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Homicide	Murder*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	7.2
	Attempted murder	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Murder accessory, conspiracy	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Manslaughter*	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Driving causing death^	2	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	4.8	0	0.0
Assault	Domestic violence related	145	355.4	109	266.3	119	288.1	111	265.3	95	227.1
	Non-domestic violence related	187	458.3	199	486.1	149	360.7	153	365.7	138	329.9
	Assault Police	11	27.0	12	29.3	5	12.1	11	26.3	9	21.5
Sexual offences	Sexual assault	23	56.4	15	36.6	14	33.9	12	28.7	46	110.0
	Indecent assault, act of indecency	15	36.8	14	34.2	16	38.7	10	23.9	25	59.8
	Other sexual offences	12	29.4	9	22.0	11	26.6	7	16.7	13	31.1
Abduction and kidnapping		1	2.5	2	4.9	3	7.3	1	2.4	1	2.4
Robbery	Robbery without a weapon	67	164.2	42	102.6	44	106.5	62	148.2	36	86.1
	Robbery with a firearm	7	17.2	10	24.4	10	24.2	6	14.3	5	12.0
	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	38	93.1	29	70.8	32	77.5	26	62.2	20	47.8
Blackmail and extortion		1	2.5	2	4.9	3	7.3	0	0.0	4	9.6
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance		114	279.4	127	310.2	139	336.5	121	289.2	106	253.4
Other offences against the person		5	12.3	5	12.2	8	19.4	4	9.6	10	23.9
Theft	Break and enter - dwelling	476	1166.6	477	1165.2	297	719.0	337	805.6	197	470.9
	Break and enter - non-dwelling	96	235.3	137	334.7	85	205.8	63	150.6	74	176.9
	Receiving or handling stolen goods	37	90.7	24	58.6	22	53.3	35	83.7	20	47.8
	Motor vehicle theft	228	558.8	204	498.3	171	414.0	159	380.1	104	248.6
	Steal from motor vehicle	366	897.0	289	706.0	336	813.4	433	1035.1	292	698.0
	Steal from retail store	131	321.1	123	300.5	114	276.0	99	236.7	93	222.3
	Steal from dwelling	123	301.5	138	337.1	101	244.5	132	315.5	101	241.4
	Steal from person	132	323.5	85	207.6	66	159.8	61	145.8	71	169.7
	Stock theft	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Fraud	217	531.8	184	449.5	177	428.5	202	482.9	250	597.6
	Other theft	188	460.8	180	439.7	144	348.6	158	377.7	171	408.8
Arson		15	36.8	23	56.2	18	43.6	12	28.7	14	33.5
Malicious damage to property		415	1017.1	510	1245.8	472	1142.6	417	996.8	421	1006.4

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Drug offences	Possession and/or use of cocaine	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	7.3	0	0.0	1	2.4
	Possession and/or use of narcotics	4	9.8	5	12.2	3	7.3	1	2.4	7	16.7
	Possession and/or use of cannabis	70	171.6	45	109.9	55	133.1	52	124.3	60	143.4
	Possession and/or use of amphetamines	8	19.6	6	14.7	9	21.8	11	26.3	10	23.9
	Possession and/or use of ecstasy	5	12.3	4	9.8	2	4.8	3	7.2	0	0.0
	Possession and/or use of other drugs	8	19.6	12	29.3	9	21.8	3	7.2	3	7.2
	Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	1	2.4	1	2.4	0	0.0	1	2.4
	Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	0	0.0	0	0.0	12	29.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	2	4.9	2	4.9	1	2.4	1	2.4	2	4.8
	Dealing, trafficking in amphetamines	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	4.8	2	4.8	0	0.0
	Dealing, trafficking in ecstasy	0	0.0	1	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.4
	Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	1	2.5	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Cultivating cannabis	5	12.3	2	4.9	3	7.3	1	2.4	1	2.4
	Manufacture drug	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Importing drugs	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other drug offences	13	31.9	18	44.0	8	19.4	15	35.9	9	21.5	
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences		35	85.8	41	100.2	37	89.6	38	90.8	35	83.7
Disorderly conduct	Trespass	37	90.7	48	117.3	56	135.6	88	210.4	57	136.3
	Offensive conduct	10	24.5	10	24.4	12	29.0	11	26.3	17	40.6
	Offensive language	7	17.2	16	39.1	15	36.3	11	26.3	17	40.6
	Criminal intent	12	29.4	8	19.5	6	14.5	10	23.9	5	12.0
Betting and gaming offences		0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.4
Liquor offences		32	78.4	27	66.0	23	55.7	32	76.5	47	112.4
Pornography offences		3	7.4	2	4.9	0	0.0	1	2.4	0	0.0
Prostitution offences		2	4.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	2.4
Against justice procedures	Escape custody	0	0.0	1	2.4	1	2.4	0	0.0	0	0.0
	Breach Apprehended Violence Order	34	83.3	41	100.2	37	89.6	50	119.5	70	167.3
	Breach bail conditions	251	615.2	153	373.8	218	527.7	360	860.6	141	337.1
	Fail to appear	13	31.9	8	19.5	5	12.1	40	95.6	12	28.7
	Resist or hinder officer	11	27.0	22	53.7	20	48.4	22	52.6	24	57.4
	Other offences against justice procedures	8	19.6	7	17.1	4	9.7	5	12.0	8	19.1

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Driving offences[^]	Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs [^]	4	9.8	7	17.1	7	16.9	5	12.0	6	14.3
	Dangerous or negligent driving [^]	150	367.6	143	349.3	113	273.5	132	315.5	122	291.6
	Driving while licence cancelled or suspended [^]	85	208.3	101	246.7	102	246.9	105	251.0	111	265.3
	Driving without a licence [^]	162	397.0	201	491.0	163	394.6	148	353.8	146	349.0
	Driving licence offences, nec [^]	415	1017.1	483	1179.9	347	840.0	350	836.7	366	874.9
	Registration offences [^]	316	774.5	321	784.2	302	731.1	315	753.0	311	743.4
	Roadworthiness offences [^]	4	9.8	0	0.0	1	2.4	6	14.3	4	9.6
	Exceeding the prescribed content of alcohol limit [^]	136	333.3	173	422.6	184	445.4	133	317.9	154	368.1
	Exceeding legal speed limit [^]	573	1404.4	652	1592.7	1500	3631.2	764	1826.3	920	2199.2
	Parking offences [^]	8	19.6	3	7.3	1	2.4	6	14.3	0	0.0
	Other regulatory driving offences [^]	889	2178.9	953	2328.0	937	2268.3	878	2098.8	840	2008.0
Transport regulatory offences		179	438.7	158	386.0	218	527.7	546	1305.2	334	798.4
Other offences		60	147.1	58	141.7	65	157.4	36	86.1	75	179.3

* Number of recorded victims.

[^] Number of legal actions commenced by the NSW Police Force, rather than the number of incidents recorded.

Legal actions include infringement notices, court referrals, warnings, formal cautions under the Young Offenders Act and Youth Conference referrals.

The driving offences reported will accord with those in the Australian Standard Offence Classification (ASOC).