

SECTION IV

COUNTY

OFFENSE AND

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

OVERVIEW

INDEX OF CRIME BY COUNTY—1991-1992

COUNTY	YEAR	TOTAL CRIME INDEX			
		NUMBER OF OFFENSES	CRIME RATE PER 1,000 INHABITANTS	NUMBER CLEARED	PERCENT CLEARED
ATLANTIC COUNTY	1991	25,349	113.0	5,121	20.2
	1992	22,381	99.8	4,462	19.9
	Percent Change	-12	-12	-13	- 1
BERGEN COUNTY	1991	28,530	34.6	5,582	19.6
	1992	26,424	32.0	5,268	19.9
	Percent Change	- 7	- 8	- 6	+ 2
BURLINGTON COUNTY	1991	13,048	33.0	3,312	25.4
	1992	12,543	31.7	3,232	25.8
	Percent Change	- 4	- 4	- 2	+ 2
CAMDEN COUNTY	1991	34,794	69.2	6,461	18.6
	1992	31,093	61.8	5,907	19.0
	Percent Change	- 11	- 11	- 9	+ 2
CAPE MAY COUNTY	1991	7,791	81.9	1,613	20.7
	1992	7,063	74.3	1,468	20.8
	Percent Change	- 9	- 9	- 9	*
CUMBERLAND COUNTY	1991	9,053	65.6	2,923	32.3
	1992	9,060	65.6	2,545	28.1
	Percent Change	*	-	- 13	- 13
ESSEX COUNTY	1991	75,553	97.1	12,530	16.6
	1992	73,127	94.0	11,172	15.3
	Percent Change	- 3	- 3	- 11	- 8
GLOUCESTER COUNTY	1991	9,729	42.3	2,351	24.2
	1992	9,364	40.7	2,010	21.5
	Percent Change	- 4	- 4	- 15	- 11
HUDSON COUNTY	1991	40,582	73.4	6,987	17.2
	1992	39,263	71.0	7,095	18.1
	Percent Change	- 3	- 3	+ 2	+ 5
HUNTERDON COUNTY	1991	2,067	19.2	459	22.2
	1992	1,749	16.2	452	25.8
	Percent Change	- 15	- 16	- 2	+ 16
MERCER COUNTY	1991	20,147	61.8	3,485	17.3
	1992	18,345	56.3	3,349	18.3
	Percent Change	- 9	- 9	- 4	+ 6

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MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	LARCENY- THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT
24	177	845	1,270	4,077	17,767	1,189
14	131	802	1,281	3,538	15,456	1,159
-42	-26	- 5	+ 1	-13	-13	- 3
16	76	452	801	4,502	18,655	4,028
24	80	453	932	4,667	16,786	3,482
+50	+ 5	*	+16	+ 4	- 10	- 14
6	121	282	898	2,770	7,684	1,287
12	112	294	820	2,740	7,403	1,162
†	- 7	+ 4	- 9	- 1	- 4	- 10
43	216	2,492	1,807	7,163	16,448	6,625
56	232	2,129	1,856	7,176	14,630	5,014
+30	+ 7	-15	+ 3	*	- 11	- 24
6	50	141	299	1,743	5,320	232
5	53	121	258	1,729	4,701	196
†	+ 6	-14	-14	- 1	- 12	- 16
7	78	417	836	2,129	4,977	609
6	89	381	828	2,226	4,949	581
†	+14	- 9	- 1	+ 5	- 1	- 5
133	481	7,913	6,123	12,724	25,055	23,124
129	553	8,192	6,134	12,378	23,766	21,975
- 3	-15	- 4	*	- 3	- 5	- 5
2	59	179	417	1,844	6,442	786
3	72	186	398	1,802	6,212	691
†	+22	+ 4	- 5	- 2	- 4	- 12
42	132	3,414	3,023	8,882	15,350	9,739
36	141	3,401	2,799	8,539	15,670	8,677
-14	+ 7	*	- 7	- 4	+ 2	- 11
1	9	8	67	470	1,411	101
-	7	7	64	349	1,245	77
†	†	†	- 4	-26	- 12	- 24
10	140	888	1,215	3,675	9,687	4,532
17	147	843	1,155	3,237	9,294	3,652
†	+ 5	- 5	- 5	-12	- 4	- 19

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COUNTY	YEAR	TOTAL CRIME INDEX			
		NUMBER OF OFFENSES	CRIME RATE PER 1,000 INHABITANTS	NUMBER CLEARED	PERCENT CLEARED
MIDDLESEX COUNTY	1991	30,533	45.5	5,318	17.4
	1992	29,395	43.8	4,869	16.6
	Percent Change	- 4	- 4	- 8	- 5
MONMOUTH COUNTY	1991	22,304	40.3	5,423	24.3
	1992	21,103	38.2	5,340	25.3
	Percent Change	- 5	- 5	- 2	+ 4
MORRIS COUNTY	1991	12,166	28.9	2,451	20.1
	1992	10,927	25.9	2,231	20.4
	Percent Change	- 10	- 10	- 9	+ 1
OCEAN COUNTY	1991	17,373	40.1	3,915	22.5
	1992	16,348	37.7	3,633	22.2
	Percent Change	- 6	- 6	- 7	- 1
PASSAIC COUNTY	1991	26,405	58.3	5,945	22.5
	1992	24,241	53.5	5,188	21.4
	Percent Change	- 8	- 8	- 13	- 5
SALEM COUNTY	1991	2,447	37.5	671	27.4
	1992	2,186	33.5	711	32.5
	Percent Change	- 11	- 11	+ 6	+ 19
SOMERSET COUNTY	1991	8,308	34.6	1,536	18.5
	1992	8,341	34.7	1,397	16.7
	Percent Change	*	*	- 9	- 10
SUSSEX COUNTY	1991	3,165	24.2	576	18.2
	1992	2,757	21.1	582	21.1
	Percent Change	- 13	- 13	+ 1	+ 16
UNION COUNTY	1991	30,298	61.4	3,933	13.0
	1992	26,789	54.2	3,762	14.0
	Percent Change	- 12	- 12	- 4	+ 8
WARREN COUNTY	1991	2,021	22.1	573	28.4
	1992	1,907	20.8	531	27.8
	Percent Change	- 6	- 6	- 7	- 2
STATE TOTAL	1991	421,663	54.5	81,165	19.2
	1992	394,406	51.0	75,204	19.1
	Percent Change	- 6	- 6	- 7	- 1

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MURDER	RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	LARCENY- THEFT	MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT
17	136	773	1,279	5,200	19,351	3,777
11	138	906	1,323	5,008	18,519	3,490
-35	+ 1	+17	+ 3	- 4	- 4	- 8
19	129	524	1,168	4,431	14,889	1,144
8	143	536	1,202	4,312	13,771	1,131
†	+11	+ 2	+ 3	- 3	- 8	- 1
7	62	171	501	1,990	8,581	854
5	54	136	514	1,927	7,653	638
†	-13	-20	+ 3	- 3	-11	-25
12	84	210	611	3,435	12,236	785
9	87	198	657	3,194	11,437	766
†	+ 4	- 6	+ 8	- 7	- 7	- 2
28	129	1,666	1,886	4,877	12,969	4,850
26	156	1,600	1,618	4,791	11,885	4,165
- 7	+21	- 4	-14	- 2	- 8	-14
5	20	77	116	559	1,527	143
5	30	75	145	472	1,356	103
†	+50	- 3	+25	-16	-11	-28
2	23	150	189	1,504	5,645	795
3	21	137	217	1,449	5,783	731
†	- 9	- 9	+15	- 4	+ 2	- 8
1	13	13	114	660	2,187	177
3	12	15	133	612	1,842	140
†	- 8	+15	+17	- 7	-16	-21
27	116	2,103	1,012	5,804	14,287	6,949
24	127	1,797	1,205	4,999	13,026	5,611
-11	+ 9	-15	+19	-14	- 9	-19
2	10	10	88	420	1,349	142
1	14	11	95	391	1,303	92
†	†	†	+ 8	- 7	- 3	-35
410	2,261	22,728	23,720	78,859	221,817	71,868
397	2,399	22,220	23,634	75,536	206,687	63,533
- 3	+ 6	- 2	*	- 4	- 7	-12

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VIOLENT AND NONVIOLENT CRIME BY COUNTY—1991-1992

COUNTY	YEAR	NUMBER		RATE PER 1,000 INHABITANTS	
		VIOLENT CRIME	NONVIOLENT CRIME	VIOLENT CRIME	NONVIOLENT CRIME
ATLANTIC COUNTY	1991	2,316	23,033	10.3	102.7
	1992	2,228	20,153	9.9	89.8
	Percent Change	- 4	-13	- 4	-13
BERGEN COUNTY	1991	1,345	27,185	1.6	32.9
	1992	1,489	24,935	1.8	30.2
	Percent Change	+11	- 8	+13	- 8
BURLINGTON COUNTY	1991	1,307	11,741	3.3	29.7
	1992	1,238	11,305	3.1	28.6
	Percent Change	- 5	- 4	- 6	- 4
CAMDEN COUNTY	1991	4,558	30,236	9.1	60.1
	1992	4,273	26,820	8.5	53.3
	Percent Change	- 6	-11	- 7	-11
CAPE MAY COUNTY	1991	496	7,295	5.2	76.7
	1992	437	6,626	4.6	69.7
	Percent Change	-12	- 9	-12	- 9
CUMBERLAND COUNTY	1991	1,338	7,715	9.7	55.9
	1992	1,304	7,756	9.4	56.2
	Percent Change	- 3	+ 1	- 3	+ 1
ESSEX COUNTY	1991	14,650	60,903	18.8	78.3
	1992	15,008	58,119	19.3	74.7
	Percent Change	+ 2	- 5	+ 3	- 5
GLOUCESTER COUNTY	1991	657	9,072	2.9	39.4
	1992	659	8,705	2.9	37.8
	Percent Change	*	- 4	-	- 4
HUDSON COUNTY	1991	6,611	33,971	12.0	61.4
	1992	6,377	32,886	11.5	59.5
	Percent Change	- 4	- 3	- 4	- 3
HUNTERDON COUNTY	1991	85	1,982	0.8	18.4
	1992	78	1,671	0.7	15.5
	Percent Change	- 8	-16	-13	-16
MERCER COUNTY	1991	2,253	17,894	6.9	54.9
	1992	2,162	16,193	6.6	49.7
	Percent Change	- 4	-10	- 4	- 9

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COUNTY	YEAR	NUMBER		RATE PER 1,000 INHABITANTS	
		VIOLENT CRIME	NONVIOLENT CRIME	VIOLENT CRIME	NONVIOLENT CRIME
MIDDLESEX COUNTY	1991	2,205	28,328	3.3	42.2
	1992	2,378	27,017	3.5	40.2
	Percent Change	+ 8	- 5	+ 6	- 5
MONMOUTH COUNTY	1991	1,840	20,464	3.3	37.0
	1992	1,889	19,214	3.4	34.7
	Percent Change	+ 3	- 6	+ 3	- 6
MORRIS COUNTY	1991	741	11,425	1.8	27.1
	1992	709	10,218	1.7	24.2
	Percent Change	- 4	- 11	- 6	- 11
OCEAN COUNTY	1991	917	16,456	2.1	38.0
	1992	951	15,397	2.2	35.5
	Percent Change	+ 4	- 6	+ 5	- 7
PASSAIC COUNTY	1991	3,709	22,696	8.2	50.1
	1992	3,400	20,841	7.5	46.0
	Percent Change	- 8	- 8	- 9	- 8
SALEM COUNTY	1991	218	2,229	3.3	34.1
	1992	255	1,931	3.9	29.6
	Percent Change	+ 17	- 13	+ 18	- 13
SOMERSET COUNTY	1991	364	7,944	1.5	33.1
	1992	378	7,963	1.6	33.1
	Percent Change	+ 4	*	+ 7	-
SUSSEX COUNTY	1991	141	3,024	1.1	23.1
	1992	163	2,594	1.2	19.8
	Percent Change	+ 16	- 14	+ 9	- 14
UNION COUNTY	1991	3,258	27,040	6.6	54.8
	1992	3,153	23,636	6.4	47.9
	Percent Change	- 3	- 13	- 3	- 13
WARREN COUNTY	1991	110	1,911	1.2	20.9
	1992	121	1,786	1.3	19.5
	Percent Change	+ 10	- 7	+ 8	- 7
STATE TOTAL	1991	49,119	372,544	6.4	48.2
	1992	48,650	345,756	6.3	44.7
	Percent Change	- 1	- 7	- 2	- 7

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ANALYSIS OF ROBBERY, BURGLARY, AND LARCENY BY COUNTY—1992

OFFENSES	Atlantic	Bergen	Burlington	Camden	Cape May	Cumberland	Essex	Gloucester
ROBBERY								
Highway	466	205	108	1,457	66	231	6,463	59
Commercial House	137	25	28	122	13	41	352	13
Gas, Service Station	26	36	29	122	1	17	157	21
Convenience Store	44	27	45	70	4	18	119	30
Residence	73	29	34	202	12	46	687	17
Bank	14	7	18	13	4	-	21	6
Miscellaneous	42	124	32	143	21	28	393	40
Total Robbery Offenses	802	453	294	2,129	121	381	8,192	186
BURGLARY								
Residence								
Night	780	1,177	663	1,783	376	654	2,333	486
Day	749	1,065	648	1,554	231	525	4,460	430
Unknown	493	755	481	978	567	369	1,457	233
Nonresidence								
Night	810	1,154	577	1,627	295	373	2,128	375
Day	399	190	83	470	38	138	762	155
Unknown	307	326	288	764	222	167	1,238	123
Total Burglary Offenses	3,538	4,667	2,740	7,176	1,729	2,226	12,378	1,802
LARCENY								
Pocket-picking	2,031	318	40	147	30	12	621	41
Purse Snatching	278	157	63	232	20	28	1,269	97
Shoplifting	1,424	2,751	1,282	2,413	596	1,188	2,691	1,009
From Motor Vehicle	2,126	3,180	1,619	3,065	649	844	4,571	1,452
Motor Vehicle Parts & Accessories	416	3,403	655	865	262	701	4,015	422
Bicycles	853	1,231	752	1,450	1,217	360	1,087	664
From Buildings	6,929	2,986	1,228	1,528	709	698	5,618	942
From Coin Operated Machine	84	82	43	69	78	27	191	43
All Other	1,315	2,678	1,721	4,861	1,140	1,091	3,703	1,542
Total Larceny Offenses	15,456	16,786	7,403	14,630	4,701	4,949	23,766	6,212

ANALYSIS OF ROBBERY, BURGLARY, AND LARCENY BY COUNTY—1992

Hudson	Hunter-don	Mercer	Middle-sex	Mon-mouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somer-set	Sussex	Union	Warren	STATE TOTAL
2,580	3	649	543	327	59	56	1,360	38	45	5	1,347	3	16,070
204	2	48	64	43	22	12	40	7	11	3	81	—	1,268
61	—	25	42	26	9	7	33	4	16	—	91	1	724
87	—	22	59	35	5	20	32	5	8	—	53	2	685
264	1	53	82	45	13	17	89	9	14	4	110	1	1,802
3	1	6	16	14	3	11	4	1	1	3	15	3	164
202	—	40	100	46	25	75	42	11	42	—	100	1	1,507
3,401	7	843	906	536	136	198	1,600	75	137	15	1,797	11	22,220
1,798	53	1,237	1,026	1,087	295	692	735	146	234	108	1,138	78	16,879
4,186	71	706	1,380	1,025	402	633	2,165	88	401	151	1,815	69	22,754
410	54	209	1,029	807	390	764	378	85	235	112	574	68	10,448
1,157	122	687	735	920	451	651	1,108	91	347	162	948	122	14,840
771	7	114	161	134	83	126	146	12	60	18	205	9	4,081
217	42	284	677	339	306	328	259	50	172	61	319	45	6,534
8,539	349	3,237	5,008	4,312	1,927	3,194	4,791	472	1,449	612	4,999	391	75,536
347	1	84	160	125	64	44	142	4	49	2	218	7	4,487
255	3	91	139	86	62	64	289	11	42	6	322	7	3,521
1,442	228	1,558	2,536	2,048	1,116	1,481	1,592	263	814	162	1,753	264	28,611
3,781	198	2,712	4,208	2,515	1,225	2,478	2,749	190	1,304	357	2,386	190	41,799
4,578	130	589	3,427	1,413	965	841	2,746	135	900	238	2,646	122	29,469
655	39	871	1,400	1,733	411	1,359	499	145	493	61	901	97	16,278
2,736	282	2,293	3,768	3,174	1,492	1,405	1,314	329	928	388	1,860	302	40,909
50	4	71	90	123	83	108	38	10	54	12	101	18	1,379
1,826	360	1,025	2,791	2,554	2,235	3,657	2,516	269	1,199	616	2,839	296	40,234
15,670	1,245	9,294	18,519	13,771	7,653	11,437	11,885	1,356	5,783	1,842	13,026	1,303	206,687

VALUES OF PROPERTY STOLEN/RECOVERED BY COUNTY—1992

COUNTY	TOTAL	Currency Notes Etc.	Jewelry and Precious Metal	Furs	Clothing	Locally Stolen Motor Vehicles	Miscel- laneous
ATLANTIC							
Stolen \$	21,386,027	4,190,816	2,930,213	116,561	575,780	8,817,515	4,755,142
Recovered \$	7,129,562	172,264	65,920	700	61,458	6,526,901	302,319
Percent Recovered	33.3	4.1	2.2	0.6	10.7	74.0	6.4
BERGEN							
Stolen \$	53,789,267	3,154,815	7,818,609	333,712	1,374,221	30,422,902	10,685,008
Recovered \$	21,576,719	70,725	295,482	12,195	284,359	20,139,029	774,929
Percent Recovered	40.1	2.2	3.8	3.7	20.7	66.2	7.3
BURLINGTON							
Stolen \$	15,344,654	1,296,420	1,584,246	4,775	235,399	7,808,601	4,415,213
Recovered \$	5,654,025	60,983	130,039	31	40,855	5,005,964	416,153
Percent Recovered	36.8	4.7	8.2	0.6	17.4	64.1	9.4
CAMDEN							
Stolen \$	28,373,753	2,065,763	2,717,494	107,319	508,527	16,110,867	6,863,783
Recovered \$	13,718,775	39,762	263,159	-	111,178	12,826,936	477,740
Percent Recovered	48.4	1.9	9.7	-	21.9	79.6	7.0
CAPE MAY							
Stolen \$	3,677,097	430,809	483,146	11,771	65,543	965,437	1,720,391
Recovered \$	826,100	25,890	31,005	-	12,603	593,580	163,022
Percent Recovered	22.5	6.0	6.4	-	19.2	61.5	9.5
CUMBERLAND							
Stolen \$	6,272,380	642,686	507,473	120	125,756	3,036,374	1,959,971
Recovered \$	2,675,789	100,228	63,384	-	36,987	2,258,521	216,669
Percent Recovered	42.7	15.6	12.5	-	29.4	74.4	11.1
ESSEX							
Stolen \$	148,931,407	4,819,300	6,353,999	278,247	1,182,865	121,736,569	14,560,427
Recovered \$	104,017,223	487,090	191,341	10,112	110,851	95,498,935	7,719,094
Percent Recovered	69.8	10.1	3.0	3.6	9.4	78.4	53.0
GLOUCESTER							
Stolen \$	9,119,265	746,984	828,743	23,886	139,943	4,451,913	2,927,796
Recovered \$	2,979,570	12,480	42,860	1,394	22,631	2,626,127	274,078
Percent Recovered	32.7	1.7	5.2	5.8	16.2	59.0	9.4
HUDSON							
Stolen \$	65,548,159	5,342,813	4,297,531	484,938	1,696,811	42,645,740	11,080,326
Recovered \$	21,103,580	55,742	44,370	6,530	211,979	20,296,413	488,546
Percent Recovered	32.2	1.0	1.0	1.3	12.5	47.6	4.4
HUNTERDON							
Stolen \$	2,409,396	281,911	241,889	28,365	199,030	666,324	991,877
Recovered \$	546,508	8,856	52,115	5,065	10,574	388,000	81,898
Percent Recovered	22.7	3.1	21.5	17.9	5.3	58.2	8.3
MERCER							
Stolen \$	26,966,502	798,570	1,214,222	100,623	186,627	19,354,617	5,311,843
Recovered \$	16,459,023	134,482	120,175	35,588	38,527	15,030,233	1,100,018
Percent Recovered	61.0	16.8	9.9	35.4	20.6	77.7	20.7

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COUNTY	TOTAL	Currency Notes Etc.	Jewelry and Precious Metal	Furs	Clothing	Locally Stolen Motor Vehicles	Miscel- laneous
MIDDLESEX							
Stolen \$	45,615,038	2,122,376	3,629,606	71,730	597,370	26,609,639	12,584,317
Recovered \$	19,741,738	161,067	45,784	4,725	159,627	19,034,297	336,238
Percent Recovered	43.3	7.6	1.3	6.6	26.7	71.5	2.7
MONMOUTH							
Stolen \$	22,017,061	1,597,066	3,689,785	101,839	370,555	8,623,075	7,634,741
Recovered \$	6,043,240	213,231	145,690	69	89,351	4,423,119	1,171,780
Percent Recovered	27.4	13.4	3.9	.1	24.1	51.3	15.3
MORRIS							
Stolen \$	12,767,556	1,345,885	1,536,019	21,500	184,833	4,917,263	4,762,056
Recovered \$	3,162,044	31,346	54,775	6,800	59,554	2,656,367	353,202
Percent Recovered	24.8	2.3	3.6	31.6	32.2	54.0	7.4
OCEAN							
Stolen \$	12,172,018	1,176,565	1,468,071	47,047	178,285	4,049,648	5,252,402
Recovered \$	2,767,110	58,082	89,392	385	20,011	2,145,041	454,199
Percent Recovered	22.7	4.9	6.1	0.8	11.2	53.0	8.6
PASSAIC							
Stolen \$	32,057,140	1,729,031	2,296,364	84,800	358,170	22,611,069	4,977,706
Recovered \$	17,665,184	46,034	84,896	5,000	97,920	17,168,136	263,198
Percent Recovered	55.1	2.7	3.7	5.9	27.3	75.9	5.3
SALEM							
Stolen \$	1,703,237	212,271	116,536	1,050	11,230	675,471	686,679
Recovered \$	258,974	5,325	6,711	-	3,446	195,420	48,072
Percent Recovered	15.2	2.5	5.8	-	30.7	28.9	7.0
SOMERSET							
Stolen \$	12,355,760	1,447,412	1,387,792	7,025	238,919	6,005,062	3,269,550
Recovered \$	4,447,984	74,782	191,459	-	152,364	3,848,695	180,684
Percent Recovered	36.0	5.2	13.8	-	63.8	64.1	5.5
SUSSEX							
Stolen \$	2,490,141	200,261	329,308	12,400	22,282	789,475	1,136,415
Recovered \$	407,702	17,507	13,137	-	2,465	263,476	111,117
Percent Recovered	16.4	8.7	4.0	-	11.1	33.4	9.8
UNION							
Stolen \$	55,878,499	2,128,167	5,399,589	71,832	1,091,940	32,979,317	9,207,654
Recovered \$	30,282,032	47,801	65,799	308	140,278	28,320,238	1,707,608
Percent Recovered	54.2	2.2	1.2	0.4	12.8	74.6	18.5
WARREN							
Stolen \$	1,776,113	193,135	226,932	2,800	19,041	672,072	662,133
Recovered \$	334,226	52,473	18,894	-	3,860	228,530	30,469
Percent Recovered	18.8	27.2	8.3	-	20.3	34.0	4.6
STATE TOTAL							
Stolen \$	580,650,470	35,923,056	49,057,567	1,912,340	9,363,127	368,948,950	115,445,430
Recovered \$	281,797,108	1,876,150	2,016,387	88,902	1,670,678	259,473,958	16,671,033
Percent Recovered	48.5	5.2	4.1	4.6	17.8	70.3	14.4

ATLANTIC COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- A total of 22,381 Crime Index offenses were reported to the police of Atlantic County during 1992, a 12 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- Violent crimes decreased 4 percent and the nonviolent crime category decreased 13 percent.
- The crime rate for Atlantic County was recorded at 99.8 victims for every 1,000 inhabitants, a decrease of 12 percent compared to the previous year.
- Murder decreased 42 percent (from 24 in 1991 to 14 in 1992) while rape decreased 26 percent.
- Total value of property stolen in Atlantic County amounted to \$21.4 million, of which 33 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 22,194 persons arrested during the year, a 1 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests decreased 4 percent and juvenile arrests increased 14 percent, compared to 1991.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 20 percent; juveniles were responsible for 19 percent of those cases cleared.

BERGEN COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 26,424 Index offenses reported in Bergen County during 1992, revealing a decrease of 7 percent when compared to 1991.
- Violent crime increased 11 percent and nonviolent crime decreased 8 percent.
- The crime rate per 1,000 population was 32.0, a decrease of 8 percent.
- Murder increased 50 percent (from 16 in 1991 to 24 in 1992), while aggravated assault increased 16 percent.
- The dollar loss from the commission of Index crimes totaled \$53.8 million, with 40 percent being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Total arrests for 1992 were 30,493 persons, a 4 percent decrease compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests reflected a 5 percent decrease while juvenile arrests registered a 2 percent increase.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 20 percent; juveniles were responsible for 21 percent of those cases cleared.

BURLINGTON COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- Law enforcement agencies reported 12,543 Index offenses during the year, a decrease of 4 percent.
- Violent crime decreased 5 percent and the nonviolent crime group decreased 4 percent.
- The crime rate was recorded at 31.7 per 1,000 population, a decrease of 4 percent compared to the previous year.
- Aggravated assault decreased 9 percent, while motor vehicle theft decreased 10 percent.
- Property stolen as a result of Index crimes amounted to \$15.3 million, of which 37 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 18,137 persons arrested during the year, a 3 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests decreased 3 percent, while juvenile arrests decreased 3 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 26 percent; juveniles were responsible for 24 percent of those cases cleared.

CAMDEN COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- Law enforcement agencies reported 31,093 Index offenses in 1992, a decrease of 11 percent compared to 1991.
- Violent crime decreased 6 percent while the nonviolent crime group decreased 11 percent when compared to 1991.
- The crime rate for Camden County was recorded at 61.8 victims for every 1,000 inhabitants, a decrease of 11 percent compared to 1991.
- Murder increased 30 percent (from 43 in 1991 to 56 in 1992), while motor vehicle theft decreased 24 percent.
- Stolen property value was recorded at \$28.4 million, with 48 percent of this property being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police arrested 28,818 persons during the year, an increase of less than one-half of one percent when compared to 1991.
- There was a 4 percent decrease in juvenile arrests, and adult arrests increased 2 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 19 percent; juveniles were responsible for 26 percent of those cases cleared.

CAPE MAY COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During the year, 7,063 Crime Index offenses were reported to the police of the county, resulting in a 9 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- Violent crime reported a 12 percent decrease, and nonviolent crime decreased 9 percent.
- There were 74.3 victims for every 1,000 inhabitants during 1992, a decrease of 9 percent compared to 1991.
- Reported motor vehicle theft decreased 16 percent while rape increased 6 percent.
- The value of property stolen during 1992 was \$3.7 million, with a 23 percent recovery rate.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Total arrests for 1992 were recorded at 13,872 persons, a 9 percent increase when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests reflected a 10 percent decrease in 1992, while juvenile arrests decreased 1 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 21 percent; juveniles were responsible for 26 percent of those cases cleared.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 9,060 Index crimes reported to law enforcement agencies of the county during 1992, an increase of less than one-half of one percent when compared to 1991.
- Violent crime decreased 3 percent and nonviolent crime increased 1 percent.
- For every 1,000 inhabitants 65.6 were victims of Index crimes.
- Burglary increased 5 percent, while robbery decreased 9 percent.
- The value of property stolen during 1992 amounted to \$6.3 million, of which 43 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- During 1992 police in Cumberland County arrested 12,059 persons, a 10 percent decrease compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests decreased 5 percent while juvenile arrests decreased 21 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 28 percent; juveniles were responsible for 28 percent of those cases cleared.

ESSEX COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 73,127 Index offenses recorded in this highly urbanized county in 1992, a 3 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Violent crime increased 2 percent and nonviolent crime decreased 5 percent.
- For every 1,000 inhabitants there were 94 persons that were victims of Index crimes, a decrease of 3 percent.
- Motor vehicle theft, and larceny theft decreased 5 percent.
- The total value of property stolen during the commission of all Index crimes amounted to \$148.9 million, with 70 percent of this property being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Law enforcement agencies of Essex County arrested 48,752 persons in 1992, a 3 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- There was a decrease of 4 percent in adult arrests and juvenile arrests decreased less than one-half of one percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 15 percent; juveniles were responsible for 18 percent of those cases cleared.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 9,364 Index offenses reported during calendar year 1992, a decrease of 4 percent compared with 1991.
- Violent crime recorded an increase of less than one-half of one percent while nonviolent crime decreased 4 percent.
- The crime rate for Gloucester County was recorded at 40.7 victims per 1,000 population, a 4 percent decrease over 1991.
- Rape increased 22 percent to 72 as compared to 59 in 1991; motor vehicle theft decreased by 12 percent.
- The value of property stolen, as a result of Index crimes, amounted to \$9.1 million, of which 33 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 10,219 persons arrested during the year, representing a 4 percent decrease when compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests decreased 7 percent and juvenile arrests increased 10 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 22 percent; juveniles were responsible for 26 percent of those cases cleared.

HUDSON COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During the year 39,263 Index offenses were reported to the police of the county, a decrease of 3 percent compared to 1991.
- Violent crime decreased 4 percent and nonviolent crime decreased 3 percent.
- The crime rate was recorded at 71 victims for every 1,000 persons, a 3 percent decrease when compared to the previous year.
- Rape increased 7 percent and motor vehicle theft decreased 11 percent.
- Stolen property, from the commission of Index crimes, amounted to \$65.5 million, with 32 percent of this being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police of the county arrested 31,938 persons during the calendar year 1992, a 2 percent decrease compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests increased less than one-half of one percent and juvenile arrests decreased 9 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 18 percent; juveniles were responsible for 25 percent of those cases cleared.

HUNTERDON COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 1,749 Index crimes reported during 1992, a decrease of 15 percent when compared with 1991.
- Violent crime decreased 8 percent and nonviolent crime decreased 16 percent compared to the previous year.
- The county's crime rate, 16.2 victims for every 1,000 persons, decreased 16 percent over 1991.
- Burglary decreased 26 percent while motor vehicle theft decreased 24 percent.
- Stolen property amounted to \$2.4 million with 23 percent of this property being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 2,674 persons arrested by Hunterdon County law enforcement agencies in 1992, an 8 percent decrease compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests decreased 8 percent while juvenile arrests showed an 8 percent decrease.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 26 percent; juveniles were responsible for 25 percent of those cases cleared.

MERCER COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 18,345 Crime Index offenses reported during 1992. This represents a 9 percent decrease when compared to 1991.

- Violent crime registered a 4 percent decrease and nonviolent crime decreased 10 percent.
- The crime rate for Mercer County was 56.3 victims for every 1,000 persons, a 9 percent decrease compared to the previous year.
- Rape increased 5 percent and motor vehicle theft decreased 19 percent.
- The total value of property stolen during the commission of Index crimes amounted to \$27 million; of this 61 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police arrested 22,933 persons for criminal offenses, an increase of 3 percent compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests increased 1 percent while juvenile arrests increased 10 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 18 percent; juveniles were responsible for 38 percent of those cases cleared.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- Middlesex County law enforcement agencies reported 29,395 Index offenses during 1992, a 4 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- Violent crime increased 8 percent and nonviolent crime decreased 5 percent.
- The crime rate of 43.8 victims for every 1,000 inhabitants revealed a 4 percent decrease when compared to the previous year.
- Robbery increased 17 percent (from 773 in 1991 to 906 in 1992), while motor vehicle theft decreased 8 percent when compared to the previous year.
- Total stolen property values amounted to \$45.6 million, with 43 percent of this being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Total persons arrested 25,926 in 1992, reflected a decrease of 1 percent when compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests decreased 1 percent while juvenile arrests revealed a 1 percent increase.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 17 percent; juveniles were responsible for 25 percent of those cases cleared.

MONMOUTH COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During 1992 there were 21,103 Index crimes reported, representing a 5 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- There was a 3 percent increase in violent crime and a 6 percent decrease in nonviolent crime.
- A victimization rate of 38.2 persons per 1,000 inhabitants reflected a 5 percent decrease over 1991.
- Rape increased 11 percent (from 129 in 1991 to 143 in 1992), while larceny-theft decreased 8 percent.
- Stolen property values, as a result of Index offenses, totaled \$22 million; of this 27 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 29,750 persons arrested during the year, reflecting a 3 percent decrease when compared to 1991.

- Adult arrests registered a 3 percent decrease while juvenile arrests decreased 4 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 25 percent; juveniles were responsible for 24 percent of those cases cleared.

MORRIS COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- A total of 10,927 Index crimes were reported to the police of Morris County, a 10 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- There was a 4 percent decrease in violent crime and nonviolent crime decreased 11 percent.
- There were 25.9 victims of Index offenses for every 1,000 persons during 1992, a 10 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- Aggravated assault increased 3 percent, while motor vehicle theft decreased 25 percent.
- Total stolen property values amounted to \$12.8 million during the year; of this total 25 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- During the year police of the county made 13,846 arrests; this represents a 7 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests increased 8 percent during 1992 while juvenile arrests recorded a 3 percent decrease.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 20 percent; juveniles were responsible for 22 percent of those cases cleared.

OCEAN COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During 1992 there were 16,348 Index crimes reported, a decrease of 6 percent compared to the previous year.
- There was a 4 percent increase in violent crime in 1992, while nonviolent crime recorded a 6 percent decrease.
- There were 37.7 victims of Index offenses for every 1,000 inhabitants, a 6 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Aggravated assault increased 8 percent, while larceny-theft decreased 7 percent.
- Stolen property values totaled \$12.2 million, with 23 percent of the total being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police of the county made 18,726 arrests during 1992, reflecting an increase of 3 percent compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests decreased 5 percent while juvenile arrests increased 28 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 22 percent; juveniles were responsible for 40 percent of those cases cleared.

PASSAIC COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- There were 24,241 Index crimes reported during the year, a decrease of 8 percent when compared to 1991.
- Violent crime decreased 8 percent and nonviolent crime decreased 8 percent.

- For every 1,000 persons 53.5 were victims of Index crimes, a 8 percent decrease from 1991.
- Rape increased 21 percent, while motor vehicle theft decreased 14 percent.
- A total of \$32.1 million in property was stolen during the commission of Index crimes; of this 55 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- A total of 24,772 persons were arrested during the year, a 6 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests decreased 2 percent; juvenile arrests decreased 19 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 21 percent; juveniles were responsible for 19 percent of those cases cleared.

SALEM COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During 1992 there were 2,186 Index crimes reported to law enforcement agencies of the county, representing an 11 percent decrease compared to the previous year.
- Violent crime increased 17 percent while nonviolent crime registered a decrease of 13 percent.
- There were 33.5 victims of Index offenses for every 1,000 inhabitants of the county, a 11 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Aggravated assault increased 25 percent, while motor vehicle theft decreased 28 percent.
- The dollar loss of stolen property amounted to \$1.7 million; the recovery rate was 15 percent.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police arrested 4,159 persons for criminal offenses during the calendar year 1992, a 7 percent decrease over 1991.
- Adult arrests decreased 8 percent and juvenile arrests decreased 5 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 33 percent; juveniles were responsible for 27 percent of those cases cleared.

SOMERSET COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During 1992 there were 8,341 Index offenses reported in the county, an increase of less than one-half of one percent.
- Violent crime registered an increase of 4 percent while nonviolent crime recorded an increase of less than one-half of one percent.
- For every 1,000 inhabitants 34.7 persons were victims of Index offenses, an increase of less than one-half of one percent.
- Aggravated assault increased 17 percent, and motor vehicle theft decreased 21 percent.
- The total dollar loss of property stolen amounted to \$12.4 million, with 36 percent of this recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police arrested 7,941 persons in 1992, a 5 percent decrease when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests decreased 7 percent while juvenile arrests decreased 1 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 17 percent; juveniles were responsible for 36 percent of those cases cleared.

SUSSEX COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- Law enforcement agencies of the county reported 2,757 Index crimes during 1992, a decrease of 13 percent compared to the previous year.
- Violent crime increased 16 percent while nonviolent crime recorded a 14 percent decrease for the year.
- For every 1,000 persons 21.1 were victims of Index offenses, a 13 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- Aggravated assault increased 17 percent compared to 1991, while motor vehicle theft decreased 21 percent.
- Stolen property values totaled \$2.5 million; of this amount 16 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 4,116 arrests made in the county during 1992, an increase of less than one-half of one percent compared to the previous year.
- Adult arrests registered a 2 percent decrease in 1992 and juvenile arrests increased 11 percent when compared to the previous year.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 21 percent; juveniles were responsible for 30 percent of those cases cleared.

UNION COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- In 1992 there were 26,789 Index crimes reported by police, representing a 12 percent decrease when compared to the previous year.
- Violent crime decreased 3 percent while nonviolent crime registered a 13 percent decrease.
- The county's victimization rate was recorded at 54.2 persons for every 1,000 population, for a decrease of 12 percent.
- Motor vehicle theft decreased 19 percent and aggravated assault increased 19 percent.
- Stolen property value amounted to \$55.9 million, with 54 percent of this being recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- Police of the county arrested 25,167 persons during 1992, an increase of less than one-half of one percent.
- Adult arrests registered a 1 percent increase and juvenile arrests decreased 1 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 14 percent; juveniles were responsible for 23 percent of those cases cleared.

WARREN COUNTY

VOLUME/RATE

- During the year police of the county reported 1,907 Index crimes, a decrease of 6 percent when compared to 1991.
- Violent crime registered a 10 percent increase while nonviolent crime decreased 7 percent.
- The Index crime rate was 20.8 victims per 1,000 inhabitants, a 6 percent decrease compared to 1991.
- Motor vehicle theft decreased 35 percent, while aggravated assault increased 8 percent.
- The dollar loss of stolen property amounted to \$1.8 million, of which 19 percent was recovered.

ARRESTS/CLEARANCES

- There were 3,925 persons arrested during the year, a 1 percent increase when compared to 1991.
- Adult arrests registered a 2 percent increase while juvenile arrests decreased 4 percent.
- The total clearance rate for Index offenses was 28 percent; juveniles were responsible for 34 percent of those cases cleared.