



Section 2

Crime Summary

Crime Summary 2001 - 2002

Crime Index

Offense	2001	2002	Percent Change
Violent Crime	11,669	10,449	-10.5%
Murder	143	138	-3.5%
Forcible Rape	865	711	-17.8%
Robbery	2,165	2,212	2.2%
Aggravated Assault	8,496	7,388	-13.0%
Property Crime	98,160	93,960	-4.3%
Burglary	21,519	21,117	-1.9%
Theft	68,848	66,135	-3.9%
Motor Vehicle Theft	7,240	6,234	-13.9%
Arson	553	474	-14.3%
Total	109,829	104,409	-4.9%

Arrests

Offense	2001	2002	Percent Change
Juvenile	17,255	15,211	-11.8%
Adult	196,914	168,430	-14.5%
Total	214,169	183,641	-14.3%

Property

Type	2001	2002	Percent Change
Stolen	\$113,172,650	\$107,064,281	-5.4%
Recovered	\$51,809,080	\$39,735,841	-23.3%

UCR Overview 1993 - 2002

Year	Population	Reporting Population	Index Offenses	Offense % Change	Crime Rate*	Rate % Change
1993	2,399,000	2,396,140 (99.9%)	116,689	1.9%	4,869.9	-0.2%
1994	2,424,000	2,421,864 (99.9%)	117,997	1.1%	4,872.2	0.0%
1995	2,453,000	2,452,724 (100.0%)	116,869	-1.0%	4,764.9	-2.2%
1996	2,510,000	2,498,432 (99.5%)	118,213	1.2%	4,731.5	-0.7%
1997	2,523,000	2,510,606 (99.5%)	118,892	0.6%	4,735.6	0.1%
1998	2,539,000	2,532,564 (99.7%)	108,634	-8.6%	4,289.5	-9.4%
1999	2,551,000	2,549,132 (99.9%)	103,062	-5.1%	4,043.0	-5.7%
2000	2,728,500	2,670,643 (97.9%)	110,052	6.8%	4,120.8	1.9%
2001	2,750,000	2,692,411 (97.9%)	109,829	-0.2%	4,079.2	1.0%
2002	2,710,100	2,657,155 (98.0%)	104,409	-4.9%	3,929.4	-3.7%

1. Populations are estimated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
2. Data represents all 2002 reporting agencies.

*Crime Rate is calculated per 100,000.

Crime Index by Month 2002

Month	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Agg. Assault	Burglary	Theft	MV Theft	Arson	Offense Total
Jan	10	61	203	510	1,704	5,374	531	32	8,425
Feb	14	51	119	429	1,376	4,172	398	28	6,587
Mar	14	45	192	548	1,642	5,028	490	38	7,997
Apr	9	68	151	678	1,606	5,564	539	44	8,659
May	12	53	175	676	1,760	5,836	517	45	9,074
Jun	7	62	148	664	1,713	5,683	492	38	8,807
Jul	11	80	180	715	1,967	6,117	599	44	9,713
Aug	12	71	216	686	1,909	6,071	556	48	9,569
Sep	10	75	220	818	1,878	5,837	603	37	9,478
Oct	19	55	189	583	1,814	5,804	520	41	9,025
Nov	7	51	190	549	1,768	5,260	496	41	8,362
Dec	13	39	229	532	1,980	5,389	493	38	8,713
Year Total	138	711	2,212	7,388	21,117	66,135	6,234	474	104,409

Metropolitan Crime 2002

The ten largest law enforcement jurisdictions in Arkansas represent 28 percent of the state's population. These agencies have a population of more than 50,000 and include:

Agency	Population
Benton County Sheriff's Office	78,037
Fayetteville Police Department	58,843
Fort Smith Police Department	81,369
Garland County Sheriff's Office	53,036
Jonesboro Police Department	56,276
Little Rock Police Department	185,646
North Little Rock Police Department	61,262
Pine Bluff Police Department	55,841
Pulaski County Sheriff's Office	56,695
Saline County Sheriff's Office	52,570
Total	739,575

Crime Index

Offense	Total Metro Area	State Total	Percent State Total
Violent Crime	78,037	10,449	50.7%
Murder	58,843	138	58.0%
Forcible Rape	81,369	711	50.9%
Robbery	53,036	2,212	71.8%
Aggravated Assault	56,276	7,388	44.2%
Property Crime	185,646	93,960	47.4%
Burglary	61,262	21,117	44.7%
Theft	55,841	66,135	47.7%
Motor Vehicle Theft	56,695	6,234	51.9%
Arson	52,570	474	61.4%
Total	49,792	104,409	47.7%

