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This is a revised edition of the original report. The revision was created in September 2018 to incorporate updates to the historic counts of murder and drug possession offences. The murder revisions have increased the number of murder victims by 4% between 2011 and 2017. The drug possession revisions have resulted in a 25% reduction in the volume of these offences from 2010 due to some incidents previously being double counted.

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## **SECTION 1:**

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# **OVERVIEW OF TRENDS IN RECORDED CRIME BY OFFENCE TYPE NSW**

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**TABLE 1.1: TRENDS<sup>^</sup> IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES  
OVER THE 60 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW**

<i>Offence category</i>	<i>Trend result and annual percentage change over the last 24 months</i>	<i>Trend result and average annual percentage change over the last 60 months</i>
Murder*	Stable	Stable
Assault - domestic violence related	Stable	Up by 2.0%
Robbery without a weapon	Down by 13.8%	Down by 12.5%
Robbery with a firearm	Down by 13.8%	Down by 13.5%
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Down by 19.4%	Down by 7.6%
Break and enter dwelling	Down by 5.8%	Down by 5.2%
Break and enter non-dwelling	Stable	Down by 6.7%
Motor vehicle theft	Stable	Down by 6.5%
Steal from motor vehicle	Stable	Down by 2.1%
Steal from retail store	Stable	Stable
Steal from dwelling	Stable	Up by 2.0%
Steal from person	Down by 9.8%	Down by 8.6%
Fraud	Stable	Up by 8.1%
Malicious damage to property	Down by 8.7%	Down by 7.7%

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **trend results**, see page 25, Notes [5] and [6].

\* For murder, the trend test is applied to the monthly number of recorded victims rather than criminal incidents.

**TABLE 1.2: NUMBER AND TRENDS<sup>^</sup> IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR 62 OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW**

Offence Category	Number of recorded criminal incidents		Trend <sup>^</sup> over the last 24 months	
	over the 12 months to June 2014	over the 12 months to June 2015	Trend test result	Percentage change
	Murder accessory, conspiracy	2	4	.
	Manslaughter*	3	2	.
Assault	Domestic violence related assault	29,075	28,939	Stable
	Non-domestic violence related assault	32,858	30,937	Stable
	Assault Police	2,662	2,487	Stable
Sexual offences	Sexual assault	4,942	4,653	Stable
	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	6,690	6,298	Stable
Abduction and kidnapping		292	258	Stable
Robbery	Robbery without a weapon	2,130	1,835	Down
	Robbery with a firearm	305	263	Down
	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1,332	1,074	Down
Blackmail and extortion		97	102	Stable
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance		29,447	29,749	Stable
Other offences against the person		1,258	1,266	Stable
Theft	Break and enter dwelling	34,746	32,746	Down
	Break and enter non-dwelling	13,345	12,902	Stable
	Receiving or handling stolen goods	7,210	7,662	Up
	Steal from motor vehicle	43,255	42,264	Stable
	Steal from retail store	20,745	21,299	Stable
	Steal from dwelling	21,968	22,326	Stable
	Steal from person	6,571	5,924	Down
	Stock theft	481	498	Stable
	Fraud	49,926	49,648	Stable
	Other theft	33,278	31,042	Down
Arson		6,285	5,250	Down
Malicious damage to property		71,589	65,339	Down
Drug offences	Possession and/or use of cocaine	741	1,115	Up
	Possession and/or use of narcotics	778	841	Up
	Possession and/or use of cannabis	17,158	18,303	Up
	Possession and/or use of amphetamines	4,513	6,246	Up
	Possession and/or use of ecstasy	1,743	2,087	Stable
	Possession and/or use of other drugs	3,584	3,485	Stable
	Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	321	284	Stable
	Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	275	286	Stable
	Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	988	810	Down
	Dealing, trafficking in amphetamines	1,711	2,248	Stable
	Dealing, trafficking in ecstasy	423	577	Up
	Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	286	264	Stable
	Cultivating cannabis	1,341	1,320	Stable
	Manufacture drug	95	90	Stable
	Importing drugs	57	36	Down
	Other drug offences	4,763	5,006	Stable
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences		11,330	11,510	Stable
Disorderly conduct	Trespass	8,758	9,083	Stable
	Offensive conduct	6,973	6,048	Down
	Offensive language	4,328	4,206	Stable
	Criminal intent	1,988	2,133	Stable
Betting and gaming offences		105	91	Stable
Liquor offences		14,836	11,917	Down
Pornography offences		483	439	Stable
Prostitution offences		157	205	Up
Against justice procedures	Escape custody	185	138	Stable
	Breach Apprehended Violence Order	13,099	13,682	Stable
	Breach bail conditions	32,063	34,861	Up
	Fail to appear	663	754	Stable
	Resist or hinder officer	6,588	6,379	Stable
	Other offences against justice procedures	540	483	Stable
Transport regulatory offences		76,822	106,119	Up
Other offences		15,945	15,260	Stable

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **trend results**, see page 25, Notes [5] and [6].

\* For murder and manslaughter incidents, the trend test is applied to the monthly number of recorded victims rather than criminal incidents.



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**TRENDS, RATE COMPARISONS AND  
RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS  
FOR MAJOR OFFENCES  
NSW REGIONS AND LGAS**

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**TABLE 2.1A: TRENDS<sup>^</sup> IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW SAs**

<b>NSW Statistical Area</b>	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Central West	.	ns	-12.4	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.0
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	24.5	ns	ns	ns	ns
Far West and Orana	.	ns	-14.5	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	40.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	39.1	ns
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-14.1	ns	-6.0	ns	ns	-14.5	ns	ns	ns
Illawarra	.	ns	-12.8	ns	ns	ns	.	-29.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-7.5
Mid North Coast	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.8	.	ns	ns	-19.8	-15.8	-15.8	ns	-7.0	ns	ns	-11.9
Murray	.	ns	ns	-28.9	35.6	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-5.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
New England and North West	.	ns	-13.8	-24.0	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-6.9
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-18.0	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-17.5	ns	-6.7
Richmond - Tweed	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	-10.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-13.4
Riverina	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	34.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-10.8
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
<b>NSW</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>-13.8</b>	<b>-13.8</b>	<b>-19.4</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>-9.8</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>-8.7</b>

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **trend results**, see page 25, Notes [5] and [6].

\* The trend test for Greater Sydney and NSW on the offence of murder is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW SAs**

<b>NSW Statistical Area</b>	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Greater Sydney	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.2	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.2	0.8
Capital Region	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.1	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.2	0.4	1.1
Central West	0.4	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.3	0.6	0.4	0.6	1.7	1.9	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.7	0.5	0.6	1.6
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	0.6	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.4	0.5	0.4	0.9	1.0	1.8	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.3	0.6	0.5	1.3
Far West and Orana	7.6	3.1	2.0	2.2	2.1	0.9	0.7	1.5	2.8	4.2	1.8	2.2	1.3	1.9	1.0	0.8	2.6
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	0.6	1.3	0.9	1.2	1.3	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.4	1.3	0.9	1.3	0.5	0.6	1.3
Illawarra	1.3	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	0.7	0.6	1.0
Mid North Coast	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.4	0.6	0.4	0.8	1.3	1.6	1.0	0.7	0.8	1.4	0.5	0.5	1.2
Murray	2.1	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.4	0.5	0.2	0.7	1.2	1.7	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.2	0.4	0.5	1.4
New England and North West	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.5	1.7	0.7	0.3	0.8	2.2	2.2	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.8	0.4	0.5	1.8
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.2	0.6	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.2
Richmond - Tweed	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.9	1.3	0.9	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.7	0.6	1.1
Riverina	3.6	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.3	0.3	0.0	0.8	1.7	1.6	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.6	0.3	0.5	1.4
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	0.0	0.9	0.9	1.3	1.2	0.6	1.6	0.6	1.3	1.2	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.4	1.1
<b>NSW</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **rate calculation populations** and the **ratio to NSW rate**, see page 25, Note [7] and footnote 3.

\* The rate calculations on the offence of murder is for the number of victims, not incidents.



**TABLE 2.1C: NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES, OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW SAs**

<i>NSW Statistical Area</i>	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Greater Sydney	45	15,906	17,296	2,341	3,387	1,454	211	732	17,581	5,595	9,163	24,996	13,420	12,016	4,717	38,959	34,669
Capital Region	2	669	868	152	198	7	0	9	746	412	248	835	452	523	33	617	2,059
Central West	1	1,218	1,159	221	237	30	3	18	1,562	698	467	1,562	745	1,042	90	875	2,878
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	1	717	749	146	158	17	2	18	598	413	270	771	340	520	60	447	1,527
Far West and Orana	9	1,443	1,008	163	213	26	3	25	1,459	865	431	1,505	433	685	92	640	2,671
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	1	1,342	953	202	281	30	9	37	1,281	671	732	1,857	688	1,000	101	1,037	2,907
Illawarra	5	1,022	1,131	181	227	71	8	50	1,437	552	638	1,818	944	1,014	165	1,161	2,602
Mid North Coast	3	1,011	976	187	250	30	3	24	1,196	568	425	845	506	913	89	647	2,246
Murray	3	527	593	81	141	14	1	12	632	331	252	669	321	419	35	394	1,364
New England and North West	3	1,299	1,219	174	270	33	2	21	1,753	713	386	1,345	665	969	54	595	2,894
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	3	1,472	1,805	312	373	55	12	75	1,583	801	990	2,945	1,234	1,254	274	2,415	3,844
Richmond - Tweed	2	965	1,153	194	228	34	1	21	916	544	430	1,207	557	737	135	932	2,221
Riverina	7	817	780	143	171	11	0	19	1,204	440	383	1,189	588	752	40	484	1,948
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	0	526	526	120	143	21	8	13	798	297	234	719	406	482	37	427	1,350
<b>NSW</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>28,939</b>	<b>30,937</b>	<b>4,653</b>	<b>6,298</b>	<b>1,835</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>1,074</b>	<b>32,746</b>	<b>12,902</b>	<b>15,049</b>	<b>42,264</b>	<b>21,299</b>	<b>22,326</b>	<b>5,924</b>	<b>49,648</b>	<b>65,339</b>

\* For murder the count given is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**TABLE 2.1D: NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES, OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2014, NSW SAs**

<i>NSW Statistical Area</i>	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Greater Sydney	52	16,053	18,013	2,337	3,547	1,734	245	940	19,336	6,122	9,163	25,368	13,133	11,222	5,223	39,201	38,499
Capital Region	5	711	849	172	228	11	2	12	754	427	249	862	434	588	31	586	2,125
Central West	3	1,150	1,323	232	305	40	3	12	1,529	640	436	1,572	664	1,005	98	813	3,164
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	4	687	748	127	211	18	5	14	710	367	297	909	273	612	81	537	1,590
Far West and Orana	2	1,422	1,179	205	229	22	4	23	1,452	617	368	1,451	581	714	98	460	2,804
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	2	1,247	1,038	234	281	28	7	47	1,492	662	779	1,768	673	1,169	110	1,034	3,007
Illawarra	3	1,043	1,297	219	261	49	7	71	1,300	482	680	1,948	872	928	198	1,388	2,813
Mid North Coast	1	1,050	1,132	213	274	41	4	26	1,271	708	505	1,004	542	982	95	694	2,550
Murray	1	603	611	114	104	9	1	11	602	396	228	708	303	441	33	413	1,419
New England and North West	2	1,245	1,414	229	283	37	1	31	1,514	655	394	1,351	595	874	52	685	3,109
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	5	1,473	1,816	326	375	63	15	92	1,931	905	966	2,880	1,223	1,303	332	2,131	4,119
Richmond - Tweed	4	1,043	1,285	211	262	36	2	13	1,009	608	481	1,284	525	908	138	1,006	2,566
Riverina	1	830	905	155	182	23	3	17	1,161	463	285	1,294	519	793	50	442	2,183
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	0	513	585	151	135	17	6	23	685	283	228	856	408	429	32	524	1,510
<b>NSW</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>29,075</b>	<b>32,858</b>	<b>4,942</b>	<b>6,690</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>1,332</b>	<b>34,746</b>	<b>13,345</b>	<b>15,061</b>	<b>43,255</b>	<b>20,745</b>	<b>21,968</b>	<b>6,571</b>	<b>49,926</b>	<b>71,589</b>

\* For murder the count given is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**TABLE 2.2A: TRENDS<sup>^</sup> IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, GREATER SYDNEY SAs**

Greater Sydney Statistical Area	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	32.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	15.3	-14.3
Eastern Suburbs	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Inner South West	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-7.6	ns	14.9	-12.5	-7.0	ns	-26.1	-18.9	-12.2
Inner West	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	19.8	-10.8	20.3	ns	13.7	ns	-6.0
North Sydney and Hornsby	.	ns	ns	ns	-18.4	-32.7	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	30.6	ns	ns	ns
Northern Beaches	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-6.9
Outer South West	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	-43.4	.	ns	-15.8	ns	-19.3	ns	35.7	ns	ns	ns	-12.7
Outer West and Blue Mountains	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	-20.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-13.3
Parramatta	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.5	ns	-30.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-4.5
Ryde	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-24.6	ns	ns	-14.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	-19.6
South West	.	ns	-9.3	ns	-10.9	ns	-12.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-13.5	ns	ns	ns	-7.7
Sutherland	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	-28.8	ns	-21.6	ns	17.8	ns	ns	ns	ns

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **trend results**, see page 25, Notes [5] and [6].

**TABLE 2.2B: RATIO TO NSW RATE<sup>^</sup> OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS PER 100,000 POPULATION**

Greater Sydney Statistical Area	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.5
Blacktown	0.7	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.2	2.7	2.7	1.9	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2
Central Coast	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.7	1.5	0.7	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.8	1.1
City and Inner South	1.0	1.1	2.8	1.1	1.7	4.0	1.5	2.5	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.6	3.2	1.9	8.1	4.0	1.4
Eastern Suburbs	0.0	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.1	0.7
Inner South West	0.8	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.1	1.6	1.3	0.7	0.5	1.3	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.5	1.1	0.6
Inner West	1.3	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.5	0.8	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.5	0.7
North Sydney and Hornsby	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.5
Northern Beaches	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6
Outer South West	0.0	1.3	0.9	1.3	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.1
Outer West and Blue Mountains	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.6	0.9	1.3	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.2
Parramatta	1.6	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.7	2.5	1.6	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.2	1.4	0.8
Ryde	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.4	1.0	0.5
South West	1.8	1.1	0.7	0.9	0.7	1.4	1.9	1.5	1.0	0.7	1.4	1.1	0.9	0.6	0.8	1.2	0.7
Sutherland	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **rate calculation populations** and the **ratio to NSW rate**, see page 25, Note [7] and footnote 3.

\* The rate calculations on the offence of murder is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**TABLE 2.2C: NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES, OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, GREATER SYDNEY SAs**

Greater Sydney Statistical Area	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	1	330	358	81	106	14	4	5	653	241	207	746	292	314	46	1,026	910
Blacktown	3	1,952	1,572	217	328	217	32	89	1,629	426	874	2,609	1,071	967	295	2,887	3,449
Central Coast	7	1,367	1,458	220	263	60	17	35	1,348	469	730	1,827	880	745	219	1,656	3,079
City and Inner South	4	1,308	3,542	216	427	297	16	108	1,190	648	655	2,725	2,723	1,678	1,931	8,085	3,741
Eastern Suburbs	0	621	911	89	149	46	3	21	855	174	417	1,327	762	861	287	2,110	1,700
Inner South West	6	2,001	1,469	198	297	149	33	110	1,807	512	1,524	2,607	1,017	1,108	249	4,271	3,195
Inner West	5	604	719	94	166	72	15	32	1,075	318	563	1,382	581	933	265	2,923	1,717
North Sydney and Hornsby	1	455	603	119	191	35	3	17	1,163	368	223	1,125	904	935	181	2,351	1,912
Northern Beaches	0	352	657	77	136	36	0	5	507	235	208	862	494	499	124	1,202	1,433
Outer South West	0	1,297	952	201	245	56	9	42	1,085	348	513	1,349	818	567	113	1,258	2,361
Outer West and Blue Mountains	4	1,485	1,400	252	302	122	10	59	1,361	446	756	1,973	877	846	189	1,842	3,358
Parramatta	9	1,771	1,655	219	337	186	39	105	2,210	603	1,016	2,642	1,193	1,123	424	4,195	2,988
Ryde	0	209	287	52	104	11	3	6	488	181	126	476	401	383	63	1,220	746
South West	9	1,722	1,225	226	237	131	27	86	1,751	448	1,111	2,514	963	660	261	3,081	2,560
Sutherland	0	432	488	80	99	22	0	12	459	178	240	832	444	397	70	852	1,520

\* For murder the count given is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**TABLE 2.2D: NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES, OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2014, GREATER SYDNEY SAs**

Greater Sydney Statistical Area	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	0	383	350	82	97	19	0	9	596	182	219	770	293	297	51	890	1,062
Blacktown	3	1,931	1,734	238	348	211	21	86	1,816	465	880	2,288	1,186	941	348	2,569	3,876
Central Coast	5	1,202	1,466	217	301	57	8	50	1,330	496	713	1,846	843	758	240	1,435	3,602
City and Inner South	6	1,349	3,851	234	453	376	24	164	1,374	901	673	2,825	2,474	1,590	2,132	8,455	4,203
Eastern Suburbs	3	596	862	90	160	62	7	28	1,052	202	456	1,189	805	889	255	2,257	1,754
Inner South West	10	1,962	1,462	198	305	174	52	133	1,955	487	1,326	2,980	1,094	898	337	5,269	3,637
Inner West	1	619	733	82	178	85	21	57	1,239	298	470	1,550	483	711	233	2,947	1,827
North Sydney and Hornsby	1	493	617	111	234	52	3	12	1,141	393	219	1,267	892	716	201	2,133	2,069
Northern Beaches	0	421	661	80	111	33	0	9	507	199	229	922	551	479	160	1,039	1,539
Outer South West	1	1,306	1,066	214	250	99	12	28	1,288	430	636	1,246	603	568	125	1,314	2,705
Outer West and Blue Mountains	5	1,496	1,400	235	331	96	12	71	1,473	564	765	2,082	859	807	224	1,596	3,875
Parramatta	11	1,819	1,661	215	292	253	47	152	2,416	698	1,065	2,688	1,124	1,115	489	4,187	3,130
Ryde	0	234	304	52	103	26	5	20	647	157	143	556	436	334	79	1,277	928
South West	5	1,834	1,351	212	266	160	31	104	1,857	485	1,063	2,291	1,113	687	251	2,911	2,774
Sutherland	1	408	495	77	118	31	2	17	645	165	306	868	377	432	98	922	1,518

\* For murder the count given is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**TABLE 2.3A: TRENDS<sup>1</sup> IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW LGAs**

NSW LGA	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Albury	ns	ns	-14.0	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-5.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Armidale Dumaresq	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Ashfield	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Bankstown	.	ns	ns	-19.6	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-19.5	-21.5
Bathurst Regional	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Bega Valley	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Bellingen	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-37.1	.	ns	.	.	.
Berrigan	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	-31.5
Blacktown	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	13.8	ns	ns	-15.9	ns	-11.1
Bland	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Blayney	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Blue Mountains	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-20.2
Bogan	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	ns
Bombala	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Boorowa	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Botany Bay	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Bourke	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Brewarrina	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Broken Hill	.	ns	-32.3	.	.	.	.	.	-9.8	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-22.4
Burwood	.	ns	-27.5	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	-5.0	40.0	ns	32.1	ns	ns	ns	ns
Cabonne	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-40.3	ns	-37.5	ns	ns	-25.7
Camden	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	36.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Campbelltown	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-19.9	ns	-17.5	ns	35.2	ns	ns	ns	-13.6
Canada Bay	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-24.9
Canterbury	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Carrathool	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Central Darling	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Cessnock	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	-14.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Clarence Valley	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-16.8	.	-19.3	ns
Cobar	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Coffs Harbour	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	43.0	ns	ns	42.6	ns	ns	ns	ns
Conargo	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolamon	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Cooma-Monaro	.	.	-25.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Coonamble	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Cootamundra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	-24.4
Corowa Shire	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Cowra	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	64.0	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	50.5
Deniliquin	.	-29.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Dubbo	.	ns	-19.9	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	138.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	67.5	ns
Dungog	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	ns
Eurobodalla	.	ns	ns	-47.6	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	-49.4	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Fairfield	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-25.1	ns	ns	ns	-11.3
Forbes	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	80.0	.	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Gilgandra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	.	ns
Glen Innes Severn	.	157.9	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Gloucester	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Gosford	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	-23.7	-12.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-15.3
Goulburn Mulwaree	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns
Great Lakes	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-45.8	-46.8	-51.2	-47.9	ns	ns	.	.	-29.5
Greater Hume Shire	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	ns
Greater Taree	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-24.8	.	ns	ns
Griffith	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Gundagai	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Gunnedah	.	ns	-42.1	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-25.0
Guyra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Gwydir	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Harden	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	-41.7
Hawkesbury	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-34.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-16.9
Hay	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Holroyd	.	ns	ns	ns	53.0	ns	.	ns	ns	-39.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	-40.0	ns	ns
Hornsby	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Hunters Hill	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-33.3
Hurstville	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	52.5	-8.9	-14.2	ns	ns	ns	-14.0
Inverell	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Jerilderie	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Junee	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Kempsey	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	-20.5	-25.2	ns	ns	ns	-31.3	ns	-21.2
Kiama	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	-21.3
Kogarah	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-35.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Ku-ring-gai	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Kyogle	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	-20.8
Lachlan	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	.	.	ns
Lake Macquarie	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	.	-17.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-20.6	ns	-11.1
Lane Cove	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	ns	ns
Leeton	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns

**TABLE 2.3A: TRENDS<sup>^</sup> IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW LGAs**

NSW LGA	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Leichhardt	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-38.5	ns	50.0	ns	ns	ns
Lismore	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Lithgow	ns	ns	-37.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-23.8	ns	ns	-37.4
Liverpool	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-34.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	12.4	ns	ns
Liverpool Plains	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-40.7
Lockhart	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Lord Howe Island	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Maitland	17.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-22.0	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-12.6	ns	ns	-9.8
Manly	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Marrickville	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-34.1	ns	-21.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-20.6	ns	ns
Mid-Western Regional	ns	ns	ns	ns	-37.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Moree Plains	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-7.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	31.5	ns	ns	ns	ns
Mosman	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-47.1	ns	ns	ns	45.5	ns
Murray	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Murrumbidgee	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Muswellbrook	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.8	ns	ns	ns	ns	24.1	-23.7	ns	ns	ns
Nambucca	ns	-29.1	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	33.3	ns	ns	ns	ns
Narrabri	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-31.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Narrandera	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	58.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-37.5
Narromine	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	192.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Newcastle	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-16.5	13.8	ns
North Sydney	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-21.8
Oberon	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Orange	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	48.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Palerang	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Parkes	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Parramatta	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-18.2	ns	-18.0	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Penrith	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.6
Pittwater	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	51.2	ns
Port Macquarie-Hastings	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-28.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Port Stephens	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-40.1	ns	-26.6	ns	ns	ns	-22.5	ns	ns	ns
Queanbeyan	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	45.1	ns	ns	20.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Randwick	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Richmond Valley	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Rockdale	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-21.8	ns	49.7	-40.0	ns	ns	ns
Ryde	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-28.1	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Shellharbour	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-29.7	ns	-24.0	ns	ns	ns	-17.6
Shoalhaven	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Singleton	ns	ns	-33.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	66.0	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Snowy River	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-21.4
Strathfield	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	49.2	ns	ns
Sutherland Shire	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-28.5	ns	-21.9	ns	ns	17.8	ns	ns	ns	ns
Sydney	ns	-7.7	ns	ns	ns	-21.0	ns	ns	-31.6	ns	-3.8	12.5	ns	-9.4	ns	ns	-13.6
Tamworth Regional	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-10.2
Temora	ns	-28.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Tenterfield	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	127.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
The Hills Shire	-10.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	29.6	55.0	26.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	16.5	-14.7
Tumbarumba	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Turnut Shire	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Tweed	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-32.4	ns	-35.6	ns	-14.2
Unincorporated Far West	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Upper Hunter Shire	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Upper Lachlan Shire	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.2
Uralla	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Urana	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wagga Wagga	ns	-21.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	74.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wakool	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Walcha	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Walgett	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Warren	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Warringham	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-14.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Warrumbungle Shire	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Waverley	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Weddin	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wellington	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wentworth	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Willoughby	39.1	ns	ns	-36.5	ns	ns	ns	20.7	78.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wingecarribee	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-49.1	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wollondilly	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-39.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wollongong	ns	-11.7	-21.2	ns	ns	ns	-30.2	22.2	ns	-10.2	ns	ns	21.3	ns	ns	ns	ns
Woollahra	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wyong	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-44.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-13.8
Yass Valley	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Young	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-53.7	ns	ns	ns	ns
<b>NSW</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>-13.8</b>	<b>-13.8</b>	<b>-19.4</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>-9.8</b>	<b>ns</b>	<b>-8.7</b>

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **trend results**, see page 25, Notes [5] and [6].

\* There were no LGAs with 20 murder victims, hence no trend tests were reported. The trend test for NSW on the offence of murder is for the number of victims, not incidents.

**TABLE 2.3B: RATIO TO NSW RATE\* OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW LGAs**

NSW LGA	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Albury	n.c.	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.5	1.0		1.0	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.7	1.2	0.7	0.8	1.9
Armidale Dumaresq	n.c.	1.9	1.7	1.4	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.7	3.6	1.4	0.8	1.4	1.5	1.7	0.5	0.6	1.6
Ashfield	n.c.	0.7	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.5	1.9	1.1	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.7	0.7
Bankstown	n.c.	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.3	1.2	0.8	0.7	1.8	0.9	0.7	0.6	0.4	1.4	0.7
Bathurst Regional	n.c.	1.4	1.3	1.8	1.3	0.5		0.8	1.8	1.6	0.9	1.1	1.7	1.6	1.0	0.7	1.4
Bega Valley	n.c.	0.7	1.0	1.3	1.7				0.4	1.4	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.2	0.3	1.0
Bellingen	n.c.	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.6				0.5	2.2	0.9	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.2	0.2	0.7
Berrigan	n.c.	0.5	0.6	1.2	0.4			1.7	0.4	0.8	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.8		0.2	0.7
Blacktown	n.c.	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.2	2.6	2.7	1.8	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.2
Bland	n.c.	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.6				0.6	1.0	0.6	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.3	0.9
Blayney	n.c.	0.8	0.5	2.2	0.6				0.7	1.9	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.5		0.2	0.8
Blue Mountains	n.c.	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	1.2
Bogan	n.c.	2.3	2.4	1.6	1.2				1.4	4.7	1.8	2.3	1.7	2.0	1.2	1.1	4.2
Bombala	n.c.																
Boorowa	n.c.																
Botany Bay	n.c.	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.6	1.0		1.6	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.9	1.6	0.8	1.3	1.3	0.9
Bourke	n.c.																
Brewarrina	n.c.																
Broken Hill	n.c.	2.6	1.4	1.2	1.0	0.9		0.7	1.7	1.5	0.8	1.2	0.6	1.7	0.7	0.5	1.8
Burwood	n.c.	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	1.6	2.4	1.6	1.2	0.6	1.1	0.9	2.2	0.9	1.9	3.3	0.8
Cabonne	n.c.	1.0	1.0	3.5	3.1	0.3			0.8	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.1	0.4	0.6
Camden	n.c.	0.9	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.2	0.9	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.1	0.6	0.6
Campbelltown	n.c.	1.6	1.1	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.7	1.3	0.9	1.2	1.2	1.5	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.3
Canada Bay	n.c.	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.3	1.0	0.7	1.0	0.4
Canterbury	n.c.	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.5	1.5	2.8	1.9	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.5	1.1	0.6
Carrathool	n.c.																
Central Darling	n.c.																
Cessnock	n.c.	1.7	0.9	1.8	1.3	0.8	1.6	1.0	1.5	2.2	2.0	1.6	1.0	1.7	0.5	0.8	1.3
Clarence Valley	n.c.	1.0	1.3	1.8	1.5	0.2	0.6	0.4	1.0	1.7	0.9	1.0	0.9	1.7	0.4	0.5	1.5
Cobar	n.c.	2.4	1.5	2.5	3.3				1.3	6.0	2.3	2.9	0.3	2.2		0.7	2.5
Coffs Harbour	n.c.	1.7	1.4	1.9	1.5	0.8	0.4	1.5	1.1	1.7	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.7	0.5	1.3
Conargo	n.c.																
Coolamon	n.c.	0.7	0.3	1.5	1.1				0.4	1.5	0.8	0.2	0.3	0.8		0.2	0.5
Cooma-Monaro	n.c.	0.4	0.9	0.8	1.5				0.4	1.1	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.7	0.1	0.3	0.8
Coonamble	n.c.	2.6	2.3	1.1	2.2				5.0	10.0	1.5	3.2	0.8	3.5	1.2	0.6	3.3
Cootamundra	n.c.	1.2	1.3	2.1	2.3			1.8	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.2	1.2		0.4	1.4
Corowa Shire	n.c.	0.8	0.7	1.4	1.3	0.4		0.6	1.2	2.0	0.4	0.7	0.6	1.8	0.1	0.2	0.8
Cowra	n.c.	1.6	1.9	2.3	2.8	0.7			2.0	1.9	0.8	1.0	1.3	2.1	0.6	0.7	2.8
Deniliquin	n.c.	1.3	1.6	0.2	2.1				1.0	1.3	0.5	0.8	1.0	1.6		0.3	1.6
Dubbo	n.c.	2.3	1.7	2.0	2.2	1.3		1.9	3.0	3.5	2.1	3.2	2.1	1.4	1.7	1.2	2.6
Dungog	n.c.	1.0	0.4	0.9	0.8				0.4	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6
Eurobodalla	n.c.	1.1	1.3	0.9	1.0	0.1		0.6	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.2	0.4	1.3
Fairfield	n.c.	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.6	1.6	2.3	1.5	0.9	0.6	1.2	0.9	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.0	0.6
Forbes	n.c.	2.2	1.7	2.0	1.1			0.7	2.3	2.8	1.5	1.7	0.4	2.3	0.4	0.7	1.9
Gilgandra	n.c.	2.3	1.4	0.4	1.6	0.9			4.1	9.6	2.7	1.4	0.9	1.4	0.3	0.6	2.0
Glen Innes Severn	n.c.	2.8	2.1	2.7	2.3	0.5			1.5	2.6	0.6	0.7	0.2	1.8	0.3	0.5	1.9
Gloucester	n.c.	0.8	0.7	0.3	2.8				0.5	0.7	0.2	0.3		0.8	0.3	0.3	0.9
Gosford	n.c.	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.5	0.9
Goulburn Mulwaree	n.c.	1.1	1.3	2.0	1.2	0.3		0.5	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.2	0.6	1.2
Great Lakes	n.c.	1.3	1.1	1.3	1.9	0.3		0.4	0.8	1.2	0.6	0.4	0.8	1.4	0.3	0.6	1.0
Greater Hume Shire	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.8	0.8				0.4	1.9	0.9	0.5	0.0	0.6		0.2	0.4
Greater Taree	n.c.	1.1	1.2	2.0	1.6	0.9		1.3	1.2	2.8	1.4	1.0	1.5	1.4	0.6	0.4	1.5
Griffith	n.c.	2.2	1.5	0.9	1.4	0.8		0.5	2.7	2.7	1.5	1.8	2.6	1.6	0.5	0.7	1.5
Gundagai	n.c.	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.0				0.4	1.1	0.4	0.5		0.4		1.7	0.9
Gunnedah	n.c.	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.5				2.1	2.4	1.5	2.4	1.3	2.2	0.2	0.6	2.0
Guyra	n.c.	1.8	1.3	1.0	1.6				0.8	3.7	0.6	1.4	0.5	2.1	0.3	0.5	1.3
Gwydir	n.c.	0.6	0.7	1.6	0.2				0.5	0.9	0.1	0.4		0.9		0.1	0.8
Harden	n.c.	0.7	0.5	0.9	2.2			1.9	0.6	1.1	0.3	0.4	0.6	0.9		0.3	0.9
Hawkesbury	n.c.	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.1	2.2	0.4	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.8	0.4	0.7	1.0
Hay	n.c.																
Holroyd	n.c.	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.7	2.8	1.8	1.4	0.6	1.4	1.2	0.9	0.8	0.4	1.3	0.8
Hornsby	n.c.	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6
Hunters Hill	n.c.	0.2	0.4	1.0	0.5				0.6	1.1	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.6
Hurstville	n.c.	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.8	2.3	1.0	0.8	0.5	1.1	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.8	0.6
Inverell	n.c.	1.7	1.6	1.6	2.6	1.0		0.4	0.9	1.8	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.4	0.3	0.4	2.0
Jerilderie	n.c.																
Junee	n.c.	1.2	1.0	1.8	0.8			1.1	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.3	0.6		0.3	0.7
Kempsey	n.c.	2.1	1.4	1.9	1.4	1.0	1.9	1.9	3.3	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	2.3	0.9	0.4	1.8
Kiama	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6		1.3	0.3	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.9	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.6
Kogarah	n.c.	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.5	1.3	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.0	0.7
Ku-ring-gai	n.c.	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.5	0.2		0.2	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.6	0.4
Kyogle	n.c.	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.5			0.7	0.7	1.8	0.6	0.3		0.6		0.2	0.7
Lachlan	n.c.	2.6	2.3	1.2	2.6	0.6			2.7	3.6	2.0	1.5	0.4	2.4		0.2	2.0
Lake Macquarie	n.c.	0.9	0.8	1.4	1.1	0.3	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.4	1.2	1.1	0.9	0.5	0.9	1.0
Lane Cove	n.c.	0.2	0.2	0.5	0.6	0.1			0.4	0.5	0.6	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.4
Leeton	n.c.	1.4	1.2	2.4	1.6			0.6	1.5	1.8	0.9	0.5	0.4	1.1	0.1	0.2	1.2



**TABLE 2.3B: RATIO TO NSW RATE<sup>^</sup> OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW LGAs**

NSW LGA	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Leichhardt	n.c.	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.9	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	1.0	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.5	1.2	0.8
Lismore	n.c.	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.8	0.9	.	0.5	1.3	1.5	0.9	0.8	1.1	1.3	0.6	0.7	1.4
Lithgow	n.c.	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	0.2	0.2	0.7	1.8	4.1	1.1	0.9	1.0	1.5	0.5	0.7	1.5
Liverpool	n.c.	1.3	0.8	1.1	0.8	1.2	1.7	1.6	1.1	0.7	1.6	1.3	1.2	0.7	0.9	1.4	0.8
Liverpool Plains	n.c.	1.2	0.9	1.0	2.4	.	.	.	1.0	1.9	0.8	0.7	0.3	1.3	0.2	0.3	0.7
Lockhart	n.c.	0.3	0.6	1.6	.	.	.	.	0.3	1.3	0.8	0.1	0.2	0.4	.	0.2	0.2
Lord Howe Island	n.c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Maitland	n.c.	1.4	0.9	1.0	1.1	0.5	1.5	2.0	0.9	1.3	1.3	1.6	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.6	1.2
Manly	n.c.	0.3	1.2	0.5	1.0	0.8	.	0.2	0.5	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.7	1.1	1.6	0.8	0.8
Marrickville	n.c.	0.8	1.2	0.8	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.3	0.8	0.7	1.3	1.1	0.7	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.1
Mid-Western Regional	n.c.	1.4	1.4	1.6	1.2	0.3	0.3	.	0.9	1.1	0.9	0.9	0.6	1.6	0.3	0.6	1.7
Moree Plains	n.c.	4.8	3.5	1.7	2.5	1.7	.	2.0	5.3	5.9	3.4	2.5	3.7	3.9	1.0	1.0	4.0
Mosman	n.c.	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.2	.	.	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4
Murray	n.c.	0.5	0.5	.	1.0	.	3.8	0.9	1.2	2.9	1.2	1.0	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.8
Murrumbidgee	n.c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Muswellbrook	n.c.	1.8	1.2	1.7	1.5	1.0	1.7	0.8	1.9	2.2	1.8	1.2	1.4	1.5	0.5	0.6	1.9
Nambucca	n.c.	1.4	1.0	1.3	1.6	0.2	1.5	1.1	2.4	1.5	1.4	0.8	0.6	1.2	0.3	0.4	1.3
Narrabri	n.c.	1.4	1.7	1.1	1.0	0.6	.	0.5	1.9	3.2	0.7	1.3	0.9	1.4	0.1	0.5	1.8
Narrandera	n.c.	1.2	1.0	0.8	1.6	.	.	.	2.2	2.9	1.5	1.4	0.9	1.9	0.4	0.4	1.2
Narromine	n.c.	2.2	2.0	3.1	1.2	.	.	2.0	2.2	9.9	2.5	3.0	0.4	2.8	1.3	0.7	2.0
Newcastle	n.c.	1.2	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.0	0.9	2.0	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.7	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.4
North Sydney	n.c.	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.5	.	0.2	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.5	1.5	0.8	1.4	0.6
Oberon	n.c.	1.4	0.7	2.1	0.7	.	.	.	0.7	1.9	1.1	0.3	0.3	1.4	.	0.2	1.4
Orange	n.c.	1.8	1.6	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.4	1.7	2.7	1.7	1.7	2.8	2.6	2.1	0.9	0.8	1.9
Palerang	n.c.	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.2	.	.	.	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.7
Parkes	n.c.	2.0	1.4	1.7	1.1	0.3	1.9	.	1.3	1.9	1.1	1.4	0.6	1.8	0.2	0.8	1.6
Parramatta	n.c.	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	2.1	2.6	2.0	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.8	0.9
Penrith	n.c.	1.5	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.8	1.0	1.8	1.2	0.7	1.4	1.2	1.2	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.3
Pittwater	n.c.	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	.	.	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.7	0.7
Port Macquarie-Hastings	n.c.	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.4	.	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.5	1.3	0.5	0.5	0.9
Port Stephens	n.c.	1.3	0.9	0.8	1.3	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.5	1.4
Queanbeyan	n.c.	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.7	0.2	.	0.3	1.2	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.3	0.8	0.3	0.7	1.1
Randwick	n.c.	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.7	0.9	0.5	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.7
Richmond Valley	n.c.	1.3	1.3	2.1	1.5	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.4	3.3	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.3	0.8	0.5	1.4
Rockdale	n.c.	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.9	1.6	1.0	0.6	0.5	1.0	0.9	0.4	0.9	0.8	1.3	0.7
Ryde	n.c.	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.8	0.3	0.7	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.5	1.2	0.5
Shellharbour	n.c.	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.9
Shoalhaven	n.c.	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.3	0.8	2.0	0.7	1.6	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	0.3	0.5	1.2
Singleton	n.c.	0.8	0.6	1.3	1.1	0.3	.	0.3	1.5	2.1	1.9	1.5	1.0	1.4	0.3	0.3	0.9
Snowy River	n.c.	0.4	1.1	0.4	0.7	.	.	.	0.3	1.7	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.8
Strathfield	n.c.	0.7	0.8	0.5	1.0	2.1	0.7	0.9	1.2	0.8	1.5	1.2	0.6	0.7	2.9	1.7	0.8
Sutherland Shire	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.4	.	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.8
Sydney	n.c.	1.3	3.8	1.4	2.0	5.4	2.2	3.0	1.0	1.6	1.0	1.9	4.2	2.2	11.5	5.1	1.6
Tamworth Regional	n.c.	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.5	0.9	0.5	1.0	1.8	1.6	1.0	1.2	1.5	1.6	0.5	0.4	1.7
Temora	n.c.	1.1	0.8	2.7	0.6	.	.	1.2	0.6	1.3	0.5	1.2	0.6	1.7	.	0.3	1.2
Tenterfield	n.c.	2.3	1.1	2.8	1.5	.	.	.	3.3	3.2	1.0	1.8	0.3	1.5	.	0.2	1.7
The Hills Shire	n.c.	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.5
Tumbarumba	n.c.	0.7	1.0	1.4	3.0	.	.	.	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.1	1.1	0.4	0.3	0.8
Turnut Shire	n.c.	1.4	1.2	1.0	1.8	.	.	0.6	0.4	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.5	1.2	0.2	0.2	1.4
Tweed	n.c.	1.1	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.4	.	0.5	0.7	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.8
Unincorporated Far West	n.c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Upper Hunter Shire	n.c.	0.4	0.5	0.7	1.1	.	.	.	0.6	1.3	0.9	0.5	0.5	1.3	.	0.4	0.9
Upper Lachlan Shire	n.c.	0.6	0.6	1.7	0.8	.	.	.	1.0	1.4	0.8	0.5	0.1	1.1	.	0.2	0.7
Uralla	n.c.	0.6	0.4	0.8	1.7	.	.	.	1.1	1.2	0.5	0.4	0.1	1.2	.	0.2	0.5
Urana	n.c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Wagga Wagga	n.c.	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.1	0.4	.	1.2	2.4	1.4	1.6	2.0	1.8	2.2	0.5	0.5	1.8
Wakool	n.c.	0.5	1.3	0.4	0.9	.	.	.	0.5	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.4	1.0	.	0.3	0.6
Walcha	n.c.	0.3	0.7	2.1	2.3	.	.	.	0.2	2.3	.	0.4	0.2	0.8	.	0.2	0.9
Walgett	n.c.	7.0	3.4	4.0	2.1	1.2	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	2.1	1.4	1.1	2.2	0.4	0.4	4.0
Warren	n.c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Warringham	n.c.	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	.	0.2	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.5
Warrumbungle Shire	n.c.	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.8	0.8	.	.	1.1	1.1	0.4	0.6	0.4	1.4	0.1	0.4	0.9
Waverley	n.c.	0.6	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.5	.	0.3	0.6	0.4	0.9	0.8	2.3	1.1	1.3	1.4	0.9
Weddin	n.c.	0.6	0.5	.	0.6	.	.	.	0.6	1.3	0.3	0.0	.	1.0	.	0.1	0.5
Wellington	n.c.	2.1	1.7	2.1	2.4	0.9	.	2.3	4.6	3.9	1.4	1.3	0.7	2.6	0.1	0.4	2.8
Wentworth	n.c.	2.2	1.7	2.3	2.6	.	.	.	1.7	2.6	1.8	1.3	0.5	1.8	.	0.3	1.4
Willoughby	n.c.	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.3	0.5	2.1	0.6	1.2	1.1	0.6
Wingecarribee	n.c.	0.7	0.5	1.2	1.0	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.4	0.8
Wollondilly	n.c.	1.0	0.6	2.2	1.5	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.7
Wollongong	n.c.	0.9	1.0	1.0	0.9	1.2	0.7	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.3	0.7	0.6	1.1
Woollahra	n.c.	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.1	.	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.4	1.2	1.8	0.7	0.5
Wyong	n.c.	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.1	2.7	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.5	1.2	1.1	0.8	1.0	1.0	1.2
Young Valley	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.4	.	.	0.4	0.5	1.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.4	0.7
Young	n.c.	1.5	1.4	2.4	2.1	0.6	.	.	0.7	1.8	0.7	0.5	1.0	0.8	0.1	0.4	2.3
NSW	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of *rate calculation populations* and the *ratio to NSW rate*, see page 25, Note [7] and footnote 3. A result of '.' indicates either that there were no relevant offences recorded in the LGA, or that the population is less than 3,000 people and no rate was calculated.

Sydney LGA can be considered a special case since the population used to calculate the rate is much lower than the population using the area for work and entertainment and this will be reflected in higher incident rates.

\* Murder counts and rates at the LGA level are available from the BOCSAR Crime Mapping Tool (<http://crimetool.bocsar.nsw.gov.au/bocsar/>) and in various datasets on the BOCSAR website (<http://www.bocsar.nsw.gov.au/>)

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Albury	n.a.	296	332	39	64	13	0	7	373	128	149	406	248	184	30	258	835
Armidale Dumaresq	n.a.	188	173	22	37	7	1	6	398	61	41	202	108	125	9	108	355
Ashfield	n.a.	117	116	15	28	5	3	7	168	36	71	182	132	163	39	486	271
Bankstown	n.a.	863	649	82	125	56	9	35	663	233	713	1,064	382	381	62	1,898	1,208
Bathurst Regional	n.a.	222	216	47	44	5	0	5	330	115	76	269	198	204	32	205	500
Bega Valley	n.a.	85	133	27	47	0	0	0	59	79	23	68	47	70	5	57	287
Bellingen	n.a.	26	46	6	4	0	0	0	31	49	23	39	9	31	2	18	74
Berrigan	n.a.	16	20	6	4	0	0	2	16	11	11	16	5	20	0	11	50
Blacktown	n.a.	1,938	1,562	216	328	215	31	87	1,609	424	869	2,581	1,056	959	292	2,864	3,427
Bland	n.a.	18	17	2	3	0	0	0	16	10	7	15	4	13	1	13	48
Blayney	n.a.	24	16	10	4	0	0	0	22	24	9	17	8	11	0	11	51
Blue Mountains	n.a.	216	236	54	72	21	1	6	238	125	89	291	79	152	20	228	816
Bogan	n.a.	27	31	3	3	0	0	0	19	25	11	39	15	18	3	22	113
Bombala	n.a.	7	8	0	6	0	0	0	2	2	1	10	0	2	0	2	17
Boorowa	n.a.	10	10	1	0	0	0	0	5	4	0	1	0	9	0	3	13
Botany Bay	n.a.	103	145	19	22	11	0	10	121	43	89	223	200	104	47	389	345
Bourke	n.a.	127	89	14	17	1	0	2	73	42	29	78	39	48	5	29	177
Brewarrina	n.a.	83	40	13	8	1	0	0	28	10	5	12	2	14	0	6	57
Broken Hill	n.a.	188	111	14	16	4	0	2	138	50	30	129	31	95	11	57	301
Burwood	n.a.	74	95	16	24	14	3	8	181	38	77	176	222	101	55	793	264
Cabonne	n.a.	54	57	30	36	1	0	0	47	28	22	37	34	30	1	33	75
Camden	n.a.	220	136	26	46	4	2	4	195	62	99	220	135	134	5	251	327
Campbelltown	n.a.	959	731	116	147	50	7	37	856	250	386	1,055	649	403	100	921	1,816
Canada Bay	n.a.	130	135	21	34	12	2	3	257	95	118	382	78	257	47	562	337
Canterbury	n.a.	506	362	52	69	54	15	40	494	122	395	618	181	236	63	1,102	769
Carrathool	n.a.	12	13	3	3	0	0	0	7	9	0	8	0	5	0	5	23
Central Darling	n.a.	117	55	1	1	0	0	0	30	26	8	21	0	14	1	9	40
Cessnock	n.a.	366	214	62	62	11	3	8	365	207	225	485	160	274	22	292	642
Clarence Valley	n.a.	205	283	56	66	3	1	3	224	148	91	301	130	257	18	167	649
Cobar	n.a.	48	32	8	14	0	0	0	30	53	24	82	5	34	0	25	111
Coffs Harbour	n.a.	486	419	84	88	14	1	15	343	216	156	431	201	232	40	262	804
Conargo	n.a.	3	11	3	4	0	0	0	7	3	3	1	2	3	0	2	13
Coolamon	n.a.	11	6	4	4	0	0	0	8	11	7	6	4	10	0	6	20
Cooma-Monaro	n.a.	17	38	5	13	0	0	0	18	19	5	25	13	22	1	23	73
Coonamble	n.a.	43	41	3	8	0	0	0	93	74	13	76	10	45	4	18	124
Cootamundra	n.a.	35	41	10	15	0	0	2	25	13	4	19	5	28	0	20	93
Corowa Shire	n.a.	37	34	10	12	1	0	1	60	39	10	46	18	61	1	17	80
Cowra	n.a.	77	98	18	30	2	0	0	112	41	20	68	45	79	6	55	310
Deniliquin	n.a.	38	48	1	13	0	0	0	33	17	7	35	21	35	0	16	101
Dubbo	n.a.	361	286	51	75	13	0	11	536	253	178	739	253	171	55	330	940
Dungog	n.a.	34	15	5	6	0	0	0	16	6	10	14	6	20	3	26	45
Eurobodalla	n.a.	157	194	22	31	1	0	3	198	51	39	184	92	112	7	100	413
Fairfield	n.a.	791	577	93	96	79	16	44	783	204	494	1,068	286	255	123	1,378	1,140
Forbes	n.a.	83	67	12	9	0	0	1	99	47	29	93	10	67	3	42	162
Gilgandra	n.a.	39	25	1	6	1	0	0	80	73	24	34	11	19	1	19	78
Glen Innes Severn	n.a.	98	78	15	17	1	0	0	57	40	10	34	5	47	2	27	145
Gloucester	n.a.	15	14	1	12	0	0	0	10	6	2	8	0	12	1	10	39
Gosford	n.a.	515	663	96	87	18	2	15	643	190	266	741	400	358	98	614	1,403
Goulburn Mulwaree	n.a.	119	157	36	30	2	0	2	77	47	35	125	84	75	4	125	313
Great Lakes	n.a.	189	160	29	57	3	0	2	130	74	42	85	79	147	9	139	325
Greater Hume Shire	n.a.	21	23	5	7	0	0	0	17	34	19	29	1	19	0	16	39
Greater Taree	n.a.	212	232	60	66	11	0	9	254	237	134	263	209	197	22	142	617
Griffith	n.a.	218	160	14	30	5	0	2	304	118	79	261	191	119	10	118	338
Gundagai	n.a.	16	11	3	3	0	0	0	7	7	3	11	0	5	0	42	29
Gunnedah	n.a.	65	70	13	16	0	0	0	115	53	39	174	47	84	2	48	222
Guyra	n.a.	32	24	3	6	0	0	0	16	29	6	36	7	29	1	15	52
Gwydir	n.a.	12	14	5	1	0	0	0	10	8	1	10	0	14	0	5	35
Harden	n.a.	10	8	2	7	0	0	1	10	7	2	9	6	10	0	8	28
Hawkesbury	n.a.	274	257	46	71	18	5	4	192	116	161	445	144	148	22	291	589
Hay	n.a.	20	20	1	10	0	0	1	12	12	3	25	6	13	0	20	42
Holroyd	n.a.	476	362	61	101	46	11	29	658	113	303	744	284	279	39	981	758
Hornsby	n.a.	190	240	49	86	8	2	5	517	117	107	508	357	239	49	719	808
Hunters Hill	n.a.	11	23	9	6	0	0	0	40	28	10	35	9	34	6	50	72
Hurstville	n.a.	210	175	31	43	16	7	12	304	70	183	369	266	163	56	440	416
Inverell	n.a.	111	114	17	37	4	0	1	65	53	16	53	43	69	4	42	298
Jerilderie	n.a.	4	3	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	4	1	2	0	4	7
Juneë	n.a.	30	25	7	4	0	0	1	22	9	7	5	5	11	0	11	41
Kempsey	n.a.	240	167	34	35	7	2	8	420	101	116	166	82	204	22	73	469
Kiama	n.a.	38	42	7	10	0	1	1	57	30	27	113	11	41	13	47	111
Kogarah	n.a.	184	151	14	34	11	1	11	174	41	101	205	69	107	41	423	351
Ku-ring-gai	n.a.	77	63	37	54	7	0	4	350	75	52	225	35	202	18	446	415
Kyogle	n.a.	30	37	3	4	0	0	1	29	29	12	15	0	18	0	11	57
Lachlan	n.a.	68	65	5	15	1	0	0	81	42	27	58	8	49	0	8	119
Lake Macquarie	n.a.	730	684	178	195	14	7	29	751	352	573	1,383	613	540	81	1,142	1,846
Lane Cove	n.a.	32	35	11	18	1	0	2	74	38	10	93	13	71	6	168	125
Leeton	n.a.	63	58	17	16	0	0	1	74	36	21	32	14	37	1	17	123



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Leichhardt	n.a.	126	155	19	26	13	1	6	161	65	116	246	79	231	22	464	385
Lismore	n.a.	227	293	51	67	10	0	3	249	116	81	197	136	169	21	198	555
Lithgow	n.a.	101	96	14	17	1	0	2	163	151	46	112	63	93	9	98	283
Liverpool	n.a.	966	694	138	136	57	12	46	985	247	638	1,513	693	397	145	1,788	1,454
Liverpool Plains	n.a.	36	28	5	16	0	0	0	35	25	12	30	7	30	1	14	48
Lockhart	n.a.	4	7	3	0	0	0	0	4	7	5	2	2	4	0	4	6
Lord Howe Island	n.a.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Maitland	n.a.	401	288	47	69	9	4	21	309	170	189	670	212	249	47	307	807
Manly	n.a.	53	215	14	38	9	0	1	101	63	32	181	87	147	56	248	309
Marrickville	n.a.	257	403	42	93	27	3	16	281	96	216	516	166	385	77	841	828
Mid-Western Regional	n.a.	127	141	24	25	2	0	0	99	45	41	115	40	116	6	89	346
Moree Plains	n.a.	258	203	15	30	6	0	4	325	143	97	195	146	164	11	89	495
Mosman	n.a.	47	36	8	5	0	0	1	82	20	26	63	24	84	11	147	100
Murray	n.a.	14	16	0	6	0	1	1	40	37	18	42	4	18	3	19	51
Murrumbidgee	n.a.	12	8	5	3	0	0	0	8	5	3	12	1	14	0	9	23
Muswellbrook	n.a.	115	87	18	21	4	1	2	139	63	61	118	67	74	7	70	287
Nambucca	n.a.	106	83	16	26	1	1	3	203	51	54	93	36	69	5	52	217
Narrabri	n.a.	72	99	9	12	2	0	1	113	76	18	97	35	56	1	46	211
Narrandera	n.a.	27	25	3	8	0	0	0	57	30	18	47	15	34	2	14	60
Narromine	n.a.	59	56	13	7	0	0	2	65	117	34	116	7	57	7	31	118
Newcastle	n.a.	709	1,102	132	174	41	5	46	804	438	404	1,528	621	699	192	1,268	1,937
North Sydney	n.a.	113	172	17	31	9	0	2	211	81	36	242	109	312	43	635	359
Oberon	n.a.	29	15	7	3	0	0	0	16	17	12	10	4	22	0	6	63
Orange	n.a.	287	277	37	34	17	2	10	481	120	145	652	306	261	30	224	693
Palerang	n.a.	17	18	6	3	0	0	0	37	14	20	37	6	34	1	25	91
Parke	n.a.	116	87	16	14	1	1	0	83	49	33	116	25	83	2	83	208
Parramatta	n.a.	747	810	110	142	99	17	54	982	284	350	1,151	741	582	260	2,216	1,433
Penrith	n.a.	1,100	986	177	202	86	7	49	983	249	556	1,364	673	578	150	1,456	2,125
Pittwater	n.a.	87	145	18	31	8	0	0	96	51	60	264	73	96	17	307	402
Port Macquarie-Hastings	n.a.	270	335	58	69	8	0	2	202	100	83	244	103	301	31	263	604
Port Stephens	n.a.	343	260	36	77	4	1	5	257	111	138	355	152	224	16	226	850
Queanbeyan	n.a.	113	135	20	23	2	0	2	222	71	73	270	149	91	9	176	379
Randwick	n.a.	349	420	47	76	36	3	14	442	84	210	752	219	373	119	1,080	842
Richmond Valley	n.a.	115	126	30	29	6	1	3	145	131	46	141	57	88	14	83	272
Rockdale	n.a.	343	243	30	48	24	6	15	282	91	218	539	135	280	72	919	644
Ryde	n.a.	145	218	29	60	8	3	4	277	114	84	333	338	267	47	929	465
Shellharbour	n.a.	271	214	50	84	11	2	12	250	91	137	293	229	174	30	289	559
Shoalhaven	n.a.	395	430	85	104	20	7	10	684	246	196	610	322	341	27	307	1,005
Singleton	n.a.	71	60	19	22	2	0	1	160	88	91	197	68	100	6	53	196
Snowy River	n.a.	11	38	2	5	0	0	0	12	23	4	10	9	10	3	19	55
Strathfield	n.a.	110	133	12	34	20	1	5	198	54	121	256	66	87	91	445	285
Sutherland Shire	n.a.	435	489	80	99	22	0	12	462	181	243	836	444	397	70	852	1,525
Sydney	n.a.	994	3,100	166	324	263	15	85	889	531	390	2,086	2,379	1,318	1,792	6,729	2,714
Tamworth Regional	n.a.	345	366	51	74	13	1	9	486	162	125	419	259	289	23	178	879
Temora	n.a.	25	20	10	3	0	0	1	15	14	6	40	11	30	0	11	64
Tenterfield	n.a.	62	32	12	9	0	0	0	100	38	14	72	5	32	0	11	101
The Hills Shire	n.a.	236	271	48	70	13	1	5	678	203	173	711	283	314	40	1,003	739
Tumbarumba	n.a.	10	14	3	9	0	0	0	6	3	2	7	1	12	1	6	25
Tumut Shire	n.a.	63	58	7	17	0	0	1	21	22	21	50	15	39	2	17	140
Tweed	n.a.	372	300	47	48	8	0	6	271	153	203	476	158	188	25	318	670
Unincorporated Far West	n.a.	11	12	6	8	0	0	0	0	6	3	9	3	2	1	19	11
Upper Hunter Shire	n.a.	24	32	6	13	0	0	0	40	32	25	38	20	57	0	35	113
Upper Lachlan Shire	n.a.	17	19	8	5	0	0	0	33	18	13	23	2	25	0	9	45
Uralla	n.a.	16	10	3	9	0	0	0	30	13	7	16	1	23	0	7	28
Urana	n.a.	0	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	7	1	0	2
Wagga Wagga	n.a.	291	334	54	56	6	0	11	645	155	206	689	324	401	24	203	962
Wakool	n.a.	7	21	1	3	0	0	0	8	7	3	5	4	12	0	8	22
Walcha	n.a.	4	9	4	6	0	0	0	3	12	0	7	2	7	0	5	25
Walgett	n.a.	183	96	17	12	2	1	4	122	49	29	54	21	45	2	19	240
Warren	n.a.	39	26	3	6	0	2	1	20	10	7	20	6	16	0	9	72
Warringham	n.a.	212	297	45	67	19	0	4	310	121	116	417	334	256	51	647	722
Warrumbungle Shire	n.a.	48	46	6	15	2	0	0	49	18	8	31	11	41	1	29	74
Waverley	n.a.	170	279	23	46	9	0	3	182	46	126	326	465	233	75	675	540
Weddin	n.a.	8	7	0	2	0	0	0	10	8	2	1	0	11	0	3	17
Wellington	n.a.	74	63	12	18	2	0	3	180	60	26	66	19	71	1	23	221
Wentworth	n.a.	58	49	10	15	0	0	0	52	31	25	52	10	36	0	14	82
Willoughby	n.a.	89	141	17	33	13	1	4	198	100	41	202	434	140	68	556	402
Wingecarribee	n.a.	132	96	36	39	1	1	3	114	51	39	112	84	141	10	122	347
Wollondilly	n.a.	174	112	63	58	3	1	2	88	55	63	106	51	78	10	125	289
Wollongong	n.a.	712	871	123	153	60	5	37	1,130	430	473	1,407	703	797	121	821	1,928
Woollahra	n.a.	90	149	16	22	1	0	3	192	40	71	216	59	214	82	290	263
Wyong	n.a.	852	794	124	176	42	15	20	705	279	464	1,086	480	387	121	1,042	1,676
Yass Valley	n.a.	31	36	4	6	0	0	1	37	39	15	32	9	32	2	40	95
Young	n.a.	75	74	19	22	2	0	0	36	38	18	39	35	31	1	30	252
Prisons	n.a.	5	721	36	21	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	18	159
<b>NSW</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>28,939</b>	<b>30,937</b>	<b>4,653</b>	<b>6,298</b>	<b>1,835</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>1,074</b>	<b>32,746</b>	<b>12,902</b>	<b>15,049</b>	<b>42,264</b>	<b>21,299</b>	<b>22,326</b>	<b>5,924</b>	<b>49,648</b>	<b>65,339</b>

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NSW LGA	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Robbery without a weapon	Robbery with a firearm	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Break and enter dwelling	Break and enter non-dwelling	Motor vehicle theft	Steal from motor vehicle	Steal from retail store	Steal from dwelling	Steal from person	Fraud	Malicious damage to property
Albury	n.a.	310	386	52	50	6	0	6	331	159	136	429	249	178	27	278	837
Armidale Dumaresq	n.a.	151	225	34	43	5	0	7	247	90	42	253	116	124	11	93	422
Ashfield	n.a.	102	103	14	27	12	1	8	200	47	53	194	97	83	27	463	235
Bankstown	n.a.	944	617	102	121	60	19	50	744	214	670	1,095	391	352	78	2,357	1,539
Bathurst Regional	n.a.	216	256	44	36	10	1	2	346	124	84	310	179	184	25	167	601
Bega Valley	n.a.	91	131	23	28	0	0	1	58	56	25	91	43	64	6	75	253
Bellingen	n.a.	30	41	8	9	1	0	1	40	32	22	62	9	37	5	20	99
Berrigan	n.a.	23	19	4	5	0	0	0	21	29	6	24	3	28	0	18	73
Blacktown	n.a.	1,920	1,728	236	348	208	21	86	1,791	451	871	2,269	1,174	933	347	2,543	3,854
Bland	n.a.	24	23	4	9	0	0	0	16	10	7	13	1	12	2	19	45
Blayney	n.a.	22	21	9	12	0	0	0	31	17	13	40	4	15	0	17	70
Blue Mountains	n.a.	220	294	63	72	9	1	6	202	136	75	303	108	141	31	255	1,022
Bogan	n.a.	39	30	5	6	1	0	0	15	8	7	37	6	9	0	12	70
Bombala	n.a.	3	2	2	5	0	0	0	7	5	1	10	2	9	0	4	21
Boorowa	n.a.	8	9	5	1	0	0	0	8	14	3	4	0	9	0	3	22
Botany Bay	n.a.	118	160	16	17	11	2	5	151	45	104	209	241	111	42	418	327
Bourke	n.a.	136	62	19	10	1	0	1	101	27	20	42	42	39	7	27	165
Brewarrina	n.a.	100	37	6	4	2	0	0	40	16	15	12	2	22	0	2	52
Broken Hill	n.a.	161	164	14	19	2	0	3	153	61	18	120	30	109	6	68	388
Burwood	n.a.	69	131	6	25	25	3	12	195	40	55	184	168	82	58	868	234
Cabonne	n.a.	45	61	39	35	0	0	0	53	35	25	62	32	48	2	32	101
Camden	n.a.	179	127	43	43	11	1	1	143	76	123	221	74	107	4	259	348
Campbelltown	n.a.	1,014	814	120	147	80	12	27	1,068	286	468	933	480	427	115	968	2,101
Canada Bay	n.a.	145	128	17	41	11	5	4	326	73	123	403	75	216	39	635	449
Canterbury	n.a.	469	389	42	73	58	18	58	512	128	346	608	204	207	87	1,251	802
Carrathool	n.a.	20	7	6	5	1	0	0	11	3	3	14	0	10	0	3	15
Central Darling	n.a.	109	51	5	4	0	0	1	34	29	6	12	5	14	2	5	68
Cessnock	n.a.	365	243	63	85	3	3	14	314	181	263	419	181	306	27	336	713
Clarence Valley	n.a.	193	282	47	53	4	1	4	252	184	114	330	123	309	20	207	613
Cobar	n.a.	38	38	4	7	0	0	0	36	34	20	62	18	29	0	16	112
Coffs Harbour	n.a.	464	425	72	149	13	4	9	418	151	161	517	141	266	56	310	878
Conargo	n.a.	10	9	9	2	0	0	0	4	9	3	7	2	8	0	2	20
Coolamon	n.a.	5	9	4	4	0	0	0	15	19	1	16	1	16	0	5	21
Cooma-Monaro	n.a.	26	51	6	11	0	0	0	31	14	13	49	9	22	0	16	101
Coonamble	n.a.	65	57	11	10	1	0	2	123	58	24	58	16	35	2	12	171
Cootamundra	n.a.	40	37	5	11	0	1	0	20	24	6	24	11	13	1	21	123
Corowa Shire	n.a.	41	36	8	6	0	0	1	55	64	19	55	18	65	1	10	94
Cowra	n.a.	69	88	13	53	5	0	0	109	25	15	100	31	62	5	45	206
Deniliquin	n.a.	54	36	5	5	1	0	1	21	11	7	41	10	35	1	26	99
Dubbo	n.a.	333	357	59	69	13	2	11	463	106	159	764	376	195	59	197	842
Dungog	n.a.	31	19	11	7	0	0	0	19	10	10	17	5	29	3	11	64
Eurobodalla	n.a.	169	202	42	53	4	1	2	260	85	77	251	88	121	6	84	438
Fairfield	n.a.	790	624	77	124	77	21	58	869	208	543	1,090	382	278	132	1,463	1,285
Forbes	n.a.	80	67	12	21	0	0	1	55	16	23	95	12	59	2	61	165
Gilgandra	n.a.	40	24	5	7	0	0	0	72	51	11	53	11	20	7	17	89
Glen Innes Severn	n.a.	38	69	13	9	1	0	1	65	50	12	60	14	49	2	15	139
Gloucester	n.a.	17	21	4	9	0	0	0	9	8	0	15	5	17	0	9	39
Gosford	n.a.	497	690	105	135	27	2	14	650	249	304	794	372	338	125	586	1,657
Goulburn Mulwaree	n.a.	116	121	23	39	0	0	2	60	37	19	97	72	94	2	90	292
Great Lakes	n.a.	185	190	52	42	6	0	2	240	139	86	163	120	171	9	141	461
Greater Hume Shire	n.a.	23	13	9	7	1	0	1	34	16	10	23	3	36	1	22	46
Greater Taree	n.a.	233	216	70	101	6	0	6	294	230	122	239	171	262	16	186	596
Griffith	n.a.	202	164	33	19	5	0	0	229	118	74	253	114	121	8	80	379
Gundagai	n.a.	13	11	1	4	1	0	0	7	8	9	12	3	7	0	36	23
Gunnedah	n.a.	94	121	7	10	1	0	0	87	46	45	148	40	73	2	52	296
Guyra	n.a.	33	29	6	6	0	0	0	15	21	7	22	4	23	0	7	46
Gwydir	n.a.	17	11	8	3	0	0	0	14	18	10	9	3	15	0	7	30
Harden	n.a.	11	6	3	5	0	0	0	10	13	2	10	1	10	0	7	48
Hawkesbury	n.a.	352	263	51	64	14	1	10	294	149	192	422	125	196	28	280	709
Hay	n.a.	8	27	1	8	0	0	0	13	3	0	12	2	10	0	4	37
Holroyd	n.a.	420	302	58	66	48	12	40	673	188	315	718	217	279	65	928	694
Hornsby	n.a.	200	224	50	90	16	1	9	478	111	97	371	362	188	55	623	822
Hunters Hill	n.a.	28	35	5	12	1	1	1	48	20	11	55	8	27	9	116	108
Hurstville	n.a.	213	172	28	38	20	3	12	257	63	120	405	310	103	74	576	484
Inverell	n.a.	147	134	23	26	3	0	0	92	51	6	59	51	79	1	45	224
Jerilderie	n.a.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	6	1	7	0	3	15
Juneë	n.a.	22	36	4	13	0	0	1	16	8	7	23	2	26	0	4	47
Kempsey	n.a.	211	242	32	43	14	0	8	354	127	155	205	88	204	32	71	595
Kiama	n.a.	35	48	15	13	0	1	5	56	36	25	63	22	42	11	116	141
Kogarah	n.a.	150	143	21	29	14	2	12	184	44	96	320	72	87	40	500	356
Ku-ring-gai	n.a.	100	80	26	61	12	2	2	387	103	33	275	50	194	16	372	490
Kyogle	n.a.	31	39	13	6	0	0	0	32	25	8	16	2	24	1	11	72
Lachlan	n.a.	64	56	6	7	0	0	0	73	53	17	72	12	46	3	17	158
Lake Macquarie	n.a.	723	746	200	197	20	4	39	911	444	539	1,356	562	601	102	1,013	2,076
Lane Cove	n.a.	30	45	10	13	3	0	1	84	25	17	118	17	52	10	182	155
Leeton	n.a.	63	75	4	13	0	0	0	59	41	17	53	16	46	1	15	150

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Leichardt	n.a.	102	161	18	44	10	2	9	222	69	88	400	87	154	33	367	430
Lismore	n.a.	196	273	58	74	10	0	2	230	146	95	255	124	169	20	136	619
Lithgow	n.a.	90	153	29	28	5	0	3	178	136	51	174	38	122	12	64	452
Liverpool	n.a.	1,062	758	136	141	87	14	53	1,021	277	574	1,282	751	411	129	1,535	1,541
Liverpool Plains	n.a.	37	41	16	18	0	0	0	18	12	13	24	3	20	1	14	81
Lockhart	n.a.	6	13	6	10	0	0	0	8	16	2	12	0	7	0	8	35
Lord Howe Island	n.a.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Maitland	n.a.	340	291	52	64	12	2	12	396	169	179	551	221	285	40	267	895
Manly	n.a.	81	205	19	24	7	0	1	95	49	43	169	92	135	69	176	376
Marrickville	n.a.	282	391	49	116	41	7	28	357	101	220	547	138	330	97	765	893
Mid-Western Regional	n.a.	107	151	25	40	4	1	1	91	35	35	130	33	108	7	103	317
Moree Plains	n.a.	226	232	32	44	5	1	5	351	120	82	210	111	121	16	96	535
Mosman	n.a.	45	47	4	13	1	1	1	80	16	19	119	27	57	11	101	145
Murray	n.a.	24	18	3	4	0	0	0	38	31	17	43	4	18	1	12	50
Murrumbidgee	n.a.	18	12	2	3	0	0	0	6	6	4	33	0	11	0	4	43
Muswellbrook	n.a.	111	96	21	8	4	0	8	190	49	51	174	54	97	3	67	265
Nambucca	n.a.	103	117	20	18	4	2	3	175	69	34	106	27	77	9	51	259
Narrabri	n.a.	49	89	8	17	0	0	1	76	61	34	142	24	77	4	41	209
Narrandera	n.a.	42	27	5	6	2	0	1	36	23	15	36	19	28	0	5	96
Narromine	n.a.	55	65	15	22	1	0	1	64	40	24	84	13	46	3	17	160
Newcastle	n.a.	707	1,053	126	170	43	11	51	941	452	413	1,476	661	669	230	1,114	1,990
North Sydney	n.a.	135	164	22	42	10	0	3	219	124	56	299	95	194	61	614	459
Oberon	n.a.	13	21	3	8	0	0	0	21	14	8	25	2	10	1	15	51
Orange	n.a.	312	312	30	40	15	1	5	480	123	131	440	297	217	36	188	737
Palerang	n.a.	18	23	4	9	0	0	0	47	22	12	30	4	18	2	24	70
Parkes	n.a.	91	107	20	19	1	0	0	68	40	26	101	21	103	3	74	235
Parramatta	n.a.	803	850	99	134	121	17	60	1,197	280	417	1,199	778	624	279	2,064	1,516
Penrith	n.a.	1,063	908	146	223	75	10	57	1,061	332	578	1,467	651	531	172	1,215	2,351
Pittwater	n.a.	95	150	15	30	9	0	4	120	34	72	264	66	96	35	203	365
Port Macquarie-Hastings	n.a.	334	370	52	69	11	2	7	237	149	116	307	144	277	29	258	643
Port Stephens	n.a.	295	254	39	69	5	1	11	429	152	188	373	142	289	24	234	748
Queanbeyan	n.a.	120	156	22	34	4	1	5	153	102	62	224	158	116	11	159	430
Randwick	n.a.	348	412	49	82	42	5	21	520	102	237	619	240	353	96	1,067	858
Richmond Valley	n.a.	133	145	24	27	6	0	2	148	110	55	117	45	106	12	67	309
Rockdale	n.a.	306	240	26	65	33	10	8	349	88	197	689	139	187	120	1,147	660
Ryde	n.a.	163	213	39	60	23	3	14	385	109	106	385	380	232	54	934	573
Shellharbour	n.a.	234	259	47	64	6	1	13	320	90	127	417	227	229	28	252	678
Shoalhaven	n.a.	381	469	106	103	17	5	21	560	224	193	638	339	332	31	360	1,083
Singleton	n.a.	88	90	19	29	4	1	3	143	53	66	197	42	124	10	60	213
Snowy River	n.a.	15	28	8	8	1	0	0	21	13	4	25	6	13	3	14	70
Strathfield	n.a.	127	144	18	26	16	8	18	232	44	92	299	49	111	61	449	305
Sutherland Shire	n.a.	408	498	77	118	31	2	17	646	165	311	870	377	432	98	922	1,519
Sydney	n.a.	1,021	3,359	176	331	333	18	132	958	776	388	2,169	2,114	1,218	1,979	7,146	3,142
Tamworth Regional	n.a.	378	392	59	89	22	0	16	482	124	116	381	218	248	12	290	979
Temora	n.a.	22	28	3	8	0	0	0	10	13	6	17	4	20	0	15	75
Tenterfield	n.a.	46	41	13	14	0	0	1	44	44	15	33	10	29	2	11	84
The Hills Shire	n.a.	264	294	58	75	21	3	8	523	131	137	701	272	265	49	861	866
Tumbarumba	n.a.	7	16	1	5	0	0	0	10	8	3	5	0	7	0	10	25
Tumut Shire	n.a.	53	44	15	12	0	2	0	30	20	20	65	17	43	0	16	138
Tweed	n.a.	401	346	64	66	14	2	6	321	162	210	473	164	278	40	494	781
Unincorporated Far West	n.a.	10	18	7	6	0	0	0	0	9	2	12	3	5	1	9	25
Upper Hunter Shire	n.a.	27	38	11	19	0	0	1	42	42	28	54	14	45	3	41	117
Upper Lachlan Shire	n.a.	12	14	3	7	0	0	0	12	9	3	6	0	12	0	10	61
Uralla	n.a.	16	22	7	2	0	0	0	18	12	10	11	1	13	1	8	42
Urana	n.a.	3	2	2	1	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Wagga Wagga	n.a.	317	426	66	69	14	0	15	704	156	118	731	332	438	40	220	1,012
Wakool	n.a.	13	9	7	2	0	0	1	9	3	4	7	5	12	0	9	20
Walcha	n.a.	13	9	3	2	0	0	0	5	6	2	0	0	4	0	6	23
Walgett	n.a.	195	114	16	9	0	0	0	98	54	17	60	21	54	2	16	243
Warren	n.a.	24	24	7	4	0	1	0	19	19	8	7	9	23	1	8	85
Warringham	n.a.	245	306	46	57	17	0	4	292	116	114	489	393	248	56	660	798
Warrumbungle Shire	n.a.	53	52	14	23	0	0	1	36	52	12	43	14	56	1	29	101
Waverley	n.a.	151	286	21	47	16	1	3	200	47	128	256	484	283	75	751	541
Weddin	n.a.	11	10	1	1	0	0	0	8	8	1	3	0	9	0	9	23
Wellington	n.a.	71	86	17	28	1	1	3	199	58	25	94	17	69	7	27	240
Wentworth	n.a.	75	35	9	10	1	0	0	61	51	22	48	5	30	2	11	92
Willoughby	n.a.	64	125	16	52	13	0	1	164	56	35	232	398	108	63	547	316
Wingecarribee	n.a.	133	120	46	33	0	1	2	124	61	36	220	69	98	1	165	429
Wollondilly	n.a.	161	148	54	68	8	0	1	119	91	71	137	55	62	6	144	306
Wollongong	n.a.	773	986	156	183	43	5	53	925	356	527	1,466	623	657	159	1,012	1,992
Woollahra	n.a.	83	130	19	27	3	0	4	290	46	84	246	59	228	60	355	307
Wyong	n.a.	705	775	112	166	30	6	36	680	247	409	1,051	471	420	115	849	1,944
Yass Valley	n.a.	42	32	13	4	0	0	0	31	24	9	26	9	32	0	33	74
Young	n.a.	80	74	18	24	2	0	2	56	32	18	37	42	67	1	67	245
Prisons	n.a.	5	663	17	13	2	0	0	0	10	2	0	0	0	0	12	131
<b>NSW</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>29,075</b>	<b>32,858</b>	<b>4,942</b>	<b>6,690</b>	<b>2,130</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>1,332</b>	<b>34,746</b>	<b>13,345</b>	<b>15,061</b>	<b>43,255</b>	<b>20,745</b>	<b>21,968</b>	<b>6,571</b>	<b>49,926</b>	<b>71,589</b>

\* LGA murder counts are in the Crime Mapping Tool (<http://crimetool.bocsar.nsw.gov.au/bocsar/>) and elsewhere on the BOC SAR website ([www.bocsar.nsw.gov.au/](http://www.bocsar.nsw.gov.au/))



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# **METHODS OF PROCEEDINGS AGAINST ALLEGED OFFENDERS**

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**TABLE 3: NUMBER OF ALLEGED OFFENDERS RECORDED BY NSW POLICE FORCE  
BY METHOD OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO JUNE 2015, NSW**

<i>Type of process</i>	<i>Number of alleged offenders</i>		<i>Trend<sup>^</sup> over the last 24 months</i>	
	<i>over the 12 months to June 2014</i>	<i>over the 12 months to June 2015</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Annual percentage change</i>
<b>Proceeded against to court:</b>				
Field Court Attendance Notice	41,156	45,245	4,089	<b>9.9%</b>
<b>All proceedings to court</b>	<b>138,190</b>	<b>138,756</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>Stable</b>
<b>Proceeded against other than to court:</b>				
Youth Justice Conference	1,266	1,180	-86	Stable
Caution Young Offenders Act	7,239	6,933	-306	Stable
Cannabis/other drug caution	5,991	5,998	7	Stable
Criminal Infringement Notice	10,773	9,703	-1,070	-9.9%
Infringement Notice/ Public Safety Infringement Notice	620,849	627,965	7,116	Stable
Warnings	7,393	9,193	1,800	<b>24.3%</b>
<b>All proceedings other than to court</b>	<b>653,511</b>	<b>660,972</b>	<b>7,461</b>	<b>Stable</b>
<b>All proceedings</b>	<b>791,701</b>	<b>799,728</b>	<b>8,027</b>	<b>Stable</b>

<sup>^</sup> For further explanation of **trend results**, see page 25, Notes [5] and [6].





**NOTES: TRENDS IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR NSW**

[1] Irrespective of how trends in recorded crime are presented, their interpretation is a difficult task. The recorded criminal incident data presented in this report are based on information derived from the NSW Police Force Computerised Operational Policing System (COPS), so only those incidents which are reported to, or detected by, police are included. The trends in recorded crime shown in this report will, therefore, reflect movements in the underlying factors which influence the detection, reporting and recording of crime, as well as changes in the true level of crime in the community.

[2] An alternative measure of the level of crime in Australia is available from crime victim surveys, for example the national Crime Victimization Survey (now in its fifth year) by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)<sup>1</sup>. As well as providing an estimate of the victimisation rate at the State level for a selected set of offences, this survey estimates the proportion of crimes which are not reported to police, and are therefore not recorded in the official statistics. In particular, personal crimes, such as assault and robbery, are less likely to be reported than crimes which involve households. Given that some offences have low reporting rates, it is possible that changes in recorded crime rates over time for these offences may be reflecting changes in reporting rates. This ABS publication contains five financial years of personal and household summary crime data obtained from a national survey, much of which is disaggregated to state level (see Table 5 for NSW)<sup>2</sup>. For NSW, the latest report states that physical assault for those aged 15 and over was reported to police 48.0 percent of the time, with a personal victimisation rate of 2.2 percent. For households, NSW break-ins were reported to police 78.8 percent of the time, with a household victimisation rate of 2.4 percent. For NSW the above estimates for 2012-13 victimisation and report rates were not found to be significantly different to the corresponding rates published in the financial years 2008-9 to 2011-12.

[5] For each offence category or subcategory (except murder), a statistical test for trend was applied to the monthly numbers of recorded criminal incidents over the relevant period. In the case of murder, the statistical test for trend was applied to the monthly numbers of victims over the period. The trend test used was Kendall's rank-order correlation test (see, for example, Conover, W.J. 1980, Practical Non-Parametric Statistics, 2nd ed, John Wiley and Sons, pp 256-260). A two-tailed test was used to determine whether there had been an increasing or decreasing trend in the recorded numbers of criminal incidents over the relevant period covered in the report. Some month to month variations in the numbers of recorded incidents could be due in part to seasonal factors. The test for trend is not sensitive to seasonal variations; it is sensitive only to a generally increasing or generally decreasing trend over the time period examined.

[6] For the trend tests throughout this publication, where a statistically significant trend was found ( $p < .05$ ), the extent of the trend is indicated by the percentage change in the total number of recorded criminal incidents between the latest two consecutive 12-month periods for 24 month tests; and the average annual percentage change between the first 12-month period and the latest 12-month period for longer tests. A trend test was not performed if there were fewer than 20 incidents in any of the years for the period in question. The result ' . ' indicates that a trend test was not performed. A non-significant test result ( $p > .05$ ) is denoted by 'Stable' or by 'ns' in some larger LGA tables.

[7] The ratio to NSW rate statistics are a comparison of a NSW regional rate per 100,000 population to the NSW rate per 100,000 population. A ratio of one indicates parity with the NSW rate. Ratios indicating double the NSW rate (or more) before rounding are highlighted in red, whilst ratios indicating half the NSW rate (or less) before rounding are highlighted in yellow.

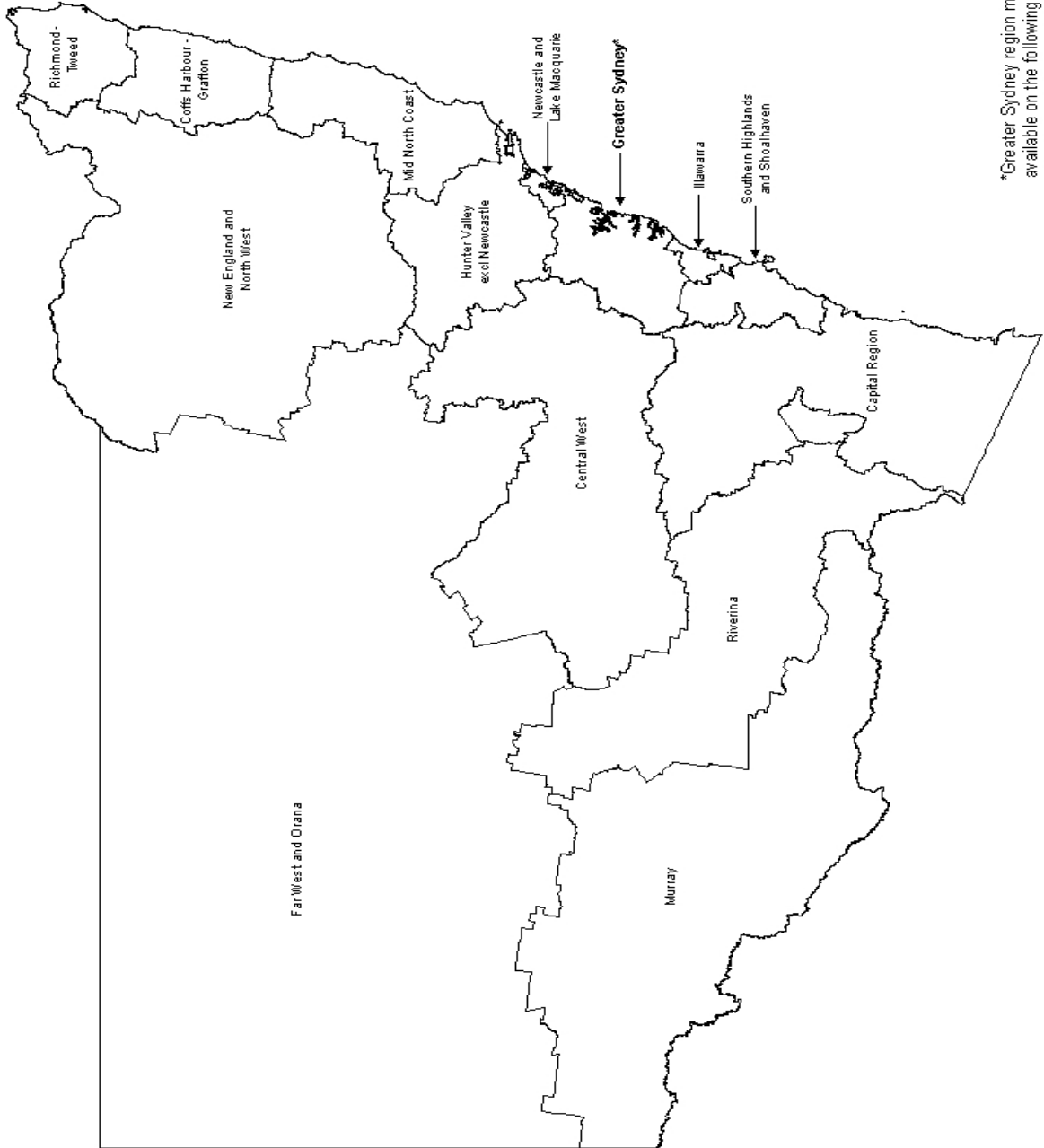
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1. Australian Bureau of Statistics 2014, 45300DO001\_2012201306 Crime Victimization, Australia, 2012-13, Cat. No. 4530.0, ABS, Sydney.

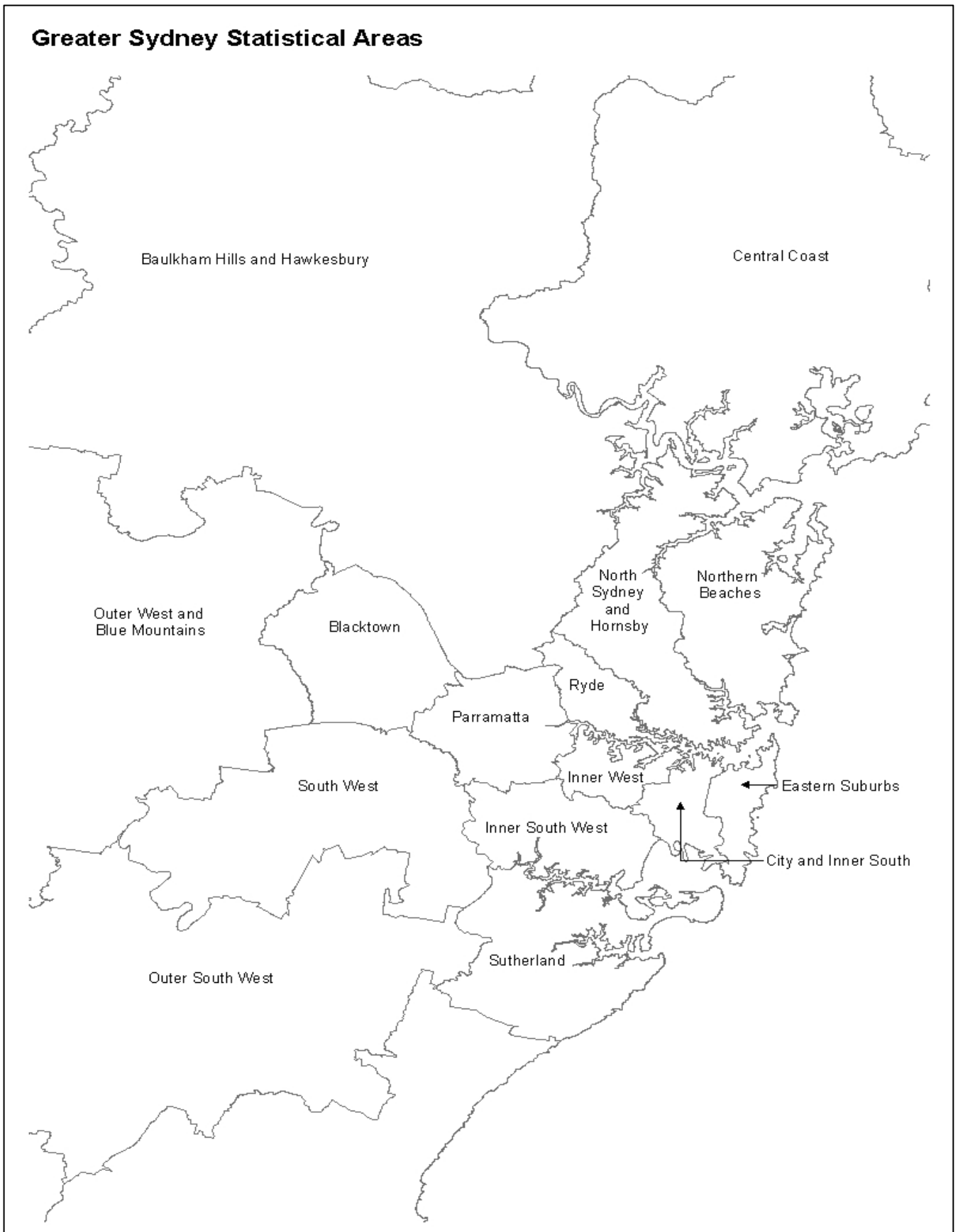
2. Australian Bureau of Statistics 2014, 45300DO001\_2012201306 Crime Victimization, Australia, 2012-13, Tables 2 and 3, Cat. No. 4530.0, ABS, Sydney.

3. For the rate calculations throughout this publication, population data were obtained from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication: Regional Population Growth Australia 2012-13 Cat. No. 3218 (for 2012 and 2013 population estimates). As no population estimates were available for the year 2014 when this report was published, rates for the year 2014 were calculated using 2013 population estimates.

### New South Wales Statistical Areas



\*Greater Sydney region map is available on the following page



**LGAS IN GREATER SYDNEY STATISTICAL AREAS****Greater Sydney Statistical Areas**

<b>Blacktown</b>	<b>Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury</b>	<b>Central Coast</b>
Blacktown	Hawkesbury*	Gosford
	The Hills Shire*	Wyong
Marrickville*	Waverley	Canterbury*
Sydney*	Woollahra	Hurstville
		Kogarah
		Rockdale*
<b>Inner West</b>	<b>North Sydney and Hornsby</b>	<b>Northern Beaches</b>
Ashfield	Hornsby*	Manly
Burwood	Ku-ring-gai	Pittwater
Canada Bay	Lane Cove	Warringah
Leichhardt	Mosman	
Strathfield*	North Sydney	
	Willoughby	
<b>Outer South West</b>	<b>Outer West and Blue Mountains</b>	<b>Parramatta</b>
Camden*	Blue Mountains*	Auburn
Campbelltown*	Penrith*	Holroyd*
Wollondilly*		Parramatta*
<b>Ryde</b>	<b>South West</b>	<b>Sutherland</b>
Hunters Hill	Fairfield*	Sutherland Shire*
Ryde*	Liverpool*	Wollongong
		Shellharbour

\* These LGAs span across two or more Statistical Areas.

These LGAs are listed under the Greater Sydney Statistical Areas which contain the largest area of each LGA.

**LGAS IN NSW REGIONAL STATISTICAL AREAS****NSW Regional Statistical Areas**

<b>Capital Region</b>	<b>Central West</b>	<b>Coffs Harbour - Grafton</b>	<b>Far West and Orana</b>
Bega Valley	Bathurst Regional	Bellingen*	Bogan
Bombala	Bland*	Clarence Valley*	Bourke
Goulburn Mulwaree	Forbes		Cobar
Harden	Lachlan*		Coonamble
Palerang	Lithgow		Dubbo
Queanbeyan	Mid-Western Regional*		Gilgandra
Snowy River	Oberon*		Narromine
Upper Lachlan Shire	Orange		Unincorporated Far West
Yass Valley*	Parkes		Walgett
Young	Weddin		Warren
			Warrumbungle Shire*
			Wellington*
<b>Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle</b>	<b>Illawarra</b>	<b>Mid North Coast</b>	<b>Murray</b>
Cessnock	Kiama*	Gloucester	Albury
Dungog	Shellharbour	Great Lakes*	Balranald
Maitland*	Wollongong	Greater Taree	Berrigan
Muswellbrook		Kempsey	Conargo
Port Stephens*		Lord Howe Island	Corowa Shire
Upper Hunter Shire*		Port Macquarie-Hastings	Greater Hume Shire*
			Hay
			Jerilderie*
			Murray
			Urana*
			Wakool
			Wentworth
<b>New England and North West</b>	<b>Newcastle and Lake Macquarie</b>	<b>Richmond - Tweed</b>	<b>Riverina</b>
Armidale Dumaresq*	Lake Macquarie*	Ballina	Carrathool*
Glen Innes Severn	Newcastle	Byron	Coolamon
Gunnedah		Kyogle	Cootamundra
Guyra		Lismore	Griffith
Gwydir		Richmond Valley*	Gundagai
Inverell		Tweed	Junee
Liverpool Plains*			Leeton
Moree Plains			Lockhart*
Narrabri			Murrumbidgee
Tamworth Regional			Narrandera
Tenterfield			Temora
Uralla			Tumbarumba
Walcha			Tumut Shire*
			Wagga Wagga
<b>Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven</b>			
Shoalhaven*			
Wingecarribee*			

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