

Table 1: Comparison of the 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998 and 1999 January to December Increase/decrease in the crime ratios (per 100 000 of the population) related to specific crime categories (only those categories of crime 20 >= per 100 000 of the population annually) - *Figures based upon estimates calculated from the 1996 Census results*

RATIO PER 100 000 OF THE POPULATION							
	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	
VIOLENT CRIMES							
Murder	69.5	67.5	63.9	59.6	59.0	55.3	-
Attempted Murder	70.7	67.2	70.7	68.3	69.8	66.6	-
Robbery - Aggravated Circumstances	219.8	202.8	166.7	169.0	209.6	225.7	+
SOCIAL FABRIC CRIMES							
Rape	109.8	120.3	125.1	126.5	117.0	119.0	+/-
Assault GBH (Serious)	544.3	559.8	571.2	568.9	555.6	595.6	+
Common Assault	501.6	519.5	509.0	489.6	473.1	515.4	+/-
PROPERTY RELATED CRIMES							
Housebreaking - Residential	590.3	618.2	610.9	604.9	633.3	663.1	+
Housebreaking - Business	230.5	218.8	217.8	214.9	223.4	215.5	+/-
Other Robbery	83.9	103.6	127.7	127.8	147.4	166.8	+
Stock-theft	116.8	113.1	103.7	104.1	96.1	97.0	+/-
Shoplifting	173.6	159.7	154.2	154.7	149.5	153.1	+/-
Theft - Motor Vehicle	270.0	256.0	239.7	244.1	255.2	240.4	+/-
Theft Out of/ from Vehicles	472.7	480.8	446.7	427.5	447.3	447.7	+/-
Other Thefts	989.9	983.5	942.4	940.7	1013.8	1114.0	+
COMMERCIAL CRIME							
All fraud, forgery, malappropriation, embezzlement, etc	162.0	154.6	154.1	154.3	147.4	155.1	+/-
VIOLENCE AIMED AT PROPERTY							
Arson	29.4	24.7	24.9	23.8	24.0	23.0	-
Malicious Damage to Property	317.4	325.2	323.0	308.1	302.8	3.8.6	+/-
CRIMES HEAVILY DEPENDENT ON POLICE ACTION FOR DETECTION							
Illegal Possession of Firearms	28.8	30.1	31.9	31.2	34.3	35.7	+
Drug Related Crime	122.5	103.3	97.3	103.8	94.5	96.3	+/-
Driving - Influence Alcohol & Drugs	69.3	58.7	59.4	67.4	60.8	60.4	+/-
TOTAL OF (20) SPECIFIC CRIMES	5172.8	5167.4	5040.4	4989.5	5114.0	5354.3	+

CRIMES ACCOUNTED FOR UNDER ROBBERY WITH AGGRAVATING CIRCUMSTANCES							
Carjacking	-	-	31.9	31.6	35.9	35.9	+-
Hijacking of Trucks	-	-	9.2	10.4	13.7	12.8	+-
Robbery of Cash in Transit	-	-	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.5	+-
Bank Robbery	-	-	1.6	1.2	1.1	1.1	+-

Table 2: Frequency increases and decreases of serious crime cases between 1994 - 1999 and 1998 - 1999

CRIME	1994-1999		1998-1999	
	<i>Frequency</i>	%	<i>Frequency</i>	%
Murder	-3009	-11.2	-1052	-4.2
Attempted Murder	1362	5.0	-756	-2.6
Robbery - Aggravating Circumstances	12273	14.5	8854	10.0
Rape & Attempted Rape	8820	20.8	1969	4.0
Assault GBH (Serious)	46184	22.0	22378	9.6
Common Assault	28163	14.5	22614	11.3
Burglary - Residential	57494	25.2	18698	7.0
Burglary - Business	3731	4.2	-1313	-1.4
Other Robbery	39380	121.5	9692	15.6
Stock-theft	-3356	-7.4	1291	3.2
Theft - Motor Vehicle	-800	-0.8	-4011	-3.7
Theft Out of / from Motor Vehicle	10123	5.5	4309	2.3
Other Thefts	97230	25.4	52505	12.3
Commercial Crime	4192	6.7	4687	7.5
Arson	-1457	-12.8	-230	-2.3
Malicious Damage to Property	10265	8.4	5273	4.1
Illegal Possession of Firearms	4236	38.0	909	6.3
Drug Related Crime	-5862	-12.4	1631	4.1
Driving - Influence of Alcohol & Drugs	-770	-2.9	395	1.5
TOTAL FREQUENCY INCREASE	307077	15.4	150779	7.0

Table 3: Specific crimes per 100 000 of the population for the provinces during the period January to December 1999 - *Population figures based estimates derived from the 1996 census results.*

CRIME	RSA	PROV 1	PROV 2	PROV 3	PROV 4	PROV 5	PROV 6	PROV 7	PROV 8	PROV 9
PROPERTY RELATED CRIMES										
Housebreaking - Residential	663.4	WC 1148.7	GN 1048.1	NC 703.5	MPL 677.6	FS 638.7	KZN 531.7	NW 511.2	EC 492.1	NP 253.0
Housebreaking Business	215.5	WC 410.1	NC 385.5	GN 259.0	MPL 243.1	FS 239.5	NW 194.1	KZN 169.5	EC 149.8	NP 117.2
Other Robbery	166.8	GN 324.1	WC 267.5	NC 208.2	NW 152.7	KZN 123.9	EC 119.5	FS 116.4	MPL 91.4	NP 59.8
Stock-theft	97.0	NC 248.1	FS 221.2	EC 161.8	MPL 155.3	NW 112.9	KZN 105/6	WC 50.2	NP 29.4	GN 12.4
Shoplifting	153.1	WC 259.1	NC 252.1	GN 209.8	FS 160.9	KZN 146.5	EC 139.0	MPL 134.7	NW 73.4	NP 59.5
Theft Motor Vehicles	240.4	GN 664.1	WC 269.5	KZN 214.1	MPL 151.8	FS 123.0	NW 122.8	EC 89.3	NC 57.4	NP 49.9
Theft out of/from MV's	447.7	WC 1139.5	GN 715.9	NC 394.2	KZN 375.8	MPL 328.8	FS 314.6	EC 283.7	NW 240.5	NP 122.8
Other Thefts	1114.0	WC 1943.8	GN 1775.0	NC 1458.2	FS 1151.3	MPL 1068.1	NW 951.0	KZN 864.1	EC 747.8	NP 431.9
Commercial Crime	155.1	GN 350.3	WC 217.5	NC 151.8	FS 125.4	KZN 112.3	MPL 104.9	NW 99.4	EC 96.0	NP 47.4
VIOLENT CRIMES										
Murder	55.3	WC 81.2	KZN 70.2	GN 69.0	NC 60.9	EC 59.0	FS 39.6	MPL 37.8	NW 33.9	NP 17.1
Attempted Murder	66.6	GN 90.1	WC 87.2	KZN 84.4	MPL 59.0	NW 57.8	NC 53.5	EC 52.7	FS 43.5	NP 27.7
Robbery - Aggravating ..	225.7	GN 585.0	KZN 247.2	WC 199.1	MPL 154.2	NW 125.7	EC 105.1	FS 78.0	NP 48.9	NC 45.8
CRIMES RELATED TO THE SOCIAL FABRIC										
Rape	119.0	NC 169.1	WC 159.9	GN 155.6	NW 128.5	FS 124.9	MPL 109.6	EC 103.2	KZN 99.6	NP 73.4
Assault GHB (Serious)	595.6	NC 1614.2	WC 806.0	GN 690.4	FS 653.9	NW 638.6	EC 625.2	MPL 618.2	NP 426.6	KZN 350.4
Assault Common	515.4	WC 1072.0	NC 1037.8	FS 809.5	GN 588.5	NW 448.5	EC 428.5	MPL 344.3	KZN 322.5	NP 306.6

WC = Western Cape **EC** = Eastern Cape **NC** = Northern Cape **GN** = Gauteng **NP** = Northern Province **MPL** = Mpumalanga **NW** = North West Province **KZN** = KwaZulu-Natal

Table 4: Highest incidence of specific crimes per police area per 100 000 of the population over the period January to December 1999 - *Population figures based estimates derived from the 1996 census results.*

CRIME	RSA	AREA 1	AREA 2	AREA 3	AREA 4	AREA 5	AREA 6	AREA 7	AREA 8	AREA 9	AREA 10
PROPERTY RELATED CRIMES											
Housebreaking - Residential	663.1	GN-JHB 2212.1	GN-PTA 1262.7	WC-SC 1250.4	WC-WM 1178.4	WC-EM 1095.0	WC-BOL 1080.4	EC-PE 995.2	GN-WR 952.8	GN-NR 944.0	GN-ER 939.9
Housebreaking Business	215.5	GN-JHB 682.1	WC-SC 542.2	WC-BOL 452.2	NC-UK 427.9	NC-NAM 419.1	EC-KAR 398.4	NC-DF 393.2	WC-WM 374.3	WC-EM 341.6	NC-GOR 327.4
Other Robbery	166.8	GN-JHB 971.9	GN-PTA 422.5	WC-WM 408.2	EC-PE 307.1	NC-DF 287.3	WC-EM 257.0	GN-ER 253.8	GN-VR 228.4	EC-EL 210.2	WC-SC 202.3
Stock-theft	97.0	EC-KAR 561.9	NC-UK 497.0	EC-DB 370.3	MPL-EH 351.9	EC-GT 313.7	FS-EF 307.8	FS-SF 261.7	KZN-TU 257.1	NC-GOR 243.0	EC-UH 208.5
Shoplifting	153.1	GN-JHB 656.8	WC-WM 306.2	WC-SC 304.8	EC-PE 287.2	NC-DF 278.4	NC-NAM 277.5	EC-EL 266.0	GN-PTA 250.5	WC-BOL 231.4	EC-KAR 221.3
Theft - Motor Vehicles	240.4	GN-JHB 2244.2	GN-PTA 777.4	GN-ER 519.1	GN-WR 516.6	GN-NR 508.9	KZN-DB 467.3	WC-WM 442.9	GN-VR 329.0	WC-EM 315.8	EC-PE 181.8
Theft Out of/ from MV's	447.7	GN-JHB 2445.1	WC-WM 1967.7	GN-PTA 982.7	WC-EM 946.4	EC-PE 840.3	EC-EL 643.0	KZN-DB 616.3	WC-BOL 592.8	NC-DF 550.3	WC-SC 532.1
Other Thefts	1114.0	GN-JHB 4900.7	GN-PTA 2349.0	WC-WM 2098.0	WC-SC 1996.9	WC-EM 1971.0	NC-DF 1725.3	EC-PE 1666.0	WC-BOL 1634.6	FS-SF 1498.5	GN-ER 1456.6
Commercial Crime	155.1	GN-JHB 1348.0	GN-PTA 399.9	GN-WR 293.2	WC-WM 271.1	EC-PE 260.9	GN-NR 250.7	WC-EM 247.3	GN-ER 244.3	NC-DF 192.9	WC-SC 184.5
VIOLENT CRIMES											
Murder	55.3	GN-JHB 136.3	WC-EM 90.3	WC-SC 86.4	NC-UK 82.6	KZN-DB 82.5	EC-EL 78.4	GN-ER 77.4	NC-GOR 76.0	WC-BOL 75.5	KZN-ML 75.3
Attempted Murder	66.6	GN-JHB 143.0	WC-EM 107.4	WC-WM 104.1	GN-SOW 102.8	KZN-ML 100.8	KZN-UF 100.3	GN-ER 90.9	GN-VR 88.9	KZN-DB 87.0	GN-NR 86.6
Robbery Aggravating ..	225.7	GN-JHB 1753.4	GN-ER 614.1	GN-SOW 564.6	GN-NR 527.0	KZN-DB 397.1	GN-VR 354.8	WC-WM 310.9	GN-PTA 305.9	GN-WR 302.2	EC-PE 294.1
CRIMES RELATED TO THE SOCIAL FABRIC											
Rape	119.0	EC-PE 231.6	WC-SC 218.0	GN-JHB 216.8	EC-UH 210.5	NC-DF 181.8	GN-VR 177.8	GN-SOW 170.6	NC-UK 170.4	NC-GOR 169.8	WC-EM 169.3
Assault GBH (Serious)	595.6	NC-GOR 1996.8	NC-UK 1738.7	NC-DF 1477.9	EC-UH 1428.5	WC-SC 1326.2	EC-KAR 1274.8	NC-NAM 1149.1	WC-BOL 1090.9	EC-PE 953.6	EC-EL 923.1
Assault Common	515.4	WC-SC 1472.8	NC-UK 1374.6	NC-NAM 1348.3	WC-BOL 1326.5	EC-KAR 1254.7	GN-JHB 1075.8	NC-DF 1070.6	EC-UH 977.2	FS-SF 955.3	WC-EM 951.5

EC = Eastern Cape

- DB = Drakensberg
- EL = East London
- GT = Grahamstown
 - KAR = Karoo
- PE = Port Elizabeth
- QT = Queenstown
- UH = Uitenhage
- UM = Umtata

MPL = Mpumalanga

- EH = Eastern Highveld
- HV = Highveld
- LV = Lowveld

NP = Northern Province

- BY = Bushveld
- CEN = Central
- FN = Far North
- GIY = Giyani

GN = Gauteng

- ER = East Rand
- JHB = Johannesburg
- NR = North Rand
- PTA = Pretoria
- SOW = Soweto
- VR = Vaalrand
- WR = West Rand

NW = North West

- MAR = Marico
- MOLI = Molopo
- MR = Moorivier

WC = Western Cape

- BOL = Boland
- EM = East Metropole
- SC = Southern Cape
- WM = West Metropole

KZN = Kwazulu-Natal

- DB = Durban
- ML = Midlands
- TU = Tugela
- UL = Ulundi
- UF = Umfolozi
- UZ = Umzimkulu

NC = Northern Cape

- DF = Diamondfield
- GOR = Gordonia
- NAM = Namaqualand
- UK = Upper Karoo

FS = Free State

- EF = Eastern Free State
- NF = Northern Free State
- SF = Southern Free State

Tables 5 & 6: The 20 Stations with the highest crime incidence**Table 5**

PROVINCE	AREA	STATION	WEIGHTED FREQUENCY
P Comm Kwazulu-natal	A Comm Durban	C R Swart Square	43238
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Johannesburg	JHB Central	42058
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Johannesburg	Hillbrow	38856
P Comm Western Cape	A Comm West Metropole	Cape Town Central	37780
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Pretoria	Pretoria Central	35791
P Comm Western Cape	A Comm West Metropole	Mitchells Plain	35521
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Johannesburg	Booyens	32402
P Comm Free State	A Comm Southern FS	Parkweg	31823
P Comm North West	A Comm Marico	Rustenburg	26600
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Vaalrand	Vanderbijlpark	25973
P Comm Northern Prov.	A Comm Central	Pietersburg	25472
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Johannesburg	Sandton	24605
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Johannesburg	Randburg	24602
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Pretoria	Sunnyside	24075
P Comm Western Cape	A Comm East Metropole	Kuils River	23328
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Pretoria	Brooklyn	22524
P Comm Western Cape	A Comm Boland	Worcester	21597
P Comm Gauteng	A Comm Vaalrand	Vereeniging	20544
P Comm Eastern Cape	A Comm East London	East London	20414
P Comm Eastern Cape	A Comm Umtata	Umtata	20301

Table 6

	NUMBER OF STATIONS IN EACH PROVINCE WHICH FEATURE AMONG THE TOP PROBLEM/PRIORITY 25% OF SA STATIONS	PROBLEM/PRIORITY STATIONS AS A % OF ALL STATIONS WITHIN A PROVINCE	% OF TOTAL CRIME WEIGHT ACCOUNTED FOR BY THESE TOP PROBLEM/PRIORITY STATIONS
Gauteng	94	77.7%	93.5%
Western Cape	51	35.2%	77.1%
KwaZulu-Natal	46	25.3%	66.8%
Eastern Cape	26	13.4%	54.6%
Mpumalanga	16	17.8%	53.0%
North West Province	16	17.4%	58.0%
Free State	14	13.1%	53.6%
Northern Province	10	11.1%	43.1%
Northern Cape	4	4.8%	43.5%
RSA	277	25.1%	70.6%