

NATIONAL COMPARATIVE DATA - PUBLIC SAFETY

State	2008 Crimes Per 100,000 Population				2007 Per Capita Govt. Spending for Police Protection	Rank	2008 Property Crimes per 100,000 Population	Rank
	Violent	Murders	Rape	Robberies				
Alabama	452.8	7.6	34.7	157.6	\$ 211	37	4,082.9	4
Alaska	651.9	4.1	64.3	94.0	347	6	2,932.3	28
Arizona	447.0	6.3	25.7	149.2	322	9	4,291.0	1
Arkansas	503.4	5.7	48.9	95.8	170	47	3,835.1	10
California	503.8	5.8	24.2	188.8	381	3	2,940.3	25
Colorado	343.1	3.2	42.5	68.1	278	15	2,849.0	31
Connecticut	297.8	3.5	19.3	111.6	261	19	2,458.7	40
Delaware	703.4	6.5	41.9	210.5	359	4	3,585.3	14
Florida	688.9	6.4	32.6	197.9	345	7	4,140.8	3
Georgia	478.9	6.6	22.7	179.2	224	30	4,015.5	7
Hawaii	272.6	1.9	28.3	84.3	239	24	3,571.2	15
Idaho	228.6	1.5	36.2	15.8	200	40	2,101.2	46
Illinois	525.4	6.1	31.9	186.4	317	10	2,932.6	27
Indiana	333.8	5.1	27.0	118.1	175	45	3,335.8	22
IOWA	283.8	2.5	29.6	41.6	197	42	2,420.9	42
Kansas	410.6	4.0	42.5	60.1	244	23	3,377.2	20
Kentucky	296.2	4.6	33.0	93.8	148	49	2,583.9	36
Louisiana	656.2	11.9	27.9	135.9	277	16	3,823.1	11
Maine	117.5	2.4	28.5	25.3	176	44	2,452.4	41
Maryland	628.2	8.8	20.0	234.4	317	10	3,517.6	16
Massachusetts	449.0	2.6	26.7	108.8	282	14	2,400.1	44
Michigan	501.5	5.4	45.0	129.6	233	26	2,934.8	26
Minnesota	262.8	2.1	34.6	80.0	272	17	2,850.6	30
Mississippi	284.9	8.1	30.3	102.6	196	43	2,940.4	24
Missouri	504.4	7.7	27.3	125.0	238	25	3,663.7	13
Montana	258.1	2.4	30.4	17.8	215	35	2,603.0	35
Nebraska	303.7	3.8	32.7	72.8	202	39	2,878.6	29
Nevada	724.5	6.3	42.4	248.9	385	2	3,447.5	17
New Hampshire	157.2	1.0	29.7	31.8	225	28	2,091.9	47
New Jersey	326.5	4.3	12.9	146.3	353	5	2,293.4	45
New Mexico	649.9	7.2	57.4	109.5	304	13	3,909.2	9
New York	398.1	4.3	14.4	163.0	393	1	1,993.5	48
North Carolina	467.3	6.5	24.8	155.4	225	28	4,044.1	5
North Dakota	166.5	0.5	36.2	11.2	166	48	1,894.4	49
Ohio	348.2	4.7	38.5	163.0	258	21	3,411.7	19
Oklahoma	526.7	5.8	40.2	101.1	199	41	3,442.4	18
Oregon	257.2	2.2	30.5	69.7	259	20	3,282.2	23
Pennsylvania	410.0	5.6	27.9	151.6	215	35	2,410.2	43
Rhode Island	249.4	2.8	26.4	83.7	311	12	2,840.6	32
South Carolina	729.7	6.8	36.6	147.3	205	38	4,234.2	2
South Dakota	201.4	3.2	53.7	14.9	172	46	1,645.6	50
Tennessee	722.4	6.6	33.2	173.8	221	31	4,042.6	6
Texas	507.9	5.6	32.9	155.2	220	32	3,985.6	8
Utah	221.8	1.4	32.6	51.9	219	33	3,357.4	21
Vermont	135.9	2.7	20.4	14.3	228	27	2,538.5	38
Virginia	255.9	4.7	22.6	95.7	248	22	2,518.1	39
Washington	331.2	2.9	40.1	96.9	219	33	3,758.4	12
West Virginia	273.8	3.3	20.0	49.0	148	49	2,568.6	37
Wisconsin	274.0	2.6	19.9	49.0	267	18	2,756.4	33
Wyoming	232.0	1.9	33.8	91.1	335	8	2,717.3	34
District of Columbia	1,437.7	31.4	31.4	748.5	851		5,104.6	
National Rate	454.5	5.4	29.3	145.3	279		3,212.5	

Note:

Most recent information available may reflect different years.

Sources: Federal Bureau of Investigation, "Crime in the United States 2008," and U.S. Bureau of the Census, "State and Local Government Finances 2006-2007"