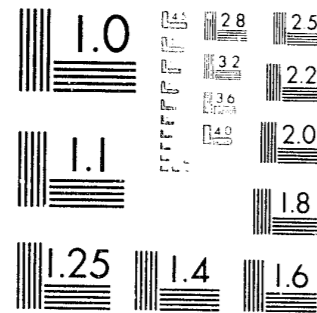


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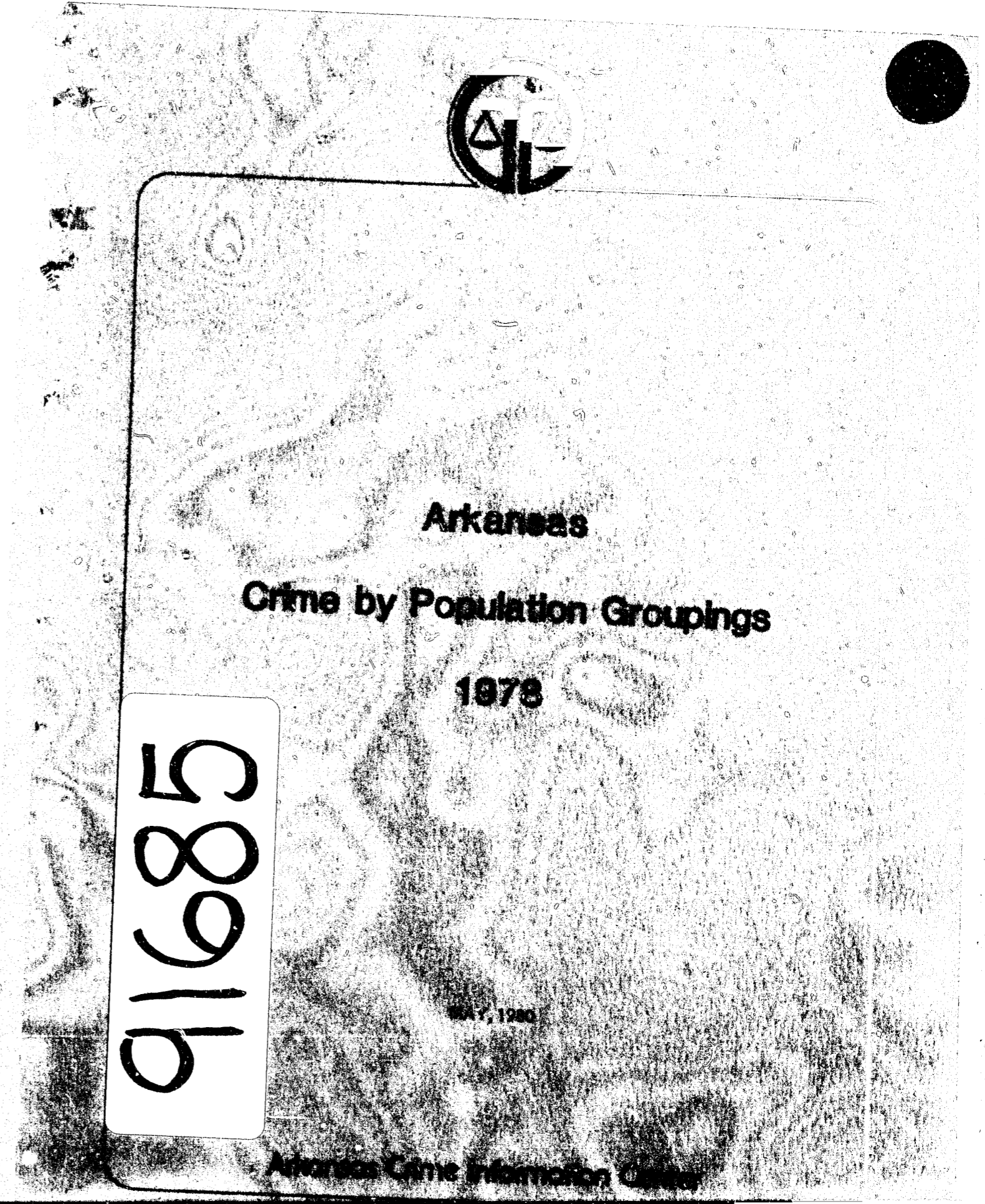
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**ARKANSAS
CRIME BY POPULATION GROUPINGS**

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PREFACE

The Uniform Crime Reporting Program (UCR) in Arkansas was established as a state program in 1974 in order to make Arkansas law enforcement data available to those involved with or interested in the criminal justice system. This program collects law enforcement statistics under definitions established for the collection and publication of *uniform* national crime statistics.

The Arkansas UCR Program collects the following information on a monthly basis:

1. Offenses known to police (seven selected crimes),
2. Value of property stolen and/or recovered for the above seven crimes,
3. Adult arrests for all crimes except traffic violations and neglect,
4. Juvenile arrests for all crimes except traffic violations and neglect,
5. Supplementary homicide information,
6. Supplementary information concerning law enforcement officers killed or assaulted.

The seven "offenses known to police" are commonly referred to as *Index Crimes* or the *Crime Index*. It is the Crime Index offenses which are widely publicized by the news media and which are often used to assess the criminality of a given community. The seven selected crimes used to measure the extent, fluctuation and distribution of crime are:

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|------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>Violent Crimes</i> | 1. Murder |
| | 2. Forcible rape |
| | 3. Robbery |
| | 4. Aggravated assault |
| <i>Property Crimes</i> | 5. Burglary |
| | 6. Larceny |
| | 7. Motor vehicle theft |

Crime rates are established from the number of Index Crimes in relation to the population estimates for a given area. Crime rates are generally computed as the number of Index Crimes per 100,000 population.

Clearance rates are the percent that clearances are of actual offenses. Recovery rates are the percent that recovered property is of stolen property.

In reporting the numbers of the above crimes, a hierarchy is used for counting purposes. In the event of "multiple offenses" in one situation, only the "most serious" is counted for UCR purposes. For example: In the event of an armed robbery in which a murder occurs and an automobile is stolen for a get-away car,

only the murder is counted. The property stolen and the value of the automobile are given on a supplementary form. In all cases, except murder, attempts to commit a crime are counted as though the crime occurred. Attempted murder is counted as aggravated assault. The number of motor vehicle thefts reported includes only those motor vehicles stolen when no other of the first five crimes occurred.

The statewide information in this report includes all of the UCR data submitted during 1978 in Arkansas. This information was submitted by law enforcement agencies representing 94% of the state's population.

In the list of law enforcement agencies, *non-reporting* refers to police departments (PD) and sheriffs' offices (SO) which did not submit Uniform Crime Reports in 1978, which represented populations of 1,500 or more. The population estimates used for this *non-reporting* classification were from "Arkansas Municipalities." All other population estimates were furnished by the U.S. Bureau of the Census through the Uniform Crime Reporting Section of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

This report includes all law enforcement agencies which submitted UCR in 1978. A full year's data are necessary in order to compute crime rates. There were no cities or counties which fell within the 40,000 to 60,000 population grouping.

While Uniform Crime Reporting is the best source of data available at the present time, it has been subject to much criticism during its history. Many of these commentaries are valid, although the criticisms are weakened when it is remembered that the program was developed to furnish management information for use primarily by law enforcement agencies.

Caution should be exercised in making comparisons of data between jurisdictions for many reasons. Comparisons may not be significant because of a great variety of factors which affect the extent and fluctuation of crime and which are not taken into consideration in either raw data or crime rates. All crimes are considered "equal" in computing crime rates. One murder affects a crime rate the same as one larceny. Despite these words of caution, the Uniform Crime Reports are the best information available, while no claim is made that they represent "all crime" or any set portion of it.

CRIME FACTORS

There are inherent limitations in current crime reporting practices. Of primary importance is the question of how much crime is being reported. Law enforcement agencies are only capable of reporting crimes known to them. In many instances, citizens do not report crimes directly to these agencies but may report them to the prosecuting authorities. A considerable volume of crime is not reported to law enforcement agencies because the victims may consider the offenses against them to be of very little consequence; they believe there is nothing the police can do about them; they fear retaliation from offenders or have shared willingly in such offenses as illegal sex acts, gambling or drug usage. Consequently, information concerning some offenses is never entered in the present statistical reporting system.

The information collected for this report is the most accurate crime information currently available in Arkansas. Caution should be exercised, however, in making direct comparisons of crime and arrest data reported by different law enforcement jurisdictions. Likewise, when comparing offense and arrest data, the reader should keep in mind that crimes relate to events while arrests relate to persons. A single criminal act may involve several crimes, several offenders, and several victims.

Set forth below are some additional conditions which will, by type and volume, affect the crime that occurs from place to place. These same conditions will also affect the amount of crime actually reported.

1. Density and size of the community population and metropolitan areas of which it is a part.
2. Variations in composition of the population with reference particularly to age, sex and race.
3. Economic conditions, including job availability.
4. Relative stability of population with respect to transient factors.
5. Climate.
6. Cultural conditions, such as educational, recreational, and religious characteristics.
7. Effective strength of law enforcement agencies.
8. Administrative and investigative emphases of law enforcement.
9. Policies of other components of the criminal justice system (i.e. prosecutorial, judicial, correctional, and probational).
10. Attitude of the public towards law and enforcement problems.
11. Crime reporting practices of citizenry.

Current methods of gathering and reporting offense and arrest data, because they are influenced by many variables, provide a less than complete picture of criminality in our society. However, despite these shortcomings, there is at present no other information system available that will more adequately perform this task.

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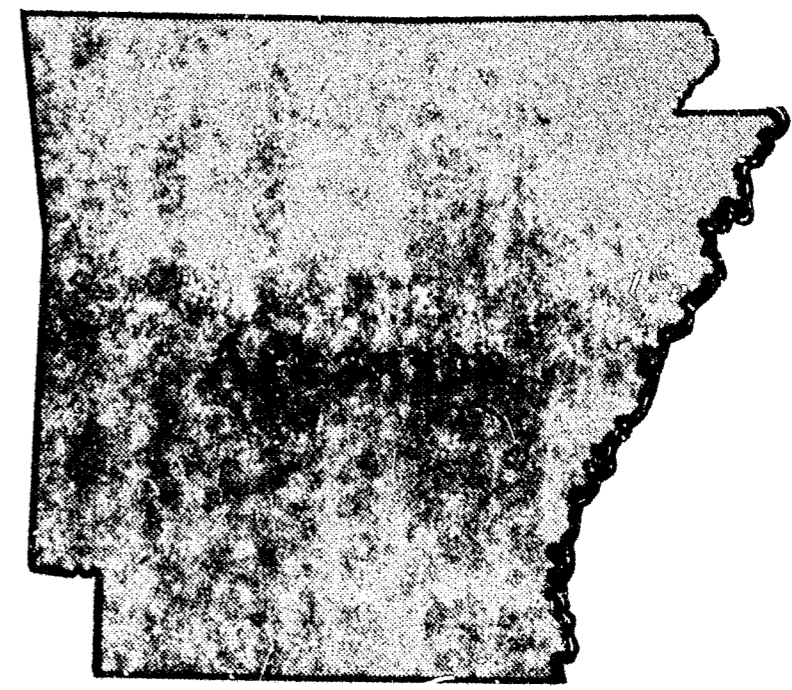
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STATEWIDE DATA
UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING, 1978



LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES

1978

Agency	Months UCR	Population	Agency	Months UCR	Population
ARKANSAS CO. SO	12	6,646	CLEBURNE CO. SO	11	8,876
DeWitt PD	12	3,782	Heber Springs PD	12	3,124
Stuttgart PD	12	12,500			
Gillett PD	12	967	CLEVELAND CO. SO	12	8,000
ASHLEY CO. SO	12	15,066	COLUMBIA CO. SO	10	14,813
Crossett PD	12	7,018	Magnolia PD	12	11,851
Hamburg PD	11	3,266			
Wilmot PD	7	1,201	CONWAY CO. SO	12	11,439
BAXTER CO. SO	12	17,797	Morrilton PD	12	6,561
Mountain Home PD	12	6,990	CRAIGHEAD CO. SO	12	28,925
Cotter PD	12	1,056	Jonesboro PD	12	32,000
BENTON CO. SO	12	31,637	Bay PD	6	1,324
Bentonville PD	12	7,832	CRAWFORD CO. SO	12	22,047
Gentry PD	11	1,295	Van Buren PD	1	12,000
Lowell PD	4	1,200			
Rogers PD	12	15,500	CRITTENDEN CO. SO	12	19,710
Siloam Springs PD	12	7,105	West Memphis PD	12	27,979
BOONE CO. SO	12	14,842	Earle PD	12	4,100
Harrison PD	12	9,566	CROSS CO. SO	12	13,334
BRADLEY CO. SO	12	6,096	Wynne PD	12	7,382
Warren PD	12	7,031	DALLAS CO. SO	11	5,460
CALHOUN CO. SO	12	3,761	Fordyce PD	12	5,000
Hampton PD	10	1,572	DESHA CO. SO	12	7,913
CARROLL CO. SO	12	8,589	McGehee PD	12	5,369
Berryville PD	12	2,858	Dumas PD	8	4,870
Eureka Springs PD	12	1,932	DREW CO. SO	12	10,098
Green Forest PD	12	1,594	Monticello PD	12	7,763
CHICOT CO. SO	12	6,044	FAULKNER CO. SO	12	20,725
Dermott PD	12	4,500	Conway PD	12	18,805
Eudora PD	11	3,800	Mayflower	12	1,286
Lake Village PD	12	3,193	FRANKLIN CO. SO	1	10,253
CLARK CO. SO	12	10,117	Ozark PD		Non Reporting
Arkadelphia PD	12	10,347	FULTON CO. SO	11	8,400
Gurdon PD	11	1,892	GARLAND CO. SO	12	24,598
CLAY CO. SO	12	14,097	Hot Springs PD	12	41,651
Corning PD	12	3,234			
Piggott PD	12	3,282			

Agency	Months UCR	Population	Agency	Months UCR	Population
GRANT CO. SO	12	9,812	LOGAN CO. SO	12	11,358
Sheridan PD	12	3,007	Booneville PD	12	3,420
GREENE CO. SO	12	17,176	Paris PD	12	4,092
Paragould PD	12	14,000	LONOKE CO. SO	12	21,474
HEMPSTEAD CO. SO	11	11,999	England PD	12	2,973
Hope PD	12	9,537	Cabot PD	Non Reporting	
HOT SPRING CO. SO	Non Reporting		Lonoke PD	Non Reporting	
Malvern PD	12	10,840	MADISON CO. SO	12	10,768
HOWARD CO. SO	12	9,152	MARION CO. SO	12	8,868
Nashville PD	12	4,385	Yellville PD	10	1,132
INDEPENDENCE CO. SO	12	17,433	Bull Shoals PD	11	1,000
Batesville PD	12	7,067	MILLER CO. SO	11	12,755
IZARD CO. SO	12	8,500	Texarkana PD	12	21,600
Horseshoe Bend PD	12	1,755	MISSISSIPPI CO. SO	12	29,785
JACKSON CO. SO	10	13,698	Blytheville PD	12	24,013
Newport PD	12	8,043	Leachville PD	12	1,922
JEFFERSON CO. SO	9	24,354	Osceola PD	12	8,478
Pine Bluff PD	12	62,200	MONROE CO. SO	12	7,620
JOHNSON CO. SO	12	11,467	Brinkley PD	12	5,296
Clarksville PD	Non Reporting		Clarendon PD	4	2,364
LAFAYETTE CO. SO	6	6,640	MONTGOMERY CO. SO	Non Reporting	
Stamps PD	12	3,000	NEVADA CO. SO	Non Reporting	
LAWRENCE CO. SO	12	12,041	NEWTON CO. SO	12	7,250
Hoxie PD	10	2,944	OUACHITA CO. SO	11	12,669
Walnut Ridge PD	12	4,500	Camden PD	12	16,243
LEE CO. SO	4	11,777	Stephens PD	5	1,341
Marianna PD	12	6,170	PERRY CO. SO	12	8,300
LINCOLN CO. SO	12	11,529	PHILLIPS CO. SO	12	17,594
Gould PD	12	1,700	Elaine PD	12	1,227
LITTLE RIVER CO. SO	12	8,378	Helena PD	11	9,316
Ashdown PD	12	3,928	West Helena PD	12	10,936
			PIKE CO. SO	12	9,435

Agency	Months UCR	Population	Agency	Months UCR	Population
POINSETT CO. SO	12	16,766	UNION CO. SO	12	21,194
Harrisburg PD	12	2,071	El Dorado	12	25,467
Marked Tree PD	6	3,391	VAN BUREN CO. SO	6	11,076
Trumann PD	12	7,000	WASHINGTON CO. SO	12	29,309
POLK CO. SO	12	11,208	Farmington PD	3	1,148
Mena PD	11	4,688	Fayetteville PD	12	36,000
POPE CO. SO	12	20,719	Greenland PD	11	655
Russellville PD	12	14,559	Johnson PD	4	600
PRAIRIE CO. SO	12	6,168	Lincoln PD	12	1,292
DeValls Bluff PD	12	634	Prairie Grove PD	12	1,861
Des Arc PD	12	2,709	Springdale PD	12	21,160
Hazen PD	12	1,549	U of A Public Safety	12	*
PULASKI CO. SO	12	87,902	West Fork PD	12	1,424
Jacksonville PD	12	25,767	WHITE CO. SO	12	24,542
Little Rock PD	12	144,823	Bald Knob PD	12	3,000
North Little Rock PD	12	65,000	Beebe PD	12	3,500
Sherwood PD	12	9,302	Bradford PD	12	968
RANDOLPH CO. SO	12	10,626	Higginson PD	6	286
Pocahontas PD	12	6,500	Judsonia PD	12	1,641
ST. FRANCIS CO. SO	12	19,081	Kensett PD	12	1,701
Forrest City PD	12	13,121	Rose Bud	5	232
SALINE CO. SO	12	23,296	Searcy PD	12	11,032
Benton PD	12	19,100	WOODRUFF CO. SO	12	6,848
Bryant PD	12	3,342	Augusta PD	Non Reporting	
SCOTT CO. SO	Non Reporting		McCrary PD	12	2,049
SEARCY CO. SO	1	8,717	YELL CO. SO	12	15,258
SEBASTIAN CO. SO	12	20,219	Danville PD	12	1,766
Ft. Smith PD	12	65,781			
SEVIER CO. SO	12	8,150			
DeQueen PD	12	4,156			
SHARP CO. SO	12	12,306			
STONE CO. SO	Non Reporting				

* Data for the University of Arkansas Department of Public Safety are included in the 10,000 to 18,000 population grouping.

CRIME SUMMARY 1977 AND 1978

	1977	1978	PERCENT CHANGE
Average Number of Agencies Reporting	149	169	+13.4
VIOLENT CRIME	6,586	7,209	+ 9.5
Murder	172	191	+11.0
Forcible Rape	565	486	-14.0
Robbery	1,734	1,700	- 2.0
Aggravated Assault	4,115	4,832	+17.4
PROPERTY CRIME	61,425	65,614	+ 6.8
Burglary	19,527	20,258	+ 3.7
Larceny	38,173	41,129	+ 7.7
Motor Vehicle Theft	3,725	4,227	+13.5
CRIME INDEX OFFENSES	68,011	72,823	+ 7.1
Juvenile Arrests	14,962	15,651	+ 4.6
Adult Arrests	94,340	96,603	+ 2.4
TOTAL ARRESTS	109,302	112,254	+ 2.7
VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN	\$25,164,537	\$29,401,291	+16.8
VALUE OF PROPERTY RECOVERED	\$ 8,581,541	\$10,489,011	+22.2

RACE AND SEX OF PERSONS ARRESTED

OFFENSE	SEX		RACE			TOTAL
	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	OTHER	
INDEX OFFENSES						
Murder	157	27	84	98	2	184
Forcible Rape	254	4	120	137	1	258
Robbery	657	61	292	424	2	718
Aggravated Assault	2,187	339	1,326	1,197	3	2,526
Burglary	3,317	198	2,264	1,248	3	3,515
Larceny	6,814	2,918	5,831	3,887	14	9,732
Motor Vehicle Theft	804	72	688	179	9	876
SUBTOTAL - INDEX ARRESTS	14,190	3,619	10,605	7,170	34	17,809
OTHER OFFENSES						
Manslaughter by Negligence	25	2	17	10	0	27
Non-aggravated Assault	2,606	487	1,765	1,321	7	3,093
Arson	122	16	100	38	0	138
Forgery/Counterfeiting	682	300	652	327	3	982
Fraud	2,551	2,385	3,572	1,354	9	4,936
Embezzlement	9	3	12	0	0	12
Stolen Property: Buying, Receiving, Possessing	490	59	389	156	4	549
Vandalism	738	113	602	248	1	851
Weapons: Carrying, Possession, etc.	1,370	124	899	591	4	1,494
Prostitution & Commercialized Vice	106	238	138	205	1	344
Sex Offenses (except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	280	19	230	66	3	299
Narcotic Drug Laws: Sale, Mfg.	916	174	916	170	4	1,090
Narcotic Drug Laws: Possession	4,575	575	4,148	991	11	5,150
Gambling	951	20	84	887	0	971
Offenses Against Family	538	70	389	218	1	608
Driving Under the Influence	20,686	1,390	18,059	3,966	51	22,076
Liquor Laws	4,353	548	4,348	547	6	4,901
Drunkenness	21,986	1,658	18,113	5,448	83	23,644
Disorderly Conduct	4,161	998	3,425	1,721	13	5,159
Vagrancy	306	966	534	737	1	1,272
All Other (except Traffic)	11,219	3,023	10,459	3,716	67	14,242
Suspicion	855	215	427	634	9	1,070
Curfew & Loitering Law Violations	331	101	338	93	1	432
Runaways	488	617	999	103	3	1,105
SUBTOTAL - OTHER ARRESTS	80,344	14,101	70,616	23,547	282	94,445
TOTAL ARRESTS	94,534	17,720	81,221	30,717	316	112,254

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN BY OFFENSE

	NUMBER	VALUE
MURDER	191	\$ 5,497
RAPE	486	5,058
ROBBERY		
Highway	573	107,166
Commercial House	181	114,146
Service Station	107	28,742
Convenience Store	227	74,901
Residence	203	133,943
Bank	24	312,817
Miscellaneous	385	217,190
TOTAL	1,700	988,905
BURGLARY		
Residence		
Night	5,070	2,251,965
Day	3,731	1,664,496
Unknown	3,210	1,683,051
Nonresidence		
Night	5,983	2,326,132
Day	562	193,312
Unknown	1,702	636,722
TOTAL	20,258	8,755,678
LARCENY		
Pocket Picking	143	20,786
Purse-Snatching	539	55,925
Shoplifting	3,710	138,339
From Motor Vehicles	7,175	1,565,031
Motor Vehicle Parts	8,002	1,091,213
Bicycles	3,397	295,592
From Buildings	6,595	2,004,393
Coin-Op Machines	1,506	104,194
All Other	10,062	3,237,693
TOTAL	41,129	8,513,166
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT	4,227	\$11,132,987

VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN AND RECOVERED BY TYPE

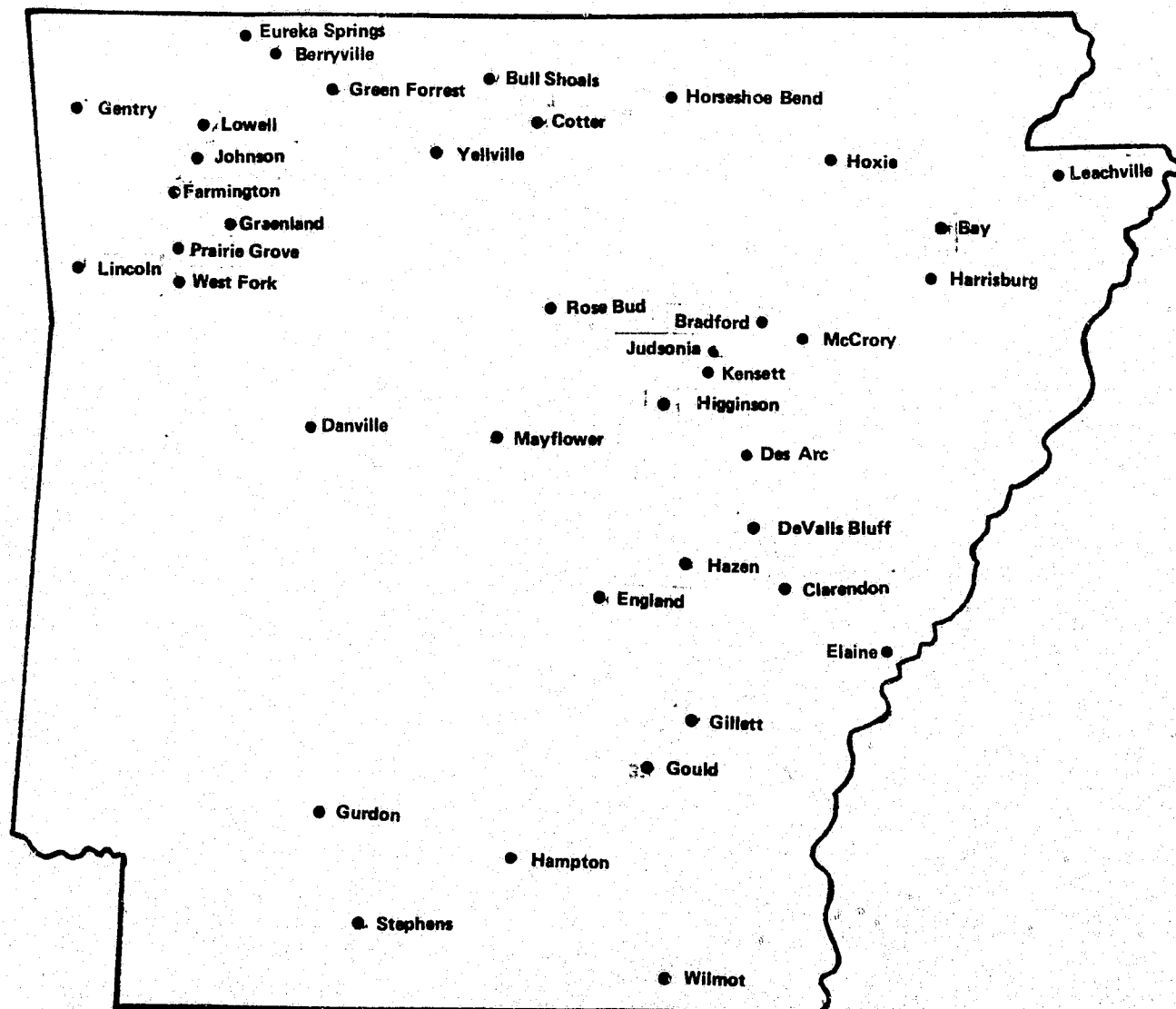
TYPE OF PROPERTY	YEAR	AMOUNT STOLEN	AMOUNT RECOVERED	PERCENT RECOVERED
Currency and Notes, Etc.	1978	2,566,563	385,919	15.0
	1977	3,039,157	849,826	28.0
Jewelry and Precious Metals	1978	1,713,058	271,143	15.8
	1977	1,899,138	204,714	10.8
Clothing and Furs	1978	622,325	52,730	8.5
	1977	522,784	65,170	12.5
Locally Stolen Motor Vehicles	1978	11,169,404	7,837,212	70.2
	1977	8,515,525	5,923,156	69.6
Office Equipment	1978	242,520	33,366	13.8
	1977	221,823	58,731	26.5
TV's, Radios, Cameras, Etc.	1978	3,073,595	381,255	12.4
	1977	2,811,636	315,603	11.2
Firearms	1978	1,114,529	161,696	14.5
	1977	929,667	165,028	17.8
Household Goods	1978	942,409	92,891	9.9
	1977	955,719	107,364	11.2
Consumable Goods	1978	361,781	71,057	19.6
	1977	311,717	50,868	16.3
Livestock	1978	183,898	52,440	28.5
	1977	142,737	41,738	29.2
Miscellaneous	1978	7,411,209	1,149,302	15.5
	1977	5,814,634	799,343	13.7
TOTAL	1978	\$29,401,291	\$10,489,011	35.7
	1977	\$25,164,537	\$ 8,581,541	34.1

INDEX OFFENSES
Arkansas, 1978

MONTH	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny	Motor Vehicle Theft	Number of Agencies
January	5,175	12	27	159	323	1,718	2,675	261	168
February	4,828	23	37	128	306	1,463	2,634	237	172
March	5,764	17	31	116	363	1,692	3,214	331	170
1st Quarter	15,767	52	95	403	992	4,873	8,523	829	
April	5,795	13	28	126	415	1,449	3,451	313	163
May	6,147	17	32	139	397	1,579	3,681	302	169
June	6,117	13	42	143	463	1,504	3,621	331	168
2nd Quarter	18,059	43	102	408	1,275	4,532	10,753	946	
July	6,881	11	53	124	483	1,812	3,940	458	168
August	6,932	31	64	128	453	1,843	3,976	437	169
September	6,325	9	37	109	389	1,742	3,624	415	172
3rd Quarter	20,138	51	154	361	1,325	5,397	11,540	1,310	
October	6,436	14	50	159	437	1,832	3,536	408	171
November	6,154	8	52	163	383	1,770	3,447	331	172
December	6,269	23	33	206	420	1,854	3,330	403	168
4th Quarter	18,859	45	135	528	1,240	5,456	10,313	1,142	
TOTAL FOR YEAR	72,823	191	486	1,700	4,832	20,258	41,129	4,227	169 Avg.



LESS THAN 3,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



1977

CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Bay PD	*	1,246	100.0	100.0	247
Berryville PD	3,152.5	2,950	26.9	35.9	220
Bradford PD	295.6	1,015	0	0	100
Bull Shoals PD	*	626	50.0	31.0	64
Clarendon PD	*	2,384	100.0	*	8
Dahville PD	1,411.8	1,700	45.8	85.5	99
DeValls Bluff PD	*	644	100.0	100.0	76
Des Arc PD	856.7	2,101	55.6	70.3	226
Elaine PD	864.3	1,157	0	0	3
England PD	2,502.3	3,237	74.1	41.2	384
Eureka Springs PD	2,900.0	2,000	31.0	46.8	35
Gillett PD	*	*	33.3	0	37
Gould PD	*	1,726	75.0	29.1	183
Green Forrest PD	*	1,800	40.0	1.0	125
Gurdon PD	*	2,300	100.0	*	89
Hampton PD	3,204.0	1,654	34.0	48.6	184
Harrisburg PD	1,434.1	1,813	61.5	38.8	214
Hazen PD	*	1,857	36.5	58.8	279
Horseshoe Bend PD	1,812.5	1,600	31.0	26.7	38
Judsonia PD	*	*	8.3	14.0	12
Kensett PD	567.5	1,938	72.7	88.0	119
Leachville PD	1,812.2	1,980	30.1	40.6	86
Mayflower PD	*	1,189	29.4	39.9	11
McCrary PD	96.5	2,073	0	0	55
Stephens PD	*	1,355	20.0	0.7	4
Wilmot PD	*	1,232	44.9	27.1	80
Yellville PD	*	1,148	33.3	34.5	40
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302
(Crime Rate based on 89.9% of population)					

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INDEX OFFENSES

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Bay PD	3	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	*
Berryville PD	88	0	0	0	0	33	49	6	3,079.0
Bradford PD	5	0	0	0	0	2	3	0	516.5
Bull Shoals PD	27	0	0	0	3	4	20	0	*
Clarendon PD	36	0	0	0	3	18	14	1	*
Cotter PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Danville PD	17	0	0	0	1	6	9	1	962.6
DeValls Bluff PD	4	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	630.9
Des Arc PD	19	0	0	0	0	3	9	7	900.9
Elaine PD	9	0	0	0	0	8	0	1	733.5
England PD	49	1	0	0	6	14	26	2	1,648.1
Eureka Springs PD	10	0	0	0	0	3	3	4	517.5
Farmington PD	13	0	0	0	1	6	6	0	*
Gentry PD	26	1	1	0	1	1	17	5	*
Gillett PD	16	0	0	0	6	0	10	0	1,654.6
Gould PD	25	0	1	2	10	4	3	5	1,470.6
Green Forrest PD	36	0	0	0	4	3	28	1	2,258.4
Greenland PD	33	0	0	0	0	8	22	3	*
Gurdon PD	11	0	0	0	1	6	3	1	*
Hampton PD	47	0	1	0	8	23	15	0	*
Harrisburg PD	17	1	0	1	1	9	5	0	820.9
Hazen PD	25	1	0	2	2	9	10	1	1,613.9
Higginson PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	*
Horseshoe Bend PD	32	0	0	0	3	7	21	1	1,823.0
Hoxie PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*
Johnson PD	11	0	0	0	0	1	9	1	*
Judsonia PD	36	0	0	1	0	30	5	0	2,193.7
Kensett PD	14	0	1	2	1	7	1	2	823.0
Leachville PD	20	0	0	0	4	6	10	0	1,041.0
Lincoln PD	15	0	0	0	0	13	2	0	1,160.9

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1978
INDEX OFFENSES

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Lowell PD	9	0	0	2	0	4	3	0	*
Mayflower PD	20	0	0	3	0	8	7	2	1,555.2
McCrary PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Prairie Grove PD	58	0	0	0	12	5	38	3	3,116.6
Rose Bud PD	6	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	*
Stephens PD	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	*
West Fork PD	32	0	0	1	3	2	21	5	2,247.1
Wilmot PD	23	0	0	0	8	7	7	1	*
Yellville PD	9	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	*
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Bay PD	1	*	2	*
Berryville PD	0	0	88	3,079.0
Bradford PD	0	0	5	516.5
Bull Shoals PD	3	*	24	*
Clarendon PD	3	*	33	*
Cotter PD	0	0	0	0
Danville PD	1	56.6	16	906.0
DeValls Bluff PD	3	473.1	1	157.7
Des Arc PD	0	0	19	900.9
Elaine PD	0	*	9	*
England PD	7	235.4	42	1,412.7
Eureka Springs PD	0	0	10	517.5
Farmington PD	1	*	12	*
Gentry PD	3	*	23	*
Gillett PD	6	620.4	10	1,034.1
Gould PD	13	764.7	12	705.8
Greenland PD	0	*	33	*
Green Forrest PD	4	250.9	32	2,007.5
Gurdon PD	1	*	10	*
Hampton PD	9	*	38	*
Harrisburg PD	3	144.8	14	676.0
Hazen PD	5	322.7	20	1,291.1
Higginson PD	0	*	2	*
Horseshoe Bend PD	3	170.9	29	1,652.1
Hoxie PD	0	0	0	0
Johnson PD	0	*	11	*
Judsonia PD	1	60.9	35	2,132.8
Kensett PD	4	235.1	10	587.8
Leachville PD	4	208.1	16	832.9
Lincoln PD	0	0	15	1,160.9
Lowell PD	2	*	7	*
Mayflower PD	3	233.2	17	1,321.9
McCrary PD	0	0	0	0

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1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Prairie Grove PD	12	644.8	46	2,471.7
Rosebud PD	1	*	5	*
Stephens PD	1	*	1	*
West Fork PD	4	280.8	28	1,996.2
Wilmot PD	8	*	15	*
Yellville PD	0	*	9	*
STATEWIDE		351.7		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Bay PD	3	3	100.0	\$ 1,836	\$ 1,836	100.0
Berryville PD	88	23	26.1	61,665	52,835	85.7
Bradford PD	5	3	60.0	839	2	0.2
Bull Shoals PD	27	12	44.4	2,862	1,254	43.8
Clarendon PD	36	5	13.9	8,569	660	7.7
Cotter PD	0	0	*	0	0	*
Danville PD	17	6	35.3	6,998	2,656	38.0
DeValls Bluff PD	4	1	25.0	150	0	0
Des Arc PD	19	8	42.1	20,062	17,092	85.2
Elaine PD	9	2	22.2	2,090	265	12.7
England PD	49	19	38.8	10,724	1,263	11.8
Eureka Springs PD	10	1	10.0	13,859	6,001	43.3
Farmington PD	13	2	15.4	1,011	15	1.5
Gentry PD	26	12	46.2	6,217	4,478	72.0
Gillett PD	16	11	68.8	930	185	19.9
Gould PD	25	23	92.0	14,418	13,418	93.1
Green Forrest PD	36	6	16.7	3,533	390	11.0
Greenland PD	33	4	12.1	10,432	7,601	72.9
Gurdon PD	11	4	36.4	10,380	8,875	85.5
Hampton PD	47	13	27.7	7,843	1,194	15.2
Harrisburg PD	17	11	64.7	13,506	1,156	8.6
Hazen PD	25	7	28.0	11,129	857	7.7
Higginson PD	2	0	0	80	0	0

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Horseshoe Bend PD	32	1	3.1	17,044	2,610	15.3
Hoxie PD	0	0	*	0	0	*
Johnson PD	11	3	27.3	1,115	200	17.9
Judsonia PD	36	7	19.4	4,777	526	11.0
Kensett PD	14	7	50.0	4,325	2,220	51.3
Leachville PD	20	8	40.0	2,418	18,263	100.0
Lincoln PD	15	8	53.3	508	291	57.3
Lowell PD	9	2	22.2	2,639	5	0.2
Mayflower PD	20	8	40.0	17,388	2,605	15.0
McCrary PD	0	0	*	0	0	*
Prairie Grove PD	58	33	56.9	20,476	9,539	46.6
Rose Bud PD	6	5	83.3	1,000	600	60.0
Stephens PD	2	1	50.0	75	0	*
West Fork PD	32	20	62.5	12,183	8,518	69.9
Wilmot PD	23	20	87.0	2,563	596	23.3
Yellville PD	9	4	44.4	782	80	10.2
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

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**ARRESTS
1978**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Bay PD	50	97	120	27	147	0	0	147
Berryville PD	36	92	99	29	128	0	0	128
Bradford PD	28	126	145	9	154	0	0	154
Bull Shoals PD	5	16	19	2	21	0	0	21
Clarendon PD	9	60	66	3	43	26	0	69
Cotter PD	16	21	31	6	37	0	0	37
Danville PD	19	58	69	8	74	3	0	77
DeValls Bluff PD	2	50	46	6	43	9	0	52
Des Arc PD	18	187	189	16	181	24	0	205
Elaine PD	4	0	4	0	4	0	0	4
England PD	10	136	140	6	71	74	1	146
Eureka Springs PD	17	48	58	7	65	0	0	65
Farmington PD	4	10	12	2	14	0	0	14
Gentry PD	29	76	94	11	105	0	0	105
Gillett PD	31	150	172	9	152	29	0	181
Gould PD	12	152	148	16	83	81	0	164
Green Forrest PD	49	111	143	17	160	0	0	160
Greenland PD	12	31	41	2	43	0	0	43
Gurdon PD	28	191	200	19	162	56	1	219
Hampton PD	11	120	125	6	84	47	0	131
Harrisburg PD	23	238	211	50	241	20	0	261

**ARRESTS
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AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Hazen PD	12	195	185	22	154	53	0	207
Higginson PD	1	5	6	0	6	0	0	6
Horseshoe Bend PD	1	17	17	1	18	0	0	18
Hoxie PD	22	300	300	22	318	4	0	322
Johnson PD	5	46	38	13	51	0	0	51
Judsonia PD	9	54	59	4	62	1	0	63
Kensett PD	39	199	191	47	225	13	0	238
Leachville PD	22	59	77	4	81	0	0	81
Lincoln PD	12	107	89	30	117	0	2	119
Lowell PD	4	26	28	2	30	0	0	30
Mayflower PD	11	20	28	3	27	4	0	31
McCrary PD	17	54	71	0	48	23	0	71
Prairie Grove PD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rosebud PD	23	17	33	7	40	0	0	40
Stephens PD	1	19	17	3	14	6	0	20
West Fork PD	17	189	186	20	205	1	0	206
Wilmot PD	26	103	124	5	28	101	0	129
Yellville PD	5	15	14	6	20	0	0	20
STATEWIDE								112,254

1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Bay PD	*	+ 6.3	0	0	-- 40.5
Berryville PD	- 2.3	- 3.1	- 3.0	+ 138.7	- 41.8
Bull Shoals PD	*	+ 59.7	- 11.2	+ 41.3	- 67.2
Bradford PD	+74.7	- 4.6	*	*	+ 54.0
Clarendon PD	*	- 0.8	- 86.1	*	+762.5
Cotter PD	*	*	*	*	*
Danville PD	-31.8	+ 3.9	- 22.9	- 55.6	- 22.2
DeValls Bluff PD	*	- 1.6	+150.0	- 100.0	- 31.6
Des Arc PD	+ 5.2	+ 0.4	- 24.3	+ 21.2	- 9.3
Elaine PD	-15.1	+ 6.1	*	*	+ 33.3
England PD	-34.1	- 8.2	- 47.6	- 71.4	- 62.0
Eureka Springs PD	-82.2	- 3.4	- 67.7	- 7.5	+ 85.7
Farmington PD	*	*	*	*	*
Gentry PD	*	*	*	*	*
Gillett PD	*	*	+106.6	*	+389.2
Gould PD	*	- 1.5	+ 22.7	+ 219.9	- 10.4
Green Forrest PD	*	- 11.4	- 58.3	+1,000.0	+ 28.0
Greenland PD	*	*	*	*	*
Gurdon PD	*	- 17.7	- 63.6	*	+146.1
Hampton PD	*	- 5.0	- 18.5	- 68.7	- 28.8
Harrisburg PD	-42.8	+ 14.2	+ 5.2	- 77.8	+ 22.0
Hazen PD	*	- 16.6	- 23.3	- 86.9	- 25.8
Higginson PD	*	*	*	*	*
Horseshoe Bend PD	+ 0.6	+ 9.7	- 90.0	- 42.7	- 52.6
Hoxie PD	*	*	*	*	*
Johnson PD	*	*	*	*	*
Judsonia PD	*	*	+133.7	- 21.4	+425.0
Kensett PD	+45.0	- 12.2	- 31.2	- 41.7	+100.0
Leachville PD	-42.6	- 2.9	+ 32.9	+ 146.3	- 5.8
Lincoln PD	*	*	*	*	*
Lowell PD	*	*	*	*	*
Mayflower PD	*	+ 8.2	+ 36.1	- 62.4	+181.8
McCrory PD	-100.0	*	*	*	+ 29.1
Prairie Grove PD	*	*	*	*	*
Rose Bud PD	*	*	*	*	*
Stephens PD	*	- 1.0	+150.0	*	+400.0
West Fork PD	*	*	*	*	*

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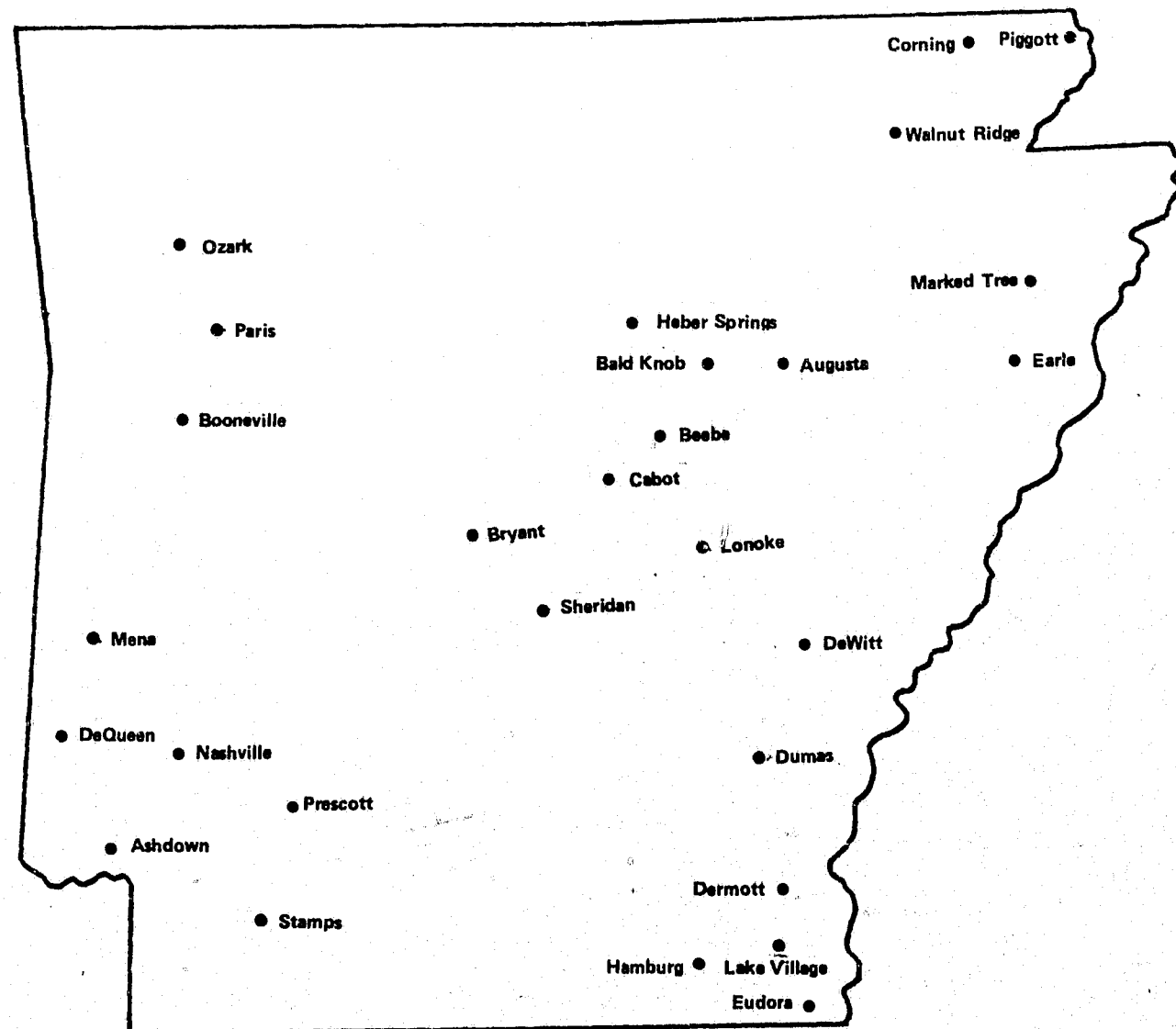
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Wilmott PD	*	- 2.5	+ 93.8	- 14.0	+ 61.3
Yellville PD	*	- 1.4	+ 33.3	- 70.4	- 50.0
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

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3,000 TO 5,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



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CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY					
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Ashdown PD	732.7	3,685	11.1%	1.5%	285
Bald Knob PD	2,945.5	2,750	24.7	21.2	301
Beebe PD	2,200.0	3,500	5.2	26.9	156
Booneville PD	2,013.6	3,526	32.4	81.6	416
Bryant PD	2,720.0	2,500	30.9	18.9	238
Corning PD	2,136.8	3,276	27.1	13.3	112
DeQueen PD	4,927.6	3,937	30.9	60.3	561
Dermott PD	2,372.1	4,300	70.6	48.7	346
DeWitt PD	2,866.1	3,838	20.0	59.9	488
Earle PD	4,060.6	3,300	16.4	50.4	105
Eudora PD	1,778.8	3,598	71.9	34.2	252
Hamburg PD	2,400.0	4,000	1.0	31.5	84
Heber Springs	2,957.3	4,193	36.3	32.0	331
Lake Village PD	585.0	3,248	52.6	65.9	362
Marked Tree PD	5,059.5	3,024	47.1	12.4	439
Mena PD	1,421.2	4,855	30.4	38.2	266
Nashville PD	931.6	4,401	65.9	30.4	379
Paris PD	2,137.3	3,977	11.8	29.9	144
Piggott PD	1,166.3	3,344	30.8	57.9	176
Prescott PD	719.8	3,890	85.7	8.0	144
Sheridan PD	133.3	3,000	50.0	97.4	12
Stamps PD	0	2,368	*	*	143
Walnut Ridge PD	937.9	4,265	0	8.6	156
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302

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**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Ashdown PD	58	0	1	1	1	19	31	5	1,477.0
Augusta PD	Non Reporting								
Bald Knob PD	96	0	0	0	5	27	59	5	3,200.0
Beebe PD	53	0	0	0	5	7	34	7	1,514.3
Booneville PD	86	0	1	0	0	22	60	3	2,515.0
Bryant PD	50	0	0	0	1	12	33	4	1,496.1
Cabot PD	Non Reporting								
Corning PD	55	0	0	0	0	8	44	3	1,700.6
Dermott PD	108	2	1	2	28	36	35	4	2,400.0
DeQueen PD	159	0	1	0	23	27	100	8	3,826.0
DeWitt PD	165	1	3	2	26	45	77	11	4,362.7
Dumas PD	196	0	3	3	14	63	106	7	4,024.6
Earle PD	116	0	1	0	10	11	93	1	2,829.3
Eudora PD	101	3	0	2	18	36	32	10	*
Hamburg PD	70	0	0	0	0	34	31	5	*
Heber Springs PD	123	0	0	1	15	37	58	12	3,937.0
Lake Village PD	45	0	0	1	11	14	19	0	1,409.3
Lonoke PD	Non Reporting								
Marked Tree PD	81	0	0	2	28	7	39	5	*
Mena PD	103	0	0	2	0	24	72	5	*
Nashville PD	52	0	0	0	29	8	14	1	1,186.9
Ozark PD	Non Reporting								
Paris PD	75	0	0	0	3	37	29	6	1,832.8
Piggott PD	39	0	0	0	3	5	28	7	1,188.0
Prescott PD	30	0	0	0	13	1	16	0	717.2
Sheridan PD	50	0	0	0	3	15	27	5	1,663.8
Stamps PD	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	33.3
Walnut Ridge PD	48	0	0	0	0	11	31	6	1,067.7
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Ashdown PD	3	76.4	55	1,400.6
Augusta PD	Non Reporting			
Bald Knob PD	5	166.7	91	3,033.3
Beebe PD	5	142.9	48	1,371.4
Booneville PD	1	29.2	85	2,485.8
Bryant PD	1	29.9	49	1,466.2
Cabot PD	Non Reporting			
Corning PD	0	0	55	1,700.6
Dermott PD	33	733.3	75	1,666.7
DeQueen PD	24	577.5	135	3,248.5
DeWitt PD	32	109.8	133	3,516.6
Dumas PD	20	*	176	*
Earle PD	11	268.3	105	2,561.0
Eudora PD	23	*	78	*
Hamburg PD	0	*	70	*
Heber Springs PD	16	512.2	107	3,424.8
Lake Village PD	12	375.8	33	1,033.5
Lonoke PD	Non Reporting			
Marked Tree PD	30	*	51	*
Mena PD	26	*	77	*
Nashville PD	29	661.3	23	524.5
Ozark PD	Non Reporting			
Paris PD	3	73.3	72	1,759.5
Piggott PD	3	91.4	36	1,096.6
Prescott PD	13	310.8	17	406.4
Sheridan PD	3	99.8	47	1,563.0
Stamps PD	0	0	1	33.3
Walnut Ridge PD	0	0	48	1,066.7
STATEWIDE		351.8		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Ashdown PD	58	18	31.0	\$19,142	\$ 4,042	21.1
Augusta PD	Non Reporting					
Bald Knob PD	96	23	24.0	26,050	7,384	28.3
Beebe PD	53	8	15.1	39,835	27,469	69.0
Booneville PD	86	12	14.0	24,148	16,882	69.9
Bryant PD	50	14	28.0	20,549	6,844	33.3
Cabot PD	Non Reporting					
Corning PD	55	12	21.8	17,929	8,311	46.4
Dermott PD	108	56	51.9	30,714	21,471	69.9
DeQueen PD	159	86	54.1	32,110	24,439	76.1
DeWitt PD	165	56	33.9	45,144	25,263	56.0
Dumas PD	196	23	11.7	64,386	25,623	39.8
Earle PD	116	46	39.7	19,921	12,479	62.6
Eudora PD	101	59	58.4	48,168	31,736	65.9
Hamburg PD	70	1	1.4	41,025	17,840	43.5
Heber Springs PD	123	31	25.2	50,665	15,355	30.3
Lake Village PD	45	30	66.7	21,706	2,431	11.2
Lonoke PD	Non Reporting					
Marked Tree PD	81	36	44.4	13,804	7,865	57.0
Mena PD	103	29	28.2	38,640	27,990	72.4
Nashville PD	52	31	59.6	6,622	2,800	42.3
Ozark PD	Non Reporting					
Paris PD	75	17	22.7	20,999	7,675	36.5

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Piggott PD	39	8	20.5	21,390	6,661	31.1
Prescott PD	30	26	86.7	589	489	83.0
Sheridan PD	50	13	26.0	26,467	9,959	37.6
Stamps PD	1	0	0	250	251	100.0
Walnut Ridge PD	48	3	6.3	55,035	10,850	19.7
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

**ARRESTS
1978**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Ashdown PD	33	270	280	23	212	91	0	303
Augusta PD	Non Reporting							
Bald Knob PD	40	416	390	66	444	12	0	456
Beebe PD	15	126	127	14	141	0	0	141
Booneville PD	33	239	237	35	271	0	1	272
Bryant PD	57	153	194	6	209	1	0	210
Cabot PD	Non Reporting							
Corning PD	33	106	123	16	139	0	0	139
Dermott PD	65	349	379	35	197	217	0	414
DeQueen PD	69	615	529	155	627	53	4	684
DeWitt PD	45	256	267	34	256	45	0	301
Dumas PD	11	253	233	31	102	162	0	264
Earle PD	39	74	103	10	21	92	0	113
Eudora PD	14	210	188	36	49	172	3	224
Hamburg PD	6	207	180	33	93	120	0	213
Heber Springs PD	61	242	279	24	303	0	0	303
Lake Village PD	30	367	362	35	175	221	1	397
Lonoke PD	Non Reporting							
Marked Tree PD	33	211	208	36	173	71	0	244
Mena PD	112	362	404	70	474	0	0	474
Nashville PD	35	196	217	14	167	63	1	231
Ozark PD	Non Reporting							

ARRESTS

1978

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Paris PD	25	52	73	4	76	1	0	77
Piggott PD	28	120	138	10	148	0	0	148
Prescott PD	11	205	202	14	97	119	0	216
Sheridan PD	53	206	250	9	230	29	0	259
Stamps PD	0	141	130	11	71	70	0	141
Walnut Ridge PD	4	133	133	4	136	1	0	137
STATEWIDE								112,254

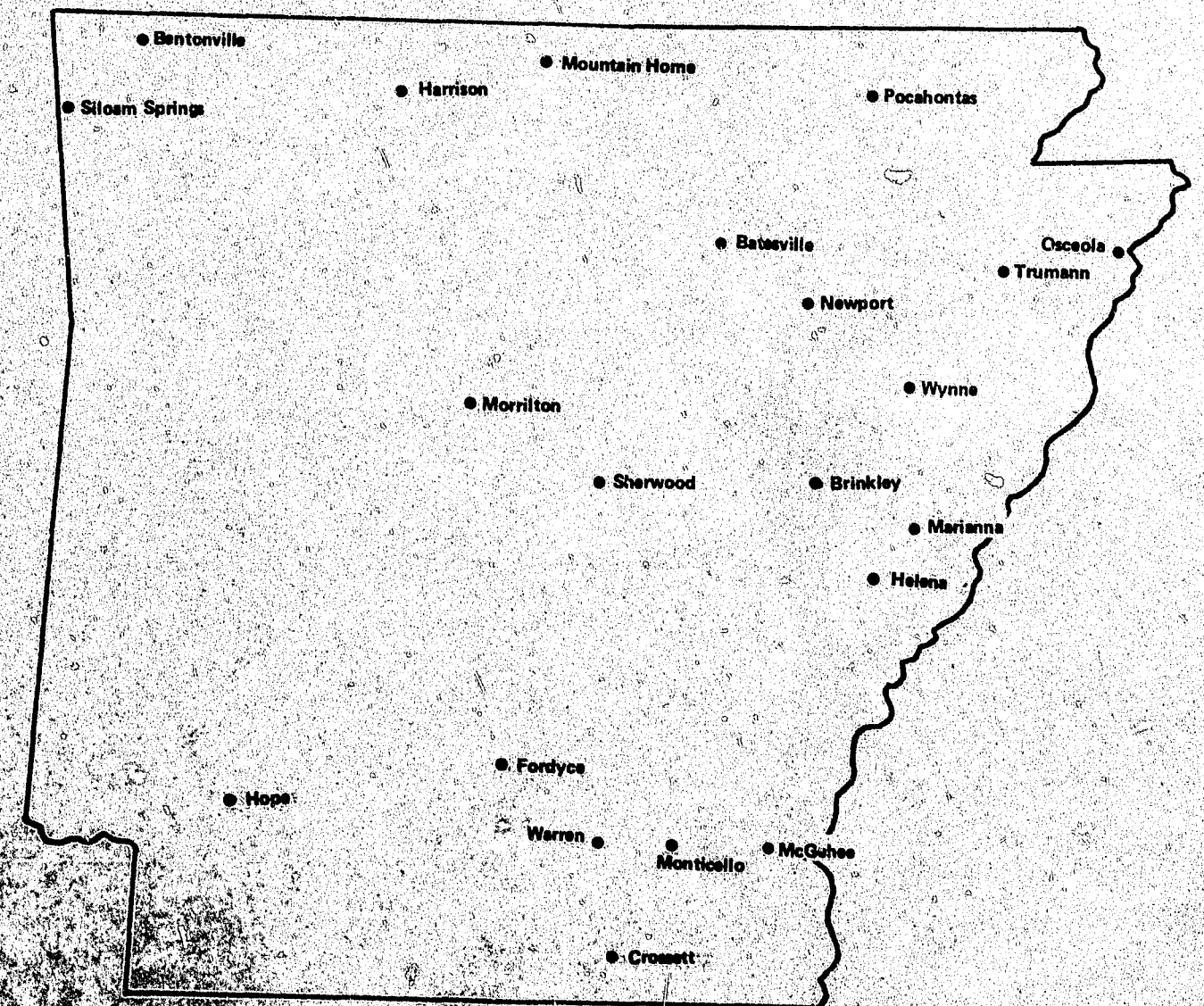
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Ashdown PD	+101.6	+ 6.6	+179.3	+1306.7	+ 6.3
Bald Knob PD	+ 8.6	+ 9.1	- 2.8	+ 33.5	+ 51.5
Beebe PD	- 31.2	0	+190.4	+ 156.5	- 9.6
Booneville PD	+ 24.9	- 3.0	- 56.8	- 14.3	- 34.6
Bryant PD	- 45.0	+ 33.7	- 9.4	+ 76.2	- 11.8
Corning PD	- 20.4	- 1.3	- 19.6	+ 248.9	+ 24.1
DeQueen PD	- 22.4	+ 5.6	+ 75.1	+ 26.2	+ 21.9
Dermott PD	+ 1.2	+ 4.6	- 26.5	+ 43.5	+ 19.7
DeWitt PD	+ 52.2	- 1.5	+ 69.5	- 6.5	- 38.3
Dumas PD	*	+ 8.6	*	*	*
Earle PD	- 30.3	+ 24.2	+142.1	+ 24.2	+ 7.6
Eudora PD	*	+ 5.6	- 18.8	+ 92.7	- 11.1
Hamburg PD	*	- 18.3	+ 40.0	+ 38.1	+153.6
Heber Springs PD	+ 33.1	- 25.5	- 30.6	- 5.3	- 8.5
Lake Village PD	+140.9	- 1.7	+ 26.8	- 83.0	+ 9.7
Marked Tree PD	*	+ 12.1	- 5.7	+ 359.7	- 44.4
Mena PD	*	- 3.4	- 7.2	+ 89.5	+ 78.2
Nashville PD	+ 27.4	- 0.3	- 9.6	+ 39.1	- 39.1
Paris PD	- 14.2	+ 2.9	+ 92.4	+ 22.1	- 46.5
Piggott PD	+ 1.9	- 1.8	- 33.4	- 46.3	- 15.9
Prescott PD	- 0.4	+ 7.5	+ 1.2	+ 937.5	+ 50.0
Sheridan PD	*	+ 0.2	- 48.0	- 61.4	*
Stamps PD	*	+ 26.7	*	*	- 1.4
Walnut Ridge PD	- 13.8	+ 5.5	*	+129.1	- 12.2
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

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5,000 TO 10,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



1977

CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Batesville PD	3,312.5	8,000	27.2%	45.6%	543
Bentonville PD	3,342.9	7,000	22.6	16.2	271
Brinkley PD	3,770.1	4,907	35.1	38.8	871
Crossett PD	*	6,454	30.3	43.3	159
Fordyce PD	*	4,826	50.0	4.2	546
Harrison PD	4,258.7	8,876	25.7	66.9	505
Helena PD	3,296.6	11,800	15.7	33.6	684
Hope PD	3,081.8	11,000	22.1	19.0	1,054
Marianna PD	5,125.2	5,190	19.9	45.7	598
McGehee PD	5,893.2	5,413	40.4	23.6	384
Monticello PD	2,675.0	8,000	58.9	59.8	863
Morrilton PD	3,459.5	7,400	33.2	59.2	595
Mountain Home PD	*	7,211	22.1	13.3	357
Newport PD	5,951.3	7,847	36.8	25.6	821
Osceola PD	5,788.2	8,500	40.0	48.5	1,308
Pocahontas PD	1,813.8	7,002	3.1	45.4	329
Sherwood PD	3,815.9	6,735	3.5	19.6	420
Siloam Springs PD	3,171.4	7,000	21.6	13.3	318
Trumann PD	3,349.7	5,911	25.3	41.8	728
Warren PD	2,025.5	6,665	35.6	42.3	521
Wynne PD	1,737.5	7,883	18.2	44.5	429
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302

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**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Batesville PD	338	0	0	3	27	73	213	22	4,783.8
Bentonville PD	197	0	0	1	8	18	162	8	2,515.3
Brinkley PD	212	2	1	4	15	70	115	5	4,003.0
Clarksville PD	Non Reporting								
Crossett PD	201	2	1	0	45	49	97	7	2,864.1
Fordyce PD	246	1	4	2	79	47	108	5	4,920.0
Harrison PD	349	0	1	4	22	63	232	27	3,648.8
Helena PD	341	7	0	9	17	128	145	35	*
Hope PD	407	0	2	2	4	126	256	17	4,268.0
Marianna PD	228	0	2	8	13	68	131	6	3,695.3
McGehee PD	223	1	1	7	4	84	118	8	4,153.5
Monticello PD	206	1	2	1	18	34	141	9	2,653.6
Morrilton PD	280	0	1	1	6	99	159	14	4,267.6
Mountain Home PD	203	0	1	0	4	26	162	10	2,904.1
Newport PD	442	0	0	8	0	68	346	20	5,495.0
Osceola PD	513	1	5	6	52	92	338	19	6,051.0
Pocahontas PD	125	0	1	0	6	34	81	3	1,923.0
Sherwood PD	228	0	0	2	2	46	163	15	2,451.0
Siloam Springs PD	335	0	1	0	25	90	184	35	4,715.0
Trumann PD	242	0	0	0	1	65	162	14	3,457.0
Warren PD	160	1	2	3	18	31	102	3	2,275.6
Wynne PD	204	0	0	6	3	32	149	14	2,763.0
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Batesville PD	30	424.5	308	4,358.3
Bentonville PD	9	114.9	188	2,400.4
Brinkley PD	22	415.4	190	3,587.6
Clarksville PD	Non Reporting			
Crossett PD	48	684.0	153	2,180.1
Fordyce PD	86	1,720.0	160	3,200.0
Harrison PD	27	282.2	322	3,366.5
Helena PD	33	*	308	*
Hope PD	8	83.9	399	4,184.1
Marianna PD	23	372.8	205	3,322.5
McGehee PD	13	242.1	210	3,911.3
Monticello PD	22	283.4	184	2,370.2
Morrilton PD	8	121.9	272	4,145.7
Mountain Home PD	5	71.5	198	2,832.6
Newport PD	8	99.5	434	5,395.5
Osceola PD	64	754.9	449	5,296.1
Pocahontas PD	7	107.7	118	1,815.4
Sherwood PD	4	43.0	224	2,408.1
Siloam Springs PD	26	365.9	309	4,349.1
Trumann PD	1	14.3	241	3,442.7
Warren PD	24	341.3	136	1,934.3
Wynne PD	9	121.9	195	2,641.1
STATEWIDE		351.7		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Batesville PD	338	136	40.2	\$179,239	\$52,955	29.5
Bentonville PD	197	35	17.8	49,646	21,242	42.8
Brinkley PD	212	72	34.0	49,452	18,855	38.1
Crossett PD	201	81	40.3	73,693	29,898	40.6
Clarksville PD	Non Reporting					
Fordyce PD	246	148	60.2	49,515	14,589	29.5
Harrison PD	349	84	24.1	124,956	79,206	63.4
Helena PD	341	61	17.9	156,475	105,492	67.4
Hope PD	407	121	29.7	94,953	30,116	31.7
Marianna PD	228	34	14.9	92,603	61,454	66.4
McGehee PD	223	35	15.7	115,496	16,454	14.2
Monticello PD	206	119	57.8	64,568	32,262	50.0
Morrilton PD	280	61	21.8	91,096	47,515	52.2
Mountain Home PD	203	43	21.2	51,171	18,207	35.6
Newport PD	442	290	65.6	122,928	56,212	45.7
Osceola PD	513	208	40.5	152,826	54,226	35.5
Pocahontas PD	125	17	13.6	89,739	7,257	8.1
Sherwood PD	228	52	22.8	107,451	16,889	15.7
Siloam Springs PD	335	94	28.1	154,827	57,720	37.3
Trumann PD	242	46	19.0	58,515	17,246	29.5
Warren PD	160	36	22.5	28,344	6,409	22.6
Wynne PD	204	31	15.2	73,902	25,367	34.3
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

ARRESTS

1978

	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Batesville PD	146	514	563	97	628	27	5	660
Bentonville PD	79	139	185	33	218	0	0	218
Brinkley PD	77	790	732	135	424	438	5	867
Clarksville PD	Non Reporting							
Crossett PD	94	327	337	84	217	204	0	421
Fordyce PD	486	1,160	1,264	382	593	1,051	2	1,646
Harrison PD	79	347	391	35	425	1	0	426
Helena PD	57	558	514	101	213	401	1	615
Hope PD	138	856	853	141	431	560	3	994
Marianna PD	65	520	507	78	249	336	0	585
McGehee PD	7	170	159	18	86	91	0	177
Monticello PD	146	464	546	64	408	202	0	610
Morrilton PD	60	293	321	32	302	51	0	353
Mountain Home PD	60	405	406	59	465	0	0	465
Newport PD	135	785	815	105	695	225	0	920
Osceola PD	220	1,263	1,159	324	876	607	0	1,483
Pocahontas PD	118	176	228	66	291	3	0	294
Sherwood PD	51	237	274	14	274	14	0	288
Siloam Springs PD	72	282	329	25	341	0	13	354
Trumann PD	87	729	669	147	787	22	7	816
Warren PD	25	353	328	50	169	188	21	378
Wynne PD	40	366	323	83	250	155	1	406
STATEWIDE								112,254

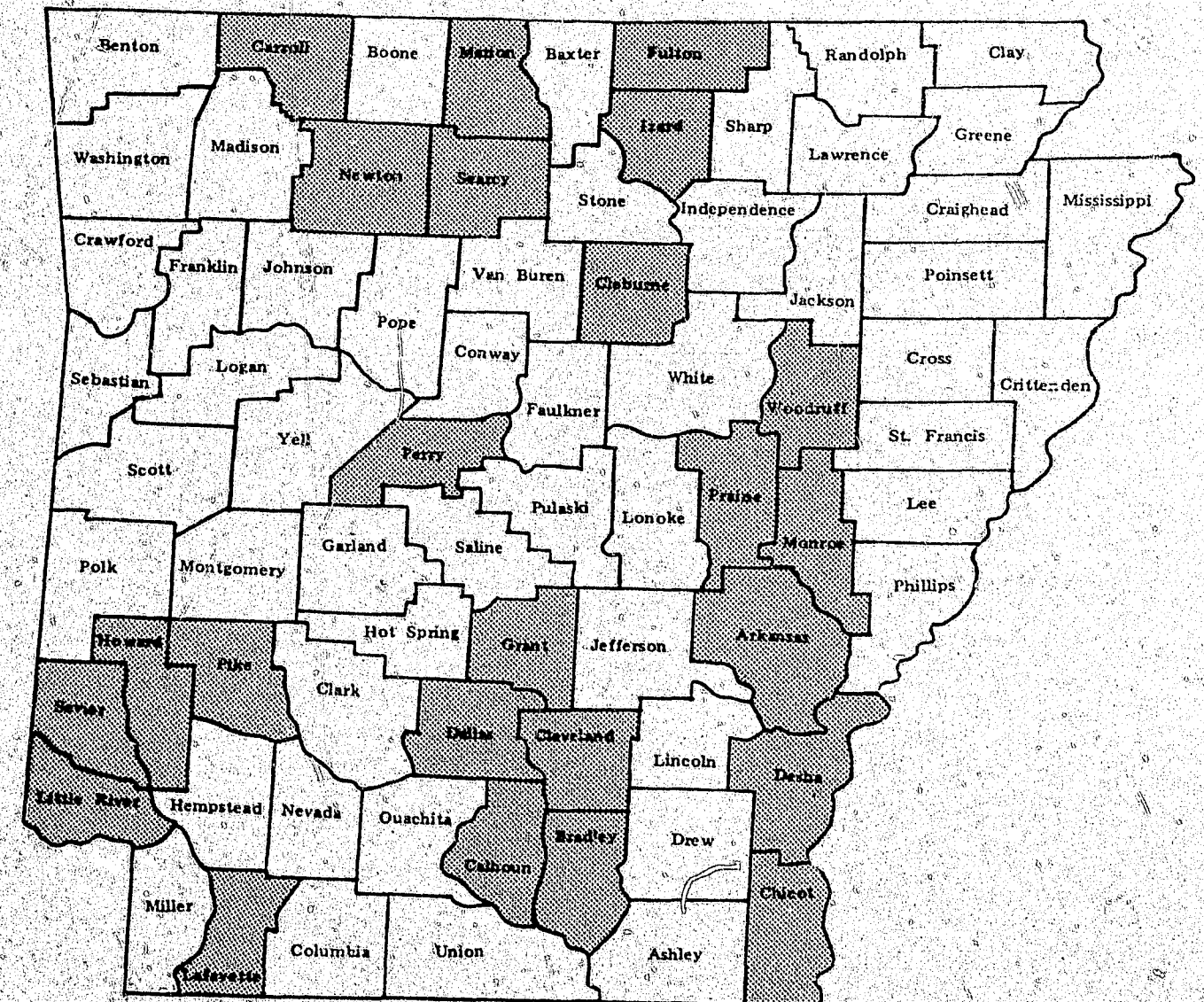
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Batesville PD	+ 44.4	- 11.7	+ 47.8	- 35.3	+ 21.5
Bentonville PD	- 24.8	+ 11.9	- 21.2	+164.2	- 19.6
Brinkley PD	+ 6.2	+ 7.9	- 3.1	- 1.8	- 0.5
Crossett PD	*	+ 8.7	+ 33.0	- 6.2	+164.8
Fordyce PD	*	+ 3.6	+ 20.4	+602.4	+201.5
Harrison PD	- 14.3	+ 7.8	- 6.2	- 5.2	- 15.6
Helena PD	*	- 21.1	+ 14.0	+100.6	- 10.1
Hope PD	+ 38.5	- 13.3	+ 34.4	+ 66.8	- 5.7
Marianna PD	- 27.9	+ 18.9	- 25.1	+ 45.3	- 2.2
McGehee PD	- 29.5	- 0.8	- 61.1	- 39.8	- 53.9
Monticello PD	- 0.8	- 3.0	- 1.9	- 16.4	- 29.3
Morrilton PD	+ 23.4	- 11.3	- 34.3	- 11.8	- 40.7
Mountain Home PD	*	- 3.1	- 4.1	+167.7	+ 30.3
Newport PD	- 7.7	+ 2.5	+ 78.3	+ 78.5	+ 12.1
Osceola PD	+ 4.5	- 0.3	+ 1.3	- 26.8	+ 13.4
Pocahontas PD	+ 6.0	- 7.2	+338.7	- 82.2	- 10.6
Sherwood PD	- 35.8	+ 38.1	+551.4	- 19.9	- 31.4
Siloam Springs PD	+ 48.7	+ 1.5	+ 30.1	+180.5	+ 11.3
Trumann PD	+ 3.2	+ 18.4	- 24.9	- 29.4	+ 12.1
Warren PD	+ 12.3	+ 5.5	- 36.8	- 46.6	- 27.4
Wynne PD	+ 59.0	- 6.4	- 16.5	- 22.9	- 5.4
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

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3,000 TO 10,000 POPULATION
(County Sheriffs' Offices)



1977
CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Arkansas County SO	276.1	7,244	100.0%	79.0%	110
Cleveland County SO	1,642.9	7,000	54.8	31.8	274
Dallas County SO	618.5	5,174	9.4	1.9	106
Desha County SO	2,380.7	8,401	18.0	39.6	187
Howard County SO	415.6	9,144	44.7	30.8	275
Izard County SO	285.7	8,400	37.5	5.6	72
Little River County SO	1,744.1	8,027	23.6	26.6	234
Monroe County SO	838.7	7,273	44.3	42.0	180
Newton County SO	671.0	7,004	36.2	77.1	119
Perry County SO	1,262.4	7,129	50.0	41.3	355
Pike County SO	597.7	9,370	26.8	34.4	297
Prairie County SO	2,128.7	6,275	26.9	38.1	107
Woodruff County SO	1,949.1	6,362	28.2	4.9	359
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302

**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Arkansas County SO	15	0	0	0	3	6	3	3	225.7
Bradley County SO	51	1	0	2	4	19	25	0	836.6
Calhoun County SO	34	0	0	0	5	20	9	0	904.0
Carroll County SO	93	0	0	0	1	25	63	4	1,082.8
Chicot County SO	173	3	3	3	11	69	75	9	2,862.3
Cleburne County SO	104	0	0	0	1	46	56	1	*
Cleveland County SO	74	2	1	1	29	22	14	5	925.0
Dallas County SO	19	0	0	0	1	13	5	0	*
Desha County SO	211	0	1	1	26	70	109	4	2,667.0
Fulton County SO	39	0	0	1	1	17	18	2	*
Grant County SO	37	0	0	2	0	31	4	0	377.1
Howard County SO	54	1	0	0	7	26	17	3	590.0
Izard County SO	22	0	0	0	0	17	3	2	258.8
Lafayette County SO	10	1	0	2	3	1	3	0	150.6
Little River County SO	53	1	1	0	4	18	29	0	632.6
Marion County SO	83	0	0	0	4	28	50	1	936.0
Monroe County SO	82	3	2	0	0	30	44	3	1,076.1
Montgomery County SO	Non Reporting								
Nevada County SO	Non Reporting								
Newton County SO	63	1	0	0	3	25	28	6	869.0
Perry County SO	70	0	1	1	4	34	28	2	843.4
Pike County SO	68	0	1	0	5	26	34	2	721.0
Prairie County SO	113	1	2	2	9	33	58	8	1,832.0
Scott County SO	Non Reporting								
Searcy County SO	4	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	45.9
Sevier County SO	65	0	0	1	3	52	7	2	797.5
Stone County SO	Non Reporting								
Woodruff County SO	148	0	1	2	4	82	47	12	2,161.0
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Arkansas County SO	3	45.1	12	180.6
Bradley County SO	7	114.8	44	721.6
Calhoun County SO	5	132.9	29	771.1
Carroll County SO	1	11.6	92	1,071.1
Chicot County SO	20	330.9	153	2,531.4
Cleburne County SO	1	*	103	*
Cleveland County SO	33	412.5	41	512.5
Dallas County SO	1	*	18	*
Desha County SO	28	353.8	183	2,313.2
Fulton County SO	2	*	37	*
Grant County SO	2	20.4	35	356.7
Howard County SO	8	87.4	46	502.6
Izard County SO	0	0	22	258.8
Lafayette County SO	6	90.4	4	60.2
Little River County SO	6	71.6	47	561.0
Marion County SO	4	45.1	79	890.9
Monroe County SO	5	65.6	77	1,010.5
Montgomery County SO	Non Reporting			
Nevada County SO	Non Reporting			
Newton County SO	4	55.2	59	813.8
Perry County SO	6	72.3	64	771.1
Pike County SO	6	63.6	62	657.4
Prairie County SO	14	227.0	99	1,605.1
Scott County SO	Non Reporting			
Searcy County SO	0	*	4	*
Sevier County SO	4	49.1	61	748.5
Stone County SO	Non Reporting			
Woodruff County SO	7	102.2	141	2,058.8
STATEWIDE		351.7		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Arkansas County SO	15	15	100.0	\$ 26,440	\$ 25,781	97.5
Bradley County SO	51	13	25.5	18,057	2,179	12.1
Calhoun County SO	34	10	29.4	9,758	2,991	30.7
Carroll County SO	93	11	11.8	35,708	8,572	24.0
Chicot County SO	173	72	41.6	114,300	53,172	46.5
Cleburne County SO	104	24	23.1	49,130	6,680	13.6
Cleveland County SO	74	53	71.6	141,144	22,809	16.2
Dallas County SO	19	3	15.8	10,571	4,085	38.6
Desha County SO	211	45	21.3	81,202	16,398	20.2
Fulton County SO	39	11	28.2	15,727	7,850	49.9
Grant County SO	37	0	0	18,550	0	0
Howard County SO	54	8	14.8	25,180	400	1.6
Izard County SO	22	3	13.6	7,437	400	5.4
Lafayette County SO	10	10	100.0	1,297	780	60.1
Little River County SO	53	19	35.8	40,405	26,415	65.4
Marion County SO	83	15	18.1	22,724	7,867	34.6
Monroe County SO	82	26	31.7	35,372	14,266	40.3
Montgomery County SO	Non Reporting					
Nevada County SO	Non Reporting					
Newton County SO	63	6	9.5	29,479	16,989	57.6
Perry County SO	70	24	34.3	56,456	20,458	36.2
Pike County SO	68	9	13.2	21,838	4,141	19.0
Prairie County SO	113	22	19.5	86,589	48,178	55.6

CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Scott County SO		Non Reporting				
Searcy County SO	4	0	0	900	0	0
Sevier County SO	65	26	40.0	26,146	13,440	51.4
Stone County SO		Non Reporting				
Woodruff County SO	148	16	10.8	94,140	57,418	61.0
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

**ARRESTS
1978**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Arkansas County SO	5	126	90	41	82	49	0	131
Bradley County SO	17	103	112	8	73	43	4	120
Calhoun County SO	11	120	127	4	81	50	0	131
Carroll County SO	30	178	192	16	208	0	0	208
Chicot County SO	113	197	269	41	182	127	1	310
Cleburne County SO	60	356	401	15	416	0	0	416
Cleveland County SO	115	298	343	70	334	79	0	413
Dallas County SO	15	72	83	4	66	21	0	87
Desha County SO	20	151	144	27	100	69	2	171
Fulton County SO	20	121	134	7	141	0	0	141
Grant County SO	3	121	114	10	112	10	2	124
Howard County SO	26	195	200	21	174	46	1	221
Izard County SO	10	32	38	4	42	0	0	42
Lafayette County SO	11	268	261	18	130	148	1	279
Little River County SO	20	116	124	12	96	40	0	136
Monroe County SO	33	274	300	7	122	184	1	307
Montgomery County SO	Non Reporting							
Nevada County SO	Non Reporting							
Newton County SO	13	118	124	7	131	0	0	131
Perry County SO	44	200	230	14	242	2	0	244
Pike County SO	18	231	243	6	228	18	3	249

**ARRESTS
1978**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Prairie County SO	35	55	65	25	73	17	0	90
Scott County SO	Non Reporting							
Searcy Sounty SO	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	5
Sevier County SO	25	229	137	17	246	8	0	254
Stone County SO	Non Reporting							
Woodruff County SO	26	195	208	13	163	58	0	221
STATEWIDE								112,254

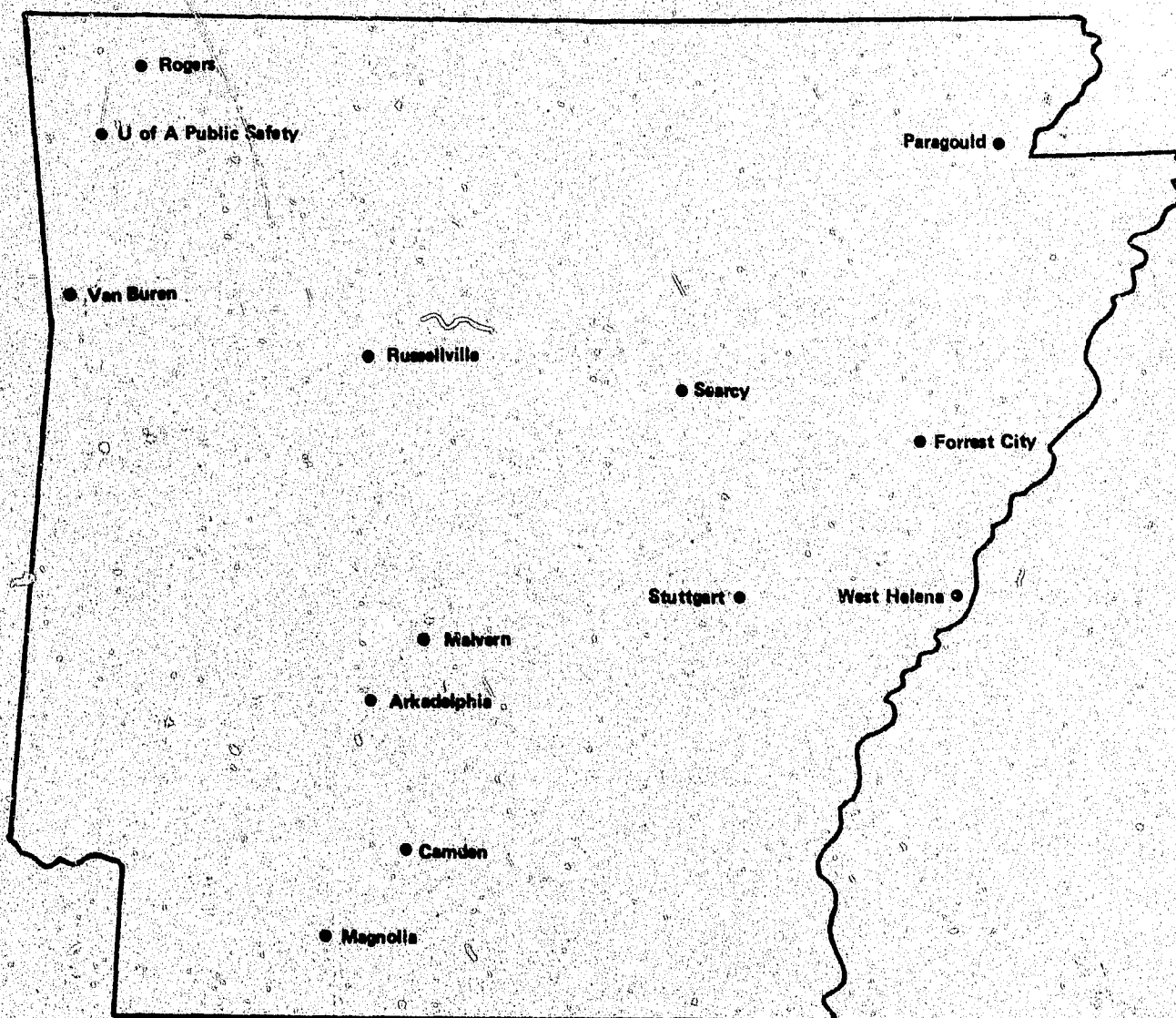
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Arkansas County SO	-18.3	- 8.3	0	+ 23.4	+19.1
Bradley County SO	*	- 7.3	*	*	*
Calhoun County SO	*	- 4.7	*	*	*
Carroll County SO	*	+11.4	*	*	*
Chicot County SO	*	- 9.5	*	*	*
Cleburne County SO	*	-16.1	*	*	*
Cleveland County SO	-43.7	+14.3	+30.7	- 49.1	+50.7
Dallas County SO	*	+ 5.5	+68.1	+1984.2	-17.9
Desha County SO	+12.0	- 5.8	+18.3	- 49.0	- 8.6
Fulton County SO	*	- 4.1	*	*	*
Grant County SO	*	+ 1.9	*	*	*
Howard County SO	+42.0	+ 0.1	-66.9	- 94.8	-19.6
Izard County SO	- 9.4	+ 1.2	-63.7	- 3.6	-41.7
Lafayette County SO	*	-10.4	*	*	*
Little River County SO	-63.7	+ 4.4	+51.7	+ 145.9	-41.9
Marion County SO	*	+ 5.4	*	*	*
Monroe County SO	+28.3	+ 4.8	-28.4	- 4.0	+70.6
Newton County SO	+29.5	+ 3.5	-73.8	- 25.3	+10.1
Perry County SO	-33.2	+16.4	-31.4	- 12.3	-31.3
Pike County SO	+20.6	+ 0.7	-50.7	- 44.8	-16.2
Prairie County SO	-13.9	- 1.7	-27.5	+ 45.9	-15.9
Searcy County SO	*	+ 0.7	*	*	*
Sevier County SO	*	+ 1.1	*	*	*
Woodruff County SO	+10.9	+ 7.6	-61.7	+1144.9	-38.4
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

*Unsufficient data available to make the necessary computation.



10,000 TO 18,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



1977
CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Arkadelphia PD	1,856.6	10,503	10.3%	59.1%	325
Camden PD	3,913.9	15,892	47.1	26.1	711
Forrest City PD	5,969.8	15,344	33.7	39.9	1,495
Magnolia PD	966.9	11,687	49.6	44.4	689
Malvern PD	2,161.8	9,853	22.1	24.8	640
Paragould PD	4,526.9	14,447	32.6	61.8	942
Rogers PD	4,635.9	15,078	33.8	34.9	727
Russellville PD	6,122.9	12,984	8.2	43.1	1,000
Searcy PD	3,958.3	12,000	22.5	46.1	595
Stuttgart PD	1,188.9	12,953	36.6	31.0	454
West Helena PD	2,716.6	11,117	17.5	22.0	550
U of A Public Safety		No population	5.6	25.4	292
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8%	34.1%	109,302

1978
INDEX OFFENSES

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Arkadelphia PD	206	0	0	6	6	48	134	12	1,990.9
Camden PD	627	2	4	11	85	99	404	22	3,860.0
Forrest City PD	974	3	1	19	165	202	550	34	7,423.0
Magnolia PD	93	2	0	3	1	35	48	4	784.7
Malvern PD	322	0	4	4	8	95	199	12	2,970.5
Paragould PD	915	1	0	8	47	205	593	61	6,536.0
Rogers PD	636	0	2	3	35	93	475	28	4,103.0
Russellville PD	716	0	2	6	41	160	484	23	4,917.9
Searcy PD	533	0	1	3	13	83	396	37	4,831.0
Stuttgart PD	319	0	0	6	9	84	215	5	2,552.0
Van Buren PD	39	0	0	0	0	14	22	3	*
West Helena PD	382	0	0	9	66	112	185	10	3,493.0
U of A Public Safety	384	1	1	1	15	98	264	4	*
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Arkadelphia PD	12	116.0	194	1,844.9
Camden PD	102	628.0	525	3,232.0
Forrest City PD	188	1,432.8	786	5,990.2
Magnolia PD	6	50.6	87	734.1
Malvern PD	16	147.6	306	2,822.9
Paragould PD	56	400.0	859	6,136.0
Rogers PD	40	258.1	596	3,844.9
Russellville PD	49	336.6	667	4,581.3
Searcy PD	17	154.1	516	4,676.9
Stuttgart PD	15	120.0	304	2,432.0
Van Buren PD	0	*	39	*
West Helena PD	75	685.8	307	2,807.2
U of A Public Safety	18	*	366	*
STATEWIDE		351.7		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Arkadelphia PD	206	11	5.3	\$109,897	\$ 31,413	28.6
Camden PD	627	444	70.8	189,586	91,454	48.2
Forrest City PD	974	295	30.3	202,730	59,730	29.5
Magnolia PD	93	55	59.1	41,778	6,511	15.6
Malvern PD	322	48	14.9	111,906	26,739	23.9
Paragould PD	915	161	17.6	207,128	84,825	40.9
Rogers PD	636	212	33.3	168,558	152,765	90.6
Russellville PD	716	67	9.3	165,575	82,625	49.9
Searcy PD	533	135	25.3	214,083	89,401	41.8
Stuttgart PD	319	61	19.1	89,743	3,148	3.5
Van Buren PD	39	2	5.1	17,224	2,500	14.5
West Helena PD	382	90	23.5	101,096	36,257	35.9
U of A Dept. of Public Safety	384	84	21.9	57,753	18,273	31.6
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

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ARRESTS

1978

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Arkadelphia PD	44	247	274	17	229	62	0	291
Camden PD	126	542	577	91	288	380	0	668
Forrest City PD	155	1,619	1,399	375	828	944	2	1,774
Magnolia PD	7	525	446	86	245	286	1	532
Malvern PD	56	329	289	96	297	88	0	385
Paragould PD	141	511	563	89	652	0	0	652
Rogers PD	168	444	521	91	612	0	0	612
Russellville PD	164	1,021	927	258	1,098	84	3	1,185
Searcy PD	145	500	551	94	589	56	0	645
Stuttgart PD	68	434	440	62	246	255	1	502
Van Buren PD	7	28	30	5	35	0	0	35
West Helena PD	51	387	372	66	221	215	2	438
U of A Dept. of Public Safety	18	291	286	23	266	42	1	309
STATEWIDE								112,254

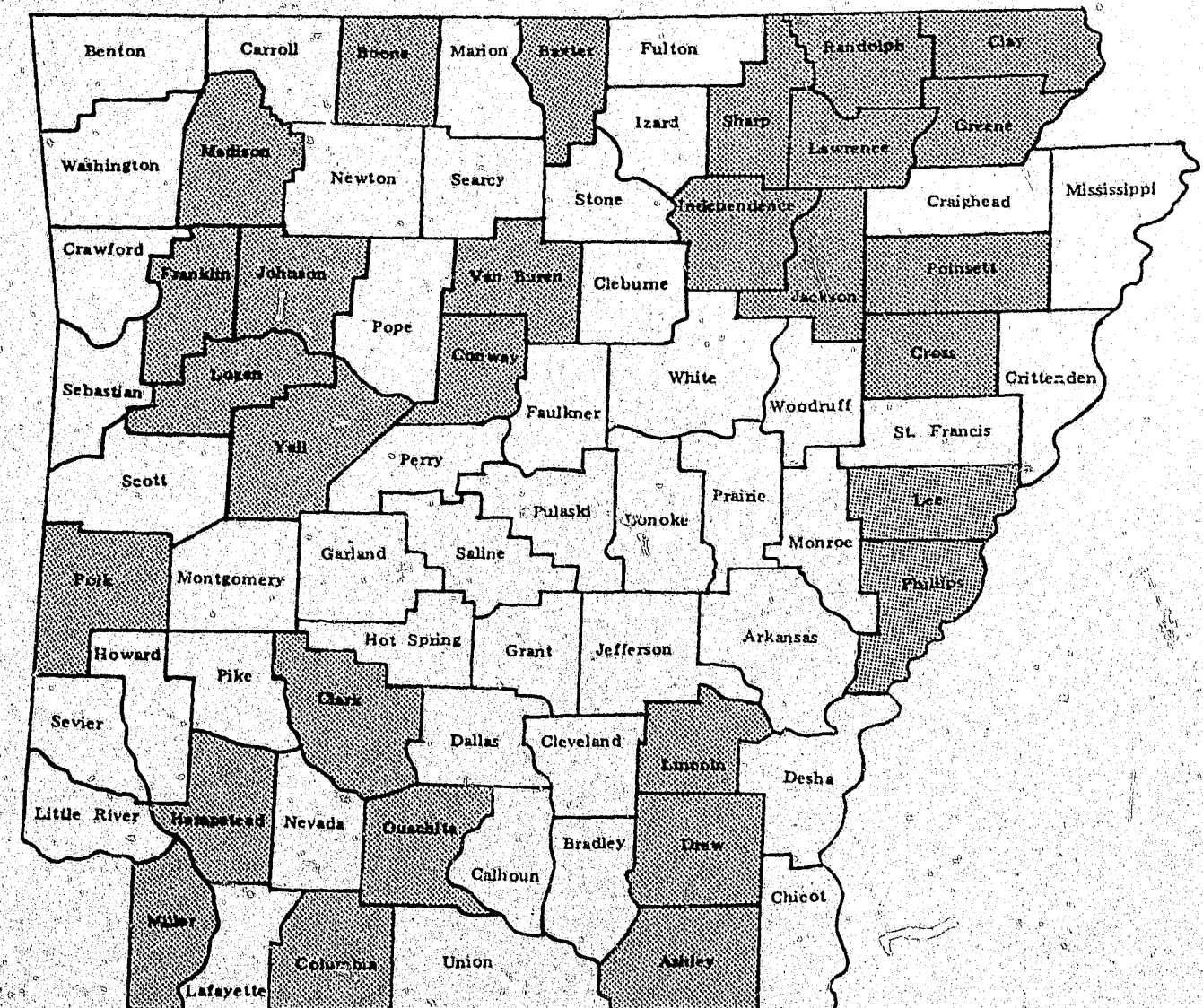
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Arkadelphia PD	+ 7.2	- 1.5	-48.5	-51.6	-10.5
Camden PD	- 1.4	+ 2.2	+50.3	+84.7	- 6.0
Forrest City PD	+24.3	-14.5	-10.1	-26.1	+18.7
Magnolia PD	-18.8	+ 1.4	+19.2	-64.9	-22.8
Malvern PD	+37.4	+10.0	-32.6	- 3.6	-39.8
Paragould PD	+44.4	- 3.1	-46.0	-33.8	+30.8
Rogers PD	-11.5	+ 2.8	- 1.5	+159.6	-15.8
Russellville PD	-19.7	+12.4	+13.4	+15.8	+18.5
Searcy PD	+22.0	- 8.1	+12.4	- 9.3	+ 8.4
Stuttgart PD	+114.7	- 3.5	-47.8	-88.7	+10.6
Van Buren PD	*	+22.9	*	*	*
West Helena PD	+28.6	- 1.6	+34.3	+63.2	-20.4
U of A Public Safety	*	*	+291.1	+24.4	+ 5.8
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

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10,000 TO 18,000 POPULATION
(County Sheriffs' Offices)



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1977
CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Ashley County SO	1,043.6	14,182	31.1%	2.6%	299
Baxter County SO	1,216.8	16,519	21.4	39.2	344
Boone County SO	723.9	13,124	16.8	47.8	269
Clark County SO	1,223.7	9,806	39.2	46.5	751
Clay County SO	1,585.1	14,258	33.6	37.5	340
Columbia County SO	874.4	14,181	35.5	41.7	203
Conway County SO	1,835.5	11,441	35.7	41.5	189
Cross County SO	1,265.2	13,199	22.2	21.1	319
Greene County SO	1,700.7	14,053	6.7	36.4	427
Hempstead County SO	733.9	9,674	0	10.2	119
Independence County SO	1,651.1	17,257	24.9	20.6	640
Johnson County SO	1,383.0	11,063	28.8	7.6	311
Lawrence County SO	1,001.0	15,085	39.7	67.4	432
Lincoln County SO	616.6	11,514	26.8	10.0	116
Madison County SO	1,323.8	10,500	19.4	30.6	278
Miller County SO	2,152.9	12,959	33.3	68.2	929
Ouachita County SO	*	12,491	55.3	59.1	152
Phillips County SO	738.4	14,219	14.3	11.1	178
Poinsett County SO	1,333.1	16,953	36.3	29.3	402
Polk County SO	1,106.9	10,931	28.9	22.8	266
Randolph County SO	1,703.7	9,802	15.6	41.9	311
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302

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**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Ashley County SO	223	10	6	3	38	81	75	10	1,480.1
Baxter County SO	190	0	0	0	3	70	108	9	1,067.6
Boone County SO	145	0	1	1	10	78	46	9	977.0
Clark County SO	136	2	0	3	23	28	75	5	1,344.3
Clay County SO	196	1	0	2	9	70	107	7	1,390.4
Columbia County SO	112	1	1	3	9	43	55	0	*
Conway County SO	235	0	3	4	11	54	151	12	2,054.4
Cross County SO	217	1	1	1	24	74	110	6	1,627.4
Drew County SO	104	1	1	3	16	28	46	9	1,029.9
Franklin County SO	30	0	0	0	7	12	9	2	*
Greene County SO	250	1	0	1	3	90	129	26	1,456.0
Hempstead County SO	68	0	0	0	0	68	0	0	*
Hot Spring County SO	Non Reporting								
Independence County SO	199	2	1	0	10	89	83	14	1,142.0
Jackson County SO	135	0	0	1	0	121	11	2	*
Johnson County SO	138	2	0	0	0	31	99	6	1,203.4
Lawrence County SO	139	0	0	0	1	37	93	8	1,154.4
Lee County SO	45	0	1	3	14	15	12	0	*
Lincoln County SO	63	0	0	0	15	17	30	1	546.0
Logan County SO	83	1	1	0	5	59	5	12	731.8
Madison County SO	129	0	1	0	0	36	90	2	1,198.0
Miller County SO	252	0	2	6	8	97	128	11	*
Ouachita County SO	110	1	1	1	11	88	6	2	*
Phillips County SO	146	1	1	3	1	51	84	5	829.8
Poinsett County SO	318	1	2	5	12	131	139	28	1,896.7
Polk County SO	121	0	0	0	19	41	49	12	1,080.0
Randolph County SO	158	1	2	1	6	44	98	6	1,487.0
Sharp County SO	33	0	1	0	2	13	13	4	268.2
Van Buren County SO	47	0	0	0	8	21	17	1	*
Yell County SO	95	1	1	0	0	37	49	7	622.6
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Ashley County SO	57	378.3	166	1,101.8
Baxter County SO	3	16.8	187	1,050.7
Boone County SO	12	80.8	133	896.2
Clark County SO	28	276.8	108	1,067.5
Clay County SO	12	85.1	184	1,305.2
Columbia County SO	14	94.5	98	661.6
Conway County SO	18	157.3	217	1,897.1
Cross County SO	27	202.5	190	1,424.9
Drew County SO	21	210.0	83	821.9
Franklin County SO	7	*	23	*
Greene County SO	5	29.1	245	1,426.9
Hempstead County SO	0	0	68	566.7
Hot Spring County SO	Non Reporting			
Independence County SO	13	74.6	186	1,067.4
Jackson County SO	1	7.3	134	978.2
Johnson County SO	2	17.4	136	1,186.0
Lawrence County SO	1	8.3	138	1,146.1
Lee County SO	18	*	27	*
Lincoln County SO	15	130.1	48	415.9
Logan County SO	7	61.6	76	669.1
Madison County SO	1	9.3	128	1,188.7
Miller County SO	16	125.4	236	1,850.2
Ouachita County SO	14	110.5	96	757.7
Phillips County SO	6	34.1	140	795.7
Poinsett County SO	20	119.3	238	1,777.4
Polk County SO	19	169.5	102	910.5
Randolph County SO	10	94.1	148	1,392.9
Sharp County SO	3	24.3	30	243.8
Van Buren County SO	8	72.2	39	352.1
Yell County SO	2	13.1	93	609.5
STATEWIDE		351.7		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Ashley County SO	223	76	34.1	\$ 26,440	\$25,781	97.5
Baxter County SO	190	43	22.6	103,613	15,981	15.4
Boone County SO	145	33	22.8	56,887	30,406	53.4
Clark County SO	136	53	39.0	110,939	36,558	33.0
Clay County SO	196	73	37.2	87,452	16,266	18.6
Columbia County SO	112	74	66.1	42,686	31,250	73.2
Conway County SO	235	63	26.8	76,878	22,606	29.4
Cross County SO	217	68	31.3	116,732	29,595	25.4
Drew County SO	104	39	37.5	72,946	27,579	37.8
Franklin County SO	30	10	33.3	6,726	4,900	72.9
Greene County SO	250	32	12.8	146,384	23,804	16.3
Hempstead County SO	68	0	0	8,928	547	6.1
Hot Spring County SO	199	58	29.1	91,516	20,613	22.5
Independence County SO	135	1	0.7	60,761	1,500	2.5
Jackson County SO	138	58	42.0	49,387	19,650	39.8
Johnson County SO	139	39	28.1	62,659	35,308	56.3
Lawrence County SO	45	29	64.4	16,303	5,398	33.1
Lee County SO	63	15	23.8	15,747	1,215	7.7
Lincoln County SO	83	24	28.9	64,675	31,235	48.3
Logan County SO	129	39	30.2	50,286	20,712	41.2
Madison County SO	252	57	22.6	122,659	48,032	39.2
Miller County SO	110	39	35.5	61,462	7,815	12.7
Ouachita County SO						

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Phillips County SO	146	21	14.4	146,096	68,615	47.0
Poinsett County SO	318	54	17.0	303,993	92,869	30.5
Polk County SO	121	31	25.6	74,025	26,385	35.6
Randolph County SO	158	30	19.0	81,537	24,191	29.7
Sharp County SO	33	29	87.9	34,670	27,520	79.4
Van Buren County SO	47	12	25.5	21,340	1,743	8.2
Yell County SO	95	8	8.4	54,107	21,976	40.6
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

**ARRESTS
1978**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Ashley County SO	22	412	411	23	203	222	9	434
Baxter County SO	40	308	320	28	348	0	0	348
Boone County SO	37	256	261	32	292	1	0	293
Clark County SO	68	667	657	78	631	93	11	735
Clay County SO	67	244	278	33	311	0	0	311
Columbia County SO	13	164	159	18	65	112	0	177
Conway County SO	30	93	108	15	111	12	0	123
Cross County SO	31	344	356	19	290	84	1	375
Drew County SO	38	508	436	110	323	221	2	546
Franklin County SO	28	61	78	11	89	0	0	89
Greene County SO	35	233	244	24	268	0	0	268
Hempstead County SO	2	93	95	0	68	27	0	95
Hot Spring County SO	Non Reporting							
Independence County SO	105	612	659	58	704	13	0	717
Jackson County SO	5	95	88	12	87	13	0	100
Johnson County SO	39	277	313	3	312	4	0	316
Lawrence County SO	55	485	507	33	536	0	4	540
Lee County SO	29	151	159	21	80	100	0	180
Lincoln County SO	13	109	120	2	88	33	1	122
Logan County SO	67	306	328	45	370	3	0	373
Madison County SO	38	391	400	29	423	4	2	429
Miller County SO	65	591	576	80	541	114	1	656

ARRESTS
1978

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Ouachita County SO	3	104	98	9	72	35	0	107
Phillips County SO	16	122	121	17	58	80	0	138
Poinsett County SO	38	315	321	32	321	29	3	353
Polk County SO	24	193	198	19	217	0	0	217
Randolph County SO	56	145	169	32	193	5	3	201
Sharp County SO	28	104	121	11	132	0	0	132
Van Buren County SO	7	157	144	20	162	1	1	164
Yell County SO	60	408	459	9	466	2	0	468
STATEWIDE								112,254

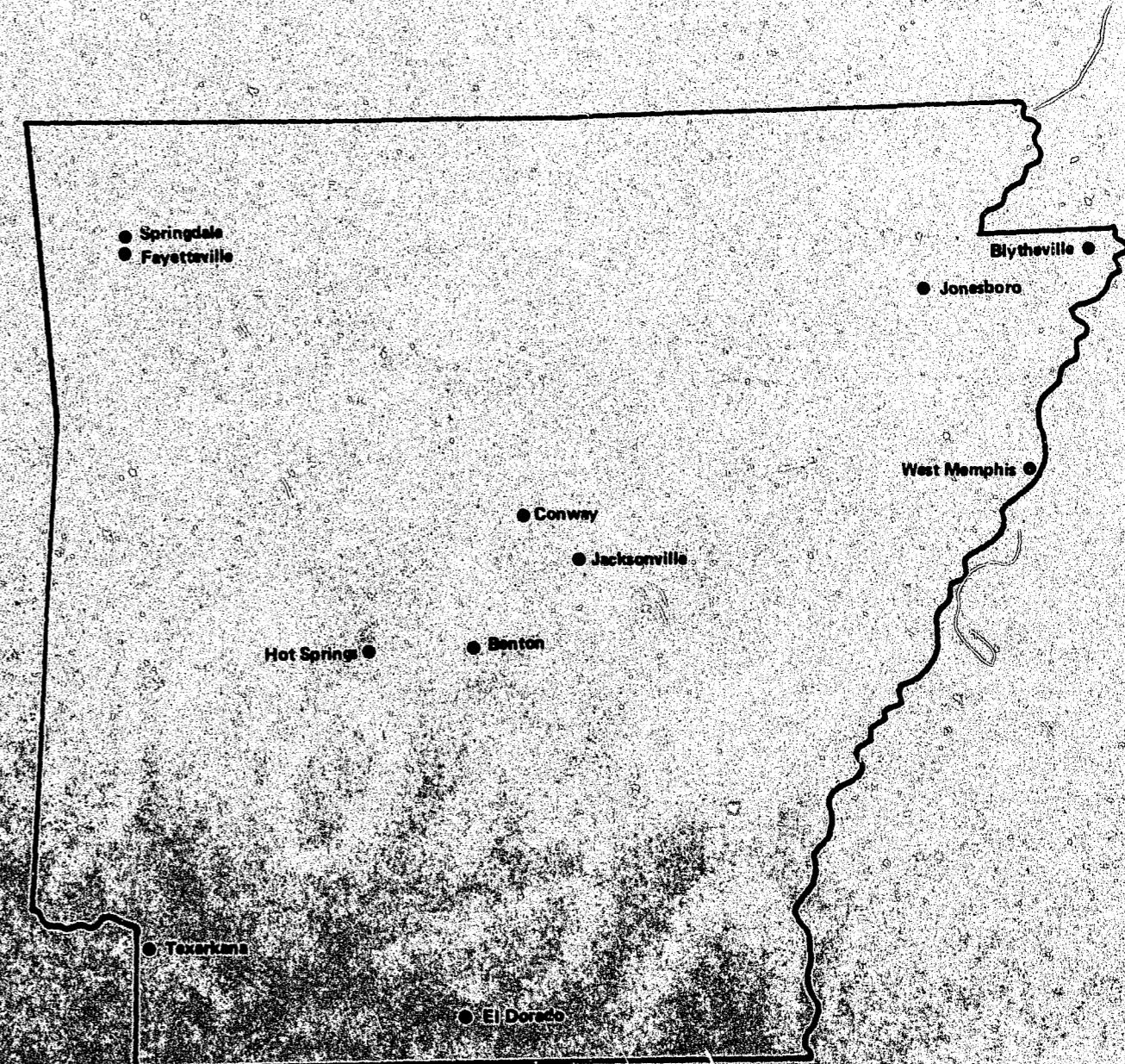
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Ashley County SO	+41.8	+ 6.2	+ 9.6	+3650.0	+45.2
Baxter County SO	-12.3	+ 7.7	+ 5.6	- 60.7	+ 1.2
Boone County SO	+35.0	+13.1	+35.7	+ 11.7	+ 8.9
Clark County SO	+ 9.9	+ 3.2	- 0.5	- 29.0	- 2.1
Clay County SO	-12.3	- 1.1	+10.7	- 50.4	- 8.5
Columbia County SO	*	+ 4.5	+86.2	+ 75.5	-12.8
Conway County SO	+11.9	0	-24.9	- 29.2	-34.9
Cross County SO	+28.6	+ 1.1	+41.0	+ 20.4	+17.6
Drew County SO	*	+18.8	*	*	*
Franklin County SO	*	+ 4.5	*	*	*
Greene County SO	-14.4	+22.2	+91.0	- 55.2	-37.2
Hempstead County SO	*	+24.0	0	- 40.2	-20.2
Independence County SO	-30.9	+ 1.0	+16.9	+ 9.2	+12.0
Jackson County SO	*	- 1.8	*	*	*
Johnson County SO	-13.0	+ 3.7	+45.8	+ 423.7	+ 1.6
Lawrence County SO	+15.3	-20.2	-29.2	- 16.5	+25.0
Lee County SO	*	-11.1	*	*	*
Lincoln County SO	-11.4	+ 0.1	-11.2	- 23.0	+ 5.2
Logan County SO	*	+ 4.9	*	*	*
Madison County SO	- 9.5	+ 2.6	+55.7	+ 34.6	+54.3
Miller County SO	*	- 1.6	-32.1	- 42.5	-29.4
Ouachita County SO	*	+ 1.4	-35.8	- 78.5	-29.6
Phillips County SO	+12.4	+23.7	+ 0.7	+ 323.4	-22.5
Poinsett County SO	+42.3	+ 1.1	-53.2	+ 4.1	-12.2
Polk County SO	- 2.4	+ 2.5	-11.4	+ 56.1	-18.4
Randolph County SO	-12.7	+ 8.4	+21.8	- 29.1	-35.4
Sharp County SO	*	+ 5.1	*	*	*
Van Buren County SO	*	+ 5.6	*	*	*
Yell County SO	*	+ 1.0	*	*	*
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

*Unsuufficient data available to make the necessary computation.



18,000 TO 40,000 POPULATION
(City Police Departments)



1977
CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Benton PD	2,431.1	19,991	8.4%	16.7%	900
Blytheville PD	5,731.6	24,304	24.8	47.1	2,421
Conway PD	4,525.6	18,804	24.9	19.5	692
El Dorado PD	5,479.8	25,001	35.8	70.7	1,975
Fayetteville PD	3,975.1	34,741	31.4	45.4	3,576
Hot Springs PD	4,015.4	38,153	29.6	35.5	3,565
Jacksonville PD	3,325.1	24,360	40.2	94.7	1,682
Jonesboro PD	3,123.6	32,014	25.0	25.0	1,323
Springdale PD	4,013.1	20,458	16.3	42.4	1,816
Texarkana PD	7,773.8	22,177	18.6	24.2	4,104
West Memphis PD	5,376.1	28,236	28.6	30.4	1,897
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302

**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Benton PD	485	0	3	3	7	153	287	32	2,539.0
Blytheville PD	1,352	1	9	21	64	254	955	48	5,630.0
Conway PD	975	1	3	8	49	186	680	48	5,184.7
El Dorado PD	1,489	9	5	18	116	390	878	73	5,847.0
Fayetteville PD	1,287	1	4	13	49	331	805	84	3,575.0
Hot Springs PD	1,836	3	4	59	179	511	967	113	4,408.1
Jacksonville PD	901	0	7	13	83	165	569	64	3,497.0
Jonesboro PD	1,086	1	17	14	24	281	663	86	3,394.0
Springdale PD	829	0	3	12	29	192	537	56	3,918.0
Texarkana PD	1,671	3	7	23	100	309	1,132	97	7,736.0
West Memphis PD	1,573	3	4	42	295	154	984	91	5,622.0
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Benton PD	13	68.1	472	2,470.9
Blytheville PD	95	395.6	1,257	5,234.4
Conway PD	61	324.4	914	4,860.4
El Dorado PD	148	581.1	1,341	5,265.9
Fayetteville PD	67	186.1	1,220	3,388.9
Hot Springs PD	245	588.2	1,591	3,819.8
Jacksonville PD	103	399.7	798	3,097.3
Jonesboro PD	56	175.0	1,030	3,219.0
Springdale PD	44	207.9	785	3,710.1
Texarkana PD	133	615.7	1,538	7,120.3
West Memphis PD	344	1,229.5	1,229	4,392.6
STATEWIDE		351.8		3,203.7

CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Benton PD	485	74	15.3	\$270,830	\$144,516	53.4
Blytheville	1,352	317	23.4	307,124	143,194	46.6
Conway PD	975	279	28.6	389,969	206,582	53.0
El Dorado PD	1,489	590	39.6	379,506	290,501	76.5
Fayetteville PD	1,287	352	27.4	365,947	98,775	27.0
Hot Springs PD	1,836	502	27.3	621,927	279,644	45.0
Jacksonville PD	901	363	40.3	338,554	211,552	62.5
Jonesboro PD	1,086	302	27.8	456,898	218,896	47.9
Springdale PD	829	144	17.4	378,395	82,715	21.9
Texarkana PD	1,671	295	17.7	544,289	122,377	22.5
West Memphis PD	1,573	579	36.8	245,608	68,446	27.9
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

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**ARRESTS
1978**

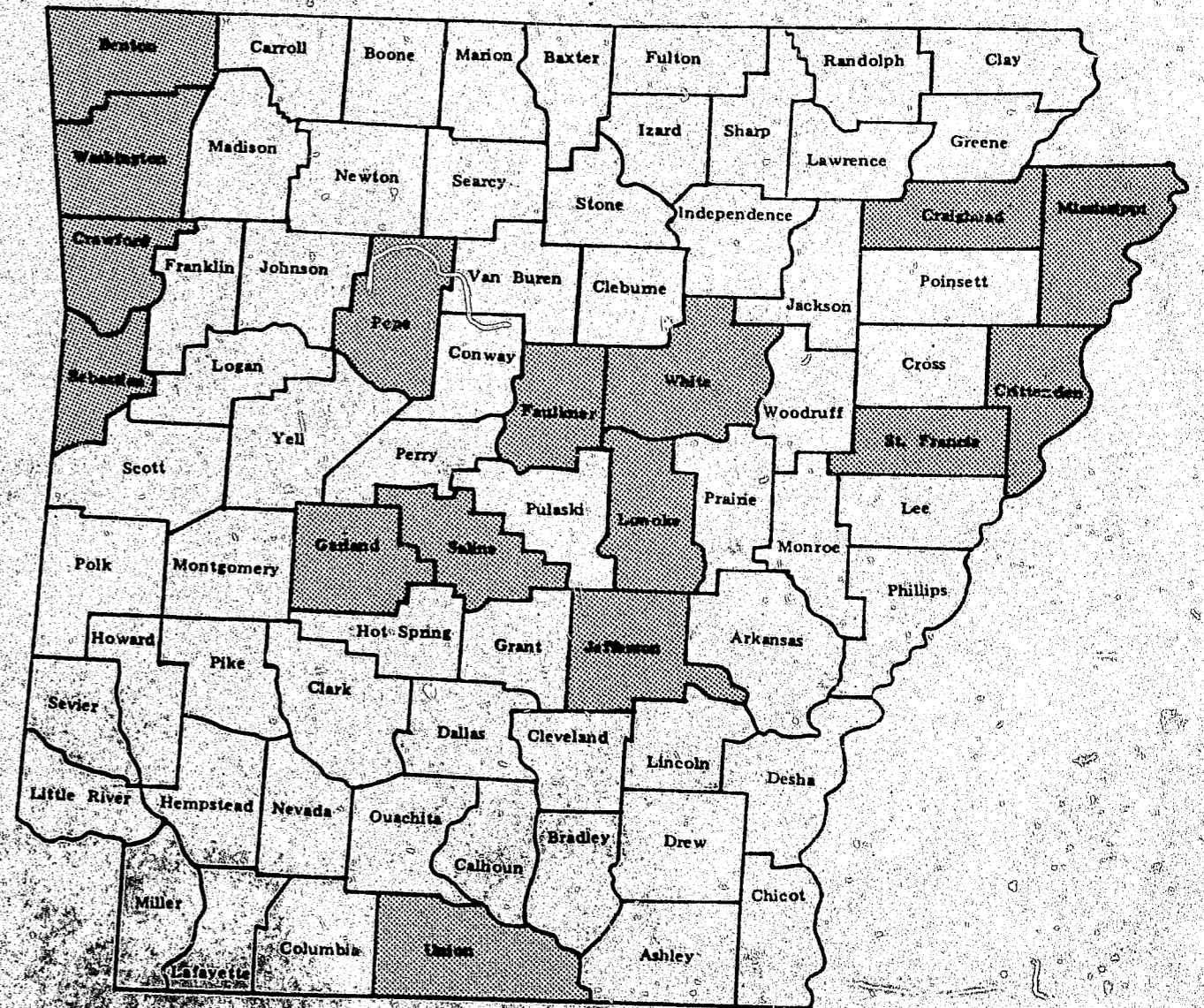
AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Benton PD	137	613	680	70	680	70	0	750
Blytheville PD	436	2,535	2,581	390	1,871	1,096	4	2,971
Conway PD	125	502	557	70	506	121	0	627
El Dorado PD	325	1,720	1,646	399	916	1,125	4	2,045
Fayetteville PD	243	3,107	2,655	695	3,214	126	10	3,350
Hot Springs PD	293	3,352	3,177	468	3,062	583	0	3,645
Jacksonville PD	360	1,666	1,553	473	1,737	278	11	2,026
Jonesboro PD	121	1,129	1,054	196	1,075	172	3	1,250
Springdale PD	336	2,227	2,092	471	2,554	2	7	2,563
Texarkana PD	492	3,811	3,628	675	2,747	1,556	0	4,303
West Memphis PD	426	1,575	1,629	372	947	1,054	0	2,001
STATEWIDE								112,254

1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Benton PD	+ 4.4	- 4.5	+ 82.1	+219.8	- 16.7
Blytheville PD	- 1.8	- 1.2	- 5.6	- 1.1	+ 22.7
Conway PD	+ 14.6	0	+ 14.9	+171.8	- 9.4
El Dorado PD	+ 6.7	+ 1.9	+ 10.6	+ 8.2	+ 3.5
Fayetteville PD	- 10.1	+ 3.6	- 12.7	- 40.5	- 6.3
Hot Springs PD	+ 9.8	+ 9.2	- 7.8	+ 26.8	+ 2.2
Jacksonville PD	+ 5.2	+ 5.8	+ 0.2	- 34.0	+ 20.5
Jonesboro PD	+ 8.7	0	+ 11.2	+ 91.6	- 5.5
Springdale PD	- 2.4	+ 3.4	+ 6.7	- 48.3	+ 41.1
Texarkana PD	- 0.5	- 2.6	- 4.8	- 7.0	+ 4.8
West Memphis PD	+ 4.6	- 0.9	+ 28.7	- 8.2	+ 5.5
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7



18,000 TO 40,000 POPULATION
(County Sheriffs' Offices)



1977

CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Benton County SO	985.4	30,545	18.9%	33.4%	789
Craighead County SO	1,450.5	27,439	4.3	22.9	1,686
Crawford County SO	1,151.2	22,238	38.3	48.5	721
Crittenden County SO	1,397.7	18,673	18.4	13.6	851
Faulkner County SO	900.2	19,217	12.7	45.6	95
Jefferson County SO	2,494.1	23,576	13.6	18.5	1,099
Lonoke County SO	1,876.1	21,481	8.7	18.0	538
Mississippi County SO	2,093.3	30,192	39.4	35.7	955
Pope County SO	2,282.3	19,016	15.7	20.9	976
Saline County SO	2,947.4	19,509	3.4	8.6	616
Sebastian County SO	1,014.2	20,903	75.5	104.5	1,293
Union County SO	1,715.1	20,699	30.4	40.2	411
Washington County SO	823.1	36,664	19.9	42.8	1,333
White County SO	779.8	28,597	2.2	8.2	751
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8	34.1	109,302

**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Benton County SO	390	1	0	1	0	159	222	7	1,232.7
Craighead County SO	507	0	5	3	36	178	246	39	1,752.8
Crawford County SO	208	3	0	1	13	75	81	35	943.4
Crittenden County SO	273	2	4	3	16	135	102	11	1,385.0
Faulkner County SO	266	0	0	4	3	119	109	31	1,283.5
Garland County SO	638	4	6	11	47	240	289	41	2,594.0
Jefferson County SO	481	2	8	13	26	225	189	18	*
Lonoke County SO	235	1	0	1	4	125	101	3	1,094.0
Mississippi County SO	637	7	13	7	78	222	269	41	2,139.0
Pope County SO	551	2	7	5	19	160	334	24	2,659.0
St. Francis County SO	316	4	5	13	40	56	171	27	1,656.1
Saline County SO	446	1	0	1	0	262	173	9	1,914.5
Sebastian County SO	243	3	1	1	23	78	125	12	1,202.0
Union County SO	318	1	2	6	18	75	204	12	1,500.4
Washington County SO	361	2	3	2	19	163	143	29	1,232.0
White County SO	280	0	2	3	8	93	158	16	1,106.9
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Benton County SO	2	6.3	381	1,204.2
Craighead County SO	44	152.1	463	1,600.7
Crawford County SO	17	77.1	191	866.3
Crittenden County SO	25	126.8	248	1,258.2
Faulkner County SO	7	33.8	259	1,249.7
Garland County SO	68	276.4	570	2,317.6
Jefferson County SO	49	*	432	*
Lonoke County SO	6	27.9	229	1,066.1
Mississippi County SO	105	352.5	532	1,786.5
Pope County SO	33	159.3	518	2,499.7
St. Francis County SO	62	324.9	254	1,331.2
Saline County SO	2	8.6	444	1,905.9
Sebastian County SO	28	138.5	215	1,063.5
Union County SO	27	127.4	291	1,373.0
Washington County SO	26	88.7	335	1,143.3
White County SO	13	51.4	267	1,055.5
STATEWIDE		351.8		3,203.7

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CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Benton County SO	390	43	11.0	\$202,799	\$ 24,996	12.3
Craighead County SO	507	80	15.8	281,608	37,698	13.4
Crawford County SO	208	93	44.7	142,801	103,301	72.3
Crittenden County SO	273	40	14.7	245,608	68,446	27.9
Faulkner County SO	266	69	25.9	303,472	116,085	38.3
Garland County SO	638	133	20.8	502,808	208,347	41.6
Jefferson County SO	481	69	14.3	256,402	45,632	17.8
Lonoke County SO	235	17	7.2	123,179	8,654	7.0
Mississippi County SO	637	285	44.7	419,933	170,725	40.7
Pope County SO	551	148	26.9	213,629	75,435	35.3
St. Francis County SO	316	174	55.1	125,807	70,291	55.9
Saline County SO	446	1	0.2	319,455	14,341	4.5
Sebastian County SO	243	179	73.7	145,932	69,198	47.4
Union County SO	318	104	32.7	299,378	205,868	68.8
Washington County SO	361	97	26.9	183,961	95,952	52.2
White County SO	280	73	26.1	154,819	43,679	28.2
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

**ARRESTS
1978**

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Benton County SO	184	559	646	97	734	2	7	743
Craighead County SO	254	1,616	1,176	694	1,039	831	0	1,870
Crawford County SO	95	510	559	46	594	4	7	605
Crittenden County SO	64	643	663	44	360	343	4	707
Faulkner County SO	37	184	203	18	203	18	0	221
Garland County SO	505	1,312	1,578	239	1,611	201	5	1,817
Jefferson County SO	63	740	685	118	420	382	1	803
Lonoke County SO	123	352	424	51	338	137	0	475
Mississippi County SO	127	907	937	97	743	290	1	1,034
Pope County SO	129	730	642	217	846	12	1	859
St. Francis County SO	49	773	737	85	451	362	9	822
Saline County SO	69	375	345	99	434	10	0	444
Sebastian County SO	97	1,239	1,014	322	1,225	103	8	1,336
Union County SO	13	480	349	144	297	196	0	493
Washington County SO	166	1,111	1,135	142	1,260	12	5	1,277
White County SO	179	270	375	74	426	23	0	449
STATEWIDE								112,254

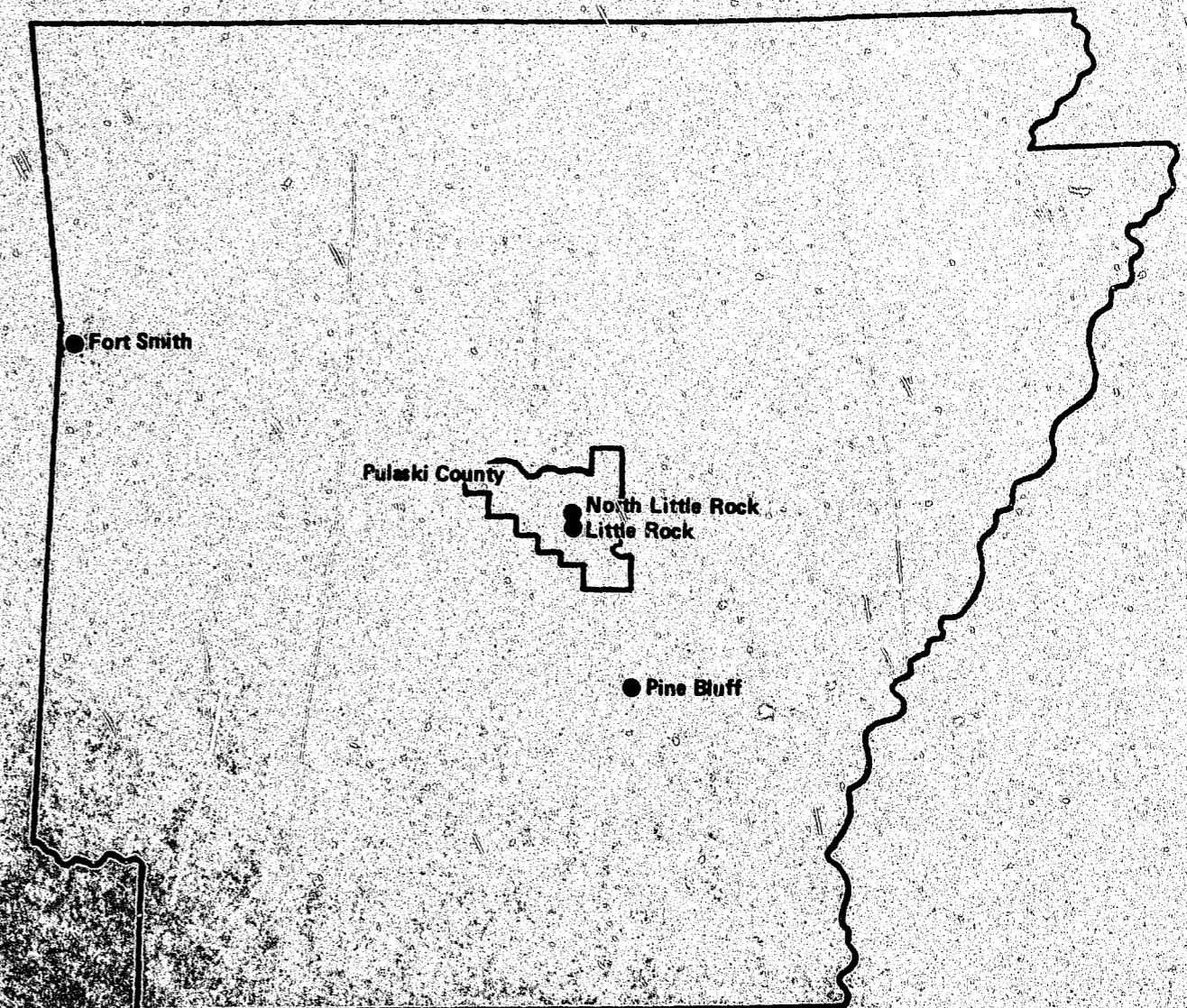
1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Benton County SO	+ 25.1	+ 3.6	- 41.8	- 63.2	- 5.8
Craighead County SO	+ 20.8	+ 5.4	+267.4	- 41.5	+ 10.9
Crawford County SO	- 18.1	- 0.9	+ 16.7	+ 49.1	- 16.1
Crittenden County SO	- 0.9	+ 5.6	- 20.1	+105.1	- 16.9
Faulkner County SO	+ 42.6	+ 7.8	+103.9	- 16.0	+132.6
Garland County SO	*	- 4.7	*	*	*
Jefferson County SO	*	+ 3.3	+ 5.1	- 3.8	- 26.9
Lonoke County SO	- 41.7	0	- 17.2	- 61.1	- 11.7
Pope County SO	+ 16.5	+ 9.0	+ 71.3	+ 68.9	- 12.0
Saint Francis County SO	*	+ 15.4	*	*	*
Saline County SO	- 35.0	+ 19.4	- 94.1	- 47.7	- 27.9
Sebastian County SO	+ 18.5	- 3.3	- 2.4	- 54.6	+ 3.3
Union County SO	- 12.5	+ 2.4	+ 7.6	+ 71.1	+ 20.0
Washington County SO	+ 49.7	- 20.1	+ 35.2	+ 22.0	- 4.2
White County SO	+ 41.9	- 12.0	+1086.4	+243.9	- 40.2
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

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OVER 60,000 POPULATION
(Metropolitan Departments)



1977
CRIME SUMMARY

AGENCY	1977 Statistics				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Fort Smith PD	5,768.6	68,006	18.5%	44.7%	6,205
Little Rock PD	10,611.4	143,600	41.8	32.0	12,468
North Little Rock PD	6,007.8	63,800	14.0	20.6	5,830
Pine Bluff PD	5,251.2	23,576	17.4	43.7	3,248
Pulaski County SO	5,458.8	86,997	17.4	26.7	1,435
STATEWIDE	3,528.5	2,144,000	27.8%	34.1%	109,302

**1978
INDEX OFFENSES**

AGENCY	TOTAL INDEX CRIME	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	CRIME RATE (per 100,000)
Fort Smith PD	4,388	2	11	59	114	740	3,238	224	6,671.0
Little Rock PD	16,071	25	144	771	1,162	4,386	8,570	1,013	11,097.0
North Little Rock PD	4,302	10	25	127	238	1,155	2,441	306	6,618.0
Pine Bluff PD	3,469	11	34	104	162	1,289	1,724	145	5,577.2
Pulaski County SO	4,566	12	53	103	240	1,626	2,145	387	5,194.0
STATEWIDE									3,555.5

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1978
VIOLENT CRIME AND PROPERTY CRIME

AGENCY	VIOLENT CRIME		PROPERTY CRIME	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
Fort Smith PD	186	282.7	4,202	6,388.3
Little Rock PD	2,102	1,451.4	13,969	9,645.5
North Little Rock PD	400	615.4	3,902	6,002.6
Pine Bluff PD	311	500.0	3,158	5,077.2
Pulaski County SO	408	464.1	4,158	4,729.9
STATEWIDE		351.8		3,203.7

CLEARANCE RATES AND RECOVERY RATES - 1978

AGENCY	INDEX CRIME			\$\$ VALUE OF PROPERTY		
	Number	Clearances	Clearance Rate	Stolen	Recovered	Recovery Rate
Fort Smith PD	4,388	971	22.1	\$ 995,177	\$ 542,447	54.5
Little Rock PD	16,071	6,866	42.7	6,472,448	2,281,087	35.2
North Little Rock PD	4,302	610	14.2	1,454,631	252,248	17.3
Pine Bluff PD	3,469	726	20.9	1,331,344	392,864	29.5
Pulaski County SO	4,566	1,051	23.0	2,413,785	689,238	28.6
STATEWIDE			29.6			35.7

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ARRESTS

1978

AGENCY	AGE		SEX		RACE			TOTAL ARRESTS
	Juvenile	Adult	Male	Female	White	Black	Other	
Fort Smith PD	1,049	5,350	5,430	969	5,766	577	56	6,399
Little Rock PD	1,278	10,656	9,392	2,542	5,911	6,023	0	11,934
North Little Rock PD	403	4,231	3,811	823	3,061	1,552	21	4,634
Pine Bluff PD	582	2,796	2,808	570	1,498	1,879	1	3,378
Pulaski County SO	259	1,158	1,216	201	1,105	308	4	1,417
STATEWIDE								112,254

**1977 - 1978
CRIME COMPARISON**

AGENCY	PERCENT CHANGE				
	Crime Rate	Population	Clearance Rate	Recovery Rate	Number of Arrests
Fort Smith PD	+15.6	- 3.3	+19.5	+21.9	+ 3.1
Little Rock PD	+ 4.6	+ 0.9	+ 2.2	+10.0	- 4.3
North Little Rock PD	+10.2	+ 1.9	+ 1.4	-16.0	-20.5
Pine Bluff PD	+ 6.2	+ 0.5	+20.1	-32.5	+ 4.0
Pulaski County SO	- 4.9	+ 1.0	+32.2	+ 7.1	- 1.3
STATEWIDE	+ 0.8	- 4.5	+ 6.5	+ 4.7	+ 2.7

1978 METROPOLITAN CRIME SUMMARY

The five largest law enforcement jurisdictions in Arkansas, representing 19.5% of the state's population, accounted for 45% of the Index Crime for 1978.

INDEX CRIME	TOTAL FOR 5 JURISDICTIONS	STATE TOTAL	PERCENT OF STATE TOTAL
Murder	60	191	31.4
Forcible Rape	267	486	54.9
Robbery	1,164	1,700	68.5
Aggravated Assault	1,916	4,832	39.7
TOTAL VIOLENT CRIMES	3,407	7,209	47.3
Burglary	9,196	20,258	45.4
Larceny	18,118	41,129	44.4
Motor Vehicle Theft	2,075	4,227	49.1
TOTAL PROPERTY CRIMES	29,389	65,614	44.8
TOTAL INDEX CRIME	32,796	72,823	45.0

END