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PREFACE

This is the eighth in a series of special reports produced by the Office of Crime Statistics. These special reports are intended to complement the Office's regular Quarterly Reports by focusing upon particular subjects in depth. The present report summarises cases heard and disposal of by the Supreme Court and District Criminal Courts of South Australia during the year ended 30th June, 1981.

On 1st July, 1980, the Office of Crime Statistics began implementing a system of data collection from the Supreme and District Criminal Courts of South Australia. This would not have been possible without the assistance of Mr. G. Curtis, Clerk of Arraignment and Mr. L. Morris, Principal Registrar of the District Criminal Court. Nick Koshnitsky, Statistician for the Office of Crime Statistics, was responsible for the management of the system, and for data analysis.

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### INTRODUCTION

The vast majority of criminal charges laid in South Australia are heard and disposed of by Courts of Summary Jurisdiction. The most serious offences cannot be disposed of in these courts, but must be heard by a Judge in the Supreme Court or the District Criminal Court. Defendants charged with some lesser offences, e.g. common assault, larceny, possession of drugs, may choose whether or not to have their case determined by a Judge. These are then heard in the District Criminal Court.

The Children's Protection and Young Offenders Act allows that:

"47.(1) Where the Attorney-General is of the opinion that a child charged with an indictable offence (other than a minor indictable offence) should, by reason of the gravity of the circumstances of the offence ... be tried in the appropriate adult court, the Attorney-General may apply to a Judge of the Supreme Court for an order that the child be so tried."

This report summarises those cases disposed of in the higher criminal courts during the year ended 30th June 1981. Although both the Supreme and the District Criminal Court sit in Port Augusta and Mount Gambier as well as in Adelaide, no attempt has been made to distinguish between these various locations.

As a criminal matter is completed in a given court, information about the charges, the defendant's background from the police antecedent report where available, and the outcome of the case, is recorded from the court file onto a specially printed form. The data are then entered into a computer file to enabling processing of the information.

Besides this annual report, the data are used to prepare a section of the quarterly reports, "Crime and Justice in South Australia", to provide specific information for appeals and for future research purposes.

A copy of the form used to record defendant and case details appears as Appendix III of this report.

These tables in this report refer to appearances by individual defendants. For example, four co-defendants tried and convicted jointly of an offence which they committed in concert, would each be recorded separately in the case outcome and sentencing tables. An individual tried or sentenced on two separate occasions within the same reporting period would be recorded twice.

These tables are grouped into four sections:

- Two summary tables are given; one for all cases showing the level of court and the type of plea and outcome, the second being a summary of all case and defendant details, irrespective of the offence;
- Tables for selected offences are grouped into four major offence categories:
  - offences against persons
  - sexual offences
  - offences against property
  - drug offences

In these tables the sentences shown are only for those convicted of the offence charged as their major offence and not as a lesser offence. Only the major penalty is included e.g. for suspended sentences only the term of imprisonment which is suspended is used and not the associated bond;

- These tables detail the plea, outcome and sentence of all offences. The sentences include those for convictions for a lesser offence, following a withdrawal or acquittal of the major offence charged;
- This table relates the duration of court hearing for selected major offences only.

The magnitude of values in the tables in this report is indicated in three ways:

1. the mean, being the arithmetic average of all known values.
2. the median, being the value in the middle of the set of ordered values.
3. the range, being the smallest and largest values.

If the median is smaller than the mean, then the values will be bunched towards the smallest value and some unusually large value will have influenced the mean.

If the median is larger than the mean, then the values are well spread out and trail up towards the largest value.

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SUMMARY

This report summarises all cases heard and disposed of in the Supreme and District Criminal Courts of South Australia during the year ended 30th June, 1981.

The reader should exercise extreme caution in generalizing to all those who may commit a crime from these statistics on defendants in the Supreme and District Criminal Courts. For a variety of reasons, a number of offences are never reported to the police. Of those which do reach police attention, not all result in the identification of a suspect and the eventual laying of criminal charges. Each charge is then heard in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction, and only those for which a preliminary case is made, are committed to the higher court for trial or sentence. Thus, the generalizations made in the following pages apply to those who actually reach the Supreme or District Criminal Court.

Even then, the reader will see that there are a number of instances when the details are not known. Because an antecedent report, containing criminal record and personal details of the defendant, is only submitted to the Court when the defendant has been found or pleaded guilty, many of those in the "unknown" category are those who were not convicted.

In general, it could be said that the personal details in this Report apply to those convicted of offences in the Supreme and District Criminal Court.

The vast majority of defendants were male, there being only 7% females. Three business firms, not individual persons, were also prosecuted. The number of females was insufficient to permit meaningful generalizations or analysis broken down according to gender.

Most defendants were 25 years of age or younger. Those charged with robbery and break/enter offences were the youngest with a mean age of 22 years. Defendants charged with offences against the person tended to be older: the mean age of those charged with rape was 25, and of those charged with lesser sexual offences, 36.

Aboriginal people constituted less than 6% of all Supreme and District Criminal Court defendants. They comprised approximately 17% of those charged with robbery, but hardly any were charged with those offences classified as "white collar" crime.

Just over half of defendants (54%) before the higher criminal courts whose employment status was known, were identified as unemployed. Unemployed persons comprised 70% of those charged with break/enter offences and 64% of those charged with robbery.

Approximately one-fifth of defendants were born overseas. Whilst this is slightly higher than the proportion of the general population born abroad, the overseas born did not number disproportionately in most offences, except for those related to cannabis, particularly cultivation. The proportion was also high for serious offences against the person, but the numbers here are very low and the reader is cautioned from placing too much emphasis on these figures.

Just under one-third of all defendants for whom a criminal record was available, had no previous adult convictions, and a further one-third had three or more convictions. Break/enter and robbery defendants had a more noticeable criminal past, including imprisonment, than persons charged with other offences.

Almost all defendants were legally represented at their first appearance in court. Those charged with simple larceny most often were without representation, but still 93% of those had engaged a lawyer.

Most cases required more than two lower court appearances to reach the committal stage, but were dealt with reasonable expediency in the Supreme or District Criminal Court; 83% with 2 or less remands.

As Table 1 shows, four-fifths of cases in the District Criminal Court and two-thirds of those in the Supreme Court pleaded guilty. In all, only 62% of defendants were guilty as charged, with a further 24% being guilty of a lesser offence. Of those found guilty as charged, one-third were sentenced to direct imprisonment. The highest proportion sentenced to prison were in the more serious offence groups, particularly for those offences against the person: manslaughter, rape and armed robbery.

Suspended sentences were given to just over one half of all those found guilty. This type of sentence was particularly used for offences against property and those involving drugs.

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TABLE 1.1 DISPOSITIONS BY PLEA, TYPE OF COURT AND QUARTER

Plea	JULY 1980		OCT 1980		JAN 81		APR 81		TOTAL		TOTAL
	District	Supreme	District	Supreme	District	Supreme	District	Supreme	Dist.	Sup.	
No plea (Nolle Pros.)	6	2	6	4	13	2	8	1	33	9	42
Guilty	271	52	275	71	230	37	231	25	1007	185	1192
Not guilty: leading to verdict of	61	12	56	37	51	15	51	23	219	87	306
(1) guilty	38	5	34	22	36	5	26	16	134	48	182
(2) not guilty	22	7	18	14	12	8	24	6	76	35	111
(3) nolle pros.	1		4	1	3	1	1		9	2	11
(4) insanity						1		1		2	2
Died						1					1
Total	338	66	337	112	294	55	290	49	1259	282	1541

Table 1.2

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 ALL OFFENCES

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Distinct Persons Charged = 1541

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	1423 92.3	South Australia	354 23.0	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	961 62.4
Female	113 7.3	Australia (Unspecified)	533 34.6	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	1216 78.9	Guilty - lesser	367 23.8
Corporate Body	3 0.2	Interstate	160 10.4	Cash	15 1.0	Not guilty	131 8.5
Unknown	2 0.1	Overseas	309 20.1	Cash & Recognizance	50 3.2	Not guilty - insanity	2 0.1
<b>AGE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		In custody: On another matter	18 1.2	Nolle prosequi	77 5.0
Youngest	15	0	471 30.6	Bail refused	101 6.6	Died	1 0.1
Oldest	77	1	160 10.4	Bail not applied for	108 7.0	No verdict taken	2 0.1
Mean	26	2	135 8.8	Bail not raised	10 0.6	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	17 1.1	3 or more	566 36.7	Unspecified	5 0.3	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	504 32.7	Unknown	209 13.6	Unknown	18 1.2	Mean	308 32.0
20-25	397 25.8	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Median	16
25-30	204 13.2	0	1091 70.8	Minimum	\$100	Range	12
Over 30	296 19.2	1	115 7.5	Maximum	\$16000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	123 8.0	2 or more	126 8.2	Mean	\$1092	Mean	499 51.8
<b>RACE:</b>		Unknown	209 13.6	Standard Deviation	\$1115	Median	9
Caucasian	1164 75.5	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Range	9
Aboriginal	86 5.6	No	921 59.8	Yes	1469 95.3	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	4 0.3	Yes	411 26.7	No	60 3.9	Mean	12 1.2
Other	4 0.3	Unknown	209 13.6	Declined	2 0.1	Median	24
Unknown	283 18.4	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		Unknown	10 0.6	Range	12-60
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		South Australia	1396 90.6	<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	492 31.9	Interstate	36 2.3	0	1055 68.5	Mean	21
Unemployed	784 50.9	No Fixed Place	89 5.8	1	359 23.3	Median	23
Pensioner	54 3.5	Overseas	0 0.0	2	93 6.0	Range	12-36
Student	13 0.8	Unknown	20 1.3	3 or more	34 2.2	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Home Duties	27 1.8	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Mean	243
Other	78 5.1	1	132 8.6	0	464 30.1	Median	242
Unknown	93 6.0	2	301 19.5	1	576 37.4	Range	50-750
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		3	422 27.4	2	240 15.5	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Never Married	853 55.4	4	286 18.6	3	118 7.7	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Married	221 14.3	5 or more	392 25.4	4	58 3.8	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Separated	62 4.0	Unknown	8 0.5	5 or more	85 5.5	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Divorced	43 2.8	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Widowed	5 0.3	1	132 8.6	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
De Facto	180 11.7	2	301 19.5	0	464 30.1	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	177 11.5	3	422 27.4	1	576 37.4	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
		4	286 18.6	2	240 15.5	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
		5 or more	392 25.4	3	118 7.7	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
		Unknown	8 0.5	4	58 3.8	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
				5 or more	85 5.5	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
				Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	

HOMICIDE AND ASSAULT

Total number of cases heard for the offences in this category are:

- . murder 12
- . attempted murder 8
- . manslaughter 2
- . death by driving 17
- . major assault 156
- . minor assault 26

The first four offences will be referred to as homicide and the last two as assault.

Major assault includes assaults occasioning bodily harm, and driving occasioning bodily harm; minor assault includes common assault, aggravated assault, and other assaults of a non-sexual nature and which do not involve bodily harm.

Defendants in this category tended to be older than average, were in general employed and more settled, with a greater proportion being married than any other offence groups. Males predominated in the homicide offences (95%), with a few more females (7%) charged with assault. Those charged with homicide offences tended to be the oldest group for all offence categories (mean age being 29 years).

Of those whose criminal records were known, and these mainly corresponded to the defendants who were found guilty (see introduction), only about one third of those charged with major assault had no previous record and approximately one half of the defendants had 3 or more convictions for any offence. One in five of these defendants charged with major assault had one or more previous convictions on an assault charge. For the homicide type offences, 27% only had no previous conviction.

Most defendants were on bail, except for those charged with murder where one half were remanded in custody. Bail was high, up to \$10,000. Almost all of the defendants had legal representation, there being only a few (5) of the defendants charged with assault who were unrepresented.

No defendant pleaded guilty to murder, although three of those charged with murder pleaded guilty to the lesser offence of manslaughter. There were no convictions for murder in this year. For the assault charges, just under half pleaded not guilty as charged, with 17% being acquitted.

Of those convicted, approximately one third were sentenced to immediate imprisonment, and approximately one half had their sentences suspended. Fines and bonds were given on the less serious offences of minor assault. The most severe sentence in this category was 6 years for manslaughter.

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10. Table 2.1

Distinct Persons Charged = 12

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 MURDER

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	12 100.0	South Australia	4 33.3	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	0 0.0
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	1 8.3	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	5 41.7	Guilty - lesser	7 58.3
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	3 25.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	3 25.0	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	2 16.7
Youngest	19	Unknown	4 33.3	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	69	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	4 33.3	Died	0 0.0
Mean	35	0	3 25.0	Bail not applied for	3 25.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	1 8.3	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
18-20	1 8.3	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
20-25	3 25.0	3 or more	4 33.3	Unknown	0 0.0	Mean	
25-30	1 8.3	Unknown	4 33.3	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Median	
Over 30	3 25.0	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$1000	Range	
Unknown	4 33.3	0	8 66.7	Maximum	\$10000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
<b>RACE:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	\$5400	Mean	
Caucasian	9 75.0	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$4505	Median	
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	4 33.3	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Range	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	12 100.0	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Other	0 0.0	No	7 58.3	No	0 0.0	Mean	
Unknown	3 25.0	Yes	1 8.3	Declined	0 0.0	Median	
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	4 33.3	Unknown	0 0.0	Range	
Employed	4 33.3	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Unemployed	3 25.0	South Australia	12 100.0	0	5 41.7	Mean	
Pensioner	2 16.7	Interstate	0 0.0	1	7 58.3	Median	
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	2	0 0.0	Range	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Other	1 8.3	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Mean	
Unknown	2 16.7	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Median	
Never Married	6 50.0	Never Married	6 50.0	2	0 0.0	Range	
Married	3 25.0	Married	3 25.0	3	0 0.0	<b>TRIALING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Separated	1 8.3	Separated	1 8.3	4	3 25.0	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Divorced	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	5 or more	9 75.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Mean	
De Facto	1 8.3	De Facto	1 8.3	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Median	
Unknown	1 8.3	Unknown	1 8.3	0	3 25.0	Range	
				1	3 25.0		
				2	2 16.7		
				3	3 25.0		
				4	0 0.0		
				5 or more	1 8.3		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.2

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS

1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981

ATTEMPTED MURDER

Distinct Persons Charged = 8

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	6 75.0	South Australia	2 25.0	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	1 12.5
Female	2 25.0	Australia (Unspecified)	2 25.0	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	3 37.5	Guilty - lesser	6 75.0
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	1 12.5
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	3 37.5	Cash & Recognizance	1 12.5	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	16	Unknown	1 12.5	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	51	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Mean	32	0	2 25.0	Bail not applied for	0 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	1 12.5	1	0 0.0	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	0 0.0	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	1 12.5	Mean	14
20-25	2 25.0	3 or more	4 50.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	14
25-30	0 0.0	Unknown	2 25.0	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Range	14-14
Over 30	4 50.0	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$2000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	1 12.5	0	6 75.0	Maximum	\$5000	Mean	
<b>RACE:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	\$3250	Median	
Caucasian	7 87.5	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$1500	Range	
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	2 25.0	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	8 100.0	Mean	
Other	0 0.0	No	5 62.5	No	0 0.0	Median	
Unknown	1 12.5	Yes	1 12.5	Declined	0 0.0	Range	
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	2 25.0	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	6 75.0	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	
Unemployed	1 12.5	South Australia	7 87.5	0	0 0.0	Median	
Pensioner	0 0.0	Interstate	1 12.5	1	6 75.0	Range	
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	2	1 12.5	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	1 12.5	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Other	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	1 12.5	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	
Never Married	3 37.5	Never Married	2 25.0	2	0 0.0	Median	
Married	2 25.0	Married	0 0.0	3	0 0.0	Range	
Separated	0 0.0	Separated	0 0.0	4	3 37.5	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>	
Divorced	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	5 or more	5 62.5	0	0 0.0
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	2 25.0	Unknown	0 0.0	1	3 37.5
De Facto	2 25.0	De Facto	1 12.5	0	0 0.0	2	2 25.0
Unknown	1 12.5	Unknown	1 12.5	1	0 0.0	3	2 25.0
				2	0 0.0	4	0 0.0
				3	0 0.0	5 or more	1 12.5
				4	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0
				5 or more	0 0.0		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 MANSLAUGHTER

Distinct Persons Charged = 2

SEX:	
Male	2 100.0
Female	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
AGE:	
Youngest	26
Oldest	26
Mean	26
Child	0 0.0
18-20	0 0.0
20-25	0 0.0
25-30	1 50.0
Over 30	0 0.0
Unknown	1 50.0
RACE:	
Caucasian	2 100.0
Aboriginal	0 0.0
Oriental	0 0.0
Other	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
EMPLOYMENT STATUS:	
Employed	0 0.0
Unemployed	0 0.0
Pensioner	0 0.0
Student	0 0.0
Home Duties	0 0.0
Other	0 0.0
Unknown	2 100.0
MARITAL STATUS:	
Never Married	0 0.0
Married	0 0.0
Separated	0 0.0
Divorced	0 0.0
Widowed	0 0.0
De Facto	0 0.0
Unknown	2 100.0

BIRTHPLACE:	
South Australia	0 0.0
Australia (Unspecified)	0 0.0
Interstate	0 0.0
Overseas	0 0.0
Unknown	2 100.0
NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):	
0	0 0.0
1	0 0.0
2	0 0.0
3 or more	0 0.0
Unknown	2 100.0
NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):	
0	0 0.0
1	0 0.0
2 or more	0 0.0
Unknown	2 100.0
PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:	
No	0 0.0
Yes	0 0.0
Unknown	2 100.0
RESIDENCE:	
South Australia	2 100.0
Interstate	0 0.0
No Fixed Place	0 0.0
Overseas	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0

BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:	
At large: Bail not required	0 0.0
On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	1 50.0
Cash	0 0.0
Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0
In custody: On another matter	0 0.0
Bail refused	1 50.0
Bail not applied for	0 0.0
Bail not raised	0 0.0
Unspecified	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=	
Minimum	\$1000
Maximum	\$1000
Mean	\$1000
Standard Deviation	\$0
LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:	
Yes	2 100.0
No	0 0.0
Declined	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:	
0	1 50.0
1	1 50.0
2	0 0.0
3 or more	0 0.0
NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):	
1	0 0.0
2	0 0.0
3	0 0.0
4	0 0.0
5 or more	2 100.0
Unknown	0 0.0
NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:	
0	1 50.0
1	1 50.0
2	0 0.0
3	0 0.0
4	0 0.0
5 or more	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0

OUTCOME:	
Guilty as charged	0 0.0
Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Not guilty	2 100.0
Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Died	0 0.0
MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:	
IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=	
Mean	
Median	
Range	
IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=	
Mean	
Median	
Range	
BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=	
Mean	
Median	
Range	
BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=	
Mean	
Median	
Range	
RISING OF COURT: N=	
ORDER: N=	
MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=	
Mean	
Median	
Range	



14. Table 2.5

Distinct Persons Charged = 26

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
MINOR ASSAULT

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	24 92.3	South Australia	1 3.8	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	8 30.8
Female	2 7.7	Australia (Unspecified)	3 11.5	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	20 76.9	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	1 3.8	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	11 42.3
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	3 11.5	Cash & Recognizance	3 11.5	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	18 69.2	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	7 26.9
Oldest	55	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	1 3.8	Died	0 0.0
Mean	32	0	2 7.7	Bail not applied for	2 7.7	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	0 0.0	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	4 15.4	2	1 3.8	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	1 12.5
20-25	1 3.8	3 or more	6 23.1	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	2
25-30	4 15.4	Unknown	17 65.4	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Range	2-2
Over 30	8 30.8	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	23 88.5	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	9 34.6	0	5 19.2	Maximum	\$2000	Mean	3-3
<b>RACE:</b>		1	2 7.7	Mean	\$809	Median	3-3
Caucasian	16 61.5	2 or more	2 7.7	Standard Deviation	\$502	Range	3-4
Aboriginal	2 7.7	Unknown	17 65.4	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	25 96.2	Mean	24
Other	0 0.0	No	4 15.4	No	1 3.8	Median	24
Unknown	8 30.8	Yes	5 19.2	Declined	0 0.0	Range	24-24
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	17 65.4	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	9 34.6	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	0 0.0
Unemployed	8 30.8	South Australia	22 84.6	0	24 92.3	Median	0
Pensioner	2 7.7	Interstate	1 3.8	1	2 7.7	Range	0
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	3 11.5	2	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	1 3.8	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Other	1 3.8	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	5 19.2	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	3 37.5
Never Married	5 19.2	Never Married	5 19.2	2	1 3.8	Median	200
Married	4 15.4	Married	4 15.4	3	6 23.1	Range	150
Separated	1 3.8	Separated	1 3.8	4	6 23.1	<b>Range</b>	
Divorced	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	5 or more	13 50.0	<b>50-400</b>	
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0		
De Facto	1 3.8	De Facto	1 3.8	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>			
Unknown	15 57.7	Unknown	15 57.7	0	15 57.7		
		1	1 3.8	1	1 3.8		
		2	1 3.8	2	1 3.8		
		3	3 11.5	3	3 11.5		
		4	4 15.4	4	4 15.4		
		5 or more	0 0.0	5 or more	0 0.0		
		Unknown	3 11.5	Unknown	3 11.5		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.6

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 DEATH BY DRIVING

Distinct Persons Charged = 17

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	17 100.0	South Australia	4 23.5	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	14 82.4
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	10 58.8	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	16 94.1	Guilty - lesser	3 17.6
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	2 11.8	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	1 5.9	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	40	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	1 5.9	Died	0 0.0
Mean	25	0	3 17.6	Bail not applied for	0 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	3 17.6	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	8 47.1	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	6 42.9
20-25	3 17.6	3 or more	10 58.8	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 16 94.1</b>		Median	11
25-30	1 5.9	Unknown	1 5.9	Minimum	\$100	Range	6-36
Over 30	5 29.4	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Maximum	\$2000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	0 0.0	0	16 94.1	Mean	\$688	Mean	6 42.9
<b>RACE:</b>		1	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$480	Median	9
Caucasian	11 64.7	2 or more	0 0.0	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Range	3-12
Aboriginal	1 5.9	Unknown	1 5.9	Yes	17 100.0	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		No	0 0.0	Mean	0 0.0
Other	0 0.0	No	16 94.1	Declined	0 0.0	Median	0
Unknown	5 29.4	Yes	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Range	0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	1 5.9	<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	12 70.6	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		0	14 82.4	Mean	0 0.0
Unemployed	2 11.8	South Australia	17 100.0	1	3 17.6	Median	0
Pensioner	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	2	0 0.0	Range	0
Student	1 5.9	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		ORDER:	N= 0 0.0
Other	2 11.8	Unknown	0 0.0	1	3 17.6	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		2	0 0.0	Mean	2 14.3
Never Married	12 70.6	Never Married	12 70.6	3	7 41.2	Median	350
Married	1 5.9	Married	1 5.9	4	5 29.4	Range	300-400
Separated	2 11.8	Separated	2 11.8	5 or more	2 11.8		
Divorced	1 5.9	Divorced	1 5.9	Unknown	0 0.0		
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0				
De Facto	0 0.0	De Facto	0 0.0				
Unknown	1 5.9	Unknown	1 5.9				

SEXUAL OFFENCES

Total number of cases heard for the offences in this category are:

. rape	34
. attempted rape	4
. indecent assault	39
. unlawful sexual intercourse	22

As there are fewer defendants in this category generalization is difficult. Only 4 defendants were charged with attempted rape so no comment will be made on this offence. Those charged with rape differ markedly from the 2 lesser sexual offences, although the rape figure must be treated with some caution because no antecedent report was available, for the half of the total number of defendants who were not convicted.

In summary, rape defendants are younger (average 24 years) compared with indecent assault (39 years) or unlawful sexual intercourse (30 years). These figures are affected by 6 juveniles for whom the rape charge was heard in the Supreme Court, but in contrast 27 of the 39 defendants charged with indecent assault were over 30 years of age.

For those whose details were available, aborigines comprise one-fifth of rape defendants, but only 3% (one person) for indecent assault. Rape defendants were more frequently unemployed and single.

In contrast, those charged with indecent assault for whom details are known, were often married (44%) and employed (77%). This is quite unusual compared with most other offence categories.

Approximately one quarter of rape defendants were remanded in custody compared to only 5% of those charged with unlawful sexual intercourse. Bail in all cases was moderately high with a bail of \$3,000 being set in several cases.

Less than half of those charged with rape were found guilty as charged with the high figures of eleven out of thirty-four being acquitted, and a further six for whom the charges were withdrawn. All but one of those convicted of rape was sentenced to immediate imprisonment with sentences from 2 to 8 years being given. For the lesser offence of indecent assault, the proportion convicted was higher (75%), but this remains low compared to many other offences. Suspended sentences are given more frequently than for rape, and those imprisoned are for much shorter periods (6 months to 2½ years).

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18. Table 2.7

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
RAPE

Distinct Persons Charged = 34

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	34 100.0	South Australia	8 23.5	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	14 41.2
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	6 17.6	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	19 55.9	Guilty - lesser	3 8.8
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	2 5.9	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	11 32.4
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	4 11.8	Cash & Recognizance	7 20.6	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	15	Unknown	14 41.2	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	6 17.6
Oldest	41	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	3 8.8	Died	0 0.0
Mean	24	0	9 26.5	Bail not applied for	5 14.7	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	6 17.6	1	1 2.9	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	4 11.8	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	47
20-25	1 2.9	3 or more	6 17.6	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	42
25-30	3 8.8	Unknown	18 52.9	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Range	24-96
Over 30	5 14.7	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$500	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	15 44.1	0	16 47.1	Maximum	\$3000	Mean	1 2.1
<b>RACE:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	\$1365	Median	24
Caucasian	22 64.7	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$647	Range	24-24
Aboriginal	4 11.8	Unknown	18 52.9	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	31 91.2	Mean	0
Other	0 0.0	No	9 26.5	No	2 5.9	Median	0
Unknown	8 23.5	Yes	7 20.6	Declined	0 0.0	Range	0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	18 52.9	Unknown	1 2.9	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	11 32.4	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	0
Unemployed	9 26.5	South Australia	31 91.2	0	22 64.7	Median	0
Pensioner	1 2.9	Interstate	0 0.0	1	9 26.5	Range	0
Student	1 2.9	No Fixed Place	3 8.8	2	2 5.9	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	1 2.9	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Other	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	12 35.3	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	0
Never Married	13 38.2	Never Married	13 38.2	2	2 5.9	Median	0
Married	4 11.8	Married	4 11.8	3	6 17.6	Range	0
Separated	1 2.9	Separated	1 2.9	4	6 17.6	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>	
Divorced	1 2.9	Divorced	1 2.9	5 or more	20 58.8	0	13 38.2
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	1	7 20.6
De Facto	0 0.0	De Facto	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		2	8 23.5
Unknown	15 44.1	Unknown	15 44.1	0	13 38.2	3	5 14.7
				1	7 20.6	4	5 14.7
				2	8 23.5	5 or more	0 0.0
				3	6 17.6	Unknown	0 0.0
				4	6 17.6		
				5 or more	20 58.8		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.8

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 ATTEMPTED RAPE

Distinct Persons Charged = 4

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	4 100.0	South Australia	1 25.0	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	3 75.0
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	1 25.0	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	3 75.0	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	1 25.0	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	1 25.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	1 25.0	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	0 0.0	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	49	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Mean	32	0	2 50.0	Bail not applied for	0 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	0 0.0	Bail not raised	1 25.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	1 25.0	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	24
20-25	0 0.0	3 or more	1 25.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	24
25-30	1 25.0	Unknown	1 25.0	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Range	12-36
Over 30	1 25.0	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$800	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	1 25.0	0	2 50.0	Maximum	\$2000	Mean	
<b>RACE:</b>		1	1 25.0	Mean	\$1267	Median	
Caucasian	3 75.0	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$643	Range	
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	1 25.0	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	4 100.0	Mean	
Other	0 0.0	No	2 50.0	No	0 0.0	Median	
Unknown	1 25.0	Yes	1 25.0	Declined	0 0.0	Range	
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	1 25.0	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	2 50.0	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	
Unemployed	2 50.0	South Australia	3 75.0	0	3 75.0	Median	
Pensioner	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	1	1 25.0	Range	
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	1 25.0	2	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Other	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Mean	
Never Married	2 50.0	Never Married	2 50.0	2	1 25.0	Median	
Married	1 25.0	Married	1 25.0	3	2 50.0	Range	
Separated	0 0.0	Separated	0 0.0	4	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>	
Divorced	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	5 or more	0 0.0	0	0 0.0
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	1	3 75.0	1	0 0.0
De Facto	0 0.0	De Facto	0 0.0	2	0 0.0	2	0 0.0
Unknown	1 25.0	Unknown	1 25.0	3	1 25.0	3	0 0.0
				4	0 0.0	4	0 0.0
				5 or more	0 0.0	5 or more	0 0.0
				Unknown	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0

Table 2.9

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
INDECENT ASSAULT

Distinct Persons Charged = 39

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	39 100.0	South Australia	6 15.4	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	29 74.4
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	8 20.5	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	36 92.3	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	8 20.5	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	8 20.5
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	8 20.5	Cash & Recognizance	1 2.6	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	9 23.1	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	2 5.1
Oldest	77	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Mean	39	0	14 35.9	Bail not applied for	1 2.6	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	1 2.6	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months)</b>	N= 11 37.9
18-20	3 7.7	2	1 2.6	Unspecified	1 2.6	Mean	15
20-25	6 15.4	3 or more	13 33.3	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	12
25-30	1 2.6	Unknown	10 25.6	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 37 94.8</b>		Range	6-30
Over 30	27 69.2	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$150	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months)</b>	N= 16 55.2
Unknown	2 5.1	0	25 64.1	Maximum	\$3000	Mean	10
<b>RACE:</b>		1	1 2.6	Mean	\$867	Median	9
Caucasian	32 82.1	2 or more	3 7.7	Standard Deviation	\$598	Range	1-24
Aboriginal	1 2.6	Unknown	10 25.6	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months)</b>	N= 0 0.0
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	37 94.9	Mean	0
Other	0 0.0	No	17 43.6	No	2 5.1	Median	0
Unknown	6 15.4	Yes	12 30.8	Declined	0 0.0	Range	0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	10 25.6	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months)</b>	N= 0 0.0
Employed	26 66.7	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	0
Unemployed	6 15.4	South Australia	36 92.3	0	36 92.3	Median	0
Pensioner	3 7.7	Interstate	1 2.6	1	3 7.7	Range	0
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	2 5.1	2	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT:</b>	N= 0 0.0
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>ORDER:</b>	N= 0 0.0
Other	3 7.7	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars)</b>	N= 2 6.9
Unknown	1 2.6			1	6 15.4	Mean	275
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>				2	6 15.4	Median	275
Never Married	14 35.9			3	8 20.5	Range	150-400
Married	15 38.5			4	14 35.9		
Separated	3 7.7			5 or more	5 12.8		
Divorced	1 2.6			Unknown	0 0.0		
Widowed	0 0.0			<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>			
De Facto	1 2.6			0	9 23.1		
Unknown	5 12.8			1	19 48.7		
				2	4 10.3		
				3	5 12.8		
				4	0 0.0		
				5 or more	2 5.1		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.10

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
UNLAWFUL SEXUAL INTERCOURSE

21.

Distinct Persons Charged = 22

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>								
Male	22	100.0	South Australia	5	22.7	At large: Bail not required	0	0.0	Guilty as charged	20	90.9			
Female	0	0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	11	50.0	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	18	81.8	Guilty - lesser	1	4.5			
Unknown	0	0.0	Interstate	6	27.3	Cash	0	0.0	Not guilty	1	4.5			
<b>AGE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		<b>In custody:</b>		<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>								
Youngest	16		0	8	36.4	Cash & Recognizance	0	0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0	0.0			
Oldest	64		1	3	13.6	Bail refused	3	13.6	Nolle prosequi	0	0.0			
Mean	30		2	1	4.5	Bail not applied for	1	4.5	Died	0	0.0			
Child	1	4.5	3 or more	9	40.9	Bail not raised	0	0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>					
18-20	6	27.3	Unknown	1	4.5	Unspecified	0	0.0	Mean	4	20.0			
20-25	3	13.6	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Median	36						
25-30	4	18.2	0	19	86.4	Minimum	\$300	Range	12-60					
Over 30	8	36.4	1	0	0.0	Maximum	\$3000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>						
Unknown	0	0.0	2 or more	2	9.1	Mean	\$978	Mean	7	35.0				
<b>RACE:</b>		<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>Standard Deviation</b>		Median	10					
Caucasian	17	77.3	No	14	63.6	Yes	22	100.0	Range	4-15				
Aboriginal	3	13.6	Yes	7	31.8	No	0	0.0	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>					
Oriental	0	0.0	Unknown	1	4.5	Declined	0	0.0	Mean	0	0.0			
Other	0	0.0	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Unknown	0	0.0	Median				
Unknown	2	9.1	South Australia	19	86.4	0	16	72.7	Range					
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		Interstate	0	0.0	1	4	18.2	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>				
Employed	9	40.9	Never Married	15	68.2	No Fixed Place	3	13.6	Mean	0	0.0			
Unemployed	12	54.5	Married	3	13.6	Overseas	0	0.0	Median					
Pensioner	1	4.5	Separated	1	4.5	Unknown	0	0.0	Range					
Student	0	0.0	Divorced	2	9.1	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		1	0	0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>			
Home Duties	0	0.0	Widowed	0	0.0	1	0	0.0	2	9	40.9	<b>ORDER: N=</b>		
Other	0	0.0	De Facto	1	4.5	2	9	36.4	3	8	36.4	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>		
Unknown	0	0.0	Unknown	0	0.0	3	8	36.4	4	2	9.1	Mean	4	20.0
<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>				4	2	9.1	5 or more	3	13.6	Median	200			
0	9	40.9	0	0	0.0	Unknown	0	0.0	Range	100-300				
1	8	36.4			<b>REFERRED TO JUVENILE COURT N=</b>		1	5.0						
2	3	13.6					0	0.0						
3	0	0.0					1	4.5						
4	1	4.5					1	4.5						
5 or more	1	4.5					0	0.0						
Unknown	0	0.0												

OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY

There are many more offences and the largest number of defendants are in this category. In all, 975 defendants faced charges for offences against property. Total number of cases heard for the offences in this category are:

. robbery - armed	32
- other	30
. arson	14
. breaking - burglary	9
- house break & enter	203
- other break & enter	356
. other property - larceny	142
- embezzlement	39
- false pretences	41
- fraud	11
- forge & utter	37

The offences against property fall into two clear groups. Robbery and breaking in one group and arson and "other property offences" in the other.

Those charged with one of the breaking/robbery offences tend to fit the commonly held view of offenders in this state. They constitute the majority of offenders, comprising 603 of the total 1,541 persons charged. Of the known cases, the defendants are young, the average age being only 22 years with approximately 80% of defendants being 25 years old or younger. There is a higher proportion of aborigines in this group than for all other offences. A very high figure of approximately three-quarters of these defendants are unemployed and most are single.

In contrast the other group of offenders against property are much older, average are being 34 years, almost none are aboriginal, many more are employed (40%), and there is a high proportion married.

This contrast also applies to past criminal record. Of those whose criminal record is known, only 32% of those in the robbery/breaking group had no previous adult convictions, whereas 48% of the other group had no record. More than one in three of the defendants charged with robbery or breaking offences had been imprisoned previously, compared to one in five of the others.

Bail is the rule for all but the most serious offences, such as armed robbery where half of the defendants were remanded in custody. Bail can be set at a high value, in some cases as high as \$10,000.

Four out of five defendants of offences against property plead guilty as charged, and only 5% are not convicted of at least a lesser charge. Sentence depends greatly on the severity of the offence. Only one of the 26 persons convicted of armed robbery was given a suspended sentence rather than direct imprisonment, and the terms of imprisonment are generally severe: the maximum was 12 years and six were for more than 5 years. At the other end of the scale the "white collar" crimes of embezzlement and forge and utter resulted in less than 20% imprisonment, and many more suspended sentences were also given in more than half of the break and enter convictions.

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DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 ARMED ROBBERY

Distinct Persons Charged = 32

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	32 100.0	South Australia	8 25.0	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	26 81.3
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	9 28.1	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	9 28.1	Guilty - lesser	1 3.1
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	5 15.6	Cash	2 6.3	Not guilty	4 12.5
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	4 12.5	Cash & Recognizance	5 15.6	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	6 18.8	In custody: On another matter	1 3.1	Nolle prosequi	1 3.1
Oldest	34	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	9 28.1	Died	0 0.0
Mean	23	0	5 15.6	Bail not applied for	6 18.8	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child		1	4 12.5	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	<b>25 96.2</b>
18-20	9 28.1	2	1 3.1	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	44
20-25	14 43.8	3 or more	16 50.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	22
25-30	1 3.1	Unknown	6 18.8	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 16 50.0</b>		Range	6-144
Over 30	4 12.5	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$1000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	<b>1 3.8</b>
Unknown	4 12.5	0	24 75.0	Maximum	\$7000	Mean	48
<b>RACE:</b>		1	2 6.3	Mean	\$2797	Median	48
Caucasian	25 78.1	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$2080	Range	48-48
Aboriginal	6 18.8	Unknown	6 18.8	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	<b>Mean</b>
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	30 93.8	Median	48
Other	0 0.0	No	16 50.0	No	2 6.3	Range	48-48
Unknown	1 3.1	Yes	10 31.3	Declined	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	<b>Mean</b>
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	6 18.8	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	48
Employed	4 12.5	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Range	48
Unemployed	20 62.5	South Australia	29 90.6	0	22 68.8	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	<b>Mean</b>
Pensioner	2 6.3	Interstate	0 0.0	1	8 25.0	Median	48
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	3 9.4	2	2 6.3	Range	48
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	<b>ORDER: N=</b>
Other	1 3.1	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	<b>Mean</b>
Unknown	5 15.6			1	2 6.3	Median	48
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>				2	0 0.0	Range	48
Never Married	18 56.3			3	8 25.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>	
Married	2 6.3			4	6 18.8	0	4 12.5
Separated	1 3.1			5 or more	1 3.1	1	10 31.3
Divorced	1 3.1			Unknown	16 50.0	2	8 25.0
Widowed	0 0.0				0 0.0	3	6 18.8
De Facto	4 12.5					4	1 3.1
Unknown	6 18.8					5 or more	3 9.4
						Unknown	0 0.0

Table 2.12

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 OTHER ROBBERY

25.

Distinct Persons Charged = 30

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>					
Male	27	90.0	South Australia	6	20.0	At large: Bail not required	0	0.0	Guilty as charged	21	70.0
Female	3	10.0	Australia (Unspecified)	13	43.3	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	21	70.0	Guilty - lesser	4	13.3
Unknown	0	0.0	Interstate	1	3.3	Cash	0	0.0	Not guilty	5	16.7
<b>AGE:</b>			Overseas	7	23.3	Cash & Recognizance	0	0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0	0.0
Youngest	16		Unknown	3	10.0	In custody: On another matter	0	0.0	Nolle prosequi	0	0.0
Oldest	39		<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	3	10.0	Died	0	0.0	
Mean	21		0	5	16.7	Bail not applied for	5	16.7	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>		
Child	1	3.3	1	2	6.7	Bail not raised	0	0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>		
18-20	15	50.0	2	4	13.3	Unspecified	1	3.3	Mean	14	66.7
20-25	8	26.7	3 or more	13	43.3	Unknown	0	0.0	Median	28	
25-30	1	3.3	Unknown	6	20.0	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 21</b>		Range	25		
Over 30	2	6.7	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$600		9-48			
Unknown	3	10.0	0	21	70.0	Maximum	\$5000	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>			
<b>RACE:</b>			1	3	10.0	Mean	\$1624	Mean	7	33.3	
Caucasian	19	63.3	2 or more	0	0.0	Standard Deviation	\$1141	Median	24		
Aboriginal	5	16.7	Unknown	6	20.0	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Range	20		
Oriental	0	0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	29	96.7		6-60		
Other	0	0.0	No	13	43.3	No	1	3.3	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>		
Unknown	6	20.0	Yes	17	56.7	Declined	0	0.0	Mean		
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>			Unknown	6	20.0	Unknown	0	0.0	Median		
Employed	9	30.0	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Range				
Unemployed	15	50.0	South Australia	30	100.0	0	20	66.7	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>		
Pensioner	0	0.0	Interstate	0	0.0	1	8	26.7	Mean		
Student	0	0.0	No Fixed Place	0	0.0	2	1	3.3	Median		
Home Duties	2	6.7	Overseas	0	0.0	3 or more	1	3.3	Range		
Other	0	0.0	Unknown	0	0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>			
Unknown	4	13.3	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	2	6.7	<b>ORDER: N=</b>			
Never Married	16	53.3	Never Married	4	13.3	2	6	20.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>		
Married	4	13.3	Married	2	6.7	3	6	20.0	Mean		
Separated	2	6.7	Separated	0	0.0	4	9	30.0	Median		
Divorced	0	0.0	Divorced	0	0.0	5 or more	7	23.3	Range		
Widowed	0	0.0	Widowed	0	0.0	Unknown	0	0.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		
De Facto	5	16.7	De Facto	3	10.0	0	3	10.0	0	3	10.0
Unknown	3	10.0	Unknown	4	13.3	1	20	66.7	1	2	6.7
						2	3	10.0	2	1	3.3
						3	6	20.0	3	1	3.3
						4	9	30.0	4	1	3.3
						5 or more	7	23.3	5 or more	1	3.3
						Unknown	0	0.0	Unknown	0	0.0

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
ARSON

Distinct Persons Charged = 14

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	14 100.0	South Australia	3 21.4	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	12 85.7
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	5 35.7	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	9 64.3	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	4 28.6	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	16	Unknown	2 14.3	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	1 7.1
Oldest	51	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	1 7.1	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Mean	27	0	4 28.6	Bail not applied for	3 21.4	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months)</b>	N= 9 75.0
Child	1 7.1	1	3 21.4	Bail not raised	0 0.0	Mean	35
18-20	5 35.7	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	Median	30
20-25	2 14.3	3 or more	5 35.7	Unknown	1 7.1	Range	12-60
25-30	3 21.4	Unknown	2 14.3	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED) (N= 9 64.3)</b>		<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months)</b>	
Over 30	3 21.4	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$800	Mean	3
Unknown	0 0.0	0	11 78.6	Maximum	\$5000	Median	23
<b>RACE:</b>		1	1 7.1	Mean	\$2461	Range	24-34
Caucasian	12 85.7	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$1601	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months)</b>	
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	2 14.3	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Mean	23
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	13 92.9	Median	24
Other	0 0.0	No	8 57.1	No	0 0.0	Range	24-34
Unknown	2 14.3	Yes	4 28.6	Declined	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months)</b>	
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	2 14.3	Unknown	1 7.1	Mean	3
Employed	5 35.7	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Median	3
Unemployed	5 35.7	South Australia	13 92.9	0	10 71.4	Range	3-24
Pensioner	2 14.3	Interstate	1 7.1	1	3 21.4	<b>RISING OF COURT:</b>	
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	2	1 7.1	<b>ORDER:</b>	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars)</b>	
Other	1 7.1	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Mean	0
Unknown	1 7.1	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Median	0
Never Married	9 64.3	Never Married	3 21.4	2	0 0.0	Range	0-0
Married	3 21.4	Married	0 0.0	3	3 21.4	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>	
Separated	0 0.0	Separated	0 0.0	4	6 42.9	0	3 21.4
Divorced	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	5 or more	5 35.7	1	7 50.0
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	2	2 14.3
De Facto	1 7.1	De Facto	1 7.1			3	2 14.3
Unknown	1 7.1	Unknown	1 7.1			4	0 0.0
						5 or more	0 0.0
						Unknown	0 0.0

Table 2.14

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 BURGLARY

Distinct Persons Charged = 9

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	9 100.0	South Australia	3 33.3	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	5 55.0
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	4 44.4	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	6 66.7	Guilty - lesser	4 44.4
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	1 11.1	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	1 11.1	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	0 0.0	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	28	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Mean	21	0	0 0.0	Bail not applied for	3 33.3	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	0 0.0	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months):</b>	N=
18-20	5 55.6	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	3 60.0
20-25	3 33.3	3 or more	2 22.2	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>		Median	15
25-30	1 11.1	Unknown	2 22.2	Minimum	\$500	Range	12
Over 30	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Maximum	\$1600		9-24
Unknown	0 0.0	0	7 77.8	Mean	\$933	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months):</b>	
<b>RACE:</b>		1	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$408	Mean	2 40.0
Caucasian	5 55.6	2 or more	0 0.0	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Median	24
Aboriginal	1 11.1	Unknown	2 22.2	Yes	9 100.0	Range	24
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		No	0 0.0		12-36
Other	0 0.0	No	2 22.2	Declined	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months):</b>	
Unknown	3 33.3	Yes	5 55.6	Unknown	0 0.0	Mean	N=
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	2 22.2	<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Median	
Employed	3 33.3	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		0	3 33.3	Range	
Unemployed	5 55.6	South Australia	8 88.9	1	4 44.4	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months):</b>	
Pensioner	0 0.0	Interstate	0 0.0	2	1 11.1	Mean	N=
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	1 11.1	3 or more	1 11.1	Median	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Range	
Other	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	1	2 22.2	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Unknown	1 11.1	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		2	2 22.2	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Never Married		8	88.9	3	1 11.1	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars):</b>	
Married		0	0.0	4	1 11.1	Mean	N=
Separated		0	0.0	5 or more	3 33.3	Median	
Divorced		0	0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Range	
Widowed		0	0.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>			
De Facto		0	0.0	0	6 66.7		
Unknown		0	0.0	1	3 33.3		
				2	0 0.0		
				3	0 0.0		
				4	0 0.0		
				5 or more	0 0.0		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 HOUSE BREAK AND ENTER

Distinct Persons Charged = 203

<b>SEX:</b>		
Male	191	94.1
Female	12	5.9
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		
Youngest	17	
Oldest	49	
Mean	23	
Child	1	0.5
18-20	98	48.3
20-25	58	28.6
25-30	18	8.9
Over 30	22	10.8
Unknown	6	3.0
<b>RACE:</b>		
Caucasian	162	79.8
Aboriginal	13	6.4
Oriental	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0
Unknown	28	13.8
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		
Employed	37	18.2
Unemployed	149	73.4
Pensioner	6	3.0
Student	0	0.0
Home Duties	3	1.5
Other	3	1.5
Unknown	5	2.5
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		
Never Married	127	62.6
Married	15	7.4
Separated	11	5.4
Divorced	8	3.9
Widowed	0	0.0
De Facto	29	14.3
Unknown	13	6.4

<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		
South Australia	48	23.6
Australia (Unspecified)	88	43.3
Interstate	29	14.3
Overseas	31	15.3
Unknown	7	3.4
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		
0	50	24.6
1	25	12.3
2	22	10.8
3 or more	95	46.8
Unknown	11	5.4
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		
0	137	67.5
1	22	10.8
2 or more	33	16.3
Unknown	11	5.4
<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		
No	111	54.7
Yes	81	39.9
Unknown	11	5.4
<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		
South Australia	176	86.7
Interstate	5	2.5
No Fixed Place	21	10.3
Overseas	0	0.0
Unknown	1	0.5

<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		
At large: Bail not required	0	0.0
On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	137	67.5
Cash	0	0.0
Cash & Recognizance	6	3.0
In custody: On another matter	4	2.0
Bail refused	25	12.3
Bail not applied for	26	12.8
Bail not raised	2	1.0
Unspecified	2	1.0
Unknown	1	0.5
<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 143</b>		
Minimum	\$100	
Maximum	\$10000	
Mean	\$1099	
Standard Deviation	\$1069	
<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		
Yes	194	95.6
No	6	3.0
Declined	2	1.0
Unknown	1	0.5
<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		
0	137	67.5
1	36	17.7
2	20	9.9
3	10	4.9
<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		
1	20	9.9
2	50	24.6
3	56	27.6
4	27	13.3
5 or more	49	24.1
Unknown	1	0.5
<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		
0	46	22.7
1	83	40.8
2	29	14.3
3	13	6.4
4	18	8.9
5 or more	14	6.9
Unknown	0	0.0

<b>OUTCOME:</b>		
Guilty as charged	191	94.4
Guilty - lesser	4	2.0
Not guilty	5	2.5
Not guilty - insanity	0	0.0
Nolle prosequi	3	1.5
Died	0	0.0
<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>		
IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=	82	42.9
Mean	14	
Median	12	
Range	1-33	
IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=	97	50.8
Mean	10	
Median	9	
Range	3-19	
BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=	5	2.6
Mean	26	
Median	27	
Range	12-36	
BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=	5	2.6
Mean	17	
Median	16	
Range	12-24	
RISING OF COURT: N=	0	0.0
ORDER: N=	0	0.0
<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>		
Mean	275	
Median	275	
Range	250-300	

Table 2.16

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
OTHER BREAK AND ENTER

Distinct Persons Charged = 356

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	336 94.4	South Australia	95 26.7	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	332 93.3
Female	20 5.6	Australia (Unspecified)	154 43.3	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	290 81.5	Guilty - lesser	9 2.6
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	31 8.7	Cash	1 0.3	Not guilty	7 2.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	54 15.2	Cash & Recognizance	4 1.1	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	22 6.2	In custody: On another matter	5 1.4	Nolle prosequi	8 2.2
Oldest	72	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	24 6.7	Died	0 0.0
Mean	22	0	126 35.4	Bail not applied for	27 7.6	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	33 9.3	Bail not raised	3 0.8	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	185 52.0	2	38 10.7	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	11
20-25	99 27.8	3 or more	135 37.9	Unknown	2 0.6	Median	12
25-30	34 9.6	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 295 82.9</b>		Range	1-36
Over 30	24 6.7	0	261 73.3	Minimum	\$100	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	12 3.4	1	27 7.6	Maximum	\$6000	Mean	10
<b>RACE:</b>		2 or more	44 12.4	Mean	\$986	Median	9
Caucasian	270 75.8	Unknown	24 6.7	Standard Deviation	\$664	Range	2-30
Aboriginal	28 7.9	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	No	225 63.2	Yes	333 93.5	Mean	24
Other	1 0.3	Yes	107 30.1	No	19 5.3	Median	24
Unknown	57 16.0	Unknown	24 6.7	Declined	0 0.0	Range	24-24
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		Unknown	4 1.1	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	95 26.7	South Australia	318 89.3	<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	21
Unemployed	239 67.1	Interstate	4 1.1	0	239 67.1	Median	21
Pensioner	5 1.4	No Fixed Place	28 7.9	1	80 22.5	Range	10-36
Student	2 0.6	Overseas	0 0.0	2	23 6.5	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	3 0.8	Unknown	6 1.7	3 or more	14 3.9	Mean	0 0.0
Other	2 0.6	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Median	0 0.0
Unknown	10 2.8	Never Married	262 73.6	1	42 11.8	Range	10-36
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Married	27 7.6	2	80 22.5	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Employed	95 26.7	Separated	5 1.4	3	92 25.8	Mean	0 0.0
Unemployed	239 67.1	Divorced	6 1.7	4	71 19.9	Median	0 0.0
Pensioner	5 1.4	Widowed	1 0.3	5 or more	69 19.4	Range	10-36
Student	2 0.6	De Facto	34 9.6	Unknown	2 0.6	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Home Duties	3 0.8	Unknown	21 5.9	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Mean	263
Other	2 0.6	0	86 24.2	0	86 24.2	Median	285
Unknown	10 2.8	1	145 40.7	1	145 40.7	Range	30-400
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		2	75 21.1	2	75 21.1		
Never Married	262 73.6	3	22 6.2	3	22 6.2		
Married	27 7.6	4	9 2.5	4	9 2.5		
Separated	5 1.4	5 or more	19 5.3	5 or more	19 5.3		
Divorced	6 1.7	Unknown	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0		
Widowed	1 0.3						
De Facto	34 9.6						
Unknown	21 5.9						

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 LARCENY

Distinct Persons Charged = 142

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	123 86.6	South Australia	33 23.2	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	119 83.8
Female	19 13.4	Australia (Unspecified)	44 31.0	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	120 84.5	Guilty - lesser	4 2.8
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	11 7.7	Cash	1 0.7	Not guilty	13 9.2
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	28 19.7	Cash & Recognizance	4 2.8	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	17	Unknown	26 18.3	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	6 4.2
Oldest	58	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	2 1.4	Died	0 0.0
Mean	25	0	40 28.2	Bail not applied for	7 4.9	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	1 0.7	1	16 11.3	Bail not raised	2 1.4	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	<b>33 27.7</b>
18-20	41 28.9	2	12 8.5	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	11
20-25	40 28.2	3 or more	50 35.2	Unknown	6 4.2	Median	9
25-30	17 12.0	Unknown	24 16.9	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>	<b>125 88.0</b>	Range	1-36
Over 30	23 16.2	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$100	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	<b>70 58.8</b>
Unknown	20 14.1	0	80 56.3	Maximum	\$10500	Mean	8
<b>RACE:</b>		1	20 14.1	Mean	\$938	Median	8
Caucasian	116 81.7	2 or more	18 12.7	Standard Deviation	\$1235	Range	1-18
Aboriginal	3 2.1	Unknown	24 16.9	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	<b>0 0.0</b>
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	132 93.0	Mean	0
Other	0 0.0	No	89 62.7	No	10 7.0	Median	0
Unknown	23 16.2	Yes	29 20.4	Declined	0 0.0	Range	0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	24 16.9	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	<b>2 1.7</b>
Employed	32 22.5	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	24
Unemployed	71 50.0	South Australia	133 93.7	0	110 77.5	Median	24
Pensioner	6 4.2	Interstate	5 3.5	1	29 20.4	Range	24-24
Student	1 0.7	No Fixed Place	2 1.4	2	3 2.1	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	<b>0 0.0</b>
Home Duties	6 4.2	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	<b>0 0.0</b>
Other	6 4.2	Unknown	2 1.4	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	<b>14 11.8</b>
Unknown	20 14.1	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	16 11.3	Mean	201
Never Married	67 47.2	Never Married	67 47.2	2	39 27.5	Median	197
Married	16 11.3	Married	16 11.3	3	34 23.9	Range	100-500
Separated	6 4.2	Separated	6 4.2	4	20 14.1		
Divorced	4 2.8	Divorced	4 2.8	5 or more	32 22.5		
Widowed	1 0.7	Widowed	1 0.7	Unknown	1 0.7		
De Facto	19 13.4	De Facto	19 13.4	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>			
Unknown	29 20.4	Unknown	29 20.4	0	44 31.0		
				1	54 38.0		
				2	20 14.1		
				3	9 6.3		
				4	6 4.2		
				5 or more	9 6.3		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.18

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 EMBEZZLEMENT

31.

Distinct Persons Charged = 39

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	29 74.4	South Australia	11 28.2	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	32 82.1
Female	9 23.1	Australia (Unspecified)	11 28.2	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	35 89.7	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Unknown	1 2.6	Interstate	3 7.7	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	5 12.8
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	7 17.9	Cash & Recognizance	2 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	7 17.9	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	2 5.1
Oldest	55	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Mean	34	0	17 43.6	Bail not applied for	1 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	6 15.4	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	5 12.8	2	3 7.7	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	5 15.6
20-25	7 17.9	3 or more	5 12.8	Unknown	1 2.6	Median	15
25-30	3 7.7	Unknown	8 20.5	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 37 94.9</b>		Range	9-18
Over 30	20 51.3	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$200	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	4 10.3	0	27 69.2	Maximum	\$4000	Mean	24 75.0
<b>RACE:</b>		1	4 10.3	Mean	\$904	Median	12
Caucasian	29 74.4	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$784	Range	4-24
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	8 20.5	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	39 100.0	Mean	24
Other	0 0.0	No	27 69.2	No	0 0.0	Median	24
Unknown	10 25.6	Yes	4 10.3	Declined	0 0.0	Range	24-24
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	8 20.5	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	21 53.8	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	12
Unemployed	11 28.2	South Australia	35 89.7	0	34 87.2	Median	12
Pensioner	0 0.0	Interstate	1 2.6	1	5 12.8	Range	12-12
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	2 5.1	2	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	3 7.7	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	ORDER:	N= 0 0.0
Other	3 7.7	Unknown	1 2.6	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Unknown	1 2.6	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	5 12.8	Mean	1 3.1
Never Married	11 28.2	Never Married	11 28.2	2	8 20.5	Median	200
Married	12 30.8	Married	12 30.8	3	12 30.8	Range	200-200
Separated	2 5.1	Separated	2 5.1	4	7 17.9	<b>ORDER:</b>	
Divorced	1 2.6	Divorced	1 2.6	5 or more	7 17.9	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Widowed	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0	Mean	200
De Facto	6 15.4	De Facto	6 15.4	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Median	200
Unknown	7 17.9	Unknown	7 17.9	0	11 28.2	Range	200-200
				1	13 33.3		
				2	6 15.4		
				3	3 7.7		
				4	2 5.1		
				5 or more	4 10.3		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 FALSE PRETENCES

Distinct Persons Charged = 41

<b>SEX:</b>				<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>				<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>				<b>OUTCOME:</b>			
Male	41	100.0		South Australia	2	4.9		At large: Bail not required	0	0.0		Guilty as charged	39	95.1	
Female	0	0.0		Australia (Unspecified)	13	31.7		On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	29	70.7		Guilty - lesser	0	0.0	
Unknown	0	0.0		Interstate	11	26.8		Cash	3	7.3		Not guilty	0	0.0	
<b>AGE:</b>				Overseas	12	29.3		Cash & Recognizance	5	12.2		Not guilty - insanity	0	0.0	
Youngest	18			Unknown	3	7.3		In custody: On another matter	1	2.4		Nolle prosequi	2	4.9	
Oldest	47			<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>				Bail refused	1	4.9		Died	0	0.0	
Mean	29			0	21	51.2		Bail not applied for	2	0.0		<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>			
Child	0	0.0		1	3	7.3		Bail not raised	0	0.0		<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>			
18-20	8	19.5		2	3	7.3		Unspecified	0	0.0		Mean	13	33.3	
20-25	9	22.0		3 or more	11	26.8		Unknown	0	0.0		Median	10		
25-30	6	14.6		Unknown	3	7.3		<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 37</b>			Range	6-36			
Over 30	16	39.0		<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>				Minimum	\$400		<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>				
Unknown	2	4.9		0	32	78.0		Maximum	\$4000		Mean	19	46.7		
<b>RACE:</b>				1	2	4.9		Mean	\$1407		Median	11			
Caucasian	31	75.6		2 or more	4	9.8		Standard Deviation	\$785		Range	2-24			
Aboriginal	0	0.0		Unknown	3	7.3		<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>			<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>				
Oriental	0	0.0		<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>				Yes	38	92.7		Mean	0	0.0	
Other	0	0.0		No	32	78.0		No	2	4.9		Median	0		
Unknown	10	24.4		Yes	6	14.6		Declined	0	0.0		Range	0		
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>				Unknown	3	7.3		Unknown	1	2.4		<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>			
Employed	16	39.0		<b>RESIDENCE:</b>				<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>			Mean	3	7.7		
Unemployed	16	39.0		South Australia	31	75.6		0	38	92.7	Median	18			
Pensioner	0	0.0		Interstate	3	7.3		1	2	4.9	Range	12-24			
Student	0	0.0		No Fixed Place	7	17.1		2	0	0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>				
Home Duties	0	0.0		Overseas	0	0.0		3 or more	1	2.4	<b>ORDER: N=</b>				
Other	0	0.0		Unknown	0	0.0		<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>			<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>				
Unknown	9	22.0		<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>				1	1	2.4	Mean	4	10.3		
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>				0	11	26.8		2	6	14.6	Median	300			
Never Married	16	39.0		1	19	46.3		3	19	46.3	Range	250			
Married	10	24.4		2	8	19.5		4	9	22.0	<b>200-500</b>				
Separated	2	4.9		3	0	0.0		5 or more	6	14.6					
Divorced	5	12.2		Unknown	0	0.0		Unknown	0	0.0					
Widowed	0	0.0													
De Facto	5	12.2													
Unknown	3	7.3													

Table 2.20

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981

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Distinct Persons Charged = 11

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<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	9 81.8	South Australia	0 0.0	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	6 54.5
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	4 36.4	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	8 72.7	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Corporate Body	2 18.2	Interstate	1 9.1	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	4 36.4
		Overseas	1 9.1	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Unknown	5 45.5	In custody: On another matter	1 9.1	Nolle prosequi	1 9.1
Youngest	23	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Oldest	59	0	0 0.0	Bail not applied for	0 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Mean	43	1	0 0.0	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
Child	0 0.0	2	3 27.3	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	14
18-20	0 0.0	3 or more	2 18.2	Unknown	2 18.2	Median	14
20-25	2 18.2	Unknown	6 54.5	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b>	8 72.7	Range	14-14
25-30	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$200	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Over 30	4 36.4	0	4 36.4	Maximum	\$1000	Mean	3 50.0
Unknown	5 45.5	1	0 0.0	Mean	\$638	Median	8
<b>RACE:</b>		2 or more	1 9.1	Standard Deviation	\$316	Range	6-9
Caucasian	5 45.5	Unknown	6 54.5	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Aboriginal	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	9 81.8	Mean	0 0.0
Oriental	0 0.0	No	2 18.2	No	2 18.2	Median	0
Other	0 0.0	Yes	3 27.3	Declined	0 0.0	Range	0
Unknown	6 54.5	Unknown	6 54.5	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	0
Employed	4 36.4	South Australia	8 72.7	0	11 100.0	Median	0
Unemployed	2 18.2	Interstate	0 0.0	1	0 0.0	Range	0
Pensioner	1 9.1	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	2	0 0.0	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Student	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	Mean	24
Home Duties	0 0.0	Unknown	3 27.3	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Median	24
Other	0 0.0			1	1 9.1	Range	24-24
Unknown	4 36.4			2	0 0.0	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>				3	0 0.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Never Married	1 9.1			4	1 9.1	Mean	
Married	1 9.1			5 or more	9 81.8	Median	
Separated	1 9.1			Unknown	0 0.0	Range	
Divorced	2 18.2			<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>			
Widowed	0 0.0			0	2 18.2		
De Facto	1 9.1			1	2 18.2		
Unknown	5 45.5			2	1 9.1		
				3	0 0.0		
				4	0 0.0		
				5 or more	6 54.5		
				Unknown	0 0.0		
					0 0.0		

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY.  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
FORGE AND UTTER

Distinct Persons Charged = 37

<b>SEX:</b>		
Male	25	67.6
Female	12	32.4
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		
Youngest	18	
Oldest	69	
Mean	29	
Child	0	0.0
18-20	7	18.9
20-25	11	29.7
25-30	6	16.2
Over 30	11	29.7
Unknown	2	5.4
<b>RACE:</b>		
Caucasian	24	64.9
Aboriginal	2	5.4
Oriental	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0
Unknown	11	29.7
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		
Employed	11	29.7
Unemployed	16	43.2
Pensioner	4	10.8
Student	0	0.0
Home Duties	3	8.1
Other	2	5.4
Unknown	1	2.7
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		
Never Married	14	37.8
Married	8	21.6
Separated	3	8.1
Divorced	3	8.1
Widowed	1	2.7
De Facto	6	16.2
Unknown	2	5.4

<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		
South Australia	14	37.8
Australia (Unspecified)	7	18.9
Interstate	2	5.4
Overseas	11	29.7
Unknown	3	8.1
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		
0	13	35.1
1	4	10.8
2	2	5.4
3 or more	12	32.4
Unknown	6	16.2
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		
0	27	73.0
1	2	5.4
2 or more	2	5.4
Unknown	6	16.2
<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		
No	22	59.5
Yes	9	24.3
Unknown	6	16.2
<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		
South Australia	35	94.6
Interstate	0	0.0
No Fixed Place	1	2.7
Overseas	0	0.0
Unknown	1	2.7

<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		
At large: Bail not required	0	0.0
On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	30	81.1
Cash	0	0.0
Cash & Recognizance	2	5.4
In custody: On another matter	0	0.0
Bail refused	4	10.8
Bail not applied for	1	2.7
Bail not raised	0	0.0
Unspecified	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 32</b>		
Minimum	\$300	
Maximum	\$2000	
Mean	\$658	
Standard Deviation	\$367	
<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		
Yes	36	97.3
No	1	2.7
Declined	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		
0	9	24.3
1	20	54.1
2	7	18.9
3 or more	1	2.7
<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		
1	3	8.1
2	10	27.0
3	13	35.1
4	4	10.8
5 or more	7	18.9
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		
0	16	43.2
1	14	37.8
2	3	8.1
3	3	8.1
4	0	0.0
5 or more	1	2.7
Unknown	0	0.0

<b>OUTCOME:</b>		
Guilty as charged	34	91.9
Guilty - lesser	1	2.7
Not guilty	1	2.7
Not guilty - insanity	0	0.0
Nolle prosequi	1	2.7
Died	0	0.0
<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>		
<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>		
Mean	7	20.6
Median	26	
Range	12-42	
<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>		
Mean	16	47.1
Median	17	
Range	6-24	
<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>		
Mean	5	14.7
Median	24	
Range	24-24	
<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>		
Mean	5	14.7
Median	24	
Range	12-36	
<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>		
Mean	0	0.0
Median	0	0.0
Range	0-0	
<b>ORDER: N=</b>		
Mean	0	0.0
Median	0	0.0
Range	0-0	
<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>		
Mean	100	
Median	100	
Range	100-100	

DRUG OFFENCES

This category is divided into two main groups: cannabis related offences and those involving other substances. Total number of cases heard for the offences in this category are:

. Cannabis - cultivate	116
- sell	14
- possess for sale	41
- possess or use	5
. Other substances - sell	18
- possess or use	3

Simple possession, particularly of cannabis is usually dealt with in the Courts of Summary Jurisdiction, so that very few cases are heard in higher courts. Over half the drug cases were for the indictable offence of cultivation.

The characteristics of those charged with cultivating differ markedly from other defendants charged with drug offences. The most striking factors being employment status, with over half being employed or self-employed, and birthplace where a very high proportion (43%) are born overseas. The countries represented are:

	N	%
. United Kingdom	17	35
. Italy	12	25
. Greece	5	10
. Turkey	4	8
. Yugoslavia	3	2
. Other European	4	8
. Other English Speaking	3	2

Only one aboriginal person was charged with a drug offence.

For those whose criminal record is known, just under half of those charged with cultivating had no previous adult conviction, and only 6 persons had previously been convicted for this offence of cultivating. 15% only had previously been imprisoned. For other drug offences the numbers are higher. Two-thirds had previous adult convictions, but only 2 persons for the offence charged. Almost all defendants were allowed free on bail after committal but, except for simple possession the bail is high, up to \$16,000 with an average of \$1,300.

Four out of five drug defendants pleaded guilty as charged with all but 3% being convicted of some offence, (6% of a lesser offence than charged). Sale of drugs, other than cannabis, usually leads to imprisonment. About two-thirds of those convicted of this offence were jailed, with sentences from two to seven years. Fines are used in sentencing drug offenders more than for any other offence in higher courts. Over half of those convicted for cultivating were fined only, the fines ranging from \$50 to \$500. For the other offences, a fine only is more rare (12 cases out of 63), but half the defendants were given suspended sentences.

Included in the category "other substances" and the associated number of cases are as follows:

. Possess or Use Heroin	4
. Possess instruments for use of Heroin	1
. Sell and Supply Heroin	2
. Possess Heroin for Sale	4
. Import Heroin	1
. Possess Amphetamines for Sale	1
. Forge and Utter prescription for dextromoramide (palfium)	1

No cases involving cocaine or hallucinogenic drugs were heard in the Supreme or District Courts.

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 CULTIVATE MARIJUANA

Distinct Persons Charged = 116

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	108 93.1	South Australia	22 19.0	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	112 96.6
Female	7 6.0	Australia (Unspecified)	32 27.6	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	108 93.1	Guilty - lesser	2 1.7
Unknown	1 0.9	Interstate	9 7.8	Cash	3 2.6	Not guilty	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	47 40.5	Cash & Recognizance	1 0.9	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	6 5.2	In custody: On another matter	2 1.7	Nolle prosequi	2 1.7
Oldest	56	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	1 0.9	Died	0 0.0
Mean	28	0	50 43.1	Bail not applied for	0 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	15 12.9	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	12 10.3	2	14 12.1	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	21 18.8
20-25	37 31.9	3 or more	30 25.9	Unknown	1 0.9	Median	21
25-30	33 28.4	Unknown	7 6.0	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=</b> 112 96.6		Range	23
Over 30	30 25.9	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$100	9-36	
Unknown	4 3.4	0	103 88.8	Maximum	\$4000		
<b>RACE:</b>		1	4 3.5	Mean	\$1107	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Caucasian	101 87.1	2 or more	2 1.7	Standard Deviation	\$821	Mean	29 25.9
Aboriginal	1 0.9	Unknown	7 6.0	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		Median	6
Oriental	0 0.0	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	111 95.7	Range	4
Other	0 0.0	No	93 80.2	No	4 3.4	<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	14 12.1	Yes	16 13.8	Declined	0 0.0	Mean	0 0.0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	7 6.0	Unknown	1 0.9	Median	0
Employed	42 36.2	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Range	0
Unemployed	44 37.9	South Australia	114 98.3	0	61 52.6	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Pensioner	4 3.4	Interstate	1 0.9	1	40 34.5	Mean	1 0.9
Student	1 0.9	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	2	12 10.3	Median	12
Home Duties	1 0.9	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	3 2.6	Range	12-12
Other	20 17.2	Unknown	1 0.9	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Unknown	4 3.4	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	7 6.0	0 0.0	
Never Married	52 44.8	Never Married	32 27.6	2	30 25.9	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Married	2 1.7	Married	2 1.7	3	39 33.6	0 0.0	
Separated	1 0.9	Separated	1 0.9	4	15 12.9	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Divorced	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	5 or more	25 21.6	Mean	61 54.5
Widowed	24 20.7	Widowed	5 4.3	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	229
De Facto	5 4.3	De Facto	5 4.3	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Range	211
Unknown	5 4.3	Unknown	5 4.3	0	73 62.9	50-500	
				1	21 18.1		
				2	10 8.6		
				3	8 6.9		
				4	2 1.7		
				5 or more	2 1.7		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.23

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY:  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
SELL MARIJUANA

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Distinct Persons Charged = 14

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	14 100.0	South Australia	3 21.4	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	14 100.0
Female	0 0.0	Australia (Unspecified)	5 35.7	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	13 92.9	Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	3 21.4	Cash	0 0.0	Not guilty	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	3 21.4	Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	0 0.0	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	56	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	1 7.1	Died	0 0.0
Mean	25	0	7 50.0	Bail not applied for	0 0.0	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	2 14.3	Bail not raised	0 0.0	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	5 35.7	2	0 0.0	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	3 21.4
20-25	0 0.0	3 or more	4 28.6	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	13
25-30	7 7.1	Unknown	1 7.1	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 13 92.9</b>		Range	6-18
Over 30	1 7.1	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$400	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	0 0.0	0	12 85.7	Maximum	\$6000	Mean	6 42.9
<b>RACE:</b>		1	1 7.1	Mean	\$1677	Median	14
Caucasian	9 64.3	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$1648	Range	6-24
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	1 7.1	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	1 7.1	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	14 100.0	Mean	0 0.0
Other	0 0.0	No	10 71.4	No	0 0.0	Median	0 0.0
Unknown	4 28.6	Yes	3 21.4	Declined	0 0.0	Range	0 0.0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	1 7.1	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	7 50.0	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	0 0.0
Unemployed	6 42.9	South Australia	13 92.9	0	5 35.7	Median	0 0.0
Pensioner	0 0.0	Interstate	1 7.1	1	5 35.7	Range	0 0.0
Student	0 0.0	No Fixed Place	0 0.0	2	4 28.6	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	0 0.0	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	Mean	0 0.0
Other	1 7.1	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Median	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	0 0.0	Range	0 0.0
Never Married	10 71.4	Never Married	3 21.4	2	2 14.3	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Married	3 21.4	Separated	0 0.0	3	4 28.6	Mean	0 0.0
Separated	0 0.0	Divorced	0 0.0	4	1 7.1	Median	0 0.0
Divorced	0 0.0	Widowed	0 0.0	5 or more	7 50.0	Range	0 0.0
Widowed	0 0.0	De Facto	1 7.1	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
De Facto	1 7.1	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Mean	5 35.7
Unknown	0 0.0	0	5 35.7	0	5 35.7	Median	400
		1	4 28.6	1	4 28.6	Range	263
		2	3 21.4	2	3 21.4		200-500
		3	2 14.3	3	2 14.3		
		4	0 0.0	4	0 0.0		
		5 or more	0 0.0	5 or more	0 0.0		
		Unknown	0 0.0	Unknown	0 0.0		

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
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POSSESS MARIJUANA FOR SALE

Distinct Persons Charged = 41

<b>SEX:</b>		<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Male	36 87.8	South Australia	14 34.1	At large: Bail not required	0 0.0	Guilty as charged	33 80.5
Female	5 12.2	Australia (Unspecified)	12 29.3	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	32 78.0	Guilty - lesser	7 17.1
Unknown	0 0.0	Interstate	6 14.6	Cash	3 7.3	Not guilty	1 2.4
<b>AGE:</b>		Overseas	9 22.0	Cash & Recognizance	4 9.8	Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Youngest	18	Unknown	0 0.0	In custody: On another matter	0 0.0	Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Oldest	36	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		Bail refused	0 0.0	Died	0 0.0
Mean	25	0	13 31.7	Bail not applied for	1 2.4	<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
Child	0 0.0	1	5 12.2	Bail not raised	1 2.4	<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=</b>	
18-20	9 22.0	2	4 9.8	Unspecified	0 0.0	Mean	14
20-25	14 34.1	3 or more	18 43.9	Unknown	0 0.0	Median	14
25-30	12 29.3	Unknown	1 2.4	<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 39 95.1</b>		Range	6-24
Over 30	6 14.6	<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		Minimum	\$300	<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=</b>	
Unknown	0 0.0	0	39 95.1	Maximum	\$6000	Mean	22 56.7
<b>RACE:</b>		1	1 2.4	Mean	\$1227	Median	9
Caucasian	25 61.0	2 or more	0 0.0	Standard Deviation	\$1170	Range	3-24
Aboriginal	0 0.0	Unknown	1 2.4	<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Oriental	1 2.4	<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		Yes	40 97.6	Mean	0 0.0
Other	0 0.0	No	31 75.6	No	1 2.4	Median	0 0.0
Unknown	15 36.6	Yes	9 22.0	Declined	0 0.0	Range	0 0.0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		Unknown	1 2.4	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Employed	12 29.3	<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		Mean	0 0.0
Unemployed	23 56.1	South Australia	36 87.8	0	7 17.1	Median	0 0.0
Pensioner	1 2.4	Interstate	4 9.8	1	27 65.9	Range	0 0.0
Student	1 2.4	No Fixed Place	1 2.4	2	7 17.1	<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
Home Duties	1 2.4	Overseas	0 0.0	3 or more	0 0.0	Mean	0 0.0
Other	3 7.3	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		Median	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		1	2 4.9	Range	0 0.0
Never Married		Never Married	27 65.9	2	7 17.1	<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
Married		Married	4 9.8	3	7 17.1	Mean	
Separated		Separated	3 7.3	4	12 29.3	Median	
Divorced		Divorced	1 2.4	5 or more	13 31.7	Range	
Widowed		Widowed	1 2.4	Unknown	0 0.0	<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
De Facto		De Facto	0 0.0	<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		Mean	3 9.1
Unknown		Unknown	1 2.4	0	20 48.8	Median	317
				1	14 34.1	Range	200-450
				2	4 9.8		
				3	2 4.9		
				4	0 0.0		
				5 or more	1 2.4		
				Unknown	0 0.0		

Table 2.25

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
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POSSESS OR USE MARIJUANA

41.

Distinct Persons Charged = 5

SEX:		BIRTHPLACE:		BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:		OUTCOME:	
Male	4	South Australia	1	At large: Bail not required	0	Guilty as charged	3
Female	1	Australia (Unspecified)	0	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	5	Guilty - lesser	0
Unknown	0	Interstate	0	Cash	0	Not guilty	1
AGE:		Overseas	2	Cash & Recognizance	0	Not guilty - insanity	0
Youngest	18	Unknown	2	In custody: On another matter	0	Nolle prosequi	1
Oldest	26	NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):		Bail refused	0	Died	0
Mean	23	0	1	Bail not applied for	0	MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:	
Child	0	1	0	Bail not raised	0	IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N=	
18-20	1	2 or more	2	Unspecified	0	Mean	0
20-25	1	Unknown	2	Unknown	0	Median	0
25-30	1	NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):		AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N=		Range	0
Over 30	0	0	3	Minimum	5	IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N=	
Unknown	2	1	0	Maximum	100.0	Mean	0
RACE:		2 or more	0	Mean	5	Median	0
Caucasian	4	Unknown	2	Standard Deviation	100.0	Range	0
Aboriginal	0	PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:		LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:		BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=	
Oriental	0	No	3	Yes	5	Mean	0
Other	0	Yes	0	No	0	Median	0
Unknown	1	Unknown	2	Declined	0	Range	0
EMPLOYMENT STATUS:		RESIDENCE:		Unknown	0	BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=	
Employed	3	South Australia	5	NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:		Mean	0
Unemployed	2	Interstate	0	0	5	Median	0
Pensioner	0	No Fixed Place	0	1	0	Range	0
Student	0	Overseas	0	2	0	RISING OF COURT: N=	
Home Duties	0	Unknown	0	3 or more	0	ORDER N=	
Other	0	NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):		NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:		MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=	
Unknown	0	1	0	0	4	Mean	3
MARITAL STATUS:		2	0	1	0	Median	133
Never Married	3	3 or more	0	2	0	Range	125
Married	0	Unknown	0	4	0	100-200	
Separated	0	BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:		5 or more	1		
Divorced	0	APPEARANCE:		Unknown	0		
Widowed	0	At large: Bail not required					
De Facto	0	On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties					
Unknown	2	Cash					

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Distinct Persons Charged = 18

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 OTHER NARCOTICS - SELL, ETC.

<b>SEX:</b>		
Male	16	88.9
Female	2	11.1
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>AGE:</b>		
Youngest	20	
Oldest	43	
Mean	27	
Child	0	0.0
18-20	2	11.1
20-25	6	33.3
25-30	5	27.8
Over 30	4	22.2
Unknown	1	5.6
<b>RACE:</b>		
Caucasian	13	72.2
Aboriginal	0	0.0
Oriental	0	0.0
Other	0	0.0
Unknown	5	27.8
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>		
Employed	7	38.9
Unemployed	5	27.8
Pensioner	2	11.1
Student	1	5.6
Home Duties	0	0.0
Other	1	5.6
Unknown	2	11.1
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>		
Never Married	11	61.1
Married	2	11.1
Separated	0	0.0
Divorced	1	5.6
Widowed	0	0.0
De Facto	2	11.1
Unknown	2	11.1

<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>		
South Australia	4	22.2
Australia (Unspecified)	6	33.3
Interstate	1	5.6
Overseas	4	22.2
Unknown	3	16.7
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>		
0	5	27.8
1	1	5.6
2	4	22.2
3 or more	6	33.3
Unknown	2	11.1
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>		
0	16	88.9
1	0	0.0
2 or more	0	0.0
Unknown	2	11.1
<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>		
No	10	55.6
Yes	6	33.3
Unknown	2	11.1
<b>RESIDENCE:</b>		
South Australia	18	100.0
Interstate	0	0.0
No Fixed Place	0	0.0
Overseas	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0

<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		
At large: Bail not required	0	0.0
On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	14	77.8
Cash	0	0.0
Cash & Recognizance	2	11.1
In custody: On another matter	0	0.0
Bail refused	1	5.6
Bail not applied for	0	0.0
Bail not raised	0	0.0
Unspecified	0	0.0
Unknown	1	5.6
<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 16</b>		
Minimum	\$500	
Maximum	\$16000	
Mean	\$2481	
Standard Deviation	\$3771	
<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>		
Yes	18	100.0
No	0	0.0
Declined	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>		
0	2	11.1
1	10	55.6
2	6	33.3
3	0	0.0
<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>		
1	1	5.6
2	0	0.0
3	3	16.7
4	3	16.7
5 or more	4	22.2
Unknown	0	0.0
<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>		
0	6	33.3
1	5	27.8
2	5	27.8
3	0	0.0
4	2	11.1
5 or more	0	0.0
Unknown	0	0.0

<b>OUTCOME:</b>		
Guilty as charged	11	61.1
Guilty - lesser	5	27.8
Not guilty	1	5.6
Not guilty - insanity	0	0.0
Nolle prosequi	1	5.6
Died	0	0.0
<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>		
<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N= 7</b>		
Mean	47	63.6
Median	47	
Range	24-84	
<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N= 2</b>		
Mean	20	18.2
Median	20	
Range	10-30	
<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N= 0</b>		
Mean	0	0.0
Median	0	
Range	0	
<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N= 1</b>		
Mean	12	9.1
Median	12	
Range	12-12	
<b>RISING OF COURT: N= 0</b>		
Mean	0	0.0
Median	0	
Range	0	
<b>ORDER: N= 0</b>		
Mean	0	0.0
Median	0	
Range	0	
<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N= 1</b>		
Mean	100	9.1
Median	100	
Range	100-100	

Table 2.27

DEFENDANT, COURT PROCESS AND SENTENCING SUMMARY  
 SOUTH AUSTRALIAN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS  
 1ST JULY, 1980 - 30TH JUNE, 1981  
 OTHER NARCOTICS - USE, etc.

Distinct Persons Charged = 3

<b>SEX:</b>	
Male	1 33.3
Female	2 66.7
Unknown	0 0.0
<b>AGE:</b>	
Youngest	23
Oldest	23
Mean	23
Child	0 0.0
18-20	0 0.0
20-25	2 66.7
25-30	0 0.0
Over 30	0 0.0
Unknown	1 33.3
<b>RACE:</b>	
Caucasian	3 100.0
Aboriginal	0 0.0
Oriental	0 0.0
Other	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
<b>EMPLOYMENT STATUS:</b>	
Employed	0 0.0
Unemployed	1 33.3
Pensioner	0 0.0
Student	0 0.0
Home Duties	1 33.3
Other	0 0.0
Unknown	1 33.3
<b>MARITAL STATUS:</b>	
Never Married	1 33.3
Married	0 0.0
Separated	0 33.3
Divorced	0 0.0
Widowed	0 0.0
De Facto	0 0.0
Unknown	1 33.3

<b>BIRTHPLACE:</b>	
South Australia	1 33.3
Australia (Unspecified)	1 33.3
Interstate	0 0.0
Overseas	0 0.0
Unknown	1 33.3
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (ANY OFFENCE):</b>	
0	0 0.0
1	0 0.0
2	0 0.0
3 or more	2 66.7
Unknown	1 33.3
<b>NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ADULT CONVICTIONS (PRINCIPAL OFFENCE):</b>	
0	2 66.7
1	0 0.0
2 or more	0 0.0
Unknown	1 33.3
<b>PREVIOUS JUVENILE OR ADULT IMPRISONMENT:</b>	
No	2 66.7
Yes	0 0.0
Unknown	1 33.3
<b>RESIDENCE:</b>	
South Australia	3 100.0
Interstate	0 0.0
No Fixed Place	0 0.0
Overseas	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0

<b>BAIL STATUS AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>	
At large: Bail not required	0 0.0
On bail: Recognizance and/or sureties	3 100.0
Cash	0 0.0
Cash & Recognizance	0 0.0
In custody: On another matter	0 0.0
Bail refused	0 0.0
Bail not applied for	0 0.0
Bail not raised	0 0.0
Unspecified	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
<b>AMOUNT OF BAIL (WHEN REQUIRED): N= 3 100.0</b>	
Minimum	\$300
Maximum	\$2400
Mean	\$1067
Standard Deviation	\$1159
<b>LEGAL REPRESENTATION AT INITIAL COURT APPEARANCE:</b>	
Yes	3 100.0
No	0 0.0
Declined	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0
<b>NUMBER OF ADDITIONAL CHARGES LAID:</b>	
0	1 33.3
1	2 66.7
2	0 0.0
3	0 0.0
<b>NUMBER OF APPEARANCES (COURT OF SUMMARY JURISDICTION):</b>	
1	0 0.0
2	1 33.3
3	0 0.0
4	0 0.0
5 or more	2 66.7
Unknown	0 0.0
<b>NUMBER OF HIGHER COURT REMANDS:</b>	
0	1 33.3
1	0 0.0
2	0 0.0
3	0 33.3
4	1 33.3
5 or more	0 0.0
Unknown	0 0.0

<b>OUTCOME:</b>	
Guilty as charged	2 66.7
Guilty - lesser	0 0.0
Not guilty	1 33.3
Not guilty - insanity	0 0.0
Nolle prosequi	0 0.0
Died	0 0.0
<b>MAJOR PENALTIES IMPOSED CONVICTIONS - PRINCIPAL CHARGE:</b>	
<b>IMMEDIATE IMPRISONMENT (in months) N= 1 50.0</b>	
Mean	9
Median	9
Range	9-9
<b>IMPRISONMENT SUSPENDED (in months) N= 1 50.0</b>	
Mean	6
Median	6
Range	6-6
<b>BOND WITH SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Mean	
Median	
Range	
<b>BOND WITHOUT SUPERVISION (in months) N=</b>	
Mean	
Median	
Range	
<b>RISING OF COURT: N=</b>	
<b>ORDER: N=</b>	
<b>MONETARY FINE: (in dollars) N=</b>	
Mean	
Median	
Range	

DETAILS OF PLEA, OUTCOME AND SENTENCE

For each of the four groupings of offences the first correspond to the total number of charges laid for each offence group in Part 1 of this report. In these tables plea is cross tabulated with the outcome of cases. The second table summarize the major penalty for offences convicted. This includes the lesser offences when the major offence is withdrawn. In contrast, the tables in Part 1 of this report only give the sentences for the major offences as charged.

For example those sentenced with manslaughter in table 2.2 comprise 5 cases where the original charge was murder. The two charges for manslaughter both resulted in acquittals.

The third table shows the total effective sentence for all convictions. Where more than one penalty, e.g. a suspended sentence and its associated probation, are given then both will be shown in this table. However, from these tables one cannot draw conclusions about the frequency of various combinations of penalties imposed.

The severity of sentencing is indicated by the mean value (average of all sentences awarded) in months for bonds and imprisonment, and dollars for fines, and the range (smallest to largest) of values and its middle point (called the median). If the median is less than the mean then the values are bunched towards the lower values. On the other hand, if the median is greater, the values will be spread towards the higher end of the scale.

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The principal offence category 'other offence' for the four offence groupings consist of the following offences.

Homicide and Assault Offences

- Child Stealing - 12 month prison sentence
- False Imprisonment - 16 month prison sentence
- Interfere with witness - 6 month suspended prison sentence
- Send threatening letter - 9 month suspended prison sentence

Sexual Offences

- Incest - 18 month prison sentence
- Incent - 17 month prison sentence
- Incent - 12 month prison sentence
- Attempted Buggery - 4 month suspended prison sentence
- Permit defilement of female under 17 years on premises - acquitted

Offences Against Property

- Receiving - 39 cases
- Found by night in possession of housebreaking implements - 10 cases
- Malicious damage - 8 cases
- Kill sheep with intent to steal carcass - 3 cases
- Maliciously killing sheep - 2 cases
- Breach under the Consumer Transaction Act - 1 case

Other Offences

- Accessory after the fact - 12 cases
- Accessory before the fact - 5 cases
- Conspiracy to defraud - 6 cases
- Conspiracy to cheat and defraud - 1 case
- Conspiracy - 1 case
- Escape from prison - 4 cases
- Air Navigation Act - 3 cases
- Bigamy - 2 cases
- Attempted False Pretences - 1 case
- Perjury - 1 case

TABLE 3.1 PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA BY CASE OUTCOME: HOMICIDE AND ASSAULT

CASE OUTCOME	# PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA																		
	Murder		Attempted Murder		Manslaughter		Major Assault		Minor Assault		Death by Driving		Other Offences		Total				
	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)			
CONVICTED: Murder																			
Attempted Murder			1												1				
Manslaughter	3	2													3	2			
Major Assault		2	4	1			89	30				1			93	34			
Minor Assault							10	3	5	3					15	6			
Death by Driving											9	5			9	5			
Other Offences			1									2	3	1	4	3			
NOLLE PROSEQUI								1	4		7					11			
ACQUITTED		3		1		2		19		11						36			
NOT GUILTY - INSANITY		2														2			
TOTAL	3	7	2	6	2	2	99	53	4	5	14	7	9	8	3	1	125	87	13

## PLEA:

G = Guilty

NG = Not Guilty

(NP) = No Plea

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TABLE 3.2 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: HOMICIDE AND ASSAULT

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED	SENTENCE IMPOSED									
	Probation and/or bond	Fine Only	Imprisonment Suspended	Immediate Imprisonment						Total
				Less than 6 months	6 months up to 1 year	1 year up to 2 years	2 years up to 5 years	5 years up to 10 years	10 years or more	
Murder										
Attempted Murder						1				1
Manslaughter			4					1		5
Major Assault	10	15	62	11	21	4	6			129
Minor Assault	2	8	7	3	1					21
Death by Driving		2	6		2	3	1			14
Other			2			2				4
Total	12	25	81	14	24	10	7	1		174

**TABLE 3.3 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: HOMICIDE AND ASSAULT**  
**(Total Effective Sentence, Principal Offence)**

Offence	Total Convictions	Probation and/or Bond			Total Fines			Suspended Sentence			Immediate Imprisonment		
		(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in dollars)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range
Murder													
Attempted Murder	1										(1)14.0	14.0	14-14
Manslaughter	5	(4)27.8	16.5	12-60	(1)1000	1000	1000-1000	(4)27.8	16.5	12-60	(1)72.0	72.0	72-72
Major Assault	129	(73)10.9	6.3	2-60	(24) 223	215	100-450	(62) 9.1	6.0	2-60	(42)11.6	8.5	1-57
Minor Assault	21	(10) 8.8	3.5	2-24	(10) 175	175	50-400	(7) 4.0	3.1	2-10	(4) 3.8	3.5	2-6
Death by Driving	14	(6) 8.7	9.5	3-12	(6) 342	375	150-400	(6) 8.7	9.5	3-12	(6)14.0	11.0	6-36
Other Offences	4	(2) 7.5	7.5	6-9				(2) 7.5	7.5	6-9	(2)14.0	14.0	12-16

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TABLE 3.4 PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA BY CASE OUTCOME: SEXUAL OFFENCES

CASE OUTCOME	PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA														
	Rape		Attempted Rape		Indecent Assault		Unlawful Sexual Intercourse		Other Offences		Total				
	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)			
CONVICTED: Rape	4	10									4	10			
Attempted Rape			3								3				
Indecent Assault		2			26	3	1				27	5			
Unlawful Sexual Intercourse		1					19	1			19	2			
Other Offences									4		4				
NOLLE PROSEQUI		2	4				2					2	6		
ACQUITTED		11		1		8		1		1		22			
TOTAL	4	26	4	3	1	26	11	2	20	2	4	1	57	41	6

PLEA:  
 G = Guilty  
 NG = Not Guilty  
 (NP) = No Plea

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TABLE 3.5 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: SEXUAL OFFENCES

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED	SENTENCE IMPOSED									
	Probation and/or bond	Fine Only	Imprisonment Suspended	Immediate Imprisonment						Total
				Less than 6 months	6 months up to 1 year	1 year up to 2 years	2 years up to 5 years	5 years up to 10 years	10 years or more	
Rape			1				11	2		14
Attempted Rape						1	2			3
Indecent assault	1	2	17		6	3	3			32
Unlawful sexual intercourse		4	11	4	1	1	2	1		24
Other			1			3				4
Total	1	6	30	4	7	8	18	3		77

**TABLE 3.6 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: SEXUAL OFFENCES**  
 (Total Effective Sentence, Principal Offence)

Offence	Total Convictions	Probation and/or Bond			Total Fines			Suspended Sentence			Immediate Imprisonment		
		(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in dollars)	range	n	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range
Rape	14	(2)25.5	25.5	24-27				(1)24.0	24.0	24-24	(13)47.0	42.0	24-96
Attempted Rape	3	(1)36.0	36.0	36-36							(3)24.0	24.0	12-36
Indecent Assault	32	(21)10.8	9.1	1-24	(4)275	275	150-400	(17)9.5	8.9	1-24	(12)13.9	11.5	6-30
Unlawful Sexual Intercourse	21	(8)10.1	11.5	4-15	(4)200	200	100-300	(7)10.0	11.3	4-15	(9)17.2	11.0	1-60
Other Offences	4	(1)4.0	4.0	4-4				(1)4.0	4.0	4-4	(3)15.7	17.0	12-18

TABLE 3.7 PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA BY CASE OUTCOME: OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY

CASE OUTCOME	PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA																																		
	Armed Robbery		Other Robbery		Arson		Burglary		House Break and Enter		Other Break and Enter		Larceny		Embezzlement		False Pretences		Fraud		Forge (and/or) Utter		Other Offences		Total										
	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)							
CONVICTED: Armed Robbery	20	6																									20	6							
Other Robbery			18	3																							18	3							
Arson					7	5																					7	5							
Burglary							5																				5								
House Break & Enter									179	12																	179	12							
Other Break & Enter									1		317	15															317	16							
Larceny			1				4		1		4		104	15													114	15							
Embezzlement													27	5													27	5							
False Pretences	1														34	5					1						35	6							
Fraud																	3	3									3	3							
Forge and/or Utter																					31	3					31	3							
Other Offences			3						1	1	3	2	2	2									44	15	53	20									
NOLLE PROSEQUI		1				1				1	2	6	1	5	2		2			1		1					4	21							
Acquitted		4		5						5		7		13		5				4		1		4			48								
Died						1																						1							
TOTAL	21	10	22	8	7	5	2	9		181	20	2	324	26	6	106	31	5	27	10	2	34	5	2	3	7	1	31	5	1	44	19	809	146	22

PLEA:  
 G = Guilty  
 NG = Not Guilty  
 (NP) = No Plea

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TABLE 3-8 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED	SENTENCE IMPOSED									
	Probation and/or bond	Fine Only	Imprisonment Suspended	Immediate Imprisonment						Total
				Less than 6 months	6 months up to 1 year	1 year up to 2 years	2 years up to 5 years	5 years up to 10 years	10 years or more	
Armed Robbery			1		2	1	17	4	2	27
Other Robbery			7		3	3	8			21
Arson			3			1	7	1		12
Burglary			2		1	1	1			5
House Break and Enter	9	2	97	3	25	38	16			190
Other Break and Enter	12	6	213	9	41	46	6			333
Larceny	3	15	75	6	15	12	3			129
Embezzlement	2	1	24		1	4				32
False Pretences	3	4	20		8	4	2			41
Fraud	1		4	1		1				7
Forge and/or Utter	9	1	16			2	5			33
Other	3	10	35	4	7	5	1			65
Total	42	39	497	23	103	118	66	5	2	895

**TABLE 3.9 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY**  
**(Total Effective Sentence, Principal Offence)**

Offence	Total Convictions	Probation and/or Bond			Total Fines			Suspended Sentence			Immediate Imprisonment		
		(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in dollars)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range
Armed Robbery	26	(7)44.1	45.8	6-66				(1)48.0	48.0	48-48	(26)47.4	42.0	6-144
Other Robbery	21	(7)24.3	19.5	6-60				(7)24.3	19.5	6-60	(14)27.6	25.0	9-48
Arson	12	(4)25.0	26.0	12-34				(3)23.3	24.0	12-34	(9)34.6	30.0	12-60
Burglary	5	(2)24.0	24.0	12-36				(2)24.0	24.0	12-36	(3)15.0	12.0	9-24
House-Break and Enter	191	(118)11.2	10.1	3-36	(5)210	250	100-300	(97) 9.5	9.3	3-19	(82)14.1	12.1	1-33
Other Break and Enter	333	(244)10.9	9.2	2-36	(13)237	213	30-400	(213)10.1	9.1	2-30	(102)11.3	11.5	1-36
Larceny	129	(86) 8.3	8.0	1-24	(18)212	198	100-500	(76) 7.7	6.5	1-18	(36)11.5	9.2	1-36
Embezzlement	32	(27)12.4	11.8	4-24	(3)400	425	200-500	(24)11.9	11.6	4-24	(5)14.6	15.0	9-18
False Pretences	41	(25)11.8	11.8	2-4	(5)440	300	200-1000	(20)11.1	11.6	2-24	(14)12.9	9.5	6-36
Fraud	6	(4)12.0	9.0	6-24				(3) 8.0	8.3	6-9	(2) 7.0	7.0	1-14
Forge and/or Utter	34	(26)18.8	22.7	6-36	(2)100	100	100-100	(16)15.6	17.3	6-24	(7)25.7	25.5	12-42
Other Offences	73	(41)10.4	8.7	3-24	(15)250	200	100-750	(35) 9.3	6.4	3-24	(17) 8.5	8.3	2-24

TABLE 3.10 PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA BY CASE OUTCOME; DRUG &amp; OTHER

CASE OUTCOME	PRINCIPAL CHARGE LAID AND PLEA																		
	Cultivate Marijuana		Sell Marijuana		Possess Marijuana for Sale		Possess or use Marijuana		Other Narcotics (Sell, etc.)		Other Narcotics (Use, etc.)		All other Offences		Total				
	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)	G	NG (NP)			
CONVICTED: Cult. Marijuana	107	5							4						111	5			
Sell Marijuana			14												14				
Possess Marijuana for sale					26	7									26	7			
Possess or use Marijuana	2				7		2	1							11	1			
Other Narcotics (Sell, etc.)									6	5					6	5			
Other Narcotics (Use, etc.)									1		1	1			2	1			
All other Offences													31	2	31	2			
NOLLE PROSEQUI		2						1						3	1	4	4		
ACQUITTED						1		1		1		1		1		5			
TOTAL	109	5	2	14	33	8	2	3	11	6	1	1	2	31	6	1	201	30	4

## PLEA:

G = Guilty

NG = Not Guilty

(NP) = No Plea

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TABLE 3.11 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: DRUG &amp; OTHER

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED	SENTENCE IMPOSED									
	Probation and/or bond	Fine Only	Imprisonment Suspended	Immediate Imprisonment						Total
				Less than 6 months	6 months up to 1 year	1 year up to 2 years	2 years up to 5 years	5 years up to 10 years	10 years or more	
Cultivate Marijuana	1	61	32	1	2	8	11			116
Possess Marijuana Sale		3	22		3	4	1			33
Sell Marijuana		5	6		1	2				14
Possess or use Marijuana		11	1							12
Other Narcotics (Sell, etc.)	1	1	2				5	2		11
Other Narcotics (Use, etc.)	1		1		1					3
All other Offences	7	6	12	5	8	2	2			42
Other	10	87	76	6	15	16	19	2		231

**TABLE 3.12 SENTENCE IMPOSED BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CONVICTED: DRUG & OTHER**  
**(Total Effective Sentence, Principal Offence)**

Offence	Total Convictions	Probation and/or Bond			Total Fines			Suspended Sentence			Immediate Imprisonment		
		(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in dollars)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range	(n) mean	median (in months)	range
Cultivate Marijuana	116	(33) 5.8	4.4	1-18	(66) 254	243	50-1000	(32) 5.6	4.4	1-18	(22) 20.0	19.5	4-36
Sell Marijuana	14	(6) 13.8	9.5	6-24	(5) 400	263	200-800	(6) 13.8	9.5	6-24	(3) 13.0	15.0	6-18
Possess Marijuana for Sale	33	(22) 9.3	6.1	3-24	(7) 421	388	200-1000	(22) 9.3	6.1	3-24	(8) 13.9	13.5	6-24
Possess or Use Marijuana	12	(1) 9.0	9.0	9-9	(12) 246	250	100-500	(1) 9.0	9.0	9-9			
Other Narcotics (Sell, etc.)	11	(3) 17.3	12.0	10-30	(6) 1079	1137	100-2000	(2) 20.0	20.0	10-30	(7) 47.1	46.5	24-84
Other Narcotics (Use, etc.)	3	(2) 15.0	15.0	6-24				(1) 6.0	6.0	6-6	(1) 9.0	9.0	9-9
All Other Offences	33	(19) 13.8	9.0	2-36	(7) 186	150	100-400	(10) 7.1	6.0	2-18	(17) 7.9	6.1	1-24

DURATION OF PROCEEDINGS

Table 4.1 shows the duration of court proceedings for the selected major offences: Murder, Rape, Robbery, Burglary and Break & Enter, Major Assault and Cultivate Cannabis.

A summary line is given for 4 types of pleas being, guilty, not guilty, a change of plea (i.e. not guilty to guilty), and no plea.

In time taken for the court proceedings has been broken down into the following:

- (1) Date of Initial Court Appearance to Date of Committal - this gives the time taken for committal in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction.
- (2) Date of Committal to Date of Initial High Court Appearance - this gives the time from committal in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction to the case being heard in the Supreme or District Criminal Court.
- (3) Date of Initial Higher Court Appearance to Date of Verdict - when there is a trial, this duration is the time from the first high court appearance to the date the jury hands down their verdict. If the verdict is guilty the defendant is usually remanded for sentence at a later date which will accordingly increase the duration of the high court appearance. However if there is a guilty plea sentencing occurs on the final day.
- (4) Date of Initial Court Appearance to Date of Disposition - this gives the time taken for the complete court proceedings from the date of first appearance in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction to the date when the case is finally disposed of in the Supreme or District Criminal Court.

When a defendant on bail absconds during the proceedings the duration at that stage may be significantly increased e.g. for burglary; change of plea, the highest value is 3542 days or nearly 10 years. This high value affects the mean but not the median. Therefore the median is a more reliable measure of the duration of the various stages of the court proceedings.

The durations for all of the 6 selected offences showed that the median for Date of Initial Court Appearance to Date of Committal was 67 days; Date of Committal to Date of Initial High Court Appearance was 44 days, and Date of Initial Higher Court Appearance to Date of Verdict was 11 days. This shows that on average, a little over 2 months is spent in the Court of Summary Jurisdiction and then 1½ months duration before the case is heard in the Supreme or District Criminal Courts and that once it is heard in the higher court the case is disposed of in less than a fortnight.

Caution should be exercised when interpreting the durations for the individual offences broken down by initial plea since in most cases the sample size is too small to draw any reliable conclusions. However in the Courts of Summary Jurisdiction the committal proceedings for cases with a not guilty plea take on average 3 weeks longer than cases with guilty pleas. Higher Court proceedings for cases in the first category plea also take on average 3 weeks longer than cases with guilty pleas.

TABLE 4.1 DURATION OF PROCEEDINGS BY PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CHARGED AND PLEA AT INITIAL APPEARANCE

Offence	Unk	Total Cases	Date of Initial Court Appearance to Date of Committal			Date of Committal to Date of Initial High Court Appearance			Date of Initial Higher Court Appearance to Date of Verdict			Date of Initial Court Appearance to Date of Disposition		
			mean	median (in days)	range	mean	median (in days)	range	mean	median (in days)	range	mean	median (in days)	range
<b>Murder</b>														
Guilty														
Not Guilty		10	108	99	49-159	70	51	21-118	29	10	3-129	208	205	80-287
Change of Plea		2	62	35	27-97	35	35	28-41	48	48	45-50	144	144	105-183
No Plea														
<b>Rape</b>														
Guilty		3	48	47	30-68	55	75	11-80	55	75	11-80	243	173	155-401
Not Guilty		21	102	92	9-237	58	52	17-131	18	5	1-104	199	167	66-370
Change of Plea		2	84	84	45-123	43	43	30-56	104	104	0-207	231	231	101-360
No Plea		2	50	50	29-71	87	87	61-112	4	4	0-8	141	141	132-140
<b>Robbery</b>														
Guilty		31	65	42	0-244	40	38	17-106	32	22	0-104	137	108	28-300
Not Guilty		20	119	85	20-328	67	33	16-369	21	7	1-209	227	214	58-496
Change of Plea		5	81	71	1-136	66	40	24-188	162	150	10-486	309	310	122-675
No Plea		3	71	37	35-141	46	42	35-61	8	1	0-24	125	94	80-202
<b>Burglary</b>														
Break and Enter														
Guilty	(9)	451	68	41	0-2488	43	39	0-656	35	11	0-1550	146	106	11-2538
Not Guilty		47	87	65	2-297	48	44	16-132	46	37	0-193	196	186	58-425
Change of Plea	(2)	32	127	72	14-790	38	27	5-146	283	47	1-3542	465	189	39-3608
No Plea	(1)	12	50	37	0-165	39	41	19-56	27	8	0-176	126	101	48-238
<b>Major Assault</b>														
Guilty	(2)	83	77	67	0-365	49	42	11-137	23	10	0-111	146	136	35-502
Not Guilty	(1)	63	155	78	0-1848	60	56	3-161	37	11	0-679	256	181	34-1997
Change of Plea		6	99	79	14-210	48	32	18-145	53	40	4-144	200	175	143-292
No Plea		2	205	205	200-210	49	49	42-56	23	23	0-45	277	277	266-287
<b>Cultivate Cannabis</b>														
Guilty	(3)	94	56	50	0-172	45	45	20-108	8	0	0-168	108	95	27-346
Not Guilty		4	116	117	42-160	79	73	45-126	64	19	2-153	269	271	132-401
Change of Plea	(1)	4	74	78	58-84	45	46	42-47	47	53	28-59	155	135	124-185
No Plea		1	214	214	214-214	53	53	53-53	95	95	95-95	362	362	362-362

APPENDIX I: DEFINITION OF TERMS USED IN TABLES

"Principal Charge Laid" refers to the most serious offence with which the defendant has been charged.

"Case Outcome", in the event of a conviction, refers to the most serious offence for which the defendant has been convicted; in the event of an acquittal or a decision by the Crown not to prosecute ("Nolle Prosequi"), it refers to all offences with which the defendant has been charged. For example, an individual charged with and convicted of both armed robbery and common assault would be recorded in Tables 2.3 and 2.7 only under armed robbery.

"Principal offence Convicted" refers to the most serious offence with which the defendant has been convicted.

Principal offences are grouped in the following order:

Murder	Indecent Assault
Attempted Murder	Larceny
Manslaughter	Embezzlement
Death by Driving	False Pretences
Rape	Fraud
Attempted Rape	Other Property Offences
Armed Robbery	Other Narcotics - sell, etc.
Violent Robbery	Cultivate Marijuana
Major Assault	Sell Marijuana
Other Robbery	Possess Marijuana for sale
Burglary	Other Narcotics - use, etc.
Arson	Possess - Use Marijuana
House Break and Enter	Other Sex Offences
Other Break and Enter	Minor Assault
Forge And/Or Utter	Other Assault Offences
Unlawful Sexual Intercourse	All Other Offences

"Sentence imposed" refers to the major penalty awarded. If, for example, a defendant were awarded both a six-month suspended sentence and a fine of \$500.00, only the suspended sentence would be noted in the table.

"Total effective sentence" refers to multiple penalties imposed for the principal offence convicted. If, for example, a defendant were awarded both a six month suspended sentence and a fine of \$500.00, each of these penalties would be noted in the table.

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APPENDIX II: DEFINITIONS OF OFFENCES

The following notes describe the more detailed classification of offences developed by the Australian Bureau of Statistics in co-operation with the state police forces. They also permit comparison with the more general categories in previously published reports.

Homicide - This group now includes the offence "Conspiracy to Murder". The offence "Manslaughter" does not include "Cause Death by Negligent Driving" which is now separately categorised. Thus the offences, Manslaughter and Cause Death by Negligent Driving, need to be combined for comparisons with previous statistics for Manslaughter.

Major Assault - Any assault involving the use of a weapon or committed in company with another person; and assault causing, or which might reasonably have caused, serious physical or mental injury. Serious injury includes any condition which would normally be regarded as requiring treatment by a medical practitioner. It would therefore include:

- (1) any injury relating in admission to hospital as an in-patient for the primary purpose of treatment;
- (2) fractures, concussions, internal injuries, severe cuts or stabs requiring stitching, and
- (3) severe general shock requiring medical attention.

Minor Assault - All assaults not classified under major assault, i.e. Common assault, Assault police, Resist arrest.

Death by Driving - Manslaughter - driving only, Death caused by negligent or careless driving.

Other Offences Against The Person - Abortion, concealment of birth, defamation, threat of violence, arson (person therein) and other acts endangering life.

Rape - Includes rape in marriage, Oral, Anal or Homosexual rape.

Attempted Rape - Attempt to or Assault with intent to rape.

Indecent Assault

Unlawful Sexual Intercourse - Includes Carnal knowledge.

Other Sexual Offences - Buggery, gross indecency and indecent exposure.

Robbery - Assaulting another person and stealing, or Assaulting another person with intent to steal, property from that person, or in his presence (i.e. from under his immediate and personal care and protection).

Armed Robbery - Armed robbery, Attempted robbery whilst armed; Assault with intent to rob whilst armed.

Other Robbery - Robbery with violence, Robbery with minor assault; Assault with intent to rob.

Arson - Unlawful and wilful or malicious setting fire to any building or any other property (such as vehicles, aircraft, vessels, mines, fences, crops, grass, grazing and forest land) where no person is present within.

Burglary - Burglary, Break and enter dwelling and commit (or intend to commit) a felony.

Break and Enter - Break and enter a building (other than a dwelling) and commit (or intend to commit) a felony, Sacrilege.

Larceny - Larceny of a motor vehicle, Unlawful use of a motor vehicle, Steal from the person, Stock theft, Shop theft, Other larceny.

Embezzlement - Embezzlement; Falsification of accounts, Larceny by a servant, bailee, partner, Fraudulent misappropriation by trustee.

False Pretences - Involving cheques, bankcard, credit card.

Fraud - Misrepresentation, or fraud to obtain goods, money, etc..

Forge and/or Utter - Includes counterfeit, forging cheques etc.

Other Offences against Property - Extortion, Receiving, Unlawful possession, Wilful damage, Kill or injure animal.

Cultivate Marijuana

Sell Marijuana

Possess Marijuana for sale

Possess or use Marijuana

Other Narcotic Offences, Sell, etc. - All other drugs: Sell; Import addictive drugs, Premises used for sale, or cultivation of drugs.

Other Narcotic Offences, Use, etc. - All other drugs; use, possess.

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APPENDIX III  
OFFICE OF CRIME STATISTICS—LAW DEPARTMENT  
STATISTICS FROM SUPREME AND DISTRICT CRIMINAL COURTS

COURT DETAIL

1. Court  
(insert code)

2. File Number

3. Alpha Code

4. Presiding Judge  
(insert code)

5. Date of  
Disposition

6. Informant

7. Number of  
Co-defendants

DEFENDANT DETAIL

8. Residence  
(insert code)

9. Date of  
birth/incorp.

10. Sex

11. Race

12. Marital  
Status

13. Country/  
State  
of birth

14. Date of arrival  
in Australia

15. Occupational status  
at date of arrest

PRINCIPAL OFFENCE CHARGED

16. Date of  
offence

17. Date of initial  
court appearance  
(Summary Jurisdiction)

18. Number of Appearances  
(Summary Jurisdiction)

19. Date of Committal

20. Type of  
Committal

21. Bail status  
at Committal

22. Date of initial  
court appearance  
(Higher Court)

23. Plea at initial  
court appearance

24. Legal representation  
at initial court appearance

25. Bail status at initial  
court appearance

26. Amount of bail

27. Number of Higher Court remands

28. Changes of pleas

29. Date trial commenced

30. Date of verdict

31. Legal representation at date of verdict

32. Bail status at date of verdict

DEFENDANTS PRIOR RECORD

33. Number of previous juvenile dispositions

34. Number of previous adult convictions (any offence)

35. Number of previous adult convictions (principal offence)

36. Previous juvenile or adult imprisonment

37. Date of last disposition/conviction

SUMMARY OF DISPOSITION

	38. Offence charged	Number counts	Plea	Out-come	Counts convicted	Penalty (1)	Qualification (1)	Penalty (2)	Qualification (2)	Penalty (3)	Qualification (3)	Duration (in months)	Duration (in months)	Fine imposed (\$1) (if any)
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(2)	<input type="text"/>													
(3)	<input type="text"/>													
(4)	<input type="text"/>													

39. Total effective sentence (in months)

40. Non-parole period (in months)

41. Principal Offence

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