



CRIME IN FLORIDA



Florida Department of
Law Enforcement

Columbia County January - December 2008

The statistics presented in this release are an indication of crime and criminal activities known to, and reported by, law enforcement agencies for 2008. This report reflects data residing in the UCR database as of 04/20/2009.

Offense Totals

INDEX OFFENSES	2007	2008	Percent Change
Murder	2	2	0.0
Firearm	0	2	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	2	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	0	0	
Other	0	0	
Forcible Sex Offenses	38	32	-15.8
Forcible Rape	17	26	52.9
Firearm	1	1	0.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	1	
Hands/Fists/Feet	16	24	50.0
Other	0	0	
Forcible Sodomy	1	1	0.0
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	1	1	0.0
Other	0	0	
Forcible Fondling	20	5	-75.0
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	20	5	-75.0
Other	0	0	
Robbery	58	56	-3.4
Firearm	31	31	0.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	2	9	350.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	17	11	-35.3
Other	8	5	-37.5
Aggravated Assault	323	357	10.5
Firearm	70	66	-5.7
Knife/Cutting Instr.	79	91	15.2
Hands/Fists/Feet	27	15	-44.4
Other	147	185	25.9
Burglary	745	767	3.0
Forced Entry	427	413	-3.3
No Forced Entry	312	352	12.8
Attempted Entry	6	2	-66.7
Larceny	1,802	1,662	-7.8
Pocket Picking	2	0	
Purse Snatching	0	2	
Shoplifting	240	259	7.9
From Motor Vehicle	189	201	6.3
Motor Vehicle Parts	56	102	82.1
Bicycles	52	40	-23.1
From Building	166	165	-0.6
From Coin Oper. Dev.	20	9	-55.0
All Other	1,077	884	-17.9
Motor Vehicle Theft	138	134	-2.9
TOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	3,106	3,010	-3.1

Crime Volume

Total Index	3,010
Total Violent	447
Total Nonviolent	2,563

Property Values

Total Stolen	
\$ 3,098,697	
Total Recovered	
\$ 577,834	

Arrest Data

Total	3,732
Adult	3,439
Juvenile	293
Male	2,894
Female	838

Domestic Violence by Offense Type

PRIMARY OFFENSE	2007	2008	Percent Change
Murder	1	1	0.0
Manslaughter	0	0	
Forcible Rape	1	3	200.0
Forcible Sodomy	0	1	
Forcible Fondling	8	0	
Aggravated Assault	103	83	-19.4
Aggravated Stalking	0	0	
Simple Assault	502	387	-22.9
Threat/Intimidation	31	4	-87.1
Simple Stalking	3	0	
TOTAL	649	479	-26.2

PROPERTY INFORMATION VALUES

TYPE PROPERTY	STOLEN VALUE	RECOVERED VALUE
Currency, Note, Etc.	175,708	3,619
Jewelry, Precious Metals	358,880	30,007
Clothing & Furs	22,426	6,248
Motor Vehicles	919,758	419,537
Office Equipment	78,597	3,982
TVs, Radios, Stereos	106,358	10,452
Firearms	61,254	1,555
Household Goods	54,554	1,816
Consumable Goods	15,454	3,517
Livestock	0	0
Miscellaneous	1,305,708	97,101
TOTAL VALUES	3,098,697	577,834

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Crime Trends

	Index Total Crimes	% CH	Violent Crime	% CH	Nonviolent Crime	% CH	Population	% CH	Crime Rate	% CH
2004	2,658	-12.7	418	0.2	2,240	-14.7	60,453	2.7	4,396.8	-14.9
2005	2,481	-6.7	454	8.6	2,027	-9.5	61,466	1.7	4,036.4	-8.2
2006	2,398	-3.3	423	-6.8	1,975	-2.6	63,538	3.4	3,774.1	-6.5
2007	3,106	29.5	421	-0.5	2,685	35.9	65,373	2.9	4,751.2	25.9
2008	3,010	-3.1	447	6.2	2,563	-4.5	66,121	1.1	4,552.3	-4.2

Domestic Violence

by Offense Type to Victim's Relationship to Offender

OFFENSES	Total	RELATIONSHIP VICTIM TO OFFENDER							Arrests
		Spouse	Parent	Child	Sibling	Other Family	Cohabitant	Other	
Murder	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Sex Offenses	4	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	3
Forcible Rape	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Forcible Sodomy	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Forcible Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	83	20	13	8	3	7	26	6	39
Aggravated Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simple Assault	387	90	33	34	37	16	146	31	149
Threat/Intimidation	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	3
Simple Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL OFFENSES	479	112	46	43	41	23	174	40	195

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STRUCTURE	TOTAL INHABITED	TOTAL ABANDONED	ATTEMPTED
Single Occupied Residence	0	1	0
Other Residence	0	0	0
Storage	0	0	0
Industrial/Manufacturing	0	0	0
Commercial	0	0	0
Community/Public	0	0	0
All Other Structures	0	0	0
Motor Vehicles	0	1	0
Other Mobile	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
TOTALS	0	2	0

VEHICLE RECOVERY	
	Number
Stolen Locally and Recovered Locally	58
Stolen Locally and Recovered By Other Jurisdictions	21
Stolen Other Jurisdictions and Recovered Locally	15