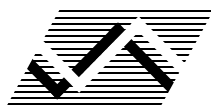


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## INTRODUCTION

This report deals with criminal cases finalised in 2012 in the New South Wales (NSW) Local, Children's, District and Supreme Courts.

Criminal disposals have fallen across all court levels. In the Local Court, the number of persons/organisations with a finalised matter decreased 5.8 per cent (down from 115,206 in 2011 to 108,528 in 2012). In the Children's Court, there was an 8.3 per cent decrease in the number of persons with a matter finalised (down from 8,633 in 2011 to 7,919 in 2012) and in the Higher Court there was a 5.6 per cent decrease in persons finalised in trial and sentence matters (down from 3,491 in 2011 to 3,297 in 2012).

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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>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total finalisations</b>		
Persons charged	115,206	108,528
Charges determined	239,207	239,858
<b>Persons most frequently charged with</b>		
Regulatory driving offences		
- Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	22,964	19,465
Assault		
- Common assault	16,298	15,771
Driver licence offences		
- Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	12,790	12,106
Possess and/or use illicit drugs		
- Possess illicit drugs	10,438	11,181
<b>Outcome of charges</b>		
Percentage proven		
- Accused present	69.2	68.0
- Conviction ex parte	9.4	9.5
Percentage receiving other outcomes	21.3	22.5

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

	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>		
Number of defended hearings	16,682	16,281
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	14.5	15.0
Number of persons found guilty	102,169	96,250
- Percentage of persons found guilty	88.7	88.7
<b>Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons charged	15,753	16,354
Number of defended hearings	3,111	3,370
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	19.7	20.6
Number of persons found guilty	13,672	14,153
- Percentage of persons found guilty	86.8	86.5
<b>Legal representation</b>		
Number of persons represented	72,525	68,985
- Percentage of finalised appearances where persons were represented	64.0	64.5
Percentage of persons found guilty		
- Percentage of represented found guilty	86.2	86.0
- Percentage of unrepresented found guilty	93.5	93.9

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued*

<b>Bail status</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Number of persons refused bail	6,034	6,236
- Percentage of persons refused bail	5.3	5.8
Number of persons granted bail	28,413	27,172
- Percentage of persons granted bail	25.1	25.4
Number of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	76,274	71,468
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	67.3	66.8

**PENALTIES (TABLES 1.7 TO 1.11)**

<b>Imprisonment</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	6,809	6,901
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	6.7	7.2

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

Highest imprisonment rates (a)		
- Breach of custodial order offences	62.2	58.9
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	49.5	48.7
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	36.3	39.9

**Highest number of persons sentenced to imprisonment**

Assault	1,353	1,231
Driver licence offences	695	694
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	586	560

**Most frequently imposed principal penalty**

Fine	43,202	38,782
Bond without supervision	13,724	13,089
Bond without conviction	13,327	12,999

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

Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	2,609	2,708
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	19.1	19.1

**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	73.5	72.7
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	65.1	65.0
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	51.1	45.1

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

Assault	647	611
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	239	253
Theft (except motor vehicles)	198	200
Driver licence offences	198	200

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued*

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Fine	4,137	4,255
Imprisonment	2,609	2,708
Bond without supervision	2,014	2,025
<b>Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) (a)</b>		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.2	5.2
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	8.2	8.1
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.3	6.7
All offences	5.7	5.6
<b>Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)</b>		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.3	5.1
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	8.3	8.3
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.0	6.5
All offences	5.7	5.7

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY, BY AGE AND GENDER (TABLES 1.12, 1.12a AND 1.12b)**

<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Percentage male	80.0	80.1
Percentage female	20.0	19.9
<b>Proven offences for males and females (b)</b>		
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were male		
- Non-assaultive sexual offences	98.8	100.0
- Sexual assault	98.1	98.9
- Regulated weapons/explosives offences	96.7	93.4
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were female		
- Other fraud and deception offences	36.8	40.0
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	36.9	38.5
- Obtain benefit by deception	39.8	38.1
<b>Average age of persons found guilty</b>		
All persons	34.2	34.0
- Male	34.2	33.9
- Female	34.6	34.4
<b>Average age of all persons found guilty of specific offences (b)</b>		
Highest average age		
- Offences against government operations	46.5	46.7
- Commercial/industry/financial regulation	44.9	44.9
- Sexual assault	40.8	41.8
Lowest average age		
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	28.0	28.5
- Disorderly conduct	29.3	29.9
- Property damage	30.1	30.1
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	30.2	31.0

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued***COURT DELAY (TABLE 1.13)**

<b>Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Defended hearing, on bail ^	126.0	116.0
- All charges dismissed	123.0	113.0
- Guilty of at least one charge ^	125.0	114.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, on bail	104.0	91.0
Defended hearing, bail refused ^	109.0	109.0
- All charges dismissed ^	81.5	70.0
- Guilty of at least one charge ^	113.0	113.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	65.0	74.0

**PRIOR OFFENCES (TABLE 1.14)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Average (all offences)	40.2	38.5
Highest (b)		
- Sexual assault and related offences	53.6	57.7
- Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	57.1	54.9
- Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	50.8	50.5
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	15.3	12.4
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	16.3	14.9
- Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	27.2	25.0

**APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs) GRANTED (TABLE 1.15)**

<b>Number of AVOs granted (NSW)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Domestic AVOs	24,903	23,917
Personal AVOs	7,194	6,706
<b>Rate of AVOs granted (c)</b>		
NSW rates		
Domestic AVOs	341.0	327.5
Personal AVOs	98.5	91.8
Highest rates		
Domestic AVOs		
- Far West (SD)	1,099.6	1,006.1
- North Western (SD)	856.3	853.0
Personal AVOs		
- Far West (SD)	467.4	436.3
- North Western (SD)	327.3	316.4
Lowest rates		
Domestic AVOs		
- Lower Northern Sydney (SSD)	94.6	84.9
- Central Northern Sydney (SSD)	83.7	85.3
Personal AVOs		
- Lower Northern Sydney (SSD)	21.2	18.7
- Central Northern Sydney (SSD)	21.2	20.7

^ Due to processing improvements, 2011 data have been revised.



**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued***REGION (TABLES 1.16 AND 1.17)**

<b>Regional rate of court appearance (c)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Largest decreases		
- Murrumbidgee (SD)	2,047.0	1,824.7
- Eastern Suburbs (SSD)	1,177.8	1,020.3
Largest increases		
- North Western (SD)	2,450.1	2,499.5
- Mid-North Coast (SD)	1,618.9	1,624.9
<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)	605.4	454.1
- NSW	202.0	189.2
Sexual assault and related offences (d)		
- North Western (SD)	4.2	9.2
- NSW	4.2	4.8
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter (d)		
- North Western (SD)	21.8	23.4
- NSW	12.2	12.1
Theft and related offences		
- Inner Sydney (SSD)	163.5	190.0
- NSW	70.2	74.0
Fraud, deception and related offences		
- Fairfield-Liverpool (SSD)	37.8	46.6
- NSW	27.7	29.0
Illicit drug offences		
- Inner Sydney (SSD)	269.3	247.5
- NSW	105.3	109.8
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences		
- North Western (SD)	710.7	710.7
- NSW	530.1	461.8

(a) Excludes offences with less than 450 persons convicted in 2012.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in 2012.

(c) Rate per 100,000 population. The 2011 rates and the 2012 rates were calculated using the population figures for the year 2011.

(d) Excludes Statistical Divisions (SDs) with less than 10 persons convicted in 2012.

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

	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total finalisations</b>		
Persons charged	8,633	7,919
Charges determined	27,057	26,480
<b>Persons most frequently charged with</b>		
Property damage		
- Property damage, other	1,609	1,567
Assault		
- Common assault	1,646	1,561

**PERSONS CHARGED (TABLES 2.2 TO 2.4)**

<b>Outcome of appearance</b>		
Number of defended hearings	2,018	1,716
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	23.4	21.7
Number of persons found guilty	7,394	6,829
- Percentage of persons found guilty	85.6	86.2
<b>Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons charged	3,293	3,097
Number of defended hearings	806	759
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	24.5	24.5
Number of persons found guilty	2,844	2,649
- Percentage of persons found guilty	86.4	85.5
<b>Bail Status</b>		
Number of persons refused bail	1,062	946
- Percentage of persons refused bail	12.3	11.9
Number of persons granted bail	3,992	3,456
- Percentage of persons granted bail	46.2	43.6
Number of persons where bail not required or bail dispensed with	3,281	3,214
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	38.0	40.6

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

	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty</b>		
- Bond	2,377	2,154
- Probation Order	1,433	1,381
- Other proven outcomes	1,045	983
- Dismissed with Caution	999	892
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	32.1	31.5
- Probation Order	19.4	20.2
- Other proven outcomes	14.1	14.4
- Dismissed with Caution	13.5	13.1
 <b>Control orders</b>		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	733	727
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	9.9	10.6
 <b>Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty (a)</b>		
Highest rates		
- Breach of custodial order offences	65.4	60.2
- Robbery	24.8	31.3
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	17.8	19.9
 <b>Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order</b>		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	173	156
- Robbery	126	136
- Assault	99	104
 <b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
- Bond	882	773
- Probation Order	577	576
- Control Order	432	428
- Other proven outcomes	365	311
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	31.0	29.2
- Probation Order	20.3	21.7
- Control Order	15.2	16.2
- Other proven outcomes	12.8	11.7
 <b>Control orders – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	432	428
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	15.2	16.2

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

	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</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	61.1	69.8
- Robbery	40.4	48.4
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	24.2	26.7
<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	115	103
- Assault	63	62
- Robbery	59	62

**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>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
10 to 12	1.6	1.8
13	3.6	3.2
14	7.9	9.1
15	16.3	16.0
16	23.1	22.4
17	28.1	27.8
18 and over	19.4	19.6
<b>Females within age group as a percentage of all females appearing</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
10 to 12	1.0	0.4
13	4.5	5.3
14	13.0	13.4
15	19.7	22.3
16	23.7	23.7
17	24.6	22.6
18 and over	13.6	12.2
<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Percentage male	80.2	80.1
Percentage female	19.8	19.9
<b>Offences charged for males and females (a)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were male		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	91.3	93.5
- Driver licence offences	81.7	89.3
- Possess and/or use illicit drugs	91.0	88.1
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were female		
- Assault	31.6	30.9
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	28.9	30.4
- Breach of community-based order	17.6	20.5

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

<b>Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Defended hearing, on bail <sup>^</sup>	140.0	130.0
- All charges dismissed	140.0	113.0
- Guilty of at least one charge <sup>^</sup>	133.0	144.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, on bail	121.0	106.0
Defended hearing, bail refused <sup>^</sup>	149.0	129.0
- Guilty of at least one charge <sup>^</sup>	160.0	140.5
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	82.0	113.0

**PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES (TABLE 2.9)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Average (all offences)	41.0	37.1
Highest (b)		
- Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	52.4	56.2
- Illicit drug offences	45.1	47.2
- Acts intended to cause injury	51.4	45.8
Lowest (b)		
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	19.6	16.1
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	35.8	32.5
- Property damage and environmental pollution	39.1	34.4

(a) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in 2012.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 50 persons convicted in 2012.

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

	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Total persons registered</b>		
Higher Courts	3,678	4,012
- Supreme Court	138	130
- District Court	3,540	3,882
<b>Persons registered in trial cases</b>		
Higher Courts	1,871	2,227
- Supreme Court	124	117
- District Court	1,747	2,110
<b>Persons registered in sentence cases</b>		
Higher Courts	1,807	1,785
- Supreme Court	14	13
- District Court	1,793	1,772
<b>Percentage of total persons registered in trial cases</b>		
Higher Courts	50.9	55.5
- Supreme Court	89.9	90.0
- District Court	49.4	54.4

**FINALISATIONS (TABLES 3.2 AND 3.4)**

	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
<b>Persons</b>		
Total	3,491	3,297
- Committed for trial and finalised by any means	1,702	1,710
- Committed for sentence and finalised	1,789	1,587
<b>Persons proceeded against to trial</b>		
Higher Courts	599	630
- Supreme Court	40	78
- District Court	559	552
<b>Persons committed for trial proceeded against to sentence only</b>		
Higher Courts	862	874
- Supreme Court	21	34
- District Court	841	840
<b>Most frequently charged offence</b>		
Sexual assault and related offences		
- Aggravated sexual assault	2,408	2,087
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	1,042	1,019
Robbery, extortion and related offences		
- Aggravated robbery	936	873
Acts intended to cause injury		
- Serious assault resulting in injury	893	845

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

<b>Higher Courts</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Percentage of persons charged with one offence	32.2	33.2
Percentage of persons charged with two offences	23.7	23.4

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

<b>Percentage of persons proceeding to trial</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Higher Courts	17.2	19.1
- Supreme Court	47.6	53.8
- District Court	16.4	17.5

<b>Percentage of persons proceeding to sentence only</b>		
Higher Courts	75.3	74.1
- Supreme Court	35.7	37.2
- District Court	76.2	75.8

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty</b>		
- Higher Courts	84.1	85.1

<b>Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to trial</b>		
Higher Courts	13.6	14.8

<b>Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to sentence only</b>		
Higher Courts	78.4	79.8

<b>Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons found guilty</b>		
- Higher Courts	85.4	87.4

**PENALTIES (TABLES 3.8 AND 3.10)**

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Imprisonment	2,039	1,943
Suspended sentence	536	498
Bond	205	171

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties)</b>		
Imprisonment	69.4	69.3
Suspended sentence	18.3	17.8
Bond	7.0	6.1

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Imprisonment	420	432
Suspended sentence	59	77
Bond	36	29

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties) - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Imprisonment	79.7	76.9
Suspended sentence	11.2	13.7
Bond	6.8	5.2

**SUMMARY - HIGHER COURTS** *continued***PENALTIES (TABLE 3.11)**

<b>Average duration of imprisonment for most frequently charged offences (months)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Average (All offences)	28.1	30.4
Sexual assault	37.9	33.8
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	18.3	19.2
Robbery	24.2	23.9
Assault	26.1	21.9
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	26.7	25.9

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY BY AGE AND GENDER (TABLES 3.12, 3.12a AND 3.12b)**

<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Percentage male	91.0	89.7
Percentage female	9.0	10.3
<b>Average age of persons found guilty</b>		
Male	31.0	31.2
Female	33.1	32.5
<b>Average age of persons found guilty by specific offences (a)</b>		
Highest average age		
- Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	40.0	38.8
- Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	32.7	35.4
Lowest average age		
- Robbery	24.3	24.8
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	27.4	28.2

**BAIL STATUS (TABLE 3.13)**

<b>Persons in refused bail</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Number of persons refused bail	1,228	1,175
Percentage of persons refused bail	35.2	35.7
<b>Outcome for persons refused bail</b>		
Number of persons with guilty outcome	1,108	1,043
Percentage of persons with guilty outcome	90.2	88.8

**COURT DELAY (TABLES 3.14a TO 3.14h)**

<b>District Courts - Median delay, committal to outcome (days)</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
On bail, proceeded to trial	243.5	246.0
- Acquitted of all charges	223.0	246.0
- Found guilty of at least one charge	274.0	261.5
On bail, proceeded to sentence only	171.0	170.0
On bail, no charges proceeded with	198.0	194.5
Bail refused, proceeded to trial	214.0	233.0
- Acquitted of all charges	196.0	226.0
- Found guilty of at least one charge	218.0	242.5
Bail refused, proceeded to sentence only	136.0	140.5
Bail refused, no charges proceeded with	172.5	162.5



**SUMMARY - HIGHER COURTS** *continued***PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES (TABLE 3.15)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Average (all offences)	31.1	29.6
Highest (b)		
- Fraud, deception and related offences	61.5	55.1
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and govern	52.6	52.7
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	15.2	9.6
- Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	25.5	12.1

**APPEALS (TABLE 3.16) (c)**

<b>Appeals against severity of sentence</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>
Number of appeals finalised	5,306	4,733
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	62.3	60.8
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	26.6	28.8
<b>Appeals against conviction and sentence</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	1,426	1,385
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	25.6	26.5
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	67.6	64.9
<b>Appeals against inadequacy of sentence</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	28	30
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	53.6	50.0
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	21.4	46.7
<b>Appeals against Apprehended Violence Orders</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	271	246
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	26.6	28.5
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	72.0	69.9

(a) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in 2012.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 50 persons convicted in 2012.

(c) 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>No.</i>	<i>Charges No.</i>
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>		
Murder	0	0
Attempted murder	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0
Driving causing death	47	49
<b>Total</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>49</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>		
Assault	8,160	9,596
Serious assault resulting in injury	2,151	2,837
Serious assault not resulting in injury	15,771	19,135
Common assault	5,868	6,939
Stalking	59	64
Other acts intended to cause injury, other	24,843	38,571
<b>Total</b>		
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>		
Sexual assault	501	1,140
Non-aggravated sexual assault	121	154
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	3	19
Child pornography offences	100	272
Sexual servitude offences	0	0
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	65	118
<b>Total</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>1,703</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>		
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>		
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	1,334	1,385
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	4,856	6,076
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	40	47
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	37	39
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	5,914	7,547
<b>Total</b>		

<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>			
Abduction and kidnapping		1	3
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment		1	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour		39	50
Threatening behaviour		1,617	2,187
<b>Total</b>		<b>1,651</b>	<b>2,241</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>			
Robbery	Aggravated robbery	47	60
	Non-aggravated robbery	75	128
Blackmail and extortion	Blackmail and extortion	15	15
<b>Total</b>		<b>129</b>	<b>203</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	161	191
	Illegal use of a motor vehicle	949	1,141
	Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	0	0
	Theft from a person (excluding by force)	374	405
Theft (except motor vehicles)	Theft of intellectual property	17	348
	Theft from retail premises	3,097	4,399
	Theft (except motor vehicles), other	3,461	5,066
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4,595	7,777
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	2	5
<b>Total</b>		<b>10,581</b>	<b>19,332</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>			
Obtain benefit by deception	Obtain benefit by deception	2,481	13,046
Forgery and counterfeiting	Counterfeiting of currency	29	80
	Forgery of documents	146	510
	Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	9	11
Deceptive business/government practices	Fraudulent trade practices	58	268
	Misrepresentation of professional status	67	86
	Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	0	0
Other fraud and deception offences	Dishonest conversion	408	2,110
	Other fraud and deception offences, other	758	1,195
<b>Total</b>		<b>3,664</b>	<b>17,306</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>Illicit drug offences</b>			
Import or export illicit drugs		7	7
Export illicit drugs		1	2
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs		0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity			
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity		1,159	1,583
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs		20	25
Cultivate illicit drugs		756	786
Possess illicit drugs		11,181	13,463
Use illicit drugs		193	195
Other illicit drug offences		786	828
<b>Total</b>		<b>12,016</b>	<b>16,889</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences		0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives		628	819
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives		83	87
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other		842	1,654
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives		570	813
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives		10	13
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences		52	85
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other		1,549	3,471
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
Property damage		166	207
Property damage by fire or explosion		185	256
Graffiti		8,952	10,919
Property damage, other		1	1
Air pollution offences		31	42
Water pollution offences		41	49
Noise pollution offences		3	3
Soil pollution offences		164	190
Environmental pollution, other		9,455	11,667
<b>Total</b>			

<b>Public order offences</b>		
Disorderly conduct	2,418	2,981
	1,428	1,677
	2,065	2,152
	15	16
	29	62
Regulated public order offences	1,162	1,316
	10	37
	59	60
	198	227
	2	2
	29	29
Offensive conduct	1,778	1,830
	3,458	3,782
	1	1
	166	426
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,999</b>	<b>14,598</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>		
Driver licence offences	12,106	14,190
	6,472	7,420
	179	231
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	4,912	5,904
	0	0
Regulatory driving offences	19,465	19,776
	0	0
	0	0
	7,586	8,655
Pedestrian offences	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>40,588</b>	<b>56,176</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	156	163	
Escape custody offences	0	0	
Breach of home detention	1,179	2,297	
Breach of suspended sentence	1,309	2,220	
Breach of community service order	0	0	
Breach of parole	2,724	3,895	
Breach of bail	3,667	7,143	
Breach of bond - supervised (g)	3,505	5,250	
Breach of bond - unsupervised (g)	309	648	
Breach of community-based order, other	6,939	9,283	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	0	0	
Breach of violence orders			
Breach of non-violence orders			
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	72	83	
Offences against government operations			
Bribery involving government officials	5	5	
Immigration offences	2	3	
Offences against government operations, other	774	2,962	
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	2	4	
Offences against government security, other	4	15	
Subvert the course of justice	92	145	
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	5,218	6,261	
Prison regulation offences	210	246	
Offences against justice procedures, other	369	401	
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,509</b>	<b>41,024</b>	



<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>			
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	Defamation and libel	0	0
	Offences against privacy	4	46
Public health and safety offences	Sanitation offences	0	0
	Disease prevention offences	0	0
	Occupational health and safety offences	7	15
	Transport regulation offences	88	1,316
	Dangerous substances offences	2	2
	Licit drug offences	1,450	1,979
	Public health and safety offences, other	650	1,313
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	Commercial/industry/financial regulation	530	920
Other miscellaneous offences	Environmental regulation offences	170	287
	Bribery excluding government officials	14	23
	Quarantine offences	2	2
	Import/export regulations	34	72
	Procure or commit illegal abortion	0	0
	Other miscellaneous offences, other	185	310
<b>Total</b>		3,112	6,285
<b>Grand total (h)</b>		<b>108,528</b>	<b>239,858</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(d) PCA-high - 3,153 persons appearing and 3,188 charges; PCA-medium - 8,435 persons appearing and 8,546 charges; PCA-low - 6,235 persons appearing and 6,332 charges;

PCA-special - 1,592 persons appearing and 1,660 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 categories are labelled 'Breach of bond - probation' and 'Breach of bond - other' respectively in the ANZSOC.

(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**

<i>Outcome of charge</i>	<i>Charges</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Offence proven:</b>		
Conviction	163,216	68.0
Conviction ex parte	22,724	9.5
<b>Other outcomes:</b>		
Dismissed after hearing	11,060	4.6
Dismissed Mental Health (Forensic Provisions) Act	4,748	2.0
Adjourned to Drug Court	2,276	0.9
Stood out of list	96	0.0
Death of accused	365	0.2
Withdrawn - no evidence offered	34,115	14.2
Taken into account when sentencing principal offence	1,258	0.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>239,858</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**TABLE 1.3****PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL 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	5,314	4.9
Guilty of at least one charge	9,818	9.0
Other (a)	1,149	1.1
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	2,053	1.9
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	67,717	62.4
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	15,513	14.3
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	6,477	6.0
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	487	0.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>108,528</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**TABLE 1.4****ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS  
CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL 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	887	5.4
Guilty of at least one charge	2,206	13.5
Other (a)	277	1.7
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	434	2.7
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	9,213	56.3
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	2,023	12.4
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	1,184	7.2
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	130	0.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>16,354</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 1.5

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

	Legal representation							
	Represented		Not represented		Unknown		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>								
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>								
All charges dismissed	4,681	6.8	583	1.5	17	7.5	5,281	4.9
Guilty of at least one charge	8,113	11.8	1,608	4.3	18	7.9	9,739	9.1
Other (a)	1,017	1.5	130	0.3	1	0.4	1,148	1.1
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	1,545	2.2	480	1.3	27	11.8	2,052	1.9
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	47,852	69.4	19,258	51.0	99	43.4	67,209	62.8
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	785	1.1	13,996	37.0	26	11.4	14,807	13.8
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	4,604	6.7	1,651	4.4	26	11.4	6,281	5.9
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	388	0.6	85	0.2	14	6.1	487	0.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>68,985</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>37,791</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>107,004</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.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,524 companies.

TABLE 1.6

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

	Bail status													
	Bail not required or bail dispensed with			On bail			Bail refused			In custody, prior offence			Total	
	No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%	No.	%	
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>														
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>														
All charges dismissed	2,115	3.0		2,880	10.6		199	3.2		87	4.1	5,281	4.9	
Guilty of at least one charge	3,464	4.8		4,151	15.3		1,791	28.7		333	15.6	9,739	9.1	
Other (a)	298	0.4		661	2.4		141	2.3		48	2.3	1,148	1.1	
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	1,578	2.2		36	0.1		269	4.3		169	7.9	2,052	1.9	
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	47,506	66.5		14,921	54.9		3,473	55.7		1,309	61.5	67,209	62.8	
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	13,796	19.3		1,011	3.7		-	-		-	-	14,807	13.8	
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	2,539	3.6		3,436	12.6		160	2.6		146	6.9	6,281	5.9	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	172	0.2		76	0.3		203	3.3		36	1.7	487	0.5	
<b>Total</b>	<b>71,468</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>27,172</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>6,236</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>2,128</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>107,004</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.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,524 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.	
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Normal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	Other Proven Outcomes (c)	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	3	-	4	2	2	-	7	4	-	-	1	1	23	
<b>Total</b>	1	3	-	4	2	2	-	7	4	-	-	1	1	23	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	1,231	1	112	572	262	573	1,775	3,361	1,593	1	76	2,111	344	12,012	
Other acts intended to cause injury	290	-	12	145	46	88	583	864	283	1	24	295	26	2,657	
<b>Total</b>	1,521	1	124	717	308	661	2,358	4,225	1,876	2	100	2,406	370	14,669	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	80	-	2	34	9	7	63	68	5	-	-	6	-	274	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	40	1	6	17	8	3	12	8	4	-	1	4	-	104	
<b>Total</b>	120	1	8	51	17	10	75	76	9	-	1	10	-	378	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	74	-	6	37	10	3	25	18	1	-	1	5	-	180	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	185	10	28	80	72	166	158	437	1,831	-	45	288	224	3,530	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1	1	-	1	-	-	2	1	21	-	1	12	2	42	
<b>Total</b>	186	11	28	81	72	166	160	438	1,852	-	46	300	226	3,572	
<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	99	-	4	25	19	35	83	161	141	-	1	75	15	658	
<b>Total</b>	99	-	4	25	19	35	83	161	141	-	1	75	16	659	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	18	-	1	5	1	2	9	2	1	-	-	39
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>43</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
	560	2	27	128	39	74	95	158	26	-	2	1,150
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	189	-	6	30	17	31	67	86	25	1	4	474
Theft (except motor vehicles)	466	5	11	117	103	82	394	535	1,268	1	93	3,603
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	261	-	7	59	58	51	238	404	612	1	26	1,894
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>916</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>1,905</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>5,972</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	254	16	37	61	116	172	132	415	291	1	14	1,668
Forgery and counterfeiting	16	1	4	3	3	4	14	34	6	-	5	91
Deceptive business/government practices	1	-	-	-	2	1	1	8	63	-	1	84
Other fraud and deception offences	19	2	5	10	15	34	28	108	162	-	15	479
<b>Total</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>522</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>2,322</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	6
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	112	3	24	80	56	68	99	131	42	-	2	641
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	15	-	1	17	11	14	81	142	205	-	8	600
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	89	-	-	28	13	18	298	336	4,379	1	270	7,315
Other illicit drug offences	4	-	-	-	-	-	6	9	76	-	4	112
<b>Total</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>4,703</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>8,674</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	36	-	1	12	13	9	18	61	100	-	10	322
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	41	-	1	8	17	15	13	81	193	-	16	575
<b>Total</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>897</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	153	1	5	38	27	84	331	550	1,368	-	99	3,545
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	113	-	3	138
<b>Total</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>331</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>1,481</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>3,683</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	233	2	23	67	56	138	180	440	568	1	96	2,095
Regulated public order offences	6	1	1	2	1	-	23	11	306	-	26	519
Offensive conduct	45	-	2	5	8	25	55	140	972	1	87	1,635
<b>Total</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>258</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>1,846</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>4,249</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.	
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	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	Other Proven Outcomes (c)	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>															
Driver licence offences	694	45	143	265	433	637	275	1,274	6,933	-	262	1,890	1,193	7	14,051
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	991	-	97	28	509	-	1,626
Regulatory driving offences	173	22	87	263	157	645	581	1,518	12,409	-	136	4,083	881	4	20,959
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	867	67	230	528	590	1,282	857	2,792	20,333	-	495	6,001	2,583	11	36,636
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>															
Breach of custodial order offences	524	24	153	18	10	6	10	4	4	1	5	1	1	129	890
Breach of community-based order	492	11	59	253	248	233	627	534	348	5	112	25	24	1,410	4,381
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	388	1	15	151	73	105	514	765	594	7	212	315	174	-	3,314
Offences against government operations	1	1	-	-	-	3	-	23	509	-	2	39	98	-	676
Offences against government security	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	3
Offences against justice procedures	135	1	2	30	29	35	166	319	1,170	1	67	237	113	-	2,305
<b>Total</b>	1,541	38	229	452	360	382	1,317	1,645	2,626	14	398	617	411	1,539	11,569
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Public health and safety offences	33	1	-	4	3	4	48	61	738	-	54	89	127	-	1,162
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	9	302	-	5	15	43	-	375
Other miscellaneous offences	14	1	3	1	6	5	2	21	124	-	5	14	19	-	215
<b>Total</b>	47	2	3	6	9	10	51	91	1,164	-	64	118	189	-	1,754
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>6,901</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>782</b>	<b>2,531</b>	<b>1,937</b>	<b>3,371</b>	<b>6,983</b>	<b>13,089</b>	<b>38,782</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1,881</b>	<b>12,999</b>	<b>5,257</b>	<b>1,558</b>	<b>96,250</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(c) Other Proven Outcomes contains 1,533 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 5 persons who were ordered to pay compensation and 20 persons who received a licence disqualification as their only penalty.



TABLE 1.8

**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
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	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>Opiates</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	28	1	2	6	10	3	15	13	4	-	-	1	-	83	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	14	-	-	4	-	-	39	31	252	-	32	16	7	395	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	-	1	-	-	12	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	42	1	2	10	10	3	54	46	266	-	33	17	7	491	
<b>Cannabis</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	48	1	16	42	29	46	49	65	17	-	2	7	-	322	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	12	-	1	16	11	14	73	142	205	-	8	87	18	587	
Possess illicit drugs	35	-	-	10	8	6	154	201	2,756	-	188	340	265	3,963	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	1	3	10	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
<b>Total</b>	95	1	17	68	48	66	276	410	2,983	-	198	436	286	4,884	

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence															
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	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>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	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	5	-	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	17	-	-	24	1	43	-	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	17	-	-	25	1	48	-	
<b>Amphetamines</b>																
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	33	1	2	26	15	11	23	21	7	-	-	6	-	145	-	
Manufacture illicit drugs	3	-	-	1	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Possess illicit drugs	37	-	-	14	4	8	83	70	789	1	32	181	74	1,293	-	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Other illicit drug offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	
<b>Total</b>	74	1	2	41	19	19	114	93	798	1	32	187	74	1,455	-	

<b>Barbiturates</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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	1	3	14	-	1	27	12	-	-	58
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	4	14	-	1	28	13	-	-	61
<b>Cocaine</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	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	19
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	2	-	11	9	102	-	3	143	30	-	-	300
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	3	-	1	14	107	-	3	143	31	-	-	321
<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	1	-	2	4	10	-	-	7	1	-	-	63
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	1	3	8	17	410	575	173	11	-	1,198
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	1	-	2	4	40	420	1,198	583	174	11	-	1,263

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	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	No.	
<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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Unknown</b>															
Import illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	21	-	2	9	-	-	36
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	3	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	76	-	4	8	5	-	109
<b>Total</b>	6	-	-	-	-	1	7	9	97	-	6	18	5	-	149
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>4,703</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>1,437</b>	<b>591</b>	<b>8,674</b>	

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

TABLE 1.9

**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	Intensive Correction Order	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	Other Proven Outcomes (c)	
<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	611	-	35	196	54	132	485	587	245	-	18	145	19	-	2,527
Other acts intended to cause injury	129	-	1	39	10	18	128	137	47	-	5	17	3	-	534
<b>Total</b>	740	-	36	235	64	150	613	724	292	-	23	162	22	-	3,061
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	13	-	-	6	-	1	8	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	33
Non-assaultive sexual offences	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
<b>Total</b>	18	-	-	6	-	2	9	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	40
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	9	-	-	3	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	56	1	2	13	8	7	24	29	83	-	2	9	1	1	236
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	56	1	2	13	8	7	24	29	84	-	3	9	1	1	238
<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	37	-	-	6	5	13	17	37	23	-	1	4	1	-	144
<b>Total</b>	37	-	-	6	5	13	17	37	23	-	1	4	2	-	145

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence																Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	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	Other Proven Outcomes (c)			
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>																	
Robbery	6	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	11		
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12</b>		
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>389</b>		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>																	
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	73	-	2	11	6	8	24	27	5	1	3	2	-	-	162		
Theft (except motor vehicles)	200	1	4	43	24	21	111	96	245	-	25	22	10	1	803		
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	89	-	1	19	9	14	81	85	123	-	13	10	3	-	447		
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>373</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1,412</b>		
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>																	
Obtain benefit by deception	63	-	-	7	4	12	23	34	30	-	-	8	1	-	182		
Forgery and counterfeiting	3	-	1	1	-	-	3	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	13		
Deceptive business/government practices	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	4		
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	5	24	-	5	2	2	-	42		
<b>Total</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>241</b>		
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>																	
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	27	-	5	22	12	7	15	18	4	-	-	1	-	-	111		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	4	-	-	1	1	-	9	12	27	-	1	3	1	-	59		
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	31	-	-	7	4	3	63	44	753	1	75	36	29	-	1,046		
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	10	-	-	-	1	-	12		
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,228</b>		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>																	
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	7	-	-	2	2	2	5	5	6	-	2	2	1	-	34		
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	8	-	-	-	2	-	3	6	18	-	2	4	4	-	47		
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>81</b>		

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>															
Property damage	74	-	1	15	7	25	109	131	254	-	26	49	12	-	703
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	1	-	-	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>714</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>															
Disorderly conduct	105	-	6	27	9	29	64	83	124	-	27	13	10	-	497
Regulated public order offences	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	47	-	1	5	3	-	63
Offensive conduct	19	-	-	1	3	10	24	40	297	1	28	24	22	-	469
<b>Total</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,029</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>															
Driver licence offences	200	2	20	69	69	92	73	166	790	-	44	157	74	-	1,756
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	-	9	-	7	-	91
Regulatory driving offences	40	3	11	40	28	48	71	103	523	-	12	85	7	-	971
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>1,388</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2,818</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>															
Breach of custodial order offences	200	6	33	8	2	-	4	-	-	1	2	-	-	19	275
Breach of community-based order	190	-	10	90	47	38	179	95	43	1	34	3	6	243	979
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	181	-	5	49	23	34	159	160	139	4	55	24	27	-	860
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	11
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	61	-	-	14	9	7	62	59	173	1	19	15	5	-	425
<b>Total</b>	<b>632</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>262</b>	<b>2,550</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	10	1	-	1	-	-	12	13	94	-	10	2	3	-	146
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	5
Other miscellaneous offences	10	-	1	1	2	2	1	7	16	-	-	1	1	-	42
<b>Total</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>193</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>2,708</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>725</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>540</b>	<b>1,792</b>	<b>2,025</b>	<b>4,255</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>420</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>14,151</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(c) Other Proven Outcomes contains 259 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 2 persons who were ordered to pay compensation and 3 persons who received a licence disqualification as their only penalty.

TABLE 1.10

**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 Average months	Home detention Average months	Intensive Correction Order Average months	Suspended sentence Average months	Community Service Order Average hours	Bond Average months	Fine Average \$	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>								
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	12.0	5.7	-	6.8	275.0	21.5	1,163	
<b>Total</b>	12.0	5.7	-	6.8	275.0	21.5	1,163	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>								
Assault	6.2	4.0	11.1	9.9	142.0	15.0	602	
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.0	-	9.7	9.7	113.1	15.3	552	
<b>Total</b>	6.0	4.0	10.9	9.8	138.2	15.1	594	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>								
Sexual assault	8.1	-	6.5	12.8	169.3	20.7	974	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	8.1	12.0	13.7	12.0	176.7	19.5	343	
<b>Total</b>	8.1	12.0	11.9	12.5	171.5	20.5	693	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>								
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>								
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	7.2	6.2	8.3	9.9	156.3	15.9	546	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	6.0	3.0	-	6.0	-	15.4	1,602	
<b>Total</b>	7.2	6.0	8.3	9.9	156.3	15.9	558	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>								
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	4.8	-	10.0	11.9	117.6	15.3	613	
<b>Total</b>	4.8	-	10.0	11.9	117.6	15.3	613	



<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>									
Robbery	8.0	-	8.0	14.5	187.5	17.7	300		
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	11.5	200.0	24.0	-		
<b>Total</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>191.7</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>300</b>		
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>									
	8.1	7.5	13.2	11.8	163.5	18.3	610		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>									
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.7	-	11.2	10.2	138.9	17.1	792		
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.6	6.8	10.9	8.0	116.8	13.8	457		
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	3.8	-	8.1	7.6	109.5	14.3	484		
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>118.7</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>470</b>		
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>									
Obtain benefit by deception	6.0	8.3	11.6	12.6	154.3	17.1	695		
Forgery and counterfeiting	8.1	14.0	7.3	12.0	150.0	20.0	333		
Deceptive business/government practices	6.0	-	-	5.0	120.0	14.6	2,521		
Other fraud and deception offences	7.6	10.0	12.0	12.5	157.2	15.8	573		
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>154.5</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>873</b>		
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>									
Import or export illicit drugs	2.0	-	-	-	-	8.3	500		
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.4	8.9	11.0	10.2	158.2	18.3	811		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	7.2	-	9.0	11.3	140.3	16.0	590		
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2.4	-	-	8.4	119.2	12.6	363		
Other illicit drug offences	4.0	-	-	-	-	17.0	384		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>148.6</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>377</b>		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>									
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	6.7	-	12.0	10.5	130.6	15.0	564		
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	8.4	-	9.0	9.8	175.3	14.4	550		
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>158.5</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>555</b>		
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	4.3	6.0	9.8	8.8	111.3	13.1	469		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	15.0	1,875		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>111.3</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>576</b>		

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence						
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine
	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$
<b>Public order offences</b>							
Disorderly conduct	5.9	6.5	10.5	11.0	146.7	16.5	371
Regulated public order offences	2.5	6.0	13.4	7.3	-	13.2	538
Offensive conduct	3.0	-	6.0	7.4	112.8	12.6	364
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>141.5</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>395</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>							
Driver licence offences	6.3	6.3	9.7	10.0	138.8	14.8	533
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	9.5	366
Regulatory driving offences	5.4	7.4	9.5	9.6	147.9	14.4	721
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>9.9</b>	<b>143.4</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>640</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>							
Breach of custodial order offences	5.2	5.4	9.9	10.3	108.3	15.8	650
Breach of community-based order	3.6	5.2	7.0	8.5	110.5	16.7	892
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	3.7	5.0	8.3	8.6	103.0	14.1	437
Offences against government operations	6.0	6.0	-	-	108.3	14.4	2,693
Offences against government security	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	750
Offences against justice procedures	3.7	8.0	4.5	7.9	137.0	13.4	532
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>110.8</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>977</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>							
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	100.0	18.0	-
Public health and safety offences	3.4	9.0	-	7.3	143.8	12.4	1,299
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	12.0	-	15.1	1,264
Other miscellaneous offences	6.2	6.0	14.7	7.7	140.0	15.0	2,522
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>7.8</b>	<b>137.5</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>1,420</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>138.5</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>628</b>

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

TABLE 1.11

**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	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine
	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average hours	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	6.3	-	11.7	10.1	137.4	15.7	547
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.5	-	15.0	10.8	99.4	16.3	444
<b>Total</b>	6.2	-	11.8	10.2	132.8	15.8	531
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>							
Sexual assault	6.8	-	-	11.5	400.0	20.3	-
Non-assaultive sexual offences	6.2	-	-	-	150.0	12.0	-
<b>Total</b>	6.6	-	-	11.5	275.0	19.7	-
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	5.9	-	-	15.0	150.0	24.0	-
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>							
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	7.4	5.0	7.5	8.8	136.4	17.5	504
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,000
<b>Total</b>	7.4	5.0	7.5	8.8	136.4	17.5	522
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>							
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	4.5	-	-	10.3	142.7	15.0	427
<b>Total</b>	4.5	-	-	10.3	142.7	15.0	427

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TABLE 1.11 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence						
	Imprisonment Average months	Home detention Average months	Intensive Correction Order Average months	Suspended sentence Average months	Community Service Order Average hours	Bond Average months	Fine Average \$
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>							
Robbery	9.0	-	8.0	-	-	26.0	300
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	16.0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	9.0	-	8.0	16.0	-	26.0	300
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	8.3	-	9.3	12.3	173.3	17.4	400
<b>Theft and related offences</b>							
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.5	-	18.0	10.8	122.5	17.0	1,080
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.7	6.0	11.0	8.0	130.7	14.2	420
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	3.8	-	4.0	6.3	115.0	14.0	456
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	4.9	6.0	12.0	8.0	124.1	14.5	441
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>							
Obtain benefit by deception	5.5	-	-	10.1	147.1	14.6	615
Forgery and counterfeiting	8.0	-	6.0	15.0	-	15.9	500
Deceptive business/government practices	6.0	-	-	-	-	-	2,350
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	18.0	-	13.8	593
<b>Total</b>	5.6	-	6.0	11.1	147.1	14.6	694
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>							
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.9	-	10.8	9.0	139.3	17.4	325
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	7.0	-	-	13.5	-	16.6	490
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1.9	-	-	7.6	125.0	13.3	338
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	12.0	353
<b>Total</b>	4.4	-	10.8	8.9	135.0	14.4	344
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>							
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	6.0	-	-	7.8	77.5	15.4	783
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	10.8	-	-	6.5	-	18.0	433
<b>Total</b>	8.5	-	-	7.3	77.5	16.8	520

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	4.4	-	7.0	7.7	112.6	13.5	439		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	6.0	355		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>112.6</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>436</b>		
<b>Public order offences</b>									
Disorderly conduct	6.3	-	10.0	11.5	136.4	16.8	303		
Regulated public order offences	2.5	-	-	-	-	13.8	415		
Offensive conduct	2.6	-	-	5.8	83.5	12.1	310		
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>122.8</b>	<b>15.1</b>	<b>319</b>		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>									
Driver licence offences	6.9	8.0	10.9	10.6	138.5	15.9	488		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	296		
Regulatory driving offences	5.8	8.0	10.4	10.1	164.0	15.3	566		
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>10.5</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>507</b>		
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>									
Breach of custodial order offences	5.1	5.0	10.6	11.2	-	15.0	-		
Breach of community-based order	3.6	-	6.5	9.4	103.1	17.1	556		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	3.8	-	8.8	8.9	112.1	14.6	397		
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	125.0	-	900		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Offences against justice procedures	3.7	-	-	7.4	80.0	14.3	372		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>105.2</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>418</b>		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>									
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Public health and safety offences	3.7	9.0	-	12.0	-	14.0	537		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	1,675		
Other miscellaneous offences	7.2	-	12.0	6.7	125.0	14.7	888		
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>8.8</b>	<b>125.0</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>626</b>		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>10.4</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>132.2</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>445</b>		

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.12

**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	-	-	-	1	3	1	5	3	3	2	2	8	8	23	23	56.1												
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	3	1	5	3	3	2	2	8	8	23	23	56.1												
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																												
Assault	1	397	534	2,337	1,920	3,268	2,350	876	172	151	3	12,009	34.1															
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	55	96	440	421	821	584	192	22	26	-	2,657	34.7															
<b>Total</b>	1	452	630	2,777	2,341	4,089	2,934	1,068	194	177	3	14,666	34.2															
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																												
Sexual assault	-	2	6	35	37	53	60	42	12	27	-	274	41.8															
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	1	1	14	7	29	25	13	7	7	-	104	41.6															
<b>Total</b>	-	3	7	49	44	82	85	55	19	34	-	378	41.8															
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	2	2	26	19	31	41	26	13	20	-	180	43.4															
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	101	170	211	720	504	821	501	274	84	136	2	3,524	34.0															
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	4	7	21	8	-	-	1	-	42	34.5															
<b>Total</b>	101	170	212	724	511	842	509	274	84	137	2	3,566	34.1															
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	30.0														
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-														
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	19	24	106	106	200	153	35	6	8	1	658	34.5															
<b>Total</b>	-	19	24	106	106	201	153	35	6	8	1	659	34.5															

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	-	3	12	7	9	6	1	1	-	-	30.8
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	4	31.7
<b>Total</b>	-	-	3	14	7	9	8	1	1	-	43	30.9
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
	1	44	77	280	169	370	174	29	3	3	1,150	31.0
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	35	45	130	87	120	46	10	1	-	474	28.5
Theft (except motor vehicles)	1	171	210	648	570	1,080	605	222	43	53	3,603	33.3
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	73	126	352	291	632	326	71	11	12	1,894	32.4
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.3
<b>Total</b>	1	279	381	1,130	949	1,832	977	303	55	65	5,972	32.6
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	20	42	267	293	561	297	135	30	20	1,666	35.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	2	2	10	16	31	19	7	1	3	91	36.3
Deceptive business/government practices	-	2	2	11	11	8	17	10	2	-	65	36.4
Other fraud and deception offences	-	14	25	101	95	119	73	28	15	2	473	33.0
<b>Total</b>	-	38	71	389	415	719	406	180	48	25	2,295	34.8
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	6	31.2
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	24	31	134	78	162	118	77	13	4	641	34.9
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	3	8	58	69	148	152	127	23	12	600	41.0
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	236	357	1,722	1,265	1,939	1,291	431	54	20	7,315	32.4
Other illicit drug offences	-	9	5	21	23	29	17	6	1	1	112	31.7
<b>Total</b>	-	272	401	1,936	1,436	2,281	1,579	641	91	37	8,674	33.2
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	12	22	62	67	69	51	26	7	6	322	33.5
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	11	12	71	69	120	119	97	26	50	575	41.5
<b>Total</b>	-	23	34	133	136	189	170	123	33	56	897	38.7
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	-	260	285	939	606	793	486	130	24	20	3,545	30.1
Environmental pollution	-	2	-	11	9	26	26	12	6	8	107	41.6
<b>Total</b>	-	262	285	950	615	819	512	142	30	28	3,652	30.4

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TABLE 1.12 continued

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	-	128	187	618	325	464	271	79	11	12	-	2,095
Regulated public order offences	-	13	28	104	76	139	92	47	12	4	-	515
Offensive conduct	-	99	111	392	255	379	259	94	18	16	11	1,634
<b>Total</b>	-	240	326	1,114	656	982	622	220	41	32	11	4,244
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	419	521	722	3,287	2,513	3,334	1,990	844	203	195	7	14,035
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	37	39	36	224	228	366	320	188	55	70	8	1,571
Regulatory driving offences	241	453	588	3,544	3,118	4,702	3,861	2,307	574	574	90	20,052
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	697	1,013	1,346	7,055	5,859	8,402	6,171	3,339	832	839	105	35,658
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	1	6	22	194	156	326	130	48	3	4	-	890
Breach of community-based order	7	68	179	1,072	813	1,240	723	201	38	28	3	4,372
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	52	79	410	478	1,098	868	245	38	46	-	3,314
Offences against government operations	-	-	1	13	16	69	198	134	21	14	25	491
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	3
Offences against justice procedures	3	109	142	526	423	505	313	100	25	16	23	2,185
<b>Total</b>	11	235	423	2,215	1,886	3,239	2,232	729	126	108	51	11,255
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	2
Public health and safety offences	-	15	26	139	154	283	220	93	14	18	116	1,078
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	1	17	21	77	124	76	15	20	2	353
Other miscellaneous offences	1	-	5	25	29	40	35	20	3	9	29	196
<b>Total</b>	1	15	32	181	204	401	379	189	32	48	147	1,629
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>813</b>	<b>3,065</b>	<b>4,252</b>	<b>19,054</b>	<b>15,337</b>	<b>24,458</b>	<b>16,916</b>	<b>7,331</b>	<b>1,597</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>333</b>	<b>94,761</b>

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

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,295 companies (included in Table 1.7), 194 persons with unknown sex (included in Table 1.7)



TABLE 1.12a

**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>Under 18</b>	<b>Over 18</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>	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Type of principal offence</b>												
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	1	2	1	5	1	1	7	-	-	18
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	2	1	5	1	1	7	-	-	18
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	1	286	408	1,782	1,513	2,614	1,858	717	148	131	1	9,459
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	49	82	388	377	709	520	170	20	26	-	2,341
<b>Total</b>	1	335	490	2,170	1,890	3,323	2,378	887	168	157	1	11,800
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	2	6	35	37	52	58	42	12	27	-	271
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	1	1	14	7	29	25	13	7	7	-	104
<b>Total</b>	-	3	7	49	44	81	83	55	19	34	-	375
<b>Sexual offences against children (b)</b>												
	-	2	2	26	19	31	41	26	13	20	-	180
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	85	146	180	638	427	652	390	208	62	99	1	2,888
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	2	5	8	6	-	-	1	-	22
<b>Total</b>	85	146	180	640	432	660	396	208	62	100	1	2,910
<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	-	18	23	91	98	176	130	32	5	8	1	582
<b>Total</b>	-	18	23	91	98	177	130	32	5	8	1	583

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TABLE 1.12a continued

<b>Gender: Male</b>													
<b>Age (years)</b>													
<b>Under 18</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>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	2	11	7	6	6	1	1	-	-	-	34	31.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	28.1
<b>Total</b>	-	2	13	7	6	7	1	1	-	-	-	37	30.9
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Total</b>	1	43	251	149	328	155	25	2	2	-	-	1,028	30.9
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	32	42	119	74	101	41	10	1	-	-	420	28.4
Theft (except motor vehicles)	1	134	150	418	352	677	326	111	19	29	-	2,217	32.3
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	66	98	265	222	470	244	56	8	10	-	1,439	32.3
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.3
<b>Total</b>	1	232	290	802	649	1,248	611	177	28	39	-	4,077	31.9
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	13	33	193	188	320	175	75	21	12	1	1,031	34.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	2	2	9	7	20	16	5	1	2	-	64	36.6
Deceptive business/government practices	-	2	2	11	8	7	12	7	2	-	-	51	35.0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	8	14	60	59	78	40	15	8	1	1	284	32.6
<b>Total</b>	-	25	51	273	262	425	243	102	32	15	2	1,430	34.2
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	5	31.5
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	22	24	116	66	133	92	57	11	3	-	524	34.3
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	1	7	56	62	129	125	99	20	10	-	509	40.5
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	205	309	1,489	1,098	1,640	1,065	368	45	17	-	6,236	32.2
Other illicit drug offences	-	7	5	16	19	23	10	3	1	1	-	85	30.8
<b>Total</b>	-	235	345	1,678	1,246	1,927	1,293	527	77	31	-	7,359	32.9
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	11	22	56	61	64	48	23	6	6	-	297	33.5
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	10	12	66	65	111	112	87	24	50	-	537	41.6
<b>Total</b>	-	21	34	122	126	175	160	110	30	56	-	834	38.7

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	228	247	816	524	640	379	97	18	16	2	2,967	29.6
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	7	6	23	21	8	6	8	5	84	43.0
<b>Total</b>	-	228	247	823	530	663	400	105	24	24	7	3,051	30.0
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	-	113	160	541	273	375	210	64	11	9	-	1,756	29.5
Regulated public order offences	-	10	23	91	67	123	72	40	11	4	-	441	34.4
Offensive conduct	-	84	94	338	223	310	196	75	15	11	6	1,352	31.4
<b>Total</b>	-	207	277	970	563	808	478	179	37	24	6	3,549	30.8
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	334	432	601	2,613	1,951	2,574	1,512	688	173	178	7	11,063	32.0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	34	31	29	166	162	261	248	140	43	64	6	1,184	38.0
Regulatory driving offences	202	363	485	2,876	2,500	3,760	3,055	1,841	485	501	84	16,152	36.4
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	570	826	1,115	5,655	4,613	6,595	4,815	2,669	701	743	97	28,399	34.8
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
Breach of custodial order offences	1	5	21	181	126	280	103	40	3	4	-	764	32.5
Breach of community-based order	7	58	151	887	658	990	569	163	36	26	3	3,548	32.3
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	42	65	356	428	959	724	204	33	44	-	2,855	36.3
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	10	11	57	169	114	19	11	20	411	47.1
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	3	50.2
Offences against justice procedures	2	88	120	419	323	364	232	68	20	13	20	1,669	30.8
<b>Total</b>	10	193	357	1,853	1,546	2,651	1,797	590	112	98	43	9,250	33.9
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	68.5
Public health and safety offences	-	14	23	102	120	215	165	66	11	15	72	803	36.2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	1	17	19	63	95	66	13	14	2	290	44.5
Other miscellaneous offences	1	-	4	24	25	37	30	15	3	7	9	155	37.4
<b>Total</b>	1	14	28	143	164	315	290	147	27	37	83	1,249	38.4
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>2,526</b>	<b>3,518</b>	<b>15,534</b>	<b>12,321</b>	<b>19,383</b>	<b>13,241</b>	<b>5,815</b>	<b>1,326</b>	<b>1,375</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>75,949</b>	<b>33.9</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.12b

**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		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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	5	56.9	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	5	56.9	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																											
Assault	-	111	126	555	407	654	492	159	24	20	2	2,550	33.1														
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	6	14	52	44	112	64	22	2	-	-	316	34.3														
<b>Total</b>	-	117	140	607	451	766	556	181	26	20	2	2,866	33.3														
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																											
Sexual assault	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	42.8														
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.														
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	42.8														
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																											
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	16	24	31	82	77	169	111	66	22	37	1	636	37.5														
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	2	2	13	2	-	-	-	-	20	32.5														
<b>Total</b>	16	24	32	84	79	182	113	66	22	37	1	656	37.4														
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																											
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.														
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.														
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	1	1	15	8	24	23	3	1	-	-	76	35.6														
<b>Total</b>	-	1	1	15	8	24	23	3	1	-	-	76	35.6														

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	-	1	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	5	28.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	42.5
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	6	30.6
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	3	3	11	13	19	5	-	-	-	-	54	29.7
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	37	60	230	218	403	279	111	24	24	-	1,386	35.0
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	7	28	87	69	162	82	15	3	2	-	455	32.8
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	47	91	328	300	584	366	126	27	26	-	1,895	34.3
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	7	9	74	105	241	122	60	9	8	-	635	36.2
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	1	9	11	3	2	-	1	-	27	35.7
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	3	1	5	3	-	-	2	14	42.3
Other fraud and deception offences	-	6	11	41	36	41	33	13	7	1	-	189	33.6
<b>Total</b>	-	13	20	116	153	294	163	78	16	10	2	865	35.7
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	30.0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	2	7	18	12	29	26	20	2	1	-	117	37.4
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	2	1	2	7	19	27	28	3	2	-	91	43.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	31	48	233	167	299	226	63	9	3	-	1,079	33.3
Other illicit drug offences	-	2	-	5	4	6	7	3	-	-	-	27	34.6
<b>Total</b>	-	37	56	258	190	354	286	114	14	6	-	1,315	34.4
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	6	6	5	3	3	1	-	-	25	33.7
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	5	4	9	7	10	2	-	-	38	40.0
<b>Total</b>	-	2	-	11	10	14	10	13	3	-	-	63	37.5
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	32	38	123	82	153	107	33	6	4	-	578	32.6
Environmental pollution	-	2	-	4	3	3	5	4	-	-	2	23	36.3
<b>Total</b>	-	34	38	127	85	156	112	37	6	4	2	601	32.7

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Gender: Female												
Age (years)												
Type of principal offence	Age (years)											
	Under 18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	Average age
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	-	15	27	77	52	89	61	15	-	3	-	33.9
Regulated public order offences	-	3	5	13	9	16	20	7	1	-	-	34.9
Offensive conduct	-	15	17	54	32	69	63	19	3	5	5	34.1
<b>Total</b>	-	33	49	144	93	174	144	41	4	8	5	33.0
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	85	89	121	674	562	760	478	156	30	17	-	31.9
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	3	8	7	58	66	105	72	48	12	6	2	36.9
Regulatory driving offences	39	90	103	668	618	942	806	466	89	73	6	36.2
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	127	187	231	1,400	1,246	1,807	1,356	670	131	96	8	34.5
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	1	1	13	30	46	27	8	-	-	-	34.5
Breach of community-based order	-	10	28	185	155	250	154	38	2	2	-	32.7
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	10	14	54	50	139	144	41	5	2	-	37.1
Offences against government operations	-	-	1	3	5	12	29	20	2	3	5	44.6
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	1	21	22	107	100	141	81	32	5	3	3	32.7
<b>Total</b>	1	42	66	362	340	588	435	139	14	10	8	34.3
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	37.6
Public health and safety offences	-	1	3	37	34	68	55	27	3	3	44	36.8
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	2	14	29	10	2	6	-	46.7
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	1	1	4	3	5	5	-	2	20	41.9
<b>Total</b>	-	1	4	38	40	86	89	42	5	11	64	39.1
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>3,520</b>	<b>3,016</b>	<b>5,075</b>	<b>3,675</b>	<b>1,516</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>34.4</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

TABLE 1.13

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

	Bail status											
	On bail				Bail refused				Total			
	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination	Court delay	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination	Court delay	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination	Court delay
No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>												
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>	13,569	35.0	116.0	37.0	2,131	109.0	15,700	35.0	115.0			
All charges dismissed	4,995	28.0	113.0	5.0	199	70.0	5,194	27.0	112.0			
Guilty of at least one charge	7,615	42.0	114.0	43.0	1,791	113.0	9,406	42.0	114.0			
Other (b)	959	28.0	140.0	26.0	141	147.0	1,100	28.0	141.0			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (c)</b>	1,614	472.0	0.0	409.0	269	0.0	1,883	467.0	0.0			
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	62,427	32.0	28.0	25.0	3,473	70.0	65,900	32.0	28.0			
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	14,807	39.0	0.0	.	.	.	14,807	39.0	0.0			
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	5,975	27.0	91.0	3.0	160	74.0	6,135	27.0	91.0			
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	248	39.0	2.5	25.0	203	55.0	451	31.0	31.0			

(a) Excluded from this table are 2,128 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 1,524 companies.

(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 1.14

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES (a):  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCE IN THE PREVIOUS 10 YEARS**

Type of principal offence	Prior proven offences in the previous 10 years											
	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	91.3	2	8.7	-	-	-	-	23	100.0		
Acts intended to cause injury	5,509	37.7	3,837	26.2	3,696	25.3	1,579	10.8	14,621	100.0		
Sexual assault and related offences	218	57.7	126	33.3	13	3.4	21	5.6	378	100.0		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1,950	54.9	1,281	36.1	281	7.9	40	1.1	3,552	100.0		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	175	25.0	431	61.7	55	7.9	38	5.4	699	100.0		
Robbery, extortion and related offences	6	15.0	24	60.0	3	7.5	7	17.5	40	100.0		
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	140	12.4	495	43.9	127	11.3	365	32.4	1,127	100.0		
Theft and related offences	1,523	25.7	1,457	24.6	1,669	28.1	1,283	21.6	5,932	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	1,031	44.7	834	36.1	302	13.1	142	6.1	2,309	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	2,989	34.5	2,733	31.5	2,571	29.7	370	4.3	8,663	100.0		
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	452	50.5	371	41.5	51	5.7	21	2.3	895	100.0		
Property damage and environmental pollution	1,340	36.8	1,385	38.1	725	19.9	188	5.2	3,638	100.0		
Public order offences	1,329	31.4	1,356	32.0	1,261	29.7	293	6.9	4,239	100.0		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	17,296	48.5	4,341	12.2	13,156	36.9	862	2.4	35,655	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	1,649	14.9	3,380	30.5	4,189	37.8	1,858	16.8	11,076	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	728	44.6	636	38.9	243	14.9	26	1.6	1,633	100.0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>36,356</b>	<b>38.5</b>	<b>22,689</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>28,342</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>7,093</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>94,480</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 1.15**

**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	952	262.9	263	72.6
Eastern Suburbs	362	138.7	95	36.4
St George-Sutherland	881	189.2	205	44.0
Canterbury-Bankstown	928	274.2	176	52.0
Fairfield-Liverpool	1,375	355.9	263	68.1
Outer South Western Sydney	1,045	405.6	227	88.1
Inner Western Sydney	302	154.7	55	28.2
Central Western Sydney	1,029	285.3	207	57.4
Outer Western Sydney	982	297.2	196	59.3
Blacktown	1,298	414.6	310	99.0
Lower Northern Sydney	273	84.9	60	18.7
Central Northern Sydney	395	85.3	96	20.7
Northern Beaches	267	106.6	121	48.3
Central Coast	1,025	318.8	236	73.4
Hunter	2,469	374.9	717	108.9
Illawarra	1,407	320.6	427	97.3
Richmond-Tweed	902	367.7	281	114.5
Mid-North Coast	1,502	476.1	532	168.6
Northern	1,219	649.5	361	192.3
North Western	1,019	853.0	378	316.4
Central West	866	464.6	304	163.1
South Eastern	789	356.9	277	125.3
Murrumbidgee	828	517.1	397	247.9
Murray	486	407.1	202	169.2
Far West	226	1,006.1	98	436.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>23,917 (d)</b>	<b>327.5</b>	<b>6,706 (e)</b>	<b>91.8</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 2012 from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication *Regional Population Growth Australia, 30 March 2012, Catalogue no. 3218.0*.

(d) Total includes 524 people whose residence was recorded as interstate and 566 people whose residence was recorded as unknown.

(e) Total includes 100 people whose residence was recorded as interstate and 122 people whose residence was recorded as unknown.

**TABLE 1.16****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	6,273	1,732.5
Eastern Suburbs	2,664	1,020.3
St George-Sutherland	4,688	1,006.9
Canterbury-Bankstown	4,988	1,474.0
Fairfield-Liverpool	6,604	1,709.4
Outer South Western Sydney	4,475	1,736.9
Inner Western Sydney	1,822	933.3
Central Western Sydney	5,411	1,500.1
Outer Western Sydney	4,863	1,471.6
Blacktown	5,430	1,734.5
Lower Northern Sydney	1,968	612.4
Central Northern Sydney	2,449	528.6
Northern Beaches	2,363	943.3
Central Coast	4,406	1,370.3
Hunter	9,859	1,496.9
Illawarra	5,691	1,296.7
Richmond-Tweed	3,320	1,353.3
Mid-North Coast	5,126	1,624.9
Northern	3,270	1,742.3
North Western	2,986	2,499.5
Central West	3,160	1,695.4
South Eastern	3,101	1,402.8
Murrumbidgee	2,922	1,824.7
Murray	1,566	1,311.8
Far West	569	2,533.1
<b>New South Wales</b>	<b>99,974</b>	<b>1,369.1</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 2012 from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication *Regional Population Growth Australia, 30 March 2012, Catalogue no. 3218.0*.

Note: Excluded from this table are 4,047 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,662 people whose residence was unknown and 2,845 people who were in custody.

TABLE 1.17

**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	0.3	211.6	6.6	34.2	5.2	1.1	20.2	190.0	44.2	247.5	4.7	59.7	96.9	345.5	173.7	40.6	
Eastern Suburbs	-	111.8	3.4	28.0	3.4	-	5.4	55.2	19.9	129.8	3.8	36.0	44.4	355.4	75.5	24.5	
St George-Sutherland	0.6	123.9	3.7	40.8	4.5	0.9	4.7	53.3	25.8	87.6	6.9	30.7	38.2	341.1	99.0	25.6	
Canterbury-Bankstown	0.3	169.3	5.3	60.3	7.4	0.6	13.3	81.9	39.3	120.3	11.2	34.9	50.8	488.2	140.7	33.1	
Fairfield-Liverpool	0.3	241.0	4.9	66.0	10.4	-	14.2	98.6	46.6	135.9	14.8	55.1	77.7	551.1	159.7	31.3	
Outer South Western Sydney	0.8	267.4	7.4	62.5	14.7	-	15.5	101.7	41.1	116.1	12.4	57.1	60.5	619.5	164.2	19.4	
Inner Western Sydney	-	111.2	5.1	28.2	6.1	-	4.1	53.3	25.1	72.7	7.2	26.1	31.2	332.9	68.6	21.5	
Central Western Sydney	0.3	189.3	5.5	52.1	9.4	1.1	13.3	89.0	46.0	101.5	11.4	38.5	59.6	474.1	155.2	34.7	
Outer Western Sydney	-	190.6	6.1	53.6	9.4	0.3	10.3	67.8	31.8	104.7	17.2	51.7	62.3	537.4	140.4	16.3	
Blacktown	-	252.0	5.1	55.9	11.2	1.6	15.0	116.3	45.7	110.8	13.4	63.2	80.2	532.8	183.7	23.6	
Lower Northern Sydney	-	60.7	2.8	25.5	3.7	-	3.1	24.6	14.6	52.6	3.1	17.4	14.9	251.4	43.6	13.1	
Central Northern Sydney	-	51.4	1.3	27.0	1.3	0.4	2.2	19.9	11.9	46.6	3.0	16.4	17.5	215.4	33.9	13.8	
Northern Beaches	-	90.6	4.0	33.5	4.8	-	4.8	31.1	15.2	75.8	3.6	27.5	29.1	424.3	66.7	16.0	
Central Coast	0.9	180.7	6.2	44.8	9.6	0.3	8.4	69.0	28.9	89.6	7.5	51.9	38.9	507.9	163.3	18.3	

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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	206.0	5.8	48.0	9.3	0.5	13.7	81.2	30.1	107.0	9.6	58.9	50.3	535.1	177.2	12.1
Illawarra	-	181.4	3.2	41.2	9.1	0.5	17.1	76.1	23.5	111.2	16.6	40.6	41.7	427.2	165.2	17.5
Richmond-Tweed	0.8	187.5	2.9	46.9	6.1	1.6	15.9	48.9	15.9	132.1	8.6	57.1	39.1	525.4	132.9	15.5
Mid-North Coast	-	277.7	3.8	51.0	9.8	0.6	16.5	62.4	26.0	137.9	12.4	63.4	69.7	533.8	196.5	13.0
Northern	-	336.7	5.9	45.8	13.9	0.5	21.8	66.6	28.2	115.1	22.9	78.9	99.1	516.8	223.2	10.1
North Western	-	437.8	9.2	67.0	25.1	-	23.4	113.8	41.0	137.3	28.5	84.5	151.5	710.7	370.0	25.1
Central West	-	271.5	7.5	65.5	10.7	0.5	16.6	91.2	22.0	105.2	23.6	68.7	90.7	574.6	180.3	17.2
South Eastern	0.9	213.5	4.5	36.6	8.1	0.5	17.2	51.6	20.4	121.2	19.9	51.1	53.4	522.9	158.8	23.1
Murrumbidgee	-	283.5	5.6	55.0	13.7	-	16.2	69.9	23.1	109.3	20.6	55.0	66.2	691.9	208.6	20.6
Murray	0.8	210.3	4.2	39.4	6.7	-	12.6	48.6	15.9	70.4	29.3	46.9	39.4	495.9	156.7	15.1
Far West	-	454.1	-	71.2	26.7	-	22.3	66.8	31.2	124.6	13.4	129.1	106.8	694.5	360.6	22.3
<b>New South Wales</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>189.2</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>45.6</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>0.5</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>74.0</b>	<b>29.0</b>	<b>109.8</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>46.9</b>	<b>54.7</b>	<b>461.8</b>	<b>144.0</b>	<b>21.0</b>

Less than 10 persons found guilty.

(a) The population data used to calculate rates are preliminary estimates as at 30 March 2012 from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication Regional Population Growth Australia, 30 March 2012, 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 3,782 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,399 people whose residence was unknown and 2,464 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	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
Assault	909	1,165	1,165
Serious assault resulting in injury	391	524	524
Serious assault not resulting in injury	1,561	2,084	2,084
Common assault	627	769	769
Stalking	16	17	17
Other acts intended to cause injury, other	2,725	4,559	4,559
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,725</b>	<b>4,559</b>	<b>4,559</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
Sexual assault	97	234	234
Aggravated sexual assault	6	7	7
Non-aggravated sexual assault	1	1	1
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	5	5	5
Child pornography offences	0	0	0
Sexual servitude offences	0	0	0
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	103	247	247
<b>Total</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>154</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	11	11	11
Driving under the influence of alcohol or other substance	225	368	368
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	0	0	0
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	4	4	4
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	236	383	383
<b>Total</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>383</b>	<b>383</b>

<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>		
Abduction and kidnapping	22	25
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	1	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour	4	7
Threatening behaviour	152	193
<b>Total</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>226</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>		
Robbery	585	877
Non-aggravated robbery	103	112
Blackmail and extortion	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>647</b>	<b>989</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>		
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	70	90
Theft of a motor vehicle	599	854
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0	0
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	137	155
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	0	0
Theft of intellectual property	0	0
Theft from retail premises	492	650
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	736	1,075
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	679	937
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,149</b>	<b>3,761</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>		
Obtain benefit by deception	79	244
Forgery and counterfeiting	0	0
Deceptive business/government practices	1	5
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	0	0
Misrepresentation of professional status	2	4
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	0	0
Dishonest conversion	9	23
Other fraud and deception offences	19	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>300</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	1	1	1
Export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity			
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	71	99	99
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	0	0	0
Manufacture illicit drugs	15	15	15
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	398	463	463
Possess illicit drugs			
Use illicit drugs	8	9	9
Other illicit drug offences	18	18	18
<b>Total</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>606</b>	<b>606</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences			
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	0	0	0
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives	25	27	27
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other	0	0	0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences			
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives	31	46	46
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives	34	38	38
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences	0	0	0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other	1	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>112</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
Property damage			
Property damage by fire or explosion	55	59	59
Graffiti	119	221	221
Property damage, other	1,567	2,336	2,336
Environmental pollution			
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, other	4	5	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,682</b>	<b>2,621</b>	<b>2,621</b>



<b>Public order offences</b>			
Disorderly conduct			
	Trespass	673	900
	Criminal intent	282	307
	Riot and affray	539	596
	Disorderly conduct, other	1	1
	Betting and gambling offences	1	1
	Liquor and tobacco offences	12	16
	Censorship offences	0	0
	Prostitution offences	0	0
	Offences against public order sexual standards	6	6
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	4	4
	Regulated public order offences, other	1	1
	Offensive language	260	277
	Offensive behaviour	447	486
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0	0
	Cruelty to animals	11	17
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,855</b>	<b>2,612</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
Driver licence offences			
	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	66	74
	Drive without a licence	355	419
	Driver licence offences, other	3	3
	Registration offences	135	170
	Roadworthiness offences (d)	0	0
	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	73	76
	Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0	0
	Parking offences (d)	0	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	127	148
	Pedestrian offences (d)	0	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>491</b>	<b>890</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	41		41	46
Breach of home detention	0		0	0
Breach of suspended sentence	130		130	327
Breach of community-based orders not further defined (e)	1		1	1
Breach of community service order	107		107	172
Breach of parole	0		0	0
Breach of bail	324		324	580
Breach of bond - supervised (f)	1,165		1,165	3,498
Breach of bond - unsupervised (f)	434		434	817
Breach of community-based order, other	3		3	11
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	616		616	780
Breach of non-violence orders	0		0	0
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	0		0	0
Bribery involving government officials	0		0	0
Immigration offences	1		1	4
Offences against government operations, other	6		6	6
Offences against government security	0		0	0
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	0		0	0
Offences against government security, other	0		0	0
Subvert the course of justice	12		12	18
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	534		534	651
Prison regulation offences	1		1	1
Offences against justice procedures, other	32		32	34
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,716</b>		<b>2,716</b>	<b>6,946</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	9	9
	Dangerous substances offences	0	0
	Licit drug offences	20	25
	Public health and safety offences, other	11	11
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	Commercial/industry/financial regulation	0	0
Other miscellaneous offences	Environmental regulation offences	1	3
	Bribery excluding government officials	0	0
	Quarantine offences	0	0
	Import/export regulations	0	0
	Procure or commit illegal abortion	0	0
	Other miscellaneous offences, other	14	19
<b>Total</b>		55	67
<b>Grand total (g)</b>		<b>7,919</b>	<b>26,480</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC 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 categories are labelled 'Breach of bond - probation' and 'Breach of bond - other' respectively in the ANZSOC.

(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**

<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	
	No.	%
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	561	7.1
Guilty of at least one charge	990	12.5
Other (a)	165	2.1
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	449	5.7
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	4,617	58.3
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	608	7.7
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	528	6.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,919</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 2.3

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

<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	
	No.	%
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	228	7.4
Guilty of at least one charge	447	14.4
Other (a)	84	2.7
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	159	5.1
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	1,753	56.6
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	206	6.7
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	219	7.1
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,097</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**

	<b>Bail Status</b>													
	<b>Bail not required or bail dispensed with</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>Bail refused</b>			<b>In custody, prior offence</b>			<b>Total</b>	
	No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>														
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>														
All charges dismissed	123	3.8		392	11.3		30	3.2		16	5.3		561	7.1
Guilty of at least one charge	230	7.2		473	13.7		244	25.8		43	14.2		990	12.5
Other (a)	30	0.9		106	3.1		21	2.2		8	2.6		165	2.1
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	308	9.6		39	1.1		69	7.3		33	10.9		449	5.7
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	1,823	56.7		2,040	59.0		565	59.7		189	62.4		4,617	58.3
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	535	16.6		73	2.1		-	-		-	-		608	7.7
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	164	5.1		333	9.6		17	1.8		14	4.6		528	6.7
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	0.0		-	-		-	-		-	-		1	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,214</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>3,456</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>946</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>303</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>7,919</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 (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 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 (b)</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	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	104	49	231	28	481	126	175					1,194
Other acts intended to cause injury	10	10	58	4	175	36	6					299
<b>Total</b>	114	59	289	32	656	162	181					1,493
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	5	1	20	-	26	5	-					57
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	2	1	-	1	-	-					4
<b>Total</b>	5	3	21	-	27	5	-					61
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	4	2	10	-	21	4	-					41
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	19	5	23	15	23	4	2					91
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	1	1	-					2
<b>Total</b>	19	5	23	15	24	5	2					93
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	2	1	2	-	1	-	-					6
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	3	1	7	3	24	6	16					60
<b>Total</b>	5	2	9	3	25	6	16					66

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>										
Robbery	136	39	175	1	76	3	4	434		
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	136	39	175	1	76	3	4	434		
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>										
	156	53	264	7	244	28	31	783		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>										
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	42	10	62	10	97	18	43	282		
Theft (except motor vehicles)	26	10	72	43	153	100	88	492		
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	7	7	35	26	86	33	36	230		
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	75	27	169	79	336	151	167	1,004		
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>										
Obtain benefit by deception	4	1	7	-	11	1	3	27		
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2		
Other fraud and deception offences	1	-	-	3	2	5	1	12		
<b>Total</b>	5	1	7	3	15	7	4	42		
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>										
Import or export illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	2	-	20	-	15	5	-	42		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	6	-	1	8		
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	7	34	51	82	15	189		
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	2		
<b>Total</b>	3	-	27	37	72	87	16	242		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>										
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	2	1	2	3	1	10		
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	2	-	3	3	2	10		
<b>Total</b>	-	1	4	1	5	6	3	20		
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	17	12	59	34	149	117	118	506		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2		
<b>Total</b>	17	12	59	34	149	119	118	508		
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	27	20	90	45	133	92	46	453		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	1	4	-	5		
Offensive conduct	1	2	7	40	32	55	12	149		
<b>Total</b>	28	22	97	85	166	151	58	607		

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TABLE 2.5 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total	
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes (b)	No.	No.	No.		No.
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	6	3	5	46	40	41	9					150
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	7	1	3	-					11
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	28	20	4	1					53
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>10</b>					<b>214</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	62	-	6	1	9	1	24					103
Breach of community-based order	78	31	162	14	101	29	333					748
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	8	5	48	5	143	61	1					271
Offences against government operations	1	-	-	3	-	-	-					4
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Offences against justice procedures	7	2	15	19	42	17	13					115
<b>Total</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>371</b>					<b>1,241</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	1	1	2	5	1					10
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	6	1	1	1					9
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>					<b>19</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>1,381</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>2,154</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>983</b>					<b>6,829</b>

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

(b) Other proven outcomes contains 1 person who received a suspended sentence, 623 persons dismissed after Youth Justice Conference, 1 person who received a nominal sentence, 2 persons who had a conviction without penalty, 5 persons who had no conviction recorded and 350 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders as their only penalty.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC 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)				
<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	62	19	113	11	167	29	51				452
Other acts intended to cause injury	6	4	23	1	44	8	1				87
<b>Total</b>	68	23	136	12	211	37	52				539
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>											
Sexual assault	3	1	5	-	1	-	-				10
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				0
<b>Total</b>	3	1	5	-	1	-	-				10
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	2	-	4	-	1	-	-				7
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	10	2	7	2	5	-	-				26
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				0
<b>Total</b>	10	2	7	2	5	-	-				26
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>											
Abduction and kidnapping	2	-	1	-	1	-	-				4
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2	-	1	1	9	1	5				19
<b>Total</b>	4	-	2	1	10	1	5				23

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TABLE 2.6 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total	
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes (b)	No.	No.	No.		No.
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	62	5	33	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	128
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	62	5	33	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	128
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	103	26	115	2	115	10	15	15	15	15	15	386
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	26	5	36	2	42	8	21	21	21	21	21	140
Theft (except motor vehicles)	23	5	44	19	60	37	32	32	32	32	32	220
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4	3	18	10	36	10	11	11	11	11	11	92
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	53	13	98	31	138	55	64	64	64	64	64	452
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	1	-	3	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	4
<b>Total</b>	2	-	3	-	5	3	-	-	-	3	-	13
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	4
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	3	13	13	25	3	3	3	25	3	57
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	5	14	15	26	3	3	3	26	3	63
<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	11	11	27	13	57	34	33	186		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>186</b>		
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	15	10	34	31	56	47	9	202		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Offensive conduct	1	-	4	16	14	25	5	65		
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>267</b>		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>										
Driver licence offences	3	2	1	14	12	18	3	53		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3		
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	7	4	1	-	12		
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>68</b>		
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>										
Breach of custodial order offences	37	-	3	-	3	-	10	53		
Breach of community-based order	47	13	77	9	47	17	106	316		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	5	3	15	1	33	12	-	69		
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Offences against justice procedures	4	-	9	6	17	2	5	43		
<b>Total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>481</b>		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Public health and safety offences	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	3		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2		
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>2,649</b>		

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

(b) Other proven putcomes contains 195 persons dismissed after Youth Justice Conference, 1 person who received a nominal sentence, 2 persons who had a conviction without penalty and 112 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders as their only penalty.

(c) Sexual offences against children is not a category within ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC 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										
	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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																						
Assault	5	12	13	75	149	264	366	426	259	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,569
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	1	3	16	38	73	90	99	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	353
<b>Total</b>	5	13	16	91	187	337	456	525	292	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,922
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																						
Sexual assault	-	-	2	1	9	13	11	23	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	1	9	14	12	23	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	89
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	1	1	7	11	8	12	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																						
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	1	4	12	18	35	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	4	13	18	36	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																						
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	5	10	12	11	21	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	6	10	14	13	22	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	3	2	18	59	91	119	142	79	-	-	513
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	3	2	18	59	91	119	142	79	-	-	513
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	6	15	40	61	101	58	47	-	-	328
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	5	7	25	82	106	130	131	87	-	-	573
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	6	12	29	57	55	78	39	-	-	276
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	5	19	52	151	224	286	267	173	-	-	1,177
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	-	-	2	13	5	11	-	-	31
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	6	4	-	-	13
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	4	14	12	17	-	-	47
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	4	4	6	23	9	-	-	46
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	2	2	-	-	8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	5	5	7	51	105	29	-	-	202
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	5	9	12	60	132	41	-	-	259
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	5	2	-	-	11
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	5	5	2	-	-	13
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	2	6	10	4	-	-	24
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	-	1	7	19	63	122	127	152	83	1	-	575
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	1	7	19	63	122	128	153	83	1	-	577

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TABLE 2.7 continued

Gender: Total male and female															
Type of offence	Age (years)										18 and over No.	Not known No.	Total		
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19					
<b>Public order offences</b>															
Disorderly conduct	1	3	7	15	49	91	114	138	75	-	-	-	493		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	5		
Offensive conduct	-	1	1	3	18	25	47	50	30	-	-	-	175		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>673</b>		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>															
Driver licence offences	-	1	-	1	9	20	38	56	24	-	-	-	149		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	4	3	-	-	-	13		
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	35	8	-	-	-	54		
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>216</b>		
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>															
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	1	-	6	15	20	26	37	-	-	-	105		
Breach of community-based order	-	-	4	28	58	112	135	165	254	-	-	-	756		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	3	16	38	73	67	72	26	-	-	-	295		
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	5		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	1	7	25	28	38	32	-	-	-	131		
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>253</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,292</b>		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	1	2	2	-	4	2	-	-	-	11		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	2	5	3	1	1	1	1	1	13		
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>24</b>		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>1,365</b>	<b>1,796</b>	<b>2,121</b>	<b>1,437</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,437</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7,918</b>		

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC categories - Sexual assault and Non-assaultive sexual offences.

(c) Excluded from this table is 1 person of unknown gender.

TABLE 2.7a

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

Type of offence	Gender: Male										18 and over	Not known	Total	
	Age (years)													
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	No.	No.				
No.	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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>														
Assault	5	9	13	51	90	161	240	316	199	-	-	1,084	-	
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	1	3	10	20	51	68	83	27	-	-	263	-	
<b>Total</b>	5	10	16	61	110	212	308	399	226	-	-	1,347	-	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>														
Sexual assault	-	-	2	1	8	13	11	23	26	-	-	84	-	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	4	-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	1	8	14	12	23	28	-	-	88	-	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	1	1	6	11	8	12	19	-	-	58	-	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>														
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	1	3	10	17	33	23	-	-	87	-	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	3	11	17	34	23	-	-	89	-	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>														
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	1	1	-	-	7	-	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	4	6	9	9	18	8	-	-	54	-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	5	6	11	11	19	9	-	-	61	-	

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TABLE 2.7a continued

<b>Gender: Male</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>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	2	2	12	48	72	99	126	72	-	433	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	2	2	12	48	72	99	126	72	-	433	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	6	11	33	51	83	50	47	-	281	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	5	7	14	60	72	92	86	63	-	399	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	5	9	22	44	42	63	35	-	220	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	5	18	34	115	167	217	199	145	-	900	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	-	-	1	11	3	8	-	23	
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5	2	-	10	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	3	12	9	12	-	36	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	3	4	4	22	9	-	42	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	-	6	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	5	4	7	45	90	27	-	178	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	5	7	12	51	116	38	-	229	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	5	2	-	11	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	5	5	2	-	13	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	2	6	10	4	-	24	



<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	-	1	7	16	53	96	109	132	78	-	-	492
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	1	7	16	53	96	109	133	78	-	-	493
<b>Public order offences</b>												
Disorderly conduct	1	2	7	12	37	77	94	116	65	-	-	411
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	3
Offensive conduct	-	1	1	3	16	17	35	44	26	-	-	143
<b>Total</b>	1	3	8	15	53	94	130	161	92	-	-	557
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
Driver licence offences	-	1	-	-	7	18	35	49	23	-	-	133
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	4	2	-	-	12
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	28	4	-	-	39
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	-	8	21	44	81	29	-	-	184
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	1	-	5	14	19	24	36	-	-	99
Breach of community-based order	-	-	4	20	41	70	104	137	225	-	-	601
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	3	8	17	45	52	60	22	-	-	207
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	5
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	1	5	18	21	28	29	-	-	102
<b>Total</b>	-	-	8	29	68	147	199	250	313	-	-	1,014
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	3	2	-	-	9
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	1	4	1	1	1	-	-	8
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	2	6	1	4	3	-	-	17
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>576</b>	<b>1,014</b>	<b>1,422</b>	<b>1,765</b>	<b>1,245</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6,342</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC 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.	No.
<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	-	3	-	24	59	103	126	110	60	-	485	
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	6	18	22	22	16	6	-	90	
<b>Total</b>	-	3	-	30	77	125	148	126	66	-	575	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	2	4	-	10	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	2	1	2	4	-	10	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	1	4	3	2	3	2	-	15	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	4	3	2	3	2	-	15	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>											
Robbery	-	1	-	6	11	19	20	16	7	-	80
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	6	11	19	20	16	7	-	80
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>											
<b>Theft and related offences</b>	-	-	-	6	10	15	8	6	15	-	60
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	-	4	7	10	18	8	-	-	47
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	11	22	34	38	45	24	-	174
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	1	3	7	13	13	15	4	-	56
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	18	36	57	69	68	28	-	277
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>											
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	3	-	8
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	5	-	11
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>											
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	4
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	2
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	15	2	-	24
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	-	9	16	3	-	30
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>											
Property damage	-	-	-	3	10	26	18	20	5	1	83
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	10	26	19	20	5	1	84

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TABLE 2.7b continued

<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.
<b>Public order offences</b>											
Disorderly conduct	-	1	-	3	12	14	20	22	10	-	82
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	2	8	12	6	4	-	32
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	3	14	22	33	29	14	-	116
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>											
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	1	2	2	3	7	1	-	16
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	4	-	15
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	2	2	7	14	6	-	32
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>											
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	1	-	6
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	8	17	42	31	28	29	-	155
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	8	21	28	15	12	4	-	88
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	-	2	7	7	10	3	-	29
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	16	41	78	54	52	37	-	278
<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	2	-	-	1	5
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	1	7
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>356</b>	<b>192</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,576</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC 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**

	Bail status											
	On bail				Bail refused				Total			
	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	First appearance to determination
No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>												
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>	1,354	41.0	130.0	295	129.0	129.0	1,649	47.0	130.0			
All charges dismissed	515	30.0	113.0	30	10.0	89.0	545	29.0	112.0			
Guilty of at least one charge	703	58.0	144.0	244	173.0	140.5	947	73.0	142.0			
Other (b)	136	34.0	156.0	21	108.0	155.0	157	37.0	155.0			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (c)</b>	347	453.0	0.0	69	463.0	0.0	416	457.5	0.0			
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	3,863	44.0	62.0	565	55.0	77.0	4,428	44.0	63.0			
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	608	50.0	139.5	.	.	.	608	50.0	139.5			
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	497	27.0	106.0	17	4.0	113.0	514	26.0	106.5			
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	1.0	0.0	.	.	.	1	1.0	0.0			

(a) Excluded from this table are 303 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

(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 2.9

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES (a):  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCE IN THE PREVIOUS 10 YEARS**

Type of principal offence	Prior proven offences in the previous 10 years											
	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	618	45.8	278	20.6	380	28.2	72	5.3	1,348	100.0		
Sexual assault and related offences	48	78.7	10	16.4	3	4.9	-	-	61	100.0		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	59	56.2	37	35.2	6	5.7	3	2.9	105	100.0		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	28	56.0	17	34.0	5	10.0	-	-	50	100.0		
Robbery, extortion and related offences	189	44.1	136	31.7	64	14.9	40	9.3	429	100.0		
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	246	32.5	225	29.7	188	24.8	99	13.1	758	100.0		
Theft and related offences	328	38.9	178	21.1	272	32.2	66	7.8	844	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	15	38.5	20	51.3	4	10.3	-	-	39	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	108	47.2	91	39.7	30	13.1	-	-	229	100.0		
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	10	55.6	8	44.4	-	-	-	-	18	100.0		
Property damage and environmental pollution	134	34.4	105	26.9	133	34.1	18	4.6	390	100.0		
Public order offences	223	40.3	155	28.0	170	30.7	6	1.1	554	100.0		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	105	44.3	63	26.6	69	29.1	-	-	237	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	185	16.1	313	27.3	556	48.5	92	8.0	1,146	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	10	52.6	6	31.6	3	15.8	-	-	19	100.0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,308</b>	<b>37.1</b>	<b>1,642</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>1,883</b>	<b>30.2</b>	<b>396</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>6,229</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  
HIGHER COURTS**

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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	117	5.3	13	0.7	130	3.2
<b>District Court:</b>						
Dubbo	98	4.4	66	3.7	164	4.1
Lismore	95	4.3	89	5.0	184	4.6
Newcastle	326	14.6	255	14.3	581	14.5
Sydney	767	34.4	650	36.4	1,417	35.3
Sydney West	616	27.7	529	29.6	1,145	28.5
Wagga Wagga	54	2.4	57	3.2	111	2.8
Wollongong	154	6.9	126	7.1	280	7.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,227</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,785</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>4,012</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		Proceeded to sentence only		No charges proceeded with		All charges otherwise disposed of		Total	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Supreme Court	Committed for trial	77	62.1	34	27.4	4	3.2	9	7.3	124	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	20	95.2	-	-	-	-	21	100.0
District Court	Committed for trial	547	34.5	840	53.0	172	10.8	27	1.7	1,586	100.0
	Committed for sentence	5	0.3	1,548	98.9	4	0.3	9	0.6	1,566	100.0
Dubbo	Committed for trial	23	31.9	43	59.7	3	4.2	3	4.2	72	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	62	100.0	-	-	-	-	62	100.0
Lismore	Committed for trial	29	43.9	28	42.4	8	12.1	1	1.5	66	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	77	97.5	2	2.5	-	-	79	100.0
Newcastle	Committed for trial	62	29.8	126	60.6	15	7.2	5	2.4	208	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	237	98.8	-	-	3	1.3	240	100.0
Sydney	Committed for trial	253	37.2	340	50.0	82	12.1	5	0.7	680	100.0
	Committed for sentence	4	0.7	552	98.6	1	0.2	3	0.5	560	100.0
Sydney West	Committed for trial	132	32.6	219	54.1	42	10.4	12	3.0	405	100.0
	Committed for sentence	1	0.2	452	98.9	1	0.2	3	0.7	457	100.0
Wagga Wagga	Committed for trial	14	33.3	18	42.9	10	23.8	-	-	42	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	56	100.0	-	-	-	-	56	100.0
Wollongong	Committed for trial	34	30.1	66	58.4	12	10.6	1	0.9	113	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	112	100.0	-	-	-	-	112	100.0
All registries	Committed for trial	624	36.5	874	51.1	176	10.3	36	2.1	1,710	100.0
	Committed for sentence	6	0.4	1,568	98.8	4	0.3	9	0.6	1,587	100.0
<b>Total</b>		<b>630</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>2,442</b>	<b>74.1</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>5.5</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>3,297</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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	
2008 or earlier	0	0	17	0	17	0	0
2009	2	0	34	5	36	5	5
2010	31	1	183	26	214	27	27
2011	75	13	916	609	991	622	622
2012	16	7	436	926	452	933	933
<b>Total</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1,586</b>	<b>1,566</b>	<b>1,710</b>	<b>1,587</b>	<b>1,587</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	116		120
Attempted murder	41		52
Manslaughter and driving causing death	45		46
Driving causing death	34		42
<b>Total</b>	<b>192</b>		<b>260</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
Assault	556		845
Serious assault resulting in injury	21		31
Serious assault not resulting in injury	137		172
Common assault	59		84
Stalking	11		12
Other acts intended to cause injury, other	681		1,144
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,465</b>		<b>2,288</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
Sexual assault	422		2,087
Non-assaultive sexual offences	20		64
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	33		81
Child pornography offences	64		175
Sexual servitude offences	1		1
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	2		4
<b>Total</b>	<b>489</b>		<b>2,412</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	26		29
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	54		75
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	0		0
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	1		1
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	72		105
<b>Total</b>	<b>153</b>		<b>210</b>

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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	115		129
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	9		10
Harassment and threatening behaviour	1		1
Threatening behaviour	20		34
<b>Total</b>	<b>143</b>		<b>174</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>			
Robbery	551		873
Non-aggravated robbery	76		101
Blackmail and extortion	1		1
<b>Total</b>	<b>600</b>		<b>975</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>			
<b>Theft and related offences</b>			
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	42		70
Theft of a motor vehicle			
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	103		169
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	0		0
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	34		46
Theft of intellectual property	1		22
Theft from retail premises	13		22
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	101		151
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	347		582
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	0		0
<b>Total</b>	<b>560</b>		<b>1,062</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>			
Obtain benefit by deception	135		780
Forgery and counterfeiting	0		0
Forgery of documents	10		97
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	5		10
Fraudulent trade practices	6		18
Misrepresentation of professional status	7		7
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	0		0
Dishonest conversion	9		13
Other fraud and deception offences, other	12		20
<b>Total</b>	<b>169</b>		<b>945</b>

<b>Illicit drug offences</b>		
Import or export illicit drugs	98	113
Export illicit drugs	0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	227	309
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	447	818
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	44	54
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	94	108
Cultivate illicit drugs	282	438
Possess illicit drugs	3	3
Use illicit drugs	56	65
Other illicit drug offences	841	1,908
<b>Total</b>		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>		
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	99	236
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives	24	72
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other	102	205
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	56	79
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives	9	17
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives	0	0
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences	186	609
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other		
<b>Total</b>		
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>		
Property damage	27	33
Property damage by fire or explosion	0	0
Graffiti	108	172
Property damage, other	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>	131	205

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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	21		23
Criminal intent	89		105
Riot and affray	74		79
Disorderly conduct, other	1		1
Regulated public order offences	0		0
Betting and gambling offences	0		0
Liquor and tobacco offences	0		0
Censorship offences	0		0
Prostitution offences	0		0
Offences against public order sexual standards	7		26
Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	0		0
Regulated public order offences, other	1		1
Offensive language	2		2
Offensive behaviour	14		18
Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0		0
Cruelty to animals	1		1
<b>Total</b>	<b>205</b>		<b>256</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
Driver licence offences			
Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	46		66
Drive without a licence	16		17
Driver licence offences, other	8		9
Registration offences	6		8
Roadworthiness offences (d)	0		0
Regulatory driving offences	7		7
Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	0		0
Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0		0
Parking offences (d)	0		0
Regulatory driving offences, other	26		33
Pedestrian offences	0		0
<b>Total</b>	<b>87</b>		<b>140</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	2	2
Breach of bond - supervised (a) and (e)	0	0
Breach of bond - unsupervised (a) and (e)	0	0
Breach of community-based order, other	5	7
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	42	53
Breach of violence orders		
Breach of non-violence orders	0	0
Offences against government operations	2	2
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)		
Bribery involving government officials	4	6
Immigration offences	62	64
Offences against government operations, other	2	2
Offences against government security	0	0
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security		
Offences against government security, other	2	6
Offences against justice procedures	58	84
Subvert the course of justice		
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	62	71
Prison regulation offences	5	5
Offences against justice procedures, other	39	41
<b>Total</b>	<b>282</b>	<b>353</b>

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TABLE 3.4 continued

Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group	Persons charged (b)		Charges No.
	No.	No.	
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>			
Defamation, libel and privacy offences			
Defamation and libel		0	0
Offences against privacy		0	0
Sanitation offences		0	0
Disease prevention offences		0	0
Occupational health and safety offences		18	21
Transport regulation offences		1	1
Dangerous substances offences		0	0
Licit drug offences		84	147
Public health and safety offences, other		0	0
Commercial/industry/financial regulation		45	54
Other miscellaneous offences		3	3
Environmental regulation offences		4	22
Bribery excluding government officials		0	0
Quarantine offences		26	31
Import/export regulations		0	0
Procure or commit illegal abortion		0	0
Other miscellaneous offences, other		0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>175</b>	<b>279</b>
<b>Grand total (f)</b>		<b>3,297</b>	<b>11,846</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC. These offences are also counted in the appropriate ANZSOC 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 categories are labelled 'Breach of bond - probation' and 'Breach of bond - other' respectively in the ANZSOC.

(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	1,093	33.2
2	771	23.4
3	459	13.9
4	270	8.2
5	186	5.6
6	122	3.7
7	84	2.5
8	68	2.1
9	49	1.5
10 or more	195	5.9

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	6	4.1	240	7.6	246	7.5
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	9	6.2	12	0.4	21	0.6
Guilty of at least one charge	59	40.7	260	8.2	319	9.7
Other (b)	4	2.8	40	1.3	44	1.3
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	54	37.2	2,388	75.8	2,442	74.1
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	4	2.8	176	5.6	180	5.5
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	9	6.2	36	1.1	45	1.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,152</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,297</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	-	-	43	6.9	43	6.7
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	3	0.5	3	0.5
Guilty of at least one charge	7	36.8	36	5.8	43	6.7
Other (b)	1	5.3	5	0.8	6	0.9
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	8	42.1	505	80.9	513	79.8
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	-	-	25	4.0	25	3.9
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	3	15.8	7	1.1	10	1.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>643</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

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	Intensive Correction Order	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	54	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	57	
Attempted murder	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	54	-	-	-	1	8	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	65	
<b>Total</b>	116	-	-	-	3	8	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	130	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	227	2	-	10	27	21	5	10	16	-	1	-	-	319	
Other acts intended to cause injury	5	-	-	1	2	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	12	
<b>Total</b>	232	2	-	11	29	22	5	13	16	-	1	-	-	331	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	175	-	-	1	21	12	-	12	1	-	-	1	-	223	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	36	-	1	3	10	7	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	61	
<b>Total</b>	211	-	1	4	31	19	-	13	4	-	-	1	-	284	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	152	-	1	3	24	15	-	11	4	-	-	-	-	210	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	16	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	21	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	16	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	21	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	41	-	-	1	7	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	51	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
<b>Total</b>	45	-	-	1	8	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	57	

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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	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	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>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>															
Robbery	368	2	1	18	63	16	4	4	5	-	-	1	-	482	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	368	2	1	18	63	16	4	4	5	-	-	1	-	482	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>															
261	-	-	-	16	74	25	10	14	11	-	-	2	-	413	
<b>Theft and related offences</b>															
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	9	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	9	-	-	1	-	1	2	2	1	-	-	1	-	17	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	24	-	1	3	3	6	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	45	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	42	-	1	8	3	7	2	6	5	-	-	1	-	75	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>															
Obtain benefit by deception	33	-	-	6	2	7	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	52	
Forgery and counterfeiting	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	
Deceptive business/government practices	2	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	
Other fraud and deception offences	4	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	
<b>Total</b>	41	-	-	7	5	12	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	69	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>															
Import or export illicit drugs	80	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	302	-	1	36	67	45	14	14	14	-	-	4	-	497	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	82	-	-	9	9	9	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	113	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	2	-	2	1	2	12	
Other illicit drug offences	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	
<b>Total</b>	467	-	1	46	79	55	15	19	18	-	2	5	2	709	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>															
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	18	-	1	-	-	4	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	27	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	22	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	27	
<b>Total</b>	40	-	1	1	1	5	-	3	1	1	-	1	-	54	

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	11	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	14
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	29	-	1	10	1	2	2	6	-	51
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>										
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>										
Breach of custodial order offences	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2
Offences against government operations	21	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	23
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	20	-	1	4	8	2	-	8	1	49
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>79</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	10
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other miscellaneous offences	18	-	-	1	4	1	-	-	-	24
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>34</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>1,943</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2,805</b>

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

TABLE 3.9

**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	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded				
<b>Opiates</b>															
Import illicit drugs	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	38	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	24	-	1	5	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	39
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>106</b>
<b>Cannabis</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cultivate illicit drugs	58	-	4	8	5	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	77
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	3
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>90</b>

<b>Hallucinogens</b>											
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Amphetamines</b>											
Import illicit drugs	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	88	-	3	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	100
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	73	-	12	28	6	6	3	1	-	-	141
Manufacture illicit drugs	20	-	3	-	4	-	2	-	-	-	29
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	1	-	6
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>292</b>
<b>Barbiturates</b>											
Import illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	4
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>

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<i>Type of drug and principal offence</i>	<i>Penalty for principal offence</i>													<i>Total</i>		
	<i>Imprisonment</i>	<i>Home detention</i>	<i>Intensive Correction Order</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 conviction recorded</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>			
<b>Cocaine</b>																
Import illicit drugs	38	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	22	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	8	-	6	6	10	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>102</b>
<b>Ecstasy</b>																
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	16	-	4	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	18	1	6	12	13	6	3	8	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	70
Manufacture illicit drugs	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>98</b>





TABLE 3.10

**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER 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.	
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
<b>Total</b>	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	84	2	-	1	6	-	2	5	3	-	-	103
Other acts intended to cause injury	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	86	2	-	1	6	-	2	6	3	-	-	106
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	18	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	20
Non-assaultive sexual offences	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	19	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	23
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	10	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	12
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	8	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	10	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>											
Robbery	123	2	-	3	22	3	-	-	1	-	154
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>154</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>											
	118	-	-	4	18	4	3	5	4	-	156
<b>Theft and related offences</b>											
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Theft (except motor vehicles)	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	4
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>											
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>											
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	23	-	2	7	2	1	1	1	1	-	37
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>41</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	5
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>											
Property damage	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	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>2</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>											
Disorderly conduct	9	-	-	-	4	-	-	2	1	-	16
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16</b>

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence												Total
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	Total	
<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	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
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	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	8
<b>Total</b>	8	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	12
<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>432</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>562</b>

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

TABLE 3.11

**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	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average \$
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>										
Murder	196.4	-	-	-	20.7	-	36.0	-	-	-
Attempted murder	101.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	44.4	-	-	-	19.2	-	18.0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	117.7	-	-	-	19.5	-	24.0	-	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>										
Assault	21.9	13.0	-	86.0	17.4	260.0	21.8	-	-	-
Other acts intended to cause injury	14.9	-	-	20.0	18.7	-	14.0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	21.8	13.0	-	80.0	17.5	260.0	21.0	-	-	-
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>										
Sexual assault	33.8	-	-	21.0	19.2	-	25.1	-	-	-
Non-assaultive sexual offences	15.4	-	17.9	16.7	25.9	-	22.5	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	30.7	-	17.9	17.8	21.5	-	24.4	-	-	-
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>										
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>										
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	16.5	-	-	22.5	24.0	-	-	-	1,100	-
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	16.5	-	-	22.5	24.0	-	-	-	1,100	-
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>										
Abduction and kidnapping	27.7	-	-	24.0	21.0	-	27.0	-	-	-
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	22.0	-	-	-	-	250.0	-	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	7.3	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	26.9	-	-	24.0	21.4	250.0	27.0	-	-	-

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence									
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average \$
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>										
Robbery	23.9	6.5	12.0	57.1	20.2	287.5	20.4	-	-	-
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	23.9	6.5	12.0	57.1	20.2	287.5	20.4	-	-	-
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	19.2	-	-	19.8	18.9	206.0	21.7	-	-	-
<b>Theft and related offences</b>										
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	16.5	-	-	20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft (except motor vehicles)	10.2	-	-	24.0	18.0	175.0	25.5	-	-	-
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	16.6	-	18.0	19.0	14.6	-	22.5	-	-	-
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	15.2	-	18.0	20.5	14.9	175.0	23.5	-	-	-
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>										
Obtain benefit by deception	20.9	-	-	21.2	21.1	200.0	24.0	-	-	-
Forgery and counterfeiting	11.8	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
Deceptive business/government practices	15.0	-	-	24.0	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
Other fraud and deception offences	16.5	-	-	-	21.0	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	19.7	-	-	21.6	21.8	200.0	24.0	-	-	-
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>										
Import or export illicit drugs	57.2	-	-	-	23.0	400.0	-	-	-	-
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	25.9	-	6.0	37.6	17.2	232.1	21.1	-	-	-
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	22.7	-	-	17.6	16.3	-	12.8	-	-	-
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	48.0	-	-	18.0	-	-	17.5	-	-	-
Other illicit drug offences	11.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	30.7	-	6.0	33.3	17.2	243.3	19.8	-	-	-
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>										
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	18.2	-	8.0	-	17.3	-	28.0	400	-	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	23.9	-	-	24.0	16.0	-	15.0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	21.3	-	8.0	24.0	16.8	-	22.8	400	-	-

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	14.9	-	-	-	14.0	-	-	12.0	-
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>									
Disorderly conduct	22.7	-	-	14.0	16.4	162.5	24.3	-	-
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14.0</b>	<b>16.4</b>	<b>162.5</b>	<b>24.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>									
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	200.0	-	-	-
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>									
Breach of custodial order offences	9.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-
Offences against government operations	30.6	-	-	-	9.0	-	24.0	-	-
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	19.0	-	-	24.0	13.9	150.0	18.6	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>23.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>150.0</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>									
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64,000	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other miscellaneous offences	12.3	-	-	-	21.6	300.0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>12.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>300.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>64,000</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>30.4</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>12.4</b>	<b>36.8</b>	<b>18.7</b>	<b>228.6</b>	<b>21.4</b>	<b>53,458</b>	<b>-</b>

(a) All ANZSOC 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 t collection.

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

Excluded from this table are 2 persons serving life imprisonment. Of the persons sentenced to life imprisonment, 2 persons were found guilty of murder.

TABLE 3.12

**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.	Years
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>														
Murder	4	3	3	3	9	8	14	12	3	-	1	-	57	32.4
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	8	34.3
Manslaughter and driving causing death	7	6	4	12	8	8	13	8	3	1	3	-	65	31.4
<b>Total</b>	11	9	7	23	16	16	32	20	6	2	4	-	130	32.0
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>														
Assault	16	21	18	72	57	90	34	10	-	1	-	-	319	29.4
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	1	-	3	1	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	12	32.4
<b>Total</b>	16	22	18	75	58	94	36	11	-	1	-	-	331	29.5
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>														
Sexual assault	15	7	4	40	28	56	42	17	7	7	7	-	223	35.0
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	9	5	23	16	6	1	1	1	-	61	37.6
<b>Total</b>	15	7	4	49	33	79	58	23	8	8	8	-	284	35.6
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>														
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>	12	5	4	34	23	56	42	19	8	8	7	-	210	36.2
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	2	5	3	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	21	29.9
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	5	3	9	1	1	1	-	-	-	21	29.9
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>														
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	3	10	14	14	8	2	-	-	-	-	51	31.5
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	27.7
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	41.6
<b>Total</b>	-	1	3	11	15	16	8	3	-	-	-	-	57	31.6



<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	31	88	58	134	67	68	33	2	1	-	-	482	24.8
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>482</b>	<b>24.8</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
	1	49	31	103	80	104	34	10	1	-	-	413	28.2
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	1	-	-	1	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	13	31.6
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	1	2	3	6	3	1	1	-	-	-	17	28.7
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	1	3	2	13	16	6	3	-	1	-	45	33.7
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>32.2</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	1	-	3	6	13	14	13	1	1	-	52	41.1
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	34.2
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	1	-	-	-	6	37.9
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	1	2	3	1	1	-	-	-	8	34.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>39.8</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	1	1	-	18	11	25	16	11	2	-	-	85	35.9
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	8	22	80	85	145	84	57	8	8	-	497	35.4
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	13	20	32	26	16	2	4	-	113	38.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	3	4	3	2	-	-	-	-	12	30.5
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	2	47.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>709</b>	<b>36.0</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	3	9	6	4	3	-	1	-	27	36.4
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	4	13	7	2	-	1	-	-	27	30.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>33.5</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	-	1	3	2	5	2	1	-	-	-	14	31.8
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>31.8</b>

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TABLE 3.12 continued

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>Public order offences</b>																												
Disorderly conduct	5	-	6	15	15	6	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	26.4	-	-
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>26.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>																												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	22.0	-	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	27.8	-	-
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</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>24.9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>																												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	29.1	-	-
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	38.3	-	-
Offences against government operations	-	1	-	1	7	6	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	34.9	-	-	
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	-	3	3	13	10	10	7	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	31.0	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>32.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>																												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	37.6	-	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	-
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	11	1	7	4	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	32.1	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>32.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>577</b>	<b>483</b>	<b>706</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,796</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,796</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

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

TABLE 3.12a

**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>18</b>		<b>19</b>		<b>20-24</b>		<b>25-29</b>		<b>30-39</b>		<b>40-49</b>		<b>Over 65</b>		<b>Average age</b>
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	
<b>Type of principal offence</b>															
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	4	3	3	8	5	14	9	3	-	1	-	1	-	50	32.1
Attempted murder	-	-	-	2	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	8	34.3
Manslaughter and driving causing death	6	6	3	10	6	13	5	3	1	3	-	3	-	56	31.4
<b>Total</b>	10	9	6	20	11	32	14	6	2	4	-	4	-	114	31.9
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	12	21	15	61	55	78	31	9	-	1	-	-	-	283	29.5
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	1	-	3	1	3	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	11	32.1
<b>Total</b>	12	22	15	64	56	81	33	10	-	1	-	-	-	294	29.6
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	15	7	4	40	27	55	41	16	7	7	-	7	-	219	34.9
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	9	5	23	15	6	1	1	-	-	-	60	37.6
<b>Total</b>	15	7	4	49	32	78	56	22	8	8	-	8	-	279	35.5
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>															
	12	5	4	34	23	55	41	19	8	7	-	7	-	208	36.2
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	2	4	3	7	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	18	29.5
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	4	3	7	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	18	29.5
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	1	9	13	12	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	44	31.8
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	27.7
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	41.6
<b>Total</b>	-	1	1	10	14	14	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	50	31.9

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TABLE 3.12a continued

		Gender: Male												
		Age (years)										Average age		
Type of principal offence	Under 18	Age (years)										Total		
		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	26	82	57	126	63	59	31	2	1	-	-	-	447	24.7
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	26	82	57	126	63	59	31	2	1	-	-	-	447	24.7
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>														
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	1	43	31	90	75	98	32	9	-	-	-	-	379	28.2
<b>Theft and related offences</b>														
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	1	-	-	1	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	31.6
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	1	2	3	5	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	16	28.8
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	1	3	1	12	14	6	3	-	-	-	-	40	33.1
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	1	2	5	5	20	25	7	4	-	-	-	-	69	31.8
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>														
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	1	5	9	12	8	1	-	-	-	36	41.0
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	33.6
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	37.1
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	35.6
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	8	16	12	10	1	-	-	-	48	39.7
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>														
Import or export illicit drugs	1	1	-	11	8	21	14	7	2	-	-	-	65	36.1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	8	18	70	74	129	70	46	6	8	-	-	429	35.2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	12	17	26	22	14	2	4	-	-	97	39.0
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	2	4	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	11	31.4
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	47.8
<b>Total</b>	1	9	18	95	103	179	109	68	10	12	-	-	604	35.9
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>														
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	3	9	6	4	3	-	1	-	-	27	36.4
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	3	13	7	2	-	1	-	-	-	26	31.0
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	6	22	13	6	3	1	1	-	-	53	33.7

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	-	1	3	2	4	2	1	-	-	-	13	31.6
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	3	2	4	2	1	-	-	-	13	31.6
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	5	-	6	14	15	6	3	1	-	-	-	50	26.5
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	5	-	6	14	15	6	3	1	-	-	-	50	26.5
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	22.0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	27.8
Pedestrian offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	24.9
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	2	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	5	29.1
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	38.3
Offences against government operations	-	1	-	1	7	6	5	3	-	-	-	23	34.9
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offences against justice procedures	-	3	2	8	7	7	6	2	1	-	-	36	32.1
<b>Total</b>	-	4	2	11	16	15	12	5	1	-	-	66	33.0
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	37.6
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	11	1	5	3	1	-	-	-	21	30.7
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	11	1	6	3	1	-	-	-	22	31.0
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,508</b>	<b>31.2</b>

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

TABLE 3.12b

**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	Under 18										Over 65	Not known	Total	Average age Years	
	No.	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	No.					No.
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	-	-	-	1	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	34.4
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	-	1	2	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	31.1
<b>Total</b>	1	-	1	3	5	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	32.6
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	4	-	3	11	2	12	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	36	28.4
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	36.5
<b>Total</b>	4	-	3	11	2	13	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	37	28.6
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	41.2
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	40.8
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	41.1
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	38.8
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	32.3
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	32.3
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	2	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	29.4
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	1	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	29.4

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>											
Robbery	5	6	1	8	4	9	2	-	-	35	25.8
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>25.8</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>											
	-	6	-	13	5	6	2	1	1	34	27.5
<b>Theft and related offences</b>											
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	27.2
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	1	5	37.9
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>36.1</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>											
Obtain benefit by deception	-	1	-	2	1	4	2	5	1	16	41.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	35.4
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	2	39.4
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	2	31.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>40.0</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>											
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	7	3	4	2	4	-	20	35.0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	4	10	11	16	14	11	2	68	36.7
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	3	6	4	2	-	16	37.5
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	21.3
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>36.4</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	23.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23.2</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>											
Property damage	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	33.9
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>1</b>	<b>33.9</b>

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		Gender: Female																								
		Age (years)																								
		Under 18		18-19		20-24		25-29		30-39		40-49		50-59		60-65		Over 65		Not known		Total		Average age		
Type of principal offence	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>Public order offences</b>																										
Disorderly conduct	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	21.0	-	
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	21.0	-	-	
<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	5	3	3	1	1	5	3	3	1	1	5	3	3	1	1	5	3	3	1	13	28.0	-		
<b>Total</b>	-	1	5	3	3	1	1	5	3	3	1	1	5	3	3	1	1	5	3	3	1	13	28.0	-		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>																										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-	
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	41.9	-		
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	41.9	-		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>32.5</b>													

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



TABLE 3.13

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

<i>Method of finalisation</i>	<i>Bail status</i>											
	<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	1	6.7	173	10.7	63	5.4	9	1.9	246	7.5		
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	5	0.3	15	1.3	1	0.2	21	0.6		
Guilty of at least one charge	2	13.3	160	9.9	107	9.1	45	9.3	314	9.6		
Other (b)	-	-	30	1.9	8	0.7	6	1.2	44	1.3		
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>1,095</b>	<b>67.9</b>	<b>928</b>	<b>79.0</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>84.5</b>	<b>2,438</b>	<b>74.2</b>		
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>2.9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>5.4</b>		
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.6</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1.9</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1.4</b>		
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,613</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,175</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,287</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

\* This table excludes 10 companies.

TABLE 3.14a

**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			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay				
<i>Method of finalisation</i>	No.	Median duration (days)	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
	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>	13	1,082.0	378.0	59.0	50	511.0	331.5	98.0	63	550.0	336.0	93.0		
Acquitted of all charges	3	984.0	284.0	-	2	509.0	283.0	-	5	700.0	284.0	-		
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	-	-	9	364.0	184.0	-	9	364.0	184.0	-		
Guilty of at least one charge	10	1,384.0	380.5	59.0	35	540.0	357.0	108.0	45	550.0	367.0	97.0		
Other (b)	-	-	-	-	4	487.0	375.5	0.0	4	487.0	375.5	0.0		
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	10	700.0	280.5	98.5	38	473.5	268.0	0.0	48	479.0	272.0	7.0		
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	4	4,178.5	751.0	-	-	-	-	-	4	4,179.0	751.0	-		
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	1	2,211.0	357.0	-	7	556.0	190.0	-	8	640.0	223.5	-		

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 22 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14b

**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			On bail			Bail refused		
	Court delay		Court delay	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
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>	358	363.0	246.0	63.0	143	269.0	233.0	57.5	501	324.0	242.0	62.0
Acquitted of all charges	171	392.0	246.0	-	61	249.0	226.0	-	232	327.0	232.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	5	229.0	236.0	-	6	209.5	238.0	-	11	229.0	236.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	152	371.5	261.5	80.0	72	313.0	242.5	57.5	224	360.0	259.0	72.5
Other (b)	30	241.0	206.5	0.0	4	371.5	307.5	67.0	34	241.0	206.5	0.0
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	1,091	268.0	170.0	0.0	890	240.5	140.5	0.0	1,981	254.0	157.0	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	136	291.5	194.5	-	34	265.0	162.5	-	170	282.0	185.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	15	304.0	185.0	-	13	213.0	152.0	-	28	251.0	173.0	-

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 462 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14c

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

District Court Registry: Dubbo												
Bail status												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail				Bail refused				Total			
	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
	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>	15	467.0	329.0	2.0	2	199.5	379.5	-	17	441.0	329.0	2.0
Acquitted of all charges	6	467.0	409.0	-	2	199.5	379.5	-	8	467.0	409.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guilty of at least one charge	7	385.0	274.0	12.0	-	-	-	-	7	385.0	274.0	12.0
Other (b)	2	332.5	201.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	2	333.0	201.0	0.0
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	47	250.0	161.0	0.0	41	204.0	155.0	0.0	88	223.0	159.0	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	3	215.0	127.0	-	-	-	-	-	3	215.0	127.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	-	-	-	-	2	266.5	319.0	-	2	267.0	319.0	-

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 24 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14d

**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>	23	441.0	204.0	80.0	5	170.0	193.0	89.5	28	417.0	204.0	80.0	
Acquitted of all charges	11	441.0	349.0	-	3	170.0	193.0	-	14	425.0	276.5	-	
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	229.0	111.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	229.0	111.0	-	
Guilty of at least one charge	8	467.5	234.0	111.5	2	244.5	480.0	89.5	10	403.0	234.0	111.5	
Other (b)	3	425.0	169.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	3	425.0	169.0	0.0	
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	52	304.0	112.5	0.0	32	258.0	102.5	0.0	84	295.0	107.0	0.0	
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	8	183.0	202.0	-	1	127.0	229.0	-	9	170.0	224.0	-	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	-	-	-	-	1	249.0	236.0	-	1	249.0	236.0	-	

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 23 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14e

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

<b>District Court Registry: Newcastle</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>Total</b>												
	<b>On bail</b>			<b>Bail refused</b>			<b>Total</b>			<b>Total</b>		
	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
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	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>	42	263.0	246.5	97.5	16	241.0	186.5	91.0	58	252.0	235.0	97.5
Acquitted of all charges	22	259.0	234.0	-	6	185.5	147.0	-	28	244.0	192.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	2	258.5	378.0	-	2	198.0	144.5	-	4	218.0	265.5	-
Guilty of at least one charge	16	235.0	255.5	101.5	7	408.0	342.0	84.0	23	256.0	269.0	98.0
Other (b)	2	2,000.0	183.5	32.5	1	3,827.0	439.0	212.0	3	3,680.0	211.0	65.0
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	166	244.5	167.0	0.0	133	193.0	125.0	0.0	299	233.0	146.0	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	14	243.5	178.5	-	1	73.0	90.0	-	15	228.0	170.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	5	234.0	195.0	-	2	233.0	108.5	-	7	234.0	170.0	-

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 69 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14f

**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>On bail</b>			<b>Bail refused</b>				
	Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay				
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	No.	Median duration (days)	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
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	142	386.5	288.0	79.0	85	289.0	246.0	37.0	227	324.0	268.0	63.0		
Acquitted of all charges	75	425.0	252.0	-	37	272.0	235.0	-	112	341.0	247.0	-		
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	155.0	176.0	-	1	188.0	220.0	-	2	172.0	198.0	-		
Guilty of at least one charge	58	379.5	335.5	89.0	45	313.0	274.0	32.0	103	371.0	301.0	70.0		
Other (b)	8	193.5	263.0	0.0	2	371.5	295.0	67.0	10	194.0	263.0	0.0		
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	400	266.0	186.0	0.0	341	251.0	169.0	0.0	741	259.0	178.0	0.0		
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	55	370.0	210.0	-	24	268.0	175.5	-	79	307.0	207.0	-		
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	4	1,155.0	187.0	-	-	-	-	-	4	1,155.0	187.0	-		

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 179 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 10 companies.

TABLE 3.14g

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

<b>District Court Registry: Sydney West</b>																	
<b>Bail status</b>												<b>Total</b>					
<b>On bail</b>						<b>Bail refused</b>											
<b>Court delay</b>												<b>Court delay</b>					
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Outcome to committal</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Outcome to committal</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Outcome to committal</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	98	360.0	199.0	60.0	30	241.0	186.0	70.0	128	344.0	199.0	62.5					
Acquitted of all charges	41	389.0	184.0	-	10	217.0	175.5	-	51	357.0	184.0	-					
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	-	-	3	231.0	248.0	-	3	231.0	248.0	-					
Guilty of at least one charge	49	360.0	199.0	73.0	16	311.0	163.5	72.0	65	360.0	199.0	73.0					
Other (b)	8	316.0	290.0	0.0	1	161.0	176.0	0.0	9	301.0	290.0	0.0					
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	306	299.0	174.0	0.0	253	257.0	127.0	0.0	559	280.0	154.0	0.0					
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	37	342.0	179.0	-	5	307.0	138.0	-	42	327.0	175.5	-					
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	6	312.5	180.5	-	8	183.5	130.0	-	14	269.0	147.0	-					

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 119 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.





TABLE 3.14i

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

		<b>District Court Registry: Wollongong</b>																							
		<b>Bail status</b>						<b>Total</b>																	
		<b>On bail</b>			<b>Bail refused</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		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged		Persons charged			
		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to		Outcome to			
		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to		Commitment to			
		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to		Offence to			
		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment		commitment			
		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.		No.			
		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)		Median duration (days)			
<b>Method of finalisation</b>		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)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)		
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>		27	199.0	236.0	0.0	4	146.5	86.0	81.5	31	187.0	218.0	17.5	10	210.5	284.0	-	2	206.5	245.5	-	12	211.0	284.0	
Acquitted of all charges		1	517.0	236.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	517.0	236.0	-	10	347.0	297.0	40.0	2	112.0	84.5	81.5	12	193.0	256.0	47.0
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)		6	172.5	167.5	0.0	-	-	-	-	6	173.0	167.5	0.0	10	347.0	297.0	40.0	2	112.0	84.5	81.5	12	193.0	256.0	47.0
Guilty of at least one charge		86	215.0	120.0	0.0	57	219.0	93.0	0.0	143	215.0	115.0	0.0	6	172.5	167.5	0.0	-	-	-	-	6	173.0	167.5	0.0
Other (b)		11	201.0	202.0	-	1	120.0	160.0	-	12	194.0	188.5	-	86	215.0	120.0	0.0	57	219.0	93.0	0.0	143	215.0	115.0	0.0
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	201.0	202.0	-	1	120.0	160.0	-	12	194.0	188.5	-
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(a) Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health: In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

(b) 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.

Excluded from this table are 39 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.15

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED TRIAL AND SENTENCE APPEARANCES (a):  
TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCE IN THE PREVIOUS 10 YEARS**

<i>Type of principal offence</i>	<i>Prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</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	53	40.8		75	57.7		-	-		2	1.5		130	100.0
Acts intended to cause injury	64	19.3		81	24.5		93	28.1		93	28.1		331	100.0
Sexual assault and related offences	146	51.6		106	37.5		12	4.2		19	6.7		283	100.0
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	5	23.8		13	61.9		1	4.8		2	9.5		21	100.0
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	7	12.1		43	74.1		5	8.6		3	5.2		58	100.0
Robbery, extortion and related offences	76	15.7		266	55.1		52	10.8		89	18.4		483	100.0
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	40	9.6		197	47.5		44	10.6		134	32.3		415	100.0
Theft and related offences	32	43.8		18	24.7		8	11.0		15	20.5		73	100.0
Fraud, deception and related offences	38	55.1		18	26.1		6	8.7		7	10.1		69	100.0
Illicit drug offences	284	40.0		208	29.3		144	20.3		74	10.4		710	100.0
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	14	25.9		34	63.0		4	7.4		2	3.7		54	100.0
Property damage and environmental pollution	2	14.3		7	50.0		4	28.6		1	7.1		14	100.0
Public order offences	8	16.0		15	30.0		18	36.0		9	18.0		50	100.0
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	1	100.0		-	-		-	-		-	-		1	100.0
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	39	52.7		16	21.6		9	12.2		10	13.5		74	100.0
Miscellaneous offences	17	68.0		7	28.0		1	4.0		-	-		25	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>826</b>	<b>29.6</b>		<b>1,104</b>	<b>39.6</b>		<b>401</b>	<b>14.4</b>		<b>460</b>	<b>16.5</b>		<b>2,791</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 3.16

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

<i>Outcome of appeal</i>	<i>Type of appeal</i>						<i>Total</i>
	<i>Appeals against severity of sentence</i>	<i>Appeals against conviction and sentence</i>	<i>Appeals against in adequacy of sentence</i>	<i>Appeals against violence orders</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	
Appeal upheld for all matters	2,880	367	15	70	3,332	52.1	
Appeal dismissed/withdrawn all matters	1,362	899	14	172	2,447	38.3	
Appeal upheld for some matters	471	114	1	4	590	9.2	
Other (did not appear, died etc)	20	5	-	-	25	0.4	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,733</b>	<b>1,385</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>6,394</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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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 2012 by the New South Wales (NSW) Local, Children's, District and Supreme Courts. Minor criminal matters, such as regulatory driving offences issued through infringement notices and appeals to same are not included in the report

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 2012, 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.

Offence data in this report is based on the Australian Bureau of Statistics Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification (ANZSOC), 2011 (Third edition) (cat. no. 1234.0). This classification is the same as the Australian Bureau of Statistics Australian Standard Offence Classification (ASOC), 2008 (Second edition) (cat. no. 1234.0) used in the 2009 and 2010 versions of this report. As reports published prior to 2009 used the 1997 version of ASOC, offence type data is not comparable.

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

**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 Bureau of Statistics Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification (ANZSOC), 2011 (Third edition) (cat. no. 1234.0). Table 1.1 shows offences classified at ANZSOC division, subdivision and group levels. In this report, the ANZSOC group 'Breach of bond - probation' contains breaches of supervised bonds and as such is entitled 'Breach of bond - supervised'. The ANZSOC group 'Breach of bond - other' contains breaches of unsupervised bonds so is called 'Breach of bond - unsupervised'. All other tables show offences classified at ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC classification. The offences in this category also appear in the appropriate ANZSOC 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.

**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.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

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. 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:

### **Proceeded to defended hearing**

Defended hearings include where a 'not guilty plea' is entered or 'no plea' is recorded and the defendant was present when the matter was finalised.

*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 include persons who received a sentence but there was insufficient data to indicate whether they had 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.



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### 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 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.

### 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.

### 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 and Juvenile Justice NSW 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 1.11: PENALTIES FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

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Tables 1.7 to 1.11 present the penalties imposed for the principal offence in finalised Local Court appearances. Table 1.8 reports on drug offences only. ANZSOC 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 1.9 and 1.11 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.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

- 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 1.10 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. Table 1.11 presents this information for those persons who identified themselves as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander at any court appearance since 1994.

### 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 1.10 and 1.11 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.

### Aggregate Sentences of Imprisonment

From 14 March 2011, section 53A of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act 1999* has allowed the court to set an aggregate sentence of imprisonment in respect to two or more offences. The court must note the sentence that would have been imposed for each offence had separate sentences been imposed. This is referred to as the indicative sentence and includes a non-parole period for any standard non-parole period offences. The court may impose an aggregate sentence for some offences and separate imprisonment sentences for other offences.

In those cases where an aggregate sentence of imprisonment is imposed, the indicative sentences are used to determine the principal offence. Only the non-parole period duration for the principal offence is shown. When no indicative non-parole period has been specified, the ratio of the aggregate non-parole period to the aggregate total term is applied to the indicative total term (only when more than six months duration) to arrive at a non-parole period.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

### 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 1.12, 1.12a AND 1.12b: 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 1.13: 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 1.14: PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES

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Table 1.14 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.

#### **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.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

### TABLES 1.15 APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs)

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Table 1.15 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 1.16 AND 1.17: 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 1.16 shows the number and rate per 100,000 population of Local Court appearances by defendant's residential area.

Table 1.17 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 Court, 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 ANZSOC 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 Court 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 Juvenile Justice NSW. From 2006 to 2009, Children's Court data was sourced from (1) the General Local Court (GLC) System for computerised courts and (2) Juvenile Justice NSW for non-computerised courts for criminal matters to November 2009. From August 2009, Children's Court data have been sourced from JusticeLink.

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### TABLES 2.1: PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES

#### 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 only counted 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.

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

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

### TABLES 2.2 AND 2.3: OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE

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Table 2.2 presents court outcomes for 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 outcome types are as follows:

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

Defended hearings include where a 'not guilty plea' is entered or 'no plea' is recorded and the defendant was present when the matter was finalised.

*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**

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 (until its closure in mid 2012)

### 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

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

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and Juvenile Justice NSW 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 Juvenile Justice NSW facility
- (ii) Community Service Order
- (iii) Probation Order - probation orders with Juvenile Justice NSW 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 dismissed after Youth Justice Conference, no action taken on a breach of court orders, nominal sentence (rising of the court), conviction with no other penalty, disqualified driver and compensation.

(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.

(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.

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(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.

#### **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

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

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#### **Jurisdiction**

There are two major 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 sits at a number of metropolitan and country court houses. The Supreme Courts deal 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. From late 2012, the District Court also has a summary jurisdiction which hears prosecutions by the WorkCover Authority of NSW for offences under the *Work Health and Safety Act 2011*. These summary prosecutions are counted as trial appearances in this publication. 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. 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. However, separate charges finalised on the same date for 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.

#### **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, they may be committed for sentencing to a Higher Court. Alternatively, if the accused pleads not guilty, or reserves their defence, he or she is committed for trial. Cases which commence by ex officio indictment are included. Cases which do not proceed beyond committal are not included.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

### 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 3.14a to 3.14i.

#### Type of offence

Offence groups in the Higher Courts tables are based on the Australian Bureau of Statistics Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification (ANZSOC), 2011 (Third edition) (cat. no. 1234.0). ANZSOC 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 ANZSOC division, subdivision and group levels. In this report, the ANZSOC group 'Breach of bond - probation' contains breaches of supervised bonds and as such is entitled 'Breach of bond - supervised'. The ANZSOC group 'Breach of bond - other' contains breaches of unsupervised bonds so is called 'Breach of bond - unsupervised'. All other tables show offences classified at ANZSOC division and subdivision levels.

#### 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 ANZSOC classification. The offences in this category also appear in the appropriate ANZSOC 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.

#### Number of offences charged

Tables 3.4 and 3.5 indicate the number of distinct offences charged against each accused person.

### 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

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

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.

*Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health:* In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

*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, 3.10 and 3.11: PENALTIES IMPOSED FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE**

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Tables 3.8 and 3.11 presents the penalties imposed for the principal offence. Table 3.9 reports on drug offences only. Table 3.10 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.

### **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

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

- 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 3.11 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 3.11 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 3.11 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 3.11 does not include sentences of life imprisonment.

### Aggregate Sentences of Imprisonment

From 14 March 2011, section 53A of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) Act* 1999 has allowed the court to set an aggregate sentence of imprisonment in respect to two or more offences. The court must note the sentence that would have been imposed for each offence had separate sentences been imposed. This is referred to as the indicative sentence and includes non-parole period for any standard non-parole period offences. The court may impose an aggregate sentence for some offences and separate imprisonment sentences for other offences.

In those cases where an aggregate sentence of imprisonment is imposed, the indicative sentences are used to determine the principal offence. Only the non-parole period duration for the principal offence is shown. When no indicative non-parole period has been specified, the ratio of the aggregate non-parole period to the aggregate total term is applied to the indicative total term (only when more than six months duration) to arrive at a non-parole period.

### TABLES 3.12, 3.12a AND 3.12b: 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 3.13: BAIL STATUS

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Bail status refers to the bail status of the defendant at the hearing which disposed of the matter. Note that trial case defendants who are on bail but are then refused bail pending sentence after a guilty verdict are classified as 'on bail'. Those remanded in custody are separated into 'bail refused' and 'in custody, prior offence'. Corrective Services NSW and Juvenile Justice NSW 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 3.14a TO 3.14i: 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**

The time from the date of the earliest offence to the date committed has been 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 3.15: PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES

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Table 3.15 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 3.16: OUTCOME OF APPEAL, TYPE OF APPEAL**


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Table 3.16 presents the outcomes for appeals to the District Court against conviction, severity or inadequacy of sentences imposed in the Local Courts and against AVOs granted or not 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 for a specified period. From 1 October 2010 this penalty was replaced with Intensive Correction Orders.

#### Intensive Correction Order

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 Procedure) 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. Generally they require the offender to be 'of good behaviour' for a certain length of time. Conditions may also be included, for example:

- (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.

This category includes persons charged for certain categories of child sexual assault who have been diverted into the NSW Pre-Trial Diversion of Offenders Program (Cedar Cottage). Please note that persons charged after the 1<sup>st</sup> of September 2012 were not eligible for diversion.

#### Bond without conviction and No conviction recorded

Under Section 10 of the *Crimes (Sentencing Procedure) 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. Intensive Correction Order
5. Suspended sentence with supervision
6. Suspended sentence
7. Community Service Order
8. Good behaviour bond with supervision
9. Good behaviour bond without supervision
10. Fine
11. Nominal sentence (Rising of the Court)
12. Conviction without penalty
13. Good behaviour bond without conviction
14. 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			

