

# Gippsland Research & Information Service

## Crime Statistics – Police Region 5: Div 4 & 3 - Gippsland

Offence Recorded	Gippsland <sup>1</sup>			Total Victoria		
	2006/07	2007/08	% Change	2006/07	2007/08	% Change
<b>Crime Against The Person</b>						
Assault	2 306	2 402	4.2	31 052	31 284	0.7
Homicide	16	9	-43.8	197	169	-14.2
Rape	83	69	-16.9	1 700	1 562	-8.1
Sex (non-Rape)	486	522	7.4	6 210	6 263	0.9
Robbery	53	39	-26.4	2 880	3 332	15.7
Abduction/kidnap	17	28	64.7	314	337	7.3
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>2 961</b>	<b>3 069</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>42 353</b>	<b>42 947</b>	<b>1.4</b>
<b>Crime Against Property</b>						
Arson	195	214	9.7	3 229	3 186	-1.3
Property Damage	2 964	3 083	4.0	52 509	52 972	0.9
Burglary -						
Aggravated	127	135	6.3	1 669	1 741	4.3
Residential	991	1 117	12.7	29 551	28 817	-2.5
Other	812	772	-4.9	19 140	19 322	1.0
Deception	590	1 142	93.6	25 682	23 290	-9.3
Handle stolen goods	448	252	-43.8	7 673	6 627	-13.6
Theft -						
From Motor Vehicle	1 223	1 293	5.7	46 482	52 178	12.3
Of Motor Vehicle	452	499	10.4	17 998	18 008	0.1
Shopstealing	737	588	-20.2	16 160	15 704	-2.8
Theft of bicycle	293	279	-4.8	5 679	5 853	3.1
Theft (other)	2 477	2 704	9.2	56 576	53 436	-5.6
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>11 309</b>	<b>12 078</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>282 384</b>	<b>281 134</b>	<b>-0.4</b>
<b>Drugs</b>						
Cult., Manuf., Traff.	262	235	-10.3	4 704	4 164	-11.5
Possess, Use	533	535	0.4	9 862	10 040	1.8
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>795</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>-3.1</b>	<b>14 566</b>	<b>14 204</b>	<b>-2.5</b>
<b>Other Summary</b>						
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3 083</b>	<b>2 953</b>	<b>-4.2</b>	<b>39 107</b>	<b>38 673</b>	<b>-1.1</b>
<b>Total Crime</b>	<b>18 148</b>	<b>18 870</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>378 374</b>	<b>376 958</b>	<b>-0.4</b>

NOTE:

1 – Total Gippsland comprises the combined totals of Region 5: Divisions 3 and 4.

\*Police District: refers to the district where the offence occurred.

\* Estimated Resident Population is based on ABS figure at 30 June 2007.

Source: Victoria Police Crime Statistics, <http://www.police.vic.gov.au>

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