

Circumstances Causing Murder

The table below outlines the circumstances surrounding the causes of murder. The majority of murders in 2013 were either committed during the commission of a felonious act or resulted from an argument of some type.

	Circumstances	Victims	Percent
Felony Circumstances	Rape	1	.2
	Robbery	43	7.0
	Burglary	1	.2
	Other Sex Offense	1	.2
	Narcotic Drug Laws	49	8.0
	Other - Not Specified	107	17.5
	All Suspected Felony Type	10	1.6
	All Other Felonies	65	10.6
Total Felony Circumstances		277	45.3
Argument Circumstances	Lover's Triangle	11	1.8
	Brawl Due to Influence of Alcohol	3	.5
	Argument Over Money or Property	10	1.6
	Other Arguments	188	30.8
Total Argument Circumstances		212	34.7
Unknown Circumstances	Unknown	121	19.8
All Other Circumstances	Other Manslaughter by Neg. Except Traffic	1	.2
Total		611	100.0