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# PREFACE

Minnesota law enforcement agencies provide information about criminal activity including incidents, stolen and recovered property and arrests to the Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension (BCA) to meet state and federal reporting requirements. The BCA's Uniform Crime Reporting Program compiles the data, which also includes information about law enforcement officers killed and assaulted; firearms discharges by police officers; police pursuits and bias offenses. Limited information is also available on law enforcement personnel.

### **MINNESOTA CRIME DATA EXPLORER**

In years' past, the compiled data was published in the Uniform Crime Report. However, the BCA launched a new public database in 2021 called the *Minnesota Crime Data Explorer*, a modernized tool from which current crime data can be obtained at any time. Links to the database appear throughout this report.

The Minnesota Crime Data Explorer also contains much more detailed information than had been available in the past because of the concurrent transition by Minnesota law enforcement agencies to a much more detailed approach to crime reporting using the National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS). While past reporting contained summary data about the most serious offense associated with an incident, incident-based reporting includes many more details on all crimes associated with an incident, as well as detailed data about victims and offenders and much more.

Together, the Minnesota Crime Data Explorer and the National Incident-Based Reporting System have led to greater transparency and detail available about incidents that occur in Minnesota communities. This enables criminal justice entities, researchers and the public to better understand, respond to and prevent incidents in their communities.

## **HISTORY OF CRIME REPORTING IN MINNESOTA**

In 1935, the Minnesota Legislature mandated that the BCA make available to interested parties crime data received from Minnesota law enforcement agencies. Uniform Crime Reports containing this information were compiled and provided every two years as required by state statute until 1972, when the reports began to be produced annually.

With the introduction of the Minnesota Crime Data Explorer, the BCA meets this mandate in near real time. This document serves as a summary of the 2021 information contained in the Minnesota Crime Data Explorer as of April 29, 2022.

The BCA wishes to thank the cooperating law enforcement agencies whose assistance make the Minnesota Crime Data Explorer and this report possible. Each agency is responsible for the accuracy, completeness and timeliness of the data the agency chooses to submit. Agency policy on what to submit may vary and those variances are reflected in the data. In addition, because the types of crimes and level of detail about those crimes have changed in recent years any comparisons with previous years should be viewed with caution.

## **LEGAL REQUIREMENTS TO REPORT CRIME DATA**

The state of Minnesota has participated in the FBI's Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program since 1936. Minnesota statutes require and authorize the BCA to collect UCR data. The state statutes authorizing data collection are as follows.

Minn. Stat. 299C.05 – Crime Data Collection

Minn. Stat. 299C.06 – Division Powers and Duties; Cooperation

Minn. Stat. 299C.12 — Records Kept by Peace Officers; Reports

## **CRIME TYPES**

National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) data is separated into Group A and Group B.

#### **GROUP A OFFENSES**

The following crimes are categorized as Group A offenses. Group A offenses are further categorized as crimes against persons, crimes against property and crimes against society.

#### **Crimes Against Persons**

- Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter
- Negligent Manslaughter
- Sex Offenses
  - Rape
  - Sodomy
  - Sexual Assault with an Object
  - Forcible Fondling
  - Incest
  - Statutory Rape

#### **Crimes Against Society**

- Animal Cruelty
- Drug Narcotic Violations
- Drug Equipment Violations
- Gambling Offenses
  - Betting/Wagering
  - Operating/Promoting/Assisting Gambling
  - Gambling Equipment Violations
  - Sports Tampering

- Kidnapping/Abduction
- Assault Offenses
  - Aggravated Assault
  - Simple Assault
  - Intimidation
- Human Trafficking
  - Commercial Sex Acts
  - Involuntary Servitude
- Pornography/Obscene Material
- Prostitution Offenses
  - Prostitution
  - Assisting or Promoting Prostitution
  - Purchasing Prostitution
- Weapon Law Violation

#### **Crimes Against Property**

- Arson
- Bribery
- Burglary/Breaking & Entering
- Counterfeiting/Forgery
- Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property
- Embezzlement
- Extortion/Blackmail
- Fraud Offense
  - False Pretenses/Swindle/Confidence Game
  - Credit Card/Automatic Teller Machine Fraud
  - Impersonation
  - Welfare Fraud
  - Wire Fraud
  - Identity Theft
  - Hacking/Computer Invasion

#### **GROUP B ARRESTS**

The following are categorized as Group B arrests.

- Bad Checks
- Curfew/Loitering/Vagrancy Violations
- Disorderly Conduct
- Driving Under the Influence
- Drunkenness
- Nonviolent Family Offenses
- Liquor Law Violations
- Peeping Tom
- Trespass of Real Property
- All Other Offenses

- Larceny/Theft Offenses
  - Pocket-Picking
  - Purse-Snatching
  - Shoplifting
  - Theft from Building
  - Theft from Coin Operated Machine or Device
  - Theft from Motor Vehicle
  - Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts or Accessories
  - All Other Larceny
- Motor Vehicle Theft
- Robbery
- Stolen Property Offenses

# **OFFENSE OVERVIEW**

The following is an overview of 2021 crime data including Group A offenses and Group B arrests.

The data includes Index Crime Volume and Change. This is data on eight major offenses (criminal homicide, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft and arson) that the FBI uses to evaluate changes and trends.

An offense is considered cleared when at least one person involved in the commission of the offenses has been (1) arrested, (2) charged, and (3) turned over to the court for prosecution.

An incident is cleared by exceptional means if some element beyond law enforcement control prevents filing of formal charges against the offender. Agencies can clear an offense exceptionally if they can answer all of the following in the affirmative.

- Has the investigation definitively established the identity of the offender?
- Is there enough information to support an arrest, charge, and turning over to the court for prosecution?
- Is the exact location of the offender known so that the subject could be taken into custody now?
- Is there some reason outside law enforcement control that precludes arresting, charging, and prosecuting the offender (examples include suicide, deathbed confessions, double murder, etc.)?

Additional definitions and data are available in the Minnesota Crime Data Explorer.

#### 2020 Population Estimate 5,707,390

| Group A Offense Overview              |         |
|---------------------------------------|---------|
| Offense Total                         | 277,953 |
| Number Cleared                        | 76,401  |
| Percent Cleared                       | 27%     |
| Group A Crimes per 100,000 population | 4,870   |
| <b>Group A Arrest Overview</b>        |         |

| Total Arrests                  | 111,414 |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Adult Arrests                  | 102,856 |
| Juvenile Arrests               | 8,482   |
| Unknown Age                    | 76      |
| Arrests per 100,000 population | 1,952   |

#### **Index Crime Volume and % Change**

| Measure                     | 2020    | 2021    | %<br>Change  |
|-----------------------------|---------|---------|--------------|
| Total Crime Index           | 134,786 | 136,249 | 1%           |
| Total Violent Crime         | 14,495  | 17,631  | 22%          |
| Total Property Crime        | 120,291 | 118,618 | -1%          |
| Total Crime Rate            | 2.382   | 2,387   | 0%           |
| Violent Crime Rate          | 256     | 309     | 21%          |
| Property Crime Rate         | 2,126   | 2,078   | -2%          |
| 2021 Index Crime<br>Cleared | C       | eared   | %<br>Cleared |
| Violent Crime Cleared       |         | 5,741   | 32.6%        |
| Property Crime Cleare       | d       | 16,393  | 13.8%        |
| Total Index Crime Clear     | ed      | 22,134  | 16.2%        |

#### **Group B Arrests**

| Offense                                  | Adult  | Juvenile |
|--|--------|----------|
| Bad Checks                               | 178    | 0        |
| Curfew/Loitering/<br>Vagrancy Violations | 493    | 194      |
| Disorderly Conduct                       | 4,404  | 552      |
| Driving Under the<br>Influence           | 14,687 | 112      |
| Drunkenness                              | 27     | 0        |
| Family Offenses<br>(Nonviolent)          | 147    | 1        |
| Liquor Law Violations                    | 3,525  | 548      |
| Peeping Tom                              | 15     | 1        |
| Trespass of Real<br>Property             | 4,186  | 137      |
| All Other Offenses                       | 24,553 | 851      |
| Total Group B                            | 52,261 | 2,422    |

#### **Group A Offenses**

| Crimes Against Persons                     | Offenses<br>Reported | Crime Rate<br>per 100,00 | Cleared by<br>Arrest or<br>Exceptional<br>Means | Cleared<br>Involving<br>Under 18 only | Percent<br>Cleared |
|--|----------------------|--------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter       | 201                  | 4                        | 125   | 10                                    | 62%                |
| Negligent Manslaughter                     | 68                   | 1                        | 44  | 2                                     | 65%                |
| Aggravated Assault                         | 10,967               | 192                      | 4,338   | 299                                   | 40%                |
| Simple Assault                             | 23,522               | 412                      | 11,112  | 1,036                                 | 47%                |
| Intimidation                               | 9,806                | 172                      | 3,712   | 252                                   | 38%                |
| Kidnapping/Abduction                       | 637                  | 11                       | 234   | 7                                     | 37%                |
| Rape                                       | 2,019                | 35                       | 490   | 42                                    | 24%                |
| Sodomy                                     | 325                  | 6                        | 84  | 15                                    | 26%                |
| Sexual Assault With An Object              | 128                  | 2                        | 26  | 3                                     | 20%                |
| Fondling                                   | 2,536                | 44                       | 587   | 48                                    | 23%                |
| Incest                                     | 8                    | 0                        | 1   | 0                                     | 13%                |
| Statutory Rape                             | 1                    | 0                        | 0   | 0                                     | 0%                 |
| Commercial Sex Acts                        | 125                  | 2                        | 61  | 0                                     | 49%                |
| Involuntary Servitude                      | 4                    | 0                        | 0   | 0                                     | 0%                 |
| Crimes Against Property                    |                      |                          |   |                                       |                    |
| Arson                                      | 716                  | 13                       | 155   | 16                                    | 22%                |
| Bribery                                    | 5                    | 0                        | 5   | 0                                     | 100%               |
| Burglary/Breaking & Entering               | 14,429               | 253                      | 1,907   | 154                                   | 13%                |
| Counterfeiting/Forgery                     | 4,030                | 71                       | 819   | 17                                    | 20%                |
| Destruction/Damage/Vandalism               | 34,909               | 612                      | 3,934   | 416                                   | 11%                |
| Embezzlement                               | 195                  | 3                        | 64  | 12                                    | 33%                |
| Extortion/Blackmail                        | 204                  | 4                        | 7   | 0                                     | 3%                 |
| False Pretenses/Swindle/Confidence Game    | 7,286                | 128                      | 959   | 31                                    | 13%                |
| Credit Card/ATM Fraud                      | 6,217                | 109                      | 519   | 21                                    | 8%                 |
| Impersonation                              | 1,038                | 18                       | 662   | 44                                    | 64%                |
| Welfare Fraud                              | 390                  | 7                        | 48  | 0                                     | 12%                |
| Wire Fraud                                 | 338                  | 6                        | 4   | 0                                     | 1%                 |
| Identity Theft                             | 7,526                | 132                      | 1,328   | 30                                    | 18%                |
| Hacking/Computer Invasion                  | 218                  | 4                        | 8   | 0                                     | 4%                 |
| Robbery                                    | 3,991                | 70                       | 678   | 267                                   | 17%                |
| Pocket-picking                             | 546                  | 10                       | 81  | 2                                     | 15%                |
| Purse-snatching                            | 607                  | 11                       | 37  | 12                                    | 6%                 |
| Shoplifting                                | 17,867               | 313                      | 9,194   | 493                                   | 51%                |
| Theft From Building                        | 7,091                | 124                      | 695   | 45                                    | 10%                |
| Theft From Coin Operated Machine or Device | 31                   | 1                        | 4   | 0                                     | 13%                |
| Theft From Motor Vehicle                   | 21,822               | 382                      | 570   | 39                                    | 3%                 |
| Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts/Accessories   | 13,048               | 229                      | 142   | 4                                     | 1%                 |
| All Other Larceny                          | 27,632               | 484                      | 2,396   | 154                                   | 9%                 |
| Motor Vehicle Theft                        | 14,829               | 260                      | 1,212   | 190                                   | 8%                 |
| Stolen Property Offenses                   | 4,676                | 82                       | 2,627   | 278                                   | 56%                |

## **OFFENSE OVERVIEW**

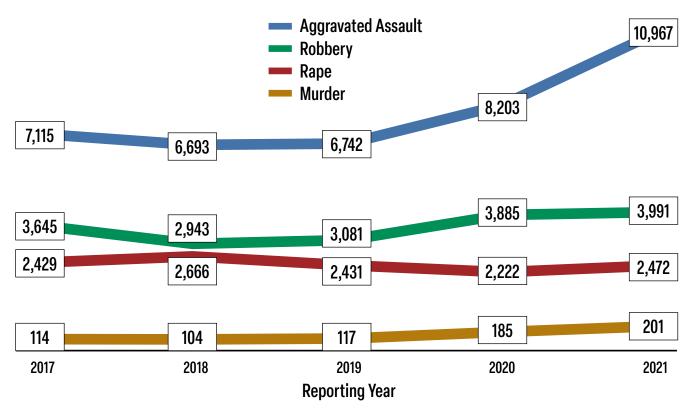
#### Group A Offenses (continued)

| Crimes Against Society                 | Offenses<br>Reported | Crime Rate<br>per 100,00 | Cleared by<br>Arrest or<br>Exceptional<br>Means | Cleared<br>Involving<br>Under 18 only | Percent<br>Cleared |
|--|----------------------|--------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Drug/Narcotic Violations               | 20,693               | 363                      | 16,522  | 807                                   | 80%                |
| Drug Equipment Violations              | 8,784                | 154                      | 6,980   | 451                                   | 79%                |
| Betting/Wagering                       | 15                   | 0                        | 11  | 3                                     | 73%                |
| Operating/Promoting/Assisting Gambling | 10                   | 0                        | 3   | 0                                     | 30%                |
| Gambling Equipment Violations          | 2                    | 0                        | 0   | 0                                     | 0%                 |
| Sports Tampering                       | 0                    | 0                        | 0   | 0                                     | n/a                |
| Pornography/Obscene Material           | 981                  | 17                       | 174   | 0                                     | 18%                |
| Prostitution                           | 30                   | 1                        | 11  | 0                                     | 37%                |
| Assisting or Promoting Prostitution    | 4                    | 0                        | 1   | 0                                     | 25%                |
| Purchasing Prostitution                | 69                   | 1                        | 62  | 0                                     | 90%                |
| Weapon Law Violations                  | 6,999                | 123                      | 3,663   | 331                                   | 52%                |
| Animal Cruelty                         | 378                  | 7                        | 105   | 4                                     | 28%                |
| Total Group A Offenses                 | 277,953              | 4,870                    | 76,401  | 5,535                                 | 27%                |

| Year | Total Index<br>Crimes | % Change | Violent<br>Crime Total | % Change<br>Violent<br>Crime | Property<br>Crime Total | % Change<br>Property<br>Crime | Crime Rate | % Change<br>Crime Rate |
|------|-----------------------|----------|------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|------------------------|
| 2017 | 136,001               | 4.1%     | 13,303                 | 1.0%                         | 122,698                 | 4.4%                          | 2,348.8    | 3.0%                   |
| 2018 | 124,406               | -8.5%    | 12,406                 | -6.7%                        | 111,999                 | -8.7%                         | 2,213.1    | -9.3%                  |
| 2019 | 130,483               | 4.9%     | 12,371                 | -0.3%                        | 117,864                 | 5.2%                          | 2,313.7    | 4.5%                   |
| 2020 | 134,786               | 3.3%     | 14,495                 | 17.2%                        | 120,291                 | 2.1%                          | 2,382.5    | 3.0%                   |
| 2021 | 136,249               | 1.1%     | 17,631                 | 21.6%                        | 118,618                 | -1.4%                         | 2,387.2    | .2%                    |

## **OFFENSE OVERVIEW**

#### **VIOLENT CRIME TRENDS**



#### **Domestic Violence by Offense Type**

| Domestic Incident Victims            | 2021   |
|--------------------------------------|--------|
| Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter | 34     |
| Aggravated Assault                   | 3,052  |
| Simple Assault                       | 11,432 |
| Intimidation                         | 4,550  |
| Rape                                 | 602    |
| Sodomy                               | 125    |
| Sexual Assault with an Object        | 28     |
| Fondling                             | 876    |
| Incest                               | 6      |
| Statutory Rape                       | 0      |
| Total Offenses                       | 20,705 |

Additional detailed data is available in the *Minnesota Crime Data Explorer*.

# **INDEX CRIMES**

### **VIOLENT CRIME OVERVIEW**

Violent crime in Minnesota accounted for 6.3 percent of all offenses reported in 2021. There were 17,631 total violent crimes for the year. Compared with the 14,495 total violent crimes reported for 2020, the 2021 figure represents an increase of 21.6 percent in violent crime for the state. The number of violent crimes for the state was 308.9 per 100,000 population.

- Murder Offenses involving murder totaled 201 in 2021 in Minnesota compared to 185 in 2020, an increase of 8.65 percent.
- Rape There were 2,472 rapes reported in 2021 and 2,222 in 2020, an increase of 11.25 percent.
- Robbery There were 3,991 robberies reported in 2021 and 3,885 in 2020, an increase of 2.73 percent.
- Aggravated Assault Offenses involving aggravated assault totaled 10,967 in 2021 in Minnesota compared to 8,203 in 2020, an increase of 33.69 percent.

Violent crime data is provided below by statewide totals, the seven-county Twin Cities metro area, and all counties excluding the Twin Cities metro area.

|                      |          | Homicid | e        | Rape  |       |              | Robbery |       |          | Aggravated Assault |        |          |
|----------------------|----------|---------|----------|-------|-------|--------------|---------|-------|----------|--------------------|--------|----------|
| Violent Crime        | 2020     | 2021    | % Change | 2020  | 2021  | % Change     | 2020    | 2021  | % Change | 2020               | 2021   | % Change |
| Statewide            | 185      | 201     | 8.65%    | 2,222 | 2,472 | 11.25%       | 3885    | 3991  | 2.73%    | 8,203              | 10,967 | 33.69%   |
|                      | Homicide |         |          | Rape  |       |              | Robbery |       |          | Aggravated Assault |        |          |
| Metro County         | 2020     | 2021    | % Change | 2020  | 2021  | % Change     | 2020    | 2021  | % Change | 2020               | 2021   | % Change |
| Anoka<br>County      | 7        | 1       | -86.00%  | 107   | 107   | 0.00%        | 117     | 82    | -29.91%  | 384                | 399    | 3.91%    |
| Carver<br>County     | 0        | 1       | 100.00%  | 16    | 18    | 12.50%       | 9       | 3     | -66.67%  | 28                 | 33     | 17.86%   |
| Dakota<br>County     | 8        | 9       | 13.00%   | 130   | 168   | 29.23%       | 120     | 89    | -25.83%  | 334                | 526    | 57.49%   |
| Hennepin<br>County   | 97       | 113     | 16.00%   | 662   | 645   | -2.57%       | 2,199   | 2,837 | 29.01%   | 3,000              | 4,173  | 39.10%   |
| Ramsey<br>County     | 33       | 41      | 24.00%   | 291   | 358   | 23.02%       | 874     | 651   | -25.51%  | 1,479              | 2,031  | 37.32%   |
| Scott<br>County      | 3        | 1       | -67.00%  | 49    | 48    | -2.04%       | 26      | 14    | -46.15%  | 103                | 97     | -5.83%   |
| Washington<br>County | 1        | 4       | 300.00%  | 84    | 89    | 5.95%        | 54      | 48    | -11.11%  | 98                 | 193    | 96.94%   |
| Total                | 149      | 170     | 14%      | 1,339 | 1,433 | <b>7.02%</b> | 3,399   | 3,724 | 9.56%    | 5,426              | 7,452  | 37.34%   |

|                       | Homicide |      | Rape     |      | Robbery |          |      | Aggravated Assault |          |       |       |          |
|-----------------------|----------|------|----------|------|---------|----------|------|--------------------|----------|-------|-------|----------|
| <b>Violent Crime</b>  | 2020     | 2021 | % Change | 2020 | 2021    | % Change | 2020 | 2021               | % Change | 2020  | 2021  | % Change |
| All Other<br>Counties | 36       | 31   | -13.89%  | 883  | 1,039   | 17.67%   | 486  | 267                | -45.06%  | 2,777 | 3,515 | 26.58%   |

### **PROPERTY CRIME OVERVIEW**

Property crime in Minnesota in 2021 amounted to 42.7 percent of all offenses reported. There were a total of 118,618 property crimes reported in 2021. Compared with the 120,291 offenses reported in 2020, the 2021 figure represents a decrease of 1.4 percent in property crime for the state. The number of property crimes for the state per 100,000 population for 2021 was 2,078 and in 2020 it was 2,126.

- Burglary There were 14,429 burglaries reported in 2021 and 16,789 in 2020, a decrease of 14 percent.
- Larceny/Theft There were 88,644 larcenies reported in 2021 and 89,130 in 2020, a decrease of .55 percent.
- Motor Vehicle Theft There were 14,829 motor vehicle thefts reported in 2021 and 13,662 in 2020, an increase of 8.54 percent.
- Arson There were 716 arsons reported in 2021 and 710 in 2020, an increase of .85 percent.

|                       | Burglary |        |          | Larceny |                     | Motor Vehicle Theft |        |        | Arson    |      |      |          |
|-----------------------|----------|--------|----------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|--------|--------|----------|------|------|----------|
| <b>Property Crime</b> | 2020     | 2021   | % Change | 2020    | 2021                | % Change            | 2020   | 2021   | % Change | 2020 | 2021 | % Change |
| Statewide             | 16,789   | 14,429 | -14.00%  | 89,130  | 88,644              | -1.00%              | 13,662 | 14,829 | 8.54%    | 710  | 716  | 0.85%    |
|                       | Burglary |        | Larceny  |         | Motor Vehicle Theft |                     | Arson  |        |          |      |      |          |
| Metro County          | 2020     | 2021   | % Change | 2020    | 2021                | % Change            | 2020   | 2021   | % Change | 2020 | 2021 | % Change |
| Anoka<br>County       | 681      | 568    | -16.59%  | 5,479   | 4,970               | -9.29%              | 566    | 552    | -2.47%   | 46   | 37   | -19.57%  |
| Carver<br>County      | 98       | 92     | -6.12%   | 735     | 667                 | -9.25%              | 44     | 51     | 15.91%   | 4    | 7    | 75.00%   |
| Dakota<br>County      | 725      | 679    | -6.34%   | 6,925   | 7,324               | 5.76%               | 672    | 763    | 13.54%   | 40   | 18   | -55.00%  |
| Hennepin<br>County    | 5,902    | 4,982  | -15.59%  | 26,967  | 27,347              | 1.41%               | 5,645  | 6,428  | 13.87%   | 186  | 200  | 7.53%    |
| Ramsey<br>County      | 3,126    | 2,587  | -17.24%  | 12,692  | 14,652              | 15.44%              | 3,574  | 3,538  | -1.01%   | 190  | 254  | 33.68%   |
| Scott<br>County       | 222      | 152    | -31.53%  | 1,903   | 2,062               | 8.36%               | 136    | 190    | 39.71%   | 3    | 6    | 100.00%  |
| Washington<br>County  | 627      | 516    | -17.70%  | 4,098   | 3,657               | -10.76%             | 317    | 397    | 25.24%   | 25   | 20   | -20.00%  |
| Total                 | 11,381   | 9,576  | -15.86%  | 58,799  | 60,679              | 3.20%               | 10,954 | 11,919 | 8.81%    | 494  | 542  | 9.72%    |

|                       | Burglary |       | Larceny  |        |        | Motor Vehicle Theft |       |       | Arson    |      |      |          |
|-----------------------|----------|-------|----------|--------|--------|---------------------|-------|-------|----------|------|------|----------|
| <b>Property Crime</b> | 2020     | 2021  | % Change | 2020   | 2021   | % Change            | 2020  | 2021  | % Change | 2020 | 2021 | % Change |
| All Other<br>Counties | 5,408    | 4,853 | -10.26%  | 30,331 | 27,965 | -7.80%              | 2,708 | 2,910 | 7.46%    | 216  | 174  | -19.44%  |

Typically auto theft occurs when the owner of the vehicle is not around and the vehicle itself is unoccupied. A carjacking is when the vehicle is taken by force (robbery) while the driver or passengers are entering or within the vehicle.

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# **CRIMES OF VIOLENCE – HOMICIDE**

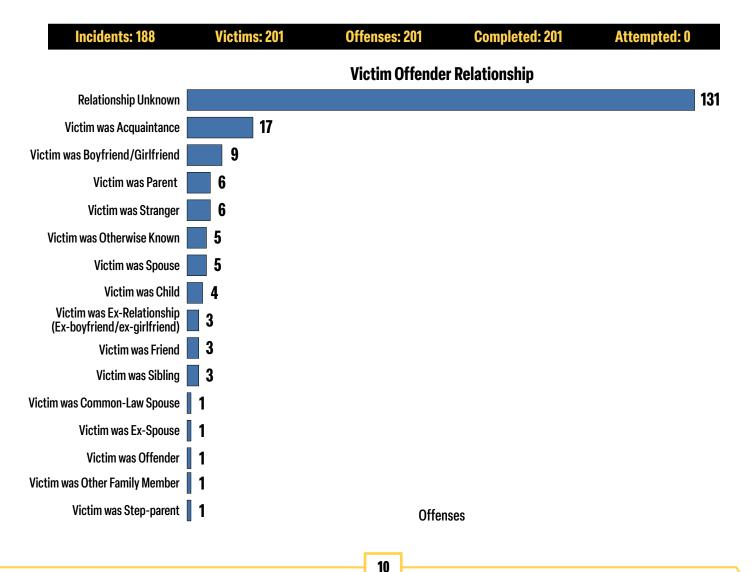
## **CRIMINAL HOMICIDE – MURDER**

Criminal homicide involves those offenses of murder and non-negligent homicide that are classified as willful felonious deaths as distinguished from deaths caused by negligence. "Attempts to kill" are reported as aggravated assaults and not as murder. Justifiable or excusable homicides, suicides, accidental deaths, and deaths due to negligence are not tabulated in the state criminal homicide total.

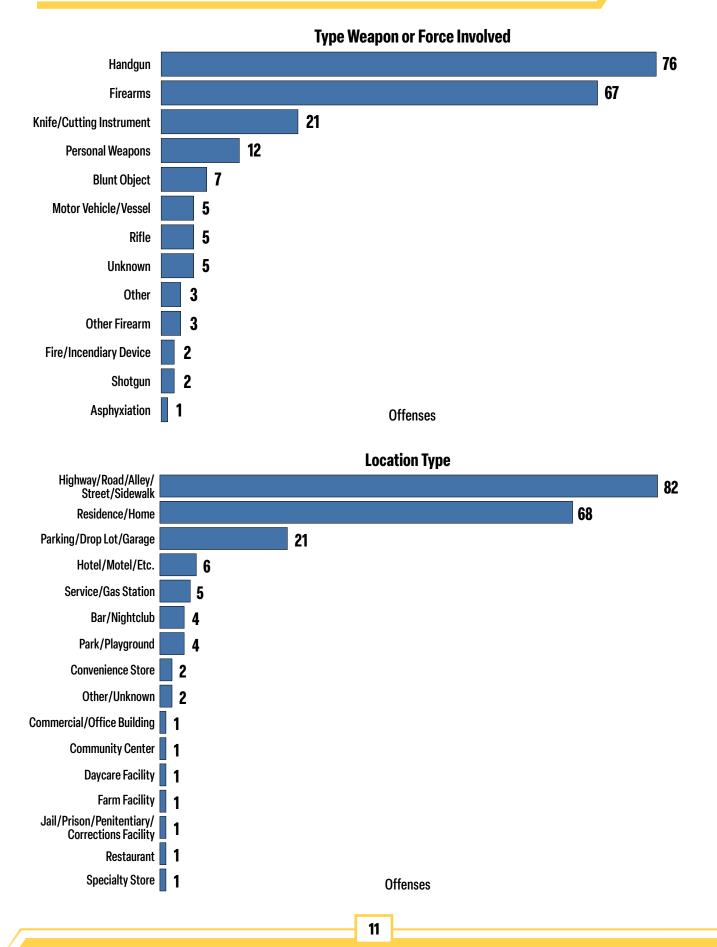
#### SUMMARY HOMICIDE INFORMATION

In 2021, there were 204 homicides reported for the state, three were ruled justifiable, yielding a total of 201 criminal homicide victims. 125 criminal homicides were cleared by arrests or exceptional means in 2021, with 10 of these arrests of a juvenile only. There were 68 negligent homicides reported for the year. The crime rate for criminal homicide in 2021 was 3.5 per 100,000 population.

Data on homicide of an unborn victim is collected to meet Minnesota reporting requirements. It does not meet the FBI's Uniform Crime Reporting definition of Homicide. As a result, homicide of an unborn is reported as a separate category. There were 3 homicides of an unborn in 2021.

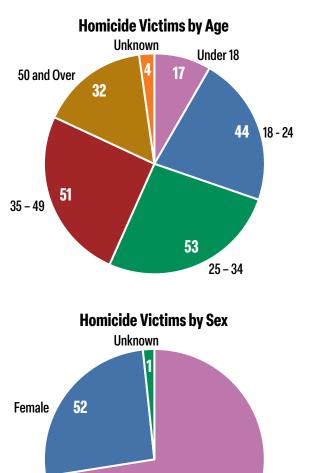


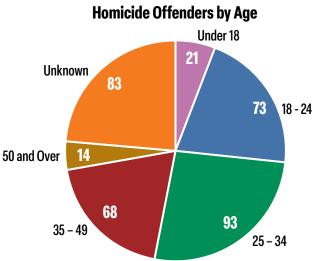
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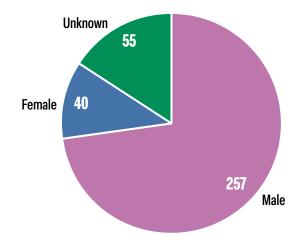
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## **CRIMES OF VIOLENCE – HOMICIDE**

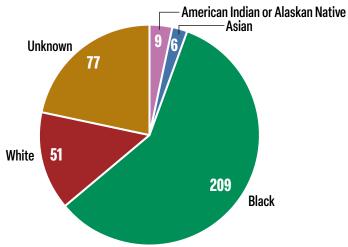




**Homicide Offenders by Sex** 



Homicide Offenders by Race



Homicide Victims by Race Unknown 45 White 56 Black

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Male

#### Homicides by Agency

| Agency                    | Victim<br>Count | Incident<br>Count |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Austin Police Dept        | 2               | 2                 |
| Beltrami County Sheriff   | 2               | 2                 |
| Bloomington Police Dept   | 1               | 1                 |
| Brooklyn Center PD        | 4               | 4                 |
| Brooklyn Park Police Dept | 6               | 6                 |
| Burnsville Police Dept    | 1               | 1                 |
| Carlton County Sheriff    | 1               | 1                 |
| Carver County Sheriff     | 1               | 1                 |
| Chisago County Sheriff    | 1               | 1                 |
| Crow Wing County Sheriff  | 1               | 1                 |
| Duluth Police Dept        | 1               | 1                 |
| Eagan Police Dept         | 1               | 1                 |
| Eden Prairie Police Dept  | 1               | 1                 |
| Faribault Police Dept     | 1               | 1                 |
| Farmington Police Dept    | 3               | 1                 |
| Fridley Police Dept       | 1               | 1                 |
| Hastings Police Dept      | 1               | 1                 |
| Hopkins Police Dept       | 1               | 1                 |
| Inver Grove Heights PD    | 1               | 1                 |
| Isanti County Sheriff     | 1               | 1                 |
| Lakeville Police Dept     | 1               | 1                 |
| Le Sueur County Sheriff   | 1               | 1                 |
| Little Falls Police Dept  | 1               | 1                 |
| Long Prairie Police Dept  | 1               | 1                 |
| Mankato DPS               | 2               | 2                 |

#### **Homicides by Agency**

| Agency                   | Victim<br>Count | Incident<br>Count |
|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Maplewood Police Dept    | 1               | 1                 |
| Meeker County Sheriff    | 1               | 1                 |
| Minneapolis Police Dept  | 93              | 90                |
| Moorhead Police Dept     | 2               | 2                 |
| Mounds View Police Dept  | 1               | 1                 |
| New Hope Police Dept     | 1               | 1                 |
| Renville Police Dept     | 1               | 1                 |
| Richfield Police Dept    | 1               | 1                 |
| Robbinsdale Police Dept  | 4               | 3                 |
| Rochester Police Dept    | 1               | 1                 |
| Roseville Police Dept    | 1               | 1                 |
| Shakopee Police Dept     | 1               | 1                 |
| St Anthony Police Dept   | 1               | 1                 |
| St Cloud Police Dept     | 5               | 5                 |
| St Louis County Sheriff  | 2               | 1                 |
| St Paul Police Dept      | 38              | 32                |
| Virginia Police Dept     | 1               | 1                 |
| Wabasha County Sheriff   | 1               | 1                 |
| Washington CO Sheriff    | 1               | 1                 |
| West St Paul Police Dept | 1               | 1                 |
| Winona Police Dept       | 1               | 1                 |
| Woodbury Public Safety   | 3               | 3                 |
| Wright County Sheriff    | 1               | 1                 |
| Total Homicides          | 201             | 188               |

# **CRIMES OF VIOLENCE - RAPE**

## RAPE

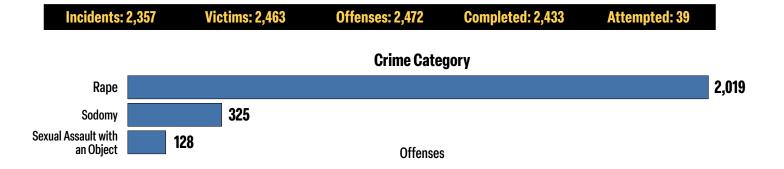
This includes any sexual act directed against another person, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent.

The FBI Uniform Crime Reporting definition for rape includes "the penetration, no matter how slight, of the vagina or anus with any body part or object, or oral penetration by a sex organ of another person, without the consent of the victim. For this section, it includes the following offenses.

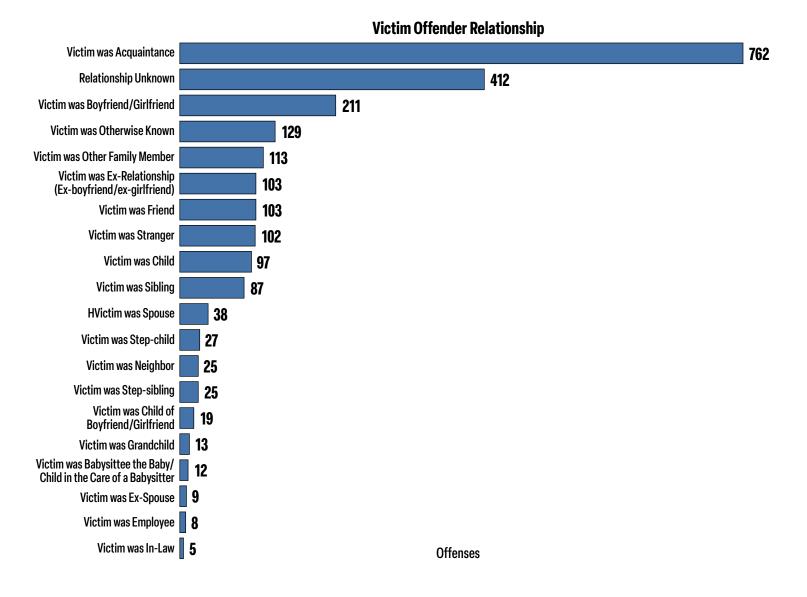
- Rape (except incest and statutory rape) the carnal knowledge of a person, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her age or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.
- Sodomy oral or anal sexual intercourse with another person, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her age or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.
- Sexual assault with an object to use an object or instrument to unlawfully penetrate, however slightly, the genital or anal opening of the body of another person, without the consent of the victim, including instances where the victim is incapable of giving consent because of his/her age or because of his/her temporary or permanent mental or physical incapacity.

#### SUMMARY RAPE INFORMATION

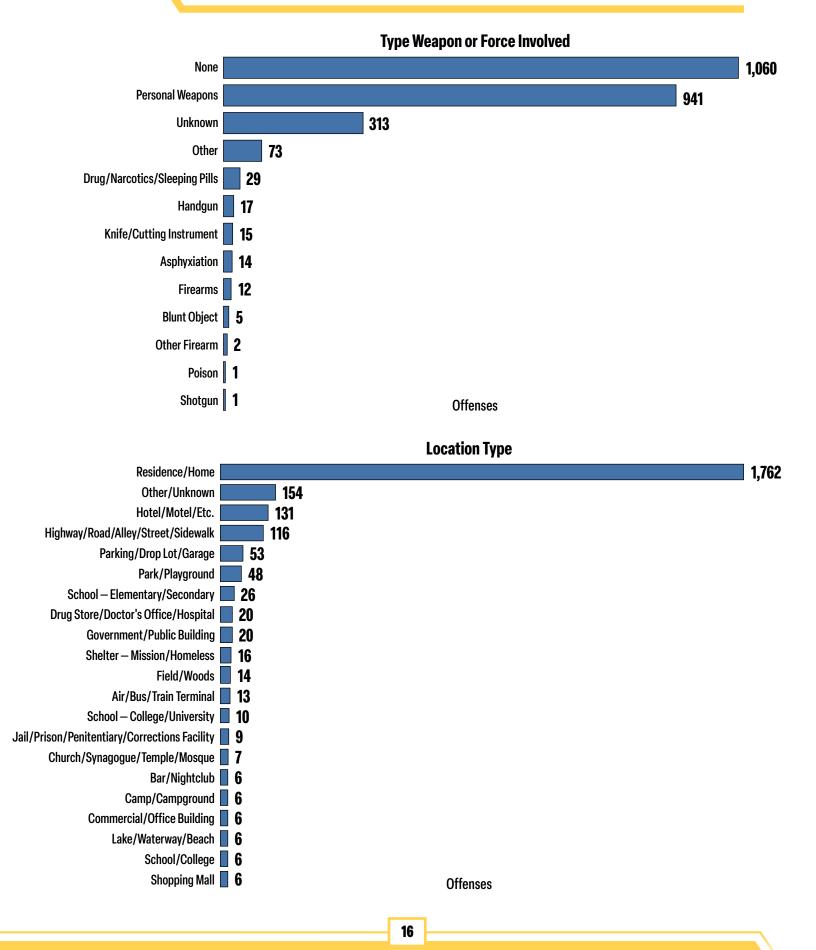
In 2021, there were 2,472 offenses of rape reported, with 2,463 victims. Of the offenses reported, 2,433 were completed and 39 were attempted. 600 rapes were cleared. The crime rate for rape in 2021 was 43.3 per 100,000 population.



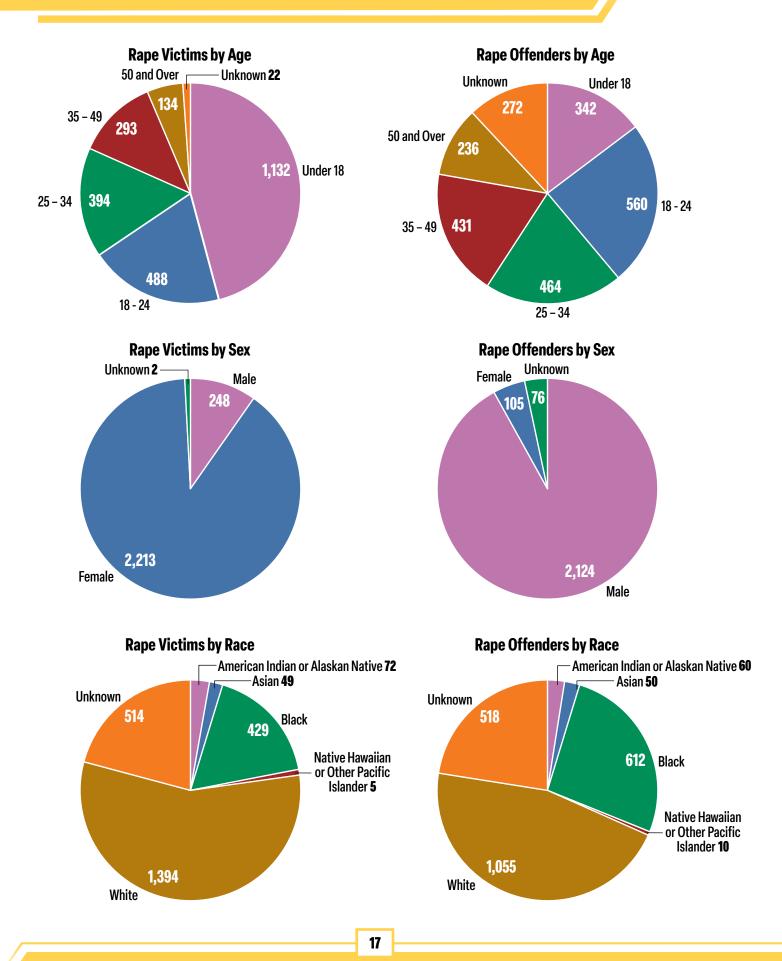
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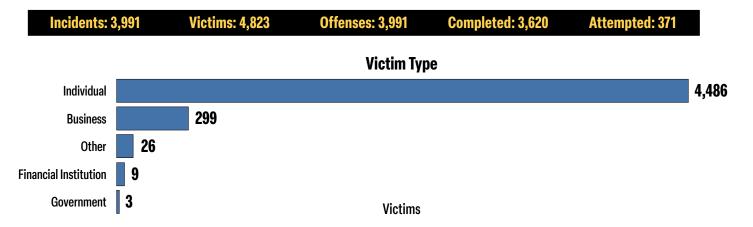
### ROBBERY

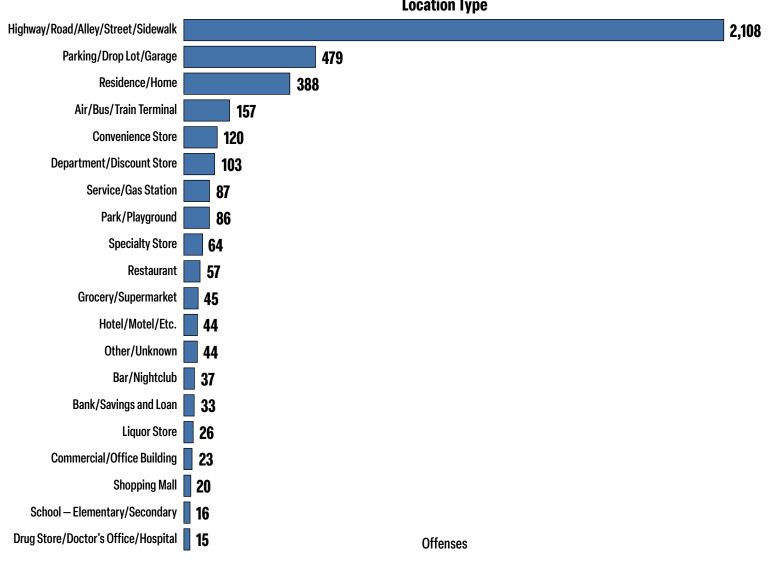
A robbery is the taking of anything of value from the control, custody, or care of another person by force or threat of force and/or by putting the victim in fear of immediate harm.

A carjacking is a robbery where the property stolen by force is a motor vehicle. Carjackings are listed by agency on page 23.

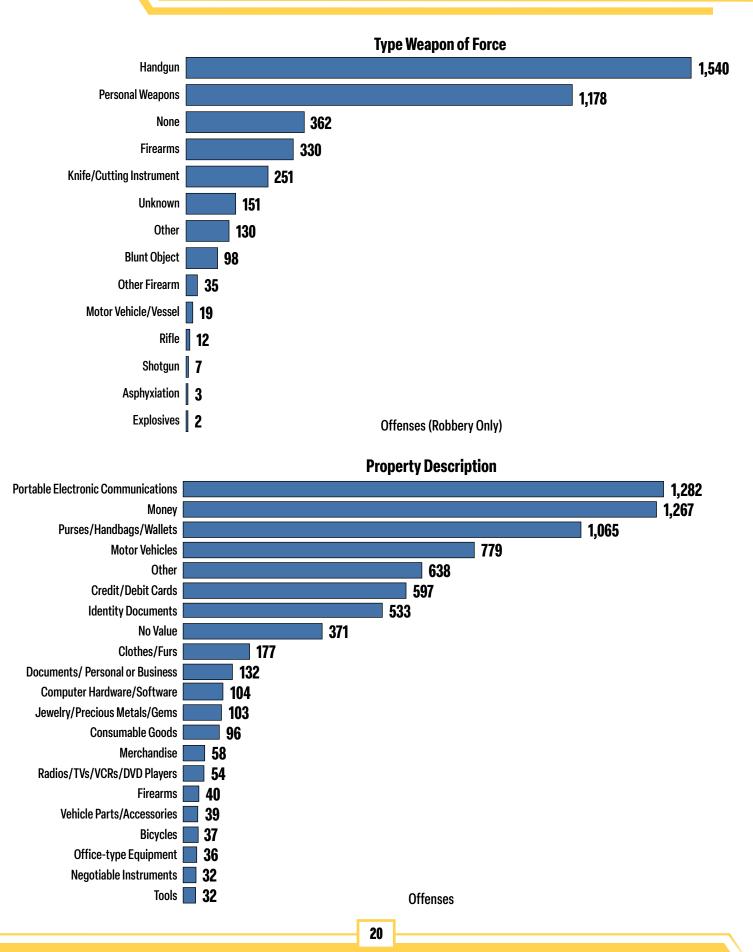
#### SUMMARY ROBBERY INFORMATION

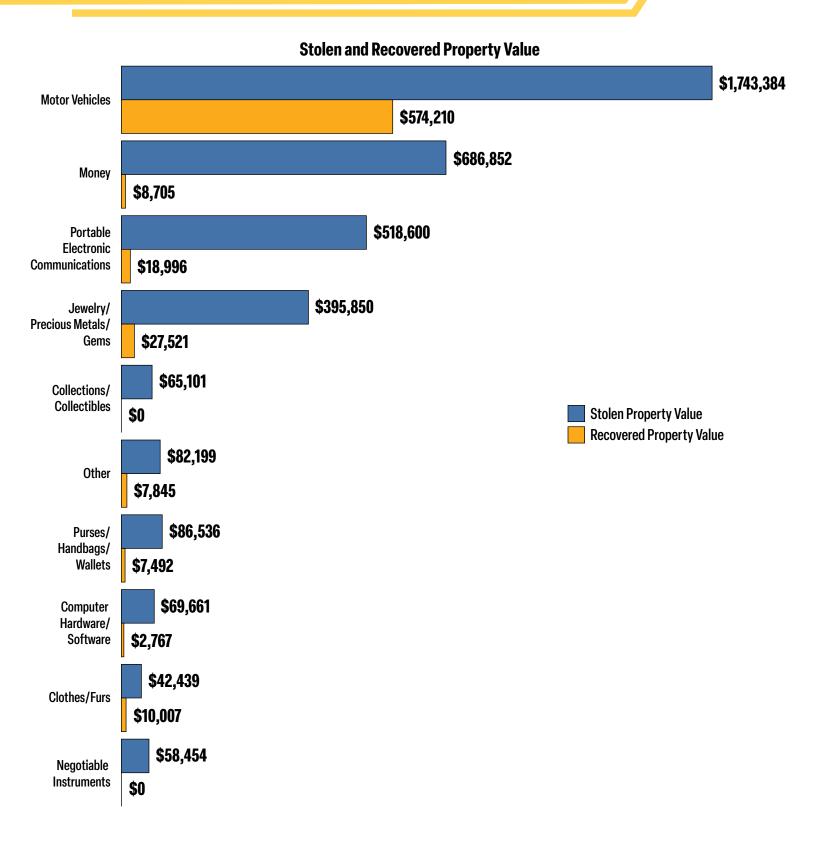
In 2021, 3,991 offenses of robbery were reported with 4,823 victims. 678 robberies were cleared by arrest or exceptional means with 267 of these by the arrest of a juvenile only. The crime rate for robbery for 2021 was 69.9 per 100,000 population. Carjacking is a subset of robbery, for 2021 there were 779 carjackings reported.

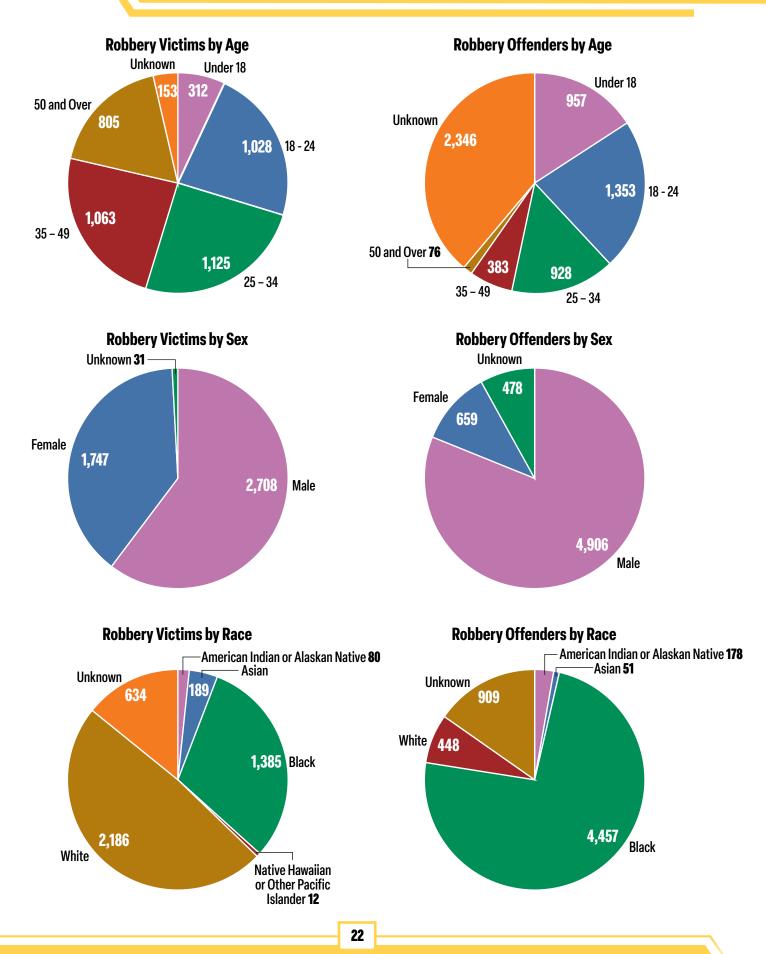




#### **Location Type**







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#### **Carjackings by Agency 2021**

| Agency                                       | Incident Count |
|--|----------------|
| Apple Valley Police Dept                     | 1              |
| Bemidji Police Dept                          | 1              |
| Big Lake Police Dept                         | 1              |
| Blaine Police Dept                           | 3              |
| Bloomington Police Dept                      | 3              |
| Brooklyn Center Police Dept                  | 7              |
| Brooklyn Park Police Dept                    | 12             |
| Burnsville Police Dept                       | 1              |
| Columbia Heights PD                          | 1              |
| Crystal Police Dept                          | 2              |
| Duluth Police Dept                           | 1              |
| Eden Prairie Police Dept                     | 2              |
| Edina Police Dept                            | 1              |
| Fergus Falls Police Dept                     | 1              |
| Fridley Police Dept                          | 5              |
| Golden Valley Police Dept                    | 2              |
| Hopkins Police Dept                          | 1              |
| Inver Grove Heights Police Dept              | 1              |
| Maple Grove Police Dept                      | 3              |
| Maplewood Police Dept                        | 1              |
| Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Tribal Police Dept | 1              |
| Minneapolis Police Dept                      | 605            |
| Minnetonka Police Dept                       | 1              |
| New Brighton Dept of Public Safety           | 1              |
| New Hope Police Dept                         | 4              |
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#### **Carjackings by Agency 2021**

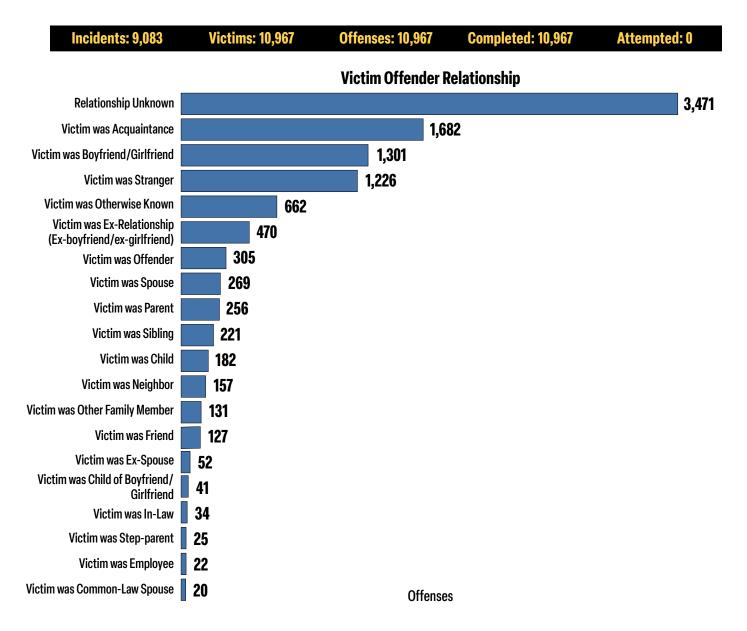
| Agency                                     | Incident Count |
|--|----------------|
| North St Paul Police Dept                  | 1              |
| Northfield Police Dept                     | 1              |
| Orono Police Dept                          | 1              |
| Pine County Sheriff                        | 1              |
| Plymouth Police Dept                       | 1              |
| Ramsey County Sheriff                      | 3              |
| Richfield Police Dept                      | 2              |
| Robbinsdale Police Dept                    | 1              |
| Rochester Police Dept                      | 1              |
| Roseville Police Dept                      | 6              |
| South St Paul Police Dept                  | 1              |
| St Anthony Police Dept                     | 3              |
| St Cloud Police Dept                       | 3              |
| St Louis County Sheriff                    | 1              |
| St Louis Park Police Dept                  | 1              |
| St Paul Park Police Dept                   | 1              |
| St Paul Police Dept                        | 85             |
| University of MN Police Dept - Minneapolis | 1              |
| Washington County Sheriff                  | 2              |
| West St Paul Police Dept                   | 1              |
| Grand Total                                | 779            |

## **AGGRAVATED ASSAULT**

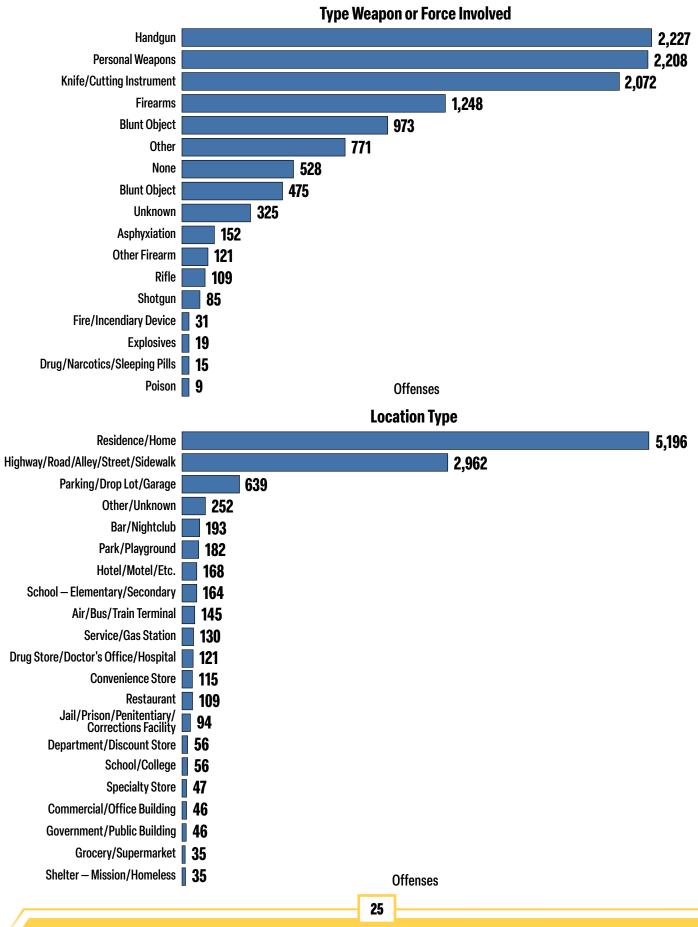
An aggravated assault is an unlawful attack by one person upon another wherein the offender uses a dangerous weapon or displays it in a threatening manner or the victim suffers obvious severe or aggravated bodily injury, or where there was a risk for serious injury/intent to seriously injure.

#### SUMMARY AGGRAVATED ASSAULT INFORMATION

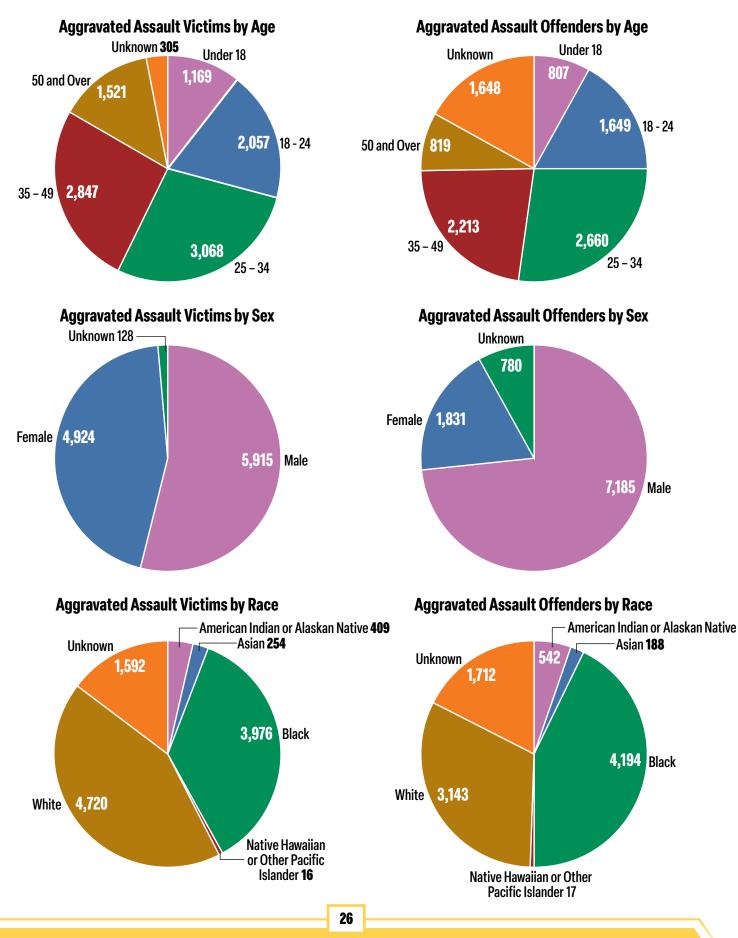
For 2021 there were 10,967 aggravated assaults reported. 4,338 were cleared by arrest or exceptional means with 299 of these by the arrest of a juvenile only. The 2021 crime rate for aggravated assault was 192.2 per 100,000 population.



# **CRIMES OF VIOLENCE – AGGRAVATED ASSAULT**



# **CRIMES OF VIOLENCE – AGGRAVATED ASSAULT**



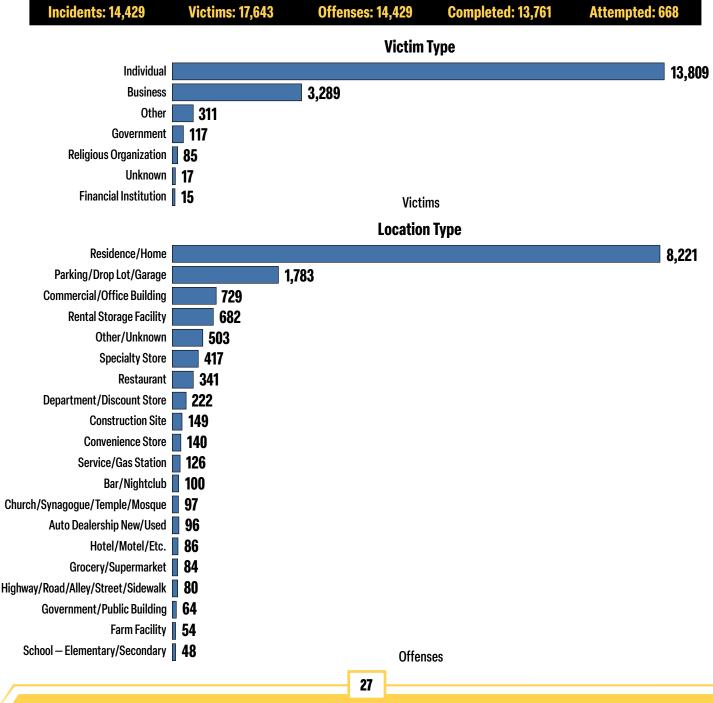
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## BURGLARY

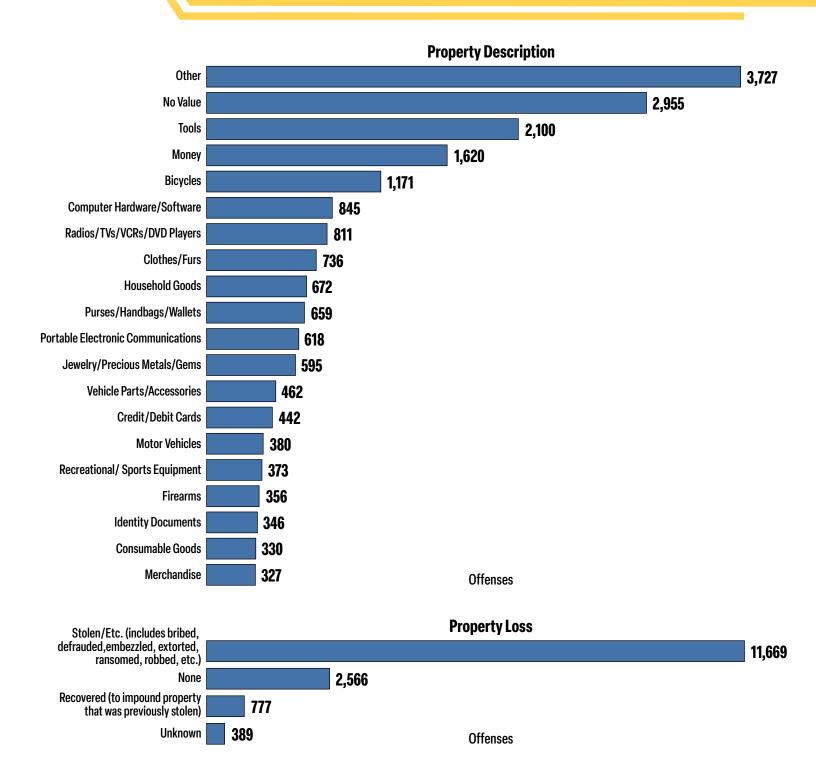
Burglary is the unlawful entry into a building or some other structure to commit a felony or a theft. By definition, a structure has four walls, a roof, and a door. Structure also includes any house trailer or other mobile unit permanently fixed as an office, residence, or storehouse. Tents, tent trailers, motor-homes, house trailers or any other mobile unit used for recreation purposes are not structures.

#### SUMMARY BURGLARY INFORMATION

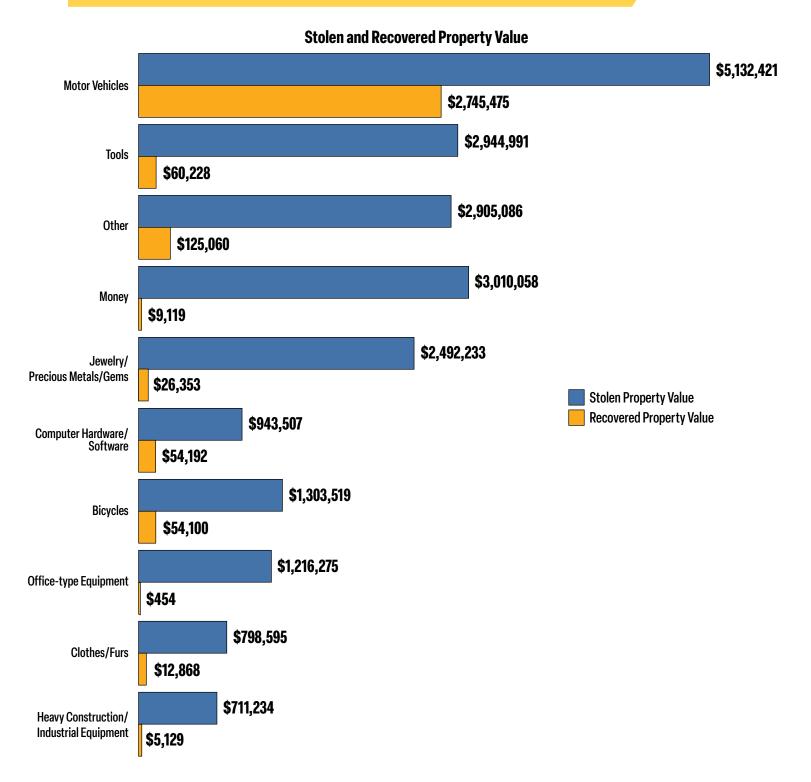
There were 14,429 burglaries reported in 2021 with 17,643 victims. 1,907 burglaries were cleared by arrest or exceptional means with 154 of these by arrest of a juvenile only. For 2021 the crime rate was 252.8 per 100,000 population.



## **PROPERTY CRIMES – BURGLARY**



## **PROPERTY CRIMES – BURGLARY**



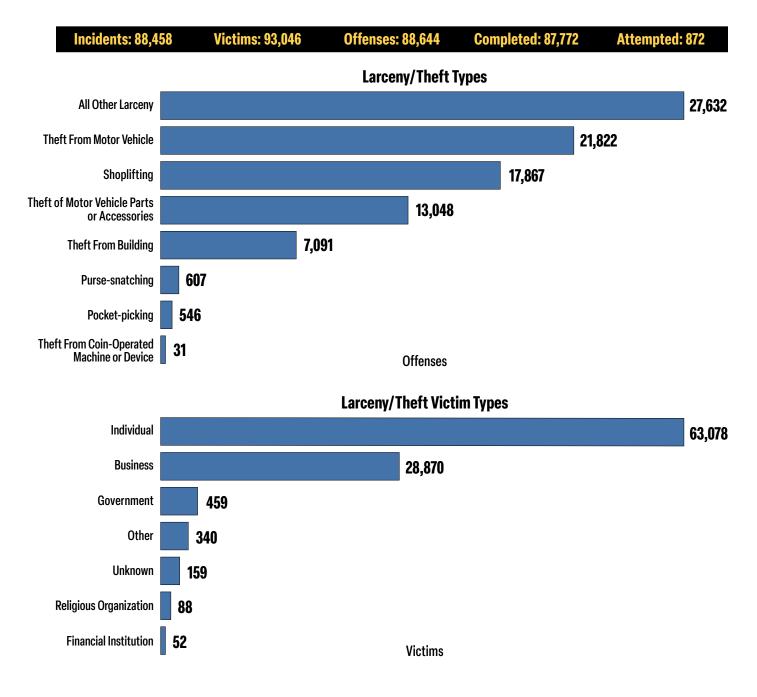
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## LARCENY/THEFT

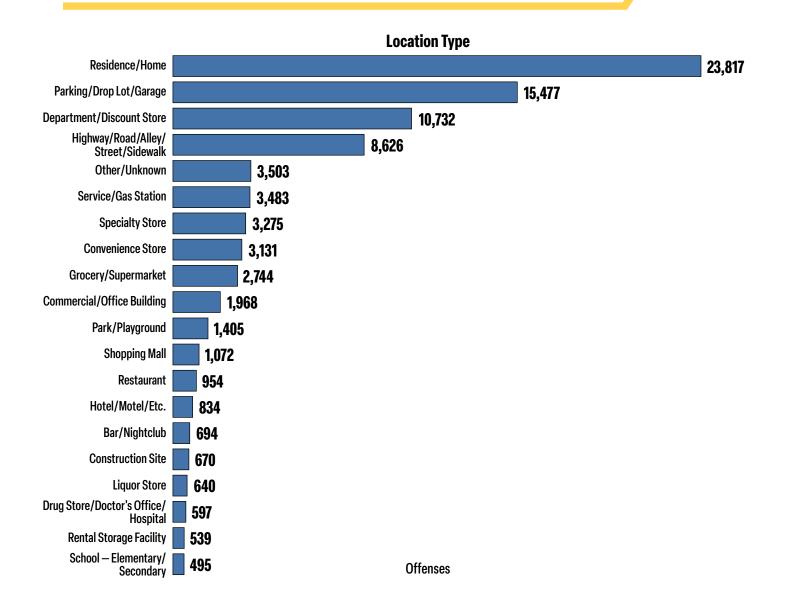
Larceny is the unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another person.

#### SUMMARY LARCENY/THEFT INFORMATION

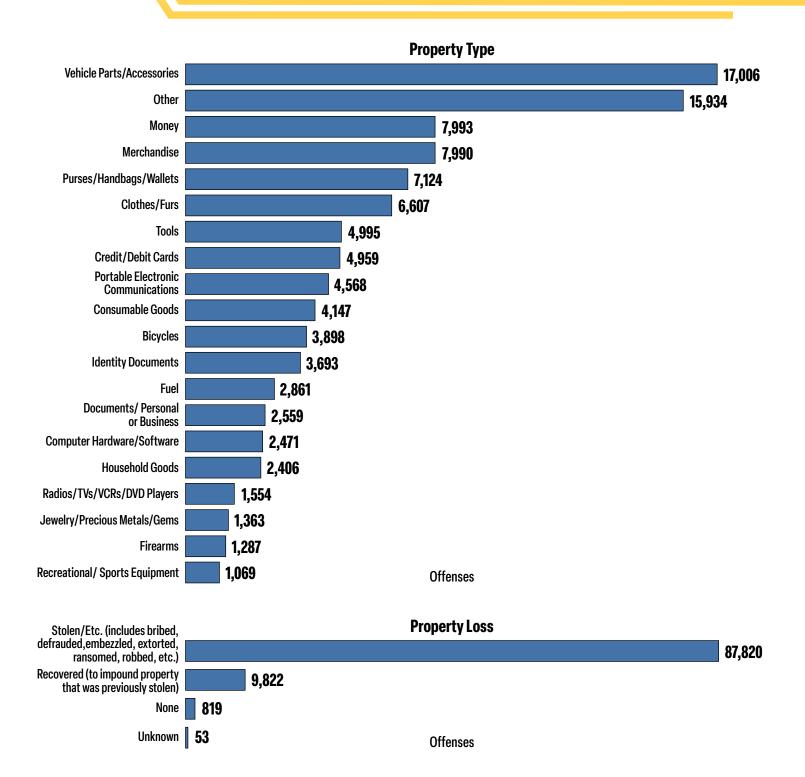
For 2021 there were 88,644 thefts reported, with 93,046 victims. 13,119 thefts were cleared by arrest or exceptional means, and 749 of these arrest of a juvenile only. The 2021 crime rate for thefts was 1553.1 per 100,000 population.



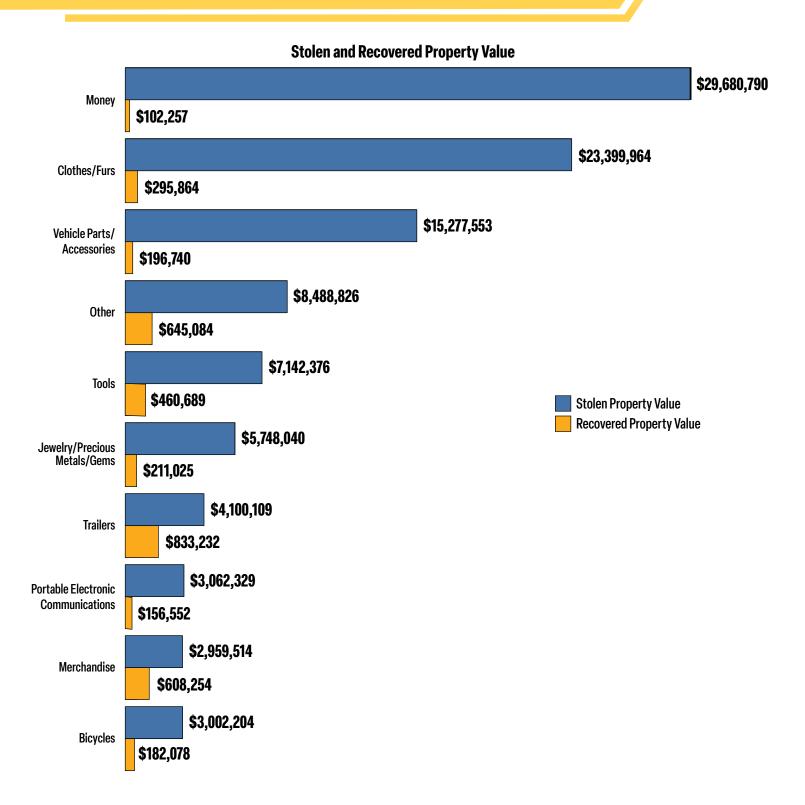
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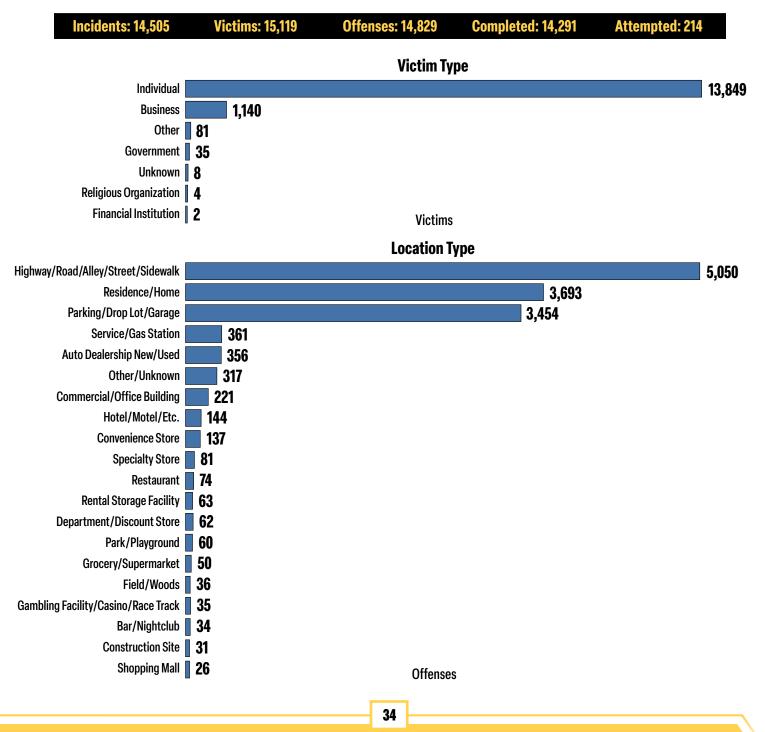


## **MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT**

The theft of a motor vehicle. Typically auto theft occurs when the owner of the vehicle is not around and the vehicle itself is unoccupied. A carjacking is when the vehicle is taken by force (robbery) while the driver or passengers are entering or within the vehicle.

#### SUMMARY MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT INFORMATION

For 2021, 14,829 motor vehicle thefts were reported. 1,212 were cleared by arrest with 190 of these arrest of a juvenile. The crime rate for motor vehicle theft was 259.8 per 100,000.

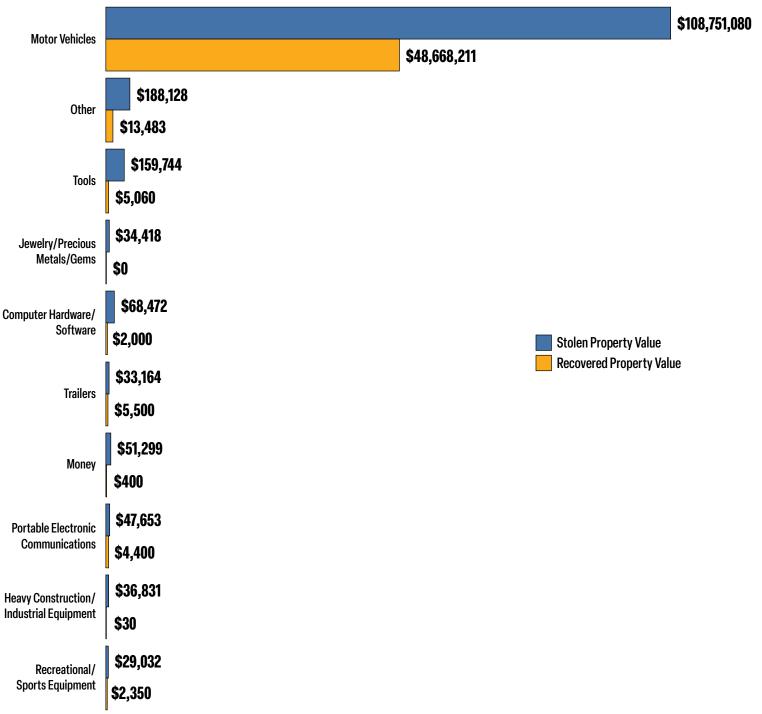


# **PROPERTY CRIMES – MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT**

|  |     | Property Type |        |
|--|-----|---------------|--------|
| Motor Vehicles   |     |               | 14,615 |
| Other  | 247 |               |        |
| No Value   | 214 |               |        |
| Purses/Handbags/Wallets                                    | 136 |               |        |
| Credit/Debit Cards   | 126 |               |        |
| Portable Electronic<br>Communications                      | 121 |               |        |
| Identity Documents   | 116 |               |        |
| Money  | 93  |               |        |
| Tools  | 91  |               |        |
| Vehicle Parts/Accessories                                  | 85  |               |        |
| Clothes/Furs   | 73  |               |        |
| Computer Hardware/Software                                 | 54  |               |        |
| Recreational/ Sports Equipment                             | 48  |               |        |
| Documents/Personal or Business                             | 41  |               |        |
| Radios/TVs/VCRs/DVD Players                                | 36  |               |        |
| Trailers   | 35  |               |        |
| Firearms   | 19  |               |        |
| Jewelry/Precious Metals/Gems                               | 19  |               |        |
| Household Goods  | 18  |               |        |
| Bicycles   | 12  | Offenses      |        |
|  |     |               |        |
| Stolen/Etc. (includes bribed,                              |     | Property Loss |        |
| defrauded,embezzled, extorted,<br>ransomed, robbed, etc.)  |     |               | 87,820 |
| Recovered (to impound property that was previously stolen) |     | 9,822         |        |
| None   | 819 |               |        |
| Unknown  |     | Offenses      |        |

**PROPERTY CRIMES – MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT** 

#### **Stolen and Recovered Property Value**

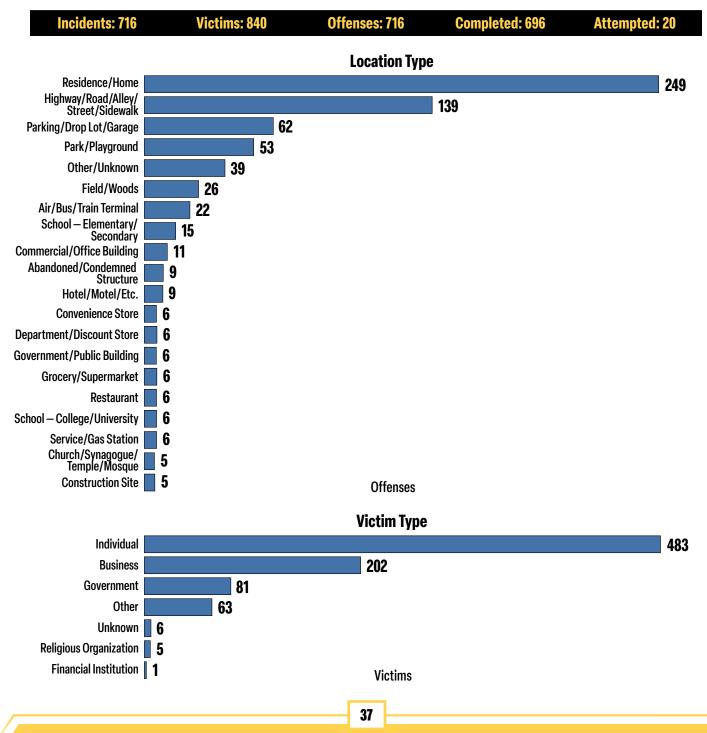


### ARSON

Arson includes unlawfully and intentionally damaging or attempting to damage any real or personal property of another person or entity by fire or incendiary device.

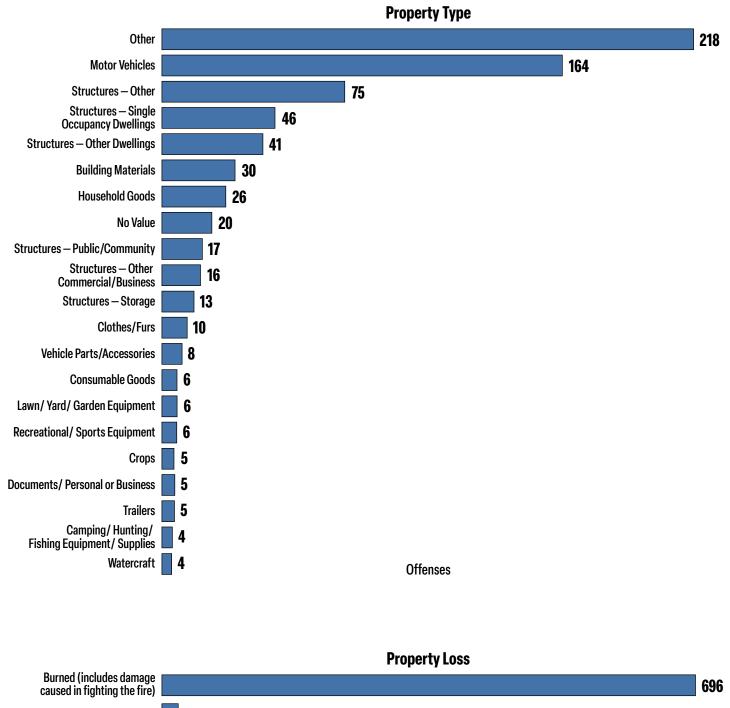
#### SUMMARY ARSON INFORMATION

For 2021, there were 716 arsons reported, 696 were completed and 20 were attempted. 155 were cleared by arrest with 16 of these arrest of a juvenile only. The 2021 crime rate for arson was 12.5 per 100,000 population.



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## **PROPERTY CRIMES – ARSON**





There were 111,478 arrests for criminal offenses in Minnesota in 2021, with 81,746 males and 29,732 females arrested.

#### There are significant factors to consider when evaluating arrest data:

- There can be multiple persons arrested for the same offense.
- An arrest of one or more persons can be reported for an offense that occurred during a previous reporting period.

#### **JUVENILE ARRESTS**

Juvenile arrests include individuals under 18 years of age at the time of arrest. Juveniles constitute 7.6% (8,483) of all arrests during 2021:

- 6.7% of Murder arrests
- 18.3% of Rape arrests
- 31.3% of Robbery arrests
- 8.5% of Aggravated Assault arrests
- 8.2% of Burglary arrests
- 7.3% of Larceny arrests
- = 17.3% of Motor Vehicle Theft arrests
- 17.8% of Arson arrests

### **PERSON CRIMES ARRESTS**

| Crime Category       | Offense                                | Arrests |
|----------------------|--|---------|
| Assault Offenses     | Simple Assault                         | 9,668   |
|                      | Aggravated Assault                     | 3,847   |
|                      | Intimidation                           | 2,900   |
| Sex Offenses         | Fondling                               | 393     |
|                      | Rape                                   | 365     |
|                      | Sodomy                                 | 66      |
|                      | Individual                             | 1       |
|                      | Sexual Assault With An Object          | 1       |
| Homicide Offenses    | Murder & Non-negligent Manslaughter    | 133     |
|                      | Negligent Manslaughter                 | 44      |
| Kidnapping/Abduction | Kidnapping/Abduction                   | 116     |
| Human Trafficking    | Human Trafficking, Commercial Sex Acts | 48      |

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| Arrestee Armed With / Arrest   | S                      |                      | Disposition of Arrestee Unde  | er 18 / Arrests |       |
|--|------------------------|----------------------|---|-----------------|-------|
| Unarmed<br>Lethal Cutting Instrument<br>Handgun<br>Club/Blackjack/Brass Knuckles<br>Firearm (type not stated)<br>Other Firearm<br>Shotgun<br>Rifle | 297<br>160<br>64<br>48 | <b>16,370</b><br>(re | Referred to Other Authorites<br>(turned over to juvenile court,<br>probation department, welfare<br>agency, other police agency,<br>criminal or adult court, etc.)<br>Handled within Department<br>leased to parents, released with<br>warning, etc.) | 417             | 1,488 |

### **PROPERTY CRIMES ARRESTS**

| Crime Category                              | Offense   | Arrests                                     |       |
|---|---|---|-------|
| Larceny/Theft Offenses                      | Shoplifting<br>All Other Larceny<br>Theft From Building<br>Theft From Motor Vehicle<br>Theft of Motor Vehicle Parts<br>or Accessories<br>Pocket-picking<br>Purse-snatching<br>Theft From Coin-Operated<br>Machine or Device | 1,853<br>519<br>360<br>117<br>69<br>22<br>3 | 9,344 |
| Fraud Offenses                              | Identity Theft<br>False Pretenses/Swindle/<br>Confidence Game<br>Impersonation<br>Credit Card/Automated<br>Teller Machine Fraud<br>Welfare Fraud<br>Hacking/Computer Invasion<br>Wire Fraud                                 |   |       |
| Destruction/Damage/Vandalism<br>of Property | Destruction/Damage/Vandalism<br>of Property   | 2,225                                       |       |
| Stolen Property Offenses                    | Stolen Property Offenses  | 2,008                                       |       |
| Burglary/Breaking & Entering                | Burglary/Breaking & Entering  | 1,742                                       |       |
| Motor Vehicle Theft                         | Motor Vehicle Theft   | 897   |       |
| Robbery                                     | Robbery   | 760   |       |
| Counterfeiting/Forgery                      | Counterfeiting/Forgery  | 599   |       |
| Bad Checks                                  | Bad Checks  | 151   |       |
| Arson                                       | Arson   | 129   |       |
| Embezzlement                                | Embezzlement  | 53  |       |
| Bribery                                     | Bribery   | 1   |       |
| Extortion/Blackmail                         | Extortion/Blackmail   | 1   |       |
|   | 40  | ]   |       |

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| Arrestee Armed With / Arrest  | S   | <b>Disposition of Arrestee Under 18 / Arrests</b>             |
|-------------------------------|-----|---|
| Unarmed                       |     | 22,624 Referred to Other Authorites 1,638                     |
| Lethal Cutting Instrument     | 236 | (turned over to juvenile court, probation department, welfare |
| Handgun                       | 167 | agency, other police agency,                                  |
| Club/Blackjack/Brass Knuckles | 49  | criminal or adult court, etc.)                                |
| Firearm (type not stated)     | 39  | Handled within Department 445                                 |
| Other Firearm                 | 35  | (released to parents, released with warning, etc.)            |
| Shotgun                       | 7   | Harming, etc.,  |

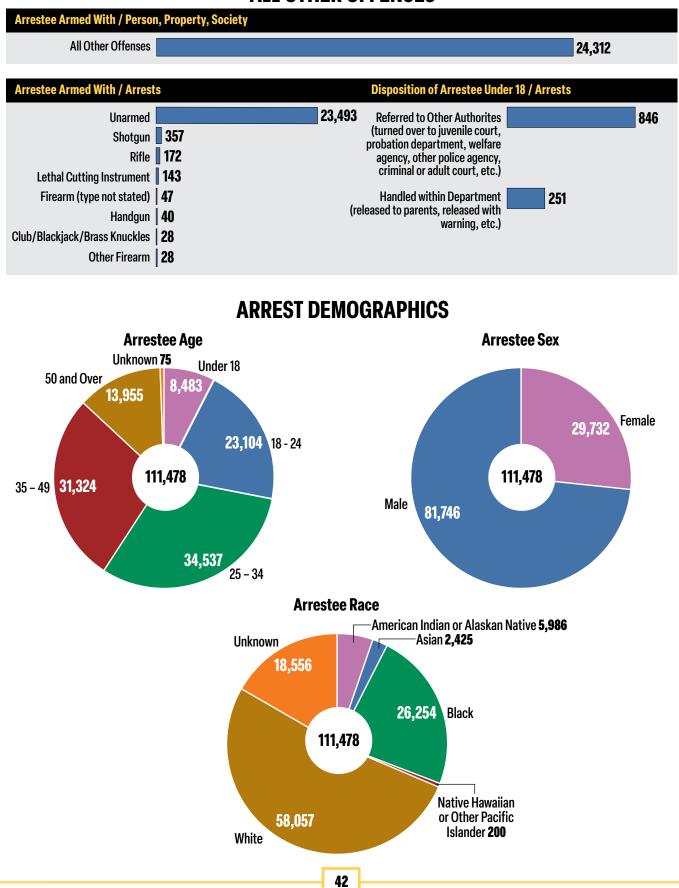
### **SOCIETY CRIMES ARRESTS**

| Crime Category                           | Offense  | Arrests |
|--|--|---------|
| Drug/Narcotic Violations                 | Drug/Narcotic Violations<br>Drug Equipment Violations      |         |
| Driving Under the Influence              | Driving Under the Influence                                | 14,735  |
| <b>Disorderly Conduct</b>                | Disorderly Conduct   | 4,364   |
| <b>Trespass of Real Property</b>         | Trespass of Real Property                                  | 4,186   |
| Liquor Law Violations                    | Liquor Law Violations                                      | 3,540   |
| Weapon Law Violations                    | Weapon Law Violations                                      | 2,420   |
| Curfew/Loitering/<br>Vagrancy Violations | Curfew/Loitering/<br>Vagrancy Violations                   |         |
| Family Offenses, Nonviolent              | Family Offenses, Nonviolent                                | 139     |
| Pornography/Obscene Materia              | Pornography/Obscene Material                               | 106     |
| Animal Cruelty                           | Animal Cruelty   | 80      |
| Prostitution Offenses                    | Purchasing Prostitution<br>Prostitution                    |         |
| Drunkenness                              | Drunkenness  | 27      |
| Gambling Offenses                        | Betting/Wagering<br>Operating/Promoting/Assisting Gambling |         |
| Peeping Tom                              | Peeping Tom  | 13      |

| Arrestee Armed With / Arrest   | S                                   | Disposition of Arrestee Under 18 / Arrests   |       |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|-------|
| Unarmed<br>Handgun<br>Lethal Cutting Instrument<br>Firearm (type not stated)<br>Shotgun<br>Rifle<br>Club/Blackjack/Brass Knuckles<br>Other Firearm | 332<br> 297<br> 170<br> 153<br> 105 | 44,269 Referred to Other Authorites (turned over to juvenile court, probation department, welfare agency, other police agency, criminal or adult court, etc.)   Handled within Department (released to parents, released with warning, etc.) | 2,415 |
|  |                                     |  |       |

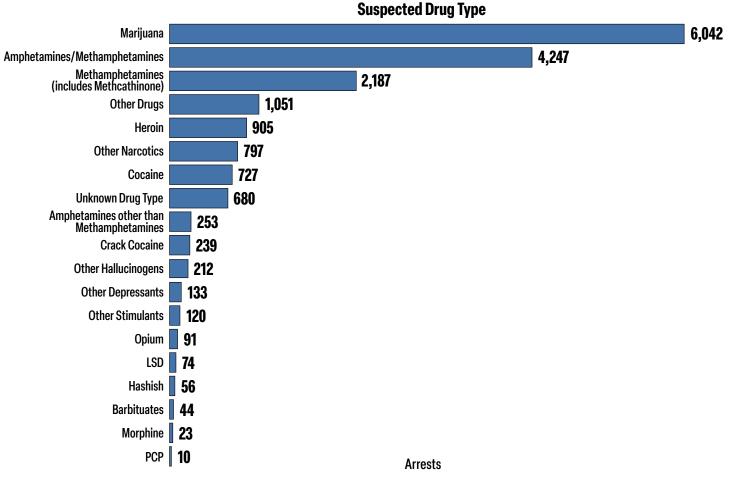
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### **ALL OTHER OFFENSES**



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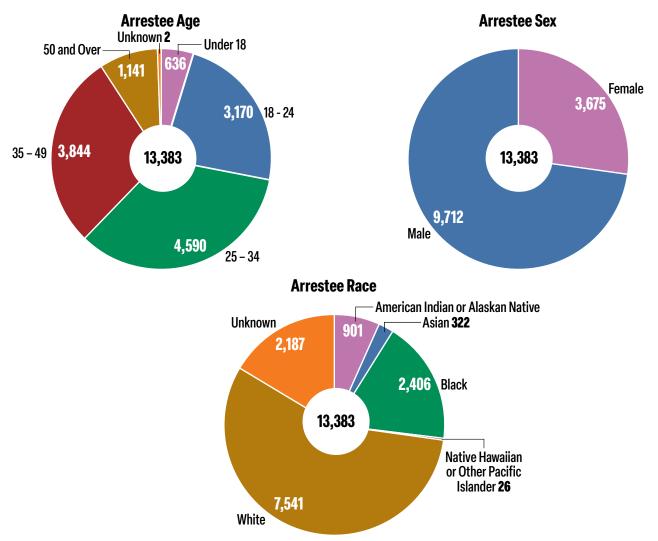
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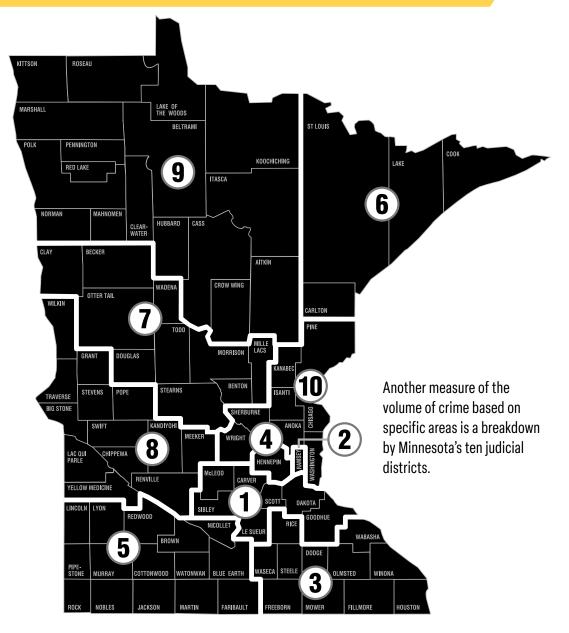
### **Criminal Activity**



### **ARRESTEE DEMOGRAPHICS**



# **CRIME DATA BY JUDICIAL DISTRICT**



#### **Violent and Property Crimes by Judicial District**

|                      | -                     | -                 | -                      |                    |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| Judicial<br>District | Violent<br>Crime Rate | Violent<br>Crimes | Property<br>Crime Rate | Property<br>Crimes |
| 1                    | 140                   | 1,154             | 1,630                  | 13,398             |
| 2                    | 563                   | 3,081             | 3,842                  | 21,032             |
| 3                    | 188                   | 921               | 1,391                  | 6,813              |
| 4                    | 579                   | 7,469             | 2,997                  | 38,639             |
| 5                    | 187                   | 536               | 991                    | 2,843              |
| 6                    | 238                   | 597               | 2,325                  | 5,831              |
| 7                    | 235                   | 1,191             | 1,803                  | 9,154              |
| 8                    | 158                   | 253               | 967                    | 1,546              |
| 9                    | 187                   | 640               | 1,276                  | 4,354              |
| 10                   | 135                   | 1,364             | 1,415                  | 14,329             |

### **Arrests by Judicial District**

| Judicial<br>District | Group A<br>Arrests | Group B<br>Arrests |
|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1                    | 7,016              | 6,251              |
| 2                    | 5,101              | 2,661              |
| 3                    | 5,108              | 4,828              |
| 4                    | 13,296             | 8,286              |
| 5                    | 3,213              | 3,210              |
| 6                    | 1,785              | 1,805              |
| 7                    | 6,658              | 5,684              |
| 8                    | 1,538              | 1,161              |
| 9                    | 4,280              | 4,278              |
| 10                   | 8,530              | 6,827              |
| Total                | 56,525             | 44,991             |

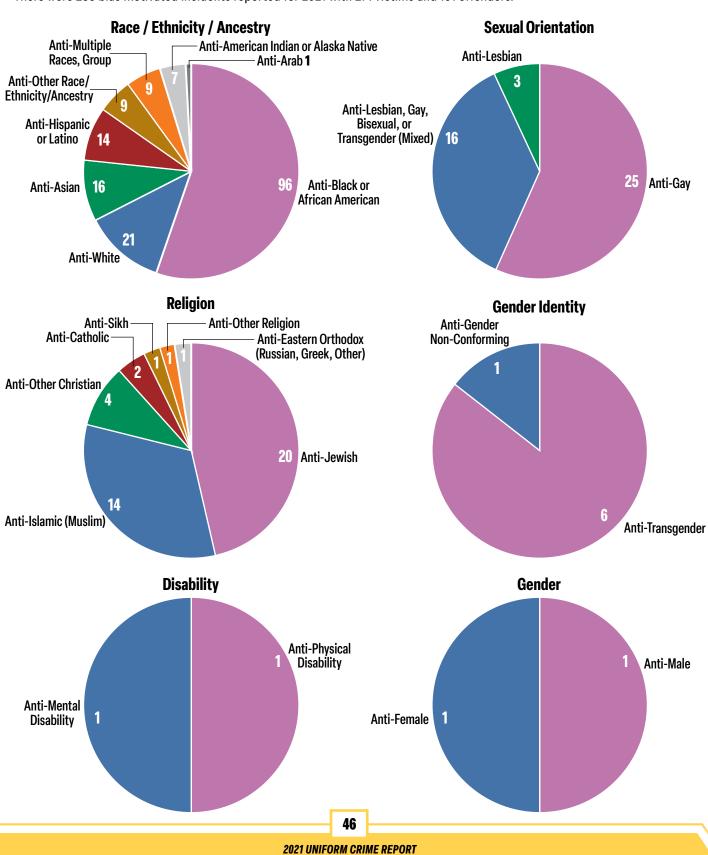
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# **BIAS MOTIVATED CRIMES**

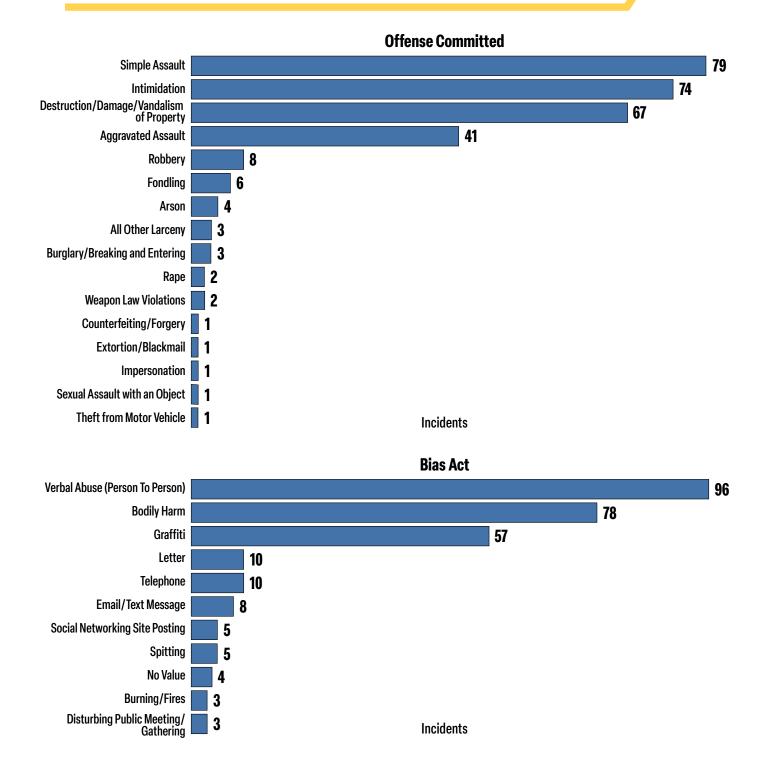
In 1988, the Legislature passed a law requiring peace officers to report any incidents which were motivated by bias. 1989 was the first full year this information was collected.

#### SUMMARY BIAS CRIME INFORMATION

There were 238 bias motivated incidents reported for 2021 with 271 victims and 191 offenders.

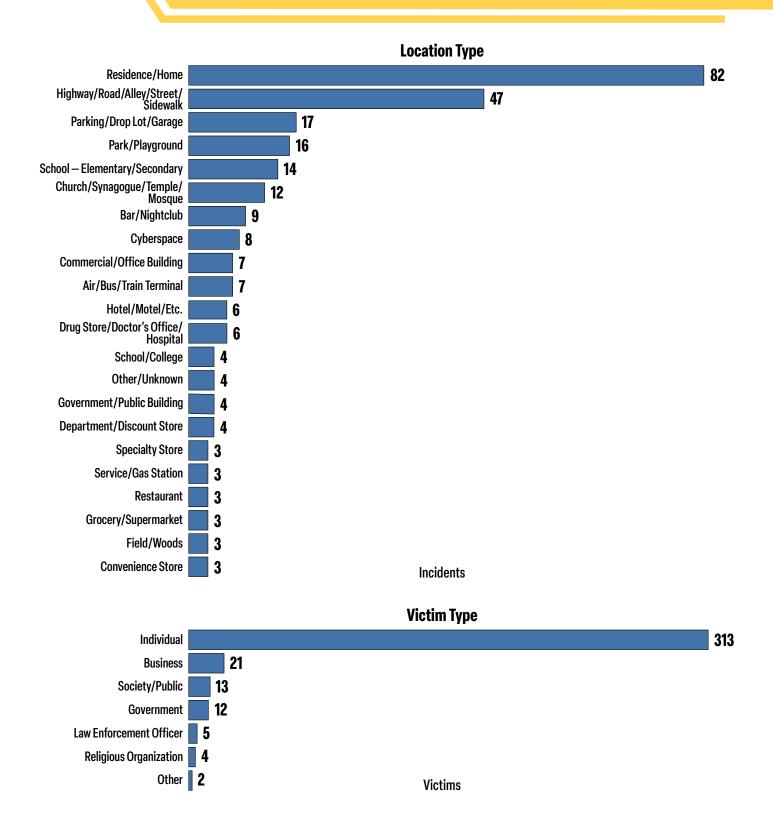


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### **FIREARMS DISCHARGES**

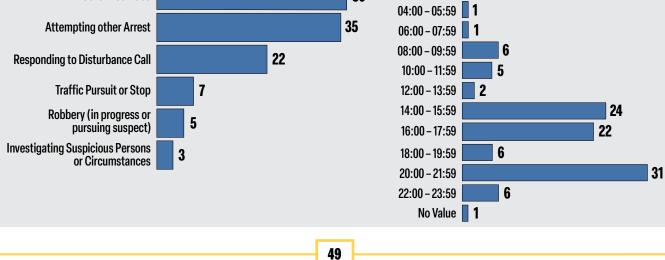
Pursuant to Minnesota State Statute 626.553, Subdivision 2, information is collected concerning firearm discharges by law enforcement officers in Minnesota. 1978 was the first full year that this information was available.

#### SUMMARY FIREARMS DISCHARGE INFORMATION

There were 43 firearms discharge incidents in 2021, with 108 shots fired. Of these 25 incidents were in the course of duty or employment, 18 were accidental discharges. There were 30 individuals fired at, of these:

- 12 were killed
- 7 were wounded
- = 11 had a resulting injury level of "other", meaning they were not injured as a result of the firearms discharge.





### **USE OF FORCE**

The Minnesota Legislature in 2020 enacted Minn. Stat. 626.5534 which requires Minnesota law enforcement agencies to provide information about use-of-force for the FBI Use-of Force Data Collection. Agencies had already begun providing data on a voluntary basis in 2018 shortly after the FBI first established the data collection. The FBI created this data collection to inform the national conversation about officer use-of-force and provide an aggregate view of reported incidents and their circumstances, subjects and officers involved for better statistical analysis.

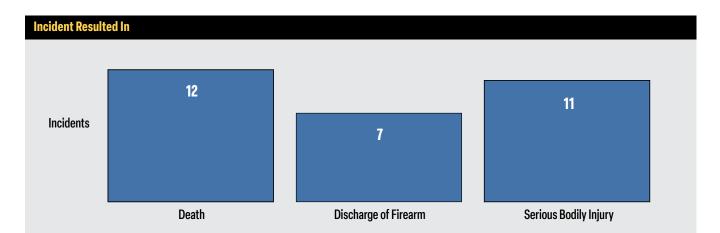
#### The FBI identified three types of use-of-force incidents about which agencies must report.

- When a fatality occurs to a person in connection to use-of-force by a law enforcement officer.
- When there is serious bodily injury to a person in connection with use-of-force by a law enforcement officer.
- In the absence of either death or serious bodily injury, when a firearm is discharged by a law enforcement officer at or in a direction of a person.

The FBI requirements allow agencies to choose Pending or Unknown values for data elements when data is not known or cannot be released due to an outside agency's active investigation. Agencies are expected to amend the reports once the data becomes available. In the figures below, Subject indicates the individual that the force was applied to.

#### SUMMARY USE OF FORCE INFORMATION

In 2021, there were 30 use of force incidents. 12 incidents resulted in the death of 13 individuals, 11 resulted in serious bodily injury, and 7 had no injury.

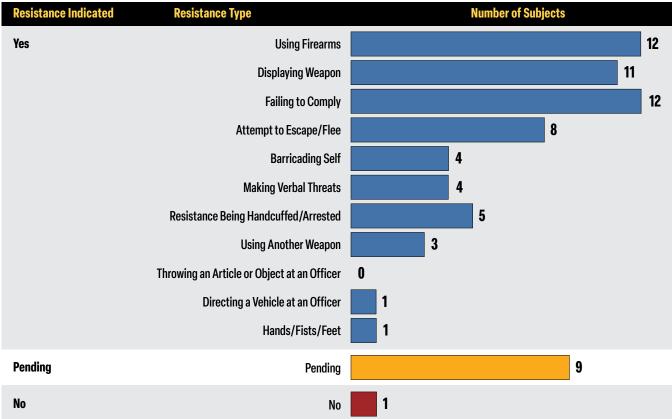


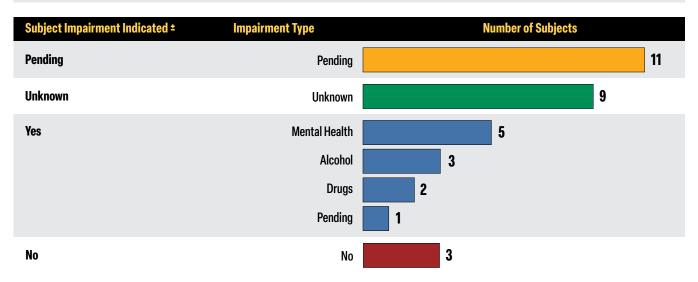
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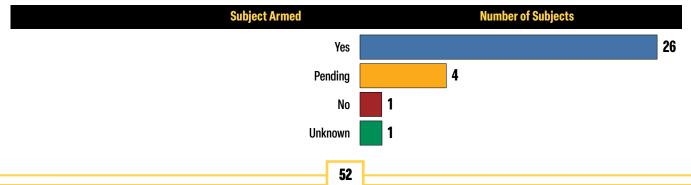
#### **Initial Contact Associated Offense** Incidents 9 **Response to Unlawful or** Aggravated Assault **Suspicious Activity** 4 Weapon Law Violations 3 Robbery 2 All Other Offenses 2 **Kidnapping/Abduction** 1 Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property Intimidation 1 **Motor Vehicle Theft** 1 1 Simple Assault **Trespass of Real Property** 1 1 Family Offenses, Nonviolent 1 Pending 4 **Traffic Stop Traffic Stop** 3 Other Other 3 **Warrant Service** Warrant Service Medical, Mental Health or Medical. Mental Health or 2 **Welfare** Assistance Welfare Assistance 1 **Followup Investigation** Followup Investigation 1 **Mass Demonstration Mass Demonstration** 1 **Pending Further Investigation** Pending Further Investigation Unknown and is unlikely Unkown and is unlikely 1 to be ever known to be ever known

### **INITIAL CONTACT REASON AND ASSOCIATED OFFENSE**

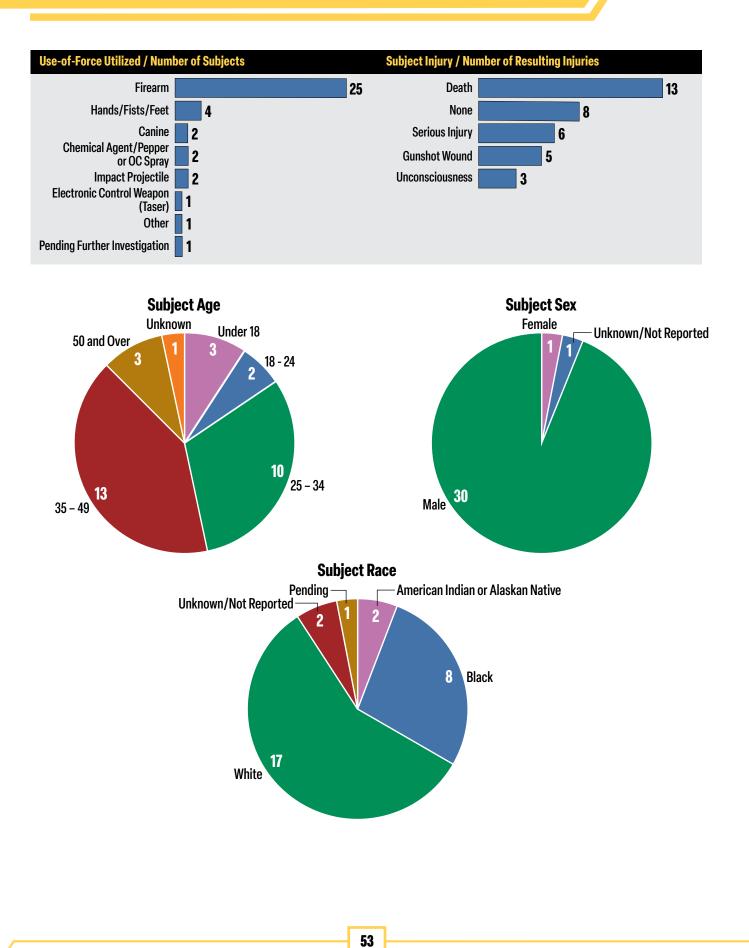
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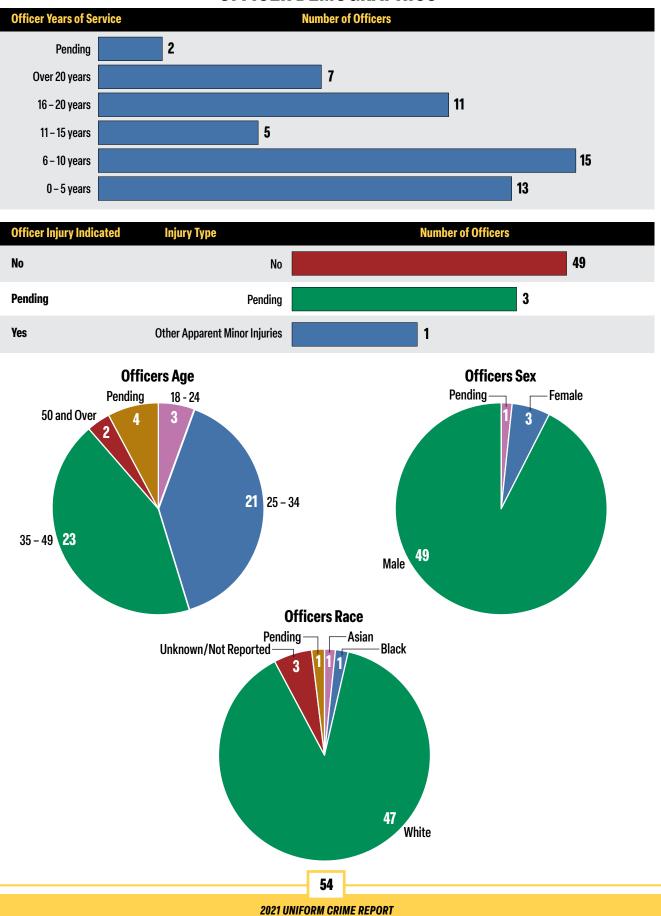


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### **OFFICER DEMOGRAPHICS**

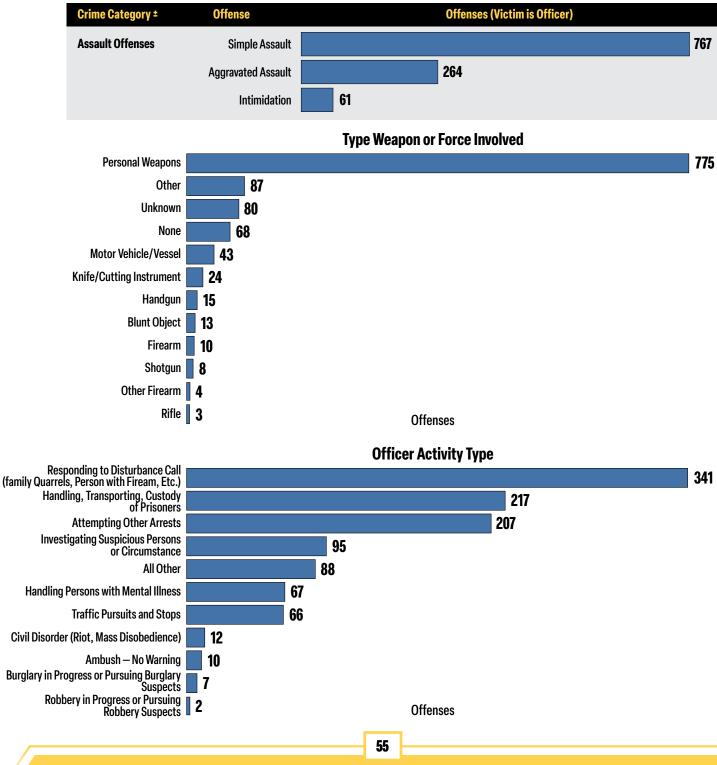


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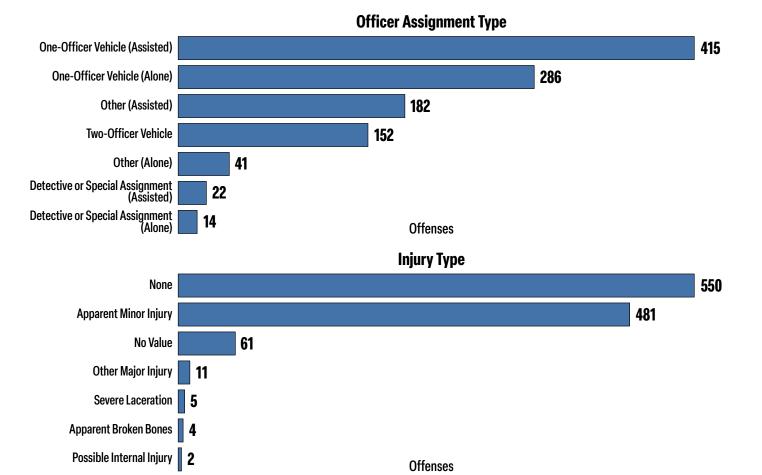
This report includes data reported by county (sheriff) and municipal (police) agencies on law enforcement personnel assaulted and/or killed.

#### SUMMARY LEOKA INFORMATION

There were a total of 900 law enforcement officer assault incidents reported in Minnesota for 2021 with 1,112 officers assaulted. There were no law enforcement fatalities in 2021.

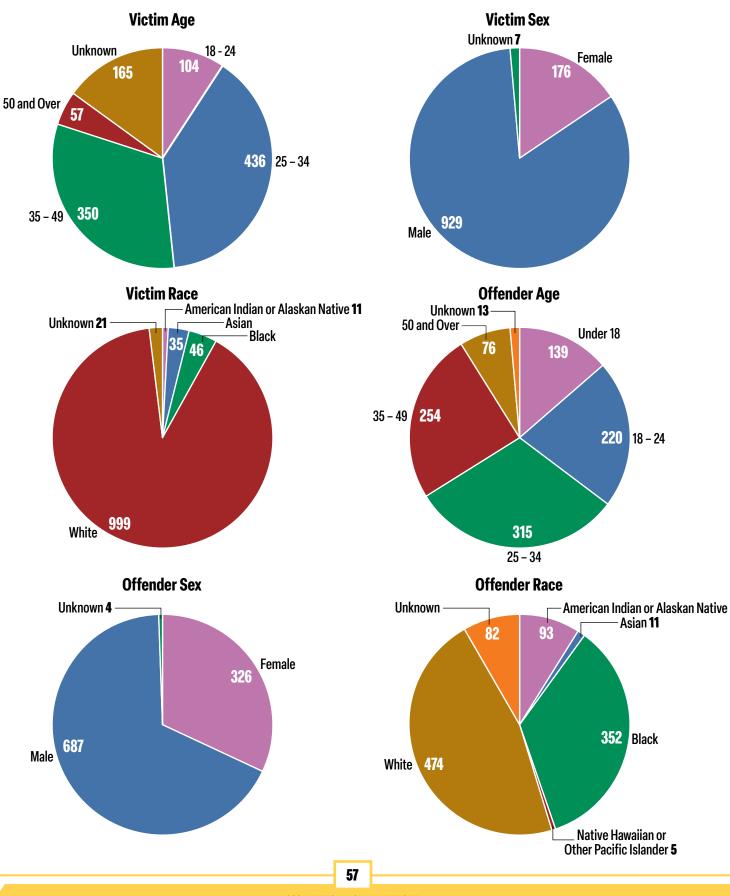


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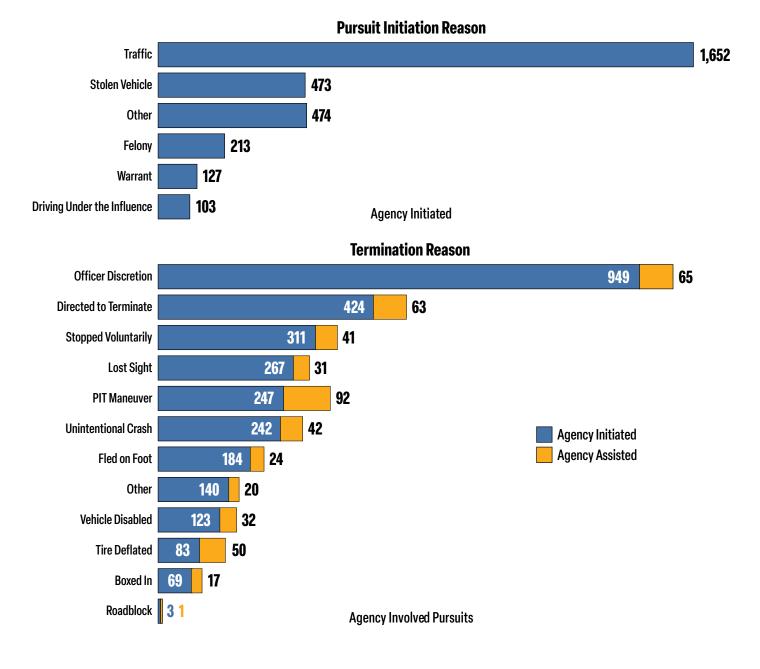
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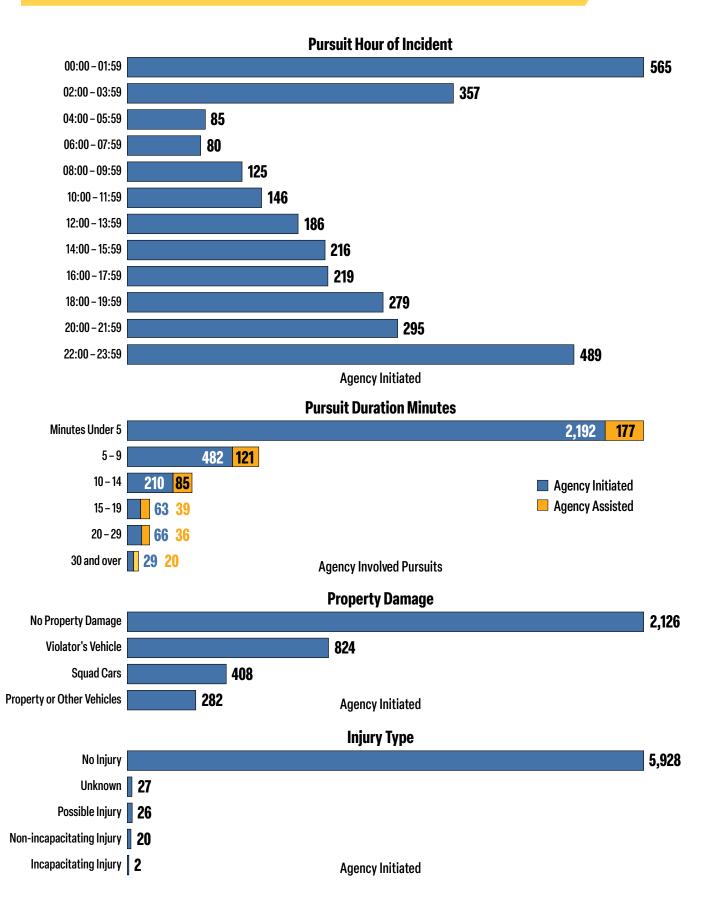
Minnesota Statute 626.5532A requires Minnesota law enforcement agencies to report instances where a peace officer pursues a fleeing subject in a motor vehicle being operated in violation of section 609.487. This data must be reported to the commissioner of public safety within 30 days of the incident.

#### SUMMARY PURSUIT INFORMATION

In 2021, there were 3,042 agency initiated pursuits, with 478 agency assisted, for a total of 3,520. There were 3,064 violator drivers with 152 under the age of 18. 1,698 of the violators were charged, 686 were not charged and for 680 of the violators it is unknown.



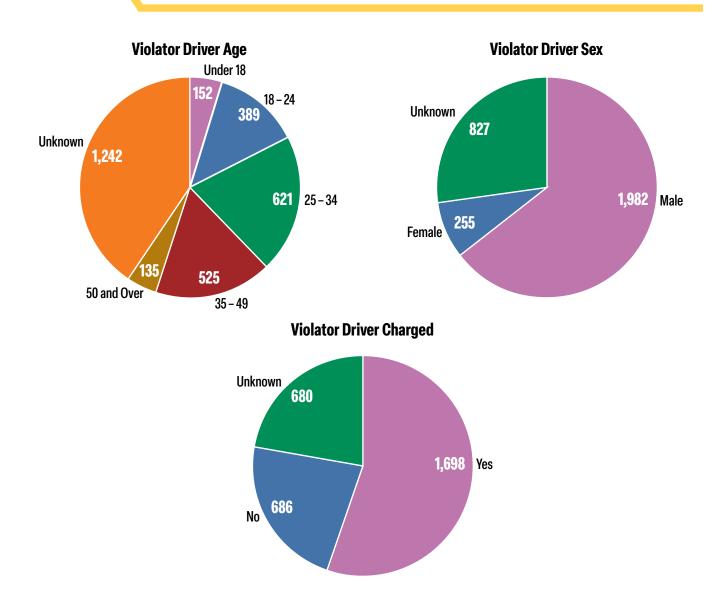
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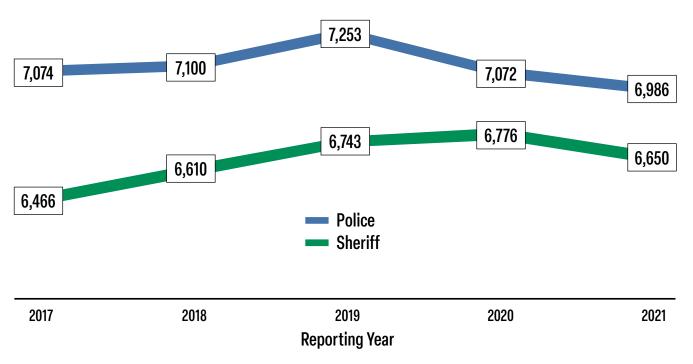
# LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

Minnesota state law enforcement agencies reported a total of 14,248 sworn and civilian employees for 2021. Of those, 9,392 were sworn personnel and 4,856 were civilian employees.

The average number of full time law enforcement personnel in 2021 (including sworn and civilian) amounted to 2.5 employees for 1,000 residents of the state. The average number of sworn personnel (excluding civilian) amounted to 1.65 full-time sworn personnel per 1,000 residents.

#### Staffing levels in 2021 and changes from the previous year were as follows:

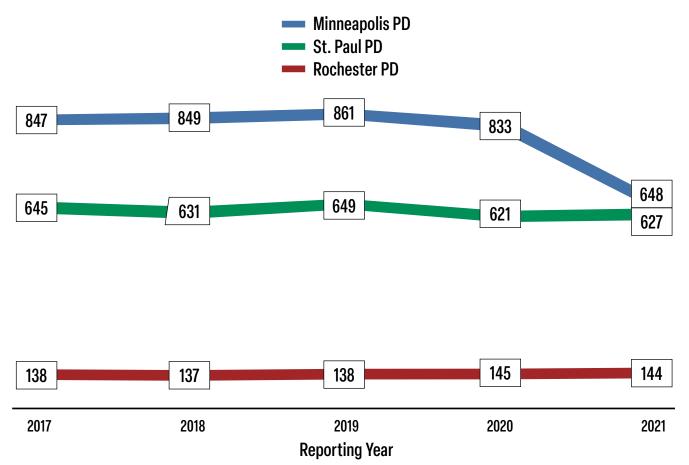
- Sheriff's departments reported a total of 6,650 employees in 2021, which was a decrease of 2% from the 2020 total of 6,776. Of the sworn personnel, 2,726 are male and 320 female. Of civilian personnel 456 are male and 542 are female.
- Police departments reported a total of 6,986 employees in 2021, which was a decrease of 1% from the 2020 total of 7,702. Of the sworn personnel, 5,049 are male and 798 female. Of civilian personnel 279 are male and 860 are female.



### **POLICE/SHERIFF 5 YEAR TREND**

## LAW ENFORCEMENT EMPLOYEE INFORMATION

### **SWORN OFFICER EMPLOYMENT – MOST IN POPULATION CITIES**



#### POLICE AND SHERIFF EMPLOYEE DATA - 2021

| POLICE DEPARTMENTS — Urban   | Population* | Number<br>Civilian | Number<br>Sworn | Sworn Rate<br>Per 1,000 | Total<br>Employees | Total Rate<br>Per 1,000 |
|------------------------------|-------------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Group I — 250,000 or over    | 748,420     | 259                | 1,275           | 1.7                     | 1,534              | 2.0                     |
| Group II — 100,000 - 250,000 | 121,225     | 67                 | 144             | 1.2                     | 211                | 1.7                     |
| Group III — 50,000 - 100,000 | 1,109,480   | 305                | 1,273           | 1.1                     | 1,578              | 1.4                     |
| Group IV — 25,000 – 50,000   | 651,407     | 144                | 781             | 1.2                     | 925                | 1.4                     |
| Group V — 10,000 - 25,000    | 865,950     | 219                | 1,222           | 1.4                     | 1,441              | 1.7                     |
| Group VI — 2,500 - 10,000    | 444,102     | 134                | 803             | 1.8                     | 937                | 2.1                     |
| Group VII — Under 2,500      | 166,716     | 11                 | 349             | 2.1                     | 360                | 2.2                     |
| POLICE TOTALS                | 4,107,300   | 1,139              | 5,847           | 1.4                     | 6,986              | 1.7                     |
| SHERIFFS OFFICES — Rural     |             |                    |                 |                         |                    |                         |
| Group I – 250,000 or over    | 0           | 0                  | 0               | 0                       | 0                  | 0                       |
| Group II — 100,000 - 250,000 | 119,355     | 113                | 157             | 1.3                     | 270                | 2.3                     |
| Group III — 50,000 - 100,000 | 381,914     | 556                | 792             | 2.1                     | 1,348              | 3.5                     |
| Group IV — 25,000 – 50,000   | 324,768     | 771                | 452             | 1.4                     | 1,223              | 3.8                     |
| Group V — 10,000 – 25,000    | 516,423     | 1,166              | 857             | 1.7                     | 2,023              | 3.9                     |
| Group VI — Under 10,000      | 253,904     | 998                | 788             | 3.1                     | 1,786              | 7.0                     |
| SHERIFFS TOTALS              | 1,596,364   | 3,604              | 3,046           | 1.9                     | 6,650              | 4.2                     |

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