

## Minnesota Uniform Crime Report Summary

### January - December, 1995-1996

The **index crimes (or Part 1 crimes)** (murder, rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft and arson) reported during January-December, 1996, **increased 1.7% from 206,710 in 1995 to 210,246 in 1996**. Rural areas recorded a decrease of 2.1% and urban areas a 2.3% increase. Minneapolis had a 1.0% decrease and St. Paul recorded a 2.0% increase.

**Violent crimes** (murder, rape, robbery and aggravated assault) decreased 2.9% from 16,319 in 1995 to 15,839 in 1996.

**Property crimes** (burglary, larceny, motor vehicle theft and arson) increased 2.1% from 190,391 in 1995 to 194,407 in 1996.

	Total Part 1	Murder	Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny	Vehicle Theft	Arson
<b>STATEWIDE</b>									
1996	210,246	168	2,353	5,387	7,931	35,667	139,131	17,983	1,626
1995	206,710	183	2,571	5,689	7,876	36,305	136,881	15,625	1,580
Percent Change	1.7%	-8.1%	-8.4%	-5.3%	0.7%	-1.7%	1.6%	15.0%	2.9%
<b>URBAN (Police)</b>									
1996	182,017	140	1,876	5,314	7,153	27,700	122,723	15,631	1,480
1995	177,867	162	2,040	5,617	7,059	27,814	120,227	13,510	1,438
Percent Change	2.3%	-13.5%	-8.0%	-5.3%	1.3%	-.4%	2.0%	15.6%	2.9%
<b>RURAL (Sheriffs)</b>									
1996	28,088	28	477	72	773	7,967	16,295	2,330	146
1995	28,699	21	531	68	815	8,490	16,541	2,091	142
Percent Change	-2.1%	33.3%	-10.1%	5.8%	-5.1%	-6.1%	-1.4%	11.4%	2.8%
<b>MINNEAPOLIS</b>									
1996	41,319	83	516	3,242	2,967	7,678	20,690	5,650	493
1995	41,739	97	578	3,550	2,852	8,024	21,710	4,489	439
Percent Change	-1.0%	-14.4%	-10.7%	-8.6%	4.0%	-4.3%	-4.6%	25.8%	12.3%
<b>ST. PAUL</b>									
1996	21,010	26	234	875	1,302	4,127	11,504	2,636	306
1995	20,580	25	233	930	1,348	4,272	11,219	2,229	324
Percent Change	2.0%	-4.0%	0.4%	-5.9%	-3.4%	-3.3%	2.5%	18.2%	-5.5%
<b>DULUTH</b>									
<b>STATE PATROL</b>									
1996	141	-	-	1	5	-	113	22	-
1995	144		-	4	2	1	113	24	-
Percent Change	-2%	-		-75.0%	150.0%	100%	-	-8.3%	

**Source:**

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