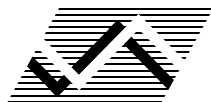

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INTRODUCTION

This is a revised edition of the report originally released in May 2014. The Children's Court and Higher Court tables are unchanged.

This report deals with criminal cases finalised in 2013 in the New South Wales (NSW) Local, Children's, District and Supreme Courts.

In the revised edition all the Local Court tables have been updated to incorporate an additional 4% of matters which were mistakenly omitted from the first edition.

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NEW SOUTH WALES CRIMINAL COURTS

Executive Summary

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

	2012	2013
Total finalisations		
Persons charged	108,528	109,155
Charges determined	239,858	248,389
Persons most frequently charged with		
Regulatory driving offences		
- Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	19,465	20,040
Assault		
- Common assault	15,771	15,543
Driver licence offences		
- Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	12,106	12,748
Possess and/or use illicit drugs		
- Possess illicit drugs	11,181	11,749
Outcome of charges		
Percentage proven		
- Accused present	68.0	69.0
- Conviction ex parte	9.5	10.0
Percentage receiving other outcomes	22.5	21.0

PERSONS CHARGED (TABLES 1.3 TO 1.6)

	2012	2013
Outcome of appearance		
Number of defended hearings	16,281	15,631
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	15.0	14.3
Number of persons found guilty	96,250	97,373
- Percentage of persons found guilty	88.7	89.2
Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
Number of persons charged	16,354	17,277
Number of defended hearings	3,370	3,367
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	20.6	19.5
Number of persons found guilty	14,153	14,869
- Percentage of persons found guilty	86.5	86.1
Legal representation		
Number of persons represented	68,985	68,456
- Percentage of finalised appearances where persons were represented	64.5	63.6
Percentage of persons found guilty		
- Percentage of represented found guilty	86.0	86.5
- Percentage of unrepresented found guilty	93.9	94.1

SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

Bail status	2012	2013
Number of persons refused bail	6,236	6,832
- Percentage of persons refused bail	5.8	6.3
Number of persons granted bail	27,172	24,735
- Percentage of persons granted bail	25.4	23.0
Number of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	71,468	73,359
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	66.8	68.2

PENALTIES (TABLES 1.7 TO 1.11)

Imprisonment	2012	2013
Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	6,901	7,403
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	7.2	7.6

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

Highest imprisonment rates (a)		
- Breach of custodial order offences	58.9	54.2
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	48.7	49.7
- Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	17.5	24.8

Highest number of persons sentenced to imprisonment

Assault	1,231	1,347
Driver licence offences	694	567
Theft (except motor vehicles)	466	555

Most frequently imposed principal penalty

Fine	38,782	38,837
Bond without conviction	12,999	13,538
Bond without supervision	13,089	13,455

Imprisonment - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons

Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	2,708	2,888
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	19.1	19.4

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	72.7	65.3
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	65.0	63.4
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	45.1	57.9

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

Assault	611	642
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	253	236
Theft (except motor vehicles)	200	234
Breach of community-based order	190	212

SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons	2012	2013
Fine	4,255	4,552
Imprisonment	2,708	2,888
Bond without supervision	2,025	2,165
Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) (a)		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.2	4.8
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	8.1	8.3
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.4	6.1
All offences	5.6	5.6
Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.1	4.9
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	8.3	8.3
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.5	6.6
All offences	5.7	5.7

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

Gender of persons found guilty	2012	2013
Percentage male	80.1	79.8
Percentage female	19.9	20.2
Proven offences for males and females (b)		
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were male		
- Non-assaultive sexual offences	100.0	99.1
- Sexual assault	98.9	98.6
- Regulated weapons/explosives offences	93.4	92.5
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were female		
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	38.5	38.2
- Obtain benefit by deception	38.1	35.9
- Other fraud and deception offences	40.0	34.1
Average age of persons found guilty		
All persons	34.0	34.4
- Male	33.9	34.3
- Female	34.4	34.7
Average age of all persons found guilty of specific offences (b)		
Highest average age		
- Offences against government operations	46.7	48.2
- Commercial/industry/financial regulation	44.9	44.5
- Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	41.0	41.9
Lowest average age		
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	28.5	28.2
- Disorderly conduct	29.9	30.6
- Property damage	30.1	30.8
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	31.0	31.2

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

Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)	2012	2013
Defended hearing, on bail	116.0	108.0
- All charges dismissed	113.0	104.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	114.0	109.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, on bail	91.0	86.0
Defended hearing, bail refused	109.0	104.5
- All charges dismissed	70.0	67.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	113.0	109.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	74.0	59.0

PRIOR OFFENCES (TABLE 1.14)

Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years	2012	2013
Average (all offences)	38.5	37.8
Highest (b)		
- Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	54.9	52.8
- Sexual assault and related offences	57.7	52.1
- Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	50.5	48.4
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	12.4	12.6
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	14.9	14.2
- Theft and related offences	25.7	22.5

APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs) GRANTED (TABLE 1.15)

Number of AVOs granted (NSW)	2012	2013
Domestic AVOs	23,917	25,535
Personal AVOs	6,706	6,022
Rate of AVOs granted (c)		
NSW rates		
Domestic AVOs	327.3	344.6
Personal AVOs	91.8	81.3
Highest rates by Statistical Area of residence of POI (d)		
Domestic AVOs		
- Far West and Orana	954.2	997.6
- Riverina	525.7	639.0
Personal AVOs		
- Far West and Orana	369.8	305.9
- Riverina	250.4	243.2
Lowest rates		
Domestic AVOs		
- North Sydney and Hornsby	78.2	84.3
- Northern Beaches	104.7	103.9
Personal AVOs		
- North Sydney and Hornsby	19.2	16.5
- Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	34.3	18.2

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

Regional rate of court appearance by Statistical Area (c) (d)	2012	2013
Largest decreases		
- Northern Beaches	926.6	799.8
- Inner South West	1,215.6	1,129.5
Largest increases		
- Murray	1,417.7	1,534.5
- Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	1,582.6	1,698.3
Highest Statistical Area rates of persons found guilty for selected offence categories with the corresponding NSW rates (c) (d)		
Acts intended to cause injury		
- Far West and Orana	468.6	453.0
- NSW	189.4	191.4
Sexual assault and related offences (e)		
- Far West and Orana	7.6	8.4
- NSW	4.7	4.8
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter (e)		
- Far West and Orana	24.5	28.6
- NSW	12.1	11.0
Theft and related offences		
- City and Inner South	210.4	213.7
- NSW	74.0	72.8
Fraud, deception and related offences		
- City and Inner South	44.9	45.7
- NSW	29.0	29.1
Illicit drug offences		
- City and Inner South	276.7	321.0
- NSW	109.8	114.0
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences		
- Riverina	706.3	771.1
- NSW	461.9	460.7

(a) Excludes offences with less than 450 persons convicted in the latest year.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in the latest year.

(c) Rate per 100,000 population.

(d) Statistical Areas have replaced Statistical Divisions and Subdivisions. The Statistical Area data for 2012 has not been published in earlier reports.

(e) Excludes Statistical Areas with less than 10 persons convicted in the latest year.

SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT**PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES (TABLES 2.1 AND 2.2)**

	2012	2013
Total finalisations		
Persons charged	7,919	7,401
Charges determined	26,480	25,345
Persons most frequently charged with		
Property damage		
- Property damage, other	1,567	1,418
Assault		
- Common assault	1,561	1,390
Outcome of charges		
Percentage proven		
- Accused present	73.3	74.7
- Conviction ex parte	4.3	4.3
Percentage receiving other outcomes	22.4	21.0

PERSONS CHARGED (TABLES 2.3 TO 2.6)

	2012	2013
Outcome of appearance		
Number of defended hearings	1,716	1,461
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	21.7	19.7
Number of persons found guilty	6,829	6,497
- Percentage of persons found guilty	86.2	87.8
Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
Number of persons charged	3,097	2,992
Number of defended hearings	759	665
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	24.5	22.2
Number of persons found guilty	2,649	2,626
- Percentage of persons found guilty	85.5	87.8
Legal representation		
Number of persons represented	7,303	6,888
- Percentage of finalised appearances where persons were represented	92.2	93.1
Percentage of persons found guilty		
- Percentage of represented found guilty	85.7	87.4
- Percentage of unrepresented found guilty	93.2	94.6
Bail Status		
Number of persons refused bail	946	929
- Percentage of persons refused bail	11.9	12.6
Number of persons granted bail	3,456	2,832
- Percentage of persons granted bail	43.6	38.3
Number of persons where bail not required or bail dispensed with	3,214	3,324
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	40.6	44.9

SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT *continued***PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (TABLES 2.7 to 2.10)**

	2012	2013
Most frequently imposed principal penalty		
- Bond	2,154	2,036
- Probation Order	1,381	1,230
- Other proven outcomes	983	960
- Dismissed with Caution	892	948
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	31.5	31.3
- Probation Order	20.2	18.9
- Other proven outcomes	14.4	14.8
- Dismissed with Caution	13.1	14.6
 Control orders		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	727	695
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	10.6	10.7
 Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty (a)		
Highest rates		
- Robbery	31.3	31.3
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	19.9	23.3
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	14.9	14.3
 Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	156	175
- Robbery	136	105
- Assault	104	82
 Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
- Bond	773	773
- Probation Order	576	520
- Control Order	428	432
- Other proven outcomes	311	372
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	29.2	29.4
- Probation Order	21.7	19.8
- Control Order	16.2	16.5
- Other proven outcomes	11.7	14.2
 Control orders – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	428	432
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	16.2	16.5

SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT *continued***PENALTY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE (TABLES 2.7 TO 2.10)**

	2012	2013
Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)		
Highest rates		
- Breach of custodial order offences	69.8	70.2
- Robbery	48.4	40.9
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	26.7	32.6
Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	103	131
- Robbery	62	54
- Breach of community-based order	47	48
Average duration of control order for offences with highest control order rates (months) (a)		
Robbery	5.0	5.3
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	4.3	5.1
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	4.3	4.0
All offences	4.1	4.3
Average duration of control order for offences with highest control order rates (months) – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)		
Breach of custodial order offences	4.8	3.0
Robbery	5.4	5.5
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	4.8	5.4
All offences	4.2	4.5

AGE AND GENDER OF DEFENDANTS (TABLES 2.11, 2.11a AND 2.11b)

	2012	2013
Males by age group as a percentage of all males appearing		
10 to 12	1.8	2.1
13	3.2	3.5
14	9.1	8.7
15	16.0	15.0
16	22.4	23.6
17	27.8	27.5
18 and over	19.6	19.5
Females by age group as a percentage of all females appearing		
10 to 12	0.4	1.1
13	5.3	5.6
14	13.4	13.5
15	22.3	21.6
16	23.7	22.0
17	22.6	25.1
18 and over	12.2	11.0
Gender of persons found guilty		
Percentage male	80.1	79.9
Percentage female	19.9	20.1

SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT *continued*

Offences charged for males and females	2012	2013
Offences where the highest percentage of defendants were male (c)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	93.5	92.7
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	85.7	89.3
- Possess and/or use illicit drugs	88.1	86.5
Offences where the highest percentage of defendants were female (d)		
- Assault	30.9	32.2
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	30.4	24.9
- Breach of community-based order	20.5	19.6

COURT DELAY (TABLE 2.12)

Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)	2012	2013
Defended hearing, on bail	130.0	116.0
- All charges dismissed	113.0	105.5
- Guilty of at least one charge	144.0	119.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, on bail	106.0	94.0
Defended hearing, bail refused	129.0	123.0
- Guilty of at least one charge	140.5	126.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	113.0	51.0

PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES (TABLE 2.13)

Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years	2012	2013
Average (all offences)	37.1	38.4
Highest (b)		
- Sexual assault and related offences	78.7	78.7
- Illicit drug offences	47.2	52.8
- Property damage and environmental pollution	34.4	51.7
Lowest (b)		
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	16.1	15.7
- Theft and related offences	38.9	33.3
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	32.5	34.3

(a) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in the latest year.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 50 persons convicted in the latest year.

(c) Excludes offences with less than 100 males charged in the latest year.

(d) Excludes offences with less than 100 females charged in the latest year.

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

	2012	2013
Total persons registered		
Higher Courts	4,012	3,975
- Supreme Court	130	110
- District Court	3,882	3,865
Persons registered in trial cases		
Higher Courts	2,227	2,110
- Supreme Court	117	101
- District Court	2,110	2,009
Persons registered in sentence cases		
Higher Courts	1,785	1,865
- Supreme Court	13	9
- District Court	1,772	1,856
Percentage of total persons registered in trial cases		
Higher Courts	55.5	53.1
- Supreme Court	90.0	91.8
- District Court	54.4	52.0

FINALISATIONS (TABLES 3.2 AND 3.4)

	2012	2013
Persons		
Total	3,297	3,618
- Committed for trial and finalised by any means	1,710	1,851
- Committed for trial and finalised by trial	624	681
- Percentage committed for trial which were finalised by trial	36.5	36.8
- Committed for sentence and finalised	1,587	1,767
Persons proceeded against to trial		
Higher Courts	630	681
- Supreme Court	78	59
- District Court	552	622
Persons committed for trial proceeded against to sentence only		
Higher Courts	874	955
- Supreme Court	34	40
- District Court	840	915
Most frequently charged offence		
Sexual assault and related offences		
- Aggravated sexual assault	2,087	2,193
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	1,019	1,154
Robbery, extortion and related offences		
- Aggravated robbery	873	1,064
Illicit drug offences		
- Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	818	1,038

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

Higher Courts	2012	2013
Percentage of persons charged with one offence	33.2	35.0
Percentage of persons charged with two offences	23.4	22.1

OUTCOME FOR PERSONS CHARGED (TABLE 3.6 and 3.7)

Percentage of persons proceeding to trial	2012	2013
Higher Courts	19.1	18.8
- Supreme Court	53.8	50.0
- District Court	17.5	17.8

Percentage of persons proceeding to sentence only		
Higher Courts	74.1	74.6
- Supreme Court	37.2	43.2
- District Court	75.8	75.7

Percentage of persons found guilty		
Higher Courts	85.1	86.8

Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to trial		
Higher Courts	14.8	15.9

Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to sentence only		
Higher Courts	79.8	76.9

Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons found guilty		
Higher Courts	87.4	87.1

PENALTIES (TABLES 3.8 AND 3.10)

Most frequently imposed principal penalty	2012	2013
Imprisonment	1,943	2,169
Suspended sentence	498	554
Bond	171	207

Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties)		
Imprisonment	69.3	69.1
Suspended sentence	17.8	17.7
Bond	6.1	6.6

Most frequently imposed principal penalty - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
Imprisonment	432	528
Suspended sentence	77	93
Bond	29	32

Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties) - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons		
Imprisonment	76.9	78.3
Suspended sentence	13.7	13.8
Bond	5.2	4.7

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

Average duration of imprisonment for most frequently charged offences (months)	2012	2013
All offences	30.4	29.8
Sexual assault	33.8	35.8
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	19.2	19.8
Robbery	23.9	24.7
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	25.9	26.9

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

Gender of persons found guilty	2012	2013
Percentage male	89.7	90.6
Percentage female	10.3	9.4
Average age of persons found guilty		
Male	31.2	31.0
Female	32.5	33.6
Average age of persons found guilty by specific offences (a)		
Highest average age		
- Sexual assault	35.0	34.8
- Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	35.4	33.2
Lowest average age		
- Robbery	24.8	25.8
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	28.2	28.6

BAIL STATUS (TABLE 3.13)

Persons refused bail	2012	2013
Number of persons refused bail	1,175	1,063
Percentage of persons refused bail	35.7	29.4
Outcome for persons refused bail		
Number of persons with guilty outcome	1,043	985
Percentage of persons with guilty outcome	88.8	92.7

COURT DELAY (TABLES 3.14a TO 3.14h)

District Courts - Median delay, committal to outcome (days)	2012	2013
On bail, proceeded to trial	246.0	302.0
- Acquitted of all charges	246.0	288.0
- Found guilty of at least one charge	261.5	317.0
On bail, proceeded to sentence only	170.0	184.0
On bail, no charges proceeded with	194.5	236.5
Bail refused, proceeded to trial	233.0	246.0
- Acquitted of all charges	226.0	228.5
- Found guilty of at least one charge	242.5	261.5
Bail refused, proceeded to sentence only	140.5	139.0
Bail refused, no charges proceeded with	162.5	204.5

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

Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years	2012	2013
Average (all offences)	29.6	28.0
Highest (b)		
- Fraud, deception and related offences	55.1	73.8
- Sexual assault and related offences	51.6	56.3
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	9.6	10.4
- Robbery, extortion and related offences	15.7	13.1

APPEALS (TABLE 3.16) (c)

Appeals against severity of sentence	2012	2013
Number of appeals finalised	4,731	4,927
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	60.8	58.1
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	28.8	31.9
Appeals against conviction and sentence		
Number of appeals finalised	1,385	1,360
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	26.5	23.2
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	64.9	69.0
Appeals against inadequacy of sentence		
Number of appeals finalised	30	30
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	50.0	50.0
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	46.7	40.0
Appeals against Apprehended Violence Orders		
Number of appeals finalised	246	221
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	28.5	24.9
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	69.9	72.4

(a) Excludes offences with less than 100 persons convicted in the latest year.

(b) Excludes offences with less than 50 persons convicted in the latest year.

(c) Includes cases where companies and persons are the appellant.

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

Tables

TABLE 1.1

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

<i>Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
Homicide and related offences			
Murder		0	0
Attempted murder		0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death		0	0
Driving causing death		58	60
Total		58	60
Acts intended to cause injury			
Assault		8,098	9,563
Serious assault resulting in injury		2,194	2,822
Serious assault not resulting in injury		15,543	18,736
Common assault		6,476	7,673
Stalking		52	55
Other acts intended to cause injury, other		24,991	38,849
Total			
Sexual assault and related offences			
Sexual assault		478	970
Non-aggravated sexual assault		108	148
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child		12	13
Child pornography offences		86	173
Sexual servitude offences		0	0
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other		66	168
Total		689	1,472
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle		1,206	1,241
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle		4,348	5,322
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons		37	60
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care		42	52
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other		5,352	6,675
Total			

Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person		
Abduction and kidnapping	0	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	2	2
Harassment and threatening behaviour	33	56
Threatening behaviour	1,593	2,210
Total	1,623	2,268
Robbery, extortion and related offences		
Robbery	55	68
Non-aggravated robbery	107	119
Blackmail and extortion	9	14
Total	160	201
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter		
Theft and related offences		
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	135	179
Theft of a motor vehicle	942	1,137
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0	0
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	372	457
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	17	253
Theft of intellectual property	3,211	4,524
Theft from retail premises	3,443	5,219
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	4,638	8,509
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	2	2
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	10,585	20,280
Total	2,543	11,344
Fraud, deception and related offences		
Obtain benefit by deception	25	62
Forgery and counterfeiting	105	334
Deceptive business/government practices	9	11
Obtain benefit by deception	78	488
Counterfeiting of currency	59	120
Forgery of documents	3	3
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	381	2,217
Fraudulent trade practices	902	2,134
Misrepresentation of professional status	3,844	16,713
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices		
Dishonest conversion		
Other fraud and deception offences, other		
Total	3,844	16,713

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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>	
Illicit drug offences			
Import or export illicit drugs		7	9
Export illicit drugs		0	0
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		1,146	1,874
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs		16	20
Cultivate illicit drugs		830	850
Possess illicit drugs		11,749	14,053
Use illicit drugs		209	221
Other illicit drug offences		781	831
Total		12,615	17,858
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences		0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives		634	885
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives		67	81
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other		794	1,451
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives		620	831
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives		11	15
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences		43	80
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other		1,568	3,343
Total			
Property damage and environmental pollution			
Property damage		165	238
Property damage by fire or explosion		305	477
Graffiti		8,946	10,871
Property damage, other		0	0
Air pollution offences		21	27
Water pollution offences		39	46
Noise pollution offences		0	0
Soil pollution offences		143	162
Environmental pollution, other		9,514	11,821
Total			

Public order offences			
Disorderly conduct			
	Trespass	2,503	3,068
	Criminal intent	1,394	1,591
	Riot and affray	2,092	2,214
	Disorderly conduct, other	13	18
	Betting and gambling offences	28	90
Regulated public order offences	Liquor and tobacco offences	1,198	1,413
	Censorship offences	6	13
	Prostitution offences	8	11
	Offences against public order sexual standards	208	224
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	1	1
	Regulated public order offences, other	23	23
Offensive conduct	Offensive language	1,580	1,633
	Offensive behaviour	3,359	3,685
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0	0
	Cruelty to animals	196	607
Total		10,859	14,591
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences			
Driver licence offences	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	12,748	15,099
	Drive without a licence	6,213	6,911
	Driver licence offences, other	179	223
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	Registration offences	4,682	5,477
	Roadworthiness offences (e)	0	0
Regulatory driving offences	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit (d)	20,040	20,437
	Exceed the legal speed limit (e)	0	0
	Parking offences (e)	0	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	6,611	7,420
Pedestrian offences	Pedestrian offences (e)	0	0
Total		41,113	55,567

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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>	
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations			
Breach of custodial order offences	158	163	
Escape custody offences	0	0	
Breach of home detention	1,317	2,690	
Breach of suspended sentence	5	5	
Breach of community-based orders not further defined (f)	1,165	1,910	
Breach of community service order	0	0	
Breach of parole	2,940	4,147	
Breach of bail	4,258	8,619	
Breach of bond - supervised (g)	4,203	6,604	
Breach of bond - unsupervised (g)	310	826	
Breach of community-based order, other	7,147	9,721	
Breach of violence orders	0	0	
Breach of non-violence orders			
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders			
Offences against government operations	77	87	
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	6	8	
Bribery involving government officials	6	7	
Immigration offences	780	8,913	
Offences against government operations, other	4	5	
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	7	7	
Offences against government security, other	101	135	
Subvert the course of justice	5,019	5,977	
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	256	305	
Prison regulation offences	320	370	
Offences against justice procedures, other	23,285	50,499	
Total			

Miscellaneous offences	
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	0
Defamation and libel	0
Public health and safety offences	9
Offences against privacy	5
Sanitation offences	0
Disease prevention offences	0
Occupational health and safety offences	4
Transport regulation offences	6
Dangerous substances offences	30
Licit drug offences	586
Public health and safety offences, other	2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	4
Other miscellaneous offences	1,540
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	563
Environmental regulation offences	445
Bribery excluding government officials	197
Quarantine offences	3
Import/export regulations	1
Procure or commit illegal abortion	36
Other miscellaneous offences, other	0
Total	3,026
Grand total (h)	109,155
	248,389

(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 - 3,365 persons appearing and 3,412 charges; PCA-medium - 8,482 persons appearing and 8,641 charges; PCA-low - 6,369 persons appearing and 6,480 charges;

PCA-special - 1,541 persons appearing and 1,608 charges.

(e) This type of offence is proceeded against by infringement notice. As contested infringement notices are not in scope of this report, this category has no observations but is included for completeness.

(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 persons charged in finalised Local Court appearances. 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>
Offence proven:		
Conviction	171,480	69.0
Conviction ex parte	24,722	10.0
Other outcomes:		
Dismissed after hearing	8,798	3.5
Dismissed Mental Health (Forensic Provisions) Act	4,402	1.8
Adjourned to Drug Court	2,999	1.2
Adjourned generally	57	0.0
Death of accused	284	0.1
Withdrawn - no evidence offered	33,810	13.6
Taken into account when sentencing principal offence	1,837	0.7
Total	248,389	100.0

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>
Proceeded to defended hearing		
All charges dismissed	4,779	4.4
Guilty of at least one charge	9,937	9.1
Other (a)	915	0.8
Proven outcome not further described (b)	2,216	2.0
Sentenced after guilty plea	68,353	62.6
Convicted ex parte	15,952	14.6
All charges dismissed without hearing	6,363	5.8
All charges otherwise disposed of	640	0.6
Total	109,155	100.0

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>
Proceeded to defended hearing		
All charges dismissed	832	4.8
Guilty of at least one charge	2,300	13.3
Other (a)	235	1.4
Proven outcome not further described (b)	555	3.2
Sentenced after guilty plea	9,485	54.9
Convicted ex parte	2,294	13.3
All charges dismissed without hearing	1,335	7.7
All charges otherwise disposed of	241	1.4
Total	17,277	100.0

(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.	%
Outcome of appearance								
Proceeded to defended hearing								
All charges dismissed	4,202	6.1	530	1.4	6	1.8	4,738	4.4
Guilty of at least one charge	8,204	12.0	1,643	4.2	15	4.5	9,862	9.2
Other (a)	842	1.2	72	0.2	-	-	914	0.8
Proven outcome not further described (b)	1,635	2.4	488	1.3	91	27.4	2,214	2.1
Sentenced after guilty plea	47,743	69.7	19,891	51.2	97	29.2	67,731	62.9
Convicted ex parte	797	1.2	14,445	37.2	75	22.6	15,317	14.2
All charges dismissed without hearing	4,537	6.6	1,639	4.2	31	9.3	6,207	5.8
All charges otherwise disposed of	496	0.7	127	0.3	17	5.1	640	0.6
Total	68,456	100.0	38,835	100.0	332	100.0	107,623	100.0

(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 1,532 companies.

TABLE 1.6

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

Outcome of appearance	Bail status													
	Bail not applicable or bail dispensed with			On bail			Bail refused			In custody, prior offence			Total	
	No.	%		No.	%		No.	%		No.	%	No.	%	
Proceeded to defended hearing														
All charges dismissed	2,009	2.7		2,432	9.8		174	2.5		123	4.6		4,738	4.4
Guilty of at least one charge	3,385	4.6		3,897	15.8		2,101	30.8		479	17.8		9,862	9.2
Other (a)	234	0.3		513	2.1		127	1.9		40	1.5		914	0.8
Proven outcome not further described (b)	1,640	2.2		29	0.1		344	5.0		201	7.5		2,214	2.1
Sentenced after guilty plea	48,843	66.6		13,614	55.0		3,671	53.7		1,603	59.4		67,731	62.9
Convicted ex parte	14,306	19.5		1,011	4.1		-	-		-	-		15,317	14.2
All charges dismissed without hearing	2,720	3.7		3,158	12.8		145	2.1		184	6.8		6,207	5.8
All charges otherwise disposed of	222	0.3		81	0.3		270	4.0		67	2.5		640	0.6
Total	73,359	100.0		24,735	100.0		6,832	100.0		2,697	100.0		107,623	100.0

(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 1,532 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)	
Homicide and related offences															
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	2	-	2	-	5	2	2	15	1	-	-	3	1	33	
Total	2	-	2	-	5	2	2	15	1	-	-	3	1	33	
Acts intended to cause injury															
Assault	1,347	7	125	588	287	639	1,592	3,416	1,585	2	77	2,107	236	12,008	
Other acts intended to cause injury	372	-	17	153	73	123	556	1,024	304	-	22	348	23	3,015	
Total	1,719	7	142	741	360	762	2,148	4,440	1,889	2	99	2,455	259	15,023	
Sexual assault and related offences															
Sexual assault	74	-	4	47	11	12	61	58	5	-	-	4	1	277	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	35	-	2	26	4	2	11	20	3	-	-	7	1	111	
Total	109	-	6	73	15	14	72	78	8	-	-	11	2	388	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	68	-	2	45	6	1	28	21	-	-	-	5	1	177	
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	239	9	36	75	73	151	124	407	1,608	-	54	236	228	3,242	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1	-	-	2	-	1	2	4	22	-	2	2	2	38	
Total	240	9	36	77	73	152	126	411	1,630	-	56	238	230	3,280	
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	89	1	1	34	45	35	70	174	117	-	8	77	12	663	
Total	90	1	1	34	45	35	70	174	117	-	8	77	12	664	

Robbery, extortion and related offences												
Robbery	36	-	4	12	2	3	11	8	-	-	-	76
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	3
Total	36	-	5	12	3	3	11	9	-	-	-	79
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter												
Total	529	2	24	95	33	75	110	147	20	1	5	1,064
Theft and related offences												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	183	-	8	17	15	16	57	79	29	-	4	429
Theft (except motor vehicles)	555	6	13	160	91	121	333	574	1,255	1	80	3,669
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	272	4	23	52	53	57	229	388	631	-	46	1,892
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	1,010	10	44	229	159	194	619	1,041	1,915	1	130	5,991
Fraud, deception and related offences												
Obtain benefit by deception	254	21	35	69	115	190	146	418	292	-	27	1,704
Forgery and counterfeiting	16	1	3	3	8	9	5	18	6	-	-	73
Deceptive business/government practices	1	-	-	-	-	5	1	8	52	-	1	76
Other fraud and deception offences	21	3	4	10	12	26	23	100	237	-	15	539
Total	292	25	42	82	135	230	175	544	587	-	43	2,392
Illicit drug offences												
Import or export illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	6
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	156	4	18	75	45	77	84	110	30	1	1	629
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	18	1	3	26	13	25	67	175	250	-	5	682
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	70	-	1	22	14	19	254	316	4,372	1	239	7,528
Other illicit drug offences	2	-	-	2	1	2	22	18	166	-	15	268
Total	247	5	22	125	74	123	427	620	4,819	2	260	9,113
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	22	1	4	10	11	12	23	74	115	-	6	354
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	34	-	5	12	16	14	11	88	167	1	14	564
Total	56	1	9	22	27	26	34	162	282	1	20	918
Property damage and environmental pollution												
Property damage	176	1	5	34	24	109	301	567	1,302	-	78	3,453
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	-	5	111
Total	176	1	5	34	24	109	301	567	1,395	-	83	3,564
Public order offences												
Disorderly conduct	304	3	18	111	47	120	211	398	578	2	105	2,179
Regulated public order offences	7	-	-	2	1	2	16	18	255	-	11	439
Offensive conduct	49	-	-	8	9	17	64	157	954	1	92	1,621
Total	360	3	18	121	57	139	291	573	1,787	3	208	4,239

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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)	
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences															
Driver licence offences	567	32	125	231	374	627	177	1,197	7,178	-	221	2,056	1,105	8	13,898
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	523	-	38	18	331	-	910
Regulatory driving offences	293	11	138	293	210	722	583	1,649	13,000	-	159	4,318	836	6	22,218
Total	860	43	263	524	584	1,349	760	2,846	20,701	-	418	6,392	2,272	14	37,026
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations															
Breach of custodial order offences	531	10	183	15	11	6	5	10	4	-	6	2	-	197	980
Breach of community-based order	548	10	54	273	276	211	659	558	347	1	130	23	28	1,458	4,576
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	409	1	12	174	75	137	519	785	642	4	195	324	160	-	3,437
Offences against government operations	3	-	-	1	2	3	-	22	548	-	5	30	76	-	690
Offences against government security	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	5
Offences against justice procedures	143	2	10	25	24	49	148	359	1,001	1	65	250	98	-	2,175
Total	1,635	23	259	488	388	406	1,331	1,736	2,543	6	401	630	362	1,655	11,863
Miscellaneous offences															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Public health and safety offences	32	-	2	7	3	8	45	59	703	-	51	111	95	-	1,116
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	8	249	-	-	30	42	-	332
Other miscellaneous offences	9	-	-	3	6	5	4	24	191	-	1	17	25	-	285
Total	42	-	2	11	10	15	49	92	1,143	-	52	158	162	-	1,736
Grand total	7,403	130	880	2,668	1,992	3,634	6,526	13,455	38,837	16	1,783	13,538	4,838	1,673	97,373

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 1,653 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 1 person who was ordered to pay compensation, 4 persons with a probation order under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987, 15 persons with an offence dismissed with caution under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987 or Young Offenders Act 1997.

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
	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	
Opiates															
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	26	1	-	7	10	3	10	7	2	1	1	1	-	69	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	12	-	-	3	2	1	25	33	234	-	19	14	13	356	
Use illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	12	-	2	-	1	19	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	40	1	-	10	12	4	37	41	249	1	22	15	14	446	
Cannabis															
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	61	2	12	43	21	38	45	61	15	-	-	7	1	306	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Cultivate illicit drugs	12	1	2	26	13	25	66	175	250	-	5	74	25	674	
Possess illicit drugs	34	-	-	9	5	11	140	164	2,685	1	171	304	240	3,764	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	9	-	1	1	3	15	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	
Total	107	3	15	78	39	74	251	401	2,961	1	177	386	269	4,762	

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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				
Hallucinogens																	
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	30	-	-	23	7	-	-	62	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	3	31	-	-	23	7	-	-	67	
Amphetamines																	
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	60	-	6	24	7	22	20	23	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	170	
Manufacture illicit drugs	6	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	20	-	1	10	6	5	70	79	885	-	36	177	86	-	-	1,375	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	8	-	-	-	1	-	-	10	
Other illicit drug offences	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Total	88	-	7	35	13	27	92	102	898	-	36	181	88	-	-	1,567	

Barbiturates												
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
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	1	2	23	-	-	-	-	-	53	88
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	2	2	24	-	-	-	-	-	53	91
Cocaine												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	4	1	3	4	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	20
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	2	-	6	15	129	-	-	-	1	179	47	379
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	6	1	3	10	131	-	-	-	1	182	47	401
Ecstasy												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	5	-	4	11	6	-	-	-	-	13	-	57
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	1	2	335	-	-	-	9	698	345	1,416
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	5
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	5	-	5	13	341	-	-	-	9	713	348	1,479

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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	Total	
Other drug															
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	6	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	6	
Unknown															
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	15	-	8	3	-	29	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	1	2	22	18	163	-	15	28	12	262	
Total	1	-	-	2	2	24	427	620	4,819	2	260	1,591	798	9,113	
Grand total	247	5	22	125	74	123	427	620	4,819	2	260	1,591	798	9,113	

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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)	
Homicide and related offences															
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Acts intended to cause injury															
Assault	642	1	35	207	73	162	415	605	240	2	17	157	12	-	2,568
Other acts intended to cause injury	165	-	3	45	20	27	122	164	62	-	5	29	-	-	642
Total	807	1	38	252	93	189	537	769	302	2	22	186	12	-	3,210
Sexual assault and related offences															
Sexual assault	23	-	1	1	1	2	6	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	39
Non-assaultive sexual offences	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Total	28	-	1	1	1	2	6	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	44
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	14	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	82	-	5	12	12	10	17	28	92	-	3	5	3	-	269
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total	82	-	5	12	12	10	18	28	94	-	3	5	3	-	272
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	43	-	1	9	9	13	22	39	15	-	3	5	1	-	160
Total	43	-	1	9	9	13	22	39	15	-	3	5	1	-	160

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence																Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	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)			
Robbery, extortion and related offences																	
Robbery	12	-	1	6	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Total	12	-	1	6	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	236	-	8	28	6	22	33	28	6	-	3	1	1	-	-	372	
Theft and related offences																	
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	84	-	2	8	4	1	18	17	8	-	1	2	-	-	-	145	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	234	1	6	45	23	24	98	120	274	-	20	27	7	-	-	879	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	94	-	3	14	12	18	63	91	136	-	19	6	-	-	-	456	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	412	1	11	67	39	43	179	228	418	-	40	35	7	-	-	1,480	
Fraud, deception and related offences																	
Obtain benefit by deception	60	-	2	7	7	17	25	33	38	-	2	7	-	-	-	198	
Forgery and counterfeiting	1	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	
Other fraud and deception offences	3	-	-	-	2	1	-	4	17	-	6	2	-	-	-	35	
Total	64	-	2	7	10	19	25	38	56	-	8	9	1	-	-	239	
Illicit drug offences																	
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	46	1	2	11	6	8	6	19	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	104	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	3	-	-	5	4	2	5	15	15	-	1	1	1	-	-	52	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	23	-	-	7	1	4	41	51	802	1	63	37	27	-	-	1,057	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	6	20	-	3	-	1	-	-	36	
Total	72	1	2	24	11	14	57	91	841	1	68	38	29	-	-	1,249	
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences																	
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	4	1	-	1	-	1	2	4	10	-	-	3	1	-	-	27	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	8	-	-	-	3	1	2	10	8	-	1	5	1	-	-	39	
Total	12	1	-	1	3	2	4	14	18	-	1	8	2	-	-	66	

Property damage and environmental pollution															
Property damage	68	-	-	9	7	29	99	142	248	-	22	55	11	1	691
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	1	-	2	-	13
Total	68	-	-	9	7	29	99	142	258	-	23	55	13	1	704
Public order offences															
Disorderly conduct	133	-	5	45	9	25	59	80	155	1	32	17	10	-	571
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	34	-	1	1	2	-	44
Offensive conduct	23	-	-	3	3	8	30	46	274	1	34	17	19	-	458
Total	156	-	5	49	12	33	93	127	463	2	67	35	31	-	1,073
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences															
Driver licence offences	148	3	21	55	57	92	43	160	878	-	59	171	73	4	1,764
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	-	2	-	2	-	46
Regulatory driving offences	75	-	14	62	22	65	76	131	628	-	14	109	8	1	1,205
Total	223	3	35	117	79	157	119	291	1,548	-	75	280	83	5	3,015
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations															
Breach of custodial order offences	203	1	39	5	1	3	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	55	311
Breach of community-based order	212	-	11	92	60	56	187	100	65	-	41	1	6	300	1,131
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	188	1	3	53	14	31	167	176	159	2	50	36	22	-	902
Offences against government operations	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	13	-	3	-	-	-	19
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	57	-	2	5	4	12	49	67	186	-	15	19	6	-	422
Total	661	2	55	155	79	103	404	345	424	2	110	56	34	355	2,785
Miscellaneous offences															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	8	-	-	1	-	1	9	10	88	-	6	5	5	-	133
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
Other miscellaneous offences	4	-	-	2	-	2	-	10	17	-	1	-	2	-	38
Total	12	-	-	3	-	3	9	20	109	-	7	5	7	-	175
Grand total	2,888	9	164	740	362	640	1,608	2,165	4,552	7	430	718	225	361	14,869

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 354 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 1 person who was ordered to pay compensation, 1 person with a probation order under the Children (Criminal Proceedi

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 \$	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 \$
Homicide and related offences														
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	5.5	-	11.5	11.5	125.0	22.1	500	-	-	-	-	22.1	500	
Total	5.5	-	11.5	11.5	125.0	22.1	500	-	-	-	-	22.1	500	
Acts intended to cause injury														
Assault	6.2	7.2	12.1	10.0	141.2	14.6	620	-	-	-	-	14.6	620	
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.2	-	10.4	9.6	119.0	15.0	588	-	-	-	-	15.0	588	
Total	6.0	7.2	11.9	9.9	137.6	14.7	615	-	-	-	-	14.7	615	
Sexual assault and related offences														
Sexual assault	8.3	-	12.5	12.1	166.7	20.6	1,204	-	-	-	-	20.6	1,204	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	8.2	-	12.5	12.6	58.5	20.9	267	-	-	-	-	20.9	267	
Total	8.3	-	12.5	12.3	151.2	20.7	853	-	-	-	-	20.7	853	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>														
Total	8.5	-	12.5	12.9	200.0	23.7	-	-	-	-	-	23.7	-	
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons														
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	7.1	8.1	9.9	9.4	148.9	15.7	549	-	-	-	-	15.7	549	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	6.0	-	-	18.0	200.0	18.0	611	-	-	-	-	18.0	611	
Total	7.1	8.1	9.9	9.5	149.2	15.8	550	-	-	-	-	15.8	550	
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person														
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	5.1	6.0	6.0	13.1	118.7	15.1	585	-	-	-	-	15.1	585	
Total	5.0	6.0	6.0	13.1	118.7	15.1	585	-	-	-	-	15.1	585	

Robbery, extortion and related offences									
Robbery	7.4	-	12.8	11.3	110.0	19.9	-	-	-
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	12.0	12.0	-	12.0	-	-	-
Total	7.4	-	12.6	11.3	110.0	19.5	-	-	-
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter									
Total	8.3	7.5	13.2	11.5	157.6	18.6	-	-	837
Theft and related offences									
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.7	-	11.0	9.6	196.3	16.1	562	-	-
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.7	4.7	9.4	8.3	113.6	13.7	468	-	-
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4.3	7.0	6.3	7.5	127.2	14.3	506	-	-
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-	-	-
Total	5.0	5.6	8.1	8.2	124.4	14.0	482	-	-
Fraud, deception and related offences									
Obtain benefit by deception	6.5	8.4	11.0	12.8	149.8	16.6	651	-	-
Forgery and counterfeiting	8.9	10.0	11.7	10.5	188.9	19.4	933	-	-
Deceptive business/government practices	6.0	-	-	-	150.0	15.6	1,962	-	-
Other fraud and deception offences	7.9	12.0	12.0	11.5	147.5	16.6	817	-	-
Total	6.7	8.9	11.2	12.6	151.0	16.7	837	-	-
Illicit drug offences									
Import or export illicit drugs	6.0	-	-	12.0	-	36.0	600	-	-
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.1	7.3	11.1	10.1	174.0	18.7	717	-	-
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	6.3	6.0	10.0	10.2	179.6	16.1	563	-	-
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2.8	-	6.0	7.1	102.1	12.9	375	-	-
Other illicit drug offences	5.0	-	-	7.0	47.5	14.1	312	-	-
Total	5.2	7.0	10.7	9.5	162.0	13.8	385	-	-
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences									
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	6.2	6.0	7.3	8.1	160.4	15.2	587	-	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	7.3	-	10.4	12.0	163.2	14.2	514	-	-
Total	6.9	6.0	9.0	10.3	161.9	14.6	543	-	-
Property damage and environmental pollution									
Property damage	4.5	8.0	9.4	9.4	109.2	12.7	473	-	-
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	5,861	-	-
Total	4.5	8.0	9.4	9.4	109.2	12.7	832	-	-

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence							Average \$
	Average months	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	
Public order offences								
Disorderly conduct	6.4	7.3	13.0	10.3	169.4	16.4	398	
Regulated public order offences	2.5	-	-	5.7	200.0	12.4	540	
Offensive conduct	3.1	-	-	5.1	89.4	12.4	405	
Total	5.9	7.3	13.0	9.8	160.1	14.9	422	
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences								
Driver licence offences	6.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	131.0	14.0	524	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	395	
Regulatory driving offences	5.7	5.5	9.7	9.9	147.0	14.3	745	
Total	5.9	6.6	9.8	10.0	139.6	14.2	660	
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations								
Breach of custodial order offences	4.8	7.6	10.5	9.1	100.0	13.8	475	
Breach of community-based order	3.7	6.0	6.0	8.2	100.6	16.5	1,210	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	4.1	3.0	7.8	8.4	110.0	14.0	430	
Offences against government operations	8.3	-	-	11.0	266.7	14.8	2,686	
Offences against government security	12.0	-	-	-	-	24.0	500	
Offences against justice procedures	4.2	7.5	6.9	7.9	136.7	13.7	511	
Total	4.2	6.7	9.3	8.3	109.3	14.8	1,055	
Miscellaneous offences								
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	12.0	-	-	8.0	-	12.0	-	
Public health and safety offences	2.5	-	8.5	6.7	123.1	12.7	1,205	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	10.0	140.0	12.3	1,314	
Other miscellaneous offences	4.8	-	-	14.7	144.0	15.3	2,936	
Total	3.2	-	8.5	10.3	132.3	13.1	1,518	
Grand total	5.6	7.2	10.2	9.7	137.1	14.5	658	

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 1.11

**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							
	Average months	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Average hours	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine
Homicide and related offences								
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acts intended to cause injury								
Assault	6.4	9.0	12.3	10.2	135.0	15.2	554	
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.5	-	9.7	9.9	125.3	15.4	533	
Total	6.2	9.0	12.1	10.1	133.6	15.3	550	
Sexual assault and related offences								
Sexual assault	6.4	-	12.0	10.5	200.0	20.7	-	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	6.9	-	12.0	10.5	200.0	20.7	-	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	6.7	-	-	-	-	20.3	-	
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons								
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	8.0	-	10.4	10.9	125.5	14.7	513	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	48.0	800	
Total	8.0	-	10.4	10.9	125.5	15.4	519	
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person								
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	5.2	-	6.0	12.3	101.2	15.9	480	
Total	5.2	-	6.0	12.3	101.2	15.9	480	

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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 \$	
Robbery, extortion and related offences								
Robbery	7.6	-	12.0	10.8	30.0	19.5	-	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	
Total	7.6	-	12.0	11.0	30.0	19.5	-	
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	8.3	-	15.8	12.5	137.3	17.5	1,008	
Theft and related offences								
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.6	-	14.5	10.6	75.0	17.2	550	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.7	5.0	9.7	8.0	95.4	13.8	453	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4.0	-	5.5	6.0	114.7	14.5	444	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	4.9	5.0	9.4	7.8	103.0	14.4	452	
Fraud, deception and related offences								
Obtain benefit by deception	5.3	-	9.0	11.1	142.9	15.5	474	
Forgery and counterfeiting	12.0	-	-	12.0	100.0	18.0	-	
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	500	
Other fraud and deception offences	8.0	-	-	10.5	150.0	13.0	368	
Total	5.5	-	9.0	11.1	141.1	15.4	442	
Illicit drug offences								
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	6.1	6.0	16.5	9.2	160.0	15.0	413	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	6.0	-	-	9.6	200.0	17.1	605	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1.9	-	-	6.5	100.0	12.7	359	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	8.0	-	13.9	285	
Total	4.7	6.0	16.5	8.7	148.6	13.6	362	
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences								
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	7.4	6.0	-	3.0	150.0	15.7	575	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	6.7	-	-	10.0	150.0	12.9	350	
Total	6.9	6.0	-	8.3	150.0	13.8	475	

Property damage and environmental pollution									
Property damage	4.2	-	-	7.9	105.0	12.8	425		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	338		
Total	4.2	-	-	7.9	105.0	12.8	422		
Public order offences									
Disorderly conduct	6.7	-	12.8	10.2	169.2	17.0	338		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	4.0	-	15.0	292		
Offensive conduct	2.7	-	-	5.2	86.8	11.6	330		
Total	6.1	-	12.8	9.6	149.2	15.0	330		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences									
Driver licence offences	6.2	6.3	9.2	10.2	139.3	14.4	494		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	366		
Regulatory driving offences	6.2	-	10.7	10.3	152.6	15.2	567		
Total	6.2	6.3	9.8	10.3	144.8	14.7	520		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations									
Breach of custodial order offences	4.9	9.0	10.8	7.7	83.3	18.0	250		
Breach of community-based order	3.6	-	6.8	8.3	98.9	16.6	541		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	4.2	3.0	9.3	8.4	100.3	14.2	399		
Offences against government operations	9.0	-	-	-	100.0	24.0	1,806		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Offences against justice procedures	4.3	-	7.5	6.3	118.3	13.8	422		
Total	4.3	6.0	9.8	8.3	101.2	15.0	474		
Miscellaneous offences									
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Public health and safety offences	1.6	-	-	4.0	250.0	13.6	663		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,125		
Other miscellaneous offences	6.7	-	-	22.5	110.0	13.2	1,252		
Total	3.3	-	-	16.3	156.7	13.5	772		
Grand total	5.7	6.3	10.8	9.6	128.7	14.8	463		

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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	
Homicide and related offences																											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	1	6	3	6	6	6	3	6	6	6	6	6	3	8	8	3	3	8	8	-	-	-	33	47.1	
Total	-	-	1	6	3	6	6	6	3	6	6	6	6	6	3	8	8	3	3	8	8	-	-	-	33	47.1	
Acts intended to cause injury																											
Assault	1	377	514	2,376	1,911	3,287	2,308	893	171	169	1	12,008	34.2														
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	69	104	463	490	919	710	187	33	39	1	3,015	35.0														
Total	1	446	618	2,839	2,401	4,206	3,018	1,080	204	208	2	15,023	34.4														
Sexual assault and related offences																											
Sexual assault	1	2	1	37	31	76	54	33	14	28	-	277	41.6														
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	4	1	8	16	24	25	23	5	5	-	111	41.3														
Total	1	6	2	45	47	100	79	56	19	33	-	388	41.5														
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																											
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1	5	2	20	19	38	36	29	9	18	-	177	42.7														
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	95	162	160	687	484	699	476	276	77	121	3	3,240	34.1														
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	5	4	18	9	1	-	-	-	38	35.0														
Total	95	162	161	692	488	717	485	277	77	121	3	3,278	34.1														
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person																											
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.													
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	25.9														
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	16	26	128	103	191	142	39	11	7	-	663	34.2														
Total	-	16	26	128	104	191	142	39	11	7	-	664	34.2														

Robbery, extortion and related offences													
Robbery	-	7	7	19	15	22	3	2	-	1	-	76	28.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	33.9
Total	-	7	7	20	15	24	3	2	-	1	-	79	28.4
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter													
	-	45	70	238	186	322	166	34	2	1	-	1,064	31.2
Theft and related offences													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	2	31	45	139	54	101	46	10	-	1	-	429	28.2
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	149	143	677	607	1,089	667	222	65	50	-	3,669	33.8
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	1	51	83	357	319	598	363	98	11	11	-	1,892	33.2
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	19.3
Total	3	231	272	1,173	980	1,788	1,076	330	76	62	-	5,991	33.2
Fraud, deception and related offences													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	33	53	246	294	531	336	157	26	22	5	1,703	35.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	3	9	8	22	22	3	6	-	-	73	37.7
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	2	4	7	9	11	12	3	3	3	54	43.0
Other fraud and deception offences	2	16	27	84	84	155	98	49	12	6	1	534	34.9
Total	2	49	85	343	393	717	467	221	47	31	9	2,364	35.5
Illicit drug offences													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	6	37.1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	17	30	121	71	183	128	61	10	8	-	629	35.2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	7	8	53	64	174	171	160	33	12	-	682	41.9
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1	240	373	1,782	1,339	1,947	1,256	510	59	19	1	7,527	32.4
Other illicit drug offences	-	10	14	61	49	80	35	17	2	-	-	268	31.9
Total	1	274	426	2,017	1,523	2,386	1,592	749	104	39	1	9,112	33.3
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	15	15	75	49	86	78	24	6	6	-	354	34.1
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	14	17	89	74	112	119	69	29	40	-	563	39.7
Total	-	29	32	164	123	198	197	93	35	46	-	917	37.6
Property damage and environmental pollution													
Property damage	-	224	244	908	591	784	481	160	24	37	-	3,453	30.8
Environmental pollution	-	-	2	13	6	19	26	11	4	1	5	87	39.8
Total	-	224	246	921	597	803	507	171	28	38	5	3,540	31.0

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Gender: Total male and female													
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		Total
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Public order offences													
Disorderly conduct	1	123	160	606	346	508	326	86	10	13	-	2,179	30.6
Regulated public order offences	-	8	17	88	79	104	79	38	7	8	2	430	34.7
Offensive conduct	-	78	96	355	260	418	264	93	23	21	11	1,619	32.6
Total	1	209	273	1,049	685	1,030	669	217	40	42	13	4,228	31.8
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences													
Driver licence offences	347	484	672	3,391	2,471	3,367	1,970	843	169	179	3	13,896	32.0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	8	13	22	107	109	226	190	128	38	24	11	876	38.9
Regulatory driving offences	193	474	574	3,534	3,226	5,087	4,152	2,589	694	673	42	21,238	37.0
Total	548	971	1,268	7,032	5,806	8,680	6,312	3,560	901	876	56	36,010	35.1
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	6	24	182	199	329	199	33	3	5	-	980	33.3
Breach of community-based order	8	48	183	1,058	786	1,353	796	257	41	34	2	4,566	33.1
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	66	65	412	498	1,091	912	299	44	49	1	3,437	36.7
Offences against government operations	-	1	1	10	13	86	173	128	46	33	19	510	48.2
Offences against government security	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	5	41.0
Offences against justice procedures	6	84	121	545	379	536	321	119	34	18	-	2,163	32.0
Total	14	205	395	2,207	1,875	3,397	2,401	837	168	140	22	11,661	34.6
Miscellaneous offences													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	42.3
Public health and safety offences	-	18	29	152	132	284	202	91	17	27	94	1,046	36.4
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	12	30	85	78	62	22	17	-	306	44.5
Other miscellaneous offences	-	3	1	21	31	44	41	34	12	10	78	275	41.2
Total	-	21	30	185	193	414	323	187	51	54	172	1,630	38.8
Grand total	666	2,895	3,912	19,059	15,419	24,979	17,443	7,853	1,766	1,707	283	95,982	34.4

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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.

Note: Excluded from this table are 1,335 companies (included in Table 1.7), 56 persons with unknown gender (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**

Gender: Male												
Age (Years)												
Type of principal offence	Average age											
	Under 18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	Total
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Homicide and related offences												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	1	5	2	5	6	-	2	6	-	27
Total	-	-	1	5	2	5	6	-	2	6	-	27
Acts intended to cause injury												
Assault	1	269	390	1,841	1,508	2,607	1,834	720	147	149	-	9,466
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	56	88	412	436	834	616	167	30	37	-	2,676
Total	1	325	478	2,253	1,944	3,441	2,450	887	177	186	-	12,142
Sexual assault and related offences												
Sexual assault	1	2	-	37	31	76	51	33	14	28	-	273
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	4	1	7	16	24	25	23	5	5	-	110
Total	1	6	1	44	47	100	76	56	19	33	-	383
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	1	5	1	19	19	38	36	29	9	18	-	175
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	75	142	138	586	396	567	369	203	59	87	3	2,625
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	4	3	8	4	-	-	-	-	20
Total	75	142	139	590	399	575	373	203	59	87	3	2,645
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	12	19	110	93	164	118	35	9	6	-	566
Total	-	12	19	110	94	164	118	35	9	6	-	567

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TABLE 1.12a continued

Gender: Male												
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	Average age
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
Robbery, extortion and related offences												
Robbery	-	6	6	18	13	22	2	1	-	1	-	69
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total	-	6	6	19	13	23	2	1	-	1	-	71
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter												
	-	40	58	214	170	283	139	31	2	1	-	938
Theft and related offences												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	2	25	40	120	47	88	35	9	-	1	-	367
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	116	107	446	347	676	397	121	34	25	-	2,269
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	1	41	65	262	225	425	264	69	9	10	-	1,371
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	3	182	213	828	619	1,189	696	199	43	36	-	4,008
Fraud, deception and related offences												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	28	44	177	181	322	210	92	19	13	5	1,091
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	3	7	5	13	17	2	4	-	-	51
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	2	4	7	7	10	10	2	3	2	47
Other fraud and deception offences	2	9	17	49	53	112	65	34	7	3	1	352
Total	2	37	66	237	246	454	302	138	32	19	8	1,541
Illicit drug offences												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	5
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	15	26	101	51	135	98	50	8	8	-	492
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	7	6	46	59	151	147	135	29	11	-	591
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1	210	310	1,468	1,088	1,614	1,049	432	45	16	1	6,234
Other illicit drug offences	-	9	13	44	34	62	30	14	2	-	-	208
Total	1	241	356	1,659	1,232	1,964	1,325	632	84	35	1	7,530
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	14	15	69	44	76	70	23	6	6	-	323
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	10	17	82	67	105	114	64	27	35	-	521
Total	-	24	32	151	111	181	184	87	33	41	-	844

Property damage and environmental pollution													
Property damage	-	201	222	789	496	649	375	137	15	32	-	2,916	30.5
Environmental pollution	-	-	1	10	4	14	18	10	4	1	4	66	40.8
Total	-	201	223	799	500	663	393	147	19	33	4	2,982	30.7
Public order offences													
Disorderly conduct	1	108	143	527	276	402	258	69	8	12	-	1,804	30.2
Regulated public order offences	-	8	15	84	74	95	64	32	5	8	2	387	34.1
Offensive conduct	-	64	89	301	213	321	210	75	18	18	8	1,317	32.3
Total	1	180	247	912	563	818	532	176	31	38	10	3,508	31.4
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences													
Driver licence offences	299	411	568	2,659	1,943	2,591	1,539	669	147	157	3	10,986	31.9
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	6	12	14	72	75	173	143	97	29	22	9	652	39.5
Regulatory driving offences	163	384	476	2,879	2,603	4,068	3,186	2,058	586	575	40	17,018	37.0
Total	468	807	1,058	5,610	4,621	6,832	4,868	2,824	762	754	52	28,656	35.1
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	6	22	164	169	256	166	27	2	4	-	816	33.0
Breach of community-based order	8	43	155	880	603	1,059	616	210	34	28	1	3,637	32.9
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	53	55	358	416	949	782	251	35	38	1	2,938	36.6
Offences against government operations	-	1	1	9	9	71	143	107	31	32	15	419	48.2
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	3	50.8
Offences against justice procedures	6	69	93	446	291	405	234	86	29	16	-	1,675	31.7
Total	14	172	326	1,857	1,488	2,741	1,941	682	131	119	17	9,488	34.5
Miscellaneous offences													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	42.3
Public health and safety offences	-	18	26	129	101	226	147	62	15	25	54	803	36.0
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	8	25	74	65	49	18	12	-	251	44.1
Other miscellaneous offences	-	3	1	16	28	41	35	29	11	8	32	204	41.1
Total	-	21	27	153	154	342	249	140	44	45	86	1,261	38.5
Grand total	566	2,396	3,250	15,441	12,203	19,775	13,654	6,238	1,447	1,440	181	76,591	34.3

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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.	Years
Homicide and related offences														
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	6	51.4
Total	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	1	2	-	6	51.4
Acts intended to cause injury														
Assault	-	108	124	535	403	680	474	173	24	20	20	1	2,542	33.2
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	13	16	51	54	85	94	20	3	2	2	1	339	34.6
Total	-	121	140	586	457	765	568	193	27	22	22	2	2,881	33.3
Sexual assault and related offences														
Sexual assault	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	4	37.7
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24.1
Total	-	-	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	5	35.0
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>														
	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	21.8
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons														
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	20	20	22	101	88	132	107	73	18	34	-	-	615	37.0
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	1	1	10	5	1	-	-	-	-	18	37.5
Total	20	20	22	102	89	142	112	74	18	34	-	-	633	37.1
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person														
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	4	7	18	10	27	24	4	2	1	1	-	97	34.2
Total	-	4	7	18	10	27	24	4	2	1	1	-	97	34.2

Robbery, extortion and related offences													
Robbery	-	1	1	1	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	7	29.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	38.7
Total	-	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	-	-	-	8	31.0
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter													
Theft and related offences													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	6	5	19	7	13	11	1	-	-	-	62	29.4
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	33	36	231	260	413	270	101	31	25	-	1,400	35.0
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	10	18	95	94	173	99	29	2	1	-	521	33.3
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	-	49	59	345	361	599	380	131	33	26	-	1,983	34.4
Fraud, deception and related offences													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	5	9	69	113	209	126	65	7	9	-	612	36.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	2	3	9	5	1	2	-	-	22	38.3
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	1	7	49.1
Other fraud and deception offences	-	7	10	35	31	43	33	15	5	3	-	182	34.1
Total	-	12	19	106	147	263	165	83	15	12	1	823	36.0
Illicit drug offences													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	43.2
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	2	4	20	20	48	30	11	2	-	-	137	35.3
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	2	7	5	23	24	25	4	1	-	91	42.9
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	30	63	314	251	333	207	78	14	3	-	1,293	32.3
Other illicit drug offences	-	1	1	17	15	18	5	3	-	-	-	60	31.1
Total	-	33	70	358	291	422	267	117	20	4	-	1,582	33.2
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	6	5	10	8	1	-	-	-	31	33.3
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	4	-	7	7	7	5	5	2	5	-	42	39.0
Total	-	5	-	13	12	17	13	6	2	5	-	73	36.6
Property damage and environmental pollution													
Property damage	-	23	22	119	95	135	106	23	9	5	-	537	32.8
Environmental pollution	-	-	1	3	2	5	8	1	-	-	1	21	36.9
Total	-	23	23	122	97	140	114	24	9	5	1	558	33.0

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TABLE 1.12b continued

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	Average age
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
Public order offences												
Disorderly conduct	-	15	17	79	70	106	68	17	2	1	-	37.5
Regulated public order offences	-	-	2	4	5	9	15	6	2	-	-	43
Offensive conduct	-	14	7	54	47	97	54	18	5	3	3	33.8
Total	-	29	26	137	122	212	137	41	9	4	3	33.3
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences												
Driver licence offences	48	73	104	732	528	776	431	174	22	22	-	2,910
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	2	1	8	35	34	53	47	31	9	2	2	224
Regulatory driving offences	30	90	98	655	623	1,019	966	531	108	98	2	4,220
Total	80	164	210	1,422	1,185	1,848	1,444	736	139	122	4	7,354
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	2	18	30	73	33	6	1	1	-	164
Breach of community-based order	-	5	28	178	183	294	180	47	7	6	1	929
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	13	10	54	82	142	130	48	9	11	-	499
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	1	4	15	30	21	15	1	4	91
Offences against government security	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Offences against justice procedures	-	15	28	99	88	131	87	33	5	2	-	488
Total	-	33	69	350	387	656	460	155	37	21	5	2,173
Miscellaneous offences												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	3	23	31	58	55	29	2	2	40	243
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	4	5	11	13	13	4	5	-	55
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	5	3	3	6	5	1	2	46	71
Total	-	-	3	32	39	72	74	47	7	9	86	369
Grand total	100	499	662	3,618	3,216	5,204	3,789	1,615	319	267	102	19,391
Grand total												34.7

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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)	
Outcome of appearance												
Proceeded to defended hearing	12,470	43.0	108.0	2,402	45.0	104.5	14,872	43.0	107.0			
All charges dismissed	4,441	33.0	104.0	174	4.0	67.0	4,615	31.0	102.0			
Guilty of at least one charge	7,282	48.0	109.0	2,101	50.0	109.0	9,383	48.0	109.0			
Other (b)	747	38.0	129.0	127	31.0	120.0	874	37.0	128.0			
Proven outcome not further described (c)	1,669	474.5	0.0	344	411.5	0.0	2,013	465.0	0.0			
Sentenced after guilty plea	62,457	34.0	28.0	3,671	31.0	69.0	66,128	34.0	28.0			
Convicted ex parte	15,317	40.0	0.0				15,317	40.0	0.0			
All charges dismissed without hearing	5,878	29.0	86.0	145	5.0	59.0	6,023	28.0	85.0			
All charges otherwise disposed of	303	47.0	2.0	270	26.0	56.0	573	36.0	29.0			

(a) Excluded from this table are 2,697 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 1,532 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.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

TABLE 1.14

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

	Prior proven offences in the previous 10 years						Total	
	No prior proven offences		Prior proven offences not the same type		Prior proven offences of same type without custodial penalty			Prior proven offences of same type with custodial penalty
Type of principal offence	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Homicide and related offences	25	78.1	7	21.9	-	-	-	-
Acts intended to cause injury	5,520	36.8	3,849	25.7	3,951	26.4	1,666	11.1
Sexual assault and related offences	201	52.1	149	38.6	23	6.0	13	3.4
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1,727	52.8	1,186	36.2	282	8.6	77	2.4
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	170	23.8	456	64.0	61	8.6	26	3.6
Robbery, extortion and related offences	11	14.1	54	69.2	4	5.1	9	11.5
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	132	12.6	492	47.1	104	10.0	316	30.3
Theft and related offences	1,344	22.5	1,562	26.2	1,703	28.6	1,352	22.7
Fraud, deception and related offences	997	42.2	913	38.7	336	14.2	114	4.8
Illicit drug offences	3,318	36.5	2,652	29.2	2,768	30.4	359	3.9
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	442	48.4	418	45.7	42	4.6	12	1.3
Property damage and environmental pollution	1,279	36.3	1,319	37.5	733	20.8	191	5.4
Public order offences	1,228	29.1	1,315	31.2	1,362	32.3	315	7.5
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	17,377	48.3	4,472	12.4	13,230	36.8	888	2.5
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	1,624	14.2	3,312	29.1	4,495	39.4	1,967	17.3
Miscellaneous offences	719	44.0	657	40.2	233	14.3	26	1.6
Total	36,114	37.8	22,813	23.9	29,327	30.7	7,331	7.7
								100.0

(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.

TABLE 1.15

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

<i>Statistical Area 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>
Greater Sydney:				
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	259	115.1	41	18.2
Blacktown	1,446	441.1	299	91.2
Central Coast	1,050	320.0	263	80.2
City and Inner South	803	271.9	227	76.9
Eastern Suburbs	428	155.0	112	40.5
Inner South West	1,398	246.4	205	36.1
Inner West	504	174.7	81	28.1
North Sydney and Hornsby	343	84.3	67	16.5
Northern Beaches	269	103.9	67	25.9
Outer South West	1,049	416.0	178	70.6
Outer West and Blue Mountains	1,086	356.0	177	58.0
Parramatta	1,314	301.3	262	60.1
Ryde	190	107.3	35	19.8
South West	1,366	350.5	175	44.9
Sutherland	371	166.7	77	34.6
Capital Region	787	358.9	246	112.2
Central West	1,092	525.5	316	152.1
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	664	489.3	182	134.1
Far West and Orana	1,187	997.6	364	305.9
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	1,159	445.0	338	129.8
Illawarra	922	313.5	191	64.9
Mid North Coast	1,136	538.1	294	139.3
Murray	583	507.5	216	188.0
New England and North West	1,160	626.3	332	179.3
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	1,389	380.9	339	93.0
Richmond - Tweed	1,022	425.9	273	113.8
Riverina	1,001	639.0	381	243.2
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	569	393.9	116	80.3
Total	25,535 (d)	344.6	6,022 (e)	81.3

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

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

(c) The population data used to calculate rates are from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication **Regional Population Growth Australia 2013**, Catalogue no. 3218.0.

(d) Total includes 480 people whose residence was recorded as interstate and 508 people whose residence was recorded as unknown.

(e) Total includes 87 people whose residence was recorded as interstate and 81 people whose residence was recorded as unknown.

TABLE 1.16**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED LOCAL COURT APPEARANCES:
STATISTICAL AREA (a) OF RESIDENCE**

<i>Statistical Area of residence</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>Rate (b) per 100,000 population</i>
Greater Sydney:		
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	1,906	847.2
Blacktown	5,517	1,683.1
Central Coast	4,322	1,317.2
City and Inner South	5,559	1,882.2
Eastern Suburbs	2,946	1,066.5
Inner South West	6,409	1,129.5
Inner West	2,679	928.4
North Sydney and Hornsby	2,149	527.9
Northern Beaches	2,071	799.8
Outer South West	4,464	1,770.3
Outer West and Blue Mountains	4,064	1,332.3
Parramatta	6,245	1,431.8
Ryde	1,037	585.9
South West	6,408	1,644.3
Sutherland	2,064	927.2
Capital Region	3,044	1,388.0
Central West	3,590	1,727.5
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	2,250	1,658.1
Far West and Orana	3,133	2,633.1
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	4,423	1,698.3
Illawarra	3,854	1,310.5
Mid North Coast	3,829	1,813.7
Murray	1,763	1,534.5
New England and North West	3,451	1,863.3
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	5,017	1,375.8
Richmond - Tweed	3,557	1,482.2
Riverina	2,906	1,855.1
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	1,914	1,324.9
New South Wales	100,571	1,357.2

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

(b) The population data used to calculate rates are from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication **Regional Population Growth Australia 2013**, Catalogue no. 3218.0.

Note: Excluded from this table are 3,772 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,703 people whose residence was unknown and 3,109 people who were in custody.

TABLE 1.17

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

Less than 10 persons found guilty.

Statistical Area 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	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																
Greater Sydney:	-	95.6	2.2	36.4	4.9	0.4	4.9	29.8	18.2	68.9	9.3	17.3	30.2	353.8	61.8	20.9	
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	-	266.3	6.7	44.8	6.4	0.9	11.9	103.4	42.1	97.9	12.5	55.8	66.5	568.0	184.9	19.5	
Blacktown	0.6	183.5	5.2	39.9	9.4	0.9	11.0	61.0	27.4	84.4	5.2	50.3	43.9	487.3	170.1	12.8	
Central Coast	0.3	224.8	6.4	31.8	8.8	1.0	14.6	213.7	45.7	321.0	5.1	59.9	116.1	341.3	194.4	49.4	
City and Inner South	0.4	110.4	7.2	26.4	5.1	2.2	6.9	65.5	22.4	140.1	5.4	33.3	55.8	355.5	77.1	18.5	
Eastern Suburbs	0.4	137.1	5.5	43.5	5.6	0.4	7.2	63.6	32.3	91.3	8.6	30.3	35.1	386.3	105.2	28.9	
Inner South West	0.3	106.7	2.8	26.3	4.2	0.3	7.3	55.1	22.5	83.9	7.6	32.6	34.0	331.0	91.1	16.3	
Inner West	-	52.8	1.2	18.9	2.5	0.2	1.5	16.2	11.8	51.6	4.2	11.5	16.2	219.1	46.7	9.8	
North Sydney and Hornsby	0.4	79.2	2.7	25.1	3.5	1.9	2.3	32.4	13.5	78.4	3.1	20.9	28.6	361.1	59.5	13.1	
Northern Beaches	1.2	257.4	5.6	58.3	12.3	0.8	17.1	107.9	42.4	117.8	17.1	72.6	64.6	594.5	203.0	23.8	
Outer South West	1.3	201.6	3.9	47.5	6.9	-	11.5	62.9	24.3	85.6	12.1	47.5	53.1	458.9	141.9	17.4	
Outer West and Blue Mountains	0.2	180.0	5.0	47.2	6.2	1.6	12.8	87.1	41.3	111.0	11.7	39.0	54.1	463.6	126.3	37.1	
Parramatta	-	75.1	1.1	20.9	1.7	0.6	1.7	31.6	19.2	55.9	2.3	17.5	24.3	224.3	45.8	12.4	
Ryde	0.5	224.5	5.6	57.7	7.4	1.8	11.8	113.9	43.6	131.6	16.4	44.4	59.0	565.1	157.0	26.2	
South West	0.4	95.7	4.5	29.2	6.3	1.3	6.3	53.5	20.2	98.4	4.9	25.2	48.1	321.2	86.7	18.9	

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TABLE 1.17 continued

Statistical Area 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	Property damage and environmental pollution	Public order offences	Traffic and vehicles regulatory offences	Against justice procedures, government security and government operations	Miscellaneous offences
	Rate per 100,000 population															
Capital Region	0.9	225.7	6.4	41.9	12.8	0.5	14.6	50.6	20.1	131.3	18.2	50.2	54.7	495.6	138.6	23.3
Central West	0.5	292.6	4.3	56.3	16.4	1.4	10.1	86.6	24.5	114.5	24.5	66.9	65.0	602.0	193.4	18.3
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	-	287.4	1.5	45.0	9.6	-	9.6	46.4	23.6	112.0	14.0	73.0	45.7	616.1	178.3	14.7
Far West and Orana	1.7	453.0	8.4	60.5	17.6	-	28.6	138.7	34.5	131.9	20.2	84.9	135.3	761.4	396.7	21.0
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	0.4	274.9	6.1	50.7	13.8	0.8	17.7	69.1	34.9	116.3	17.7	60.3	58.0	608.2	209.6	14.6
Illawarra	0.7	169.3	4.4	41.5	6.8	0.7	15.6	74.8	30.3	137.7	14.6	45.9	51.7	419.9	158.5	18.4
Mid North Coast	-	337.3	6.2	49.7	9.9	0.9	19.9	86.2	28.9	215.5	13.3	57.8	79.6	493.1	233.5	22.3
Murray	0.9	242.8	7.0	38.3	10.4	-	19.1	44.4	25.2	89.7	27.0	63.5	46.1	631.9	162.8	8.7
New England and North West	-	338.5	7.0	44.3	15.7	1.6	17.8	84.2	31.9	107.4	20.0	69.1	119.9	549.6	236.5	16.7
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	0.3	178.8	4.4	37.6	10.4	0.3	9.3	68.8	34.3	86.1	10.1	48.5	40.0	485.6	168.9	12.6
Richmond - Tweed	0.4	224.6	5.4	34.2	10.4	0.4	12.1	49.6	18.8	160.4	10.4	63.3	42.1	577.5	160.0	19.2
Riverina	-	270.0	5.1	53.6	11.5	1.3	14.0	60.0	25.5	98.9	20.4	66.4	66.4	771.1	211.3	16.6
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	-	188.3	0.7	47.8	11.1	-	15.2	51.2	28.4	112.8	16.6	56.1	48.5	437.5	176.5	11.8
New South Wales	0.4	191.4	4.8	40.7	8.1	0.8	11.0	72.8	29.1	114.0	11.5	45.3	53.3	460.7	145.9	20.6

Less than 10 persons found guilty.

(a) The population data used to calculate rates are from the Australian Bureau of Statistics publication **Regional Population Growth Australia 2013**, Catalogue no. 3218.0.

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

Note: Excluded from this table are 3,533 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,467 people whose residence was unknown and 2,673 people who were in custody.

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

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>	
Homicide and related offences			
Murder	0	0	0
Attempted murder	0	0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	0	0	0
Driving causing death	3	3	7
Total	3	3	7
Acts intended to cause injury			
Assault			
Serious assault resulting in injury	813	1,026	1,026
Serious assault not resulting in injury	374	493	493
Common assault	1,390	1,820	1,820
Stalking	627	783	783
Other acts intended to cause injury, other	24	34	34
Total	2,461	4,156	4,156
Sexual assault and related offences			
Sexual assault			
Aggravated sexual assault	113	322	322
Non-aggravated sexual assault	3	3	3
Non-assaultive sexual offences			
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	4	6	6
Child pornography offences	9	18	18
Sexual servitude offences	0	0	0
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	3	4	4
Total	123	353	353
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	17	19	19
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	174	247	247
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons			
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	1	1	1
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	2	2	2
Total	185	269	269

Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person		
Abduction and kidnapping		19
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment		0
Harassment and threatening behaviour		3
		132
		152
Total		189
Robbery, extortion and related offences		
Robbery	Aggravated robbery	513
	Non-aggravated robbery	82
	Blackmail and extortion	2
		564
		1,120
		2,171
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter		
Theft and related offences		
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	Theft of a motor vehicle	43
	Illegal use of a motor vehicle	479
	Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	0
	Theft from a person (excluding by force)	126
	Theft of intellectual property	0
	Theft from retail premises	481
	Theft (except motor vehicles), other	658
	Receive or handle proceeds of crime	652
	Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	0
		1,923
		3,454
Fraud, deception and related offences		
Obtain benefit by deception	Obtain benefit by deception	99
Forgery and counterfeiting	Counterfeiting of currency	1
	Forgery of documents	1
	Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	0
	Fraudulent trade practices	0
	Misrepresentation of professional status	2
	Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	0
	Dishonest conversion	8
	Other fraud and deception offences, other	20
		128
		420

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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>	
Illicit drug offences			
Import or export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	72	99	99
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	1	1	1
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	17	17	17
Cultivate illicit drugs	381	421	421
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2	2	2
Use illicit drugs	13	14	14
Other illicit drug offences	425	555	555
Total			
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	0	0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	20	23	23
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives	0	0	0
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other	27	78	78
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives	16	16	16
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives	1	1	1
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences	0	0	0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other	56	118	118
Total			
Property damage and environmental pollution			
Property damage	68	82	82
Property damage by fire or explosion	396	610	610
Graffiti	1,418	1,950	1,950
Property damage, other	0	0	0
Environmental pollution	0	0	0
Air pollution offences	0	0	0
Water pollution offences	0	0	0
Noise pollution offences	0	0	0
Soil pollution offences	0	0	0
Environmental pollution, other	3	3	3
Total	1,818	2,645	2,645

Public order offences		
Disorderly conduct		
	Trespass	616
	Criminal intent	261
	Riot and affray	476
	Disorderly conduct, other	2
	Betting and gambling offences	0
	Liquor and tobacco offences	20
	Censorship offences	0
	Prostitution offences	0
	Offences against public order sexual standards	7
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	3
	Regulated public order offences, other	3
	Offensive language	212
	Offensive behaviour	371
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0
	Cruelty to animals	13
	Total	1,691
		2,367
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences		
Driver licence offences		
	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	48
	Drive without a licence	289
	Driver licence offences, other	3
	Registration offences	128
	Roadworthiness offences (d)	0
	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	57
	Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0
	Parking offences (d)	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	114
	Pedestrian offences (d)	0
	Total	395
		726

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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>
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations				
Breach of custodial order offences		37	38	
Escape custody offences				38
Breach of home detention		0	0	0
Breach of suspended sentence		130	292	
Breach of community-based orders not further defined (e)		2	2	
Breach of community service order		83	140	
Breach of parole		0	0	0
Breach of bail		241	376	
Breach of bond - supervised (f)		1,193	4,002	
Breach of bond - unsupervised (f)		416	851	
Breach of community-based order, other		6	20	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders		564	717	
Breach of violence orders				717
Breach of non-violence orders		0	0	0
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)		8	9	
Offences against government operations				9
Bribery involving government officials		0	0	0
Immigration offences		0	0	0
Offences against government operations, other		2	2	
Offences against government security				2
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		10	10	
Offences against justice procedures				10
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official		496	592	
Prison regulation offences		5	5	
Offences against justice procedures, other		26	26	
Total		2,568	7,082	7,082

Miscellaneous offences			
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	Defamation and libel	0	0
	Offences against privacy	1	1
Public health and safety offences	Sanitation offences	0	0
	Disease prevention offences	0	0
	Occupational health and safety offences	0	0
	Transport regulation offences	4	4
	Dangerous substances offences	0	0
	Licit drug offences	17	22
	Public health and safety offences, other	11	13
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	Commercial/industry/financial regulation	0	0
Other miscellaneous offences	Environmental regulation offences	1	2
	Bribery excluding government officials	0	0
	Quarantine offences	0	0
	Import/export regulations	1	1
	Procure or commit illegal abortion	0	0
	Other miscellaneous offences, other	9	10
Total		44	53
Grand total (g)		7,401	25,345

(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) This type of offence is proceeded against by infringement notice. As contested infringement notices are not in scope of this report, this category has no observations but is included for completeness.

(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 persons charged in finalised Children's Court appearances. For charges, all totals simply sum over the offence categories.

TABLE 2.2**CHARGES IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:
OUTCOME OF CHARGE**

<i>Outcome of charge</i>	<i>Charges</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
Offence proven:		
Conviction	18,930	74.7
Conviction ex parte	1,100	4.3
Other outcomes:		
Dismissed after hearing	1,010	4.0
Dismissed Mental Health (Forensic Provisions) Act	486	1.9
Adjourned generally	1	0.0
Death of accused	10	0.0
Withdrawn - no evidence offered	3,538	14.0
Taken into account when sentencing principal offence	270	1.1
Total	25,345	100.0

TABLE 2.3**PERSONS CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

Outcome of appearance	Persons charged	
	No.	%
Proceeded to defended hearing		
All charges dismissed	456	6.2
Guilty of at least one charge	885	12.0
Other (a)	120	1.6
Proven outcome not further described (b)	484	6.5
Sentenced after guilty plea	4,443	60.0
Convicted ex parte	565	7.6
All charges dismissed without hearing	448	6.1
Total	7,401	100.0

TABLE 2.4**ABORIGINAL AND TORRES STRAIT ISLANDER PERSONS
CHARGED IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT APPEARANCES:
OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

Outcome of appearance	Persons charged	
	No.	%
Proceeded to defended hearing		
All charges dismissed	197	6.6
Guilty of at least one charge	410	13.7
Other (a)	58	1.9
Proven outcome not further described (b)	219	7.3
Sentenced after guilty plea	1,732	57.9
Convicted ex parte	207	6.9
All charges dismissed without hearing	169	5.6
Total	2,992	100.0

(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 2.5

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

	Legal representation							
	Represented		Not represented		Unknown		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Outcome of appearance								
Proceeded to defended hearing								
All charges dismissed	443	6.4	12	2.4	1	7.1	456	6.2
Guilty of at least one charge	878	12.7	5	1.0	2	14.3	885	12.0
Other (a)	120	1.7	-	-	-	-	120	1.6
Proven outcome not further described (b)	473	6.9	11	2.2	-	-	484	6.5
Sentenced after guilty plea	4,406	64.0	34	6.8	3	21.4	4,443	60.0
Convicted ex parte	141	2.0	422	84.6	2	14.3	565	7.6
All charges dismissed without hearing	427	6.2	15	3.0	6	42.9	448	6.1
Total	6,888	100.0	499	100.0	14	100.0	7,401	100.0

(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 2.6

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

	Bail Status											
	Bail not applicable or bail dispensed with		On bail		Bail refused		In custody, prior offence		Total			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Outcome of appearance												
Proceeded to defended hearing												
All charges dismissed	130	3.9	280	9.9	35	3.8	11	3.5	456	6.2		
Guilty of at least one charge	226	6.8	395	13.9	216	23.3	48	15.2	885	12.0		
Other (a)	25	0.8	63	2.2	27	2.9	5	1.6	120	1.6		
Proven outcome not further described (b)	329	9.9	39	1.4	78	8.4	38	12.0	484	6.5		
Sentenced after guilty plea	1,941	58.4	1,743	61.5	561	60.4	198	62.7	4,443	60.0		
Convicted ex parte	506	15.2	59	2.1	-	-	-	-	565	7.6		
All charges dismissed without hearing	167	5.0	253	8.9	12	1.3	16	5.1	448	6.1		
Total	3,324	100.0	2,832	100.0	929	100.0	316	100.0	7,401	100.0		

(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 2.7

**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>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>Total</i>		
Homicide and related offences										
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Manslaughter and driving causing death	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2		
Total	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2		
Acts intended to cause injury										
Assault	82	35	225	26	477	135	135	1,115		
Other acts intended to cause injury	12	6	53	5	160	44	11	291		
Total	94	41	278	31	637	179	146	1,406		
Sexual assault and related offences										
Sexual assault	6	2	30	-	25	3	-	66		
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	4	-	3	2	-	9		
Total	6	2	34	-	28	5	-	75		
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	4	2	26	-	19	4	-	55		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons										
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	12	9	17	17	19	5	3	82		
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1		
Total	12	9	17	17	19	6	3	83		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person										
Abduction and kidnapping	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	4		
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2	1	10	2	19	6	11	51		
Total	4	1	11	2	20	6	11	55		

Robbery, extortion and related offences									
Robbery	105	30	136	-	65	-	-	-	336
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	105	30	136	-	65	-	-	-	336
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter									
	175	52	228	5	230	21	41	752	
Theft and related offences									
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	31	8	41	6	83	17	31	217	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	33	13	89	50	148	92	69	494	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	12	5	31	19	83	30	38	218	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	76	26	161	75	314	139	138	929	
Fraud, deception and related offences									
Obtain benefit by deception	4	2	9	2	13	5	7	42	
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	2	4	4	2	12	
Total	4	2	10	4	17	9	9	55	
Illicit drug offences									
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	2	19	2	21	3	-	48	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	2	-	7	1	-	10	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	7	28	38	73	12	158	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	2	1	1	5	
Total	1	2	28	31	68	78	13	221	
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences									
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	2	2	4	-	3	12	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	1	1	-	1	5	2	-	10	
Total	1	2	2	3	9	2	3	22	
Property damage and environmental pollution									
Property damage	19	15	57	50	169	225	125	660	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	
Total	19	15	57	51	169	225	125	661	
Public order offences									
Disorderly conduct	36	15	74	30	142	109	28	434	
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	2	1	3	-	6	
Offensive conduct	2	1	3	33	30	47	15	131	
Total	38	16	77	65	173	159	43	571	

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total
	No.	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes (b)	No.	No.	
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences											
Driver licence offences	2	-	-	3	33	20	19	7			84
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-			2
Regulatory driving offences	-	1	1	1	29	6	4	5			46
Total	2	1	1	4	63	26	24	12			132
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations											
Breach of custodial order offences	61	1	5	-	-	3	-	27			97
Breach of community-based order	81	35	137	12	74	24	24	370			733
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	8	5	26	6	136	45	45	-			226
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-			3
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			0
Offences against justice procedures	6	4	18	17	40	20	20	19			124
Total	156	45	186	35	254	91	416	1,183			
Miscellaneous offences											
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	1	-	-	4	3	-			8
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	-			6
Total	-	-	1	2	7	4	4	14			
Grand total	695	244	1,230	384	2,036	948	960	6,497			

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

(b) Other proven outcomes contains 1 person who received a suspended sentence, 555 persons dismissed after Youth Justice Conference, 3 persons who received a nominal sentence, 4 persons who had a conviction without penalty, 6 persons who had no conviction recorded and 391 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 2.8

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

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes (b)				
Homicide and related offences											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Acts intended to cause injury											
Assault	45	11	91	8	165	44	50	414			
Other acts intended to cause injury	8	3	28	4	50	13	4	110			
Total	53	14	119	12	215	57	54	524			
Sexual assault and related offences											
Sexual assault	3	-	5	-	3	1	-	12			
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1			
Total	3	-	5	-	4	1	-	13			
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	2	-	3	-	3	-	-	8			
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	8	2	5	4	3	-	1	23			
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1			
Total	8	2	5	4	3	1	1	24			
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person											
Abduction and kidnapping	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2			
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0			
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	4	-	12	3	1	20			
Total	1	-	5	-	12	3	1	22			

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										Total	
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Dismissed with caution	Other proven outcomes (b)	No.	No.	No.		No.
Robbery, extortion and related offences												
Robbery	54	10	40	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	132
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	54	10	40	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	132
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	131	22	110	1	106	13	19					402
Theft and related offences												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	23	4	31	1	45	5	11					120
Theft (except motor vehicles)	19	7	34	23	62	31	26					202
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	9	4	12	8	35	12	13					93
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Total	51	15	77	32	142	48	50					415
Fraud, deception and related offences												
Obtain benefit by deception	2	-	-	2	6	3	2					15
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	1	1	-	1					3
Total	2	-	-	3	7	3	3					18
Illicit drug offences												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	-	3	-	3	-	-					7
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-					1
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	2	7	11	20	1					41
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-					1
Total	1	-	5	7	16	20	1					50
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	1	2	1	-					4
Total	-	-	-	1	2	1	-					4

Property damage and environmental pollution										
Property damage	12	6	32	16	65	42	33	206		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Total	12	6	32	16	65	42	33	206		
Public order offences										
Disorderly conduct	20	9	28	17	61	56	8	199		
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	4		
Offensive conduct	1	-	-	11	14	10	7	43		
Total	21	9	28	29	75	69	15	246		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences										
Driver licence offences	1	-	-	11	4	11	3	30		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	4	2	1	1	8		
Total	1	-	-	15	6	12	4	38		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations										
Breach of custodial order offences	40	-	5	-	2	-	10	57		
Breach of community-based order	48	14	68	3	32	14	176	355		
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	2	3	10	2	40	13	-	70		
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1		
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Offences against justice procedures	3	3	10	3	15	5	5	44		
Total	93	20	93	8	90	32	191	527		
Miscellaneous offences										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Public health and safety offences	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	4		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Total	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	4		
Grand total	432	98	520	128	773	303	372	2,626		

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

(b) Other proven outcomes contains 184 persons dismissed after Youth Justice Conference, 1 person who received a nominal sentence, 3 persons who had a conviction without penalty, 2 persons who had no conviction recorded and 182 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 2.9

**AVERAGE PENALTY FOR 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>Control order</i>	<i>Community Service Order</i>	<i>Probation order</i>	<i>Fine</i>	<i>Bond</i>
	<i>Average months</i>	<i>Average hours</i>	<i>Average months</i>	<i>Average \$</i>	<i>Average months</i>
Homicide and related offences					
Murder	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	9.7	-	-	-	-
Total	9.7	-	-	-	-
Acts intended to cause injury					
Assault	4.2	75.7	13.0	313	9.9
Other acts intended to cause injury	2.8	78.3	12.5	260	9.5
Total	4.0	76.1	12.9	304	9.8
Sexual assault and related offences					
Sexual assault	8.0	45.0	17.5	-	13.6
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	19.5	-	14.0
Total	8.0	45.0	17.7	-	13.6
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>					
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons					
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	4.2	62.8	15.1	307	10.5
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-
Total	4.2	62.8	15.1	307	10.5
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person					
Abduction and kidnapping	8.0	-	12.0	-	9.0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	7.0	100.0	12.3	100	9.9
Total	7.5	100.0	12.3	100	9.9

Robbery, extortion and related offences						
Robbery	5.3	83.0	13.4	-	10.8	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	5.3	83.0	13.4	-	10.8	
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter						
	5.1	67.6	13.9	354	10.9	
Theft and related offences						
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	4.0	63.1	12.3	248	10.0	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	3.0	57.7	11.2	138	8.3	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	2.7	54.0	11.0	283	8.2	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	3.4	58.7	11.4	184	8.7	
Fraud, deception and related offences						
Obtain benefit by deception	4.0	140.0	13.2	55	10.7	
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	12.0	-	-	
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	50	6.3	
Total	4.0	140.0	13.1	53	9.6	
Illicit drug offences						
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	3.4	60.0	12.3	750	11.5	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	9.0	-	9.3	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	7.7	131	8.3	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	200	7.5	
Total	3.4	60.0	10.9	173	9.4	
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences						
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	80.0	12.0	225	8.3	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	3.0	80.0	-	10	7.8	
Total	3.0	80.0	12.0	153	8.0	
Property damage and environmental pollution						
Property damage	3.4	68.1	12.1	175	8.1	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	100	-	
Total	3.4	68.1	12.1	173	8.1	

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TABLE 2.9 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence				
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond
	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$	Average months
Public order offences					
Disorderly conduct	3.8	82.7	13.3	148	9.8
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	155	6.0
Offensive conduct	3.5	40.0	16.0	139	8.6
Total	3.8	80.0	13.4	144	9.6
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences					
Driver licence offences	3.0	-	16.0	252	9.1
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	150	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	100.0	24.0	349	11.5
Total	3.0	100.0	18.0	295	9.7
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations					
Breach of custodial order offences	3.5	70.0	13.2	-	9.0
Breach of community-based order	3.2	51.0	12.2	288	10.8
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	3.7	60.0	12.7	158	9.7
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	12.0
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	2.0	76.3	11.8	192	8.7
Total	3.3	54.7	12.2	219	9.9
Miscellaneous offences					
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	12.0	-	6.3
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	70	7.3
Total	-	-	12.0	70	6.7
Grand total	4.3	69.0	13.0	211	9.7

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 2.10

**AVERAGE PENALTY FOR 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				
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond
	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$	Average months
Homicide and related offences					
Murder	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	18.0	-	-	-	-
Total	18.0	-	-	-	-
Acts intended to cause injury					
Assault	4.8	83.2	13.3	176	10.2
Other acts intended to cause injury	2.4	76.7	13.5	200	9.1
Total	4.4	81.8	13.3	184	9.9
Sexual assault and related offences					
Sexual assault	9.0	-	18.0	-	11.3
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	18.0
Total	9.0	-	18.0	-	13.0
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	11.5	-	22.0	-	15.0
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons					
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	5.0	65.0	18.8	350	14.0
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-
Total	5.0	65.0	18.8	350	14.0
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person					
Abduction and kidnapping	12.0	-	12.0	-	-
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	10.5	-	10.4
Total	12.0	-	10.8	-	10.4

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence					
	Control order	Community Service Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond	Average months
	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$	Average months	Average months
Robbery, extortion and related offences						
Robbery	5.5	77.0	12.7	-	-	11.7
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	5.5	77.0	12.7	-	-	11.7
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter						
	5.4	63.0	14.4	100	-	11.6
Theft and related offences						
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	3.9	56.3	12.4	40	-	9.8
Theft (except motor vehicles)	3.1	60.0	12.2	129	-	8.3
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	2.6	47.5	9.8	191	-	8.1
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	3.4	55.7	11.9	142	-	8.7
Fraud, deception and related offences						
Obtain benefit by deception	6.0	-	-	55	-	9.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	50	-	1.0
Total	6.0	-	-	53	-	8.4
Illicit drug offences						
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	3.4	-	11.0	-	-	13.3
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	12.0
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	6.0	129	-	8.2
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	6.0
Total	3.4	-	9.0	129	-	9.3
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences						
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	10	-	8.0
Total	-	-	-	10	-	8.0

Property damage and environmental pollution						
Property damage	3.2	81.7	11.5	183	8.8	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	3.2	81.7	11.5	183	8.8	
Public order offences						
Disorderly conduct	3.7	67.8	13.4	104	10.3	
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	200	-	
Offensive conduct	2.0	-	-	145	8.9	
Total	3.6	67.8	13.4	123	10.0	
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences						
Driver licence offences	3.0	-	-	188	8.3	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	238	12.0	
Total	3.0	-	-	201	9.5	
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations						
Breach of custodial order offences	3.0	-	13.2	-	7.5	
Breach of community-based order	3.6	53.6	12.5	300	10.0	
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	2.0	66.7	12.9	75	9.1	
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	12.0	
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	
Offences against justice procedures	1.7	81.7	12.3	113	8.1	
Total	3.2	59.8	12.5	174	9.2	
Miscellaneous offences						
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	
Public health and safety offences	-	-	12.0	-	4.0	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	12.0	-	4.0	
Grand total	4.5	66.9	13.1	158	9.8	

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 2.11

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

Type of offence	Gender: Total male and female											Average age Years
	Age (years)											
	10 No.	11 No.	12 No.	13 No.	14 No.	15 No.	16 No.	17 No.	18 and over No.	Not known No.	Total No.	
Homicide and related offences												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
Acts intended to cause injury												
Assault	-	7	18	66	136	232	308	438	222	-	1,427	16.6
Other acts intended to cause injury	1	2	8	25	46	66	68	99	32	-	347	16.2
Total	1	9	26	91	182	298	376	537	254	-	1,774	16.5
Sexual assault and related offences												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	3	13	6	26	19	26	-	93	17.1
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	4	2	-	9	17.1
Total	-	-	-	3	15	7	26	23	28	-	102	17.1
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	1	10	7	15	15	23	-	71	17.2
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	3	11	19	34	21	-	88	17.2
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	17.2
Total	-	-	-	-	3	11	19	35	21	-	89	17.2
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	1	-	6	17.4
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	1	1	4	5	19	14	12	-	56	16.8
Total	-	-	1	1	4	5	22	16	13	-	62	16.9

Robbery, extortion and related offences												
Robbery	-	-	3	12	37	77	91	113	64	-	397	16.7
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	-	-	3	12	37	77	91	113	64	-	397	16.7
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter												
Total	1	6	23	36	102	159	205	169	171	-	872	16.5
Theft and related offences												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	1	3	7	16	45	65	67	38	-	242	16.8
Theft (except motor vehicles)	2	4	11	14	54	94	143	151	74	-	547	16.5
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	3	16	23	50	61	68	35	-	256	16.4
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	2	5	17	37	93	189	269	286	147	-	1,045	16.5
Fraud, deception and related offences												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	3	2	5	13	7	13	-	43	16.9
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	17.8
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	1	5	2	1	3	-	12	16.6
Total	-	-	-	3	3	10	15	9	16	-	56	16.9
Illicit drug offences												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	2	1	9	11	13	15	-	51	17.1
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	6	-	-	10	16.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	1	2	1	10	19	38	63	29	-	163	16.9
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	2	-	6	16.7
Total	-	1	2	3	13	30	52	83	46	-	230	16.9
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	1	4	-	12	16.9
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	3	1	-	10	16.7
Total	-	-	-	-	2	3	8	4	5	-	22	16.8
Property damage and environmental pollution												
Property damage	1	1	15	40	102	143	189	182	75	-	748	16.2
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	19.3
Total	1	1	15	40	102	143	189	182	76	-	749	16.3

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TABLE 2.11 continued

Gender: Total male and female												
Type of offence	Age (years)											Average age Years
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known	Total	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Public order offences												
Disorderly conduct	1	2	15	16	47	78	102	136	79	-	476	16.5
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	2	2	-	8	17.1
Offensive conduct	-	-	3	6	12	22	27	46	26	-	142	16.6
Total	1	2	18	22	60	100	132	184	107	-	626	16.5
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	2	7	16	27	26	11	-	89	16.7
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	17.0
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	1	1	5	12	20	8	-	47	17.0
Total	-	-	-	3	8	21	40	47	19	-	138	16.8
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	1	-	4	1	9	21	22	39	-	97	17.6
Breach of community-based order	-	-	6	11	48	79	154	169	274	-	741	17.3
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	2	21	32	46	64	68	9	-	242	16.1
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	4	17.2
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	2	10	15	34	52	22	-	135	17.0
Total	-	1	8	38	92	149	273	312	346	-	1,219	17.1
Miscellaneous offences												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	1	4	2	2	1	-	10	16.2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	2	-	7	16.7
Total	-	-	-	-	1	8	3	2	3	-	17	16.4
Grand total	6	25	113	289	717	1,210	1,720	2,002	1,319	0	7,401	16.6

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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 2.11a

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

Type of offence	Gender: Male										Average age	
	Age (years)											
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known		Total
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
Homicide and related offences												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
Acts intended to cause injury												
Assault	-	5	15	36	84	127	211	308	182	-	-	968
Other acts intended to cause injury	1	2	6	17	29	50	56	79	27	-	-	267
Total	1	7	21	53	113	177	267	387	209	-	-	1,235
Sexual assault and related offences												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	3	13	6	26	19	26	-	-	93
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	2	-	-	8
Total	-	-	-	3	14	7	26	23	28	-	-	101
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	1	9	7	15	15	23	-	-	70
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	2	10	18	32	19	-	-	81
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	-	-	2	10	18	32	19	-	-	81
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	5
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	1	1	1	4	16	11	11	-	-	45
Total	-	-	1	1	1	4	18	13	12	-	-	50

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Gender: Male												
Age (years)												
Type of offence	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known	Total	Average age
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
Robbery, extortion and related offences												
Robbery	-	-	3	10	23	54	75	98	55	-	318	16.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	-	-	3	10	23	54	75	98	55	-	318	16.9
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	1	6	22	33	90	143	190	155	168	-	808	16.6
Theft and related offences												
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	3	3	13	39	60	64	34	-	216	16.8
Theft (except motor vehicles)	2	4	10	11	33	70	110	113	58	-	411	16.5
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	3	14	18	42	47	55	27	-	206	16.4
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	2	4	16	28	64	151	217	232	119	-	833	16.5
Fraud, deception and related offences												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	3	2	3	8	5	12	-	33	16.9
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	1	2	-	8	16.5
Total	-	-	-	3	3	6	9	6	14	-	41	16.8
Illicit drug offences												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	1	9	11	13	13	-	48	17.1
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	6	-	-	10	16.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	1	2	1	9	18	30	55	25	-	141	16.9
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	-	5	17.3
Total	-	1	2	2	11	29	44	75	40	-	204	16.9
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	1	3	-	11	16.8
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	2	1	-	9	16.7
Total	-	-	-	-	2	3	8	3	4	-	20	16.7

Property damage and environmental pollution												
Property damage	1	1	13	31	91	111	164	159	67	-	638	16.3
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	19.3
Total	1	1	13	31	91	111	164	159	68	-	639	16.3
Public order offences												
Disorderly conduct	1	2	14	14	34	54	82	119	69	-	389	16.5
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	2	2	-	8	17.1
Offensive conduct	-	-	1	3	6	14	21	38	22	-	105	16.8
Total	1	2	15	17	41	68	106	159	93	-	502	16.6
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences												
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	2	7	14	27	18	8	-	76	16.5
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	16.2
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	1	1	3	10	15	6	-	36	17.0
Total	-	-	-	3	8	17	38	33	14	-	113	16.7
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	1	-	4	1	7	20	20	38	-	91	17.6
Breach of community-based order	-	-	5	9	30	56	119	137	240	-	596	17.5
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	1	7	14	30	45	53	6	-	156	16.4
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	3	18.0
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	1	7	10	27	40	20	-	105	17.0
Total	-	1	6	21	52	103	211	251	306	-	951	17.3
Miscellaneous offences												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	1	3	1	2	1	-	8	16.4
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	2	-	6	16.9
Total	-	-	-	-	1	6	2	2	3	-	14	16.6
Grand total	6	22	99	205	516	889	1,393	1,628	1,155	0	5,913	16.7

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 2.11b

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

Type of offence	Gender: Female													Average age Years			
	Age (years)																
	10 No.	11 No.	12 No.	13 No.	14 No.	15 No.	16 No.	17 No.	18 and over No.	Not known No.	Total No.	Total No.					
Homicide and related offences																	
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Acts intended to cause injury																	
Assault	-	2	3	30	52	105	97	130	40	-	459	16.3					
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	2	8	17	16	12	20	5	-	80	15.9					
Total	-	2	5	38	69	121	109	150	45	-	539	16.2					
Sexual assault and related offences																	
Sexual assault	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	14.2					
Total	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	14.2					
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	14.2					
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons																	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	-	7	16.9					
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	17.2					
Total	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	3	2	-	8	16.9					
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person																	
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	17.0					
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-					
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	3	1	-	11	16.3					
Total	-	-	-	-	3	1	4	3	1	-	12	16.3					

Robbery, extortion and related offences												
Robbery	-	-	-	2	14	23	16	15	9	-	79	16.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	-	-	-	2	14	23	16	15	9	-	79	16.2
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter												
Theft and related offences	-	-	1	3	12	16	15	14	3	-	64	16.0
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	1	-	4	3	6	5	3	4	-	26	16.1
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	-	1	3	21	24	33	38	16	-	136	16.4
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	-	2	5	8	14	13	8	-	50	16.7
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	-	1	1	9	29	38	52	54	28	-	212	16.5
Fraud, deception and related offences												
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	2	1	-	10	17.2
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	17.8
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	4	16.8
Total	-	-	-	-	-	4	6	3	2	-	15	17.1
Illicit drug offences												
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	17.1
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	1	8	8	4	-	22	17.2
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	14.0
Total	-	-	-	1	2	1	8	8	6	-	26	17.1
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	18.6
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	17.1
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	17.9
Property damage and environmental pollution												
Property damage	-	-	2	9	11	32	25	23	8	-	110	16.1
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Total	-	-	2	9	11	32	25	23	8	-	110	16.1

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Type of offence		Gender: Female													Average age Years		
		Age (years)															
		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18 and over	Not known	Total	Average age				
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
Public order offences																	
Disorderly conduct	-	-	1	2	13	24	20	17	10	-	-	87	16.2				
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.				
Offensive conduct	-	-	2	3	6	8	6	8	4	-	-	37	15.9				
Total	-	-	3	5	19	32	26	25	14	-	-	124	16.1				
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences																	
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	8	3	-	-	13	17.5				
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	17.7				
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	5	2	-	-	11	17.1				
Total	-	-	-	-	-	4	2	14	5	-	-	25	17.3				
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations																	
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	2	1	-	-	6	17.1				
Breach of community-based order	-	-	1	2	18	23	35	32	34	-	-	145	16.8				
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	1	14	18	16	19	15	3	-	-	86	15.6				
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	15.0				
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.				
Offences against justice procedures	-	-	-	1	3	5	7	12	2	-	-	30	16.7				
Total	-	-	2	17	40	46	62	61	40	-	-	268	16.4				
Miscellaneous offences																	
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.				
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	15.6				
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.				
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	15.7				
Total	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	15.7				
Grand total	0	3	14	84	201	321	327	374	164	0	1,488	16.3					

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or 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 2.12

**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			
	Court delay		Persons charged		Court delay		Persons charged		Court delay		Persons charged	
	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	No.	Offence to first appearance
Outcome of appearance												
Proceeded to defended hearing												
All charges dismissed	49.0	116.0	278	104.5	123.0	1,397	54.0	118.0				
Guilty of at least one charge	27.0	105.5	35	8.0	105.0	445	26.0	105.0				
Other (b)	70.0	119.0	216	153.0	126.0	837	83.0	119.0				
	61.5	131.5	27	128.0	186.0	115	66.0	134.0				
Proven outcome not further described (c)	481.0	0.0	78	535.0	0.0	446	498.0	0.0				
Sentenced after guilty plea	49.0	55.0	561	92.0	75.0	4,245	51.0	56.0				
Convicted ex parte	60.0	119.0	.	.	.	565	60.0	119.0				
All charges dismissed without hearing	31.0	94.0	12	20.5	51.0	432	31.0	93.0				

(a) Excluded from this table are 316 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.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

TABLE 2.13

**PERSONS FOUND GUILTY IN FINALISED CHILDREN'S COURT 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 custodial penalty</i>		<i>Prior proven offences of same type with custodial penalty</i>		<i>Total</i>			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Homicide and related offences	1	33.3	2	66.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	100.0
Acts intended to cause injury	634	49.3	230	17.9	347	27.0	74	5.8	1,285	100.0		
Sexual assault and related offences	59	78.7	15	20.0	-	-	1	1.3	75	100.0		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	38	44.7	38	44.7	7	8.2	2	2.4	85	100.0		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	16	34.8	25	54.3	5	10.9	-	-	46	100.0		
Robbery, extortion and related offences	150	44.9	121	36.2	35	10.5	28	8.4	334	100.0		
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	245	34.3	208	29.1	165	23.1	97	13.6	715	100.0		
Theft and related offences	267	33.3	167	20.8	297	37.0	71	8.9	802	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	17	33.3	30	58.8	3	5.9	1	2.0	51	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	113	52.8	76	35.5	25	11.7	-	-	214	100.0		
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	7	33.3	13	61.9	1	4.8	-	-	21	100.0		
Property damage and environmental pollution	281	51.7	123	22.6	124	22.8	16	2.9	544	100.0		
Public order offences	215	40.3	162	30.3	144	27.0	13	2.4	534	100.0		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	69	39.7	59	33.9	46	26.4	-	-	174	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	166	15.7	264	24.9	529	50.0	100	9.4	1,059	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	6	46.2	6	46.2	1	7.7	-	-	13	100.0		
Total	2,284	38.4	1,539	25.8	1,729	29.0	403	6.8	5,955	100.0		

(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.

**SECTION 3:
NEW SOUTH WALES
HIGHER COURTS**

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	101	4.8	9	0.5	110	2.8
District Court:						
Dubbo	89	4.2	71	3.8	160	4.0
Lismore	137	6.5	103	5.5	240	6.0
Newcastle	285	13.5	290	15.5	575	14.5
Sydney	673	31.9	656	35.2	1,329	33.4
Sydney West	624	29.6	532	28.5	1,156	29.1
Wagga Wagga	71	3.4	65	3.5	136	3.4
Wollongong	130	6.2	139	7.5	269	6.8
Total	2,110	100.0	1,865	100.0	3,975	100.0

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	59	55.1	40	37.4	3	2.8	5	4.7	107	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	11	100.0	-	-	-	-	11	100.0
District Court	Committed for trial	622	35.7	915	52.5	174	10.0	33	1.9	1,744	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	1,734	98.7	3	0.2	19	1.1	1,756	100.0
Dubbo	Committed for trial	30	37.0	43	53.1	7	8.6	1	1.2	81	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	60	98.4	-	-	1	1.6	61	100.0
Lismore	Committed for trial	37	33.6	59	53.6	12	10.9	2	1.8	110	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	105	100.0	-	-	-	-	105	100.0
Newcastle	Committed for trial	73	26.2	184	65.9	18	6.5	4	1.4	279	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	279	98.2	2	0.7	3	1.1	284	100.0
Sydney	Committed for trial	265	40.5	308	47.1	65	9.9	16	2.4	654	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	621	98.7	-	-	8	1.3	629	100.0
Sydney West	Committed for trial	155	35.9	216	50.0	54	12.5	7	1.6	432	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	481	98.6	1	0.2	6	1.2	488	100.0
Wagga Wagga	Committed for trial	18	32.1	36	64.3	2	3.6	-	-	56	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	64	100.0	-	-	-	-	64	100.0
Wollongong	Committed for trial	44	33.3	69	52.3	16	12.1	3	2.3	132	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	124	99.2	-	-	1	0.8	125	100.0
All registries	Committed for trial	681	36.8	955	51.6	177	9.6	38	2.1	1,851	100.0
	Committed for sentence	-	-	1,745	98.8	3	0.2	19	1.1	1,767	100.0
Total		681	18.8	2,700	74.6	180	5.0	57	1.6	3,618	100.0

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	Committed for trial	Committed for sentence	Committed for trial	Committed for sentence
2009 or earlier	0	0	22	2	22	2	2
2010	0	0	30	2	30	2	2
2011	19	0	213	27	232	27	27
2012	72	6	1,097	687	1,169	693	693
2013	16	5	382	1,038	398	1,043	1,043
Total	107	11	1,744	1,756	1,851	1,767	1,767

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>	
Homicide and related offences			
Murder	84	97	
Attempted murder	31	33	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	32	33	
Driving causing death	30	35	
Total	158	198	
Acts intended to cause injury			
Assault	560	860	
Serious assault resulting in injury	24	33	
Serious assault not resulting in injury	141	216	
Common assault	66	88	
Stalking	2	2	
Other acts intended to cause injury, other			
Total	681	1,199	
Sexual assault and related offences			
Sexual assault	485	2,193	
Non-aggravated sexual assault	12	83	
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	32	90	
Child pornography offences	83	283	
Sexual servitude offences	2	2	
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	8	14	
Total	560	2,665	
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	368	1,853	
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	18	25	
Driving under the influence of alcohol or other substance	57	77	
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	0	0	
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	0	0	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	0	0	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	0	0	
Total	67	102	

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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>	
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person			
Abduction and kidnapping	118		149
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	7		11
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2		13
Threatening behaviour	26		37
Total	152		210
Robbery, extortion and related offences			
Robbery	648		1,064
Non-aggravated robbery	101		125
Blackmail and extortion	0		0
Total	714		1,189
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter			
Theft and related offences			
Motor vehicle theft and related offences			
Theft of a motor vehicle	47		58
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	122		183
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	0		0
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	41		55
Theft of intellectual property	0		0
Theft from retail premises	15		17
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	113		155
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	349		555
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	0		0
Total	607		1,023
Fraud, deception and related offences			
Obtain benefit by deception	124		689
Forgery and counterfeiting	2		4
Forgery of documents	14		47
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	3		5
Fraudulent trade practices	11		44
Misrepresentation of professional status	2		2
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	1		1
Dishonest conversion	20		138
Other fraud and deception offences, other	11		19
Total	158		949

Illicit drug offences		
Import or export illicit drugs	84	96
Export illicit drugs	1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	268	351
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	566	1,038
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	41	51
Cultivate illicit drugs	88	101
Possess illicit drugs	274	396
Use illicit drugs	2	2
Other illicit drug offences	37	41
Total	930	2,077
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences		
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences		
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	0	0
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives	122	198
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other	13	19
Regulated weapons/explosives offences		
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives	140	259
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives	82	116
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences	15	18
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other	1	1
Total	229	611
Property damage and environmental pollution		
Property damage		
Property damage by fire or explosion	40	51
Graffiti	0	0
Property damage, other	127	151
Environmental pollution		
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
Total	161	202

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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>	
Public order offences			
Disorderly conduct			
	Trespass	37	50
	Criminal intent	121	139
	Riot and affray	52	62
	Disorderly conduct, other	1	1
	Betting and gambling offences	0	0
	Liquor and tobacco offences	1	1
	Censorship offences	0	0
	Prostitution offences	0	0
	Offences against public order sexual standards	5	13
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	0	0
	Regulated public order offences, other	0	0
	Offensive language	4	4
	Offensive behaviour	19	19
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0	0
	Cruelty to animals	0	0
Total		233	289
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences			
Driver licence offences			
	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	46	61
	Drive without a licence	17	17
	Driver licence offences, other	3	5
	Registration offences	5	9
	Roadworthiness offences (d)	0	0
	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	8	8
	Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0	0
	Parking offences (d)	0	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	15	16
	Pedestrian offences (d)	0	0
Total		81	116

Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations			
Breach of custodial order offences	Escape custody offences	16	17
	Breach of home detention	0	0
	Breach of suspended sentence (a)	0	0
Breach of community-based order	Breach of community service order (a)	0	0
	Breach of parole	0	0
	Breach of bail	7	11
	Breach of bond - supervised (a) and (e)	0	0
	Breach of bond - unsupervised (a) and (e)	0	0
	Breach of community-based order, other	7	15
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	Breach of violence orders	51	70
	Breach of non-violence orders	0	0
Offences against government operations	Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	0	0
	Bribery involving government officials	4	4
	Immigration offences	6	15
	Offences against government operations, other	5	9
Offences against government security	Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	0	0
	Offences against government security, other	3	11
Offences against justice procedures	Subvert the course of justice	68	97
	Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	76	92
	Prison regulation offences	2	2
	Offences against justice procedures, other	50	57
Total		280	400

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TABLE 3.4 continued

Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group	Persons charged (b)	
	No.	Charges No.
Miscellaneous offences		
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	0	0
Defamation and libel	0	0
Offences against privacy	0	0
Sanitation offences	0	0
Disease prevention offences	0	0
Occupational health and safety offences	7	7
Transport regulation offences	5	5
Dangerous substances offences	0	0
Licit drug offences	83	121
Public health and safety offences, other	0	0
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	25	29
Other miscellaneous offences	4	5
Environmental regulation offences	7	68
Bribery excluding government officials	0	0
Quarantine offences	31	34
Import/export regulations	0	0
Procure or commit illegal abortion	0	0
Other miscellaneous offences, other	0	0
Total	159	269
Grand total (f)	3,618	12,653

(a) All ANZSOC group categories including offences where no persons were charged are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentences, Community Service Orders and bonds 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) This type of offence is proceeded against by infringement notice. As contested infringement notices are not in scope of this report, this category has no observations but is included for completeness.

(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 persons charged in finalised trial and sentence appearances. 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**

<i>Number of offences charged</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
1	1,266	35.0
2	798	22.1
3	474	13.1
4	322	8.9
5	174	4.8
6	147	4.1
7	95	2.6
8	80	2.2
9	44	1.2
10 or more	218	6.0

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>
Proceeded to trial:						
Acquitted of all charges	12	10.2	211	6.0	223	6.2
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	3	2.5	16	0.5	19	0.5
Guilty of at least one charge	43	36.4	349	10.0	392	10.8
Other (b)	1	0.8	46	1.3	47	1.3
Proceeded to sentence only:						
Trial committal (c)	40	33.9	915	26.1	955	26.4
Sentence committal	11	9.3	1,734	49.5	1,745	48.2
No charges proceeded with	3	2.5	177	5.1	180	5.0
All charges otherwise disposed of	5	4.2	52	1.5	57	1.6
Total	118	100.0	3,500	100.0	3,618	100.0

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>
Proceeded to trial:						
Acquitted of all charges	1	4.0	39	5.2	40	5.2
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	4.0	3	0.4	4	0.5
Guilty of at least one charge	5	20.0	63	8.4	68	8.8
Other (b)	-	-	11	1.5	11	1.4
Proceeded to sentence only:						
Trial committal (c)	11	44.0	221	29.5	232	30.0
Sentence committal	3	12.0	360	48.1	363	46.9
No charges proceeded with	2	8.0	41	5.5	43	5.6
All charges otherwise disposed of	2	8.0	11	1.5	13	1.7
Total	25	100.0	749	100.0	774	100.0

(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.

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

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.	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				
Homicide and related offences																	
Murder	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51
Attempted murder	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Manslaughter and driving causing death	41	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48
Total	100	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	107
Acts intended to cause injury																	
Assault	231	2	-	16	41	15	-	7	16	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	332
Other acts intended to cause injury	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	11
Total	235	2	-	16	43	16	1	9	16	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	343
Sexual assault and related offences																	
Sexual assault	237	1	-	-	32	7	1	6	9	-	1	3	2	-	-	-	299
Non-assaultive sexual offences	34	-	-	5	17	6	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
Total	271	1	-	5	49	13	1	8	11	-	1	3	2	-	-	-	365
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	183	1	-	5	36	11	-	7	8	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	255
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons																	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	9	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	16
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	9	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	16
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person																	
Abduction and kidnapping	52	-	-	3	5	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
Total	56	-	-	3	6	4	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73

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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	Order Community Service	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded		
Robbery, extortion and related offences															
Robbery	443	4	-	27	57	25	1	5	2	-	-	1	-	565	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	443	4	-	27	57	25	1	5	2	-	-	1	-	565	
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter															
Theft and related offences															
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	24	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	18	-	-	1	1	2	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	26	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	33	-	2	2	5	5	-	7	3	-	-	1	-	58	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Total	75	-	2	3	8	7	-	10	4	-	-	1	-	110	
Fraud, deception and related offences															
Obtain benefit by deception	37	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	
Forgery and counterfeiting	4	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	7	
Deceptive business/government practices	6	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	10	
Other fraud and deception offences	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	8	
Total	52	-	-	6	-	3	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	67	
Illicit drug offences															
Import or export illicit drugs	68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	334	-	2	41	106	56	8	23	22	-	-	9	-	601	
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	57	-	-	9	10	12	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	89	
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	2	3	-	-	12	
Other illicit drug offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Total	462	-	2	51	117	68	8	26	23	2	3	9	-	771	
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences															
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	23	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	29	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	31	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	38	
Total	54	-	-	2	3	4	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	67	

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	Fine	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction					
Opiates																
Import illicit drugs	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	46	-	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	15	-	2	7	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	84	-	2	14	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	102
Cannabis																
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	6	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	11	-	4	4	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cultivate illicit drugs	37	-	8	5	10	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	54	-	13	13	16	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	99

Hallucinogens											
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	6	1	3	1	1	18	1	10	7	2	10
Amphetamines											
Import illicit drugs	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19
Export illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	92	-	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	105
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	79	1	35	16	1	7	7	-	-	-	159
Manufacture illicit drugs	18	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	5
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	210	1	44	18	1	10	7	2	2	314	314
Barbiturates											
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	11

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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>Fine</i>	<i>Nominal sentence</i>	<i>Bond without conviction</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
Cocaine															
Import illicit drugs	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	22	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	25
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	9	1	4	5	5	-	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	28
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	55	1	5	5	6	-	1	4	-	-	1	-	-	1	78
Ecstasy															
Import illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	23	-	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	18	-	7	33	26	7	11	11	-	-	8	-	-	-	121
Manufacture illicit drugs	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	2
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	44	-	7	36	27	7	12	11	1	1	8	-	-	1	154

Other drug										
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Unknown										
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Grand total	462	2	51	117	68	8	23	2	3	771

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

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
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Bond without conviction	No.	No.	
Homicide and related offences												
Murder	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Attempted murder	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Manslaughter and driving causing death	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Total	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
Acts intended to cause injury												
Assault	77	1	4	11	3	-	1	2	1	-	-	100
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Total	77	1	4	11	4	-	2	2	1	-	-	102
Sexual assault and related offences												
Sexual assault	44	-	-	8	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	53
Non-assaultive sexual offences	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total	45	-	-	9	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	56
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	16	-	-	7	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	25
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person												
Abduction and kidnapping	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Total	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	14

Robbery, extortion and related offences										
Robbery	139	3	2	10	5	-	2	1	-	162
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	139	3	2	10	5	-	2	1	-	162
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter										
	157	-	3	23	4	-	8	1	-	196
Theft and related offences										
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7
Theft (except motor vehicles)	9	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	11
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	3	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	6
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	18	-	1	2	-	-	1	2	-	24
Fraud, deception and related offences										
Obtain benefit by deception	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Illicit drug offences										
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	28	-	3	14	6	-	3	3	-	57
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	31	-	4	14	6	-	3	3	-	61
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences										
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Total	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Property damage and environmental pollution										
Property damage	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Public order offences										
Disorderly conduct	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Bond without conviction		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences											
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations											
Breach of custodial order offences	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	7	-	-	2	-	1	2	2	-	-	14
Total	10	-	-	2	-	1	2	3	-	-	18
Miscellaneous offences											
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Grand total	528	4	15	71	22	2	18	13	1	1	674

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or found guilty are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentences, Community Service Orders and bonds 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									
	Average months	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average months	Average \$
Homicide and related offences										
Murder	199.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	78.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	42.5	-	-	18.0	18.5	300.0	25.5	-	-	-
Total	123.0	-	-	18.0	18.5	300.0	25.5	-	-	-
Acts intended to cause injury										
Assault	25.7	6.0	-	105.0	19.3	-	18.0	-	-	-
Other acts intended to cause injury	16.5	-	-	-	12.3	45.0	24.0	-	-	-
Total	25.5	6.0	-	105.0	19.0	45.0	18.5	-	-	-
Sexual assault and related offences										
Sexual assault	35.8	6.0	-	-	20.5	160.0	20.1	-	-	-
Non-assaultive sexual offences	17.8	-	-	20.8	21.7	-	24.0	-	-	-
Total	33.6	6.0	-	20.8	21.0	160.0	20.8	-	-	-
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	33.3	6.0	-	20.8	20.7	-	21.8	-	-	-
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons										
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	13.7	-	-	21.0	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	13.7	-	-	21.0	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person										
Abduction and kidnapping	23.6	-	-	22.7	20.3	-	24.0	-	-	-
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	31.0	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	10.5	-	-	-	72.5	150.0	24.0	-	-	-
Total	23.4	-	-	22.7	36.0	150.0	24.0	-	-	-

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence										
	Average months	Detention in Juvenile Institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$
Robbery, extortion and related offences											
Robbery	24.7	7.7	-	22.6	19.7	60.0	28.1	-	-	-	-
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	24.7	7.7	-	22.6	19.7	60.0	28.1	-	-	-	-
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter											
20.8	-	-	-	47.1	19.0	245.8	22.9	-	-	-	-
Theft and related offences											
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	20.8	-	-	-	23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft (except motor vehicles)	12.7	-	-	14.0	14.3	-	24.0	-	-	-	-
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	14.8	-	11.5	14.0	18.5	-	19.1	-	-	-	-
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	16.2	-	11.5	14.0	18.3	-	20.4	-	-	-	-
Fraud, deception and related offences											
Obtain benefit by deception	21.2	-	-	21.3	27.0	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forgery and counterfeiting	28.0	-	-	24.0	23.9	-	24.0	-	-	-	-
Deceptive business/government practices	18.3	-	-	12.0	-	200.0	24.0	-	-	-	-
Other fraud and deception offences	30.0	-	-	18.0	-	-	30.0	-	-	-	-
Total	22.3	-	-	19.7	26.0	200.0	26.4	-	-	-	-
Illicit drug offences											
Import or export illicit drugs	49.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	26.9	-	15.0	35.1	18.7	213.1	21.6	-	-	-	-
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	22.2	-	-	20.0	19.0	-	36.0	-	-	-	-
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	12.5	-	-	18.0	18.0	-	17.0	-	-	2,000	-
Other illicit drug offences	18.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	29.6	-	15.0	32.1	18.7	213.1	21.6	-	-	2,000	-
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	21.4	-	-	18.0	18.0	-	27.0	-	-	-	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	25.8	-	-	20.0	19.0	-	12.0	-	-	-	-
Total	23.9	-	-	19.0	18.6	-	22.0	-	-	-	-

Property damage and environmental pollution									
Property damage	19.1	-	-	108.5	18.5	100.0	12.0	-	-
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	19.1	-	-	108.5	18.5	100.0	12.0	-	-
Public order offences									
Disorderly conduct	13.4	-	-	-	13.0	100.0	15.3	-	-
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	13.4	-	-	-	13.0	100.0	15.3	-	-
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences									
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	500	500
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	500	500
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations									
Breach of custodial order offences	7.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	2.0	-	-	-	-	-	18.0	-	-
Offences against government operations	19.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	36.0	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	21.0	-	-	24.0	15.7	200.0	17.4	-	-
Total	19.1	-	-	24.0	16.9	200.0	17.5	-	-
Miscellaneous offences									
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	74,340	-
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	24.0	-	-	-	-
Other miscellaneous offences	12.8	-	-	18.0	16.7	400.0	-	-	-
Total	12.1	-	-	18.0	17.7	400.0	-	74,340	-
Grand total	29.8	6.9	13.2	41.4	19.4	207.8	21.1	45,104	-

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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 3 persons serving life imprisonment for 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.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	Years	
Homicide and related offences																											
Murder	1	2	1	9	13	11	6	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	34.1
Attempted murder	-	-	-	1	4	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	32.1	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	4	-	8	13	11	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	32.4	
Total	2	6	1	18	30	22	15	10	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	107	33.2	
Acts intended to cause injury																											
Assault	15	19	19	75	63	75	52	10	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	332	30.3
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	1	3	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	33.6	
Total	15	19	19	76	66	80	54	10	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	343	30.4
Sexual assault and related offences																											
Sexual assault	27	13	8	41	26	80	62	30	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	299	34.8
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	1	1	9	3	22	18	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	39.9	
Total	27	14	9	50	29	102	80	39	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	365	35.7
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	15	11	7	29	16	67	60	37	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	255	37.4
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons																											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	1	1	5	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	29.8
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	1	1	5	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	29.8
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person																											
Abduction and kidnapping	8	1	2	16	11	12	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	63	29.4
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	33.8
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	2	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	33.8
Total	8	1	2	18	13	15	14	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	30.0

Robbery, extortion and related offences													
Robbery	21	66	59	169	108	105	35	2	-	-	-	565	25.8
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	21	66	59	169	108	105	35	2	-	-	-	565	25.8
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter													
	3	46	38	115	102	124	46	8	2	-	-	484	28.6
Theft and related offences													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	1	3	1	6	5	8	2	-	-	-	-	26	28.6
Theft (except motor vehicles)	1	1	3	4	7	5	5	-	-	-	-	26	29.7
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	1	2	11	8	20	11	5	-	-	-	58	33.9
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	2	5	6	21	20	33	18	5	-	-	-	110	31.7
Fraud, deception and related offences													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	3	5	16	9	9	-	-	-	42	39.5
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	-	-	7	45.4
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	1	3	3	2	-	1	-	-	10	36.7
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	-	-	-	8	37.3
Total	-	-	-	4	9	24	17	12	1	-	-	67	39.4
Illicit drug offences													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	1	4	9	11	19	11	10	2	1	-	68	36.7
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	19	36	123	112	160	93	47	6	5	-	601	33.2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	1	6	14	33	20	13	1	1	-	89	38.9
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	5	2	2	1	-	-	2	-	12	34.9
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	33.1
Total	-	20	41	143	139	215	125	70	9	9	-	771	34.2
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	1	7	5	9	4	2	1	-	-	29	33.9
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	2	-	1	11	12	6	5	-	-	1	-	38	29.2
Total	2	-	2	18	17	15	9	2	1	1	-	67	31.3
Property damage and environmental pollution													
Property damage	-	2	-	7	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	20	28.5
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	2	-	7	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	20	28.5

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Gender: Total male and female												
Age (Years)												
Type of principal offence	Age (Years)											Average age Years
	Under 18	18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	Over 65	Not known	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Public order offences												
Disorderly conduct	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	4	1	-	-	31
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Total	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	4	1	-	-	31
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences												
Driver licence offences	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Total	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations												
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	5
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2
Offences against government operations	1	-	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	5
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Offences against justice procedures	5	-	4	14	14	18	11	6	-	-	-	72
Total	6	-	4	19	16	22	11	7	-	1	-	86
Miscellaneous offences												
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other miscellaneous offences	-	1	-	9	4	2	2	4	-	1	-	23
Total	-	1	-	9	5	3	2	5	-	1	-	26
Grand total	90	185	183	679	567	774	432	176	27	21	0	3,134
												31.2

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or found guilty are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentences, Community Service Orders and bonds 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**

Gender: Male																								
Age (Years)																								
Type of principal offence	Under 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.	Years	Years
Homicide and related offences																								
Murder	1	2	1	9	11	11	6	7	1	1	6	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	34.4
Attempted murder	-	-	-	1	4	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	32.1	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	4	-	7	11	9	5	3	-	1	5	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	31.7	
Total	2	6	1	17	26	20	14	10	1	1	14	10	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98	33.1	
Acts intended to cause injury																								
Assault	14	19	19	69	57	68	44	10	3	-	44	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	303	30.0	
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	1	2	5	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	33.5	
Total	14	19	19	70	59	73	45	10	3	-	45	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	312	30.1	
Sexual assault and related offences																								
Sexual assault	27	12	8	40	26	78	59	30	8	4	59	30	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	292	34.8	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	1	1	9	3	21	17	9	-	3	17	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	39.8	
Total	27	13	9	49	29	99	76	39	8	7	76	39	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	356	35.7	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																								
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	15	10	7	28	16	66	58	37	7	6	58	37	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	37.5	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	1	1	4	2	4	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	30.2	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Total	-	1	1	4	2	4	3	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	30.2	
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person																								
Abduction and kidnapping	5	1	2	13	10	12	8	2	-	-	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	29.6	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	33.8	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	36.7	
Total	5	1	2	14	11	15	11	2	-	-	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	30.4	

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		Gender: Male																										
		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		
		No.	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
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.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Robbery, extortion and related offences																												
	Robbery	21	65	54	157	100	90	33	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	522	25.7
	Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
	Total	21	65	54	157	100	90	33	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	522	25.7	
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter		2	43	38	109	90	116	44	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	451	28.5
Theft and related offences																												
	Motor vehicle theft and related offences	1	3	1	6	4	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	28.6
	Theft (except motor vehicles)	1	1	3	3	4	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	30.1	
	Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	1	1	10	7	17	9	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	33.4	
	Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
	Total	2	5	5	19	15	29	16	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	31.4	
Fraud, deception and related offences																												
	Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	2	5	13	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	40.0
	Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	45.4	
	Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	1	3	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	36.7	
	Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	37.3	
	Total	-	-	-	3	9	21	16	11	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	39.7	
Illicit drug offences																												
	Import or export illicit drugs	-	1	4	9	7	16	9	9	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58	36.6
	Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	18	34	114	98	130	75	36	4	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	513	32.4	
	Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	1	5	12	30	18	12	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	39.0	
	Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	5	2	1	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	35.2	
	Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	33.1	
	Total	-	19	39	133	119	178	103	57	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	663	33.6	
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences																												
	Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	1	7	4	9	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	34.1
	Regulated weapons/explosives offences	2	-	1	11	12	6	5	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	29.2	
	Total	2	-	2	18	16	15	9	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	31.3	

Property damage and environmental pollution													
Property damage	-	2	-	7	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	19	27.7
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	2	-	7	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	19	27.7
Public order offences													
Disorderly conduct	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	3	1	-	-	30	28.9
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	3	1	-	-	30	28.9
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences													
Driver licence offences	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	18.8
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	38.7
Total	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	28.8
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	25.3
Breach of community-based order	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	75.1
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	28.0
Offences against government operations	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	4	33.1
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offences against justice procedures	4	-	3	11	12	13	8	6	-	-	-	57	31.7
Total	5	-	3	16	13	16	8	7	-	1	-	69	31.9
Miscellaneous offences													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	52.2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	31.0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	1	-	8	4	1	1	1	-	1	-	17	30.1
Total	-	1	-	8	4	2	1	2	-	1	-	19	31.3
Grand total	84	179	174	631	503	688	381	155	24	19	0	2,838	31.0

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or found guilty are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentences, Community Service Orders and bonds 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	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
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
Homicide and related offences														
Murder	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	26.3
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	7	36.5
Total	-	-	-	1	4	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	9	34.2
Acts intended to cause injury														
Assault	1	-	-	6	6	7	8	-	1	-	-	-	29	33.5
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	34.3
Total	1	-	-	6	7	7	9	-	1	-	-	-	31	33.6
Sexual assault and related offences														
Sexual assault	-	1	-	1	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	7	34.2
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	41.5
Total	-	1	-	1	-	3	4	-	-	-	-	-	9	35.8
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>														
	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	5	33.7
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons														
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23.3
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23.3
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person														
Abduction and kidnapping	3	-	-	3	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	10	27.8
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	26.3
Total	3	-	-	4	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	12	27.5

Robbery, extortion and related offences													
Robbery	-	1	5	12	8	15	2	-	-	-	-	43	27.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	1	5	12	8	15	2	-	-	-	-	43	27.9
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter													
	1	3	-	6	12	8	2	1	-	-	-	33	28.8
Theft and related offences													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	28.8
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	28.2
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	-	1	1	1	3	2	2	-	-	-	10	36.3
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	-	1	2	5	4	2	2	-	-	-	16	33.3
Fraud, deception and related offences													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	6	36.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	6	36.4
Illicit drug offences													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	4	3	2	1	-	-	-	10	37.0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	1	2	9	14	30	18	11	2	1	-	88	37.5
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	1	-	-	-	9	37.7
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	31.0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	1	2	10	20	37	22	13	2	1	-	108	37.4
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	28.0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	28.0
Property damage and environmental pollution													
Property damage	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	42.6
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	42.6

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TABLE 3.12b continued

		Gender: Female																					
		Age (years)																					
												Over 65	Not known	Total	Average age								
												No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years						
												18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	65	known	Total	age
												No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
												18	19	20-24	25-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60-65	65	known	Total	age
												No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
Public order offences																							
Disorderly conduct		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	50.8	
Regulated public order offences		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offensive conduct		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Total		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	50.8
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences																							
Driver licence offences		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	26.2
Total		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	26.2
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations																							
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		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	37.8
Offences against government security		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.7
Offences against justice procedures		1	-	1	3	2	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	31.5
Total		1	-	1	3	3	6	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	31.7
Miscellaneous offences																							
Defamation, libel and privacy offences		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences		-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.2
Commercial/industry/financial regulation		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Other miscellaneous offences		-	-	1	-	1	1	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	43.2
Total		-	-	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	7	41.2
Grand total		6	6	9	48	64	86	51	21	3	2	0	296	33.6									

(a) All ANZSOC subdivision categories including offences where no persons were charged or found guilty are shown in this table. Breaches of suspended sentences, Community Service Orders and bonds 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>Total</i>			
	<i>Bail dispensed with</i>		<i>On bail</i>		<i>Bail refused</i>			<i>In custody, prior offence</i>		
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>		<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	
Proceeded to trial:										
Acquitted of all charges	16	9.0	161	9.4	28	2.6	18	2.7	223	6.2
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	9	0.5	9	0.8	1	0.2	19	0.5
Guilty of at least one charge	16	9.0	230	13.4	73	6.9	69	10.5	388	10.7
Other (b)	7	4.0	26	1.5	7	0.7	7	1.1	47	1.3
Proceeded to sentence only:										
Trial committal (c)	43	24.3	455	26.5	266	25.0	191	29.0	955	26.4
Sentence committal	71	40.1	688	40.1	639	60.1	347	52.7	1,745	48.3
No charges proceeded with	20	11.3	119	6.9	20	1.9	20	3.0	179	5.0
All charges otherwise disposed of	4	2.3	26	1.5	21	2.0	6	0.9	57	1.6
Total	177	100.0	1,714	100.0	1,063	100.0	659	100.0	3,613	100.0

(a) 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.

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: Excluded from this table are 5 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												
Bail refused												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail			Court delay			Persons charged			Court delay		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to committal	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to committal	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to committal	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to committal
Proceeded to trial	26	358.0	371.0	77.0	23	573.0	290.0	84.0	49	469.0	323.0	81.0
Acquitted of all charges	8	358.0	370.0	-	4	2,533.0	254.0	-	12	542.0	356.5	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	-	-	3	310.0	250.0	-	3	310.0	250.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	18	367.5	372.0	77.0	15	573.0	296.0	84.0	33	409.0	322.0	81.0
Other (b)	-	-	-	-	1	619.0	273.0	0.0	1	619.0	273.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	9	358.0	297.0	38.0	27	480.0	244.0	71.0	36	472.0	256.5	55.0
Trial committal (c)	7	358.0	320.0	87.0	21	464.0	278.0	98.0	28	438.0	295.5	87.0
Sentence committal	2	1,570.0	233.0	0.0	6	935.5	160.0	0.0	8	1,163.0	188.0	0.0
No charges proceeded with	3	1,327.0	182.0	-	-	-	-	-	3	1,327.0	182.0	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	-	-	-	-	4	263.0	174.0	-	4	263.0	174.0	-

(a) In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

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

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 26 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													
On bail													
Bail refused													
Total													
Method of finalisation	Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			
	Persons charged	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	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)
Proceeded to trial	439	345.0	302.0	79.0	94	226.0	246.0	70.0	533	304.0	288.0	79.0	
Acquitted of all charges	169	305.0	288.0	-	24	230.0	228.5	-	193	283.0	282.0	-	
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	9	232.0	232.0	-	6	164.5	149.5	-	15	174.0	231.0	-	
Guilty of at least one charge	228	400.5	317.0	91.0	58	227.0	261.5	78.5	286	346.0	305.5	90.0	
Other (b)	33	291.0	265.0	0.0	6	255.5	221.5	0.0	39	291.0	261.0	0.0	
Proceeded to sentence only	1,248	252.5	184.0	0.0	878	240.5	139.0	0.0	2,126	248.0	164.0	0.0	
Trial committal (c)	491	275.0	225.0	69.5	245	269.0	186.0	56.0	736	272.0	208.5	64.0	
Sentence committal	757	238.0	155.0	0.0	633	225.0	126.0	0.0	1,390	231.0	137.0	0.0	
No charges proceeded with	136	351.0	236.5	-	20	228.0	204.5	-	156	318.0	233.5	-	
All charges otherwise disposed of	30	316.5	275.0	0.0	17	242.0	135.0	0.0	47	262.0	206.0	0.0	

(a) In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

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

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 633 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 5 companies.

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												
Bail refused												
On bail												
Total												
Method of finalisation	Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence
	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Offence to committal	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Offence to committal	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Offence to committal	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Offence to committal
Proceeded to trial	20	308.5	372.0	41.0	7	226.0	234.0	70.0	27	261.0	304.0	64.5
Acquitted of all charges	12	389.5	372.0	-	1	226.0	234.0	-	13	345.0	371.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guilty of at least one charge	5	216.0	401.0	67.0	6	226.0	241.0	70.0	11	226.0	290.0	70.0
Other (b)	3	142.0	257.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	3	142.0	257.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	51	297.0	197.0	0.0	26	244.0	168.5	0.0	77	289.0	176.0	0.0
Trial committal (c)	24	303.5	211.5	7.0	7	198.0	192.0	0.0	31	275.0	200.0	3.0
Sentence committal	27	289.0	141.0	0.0	19	334.0	125.0	0.0	46	298.0	134.0	0.0
No charges proceeded with	5	208.0	264.0	-	1	104.0	287.0	-	6	173.0	275.5	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	1	125.0	291.0	0.0	1	2,297.0	111.0	-	2	1,211.0	201.0	0.0

(a) In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

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

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 30 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**

District Court Registry: Lismore												
Bail status												
Bail refused												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail			Court delay			On bail			Court delay		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to commitment	Persons charged	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to commitment	Persons charged	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to commitment	Persons charged
Proceeded to trial	28	408.0	189.0	31.0	6	208.0	229.0	0.0	34	386.0	206.0	20.0
Acquitted of all charges	13	401.0	188.0	-	3	190.0	230.0	-	16	348.0	196.5	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	382.0	238.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	382.0	238.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	10	684.0	284.5	57.0	2	188.0	285.5	29.0	12	422.0	284.5	57.0
Other (b)	4	359.5	172.0	0.0	1	583.0	228.0	0.0	5	439.0	172.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	73	239.0	150.0	0.0	67	216.0	128.0	0.0	140	234.0	135.0	0.0
Trial committal (c)	29	216.0	207.0	0.0	23	336.0	175.0	1.0	52	269.0	179.5	0.5
Sentence committal	44	267.5	129.0	0.0	44	186.5	103.0	0.0	88	215.0	115.5	0.0
No charges proceeded with	10	439.5	153.5	-	-	-	-	-	10	440.0	153.5	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	1	352.0	259.0	-	1	242.0	206.0	-	2	297.0	232.5	-

(a) In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

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

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 29 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**

District Court Registry - Newcastle												
Bail status												
On bail												
Bail refused												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail			Bail refused			Total			Court delay		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Outcome to committal	Offence to sentence
Proceeded to trial	52	267.5	356.5	59.5	178.0	9	313.0	74.0	61	249.0	339.0	60.0
Acquitted of all charges	21	277.0	336.0	-	214.0	3	327.0	-	24	277.0	332.5	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	249.0	231.0	-	155.0	1	77.0	-	2	202.0	154.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	26	285.0	374.5	62.0	178.0	5	313.0	74.0	31	282.0	370.0	63.0
Other (b)	4	167.0	469.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	4	167.0	469.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	224	241.0	178.0	0.0	207.5	130	133.5	0.0	354	232.0	160.0	0.0
Trial committal (c)	94	218.0	238.5	48.0	241.0	47	177.0	6.0	141	233.0	207.0	43.0
Sentence committal	130	263.5	133.0	0.0	188.0	83	120.0	0.0	213	230.0	127.0	0.0
No charges proceeded with	15	255.0	324.0	-	201.0	1	43.0	-	16	255.0	319.5	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	6	211.0	168.0	-	-	-	-	-	6	211.0	168.0	-

(a) 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.

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 126 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**

District Court Registry: Sydney												
Bail status												
Bail refused												
On bail												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail			Bail refused			On bail			Total		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to sentence
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Committal to outcome
Proceeded to trial	178	294.0	276.0	90.5	48	238.5	239.0	85.5	226	289.0	266.0	89.0
Acquitted of all charges	59	283.0	245.0	-	14	238.5	219.0	-	73	272.0	238.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	5	161.0	232.0	-	2	258.0	292.5	-	7	167.0	232.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	104	400.0	304.5	97.0	28	270.0	259.5	97.0	132	340.0	283.5	97.0
Other (b)	10	292.0	282.0	0.0	4	134.0	198.5	0.0	14	276.0	263.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	455	230.0	198.0	0.0	319	248.0	142.0	0.0	774	240.0	172.5	0.0
Trial committal (c)	168	277.0	242.5	73.0	90	271.5	188.0	68.0	258	275.0	220.0	72.0
Sentence committal	287	207.0	164.0	0.0	229	231.0	127.0	0.0	516	217.0	142.5	0.0
No charges proceeded with	50	424.5	235.5	-	9	192.0	210.0	-	59	373.0	235.0	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	12	404.0	585.5	0.0	11	253.0	159.0	0.0	23	357.0	219.0	0.0

(a) 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.

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 196 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 5 companies.

TABLE 3.14g

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

District Court Registry: Sydney West												
Bail status												
On bail												
Bail refused												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail			Bail refused			Total			Court delay		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	No.	Median duration (days)	Persons charged	Outcome to committal	Outcome to sentence	Median duration (days)
Proceeded to trial	122	419.0	321.0	96.0	241.5	16	285.5	0.0	138	382.0	317.0	86.0
Acquitted of all charges	45	500.0	343.0	-	244.0	3	322.0	-	48	446.0	335.5	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	696.0	491.0	-	164.0	2	145.5	-	3	174.0	148.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	67	410.0	316.0	105.0	277.5	10	285.5	40.0	77	386.0	312.0	100.0
Other (b)	9	349.0	254.0	0.0	374.0	1	691.0	0.0	10	362.0	330.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	310	270.5	180.5	0.0	266.5	242	146.5	0.0	552	269.0	168.0	0.0
Trial committal (c)	126	337.0	212.0	106.5	294.0	49	187.0	86.0	175	316.0	198.0	98.0
Sentence committal	184	245.0	164.0	0.0	255.0	193	137.0	0.0	377	248.0	151.0	0.0
No charges proceeded with	42	360.5	238.0	-	237.0	9	187.0	-	51	328.0	223.0	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	6	327.5	119.0	0.0	155.5	4	86.5	0.0	10	239.0	112.0	0.0

(a) 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.

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 169 persons who were in custody for a prior offence.

TABLE 3.14h

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

District Court Registry: Wagga Wagga												
Bail status												
Bail refused												
Total												
Method of finalisation	On bail			On remand			On remand			On remand		
	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to court delay	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to court delay	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to court delay	No.	Median duration (days)	Outcome to court delay
	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Committal to outcome	Outcome to sentence
Proceeded to trial	14	348.0	396.5	64.0	1	126.0	244.0	-	15	331.0	394.0	64.0
Acquitted of all charges	9	250.0	399.0	-	-	-	-	-	9	250.0	399.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	-	-	-	-	1	126.0	244.0	-	1	126.0	244.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	4	1,690.0	298.0	127.0	-	-	-	-	4	1,690.0	298.0	127.0
Other (b)	1	382.0	451.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	1	382.0	451.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	50	278.5	165.0	0.0	24	264.5	120.0	0.0	74	277.0	154.5	0.0
Trial committal (c)	20	299.5	223.5	78.0	7	278.0	226.0	63.0	27	285.0	224.0	67.0
Sentence committal	30	269.5	140.5	0.0	17	206.0	107.0	0.0	47	263.0	123.0	0.0
No charges proceeded with	2	1,344.0	199.0	-	-	-	-	-	2	1,344.0	199.0	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(a) 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.

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 29 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**

District Court Registry: Wollongong												
Bail status												
Bail refused												
Total												
	On bail				Bail refused				Total			
	Persons charged	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	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)
Proceeded to trial	25	333.0	437.0	72.0	7	192.0	286.0	101.0	32	283.0	420.0	73.0
Acquitted of all charges	10	270.5	500.0	-	-	-	-	-	10	271.0	500.0	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	286.0	225.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	286.0	225.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	12	442.5	427.0	76.0	7	192.0	286.0	101.0	19	319.0	411.0	79.0
Other (b)	2	313.5	479.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	2	314.0	479.0	0.0
Proceeded to sentence only	85	248.0	157.0	0.0	70	190.5	127.5	0.0	155	224.0	147.0	0.0
Trial committal (c)	30	255.0	214.5	48.5	22	202.5	190.5	32.0	52	250.0	200.0	37.5
Sentence committal	55	245.0	142.0	0.0	48	172.5	120.5	0.0	103	215.0	127.0	0.0
No charges proceeded with	12	215.0	230.0	-	-	-	-	-	12	215.0	230.0	-
All charges otherwise disposed of	4	218.0	375.0	0.0	-	-	-	-	4	218.0	375.0	0.0

(a) In earlier reports, these charges were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category.

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

(c) Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea either before or during the trial. Excludes persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/acquitted of other charges at trial.

Note: The category "On bail" includes on bail and bail not applicable/bail dispensed with.

Excluded from this table are 54 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 custodial penalty</i>		<i>Prior proven offences of same type with custodial penalty</i>		<i>Total</i>			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Homicide and related offences	27	25.0	80	74.1	-	-	1	0.9	108	100.0		
Acts intended to cause injury	53	15.3	109	31.4	85	24.5	100	28.8	347	100.0		
Sexual assault and related offences	206	56.3	122	33.3	8	2.2	30	8.2	366	100.0		
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	7	43.8	9	56.3	-	-	-	-	16	100.0		
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	21	28.8	49	67.1	3	4.1	-	-	73	100.0		
Robbery, extortion and related offences	75	13.1	356	62.3	40	7.0	100	17.5	571	100.0		
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	50	10.4	217	44.9	50	10.4	166	34.4	483	100.0		
Theft and related offences	27	23.9	27	23.9	25	22.1	34	30.1	113	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	48	73.8	14	21.5	1	1.5	2	3.1	65	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	286	37.0	231	29.8	176	22.7	81	10.5	774	100.0		
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	12	17.6	50	73.5	4	5.9	2	2.9	68	100.0		
Property damage and environmental pollution	4	23.5	9	52.9	3	17.6	1	5.9	17	100.0		
Public order offences	14	46.7	7	23.3	7	23.3	2	6.7	30	100.0		
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	2	66.7	-	-	1	33.3	-	-	3	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	28	36.4	18	23.4	16	20.8	15	19.5	77	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	19	67.9	9	32.1	-	-	-	-	28	100.0		
Total	879	28.0	1,307	41.6	419	13.3	534	17.0	3,139	100.0		

(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.

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>Appeals against severity of sentence</i>			<i>Appeals against conviction and sentence</i>			<i>Appeals against inadequacy of sentence</i>			<i>Appeals against violence orders</i>			<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
Appeal upheld for all matters	2,861	58.1	315	23.2	15	50.0	55	24.9	55	24.9	3,246	49.6		
Appeal dismissed/withdrawn all matters	1,570	31.9	939	69.0	12	40.0	160	72.4	160	72.4	2,681	41.0		
Appeal upheld for some matters	469	9.5	101	7.4	3	10.0	3	1.4	3	1.4	576	8.8		
Other (did not appear, died etc)	27	0.5	5	0.4	-	-	3	1.4	3	1.4	35	0.5		
Total	4,927	100.0	1,360	100.0	30	100.0	221	100.0	221	100.0	6,538	100.0		

NEW SOUTH WALES CRIMINAL COURTS

Explanatory Notes

EXPLANATORY NOTES

This report deals with criminal matters finalised 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 sourced from the JusticeLink system 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).

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).

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 unless noted otherwise.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS

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. Since the implementation of JusticeLink, where a person is charged with multiple counts of the same offence (i.e. charged under the same Act and Section), each individual count is treated as a separate charge.

Persons charged

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

TABLE 1.1: PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES

Persons charged

The counting rules applied to Table 1.1 are different from those applied in other tables in this section. Where persons are charged with more than one offence and those offences fall within different offence groups, they are counted once in each of the relevant offence division totals. However, persons are counted only once per court finalisation in the grand total. Accordingly, the sum of the offence division totals for persons charged does not equal the grand total of persons charged.

For example, if a person had a finalised assault charge and a finalised drug charge, they appear in the assault division total and also in the drug offence division total but only once in the grand total. Conversely, if a person had two assault charges finalised in June and then a second set of assault charges finalised in September, they appear twice in the assault division subtotal and twice in the grand total.

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 are also included 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.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued***TABLE 1.2: OUTCOME OF CHARGE****Charge**

Table 1.2 shows the court outcomes for all charges. Where a person was charged with more than one offence, each charge is counted separately. Dismissed charges are separated from those which were 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.

Charge outcomes

Some of the major charge outcomes are:

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 of the Act, 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

Table 1.3 presents court outcomes for persons charged. Table 1.4 presents this information for persons who identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander 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.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

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 were sentenced after entering a guilty plea.

Sentenced after guilty plea

This category includes appearances 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 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 charges or the defendant may have died prior to finalisation.

All charges otherwise disposed of

This category includes where charges have been adjourned to the Drug Court or were adjourned generally (previously known as 'stood out of list').

TABLES 1.5 AND 1.6: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AND BAIL STATUS

Tables 1.5 and 1.6 present the outcome for each finalised 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

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 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 report on persons who identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database.

Persons found guilty

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

EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

Principal offence

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

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

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

Quantum of penalty

Table 1.10 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 persons who identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database.

Imprisonment

When sentencing an offender to imprisonment, the court sets a non-parole period and total term. The non-parole period must not be less than three quarters of the total 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 imprisonment sentences of six months or less, the court may not set a non-parole period.

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. 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 should include a non-parole period for any standard non-parole period offences.

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The court may impose an aggregate sentence for some offences and separate imprisonment sentences for other offences.

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.

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.

Children's penalties

The Local Court may impose a penalty under the *Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987*. Where this has occurred, these records are grouped with their adult penalty equivalent in Tables 1.7 to 1.11.

TABLES 1.12, 1.12a AND 1.12b: TYPE OF PRINCIPAL OFFENCE, AGE, GENDER

These tables detail the principal offence, age and gender of all persons found guilty in the Local Court. Age is calculated as at the date of finalisation.

TABLE 1.13: COURT DELAY

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 matters 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 cannot 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

Table 1.14 provides information on prior proven offences for persons found guilty in the Local Courts. The Bureau's Reoffending Database (ROD) is used to derive an offending history for individuals by searching and matching court records over the previous 10 years. Court records from the NSW 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. If a person has multiple prior proven offences they are included in one category only and in the following order of priority:

Prior proven offences of the same type, with a custodial penalty

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 (i.e. imprisonment or a control order) on at least one occasion, for an offence of this type.

Prior proven offences of the same type, without a custodial penalty

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 imprisonment or a control order for that offence.

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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 custodial penalty (i.e. imprisonment or a control order) as well as non-custodial penalties.

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.

TABLES 1.15: APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS (AVOs)

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 one AVO may protect more than one person.

Data on AVOs granted is based on the residential Statistical Area of the person against whom the AVO is granted (Person of Interest or POI), rather than the residential Statistical Area of the protected person. The reason for this is due to the large proportion of protected persons having no address details listed on the AVO as a result of the *Crimes (Domestic and Personal Violence) Act 2007* providing that protected persons' residential addresses not be included in AVO applications unless in certain circumstances.

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 AREA OF RESIDENCE

These tables indicate the defendant's residential Statistical Area. 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 Statistical Area.

Table 1.17 presents, for those defendants found guilty, rates per 100,000 population by the defendant's residential Statistical 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.

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. Since the implementation of JusticeLink, where a person is charged with multiple counts of the same offence (i.e. charged under the same Act and Section), each individual count is treated as a separate charge.

Persons charged

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

TABLE 2.1: PERSONS CHARGED AND CHARGES

Persons charged

The counting rules applied to Table 2.1 are different from those applied in other tables in this section. Where persons are charged with more than one offence and those offences fall within different offence groups, they are counted once in each of the relevant offence division totals. However, persons are counted only once per court finalisation in the grand total. Accordingly, the sum of the offence division totals for persons charged does not equal the grand total of persons charged.

For example, if a person had a finalised assault charge and a finalised drug charge, they appear in the assault division total and also in the drug offence division total but only once in the grand total. Conversely, if a person had two assault charges finalised in June and then a second set of assault charges finalised in September, they appear twice in the assault division subtotal and twice in the grand total.

Type of offence

Offence groups in the Children's 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 2.1 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 2.1 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

EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURTS *continued*

the ANZSOC classification. The offences in this category are also included 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 2.2: OUTCOME OF CHARGE

Charge

Table 2.2 shows the court outcomes for all charges. Where a person was charged with more than one offence, each charge is counted separately. Dismissed charges are separated from those which were 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.

Charge outcomes

Some of the major charge outcomes are:

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 of the Act, 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.

TABLES 2.3 AND 2.4: OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE

Table 2.3 presents court outcomes for persons charged. Table 2.4 presents this information for those persons identifying as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander 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.

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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 were sentenced after entering a guilty plea.

Sentenced after guilty plea

This category includes appearances 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 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 2.5 AND 2.6: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AND BAIL STATUS

Tables 2.5 and 2.6 present the outcome for each finalised 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 2.7 TO 2.10: PENALTIES FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

Tables 2.7 to 2.10 present the penalties imposed for the principal offence in finalised Children's Court appearances. Tables 2.8 and 2.10 report on persons who identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURTS *continued*

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 type is the principal offence. The hierarchy of Children's Court penalties are:
 - (i) Control order - a fixed term or non-parole period of 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.
- 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 2.9 shows the average duration of principal penalties which involve a time component and the average dollar amount of fines imposed, where a fine was the principal penalty. Table 2.10 presents this information for persons who identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database.

Control orders

When sentencing an offender to a control order, the court sets a non-parole period and total term. The non-parole period must not be less than three quarters of the total 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 control orders of six months or less, the court may not set a non-parole period.

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The average durations shown in Tables 2.9 and 2.10 include only the non-parole period where a non-parole period has been specified and the total term where no non-parole period has been set. Cumulative terms are excluded from these tables. Where a cumulative term was imposed, only the non-parole period duration for the principal offence is shown. Note that a control order of a maximum of two years can be imposed in the Children's Courts for any one offence but the Children's Court may impose a cumulative term of up to three years.

Aggregate Control Orders

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. This also applies to control orders.

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 should include a non-parole period for any standard non-parole period offences. The court may impose an aggregate sentence for some offences and separate control orders for other offences.

Where an aggregate control order 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.

Community Service Order (CSO)

The *Children (Community Service Orders) Act* 1987 allows for a maximum of 100 hours community service for an offence committed by a person under 16 years of age and a maximum of 250 hours for an offence committed by a person aged 16 years or older.

TABLES 2.11, 2.11a AND 2.11b: MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE, AGE, GENDER

These tables detail the most serious offence, age and gender of all persons having finalised appearances in the Children's Courts (irrespective of whether the offence was proven). These tables are not equivalent to those detailing age and gender of offenders in the Local and Higher Courts, which show the principal offence rather than the most serious offence. For Tables 2.11, 2.11a and 2.11b age is calculated as at the date of finalisation. 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 2.12: COURT DELAY

Table 2.12 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 matters 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 cannot be added. Where a person's bail status changed in the course of the proceedings the duration may have been affected.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - CHILDREN'S COURTS *continued***TABLE 2.13: PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES**

Table 2.13 provides information on prior proven offences for persons found guilty in the Children's Courts. The Bureau's 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 NSW 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. If a person has multiple prior proven offences they are included in one category only and in the following order of priority:

Prior proven offences of the same type, with a custodial penalty

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 (i.e. imprisonment or control order) on at least one occasion, for an offence of this type.

Prior proven offences of the same type, without a custodial penalty

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 imprisonment or a control order for that offence.

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 custodial penalty (i.e. imprisonment or a control order) as well as non-custodial penalties.

No prior proven offences

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

EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS

TABLES 3.1 AND 3.2: PERSONS APPEARING IN HIGHER CRIMINAL COURTS

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 has had 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.

Section 3 of 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, they 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, COMMITTAL TYPE, OFFENCE TYPE AND NUMBER

Year of committal

Table 3.3 shows the length of time cases require to be processed in the Higher Courts. More detailed information for each Registry is provided in Tables 3.14a to 3.14i.

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.

The counting rules applied to Table 3.4 are different from those applied in other tables in this section. Where persons are charged with more than one offence and those offences fall within different offence groups, they are counted once in each of the relevant offence division totals. However, persons are counted only once per court finalisation in the grand total. Accordingly, the sum of the offence division totals for persons charged does not equal the grand total of persons charged.

For example, if a person had a finalised assault charge and a finalised drug charge, they appear in the assault division total and also in the drug offence division total but only once in the grand total. Conversely, if a person had two assault charges finalised in June and then a second set of assault charges finalised in September, they appear twice in the assault division subtotal and twice in the grand total.

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). 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 are also included 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

Table 3.5 indicates the number of offences and persons charged in finalised trial and sentence appearances.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued***TABLE 3.6 AND 3.7: OUTCOME OF APPEARANCE**

Table 3.6 presents court outcomes for persons charged in District and Supreme Courts. Table 3.7 presents this information for persons who identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander at any court appearance since 1994. Indigenous status is sourced from the Bureau's Reoffending Database. Cases involving a trial before a Judge and jury (or a Judge alone) are separated from those where the accused pleaded guilty to all charges, where no charges were proceeded with, or where charges were otherwise disposed of. The outcome types are:

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 published reports prior to 2012, these were recorded in the 'Acquitted of all charges' category. This data is available from 2008 on request.

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

Trial committal: Persons committed for trial who entered a guilty plea after committal, either before or during the trial. Persons who entered a guilty plea and were also found guilty/ acquitted of other charges at trial are excluded.

Sentence committal: Persons committed for sentence after entering a guilty plea in the lower court.

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 TO 3.11: PENALTIES IMPOSED FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

Tables 3.8 and 3.11 present the penalties imposed for the principal offence. Table 3.9 reports on drug offences only. ANZSOC does not include the type of drug in the offence classification. Drug type is therefore derived from 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 3.10 presents the penalties imposed for the principal offence for those persons who had identified as being Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander 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.

EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

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 as the offence which received the most serious penalty according to the following rules:

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

Quantum of penalty

Table 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.

Imprisonment

When sentencing an offender to imprisonment, the court sets a total term and may impose 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 imprisonment sentences of six months or less, the court may not set a non-parole period.

The average durations shown in Table 3.11 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. 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 should include 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.

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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, AGE, GENDER

These tables detail the principal offence, age and gender of all persons found guilty in the Higher Court. Age is calculated as at the date of the offence in the Higher Court collection; however it is calculated as at the date of finalisation in the Local and Children's Courts.

TABLES 3.13 AND 3.14a TO 3.14i: BAIL STATUS

Bail status refers to the accused's bail status at the hearing which disposed of the matter. Note that with trial cases, those who are on bail but 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 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'.

TABLE 3.14a TO 3.14i: COURT DELAY

These tables give an indication of the time taken to dispose of a case for trial and sentence matters by the accused's bail status at the time the matter was disposed. They show 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 trial and/or sentences matters with very long duration times 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 cannot be added. Where a person's bail status changed in the course of the proceedings the duration may have been affected.

The stages of proceedings are categorised as follows:

Offence to committal

The time from the date of the earliest offence to the date the matter was committed.

Committal to outcome

The time from date the matter was 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 matter.

Outcome to sentence

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

EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued***TABLE 3.15: PRIOR PROVEN OFFENCES**

Table 3.15 provides information on prior proven offences for persons found guilty in the Higher Courts. The Bureau's Reoffending Database (ROD) is used to derive an offending history for individuals by searching and matching court records over the previous 10 years. Court records from the NSW 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. If a person has multiple prior proven offences they are included in one category only and in the following order of priority:

Prior proven offences of the same type, with a custodial penalty

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 (i.e. imprisonment or a control order) on at least one occasion, for an offence of this type.

Prior proven offences of the same type, without a custodial penalty

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 imprisonment or a control order for that offence.

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 custodial penalty (i.e. imprisonment or a control order) as well as non-custodial penalties.

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.

TABLE 3.16: OUTCOME OF APPEAL, TYPE OF APPEAL

Table 3.16 presents the outcomes of 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:

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.

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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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APPENDIX 1

NOTES ON PENALTIES

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.

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'. Intensive Correction Orders replaced the penalty of periodic detention in October 2010.

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 1 September 2013 were not eligible for diversion. In 2013, two people were referred to Cedar Cottage.

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.

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.

APPENDIX 2

PENALTY HIERARCHY FOR PRINCIPAL OFFENCE

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. Probation order
11. Fine
12. Children's Court bond
13. Nominal sentence (Rising of the Court)
14. Dismissed with caution
15. Conviction without penalty
16. Good behaviour bond without conviction
17. No conviction recorded

APPENDIX 3

DISTRICT COURTS IN REGISTRY REGIONS

1. **Sydney Registry**
Sydney

2. **Sydney West Registry**
Campbelltown
Parramatta
Penrith

3. **Newcastle Registry**
East Maitland
Gosford
Moree
Newcastle
Port Macquarie
Tamworth
Taree

4. **Wollongong Registry**
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 GREATER SYDNEY STATISTICAL AREAS****Greater Sydney Statistical Areas*****Blacktown***

Blacktown

Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury

Hawkesbury*

The Hills Shire*

Central Coast

Gosford

Wyong

City and Inner South

Botany Bay

Marrickville*

Sydney*

Eastern Suburbs

Randwick*

Waverley

Woollahra

Inner South West

Bankstown*

Canterbury*

Hurstville

Kogarah

Rockdale*

Inner West

Ashfield

Burwood

Canada Bay

Leichhardt

Strathfield*

North Sydney and Hornsby

Hornsby*

Ku-ring-gai

Lane Cove

Mosman

North Sydney

Willoughby

Northern Beaches

Manly

Pittwater

Warringah

Outer South West

Camden*

Campbelltown*

Wollondilly*

Outer West and Blue Mountains

Blue Mountains*

Penrith*

Parramatta

Auburn

Holroyd*

Parramatta*

Ryde

Hunters Hill

Ryde*

South West

Fairfield*

Liverpool*

Sutherland

Sutherland Shire*

Wollongong

Shellharbour

* These LGAs span across two or more Statistical Areas.

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

APPENDIX 4 *continued***LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS IN NSW REGIONAL STATISTICAL AREAS****NSW Regional Statistical Areas**

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

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