



# CRIME IN FLORIDA



Florida Department of  
Law Enforcement

## Desoto County January - December 2007

The statistics presented in this release are an indication of crime and criminal activities known to, and reported by, law enforcement agencies for 2007. This report reflects data residing in the UCR database as of 04/04/2008.

### Offense Totals

INDEX OFFENSES	2006	2007	Percent Change
<b>Murder</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>300.0</b>
Firearm	0	1	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	3	
Hands/Fists/Feet	0	0	
Other	1	0	
<b>Forcible Sex Offenses</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-25.0</b>
<b>Forcible Rape</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-36.4</b>
Firearm	0	1	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	9	5	-44.4
Other	2	1	-50.0
<b>Forcible Sodomy</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	0	1	
Other	1	0	
<b>Forcible Fondling</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	0	1	
Other	0	0	
<b>Robbery</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>-21.1</b>
Firearm	5	7	40.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	5	8	60.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	23	10	-56.5
Other	5	5	0.0
<b>Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>17.7</b>
Firearm	26	17	-34.6
Knife/Cutting Instr.	50	61	22.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	38	51	34.2
Other	72	90	25.0
<b>Burglary</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>57.9</b>
Forced Entry	154	254	64.9
No Forced Entry	164	250	52.4
Attempted Entry	5	6	20.0
<b>Larceny</b>	<b>552</b>	<b>524</b>	<b>-5.1</b>
Pocket Picking	0	0	
Purse Snatching	2	0	
Shoplifting	76	80	5.3
From Motor Vehicle	76	73	-3.9
Motor Vehicle Parts	36	16	-55.6
Bicycles	16	14	-12.5
From Building	53	43	-18.9
From Coin Oper. Dev.	4	7	75.0
All Other	289	291	0.7
<b>Motor Vehicle Theft</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>80.0</b>
<b>TOTAL INDEX OFFENSES</b>	<b>1,147</b>	<b>1,359</b>	<b>18.5</b>

### Crime Volume

Total Index	1,359
Total Violent	262
Total Nonviolent	1,097

### Property Values

Total Stolen	
\$ 1,701,502	
Total Recovered	
\$ 591,280	

### Arrest Data

Total	2,757
Adult	2,611
Juvenile	146
Male	2,171
Female	586

### Domestic Violence by Offense Type

PRIMARY OFFENSE	2006	2007	Percent Change
Murder	0	1	
Manslaughter	0	0	
Forcible Rape	2	0	
Forcible Sodomy	0	1	
Forcible Fondling	0	0	
Aggravated Assault	60	70	16.7
Aggravated Stalking	0	1	
Simple Assault	161	195	21.1
Threat/Intimidation	1	0	
Simple Stalking	0	0	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>19.6</b>

### PROPERTY INFORMATION VALUES

TYPE PROPERTY	STOLEN VALUE	RECOVERED VALUE
Currency, Note, Etc.	132,089	3,320
Jewelry, Precious Metals	135,676	52,466
Clothing & Furs	5,433	1,390
Motor Vehicles	724,308	461,873
Office Equipment	36,115	9,250
TVs, Radios, Stereos	70,255	7,388
Firearms	34,048	7,350
Household Goods	39,523	112
Consumable Goods	28,914	5,350
Livestock	22,100	1,400
Miscellaneous	473,041	41,381
<b>TOTAL VALUES</b>	<b>1,701,502</b>	<b>591,280</b>

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### Crime Trends

	Index Total Crimes	% CH	Violent Crime	% CH	Nonviolent Crime	% CH	Population	% CH	Crime Rate	% CH
2003	1,462	14.7	218	4.3	1,244	16.7	33,713	2.8	4,336.6	11.6
2004	1,126	-23.0	228	4.6	898	-27.8	34,105	1.2	3,301.6	-23.9
2005	1,367	21.4	202	-11.4	1,165	29.7	32,606	-4.4	4,192.5	27.0
2006	1,147	-16.1	237	17.3	910	-21.9	33,164	1.7	3,458.6	-17.5
2007	1,359	18.5	262	10.5	1,097	20.5	33,983	2.5	3,999.1	15.6

### 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	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Sex Offenses	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Forcible Rape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Forcible Sodomy	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Forcible Fondling	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Aggravated Assault	70	23	8	4	8	11	10	6	31
Aggravated Stalking	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Simple Assault	195	64	25	12	20	15	36	23	100
Threat/Intimidation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simple Stalking	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSES</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>132</b>

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STRUCTURE	TOTAL INHABITED	TOTAL ABANDONED	ATTEMPTED
Single Occupied Residence	1	0	0
Other Residence	0	0	0
Storage	0	0	0
Industrial/Manufacturing	0	0	0
Commercial	0	0	0
Community/Public	0	2	0
All Other Structures	0	0	0
Motor Vehicles	3	4	0
Other Mobile	0	1	0
Other	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>

VEHICLE RECOVERY	
	Number
Stolen Locally and Recovered Locally	30
Stolen Locally and Recovered By Other Jurisdictions	12
Stolen Other Jurisdictions and Recovered Locally	9