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#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- ◆ The number of reported violent crimes committed against senior citizens has been declining since 1992.
- ◆ The number of reported violent crimes committed against the total population declined 12.3 percent during the last ten years. The number of reported violent crimes committed against senior citizens declined 24.5 percent for the same time period.
- ◆ The violent crime rate per 100,000 for the total population declined 26.5 percent from 1988-1998, and declined 35.8 percent during the same time period for the senior citizen population.
- ◆ The senior citizen population experienced a 53.6 percent decline in the homicide rate from 1988 to 1998 compared to a 38.1 percent decline for the total population.
- ◆ While forcible rapes for the senior citizen population declined 49.7 percent from 1988 to 1998, there was a 3.1 percent increase from 1997 to 1998.



#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- ◆ Reported robberies committed against senior citizens declined 39.1 percent from 1988 to 1998 while declining 20.2 percent in the same time period for the total population.
- ◆ In 1988, robberies comprised 64.9 percent of the total crimes reported against senior citizens, compared to 1998 when robberies comprised 52.3 percent of the total crimes reported against senior citizens.
- ◆ There was a 9.7 percent increase in aggravated assaults reported against senior citizens from 1988 to 1998. The total population experienced a 7.5 percent decline in the number of reported aggravated assaults from 1988 to 1998.
- ◆ In 1988 aggravated assaults comprised 30.8 percent of the total crimes reported against senior citizens, compared to 1998 when aggravated assaults comprised 44.7 percent of total crimes reported against senior citizens.
- ◆ In 1998, senior citizens comprised 14.1 percent of the total population, but in terms of violent crime, only experienced 3.2 percent of the total reported crimes committed.



# REPORT ON VIOLENT CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST SENIOR CITIZENS IN CALIFORNIA, 1998

#### **Introduction**

This report contains information about reported violent crimes committed against members of the population who are 60 years of age and older. The purpose of this report is to provide policy makers and the public with accurate and complete statistical information by organizing and displaying data about violent crimes against senior citizens and the total population. Data by county and by cities with populations over 100,000 are also available in the Appendices.

This report is based on violent crime information reported from local city police departments, county sheriff offices, the California Highway Patrol, and other law enforcement agencies who report monthly to the Department of Justice. The four types of violent crimes which are reported, pursuant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) Program guidelines, are: homicide, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault.

- Homicide: the willful (nonnegligent) killing of one human being by another. Murder and nonnegligent manslaughter comprise this category. § 128, 187(a), 189, 192(a), 192(b), 193(a), 193(b), 273ab, 399, and 12310(a).
- Forcible Rape: the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will (the UCR definition of forcible rape states that only females can be victims). Assaults or attempts to commit rape by force or threat of force are included. § 220, 261, 261(a)(1), 261(a)(2), 261(a)(3), 261(a)(4), 261(a)(5), 261(a)(6), 261(a)(7), 262(a)(1), 262(a)(2), 262(a)(3), 262(a)(4), 262(a)(5), 264.1, 266c, 269(a)(1), and 664/261.
- Robbery: the taking or attempting to take anything of value from the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear. § 211, 212.5(a), 212.5(b), 212.5c, 213(b), 214, 215(a), 664/211, 664/212.5(a), and 664/212.5(b).



#### **Introduction** (continued)

Aggravated Assault: the unlawful attack or attempted attack by one person upon another for the purpose of inflicting severe or aggravated bodily injury. This type of assault is usually accompanied by the use of a weapon or by means likely to produce death or great bodily harm. § 69, 71, 76(a), 95.1, 139(a), 140, 146e(b), 148(b), 148c, 148(d)(1), 148.1(a), 148.1(b), 148.1c, 148.1(d), 148.3(b), 148.4(b)(1), 148.4(b)(2), 148.10(a), 149, 151(a)(2), 186.26(a), 203, 205, 206, 217.1(a), 217.1(b), 218, 219, 219.1, 291.2, 222, 241.1, 241.4, 241.7, 242, 242/243, 243(c), 243(d), 243.1, 243.3, 243.6, 243.7, 244, 244.5(b), 244.5(c), 245(a)(1), 245(a)(2), 245(a)(3), 245(b), 245(c), 245(d)(1), 245(d)(2), 245(d)(3), 245.2, 245.3, 245.5(a), 245.5(b), 245.5(c), 246, 246.3, 247(a), 247(b), 247.5, 273a(a), 273d(a), 273.5(a), 347(a), 347(b), 368(a), 375(a), 375(d), 401, 405a, 405b, 417(b), 417(c), 417.1, 417.3, 417.6(a), 417.8, 422, 422.7(a), 588a, 601(a)(1), 601(a)(2), 625c, 664/187(a), 664/189, 1768.8(b), 1808.4(d), 4131.5, 4500, 4501, 4501.5, 11412, 11413(a), 12303, 12303.1(a), 12303.1(b), 12303.1(c), 12303.2, 12303.3, 12304, 12308, 12312, 12355(a), 12355(b), and 15656(a).

This report compares the four violent crimes reported under the FBI's UCR guidelines with the four violent crimes in the database known as Violent Crimes Committed Against Senior Citizens (VCASC), which is reported in accordance with Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 64, Chapter 147, 1982, concerning victims of violent crime who are 60 years of age or older.

For crime-reporting purposes, under the FBI's UCR Program guidelines, when agencies report the number of offenses for homicides, forcible rapes, and aggravated assaults, they are recorded as one incident per victim. For example, if a man enters a store and kills two women, two homicide incidents are recorded. Robberies, however are recorded as one incident and the actual number of victims is not recorded. For example, if a man enters a store and robs seven customers, only one robbery would be recorded. When agencies report robberies to the VCASC database however, the actual number of senior citizen robbery victims is recorded.

Another factor the reader should consider is that under the FBI's UCR Program guidelines, in the case of multiple offenses being committed simultaneously, only the most serious offense is reported to the Department of Justice. Therefore, totals should not be interpreted as the actual number of violent crimes committed because it is possible that in some cases, more than one crime may have been committed.



#### **Total Violent Crimes**

The number of reported violent crimes committed against senior citizens has been declining since 1992. This decline followed a trend in the decline of reported violent crimes committed against the total population, which has also been declining since 1992.

From 1988 to 1998, the number of reported violent crimes committed against the total population declined 12.3 percent from 261,990 in 1988 to 229,766 in 1998. The total number of reported violent crimes committed against senior citizens declined 24.5 percent from 9,710 in 1988 to 7,333 in 1998.

From 1997 to 1998 reported violent crimes declined 10.7 percent for the total population from 257,409 in 1997 to 229,766 in 1998. Reported violent crimes declined 13.9 percent for the senior citizen population from 8,519 in 1997 to 7,333 in 1998. (See Table 1 and Figure 1.)

From 1988 to 1998, the violent crime rate per 100,000 for the total population declined 26.5 percent from 933.7 in 1988 to 686.0 in 1998. The violent crime rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population declined 35.8 percent from 241.8 in 1988 to 155.2 in 1998.

From 1997 to 1998, the violent crime rate per 100,000 for the total population declined 12.2 percent from 781.0 to 686.0. The violent crime rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population for the same time period declined 15.5 percent from 183.6 in 1997 to 155.2 in 1998. (See Table 1 and Figure 2.)

TABLE 1
VIOLENT CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST THE POPULATION & SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998
Number, Rate per 100,000, and Percent Change in Rate by Year

| Year | Total<br>population | Total<br>violent<br>crimes<br>reported | Rate per 100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year | Senior<br>citizen<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>percent of<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>violent<br>crimes<br>reported | Rate<br>per<br>100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year |
|------|---------------------|--|------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|
| 1998 | 33,494,000          | 229,766                                | 686.0            | -12.2   | 4,723,548                       | 14.1  | 7,333  | 155.2                  | -15.5   |
| 1997 | 32,957,000          | 257,409                                | 781.0            | -7.9  | 4,640,908                       | 14.1  | 8,519  | 183.6                  | -7.6  |
| 1996 | 32,383,000          | 274,675                                | 848.2            | -10.8   | 4,560,834                       | 14.1  | 9,058  | 198.6                  | -8.0  |
| 1995 | 32,063,000          | 304,998                                | 951.2            | -4.2  | 4,506,030                       | 14.1  | 9,728  | 215.9                  | -11.1   |
| 1994 | 32,140,000          | 318,946                                | 992.4            | -6.3  | 4,461,735                       | 13.9  | 10,834   | 242.8                  | -13.8   |
| 1993 | 31,742,000          | 336,100                                | 1,058.8          | -4.1  | 4,435,388                       | 14.0  | 12,500   | 281.8                  | -1.6  |
| 1992 | 31,300,000          | 345,508                                | 1,103.9          | 2.2   | 4,396,780                       | 14.0  | 12,590   | 286.3                  | 6.3   |
| 1991 | 30,646,000          | 330,916                                | 1,079.8          | 2.3   | 4,326,788                       | 14.1  | 11,651   | 269.3                  | 2.7   |
| 1990 | 29,557,836          | 311,923                                | 1,055.3          | 6.9   | 4,232,094                       | 14.3  | 11,096   | 262.2                  | 5.2   |
| 1989 | 28,771,207          | 284,015                                | 987.2            | 5.7   | 4,096,768                       | 14.2  | 10,208   | 249.2                  | 3.1   |
| 1988 | 28,060,746          | 261,990                                | 933.7            | -   | 4,014,965                       | 14.3  | 9,710  | 241.8                  | -   |

Notes: Rates are based on population estimates provided by the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance. Rates are calculated by dividing the number of crimes by the respective population. The result is multiplied by 100,000. Percentages may not add to 100.0 due to independent rounding.



FIGURE 1
Violent Crimes Reported, 1988-1998
Against the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population

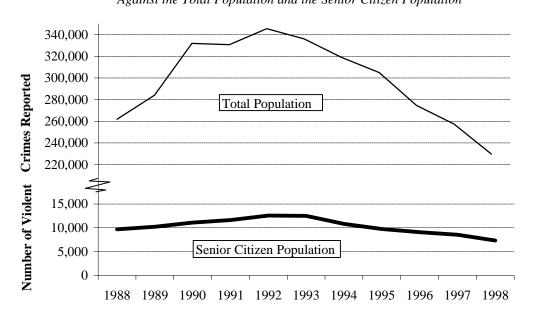
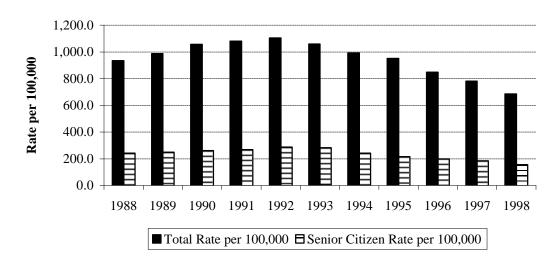


FIGURE 2
Violent Crime Rates, 1988-1998
For the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population





#### **Homicide Crimes**

The number of reported homicides committed against the total population in California declined 26.4 percent from 2,947 in 1988 to 2,170 in 1998. The number of reported homicides committed against senior citizens declined 46.5 percent from 226 in 1988 to 121 in 1998.

The number of reported homicides against the total population declined 15.9 percent from 2,579 in 1997 to 2,170 in 1998. The senior citizen population experienced a 12.9 percent decline in reported homicides from 139 in 1997 to 121 in 1998. (See Table 2 and Figure 3.)

From 1988 to 1998, the homicide rate per 100,000 for the total population declined 38.1 percent from 10.5 to 6.5. The senior citizen homicide rate per 100,000 declined 53.6 percent from 5.6 in 1988 to 2.6 in 1998.

From 1997 to 1998, the homicide rate per 100,000 declined for the entire population 16.7 percent from 7.8 to 6.5. The senior citizen homicide rate per 100,000 declined 13.3 percent from 3.0 in 1997 to 2.6 in 1998. (See Table 2 and Figure 4.)

TABLE 2
HOMICIDES COMMITTED AGAINST THE POPULATION & SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998
Number, Rate per 100,000, and Percent Change in Rate by Year

| Year | Total<br>population | Total<br>homicides<br>reported | Rate<br>per<br>100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year | Senior<br>citizen<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>percent of<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>homicides<br>reported | Rate<br>per<br>100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year |
|------|---------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|
| 1998 | 33,494,000          | 2,170                          | 6.5                    | -16.7   | 4,723,548                       | 14.1  | 121  | 2.6                    | -13.3   |
| 1997 | 32,957,000          | 2,579                          | 7.8                    | -13.3   | 4,640,908                       | 14.1  | 139  | 3.0                    | 20.0  |
| 1996 | 32,383,000          | 2,910                          | 9.0                    | -18.2   | 4,560,834                       | 14.1  | 114  | 2.5                    | -19.4   |
| 1995 | 32,063,000          | 3,530                          | 11.0                   | -4.3  | 4,506,030                       | 14.1  | 140  | 3.1                    | -3.1  |
| 1994 | 32,140,000          | 3,699                          | 11.5                   | -10.9   | 4,461,735                       | 13.9  | 143  | 3.2                    | -36.0   |
| 1993 | 31,742,000          | 4,095                          | 12.9                   | 3.2   | 4,435,388                       | 14.0  | 220  | 5.0                    | 13.6  |
| 1992 | 31,300,000          | 3,920                          | 12.5                   | -0.8  | 4,396,780                       | 14.0  | 192  | 4.4                    | 18.9  |
| 1991 | 30,646,000          | 3,876                          | 12.6                   | 4.1   | 4,326,788                       | 14.1  | 161  | 3.7                    | -19.6   |
| 1990 | 29,557,836          | 3,562                          | 12.1                   | 10.0  | 4,232,094                       | 14.3  | 193  | 4.6                    | 2.2   |
| 1989 | 28,771,207          | 3,159                          | 11.0                   | 4.8   | 4,096,768                       | 14.2  | 184  | 4.5                    | -19.6   |
| 1988 | 28,060,746          | 2,947                          | 10.5                   | -   | 4,014,965                       | 14.3  | 226  | 5.6                    | -   |

Notes: Rates are based on population estimates provided by the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance.

Rates are calculated by dividing the number of crimes by the respective population. The result is multiplied by 100,000.

Percentages may not add to 100.0 due to independent rounding.



FIGURE 3
Homicides Reported, 1988-1998

Against the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population

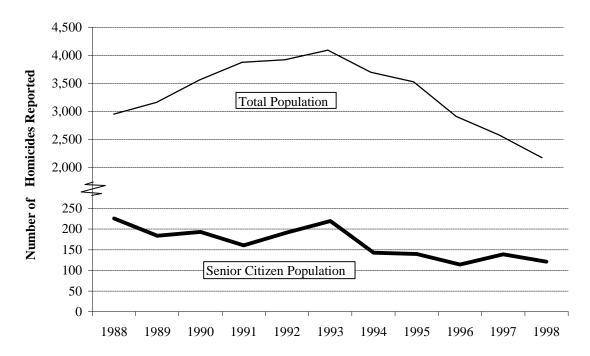
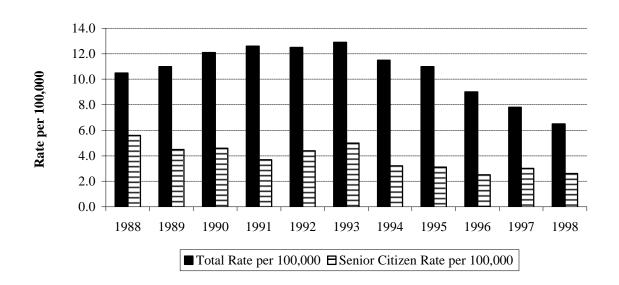


FIGURE 4

Homicide Rates, 1988-1998

For the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population





#### **Forcible Rape Crimes**

The number of reported forcible rapes committed against the total population in California declined 16.9 percent from 11,771 in 1988 to 9,777 in 1998. The number of reported forcible rapes committed against senior citizens declined 49.7 percent from 197 in 1988 to 99 in 1998.

Reported forcible rapes declined 4.0 percent for the entire population from 10,182 in 1997 to 9,777 in 1998. There was a 3.1 percent increase in reported forcible rapes committed against senior citizens from a total of 96 in 1997 to 99 in 1998. (See Table 3 and Figure 5.)

From 1988 to 1998, the forcible rape rate per 100,000 for the total population decreased 30.3 percent from 41.9 to 29.2. The forcible rape rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population decreased 57.1 percent from 4.9 in 1988 to 2.1 in 1998.

From 1997 to 1998, the forcible rape rate per 100,000 decreased for the entire population 5.5 percent from 30.9 to 29.2. The forcible rape rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population remained the same at 2.1 for 1997 and 1998. (See Table 3 and Figure 6.)

TABLE 3
FORCIBLE RAPES COMMITTED AGAINST THE POPULATION & SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998
Number, Rate per 100,000, and Percent Change in Rate by Year

| Year | Total<br>population | Total<br>forcible<br>rapes<br>reported | Rate<br>per<br>100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year | Senior<br>citizen<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>percent of<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>forcible<br>rapes<br>reported | Rate<br>per<br>100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year |
|------|---------------------|--|------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|
| 1998 | 33,494,000          | 9,777                                  | 29.2                   | -5.5  | 4,723,548                       | 14.1  | 99   | 2.1                    | 0.0   |
| 1997 | 32,957,000          | 10,182                                 | 30.9                   | -2.2  | 4,640,908                       | 14.1  | 96   | 2.1                    | -16.0   |
| 1996 | 32,383,000          | 10,238                                 | 31.6                   | -4.0  | 4,560,834                       | 14.1  | 115  | 2.5                    | 13.6  |
| 1995 | 32,063,000          | 10,550                                 | 32.9                   | -3.5  | 4,506,030                       | 14.1  | 98   | 2.2                    | 0.0   |
| 1994 | 32,140,000          | 10,960                                 | 34.1                   | -7.8  | 4,461,735                       | 13.9  | 100  | 2.2                    | -21.4   |
| 1993 | 31,742,000          | 11,754                                 | 37.0                   | -9.1  | 4,435,388                       | 14.0  | 122  | 2.8                    | -15.2   |
| 1992 | 31,300,000          | 12,751                                 | 40.7                   | -3.6  | 4,396,780                       | 14.0  | 147  | 3.3                    | 3.1   |
| 1991 | 30,646,000          | 12,942                                 | 42.2                   | -1.9  | 4,326,788                       | 14.1  | 140  | 3.2                    | -3.0  |
| 1990 | 29,557,836          | 12,716                                 | 43.0                   | 3.4   | 4,232,094                       | 14.3  | 140  | 3.3                    | -15.4   |
| 1989 | 28,771,207          | 11,956                                 | 41.6                   | -0.7  | 4,096,768                       | 14.2  | 161  | 3.9                    | -20.4   |
| 1988 | 28,060,746          | 11,771                                 | 41.9                   | -   | 4,014,965                       | 14.3  | 197  | 4.9                    | -   |

Notes: Rates are based on population estimates provided by the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance. Rates are calculated by dividing the number of crimes by the respective population. The result is multiplied by 100,000. Percentages may not add to 100.0 due to independent rounding.



FIGURE 5
Forcible Rapes Reported, 1988-1998

Against the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population

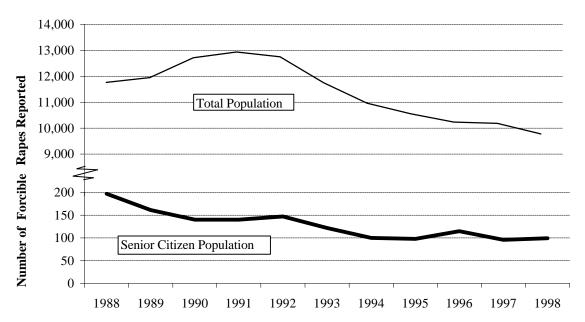
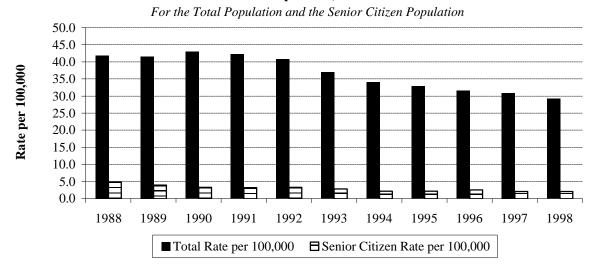


FIGURE 6
Forcible Rape Rates, 1988-1998





#### **Robbery Crimes**

The number of reported robberies in California committed against the total population declined 20.2 percent from 86,190 in 1988 to 68,752 in 1998. The total number of reported robberies committed against senior citizens declined 39.1 percent from 6,301 in 1988 to 3,838 in 1998.

Reported robberies declined 15.6 percent for the total population from 81,413 in 1997 to 68,752 in 1998. The number of reported robberies committed against senior citizens declined 21.8 percent from 4,905 in 1997 to 3,838 in 1998. (See Table 4 and Figure 7.)

From 1988 to 1998, the robbery rate per 100,000 in California declined 33.2 percent from 307.2 to 205.3. The robbery rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population declined 48.2 percent from 156.9 in 1988 to 81.3 in 1998.

From 1997 to 1998, the robbery rate per 100,000 in California for the total population declined 16.9 percent from 247.0 to 205.3. The robbery rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population declined 23.1 percent from 105.7 in 1997 to 81.3 in 1998. (See Table 4 and Figure 8.)

TABLE 4

ROBBERIES COMMITTED AGAINST THE POPULATION & SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998

Number, Rate per 100,000, and Percent Change in Rate by Year

| Year | Total<br>population | Total<br>robberies<br>reported <sup>a</sup> | Rate per 100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year | Senior<br>citizen<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>percent of<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>robberies<br>reported <sup>a</sup> | Rate<br>per<br>100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous<br>year |
|------|---------------------|---|------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|---|------------------------|---|
| 1998 | 33,494,000          | 68,752                                      | 205.3            | -16.9   | 4,723,548                       | 14.1  | 3,838   | 81.3                   | -23.1   |
| 1997 | 32,957,000          | 81,413                                      | 247.0            | -15.0   | 4,640,908                       | 14.1  | 4,905   | 105.7                  | -12.3   |
| 1996 | 32,383,000          | 94,137                                      | 290.7            | -10.9   | 4,560,834                       | 14.1  | 5,496   | 120.5                  | -7.5  |
| 1995 | 32,063,000          | 104,581                                     | 326.2            | -6.5  | 4,506,030                       | 14.1  | 5,865   | 130.2                  | -13.0   |
| 1994 | 32,140,000          | 112,149                                     | 348.9            | -12.3   | 4,461,735                       | 13.9  | 6,675   | 149.6                  | -19.3   |
| 1993 | 31,742,000          | 126,347                                     | 398.0            | -4.8  | 4,435,388                       | 14.0  | 8,225   | 185.4                  | 0.1   |
| 1992 | 31,300,000          | 130,867                                     | 418.1            | 2.4   | 4,396,780                       | 14.0  | 8,142   | 185.2                  | 7.7   |
| 1991 | 30,646,000          | 125,105                                     | 408.2            | 7.3   | 4,326,788                       | 14.1  | 7,439   | 171.9                  | 2.9   |
| 1990 | 29,557,836          | 112,460                                     | 380.5            | 13.5  | 4,232,094                       | 14.3  | 7,069   | 167.0                  | 6.4   |
| 1989 | 28,771,207          | 96,424                                      | 335.1            | 9.1   | 4,096,768                       | 14.2  | 6,431   | 157.0                  | 0.1   |
| 1988 | 28,060,746          | 86,190                                      | 307.2            | -   | 4,014,965                       | 14.3  | 6,301   | 156.9                  | -   |

Notes: Rates are based on population estimates provided by the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance.

Rates are calculated by dividing the number of crimes by the respective population. The result is multiplied by 100,000.

Percentages may not add to 100.0 due to independent rounding.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> See introduction for data limitations regarding the reporting of robberies.



FIGURE 7 **Robberies Reported, 1988-1998**Against the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population

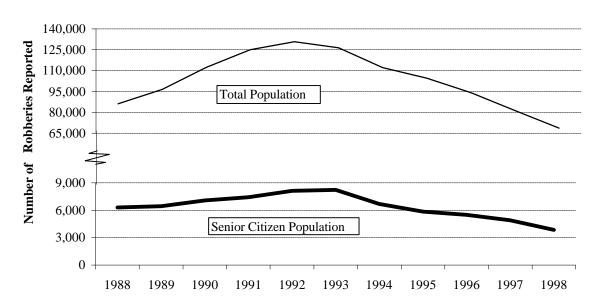
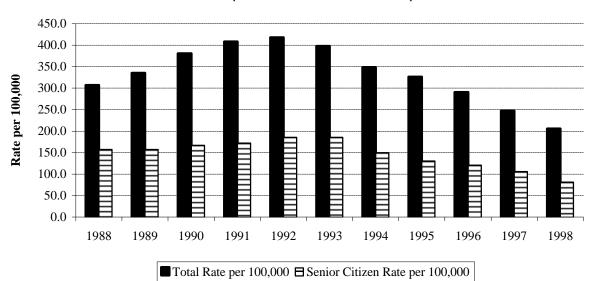


FIGURE 8
Robbery Rates, 1988-1998
For the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population





#### **Aggravated Assault Crimes**

The number of reported aggravated assaults committed against the total population in California declined 7.5 percent from 161,082 in 1988 to 149,067 in 1998. The total number of reported aggravated assaults committed against senior citizens increased 9.7 percent from 2,986 in 1988 to 3,275 in 1998.

The number of reported aggravated assaults declined for the total population by 8.7 percent from 163,235 in 1997 to 149,067 in 1998. Reported aggravated assaults committed against senior citizens declined 3.1 percent from 3,379 in 1997 to 3,275 in 1998. (See Table 5 and Figure 9.)

From 1988 to 1998, the aggravated assault rate per 100,000 for the total population declined 22.5 percent from 574.0 to 445.1. The aggravated assault rate per 100,000 for senior citizens declined 6.9 percent from 74.4 in 1988 to 69.3 in 1998.

From 1997 to 1998, the aggravated assault rate per 100,000 for the total population declined 10.1 percent from 495.3 to 445.1. The aggravated assault rate per 100,000 for the senior citizen population declined 4.8 percent from 72.8 in 1997 to 69.3 in 1998. (See Table 5 and Figure 10.)

TABLE 5

AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS COMMITTED AGAINST THE POPULATION & SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998

Number, Rate per 100,000, and Percent Change in Rate by Year

| Year | Total<br>population | Total<br>aggravated<br>assaults<br>reported | Rate per 100,000 | previous population |           | Senior<br>citizen<br>percent of<br>population | Senior<br>citizen<br>aggravated<br>assaults<br>reported | Rate per 100,000 | Percent<br>change in<br>rate from<br>previous year |
|------|---------------------|---|------------------|---------------------|-----------|---|---|------------------|--|
| 1998 | 33,494,000          | 149,067                                     | 445.1            | -10.1               | 4,723,548 | 14.1  | 3,275   | 69.3             | -4.8   |
| 1997 | 32,957,000          | 163,235                                     | 495.3            | -4.2                | 4,640,908 | 14.1  | 3,379   | 72.8             | -0.4   |
| 1996 | 32,383,000          | 167,390                                     | 516.9            | -11.1               | 4,560,834 | 14.1  | 3,333   | 73.1             | -9.1   |
| 1995 | 32,063,000          | 186,337                                     | 581.2            | -2.8                | 4,506,030 | 14.1  | 3,625   | 80.4             | -8.4   |
| 1994 | 32,140,000          | 192,138                                     | 597.8            | -2.1                | 4,461,735 | 13.9  | 3,916   | 87.8             | -1.0   |
| 1993 | 31,742,000          | 193,904                                     | 610.9            | -3.4                | 4,435,388 | 14.0  | 3,933   | 88.7             | -5.1   |
| 1992 | 31,300,000          | 197,970                                     | 632.5            | 2.6                 | 4,396,780 | 14.0  | 4,109   | 93.5             | 3.4  |
| 1991 | 30,646,000          | 188,993                                     | 616.7            | -0.5                | 4,326,788 | 14.1  | 3,911   | 90.4             | 3.6  |
| 1990 | 29,557,836          | 183,185                                     | 619.8            | 3.4                 | 4,232,094 | 14.3  | 3,694   | 87.3             | 4.2  |
| 1989 | 28,771,207          | 172,476                                     | 599.5            | 4.4                 | 4,096,768 | 14.2  | 3,432   | 83.8             | 12.6   |
| 1988 | 28,060,746          | 161,082                                     | 574.0            | -                   | 4,014,965 | 14.3  | 2,986   | 74.4             | -  |

Notes: Rates are based on population estimates provided by the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance. Rates are calculated by dividing the number of crimes by the respective population. The result is multiplied by 100,000. Percentages may not add to 100.0 due to independent rounding.



FIGURE 9 **Aggravated Assaults Reported, 1988-1998** 

Against the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population

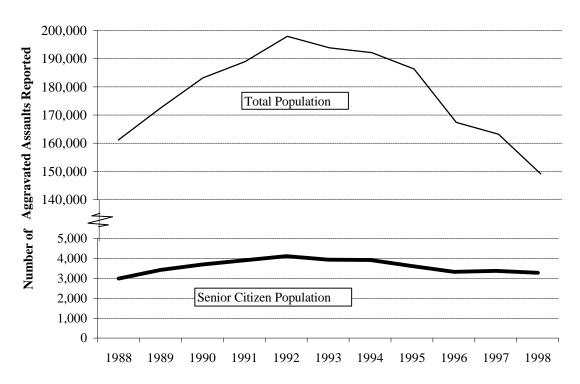


FIGURE 10 Aggravated Assault Rates, 1988-1998

For the Total Population and the Senior Citizen Population

700.0 600.0 Rate per 100,000 500.0 400.0 300.0 200.0 100.0 0.0 1990 1988 1989 1991 1992 1993 1994 1995 1996 1997 1998



#### **Relative Impact of Crime on Senior Citizens**

In 1998, senior citizens comprised 14.1 percent of the total population, but in terms of violent crime, they only experienced 3.2 percent of the total reported crimes committed.

The rate per 100,000 of all violent crimes for the entire population was 686.0 in 1998. The rate per 100,000 of violent crimes committed against 0-59 year olds was 773.1 and for senior citizens it was 155.2. Senior citizens were 5 times less likely than the 0-59 year olds to be victims of crime in 1998. (See Table 1.)

TABLE 6
TOTAL VIOLENT CRIMES REPORTED, 1988-1998
Number and Rate per 100,000 by Age Group and Year

|      |       | Homicide |         | Fo     | orcible Raj | pe         |         | Robbery  |         | Aggra   | Aggravated Assault |         |  |  |
|------|-------|----------|---------|--------|-------------|------------|---------|----------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|--|--|
| Year |       | 0-59 age | 60+ age |        | 0-59 age    | 60+ age    |         | 0-59 age | 60+ age |         | 0-59 age           | 60+ age |  |  |
|      | Total | group    | group   | Total  | group       | group      | Total   | group    | group   | Total   | group              | group   |  |  |
| _    |       |          | -       |        | Nι          | ımber Re   | ported  |          | -       | -       |                    |         |  |  |
| 1998 | 2,170 | 2,049    | 121     | 9,777  | 9,678       | 99         | 68,752  | 64,914   | 3,838   | 149,067 | 145,792            | 3,275   |  |  |
| 1997 | 2,579 | 2,440    | 139     | 10,182 | 10,086      | 96         | 81,413  | 76,508   | 4,905   | 163,235 | 159,856            | 3,379   |  |  |
| 1996 | 2,910 | 2,796    | 114     | 10,238 | 10,123      | 115        | 94,137  | 88,641   | 5,496   | 167,390 | 164,057            | 3,333   |  |  |
| 1995 | 3,530 | 3,390    | 140     | 10,550 | 10,452      | 98         | 104,581 | 98,716   | 5,865   | 186,337 | 182,712            | 3,625   |  |  |
| 1994 | 3,699 | 3,556    | 143     | 10,960 | 10,860      | 100        | 112,149 | 105,474  | 6,675   | 192,138 | 188,222            | 3,916   |  |  |
| 1993 | 4,095 | 3,875    | 220     | 11,754 | 11,632      | 122        | 126,347 | 118,122  | 8,225   | 193,904 | 189,971            | 3,933   |  |  |
| 1992 | 3,920 | 3,728    | 192     | 12,751 | 12,604      | 147        | 130,867 | 122,725  | 8,142   | 197,970 | 193,861            | 4,109   |  |  |
| 1991 | 3,876 | 3,715    | 161     | 12,942 | 12,802      | 140        | 125,105 | 117,666  | 7,439   | 188,993 | 185,082            | 3,911   |  |  |
| 1990 | 3,562 | 3,369    | 193     | 12,716 | 12,576      | 140        | 112,460 | 105,391  | 7,069   | 183,185 | 179,491            | 3,694   |  |  |
| 1989 | 3,159 | 2,975    | 184     | 11,956 | 11,795      | 161        | 96,424  | 89,993   | 6,431   | 172,476 | 169,044            | 3,432   |  |  |
| 1988 | 2,947 | 2,721    | 226     | 11,771 | 11,574      | 197        | 86,190  | 79,889   | 6,301   | 161,082 | 158,096            | 2,986   |  |  |
|      |       |          |         |        | Ra          | ate per 10 | 0,000   |          |         |         |                    |         |  |  |
| 1998 | 6.5   | 7.1      | 2.6     | 29.2   | 33.6        | 2.1        | 205.3   | 225.6    | 81.3    | 445.1   | 506.7              | 69.3    |  |  |
| 1997 | 7.8   | 8.6      | 3.0     | 30.9   | 35.6        | 2.1        | 247.0   | 270.2    | 105.7   | 495.3   | 564.5              | 72.8    |  |  |
| 1996 | 9.0   | 10.0     | 2.5     | 31.6   | 36.4        | 2.5        | 290.7   | 318.6    | 120.5   | 516.9   | 589.7              | 73.1    |  |  |
| 1995 | 11.0  | 12.3     | 3.1     | 32.9   | 37.9        | 2.2        | 326.2   | 358.2    | 130.2   | 581.2   | 663.0              | 80.4    |  |  |
| 1994 | 11.5  | 12.8     | 3.2     | 34.1   | 39.2        | 2.2        | 348.9   | 381.1    | 149.6   | 597.8   | 680.0              | 87.8    |  |  |
| 1993 | 12.9  | 14.2     | 5.0     | 37.0   | 42.6        | 2.8        | 398.0   | 432.6    | 185.4   | 610.9   | 695.7              | 88.7    |  |  |
| 1992 | 12.5  | 13.9     | 4.4     | 40.7   | 46.8        | 3.3        | 418.1   | 456.2    | 185.2   | 632.5   | 720.6              | 93.5    |  |  |
| 1991 | 12.6  | 14.1     | 3.7     | 42.2   | 48.6        | 3.2        | 408.2   | 447.1    | 171.9   | 616.7   | 703.2              | 90.4    |  |  |
| 1990 | 12.1  | 13.3     | 4.6     | 43.0   | 49.7        | 3.3        | 380.5   | 416.1    | 167.0   | 619.8   | 708.7              | 87.3    |  |  |
| 1989 | 11.0  | 12.1     | 4.5     | 41.6   | 47.8        | 3.9        | 335.1   | 364.7    | 157.0   | 599.5   | 685.1              | 83.8    |  |  |
| 1988 | 10.5  | 11.3     | 5.6     | 41.9   | 48.1        | 4.9        | 307.2   | 332.2    | 156.9   | 574.0   | 657.5              | 74.4    |  |  |

Notes: Rates are based on population estimates provided by the Demographic Research Unit, California Department of Finance.

Rates are calculated by dividing the number of crimes by the respective population. The result is multiplied by 100,000.

Percentages may not add to 100.0 due to independent rounding.



In 1998, the homicide rate per 100,000 for the 0-59 year old population was 7.1. The homicide rate per 100,000 for senior citizens was 2.6. Members of the 0-59 year old age group were 2.7 times more likely to be victims of homicide than senior citizens. The 0-59 year old population was approximately 6 times greater than the senior citizen population, yet they experienced nearly 17 times as many reported homicides.

In 1998, the forcible rape rate per 100,000 for the 0-59 year old population was 33.6, and for senior citizens it was 2.1. Members of the 0-59 year old age group were 16 times more likely to be victims of forcible rape than senior citizens. The 0-59 year old population was approximately 6 times greater than the senior citizen population; however, they experienced 98 times as many reported forcible rapes .

The robbery rate per 100,000 in 1998 for the 0-59 year old age group was 225.6 in 1998, and for senior citizens it was 81.3. Members of the 0-59 year old age group were 2.8 times more likely to be victims of robbery than senior citizens. The 0-59 year old population was 6 times greater than the senior citizens population, yet they experienced almost 17 times as many reported robberies.

The aggravated assault rate per 100,000 for the 0-59 year old age group was 506.7 in 1998. For senior citizens in 1998, the aggravated assault rate per 100,000 was 69.3. Members of the 0-59 year old age group were 7.3 times more likely to be victims of aggravated assault than senior citizens. The 0-59 year old population was 6 times greater than the senior citizen population, yet they experienced 45 times the number of reported aggravated assaults. (See Table 1 and Table 6.)

In 1988, 2.3 percent of all reported crimes committed against senior citizens were homicides. For the total population in 1988, 1.1 percent of the reported crimes committed were homicides. In 1998, homicides were 1.7 percent of the reported crimes committed against senior citizens, and only .9 percent of the reported crimes committed against the total population.

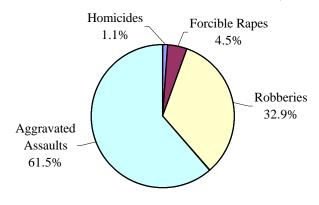
Robberies were 64.9 percent of the total crime reported against seniors in 1988, and 52.3 percent of reported crime against seniors in 1998. Robberies constituted 32.9 percent of the reported crimes committed against the total population in 1988, and 29.9 percent of reported crimes committed against the total population in 1998. (See Figure 11 and Figure 12.)



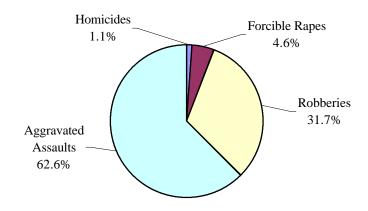
FIGURE 11

#### **VIOLENT CRIMES REPORTED, 1988**

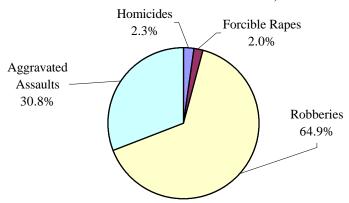
#### **AGAINST THE TOTAL POPULATION - 261,990**



#### **AGAINST 0-59 YEAR OLDS - 252,280**



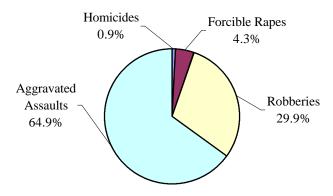
#### **AGAINST SENIOR CITIZENS - 9,710**



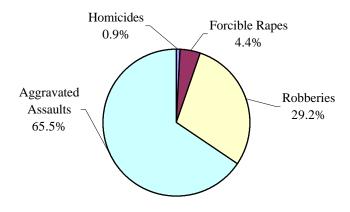
#### FIGURE 12

#### **VIOLENT CRIMES REPORTED, 1998**

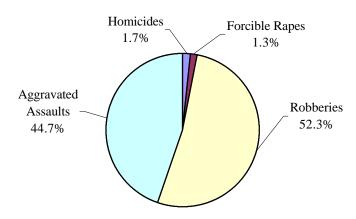
#### **AGAINST THE TOTAL POPULATION - 229,766**



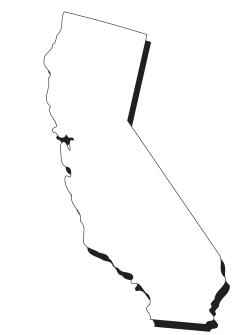
#### **AGAINST 0-59 YEAR OLDS - 222,433**



#### **AGAINST SENIOR CITIZENS - 7,333**



# **APPENDICES**





APPENDIX A VIOLENT CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998

Number of Reported Crimes by County

| County                   | 1988     | 1989       | 1990     | 1991       | <u>ој Керогі</u><br>1992 | 1993     | 1994       | 1995     | 1996     | 1997       | 1998       | % Change           |
|--------------------------|----------|------------|----------|------------|--------------------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|------------|------------|--------------------|
| Total                    | 9,710    | 10,208     | 11,096   | 11,651     | 12,590                   | 12,500   | 10,834     | 9,728    | 9,058    | 8,519      | 7,333      | 1988-1998<br>-24.5 |
| Alameda                  | 662      | 526        | 518      | 709        | 788                      | 648      | 557        | 156      | 581      | 594        | 505        | -23.7              |
| Alpine                   | 0        | 0          | 1        | 0          | 1                        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0          | -23.7              |
| Amador                   | 0        | 2          | 0        | 0          | 3                        | 0        | 27         | 8        | 9        | 15         | 5          | -                  |
| Butte                    | 8        | 11         | 7        | 11         | 8                        | 57       | 8          | 5        | 7        | 2          | 4          | -                  |
| Calaveras                | 0        | 0          | 5        | 12         | 1                        | 2        | 2          | 5        | 2        | 3          | 4          | -                  |
| Colusa                   | 4        | 1          | 1        | 1          | 2                        | 1        | 3          | 0        | 3        | 4          | 1          | -                  |
| Contra Costa             | 186      | 141        | 136      | 142        | 166                      | 122      | 152        | 142      | 147      | 69         | 72         | -61.3              |
| Del Norte                | 9        | 4          | 5        | 6          | 100                      | 3        | 2          | 7        | 4        | 4          | 4          | -01.5              |
| El Dorado                | 8        | 6          | 5        | 9          | 5                        | 1        | 4          | 3        | 7        | 6          | 5          | -                  |
| Fresno                   | 120      | 111        | 135      | 158        | 113                      | 108      | 132        | 115      | 192      | 175        | 148        | 23.3               |
| Glenn                    | 120      | 0          | 5        | 3          | 2                        | 0        | 2          | 113      | 192      | 0          | 2          | 23.3               |
| Humboldt                 | 6        | 7          | 10       | 14         | 11                       | 11       | 14         | 10       | 4        | 7          | 5          | -                  |
| Imperial                 | 18       | 21         | 29       | 30         | 30                       | 48       | 49         | 43       | 41       | 58         | 36         | -                  |
| •                        | 10       | 3          | 0        | 2          | 0                        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 41       | 2          | 30         | -                  |
| Inyo<br>Kern             | 104      | 90         | 88       | 81         | 112                      | 79       | 88         | 92       | 54       | 74         | 89         | 14.4               |
|                          | 6        | 2          | 2        | 5          | 16                       | 8        | 88<br>4    | 92<br>11 | 34<br>7  | 74         | 4          | -14.4              |
| Kings<br>Lake            | 5        | 8          | 6        |            | 16<br>9                  | 8        | 4<br>14    | 11       | 12       |            | 27         | -                  |
|                          | 5<br>1   | 8          | 2        | 16<br>5    | 5                        | 8        | 14<br>5    | 14<br>7  | 4        | 11<br>4    |            | -                  |
| Lassen                   | 5,207    | 5,993      | 6,477    | 5<br>6,663 | 7,232                    | 7,281    | 5,941      | 5,583    | 4,675    | 4,282      | 1<br>3,684 | -29.2              |
| Los Angeles              | 10       | 3,993<br>9 |          |            | 7,232                    |          | 3,941<br>0 |          |          | 4,282<br>7 |            |                    |
| Madera                   | 2        |            | 17       | 3          | 3<br>14                  | 1        |            | 1<br>18  | 2        | 15         | 11         | -                  |
| Marin                    |          | 3          | 5        | 9          |                          | 8        | 11         |          | 6        |            | 5          | -                  |
| Mariposa                 | 1<br>9   | 0<br>5     | 1<br>5   | 2<br>7     | 1<br>7                   | 1        | 1<br>5     | 0        | 2<br>7   | 4<br>4     | 0          | -                  |
| Mendocino                |          | 5<br>11    |          |            |                          | 16       |            | 13       |          |            | 25         | -                  |
| Merced                   | 5        | 0          | 9        | 21<br>0    | 27                       | 13<br>0  | 11<br>2    | 17       | 13<br>0  | 24         | 25         | -                  |
| Modoc                    | 1        | 0          |          |            | 1                        |          |            | 1        |          | 4          | 1          | -                  |
| Mono                     | 4        |            | 1        | 1          | 0                        | 1        | 2          | 0        | 0        | 1          | 1 72       | 12.5               |
| Monterey                 | 64<br>8  | 60         | 57       | 65         | 69                       | 66<br>9  | 46         | 63       | 59<br>9  | 73         | 72<br>7    | 12.5               |
| Napa                     |          | 4          | 2        | 5<br>5     | 10                       |          | 13         | 4        |          | 1          |            | -                  |
| Nevada                   | 1        | 2<br>245   | 7<br>285 | 3<br>367   | 6                        | 9<br>320 | 6<br>295   | 5        | 3<br>182 | 4<br>173   | 8          | - 42.1             |
| Orange                   | 266      | 243<br>9   |          |            | 314                      |          |            | 246      |          | 173        | 154        | -42.1              |
| Placer                   | 3        |            | 8        | 18         | 10                       | 6        | 10         | 14       | 9        |            | 5          | -                  |
| Plumas                   | 1        | 2 248      | 0        | 2          | 0                        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0        | 1<br>252   | 1          | 20.2               |
| Riverside                | 270      | 248        | 251      | 289        | 289                      | 344      | 394        | 266      | 268      |            | 191        | -29.3              |
| Sacramento<br>San Danita | 392      | 368<br>2   | 364      | 378        | 423                      | 455      | 479        | 450      | 370      | 421        | 350<br>0   | -10.7              |
| San Benito               | 4        |            | 5        | 8          | 10                       | 6        | 12         | 5        | 0        | 0          | _          | - 15.0             |
| San Bernardino           | 158      | 186        | 195      | 140        | 350                      | 191      | 204        | 180      | 252      | 257        | 183        | 15.8               |
| San Diego                | 799      | 734        | 847      | 875        | 870                      | 858      | 754        | 674      | 668      | 682        | 557        | -30.3              |
| San Francisco            | 606      | 674        | 827      | 799        | 773                      | 943      | 600        | 602      | 516      | 451        | 386        | -36.3              |
| San Joaquin              | 110      | 57         | 107      | 95<br>17   | 129                      | 125      | 112        | 171      | 201      | 69<br>30   | 89         | -19.1              |
| San Luis Obispo          | 8        | 14         | 29       | 17         | 14                       | 40       | 27         | 34       | 27       | 30         | 15         | 17.5               |
| San Mateo                | 63       | 60         | 81       | 100        | 112                      | 84       | 116        | 93       | 62       | 68         | 74<br>52   | 17.5               |
| Santa Barbara            | 69       | 72         | 48       | 49         | 45                       | 37       | 79<br>227  | 59       | 39       | 24         | 53         | -23.2              |
| Santa Clara              | 160      | 159        | 188      | 155        | 157                      | 195      | 227        | 141      | 130      | 143        | 151        | -5.6               |
| Santa Cruz               | 11       | 6          | 16       | 27         | 37                       | 37       | 33         | 33       | 34       | 25         | 32         | -                  |
| Shasta                   | 12       | 20         | 12       | 8          | 18                       | 5        | 4          | 21       | 26       | 28         | 31         | -                  |
| Sierra                   | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0          | 0                        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0        | 0          | 0          | -                  |
| Siskiyou                 | 3        | 0          | 0        | 1          | 0                        | 3        | 1          | 0        | 0        | 1          | 2          | -                  |
| Solano                   | 96<br>25 | 70         | 62       | 79         | 75<br>25                 | 70<br>52 | 73         | 72       | 76       | 70         | 49         | -49.0              |
| Sonoma                   | 25       | 32         | 28       | 28         | 35                       | 52       | 40         | 38       | 33       | 43         | 23         | -                  |
| Stanislaus               | 75       | 90         | 73       | 70         | 115                      | 97       | 126        | 112      | 115      | 115        | 81         | 8.0                |
| Sutter                   | 3        | 1          | 4        | 3          | 3                        | 1        | 1          | 4        | 2        | 4          | 4          | -                  |
| Tehama                   | 5        | 2          | 1        | 2          | 4                        | 2        | 1          | 12       | 21       | 25         | 22         | -                  |
| Trinity                  | 0        | 1          | 0        | 1          | 0                        | 0        | 0          | 0        | 0        | 7          | 0          | -                  |
| Tulare                   | 50       | 43         | 41       | 66         | 64                       | 53       | 66         | 42       | 51       | 36         | 29         | -42.0              |
| Tuolumne                 | 3        | 6          | 6        | 9          | 4                        | 4        | 6          | 2        | 2        | 3          | 4          | -                  |
| Ventura                  | 51       | 67         | 75       | 67         | 72                       | 57       | 56         | 75       | 80       | 91         | 65         | 27.5               |
| Yolo                     | 11       | 14         | 6        | 5          | 17                       | 8        | 6          | 33       | 29       | 27         | 24         | -                  |
| Yuba                     | 5        | 3          | 1        | 8          | 7                        | 3        | 11         | 25       | 10       | 9          | 28         | -                  |

Note: Percent change is not calculated when the base number is less than 50.



### APPENDIX B VIOLENT CRIMES COMMITTED AGAINST SENIOR CITIZENS, 1988-1998

Number of Reported Crimes by Cities with Populations over 100,000

| City Police<br>Departments | 1988  | 1989  | 1990  | 1991  | 1992  | 1993  | 1994  | 1995  | 1996  | 1997  | 1998  | % Change<br>1988-1998 |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----------------------|
| Total                      | 6,713 | 7,016 | 7,556 | 8,001 | 8,690 | 8,672 | 7,105 | 6,303 | 5,810 | 5,618 | 4,654 | -30.7                 |
| Anaheim PD                 | 51    | 48    | 57    | 83    | 55    | 27    | 38    | 26    | 34    | 24    | 21    | -58.8                 |
| Bakersfield PD             | 51    | 63    | 52    | 55    | 68    | 64    | 63    | 58    | 29    | 45    | 61    | 19.6                  |
| Berkeley PD                | 56    | 45    | 58    | 51    | 81    | 65    | 37    | 30    | 42    | 40    | 40    | -28.6                 |
| Burbank PD                 | 13    | 12    | 12    | 17    | 21    | 14    | 18    | 14    | 16    | 14    | 13    | -                     |
| Chula Vista PD             | 38    | 39    | 37    | 50    | 49    | 56    | 53    | 54    | 60    | 42    | 37    | -                     |
| Concord PD                 | 9     | 8     | 12    | 7     | 29    | 14    | 13    | 8     | 9     | 13    | 7     | -                     |
| Costa Mesa PD              | 0     | 0     | 2     | 4     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | -                     |
| El Monte PD                | 40    | 54    | 44    | 98    | 108   | 144   | 125   | 160   | 57    | 3     | 11    | -                     |
| Escondido PD               | 17    | 21    | 27    | 30    | 37    | 25    | 29    | 30    | 30    | 25    | 22    | -                     |
| Fontana PD                 | 7     | 9     | 9     | 23    | 19    | 24    | 23    | 35    | 22    | 33    | 13    | -                     |
| Fremont PD                 | 1     | 4     | 10    | 5     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 2     | 1     | 2     | -                     |
| Fresno PD                  | 101   | 87    | 102   | 132   | 96    | 80    | 94    | 70    | 159   | 139   | 87    | -13.9                 |
| Fullerton PD               | 6     | 22    | 36    | 22    | 28    | 21    | 12    | 4     | 5     | 6     | 12    | -                     |
| Garden Grove PD            | 33    | 29    | 25    | 14    | 14    | 14    | 26    | 25    | 14    | 13    | 14    | -                     |
| Glendale PD                | 49    | 61    | 69    | 71    | 57    | 36    | 28    | 36    | 31    | 32    | 30    | -                     |
| Hayward PD                 | 2     | 7     | 5     | 1     | 5     | 3     | 0     | 38    | 16    | 9     | 21    | -                     |
| Huntington Beach PD        | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 2     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | -                     |
| Inglewood PD               | 72    | 76    | 69    | 32    | 113   | 94    | 97    | 105   | 77    | 81    | 62    | -13.9                 |
| Irvine PD                  | 5     | 1     | 2     | 2     | 0     | 2     | 2     | 2     | 8     | 5     | 3     | -                     |
| Lancaster PD               | 15    | 19    | 16    | 19    | 34    | 29    | 28    | 31    | 29    | 36    | 24    | -                     |
| Long Beach PD              | 288   | 399   | 395   | 359   | 291   | 320   | 264   | 241   | 109   | 74    | 123   | -57.3                 |
| Los Angeles PD             | 3,155 | 3,464 | 3,669 | 4,024 | 4,476 | 4,552 | 3,674 | 3,315 | 2,830 | 2,712 | 2,237 | -29.1                 |
| Modesto PD                 | 27    | 36    | 32    | 15    | 31    | 38    | 38    | 35    | 31    | 29    | 22    | -                     |
| Moreno Valley PD           | 0     | 0     | 8     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 17    | 13    | -                     |
| Oakland PD                 | 509   | 391   | 375   | 555   | 618   | 470   | 408   | b     | 407   | 446   | 341   | -33.0                 |
| Oceanside PD               | 39    | 28    | 34    | 36    | 45    | 38    | 53    | 35    | 44    | 42    | 34    | _                     |
| Ontario PD                 | 21    | 26    | 28    | 14    | 17    | 17    | 34    | 23    | 39    | 15    | 13    | -                     |
| Orange PD                  | 22    | 17    | 12    | 10    | 9     | 14    | 20    | 6     | 13    | 13    | 8     | _                     |
| Oxnard PD                  | 18    | 32    | 26    | 33    | 33    | 21    | 11    | 28    | 30    | 21    | 35    | -                     |
| Palmdale PD                | 16    | 5     | 11    | 10    | 17    | 22    | 24    | 25    | 20    | 19    | 20    | _                     |
| Pasadena PD                | 51    | 69    | 47    | 70    | 74    | 46    | 24    | 51    | 45    | 35    | 33    | -35.3                 |
| Pomona PD                  | 50    | 56    | 98    | 58    | 69    | 82    | 69    | 49    | 45    | 42    | 32    | -36.0                 |
| Rancho Cucamonga PD        | 3     | 2     | 0     | 0     | 2     | 4     | 0     | 3     | 2     | 15    | 2     | -                     |
| Riverside PD               | 42    | 48    | 54    | 63    | 59    | 58    | 56    | 65    | 33    | 35    | 23    | _                     |
| Sacramento PD              | 275   | 250   | 265   | 282   | 315   | 325   | 316   | 306   | 233   | 257   | 218   | -20.7                 |
| Salinas PD                 | 29    | 27    | 32    | 33    | 35    | 36    | 23    | 36    | 29    | 47    | 36    | _                     |
| San Bernardino PD          | 31    | 53    | 87    | 0     | 178   | 52    | 44    | 19    | 104   | 107   | 76    | -                     |
| San Diego PD               | 538   | 499   | 568   | 550   | 516   | 482   | 411   | 375   | 340   | 366   | 279   | -48.1                 |
| San Francisco PD           | 602   | 670   | 806   | 784   | 700   | 922   | 591   | 592   | 509   | 445   | 381   | -36.7                 |
| San Jose PD                | 111   | 100   | 95    | 80    | 85    | 103   | 91    | 103   | 93    | 93    | 94    | -15.3                 |
| Santa Ana PD               | 61    | 50    | 56    | 76    | 82    | 100   | 91    | 89    | 52    | 59    | 30    | -50.8                 |
| Santa Clarita PD           | 0     | 0     | 8     | 16    | 14    | 9     | 11    | 11    | 4     | 3     | 8     | _                     |
| Santa Rosa PD              | 16    | 19    | 7     | 14    | 12    | 15    | 12    | 14    | 7     | 21    | 11    | -                     |
| Simi Valley PD             | 1     | 0     | 2     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 2     | 6     | 4     | _                     |
| Stockton PD                | 58    | 14    | 38    | 51    | 63    | 77    | 44    | 61    | 40    | 28    | 24    | -58.6                 |
| Sunnyvale PD               | 12    | 17    | 15    | 21    | 18    | 27    | 13    | 9     | 9     | 10    | 7     | -                     |
| Thousand Oaks PD           | 7     | 2     | 3     | 4     | 2     | 8     | 7     | 12    | 9     | 15    | 1     | _                     |
| Torrance PD                | 29    | 28    | 38    | 30    | 22    | 40    | 32    | 22    | 29    | 28    | 27    | _                     |
| Vallejo PD                 | 92    | 66    | 56    | 64    | 57    | 54    | 53    | 47    | 53    | 44    | 29    | -68.5                 |
| Ventura PD                 | 11    | 10    | 13    | 9     | 12    | 6     | 2     | 3     | 7     | 8     | 8     | -                     |
| West Covina PD             | 33    | 33    | 34    | 24    | 22    | 20    | 3     | 1     | 2     | 3     | 5     | _                     |

Note: Percent change is not calculated when the base number is less than 50.

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