



CRIME IN FLORIDA



Florida Department of Law Enforcement

Palm Beach County
January - December 2006

The statistics presented in this release are an indication of crime and criminal activities known to, and reported by, law enforcement agencies for 2006. This report reflects data residing in the UCR database as of 06/06/2007.

Offense Totals

INDEX OFFENSES	2005	2006	Percent Change
Murder	69	92	33.3
Firearm	52	61	17.3
Knife/Cutting Instr.	6	11	83.3
Hands/Fists/Feet	5	8	60.0
Other	6	12	100.0
Forcible Sex Offenses	728	664	-8.8
Forcible Rape	480	460	-4.2
Firearm	10	8	-20.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	6	12	100.0
Hands/Fists/Feet	377	381	1.1
Other	87	59	-32.2
Forcible Sodomy	83	64	-22.9
Firearm	3	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	0	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	72	58	-19.4
Other	8	6	-25.0
Forcible Fondling	165	140	-15.2
Firearm	0	0	
Knife/Cutting Instr.	2	0	
Hands/Fists/Feet	152	129	-15.1
Other	11	11	0.0
Robbery	2,452	2,909	18.6
Firearm	852	1,115	30.9
Knife/Cutting Instr.	169	221	30.8
Hands/Fists/Feet	1,192	1,338	12.2
Other	239	235	-1.7
Aggravated Assault	5,261	5,636	7.1
Firearm	891	1,016	14.0
Knife/Cutting Instr.	983	1,116	13.5
Hands/Fists/Feet	891	816	-8.4
Other	2,496	2,688	7.7
Burglary	12,776	12,868	0.7
Forced Entry	8,387	9,064	8.1
No Forced Entry	3,393	2,802	-17.4
Attempted Entry	996	1,002	0.6
Larceny	35,620	35,571	-0.1
Pocket Picking	257	301	17.1
Purse Snatching	55	37	-32.7
Shoplifting	5,395	5,136	-4.8
From Motor Vehicle	10,233	10,945	7.0
Motor Vehicle Parts	5,704	5,589	-2.0
Bicycles	1,275	1,129	-11.5
From Building	4,918	5,194	5.6
From Coin Oper. Dev.	110	71	-35.5
All Other	7,673	7,169	-6.6
Motor Vehicle Theft	6,151	6,058	-1.5
TOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	63,057	63,798	1.2

Crime Volume

Total Index	63,798
Total Violent	9,301
Total Nonviolent	54,497

Property Values

Total Stolen	\$ 137,417,938
Total Recovered	\$ 47,239,287

Arrest Data

Total	80,367
Adult	73,192
Juvenile	7,175
Male	64,169
Female	16,198

**Domestic Violence
by Offense Type**

PRIMARY OFFENSE	2005	2006	Percent Change
Murder	8	9	12.5
Manslaughter	3	3	0.0
Forcible Rape	51	54	5.9
Forcible Sodomy	11	13	18.2
Forcible Fondling	40	30	-25.0
Aggravated Assault	1,226	1,157	-5.6
Aggravated Stalking	5	10	100.0
Simple Assault	4,820	4,207	-12.7
Threat/Intimidation	230	91	-60.4
Simple Stalking	22	15	-31.8
TOTAL	6,416	5,589	-12.9

PROPERTY INFORMATION VALUES

TYPE PROPERTY	STOLEN VALUE	RECOVERED VALUE
Currency, Note, Etc.	8,268,555	425,713
Jewelry, Precious Metals	22,214,099	888,992
Clothing & Furs	2,215,788	376,497
Motor Vehicles	63,283,184	39,957,304
Office Equipment	4,288,068	169,775
TVs, Radios, Stereos	4,696,683	229,238
Firearms	491,641	45,744
Household Goods	1,561,587	81,150
Consumable Goods	523,851	41,938
Livestock	473,362	305,001
Miscellaneous	29,401,120	4,717,935
TOTAL VALUES	137,417,938	47,239,287

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Crime Trends

	Index Total Crimes	% CH	Violent Crime	% CH	Nonviolent Crime	% CH	Population	% CH	Crime Rate	% CH
2002	75,037	4.1	8,833	3.5	66,204	4.1	1,183,197	2.5	6,341.9	1.5
2003	72,678	-3.1	8,664	-1.9	64,014	-3.3	1,211,448	2.4	5,999.3	-5.4
2004	67,773	-6.7	8,963	3.5	58,810	-8.1	1,242,270	2.5	5,455.6	-9.1
2005	63,057	-7.0	8,510	-5.1	54,547	-7.2	1,265,900	1.9	4,981.2	-8.7
2006	63,798	1.2	9,301	9.3	54,497	-0.1	1,287,987	1.7	4,953.3	-0.6

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	9	3	0	3	0	0	2	1	5
Manslaughter	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Forcible Sex Offenses	97	14	5	39	9	13	11	6	31
Forcible Rape	54	12	4	17	7	3	9	2	20
Forcible Sodomy	13	2	0	7	1	1	1	1	4
Forcible Fondling	30	0	1	15	1	9	1	3	7
Aggravated Assault	1,157	228	123	105	105	166	336	94	782
Aggravated Stalking	10	3	0	0	2	0	2	3	4
Simple Assault	4,207	1,171	513	242	350	329	1,308	294	2,780
Threat/Intimidation	91	30	18	5	5	16	12	5	27
Simple Stalking	15	9	0	0	0	0	3	3	8
TOTAL OFFENSES	5,589	1,459	660	395	471	524	1,674	406	3,638

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STRUCTURE	TOTAL INHABITED	TOTAL ABANDONED	ATTEMPTED
Single Occupied Residence	36	12	6
Other Residence	10	2	1
Storage	0	0	0
Industrial/Manufacturing	0	1	0
Commercial	10	7	0
Community/Public	6	2	0
All Other Structures	8	4	1
Motor Vehicles	12	12	0
Other Mobile	1	0	0
Other	53	37	2
TOTALS	136	77	10

VEHICLE RECOVERY	
	Number
Stolen Locally and Recovered Locally	2,296
Stolen Locally and Recovered By Other Jurisdictions	2,293
Stolen Other Jurisdictions and Recovered Locally	2,319