

SEX OFFENSES, FORCIBLE

DEFINITION

Any sexual act directed against another person, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent.

FORCIBLE RAPE

The carnal knowledge of a female, by a male, forcibly and against her will or where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of her youth or because of her temporary or permanent mental incapacity.

FORCIBLE SODOMY

Oral or anal sexual intercourse with another person, using either personal sex organs or objects to commit the act, forcibly and/or against that person's will; or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her youth or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental incapacity.

FORCIBLE FONDLING/INDECENT LIBERTIES/CHILD MOLESTATION

The touching of the private body parts of another person, using either an object or human contact to commit the act, for the purpose of sexual gratification, forcibly and/or against that person's will or not forcibly or against the person's will where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her youth or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental incapacity.

Clarifying Notes

The element of force or threat of force is necessary before a sexual offense is reported in this category. Any sexual act or attempt accomplished by force is classified as a Forcible Sex Offense regardless of the age of the victim or the relationship of the victim to the offender. Statutory rape is not counted in the Forcible Rape category as no force is used.

Features 1988

CRIME VOLUME

Number Reported	6,524
Percentage of Index Violent Crimes	6.9%
Index Crimes	0.8%
Mandatory Crimes	0.7%
Rate Per 100,000	52.5

CLEARANCE DATA

Number Cleared	3,327
Clearance Rate	51.0%
Number Cleared by Arrest	2,033
Number Cleared Exceptionally	1,294

ARREST PROFILE

Number Arrested	2,267
Most Frequent Age Group Arrested	Ages 25-34 32.3%
Percentage of Arrests by Race	White 61.2%, Black 38.6%, Other 0.2%
Percentage of Arrests by Sex	Male 98.8%, Female 1.2%

OFFENSE SPECIFICS

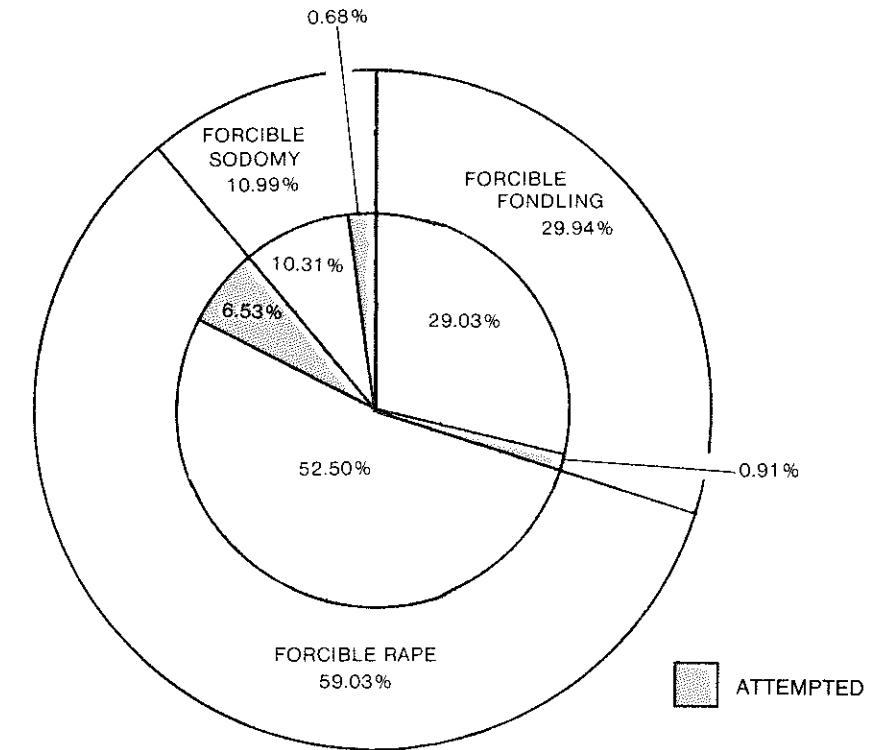
RAPE	3,852 59.0%
Most Frequent Victim	White Female Ages 11-17 26.7%
Most Frequent Location	Residence 57.3%
SODOMY	718 11.0%
Most Frequent Victim	White Male 0-10 years old
Most Frequent Location	Residence 63.1%
FONDLING	1,954 30.0%
Most Frequent Victim	White Female 0-10 years old
Most Frequent Location	Residence 69.6%

ALL FORCIBLE SEX OFFENSES

Most Frequent Weapon Used	Hands/Fists/Feet 51.6%
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FORCIBLE SEX OFFENSES ATTEMPTED AND COMMITTED

1988



SECONDARY OFFENSES REPORTED WITH FORCIBLE SEX OFFENSES* 1988

PRIMARY OFFENSE	SECONDARY OFFENSE							
	None	Sodomy	Fondling	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft
Forcible Rape	3,207	16	17	106	72	165	17	11
Forcible Sodomy	586		4	16	12	9	1	1
Forcible Fondling	1,640			12	16	30	4	1

PRIMARY OFFENSE	SECONDARY OFFENSE							
	Kidnap	Arson	Simple Assault	Drug/Narcotics	Bribery	Embezzlement	Fraud	Other
Forcible Rape	141	1	27	3	0	0	0	9
Forcible Sodomy	17	0	4	1	0	0	0	1
Forcible Fondling	13	0	21	1	0	0	0	0

*Incident where the primary offense is a Forcible Sex Offense, these are the offenses committed in conjunction with the incident.

**FORCIBLE RAPE VICTIMS BY AGE, SEX, RACE AND RESIDENCY
1988**

AGE	Number of Female Victims	RACE			FLORIDA RESIDENT		
		White	Black	Other	Full-Time	Part-Time	Non-Resident
0 - 10	469	242	227	0	456	5	8
11 - 17	1,027	623	401	3	986	19	22
Total Juveniles	1,496	865	628	3	1,442	24	30
18 - 24	952	590	353	9	896	27	29
25 - 34	991	556	430	5	942	24	25
35 - 54	349	248	99	2	331	8	10
55 and Over	64	51	13	0	60	3	1
Total Adults	2,356	1,445	895	16	2,229	62	65
TOTAL for Florida	3,852	2,310	1,523	19	3,671	86	95

**FORCIBLE FONDLING VICTIMS BY AGE, SEX, RACE AND RESIDENCY
1988**

AGE	Number of Victims	SEX		RACE			FLORIDA RESIDENT		
		Male	Female	White	Black	Other	Full-Time	Part-Time	Non-Resident
0 - 10	936	188	748	732	202	2	901	13	22
11 - 17	703	103	600	575	126	2	672	10	21
Total Juveniles	1,639	291	1,348	1,307	328	4	1,573	23	43
18 - 24	119	16	103	90	26	3	114	2	3
25 - 34	114	20	94	78	35	1	111	1	2
35 - 54	72	18	54	54	18	0	70	2	0
55 and Over	10	1	9	7	3	0	10	0	0
Total Adults	315	55	260	229	82	4	305	5	5
TOTAL for Florida	1,954	346	1,608	1,536	410	8	1,878	28	48

**FORCIBLE SODOMY VICTIMS BY AGE, SEX, RACE AND RESIDENCY
1988**

AGE	Number of Victims	SEX		RACE			FLORIDA RESIDENT		
		Male	Female	White	Black	Other	Full-Time	Part-Time	Non-Resident
0 - 10	267	174	93	194	72	1	255	12	0
11 - 17	173	93	80	128	44	1	166	3	4
Total Juveniles	440	267	173	322	116	2	421	15	4
18 - 24	102	36	66	76	26	0	91	7	4
25 - 34	113	32	81	72	41	0	108	0	5
35 - 54	51	13	38	41	10	0	48	1	2
55 and Over	12	3	9	7	4	1	12	0	0
Total Adults	278	84	194	196	81	1	259	8	11
TOTAL for Florida	718	351	367	518	197	3	680	23	15

**FORCIBLE SEX OFFENSES BY LOCATION
1988**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	TOTAL	LOCATION				
		Residence	Commercial	Gov't / Public	Outdoor	Other
Forcible Rape	3,852	2,206	239	74	732	601
Forcible Sodomy	718	453	27	50	78	110
Forcible Fondling	1,954	1,360	85	77	183	249
TOTAL for Florida	6,524	4,019	351	201	993	960