

Summary

There were 26,428 aggravated assault offenses reported to Pennsylvania police departments this year, an average of 72 each day, or one every 19 minutes and 53 seconds. This is an increase of 4.9 percent from the 25,187 offenses reported last year. Aggravated assault comprised 8.1 percent of the Crime Index and 54.8 percent of the Violent Crime Index. The aggravated assault rate was 213.0.