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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:
OVERVIEW OF TRENDS
IN RECORDED CRIME
BY OFFENCE TYPE
NSW

**TABLE 1.1: TRENDS[^] IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES
OVER THE 60 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 2015, NSW**

Offence category	Trend result and annual percentage change over the last 24 months	Trend result and average annual percentage change over the last 60 months
Murder*	Stable	Stable
Assault - domestic violence related	Stable	Stable
Assault - non-domestic violence related	Down by 3.7%	Down by 5.3%
Sexual assault	Stable	Stable
Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	Stable	Up by 3.5%
Robbery without a weapon	Down by 19.5%	Down by 13.8%
Robbery with a firearm	Down by 26.8%	Down by 14.4%
Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	Down by 19.1%	Down by 8.5%
Break and enter dwelling	Down by 5.4%	Down by 5.3%
Break and enter non-dwelling	Stable	Down by 7.5%
Motor vehicle theft	Stable	Down by 6.6%
Steal from motor vehicle	Stable	Down by 3.1%
Steal from retail store	Up by 5.3%	Stable
Steal from dwelling	Stable	Stable
Steal from person	Down by 6.9%	Down by 9.0%
Fraud	Stable	Up by 8.0%
Malicious damage to property	Down by 7.0%	Down by 7.6%

[^] 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[^] IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR 62 OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 2015, NSW

Offence Category		Number of recorded criminal incidents		Trend [^] over the last 24 months	
		over the 12 months to September 2014	over the 12 months to September 2015	Trend test result	Percentage change
Homicide	Murder*	96	79	Stable	
	Attempted murder	26	24	Stable	
	Murder accessory, conspiracy	3	5	.	
	Manslaughter*	5	2	.	
Assault	Domestic violence related assault	29,213	28,980	Stable	
	Non-domestic violence related assault	31,983	30,812	Down	-3.7%
	Assault Police	2,623	2,459	Stable	
Sexual offences	Sexual assault	4,985	4,718	Stable	
	Indecent assault, act of indecency and other sexual offences	6,582	6,486	Stable	
Abduction and kidnapping		276	261	Stable	
Robbery	Robbery without a weapon	2,059	1,658	Down	-19.5%
	Robbery with a firearm	291	213	Down	-26.8%
	Robbery with a weapon not a firearm	1,259	1,018	Down	-19.1%
Blackmail and extortion		91	116	Stable	
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance		29,302	29,887	Stable	
Other offences against the person		1,274	1,245	Stable	
Theft	Break and enter dwelling	34,051	32,210	Down	-5.4%
	Break and enter non-dwelling	12,907	12,444	Stable	
	Receiving or handling stolen goods	7,310	7,923	Stable	
	Motor vehicle theft	14,653	14,707	Stable	
	Steal from motor vehicle	42,545	41,208	Stable	
	Steal from retail store	20,486	21,580	Up	5.3%
	Steal from dwelling	22,061	21,791	Stable	
	Steal from person	6,269	5,836	Down	-6.9%
	Stock theft	477	486	Stable	
	Fraud	49,404	49,762	Stable	
Other theft	32,729	30,279	Down	-7.5%	
Arson		5,803	5,105	Stable	
Malicious damage to property		69,290	64,435	Down	-7.0%
Drug offences	Possession and/or use of cocaine	779	1,195	Up	53.4%
	Possession and/or use of narcotics	803	841	Stable	
	Possession and/or use of cannabis	17,692	18,861	Up	6.6%
	Possession and/or use of amphetamines	4,908	6,651	Up	35.5%
	Possession and/or use of ecstasy	1,827	2,122	Stable	
	Possession and/or use of other drugs	3,520	3,622	Stable	
	Dealing, trafficking in cocaine	331	316	Stable	
	Dealing, trafficking in narcotics	312	453	Stable	
	Dealing, trafficking in cannabis	1,006	665	Down	-33.9%
	Dealing, trafficking in amphetamines	1,949	2,099	Stable	
	Dealing, trafficking in ecstasy	489	567	Stable	
	Dealing, trafficking in other drugs	299	292	Stable	
	Cultivating cannabis	1,335	1,335	Stable	
	Manufacture drug	100	87	Stable	
	Importing drugs	51	28	Down	-45.1%
Other drug offences	4,858	5,230	Up	7.7%	
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences		11,772	11,471	Stable	
Disorderly conduct	Trespass	8,829	9,234	Stable	
	Offensive conduct	6,664	6,003	Down	-9.9%
	Offensive language	4,346	4,148	Stable	
	Criminal intent	1,987	2,206	Stable	
Betting and gaming offences		103	84	Stable	
Liquor offences		14,431	11,698	Down	-18.9%
Pornography offences		497	478	Stable	
Prostitution offences		219	158	Stable	
Against justice procedures	Escape custody	167	162	Stable	
	Breach Apprehended Violence Order	13,055	13,880	Stable	
	Breach bail conditions	32,141	36,450	Up	13.4%
	Fail to appear	667	729	Stable	
	Resist or hinder officer	6,682	6,343	Stable	
	Other offences against justice procedures	558	475	Stable	
Transport regulatory offences		79,697	117,046	Up	46.9%
Other offences		15,766	15,583	Down	-1.2%

[^] 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.

SECTION 2:

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

TABLE 2.1A: TRENDS[^] IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 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	ns	-2.2	-2.1	ns	ns	-21.6	-21.6	-21.5	-9.5	-12.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	-6.9	ns	-8.8
Capital Region	.	ns	ns	-23.9	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	22.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Central West	.	ns	-13.4	ns	ns	-31.0	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-17.9	ns	-5.3
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	40.4	ns	ns	ns	ns
Far West and Orana	.	ns	-15.7	-19.4	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-8.4	ns	ns	12.8	ns	-14.3	ns	ns	ns
Illawarra	.	ns	-11.3	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Mid North Coast	.	ns	-15.8	ns	ns	-27.9	.	ns	-7.1	ns	-10.2	-11.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	-6.7
Murray	.	ns	-6.1	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
New England and North West	.	ns	-12.8	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	24.9	ns	ns	ns	-5.6
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.7	ns	ns
Richmond - Tweed	.	-13.8	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	-10.2	-8.3	ns	ns	-9.8	ns	ns	-7.5
Riverina	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	45.5	-13.4	ns	-16.0	ns	ns	ns
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-31.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	-10.2
NSW	ns	ns	-3.7	ns	ns	-19.5	-26.8	-19.1	-5.4	ns	ns	ns	5.3	ns	-6.9	ns	-7.0

[^] 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.

TABLE 2.1B: RATIO TO NSW RATE[^] OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 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	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.2	1.2	0.8
Capital Region	1.3	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.8	1.1	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.2	0.4	1.1
Central West	1.4	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.3	0.6	0.3	0.6	1.6	2.0	1.0	1.3	1.2	1.7	0.5	0.6	1.6
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	0.7	1.4	1.3	1.7	1.4	0.4	0.5	1.0	1.1	1.8	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.4	0.7	0.5	1.3
Far West and Orana	8.2	3.1	2.0	2.2	2.1	0.9	0.3	1.0	2.8	4.0	1.8	2.2	1.4	2.1	1.0	0.8	2.6
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	0.7	1.3	0.9	1.4	1.3	0.5	0.5	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.4	1.3	0.9	1.2	0.5	0.6	1.2
Illawarra	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.6	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	0.7	0.6	1.0
Mid North Coast	0.5	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.5	0.7	0.7	0.7	1.3	1.6	1.0	0.7	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.5	1.2
Murray	2.5	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.5	0.5	0.3	0.5	1.2	1.7	1.0	0.9	1.0	1.2	0.4	0.6	1.3
New England and North West	2.1	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.7	0.6	0.2	1.0	2.2	2.2	1.1	1.3	1.3	1.7	0.4	0.5	1.8
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	1.3	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.7	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.1	1.2	0.9	1.0	1.2
Richmond - Tweed	0.4	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.9	1.3	0.9	0.9	0.8	1.1	0.7	0.6	1.1
Riverina	1.8	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.3	0.3	0.0	0.7	1.8	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.5	0.3	0.5	1.5
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	0.0	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.3	0.5	1.2	0.6	1.2	1.3	0.7	0.8	1.0	1.1	0.3	0.5	1.0
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

[^] 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 SEPTEMBER 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	40	15,868	17,257	2,369	3,420	1,303	178	703	17,156	5,247	8,934	24,063	13,583	11,720	4,646	38,712	34,183
Capital Region	3	697	794	137	220	12	0	8	754	406	258	945	471	538	30	616	2,055
Central West	3	1,204	1,120	224	239	29	2	17	1,450	687	423	1,443	713	1,012	78	843	2,851
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	1	714	728	145	165	12	2	19	672	399	275	855	372	542	72	458	1,498
Far West and Orana	10	1,431	974	166	218	23	1	17	1,451	801	418	1,446	474	738	91	653	2,638
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	2	1,355	993	228	297	32	4	41	1,284	681	710	1,916	681	955	97	1,119	2,796
Illawarra	3	1,054	1,122	188	235	58	5	40	1,384	548	599	1,823	952	925	167	1,218	2,550
Mid North Coast	1	1,034	946	200	277	31	4	21	1,172	572	423	853	565	883	84	694	2,223
Murray	3	523	565	88	153	14	1	8	605	331	235	604	321	410	37	443	1,337
New England and North West	4	1,292	1,189	187	269	24	1	24	1,787	689	387	1,372	707	912	57	640	2,822
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	5	1,506	1,809	299	393	57	10	74	1,626	810	996	2,960	1,183	1,240	271	2,418	3,794
Richmond - Tweed	1	928	1,197	200	241	33	0	20	948	522	420	1,157	534	762	138	972	2,233
Riverina	3	851	803	138	182	11	0	14	1,194	437	416	1,165	608	688	36	490	1,966
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	0	518	531	111	158	16	5	12	727	312	213	606	416	466	29	466	1,317
NSW	79	28,980	30,812	4,718	6,486	1,658	213	1,018	32,210	12,444	14,707	41,208	21,580	21,791	5,836	49,762	64,435

* 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 SEPTEMBER 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	16,227	17,633	2,401	3,518	1,661	227	896	18,949	5,995	8,920	25,084	12,890	11,534	4,989	38,603	37,484
Capital Region	4	703	838	180	205	11	1	8	766	397	225	773	409	537	31	596	2,114
Central West	4	1,179	1,293	237	295	42	4	15	1,635	623	439	1,550	726	1,006	95	866	3,010
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	3	697	705	136	214	18	3	10	680	360	281	860	265	572	71	526	1,569
Far West and Orana	1	1,380	1,155	206	223	24	3	26	1,492	672	376	1,483	537	697	91	471	2,726
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	4	1,271	967	229	285	22	13	45	1,402	578	755	1,699	689	1,114	118	1,031	2,872
Illawarra	5	1,023	1,265	206	266	57	9	59	1,237	457	643	1,766	869	967	177	1,373	2,690
Mid North Coast	3	1,037	1,123	196	257	43	3	29	1,262	651	471	963	529	942	97	677	2,383
Murray	1	596	602	111	105	9	1	14	620	411	242	769	289	440	32	407	1,380
New England and North West	2	1,249	1,363	221	283	41	3	20	1,495	687	416	1,318	566	881	50	690	2,990
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	5	1,441	1,768	319	369	52	14	84	1,679	751	910	2,807	1,226	1,250	300	2,188	3,964
Richmond - Tweed	7	1,076	1,202	210	250	38	3	15	901	581	458	1,245	566	845	128	1,007	2,414
Riverina	5	823	844	164	174	20	1	20	1,183	463	286	1,346	523	819	55	433	2,095
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	0	506	558	148	126	19	6	18	750	274	230	881	402	457	35	524	1,467
NSW	96	29,213	31,983	4,985	6,582	2,059	291	1,259	34,051	12,907	14,653	42,545	20,486	22,061	6,269	49,404	69,290

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

TABLE 2.2A: TRENDS[^] IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 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	29.3	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-4.3	ns	ns	-22.6	ns	-17.4
Blacktown	.	ns	-5.4	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.3
Central Coast	.	ns	ns	ns	-18.1	ns	.	-34.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	20.1	ns	ns	30.5	-7.7
City and Inner South	.	-4.6	-4.0	ns	ns	-22.1	.	ns	ns	-23.7	ns	-8.2	ns	ns	-9.7	ns	-11.1
Eastern Suburbs	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	-19.6	-15.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.3	ns
Inner South West	.	ns	ns	ns	-13.6	ns	-53.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	-16.9	-14.4	ns	ns	-13.9	-9.5
Inner West	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	30.8	ns	23.4	ns	ns	ns	-11.9
North Sydney and Hornsby	.	-12.7	ns	ns	-17.9	-40.4	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-13.2	ns	-6.5
Northern Beaches	.	-16.0	-15.7	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Outer South West	.	-3.0	-6.8	ns	ns	-48.3	.	ns	ns	-29.9	ns	ns	26.5	ns	ns	ns	-13.2
Outer West and Blue Mountains	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	-21.9	-9.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	20.6	-12.2
Parramatta	.	-7.2	ns	ns	ns	-22.2	ns	-28.3	-9.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-7.5	ns	ns
Ryde	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-29.1	ns	ns	-14.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	-19.1
South West	.	-5.1	-3.6	ns	ns	ns	-3.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	8.5	ns	-5.7
Sutherland	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-30.9	ns	-27.8	ns	47.6	ns	ns	-16.7	ns

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

TABLE 2.2B: RATIO TO NSW RATE[^] OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS PER 100,000 POPULATION FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 12 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 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	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.7	0.4
Blacktown	2.0	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.2	2.6	3.1	1.9	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2
Central Coast	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.8	1.1
City and Inner South	1.2	1.1	2.9	1.2	1.6	4.1	1.9	2.7	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.5	3.0	1.9	7.9	4.0	1.4
Eastern Suburbs	0.0	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.4	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.1	0.7
Inner South West	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.6	1.1	1.5	1.4	0.7	0.5	1.3	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.1	0.6
Inner West	0.0	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.9	1.8	0.8	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9	0.7	1.0	1.2	1.5	0.6
North Sydney and Hornsby	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.7	0.5	0.8	0.5
Northern Beaches	0.0	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.2	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.8	0.6
Outer South West	0.0	1.3	0.9	1.4	1.2	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.0	0.7	1.0	0.9	1.1	0.7	0.6	0.8	1.0
Outer West and Blue Mountains	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.0	1.3	1.0	0.8	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.8	0.9	1.2
Parramatta	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.7	2.4	1.6	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.2	1.4	0.8
Ryde	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.5	1.1	0.5
South West	1.4	1.1	0.8	0.9	0.7	1.4	2.3	1.4	1.0	0.6	1.4	1.1	0.9	0.6	0.9	1.1	0.8
Sutherland	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.8

[^] 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 SEPTEMBER 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	341	345	92	119	11	2	4	598	224	212	692	290	299	41	1,007	847
Blacktown	7	1,944	1,589	224	343	193	29	86	1,592	397	851	2,558	1,092	967	303	2,862	3,462
Central Coast	5	1,368	1,413	219	253	49	8	32	1,291	473	695	1,831	1,008	774	231	1,750	3,138
City and Inner South	4	1,304	3,559	220	414	278	16	112	1,195	607	648	2,558	2,610	1,689	1,852	8,031	3,671
Eastern Suburbs	0	647	934	94	147	46	5	15	835	168	430	1,163	782	863	256	2,019	1,684
Inner South West	5	2,047	1,535	192	279	139	25	108	1,773	506	1,465	2,387	917	1,062	255	4,235	3,169
Inner West	0	605	743	87	161	60	15	33	1,062	299	590	1,435	606	816	268	2,861	1,613
North Sydney and Hornsby	1	438	587	110	179	28	3	15	1,114	339	213	1,058	918	884	171	2,253	1,867
Northern Beaches	0	352	601	75	147	32	0	6	503	235	213	868	500	453	129	1,311	1,425
Outer South West	0	1,276	946	222	257	45	8	42	1,098	309	518	1,296	793	545	114	1,358	2,288
Outer West and Blue Mountains	4	1,415	1,386	251	307	101	9	54	1,341	414	689	1,865	932	869	190	1,871	3,292
Parramatta	5	1,709	1,613	233	341	168	30	99	2,131	555	993	2,677	1,196	1,089	421	4,108	2,925
Ryde	1	213	283	51	117	13	2	9	465	156	116	459	413	337	73	1,277	725
South West	6	1,743	1,228	218	249	121	26	77	1,726	394	1,077	2,470	1,014	672	268	2,992	2,560
Sutherland	1	466	495	81	107	19	0	11	432	171	216	746	512	401	74	777	1,517

* 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 SEPTEMBER 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	368	353	88	92	17	2	7	640	176	209	723	292	335	53	979	1,026
Blacktown	3	1,963	1,680	235	340	216	17	76	1,834	465	853	2,328	1,170	945	317	2,639	3,819
Central Coast	6	1,224	1,446	230	309	61	15	49	1,328	474	709	1,763	839	721	226	1,341	3,401
City and Inner South	5	1,367	3,707	238	454	357	17	164	1,281	796	687	2,785	2,573	1,540	2,051	8,098	4,130
Eastern Suburbs	2	593	847	82	144	59	6	28	1,039	198	440	1,270	785	919	278	2,225	1,661
Inner South West	8	2,007	1,438	196	323	177	54	125	1,887	480	1,334	2,873	1,071	952	300	4,917	3,500
Inner West	6	610	726	91	172	88	17	59	1,228	302	451	1,477	491	822	247	2,992	1,830
North Sydney and Hornsby	0	502	623	110	218	47	2	15	1,207	427	218	1,268	883	780	197	2,223	1,997
Northern Beaches	0	419	713	83	112	35	0	9	501	202	204	890	531	493	142	1,009	1,481
Outer South West	0	1,315	1,015	220	243	87	11	28	1,143	441	565	1,198	627	563	120	1,189	2,636
Outer West and Blue Mountains	3	1,534	1,398	234	337	109	12	63	1,471	530	763	2,076	827	803	203	1,551	3,749
Parramatta	12	1,841	1,658	236	313	216	42	138	2,355	658	1,016	2,632	1,054	1,178	455	4,384	3,080
Ryde	0	221	292	54	94	20	4	15	656	179	148	536	355	381	66	1,223	896
South West	6	1,837	1,274	226	246	144	27	111	1,754	481	1,024	2,363	1,045	684	247	2,900	2,714
Sutherland	1	426	463	78	121	28	1	9	625	186	299	902	347	418	87	933	1,564

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

TABLE 2.3A: TRENDS¹ IN RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS FOR MAJOR OFFENCES OVER THE 24 MONTHS TO SEPTEMBER 2015, NSW LGAs

NSW LGA	Murder*	Assault - domestic violence related	Assault - non-domestic violence related	Sexual assault	Indecent assault, ect 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	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Armidale Dumaresq	.	ns	-15.7	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Ashfield	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	68.8	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Auburn	.	-20.4	-15.6	ns	ns	-45.1	ns	-31.3	ns	ns	ns	-18.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	-21.7
Ballina	.	-34.8	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-16.2	ns	-18.8	.	ns	-17.7
Bairnald	ns
Bankstown	.	-7.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	-28.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-22.1	-18.2
Bathurst Regional	.	ns	-17.8	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	-4.7	.	.	.	.	.	-39.0	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	-21.2
Berrigan	ns
Blacktown	.	ns	-5.6	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.5
Bland	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Blayney	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Blue Mountains	.	ns	-26.9	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-30.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
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	.	-22.8	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Broken Hill	.	ns	-35.1	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-19.6
Burwood	.	ns	-30.2	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	52.1	ns	ns	ns	ns
Byron	.	-32.4	-21.7	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-6.9	ns	ns	-21.1
Cabonne	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Camden	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Campbelltown	.	-9.2	-12.7	ns	ns	-50.0	ns	.	ns	-23.0	ns	ns	34.0	ns	ns	ns	-13.8
Canada Bay	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-20.5
Canterbury	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	-27.4	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Carrathool	ns
Central Darling	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Cessnock	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	14.0	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Clarence Valley	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Cobar	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Coffs Harbour	.	-4.5	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	64.0	ns	ns	ns	ns
Conargo
Coolamon
Cooma-Monaro	.	.	-25.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	-28.4
Coonamble	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Cootamundra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns
Corowa Shire	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	-65.0	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Cowra	.	ns	ns	.	-58.5	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	47.7
Deniliquin	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Dubbo	.	ns	-26.1	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	59.5	ns	ns	-20.8	ns	ns	ns	ns
Dungog	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Eurobodalla	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-23.9	ns	-30.6	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Fairfield	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-6.3
Forbes	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	ns	ns
Gilgandra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	.	ns
Glen Innes Severn	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Gloucester	ns
Gosford	.	ns	ns	ns	-29.1	.	.	.	ns	-15.9	-23.6	ns	40.5	ns	ns	25.6	ns
Goulburn Mulwaree	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Great Lakes	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-42.7	-57.0	-51.3	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-21.3
Greater Hume Shire	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Greater Taree	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Griffith	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Gundagai	ns
Gunnedah	.	-40.0	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Guyra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	54.1
Gwydir	ns
Harden	ns
Hawkesbury	.	ns	ns	ns	26.6	.	.	.	-26.5	ns	-21.0	ns	ns	-27.8	ns	ns	-18.3
Hay	ns
Holroyd	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-31.0	ns	ns
Hornsby	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Hunters Hill	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	ns	-37.3
Hurstville	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-27.5	-26.1	ns	ns	ns	ns
Inverell	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Jerilderie	ns
Junee	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Kempsey	.	ns	-28.9	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	-1.6	-18.3	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-19.5
Kiama	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	101.5	.	ns	.	ns	-13.2
Kogarah	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-38.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Ku-ring-gai	.	-31.1	-25.3	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	-8.9
Kyogle	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Lachlan	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	-38.7	.	ns	.	.	ns
Lake Macquarie	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	-7.0	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Lane Cove	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	ns	ns
Leeton	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns

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Leichhardt	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	-35.2	ns	ns	-29.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Lismore	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-18.9	ns	ns	ns	47.2	ns
Lithgow	.	.	-31.3	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-37.7
Liverpool	.	-9.4	-8.5	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	22.2	ns	-6.3
Liverpool Plains	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	-30.7
Lockhart
Lord Howe Island
Maitland	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	57.6	ns	34.3	ns	ns	ns	ns	-9.8
Manly	.	ns	-17.3	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	-35.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-22.6
Marrickville	.	-17.8	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	48.8	ns	ns	ns	-11.5
Mid-Western Regional	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Moree Plains	.	ns	-19.7	.	-37.2	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-18.2
Mosman	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Murray	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	.	ns
Murrumbidgee	ns
Muswellbrook	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	-28.1	ns	ns	ns	56.0	ns	.	ns	ns
Nambucca	.	ns	-25.9	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	67.6	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Narrabri	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	-7.8	.	ns	ns
Narrandera	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns
Narramine	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Newcastle	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-7.4	ns	-3.2
North Sydney	.	ns	ns	.	-36.4	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-38.3	ns	-19.3
Oberon	ns
Orange	.	ns	-16.4	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-37.1	ns	ns
Palerang	ns	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Parkes	.	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Parramatta	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	-20.2	.	.	-16.6	ns	ns	ns	ns	-18.8	-4.6	ns	ns
Penrith	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-8.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	21.8	-10.2
Pittwater	.	ns	-26.3	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	-20.2	.	37.7	ns	ns
Port Macquarie-Hastings	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	-22.3	ns	ns	ns	-17.6	ns	ns	ns
Port Stephens	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-31.9	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Queanbeyan	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	52.7	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Randwick	.	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	-20.0	.	ns	ns
Rockdale	.	ns	ns	ns	-36.4	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-23.0	ns	42.4	-29.6	-16.8	ns
Ryde	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-31.2	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-18.2
Shellharbour	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-31.5	ns	ns	ns
Shoalhaven	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-29.0	ns	ns
Singleton	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.0	.	ns	ns
Snowy River	ns
Strathfield	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Sutherland Shire	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	-30.4	ns	-28.8	ns	47.6	ns	ns	-16.7	ns
Sydney	.	ns	-3.6	ns	ns	-20.0	.	ns	ns	-27.2	-12.3	-11.9	ns	ns	-10.6	ns	-11.8
Tamworth Regional	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	54.0	ns	.	ns	-7.6
Temora	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Tenterfield	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	-27.1	.	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns
The Hills Shire	.	-20.4	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	43.7	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-15.7
Tumbarumba	ns
Tumut Shire	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns
Tweed	.	-12.5	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-5.7
Unincorporated Far West	ns
Upper Hunter Shire	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Upper Lachlan Shire	-32.1
Uralla	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	ns
Urana	ns
Wagga Wagga	.	ns	-11.9	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	84.8	ns	ns	-19.7	.	ns	ns
Wakool	ns
Walcha	ns
Walgett	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	16.5	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Warren	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	-26.4
Warringah	.	-22.9	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Warrumbungle Shire	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	ns	.	ns	ns
Waverley	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-26.6	ns	-20.1	ns
Weddin	ns
Wellington	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Wentworth	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	-15.8	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Willoughby	.	ns	ns	.	-31.9	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Wingecarribee	.	ns	ns	-40.8	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	-44.2	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Wollondilly	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	.	ns	-56.5	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	ns	ns
Wollongong	.	ns	-11.7	-22.4	ns	ns	.	ns	ns	ns	-9.1	ns	18.0	ns	ns	ns	ns
Woollahra	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	-36.2	ns	-33.0	-31.3	ns	-20.3	ns	-34.1	ns
Wyong	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns
Yass Valley	.	ns	ns	.	.	.	.	.	ns	.	.	ns	.	ns	.	.	ns
Young	.	ns	ns	.	ns	.	.	.	ns	ns	ns	ns	ns	-38.8	.	ns	ns
NSW	ns	ns	-3.7	ns	ns	-19.5	-26.8	-19.1	-5.4	ns	ns	ns	5.3	ns	-6.9	ns	-7.0

[^] 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 SEPTEMBER 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.	1.4	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.2		1.0	1.6	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.8	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.8	
Armidale Dumaresq	n.c.	1.9	1.7	1.3	1.4	1.3		2.6	4.1	2.0	1.3	2.0	1.4	1.5	0.5	0.6	1.7	
Ashfield	n.c.	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	3.2	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.1	1.1	1.6	0.6	
Auburn	n.c.	0.9	0.9	0.5	0.9	1.5	2.9	1.9	0.7	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.6	1.7	1.0	0.7	
Ballina	n.c.	0.6	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.5		1.1	0.6	1.0	0.3	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.9	
Bairnald	n.c.																	
Bankstown	n.c.	1.1	0.8	0.6	0.7	1.2	1.8	1.2	0.8	0.7	1.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.4	1.3	0.7	
Bathurst Regional	n.c.	1.3	1.2	1.9	1.1	0.5		1.1	1.9	2.2	0.9	1.2	1.7	1.6	0.8	0.7	1.5	
Bega Valley	n.c.	0.7	0.9	1.0	1.5				0.4	1.2	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.9	0.2	0.3	1.1	
Bellingen	n.c.	0.6	0.8	0.7	0.3				0.4	2.4	1.0	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.2	0.2	0.6	
Berrigan	n.c.	0.6	0.6	0.9	0.7				0.3	0.9	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.7		0.2	0.8	
Blacktown	n.c.	1.5	1.2	1.1	1.2	2.6	3.0	1.9	1.1	0.7	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	
Bland	n.c.	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.4				0.7	1.1	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.9	0.2	0.3	1.1	
Blayney	n.c.	0.9	0.5	1.9	0.6				0.6	2.0	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.6		0.3	0.9	
Blue Mountains	n.c.	0.7	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.5	1.2	
Bogan	n.c.	2.4	2.3	1.6	3.8				1.4	4.9	1.7	2.6	1.1	2.0	1.3	2.0	4.4	
Bombala	n.c.																	
Boorowa	n.c.																	
Botany Bay	n.c.	0.7	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.7		1.5	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.9	1.4	1.0	1.5	1.4	0.9	
Bourke	n.c.																	
Brewarrina	n.c.																	
Broken Hill	n.c.	2.5	1.3	1.0	0.9	0.5			1.6	1.4	0.9	1.1	0.5	1.9	0.9	0.4	1.8	
Burwood	n.c.	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.9	1.5	2.9	1.6	1.0	0.4	1.1	0.9	2.5	0.8	1.9	3.3	0.8	
Byron	n.c.	0.8	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.1		0.7	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.8	2.5	1.0	1.0	
Cabonne	n.c.	1.0	0.8	3.9	3.5	0.3			0.8	1.1	1.0	0.6	0.8	1.0	0.1	0.4	0.7	
Camden	n.c.	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.9	0.3	1.1	0.2	0.7	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.6	
Campbelltown	n.c.	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.6	1.8	1.3	0.9	1.3	1.2	1.5	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.3	
Canada Bay	n.c.	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.9	0.7	0.9	0.4	
Canterbury	n.c.	0.9	0.6	0.5	0.5	1.4	3.3	2.2	0.7	0.4	1.3	0.8	0.4	0.5	0.6	1.2	0.6	
Carrathool	n.c.																	
Central Darling	n.c.																	
Cessnock	n.c.	1.8	1.0	1.9	1.3	0.8	1.3	1.1	1.5	2.0	2.0	1.6	1.1	1.7	0.4	0.8	1.3	
Clarence Valley	n.c.	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.6	0.3	0.7	0.6	1.2	1.9	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.9	0.7	0.5	1.4	
Cobar	n.c.	2.8	1.8	1.9	2.7				1.3	5.4	2.2	2.6	0.3	1.9		0.7	2.8	
Coffs Harbour	n.c.	1.7	1.4	1.9	1.5	0.6	0.5	1.5	1.3	1.6	1.1	1.3	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.6	1.3	
Conargo	n.c.																	
Coolamon	n.c.	0.8	0.4	1.5	1.3				0.5	1.8	0.8	0.3	0.4	0.8		0.4	0.5	
Cooma-Monaro	n.c.	0.4	0.8	0.6	1.6	0.4			0.4	1.2	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.7		0.4	0.8	
Coonamble	n.c.	3.2	2.5	0.7	1.6				5.4	9.3	1.7	3.2	1.8	3.5	1.2	0.6	3.4	
Cootamundra	n.c.	1.0	1.2	2.1	2.4			1.9	0.7	0.9	0.1	0.4	0.2	1.0		0.4	1.2	
Corowa Shire	n.c.	0.9	0.6	1.9	1.3				1.3	1.5	0.6	0.6	0.5	1.9	0.1	0.4	0.9	
Cowra	n.c.	1.5	1.9	2.0	2.0	0.4			1.8	2.0	0.9	1.1	1.1	2.1	0.5	0.7	2.9	
Deniliquin	n.c.	1.4	1.4	0.9	2.2				0.8	1.5	0.4	0.9	0.9	1.7		0.3	1.6	
Dubbo	n.c.	2.2	1.5	2.2	2.1	1.3		1.6	2.8	3.5	2.0	3.1	2.3	1.5	1.5	1.1	2.3	
Dungog	n.c.	1.1	0.5	1.4	1.0				0.4	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.5	0.6	
Eurobodalla	n.c.	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	0.4		0.8	1.2	0.8	0.6	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.2	0.4	1.3	
Fairfield	n.c.	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.6	1.7	2.8		1.5	0.9	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.8	1.0	0.7
Forbes	n.c.	2.1	1.7	1.5	0.8			0.8	2.5	2.8	1.7	1.8	0.4	2.1	0.4	0.7	2.0	
Gilgandra	n.c.	2.0	1.5	1.1	1.6	1.0			3.7	8.6	2.2	1.0	1.2	1.7	0.3	0.6	2.2	
Glen Innes Severn	n.c.	2.3	1.7	2.0	2.2				1.2	2.4	0.3	0.6	0.1	1.7	0.3	0.5	1.9	
Gloucester	n.c.	0.8	0.6	0.3	2.7				0.6	0.6	0.4	0.2		1.2	0.3	0.6	0.8	
Gosford	n.c.	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.6	0.4		0.6	0.9	0.7	0.7	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.6	1.0	
Goulburn Mulwaree	n.c.	1.1	1.1	1.4	1.6	0.3		0.3	0.7	1.2	0.6	0.8	1.0	0.9	0.1	0.7	1.3	
Great Lakes	n.c.	1.3	1.1	1.2	2.1	0.4		0.2	0.9	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.9	1.4	0.5	0.7	1.0	
Greater Hume Shire	n.c.	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.8				0.4	1.7	1.0	0.6	0.1	0.6		0.2	0.5	
Greater Taree	n.c.	1.2	1.1	2.1	2.0	1.5		1.4	1.3	3.1	1.3	1.0	1.6	1.4	0.5	0.4	1.4	
Griffith	n.c.	2.5	1.7	0.9	1.3	0.9		0.3	2.6	2.8	1.7	1.8	2.5	1.4	0.5	0.6	1.5	
Gundagai	n.c.	1.0	0.5	1.3	0.9				0.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.6		1.8	0.9	
Gunnedah	n.c.	1.1	1.7	2.4	1.4				2.1	2.3	1.3	2.0	1.2	2.2	0.1	0.5	1.9	
Guyra	n.c.	2.0	1.2	0.7	1.8				0.8	3.9	1.3	0.9	0.4	2.5	0.3	0.5	1.4	
Gwydir	n.c.	0.5	0.5	1.3	0.7				0.6	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.1	0.7		0.1	0.8	
Harden	n.c.	0.4	0.6	1.3	1.5			2.0	0.6	1.0		0.4	0.6	0.9		0.3	1.0	
Hawkesbury	n.c.	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.1	1.6	0.3	0.7	1.1	1.1	1.2	0.7	0.7	0.4	0.7	1.0	
Hay	n.c.																	
Holroyd	n.c.	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.8	2.9	1.6	1.3	0.5	1.3	1.2	0.8	0.9	0.5	1.3	0.8	
Hornsby	n.c.	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.7	0.5	
Hunters Hill	n.c.	0.2	0.4	0.8	0.7				0.7	1.0	0.3	0.5	0.2	0.7	1.1	0.5	0.5	
Hurstville	n.c.	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.9	2.1	0.9	0.8	0.5	1.1	0.6	0.9	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.6	
Inverell	n.c.	1.8	1.7	1.5	2.4	1.1			1.3	1.9	0.4	0.8	1.2	1.4	0.3	0.5	1.9	
Jerilderie	n.c.																	
Junee	n.c.	1.4	1.0	2.0	0.4			1.2	0.6	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3	1.0	
Kempsey	n.c.	2.1	1.4	1.8	1.5	1.1	2.4	1.7	3.1	2.4	1.8	1.1	1.2	2.5	0.8	0.4	1.8	
Kiama	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.9		1.7	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.6	1.2	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.6	
Kogarah	n.c.	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.7		1.3	0.7	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.9	1.0	0.7	
Ku-ring-gai	n.c.	0.2	0.1	0.4	0.5	0.2		0.2	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.4	
Kyogle	n.c.	0.9	0.9	0.7	0.6			0.8	0.6	1.8	0.7	0.3		0.7		0.2	0.9	
Lachlan	n.c.	2.6	2.2	1.2	3.4	0.7			2.2	2.9	1.3	1.3	0.4	2.3		0.2	2.2	
Lake Macquarie	n.c.	1.0	0.8	1.4	1.3	0.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.1	1.5	1.2	1.0	0.9	0.5	0.8	1.1	
Lane Cove	n.c.	0.3	0.2	0.5	0.6				0.5	0.6	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.7	0.4	
Leeton	n.c.	1.5	1.1	1.8	1.9			0.6	1.4	1.8	1.0	0.5	0.5	1.2	0.1	0.3	1.3	

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Leichhardt	n.c.	0.6	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.5	1.2	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.4	1.2	0.7	1.2	0.8
Lismore	n.c.	1.2	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.0		0.3	1.3	1.5	0.8	0.8	1.0	1.3	0.6	0.7	1.5
Lithgow	n.c.	1.0	1.1	0.8	1.0	0.2		0.7	1.5	3.4	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.5	0.7	0.6	1.5
Liverpool	n.c.	1.3	0.8	1.1	0.8	1.1	1.9	1.6	1.1	0.6	1.6	1.4	1.3	0.7	1.0	1.3	0.8
Liverpool Plains	n.c.	1.4	0.8	1.0	1.9				1.0	1.5	0.8	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.2	0.2	0.8
Lockhart	n.c.	0.6	0.7	2.1					0.4	1.8	1.0	0.1	0.1	0.7		0.3	0.5
Lord Howe Island	n.c.																
Maitland	n.c.	1.4	0.9	1.1	1.3	0.5	0.9	2.0	1.1	1.5	1.2	1.7	1.0	1.2	0.8	0.7	1.2
Manly	n.c.	0.4	1.0	0.5	0.8	0.3			0.5	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.7	1.0	1.6	0.9	0.7
Marrickville	n.c.	0.7	1.1	0.7	1.2	1.3	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.7	1.5	1.1	0.8	1.5	1.3	1.7	1.1
Mid-Western Regional	n.c.	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.1	0.8			1.0	1.2	0.8	0.6	0.4	1.7	0.4	0.6	1.6
Moree Plains	n.c.	4.6	3.2	2.1	2.2	2.3		2.6	4.7	5.5	2.8	2.4	3.7	3.6	1.6	1.1	3.8
Mosman	n.c.	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.1		0.2	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.2	1.1	0.5	0.7	0.4
Murray	n.c.	0.6	0.5		0.9		4.7		1.1	2.9	1.2	0.9	0.2	0.7	0.3	0.4	0.8
Murrumbidgee	n.c.																
Muswellbrook	n.c.	1.6	1.4	1.3	1.8	1.6		0.9	1.8	2.3	1.7	1.3	1.6	1.5	0.7	0.6	2.0
Nambucca	n.c.	1.4	1.0	1.5	1.4	0.2	1.8	0.8	2.1	1.5	1.5	0.8	0.7	1.4	0.3	0.5	1.3
Narrabri	n.c.	1.5	1.6	1.2	1.0	0.7		0.5	2.0	3.4	0.7	1.4	0.9	1.5	0.1	0.6	1.8
Narrandera	n.c.	1.2	1.0	0.8	1.4			1.2	2.0	2.9	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.9	0.4	0.4	1.2
Narromine	n.c.	2.5	1.9	2.8	1.0			2.2	2.6	7.0	2.5	3.1	0.4	3.2	1.7	0.7	1.9
Newcastle	n.c.	1.2	1.7	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	2.2	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.8	1.3	1.5	1.5	1.2	1.4
North Sydney	n.c.	0.4	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.4		0.2	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.6	0.5	1.3	0.7	1.2	0.6
Oberon	n.c.	1.5	0.6	1.5	0.9				0.6	1.4	1.0	0.4	0.2	1.4		0.2	1.4
Orange	n.c.	1.9	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.6	0.9	1.4	2.3	1.7	1.5	2.4	2.5	2.0	0.7	0.7	1.8
Palerang	n.c.	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4				0.6	0.7	0.8	0.4	0.1	0.7	0.1	0.2	0.6
Parkes	n.c.	1.9	1.5	2.4	1.1	0.3	2.3		1.2	1.9	0.8	1.4	0.5	1.9	0.2	0.9	1.7
Parramatta	n.c.	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.8	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.2	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.0	1.7	1.7	0.9
Penrith	n.c.	1.4	1.2	1.5	1.2	1.6	1.3	1.7	1.2	0.7	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.2
Pittwater	n.c.	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.6			0.4	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.8	0.6
Port Macquarie-Hastings	n.c.	1.0	1.0	1.4	1.1	0.2	0.5	0.2	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.5	1.1	0.5	0.5	0.9
Port Stephens	n.c.	1.2	0.9	1.1	1.1	0.3		1.0	0.9	1.1	1.0	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.3	0.6	1.3
Queanbeyan	n.c.	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.7	0.3		0.2	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.5	1.3	0.9	0.3	0.7	1.1
Randwick	n.c.	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.5	0.7	0.3	0.8	0.9	0.5	1.0	1.0	1.1	0.7
Richmond Valley	n.c.	1.5	1.6	2.3	2.1	1.2		1.0	1.7	3.0	1.1	1.0	0.8	1.3	0.7	0.5	1.5
Rockdale	n.c.	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.5	1.0	0.7	0.9	0.6	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.4	0.9	0.9	1.2	0.7
Ryde	n.c.	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.5	1.1	0.7	0.6	1.3	0.5	0.5
Shellharbour	n.c.	1.1	0.8	1.5	1.1	0.6	1.0	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.0	0.8	1.2	0.8	0.5	0.6	1.0
Shoalhaven	n.c.	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.4	0.7	1.4	0.8	1.5	1.6	0.9	0.9	1.2	1.2	0.3	0.5	1.2
Singleton	n.c.	0.8	0.7	1.2	0.9	0.6		0.6	1.5	2.2	1.8	1.5	0.7	1.3	0.4	0.4	1.0
Snowy River	n.c.	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4				0.3	1.3	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.6	0.3	0.5
Strathfield	n.c.	0.7	0.9	0.3	0.6	1.8	0.9	1.1	1.2	0.7	1.5	1.2	0.6	0.7	2.6	1.5	0.8
Sutherland Shire	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.4		0.4	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.8
Sydney	n.c.	1.3	3.8	1.4	1.9	5.7	3.0	3.5	1.1	1.5	0.9	1.7	4.0	2.3	11.1	5.0	1.6
Tamworth Regional	n.c.	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	0.3	0.6	1.0	1.9	1.6	1.1	1.2	1.7	1.6	0.4	0.5	1.7
Temora	n.c.	0.9	0.7	2.4	0.8			1.2	0.5	1.3	0.4	0.8	0.5	1.4		0.4	1.3
Tenterfield	n.c.	2.2	1.0	2.7	1.5				3.2	3.0	0.9	2.0	0.3	1.6		0.4	1.4
The Hills Shire	n.c.	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.5	0.2		0.2	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.3	0.8	0.4
Tumbarumba	n.c.	0.7	1.0	1.3	2.3				0.4	0.5	0.7	0.2	0.1	1.3	0.7	0.2	1.0
Tumut Shire	n.c.	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.7			0.6	0.5	1.3	1.1	0.8	0.3	1.2	0.1	0.3	1.6
Tweed	n.c.	1.0	0.8	0.9	0.7	0.2		0.4	0.7	1.0	1.1	0.9	0.6	0.8	0.4	0.6	0.9
Unincorporated Far West	n.c.																
Upper Hunter Shire	n.c.	0.6	0.6	1.2	1.2				0.7	1.2	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.9		0.4	1.0
Upper Lachlan Shire	n.c.	0.5	0.5	2.3	0.9				0.9	1.3	0.9	0.5	0.0	1.1		0.2	0.6
Uralla	n.c.	0.5	0.4	0.7	1.6			1.2	0.9	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.1	1.3		0.2	0.5
Urana	n.c.																
Wagga Wagga	n.c.	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.2	0.4		0.7	2.5	1.5	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.0	0.4	0.5	1.8
Wakool	n.c.	0.5	1.1		0.3				0.7	0.8	0.1	0.4		0.9		0.2	0.6
Walcha	n.c.	0.3	0.7	2.1	2.2				0.2	1.8		0.4	0.1	0.7		0.3	0.8
Walgett	n.c.	7.0	3.4	4.0	2.0	1.3		2.2	4.3	4.3	1.9	1.5	1.7	2.8	0.4	0.5	4.2
Warren	n.c.																
Warringham	n.c.	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6		0.3	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.7	0.6
Warrumbungle Shire	n.c.	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.8	1.4			1.1	1.3	0.6	0.7	0.5	1.8	0.3	0.4	1.0
Waverley	n.c.	0.6	1.0	0.6	0.7	0.6		0.3	0.6	0.4	1.0	0.7	2.4	1.1	1.3	1.3	0.8
Weddin	n.c.	0.7	0.5	0.9	2.2				0.6	1.3	0.4	0.4		0.9		0.2	0.5
Wellington	n.c.	2.0	1.7	1.9	2.0			1.6	4.8	4.1	1.8	1.5	0.7	3.1	0.1	0.5	3.6
Wentworth	n.c.	2.3	1.7	2.5	2.9				1.6	3.0	1.9	1.5	0.4	1.8		0.3	1.2
Willoughby	n.c.	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.5	2.1	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.6
Wingecarribee	n.c.	0.7	0.5	1.0	1.0	0.1	0.7	0.2	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.6	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.8
Wollondilly	n.c.	1.0	0.6	2.1	1.6	0.3		0.3	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.7
Wollongong	n.c.	0.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.1	0.3	1.0	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	0.8	0.6	1.1
Woollahra	n.c.	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.4			0.1	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.6	0.3	1.1	1.5	0.6	0.5
Wyong	n.c.	1.4	1.2	1.3	1.2	0.9	1.8	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.5	1.2	1.1	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.2
Yass Valley	n.c.	0.5	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.3		0.4	0.5	1.3	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.1	0.4	0.7
Young	n.c.	1.5	1.4	2.0	2.3	0.7			0.7	1.3	0.7	0.5	1.2	0.8	0.2	0.3	2.1
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

[^] 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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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.	283	326	43	71	14	0	7	358	141	125	359	257	183	34	288	807
Armidale Dumaresq	n.a.	188	177	21	30	7	0	9	441	84	66	273	103	109	10	106	375
Ashfield	n.a.	118	126	17	28	6	4	5	177	36	81	202	118	142	39	469	244
Auburn	n.a.	296	314	28	65	28	7	22	250	111	207	365	120	137	116	573	481
Ballina	n.a.	101	147	29	41	5	0	6	114	70	24	160	95	112	15	138	334
Bairnald	n.a.	12	12	2	2	0	0	0	13	7	5	4	1	10	0	22	27
Bankstown	n.a.	879	658	80	119	54	10	33	694	236	681	980	369	346	57	1,790	1,197
Bathurst Regional	n.a.	208	213	49	41	5	0	6	337	149	71	263	207	198	25	205	524
Bega Valley	n.a.	84	122	22	44	0	0	0	58	67	23	82	45	86	6	65	315
Bellingen	n.a.	28	41	6	3	0	0	0	25	52	25	40	8	28	2	17	67
Berrigan	n.a.	20	19	5	5	0	0	0	11	12	12	14	6	18	0	9	55
Blacktown	n.a.	1,932	1,579	223	343	190	28	84	1,571	393	846	2,536	1,075	959	301	2,840	3,436
Bland	n.a.	21	16	2	2	0	0	0	18	11	5	19	4	15	1	10	58
Blayney	n.a.	25	14	9	4	0	0	0	18	25	8	15	7	13	0	16	56
Blue Mountains	n.a.	220	220	47	75	17	1	5	217	107	69	228	82	153	21	246	829
Bogan	n.a.	28	29	3	10	0	0	0	18	25	10	43	10	18	3	41	117
Bombala	n.a.	10	7	1	6	0	0	0	4	2	0	7	0	3	0	2	13
Boorowa	n.a.	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	2	3	0	8	0	3	12
Botany Bay	n.a.	113	140	18	20	7	0	9	116	41	87	225	186	125	51	404	336
Bourke	n.a.	129	82	13	16	2	0	1	92	46	33	68	41	46	3	35	176
Brewarrina	n.a.	78	46	13	10	1	0	0	30	16	5	11	2	14	0	8	58
Broken Hill	n.a.	183	98	12	14	2	0	0	130	43	34	115	26	105	13	56	291
Burwood	n.a.	74	97	12	28	12	3	8	156	26	81	173	257	85	54	794	241
Byron	n.a.	96	246	31	38	8	0	3	112	54	55	206	98	163	63	203	288
Cabonne	n.a.	55	47	34	42	1	0	0	50	25	27	42	32	41	1	36	88
Camden	n.a.	230	157	34	52	5	2	2	193	63	104	201	107	126	5	278	328
Campbelltown	n.a.	925	690	129	151	38	7	38	849	228	384	1,017	654	402	103	971	1,755
Canada Bay	n.a.	133	139	21	32	15	1	7	245	104	125	414	79	223	49	534	326
Canterbury	n.a.	505	372	48	66	46	14	44	458	108	394	624	156	231	65	1,229	754
Carrathool	n.a.	20	17	0	3	1	0	0	8	9	1	8	0	3	0	8	22
Central Darling	n.a.	114	51	1	4	0	0	0	24	26	5	16	0	16	1	6	40
Cessnock	n.a.	375	234	67	63	10	2	8	347	179	219	488	174	263	18	299	630
Clarence Valley	n.a.	219	270	51	71	3	1	4	255	161	95	296	136	282	26	159	620
Cobar	n.a.	55	37	6	12	0	0	0	29	46	22	72	4	28	0	23	122
Coffs Harbour	n.a.	467	416	88	91	9	1	15	392	186	155	519	228	232	44	282	811
Conargo	n.a.	4	9	3	5	0	0	0	7	3	3	2	2	3	0	1	8
Coolamon	n.a.	13	7	4	5	0	0	0	9	13	7	6	5	10	0	10	19
Cooma-Monaro	n.a.	16	33	4	14	1	0	0	19	20	7	33	12	22	0	26	68
Coonamble	n.a.	53	44	2	6	0	0	0	99	66	14	76	22	44	4	17	124
Cootamundra	n.a.	31	39	10	16	0	0	2	22	11	1	19	5	22	0	22	77
Corowa Shire	n.a.	38	27	14	13	0	0	0	64	28	13	37	16	62	1	27	84
Cowra	n.a.	75	99	16	22	1	0	0	96	41	22	79	39	75	5	57	316
Deniliquin	n.a.	40	42	4	14	0	0	0	25	19	6	38	19	37	0	17	102
Dubbo	n.a.	348	261	58	77	12	0	9	505	244	159	707	271	178	50	313	829
Dungog	n.a.	38	17	8	8	0	0	0	15	8	11	15	6	19	2	29	48
Eurobodalla	n.a.	180	182	27	39	3	0	4	194	49	43	207	105	104	5	89	413
Fairfield	n.a.	821	594	91	109	75	16	40	786	185	471	1,067	289	265	121	1,313	1,152
Forbes	n.a.	80	67	9	7	0	0	1	103	45	33	97	12	60	3	45	164
Gilgandra	n.a.	35	28	3	6	1	0	0	70	63	19	24	15	22	1	19	83
Glen Innes Severn	n.a.	81	63	11	17	0	0	0	48	36	6	30	3	43	2	29	148
Gloucester	n.a.	16	12	1	12	0	0	0	12	5	4	6	0	17	1	20	36
Gosford	n.a.	527	646	93	90	16	0	14	639	196	236	788	493	388	116	657	1,445
Goulburn Mulwaree	n.a.	123	138	26	40	2	0	1	87	56	32	134	88	77	2	132	336
Great Lakes	n.a.	186	160	28	65	3	0	1	133	52	39	98	92	146	14	163	315
Greater Hume Shire	n.a.	20	25	4	7	0	0	0	19	29	21	32	2	17	0	12	43
Greater Taree	n.a.	217	228	66	85	16	0	9	266	248	129	258	220	195	18	137	601
Griffith	n.a.	248	176	15	30	5	0	1	287	120	84	255	186	107	11	103	326
Gundagai	n.a.	15	7	3	3	0	0	0	6	3	2	5	1	7	0	45	29
Gunnedah	n.a.	54	91	19	15	0	0	0	117	48	33	143	43	81	1	46	212
Guyra	n.a.	36	22	2	7	0	0	0	16	30	12	23	5	33	1	15	57
Gwydir	n.a.	10	10	4	3	0	0	0	12	7	4	16	1	10	0	5	36
Harden	n.a.	6	9	3	5	0	0	1	9	6	0	8	6	10	0	8	31
Hawkesbury	n.a.	277	263	48	81	16	3	3	194	117	143	422	137	140	20	287	557
Hay	n.a.	16	18	1	9	0	0	1	11	15	5	16	5	14	0	24	52
Holroyd	n.a.	454	346	65	98	43	9	24	631	100	286	748	267	287	40	987	750
Hornsby	n.a.	181	222	58	77	7	2	5	466	91	89	473	350	227	51	727	761
Hunters Hill	n.a.	14	26	7	9	0	0	0	42	24	10	42	10	31	12	50	64
Hurstville	n.a.	237	186	31	44	17	5	10	288	66	178	303	215	156	59	438	412
Inverell	n.a.	119	117	16	35	4	0	0	92	52	13	70	58	69	4	51	278
Jerilderie	n.a.	4	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	1	2	0	3	13
Junee	n.a.	34	25	8	2	0	0	1	17	10	6	17	5	8	1	13	54
Kempsey	n.a.	242	167	33	39	7	2	7	397	120	103	172	100	213	19	86	451
Kiama	n.a.	39	43	6	16	0	1	1	58	33	24	135	13	34	10	50	105
Kogarah	n.a.	181	161	18	35	9	0	11	175	42	93	174	72	108	41	401	347
Ku-ring-gai	n.a.	73	59	30	53	5	0	4	337	72	49	214	45	202	17	400	418
Kyogle	n.a.	33	35	4	5	0	0	1	25	29	13	16	0	19	0	11	70
Lachlan	n.a.	67	60	5	20	1	0	0	65	33	17	49	8	46	0	8	127
Lake Macquarie	n.a.	760	706	178	219	14	5	26	762	365	588	1,356	566	546	82	1,128	1,873
Lane Cove	n.a.	39	31	12	19	0	0	0	72	35	11	76	16	62	5	165	121
Leeton	n.a.	68	52	13	19	0	0	1	70	34	23	32	18	41	1	21	127

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Leichhardt	n.a.	128	161	18	31	6	2	4	147	63	105	250	71	197	31	461	397
Lismore	n.a.	212	313	49	63	10	0	2	247	108	73	193	132	172	20	209	570
Lithgow	n.a.	84	92	11	18	1	0	2	137	120	47	108	48	93	12	80	269
Liverpool	n.a.	966	676	132	138	50	11	42	955	211	630	1,484	738	380	154	1,762	1,437
Liverpool Plains	n.a.	41	26	5	13	0	0	0	34	20	12	31	9	21	1	11	52
Lockhart	n.a.	7	9	4	0	0	0	0	5	9	6	2	1	6	0	6	13
Lord Howe Island	n.a.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Maitland	n.a.	412	288	52	82	9	2	20	347	186	180	716	205	251	44	329	765
Manly	n.a.	62	191	15	32	3	0	0	105	56	29	156	88	129	55	272	285
Marrickville	n.a.	235	392	38	84	24	2	13	289	94	243	525	183	353	87	965	797
Mid-Western Regional	n.a.	136	139	24	23	4	0	0	103	48	38	81	29	116	7	92	325
Moree Plains	n.a.	248	183	19	27	7	0	5	285	128	76	182	149	148	17	103	459
Mosman	n.a.	46	49	7	7	1	0	1	73	23	23	65	19	100	11	146	109
Murray	n.a.	17	15	0	6	0	1	0	35	36	18	35	4	15	2	19	54
Murrumbidgee	n.a.	10	9	4	5	0	0	0	6	7	3	9	1	11	0	7	19
Muswellbrook	n.a.	105	100	14	26	6	0	2	128	66	56	120	78	74	9	73	288
Nambucca	n.a.	106	80	19	24	1	1	2	176	48	57	85	42	79	4	59	219
Narrabri	n.a.	78	89	10	12	2	0	1	119	77	19	104	37	59	1	54	212
Narrandera	n.a.	28	24	3	7	0	0	1	50	29	17	45	23	32	2	16	60
Narromine	n.a.	65	54	12	6	0	0	2	76	79	34	117	7	64	9	32	113
Newcastle	n.a.	719	1,086	119	171	43	5	48	839	434	396	1,576	617	684	188	1,285	1,866
North Sydney	n.a.	119	165	17	28	6	0	2	232	75	36	247	107	262	37	580	339
Oberon	n.a.	31	13	5	4	0	0	0	14	12	10	11	3	22	0	8	63
Orange	n.a.	297	260	36	35	15	1	8	416	120	120	550	300	239	22	190	622
Palerang	n.a.	18	17	4	5	0	0	0	39	17	23	33	4	33	1	21	83
Parkes	n.a.	111	92	23	14	1	1	0	80	48	23	116	24	83	2	86	216
Parramatta	n.a.	746	812	117	138	87	9	48	952	254	358	1,172	755	543	251	2,112	1,418
Penrith	n.a.	1,027	989	183	199	70	7	46	980	227	524	1,337	734	608	152	1,452	2,076
Pittwater	n.a.	95	123	16	33	9	0	0	95	57	63	238	70	79	15	318	352
Port Macquarie-Hastings	n.a.	291	315	67	71	4	1	2	206	101	96	250	113	248	29	267	625
Port Stephens	n.a.	320	253	46	68	4	0	9	256	132	141	349	146	215	16	263	766
Queanbeyan	n.a.	114	129	17	25	3	0	1	219	85	80	339	150	104	9	177	385
Randwick	n.a.	369	445	43	77	38	4	10	427	83	221	692	222	404	108	1,080	846
Richmond Valley	n.a.	129	148	33	41	6	0	3	168	114	51	130	56	84	12	77	290
Rockdale	n.a.	332	251	31	42	23	2	13	286	99	214	496	127	282	76	894	638
Ryde	n.a.	148	204	29	67	11	2	8	274	105	81	320	351	234	50	989	459
Shellharbour	n.a.	283	226	63	87	9	2	11	265	97	134	308	237	150	29	291	561
Shoalhaven	n.a.	392	434	83	117	15	4	11	618	255	176	509	329	335	22	338	983
Singleton	n.a.	75	68	18	19	3	0	2	155	87	82	201	50	91	8	56	199
Snowy River	n.a.	17	22	2	3	0	0	0	12	17	3	11	8	5	4	16	38
Strathfield	n.a.	108	140	8	22	16	1	6	207	44	118	251	73	77	81	404	260
Sutherland Shire	n.a.	469	495	81	107	19	0	11	435	174	218	749	512	402	74	777	1,522
Sydney	n.a.	1,011	3,119	174	322	248	17	93	903	490	365	1,896	2,264	1,321	1,703	6,555	2,673
Tamworth Regional	n.a.	361	361	61	86	4	1	8	500	157	127	400	291	275	20	190	861
Temora	n.a.	21	17	9	4	0	0	1	13	13	5	28	9	25	0	16	65
Tenterfield	n.a.	60	30	12	9	0	0	0	95	35	12	77	6	33	0	17	84
The Hills Shire	n.a.	222	262	51	74	10	0	4	627	194	185	656	271	292	37	1,003	695
Tumbarumba	n.a.	9	15	3	7	0	0	0	6	3	5	3	1	13	2	5	30
Tumut Shire	n.a.	57	57	9	17	0	0	1	22	25	24	48	11	39	1	20	160
Tweed	n.a.	357	309	54	53	4	0	5	282	147	204	452	153	212	28	334	681
Unincorporated Far West	n.a.	9	12	6	11	0	0	0	0	7	2	8	6	2	2	19	14
Upper Hunter Shire	n.a.	33	34	11	15	0	0	0	42	28	28	39	20	37	0	36	130
Upper Lachlan Shire	n.a.	15	16	11	6	0	0	0	30	17	13	22	1	25	0	8	38
Uralla	n.a.	12	11	3	9	0	0	1	26	6	7	16	1	25	0	7	27
Urana	n.a.	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	5	0	1	3
Wagga Wagga	n.a.	290	349	53	64	5	0	6	672	151	231	688	342	363	18	197	962
Wakool	n.a.	7	18	0	1	0	0	0	12	5	1	8	0	10	0	6	19
Walcha	n.a.	4	9	4	6	0	0	0	3	9	0	7	1	6	0	6	21
Walgett	n.a.	185	96	17	12	2	0	2	127	49	26	58	34	55	2	21	247
Warren	n.a.	38	27	3	4	0	1	1	24	10	11	25	4	18	0	11	67
Warringham	n.a.	195	287	44	82	20	0	6	303	122	129	474	342	245	59	721	788
Warrumbungle Shire	n.a.	44	47	7	15	3	0	0	45	21	11	36	14	50	2	28	83
Waverley	n.a.	169	292	28	45	9	0	3	188	42	141	264	489	223	72	634	513
Weddin	n.a.	10	8	2	7	0	0	0	10	8	3	9	0	10	0	4	17
Wellington	n.a.	71	63	11	16	0	0	2	186	62	32	76	18	81	1	30	281
Wentworth	n.a.	62	47	11	17	0	0	0	48	34	25	57	8	35	0	15	71
Willoughby	n.a.	83	143	16	32	11	1	4	173	95	43	187	452	140	62	564	388
Wingecarribee	n.a.	128	98	29	41	1	1	1	111	57	38	101	87	131	7	130	338
Wollondilly	n.a.	176	125	63	63	3	0	2	111	40	64	108	50	75	8	140	277
Wollongong	n.a.	730	849	118	152	49	2	28	1,061	418	439	1,376	701	740	127	874	1,878
Woollahra	n.a.	93	146	20	19	0	0	1	185	41	61	182	54	192	66	238	269
Wyong	n.a.	841	766	126	163	33	8	18	652	277	459	1,043	515	386	115	1,093	1,693
Yass Valley	n.a.	30	34	4	8	1	0	1	38	36	15	29	9	31	1	44	95
Young	n.a.	75	75	16	25	2	0	0	40	28	17	34	43	30	2	25	229
Prisons	n.a.	5	784	38	19	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	20	172
NSW	79	28,980	30,812	4,718	6,486	1,658	213	1,018	32,210	12,444	14,707	41,208	21,580	21,791	5,836	49,762	64,435

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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.	313	360	53	51	6	0	7	353	170	149	462	225	180	26	271	820
Armidale Dumaresq	n.a.	150	210	28	42	4	1	7	255	90	44	201	120	132	9	108	365
Ashfield	n.a.	98	101	17	27	10	2	10	197	44	48	175	104	115	29	494	250
Auburn	n.a.	372	372	29	51	51	7	36	364	152	181	446	84	152	121	712	614
Ballina	n.a.	155	155	34	35	0	0	1	108	63	46	191	112	138	16	139	406
Bairnald	n.a.	16	19	5	4	0	0	0	10	9	2	15	1	12	0	11	45
Bankstown	n.a.	950	620	97	137	64	18	46	698	218	677	1,075	384	379	72	2,299	1,463
Bathurst Regional	n.a.	235	259	49	43	11	1	3	355	106	83	271	186	193	33	162	563
Bega Valley	n.a.	90	122	31	30	0	0	0	68	59	15	82	40	59	4	76	236
Bellingen	n.a.	31	43	8	8	0	0	0	41	33	23	52	8	33	4	20	85
Berrigan	n.a.	17	21	4	5	0	0	2	19	25	8	21	3	30	0	18	63
Blacktown	n.a.	1,951	1,673	234	340	215	17	76	1,809	454	848	2,306	1,161	934	314	2,619	3,796
Bland	n.a.	21	23	3	9	0	0	0	17	8	9	11	1	9	1	21	45
Blayney	n.a.	22	19	8	10	0	0	0	30	10	12	41	4	12	0	14	53
Blue Mountains	n.a.	207	301	61	73	11	2	6	221	130	79	329	98	134	31	240	951
Bogan	n.a.	45	28	4	3	1	0	0	16	9	9	43	9	13	0	12	61
Bombala	n.a.	3	4	2	5	0	0	0	3	3	1	9	0	5	0	3	20
Boorowa	n.a.	5	9	6	1	0	0	0	5	7	3	1	0	10	0	3	17
Botany Bay	n.a.	117	162	17	16	14	0	5	139	46	110	218	242	99	44	415	354
Bourke	n.a.	135	68	19	11	1	0	2	99	25	26	53	42	34	11	29	165
Brewarrina	n.a.	101	33	9	3	1	0	0	37	15	13	13	1	19	0	2	47
Broken Hill	n.a.	162	151	13	19	4	0	4	140	60	22	121	32	99	7	66	362
Burwood	n.a.	76	139	14	30	21	1	13	190	38	52	175	169	99	72	845	258
Byron	n.a.	142	314	22	44	5	0	3	118	72	62	196	92	175	54	181	365
Cabonne	n.a.	48	68	33	32	0	0	0	46	29	19	39	33	37	0	32	94
Camden	n.a.	182	115	45	43	6	1	3	136	76	115	213	98	104	4	249	356
Campbelltown	n.a.	1,019	790	127	149	76	10	25	943	296	409	900	488	413	109	855	2,037
Canada Bay	n.a.	142	123	18	37	11	4	4	328	71	115	398	68	252	39	661	410
Canterbury	n.a.	487	382	48	76	61	13	52	509	117	325	595	215	211	71	1,140	807
Carrathool	n.a.	12	11	4	3	1	0	0	8	4	2	13	0	8	0	3	21
Central Darling	n.a.	105	50	5	2	0	0	1	34	24	6	12	3	16	2	8	52
Cessnock	n.a.	363	229	58	83	4	4	14	332	186	243	428	164	313	30	310	683
Clarence Valley	n.a.	177	276	50	57	4	1	2	228	158	105	360	118	282	17	195	644
Cobar	n.a.	37	34	7	9	0	0	0	37	51	21	75	17	36	0	23	102
Coffs Harbour	n.a.	489	386	78	149	14	2	8	411	169	153	448	139	257	50	311	840
Conargo	n.a.	9	9	10	1	0	0	0	5	6	4	5	2	8	0	3	20
Coolamon	n.a.	4	4	4	5	0	0	0	13	8	3	9	1	15	0	6	13
Cooma-Monaro	n.a.	26	44	4	12	0	0	0	28	11	10	45	9	15	1	13	95
Coonamble	n.a.	59	57	13	13	1	0	1	104	66	21	53	14	44	1	14	160
Cootamundra	n.a.	42	40	7	14	0	1	0	16	15	6	21	12	17	1	24	114
Corowa Shire	n.a.	48	39	4	6	1	0	1	52	80	16	65	20	62	0	10	91
Cowra	n.a.	70	92	15	53	5	0	0	134	33	18	57	30	64	2	39	214
Deniliquin	n.a.	48	40	4	4	1	0	1	27	7	6	44	13	31	1	27	92
Dubbo	n.a.	317	353	61	78	12	0	10	527	153	165	788	342	187	54	206	888
Dungog	n.a.	23	18	9	6	0	0	0	18	8	9	18	6	24	3	15	51
Eurobodalla	n.a.	153	179	33	49	4	0	1	255	72	62	209	78	113	7	107	430
Fairfield	n.a.	777	571	78	99	72	18	56	785	177	502	1,083	335	269	126	1,513	1,229
Forbes	n.a.	76	62	15	17	0	0	0	50	17	19	98	13	64	1	67	154
Gilgandra	n.a.	42	23	3	4	0	0	0	75	38	18	48	11	18	7	17	72
Glen Innes Severn	n.a.	53	84	17	12	2	0	0	71	56	14	52	10	45	2	18	129
Gloucester	n.a.	15	19	4	5	0	0	0	10	8	0	14	4	9	0	8	37
Gosford	n.a.	480	666	94	127	26	2	17	659	233	309	737	351	335	116	523	1,576
Goulburn Mulwaree	n.a.	122	126	33	35	0	0	3	65	37	21	78	74	87	4	88	281
Great Lakes	n.a.	185	187	46	38	6	0	3	232	121	80	143	106	156	7	130	400
Greater Hume Shire	n.a.	20	14	8	7	0	0	1	36	22	13	25	2	30	0	22	46
Greater Taree	n.a.	246	230	62	86	6	0	6	277	214	129	249	170	243	19	169	580
Griffith	n.a.	202	151	35	23	6	0	1	231	131	69	276	157	129	10	88	395
Gundagai	n.a.	15	11	1	4	1	0	0	8	12	9	15	1	8	0	42	23
Gunnedah	n.a.	90	101	11	10	1	0	0	85	41	48	168	43	75	4	51	273
Guyra	n.a.	34	26	5	4	0	0	0	11	17	8	33	7	25	0	10	37
Gwydir	n.a.	16	13	7	1	0	0	0	13	17	7	9	2	17	0	6	32
Harden	n.a.	13	6	4	9	0	0	0	12	13	4	11	1	7	0	6	40
Hawkesbury	n.a.	324	250	49	64	14	3	6	264	121	181	390	125	194	25	281	682
Hay	n.a.	11	26	1	9	0	0	0	16	5	0	25	3	11	0	7	33
Holroyd	n.a.	431	314	64	76	40	10	36	654	152	288	667	211	272	58	905	682
Hornsby	n.a.	207	223	47	94	17	0	8	508	133	108	422	351	200	48	646	798
Hunters Hill	n.a.	24	40	6	8	0	0	1	43	26	10	45	9	27	5	56	102
Hurstville	n.a.	206	154	29	36	18	6	15	274	67	140	418	291	114	61	543	450
Inverell	n.a.	150	117	26	29	4	0	1	95	37	13	54	47	68	2	38	224
Jerilderie	n.a.	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	7	1	6	0	5	13
Junee	n.a.	23	36	5	11	0	0	0	20	8	7	21	1	23	0	3	36
Kempsey	n.a.	197	235	37	37	15	0	11	365	122	126	186	97	190	30	72	560
Kiama	n.a.	27	49	10	12	0	1	4	59	33	29	67	17	40	14	99	121
Kogarah	n.a.	176	144	15	29	17	2	9	170	38	98	285	61	88	42	431	341
Ku-ring-gai	n.a.	106	79	28	54	10	1	3	397	103	32	263	45	188	20	451	459
Kyogle	n.a.	36	33	9	6	0	0	0	31	25	9	15	1	23	0	12	61
Lachlan	n.a.	54	51	7	9	0	0	0	83	45	25	80	9	51	2	15	139
Lake Macquarie	n.a.	694	719	198	199	22	4	33	819	344	502	1,292	589	554	97	1,019	1,980
Lane Cove	n.a.	30	45	11	13	2	0	3	83	34	15	133	18	58	10	175	155
Leeton	n.a.	57	68	9	10	0	0	0	63	41	15	58	14	43	1	15	144

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Leichardt	n.a.	104	157	16	34	16	1	10	227	77	86	353	87	174	30	380	403
Lismore	n.a.	206	249	59	77	10	0	3	209	134	89	238	139	153	23	142	598
Lithgow	n.a.	102	134	28	27	4	0	3	199	150	44	157	53	115	11	98	432
Liverpool	n.a.	1,066	739	149	147	78	12	59	992	300	554	1,355	727	421	126	1,479	1,533
Liverpool Plains	n.a.	36	41	18	21	0	0	0	24	13	9	23	3	25	2	17	75
Lockhart	n.a.	4	13	5	6	0	0	0	8	11	1	10	1	8	0	3	25
Lord Howe Island	n.a.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Maitland	n.a.	356	279	54	59	10	5	14	325	118	174	533	219	261	46	280	848
Manly	n.a.	76	231	21	31	11	0	2	102	50	45	180	82	137	63	170	368
Marrickville	n.a.	286	390	49	119	40	6	28	321	101	199	538	123	323	87	748	901
Mid-Western Regional	n.a.	116	152	26	35	4	1	1	96	31	35	170	41	113	7	109	319
Moree Plains	n.a.	242	228	31	43	5	1	2	317	140	87	189	109	142	13	86	561
Mosman	n.a.	47	40	5	9	1	1	1	90	24	20	107	30	54	10	108	140
Murray	n.a.	20	16	1	5	0	0	1	35	28	16	42	4	22	2	15	44
Murrumbidgee	n.a.	21	8	4	3	0	0	0	10	5	2	37	0	12	0	6	33
Muswellbrook	n.a.	119	78	24	13	2	1	4	178	55	51	157	50	97	4	68	251
Nambucca	n.a.	100	108	19	24	4	1	3	202	69	34	107	27	68	9	49	219
Narrabri	n.a.	52	95	7	16	0	0	0	83	61	32	117	28	64	3	53	211
Narrandera	n.a.	39	21	4	5	2	0	1	42	24	18	40	20	32	0	7	80
Narromine	n.a.	56	75	10	18	1	0	1	61	74	18	84	10	45	2	20	155
Newcastle	n.a.	704	1,028	121	163	30	10	50	808	397	399	1,473	637	667	203	1,165	1,928
North Sydney	n.a.	127	163	19	44	8	0	3	217	121	59	277	95	259	60	662	420
Oberon	n.a.	17	22	7	4	0	0	0	20	15	9	23	4	9	1	14	45
Orange	n.a.	305	311	29	37	17	2	8	519	128	136	497	330	225	35	215	704
Palerang	n.a.	18	22	5	7	0	0	0	46	20	11	31	5	23	1	27	80
Parke	n.a.	98	98	20	19	1	0	0	73	45	30	100	22	96	2	72	222
Parramatta	n.a.	806	841	115	147	109	18	58	1,141	295	395	1,225	725	669	263	2,271	1,483
Penrith	n.a.	1,109	906	149	230	86	8	52	1,061	326	571	1,446	628	542	153	1,192	2,311
Pittwater	n.a.	90	167	16	29	9	0	4	105	29	46	266	68	99	29	231	373
Port Macquarie-Hastings	n.a.	319	364	46	74	12	2	6	215	130	113	289	136	301	33	271	622
Port Stephens	n.a.	321	249	31	75	4	2	10	376	125	175	333	155	244	24	237	745
Queanbeyan	n.a.	121	159	23	21	4	1	3	181	103	64	222	145	110	9	155	443
Randwick	n.a.	356	376	47	67	45	5	21	505	96	223	629	213	348	110	992	795
Richmond Valley	n.a.	129	125	22	29	5	1	2	132	126	44	133	45	105	10	72	262
Rockdale	n.a.	328	241	31	66	28	14	11	316	84	202	644	140	198	108	1,074	653
Ryde	n.a.	159	206	40	57	16	4	9	398	109	104	363	297	266	49	929	561
Shellharbour	n.a.	243	253	43	68	8	0	9	274	80	131	339	258	219	30	291	620
Shoalhaven	n.a.	373	441	100	91	19	5	16	621	225	198	702	320	340	31	347	1,065
Singleton	n.a.	82	78	24	31	2	1	3	146	45	77	196	66	123	7	65	197
Snowy River	n.a.	11	41	8	7	1	0	0	11	17	6	15	7	10	3	11	79
Strathfield	n.a.	117	139	16	29	19	8	17	229	46	92	285	54	114	65	443	324
Sutherland Shire	n.a.	426	467	78	121	28	1	9	625	186	306	905	347	418	87	933	1,565
Sydney	n.a.	1,026	3,234	176	331	310	13	131	910	673	416	2,151	2,233	1,194	1,904	6,804	3,030
Tamworth Regional	n.a.	355	377	51	90	25	1	9	472	140	129	436	189	244	13	275	932
Temora	n.a.	26	27	5	7	0	0	0	13	15	7	30	7	23	0	17	74
Tenterfield	n.a.	46	47	11	10	0	0	1	44	48	14	25	6	28	1	15	90
The Hills Shire	n.a.	279	278	58	68	18	4	8	595	135	136	691	284	307	47	913	824
Tumbarumba	n.a.	10	16	1	9	0	0	0	9	7	2	7	1	9	0	9	22
Tumut Shire	n.a.	59	42	16	12	0	0	0	22	21	20	37	17	38	1	13	129
Tweed	n.a.	408	326	64	59	18	2	6	303	161	208	472	177	251	25	461	722
Unincorporated Far West	n.a.	7	17	7	5	0	0	0	0	8	2	10	3	4	1	8	19
Upper Hunter Shire	n.a.	25	36	10	18	0	0	1	40	37	24	52	17	55	3	38	115
Upper Lachlan Shire	n.a.	15	16	2	4	0	0	0	16	8	3	7	1	14	0	8	56
Uralla	n.a.	15	18	4	2	0	0	0	20	17	9	10	1	15	1	8	40
Urana	n.a.	1	2	2	1	0	1	0	2	4	0	2	0	4	1	0	1
Wagga Wagga	n.a.	309	396	64	62	10	0	18	720	160	125	772	291	452	42	197	987
Wakool	n.a.	9	12	6	4	0	0	1	7	5	4	5	9	12	0	8	24
Walcha	n.a.	10	8	5	3	0	0	0	5	10	2	1	1	2	0	5	22
Walgett	n.a.	176	107	15	11	1	1	3	109	52	18	50	14	52	2	16	227
Warren	n.a.	25	27	5	4	0	2	0	20	13	9	9	10	17	1	7	91
Warringham	n.a.	253	315	46	52	15	0	3	294	123	113	444	381	257	50	608	740
Warrumbungle Shire	n.a.	49	54	14	20	0	0	1	38	26	7	44	9	51	1	26	102
Waverley	n.a.	146	292	16	46	10	1	3	198	46	115	302	477	304	78	793	531
Weddin	n.a.	10	6	1	1	0	0	0	13	7	1	1	0	10	0	7	26
Wellington	n.a.	70	78	20	22	2	0	3	196	58	20	87	20	71	2	18	228
Wentworth	n.a.	79	43	12	8	1	0	0	57	49	23	51	6	34	2	10	87
Willoughby	n.a.	72	137	18	47	14	0	0	180	67	32	229	388	111	65	516	340
Wingecarribee	n.a.	134	118	49	35	0	1	2	128	51	33	181	82	117	4	179	404
Wollondilly	n.a.	167	135	51	57	5	1	1	112	92	73	132	49	75	8	131	305
Wollongong	n.a.	752	961	152	186	49	8	46	905	343	483	1,356	594	707	133	975	1,946
Woollahra	n.a.	80	132	18	26	4	0	4	290	47	91	265	66	241	70	361	286
Wyong	n.a.	744	779	136	182	35	13	32	669	241	400	1,025	488	386	110	818	1,824
Yass Valley	n.a.	44	34	12	3	0	0	0	34	11	7	22	7	35	1	32	76
Young	n.a.	82	76	17	22	2	0	1	42	35	17	39	42	49	1	67	260
Prisons	n.a.	5	667	21	12	2	0	0	0	7	1	1	0	0	0	12	132
NSW	96	29,213	31,983	4,985	6,582	2,059	291	1,259	34,051	12,907	14,653	42,545	20,486	22,061	6,269	49,404	69,290

* 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/)

SECTION 3:

**METHODS OF PROCEEDINGS
AGAINST ALLEGED OFFENDERS**

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

<i>Type of process</i>	<i>Number of alleged offenders</i>		<i>Trend[^] over the last 24 months</i>	
	<i>over the 12 months to September 2014</i>	<i>over the 12 months to September 2015</i>	<i>Change</i>	<i>Annual percentage change</i>
Proceeded against to court:				
Bail Court Attendance Notice	59,025	56,309	-2,716	-4.6%
No-Bail Court Attendance Notice	3,257	4,010	753	23.1%
Future Court Attendance Notice	34,076	37,536	3,460	10.2%
Field Court Attendance Notice	42,062	45,909	3,847	Stable
All proceedings to court	138,420	143,764	5,344	Stable
Proceeded against other than to court:				
Youth Justice Conference	1,240	1,155	-85	Stable
Caution Young Offenders Act	7,178	7,073	-105	Stable
Cannabis/other drug caution	6,019	6,123	104	Stable
Criminal Infringement Notice	10,445	9,602	-843	-8.1%
Infringement Notice/ Public Safety Infringement Notice	627,811	630,737	2,926	Stable
Warnings	7,642	9,990	2,348	30.7%
All proceedings other than to court	660,335	664,680	4,345	Stable
All proceedings	798,755	808,444	9,689	Stable

[^] 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)¹. 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)². 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.

[3] Public willingness to report crime, however, is just one of the extraneous factors which can affect trends in recorded crime. Shifts in policing policy can also have a marked effect on the number of recorded drug offences, cases of offensive behaviour or of receiving stolen goods. For these offences, therefore, recorded rates probably do not accurately reflect actual rates. For this reason, the more detailed comparisons of crime rates and examination of trends in this document are restricted to offence categories which are more likely to be reported to, rather than detected by police.

[4] The interpretation of trends in official reports of crime can be considerably more difficult than the interpretation of trends in unemployment or inflation statistics. The ease with which recorded crime statistics can be misunderstood creates a temptation to offer an authoritative explanation for each major crime trend. Indeed, in many instances it is simply impossible to state with any assurance why a particular trend has appeared. This report, therefore, confines itself to identifying and describing trends in recorded crime, rather than explaining them.

[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.

1. Australian Bureau of Statistics 2014, 45300DO001_2012201306 *Crime Victimization, Australia, 2012-13*, Cat. No. 4530.0, ABS, Sydney.

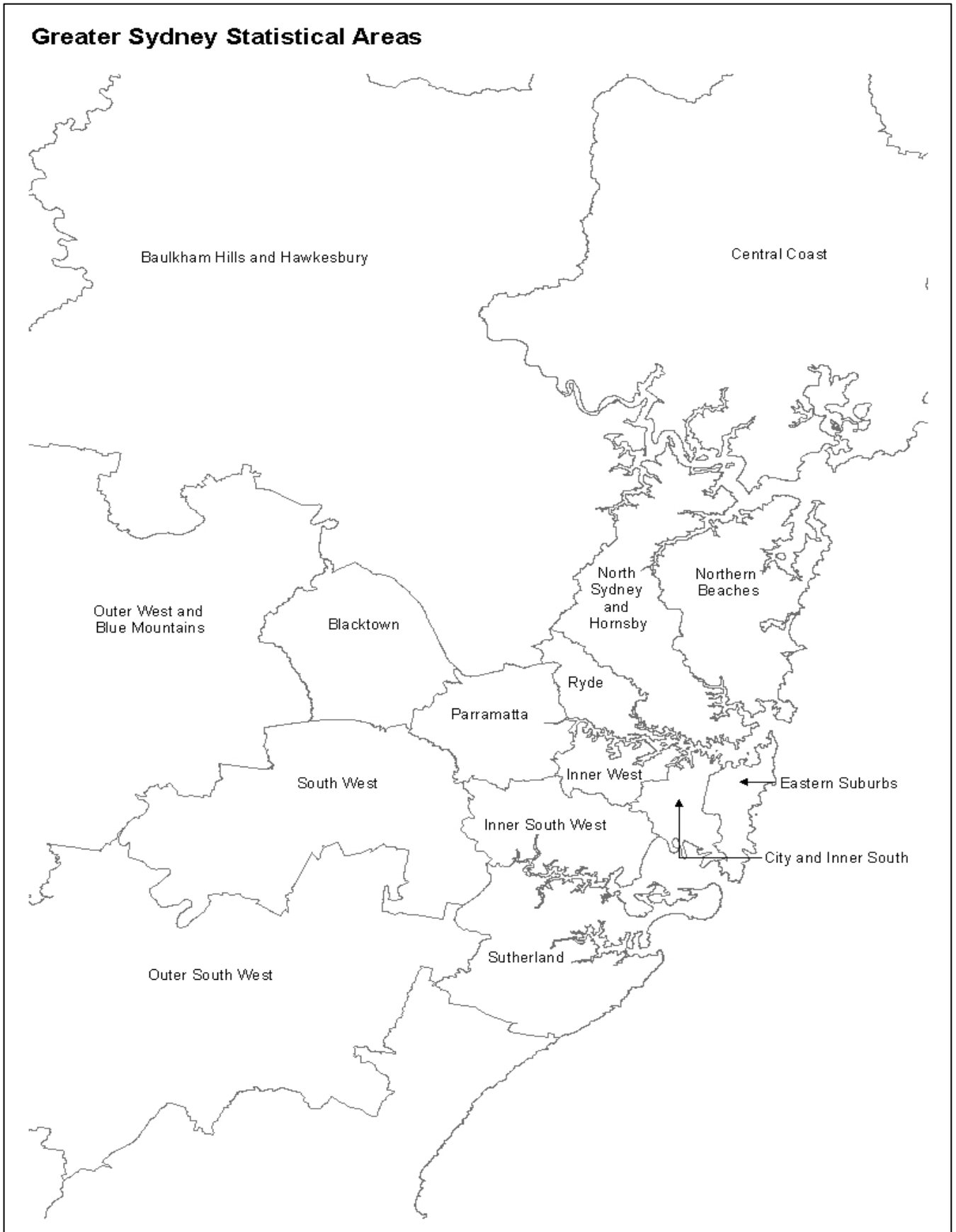
2. Australian Bureau of Statistics 2014, 45300DO001_2012201306 *Crime Victimization, Australia, 2012-13*, Tables 2 and 3, Cat. No. 4530.0, ABS, Sydney.

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**

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

Capital Region	Central West	Coffs Harbour - Grafton	Far West and Orana
Bega Valley	Bathurst Regional	Bellingen*	Bogan
Bombala	Bland*	Clarence Valley*	Bourke
Boorowa	Blayney	Coffs Harbour	Brewarrina
Cooma-Monaro*	Cabonne*		Broken Hill
Eurobodalla	Cowra		Central Darling
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*
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	Illawarra	Mid North Coast	Murray
Cessnock	Kiama*	Gloucester	Albury
Dungog	Shellharbour	Great Lakes*	Balranald
Maitland*	Wollongong	Greater Taree	Berrigan
Muswellbrook		Kempsey	Conargo
Port Stephens*		Lord Howe Island	Corowa Shire
Singleton*		Nambucca*	Deniliquin
Upper Hunter Shire*		Port Macquarie-Hastings	Greater Hume Shire*
			Hay
			Jerilderie*
			Murray
			Urana*
			Wakool
			Wentworth
New England and North West	Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	Richmond - Tweed	Riverina
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

Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven

Shoalhaven*
Wingecarribee*

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