

**CRIME INFORMATION ANALYSIS CENTRE –  
SOUTH AFRICAN POLICE SERVICE**

Crime in the RSA per Police Area for April to March  
2001/2002 to 2004/2005

**Province :KwaZulu-Natal  
Area :Durban South**

| Crime Category   | April to March |           |           |           |
|--|----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
|  | 2001/2002      | 2002/2003 | 2003/2004 | 2004/2005 |
| Murder   | 1,094          | 1,070     | 997       | 950       |
| Rape   | 1,854          | 1,919     | 1,750     | 1,862     |
| Attempted murder   | 1,560          | 1,883     | 1,675     | 1,619     |
| Assault with the intent to inflict grievous bodily harm          | 5,829          | 6,703     | 6,825     | 6,434     |
| Common assault   | 6,808          | 7,914     | 7,818     | 8,472     |
| Robbery with aggravating circumstances                           | 6,910          | 6,824     | 7,425     | 6,610     |
| Common robbery   | 2,976          | 3,508     | 3,376     | 3,369     |
| Indecent assault   | 294            | 388       | 405       | 494       |
| Kidnapping   | 210            | 201       | 215       | 199       |
| Abduction  | 101            | 114       | 123       | 116       |
| Neglect and ill-treatment of children                            | 43             | 117       | 142       | 116       |
| Culpable homicide  | 422            | 433       | 428       | 510       |
| Public violence  | 8              | 20        | 24        | 27        |
| Carjacking (Sub Category of Robbery Aggravating)                 | 1,150          | 973       | 1,133     | 1,045     |
| Truck hijacking (Sub Category of Robbery Aggravating)            | 168            | 22        | 31        | 27        |
| Bank robbery (Sub Category of Robbery Aggravating)               | 8              | 2         | 0         | 1         |
| Robbery of cash in transit (Sub Category of Robbery Aggravating) | 9              | 22        | 11        | 5         |
| House robbery (Sub Category of Robbery Aggravating)              | -              | 402       | 451       | 439       |
| Business robbery (Sub Category of Robbery Aggravating)           | -              | 228       | 100       | 94        |
| Arson  | 254            | 257       | 198       | 242       |
| Malicious damage to property                                     | 4,485          | 4,860     | 4,789     | 4,809     |
| Crimen Injuria   | 1,164          | 1,520     | 1,711     | 1,965     |
| Burglary at residential premises                                 | 11,060         | 12,034    | 11,844    | 10,544    |
| Burglary at business premises                                    | 2,344          | 2,144     | 1,900     | 1,734     |
| Theft of motor vehicle and motorcycle                            | 6,144          | 5,175     | 4,938     | 4,477     |
| Theft out of or from motor vehicle                               | 8,186          | 7,791     | 7,505     | 5,468     |
| Stock theft  | 88             | 124       | 111       | 110       |

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| Illegal possession of firearms and ammunition   | 601    | 577    | 642    | 747    |
| Drug related crime                              | 1,907  | 2,314  | 3,266  | 4,796  |
| Driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs | 585    | 742    | 671    | 1,285  |
| All theft not mentioned elsewhere               | 18,686 | 18,448 | 16,497 | 14,014 |
| Commercial Crime                                | 2,072  | 1,746  | 1,623  | 1,463  |
| Shoplifting                                     | 1,723  | 1,710  | 1,850  | 1,828  |