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Homicide	Murder*	0	0.0	3	1.9	2	1.2	0	0.0	1	0.6
	Attempted murder	2	1.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.6
	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^	4	2.5	3	1.9	6	3.7	0	0.0	4	2.5
Assault	Domestic violence related	605	374.3	584	361.3	548	338.2	568	349.8	504	310.4
	Non-domestic violence related	904	559.4	1027	635.4	983	606.7	1019	627.5	936	576.4
	Assault Police	47	29.1	45	27.8	50	30.9	34	20.9	71	43.7
Sexual offences	Sexual assault	106	65.6	113	69.9	96	59.3	94	57.9	100	61.6
	Indecent assault, act of indecency	101	62.5	86	53.2	84	51.8	81	49.9	70	43.1
	Other sexual offences	65	40.2	34	21.0	43	26.5	31	19.1	54	33.3
Abduction and kidnapping	6	3.7	7	4.3	6	3.7	7	4.3	6	3.7	
Robbery	Robbery without a weapon	58	35.9	56	34.6	41	25.3	49	30.2	58	35.7
	Robbery with a firearm	6	3.7	3	1.9	3	1.9	3	1.8	1	0.6
	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	16	9.9	21	13.0	20	12.3	18	11.1	24	14.8
Blackmail and extortion	2	1.2	0	0.0	1	0.6	2	1.2	1	0.6	
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	434	268.5	507	313.7	538	332.1	485	298.7	443	272.8	
Other offences against the person	24	14.9	29	17.9	29	17.9	36	22.2	22	13.5	
Theft	Break and enter - dwelling	959	593.4	826	511.1	1060	654.3	827	509.3	951	585.6
	Break and enter - non-dwelling	628	388.6	589	364.4	709	437.6	508	312.8	558	343.6
	Receiving or handling stolen goods	182	112.6	142	87.9	160	98.8	116	71.4	110	67.7
	Motor vehicle theft	539	333.5	496	306.9	536	330.8	474	291.9	523	322.1
	Steal from motor vehicle	1045	646.6	1118	691.7	1341	827.7	1074	661.4	1379	849.2
	Steal from retail store	397	245.6	432	267.3	469	289.5	526	323.9	531	327.0
	Steal from dwelling	586	362.6	553	342.2	660	407.4	536	330.1	519	319.6
	Steal from person	212	131.2	192	118.8	164	101.2	194	119.5	194	119.5
	Stock theft	5	3.1	3	1.9	6	3.7	1	0.6	4	2.5
	Fraud	458	283.4	454	280.9	491	303.1	381	234.6	548	337.5
	Other theft	1010	624.9	954	590.3	960	592.5	833	513.0	909	559.8
Arson	109	67.4	120	74.2	147	90.7	172	105.9	143	88.1	
Malicious damage to property	2614	1617.4	2966	1835.1	2779	1715.3	2829	1742.1	2809	1729.8	

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Drug offences	Possession and/or use of cocaine	1	0.6	5	3.1	7	4.3	3	1.8	1	0.6
	Possession and/or use of narcotics	26	16.1	31	19.2	27	16.7	7	4.3	5	3.1
	Possession and/or use of cannabis	269	166.4	319	197.4	202	124.7	152	93.6	127	78.2
	Possession and/or use of amphetamines	37	22.9	57	35.3	55	33.9	39	24.0	20	12.3
	Possession and/or use of ecstasy	10	6.2	18	11.1	44	27.2	17	10.5	21	12.9
	Possession and/or use of other drugs	23	14.2	33	20.4	31	19.1	18	11.1	20	12.3
	Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	0	0.0	4	2.5	1	0.6	1	0.6	1	0.6
	Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	11	6.8	21	13.0	67	41.4	10	6.2	0	0.0
	Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	26	16.1	6	3.7	5	3.1	3	1.8	4	2.5
	Dealing, trafficking in amphetamines	5	3.1	54	33.4	27	16.7	15	9.2	3	1.8
	Dealing, trafficking in ecstasy	2	1.2	29	17.9	42	25.9	7	4.3	17	10.5
	Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	2	1.2	2	1.2	2	1.2	1	0.6	0	0.0
	Cultivating cannabis	33	20.4	23	14.2	14	8.6	23	14.2	8	4.9
	Manufacture drug	0	0.0	5	3.1	0	0.0	5	3.1	0	0.0
	Importing drugs	1	0.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.6	0	0.0
Other drug offences	69	42.7	53	32.8	53	32.7	49	30.2	42	25.9	
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences		172	106.4	122	75.5	129	79.6	126	77.6	92	56.7
Disorderly conduct	Trespass	144	89.1	185	114.5	191	117.9	199	122.5	179	110.2
	Offensive conduct	94	58.2	89	55.1	121	74.7	142	87.4	150	92.4
	Offensive language	123	76.1	157	97.1	111	68.5	115	70.8	124	76.4
	Criminal intent	37	22.9	34	21.0	30	18.5	17	10.5	21	12.9
Betting and gaming offences		1	0.6	4	2.5	6	3.7	4	2.5	0	0.0
Liquor offences		199	123.1	335	207.3	333	205.5	292	179.8	317	195.2
Pornography offences		8	5.0	0	0.0	4	2.5	3	1.8	3	1.8
Prostitution offences		2	1.2	3	1.9	3	1.9	0	0.0	2	1.2
Against justice procedures	Escape custody	5	3.1	3	1.9	3	1.9	0	0.0	3	1.8
	Breach Apprehended Violence Order	295	182.5	311	192.4	218	134.6	240	147.8	262	161.3
	Breach bail conditions	168	104.0	133	82.3	170	104.9	147	90.5	186	114.5
	Fail to appear	4	2.5	5	3.1	16	9.9	5	3.1	4	2.5
	Resist or hinder officer	105	65.0	150	92.8	140	86.4	118	72.7	165	101.6
	Other offences against justice procedures	24	14.9	9	5.6	13	8.0	8	4.9	9	5.5

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Driving offences[^]	Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs [^]	35	21.7	33	20.4	28	17.3	28	17.2	33	20.3
	Dangerous or negligent driving [^]	840	519.8	853	527.8	731	451.2	701	431.7	681	419.4
	Driving while licence cancelled or suspended [^]	369	228.3	415	256.8	334	206.2	354	218.0	375	230.9
	Driving without a licence [^]	733	453.5	770	476.4	685	422.8	642	395.3	648	399.0
	Driving licence offences, nec [^]	1018	629.9	1240	767.2	1267	782.0	1496	921.3	1432	881.8
	Registration offences [^]	1191	736.9	1292	799.4	1427	880.8	1162	715.6	1387	854.1
	Roadworthiness offences [^]	20	12.4	18	11.1	18	11.1	8	4.9	31	19.1
	Exceeding the prescribed content of alcohol limit [^]	742	459.1	765	473.3	666	411.1	609	375.0	671	413.2
	Exceeding legal speed limit [^]	5574	3448.9	4891	3026.2	4522	2791.1	3635	2238.5	3679	2265.6
	Parking offences [^]	22	13.6	8	4.9	8	4.9	18	11.1	194	119.5
	Other regulatory driving offences [^]	3017	1866.8	3227	1996.6	3603	2223.8	3430	2112.2	3349	2062.3
Transport regulatory offences		910	563.1	921	569.8	561	346.3	493	303.6	983	605.3
Other offences		296	183.2	357	220.9	419	258.6	329	202.6	315	194.0

* 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).