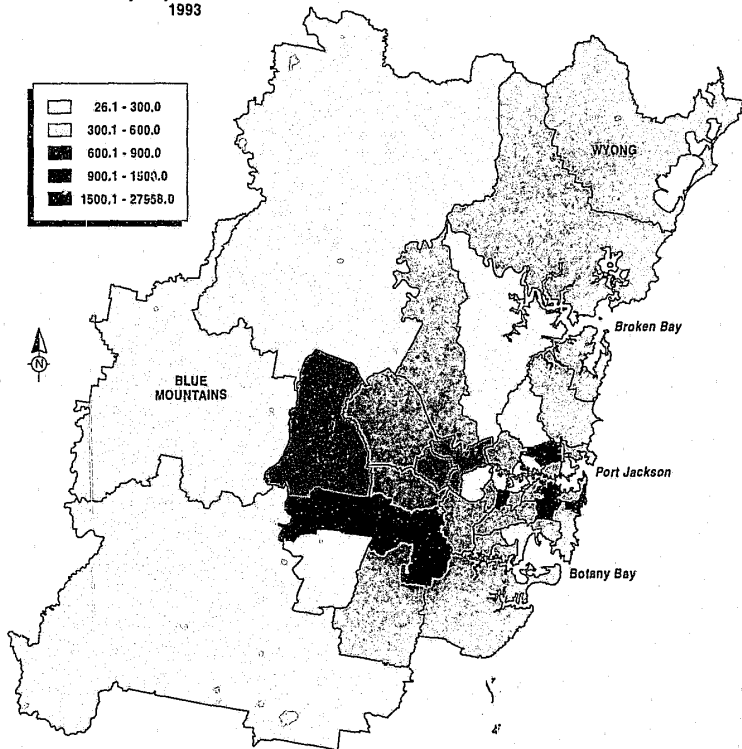
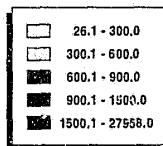


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INTRODUCTION

This report provides statistical information on criminal offences which occurred in NSW in the years 1991, 1992 and 1993. The offences included are all those which were reported to police and which had been recorded on the NSW Police Service computer system by March 1994.

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DEFINITIONS AND EXPLANATORY NOTES

The statistics in this report were prepared from data supplied by the NSW Police Service. The data were extracted from the NSW Police Service Crime Information and Intelligence System (CIIS) in March 1994.

COUNTING UNITS

NUMBER OF OFFENCES RECORDED

The number of offences recorded *as having occurred in the counting period* is the primary counting unit. Where more than one offence was recorded from a single criminal incident, each offence is counted separately. For example, if in the course of robbing a bank a person also assaults a bank customer, two separate offences are counted, one of robbery and one of assault.

In this report a recorded offence is defined as an offence which is:

- (1) detected by or reported to the police, and
- (2) recorded on the CIIS.

The recorded offence statistics in this report include breaches against the following Acts:

- Bail Act
- Crimes Act
- Firearms Act
- Gaming and Betting Act
- Liquor Act
- Summary Offences Act
- Drug Misuse and Trafficking Act.

Note, however, that the classification of offences used by the police does not correspond exactly with offences defined in legislation. It is the police classification which is followed in this report.

Number of offences cleared

A cleared offence is one which has, in the view of police, been satisfactorily cleared by charge or otherwise.

An offence is cleared by charge when police have laid a charge or an information against at least one person. The information may have been laid with a view to the issuing of a warrant, summons or other process for the purpose of bringing an offender before the court.

An offence is cleared other than by charge when, under normal circumstances, a charge or information would have been laid against at least one person, but, for a variety of reasons, police have been unable to make an arrest, despite knowing the identity of the offender and having sufficient evidence to support a charge. Examples of situations in which an offence may be cleared other than by charge include the following:

- (1) the offender is a juvenile and is cautioned;
- (2) the offender has died before a charge is made or information laid;

- (3) the offender has been committed to a psychiatric institution and is unlikely to be released;
- (4) there is an obstacle to charging e.g. diplomatic immunity;
- (5) the complainant or essential witness is dead and proceedings would be aborted;
- (6) the offender is serving a sentence and no useful purpose would be served by prosecution.

Cleared offences are counted in the report if the offence was cleared within the counting period. An offence which has been cleared within the counting period may not have been recorded as an offence within the same counting period. Because it may take some time for the police to identify and charge an individual for an offence, it is possible for an offence which was cleared in the counting period to have occurred prior to the counting period. For this reason, cleared offences have been separated into two categories as follows:

- (1) number of offences cleared in the counting period that occurred in the counting period,
- (2) number of offences cleared in the counting period that occurred prior to the counting period.

The separation of these measures allows comparison of the speed with which police are able to clear different types of offence.

Single year clear-up percentage

The single year clear-up percentage relates to a particular counting period. It indicates the number of offences which both occurred and were cleared in the counting period as a percentage of the total number of offences which occurred in the counting period. This provides a measure of police response for different types of offence.

In previous reports published by the NSW Police Service, clear-up rates were calculated by taking the number of offences cleared in the counting period (regardless of when they occurred) as a percentage of the number of offences that occurred in the counting period.

COUNTING PERIOD

A counting period is a full calendar year. This report includes information for three counting periods: 1991, 1992 and 1993. To be counted, an offence must have occurred within the counting period, i.e. the date of commencement of the offence must be on or prior to the last day of the counting period. All offences include both a date of commencement and a date of completion. This is because some offences, such as incest, may occur over an extended period of time. The date of commencement of the offence is used to determine the relevant counting period for an offence. Note, however, that in a large number of cases, the date of commencement of the offence is missing in the data provided from the CIIS. In these cases, the following dates are used to determine whether the offence is to be counted in a particular counting period:

- (1) the date of the end of the offence;
- (2) the date on which the offence was reported;
- (3) the date on which the offence was cleared;
- (4) the date on which the offence was entered as a computer record to the CIIS;
- (5) the date on which the computer record was updated on the CIIS.

The first date which exists for the offence according to the priority order shown above is used to determine the counting period in which the offence is counted.

This procedure ensures that all offences are counted. However, using this procedure, it is possible that a small number of offences may be assigned to an incorrect counting period (i.e. an offence may be assigned to a period other than the one in which the offence occurred).

REGIONAL STATISTICS

Statistics are provided on the number of offences recorded in each of the Statistical Divisions of NSW as defined by the Australian Bureau of Statistics. Within the Sydney Statistical Division, statistics are provided for Statistical Subdivisions. Appendix 1 provides maps indicating the location of each Statistical Division and Sydney Statistical Subdivision. Appendix 2 lists the Local Government Areas within each of the Statistical Divisions and Statistical Subdivisions. An offence is counted within a particular region when the location of the offence falls within that region.

Rates of recorded offences per 100,000 population are provided for each of the regions, and for NSW. For the rate calculations, population data were obtained from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication, *Estimated Resident Population of Statistical Local Areas New South Wales, At 30 June, 1991 Final and 1992 Preliminary* (Catalogue No. 3210.1) for 1991 and 1992. (This publication gives estimates based on the 1991 census. Some regional population estimates, notably for the Far West Statistical Division, have changed substantially from estimates used last year.) As no population estimates were available for 1993, the 1992 population data were used for calculating 1993 recorded offence rates.

OFFENCE CLASSIFICATIONS

Appendix 3 provides a list of offences which appear within each major offence category. Comparison with a similar list contained in previous reports allows the changes in classification to be identified.

UPDATED STATISTICS

Offences are recorded on the CIIS according to the date on which they occurred. Offences which occur within a specified counting period, but which are reported to police in a subsequent period, are entered to the CIIS after the close of the counting period. For this reason, data extracted from the CIIS immediately after a counting period has ended underestimate the total number of recorded offences for that counting period. The level of recorded crime for a specified period will vary over time as more offences are added to the totals. Offence clear-ups are even more subject to this updating effect as the police may take some time to find and charge an offender.

For the majority of the major offence groups, over 98% of all recorded offences relevant to a specified counting period have been entered to the CIIS by the end of the following quarter. With the exception of fraud, as noted below, over 90% of all recorded offences have been entered within three months of the end of the counting period.

As a result, with the exception of fraud, data extracted from the CIIS three months after the end of the relevant counting period are minimally affected by delays in reporting and recording. Hence data for this report were extracted in March 1994, three months after the end of the 1993 counting period.

Fraud

There are long delays in the recording of fraud offences. Only 65% of the recorded fraud offences which occur in a counting period have been entered on the CIIS three months after the end of the counting period. Six months after the end of the counting period this percentage has risen to almost 85%. However, this means that even after six months, there are still over 15% of offences relevant to the counting period which have not been recorded on the CIIS.

Data for fraud offences in 1993, as extracted from the NSW Police Service computer in March 1994, have been included in this report. However, it should be noted that the recorded fraud offences for 1993, reported here, underestimate the total number of recorded offences for 1993.

For this reason, fraud data for 1993 are not directly comparable with the data for 1991 and 1992. A note has been included on every table to warn the reader that the final year's data for fraud are not reliable.

ORGANISATION OF THE REPORT

The report is organised into five main sections as follows. First there is an overview of major trends in recorded offences over the three year period from January 1991 to December 1993. Figures showing trends in selected offences are provided as well as an analysis indicating which trends are statistically significant.

The second section presents the monthly trends in recorded offences for 1991, 1992 and 1993, for selected major offence categories. The tables in this section provide the data on which the figures in the first section are based.

The next section provides the numbers of cleared offences in each offence classification for 1991, 1992 and 1993, for the State as a whole. Cleared offences are split into two groups: those that occurred in the same year and those that occurred earlier. The tables also present a single year clear-up percentage. This percentage is the number of offences, which both occurred and were cleared in the specified year, as a percentage of the total number of offences that occurred in that year.

In the fourth section there are 19 tables, one for each major offence category. Each table gives the numbers of recorded offences in 1991, 1992 and 1993 for each of the NSW Statistical Divisions and for each Statistical Subdivision in Sydney. Rates per 100,000 population for each region and for the State as a whole are also shown.

The last section of the report has 27 tables, each table being for a specific region of NSW. The tables provide numbers and rates of recorded offences for 1991, 1992 and for 1993, for all offence classifications.

OVERVIEW OF MAJOR TRENDS

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TRENDS IN RECORDED CRIME

However they are presented, the interpretation of trends in recorded crime is a difficult task. For example, the results from crime victim surveys conducted in NSW in 1983 and 1990 clearly illustrate the extent to which trends in recorded rates of various offences are affected by public willingness to report crime to police.¹ The surveys revealed that the true level of assault remained essentially unchanged between 1983 and 1990, despite the fact that the number of assaults recorded by police over this period rose from a little over 8,000 to nearly 30,000.² We now know that this increase was in a large measure due to increased public willingness to report assault to the police.³ Public willingness to report crime, however, is just one of the extraneous factors which can affect trends in recorded offences. Shifts in policing policy, to take another example, can have a very marked effect on the number of recorded drug offences or the number of cases of offensive behaviour.

The interpretation of trends in official reports of crime can be considerably more difficult than the interpretation of trends in unemployment or inflation statistics. The ease with which recorded crime statistics can be misunderstood creates a temptation to offer an authoritative explanation for each and every major crime trend. Unfortunately in many instances it is simply impossible to state with any assurance why a particular trend has appeared. This report therefore confines itself to identifying trends in recorded offences rather than explaining them. Where the relationship between the actual occurrence of some offence and the recorded occurrence of the offence is unproblematic this is indicated. Where previous research indicates that a trend in recorded offences is probably influenced by factors other than the crime rate this is also highlighted.

The trends examined in this overview cover a three year period. For the offences of robbery, breaking and entering, and stealing, the trends have been examined for some subcategories of the offence. Trends in robbery offences have been separately examined for robbery with a firearm, robbery with a weapon other than a firearm, and robbery without a weapon. Trends in breaking and entering offences have been separately examined for dwellings and non-dwellings. Similarly, trends have been separately examined for two subcategories of stealing offences: stealing from the person and stealing from a shop or business.

For all offences except fraud⁴ a statistical test for trend was applied to the monthly numbers of recorded offences in each major offence category, over the 36 month period from January 1991 to December 1993.⁵ For those offences where a statistically significant trend was found, the percentage change between 1991 and 1993, in the annual total of recorded offences, is used as an indicator of the extent of the trend.

SIGNIFICANT DOWNWARD TRENDS

In the following discussion the bracketed figures denote the percentage change in the annual number of recorded offences between 1991 and 1993, except for fraud.

There were statistically significant downward trends across the State for the following offence categories:

- robbery with a firearm (down by 30.7%)
- fraud (down by 31.7% in 1992/93 compared with 1991)

- motor vehicle theft (down by 19.3%)
- arson (down by 18.5%)
- offensive behaviour (down by 16.4%).

Robbery

Figure 1 shows the numbers of recorded robbery offences for each month from January 1991 to December 1993. There was no statistically significant upward or downward trend over the three year period to December 1993. However, there was a statistically significant downward trend in robbery with a firearm. This trend is shown in Figure 2, together with the trends in robbery with a weapon not a firearm, and robbery without a weapon. Of the three, robbery with a firearm is the only significant trend. Between 1991 and 1993 there was a 30.7% decrease in the numbers of recorded offences for robbery with a firearm. This is likely to reflect a real decrease in robbery with a firearm as recorded offence trends provide a reasonably good guide to actual trends for this offence.

The Australian Bureau of Statistics estimated that 1.3% of the NSW population aged 15 and over were victims of robbery in the twelve month period ending April 1993.⁶

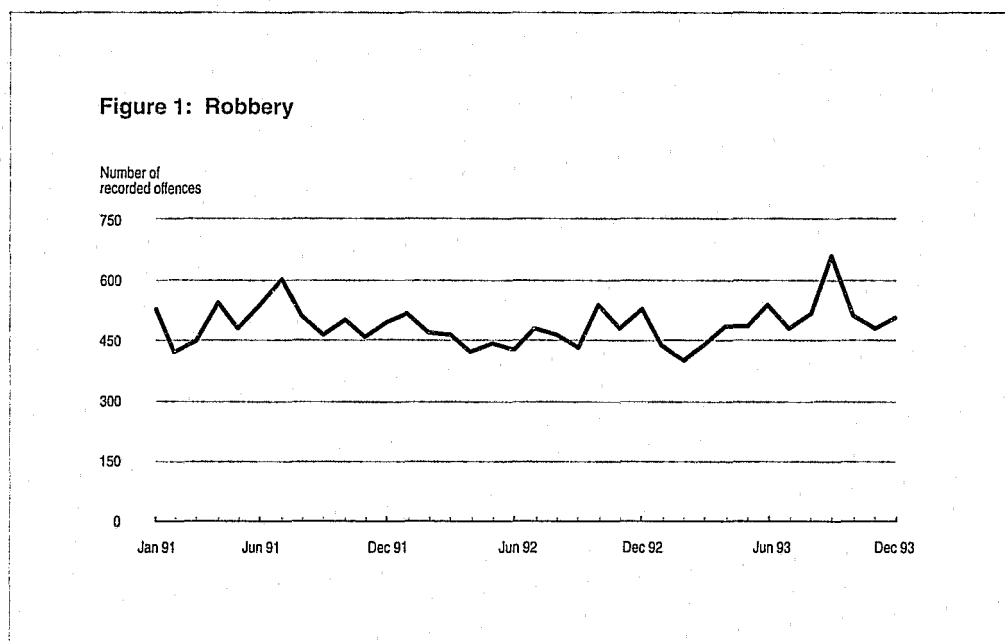
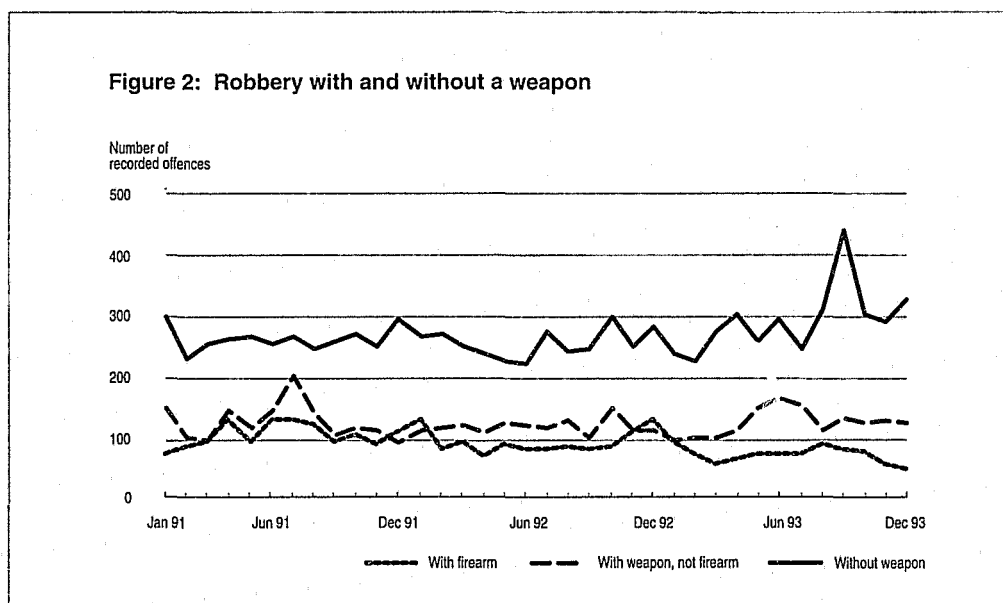


Table 3.4 reveals that recorded rates of robbery offences in 1993 remained highest in the Inner Sydney Subdivision (722.1 per 100,000 population), more than seven times higher than the State rate (99.5 per 100,000 population), and more than four times higher than rates in any



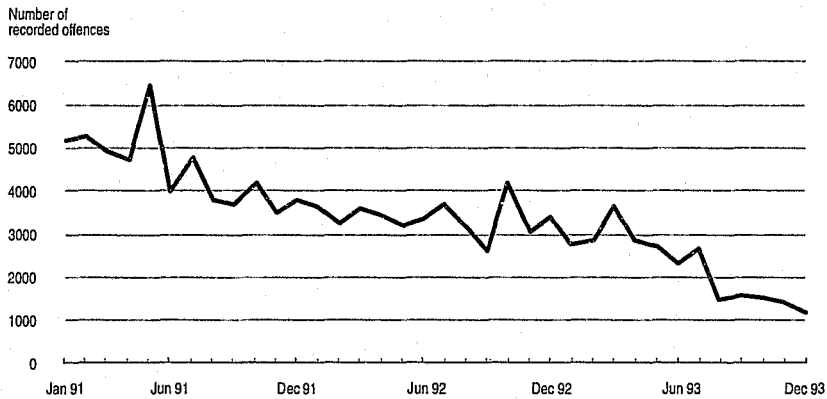
other Statistical Division or Subdivision. Other areas of the State with high recorded robbery rates include the Sydney Subdivisions of Central Western Sydney (168.2 per 100,000 population), Inner Western Sydney (165.3 per 100,000 population) and Fairfield – Liverpool (164.4 per 100,000 population).

Fraud

Fraud is an offence for which the recorded rate is strongly influenced by variations in both police ability to detect and public willingness to report fraud offences. As noted in the Explanatory Notes, there is often a considerable delay in recording fraud offences. It is estimated that the number of recorded fraud offences for 1993, as reported in this report, constitutes only about 65% of all fraud offences which will eventually be recorded for 1993. For this reason it is not appropriate to examine the trend in all fraud offences over the three year time period from January 1991 to December 1993. The test for trend included only the period from January 1991 to June 1993.

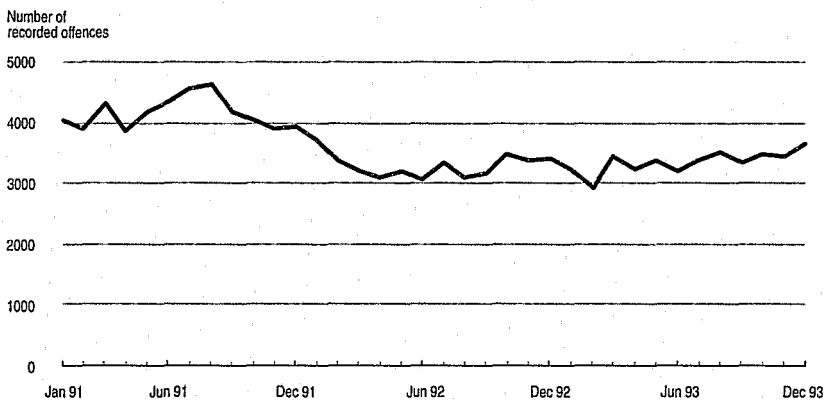
Figure 3 shows recorded fraud offences for each month from January 1991 to December 1993. There is a significant downward trend in these offences over the period January 1991 to June 1993. Between 1991 and the twelve months ending June 1993, there was a 31.7% decrease in recorded fraud offences. Even though data for the last six months (July 1993 to December 1993) were not included in the trend test (due to the reporting lag for this offence) we cannot discount the possibility that the downward trend results from the reporting lag.

Inspection of Table 3.6 reveals that in each of the three years of the time period examined, recorded fraud offences in the Sydney Statistical Division accounted for around three-quarters or more of all recorded fraud offences in NSW. The Inner Sydney Subdivision has the highest recorded fraud rate. In 1993 the recorded rate of fraud offences was five and a half times higher in the Inner Sydney Subdivision than it was for the State as a whole. Other areas with high recorded offence rates include the Eastern Suburbs and Lower Northern Sydney Subdivisions.

Figure 3: Fraud

Motor vehicle theft

Because 96% of motor vehicle thefts are reported to police,⁷ recorded rates of motor vehicle theft are generally good indices of the actual incidence of the offence. Figure 4 shows the numbers of motor vehicle theft offences for each of the 36 months from January 1991 to

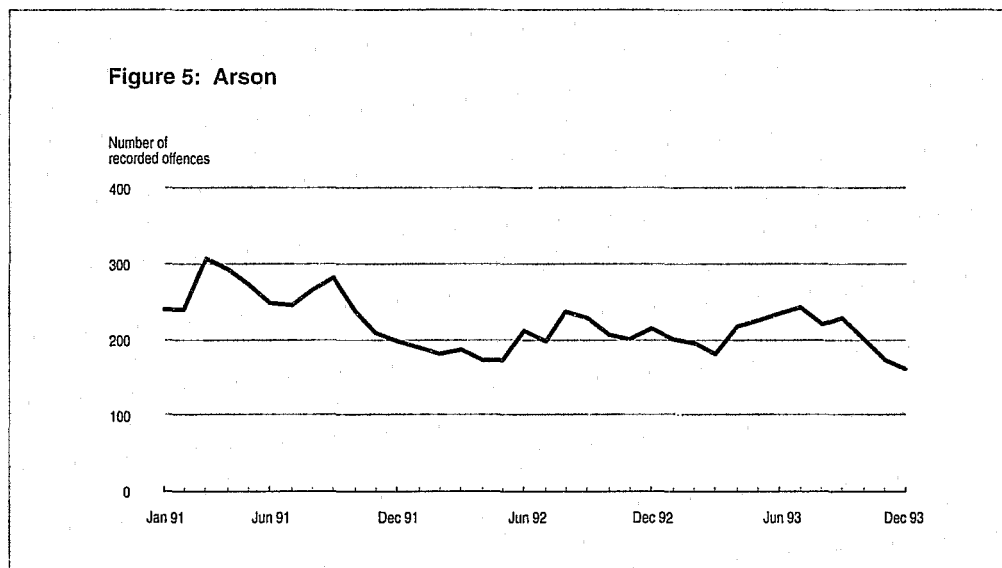
Figure 4: Motor vehicle theft

December 1993. There is a significant downward trend over this period. Recorded offences in 1993 decreased by 19.3% compared with 1991.

As can be seen in Table 3.8, between 1991 and 1993 there were decreases in the numbers of recorded motor vehicle theft offences in all regions of the State except the Richmond – Tweed and North Western Statistical Divisions. Within the Sydney Statistical Division the largest decreases between 1991 and 1993 occurred in the Statistical Subdivisions of Northern Beaches (down by 41.5%) and Blacktown – Baulkham Hills (down by 32.3%). Outside Sydney the largest decreases were in the Murray (down by 45.1%) and South Eastern (down by 26.9%) Statistical Divisions.

Arson

Figure 5 shows the numbers of recorded arson offences for each of the 36 months from January 1991 to December 1993. There is a significant downward trend over this period. Recorded arson offences in 1993 decreased by 18.5% compared with 1991. Table 3.10 shows that there were decreases in most regions although recorded arson offences increased in six regions, notably Central Western Sydney and Lower Northern Sydney which increased by 28.2% and 28.0% respectively. The biggest decrease occurred in Outer Western Sydney where recorded arson offences in 1993 were 43.3% lower than in 1991. There was also a 40.0% decrease in Northern Beaches. Blacktown – Baulkham Hills (77.9 per 100,000 population) and Outer Western Sydney (72.5 per 100,000 population) had the highest rates for recorded arson offences in 1993.

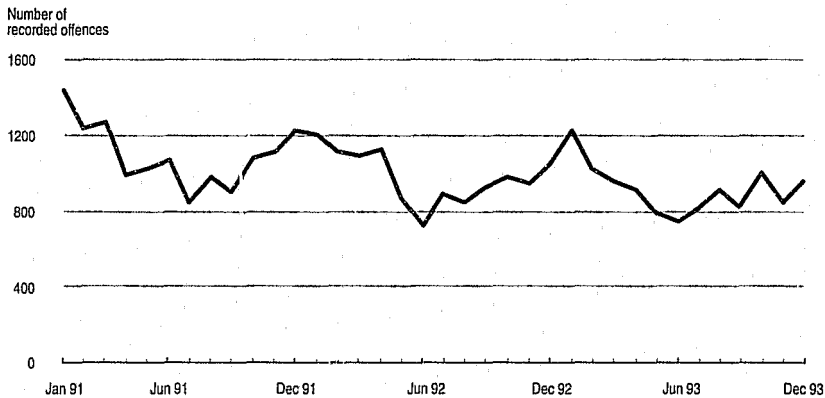


Offensive behaviour

Figure 6 shows the downward trend in the numbers of recorded offensive behaviour offences. This trend may reflect a change in the exercise of police discretion, rather than a real change in the level of offensive behaviour in the community.

Table 3.19 shows that between 1991 and 1993 the largest decrease in the annual number of recorded offences, outside Sydney, occurred in the Hunter Statistical Division (down by 31.7%). The Far West Statistical Division had the highest recorded offence rate in 1993 with 792.2 offences per 100,000 population, more than four times the overall State rate of 184.1 offences per 100,000 population.

Figure 6: Offensive behaviour



Recorded offences decreased in most regions between the period 1991 and 1993. There were increases in five regions of which two were notable: an increase of 38.4% in the Inner Western Sydney Statistical Subdivision and an increase of 18.0% in the Central West Statistical Division.

OFFENCES WHERE THERE WAS NO UPWARD OR DOWNWARD TREND

There was no statistically significant generally upward or downward trend in any of the following offence categories:

- murder
- sexual assault
- breaking and entering
- receiving, goods in custody
- possession and/or use of cocaine
- possession and/or use of narcotics
- possession and/or use of cannabis
- dealing, trafficking in cocaine
- dealing, trafficking in narcotics
- dealing, trafficking in cannabis
- cultivating cannabis.

The numbers of offences recorded for each month from January 1991 to December 1993 are shown in Figures 7 to 18. There are several observations, however, which are pertinent to an understanding of these offences.

Murder

Figure 7 shows recorded murder offences for each month from January 1991 to December 1993. It is clear that, with such small numbers of offences, the month to month variation is extremely marked. For this reason it is difficult to detect trends over a period as short as three years. Past research by the Bureau, however, suggests that the incidence of this offence in NSW has been stable for at least two decades.

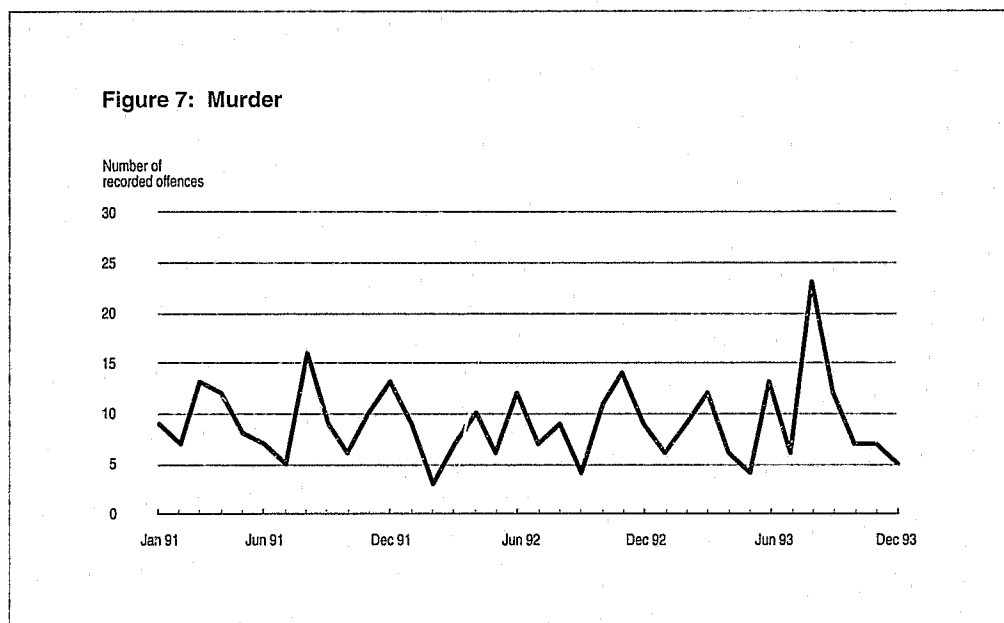


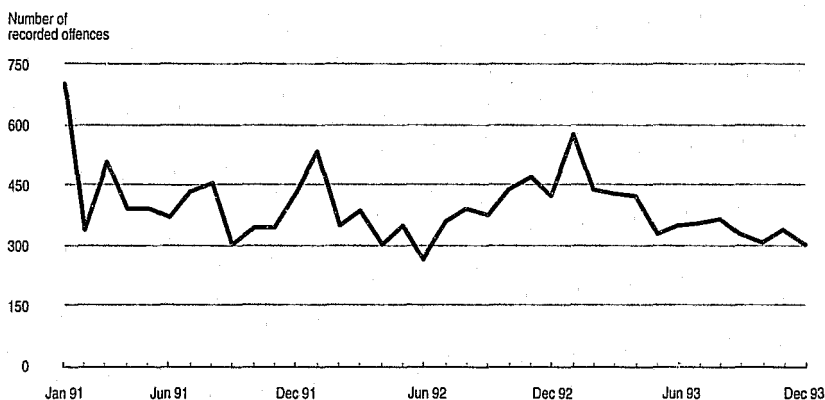
Table 3.1 shows the regional distribution of the offences. Because of the small numbers, it is not sensible to make regional comparisons. A Bureau report published in 1992 examined the regional distribution of domestic and other types of homicide using data aggregated over a number of years.⁸

Sexual assault

Recorded sexual assault offences over the three year period from January 1991 to December 1993 are shown in Figure 8.

Inspection of Table 3.3 reveals that, in 1993, the Outer South Western Sydney Subdivision had the highest rate of recorded sexual assault offences (192.0 per 100,000 population), more than double the overall rate of 75.7 for the State.

The Australian Bureau of Statistics estimated that 0.8% of the NSW population of women aged 18 and over were victims of sexual assault in the twelve month period ending April 1993.⁹

Figure 8: Sexual assault

Breaking and entering

Breaking and entering is one of the most frequently occurring serious offences. In the twelve months to April 1993, 3.7% of NSW households were victims of this offence and a further 2.6% of NSW households were victims of an attempted breaking and entering.¹⁰ Breaking and entering is also an offence where the trends in recorded offences provide a reasonably good guide to the actual trends in the offence.

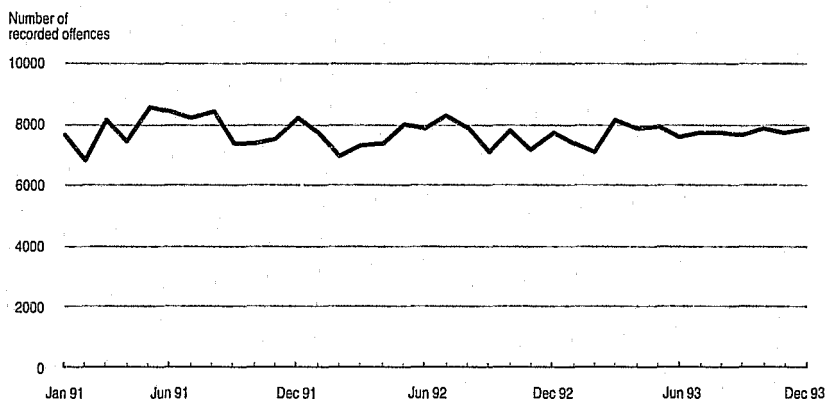
Figure 9: Breaking and entering

Figure 9 shows the numbers of recorded breaking and entering offences for each month from January 1991 to December 1993. Figure 10 shows, separately, over the same period, recorded offences for breaking and entering – dwelling, and breaking and entering – non-dwelling. There were no statistically significant upward or downward trends in either of these sub-groups of breaking and entering.

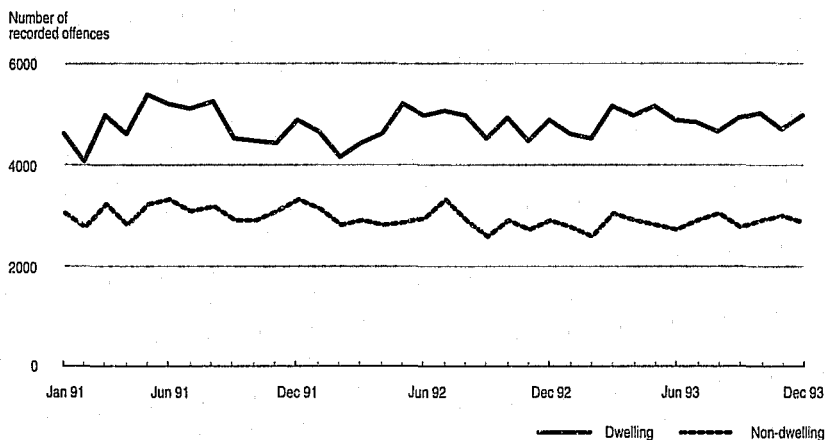
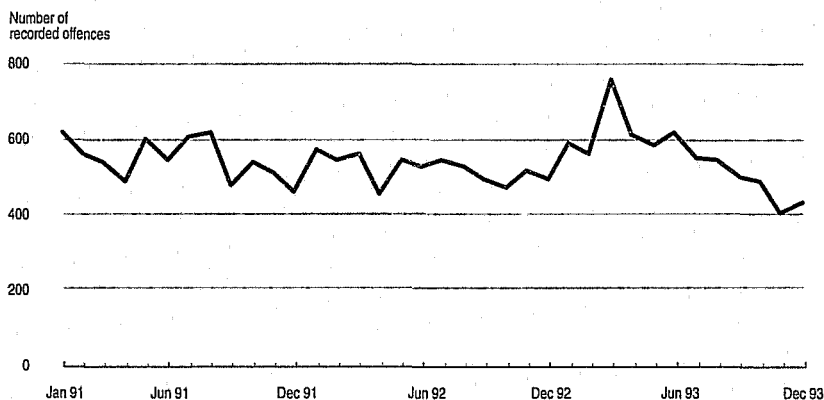
Figure 10: Breaking and entering – dwelling and non-dwelling

Table 3.5 shows that the recorded rate of breaking and entering in 1993 was more than one and a half times as high in the Inner Sydney Statistical Subdivision (3445.8 per 100,000 population) as it was in the region with the next highest rate, the Inner Western Sydney Subdivision (2014.4 per 100,000 population). Recorded offence rates were also high in the Sydney Subdivisions of Lower Northern Sydney (1918.5 per 100,000 population), Eastern Suburbs (1914.5 per 100,000 population) and Central Western Sydney (1912.5 per 100,000 population), and in the Far West Statistical Division (1886.3 per 100,000 population).

Receiving, goods in custody

Receiving and goods in custody are offences typically discovered by police rather than reported to them. The absence of a trend in the recorded numbers of offences may therefore

Figure 11: Receiving, goods in custody

reflect either stability in policing policy or stability in the level of offending or both. Figure 11 shows the monthly numbers of recorded offences over the three year period from January 1991 to December 1993.

Regional variations may also be indicative of variations either in offending or in policing policy or both. Table 3.7 shows that the Inner Sydney Subdivision consistently had the highest recorded offence rate for receiving, goods in custody offences, more than four times the State rate in the last two years. Other areas with high recorded offence rates in 1993 included the Fairfield – Liverpool Statistical Subdivision (189.9 per 100,000 population), Far West and Murray Statistical Divisions (156.3 and 155.1, respectively, per 100,000 population).

Possession and/or use of cocaine

Trends in recorded drug offences are difficult to interpret because drug offences are usually only recorded when an arrest is made. For this reason, trends in drug offences may reflect changes in policing policies and procedures, as well as changes in actual offending rates.

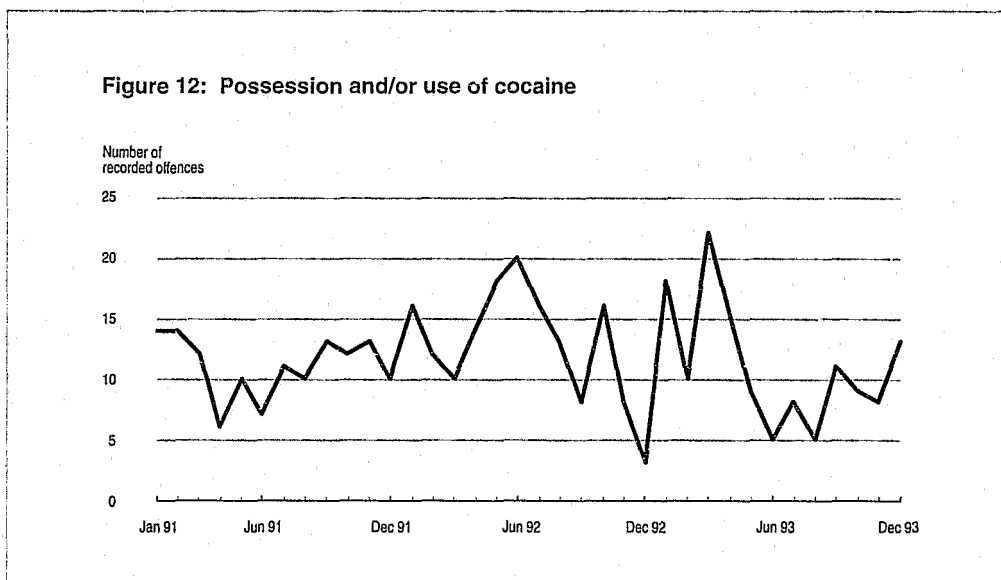
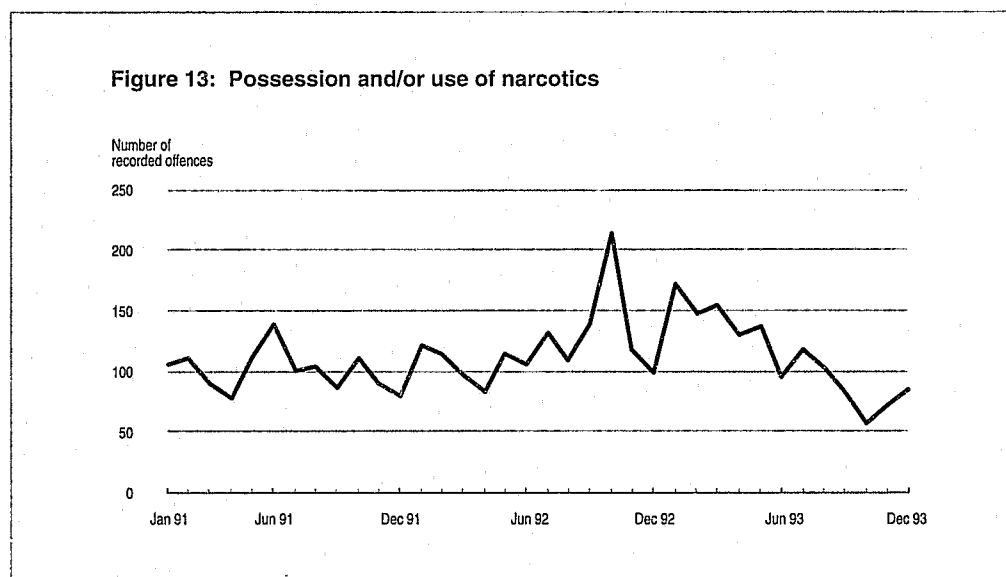


Figure 12 shows recorded offences for possession and/or use of cocaine for each month from January 1991 to December 1993. As can be seen in Table 3.12 the numbers of recorded offences for this offence are very small. It can also be seen that most of the recorded offences occurred in the Inner Sydney and Eastern Suburbs Statistical Subdivisions of Sydney. In 1993, 67.7% of all recorded offences of this type occurred in these two regions.

Possession and/or use of narcotics

As noted above, trends in recorded drug offences are difficult to interpret. It is not possible to determine the extent to which recorded offences are a measure of drug law enforcement

activity, rather than a measure of the actual incidence of the offence. Recorded offences for possession and/or use of narcotics for each month from January 1991 to December 1993 are shown in Figure 13.

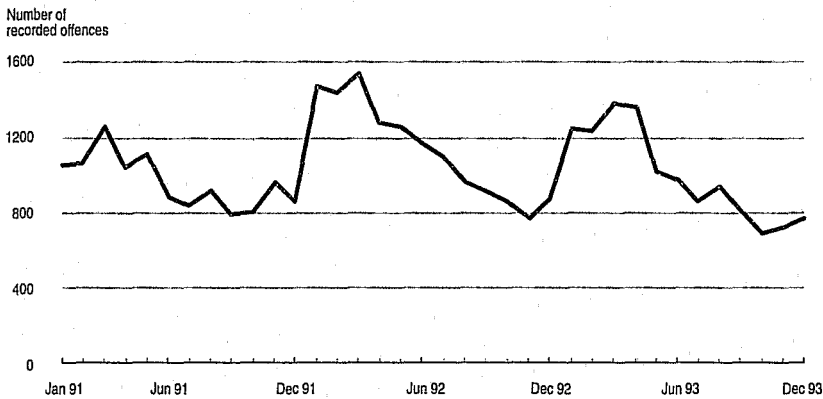


Regional variations in recorded rates of this offence, though marked, must be treated with caution, due to the very small number of cases sometimes involved. Moreover, as with the temporal trends for drug offences, variations in recorded rates of drug offences across different regions may reflect variations in law enforcement emphasis as well as variations in the rate of occurrence of the offence itself. It is nevertheless interesting to note in Table 3.13 that the area with the highest recorded offence rate in 1993 was the Fairfield – Liverpool Statistical Subdivision with 171.1 recorded offences per 100,000 population. The Inner Sydney Subdivision, which had the highest recorded offence rate in 1991 (150.0 per 100,000 population), also had high rates in 1992 and 1993 (131.8 and 108.9, respectively, per 100,000 population). In 1993, the rates for both Fairfield – Liverpool and Inner Sydney were nearly eight times and five times, respectively, the rate for the State as a whole.

Possession and/or use of cannabis

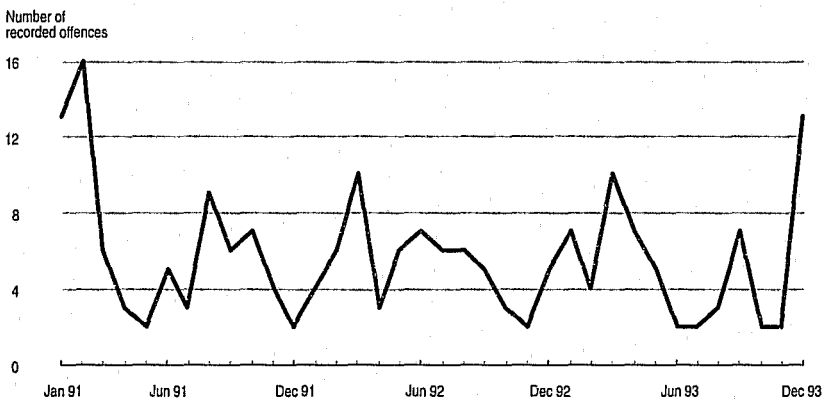
The cautionary remarks made above about trends in recorded drug offences apply with equal force to possession and/or use of cannabis.

As can be seen in Figure 14, the trend in recorded offences for possession and/or use of cannabis would appear to have a seasonal component to it. Table 3.14 shows that the recorded offence rates for this offence tend to be much higher in rural areas than in urban areas. Five regions have consistently had high offence rates per 100,000 population over the three year period examined. They are the South Eastern, Richmond – Tweed, Mid-North Coast, Far West, and Hunter Statistical Divisions. Over the same period the lowest recorded rate was for Canterbury – Bankstown Subdivision.

Figure 14: Possession and/or use of cannabis

Dealing, trafficking in cocaine

The numbers of recorded offences for this offence are very small and vary considerably from month to month as can be seen in Figure 15.

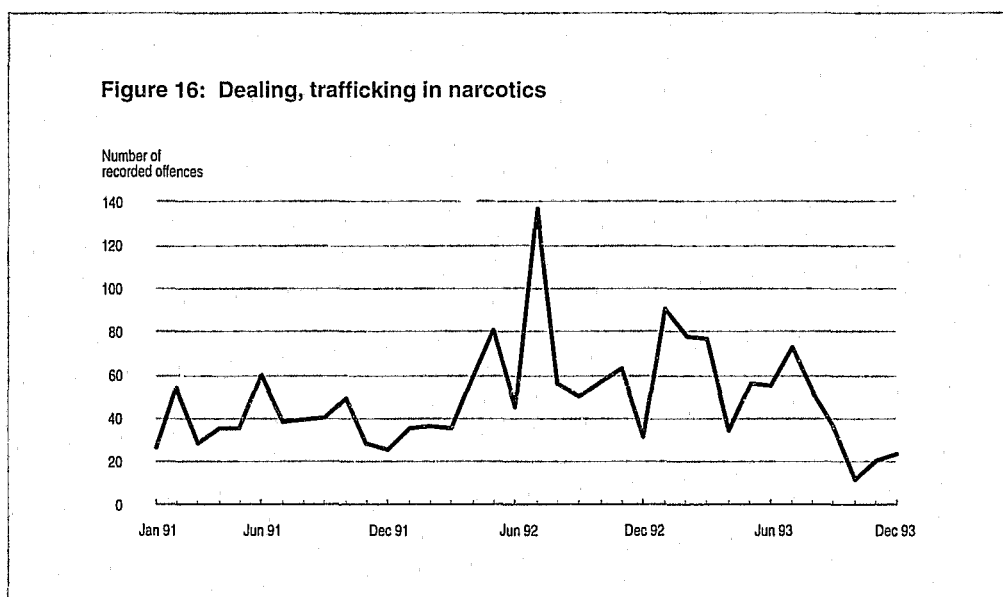
Figure 15: Dealing, trafficking in cocaine

As with the offence of possession and/or use of cocaine, recorded offences for dealing, trafficking in cocaine are confined mainly to two areas, the Inner Sydney and Eastern Suburbs

Statistical Subdivisions. Indeed, as can be seen in Table 3.15, in 1993 all but three of the recorded offences occurred in the Sydney Statistical Division.

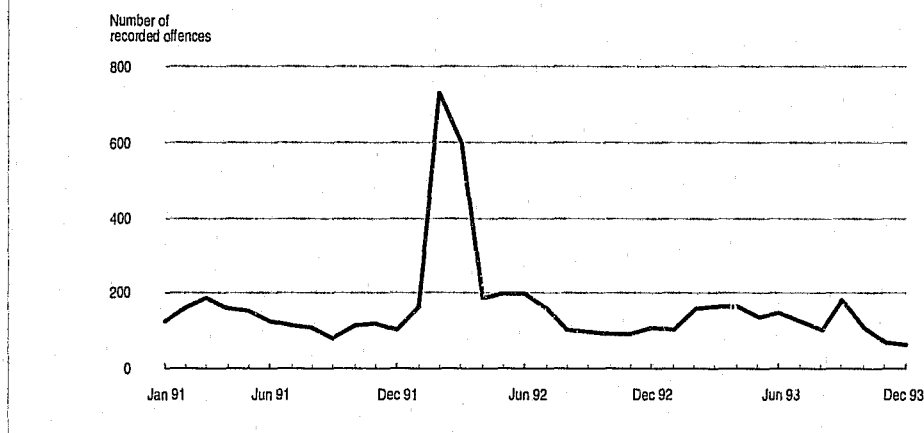
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics

As noted elsewhere, trends in drug offences may reflect changes in drug law enforcement practices as well as changes in the actual rate of occurrence of the offence. Table 3.16 shows that the Fairfield – Liverpool Statistical Subdivision had the highest recorded offence rate for this offence in 1993. The high number of recorded offences in this region (nearly half the State total) is probably due to special drug law enforcement operations conducted in Cabramatta.



Dealing, trafficking in cannabis

Figure 17 shows the monthly numbers of recorded offences for dealing, trafficking in cannabis from January 1991 to December 1993. There is a very notable peak in February 1992. This peak is due to a special covert police operation conducted in the Blacktown – Baulkham Hills Statistical Subdivision of Sydney. Over a two to three week period police videotaped a number of cannabis transactions in a local hotel. Each of the transactions resulted in a recorded offence. This special operation is the explanation for the high number of recorded offences for 1992 in the Blacktown – Baulkham Hills Subdivision seen in Table 3.17. This particular special operation provides a good illustration of the effect of police law enforcement activities on recorded drug offences.

Figure 17: Dealing, trafficking in cannabis

Cultivating cannabis

As with other drug offences, the numbers of recorded offences for cultivating cannabis are strongly influenced by law enforcement policy. Hence trends in the extent of offending for this offence cannot reliably be inferred from recorded rates of offending. Figure 18 shows there is a strong seasonal effect influencing recorded numbers of offences for cultivating cannabis. The seasonality probably reflects the growing and harvesting cycle of the cannabis plant.

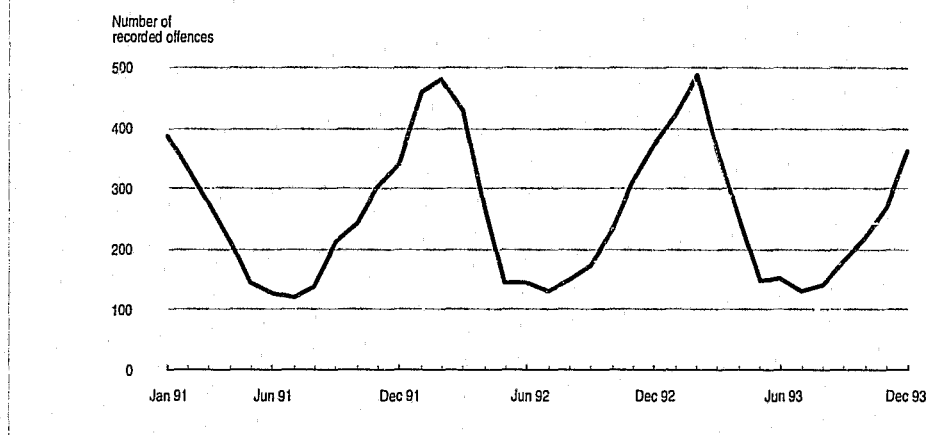
Figure 18: Cultivating cannabis

Table 3.18 shows that there are marked regional variations in the recorded offence rates for cultivating cannabis, although once again this fact is not necessarily indicative of the true variation in rates of offending. In each of the three years, 1991, 1992, and 1993, the highest recorded offence rates per 100,000 population were in the Richmond - Tweed and Mid-North Coast Statistical Divisions.

SIGNIFICANT UPWARD TRENDS

Over the period from January 1991 to December 1993, there were statistically significant upward trends in the monthly numbers of recorded offences in the following categories:

- assault (up by 16.3%)
- stealing (up by 8.6%)
- malicious damage to property (up by 16.8%).

The trends are shown in Figures 19 to 22. Note once again that the bracketed figures denote the percentage change in the annual recorded numbers of offences between 1991 and 1993.

Assault

Figure 19 shows the trend in recorded assault offences over the three year period from January 1991 to December 1993. Assault is an offence the recorded rate of which can be strongly influenced by both the exercise of police discretion and public willingness to report assaults to police. Therefore the increasing trend observed in the number of recorded offences may not necessarily indicate an increasing trend in the actual frequency of the offence.

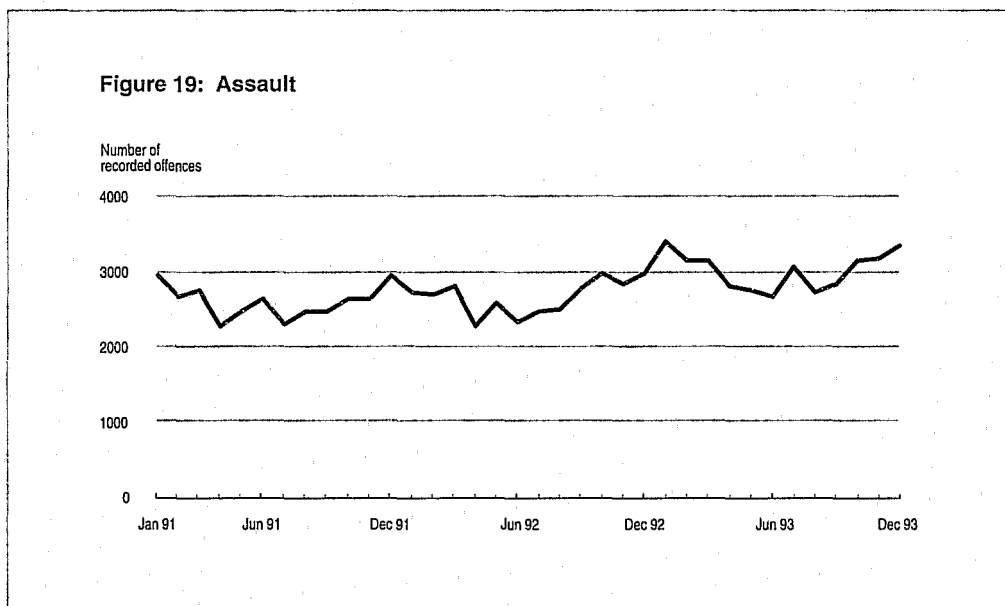
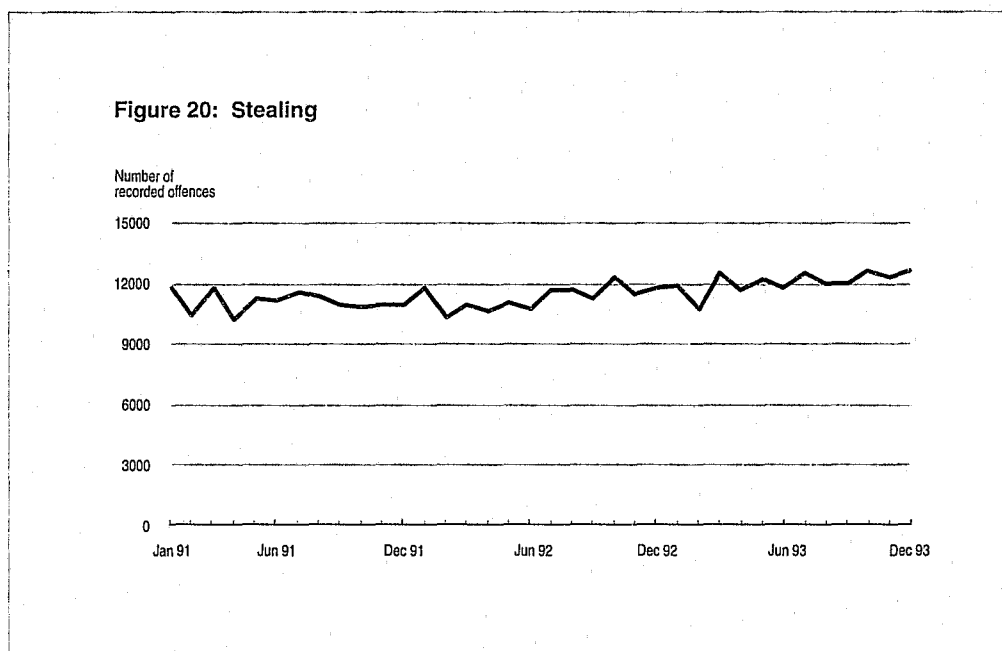


Table 3.2 shows that, except for the Murrumbidgee and Murray Statistical Divisions, there were increases in recorded assault offences between 1991 and 1993 in all regions. The biggest increases occurred in the Outer South Western Sydney (up by 47.3%), Outer Western Sydney (up by 38.9%) and Blacktown – Baulkham Hills (up by 36.4%) Statistical Subdivisions. Outside Sydney the biggest increase occurred in the Richmond – Tweed Statistical Division (up by 31.4%).

Stealing

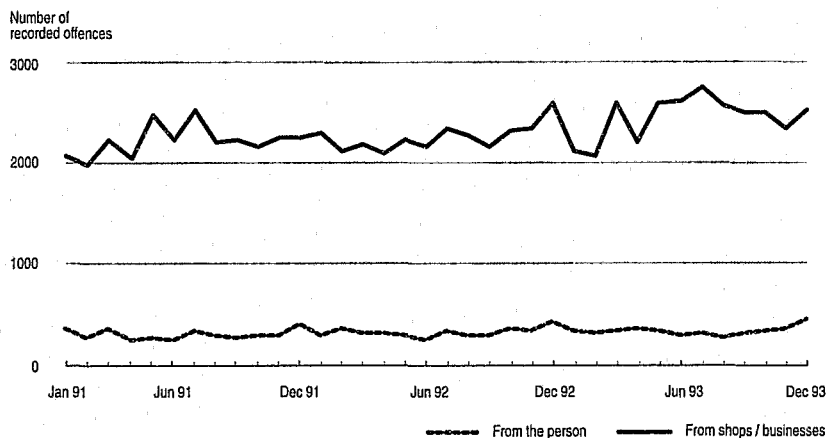
Stealing (not including breaking and entering or motor vehicle theft) is easily the most frequently recorded kind of offence in NSW. Counting all types of stealing offences together, Figure 20 shows the trend in recorded offences over the three year period from January 1991 to December 1993. There is a significant upward trend for all stealing offences during this period. Between 1991 and 1993 recorded stealing offences in NSW increased by 8.6%.

Table 3.9 show that Inner Sydney has the highest rate of recorded stealing offences, more than three times the rate for the State as a whole in each of the years 1991, 1992 and 1993. Between 1991 and 1993 the biggest increases in recorded stealing offences occurred in the Murrumbidge Statistical Division (up by 27.6%), the Northern Statistical Division (up by 26.4%) and the Fairfield – Liverpool Statistical Subdivision (up by 26.1%).



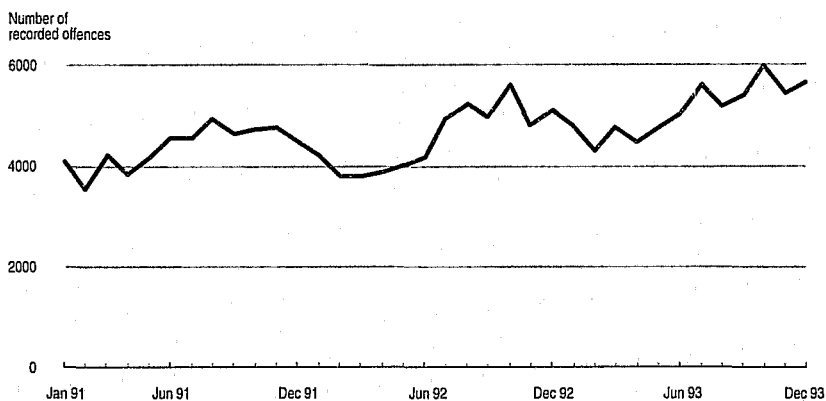
The two major subcategories of stealing which generate most public concern, namely stealing from the person and stealing from shops/businesses, also show statistically significant upward trends. Trends for both these subcategories of stealing are shown in Figure 21.

The increasing trend in stealing from shops/businesses is a continuation of the upward trend noted in the last two years' reports. Between 1991 and 1993 there was a 10.2% increase in the annual number of recorded offences for stealing from shops/businesses. During the same period, the number of recorded offences for stealing from the person increased by 11.6%.

Figure 21: Stealing from the person and from shops / businesses

Malicious damage to property

Figure 22 shows the numbers of recorded offences for malicious damage to property (other than arson) for each month from January 1991 to December 1993. The figure shows that the increasing trend observed in the last two years' reports continued during 1993.

Figure 22: Malicious damage to property

Inspection of Table 3.11 indicates that there were increases in recorded offences, between 1991 and 1993, in all regions except the Outer South Western Sydney Statistical Subdivision and the Far West Statistical Division. The largest increase in recorded offences between 1991 and 1993 occurred in the Outer Western Sydney Statistical Subdivision (up by 47.4%). Outside Sydney, the region with the biggest increase in recorded offences was the Northern Statistical Division (up by 36.8%).

TRENDS IN CLEAR-UP RATES

Clear-up rates are not necessarily a good measure of police performance. While for some offences (for example, homicide) the ability to 'solve' a crime is undoubtedly a distinctive police skill, for other offences (for example, offensive behaviour, selling illegal drugs, soliciting for prostitution) detection of the offence and the offender generally occur simultaneously. In such circumstances the clear-up rate (that is, the percentage of reported offences cleared), may be 100% but this provides no reliable indication of police effectiveness in 'solving' the offence in question.

Even in circumstances where 'solving' crime is a meaningful possibility, the clear-up rate may not provide the most satisfactory overall measure of police performance. For example, a high profile police initiative may at the same time reduce crime (due to greater perceived risk of apprehension among offenders) and reduce the clear-up rate (by encouraging reporting of offences to police with the result that recorded offences increase to a greater extent than do the number of offences cleared).

The influence on crime clear-up rates, of public willingness to report crime, makes the interpretation of differences in clear-up rate across different categories of offence quite hazardous. Some offences (for example, car theft) are much more likely to be reported to the police than others (for example, assault). For this reason from the standpoint of police effectiveness it is often more productive to examine trends over time in clear-up rates *within* particular categories of offence than between them. Unfortunately, since it takes some time to 'solve' offences, trends in the raw percentage of reported offences cleared always tend to trend downwards the more recent the crime figures being examined.

Tables 2.1, 2.2 and 2.3 give the numbers of offences cleared in each of the years, 1991, 1992 and 1993, respectively. The cleared offences are split into two groups: those which occurred in the same year and those which occurred in an earlier year. The clear-up measure used is the single year clear-up percentage. For a specified calendar year, this percentage is the number of offences which both occurred and were cleared during the year, as a percentage of the total number of offences recorded for the year. Comparisons across the tables show that, generally, within a specific offence category, the single year clear-up percentage is fairly similar from year to year.

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**MONTHLY TRENDS
IN SELECTED RECORDED
OFFENCES,
1991, 1992 AND 1993,
NEW SOUTH WALES**

TABLE 1.1

MONTHLY TRENDS IN SELECTED RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, NEW SOUTH WALES: TYPE OF OFFENCE

Type of offence	Recorded offences												Total 1991	Rate per 100,000 population
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Murder	9	7	13	12	8	7	5	16	9	6	10	13	115	1.9
Assault	2923	2644	2731	2264	2448	2616	2286	2466	2448	2628	2627	2933	31014	525.8
Sexual assault	699	337	503	387	387	370	432	450	300	343	343	432	4983	84.5
Robbery	526	418	448	540	480	536	600	511	464	500	460	497	5980	101.4
Breaking and entering	7611	6814	8152	7413	8579	8451	8175	8386	7362	7372	7482	8196	93993	1593.5
Fraud *	5169	5233	4898	4711	6426	3985	4768	3793	3703	4193	3498	3767	54144	917.9
Receiving, goods in custody	613	559	534	486	597	541	602	613	475	538	508	455	6521	110.5
Motor vehicle theft	4027	3891	4310	3861	4160	4344	4560	4624	4157	4017	3881	3926	49758	843.5
Stealing	11744	10408	11763	10244	11263	11166	11613	11347	10979	10864	10955	10975	133321	2260.2
Arson	239	237	306	293	271	248	243	264	280	235	207	197	3020	51.2
Malicious damage to property	4077	3550	4194	3844	4186	4542	4562	4930	4613	4722	4743	4474	52437	889.0
Possession and/or use of cocaine	14	14	12	6	10	7	11	10	13	12	13	10	132	2.2
Possession and/or use of narcotics	104	109	89	77	110	137	100	103	86	110	88	78	1191	20.2
Possession and/or use of cannabis	1047	1062	1258	1036	1109	877	836	913	789	801	956	858	11542	195.7
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	13	16	6	3	2	5	3	9	6	7	4	2	76	1.3
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	26	54	28	35	35	60	38	39	40	49	28	25	457	7.7
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	122	159	185	158	150	120	114	105	77	112	119	100	1521	25.8
Cultivating cannabis	386	332	274	209	145	126	120	138	209	241	303	339	2822	47.8
Offensive behaviour	1434	1235	1268	984	1016	1063	839	973	897	1080	1112	1218	13119	222.4

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 1.2**MONTHLY TRENDS IN SELECTED RECORDED OFFENCES, 1992, NEW SOUTH WALES:
TYPE OF OFFENCE**

Type of offence	Recorded offences												Total 1992	Rate per 100,000 population
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Murder	9	3	7	10	6	12	7	9	4	11	14	9	101	1.7
Assault	2723	2671	2790	2243	2557	2325	2450	2490	2759	2961	2827	2977	31773	533.2
Sexual assault	531	346	382	300	345	264	359	389	373	437	470	422	4618	77.5
Robbery	514	470	465	418	443	428	478	462	433	539	481	525	5656	94.9
Breaking and entering	7723	6975	7299	7383	8006	7861	8310	7854	7065	7813	7186	7716	91191	1530.4
Fraud *	3608	3249	3563	3425	3172	3327	3669	3118	2584	4157	3054	3391	40317	676.6
Receiving, goods in custody	570	539	559	450	540	526	543	524	490	471	516	492	6220	104.4
Motor vehicle theft	3728	3358	3181	3093	3195	3052	3341	3095	3157	3456	3370	3397	39423	661.6
Stealing	11759	10313	10916	10656	11028	10708	11673	11716	11252	12278	11430	11765	135494	2273.9
Arson	189	180	184	171	171	210	197	236	228	206	200	214	2386	40.0
Malicious damage to property	4204	3774	3793	3863	4013	4147	4938	5234	4968	5603	4803	5097	54437	913.6
Possession and/or use of cocaine	16	12	10	14	18	20	16	13	8	16	8	3	154	2.6
Possession and/or use of narcotics	120	114	96	82	114	104	130	108	137	213	117	97	1432	24.0
Possession and/or use of cannabis	1464	1435	1538	1273	1252	1168	1090	958	916	861	770	874	13599	228.2
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	4	6	10	3	6	7	6	6	5	3	2	5	63	1.1
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	35	36	35	60	80	45	137	56	50	57	63	31	685	11.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	163	729	599	187	194	197	155	98	93	90	88	107	2700	45.3
Cultivating cannabis	461	481	427	268	143	143	129	148	170	230	308	373	3281	55.1
Offensive behaviour	1206	1115	1093	1117	863	712	883	842	916	976	946	1045	11714	196.6

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 1-3

MONTHLY TRENDS IN SELECTED RECORDED OFFENCES, 1993, NEW SOUTH WALES: TYPE OF OFFENCE

Type of offence	Recorded offences												Total 1993	Rate per 100,000 population
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Murder	6	9	12	6	4	13	6	23	12	7	7	5	110	1.8
Assault	3386	3144	3124	2807	2751	2660	3043	2699	2836	3123	3169	3334	36076	605.4
Sexual assault	575	434	426	420	327	347	352	364	327	303	336	302	4513	75.7
Robbery	435	402	438	485	484	534	479	518	660	511	480	504	5930	99.5
Breaking and entering	7372	7103	8126	7835	7946	7590	7710	7689	7635	7886	7699	7824	92415	1550.9
Fraud *	2749	2822	3608	2851	2674	2312	2657	1480	1579	1502	1427	1150	26811	449.9
Receiving, goods in custody	587	556	757	609	584	614	546	540	499	483	402	426	6603	110.8
Motor vehicle theft	3231	2911	3449	3228	3368	3193	3383	3513	3330	3489	3427	3647	40169	674.1
Stealing	11877	10773	12562	11654	12160	11737	12566	11970	11996	12639	12276	12604	144814	2430.3
Arson	199	192	178	216	223	234	242	220	227	198	170	161	2460	41.3
Malicious damage to property	4779	4308	4740	4470	4774	5006	5581	5172	5369	5975	5430	5634	61238	1027.7
Possession and/or use of cocaine	18	10	22	15	9	5	8	5	11	9	8	13	133	2.2
Possession and/or use of narcotics	171	147	154	128	136	94	117	101	82	56	71	83	1340	22.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	1238	1236	1383	1356	1018	976	857	935	799	690	723	765	11976	201.0
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	7	4	10	7	5	2	2	3	7	2	2	13	64	1.1
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	90	78	77	34	56	55	73	51	36	12	20	23	605	10.2
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	102	158	160	164	133	144	122	101	181	104	65	60	1494	25.1
Cultivating cannabis	421	487	364	254	147	152	130	139	180	216	271	362	3123	52.4
Offensive behaviour	1226	1017	955	912	790	736	811	906	823	997	838	956	10967	184.1

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

**RECORDED OFFENCES
AND
CLEARED OFFENCES,
1991, 1992 AND 1993,
NEW SOUTH WALES**

TABLE 2.1**RECORDED OFFENCES AND CLEARED OFFENCES, 1991,
NEW SOUTH WALES: TYPE OF OFFENCE**

Type of offence	Recorded offences			
	Number of offences that occurred in 1991	Number of offences cleared in 1991 that occurred in 1991	Number of offences cleared in 1991 that occurred before 1991	Single year clear-up percentage
Homicide:				
Murder	115	58	20	50.4
Attempted murder	89	61	6	68.5
Murder accessory, conspiracy	6	5	6	83.3
Manslaughter (not motoring)	21	15	8	71.4
Manslaughter (motoring)	10	7	1	70.0
Assault:				
Aggravated	5347	3148	626	58.9
Non-aggravated	25667	17016	2319	66.3
Sexual offences:				
Aggravated sexual assault	662	222	44	33.5
Sexual assault	1681	851	540	50.6
Indecent assault, act of indecency	2640	1166	689	44.2
Other sexual offences	302	187	181	61.9
Abduction and kidnapping	249	79	16	31.7
Robbery:				
Robbery without a weapon	3173	373	55	11.8
Robbery with a firearm	1265	214	30	16.9
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1542	288	17	18.7
Theft:				
Breaking and entering – dwelling	57155	2999	514	5.2
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	36838	2961	475	8.0
Fraud *	54144	13278	11462	24.5
Receiving	2001	1562	418	78.1
Goods in custody	4520	4051	460	89.6
Motor vehicle theft	49758	3713	433	7.5
Stealing	133321	19514	2666	14.6

TABLE 2.1 continued

Type of offence	Recorded offences			Single year clear-up percentage
	Number of offences that occurred in 1991	Number of offences cleared in 1991 that occurred in 1991	Number of offences cleared in 1991 that occurred before 1991	
Demand money with menaces	360	97	8	26.9
Extortion, blackmail	6	1	1	16.7
Arson	3020	254	156	8.4
Malicious damage to property	52437	7962	1159	15.2
Drug offences:				
Possession and/or use of cocaine	132	125	8	94.7
Possession and/or use of narcotics	1191	1090	81	91.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	11542	10531	941	91.2
Possession and/or use of other drugs	1376	1266	96	92.0
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	76	74	3	97.4
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	457	410	32	89.7
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	1521	1353	113	89.0
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	379	325	30	85.8
Cultivating cannabis	2822	2093	286	74.2
Importing drugs	13	9	2	69.2
Other drug offences	3251	2906	329	89.4
Offensive behaviour	13119	10148	1660	77.4
Other offences	31282	22937	3754	73.3
All offences	503490	133349	29645	26.5

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 2.2**RECORDED OFFENCES AND CLEARED OFFENCES, 1992,
NEW SOUTH WALES: TYPE OF OFFENCE**

Type of offence	Recorded offences			
	Number of offences that occurred in 1992	Number of offences cleared in 1992 that occurred in 1992	Number of offences cleared in 1992 that occurred before 1992	Single year clear-up percentage
Homicide:				
Murder	101	67	27	66.3
Attempted murder	75	56	19	74.7
Murder accessory, conspiracy	4	3	1	75.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	22	18	4	81.8
Manslaughter (motoring)	3	3	4	100.0
Assault:				
Aggravated	5219	3010	557	57.7
Non-aggravated	26554	17491	2113	65.9
Sexual offences:				
Aggravated sexual assault	834	342	263	41.0
Sexual assault	1386	497	341	35.9
Indecent assault, act of indecency	2398	900	865	37.5
Other sexual offences	185	114	109	61.6
Abduction and kidnapping	292	71	11	24.3
Robbery:				
Robbery without a weapon	3080	415	58	13.5
Robbery with a firearm	1132	221	84	19.5
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1444	263	40	18.2
Theft:				
Breaking and entering – dwelling	56437	2866	726	5.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	34754	2732	642	7.9
Fraud *	40317	11898	11127	29.5
Receiving	2015	1557	538	77.3
Goods in custody	4205	3710	394	88.2
Motor vehicle theft	39423	3366	829	8.5
Stealing	135494	18850	2633	13.9

TABLE 2.2 continued

Type of offence	Recorded offences			Single year clear-up percentage
	Number of offences that occurred in 1992	Number of offences cleared in 1992 that occurred in 1992	Number of offences cleared in 1992 that occurred before 1992	
Demand money with menaces	427	119	10	27.9
Extortion, blackmail	23	4	0	17.4
Arson	2386	212	67	8.9
Malicious damage to property	54437	7880	1073	14.5
Drug offences:				
Possession and/or use of cocaine	154	149	7	96.8
Possession and/or use of narcotics	1432	1324	96	92.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	13599	12521	966	92.1
Possession and/or use of other drugs	1608	1467	103	91.2
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	63	59	2	93.7
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	685	619	40	90.4
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	2700	2486	148	92.1
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	540	477	40	88.3
Cultivating cannabis	3281	2383	296	72.6
Importing drugs	12	7	3	58.3
Other drug offences	3606	3243	285	89.9
Offensive behaviour	11714	8859	1257	75.6
Other offences	33479	23980	3227	71.6
All offences	485520	134239	29005	27.6

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 2.3**RECORDED OFFENCES AND CLEARED OFFENCES, 1993,
NEW SOUTH WALES: TYPE OF OFFENCE**

Type of offence	Recorded offences			Single year clear-up percentage
	Number of offences that occurred in 1993	Number of offences cleared in 1993 that occurred in 1993	Number of offences cleared in 1993 that occurred before 1993	
Homicide:				
Murder	110	87	32	79.1
Attempted murder	84	70	13	83.3
Murder accessory, conspiracy	13	13	1	100.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	6	4	4	66.7
Manslaughter (motoring)	4	4	0	100.0
Assault:				
Aggravated	5806	3308	557	57.0
Non-aggravated	30270	19447	2115	64.2
Sexual offences:				
Aggravated sexual assault	890	453	297	50.9
Sexual assault	1193	529	537	44.3
Indecent assault, act of indecency	2430	1220	992	50.2
Other sexual offences	216	161	63	74.5
Abduction and kidnapping	322	89	14	27.6
Robbery:				
Robbery without a weapon	3525	568	56	16.1
Robbery with a firearm	877	212	112	24.2
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1528	284	61	18.6
Theft:				
Breaking and entering – dwelling	58036	2967	833	5.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	34379	2509	664	7.3
Fraud *	26811	12664	11001	47.2
Receiving	2339	2040	463	87.2
Goods in custody	4264	3845	443	90.2
Motor vehicle theft	40169	3536	507	8.8
Stealing	144814	20151	2620	13.9

TABLE 2.3 continued

Type of offence	Recorded offences			Single year clear-up percentage
	Number of offences that occurred in 1993	Number of offences cleared in 1993 that occurred in 1993	Number of offences cleared in 1993 that occurred before 1993	
Demand money with menaces	457	155	50	33.9
Extortion, blackmail	7	1	8	14.3
Arson	2460	192	49	7.8
Malicious damage to property	61238	8275	1097	13.5
Drug offences:				
Possession and/or use of cocaine	133	122	3	91.7
Possession and/or use of narcotics	1340	1253	110	93.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	11976	10999	1004	91.8
Possession and/or use of other drugs	1597	1463	135	91.6
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	64	52	3	81.3
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	605	566	70	93.6
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	1494	1373	210	91.9
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	523	467	69	89.3
Cultivating cannabis	3123	2331	344	74.6
Importing drugs	11	11	6	100.0
Other drug offences	2874	2520	284	87.7
Offensive behaviour	10967	7909	995	72.1
Other offences	38148	26959	3719	70.7
All offences	495103	138809	29541	28.0

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

**RECORDED OFFENCES
1991, 1992 AND 1993,
IN NSW REGIONS
FOR SELECTED OFFENCES**

TABLE 3.1 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**MURDER**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	72	2.0	71	1.9	72	2.0
Inner Sydney	16	6.3	7	2.8	11	4.4
Eastern Suburbs	5	2.2	3	1.3	3	1.3
St George – Sutherland	3	0.8	3	0.8	7	1.8
Canterbury – Bankstown	3	1.0	8	2.7	3	1.0
Fairfield – Liverpool	10	3.5	10	3.5	11	3.8
Outer South Western Sydney	2	1.0	5	2.5	4	2.0
Inner Western Sydney	7	4.6	1	0.7	5	3.3
Central Western Sydney	5	1.9	3	1.1	6	2.2
Outer Western Sydney	2	0.7	10	3.5	5	1.8
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	5	1.5	9	2.6	9	2.6
Lower Northern Sydney	5	1.9	5	1.9	0	0.0
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	1	0.4	1	0.4	2	0.8
Northern Beaches	1	0.5	0	0.0	3	1.4
Gosford – Wyong	7	2.9	6	2.4	3	1.2
Hunter	6	1.1	9	1.7	8	1.5
Illawarra	4	1.1	6	1.7	15	4.2
Richmond – Tweed	4	2.2	1	0.5	1	0.5
Mid-North Coast	10	4.2	2	0.8	2	0.8
Northern	2	1.1	1	0.5	4	2.2
North Western	2	1.7	2	1.7	3	2.6
Central West	1	0.6	1	0.6	2	1.2
South Eastern	5	3.0	3	1.8	1	0.6
Murrumbidgee	6	4.1	1	0.7	0	0.0
Murray	2	1.8	2	1.8	1	0.9
Far West	1	3.5	2	7.1	1	3.6
New South Wales	115	2.0	101	1.7	110	1.9

TABLE 3.2 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**ASSAULT**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	17843	485.8	18285	494.2	21277	575.1
Inner Sydney	3994	1568.4	3991	1580.0	4110	1627.1
Eastern Suburbs	1032	448.1	1051	456.1	1069	463.9
St George – Sutherland	1174	294.3	1127	281.6	1326	331.3
Canterbury – Bankstown	1112	375.8	1131	381.0	1428	481.1
Fairfield – Liverpool	1547	547.2	1705	594.0	2005	698.5
Outer South Western Sydney	1106	561.1	1208	596.3	1629	804.1
Inner Western Sydney	600	390.5	543	354.8	702	458.7
Central Western Sydney	1490	552.8	1624	601.8	1865	691.1
Outer Western Sydney	1122	400.4	1258	440.4	1559	545.8
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	1414	416.8	1536	446.4	1928	560.3
Lower Northern Sydney	769	284.6	791	293.0	939	347.8
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	427	177.0	415	170.9	477	196.5
Northern Beaches	892	406.9	776	354.8	901	412.0
Gosford – Wyong	1164	485.4	1129	459.3	1339	544.8
Hunter	2550	479.4	2704	501.6	2916	540.9
Illawarra	1425	407.7	1374	386.9	1737	489.2
Richmond – Tweed	962	535.9	1030	557.7	1264	684.4
Mid-North Coast	1190	494.0	1393	564.0	1391	563.2
Northern	1220	658.2	1248	669.4	1428	765.9
North Western	1372	1187.4	1363	1165.0	1659	1418.0
Central West	996	585.5	1011	589.0	1008	587.2
South Eastern	1058	628.3	1050	610.8	1174	683.0
Murrumbidgee	986	669.4	927	625.1	945	637.2
Murray	923	847.6	916	835.8	763	696.2
Far West	489	1727.9	472	1676.7	514	1825.9
New South Wales	31014	525.8	31773	533.2	36076	605.4

TABLE 3.3 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**SEXUAL ASSAULT**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	2540	69.2	2467	66.7	2638	71.3
Inner Sydney	380	149.2	377	149.3	335	132.6
Eastern Suburbs	107	46.5	109	47.3	104	45.1
St George – Sutherland	143	35.8	141	35.2	128	32.0
Canterbury – Bankstown	205	69.3	171	57.6	173	58.3
Fairfield – Liverpool	242	85.6	255	88.8	279	97.2
Outer South Western Sydney	221	112.1	284	140.2	389	192.0
Inner Western Sydney	87	56.6	78	51.0	85	55.5
Central Western Sydney	161	59.7	169	62.6	191	70.8
Outer Western Sydney	155	55.3	199	69.7	250	87.5
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	274	80.8	262	76.1	257	74.7
Lower Northern Sydney	123	45.5	88	32.6	111	41.1
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	85	35.2	47	19.4	70	28.8
Northern Beaches	115	52.5	84	38.4	95	43.4
Gosford – Wyong	242	100.9	203	82.6	171	69.6
Hunter	548	103.0	549	101.8	414	76.8
Illawarra	274	78.4	239	67.3	196	55.2
Richmond – Tweed	184	102.5	123	66.6	202	109.4
Mid-North Coast	261	108.3	254	102.8	135	54.7
Northern	141	76.1	116	62.2	112	60.1
North Western	184	159.2	170	145.3	143	122.2
Central West	144	84.7	196	114.2	176	102.5
South Eastern	154	91.5	146	84.9	179	104.1
Murrumbidgee	382	259.3	196	132.2	211	142.3
Murray	119	109.3	118	107.7	66	60.2
Far West	52	183.8	44	156.3	41	145.7
New South Wales	4983	84.5	4618	77.5	4513	75.7

TABLE 3.4 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**ROBBERY**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	5315	144.7	4959	134.0	5205	140.7
Inner Sydney	1808	710.0	1317	719.3	1824	722.1
Eastern Suburbs	319	138.5	331	143.6	265	115.0
St George – Sutherland	307	77.0	303	75.7	309	77.2
Canterbury – Bankstown	408	137.9	381	128.4	377	127.0
Fairfield – Liverpool	447	158.1	366	127.5	472	164.4
Outer South Western Sydney	143	72.6	146	72.1	189	93.3
Inner Western Sydney	319	207.6	253	165.3	253	165.3
Central Western Sydney	435	161.4	392	145.3	454	168.2
Outer Western Sydney	200	71.4	175	61.3	205	71.8
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	336	99.0	323	93.9	368	107.0
Lower Northern Sydney	263	99.2	195	72.2	202	74.8
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	106	43.9	82	33.8	80	33.0
Northern Beaches	139	63.4	109	49.8	104	47.6
Gosford – Wyong	80	33.4	86	35.0	103	41.9
Hunter	195	36.7	190	35.2	195	36.2
Illawarra	126	36.1	126	35.5	127	35.8
Richmond – Tweed	48	26.7	49	26.5	68	36.8
Mid-North Coast	69	28.6	54	21.9	52	21.1
Northern	58	31.3	69	37.0	89	47.7
North Western	37	32.0	49	41.9	44	37.6
Central West	35	20.6	46	26.8	53	30.9
South Eastern	30	17.8	44	25.6	34	19.8
Murrumbidgee	38	25.8	37	25.0	34	22.9
Murray	22	20.2	23	21.0	21	19.2
Far West	7	24.7	10	35.5	8	28.4
New South Wales	5980	101.4	5656	94.9	5930	99.5

TABLE 3.5 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**BREAKING AND ENTERING**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	66059	1798.6	63949	1728.5	61597	1664.9
Inner Sydney	9299	3651.7	9175	3632.2	8704	3445.8
Eastern Suburbs	4796	2082.5	4022	1745.3	4412	1914.5
St George – Sutherland	5388	1350.6	5390	1346.7	4573	1142.5
Canterbury – Bankstown	4933	1667.1	4862	1637.9	4687	1578.9
Fairfield – Liverpool	5671	2006.0	4982	1735.6	5151	1794.5
Outer South Western Sydney	3598	1825.5	3862	1906.2	3728	1840.1
Inner Western Sydney	2949	1919.3	3219	2103.2	3083	2014.4
Central Western Sydney	5762	2137.6	5901	2186.8	5161	1912.5
Outer Western Sydney	4732	1688.8	4090	1431.8	4567	1598.8
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	5759	1697.6	5011	1456.3	4421	1284.8
Lower Northern Sydney	5174	1914.5	5335	1975.9	5180	1918.5
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	2412	999.8	2568	1057.7	2301	947.7
Northern Beaches	2615	1193.0	2381	1088.7	2544	1163.2
Gosford – Wyong	2971	1239.0	3151	1281.9	3085	1255.1
Hunter	6265	1177.7	6194	1149.0	7340	1361.5
Illawarra	5784	1654.7	5295	1491.1	6254	1761.2
Richmond – Tweed	2013	1121.5	1885	1020.6	2423	1311.9
Mid-North Coast	2552	1059.4	2555	1034.4	2688	1088.3
Northern	1564	843.8	2054	1101.6	2269	1217.0
North Western	1858	1608.0	1785	1525.6	1969	1682.9
Central West	1933	1136.4	1822	1061.5	2033	1184.4
South Eastern	2073	1231.0	2047	1190.8	1971	1146.6
Murrumbidgee	1868	1268.2	1636	1103.2	2067	1393.8
Murray	1528	1403.1	1425	1300.2	1273	1161.5
Far West	496	1752.7	544	1932.5	531	1886.3
New South Wales	93993	1593.5	91191	1530.4	92415	1550.9

TABLE 3.6 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**FRAUD ***

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	44452	1210.3	32004	865.0	19890	537.6
Inner Sydney	14936	5865.3	10707	4238.7	6286	2488.5
Eastern Suburbs	4272	1855.0	2909	1262.3	1743	756.4
St George – Sutherland	2448	613.6	1952	487.7	1240	309.8
Canterbury – Bankstown	2429	820.9	1526	514.1	1117	376.3
Fairfield – Liverpool	2178	770.4	2206	768.5	916	319.1
Outer South Western Sydney	766	388.6	916	452.1	408	201.4
Inner Western Sydney	1777	1156.5	934	610.3	722	471.7
Central Western Sydney	3505	1300.3	2488	922.0	1563	579.2
Outer Western Sydney	1566	558.9	969	339.2	593	207.6
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	2107	621.1	1531	444.9	949	275.8
Lower Northern Sydney	4865	1800.2	2833	1049.3	1859	688.5
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	842	349.0	634	261.1	349	143.7
Northern Beaches	1613	735.9	1439	658.0	1001	457.7
Gosford – Wyong	1148	478.7	960	390.6	1144	465.4
Hunter	2508	471.5	1755	325.5	1946	361.0
Illawarra	1147	328.1	919	258.8	897	252.6
Richmond – Tweed	1056	588.3	923	499.7	940	508.9
Mid-North Coast	1733	719.4	1038	420.2	877	355.1
Northern	716	386.3	709	380.3	492	263.9
North Western	397	343.6	496	423.9	237	202.6
Central West	436	256.3	471	274.4	415	241.8
South Eastern	469	278.5	583	339.2	487	283.3
Murrumbidgee	692	469.8	684	461.2	410	276.5
Murray	440	404.0	604	551.1	164	149.6
Far West	98	346.3	131	465.4	56	198.9
New South Wales	54144	917.9	40317	676.6	26811	450.0

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 3.7 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**RECEIVING, GOODS IN CUSTODY**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	4080	111.1	4067	109.9	4339	117.3
Inner Sydney	1080	424.1	1095	433.5	1146	453.7
Eastern Suburbs	293	127.2	222	96.3	229	99.4
St George – Sutherland	229	57.4	259	64.7	262	65.5
Canterbury – Bankstown	282	95.3	361	121.6	271	91.3
Fairfield – Liverpool	324	114.6	371	129.3	545	189.9
Outer South Western Sydney	215	109.1	216	106.6	251	123.9
Inner Western Sydney	206	134.1	125	81.7	129	84.3
Central Western Sydney	257	95.3	286	106.0	343	127.1
Outer Western Sydney	209	74.6	224	78.4	276	96.6
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	324	95.5	280	81.4	274	79.6
Lower Northern Sydney	237	87.7	218	80.7	160	59.3
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	86	35.7	59	24.3	77	31.7
Northern Beaches	118	53.8	130	59.4	135	61.7
Gosford – Wyong	220	91.7	221	89.9	241	98.1
Hunter	431	81.0	377	69.9	423	78.5
Illawarra	299	85.5	295	83.1	360	101.4
Richmond – Tweed	367	204.5	171	92.6	227	122.9
Mid-North Coast	214	88.8	237	96.0	252	102.0
Northern	190	102.5	187	100.3	165	88.5
North Western	147	127.2	183	156.4	134	114.5
Central West	169	99.4	152	88.6	166	96.7
South Eastern	254	150.8	237	137.9	223	129.7
Murrumbidgee	121	82.2	102	68.8	100	67.4
Murray	167	153.4	139	126.8	170	155.1
Far West	82	289.8	73	259.3	44	156.3
New South Wales	6521	110.6	6220	104.4	6603	110.8

TABLE 3.8 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	41035	1117.3	32508	878.7	32914	889.6
Inner Sydney	6503	2553.7	5574	2206.7	5640	2232.8
Eastern Suburbs	2561	1112.0	1902	825.3	2104	913.0
St George – Sutherland	2990	749.5	2390	597.1	2482	620.1
Canterbury – Bankstown	3911	1321.7	3274	1102.9	3287	1107.3
Fairfield – Liverpool	5111	1807.9	4126	1437.4	4098	1427.6
Outer South Western Sydney	2309	1171.5	1656	817.4	1659	818.9
Inner Western Sydney	2085	1357.0	1620	1058.5	1811	1183.3
Central Western Sydney	3835	1422.7	2909	1078.0	3177	1177.3
Outer Western Sydney	2954	1054.3	2480	868.2	2377	832.1
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	3701	1090.9	3028	880.0	2504	727.7
Lower Northern Sydney	2159	798.9	1392	515.6	1545	572.2
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	743	308.0	558	229.8	537	221.2
Northern Beaches	1046	477.2	671	306.8	612	279.8
Gosford – Wyong	1127	470.0	928	377.5	1081	439.8
Hunter	1908	358.7	1612	299.0	1694	314.2
Illawarra	2686	768.4	1784	502.4	2014	567.2
Richmond – Tweed	437	243.5	480	259.9	520	281.5
Mid-North Coast	690	286.4	592	239.7	551	223.1
Northern	430	232.0	428	229.6	418	224.2
North Western	384	332.3	364	311.1	425	363.3
Central West	603	354.5	488	284.3	531	309.4
South Eastern	483	286.8	382	222.2	353	205.4
Murrumbidgee	403	273.6	269	181.4	329	221.9
Murray	556	510.6	392	357.7	305	278.3
Far West	143	505.3	124	440.5	115	408.5
New South Wales	49758	843.5	39423	661.6	40169	674.1

TABLE 3.9 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**STEALING**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	86146	2345.5	87570	2366.9	93869	2537.2
Inner Sydney	20649	8108.8	21352	8452.9	22534	8920.8
Eastern Suburbs	7196	3124.6	7381	3202.9	7594	3295.3
St George – Sutherland	6044	1515.0	6241	1559.3	6717	1678.2
Canterbury – Bankstown	4563	1542.1	4524	1524.0	5333	1796.5
Fairfield – Liverpool	4996	1767.2	5518	1922.3	6299	2194.4
Outer South Western Sydney	3320	1684.4	3429	1692.5	3657	1805.0
Inner Western Sydney	3522	2292.2	3387	2213.0	3766	2460.6
Central Western Sydney	5470	2029.3	5641	2090.4	6269	2323.1
Outer Western Sydney	4996	1783.0	4873	1705.9	5678	1987.8
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	5514	1625.4	5508	1600.7	5454	1585.0
Lower Northern Sydney	6887	2548.4	7048	2610.4	7543	2793.7
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	2627	1088.9	2713	1117.4	2595	1068.8
Northern Beaches	5051	2304.3	4847	2216.3	4988	2280.8
Gosford – Wyong	5311	2214.8	5108	2078.1	5442	2214.0
Hunter	11042	2075.8	11643	2159.7	11374	2109.8
Illawarra	7506	2147.3	6903	1944.0	7471	2103.9
Richmond – Tweed	4366	2432.3	4203	2275.6	4952	2681.1
Mid-North Coast	4612	1914.5	5279	2137.3	5509	2230.4
Northern	3048	1644.5	3409	1828.4	3853	2066.5
North Western	2580	2232.8	2937	2510.3	2815	2406.0
Central West	3101	1823.1	3323	1935.9	3834	2233.6
South Eastern	3854	2288.6	3481	2025.0	3892	2264.1
Murrumbidgee	3105	2107.9	3146	2121.4	3962	2671.6
Murray	3186	2925.6	2919	2663.3	2611	2382.3
Far West	775	2738.5	681	2419.2	672	2387.2
New South Wales	133321	2260.2	135494	2273.9	144814	2430.3

TABLE 3.10 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**ARSON**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	1922	52.3	1559	42.1	1609	43.5
Inner Sydney	169	66.4	122	48.3	126	49.9
Eastern Suburbs	31	13.5	20	8.7	30	13.0
St George – Sutherland	165	41.4	172	43.0	139	34.7
Canterbury – Bankstown	107	36.2	62	20.9	79	26.6
Fairfield – Liverpool	242	85.6	143	49.8	179	62.4
Outer South Western Sydney	96	48.7	101	49.9	90	44.4
Inner Western Sydney	39	25.4	44	28.8	41	26.8
Central Western Sydney	124	46.0	151	56.0	159	58.9
Outer Western Sydney	365	130.3	276	96.6	207	72.5
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	253	74.6	172	50.0	268	77.9
Lower Northern Sydney	50	18.5	59	21.9	64	23.7
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	75	31.1	59	24.3	75	30.9
Northern Beaches	80	36.5	67	30.6	48	22.0
Gosford – Wyong	126	52.5	111	45.2	104	42.3
Hunter	367	69.0	273	50.6	264	49.0
Illawarra	269	77.0	204	57.5	212	59.7
Richmond – Tweed	94	52.4	73	39.5	65	35.2
Mid-North Coast	103	42.8	61	24.7	78	31.6
Northern	44	23.7	36	19.3	36	19.3
North Western	38	32.9	40	34.2	39	33.3
Central West	41	24.1	32	18.6	37	21.6
South Eastern	45	26.7	38	22.1	34	19.8
Murrumbidgee	51	34.6	45	30.3	56	37.8
Murray	34	31.2	22	20.1	26	23.7
Far West	12	42.4	3	10.7	4	14.2
New South Wales	3020	51.2	2386	40.0	2460	41.3

TABLE 3.11 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**MALICIOUS DAMAGE TO PROPERTY**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	32645	888.8	33672	910.1	37887	1024.0
Inner Sydney	5256	2064.0	5301	2098.6	5444	2155.2
Eastern Suburbs	1726	749.5	1955	848.3	2144	930.4
St George – Sutherland	2597	651.0	2944	735.5	3521	879.7
Canterbury – Bankstown	2170	733.4	2174	732.4	2995	1008.9
Fairfield – Liverpool	2418	855.3	2669	929.8	2713	945.1
Outer South Western Sydney	2660	1349.6	2318	1144.1	2388	1178.7
Inner Western Sydney	1268	825.3	1262	824.6	1352	883.4
Central Western Sydney	2305	855.1	2476	917.6	2797	1036.5
Outer Western Sydney	2294	818.7	2496	873.8	3382	1184.0
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	2737	806.8	2878	836.4	3223	936.7
Lower Northern Sydney	1895	701.2	1905	705.6	2340	866.7
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	1582	655.8	1422	585.7	1615	665.2
Northern Beaches	1560	711.7	1566	715.1	1672	764.5
Gosford – Wyong	2177	907.8	2306	938.2	2301	936.1
Hunter	4767	896.1	4811	892.4	5493	1018.9
Illawarra	3091	884.3	3035	854.7	3506	987.3
Richmond – Tweed	1209	673.5	1197	648.1	1517	821.3
Mid-North Coast	1713	711.1	2032	822.7	2274	920.7
Northern	1440	776.9	1663	891.9	1970	1056.6
North Western	1303	1127.7	1471	1257.3	1514	1294.0
Central West	1494	878.3	1620	943.8	1871	1090.0
South Eastern	1640	973.9	1738	1011.1	1875	1090.8
Murrumbidgee	1480	1004.8	1619	1091.7	1713	1155.1
Murray	1162	1067.0	1149	1048.4	1179	1075.7
Far West	493	1742.1	430	1527.5	439	1559.5
New South Wales	52437	889.0	54437	913.6	61238	1027.7

TABLE 3.12 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**POSSESSION AND/OR USE OF COCAINE**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	119	3.2	135	3.7	119	3.2
Inner Sydney	73	28.7	88	34.8	75	29.7
Eastern Suburbs	14	6.1	19	8.2	15	6.5
St George – Sutherland	6	1.5	1	0.3	3	0.8
Canterbury – Bankstown	1	0.3	1	0.3	4	1.4
Fairfield – Liverpool	3	1.1	1	0.4	3	1.1
Outer South Western Sydney	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Inner Western Sydney	5	3.3	1	0.7	4	2.6
Central Western Sydney	2	0.7	0	0.0	1	0.4
Outer Western Sydney	2	0.7	1	0.4	0	0.0
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	0	0.0	2	0.6	0	0.0
Lower Northern Sydney	3	1.1	9	3.3	11	4.1
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	1	0.4	3	1.2	1	0.4
Northern Beaches	6	2.7	7	3.2	1	0.5
Gosford – Wyong	3	1.3	2	0.8	1	0.4
Hunter	3	0.6	4	0.7	3	0.6
Illawarra	7	2.0	1	0.3	6	1.7
Richmond – Tweed	1	0.6	4	2.2	3	1.6
Mid-North Coast	0	0.0	1	0.4	1	0.4
Northern	0	0.0	7	3.8	0	0.0
North Western	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Central West	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.6
South Eastern	2	1.2	2	1.2	0	0.0
Murrumbidgee	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Murray	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Far West	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New South Wales	132	2.2	154	2.6	133	2.2

TABLE 3.13: RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**POSSESSION AND/OR USE OF NARCOTICS**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	901	24.5	1180	31.9	1095	29.6
Inner Sydney	382	150.0	333	131.8	275	108.9
Eastern Suburbs	51	22.2	51	22.1	27	11.7
St George – Sutherland	49	12.3	36	9.0	37	9.2
Canterbury – Bankstown	65	22.0	55	18.5	46	15.5
Fairfield – Liverpool	83	29.4	389	135.5	491	171.1
Outer South Western Sydney	9	4.6	10	4.9	7	3.5
Inner Western Sydney	33	21.5	13	8.5	21	13.7
Central Western Sydney	60	22.3	171	63.4	46	17.1
Outer Western Sydney	32	11.4	21	7.4	27	9.5
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	55	16.2	35	10.2	16	4.7
Lower Northern Sydney	19	7.0	24	8.9	29	10.7
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	1	0.4	1	0.4	5	2.1
Northern Beaches	35	16.0	25	11.4	38	17.4
Gosford – Wyong	27	11.3	16	6.5	30	12.2
Hunter	35	6.0	31	5.8	64	11.9
Illawarra	72	20.6	53	14.9	50	14.1
Richmond – Tweed	40	22.3	51	27.6	50	27.1
Mid-North Coast	79	32.8	55	22.3	22	8.9
Northern	15	8.1	11	5.9	14	7.5
North Western	7	6.1	4	3.4	5	4.3
Central West	5	2.9	12	7.0	13	7.6
South Eastern	22	13.1	30	17.5	11	6.4
Murrumbidgee	8	5.4	2	1.4	4	2.7
Murray	2	1.8	3	2.7	2	1.8
Far West	5	17.7	0	0.0	10	35.5
New South Wales	1191	20.2	1432	24.0	1340	22.5

TABLE 3.14 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**POSSESSION AND/OR USE OF CANNABIS**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	5061	137.8	5993	162.0	5054	136.6
Inner Sydney	777	305.1	809	320.3	667	264.1
Eastern Suburbs	291	126.4	329	142.8	277	120.2
St George – Sutherland	348	87.2	579	144.7	422	105.4
Canterbury – Bankstown	216	73.0	227	76.5	235	79.2
Fairfield – Liverpool	379	134.1	420	146.3	334	116.4
Outer South Western Sydney	202	102.5	250	123.4	272	134.3
Inner Western Sydney	120	78.1	127	83.0	132	86.3
Central Western Sydney	344	127.6	411	152.3	349	129.3
Outer Western Sydney	547	195.2	512	179.2	583	204.1
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	473	139.4	567	164.8	439	127.6
Lower Northern Sydney	287	106.2	341	126.3	267	98.9
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	217	90.0	343	141.3	209	86.1
Northern Beaches	327	149.2	375	171.5	321	146.8
Gosford – Wyong	533	222.3	703	286.0	547	222.5
Hunter	1600	300.8	1913	354.9	1624	301.2
Illawarra	670	191.7	736	207.3	616	173.5
Richmond – Tweed	875	487.5	905	490.0	880	476.5
Mid-North Coast	903	374.8	1026	415.4	869	351.8
Northern	415	223.9	504	270.3	466	249.9
North Western	213	184.3	321	274.4	293	250.4
Central West	312	183.4	415	241.8	445	259.3
South Eastern	958	568.9	1084	630.6	916	532.9
Murrumbidgee	229	155.5	262	176.7	320	215.8
Murray	185	169.9	324	295.6	353	322.1
Far West	121	427.6	116	412.1	140	497.3
New South Wales	11542	195.7	13599	228.2	11976	201.0

TABLE 3.15 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**DEALING, TRAFFICKING IN COCAINE**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	62	1.7	62	1.7	61	1.7
Inner Sydney	35	13.7	40	15.8	38	15.0
Eastern Suburbs	8	3.5	8	3.5	10	4.3
St George – Sutherland	2	0.5	0	0.0	0	0.0
Canterbury – Bankstown	4	1.4	3	1.0	0	0.0
Fairfield – Liverpool	5	1.8	0	0.0	2	0.7
Outer South Western Sydney	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Inner Western Sydney	2	1.3	2	1.3	4	2.6
Central Western Sydney	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Outer Western Sydney	0	0.0	1	0.4	0	0.0
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lower Northern Sydney	2	0.7	1	0.4	4	1.5
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	0	0.0	2	0.8	1	0.4
Northern Beaches	2	0.9	2	0.9	1	0.5
Gosford – Wyong	2	0.8	3	1.2	1	0.4
Hunter	1	0.2	0	0.0	1	0.2
Illawarra	11	3.2	0	0.0	1	0.3
Richmond – Tweed	1	0.6	0	0.0	1	0.5
Mid-North Coast	1	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Northern	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
North Western	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Central West	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
South Eastern	0	0.0	1	0.6	0	0.0
Murrumbidgee	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Murray	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Far West	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New South Wales	76	1.3	63	1.1	64	1.1

TABLE 3.16 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**DEALING, TRAFFICKING IN NARCOTICS**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	341	9.3	498	13.5	516	14.0
Inner Sydney	153	60.1	128	50.7	97	38.4
Eastern Suburbs	21	9.1	26	11.3	14	6.1
St George – Sutherland	24	6.0	20	5.0	18	4.5
Canterbury – Bankstown	20	6.8	68	22.9	20	6.7
Fairfield – Liverpool	28	9.9	190	66.2	300	104.5
Outer South Western Sydney	5	2.5	2	1.0	2	1.0
Inner Western Sydney	19	12.4	11	7.2	7	4.6
Central Western Sydney	13	4.8	27	10.0	20	7.4
Outer Western Sydney	8	2.9	7	2.5	7	2.5
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	16	4.7	9	2.6	9	2.6
Lower Northern Sydney	4	1.5	5	1.9	4	1.5
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	1	0.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
Northern Beaches	10	4.6	2	0.9	14	6.4
Gosford – Wyong	19	7.9	3	1.2	4	1.6
Hunter	8	1.5	10	1.9	18	3.3
Illawarra	20	5.7	10	2.8	23	6.5
Richmond – Tweed	29	16.2	28	15.2	15	8.1
Mid-North Coast	41	17.0	98	39.7	10	4.1
Northern	7	3.8	10	5.4	2	1.1
North Western	2	1.7	5	4.3	0	0.0
Central West	1	0.6	2	1.2	18	10.5
South Eastern	6	3.6	22	12.8	2	1.2
Murrumbidgee	2	1.4	0	0.0	1	0.7
Murray	0	0.0	2	1.8	0	0.0
Far West	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
New South Wales	457	7.8	685	11.5	605	10.2

TABLE 3.17 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**DEALING, TRAFFICKING IN CANNABIS**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	779	21.2	1817	49.1	746	20.2
Inner Sydney	136	53.4	116	45.9	127	50.3
Eastern Suburbs	62	26.9	60	26.0	51	22.1
St George – Sutherland	45	11.3	64	16.0	54	13.5
Canterbury – Bankstown	43	14.5	27	9.1	48	16.2
Fairfield – Liverpool	63	22.3	85	29.6	64	22.3
Outer South Western Sydney	20	10.2	58	28.6	30	14.8
Inner Western Sydney	16	10.4	16	10.5	26	17.0
Central Western Sydney	48	17.8	79	29.3	51	18.9
Outer Western Sydney	65	23.2	70	24.5	79	27.7
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	71	20.9	997	289.7	72	20.9
Lower Northern Sydney	43	15.9	55	20.4	11	4.1
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	24	10.0	29	11.9	17	7.0
Northern Beaches	35	16.0	33	15.1	35	16.0
Gosford – Wyong	108	45.0	128	52.1	81	33.0
Hunter	157	29.5	189	35.1	109	20.2
Illawarra	128	36.6	141	39.7	65	18.3
Richmond – Tweed	88	49.0	88	47.6	71	38.4
Mid-North Coast	122	50.6	117	47.4	216	87.5
Northern	67	36.2	117	62.8	66	35.4
North Western	21	18.2	15	12.8	25	21.4
Central West	21	12.4	64	37.3	40	23.3
South Eastern	79	46.9	85	49.5	54	31.4
Murrumbidgee	29	19.7	28	18.9	44	29.7
Murray	15	13.8	24	21.9	44	40.2
Far West	15	53.0	15	53.3	14	49.7
New South Wales	1521	25.8	2700	45.3	1494	25.1

TABLE 3.18 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**CULTIVATING CANNABIS**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	1063	28.9	1238	33.5	1220	33.0
Inner Sydney	109	42.8	109	43.2	110	43.6
Eastern Suburbs	42	18.2	47	20.4	35	15.2
St George – Sutherland	70	17.6	109	27.2	89	22.2
Canterbury – Bankstown	47	15.9	78	26.3	67	22.6
Fairfield – Liverpool	81	28.7	102	35.5	82	28.6
Outer South Western Sydney	65	33.0	89	43.9	116	57.3
Inner Western Sydney	26	16.9	25	16.3	29	19.0
Central Western Sydney	56	20.8	92	34.1	93	34.5
Outer Western Sydney	147	52.5	156	54.6	155	54.3
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	106	31.3	117	34.0	152	44.2
Lower Northern Sydney	50	18.5	36	13.3	50	18.5
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	31	12.9	46	19.0	41	16.9
Northern Beaches	62	28.3	44	20.1	62	28.4
Gosford – Wyong	171	71.3	188	76.5	139	56.6
Hunter	395	74.3	404	74.9	363	67.3
Illawarra	177	50.6	181	51.0	223	62.8
Richmond – Tweed	248	138.2	400	216.6	306	165.7
Mid-North Coast	319	132.4	412	166.8	325	131.6
Northern	111	59.9	136	72.9	129	69.2
North Western	66	57.1	76	65.0	66	56.4
Central West	93	54.7	102	59.4	99	57.7
South Eastern	190	112.8	174	101.2	198	115.2
Murrumbidgee	91	61.8	66	44.5	80	53.9
Murray	56	51.4	80	73.0	82	74.8
Far West	13	45.9	12	42.6	32	113.7
New South Wales	2822	47.8	3281	55.1	3123	52.4

TABLE 3.19 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991 TO 1993: STATISTICAL DIVISION**OFFENSIVE BEHAVIOUR**

<i>Statistical Division where offence occurred</i>	<i>Recorded offences</i>					
	<i>1991</i>		<i>1992</i>		<i>1993</i>	
	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Rate per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney	5903	160.7	5091	137.6	5060	136.8
Inner Sydney	1124	441.4	911	360.7	879	348.0
Eastern Suburbs	349	151.5	358	155.4	215	93.3
St George – Sutherland	425	106.5	369	92.2	355	88.7
Canterbury – Bankstown	233	78.7	228	76.8	241	81.2
Fairfield – Liverpool	388	137.3	345	120.2	338	117.8
Outer South Western Sydney	400	202.9	268	132.3	380	187.6
Inner Western Sydney	138	89.8	134	87.6	191	124.8
Central Western Sydney	436	161.8	347	128.6	350	129.7
Outer Western Sydney	282	100.6	305	106.8	298	104.3
Blacktown – Baulkham Hills	350	103.2	330	95.9	312	90.7
Lower Northern Sydney	337	124.7	329	121.9	317	117.4
Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai	283	117.3	232	95.6	232	95.6
Northern Beaches	492	224.5	425	194.3	328	150.0
Gosford – Wyong	666	277.7	510	207.5	624	253.9
Hunter	1547	290.8	1426	264.5	1057	196.1
Illawarra	501	143.3	452	127.3	381	107.3
Richmond – Tweed	728	405.6	542	293.5	525	284.2
Mid-North Coast	762	316.3	681	275.7	557	225.5
Northern	796	429.5	699	374.9	698	374.4
North Western	877	759.0	711	607.7	743	635.0
Central West	295	173.4	340	198.1	348	202.7
South Eastern	687	408.0	780	453.8	670	389.8
Murrumbidgee	444	301.4	429	289.3	388	261.6
Murray	314	288.3	292	266.4	317	289.2
Far West	265	936.4	271	962.7	223	792.2
New South Wales	13119	222.4	11714	196.6	10967	184.1

**RECORDED OFFENCES
1991, 1992 AND 1993,
BY TYPE OF OFFENCE
FOR NSW REGIONS**

TABLE 4.1

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

NEW SOUTH WALES

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	115	0.0	2.0	101	0.0	1.7	110	0.0	1.9
Attempted murder	89	0.0	1.5	75	0.0	1.3	84	0.0	1.4
Murder accessory, conspiracy	6	0.0	0.1	4	0.0	0.1	13	0.0	0.2
Manslaughter (not motoring)	21	0.0	0.4	22	0.0	0.4	6	0.0	0.1
Manslaughter (motoring)	10	0.0	0.2	3	0.0	0.1	4	0.0	0.1
Assault:									
Aggravated	5347	1.1	90.7	5219	1.1	87.6	5806	1.2	97.4
Non-aggravated	25667	5.1	435.1	26554	5.5	445.6	30270	6.1	508.0
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	662	0.1	11.2	834	0.2	14.0	890	0.2	14.9
Sexual assault	1681	0.3	28.5	1386	0.3	23.3	1193	0.2	20.0
Indecent assault, act of indecency	2640	0.5	44.8	2398	0.5	40.3	2430	0.5	40.8
Other sexual offences	302	0.1	5.1	185	0.0	3.1	216	0.0	3.6
Abduction and kidnapping	249	0.1	4.2	292	0.1	4.9	322	0.1	5.4
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	3173	0.6	53.8	3080	0.6	51.7	3525	0.7	59.2
Robbery with a firearm	1265	0.3	21.5	1132	0.2	19.0	877	0.2	14.7
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1542	0.3	26.1	1444	0.3	24.2	1528	0.3	25.6

Theft:

Breaking and entering – dwelling	57155	11.4	968.9	56437	11.6	947.1	58036	11.7	974.0
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	36838	7.3	624.5	34754	7.2	583.3	34379	6.9	577.0
Fraud *	54144	10.8	917.9	40317	8.3	676.6	26811	5.4	450.0
Receiving	2001	0.4	33.9	2015	0.4	33.8	2339	0.5	39.3
Goods in custody	4520	0.9	76.6	4205	0.9	70.6	4264	0.9	71.6
Motor vehicle theft	49758	9.9	843.5	39423	8.1	661.6	40169	8.1	674.1
Stealing	133321	26.5	2260.2	135494	27.9	2273.9	144814	29.3	2430.3
Demand money with menaces	360	0.1	6.1	427	0.1	7.2	457	0.1	7.7
Extortion, blackmail	6	0.0	0.1	23	0.0	0.4	7	0.0	0.1
Arson	3020	0.6	51.2	2386	0.5	40.0	2460	0.5	41.3
Malicious damage to property	52437	10.4	889.0	54437	11.2	913.6	61238	12.4	1027.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	132	0.0	2.2	154	0.0	2.6	133	0.0	2.2
Possession and/or use of narcotics	1191	0.2	20.2	1432	0.3	24.0	1340	0.3	22.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	11542	2.3	195.7	13599	2.8	228.2	11976	2.4	201.0
Possession and/or use of other drugs	1376	0.3	23.3	1608	0.3	27.0	1597	0.3	26.8
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	76	0.0	1.3	63	0.0	1.1	64	0.0	1.1
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	457	0.1	7.8	685	0.1	11.5	605	0.1	10.2
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	1521	0.3	25.8	2700	0.6	45.3	1494	0.3	25.1
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	379	0.1	6.4	540	0.1	9.1	523	0.1	8.8
Cultivating cannabis	2822	0.6	47.8	3281	0.7	55.1	3123	0.6	52.4
Importing drugs	13	0.0	0.2	12	0.0	0.2	11	0.0	0.2
Other drug offences	3251	0.7	55.1	3606	0.7	60.5	2874	0.6	48.2
Offensive behaviour	13119	2.6	222.4	11714	2.4	196.6	10967	2.2	184.1
Other offences	31282	6.2	530.3	33479	6.9	561.9	38148	7.7	640.2
All offences	503490	100.0	8535.6	485520	100.0	8148.1	495103	100.0	8308.9

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.2 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	72	0.0	2.0	71	0.0	1.9	72	0.0	2.0
Attempted murder	53	0.0	1.4	38	0.0	1.0	47	0.0	1.3
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.1	10	0.0	0.3
Manslaughter (not motoring)	7	0.0	0.2	14	0.0	0.4	2	0.0	0.1
Manslaughter (motoring)	8	0.0	0.2	2	0.0	0.1	1	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	3077	0.9	83.8	3044	1.0	82.3	3326	1.0	89.9
Non-aggravated	14766	4.4	402.0	15241	4.8	412.0	17951	5.6	485.2
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	386	0.1	10.5	510	0.2	13.8	573	0.2	15.5
Sexual assault	823	0.2	22.4	667	0.2	18.0	669	0.2	18.1
Indecent assault, act of indecency	1331	0.4	36.2	1290	0.4	34.9	1396	0.4	37.7
Other sexual offences	140	0.0	3.8	93	0.0	2.5	116	0.0	3.1
Abduction and kidnapping	191	0.1	5.2	221	0.1	6.0	230	0.1	6.2
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	2858	0.9	77.8	2704	0.9	73.1	3107	1.0	84.0
Robbery with a firearm	1148	0.3	31.3	1011	0.3	27.3	774	0.2	20.9
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1309	0.4	35.6	1244	0.4	33.6	1324	0.4	35.8

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	42796	12.7	1165.2	41967	13.2	1134.3	41182	12.9	1113.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	23263	6.9	633.4	21982	6.9	594.2	20415	6.4	551.8
Fraud *	44452	13.2	1210.3	32004	10.0	865.0	19890	6.2	537.6
Receiving	1129	0.3	30.7	1313	0.4	35.5	1497	0.5	40.5
Goods in custody	2951	0.9	80.4	2754	0.9	74.4	2842	0.9	76.8
Motor vehicle theft	41035	12.2	1117.3	32508	10.2	878.7	32914	10.3	889.6
Stealing	86146	25.6	2345.5	87570	27.5	2366.9	93869	29.3	2537.2
Demand money with menaces	314	0.1	8.6	351	0.1	9.5	367	0.1	9.9
Extortion, blackmail	5	0.0	0.1	19	0.0	0.5	6	0.0	0.2
Arson	1922	0.6	52.3	1559	0.5	42.1	1609	0.5	43.5
Malicious damage to property	32645	9.7	888.8	33672	10.6	910.1	37887	11.8	1024.0
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	119	0.0	3.2	135	0.0	3.7	119	0.0	3.2
Possession and/or use of narcotics	901	0.3	24.5	1180	0.4	31.9	1095	0.3	29.6
Possession and/or use of cannabis	5061	1.5	137.8	5993	1.9	162.0	5054	1.6	136.6
Possession and/or use of other drugs	967	0.3	26.3	975	0.3	26.4	983	0.3	26.6
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	62	0.0	1.7	62	0.0	1.7	61	0.0	1.7
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	341	0.1	9.3	498	0.2	13.5	516	0.2	14.0
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	779	0.2	21.2	1817	0.6	49.1	746	0.2	20.2
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	299	0.1	8.1	377	0.1	10.2	379	0.1	10.2
Cultivating cannabis	1063	0.3	28.9	1238	0.4	33.5	1220	0.4	33.0
Importing drugs	11	0.0	0.3	5	0.0	0.1	7	0.0	0.2
Other drug offences	1299	0.4	35.4	1588	0.5	42.9	1061	0.3	28.7
Offensive behaviour	5903	1.8	160.7	5091	1.6	137.6	5060	1.6	136.8
Other offences	17525	5.2	477.2	18075	5.7	488.6	21731	6.8	587.4
All offences	337157	100.0	9179.7	318885	100.0	8619.1	320108	100.0	8652.1

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.3

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

INNER SYDNEY STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	16	0.0	6.3	7	0.0	2.8	11	0.0	4.4
Attempted murder	11	0.0	4.3	3	0.0	1.2	6	0.0	2.4
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.8
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.4	9	0.0	3.6	2	0.0	0.8
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	909	1.3	357.0	807	1.2	319.5	892	1.4	353.1
Non-aggravated	3085	4.2	1211.5	3184	4.7	1260.5	3218	5.0	1274.0
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	64	0.1	25.1	81	0.1	32.1	68	0.1	26.9
Sexual assault	120	0.2	47.1	111	0.2	43.9	113	0.2	44.7
Indecent assault, act of indecency	196	0.3	77.0	185	0.3	73.2	154	0.2	61.0
Other sexual offences	12	0.0	4.7	10	0.0	4.0	8	0.0	3.2
Abduction and kidnapping	48	0.1	18.9	36	0.1	14.3	25	0.0	9.9
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	1182	1.6	464.2	1150	1.7	455.3	1234	1.9	488.5
Robbery with a firearm	240	0.3	94.3	229	0.3	90.7	159	0.3	63.0
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	386	0.5	151.6	438	0.7	173.4	431	0.7	170.6

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	4890	6.7	1920.3	4803	7.1	1901.4	4743	7.4	1877.7
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	4409	6.1	1731.4	4372	6.5	1730.8	3961	6.2	1568.1
Fraud *	14936	20.5	5865.3	10707	15.8	4238.7	6286	9.9	2488.5
Receiving	236	0.3	92.7	280	0.4	110.9	378	0.6	149.6
Goods in custody	844	1.2	331.4	815	1.2	322.6	768	1.2	304.0
Motor vehicle theft	6503	8.9	2553.7	5574	8.2	2206.7	5640	8.8	2232.8
Stealing	20649	28.4	8108.8	21352	31.5	8452.9	22534	35.3	8920.8
Demand money with menaces	118	0.2	46.3	119	0.2	47.1	132	0.2	52.3
Extortion, blackmail	1	0.0	0.4	3	0.0	1.2	2	0.0	0.8
Arson	169	0.2	66.4	122	0.2	48.3	126	0.2	49.9
Malicious damage to property	5256	7.2	2064.0	5301	7.8	2098.6	5444	8.5	2155.2
Drug offences:									
Possession, and/or use of cocaine	73	0.1	28.7	83	0.1	34.8	75	0.1	29.7
Possession and/or use of narcotics	382	0.5	150.0	333	0.5	131.8	275	0.4	108.9
Possession and/or use of cannabis	777	1.1	305.1	809	1.2	320.3	667	1.1	264.1
Possession and/or use of other drugs	272	0.4	106.8	254	0.4	100.6	308	0.5	121.9
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	35	0.1	13.7	40	0.1	15.8	38	0.1	15.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	153	0.2	60.1	128	0.2	50.7	97	0.2	38.4
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	136	0.2	53.4	116	0.2	45.9	127	0.2	50.3
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	95	0.1	37.3	110	0.2	43.6	105	0.2	41.6
Cultivating cannabis	109	0.2	42.8	109	0.2	43.2	110	0.2	43.6
Importing drugs	7	0.0	2.8	5	0.0	2.0	2	0.0	0.8
Other drug offences	127	0.2	49.9	160	0.2	63.3	85	0.1	33.7
Offensive behaviour	1124	1.5	441.4	911	1.3	360.7	879	1.4	348.0
Other offences	5241	7.2	2058.1	5015	7.4	1985.4	4716	7.4	1867.0
All offences	72812	100.0	28593.0	67776	100.0	26831.4	63821	100.0	25265.6

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.4

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

EASTERN SUBURBS STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	5	0.0	2.2	3	0.0	1.3	3	0.0	1.3
Attempted murder	7	0.0	3.0	4	0.0	1.7	3	0.0	1.3
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	166	0.7	72.1	181	0.8	78.5	170	0.8	73.8
Non-aggravated	866	3.6	376.0	870	4.0	377.5	899	4.2	390.1
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	32	0.1	13.9	21	0.1	9.1	23	0.1	10.0
Sexual assault	37	0.2	16.1	42	0.2	18.2	28	0.1	12.2
Indecent assault, act of indecency	38	0.2	16.5	46	0.2	20.0	53	0.3	23.0
Other sexual offences	18	0.1	7.8	2	0.0	0.9	6	0.0	2.6
Abduction and kidnapping	14	0.1	6.1	14	0.1	6.1	11	0.1	4.8
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	148	0.6	64.3	170	0.8	73.8	142	0.7	61.6
Robbery with a firearm	97	0.4	42.1	74	0.3	32.1	37	0.2	16.1
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	74	0.3	32.1	87	0.4	37.8	86	0.4	37.3

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3634	15.0	1577.9	3054	14.0	1325.2	3381	15.8	1467.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1162	4.8	504.6	968	4.4	420.1	1031	4.8	447.4
Fraud *	4272	17.6	1855.0	2909	13.4	1262.3	1743	8.1	756.4
Receiving	77	0.3	33.4	55	0.3	23.9	58	0.3	25.2
Goods in custody	216	0.9	93.8	167	0.8	72.5	171	0.8	74.2
Motor vehicle theft	2561	10.5	1112.0	1902	8.7	825.3	2104	9.8	913.0
Stealing	7196	29.6	3124.6	7381	33.9	3202.9	7594	35.5	3295.3
Demand money with menaces	10	0.0	4.3	18	0.1	7.8	19	0.1	8.2
Extortion, blackmail	1	0.0	0.4	5	0.0	2.2	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	31	0.1	13.5	20	0.1	8.7	30	0.1	13.0
Malicious damage to property	1726	7.1	749.5	1955	9.0	848.3	2144	10.0	930.4
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	14	0.1	6.1	19	0.1	8.2	15	0.1	6.5
Possession and/or use of narcotics	51	0.2	22.2	51	0.2	22.1	27	0.1	11.7
Possession and/or use of cannabis	291	1.2	126.4	329	1.5	142.8	277	1.3	120.2
Possession and/or use of other drugs	48	0.2	20.8	57	0.3	24.7	82	0.4	35.6
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	8	0.0	3.5	8	0.0	3.5	10	0.1	4.3
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	21	0.1	9.1	26	0.1	11.3	14	0.1	6.1
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	62	0.3	26.9	60	0.3	26.0	51	0.2	22.1
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	26	0.1	11.3	31	0.1	13.5	43	0.2	18.7
Cultivating cannabis	42	0.2	18.2	47	0.2	20.4	35	0.2	15.2
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	64	0.3	27.8	59	0.3	25.6	69	0.3	29.9
Offensive behaviour	349	1.4	151.5	358	1.6	155.4	215	1.0	93.3
Other offences	932	3.8	404.7	799	3.7	346.7	835	3.9	362.3
All offences	24296	100.0	10549.7	21792	100.0	9456.3	21409	100.0	9290.1

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.5

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

ST GEORGE – SUTHERLAND STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	3	0.0	0.8	3	0.0	0.8	7	0.0	1.8
Attempted murder	0	0.0	0.0	5	0.0	1.3	1	0.0	0.3
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.3
Manslaughter (not motoring)	2	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	222	0.9	55.7	198	0.8	49.5	205	0.9	51.2
Non-aggravated	952	4.0	238.6	929	4.0	232.1	1121	4.8	280.1
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	13	0.1	3.3	22	0.1	5.5	26	0.1	6.5
Sexual assault	49	0.2	12.3	36	0.2	9.0	41	0.2	10.2
Indecent assault, act of indecency	81	0.3	20.3	83	0.4	20.7	61	0.3	15.2
Other sexual offences	8	0.0	2.0	2	0.0	0.5	27	0.1	6.8
Abduction and kidnapping	9	0.0	2.3	13	0.1	3.3	13	0.1	3.3
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	137	0.6	34.3	135	0.6	33.7	155	0.7	38.7
Robbery with a firearm	83	0.4	20.8	87	0.4	21.7	59	0.3	14.7
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	87	0.4	21.8	81	0.3	20.2	95	0.4	23.7

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3626	15.3	908.9	3676	15.7	918.4	3002	13.0	750.0
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1762	7.5	441.7	1714	7.3	428.2	1571	6.8	392.5
Fraud *	2448	10.4	613.6	1952	8.3	487.7	1240	5.4	309.8
Receiving	60	0.3	15.0	65	0.3	16.2	84	0.4	21.0
Goods in custody	169	0.7	42.4	194	0.8	48.5	178	0.8	44.5
Motor vehicle theft	2990	12.6	749.5	2390	10.2	597.1	2482	10.7	620.1
Stealing	6044	25.6	1515.0	6241	26.6	1559.3	6717	29.0	1678.2
Demand money with menaces	22	0.1	5.5	22	0.1	5.5	28	0.1	7.0
Extortion, blackmail	1	0.0	0.3	1	0.0	0.3	2	0.0	0.5
Arson	165	0.7	41.4	172	0.7	43.0	139	0.6	34.7
Malicious damage to property	2597	11.0	651.0	2944	12.5	735.5	3521	15.2	879.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	6	0.0	1.5	1	0.0	0.3	3	0.0	0.8
Possession and/or use of narcotics	49	0.2	12.3	36	0.2	9.0	37	0.2	9.2
Possession and/or use of cannabis	348	1.5	87.2	579	2.5	144.7	422	1.8	105.4
Possession and/or use of other drugs	61	0.3	15.3	93	0.4	23.2	73	0.3	18.2
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	2	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	24	0.1	6.0	20	0.1	5.0	18	0.1	4.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	45	0.2	11.3	64	0.3	16.0	54	0.2	13.5
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	22	0.1	5.5	44	0.2	11.0	36	0.2	9.0
Cultivating cannabis	70	0.3	17.6	109	0.5	27.2	89	0.4	22.2
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	97	0.4	24.3	184	0.8	46.0	84	0.4	21.0
Offensive behaviour	425	1.8	106.5	369	1.6	92.2	355	1.5	88.7
Other offences	968	4.1	242.6	1025	4.4	256.1	1205	5.2	301.1
All offences	23647	100.0	5927.3	23489	100.0	5868.6	23152	100.0	5784.4

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.6

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

CANTERBURY – BANKSTOWN STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	3	0.0	1.0	8	0.0	2.7	3	0.0	1.0
Attempted murder	2	0.0	0.7	2	0.0	0.7	4	0.0	1.4
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.3
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	1	0.0	0.3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	164	0.8	55.4	181	0.9	61.0	196	0.9	66.0
Non-aggravated	948	4.3	320.4	950	4.7	320.0	1232	5.6	415.0
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	17	0.1	5.8	19	0.1	6.4	40	0.2	13.5
Sexual assault	92	0.4	31.1	73	0.4	24.6	38	0.2	12.8
Indecent assault, act of indecency	96	0.4	32.4	79	0.4	26.6	95	0.4	32.0
Other sexual offences	1	0.0	0.3	10	0.1	3.4	3	0.0	1.0
Abduction and kidnapping	12	0.1	4.1	21	0.1	7.1	18	0.1	6.1
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	193	0.9	65.2	194	1.0	65.4	216	1.0	72.8
Robbery with a firearm	121	0.6	40.9	108	0.5	36.4	76	0.3	25.6
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	94	0.4	31.8	79	0.4	26.6	85	0.4	28.6

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3239	14.8	1094.6	3292	16.1	1109.0	3198	14.5	1077.3
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1694	7.7	572.5	1570	7.7	528.9	1489	6.7	501.6
Fraud *	2429	11.1	820.9	1526	7.5	514.1	1117	5.1	376.3
Receiving	60	0.3	20.3	173	0.9	58.3	105	0.5	35.4
Goods in custody	222	1.0	75.0	188	0.9	63.3	166	0.8	55.9
Motor vehicle theft	3911	17.8	1321.7	3274	16.0	1102.9	3287	14.9	1107.3
Stealing	4563	20.8	1542.1	4524	22.2	1524.0	5333	24.1	1796.5
Demand money with menaces	22	0.1	7.4	28	0.1	9.4	28	0.1	9.4
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.3
Arson	107	0.5	36.2	62	0.3	20.9	79	0.4	26.6
Malicious damage to property	2170	9.9	733.4	2174	10.6	732.4	2995	13.6	1008.9
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	1	0.0	0.3	1	0.0	0.3	4	0.0	1.4
Possession and/or use of narcotics	65	0.3	22.0	55	0.3	18.5	46	0.2	15.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	216	1.0	73.0	227	1.1	76.5	235	1.1	79.2
Possession and/or use of other drugs	33	0.2	11.2	46	0.2	15.5	35	0.2	11.8
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	4	0.0	1.4	3	0.0	1.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	20	0.1	6.8	68	0.3	22.9	20	0.1	6.7
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	43	0.2	14.5	27	0.1	9.1	48	0.2	16.2
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	12	0.1	4.1	8	0.0	2.7	20	0.1	6.7
Cultivating cannabis	47	0.2	15.9	78	0.4	26.3	67	0.3	22.6
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	66	0.3	22.3	38	0.2	12.8	46	0.2	15.5
Offensive behaviour	233	1.1	78.7	228	1.1	76.8	241	1.1	81.2
Other offences	1021	4.7	345.1	1111	5.4	374.3	1523	6.9	513.1
All offences	21923	100.0	7408.9	20425	100.0	6880.6	22090	100.0	7441.5

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.7

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

FAIRFIELD – LIVERPOOL STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	10	0.0	3.5	10	0.0	3.5	11	0.0	3.8
Attempted murder	6	0.0	2.1	1	0.0	0.4	8	0.0	2.8
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	269	1.0	95.2	287	1.1	100.0	287	1.1	100.0
Non-aggravated	1278	5.0	452.1	1418	5.6	494.0	1718	6.4	598.5
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	30	0.1	10.6	53	0.2	18.5	69	0.3	24.0
Sexual assault	74	0.3	26.2	66	0.3	23.0	63	0.2	22.0
Indecent assault, act of indecency	138	0.5	48.8	136	0.5	47.4	147	0.6	51.2
Other sexual offences	6	0.0	2.1	27	0.1	9.4	3	0.0	1.1
Abduction and kidnapping	14	0.1	5.0	24	0.1	8.4	33	0.1	11.5
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	235	0.9	83.1	206	0.8	71.8	287	1.1	100.0
Robbery with a firearm	112	0.4	39.6	78	0.3	27.2	84	0.3	29.3
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	100	0.4	35.4	82	0.3	28.6	101	0.4	35.2

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3765	14.6	1331.8	3244	12.7	1130.1	3604	13.5	1255.5
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1906	7.4	674.2	1738	6.8	605.5	1547	5.8	538.9
Fraud *	2178	8.5	770.4	2206	8.6	768.5	916	3.4	319.1
Receiving	105	0.4	37.1	102	0.4	35.5	157	0.6	54.7
Goods in custody	219	0.9	77.5	269	1.1	93.7	388	1.5	135.2
Motor vehicle theft	5111	19.8	1807.9	4126	16.2	1437.4	4098	15.3	1427.6
Stealing	4996	19.4	1767.2	5518	21.6	1922.3	6299	23.6	2194.4
Demand money with menaces	15	0.1	5.3	18	0.1	6.3	22	0.1	7.7
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	242	0.9	85.6	143	0.6	49.8	179	0.7	62.4
Malicious damage to property	2418	9.4	855.3	2669	10.5	929.8	2713	10.2	945.1
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	3	0.0	1.1	1	0.0	0.4	3	0.0	1.1
Possession and/or use of narcotics	83	0.3	29.4	389	1.5	135.5	491	1.8	171.1
Possession and/or use of cannabis	379	1.5	134.1	420	1.6	146.3	334	1.3	116.4
Possession and/or use of other drugs	76	0.3	26.9	79	0.3	27.5	80	0.3	27.9
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	5	0.0	1.8	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.7
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	28	0.1	9.9	190	0.7	66.2	300	1.1	104.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	63	0.2	22.3	85	0.3	29.6	64	0.2	22.3
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	18	0.1	6.4	43	0.2	15.0	19	0.1	6.6
Cultivating cannabis	81	0.3	28.7	102	0.4	35.5	82	0.3	28.6
Importing drugs	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	3	0.0	1.1
Other drug offences	74	0.3	26.2	94	0.4	32.8	95	0.4	33.1
Offensive behaviour	388	1.5	137.3	345	1.4	120.2	338	1.3	117.8
Other offences	1344	5.2	475.4	1379	5.4	480.4	2180	8.2	759.5
All offences	25771	100.0	9116.0	25550	100.0	8900.9	26725	100.0	9310.2

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.8

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

OUTER SOUTH WESTERN SYDNEY STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	2	0.0	1.0	5	0.0	2.5	4	0.0	2.0
Attempted murder	1	0.0	0.5	1	0.0	0.5	2	0.0	1.0
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	1	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	158	1.0	80.2	149	1.0	73.5	169	1.0	83.4
Non-aggravated	948	5.9	481.0	1059	6.8	522.7	1460	8.8	720.6
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	35	0.2	17.8	51	0.3	25.2	76	0.5	37.5
Sexual assault	65	0.4	33.0	74	0.5	36.5	60	0.4	29.6
Indecent assault, act of indecency	121	0.8	61.4	159	1.0	78.5	253	1.5	124.9
Other sexual offences	6	0.0	3.0	3	0.0	1.5	11	0.1	5.4
Abduction and kidnapping	11	0.1	5.6	9	0.1	4.4	21	0.1	10.4
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	79	0.5	40.1	86	0.6	42.5	136	0.8	67.1
Robbery with a firearm	24	0.2	12.2	20	0.1	9.9	24	0.1	11.9
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	40	0.3	20.3	40	0.3	19.7	29	0.2	14.3

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	2627	16.3	1332.8	2710	17.3	1337.6	2702	16.3	1333.7
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	971	6.0	492.6	1152	7.4	568.6	1026	6.2	506.4
Fraud *	766	4.8	388.6	916	5.9	452.1	408	2.5	201.4
Receiving	63	0.4	32.0	92	0.6	45.4	90	0.5	44.4
Goods in custody	152	0.9	77.1	124	0.8	61.2	161	1.0	79.5
Motor vehicle theft	2309	14.3	1171.5	1656	10.6	817.4	1659	10.0	818.9
Stealing	3320	20.6	1684.4	3429	21.9	1692.5	3657	22.0	1805.0
Demand money with menaces	7	0.0	3.6	9	0.1	4.4	10	0.1	4.9
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	96	0.6	48.7	101	0.7	49.9	90	0.5	44.4
Malicious damage to property	2660	16.5	1349.6	2318	14.8	1144.1	2388	14.4	1178.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	9	0.1	4.6	10	0.1	4.9	7	0.0	3.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	202	1.3	102.5	250	1.6	123.4	272	1.6	134.3
Possession and/or use of other drugs	34	0.2	17.3	35	0.2	17.3	40	0.2	19.7
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	5	0.0	2.5	2	0.0	1.0	2	0.0	1.0
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	20	0.1	10.2	58	0.4	28.6	30	0.2	14.8
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	16	0.1	8.1	23	0.2	11.4	21	0.1	10.4
Cultivating cannabis	65	0.4	33.0	89	0.6	43.9	116	0.7	57.3
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	58	0.4	29.4	42	0.3	20.7	74	0.5	36.5
Offensive behaviour	400	2.5	202.9	268	1.7	132.3	380	2.3	187.6
Other offences	861	5.3	436.8	704	4.5	347.5	1225	7.4	604.6
All offences	16132	100.0	8184.7	15644	100.0	7721.6	16603	100.0	8195.0

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.9

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

INNER WESTERN SYDNEY STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	7	0.1	4.6	1	0.0	0.7	5	0.0	3.3
Attempted murder	6	0.0	3.9	3	0.0	2.0	9	0.1	5.9
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	1	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	85	0.6	55.3	84	0.7	54.9	99	0.7	64.7
Non-aggravated	515	3.7	335.2	459	3.7	299.9	603	4.5	394.0
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	22	0.2	14.3	20	0.2	13.1	31	0.2	20.3
Sexual assault	21	0.2	13.7	13	0.1	8.5	15	0.1	9.8
Indecent assault, act of indecency	44	0.3	28.6	45	0.4	29.4	39	0.3	25.5
Other sexual offences	18	0.1	11.7	2	0.0	1.3	8	0.1	5.2
Abduction and kidnapping	2	0.0	1.3	6	0.1	3.9	16	0.1	10.5
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	144	1.0	93.7	116	0.9	75.8	130	1.0	84.9
Robbery with a firearm	90	0.7	58.6	75	0.6	49.0	60	0.5	39.2
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	85	0.6	55.3	62	0.5	40.5	63	0.5	41.2

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	1906	13.7	1240.5	2236	17.9	1461.0	2210	16.6	1444.0
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1043	7.5	678.8	983	7.9	642.3	873	6.5	570.4
Fraud *	1777	12.8	1156.5	934	7.5	610.3	722	5.4	471.7
Receiving	37	0.3	24.1	34	0.3	22.2	28	0.2	18.3
Goods in custody	169	1.2	110.0	91	0.7	59.5	101	0.8	66.0
Motor vehicle theft	2085	15.0	1357.0	1620	13.0	1058.5	1811	13.6	1183.3
Stealing	3522	25.4	2292.2	3387	27.1	2213.0	3766	28.2	2460.6
Demand money with menaces	17	0.1	11.1	20	0.2	13.1	18	0.1	11.8
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	39	0.3	25.4	44	0.4	28.8	41	0.3	26.8
Malicious damage to property	1268	9.1	825.3	1262	10.1	824.6	1352	10.1	883.4
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	5	0.0	3.3	1	0.0	0.7	4	0.0	2.6
Possession and/or use of narcotics	33	0.2	21.5	13	0.1	8.5	21	0.2	13.7
Possession and/or use of cannabis	120	0.9	78.1	127	1.0	83.0	132	1.0	86.3
Possession and/or use of other drugs	18	0.1	11.7	28	0.2	18.3	46	0.3	30.1
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	2	0.0	1.3	2	0.0	1.3	4	0.0	2.6
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	19	0.1	12.4	11	0.1	7.2	7	0.1	4.6
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	16	0.1	10.4	16	0.1	10.5	26	0.2	17.0
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	11	0.1	7.2	7	0.1	4.6	34	0.3	22.2
Cultivating cannabis	26	0.2	16.9	25	0.2	16.3	29	0.2	19.0
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.7
Other drug offences	30	0.2	19.5	41	0.3	26.8	38	0.3	24.8
Offensive behaviour	138	1.0	89.8	134	1.1	87.6	191	1.4	124.8
Other offences	569	4.1	370.3	590	4.7	385.5	823	6.2	537.7
All offences	13890	100.0	9040.0	12492	100.0	8162.0	13356	100.0	8726.6

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.10

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

CENTRAL WESTERN SYDNEY STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	5	0.0	1.9	3	0.0	1.1	6	0.0	2.2
Attempted murder	3	0.0	1.1	6	0.0	2.2	3	0.0	1.1
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	6	0.0	2.2
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	3	0.0	1.1	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	202	0.8	74.9	238	1.0	88.2	278	1.1	103.0
Non-aggravated	1288	5.0	477.8	1326	5.5	513.6	1587	6.4	588.1
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	28	0.1	10.4	24	0.1	8.9	49	0.2	18.2
Sexual assault	44	0.2	16.3	49	0.2	18.2	47	0.2	17.4
Indecent assault, act of indecency	89	0.3	33.0	96	0.4	35.6	95	0.4	35.2
Other sexual offences	3	0.0	1.1	5	0.0	1.9	2	0.0	0.7
Abduction and kidnapping	14	0.1	5.2	21	0.1	7.8	25	0.1	9.3
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	236	0.9	87.6	173	0.7	64.1	219	0.9	81.2
Robbery with a firearm	95	0.4	35.2	127	0.5	47.1	113	0.5	41.9
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	104	0.4	38.6	92	0.4	34.1	122	0.5	45.2

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3526	13.6	1308.1	3771	15.0	1397.4	3457	13.9	1281.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	2236	8.6	829.5	2130	8.5	789.3	1704	6.8	631.5
Fraud *	3505	13.5	1300.3	2488	9.9	922.0	1563	6.3	579.2
Receiving	82	0.3	30.4	99	0.4	36.7	152	0.6	56.3
Goods in custody	175	0.7	64.9	187	0.8	69.3	191	0.8	70.8
Motor vehicle theft	3835	14.8	1422.7	2909	11.6	1078.0	3177	12.7	1177.3
Stealing	5470	21.1	2029.3	5641	22.5	2090.4	6269	25.1	2323.1
Demand money with menaces	20	0.1	7.4	21	0.1	7.8	30	0.1	11.1
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	124	0.5	46.0	151	0.6	56.0	159	0.6	58.9
Malicious damage to property	2305	8.9	855.1	2476	9.9	917.6	2797	11.2	1036.5
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	2	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.4
Possession and/or use of narcotics	60	0.2	22.3	171	0.7	63.4	46	0.2	17.1
Possession and/or use of cannabis	344	1.3	127.6	411	1.6	152.3	349	1.4	129.3
Possession and/or use of other drugs	67	0.3	24.9	64	0.3	23.7	36	0.1	13.3
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	13	0.1	4.8	27	0.1	10.0	20	0.1	7.4
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	48	0.2	17.8	79	0.3	29.3	51	0.2	18.9
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	14	0.1	5.2	20	0.1	7.4	17	0.1	6.3
Cultivating cannabis	56	0.2	20.8	92	0.4	34.1	93	0.4	34.5
Importing drugs	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	99	0.4	36.7	271	1.1	100.4	74	0.3	27.4
Offensive behaviour	436	1.7	161.8	347	1.4	128.6	350	1.4	129.7
Other offences	1442	5.6	535.0	1489	5.9	551.8	1867	7.5	691.9
All offences	25971	100.0	9635.0	25067	100.0	9289.2	24955	100.0	9247.7

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.11

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

OUTER WESTERN SYDNEY STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	2	0.0	0.7	10	0.1	3.5	5	0.0	1.8
Attempted murder	8	0.0	2.9	4	0.0	1.4	3	0.0	1.1
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	207	1.0	73.9	225	1.2	78.8	231	1.1	80.9
Non-aggravated	915	4.4	326.6	1033	5.3	361.6	1328	6.1	464.9
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	27	0.1	9.6	54	0.3	18.9	61	0.3	21.4
Sexual assault	41	0.2	14.6	58	0.3	20.3	61	0.3	21.4
Indecent assault, act of indecency	87	0.4	31.1	87	0.5	30.5	128	0.6	44.8
Other sexual offences	17	0.1	6.1	7	0.0	2.5	2	0.0	0.7
Abduction and kidnapping	16	0.1	5.7	15	0.1	5.3	25	0.1	8.8
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	98	0.5	35.0	85	0.4	29.8	106	0.5	37.1
Robbery with a firearm	49	0.2	17.5	33	0.2	11.6	41	0.2	14.4
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	53	0.3	18.9	57	0.3	20.0	58	0.3	20.3

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3219	15.4	1148.8	2778	14.3	972.5	2953	13.5	1033.8
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1513	7.3	540.0	1312	6.8	459.3	1614	7.4	565.0
Fraud *	1566	7.5	558.9	969	5.0	339.2	593	2.7	207.6
Receiving	66	0.3	23.6	83	0.4	29.1	103	0.5	36.1
Goods in custody	143	0.7	51.0	141	0.7	49.4	173	0.8	60.6
Motor vehicle theft	2954	14.2	1054.3	2480	12.8	868.2	2377	10.9	832.1
Stealing	4996	23.9	1783.0	4873	25.2	1705.9	5678	26.0	1987.8
Demand money with menaces	19	0.1	6.8	7	0.0	2.5	8	0.0	2.8
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	365	1.8	130.3	276	1.4	96.6	207	1.0	72.5
Malicious damage to property	2294	11.0	818.7	2496	12.9	873.8	3382	15.5	1184.0
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	2	0.0	0.7	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	32	0.2	11.4	21	0.1	7.4	27	0.1	9.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	547	2.6	195.2	512	2.6	179.2	583	2.7	204.1
Possession and/or use of other drugs	78	0.4	27.8	51	0.3	17.9	86	0.4	30.1
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	8	0.0	2.9	7	0.0	2.5	7	0.0	2.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	65	0.3	23.2	70	0.4	24.5	79	0.4	27.7
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	13	0.1	4.6	10	0.1	3.5	18	0.1	6.3
Cultivating cannabis	147	0.7	52.5	156	0.8	54.6	155	0.7	54.3
Importing drugs	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	160	0.8	57.1	133	0.7	46.6	113	0.5	39.6
Offensive behaviour	282	1.4	100.6	305	1.6	106.8	298	1.4	104.3
Other offences	887	4.3	316.6	1021	5.3	357.4	1332	6.1	466.3
All offences	20877	100.0	7450.8	19371	100.0	6781.4	21835	100.0	7644.0

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.12

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

BLACKTOWN – BAULKHAM HILLS STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Recorded offences

Type of offence	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	5	0.0	1.5	9	0.0	2.6	9	0.0	2.6
Attempted murder	1	0.0	0.3	3	0.0	0.9	3	0.0	0.9
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.3
Assault:									
Aggravated	208	0.8	61.3	212	0.9	61.6	258	1.2	75.0
Non-aggravated	1206	4.9	355.5	1324	5.5	384.8	1670	7.5	485.3
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	48	0.2	14.2	64	0.3	18.6	56	0.3	16.3
Sexual assault	93	0.4	27.4	40	0.2	11.6	66	0.3	19.2
Indecent assault, act of indecency	133	0.5	39.2	158	0.7	45.9	135	0.6	39.2
Other sexual offences	11	0.0	3.2	7	0.0	2.0	40	0.2	11.6
Abduction and kidnapping	21	0.1	6.2	36	0.2	10.5	20	0.1	5.8
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	179	0.7	52.8	174	0.7	50.6	216	1.0	62.8
Robbery with a firearm	76	0.3	22.4	50	0.2	14.5	45	0.2	13.1
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	81	0.3	23.9	99	0.4	28.8	107	0.5	31.1

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	4308	17.4	1269.9	3740	15.6	1086.9	3235	14.5	940.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1451	5.9	427.7	1271	5.3	369.4	1186	5.3	344.7
Fraud *	2107	8.5	621.1	1531	6.4	444.9	949	4.2	275.8
Receiving	112	0.5	33.0	88	0.4	25.6	114	0.5	33.1
Goods in custody	212	0.9	62.5	192	0.8	55.8	160	0.7	46.5
Motor vehicle theft	3701	14.9	1090.9	3028	12.7	880.0	2504	11.2	727.7
Stealing	5514	22.3	1625.4	5508	23.0	1600.7	5454	24.4	1585.0
Demand money with menaces	13	0.1	3.8	20	0.1	5.8	19	0.1	5.5
Extortion, blackmail	1	0.0	0.3	1	0.0	0.3	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	253	1.0	74.6	172	0.7	50.0	268	1.2	77.9
Malicious damage to property	2737	11.1	806.8	2878	12.0	836.4	3223	14.4	936.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.6	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	55	0.2	16.2	35	0.2	10.2	16	0.1	4.7
Possession and/or use of cannabis	473	1.9	139.4	567	2.4	164.8	439	2.0	127.6
Possession and/or use of other drugs	103	0.4	30.4	70	0.3	20.3	46	0.2	13.4
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	16	0.1	4.7	9	0.0	2.6	9	0.0	2.6
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	71	0.3	20.9	997	4.2	289.7	72	0.3	20.9
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	25	0.1	7.4	34	0.1	9.9	25	0.1	7.3
Cultivating cannabis	106	0.4	31.3	117	0.5	34.0	152	0.7	44.2
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	138	0.6	40.7	109	0.5	31.7	91	0.4	26.5
Offensive behaviour	350	1.4	103.2	330	1.4	95.9	312	1.4	90.7
Other offences	957	3.9	282.1	1058	4.4	307.5	1490	6.7	433.0
All offences	24765	100.0	7299.9	23933	100.0	6955.3	22390	100.0	6506.8

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.13

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

LOWER NORTHERN SYDNEY STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	5	0.0	1.9	5	0.0	1.9	0	0.0	0.0
Attempted murder	2	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.7
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	121	0.5	44.8	101	0.5	37.4	142	0.6	52.6
Non-aggravated	648	2.7	239.8	690	3.1	255.6	797	3.5	295.2
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	24	0.1	8.9	12	0.1	4.4	12	0.1	4.4
Sexual assault	22	0.1	8.1	28	0.1	10.4	32	0.1	11.9
Indecent assault, act of indecency	77	0.3	28.5	48	0.2	17.8	67	0.3	24.8
Other sexual offences	9	0.0	3.3	1	0.0	0.4	2	0.0	0.7
Abduction and kidnapping	6	0.0	2.2	6	0.0	2.2	10	0.0	3.7
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	101	0.4	37.4	81	0.4	30.0	122	0.5	45.2
Robbery with a firearm	82	0.3	30.3	64	0.3	23.7	21	0.1	7.8
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	85	0.4	31.5	50	0.2	18.5	59	0.3	21.9

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3034	12.6	1122.7	3463	15.7	1282.6	3556	15.8	1317.0
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	2140	8.9	791.9	1872	8.5	693.3	1624	7.2	601.5
Fraud *	4865	20.2	1800.2	2833	12.8	1049.3	1859	8.3	688.5
Receiving	101	0.4	37.4	73	0.3	27.0	48	0.2	17.8
Goods in custody	136	0.6	50.3	145	0.7	53.7	112	0.5	41.5
Motor vehicle theft	2159	9.0	798.9	1392	6.3	515.6	1545	6.9	572.2
Stealing	6887	28.6	2548.4	7048	31.8	2610.4	7543	33.5	2793.7
Demand money with menaces	17	0.1	6.3	41	0.2	15.2	23	0.1	8.5
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	6	0.0	2.2	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	50	0.2	18.5	59	0.3	21.9	64	0.3	23.7
Malicious damage to property	1895	7.9	701.2	1905	8.6	705.6	2340	10.4	866.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	3	0.0	1.1	9	0.0	3.3	11	0.1	4.1
Possession and/or use of narcotics	19	0.1	7.0	24	0.1	8.9	29	0.1	10.7
Possession and/or use of cannabis	287	1.2	106.2	341	1.5	126.3	267	1.2	98.9
Possession and/or use of other drugs	52	0.2	19.2	48	0.2	17.8	37	0.2	13.7
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	2	0.0	0.7	1	0.0	0.4	4	0.0	1.5
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	4	0.0	1.5	5	0.0	1.9	4	0.0	1.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	43	0.2	15.9	55	0.3	20.4	11	0.1	4.1
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	14	0.1	5.2	9	0.0	3.3	14	0.1	5.2
Cultivating cannabis	50	0.2	18.5	36	0.2	13.3	50	0.2	18.5
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	94	0.4	34.8	101	0.5	37.4	87	0.4	32.2
Offensive behaviour	337	1.4	124.7	329	1.5	121.9	317	1.4	117.4
Other offences	730	3.0	270.1	1250	5.7	463.0	1711	7.6	633.7
All offences	24101	100.0	8918.0	22133	100.0	8197.4	22522	100.0	8341.5

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.14

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

HORNSBY – KU-RING-GAI STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4	2	0.0	0.8
Attempted murder	2	0.0	0.8	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	57	0.6	23.6	67	0.7	27.6	51	0.5	21.0
Non-aggravated	370	3.6	153.4	348	3.4	143.3	426	4.5	175.5
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	2	0.0	0.8	7	0.1	2.9	4	0.0	1.7
Sexual assault	48	0.5	19.9	9	0.1	3.7	43	0.5	17.7
Indecent assault, act of indecency	35	0.4	14.5	31	0.3	12.8	23	0.2	9.5
Other sexual offences	4	0.0	1.7	5	0.1	2.1	1	0.0	0.4
Abduction and kidnapping	4	0.0	1.7	5	0.1	2.1	6	0.1	2.5
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	33	0.3	13.7	36	0.4	14.8	42	0.4	17.3
Robbery with a firearm	36	0.4	14.9	22	0.2	9.1	16	0.2	6.6
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	37	0.4	15.3	24	0.2	9.9	22	0.2	9.1

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	1548	15.2	641.7	1737	17.2	715.4	1542	16.3	635.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	864	8.5	358.1	831	8.2	342.3	759	8.0	312.6
Fraud *	842	8.3	349.0	634	6.3	261.1	349	3.7	143.7
Receiving	35	0.3	14.5	19	0.2	7.8	24	0.3	9.9
Goods in custody	51	0.5	21.1	40	0.4	16.5	53	0.6	21.8
Motor vehicle theft	743	7.3	308.0	558	5.5	229.8	537	5.7	221.2
Stealing	2627	25.8	1088.9	2713	26.8	1117.4	2595	27.4	1068.8
Demand money with menaces	6	0.1	2.5	8	0.1	3.3	11	0.1	4.5
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.8	1	0.0	0.4
Arson	75	0.7	31.1	59	0.6	24.3	75	0.8	30.9
Malicious damage to property	1582	15.6	655.8	1422	14.1	585.7	1615	17.0	665.2
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	1	0.0	0.4	3	0.0	1.2	1	0.0	0.4
Possession and/or use of narcotics	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4	5	0.1	2.1
Possession and/or use of cannabis	217	2.1	90.0	343	3.4	141.3	209	2.2	86.1
Possession and/or use of other drugs	32	0.3	13.3	30	0.3	12.4	7	0.1	2.9
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	0.8	1	0.0	0.4
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	24	0.2	10.0	29	0.3	11.9	17	0.2	7.0
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	9	0.1	3.7	5	0.1	2.1	6	0.1	2.5
Cultivating cannabis	31	0.3	12.9	46	0.5	19.0	41	0.4	16.9
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	73	0.7	30.3	111	1.1	45.7	59	0.6	24.3
Offensive behaviour	283	2.8	117.3	232	2.3	95.6	232	2.5	95.6
Other offences	501	4.9	207.7	731	7.2	301.1	704	7.4	290.0
All offences	10175	100.0	4217.6	10112	100.0	4164.7	9479	100.0	3904.0

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.15 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE**NORTHERN BEACHES STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION**

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	1	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0	3	0.0	1.4
Attempted murder	2	0.0	0.9	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.5
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.5	1	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	1	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	136	0.9	62.0	142	1.0	64.9	192	1.4	87.8
Non-aggravated	756	4.9	344.9	634	4.5	289.9	709	5.1	324.2
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	23	0.2	10.5	34	0.2	15.6	24	0.2	11.0
Sexual assault	41	0.3	18.7	12	0.1	5.5	25	0.2	11.4
Indecent assault, act of indecency	51	0.3	23.3	38	0.3	17.4	46	0.3	21.0
Other sexual offences	2	0.0	0.9	10	0.1	4.6	0	0.0	0.0
Abduction and kidnapping	7	0.1	3.2	5	0.0	2.3	3	0.0	1.4
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	65	0.4	29.7	47	0.3	21.5	54	0.4	24.7
Robbery with a firearm	26	0.2	11.9	33	0.2	15.1	13	0.1	5.9
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	48	0.3	21.9	29	0.2	13.3	37	0.3	16.9

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	1610	10.4	734.5	1413	10.0	646.1	1565	11.2	715.6
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1005	6.5	458.5	968	6.8	442.6	979	7.0	447.7
Fraud *	1613	10.5	735.9	1439	10.2	658.0	1001	7.2	457.7
Receiving	37	0.2	16.9	72	0.5	32.9	77	0.6	35.2
Goods in custody	81	0.5	37.0	58	0.4	26.5	58	0.4	26.5
Motor vehicle theft	1046	6.8	477.2	671	4.7	306.8	612	4.4	279.8
Stealing	5051	32.8	2304.3	4847	34.2	2216.3	4988	35.7	2280.8
Demand money with menaces	17	0.1	7.8	11	0.1	5.0	7	0.1	3.2
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	80	0.5	36.5	67	0.5	30.6	48	0.3	22.0
Malicious damage to property	1560	10.1	711.7	1566	11.1	716.1	1672	12.0	764.5
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	6	0.0	2.7	7	0.1	3.2	1	0.0	0.5
Possession and/or use of narcotics	35	0.2	16.0	25	0.2	11.4	38	0.3	17.4
Possession and/or use of cannabis	327	2.1	149.2	375	2.7	171.5	321	2.3	146.8
Possession and/or use of other drugs	54	0.4	24.6	42	0.3	19.2	65	0.5	29.7
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	2	0.0	0.9	2	0.0	0.9	1	0.0	0.5
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	10	0.1	4.6	2	0.0	0.9	14	0.1	6.4
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	35	0.2	16.0	33	0.2	15.1	35	0.3	16.0
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	15	0.1	6.8	10	0.1	4.6	10	0.1	4.6
Cultivating cannabis	62	0.4	28.3	44	0.3	20.1	62	0.4	28.4
Importing drugs	1	0.0	0.5	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.5
Other drug offences	118	0.8	53.8	139	1.0	63.6	68	0.5	31.1
Offensive behaviour	492	3.2	224.5	425	3.0	194.3	328	2.4	150.0
Other offences	999	6.5	455.8	956	6.8	437.1	903	6.5	412.9
All offences	15416	100.0	7032.9	14158	100.0	6473.7	13961	100.0	6383.6

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.16

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

GOSFORD – WYONG STATISTICAL SUBDIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	7	0.0	2.9	6	0.0	2.4	3	0.0	1.2
Attempted murder	2	0.0	0.8	5	0.0	2.0	2	0.0	0.8
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	4	0.0	1.7	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	173	1.0	72.1	172	1.0	70.0	156	0.9	63.5
Non-aggravated	991	5.7	413.3	957	5.7	389.3	1183	6.6	481.3
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	21	0.1	8.8	48	0.3	19.5	34	0.2	13.8
Sexual assault	76	0.4	31.7	56	0.3	22.8	37	0.2	15.1
Indecent assault, act of indecency	145	0.8	60.5	99	0.6	40.3	100	0.6	40.7
Other sexual offences	25	0.1	10.4	2	0.0	0.8	3	0.0	1.2
Abduction and kidnapping	13	0.1	5.4	10	0.1	4.1	4	0.0	1.6
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	28	0.2	11.7	51	0.3	20.8	48	0.3	19.5
Robbery with a firearm	17	0.1	7.1	11	0.1	4.5	26	0.2	10.6
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	35	0.2	14.6	24	0.1	9.8	29	0.2	11.8

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	1864	10.7	777.3	2050	12.1	834.0	2034	11.4	827.5
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1107	6.4	461.6	1101	6.5	447.9	1051	5.9	427.6
Fraud *	1148	6.6	478.7	960	5.7	390.6	1144	6.4	465.4
Receiving	58	0.3	24.2	78	0.5	31.7	79	0.4	32.1
Goods in custody	162	0.9	67.6	143	0.8	58.2	162	0.9	65.9
Motor vehicle theft	1127	6.5	470.0	928	5.5	377.5	1081	6.1	439.8
Stealing	5311	30.6	2214.8	5108	30.2	2078.1	5442	30.6	2214.0
Demand money with menaces	11	0.1	4.6	9	0.1	3.7	12	0.1	4.9
Extortion, blackmail	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	126	0.7	52.5	111	0.7	45.2	104	0.6	42.3
Malicious damage to property	2177	12.5	907.8	2306	13.6	938.2	2301	12.9	936.1
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	3	0.0	1.3	2	0.0	0.8	1	0.0	0.4
Possession and/or use of narcotics	27	0.2	11.3	16	0.1	6.5	30	0.2	12.2
Possession and/or use of cannabis	533	3.1	222.3	703	4.2	286.0	547	3.1	222.5
Possession and/or use of other drugs	39	0.2	16.3	78	0.5	31.7	42	0.2	17.1
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	2	0.0	0.8	3	0.0	1.2	1	0.0	0.4
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	19	0.1	7.9	3	0.0	1.2	4	0.0	1.6
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	108	0.6	45.0	128	0.8	52.1	81	0.5	33.0
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	9	0.1	3.8	23	0.1	9.4	11	0.1	4.5
Cultivating cannabis	171	1.0	71.3	188	1.1	76.5	139	0.8	56.6
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	101	0.6	42.1	106	0.6	43.1	78	0.4	31.7
Offensive behaviour	666	3.8	277.7	510	3.0	207.5	624	3.5	253.9
Other offences	1073	6.2	447.5	947	5.6	385.3	1217	6.8	495.1
All offences	17381	100.0	7248.1	16943	100.0	6893.0	17810	100.0	7245.7

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.17

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

HUNTER STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	6	0.0	1.1	9	0.0	1.7	8	0.0	1.5
Attempted murder	6	0.0	1.1	9	0.0	1.7	7	0.0	1.3
Murder accessory, conspiracy	2	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.2	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.2
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	406	1.1	76.3	363	1.0	67.3	427	1.1	79.2
Non-aggravated	2144	5.7	403.1	2341	6.2	434.2	2489	6.3	461.7
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	30	0.1	5.6	23	0.1	4.3	37	0.1	6.9
Sexual assault	337	0.9	63.4	262	0.7	48.6	157	0.4	29.1
Indecent assault, act of indecency	181	0.5	34.0	264	0.7	49.0	220	0.6	40.8
Other sexual offences	39	0.1	7.3	20	0.1	3.7	29	0.1	5.4
Abduction and kidnapping	15	0.0	2.8	22	0.1	4.1	19	0.1	3.5
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	73	0.2	13.7	108	0.3	20.0	105	0.3	19.5
Robbery with a firearm	38	0.1	7.1	23	0.1	4.3	32	0.1	5.9
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	84	0.2	15.8	59	0.2	10.9	58	0.2	10.8

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3349	8.9	629.6	3449	9.2	639.8	4165	10.6	772.6
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	2916	7.8	548.2	2745	7.3	509.2	3175	8.1	588.9
Fraud *	2508	6.7	471.5	1755	4.7	325.5	1946	5.0	361.0
Receiving	160	0.4	30.1	127	0.3	23.6	178	0.5	33.0
Goods in custody	271	0.7	50.9	250	0.7	46.4	245	0.6	45.5
Motor vehicle theft	1908	5.1	358.7	1612	4.3	299.0	1694	4.3	314.2
Stealing	11042	29.4	2075.8	11643	30.9	2159.7	11374	28.9	2109.8
Demand money with menaces	10	0.0	1.9	28	0.1	5.2	22	0.1	4.1
Extortion, blackmail	1	0.0	0.2	4	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	367	1.0	69.0	273	0.7	50.6	264	0.7	49.0
Malicious damage to property	4767	12.7	896.1	4811	12.8	892.4	5493	14.0	1018.9
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	3	0.0	0.6	4	0.0	0.7	3	0.0	0.6
Possession and/or use of narcotics	35	0.1	6.6	31	0.1	5.8	64	0.2	11.9
Possession and/or use of cannabis	1600	4.3	300.8	1913	5.1	354.9	1624	4.1	301.2
Possession and/or use of other drugs	187	0.5	35.2	266	0.7	49.3	226	0.6	41.9
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	1	0.0	0.2	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.2
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	8	0.0	1.5	10	0.0	1.9	18	0.1	3.3
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	157	0.4	29.5	189	0.5	35.1	109	0.3	20.2
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	42	0.1	7.9	45	0.1	8.4	38	0.1	7.1
Cultivating cannabis	395	1.1	74.3	404	1.1	74.9	363	0.9	67.3
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	439	1.2	82.5	447	1.2	82.9	385	1.0	71.4
Offensive behaviour	1547	4.1	290.8	1426	3.8	264.5	1057	2.7	196.1
Other offences	2507	6.7	471.3	2726	7.2	505.7	3306	8.4	613.2
All offences	37582	100.0	7065.0	37661	100.0	6985.9	39339	100.0	7297.2

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.18

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

ILLAWARRA STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	4	0.0	1.1	6	0.0	1.7	15	0.1	4.2
Attempted murder	7	0.0	2.0	3	0.0	0.8	2	0.0	0.6
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.3
Manslaughter (not motoring)	4	0.0	1.1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	195	0.8	55.8	201	0.9	56.6	253	1.0	71.3
Non-aggravated	1230	4.8	351.9	1173	5.1	330.3	1484	5.8	417.9
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	15	0.1	4.3	30	0.1	8.5	26	0.1	7.3
Sexual assault	78	0.3	22.3	79	0.3	22.3	65	0.3	18.3
Indecent assault, act of indecency	181	0.7	51.8	130	0.6	36.6	105	0.4	29.6
Other sexual offences	19	0.1	5.4	12	0.1	3.4	10	0.0	2.8
Abduction and kidnapping	5	0.0	1.4	6	0.0	1.7	12	0.1	3.4
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	51	0.2	14.6	49	0.2	13.8	78	0.3	22.0
Robbery with a firearm	31	0.1	8.9	32	0.1	9.0	19	0.1	5.4
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	44	0.2	12.6	45	0.2	12.7	30	0.1	8.5

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	3181	12.4	910.0	2892	12.5	814.4	3695	14.4	1040.6
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	2603	10.2	744.7	2403	10.4	676.7	2559	10.0	720.6
Fraud *	1147	4.5	328.1	919	4.0	258.8	897	3.5	252.6
Receiving	141	0.6	40.3	115	0.5	32.4	167	0.7	47.0
Goods in custody	158	0.6	45.2	180	0.8	50.7	193	0.8	54.4
Motor vehicle theft	2686	10.5	768.4	1784	7.7	502.4	2014	7.8	567.2
Stealing	7506	29.3	2147.3	6903	29.9	1944.0	7471	29.1	2103.9
Demand money with menaces	14	0.1	4.0	9	0.0	2.5	11	0.0	3.1
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	269	1.1	77.0	204	0.9	57.5	212	0.8	59.7
Malicious damage to property	3091	12.1	884.3	3035	13.1	854.7	3506	13.7	987.3
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	7	0.0	2.0	1	0.0	0.3	6	0.0	1.7
Possession and/or use of narcotics	72	0.3	20.6	53	0.2	14.9	50	0.2	14.1
Possession and/or use of cannabis	670	2.6	191.7	736	3.2	207.3	616	2.4	173.5
Possession and/or use of other drugs	32	0.1	9.2	56	0.2	15.8	69	0.3	19.4
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	11	0.0	3.2	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.3
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	20	0.1	5.7	10	0.0	2.8	23	0.1	6.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	128	0.5	36.6	141	0.6	39.7	65	0.3	18.3
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	8	0.0	2.3	15	0.1	4.2	18	0.1	5.1
Cultivating cannabis	177	0.7	50.6	181	0.8	51.0	223	0.9	62.8
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	136	0.5	38.9	129	0.6	36.3	171	0.7	48.2
Offensive behaviour	501	2.0	143.3	452	2.0	127.3	381	1.5	107.3
Other offences	1186	4.6	339.3	1139	4.9	320.8	1242	4.8	349.8
All offences	25608	100.0	7326.0	23123	100.0	6511.7	25690	100.0	7234.6

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.19

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

RICHMOND – TWEED STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	4	0.0	2.2	1	0.0	0.5	1	0.0	0.5
Attempted murder	2	0.0	1.1	0	0.0	0.0	3	0.0	1.6
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	2	0.0	1.1	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.5
Manslaughter (motoring)	1	0.0	0.6	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	169	1.2	94.2	167	1.2	90.4	169	1.1	91.5
Non-aggravated	793	5.4	441.8	863	6.1	467.2	1095	6.8	592.9
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	8	0.1	4.5	16	0.1	8.7	30	0.2	16.2
Sexual assault	49	0.3	27.3	45	0.3	24.4	53	0.3	28.7
Indecent assault, act of indecency	127	0.9	70.8	62	0.4	33.6	119	0.7	64.4
Other sexual offences	33	0.2	18.4	0	0.0	0.0	7	0.0	3.8
Abduction and kidnapping	4	0.0	2.2	6	0.0	3.3	12	0.1	6.5
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	27	0.2	15.0	24	0.2	13.0	38	0.2	20.6
Robbery with a firearm	4	0.0	2.2	14	0.1	7.6	16	0.1	8.7
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	17	0.1	9.5	11	0.1	6.0	14	0.1	7.6

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	1040	7.1	579.4	975	6.9	527.9	1269	7.9	687.1
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	973	6.7	542.1	910	6.4	492.7	1154	7.2	624.8
Fraud *	1056	7.2	588.3	923	6.5	499.7	940	5.9	508.9
Receiving	105	0.7	58.5	35	0.3	19.0	54	0.3	29.2
Goods in custody	262	1.8	146.0	136	1.0	73.6	173	1.1	93.7
Motor vehicle theft	437	3.0	243.5	480	3.4	259.9	520	3.3	281.5
Stealing	4366	29.9	2432.3	4203	29.6	2275.6	4952	31.0	2681.1
Demand money with menaces	2	0.0	1.1	2	0.0	1.1	6	0.0	3.3
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	94	0.6	52.4	73	0.5	39.5	65	0.4	35.2
Malicious damage to property	1209	8.3	673.5	1197	8.4	648.1	1517	9.5	821.3
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	1	0.0	0.6	4	0.0	2.2	3	0.0	1.6
Possession and/or use of narcotics	40	0.3	22.3	51	0.4	27.6	50	0.3	27.1
Possession and/or use of cannabis	875	6.0	487.5	905	6.4	490.0	880	5.5	476.5
Possession and/or use of other drugs	34	0.2	18.9	62	0.4	33.6	49	0.3	26.5
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	1	0.0	0.6	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.5
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	29	0.2	16.2	28	0.2	15.2	15	0.1	8.1
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	88	0.6	49.0	88	0.6	47.6	71	0.4	38.4
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	4	0.0	2.2	8	0.1	4.3	9	0.1	4.9
Cultivating cannabis	248	1.7	138.2	400	2.8	216.6	306	1.9	165.7
Importing drugs	2	0.0	1.1	5	0.0	2.7	4	0.0	2.2
Other drug offences	205	1.4	114.2	332	2.3	179.8	210	1.3	113.7
Offensive behaviour	728	5.0	405.6	542	3.8	293.5	525	3.3	284.2
Other offences	1565	10.7	871.9	1632	11.5	883.6	1668	10.4	903.1
All offences	14604	100.0	8135.9	14200	100.0	7688.1	15999	100.0	8662.1

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.20 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

MID-NORTH COAST STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	10	0.1	4.2	2	0.0	0.8	2	0.0	0.8
Attempted murder	4	0.0	1.7	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4
Murder accessory, conspiracy	1	0.0	0.4	2	0.0	0.8	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	186	1.1	77.2	185	1.0	74.9	200	1.1	81.0
Non-aggravated	1004	5.7	416.8	1208	6.6	489.1	1191	6.6	482.2
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	32	0.2	13.3	37	0.2	15.0	10	0.1	4.1
Sexual assault	93	0.5	38.6	81	0.4	32.8	36	0.2	14.6
Indecent assault, act of indecency	136	0.8	56.5	136	0.7	55.1	89	0.5	36.0
Other sexual offences	17	0.1	7.1	1	0.0	0.4	5	0.0	2.0
Abduction and kidnapping	10	0.1	4.2	11	0.1	4.5	14	0.1	5.7
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	27	0.2	11.2	29	0.2	11.7	39	0.2	15.8
Robbery with a firearm	17	0.1	7.1	7	0.0	2.8	2	0.0	0.8
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	25	0.1	10.4	18	0.1	7.3	11	0.1	4.5

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	1295	7.4	537.6	1336	7.3	540.9	1320	7.3	534.4
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1257	7.2	521.8	1219	6.7	493.5	1368	7.5	553.9
Fraud *	1733	9.9	719.4	1038	5.7	420.2	877	4.8	355.1
Receiving	57	0.3	23.7	71	0.4	28.7	93	0.5	37.7
Goods in custody	157	0.9	65.2	166	0.9	67.2	159	0.9	64.4
Motor vehicle theft	690	3.9	286.4	592	3.2	239.7	551	3.0	223.1
Stealing	4612	26.2	1914.5	5279	28.8	2137.3	5509	30.3	2230.4
Demand money with menaces	5	0.0	2.1	4	0.0	1.6	7	0.0	2.8
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	103	0.6	42.8	61	0.3	24.7	78	0.4	31.6
Malicious damage to property	1713	9.7	711.1	2032	11.1	822.7	2274	12.5	920.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.4	1	0.0	0.4
Possession and/or use of narcotics	79	0.5	32.8	55	0.3	22.3	22	0.1	8.9
Possession and/or use of cannabis	903	5.1	374.8	1026	5.6	415.4	869	4.8	351.8
Possession and/or use of other drugs	24	0.1	10.0	33	0.2	13.4	30	0.2	12.2
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	1	0.0	0.4	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	41	0.2	17.0	98	0.5	39.7	10	0.1	4.1
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	122	0.7	50.6	117	0.6	47.4	216	1.2	87.5
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	5	0.0	2.1	10	0.1	4.1	14	0.1	5.7
Cultivating cannabis	319	1.8	132.4	412	2.3	166.8	325	1.8	131.6
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	440	2.5	182.7	276	1.5	111.7	210	1.2	85.0
Offensive behaviour	762	4.3	316.3	681	3.7	275.7	557	3.1	225.5
Other offences	1710	9.7	709.8	2111	11.5	854.7	2092	11.5	847.0
All offences	17591	100.0	7302.2	18337	100.0	7423.9	18183	100.0	7361.5

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.21

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

NORTHERN STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	2	0.0	1.1	1	0.0	0.5	4	0.0	2.2
Attempted murder	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	1.1	3	0.0	1.6
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	1.1
Manslaughter (not motoring)	2	0.0	1.1	2	0.0	1.1	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	193	1.7	104.1	193	1.5	103.5	261	1.9	140.0
Non-aggravated	1027	8.9	554.1	1055	8.1	565.8	1167	8.5	625.9
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	25	0.2	13.5	13	0.1	7.0	24	0.2	12.9
Sexual assault	41	0.4	22.1	25	0.2	13.4	19	0.1	10.2
Indecent assault, act of indecency	75	0.7	40.5	78	0.6	41.8	69	0.5	37.0
Other sexual offences	8	0.1	4.3	18	0.1	9.7	13	0.1	7.0
Abduction and kidnapping	6	0.1	3.2	4	0.0	2.2	4	0.0	2.2
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	40	0.4	21.6	51	0.4	27.4	67	0.5	35.9
Robbery with a firearm	9	0.1	4.9	8	0.1	4.3	10	0.1	5.4
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	9	0.1	4.9	10	0.1	5.4	12	0.1	6.4

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	730	6.3	393.9	1030	7.9	552.4	1264	9.2	677.9
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	834	7.2	450.0	1024	7.8	549.2	1005	7.3	539.0
Fraud *	716	6.2	386.3	709	5.4	380.3	492	3.6	263.9
Receiving	73	0.6	39.4	86	0.7	46.1	54	0.4	29.0
Goods in custody	117	1.0	63.1	101	0.8	54.2	111	0.8	59.5
Motor vehicle theft	430	3.7	232.0	428	3.3	229.6	418	3.0	224.2
Stealing	3048	26.3	1644.5	3409	26.0	1828.4	3853	27.9	2066.5
Demand money with menaces	7	0.1	3.8	8	0.1	4.3	18	0.1	9.7
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	44	0.4	23.7	36	0.3	19.3	36	0.3	19.3
Malicious damage to property	1440	12.4	776.9	1663	12.7	891.9	1970	14.3	1056.6
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	7	0.1	3.8	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	15	0.1	8.1	11	0.1	5.9	14	0.1	7.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	415	3.6	223.9	504	3.9	270.3	466	3.4	249.9
Possession and/or use of other drugs	17	0.2	9.2	54	0.4	29.0	18	0.1	9.7
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	7	0.1	3.8	10	0.1	5.4	2	0.0	1.1
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	67	0.6	36.2	117	0.9	62.8	66	0.5	35.4
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	2	0.0	1.1	34	0.3	18.2	13	0.1	7.0
Cultivating cannabis	111	1.0	59.9	136	1.0	72.9	129	0.9	69.2
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	125	1.1	67.4	154	1.2	82.6	134	1.0	71.9
Offensive behaviour	796	6.9	429.5	699	5.3	374.9	698	5.1	374.4
Other offences	1160	10.0	625.8	1423	10.9	763.2	1383	10.0	741.8
All offences	11591	100.0	6253.6	13103	100.0	7027.6	13799	100.0	7400.9

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.22

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

NORTH WESTERN STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	2	0.0	1.7	2	0.0	1.7	3	0.0	2.6
Attempted murder	10	0.1	8.7	1	0.0	0.9	7	0.1	6.0
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.9	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.9
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	199	1.9	172.2	196	1.7	167.5	237	2.0	202.6
Non-aggravated	1173	10.9	1015.1	1167	10.3	997.4	1422	12.1	1215.4
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	15	0.1	13.0	22	0.2	18.8	17	0.1	14.5
Sexual assault	69	0.6	59.7	73	0.6	62.4	55	0.5	47.0
Indecent assault, act of indecency	100	0.9	86.6	75	0.7	64.1	71	0.6	60.7
Other sexual offences	9	0.1	7.8	11	0.1	9.4	1	0.0	0.9
Abduction and kidnapping	4	0.0	3.5	7	0.1	6.0	7	0.1	6.0
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	25	0.2	21.6	33	0.3	28.2	34	0.3	29.1
Robbery with a firearm	3	0.0	2.6	4	0.0	3.4	2	0.0	1.7
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	9	0.1	7.8	12	0.1	10.3	8	0.1	6.8

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	942	8.8	815.2	1004	8.9	858.1	1082	9.2	924.8
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	916	8.5	792.7	781	6.9	667.5	887	7.5	758.1
Fraud *	397	3.7	343.6	496	4.4	423.9	237	2.0	202.6
Receiving	43	0.4	37.2	75	0.7	64.1	46	0.4	39.3
Goods in custody	104	1.0	90.0	108	1.0	92.3	88	0.8	75.2
Motor vehicle theft	384	3.6	332.3	364	3.2	311.1	425	3.6	363.3
Stealing	2580	24.0	2232.8	2937	25.9	2510.3	2815	23.9	2406.0
Demand money with menaces	1	0.0	0.9	4	0.0	3.4	8	0.1	6.8
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	38	0.4	32.9	40	0.4	34.2	39	0.3	33.3
Malicious damage to property	1303	12.1	1127.7	1471	13.0	1257.3	1514	12.8	1294.0
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	7	0.1	6.1	4	0.0	3.4	5	0.0	4.3
Possession and/or use of cannabis	213	2.0	184.3	321	2.8	274.4	293	2.5	250.4
Possession and/or use of other drugs	12	0.1	10.4	15	0.1	12.8	11	0.1	9.4
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	2	0.0	1.7	5	0.0	4.3	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	21	0.2	18.2	15	0.1	12.8	25	0.2	21.4
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	1.7	1	0.0	0.9
Cultivating cannabis	66	0.6	57.1	76	0.7	65.0	66	0.6	56.4
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	50	0.5	43.3	82	0.7	70.1	75	0.6	64.1
Offensive behaviour	877	8.2	759.0	711	6.3	607.7	743	6.3	635.0
Other offences	1179	11.0	1020.3	1214	10.7	1037.6	1563	13.3	1335.9
All offences	10754	100.0	9306.8	11328	100.0	9682.0	11788	100.0	10075.2

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.23

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

CENTRAL WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	1	0.0	0.6	1	0.0	0.6	2	0.0	1.2
Attempted murder	3	0.0	1.8	5	0.0	2.9	3	0.0	1.8
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	170	1.6	99.9	174	1.6	101.4	203	1.6	118.3
Non-aggravated	826	7.8	485.6	837	7.5	487.6	805	6.5	469.0
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	29	0.3	17.1	63	0.6	36.7	62	0.5	36.1
Sexual assault	33	0.3	19.4	35	0.3	20.4	38	0.3	22.1
Indecent assault, act of indecency	82	0.8	48.2	98	0.9	57.1	76	0.6	44.3
Other sexual offences	3	0.0	1.8	0	0.0	0.0	14	0.1	8.2
Abduction and kidnapping	5	0.1	2.9	3	0.0	1.8	5	0.0	2.9
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	11	0.1	6.5	20	0.2	11.7	12	0.1	7.0
Robbery with a firearm	9	0.1	5.3	9	0.1	5.2	11	0.1	6.4
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	15	0.1	8.8	17	0.2	9.9	30	0.2	17.5

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	948	9.0	557.3	941	8.4	548.2	1092	8.8	636.2
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	985	9.3	579.1	881	7.9	513.3	941	7.6	548.2
Fraud *	436	4.1	256.3	471	4.2	274.4	415	3.4	241.8
Receiving	81	0.8	47.6	45	0.4	26.2	44	0.4	25.6
Goods in custody	88	0.8	51.7	107	1.0	62.3	122	1.0	71.1
Motor vehicle theft	603	5.7	354.5	488	4.4	284.3	531	4.3	309.4
Stealing	3101	29.3	1823.1	3323	29.7	1935.9	3834	30.9	2233.6
Demand money with menaces	1	0.0	0.6	5	0.0	2.9	7	0.1	4.1
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	41	0.4	24.1	32	0.3	18.6	37	0.3	21.6
Malicious damage to property	1494	14.1	878.3	1620	14.5	943.8	1871	15.1	1090.0
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.6
Possession and/or use of narcotics	5	0.1	2.9	12	0.1	7.0	13	0.1	7.6
Possession and/or use of cannabis	312	3.0	183.4	415	3.7	241.8	445	3.6	259.3
Possession and/or use of other drugs	16	0.2	9.4	35	0.3	20.4	54	0.4	31.5
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	1	0.0	0.6	2	0.0	1.2	18	0.2	10.5
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	21	0.2	12.4	64	0.6	37.3	40	0.3	23.3
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	3	0.0	1.8	7	0.1	4.1	11	0.1	6.4
Cultivating cannabis	93	0.9	54.7	102	0.9	59.4	99	0.8	57.7
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	1.2	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	89	0.8	52.3	94	0.8	54.8	115	0.9	67.0
Offensive behaviour	295	2.8	173.4	340	3.0	198.1	348	2.8	202.7
Other offences	783	7.4	460.3	939	8.4	547.0	1103	8.9	642.6
All offences	10583	100.0	6221.6	11187	100.0	6517.3	12402	100.0	7225.2

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.24 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE**SOUTH EASTERN STATISTICAL DIVISION**

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	5	0.0	3.0	3	0.0	1.8	1	0.0	0.6
Attempted murder	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.6	2	0.0	1.2
Murder accessory, conspiracy	3	0.0	1.8	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.6	2	0.0	1.2	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	1	0.0	0.6	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	185	1.4	109.9	153	1.1	89.0	160	1.1	93.1
Non-aggravated	873	6.4	518.4	897	6.5	521.8	1014	7.2	589.9
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	13	0.1	7.7	28	0.2	16.3	42	0.3	24.4
Sexual assault	46	0.3	27.3	44	0.3	25.6	38	0.3	22.1
Indecent assault, act of indecency	95	0.7	56.4	7	0.5	43.1	99	0.7	57.6
Other sexual offences	13	0.1	7.7	2	0.0	1.2	2	0.0	1.2
Abduction and kidnapping	2	0.0	1.2	3	0.0	1.8	5	0.0	2.9
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	17	0.1	10.1	24	0.2	14.0	11	0.1	6.4
Robbery with a firearm	2	0.0	1.2	9	0.1	5.2	8	0.1	4.7
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	11	0.1	6.5	11	0.1	6.4	15	0.1	8.7

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	988	7.3	586.7	979	7.1	569.5	1046	7.5	608.5
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	1085	8.0	644.3	1068	7.8	621.3	925	6.6	538.1
Fraud *	469	3.5	278.5	583	4.2	339.2	487	3.5	283.3
Receiving	76	0.6	45.1	55	0.4	32.0	49	0.4	28.5
Goods in custody	178	1.3	105.7	182	1.3	105.9	174	1.2	101.2
Motor vehicle theft	483	3.6	286.8	382	2.8	222.2	353	2.5	205.4
Stealing	3854	28.4	2288.6	3481	25.3	2025.0	3892	27.8	2264.1
Demand money with menaces	3	0.0	1.8	4	0.0	2.3	5	0.0	2.9
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.6
Arson	45	0.3	26.7	38	0.3	22.1	34	0.2	19.8
Malicious damage to property	1640	12.1	973.9	1738	12.6	1011.1	1875	13.4	1090.8
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	2	0.0	1.2	2	0.0	1.2	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	22	0.2	13.1	30	0.2	17.5	11	0.1	6.4
Possession and/or use of cannabis	958	7.1	568.9	1084	7.9	630.6	916	6.5	532.9
Possession and/or use of other drugs	45	0.3	26.7	78	0.6	45.4	73	0.5	42.5
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.6	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	6	0.0	3.6	22	0.2	12.8	2	0.0	1.2
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	79	0.6	46.9	85	0.6	49.5	54	0.4	31.4
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	5	0.0	3.0	13	0.1	7.6	17	0.1	9.9
Cultivating cannabis	190	1.4	112.8	174	1.3	101.2	198	1.4	115.2
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	312	2.3	185.3	297	2.2	172.8	294	2.1	171.0
Offensive behaviour	687	5.1	408.0	780	5.7	453.8	670	4.8	389.8
Other offences	1170	8.6	694.8	1422	10.3	827.2	1554	11.1	904.0
All offences	13564	100.0	8054.6	13749	100.0	7998.3	14027	100.0	8160.0

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.25

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

MURRUMBIDGEE STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	6	0.1	4.1	1	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0
Attempted murder	0	0.0	0.0	8	0.1	5.4	2	0.0	1.4
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.7	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	3	0.0	2.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	156	1.4	105.9	177	1.7	119.4	205	1.7	138.2
Non-aggravated	830	7.5	563.5	750	7.0	505.7	740	6.1	499.0
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	81	0.7	55.0	44	0.4	29.7	49	0.4	33.0
Sexual assault	52	0.5	35.3	27	0.3	18.2	48	0.4	32.4
Indecent assault, act of indecency	249	2.3	169.1	125	1.2	84.3	114	1.0	76.9
Other sexual offences	12	0.1	8.2	7	0.1	4.7	14	0.1	9.4
Abduction and kidnapping	3	0.0	2.0	5	0.1	3.4	8	0.1	5.4
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	24	0.2	16.3	16	0.2	10.8	17	0.1	11.5
Robbery with a firearm	3	0.0	2.0	12	0.1	8.1	3	0.0	2.0
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	11	0.1	7.5	9	0.1	6.1	14	0.1	9.4

Theft:									
Breaking and entering -- dwelling	991	9.0	672.8	817	7.7	550.9	1043	8.6	703.3
Breaking and entering -- non-dwelling	877	8.0	595.4	819	7.7	552.3	1024	8.5	690.5
Fraud *	692	6.3	469.8	684	6.4	461.2	410	3.4	276.5
Receiving	53	0.5	36.0	30	0.3	20.2	32	0.3	21.6
Goods in custody	68	0.6	46.2	72	0.7	48.6	68	0.6	45.9
Motor vehicle theft	403	3.7	273.6	269	2.5	181.4	329	2.7	221.9
Stealing	3105	28.2	2107.9	3146	29.5	2121.4	3962	32.8	2671.6
Demand money with menaces	1	0.0	0.7	6	0.1	4.1	2	0.0	1.4
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	51	0.5	34.6	45	0.4	30.3	56	0.5	37.8
Malicious damage to property	1480	13.5	1004.8	1619	15.2	1091.7	1713	14.2	1155.1
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	8	0.1	5.4	2	0.0	1.4	4	0.0	2.7
Possession and/or use of cannabis	229	2.1	155.5	262	2.5	176.7	320	2.7	215.8
Possession and/or use of other drugs	10	0.1	6.8	10	0.1	6.7	27	0.2	18.2
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	2	0.0	1.4	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.7
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	29	0.3	19.7	28	0.3	18.9	44	0.4	29.7
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	2	0.0	1.4	6	0.1	4.1	4	0.0	2.7
Cultivating cannabis	91	0.8	61.8	66	0.6	44.5	80	0.7	53.9
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	73	0.7	49.6	70	0.7	47.2	84	0.7	56.6
Offensive behaviour	444	4.0	301.4	429	4.0	289.3	388	3.2	261.6
Other offences	965	8.8	655.1	1111	10.4	749.2	1257	10.4	847.6
All offences	11002	100.0	7469.1	10672	100.0	7196.2	12065	100.0	8135.5

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.26

RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE

MURRAY STATISTICAL DIVISION

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	2	0.0	1.8	2	0.0	1.8	1	0.0	0.9
Attempted murder	4	0.0	3.7	4	0.0	3.7	5	0.1	4.6
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	1	0.0	0.9	2	0.0	1.8	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	249	2.5	228.7	227	2.3	207.1	171	2.0	156.0
Non-aggravated	674	6.9	618.9	689	7.1	628.7	592	7.1	540.2
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	21	0.2	19.3	38	0.4	34.7	15	0.2	13.7
Sexual assault	46	0.5	42.2	36	0.4	32.9	11	0.1	10.0
Indecent assault, act of indecency	52	0.5	47.8	44	0.5	40.2	40	0.5	36.5
Other sexual offences	6	0.1	5.5	2	0.0	1.8	5	0.1	4.6
Abduction and kidnapping	4	0.0	3.7	3	0.0	2.7	3	0.0	2.7
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	14	0.1	12.9	16	0.2	14.6	11	0.1	10.0
Robbery with a firearm	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	0.9	0	0.0	0.0
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	8	0.1	7.4	6	0.1	5.5	10	0.1	9.1

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	669	6.8	614.3	758	7.8	691.6	575	6.9	524.6
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	859	8.8	788.8	667	6.9	608.6	698	8.3	636.9
Fraud *	440	4.5	404.0	604	6.2	551.1	164	2.0	149.6
Receiving	53	0.5	48.7	34	0.4	31.0	104	1.2	94.9
Goods in custody	114	1.2	104.7	105	1.1	95.8	66	0.8	60.2
Motor vehicle theft	556	5.7	510.6	392	4.0	357.7	305	3.6	278.3
Stealing	3186	32.5	2925.6	2919	30.0	2663.3	2611	31.2	2382.3
Demand money with menaces	0	0.0	0.0	5	0.1	4.6	3	0.0	2.7
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	34	0.4	31.2	22	0.2	20.1	26	0.3	23.7
Malicious damage to property	1162	11.8	1067.0	1149	11.8	1048.4	1179	14.1	1075.7
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	2	0.0	1.8	3	0.0	2.7	2	0.0	1.8
Possession and/or use of cannabis	185	1.9	169.9	324	3.3	295.6	353	4.2	322.1
Possession and/or use of other drugs	26	0.3	23.9	19	0.2	17.3	46	0.6	42.0
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.0	1.8	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	15	0.2	13.8	24	0.3	21.9	44	0.5	40.2
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	7	0.1	6.4	22	0.2	20.1	18	0.2	16.4
Cultivating cannabis	56	0.6	51.4	80	0.8	73.0	82	1.0	74.8
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	52	0.5	47.8	111	1.1	101.3	94	1.1	85.8
Offensive behaviour	314	3.2	288.3	292	3.0	266.4	317	3.8	289.2
Other offences	1002	10.2	920.1	1140	11.7	1040.2	819	9.8	747.3
All offences	9813	100.0	9011.0	9742	100.0	8888.7	8370	100.0	7636.9

* Data for this offence are not directly comparable over the three years 1991 to 1993. See Explanatory Notes.

TABLE 4.27 RECORDED OFFENCES, 1991, 1992, 1993: TYPE OF OFFENCE**FAR WEST STATISTICAL DIVISION**

Type of offence	Recorded offences								
	1991			1992			1993		
	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population	Number	%	Rate per 100,000 population
Homicide:									
Murder	1	0.0	3.5	2	0.1	7.1	1	0.0	3.6
Attempted murder	0	0.0	0.0	3	0.1	10.7	2	0.1	7.1
Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (not motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	3.6	0	0.0	0.0
Manslaughter (motoring)	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	3.6	0	0.0	0.0
Assault:									
Aggravated	162	4.5	572.4	139	3.9	493.8	194	5.8	689.2
Non-aggravated	327	9.0	1155.5	333	9.4	1183.0	320	9.6	1136.8
Sexual offences:									
Aggravated sexual assault	7	0.2	24.7	10	0.3	35.5	5	0.2	17.8
Sexual assault	14	0.4	49.5	12	0.3	42.6	4	0.1	14.2
Indecent assault, act of indecency	31	0.9	109.5	22	0.6	78.2	32	1.0	113.7
Other sexual offences	3	0.1	10.6	19	0.5	67.5	0	0.0	0.0
Abduction and kidnapping	0	0.0	0.0	1	0.0	3.6	3	0.1	10.7
Robbery:									
Robbery without a weapon	6	0.2	21.2	6	0.2	21.3	6	0.2	21.3
Robbery with a firearm	1	0.0	3.5	2	0.1	7.1	0	0.0	0.0
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	0	0.0	0.0	2	0.1	7.1	2	0.1	7.1

Theft:									
Breaking and entering – dwelling	226	6.2	798.6	289	8.2	1026.6	303	9.1	1076.4
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	270	7.4	954.1	255	7.2	905.9	228	6.8	810.0
Fraud *	98	2.7	346.3	131	3.7	465.4	56	1.7	198.9
Receiving	30	0.8	106.0	29	0.8	103.0	21	0.6	74.6
Goods in custody	52	1.4	183.8	44	1.3	156.3	23	0.7	81.7
Motor vehicle theft	143	3.9	505.3	124	3.5	440.5	115	3.5	408.5
Stealing	775	21.3	2738.5	681	19.3	2419.2	672	20.2	2387.2
Demand money with menaces	2	0.1	7.1	1	0.0	3.6	1	0.0	3.6
Extortion, blackmail	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Arson	12	0.3	42.4	3	0.1	10.7	4	0.1	14.2
Malicious damage to property	493	13.5	1742.1	430	12.2	1527.5	439	13.2	1559.5
Drug offences:									
Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Possession and/or use of narcotics	5	0.1	17.7	0	0.0	0.0	10	0.3	35.5
Possession and/or use of cannabis	121	3.3	427.6	116	3.3	412.1	140	4.2	497.3
Possession and/or use of other drugs	6	0.2	21.2	5	0.1	17.8	11	0.3	39.1
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	15	0.4	53.0	15	0.4	53.3	14	0.4	49.7
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	2	0.1	7.1	1	0.0	3.6	1	0.0	3.6
Cultivating cannabis	13	0.4	45.9	12	0.3	42.6	32	1.0	113.7
Importing drugs	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0.0	0.0
Other drug offences	31	0.9	109.5	26	0.7	92.4	41	1.2	145.7
Offensive behaviour	265	7.3	936.4	271	7.7	962.7	223	6.7	792.2
Other offences	530	14.6	1872.8	547	15.5	1943.2	430	12.9	1527.5
All offences	3641	100.0	12865.7	3533	100.0	12550.6	3333	100.0	11840.1

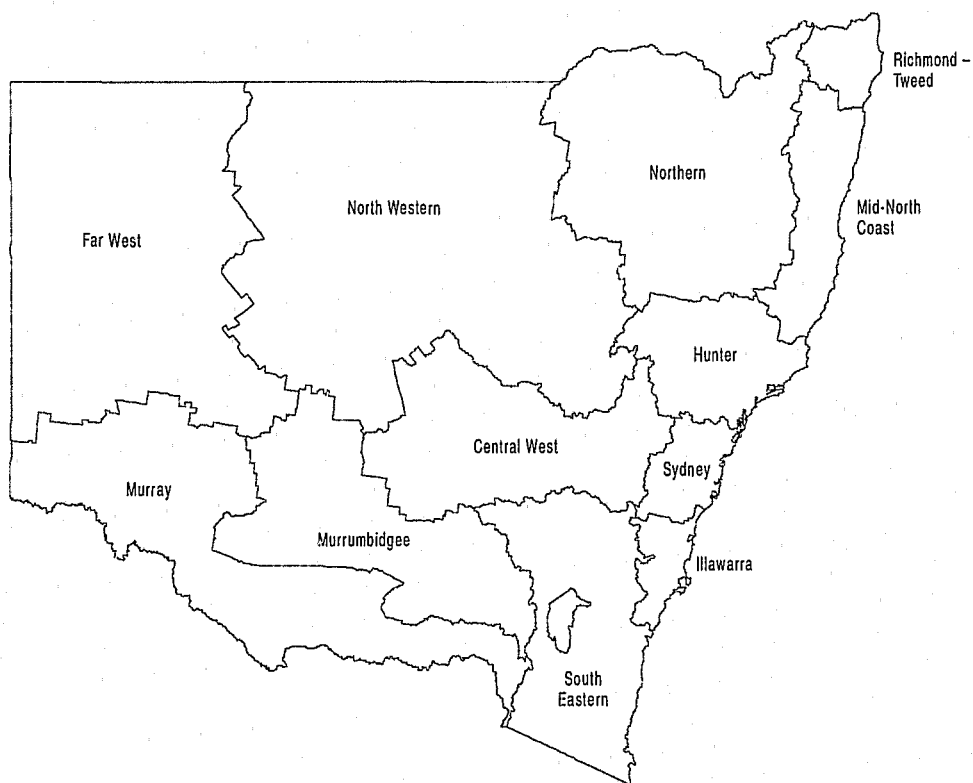
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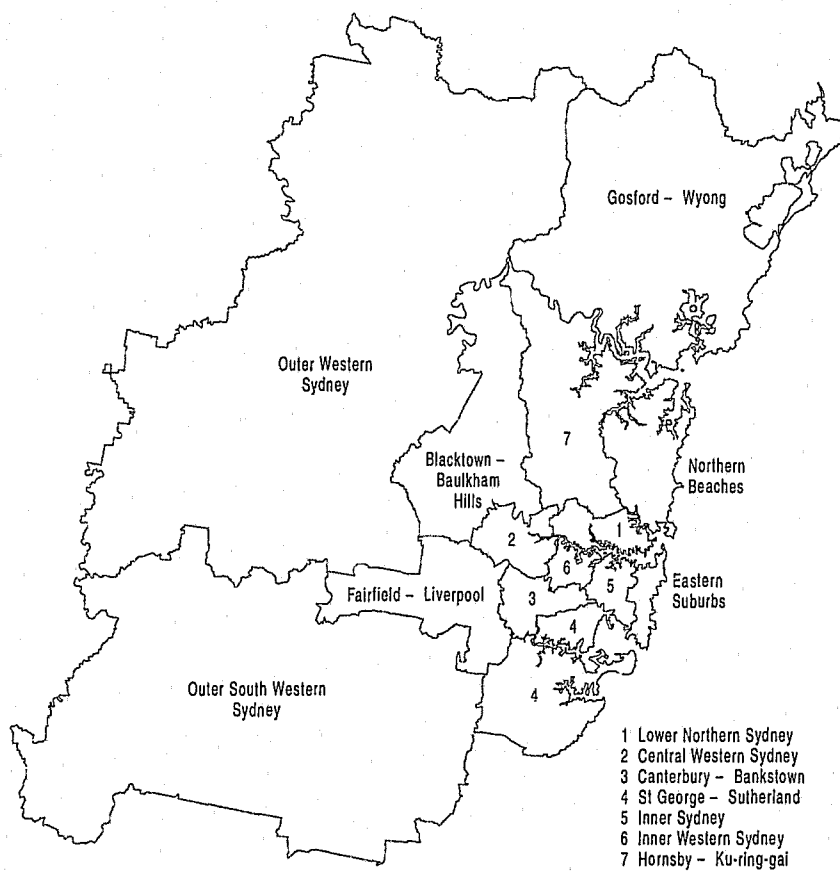
APPENDICES

APPENDIX 1

MAPS

Map 1: New South Wales Statistical Division boundaries



Map 2: Sydney Statistical Subdivision boundaries

APPENDIX 2

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS IN STATISTICAL DIVISIONS

Sydney Statistical Subdivisions

Inner Sydney

Botany
Leichhardt
Marrickville
South Sydney
Sydney

Outer South Western Sydney

Camden
Campbelltown
Wollondilly

Lower Northern Sydney

Hunters Hill
Lane Cove
Mosman
North Sydney
Ryde
Willoughby

Eastern Suburbs

Randwick
Waverley
Woollahra

Inner Western Sydney

Ashfield
Burwood
Concord
Drummoyle
Strathfield

Hornsby – Ku-ring-gai

Hornsby
Ku-ring-gai

St George – Sutherland

Hurstville
Kogarah
Rockdale
Sutherland

Central Western Sydney

Auburn
Holroyd
Parramatta

Northern Beaches

Manly
Pittwater
Warringah

Canterbury – Bankstown

Bankstown
Canterbury

Outer Western Sydney

Blue Mountains
Hawkesbury
Penrith

Gosford – Wyong

Gosford
Wyong

Fairfield – Liverpool

Fairfield
Liverpool

Blacktown – Baulkham Hills

Baulkham Hills
Blacktown

NSW Statistical Divisions

Hunter

Cessnock
Dungog
Gloucester
Great Lakes
Lake Macquarie
Maitland
Merriwa
Murrumbidgee
Muswellbrook
Newcastle
Port Stephens
Scone
Singleton

Mid-North Coast

Bellingen
Coffs Harbour
Copmanhurst
Grafton
Greater Taree
Hastings
Kempsey
Lord Howe Island
Maclean
Nambucca
Nymboida
Ullmarra

Central West

Bathurst
Bland
Blayney
Cabonne
Cowra
Evans
Forbes
Greater Lithgow
Lachlan
Oberon
Orange
Parkes
Rylstone
Weddin

Murray

Albury
Balranald
Berrigan
Conargo
Corowa
Culcairn
Deniliquin
Holbrook
Hume
Jerilderie
Murray
Tumbarumba
Urana
Wakool
Wentworth
Windouran

APPENDIX 2 continued

Illawarra

Kiama
Shellharbour
Shoalhaven
Wingecarribee
Wollongong

Northern

Armidale
Barraba
Bingara
Dumaresq
Glen Innes
Gunnedah
Guyra
Inverell
Manilla
Moree Plains
Narrabri
Nundle
Parry
Quirindi
Severn
Tamworth
Tenterfield
Uralla
Walcha
Yallaro

South Eastern

Bega Valley
Bombala
Boorowa
Cooma-Monaro
Crookwell
Eurobodalla
Goulburn
Gunning
Harden
Mulwaree
Queanbeyan
Snowy River
Tallaganda
Yarrowlumla
Yass
Young

Far West

Broken Hill
Central Darling
Unincorporated Far West

Richmond – Tweed

Ballina
Byron
Casino
Kyogle
Lismore
Richmond River
Tweed

North Western

Bogan
Bourke
Brewarrina
Cobar
Coolah
Coonabarabran
Coonamble
Dubbo
Gilgandra
Mudgee
Narromine
Walgett
Warren
Wellington

Murrumbidgee

Carrathool
Coolamon
Cootamundra
Griffith
Gundagai
Hay
Junee
Leeton
Lockhart
Murrumbidgee
Narrandera
Temora
Tumut
Wagga Wagga

APPENDIX 3

OFFENCES INCLUDED IN CLASSIFICATIONS

<i>Classification</i>	<i>Offences included</i>
Homicide:	
Murder	Murder - actual
Attempted murder	Murder - attempted
Murder accessory, conspiracy	Murder accessory Conspiracy, solicit to murder
Manslaughter (not motoring)	Manslaughter (not motoring)
Manslaughter (motoring)	Manslaughter (motoring)
Assault:	
Aggravated	Assault - cause grievous bodily harm Assault - occasion actual bodily harm Malicious wounding Shoot with intent - cause grievous bodily harm Shoot with intent - prevent lawful apprehension Culpable driving - cause grievous bodily harm Negligent act causing grievous bodily harm
Non-aggravated	Common assault Assault police Assault female Culpable driving - cause actual bodily harm
Sexual offences	
Aggravated sexual assault	Aggravated sexual assault Category 1 (inflict grievous bodily harm) Category 2 (inflict, threaten actual bodily harm) Assault with intent to have sexual intercourse
Sexual assault	Category 3 (intercourse without consent) Sexual assault Sexual assault by forced self-manipulation
Indecent assault, act of indecency	Aggravated act of indecency Aggravated indecent assault Category 4 (indecent assault, acts of indecency) Indecent assault Act of indecency
Other sexual offences	Carnal knowledge Incest Homosexual intercourse Act of gross indecency with male Sexual intercourse with female idiot/imbecile Sexual intercourse with male idiot/imbecile Bestiality Indecently interfere with a dead body Other sexual offences

APPENDIX 3 continued

<i>Classification</i>	<i>Offences included</i>
Abduction and kidnapping	Abduction and kidnapping
Robbery:	
Robbery without a weapon	Robbery - no weapon
Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a firearm
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm
Theft:	
Breaking and entering – dwelling	Property breaking - all living premises Property breaking - garage/shed (private)
Breaking and entering – non-dwelling	All property breakings other than to dwellings as defined (including buildings under construction)
Fraud	Deception offences Forgery/uttering Counterfeiting Corporate Affairs matters Offences by clerks and servants Other fraud offences
Receiving	Receiving
Goods in custody	Goods in custody Possess property stolen outside NSW
Motor vehicle theft	Theft of motor cars, motor lorries Theft of motor cycles, motor scooters
Stealing	Stock stealing (including pets, excluding pet accessories, brands etc) Larceny from property (includes larceny from retail stores, dwellings and cars) Steal from person
Demand money with menaces	Demand money with menaces
Extortion, blackmail	Extortion, blackmail
Arson	Arson
Malicious damage to property	Malicious damage to property

APPENDIX 3 continued

<i>Classification</i>	<i>Offences included</i>
Drug offences:	
Possession and/or use of cocaine	Possess drug unlawfully, where drug type is cocaine Use drug, where drug type is cocaine
Possession and/or use of narcotics	Possess drug unlawfully, where drug type is narcotics Use drug, where drug type is narcotics
Possession and/or use of cannabis	Possess drug unlawfully, where drug type is cannabis Use drug, where drug type is cannabis
Possession and/or use of other drugs	Possess drug unlawfully, where drug type is not cocaine, narcotics or cannabis Use drug, where drug type is not cocaine, narcotics or cannabis
Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	Supply drug where drug type is cocaine
Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	Supply drug where drug type is narcotics
Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	Supply drug where drug type is cannabis
Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	Supply drug where drug type is not cocaine, narcotics or cannabis
Cultivating cannabis	Cultivating cannabis
Importing drugs	Importing drugs
Other drug offences	Forge and utter prescription Manufacture drug unlawfully Cultivate drug where drug type is not cannabis Other (including implements in possession)
Offensive behaviour	Expose person Indecent telephone call Prowler, peeping tom Offensive behaviour - sexual Scandalous behaviour, lewdness Offences against public decency Offensive conduct in a public place
Other offences	Accessory after the fact Culpable driving Abortion Housebreak implements in possession Graffiti implements in possession Carry cutting instrument Unlicensed pistol Bigamy Publish indecent articles Sale of restricted publications

APPENDIX 3 continued***Classification******Offences included***

Other offences continued

Solicit (public street/within view)
Allow premises to be used for prostitution
Advertise premises for prostitution
Public act of prostitution
Assist in management of premises
Live off earnings
Other prostitution
Bombing and related offences
Escapees from custody
Firearm offences
Gaming and betting offences
Judicial matters
Offences under the Liquor Act
Resist arrest/hinder police
Trespass
Other miscellaneous offences
