

Crime Performance Information – End of Financial Year 2008/09

The following table compares performance in the financial year 2008/09 against 2007/08:

| | 2008/09 | 2007/08 | Difference | % Change ² | Sanction Detections (Homicide = all detections) | |
|--|---------|---------|------------|-----------------------|--|---------|
| | | | | | 2008/09 | 2007/08 |
| Total Notifiable Offences | 844,245 | 862,866 | -18,621 | -2.2% | 26.2% | 25.0% |
| Most serious violence & assault with injury³ | 71,503 | 73,264 | -1,761 | -2.4% | 32.5% | 29.3% |
| Serious acquisitive crime⁴ | 199,536 | 216,190 | -16,654 | -7.7% | 10.4% | 10.6% |
| Residential Burglary | 59,155 | 59,841 | -686 | -1.1% | 13.0% | 14.3% |
| Robbery | 32,524 | 37,045 | -4,521 | -12.2% | 16.9% | 15.9% |
| Business Crime⁵ | 119,002 | 107,349 | 11,653 | 10.9% | 28.9% | 29.8% |
| Motor Vehicle Crime | 107,857 | 119,304 | -11,447 | -9.6% | 6.9% | 7.1% |
| Gun Crime⁶ | 2,168 | 2,921 | -753 | -25.8% | 22.2% | 20.8% |
| Trident Gun Crime⁷ | 246 | 335 | -89 | -26.6% | 22.0% | 21.5% |
| Homicide | 156 | 163 | -7 | -4.3% | 91.7% | 89.0% |
| Rape | 2,180 | 1,904 | 276 | 14.5% | 33.6% | 33.4% |
| Road Fatalities | 186 | 234 | -48 | -20.5% | N/a | N/a |
| Youth violence⁸ | 20,377 | 22,586 | -2,209 | -9.8% | N/a | N/a |
| Knife crime⁹ | 12,310 | 14,192 | -1,882 | -13.3% | 26.5% | 22.4% |
| <i>Hate Crime:</i> | | | | | | |
| Domestic Violence | 53,069 | 50,849 | 2,220 | 4.4% | 46.5% | 44.5% |
| Racist Crime | 9,539 | 8,701 | 838 | 9.6% | 44.1% | 39.5% |
| Homophobic Crime | 1,117 | 985 | 132 | 13.4% | 46.3% | 42.7% |

² Red/green highlight indicates whether 2008/09 figures are above/below last year's totals

³ This is a proxy for the APACS indicator most serious violence. Most serious violence consists of homicide, child destruction (excluding corporate manslaughter), attempted murder, wounding or other act endangering life, GBH with intent, causing death by dangerous/careless/inconsiderate driving and causing death by aggravated vehicle taking.

⁴ Residential burglary, robbery and MV crime.

⁵ Robbery of business property, theft employee, theft from shops, burglary non-dwelling, and fraud & forgery

⁶ Intimated firearms offences are not included

⁷ SCD8 Trident and other shootings

⁸ Victims count for offences of most serious violence, assault with less serious injury, gun crime & knife crime where the victim is under 20.

⁹ Includes intimated knife crime