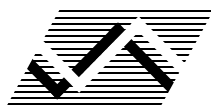


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## INTRODUCTION

This report deals with criminal cases finalised in 2010 in the New South Wales (NSW) Local, Children's, District and Supreme Courts. There are several improvements in the current report worth noting.

Corrective Services NSW and NSW Juvenile Justice custody data have been merged with court data to identify persons 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence' in the Local and Children's Court. These replace the generic 'in custody' status which was used in the 2009 publication, and are a return to the bail status categories used up to 2008. This process allows identification of persons 'bail refused' and 'in custody' for a prior offence for the first time in the Higher Court data (see new table 3.12).

In past reports data on breaches of orders made no distinction as to the type of order being breached. We can now separately identify breaches of suspended sentences, community service orders, supervised bonds and unsupervised bonds. The breach offence data in this publication cannot be directly compared to that in the 2009 publication, however the Summary Tables in this publication contain revised 2009 data and complete data for 2009 is available on request.

The current report contains a further three new tables. Table 2.6 shows the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons found guilty in finalised Children's Court appearances by penalty for principal offence. Table 2.8 shows the number of persons charged in finalised Children's Court appearances and duration of proceedings. Table 3.9 shows the number of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons found guilty in finalised trial and sentence appearances by penalty for principal offence. The inclusion of these tables brings the presentation of Children's and Higher Court information further into line with the presentation of Local Court data.

This is the first year in which data for all courts was sourced from the JusticeLink system, following its implementation in the Local and Children's Courts in the second half of 2009 and the Higher Courts in 2008. Significant problems were encountered with incomplete or inaccurate recording of ex parte convictions, plea and legal representation. These problems have resulted in a large number of cases where we know there was a finding of guilt but do not know whether this outcome followed a defended hearing or a plea of guilty. The number of affected cases is shown on pages 3 and 8. The JusticeLink system was upgraded in November 2010 to address these data quality concerns.

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# **NEW SOUTH WALES CRIMINAL COURTS**

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Executive Summary



**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS****PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES (TABLES 1.1 AND 1.2)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Total finalisations</b>		
Persons charged	133,240	120,662
Charges determined	240,734	246,983
<b>Persons most frequently charged with</b>		
Regulatory driving offences		
- Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	26,882	23,958
Assault		
- Common assault	16,832	16,813
Driver licence offences		
- Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	15,915	13,880
Possess and/or use illicit drugs		
- Possess illicit drugs	10,114	9,990
<b>Outcome of charges</b>		
Percentage proven		
- Accused present	72.7	71.8
- Conviction ex parte	9.4	6.9
Percentage receiving other outcomes	17.8	21.2

**PERSONS CHARGED (TABLES 1.3 TO 1.6)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>		
Number of defended hearings	17,688	18,338
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	13.3	15.2
Number of persons proven guilty where unable to tell if a defended hearing occurred or a guilty plea was entered	5,573	13,943
- Percentage of persons proven guilty where unable to tell if a defended hearing occurred or a guilty plea was entered	4.2	11.6
Number of persons found guilty	117,687	107,346
- Percentage of persons found guilty	88.3	89.0
<b>Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons charged	18,205	16,211
Number of defended hearings	2,982	2,994
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	16.4	18.5
Number of persons proven guilty where unable to tell if a defended hearing occurred or a guilty plea was entered	819	2325
- Percentage of persons proven guilty where unable to tell if a defended hearing occurred or a guilty plea was entered	4.5	14.3
Number of persons found guilty	15,651	14,232
- Percentage of persons found guilty	86.0	87.8
<b>Legal representation</b>		
Number of persons where legal representation not recorded	21,716	49,708
- Percentage of finalised appearances where legal representation not recorded	16.5	41.9

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued*

<b>Bail status</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Number of persons refused bail	8,608	7,012
- Percentage of persons refused bail	6.6	5.9
Number of persons granted bail	34,091	28,512
- Percentage of persons granted bail	25.9	24.0
Number of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	86,436	80,617
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	65.8	67.9

**PENALTIES (TABLES 1.7 TO 1.10)**

<b>Imprisonment</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	8,400	7,630
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	7.2	7.2

**Persons sentenced to imprisonment as a percentage of all persons found guilty**

Highest imprisonment rates (a)		
- Breach of custodial order offences	76.1	77.1
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	47.4	46.8
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	38.2	40.0

**Highest number of persons sentenced to imprisonment**

Assault	1,762	1,490
Driver licence offences	945	712
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	703	626

**Most frequently imposed principal penalty**

Fine	53,590	45,630
Bond without supervision	14,945	14,287
Bond without conviction	12,694	13,290

**Imprisonment - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons**

Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	3,070	2,927
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	19.8	20.9

**Persons sentenced to imprisonment as a percentage of all persons found guilty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons**

Highest imprisonment rates (b)		
- Breach of custodial order offences	82.8	87.6
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	63.9	59.6
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	49.1	57.4

**Highest number of persons sentenced to imprisonment – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons**

Assault	816	713
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	290	271
Breach of custodial order offences	183	240
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	234	219

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued*

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Fine	5,222	4,327
Imprisonment	3,070	2,927
Bond without supervision	2,103	1,978
<b>Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) (a)</b>		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.4	5.2
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	9.2	8.9
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	7.0	6.9
All offences	5.9	5.9
<b>Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (c)</b>		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.4	5.2
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	9.2	9.0
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.8	7.6
All offences	6.0	5.9

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY, BY AGE AND GENDER (TABLES 1.11, 1.11a AND 1.11b)**

<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Percentage male	79.9	79.6
Percentage female	20.1	20.4
<b>Proven offences for males and females (b)</b>		
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were male		
- Non-assaultive sexual offences	99.0	98.1
- Sexual assault	98.6	98.0
- Regulated weapons/explosives offences	93.6	93.7
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were female		
- Obtain benefit by deception	52.0	47.8
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	38.6	38.3
- Other fraud and deception offences	37.5	37.0
<b>Average age of persons found guilty</b>		
All persons	33.5	33.7
- Male	33.4	33.6
- Female	33.9	34.1
<b>Average age of all persons found guilty of specific offences (b)</b>		
Highest average age		
- Non-assaultive sexual offences	43.3	44.5
- Offences against government operations	45.0	43.9
- Commercial/industry/financial regulation	42.8	42.9
Lowest average age		
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	27.8	26.8
- Disorderly conduct	28.6	28.6
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	29.3	29.2
- Property damage	29.4	29.7

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued***COURT DELAY (TABLE 1.12)**

<b>Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Defended hearing, on bail	123.0	119.0
- All charges dismissed	131.0	130.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	118.0	109.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, on bail	104.0	106.0
Defended hearing, bail refused	94.0	91.0
- All charges dismissed	48.0	75.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	116.0	91.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	101.0	76.5

**PRIOR OFFENCES (TABLE 1.13)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences since 2001</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Average (all offences)	42.9	41.8
Highest (b)		
- Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	60.8	60.3
- Sexual assault and related offences	57.2	59.9
- Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	50.6	55.9
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	15.2	16.0
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	25.0	20.9
- Theft and related offences	28.2	26.5

**APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs) GRANTED (TABLE 1.14)**

<b>Number of AVOs granted (NSW)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Domestic AVOs	24,304	24,378
Personal AVOs	7,885	7,325
<b>Rate of AVOs granted (c)</b>		
NSW rates		
Domestic AVOs	340.7	341.7
Personal AVOs	110.5	102.7
Highest rates		
Domestic AVOs		
- Far West (SD)	1,390.2	1,315.4
- North Western (SD)	758.4	776.1
Personal AVOs		
- Far West (SD)	483.9	395.9
- North Western (SD)	295.3	294.4
Lowest rates		
Domestic AVOs		
- Central Northern Sydney (SSD)	81.1	79.5
- Lower Northern Sydney (SSD)	102.6	98.4
Personal AVOs		
- Central Northern Sydney (SSD)	21.6	18.7
- Lower Northern Sydney (SSD)	26.4	25.5



**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued***REGION (TABLES 1.15 AND 1.16)**

<b>Regional rate of court appearance (c)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Largest decreases		
- Central Coast (SSD)	1,973.1	1,631.9
- Blacktown (SSD)	2,265.9	1,963.3
Largest increases		
- Far West (SD)	2,692.4	2,758.3
- North Western (SD)	2,739.3	2,770.5
<b>Highest regional rate of persons found guilty for selected offence categories with the corresponding NSW rates (c)</b>		
Acts intended to cause injury		
- Far West (SD)	567.5	589.5
- NSW	218.1	214.6
Sexual assault and related offences (d)		
- North Western (SD)	9.3	12.7
- NSW	5.1	5.1
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter (d)		
- North Western (SD)	32.1	27.8
- NSW	16.9	14.6
Theft and related offences		
- Inner Sydney (SSD)	204.3	191.5
- NSW	82.8	77.6
Fraud, deception and related offences		
- Inner Sydney (SSD)	72.2	66.5
- NSW	45.2	43.1
Illicit drug offences		
- Inner Sydney (SSD)	268.6	268.0
- NSW	106.9	105.4
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences		
- North Western (SD)	832.7	857.1
- NSW	667.5	572.2

(a) Excludes offences with less than 450 persons convicted in 2010.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in 2010.

(c) Rate per 100,000 population. The 2009 rates and the 2010 rates were calculated using the population figures for the year 2009.

(d) Excludes Statistical Divisions (SDs) with less than 10 persons convicted in 2010.

**SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT****PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES (TABLES 2.1)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Total finalisations</b>		
Persons charged	9,616	8,630
Charges determined	23,181	24,599

**Persons most frequently charged with**

Assault		
- Common assault	1,734	1,720
Property damage		
- Property damage, other	1,801	1,607

**PERSONS CHARGED (TABLES 2.2 TO 2.4)****Outcome of appearance**

Number of defended hearings	2,016	1,661
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	21.0	19.2
Number of persons proven guilty where unable to tell if a defended hearing occurred or a guilty plea was entered	713	2,124
- Percentage of finalised appearances where unable to tell if a defended hearing occurred or a guilty plea was entered	7.4	24.6
Number of persons found guilty	7,643	7,415
- Percentage of persons found guilty	79.5	85.9

**Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons**

Number of persons charged	3,570	3,237
Number of defended hearings	794	648
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	22.2	20.0
Number of persons found guilty	2,834	2,804
- Percentage of persons found guilty	79.4	86.6

**Bail Status**

Number of persons refused bail	1,499	1,134
- Percentage of persons refused bail	15.6	13.1
Number of persons granted bail	4,640	4,043
- Percentage of persons granted bail	48.3	46.8
Number of persons where bail not required or bail dispensed with	3,306	3,128
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	34.4	36.2

**SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT** *continued***PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (TABLES 2.5 AND 2.6)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty</b>		
- Bond	2,364	2,484
- Probation Order	1,472	1,383
- Dismissed with Caution	1,078	977
- Other proven outcomes	806	882
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	30.9	33.5
- Probation Order	19.3	18.7
- Dismissed with Caution	14.1	13.2
- Other proven outcomes	10.5	11.9
 <b>Control orders</b>		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	822	805
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	10.8	10.9
 <b>Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty (a)</b>		
Highest rates		
- Breach of custodial order offences	65.2	77.1
- Robbery	23.6	22.2
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	18.5	19.9
 <b>Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order</b>		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	193	191
- Assault	142	136
- Robbery	138	114
 <b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
- Bond	889	880
- Probation Order	552	556
- Control Order	486	490
- Dismissed with Caution	291	295
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	31.4	31.4
- Probation Order	19.5	19.8
- Control Order	17.2	17.5
- Dismissed with Caution	10.3	10.5
 <b>Control orders – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	486	490
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	17.2	17.5

**SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT** *continued***PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (TABLES 2.5 AND 2.6)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)</b>		
Highest rates		
- Breach of custodial order offences	62.5	79.1
- Robbery	32.9	36.0
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	26.3	28.1
<b>Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	142	139
- Assault	91	77
- Robbery	56	54

**AGE AND GENDER OF DEFENDANTS (TABLES 2.7, 2.7a AND 2.7b)**

<b>Males within age group as a percentage of all males appearing</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
10 to 12	1.4	1.6
13	3.5	3.3
14	9.1	8.6
15	16.7	16.5
16	22.3	23.6
17	28.4	27.3
18 and over	18.6	19.1
<b>Females within age group as a percentage of all females appearing</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
10 to 12	1.5	1.3
13	4.8	6.1
14	14.1	13.0
15	18.3	22.0
16	26.5	24.8
17	21.6	20.8
18 and over	13.1	12.0
<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Percentage male	81.7	80.7
Percentage female	18.3	19.3
<b>Offences charged for males and females (a)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were male		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	92.6	90.8
- Driver licence offences	86.4	88.1
- Possess and/or use illicit drugs	87.6	87.8
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were female		
- Assault	27.0	29.2
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	28.3	28.4
- Disorderly conduct	17.0	17.5

**SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT** *continued***COURT DELAY (TABLE 2.8)**

<b>Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Defended hearing, on bail	123.0	136.0
- All charges dismissed	120.0	132.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	129.0	135.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, on bail	105.0	119.0
Defended hearing, bail refused	113.0	104.5
- All charges dismissed	87.0	78.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	131.5	107.5
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	89.0	79.0

**PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES (TABLE 2.9)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences since 2001</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Average (all offences)	44.4	45.1
Highest (b)		
- Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	54.6	56.8
- Robbery, extortion and related offences	57.4	56.3
- Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	55.9	55.9
Lowest (b)		
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and	34.7	28.0
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	33.7	37.8
- Theft and related offences	37.1	40.7

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(a) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in 2010.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 50 persons convicted in 2010.

**SUMMARY - HIGHER COURTS****REGISTRATIONS (TABLE 3.1)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Total persons registered</b>		
Higher Courts	3,681	3,809
- Supreme Court	100	111
- District Court	3,581	3,698
<b>Persons registered in trial cases</b>		
Higher Courts	1,861	1,912
- Supreme Court	91	98
- District Court	1,770	1,814
<b>Persons registered in sentence cases</b>		
Higher Courts	1,820	1,897
- Supreme Court	9	13
- District Court	1,811	1,884
<b>Percentage of total persons registered in trial cases</b>		
Higher Courts	50.6	50.2
- Supreme Court	91.0	88.3
- District Court	49.4	49.1

**FINALISATIONS (TABLES 3.2 TO 3.4)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Persons</b>		
Total	3,704	3,474
- Committed for trial and finalised by any means	2,022	1,896
- Committed for sentence and finalised	1,682	1,578
<b>Persons proceeded against to trial</b>		
Higher Courts	651	635
- Supreme Court	45	59
- District Court	606	576
<b>Persons committed for trial proceeded against to sentence only</b>		
Higher Courts	1,089	1,016
- Supreme Court	44	30
- District Court	1,045	986
<b>Most frequently charged offence</b>		
Sexual assault and related offences		
- Aggravated sexual assault	2,093	2,200
Fraud, deception and related offences		
- Obtain benefit by deception	662	1,008
Robbery, extortion and related offences		
- Aggravated robbery	924	997
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	991	970

**SUMMARY - HIGHER COURTS** *continued***NUMBER OF OFFENCES CHARGED (TABLE 3.5)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Higher Courts</b>		
Percentage of persons charged with one offence	33.4	32.8
Percentage of persons charged with two offences	24.4	23.7

**OUTCOME FOR PERSONS (TABLE 3.6 and 3.7)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Percentage of persons proceeding to trial</b>		
Higher Courts	17.6	18.3
- Supreme Court	42.1	57.8
- District Court	16.8	17.1

**Percentage of persons proceeding to sentence only**

Higher Courts	74.2	74.2
- Supreme Court	50.5	37.3
- District Court	74.9	75.4

**Percentage of persons found guilty**

- Higher Courts	84.5	84.2
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**Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to trial**

Higher Courts	14.2	14.1
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**Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to sentence only**

Higher Courts	77.4	79.3
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**Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons found guilty**

- Higher Courts	86.2	86.5
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**PENALTIES (TABLES 3.8 AND 3.9)**

	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty</b>		
Imprisonment	2,178	2,048
Suspended sentence	488	514
Bond	193	217

**Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties)**

Imprisonment	70.3	70.0
Suspended sentence	15.7	17.6
Bond	6.2	7.4

**Most frequently imposed principal penalty - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons**

Imprisonment	495	458
Suspended sentence	59	72
Bond	24	45

**Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties) - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons**

Imprisonment	82.8	77.9
Suspended sentence	9.9	12.2
Bond	4.0	7.7

**SUMMARY - HIGHER COURTS** *continued***PENALTIES (TABLE 3.10)**

<b>Average duration of imprisonment for most frequently charged offences (months)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Average (All offences)	30.6	30.9
Sexual assault	36.8	39.0
Obtain benefit by deception	20.2	21.1
Robbery	25.5	25.4
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	22.0	20.5
Assault	26.8	25.0

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY BY AGE AND GENDER (TABLES 3.11, 3.11a AND 3.11b)**

<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Percentage male	89.3	90.0
Percentage female	10.7	10.0
<b>Average age of persons found guilty</b>		
Male	30.6	30.4
Female	33.6	32.5
<b>Average age of persons found guilty by specific offences (a)</b>		
Highest average age		
- Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	40.0	39.7
- Sexual assault	35.0	34.4
Lowest average age		
- Robbery	24.4	24.4
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	28.2	26.9

**BAIL STATUS (TABLE 3.12)**

<b>Persons in refused bail</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Number of persons refused bail	1,218	1,159
Percentage of persons refused bail	32.9	33.4
<b>Outcome for persons refused bail</b>		
Number of persons with guilty outcome	1,140	1,065
Percentage of persons with guilty outcome	93.6	91.9

**COURT DELAY (TABLES 3.13a TO 3.13h)**

<b>District Courts - Median delay, committal to outcome (days)</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
On bail, proceeded to trial	252.0	239.0
- Acquitted of all charges	247.0	211.0
- Found guilty of at least one charge	274.0	286.0
On bail, proceeded to sentence only	148.0	147.0
On bail, no charges proceeded with	214.0	215.0
Bail refused, proceeded to trial	212.0	196.0
- Acquitted of all charges	190.0	157.5
- Found guilty of at least one charge	218.0	209.0
Bail refused, proceeded to sentence only	138.0	135.0
Bail refused, no charges proceeded with	148.0	189.0



**SUMMARY - HIGHER COURTS** *continued***PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES (TABLE 3.14)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences since 2001</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Average (all offences)	29.4	30.8
Highest (b)		
- Fraud, deception and related offences	60.7	61.3
- Sexual assault and related offences	52.2	55.2
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	12.0	10.9
- Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	24.6	16.4

**APPEALS (TABLE 3.15) (c)**

<b>Appeals against severity of sentence</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>
Number of appeals finalised	6,043	5,710
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	62.6	62.8
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	28.1	26.9
<b>Appeals against conviction and sentence</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	1,448	1,533
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	26.0	28.7
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	68.8	65.3
<b>Appeals against inadequacy of sentence</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	27	28
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	74.1	53.6
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	25.9	32.1
<b>Appeals against Apprehended Violence Orders</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	170	177
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	22.9	26.0
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	72.9	71.2

(a) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in 2010.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 50 persons convicted in 2010.

(c) This table includes cases where companies and persons are the appellant.



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**SECTION 1:  
NEW SOUTH WALES  
LOCAL COURTS**

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Tables

TABLE 1.1

**PERSONS CHARGED AND NUMBER OF CHARGES IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF OFFENCE CHARGED (a)**

<i>Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>			
Murder		0	0
Attempted murder		0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death		0	0
Driving causing death		49	51
<b>Total</b>		49	51
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
Assault		9,112	10,806
Serious assault resulting in injury		2,491	3,201
Serious assault not resulting in injury		16,813	20,089
Common assault		4,764	5,616
Stalking		86	95
Other acts intended to cause injury, other		26,151	39,807
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
Sexual assault		539	1,128
Non-assaultive sexual offences		98	144
Aggravated sexual assault		0	0
Non-aggravated sexual assault		96	287
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child		0	0
Child pornography offences		52	81
Sexual servitude offences		748	1,640
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other		298	849
<b>Total</b>			
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle		1,168	1,199
Driving under the influence of alcohol or other substance		5,448	6,455
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle		42	51
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care		60	65
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other		6,467	7,770
<b>Total</b>			

<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>			
Abduction and kidnapping		1	1
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment		1	2
Harassment and threatening behaviour		30	35
Threatening behaviour		1,539	2,135
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,564</b>	<b>2,173</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>			
Robbery	Aggravated robbery	55	65
	Non-aggravated robbery	92	104
Blackmail and extortion	Blackmail and extortion	4	6
<b>Total</b>		<b>145</b>	<b>175</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>			
<b>Theft and related offences</b>			
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	Theft of a motor vehicle	120	143
	Illegal use of a motor vehicle	905	1,092
	Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	0	0
	Theft from a person (excluding by force)	334	387
Theft (except motor vehicles)	Theft of intellectual property	34	637
	Theft from retail premises	3,183	4,511
	Theft (except motor vehicles), other	3,159	4,569
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4,133	6,573
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>10,112</b>	<b>17,912</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>			
Obtain benefit by deception	Obtain benefit by deception	3,161	13,102
Forgery and counterfeiting	Counterfeiting of currency	17	26
	Forgery of documents	360	2,049
	Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	11	15
Deceptive business/government practices	Fraudulent trade practices	33	124
	Misrepresentation of professional status	101	131
	Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	1	1
Other fraud and deception offences	Dishonest conversion	577	2,239
	Other fraud and deception offences, other	626	1,030
<b>Total</b>		<b>4,523</b>	<b>18,717</b>

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<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> No.
	No.	No.	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>			
Import or export illicit drugs		12	17
Export illicit drugs		1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs		0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity		1,112	1,450
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity		22	24
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs		880	901
Cultivate illicit drugs		9,990	11,811
Possess illicit drugs		305	310
Use illicit drugs		752	790
Other illicit drug offences		10,897	15,304
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences		0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives		572	800
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives		61	72
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other		708	1,369
Regulated weapons/explosives offences		588	789
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives		10	25
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives		26	147
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences		1,411	3,202
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other			
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
Property damage		161	263
Property damage by fire or explosion		133	244
Graffiti		9,073	11,108
Property damage, other		0	0
Environmental pollution		42	48
Air pollution offences		39	48
Water pollution offences		6	6
Noise pollution offences		233	260
Soil pollution offences		9,627	11,977
Environmental pollution, other			
<b>Total</b>			

<b>Public order offences</b>		
Disorderly conduct	2,325	2,654
	1,297	1,513
	2,634	2,835
	12	12
	36	113
Regulated public order offences	1,377	1,668
	14	151
	39	41
	225	264
	2	2
	33	34
Offensive conduct	2,487	2,552
	3,714	4,012
	0	0
	163	672
<b>Total</b>	<b>12,337</b>	<b>16,523</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>		
Driver licence offences	13,880	15,768
	8,240	9,076
	234	270
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	5,861	6,812
	0	0
Regulatory driving offences	23,958	24,374
	0	0
	0	0
	8,982	10,081
Pedestrian offences	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>48,316</b>	<b>66,381</b>

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<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>			
Breach of custodial order offences	140	148	
Escape custody offences		0	
Breach of home detention	1,135	1,951	
Breach of suspended sentence	26	31	
Breach of community-based orders not further defined (f)	1,572	2,604	
Breach of community service order	0	0	
Breach of parole	1,123	1,417	
Breach of bail	1,744	2,837	
Breach of bond - supervised (g)	2,755	3,808	
Breach of bond - unsupervised (g)	350	1,494	
Breach of community-based order, other	6,858	9,029	
Breach of violence order	0	0	
Breach of non-violence orders			
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders			
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	96	149	
Offences against government operations			
Bribery involving government officials	4	6	
Immigration offences	4	7	
Offences against government operations, other	726	3,530	
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	0	0	
Offences against government security, other	7	9	
Subvert the course of justice	145	228	
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	6,216	7,481	
Prison regulation offences	241	290	
Offences against justice procedures, other	523	620	
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,055</b>	<b>35,639</b>	



<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>	
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	0
Defamation and libel	0
Offences against privacy	6
Sanitation offences	0
Disease prevention offences	0
Occupational health and safety offences	9
Transport regulation offences	89
Dangerous substances offences	2
Licit drug offences	1,110
Public health and safety offences, other	912
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	778
Other miscellaneous offences	217
Environmental regulation offences	7
Bribery excluding government officials	2
Quarantine offences	71
Import/export regulations	0
Procure or commit illegal abortion	379
Other miscellaneous offences, other	3,536
<b>Total</b>	<b>120,662</b>
<b>Grand total (h)</b>	<b>246,983</b>

(a) All ASOC group categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table.

(b) Persons charged counts the number of people charged with the specified offence. A person who is charged with more than one offence within an offence group (for example, a person charged with both theft of a motor vehicle and theft from retail premises) is counted only once in the offence division total.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(d) PCA-high - 3,932 persons appearing and 3,992 charges; PCA-medium - 10,742 persons appearing and 10,885 charges; PCA-low - 7,379 persons appearing and 7,507 charges; PCA-special - 1,698 persons appearing and 1,771 charges.

(e) These offences are excluded from this table because they are proceeded against by infringement notice and so are not in scope of this collection.

(f) Includes breaches of bonds where it was not possible to tell whether the bond was supervised or unsupervised.

(g) These ASOC group categories are labelled 'Breach of bond - probation' and 'Breach of bond - other' respectively in the ASOC 2008 group categories.

(h) The grand total is a count of the total number of distinct persons charged in Local Court appearances finalised. For 'charges', all totals simply sum over the offence categories.

**TABLE 1.2****CHARGES IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF CHARGE**

<b>Outcome of charge</b>	<b>Charges</b>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Offence proven:</b>		
Conviction	177,410	71.8
Conviction ex parte (a)	17,091	6.9
<b>Other outcomes:</b>		
Dismissed after hearing	11,159	4.5
Dismissed Mental Health (Forensic Provisions) Act	4,466	1.8
Adjourned to Drug Court	813	0.3
Stood out of list	148	0.1
Death of accused	254	0.1
Withdrawn - no evidence offered	33,577	13.6
Taken into account when sentencing principal offence	2,065	0.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>246,983</b>	<b>100.0</b>

*(a) Persons convicted in their absence are not as well recorded in JusticeLink as in previous systems. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.*

**TABLE 1.3****PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	6,053	5.0
Guilty of at least one charge	11,049	9.2
Other (a)	1,236	1.0
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	13,943	11.6
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	70,155	58.1
<b>Convicted ex parte (c)</b>	10,963	9.1
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	6,919	5.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	344	0.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>120,662</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**TABLE 1.4****ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS  
CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	860	5.3
Guilty of at least one charge	1,855	11.4
Other (a)	279	1.7
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	2,325	14.3
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	8,418	51.9
<b>Convicted ex parte (c)</b>	1,355	8.4
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	1,085	6.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	34	0.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,211</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing: Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

(c) Persons convicted in their absence are not as well recorded in JusticeLink as in previous systems. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

TABLE 1.5

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE, LEGAL REPRESENTATION**

Outcome of appearance	Legal representation								
	Represented		Not represented		Unknown (a)		Total		
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>									
All charges dismissed	3,000	7.3	1,035	3.7	1,984	4.0	6,019	5.1	
Guilty of at least one charge	3,904	9.5	1,987	7.1	5,010	10.1	10,901	9.2	
Other (b)	557	1.4	170	0.6	506	1.0	1,233	1.0	
<b>Proven outcome not further described (c)</b>	2,450	5.9	1,771	6.4	9,524	19.2	13,745	11.6	
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	27,771	67.4	19,508	70.1	22,202	44.7	69,481	58.5	
<b>Convicted ex parte (d)</b>	813	2.0	2,172	7.8	7,446	15.0	10,431	8.8	
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	2,674	6.5	1,162	4.2	2,785	5.6	6,621	5.6	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	54	0.1	37	0.1	251	0.5	342	0.3	
<b>Total</b>	<b>41,223</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>27,842</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>49,708</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>118,773</b>	<b>100.0</b>	

(a) Legal representation was not recorded for the majority of defendants in the JusticeLink system. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

(b) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing: Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(c) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

(d) Persons convicted in their absence are not as well recorded in JusticeLink as in previous systems. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,889 companies.

TABLE 1.6

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE, BAIL STATUS**

Outcome of appearance	Bail status											
	Bail not required or bail dispensed with		On bail		Bail refused		In custody, prior offence		Unknown		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>												
All charges dismissed	2,457	3.0	3,146	11.0	266	3.8	87	4.6	63	8.4	6,019	5.1
Guilty of at least one charge	4,641	5.8	4,478	15.7	1,375	19.6	340	18.0	67	9.0	10,901	9.2
Other (a)	364	0.5	642	2.3	176	2.5	44	2.3	7	0.9	1,233	1.0
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	10,107	12.5	2,079	7.3	1,181	16.8	270	14.3	108	14.5	13,745	11.6
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	50,319	62.4	14,041	49.2	3,706	52.9	1,021	54.1	394	52.8	69,481	58.5
<b>Convicted ex parte (c)</b>	9,469	11.7	916	3.2	-	-	-	-	46	6.2	10,431	8.8
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	3,135	3.9	3,156	11.1	172	2.5	98	5.2	60	8.0	6,621	5.6
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	125	0.2	54	0.2	136	1.9	26	1.4	1	0.1	342	0.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>80,617</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>28,512</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7,012</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,886</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>746</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>118,773</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing : Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

(c) Persons convicted in their absence are not as well recorded in JusticeLink as in previous systems. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,889 companies.

TABLE 1.7

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence																Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Conviction without bond	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded		
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																	
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	-	-	-	2	5	3	1	11	-	-	1	7	2	33		
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	-	2	5	3	1	11	-	-	1	7	2	33		
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																	
Assault	1,490	2	81	12	711	371	657	1,973	3,746	2,018	5	83	2,251	395	13,795		
Other acts intended to cause injury	313	-	9	-	111	65	90	415	793	204	4	10	249	26	2,289		
<b>Total</b>	1,803	2	90	12	822	436	747	2,388	4,539	2,222	9	93	2,500	421	16,084		
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																	
Sexual assault	87	-	3	-	45	13	8	51	67	13	-	1	10	2	300		
Non-assaultive sexual offences	32	-	3	-	18	8	3	17	10	7	-	-	5	-	103		
<b>Total</b>	119	-	6	-	63	21	11	68	77	20	-	1	15	2	403		
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	71	-	3	-	37	10	3	24	16	2	-	-	4	1	171		
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	127	9	26	1	53	70	157	115	386	2,175	-	59	198	320	3,696		
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1	-	-	-	3	1	1	2	5	19	-	-	11	1	44		
<b>Total</b>	128	9	26	1	56	71	158	117	391	2,194	-	59	209	321	3,740		
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																	
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1		
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Harassment and threatening behaviour	93	-	2	-	35	25	35	99	185	122	1	6	66	16	685		
<b>Total</b>	93	-	2	-	35	25	35	99	185	123	1	6	66	16	686		

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	28	2	1	-	9	3	10	5	12	-	-	70
Blackmail and extortion	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>72</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
	626	2	11	1	124	73	137	129	164	16	7	1,339
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	193	-	3	1	32	18	33	55	84	34	3	482
Theft (except motor vehicles)	564	6	6	5	145	101	128	358	528	1,363	6	3,789
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	303	1	5	1	37	59	65	210	366	535	2	1,761
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,060</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>978</b>	<b>1,932</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6,032</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	269	38	26	1	79	171	390	130	785	249	2	2,393
Forgery and counterfeiting	36	6	3	1	9	19	20	15	60	16	-	200
Deceptive business/government practices	1	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	5	53	-	76
Other fraud and deception offences	36	8	12	-	12	23	47	30	130	170	-	583
<b>Total</b>	<b>342</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>980</b>	<b>488</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3,252</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	3	-	9
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	161	3	4	-	82	66	49	89	123	37	-	635
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	20	-	-	-	27	20	19	73	186	268	-	706
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	71	-	1	-	19	21	25	222	332	3,900	8	6,576
Other illicit drug offences	3	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	5	61	-	89
<b>Total</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>4,269</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8,015</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	23	-	-	-	16	6	11	11	54	115	-	336
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	36	-	2	-	9	9	6	8	53	185	1	504
<b>Total</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>840</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	143	1	3	1	59	33	121	343	568	1,515	3	3,812
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	157	-	185
<b>Total</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>1,672</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3,997</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	299	3	8	2	109	72	131	207	449	594	2	2,258
Regulated public order offences	9	-	-	-	2	-	1	17	19	365	-	599
Offensive conduct	33	-	1	-	4	14	14	59	166	1,389	2	2,076
<b>Total</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>2,348</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4,933</b>

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence																Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>																	
Driver licence offences	712	44	109	13	292	573	924	302	1,536	8,444	-	285	2,036	1,562	-	16,832	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1,235	-	125	9	496	-	1,867	
Regulatory driving offences	222	34	60	2	265	219	635	691	1,704	15,827	-	180	4,503	1,141	-	25,483	
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	934	78	169	15	557	792	1,560	993	3,241	25,506	-	590	6,548	3,199	-	44,182	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>																	
Breach of custodial order offences	575	29	82	9	13	12	7	4	6	5	-	2	2	-	-	746	
Breach of community-based order	466	4	46	10	245	256	272	452	426	390	14	50	14	18	-	2,663	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	459	1	8	-	179	124	136	489	799	698	10	173	299	171	-	3,546	
Offences against government operations	3	-	1	-	-	1	3	3	14	495	-	3	20	97	-	640	
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	
Offences against justice procedures	154	2	3	-	43	32	42	144	431	1,510	4	76	289	194	-	2,924	
<b>Total</b>	1,657	36	140	19	480	425	460	1,092	1,676	3,098	28	304	625	481	-	10,521	
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>																	
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Public health and safety offences	28	-	1	-	4	2	2	24	54	787	1	52	62	178	-	1,195	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	420	-	2	3	90	-	519	
Other miscellaneous offences	10	-	-	-	1	1	8	6	20	235	-	4	31	37	-	353	
<b>Total</b>	38	-	1	-	5	4	10	30	77	1,442	1	58	96	305	-	2,067	
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>7,630</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>2,794</b>	<b>2,491</b>	<b>4,195</b>	<b>6,755</b>	<b>14,287</b>	<b>45,630</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>1,821</b>	<b>13,290</b>	<b>6,463</b>	<b>106,196</b>		

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,123 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 2 persons who were ordered to pay compensation and 25 persons who received a licence disqualification as their only penalty.



TABLE 1.7a

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY OF DRUG OFFENCES IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF DRUG AND PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of drug and principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	Total	
<b>Opiates</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	51	2	2	20	13	4	10	13	5	-	-	-	-	120	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	18	-	-	3	1	1	32	30	224	1	30	22	10	372	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	-	2	1	-	27	
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>520</b>	
<b>Cannabis</b>															
Import illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	3	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	66	1	2	42	35	25	57	67	16	-	-	7	-	318	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	4	
Cultivate illicit drugs	16	-	-	26	20	18	70	185	267	-	3	67	23	695	
Possess illicit drugs	37	-	-	12	10	15	129	191	2,573	5	159	276	217	3,624	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	10	-	1	2	1	15	
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	4	
<b>Total</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>2,872</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>4,663</b>	

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded		
<b>Hallucinogens</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	30	-	1	11	10	55	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	30	-	1	11	10	56	
<b>Amphetamines</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	33	-	-	14	8	8	9	17	5	-	1	1	1	96	
Manufacture illicit drugs	3	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	13	-	1	2	7	8	38	66	482	1	21	160	74	873	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	2	-	-	6	
Illicit drug offences, other	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	5	
<b>Total</b>	51	-	1	17	15	17	48	84	492	1	24	161	75	986	

<b>Barbiturates</b>										
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	1	1	27	1	29	4	63	63
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	1	28	1	29	5	66	66
<b>Cocaine</b>										
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	3
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	5	-	2	3	6	1	1	-	19	19
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	8	9	125	8	132	39	321	321
Use illicit drugs	-	1	-	-	3	1	2	-	7	7
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	5	1	11	15	130	9	135	39	350	350
<b>Ecstasy</b>										
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	3	-	2	5	7	10	58	-	58	58
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	8	27	336	13	493	223	1,101	1,101
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	3	2	14	45	344	13	503	223	1,161	1,161

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	Total	
<b>Other drug</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	-	5	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	3	-	-	1	-	7	
<b>Unknown</b>															
Import illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	3	-	4	3	1	3	1	3	3	-	1	-	-	19	
Manufacture illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	3	-	-	2	1	4	5	5	59	1	9	16	6	106	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Illicit drug offences, other	1	-	-	1	1	4	5	55	55	-	2	3	7	79	
<b>Total</b>	9	-	4	6	3	11	11	117	117	1	12	19	13	206	
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>4,269</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>1,235</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>8,015</b>	

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

TABLE 1.8

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	713	-	17	1	247	97	152	491	535	265	-	17	130	21	2,686
Other acts intended to cause injury	140	-	1	-	44	12	26	84	139	24	-	2	19	1	492
<b>Total</b>	853	-	18	1	291	109	178	575	674	289	-	19	149	22	3,178
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	12	-	1	-	11	1	1	5	6	2	-	-	-	-	39
Non-assaultive sexual offences	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	14	-	1	-	12	1	1	5	6	2	-	-	-	-	42
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	6	-	-	-	7	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	18
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	28	1	3	-	4	3	5	18	23	76	-	2	5	1	169
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	28	1	3	-	4	3	5	18	24	77	-	2	5	1	171
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	47	-	-	-	16	3	11	22	31	30	-	-	1	1	162
<b>Total</b>	47	-	-	-	16	3	11	22	31	30	-	-	1	1	162

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>															
Robbery	8	-	-	-	4	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	14
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>455</b>
<b>Theft and related offences</b>															
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	89	-	-	-	12	5	7	20	13	5	-	1	1	2	155
Theft (except motor vehicles)	210	-	1	1	36	21	27	76	99	208	4	15	16	7	721
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	117	-	-	-	5	14	10	59	74	102	-	4	7	1	393
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,269</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>															
Obtain benefit by deception	39	1	-	-	6	9	15	12	42	20	1	1	4	1	151
Forgery and counterfeiting	5	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	3	1	-	-	1	-	15
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	-	4
Other fraud and deception offences	2	-	1	-	1	1	3	1	5	22	-	-	2	1	39
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>209</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>															
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	49	1	-	-	11	11	3	13	17	4	-	-	4	-	113
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	3	-	-	-	2	-	2	7	19	31	-	-	3	-	67
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	26	-	-	-	5	2	5	35	49	609	3	69	28	33	864
Other illicit drug offences	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	10	-	-	-	-	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>1,057</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>															
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	8	-	-	-	3	-	2	2	5	3	-	-	1	2	26
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	7	-	-	-	3	-	1	1	5	12	1	1	4	2	37
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>63</b>

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>															
Property damage	61	1	1	-	23	8	28	105	122	288	1	30	50	22	740
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>299</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>751</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>															
Disorderly conduct	141	-	1	1	38	21	20	63	90	131	2	22	25	10	565
Regulated public order offences	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	49	-	3	1	3	65
Offensive conduct	18	-	-	-	2	2	4	23	57	433	2	28	27	23	619
<b>Total</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>613</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1,249</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>															
Driver licence offences	183	6	14	1	78	101	101	46	157	781	-	43	137	87	1,735
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79	-	8	1	6	94
Regulatory driving offences	44	5	3	-	32	21	53	87	117	594	-	8	69	7	1,040
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>2,869</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>															
Breach of custodial order offences	240	5	18	-	5	-	3	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	274
Breach of community-based order	165	-	5	3	88	54	71	121	78	60	4	13	3	2	667
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	219	-	-	-	62	28	40	140	142	156	2	46	27	14	876
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	15	-	-	-	-	17
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	65	-	1	-	17	11	12	33	98	218	4	16	35	15	525
<b>Total</b>	<b>689</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>319</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>2,359</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	5	-	-	-	1	1	-	7	12	62	-	4	1	1	94
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	1	-	5
Other miscellaneous offences	5	-	-	-	-	1	4	2	3	15	-	-	1	-	31
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>130</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>2,927</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>645</b>	<b>1,515</b>	<b>1,978</b>	<b>4,327</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>336</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>13,978</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

Note: Excluded from this table are 250 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 1 person who was ordered to pay compensation and 2 persons who received a licence disqualification as their only penalty

TABLE 1.9

**AVERAGE PENALTY FOR PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence									
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average \$
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>										
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	6.0	-	-	-	9.9	350.0	19.3	-	19.3	-
<b>Total</b>	6.0	-	-	-	9.9	350.0	19.3	-	19.3	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>										
Assault	6.5	10.0	6.8	11.9	10.7	149.8	15.1	-	15.1	593
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.1	-	6.1	-	10.7	116.1	15.7	-	15.7	555
<b>Total</b>	6.2	10.0	6.7	11.9	10.7	145.7	15.2	-	15.2	590
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>										
Sexual assault	8.0	-	7.7	-	13.6	198.8	19.5	-	19.5	654
Non-assaultive sexual offences	8.1	-	8.7	-	12.2	233.3	23.8	-	23.8	756
<b>Total</b>	8.0	-	8.2	-	13.2	208.2	20.4	-	20.4	690
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>										
	8.3	-	8.7	-	13.6	233.3	22.7	-	22.7	1,100
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>										
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	6.5	5.9	6.3	6.0	8.7	141.2	16.3	-	16.3	517
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	12.0	-	-	-	7.5	150.0	15.0	-	15.0	1,903
<b>Total</b>	6.6	5.9	6.3	6.0	8.7	141.3	16.3	-	16.3	529
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>										
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	750
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	5.1	-	7.5	-	11.7	105.6	13.8	-	13.8	565
<b>Total</b>	5.1	-	7.5	-	11.7	105.6	13.8	-	13.8	567



<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>									
Robbery	7.4	12.0	9.0	-	11.3	185.0	18.3	-	
Blackmail and extortion	8.0	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	
<b>Total</b>	7.4	12.0	9.0	-	11.3	185.0	17.9	-	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>									
	8.9	9.0	7.7	18.0	13.1	161.5	17.8	499	
<b>Theft and related offences</b>									
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.9	-	13.0	12.0	9.7	162.9	16.6	688	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.7	6.8	6.0	6.8	8.7	122.9	14.6	434	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4.4	6.0	5.0	7.0	6.8	113.7	15.0	440	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	5.0	6.7	7.1	7.6	8.3	126.1	14.9	440	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>									
Obtain benefit by deception	6.1	7.4	7.2	6.0	8.6	136.2	12.1	1,541	
Forgery and counterfeiting	8.4	8.4	11.0	15.0	10.6	165.8	19.8	691	
Deceptive business/government practices	6.0	-	-	-	9.0	190.0	10.9	3,119	
Other fraud and deception offences	8.2	7.4	10.1	-	11.6	188.9	17.0	627	
<b>Total</b>	6.6	7.5	8.3	10.5	9.1	143.2	13.4	1,366	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>									
Import or export illicit drugs	4.6	-	-	-	18.0	-	12.0	1,183	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.2	6.0	6.8	-	10.5	185.4	20.2	708	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	5.6	-	-	-	12.4	175.5	16.4	548	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2.4	-	4.0	-	7.6	119.8	13.0	353	
Other illicit drug offences	6.0	-	-	-	9.0	75.0	13.8	386	
<b>Total</b>	5.1	6.0	6.2	-	10.4	164.8	14.2	369	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>									
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	7.0	-	-	-	11.3	129.5	15.1	563	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	7.1	-	6.0	-	10.3	145.0	15.2	517	
<b>Total</b>	7.1	-	6.0	-	10.9	135.0	15.1	534	
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	5.4	5.0	4.3	7.0	9.4	114.0	13.2	447	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	1,633	
<b>Total</b>	5.4	5.0	4.3	7.0	9.4	114.0	13.2	558	

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence									
	Imprisonment Average months	Home detention Average months	Periodic detention (b) Average months	Intensive Correction Order (b) Average months	Suspended sentence Average months	Community Service Order Average hours	Bond Average months	Fine Average \$		
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	6.4	6.7	6.8	6.5	10.5	160.9	16.1	396		
Regulated public order offences	2.9	-	-	-	5.0	100.0	12.6	492		
Offensive conduct	2.6	-	4.0	-	6.8	103.6	12.3	328		
<b>Total</b>	5.9	6.7	6.4	6.5	10.1	155.0	14.8	371		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>										
Driver licence offences	6.4	8.0	7.4	11.3	11.2	136.9	14.8	505		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	150.0	8.9	331		
Regulatory driving offences	5.8	7.3	6.5	10.5	9.4	149.8	14.5	707		
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	6.2	7.7	7.1	11.2	10.6	142.2	14.6	622		
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>										
Breach of custodial order offences	5.2	6.0	6.8	11.9	9.4	171.4	15.0	420		
Breach of community-based order	3.8	4.5	5.4	6.4	8.4	111.5	16.6	2,093		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	4.1	6.0	6.3	-	8.5	112.5	14.2	401		
Offences against government operations	9.7	-	6.0	-	5.0	191.7	10.9	2,321		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-		
Offences against justice procedures	4.1	5.5	7.0	-	8.4	111.9	14.1	449		
<b>Total</b>	4.4	5.8	6.3	9.0	8.5	113.3	14.8	944		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Public health and safety offences	2.7	-	6.0	-	10.0	100.0	12.7	1,269		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	8.2	1,145		
Other miscellaneous offences	6.1	-	-	-	7.5	140.0	14.2	2,618		
<b>Total</b>	3.6	-	6.0	-	10.6	132.0	13.0	1,453		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>139.7</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>625</b>		

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.10

**AVERAGE PENALTY FOR ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average months	Average \$
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>											
Assault	6.8	-	6.6	6.0	10.9	152.2	15.9	524			
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.5	-	6.0	-	9.5	131.2	15.9	475			
<b>Total</b>	6.6	-	6.6	6.0	10.7	149.1	15.9	520			
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>											
Sexual assault	9.3	-	4.0	-	13.5	270.0	18.5	450			
Non-assaultive sexual offences	4.5	-	-	-	7.5	-	-	-			
<b>Total</b>	8.6	-	4.0	-	13.0	270.0	18.5	450			
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>											
	7.5	-	-	-	13.1	-	16.5	-			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	7.0	6.0	7.0	-	7.9	135.0	15.1	570			
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	3,000			
<b>Total</b>	7.0	6.0	7.0	-	7.9	135.0	15.0	602			
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>											
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Harassment and threatening behaviour	4.8	-	-	-	9.4	106.5	15.0	633			
<b>Total</b>	4.8	-	-	-	9.4	106.5	15.0	633			

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TABLE 1.10 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence											
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average months	Average \$	
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	6.7	-	-	-	11.0	200.0	12.0	-				
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
<b>Total</b>	6.7	-	-	-	11.0	200.0	12.0	-				
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	9.0	6.0	8.8	-	12.7	149.9	18.0	293				
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	7.6	-	-	-	9.1	141.4	14.7	800				
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.5	-	6.0	6.0	9.0	112.4	15.1	394				
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4.4	-	-	-	5.1	117.5	14.6	371				
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
<b>Total</b>	5.1	-	6.0	6.0	8.2	118.2	14.9	393				
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	4.8	3.0	-	-	8.1	126.7	12.9	530				
Forgery and counterfeiting	6.2	-	-	-	11.0	125.0	18.0	1,000				
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	1,050				
Other fraud and deception offences	5.0	-	4.0	-	11.0	200.0	11.4	680				
<b>Total</b>	5.0	3.0	4.0	-	8.8	137.5	13.0	637				
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.8	6.0	-	-	9.9	220.0	21.4	450				
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	8.0	-	-	-	7.5	70.0	15.2	418				
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2.2	-	-	-	5.7	96.0	12.9	332				
Other illicit drug offences	3.0	-	-	-	9.0	-	12.0	463				
<b>Total</b>	5.3	6.0	-	-	8.8	128.0	14.9	339				
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	7.6	-	-	-	14.7	137.5	18.4	367				
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	6.4	-	-	-	12.7	100.0	13.8	467				
<b>Total</b>	7.1	-	-	-	13.7	125.0	15.8	447				

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	4.8	5.0	6.0	-	9.7	115.7	14.3	417	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	502	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>115.7</b>	<b>14.3</b>	<b>420</b>	
<b>Public order offences</b>									
Disorderly conduct	6.2	-	6.0	4.0	11.8	147.5	16.4	282	
Regulated public order offences	3.4	-	-	-	-	-	13.0	413	
Offensive conduct	2.7	-	-	-	7.5	125.0	12.0	319	
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>143.8</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>318</b>	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>									
Driver licence offences	6.3	8.0	7.3	13.3	10.4	135.1	15.6	457	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.0	290	
Regulatory driving offences	6.0	8.0	8.2	-	9.8	147.1	15.7	614	
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>139.2</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>512</b>	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>									
Breach of custodial order offences	5.2	6.4	8.0	-	7.8	116.7	12.0	100	
Breach of community-based order	3.6	-	4.5	3.7	8.2	106.9	17.4	662	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	4.4	-	-	-	9.0	119.9	14.5	360	
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	250.0	12.0	1,331	
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Offences against justice procedures	4.4	-	6.0	-	8.1	85.0	14.2	403	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>110.3</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>453</b>	
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>									
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Public health and safety offences	2.2	-	-	-	10.5	-	13.0	341	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	1,213	
Other miscellaneous offences	3.8	-	-	-	3.0	100.0	13.5	765	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>463</b>	
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>133.7</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>440</b>	

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(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.11

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), AGE, AVERAGE AGE**

Gender: Total male and female																													
Age (years)																													
Type of principal offence	Under 18		18		19		20-24		25-29		30-39		40-49		50-59		60-65		Over 65		Not known		Total		Average age				
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	Years			
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																													
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	2	2	2	4	4	10	3	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	2	2	2	4	4	10	3	1	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																													
Assault	-	456	727	2,743	2,231	2,502	3,859	2,502	2,502	921	178	170	170	178	170	170	178	170	170	178	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	170	
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	78	82	356	394	489	684	489	489	157	20	29	29	20	29	29	20	29	29	20	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	
<b>Total</b>	-	534	809	3,099	2,625	2,991	4,543	2,991	2,991	1,078	198	199	199	198	199	199	198	199	199	198	199	199	199	199	199	199	199	199	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																													
Sexual assault	-	1	7	47	31	70	69	70	70	41	9	24	24	9	24	24	9	24	24	9	24	24	24	24	24	24	24	300	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	3	13	7	26	15	26	26	22	8	9	9	8	9	9	8	9	9	8	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	103	
<b>Total</b>	-	1	10	60	38	96	84	96	96	63	17	33	33	17	33	33	17	33	33	17	33	33	33	33	33	33	403		
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																													
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>	-	-	6	25	14	43	25	43	43	33	10	14	14	10	14	14	10	14	14	10	14	14	14	14	14	14	14	171	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	119	197	245	761	523	564	757	564	564	289	85	137	137	85	137	137	85	137	137	85	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	3,679	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	2	1	7	5	8	19	8	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	
<b>Total</b>	119	199	246	768	528	572	776	572	572	291	85	137	137	85	137	137	85	137	137	85	137	137	137	137	137	137	137	3,723	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																													
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	22	34	135	103	134	207	134	134	41	3	7	7	3	7	7	3	7	7	3	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	686	
<b>Total</b>	-	22	34	135	104	134	207	134	134	41	3	7	7	3	7	7	3	7	7	3	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	687	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	2	5	27	16	15	3	2	-	-	-	70	27.1
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	30.0
<b>Total</b>	-	2	5	27	17	16	3	2	-	-	-	72	27.1
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Total</b>	-	80	126	348	242	373	146	18	2	4	-	1,339	29.2
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	59	58	145	83	93	32	10	2	-	-	482	26.8
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	190	241	711	608	1,129	601	203	47	58	1	3,789	32.9
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	98	103	350	318	521	258	83	17	11	1	1,760	32.0
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	347	402	1,206	1,009	1,743	891	296	66	69	2	6,031	32.2
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	28	50	310	407	780	499	209	43	36	3	2,365	36.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	5	27	44	72	34	16	1	1	-	200	34.9
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	1	9	8	15	13	17	4	6	-	73	43.1
Other fraud and deception offences	1	22	32	130	103	155	80	40	9	5	1	578	32.8
<b>Total</b>	1	50	88	476	562	1,022	626	282	57	48	4	3,216	35.8
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	3	-	2	2	1	-	1	-	9	39.3
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	18	31	125	93	160	136	60	5	7	-	635	34.6
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	10	8	53	86	214	185	122	18	10	-	706	39.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2	195	285	1,534	1,228	1,830	1,079	372	36	15	-	6,576	32.2
Other illicit drug offences	-	4	3	21	21	19	15	6	-	-	-	89	32.2
<b>Total</b>	2	227	327	1,736	1,428	2,225	1,417	561	59	33	-	8,015	33.1
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	24	17	73	60	82	42	24	5	9	-	336	32.8
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	10	17	58	38	99	119	92	28	42	-	504	42.8
<b>Total</b>	1	34	34	131	98	181	161	116	33	51	-	840	38.8
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	3	336	325	994	658	834	469	146	21	23	2	3,811	29.7
Environmental pollution	-	1	1	24	12	33	24	20	7	-	19	141	38.4
<b>Total</b>	3	337	326	1,018	670	867	493	166	28	23	21	3,952	30.0

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Gender: Total male and female												
Age (years)												
Type of principal offence	Age (years)											Average age Years
	Under 18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	3	184	226	686	368	465	241	64	12	6	1	2,256
Regulated public order offences	-	11	20	122	92	136	112	54	16	17	10	590
Offensive conduct	-	136	147	493	361	450	308	131	19	20	5	2,070
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>393</b>	<b>1,301</b>	<b>821</b>	<b>1,051</b>	<b>661</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4,916</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	422	619	745	3,821	3,038	4,116	2,466	1,102	252	215	11	16,807
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	46	48	54	282	249	401	345	210	60	68	23	1,786
Regulatory driving offences	328	690	873	4,616	3,912	5,840	4,288	2,425	639	524	232	24,367
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>1,357</b>	<b>1,672</b>	<b>8,719</b>	<b>7,199</b>	<b>10,357</b>	<b>7,099</b>	<b>3,737</b>	<b>951</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>42,960</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	6	36	150	161	260	153	32	4	5	-	807
Breach of community-based order	12	47	160	894	702	1,017	598	199	36	22	1	3,688
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	68	84	419	521	1,186	907	280	43	38	-	3,546
Offences against government operations	1	2	3	31	10	113	131	95	22	15	35	458
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
Offences against justice procedures	11	130	176	637	518	665	388	147	29	35	47	2,783
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>459</b>	<b>2,131</b>	<b>1,912</b>	<b>3,242</b>	<b>2,178</b>	<b>753</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>11,284</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	3	17	24	229	111	271	155	58	15	10	164	1,057
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	20	48	142	138	83	17	19	10	477
Other miscellaneous offences	-	2	6	44	29	68	51	35	13	11	64	323
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>1,857</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>952</b>	<b>3,793</b>	<b>4,963</b>	<b>21,450</b>	<b>17,445</b>	<b>27,172</b>	<b>17,822</b>	<b>7,832</b>	<b>1,726</b>	<b>1,616</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>105,407</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,555 companies (included in Table 1.7), 384 persons with unknown sex (included in Table 1.7)



TABLE 1.11a

**MALE PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), AGE, AVERAGE AGE**

<b>Gender: Male</b>												
<b>Age (Years)</b>												
<b>Type of principal offence</b>	<b>Average age</b>											
	<b>Under 18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>25-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-59</b>	<b>60-65</b>	<b>Over 65</b>	<b>Not known</b>	<b>Total</b>
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	2	1	4	4	9	1	1	6	-	28
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	1	4	4	9	1	1	6	-	28
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	-	331	574	2,135	1,784	3,023	2,012	764	157	148	3	10,931
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	63	68	310	355	603	419	147	18	28	-	2,011
<b>Total</b>	-	394	642	2,445	2,139	3,626	2,431	911	175	176	3	12,942
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	1	7	45	31	69	69	38	9	24	1	294
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	3	12	7	15	25	22	8	9	-	101
<b>Total</b>	-	1	10	57	38	84	94	60	17	33	1	395
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	6	22	14	25	43	31	10	14	1	166
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	99	168	211	657	445	609	443	214	67	98	1	3,012
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	2	1	4	2	8	6	1	-	-	-	24
<b>Total</b>	99	170	212	661	447	617	449	215	67	98	1	3,036
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	18	33	112	82	174	116	34	3	7	-	579
<b>Total</b>	-	18	33	112	82	174	116	34	3	7	-	579

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TABLE 1.11a continued

<b>Gender: Male</b>													
<b>Age (years)</b>													
<b>Under</b>	<b>Age (years)</b>											<b>Average age</b>	
	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>25-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-59</b>	<b>60-65</b>	<b>Over 65</b>	<b>Not known</b>		<b>Total</b>
<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Years</b>
<b>Type of principal offence</b>													
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	2	5	25	14	15	3	2	-	-	-	66	27.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	2	5	25	14	15	3	2	-	-	-	66	27.2
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
-	73	117	322	221	339	128	17	1	3	-	-	1,221	29.0
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	55	51	125	77	83	30	10	2	-	-	433	26.9
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	137	161	470	369	693	364	90	22	30	-	2,336	32.0
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	80	86	250	238	365	184	63	13	8	1	1,288	31.9
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	272	298	845	684	1,141	578	163	37	38	1	4,057	31.4
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	20	36	202	215	372	238	105	26	20	-	1,234	35.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	5	15	32	58	26	10	-	-	-	146	34.7
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	1	8	6	15	12	16	3	6	-	67	43.2
Other fraud and deception offences	-	16	16	77	65	103	49	24	9	4	1	364	33.4
<b>Total</b>	-	36	58	302	318	548	325	155	38	30	1	1,811	35.4
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	3	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	8	40.0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	15	28	100	69	127	95	49	5	7	-	495	34.4
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	7	8	44	70	188	142	105	14	10	-	588	39.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2	172	246	1,299	1,041	1,536	898	327	32	15	-	5,568	32.2
Other illicit drug offences	-	4	2	16	17	16	10	5	-	-	-	70	32.0
<b>Total</b>	2	198	284	1,462	1,197	1,868	1,147	487	51	33	-	6,729	33.1
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	21	16	63	49	78	35	22	5	9	-	298	33.1
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	9	17	53	38	96	108	85	24	41	-	472	42.7
<b>Total</b>	1	30	33	116	87	174	143	107	29	50	-	770	39.0

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>														
Property damage	2	293	288	847	553	679	369	120	18	18	18	2	3,189	29.4
Environmental pollution	-	1	1	19	10	22	19	20	7	-	-	16	115	39.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>866</b>	<b>563</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3,304</b>	<b>29.7</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>														
Disorderly conduct	3	170	201	598	318	364	180	57	11	6	6	1	1,909	28.2
Regulated public order offences	-	10	18	111	75	121	88	44	15	17	17	9	508	35.5
Offensive conduct	-	112	129	426	300	333	230	117	18	17	17	4	1,686	31.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>348</b>	<b>1,135</b>	<b>693</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>498</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4,103</b>	<b>30.4</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>														
Driver licence offences	352	509	602	3,034	2,391	3,129	1,902	868	219	180	111	11	13,197	32.4
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	40	39	42	216	186	282	256	155	53	52	53	20	1,341	37.1
Regulatory driving offences	272	555	709	3,756	3,230	4,695	3,367	1,943	547	458	219	219	19,751	35.2
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>664</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>1,353</b>	<b>7,006</b>	<b>5,807</b>	<b>8,106</b>	<b>5,525</b>	<b>2,966</b>	<b>819</b>	<b>690</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>34,289</b>	<b>34.2</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>														
Breach of custodial order offences	-	6	31	130	134	213	131	27	4	5	-	-	681	33.1
Breach of community-based order	10	44	133	768	545	794	456	158	32	20	1	1	2,961	32.3
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	57	71	367	446	1,037	767	250	39	35	-	-	3,069	36.4
Offences against government operations	-	2	2	19	10	96	107	82	18	14	23	23	373	44.5
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	35.2
Offences against justice procedures	8	112	147	519	402	463	278	100	24	27	38	38	2,118	31.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>1,803</b>	<b>1,537</b>	<b>2,604</b>	<b>1,739</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>9,203</b>	<b>34.0</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>														
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences	3	14	19	164	78	207	109	40	12	7	98	98	751	33.8
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	20	41	116	120	69	14	18	6	6	404	42.9
Other miscellaneous offences	-	2	6	33	28	63	33	31	11	8	34	34	249	38.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>1,404</b>	<b>37.5</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>3,120</b>	<b>4,093</b>	<b>17,375</b>	<b>13,978</b>	<b>21,205</b>	<b>13,835</b>	<b>6,233</b>	<b>1,461</b>	<b>1,356</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>83,937</b>	<b>33.6</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.11b

**FEMALE PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), AGE, AVERAGE AGE**

Gender: Female												
Age (years)												
Type of principal offence	Under 18		18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Average age
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	47.1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	1	47.1
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	-	125	153	608	447	836	490	157	21	22	-	2,859
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	15	14	46	39	81	70	10	2	1	-	278
<b>Total</b>	-	140	167	654	486	917	560	167	23	23	-	3,137
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	6
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	8
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	5
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	20	29	34	104	78	148	121	75	18	39	1	667
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	3	3	11	2	1	-	-	-	20
<b>Total</b>	20	29	34	107	81	159	123	76	18	39	1	687
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	4	1	23	21	33	18	7	-	-	-	107
<b>Total</b>	-	4	1	23	22	33	18	7	-	-	-	108

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	24.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	30.0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	26.6
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Theft and related offences</b>	-	7	9	26	21	34	18	1	1	1	1	118	30.6
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	4	7	20	6	10	2	-	-	-	-	49	25.2
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	53	80	241	239	436	237	113	25	28	1	1,453	34.4
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	18	17	100	80	156	74	20	4	3	-	472	32.5
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	75	104	361	325	602	313	133	29	31	1	1,974	33.7
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	8	14	108	192	408	261	104	17	16	3	1,131	37.2
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	12	12	14	8	6	1	1	-	54	35.4
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	6	41.1
Other fraud and deception offences	1	6	16	53	38	52	31	16	-	1	-	214	31.8
<b>Total</b>	1	14	30	174	244	474	301	127	19	18	3	1,405	36.4
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	34.1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	3	3	25	24	33	41	11	-	-	-	140	35.2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	3	-	9	16	26	43	17	4	-	-	118	40.0
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	23	39	235	187	294	181	45	4	-	-	1,008	32.3
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	1	5	4	3	5	1	-	-	-	19	32.7
<b>Total</b>	-	29	43	274	231	357	270	74	8	-	-	1,286	33.3
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	3	1	10	11	4	7	2	-	-	-	38	30.5
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	5	-	3	11	7	4	1	-	32	44.8
<b>Total</b>	-	4	1	15	11	7	18	9	4	1	-	70	37.0
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	1	43	37	147	105	155	100	26	3	5	-	622	31.3
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	5	2	11	5	-	-	-	3	26	33.4
<b>Total</b>	1	43	37	152	107	166	105	26	3	5	3	648	31.3

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Gender: Female													
Age (years)													
Type of principal offence	Under												Average age
	18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	Total	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	-	14	25	88	50	101	61	7	1	-	-	347	30.9
Regulated public order offences	-	1	2	11	17	15	24	10	1	-	1	82	36.6
Offensive conduct	-	24	18	67	61	117	78	14	1	3	1	384	32.9
<b>Total</b>	-	39	45	166	128	233	163	31	3	3	2	813	32.4
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	70	110	143	787	647	987	564	234	33	35	-	3,610	32.7
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	6	9	12	66	63	119	89	55	7	16	3	445	37.3
Regulatory driving offences	56	135	164	860	682	1,145	921	482	92	66	13	4,616	35.3
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	132	254	319	1,713	1,392	2,251	1,574	771	132	117	16	8,671	34.3
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	5	20	27	47	22	5	-	-	-	126	33.1
Breach of community-based order	2	3	27	126	157	223	142	41	4	2	-	727	33.6
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	11	13	52	75	149	140	30	4	3	-	477	35.9
Offences against government operations	1	-	1	12	-	17	24	13	4	1	12	85	41.3
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	41.0
Offences against justice procedures	3	18	29	118	116	202	110	47	5	8	9	665	33.9
<b>Total</b>	6	32	75	328	375	638	439	136	17	14	21	2,081	34.5
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Public health and safety offences	-	3	5	65	33	64	46	18	3	3	66	306	34.2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	7	26	18	14	3	1	4	73	42.9
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	11	1	5	18	4	2	3	30	74	41.3
<b>Total</b>	-	3	5	76	41	95	82	36	8	7	100	453	36.8
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>870</b>	<b>4,075</b>	<b>3,467</b>	<b>5,967</b>	<b>3,987</b>	<b>1,599</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>21,470</b>	<b>34.1</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.12

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES (a)  
AND DURATION OF PROCEEDINGS:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE, BAIL STATUS**

- (1) Total includes 137 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (2) Total includes 63 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (3) Total includes 67 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (4) Total includes 7 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (5) Total includes 108 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (6) Total includes 394 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (7) Total includes 46 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (8) Total includes 60 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (9) Total includes 1 persons with unknown bail status.

Outcome of appearance	Bail status													
	On bail				Bail refused (b)				Total					
	Persons charged		Court delay		Persons charged		Court delay		Persons charged		Court delay			
No.	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Median delay (days)	Offence to first appearance	Persons charged	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Median delay (days)	Offence to first appearance	Persons charged	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>	15,728	34.0	119.0	1,817	28.0	91.0	17,682 (1)	34.0	115.0					
All charges dismissed	5,603	30.0	130.0	266	9.0	75.0	5,932 (2)	29.0	127.0					
Guilty of at least one charge	9,119	38.0	109.0	1,375	34.0	91.0	10,561 (3)	37.0	106.0					
Other (c)	1,006	29.0	126.0	176	21.5	110.5	1,189 (4)	28.0	124.0					
<b>Proven outcome not further described (d)</b>	12,186	46.0	0.0	1,181	47.0	44.0	13,475 (5)	46.0	7.0					
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	64,360	31.0	21.0	3,706	23.5	55.0	68,460 (6)	30.0	21.0					
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	10,385	39.0	0.0				10,431 (7)	39.0	0.0					
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	6,291	37.0	106.0	172	4.0	76.5	6,523 (8)	35.0	105.0					
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	179	40.0	23.0	136	24.0	48.5	316 (9)	30.0	36.0					

(a) Excluded from this table are 1,886 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 1,889 companies.

(b) 'Bail refused' and the excluded persons in custody for a prior offence replace the combined 'in custody' bail status. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

(c) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing : Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(d) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

TABLE 1.13

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES (a):  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES SINCE 2001**

Type of principal offence	Prior proven offences since 2001											
	No prior proven offences		Prior proven offences not the same type		Prior proven offences of same type without imprisonment		Prior proven offences of same type with imprisonment		Total			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Homicide and related offences	21	87.5	3	12.5	-	-	-	-	24	100.0		
Acts intended to cause injury	5,576	39.2	3,982	28.0	3,483	24.5	1,188	8.3	14,229	100.0		
Sexual assault and related offences	181	59.9	96	31.8	13	4.3	12	4.0	302	100.0		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	2,162	60.3	1,147	32.0	238	6.6	38	1.1	3,585	100.0		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	161	28.7	356	63.5	32	5.7	12	2.1	561	100.0		
Robbery, extortion and related offences	8	13.8	41	70.7	3	5.2	6	10.3	58	100.0		
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	164	16.0	436	42.5	115	11.2	312	30.4	1,027	100.0		
Theft and related offences	1,518	26.5	1,384	24.2	1,602	28.0	1,222	21.3	5,726	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	1,618	55.2	928	31.6	302	10.3	85	2.9	2,933	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	2,837	35.0	2,586	31.9	2,316	28.6	360	4.4	8,099	100.0		
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	439	55.9	311	39.6	28	3.6	7	0.9	785	100.0		
Property damage and environmental pollution	1,602	36.8	1,709	39.3	886	20.3	157	3.6	4,354	100.0		
Public order offences	1,540	30.3	1,646	32.4	1,599	31.5	295	5.8	5,080	100.0		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	21,111	51.0	5,058	12.2	14,485	35.0	707	1.7	41,361	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	2,245	20.9	3,818	35.6	3,387	31.5	1,289	12.0	10,739	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	926	51.8	619	34.7	227	12.7	14	0.8	1,786	100.0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>42,109</b>	<b>41.8</b>	<b>24,120</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>28,716</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>5,704</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>100,649</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

(a) The data in this table are sourced from the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research's Reoffending Database (ROD). As a consequence, the totals shown here are slightly different to those presented elsewhere in this section of the report.



**TABLE 1.14**

**APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs) GRANTED:  
STATISTICAL DIVISION (a) OF RESIDENCE OF PERSON OF INTEREST (POI) (b)**

<i>Statistical Division of residence of POI (b)</i>	<i>Domestic AVO</i>		<i>Personal AVO</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Rate (c) per 100,000 population</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Rate (c) per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney:				
Inner Sydney	1,027	293.1	321	91.6
Eastern Suburbs	395	154.7	122	47.8
St George-Sutherland	988	214.9	270	58.7
Canterbury-Bankstown	902	274.0	201	61.1
Fairfield-Liverpool	1,345	356.9	276	73.2
Outer South Western Sydney	1,150	458.8	262	104.5
Inner Western Sydney	336	178.1	74	39.2
Central Western Sydney	1,096	318.5	211	61.3
Outer Western Sydney	1,061	325.5	237	72.7
Blacktown	1,355	452.0	316	105.4
Lower Northern Sydney	309	98.4	80	25.5
Central Northern Sydney	358	79.5	84	18.7
Northern Beaches	267	109.5	80	32.8
Central Coast	1,104	349.4	268	84.8
Hunter	2,320	360.1	789	122.5
Illawarra	1,613	374.1	543	125.9
Richmond-Tweed	910	376.1	358	148.0
Mid-North Coast	1,399	451.9	511	165.1
Northern	1,171	633.6	457	247.3
North Western	920	776.1	349	294.4
Central West	898	490.3	300	163.8
South Eastern	811	374.4	315	145.4
Murrumbidgee	887	559.3	408	257.3
Murray	550	464.0	197	166.2
Far West	299	1,315.4	90	395.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>24,378 (d)</b>	<b>341.7</b>	<b>7,325 (e)</b>	<b>102.7</b>

(a) Refer to Appendix 4 for a listing of Local Government Areas within NSW Statistical Divisions .

(b) The AVOs were granted against the POIs (persons of interest).

(c) The population data used to calculate rates are preliminary estimates as at 30 March 2010 from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication Regional Population Growth Australia, 30 March 2010, Catalogue no. 3218.0.

(d) Total includes 473 people whose residence was recorded as interstate and 434 people whose residence was recorded as unknown.

(e) Total includes 87 people whose residence was recorded as interstate and 119 people whose residence was recorded as unknown.

**TABLE 1.15****PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:  
STATISTICAL DIVISION (a) OF RESIDENCE**

<i>Statistical Division of residence</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Rate (b) per 100,000 population</i>
Sydney:		
Inner Sydney	7,393	2,110.0
Eastern Suburbs	3,001	1,175.7
St George-Sutherland	5,338	1,160.9
Canterbury-Bankstown	5,665	1,720.7
Fairfield-Liverpool	7,074	1,877.4
Outer South Western Sydney	5,108	2,038.1
Inner Western Sydney	1,987	1,053.0
Central Western Sydney	5,336	1,550.8
Outer Western Sydney	5,015	1,538.6
Blacktown	5,886	1,963.3
Lower Northern Sydney	2,245	715.3
Central Northern Sydney	3,429	761.8
Northern Beaches	2,500	1,025.2
Central Coast	5,157	1,631.9
Hunter	10,760	1,670.1
Illawarra	6,688	1,551.2
Richmond-Tweed	3,988	1,648.2
Mid-North Coast	5,669	1,831.1
Northern	3,984	2,155.6
North Western	3,284	2,770.5
Central West	3,457	1,887.5
South Eastern	3,343	1,543.4
Murrumbidgee	3,300	2,080.8
Murray	1,883	1,588.5
Far West	627	2,758.3
<b>New South Wales</b>	<b>112,117</b>	<b>1,571.5</b>

(a) Refer to Appendix 4 for listing of Local Government Areas within NSW Statistical Divisions.

(b) The population data used to calculate rates are preliminary estimates as at 30 March 2010 from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication *Regional Population Growth Australia, 30 March 2010, Catalogue no. 3218.0*.

Note: Excluded from this table are 4,268 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 2,156 people whose residence was unknown and 2,121 people who were in custody.

TABLE 1.16

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES, RATE (a) PER 100,000 POPULATION:  
STATISTICAL DIVISION (b) OF RESIDENCE, TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Less than 10 persons found guilty.

Statistical Division of residence	Type of principal offence															
	Homicide and related offences	Acts intended to cause injury	Sexual assault and related offences	Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	Abduction harassment and other offences against the person	Robbery, extortion and related offences	Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	Theft and related offences	Fraud, deception and related offences	Illicit drug offences	Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	Property damage and environmental pollution	Public order offences	Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	Against justice procedures, government security and government operations	Miscellaneous offences
	Rate per 100,000 population															
Sydney:																
Inner Sydney	-	268.3	8.8	44.2	7.7	2.6	24.5	191.5	66.5	268.0	10.6	73.3	107.0	512.0	208.6	47.1
Eastern Suburbs	-	116.7	1.2	38.4	5.9	-	3.9	67.0	22.3	120.7	6.7	33.7	50.5	430.2	83.4	21.2
St George-Sutherland	0.2	133.7	4.3	37.6	7.0	0.4	6.1	49.6	37.8	94.8	7.8	34.1	39.8	416.5	102.0	28.1
Canterbury-Bankstown	0.9	189.2	5.2	76.8	7.9	2.1	10.3	83.2	61.7	109.7	10.3	39.8	55.0	628.5	146.4	49.8
Fairfield-Liverpool	-	238.6	5.6	69.8	9.0	0.8	14.1	98.7	49.6	117.0	11.7	48.6	78.0	732.7	145.7	32.9
Outer South Western Sydney	2.0	333.6	5.6	65.0	12.0	2.0	18.8	97.8	59.8	97.8	12.0	81.0	65.8	721.0	190.3	29.1
Inner Western Sydney	1.1	132.5	6.9	31.8	5.8	0.5	7.9	62.5	36.6	76.3	4.2	28.6	38.2	382.6	72.6	21.2
Central Western Sydney	0.3	186.6	4.1	53.5	8.1	0.6	14.2	95.3	57.3	90.4	9.3	42.7	57.0	553.1	126.4	38.1
Outer Western Sydney	0.6	190.5	5.5	54.0	8.9	0.3	12.3	69.3	43.9	105.8	13.2	50.0	65.3	605.3	131.3	16.3
Blacktown	0.3	268.5	7.7	62.0	10.0	1.3	18.7	116.7	59.0	96.7	10.0	67.4	85.7	701.5	226.5	32.4
Lower Northern Sydney	0.3	71.4	1.9	28.4	4.5	0.3	4.5	33.5	20.7	47.2	3.5	17.2	20.1	297.3	47.5	10.8
Central Northern Sydney	-	62.2	1.3	34.9	1.8	0.2	4.7	31.5	22.2	40.2	3.3	20.7	22.9	349.0	47.1	16.0
Northern Beaches	-	72.2	4.5	26.2	4.1	-	3.3	29.1	24.6	76.3	4.5	26.2	32.0	507.3	62.7	27.5
Central Coast	0.9	220.9	4.7	49.4	10.4	1.6	14.6	80.4	51.6	92.1	8.5	59.2	48.4	648.1	177.5	18.0

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TABLE 1.16 continued

Statistical Division of residence	Type of principal offence																
	Homicide and related offences	Acts intended to cause injury	Sexual assault and related offences	Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	Abduction harassment and other offences against the person	Robbery, extortion and related offences	Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	Theft and related offences	Fraud, deception and related offences	Illicit drug offences	Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	Property damage and environmental pollution	Public order offences	Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	Against justice procedures, government security and government operations	Miscellaneous offences	
	Rate per 100,000 population																
Hunter	0.6	233.0	4.3	48.0	10.1	0.9	21.3	79.8	48.9	102.1	10.4	63.2	59.0	655.6	156.8	17.8	
Illawarra	-	221.5	4.4	49.4	10.2	0.9	17.6	74.7	41.1	113.9	14.4	66.3	59.1	522.5	171.6	29.2	
Richmond-Tweed	0.4	219.9	5.0	54.6	5.8	1.2	14.9	53.3	33.9	129.4	11.6	60.8	64.5	672.4	155.0	16.1	
Mid-North Coast	0.6	300.1	6.8	50.7	13.6	-	17.4	85.3	43.0	137.0	16.8	69.4	87.2	636.0	206.4	19.7	
Northern	-	446.4	5.4	53.6	18.9	-	26.0	66.6	42.2	89.3	22.7	75.7	154.7	663.3	269.4	14.6	
North Western	-	480.9	12.7	56.5	16.0	2.5	27.8	112.2	65.0	122.3	30.4	105.5	171.3	857.1	364.4	30.4	
Central West	1.1	306.8	6.0	53.5	9.3	1.1	26.8	89.5	34.4	103.2	24.6	85.2	109.2	623.5	218.4	18.6	
South Eastern	-	246.5	6.0	50.3	12.0	-	16.2	61.4	34.2	94.6	16.6	64.2	58.2	587.3	151.0	26.3	
Murrumbidgee	0.6	335.4	7.6	61.2	17.7	1.3	21.4	64.3	35.3	102.1	20.2	62.4	107.8	824.1	233.9	20.8	
Murray	-	275.0	7.6	40.5	11.0	0.8	25.3	59.9	26.2	98.7	10.1	63.3	70.0	594.7	162.8	15.2	
Far West	-	589.5	22.0	74.8	44.0	8.8	26.4	101.2	52.8	101.2	35.2	127.6	171.6	637.9	431.1	8.8	
<b>New South Wales</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>214.6</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>49.4</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>77.6</b>	<b>43.1</b>	<b>105.4</b>	<b>11.1</b>	<b>53.2</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>572.2</b>	<b>150.8</b>	<b>25.3</b>	

Less than 10 persons found guilty.

(a) The population data used to calculate rates are preliminary estimates as at 30 March 2010 from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication Regional Population Growth Australia, 30 March 2010, Catalogue no. 3218.0.

(b) Refer to Appendix 4 for a listing of Local Government Areas within NSW Statistical Divisions.

Note: Excluded from this table are 3,973 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,790 people whose residence was unknown and 1,870 people who were in custody.

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**SECTION 2:  
NEW SOUTH WALES  
CHILDREN'S COURT**

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Tables

TABLE 2.1

**PERSONS CHARGED AND NUMBER OF CHARGES IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF OFFENCE CHARGED (a)**

<i>Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>			
Murder	0	0	0
Attempted murder	0	0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	0	0	0
Driving causing death	3	3	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
<b>Assault</b>			
Serious assault resulting in injury	1,116	1,116	1,377
Serious assault not resulting in injury	395	395	532
Common assault	1,720	1,720	2,183
Stalking	451	451	554
Other acts intended to cause injury, other	32	32	33
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,933</b>	<b>2,933</b>	<b>4,679</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
<b>Sexual assault</b>			
Aggravated sexual assault	90	90	247
Non-aggravated sexual assault	4	4	5
<b>Non-assaultive sexual offences</b>			
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	0	0	0
Child pornography offences	6	6	12
Sexual servitude offences	0	0	0
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	1	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>265</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	21	21	21
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	245	245	350
<b>Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	0	0	0
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	9	9	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>380</b>

<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>		
Abduction and kidnapping	11	11
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	0	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	3	3
Threatening behaviour	154	184
<b>Total</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>198</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>		
Robbery	766	1,075
Non-aggravated robbery	106	118
Blackmail and extortion	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>841</b>	<b>1,195</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>		
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	72	90
Theft of a motor vehicle	743	1,052
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0	0
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	158	171
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	0	0
Theft of intellectual property	0	0
Theft from retail premises	493	849
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	728	1,055
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	658	887
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,278</b>	<b>4,104</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>		
Obtain benefit by deception	74	144
Forgery and counterfeiting	1	2
Deceptive business/government practices	10	14
Obtain benefit by deception	0	0
Counterfeiting of currency	0	0
Forgery of documents	0	0
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	0	0
Fraudulent trade practices	2	4
Misrepresentation of professional status	0	0
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	0	0
Dishonest conversion	5	83
Other fraud and deception offences	18	20
<b>Total</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>267</b>

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TABLE 2.1 continued

<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>			
Import or export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	77	77	93
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	1	1	1
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	18	18	18
Manufacture illicit drugs	372	372	402
Cultivate illicit drugs	11	11	11
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	23	23	24
Possess illicit drugs	415	415	550
Use illicit drugs			
Other illicit drug offences			
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	0	0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	38	38	47
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives	1	1	1
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other	22	22	32
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives	24	24	24
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives	0	0	0
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences	0	0	0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other	73	73	104
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
Property damage	65	65	92
Property damage by fire or explosion	82	82	134
Graffiti	1,607	1,607	2,221
Property damage, other	0	0	0
Air pollution offences	0	0	0
Water pollution offences	0	0	0
Noise pollution offences	0	0	0
Soil pollution offences	0	0	0
Environmental pollution	7	7	7
Environmental pollution, other	1,710	1,710	2,454
<b>Total</b>			



<b>Public order offences</b>			
Disorderly conduct	Trespass	703	878
	Criminal intent	271	301
	Riot and affray	755	815
	Disorderly conduct, other	2	3
	Betting and gambling offences	0	0
Regulated public order offences	Liquor and tobacco offences	30	37
	Censorship offences	0	0
	Prostitution offences	0	0
	Offences against public order sexual standards	12	12
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	5	5
	Regulated public order offences, other	7	7
Offensive conduct	Offensive language	388	404
	Offensive behaviour	510	554
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0	0
	Cruelty to animals	8	8
<b>Total</b>		<b>2,260</b>	<b>3,024</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
Driver licence offences	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	63	81
	Drive without a licence	507	577
	Driver licence offences, other	9	10
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	Registration offences	200	252
	Roadworthiness offences	0	0
Regulatory driving offences	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	98	99
	Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0	0
	Parking offences (d)	0	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	185	212
Pedestrian offences	Pedestrian offences (d)	0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>662</b>	<b>1,231</b>

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TABLE 2.1 continued

<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>				
Breach of custodial order offences				
Escape custody offences	57		63	
Breach of home detention	0		0	
Breach of suspended sentence	135		240	
Breach of community-based orders not further defined (e)	2		2	
Breach of community service order	69		110	
Breach of parole	0		0	
Breach of bail	134		190	
Breach of bond - supervised (f)	571		1,239	
Breach of bond - unsupervised (f)	195		359	
Breach of community-based order, other	4		21	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	474		562	
Breach of non-violence orders	0		0	
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	3		3	
Offences against government operations				
Bribery involving government officials	0		0	
Immigration offences	0		0	
Offences against government operations, other	2		2	
Offences against government security				
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	0		0	
Offences against government security, other	0		0	
Offences against justice procedures				
Subvert the course of justice	12		13	
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	637		811	
Prison regulation offences	3		3	
Offences against justice procedures, other	50		55	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,027</b>		<b>3,673</b>	

<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>			
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	Defamation and libel	0	0
	Offences against privacy	0	0
Public health and safety offences	Sanitation offences	0	0
	Disease prevention offences	0	0
	Occupational health and safety offences	0	0
	Transport regulation offences	12	12
	Dangerous substances offences	0	0
	Licit drug offences	17	20
	Public health and safety offences, other	16	27
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	Commercial/industry/financial regulations	0	0
Other miscellaneous offences	Environmental regulation offences	6	13
	Bribery excluding government officials	0	0
	Quarantine offences	0	0
	Import/export regulations	1	1
	Procure or commit illegal abortion	0	0
	Other miscellaneous offences, other	7	7
<b>Total</b>		<b>58</b>	<b>80</b>
<b>Grand total (g)</b>		<b>8,630</b>	<b>24,599</b>

(a) All ASOC group categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table.

(b) Persons charged counts the number of people charged with the specified offence. A person who is charged with more than one offence within an offence group (for example, a person charged with both theft of a motor vehicle and theft from retail premises) is counted only once in the offence division total.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(d) These offences are excluded from this table because they are proceeded against by infringement notice and so are not in scope of this collection.

(e) Includes breaches of bonds where it was not possible to tell whether the bond was supervised or unsupervised.

(f) These ASOC group categories are labelled 'Breach of bond - probation' and 'Breach of bond - other' respectively in the ASOC 2008 group categories.

(g) The grand total is a count of the total number of distinct persons charged in finalised Children's Court appearances. For 'charges', all totals simply sum over the offence categories.

TABLE 2.2

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

<i>Outcome of appearance</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	586	6.8
Guilty of at least one charge	843	9.8
Other (a)	232	2.7
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	2,124	24.6
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	4,070	47.2
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	146	1.7
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	529	6.1
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	100	1.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,630</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 2.3

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS  
CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

<i>Outcome of appearance</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	201	6.2
Guilty of at least one charge	346	10.7
Other (a)	101	3.1
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	763	23.6
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	1,531	47.3
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	63	1.9
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	183	5.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	49	1.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,237</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing: Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

TABLE 2.4

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE, BAIL STATUS**

	Bail Status																		
	Bail not required or bail dispensed with			On bail			Bail refused (a)			In custody, prior offence (a)			Unknown			Total			
	No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>																			
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>																			
All charges dismissed	146	4.7		382	9.4		41	3.6		12	4.5		5	8.3		586	6.8		
Guilty of at least one charge	179	5.7		471	11.6		162	14.3		30	11.3		1	1.7		843	9.8		
Other (b)	24	0.8		151	3.7		47	4.1		8	3.0		2	3.3		232	2.7		
<b>Proven outcome not further described (c)</b>	975	31.2		799	19.8		261	23.0		73	27.5		16	26.7		2,124	24.6		
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	1,544	49.4		1,797	44.4		565	49.8		133	50.2		31	51.7		4,070	47.2		
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	94	3.0		47	1.2		-	-		-	-		5	8.3		146	1.7		
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	135	4.3		371	9.2		16	1.4		7	2.6		-	-		529	6.1		
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	31	1.0		25	0.6		42	3.7		2	0.8		-	-		100	1.2		
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,128</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>4,043</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>1,134</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>265</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>60</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>8,630</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

(a) 'Bail refused' and 'In custody, prior offence' replace the combined 'In custody' bail status. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

(b) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing : Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(c) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

TABLE 2.5

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

<i>Type of principal offence</i>	<i>Penalty for principal offence</i>										<i>Total</i>	
	<i>Control order</i>	<i>Community Service Order</i>	<i>Probation order</i>	<i>Fine</i>	<i>Bond</i>	<i>Dismissed with caution</i>	<i>Other proven outcomes</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>		<i>No.</i>
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	136	53	299	38	635	147	169	1,477				
Other acts intended to cause injury	11	6	51	5	113	22	12	220				
<b>Total</b>	147	59	350	43	748	169	181	1,697				
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	9	2	17	-	12	1	1	42				
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	5				
<b>Total</b>	9	3	18	-	15	1	1	47				
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	6	2	14	-	8	1	1	32				
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	9	13	11	22	30	3	-	88				
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	2				
<b>Total</b>	9	13	12	22	31	3	-	90				
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	4	-	-	-	2	-	-	6				
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0				
Harassment and threatening behaviour	3	2	14	2	30	7	13	71				
<b>Total</b>	7	2	14	2	32	7	13	77				

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>										
Robbery	114	65	202	3	120	2	8	514		
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>514</b>		
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>										
	191	43	258	16	355	36	62	961		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>										
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	58	23	75	5	141	31	52	385		
Theft (except motor vehicles)	23	13	75	49	174	107	93	534		
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	10	4	37	14	69	28	40	202		
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>1,121</b>		
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>										
Obtain benefit by deception	2	-	6	1	21	4	6	40		
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	2	1	2	-	-	2	7		
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2		
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	2	1	2	-	5		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>54</b>		
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>										
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	2	5	13	2	16	4	1	43		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	3	-	5	1	-	9		
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	1	2	51	35	73	8	170		
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>225</b>		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>										
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	1	-	3	2	4	3	3	16		
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	-	1	1	4	2	2	11		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>27</b>		
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	38	20	64	51	177	121	142	613		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2		
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>615</b>		
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	35	15	93	60	180	130	75	588		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	8	3	4	-	15		
Offensive conduct	1	-	2	73	31	82	15	204		
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>807</b>		

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total
	No.	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with Caution	Other proven outcomes	No.	No.	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>											
Driver licence offences	2		3	5	86	47	64	13			220
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-		-	-	11	1	5	-			17
Regulatory driving offences	1		2	2	35	19	5	-			64
Pedestrian offences	-		-	-	-	-	-	-			0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>13</b>			<b>301</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>											
Breach of custodial order offences	91		3	7	-	8	1	8			118
Breach of community-based order	57		23	78	9	66	3	117			353
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	3		3	40	5	129	46	-			226
Offences against government operations	-		-	-	1	-	1	-			2
Offences against government security	-		-	-	-	-	-	-			0
Offences against justice procedures	3		2	22	20	47	30	34			158
<b>Total</b>	<b>154</b>		<b>31</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>159</b>			<b>857</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>											
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-		-	-	-	-	-	-			0
Public health and safety offences	-		1	-	3	2	7	4			17
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-		-	-	-	-	-	-			0
Other miscellaneous offences	-		-	-	-	1	2	-			3
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>			<b>20</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>805</b>		<b>306</b>	<b>1,383</b>	<b>578</b>	<b>2,484</b>	<b>977</b>	<b>882</b>			<b>7,415</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.



TABLE 2.6

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes				
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>											
Assault	77	27	117	14	190	32	43	500			
Other acts intended to cause injury	9	3	20	2	23	3	5	65			
<b>Total</b>	86	30	137	16	213	35	48	565			
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>											
Sexual assault	2	-	1	-	3	-	-	6			
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0			
<b>Total</b>	2	-	1	-	3	-	-	6			
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	3	-	3	8	6	-	-	20			
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0			
<b>Total</b>	3	-	3	8	6	-	-	20			
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>											
Abduction and kidnapping	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2			
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0			
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2	1	7	1	13	1	-	25			
<b>Total</b>	3	1	7	1	14	1	-	27			

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total	
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes	No.	No.	No.		No.
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	54	16	44	-	33	-	3					150
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
<b>Total</b>	54	16	44	-	33	-	3					150
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	139	20	122	4	171	16	23					495
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	37	10	30	3	69	15	19					183
Theft (except motor vehicles)	18	9	41	10	89	29	23					219
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	8	1	18	3	27	9	7					73
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
<b>Total</b>	63	20	89	16	185	53	49					475
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	2	-	5	-	-					7
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	-	5	-	-					7
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	1	-					2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	2	-	2	-	-					4
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	15	8	14	2					39
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	3	15	10	15	2					45
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	2	-	2	-	-					4
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	-	-	-	2	1	-					4
<b>Total</b>	1	-	2	-	4	1	-					8

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	25	13	35	15	67	42	40	237		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>237</b>		
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	21	4	34	32	59	59	25	234		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	4		
Offensive conduct	1	-	2	29	16	31	7	86		
<b>Total</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>324</b>		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>										
Driver licence offences	2	2	2	33	10	12	4	65		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	5	1	1	-	7		
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	1	3	3	1	-	8		
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>80</b>		
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>										
Breach of custodial order offences	53	2	5	-	4	1	2	67		
Breach of community-based order	35	12	35	6	34	3	46	171		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	1	3	19	1	24	11	-	59		
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Offences against justice procedures	1	2	13	7	16	9	11	59		
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>357</b>		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Public health and safety offences	-	1	-	2	1	1	2	7		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1		
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>2,804</b>		

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 2.7

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE (a), AGE**

Type of offence	Gender: Total male and female											Total No.
	Age (years)											
	10 No.	11 No.	12 No.	13 No.	14 No.	15 No.	16 No.	17 No.	18 and over No.	Not known No.	Total No.	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	-	4	22	76	175	340	468	503	304	-	-	1,892
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	3	13	29	38	71	74	37	-	-	265
<b>Total</b>	-	4	25	89	204	378	539	577	341	-	-	2,157
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	1	-	2	10	12	16	17	21	-	-	79
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	-	-	6
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	2	10	13	17	19	23	-	-	85
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	1	-	-	8	7	11	11	15	-	-	53
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	3	1	10	24	30	29	-	-	97
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	1	10	25	32	29	-	-	100
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	-	-	8
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	1	2	1	12	10	20	26	14	-	-	86
<b>Total</b>	-	1	2	1	12	11	22	29	16	-	-	94

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	2	3	13	60	129	162	159	112	-	-	640
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	2	3	13	60	130	162	159	112	-	-	641
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
<b>Total</b>	-	5	14	53	132	192	237	233	236	1	-	1,103
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	1	9	20	42	87	92	109	73	-	-	433
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	8	11	42	81	134	153	95	85	-	-	609
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	3	3	13	31	45	56	61	37	-	-	249
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	12	23	75	154	266	301	265	195	-	-	1,291
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	1	1	7	12	10	11	-	-	42
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	2	-	-	7
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	4	-	-	7
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	1	9	16	13	18	-	-	58
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	2	2	8	17	19	-	-	48
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	4	-	-	10
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	1	1	9	27	40	77	25	-	-	180
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	11	30	52	97	49	-	-	241
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	1	-	3	3	1	7	1	-	-	16
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	2	3	-	-	11
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	-	4	4	5	9	4	-	-	27
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	-	5	12	35	75	120	144	188	110	-	-	689
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	5	12	35	75	120	145	189	110	-	-	691

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TABLE 2.7 continued

Gender: Total male and female												
Type of offence	Age (years)											Total No.
	10 No.	11 No.	12 No.	13 No.	14 No.	15 No.	16 No.	17 No.	18 and over No.	Not known No.	Total No.	
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	-	1	8	25	54	105	170	201	95	-	659	
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	7	3	-	16	
Offensive conduct	-	1	3	5	14	35	53	76	35	-	222	
<b>Total</b>	-	2	11	30	69	141	227	284	133	-	897	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	1	13	45	75	66	26	-	226	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	1	1	1	4	4	4	3	-	18	
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	6	11	35	13	-	65	
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	2	14	55	90	105	42	-	309	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	6	4	17	20	32	40	-	119	
Breach of community-based order	-	-	3	3	18	63	76	77	129	-	369	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	1	2	10	36	47	69	65	18	-	248	
Offences against government operations	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	3	
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	1	6	10	20	50	56	30	-	173	
<b>Total</b>	-	1	7	25	68	148	215	230	218	-	912	
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	3	7	4	4	1	-	19	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	3	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	3	7	6	5	1	-	22	
<b>Grand total (c)</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>1,514</b>	<b>2,059</b>	<b>2,247</b>	<b>1,528</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8,630</b>	

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 2.7a

**MALE PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE (a), AGE**

Type of offence	Gender: Male											Total		
	Age (years)													
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known	No.			
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>														
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>														
Assault	-	4	14	48	105	207	335	381	246	-	-	-	-	1,340
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	3	8	23	26	60	60	30	-	-	-	-	210
<b>Total</b>	-	4	17	56	128	233	395	441	276	-	-	-	-	1,550
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>														
Sexual assault	-	1	-	1	10	12	15	17	21	-	-	-	-	77
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	6
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	1	10	13	16	19	23	-	-	-	-	83
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	1	-	-	8	7	10	11	15	-	-	-	-	52
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>														
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	3	-	9	21	29	25	-	-	-	-	87
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	-	9	22	31	25	-	-	-	-	90
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>														
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	7
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	1	2	-	10	9	16	22	12	-	-	-	-	72
<b>Total</b>	-	1	2	-	10	10	17	25	14	-	-	-	-	79

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TABLE 2.7a continued

Gender: Male												
Age (years)												
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known	Total	
Type of offence	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	2	2	10	47	109	133	148	106	-	557	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	
<b>Total</b>	-	2	2	10	47	110	133	148	106	-	558	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	1	7	15	35	72	80	98	66	-	374	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	8	7	30	54	100	115	68	54	-	436	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	3	3	10	25	35	45	54	33	-	208	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	12	17	55	114	207	240	220	153	-	1,018	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	1	-	5	7	6	9	-	28	
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	2	-	7	
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	-	4	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	7	10	9	14	-	41	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	2	2	7	13	17	-	41	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	4	-	10	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	1	1	9	23	32	73	19	-	158	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	3	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	11	26	43	89	41	-	212	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	1	-	2	2	1	7	1	-	14	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	2	3	-	11	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	-	3	3	5	9	4	-	25	



<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>											
Property damage	-	3	10	22	60	97	120	169	102	-	583
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	3	10	22	60	97	121	170	102	-	585
<b>Public order offences</b>											
Disorderly conduct	-	1	6	19	43	80	141	169	85	-	544
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	6	3	-	13
Offensive conduct	-	1	3	3	7	25	44	59	29	-	171
<b>Total</b>	-	2	9	22	51	105	188	234	117	-	728
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>											
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	1	9	42	65	61	21	-	199
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	1	1	1	4	4	4	3	-	18
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	5	11	31	11	-	58
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	2	10	51	80	96	35	-	275
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>											
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	5	3	16	16	27	36	-	103
Breach of community-based order	-	-	3	2	13	47	65	68	108	-	306
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	1	1	3	21	24	38	49	16	-	153
Offences against government operations	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	3
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	1	3	4	16	36	47	26	-	133
<b>Total</b>	-	1	6	13	41	104	155	191	187	-	698
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>											
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	3	6	3	4	1	-	17
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	3	6	4	5	1	-	19
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>601</b>	<b>1,148</b>	<b>1,645</b>	<b>1,901</b>	<b>1,328</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6,964</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 2.7b

**FEMALE PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:  
MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE (a), AGE**

<b>Gender: Female</b>												
<b>Age (years)</b>												
<b>Type of offence</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18 and over</b>	<b>Not known</b>	<b>Total</b>	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	-	-	8	28	70	133	133	122	58	-	552	552
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	5	6	11	11	14	7	-	55	55
<b>Total</b>	-	-	8	33	76	144	144	136	65	-	607	607
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	2
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	2
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	4	-	10	10
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	4	-	10	10
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	1	2	1	4	4	2	-	14	14
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	2	1	5	4	2	-	15	15

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>											
Robbery	-	-	1	3	13	20	29	11	6	-	83
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	3	13	20	29	11	6	-	83
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>											
<b>Theft and related offences</b>											
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	2	5	7	15	12	11	7	-	59
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	-	4	12	27	34	38	27	31	-	173
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	-	3	6	10	11	7	4	-	41
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	6	20	40	59	61	45	42	-	273
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>											
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	1	1	2	5	4	2	-	14
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	2	6	4	4	-	17
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>											
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	2	-	7
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	4	8	4	6	-	22
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	4	9	8	8	-	29
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>											
Property damage	-	2	2	13	15	23	24	19	8	-	106
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	2	2	13	15	23	24	19	8	-	106

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<b>Gender: Female</b>												
<b>Age (years)</b>												
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known	Total	
<i>Type of offence</i>	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	-	-	2	6	11	25	29	32	10	-	115	
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	3	
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	2	7	10	9	17	6	-	51	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	8	18	36	39	50	16	-	169	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	4	3	10	5	5	-	27	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	4	2	-	7	
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	4	4	10	9	7	-	34	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	1	1	1	4	5	4	-	16	
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	1	5	16	11	9	21	-	63	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	1	7	15	23	31	16	2	-	95	
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	3	6	4	14	9	4	-	40	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	12	27	44	60	39	31	-	214	
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	3	
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,666</b>	

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table.

(b) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 2.8

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES (a)  
AND DURATION OF PROCEEDINGS:  
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE, BAIL STATUS**

- (1) Total includes 8 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (2) Total includes 5 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (3) Total includes 1 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (4) Total includes 2 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (5) Total includes 16 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (6) Total includes 31 persons with unknown bail status.  
 (7) Total includes 5 persons with unknown bail status.

	Bail status											
	On bail				Bail refused (b)				Total			
	Court delay		Persons charged		Court delay		Persons charged		Court delay		Persons charged	
Outcome of appearance	No.	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>	1,353	31.0	136.0	250	52.5	104.5	1,611 (1)	33.0	130.0			
All charges dismissed	528	25.0	132.0	41	24.0	78.0	574 (2)	25.0	127.0			
Guilty of at least one charge	650	37.0	135.0	162	65.5	107.5	813 (3)	40.0	126.0			
Other (c)	175	30.0	162.0	47	143.0	120.0	224 (4)	35.5	147.5			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (d)</b>	1,774	47.5	43.0	261	111.0	63.0	2,051 (5)	50.0	47.0			
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	3,341	37.0	63.0	565	55.0	69.0	3,937 (6)	38.0	64.0			
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	141	58.0	28.0	.	.	.	146 (7)	57.0	28.0			
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	506	27.0	119.0	16	12.5	79.0	522	26.5	119.0			
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	56	19.0	23.0	42	2.5	66.5	98	12.0	31.0			

(a) Excluded from this table are 265 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

(b) 'Bail refused' and the excluded persons in custody for a prior offence replace the combined 'In custody' bail status. Caution should be used when comparing this data with that published in previous years.

(c) The category 'Proceeded to defended hearing : Other' includes persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (1) pleaded guilty to other charges or (2) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

(d) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had proceeded to defended hearing or were sentenced after a guilty plea.

TABLE 2.9

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES (a):  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES SINCE 2001**

Type of principal offence	Prior proven offences since 2001											
	No prior proven offences		Prior proven offences not of same type		Prior proven offences of same type without imprisonment		Prior proven offences of same type with imprisonment		Total			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Homicide and related offences	2	100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	100.0		
Acts intended to cause injury	819	53.7	343	22.5	303	19.9	60	3.9	1,525	100.0		
Sexual assault and related offences	27	67.5	11	27.5	1	2.5	1	2.5	40	100.0		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	67	56.8	42	35.6	6	5.1	3	2.5	118	100.0		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	15	31.9	30	63.8	2	4.3	-	-	47	100.0		
Robbery, extortion and related offences	245	56.3	137	31.5	31	7.1	22	5.1	435	100.0		
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	297	37.8	247	31.4	162	20.6	80	10.2	786	100.0		
Theft and related offences	448	40.7	263	23.9	318	28.9	71	6.5	1,100	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	16	45.7	17	48.6	1	2.9	1	2.9	35	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	122	51.0	100	41.8	16	6.7	1	0.4	239	100.0		
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	11	50.0	10	45.5	1	4.5	-	-	22	100.0		
Property damage and environmental pollution	296	42.2	215	30.6	166	23.6	25	3.6	702	100.0		
Public order offences	424	47.1	225	25.0	235	26.1	16	1.8	900	100.0		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	176	55.9	77	24.4	60	19.0	2	0.6	315	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	230	28.0	319	38.9	220	26.8	51	6.2	820	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	12	63.2	7	36.8	-	-	-	-	19	100.0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,207</b>	<b>45.1</b>	<b>2,043</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>1,522</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>7,105</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

(a) The data in this table are sourced from the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research's Reoffending Database. As a consequence, the totals shown here are slightly different to those presented elsewhere in this section of the report.

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**SECTION 3:  
NEW SOUTH WALES  
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Tables

TABLE 3.1

**PERSONS REGISTERED IN TRIAL AND SENTENCE CASES:  
REGISTRY, TYPE OF COMMITTAL**

<i>Registry</i>	<i>Type of committal</i>					
	<i>Committed for trial</i>		<i>Committed for sentence</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
Supreme Court	98	5.1	13	0.7	111	2.9
<b>District Court:</b>						
Dubbo	79	4.1	92	4.8	171	4.5
Lismore	79	4.1	85	4.5	164	4.3
Newcastle	235	12.3	322	17.0	557	14.6
Sydney	678	35.5	637	33.6	1,315	34.5
Sydney West	563	29.4	536	28.3	1,099	28.9
Wagga Wagga	63	3.3	66	3.5	129	3.4
Wollongong	117	6.1	146	7.7	263	6.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,912</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,897</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,809</b>	<b>100.0</b>



TABLE 3.2

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
REGISTRY, TYPE OF COMMITTAL, METHOD OF FINALISATION**

Registry	Type of committal	Method of finalisation														
		Proceeded to trial			Proven outcome not further described (a)			Proceeded to sentence only			No charges proceeded with			All charges otherwise disposed of		
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%			
<b>Supreme Court</b>	Committed for trial	59	62.8	-	-	30	31.9	3	3.2	2	2.1	94	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	-	-	-	-	8	100.0	-	-	-	-	8	100.0			
<b>District Court</b>	Committed for trial	574	31.9	11	0.6	986	54.7	192	10.7	39	2.2	1,802	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	2	0.1	-	-	1,555	99.0	3	0.2	10	0.6	1,570	100.0			
Dubbo	Committed for trial	22	19.3	1	0.9	68	59.6	18	15.8	5	4.4	114	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	-	-	-	-	74	98.7	1	1.3	-	-	75	100.0			
Lismore	Committed for trial	32	34.0	-	-	56	59.6	5	5.3	1	1.1	94	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	1	1	-	-	70	98.6	-	-	-	-	71	100.0			
Newcastle	Committed for trial	70	27.7	1	0.4	153	60.5	25	9.9	4	1.6	253	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	-	-	-	-	253	98.8	-	-	3	1.2	256	100.0			
Sydney	Committed for trial	264	39.5	4	0.6	325	48.7	62	9.3	13	1.9	668	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	1	0.2	-	-	564	99.5	1	0.2	1	0.2	567	100.0			
Sydney West	Committed for trial	138	29.2	4	0.8	266	56.4	51	10.8	13	2.8	472	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	-	-	-	-	414	98.3	1	0.2	6	1.4	421	100.0			
Wagga Wagga	Committed for trial	16	25.4	-	-	35	55.6	10	15.9	2	3.2	63	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	-	-	-	-	66	100.0	-	-	-	-	66	100.0			
Wollongong	Committed for trial	32	23.2	1	0.7	83	60.1	21	15.2	1	0.7	138	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	-	-	-	-	114	100.0	-	-	-	-	114	100.0			
<b>All registries</b>	Committed for trial	633	33.4	11	0.6	1,016	53.6	195	10.3	41	2.2	1,896	100.0			
	Committed for sentence	2	0.1	-	-	1,563	99.0	3	0.2	10	0.6	1,578	100.0			
<b>Total</b>		<b>635</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>2,579</b>	<b>74.2</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>3,474</b>	<b>100.0</b>			

(a) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

TABLE 3.3

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
YEAR OF COMMITTAL, JURISDICTION, TYPE OF COMMITTAL**

Year of committal	Jurisdiction						Total
	Supreme Court		District Court				
	Committed for trial	Committed for sentence	Type of committal		Committed for trial	Committed for sentence	
2006 or earlier	2	0	29	5	31	5	
2007	5	0	36	1	41	1	
2008	11	0	168	28	179	28	
2009	54	3	1,043	584	1,097	587	
2010	22	5	525	952	547	957	
Unknown	0	0	1	0	1	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1,802</b>	<b>1,570</b>	<b>1,896</b>	<b>1,578</b>	

TABLE 3.4

**PERSONS CHARGED AND NUMBER OF CHARGES IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF OFFENCE CHARGED (a)**

<i>Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>			
Murder		79	83
Attempted murder		38	45
Manslaughter and driving causing death		46	53
		49	81
<b>Total</b>		189	262
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
Assault		609	934
		25	30
		156	200
		45	58
		9	15
<b>Total</b>		734	1,237
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
Sexual assault		513	2,200
		22	61
		21	50
		38	107
		1	1
		8	19
<b>Total</b>		553	2,438
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>		304	1,521
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle		21	25
		47	72
		2	2
		5	6
<b>Total</b>		65	105

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TABLE 3.4 continued

Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group	Persons charged (b)		Charges No.
	No.	No.	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>			
Abduction and kidnapping	139		175
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	11		29
Harassment and threatening behaviour	0		0
Threatening behaviour	16		51
<b>Total</b>	<b>160</b>		<b>255</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>			
Robbery	625		997
Non-aggravated robbery	91		113
Blackmail and extortion	2		3
<b>Total</b>	<b>695</b>		<b>1,113</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>			
<b>Theft and related offences</b>			
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	42		58
Theft of a motor vehicle	114		151
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0		0
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	39		46
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	1		7
Theft of intellectual property	5		7
Theft from retail premises	106		136
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	364		767
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	0		0
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	601		1,172
<b>Total</b>			<b>1,172</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>			
Obtain benefit by deception	125		1,008
Forgery and counterfeiting	1		1
Forgery of documents	40		471
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	2		6
Fraudulent trade practices	6		43
Misrepresentation of professional status	4		16
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	0		0
Dishonest conversion	22		55
Other fraud and deception offences, other	11		31
<b>Total</b>	<b>178</b>		<b>1,631</b>

<b>Illicit drug offences</b>		
Import or export illicit drugs	73	84
Export illicit drugs	0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	182	236
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	527	882
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	68	81
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	113	129
Cultivate illicit drugs	333	536
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	5	5
Use illicit drugs	53	64
Other illicit drug offences	865	2,017
<b>Total</b>		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>		
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	95	223
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives	21	65
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other	100	259
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	61	119
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives	8	44
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives	2	2
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences	164	712
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other		
<b>Total</b>		
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>		
Property damage	37	41
Property damage by fire or explosion	0	0
Graffiti	119	202
Property damage, other	0	0
Environmental pollution	0	0
Air pollution offences	0	0
Water pollution offences	0	0
Noise pollution offences	0	0
Soil pollution offences	0	0
Environmental pollution, other	0	0
<b>Total</b>	153	243

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TABLE 3.4 continued

<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Public order offences</b>			
Disorderly conduct			
Trespass	23		25
Criminal intent	104		115
Riot and affray	89		93
Disorderly conduct, other	1		1
Regulated public order offences	0		0
Betting and gambling offences	4		5
Liquor and tobacco offences	0		0
Censorship offences	1		1
Prostitution offences	5		14
Offences against public order sexual standards	0		0
Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	0		0
Regulated public order offences, other	0		0
Offensive language	3		3
Offensive behaviour	19		20
Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0		0
Cruelty to animals	2		2
<b>Total</b>	<b>241</b>		<b>279</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
Driver licence offences			
Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	41		49
Drive without a licence	21		21
Driver licence offences, other	5		6
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences			
Registration offences	9		14
Roadworthiness offences	0		0
Regulatory driving offences			
Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	22		22
Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0		0
Parking offences (d)	0		0
Regulatory driving offences, other	25		30
Pedestrian offences	0		0
<b>Total</b>	<b>95</b>		<b>142</b>

<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>		
Breach of custodial order offences	10	10
Escape custody offences		
Breach of home detention	0	0
Breach of suspended sentence	0	0
Breach of community-based order	0	0
Breach of community service order		
Breach of parole	0	0
Breach of bail	6	7
Breach of bond - supervised (a) and (e)	0	0
Breach of bond - unsupervised (a) and (e)	0	0
Breach of community-based order, other	3	6
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	35	57
Breach of violence order		
Breach of non-violence orders	0	0
Offences against government operations	0	0
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)		
Bribery involving government officials	2	4
Immigration offences	4	14
Offences against government operations, other	3	9
Offences against government security	0	0
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security		
Offences against government security, other	9	9
Offences against justice procedures	69	104
Subvert the course of justice		
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	43	51
Prison regulation offences	0	0
Offences against justice procedures, other	17	29
<b>Total</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>300</b>

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TABLE 3.4 continued

Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group	Persons charged (b)		Charges	
	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>				
Defamation, libel and privacy offences				
Defamation and libel		0		0
Offences against privacy		1		1
Sanitation offences		0		0
Disease prevention offences		0		0
Occupational health and safety offences		0		0
Transport regulation offences		1		1
Dangerous substances offences		0		0
Licit drug offences		54		104
Public health and safety offences, other		1		1
Commercial/industry/financial regulation		47		59
Other miscellaneous offences		3		5
Environmental regulation offences		6		24
Bribery excluding government officials		0		0
Quarantine offences		3		3
Import/export regulations		0		0
Procure or commit illegal abortion		0		0
Other miscellaneous offences, other		2		4
<b>Total</b>		117		202
<b>Grand total (f)</b>		<b>3,474</b>		<b>13,078</b>

(a) All ASOC group categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentence, Community Service Order and bond are not in scope of the Higher Court collection.

(b) Persons charged counts the number of people charged with the specified offence. A person who is charged with more than one offence within an offence group (for example, a person charged with both theft of a motor vehicle and theft from retail premises) is counted only once in the offence division total.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(d) These offences are excluded from this table because they are proceeded against by infringement notice and so are not in scope of this collection.

(e) These ASOC group categories are labelled 'Breach of bond - probation' and 'Breach of bond - other' respectively in the ASOC 2008 group categories.

(f) The grand total is a count of the total number of distinct persons charged in trial and sentence appearances finalised. For 'charges', all totals simply sum over the offence categories.



**TABLE 3.5****PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
NUMBER OF OFFENCES CHARGED**

<b><i>Number of offences charged</i></b>	<b><i>Persons charged</i></b>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
1	1,140	32.8
2	824	23.7
3	478	13.8
4	316	9.1
5	190	5.5
6	128	3.7
7	94	2.7
8	56	1.6
9	47	1.4
10 or more	201	5.8

TABLE 3.6

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
METHOD OF FINALISATION, JURISDICTION**

<i>Method of finalisation</i>	<i>Jurisdiction</i>					
	<i>Supreme Court</i>		<i>District Court</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to trial:</b>						
Acquitted of all charges	22	21.6	278	8.2	300	8.6
Guilty of at least one charge	37	36.3	266	7.9	303	8.7
Other (a)	-	-	32	0.9	32	0.9
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	11	0.3	11	0.3
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	38	37.3	2,541	75.4	2,579	74.2
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	3	2.9	195	5.8	198	5.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	2	2.0	49	1.5	51	1.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,372</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,474</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 3.7

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS  
CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
METHOD OF FINALISATION, JURISDICTION**

<i>Method of finalisation</i>	<i>Jurisdiction</i>					
	<i>Supreme Court</i>		<i>District Court</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to trial:</b>						
Acquitted of all charges	5	29.4	45	6.8	50	7.4
Guilty of at least one charge	4	23.5	39	5.9	43	6.3
Other (a)	-	-	3	0.5	3	0.4
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	3	0.5	3	0.4
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	8	47.1	531	80.1	539	79.3
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	-	-	36	5.4	36	5.3
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	-	-	6	0.9	6	0.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>663</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>680</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

TABLE 3.8

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Attempted murder	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	66	-	-	4	-	3	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	107	-	-	4	-	3	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	265	1	-	12	-	47	18	9	19	15	-	-	3	4	
Other acts intended to cause injury	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	-	-	-	9	
<b>Total</b>	269	1	-	12	-	47	19	9	19	19	-	-	3	4	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	193	1	-	1	-	26	12	2	12	14	-	-	-	5	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	24	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	
<b>Total</b>	217	1	-	2	-	28	13	2	13	15	-	-	-	6	
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	131	-	-	2	-	18	10	2	5	7	-	-	-	5	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	11	-	1	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	
<b>Total</b>	11	-	1	5	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	1	2	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	48	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	2	3	-	-	-	58	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	8	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
<b>Total</b>	55	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	3	4	-	-	-	69	

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence															
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Total
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Normal sentence	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded		
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>																
Robbery	441	1	-	10	1	61	22	4	9	7	-	-	1	-	-	557
Blackmail and extortion	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	442	1	-	10	1	61	22	4	9	7	-	-	1	-	-	558
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>																
276	-	-	-	9	1	55	19	3	17	11	-	-	3	-	-	394
<b>Theft and related offences</b>																
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	21	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	26
Theft (except motor vehicles)	19	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	26
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	25	-	-	2	-	5	14	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	54
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	65	-	-	4	-	6	16	1	6	7	-	1	-	-	-	106
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>																
Obtain benefit by deception	38	-	5	1	-	2	13	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	62
Forgery and counterfeiting	10	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
Deceptive business/government practices	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Other fraud and deception offences	10	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
<b>Total</b>	61	-	5	1	-	3	16	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	93
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>																
Import or export illicit drugs	65	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	69
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	276	-	3	19	4	94	52	11	26	21	-	1	3	-	-	510
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	109	-	-	2	-	12	8	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	135
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other illicit drug offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	452	-	3	21	4	108	61	13	28	21	1	1	3	-	-	716
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>																
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	17	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	25
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	23	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	27
<b>Total</b>	40	-	-	-	-	2	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	52

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	9	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	13
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	14	-	-	-	6	-	2	4	2	-	1	29
Regulated public order offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>30</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulatory driving offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against government operations	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Offences against government security	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Offences against justice procedures	14	-	-	-	2	6	2	1	6	-	1	32
<b>Total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
Other miscellaneous offences	4	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>2,048</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>326</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2,925</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentence, Community Service Order and bond are not in scope of the Higher Court collection.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 3.8a

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY OF DRUG OFFENCES IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF DRUG AND PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of drug and principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	No.	No.	
<b>Opiates</b>															
Import illicit drugs	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	31	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	32	-	-	-	7	4	1	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	49
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>108</b>
<b>Cannabis</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	15	-	3	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	23
Manufacture illicit drugs	21	-	2	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27
Cultivate illicit drugs	64	-	-	-	8	6	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	82
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>138</b>

<b>Hallucinogens</b>											
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	4	1	-	4	1	-	-	5
<b>Amphetamines</b>											
Import illicit drugs	17	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	18
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	50	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	53
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	54	-	4	1	30	4	6	1	-	-	115
Manufacture illicit drugs	17	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	19
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	139	-	5	1	31	4	6	1	-	-	206
<b>Barbiturates</b>											
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	1	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	1	7
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	3	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	1	1	10

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TABLE 3.8a continued

<i>Type of drug and principal offence</i>	<b>Penalty for principal offence</b>														<b>Total</b>
	<i>Imprisonment</i>	<i>Home detention</i>	<i>Periodic detention (b)</i>	<i>Intensive Correction Order (b)</i>	<i>Suspended sentence with supervision</i>	<i>Suspended sentence without supervision</i>	<i>Community Service Order</i>	<i>Bond with supervision</i>	<i>Bond without supervision</i>	<i>Fine</i>	<i>Nominal sentence</i>	<i>Bond without conviction</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Cocaine</b>															
Import illicit drugs	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	17	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	10	-	2	1	5	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	23
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>Ecstasy</b>															
Import illicit drugs	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	31	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	21	1	4	1	38	22	4	9	16	-	-	3	-	-	119
Manufacture illicit drugs	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>166</b>



<b>Other drug</b>												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	3	-	-	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	8
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Unknown</b>												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs, non-commercial quantity	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	6
Manufacture illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Illicit drug offences, other	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>452</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>716</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

TABLE 3.9

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

<i>Type of principal offence</i>	<i>Penalty for principal offence</i>											<i>Total</i>
	<i>Imprisonment</i>	<i>Detention in juvenile institution</i>	<i>Periodic detention (b)</i>	<i>Suspended sentence with supervision</i>	<i>Suspended sentence without supervision</i>	<i>Community Service Order</i>	<i>Bond with supervision</i>	<i>Bond without supervision</i>	<i>Nominal sentence</i>	<i>Bond without conviction</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Attempted murder	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Manslaughter and driving causing death	12	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13
<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	87	-	2	17	5	2	6	4	-	1	-	124
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>125</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	31	-	-	2	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	37
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>37</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	9	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	12
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	8	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	11
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12</b>

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>										
Robbery	123	1	-	11	1	2	5	3	-	146
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>146</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>										
	131	-	2	14	5	-	10	-	-	162
<b>Theft and related offences</b>										
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Theft (except motor vehicles)	8	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	10
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	7
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>										
Obtain benefit by deception	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>										
Import or export illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	22	-	1	6	2	1	2	-	-	34
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>										
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	6	-	-	2	-	-	2	2	-	12
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12</b>

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence											Total
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Periodic detention (b)	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	No.	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>458</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>588</b>

(a) All ASOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were found guilty are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentence, Community Service Order and bond are not in scope of the Higher Court collection.

(b) Periodic detention was replaced by Intensive Correction Orders on 1 October 2010. See Appendix 1 for more information.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ASOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ASOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 3.10

**AVERAGE PENALTY FOR PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average \$
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>											
Murder	170.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	72.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	40.6	-	-	18.0	-	22.0	500.0	-	27.0	-	-
<b>Total</b>	83.9	-	-	18.0	-	22.0	500.0	-	27.0	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>											
Assault	25.0	12.0	-	15.0	-	18.5	186.1	-	21.4	-	-
Other acts intended to cause injury	23.7	-	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	21.0	-	-
<b>Total</b>	25.0	12.0	-	15.0	-	18.4	186.1	-	21.4	-	-
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>											
Sexual assault	39.0	25.1	-	6.0	-	19.9	75.0	-	24.2	-	-
Non-assaultive sexual offences	20.1	-	-	6.0	-	18.0	-	-	42.0	-	-
<b>Total</b>	36.9	25.1	-	6.0	-	19.7	75.0	-	25.5	-	-
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>											
<b>Total</b>	33.3	-	-	6.0	-	19.8	75.0	-	26.5	-	-
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	15.2	-	9.0	14.6	-	18.0	-	-	12.0	750	-
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-	-
<b>Total</b>	15.2	-	9.0	14.6	-	18.0	-	-	16.0	750	-
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>											
Abduction and kidnapping	29.9	-	-	-	-	16.6	-	-	24.0	-	-
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	65.6	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	24.0	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	15.0	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	32.6	-	-	12.0	-	17.8	-	-	24.0	-	-

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TABLE 3.10 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Periodic detention (b)	Intensive Correction Order (b)	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average \$
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>											
Robbery	25.4	13.0	-	15.3	24.0	19.5	362.5	29.4	-		
Blackmail and extortion	27.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	25.4	13.0	-	15.3	24.0	19.5	362.5	29.4	-		
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>											
20.5	-	-	13.0	24.0	22.1	225.0	23.0	-			
<b>Theft and related offences</b>											
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	22.1	-	-	15.0	-	12.0	450.0	-	-		
Theft (except motor vehicles)	14.7	-	-	-	-	10.5	-	15.0	-		
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	24.2	-	-	18.6	-	19.3	-	25.5	-		
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	20.7	-	-	16.8	-	18.2	450.0	21.5	-		
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>											
Obtain benefit by deception	21.1	-	13.4	12.0	-	20.3	237.5	24.0	-		
Forgery and counterfeiting	20.7	-	-	-	-	16.5	250.0	48.0	-		
Deceptive business/government practices	15.7	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	12.0	-		
Other fraud and deception offences	23.9	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	21.3	-	13.4	12.0	-	20.9	241.7	33.0	-		
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>											
Import or export illicit drugs	71.1	-	-	-	-	20.0	-	-	3,000		
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	28.0	-	9.0	13.4	21.4	17.5	222.7	26.4	-		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	26.7	-	-	8.0	-	19.8	250.0	13.5	-		
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	17.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Other illicit drug offences	5.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	33.8	-	9.0	12.9	21.4	17.8	226.9	25.9	3,000		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	24.0	-	-	-	-	20.7	-	9.0	-		
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	21.7	-	-	-	-	14.5	-	36.0	-		
<b>Total</b>	22.7	-	-	-	-	18.6	-	22.5	-		

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	19.6	-	-	-	-	-	23.0	-	60.0	-
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>19.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	13.2	-	-	-	-	-	17.7	350.0	19.0	-
Regulated public order offences	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>350.0</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>										
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulatory driving offences	18.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	189
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>189</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>										
Breach of custodial order offences	18.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against government operations	16.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against government security	234.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	17.7	-	-	-	-	-	23.9	350.0	18.1	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>62.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>350.0</b>	<b>18.1</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	12.0	11.0	-	-	36.0	-	-	-
Other miscellaneous offences	20.5	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	12.0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>20.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>30.9</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>19.3</b>	<b>249.4</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>1,313</b>	<b>-</b>

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TABLE 3.11

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), AGE, AVERAGE AGE**

Gender: Total male and female																											
Age (years)																											
Type of principal offence	Under 18		18		19		20-24		25-29		30-39		40-49		50-59		60-65		Over 65		Not known		Total		Average age		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	Years	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																											
Murder	5	5	-	6	4	4	5	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	29.8	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	32.8	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	8	6	5	16	14	15	5	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78	29.7	
<b>Total</b>	13	11	5	25	20	20	14	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	119	29.9	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																											
Assault	31	33	28	94	70	88	34	10	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	393	28.5	
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	28.4	
<b>Total</b>	31	33	28	96	74	91	34	10	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	402	28.5	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																											
Sexual assault	22	12	8	31	42	71	49	16	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	266	34.4	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	2	5	3	12	6	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	43.5	
<b>Total</b>	22	12	8	33	47	74	61	22	10	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	297	35.3	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																											
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>	14	8	5	12	27	44	39	19	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	36.7	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	4	2	4	2	4	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	30.5	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	22.4	
<b>Total</b>	-	4	3	4	3	4	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	29.7	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																											
Abduction and kidnapping	1	3	1	20	10	15	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58	29.1	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	2	2	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	32.5	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	39.2	
<b>Total</b>	1	3	3	22	12	17	7	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69	29.9	



<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	23	118	76	155	81	73	25	5	-	1	-	557	24.4
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	67.8
<b>Total</b>	23	118	76	155	81	73	25	5	-	2	-	558	24.5
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
	-	55	35	116	70	83	31	3	-	1	-	394	26.9
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	2	4	7	6	4	3	-	-	-	-	26	26.3
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	4	2	4	4	7	3	2	-	-	-	26	29.4
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	1	1	3	7	9	19	13	1	-	-	-	54	33.2
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	1	7	9	18	19	30	19	3	-	-	-	106	30.6
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	3	4	24	13	13	5	-	-	62	42.2
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	3	3	6	2	1	-	-	-	15	33.4
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	5	41.7
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	2	3	4	2	-	-	-	11	39.6
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	7	9	35	19	18	5	-	-	93	40.4
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	2	-	4	11	22	17	10	1	2	-	69	38.9
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	21	26	100	105	151	61	34	5	6	-	510	32.4
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	1	8	20	42	40	19	3	2	-	135	39.7
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	36.8
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	51.7
<b>Total</b>	1	23	27	112	136	216	118	64	9	10	-	716	34.4
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	2	4	6	2	6	2	2	-	25	42.6
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	1	-	6	3	5	6	5	-	-	-	27	36.3
<b>Total</b>	1	2	-	8	7	11	8	11	2	2	-	52	39.3
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	-	4	1	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	13	28.1
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	4	1	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	13	28.1

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Gender: Total male and female												
Age (years)												
Type of principal offence	Under 18		18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Average age
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	3	2	1	6	5	8	2	2	-	-	-	28.8
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22.9
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>28.6</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	38.5
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>38.5</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	64.2
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	37.6
Offences against government security	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	31.4
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	1	4	2	9	9	7	-	-	-	39.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>38.9</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	42.7
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	1	1	1	1	44.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>43.8</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>489</b>	<b>684</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,925</b>

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TABLE 3.11a

**MALE PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), AGE, AVERAGE AGE**

<b>Gender: Male</b>													
<b>Age (Years)</b>													
<b>Under</b>	<b>Age (Years)</b>											<b>Average age</b>	
	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>25-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-59</b>	<b>60-65</b>	<b>Over 65</b>	<b>Not known</b>	<b>Total</b>		
<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Years</b>	
<b>Type of principal offence</b>													
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>													
Murder	5	5	-	6	4	4	8	1	-	-	-	33	29.6
Attempted murder	-	-	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	6	34.1
Manslaughter and driving causing death	8	5	14	14	14	2	7	1	-	-	-	70	29.1
<b>Total</b>	13	10	5	23	19	18	11	8	1	1	-	109	29.5
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>													
Assault	29	31	25	88	66	73	29	10	4	1	-	356	28.3
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	2	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	28.0
<b>Total</b>	29	31	25	90	70	75	29	10	4	1	-	364	28.3
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>													
Sexual assault	22	12	8	30	41	68	47	16	8	7	-	259	34.3
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	2	4	3	10	6	2	1	-	28	44.0
<b>Total</b>	22	12	8	32	45	71	57	22	10	8	-	287	35.2
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>													
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	14	8	5	11	25	41	36	19	6	6	-	171	36.7
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	3	2	2	1	2	2	-	-	1	-	13	30.7
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	25.2
<b>Total</b>	-	3	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	1	-	14	30.3
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>													
Abduction and kidnapping	1	3	-	19	7	14	7	1	-	-	-	52	29.5
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	2	2	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	8	32.5
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	3	39.2
<b>Total</b>	1	3	2	21	9	16	7	4	-	-	-	63	30.3

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TABLE 3.11a continued

		Gender: Male												
		Age (years)										Average age		
Type of principal offence	Under 18	Over 18									Total	Average age		
		18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65			Not known	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>														
Robbery	21	112	70	148	73	68	23	5	-	1	-	-	521	24.4
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	67.8
<b>Total</b>	21	112	70	148	73	68	23	5	-	2	-	-	522	24.5
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>														
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	-	53	34	107	66	78	28	3	-	1	-	-	370	26.9
<b>Theft and related offences</b>														
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	2	4	7	6	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	26	26.3
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	3	2	4	3	7	3	1	-	-	-	-	23	28.9
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	1	3	6	8	18	9	-	-	-	-	-	45	32.6
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	6	9	17	17	29	15	1	-	-	-	-	94	30.0
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>														
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	1	2	18	9	10	2	-	-	-	42	42.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	3	2	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	11	31.9
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	5	41.7
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	2	-	-	-	-	9	41.9
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	5	5	27	13	15	2	-	-	-	67	40.4
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>														
Import or export illicit drugs	-	2	-	4	9	20	15	7	1	2	-	-	60	38.4
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	16	25	87	89	126	49	28	5	5	-	-	431	32.3
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	1	6	14	38	34	17	3	2	-	-	115	40.2
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	36.8
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	1	18	26	97	112	185	98	52	9	9	-	-	607	34.4
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>														
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	2	3	6	2	6	2	2	-	-	24	43.3
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	5	3	5	6	5	-	-	-	-	25	37.7
<b>Total</b>	-	2	-	7	6	11	8	11	2	2	-	-	49	40.4

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>											
Property damage	-	-	4	1	3	2	2	-	-	12	27.8
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	4	1	3	2	2	-	-	12	27.8
<b>Public order offences</b>											
Disorderly conduct	3	2	1	6	4	8	2	2	-	28	28.8
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	22.9
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	3	2	1	7	4	8	2	2	-	29	28.6
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>											
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	38.5
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	38.5
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>											
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	64.2
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	4	37.6
Offences against government security	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	-	-	5	31.4
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	3	1	7	8	7	-	26	41.4
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	4	2	12	10	7	1	36	40.2
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>											
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	45.1
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	5	44.0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	-	1	7	44.3
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>186</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>605</b>	<b>308</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>30.4</b>

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TABLE 3.11b

**FEMALE PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (a), AGE, AVERAGE AGE**

Gender: Female												
Age (years)												
Type of principal offence	Age (years)											Average age Years
	Under 18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	1	-	2	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	8
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	2	1	2	3	1	-	-	-	10
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	2	2	3	6	4	15	5	-	-	-	-	37
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	2	2	3	6	4	16	5	-	-	-	-	38
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	1	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	7
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	2	3	4	-	-	-	-	10
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	1	2	3	3	-	-	-	-	9
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	1	-	2	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	7
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	1	1	2	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	8
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	6
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	6

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	2	6	6	7	8	5	2	-	-	-	-	36	25.0
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>25.0</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	33.2
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	1	-	-	1	1	1	4	1	-	-	-	9	36.4
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>35.6</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	2	2	6	4	3	3	-	-	20	42.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	4	37.4
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	29.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>40.6</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	3	-	-	-	9	42.2
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	5	1	13	16	25	12	6	-	1	-	79	33.3
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	2	6	4	6	2	-	-	-	20	36.9
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	51.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>34.8</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	27.0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	19.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>21.8</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	31.7
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31.7</b>

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**TABLE 3.11b continued**

		Gender: Female												Average age				
		Age (years)																
Type of principal offence	Under													Total	Average age			
	18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	Total	Years					
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
<b>Public order offences</b>																		
Disorderly conduct	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.0
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.0
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>																		
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>																		
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	31.4
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	31.4
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>																		
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	37.9
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	44.9
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	42.6
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>293</b>					<b>32.5</b>	

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TABLE 3.12

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES:  
METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

<i>Method of finalisation</i>	<b>Bail status</b>									
	<i>Bail dispensed with</i>		<i>On bail</i>		<i>Bail refused</i>		<i>In custody, prior offence</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Proceeded to trial:</b>										
Acquitted of all charges	3	11.1	214	11.5	67	5.8	16	3.8	300	8.6
Guilty of at least one charge	3	11.1	182	9.7	89	7.7	29	6.9	303	8.7
Other (a)	-	-	17	0.9	9	0.8	6	1.4	32	0.9
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	3	0.2	4	0.3	4	1.0	11	0.3
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	7	25.9	1,260	67.5	963	83.1	349	82.9	2,579	74.2
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	2	7.4	167	8.9	16	1.4	13	3.1	198	5.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	12	44.4	24	1.3	11	0.9	4	1.0	51	1.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,867</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,159</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,474</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

TABLE 3.13a

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

	Supreme Court Registry											
	Bail status						Total					
	On bail			Bail refused			On bail			Bail refused		
	Court delay		Persons charged	Court delay		Persons charged	Court delay		Persons charged	Court delay		Persons charged
Offence to committal	Median duration (days)	Offence to committal		Median duration (days)	Offence to committal		Median duration (days)	Offence to committal		Median duration (days)		
Method of finalisation	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	10	446.0	279.5	100.0	44	429.0	265.0	123.0	54	439.0	273.0	121.0
Acquitted of all charges	1	1,291.0	429.0	-	19	412.0	225.0	-	20	435.0	234.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	9	446.0	279.0	100.0	25	431.0	293.0	123.0	34	439.0	279.5	121.0
Other (a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	12	543.0	195.0	32.5	22	359.0	195.5	23.0	34	481.0	195.5	29.5
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	2	1,033.0	390.5	-	1	311.0	419.0	-	3	461.0	419.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	328.0	160.0	-	1	264.0	113.0	-	2	296.0	136.5	-

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 9 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13b

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

	All District Court Registries											
	Bail status						Total					
	On bail			Bail refused			Total			Total		
	Court delay		Court delay		Court delay		Court delay		Court delay		Court delay	
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence
<i>Method of finalisation</i>	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	409	314.0	239.0	94.0	121	255.0	196.0	98.0	530	294.0	226.0	94.0
Acquitted of all charges	216	288.0	211.0	-	48	216.5	157.5	-	264	280.0	203.5	-
Guilty of at least one charge	176	353.0	286.0	94.0	64	271.0	209.0	99.5	240	336.0	255.0	96.0
Other (a)	17	223.0	282.0	7.0	9	302.0	309.0	41.0	26	244.0	289.0	10.5
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	3	336.0	112.0	0.0	4	184.5	110.5	0.0	7	198.0	112.0	0.0
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	1,255	241.0	147.0	0.0	941	217.0	135.0	0.0	2,196	230.0	143.0	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	167	309.0	215.0	-	15	398.0	189.0	-	182	311.0	213.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	35	439.0	179.0	-	10	198.5	150.5	-	45	330.0	174.0	-

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 412 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13c

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

<b>District Court Registry: Dubbo</b>													
<b>Bail status</b>													
<b>On bail</b>													
<b>Bail refused</b>													
<b>Total</b>													
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	Court delay				Court delay				Court delay				
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	
No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	14	320.5	356.5	91.5	7	503.0	204.0	44.0	21	326.0	295.0	84.0	
Acquitted of all charges	8	601.5	356.5	-	4	1,059.0	154.5	-	12	690.0	258.0	-	
Guilty of at least one charge	5	276.0	365.0	99.0	3	128.0	823.0	44.0	8	233.0	433.0	91.5	
Other (a)	1	3,621.0	282.0	14.0	-	-	-	-	1	3,621.0	282.0	14.0	
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	-	-	1	198.0	123.0	0.0	1	198.0	123.0	0.0	
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	69	238.0	186.0	0.0	53	161.0	101.0	0.0	122	209.0	133.0	0.0	
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	17	226.0	231.0	-	2	536.5	456.0	-	19	226.0	233.0	-	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	5	3,238.0	431.0	-	-	-	-	-	5	3,238.0	431.0	-	

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 21 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13d

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

<b>District Court Registry: Lismore</b>													
<b>Bail status</b>													
<b>On bail</b>													
<b>Bail refused</b>													
<b>Total</b>													
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	
No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	25	480.0	345.0	53.0	8	297.0	177.5	49.0	33	304.0	311.0	49.0	
Acquitted of all charges	11	534.0	384.0	-	5	290.0	160.0	-	16	383.0	335.5	-	
Guilty of at least one charge	11	480.0	364.0	63.0	2	299.0	147.0	24.5	13	480.0	345.0	63.0	
Other (a)	3	199.0	121.0	0.0	1	304.0	205.0	78.0	4	230.0	163.0	1.5	
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	70	270.5	162.0	0.0	41	230.0	131.0	0.0	111	237.0	148.0	0.0	
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	3	353.0	289.0	-	2	7,533.0	648.5	-	5	353.0	295.0	-	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	2,531.0	179.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	2,531.0	179.0	-	

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 15 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13e

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

Method of finalisation	District Court Registry: Newcastle														
	On bail						Bail refused						Total		
	Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay		
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome
No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	53	217.0	198.0	92.0	9	218.0	218.0	51.0	62	218.0	200.5	85.5			
Acquitted of all charges	33	213.0	191.0	-	3	181.0	105.0	-	36	197.0	186.5	-			
Guilty of at least one charge	18	252.5	210.0	92.0	5	380.0	414.0	39.0	23	260.0	210.0	84.0			
Other (a)	2	1,867.5	174.5	52.0	1	302.0	442.0	147.0	3	302.0	238.0	97.0			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	196	232.0	126.5	0.0	151	156.0	116.0	0.0	347	203.0	122.0	0.0			
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	22	357.0	198.0	-	1	1,694.0	89.0	-	23	374.0	181.0	-			
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	3	326.0	112.0	-	3	218.0	288.0	-	6	289.0	180.5	-			

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 71 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13f

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

<b>District Court Registry: Sydney</b>													
<b>Bail status</b>													
<b>Total</b>													
<b>On bail</b>													
<b>Bail refused</b>													
<b>Total</b>													
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>Court delay</b>				<b>Court delay</b>				<b>Court delay</b>				
	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	
<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	181	403.5	248.5	101.0	63	250.0	206.0	106.0	244	356.0	231.0	101.0	
Acquitted of all charges	90	378.0	202.0	-	19	189.0	170.0	-	109	322.0	201.0	-	
Guilty of at least one charge	86	457.0	285.0	100.5	40	289.0	228.5	112.5	126	426.0	269.0	101.5	
Other (a)	5	228.0	407.0	102.0	4	291.5	253.5	0.0	9	261.0	309.0	41.0	
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	1	1,335.0	107.0	0.0	1	68.0	284.0	0.0	2	702.0	195.5	0.0	
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	442	262.0	158.0	0.0	339	248.0	161.0	0.0	781	256.0	161.0	0.0	
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	56	323.0	175.5	-	3	148.0	119.0	-	59	320.0	170.0	-	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	11	451.0	160.0	-	2	176.0	150.5	-	13	317.0	160.0	-	

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 136 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13g

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

District Court Registry: Sydney West											
Bail status											
On bail											
Bail refused											
Total											
Court delay				Court delay				Court delay			
Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence
No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Method of finalisation</b>											
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>											
97	293.0	247.0	100.5	29	272.0	188.0	115.0	126	290.0	215.5	101.0
47	259.0	228.0	-	14	254.5	159.5	-	61	259.0	209.0	-
48	320.5	276.0	100.5	13	272.0	190.0	81.0	61	314.0	214.0	100.0
2	219.5	391.5	64.5	2	276.5	332.5	258.0	4	235.0	383.5	126.0
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>											
1	336.0	952.0	0.0	2	457.0	70.0	0.0	3	336.0	98.0	0.0
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>											
317	245.0	149.0	0.0	260	217.5	133.5	0.0	577	233.0	144.0	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>											
43	297.0	229.0	-	5	406.0	189.0	-	48	307.0	201.5	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>											
12	271.5	175.0	-	5	182.0	78.0	-	17	270.0	152.0	-

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 122 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.



TABLE 3.13h

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

<b>District Court Registry: Wagga Wagga</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>On bail</b>												
<b>Bail refused</b>												
<b>Total</b>												
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>On bail</b>				<b>Bail refused</b>				<b>Total</b>			
	<b>Court delay</b>				<b>Court delay</b>				<b>Court delay</b>			
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence
	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	14	443.0	251.5	47.0	1	165.0	357.0	0.0	15	439.0	264.0	0.0
Acquitted of all charges	10	454.5	218.5	-	-	-	-	-	10	455.0	218.5	-
Guilty of at least one charge	3	211.0	400.0	94.0	-	-	-	-	3	211.0	400.0	94.0
Other (a)	1	17,040.0	426.0	0.0	1	165.0	357.0	0.0	2	8,603.0	391.5	0.0
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	57	211.0	107.0	0.0	31	161.0	151.0	0.0	88	207.0	134.5	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	9	394.0	476.0	-	1	139.0	268.0	-	10	381.0	433.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	2	2,737.0	740.0	-	-	-	-	-	2	2,737.0	740.0	-

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 14 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.13i

**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES AND COURT DELAY:  
REGISTRY, METHOD OF FINALISATION, BAIL STATUS**

		District Court Registry: Wollongong											
		Bail status						Total					
		On bail			Bail refused			Total					
		Court delay			Court delay			Court delay					
Method of finalisation	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Median duration (days)	Persons charged
		Outcome to commitment	Outcome to sentence	Outcome to commitment	Outcome to sentence	Outcome to commitment	Outcome to sentence	Outcome to commitment	Outcome to sentence	Outcome to commitment	Outcome to sentence	Outcome to commitment	Outcome to sentence
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	25	209.0	191.0	5.0	4	132.5	99.0	71.0	29	208.0	183.0	7.0	
Acquitted of all charges	17	209.0	191.0	-	3	136.0	120.0	-	20	209.0	186.0	-	
Guilty of at least one charge	5	244.0	142.0	7.0	1	97.0	78.0	71.0	6	214.0	135.0	35.0	
Other (a)	3	208.0	281.0	3.0	-	-	-	-	3	208.0	281.0	3.0	
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	1	178.0	112.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	1	178.0	112.0	0.0	
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	104	177.5	142.0	0.0	66	145.5	106.5	0.0	170	159.0	118.0	0.0	
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	17	302.0	251.0	-	1	132.0	142.0	-	18	279.0	229.5	-	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	3,919.0	313.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	3,919.0	313.0	-	

(a) The category 'Proceeded to trial: Other' includes persons who were acquitted of one or more charges at trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

(b) The category 'Proven outcome not further described' includes persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether they had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

Excluded from this table are 33 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES (a):  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES SINCE 2001**

<i>Type of principal offence</i>	<i>Prior proven offences since 2001</i>													
	<i>No prior proven offences</i>			<i>Prior proven offences not of same type</i>			<i>Prior proven offences of same type without imprisonment</i>			<i>Prior proven offences of same type with imprisonment</i>			<i>Total</i>	
	No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%
Homicide and related offences	54	45.4	64	53.8	-	-	1	0.8	119	100.0				
Acts intended to cause injury	87	22.0	113	28.5	107	27.0	89	22.5	396	100.0				
Sexual assault and related offences	164	55.2	101	34.0	11	3.7	21	7.1	297	100.0				
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	11	50.0	8	36.4	3	13.6	-	-	22	100.0				
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	11	16.4	48	71.6	3	4.5	5	7.5	67	100.0				
Robbery, extortion and related offences	94	17.0	327	59.0	43	7.8	90	16.2	554	100.0				
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	43	10.9	175	44.4	44	11.2	132	33.5	394	100.0				
Theft and related offences	25	23.6	30	28.3	23	21.7	28	26.4	106	100.0				
Fraud, deception and related offences	57	61.3	20	21.5	9	9.7	7	7.5	93	100.0				
Illicit drug offences	291	41.0	228	32.1	128	18.0	63	8.9	710	100.0				
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	21	38.2	27	49.1	4	7.3	3	5.5	55	100.0				
Property damage and environmental pollution	7	43.8	6	37.5	3	18.8	-	-	16	100.0				
Public order offences	3	10.0	17	56.7	6	20.0	4	13.3	30	100.0				
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	-	-	1	100.0	-	-	-	-	1	100.0				
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	21	50.0	17	40.5	2	4.8	2	4.8	42	100.0				
Miscellaneous offences	8	80.0	1	10.0	-	-	1	10.0	10	100.0				
<b>Total</b>	<b>897</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>1,183</b>	<b>40.6</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>2,912</b>	<b>100.0</b>				

(a) The data in this table are sourced from the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research's Reoffending Database (ROD). As a consequence, the totals shown here are slightly different to those presented elsewhere in this section of the report.

TABLE 3.15

**FINALISED APPEAL CASES IN THE DISTRICT COURT (a):  
OUTCOME OF APPEAL, TYPE OF APPEAL**

Outcome of appeal	Type of appeal													
	Appeals against severity of sentence			Appeals against conviction and sentence			Appeals against inadequacy of sentence			Appeals against violence orders			Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Appeal upheld for all matters	3,585	62.8	440	28.7	15	53.6	46	26.0	4,086	54.9				
Appeal dismissed/withdrawn all matters	1,537	26.9	1,001	65.3	9	32.1	126	71.2	2,673	35.9				
Appeal upheld for some matters	568	9.9	77	5.0	3	10.7	3	1.7	651	8.7				
Other (did not appear, died etc)	20	0.4	15	1.0	1	3.6	2	1.1	38	0.5				
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,710</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,533</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7,448</b>	<b>100.0</b>				

(a) This table includes companies and persons.

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# **NEW SOUTH WALES CRIMINAL COURTS**

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**Explanatory Notes**

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

This report deals with criminal matters finalised in 2010 by the New South Wales (NSW) Local, Children's, District and Supreme Courts.

Data presented in this report was collected from the courts and maintained by the NSW Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research. Data for the tables on prior proven offences for persons found guilty was sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database (ROD).

For 2010, data for all courts was sourced from the JusticeLink system, following its implementation in the Local and Children's Courts in the second half of 2009 and in the Higher Courts in 2008. For a small number of non-computerised Children's Courts that did not initially use the JusticeLink System, NSW Juvenile Justice provided raw data, which was processed by the Bureau, for matters finalised up to November 2009.

From 2009, warrants were no longer considered a finalising outcome in the Bureau's criminal courts collections. This aligns with the counting rules used in the Australian Bureau of Statistics' annual Criminal Courts, Australia (cat. no. 4513.0) and the Productivity Commission's Report on Government Services. This change resulted in approximately 5% of persons being removed from the Local and Children's Courts data and a minimal number being removed from the Higher Courts data. Because of this, data published since 2009 cannot be directly compared with data published between 1994 to 2008.

Offence data in this report is based on the Australian Bureau of Statistics Australian Standard Offence Classification (ASOC), 2008 (Second edition) (cat. no. 1234.0). As reports published prior to 2009 used the 1997 version of ASOC, offence type data should not be directly compared.

The report includes information on offence type, court outcomes, penalties, bail status, court delay, and the age, gender, Indigenous status and prior offending record of proven offenders. In most tables the counting unit is persons charged in finalised court appearances or persons found guilty in finalised court appearances. In some tables however, the counting unit is the number of finalised charges. In these tables a person charged with more than one offence would appear more than once.

In some instances, the person charged may be a company. In tables where person attributes are presented (age, gender, Indigenous status and prior offending record of proven offenders), companies are removed. In all other tables, companies are included.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS

From August 2009, Local and Children's Court data has been sourced from JusticeLink, a new electronic system which links all NSW courts onto the one computer platform. Prior to this, Local Court data was sourced from (1) the General Local Court (GLC) System for computerised courts and (2) coding forms completed by Local Court staff at non-computerised courts.

**TABLE 1.1: PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES**

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### Charge

A charge refers to an instance of a particular type of offence being charged against a person. A finalised charge is one which has been fully determined by the court and for which no further court proceedings are required. Prior to 2009, where there were multiple counts of the same offence (i.e. charged under the same Act and Section) and each count had the same outcome, the multiple counts were counted as a single charge. Since the implementation of JusticeLink, each individual count has been treated as a separate charge. Note however, persons are counted only once in the overall total.

### Persons charged

Data in JusticeLink are case-based, with each case containing one or more charges against a single individual. When different charges within the same case are finalised on either the same or different dates, these are counted as one finalised court appearance and therefore reported as one person. An individual may also be involved in multiple JusticeLink cases. Only when these cases are finalised on the same date are they reported as one person.

### Type of offence

Offence groups in the Local Courts tables are based on the Australian Standard Offence Classification (ASOC), 2008 (Second edition) (cat. no. 1234.0). Table 1.1 shows offences classified at ASOC division, subdivision and group levels. In this report, the ASOC group 'Breach of bond - probation' contains breaches of supervised bonds and as such is entitled 'Breach of bond - supervised'. The ASOC group 'Breach of bond - other' contains breaches of unsupervised bonds so is called 'Breach of bond - unsupervised'. All other tables show offences classified at ASOC division and subdivision levels.

### Sexual offences against children

In Table 1.1 and elsewhere in this report, the number of charges and persons charged for offences classified as sexual offences against children are shown separately from other offences in the sexual assault and related offences division. The subdivision sexual offences against children is not part of the ASOC classification. The offences in this category also appear in the appropriate ASOC subdivisions and as such are included in the total.

Some charges which have been laid under Section 61I (sexual assault) and Section 61L (indecent assault) of the *Crimes Act* 1900, may have involved child victims. Such offences are counted in the sexual assault subdivision in this report, and so the frequency within the sexual offences against children classification is subject to undercounting.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

### TABLE 1.2: OUTCOME OF CHARGE

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#### Charge

Table 1.2 shows the court outcomes for all charges. Where a person was charged with more than one offence, each offence is counted separately. Those cases resulting in dismissal of the charge are separated from those in which the offence was proven. A charge can be dismissed by the court after a hearing, or where the prosecution elects to withdraw the charge due to insufficient evidence, or for some other reason such as the defendant's death. A matter can also be stood out of the court list for various reasons; this outcome allows the prosecution to re-enter the matter at a later time.

Since the 2009 publication warrants are no longer a finalising outcome in the Bureau's criminal courts collections. Data in this publication should not be directly compared with data published prior to 2009, however comparable data back to 1994 are available on request

Some of the major charge outcomes are described below:

#### **Offence proven: Conviction**

Includes all charges finalised by a plea of guilt or by a guilty finding at a defended hearing where the defendant was present.

#### **Offence proven: Conviction ex parte**

Includes charges where the defendant either (i) lodged a written guilty plea and was convicted and sentenced in his/her absence, or (ii) failed to appear, was convicted and sentenced by the court on the evidence presented.

#### ***Dismissed Mental Health (Forensic Procedure) Act***

Under Section 32 of the *Mental Health (Forensic Procedure) Act* 1990, the Court can dismiss a charge and discharge a defendant who is suffering from a mental illness. The defendant may be conditionally discharged and may be called before the court for failing to comply with the order within six months of the order being imposed. Under Section 33, a magistrate can order a mentally ill defendant to be detained in a hospital for an assessment; or discharge the defendant, either unconditionally or conditionally, into the care of a responsible person.

### TABLE 1.3 AND 1.4: OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE

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Table 1.3 presents court outcomes for persons charged. Table 1.4 presents this information for persons who identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database. The outcome types are:



## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

### **Proceeded to defended hearing**

All charges dismissed: Appearances in this category involved the defendant being found not guilty of any offence following a defended hearing. Such appearances may have included some charges being dismissed without hearing.

Guilty of at least one charge: In this category the defendant pleaded not guilty, but was found guilty by the court of at least one of the offences charged.

Other: Appearances in this category include persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (i) pleaded guilty to other charges or (ii) were convicted ex parte of other charges.

### **Proven outcome not further described**

Appearances in this category are those where no plea was recorded and so it is not possible to determine whether the matter proceeded to a defended hearing or the defendant was sentenced after entering a guilty plea.

### **Sentenced after guilty plea**

Appearances in this category include matters where the defendant pleaded guilty to at least one charge, and any other charges were dismissed or otherwise disposed of.

### **Convicted ex parte**

Includes charges where the defendant either (i) lodged a written guilty plea and was convicted and sentenced in his/her absence, or (ii) failed to appear, was convicted and sentenced by the court on the evidence presented. Note that since the 2009 publication, this outcome does not include where a conviction warrant was issued by the court for the offender to be brought before the court for sentencing.

### **All charges dismissed without hearing**

This category includes cases where all charges were dismissed by the court, but there was no defended hearing. For instance, the prosecution may not have offered any evidence in respect to the case or the defendant may have died prior to finalisation.

### **All charges otherwise disposed of**

This category includes cases where all charges were dismissed by the court, but there was no defended hearing. For instance, the prosecution may not have offered any evidence in respect to the case or the defendant may have died prior to finalisation.

## **TABLES 1.5 AND 1.6: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AND BAIL STATUS**

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Tables 1.5 and 1.6 present the outcome for each appearance by legal representation and the bail status of the defendant respectively.

### **Legal Representation**

In 2010, Legal Representation was not recorded in 41.9% of persons in the Local Court. In data published prior to 2009, Legal Representation was recorded for all defendants excluding companies.

### **Bail status**

Bail status refers to the bail status of the defendant at their final court appearance. Those remanded in custody are separated into 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Corrective Services NSW

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

and NSW Juvenile Justice custody data have been merged with court data to identify those persons who were 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Those not in either of these groups were 'on bail', 'bail not required or bail dispensed with' or 'unknown'.

### TABLES 1.7 TO 1.10: PENALTIES FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

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Table 1.7 to 1.10 presents the penalties imposed for the principal offence in finalised Local Court appearances. Table 1.7a reports on drug offences only. ASOC does not include the type of drug in the offence classification. The drug type is therefore derived from the court records. The 'Other' drug category includes offences where more than one drug is involved and offences involving drugs which do not belong to any of the specified drug type categories. Tables 1.8 and 1.10 both report on persons who had identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin at any court appearance since 1994.

#### Persons found guilty

*Persons found guilty* are those persons who, for at least one offence charged, either pleaded guilty, were found guilty ex parte, or were found guilty after a defended hearing.

#### Principal offence

Appendix 1 provides explanations of the penalty types used in the Local Courts. Penalties shown in the tables indicate the principal penalty imposed for the principal offence.

The *principal offence* is defined as the offence which received the most serious penalty according to the following rules:

- a) Where an offender was found guilty of more than one offence, that offence which received the most serious penalty type is the principal offence. Appendix 2 lists the hierarchy of penalty type seriousness used for this calculation.
- b) Where there were two or more offences which received the same penalty type, that offence which received the greatest quantum of that penalty type is the principal offence. (Note that for this calculation if multiple counts of the same offence type received different penalties they are treated as separate offences).
- c) If there was more than one offence with a custodial penalty, the offence with the longest total sentence is selected as the principal offence.
- d) If there was more than one offence with a custodial penalty with the same quantum of total sentence, the offence with the longest non-parole period is selected as the principal offence.
- e) If there was more than one offence which received the same quantum of the same penalty type, including the same quantum of total sentence and non-parole period, the offence with the highest Median Sentence Ranking (see the Bureau's Crime and Justice Bulletin No.142 'Measuring Offence Seriousness') is selected as the principal offence.
- f) Where an offence received more than one penalty, a principal penalty for that offence is first calculated following the rules set out above. The determination of principal offence is then calculated on the principal penalty for each offence.

#### Quantum of penalty

Table 1.9 shows the average duration of principal penalties which involve a time component and the average dollar amount of fines imposed, where a fine was the principal penalty. Table 1.10 presents this information for those persons who have in the past identified themselves as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islanders.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

### **Imprisonment**

Where imprisonment is the principal penalty imposed for the principal offence, the sentence specifies the term of the sentence and a non-parole period. The non-parole period must not be less than three quarters of the term unless there are special circumstances which the court must note. The court may decline to set a non-parole period, noting the reasons. For sentences of imprisonment of six months or less, no non-parole period is set. The average durations shown in Tables 1.9 and 1.10 include only the non-parole period where a non-parole period has been specified and the total term where no non-parole period has been set. Cumulative terms of imprisonment are excluded from these tables. In those cases where a cumulative term was imposed, only the non-parole period duration for the principal offence is shown. Note that a maximum of two years imprisonment can be imposed in the Local Courts for any one offence but the Local Court may impose a cumulative term of up to five years.

### **Community Service Order (CSO)**

Where a CSO is the principal penalty imposed for the principal offence a maximum of 500 hours of community service can be imposed on any one occasion.

### **TABLES 1.11, 1.11a AND 1.11b: TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, GENDER, AGE**

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These tables detail the age and gender of all defendants appearing before the Local Court. Age is calculated as at the date of finalisation.

### **TABLE 1.12: COURT DELAY**

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This table shows the time taken to dispose of a group of charges against a person by defended and undefended hearings by bail status at final appearance. It shows the median number of days taken at each stage of proceedings. The median duration is used in preference to the average duration as a small number of finalised appearances with very long durations would distort the data. The definition of median is that half of the records had durations less than the median value and the other half had longer durations. Note that medians can not be added. Where a person's bail status changed in the course of the proceedings the duration may have been affected.

### **TABLE 1.13: PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES**

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Table 1.13 provides information on the 10-year history of prior proven offences for those persons found guilty in the Local Courts. This information is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database (ROD). The Reoffending Database is used to derive a 10-year offending history for individuals by searching and matching court records over the previous 10 years. Court records from the Children's, Local, District and Supreme Courts are considered. Due to the application of matching techniques and slightly different composition rules (such as the exclusion of companies) the total number of persons within each offence type is slightly different to those provided in other tables in this section.

The following prior offending categories are used in the table:

#### **No prior proven offences**

At the time of sentencing, persons in this category had no prior proven offences of any kind in the past 10 years.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

### **Prior proven offences, not of the same type**

Persons in this category had a history of prior proven offences but none were of the same general type as the principal offence receiving sentence on this occasion. This category can include offences which resulted in a term of imprisonment as well as non-custodial penalties.

### **Prior proven offences of the same type, without imprisonment**

Persons in this category were found guilty of an offence of the same general type as the principal offence on a previous occasion, but not sentenced to a period of imprisonment for that offence.

### **Prior proven offences of the same type, with imprisonment**

Persons in this category were found guilty of an offence of the same general type as the principal offence on a previous occasion, and in addition, had received a custodial penalty on at least one occasion, for an offence of this type.

## **TABLES 1.14 APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs)**

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Table 1.14 counts only those orders finalised by a magistrate at a Local Court hearing. It does not include interim orders granted. Note that an AVO may protect more than one person.

From 2007, data on AVOs granted has been based on the Statistical Division of the person against whom the AVO is granted (Person of Interest or POI), rather than the Statistical Division of the protected person as was the procedure for previous reports.

The reason for this change was an increasing proportion of protected persons with no address details listed. This was due to the *Crimes (Domestic and Personal Violence) Act 2007* which provided that 'protected persons' residential addresses not be included in AVO applications unless in certain circumstances. Data in this publication should not be directly compared with data in previous years. The Bureau can, however, provide comparable data back to 1996.

AVO data are sourced from the NSW Police Computerised Operational Policing System (COPS). The Bureau does not collect AVO data directly from the courts.

## **TABLES 1.15 AND 1.16: STATISTICAL DIVISION OF RESIDENCE**

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These tables indicate the residential Statistical Division of the defendant. Within the Sydney Statistical Division, the Subdivisions are shown to provide more detail. In these tables, appearances are excluded if the defendant resided interstate, overseas or in an institution, had no fixed place of abode, or if the area of residence was unknown.

Table 1.15 shows the number and rate per 100,000 population of Local Court appearances by defendant's residential area.

Table 1.16 presents, for those defendants found guilty, rates per 100,000 population by the defendant's residential area and principal offence.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURT

Juveniles who were aged 10 to 17 years at the time of the alleged offence may be brought before the Children's Courts, diverted to a Youth Justice Conference, cautioned by the Court or cautioned by the Police. This report deals only with court appearances, including finalised appearances following Youth Justice Conferences where the Court initiated the conference referral. Only matters involving criminal offences that are classified under ASOC are included in these tables. Apprehended Violence Order applications that are heard in the Children's Courts are excluded. Similarly, juveniles may also appear before the Children's Courts for complaints under the *Children and Young Persons (Care and Protection) Act 1998*. These matters deal with issues such as neglect and as they are welfare matters that do not constitute criminal proceedings, they are not included in this report.

Children's Court data prior to 2006 had been provided by NSW Juvenile Justice. From 2006 to 2009, Children's Court data was sourced from (1) the General Local Court (GLC) System for computerised courts and (2) NSW Juvenile Justice for non-computerised courts for criminal matters to November 2009. From August 2009, Children's Court data have been sourced from JusticeLink.

The quality of some key data items has been affected by the JusticeLink implementation. See the Local Court Explanatory Notes for more details. For these reasons caution should be used when making comparisons with Children's Court data published in earlier years.

### TABLES 2.1: PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES

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#### Charge

A charge refers to an instance of a particular type of offence being charged against a person. A finalised charge is one which has been fully determined by the court and for which no further court proceedings are required.

Prior to 2009, where there were multiple counts of the same offence (i.e. charged under the same Act and Section) and each count had the same outcome, the multiple counts were counted as a single charge. Since the implementation of JusticeLink, each individual count has been treated as a separate charge.

#### Persons charged

Data in JusticeLink are case-based, with each case containing one or more charges against a single individual. When different charges within the same case are finalised on either the same or different dates, these are counted as one finalised court appearance and therefore reported as one person. An individual may also be involved in multiple JusticeLink cases. Only when these cases are finalised on the same date are they reported as one person.

Table 2.1 shows the number of persons charged with offences within particular offence groups. This table counts individuals more than once in all cases where the defendant was charged with more than one offence and those offences fall within different offence groups. However, individuals are counted only once in the overall total.

#### Type of offence

In this report, the ASOC group 'Breach of bond - probation' contains breaches of supervised bonds and as such is entitled 'Breach of bond - supervised'. The ASOC group 'Breach of bond - other' contains breaches of unsupervised bonds so is called 'Breach of bond - unsupervised'. All other tables show offences classified at ASOC division and subdivision levels.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURT *continued*

Prior to 2009, published data used the 1997 version of ASOC. Offence type data in this publication should not be directly compared with data published in previous years. The Bureau can, however, provide comparable data back to 1994.

### TABLES 2.2 AND 2.3: OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE

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Table 2.2 presents major outcomes of the court process for individual persons charged. Table 2.3 presents this information for those persons identifying as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin at this or any previous court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database. The possible outcome types are as follows:

#### **Proceeded to defended hearing**

All charges dismissed: Appearances in this category involved the defendant being found not guilty of any offence, following a defended hearing. Such appearances may have included some charges being dismissed without hearing.

Guilty of at least one charge: In this category the defendant pleaded not guilty, but was found guilty by the court of at least one of the offences charged.

Other: Appearances in this category include persons for whom one or more charges were dismissed after a defended hearing, but who either (i) pleaded guilty to other charges or (ii) were convicted *ex parte* of other charges.

#### **Proven outcome not further described**

Appearances in this category are those where no plea was recorded and so it is not possible to determine whether the matter proceeded to a defended hearing or the defendant was sentenced after entering a guilty plea.

#### **Sentenced after guilty plea**

Appearances in this category include matters where the defendant pleaded guilty to at least one charge, and any other charges were dismissed or otherwise disposed of.

#### **Convicted *ex parte***

Includes charges where the defendant either (i) lodged a written guilty plea and was convicted and sentenced in his/her absence, or (ii) failed to appear, was convicted and sentenced by the court on the evidence presented. This outcome does not include where a conviction warrant was issued by the court for the offender to be brought before the court for sentencing.

#### **All charges dismissed without hearing**

This category includes matters where all charges were dismissed by the court, but there was no defended hearing. For instance, the prosecution may not have offered any evidence in respect to the case or the defendant may have died prior to finalisation.

#### **All charges otherwise disposed of**

This category includes matters where the charges were adjourned generally (previously known as 'stood out of list') and those adjourned to the Youth Drug and Alcohol Court.

**EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURT** *continued***TABLE 2.4: BAIL STATUS**

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Bail status refers to the bail status of the defendant at their final court appearance. Those remanded in custody are separated into 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Corrective Services NSW and NSW Juvenile Justice custody data have been merged with court data to identify these persons who were 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Those not in either of these groups were 'on bail', 'bail not required or bail dispensed with' or 'unknown'.

**TABLE 2.5 and 2.6: PENALTIES FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

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Table 2.5 presents the penalties imposed for the principal offence. Table 2.6 reports on persons who had identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin at any court appearance since 1994.

**Persons found guilty**

Persons found guilty are those persons who, for at least one offence charged, either pleaded guilty, were found guilty ex parte, or were found guilty after a defended hearing.

**Principal offence**

The principal offence is defined as the offence charged which received the most serious penalty according to the following rules:

- a) Where an offender is found guilty of more than one offence, the offence which received the most serious penalty is the principal offence. The hierarchy of Children's Court penalties are:
  - (i) Control order - a fixed term or non-parole period of juvenile detention in a Department of Juvenile Justice (DJJ) facility
  - (ii) Community Service Order
  - (iii) Probation Order - probation orders with DJJ supervision, probation orders with other supervision and probation without supervision
  - (iv) Fine
  - (v) Bond - includes bond, suspended control order and conditional discharge, with supervision and without supervision
  - (vi) Dismissed with caution
  - (vii) Other proven outcomes - includes periodic detention, referral to Youth Drug and Alcohol Court, disqualified driver, compensation, committed to the rising of the court and dismissed after Youth Justice Conference.
  
- (b) Where there are two or more offences which received the same penalty type, the offence which received the greatest quantum of that penalty type is the principal offence. Note that for this calculation if multiple counts of the same offence type received different penalties they are treated as separate offences.
  
- (c) If there was more than one offence with a custodial penalty, the offence with the longest total sentence is selected as the principal offence.
  
- (d) If there was more than one offence with a custodial penalty with the same quantum of total sentence, the offence with the longest non-parole period is selected as the principal offence.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURT *continued*

(e) If there was more than one offence which received the same quantum of the same penalty type, including the same quantum of total sentence and non-parole period, the offence with the highest Median Sentence Ranking (see the Bureau's Crime and Justice Bulletin No.142 'Measuring Offence Seriousness') is selected as the principal offence.

(f) Where an offence received more than one penalty, a principal penalty for that offence is first calculated following the rules set out above. The determination of principal offence is then calculated on the principal penalty for each offence.

### TABLES 2.7, 2.7a AND 2.7b: TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, GENDER, AGE

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These tables detail the age and gender of all persons found guilty in the Children's Courts. The age category '18 years and over' in these tables refers to those alleged offenders who were under 18 years at the time of the alleged offence, but were 18 years or over at the time of finalisation of the matter.

### TABLES 2.8: COURT DELAY

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Table 2.8 shows the time taken to dispose of a group of charges against a person by defended and undefended hearings by bail status at final appearance. It shows the median number of days taken at each stage of proceedings. The median duration is used in preference to the average duration because there may be a small number of finalised appearances with very long durations. The definition of median is that half of the records had durations less than the median value and the other half had longer durations. Note that medians can not be added. Where a person's bail status changed in the course of the proceedings the duration may have been affected.

### TABLE 2.9: PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES

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Table 2.9 provides information on the 10-year history of prior proven offences for those persons found guilty in the Children's Courts. This information is sourced from the Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research's Reoffending Database (ROD). The Reoffending Database is used to derive an offending history for individuals by searching and matching court records over the previous 10 years. Court records from the Children's, Local, District and Supreme Courts are considered. Due to the application of matching techniques and slightly different composition rules, the total number of persons within each offence type is slightly different to those provided in other tables in this section. The following prior offending categories are used in the table:

#### **No prior proven offences**

At the time of sentencing, persons in this category had no prior proven offences of any kind in the past 10 years.

#### **Prior proven offences, not of the same type**

Persons in this category had a history of prior proven offences but none were of the same general type as the principal offence receiving sentence on this occasion. This category can include offences which resulted in a term of imprisonment as well as non-custodial penalties.



## **EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURT** *continued*

### **Prior proven offences of the same type, without imprisonment**

Persons in this category were found guilty of an offence of the same general type as the principal offence on a previous occasion, but not sentenced to a period of imprisonment for that offence.

### **Prior proven offences of the same type, with imprisonment**

Persons in this category were found guilty of an offence of the same general type as the principal offence on a previous occasion, and in addition, had received a custodial penalty on at least one occasion, for an offence of this type.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS

From February 2008, Higher Courts data have been sourced from JusticeLink. Prior to 2008 Higher Courts data was sourced from the Case Tracking System and Bureau staff manually recorded details directly from the final indictment. Court staff and Judge's Associates are now responsible for entering results, with the Bureau taking on a validation and audit role.

The new system resulted in the counting unit changing from the number of 'finalised cases' to the number of 'persons in finalised cases'. Prior to 2008, one finalised case could include one or more accused persons. Each person record now includes all charges that the person had finalised on the same date (regardless of whether or not they were registered on the same date). A person with charges finalised on two dates is reported as two persons. For this reason caution should be used when making comparisons with Higher Court data published in earlier years.

### TABLES 3.1 AND 3.2 PERSONS APPEARING IN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS

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#### **Jurisdiction**

There are two jurisdictions in the NSW Higher Courts: the Supreme Court, which hears cases in Sydney and on circuit in country centres, and the District Court, which has a number of metropolitan and country sites. The Supreme Courts deal only with the most serious criminal matters. The District Courts deal with all other matters on indictment and appeals against conviction or sentence arising from Local Court cases. In all tables where Jurisdiction is shown this reflects the Jurisdiction at which the case was registered and not where it was finalised.

#### **Registry**

Registries handle the administrative work involved in preparing a case for trial. The District Court is regionalised into a number of registries. In all tables where Registry is shown this reflects the Registry at which the case was registered and not where it was finalised. Appendix 3 lists the various courts which fall within each Registry's administrative area.

#### **Persons registered in trial and sentence cases**

A case is made up of a number of charges for a single accused that were registered together. Table 3.1 shows the number of persons in trial and sentence cases registered in the Higher Courts.

#### **Persons charged in finalised trial and sentence appearances**

In both the District and Supreme Courts, a person charged refers to a group of one or more charges, against a single accused person, which are finalised by the court on the same date. The number of persons in finalised trial and sentence appearances is shown in Table 3.2 and in subsequent tables.

This report does not distinguish 'distinct' persons within the counting period. If an accused person is in more than one case finalised on different dates during the counting period, such a person will be counted more than once in the report. However, separate charges finalised on the same date for the one accused person are consolidated and counted as one person. Where there are outstanding charges against the accused, this would be counted as a new person in a subsequent counting period. For these reasons there is no direct relationship between the persons registered in trial and sentence cases, shown in Table 3.1, and the number of persons with cases finalised, shown in Table 3.2.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

### Committal

Cases normally appear before the Higher Courts following a committal hearing in the Local or Children's Courts. A committal hearing involves a preliminary hearing by a Magistrate of the evidence against the accused. If the accused pleads guilty at the committal hearing, he or she may be committed for sentencing to a Higher Court. Alternatively, if the accused pleads not guilty, or reserves his or her defence, he or she is committed for trial. Cases which do not proceed beyond committal are not included in this report.

### TABLES 3.3, 3.4 AND 3.5: PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES IN TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES

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#### Persons charged

Data in JusticeLink are case-based, with each case containing one or more charges against a single individual. When different charges within the same case are finalised on either the same or different dates, these are counted as one finalised court appearance and therefore reported as one person. An individual may also be involved in multiple JusticeLink cases. Only when these cases are finalised on the same date are they reported as one person. Note however, persons are counted only once in the overall total.

#### Year of committal

Year of committal shows the length of time cases normally require to be processed in the Higher Courts. More detailed information on this subject is provided in Tables 3.13a to 3.13i.

#### Type of offence

Offence groups in the Higher Courts tables are based on the Australian Standard Offence Classification (ASOC) issued by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS 2008, Cat. No.1234.0). ASOC does not include the type of drug in the offence classification. Drug type is therefore derived from the court records. The 'Other' drug category includes offences where more than one drug is involved and offences involving drugs which do not belong to any of the specified drug type categories.

Table 3.4 shows offences classified at ASOC division, subdivision and group levels. In this report, the ASOC group 'Breach of bond - probation' contains breaches of supervised bonds and as such is entitled 'Breach of bond - supervised'. The ASOC group 'Breach of bond - other' contains breaches of unsupervised bonds so is called 'Breach of bond - unsupervised'. All other tables show offences classified at ASOC division and subdivision levels.

Prior to 2009, published data used the 1997 version of ASOC. Offence type data in this publication should not be directly compared with data published in previous years. Comparable data back to 1994 is available on request.

#### Sexual offences against children

In Table 3.4 and elsewhere in this section, the number of charges and persons charged for offences classified as sexual offences against children are shown separately from other offences in the sexual assault and related offences division. The subdivision sexual offences against children is not part of the ASOC classification. The offences in this category also appear in the appropriate ASOC subdivisions and as such are included in the total.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

Some charges which have been laid under Section 61I (sexual assault) and Section 61L (indecent assault) of the *Crimes Act* 1900, may have involved child victims. Such offences are counted in the sexual assault subdivision in this report, and so the frequency within the sexual offences against children classification is subject to undercounting.

### Number of offences charged

Tables 3.4 and 3.5 indicate the number of distinct offences charged against each accused person. Prior to 2008, where there were multiple counts of the same offence (i.e. charged under the same Act and Section) and each count had the same outcome, the multiple counts were counted as a single charge. From 2008, each individual count has been treated as a separate charge.

### TABLE 3.6 AND 3.7: OUTCOME OF CHARGE

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Table 3.6 presents major outcomes of the court process for each accused person. Table 3.7 presents this information for those persons who had identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin at any court appearance since 1994. Those cases which involved a trial before a Judge and jury (or a Judge alone trial) are separated from those where the accused pleaded guilty to all charges, where the charges were not proceeded with, or where the charges were otherwise disposed of. Possible outcome types are as follows:

#### Proceeded to trial

*Acquitted of all charges:* Persons in this category were found not guilty of any offence following a trial. This may include some charges not being proceeded with or being otherwise disposed of.

*Found guilty of at least one charge:* Persons in this category were found guilty of at least one of the offences charged.

*Other:* Persons in the 'Other' category are those who were acquitted of one or more charges following a trial but pleaded guilty to at least one other charge.

#### Proceeded to sentence only

Persons in this category pleaded guilty to at least one charge. Other offences may have been disposed of other than by trial or not proceeded with.

#### Proven outcome not further described

Persons who received a sentence but where there was insufficient data to determine whether their case had proceeded to trial or to sentence only.

#### No charges proceeded with

Persons in this category were not proceeded against by the Director of Public Prosecutions to trial.

#### All charges otherwise disposed of

Included in this category are accused persons who died or were referred to the Drug Court.

### TABLES 3.8, 3.9 AND 3.10: PENALTIES IMPOSED FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

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Table 3.8 presents the penalties imposed for the principal offence. Table 3.9 presents this information for those persons who had identified as being of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander origin at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

### Persons found guilty

Persons found guilty are those persons who, for at least one offence charged, either pleaded guilty or were found guilty by trial.

### Principal offence

Appendix 1 provides explanations of the penalty types used in the Higher Courts. Penalties shown in the tables indicate the principal penalty imposed for the principal offence.

The principal offence is defined to be that offence charged which received the most serious penalty according to the following rules:

- (a) Where an offender was found guilty of more than one offence, the offence which received the most serious penalty type is the principal offence. Appendix 2 lists the hierarchy of penalty type seriousness used for this calculation.
- (b) Where there were two or more offences which received the same penalty type, that offence which received the greatest quantum of that penalty type is the principal offence. Note that for this calculation if multiple counts of the same offence type received different penalties they are treated as separate offences.
- (c) If there was more than one offence with a custodial penalty, the offence with the longest total sentence is selected as the principal offence.
- (d) If there was more than one offence with a custodial penalty with the same quantum of total sentence, the offence with the longest non-parole period is selected as the principal offence.
- (e) If there was more than one offence which received the same quantum of the same penalty type, including the same quantum of total sentence and non-parole period, the offence with the highest Median Sentence Ranking (see the Bureau's Crime and Justice Bulletin No.142 'Measuring Offence Seriousness') is selected as the principal offence.
- (f) Where an offence received more than one penalty, a principal penalty for that offence is first calculated following the rules set out above. The determination of principal offence is then calculated on the principal penalty for each offence.

### Quantum of penalty

Table 3.10 shows the average duration of principal penalties which involve a time component and the average dollar amount of fines imposed, where a fine was the principal penalty.

### Duration of imprisonment

Average duration of imprisonment in Table 3.10 is the mean length of time in months of the non-parole period or where no non-parole period is specified, the total term imposed on the principal offence. As imprisonment is the most serious penalty which can be imposed, Table 3.8 includes all charges where an imprisonment penalty was imposed. Excluded from Table 3.10 are sentences of cumulative imprisonment. In those cases where a cumulative term was imposed, only the non-parole duration for the principal offence is shown.

The calculation of the average duration of imprisonment shown in Table 3.10 does not include sentences of life imprisonment.

### **TABLES 3.11, 3.11a AND 3.11b: TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, GENDER, AGE**

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From 2008, Table 3.11 has shown age at the date of the offence. Prior reports showed age at the date of arrest.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

### TABLE 3.12: BAIL STATUS

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Bail status refers to the bail status of the defendant at their final court appearance. Those remanded in custody are separated into 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Corrective Services NSW and NSW Juvenile Justice custody data have been merged with court data to identify these persons who were 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Those not in either of these groups were 'on bail', 'bail not required or bail dispensed with' or 'unknown'.

### TABLE 3.13a TO 3.13i: COURT DELAY

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These tables give an indication of the time taken to dispose of a case for trial and sentence matters by bail status at final appearance. They show the median number of days taken at each stage of proceedings. The median duration is used in preference to the average duration because there may be a small number of persons with very long duration times. The definition of median is such that half the persons had duration times less than the median duration time and the other half of the persons had longer duration times.

The category 'proceeded to sentence only' includes, in addition to guilty pleas, persons whose plea was changed from not guilty to guilty in the course of the trial. Some of these matters could, therefore, be expected to take longer to dispose of than matters originally committed for sentence.

The outcome categories are used to distinguish persons who were finalised by trial.

The stages of proceedings are categorised as follows:

#### **Offence to committal**

From 2008, the time from the date of the earliest offence to the date committed has been reported. Prior to 2008, the duration between the arrest date to committal date was reported.

#### **Committal to outcome**

The time from date committed to latest date of determination of charges. Note that it is not possible to distinguish from this table whether the accused altered his or her plea during the course of proceedings. Such a change of plea would be expected to alter the time taken to dispose of the case.

#### **Outcome to sentence**

The time from latest date of determination of charges (guilty plea or verdict) to date of sentence. This category is applicable only to those accused persons who were found guilty.

### TABLE 3.14 PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES

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Table 3.14 provides information on the 10-year history of prior proven offences for those persons found guilty in the Higher Courts. This information is sourced from the Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research's Reoffending Database. The Reoffending Database derives an offending history for individuals by matching court records over the previous 10 years. Court records from the Children's, Local, District and Supreme Courts are considered. Due to the matching technique and slightly different composition rules (i.e. companies excluded) the total number of persons within each offence type differs to those in other tables in this section. The following prior offending categories are used in the table:

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

### No prior proven offences

At the time of sentencing, persons in this category had no prior proven offences of any kind in the past 10 years.

### Prior proven offences, not of the same type

Persons in this category had a history of prior proven offences but none were of the same general type as the principal offence receiving sentence on this occasion. This category can include offences which resulted in a term of imprisonment as well as non-custodial penalties.

### Prior proven offences of the same type, without imprisonment

Persons in this category were found guilty of an offence of the same general type as the principal offence on a previous occasion, but not sentenced to a period of imprisonment for that offence.

### Prior proven offences of the same type, with imprisonment

Persons in this category were found guilty of an offence of the same general type as the principal offence on a previous occasion, and in addition, had received a custodial penalty on at least one occasion, for an offence of this type.

## TABLE 3.15: OUTCOME OF APPEAL, TYPE OF APPEAL

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Table 3.15 presents the outcomes for appeals to the District Court against conviction, severity or adequacy of sentences imposed in the Local Courts and against AVOs granted by the Local Courts. Appeals by or against companies as well as persons are included.

The appeal outcome categories are as follows:

### Appeal upheld for all matters

This category indicates that:

- 1) the conviction or AVO was overturned for all matters appealed against; or
- 2) the penalty was varied (for a severity or inadequacy appeal) for all charges/orders appealed against.

### Appeal dismissed/withdrawn for all matters

This indicates that the court dismissed the appeal for all the charges/orders appealed against or that the appellant withdrew the appeal.

### Appeal upheld for some matters

This indicates that the court dismissed the appeal on some charges/orders but upheld the appeal for at least one charge.

### Other

This indicates that the appeal was dismissed due to non-appearance of the appellant, the appellant's death, or the matters were referred to the Drug court to be finalised with other offences.





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**Appendices**

## APPENDIX 1

### NOTES ON PENALTIES

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#### Home detention

Home detention orders are an alternative means of serving sentences of full-time imprisonment of up to 18 months. The conditions of the Order constrain the offender's liberty to an extent that approximates confinement in minimum security custody with access to day release programs.

#### Periodic detention

The offender is held in custody in prison periodically (at weekends for example) for a specified period. From 1 October 2010 this penalty was replaced with Intensive Correction Orders.

#### Intensive Correction Order

Intensive Correction Orders replaced Periodic Detention on 1 October 2010. Intensive Correction Orders are served in the community for a period of up to two years. Under Clause 175 of the *Crimes (Administration of Sentences) Regulation 2008* the offender is subject to intensive supervision, which may include random home visits, searches, drug testing, electronic monitoring and curfews. In addition offenders issued with Intensive Correction Orders are required to do a minimum of 32 hours community service work per month and to 'engage in activities to address the factors associated with his or her offending'.

#### Suspended sentence

Under Section 12 of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedures) Act 1999*, a court may impose a sentence of imprisonment of up to two years duration and then suspend the sentence on the condition that the offender enters into a good behaviour bond.

#### Community Service Order

The offender is ordered to perform a specified number of hours of unpaid community service work.

#### Bond (or Commonwealth recognizance)

There are several different types of bonds, which may be imposed by a court. Generally speaking they all require the offender to be 'of good behaviour' for a certain length of time and may impose other conditions as well. Common conditions include that the offender:

- (a) report to the Probation and Parole Service on a regular basis (bond with supervision);
- (b) attend alcohol counselling;
- (c) reside in a certain area.

#### Bond without conviction and No conviction recorded

Under Section 10 of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedures) Act 1999*, a court may, where it finds a charge proved, elect not to proceed to a conviction, but to either discharge the offender with no penalty, with some nominal penalty, with a good behaviour bond, or with an agreement to participate and comply with an intervention program.

#### Nominal sentence

This is a nominal penalty where the offender is held in custody until the court adjourns (also referred to as 'Rising of the Court').

#### Conviction without penalty

Under Section 10A of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999*, the court may, where it finds a charge proved, record a conviction and dispose of the proceedings without imposing any other penalty.

## APPENDIX 2

### PENALTY HIERARCHY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

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The penalty hierarchy for the calculation of principal offence is shown below. Penalties are listed from the most to the least serious.

1. Imprisonment
2. Juvenile detention ( Control order)
3. Home detention
4. Periodic detention
5. Intensive Correction Order
6. Suspended sentence with supervision
7. Suspended sentence
8. Community Service Order
9. Good behaviour bond with supervision
10. Good behaviour bond without supervision
11. Fine
12. Nominal sentence (Rising of the Court)
13. Conviction without penalty
14. Good behaviour bond without conviction
15. No conviction recorded

## APPENDIX 3

### DISTRICT COURTS IN REGISTRY REGIONS

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**1. Sydney Registry**

Sydney

**2. Sydney West Registry**

Campbelltown

Parramatta

Penrith

**3. Newcastle Registry**

East Maitland

Gosford

Maitland

Moree

Newcastle

Port Macquarie

Tamworth

Taree

**4. Wollongong Registry**

Batemans Bay

Bega

Goulburn

Nowra

Queanbeyan

Wollongong

**5. Lismore Registry**

Armidale

Coffs Harbour

Grafton

Inverell

Lismore

**6. Dubbo registry**

Bathurst

Bourke

Broken Hill

Coonamble

Dubbo

Orange

Parkes

**7. Wagga Wagga Registry**

Albury

Griffith

Wagga Wagga

**APPENDIX 4****LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS IN SYDNEY STATISTICAL DIVISIONS**

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**Sydney Statistical Subdivisions*****Inner Sydney***

Botany Bay  
Leichhardt  
Marrickville  
Sydney

***Outer South Western Sydney***

Camden  
Campbelltown  
Wollondilly

***Lower Northern Sydney***

Hunters Hill  
Lane Cove  
Mosman  
North Sydney  
Ryde  
Willoughby

***Eastern Suburbs***

Randwick  
Waverley  
Woollahra

***Inner Western Sydney***

Ashfield  
Burwood  
Canada Bay  
Strathfield

***Central Northern Sydney***

Hornsby  
Ku-ring-gai  
The Hills Shire

***St George – Sutherland***

Hurstville  
Kogarah  
Rockdale  
Sutherland Shire

***Central Western Sydney***

Auburn  
Holroyd  
Parramatta

***Northern Beaches***

Manly  
Pittwater  
Warringah

***Canterbury – Bankstown***

Bankstown  
Canterbury

***Outer Western Sydney***

Blue Mountains  
Hawkesbury  
Penrith

***Central Coast***

Gosford  
Wyong

***Fairfield – Liverpool***

Fairfield  
Liverpool

***Blacktown***

Blacktown

**APPENDIX 4** *continued***LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS IN NSW REGIONAL STATISTICAL DIVISIONS****NSW regional Statistical Divisions**

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