

# Crime In North Carolina - 2016

## Annual Summary Report of 2016 Uniform Crime Reporting Data<sup>1</sup>

North Carolina State Bureau of Investigation

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The rate per 100,000 people of Crime Index offenses reported to law enforcement agencies throughout North Carolina decreased 0.6 percent during 2016 when compared to the figures reported in 2015.

The rate of violent crime (which includes murder, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault) increased 5.2 percent statewide. Individually, the murder rate increased 21.1 percent, the rape rate increased 8.2 percent, the robbery rate increased 4.9 percent, and the aggravated assault rate increased 4.8 percent.

The rate of property crime (which consists of burglary, larceny, and motor vehicle theft) decreased 1.4 percent across the state. The rate for burglary decreased 6.2 percent and larceny decreased 0.5 percent. The motor vehicle theft rate increased 13.1 percent. A property crime not included with the other Index offenses, the arson rate decreased 1.3 percent.

For Crime Index offenses, the number of juveniles under the age of 18 arrested declined 8 percent in 2016, while adults arrested for Crime Index offenses also decreased 1%. For violent crime, juveniles under the age of 18 arrested decreased 8 percent, while adult arrests increased 6 percent. For property crime, the number of juveniles under 18 arrested declined 8 percent, while adult arrests also decreased 3 percent.

**TABLE 1 — Statewide Crime Index Rate per 100,000 Persons<sup>2</sup>  
Percent Change from 2015 to 2016**

	Index <sup>3</sup> Crime Rate	Violent Crime Rate	Property Crime Rate	Violent Crime Rates				Property Crime Rates			Arson
				Murder	Rape	Robbery	Agg. Assault	Burglary	Larceny	MVT	
<b>2015 Rate</b>	3,174.3	356.2	2,818.2	5.7	19.5	91.4	239.5	768.9	1,913.8	135.5	15.1
<b>2016 Rate</b>	3,154.5	374.9	2,779.7	6.9	21.1	95.9	251.0	721.6	1,904.7	153.3	14.9
<b>Percent Change</b>	<b>-0.6%</b>	<b>+5.2%</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>	<b>+21.1%</b>	<b>+8.2%</b>	<b>+4.9%</b>	<b>+4.8%</b>	<b>-6.2%</b>	<b>-0.5%</b>	<b>+13.1%</b>	<b>-1.3%</b>

<sup>1</sup>Detailed crime statistics covering the entire state are available online at: <http://crimereporting.ncsbi.gov>

<sup>2</sup>The crime rate is defined as the number of offenses per 100,000 population. It is derived by first dividing a jurisdiction's population by 100,000 and then dividing the number of offenses by the resulting figure. The population figures used to calculate population coverage and crime rates are based on population data from the North Carolina Office of State Budget, Planning and Management.

### <sup>3</sup>OFFENSE DEFINITIONS

The Crime Index includes the total number of murders, rapes, robberies, aggravated assaults, burglaries, larcenies, and motor vehicle thefts. While arson is considered an Index Crime, the number of arsons is not included in the Crime Index tables.

**Violent Crime** includes the offenses of murder, rape, robbery, and aggravated assault as defined below.

**Murder** - The willful (non-negligent) killing of one human being by another.

**Forcible Rape** - The carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will. Assaults or attempts to commit rape by force are also included.

**Robbery** - The taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence, and/or by putting the victim in fear.

**Aggravated Assault** - An unlawful attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe bodily injury. This type of assault is usually accompanied by the use of a weapon or other means likely to produce death or serious bodily harm. Includes attempted assaults.

**Property Crime** includes the offenses of burglary, larceny, and motor vehicle theft as defined below.

**Burglary** - The unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or theft. Includes attempted forcible entry.

**Larceny** - The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession or constructive possession of another.

**Motor Vehicle Theft** - The theft or attempted theft of a motor vehicle.

**Arson** - Any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without the intent to defraud.

**NOTE:** Information in this report represents data submitted by law enforcement agencies to the Uniform Crime Reporting Program as of November 7, 2017.

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**TABLE 2 — Crime Index Offenses by Type**

	2015	2016	% Change		2015	2016	% Change
<b>Murder</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>+20%</b>	<b>Larceny/Theft</b>	<b>185,873</b>	<b>186,450</b>	<b>+0%</b>
<b>Rape</b>	<b>1,898</b>	<b>2,067</b>	<b>+9%</b>	All Other	77,489	73,476	-5%
<b>Robbery</b>	<b>8,878</b>	<b>9,384</b>	<b>+6%</b>	Bicycles	3,230	3,251	+1%
Highways	2,100	2,115	+1%	From Buildings	14,556	14,089	-3%
Commercial House	1,111	1,304	+17%	Coin Machines	641	628	-2%
Gas/Service Station	277	316	+14%	From Motor Vehicles	41,048	46,948	+14%
Convenience Store	630	667	+6%	MV Parts & Accessories	9,941	9,330	-6%
Residence	2,368	2,485	+5%	Pocket-Picking	619	672	+9%
Bank	127	159	+25%	Purse-Snatching	640	626	-2%
Miscellaneous	2,265	2,338	+3%	Shoplifting	37,709	37,430	-1%
<b>Aggravated Assault</b>	<b>23,257</b>	<b>24,572</b>	<b>+6%</b>	<b>MV Theft</b>	<b>13,156</b>	<b>15,007</b>	<b>+14%</b>
<b>Burglary</b>	<b>74,676</b>	<b>70,635</b>	<b>-5%</b>	Automobiles	9,275	11,345	+22%
Residence Total	57,988	53,987	-7%	Trucks/Buses	1,230	1,341	+9%
Non-Residence Total	16,688	16,648	-0%	Other Vehicles	2,651	2,321	-12%
				<b>Arson</b>	<b>1,468</b>	<b>1,454</b>	<b>-1%</b>

**TABLE 3 — Violent Crime Offenses by Weapon**

	2015	2016	% Change		2015	2016	% Change
<b>Murder</b>				<b>Rape</b>			
Handgun	264	298	+13%	Handgun	53	44	-17%
Shotgun	22	24	+9%	Rifle	1	0	-100%
Rifle	14	17	+21%	Shotgun	4	1	-75%
Other/Undeter. Firearm	87	128	+47%	Other/Undeter. Firearm	3	13	+333%
Knife/Cutting Instrument	41	52	+27%	Knife/Cutting Instrument	45	49	+9%
Blunt Object	11	15	+36%	Blunt Object	7	7	+0%
Other Weapon	21	22	+5%	Hands, Fist, Feet, Etc.	1,443	1,593	+10%
Hands, Fist, Feet, Etc.	47	55	+17%	Other Weapon	19	27	+42%
Unknown	51	60	+18%	Unknown	323	333	+3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>558</b>	<b>671</b>	<b>+20%</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,898</b>	<b>2,067</b>	<b>+9%</b>
<b>Robbery</b>				<b>Aggravated Assault</b>			
Firearm	4,691	5,102	+9%	Firearm	9,704	10,827	+12%
Knife/Cutting Instrument	578	617	+7%	Knife/Cutting Instrument	3,800	3,815	+0%
Other Dangerous Weapon	747	732	-2%	Other Dangerous Weapon	5,111	5,238	+2%
Hands, Fist, Feet, Etc.	2,862	2,933	+2%	Hands, Fist, Feet, Etc.	4,642	4,692	+1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>8,878</b>	<b>9,384</b>	<b>+6%</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>23,257</b>	<b>24,572</b>	<b>+6%</b>

**TABLE 4 — Murder Offenses by Relationship of Victim to Offender<sup>1</sup>**

	2015	2016		2015	2016	% Change <sup>2</sup>
Husband/Common-Law	9	6		Other Family	11	21
Wife/Common-Law	10	21		Acquaintance	104	113
In-law	1	0		Friend	39	13
Ex-Husband	2	0		Boyfriend	6	9
Ex-Wife	2	3		Girlfriend	19	26
Mother/Stepmother	4	1		Neighbor	8	10
Father/Stepfather	6	7		Other Known	36	38
Son/Stepson	5	8		<b>Total Known to Victim</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>294</b>
Daughter/Stepdaughter	6	14		<b>Stranger</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>40</b>
Brother/Stepbrother	3	4		<b>Unable to Determine</b>	<b>669</b>	<b>780</b>
Sister/Stepsister	0	0		<b>Total</b>	<b>998</b>	<b>1,114</b>
						<b>+12%</b>

<sup>1</sup>Relationship count is higher than the number of victims due to the fact that a victim may have more than one offender. This table counts relationships between a victim and possible multiple offenders.

<sup>2</sup>Due to small numbers, percent change is only calculated on the last four categories.

**TABLE 5 — Crime Index Offenses for Selected Cities and County Sheriff Offices<sup>1</sup>**

MUNICIPAL POLICE												
Total % Change	YR	Total Index	Violent	Property	VIOLENT CRIME				PROPERTY CRIME			
					Murder	Rape	Robbery	Agg. Assault	Burglary	Larceny	MVT	Arson
Asheville	15	4,823	444	4,379	7	33	147	257	851	3,282	246	16
+1%	16	4,892	536	4,356	9	48	144	335	751	3,345	260	7
Cary	15	1,986	80	1,906	5	10	24	41	330	1,521	55	4
-9%	16	1,800	150	1,650	1	20	68	61	232	1,359	59	7
Charlotte-Mecklenburg	15	39,236	5,938	33,298	60	212	1,947	3,719	6,832	24,261	2,205	216
+11%	16	43,400	6,564	36,836	69	221	2,120	4,154	6,740	27,351	2,745	220
Concord	15	2,451	132	2,319	5	10	57	60	289	1,935	95	5
-5%	16	2,328	124	2,204	5	13	45	61	346	1,757	101	8
Durham	15	12,790	2,182	10,608	36	72	735	1,339	3,185	6,824	599	31
-4%	16	12,259	2,223	10,036	36	77	857	1,253	2,573	6,766	697	22
Fayetteville	15	10,904	1,190	9,714	18	71	386	715	2,142	7,164	408	49
-2%	16	10,730	1,532	9,198	33	99	317	1,083	1,868	6,939	391	60
Gaston County Police	15	1,198	146	1,052	3	14	9	120	367	567	118	10
+1%	16	1,210	176	1,034	11	15	20	130	345	569	120	17
Gastonia	15	4,358	530	3,828	5	29	136	360	623	2,955	250	15
+1%	16	4,385	634	3,751	8	22	159	445	593	2,896	262	14
Greensboro	15	11,914	1,706	10,208	26	71	530	1,079	2,369	7,301	538	96
+0%	16	11,920	1,935	9,985	38	89	565	1,243	2,309	6,930	746	117
Greenville	15	3,818	510	3,308	7	37	138	328	740	2,480	88	6
+10%	16	4,205	497	3,708	6	16	153	322	870	2,728	110	5
High Point	15	4,331	613	3,718	9	36	196	372	723	2,781	214	11
+9%	16	4,703	721	3,982	7	36	220	458	781	2,992	209	9
Jacksonville	15	1,811	105	1,706	2	16	33	54	287	1,368	51	7
+20%	16	2,165	199	1,966	3	25	43	128	398	1,488	80	5
Raleigh	15	12,720	1,909	10,811	16	95	661	1,137	2,015	8,151	645	45
+1%	16	12,844	1,780	11,064	24	115	637	1,004	2,153	8,171	740	34
Wilmington	15	6,054	878	5,176	12	60	277	529	1,408	3,476	292	9
-9%	16	5,528	756	4,772	15	43	203	495	1,277	3,220	275	11
Winston-Salem	15	15,107	1,831	13,276	15	94	439	1,283	3,653	8,961	662	97
-3%	16	14,680	1,997	12,683	24	102	452	1,419	3,233	8,723	727	86
COUNTY SHERIFFS												
Buncombe Co. Sheriff	15	2,131	128	2,003	4	12	26	86	708	1,167	128	18
-7%	16	1,977	155	1,822	5	9	28	113	665	1,018	139	8
Davidson Co. Sheriff	15	1,744	80	1,664	1	5	17	57	968	603	93	14
-2%	16	1,713	104	1,609	5	5	21	73	935	556	118	5
Forsyth Co. Sheriff	15	2,227	269	1,958	3	14	26	226	613	1,250	95	19
+10%	16	2,441	275	2,166	2	13	40	220	551	1,507	108	19
Guilford Co. Sheriff	15	1,567	167	1,400	3	12	23	129	575	763	62	14
-7%	16	1,450	151	1,299	1	9	19	122	491	735	73	12
Harnett Co. Sheriff	15	2,347	214	2,133	4	15	35	160	715	1,314	104	10
-11%	16	2,098	234	1,864	4	14	33	183	731	1,031	102	18
Iredell Co. Sheriff	15	1,493	150	1,343	2	6	8	134	451	785	107	5
+11%	16	1,652	206	1,446	3	11	17	175	457	872	117	4
Johnston Co. Sheriff	15	2,037	145	1,892	2	22	29	92	801	1,014	77	2
-0%	16	2,034	160	1,874	3	16	39	102	776	1,000	98	7
Onslow Co. Sheriff	15	2,939	197	2,742	6	27	29	135	832	1,819	91	25
-10%	16	2,659	245	2,414	10	30	25	180	709	1,613	92	16
Union Co. Sheriff	15	2,213	138	2,075	1	12	15	110	586	1,403	86	14
+3%	16	2,282	179	2,103	7	21	35	116	618	1,387	98	16
Wake Co. Sheriff	15	1,935	138	1,797	1	9	22	106	640	1,032	125	8
-4%	16	1,851	173	1,678	5	15	25	128	582	967	129	14

<sup>1</sup>Selected agencies are based on the 15 largest cities and the 10 largest county sheriff offices reporting 12 months of crime data.

**NOTE:** Because of differences in reporting methodology and reporting timetables, crime totals herein may slightly differ from data released by individual agencies.

**TABLE 6 — Crime Rates Per 100,000 by County**

County	Year	Index Crime Rate <sup>1</sup>	Violent Crime Rate	Property Crime Rate	County	Year	Index Crime Rate <sup>1</sup>	Violent Crime Rate	Property Crime Rate
Alamance	2015	2,954.0	399.7	2,554.3	Cumberland	2015	5,107.1	554.8	4,552.3
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,842.3</b>	<b>403.0</b>	<b>2,439.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,895.2</b>	<b>670.7</b>	<b>4,224.6</b>
Alexander	2015	1,823.9	163.9	1,660.0	Currituck	2015	1,687.1	147.6	1,539.6
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,013.1</b>	<b>224.0</b>	<b>1,789.1</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,525.7</b>	<b>144.4</b>	<b>1,381.4</b>
Alleghany	2015	1,188.9	75.0	1,114.0	Dare	2015	4,068.9	220.2	3,848.7
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,072.9</b>	<b>138.1</b>	<b>934.8</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,086.0</b>	<b>222.2</b>	<b>3,863.8</b>
Anson	2015	2,998.3	502.8	2,495.5	Davidson	2015	2,330.0	166.0	2,164.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,238.9</b>	<b>443.6</b>	<b>2,795.4</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,264.9</b>	<b>166.0</b>	<b>2,098.9</b>
Ashe	2015	1,318.9	112.9	1,205.9	Davie	2015	2,186.9	138.2	2,048.7
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,200.1</b>	<b>106.1</b>	<b>1,094.0</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,825.7</b>	<b>163.7</b>	<b>1,662.0</b>
Avery	2015	1,162.9	118.5	1,044.3	Duplin	2015	2,266.5	228.5	2,037.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,389.0</b>	<b>221.1</b>	<b>1,167.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,038.8</b>	<b>215.8</b>	<b>1,823.0</b>
Beaufort	2015	2,607.5	330.4	2,277.1	Durham	2015	4,923.7	785.0	4,138.8
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,544.2</b>	<b>291.6</b>	<b>2,252.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,618.6</b>	<b>795.4</b>	<b>3,823.2</b>
Bertie	2015	2,285.3	129.4	2,155.8	Edgecombe <sup>6</sup>	2015	3,290.3	546.6	2,743.7
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,919.7</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>1,719.7</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,253.8</b>	<b>565.2</b>	<b>2,688.6</b>
Bladen <sup>5</sup>	2015	2,727.1	411.8	2,315.3	Forsyth	2015	5,133.3	597.2	4,536.0
	<b>2016</b>	-	-	-		<b>2016</b>	<b>5,090.8</b>	<b>651.5</b>	<b>4,439.2</b>
Brunswick <sup>2,3</sup>	2015	1,811.6	130.6	1,681.1	Franklin	2015	1,758.5	152.7	1,605.8
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,981.3</b>	<b>147.6</b>	<b>1,833.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,999.5</b>	<b>147.2</b>	<b>1,852.3</b>
Buncombe	2015	2,947.9	239.1	2,708.9	Gaston	2015	3,436.7	396.6	3,040.1
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,846.0</b>	<b>282.6</b>	<b>2,563.3</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,525.7</b>	<b>473.5</b>	<b>3,052.2</b>
Burke	2015	2,230.0	178.8	2,051.2	Gates <sup>4,5</sup>	2015	-	-	-
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,514.8</b>	<b>206.9</b>	<b>2,307.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	-	-	-
Cabarrus	2015	2,107.5	130.8	1,976.6	Graham	2015	2,817.7	190.2	2,627.5
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,023.7</b>	<b>136.6</b>	<b>1,887.1</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,445.2</b>	<b>347.6</b>	<b>2,097.6</b>
Caldwell	2015	3,074.7	135.4	2,939.3	Granville	2015	2,882.8	275.6	2,607.2
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,244.0</b>	<b>197.3</b>	<b>3,046.7</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,728.6</b>	<b>304.5</b>	<b>2,424.0</b>
Camden	2015	744.7	68.6	676.1	Greene <sup>4,5</sup>	2015	-	-	-
	<b>2016</b>	<b>727.0</b>	<b>98.2</b>	<b>628.7</b>		<b>2016</b>	-	-	-
Carteret	2015	2,868.1	243.7	2,624.4	Guilford	2015	3,497.8	483.8	3,014.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,837.1</b>	<b>239.2</b>	<b>2,597.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,529.9</b>	<b>541.4</b>	<b>2,988.5</b>
Caswell	2015	2,054.9	250.0	1,804.9	Halifax	2015	4,475.8	487.8	3,988.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,923.2</b>	<b>309.2</b>	<b>1,614.0</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,075.7</b>	<b>425.6</b>	<b>3,650.0</b>
Catawba	2015	3,113.6	272.6	2,841.0	Harnett	2015	2,422.2	223.7	2,198.5
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,052.8</b>	<b>280.3</b>	<b>2,772.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,640.1</b>	<b>278.5</b>	<b>2,361.6</b>
Chatham	2015	2,093.3	174.2	1,919.1	Haywood	2015	2,557.0	268.7	2,288.3
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,758.9</b>	<b>166.8</b>	<b>1,592.1</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,133.7</b>	<b>306.8</b>	<b>2,826.9</b>
Cherokee	2015	3,133.6	260.8	2,872.8	Henderson	2015	1,893.0	154.2	1,738.8
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,340.6</b>	<b>210.6</b>	<b>3,130.0</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,904.0</b>	<b>151.1</b>	<b>1,752.9</b>
Chowan	2015	2,131.7	198.1	1,933.6	Hertford	2015	2,802.1	230.7	2,571.4
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,537.7</b>	<b>591.4</b>	<b>1,946.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,722.4</b>	<b>287.0</b>	<b>2,435.4</b>
Clay	2015	3,131.4	176.0	2,955.3	Hoke <sup>2</sup>	2015	2,051.7	174.6	1,877.1
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,754.6</b>	<b>235.6</b>	<b>2,519.0</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,474.1</b>	<b>158.4</b>	<b>2,315.7</b>
Cleveland <sup>2</sup>	2015	2,324.2	246.2	2,078.0	Hyde <sup>4,5</sup>	2015	-	-	-
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,979.8</b>	<b>167.8</b>	<b>1,812.0</b>		<b>2016</b>	-	-	-
Columbus	2015	4,064.7	438.2	3,626.5	Iredell	2015	2,775.4	251.8	2,523.6
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,364.2</b>	<b>348.7</b>	<b>3,015.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,106.7</b>	<b>312.6</b>	<b>2,794.1</b>
Craven <sup>2</sup>	2015	2,630.2	223.6	2,406.5	Jackson	2015	2,865.2	254.2	2,611.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,886.4</b>	<b>281.1</b>	<b>2,605.3</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,021.8</b>	<b>211.4</b>	<b>2,810.5</b>

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<sup>6</sup> Crimes reported in Rocky Mount have been separated into county of occurrence for Edgecombe and Nash Counties.

**TABLE 6 — Crime Rates Per 100,000 by County**

County	Year	Index Crime Rate <sup>1</sup>	Violent Crime Rate	Property Crime Rate	County	Year	Index Crime Rate <sup>1</sup>	Violent Crime Rate	Property Crime Rate
Johnston	2015	2,249.9	189.1	2,060.8	Randolph <sup>2</sup>	2015	2,570.4	140.7	2,429.7
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,187.1</b>	<b>176.8</b>	<b>2,010.3</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,970.1</b>	<b>198.2</b>	<b>2,771.9</b>
Jones <sup>4,5</sup>	2015	-	-	-	Richmond	2015	5,432.0	586.2	4,845.8
	<b>2016</b>	-	-	-		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,753.8</b>	<b>566.7</b>	<b>4,187.2</b>
Lee	2015	2,359.9	229.4	2,130.5	Robeson <sup>3</sup>	2015	6,562.1	910.8	5,651.3
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,546.6</b>	<b>218.4</b>	<b>2,328.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>5,746.3</b>	<b>779.4</b>	<b>4,966.9</b>
Lenoir	2015	4,169.2	707.2	3,462.0	Rockingham	2015	3,052.3	268.8	2,783.5
	<b>2016</b>	<b>4,055.6</b>	<b>657.7</b>	<b>3,397.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,030.8</b>	<b>308.5</b>	<b>2,722.3</b>
Lincoln	2015	2,027.4	167.1	1,860.3	Rowan	2015	2,743.5	331.0	2,412.5
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,921.5</b>	<b>149.9</b>	<b>1,771.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,733.4</b>	<b>418.9</b>	<b>2,314.5</b>
Macon <sup>2,3</sup>	2015	2,555.8	87.1	2,468.6	Rutherford	2015	3,076.0	195.9	2,880.1
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,478.8</b>	<b>86.3</b>	<b>2,392.5</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,913.2</b>	<b>252.8</b>	<b>2,660.4</b>
Madison	2015	1,068.1	64.6	1,003.5	Sampson	2015	2,394.0	205.0	2,189.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,064.6</b>	<b>34.7</b>	<b>1,029.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,462.7</b>	<b>241.2</b>	<b>2,221.5</b>
Martin	2015	4,111.5	501.8	<b>3,609.7</b>	Scotland	2015	4,840.7	650.8	4,190.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,267.9</b>	<b>400.1</b>	<b>2,867.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,652.3</b>	<b>744.3</b>	<b>3,908.0</b>
McDowell	2015	3,230.7	146.3	3,084.3	Stanly	2015	2,469.9	211.0	2,258.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,121.3</b>	<b>161.9</b>	<b>2,959.4</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,712.5</b>	<b>273.3</b>	<b>2,439.2</b>
Mecklenburg	2015	4,275.7	613.5	3,662.3	Stokes	2015	2,134.4	213.0	1,921.4
	<b>2016</b>	<b>4,674.8</b>	<b>658.0</b>	<b>4,016.8</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,271.8</b>	<b>153.8</b>	<b>2,117.9</b>
Mitchell <sup>4,5</sup>	2015	-	-	-	Surry	2015	2,893.9	194.8	2,699.0
	<b>2016</b>	-	-	-		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,001.0</b>	<b>167.9</b>	<b>2,833.1</b>
Montgomery	2015	2,843.3	190.5	2,652.8	Swain	2015	2,885.0	221.1	2,663.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,357.5</b>	<b>240.8</b>	<b>2,116.7</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,238.4</b>	<b>199.0</b>	<b>2,039.4</b>
Moore	2015	2,049.4	183.4	1,866.0	Transylvania	2015	1,471.8	122.7	1,349.2
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,752.1</b>	<b>166.9</b>	<b>1,585.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,588.4</b>	<b>112.6</b>	<b>1,475.8</b>
Nash <sup>6</sup>	2015	3,012.3	361.7	2,650.6	Tyrrell	2015	1,641.3	169.0	1,472.4
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,529.2</b>	<b>360.9</b>	<b>2,168.4</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,138.2</b>	<b>189.7</b>	<b>948.5</b>
New Hanover	2015	4,140.1	500.9	3,639.3	Union	2015	2,241.7	182.3	2,059.4
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,697.9</b>	<b>437.0</b>	<b>3,260.9</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,323.9</b>	<b>215.4</b>	<b>2,108.5</b>
Northampton	2015	2,739.3	159.1	2,580.3	Vance	2015	4,940.4	665.5	4,274.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,786.7</b>	<b>190.4</b>	<b>1,596.3</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>4,031.3</b>	<b>507.8</b>	<b>3,523.5</b>
Onslow	2015	2,889.5	184.1	2,705.4	Wake	2015	2,236.5	246.5	1,990.0
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,899.6</b>	<b>261.1</b>	<b>2,638.4</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,158.8</b>	<b>244.0</b>	<b>1,914.8</b>
Orange	2015	2,178.3	148.2	2,030.0	Warren <sup>2</sup>	2015	1,591.6	170.0	1,421.7
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,218.4</b>	<b>172.8</b>	<b>2,045.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,066.1</b>	<b>185.6</b>	<b>1,880.5</b>
Pamlico	2015	1,888.2	106.3	1,781.9	Washington <sup>4,5</sup>	2015	-	-	-
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,728.1</b>	<b>48.9</b>	<b>1,679.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	-	-	-
Pasquotank	2015	2,818.6	332.2	2,486.4	Watauga	2015	1,541.2	97.0	1,444.2
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,296.0</b>	<b>422.4</b>	<b>2,873.6</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,607.8</b>	<b>125.6</b>	<b>1,482.2</b>
Pender	2015	2,374.2	161.2	2,213.0	Wayne	2015	4,100.8	495.2	3,605.6
	<b>2016</b>	<b>2,156.1</b>	<b>112.4</b>	<b>2,043.7</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,566.9</b>	<b>442.0</b>	<b>3,124.9</b>
Perquimans	2015	1,419.4	191.8	1,227.6	Wilkes	2015	2,002.8	181.9	1,820.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,234.6</b>	<b>153.4</b>	<b>1,081.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>1,861.1</b>	<b>208.4</b>	<b>1,652.7</b>
Person	2015	2,325.2	272.5	2,052.7	Wilson	2015	3,810.7	454.8	3,355.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,902.8</b>	<b>262.8</b>	<b>1,640.0</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>3,651.8</b>	<b>398.9</b>	<b>3,252.9</b>
Pitt	2015	3,306.6	441.9	2,864.7	Yadkin	2015	2,556.3	341.4	2,214.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>3,535.1</b>	<b>427.8</b>	<b>3,107.2</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>2,173.1</b>	<b>231.2</b>	<b>1,941.8</b>
Polk	2015	1,354.0	43.4	1,310.7	Yancey	2015	664.5	72.6	591.9
	<b>2016</b>	<b>1,597.8</b>	<b>86.4</b>	<b>1,511.4</b>		<b>2016</b>	<b>707.2</b>	<b>55.7</b>	<b>651.5</b>

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**TABLE 7 — Arrest Total by Offense and Age**

Offense Category	Juveniles Under 18			Adults 18 and Over			All Ages	
	2015 Juvenile Arrests	2016 Juvenile Arrests	15/16 Percent Change	2015 Adult Arrests	2016 Adult Arrests	15/16 Percent Change	2015 Total Arrests	2016 Total Arrests
Murder	65	42	-35%	553	769	+39%	618	811
Forcible Rape	48	25	-48%	391	423	+8%	439	448
Robbery	672	733	+9%	3,267	3,434	+5%	3,939	4,167
Aggravated Assault	800	666	-17%	12,200	12,768	+5%	13,000	13,434
<b>Violent Subtotal</b>	<b>1,585</b>	<b>1,466</b>	<b>-8%</b>	<b>16,411</b>	<b>17,394</b>	<b>+6%</b>	<b>17,996</b>	<b>18,860</b>
Burglary	1,834	1,779	-3%	10,652	10,964	+3%	12,486	12,743
Larceny	5,366	4,824	-10%	44,090	42,146	-4%	49,456	46,970
Motor Vehicle Theft	250	266	+6%	1,051	1,166	+11%	1,301	1,432
<b>Property Subtotal</b>	<b>7,450</b>	<b>6,869</b>	<b>-8%</b>	<b>55,793</b>	<b>54,276</b>	<b>-3%</b>	<b>63,243</b>	<b>61,145</b>
<b>Index Crime Total</b>	<b>9,035</b>	<b>8,335</b>	<b>-8%</b>	<b>72,204</b>	<b>71,670</b>	<b>-1%</b>	<b>81,239</b>	<b>80,005</b>
Arson	75	62	-17%	222	245	+10%	297	307
Manslaughter	1	4	+300%	52	68	+31%	53	72
Simple Assault	5,378	4,899	-9%	47,621	47,585	-0%	52,999	52,484
Forgery, etc.	41	40	-2%	1,932	1,996	+3%	1,973	2,036
Fraud	268	322	+20%	12,831	11,966	-7%	13,099	12,288
Embezzlement	26	39	+50%	1,494	1,523	+2%	1,520	1,562
Stolen Property	568	616	+8%	4,021	4,271	+6%	4,589	4,887
Vandalism	1,295	964	-26%	6,060	6,025	-1%	7,355	6,989
Weapons	975	893	-8%	5,804	6,340	+9%	6,779	7,233
Prostitution	11	7	-36%	524	444	-15%	535	451
Sex Offenses	135	118	-13%	1,302	1,225	-6%	1,437	1,343
Drug Laws	1,917	1,923	+0%	29,159	28,586	-2%	31,076	30,509
Gambling	1	1	+0%	168	124	-26%	169	125
Offenses Against Family	75	58	-23%	7,299	6,835	-6%	7,374	6,893
DWI	298	268	-10%	43,541	39,852	-8%	43,839	40,120
Liquor Laws	841	737	-12%	5,028	4,694	-7%	5,869	5,431
Disorderly Conduct	2,494	2,042	-18%	7,774	7,244	-7%	10,268	9,286
All Other Offenses	4,446	4,211	-5%	119,757	118,836	-1%	124,203	123,047
Runaways	754	800	+6%			N/A	754	800
<b>Non-Index Total</b>	<b>19,599</b>	<b>18,004</b>	<b>-8%</b>	<b>294,589</b>	<b>287,859</b>	<b>-2%</b>	<b>314,188</b>	<b>305,863</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>28,634</b>	<b>26,339</b>	<b>-8%</b>	<b>366,793</b>	<b>359,529</b>	<b>-2%</b>	<b>395,427</b>	<b>385,868</b>

**Table 8 — Crime Index Arrests for Juveniles Under 16 — 2012 to 2016**

Juveniles Under 16	Total Index	Violent	Property	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Agg. Assault	Burglary	Larceny	MVT
2012	3,732	523	3,209	8	25	147	343	787	2,372	50
2013	3,497	551	2,946	5	29	204	313	746	2,149	51
2014	3,236	529	2,707	5	16	164	344	623	2,042	42
2015	3,203	537	2,666	15	21	189	312	720	1,849	97
2016	2,834	434	2,400	2	8	199	225	667	1,639	94
<b>12/16 %</b>	<b>-24%</b>	<b>-17%</b>	<b>-25%</b>	<b>-75%</b>	<b>-68%</b>	<b>+35%</b>	<b>-34%</b>	<b>-15%</b>	<b>-31%</b>	<b>+88%</b>

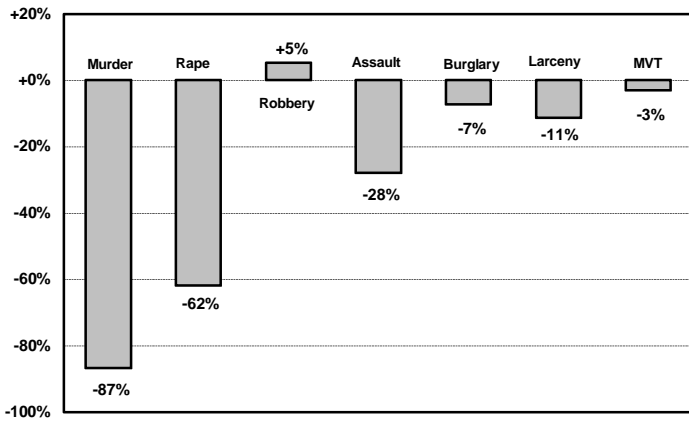
**NOTE:** The Uniform Crime Reporting program defines juvenile arrests as individuals under 18 years of age who are handled or processed by law enforcement in circumstances for which — if the individual were an adult — an arrest would be counted. Officers complete "Juvenile Contact" forms which count juvenile arrests by the offense classification.

# Juvenile Crime Trends

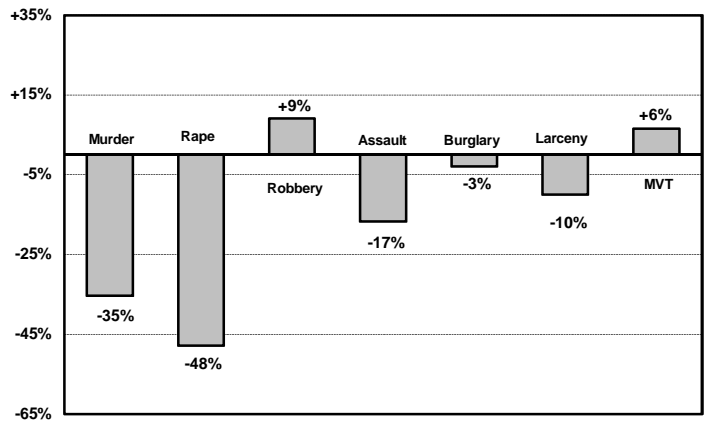
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Percent Change 2015 vs 2016

### Juveniles Under 16



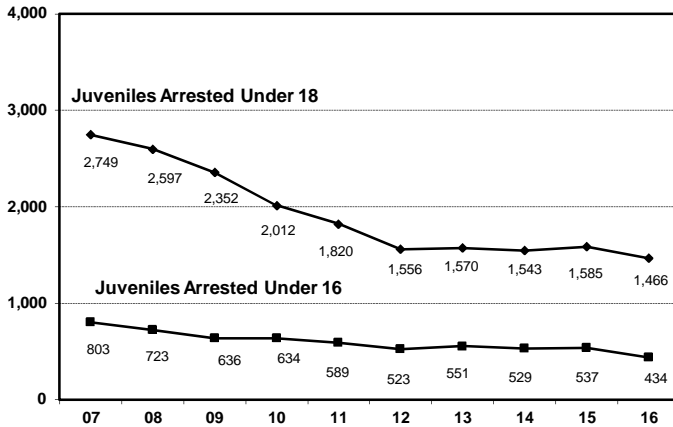
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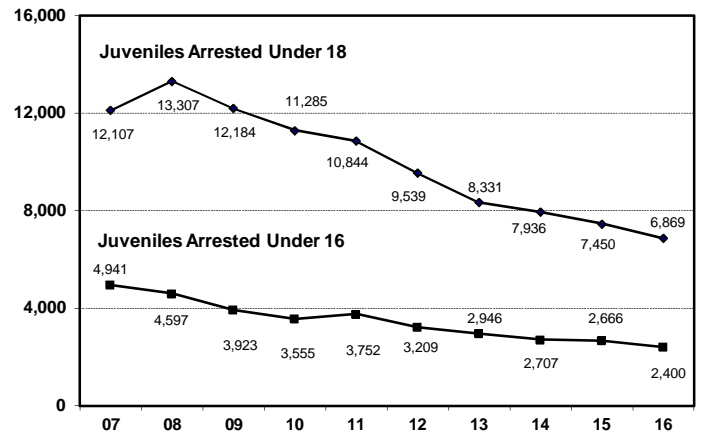
## Juvenile Arrests

2015 - 2016

### Violent Crime



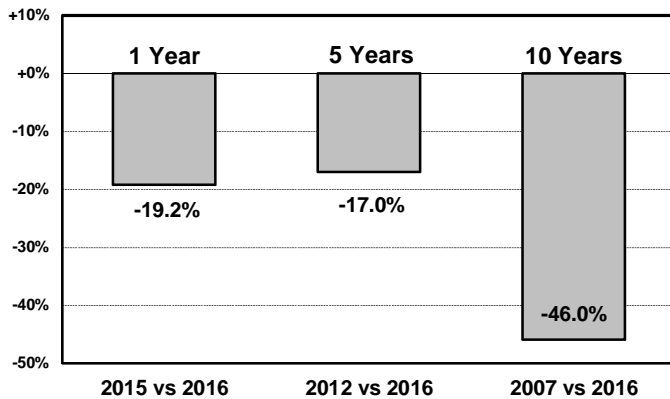
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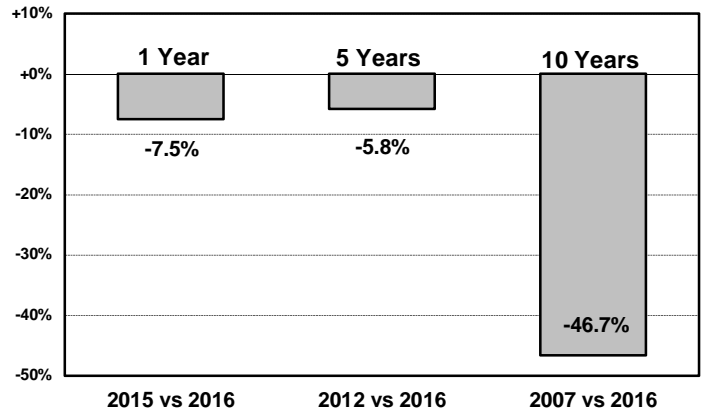
## Juveniles Arrested for Violent Crime

Five & Ten Year Trends

### Juveniles Under 16



### Juveniles Under 18<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup>Includes the category of juveniles under 16.

**TABLE 9 — Crime Index Trends — 2007 to 2016**

<b>Offense Classification<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	
<b>INDEX CRIME</b>	<b>404,863</b>	<b>406,479</b>	<b>374,322</b>	<b>359,854</b>	<b>368,580</b>	<b>357,072</b>	<b>335,963</b>	<b>316,488</b>	<b>308,296</b>	<b>308,786</b>	
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	4,658.6	4,580.1	4,190.8	3,955.2	3,942.9	3,770.6	3,518.7	3,285.5	3,174.3	3,154.5	
<b>VIOLENT CRIME</b>	<b>41,757</b>	<b>42,330</b>	<b>37,260</b>	<b>34,016</b>	<b>33,341</b>	<b>33,984</b>	<b>32,500</b>	<b>32,064</b>	<b>34,591</b>	<b>36,694</b>	
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	480.5	477.0	417.2	373.9	356.7	358.9	340.4	332.9	356.2	374.9	
<b>PROPERTY CRIME</b>	<b>363,106</b>	<b>364,149</b>	<b>337,062</b>	<b>325,838</b>	<b>335,239</b>	<b>323,088</b>	<b>303,463</b>	<b>284,424</b>	<b>273,705</b>	<b>272,092</b>	
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	4,178.1	4,103.1	3,773.6	3,581.3	3,586.2	3,411.7	3,178.3	2,952.7	2,818.2	2,779.7	
<b>VIOLENT CRIME</b>	<b>Murder</b>	606	603	488	467	493	492	481	525	558	671
	<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	7.0	6.8	5.5	5.1	5.3	5.2	5.0	5.5	5.7	6.9
	<b>Rape</b>	2,325	2,233	2,243	1,950	1,948	1,949	1,774	1,741	1,898	2,067
	<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	26.8	25.2	25.1	21.4	20.8	20.6	18.6	18.1	19.5	21.1
	<b>Robbery</b>	13,437	14,105	11,629	9,551	9,459	9,305	9,234	8,447	8,878	9,384
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	154.6	158.9	130.2	105.0	101.2	98.3	96.7	87.7	91.4	95.9	
<b>Agg. Assault</b>	25,389	25,389	22,900	22,048	21,441	22,238	21,011	21,351	23,257	24,572	
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	292.1	286.1	256.4	242.3	229.4	234.8	220.1	221.6	239.5	251.0	
<b>PROPERTY CRIME</b>	<b>Burglary</b>	106,883	109,418	106,115	102,436	104,662	97,654	89,517	79,262	74,676	70,635
	<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	1,229.9	1,232.9	1,188.0	1,125.9	1,119.6	1,031.2	937.5	822.8	768.9	721.6
	<b>Larceny</b>	228,727	228,477	211,300	205,875	213,931	209,568	199,643	191,616	185,873	186,450
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	2,631.9	2,574.4	2,365.6	2,262.8	2,288.5	2,213.0	2,090.9	1,989.2	1,913.8	1,904.7	
<b>MV Theft</b>	27,496	26,254	19,647	17,527	16,646	15,866	14,303	13,546	13,156	15,007	
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	316.4	295.8	220.0	192.6	178.1	167.5	149.8	140.6	135.5	153.3	
<b>Arson</b>	2,298	2,205	2,010	1,878	1,762	1,816	1,519	1,589	1,468	1,454	
<i>Rate per 100,000</i>	26.4	24.8	22.5	20.6	18.8	19.2	15.9	16.5	15.1	14.9	
<b>Est. Population Coverage</b>	<b>8,690,595</b>	<b>8,874,896</b>	<b>8,932,012</b>	<b>9,098,277</b>	<b>9,347,954</b>	<b>9,469,915</b>	<b>9,547,986</b>	<b>9,632,819</b>	<b>9,712,173</b>	<b>9,788,703</b>	
<b>Average % of Pop. Coverage</b>	<b>98.7%</b>	<b>98.4%</b>	<b>97.4%</b>	<b>97.5%</b>	<b>98.0%</b>	<b>98.4%</b>	<b>98.2%</b>	<b>98.2%</b>	<b>98.0%</b>	<b>97.8%</b>	

<sup>1</sup>See front page for OFFENSE DEFINITIONS.