

## Summary

There were 27,225 aggravated assault offenses reported to Pennsylvania police departments this year, an average of 75 each day, or one every 19 minutes and 18 seconds. This is an increase of 4.2 percent from the 26,129 offenses reported last year. Aggravated assault comprised 8.1 percent of the Crime Index and 56.5 percent of the Violent Crime Index. The aggravated assault rate was 227.0.