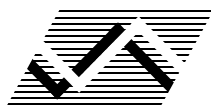


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## INTRODUCTION

This report deals with criminal cases finalised in 2013 in the New South Wales (NSW) Local, Children's, District and Supreme Courts. In contrast to prior NSW Criminal Court reports, this report includes an expanded range of tables and summary tables for the Children's Court which mirror those provided for the Local Courts.

While criminal disposals have fallen in the Local and Children's Courts, they have increased in the Higher Court. In the Local Court, the number of persons/organisations with a finalised matter decreased 3.3 per cent (down from 108,528 in 2012 to 104,982 in 2013) and in the Children's Court there was a 6.5 per cent decrease (down from 7,919 in 2012 to 7,401 in 2013). In contrast, there was a 9.7 per cent increase in persons finalised in trial and sentence matters (up from 3,297 in 2012 to 3,617 in 2013).

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# **NEW SOUTH WALES CRIMINAL COURTS**

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Executive Summary



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

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Total finalisations</b>		
Persons charged	108,528	104,982
Charges determined	239,858	242,337
<b>Persons most frequently charged with</b>		
Regulatory driving offences		
- Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	19,465	19,098
Assault		
- Common assault	15,771	15,454
Driver licence offences		
- Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	12,106	12,284
Possess and/or use illicit drugs		
- Possess illicit drugs	11,181	11,031
<b>Outcome of charges</b>		
Percentage proven		
- Accused present	68.0	69.4
- Conviction ex parte	9.5	9.0
Percentage receiving other outcomes	22.5	21.6

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

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>		
Number of defended hearings	16,281	15,660
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	15.0	14.9
Number of persons found guilty	96,250	93,075
- Percentage of persons found guilty	88.7	88.7
<b>Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons charged	16,354	17,012
Number of defended hearings	3,370	3,384
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	20.6	19.9
Number of persons found guilty	14,153	14,567
- Percentage of persons found guilty	86.5	85.6
<b>Legal representation</b>		
Number of persons represented	68,985	67,837
- Percentage of finalised appearances where persons were represented	64.5	65.1
Percentage of persons found guilty		
- Percentage of represented found guilty	86.0	86.2
- Percentage of unrepresented found guilty	93.9	93.4

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued*

<b>Bail status</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Number of persons refused bail	6,236	6,787
- Percentage of persons refused bail	5.8	6.5
Number of persons granted bail	27,172	24,676
- Percentage of persons granted bail	25.4	23.7
Number of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	71,468	70,003
- Percentage of persons where bail not required or dispensed with	66.8	67.2

**PENALTIES (TABLES 1.7 TO 1.11)**

<b>Imprisonment</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	6,901	7,408
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	7.2	8.0

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

Highest imprisonment rates (a)		
- Breach of custodial order offences	58.9	55.0
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	48.7	49.4
- Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	17.5	25.0

**Highest number of persons sentenced to imprisonment**

Assault	1,231	1,346
Driver licence offences	694	570
Theft (except motor vehicles)	466	556

**Most frequently imposed principal penalty**

Fine	38,782	34,431
Bond without conviction	12,999	13,600
Bond without supervision	13,089	13,480

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

Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment	2,708	2,905
- Percentage of persons found guilty sentenced to imprisonment	19.1	19.9

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

Highest imprisonment rates (b)		
- Breach of custodial order offences	72.7	63.6
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	65.0	63.2
- Motor vehicle theft and related offences	45.1	58.7

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

Assault	611	639
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	253	235
Theft (except motor vehicles)	200	234
Breach of community-based order	190	224

**SUMMARY - LOCAL COURTS** *continued*

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Fine	4,255	4,061
Imprisonment	2,708	2,905
Bond without supervision	2,025	2,181
<b>Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) (a)</b>		
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
<b>Average duration of imprisonment for offences with highest imprisonment rates (months) – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)</b>		
Breach of custodial order offences	5.1	5.0
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)**

<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Percentage male	80.1	79.8
Percentage female	19.9	20.2
<b>Proven offences for males and females (b)</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	92.3
Offences where the highest percentage of offenders were female		
- Theft (except motor vehicles)	38.5	38.3
- Obtain benefit by deception	38.1	36.4
- Other fraud and deception offences	40.0	33.3
<b>Average age of persons found guilty</b>		
All persons	34.0	34.4
- Male	33.9	34.3
- Female	34.4	34.7
<b>Average age of all persons found guilty of specific offences (b)</b>		
Highest average age		
- Offences against government operations	46.7	48.1
- Commercial/industry/financial regulation	44.9	44.5
- Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	41.0	42.0
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)**

<b>Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Defended hearing, on bail	116.0	107.0
- 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	85.0
Defended hearing, bail refused	109.0	105.0
- All charges dismissed	70.0	67.5
- Guilty of at least one charge	113.0	111.0
All charges dismissed without hearing, bail refused	74.0	59.5

**PRIOR OFFENCES (TABLE 1.14)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Average (all offences)	38.5	37.8
Highest (b)		
- Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	54.9	52.2
- Sexual assault and related offences	57.7	52.1
- Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	48.5	48.4
Lowest (b)		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	12.4	12.9
- Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	14.9	14.1
- Theft and related offences	25.7	22.3

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

<b>Number of AVOs granted (NSW)</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Domestic AVOs	23,917	25,535
Personal AVOs	6,706	6,022
<b>Rate of AVOs granted (c)</b>		
NSW rates		
Domestic AVOs	328.1	350.3
Personal AVOs	92.0	82.6
Highest rates by Statistical Area of residence of POI (d)		
Domestic AVOs		
- Far West and Orana	949.4	997.3
- Riverina	528.4	644.2
Personal AVOs		
- Far West and Orana	368.0	305.8
- Riverina	251.6	245.2
Lowest rates		
Domestic AVOs		
- North Sydney and Hornsby	78.0	85.5
- Northern Beaches	105.4	106.2
Personal AVOs		
- North Sydney and Hornsby	19.2	16.7
- Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	34.3	18.5

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

<b>Regional rate of court appearance by Statistical Area (c) (d)</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Largest decreases		
- Northern Beaches	932.5	786.5
- South West	1,707.6	1,603.9
Largest increases		
- Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	1,588.5	1,688.6
- Coffs Harbour - Grafton	1,564.7	1,612.1
<b>Highest Statistical Area rates of persons found guilty for selected offence categories with the corresponding NSW rates (c) (d)</b>		
Acts intended to cause injury		
- Far West and Orana	466.3	453.7
- NSW	189.9	193.0
Sexual assault and related offences (e)		
- Far West and Orana	7.6	8.4
- NSW	4.8	4.9
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter (e)		
- Far West and Orana	24.4	28.6
- NSW	12.2	11.3
Theft and related offences		
- City and Inner South	210.1	209.1
- NSW	74.2	71.2
Fraud, deception and related offences		
- City and Inner South	44.9	43.5
- NSW	29.1	28.8
Illicit drug offences		
- City and Inner South	276.4	306.7
- NSW	110.1	107.4
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences		
- Far West and Orana	731.0	735.2
- NSW	463.0	443.9

(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. The 2012 and 2013 rates were calculated using the population figures for 2012.

(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)**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Total finalisations</b>		
Persons charged	7,919	7,401
Charges determined	26,480	25,345
<b>Persons most frequently charged with</b>		
Property damage		
- Property damage, other	1,567	1,418
Assault		
- Common assault	1,561	1,390
<b>Outcome of charges</b>		
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)**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>		
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
<b>Outcome of appearance - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons charged	3,097	2,981
Number of defended hearings	759	659
- Percentage of finalised appearances with defended hearings	24.5	22.1
Number of persons found guilty	2,649	2,618
- Percentage of persons found guilty	85.5	87.8
<b>Legal representation</b>		
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
<b>Bail Status</b>		
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)**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty</b>		
- 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
 <b>Control orders</b>		
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
 <b>Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty (a)</b>		
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
 <b>Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order</b>		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	156	175
- Robbery	136	105
- Assault	104	82
 <b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
- Bond	773	770
- Probation Order	576	520
- Control Order	428	430
- Other proven outcomes	311	371
 Percentage of all principal penalties		
- Bond	29.2	29.4
- Probation Order	21.7	19.9
- Control Order	16.2	16.4
- Other proven outcomes	11.7	14.2
 <b>Control orders – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Number of persons sentenced to a control order	428	430
- Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty	16.2	16.4

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

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Persons sentenced to a control order as a percentage of all persons found guilty – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)</b>		
Highest rates		
- Breach of custodial order offences	69.8	70.2
- Robbery	48.4	41.2
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	26.7	32.3
<b>Highest number of persons sentenced to a control order – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	103	129
- Robbery	62	54
- Breach of community-based order	47	48
<b>Average duration of control order for offences with highest control order rates (months) (a)</b>		
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
<b>Average duration of control order for offences with highest control order rates (months) – Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons (b)</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)**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Males by age group as a percentage of all males appearing</b>		
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
<b>Females by age group as a percentage of all females appearing</b>		
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
<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>		
Percentage male	80.1	79.9
Percentage female	19.9	20.1

**SUMMARY - CHILDREN'S COURT** *continued*

<b>Offences charged for males and females</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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)**

<b>Median delay, first appearance to determination (days)</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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	33.4
- Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	32.5	34.0

(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)**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Total persons registered</b>		
Higher Courts	4,012	3,975
- Supreme Court	130	110
- District Court	3,882	3,865
<b>Persons registered in trial cases</b>		
Higher Courts	2,227	2,110
- Supreme Court	117	101
- District Court	2,110	2,009
<b>Persons registered in sentence cases</b>		
Higher Courts	1,785	1,865
- Supreme Court	13	9
- District Court	1,772	1,856
<b>Percentage of total persons registered in trial cases</b>		
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)**

	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
<b>Persons</b>		
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
<b>Persons proceeded against to trial</b>		
Higher Courts	630	681
- Supreme Court	78	59
- District Court	552	622
<b>Persons committed for trial proceeded against to sentence only</b>		
Higher Courts	874	955
- Supreme Court	34	40
- District Court	840	915
<b>Most frequently charged offence</b>		
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)**

<b>Higher Courts</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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)**

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

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

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty</b>		
Higher Courts	85.1	86.8

<b>Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons proceeding to trial</b>		
Higher Courts	14.8	15.9

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

<b>Percentage of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons found guilty</b>		
Higher Courts	87.4	87.1

**PENALTIES (TABLES 3.8 AND 3.10)**

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

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

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Imprisonment	432	529
Suspended sentence	77	93
Bond	29	32

<b>Most frequently imposed principal penalty (percentage of all principal penalties) - Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander persons</b>		
Imprisonment	76.9	78.4
Suspended sentence	13.7	13.8
Bond	5.2	4.7

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

<b>Average duration of imprisonment for most frequently charged offences (months)</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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)**

<b>Gender of persons found guilty</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Percentage male	89.7	90.6
Percentage female	10.3	9.4
<b>Average age of persons found guilty</b>		
Male	31.2	31.0
Female	32.5	33.6
<b>Average age of persons found guilty by specific offences (a)</b>		
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)**

<b>Persons refused bail</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Number of persons refused bail	1,175	1,063
Percentage of persons refused bail	35.7	29.4
<b>Outcome for persons refused bail</b>		
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)**

<b>District Courts - Median delay, committal to outcome (days)</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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)**

<b>Percentage of persons found guilty who had no prior proven offences in the previous 10 years</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
Average (all offences)	29.6	28.0
Highest (b)		
- Fraud, deception and related offences	55.1	74.2
- 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)**

<b>Appeals against severity of sentence</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>2013</b>
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
<b>Appeals against conviction and sentence</b>		
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
<b>Appeals against inadequacy of sentence</b>		
Number of appeals finalised	30	30
- Appeal upheld for all matters (%)	50.0	50.0
- Appeal dismissed for all matters (%)	46.7	40.0
<b>Appeals against Apprehended Violence Orders</b>		
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.



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

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Tables

TABLE 1.1

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

<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>			
Murder		0	0
Attempted murder		0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death		0	0
Driving causing death		58	60
<b>Total</b>		<b>58</b>	<b>60</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
Assault		8,088	9,556
Serious assault resulting in injury		2,183	2,812
Serious assault not resulting in injury		15,454	18,646
Common assault		6,467	7,669
Stalking		52	55
Other acts intended to cause injury, other		24,869	38,738
<b>Total</b>		<b>24,869</b>	<b>38,738</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>		<b>689</b>	<b>1,472</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle		1,167	1,202
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle		4,211	5,179
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons		34	57
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care		42	52
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other		5,176	6,490
<b>Total</b>		<b>5,176</b>	<b>6,490</b>

<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>		
Abduction and kidnapping	0	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	2	2
Harassment and threatening behaviour	31	54
Threatening behaviour	1,577	2,194
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>2,250</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>		
Robbery	55	68
Non-aggravated robbery	107	119
Blackmail and extortion	9	14
<b>Total</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>201</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>		
<b>1,880</b>		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>		
<b>2,641</b>		
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	136	180
Theft of a motor vehicle	939	1,136
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0	0
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	371	456
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	17	253
Theft of intellectual property	3,094	4,405
Theft from retail premises	3,396	5,210
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	4,596	8,476
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	2	2
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	10,375	20,118
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,511</b>	<b>11,319</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>		
Obtain benefit by deception	24	60
Forgery and counterfeiting	104	323
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	9	11
Fraudulent trade practices	75	479
Misrepresentation of professional status	58	115
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	2	2
Dishonest conversion	379	2,220
Other fraud and deception offences, other	857	2,052
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,761</b>	<b>16,581</b>

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<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>			
Import or export illicit drugs		7	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		1,145	1,876
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs		16	20
Cultivate illicit drugs		811	831
Possess illicit drugs		11,031	13,274
Use illicit drugs		202	214
Other illicit drug offences		742	792
<b>Total</b>		<b>11,883</b>	<b>17,016</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences		0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives		621	874
Sell, possess and/or use prohibited weapons/explosives		68	82
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences, other		786	1,441
Regulated weapons/explosives offences		605	807
Unlawfully obtain or possess regulated weapons/explosives			
Misuse of regulated weapons/explosives		11	15
Deal or traffic regulated weapons/explosives offences		42	79
Regulated weapons/explosives offences, other		1,538	3,298
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
Property damage		165	238
Property damage by fire or explosion		288	450
Graffiti		8,781	10,697
Property damage, other		0	0
Environmental pollution		18	24
Air pollution offences		34	39
Water pollution offences		0	0
Noise pollution offences		137	155
Soil pollution offences		9,320	11,603
Environmental pollution, other			
<b>Total</b>			

<b>Public order offences</b>			
Disorderly conduct			
	Trespass	2,442	3,004
	Criminal intent	1,396	1,593
	Riot and affray	2,085	2,208
	Disorderly conduct, other	13	18
	Betting and gambling offences	28	89
	Liquor and tobacco offences	1,148	1,351
	Censorship offences	6	13
	Prostitution offences	8	11
	Offences against public order sexual standards	203	219
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	1	1
	Regulated public order offences, other	23	23
	Offensive language	1,520	1,570
	Offensive behaviour	3,223	3,541
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0	0
	Cruelty to animals	194	603
	<b>Total</b>	<b>10,572</b>	<b>14,244</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
Driver licence offences			
	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	12,284	14,588
	Drive without a licence	5,766	6,427
	Driver licence offences, other	169	211
	Registration offences	4,451	5,208
	Roadworthiness offences (e)	0	0
	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit (d)	19,098	19,484
	Exceed the legal speed limit (e)	0	0
	Parking offences (e)	0	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	5,997	6,956
	Pedestrian offences (e)	0	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>38,839</b>	<b>52,874</b>

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<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>			
Breach of custodial order offences	161	166	
Escape custody offences	0	0	
Breach of home detention	1,301	2,666	
Breach of suspended sentence	5	5	
Breach of community-based orders not further defined (f)	1,159	1,900	
Breach of community service order	0	0	
Breach of parole	2,945	4,167	
Breach of bail	4,138	8,401	
Breach of bond - supervised (g)	4,163	6,544	
Breach of bond - unsupervised (g)	301	809	
Breach of community-based order, other	7,110	9,678	
Breach of violence orders	0	0	
Breach of non-violence orders			
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders			
Offences against government operations	76	86	
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	6	8	
Bribery involving government officials	6	7	
Immigration offences	715	8,301	
Offences against government operations, other	4	5	
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	7	7	
Offences against government security, other	101	136	
Subvert the course of justice	4,908	5,852	
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	249	298	
Prison regulation offences	315	366	
Offences against justice procedures, other	22,916	49,402	
<b>Total</b>			

<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>			
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	Defamation and libel	0	0
	Offences against privacy	5	9
Public health and safety offences	Sanitation offences	0	0
	Disease prevention offences	0	0
	Occupational health and safety offences	4	6
	Transport regulation offences	30	592
	Dangerous substances offences	2	3
	Licit drug offences	1,491	1,940
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	Public health and safety offences, other	537	1,098
Other miscellaneous offences	Commercial/industry/financial regulation	423	850
	Environmental regulation offences	181	334
	Bribery excluding government officials	3	4
	Quarantine offences	1	2
	Import/export regulations	36	105
	Procure or commit illegal abortion	0	0
	Other miscellaneous offences, other	228	406
<b>Total</b>		2,911	5,349
<b>Grand total (h)</b>		<b>104,982</b>	<b>242,337</b>

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

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

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

(d) PCA-high - 3,279 persons appearing and 3,326 charges; PCA-medium - 8,002 persons appearing and 8,158 charges; PCA-low - 6,067 persons appearing and 6,175 charges;

PCA-special - 1,470 persons appearing and 1,532 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>
<b>Offence proven:</b>		
Conviction	168,270	69.4
Conviction ex parte	21,718	9.0
<b>Other outcomes:</b>		
Dismissed after hearing	8,846	3.7
Dismissed Mental Health (Forensic Provisions) Act	4,440	1.8
Adjourned to Drug Court	3,034	1.3
Adjourned generally	58	0.0
Death of accused	282	0.1
Withdrawn - no evidence offered	33,828	14.0
Taken into account when sentencing principal offence	1,861	0.8
<b>Total</b>	<b>242,337</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 1.3

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

<i>Outcome of appearance</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	4,807	4.6
Guilty of at least one charge	9,942	9.5
Other (a)	911	0.9
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	2,152	2.0
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	66,189	63.0
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	13,881	13.2
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	6,448	6.1
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	652	0.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>104,982</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 1.4

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

<i>Outcome of appearance</i>	<i>Persons charged</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	847	5.0
Guilty of at least one charge	2,303	13.5
Other (a)	234	1.4
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	660	3.9
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	9,299	54.7
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	2,071	12.2
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	1,351	7.9
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	247	1.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>17,012</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

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

TABLE 1.5

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

	Legal representation							
	Represented		Not represented		Unknown		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>								
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>								
All charges dismissed	4,233	6.2	535	1.5	14	5.5	4,782	4.6
Guilty of at least one charge	8,240	12.1	1,637	4.5	14	5.5	9,891	9.5
Other (a)	838	1.2	73	0.2	-	-	911	0.9
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	1,630	2.4	497	1.4	22	8.7	2,149	2.1
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	47,016	69.3	18,730	51.9	95	37.4	65,841	63.2
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	778	1.1	12,732	35.3	59	23.2	13,569	13.0
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	4,597	6.8	1,725	4.8	32	12.6	6,354	6.1
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	505	0.7	129	0.4	18	7.1	652	0.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>67,837</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>36,058</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>104,149</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

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

Note: Excluded from this table are 833 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.	%	
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>														
All charges dismissed	2,050	2.9		2,427	9.8		182	2.7		123	4.6		4,782	4.6
Guilty of at least one charge	3,433	4.9		3,891	15.8		2,089	30.8		478	17.8		9,891	9.5
Other (a)	241	0.3		502	2.0		128	1.9		40	1.5		911	0.9
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	1,606	2.3		28	0.1		325	4.8		190	7.1		2,149	2.1
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	47,019	67.2		13,574	55.0		3,651	53.8		1,597	59.5		65,841	63.2
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	12,546	17.9		1,023	4.1		-	-		-	-		13,569	13.0
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	2,879	4.1		3,144	12.7		144	2.1		187	7.0		6,354	6.1
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	229	0.3		87	0.4		268	3.9		68	2.5		652	0.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>70,003</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>24,676</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>6,787</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>2,683</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>104,149</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

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

Note: Excluded from this table are 833 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
	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)	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	2	-	2	-	5	2	2	15	1	-	-	3	1	-	33
<b>Total</b>	2	-	2	-	5	2	2	15	1	-	-	3	1	-	33
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	1,346	7	125	591	287	640	1,598	3,422	1,433	2	78	2,112	237	-	11,878
Other acts intended to cause injury	372	-	17	154	73	124	558	1,025	288	-	22	349	24	-	3,006
<b>Total</b>	1,718	7	142	745	360	764	2,156	4,447	1,721	2	100	2,461	261	-	14,884
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
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
<b>Total</b>	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
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	240	9	36	76	74	152	124	407	1,452	-	56	237	230	2	3,095
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1	-	-	2	-	1	2	4	19	-	2	2	2	-	35
<b>Total</b>	241	9	36	78	74	153	126	411	1,471	-	58	239	232	2	3,130
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour	89	1	1	34	45	35	70	175	102	-	8	77	12	-	649
<b>Total</b>	90	1	1	34	45	35	70	175	102	-	8	77	12	-	650

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	36	-	4	11	2	3	11	8	-	-	-	75	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	
<b>Total</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>78</b>	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Total</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1,068</b>
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	183	-	8	17	15	16	57	80	26	-	4	20	427
Theft (except motor vehicles)	556	6	13	162	91	121	337	577	1,081	1	80	357	3,505
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	271	4	23	52	54	59	231	389	570	-	46	123	1,838
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,010</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>1,046</b>	<b>1,677</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>5,771</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	255	21	35	68	115	195	147	421	249	-	27	121	1,670
Forgery and counterfeiting	16	1	3	3	8	9	5	18	6	-	-	4	73
Deceptive business/government practices	1	-	-	-	-	5	1	8	48	-	1	5	72
Other fraud and deception offences	21	3	4	10	12	26	23	100	196	-	15	73	498
<b>Total</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>547</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>2,313</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	6
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	157	4	18	75	45	77	84	110	28	1	1	26	628
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	18	1	3	26	13	25	67	175	231	-	5	74	663
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	70	-	1	22	14	19	254	316	3,727	1	243	1,466	6,901
Other illicit drug offences	2	-	-	2	1	2	22	18	141	-	16	28	245
<b>Total</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>4,128</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>1,595</b>	<b>8,443</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	22	1	4	10	11	12	23	75	101	-	6	57	341
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	34	-	5	12	16	14	12	88	145	1	14	143	544
<b>Total</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>885</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	177	1	5	34	24	108	302	570	1,147	-	79	671	3,307
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	7	5	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>1,227</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>3,407</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	304	3	18	113	48	120	211	399	515	2	105	180	2,121
Regulated public order offences	7	-	-	2	1	2	16	18	224	-	14	59	413
Offensive conduct	49	-	-	8	9	19	64	157	833	1	94	151	1,504
<b>Total</b>	<b>360</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>574</b>	<b>1,572</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>4,038</b>

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Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	Other Proven Outcomes (c)	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>															
Driver licence offences	570	32	125	233	374	627	179	1,199	6,309	-	227	2,087	1,117	11	13,090
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	467	-	42	18	337	-	864
Regulatory driving offences	292	11	138	293	210	723	585	1,651	11,609	-	162	4,328	811	6	20,819
<b>Total</b>	862	43	263	526	584	1,350	764	2,850	18,385	-	431	6,433	2,265	17	34,773
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>															
Breach of custodial order offences	532	10	183	14	11	6	7	10	3	-	6	2	-	184	968
Breach of community-based order	548	10	54	270	275	207	658	558	351	1	132	23	28	1,389	4,504
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	409	1	12	175	76	138	519	783	595	4	197	325	160	-	3,394
Offences against government operations	3	-	-	1	2	3	-	22	484	-	7	30	76	-	628
Offences against government security	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	5
Offences against justice procedures	143	2	10	25	24	49	147	359	918	1	66	250	100	-	2,094
<b>Total</b>	1,636	23	259	485	388	403	1,331	1,734	2,352	6	408	631	364	1,573	11,593
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Public health and safety offences	32	-	2	7	3	8	45	61	625	-	53	112	95	-	1,043
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	8	226	-	-	30	42	-	309
Other miscellaneous offences	9	-	-	3	6	5	4	24	171	-	2	17	25	-	266
<b>Total</b>	42	-	2	11	10	15	49	94	1,022	-	55	159	162	-	1,621
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>7,408</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>2,675</b>	<b>1,995</b>	<b>3,643</b>	<b>6,550</b>	<b>13,480</b>	<b>34,431</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>1,822</b>	<b>13,600</b>	<b>4,851</b>	<b>1,594</b>	<b>93,075</b>

(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 1,571 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders, 4 persons with a probation order under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987, 16 persons with an offence dismissed with caution under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987 or Young Offenders Act 1997 and 3 persons who received a licence disqualification as their only penalty.

TABLE 1.8

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

Type of drug and principal offence	Penalty for principal offence														Total
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Conviction without penalty	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded	Total	
<b>Opiates</b>															
Import illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	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	199	-	19	14	13	321	
Use illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	11	-	2	-	2	19	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	40	1	-	10	12	4	37	41	213	1	22	15	15	411	
<b>Cannabis</b>															
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	62	2	12	43	21	38	45	61	14	-	-	7	1	306	
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
Cultivate illicit drugs	12	1	2	26	13	25	66	175	231	-	5	74	25	655	
Possess illicit drugs	34	-	-	9	5	11	140	164	2,275	1	173	307	248	3,367	
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	-	2	1	3	15	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	
<b>Total</b>	108	3	15	78	39	74	251	401	2,530	1	180	389	277	4,346	

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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				
<b>Hallucinogens</b>																	
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	23	-	-	24	7	-	-	-	56
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	3	24	-	-	24	7	-	-	-	61
<b>Amphetamines</b>																	
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	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	753	-	37	176	86	-	-	-	1,243
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	8
Other illicit drug offences	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
<b>Total</b>	88	-	7	35	13	27	92	102	764	-	37	180	88	-	-	-	1,433

<b>Barbiturates</b>												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	2	21	-	-	-	53	9	86
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	2	2	21	-	-	-	53	10	88
<b>Cocaine</b>												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	4	1	-	3	4	2	1	-	-	1	-	19
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	2	-	-	6	15	109	-	1	179	47	-	359
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	6	1	-	3	3	10	17	110	182	47	-	380
<b>Ecstasy</b>												
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	5	-	-	4	11	3	15	7	13	-	-	58
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	1	2	6	20	301	698	346	-	1,383
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	-	5
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	5	-	-	5	13	9	36	308	713	349	-	1,447

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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			
<b>Other drug</b>	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	<b>Total</b>
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4
<b>Unknown</b>																
Import illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2
Export illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manufacture illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cultivate illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Possess illicit drugs	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	16	-	-	9	3	-	-	31
Use illicit drugs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	1	2	22	18	138	-	16	28	13	-	-	239
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	2	2	24	427	620	4,128	2	265	1,595	809	16	273	8,443
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>620</b>	<b>4,128</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>265</b>	<b>1,595</b>	<b>809</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>8,443</b>

(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)	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	639	1	35	208	74	161	416	606	213	2	17	158	12	-	2,542
Other acts intended to cause injury	165	-	3	45	20	27	123	163	56	-	5	29	-	-	636
<b>Total</b>	804	1	38	253	94	188	539	769	269	2	22	187	12	-	3,178
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	23	-	1	1	1	2	6	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	39
Non-assaultive sexual offences	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
<b>Total</b>	28	-	1	1	1	2	6	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	44
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	14	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	82	-	5	12	12	10	17	28	82	-	3	5	3	-	259
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	82	-	5	12	12	10	18	28	84	-	3	5	3	-	262
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	43	-	1	9	9	13	22	40	12	-	3	5	1	-	158
<b>Total</b>	43	-	1	9	9	13	22	40	12	-	3	5	1	-	158

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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)			
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>																	
Robbery	12	-	1	6	-	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
<b>Total</b>	12	-	1	6	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	235	-	8	28	6	22	34	28	6	-	3	1	1	-	-	372	
<b>Theft and related offences</b>																	
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	84	-	2	8	4	1	18	17	6	-	1	2	-	-	-	143	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	234	1	6	46	23	24	99	121	241	-	20	27	7	-	-	849	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	94	-	3	14	13	20	64	91	125	-	19	6	-	-	-	449	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	412	1	11	68	40	45	181	229	372	-	40	35	7	-	-	1,441	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>																	
Obtain benefit by deception	61	-	2	7	7	17	25	34	36	-	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	16	-	6	2	-	-	-	34	
<b>Total</b>	65	-	2	7	10	19	25	39	53	-	8	9	1	-	-	238	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>																	
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	673	1	63	38	28	-	-	930	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	5	6	14	-	3	-	1	-	-	30	
<b>Total</b>	72	1	2	24	11	14	57	91	706	1	68	39	30	-	-	1,116	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>																	
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	4	1	-	1	-	1	2	4	8	-	-	3	1	-	-	25	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	8	-	-	-	3	1	2	10	8	-	1	5	1	-	-	39	
<b>Total</b>	12	1	-	1	3	2	4	14	16	-	1	8	2	-	-	64	

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>															
Property damage	68	-	-	9	7	29	100	144	228	-	22	55	12	-	674
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	3	-	2	-	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>235</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>686</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>															
Disorderly conduct	134	-	5	45	9	25	59	80	143	1	31	17	10	-	559
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	29	-	1	1	2	-	39
Offensive conduct	23	-	-	3	3	9	30	46	237	1	34	17	19	-	422
<b>Total</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,020</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>															
Driver licence offences	149	3	21	57	57	90	44	160	778	-	60	170	74	6	1,669
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	-	4	-	2	-	50
Regulatory driving offences	75	-	14	62	22	65	76	131	576	-	14	111	10	1	1,157
<b>Total</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>1,398</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2,876</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>															
Breach of custodial order offences	210	1	40	6	1	3	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	64	330
Breach of community-based order	224	-	12	98	64	65	210	112	70	-	45	1	7	364	1,272
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	187	1	3	54	15	31	167	175	149	2	51	36	22	-	893
Offences against government operations	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	11	-	4	-	-	-	18
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offences against justice procedures	57	-	2	5	4	12	48	66	172	-	17	19	6	-	408
<b>Total</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>355</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>2,921</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>															
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	8	-	-	1	-	1	9	11	78	-	6	5	5	-	124
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
Other miscellaneous offences	4	-	-	2	-	2	-	10	16	-	1	-	2	-	37
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>165</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>2,905</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>752</b>	<b>369</b>	<b>649</b>	<b>1,638</b>	<b>2,181</b>	<b>4,061</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>442</b>	<b>721</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>14,566</b>

(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 427 persons who had no action taken on a breach of court orders. 1 person with a probation order under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987, 5 persons with an offence dismissed with caution under the Children (Criminal Proceedings) Act 1987 or Young Offenders Act 1997 and 2 persons who received a licence disqualification as their only penalty.

TABLE 1.10

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

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence							Average months	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine					
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	5.5	-	11.5	11.5	125.0	22.1	500					
<b>Total</b>	5.5	-	11.5	11.5	125.0	22.1	500					
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	6.2	7.2	12.1	10.0	141.4	14.7	627					
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.2	-	10.4	9.6	118.9	15.0	592					
<b>Total</b>	6.0	7.2	11.9	10.0	137.7	14.7	621					
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	8.3	-	12.5	12.1	166.7	20.6	1,204					
Non-assaultive sexual offences	8.2	-	12.5	12.6	58.5	20.9	267					
<b>Total</b>	8.3	-	12.5	12.3	151.2	20.7	853					
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>												
<b>Total</b>	8.5	-	12.5	12.9	200.0	23.7	-					
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	7.1	8.1	9.9	9.5	148.6	15.7	559					
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	6.0	-	-	18.0	200.0	18.0	624					
<b>Total</b>	7.1	8.1	9.9	9.6	148.9	15.8	560					
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
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	602					
<b>Total</b>	5.0	6.0	6.0	13.1	118.7	15.1	602					

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>									
Robbery	7.4	-	12.8	11.5	110.0	19.9	-		
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	12.0	12.0	-	12.0	-		
<b>Total</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>110.0</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>-</b>		
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>									
<b>Total</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>157.6</b>	<b>18.6</b>	<b>837</b>		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>									
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.7	-	11.0	9.6	196.3	16.0	585		
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.7	4.7	9.4	8.3	113.6	13.7	474		
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4.3	7.0	6.3	7.5	126.6	14.3	507		
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	9.0	-		
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>124.2</b>	<b>14.1</b>	<b>487</b>		
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>									
Obtain benefit by deception	6.5	8.4	11.1	12.8	150.6	16.6	680		
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	2,074		
Other fraud and deception offences	7.9	12.0	12.0	11.5	147.5	16.6	729		
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>8.9</b>	<b>11.2</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>151.7</b>	<b>16.7</b>	<b>836</b>		
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>									
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	727		
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	6.3	6.0	10.0	10.2	179.6	16.1	574		
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	2.8	-	6.0	7.1	102.1	12.9	378		
Other illicit drug offences	5.0	-	-	7.0	47.5	14.1	312		
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.2</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>162.0</b>	<b>13.8</b>	<b>389</b>		
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>									
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	6.2	6.0	7.3	8.1	160.4	15.3	593		
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	7.3	-	10.4	12.0	163.2	14.2	537		
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>161.9</b>	<b>14.6</b>	<b>560</b>		
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	4.5	8.0	9.4	9.4	109.2	12.7	467		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	10.8	6,597		
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>109.2</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>867</b>		

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TABLE 1.10 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence						
	Average months	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine
	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$
<b>Public order offences</b>							
Disorderly conduct	6.4	7.3	13.0	10.4	169.4	16.4	400
Regulated public order offences	2.5	-	-	5.7	200.0	12.4	535
Offensive conduct	3.1	-	-	5.1	86.0	12.4	401
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>158.6</b>	<b>14.9</b>	<b>420</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>							
Driver licence offences	6.0	7.0	10.0	10.0	130.7	14.0	525
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	7.2	385
Regulatory driving offences	5.7	5.5	9.7	9.9	147.0	14.3	724
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>139.4</b>	<b>14.2</b>	<b>647</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>							
Breach of custodial order offences	4.8	7.6	10.5	9.1	100.0	13.9	383
Breach of community-based order	3.7	6.0	6.0	8.2	100.1	16.5	1,173
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	4.1	3.0	7.8	8.4	109.9	14.0	433
Offences against government operations	8.3	-	-	11.0	266.7	14.8	2,653
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	512
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>109.1</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>1,031</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>							
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	1,255
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	10.0	140.0	12.3	1,357
Other miscellaneous offences	4.8	-	-	14.7	144.0	15.3	7,728
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8.5</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>132.3</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>2,360</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>137.1</b>	<b>14.5</b>	<b>680</b>

(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	Average months	Bond	Average \$	Fine
	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months										
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																	
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																	
Assault	6.4	9.0	12.3	10.2	135.6	15.2	549										
Other acts intended to cause injury	5.5	-	9.7	9.9	125.3	15.4	536										
<b>Total</b>	6.2	9.0	12.1	10.1	134.1	15.2	546										
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																	
Sexual assault	6.4	-	12.0	10.5	200.0	20.7	-										
Non-assaultive sexual offences	9.0	-	-	-	-	-	-										
<b>Total</b>	6.9	-	12.0	10.5	200.0	20.7	-										
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																	
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	8.0	-	10.4	10.9	125.5	14.7	509										
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	48.0	800										
<b>Total</b>	8.0	-	10.4	10.9	125.5	15.4	516										
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																	
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-										
Harassment and threatening behaviour	5.2	-	6.0	12.3	101.2	15.9	475										
<b>Total</b>	5.2	-	6.0	12.3	101.2	15.9	475										

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TABLE 1.11 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence							
	Imprisonment	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence	Community Service Order	Bond	Fine	Average \$
	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$	
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>								
Robbery	7.6	-	12.0	10.8	30.0	19.5	-	-
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	12.0	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	7.6	-	12.0	11.0	30.0	19.5	-	-
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	8.3	-	15.8	12.5	137.3	17.8	1,008	
<b>Theft and related offences</b>								
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	6.6	-	14.5	10.6	75.0	17.2	583	
Theft (except motor vehicles)	4.7	5.0	9.7	8.1	95.4	13.8	472	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	4.0	-	5.5	6.0	114.2	14.5	441	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	4.9	5.0	9.4	7.8	103.3	14.4	463	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>								
Obtain benefit by deception	5.3	-	9.0	11.1	142.9	15.6	459	
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	344	
<b>Total</b>	5.5	-	9.0	11.1	141.1	15.4	425	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>								
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	362	
Other illicit drug offences	-	-	-	8.0	-	13.9	311	
<b>Total</b>	4.7	6.0	16.5	8.7	148.6	13.6	366	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>								
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	7.4	6.0	-	3.0	150.0	15.7	606	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	6.7	-	-	10.0	150.0	12.9	350	
<b>Total</b>	6.9	6.0	-	8.3	150.0	13.8	478	

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>							
Property damage	4.2	-	-	7.9	105.0	12.8	427
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	343
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>105.0</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>425</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>							
Disorderly conduct	6.7	-	12.8	10.2	169.2	17.0	340
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	4.0	-	15.0	307
Offensive conduct	2.7	-	-	5.2	81.6	11.6	333
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.8</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>146.0</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>333</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>							
Driver licence offences	6.2	6.3	9.2	10.3	137.9	14.4	483
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	370
Regulatory driving offences	6.2	-	10.7	10.3	152.6	15.1	566
<b>Total</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>144.1</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>514</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>							
Breach of custodial order offences	5.0	9.0	10.7	7.1	83.3	16.0	250
Breach of community-based order	3.5	-	6.8	8.5	97.6	16.4	536
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	4.2	3.0	9.3	8.4	100.3	14.2	398
Offences against government operations	9.0	-	-	-	100.0	24.0	1,851
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offences against justice procedures	4.3	-	7.5	6.3	118.3	13.8	429
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>100.2</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>474</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>							
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	1.6	-	-	4.0	250.0	13.6	682
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,125
Other miscellaneous offences	6.7	-	-	22.5	110.0	13.2	1,286
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>156.7</b>	<b>13.5</b>	<b>799</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>5.7</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>10.7</b>	<b>9.6</b>	<b>127.9</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>465</b>

(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	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	1	6	3	6	6	6	3	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	3	8	8	8	8	-	-	-	33	47.1	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	6	3	6	6	6	3	6	6	6	6	6	6	3	8	8	8	8	-	-	-	33	47.1		
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																											
Assault	1	366	510	2,340	1,887	3,256	2,288	887	172	169	2	11,878	34.2														
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	69	104	460	489	916	709	185	34	39	1	3,006	35.0														
<b>Total</b>	1	435	614	2,800	2,376	4,172	2,997	1,072	206	208	3	14,884	34.4														
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																											
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														
<b>Total</b>	1	6	2	45	47	100	79	56	19	33	-	388	41.5														
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	1	5	2	20	19	38	36	29	9	18	-	177	42.7														
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	89	152	153	661	463	668	455	262	71	117	2	3,093	34.1														
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	4	4	16	9	1	-	-	-	35	35.4														
<b>Total</b>	89	152	154	665	467	684	464	263	71	117	2	3,128	34.1														
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																											
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.													
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	25.9													
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	15	24	123	101	190	140	39	10	7	-	649	34.3														
<b>Total</b>	-	15	24	123	102	190	140	39	10	7	-	650	34.3														

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	7	7	19	14	22	3	2	-	1	-	75	28.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	33.9
<b>Total</b>	-	7	7	20	14	24	3	2	-	1	-	78	28.5
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
	-	45	70	240	187	323	166	34	2	1	-	1,068	31.2
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	1	32	45	138	52	102	46	10	-	1	-	427	28.2
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	138	133	641	585	1,055	635	207	62	49	-	3,505	33.8
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	1	49	81	344	312	583	353	93	11	11	-	1,838	33.2
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	19.3
<b>Total</b>	2	219	260	1,123	949	1,740	1,034	310	73	61	-	5,771	33.2
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	33	52	234	284	524	337	153	26	21	5	1,669	35.5
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	3	9	8	22	22	3	6	-	-	73	37.7
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	2	4	7	8	11	11	3	3	4	53	43.0
Other fraud and deception offences	1	16	27	81	71	144	94	46	10	5	1	496	34.8
<b>Total</b>	1	49	84	328	370	698	464	213	45	29	10	2,291	35.6
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	6	37.1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	17	30	120	70	184	128	61	10	8	-	628	35.2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	7	8	52	62	167	167	156	33	11	-	663	42.0
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1	229	355	1,667	1,228	1,764	1,132	455	52	16	1	6,900	32.2
Other illicit drug offences	-	10	12	57	46	69	33	16	2	-	-	245	31.9
<b>Total</b>	1	263	406	1,896	1,406	2,186	1,462	689	97	35	1	8,442	33.2
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	15	15	72	47	84	73	23	6	6	-	341	34.1
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	12	17	86	71	110	116	64	28	39	-	543	39.7
<b>Total</b>	-	27	32	158	118	194	189	87	34	45	-	884	37.5
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	217	240	872	557	748	462	153	22	36	-	3,307	30.8
Environmental pollution	-	-	2	11	5	18	23	11	3	1	5	79	40.0
<b>Total</b>	-	217	242	883	562	766	485	164	25	37	5	3,386	31.0

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Gender: Total male and female													
Age (years)													
Type of principal offence	Age (years)											Average age Years	
	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.	
<b>Under</b>													
<b>18</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>25-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-59</b>	<b>60-65</b>	<b>Over 65</b>	<b>Not known</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Average age</b>	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	1	117	158	591	334	497	314	86	10	13	-	2,121	30.6
Regulated public order offences	-	8	16	76	76	103	72	38	6	7	2	404	34.9
Offensive conduct	-	71	86	338	241	388	248	78	22	20	10	1,502	32.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>651</b>	<b>988</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>202</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4,027</b>	<b>31.7</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	326	447	637	3,179	2,320	3,175	1,872	799	166	166	2	13,089	32.0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	7	14	21	101	104	218	179	123	37	22	9	835	38.8
Regulatory driving offences	187	439	551	3,312	3,040	4,819	3,978	2,465	674	636	38	20,139	37.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>1,209</b>	<b>6,592</b>	<b>5,464</b>	<b>8,212</b>	<b>6,029</b>	<b>3,387</b>	<b>877</b>	<b>824</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>34,063</b>	<b>35.2</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	6	25	184	193	322	197	33	3	5	-	968	33.2
Breach of community-based order	8	53	181	1,050	775	1,319	781	255	39	34	2	4,497	33.0
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	66	63	410	488	1,080	901	293	44	48	1	3,394	36.7
Offences against government operations	-	1	1	10	12	78	166	117	41	31	19	476	48.1
Offences against government security	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	5	41.0
Offences against justice procedures	6	81	113	528	366	519	308	112	32	18	-	2,083	31.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>384</b>	<b>2,182</b>	<b>1,834</b>	<b>3,320</b>	<b>2,353</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11,423</b>	<b>34.6</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	42.3
Public health and safety offences	-	18	24	145	123	272	186	84	17	26	85	980	36.4
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	11	28	78	75	58	19	17	-	286	44.5
Other miscellaneous offences	-	3	1	19	28	38	40	28	12	10	79	258	41.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>1,527</b>	<b>38.8</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>630</b>	<b>2,759</b>	<b>3,774</b>	<b>18,241</b>	<b>14,729</b>	<b>23,992</b>	<b>16,808</b>	<b>7,499</b>	<b>1,707</b>	<b>1,636</b>	<b>268</b>	<b>92,043</b>	<b>34.4</b>

(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 714 companies (included in Table 1.7) and 318 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**

<b>Gender: Male</b>												
<b>Age (Years)</b>												
<b>Under 18</b>	<b>Over 18</b>											<b>Average age</b>
	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20-24</b>	<b>25-29</b>	<b>30-39</b>	<b>40-49</b>	<b>50-59</b>	<b>60-65</b>	<b>Over 65</b>	<b>Not known</b>	<b>Total</b>	
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Type of principal offence</b>												
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	1	5	2	5	6	-	2	6	-	-	27
<b>Total</b>	-	1	5	2	5	6	-	2	6	-	-	27
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	1	261	1,815	1,492	2,584	1,817	717	148	149	1	9,371	34.5
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	56	88	409	436	832	616	31	37	-	2,670	35.1
<b>Total</b>	1	317	474	2,224	1,928	2,433	882	179	186	1	12,041	34.6
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	1	6	1	44	47	100	76	56	19	33	-	383
<b>Sexual offences against children (b)</b>												
	1	5	1	19	19	38	36	29	9	18	-	175
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	70	134	132	562	380	540	353	190	56	85	2	2,504
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	1	4	3	7	4	-	-	-	-	19
<b>Total</b>	70	134	133	566	383	547	357	190	56	85	2	2,523
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	11	17	107	92	163	118	35	9	6	-	558
<b>Total</b>	-	11	17	107	93	163	118	35	9	6	-	559

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TABLE 1.12a continued

<b>Gender: Male</b>													
<b>Age (years)</b>													
<b>Type of principal offence</b>	<b>Under 18</b>												
	No.	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.	Years
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	6	6	18	12	22	2	1	-	1	-	-	68
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	-	6	6	19	12	23	2	1	-	1	-	-	70
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
	-	40	58	216	171	283	139	31	2	1	-	-	941
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	1	26	40	120	45	89	35	9	-	1	-	-	366
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	109	102	419	329	657	375	113	33	25	-	-	2,162
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	1	39	64	256	223	415	255	66	9	10	-	-	1,338
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	2	174	207	795	597	1,161	665	188	42	36	-	-	3,867
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	27	43	168	173	314	211	88	19	13	5	1,061	35.0
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	3	7	5	13	17	2	4	-	-	51	37.5
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	2	4	7	6	10	10	2	3	3	47	42.3
Other fraud and deception offences	1	9	18	48	45	109	61	32	5	2	1	331	35.1
<b>Total</b>	1	36	66	227	230	442	299	132	30	18	9	1,490	35.3
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
Import or export illicit drugs	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	5	35.9
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	-	15	26	100	50	136	98	50	8	8	-	491	35.2
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	-	7	6	45	57	145	143	131	29	10	-	573	41.8
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	1	199	292	1,372	995	1,452	951	385	39	13	1	5,700	32.3
Other illicit drug offences	-	9	11	39	33	56	28	13	2	-	-	191	32.2
<b>Total</b>	1	230	336	1,556	1,135	1,791	1,221	580	78	31	1	6,960	33.3
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	14	15	66	43	75	65	22	6	6	-	312	34.1
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	8	17	79	64	103	111	59	26	34	-	501	39.7
<b>Total</b>	-	22	32	145	107	178	176	81	32	40	-	813	37.6

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	194	219	758	468	622	358	132	14	31	-	2,796	30.5
Environmental pollution	-	-	1	8	4	14	15	10	3	1	4	60	40.8
<b>Total</b>	-	194	220	766	472	636	373	142	17	32	4	2,856	30.7
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	1	103	141	516	266	395	248	68	8	12	-	1,758	30.2
Regulated public order offences	-	8	14	72	71	94	59	32	5	7	2	364	34.4
Offensive conduct	-	59	79	284	196	303	195	64	17	17	8	1,222	32.3
<b>Total</b>	1	170	234	872	533	792	502	164	30	36	10	3,344	31.4
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	284	377	542	2,496	1,811	2,436	1,459	628	144	149	2	10,328	32.0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	5	13	12	69	75	167	138	93	28	20	8	628	39.4
Regulatory driving offences	157	356	454	2,699	2,448	3,837	3,042	1,950	569	543	36	16,091	37.1
<b>Total</b>	446	746	1,008	5,264	4,334	6,440	4,639	2,671	741	712	46	27,047	35.2
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	6	23	164	164	251	164	27	2	4	-	805	33.0
Breach of community-based order	8	48	152	878	595	1,039	602	210	32	29	1	3,594	32.9
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	53	53	357	407	939	774	245	35	37	1	2,901	36.6
Offences against government operations	-	1	1	9	8	63	139	97	28	30	15	391	48.1
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	3	50.8
Offences against justice procedures	6	69	87	431	281	393	227	80	27	16	-	1,617	31.6
<b>Total</b>	14	177	316	1,839	1,455	2,686	1,906	660	124	117	17	9,311	34.5
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	42.3
Public health and safety offences	-	18	23	121	94	217	136	57	15	24	51	756	36.1
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	7	24	68	62	46	15	12	-	234	44.1
Other miscellaneous offences	-	3	1	15	26	35	34	23	11	8	32	188	41.1
<b>Total</b>	-	21	24	143	144	321	234	126	41	44	83	1,181	38.5
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>2,284</b>	<b>3,133</b>	<b>14,788</b>	<b>11,643</b>	<b>18,984</b>	<b>13,146</b>	<b>5,939</b>	<b>1,402</b>	<b>1,384</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>73,413</b>	<b>34.3</b>

(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.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	Years		
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	51.4	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	51.4	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																												
Assault	-	105	124	525	395	672	471	170	24	20	20	24	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	33.2
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	13	16	51	53	84	93	20	3	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	336	34.6
<b>Total</b>	-	118	140	576	448	756	564	190	27	22	22	27	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	2,843	33.4
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																												
Sexual assault	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	37.7	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	24.1	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	35.0	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																												
	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	21.8	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	19	18	21	99	83	128	102	72	15	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	589	37.0	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	1	9	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	38.7	
<b>Total</b>	19	18	21	99	84	137	107	73	15	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	605	37.0	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	4	7	16	9	27	22	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	91	34.0	
<b>Total</b>	-	4	7	16	9	27	22	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	91	34.0	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	1	1	1	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	7	29.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	38.7
<b>Total</b>	-	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	-	-	8	31.0
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	-	6	5	18	7	13	11	11	1	-	-	61	29.5
Theft (except motor vehicles)	-	29	31	222	256	398	260	94	29	24	-	1,343	35.0
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	-	10	17	88	89	168	98	27	2	1	-	500	33.5
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	45	53	328	352	579	369	122	31	25	-	1,904	34.4
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	6	9	66	111	210	126	65	7	8	-	608	36.4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	2	3	9	5	1	2	-	-	22	38.3
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1	1	-	1	6	48.4
Other fraud and deception offences	-	7	9	33	26	35	33	14	5	3	-	165	34.3
<b>Total</b>	-	13	18	101	140	256	165	81	15	11	1	801	36.1
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
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	22	24	25	4	1	-	90	42.9
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	-	30	63	295	233	312	181	70	13	3	-	1,200	32.0
Other illicit drug offences	-	1	1	18	13	13	5	3	-	-	-	54	30.6
<b>Total</b>	-	33	70	340	271	395	241	109	19	4	-	1,482	33.0
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	1	-	6	4	9	8	1	-	-	-	29	33.6
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	4	-	7	7	7	5	5	2	5	-	42	39.0
<b>Total</b>	-	5	-	13	11	16	13	6	2	5	-	71	36.8
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	23	21	114	89	126	104	21	8	5	-	511	32.8
Environmental pollution	-	-	1	3	1	4	8	1	-	-	1	19	37.6
<b>Total</b>	-	23	22	117	90	130	112	22	8	5	1	530	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	Total	Average age
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	-	14	17	75	68	102	66	18	2	1	-	363	32.3
Regulated public order offences	-	-	2	4	5	9	13	6	1	-	-	40	39.1
Offensive conduct	-	12	7	54	45	85	53	14	5	3	2	280	33.6
<b>Total</b>	-	26	26	133	118	196	132	38	8	4	2	683	33.2
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	42	70	95	683	509	739	413	171	22	17	-	2,761	32.2
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	2	1	9	32	29	51	41	30	9	2	1	207	37.0
Regulatory driving offences	30	83	97	613	592	982	936	515	105	93	2	4,048	37.4
<b>Total</b>	74	154	201	1,328	1,130	1,772	1,390	716	136	112	3	7,016	35.3
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
Breach of custodial order offences	-	-	2	20	29	71	33	6	1	1	-	163	34.6
Breach of community-based order	-	5	29	172	180	280	179	45	7	5	1	903	33.7
Breach of violence and non-violence restraining orders	-	13	10	53	81	141	127	48	9	11	-	493	37.3
Offences against government operations	-	-	-	1	4	15	27	20	13	1	4	85	47.7
Offences against government security	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	26.2
Offences against justice procedures	-	12	26	97	85	126	81	32	5	2	-	466	32.9
<b>Total</b>	-	30	68	343	379	634	447	151	35	20	5	2,112	35.0
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
Public health and safety offences	-	-	1	24	29	55	50	27	2	2	34	224	37.8
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	4	4	10	13	12	4	5	-	52	46.4
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	4	2	3	6	5	1	2	47	70	43.8
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	32	35	68	69	44	7	9	81	346	40.0
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>641</b>	<b>3,453</b>	<b>3,086</b>	<b>5,008</b>	<b>3,662</b>	<b>1,560</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>252</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>18,630</b>	<b>34.7</b>

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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	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>	12,544	43.0	2,399	107.0	45.0	105.0	14,943	44.0	107.0			
All charges dismissed	4,477	33.0	182	104.0	4.0	67.5	4,659	31.0	102.0			
Guilty of at least one charge	7,324	49.0	2,089	109.0	50.0	111.0	9,413	49.0	109.0			
Other (b)	743	38.0	128	128.0	30.0	119.5	871	37.0	127.0			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (c)</b>	1,634	472.0	325	0.0	411.0	0.0	1,959	463.0	0.0			
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	60,593	34.0	3,651	28.0	30.0	69.0	64,244	34.0	32.0			
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	13,569	40.0		0.0			13,569	40.0	0.0			
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	6,023	30.0	144	85.0	4.5	59.5	6,167	30.0	84.0			
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	316	47.0	268	3.0	26.0	56.5	584	37.0	31.0			

(a) Excluded from this table are 2,683 persons who were in custody for a prior offence and 833 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	-	-	-	-	32	100.0
Acts intended to cause injury	5,460	36.8	3,806	25.6	3,916	26.4	1,660	11.2	14,842	100.0
Sexual assault and related offences	201	52.1	149	38.6	23	6.0	13	3.4	386	100.0
Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	1,631	52.2	1,141	36.5	274	8.8	76	2.4	3,122	100.0
Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person	168	24.0	443	63.4	62	8.9	26	3.7	699	100.0
Robbery, extortion and related offences	11	14.3	53	68.8	4	5.2	9	11.7	77	100.0
Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter	135	12.9	490	46.8	105	10.0	317	30.3	1,047	100.0
Theft and related offences	1,280	22.3	1,489	25.9	1,635	28.5	1,335	23.3	5,739	100.0
Fraud, deception and related offences	963	42.1	882	38.6	330	14.4	111	4.9	2,286	100.0
Illicit drug offences	3,183	37.8	2,437	28.9	2,478	29.4	328	3.9	8,426	100.0
Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences	424	48.1	403	45.7	42	4.8	12	1.4	881	100.0
Property damage and environmental pollution	1,228	36.5	1,254	37.3	695	20.7	188	5.6	3,365	100.0
Public order offences	1,182	29.5	1,254	31.2	1,275	31.8	302	7.5	4,013	100.0
Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences	16,453	48.4	4,212	12.4	12,461	36.6	887	2.6	34,013	100.0
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	1,571	14.1	3,257	29.2	4,398	39.4	1,938	17.4	11,164	100.0
Miscellaneous offences	685	44.9	610	39.9	206	13.5	26	1.7	1,527	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>34,600</b>	<b>37.8</b>	<b>21,887</b>	<b>23.9</b>	<b>27,904</b>	<b>30.5</b>	<b>7,228</b>	<b>7.9</b>	<b>91,619</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

**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	117.1	41	18.5
Blacktown	1,446	451.7	299	93.4
Central Coast	1,050	323.9	263	81.1
City and Inner South	803	277.1	227	78.3
Eastern Suburbs	428	158.0	112	41.3
Inner South West	1,398	250.9	205	36.8
Inner West	504	178.2	81	28.6
North Sydney and Hornsby	343	85.5	67	16.7
Northern Beaches	269	106.2	67	26.4
Outer South West	1,049	424.6	178	72.0
Outer West and Blue Mountains	1,086	361.4	177	58.9
Parramatta	1,314	310.3	262	61.9
Ryde	190	109.4	35	20.1
South West	1,366	357.8	175	45.8
Sutherland	371	168.7	77	35.0
Capital Region	787	363.4	246	113.6
Central West	1,092	531.6	316	153.8
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	664	491.9	182	134.8
Far West and Orana	1,187	997.3	364	305.8
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	1,159	453.4	338	132.2
Illawarra	922	318.5	191	66.0
Mid North Coast	1,136	543.8	294	140.7
Murray	583	511.3	216	189.4
New England and North West	1,160	629.7	332	180.2
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	1,389	386.7	339	94.4
Richmond - Tweed	1,022	430.3	273	115.0
Riverina	1,001	644.2	381	245.2
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	569	398.5	116	81.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,535 (d)</b>	<b>350.3</b>	<b>6,022 (e)</b>	<b>82.6</b>

(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 2012**, 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	1,841	832.1
Blacktown	5,314	1,660.1
Central Coast	4,203	1,296.6
City and Inner South	5,369	1,852.5
Eastern Suburbs	2,862	1,056.3
Inner South West	6,224	1,117.1
Inner West	2,574	910.1
North Sydney and Hornsby	2,082	519.0
Northern Beaches	1,993	786.5
Outer South West	4,279	1,732.0
Outer West and Blue Mountains	3,942	1,311.9
Parramatta	6,014	1,420.0
Ryde	986	567.6
South West	6,123	1,603.9
Sutherland	1,999	908.9
Capital Region	2,917	1,347.0
Central West	3,513	1,710.1
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	2,176	1,612.1
Far West and Orana	3,077	2,585.3
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	4,317	1,688.6
Illawarra	3,715	1,283.4
Mid North Coast	3,693	1,767.9
Murray	1,661	1,456.8
New England and North West	3,370	1,829.3
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	4,875	1,357.3
Richmond - Tweed	3,388	1,426.6
Riverina	2,775	1,786.0
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	1,875	1,313.1
<b>New South Wales</b>	<b>97,157</b>	<b>1,332.7</b>

(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 2012**, Catalogue no. 3218.0.

Note: Excluded from this table are 3,503 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,301 people whose residence was unknown and 3,021 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:	-	96.7	2.3	35.3	4.5	0.5	5.0	29.4	18.1	64.6	9.5	16.3	30.3	343.0	61.5	19.4	
Baulkham Hills and Hawkesbury	-	269.0	6.9	43.7	5.3	0.9	12.2	103.1	41.9	89.7	12.2	56.9	63.7	549.5	184.9	18.1	
Blacktown	0.6	184.8	5.2	39.2	9.6	0.9	11.1	60.5	28.1	81.1	4.9	49.1	42.9	471.1	168.4	12.0	
Central Coast	0.3	228.1	6.6	31.1	9.0	1.0	15.2	209.1	43.5	306.7	4.8	58.0	110.1	329.8	196.0	45.2	
City and Inner South	0.4	113.3	7.4	25.1	5.2	2.2	7.4	62.7	22.5	136.9	5.5	32.5	53.9	345.5	78.2	18.1	
Eastern Suburbs	0.4	138.6	5.6	42.2	5.7	0.4	7.2	61.9	32.1	85.4	8.8	29.6	34.5	377.3	106.1	28.5	
Inner South West	0.4	109.3	2.8	24.7	4.2	0.4	8.1	53.4	22.3	78.1	7.8	31.8	33.6	321.4	86.3	15.6	
Inner West	-	52.6	1.2	18.2	2.5	0.2	1.5	15.7	10.2	50.4	4.2	10.7	16.2	213.9	46.1	9.0	
North Sydney and Hornsby	0.4	79.3	2.8	24.9	3.6	2.0	2.4	31.2	13.4	75.0	3.2	19.3	28.0	353.6	59.2	11.8	
Northern Beaches	1.2	260.3	5.7	57.9	12.5	0.8	17.4	104.8	41.3	108.5	17.4	70.4	63.1	567.1	202.8	22.3	
Outer South West	1.3	200.4	4.3	46.3	7.0	-	11.0	63.2	24.0	80.9	12.3	46.9	52.3	442.3	142.4	17.6	
Outer West and Blue Mountains	0.2	184.4	5.2	45.8	6.4	1.7	13.7	85.9	42.0	102.9	10.9	38.5	53.6	450.7	126.1	37.5	
Parramatta	-	76.6	1.2	19.6	1.7	0.6	1.7	29.9	18.4	53.5	2.3	16.1	21.3	214.7	44.9	11.5	
Ryde	0.5	226.3	5.8	55.5	7.9	1.6	12.0	111.9	43.2	123.6	16.0	41.9	57.4	535.7	157.2	24.6	
South West	0.5	95.9	4.5	28.6	6.4	1.4	6.4	50.9	19.1	95.0	4.1	25.5	45.5	311.9	87.8	17.7	
Sutherland																	

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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	224.4	6.5	40.6	12.0	0.5	15.2	47.6	19.9	123.8	18.0	48.0	51.3	473.3	133.9	22.6
Central West	0.5	294.5	4.4	56.5	16.6	1.5	11.7	86.2	25.3	110.5	25.3	65.7	63.8	582.7	189.8	17.5
Coffs Harbour - Grafton	-	286.7	1.5	45.2	9.6	-	9.6	46.7	22.2	103.0	14.1	69.6	44.5	586.8	176.3	13.3
Far West and Orana	1.7	453.7	8.4	59.7	17.6	-	28.6	132.8	35.3	121.8	20.2	83.2	132.8	735.2	393.2	19.3
Hunter Valley excluding Newcastle	0.4	273.4	6.3	48.9	14.1	0.8	18.4	69.6	37.6	113.0	16.8	59.1	57.9	598.1	209.3	14.5
Illawarra	0.7	171.7	4.5	40.1	6.6	0.7	15.9	72.5	29.7	129.9	14.2	44.6	49.7	402.8	157.5	18.0
Mid North Coast	-	338.5	6.2	48.4	9.6	1.0	19.6	80.4	30.2	197.7	12.4	53.1	76.1	477.3	230.7	19.6
Murray	0.9	239.4	7.0	37.7	9.6	-	19.3	40.3	23.7	86.0	24.6	58.8	43.0	574.5	164.0	7.0
New England and North West	-	338.7	7.1	42.9	15.2	1.6	17.9	81.4	32.0	100.4	19.0	67.9	114.0	528.7	239.9	15.2
Newcastle and Lake Macquarie	0.3	181.8	4.7	35.4	10.6	0.3	9.5	69.0	33.4	80.2	9.7	46.5	38.4	471.4	169.0	12.0
Richmond - Tweed	0.4	226.1	5.5	32.4	10.5	0.4	12.6	47.6	17.3	145.3	10.1	61.9	41.7	543.6	158.3	18.1
Riverina	-	272.2	5.1	49.6	11.6	1.3	14.2	59.9	24.5	88.8	21.9	64.4	63.7	718.2	207.2	16.1
Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven	-	191.9	0.7	48.3	9.8	-	16.1	52.5	29.4	110.6	15.4	54.6	44.8	425.8	175.8	11.9
<b>New South Wales</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>193.0</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>39.5</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>71.2</b>	<b>28.8</b>	<b>107.4</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>44.0</b>	<b>51.6</b>	<b>443.9</b>	<b>145.4</b>	<b>19.6</b>

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 2012**, 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 3,259 people whose residence was interstate or overseas, 1,098 people whose residence was unknown and 2,594 people who were in custody.

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

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Tables

TABLE 2.1

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

<i>Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>			
Murder	0	0	0
Attempted murder	0	0	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	0	0	0
Driving causing death	3	3	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
<b>Assault</b>			
Serious assault resulting in injury	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
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,461</b>	<b>4,156</b>	<b>4,156</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
<b>Sexual assault</b>			
Aggravated sexual assault	113	322	322
Non-aggravated sexual assault	3	3	3
<b>Non-assaultive sexual offences</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>353</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	17	19	19
Dangerous or negligent operation (driving) of a vehicle	174	247	247
<b>Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
Neglect or ill-treatment of persons under care	1	1	1
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons, other	2	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>269</b>

<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>		
Abduction and kidnapping	19	19
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	0	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	3	3
Threatening behaviour	132	167
<b>Total</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>189</b>
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>		
Robbery	513	693
Non-aggravated robbery	82	84
Blackmail and extortion	2	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>564</b>	<b>780</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>		
<b>Theft and related offences</b>		
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	43	70
Theft of a motor vehicle	479	636
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0	0
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	126	138
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	0	0
Theft of intellectual property	481	634
Theft from retail premises	658	1,058
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	652	918
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	0	0
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	1,923	3,454
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,923</b>	<b>3,454</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>		
Obtain benefit by deception	99	386
Forgery and counterfeiting	1	1
Deceptive business/government practices	1	1
Obtain benefit by deception	0	0
Counterfeiting of currency	0	0
Forgery of documents	2	2
Possess equipment to make false/illegal instrument	0	0
Fraudulent trade practices	2	2
Misrepresentation of professional status	0	0
Illegal non-fraudulent trade practices	8	9
Dishonest conversion	20	21
Other fraud and deception offences, other	128	420
<b>Total</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>420</b>

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TABLE 2.1 continued

<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>			
Import or export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Export illicit drugs	0	0	0
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	1	1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	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
Possess illicit drugs	13	14	14
Other illicit drug offences	425	555	555
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	0	0	0
Import or export prohibited weapons/explosives	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
<b>Total</b>			
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
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
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	3	3	3
Environmental pollution, other	1,818	2,645	2,645
<b>Total</b>			

<b>Public order offences</b>			
Disorderly conduct	Trespass	616	870
	Criminal intent	261	283
	Riot and affray	476	499
	Disorderly conduct, other	2	2
	Betting and gambling offences	0	0
Regulated public order offences	Liquor and tobacco offences	20	25
	Censorship offences	0	0
	Prostitution offences	0	0
	Offences against public order sexual standards	7	9
	Consumption of legal substances in prohibited spaces	3	3
	Regulated public order offences, other	3	3
Offensive conduct	Offensive language	212	221
	Offensive behaviour	371	414
	Vilify or incite hatred on racial, cultural, religious or ethnic grounds	0	0
	Cruelty to animals	13	38
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,691</b>	<b>2,367</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
Driver licence offences	Drive while licence disqualified or suspended	48	59
	Drive without a licence	289	325
	Driver licence offences, other	3	3
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	Registration offences	128	154
	Roadworthiness offences (d)	0	0
Regulatory driving offences	Exceed the prescribed content of alcohol or other substance limit	57	57
	Exceed the legal speed limit (d)	0	0
	Parking offences (d)	0	0
	Regulatory driving offences, other	114	128
Pedestrian offences	Pedestrian offences (d)	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>726</b>

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TABLE 2.1 continued

<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>			
Breach of custodial order offences			
Escape custody offences	37		38
Breach of home detention	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
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 non-violence orders	0		0
Resist or hinder government official (excluding police officer, justice official or government security officer)	8		9
Bribery involving government officials	0		0
Immigration offences	0		0
Offences against government operations, other	2		2
Resist or hinder government officer concerned with government security	0		0
Offences against government security, other	0		0
Subvert the course of justice	10		10
Resist or hinder police officer or justice official	496		592
Prison regulation offences	5		5
Offences against justice procedures, other	26		26
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,568</b>		<b>7,082</b>

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

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

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

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

(d) 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**

<b><i>Outcome of charge</i></b>	<b><i>Charges</i></b>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Offence proven:</b>		
Conviction	18,930	74.7
Conviction ex parte	1,100	4.3
<b>Other outcomes:</b>		
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,345</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

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

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

<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	
	<b>No.</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>		
All charges dismissed	195	6.5
Guilty of at least one charge	408	13.7
Other (a)	56	1.9
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	219	7.3
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	1,729	58.0
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	206	6.9
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	168	5.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,981</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

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

TABLE 2.5

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

	Legal representation							
	Represented		Not represented		Unknown		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>								
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>								
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
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	473	6.9	11	2.2	-	-	484	6.5
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	4,406	64.0	34	6.8	3	21.4	4,443	60.0
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	141	2.0	422	84.6	2	14.3	565	7.6
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	427	6.2	15	3.0	6	42.9	448	6.1
<b>Total</b>	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.	%			
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>													
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>													
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			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (b)</b>	329	9.9	39	1.4	78	8.4	38	12.0	484	6.5			
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	1,941	58.4	1,743	61.5	561	60.4	198	62.7	4,443	60.0			
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	506	15.2	59	2.1	-	-	-	-	565	7.6			
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	167	5.0	253	8.9	12	1.3	16	5.1	448	6.1			
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,324</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2,832</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>929</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>7,401</b>	<b>100.0</b>			

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

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

TABLE 2.7

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

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

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

(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)				
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>											
Assault	45	11	91	8	165	44	50	414			
Other acts intended to cause injury	8	3	28	4	47	13	4	107			
<b>Total</b>	53	14	119	12	212	57	54	521			
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>											
Sexual assault	3	-	5	-	3	1	-	12			
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1			
<b>Total</b>	3	-	5	-	4	1	-	13			
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>	2	-	3	-	3	-	-	8			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	8	2	5	4	3	-	1	23			
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1			
<b>Total</b>	8	2	5	4	3	1	1	24			
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>											
Abduction and kidnapping	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2			
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0			
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	4	-	12	3	1	20			
<b>Total</b>	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.
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	54	9	40	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	131
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	54	9	40	-	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	131
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	129	22	110	1	106	13	19					400
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	51	15	77	32	142	48	50					415
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	2	-	-	3	7	3	3					18
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	1	-	5	7	16	20	1					50
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	1	2	1	-					4
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	2	1	-					4

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	12	6	32	16	65	41	32	204		
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>204</b>		
<b>Public order offences</b>										
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		
<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>246</b>		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>										
Driver licence offences	1	-	-	11	4	11	3	30		
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	4	2	1	1	8		
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>38</b>		
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>										
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		
<b>Total</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>527</b>		
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>										
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Public health and safety offences	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	4		
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>		
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>430</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>2,618</b>		

(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 163 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>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>						
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	9.7	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	9.7	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>						
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	
<b>Total</b>	4.0	76.1	12.9	304	9.8	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>						
Sexual assault	8.0	45.0	17.5	-	13.6	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	19.5	-	14.0	
<b>Total</b>	8.0	45.0	17.7	-	13.6	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	10.5	45.0	18.9	-	14.3	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>						
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	4.2	62.8	15.1	307	10.5	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	4.2	62.8	15.1	307	10.5	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>						
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	
<b>Total</b>	7.5	100.0	12.3	100	9.9	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>						
Robbery	5.3	83.0	13.4	-	10.8	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>83.0</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>10.8</b>	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>						
<b>Theft and related offences</b>						
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)	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>58.7</b>	<b>11.4</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>8.7</b>	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>						
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>140.0</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>9.6</b>	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>						
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>60.0</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>9.4</b>	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>						
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	80.0	12.0	225	8.3	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	3.0	80.0	-	10	7.8	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>8.0</b>	
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>						
Property damage	3.4	68.1	12.1	175	8.1	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	100	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>68.1</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>8.1</b>	

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TABLE 2.9 continued

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence				
	Control order	Community Order	Probation order	Fine	Bond
	Average months	Average hours	Average months	Average \$	Average months
<b>Public order offences</b>					
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>80.0</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>9.6</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>					
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>9.7</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>					
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>54.7</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>9.9</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>					
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	12.0	-	6.3
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	70	7.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>6.7</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>69.0</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>9.7</b>

(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
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>					
Murder	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	18.0	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	18.0	-	-	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>					
Assault	4.8	83.2	13.3	176	10.2
Other acts intended to cause injury	2.4	76.7	13.5	200	9.2
<b>Total</b>	4.4	81.8	13.3	184	9.9
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>					
Sexual assault	9.0	-	18.0	-	11.3
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	18.0
<b>Total</b>	9.0	-	18.0	-	13.0
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	11.5	-	22.0	-	15.0
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>					
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	5.0	65.0	18.8	350	14.0
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	5.0	65.0	18.8	350	14.0
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>					
Abduction and kidnapping	12.0	-	12.0	-	-
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	10.5	-	10.4
<b>Total</b>	12.0	-	10.8	-	10.4

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TABLE 2.10 continued

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
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>						
Robbery	5.5	77.8	12.7	-	-	11.7
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	5.5	77.8	12.7	-	-	11.7
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>						
	5.4	63.0	14.4	100	-	11.6
<b>Theft and related offences</b>						
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)	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	3.4	55.7	11.9	142	-	8.7
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>						
Obtain benefit by deception	6.0	-	-	55	-	9.7
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	50	-	1.0
<b>Total</b>	6.0	-	-	53	-	8.4
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>						
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
<b>Total</b>	3.4	-	9.0	129	-	9.3
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>						
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	10	-	8.0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	10	-	8.0

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>						
Property damage	3.2	81.7	11.5	183	8.8	
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>81.7</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>8.8</b>	
<b>Public order offences</b>						
Disorderly conduct	3.7	67.8	13.4	104	10.3	
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	200	-	
Offensive conduct	2.0	-	-	145	8.9	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>67.8</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>10.0</b>	
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>						
Driver licence offences	3.0	-	-	188	8.3	
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	238	12.0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>9.5</b>	
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>						
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>3.2</b>	<b>59.8</b>	<b>12.5</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>9.2</b>	
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>						
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	
Public health and safety offences	-	-	12.0	-	4.0	
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4.0</b>	
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>66.9</b>	<b>13.1</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>9.8</b>	

(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.	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	-	7	18	66	136	232	308	438	222	-	-	1,427
Other acts intended to cause injury	1	2	8	25	46	66	68	99	32	-	-	347
<b>Total</b>	1	9	26	91	182	298	376	537	254	-	-	1,774
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	3	13	6	26	19	26	-	-	93
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	4	2	-	-	9
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	15	7	26	23	28	-	-	102
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	1	10	7	15	15	23	-	-	71
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	3	11	19	34	21	-	-	88
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	3	11	19	35	21	-	-	89
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	1	-	-	6
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	1	1	4	5	19	14	12	-	-	56
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	4	5	22	16	13	-	-	62

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	-	3	12	37	77	91	113	64	-	397	16.7
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	-	3	12	37	77	91	113	64	-	397	16.7
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
<b>Total</b>	1	6	23	36	102	159	205	169	171	-	872	16.5
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
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	.
<b>Total</b>	2	5	17	37	93	189	269	286	147	-	1,045	16.5
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	3	10	15	9	16	-	56	16.9
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	1	2	3	13	30	52	83	46	-	230	16.9
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	1	4	-	12	16.9
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	3	1	-	10	16.7
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	3	8	4	5	-	22	16.8
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	1	1	15	40	102	143	189	182	75	-	748	16.2
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	19.3
<b>Total</b>	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.
<b>Public order offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>16.5</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>16.8</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,219</b>	<b>17.1</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16.4</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>717</b>	<b>1,210</b>	<b>1,720</b>	<b>2,002</b>	<b>1,319</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7,401</b>	<b>16.6</b>

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

TABLE 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
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	-	5	15	36	84	127	211	308	182	-	-	968
Other acts intended to cause injury	1	2	6	17	29	50	56	79	27	-	-	267
<b>Total</b>	1	7	21	53	113	177	267	387	209	-	-	1,235
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	-	-	-	3	13	6	26	19	26	-	-	93
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	4	2	-	-	8
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	14	7	26	23	28	-	-	101
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	-	-	-	1	9	7	15	15	23	-	-	70
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	-	2	10	18	32	19	-	-	81
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	10	18	32	19	-	-	81
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	1	1	4	18	13	12	-	-	50

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TABLE 2.11a continued

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
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	-	3	10	23	54	75	98	55	-	318	16.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	-	3	10	23	54	75	98	55	-	318	16.9
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>	1	6	22	33	90	143	190	155	168	-	808	16.6
<b>Theft and related offences</b>												
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	.
<b>Total</b>	2	4	16	28	64	151	217	232	119	-	833	16.5
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	3	3	6	9	6	14	-	41	16.8
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	1	2	2	11	29	44	75	40	-	204	16.9
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	1	3	-	11	16.8
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	2	1	-	9	16.7
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	2	3	8	3	4	-	20	16.7

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	1	1	13	31	91	111	164	159	67	-	638	16.3
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	19.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>16.3</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>16.6</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>16.7</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>951</b>	<b>17.3</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>16.6</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>516</b>	<b>889</b>	<b>1,393</b>	<b>1,628</b>	<b>1,155</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5,913</b>	<b>16.7</b>

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

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>												
Robbery	-	-	-	2	14	23	16	15	9	-	79	16.2
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	2	14	23	16	15	9	-	79	16.2
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>												
<b>Theft and related offences</b>	-	-	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	.
<b>Total</b>	-	1	1	9	29	38	52	54	28	-	212	16.5
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	4	6	3	2	-	15	17.1
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>												
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
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	2	1	8	8	6	-	26	17.1
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>												
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	18.6
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	17.1
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	17.9
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>												
Property damage	-	-	2	9	11	32	25	23	8	-	110	16.1
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	.
<b>Total</b>	-	-	2	9	11	32	25	23	8	-	110	16.1

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TABLE 2.11b continued

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

(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			
	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination	Persons charged	Offence to first appearance	Median delay (days)	First appearance to determination
<b>Outcome of appearance</b>	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)	No.	Median delay (days)
<b>Proceeded to defended hearing</b>	1,119	49.0	116.0	278	104.5	123.0	1,397	54.0	118.0			
All charges dismissed	410	27.0	105.5	35	8.0	105.0	445	26.0	105.0			
Guilty of at least one charge	621	70.0	119.0	216	153.0	126.0	837	83.0	119.0			
Other (b)	88	61.5	131.5	27	128.0	186.0	115	66.0	134.0			
<b>Proven outcome not further described (c)</b>	368	481.0	0.0	78	535.0	0.0	446	498.0	0.0			
<b>Sentenced after guilty plea</b>	3,684	49.0	55.0	561	92.0	75.0	4,245	51.0	56.0			
<b>Convicted ex parte</b>	565	60.0	119.0	.	.	.	565	60.0	119.0			
<b>All charges dismissed without hearing</b>	420	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**

Type of principal offence	Prior proven offences in the previous 10 years											
	No prior proven offences		Prior proven offences not of same type		Prior proven offences of same type without custodial penalty		Prior proven offences of same type with custodial penalty		Total			
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		
Homicide and related offences	1	33.3	2	66.7	-	-	-	-	3	100.0		
Acts intended to cause injury	635	49.4	229	17.8	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	243	34.0	209	29.2	165	23.1	98	13.7	715	100.0		
Theft and related offences	268	33.4	166	20.7	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	60	34.5	45	25.9	-	-	174	100.0		
Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations	166	15.7	264	25.0	528	49.9	100	9.5	1,058	100.0		
Miscellaneous offences	6	46.2	5	38.5	2	15.4	-	-	13	100.0		
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,284</b>	<b>38.4</b>	<b>1,538</b>	<b>25.8</b>	<b>1,728</b>	<b>29.0</b>	<b>404</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>5,954</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

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

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

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Tables

TABLE 3.1

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

<i>Registry</i>	<i>Type of committal</i>					
	<i>Committed for trial</i>		<i>Committed for sentence</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
Supreme Court	101	4.8	9	0.5	110	2.8
<b>District Court:</b>						
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,110</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,865</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,975</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 3.2

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

Registry	Type of committal	Method of finalisation									
		Proceeded to trial		Proceeded to sentence only		No charges proceeded with		All charges otherwise disposed of		Total	
		No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Supreme Court	Committed for trial	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
<b>Total</b>		<b>681</b>	<b>18.8</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>74.6</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>3,618</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 3.3

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

Year of committal	Jurisdiction						Total
	Supreme Court		District Court				
	Committed for trial	Committed for sentence	Type of committal		Committed for trial	Committed for sentence	
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1,744</b>	<b>1,756</b>	<b>1,851</b>	<b>1,767</b>	<b>1,767</b>

TABLE 3.4

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

<i>Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>			
Murder	84		97
Attempted murder	31		33
Manslaughter and driving causing death	32		33
Driving causing death	30		35
<b>Total</b>	<b>158</b>		<b>198</b>
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>			
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			
<b>Total</b>	<b>681</b>		<b>1,199</b>
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>			
Sexual assault	485		2,193
Aggravated sexual assault	12		83
Non-aggravated sexual assault	32		90
Non-assaultive sexual offences against a child	83		283
Child pornography offences	2		2
Sexual servitude offences	8		14
Non-assaultive sexual offences, other	560		2,665
<b>Total</b>	<b>368</b>		<b>1,853</b>
<i>Sexual offences against children (c)</i>			
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>			
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	67		102
<b>Total</b>	<b>67</b>		<b>102</b>

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<i>Type of offence charged</i> <i>Division / Subdivision / Group</i>	<i>Persons charged (b)</i>		<i>Charges</i> <i>No.</i>
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>			
Abduction and kidnapping	118	149	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	7	11	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	2	13	
Threatening behaviour	26	37	
<b>Total</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>210</b>	
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>			
Robbery	648	1,064	
Non-aggravated robbery	101	125	
Blackmail and extortion	0	0	
<b>Total</b>	<b>714</b>	<b>1,189</b>	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>			
<b>Theft and related offences</b>			
Motor vehicle theft and related offences	47	58	
Theft of a motor vehicle	122	183	
Illegal use of a motor vehicle	0	0	
Theft of motor vehicle parts or contents	41	55	
Theft from a person (excluding by force)	0	0	
Theft of intellectual property	15	17	
Theft from retail premises	113	155	
Theft (except motor vehicles), other	349	555	
Receive or handle proceeds of crime	0	0	
Illegal use of property (except motor vehicles)	607	1,023	
<b>Total</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>1,023</b>	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>			
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>949</b>	

<b>Illicit drug offences</b>			
Import or export illicit drugs	Import illicit drugs	84	96
	Export illicit drugs	1	1
Deal or traffic in illicit drugs	Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - commercial quantity	268	351
	Deal or traffic in illicit drugs - non-commercial quantity	566	1,038
Manufacture or cultivate illicit drugs	Manufacture illicit drugs	41	51
	Cultivate illicit drugs	88	101
Possess and/or use illicit drugs	Possess illicit drugs	274	396
	Use illicit drugs	2	2
Other illicit drug offences	Other illicit drug offences	37	41
<b>Total</b>		930	2,077
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>		229	611
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>		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>	
<b>Public order offences</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>233</b>		<b>289</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>81</b>		<b>116</b>

<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>			
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
<b>Total</b>		<b>280</b>	<b>400</b>

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TABLE 3.4 continued

Type of offence charged Division / Subdivision / Group	Persons charged (b)	
	No.	Charges No.
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>		
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>269</b>
<b>Grand total (f)</b>	<b>3,618</b>	<b>12,653</b>

(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**

<b><i>Number of offences charged</i></b>	<b><i>Persons charged</i></b>	
	<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>
<b>Proceeded to trial:</b>						
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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only:</b>						
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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	3	2.5	177	5.1	180	5.0
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	5	4.2	52	1.5	57	1.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,500</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,618</b>	<b>100.0</b>

TABLE 3.7

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

<i>Method of finalisation</i>	<i>Jurisdiction</i>					
	<i>Supreme Court</i>		<i>District Court</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>%</i>
<b>Proceeded to trial:</b>						
Acquitted of all charges	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only:</b>						
Trial committal (c)	11	44.0	221	29.5	232	29.9
Sentence committal	3	12.0	361	48.1	364	47.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	2	8.0	41	5.5	43	5.5
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	2	8.0	11	1.5	13	1.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>100.0</b>

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

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

(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.	
	Imprisonment	Detention in juvenile institution	Home detention	Intensive Correction Order	Suspended sentence with supervision	Suspended sentence without supervision	Community Service Order	Bond with supervision	Bond without supervision	Fine	Nominal sentence	Bond without conviction	No conviction recorded		
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>															
Murder	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	
Attempted murder	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	41	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	48	
<b>Total</b>	100	-	-	1	1	1	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	107	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>															
Assault	231	2	-	16	41	15	-	7	16	-	1	3	-	332	
Other acts intended to cause injury	4	-	-	-	2	1	1	2	-	-	1	-	-	11	
<b>Total</b>	235	2	-	16	43	16	1	9	16	-	2	3	-	343	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>															
Sexual assault	237	1	-	-	32	7	1	6	9	-	1	3	2	299	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	34	-	-	5	17	6	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	66	
<b>Total</b>	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	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>															
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	9	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	16	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	9	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	16	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>															
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	
<b>Total</b>	56	-	-	3	6	4	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	73	

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TABLE 3.8 continued

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		
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>															
Robbery	443	4	-	27	57	25	1	5	2	-	-	1	-	565	
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	
<b>Total</b>	443	4	-	27	57	25	1	5	2	-	-	1	-	565	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>															
<b>Theft and related offences</b>															
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	
<b>Total</b>	75	-	2	3	8	7	-	10	4	-	-	1	-	110	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>															
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	
<b>Total</b>	52	-	-	6	-	3	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	67	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>															
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	
<b>Total</b>	462	-	2	51	117	68	8	26	23	2	3	9	-	771	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>															
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	23	-	-	1	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	29	
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	31	-	-	1	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	38	
<b>Total</b>	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					
<b>Opiates</b>																
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>102</b>
<b>Cannabis</b>																
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>99</b>



TABLE 3.9 continued

<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>	
<b>Cocaine</b>															
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>78</b>
<b>Ecstasy</b>															
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>154</b>



TABLE 3.10

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

Type of principal offence	Penalty for principal offence											Total
	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.	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>												
Murder	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11
Attempted murder	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Manslaughter and driving causing death	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
<b>Total</b>	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>												
Assault	78	1	4	11	3	-	1	2	1	-	-	101
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
<b>Total</b>	78	1	4	11	4	-	2	2	1	-	-	103
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>												
Sexual assault	44	-	-	8	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	53
Non-assaultive sexual offences	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	45	-	-	9	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	56
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>	16	-	-	7	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	25
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>												
Abduction and kidnapping	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Total</b>	13	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	14

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>										
Robbery	139	3	2	10	5	-	2	1	-	162
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>162</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>										
	157	-	3	23	4	-	8	1	-	196
<b>Theft and related offences</b>										
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>										
Obtain benefit by deception	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
Forgery and counterfeiting	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Deceptive business/government practices	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other fraud and deception offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>										
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>										
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>										
Property damage	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	2
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>										
Disorderly conduct	3	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>

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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		
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>											
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>											
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
<b>Total</b>	10	-	-	2	-	1	2	3	-	-	18
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>											
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Public health and safety offences	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>675</b>

(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 \$
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>										
Murder	199.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	78.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter and driving causing death	42.5	-	-	18.0	18.5	300.0	25.5	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	123.0	-	-	18.0	18.5	300.0	25.5	-	-	-
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>										
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	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	25.5	6.0	-	105.0	19.0	45.0	18.5	-	-	-
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>										
Sexual assault	35.8	6.0	-	-	20.5	160.0	20.1	-	-	-
Non-assaultive sexual offences	17.8	-	-	20.8	21.7	-	24.0	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	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	-	-	-
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>										
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	13.7	-	-	21.0	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	13.7	-	-	21.0	24.0	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>										
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	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	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 \$
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>											
Robbery	24.7	7.7	-	22.6	19.7	60.0	28.1	-	-	-	-
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	24.7	7.7	-	22.6	19.7	60.0	28.1	-	-	-	-
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>											
20.8	-	-	-	47.1	19.0	245.8	22.9	-	-	-	-
<b>Theft and related offences</b>											
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)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	16.2	-	11.5	14.0	18.3	-	20.4	-	-	-	-
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>											
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	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	22.3	-	-	19.7	26.0	200.0	26.4	-	-	-	-
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>											
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	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	29.6	-	15.0	32.1	18.7	213.1	21.6	-	-	2,000	-
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>											
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	21.4	-	-	18.0	18.0	-	27.0	-	-	-	-
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	25.8	-	-	20.0	19.0	-	12.0	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	23.9	-	-	19.0	18.6	-	22.0	-	-	-	-

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>									
Property damage	19.1	-	-	108.5	18.5	100.0	12.0	-	-
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>108.5</b>	<b>18.5</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Public order offences</b>									
Disorderly conduct	13.4	-	-	-	13.0	100.0	15.3	-	-
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>15.3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>									
Driver licence offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	24.0	500	500
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>500</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>									
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	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>24.0</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>200.0</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>									
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	-	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>12.1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>400.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>74,340</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>29.8</b>	<b>6.9</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>41.4</b>	<b>19.4</b>	<b>207.8</b>	<b>21.1</b>	<b>45,104</b>	<b>-</b>

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

Note: Excluded from this table are 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		
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																												
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	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	48	32.4	
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>33.2</b>	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																												
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>30.4</b>	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																												
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>35.7</b>	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																												
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	1	1	5	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	29.8
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>29.8</b>	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																												
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	
<b>Total</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>30.0</b>	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	21	66	59	169	108	105	35	2	-	-	-	565	25.8
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>565</b>	<b>25.8</b>
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
	3	46	38	115	102	124	46	8	2	-	-	484	28.6
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
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	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>31.7</b>
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
Obtain benefit by deception	-	-	-	3	5	16	9	8	-	-	-	42	38.1
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>38.6</b>
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>771</b>	<b>34.2</b>
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
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
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>31.3</b>
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	2	-	7	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	20	28.5
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>28.5</b>

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TABLE 3.12 continued

Gender: Total male and 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.	Years
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	4	1	-	-	31	29.6
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>29.6</b>
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	18.8
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	32.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>27.9</b>
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
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	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	5	34.1
Offences against government security	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	29.7
Offences against justice procedures	5	-	4	14	14	18	11	6	-	-	-	72	31.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>31.9</b>
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
Defamation, libel and privacy offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Public health and safety offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	40.7
Commercial/industry/financial regulation	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	31.0
Other miscellaneous offences	-	1	-	9	4	2	2	4	-	1	-	23	33.5
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>34.0</b>
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>183</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>774</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3,134</b>	<b>31.2</b>

(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**

<b>Gender: Male</b>																												
<b>Age (Years)</b>																												
<b>Under</b>	<b>18</b>		<b>19</b>		<b>20-24</b>		<b>25-29</b>		<b>30-39</b>		<b>40-49</b>		<b>50-59</b>		<b>60-65</b>		<b>Over 65</b>		<b>Not known</b>		<b>Total</b>		<b>Average age</b>					
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	Years				
<b>Type of principal offence</b>																												
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																												
Murder																												
1	2	1	1	9	11	11	11	6	7	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	49	34.4	
Attempted murder																												
-	-	-	-	1	4	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	32.1	
Manslaughter and driving causing death																												
1	4	-	-	7	11	9	3	5	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	31.7	
2	6	1	1	17	26	20	14	10	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98	33.1	
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																												
Assault																												
14	19	19	19	69	57	68	44	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	303	30.0	
Other acts intended to cause injury																												
-	-	-	-	1	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	33.5	
14	19	19	19	70	59	73	45	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	312	30.1	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																												
Sexual assault																												
27	12	8	8	40	26	78	59	30	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	292	34.8	
Non-assaultive sexual offences																												
-	1	1	1	9	3	21	17	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	64	39.8	
27	13	9	9	49	29	99	76	39	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	356	35.7	
15	10	7	7	28	16	66	58	37	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	250	37.5	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																												
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle																												
-	1	1	1	4	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	30.2	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons																												
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	-
-	1	1	1	4	2	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	30.2	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																												
Abduction and kidnapping																												
5	1	2	2	13	10	12	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	29.6	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment																												
-	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	33.8	
Harassment and threatening behaviour																												
-	-	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	36.7	
5	1	2	2	14	11	15	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	30.4	

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TABLE 3.12a continued

		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.	Years	Years	
<b>Type of principal offence</b>																										
<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>																										
Robbery		21	65	54	157	100	90	33	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	522	25.7
Blackmail and extortion		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>		21	65	54	157	100	90	33	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	522	25.7	
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>																										
<b>Total</b>		2	43	38	109	90	116	44	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	451	28.5	
<b>Theft and related offences</b>																										
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	-	
<b>Total</b>		2	5	5	19	15	29	16	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	31.4	
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>																										
Obtain benefit by deception		-	-	-	2	5	13	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	36	38.4
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	
<b>Total</b>		-	-	-	3	9	21	16	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	38.8	
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>																										
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	
<b>Total</b>		-	19	39	133	119	178	103	57	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	663	33.6	
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>																										
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	
<b>Total</b>		2	-	2	18	16	15	9	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66	31.3	

<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	2	-	7	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	19	27.7
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	2	-	7	5	3	2	-	-	-	-	19	27.7
<b>Public order offences</b>													
Disorderly conduct	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	3	1	-	-	30	28.9
Regulated public order offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Offensive conduct	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	4	3	1	7	5	6	-	3	1	-	-	30	28.9
<b>Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences</b>													
Driver licence offences	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	18.8
Vehicle registration and roadworthiness offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
Regulatory driving offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	38.7
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	28.8
<b>Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations</b>													
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
<b>Total</b>	5	-	3	16	13	16	8	7	-	1	-	69	31.9
<b>Miscellaneous offences</b>													
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
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	8	4	2	1	2	-	1	-	19	31.3
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>381</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2,838</b>	<b>31.0</b>

(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	Under 18		18		19		20-24		25-29		30-39		40-49		50-59		60-65		Over 65		Not known		Total		Average age		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Years	Years	
<b>Homicide and related offences</b>																											
Murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	26.3	
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Manslaughter and driving causing death	-	-	-	1	2	2	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	36.5	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	4	2	1	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	34.2		
<b>Acts intended to cause injury</b>																											
Assault	1	-	-	6	6	7	8	7	6	6	7	8	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	33.5	
Other acts intended to cause injury	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	34.3	
<b>Total</b>	1	-	-	6	7	7	9	7	7	6	7	9	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	33.6	
<b>Sexual assault and related offences</b>																											
Sexual assault	-	1	-	1	-	2	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	34.2	
Non-assaultive sexual offences	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	41.5	
<b>Total</b>	-	1	-	1	-	3	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	35.8	
<i>Sexual offences against children (b)</i>																											
	-	1	-	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	33.7	
<b>Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons</b>																											
Dangerous or negligent operation of a vehicle	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23.3	
Other dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23.3	
<b>Abduction, harassment and other offences against the person</b>																											
Abduction and kidnapping	3	-	-	3	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	27.8	
Deprivation of liberty/false imprisonment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-	
Harassment and threatening behaviour	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	26.3	
<b>Total</b>	3	-	-	4	2	-	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	27.5	

<b>Robbery, extortion and related offences</b>													
Robbery	-	1	5	12	8	15	2	-	-	-	-	43	27.9
Blackmail and extortion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	1	5	12	8	15	2	-	-	-	-	43	27.9
<b>Unlawful entry with intent/burglary, break and enter</b>													
	1	3	-	6	12	8	2	1	-	-	-	33	28.8
<b>Theft and related offences</b>													
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	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	1	2	5	4	2	2	-	-	-	16	33.3
<b>Fraud, deception and related offences</b>													
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	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	-	-	6	36.4
<b>Illicit drug offences</b>													
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	-
<b>Total</b>	-	1	2	10	20	37	22	13	2	1	-	108	37.4
<b>Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences</b>													
Prohibited weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	28.0
Regulated weapons/explosives offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	28.0
<b>Property damage and environmental pollution</b>													
Property damage	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	42.6
Environmental pollution	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0	-
<b>Total</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	42.6

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TABLE 3.13

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

<i>Method of finalisation</i>	<b>Bail status</b>						<b>Total</b>			
	<b>Bail dispensed with</b>		<b>On bail</b>		<b>Bail refused</b>			<b>In custody, prior offence</b>		
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%		No.	%	
<b>Proceeded to trial:</b>										
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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only:</b>										
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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	20	11.3	119	6.9	20	1.9	20	3.0	179	5.0
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	4	2.3	26	1.5	21	2.0	6	0.9	57	1.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,714</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,063</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>3,613</b>	<b>100.0</b>

(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													
On bail													
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)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	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	
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	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	
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	3	1,327.0	182.0	-	-	-	-	-	3	1,327.0	182.0	-	
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	-	-	-	-	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: 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 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**

<b>All District Court Registries</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>On bail</b>						<b>Bail refused</b>						
<b>Total</b>												
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	Court delay			Court delay			Court delay			Court delay		
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome
	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	136	351.0	236.5	-	20	228.0	204.5	-	156	318.0	233.5	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	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**

<b>District Court Registry: Dubbo</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>Bail refused</b>												
<b>Total</b>												
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>		
	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>
	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	5	208.0	264.0	-	1	104.0	287.0	-	6	173.0	275.5	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	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**

<b>District Court Registry: Lismore</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>Bail refused</b>												
<b>On bail</b>												
<b>Total</b>												
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>Court delay</b>			<b>Court delay</b>			<b>Court delay</b>			<b>Court delay</b>		
	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Commitment to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>
	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	10	439.5	153.5	-	-	-	-	-	10	440.0	153.5	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	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	Outcome to committal	Outcome to sentence	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	52	267.5	356.5	59.5	9	178.0	313.0	74.0	61	249.0	339.0	60.0
Acquitted of all charges	21	277.0	336.0	-	3	214.0	327.0	-	24	277.0	332.5	-
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)	1	249.0	231.0	-	1	155.0	77.0	-	2	202.0	154.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge	26	285.0	374.5	62.0	5	178.0	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	224	241.0	178.0	0.0	130	207.5	133.5	0.0	354	232.0	160.0	0.0
Trial committal (c)	94	218.0	238.5	48.0	47	241.0	177.0	6.0	141	233.0	207.0	43.0
Sentence committal	130	263.5	133.0	0.0	83	188.0	120.0	0.0	213	230.0	127.0	0.0
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	15	255.0	324.0	-	1	201.0	43.0	-	16	255.0	319.5	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	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**

<b>District Court Registry: Sydney</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>Bail refused</b>												
<b>Total</b>												
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>		
	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence	Persons charged	Offence to committal	Commitment to outcome	Outcome to sentence
	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)	No.	Median duration (days)
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	50	424.5	235.5	-	9	192.0	210.0	-	59	373.0	235.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	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**

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

<b>District Court Registry: Wagga Wagga</b>												
<b>Bail status</b>												
<b>Bail refused</b>												
<b>Total</b>												
<b>Method of finalisation</b>	<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>			<b>On bail</b>		
	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to court delay</b>
	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Committal to outcome</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>	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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>	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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>	2	1,344.0	199.0	-	-	-	-	-	2	1,344.0	199.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(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**

<b>District Court Registry: Wollongong</b>											
<b>Bail status</b>											
<b>On bail</b>						<b>Bail refused</b>					
<b>Total</b>											
<b>Court delay</b>											
<b>On bail</b>		<b>Court delay</b>		<b>On bail</b>		<b>Court delay</b>		<b>Bail refused</b>		<b>Court delay</b>	
<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>	<b>Persons charged</b>	<b>Offence to committal</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>Outcome to sentence</b>
<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Median duration (days)</b>
<b>Method of finalisation</b>											
<b>Proceeded to trial</b>											
Acquitted of all charges											
25	333.0	437.0	72.0	7	192.0	286.0	101.0	32	283.0	420.0	73.0
Not guilty by reason of mental illness/health (a)											
10	270.5	500.0	-	-	-	-	-	10	271.0	500.0	-
Guilty of at least one charge											
1	286.0	225.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	286.0	225.0	-
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
<b>Proceeded to sentence only</b>											
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
<b>No charges proceeded with</b>											
12	215.0	230.0	-	-	-	-	-	12	215.0	230.0	-
<b>All charges otherwise disposed of</b>											
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	216	44.7	51	10.6	166	34.4	483	100.0		
Theft and related offences	27	23.7	28	24.6	25	21.9	34	29.8	114	100.0		
Fraud, deception and related offences	49	74.2	14	21.2	1	1.5	2	3.0	66	100.0		
Illicit drug offences	286	37.0	232	30.0	174	22.5	81	10.5	773	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		
<b>Total</b>	<b>880</b>	<b>28.0</b>	<b>1,308</b>	<b>41.7</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>17.0</b>	<b>3,140</b>	<b>100.0</b>		

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

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 apprehended 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	3,246	49.6				
Appeal dismissed/withdrawn all matters	1,570	31.9	939	69.0	12	40.0	160	72.4	2,681	41.0				
Appeal upheld for some matters	469	9.5	101	7.4	3	10.0	3	1.4	576	8.8				
Other (did not appear, died etc)	27	0.5	5	0.4	-	-	3	1.4	35	0.5				
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,927</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>1,360</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>6,538</b>	<b>100.0</b>				

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# **NEW SOUTH WALES CRIMINAL COURTS**

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**Explanatory Notes**

## EXPLANATORY NOTES

This report deals with criminal matters finalised 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

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#### 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').

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## 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'.

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## 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.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

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

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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

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This table shows the time taken to dispose of a group of charges against a person by defended and undefended hearings by bail status at final appearance. It shows the median number of days taken at each stage of proceedings. The median duration is used in preference to the average duration as a small number of 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

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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.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - LOCAL COURTS *continued*

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

Persons in this category had a history of prior proven offences but none were of the same general type as the principal offence receiving sentence on this occasion. This category can include offences which resulted in a 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)

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Table 1.15 counts only those orders finalised by a magistrate at a Local Court hearing. It does not include interim orders granted. Note that 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

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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

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#### 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

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#### 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

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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.

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

*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.

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## **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'.

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## **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.

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

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

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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

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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**

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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

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#### Jurisdiction

There are two major jurisdictions in the NSW Higher Courts: the Supreme Court, which hears cases in Sydney and on circuit in country centres, and the District Court, which sits at a number of metropolitan and country court houses. The Supreme Courts deal with the most serious criminal matters. The District Courts deal with all other matters on indictment and appeals against conviction or sentence arising from Local Court cases. From late 2012, the District Court 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

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#### 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**

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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**

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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.

## EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS *continued*

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.

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### 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.

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### 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'.

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### 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.

## **EXPLANATORY NOTES - HIGHER COURTS** *continued*

### **Appeal upheld for some matters**

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

### **Other**

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



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**Appendices**

## APPENDIX 1

### NOTES ON PENALTIES

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#### Home detention

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

#### 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

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

1. Imprisonment
2. Juvenile detention (Control order)
3. Home detention
4. Intensive Correction Order
5. Suspended sentence with supervision
6. Suspended sentence
7. Community Service Order
8. Good behaviour bond with supervision
9. Good behaviour bond without supervision
10. 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

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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.

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

<b>Capital Region</b>	<b>Central West</b>	<b>Far West and Orana</b>	<b>Riverina</b>
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*	
<b>Hunter Valley excl. Newcastle</b>	<b>Murray</b>	<b>New England and North West</b>	<b>Mid North Coast</b>
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	
<b>Newcastle and Lake Macquarie</b>	Murray	Tamworth Regional	<b>Richmond - Tweed</b>
Lake Macquarie*	Urana*	Tenterfield	Ballina
Newcastle	Wakool	Uralla	Byron
	Wentworth	Walcha	Kyogle
			Lismore
<b>Coffs Harbour - Grafton</b>	<b>Illawarra</b>	<b>Southern Highlands and Shoalhaven</b>	Richmond Valley*
Bellingen*	Kiama*	Shoalhaven*	Tweed
Clarence Valley*	Shellharbour	Wingecarribee*	
Coffs Harbour	Wollongong		

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