

CRIMES IN JAPAN IN 2009

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I. Penal Code Offenses

1. Aggregate Clearances and Reports to Police

- In 2009, Penal Code offenses reported to police decreased by 6.3% from the previous year, and continued to decline.
- Clearances declined by 5.0%, and arrests declined by 2.0% from the previous year.
- Arrests of juvenile suspects declined by 0.8% from the previous year.
- The clearance rate rose by 0.5% from the previous year.

	2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Reports to police	1,703,044	1,818,023	-114,979	-6.3
Clearances	544,699	573,392	-28,693	-5.0
Arrests	332,888	339,752	-6,864	-2.0
Juvenile suspects	90,282	90,966	-684	-0.8
Clearance rate (%)	32.0	31.5	0.5 points	

Note: In this chapter, Clearances means the number of cases solved; Arrests means the number of suspects arrested or found by police, including juvenile suspects (aged 14 or older); Reports to police means the number of offenses reported to police, and Clearance rate means the percentage of the number of cases cleared vis-à-vis the number of offense reports to police.

2. Categories of Penal Code Offenses Known to Police

- In 2009, any type of offenses reported to police declined. Among felonious offenses, robbery just rose to 897 (up 286), due to the rapid increase of those in convenience stores. Homicide declined to 1,094 (down 203), the lowest record after the war. Among intellectual offenses, fraud heavily declined to 45,162 (down 19,265).
- Clearances increased among indecent offenses. Arrests increased among felonious offenses, larceny and intellectual crimes.

		2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Penal Code offenses (total)	Reports to police	1,703,044	1,818,023	-114,979	-6.3
	Clearances	544,699	573,392	-28,693	-5.0
	Arrests	332,888	339,752	-6,864	-2.0
Felonious offenses	Reports to police	8,314	8,581	-267	-3.1
	Clearances	6,073	6,229	-156	-2.5
	Arrests	5,654	5,634	20	0.4
Violent offenses	Reports to police	63,995	68,948	-4,953	-7.2
	Clearances	45,719	47,772	-2,053	-4.3
	Arrests	49,225	51,924	-2,699	-5.2
Larceny offenses	Reports to police	1,299,294	1,372,840	-73,546	-5.4
	Clearances	361,969	379,839	-17,870	-4.7
	Arrests	175,823	174,738	1,085	0.6

		2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Intellectual offenses	Reports to police	53,002	73,252	-20,250	-27.6
	Clearances	34,147	36,979	-2,832	-7.7
	Arrests	15,433	15,145	288	1.9
Indecent offenses	Reports to police	10,182	10,559	-377	-3.6
	Clearances	6,478	6,376	102	1.6
	Arrests	5,951	6,048	-97	-1.6
Other Penal Code offenses	Reports to police	268,257	283,843	-15,586	-5.5
	Clearances	90,313	96,197	-5,884	-6.1
	Arrests	80,802	86,263	-5,461	-6.3

3. Clearances and Reports to Police of Index Serious Offenses

		2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Index serious offenses	Reports to police	15,158	15,847	-689	-4.3
	Clearances	9,776	9,925	-149	-1.5
	Arrests	7,884	7,982	-98	-1.2
Murder	Reports to police	1,094	1,297	-203	-15.7
	Clearances	1,074	1,237	-163	-13.2
	Arrests	1,036	1,211	-175	-14.5
Robbery	Reports to police	4,512	4,278	234	5.5
	Clearances	2,923	2,612	311	11.9
	Arrests	3,069	2,813	256	9.1
Arson	Reports to police	1,306	1,424	-118	-8.3
	Clearances	913	1,054	-141	-13.4
	Arrests	631	659	-28	-4.2
Rape	Reports to police	1,402	1,582	-180	-11.4
	Clearances	1,163	1,326	-163	-12.3
	Arrests	918	951	-33	-3.5
Abduction & Human trafficking	Reports to police	156	155	1	0.6
	Clearances	140	141	-1	-0.7
	Arrests	101	129	-28	-21.7
Indecent assault	Reports to police	6,688	7,111	-423	-5.9
	Clearances	3,563	3,555	8	0.2
	Arrests	2,129	2,219	-90	-4.1

4. Clearances and Reports to Police by Crime Category

(1) Major street crimes

	Reports to police				Clearances			
	2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)	2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Street robbery	1,366	1,437	-71	-4.9	665	625	40	6.4
Purse snatching	19,036	19,145	-109	-0.6	9,051	11,229	-2,178	-19.4
Rape on the streets	408	513	-105	-20.5	318	348	-30	-8.6
Indecent assault on the streets	3,994	4,261	-267	-6.3	1,820	1,810	10	0.6
Abduction on the streets	102	97	5	5.2	85	86	-1	-1.2
Assault on the streets	16,950	18,306	-1,356	-7.4	10,877	11,316	-439	-3.9
Bodily injury on the streets	12,964	14,118	-1,154	-8.2	8,652	9,115	-463	-5.1
Extortion on the streets	3,045	3,466	-411	-11.9	1,503	1,684	-181	-10.7
Motor vehicle theft	25,815	27,515	-1,700	-6.2	9,557	12,569	-3,012	-24.0
Motorcycle theft	82,116	80,354	1,762	2.2	9,437	8,930	507	5.7
Bicycle theft	389,476	393,462	-3,986	-1.0	26,747	28,053	-1,306	-4.7
Vehicle load theft	143,863	154,836	-10,973	-7.1	38,706	40,146	-1,440	-3.6
Vehicle parts theft	75,361	75,423	-62	-0.1	9,359	10,591	-1,232	-11.6
Vending machine theft	26,686	38,477	-11,791	-30.6	16,535	15,197	1,338	8.8

Note: The term “streets” as used here covers all types of public spaces, including streets themselves, parking lots, urban parks, vacant lots, public transport facilities (trains, stations, or any other railway facilities, including subway and shinkansen, aircraft, airports, vessels, marine ports, or buses), other transport facilities (taxis or any other vehicle), underground malls, underpasses, and expressways.

(2) Major burglaries

	Reports to police				Clearances			
	2008	2007	Net change	Net percentage change (%)	2009	2008	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Aggravated burglary	1,892	1,647	245	14.9	1,220	1,045	175	16.7
At residences	376	410	-34	-8.3	239	299	-60	-20.1
Burglary theft	148,488	155,047	-6,559	-4.2	81,545	87,047	-5,502	-6.3
At residences	85,228	94,548	-9,320	-9.9	49,600	50,973	-1,373	-2.7
Trespassing	23,863	24,807	-944	-3.8	8,234	8,682	-448	-5.2
At residences	14,515	15,641	-1,126	-7.2	4,967	5,146	-179	-3.5

Note: The term “residences” covers all kinds of residential properties, including detached houses and mid- to high-rise residential buildings (those with at least four or more stories).

(3) Fraud

	Year		Net change	Net percentage change (%)
	2009	2008		
Fraud	45,162	64,427	-19,265	-29.9

II. Juvenile Delinquency and Victimization

1. Juvenile Delinquency (aged under 20)

- (1) Juvenile Penal Code offenders (aged from 14 to 19) continued to decline for six consecutive years.
- Juvenile Penal Code offenders fell to 90,282, down 0.8% from the previous year.
 - Juvenile Penal Code offenders out of the 1,000 juvenile population stood at 12.4. The rate, which is about 5.4-fold the adult figure, still remained high.
 - Juveniles accounted for 27.1% of the total Penal Code offenders.

Trends in Juvenile Penal Code Offenders (aged 14–19)

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Juvenile Penal Code offenders	132,336	123,715	112,817	103,224	90,966	90,282
(Rate per 1,000 of juvenile population)	14.9	15.9	14.8	13.8	12.4	12.4
Felonious offenses	2,120	1,441	1,170	1,042	956	949
Murder	105	67	69	62	50	50
Robbery	1,638	1,146	892	757	713	696
Violent offenses	19,691	10,458	9,817	9,248	8,645	7,653
Larceny offenses	77,903	71,147	62,637	58,150	52,557	54,784
Intellectual offenses	584	1,160	1,294	1,142	1,135	1,144
Indecent offenses	429	383	346	341	389	399
Other Penal Code offenses	31,609	39,126	37,553	33,301	27,284	25,353
Juvenile percentage of all Penal Code offenders (%)	42.7	32.0	29.4	28.2	26.8	27.1

- (2) Juvenile street-crime offenders (aged 14–19) on the decrease

- Juveniles who committed street crimes fell to 20,741, down 2.0% from the previous year.
- Juveniles accounted for 58.4% of all street-crime offenders, down 0.4% from the previous year.

Juvenile Street-Crime Offenders (age 14–19)

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Juvenile share (%)
Total	35,682	28,800	26,797	24,462	21,157	20,741	58.4
Street robbery	1,122	707	553	431	425	431	48.6
Purse snatching	2,179	1,025	834	796	640	712	49.5
Vehicle load theft	658	527	547	542	453	522	22.8
Vehicle parts theft	1,259	1,204	1,132	1,037	992	911	59.8
Vending machine theft	1,196	1,479	912	650	460	399	53.5
Motor vehicle theft	1,531	938	852	655	508	494	24.2
Motorcycle theft	14,746	8,188	7,311	6,740	5,702	5,842	94.3
Bicycle theft	12,991	14,732	14,656	13,611	11,977	11,430	56.1

(3) Initial type of delinquency on the increase

- Juveniles who committed initial type of delinquency rose to 65,362, up 1.3% from the previous year.
- Initial type of juvenile delinquency offenders accounted for 72.4% of all juvenile penal code offenders, up 1.4points from the previous year.

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total (persons)	91,626	91,696	82,656	74,949	64,550	65,362
Shoplifting	36,779	36,450	30,161	28,161	26,277	29,119
Motorcycle theft	14,746	8,188	7,311	6,740	5,702	5,842
Bicycle theft	12,991	14,732	14,656	13,611	11,977	11,430
Conversion of lost property	27,110	32,326	30,528	26,437	20,594	18,971
Percentage of initial type of juvenile delinquency offenders of all juvenile penal code offenders (%)	69.2	74.1	73.3	72.6	71.0	72.4

(4) Juvenile repeat offenders (aged 14–19) declining for six consecutive years

- Juvenile repeat offenders fell to 28,295, down 0.4% from the previous year.
- Juvenile repeat offenders out of the 1000 juvenile population accounted for 3.9, the same rate as the previous year, which is 3.6-fold the adult figure of 1.07.

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Juvenile repeat offenders	34,908	35,510	33,842	31,230	28,404	28,295
Rate per 1,000 of the juvenile population	3.9	4.6	4.4	4.2	3.9	3.9

(5) Juvenile Penal Code offenders (aged under 14) on the increase

- Juveniles (aged under 14) who violated the Penal Code, rose to 18,029, up 2.6% from the previous year.
- Juveniles (aged under 14) who committed arson, rose to 109, up 45.3% from the previous year, accounting for 76.2% of the total felonious offenders.

Juvenile Penal Code Offenders (aged under 14)

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total	20,477	20,519	18,787	17,904	17,568	18,029
Felonious offenses	174	202	225	171	110	143
Violent offenses	1,869	1,624	1,467	1,425	1,347	1,336
Larceny offenses	14,840	13,336	11,945	11,193	11,356	12,026
Intellectual offenses	30	57	63	55	65	68

(6) Juvenile offenders (aged 14–19) related to stimulants on the increase

- Juveniles who violated the Stimulants Control Law rose to 257, up 3.2% from the previous year.
- Juvenile offenders of the Cannabis Control Law, the Narcotics Control Law and the Poisonous Substances Control Law were on the decrease respectively.

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Stimulants Control Law	1,137	427	289	305	249	257
Cannabis Control Law	102	174	187	179	227	211
Narcotics Control Law	7	64	36	30	31	14
MDMA addiction, etc.	4	63	31	24	25	8
Poisonous Substances Control Law	4,298	1,616	981	791	565	466
Thinner addiction, etc.	3,417	1,368	841	652	476	385
Opium Law	0	0	0	1	0	0

(7) Juvenile misconduct (aged under 20) on the decrease

- Juveniles who were guilty of misconduct and who were issued warnings by police stood at 1,013,840, down 25.5% from the previous year.
- Among them, those who smoked or loitered at night accounted for around 90%.

Misconduct Juveniles (aged under 20)

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total	885,775	1,367,351	1,427,928	1,551,726	1,361,769	1,013,840
Smoking	417,053	545,601	557,079	602,763	497,658	364,956
Loitering at night	307,112	671,175	719,732	795,430	732,838	554,078

2. Juvenile Victims

(1) Juvenile victims on the decrease

- Penal Code offenses reported to police in which juveniles (aged under 20) were victims, fell to 275,322, down 4.7% from the previous year.
- Larceny offenses which victimized juveniles (aged under 13) were on the increase.

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Juvenile victims' cases (aged under 20)	352,753	326,042	309,104	304,685	289,035	275,322
Juvenile victims' cases (aged under 13)	36,181	34,459	32,957	34,458	33,328	33,480
Felonious offenses	184	194	186	171	195	140
Violent offenses	1,689	2,088	1,900	1,719	1,566	1,447
Violent Sexual offenses	1,790	1,484	1,114	1,012	1,036	1,014
Larceny offenses	31,863	29,327	28,478	30,350	29,394	29,779

Note: Violent sexual offenses include indecent assault, rape committed during the course of robbery, and rape committed after abduction aiming at indecent assault.

(2) The highest child abuse cases ever

- Child abuse cases stood at 335 (up 9.1% from the previous year).
- The arrests of child abuse cases were 356 (up 11.6%).
- The number of child victims rose to 347 (up 8.8 %).
- Deaths caused by child abuse declined to 28 (down 37.8%).

Year	2000	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Child Abuse Cases	186	222	297	300	307	335
Arrests	208	242	329	323	319	356
Victims	190	229	316	315	319	347
Deaths	44	38	59	37	45	28

(3) The highest child pornography cases ever

- Referred cases violating the Child Welfare Law and the like rose to 7,753 (up 7.8% from the previous year).
- Among them, the child pornography cases were 935 (up 38.3%), with child victims of 405 (up 19.8%), and both of them were the highest ever. Child victims of pre-junior high school students were 62 (up 59.0%), accounting for 15.3% of the total.
- Among the child pornography cases referred, those concerning the Internet drastically rose to 507 (up 99.6%).

Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Cases referred	470	616	567	676	935
Cases concerning the Internet (%)	136 (28.9)	251 (40.7)	192 (33.9)	254 (37.6)	507 (54.2)
Offenders referred	312	350	377	412	650
Child victims	246	253	275	338	405

3. Police Countermeasures

In order to deter juvenile delinquency and promote the wholesome development of juveniles, Police continue to promote synthetic measures by implementing street guidance activities, giving courses in delinquency prevention, drug abuse prevention, etc. and providing on-going guidance and support for juveniles to help them recover, in close cooperation with schools and other organizations concerned, youth support groups and volunteers. Police also continue to protect children from being victimized by child abuse, child pornography and other crimes.

III. Economic Crimes

1. Clearances

(1) Loan sharks

- In 2009, there were 442 cases solved, up 5 or 1.1%, and 815 offenders were arrested, down 45 or 5.2% from the previous year. Their victims were approximately 94 thousand people, down 47 thousand or 33.4%, and the total amount in damages was approximately 19.8 billion yen, down about 9.5 billion yen or 32.4%.
- Boryokudan members were involved in 127 cases, down 19 or 13.0%, accounting for 28.7% of the total (33.4% in the previous year).

(2) Investment fraud

- The number of investment fraud cleared in 2009 was 29, up 7 or 31.8% from the previous year, and 125 offenders were arrested, up 8 or 6.8%. The number of victims was approximately 54 thousand, down about 10 thousand or 16.1%, and the total amount in damages was approximately 165.4 billion yen, up about 7.4 billion yen or 4.7%.
- Among them, there were 4 large-scale offenses in which the multilevel marketing system was imitated and provided much reward for investors having invited new investors, and 43 offenders were arrested. Their victims were approximately 41 thousand people, and the total amount in damages was approximately 132.6 billion yen.

	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Cases cleared	9	17	12	22	29
Suspects arrested	41	73	86	117	125
Corporations cleared	6	4	3	4	7
Victims	3,251	14,429	30,230	64,016	53,698
Amount in damages	¥10.7 billion	¥43.7 billion	¥80.8 billion	¥158.0 billion	¥165.4 billion

(3) Commercial transaction scam

- In 2009, there were 152 cases solved, up 10 or 7.0%, and 371 offenders were arrested, up 92 or 33.0%. Victims stood at approximately 33 thousand, down about 1 thousand or 1.8%. Their damages amounted to approximately 8.8 billion yen, down about 1.9 billion yen or 17.9% from the previous year.

(4) Environmental crimes

- In 2009, there were 6,128 cases related to illegal waste disposal, up 4 or 0.1%, which were the highest since statistics started in 1990, and 7,599 offenders were arrested, down 3 or 0.0% from the previous year.

- Among them, industrial waste cases stood at 1,228 (the highest since statistics started in 1990), up 3 or 0.2%, and 1,893 offenders were arrested, down 47 or 2.4% from the previous year.
 - There were 466 industrial waste cases involving owners or users of waste materials, down 44 or 8.6% from the previous year.
- (5) Intellectual property crimes
- There were 364 cases cleared in 2009, down 21 or 5.5%, and 620 offenders were arrested, down 90 or 12.7% from the previous year.
 - 93.1% of the imitation brand-name products seized by police except for those of which the supplier was unclear were illegally imported, mostly from China and Korea.
 - 49.2% of IPR infringement cases were committed on the Internet, 69.3% of which used Internet auctions.
 - Cases involving Boryokudan members were 36, down 10 or 21.7%, accounting for 9.9% of the total (11.9% in the previous year).
- (6) Food safety
- False indications of food sources stood at 34, up 18 or 112.5%, and 107 offenders were arrested, up 50 or 87.7% from the previous year, both of which were the highest since statistics started in 2002.
 - Food hygiene-related cases stood at 32, up 11 or 52.4%, and 25 offenders were arrested, down 9 or 26.5% from the previous year.

2. Basic Policies

The countermeasures against Economic Crimes are fully encouraged in the following ways:

- (1) Promotion of investigation focusing on vicious crimes threatening public life, in close cooperation with related administrative agencies/organizations
- (2) Reinforcement of investigation against economic crimes close to daily life, such as investment fraud and commercial transaction scam targeting the elderly.

IV. Cybercrime Clearances and Complaints

1. Cybercrime Clearances

In 2009, there were 6,690 cases solved, up 369 or 5.8% from the previous year. The number, which was the highest since statistics started, doubled in five years since 2005.

(1) Violations of the Unauthorized Computer Access Act

Violations of the Unauthorized Computer Access Act stood at 2,534 (the highest since the act was introduced in 2000), up 794 or 45.6% from the previous year.

(2) Crimes involving computers or electromagnetic records

Crimes involving computers or electromagnetic records stood at 195, down 52 or 21.1% from the previous year.

(3) Crimes using networks

Crimes using networks stood at 3,961, down 373 or 8.6% from the previous year.

- Fraud using networks decreased to 1,280, down 228 or 15.1% from the previous year. Among them, fraud using internet auction decreased to 522, down 618 or 54.2% from the previous year, due to the introduction of the settlement-after-receipt services based upon police instructions.
- Cases concerning Child Prostitution and the Juvenile Protection Ordinance decreased to 742, down 202 or 21.4% from the previous year.
- Cases concerning Distribution of Obscene Materials and Child Pornography stood at 647, up 216 or 50.1% from the previous year.
- Violations of the Act on Regulating Enticement of Children through Websites for Social Networking of Opposite Sexes decreased to 349, down 18 or 4.9% from the previous year.

2. Complaints Regarding Cybercrime

- In 2009, police across the nation received a total of 83,739 complaints via cybercrime hotlines and other avenues, up 1,745 or 2.1% from the previous year.
- The complaints on fraudulent transactions rose to 40,315 (up 2,521 or 6.7%) and those on nuisance mails to 6,538 (up 500 or 8.3%), while those on Internet auctions decreased to 7,859 (down 1,131 or 12.6%). Among those on fraudulent transactions, 25,856 (64.1% of the total) were related to fictitious bills.

3. Anti-Cybercrime Measures

While the Internet has come to work as the public market of daily transactions, cybercrimes are rapidly growing. The police aim to turn our society into one that is resistant to cybercrimes, by promoting investigations and alerting citizens and enterprises in the following ways:

(1) Reinforcement of investigation

Investigation against cybercrimes is reinforced by letting police officers, including those in police stations, develop investigative skills through various educational programs.

(2) Countermeasures against illegal information on the Internet

The police watch illegal sites and information on the Internet, and exercise strict controls focusing on malicious cases like child pornography. Investigation is directed not only to those providing illegal information but also to those who neglect to manage their Internet sites, in spite of knowing them to be containing illegal information.

(3) Preventive measures by promoting awareness of cybercrimes

Based on the analyses of cybercrimes, police promote public awareness in order to reduce damage by enriching the contents of “Internet Safety and Security Consultation” in the website of the NPA.

(4) Countermeasures against suicide notices posted on the Internet

The police rapidly identify those who post suicide notices on the Internet and implement measures to prevent them.

V. Overview of Organized Crime

1. Characteristics of Organized Crimes in 2009

- (1) Boryokudan were increasing their tendency to conceal their actual state, and their fundraising activities became diversified under the guise of regular business or political and social activity.
- (2) Boryokudan gangsters arrested in methamphetamine cases increased in number and still continued to account for more than half of all methamphetamine-related arrestees. The number of arrestees in cannabis cases was record-high.
- (3) Both firearm-shooting incidents and gun-use criminal cases declined. So did the number of seized handguns.
- (4) Both cleared-up offenses and arrests involving non-resident foreigners have fallen in number for the past several years. But, these figures were still high, compared with those (approximately 10,000 cases cleared and 5,000 offenders arrested) before 1990.

2. Characteristics Indicated by Case Studies

- (1) Crimes committed by individuals connected with Boryokudan

Boryokudan organized crime syndicates are penetrating into our economic society. Their fundraising activities are concealed under the guise of regular business, utilizing individuals having a symbiotic relationship with them.

- (2) Organized crime in adult entertainment districts

Boryokudan gangs continued to engage themselves in various fundraising activities in adult entertainment districts, such as managing illegal casinos and extorting illegal sexual shops, in cunning ways.

Criminal groups formed by Foreign visitor committed illegal businesses, such as mediating camouflaged marriages to support illegal employment and managing unlicensed taxis for illegally overstaying foreigners.

The police strengthened the investigation of illegal adult entertainment businesses, illegal employment and human trafficking, and promoted countermeasures against Boryokudan syndicates and criminal infrastructure that support their activities.

- (3) Challenges of crime globalization

In order to deal with the ongoing crime globalization, such as worldwide crime syndicates' invasion into Japan, multinational membership of Organized Crime Groups, transnational crimes and so on, the police promoted information-gathering activities, raised their analyzing skills, strengthened the cooperation among prefectural police forces, and developed collaboration with foreign investigative organizations.

(4) Cases constituting crime infrastructure

There were cases constituting crime infrastructure, which supported illegal immigration, illegal stays, and other various crimes committed by non-resident foreigners.

- Camouflaged marriage and offspring aiding long stays and illegal employment
- Mediating houses and selling forged alien registration cards to illegally staying foreigners

VI. JAFIC

1. Suspicious Transactions Reported

(1) Reported number of suspicious transactions

- There were 272,325 reports (up 37,065 or 15.8% from the previous year) in 2009.
- 252,415 reports (92.7% of the total) were from banks, and 156,291 reports (57.4% of the total) were through the electronic reporting system. Among them, there were 189,749 reports (up 43,419 or 29.7%) referred.

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	20045	2006	2007	2008	2009
Reports received per year	7,242	12,372	18,768	43,768	95,315	98,935	113,860	158,041	235,260	272,325
Reports referred per year	5,329	6,752	12,417	30,090	64,675	66,812	71,241	98,629	146,330	189,749

(2) Number of Suspicious Transaction Reports (STRs) by business institution types

Business Institution Type		2008		2009		Increase/Decrease rate	
		Number of reports	%	Number of reports	%	Number of reports	%
Bank		216,016	91.8%	252,415	92.7%	36,399	16.9%
Japan Post		722	0.3%	1,163	0.4%	441	61.1%
Shinkin bank and credit cooperatives		13,218	5.6%	10,941	4.0%	-2,277	-17.2%
Financial instruments business		3,321	1.4%	3,828	1.4%	507	15.3%
Money lending business		509	0.2%	1,148	0.4%	639	125.5%
Norinchukin Bank, etc.		420	0.2%	281	0.1%	-139	-33.1%
Labour Bank		234	0.1%	161	0.1%	-73	-31.2%
Insurance company		113	0.0%	183	0.1%	70	61.9%
Other		192	0.1%	508	0.2%	316	164.6%
New business operators	Finance leasing	64	0.0%	60	0.0%	-4	-6.3%
	Credit card	365	0.2%	1,510	0.6%	1,145	313.7%
	Real estate transactions	21	0.0%	33	0.0%	12	57.1%
	Dealers of precious metals and stones	8	0.0%	0	0.0%	-8	-100.0%
	Postal receiving services	57	0.0%	92	0.0%	35	61.4%
	Telephone receiving services	0	0.0%	2	0.0%	2	-
Total		235,260	100.0%	272,325	100.0%	37,065	15.8%

(3) Outlook of how STRs are used

The number of cases cleared by prefectural police that were initiated with STRs was 337 (up 162 or 92.6% from the previous year), including 9 money laundering cases. 69,941 STRs (up 25,074 or 55.9%) were utilized for other investigations not initiated with STRs.

2. Money-Laundering Trends

There were 236 cases (up 51 or 27.6% from the previous year) cleared for money-laundering offenses, and the number of the cases continued to increase in number.

(1) Number of cases cleared for Money Laundering Offenses under the Act on the Punishment of Organized Crimes

Classification \ Year	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Total
Management Control by Criminal Proceeds (Article 9)	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
Concealment of Criminal Proceeds (Article 10)	3	10	19	45	50	65	91	137	134	172	726
Receipt of Criminal Proceeds (Article 11)	0	2	9	11	15	42	42	40	38	54	253
Total	3	12	28	56	65	107	134	177	173	226	981

(2) Number of cases cleared for Money Laundering Offenses under the Anti-Drug Special Provisions Law

Classification \ Year	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Total
Concealment of Narcotics-related Criminal Proceeds (Article 6)	2	3	0	8	5	3	5	5	10	5	46
Receipt of Narcotics-related Criminal Proceeds (Article 7)	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	2	2	5	18
Total	2	3	0	10	5	5	10	7	12	10	64

3. Promotion of International Cooperation

JAFIC (Japan Financial Intelligence Center) has agreed on the framework for information exchange with the FIUs in Paraguay, France and Qatar. (At the end of 2009, JAFIC has the framework with 20 countries or regions.)

VII. Countermeasures against Boryokudan Gangs

1. Characteristics of Anti-Boryokudan Measures in 2009

- Enhancement of countermeasures against Yamaguchi-gumi
- Expulsion of Boryokudan from public works projects
- Expulsion of Boryokudan from the financial market
- Support for damage suits against Yamaguchi-gumi boss
- Support for social activities to drive Boryokudan offices out
- Establishment of ordinances to expel Boryokudan
- Amendment of the Enforcement Regulation on the Anti-Boryokudan Act

2. Membership of Boryokudan Gangs

- In 2009, all Boryokudan gangsters were 80,900: the three major groups (Yamaguchi-gumi, Inagawa-kai, and Sumiyoshi-kai) held membership of approximately 58,600, accounting for 72.4% of all gangsters nationwide.
- Among them, the Yamaguchi-gumi was highly conspicuous by its stern domination, accounting for 45.0% of all gangsters.

			End of 2009	Net change from end of 2008	Share
Three major groups	The sixth Yamaguchi-gumi	Members	19,000	-1,200	45.0% (members-only share 49.2%)
		Associates	17,400	-400	
		Total	36,400	-1,600	
	Sumiyoshi-kai	Members	6,100	0	15.8% (members-only share 15.8%)
		Associates	6,700	+100	
		Total	12,800	+100	
	Inagawa-kai	Members	4,700	-100	11.6% (members-only share 12.2%)
		Associates	4,700	+200	
		Total	9,400	+100	
Combined total of the three major groups		Members	29,800	-1,300	72.4% (members-only share 77.2%)
		Associates	28,800	-100	
		Total	58,600	-1,400	
Other		Members	8,800	-500	27.6% (members-only share 22.8%)
		Associates	13,500	+200	
		Total	22,300	-300	
All Boryokudan groups combined		Members	38,600	-1,800	100.0%
		Associates	42,300	+100	
		Total	80,900	-1,700	

3. Clearances Involving Boryokudan

(1) Overall trends

- Boryokudan gangsters arrested for violating the Penal Code or special law offenses rose to 26,503 (up 439 or 1.7% from the previous year) after 4 years of decline. Clearances were 55,855 cases, down 757 or 1.3%.

Classification	Year				
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total number of gangsters arrested	29,626	28,417	27,169	26,064	26,503
Share of members of Boryokudan groups	8,725	8,471	7,766	7,197	6,776
Share of associates of Boryokudan groups	20,901	19,946	19,403	18,867	19,727
Total number of cleared cases	56,208	57,557	57,524	56,612	55,855

(2) Enforcement of the Organized Crime Punishment Law

- Special provisions of the law were applied to 17 cases for aggravated punishment, and to 90 cases for the concealment and receipt of crime proceeds.

Classification	Year									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Aggravated punishment provision for organized crime (Article 3)	6	9	10	13	18	26	16	16	12	17
Harboring of suspects of organized crime (Article 7)	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
Concealment of crime proceeds, etc. (Article 10)	1	5	9	25	29	21	18	35	41	49
Receipt of crime proceeds, etc. (Article 11)	0	2	7	10	11	27	35	25	21	41
Issuance of confiscation and freezing order prior to indictment (Article 23)	1	1	4	3	5	0	3	7	21	23

(3) Rivalry among Boryokudan gangs

- There was 1 Boryokudan war in 2009.

Classification	Year									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Number of Boryokudan rivalry cases	5	5	7	7	6	6	0	3	1	1
Share of those involving Yamaguchi-gumi group	4	1	5	5	5	6	0	2	1	0
Number of clashes	18	81	28	44	31	18	(15)	18	6	4
Share of gun-shooting incidents	16	71	21	32	19	11	(8)	12	3	1
Gun-shooting rate (%)	88.9	87.7	75.0	72.7	61.3	61.1	(53.3)	66.7	50.0	25.0
Number of deaths	1	4	2	7	4	2	0	8	3	2
Share of non-gangster victims	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Number of injuries	9	15	14	15	12	4	(6)	8	0	0
Share of non-gangster victims	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0

Note: The 2006 figures in parentheses refer to the number of gangland wars between the Dojin-kai group and the Kyushu Seido-kai group.

- There were 22 gun-shooting cases, down 10 from the previous year.

Classification	Year									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Number of gun-shooting incidents	92	178	112	104	85	51	36	41	32	22
Share of those relating to Boryokudan conflicts	16	71	21	32	19	11	0	12	3	1
Number of deaths	17	24	18	28	15	7	2	12	8	6
Number of injuries	24	20	20	27	12	6	8	7	5	8

Note: The 2006 figures in parentheses refer to the number of gangland wars between the Dojin-kai group and the Kyushu Seido-kai group.

- The police seized 148 handguns, down 18 from the previous year.

Classification	Year									
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Total number of handguns seized	564	591	327	334	309	243	204	231	166	148
Genuine handguns	525	565	301	308	276	216	187	223	158	129
Converted handguns	39	26	26	26	33	27	17	8	8	19

(4) Fundraising activities

- 2,072 Boryokudan gangsters were arrested for fraud, which means they commit fraudulent offenses as part of their fundraising methods. Among their fraudulent offenses, ill-use of public financing programs was conspicuous because the examination process of those programs became less strict under the policy to protect the weak in depression.
- Their traditional fundraising activities were drug trafficking, extortion, gambling, and bookmaking, and 8,921 gangsters were arrested for those crimes, which accounted for 33.7% of the total Boryokudan arrests.
- Their operations also included various crimes committed through companies run by them or having symbiotic relations with them in the fields of finance or construction.

4. Enforcement of the Anti-Boryokudan Law

- As of the end of December 2009, twenty-two groups were designated as Boryokudan gangs.
- There were 2,119 discontinuance orders issued, down 151 from the previous year, while 65 recurrence prevention orders were issued, down 21 from the previous year. Prevention orders and prohibition orders, which were established by the amendment of the Anti-Boryokudan Act, were 0 and 30 respectively.

5. Boryokudan Elimination Movement

- The Ministerial Conference of Crime Countermeasures confirmed the approach to exclude Boryokudan from bids and contracts of public construction.
- The National Public Safety Committee registered the Japan Securities Dealers Association as controller of information-related undue claims.

- The Japanese Bankers Association put out a notice requesting the exclusion of antisocial groups from the savings accounts.
- The police supported damage cases against the bosses of Boryokudan, and 2 cases were appealed to the court.
- The police supported the social movements to remove Boryokudan offices, stop their advancement, and resulted in the withdrawal of 142 offices.
- Due to the appeal made by the police, 4 prefectures established the Boryokudan Elimination Ordinance.

VIII. Drug and Firearms Control

[Drug Control]

1. Overview

- Arrests for methamphetamine offenses rose, and accounted for 80% or less of the total. Among them, those of Boryokudan gangsters rose too, still accounting for more than half of all the arrests, which showed their strong commitment to methamphetamine offenses. The seized amount of methamphetamine exceeded 300 kilos for three years continuously.
- Arrests for cannabis offenses were record-high, and accounted for 20% or less of the total, while the number of cannabis smuggling cases decreased. That indicated the domestic production of cannabis was on the rise.
- Arrests of non-resident foreigners for drug offenses decreased, while Iranians showed strong commitment to methamphetamine trafficking.
- Clearances for all drug smuggling increased. Among them, those of methamphetamine rose drastically, while those of cannabis, MDMA and other synthetic drugs decreased rapidly.

2. Clearances of Drug Offenses

(1) Methamphetamine offenses

- Arrests for methamphetamine offenses stood at 11,688, up 663 from the previous year. Offenders for its use were 6,666 and those for its possession were 3,884, both of which accounted for about 90% of the total.
- Boryokudan gangsters arrested for methamphetamine offenses stood at 6,218, up 417 from the previous year.

(2) Cannabis offenses

- Arrests for cannabis offenses increased to 2,931, up 173 from the previous year. Among them, first offenders accounted for 84.8%, and juveniles or young persons in his/her twenties accounted for 61.4%.
- The seized amount of dry or resin cannabis went down, and the number of seized stalks rose to 10,419, the most during the Heisei era.
- Cases on the planting of hemp grass were 312, twice as much as in 2005.

(3) Drug smuggling cases

- Clearances for all drug smuggling rose to 260, up 61 from the previous year.
- Among them, those of methamphetamine rose to 164, up 87, mostly due to the rapid increase of aircraft passengers carrying methamphetamine. Those of cannabis decreased to 45, and those of MDMA and other synthetic drugs went down to 11.

Classification		Year	
		2008	2009
Methamphetamine offenses	Clearances	77	164
	Arrests	97	219
Cannabis offenses	Clearances	80	45
	Arrests	85	48
Narcotics and Psychotropic offenses	Clearances	41	47
	Arrests	52	52
Opium offenses	Clearances	1	4
	Arrests	2	2
Total	Clearances	199	260
	Arrests	236	321

* Note: Smuggling refers to both smuggling for personal use and smuggling for profit.

(4) Drug offenses by non-resident foreigners

- Arrests of non-resident foreigners for drug offenses decreased to 577, down 45.
- Three foreign nationals (Iranian, Filipino and Brazilian) constituted 43.8% of all the non-resident foreigners arrested.

Number of Arrested Foreign Visitors Classified by Drug Offenses and Nationalities

		Total		Methamphetamine offenses		Cannabis offenses		Narcotics and Psychotropic offenses		Opium offenses	
		2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009	2008	2009
Major three smuggling countries	Iran	116	93	101	85	10	2	3	3	2	3
	Philippines	68	57	61	53	6	3	1	1	0	0
	Brazil	129	103	88	74	31	20	10	9	0	0
	Subtotal	313	253	250	212	47	25	14	13	2	3
Others		309	324	162	214	69	62	78	44	0	4
Total		622	577	412	426	116	87	92	57	2	7

[Firearms Control]

1. Overview

- Firearm-shooting incidents declined, mostly due to the significant decrease of shooting cases in Boryokudan wars.
- As a whole, gun-use criminal cases declined, while gun-use robbery cases rose.
- The number of handgun seizures decreased, with the decline of those from Boryokudan gangsters.
- Arrests for violating the provisions concerning handguns and gun-parts stipulated in the Firearms and Swords Control Law declined, and those of Boryokudan gangsters also fell.

2. Firearm Offenses

(1) Firearm shootings

- The number of firearm shootings decreased to 34, down 8 or 19.0% from the previous year, with 33 cases using handguns.
- Shootings by Boryokudan gangsters decreased to 22, down 10 or 31.3% from the previous year, with 1 case related to a turf-war.

(2) Gun-use criminal cases reported to police

- The number of gun-use criminal cases reported to police decreased to 254, down 21 or 7.6% from the previous year.
- Among them, homicide cases declined to 14, down 5 or 26.3%, while robbery cases went up to 100, up 25 or 33.3%.

3. Firearms Control

(1) Handgun seizures

- The number of handgun seizures declined to 407, down 85 or 17.3% from the previous year. Among them, those from Boryokudan gangsters fell to 148, down 18 or 10.8%.
- Clearances of gun smuggling increased to 4, up 1 or 33.3%, with 1 handgun seized.

(2) Clearances for the offenses of the Firearms and Swords Control Law

- The cleared offenses violating the articles concerning smuggling, illegal possession, giving and receiving of handguns and gun-parts stipulated in the Firearms and Swords Control Law decreased to 215, down 35 or 14.0% from the previous year. Among them, those by Boryokudan gangsters were 129, down 14 or 9.8%.
- The number of arrestees was 209, down 25 or 10.7%. Those of Boryokudan gangsters fell to 130, down 13 or 9.1%.

IX. Transnational Crime

1. Clearances in 2009

- The total number of cleared-up cases: 27,790, down 3,462 (-11.1%) from the previous year
- The total number of arrestees: 13,282, down 603 (-4.3%) from the previous year

		2008	2009	Net change	Net percentage change (%)
Penal Code offenses	Cleared-up cases	23,202	20,513	-2,689	-11.6%
	Arrests	7,148	7,184	36	0.5%
Special law offenses	Cleared-up cases	8,050	7,277	-773	-9.6%
	Arrests	6,737	6,098	-639	-9.5%

2. Characteristics of Crimes by Foreign Visitors

(1) Long-term trend

- The numbers of cleared-up cases and arrests of foreign visitors have been decreasing after peaks in 2004 and 2005.

(2) Comparison by nationality

- As for the arrests for Penal Code offenses, those of Philippine nationals rose by 127.8% and those of Vietnamese nationals by 97.7%, compared with those in 1999. As for the arrests for special law offenses, those of Vietnamese nationals rose by 285.7% and those of Brazilian nationals by 113.2%, compared with those in 1999.
- Chinese nationals had been accounting for the highest percentage of clearances and arrestees among foreign nationals for both Penal Code offenses and special law offenses, for the past ten years. In 2009, 77.5% of the burglary theft cases and 55.4% of the credit card forgery cases were committed by Chinese nationals.
- Brazilians were inclined to commit vehicle load thefts and motor vehicle thefts, Koreans to commit burglary thefts and pick-pocketing, and Vietnamese and Filipinos to commit shoplifting.

(3) Comparison by visa status

- The arrestees of illegal immigrants have declined by 60.0% for Penal Code offenses and by 38.0% for special law offenses, compared with those in 1999.
- Among the arrestees for both Penal Code offenses and special law offenses, those with “Training”, “College student” or “Long-term resident” visa have increased.
- The arrestees with “Long-term resident” or “Spouse or child of a Japanese national” visa accounted for 43.9% of the total of Penal Code offenses.

- Among the arrestees with “Long-term resident” visa, larceny offenses (except burglary thefts) accounted for 51.5% of the Penal Code offenses, and drug offenses accounted for 34.0% of the special law offenses. Among the arrestees with “ Spouse or child of a Japanese national” visa, intellectual offenses accounted for 12.0% of the Penal Code offenses, and the Entertainment Establishments Control Law offenses and the nuisance prevention ordinances offenses accounted for 37.9% and 16.2% of the special law offenses, respectively.

(4) Comparison by crime categories

- Compared with those in 1999, the total clearances have declined by 19.2%.
- The clearances of burglary thefts, violent offenses, and intellectual offenses have increased by 52.1%, 190.4%, and 84.3%, respectively, compared with those in 1999.
- The clearances of the Immigration Control Law offenses have declined by 32.9%, while the Entertainment Establishments Control Law offenses, and the Anti-Prostitution Law offenses have increased by 117.4%, and 12.3%, respectively, compared with those in 1999.

(5) Comparison by complicity rate

- Among the cleared-up cases of Penal Code offenses, offenses committed alone have decreased by 41.5% and their composition rate went down to 38.5%, while offenses by more than 1 person have increased by 8.3%, compared with those in 1999.

(6) Comparison by area of commitment

- The cleared-up cases of the Penal Code offenses in the Kanto region slightly rose, while those in other regions fell.
- The regional subtotal of the cleared-up cases in the Tokyo metropolitan area, the Kanto region and the Chubu region constituted 82.6% of the total nationwide.

3. Offenses Providing Infrastructure for Criminal Activities by Illegal Foreign Residents in Japan

- As for fake paternity acknowledgment, 15 cases with 33 arrests were cleared up and the arrests for forgery of passports and alien registration cards were on the rise, while other kinds of cleared-up cases declined.
- Among illegal foreign residents in Japan who were helped by Japanese brokers to find shelters in Japan, Chinese tenants committed larceny, and Iranians did trafficking of methamphetamine, which indicate that offenses of this category could create a hotbed of various crimes and expand their criminal activities.

X. Fatal Traffic Accidents and Road Traffic Law Violations

1. Occurrence of Traffic Accidents

- Traffic accidents:..... 736,688, down 29,459 or 3.8% from the previous year
 - Deaths: 4,914, down 241 or 4.7%
 - Injuries:910,115, down 35,389 or 3.7%
- * The number of deaths decreased for 9 consecutive years, and became less than 5,000 for the first time since 1952, which was less than 30% of 16,765 deaths in 1970 at its peak. The number of traffic accidents and that of injuries were also decreasing for 5 consecutive years, both of which were the lowest since 1994.

2. Trends in Traffic Deaths and Fatal Traffic Accidents

- (1) In 2009, traffic deaths of all ages fell, except those among people aged 60 to 64. Traffic deaths among elderly people (aged 65 or older) also declined, but still accounted for about half of them. More than 60% of them happened while walking or bicycle riding.

Elderly people killed: 2,452, down 47 or 1.9%, a 49.9% share

- (2) Traffic deaths while walking were more than those while riding motor vehicles, and accounted for the largest ratio.

Deaths while walking:..... 1,717, down 4 or 0.2%

Deaths from riding motor vehicles: 1,600, down 110 or 6.4%

Ratio of deaths from bicycles: 14.1% or 1.2 times as 1999

Ratio of deaths while walking:..... 34.9% or 1.2 times as 1999

- (3) Deaths caused by not wearing a seat belt significantly fell, and stayed below those wearing seat belts. The ratio of those not using a seat belt in back seats was higher than those in other seats.

Deaths without a seat belt: 716, down 100 or 12.3%

Deaths with a seat belt: 825, up 6 or 0.7%

Ratio of deaths without a seat belt by position: Driver's seat:..... 43.4%

Passenger seats:..... 31.8%

Back seats: 67.6%

- (4) Fatal accidents due to drunk driving or speeding have decreased for 9 consecutive years.

Fatal accidents due to drunk driving: 292, down 13 or 4.3%

Fatal accidents due to speeding:..... 328, down 28 or 7.9%

- (5) Fatal accidents and deaths on expressways declined.

Fatal accidents on expressways: 161, down 13 or 7.5%

Deaths on expressways: 178, down 15 or 7.8%

3. Road Traffic Law Violations

Overall violations:.....	12,664,850,	down 250,096	or 1.9%
Priority violations:.....	4,579,815,	up 101,377	or 2.3%
Penalty point notifications:	2,286,464,	down 201,537	or 8.1%
Illegal Parking:.....	2,518,006,	down 291,651	or 10.4%

Notes:

1. Priority violations encompass driving without a license, drunk driving, speeding, and intersection-related violations.
2. Penalty point notifications cover faults concerning seat belts, helmets or child seats.
3. Illegal parking comprises all illegal-parking and failure-to-stop cases of which a driver was given a ticket, a case which was sent to a public prosecutor's office or a case where an overdue payment order was issued. (Overdue-payment cases were not counted in the previous year.)

4. Countermeasures

- Continuous promotion of safety traffic for the elderly, pedestrians and bicycle riders.
- Countermeasures against traffic accidents resulting from drunk-driving
- Promoting the use of seat belts and child seats

XI. Nature of Motorcycle Gangs and Crackdown Results

1. Nature and Trend of Motorcycle Gangs

(1) Nature of motorcycle gangs

- The numbers of motorcycle gangs and their membership have continuously declined for several years.

Classification \ Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Net change	Net percentage change
Number of groups	956	847	767	651	583	-68	-10.4
Membership	15,086	13,677	12,584	11,516	10,454	-1,062	-9.2
Dangerous group-activity type	13,706	12,185	10,974	9,985	9,134	-851	-8.5
Drag-racing type	1,380	1,492	1,610	1,531	1,320	-211	-13.8
Proportion of juveniles	50.1%	47.7%	47.3%	48.2%	51.7%		

(2) Trend

- Group-runs/number of runs stayed, and participants, vehicles, and reports to the police have been decreasing for several years.

Classification \ Year	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Net change	Net percentage change
Group-runs / number of runs	4,569	4,730	4,174	3,568	3,572	4	0.1%
Number of participants	60,903	54,434	49,379	41,806	35,247	-6,559	-15.7%
Number of vehicles	38,294	34,984	32,573	25,896	23,180	-2,716	-10.5%
(Motorcycle ratio)	(69.1%)	(72.8%)	(73.1%)	(75.0%)	(74.7%)		
Number of reports to the police	73,364	65,520	64,057	57,593	55,549	-2,044	-3.5%

2. Crackdown Results

(Unit: person)

Classification \ Year	2008	2009	Net change	Net percentage change
Total number of suspects arrested	35,754	32,170	-3,584	-10.0%
Road Traffic Law violations	32,963	29,534	-3,429	-10.4%
Dangerous group activities	2,833	2,405	-428	-15.1%
(Clearance)	(307)	(278)	-29	-9.4%
Penal code offenses	2,229	2,165	-64	-2.9%
Murder/robbery	100	94	-6	-6.0%
Obstructing the execution of official duties	89	96	7	7.9%
Larceny offenses	1,212	1,213	1	0.1%
Others	562	471	-91	-16.2%

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Glossary

Terms used in this report are defined as follows:

1. Index serious and larceny offenses

The following criminal offenses are used as statistical indexes to assess the level of the crime situation in Japan because of their seriousness or frequency of occurrences.

- **Index serious offenses:** murder, robbery, arson, rape, abduction, and sexual assault
- **Index larceny offenses:** burglary, motor vehicle theft, purse snatching, and pocket picking

2. Juvenile offender

Any person who has reached 14 years of age and under 20 at the time of crime commission and during judicial proceedings, unless otherwise specified

3. Foreign visitor

Any foreigner staying in Japan; excluding those who have lived in Japan as a long-term/permanent resident, US military personnel under the SOFA status, or whose status of residence is unknown

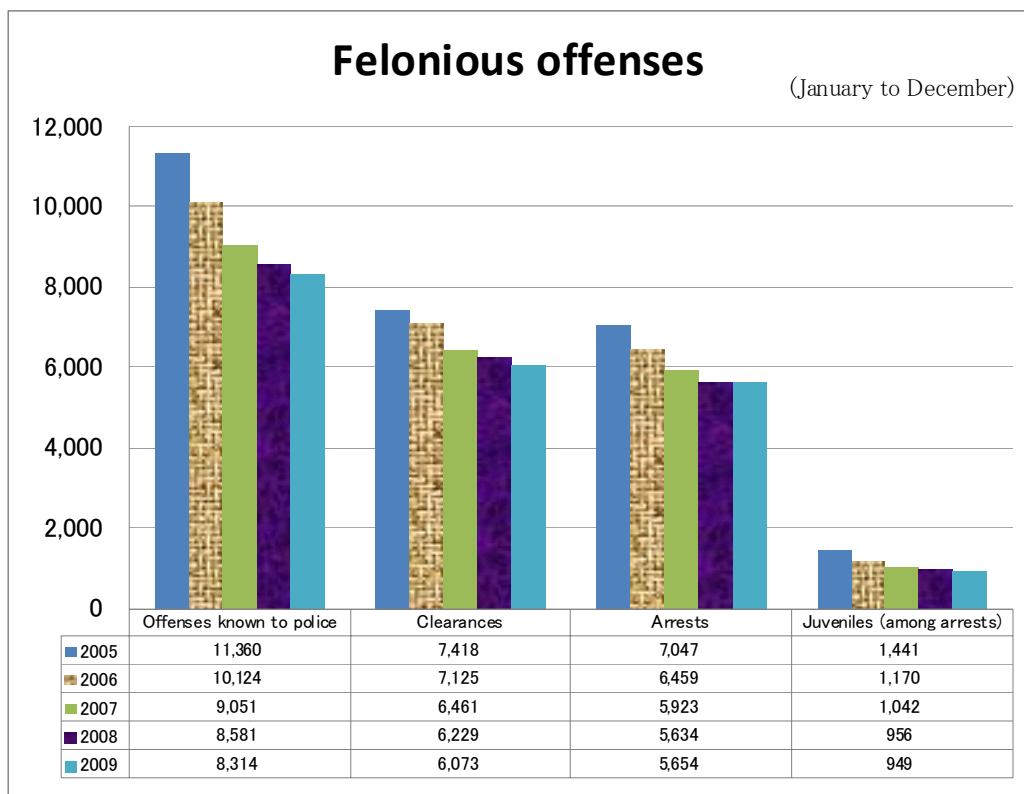
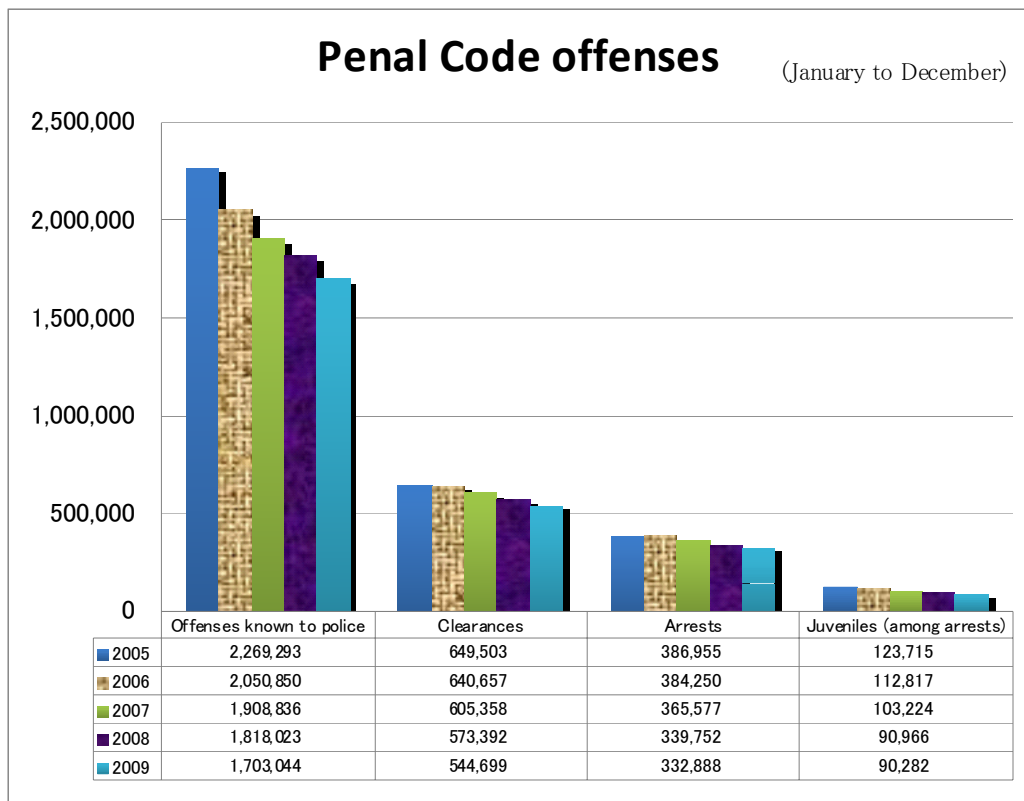
4. Street

“Street” means all public roads and ways for travel, where crime is generally directed against a person. The street specifically includes as follows:

- Road, parking area for vehicle, urban park, vacant lot
- Public transportation including station/port facility (e.g. subway, train, airplane, ship, bus)
- Other transportation (e.g. taxi, automobile)
- Other street (e.g. thoroughfare of underground shopping area, toll road)

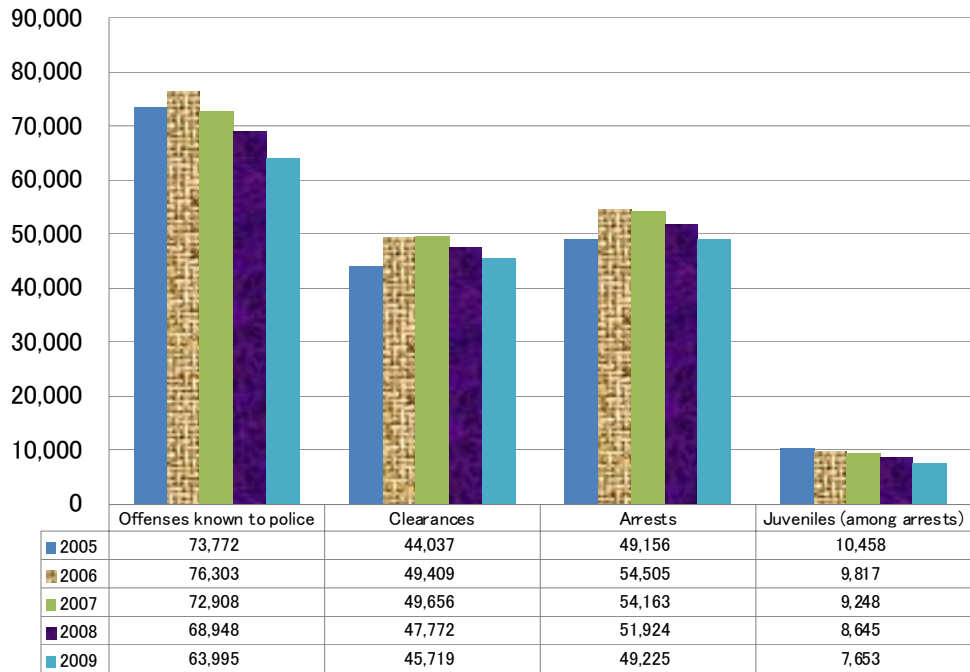
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[Figures] Index serious and larceny offenses known to police and clearances



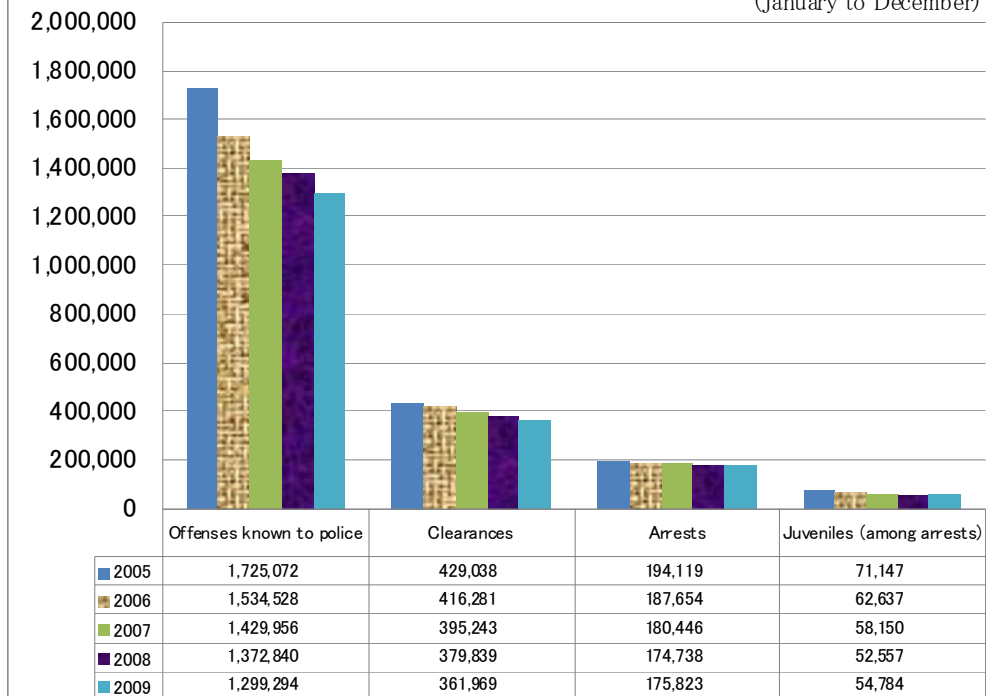
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(January to December)



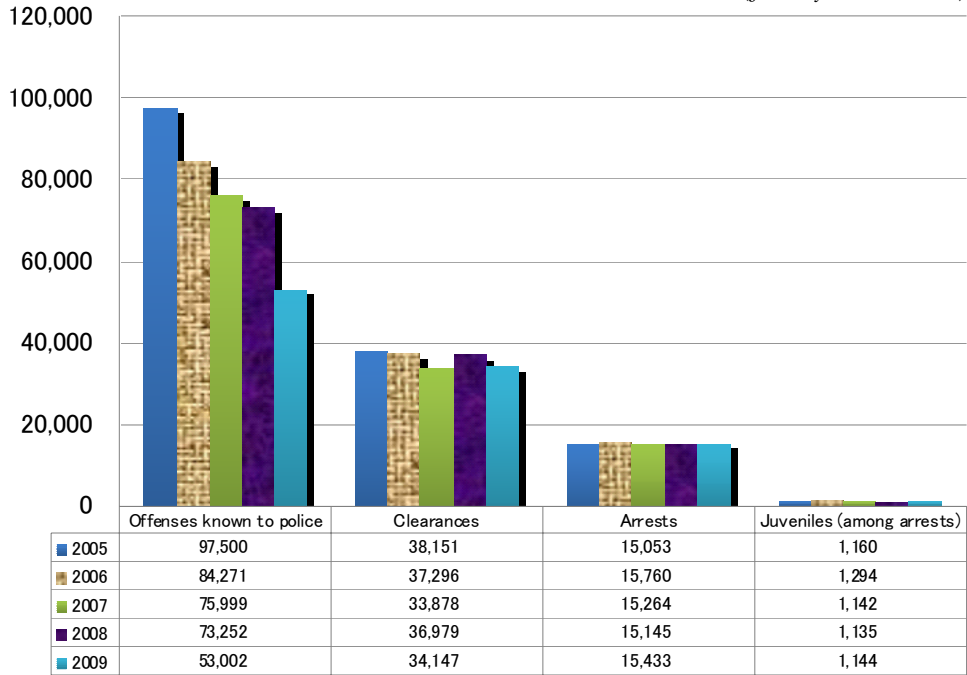
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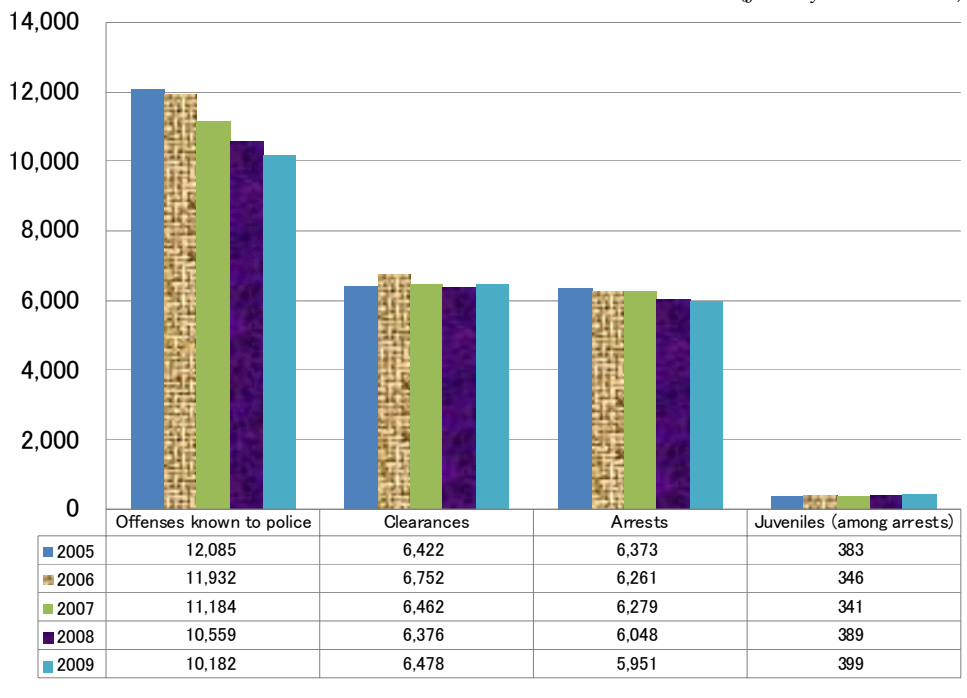
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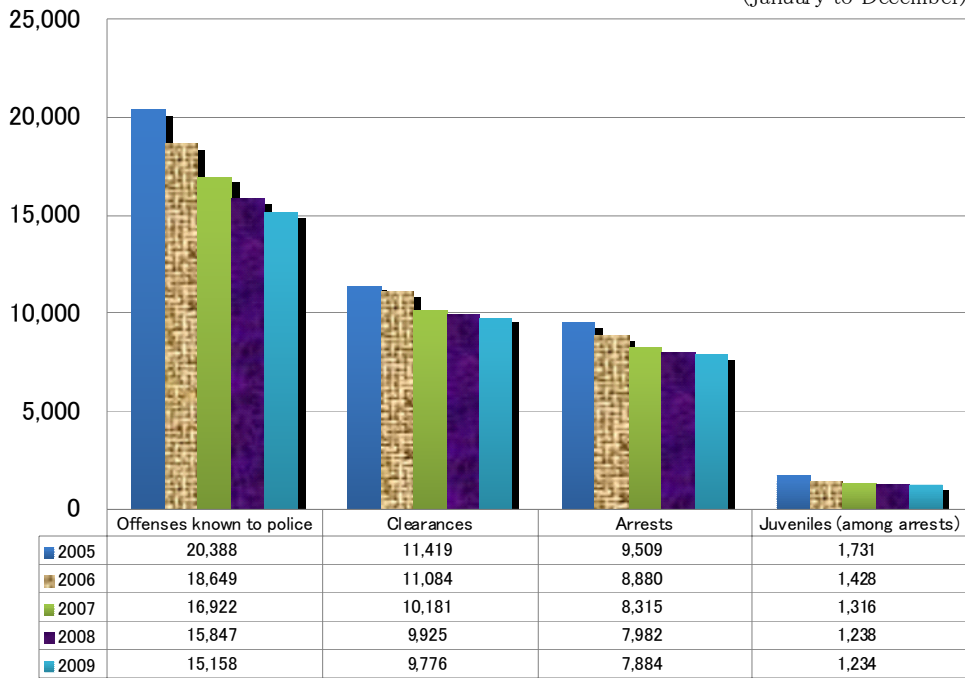
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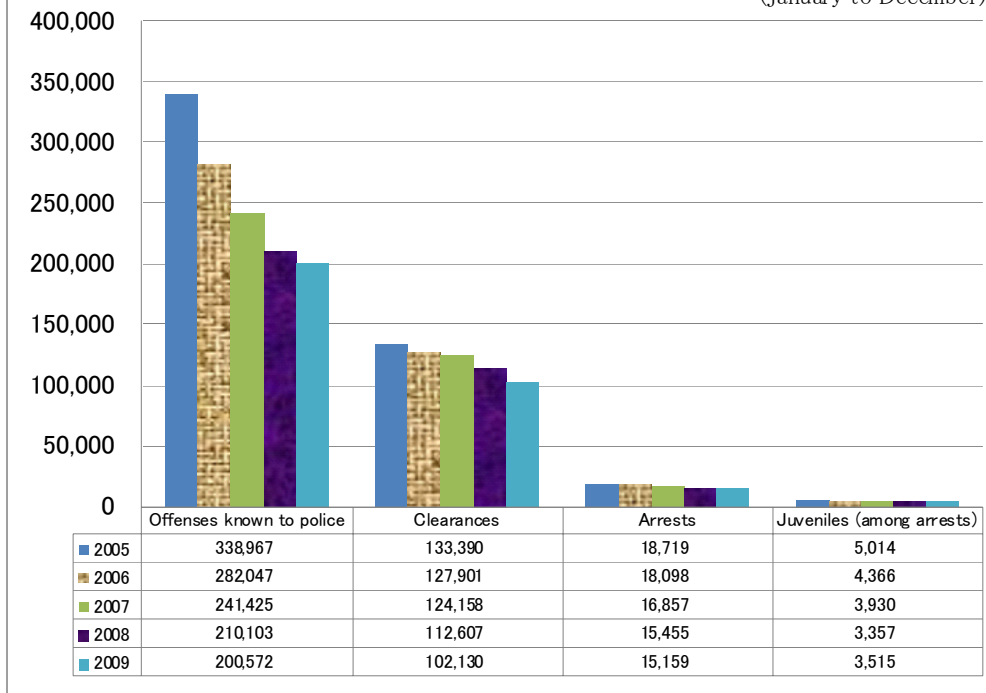
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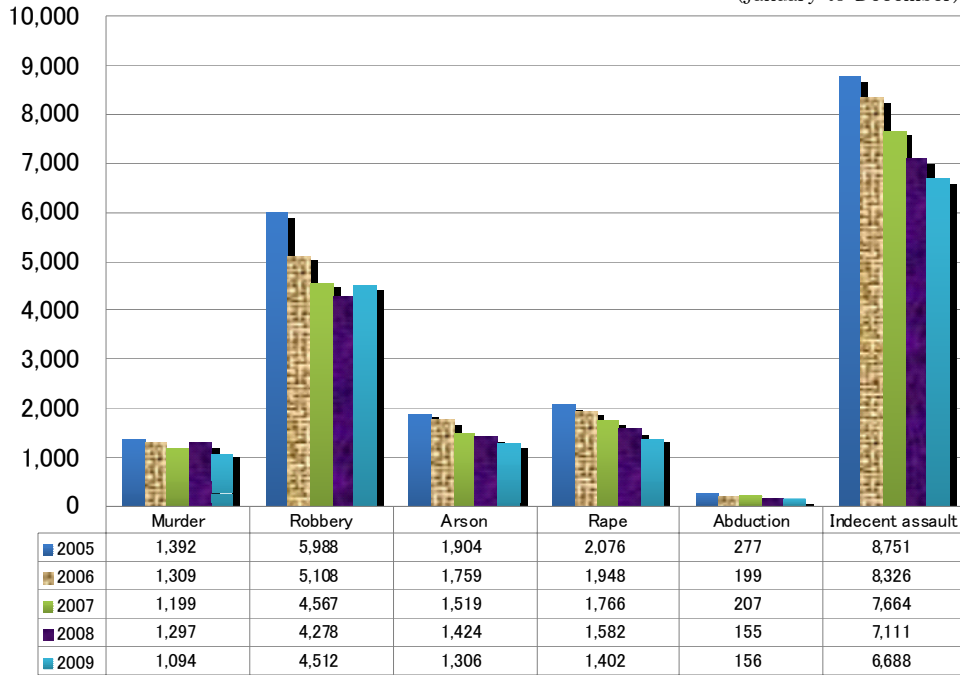
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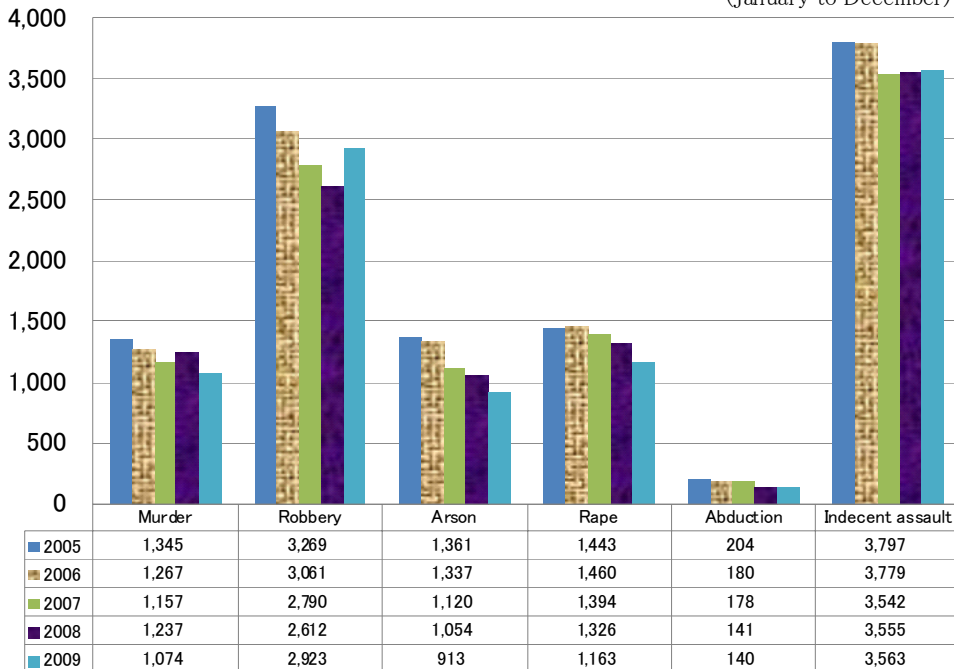
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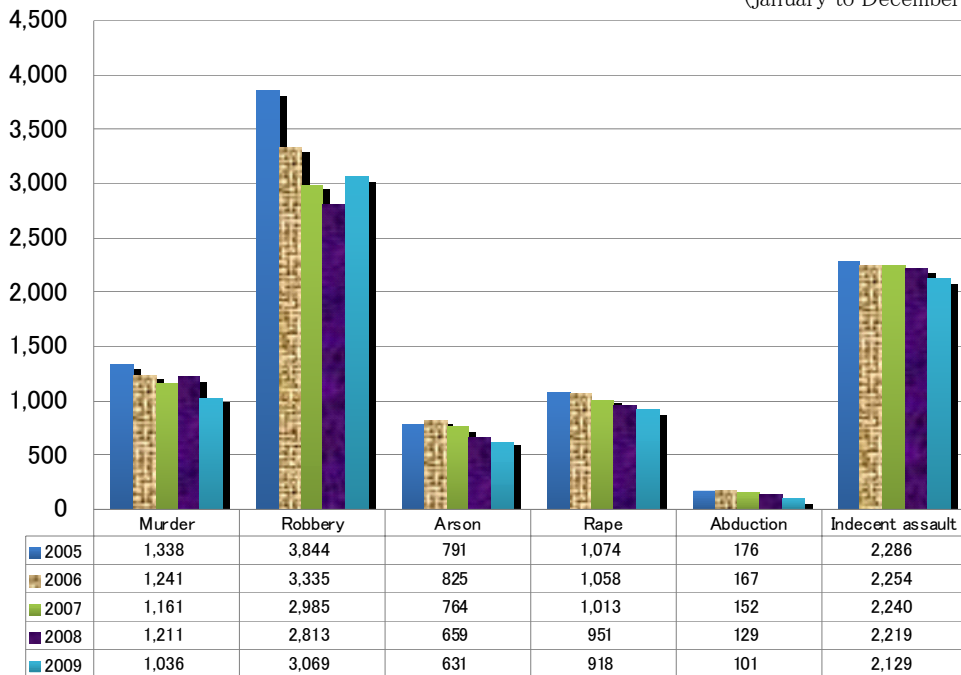
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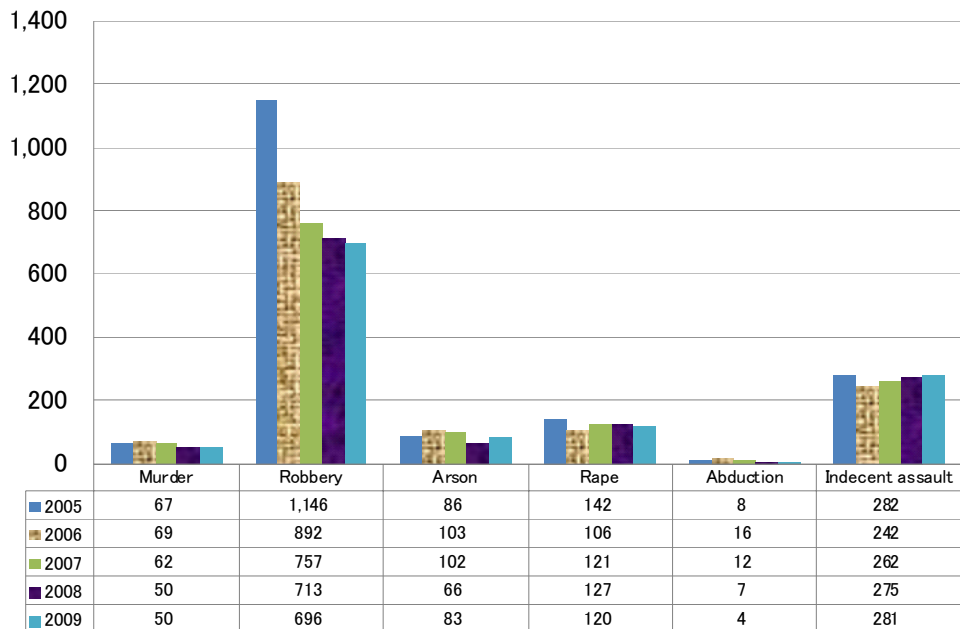
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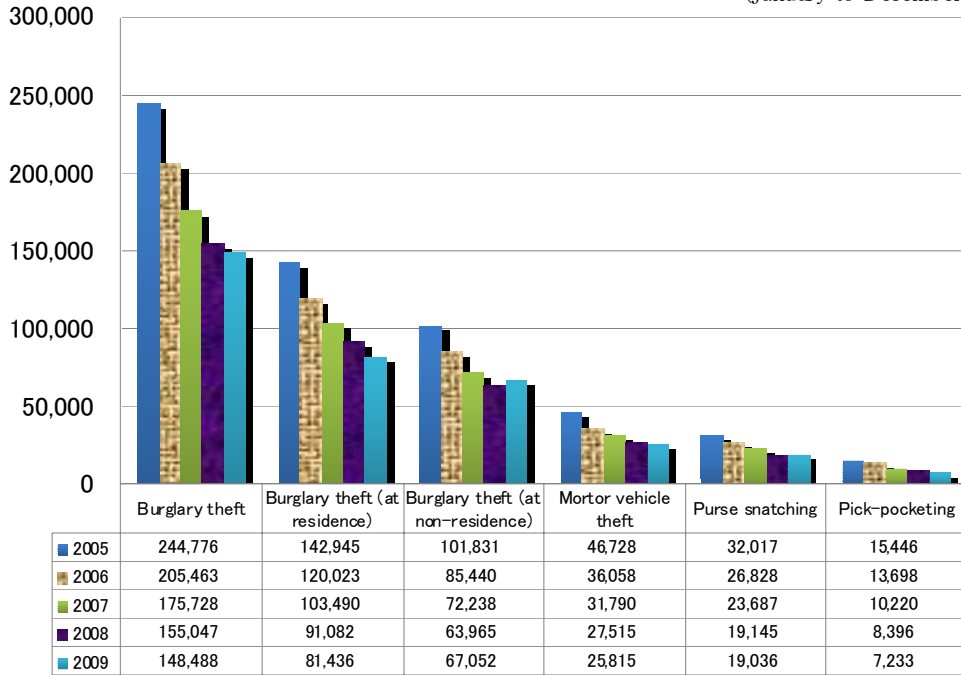
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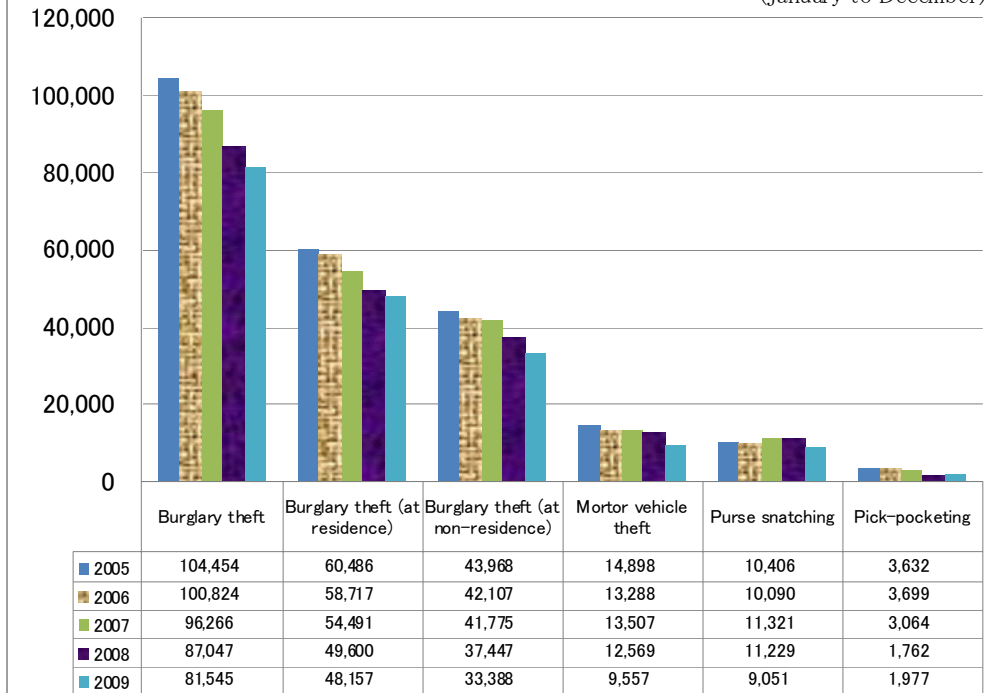
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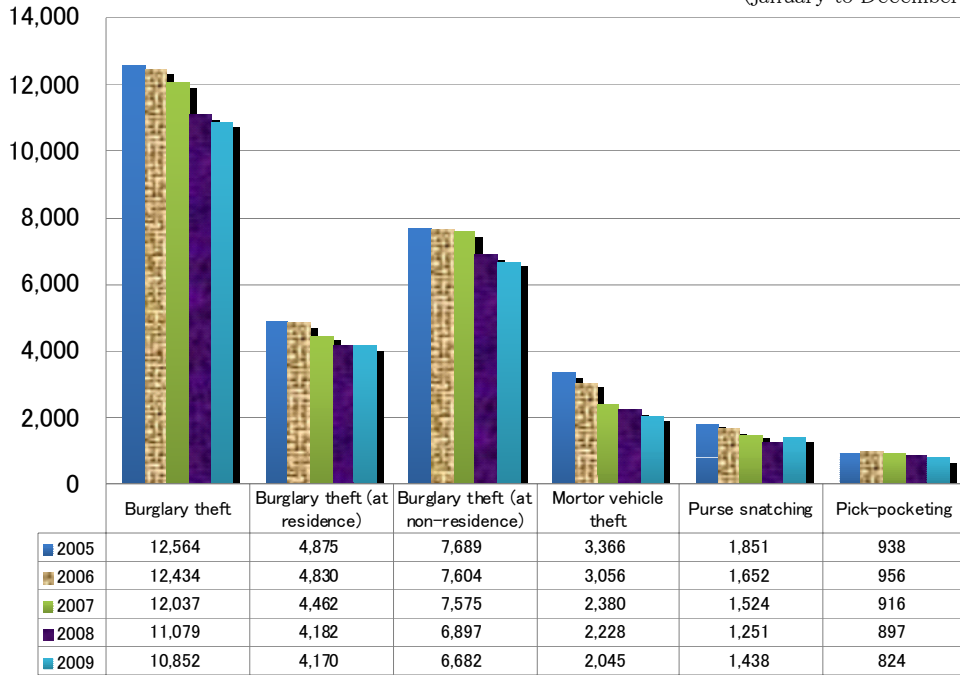
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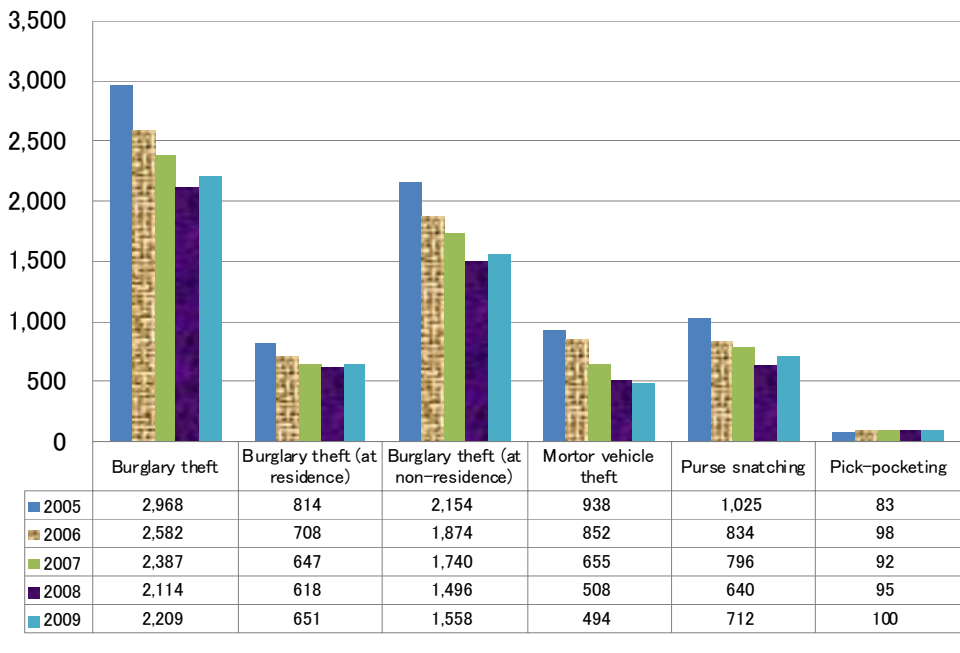


Table 1 : Penal Code offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category compared to the previous year

Crime category	Known to police				Clearances				Clearance rate			Arrests				Juvenile (among arrests)			
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change	
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%
Total Penal Code offenses	1,703,044	1,818,023	-114,979	-6.3	544,699	573,392	-28,693	-5.0	32.0	31.5	0.5	332,888	339,752	-6,864	-2.0	90,282	90,966	-684	-0.8
Felonious offenses	8,314	8,581	-267	-3.1	6,073	6,229	-156	-2.5	73.0	72.6	0.4	5,654	5,634	20	0.4	949	956	-7	-0.7
Murder	1,094	1,297	-203	-15.7	1,074	1,237	-163	-13.2	98.2	95.4	2.8	1,036	1,211	-175	-14.5	50	50	-	-
Robbery	4,512	4,278	234	5.5	2,923	2,612	311	11.9	64.8	61.1	3.7	3,069	2,813	256	9.1	696	713	-17	-2.4
Arson	1,306	1,424	-118	-8.3	913	1,054	-141	-13.4	69.9	74.0	-4.1	631	659	-28	-4.2	83	66	17	25.8
Rape	1,402	1,582	-180	-11.4	1,163	1,326	-163	-12.3	83.0	83.8	-0.8	918	951	-33	-3.5	120	127	-7	-5.5
Violent offenses	63,995	68,948	-4,953	-7.2	45,719	47,772	-2,053	-4.3	71.4	69.3	2.1	49,225	51,924	-2,699	-5.2	7,653	8,645	-992	-11.5
Unlawful assembly with dangerous weapons	15	16	-1	-6.3	15	13	2	15.4	100.0	81.3	18.7	73	83	-10	-12.0	70	74	-4	-5.4
Assault	29,638	31,641	-2,003	-6.3	21,238	21,925	-687	-3.1	71.7	69.3	2.4	21,376	22,379	-1,003	-4.5	1,322	1,547	-225	-14.5
Bodily injury	26,464	28,291	-1,827	-6.5	19,388	20,180	-792	-3.9	73.3	71.3	2.0	22,253	23,164	-911	-3.9	4,795	5,212	-417	-8.0
Bodily injury resulting in death	128	136	-8	-5.9	114	129	-15	-11.6	89.1	94.9	-5.8	138	197	-59	-29.9	8	21	-13	-61.9
Intimidation	2,348	2,651	-303	-11.4	1,781	1,953	-172	-8.8	75.9	73.7	2.2	1,562	1,824	-262	-14.4	111	151	-40	-26.5
Extortion	5,530	6,349	-819	-12.9	3,297	3,701	-404	-10.9	59.6	58.3	1.3	3,961	4,474	-513	-11.5	1,355	1,661	-306	-18.4
Larceny offenses	1,299,294	1,372,840	-73,546	-5.4	361,969	379,839	-17,870	-4.7	27.9	27.7	0.2	175,823	174,738	1,085	0.6	54,784	52,557	2,227	4.2
Burglary theft	148,488	155,047	-6,559	-4.2	81,545	87,047	-5,502	-6.3	54.9	56.1	-1.2	10,852	11,079	-227	-2.0	2,209	2,114	95	4.5
Vehicle theft	497,407	501,331	-3,924	-0.8	45,741	49,552	-3,811	-7.7	9.2	9.9	-0.7	28,617	29,162	-545	-1.9	17,766	18,187	-421	-2.3
Non-burglary theft	653,399	716,462	-63,063	-8.8	234,683	243,240	-8,557	-3.5	35.9	34.0	1.9	136,354	134,497	1,857	1.4	34,809	32,256	2,553	7.9
Intellectual offenses	53,002	73,252	-20,250	-27.6	34,147	36,979	-2,832	-7.7	64.4	50.5	13.9	15,433	15,145	288	1.9	1,144	1,135	9	0.8
Fraud	45,162	64,427	-19,265	-29.9	28,753	30,277	-1,524	-5.0	63.7	47.0	16.7	12,542	12,036	506	4.2	1,038	1,019	19	1.9
Embezzlement	1,963	2,193	-230	-10.5	1,324	1,485	-161	-10.8	67.4	67.7	-0.3	1,073	1,140	-67	-5.9	38	41	-3	-7.3
Counterfeiting	5,790	6,503	-713	-11.0	3,992	5,097	-1,105	-21.7	68.9	78.4	-9.5	1,710	1,810	-100	-5.5	68	75	-7	-9.3
Currency	1,948	1,203	745	61.9	557	395	162	41.0	28.6	32.8	-4.2	80	87	-7	-8.0	22	14	8	57.1
Document	3,374	4,776	-1,402	-29.4	3,085	4,289	-1,204	-28.1	91.4	89.8	1.6	1,517	1,581	-64	-4.0	37	53	-16	-30.2
Credit card	326	322	4	1.2	259	277	-18	-6.5	79.4	86.0	-6.6	58	68	-10	-14.7	3	3	-	-
Securities	97	160	-63	-39.4	49	100	-51	-51.0	50.5	62.5	-12.0	27	54	-27	-50.0	2	3	-1	-33.3
Official corruption	58	88	-30	-34.1	55	89	-34	-38.2	94.8	101.1	-6.3	83	129	-46	-35.7	-	-	-	-
Bribery	46	74	-28	-37.8	44	78	-34	-43.6	95.7	105.4	-9.7	71	120	-49	-40.8	-	-	-	-
Illegal proceeds from mediation	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach of trust	29	41	-12	-29.3	23	31	-8	-25.8	79.3	75.6	3.7	25	30	-5	-16.7	-	-	-	-
Indecent offenses	10,182	10,559	-377	-3.6	6,478	6,376	102	1.6	63.6	60.4	3.2	5,951	6,048	-97	-1.6	399	389	10	2.6
Gambling	340	271	69	25.5	337	252	85	33.7	99.1	93.0	6.1	1,376	1,359	17	1.3	10	21	-11	-52.4
Sexual offenses	9,842	10,288	-446	-4.3	6,141	6,124	17	0.3	62.4	59.5	2.9	4,575	4,689	-114	-2.4	389	368	21	5.7
Indecent assault	6,688	7,111	-423	-5.9	3,563	3,555	8	0.2	53.3	50.0	3.3	2,129	2,219	-90	-4.1	281	275	6	2.2
Indecent exposure	2,357	2,361	-4	-0.2	1,810	1,782	28	1.6	76.8	75.5	1.3	1,626	1,613	13	0.8	92	88	4	4.5
Other Penal Code offenses	268,257	283,843	-15,586	-5.5	90,313	96,197	-5,884	-6.1	33.7	33.9	-0.2	80,802	86,263	-5,461	-6.3	25,353	27,284	-1,931	-7.1
Conversion of lost property	63,213	68,171	-4,958	-7.3	60,433	64,435	-4,002	-6.2	95.6	94.5	1.1	59,919	64,256	-4,337	-6.7	18,971	20,594	-1,623	-7.9
Obstructing the execution of official duty	3,071	3,239	-168	-5.2	2,952	3,071	-119	-3.9	96.1	94.8	1.3	2,698	2,945	-247	-8.4	218	248	-30	-12.1
Trespassing	23,863	24,807	-944	-3.8	8,234	8,682	-448	-5.2	34.5	35.0	-0.5	5,547	5,881	-334	-5.7	2,745	2,883	-138	-4.8
Unlawful arrest or confinement	362	407	-45	-11.1	325	328	-3	-0.9	89.8	80.6	9.2	535	511	24	4.7	62	70	-8	-11.4
Abduction	156	155	1	0.6	140	141	-1	-0.7	89.7	91.0	-1.3	101	129	-28	-21.7	4	7	-3	-42.9
Dealing in stolen goods	3,607	3,866	-259	-6.7	3,397	3,621	-224	-6.2	94.2	93.7	0.5	3,172	3,404	-232	-6.8	1,352	1,355	-3	-0.2
Vandalism	169,292	178,191	-8,899	-5.0	12,062	13,129	-1,067	-8.1	7.1	7.4	-0.3	6,160	6,480	-320	-4.9	1,588	1,734	-146	-8.4

Table 2 : Larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by M.O. compared to the previous year

M.O.	Known to police				Clearances				Clearance rate			Arrests				Juvenile (among above)			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009	2008	Change	2009		2008		2009	2008	Change	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec				
Total larceny offenses	1,299,294	1,372,840	-73,546	-5.4	361,969	379,839	-17,870	-4.7	27.9	27.7	0.2	175,823	174,738	1,085	0.6	54,784	52,557	2,227	4.2
Burglary theft	148,488	155,047	-6,559	-4.2	81,545	87,047	-5,502	-6.3	54.9	56.1	-1.2	10,852	11,079	-227	-2.0	2,209	2,114	95	4.5
House while residents absent	59,213	67,436	-8,223	-12.2	34,466	37,432	-2,966	-7.9	58.2	55.5	2.7	2,973	2,900	73	2.5	407	367	40	10.9
sleeping	17,443	18,810	-1,367	-7.3	11,617	10,098	1,519	15.0	66.6	53.7	12.9	642	726	-84	-11.6	116	154	-38	-24.7
unaware	4,780	4,836	-56	-1.2	2,074	2,070	4	0.2	43.4	42.8	0.6	555	556	-1	-0.2	128	97	31	32.0
ATM	44	22	22	100.0	19	9	10	111.1	43.2	40.9	2.3	12	9	3	33.3	-	-	-	-
Safe	3,252	3,051	201	6.6	1,751	2,169	-418	-19.3	53.8	71.1	-17.3	347	343	4	1.2	46	40	6	15.0
Hotel	519	561	-42	-7.5	240	288	-48	-16.7	46.2	51.3	-5.1	96	109	-13	-11.9	12	18	-6	-33.3
Public office	404	394	10	2.5	179	256	-77	-30.1	44.3	65.0	-20.7	68	85	-17	-20.0	23	23	-	-
School	2,167	2,303	-136	-5.9	1,067	1,185	-118	-10.0	49.2	51.5	-2.3	556	504	52	10.3	360	333	27	8.1
Hospital	1,414	1,530	-116	-7.6	772	1,102	-330	-29.9	54.6	72.0	-17.4	127	147	-20	-13.6	13	10	3	30.0
Gas station	672	718	-46	-6.4	353	507	-154	-30.4	52.5	70.6	-18.1	38	58	-20	-34.5	10	25	-15	-60.0
Business office	18,032	17,423	609	3.5	9,686	10,862	-1,176	-10.8	53.7	62.3	-8.6	1,045	1,053	-8	-0.8	155	138	17	12.3
Store	23,007	20,272	2,735	13.5	11,331	12,204	-873	-7.2	49.3	60.2	-10.9	1,573	1,567	6	0.4	441	452	-11	-2.4
Factory	1,117	1,379	-262	-19.0	529	629	-100	-15.9	47.4	45.6	1.8	191	225	-34	-15.1	19	17	2	11.8
Locker-room	1,780	1,944	-164	-8.4	755	900	-145	-16.1	42.4	46.3	-3.9	326	357	-31	-8.7	112	109	3	2.8
Warehouse	6,520	6,803	-283	-4.2	3,052	3,260	-208	-6.4	46.8	47.9	-1.1	1,239	1,386	-147	-10.6	189	158	31	19.6
Other burglary thefts	8,124	7,565	559	7.4	3,654	4,076	-422	-10.4	45.0	53.9	-8.9	1,064	1,054	10	0.9	178	173	5	2.9
Vehicle theft	497,407	501,331	-3,924	-0.8	45,741	49,552	-3,811	-7.7	9.2	9.9	-0.7	28,617	29,162	-545	-1.9	17,766	18,187	-421	-2.3
Motor vehicle theft	25,815	27,515	-1,700	-6.2	9,557	12,569	-3,012	-24.0	37.0	45.7	-8.7	2,045	2,228	-183	-8.2	494	508	-14	-2.8
Motorcycle theft	82,116	80,354	1,762	2.2	9,437	8,930	507	5.7	11.5	11.1	0.4	6,194	6,062	132	2.2	5,842	5,702	140	2.5
Bicycle theft	389,476	393,462	-3,986	-1.0	26,747	28,053	-1,306	-4.7	6.9	7.1	-0.2	20,378	20,872	-494	-2.4	11,430	11,977	-547	-4.6
Non-burglary theft	653,399	716,462	-63,063	-8.8	234,683	243,240	-8,557	-3.5	35.9	34.0	1.9	136,354	134,497	1,857	1.4	34,809	32,256	2,553	7.9
Authority scam theft	172	235	-63	-26.8	252	38	214	563.2	146.5	16.2	130.3	2	12	-10	-83.3	-	1	-1	-100.0
Wedding/funeral scam theft	26	28	-2	-7.1	3	11	-8	-72.7	11.5	39.3	-27.8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stay-away scam theft	224	192	32	16.7	52	75	-23	-30.7	23.2	39.1	-15.9	15	25	-10	-40.0	5	10	-5	-50.0
Shopping scam theft	1,314	1,339	-25	-1.9	434	462	-28	-6.1	33.0	34.5	-1.5	248	239	9	3.8	56	69	-13	-18.8
Visitor scam theft	1,704	1,785	-81	-4.5	688	597	91	15.2	40.4	33.4	7.0	298	345	-47	-13.6	72	89	-17	-19.1
ATM card-use theft	2,472	2,637	-165	-6.3	1,965	1,962	3	0.2	79.5	74.4	5.1	375	338	37	10.9	51	44	7	15.9
ATM theft	84	62	22	35.5	37	32	5	15.6	44.0	51.6	-7.6	31	22	9	40.9	2	3	-1	-33.3
Cashier theft	33	33	-	-	13	9	4	44.4	39.4	27.3	12.1	15	9	6	66.7	1	2	-1	-50.0
Cash delivery theft	184	171	13	7.6	38	29	9	31.0	20.7	17.0	3.7	13	2	11	550.0	3	-	3	-
Reach theft	3,580	3,780	-200	-5.3	398	504	-106	-21.0	11.1	13.3	-2.2	32	40	-8	-20.0	7	15	-8	-53.3
Hotel room theft	837	890	-53	-6.0	264	236	28	11.9	31.5	26.5	5.0	120	109	11	10.1	21	18	3	16.7
Hospital room theft	2,329	2,757	-428	-15.5	664	1,142	-478	-41.9	28.5	41.4	-12.9	36	54	-18	-33.3	2	4	-2	-50.0
Purse snatching	19,036	19,145	-109	-0.6	9,051	11,229	-2,178	-19.4	47.5	58.7	-11.2	1,438	1,251	187	14.9	712	640	72	11.3
Pick-pocketing	7,233	8,396	-1,163	-13.9	1,977	1,762	215	12.2	27.3	21.0	6.3	824	897	-73	-8.1	100	95	5	5.3
Bag lifting	50,212	54,109	-3,897	-7.2	7,596	8,007	-411	-5.1	15.1	14.8	0.3	4,914	4,519	395	8.7	666	687	-21	-3.1
Dozing theft	5,964	7,170	-1,206	-16.8	493	1,235	-742	-60.1	8.3	17.2	-8.9	119	147	-28	-19.0	23	24	-1	-4.2
Vehicle load theft	143,863	154,836	-10,973	-7.1	38,706	40,146	-1,440	-3.6	26.9	25.9	1.0	2,290	2,258	32	1.4	522	453	69	15.2
Vehicle parts theft	75,361	75,423	-62	-0.1	9,359	10,591	-1,232	-11.6	12.4	14.0	-1.6	1,523	1,621	-98	-6.0	911	992	-81	-8.2
Dressing-site theft	6,342	6,971	-629	-9.0	1,139	887	252	28.4	18.0	12.7	5.3	177	168	9	5.4	27	21	6	28.6
Vending machine theft	26,686	38,477	-11,791	-30.6	16,535	15,197	1,338	8.8	62.0	39.5	22.5	746	819	-73	-8.9	399	460	-61	-13.3
Undergarment theft	14,166	15,887	-1,721	-10.8	5,312	6,401	-1,089	-17.0	37.5	40.3	-2.8	824	867	-43	-5.0	65	65	-	-
Construction-site theft	8,304	13,411	-5,107	-38.1	2,023	3,354	-1,331	-39.7	24.4	25.0	-0.6	336	680	-344	-50.6	36	52	-16	-30.8
Shoplifting	149,892	145,429	4,463	3.1	108,802	105,986	2,816	2.7	72.6	72.9	-0.3	105,228	101,504	3,724	3.7	29,119	26,277	2,842	10.8
Workplace theft	13,162	14,951	-1,789	-12.0	2,653	2,902	-249	-8.6	20.2	19.4	0.8	1,709	1,682	27	1.6	282	320	-38	-11.9
Housemate theft	1,170	1,269	-99	-7.8	328	403	-75	-18.6	28.0	31.8	-3.8	221	269	-48	-17.8	30	39	-9	-23.1
Offering theft	5,670	-	5,670	-	1,926	-	1,926	-	34.0	-	34.0	836	-	836	-	117	-	117	-
Other non-burglary thefts	113,379	147,079	-33,700	-22.9	23,975	30,043	-6,068	-20.2	21.1	20.4	0.7	13,983	16,619	-2,636	-15.9	1,580	1,876	-296	-15.8

Table 3 : Penal code offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to previous year

Prefectures	Total number of Penal Code offenses														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	1,703,044	1,818,023	-114,979	-6.3	544,699	573,392	-28,693	-5.0	332,888	339,752	-6,864	-2.0	32.0	31.5	0.5
Hokkaido	52,139	59,733	-7,594	-12.7	17,394	21,639	-4,245	-19.6	11,479	12,643	-1,164	-9.2	33.4	36.2	-2.8
Sapporo	37,417	42,078	-4,661	-11.1	11,793	15,455	-3,662	-23.7	7,827	8,435	-608	-7.2	31.5	36.7	-5.2
Hakodate	3,845	4,864	-1,019	-20.9	1,518	1,484	34	2.3	898	1,147	-249	-21.7	39.5	30.5	9.0
Asahikawa	4,581	5,730	-1,149	-20.1	1,731	1,958	-227	-11.6	1,266	1,340	-74	-5.5	37.8	34.2	3.6
Kushiro	4,688	5,110	-422	-8.3	1,697	2,104	-407	-19.3	1,048	1,261	-213	-16.9	36.2	41.2	-5.0
Kitami	1,608	1,951	-343	-17.6	655	638	17	2.7	440	460	-20	-4.3	40.7	32.7	8.0
Tohoku	77,356	82,349	-4,993	-6.1	28,390	30,011	-1,621	-5.4	18,608	18,802	-194	-1.0	36.7	36.4	0.3
Aomori	9,987	11,015	-1,028	-9.3	4,030	4,046	-16	-0.4	2,975	2,967	8	0.3	40.4	36.7	3.7
Iwate	8,240	9,111	-871	-9.6	3,626	3,457	169	4.9	2,311	2,321	-10	-0.4	44.0	37.9	6.1
Miyagi	25,859	28,583	-2,724	-9.5	7,894	8,382	-488	-5.8	4,750	4,949	-199	-4.0	30.5	29.3	1.2
Akita	5,740	6,134	-394	-6.4	2,974	3,410	-436	-12.8	1,920	1,839	81	4.4	51.8	55.6	-3.8
Yamagata	8,003	7,924	79	1.0	3,795	3,630	165	4.5	2,605	2,445	160	6.5	47.4	45.8	1.6
Fukushima	19,527	19,582	-55	-0.3	6,071	7,086	-1,015	-14.3	4,047	4,281	-234	-5.5	31.1	36.2	-5.1
Tokyo	205,708	212,152	-6,444	-3.0	64,239	67,496	-3,257	-4.8	46,716	46,784	-68	-0.1	31.2	31.8	-0.6
Kanto	492,395	531,032	-38,637	-7.3	168,484	175,365	-6,881	-3.9	94,637	98,123	-3,486	-3.6	34.2	33.0	1.2
Ibaraki	42,491	43,885	-1,394	-3.2	14,265	17,476	-3,211	-18.4	6,734	6,590	144	2.2	33.6	39.8	-6.2
Tochigi	25,990	28,550	-2,560	-9.0	9,687	9,866	-179	-1.8	5,679	5,097	582	11.4	37.3	34.6	2.7
Gunma	24,110	26,730	-2,620	-9.8	11,370	10,522	848	8.1	4,472	4,250	222	5.2	47.2	39.4	7.8
Saitama	113,632	122,108	-8,476	-6.9	30,846	31,140	-294	-0.9	19,345	18,289	1,056	5.8	27.1	25.5	1.6
Chiba	96,400	100,827	-4,427	-4.4	27,627	30,608	-2,981	-9.7	15,278	16,046	-768	-4.8	28.7	30.4	-1.7
Kanagawa	98,216	113,556	-15,340	-13.5	40,380	41,913	-1,533	-3.7	22,558	26,969	-4,411	-16.4	41.1	36.9	4.2
Niigata	22,189	23,435	-1,246	-5.3	8,406	7,755	651	8.4	5,544	5,800	-256	-4.4	37.9	33.1	4.8
Yamanashi	8,134	7,890	244	3.1	3,154	2,964	190	6.4	1,924	1,947	-23	-1.2	38.8	37.6	1.2
Nagano	20,164	21,105	-941	-4.5	8,296	8,893	-597	-6.7	4,959	5,005	-46	-0.9	41.1	42.1	-1.0
Shizuoka	41,069	42,946	-1,877	-4.4	14,453	14,228	225	1.6	8,144	8,130	14	0.2	35.2	33.1	2.1
Chubu	223,196	226,382	-3,186	-1.4	65,867	60,186	5,681	9.4	31,773	30,441	1,332	4.4	29.5	26.6	2.9
Toyama	8,740	10,112	-1,372	-13.6	2,777	2,949	-172	-5.8	2,039	2,142	-103	-4.8	31.8	29.2	2.6
Ishikawa	8,812	9,689	-877	-9.1	3,066	3,714	-648	-17.4	2,163	2,195	-32	-1.5	34.8	38.3	-3.5
Fukui	6,369	6,740	-371	-5.5	3,286	3,245	41	1.3	1,606	1,696	-90	-5.3	51.6	48.1	3.5
Gifu	27,928	29,799	-1,871	-6.3	10,843	10,018	825	8.2	4,200	4,375	-175	-4.0	38.8	33.6	5.2
Aichi	145,807	144,694	1,113	0.8	39,271	33,607	5,664	16.9	18,186	16,488	1,698	10.3	26.9	23.2	3.7
Mie	25,540	25,348	192	0.8	6,624	6,653	-29	-0.4	3,579	3,545	34	1.0	25.9	26.2	-0.3
Kinki	362,443	398,194	-35,751	-9.0	89,300	96,651	-7,351	-7.6	61,830	62,902	-1,072	-1.7	24.6	24.3	0.3
Shiga	15,258	15,455	-197	-1.3	4,873	6,111	-1,238	-20.3	2,971	2,585	386	14.9	31.9	39.5	-7.6
Kyoto	44,538	50,259	-5,721	-11.4	11,743	13,220	-1,477	-11.2	8,489	8,412	77	0.9	26.4	26.3	0.1
Osaka	182,537	201,816	-19,279	-9.6	35,386	39,025	-3,639	-9.3	25,556	28,042	-2,486	-8.9	19.4	19.3	0.1
Hyogo	90,670	97,527	-6,857	-7.0	25,948	26,838	-890	-3.3	18,793	17,965	828	4.6	28.6	27.5	1.1
Nara	15,478	18,835	-3,357	-17.8	6,649	7,301	-652	-8.9	3,241	3,359	-118	-3.5	43.0	38.8	4.2
Wakayama	13,962	14,302	-340	-2.4	4,701	4,156	545	13.1	2,780	2,539	241	9.5	33.7	29.1	4.6
Chugoku	78,742	83,293	-4,551	-5.5	28,539	33,315	-4,776	-14.3	19,226	19,923	-697	-3.5	36.2	40.0	-3.8
Tottori	5,845	6,005	-160	-2.7	2,518	3,013	-495	-16.4	1,411	1,532	-121	-7.9	43.1	50.2	-7.1
Shimane	5,157	5,802	-645	-11.1	2,691	3,000	-309	-10.3	1,300	1,304	-4	-0.3	52.2	51.7	0.5
Okayama	25,862	27,357	-1,495	-5.5	7,176	8,183	-1,007	-12.3	5,191	5,269	-78	-1.5	27.7	29.9	-2.2
Hiroshima	28,853	30,129	-1,276	-4.2	10,353	12,008	-1,655	-13.8	7,680	7,667	13	0.2	35.9	39.9	-4.0
Yamaguchi	13,025	14,000	-975	-7.0	5,801	7,111	-1,310	-18.4	3,644	4,151	-507	-12.2	44.5	50.8	-6.3
Shikoku	44,851	48,144	-3,293	-6.8	18,041	17,993	48	0.3	10,596	10,622	-26	-0.2	40.2	37.4	2.8
Tokushima	7,389	8,451	-1,062	-12.6	3,403	3,508	-105	-3.0	1,865	2,024	-159	-7.9	46.1	41.5	4.6
Kagawa	10,884	11,425	-541	-4.7	4,755	4,965	-210	-4.2	3,052	2,843	209	7.4	43.7	43.5	0.2
Ehime	16,827	17,829	-1,002	-5.6	6,780	6,568	212	3.2	3,645	3,764	-119	-3.2	40.3	36.8	3.5
Kouchi	9,751	10,439	-688	-6.6	3,103	2,952	151	5.1	2,034	1,991	43	2.2	31.8	28.3	3.5
Kyushu	166,214	176,744	-10,530	-6.0	64,445	70,736	-6,291	-8.9	38,023	39,512	-1,489	-3.8	38.8	40.0	-1.2
Fukuoka	86,057	90,356	-4,299	-4.8	30,003	34,398	-4,395	-12.8	15,938	18,125	-2,187	-12.1	34.9	38.1	-3.2
Saga	8,271	8,683	-412	-4.7	3,661	3,460	201	5.8	2,046	1,810	236	13.0	44.3	39.8	4.5
Nagasaki	9,199	10,323	-1,124	-10.9	4,768	4,785	-17	-0.4	3,261	3,328	-67	-2.0	51.8	46.4	5.4
Kumanoto	17,015	17,429	-414	-2.4	7,740	7,356	384	5.2	4,881	4,687	194	4.1	45.5	42.2	3.3
Oita	9,495	9,840	-345	-3.5	3,795	4,447	-652	-14.7	2,133	2,116	17	0.8	40.0	45.2	-5.2
Miyazaki	9,602	11,105	-1,503	-13.5	3,932	4,652	-720	-15.5	2,426	2,562	-136	-5.3	40.9	41.9	-1.0
Kagoshima	12,837	13,655	-818	-6.0	4,983	5,002	-19	-0.4	3,322	3,012	310	10.3	38.8	36.6	2.2
Okinawa	13,738	15,353	-1,615	-10.5	5,563	6,636	-1,073	-16.2	4,016	3,872	144	3.7	40.5	43.2	-2.7

Table 4 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests compared to the previous year

Offense category	Known to police				Clearances				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change %
			No.	%			No.	%			
Index serious offenses	15,158	15,847	-689	-4.3	9,776	9,925	-149	-1.5	64.5	62.6	1.9
Murder	1,094	1,297	-203	-15.7	1,074	1,237	-163	-13.2	98.2	95.4	2.8
Robbery	4,512	4,278	234	5.5	2,923	2,612	311	11.9	64.8	61.1	3.7
Arson	1,306	1,424	-118	-8.3	913	1,054	-141	-13.4	69.9	74.0	-4.1
Rape	1,402	1,582	-180	-11.4	1,163	1,326	-163	-12.3	83.0	83.8	-0.8
Abduction	156	155	1	0.6	140	141	-1	-0.7	89.7	91.0	-1.3
Indecent assault	6,688	7,111	-423	-5.9	3,563	3,555	8	0.2	53.3	50.0	3.3
Index larceny offenses	200,572	210,103	-9,531	-4.5	102,130	112,607	-10,477	-9.3	50.9	53.6	-2.7
Burglary	148,488	155,047	-6,559	-4.2	81,545	87,047	-5,502	-6.3	54.9	56.1	-1.2
Residence	81,436	91,082	-9,646	-10.6	48,157	49,600	-1,443	-2.9	59.1	54.5	4.6
Non-residence	67,052	63,965	3,087	4.8	33,388	37,447	-4,059	-10.8	49.8	58.5	-8.7
Motor vehicle theft	25,815	27,515	-1,700	-6.2	9,557	12,569	-3,012	-24.0	37.0	45.7	-8.7
Purse snatching	19,036	19,145	-109	-0.6	9,051	11,229	-2,178	-19.4	47.5	58.7	-11.2
Pick-pocketing	7,233	8,396	-1,163	-13.9	1,977	1,762	215	12.2	27.3	21.0	6.3

Offense category	Arrests											
	Total				Adult				Juvenile			
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change	
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%
Index serious offenses	7,884	7,982	-98	-1.2	6,650	6,744	-94	-1.4	1,234	1,238	-4	-0.3
Murder	1,036	1,211	-175	-14.5	986	1,161	-175	-15.1	50	50	-	-
Robbery	3,069	2,813	256	9.1	2,373	2,100	273	13.0	696	713	-17	-2.4
Arson	631	659	-28	-4.2	548	593	-45	-7.6	83	66	17	25.8
Rape	918	951	-33	-3.5	798	824	-26	-3.2	120	127	-7	-5.5
Abduction	101	129	-28	-21.7	97	122	-25	-20.5	4	7	-3	-42.9
Indecent assault	2,129	2,219	-90	-4.1	1,848	1,944	-96	-4.9	281	275	6	2.2
Index larceny offenses	15,159	15,455	-296	-1.9	11,644	12,098	-454	-3.8	3,515	3,357	158	4.7
Burglary	10,852	11,079	-227	-2.0	8,643	8,965	-322	-3.6	2,209	2,114	95	4.5
Residence	4,170	4,182	-12	-0.3	3,519	3,564	-45	-1.3	651	618	33	5.3
Non-residence	6,682	6,897	-215	-3.1	5,124	5,401	-277	-5.1	1,558	1,496	62	4.1
Motor vehicle theft	2,045	2,228	-183	-8.2	1,551	1,720	-169	-9.8	494	508	-14	-2.8
Purse snatching	1,438	1,251	187	14.9	726	611	115	18.8	712	640	72	11.3
Pick-pocketing	824	897	-73	-8.1	724	802	-78	-9.7	100	95	5	5.3

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Total number of index serious offenses															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change	
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	15,158	15,847	-689	-4.3	9,776	9,925	-149	-1.5	7,884	7,982	-98	-1.2	64.5	62.6	1.9	
Hokkaido	Total	509	539	-30	-5.6	342	386	-44	-11.4	270	310	-40	-12.9	67.2	71.6	-4.4
	Sapporo	377	366	11	3.0	227	254	-27	-10.6	172	190	-18	-9.5	60.2	69.4	-9.2
	Hakodate	31	37	-6	-16.2	25	28	-3	-10.7	15	36	-21	-58.3	80.6	75.7	4.9
	Asahikawa	45	55	-10	-18.2	39	33	6	18.2	37	30	7	23.3	86.7	60.0	26.7
	Kushiro	39	58	-19	-32.8	34	55	-21	-38.2	30	40	-10	-25.0	87.2	94.8	-7.6
	Kitami	17	23	-6	-26.1	17	16	1	6.3	16	14	2	14.3	100.0	69.6	30.4
Tohoku Region	Total	728	759	-31	-4.1	504	477	27	5.7	375	392	-17	-4.3	69.2	62.8	6.4
	Aomori	95	101	-6	-5.9	57	74	-17	-23.0	48	56	-8	-14.3	60.0	73.3	-13.3
	Iwate	77	88	-11	-12.5	55	54	1	1.9	40	45	-5	-11.1	71.4	61.4	10.0
	Miyagi	292	310	-18	-5.8	200	164	36	22.0	129	126	3	2.4	68.5	52.9	15.6
	Akita	49	65	-16	-24.6	39	53	-14	-26.4	39	35	4	11.4	79.6	81.5	-1.9
	Yamagata	50	36	14	38.9	35	29	6	20.7	29	33	-4	-12.1	70.0	80.6	-10.6
Fukushima	165	159	6	3.8	118	103	15	14.6	90	97	-7	-7.2	71.5	64.8	6.7	
Tokyo	2,083	2,291	-208	-9.1	1,352	1,455	-103	-7.1	1,196	1,288	-92	-7.1	64.9	63.5	1.4	
Kanto Region	Total	4,298	4,596	-298	-6.5	2,847	2,833	14	0.5	2,226	2,262	-36	-1.6	66.2	61.6	4.6
	Ibaraki	338	368	-30	-8.2	179	225	-46	-20.4	156	155	1	0.6	53.0	61.1	-8.1
	Tochigi	230	240	-10	-4.2	163	140	23	16.4	129	121	8	6.6	70.9	58.3	12.6
	Gunma	186	164	22	13.4	154	125	29	23.2	154	104	50	48.1	82.8	76.2	6.6
	Saitama	968	1,109	-141	-12.7	651	700	-49	-7.0	522	546	-24	-4.4	67.3	63.1	4.2
	Chiba	838	821	17	2.1	518	510	8	1.6	358	350	8	2.3	61.8	62.1	-0.3
Keihin Region	Total	1,603	1,605	-2	-0.1	946	908	38	4.2	735	683	52	7.6	59.0	56.6	2.4
	Toyama	46	71	-25	-35.2	29	63	-34	-54.0	28	40	-12	-30.0	63.0	88.7	-25.7
	Ishikawa	54	59	-5	-8.5	50	45	5	11.1	36	34	2	5.9	92.6	76.3	16.3
	Fukui	34	49	-15	-30.6	36	41	-5	-12.2	29	28	1	3.6	105.9	83.7	22.2
	Gifu	210	208	2	1.0	147	133	14	10.5	101	97	4	4.1	70.0	63.9	6.1
	Aichi	1,089	1,044	45	4.3	594	521	73	14.0	467	402	65	16.2	54.5	49.9	4.6
Mie	170	174	-4	-2.3	90	105	-15	-14.3	74	82	-8	-9.8	52.9	60.3	-7.4	
Kinki Region	Total	3,304	3,242	62	1.9	1,915	1,773	142	8.0	1,639	1,462	177	12.1	58.0	54.7	3.3
	Shiga	137	115	22	19.1	90	80	10	12.5	77	96	-19	-19.8	65.7	69.6	-3.9
	Kyoto	353	399	-46	-11.5	232	260	-28	-10.8	193	170	23	13.5	65.7	65.2	0.5
	Osaka	1,805	1,756	49	2.8	967	883	84	9.5	829	742	87	11.7	53.6	50.3	3.3
	Hyogo	800	765	35	4.6	467	407	60	14.7	411	333	78	23.4	58.4	53.2	5.2
	Nara	97	122	-25	-20.5	68	81	-13	-16.0	61	68	-7	-10.3	70.1	66.4	3.7
Wakayama	112	85	27	31.8	91	62	29	46.8	68	53	15	28.3	81.3	72.9	8.4	
Chugoku Region	Total	734	757	-23	-3.0	495	524	-29	-5.5	404	398	6	1.5	67.4	69.2	-1.8
	Tottori	40	46	-6	-13.0	22	26	-4	-15.4	22	17	5	29.4	55.0	56.5	-1.5
	Shimane	43	53	-10	-18.9	31	40	-9	-22.5	22	40	-18	-45.0	72.1	75.5	-3.4
	Okayama	188	203	-15	-7.4	120	142	-22	-15.5	97	121	-24	-19.8	63.8	70.0	-6.2
	Hiroshima	353	348	5	1.4	222	216	6	2.8	172	140	32	22.9	62.9	62.1	0.8
	Yamaguchi	110	107	3	2.8	100	100	-	-	91	80	11	13.8	90.9	93.5	-2.6
Shikoku Region	Total	355	380	-25	-6.6	300	309	-9	-2.9	209	228	-19	-8.3	84.5	81.3	3.2
	Tokushima	47	45	2	4.4	38	32	6	18.8	32	31	1	3.2	80.9	71.1	9.8
	Kagawa	65	93	-28	-30.1	64	85	-21	-24.7	67	59	8	13.6	98.5	91.4	7.1
	Ehime	173	147	26	17.7	147	120	27	22.5	66	91	-25	-27.5	85.0	81.6	3.4
	Kouchi	70	95	-25	-26.3	51	72	-21	-29.2	44	47	-3	-6.4	72.9	75.8	-2.9
	Total	1,544	1,678	-134	-8.0	1,075	1,260	-185	-14.7	830	959	-129	-13.5	69.6	75.1	-5.5
Kyushu Region	Fukuoka	756	861	-105	-12.2	458	617	-159	-25.8	327	419	-92	-22.0	60.6	71.7	-11.1
	Saga	77	70	7	10.0	74	50	24	48.0	57	39	18	46.2	96.1	71.4	24.7
	Nagasaki	134	129	5	3.9	96	103	-7	-6.8	70	81	-11	-13.6	71.6	79.8	-8.2
	Kumamoto	152	178	-26	-14.6	128	144	-16	-11.1	107	138	-31	-22.5	84.2	80.9	3.3
	Oita	60	62	-2	-3.2	51	56	-5	-8.9	45	42	3	7.1	85.0	90.3	-5.3
	Miyazaki	100	108	-8	-7.4	62	75	-13	-17.3	51	62	-11	-17.7	62.0	69.4	-7.4
Kagoshima	119	106	13	12.3	98	91	7	7.7	89	64	25	39.1	82.4	85.8	-3.4	
Okinawa	146	164	-18	-11.0	108	124	-16	-12.9	84	114	-30	-26.3	74.0	75.6	-1.6	

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Murder														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	1,094	1,297	-203	-15.7	1,074	1,237	-163	-13.2	1,036	1,211	-175	-14.5	98.2	95.4	2.8
Hokkaido	45	43	2	4.7	40	51	-11	-21.6	35	45	-10	-22.2	88.9	118.6	-29.7
Sapporo	25	29	-4	-13.8	22	35	-13	-37.1	20	30	-10	-33.3	88.0	120.7	-32.7
Hakodate	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	5	-2	-40.0	3	5	-2	-40.0	100.0	125.0	-25.0
Asahikawa	5	5	-	-	4	5	-1	-20.0	4	5	-1	-20.0	80.0	100.0	-20.0
Kushiro	7	1	6	600.0	7	1	6	600.0	5	1	4	400.0	100.0	100.0	-
Kitami	5	4	1	25.0	4	5	-1	-20.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	80.0	125.0	-45.0
Tohoku	69	75	-6	-8.0	69	72	-3	-4.2	53	66	-13	-19.7	100.0	96.0	4.0
Aomori	13	11	2	18.2	12	11	1	9.1	8	9	-1	-11.1	92.3	100.0	-7.7
Iwate	8	13	-5	-38.5	9	10	-1	-10.0	7	10	-3	-30.0	112.5	76.9	35.6
Miyagi	23	26	-3	-11.5	23	26	-3	-11.5	16	23	-7	-30.4	100.0	100.0	-
Akita	7	4	3	75.0	7	3	4	133.3	7	3	4	133.3	100.0	75.0	25.0
Yamagata	5	3	2	66.7	5	4	1	25.0	4	3	1	33.3	100.0	133.3	-33.3
Fukushima	13	18	-5	-27.8	13	18	-5	-27.8	11	18	-7	-38.9	100.0	100.0	-
Tokyo	120	179	-59	-33.0	119	146	-27	-18.5	114	138	-24	-17.4	99.2	81.6	17.6
Kanto	308	359	-51	-14.2	302	349	-47	-13.5	312	337	-25	-7.4	98.1	97.2	0.9
Ibaraki	22	29	-7	-24.1	22	30	-8	-26.7	23	29	-6	-20.7	100.0	103.4	-3.4
Tochigi	21	22	-1	-4.5	21	20	1	5.0	21	18	3	16.7	100.0	90.9	9.1
Gunma	18	26	-8	-30.8	19	26	-7	-26.9	18	22	-4	-18.2	105.6	100.0	5.6
Saitama	66	65	1	1.5	69	61	8	13.1	94	67	27	40.3	104.5	93.8	10.7
Chiba	59	63	-4	-6.3	51	61	-10	-16.4	51	58	-7	-12.1	86.4	96.8	-10.4
Kanagawa	60	81	-21	-25.9	58	80	-22	-27.5	51	68	-17	-25.0	96.7	98.8	-2.1
Niigata	19	22	-3	-13.6	18	23	-5	-21.7	20	30	-10	-33.3	94.7	104.5	-9.8
Yamanashi	5	8	-3	-37.5	6	8	-2	-25.0	6	8	-2	-25.0	120.0	100.0	20.0
Nagano	8	11	-3	-27.3	7	12	-5	-41.7	3	8	-5	-62.5	87.5	109.1	-21.6
Shizuoka	30	32	-2	-6.3	31	28	3	10.7	25	29	-4	-13.8	103.3	87.5	15.8
Chubu	98	134	-36	-26.9	92	123	-31	-25.2	80	123	-43	-35.0	93.9	91.8	2.1
Toyama	6	13	-7	-53.8	6	14	-8	-57.1	6	8	-2	-25.0	100.0	107.7	-7.7
Ishikawa	4	15	-11	-73.3	5	12	-7	-58.3	4	11	-7	-63.6	125.0	80.0	45.0
Fukui	3	5	-2	-40.0	5	4	1	25.0	5	3	2	66.7	166.7	80.0	86.7
Gifu	14	19	-5	-26.3	15	17	-2	-11.8	10	19	-9	-47.4	107.1	89.5	17.6
Aichi	63	66	-3	-4.5	53	60	-7	-11.7	47	68	-21	-30.9	84.1	90.9	-6.8
Mie	8	16	-8	-50.0	8	16	-8	-50.0	8	14	-6	-42.9	100.0	100.0	-
Kinki	228	224	4	1.8	234	213	21	9.9	230	204	26	12.7	102.6	95.1	7.5
Shiga	10	9	1	11.1	10	9	1	11.1	12	7	5	71.4	100.0	100.0	-
Kyoto	22	19	3	15.8	26	15	11	73.3	22	14	8	57.1	118.2	78.9	39.3
Osaka	115	119	-4	-3.4	112	114	-2	-1.8	115	112	3	2.7	97.4	95.8	1.6
Hyogo	62	52	10	19.2	66	53	13	24.5	63	49	14	28.6	106.5	101.9	4.6
Nara	7	14	-7	-50.0	7	12	-5	-41.7	7	12	-5	-41.7	100.0	85.7	14.3
Wakayama	12	11	1	9.1	13	10	3	30.0	11	10	1	10.0	108.3	90.9	17.4
Chugoku	68	80	-12	-15.0	65	79	-14	-17.7	62	73	-11	-15.1	95.6	98.8	-3.2
Tottori	6	3	3	100.0	5	3	2	66.7	4	5	-1	-20.0	83.3	100.0	-16.7
Shimane	3	3	-	-	2	3	-1	-33.3	2	3	-1	-33.3	66.7	100.0	-33.3
Okayama	13	31	-18	-58.1	15	31	-16	-51.6	14	28	-14	-50.0	115.4	100.0	15.4
Hiroshima	27	29	-2	-6.9	26	27	-1	-3.7	26	24	2	8.3	96.3	93.1	3.2
Yamaguchi	19	14	5	35.7	17	15	2	13.3	16	13	3	23.1	89.5	107.1	-17.6
Shikoku	35	57	-22	-38.6	38	57	-19	-33.3	34	59	-25	-42.4	108.6	100.0	8.6
Tokushima	4	7	-3	-42.9	5	7	-2	-28.6	5	7	-2	-28.6	125.0	100.0	25.0
Kagawa	7	15	-8	-53.3	8	15	-7	-46.7	8	17	-9	-52.9	114.3	100.0	14.3
Ehime	13	23	-10	-43.5	13	23	-10	-43.5	10	23	-13	-56.5	100.0	100.0	-
Kouchi	11	12	-1	-8.3	12	12	-	-	11	12	-1	-8.3	109.1	100.0	9.1
Kyushu	123	146	-23	-15.8	115	147	-32	-21.8	116	166	-50	-30.1	93.5	100.7	-7.2
Fukuoka	51	61	-10	-16.4	46	59	-13	-22.0	52	67	-15	-22.4	90.2	96.7	-6.5
Saga	6	10	-4	-40.0	6	9	-3	-33.3	5	11	-6	-54.5	100.0	90.0	10.0
Nagasaki	5	9	-4	-44.4	5	10	-5	-50.0	4	10	-6	-60.0	100.0	111.1	-11.1
Kumamoto	13	18	-5	-27.8	12	19	-7	-36.8	11	33	-22	-66.7	92.3	105.6	-13.3
Oita	7	8	-1	-12.5	7	7	-	-	6	7	-1	-14.3	100.0	87.5	12.5
Miyazaki	6	5	1	20.0	6	6	-	-	6	5	1	20.0	100.0	100.0	-20.0
Kagoshima	19	17	2	11.8	17	19	-2	-10.5	16	18	-2	-11.1	89.5	111.8	-22.3
Okinawa	16	18	-2	-11.1	16	18	-2	-11.1	16	15	1	6.7	100.0	100.0	-

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Robbery														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	4,512	4,278	234	5.5	2,923	2,612	311	11.9	3,069	2,813	256	9.1	64.8	61.1	3.7
Hokkaido	146	135	11	8.1	93	94	-1	-1.1	112	104	8	7.7	63.7	69.6	-5.9
Sapporo	115	92	23	25.0	66	65	1	1.5	81	65	16	24.6	57.4	70.7	-13.3
Hakodate	10	14	-4	-28.6	6	10	-4	-40.0	6	19	-13	-68.4	60.0	71.4	-11.4
Asahikawa	11	13	-2	-15.4	9	7	2	28.6	13	7	6	85.7	81.8	53.8	28.0
Kushiro	9	14	-5	-35.7	11	11	-	-	11	12	-1	-8.3	122.2	78.6	43.6
Kitami	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	100.0	50.0	50.0
Tohoku	121	119	2	1.7	82	91	-9	-9.9	95	109	-14	-12.8	67.8	76.5	-8.7
Aomori	16	14	2	14.3	8	11	-3	-27.3	9	9	-	-	50.0	78.6	-28.6
Iwate	11	12	-1	-8.3	8	9	-1	-11.1	9	12	-3	-25.0	72.7	75.0	-2.3
Miyagi	61	56	5	8.9	42	39	3	7.7	41	45	-4	-8.9	68.9	69.6	-0.7
Akita	8	6	2	33.3	8	5	3	60.0	14	6	8	133.3	100.0	83.3	16.7
Yamagata	6	6	-	-	4	4	-	-	5	8	-3	-37.5	66.7	66.7	-
Fukushima	19	25	-6	-24.0	12	23	-11	-47.8	17	29	-12	-41.4	63.2	92.0	-28.8
Tokyo	657	672	-15	-2.2	456	450	6	1.3	493	462	31	6.7	69.4	67.0	2.4
Kanto	1,463	1,390	73	5.3	943	816	127	15.6	912	887	25	2.8	64.5	58.7	5.8
Ibaraki	132	114	18	15.8	63	70	-7	-10.0	67	57	10	17.5	47.7	61.4	-13.7
Tochigi	84	59	25	42.4	56	31	25	80.6	51	44	7	15.9	66.7	52.5	14.2
Gunma	64	58	6	10.3	57	42	15	35.7	67	38	29	76.3	89.1	72.4	16.7
Saitama	370	397	-27	-6.8	235	226	9	4.0	210	254	-44	-17.3	63.5	56.9	6.6
Chiba	314	231	83	35.9	213	120	93	77.5	165	115	50	43.5	67.8	51.9	15.9
Kanagawa	286	334	-48	-14.4	172	186	-14	-7.5	174	226	-52	-23.0	60.1	55.7	4.4
Niigata	28	38	-10	-26.3	20	29	-9	-31.0	23	29	-6	-20.7	71.4	76.3	-4.9
Yamanashi	19	18	1	5.6	16	7	9	128.6	12	18	-6	-33.3	84.2	38.9	45.3
Nagano	51	38	13	34.2	41	34	7	20.6	51	35	16	45.7	80.4	89.5	-9.1
Shizuoka	115	103	12	11.7	70	71	-1	-1.4	92	71	21	29.6	60.9	68.9	-8.0
Chubu	632	525	107	20.4	355	288	67	23.3	376	280	96	34.3	56.2	54.9	1.3
Toyama	10	11	-1	-9.1	7	9	-2	-22.2	10	14	-4	-28.6	70.0	81.8	-11.8
Ishikawa	14	8	6	75.0	13	4	9	225.0	14	3	11	366.7	92.9	50.0	42.9
Fukui	12	9	3	33.3	11	10	1	10.0	11	15	-4	-26.7	91.7	111.1	-19.4
Gifu	63	72	-9	-12.5	48	48	-	-	51	39	12	30.8	76.2	66.7	9.5
Aichi	478	386	92	23.8	237	184	53	28.8	252	180	72	40.0	49.6	47.7	1.9
Mie	55	39	16	41.0	39	33	6	18.2	38	29	9	31.0	70.9	84.6	-13.7
Kinki	980	907	73	8.0	588	481	107	22.2	627	553	74	13.4	60.0	53.0	7.0
Shiga	24	32	-8	-25.0	20	23	-3	-13.0	26	40	-14	-35.0	83.3	71.9	11.4
Kyoto	99	90	9	10.0	60	74	-14	-18.9	56	74	-18	-24.3	60.6	82.2	-21.6
Osaka	593	543	50	9.2	350	251	99	39.4	350	274	76	27.7	59.0	46.2	12.8
Hyogo	224	204	20	9.8	124	104	20	19.2	150	126	24	19.0	55.4	51.0	4.4
Nara	21	22	-1	-4.5	13	16	-3	-18.8	19	19	-	-	61.9	72.7	-10.8
Wakayama	19	16	3	18.8	21	13	8	61.5	26	20	6	30.0	110.5	81.3	29.2
Chugoku	129	131	-2	-1.5	103	102	1	1.0	117	114	3	2.6	79.8	77.9	1.9
Tottori	9	8	1	12.5	7	6	1	16.7	12	5	7	140.0	77.8	75.0	2.8
Shimane	3	9	-6	-66.7	3	8	-5	-62.5	2	13	-11	-84.6	100.0	88.9	11.1
Okayama	30	35	-5	-14.3	23	31	-8	-25.8	31	34	-3	-8.8	76.7	88.6	-11.9
Hiroshima	63	56	7	12.5	47	34	13	38.2	53	36	17	47.2	74.6	60.7	13.9
Yamaguchi	24	23	1	4.3	23	23	-	-	19	26	-7	-26.9	95.8	100.0	-4.2
Shikoku	47	59	-12	-20.3	46	54	-8	-14.8	58	52	6	11.5	97.9	91.5	6.4
Tokushima	5	4	1	25.0	7	2	5	250.0	8	4	4	100.0	140.0	50.0	90.0
Kagawa	11	13	-2	-15.4	16	10	6	60.0	21	6	15	250.0	145.5	76.9	68.6
Ehime	20	26	-6	-23.1	16	26	-10	-38.5	18	26	-8	-30.8	80.0	100.0	-20.0
Kouchi	11	16	-5	-31.3	7	16	-9	-56.3	11	16	-5	-31.3	63.6	100.0	-36.4
Kyushu	337	340	-3	-0.9	257	236	21	8.9	279	252	27	10.7	76.3	69.4	6.9
Fukuoka	213	218	-5	-2.3	142	138	4	2.9	144	134	10	7.5	66.7	63.3	3.4
Saga	21	13	8	61.5	20	8	12	150.0	25	9	16	177.8	95.2	61.5	33.7
Nagasaki	9	8	1	12.5	8	9	-1	-11.1	15	14	1	7.1	88.9	112.5	-23.6
Kumamoto	20	22	-2	-9.1	23	20	3	15.0	23	31	-8	-25.8	115.0	90.9	24.1
Oita	11	16	-5	-31.3	9	17	-8	-47.1	10	10	-	-	81.8	106.3	-24.5
Miyazaki	11	9	2	22.2	9	7	2	28.6	10	13	-3	-23.1	81.8	77.8	4.0
Kagoshima	18	16	2	12.5	18	11	7	63.6	25	9	16	177.8	100.0	68.8	31.2
Okinawa	34	38	-4	-10.5	28	26	2	7.7	27	32	-5	-15.6	82.4	68.4	14.0

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Break-in robbery															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	1,892	1,647	245	14.9	1,220	1,045	175	16.7	1,072	970	102	10.5	64.5	63.4	1.1	
Hokkaido	60	64	-4	-6.3	40	44	-4	-9.1	46	45	1	2.2	66.7	68.8	-2.1	
Sapporo	45	45	-	-	26	32	-6	-18.8	27	28	-1	-3.6	57.8	71.1	-13.3	
Hakodate	3	5	-2	-40.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	2	6	-4	-66.7	33.3	40.0	-6.7	
Asahikawa	5	5	-	-	5	2	3	150.0	9	4	5	125.0	100.0	40.0	60.0	
Kushiro	6	7	-1	-14.3	7	7	-	-	7	6	1	16.7	116.7	100.0	16.7	
Kitami	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	100.0	50.0	50.0	
Tohoku	61	51	10	19.6	35	41	-6	-14.6	28	43	-15	-34.9	57.4	80.4	-23.0	
Aomori	12	6	6	100.0	5	4	1	25.0	4	4	-	-	41.7	66.7	-25.0	
Iwate	5	6	-1	-16.7	4	5	-1	-20.0	3	6	-3	-50.0	80.0	83.3	-3.3	
Miyagi	28	22	6	27.3	15	19	-4	-21.1	11	15	-4	-26.7	53.6	86.4	-32.8	
Akita	2	3	-1	-33.3	2	3	-1	-33.3	2	4	-2	-50.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Yamagata	3	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	66.7	66.7	-	
Fukushima	11	11	-	-	7	8	-1	-12.5	6	12	-6	-50.0	63.6	72.7	-9.1	
Tokyo	197	193	4	2.1	129	143	-14	-9.8	120	145	-25	-17.2	65.5	74.1	-8.6	
Kanto	660	584	76	13.0	419	339	80	23.6	347	314	33	10.5	63.5	58.0	5.5	
Ibaraki	77	71	6	8.5	40	47	-7	-14.9	43	40	3	7.5	51.9	66.2	-14.3	
Tochigi	58	30	28	93.3	37	15	22	146.7	33	11	22	200.0	63.8	50.0	13.8	
Gunma	47	34	13	38.2	34	24	10	41.7	37	16	21	131.3	72.3	70.6	1.7	
Saitama	151	135	16	11.9	102	88	14	15.9	67	74	-7	-9.5	67.5	65.2	2.3	
Chiba	102	89	13	14.6	78	32	46	143.8	49	40	9	22.5	76.5	36.0	40.5	
Kanagawa	125	128	-3	-2.3	68	67	1	1.5	49	53	-4	-7.5	54.4	52.3	2.1	
Niigata	10	11	-1	-9.1	4	7	-3	-42.9	6	7	-1	-14.3	40.0	63.6	-23.6	
Yamanashi	10	10	-	-	11	5	6	120.0	6	17	-11	-64.7	110.0	50.0	60.0	
Nagano	26	20	6	30.0	18	16	2	12.5	24	19	5	26.3	69.2	80.0	-10.8	
Shizuoka	54	56	-2	-3.6	27	38	-11	-28.9	33	37	-4	-10.8	50.0	67.9	-17.9	
Chubu	292	202	90	44.6	164	128	36	28.1	134	102	32	31.4	56.2	63.4	-7.2	
Toyama	7	3	4	133.3	4	4	-	-	5	8	-3	-37.5	57.1	133.3	-76.2	
Ishikawa	10	6	4	66.7	10	2	8	400.0	8	2	6	300.0	100.0	33.3	66.7	
Fukui	4	3	1	33.3	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	6	-3	-50.0	75.0	133.3	-58.3	
Giftu	29	39	-10	-25.6	23	20	3	15.0	20	17	3	17.6	79.3	51.3	28.0	
Aichi	210	134	76	56.7	104	81	23	28.4	78	58	20	34.5	49.5	60.4	-10.9	
Mie	32	17	15	88.2	20	17	3	17.6	20	11	9	81.8	62.5	100.0	-37.5	
Kinki	361	307	54	17.6	219	189	30	15.9	202	160	42	26.3	60.7	61.6	-0.9	
Shiga	12	10	2	20.0	12	5	7	140.0	16	8	8	100.0	100.0	50.0	50.0	
Kyoto	36	43	-7	-16.3	15	34	-19	-55.9	15	34	-19	-55.9	41.7	79.1	-37.4	
Osaka	222	169	53	31.4	131	100	31	31.0	107	70	37	52.9	59.0	59.2	-0.2	
Hyogo	68	68	-	-	41	35	6	17.1	50	32	18	56.3	60.3	51.5	8.8	
Nara	14	6	8	133.3	8	7	1	14.3	7	6	1	16.7	57.1	116.7	-59.6	
Wakayama	9	11	-2	-18.2	12	8	4	50.0	7	10	-3	-30.0	133.3	72.7	60.6	
Chugoku	54	59	-5	-8.5	46	44	2	4.5	48	52	-4	-7.7	85.2	74.6	10.6	
Tottori	3	3	-	-	3	2	1	50.0	3	2	1	50.0	100.0	66.7	33.3	
Shimane	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	3	-	-	2	7	-5	-71.4	100.0	75.0	25.0	
Okayama	17	16	1	6.3	14	14	-	-	11	13	-2	-15.4	82.4	87.5	-5.1	
Hiroshima	20	27	-7	-25.9	16	17	-1	-5.9	22	21	1	4.8	80.0	63.0	17.0	
Yamaguchi	11	9	2	22.2	10	8	2	25.0	10	9	1	11.1	90.9	88.9	2.0	
Shikoku	25	25	-	-	25	18	7	38.9	24	21	3	14.3	100.0	72.0	28.0	
Tokushima	4	3	1	33.3	5	2	3	150.0	5	4	1	25.0	125.0	66.7	58.3	
Kagawa	6	5	1	20.0	9	1	8	800.0	8	2	6	300.0	150.0	20.0	130.0	
Ehime	10	11	-1	-9.1	7	12	-5	-41.7	7	12	-5	-41.7	70.0	109.1	-39.1	
Kouchi	5	6	-1	-16.7	4	3	1	33.3	4	3	1	33.3	80.0	50.0	30.0	
Kyushu	182	162	20	12.3	143	99	44	44.4	123	88	35	39.8	78.6	61.1	17.5	
Fukuoka	106	105	1	1.0	69	61	8	13.1	44	40	4	10.0	65.1	58.1	7.0	
Saga	10	8	2	25.0	11	3	8	266.7	10	6	4	66.7	110.0	37.5	72.5	
Nagasaki	5	2	3	150.0	4	3	1	33.3	4	4	-	-	80.0	150.0	-70.0	
Kumamoto	10	8	2	25.0	14	5	9	180.0	11	9	2	22.2	140.0	62.5	77.5	
Oita	8	3	5	166.7	6	5	1	20.0	6	9	-3	-33.3	75.0	166.7	-91.7	
Miyazaki	10	5	5	100.0	8	4	4	100.0	9	7	2	28.6	80.0	80.0	-	
Kagoshima	11	9	2	22.2	11	6	5	83.3	18	5	13	260.0	100.0	66.7	33.3	
Okinawa	22	22	-	-	20	12	8	66.7	21	8	13	162.5	90.9	54.5	36.4	

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Arson														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	1,306	1,424	-118	-8.3	913	1,054	-141	-13.4	631	659	-28	-4.2	69.9	74.0	-4.1
Hokkaido	37	52	-15	-28.8	33	44	-11	-25.0	22	32	-10	-31.3	89.2	84.6	4.6
Sapporo	20	35	-15	-42.9	14	28	-14	-50.0	10	25	-15	-60.0	70.0	80.0	-10.0
Hakodate	6	-	6	-	6	-	6	-	1	-	1	-	100.0	-	100.0
Asahikawa	6	5	1	20.0	7	5	2	40.0	6	3	3	100.0	116.7	100.0	16.7
Kushiro	5	9	-4	-44.4	5	9	-4	-44.4	4	3	1	33.3	100.0	100.0	-
Kitami	-	3	-3	-100.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	1	-	-	-	66.7	-66.7
Tohoku	100	97	3	3.1	73	73	-	-	51	55	-4	-7.3	73.0	75.3	-2.3
Aomori	16	20	-4	-20.0	11	18	-7	-38.9	9	13	-4	-30.8	68.8	90.0	-21.2
Iwate	9	13	-4	-30.8	7	8	-1	-12.5	3	7	-4	-57.1	77.8	61.5	16.3
Miyagi	28	20	8	40.0	13	14	-1	-7.1	7	11	-4	-36.4	46.4	70.0	-23.6
Akita	11	18	-7	-38.9	10	17	-7	-41.2	9	9	-	-	90.9	94.4	-3.5
Yamagata	13	8	5	62.5	12	3	9	300.0	7	4	3	75.0	92.3	37.5	54.8
Fukushima	23	18	5	27.8	20	13	7	53.8	16	11	5	45.5	87.0	72.2	14.8
Tokyo	119	120	-1	-0.8	68	75	-7	-9.3	43	42	1	2.4	57.1	62.5	-5.4
Kanto	375	440	-65	-14.8	248	316	-68	-21.5	163	188	-25	-13.3	66.1	71.8	-5.7
Ibaraki	19	40	-21	-52.5	11	24	-13	-54.2	9	23	-14	-60.9	57.9	60.0	-2.1
Tochigi	23	34	-11	-32.4	18	23	-5	-21.7	11	12	-1	-8.3	78.3	67.6	10.7
Gunma	21	26	-5	-19.2	19	19	-	-	12	11	1	9.1	90.5	73.1	17.4
Saitama	50	83	-33	-39.8	49	62	-13	-21.0	32	31	1	3.2	98.0	74.7	23.3
Chiba	82	53	29	54.7	38	35	3	8.6	19	17	2	11.8	46.3	66.0	-19.7
Kanagawa	59	63	-4	-6.3	41	50	-9	-18.0	32	38	-6	-15.8	69.5	79.4	-9.9
Niigata	26	31	-5	-16.1	18	21	-3	-14.3	14	12	2	16.7	69.2	67.7	1.5
Yamanashi	9	8	1	12.5	8	7	1	14.3	6	7	-1	-14.3	88.9	87.5	1.4
Nagano	25	32	-7	-21.9	13	18	-5	-27.8	6	12	-6	-50.0	52.0	56.3	-4.3
Shizuoka	61	70	-9	-12.9	33	57	-24	-42.1	22	25	-3	-12.0	54.1	81.4	-27.3
Chubu	124	100	24	24.0	71	53	18	34.0	60	37	23	62.2	57.3	53.0	4.3
Toyama	6	4	2	50.0	5	3	2	66.7	5	2	3	150.0	83.3	75.0	8.3
Ishikawa	6	6	-	-	2	5	-3	-60.0	1	5	-4	-80.0	33.3	83.3	-50.0
Fukui	5	6	-1	-16.7	5	2	3	150.0	4	2	2	100.0	100.0	33.3	66.7
Gifu	29	21	8	38.1	12	9	3	33.3	7	6	1	16.7	41.4	42.9	-1.5
Aichi	65	51	14	27.5	37	26	11	42.3	33	17	16	94.1	56.9	51.0	5.9
Mie	13	12	1	8.3	10	8	2	25.0	10	5	5	100.0	76.9	66.7	10.2
Kinki	235	260	-25	-9.6	184	192	-8	-4.2	145	131	14	10.7	78.3	73.8	4.5
Shiga	11	8	3	37.5	8	8	-	-	4	6	-2	-33.3	72.7	100.0	-27.3
Kyoto	29	35	-6	-17.1	24	35	-11	-31.4	20	18	2	11.1	82.8	100.0	-17.2
Osaka	113	144	-31	-21.5	81	101	-20	-19.8	66	68	-2	-2.9	71.7	70.1	1.6
Hyogo	55	47	8	17.0	46	33	13	39.4	40	29	11	37.9	83.6	70.2	13.4
Nara	7	14	-7	-50.0	7	7	-	-	7	6	1	16.7	100.0	50.0	50.0
Wakayama	20	12	8	66.7	18	8	10	125.0	8	4	4	100.0	90.0	66.7	23.3
Chugoku	137	123	14	11.4	101	102	-1	-1.0	58	52	6	11.5	73.7	82.9	-9.2
Tottori	6	11	-5	-45.5	3	9	-6	-66.7	1	2	-1	-50.0	50.0	81.8	-31.8
Shimane	6	10	-4	-40.0	5	10	-5	-50.0	2	7	-5	-71.4	83.3	100.0	-16.7
Okayama	50	42	8	19.0	35	22	13	59.1	16	15	1	6.7	70.0	52.4	17.6
Hiroshima	62	45	17	37.8	47	48	-1	-2.1	27	19	8	42.1	75.8	106.7	-30.9
Yamaguchi	13	15	-2	-13.3	11	13	-2	-15.4	12	9	3	33.3	84.6	86.7	-2.1
Shikoku	54	50	4	8.0	44	35	9	25.7	24	25	-1	-4.0	81.5	70.0	11.5
Tokushima	6	10	-4	-40.0	6	6	-	-	6	5	1	20.0	100.0	60.0	40.0
Kagawa	8	7	1	14.3	8	7	1	14.3	6	6	-	-	100.0	100.0	-
Ehime	30	21	9	42.9	22	13	9	69.2	7	7	-	-	73.3	61.9	11.4
Kouchi	10	12	-2	-16.7	8	9	-1	-11.1	5	7	-2	-28.6	80.0	75.0	5.0
Kyushu	125	182	-57	-31.3	91	164	-73	-44.5	65	97	-32	-33.0	72.8	90.1	-17.3
Fukuoka	41	67	-26	-38.8	24	57	-33	-57.9	15	37	-22	-59.5	58.5	85.1	-26.6
Saga	4	7	-3	-42.9	4	7	-3	-42.9	3	4	-1	-25.0	100.0	100.0	-
Nagasaki	26	29	-3	-10.3	21	29	-8	-27.6	14	9	5	55.6	80.8	100.0	-19.2
Kumamoto	12	26	-14	-53.8	10	26	-16	-61.5	11	15	-4	-26.7	83.3	100.0	-16.7
Oita	2	9	-7	-77.8	2	9	-7	-77.8	1	5	-4	-80.0	100.0	100.0	-
Miyazaki	5	16	-11	-68.8	5	11	-6	-54.5	3	8	-5	-62.5	100.0	68.8	31.2
Kagoshima	19	5	14	280.0	12	5	7	140.0	10	4	6	150.0	63.2	100.0	-36.8
Okinawa	16	23	-7	-30.4	13	20	-7	-35.0	8	15	-7	-46.7	81.3	87.0	-5.7

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Rape															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	1,402	1,582	-180	-11.4	1,163	1,326	-163	-12.3	918	951	-33	-3.5	83.0	83.8	-0.8	
Hokkaido	52	62	-10	-16.1	46	53	-7	-13.2	32	34	-2	-5.9	88.5	85.5	3.0	
Sapporo	29	48	-19	-39.6	27	39	-12	-30.8	12	19	-7	-36.8	93.1	81.3	11.8	
Hakodate	8	6	2	33.3	6	7	-1	-14.3	4	10	-6	-60.0	75.0	116.7	-41.7	
Asahikawa	7	4	3	75.0	8	3	5	166.7	8	1	7	700.0	114.3	75.0	39.3	
Kushiro	6	4	2	50.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	50.0	100.0	-50.0	
Kitami	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	5	-	5	-	100.0	-	100.0	
Tohoku	71	69	2	2.9	57	56	1	1.8	50	51	-1	-2.0	80.3	81.2	-0.9	
Aomori	13	14	-1	-7.1	10	10	-	-	8	8	-	-	76.9	71.4	5.5	
Iwate	8	8	-	-	7	8	-1	-12.5	6	6	-	-	87.5	100.0	-12.5	
Miyagi	28	24	4	16.7	23	19	4	21.1	19	14	5	35.7	82.1	79.2	2.9	
Akita	4	4	-	-	3	2	1	50.0	1	1	-	-	75.0	50.0	25.0	
Yamagata	3	3	-	-	3	6	-3	-50.0	4	10	-6	-60.0	100.0	200.0	-100.0	
Fukushima	15	16	-1	-6.3	11	11	-	-	12	12	-	-	73.3	68.8	4.5	
Tokyo	213	215	-2	-0.9	157	170	-13	-7.6	128	133	-5	-3.8	73.7	79.1	-5.4	
Kanto	412	430	-18	-4.2	339	334	5	1.5	233	223	10	4.5	82.3	77.7	4.6	
Ibaraki	39	41	-2	-4.9	28	37	-9	-24.3	20	18	2	11.1	71.8	90.2	-18.4	
Tochigi	16	23	-7	-30.4	18	19	-1	-5.3	12	12	-	-	112.5	82.6	29.9	
Gunma	20	9	11	122.2	17	8	9	112.5	23	8	15	187.5	85.0	88.9	-3.9	
Saitama	75	98	-23	-23.5	71	80	-9	-11.3	33	45	-12	-26.7	94.7	81.6	13.1	
Chiba	85	87	-2	-2.3	57	66	-9	-13.6	44	48	-4	-8.3	67.1	75.9	-8.8	
Kanagawa	104	101	3	3.0	89	79	10	12.7	58	49	9	18.4	85.6	78.2	7.4	
Niigata	18	19	-1	-5.3	18	9	9	100.0	12	12	-	-	100.0	47.4	52.6	
Yamanashi	10	5	5	100.0	6	6	-	-	3	5	-2	-40.0	60.0	120.0	-60.0	
Nagano	9	13	-4	-30.8	8	8	-	-	5	8	-3	-37.5	88.9	61.5	27.4	
Shizuoka	36	34	2	5.9	27	22	5	22.7	23	18	5	27.8	75.0	64.7	10.3	
Chubu	125	151	-26	-17.2	100	140	-40	-28.6	61	82	-21	-25.6	80.0	92.7	-12.7	
Toyama	1	3	-2	-66.7	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	6	-5	-83.3	100.0	66.7	33.3	
Ishikawa	4	4	-	-	6	5	1	20.0	2	5	-3	-60.0	150.0	125.0	25.0	
Fukui	2	5	-3	-60.0	3	3	-	-	3	2	1	50.0	150.0	60.0	90.0	
Gifu	25	22	3	13.6	19	14	5	35.7	13	12	1	8.3	76.0	63.6	12.4	
Aichi	80	99	-19	-19.2	65	98	-33	-33.7	40	45	-5	-11.1	81.3	99.0	-17.7	
Mie	13	18	-5	-27.8	6	18	-12	-66.7	2	12	-10	-83.3	46.2	100.0	-53.8	
Kinki	259	304	-45	-14.8	229	235	-6	-2.6	220	182	38	20.9	88.4	77.3	11.1	
Shiga	13	13	-	-	9	10	-1	-10.0	9	10	-1	-10.0	69.2	76.9	-7.7	
Kyoto	28	38	-10	-26.3	31	28	3	10.7	33	22	11	50.0	110.7	73.7	37.0	
Osaka	123	153	-30	-19.6	107	123	-16	-13.0	99	99	-	-	87.0	80.4	6.6	
Hyogo	74	76	-2	-2.6	64	52	12	23.1	61	38	23	60.5	86.5	68.4	18.1	
Nara	10	14	-4	-28.6	8	14	-6	-42.9	10	8	2	25.0	80.0	100.0	-20.0	
Wakayama	11	10	1	10.0	10	8	2	25.0	8	5	3	60.0	90.9	80.0	10.9	
Chugoku	71	71	-	-	60	66	-6	-9.1	56	46	10	21.7	84.5	93.0	-8.5	
Tottori	3	2	1	50.0	3	3	-	-	3	2	1	50.0	100.0	150.0	-50.0	
Shimane	4	3	1	33.3	4	5	-1	-20.0	3	6	-3	-50.0	100.0	166.7	-66.7	
Okayama	23	25	-2	-8.0	18	20	-2	-10.0	19	16	3	18.8	78.3	80.0	-1.7	
Hiroshima	30	30	-	-	24	27	-3	-11.1	20	15	5	33.3	80.0	90.0	-10.0	
Yamaguchi	11	11	-	-	11	11	-	-	11	7	4	57.1	100.0	100.0	-	
Shikoku	30	52	-22	-42.3	31	50	-19	-38.0	27	37	-10	-27.0	103.3	96.2	7.1	
Tokushima	4	2	2	100.0	4	4	-	-	2	5	-3	-60.0	100.0	200.0	-100.0	
Kagawa	10	22	-12	-54.5	10	19	-9	-47.4	12	14	-2	-14.3	100.0	86.4	13.6	
Ehime	12	16	-4	-25.0	11	18	-7	-38.9	8	15	-7	-46.7	91.7	112.5	-20.8	
Kouchi	4	12	-8	-66.7	6	9	-3	-33.3	5	3	2	66.7	150.0	75.0	75.0	
Kyushu	169	228	-59	-25.9	144	222	-78	-35.1	111	163	-52	-31.9	85.2	97.4	-12.2	
Fukuoka	84	122	-38	-31.1	66	113	-47	-41.6	37	62	-25	-40.3	78.6	92.6	-14.0	
Saga	7	2	5	250.0	6	4	2	50.0	4	1	3	300.0	85.7	200.0	-114.3	
Nagasaki	10	20	-10	-50.0	9	22	-13	-59.1	9	22	-13	-59.1	90.0	110.0	-20.0	
Kumamoto	21	32	-11	-34.4	20	28	-8	-28.6	21	29	-8	-27.6	95.2	87.5	7.7	
Oita	12	7	5	71.4	12	7	5	71.4	10	5	5	100.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Miyazaki	9	13	-4	-30.8	10	19	-9	-47.4	9	15	-6	-40.0	111.1	146.2	-35.1	
Kagoshima	13	15	-2	-13.3	12	13	-1	-7.7	13	11	2	18.2	92.3	86.7	5.6	
Okinawa	13	17	-4	-23.5	9	16	-7	-43.8	8	18	-10	-55.6	69.2	94.1	-24.9	

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Abduction・Human trafficking															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	156	155	1	0.6	140	141	-1	-0.7	101	129	-28	-21.7	89.7	91.0	-1.3	
Hokkaido	5	5	-	-	4	4	-	-	2	7	-5	-71.4	80.0	80.0	-	
Sapporo	5	2	3	150.0	4	1	3	300.0	2	1	1	100.0	80.0	50.0	30.0	
Hakodate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Asahikawa	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	4	-4	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Kushiro	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Kitami	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Tohoku	12	9	3	33.3	10	10	-	-	4	7	-3	-42.9	83.3	111.1	-27.8	
Aomori	1	3	-2	-66.7	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Iwate	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	-	100.0	100.0	-	
Miyagi	9	2	7	350.0	8	2	6	300.0	3	2	1	50.0	88.9	100.0	-11.1	
Akita	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Yamagata	-	-	-	-	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	-	-	
Fukushima	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Tokyo	15	7	8	114.3	13	5	8	160.0	11	8	3	37.5	86.7	71.4	15.3	
Kanto	48	43	5	11.6	37	39	-2	-5.1	25	28	-3	-10.7	77.1	90.7	-13.6	
Ibaraki	11	5	6	120.0	8	3	5	166.7	6	-	6	-	72.7	60.0	12.7	
Tochigi	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	100.0	-	100.0	
Gunma	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	5	-5	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Saitama	8	19	-11	-57.9	8	18	-10	-55.6	4	5	-1	-20.0	100.0	94.7	5.3	
Chiba	14	1	13	1,300.0	7	1	6	600.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	50.0	100.0	-50.0	
Kanagawa	4	3	1	33.3	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	75.0	133.3	-58.3	
Niigata	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Yamanashi	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nagano	2	5	-3	-60.0	2	4	-2	-50.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	100.0	80.0	20.0	
Shizuoka	7	6	1	16.7	7	5	2	40.0	5	4	1	25.0	100.0	83.3	16.7	
Chubu	18	9	9	100.0	18	8	10	125.0	9	5	4	80.0	100.0	88.9	11.1	
Toyama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Ishikawa	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	100.0	-	100.0	
Fukui	-	1	-1	-100.0	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Gifu	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	5	1	4	400.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Aichi	14	5	9	180.0	13	5	8	160.0	3	2	1	50.0	92.9	100.0	-7.1	
Mie	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Kinki	19	41	-22	-53.7	18	37	-19	-51.4	18	39	-21	-53.8	94.7	90.2	4.5	
Shiga	1	2	-1	-50.0	2	1	1	100.0	2	1	1	100.0	200.0	50.0	150.0	
Kyoto	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	3	-2	-66.7	-	1	-1	-100.0	100.0	150.0	-50.0	
Osaka	12	17	-5	-29.4	8	16	-8	-50.0	10	26	-16	-61.5	66.7	94.1	-27.4	
Hyogo	5	8	-3	-37.5	7	8	-1	-12.5	6	7	-1	-14.3	140.0	100.0	40.0	
Nara	-	12	-12	-100.0	-	9	-9	-100.0	-	4	-4	-100.0	-	75.0	-75.0	
Wakayama	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Chugoku	9	10	-1	-10.0	9	10	-1	-10.0	6	7	-1	-14.3	100.0	100.0	-	
Tottori	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Shimane	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	100.0	-	100.0	
Okayama	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	4	-4	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Hiroshima	2	4	-2	-50.0	2	4	-2	-50.0	2	2	-	-	100.0	100.0	-	
Yamaguchi	6	4	2	50.0	6	4	2	50.0	3	1	2	200.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Shikoku	4	12	-8	-66.7	4	11	-7	-63.6	5	8	-3	-37.5	100.0	91.7	8.3	
Tokushima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Kagawa	1	8	-7	-87.5	2	7	-5	-71.4	4	4	-	-	200.0	87.5	112.5	
Ehime	2	1	1	100.0	2	1	1	100.0	1	1	-	-	100.0	100.0	-	
Kouchi	1	3	-2	-66.7	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0	
Kyushu	26	19	7	36.8	27	17	10	58.8	21	20	1	5.0	103.8	89.5	14.3	
Fukuoka	12	8	4	50.0	13	7	6	85.7	9	7	2	28.6	108.3	87.5	20.8	
Saga	4	1	3	300.0	4	1	3	300.0	5	1	4	400.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Nagasaki	3	2	1	50.0	3	2	1	50.0	1	4	-3	-75.0	100.0	100.0	-	
Kumamoto	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	100.0	100.0	-	
Oita	2	1	1	100.0	2	1	1	100.0	2	2	-	-	100.0	100.0	-	
Miyazaki	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	100.0	-	100.0	
Kagoshima	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	100.0	-	100.0	
Okinawa	1	5	-4	-80.0	1	4	-3	-75.0	-	4	-4	-100.0	100.0	80.0	20.0	

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Indecent assault														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	
Total	6,688	7,111	-423	-5.9	3,563	3,555	8	0.2	2,129	2,219	-90	-4.1	53.3	50.0	3.3
Hokkaido	224	242	-18	-7.4	126	140	-14	-10.0	67	88	-21	-23.9	56.3	57.9	-1.6
Sapporo	183	160	23	14.4	94	86	8	9.3	47	50	-3	-6.0	51.4	53.8	-2.4
Hakodate	4	13	-9	-69.2	4	6	-2	-33.3	1	2	-1	-50.0	100.0	46.2	53.8
Asahikawa	16	27	-11	-40.7	11	12	-1	-8.3	6	10	-4	-40.0	68.8	44.4	24.4
Kushiro	12	29	-17	-58.6	8	29	-21	-72.4	7	19	-12	-63.2	66.7	100.0	-33.3
Kitami	9	13	-4	-30.8	9	7	2	28.6	6	7	-1	-14.3	100.0	53.8	46.2
Tohoku	355	390	-35	-9.0	213	175	38	21.7	122	104	18	17.3	60.0	44.9	15.1
Aomori	36	39	-3	-7.7	16	21	-5	-23.8	14	15	-1	-6.7	44.4	53.8	-9.4
Iwate	39	40	-1	-2.5	22	17	5	29.4	14	10	4	40.0	56.4	42.5	13.9
Miyagi	143	182	-39	-21.4	91	64	27	42.2	43	31	12	38.7	63.6	35.2	28.4
Akita	19	33	-14	-42.4	11	26	-15	-57.7	8	16	-8	-50.0	57.9	78.8	-20.9
Yamagata	23	16	7	43.8	11	11	-	-	9	7	2	28.6	47.8	68.8	-21.0
Fukushima	95	80	15	18.8	62	36	26	72.2	34	25	9	36.0	65.3	45.0	20.3
Tokyo	959	1,098	-139	-12.7	539	609	-70	-11.5	407	505	-98	-19.4	56.2	55.5	0.7
Kanto	1,692	1,934	-242	-12.5	978	979	-1	-0.1	581	599	-18	-3.0	57.8	50.6	7.2
Ibaraki	115	139	-24	-17.3	47	61	-14	-23.0	31	28	3	10.7	40.9	43.9	-3.0
Tochigi	85	102	-17	-16.7	49	47	2	4.3	33	35	-2	-5.7	57.6	46.1	11.5
Gunma	63	43	20	46.5	42	28	14	50.0	34	20	14	70.0	66.7	65.1	1.6
Saitama	399	447	-48	-10.7	219	253	-34	-13.4	149	144	5	3.5	54.9	56.6	-1.7
Chiba	284	386	-102	-26.4	152	227	-75	-33.0	76	108	-32	-29.6	53.5	58.8	-5.3
Kanagawa	354	409	-55	-13.4	259	213	46	21.6	153	158	-5	-3.2	73.2	52.1	21.1
Niigata	75	118	-43	-36.4	59	44	15	34.1	30	33	-3	-9.1	78.7	37.3	41.4
Yamanashi	41	30	11	36.7	17	14	3	21.4	3	9	-6	-66.7	41.5	46.7	-5.2
Nagano	81	80	1	1.3	34	28	6	21.4	18	18	-	-	42.0	35.0	7.0
Shizuoka	195	180	15	8.3	100	64	36	56.3	54	46	8	17.4	51.3	35.6	15.7
Chubu	606	686	-80	-11.7	310	296	14	4.7	149	156	-7	-4.5	51.2	43.1	8.1
Toyama	23	40	-17	-42.5	10	35	-25	-71.4	6	10	-4	-40.0	43.5	87.5	-44.0
Ishikawa	24	26	-2	-7.7	22	19	3	15.8	15	10	5	50.0	91.7	73.1	18.6
Fukui	12	23	-11	-47.8	11	22	-11	-50.0	6	6	-	-	91.7	95.7	-4.0
Gifu	78	73	5	6.8	52	44	8	18.2	15	20	-5	-25.0	66.7	60.3	6.4
Aichi	389	437	-48	-11.0	189	148	41	27.7	92	90	2	2.2	48.6	33.9	14.7
Mie	80	87	-7	-8.0	26	28	-2	-7.1	15	20	-5	-25.0	32.5	32.2	0.3
Kinki	1,583	1,506	77	5.1	662	615	47	7.6	399	353	46	13.0	41.8	40.8	1.0
Shiga	78	51	27	52.9	41	29	12	41.4	24	32	-8	-25.0	52.6	56.9	-4.3
Kyoto	174	215	-41	-19.1	90	105	-15	-14.3	62	41	21	51.2	51.7	48.8	2.9
Osaka	849	780	69	8.8	309	278	31	11.2	189	163	26	16.0	36.4	35.6	0.8
Hyogo	380	378	2	0.5	160	157	3	1.9	91	84	7	8.3	42.1	41.5	0.6
Nara	52	46	6	13.0	33	23	10	43.5	18	19	-1	-5.3	63.5	50.0	13.5
Wakayama	50	36	14	38.9	29	23	6	26.1	15	14	1	7.1	58.0	63.9	-5.9
Chugoku	320	342	-22	-6.4	157	165	-8	-4.8	105	106	-1	-0.9	49.1	48.2	0.9
Tottori	16	22	-6	-27.3	4	5	-1	-20.0	2	3	-1	-33.3	25.0	22.7	2.3
Shimane	26	28	-2	-7.1	16	14	2	14.3	12	11	1	9.1	61.5	50.0	11.5
Okayama	72	68	4	5.9	29	36	-7	-19.4	17	24	-7	-29.2	40.3	52.9	-12.6
Hiroshima	169	184	-15	-8.2	76	76	-	-	44	44	-	-	45.0	41.3	3.7
Yamaguchi	37	40	-3	-7.5	32	34	-2	-5.9	30	24	6	25.0	86.5	85.0	1.5
Shikoku	185	150	35	23.3	137	102	35	34.3	61	47	14	29.8	74.1	68.0	6.1
Tokushima	28	22	6	27.3	16	13	3	23.1	11	10	1	10.0	57.1	59.1	-2.0
Kagawa	28	28	-	-	20	27	-7	-25.9	16	12	4	33.3	71.4	96.4	-25.0
Ehime	96	60	36	60.0	83	39	44	112.8	22	19	3	15.8	86.5	65.0	21.5
Kouchi	33	40	-7	-17.5	18	23	-5	-21.7	12	6	6	100.0	54.5	57.5	-3.0
Kyushu	764	763	1	0.1	441	474	-33	-7.0	238	261	-23	-8.8	57.7	62.1	-4.4
Fukuoka	355	385	-30	-7.8	167	243	-76	-31.3	70	112	-42	-37.5	47.0	63.1	-16.1
Saga	35	37	-2	-5.4	34	21	13	61.9	15	13	2	15.4	97.1	56.8	40.3
Nagasaki	81	61	20	32.8	50	31	19	61.3	27	22	5	22.7	61.7	50.8	10.9
Kumamoto	84	78	6	7.7	61	49	12	24.5	39	28	11	39.3	72.6	62.8	9.8
Oita	26	21	5	23.8	19	15	4	26.7	16	13	3	23.1	73.1	71.4	1.7
Miyazaki	68	65	3	4.6	31	32	-1	-3.1	22	21	1	4.8	45.6	49.2	-3.6
Kagoshima	49	53	-4	-7.5	38	43	-5	-11.6	24	22	2	9.1	77.6	81.1	-3.5
Okinawa	66	63	3	4.8	41	40	1	2.5	25	30	-5	-16.7	62.1	63.5	-1.4

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Total number of index larceny offenses															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change	
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	200,572	210,103	-9,531	-4.5	102,130	112,607	-10,477	-9.3	15,159	15,455	-296	-1.9	50.9	53.6	-2.7	
Hokkaido	Total	5,586	6,301	-715	-11.3	3,547	4,853	-1,306	-26.9	614	776	-162	-20.9	63.5	77.0	-13.5
	Sapporo	3,616	4,305	-689	-16.0	2,386	3,501	-1,115	-31.8	384	498	-114	-22.9	66.0	81.3	-15.3
	Hakodate	566	576	-10	-1.7	395	321	74	23.1	51	55	-4	-7.3	69.8	55.7	14.1
	Asahikawa	429	543	-114	-21.0	260	306	-46	-15.0	76	90	-14	-15.6	60.6	56.4	4.2
	Kushiro	720	639	81	12.7	391	623	-232	-37.2	68	87	-19	-21.8	54.3	97.5	-43.2
	Kitami	255	238	17	7.1	115	102	13	12.7	35	46	-11	-23.9	45.1	42.9	2.2
Tohoku	Total	9,051	9,135	-84	-0.9	4,586	4,712	-126	-2.7	965	1,000	-35	-3.5	50.7	51.6	-0.9
	Aomori	875	864	11	1.3	494	592	-98	-16.6	166	184	-18	-9.8	56.5	68.5	-12.0
	Iwate	954	855	99	11.6	624	584	40	6.8	148	154	-6	-3.9	65.4	68.3	-2.9
	Miyagi	3,749	4,001	-252	-6.3	1,683	1,800	-117	-6.5	290	313	-23	-7.3	44.9	45.0	-0.1
	Akita	474	518	-44	-8.5	383	457	-74	-16.2	98	86	12	14.0	80.8	88.2	-7.4
	Yamagata	594	590	4	0.7	474	380	94	24.7	92	76	16	21.1	79.8	64.4	15.4
Kanto	Total	17,139	17,825	-686	-3.8	12,715	14,507	-1,792	-12.4	1,520	1,649	-129	-7.8	74.2	81.4	-7.2
	Total	68,049	72,481	-4,432	-6.1	34,231	36,531	-2,300	-6.3	3,395	3,238	157	4.8	50.3	50.4	-0.1
	Ibaraki	8,130	8,065	65	0.8	3,462	3,911	-449	-11.5	227	217	10	4.6	42.6	48.5	-5.9
	Tochigi	3,837	4,714	-877	-18.6	2,313	1,875	438	23.4	202	162	40	24.7	60.3	39.8	20.5
	Gunma	4,358	4,931	-573	-11.6	2,646	1,674	972	58.1	296	251	45	17.9	60.7	33.9	26.8
	Saitama	13,148	14,553	-1,405	-9.7	7,187	8,420	-1,233	-14.6	745	678	67	9.9	54.7	57.9	-3.2
Region	Chiba	16,176	17,574	-1,398	-8.0	6,489	7,505	-1,016	-13.5	516	525	-9	-1.7	40.1	42.7	-2.6
	Kanagawa	12,599	12,691	-92	-0.7	7,619	8,167	-548	-6.7	641	593	48	8.1	60.5	64.4	-3.9
	Niigata	2,349	2,349	-	-	854	896	-42	-4.7	238	256	-18	-7.0	36.4	38.1	-1.7
	Yamanashi	1,341	1,107	234	21.1	750	569	181	31.8	72	85	-13	-15.3	55.9	51.4	4.5
	Nagano	1,968	2,127	-159	-7.5	1,074	1,103	-29	-2.6	160	173	-13	-7.5	54.6	51.9	2.7
	Shizuoka	4,143	4,370	-227	-5.2	1,837	2,411	-574	-23.8	298	298	-	-	44.3	55.2	-10.9
Chubu	Total	30,547	29,054	1,493	5.1	14,301	13,764	537	3.9	1,397	1,303	94	7.2	46.8	47.4	-0.6
	Toyama	1,052	927	125	13.5	448	362	86	23.8	89	91	-2	-2.2	42.6	39.1	3.5
	Ishikawa	1,115	1,086	29	2.7	536	728	-192	-26.4	99	86	13	15.1	48.1	67.0	-18.9
	Fukui	791	675	116	17.2	492	537	-45	-8.4	95	105	-10	-9.5	62.2	79.6	-17.4
	Gifu	3,819	4,120	-301	-7.3	1,977	1,971	6	0.3	216	171	45	26.3	51.8	47.8	4.0
	Aichi	20,879	19,649	1,230	6.3	9,830	8,877	953	10.7	716	672	44	6.5	47.1	45.2	1.9
Kinki	Mie	2,891	2,597	294	11.3	1,018	1,289	-271	-21.0	182	178	4	2.2	35.2	49.6	-14.4
	Total	35,275	39,961	-4,686	-11.7	14,366	16,479	-2,113	-12.8	3,808	3,851	-43	-1.1	40.7	41.2	-0.5
	Shiga	1,536	1,454	82	5.6	838	828	10	1.2	140	159	-19	-11.9	54.6	56.9	-2.3
	Kyoto	3,215	3,752	-537	-14.3	2,075	2,004	71	3.5	335	337	-2	-0.6	64.5	53.4	11.1
	Osaka	17,971	20,598	-2,627	-12.8	5,770	6,481	-711	-11.0	2,273	2,292	-19	-0.8	32.1	31.5	0.6
	Hyogo	9,188	10,492	-1,304	-12.4	3,694	4,852	-1,158	-23.9	712	667	45	6.7	40.2	46.2	-6.0
Chugoku	Nara	1,807	2,142	-335	-15.6	989	1,294	-305	-23.6	126	173	-47	-27.2	54.7	60.4	-5.7
	Wakayama	1,558	1,523	35	2.3	1,000	1,020	-20	-2.0	222	223	-1	-0.4	64.2	67.0	-2.8
	Total	7,660	7,800	-140	-1.8	4,355	5,936	-1,581	-26.6	894	925	-31	-3.4	56.9	76.1	-19.2
	Tottori	577	507	70	13.8	383	338	45	13.3	95	84	11	13.1	66.4	66.7	-0.3
	Shimane	447	711	-264	-37.1	426	552	-126	-22.8	76	87	-11	-12.6	95.3	77.6	17.7
	Okayama	2,558	2,601	-43	-1.7	868	1,342	-474	-35.3	205	212	-7	-3.3	33.9	51.6	-17.7
Shikoku	Hiroshima	2,792	2,766	26	0.9	1,357	2,238	-881	-39.4	292	285	7	2.5	48.6	80.9	-32.3
	Yamaguchi	1,286	1,215	71	5.8	1,321	1,466	-145	-9.9	226	257	-31	-12.1	102.7	120.7	-18.0
	Total	5,218	5,339	-121	-2.3	3,630	3,562	68	1.9	652	636	16	2.5	69.6	66.7	2.9
	Tokushima	698	815	-117	-14.4	418	414	4	1.0	82	82	-	-	59.9	50.8	9.1
	Kagawa	1,061	1,248	-187	-15.0	696	1,048	-352	-33.6	108	115	-7	-6.1	65.6	84.0	-18.4
	Ehime	2,506	2,255	251	11.1	1,839	1,347	492	36.5	323	302	21	7.0	73.4	59.7	13.7
Kyushu	Kouchi	953	1,021	-68	-6.7	677	753	-76	-10.1	139	137	2	1.5	71.0	73.8	-2.8
	Total	22,047	22,207	-160	-0.7	10,399	12,263	-1,864	-15.2	1,914	2,077	-163	-7.8	47.2	55.2	-8.0
	Fukuoka	13,055	12,799	256	2.0	5,260	6,861	-1,601	-23.3	673	670	3	0.4	40.3	53.6	-13.3
	Saga	960	1,018	-58	-5.7	756	563	193	34.3	87	75	12	16.0	78.8	55.3	23.5
	Nagasaki	789	947	-158	-16.7	509	488	21	4.3	105	122	-17	-13.9	64.5	51.5	13.0
	Kumamoto	1,896	1,649	247	15.0	787	1,159	-372	-32.1	224	311	-87	-28.0	41.5	70.3	-28.8
Region	Oita	1,031	1,012	19	1.9	883	568	315	55.5	154	139	15	10.8	85.6	56.1	29.5
	Miyazaki	1,277	1,274	3	0.2	558	655	-97	-14.8	143	133	10	7.5	43.7	51.4	-7.7
	Kagoshima	1,424	1,674	-250	-14.9	629	997	-368	-36.9	202	269	-67	-24.9	44.2	59.6	-15.4
	Okinawa	1,615	1,834	-219	-11.9	1,017	972	45	4.6	326	358	-32	-8.9	63.0	53.0	10.0

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Burglary theft														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	148,488	155,047	-6,559	-4.2	81,545	87,047	-5,502	-6.3	10,852	11,079	-227	-2.0	54.9	56.1	-1.2
Hokkaido	4,695	5,239	-544	-10.4	3,058	4,467	-1,409	-31.5	435	573	-138	-24.1	65.1	85.3	-20.2
Sapporo	2,971	3,490	-519	-14.9	2,008	3,220	-1,212	-37.6	270	354	-84	-23.7	67.6	92.3	-24.7
Hakodate	515	531	-16	-3.0	379	310	69	22.3	31	47	-16	-34.0	73.6	58.4	15.2
Asahikawa	329	453	-124	-27.4	205	257	-52	-20.2	53	74	-21	-28.4	62.3	56.7	5.6
Kushiro	653	567	86	15.2	366	594	-228	-38.4	53	63	-10	-15.9	56.0	104.8	-48.8
Kitami	227	198	29	14.6	100	86	14	16.3	28	35	-7	-20.0	44.1	43.4	0.7
Tohoku	8,224	8,133	91	1.1	4,181	4,137	44	1.1	752	798	-46	-5.8	50.8	50.9	-0.1
Aomori	753	729	24	3.3	442	539	-97	-18.0	126	145	-19	-13.1	58.7	73.9	-15.2
Iwate	902	800	102	12.8	597	562	35	6.2	129	139	-10	-7.2	66.2	70.3	-4.1
Miyagi	3,429	3,504	-75	-2.1	1,518	1,410	108	7.7	226	231	-5	-2.2	44.3	40.2	4.1
Akita	438	467	-29	-6.2	350	435	-85	-19.5	80	66	14	21.2	79.9	93.1	-13.2
Yamagata	533	532	1	0.2	409	368	41	11.1	73	71	2	2.8	76.7	69.2	7.5
Fukushima	2,169	2,101	68	3.2	865	823	42	5.1	118	146	-28	-19.2	39.9	39.2	0.7
Tokyo	10,770	11,434	-664	-5.8	10,168	11,545	-1,377	-11.9	1,012	1,134	-122	-10.8	94.4	101.0	-6.6
Kanto	49,006	53,745	-4,739	-8.8	25,632	24,726	906	3.7	2,342	2,237	105	4.7	52.3	46.0	6.3
Ibaraki	5,705	5,638	67	1.2	2,600	2,205	395	17.9	164	137	27	19.7	45.6	39.1	6.5
Tochigi	3,064	4,009	-945	-23.6	2,068	1,469	599	40.8	143	112	31	27.7	67.5	36.6	30.9
Gunma	3,771	4,330	-559	-12.9	2,463	1,343	1,120	83.4	223	177	46	26.0	65.3	31.0	34.3
Saitama	9,634	11,238	-1,604	-14.3	5,570	5,240	330	6.3	528	451	77	17.1	57.8	46.6	11.2
Chiba	9,786	11,352	-1,566	-13.8	4,213	4,885	-672	-13.8	328	369	-41	-11.1	43.1	43.0	0.1
Kanagawa	8,519	8,560	-41	-0.5	5,025	5,139	-114	-2.2	379	358	21	5.9	59.0	60.0	-1.0
Niigata	2,139	2,085	54	2.6	748	780	-32	-4.1	189	213	-24	-11.3	35.0	37.4	-2.4
Yamanashi	1,196	963	233	24.2	695	511	184	36.0	47	66	-19	-28.8	58.1	53.1	5.0
Nagano	1,739	1,865	-126	-6.8	991	1,047	-56	-5.3	132	146	-14	-9.6	57.0	56.1	0.9
Shizuoka	3,453	3,705	-252	-6.8	1,259	2,107	-848	-40.2	209	208	1	0.5	36.5	56.9	-20.4
Chubu	22,823	21,385	1,438	6.7	12,396	12,558	-162	-1.3	1,015	936	79	8.4	54.3	58.7	-4.4
Toyama	958	815	143	17.5	405	323	82	25.4	57	72	-15	-20.8	42.3	39.6	2.7
Ishikawa	1,007	971	36	3.7	501	701	-200	-28.5	85	72	13	18.1	49.8	72.2	-22.4
Fukui	713	563	150	26.6	453	488	-35	-7.2	72	68	4	5.9	63.5	86.7	-23.2
Gifu	3,280	3,434	-154	-4.5	1,841	1,794	47	2.6	169	119	50	42.0	56.1	52.2	3.9
Aichi	14,575	13,558	1,017	7.5	8,291	8,200	91	1.1	501	481	20	4.2	56.9	60.5	-3.6
Mie	2,290	2,044	246	12.0	905	1,052	-147	-14.0	131	124	7	5.6	39.5	51.5	-12.0
Kinki	23,358	25,803	-2,445	-9.5	10,230	11,444	-1,214	-10.6	2,600	2,643	-43	-1.6	43.8	44.4	-0.6
Shiga	1,264	1,146	118	10.3	669	576	93	16.1	87	105	-18	-17.1	52.9	50.3	2.6
Kyoto	2,210	2,373	-163	-6.9	1,691	1,452	239	16.5	238	206	32	15.5	76.5	61.2	15.3
Osaka	11,019	12,248	-1,229	-10.0	3,893	4,288	-395	-9.2	1,553	1,611	-58	-3.6	35.3	35.0	0.3
Hyogo	6,288	7,157	-869	-12.1	2,309	3,204	-895	-27.9	480	454	26	5.7	36.7	44.8	-8.1
Nara	1,278	1,648	-370	-22.5	837	1,046	-209	-20.0	69	112	-43	-38.4	65.5	63.5	2.0
Wakayama	1,299	1,231	68	5.5	831	878	-47	-5.4	173	155	18	11.6	64.0	71.3	-7.3
Chugoku	6,629	6,834	-205	-3.0	3,946	5,318	-1,372	-25.8	701	740	-39	-5.3	59.5	77.8	-18.3
Tottori	534	476	58	12.2	356	287	69	24.0	80	68	12	17.6	66.7	60.3	6.4
Shimane	417	690	-273	-39.6	382	541	-159	-29.4	60	78	-18	-23.1	91.6	78.4	13.2
Okayama	2,189	2,191	-2	-0.1	755	1,002	-247	-24.7	139	159	-20	-12.6	34.5	45.7	-11.2
Hiroshima	2,318	2,350	-32	-1.4	1,228	2,100	-872	-41.5	222	215	7	3.3	53.0	89.4	-36.4
Yamaguchi	1,171	1,127	44	3.9	1,225	1,388	-163	-11.7	200	220	-20	-9.1	104.6	123.2	-18.6
Shikoku	4,633	4,567	66	1.4	3,290	3,216	74	2.3	519	497	22	4.4	71.0	70.4	0.6
Tokushima	667	720	-53	-7.4	405	351	54	15.4	73	57	16	28.1	60.7	48.8	11.9
Kagawa	931	993	-62	-6.2	594	943	-349	-37.0	77	88	-11	-12.5	63.8	95.0	-31.2
Ehime	2,236	1,960	276	14.1	1,656	1,205	451	37.4	253	232	21	9.1	74.1	61.5	12.6
Kouchi	799	894	-95	-10.6	635	717	-82	-11.4	116	120	-4	-3.3	79.5	80.2	-0.7
Kyushu	18,350	17,907	443	2.5	8,644	9,636	-992	-10.3	1,476	1,521	-45	-3.0	47.1	53.8	-6.7
Fukuoka	10,194	9,527	667	7.0	3,897	4,873	-976	-20.0	467	431	36	8.4	38.2	51.1	-12.9
Saga	887	916	-29	-3.2	722	506	216	42.7	71	53	18	34.0	81.4	55.2	26.2
Nagasaki	725	830	-105	-12.7	477	438	39	8.9	92	96	-4	-4.2	65.8	52.8	13.0
Kumamoto	1,654	1,426	228	16.0	697	1,027	-330	-32.1	188	266	-78	-29.3	42.1	72.0	-29.9
Oita	950	911	39	4.3	845	507	338	66.7	125	113	12	10.6	88.9	55.7	33.2
Miyazaki	1,194	1,193	1	0.1	508	605	-97	-16.0	117	102	15	14.7	42.5	50.7	-8.2
Kagoshima	1,311	1,487	-176	-11.8	565	825	-260	-31.5	168	202	-34	-16.8	43.1	55.5	-12.4
Okinawa	1,435	1,617	-182	-11.3	933	855	78	9.1	248	258	-10	-3.9	65.0	52.9	12.1

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Burglary theft (at residence)														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	81,436	91,082	-9,646	-10.6	48,157	49,600	-1,443	-2.9	4,170	4,182	-12	-0.3	59.1	54.5	4.6
Hokkaido	2,472	2,757	-285	-10.3	1,348	2,063	-715	-34.7	152	190	-38	-20.0	54.5	74.8	-20.3
Sapporo	1,673	1,844	-171	-9.3	868	1,240	-372	-30.0	92	113	-21	-18.6	51.9	67.2	-15.3
Hakodate	280	351	-71	-20.2	210	219	-9	-4.1	15	17	-2	-11.8	75.0	62.4	12.6
Asahikawa	124	200	-76	-38.0	121	91	30	33.0	19	23	-4	-17.4	97.6	45.5	52.1
Kushiro	316	285	31	10.9	126	483	-357	-73.9	18	28	-10	-35.7	39.9	169.5	-129.6
Kitami	79	77	2	2.6	23	30	-7	-23.3	8	9	-1	-11.1	29.1	39.0	-9.9
Tohoku	3,869	4,384	-515	-11.7	2,050	1,958	92	4.7	265	296	-31	-10.5	53.0	44.7	8.3
Aomori	308	306	2	0.7	169	290	-121	-41.7	49	52	-3	-5.8	54.9	94.8	-39.9
Iwate	353	349	4	1.1	206	157	49	31.2	42	49	-7	-14.3	58.4	45.0	13.4
Miyagi	1,843	2,098	-255	-12.2	837	759	78	10.3	81	83	-2	-2.4	45.4	36.2	9.2
Akita	176	222	-46	-20.7	162	225	-63	-28.0	32	28	4	14.3	92.0	101.4	-9.4
Yamagata	137	246	-109	-44.3	68	143	-75	-52.4	19	24	-5	-20.8	49.6	58.1	-8.5
Fukushima	1,052	1,163	-111	-9.5	608	384	224	58.3	42	60	-18	-30.0	57.8	33.0	24.8
Tokyo	6,693	7,657	-964	-12.6	7,413	8,331	-918	-11.0	460	561	-101	-18.0	110.8	108.8	2.0
Kanto	28,247	33,749	-5,502	-16.3	15,740	14,233	1,507	10.6	921	872	49	5.6	55.7	42.2	13.5
Ibaraki	2,978	3,327	-349	-10.5	1,014	1,264	-250	-19.8	72	56	16	28.6	34.0	38.0	-4.0
Tochigi	1,587	2,373	-786	-33.1	1,233	976	257	26.3	56	54	2	3.7	77.7	41.1	36.6
Gunma	2,382	2,557	-175	-6.8	1,777	544	1,233	226.7	96	57	39	68.4	74.6	21.3	53.3
Saitama	5,689	7,527	-1,838	-24.4	3,550	3,835	-285	-7.4	201	183	18	9.8	62.4	50.9	11.5
Chiba	5,708	7,053	-1,345	-19.1	2,419	2,531	-112	-4.4	136	140	-4	-2.9	42.4	35.9	6.5
Kanagawa	5,625	6,070	-445	-7.3	3,838	3,340	498	14.9	161	163	-2	-1.2	68.2	55.0	13.2
Niigata	1,020	1,185	-165	-13.9	313	397	-84	-21.2	66	74	-8	-10.8	30.7	33.5	-2.8
Yamanashi	656	554	102	18.4	507	264	243	92.0	19	31	-12	-38.7	77.3	47.7	29.6
Nagano	590	835	-245	-29.3	392	353	39	11.0	38	45	-7	-15.6	66.4	42.3	24.1
Shizuoka	2,012	2,268	-256	-11.3	697	729	-32	-4.4	76	69	7	10.1	34.6	32.1	2.5
Chubu	11,612	12,511	-899	-7.2	8,369	7,488	881	11.8	395	347	48	13.8	72.1	59.9	12.2
Toyama	355	391	-36	-9.2	202	146	56	38.4	25	31	-6	-19.4	56.9	37.3	19.6
Ishikawa	532	518	14	2.7	301	419	-118	-28.2	34	30	4	13.3	56.6	80.9	-24.3
Fukui	301	269	32	11.9	221	194	27	13.9	23	18	5	27.8	73.4	72.1	1.3
Gifu	1,536	2,116	-580	-27.4	1,139	1,091	48	4.4	57	46	11	23.9	74.2	51.6	22.6
Aichi	7,703	8,077	-374	-4.6	5,890	5,109	781	15.3	204	176	28	15.9	76.5	63.3	13.2
Mie	1,185	1,140	45	3.9	616	529	87	16.4	52	46	6	13.0	52.0	46.4	5.6
Kinki	12,738	14,731	-1,993	-13.5	5,548	6,314	-766	-12.1	886	873	13	1.5	43.6	42.9	0.7
Shiga	632	602	30	5.0	429	263	166	63.1	40	43	-3	-7.0	67.9	43.7	24.2
Kyoto	1,284	1,410	-126	-8.9	897	932	-35	-3.8	100	70	30	42.9	69.9	66.1	3.8
Osaka	5,838	6,949	-1,111	-16.0	2,076	2,330	-254	-10.9	487	507	-20	-3.9	35.6	33.5	2.1
Hyogo	3,578	4,123	-545	-13.2	1,401	1,655	-254	-15.3	191	161	30	18.6	39.2	40.1	-0.9
Nara	776	1,037	-261	-25.2	350	563	-213	-37.8	24	49	-25	-51.0	45.1	54.3	-9.2
Wakayama	630	610	20	3.3	395	571	-176	-30.8	44	43	1	2.3	62.7	93.6	-30.9
Chugoku	3,518	3,351	167	5.0	1,554	2,396	-842	-35.1	286	274	12	4.4	44.2	71.5	-27.3
Tottori	314	248	66	26.6	221	118	103	87.3	24	23	1	4.3	70.4	47.6	22.8
Shimane	147	310	-163	-52.6	69	234	-165	-70.5	24	32	-8	-25.0	46.9	75.5	-28.6
Okayama	1,251	1,160	91	7.8	374	348	26	7.5	46	58	-12	-20.7	29.9	30.0	-0.1
Hiroshima	1,209	1,099	110	10.0	365	731	-366	-50.1	86	72	14	19.4	30.2	66.5	-36.3
Yamaguchi	597	534	63	11.8	525	965	-440	-45.6	106	89	17	19.1	87.9	180.7	-92.8
Shikoku	2,211	1,968	243	12.3	1,692	947	745	78.7	205	181	24	13.3	76.5	48.1	28.4
Tokushima	266	328	-62	-18.9	88	177	-89	-50.3	28	26	2	7.7	33.1	54.0	-20.9
Kagawa	481	470	11	2.3	431	171	260	152.0	37	25	12	48.0	89.6	36.4	53.2
Ehime	1,094	865	229	26.5	886	465	421	90.5	103	90	13	14.4	81.0	53.8	27.2
Kouchi	370	305	65	21.3	287	134	153	114.2	37	40	-3	-7.5	77.6	43.9	33.7
Kyushu	10,076	9,974	102	1.0	4,443	5,870	-1,427	-24.3	600	588	12	2.0	44.1	58.9	-14.8
Fukuoka	5,692	5,513	179	3.2	2,368	3,424	-1,056	-30.8	189	173	16	9.2	41.6	62.1	-20.5
Saga	558	529	29	5.5	492	399	93	23.3	40	25	15	60.0	88.2	75.4	12.8
Nagasaki	350	490	-140	-28.6	279	266	13	4.9	52	38	14	36.8	79.7	54.3	25.4
Kumamoto	870	754	116	15.4	217	455	-238	-52.3	80	103	-23	-22.3	24.9	60.3	-35.4
Oita	548	477	71	14.9	348	287	61	21.3	47	41	6	14.6	63.5	60.2	3.3
Miyazaki	680	605	75	12.4	261	285	-24	-8.4	54	39	15	38.5	38.4	47.1	-8.7
Kagoshima	699	835	-136	-16.3	240	455	-215	-47.3	48	87	-39	-44.8	34.3	54.5	-20.2
Okinawa	679	771	-92	-11.9	238	299	-61	-20.4	90	82	8	9.8	35.1	38.8	-3.7

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Burglary theft (at non-residence)														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	67,052	63,965	3,087	4.8	33,388	37,447	-4,059	-10.8	6,682	6,897	-215	-3.1	49.8	58.5	-8.7
Hokkaido	2,223	2,482	-259	-10.4	1,710	2,404	-694	-28.9	283	383	-100	-26.1	76.9	96.9	-20.0
Sapporo	1,298	1,646	-348	-21.1	1,140	1,980	-840	-42.4	178	241	-63	-26.1	87.8	120.3	-32.5
Hakodate	235	180	55	30.6	169	91	78	85.7	16	30	-14	-46.7	71.9	50.6	21.3
Asahikawa	205	253	-48	-19.0	84	166	-82	-49.4	34	51	-17	-33.3	41.0	65.6	-24.6
Kushiro	337	282	55	19.5	240	111	129	116.2	35	35	-	-	71.2	39.4	31.8
Kitami	148	121	27	22.3	77	56	21	37.5	20	26	-6	-23.1	52.0	46.3	5.7
Tohoku	4,355	3,749	606	16.2	2,131	2,179	-48	-2.2	487	502	-15	-3.0	48.9	58.1	-9.2
Aomori	445	423	22	5.2	273	249	24	9.6	77	93	-16	-17.2	61.3	58.9	2.4
Iwate	549	451	98	21.7	391	405	-14	-3.5	87	90	-3	-3.3	71.2	89.8	-18.6
Miyagi	1,586	1,406	180	12.8	681	651	30	4.6	145	148	-3	-2.0	42.9	46.3	-3.4
Akita	262	245	17	6.9	188	210	-22	-10.5	48	38	10	26.3	71.8	85.7	-13.9
Yamagata	396	286	110	38.5	341	225	116	51.6	54	47	7	14.9	86.1	78.7	7.4
Fukushima	1,117	938	179	19.1	257	439	-182	-41.5	76	86	-10	-11.6	23.0	46.8	-23.8
Tokyo	4,077	3,777	300	7.9	2,755	3,214	-459	-14.3	552	573	-21	-3.7	67.6	85.1	-17.5
Kanto	20,759	19,996	763	3.8	9,892	10,493	-601	-5.7	1,421	1,365	56	4.1	47.7	52.5	-4.8
Ibaraki	2,727	2,311	416	18.0	1,586	941	645	68.5	92	81	11	13.6	58.2	40.7	17.5
Tochigi	1,477	1,636	-159	-9.7	835	493	342	69.4	87	58	29	50.0	56.5	30.1	26.4
Gunma	1,389	1,773	-384	-21.7	686	799	-113	-14.1	127	120	7	5.8	49.4	45.1	4.3
Saitama	3,945	3,711	234	6.3	2,020	1,405	615	43.8	327	268	59	22.0	51.2	37.9	13.3
Chiba	4,078	4,299	-221	-5.1	1,794	2,354	-560	-23.8	192	229	-37	-16.2	44.0	54.8	-10.8
Kanagawa	2,894	2,490	404	16.2	1,187	1,799	-612	-34.0	218	195	23	11.8	41.0	72.2	-31.2
Niigata	1,119	900	219	24.3	435	383	52	13.6	123	139	-16	-11.5	38.9	42.6	-3.7
Yamanashi	540	409	131	32.0	188	247	-59	-23.9	28	35	-7	-20.0	34.8	60.4	-25.6
Nagano	1,149	1,030	119	11.6	599	694	-95	-13.7	94	101	-7	-6.9	52.1	67.4	-15.3
Shizuoka	1,441	1,437	4	0.3	562	1,378	-816	-59.2	133	139	-6	-4.3	39.0	95.9	-56.9
Chubu	11,211	8,874	2,337	26.3	4,027	5,070	-1,043	-20.6	620	589	31	5.3	35.9	57.1	-21.2
Toyama	603	424	179	42.2	203	177	26	14.7	32	41	-9	-22.0	33.7	41.7	-8.0
Ishikawa	475	453	22	4.9	200	282	-82	-29.1	51	42	9	21.4	42.1	62.3	-20.2
Fukui	412	294	118	40.1	232	294	-62	-21.1	49	50	-1	-2.0	56.3	100.0	-43.7
Gifu	1,744	1,318	426	32.3	702	703	-1	-0.1	112	73	39	53.4	40.3	53.3	-13.0
Aichi	6,872	5,481	1,391	25.4	2,401	3,091	-690	-22.3	297	305	-8	-2.6	34.9	56.4	-21.5
Mie	1,105	904	201	22.2	289	523	-234	-44.7	79	78	1	1.3	26.2	57.9	-31.7
Total	10,620	11,072	-452	-4.1	4,682	5,130	-448	-8.7	1,714	1,770	-56	-3.2	44.1	46.3	-2.2
Shiga	632	544	88	16.2	240	313	-73	-23.3	47	62	-15	-24.2	38.0	57.5	-19.5
Kyoto	926	963	-37	-3.8	794	520	274	52.7	138	136	2	1.5	85.7	54.0	31.7
Osaka	5,181	5,299	-118	-2.2	1,817	1,958	-141	-7.2	1,066	1,104	-38	-3.4	35.1	37.0	-1.9
Hyogo	2,710	3,034	-324	-10.7	908	1,549	-641	-41.4	289	293	-4	-1.4	33.5	51.1	-17.6
Nara	502	611	-109	-17.8	487	483	4	0.8	45	63	-18	-28.6	97.0	79.1	17.9
Wakayama	669	621	48	7.7	436	307	129	42.0	129	112	17	15.2	65.2	49.4	15.8
Chugoku	3,111	3,483	-372	-10.7	2,392	2,922	-530	-18.1	415	466	-51	-10.9	76.9	83.9	-7.0
Tottori	220	228	-8	-3.5	135	169	-34	-20.1	56	45	11	24.4	61.4	74.1	-12.7
Shimane	270	380	-110	-28.9	313	307	6	2.0	36	46	-10	-21.7	115.9	80.8	35.1
Okayama	938	1,031	-93	-9.0	381	654	-273	-41.7	93	101	-8	-7.9	40.6	63.4	-22.8
Hiroshima	1,109	1,251	-142	-11.4	863	1,369	-506	-37.0	136	143	-7	-4.9	77.8	109.4	-31.6
Yamaguchi	574	593	-19	-3.2	700	423	277	65.5	94	131	-37	-28.2	122.0	71.3	50.7
Shikoku	2,422	2,599	-177	-6.8	1,598	2,269	-671	-29.6	314	316	-2	-0.6	66.0	87.3	-21.3
Tokushima	401	392	9	2.3	317	174	143	82.2	45	31	14	45.2	79.1	44.4	34.7
Kagawa	450	523	-73	-14.0	163	772	-609	-78.9	40	63	-23	-36.5	36.2	147.6	-111.4
Ehime	1,142	1,095	47	4.3	770	740	30	4.1	150	142	8	5.6	67.4	67.6	-0.2
Kouchi	429	589	-160	-27.2	348	583	-235	-40.3	79	80	-1	-1.3	81.1	99.0	-17.9
Kyushu	8,274	7,933	341	4.3	4,201	3,766	435	11.6	876	933	-57	-6.1	50.8	47.5	3.3
Fukuoka	4,502	4,014	488	12.2	1,529	1,449	80	5.5	278	258	20	7.8	34.0	36.1	-2.1
Saga	329	387	-58	-15.0	230	107	123	115.0	31	28	3	10.7	69.9	27.6	42.3
Nagasaki	375	340	35	10.3	198	172	26	15.1	40	58	-18	-31.0	52.8	50.6	2.2
Kumamoto	784	672	112	16.7	480	572	-92	-16.1	108	163	-55	-33.7	61.2	85.1	-23.9
Oita	402	434	-32	-7.4	497	220	277	125.9	78	72	6	8.3	123.6	50.7	72.9
Miyazaki	514	588	-74	-12.6	247	320	-73	-22.8	63	63	-	-	48.1	54.4	-6.3
Kagoshima	612	652	-40	-6.1	325	370	-45	-12.2	120	115	5	4.3	53.1	56.7	-3.6
Okinawa	756	846	-90	-10.6	695	556	139	25.0	158	176	-18	-10.2	91.9	65.7	26.2

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Motor vehicle theft															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	25,815	27,515	-1,700	-6.2	9,557	12,569	-3,012	-24.0	2,045	2,228	-183	-8.2	37.0	45.7	-8.7	
Hokkaido	602	783	-181	-23.1	326	259	67	25.9	111	134	-23	-17.2	54.2	33.1	21.1	
Sapporo	439	598	-159	-26.6	267	183	84	45.9	68	92	-24	-26.1	60.8	30.6	30.2	
Hakodate	36	30	6	20.0	10	8	2	25.0	16	3	13	433.3	27.8	26.7	1.1	
Asahikawa	47	59	-12	-20.3	19	33	-14	-42.4	15	12	3	25.0	40.4	55.9	-15.5	
Kushiro	57	59	-2	-3.4	20	19	1	5.3	9	16	-7	-43.8	35.1	32.2	2.9	
Kitami	23	37	-14	-37.8	10	16	-6	-37.5	3	11	-8	-72.7	43.5	43.2	0.3	
Tohoku	563	667	-104	-15.6	329	496	-167	-33.7	165	158	7	4.4	58.4	74.4	-16.0	
Aomori	90	84	6	7.1	37	40	-3	-7.5	31	34	-3	-8.8	41.1	47.6	-6.5	
Iwate	37	37	-	-	20	16	4	25.0	13	10	3	30.0	54.1	43.2	10.9	
Miyagi	157	304	-147	-48.4	123	340	-217	-63.8	42	60	-18	-30.0	78.3	111.8	-33.5	
Akita	27	32	-5	-15.6	29	19	10	52.6	15	14	1	7.1	107.4	59.4	48.0	
Yamagata	48	43	5	11.6	62	10	52	520.0	16	4	12	300.0	129.2	23.3	105.9	
Fukushima	204	167	37	22.2	58	71	-13	-18.3	48	36	12	33.3	28.4	42.5	-14.1	
Tokyo	548	685	-137	-20.0	513	356	157	44.1	76	89	-13	-14.6	93.6	52.0	41.6	
Kanto	10,878	10,979	-101	-0.9	4,167	7,142	-2,975	-41.7	599	556	43	7.7	38.3	65.1	-26.8	
Ibaraki	2,144	2,194	-50	-2.3	733	1,631	-898	-55.1	43	63	-20	-31.7	34.2	74.3	-40.1	
Tochigi	676	524	152	29.0	200	362	-162	-44.8	44	36	8	22.2	29.6	69.1	-39.5	
Gunma	480	493	-13	-2.6	151	305	-154	-50.5	56	62	-6	-9.7	31.5	61.9	-30.4	
Saitama	1,383	1,295	88	6.8	598	1,356	-758	-55.9	106	105	1	1.0	43.2	104.7	-61.5	
Chiba	3,882	3,665	217	5.9	760	1,232	-472	-38.3	114	82	32	39.0	19.6	33.6	-14.0	
Kanagawa	1,450	1,944	-494	-25.4	1,109	1,878	-769	-40.9	86	78	8	10.3	76.5	96.6	-20.1	
Niigata	146	138	8	5.8	51	79	-28	-35.4	33	29	4	13.8	34.9	57.2	-22.3	
Yamanashi	118	102	16	15.7	48	35	13	37.1	21	16	5	31.3	40.7	34.3	6.4	
Nagano	163	207	-44	-21.3	67	47	20	42.6	27	26	1	3.8	41.1	22.7	18.4	
Shizuoka	436	417	19	4.6	450	217	233	107.4	69	59	10	16.9	103.2	52.0	51.2	
Chubu	5,432	5,045	387	7.7	1,384	781	603	77.2	250	234	16	6.8	25.5	15.5	10.0	
Toyama	61	78	-17	-21.8	36	33	3	9.1	27	15	12	80.0	59.0	42.3	16.7	
Ishikawa	54	59	-5	-8.5	17	20	-3	-15.0	8	7	1	14.3	31.5	33.9	-2.4	
Fukui	58	73	-15	-20.5	30	31	-1	-3.2	16	24	-8	-33.3	51.7	42.5	9.2	
Gifu	415	454	-39	-8.6	112	98	14	14.3	37	31	6	19.4	27.0	21.6	5.4	
Aichi	4,442	4,001	441	11.0	1,118	396	722	182.3	123	110	13	11.8	25.2	9.9	15.3	
Mie	402	380	22	5.8	71	203	-132	-65.0	39	47	-8	-17.0	17.7	53.4	-35.7	
Kinki	5,517	6,572	-1,055	-16.1	1,718	1,665	53	3.2	451	510	-59	-11.6	31.1	25.3	5.8	
Shiga	201	233	-32	-13.7	120	217	-97	-44.7	44	42	2	4.8	59.7	93.1	-33.4	
Kyoto	302	534	-232	-43.4	103	231	-128	-55.4	27	53	-26	-49.1	34.1	43.3	-9.2	
Osaka	2,746	3,480	-734	-21.1	653	774	-121	-15.6	234	276	-42	-15.2	23.8	22.2	1.6	
Hyogo	1,885	1,925	-40	-2.1	664	244	420	172.1	97	73	24	32.9	35.2	12.7	22.5	
Nara	260	251	9	3.6	116	148	-32	-21.6	33	35	-2	-5.7	44.6	59.0	-14.4	
Wakayama	123	149	-26	-17.4	62	51	11	21.6	16	31	-15	-48.4	50.4	34.2	16.2	
Chugoku	443	451	-8	-1.8	258	479	-221	-46.1	102	122	-20	-16.4	58.2	106.2	-48.0	
Tottori	39	20	19	95.0	27	41	-14	-34.1	15	9	6	66.7	69.2	205.0	-135.8	
Shimane	26	15	11	73.3	44	8	36	450.0	15	6	9	150.0	169.2	53.3	115.9	
Okayama	193	226	-33	-14.6	59	332	-273	-82.2	36	47	-11	-23.4	30.6	146.9	-116.3	
Hiroshima	127	137	-10	-7.3	48	49	-1	-2.0	26	41	-15	-36.6	37.8	35.8	2.0	
Yamaguchi	58	53	5	9.4	80	49	31	63.3	10	19	-9	-47.4	137.9	92.5	45.4	
Shikoku	209	298	-89	-29.9	125	204	-79	-38.7	52	85	-33	-38.8	59.8	68.5	-8.7	
Tokushima	16	50	-34	-68.0	10	42	-32	-76.2	7	18	-11	-61.1	62.5	84.0	-21.5	
Kagawa	61	82	-21	-25.6	23	63	-40	-63.5	12	16	-4	-25.0	37.7	76.8	-39.1	
Ehime	96	120	-24	-20.0	69	65	4	6.2	21	36	-15	-41.7	71.9	54.2	17.7	
Kouchi	36	46	-10	-21.7	23	34	-11	-32.4	12	15	-3	-20.0	63.9	73.9	-10.0	
Kyushu	1,623	2,035	-412	-20.2	737	1,187	-450	-37.9	239	340	-101	-29.7	45.4	58.3	-12.9	
Fukuoka	1,154	1,400	-246	-17.6	466	706	-240	-34.0	86	113	-27	-23.9	40.4	50.4	-10.0	
Saga	53	73	-20	-27.4	31	51	-20	-39.2	14	21	-7	-33.3	58.5	69.9	-11.4	
Nagasaki	35	60	-25	-41.7	23	30	-7	-23.3	9	21	-12	-57.1	65.7	50.0	15.7	
Kumamoto	100	110	-10	-9.1	45	88	-43	-48.9	20	25	-5	-20.0	45.0	80.0	-35.0	
Oita	42	66	-24	-36.4	20	41	-21	-51.2	16	17	-1	-5.9	47.6	62.1	-14.5	
Miyazaki	41	55	-14	-25.5	42	43	-1	-2.3	22	26	-4	-15.4	102.4	78.2	24.2	
Kagoshima	73	123	-50	-40.7	50	149	-99	-66.4	21	52	-31	-59.6	68.5	121.1	-52.6	
Okinawa	125	148	-23	-15.5	60	79	-19	-24.1	51	65	-14	-21.5	48.0	53.4	-5.4	

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Purse snatching															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Change	
Total	19,036	19,145	-109	-0.6	9,051	11,229	-2,178	-19.4	1,438	1,251	187	14.9	47.5	58.7	-11.2	
Hokkaido	159	135	24	17.8	44	52	-8	-15.4	29	27	2	7.4	27.7	38.5	-10.8	
Sapporo	129	98	31	31.6	30	36	-6	-16.7	24	19	5	26.3	23.3	36.7	-13.4	
Hakodate	6	8	-2	-25.0	2	-	2	-	1	2	-1	-50.0	33.3	-	33.3	
Asahikawa	18	19	-1	-5.3	9	10	-1	-10.0	2	2	-	-	50.0	52.6	-2.6	
Kushiro	5	7	-2	-28.6	1	6	-5	-83.3	1	4	-3	-75.0	20.0	85.7	-65.7	
Kitami	1	3	-2	-66.7	2	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	200.0	-	200.0	
Tohoku	128	152	-24	-15.8	41	38	3	7.9	28	21	7	33.3	32.0	25.0	7.0	
Aomori	15	17	-2	-11.8	8	11	-3	-27.3	4	3	1	33.3	53.3	64.7	-11.4	
Iwate	6	5	1	20.0	3	3	-	-	2	2	-	-	50.0	60.0	-10.0	
Miyagi	73	91	-18	-19.8	22	18	4	22.2	14	10	4	40.0	30.1	19.8	10.3	
Akita	4	5	-1	-20.0	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	-	25.0	20.0	5.0	
Yamagata	9	8	1	12.5	2	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	22.2	-	22.2	
Fukushima	21	26	-5	-19.2	5	5	-	-	5	4	1	25.0	23.8	19.2	4.6	
Tokyo	2,304	1,983	321	16.2	1,352	2,168	-816	-37.6	217	173	44	25.4	58.7	109.3	-50.6	
Kanto	7,148	6,605	543	8.2	3,972	4,252	-280	-6.6	316	303	13	4.3	55.6	64.4	-8.8	
Ibaraki	198	147	51	34.7	102	65	37	56.9	15	15	-	-	51.5	44.2	7.3	
Tochigi	71	122	-51	-41.8	41	32	9	28.1	13	10	3	30.0	57.7	26.2	31.5	
Gunma	74	81	-7	-8.6	30	21	9	42.9	15	12	3	25.0	40.5	25.9	14.6	
Saitama	1,862	1,733	129	7.4	877	1,699	-822	-48.4	77	73	4	5.5	47.1	98.0	-50.9	
Chiba	2,211	2,237	-26	-1.2	1,380	1,272	108	8.5	48	44	4	9.1	62.4	56.9	5.5	
Kanagawa	2,472	1,995	477	23.9	1,417	1,057	360	34.1	125	120	5	4.2	57.3	53.0	4.3	
Niigata	26	73	-47	-64.4	44	13	31	238.5	8	6	2	33.3	169.2	17.8	151.4	
Yamanashi	19	36	-17	-47.2	5	23	-18	-78.3	2	3	-1	-33.3	26.3	63.9	-37.6	
Nagano	14	8	6	75.0	7	3	4	133.3	-	-	-	-	50.0	37.5	12.5	
Shizuoka	201	173	28	16.2	69	67	2	3.0	13	20	-7	-35.0	34.3	38.7	-4.4	
Chubu	1,826	2,039	-213	-10.4	425	327	98	30.0	95	99	-4	-4.0	23.3	16.0	7.3	
Toyama	7	8	-1	-12.5	3	3	-	-	3	2	1	50.0	42.9	37.5	5.4	
Ishikawa	18	19	-1	-5.3	7	1	6	600.0	4	-	4	-	38.9	5.3	33.6	
Fukui	5	22	-17	-77.3	-	8	-8	-100.0	-	7	-7	-100.0	-	36.4	-36.4	
Gifu	69	114	-45	-39.5	19	41	-22	-53.7	7	17	-10	-58.8	27.5	36.0	-8.5	
Aichi	1,555	1,757	-202	-11.5	360	240	120	50.0	72	66	6	9.1	23.2	13.7	9.5	
Mie	172	119	53	44.5	36	34	2	5.9	9	7	2	28.6	20.9	28.6	-7.7	
Kinki	4,975	5,743	-768	-13.4	2,032	3,002	-970	-32.3	498	442	56	12.7	40.8	52.3	-11.5	
Shiga	35	52	-17	-32.7	37	29	8	27.6	4	6	-2	-33.3	105.7	55.8	49.9	
Kyoto	617	661	-44	-6.7	226	265	-39	-14.7	43	57	-14	-24.6	36.6	40.1	-3.5	
Osaka	3,168	3,562	-394	-11.1	987	1,231	-244	-19.8	321	247	74	30.0	31.2	34.6	-3.4	
Hyogo	825	1,163	-338	-29.1	667	1,334	-667	-50.0	100	101	-1	-1.0	80.8	114.7	-33.9	
Nara	241	208	33	15.9	32	88	-56	-63.6	20	15	5	33.3	13.3	42.3	-29.0	
Wakayama	89	97	-8	-8.2	83	55	28	50.9	10	16	-6	-37.5	93.3	56.7	36.6	
Chugoku	455	367	88	24.0	128	84	44	52.4	73	33	40	121.2	28.1	22.9	5.2	
Tottori	4	8	-4	-50.0	-	7	-7	-100.0	-	4	-4	-100.0	-	87.5	-87.5	
Shimane	3	4	-1	-25.0	-	3	-3	-100.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	-	75.0	-75.0	
Okayama	134	145	-11	-7.6	48	3	45	1,500.0	28	2	26	1,300.0	35.8	2.1	33.7	
Hiroshima	290	185	105	56.8	71	47	24	51.1	36	13	23	176.9	24.5	25.4	-0.9	
Yamaguchi	24	25	-1	-4.0	9	24	-15	-62.5	8	12	-4	-33.3	37.5	96.0	-58.5	
Shikoku	215	321	-106	-33.0	131	106	25	23.6	50	31	19	61.3	60.9	33.0	27.9	
Tokushima	9	20	-11	-55.0	3	11	-8	-72.7	2	4	-2	-50.0	33.3	55.0	-21.7	
Kagawa	49	151	-102	-67.5	74	41	33	80.5	16	11	5	45.5	151.0	27.2	123.8	
Ehime	82	104	-22	-21.2	45	52	-7	-13.5	28	14	14	100.0	54.9	50.0	4.9	
Kouchi	75	46	29	63.0	9	2	7	350.0	4	2	2	100.0	12.0	4.3	7.7	
Kyushu	1,826	1,800	26	1.4	926	1,200	-274	-22.8	132	122	10	8.2	50.7	66.7	-16.0	
Fukuoka	1,557	1,559	-2	-0.1	849	1,119	-270	-24.1	92	83	9	10.8	54.5	71.8	-17.3	
Saga	16	23	-7	-30.4	2	5	-3	-60.0	1	1	-	-	12.5	21.7	-9.2	
Nagasaki	16	13	3	23.1	8	2	6	300.0	3	1	2	200.0	50.0	15.4	34.6	
Kumamoto	123	82	41	50.0	38	36	2	5.6	11	16	-5	-31.3	30.9	43.9	-13.0	
Oita	24	19	5	26.3	6	5	1	20.0	5	5	-	-	25.0	26.3	-1.3	
Miyazaki	33	14	19	135.7	5	3	2	66.7	1	1	-	-	15.2	21.4	-6.2	
Kagoshima	23	45	-22	-48.9	6	11	-5	-45.5	7	4	3	75.0	26.1	24.4	1.7	
Okinawa	34	45	-11	-24.4	12	19	-7	-36.8	12	11	1	9.1	35.3	42.2	-6.9	

Table 5 : Index serious and larceny offenses known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Pick-pocketing														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	7,233	8,396	-1,163	-13.9	1,977	1,762	215	12.2	824	897	-73	-8.1	27.3	21.0	6.3
Hokkaido	130	144	-14	-9.7	119	75	44	58.7	39	42	-3	-7.1	91.5	52.1	39.4
Sapporo	77	119	-42	-35.3	81	62	19	30.6	22	33	-11	-33.3	105.2	52.1	53.1
Hakodate	9	7	2	28.6	4	3	1	33.3	3	3	-	-	44.4	42.9	1.5
Asahikawa	35	12	23	191.7	27	6	21	350.0	6	2	4	200.0	77.1	50.0	27.1
Kushiro	5	6	-1	-16.7	4	4	-	-	5	4	1	25.0	80.0	66.7	13.3
Kitami	4	-	4	-	3	-	3	-	3	-	3	-	75.0	-	75.0
Tohoku	136	183	-47	-25.7	35	41	-6	-14.6	20	23	-3	-13.0	25.7	22.4	3.3
Aomori	17	34	-17	-50.0	7	2	5	250.0	5	2	3	150.0	41.2	5.9	35.3
Iwate	9	13	-4	-30.8	4	3	1	33.3	4	3	1	33.3	44.4	23.1	21.3
Miyagi	90	102	-12	-11.8	20	32	-12	-37.5	8	12	-4	-33.3	22.2	31.4	-9.2
Akita	5	14	-9	-64.3	3	2	1	50.0	1	4	-3	-75.0	60.0	14.3	45.7
Yamagata	4	7	-3	-42.9	1	2	-1	-50.0	2	1	1	100.0	25.0	28.6	-3.6
Fukushima	11	13	-2	-15.4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	-	-
Tokyo	3,517	3,723	-206	-5.5	682	438	244	55.7	215	253	-38	-15.0	19.4	11.8	7.6
Kanto	1,017	1,152	-135	-11.7	460	411	49	11.9	138	142	-4	-2.8	45.2	35.7	9.5
Ibaraki	83	86	-3	-3.5	27	10	17	170.0	5	2	3	150.0	32.5	11.6	20.9
Tochigi	26	59	-33	-55.9	4	12	-8	-66.7	2	4	-2	-50.0	15.4	20.3	-4.9
Gunma	33	27	6	22.2	2	5	-3	-60.0	2	-	2	-	6.1	18.5	-12.4
Saitama	269	287	-18	-6.3	142	125	17	13.6	34	49	-15	-30.6	52.8	43.6	9.2
Chiba	297	320	-23	-7.2	136	116	20	17.2	26	30	-4	-13.3	45.8	36.3	9.5
Kanagawa	158	192	-34	-17.7	68	93	-25	-26.9	51	37	14	37.8	43.0	48.4	-5.4
Niigata	38	53	-15	-28.3	11	24	-13	-54.2	8	8	-	-	28.9	45.3	-16.4
Yamanashi	8	6	2	33.3	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	25.0	-	25.0
Nagano	52	47	5	10.6	9	6	3	50.0	1	1	-	-	17.3	12.8	4.5
Shizuoka	53	75	-22	-29.3	59	20	39	195.0	7	11	-4	-36.4	111.3	26.7	84.6
Chubu	466	585	-119	-20.3	96	98	-2	-2.0	37	34	3	8.8	20.6	16.8	3.8
Toyama	26	26	-	-	4	3	1	33.3	2	2	-	-	15.4	11.5	3.9
Ishikawa	36	37	-1	-2.7	11	6	5	83.3	2	7	-5	-71.4	30.6	16.2	14.4
Fukui	15	17	-2	-11.8	9	10	-1	-10.0	7	6	1	16.7	60.0	58.8	1.2
Gifu	55	118	-63	-53.4	5	38	-33	-86.8	3	4	-1	-25.0	9.1	32.2	-23.1
Aichi	307	333	-26	-7.8	61	41	20	48.8	20	15	5	33.3	19.9	12.3	7.6
Mie	27	54	-27	-50.0	6	-	6	-	3	-	3	-	22.2	-	22.2
Kinki	1,425	1,843	-418	-22.7	386	368	18	4.9	259	256	3	1.2	27.1	20.0	7.1
Shiga	36	23	13	56.5	12	6	6	100.0	5	6	-1	-16.7	33.3	26.1	7.2
Kyoto	86	184	-98	-53.3	55	56	-1	-1.8	27	21	6	28.6	64.0	30.4	33.6
Osaka	1,038	1,308	-270	-20.6	237	188	49	26.1	165	158	7	4.4	22.8	14.4	8.4
Hyogo	190	247	-57	-23.1	54	70	-16	-22.9	35	39	-4	-10.3	28.4	28.3	0.1
Nara	28	35	-7	-20.0	4	12	-8	-66.7	4	11	-7	-63.6	14.3	34.3	-20.0
Wakayama	47	46	1	2.2	24	36	-12	-33.3	23	21	2	9.5	51.1	78.3	-27.2
Chugoku	133	148	-15	-10.1	23	55	-32	-58.2	18	30	-12	-40.0	17.3	37.2	-19.9
Tottori	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	100.0	-100.0
Shimane	1	2	-1	-50.0	-	-	-	-	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	-	-
Okayama	42	39	3	7.7	6	5	1	20.0	2	4	-2	-50.0	14.3	12.8	1.5
Hiroshima	57	94	-37	-39.4	10	42	-32	-76.2	8	16	-8	-50.0	17.5	44.7	-27.2
Yamaguchi	33	10	23	230.0	7	5	2	40.0	8	6	2	33.3	21.2	50.0	-28.8
Shikoku	161	153	8	5.2	84	36	48	133.3	31	23	8	34.8	52.2	23.5	28.7
Tokushima	6	25	-19	-76.0	-	10	-10	-100.0	-	3	-3	-100.0	-	40.0	-40.0
Kagawa	20	22	-2	-9.1	5	1	4	400.0	3	-	3	-	25.0	4.5	20.5
Ehime	92	71	21	29.6	69	25	44	176.0	21	20	1	5.0	75.0	35.2	39.8
Kouchi	43	35	8	22.9	10	-	10	-	7	-	7	-	23.3	-	23.3
Kyushu	248	465	-217	-46.7	92	240	-148	-61.7	67	94	-27	-28.7	37.1	51.6	-14.5
Fukuoka	150	313	-163	-52.1	48	163	-115	-70.6	28	43	-15	-34.9	32.0	52.1	-20.1
Saga	4	6	-2	-33.3	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	25.0	16.7	8.3
Nagasaki	13	44	-31	-70.5	1	18	-17	-94.4	1	4	-3	-75.0	7.7	40.9	-33.2
Kumamoto	19	31	-12	-38.7	7	8	-1	-12.5	5	4	1	25.0	36.8	25.8	11.0
Oita	15	16	-1	-6.3	12	15	-3	-20.0	8	4	4	100.0	80.0	93.8	-13.8
Miyazaki	9	12	-3	-25.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	4	-1	-25.0	33.3	33.3	-
Kagoshima	17	19	-2	-10.5	8	12	-4	-33.3	6	11	-5	-45.5	47.1	63.2	-16.1
Okinawa	21	24	-3	-12.5	12	19	-7	-36.8	15	24	-9	-37.5	57.1	79.2	-22.1

Table 6: Street crimes by prefectures compared to the previous year

(1) Major street crimes known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category and prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Street robbery														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	
Total	1,366	1,437	-71	-4.9	665	625	40	6.4	886	869	17	2.0	48.7	43.5	5.2
Hokkaido	42	38	4	10.5	13	16	-3	-18.8	26	28	-2	-7.1	31.0	42.1	-11.1
Sapporo	37	27	10	37.0	11	11	-	-	23	21	2	9.5	29.7	40.7	-11.0
Hakodate	2	2	-	-	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	50.0	-50.0
Asahikawa	3	5	-2	-40.0	2	2	-	-	3	1	2	200.0	66.7	40.0	26.7
Kushiro	-	4	-4	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	5	-5	-100.0	-	50.0	-
Kitami	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tohoku	25	28	-3	-10.7	16	15	1	6.7	25	22	3	13.6	64.0	53.6	10.4
Aomori	2	2	-	-	1	2	-1	-50.0	2	1	1	100.0	50.0	100.0	-50.0
Iwate	1	3	-2	-66.7	1	1	-	-	2	1	1	100.0	100.0	33.3	66.7
Miyagi	19	18	1	5.6	12	9	3	33.3	11	15	-4	-26.7	63.2	50.0	13.2
Akita	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	100.0	-
Yamagata	2	1	1	100.0	1	-	1	-	3	-	3	-	50.0	-	50.0
Fukushima	1	3	-2	-66.7	1	2	-1	-50.0	7	4	3	75.0	100.0	66.7	33.3
Tokyo	214	214	-	-	85	94	-9	-9.6	117	123	-6	-4.9	39.7	43.9	-4.2
Kanto	446	456	-10	-2.2	233	215	18	8.4	284	293	-9	-3.1	52.2	47.1	5.1
Ibaraki	21	18	3	16.7	4	12	-8	-66.7	13	6	7	116.7	19.0	66.7	-47.7
Tochigi	11	17	-6	-35.3	5	6	-1	-16.7	6	14	-8	-57.1	45.5	35.3	10.2
Gunma	4	15	-11	-73.3	10	8	2	25.0	11	13	-2	-15.4	250.0	53.3	196.7
Saitama	144	171	-27	-15.8	66	72	-6	-8.3	82	102	-20	-19.6	45.8	42.1	3.7
Chiba	135	80	55	68.8	74	44	30	68.2	62	39	23	59.0	54.8	55.0	-0.2
Kanagawa	83	108	-25	-23.1	42	44	-2	-4.5	53	88	-35	-39.8	50.6	40.7	9.9
Niigata	7	9	-2	-22.2	5	7	-2	-28.6	4	10	-6	-60.0	71.4	77.8	-6.4
Yamanashi	3	7	-4	-57.1	2	2	-	-	2	1	1	100.0	66.7	28.6	38.1
Nagano	8	6	2	33.3	6	7	-1	-14.3	18	7	11	157.1	75.0	116.7	-41.7
Shizuoka	30	25	5	20.0	19	13	6	46.2	33	13	20	153.8	63.3	52.0	11.3
Chubu	192	196	-4	-2.0	92	66	26	39.4	117	94	23	24.5	47.9	33.7	14.2
Toyama	1	4	-3	-75.0	1	1	-	-	-	3	-3	-100.0	100.0	25.0	75.0
Ishikawa	2	1	1	100.0	1	1	-	-	4	-	4	-	50.0	100.0	-50.0
Fukui	2	1	1	100.0	2	1	1	100.0	3	2	1	50.0	100.0	100.0	-
Gifu	16	19	-3	-15.8	13	14	-1	-7.1	21	13	8	61.5	81.3	73.7	7.6
Aichi	164	161	3	1.9	69	43	26	60.5	82	65	17	26.2	42.1	26.7	15.4
Mie	7	10	-3	-30.0	6	6	-	-	7	11	-4	-36.4	85.7	60.0	25.7
Kinki	353	401	-48	-12.0	172	148	24	16.2	224	207	17	8.2	48.7	36.9	11.8
Shiga	3	12	-9	-75.0	1	9	-8	-88.9	1	20	-19	-95.0	33.3	75.0	-41.7
Kyoto	31	22	9	40.9	19	14	5	35.7	13	12	1	8.3	61.3	63.6	-2.3
Osaka	225	256	-31	-12.1	117	84	33	39.3	142	106	36	34.0	52.0	32.8	19.2
Hyogo	85	99	-14	-14.1	29	35	-6	-17.1	43	58	-15	-25.9	34.1	35.4	-1.3
Nara	3	11	-8	-72.7	1	5	-4	-80.0	8	8	-	-	33.3	45.5	-12.2
Wakayama	6	1	5	500.0	5	1	4	400.0	17	3	14	466.7	83.3	100.0	-16.7
Chugoku	24	23	1	4.3	13	13	-	-	22	17	5	29.4	54.2	56.5	-2.3
Tottori	2	2	-	-	1	2	-1	-50.0	6	1	5	500.0	50.0	100.0	-50.0
Shimane	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	4	-4	-100.0	-	100.0	-
Okayama	4	5	-1	-20.0	2	4	-2	-50.0	5	8	-3	-37.5	50.0	80.0	-30.0
Hiroshima	17	12	5	41.7	9	3	6	200.0	10	3	7	233.3	52.9	25.0	27.9
Yamaguchi	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	2	-1	-50.0	1	1	-	-	100.0	100.0	-
Shikoku	10	9	1	11.1	7	10	-3	-30.0	15	12	3	25.0	70.0	111.1	-41.1
Tokushima	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
Kagawa	1	1	-	-	1	2	-1	-50.0	4	1	3	300.0	100.0	200.0	-100.0
Ehime	6	2	4	200.0	5	1	4	400.0	7	2	5	250.0	83.3	50.0	33.3
Kouchi	3	6	-3	-50.0	1	7	-6	-85.7	3	9	-6	-66.7	33.3	116.7	-83.4
Kyushu	60	72	-12	-16.7	34	48	-14	-29.2	56	73	-17	-23.3	56.7	66.7	-10.0
Fukuoka	50	58	-8	-13.8	27	37	-10	-27.0	41	54	-13	-24.1	54.0	63.8	-9.8
Saga	1	2	-1	-50.0	-	2	-2	-100.0	1	1	-	-	-	100.0	-100.0
Nagasaki	2	1	1	100.0	2	1	1	100.0	5	1	4	400.0	100.0	100.0	-
Kumamoto	1	5	-4	-80.0	1	5	-4	-80.0	2	13	-11	-84.6	100.0	100.0	-
Oita	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	3	-	3	-	100.0	-	-
Miyazaki	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kagoshima	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	100.0	-	100.0
Okinawa	3	4	-1	-25.0	1	3	-2	-66.7	2	4	-2	-50.0	33.3	75.0	-41.7

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefectures compared to the previous year

(1) Major street crimes known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category and prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Vehicle parts theft														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
		No.	%			No.	%			No.	%				
Total	75,361	75,423	-62	-0.1	9,359	10,591	-1,232	-11.6	1,523	1,621	-98	-6.0	12.4	14.0	-1.6
Hokkaido	1,356	1,408	-52	-3.7	85	363	-278	-76.6	21	28	-7	-25.0	6.3	25.8	-19.5
Sapporo	1,017	1,018	-1	-0.1	57	344	-287	-83.4	13	19	-6	-31.6	5.6	33.8	-28.2
Hakodate	114	116	-2	-1.7	8	6	2	33.3	1	4	-3	-75.0	7.0	5.2	1.8
Asahikawa	121	76	45	59.2	17	4	13	325.0	7	3	4	133.3	14.0	5.3	8.7
Kushiro	85	135	-50	-37.0	-	6	-6	-100.0	-	1	-1	-100.0	-	4.4	-4.4
Kitami	19	63	-44	-69.8	3	3	-	-	-	1	-1	-100.0	15.8	4.8	11.0
Tohoku	1,414	1,355	59	4.4	133	139	-6	-4.3	46	66	-20	-30.3	9.4	10.3	-0.9
Aomori	158	142	16	11.3	7	10	-3	-30.0	3	8	-5	-62.5	4.4	7.0	-2.6
Iwate	121	127	-6	-4.7	13	24	-11	-45.8	3	16	-13	-81.3	10.7	18.9	-8.2
Miyagi	602	623	-21	-3.4	40	80	-40	-50.0	11	34	-23	-67.6	6.6	12.8	-6.2
Akita	68	67	1	1.5	22	10	12	120.0	13	3	10	333.3	32.4	14.9	17.5
Yamagata	99	67	32	47.8	14	2	12	600.0	8	-	8	-	14.1	3.0	11.1
Fukushima	366	329	37	11.2	37	13	24	184.6	8	5	3	60.0	10.1	4.0	6.1
Tokyo	4,499	4,713	-214	-4.5	199	249	-50	-20.1	89	121	-32	-26.4	4.4	5.3	-0.9
Kanto	19,740	19,739	1	0.0	2,790	3,134	-344	-11.0	394	449	-55	-12.2	14.1	15.9	-1.8
Ibaraki	1,862	1,751	111	6.3	289	833	-544	-65.3	20	34	-14	-41.2	15.5	47.6	-32.1
Tochigi	641	644	-3	-0.5	45	150	-105	-70.0	7	17	-10	-58.8	7.0	23.3	-16.3
Gunma	661	734	-73	-9.9	69	183	-114	-62.3	6	18	-12	-66.7	10.4	24.9	-14.5
Saitama	4,643	4,646	-3	-0.1	296	265	31	11.7	77	76	1	1.3	6.4	5.7	0.7
Chiba	4,701	4,342	359	8.3	455	594	-139	-23.4	71	64	7	10.9	9.7	13.7	-4.0
Kanagawa	4,560	4,991	-431	-8.6	601	772	-171	-22.2	137	167	-30	-18.0	13.2	15.5	-2.3
Niigata	271	304	-33	-10.9	24	40	-16	-40.0	6	10	-4	-40.0	8.9	13.2	-4.3
Yamanashi	308	296	12	4.1	59	23	36	156.5	12	15	-3	-20.0	19.2	7.8	11.4
Nagano	438	399	39	9.8	148	68	80	117.6	20	20	-	-	33.8	17.0	16.8
Shizuoka	1,655	1,632	23	1.4	804	206	598	290.3	38	28	10	35.7	48.6	12.6	36.0
Chubu	15,831	14,657	1,174	8.0	2,701	1,691	1,010	59.7	237	180	57	31.7	17.1	11.5	5.6
Toyama	146	138	8	5.8	10	57	-47	-82.5	3	4	-1	-25.0	6.8	41.3	-34.5
Ishikawa	109	137	-28	-20.4	5	6	-1	-16.7	3	4	-1	-25.0	4.6	4.4	0.2
Fukui	122	142	-20	-14.1	36	17	19	111.8	3	2	1	50.0	29.5	12.0	17.5
Gifu	1,382	1,382	-	-	144	438	-294	-67.1	20	8	12	150.0	10.4	31.7	-21.3
Aichi	12,855	11,751	1,104	9.4	2,364	939	1,425	151.8	190	134	56	41.8	18.4	8.0	10.4
Mie	1,217	1,107	110	9.9	142	234	-92	-39.3	18	28	-10	-35.7	11.7	21.1	-9.4
Kinki	24,157	25,581	-1,424	-5.6	2,296	3,501	-1,205	-34.4	498	511	-13	-2.5	9.5	13.7	-4.2
Shiga	581	607	-26	-4.3	173	290	-117	-40.3	18	11	7	63.6	29.8	47.8	-18.0
Kyoto	1,775	2,240	-465	-20.8	81	811	-730	-90.0	67	63	4	6.3	4.6	36.2	-31.6
Osaka	14,584	15,603	-1,019	-6.5	1,180	1,192	-12	-1.0	292	289	3	1.0	8.1	7.6	0.5
Hyogo	5,638	5,431	207	3.8	579	475	104	21.9	78	95	-17	-17.9	10.3	8.7	1.6
Nara	967	1,071	-104	-9.7	230	680	-450	-66.2	24	36	-12	-33.3	23.8	63.5	-39.7
Wakayama	612	629	-17	-2.7	53	53	-	-	19	17	2	11.8	8.7	8.4	0.3
Chugoku	2,019	1,837	182	9.9	202	331	-129	-39.0	44	66	-22	-33.3	10.0	18.0	-8.0
Tottori	87	88	-1	-1.1	17	34	-17	-50.0	3	6	-3	-50.0	19.5	38.6	-19.1
Shimane	59	70	-11	-15.7	39	14	25	178.6	5	-	5	-	66.1	20.0	46.1
Okayama	867	730	137	18.8	62	114	-52	-45.6	17	19	-2	-10.5	7.2	15.6	-8.4
Hiroshima	768	751	17	2.3	58	109	-51	-46.8	11	28	-17	-60.7	7.6	14.5	-6.9
Yamaguchi	238	198	40	20.2	26	60	-34	-56.7	8	13	-5	-38.5	10.9	30.3	-19.4
Shikoku	1,184	1,211	-27	-2.2	192	124	68	54.8	39	40	-1	-2.5	16.2	10.2	6.0
Tokushima	146	155	-9	-5.8	115	26	89	342.3	5	10	-5	-50.0	78.8	16.8	62.0
Kagawa	225	264	-39	-14.8	14	17	-3	-17.6	6	3	3	100.0	6.2	6.4	-0.2
Ehime	381	485	-104	-21.4	27	43	-16	-37.2	11	17	-6	-35.3	7.1	8.9	-1.8
Kouchi	432	307	125	40.7	36	38	-2	-5.3	17	10	7	70.0	8.3	12.4	-4.1
Kyushu	5,161	4,922	239	4.9	761	1,059	-298	-28.1	155	160	-5	-3.1	14.7	21.5	-6.8
Fukuoka	3,131	2,976	155	5.2	439	682	-243	-35.6	45	50	-5	-10.0	14.0	22.9	-8.9
Saga	180	188	-8	-4.3	62	28	34	121.4	8	4	4	100.0	34.4	14.9	19.5
Nagasaki	177	167	10	6.0	27	18	9	50.0	12	13	-1	-7.7	15.3	10.8	4.5
Kumamoto	391	376	15	4.0	68	66	2	3.0	26	22	4	18.2	17.4	17.6	-0.2
Oita	191	237	-46	-19.4	39	30	9	30.0	7	7	-	-	20.4	12.7	7.7
Miyazaki	119	149	-30	-20.1	32	17	15	88.2	8	7	1	14.3	26.9	11.4	15.5
Kagoshima	303	290	13	4.5	39	155	-116	-74.8	12	26	-14	-53.8	12.9	53.4	-40.5
Okinawa	669	539	130	24.1	55	63	-8	-12.7	37	31	6	19.4	8.2	11.7	-3.5

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefectures compared to the previous year

(1) Major street crimes known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category and prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Vehicle load theft														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	143,863	154,836	-10,973	-7.1	38,706	40,146	-1,440	-3.6	2,290	2,258	32	1.4	26.9	25.9	1.0
Hokkaido	5,889	6,694	-805	-12.0	753	1,788	-1,035	-57.9	68	95	-27	-28.4	12.8	26.7	-13.9
Sapporo	4,273	4,627	-354	-7.7	532	1,542	-1,010	-65.5	43	56	-13	-23.2	12.5	33.3	-20.8
Hakodate	431	624	-193	-30.9	48	27	21	77.8	7	11	-4	-36.4	11.1	4.3	6.8
Asahikawa	335	561	-226	-40.3	97	35	62	177.1	9	7	2	28.6	29.0	6.2	22.8
Kushiro	700	645	55	8.5	57	152	-95	-62.5	5	15	-10	-66.7	8.1	23.6	-15.5
Kitami	150	237	-87	-36.7	19	32	-13	-40.6	4	6	-2	-33.3	12.7	13.5	-0.8
Tohoku	5,545	6,177	-632	-10.2	1,233	1,545	-312	-20.2	152	139	13	9.4	22.2	25.0	-2.8
Aomori	675	681	-6	-0.9	210	102	108	105.9	14	22	-8	-36.4	31.1	15.0	16.1
Iwate	535	673	-138	-20.5	175	94	81	86.2	20	18	2	11.1	32.7	14.0	18.7
Miyagi	1,785	2,253	-468	-20.8	363	471	-108	-22.9	40	34	6	17.6	20.3	20.9	-0.6
Akita	443	387	56	14.5	139	128	11	8.6	23	21	2	9.5	31.4	33.1	-1.7
Yamagata	646	669	-23	-3.4	147	146	1	0.7	24	17	7	41.2	22.8	21.8	1.0
Fukushima	1,461	1,514	-53	-3.5	199	604	-405	-67.1	31	27	4	14.8	13.6	39.9	-26.3
Tokyo	8,943	8,711	232	2.7	1,835	2,684	-849	-31.6	198	186	12	6.5	20.5	30.8	-10.3
Kanto	42,154	44,430	-2,276	-5.1	13,144	10,801	2,343	21.7	627	605	22	3.6	31.2	24.3	6.9
Ibaraki	4,573	5,034	-461	-9.2	1,760	1,793	-33	-1.8	43	41	2	4.9	38.5	35.6	2.9
Tochigi	2,694	3,038	-344	-11.3	477	1,111	-634	-57.1	33	32	1	3.1	17.7	36.6	-18.9
Gunma	2,201	2,310	-109	-4.7	1,245	1,158	87	7.5	33	40	-7	-17.5	56.6	50.1	6.5
Saitama	9,584	9,822	-238	-2.4	1,528	1,335	193	14.5	133	135	-2	-1.5	15.9	13.6	2.3
Chiba	9,114	9,668	-554	-5.7	2,032	2,125	-93	-4.4	99	77	22	28.6	22.3	22.0	0.3
Kanagawa	5,383	6,035	-652	-10.8	2,444	1,547	897	58.0	120	114	6	5.3	45.4	25.6	19.8
Niigata	1,787	1,911	-124	-6.5	372	217	155	71.4	29	34	-5	-14.7	20.8	11.4	9.4
Yamanashi	707	640	67	10.5	218	85	133	156.5	14	13	1	7.7	30.8	13.3	17.5
Nagano	1,994	1,548	446	28.8	1,080	512	568	110.9	40	31	9	29.0	54.2	33.1	21.1
Shizuoka	4,117	4,424	-307	-6.9	1,988	918	1,070	116.6	83	88	-5	-5.7	48.3	20.8	27.5
Chubu	26,269	25,415	854	3.4	8,496	7,271	1,225	16.8	276	252	24	9.5	32.3	28.6	3.7
Toyama	723	809	-86	-10.6	65	201	-136	-67.7	10	21	-11	-52.4	9.0	24.8	-15.8
Ishikawa	1,138	877	261	29.8	133	448	-315	-70.3	32	21	11	52.4	11.7	51.1	-39.4
Fukui	706	673	33	4.9	829	803	26	3.2	21	14	7	50.0	117.4	119.3	-1.9
Gifu	3,194	3,411	-217	-6.4	1,627	2,101	-474	-22.6	27	30	-3	-10.0	50.9	61.6	-10.7
Aichi	17,647	17,171	476	2.8	4,894	3,306	1,588	48.0	160	141	19	13.5	27.7	19.3	8.4
Mie	2,861	2,474	387	15.6	948	412	536	130.1	26	25	1	4.0	33.1	16.7	16.4
Kinki	32,045	39,033	-6,988	-17.9	5,682	5,524	158	2.9	403	419	-16	-3.8	17.7	14.2	3.5
Shiga	1,389	1,408	-19	-1.3	377	576	-199	-34.5	17	21	-4	-19.0	27.1	40.9	-13.8
Kyoto	3,351	3,993	-642	-16.1	287	494	-207	-41.9	47	44	3	6.8	8.6	12.4	-3.8
Osaka	17,157	22,526	-5,369	-23.8	1,920	2,281	-361	-15.8	203	230	-27	-11.7	11.2	10.1	1.1
Hyogo	7,652	8,373	-721	-8.6	1,846	1,451	395	27.2	94	75	19	25.3	24.1	17.3	6.8
Nara	1,235	1,544	-309	-20.0	1,017	526	491	93.3	29	23	6	26.1	82.3	34.1	48.2
Wakayama	1,261	1,189	72	6.1	235	196	39	19.9	13	26	-13	-50.0	18.6	16.5	2.1
Chugoku	5,001	5,025	-24	-0.5	846	1,590	-744	-46.8	142	146	-4	-2.7	16.9	31.6	-14.7
Tottori	698	454	244	53.7	271	230	41	17.8	11	19	-8	-42.1	38.8	50.7	-11.9
Shimane	350	332	18	5.4	64	100	-36	-36.0	5	16	-11	-68.8	18.3	30.1	-11.8
Okayama	1,934	1,975	-41	-2.1	146	634	-488	-77.0	39	38	1	2.6	7.5	32.1	-24.6
Hiroshima	1,240	1,358	-118	-8.7	199	325	-126	-38.8	50	38	12	31.6	16.0	23.9	-7.9
Yamaguchi	779	906	-127	-14.0	166	301	-135	-44.9	37	35	2	5.7	21.3	33.2	-11.9
Shikoku	3,457	3,583	-126	-3.5	1,088	1,163	-75	-6.4	83	88	-5	-5.7	31.5	32.5	-1.0
Tokushima	501	557	-56	-10.1	191	168	23	13.7	12	26	-14	-53.8	38.1	30.2	7.9
Kagawa	921	942	-21	-2.2	316	403	-87	-21.6	25	22	3	13.6	34.3	42.8	-8.5
Ehime	1,433	1,465	-32	-2.2	448	534	-86	-16.1	30	27	3	11.1	31.3	36.5	-5.2
Kouchi	602	619	-17	-2.7	133	58	75	129.3	16	13	3	23.1	22.1	9.4	12.7
Kyushu	14,560	15,768	-1,208	-7.7	5,629	7,780	-2,151	-27.6	341	328	13	4.0	38.7	49.3	-10.6
Fukuoka	8,322	9,333	-1,011	-10.8	4,013	5,351	-1,338	-25.0	92	91	1	1.1	48.2	57.3	-9.1
Saga	609	694	-85	-12.2	223	347	-124	-35.7	17	17	-	-	36.6	50.0	-13.4
Nagasaki	522	617	-95	-15.4	278	371	-93	-25.1	27	35	-8	-22.9	53.3	60.1	-6.8
Kumamoto	1,357	1,260	97	7.7	203	429	-226	-52.7	61	42	19	45.2	15.0	34.0	-19.0
Oita	690	734	-44	-6.0	196	202	-6	-3.0	13	21	-8	-38.1	28.4	27.5	0.9
Miyazaki	966	772	194	25.1	150	136	14	10.3	30	18	12	66.7	15.5	17.6	-2.1
Kagoshima	1,139	1,267	-128	-10.1	285	346	-61	-17.6	42	54	-12	-22.2	25.0	27.3	-2.3
Okinawa	955	1,091	-136	-12.5	281	598	-317	-53.0	59	50	9	18.0	29.4	54.8	-25.4

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefectures compared to the previous year

(1) Major street crimes known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category and prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Vending machine theft														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			
Total	26,686	38,477	-11,791	-30.6	16,535	15,197	1,338	8.8	746	819	-73	-8.9	62.0	39.5	22.5
Hokkaido	1,277	1,239	38	3.1	507	413	94	22.8	20	32	-12	-37.5	39.7	33.3	6.4
Sapporo	951	961	-10	-1.0	426	202	224	110.9	9	14	-5	-35.7	44.8	21.0	23.8
Hakodate	48	48	-	-	19	8	11	137.5	-	13	-13	-100.0	39.6	16.7	22.9
Asahikawa	156	162	-6	-3.7	14	201	-187	-93.0	6	2	4	200.0	9.0	124.1	-115.1
Kushiro	99	45	54	120.0	46	2	44	2,200.0	3	3	-	-	46.5	4.4	42.1
Kitami	23	23	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	8.7	-	8.7
Tohoku	1,847	1,519	328	21.6	342	502	-160	-31.9	60	63	-3	-4.8	18.5	33.0	-14.5
Aomori	177	163	14	8.6	22	61	-39	-63.9	9	17	-8	-47.1	12.4	37.4	-25.0
Iwate	217	212	5	2.4	144	55	89	161.8	11	4	7	175.0	66.4	25.9	40.5
Miyagi	796	716	80	11.2	18	160	-142	-88.8	13	13	-	-	2.3	22.3	-20.0
Akita	44	107	-63	-58.9	36	155	-119	-76.8	8	5	3	60.0	81.8	144.9	-63.1
Yamagata	75	65	10	15.4	6	35	-29	-82.9	8	13	-5	-38.5	8.0	53.8	-45.8
Fukushima	538	256	282	110.2	116	36	80	222.2	11	11	-	-	21.6	14.1	7.5
Tokyo	1,327	2,443	-1,116	-45.7	267	197	70	35.5	34	28	6	21.4	20.1	8.1	12.0
Kanto	8,090	12,041	-3,951	-32.8	4,310	4,966	-656	-13.2	171	189	-18	-9.5	53.3	41.2	12.1
Ibaraki	1,023	1,374	-351	-25.5	114	477	-363	-76.1	8	10	-2	-20.0	11.1	34.7	-23.6
Tochigi	711	750	-39	-5.2	195	319	-124	-38.9	11	12	-1	-8.3	27.4	42.5	-15.1
Gunma	802	1,236	-434	-35.1	476	940	-464	-49.4	28	9	19	211.1	59.4	76.1	-16.7
Saitama	1,405	2,612	-1,207	-46.2	36	175	-139	-79.4	18	40	-22	-55.0	2.6	6.7	-4.1
Chiba	1,078	1,416	-338	-23.9	321	292	29	9.9	15	24	-9	-37.5	29.8	20.6	9.2
Kanagawa	1,339	2,960	-1,621	-54.8	2,542	1,861	681	36.6	49	50	-1	-2.0	189.8	62.9	126.9
Niigata	817	446	371	83.2	250	121	129	106.6	14	11	3	27.3	30.6	27.1	3.5
Yamanashi	106	115	-9	-7.8	2	11	-9	-81.8	2	6	-4	-66.7	1.9	9.6	-7.7
Nagano	278	334	-56	-16.8	123	581	-458	-78.8	9	12	-3	-25.0	44.2	174.0	-129.8
Shizuoka	531	798	-267	-33.5	251	189	62	32.8	17	15	2	13.3	47.3	23.7	23.6
Chubu	4,643	5,249	-606	-11.5	3,014	687	2,327	338.7	97	98	-1	-1.0	64.9	13.1	51.8
Toyama	76	118	-42	-35.6	72	3	69	2,300.0	3	1	2	200.0	94.7	2.5	92.2
Ishikawa	212	83	129	155.4	58	6	52	866.7	3	5	-2	-40.0	27.4	7.2	20.2
Fukui	167	72	95	131.9	51	6	45	750.0	7	8	-1	-12.5	30.5	8.3	22.2
Gifu	556	563	-7	-1.2	1,908	69	1,839	2,665.2	9	15	-6	-40.0	343.2	12.3	330.9
Aichi	2,714	3,466	-752	-21.7	834	595	239	40.2	67	58	9	15.5	30.7	17.2	13.5
Mie	918	947	-29	-3.1	91	8	83	1,037.5	8	11	-3	-27.3	9.9	0.8	9.1
Kinki	4,097	6,811	-2,714	-39.8	1,140	2,776	-1,636	-58.9	107	154	-47	-30.5	27.8	40.8	-13.0
Shiga	151	185	-34	-18.4	44	1,110	-1,066	-96.0	3	11	-8	-72.7	29.1	600.0	-570.9
Kyoto	465	796	-331	-41.6	290	613	-323	-52.7	19	15	4	26.7	62.4	77.0	-14.6
Osaka	1,915	3,736	-1,821	-48.7	459	322	137	42.5	56	73	-17	-23.3	24.0	8.6	15.4
Hyogo	1,255	1,773	-518	-29.2	77	607	-530	-87.3	14	34	-20	-58.8	6.1	34.2	-28.1
Nara	133	215	-82	-38.1	53	91	-38	-41.8	6	17	-11	-64.7	39.8	42.3	-2.5
Wakayama	178	106	72	67.9	217	33	184	557.6	9	4	5	125.0	121.9	31.1	90.8
Chugoku	908	1,334	-426	-31.9	610	1,541	-931	-60.4	76	44	32	72.7	67.2	115.5	-48.3
Tottori	101	101	-	-	51	377	-326	-86.5	14	11	3	27.3	50.5	373.3	-322.8
Shimane	156	72	84	116.7	109	36	73	202.8	16	1	15	1,500.0	69.9	50.0	19.9
Okayama	230	459	-229	-49.9	96	157	-61	-38.9	11	7	4	57.1	41.7	34.2	7.5
Hiroshima	232	455	-223	-49.0	128	516	-388	-75.2	17	19	-2	-10.5	55.2	113.4	-58.2
Yamaguchi	189	247	-58	-23.5	226	455	-229	-50.3	18	6	12	200.0	119.6	184.2	-64.6
Shikoku	560	627	-67	-10.7	331	138	193	139.9	15	31	-16	-51.6	59.1	22.0	37.1
Tokushima	66	112	-46	-41.1	35	10	25	250.0	3	6	-3	-50.0	53.0	8.9	44.1
Kagawa	132	225	-93	-41.3	141	34	107	314.7	8	7	1	14.3	106.8	15.1	91.7
Ehime	277	156	121	77.6	152	13	139	1,069.2	3	3	-	-	54.9	8.3	46.6
Kouchi	85	134	-49	-36.6	3	81	-78	-96.3	1	15	-14	-93.3	3.5	60.4	-56.9
Kyushu	3,937	7,214	-3,277	-45.4	6,014	3,977	2,037	51.2	166	180	-14	-7.8	152.8	55.1	97.7
Fukuoka	2,263	4,840	-2,577	-53.2	3,587	1,058	2,529	239.0	39	58	-19	-32.8	158.5	21.9	136.6
Saga	219	328	-109	-33.2	84	44	40	90.9	11	19	-8	-42.1	38.4	13.4	25.0
Nagasaki	94	168	-74	-44.0	315	142	173	121.8	20	3	17	566.7	335.1	84.5	250.6
Kumamoto	519	738	-219	-29.7	1,694	982	712	72.5	40	26	14	53.8	326.4	133.1	193.3
Oita	343	406	-63	-15.5	25	979	-954	-97.4	11	6	5	83.3	7.3	241.1	-233.8
Miyazaki	140	220	-80	-36.4	85	99	-14	-14.1	7	3	4	133.3	60.7	45.0	15.7
Kagoshima	120	177	-57	-32.2	109	66	43	65.2	10	16	-6	-37.5	90.8	37.3	53.5
Okinawa	239	337	-98	-29.1	115	607	-492	-81.1	28	49	-21	-42.9	48.1	180.1	-132.0

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefectures compared to the previous year

(1) Major street crimes known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category and prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Motorcycle theft														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	
Total	82,116	80,354	1,762	2.2	9,437	8,930	507	5.7	6,194	6,062	132	2.2	11.5	11.1	0.4
Hokkaido	499	598	-99	-16.6	41	42	-1	-2.4	52	30	22	73.3	8.2	7.0	1.2
Sapporo	419	513	-94	-18.3	31	37	-6	-16.2	38	27	11	40.7	7.4	7.2	0.2
Hakodate	34	20	14	70.0	5	2	3	150.0	5	2	3	150.0	14.7	10.0	4.7
Asahikawa	27	43	-16	-37.2	2	1	1	100.0	3	1	2	200.0	7.4	2.3	5.1
Kushiro	10	10	-	-	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	-	-	-	-	20.0	-20.0
Kitami	9	12	-3	-25.0	3	-	3	-	6	-	6	-	33.3	-	33.3
Tohoku	1,397	1,676	-279	-16.6	264	183	81	44.3	142	158	-16	-10.1	18.9	10.9	8.0
Aomori	58	73	-15	-20.5	9	18	-9	-50.0	7	16	-9	-56.3	15.5	24.7	-9.2
Iwate	53	49	4	8.2	16	12	4	33.3	8	4	4	100.0	30.2	24.5	5.7
Miyagi	1,006	1,298	-292	-22.5	162	106	56	52.8	86	98	-12	-12.2	16.1	8.2	7.9
Akita	26	15	11	73.3	6	7	-1	-14.3	8	5	3	60.0	23.1	46.7	-23.6
Yamagata	46	38	8	21.1	10	10	-	-	2	8	-6	-75.0	21.7	26.3	-4.6
Fukushima	208	203	5	2.5	61	30	31	103.3	31	27	4	14.8	29.3	14.8	14.5
Tokyo	6,548	7,262	-714	-9.8	377	418	-41	-9.8	339	297	42	14.1	5.8	5.8	-
Kanto	23,203	23,045	158	0.7	3,822	3,220	602	18.7	1,485	1,510	-25	-1.7	16.5	14.0	2.5
Ibaraki	1,844	1,731	113	6.5	169	237	-68	-28.7	117	124	-7	-5.6	9.2	13.7	-4.5
Tochigi	558	630	-72	-11.4	39	160	-121	-75.6	40	57	-17	-29.8	7.0	25.4	-18.4
Gunma	534	663	-129	-19.5	171	169	2	1.2	46	61	-15	-24.6	32.0	25.5	6.5
Saitama	5,633	5,433	200	3.7	383	508	-125	-24.6	221	225	-4	-1.8	6.8	9.4	-2.6
Chiba	4,606	4,201	405	9.6	706	568	138	24.3	218	235	-17	-7.2	15.3	13.5	1.8
Kanagawa	7,345	7,731	-386	-5.0	2,012	898	1,114	124.1	601	507	94	18.5	27.4	11.6	15.8
Niigata	183	200	-17	-8.5	51	32	19	59.4	29	33	-4	-12.1	27.9	16.0	11.9
Yamanashi	419	447	-28	-6.3	58	72	-14	-19.4	48	87	-39	-44.8	13.8	16.1	-2.3
Nagano	337	216	121	56.0	24	45	-21	-46.7	12	32	-20	-62.5	7.1	20.8	-13.7
Shizuoka	1,744	1,793	-49	-2.7	209	531	-322	-60.6	153	149	4	2.7	12.0	29.6	-17.6
Chubu	7,197	6,621	576	8.7	782	609	173	28.4	633	630	3	0.5	10.9	9.2	1.7
Toyama	89	107	-18	-16.8	13	27	-14	-51.9	17	21	-4	-19.0	14.6	25.2	-10.6
Ishikawa	167	201	-34	-16.9	28	25	3	12.0	27	40	-13	-32.5	16.8	12.4	4.4
Fukui	112	104	8	7.7	67	22	45	204.5	56	27	29	107.4	59.8	21.2	38.6
Gifu	785	712	73	10.3	79	55	24	43.6	52	56	-4	-7.1	10.1	7.7	2.4
Aichi	5,238	4,718	520	11.0	481	388	93	24.0	382	374	8	2.1	9.2	8.2	1.0
Mie	806	779	27	3.5	114	92	22	23.9	99	112	-13	-11.6	14.1	11.8	2.3
Kinki	26,099	25,748	351	1.4	1,856	2,014	-158	-7.8	1,859	1,802	57	3.2	7.1	7.8	-0.7
Shiga	843	736	107	14.5	102	150	-48	-32.0	86	99	-13	-13.1	12.1	20.4	-8.3
Kyoto	4,072	4,191	-119	-2.8	286	301	-15	-5.0	316	256	60	23.4	7.0	7.2	-0.2
Osaka	12,510	12,305	205	1.7	758	721	37	5.1	843	807	36	4.5	6.1	5.9	0.2
Hyogo	6,483	5,990	493	8.2	352	434	-82	-18.9	370	385	-15	-3.9	5.4	7.2	-1.8
Nara	1,146	1,406	-260	-18.5	190	208	-18	-8.7	135	128	7	5.5	16.6	14.8	1.8
Wakayama	1,045	1,120	-75	-6.7	168	200	-32	-16.0	109	127	-18	-14.2	16.1	17.9	-1.8
Chugoku	2,797	2,854	-57	-2.0	406	411	-5	-1.2	306	321	-15	-4.7	14.5	14.4	0.1
Tottori	31	43	-12	-27.9	2	7	-5	-71.4	3	4	-1	-25.0	6.5	16.3	-9.8
Shimane	31	41	-10	-24.4	10	26	-16	-61.5	8	17	-9	-52.9	32.3	63.4	-31.1
Okayama	1,115	1,106	9	0.8	137	132	5	3.8	105	117	-12	-10.3	12.3	11.9	0.4
Hiroshima	1,378	1,418	-40	-2.8	212	185	27	14.6	157	139	18	12.9	15.4	13.0	2.4
Yamaguchi	242	246	-4	-1.6	45	61	-16	-26.2	33	44	-11	-25.0	18.6	24.8	-6.2
Shikoku	2,808	2,476	332	13.4	326	309	17	5.5	249	224	25	11.2	11.6	12.5	-0.9
Tokushima	117	148	-31	-20.9	25	29	-4	-13.8	15	15	-	-	21.4	19.6	1.8
Kagawa	779	707	72	10.2	113	75	38	50.7	107	49	58	118.4	14.5	10.6	3.9
Ehime	1,109	908	201	22.1	112	127	-15	-11.8	66	88	-22	-25.0	10.1	14.0	-3.9
Kouchi	803	713	90	12.6	76	78	-2	-2.6	61	72	-11	-15.3	9.5	10.9	-1.4
Kyushu	11,568	10,074	1,494	14.8	1,563	1,724	-161	-9.3	1,129	1,090	39	3.6	13.5	17.1	-3.6
Fukuoka	7,421	6,352	1,069	16.8	659	920	-261	-28.4	532	576	-44	-7.6	8.9	14.5	-5.6
Saga	286	248	38	15.3	71	59	12	20.3	49	39	10	25.6	24.8	23.8	1.0
Nagasaki	294	214	80	37.4	85	42	43	102.4	46	24	22	91.7	28.9	19.6	9.3
Kumamoto	1,040	954	86	9.0	204	241	-37	-15.4	176	165	11	6.7	19.6	25.3	-5.7
Oita	432	373	59	15.8	64	57	7	12.3	55	55	-	-	14.8	15.3	-0.5
Miyazaki	160	175	-15	-8.6	116	106	10	9.4	29	30	-1	-3.3	72.5	60.6	11.9
Kagoshima	731	512	219	42.8	187	114	73	64.0	82	52	30	57.7	25.6	22.3	3.3
Okinawa	1,204	1,246	-42	-3.4	177	185	-8	-4.3	160	149	11	7.4	14.7	14.8	-0.1

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefecture compared to the previous year

(1) Major street crimes known to police, clearances and arrests by crime category and prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Bicycle theft														
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate		
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	
Total	389,476	393,462	-3,986	-1.0	26,747	28,053	-1,306	-4.7	20,378	20,872	-494	-2.4	6.9	7.1	-0.2
Hokkaido	12,345	13,358	-1,013	-7.6	588	713	-125	-17.5	473	611	-138	-22.6	4.8	5.3	-0.5
Sapporo	9,567	9,965	-398	-4.0	404	499	-95	-19.0	333	425	-92	-21.6	4.2	5.0	-0.8
Hakodate	842	1,095	-253	-23.1	54	58	-4	-6.9	43	58	-15	-25.9	6.4	5.3	1.1
Asahikawa	900	1,176	-276	-23.5	49	86	-37	-43.0	32	62	-30	-48.4	5.4	7.3	-1.9
Kushiro	771	807	-36	-4.5	55	50	5	10.0	48	50	-2	-4.0	7.1	6.2	0.9
Kitami	265	315	-50	-15.9	26	20	6	30.0	17	16	1	6.3	9.8	6.3	3.5
Tohoku	15,638	16,789	-1,151	-6.9	1,054	1,162	-108	-9.3	792	910	-118	-13.0	6.7	6.9	-0.2
Aomori	2,098	2,656	-558	-21.0	130	147	-17	-11.6	112	127	-15	-11.8	6.2	5.5	0.7
Iwate	1,836	2,079	-243	-11.7	115	135	-20	-14.8	87	113	-26	-23.0	6.3	6.5	-0.2
Miyagi	5,131	6,004	-873	-14.5	356	383	-27	-7.0	276	309	-33	-10.7	6.9	6.4	0.5
Akita	1,307	1,203	104	8.6	124	93	31	33.3	80	75	5	6.7	9.5	7.7	1.8
Yamagata	1,682	1,585	97	6.1	128	101	27	26.7	98	75	23	30.7	7.6	6.4	1.2
Fukushima	3,584	3,262	322	9.9	201	303	-102	-33.7	139	211	-72	-34.1	5.6	9.3	-3.7
Tokyo	61,334	59,902	1,432	2.4	4,172	4,242	-70	-1.7	3,886	3,740	146	3.9	6.8	7.1	-0.3
Kanto	113,794	113,560	234	0.2	8,322	8,822	-500	-5.7	5,224	5,265	-41	-0.8	7.3	7.8	-0.5
Ibaraki	5,717	5,787	-70	-1.2	874	1,628	-754	-46.3	252	231	21	9.1	15.3	28.1	-12.8
Tochigi	4,094	4,317	-223	-5.2	280	253	27	10.7	235	201	34	16.9	6.8	5.9	0.9
Gunma	3,507	3,889	-382	-9.8	534	554	-20	-3.6	288	266	22	8.3	15.2	14.2	1.0
Saitama	33,012	33,289	-277	-0.8	1,823	1,768	55	3.1	1,317	1,262	55	4.4	5.5	5.3	0.2
Chiba	23,314	21,685	1,629	7.5	1,097	1,230	-133	-10.8	604	655	-51	-7.8	4.7	5.7	-1.0
Kanagawa	26,597	25,811	786	3.0	2,629	2,057	572	27.8	1,656	1,645	11	0.7	9.9	8.0	1.9
Niigata	4,037	4,920	-883	-17.9	273	285	-12	-4.2	221	244	-23	-9.4	6.8	5.8	1.0
Yamanashi	1,225	1,092	133	12.2	89	120	-31	-25.8	71	91	-20	-22.0	7.3	11.0	-3.7
Nagano	3,847	4,000	-153	-3.8	211	259	-48	-18.5	196	228	-32	-14.0	5.5	6.5	-1.0
Shizuoka	8,444	8,770	-326	-3.7	512	668	-156	-23.4	384	442	-58	-13.1	6.1	7.6	-1.5
Chubu	42,391	43,686	-1,295	-3.0	2,793	2,752	41	1.5	2,365	2,154	211	9.8	6.6	6.3	0.3
Toyama	2,061	2,704	-643	-23.8	119	128	-9	-7.0	97	114	-17	-14.9	5.8	4.7	1.1
Ishikawa	2,110	2,438	-328	-13.5	159	168	-9	-5.4	112	127	-15	-11.8	7.5	6.9	0.6
Fukui	1,103	1,450	-347	-23.9	80	109	-29	-26.6	80	104	-24	-23.1	7.3	7.5	-0.2
Gifu	4,643	5,131	-488	-9.5	221	361	-140	-38.8	196	226	-30	-13.3	4.8	7.0	-2.2
Aichi	27,407	27,126	281	1.0	2,020	1,788	232	13.0	1,702	1,399	303	21.7	7.4	6.6	0.8
Mie	5,067	4,837	230	4.8	194	198	-4	-2.0	178	184	-6	-3.3	3.8	4.1	-0.3
Kinki	81,075	84,425	-3,350	-4.0	5,157	5,348	-191	-3.6	4,395	4,793	-398	-8.3	6.4	6.3	0.1
Shiga	3,423	3,520	-97	-2.8	239	252	-13	-5.2	188	192	-4	-2.1	7.0	7.2	-0.2
Kyoto	10,985	11,972	-987	-8.2	569	590	-21	-3.6	502	537	-35	-6.5	5.2	4.9	0.3
Osaka	42,220	42,794	-574	-1.3	2,518	2,785	-267	-9.6	2,216	2,714	-498	-18.3	6.0	6.5	-0.5
Hyogo	18,430	19,820	-1,390	-7.0	1,326	1,128	198	17.6	1,075	963	112	11.6	7.2	5.7	1.5
Nara	3,372	3,801	-429	-11.3	343	459	-116	-25.3	249	259	-10	-3.9	10.2	12.1	-1.9
Wakayama	2,645	2,518	127	5.0	162	134	28	20.9	165	128	37	28.9	6.1	5.3	0.8
Chugoku	18,397	18,704	-307	-1.6	1,212	1,270	-58	-4.6	896	1,007	-111	-11.0	6.6	6.8	-0.2
Tottori	1,024	1,154	-130	-11.3	99	104	-5	-4.8	77	83	-6	-7.2	9.7	9.0	0.7
Shimane	1,033	1,086	-53	-4.9	103	102	1	1.0	84	85	-1	-1.2	10.0	9.4	0.6
Okayama	6,620	6,800	-180	-2.6	414	379	35	9.2	219	215	4	1.9	6.3	5.6	0.7
Hiroshima	7,087	6,773	314	4.6	384	409	-25	-6.1	335	378	-43	-11.4	5.4	6.0	-0.6
Yamaguchi	2,633	2,891	-258	-8.9	212	276	-64	-23.2	181	246	-65	-26.4	8.1	9.5	-1.4
Shikoku	9,024	9,169	-145	-1.6	638	595	43	7.2	520	514	6	1.2	7.1	6.5	0.6
Tokushima	1,616	1,675	-59	-3.5	141	166	-25	-15.1	105	130	-25	-19.2	8.7	9.9	-1.2
Kagawa	2,095	1,883	212	11.3	152	156	-4	-2.6	114	112	2	1.8	7.3	8.3	-1.0
Ehime	2,801	2,902	-101	-3.5	164	170	-6	-3.5	141	171	-30	-17.5	5.9	5.9	-
Kouchi	2,512	2,709	-197	-7.3	181	103	78	75.7	160	101	59	58.4	7.2	3.8	3.4
Kyushu	35,478	33,869	1,609	4.8	2,811	3,149	-338	-10.7	1,827	1,878	-51	-2.7	7.9	9.3	-1.4
Fukuoka	18,335	16,352	1,983	12.1	866	1,074	-208	-19.4	722	731	-9	-1.2	4.7	6.6	-1.9
Saga	2,306	2,306	-	-	194	224	-30	-13.4	130	131	-1	-0.8	8.4	9.7	-1.3
Nagasaki	1,156	1,259	-103	-8.2	154	156	-2	-1.3	124	145	-21	-14.5	13.3	12.4	0.9
Kumamoto	3,986	3,873	113	2.9	292	309	-17	-5.5	270	311	-41	-13.2	7.3	8.0	-0.7
Oita	2,332	2,357	-25	-1.1	178	141	37	26.2	152	118	34	28.8	7.6	6.0	1.6
Miyazaki	2,473	2,706	-233	-8.6	540	807	-267	-33.1	132	169	-37	-21.9	21.8	29.8	-8.0
Kagoshima	3,218	3,163	55	1.7	291	184	107	58.2	179	132	47	35.6	9.0	5.8	3.2
Okinawa	1,672	1,853	-181	-9.8	296	254	42	16.5	118	141	-23	-16.3	17.7	13.7	4.0

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefecture compared to the previous year

(2) Street violent crimes and indecent assault known to police by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Assault								Bodily injury							
	Known to police (total)				On-the-street occurrences				Known to police (total)				On-the-street occurrences			
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change	
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%
Total	29,638	31,641	-2,003	-6.3	16,950	18,306	-1,356	-7.4	26,464	28,291	-1,827	-6.5	12,964	14,118	-1,154	-8.2
Hokkaido	873	1,013	-140	-13.8	406	471	-65	-13.8	792	801	-9	-1.1	329	317	12	3.8
Sapporo	583	650	-67	-10.3	292	322	-30	-9.3	527	516	11	2.1	233	230	3	1.3
Hakodate	83	110	-27	-24.5	37	45	-8	-17.8	62	59	3	5.1	21	16	5	31.3
Asahikawa	83	128	-45	-35.2	33	63	-30	-47.6	70	82	-12	-14.6	21	31	-10	-32.3
Kushiro	85	94	-9	-9.6	30	31	-1	-3.2	101	106	-5	-4.7	42	32	10	31.3
Kitami	39	31	8	25.8	14	10	4	40.0	32	38	-6	-15.8	12	8	4	50.0
Tohoku	1,613	1,605	8	0.5	728	737	-9	-1.2	1,380	1,352	28	2.1	552	554	-2	-0.4
Aomori	326	301	25	8.3	132	128	4	3.1	196	241	-45	-18.7	75	97	-22	-22.7
Iwate	130	112	18	16.1	53	41	12	29.3	146	143	3	2.1	52	63	-11	-17.5
Miyagi	377	401	-24	-6.0	199	200	-1	-0.5	422	345	77	22.3	185	148	37	25.0
Akita	96	78	18	23.1	34	36	-2	-5.6	95	89	6	6.7	40	30	10	33.3
Yamagata	325	317	8	2.5	98	107	-9	-8.4	150	190	-40	-21.1	52	70	-18	-25.7
Fukushima	359	396	-37	-9.3	212	225	-13	-5.8	371	344	27	7.8	148	146	2	1.4
Tokyo	4,690	5,096	-406	-8.0	3,376	3,666	-290	-7.9	3,199	3,347	-148	-4.4	1,896	2,028	-132	-6.5
Kanto	9,772	10,392	-620	-6.0	5,567	6,133	-566	-9.2	7,910	8,473	-563	-6.6	3,897	4,249	-352	-8.3
Ibaraki	641	661	-20	-3.0	348	350	-2	-0.6	520	541	-21	-3.9	207	231	-24	-10.4
Tochigi	646	568	78	13.7	315	291	24	8.2	372	424	-52	-12.3	150	174	-24	-13.8
Gunma	416	296	120	40.5	181	159	22	13.8	281	332	-51	-15.4	106	141	-35	-24.8
Saitama	1,683	1,798	-115	-6.4	1,113	1,172	-59	-5.0	1,689	1,779	-90	-5.1	891	923	-32	-3.5
Chiba	1,145	1,264	-119	-9.4	732	805	-73	-9.1	1,555	1,581	-26	-1.6	834	824	10	1.2
Kanagawa	3,155	3,678	-523	-14.2	1,972	2,352	-380	-16.2	2,059	2,313	-254	-11.0	1,085	1,265	-180	-14.2
Niigata	852	799	53	6.6	330	351	-21	-6.0	350	345	5	1.4	150	144	6	4.2
Yamanashi	100	87	13	14.9	55	53	2	3.8	114	142	-28	-19.7	48	64	-16	-25.0
Nagano	484	570	-86	-15.1	177	249	-72	-28.9	214	273	-59	-21.6	95	106	-11	-10.4
Shizuoka	650	671	-21	-3.1	344	351	-7	-2.0	756	743	13	1.7	331	377	-46	-12.2
Chubu	2,396	2,804	-408	-14.6	1,303	1,507	-204	-13.5	2,190	2,620	-430	-16.4	1,044	1,261	-217	-17.2
Toyama	222	194	28	14.4	85	94	-9	-9.6	110	162	-52	-32.1	52	73	-21	-28.8
Ishikawa	177	254	-77	-30.3	63	103	-40	-38.8	119	137	-18	-13.1	39	50	-11	-22.0
Fukui	52	58	-6	-10.3	19	20	-1	-5.0	83	94	-11	-11.7	39	42	-3	-7.1
Gifu	209	242	-33	-13.6	121	128	-7	-5.5	258	296	-38	-12.8	99	143	-44	-30.8
Aichi	1,568	1,846	-278	-15.1	924	1,051	-127	-12.1	1,291	1,595	-304	-19.1	645	820	-175	-21.3
Mie	168	210	-42	-20.0	91	111	-20	-18.0	329	336	-7	-2.1	170	133	37	27.8
Kinki	5,089	5,362	-273	-5.1	3,012	3,241	-229	-7.1	5,914	6,355	-441	-6.9	3,130	3,325	-195	-5.9
Shiga	203	142	61	43.0	114	82	32	39.0	222	223	-1	-0.4	110	99	11	11.1
Kyoto	759	813	-54	-6.6	453	511	-58	-11.4	696	790	-94	-11.9	346	422	-76	-18.0
Osaka	1,872	1,933	-61	-3.2	1,224	1,273	-49	-3.8	3,042	3,207	-165	-5.1	1,690	1,775	-85	-4.8
Hyogo	1,914	2,080	-166	-8.0	1,060	1,177	-117	-9.9	1,541	1,628	-87	-5.3	795	826	-31	-3.8
Nara	139	210	-71	-33.8	78	121	-43	-35.5	208	274	-66	-24.1	118	106	12	11.3
Wakayama	202	184	18	9.8	83	77	6	7.8	205	233	-28	-12.0	71	97	-26	-26.8
Chugoku	1,541	1,595	-54	-3.4	818	819	-1	-0.1	1,449	1,607	-158	-9.8	588	703	-115	-16.4
Tottori	65	63	2	3.2	34	29	5	17.2	71	77	-6	-7.8	27	27	-	-
Shimane	50	66	-16	-24.2	21	33	-12	-36.4	51	66	-15	-22.7	20	32	-12	-37.5
Okayama	414	438	-24	-5.5	213	209	4	1.9	413	491	-78	-15.9	153	180	-27	-15.0
Hiroshima	689	696	-7	-1.0	362	365	-3	-0.8	675	677	-2	-0.3	259	321	-62	-19.3
Yamaguchi	323	332	-9	-2.7	188	183	5	2.7	239	296	-57	-19.3	129	143	-14	-9.8
Shikoku	513	554	-41	-7.4	253	270	-17	-6.3	729	713	16	2.2	299	304	-5	-1.6
Tokushima	102	156	-54	-34.6	48	68	-20	-29.4	153	149	4	2.7	64	61	3	4.9
Kagawa	145	116	29	25.0	74	55	19	34.5	207	182	25	13.7	90	76	14	18.4
Ehime	183	194	-11	-5.7	84	95	-11	-11.6	242	257	-15	-5.8	90	110	-20	-18.2
Kouchi	83	88	-5	-5.7	47	52	-5	-9.6	127	125	2	1.6	55	57	-2	-3.5
Kyushu	3,151	3,220	-69	-2.1	1,487	1,462	25	1.7	2,901	3,023	-122	-4.0	1,229	1,377	-148	-10.7
Fukuoka	1,517	1,687	-170	-10.1	734	777	-43	-5.5	1,125	1,193	-68	-5.7	523	588	-65	-11.1
Saga	67	90	-23	-25.6	33	34	-1	-2.9	128	107	21	19.6	47	49	-2	-4.1
Nagasaki	394	402	-8	-2.0	195	204	-9	-4.4	237	276	-39	-14.1	104	138	-34	-24.6
Kumamoto	371	279	92	33.0	173	129	44	34.1	273	304	-31	-10.2	114	128	-14	-10.9
Oita	81	67	14	20.9	28	27	1	3.7	167	175	-8	-4.6	74	70	4	5.7
Miyazaki	129	116	13	11.2	56	56	-	-	197	194	3	1.5	75	81	-6	-7.4
Kagoshima	201	183	18	9.8	91	79	12	15.2	198	216	-18	-8.3	76	97	-21	-21.6
Okinawa	391	396	-5	-1.3	177	156	21	13.5	576	558	18	3.2	216	226	-10	-4.4

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefecture compared to the previous year

(2) Street violent crimes and indecent assault known to police by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Extortion								Indecent assault								
	Known to police (total)				On-the-street occurrences				Known to police (total)				On-the-street occurrences				
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change		
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	
Total	5,530	6,349	-819	-12.9	3,055	3,466	-411	-11.9	6,688	7,111	-423	-5.9	3,994	4,261	-267	-6.3	
Hokkaido	Total	122	150	-28	-18.7	54	60	-6	-10.0	224	242	-18	-7.4	106	115	-9	-7.8
	Sapporo	91	100	-9	-9.0	42	41	1	2.4	183	160	23	14.4	95	80	15	18.8
	Hakodate	7	11	-4	-36.4	3	3	-	-	4	13	-9	-69.2	1	6	-5	-83.3
	Asahikawa	8	13	-5	-38.5	3	1	2	200.0	16	27	-11	-40.7	3	13	-10	-76.9
	Kushiro	14	15	-1	-6.7	5	7	-2	-28.6	12	29	-17	-58.6	4	11	-7	-63.6
	Kitami	2	11	-9	-81.8	1	8	-7	-87.5	9	13	-4	-30.8	3	5	-2	-40.0
Tohoku Region	Total	272	276	-4	-1.4	137	123	14	11.4	355	390	-35	-9.0	211	241	-30	-12.4
	Aomori	47	35	12	34.3	14	10	4	40.0	36	39	-3	-7.7	22	21	1	4.8
	Iwate	13	19	-6	-31.6	4	8	-4	-50.0	39	40	-1	-2.5	28	22	6	27.3
	Miyagi	91	83	8	9.6	49	33	16	48.5	143	182	-39	-21.4	80	122	-42	-34.4
	Akita	19	22	-3	-13.6	9	14	-5	-35.7	19	33	-14	-42.4	8	20	-12	-60.0
	Yamagata	34	34	-	-	19	17	2	11.8	23	16	7	43.8	16	9	7	77.8
	Fukushima	68	83	-15	-18.1	42	41	1	2.4	95	80	15	18.8	57	47	10	21.3
Tokyo	760	897	-137	-15.3	375	428	-53	-12.4	959	1,098	-139	-12.7	567	697	-130	-18.7	
Kanto Region	Total	1,601	1,923	-322	-16.7	903	1,053	-150	-14.2	1,692	1,934	-242	-12.5	1,017	1,174	-157	-13.4
	Ibaraki	157	164	-7	-4.3	97	84	13	15.5	115	139	-24	-17.3	84	89	-5	-5.6
	Tochigi	62	99	-37	-37.4	27	42	-15	-35.7	85	102	-17	-16.7	55	62	-7	-11.3
	Gunma	78	110	-32	-29.1	43	55	-12	-21.8	63	43	20	46.5	34	26	8	30.8
	Saitama	268	381	-113	-29.7	169	226	-57	-25.2	399	447	-48	-10.7	270	278	-8	-2.9
	Chiba	335	326	9	2.8	216	203	13	6.4	284	386	-102	-26.4	156	215	-59	-27.4
	Kanagawa	382	507	-125	-24.7	199	277	-78	-28.2	354	409	-55	-13.4	175	227	-52	-22.9
	Niigata	55	86	-31	-36.0	28	41	-13	-31.7	75	118	-43	-36.4	36	78	-42	-53.8
	Yamanashi	27	29	-2	-6.9	16	18	-2	-11.1	41	30	11	36.7	24	12	12	100.0
	Nagano	43	56	-13	-23.2	23	22	1	4.5	81	80	1	1.3	54	61	-7	-11.5
	Shizuoka	194	165	29	17.6	85	85	-	-	195	180	15	8.3	129	126	3	2.4
Chubu Region	Total	649	724	-75	-10.4	417	472	-55	-11.7	606	686	-80	-11.7	396	449	-53	-11.8
	Toyama	20	38	-18	-47.4	14	22	-8	-36.4	23	40	-17	-42.5	11	25	-14	-56.0
	Ishikawa	21	22	-1	-4.5	13	15	-2	-13.3	24	26	-2	-7.7	13	16	-3	-18.8
	Fukui	15	22	-7	-31.8	6	11	-5	-45.5	12	23	-11	-47.8	9	21	-12	-57.1
	Gifu	80	58	22	37.9	57	37	20	54.1	78	73	5	6.8	52	49	3	6.1
	Aichi	453	528	-75	-14.2	289	359	-70	-19.5	389	437	-48	-11.0	253	277	-24	-8.7
	Mie	60	56	4	7.1	38	28	10	35.7	80	87	-7	-8.0	58	61	-3	-4.9
Kinki Region	Total	1,131	1,301	-170	-13.1	639	780	-141	-18.1	1,583	1,506	77	5.1	953	869	84	9.7
	Shiga	49	45	4	8.9	22	25	-3	-12.0	78	51	27	52.9	54	30	24	80.0
	Kyoto	132	140	-8	-5.7	65	79	-14	-17.7	174	215	-41	-19.1	100	113	-13	-11.5
	Osaka	546	680	-134	-19.7	323	437	-114	-26.1	849	780	69	8.8	509	459	50	10.9
	Hyogo	335	367	-32	-8.7	198	214	-16	-7.5	380	378	2	0.5	228	214	14	6.5
	Nara	42	42	-	-	23	18	5	27.8	52	46	6	13.0	30	36	-6	-16.7
	Wakayama	27	27	-	-	8	7	1	14.3	50	36	14	38.9	32	17	15	88.2
Chugoku Region	Total	327	336	-9	-2.7	176	172	4	2.3	320	342	-22	-6.4	198	198	-	-
	Tottori	21	27	-6	-22.2	12	11	1	9.1	16	22	-6	-27.3	13	15	-2	-13.3
	Shimane	17	22	-5	-22.7	8	15	-7	-46.7	26	28	-2	-7.1	14	17	-3	-17.6
	Okayama	125	131	-6	-4.6	66	65	1	1.5	72	68	4	5.9	40	34	6	17.6
	Hiroshima	119	102	17	16.7	68	50	18	36.0	169	184	-15	-8.2	116	113	3	2.7
	Yamaguchi	45	54	-9	-16.7	22	31	-9	-29.0	37	40	-3	-7.5	15	19	-4	-21.1
	Total	148	177	-29	-16.4	68	84	-16	-19.0	185	150	35	23.3	113	85	28	32.9
Shikoku Region	Tokushima	21	31	-10	-32.3	9	12	-3	-25.0	28	22	6	27.3	8	13	-5	-38.5
	Kagawa	49	51	-2	-3.9	22	26	-4	-15.4	28	28	-	-	15	10	5	50.0
	Ehime	56	62	-6	-9.7	26	26	-	-	96	60	36	60.0	71	38	33	86.8
	Kouchi	22	33	-11	-33.3	11	20	-9	-45.0	33	40	-7	-17.5	19	24	-5	-20.8
	Total	520	565	-45	-8.0	286	294	-8	-2.7	764	763	1	0.1	433	433	-	-
Kyushu Region	Fukuoka	259	268	-9	-3.4	149	148	1	0.7	355	385	-30	-7.8	218	228	-10	-4.4
	Saga	35	20	15	75.0	20	13	7	53.8	35	37	-2	-5.4	25	22	3	13.6
	Nagasaki	24	28	-4	-14.3	11	7	4	57.1	81	61	20	32.8	57	33	24	72.7
	Kumamoto	49	49	-	-	28	31	-3	-9.7	84	78	6	7.7	37	42	-5	-11.9
	Oita	22	28	-6	-21.4	11	11	-	-	26	21	5	23.8	13	11	2	18.2
	Miyazaki	45	29	16	55.2	24	8	16	200.0	68	65	3	4.6	41	36	5	13.9
	Kagoshima	25	33	-8	-24.2	14	22	-8	-36.4	49	53	-4	-7.5	17	29	-12	-41.4
	Okinawa	61	110	-49	-44.5	29	54	-25	-46.3	66	63	3	4.8	25	32	-7	-21.9

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefecture compared to the previous year

(3) Property damage and trespassing known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Property damage															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	Change	
Total	169,292	178,191	-8,899	-5.0	12,062	13,129	-1,067	-8.1	6,160	6,480	-320	-4.9	7.1	7.4	-0.3	
Hokkaido	3,671	3,944	-273	-6.9	314	316	-2	-0.6	132	148	-16	-10.8	8.6	8.0	0.6	
Sapporo	2,502	2,525	-23	-0.9	183	186	-3	-1.6	80	82	-2	-2.4	7.3	7.4	-0.1	
Hakodate	337	372	-35	-9.4	33	33	-	-	8	18	-10	-55.6	9.8	8.9	0.9	
Asahikawa	379	547	-168	-30.7	30	50	-20	-40.0	16	21	-5	-23.8	7.9	9.1	-1.2	
Kushiro	295	301	-6	-2.0	36	36	-	-	10	22	-12	-54.5	12.2	12.0	0.2	
Kitami	158	199	-41	-20.6	32	11	21	190.9	18	5	13	260.0	20.3	5.5	14.8	
Tohoku	8,694	8,927	-233	-2.6	771	678	93	13.7	354	313	41	13.1	8.9	7.6	1.3	
Aomori	1,082	1,233	-151	-12.2	113	102	11	10.8	51	56	-5	-8.9	10.4	8.3	2.1	
Iwate	815	919	-104	-11.3	78	95	-17	-17.9	44	38	6	15.8	9.6	10.3	-0.7	
Miyagi	2,779	2,884	-105	-3.6	171	183	-12	-6.6	109	93	16	17.2	6.2	6.3	-0.1	
Akita	546	578	-32	-5.5	86	58	28	48.3	33	16	17	106.3	15.8	10.0	5.8	
Yamagata	878	840	38	4.5	93	69	24	34.8	45	34	11	32.4	10.6	8.2	2.4	
Fukushima	2,594	2,473	121	4.9	230	171	59	34.5	72	76	-4	-5.3	8.9	6.9	2.0	
Tokyo	20,380	20,365	15	0.1	1,209	1,215	-6	-0.5	691	647	44	6.8	5.9	6.0	-0.1	
Kanto	46,582	49,980	-3,398	-6.8	3,901	4,503	-602	-13.4	1,945	2,288	-343	-15.0	8.4	9.0	-0.6	
Ibaraki	4,685	4,258	427	10.0	193	274	-81	-29.6	95	145	-50	-34.5	4.1	6.4	-2.3	
Tochigi	2,389	2,380	9	0.4	156	360	-204	-56.7	126	155	-29	-18.7	6.5	15.1	-8.6	
Gunma	2,628	2,837	-209	-7.4	316	340	-24	-7.1	87	125	-38	-30.4	12.0	12.0	-	
Saitama	11,906	13,134	-1,228	-9.3	904	916	-12	-1.3	416	496	-80	-16.1	7.6	7.0	0.6	
Chiba	8,356	8,526	-170	-2.0	844	700	144	20.6	350	330	20	6.1	10.1	8.2	1.9	
Kanagawa	6,411	8,178	-1,767	-21.6	627	858	-231	-26.9	462	565	-103	-18.2	9.8	10.5	-0.7	
Niigata	2,962	2,875	87	3.0	268	267	1	0.4	122	166	-44	-26.5	9.0	9.3	-0.3	
Yamanashi	698	728	-30	-4.1	82	57	25	43.9	40	33	7	21.2	11.7	7.8	3.9	
Nagano	2,228	2,401	-173	-7.2	195	324	-129	-39.8	84	80	4	5.0	8.8	13.5	-4.7	
Shizuoka	4,319	4,663	-344	-7.4	316	407	-91	-22.4	163	193	-30	-15.5	7.3	8.7	-1.4	
Chubu	28,508	29,498	-990	-3.4	1,186	1,221	-35	-2.9	469	471	-2	-0.4	4.2	4.1	0.1	
Toyama	1,082	1,274	-192	-15.1	160	83	77	92.8	31	30	1	3.3	14.8	6.5	8.3	
Ishikawa	489	790	-301	-38.1	55	63	-8	-12.7	33	33	-	-	11.2	8.0	3.2	
Fukui	750	754	-4	-0.5	67	77	-10	-13.0	30	36	-6	-16.7	8.9	10.2	-1.3	
Gifu	3,786	3,794	-8	-0.2	280	229	51	22.3	65	68	-3	-4.4	7.4	6.0	1.4	
Aichi	19,255	19,550	-295	-1.5	453	547	-94	-17.2	265	243	22	9.1	2.4	2.8	-0.4	
Mie	3,146	3,336	-190	-5.7	171	222	-51	-23.0	45	61	-16	-26.2	5.4	6.7	-1.3	
Kinki	35,462	37,746	-2,284	-6.1	2,180	2,515	-335	-13.3	1,227	1,288	-61	-4.7	6.1	6.7	-0.6	
Shiga	1,891	1,960	-69	-3.5	119	169	-50	-29.6	52	56	-4	-7.1	6.3	8.6	-2.3	
Kyoto	5,621	6,437	-816	-12.7	383	412	-29	-7.0	208	223	-15	-6.7	6.8	6.4	0.4	
Osaka	12,952	12,763	189	1.5	605	674	-69	-10.2	451	486	-35	-7.2	4.7	5.3	-0.6	
Hyogo	11,312	12,267	-955	-7.8	799	960	-161	-16.8	379	390	-11	-2.8	7.1	7.8	-0.7	
Nara	1,720	2,211	-491	-22.2	130	156	-26	-16.7	77	60	17	28.3	7.6	7.1	0.5	
Wakayama	1,966	2,108	-142	-6.7	144	144	-	-	60	73	-13	-17.8	7.3	6.8	0.5	
Chugoku	9,460	10,010	-550	-5.5	900	1,010	-110	-10.9	486	481	5	1.0	9.5	10.1	-0.6	
Tottori	636	755	-119	-15.8	27	65	-38	-58.5	15	25	-10	-40.0	4.2	8.6	-4.4	
Shimane	624	621	3	0.5	75	55	20	36.4	25	13	12	92.3	12.0	8.9	3.1	
Okayama	2,838	3,117	-279	-9.0	296	320	-24	-7.5	142	162	-20	-12.3	10.4	10.3	0.1	
Hiroshima	3,517	3,659	-142	-3.9	361	392	-31	-7.9	215	215	-	-	10.3	10.7	-0.4	
Yamaguchi	1,845	1,858	-13	-0.7	141	178	-37	-20.8	89	66	23	34.8	7.6	9.6	-2.0	
Shikoku	3,836	4,550	-714	-15.7	311	371	-60	-16.2	144	128	16	12.5	8.1	8.2	-0.1	
Tokushima	923	1,059	-136	-12.8	90	68	22	32.4	25	26	-1	-3.8	9.8	6.4	3.4	
Kagawa	744	937	-193	-20.6	82	91	-9	-9.9	38	37	1	2.7	11.0	9.7	1.3	
Ehime	1,242	1,624	-382	-23.5	90	149	-59	-39.6	50	39	11	28.2	7.2	9.2	-2.0	
Kouchi	927	930	-3	-0.3	49	63	-14	-22.2	31	26	5	19.2	5.3	6.8	-1.5	
Kyushu	12,699	13,171	-472	-3.6	1,290	1,300	-10	-0.8	712	716	-4	-0.6	10.2	9.9	0.3	
Fukuoka	6,059	5,980	79	1.3	423	405	18	4.4	271	272	-1	-0.4	7.0	6.8	0.2	
Saga	463	542	-79	-14.6	35	61	-26	-42.6	28	16	12	75.0	7.6	11.3	-3.7	
Nagasaki	993	1,068	-75	-7.0	167	106	61	57.5	66	48	18	37.5	16.8	9.9	6.9	
Kumamoto	1,190	1,204	-14	-1.2	158	145	13	9.0	84	103	-19	-18.4	13.3	12.0	1.3	
Oita	1,011	948	63	6.6	98	100	-2	-2.0	28	35	-7	-20.0	9.7	10.5	-0.8	
Miyazaki	573	734	-161	-21.9	71	58	13	22.4	21	33	-12	-36.4	12.4	7.9	4.5	
Kagoshima	884	880	4	0.5	110	168	-58	-34.5	39	36	3	8.3	12.4	19.1	-6.7	
Okinawa	1,526	1,815	-289	-15.9	228	257	-29	-11.3	175	173	2	1.2	14.9	14.2	0.7	

Table 6 : Street crimes by prefecture compared to the previous year

(3) Vandalism and trespassing known to police, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Trespassing															
	Known to police				Clearances				Arrests				Clearance rate			
	2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008		2009		2008	Change
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec		
Total	23,863	24,807	-944	-3.8	8,234	8,682	-448	-5.2	5,547	5,881	-334	-5.7	34.5	35.0	-0.5	
Hokkaido	838	808	30	3.7	259	296	-37	-12.5	124	123	1	0.8	30.9	36.6	-5.7	
Sapporo	536	509	27	5.3	156	161	-5	-3.1	70	66	4	6.1	29.1	31.6	-2.5	
Hakodate	58	65	-7	-10.8	20	16	4	25.0	9	11	-2	-18.2	34.5	24.6	9.9	
Asahikawa	76	87	-11	-12.6	35	35	-	-	22	17	5	29.4	46.1	40.2	5.9	
Kushiro	129	117	12	10.3	39	78	-39	-50.0	16	24	-8	-33.3	30.2	66.7	-36.5	
Kitami	39	30	9	30.0	9	6	3	50.0	7	5	2	40.0	23.1	20.0	3.1	
Tohoku	1,529	1,481	48	3.2	516	547	-31	-5.7	214	275	-61	-22.2	33.7	36.9	-3.2	
Aomori	196	185	11	5.9	91	74	17	23.0	45	34	11	32.4	46.4	40.0	6.4	
Iwate	122	141	-19	-13.5	53	65	-12	-18.5	28	40	-12	-30.0	43.4	46.1	-2.7	
Miyagi	549	471	78	16.6	118	107	11	10.3	29	45	-16	-35.6	21.5	22.7	-1.2	
Akita	71	128	-57	-44.5	54	77	-23	-29.9	30	37	-7	-18.9	76.1	60.2	15.9	
Yamagata	151	135	16	11.9	69	83	-14	-16.9	31	41	-10	-24.4	45.7	61.5	-15.8	
Fukushima	440	421	19	4.5	131	141	-10	-7.1	51	78	-27	-34.6	29.8	33.5	-3.7	
Tokyo	1,647	1,619	28	1.7	924	967	-43	-4.4	570	590	-20	-3.4	56.1	59.7	-3.6	
Kanto	8,507	9,416	-909	-9.7	2,937	2,878	59	2.1	2,120	2,259	-139	-6.2	34.5	30.6	3.9	
Ibaraki	797	742	55	7.4	159	193	-34	-17.6	84	130	-46	-35.4	19.9	26.0	-6.1	
Tochigi	719	990	-271	-27.4	248	206	42	20.4	106	116	-10	-8.6	34.5	20.8	13.7	
Gunma	567	733	-166	-22.6	310	162	148	91.4	107	73	34	46.6	54.7	22.1	32.6	
Saitama	965	1,137	-172	-15.1	496	371	125	33.7	374	293	81	27.6	51.4	32.6	18.8	
Chiba	1,637	1,658	-21	-1.3	311	344	-33	-9.6	259	301	-42	-14.0	19.0	20.7	-1.7	
Kanagawa	2,103	2,360	-257	-10.9	809	880	-71	-8.1	738	830	-92	-11.1	38.5	37.3	1.2	
Niigata	410	400	10	2.5	154	163	-9	-5.5	116	127	-11	-8.7	37.6	40.8	-3.2	
Yamanashi	112	145	-33	-22.8	42	59	-17	-28.8	30	24	6	25.0	37.5	40.7	-3.2	
Nagano	278	337	-59	-17.5	116	139	-23	-16.5	75	127	-52	-40.9	41.7	41.2	0.5	
Shizuoka	919	914	5	0.5	292	361	-69	-19.1	231	238	-7	-2.9	31.8	39.5	-7.7	
Chubu	2,473	2,563	-90	-3.5	705	774	-69	-8.9	455	415	40	9.6	28.5	30.2	-1.7	
Toyama	134	144	-10	-6.9	54	49	5	10.2	44	50	-6	-12.0	40.3	34.0	6.3	
Ishikawa	91	137	-46	-33.6	47	70	-23	-32.9	50	75	-25	-33.3	51.6	51.1	0.5	
Fukui	104	89	15	16.9	46	38	8	21.1	32	19	13	68.4	44.2	42.7	1.5	
Gifu	424	535	-111	-20.7	165	137	28	20.4	51	83	-32	-38.6	38.9	25.6	13.3	
Aichi	1,254	1,258	-4	-0.3	310	374	-64	-17.1	249	144	105	72.9	24.7	29.7	-5.0	
Mie	466	400	66	16.5	83	106	-23	-21.7	29	44	-15	-34.1	17.8	26.5	-8.7	
Kinki	4,088	4,174	-86	-2.1	1,030	1,119	-89	-8.0	855	881	-26	-3.0	25.2	26.8	-1.6	
Shiga	294	248	46	18.5	76	70	6	8.6	24	33	-9	-27.3	25.9	28.2	-2.3	
Kyoto	368	389	-21	-5.4	190	187	3	1.6	201	165	36	21.8	51.6	48.1	3.5	
Osaka	2,447	2,506	-59	-2.4	338	381	-43	-11.3	187	261	-74	-28.4	13.8	15.2	-1.4	
Hyogo	684	688	-4	-0.6	305	307	-2	-0.7	328	338	-10	-3.0	44.6	44.6	-	
Nara	167	205	-38	-18.5	75	123	-48	-39.0	84	61	23	37.7	44.9	60.0	-15.1	
Wakayama	128	138	-10	-7.2	46	51	-5	-9.8	31	23	8	34.8	35.9	37.0	-1.1	
Chugoku	1,504	1,514	-10	-0.7	599	734	-135	-18.4	441	448	-7	-1.6	39.8	48.5	-8.7	
Tottori	104	103	1	1.0	36	40	-4	-10.0	14	28	-14	-50.0	34.6	38.8	-4.2	
Shimane	84	89	-5	-5.6	60	53	7	13.2	24	23	1	4.3	71.4	59.6	11.8	
Okayama	537	483	54	11.2	154	141	13	9.2	123	94	29	30.9	28.7	29.2	-0.5	
Hiroshima	473	505	-32	-6.3	232	304	-72	-23.7	216	235	-19	-8.1	49.0	60.2	-11.2	
Yamaguchi	306	334	-28	-8.4	117	196	-79	-40.3	64	68	-4	-5.9	38.2	58.7	-20.5	
Shikoku	544	540	4	0.7	235	219	16	7.3	141	162	-21	-13.0	43.2	40.6	2.6	
Tokushima	118	119	-1	-0.8	47	50	-3	-6.0	22	18	4	22.2	39.8	42.0	-2.2	
Kagawa	215	197	18	9.1	110	79	31	39.2	40	31	9	29.0	51.2	40.1	11.1	
Ehime	107	98	9	9.2	30	39	-9	-23.1	38	30	8	26.7	28.0	39.8	-11.8	
Kouchi	104	126	-22	-17.5	48	51	-3	-5.9	41	83	-42	-50.6	46.2	40.5	5.7	
Kyushu	2,733	2,692	41	1.5	1,029	1,148	-119	-10.4	627	728	-101	-13.9	37.7	42.6	-4.9	
Fukuoka	1,438	1,362	76	5.6	439	551	-112	-20.3	296	318	-22	-6.9	30.5	40.5	-10.0	
Saga	152	168	-16	-9.5	72	66	6	9.1	32	34	-2	-5.9	47.4	39.3	8.1	
Nagasaki	192	226	-34	-15.0	109	113	-4	-3.5	59	64	-5	-7.8	56.8	50.0	6.8	
Kumamoto	304	239	65	27.2	117	85	32	37.6	69	70	-1	-1.4	38.5	35.6	2.9	
Oita	119	114	5	4.4	67	62	5	8.1	12	31	-19	-61.3	56.3	54.4	1.9	
Miyazaki	143	144	-1	-0.7	43	48	-5	-10.4	29	25	4	16.0	30.1	33.3	-3.2	
Kagoshima	157	188	-31	-16.5	58	89	-31	-34.8	26	28	-2	-7.1	36.9	47.3	-10.4	
Okinawa	228	251	-23	-9.2	124	134	-10	-7.5	104	158	-54	-34.2	54.4	53.4	1.0	

Prefectures	Total				Red-handed arrest (without warrant)				Emergency arrest (without warrant)				Ordinary arrest (with warrant)				Not in custody				
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		
			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%			No.	%	
Hokkaido	Total	332,888	339,752	-6,864	-2.0	35,131	35,804	-673	-1.9	6,450	7,396	-946	-12.8	44,744	45,008	-264	-0.6	246,563	251,544	-4,981	-2.0
	Total	11,479	12,643	-1,164	-9.2	1,204	1,385	-181	-13.1	347	384	-37	-9.6	1,632	1,730	-98	-5.7	8,296	9,144	-848	-9.3
	Sapporo	7,827	8,435	-608	-7.2	805	866	-61	-7.0	211	209	2	1.0	1,011	1,029	-18	-1.7	5,800	6,331	-531	-8.4
	Hakodate	898	1,147	-249	-21.7	114	151	-37	-24.5	26	44	-18	-40.9	105	143	-38	-26.6	653	809	-156	-19.3
	Asahikawa	1,266	1,340	-74	-5.5	111	125	-14	-11.2	52	54	-2	-3.7	187	212	-25	-11.8	916	949	-33	-3.5
	Kushiro	1,048	1,261	-213	-16.9	132	174	-42	-24.1	48	59	-11	-18.6	199	255	-56	-22.0	669	773	-104	-13.5
Kitami	440	460	-20	-4.3	42	69	-27	-39.1	10	18	-8	-44.4	130	91	39	42.9	258	282	-24	-8.5	
Tohoku	Total	18,608	18,802	-194	-1.0	1,516	1,414	102	7.2	696	661	35	5.3	2,491	2,651	-160	-6.0	13,905	14,076	-171	-1.2
	Aomori	2,975	2,967	8	0.3	206	199	7	3.5	168	170	-2	-1.2	216	235	-19	-8.1	2,385	2,363	22	0.9
	Iwate	2,311	2,321	-10	-0.4	252	254	-2	-0.8	57	76	-19	-25.0	332	328	4	1.2	1,670	1,663	7	0.4
	Miyagi	4,750	4,949	-199	-4.0	425	358	67	18.7	314	279	35	12.5	660	692	-32	-4.6	3,351	3,620	-269	-7.4
	Akita	1,920	1,839	81	4.4	110	86	24	27.9	39	36	3	8.3	349	329	20	6.1	1,422	1,388	34	2.4
	Yamagata	2,605	2,445	160	6.5	197	179	18	10.1	65	48	17	35.4	308	367	-59	-16.1	2,035	1,853	182	9.8
Kanto	Fukushima	4,047	4,281	-234	-5.5	326	338	-12	-3.6	53	54	-1	-1.9	626	700	-74	-10.6	3,042	3,189	-147	-4.6
	Tokyo	46,716	46,784	-68	-0.1	7,175	7,184	-9	-0.1	215	325	-110	-33.8	6,178	6,059	119	2.0	33,148	33,213	-65	-0.2
	Total	94,637	98,123	-3,486	-3.6	9,078	9,506	-428	-4.5	1,956	2,408	-452	-18.8	11,329	11,564	-235	-2.0	72,274	74,645	-2,371	-3.2
	Ibaraki	6,734	6,590	144	2.2	500	542	-42	-7.7	164	163	1	0.6	763	739	24	3.2	5,307	5,146	161	3.1
	Tochigi	5,679	5,097	582	11.4	506	490	16	3.3	268	293	-25	-8.5	648	596	52	8.7	4,257	3,718	539	14.5
	Gunma	4,472	4,250	222	5.2	444	435	9	2.1	93	85	8	9.4	840	938	-98	-10.4	3,100	2,792	308	11.0
Chubu	Saitama	19,345	18,289	1,056	5.8	1,987	1,997	-10	-0.5	188	315	-127	-40.3	2,435	2,655	-220	-8.3	14,735	13,322	1,413	10.6
	Chiba	15,278	16,046	-768	-4.8	1,816	1,759	57	3.2	351	422	-71	-16.8	1,624	1,632	-8	-0.5	11,487	12,233	-746	-6.1
	Kanagawa	22,558	26,969	-4,411	-16.4	1,982	2,454	-472	-19.2	357	540	-183	-33.9	2,462	2,522	-60	-2.4	17,757	21,453	-3,696	-17.2
	Niigata	5,544	5,800	-256	-4.4	468	483	-15	-3.1	101	133	-32	-24.1	722	729	-7	-1.0	4,253	4,455	-202	-4.5
	Yamanashi	1,924	1,947	-23	-1.2	174	178	-4	-2.2	12	15	-3	-20.0	202	222	-20	-9.0	1,536	1,532	4	0.3
	Nagano	4,959	5,005	-46	-0.9	299	326	-27	-8.3	121	119	2	1.7	531	482	49	10.2	4,008	4,078	-70	-1.7
Chugoku	Shizuoka	8,144	8,130	14	0.2	902	842	60	7.1	306	323	-17	-5.3	1,049	49	5.1	5,834	5,916	-82	-1.4	
	Total	31,773	30,441	1,332	4.4	2,611	2,564	47	1.8	754	775	-21	-2.7	4,263	3,973	290	7.3	24,145	23,129	1,016	4.4
	Toyama	2,039	2,142	-103	-4.8	139	148	-9	-6.1	75	40	35	87.5	143	192	-49	-25.5	1,682	1,762	-80	-4.5
	Ishikawa	2,163	2,195	-32	-1.5	183	191	-8	-4.2	14	23	-9	-39.1	412	337	75	22.3	1,554	1,644	-90	-5.5
	Fukui	1,606	1,696	-90	-5.3	204	141	63	44.7	48	49	-1	-2.0	259	242	17	7.0	1,095	1,264	-169	-13.4
	Gifu	4,200	4,375	-175	-4.0	321	297	24	8.1	50	65	-15	-23.1	524	537	-13	-2.4	3,305	3,476	-171	-4.9
Kinki	Aichi	18,186	16,488	1,698	10.3	1,495	1,512	-17	-1.1	509	533	-24	-4.5	2,350	2,079	271	13.0	13,832	12,364	1,468	11.9
	Mie	3,579	3,545	34	1.0	269	275	-6	-2.2	58	65	-7	-10.8	575	586	-11	-1.9	2,677	2,619	58	2.2
	Total	61,830	62,902	-1,072	-1.7	6,205	6,237	-32	-0.5	941	1,023	-82	-8.0	9,463	9,437	26	0.3	45,221	46,205	-984	-2.1
	Shiga	2,971	2,585	386	14.9	219	221	-2	-0.9	88	92	-4	-4.3	609	629	-20	-3.2	2,055	1,643	412	25.1
	Kyoto	8,489	8,412	77	0.9	795	805	-10	-1.2	197	165	32	19.4	1,091	1,078	13	1.2	6,406	6,364	42	0.7
	Osaka	25,556	28,042	-2,486	-8.9	2,569	2,611	-42	-1.6	341	418	-77	-18.4	4,429	4,330	99	2.3	18,217	20,683	-2,466	-11.9
Shikoku	Hyogo	18,793	17,965	828	4.6	1,829	1,773	56	3.2	137	137	-	-	2,268	2,193	75	3.4	14,559	13,862	697	5.0
	Nara	3,241	3,359	-118	-3.5	483	575	-92	-16.0	101	147	-46	-31.3	676	755	-79	-10.5	1,981	1,882	99	5.3
	Wakayama	2,780	2,539	241	9.5	310	252	58	23.0	77	64	13	20.3	390	452	-62	-13.7	2,003	1,771	232	13.1
	Total	19,226	19,923	-697	-3.5	2,589	2,683	-94	-3.5	298	374	-76	-20.3	3,068	3,115	-47	-1.5	13,271	13,751	-480	-3.5
	Tottori	1,411	1,532	-121	-7.9	92	107	-15	-14.0	26	21	5	23.8	252	255	-3	-1.2	1,041	1,149	-108	-9.4
	Shimane	1,300	1,304	-4	-0.3	119	97	22	22.7	57	80	-23	-28.8	213	231	-18	-7.8	911	896	15	1.7
Kyushu	Okayama	5,191	5,269	-78	-1.5	621	672	-51	-7.6	82	103	-21	-20.4	679	717	-38	-5.3	3,809	3,777	32	0.8
	Hiroshima	7,680	7,667	13	0.2	1,353	1,322	31	2.3	66	93	-27	-29.0	1,358	1,280	78	6.1	4,903	4,972	-69	-1.4
	Yamaguchi	3,644	4,151	-507	-12.2	404	465	-61	-16.7	67	77	-10	-13.0	566	632	-66	-10.4	2,607	2,957	-350	-11.8
	Total	10,596	10,622	-26	-0.2	799	799	-	-	132	144	-12	-8.3	1,670	1,545	125	8.1	7,995	8,134	-139	-1.7
	Tokushima	1,865	2,024	-159	-7.9	105	158	-53	-33.5	31	49	-18	-36.7	251	269	-18	-6.7	1,478	1,548	-70	-4.5
	Kagawa	3,052	2,843	209	7.4	238	174	64	36.8	49	37	12	32.4	441	408	33	8.1	2,324	2,224	100	4.5
Total	Ehime	3,645	3,764	-119	-3.2	255	260	-5	-1.9	35	35	-	-	602	549	53	9.7	2,753	2,920	-167	-5.7
	Kouchi	2,034	1,991	43	2.2	201	207	-6	-2.9	17	23	-6	-26.1	376	319	57	17.9	1,440	1,442	-2	-0.1
	Total	38,023	39,512	-1,489	-3.8	3,954	4,032	-78	-1.9	1,111	1,302	-191	-14.7	4,650	4,936	-286	-5.8	28,308	29,242	-934	-3.2
	Fukuoka	15,938	18,125	-2,187	-12.1	1,620	1,725	-105	-6.1	585	630	-45	-7.1	1,647	1,645	2	0.1	12,086	14,125	-2,039	-14.4
	Saga	2,046	1,810	236	13.0	211	190	21	11.1	73	88	-15	-17.0	291	241	50	20.7	1,471	1,291	180	13.9
	Nagasaki	3,261	3,328	-67	-2.0	228	260	-32	-12.3	112	157	-45	-28.7	361	365	-4	-1.1	2,560	2,546	14	0.5
Kumamoto	4,881	4,687	194	4.1	388	431	-43	-10.0	32	37	-5	-13.5	650	803	-153	-19.1	3,811	3,416	395	11.6	
Oita	2,133	2,116	17	0.8	186	145	41	28.3	24	31	-7	-22.6	300	334	-34	-10.2	1,623	1,606	17	1.1	
Miyazaki	2,426	2,562	-136	-5.3	234	220	14	6.4	27	42	-15	-35.7	434	493	-59	-12.0	1,731	1,807	-76	-4.2	
Kagoshima	3,322																				

Table 8 : Special Law violation cases and persons transferred to public prosecutor's offices compared to the previous year (Jan.-Dec.)

Laws	Cases transferred to PPO				Persons transferred to PPO			
	2009	2008	Change		2009	2008	Change	
	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%	Jan-Dec	Jan-Dec	No.	%
Special Law (Note)	92,162	90,285	1,877	2.1	82,188	80,594	1,594	2.0
Public Offices Election Law	375	82	293	357.3	687	397	290	73.0
Alien Registration Law	68	77	-9	-11.7	40	50	-10	-20.0
Immigration Control Law	5,072	6,049	-977	-16.2	4,428	5,230	-802	-15.3
Petty Offense Law	18,643	17,851	792	4.4	19,417	18,477	940	5.1
Horse Racing Law	14	26	-12	-46.2	39	64	-25	-39.1
Entertainment Businesses Law	2,839	3,249	-410	-12.6	3,577	3,956	-379	-9.6
Anti-Prostitution Law	1,562	1,842	-280	-15.2	747	662	85	12.8
Child Welfare Law	457	513	-56	-10.9	436	518	-82	-15.8
Juvenile Protection Ordinance	3,013	2,968	45	1.5	2,859	2,807	52	1.9
Capital Subscription Law	399	462	-63	-13.6	395	494	-99	-20.0
Loan Business Law	375	398	-23	-5.8	275	318	-43	-13.5
Residence and Land Transaction Law	19	22	-3	-13.6	28	28	-	-
Customs Law	54	41	13	31.7	21	26	-5	-19.2
Foreign Exchange Law	14	7	7	100.0	13	5	8	160.0
Copyright Law	342	286	56	19.6	178	179	-1	-0.6
Trademark Law	782	814	-32	-3.9	312	440	-128	-29.1
Unfair Competition Law	62	32	30	93.8	122	68	54	79.4
Firearms and Swords Control Law	6,609	6,162	447	7.3	5,499	5,066	433	8.5
Explosives Control Law	147	257	-110	-42.8	88	177	-89	-50.3
Narcotics Control Law	762	1,098	-336	-30.6	340	488	-148	-30.3
Opium Law	34	18	16	88.9	28	13	15	115.4
Cannabis Control Law	3,883	3,793	90	2.4	2,903	2,728	175	6.4
Stimulants Control Law	16,080	15,515	565	3.6	11,552	10,876	676	6.2
Pharmaceutical Affairs Law	140	148	-8	-5.4	139	159	-20	-12.6
Poisonous Substances Control	1,417	1,586	-169	-10.7	1,372	1,580	-208	-13.2
Waste Disposal Law	6,504	6,685	-181	-2.7	7,599	7,600	-1	0.0
Labor Standards Law	62	93	-31	-33.3	71	122	-51	-41.8
Others	22,434	20,211	2,223	11.0	19,023	18,066	957	5.3

Note: Violations of the Road Traffic Law are not included here.

Table 9 : Visiting Foreigners arrested for index serious and larceny offenses by nationality compared to the previous year

	Total		Index serious offenses													
			Sub-total		Murder		Robbery		Arson		Rape		Abduction		Indecent assault	
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec
Total	746	726	280	256	45	50	175	142	4	10	15	11	3	4	38	39
Asia	463	446	155	152	40	40	80	74	2	7	9	4	3	1	21	26
Korea(South, North)	62	57	19	33	6	11	7	15	1	1	3	2	-	-	2	4
China	264	273	63	56	22	17	33	23	1	4	1	-	-	-	6	12
Iran	3	5	3	5	2	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
India	3	4	3	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	3	1
Indonesia	2	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka	10	23	6	4	1	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Thailand	7	5	3	5	1	-	1	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Pakistan	11	3	4	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	1
Bangladesh	1	2	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Philippines	44	28	22	14	4	4	13	7	-	-	1	1	2	-	2	2
Vietnam	38	25	19	17	-	3	19	13	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Malaysia	-	5	-	4	-	-	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others	18	15	12	6	3	3	1	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	5	2
Europe	19	16	12	4	1	-	5	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	5
United Kingdom	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
France	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Russia	11	10	6	-	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Others	5	3	4	2	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	2	-
America(North, Latin)	231	246	105	93	4	10	87	65	1	1	5	7	-	2	8	8
United States	11	11	8	9	2	1	4	5	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	1
Canada	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Brazil	162	164	76	61	2	7	68	48	1	-	2	1	-	-	3	5
Others	57	70	20	22	-	2	15	12	-	1	2	3	-	2	3	2
Africa	29	13	7	4	-	-	3	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	3
Oceania	4	5	1	3	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1
Statelessness	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown Nationality	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Note: China includes Taiwan, Hong Kong, etc.

Table 9 : Foreign visitors arrested for index serious and larceny offenses by nationality compared to the previous year

	Index larceny offenses									
	Sub-total		Burglary theft		Motor vehicle theft		Purse snatching		Pick-pocketing	
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec
Total	466	470	329	342	94	82	23	23	20	23
Asia	308	294	249	243	35	32	10	7	14	12
Korea (South, North)	43	24	31	17	6	2	2	1	4	4
China	201	217	192	199	-	7	2	3	7	8
Iran	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
India	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Indonesia	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sri Lanka	4	19	-	3	4	16	-	-	-	-
Thailand	4	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Pakistan	7	1	-	-	7	1	-	-	-	-
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Philippines	22	14	12	11	4	1	5	2	1	-
Vietnam	19	8	7	6	12	1	-	1	-	-
Malaysia	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Others	6	9	2	5	1	4	1	-	2	-
Europe	7	12	5	8	2	2	-	-	-	2
United Kingdom	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Russia	5	10	3	6	2	2	-	-	-	2
Others	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
America (North, Latin)	126	153	72	88	38	42	12	15	4	8
United States	3	2	1	1	-	1	1	-	1	-
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brazil	86	103	41	48	36	37	9	11	-	7
Others	37	48	30	39	2	4	2	4	3	1
Africa	22	9	3	3	17	6	1	-	1	-
Oceania	3	2	-	-	2	-	-	1	1	1
Statelessness	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown Nationality	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Table 10 : Penal Code and Special Law offenses committed by visiting foreigners, clearances and arrests by prefecture compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Penal Code and Special Law clearances				Penal Code and Special Law arrests				Penal Code offenses							
	2009		2008		2009		2008		Clearances				Arrests			
	Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec		Jan-Dec	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Total	27,836	31,252	-3,416	-10.9	13,257	13,885	-628	-4.5	20,561	23,202	-2,641	-11.4	7,190	7,148	42	0.6
Hokkaido	96	118	-22	-18.6	94	105	-11	-10.5	56	62	-6	-9.7	54	55	-1	-1.8
Sapporo	63	65	-2	-3.1	57	55	2	3.6	40	41	-1	-2.4	35	35	-	-
Hakodate	4	5	-1	-20.0	4	6	-2	-33.3	2	3	-1	-33.3	2	4	-2	-50.0
Asahikawa	11	23	-12	-52.2	11	21	-10	-47.6	7	2	5	250.0	6	2	4	200.0
Kushiro	3	11	-8	-72.7	6	8	-2	-25.0	2	7	-5	-71.4	5	4	1	25.0
Kitami	15	14	1	7.1	16	15	1	6.7	5	9	-4	-44.4	6	10	-4	-40.0
Tohoku	375	346	29	8.4	200	191	9	4.7	285	262	23	8.8	126	123	3	2.4
Aomori	17	12	5	41.7	16	12	4	33.3	8	7	1	14.3	8	8	-	-
Iwate	53	24	29	120.8	22	20	2	10.0	47	14	33	235.7	18	10	8	80.0
Miyagi	122	84	38	45.2	60	63	-3	-4.8	100	63	37	58.7	39	40	-1	-2.5
Akita	72	17	55	323.5	33	15	18	120.0	48	8	40	500.0	11	8	3	37.5
Yamagata	53	152	-99	-65.1	21	47	-26	-55.3	47	137	-90	-65.7	17	35	-18	-51.4
Fukushima	58	57	1	1.8	48	34	14	41.2	35	33	2	6.1	33	22	11	50.0
Tokyo	7,162	7,413	-251	-3.4	3,637	3,575	62	1.7	5,123	5,194	-71	-1.4	1,751	1,609	142	8.8
Kanto	11,975	13,430	-1,455	-10.8	4,967	5,427	-460	-8.5	8,501	9,649	-1,148	-11.9	2,325	2,435	-110	-4.5
Ibaraki	937	1,318	-381	-28.9	251	264	-13	-4.9	802	1,150	-348	-30.3	123	105	18	17.1
Tochigi	629	894	-265	-29.6	326	322	4	1.2	495	745	-250	-33.6	216	182	34	18.7
Gunma	1,849	1,114	735	66.0	334	382	-48	-12.6	1,504	855	649	75.9	215	204	11	5.4
Saitama	2,181	3,231	-1,050	-32.5	846	900	-54	-6.0	1,629	2,608	-979	-37.5	424	441	-17	-3.9
Chiba	1,003	1,343	-340	-25.3	700	828	-128	-15.5	407	619	-212	-34.2	269	314	-45	-14.3
Kanagawa	2,924	3,789	-865	-22.8	1,560	1,680	-120	-7.1	1,617	2,427	-810	-33.4	503	600	-97	-16.2
Niigata	196	136	60	44.1	106	120	-14	-11.7	146	76	70	92.1	59	66	-7	-10.6
Yamanashi	162	84	78	92.9	86	77	9	11.7	131	49	82	167.3	60	47	13	27.7
Nagano	264	297	-33	-11.1	196	243	-47	-19.3	197	209	-12	-5.7	131	154	-23	-14.9
Shizuoka	1,830	1,224	606	49.5	562	611	-49	-8.0	1,573	911	662	72.7	325	322	3	0.9
Chubu	4,249	4,940	-691	-14.0	2,019	2,101	-82	-3.9	3,514	4,047	-533	-13.2	1,395	1,350	45	3.3
Toyama	52	113	-61	-54.0	56	99	-43	-43.4	42	87	-45	-51.7	42	72	-30	-41.7
Ishikawa	63	95	-32	-33.7	61	74	-13	-17.6	41	47	-6	-12.8	39	38	1	2.6
Fukui	48	153	-105	-68.6	47	93	-46	-49.5	42	130	-88	-67.7	41	76	-35	-46.1
Gifu	599	590	9	1.5	254	321	-67	-20.9	557	506	51	10.1	216	266	-50	-18.8
Aichi	2,951	3,285	-334	-10.2	1,360	1,281	79	6.2	2,391	2,669	-278	-10.4	878	736	142	19.3
Mie	536	704	-168	-23.9	241	233	8	3.4	441	608	-167	-27.5	179	162	17	10.5
Kinki	2,939	2,845	94	3.3	1,478	1,555	-77	-5.0	2,282	2,095	187	8.9	880	896	-16	-1.8
Shiga	233	216	17	7.9	99	131	-32	-24.4	200	138	62	44.9	76	83	-7	-8.4
Kyoto	372	417	-45	-10.8	137	155	-18	-11.6	334	349	-15	-4.3	103	116	-13	-11.2
Osaka	1,251	1,478	-227	-15.4	833	884	-51	-5.8	818	1,022	-204	-20.0	420	435	-15	-3.4
Hyogo	575	376	199	52.9	305	261	44	16.9	482	294	188	63.9	220	185	35	18.9
Nara	388	156	232	148.7	57	84	-27	-32.1	369	114	255	223.7	47	57	-10	-17.5
Wakayama	120	202	-82	-40.6	47	40	7	17.5	79	178	-99	-55.6	14	20	-6	-30.0
Chugoku	378	1,024	-646	-63.1	350	402	-52	-12.9	268	893	-625	-70.0	249	279	-30	-10.8
Tottori	16	71	-55	-77.5	20	18	2	11.1	9	63	-54	-85.7	12	9	3	33.3
Shimane	46	44	2	4.5	41	31	10	32.3	31	32	-1	-3.1	28	17	11	64.7
Okayama	95	359	-264	-73.5	89	98	-9	-9.2	70	320	-250	-78.1	71	62	9	14.5
Hiroshima	179	388	-209	-53.9	160	205	-45	-22.0	135	336	-201	-59.8	112	159	-47	-29.6
Yamaguchi	42	162	-120	-74.1	40	50	-10	-20.0	23	142	-119	-83.8	26	32	-6	-18.8
Shikoku	117	172	-55	-32.0	123	101	22	21.8	90	129	-39	-30.2	98	64	34	53.1
Tokushima	34	60	-26	-43.3	37	25	12	48.0	29	54	-25	-46.3	34	19	15	78.9
Kagawa	43	55	-12	-21.8	43	29	14	48.3	33	46	-13	-28.3	33	22	11	50.0
Ehime	34	44	-10	-22.7	34	37	-3	-8.1	25	18	7	38.9	26	17	9	52.9
Kouchi	6	13	-7	-53.8	9	10	-1	-10.0	3	11	-8	-72.7	5	6	-1	-16.7
Kyushu	545	964	-419	-43.5	389	428	-39	-9.1	442	871	-429	-49.3	312	337	-25	-7.4
Fukuoka	338	439	-101	-23.0	223	254	-31	-12.2	283	382	-99	-25.9	185	195	-10	-5.1
Saga	11	42	-31	-73.8	12	19	-7	-36.8	6	42	-36	-85.7	7	19	-12	-63.2
Nagasaki	60	78	-18	-23.1	38	37	1	2.7	48	72	-24	-33.3	29	32	-3	-9.4
Kumamoto	32	74	-42	-56.8	38	30	8	26.7	26	66	-40	-60.6	34	26	8	30.8
Oita	43	25	18	72.0	36	26	10	38.5	32	18	14	77.8	27	21	6	28.6
Miyazaki	11	12	-1	-8.3	8	10	-2	-20.0	9	9	-	-	6	7	-1	-14.3
Kagoshima	18	23	-5	-21.7	8	9	-1	-11.1	14	21	-7	-33.3	6	7	-1	-14.3
Okinawa	32	271	-239	-88.2	26	43	-17	-39.5	24	261	-237	-90.8	18	30	-12	-40.0

Table 10 : Penal Code and Special Law offenses committed by visiting foreigners, clearances and arrests compared to the previous year

Prefectures	Special Law offenses							
	Clearances				Arrests			
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change	
			No.	%			No.	%
Total	7,275	8,050	-775	-9.6	6,067	6,737	-670	-9.9
Hokkaido								
Total	40	56	-16	-28.6	40	50	-10	-20.0
Sapporo	23	24	-1	-4.2	22	20	2	10.0
Hakodate	2	2	-	-	2	2	-	-
Asahikawa	4	21	-17	-81.0	5	19	-14	-73.7
Kushiro	1	4	-3	-75.0	1	4	-3	-75.0
Kitami	10	5	5	100.0	10	5	5	100.0
Tohoku								
Total	90	84	6	7.1	74	68	6	8.8
Aomori	9	5	4	80.0	8	4	4	100.0
Iwate	6	10	-4	-40.0	4	10	-6	-60.0
Miyagi	22	21	1	4.8	21	23	-2	-8.7
Akita	24	9	15	166.7	22	7	15	214.3
Yamagata	6	15	-9	-60.0	4	12	-8	-66.7
Fukushima	23	24	-1	-4.2	15	12	3	25.0
Tokyo	2,039	2,219	-180	-8.1	1,886	1,966	-80	-4.1
Kanto								
Total	3,474	3,781	-307	-8.1	2,642	2,992	-350	-11.7
Ibaraki	135	168	-33	-19.6	128	159	-31	-19.5
Tochigi	134	149	-15	-10.1	110	140	-30	-21.4
Gunma	345	259	86	33.2	119	178	-59	-33.1
Saitama	552	623	-71	-11.4	422	459	-37	-8.1
Chiba	596	724	-128	-17.7	431	514	-83	-16.1
Kanagawa	1,307	1,362	-55	-4.0	1,057	1,080	-23	-2.1
Niigata	50	60	-10	-16.7	47	54	-7	-13.0
Yamanashi	31	35	-4	-11.4	26	30	-4	-13.3
Nagano	67	88	-21	-23.9	65	89	-24	-27.0
Shizuoka	257	313	-56	-17.9	237	289	-52	-18.0
Chubu								
Total	735	893	-158	-17.7	624	751	-127	-16.9
Toyama	10	26	-16	-61.5	14	27	-13	-48.1
Ishikawa	22	48	-26	-54.2	22	36	-14	-38.9
Fukui	6	23	-17	-73.9	6	17	-11	-64.7
Gifu	42	84	-42	-50.0	38	55	-17	-30.9
Aichi	560	616	-56	-9.1	482	545	-63	-11.6
Mie	95	96	-1	-1.0	62	71	-9	-12.7
Kinki								
Total	657	750	-93	-12.4	598	659	-61	-9.3
Shiga	33	78	-45	-57.7	23	48	-25	-52.1
Kyoto	38	68	-30	-44.1	34	39	-5	-12.8
Osaka	433	456	-23	-5.0	413	449	-36	-8.0
Hyogo	93	82	11	13.4	85	76	9	11.8
Nara	19	42	-23	-54.8	10	27	-17	-63.0
Wakayama	41	24	17	70.8	33	20	13	65.0
Chugoku								
Total	110	131	-21	-16.0	101	123	-22	-17.9
Tottori	7	8	-1	-12.5	8	9	-1	-11.1
Shimane	15	12	3	25.0	13	14	-1	-7.1
Okayama	25	39	-14	-35.9	18	36	-18	-50.0
Hiroshima	44	52	-8	-15.4	48	46	2	4.3
Yamaguchi	19	20	-1	-5.0	14	18	-4	-22.2
Shikoku								
Total	27	43	-16	-37.2	25	37	-12	-32.4
Tokushima	5	6	-1	-16.7	3	6	-3	-50.0
Kagawa	10	9	1	11.1	10	7	3	42.9
Ehime	9	26	-17	-65.4	8	20	-12	-60.0
Kouchi	3	2	1	50.0	4	4	-	-
Kyushu								
Total	103	93	10	10.8	77	91	-14	-15.4
Fukuoka	55	57	-2	-3.5	38	59	-21	-35.6
Saga	5	-	5	-	5	-	5	-
Nagasaki	12	6	6	100.0	9	5	4	80.0
Kumamoto	6	8	-2	-25.0	4	4	-	-
Oita	11	7	4	57.1	9	5	4	80.0
Miyazaki	2	3	-1	-33.3	2	3	-1	-33.3
Kagoshima	4	2	2	100.0	2	2	-	-
Okinawa	8	10	-2	-20.0	8	13	-5	-38.5

Table 11 : Penal Code offenses committed by *boryokudan* gangsters, clearances and arrests by crime category compared to the previous year (January to December)

Crime category	Clearances				Arrests			
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change	
			No.	%			No.	%
Total Penal Code offenses	40,057	42,600	-2,543	-6.0	16,312	16,242	70	0.4
Murder	132	125	7	5.6	204	220	-16	-7.3
Robbery	473	388	85	21.9	581	534	47	8.8
Arson	29	45	-16	-35.6	30	44	-14	-31.8
Rape	102	95	7	7.4	95	94	1	1.1
Unlawful assembly with dangerous weapons	3	4	-1	-25.0	3	13	-10	-76.9
Assault	1,172	1,257	-85	-6.8	1,165	1,235	-70	-5.7
Bodily injury	2,605	2,782	-177	-6.4	3,123	3,219	-96	-3.0
Intimidation	511	554	-43	-7.8	543	625	-82	-13.1
Extortion	1,403	1,578	-175	-11.1	1,800	2,013	-213	-10.6
Larceny	24,749	27,675	-2,926	-10.6	3,136	3,028	108	3.6
Fraud	4,590	3,938	652	16.6	2,072	1,846	226	12.2
Gambling	277	154	123	79.9	789	639	150	23.5
Distribution of obscene literature, etc	140	146	-6	-4.1	191	197	-6	-3.0
Obstruction of performance of official duty	491	488	3	0.6	433	457	-24	-5.3
Harboring criminals	58	43	15	34.9	78	47	31	66.0
Intimidation of witnesses	2	4	-2	-50.0	2	5	-3	-60.0
Unlawful arrest or confinement	148	126	22	17.5	278	239	39	16.3
Damage to credit and obstruction of business	36	44	-8	-18.2	41	62	-21	-33.9
Property damage	859	960	-101	-10.5	509	547	-38	-6.9
Specified violent offenses	44	13	31	238.5	71	22	49	222.7
Others	2,233	2,181	52	2.4	1,168	1,156	12	1.0
Total offenses (Note)	55,855	56,612	-757	-1.3	26,503	26,064	439	1.7

Note : "Total offenses" include Penal Code offenses on Table 11 and Special Law offenses on Table 12.

Table 12 : Special Law offenses committed by *boryokudan* gangsters, clearances and arrests by applied laws compared to the previous year

Crime category	Clearances				Arrests			
	2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change		2009 Jan-Dec	2008 Jan-Dec	Change	
			No.	%			No.	%
Total Special Law offenses	15,798	14,012	1,786	12.7	10,191	9,822	369	3.8
Petty Offense Law	230	257	-27	-10.5	201	234	-33	-14.1
Intoxication Control Law	6	7	-1	-14.3	5	5	-	-
Anti-Nuisance Ordinance	225	177	48	27.1	234	190	44	23.2
Anti-Boryokudan Law	12	7	5	71.4	10	10	-	-
Bicycle Racing Law	32	29	3	10.3	91	48	43	89.6
Horse Racing Law	12	21	-9	-42.9	35	41	-6	-14.6
Motorboat Racing Law	12	23	-11	-47.8	53	36	17	47.2
Motor Vehicle Racing Law	-	2	-2	-100.0	-	5	-5	-100.0
Entertainment Business Law	389	416	-27	-6.5	454	516	-62	-12.0
Anti-Prostitution Law	236	514	-278	-54.1	135	110	25	22.7
Child Welfare Law	88	128	-40	-31.3	92	123	-31	-25.2
Juvenile Protection Ordinance	131	120	11	9.2	103	97	6	6.2
Capital Subscription Law	122	145	-23	-15.9	89	126	-37	-29.4
Loan Business Law	130	150	-20	-13.3	104	130	-26	-20.0
Residence and Land Transaction Law	5	1	4	400.0	10	1	9	900.0
Firearms and Swords Control Law	557	578	-21	-3.6	424	416	8	1.9
Explosives Control Law	14	15	-1	-6.7	3	4	-1	-25.0
Narcotics Control Law	278	344	-66	-19.2	99	119	-20	-16.8
Opium Law	3	2	1	50.0	-	-	-	-
Cannabis Control Law	1,280	1,354	-74	-5.5	863	843	20	2.4
Stimulants Control Law	8,902	8,406	496	5.9	6,153	5,735	418	7.3
Poisonous Substances Control Law	232	181	51	28.2	196	155	41	26.5
Labor Standards Law	5	7	-2	-28.6	2	9	-7	-77.8
Employment Security Law	17	25	-8	-32.0	17	20	-3	-15.0
Others	2,880	1,103	1,777	161.1	818	849	-31	-3.7

Notes: 1. Violations of the Road Traffic Law are not included here.

2. "Clearances" and "Arrests" mean the number of Cases and Suspects sent to public prosecutor's offices, respectively.

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