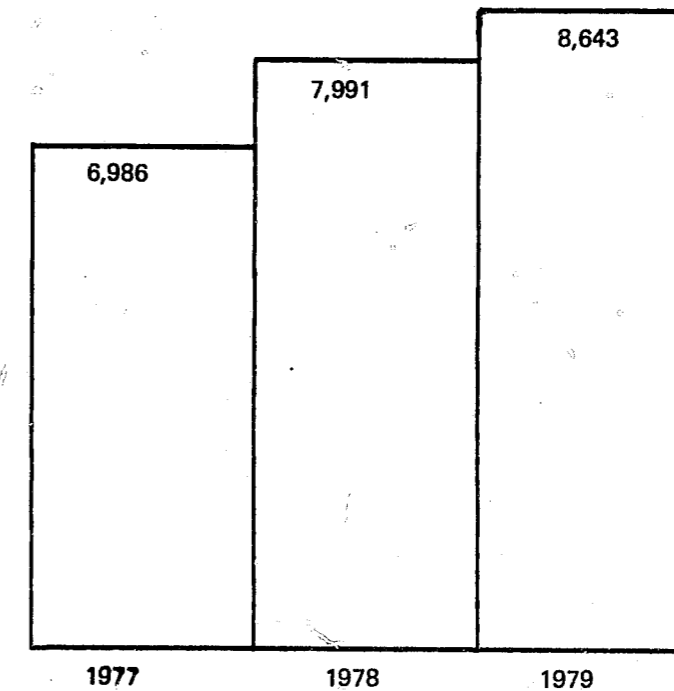
1977-79 LARCENY TRENDS

Classification Type	Year	Number Of Offenses	% Change	Total Value Stolen
Pocket-Picking	1977	334	+37.5	\$ 36,014
	1978	174	-47.9	27,638
	1979	207	+19.0	28,881
Purse Snatching	1977	555	-16.3	52,066
	1978	549	-1.1	132,477
	1979	520	-5.3	61,979
Shoplifting	1977	8,767	+6.4	337,030
	1978	8,664	-1.2	227,881
	1979	6,887	+2.6	520,961
From Motor Vehicles	1977	8,576	-40.5	2,003,134
	1978	9,256	+7.9	2,180,875
	1979	9,834	+6.2	2,663,569
Motor Vehicle Parts & Accessories	1977	19,769	+11.2	2,690,944
	1978	20,097	+1.7	3,043,499
	1979	19,837	-1.3	3,532,631
Bicycles	1977	5,045	-7.9	480,891
	1978	5,566	+10.3	554,342
	1979	5,762	+3.5	621,981
From Buildings	1977	9,260	+4.0	2,872,073
	1978	9,258	-0.02	2,306,941
	1979	5,926	-36.0	1,742,423
From Coin Operated Machines	1977	1,493	+23.8	38,564
	1978	1,528	+2.3	43,636
	1979	1,478	-3.3	58,595
All Other	1977	12,773	+0.3	3,995,860
	1978	16,737	+31.0	5,147,204
	1979	22,847	+36.5	9,939,577
State Total	1977	66,572	+19.2	\$ 12,506,576
	1978	71,829	+7.9	13,664,493
	1979	75,298	+4.8	19,170,597

1977-79 LARCENY DISTRIBUTION BY VALUE GROUP

	Year	Number Of Offenses	% Distr.	Value Stolen	% Distr.
\$200 And Over	1977	14,320	21.5	\$ 9,825,604	78.6
	1978	17,536	24.4	10,908,098	79.8
	1979	21,793	28.9	16,214,706	84.6
\$50 To \$200	1977	22,213	33.4	2,336,009	18.7
	1978	23,170	32.3	2,385,322	17.5
	1979	24,680	32.8	2,513,552	13.1
Under \$50	1977	30,039	45.1	344,963	2.8
	1978	31,123	43.3	371,073	2.7
	1979	28,825	38.3	442,339	2.3
State Total	1977	66,572	100.0	\$ 12,506,576	100.0
	1978	71,829	100.0	13,664,493	100.0
	1979	75,298	100.0	19,170,597	100.0

MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT



Motor vehicle theft, for purposes of UCR, is defined as the theft of a self-propelled vehicle that runs on the surface of the land but not on rails. Motor vehicles include automobiles, trucks, motorcycles and the like. This category does not include boats, airplanes or specialized items such as farm equipment, tractors, construction equipment, bulldozers, etc. These specialized items are counted under the larceny category. Motor vehicle theft does not include using a vehicle without the owner's consent if prior consent or lawful access has been granted. Obtaining vehicles through fraud or failure to return rented vehicles are not included in this category. Attempts to steal motor vehicles as well as "joyrides" are counted as motor vehicle thefts. One offense is counted for each vehicle stolen.

1979 SUMMARY

During 1979 the number of reported motor vehicle thefts increased 8.1 percent over those reported in 1978.

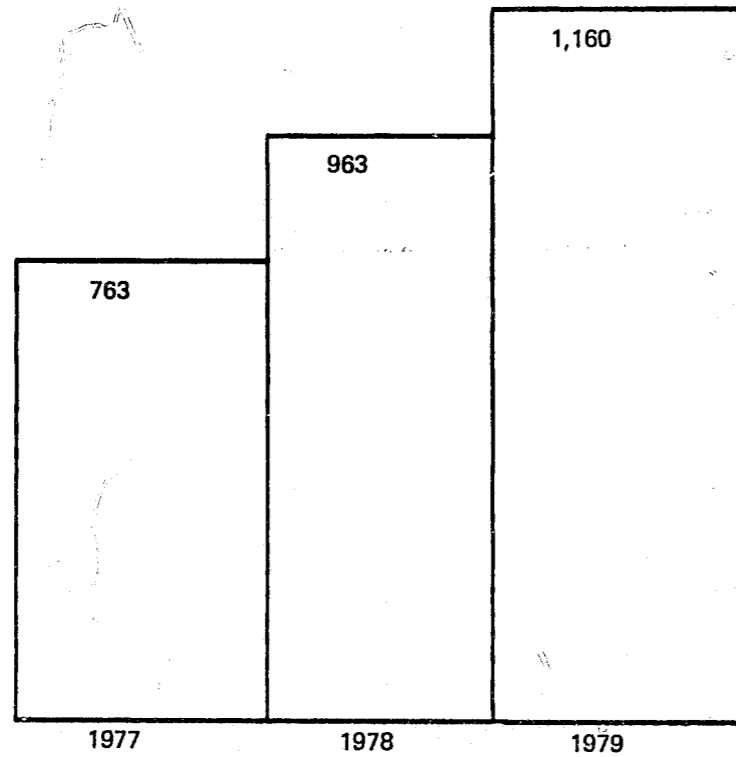
Automobiles accounted for 67 percent of this category, trucks and buses for 14.8 percent and other vehicles (motorcycles, etc.) for 18.2 percent.

Of vehicles originally stolen in South Carolina, there were 4,798 recovered during 1979.

1977-79 MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT TRENDS

	1977	% Change	1978	% Change	1979	% Change
Total Motor Vehicle Thefts	6,986	-0.1	7,991	+14.4	8,643	+8.2
Automobiles	5,238	-3.9	5,622	+7.3	5,794	+3.1
Trucks And Buses	793	+18.5	1,015	+28.0	1,279	+26.0
Other Vehicles	955	+9.1	1,354	+41.8	1,570	+16.0
Values	\$ 15,854,662	+11.5	20,230,080	+27.6	25,490,701	+26.0

OFFICERS ASSAULTED



1979 SUMMARY

During 1979 there were 1,160 assaults upon law enforcement officers, an increase of 20.5 percent over those reported during 1978. Of these, 32.9 percent occurred while the officers were responding to disturbance calls, 26.8 percent while the officers were attempting to make general arrests, 11.8 percent while making traffic stops and 9.6 percent while investigating suspicious persons.

Of the 1,160 officers assaulted, 8.9 percent were assaulted with firearms, 3.9 percent with cutting instruments, 8.1 percent with other weapons and 79.1 percent with hands, feet, etc.

Some degree of injury was sustained by 11.9 percent of officers assaulted, 73.9 percent of these injuries caused by hands, feet, etc.

Of the 1,160 assaults on officers, 31.8 percent occurred between the hours of 10:00 PM and 2:00 AM.

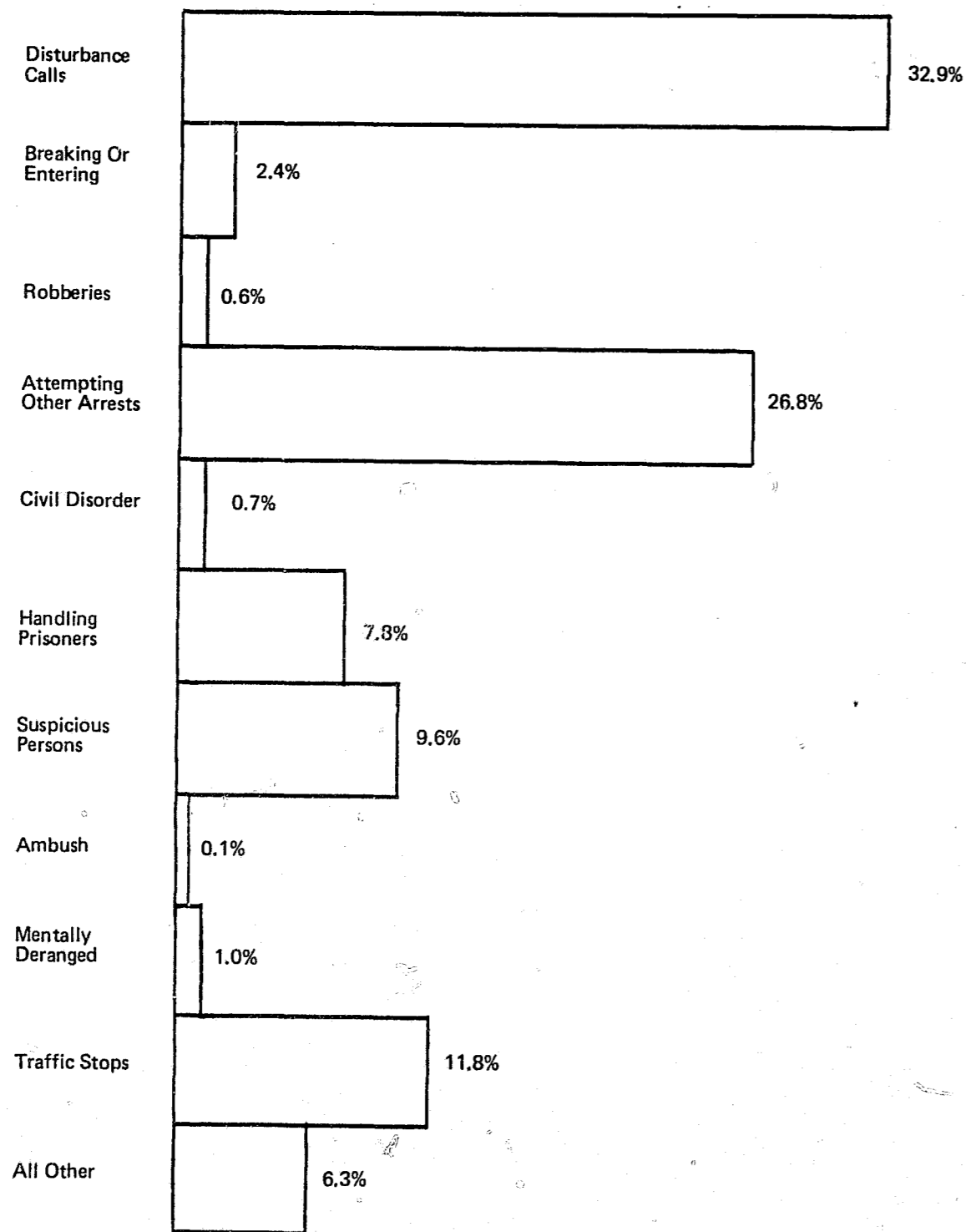
1977-79 OFFICERS ASSAULTED BY TYPE OF ASSIGNMENT

Type Of Assignment	1977 Offenses	% Distr.	1978 Offenses	% Distr.	1979 Offenses	% Dist.	
Two Man Vehicle	295	38.7	322	33.4	353	30.4	
One Man Vehicle	Alone	217	28.4	300	31.2	315	27.2
	Assisted	127	16.6	167	17.3	276	23.8
Special Assignment	Alone	0	0.0	1	0.1	1	0.1
	Assisted	0	0.0	2	0.2	7	0.6
Other	Alone	14	1.8	21	2.2	45	3.9
	Assisted	110	14.4	150	15.6	163	14.1

1977-79 OFFICERS ASSAULTED DISTRIBUTION BY ACTIVITY AND WEAPON TYPE

Type Of Activity	Year	Firearm	Knife Or Cutting Instr.	Other Dangerous Weapons	Hands, Fists, Feet, Etc.	Total	% Distr.
Disturbance Calls	1977	52	21	23	206	303	39.7
	1978	31	23	39	222	315	32.7
	1979	51	18	24	289	382	32.9
Breaking Or Entering	1977	4	1	2	10	17	2.2
	1978	3	2	2	9	16	1.7
	1979	9	1	0	18	28	2.4
Robberies	1977	0	0	1	3	4	0.5
	1978	3	0	0	2	5	0.5
	1979	3	0	0	4	7	0.6
Attempting Other Arrest	1977	17	8	18	189	232	30.4
	1978	12	15	28	256	311	32.3
	1979	15	12	18	266	311	26.8
Civil Disorder	1977	0	0	3	4	7	0.9
	1978	0	0	3	2	5	0.5
	1979	0	0	2	6	8	0.7
Handling Prisoners	1977	2	0	2	40	44	5.8
	1978	2	1	2	51	56	5.8
	1979	1	3	6	80	90	7.8
Investigating Suspicious Persons	1977	2	2	11	46	61	8.0
	1978	15	8	9	63	95	9.9
	1979	7	2	10	92	111	9.6
Ambush	1977	2	0	0	1	3	0.4
	1978	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
	1979	0	0	0	1	1	0.1
Mentally Deranged	1977	0	6	0	1	7	0.9
	1978	2	1	0	1	4	0.4
	1979	0	1	5	6	12	1.0
Traffic Stops	1977	7	0	4	40	51	6.7
	1978	8	3	17	79	107	11.1
	1979	11	1	22	103	137	11.8
All Other	1977	1	3	8	22	34	4.5
	1978	5	2	8	34	49	5.1
	1979	6	7	7	53	73	6.3
State Totals	1977	88	41	72	562	763	100.0
	1978	81	55	108	719	963	100.0
	1979	103	45	94	918	1,160	100.0
% Distribution	1977	11.5	5.4	9.4	73.7		100.0
	1978	8.4	5.7	11.2	74.7		100.0
	1979	8.9	3.9	8.1	79.1		100.0

OFFICERS ASSAULTED BY ACTIVITY



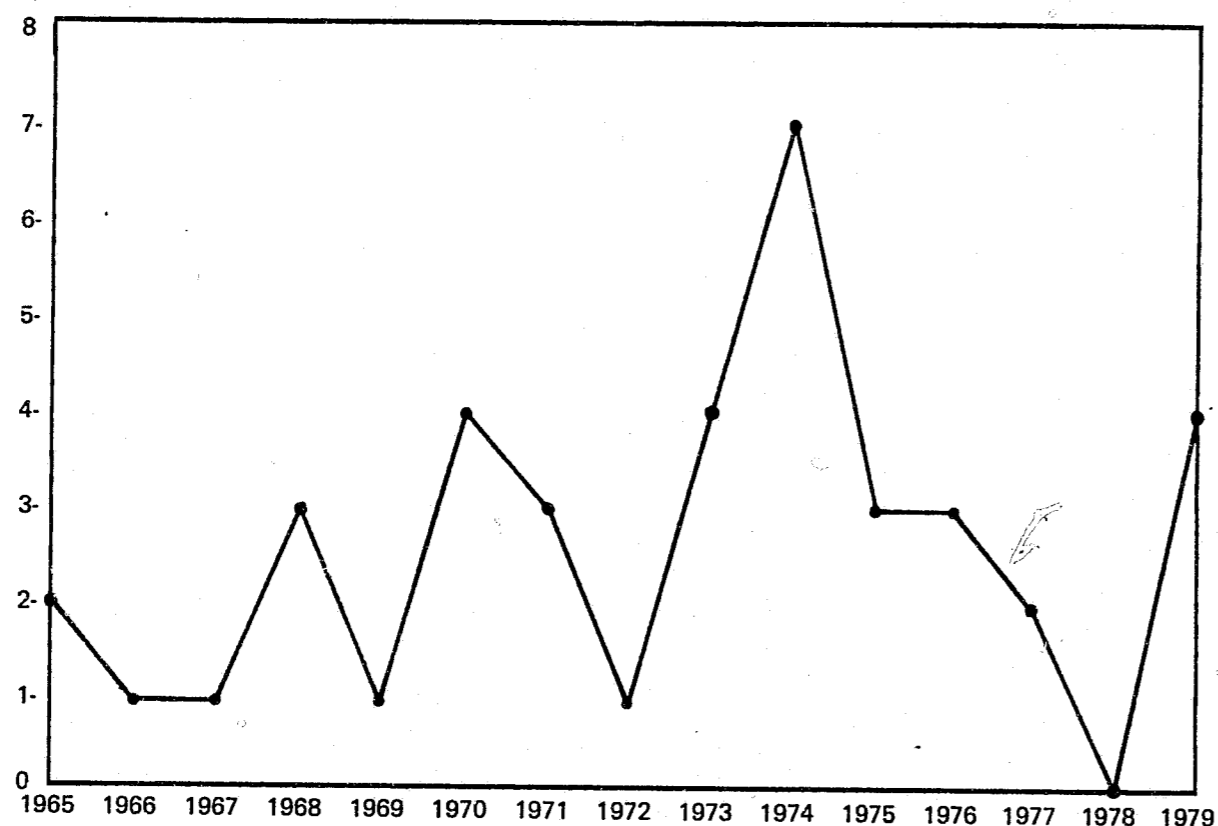
1977-79 OFFICERS ASSAULTED BY TIME OF ASSAULT

Time Period	1977 Offenses	% Distr.	1978 Offenses	% Distr.	1979 Offenses	% Distr.
12 A.M.—2 A.M.	102	13.4	138	14.3	175	15.1
2 A.M.—4 A.M.	70	9.2	84	8.7	120	10.3
4 A.M.—6 A.M.	34	4.5	33	3.4	38	3.3
6 A.M.—8 A.M.	12	1.6	8	0.8	22	1.9
8 A.M.—10 A.M.	17	2.2	21	2.2	28	2.4
10 A.M.—12 P.M.	41	5.4	38	3.9	47	4.1
12 P.M.—2 P.M.	38	5.0	73	7.6	85	7.3
2 P.M.—4 P.M.	49	6.4	65	6.7	80	6.9
4 P.M.—6 P.M.	57	7.5	93	9.7	123	10.6
6 P.M.—8 P.M.	100	13.1	106	11.0	110	9.5
8 P.M.—10 P.M.	118	15.5	150	15.6	138	11.9
10 P.M.—12 A.M.	125	16.4	154	16.0	194	16.7
State Total	763	100.0	963	100.0	1,160	100.0

1977-79 INJURIES TO OFFICERS BY WEAPON TYPE

Type Of Weapon	Year	With Injury		Without Injury	
		Number	% Distr.	Number	% Distr.
Firearm	1977	10	9.7	78	11.8
	1978	4	2.5	77	9.6
	1979	11	8.0	92	9.0
Knife Or Cutting Instrument	1977	12	11.7	29	4.4
	1978	8	5.0	47	5.9
	1979	8	5.8	37	3.6
Other Dangerous Weapons	1977	15	14.6	57	8.6
	1978	29	18.1	79	9.8
	1979	17	12.3	77	7.5
Hands, Fists, Feet Etc.	1977	66	64.1	496	75.2
	1978	119	74.4	600	74.7
	1979	102	73.9	816	79.8
State Total	1977	103	100.0	660	100.0
	1978	160	100.0	803	100.0
	1979	138	100.0	1,022	100.0

SOUTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED BY YEAR



During 1979, four South Carolina police officers were willfully killed in the line of duty.

On Friday, March 2, 1979, at 5:00 P.M., a 52 year old Charleston City policeman was shot and killed with a .38 caliber handgun while attempting to apprehend a shoplifting suspect. He had twelve years of police experience.

On Thursday, June 7, 1979, at 5:15 A.M., a 49 year old Swansea assistant police chief was shot and killed with a .38 caliber handgun while questioning four suspects stopped for a speeding violation. He had five years of police experience.

On Thursday, June 7, 1979, at 7:15 P.M., a 28 year old highway patrolman stationed in Colleton County was shot and killed with a .357 magnum handgun after stopping a suspect for a speeding violation. He had four years of police experience.

On Thursday, July 19, 1979, at 10:10 P.M., a 49 year old highway patrolman stationed in Florence County was shot and killed with a .38 caliber handgun after stopping a suspect for a faulty taillight. He had twenty-one years of police experience.

1965-1979 POLICE OFFICERS KILLED BY ACTIVITY AND WEAPON TYPE

Type Of Activity	Total Victims	% Distr.	Type Of Weapon					
			Firearm Handgun	% Distr.	Firearm Shoulder Gun	% Distr.	Other Weapon	% Distr.
Total Fifteen Year Period	38		26	68.4	11	28.9	1	2.6
Disturbance Call	5	13.2	2	40.0	3	60.0		
Breaking Or Entering In Progress	1	2.6	1	100.0				
Robberies In Progress	3	7.9	3	100.0				
Attempting Other Arrest	9	23.7	6	66.7	3	33.3		
Transporting Prisoners	2	5.3	2	100.0				
Suspicious Persons	2	5.3	2	100.0				
Ambush	1	2.6			1	100.0		
Mentally Deranged	2	5.3	1	50.0	1	50.0		
Traffic Stops	8	21.1	7	87.5	1	12.5		
Serving Warrants	4	10.5	2	50.0	2	50.0		
Other	1	2.6					1	100.0

ARRESTS

The Uniform Crime Reports Program requires the daily reporting of data concerning persons arrested in the state. Records of arrests for criminal acts in both Part I and II crime classes are received from state, county and municipal law enforcement agencies in South Carolina and are classified by offense category and arranged according to age, sex and race of persons arrested. Traffic arrests, except driving under the influence, are not reported. A total of 128,096 arrests for Part I and Part II crimes was reported during the year 1979, a 2.2 percent decrease from the 130,994 arrests reported for the year 1978.

A person is counted on the arrest report each time he is arrested or summoned. It should be kept in mind that the volume of arrests may vary from time to time due to differences in local arrest procedures and policies. It should also be noted that a person may be arrested several times during a given month for the same or different offenses. This occurs frequently for such crimes as public drunk, disorderly conduct and similar violations. A juvenile is counted as "arrested" when the circumstances are such that if he or she were an adult, an arrest would be counted, or when law enforcement action or other official action is taken beyond a mere interview, warning or admonishment.

When reviewing arrest figures it should be remembered that arrest counts do not reflect the specific number of persons arrested since, as has been pointed out, one individual may be arrested several times during any given month or year. However, arrest data is useful in measuring the extent of law enforcement activity in a given geographical area as well as providing an index for measuring involvement in criminal acts by the age, sex and race of the offenders.

Analysis of reported arrests for the year 1979 indicates that 19.5 percent of all arrests during the year were Part I offenses (murder, manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, breaking or entering, larceny and motor vehicle theft). Arrests for larceny comprised the highest percentage of Part I arrests, amounting to 48.2 percent.

1977-79 SOUTH CAROLINA ARREST TRENDS

Charge	1977 Arrests	1978 Arrests	1979 Arrests
Murder	346	356	403
Manslaughter By Negligence	36	40	60
Forcible Rape	434	457	497
Robbery	902	900	950
Aggravated Assault	4,044	4,000	4,281
Breaking Or Entering	5,333	5,635	5,806
Larceny	10,832	11,325	12,037
Motor Vehicle Theft	797	890	940
Subtotal For Part I Arrests	22,724	23,603	24,974
Simple Assaults	5,189	6,373	6,612
Arson, Burning	140	171	191
Forgery And Counterfeiting	1,066	1,219	1,015
Fraud	3,528	4,340	7,047
Embezzlement	16	11	10
Stolen Property, Buying, Receiving, Possessing	590	599	573
Vandalism	1,630	1,977	2,213
Weapons: Carrying, Possession, Etc.	2,435	1,959	2,006
Prostitution And Commercialized Vice	396	282	358
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	629	587	596
Dr. Law Violations	6,707	6,145	6,299
Gambling	841	843	785
Offenses Against Family and Children	539	463	528
Driving Under The Influence	19,334	19,383	18,785
Liquor Law Violations	5,460	4,621	4,346
Drunkenness	40,741	37,409	31,407
Disorderly Conduct	11,107	11,517	12,594
Vagrancy	92	50	27
All Other (Except Traffic)	8,613	8,667	7,000
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	61	40	24
Runaways	898	735	706
Subtotal For Part II Arrests	110,012	107,391	103,122
State Total	132,736	130,994	128,096

1979 TOTAL ARRESTS BY RACE AND SEX

Charge	Total	White	Negro	Other	Male	Female
Murder	403	161	238	4	329	74
Manslaughter	60	29	31	0	47	13
Forcible Rape	497	173	323	1	496	1
Robbery	950	311	639	0	892	58
Aggravated Assault	4,281	2,004	2,267	10	3,714	567
Breaking Or Entering	5,806	3,210	2,583	13	5,491	315
Larceny	12,037	5,453	6,534	50	8,397	3,640
Motor Vehicle Theft	940	519	419	2	886	54
Subtotal For Part I Arrests	24,974	11,860	13,034	80	20,252	4,722
Simple Assaults	6,612	3,009	3,591	12	5,691	921
Arson, Burning	191	119	71	1	177	14
Forgery And Counterfeiting	1,015	512	502	1	736	279
Fraud	7,047	3,856	3,181	10	4,036	3,011
Embezzlement	10	7	3	0	2	8
Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possession	573	283	290	0	513	60
Vandalism	2,213	1,409	798	6	1,973	240
Weapons: Carrying, Possession, Etc.	2,006	1,196	810	0	1,852	154
Prostitution, Etc.	358	199	158	1	146	212
Sex Offenses	596	377	218	1	560	36
Drug Law Violations	6,299	4,824	1,459	16	5,598	701
Gambling	785	261	524	0	681	104
Offenses Against Family	528	200	325	3	511	17
Driving Under The Influence	18,785	12,539	6,171	75	17,614	1,171
Liquor Law Violations	4,346	3,209	1,129	8	3,893	453
Drunkenness	31,407	19,428	11,898	81	29,224	2,183
Disorderly Conduct	12,594	7,673	4,893	28	10,831	1,763
Vagrancy	27	9	18	0	16	11
All Other(Except Traffic)	7,000	4,288	2,694	18	6,025	975
Curfew And Loitering	24	12	12	0	18	6
Runaways	706	584	120	2	272	434
Subtotal For Part II Arrests	103,122	63,994	38,865	263	90,369	12,753
State Total	128,096	75,854	51,899	343	110,621	17,475

1979 TOTAL ARREST BY AGE

Charge	10 And Under	11-12	13-14	15	16	Total Under 17
Murder	0	1	5	2	6	14
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	1	1
Forcible Rape	4	5	17	16	20	62
Robbery	1	3	17	30	40	91
Aggravated Assault	2	10	57	37	51	157
Breaking Or Entering	75	156	416	349	427	1,423
Larceny	145	293	796	536	677	2,447
Motor Veh.Theft	2	12	82	93	89	278
Subtotal For Part I	229	480	1,390	1,063	1,311	4,473
Other Assaults	19	35	86	53	110	303
Arson, Burning	4	4	12	3	8	31
Forgery, Etc.	0	1	8	8	26	43
Fraud	0	0	3	6	14	23
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	4	1	13	18	23	59
Vandalism	48	52	156	77	82	415
Weapons	0	1	13	21	36	74
Prostitution	0	0	1	0	3	4
Sex Offenses	5	5	4	12	15	41
Drug Laws	0	10	60	102	181	353
Gambling	1	0	1	0	1	3
Against Family	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.U.I.	0	0	2	12	89	103
Liquor Laws	0	0	15	49	83	147
Drunkenness	0	1	26	69	182	278
Disorderly Conduct	4	13	90	108	198	413
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Other	14	47	219	172	200	652
Curfew/Loitering	1	2	10	5	6	24
Run-Aways	5	43	248	211	191	698
Subtotal For Part II	105	215	967	929	1,448	3,664
Total For S.C.	334	695	2,357	1,992	2,759	8,137

1979 TOTAL ARREST BY AGE

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Charge	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25-29
Murder	11	7	15	19	17	15	21	21	78
Manslaughter	1	2	6	3	6	4	3	1	14
Rape	18	44	41	23	22	24	21	35	77
Robbery	96	69	78	79	71	71	71	52	145
Aggravated Assault	139	161	131	158	207	204	194	197	803
Breaking Or Entering	627	595	449	375	333	287	247	188	636
Larceny	983	1005	815	698	596	555	492	423	1399
Motor Veh.Theft	87	90	64	55	41	43	37	40	96
Subtotal For Part I	1962	1973	1599	1410	1293	1203	1086	957	3246
Other Assaults	252	247	329	342	318	326	336	323	1408
Arson, Burning	12	15	12	8	8	12	4	3	25
Forgery, Etc.	47	68	83	83	73	51	71	76	214
Fraud	55	131	204	238	285	301	385	348	1722
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3
Stolen Property	31	37	35	35	38	18	21	23	89
Vandalism	151	193	136	124	129	95	79	81	319
Weapons	104	128	102	102	98	126	103	96	333
Prostitution	7	13	12	23	28	26	38	29	77
Sex Offenses	12	30	30	27	41	37	27	19	113
Drug Laws	483	639	696	623	553	488	420	330	1040
Gambling	5	7	15	12	19	19	31	25	138
Against Family	2	6	5	10	11	21	32	21	135
D.U.I.	277	614	717	734	810	757	688	733	3181
Liquor Laws	269	442	353	335	292	224	193	144	447
Drunkenness	546	857	1008	934	942	953	822	734	3422
Disorderly Conduct	647	796	794	755	743	647	556	526	1919
Vagrancy	2	1	0	1	2	1	5	3	1
All Other	410	590	463	474	354	360	314	279	1056
Run-Aways	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal For Part II	3320	4814	4994	4860	4744	4462	4127	3793	15642
Total For S.C.	5282	6787	6593	6270	6037	5665	5213	4750	18888

1979 TOTAL ARREST BY AGE

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Charge	30-34	35-35	40-49	50-59	60 & Over	Total 17 & Over
Murder	61	30	53	22	21	389
Manslaughter	7	4	6	1	1	59
Forcible Rape	59	28	23	13	7	435
Robbery	67	26	22	6	6	859
Agg.Assault	619	410	503	269	129	4124
B & E	312	140	135	50	9	4383
Larceny	901	543	611	377	192	9590
Motor Veh.Theft	51	26	20	9	3	662
Subtotal For Part I	2077	1207	1373	747	368	20501
Other Assaults	878	594	591	285	80	6309
Arson, Burning	14	16	18	11	2	160
Forgery, Etc.	106	49	33	12	6	972
Fraud	1375	854	788	254	84	7024
Embezzlement	3	2	0	0	0	10
Stolen Property	65	39	57	18	8	514
Vandalism	197	118	106	47	23	1798
Weapons	214	142	213	118	53	1932
Prostitution	37	23	21	14	6	354
Sex Offenses	78	51	44	31	15	555
Drug Laws	366	148	106	41	13	5946
Gambling	111	90	177	90	43	782
Against Family	127	72	67	16	3	528
D.U.I.	2602	2074	2996	1882	617	18682
Liquor Laws	314	263	455	316	152	4199
Drunkenness	3486	3484	6549	5337	2055	31129
Disorderly Conduct	1331	996	1385	772	314	12181
Vagrancy	2	1	5	2	1	27
All Other	670	456	539	284	99	6348
Run-Aways	0	0	0	0	0	8
Subtotal For Part II	11976	9472	14150	9530	3574	99458
Total For S.C.	14053	10679	15523	10277	3942	119959

1979 DRUG LAW ARRESTS—UNDER 17

Charge	Arrests	% Distr.	White	Negro	Other	Male	Female
Opium,Cocaine,etc.-Sale/Manuf.	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Marijuana-Sale/Manuf.	36	10.2	31	5	0	31	5
Synthetic Narcotic-Sale/Manuf.	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Dangerous Drugs,Sale/Manuf.	8	2.3	8	0	0	5	3
Subtotal Sale / Manufacturing	44	12.5	39	5	0	36	8
Opium,Cocaine,etc.,Possession	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Marijuana-Possession	252	71.4	196	56	0	215	37
Synthetic Narcotic-Possession	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Dangerous Drugs,Possession	57	16.1	52	5	0	50	7
Subtotal Possession	309	87.5	248	61	0	265	44
State Total	353	100.0	287	66	0	301	52

1979 DRUG LAW ARRESTS—AGE 17 AND OVER

Charge	Arrests	% Distr.	White	Negro	Other	Male	Female
Opium,Cocaine,etc.Sale/Manuf.	199	3.3	134	65	0	167	32
Marijuana-Sale/Manuf.	1,317	22.1	976	338	3	1,121	196
Synthetic Narcotic-Sale/Manuf.	5	0.1	5	0	0	5	0
Other Dangerous Drugs,Sale/Manuf.	239	4.0	220	19	0	203	36
Subtotal Sale/ Manufacturing	1,760	29.5	1,335	422	3	1,496	264
Opium,Cocaine,etc.,Possession	56	0.9	30	26	0	49	7
Marijuana-Possession	3,694	62.1	2,278	904	12	3,376	318
Synthetic Narcotic Possession	11	0.2	10	1	0	7	4
Other Dangerous Drugs-Possession	425	7.2	384	40	1	369	56
Subtotal Possession	4,186	70.4	3,202	971	13	3,801	385
State Total	5,946	100.0	4,537	1,393	16	5,297	649

1979 S.C. ARREST DATA BY COUNTY

	Abbeville	Aiken	Allendale	Anderson	Bamberg	Barnwell	Beaufort	Berkeley	Calhoun	Charleston
Murder	4	17	1	12	2	4	6	8	1	37
Manslaughter(Neg.)	1	5	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	8
Forcible Rape	5	5	5	17	6	0	8	9	0	56
Robbery	2	36	2	27	2	2	25	12	1	142
Aggravated Assault	34	164	32	103	21	8	94	57	5	470
B & E	29	114	13	238	26	13	109	106	12	591
Larceny	37	293	27	492	27	38	154	123	6	1706
Motor Veh.Theft	1	27	1	64	0	3	10	16	1	90
Other Assaults	26	151	29	163	8	29	102	65	0	590
Arson	0	5	0	9	0	0	6	2	0	15
Forgery,Etc.	1	32	3	46	1	3	23	11	0	82
Fraud	6	157	5	123	1	3	81	22	0	506
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Stolen Property	0	12	2	23	0	0	20	13	0	88
Vandalism	6	74	9	88	6	3	29	25	0	180
Weapons	8	67	15	77	1	9	21	30	3	190
Prostitution	3	0	2	2	0	0	0	11	0	67
Sex Offenses	4	17	2	13	0	4	12	8	1	50
Drug Laws	35	148	13	253	16	10	150	194	2	1048
Gambling	5	2	1	7	5	0	0	0	0	38
Against Family	5	8	0	20	0	1	3	0	0	0
D.U.I.	184	772	139	692	82	120	377	498	77	1039
Liquor Laws	18	147	0	454	4	6	22	25	0	378
Drunkenness	151	681	61	1815	62	125	93	115	10	1224
Disorderly Conduct	76	229	85	1198	28	48	236	197	0	1071
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
All Other	21	271	13	298	12	23	148	64	0	647
Curfew/Loitering	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Run-Aways	0	12	0	62	0	1	14	5	0	11
State Total	662	3446	460	6289	310	453	1750	1616	119	10342

1979 S.C. ARREST DATA BY COUNTY

	Cherokee	Chester	Chesterfield	Clarendon	Colleton	Darlington	Dillon	Dorchester	Edgefield	Fairfield
Murder	6	3	1	7	6	19	7	5	2	3
Manslaughter (Neg.)	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0
Forcible Rape	6	19	2	8	2	5	3	9	3	6
Robbery	4	8	5	10	7	29	4	11	2	5
Agg. Assault	80	46	44	55	25	75	39	32	35	51
B & E	65	60	76	39	32	87	39	53	27	51
Larceny	167	115	73	65	41	174	57	134	42	70
Motor Veh. Theft	9	9	8	0	5	27	5	6	8	13
Other Assaults	73	104	94	42	21	99	45	80	69	121
Arson	5	0	2	4	0	3	0	3	1	8
Forgery Etc.	6	2	10	7	5	13	6	10	7	6
Fraud	60	53	186	74	39	37	12	48	21	27
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	9	4	3	2	4	7	5	3	0	0
Vandalism	25	19	42	13	8	32	13	13	5	22
Weapons	43	20	25	5	7	61	16	11	11	4
Prostitution	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	4	0	0
Sex Offenses	2	0	5	1	2	21	2	10	1	0
Drug Laws	119	54	54	12	26	103	13	29	30	22
Gambling	29	9	0	1	0	23	0	0	0	2
Against Family	46	1	1	3	0	4	0	0	3	19
D.U.I.	401	251	418	342	195	422	279	230	83	376
Liquor Laws	42	35	49	6	8	73	4	5	14	35
Drunkenness	939	193	737	303	110	557	571	171	129	354
Disorderly Conduct	158	253	152	53	62	278	50	153	82	115
Vagrancy	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
All Other	72	64	31	40	43	130	42	82	40	40
Curfew/Loitering	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Run-Aways	11	8	0	0	3	11	0	0	0	1
State Total	2378	1331	2068	1093	652	2304	1212	1103	616	1351

1979 S.C. ARREST DATA BY COUNTY

	Florence	Georgetown	Greenville	Greenwood	Hampton	Horry	Jasper	Kershaw	Lancaster	Laurens
Murder	13	3	32	9	0	19	1	9	2	9
Manslaughter (Neg.)	1	1	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Rape	16	7	34	4	1	27	2	10	11	2
Robbery	33	9	93	7	2	44	4	10	9	7
Agg. Assault	185	46	365	64	13	130	13	110	72	48
B & E	176	73	627	120	19	219	14	79	118	124
Larceny	360	134	1388	221	54	565	11	117	205	151
Motor Veh. Theft	33	14	98	20	0	51	2	13	13	11
Other Assaults	225	51	484	224	32	191	2	133	228	101
Arson	4	2	21	4	0	5	0	6	7	4
Forgery, Etc.	36	10	81	27	1	36	2	13	16	4
Fraud	328	4	960	295	2	142	4	95	324	98
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Stolen Property	13	7	73	6	4	20	3	16	6	3
Vandalism	77	19	226	62	11	108	5	47	100	24
Weapons	83	9	159	19	1	235	3	12	24	20
Prostitution	39	0	40	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	23	3	106	11	1	57	0	2	7	5
Drug Laws	253	68	417	53	16	624	10	84	92	30
Gambling	32	3	128	12	0	16	6	21	10	20
Against Family	0	0	14	0	0	4	0	28	4	33
D.U.I.	933	399	1036	255	59	1143	168	304	354	255
Liquor Laws	58	23	205	37	2	1127	6	28	60	43
Drunkenness	1772	169	1706	325	26	3252	8	653	871	209
Disorderly Conduct	412	43	538	175	23	935	14	594	378	153
Vagrancy	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Other	167	19	409	107	4	866	9	115	176	78
Curfew/Loitering	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Run-Aways	7	2	37	7	0	76	1	16	13	0
State Total	5284	1118	9283	2067	271	9894	288	2516	3100	1432

1979 S.C. ARREST DATA BY COUNTY

	Lee	Lexington	McCormick	Marion	Marlboro	Newberry	Oconee	Orangeburg	Pickens	Richland
Murder	3	15	3	3	13	3	9	10	5	32
Manslaughter(Neg.)	0	2	5	1	1	1	0	2	0	2
Forcible Rape	1	18	2	0	12	0	3	16	5	77
Robbery	1	24	1	10	15	11	11	14	7	168
Agg.Assault	12	102	22	10	40	62	41	85	72	559
B & E	11	166	14	49	127	60	80	115	98	686
Larceny	25	335	13	109	85	149	71	314	186	1807
Motor Veh.Theft	3	33	1	13	3	2	8	23	12	170
Other Assaults	22	191	28	44	107	80	56	71	131	891
Arson	1	7	0	0	7	4	0	4	6	13
Forgery,Etc.	5	26	0	15	1	6	3	27	39	252
Fraud	7	702	7	12	27	74	97	100	97	1072
Embezzlement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
Stolen Property	0	12	0	3	12	5	9	8	8	76
Vandalism	3	67	3	18	29	25	18	35	53	227
Weapons	3	91	5	21	48	33	9	23	23	228
Prostitution	0	2	0	0	21	0	0	30	1	87
Sex Offenses	1	13	0	2	8	18	4	7	9	71
Drug Laws	27	181	30	20	75	99	21	50	185	497
Gambling	3	7	0	1	18	0	4	0	1	50
Against Family	0	3	0	3	11	4	1	12	8	38
D.U.I.	252	575	40	440	432	262	224	382	260	1346
Liquor Laws	8	49	23	14	24	209	137	26	167	91
Drunkenness	106	1146	94	397	635	648	631	336	378	3093
Disorderly Conduct	46	341	28	112	272	161	154	236	353	901
Vagrancy	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
All Other	5	238	88	58	139	106	93	83	112	765
Curfew/Loitering	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	16
Run-Aways	0	93	0	0	18	18	0	6	9	147
State Total	545	4442	407	1361	2180	2040	1684	2016	2226	13365

1979 S.C. ARREST DATA BY COUNTY

	Saluda	Spartanburg	Sumter	Union	Williamsburg	York
Murder	0	32	4	5	2	16
Manslaughter(Neg.)	0	3	2	0	1	2
Forcible Rape	4	34	6	3	2	26
Robbery	1	82	18	7	5	21
Agg.Assault	18	378	89	37	38	200
B & E	13	466	273	64	35	208
Larceny	17	1015	323	126	44	371
Motor Veh.Theft	7	68	18	5	2	14
Other Assaults	42	539	99	119	23	587
Arson	1	20	5	1	0	6
Forgery,Etc.	1	68	24	13	2	33
Fraud	8	593	378	37	15	108
Embezzlement	0	2	0	0	0	0
Stolen Property	0	62	12	2	6	12
Vandalism	7	156	105	24	3	149
Weapons, Etc.	2	132	63	20	10	106
Prostitution	0	34	1	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	3	52	6	7	12	13
Drug Laws	9	607	165	64	18	273
Gambling	0	224	14	52	14	27
Against Family	10	2	0	3	0	236
D.U.I.	129	704	520	193	274	869
Liquor Laws	6	292	87	73	14	212
Drunkenness	120	4370	143	738	172	958
Disorderly Conduct	43	565	361	131	73	1028
Vagrancy	0	1	0	0	0	1
All Other	26	516	166	62	20	492
Curfew/Loitering	0	0	0	0	0	0
Run-Aways	0	69	15	0	0	33
State Total	467	11086	2897	1786	785	6001

CRIME BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

County crime rates per 10,000 population and index crime counts by county and agency are shown in the two tables of this section. The crime rates in the first table are based upon the latest population estimates available from the U.S. Bureau of Census, released in November, 1979. The number of months of active participation in the UCR program is indicated beside each agency name in the second table.

1979 COUNTY CRIME RATES PER 10,000 POPULATION

	Population	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Abbeville	22,200	1.4	3.2	3.6	49.5	112.2	127.9	8.1
Aiken	99,200	1.4	3.0	7.1	66.3	148.4	200.2	22.6
Allendale	10,200	2.0	4.9	7.8	64.7	91.2	89.2	5.9
Anderson	120,300	1.0	2.9	8.0	32.5	152.2	271.3	36.4
Bamberg	16,500	1.2	1.2	1.8	20.0	79.4	60.0	3.0
Barnwell	19,600	2.6	.5	3.1	44.9	66.8	119.9	10.2
Beaufort	57,800	1.2	4.0	4.8	83.0	189.1	294.8	22.8
Berkeley	76,000	.8	2.4	5.3	19.9	138.8	167.9	23.8
Calhoun	11,400	.9	1.8	.0	8.8	103.5	69.3	7.0
Charleston	260,600	1.1	5.6	29.3	74.9	227.6	391.6	53.5
Cherokee	41,7000	1.4	2.6	6.0	37.2	94.2	185.6	21.6
Chester	30,700	1.6	2.9	5.9	29.3	113.0	168.4	12.7
Chesterfield	35,200	.9	.9	1.7	23.9	75.9	117.0	9.1
Clarendon	28,100	3.6	2.5	5.3	28.8	110.3	135.2	5.7
Colleton	29,900	1.7	2.0	5.7	44.1	113.4	143.5	13.7
Darlington	57,000	2.6	2.8	12.3	56.0	104.2	224.2	29.6
Dillon	30,200	1.7	1.3	5.6	43.0	126.5	138.7	24.8
Dorchester	52,300	.8	2.5	6.3	32.5	135.6	183.6	22.6
Edgefield	16,700	1.8	3.6	2.4	72.5	114.4	141.3	20.4
Fairfield	20,300	1.5	4.4	3.4	58.1	112.3	153.2	17.7
Florence	101,800	1.7	3.0	8.4	60.9	143.7	270.9	33.8
Georgetown	40,100	.7	3.0	5.2	43.1	107.7	197.5	17.7
Greenville	271,800	.8	4.2	14.3	59.3	174.5	338.1	41.1
Greenwood	53,600	1.5	1.3	6.2	99.4	107.8	237.1	23.1
Hampton	17,400	.0	.6	1.7	10.9	29.9	41.4	1.1

1979 COUNTY CRIME RATES PER 10,000 POPULATION

	Population	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Horry	91,800	1.1	4.9	9.0	40.2	177.3	325.9	40.2
Jasper	14,700	.7	2.7	10.9	21.8	104.1	123.1	9.5
Kershaw	35,800	2.5	3.4	3.6	46.4	126.5	174.9	17.9
Lancaster	48,300	.6	3.3	4.6	64.6	93.4	223.2	14.1
Laurens	51,200	1.4	.6	2.9	19.9	73.6	114.5	9.0
Lee	17,600	1.7	.6	1.7	9.1	43.8	60.2	9.1
Lexington	130,500	1.0	3.4	7.9	68.3	155.4	275.3	28.6
McCormick	8,000	1.3	2.5	.0	45.0	128.8	53.8	3.8
Marion	33,000	1.2	.6	3.0	27.9	80.3	115.8	13.0
Marlboro	28,500	3.5	5.3	7.7	71.9	186.7	197.9	17.9
Newberry	30,800	1.3	.6	2.3	47.7	53.2	111.0	5.2
Oconee	44,800	2.0	1.1	4.2	25.4	90.6	121.2	14.1
Orangeburg	79,000	.8	3.0	5.9	69.0	118.4	200.8	18.6
Pickens	72,500	.6	2.1	3.9	35.9	80.1	184.1	17.1
Richland	249,500	1.8	6.4	25.3	64.3	229.6	443.3	50.1
Saluda	14,800	.7	3.4	2.7	41.2	65.5	58.1	8.8
Spartanburg	196,800	1.4	3.4	10.2	33.7	171.7	297.0	39.4
Sumter	83,800	.5	3.0	5.6	49.2	143.7	227.6	18.0
Union	30,200	1.7	2.0	4.0	21.9	84.1	134.4	10.9
Williamsburg	36,300	.6	.8	1.4	11.8	46.0	41.3	2.2
York	98,700	.9	3.1	8.3	84.8	180.1	290.5	28.5
State	2,918,000	1.3	3.4	10.7	52.3	150.4	258.0	29.6

1979 INDEX TOTALS BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

	Month Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Abbeville County		3	7	8	110	249	284	18
Abbeville SO	12	0	4	2	40	117	124	12
Abbeville PD	12	3	2	5	53	113	129	2
Calhoun Falls PD	12	0	0	1	14	15	21	2
Donalds PD	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Due West PD	9	0	1	0	3	3	8	2
Aiken County		14	30	70	658	1472	1986	224
Aiken SO	12	12	20	45	482	948	1036	159
Aiken PD	12	1	6	18	110	283	536	44
North Augusta PD	12	1	2	7	47	185	356	18
New Ellenton PD	12	0	2	0	19	56	58	3
Allendale County		2	5	8	66	93	91	6
Allendale SO	12	0	2	0	14	15	16	1
Allendale PD	12	2	3	7	45	64	43	4
Fairfax PD	12	0	0	1	7	14	32	1
Anderson County		12	35	96	391	1831	3264	438
Anderson SO	12	8	25	46	157	1124	1647	254
Anderson PD	12	3	9	45	174	549	1297	150
Belton PD	12	1	0	2	38	64	141	11
Honea Path PD	12	0	1	0	16	45	90	15
Pendleton PD	9	0	0	3	2	11	30	1
Williamston PD	12	0	0	0	3	30	36	6
Iva PD	12	0	0	0	1	8	23	1
Bamberg County		2	2	3	33	131	99	5
Bamberg SO	12	1	2	2	16	52	41	1

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	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Bamberg PD	12	0	0	0	14	50	50	2
Denmark PD	12	1	0	1	3	29	8	2
Barnwell County		5	1	6	88	131	235	20
Barnwell SO	12	1	1	1	9	29	38	4
Barnwell PD	12	4	0	3	70	39	129	11
Williston PD	12	0	0	1	7	40	40	1
Blackville PD	12	0	0	1	2	23	28	4
Beaufort County		7	23	28	480	1093	1704	132
Beaufort SO	12	5	19	18	329	867	1131	111
Beaufort PD	12	2	3	9	124	177	463	17
Port Royal PD	12	0	1	1	27	49	110	4
Berkeley County		6	18	40	151	1055	1276	181
Berkeley SO	12	6	13	18	66	594	543	103
Moncks Corner PD	12	0	0	2	4	77	122	13
Goose Creek PD	12	0	1	9	25	170	234	21
St. Stephens PD	12	0	0	2	1	21	41	2
Hanahan PD	12	0	4	9	55	193	336	42
Calhoun County		1	2	0	10	118	79	8
Calhoun SO	12	1	1	0	8	94	62	5
St. Matthews PD	12	0	1	0	2	24	17	3
Charleston County		29	146	763	1953	5931	10204	1395
Charleston City PD	12	10	51	323	565	1854	3881	395
Charleston County PD	12	12	44	202	917	2412	3261	504
Mount Pleasant PD	12	0	4	10	32	155	297	39
Folly Beach PD	12	0	0	0	18	80	104	8

1979 INDEX TOTALS BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Isle Of Palms PD	12	0	2	0	10	58	106	6
Lincolnton PD	10	0	0	0	4	4	3	1
Sullivan's Island PD	12	0	1	0	3	19	36	2
North Charleston PD	12	6	44	228	404	1342	2510	439
Ravenel PD	7	1	0	0	0	7	6	1
Cherokee County		6	11	25	155	393	774	90
Cherokee SO	12	3	8	13	83	241	345	55
Blacksburg PD	12	0	0	0	7	27	33	2
Gaffney PD	12	3	3	12	65	125	396	33
Chester County		5	9	18	90	347	517	39
Chester SO	12	3	6	8	53	213	237	21
Chester PD	12	1	3	7	33	110	220	16
Great Falls PD	12	1	0	3	4	23	60	2
Fort Lawn PD	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Chesterfield County		3	3	6	84	267	412	32
Chesterfield SO	12	2	2	2	39	144	177	14
Cheraw PD	12	1	0	3	28	76	161	9
Chesterfield PD	12	0	1	0	1	11	18	1
Jefferson PD	12	0	0	0	2	8	4	2
McBee PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Pageland PD	12	0	0	1	13	22	47	6
Patrick PD	12	0	0	0	1	6	4	0
Clarendon County		10	7	15	81	310	380	16
Clarendon SO	12	10	6	11	59	232	232	12
Manning PD	12	0	1	3	18	57	123	4
Summerton PD	12	0	0	1	4	20	25	0
Turbeville PD	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

1979 INDEX TOTALS BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Colleton County		5	6	17	132	339	429	41
Colleton SO	12	2	5	9	88	235	243	20
Walterboro PD	12	3	1	8	44	104	186	21
Darlington County		15	16	70	319	594	1278	169
Darlington SO	12	14	9	23	65	300	419	95
Darlington PD	12	0	5	27	133	153	361	35
Hartsville PD	12	1	2	20	116	135	490	39
Lamar PD	10	0	0	0	5	5	8	0
Society Hill PD	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Dillon County		5	4	17	130	382	419	75
Dillon SO	12	3	3	8	66	185	176	43
Dillon PD	12	2	0	9	51	129	171	30
Lakeview PD	12	0	0	0	3	8	3	1
Latta PD	12	0	1	0	10	60	69	1
Dorchester County		4	13	33	170	709	960	118
Dorchester SO	12	2	11	22	140	561	637	90
St. George PD	12	1	0	3	7	25	56	2
Summerville PD	12	1	2	8	23	123	267	26
Edgefield County		3	6	4	121	191	236	34
Edgefield SO	12	2	5	4	61	132	109	23
Edgefield PD	12	0	1	0	24	23	43	5
Johnston PD	12	1	0	0	36	36	79	6
Trenton PD	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fairfield County		3	9	7	118	228	311	36
Fairfield SO	12	3	8	3	82	190	198	28
Winnsboro PD	12	0	1	4	35	30	106	6

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	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Ridgeway PD	11	0	0	0	1	8	7	2
Florence County		17	31	86	620	1463	2758	344
Florence SO	12	12	13	29	245	598	967	141
Florence PD	12	3	14	49	282	694	1486	168
Lake City PD	12	2	4	7	80	118	225	31
Johnsonville PD	12	0	0	0	4	18	22	0
Timmons ville PD	12	0	0	1	3	35	58	4
Georgetown County		3	12	21	173	432	792	71
Georgetown SO	12	1	4	2	27	116	182	13
Andrews PD	12	0	2	0	21	73	98	15
Georgetown PD	12	2	6	19	125	243	512	43
Greenville County		23	113	389	1613	4743	9189	1117
Greenville SO	12	12	64	161	790	2991	4535	646
Fountain Inn PD	12	2	0	6	39	61	129	15
Greenville PD	12	6	44	193	647	1282	3495	346
Greer PD	12	1	5	21	89	197	515	76
Mauldin PD	12	0	0	1	19	57	229	15
Simpsonville PD	12	0	0	5	20	73	152	9
Travelers Rest PD	12	2	0	1	7	43	98	6
City View PD	12	0	0	1	2	39	36	4
Greenwood County		8	7	33	533	578	1271	124
Greenwood SO	12	3	3	12	228	256	527	63
Greenwood PD	12	4	3	21	293	294	690	53
Ware Shoals	12	1	1	0	10	19	42	8
Ninety Six PD	5	0	0	0	1	9	12	0
Hampton County		0	1	3	19	52	72	2

1979 INDEX TOTALS BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Hampton SO	12	0	1	1	12	16	13	1
Estill PD	12	0	0	0	6	7	14	0
Hampton PD	11	0	0	2	1	18	26	1
Varnville PD	12	0	0	0	0	11	19	0
Horry County		10	45	83	369	1628	2992	369
Atlantic Beach PD	8	0	0	0	1	1	1	0
Conway PD	12	2	6	10	80	109	477	41
Aynor PD	11	0	0	1	1	5	3	1
Horry County PD	12	6	19	24	219	646	872	147
Loris PD	12	0	0	1	3	4	7	2
Myrtle Beach PD	12	1	17	43	44	728	1438	155
North Myrtle Beach PD	12	1	3	3	19	94	132	13
Surfside Beach PD	12	0	0	1	1	41	62	10
Jasper County		1	4	16	32	153	181	14
Jasper SO	12	1	3	11	20	79	63	2
Hardeeville PD	12	0	1	5	11	46	94	9
Ridgeland PD	12	0	0	0	1	28	24	3
Kershaw County		9	12	13	166	453	626	64
Kershaw SO	12	6	11	12	135	329	341	47
Camden PD	12	3	1	0	31	123	281	17
Bethune PD	12	0	0	1	0	1	4	0
Lancaster County		3	16	22	312	451	1078	68
Lancaster SO	12	3	6	13	130	297	583	45
Lancaster PD	12	0	9	7	174	121	465	20
Heath Springs PD	9	0	1	0	5	17	10	2
Kershaw PD	12	0	0	2	3	16	20	1
Laurens County		7	3	15	102	377	586	46
Laurens SO	12	5	2	10	63	218	287	26

1979 INDEX TOTALS BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Laurens PD	12	0	1	3	19	113	193	16
Clinton PD	12	2	0	2	20	46	106	4
Lee County		3	1	3	16	77	106	16
Lee SO	12	3	1	1	6	60	56	11
Bishopville PD	12	0	0	2	10	17	50	5
Lynchburg PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lexington County		13	44	103	891	2028	3593	373
Lexington SO	12	9	33	53	554	1395	2153	237
Batesburg PD	12	4	2	5	57	48	148	16
Cayce PD	12	0	3	14	106	164	413	41
Loesville PD	12	0	0	2	14	19	40	2
Lexington PD	12	0	0	0	2	11	31	6
West Columbia PD	12	0	6	22	135	281	656	55
South Congaree PD	12	0	0	0	4	12	12	1
Springdale PD	12	0	0	5	6	50	80	8
Swansea PD	12	0	0	0	10	32	17	0
Columbia Airport PD	12	0	0	2	0	5	43	5
Gaston PD	12	0	0	0	3	11	2	2
McCormick County		1	2	0	36	103	43	3
McCormick SO	12	1	2	0	30	83	34	3
McCormick PD	12	0	0	0	6	20	9	0
Marion County		4	2	10	92	265	382	43
Marion SO	12	3	0	1	2	72	58	11
Marion PD	12	1	2	7	77	135	258	26
Mullins PD	12	0	0	2	13	58	66	6
Marlboro County		10	15	22	205	532	564	51
Marlboro SO	12	5	11	10	93	228	231	28

1979 INDEX TOTALS BY COUNTY AND AGENCY

	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Bennettsville PD	12	3	3	9	97	253	290	21
McColl PD	12	2	1	3	15	51	43	2
Newberry County		4	2	7	147	164	342	16
Newberry SO	12	3	2	4	74	112	163	8
Newberry PD	12	1	0	3	62	46	168	6
Whitmire PD	12	0	0	0	1	3	2	1
Little Mountain PD	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Prosperity PD	12	0	0	0	10	3	7	1
Oconee County		9	5	19	114	406	543	63
Oconee SO	12	8	3	11	80	275	405	45
Seneca PD	12	1	2	6	30	108	118	15
Walhalla PD	12	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Westminister PD	12	0	0	1	3	22	19	3
West Union PD	8	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Orangeburg County		6	24	47	545	935	1586	147
Orangeburg SO	12	3	15	21	383	566	692	88
Orangeburg PD	12	2	7	25	156	341	856	56
Branchville PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Eutawville PD	12	0	0	0	4	5	5	2
Holly Hill PD	11	0	0	0	1	6	12	0
North PD	11	1	2	0	0	9	8	1
Santee PD	10	0	0	1	1	8	11	0
Pickens County		4	15	28	260	581	1335	124
Pickens SO	12	3	10	9	115	291	421	48
Central PD	11	0	0	3	13	7	11	1
Clemson PD	12	1	0	10	16	91	225	13
Easley PD	12	0	4	6	105	133	403	36

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	Months Of Participation	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Breaking Or Entering	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Liberty PD	2	0	0	0	0	5	3	1
Pickens PD	12	0	0	0	10	27	68	13
Clemson University PD	12	0	1	0	1	23	202	12
Norris PD	6	0	0	0	0	4	2	0
Richland County		44	160	630	1604	5729	11061	1250
Richland SO	12	22	66	167	600	2421	4248	547
Columbia PD	12	19	91	454	969	2978	5773	647
Eastover PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Forest Acres PD	12	1	2	4	27	136	441	29
Univ. Of South Carolina	12	2	1	5	8	194	598	27
Saluda County		1	5	4	61	97	86	13
Saluda SO	12	1	5	1	18	62	52	9
Saluda PD	12	0	0	3	40	31	26	4
Ridge Spring PD	10	0	0	0	3	4	8	0
Spartanburg County		28	66	200	663	3379	5844	775
Spartanburg SO	12	18	38	97	429	2171	3072	538
Spartanburg PD	12	10	28	91	202	1082	2558	219
Woodruff PD	12	0	0	5	19	48	88	5
Duncan PD	10	0	0	1	0	2	3	0
Campobello PD	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Chesnee PD	12	0	0	0	0	6	3	1
Cowpens PD	12	0	0	3	5	28	39	6
Inman PD	12	0	0	0	7	20	29	0
Landrum PD	12	0	0	0	1	12	31	3
Lyman PD	10	0	0	2	0	6	14	3
Pacolet PD	3	0	0	1	0	3	6	0
Sumter County		4	25	47	412	1204	1907	151
Sumter SO	12	3	17	25	266	712	746	86

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Sumter PD	12	1	8	22	143	492	1161	65
Union County		5	6	12	66	254	406	33
Union SO	12	1	5	5	11	121	141	14
Union PD	12	4	0	6	51	123	253	16
Jonesville PD	11	0	1	1	4	10	12	3
Williamsburg County		2	3	5	43	167	150	8
Williamsburg SO	12	2	3	2	27	74	36	3
Hemingway PD	11	0	0	0	0	9	7	0
Kingstree PD	12	0	0	3	14	81	104	5
Greeleyville PD	4	0	0	0	2	3	3	0
York County		9	31	82	837	1778	2867	281
York SO	12	3	10	26	323	749	1076	111
Clover PD	12	0	0	2	14	65	100	16
Fort Mill PD	12	0	1	4	34	59	157	12
Rock Hill PD	12	3	19	42	418	772	1278	114
York PD	12	3	1	8	48	133	256	28
State Total		368	1003	3134	15271	43893	75298	8643

AGENCIES COVERED BY COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT CRIME REPORTS

Bluffton	Chapin	Ellore	Jackson	Pamplico	Ridgeville	Starr
Bowman	Clio	Enoree	Jamestown	Pelion	Salley	Stuckey
Brunson	Cordova	Gifford	Mayesville	Pelzer	Scranton	Warrenville
Burnettown	Coward	Harleyville	Nichols	Piedmont	Sellers	Wellford
Cameron	Cross Hill	Hodges	Norway	Pinewood	Silverstreet	Yemassee
Chappells	Ehrhardt	Irmo	Olar	Quinby	Springfield	

AGENCIES NOT PARTICIPATING IN UNIFORM CRIME REPORTS PROGRAM

Bonneau	Carlisle	Gray Court	Olanta	Pineridge	Wagener	West Pelzer
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