

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1175**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 21ST SEPTEMBER, 2020/ BHADRAPADA
30, 1942 (SAKA)**

CRIME RATE IN THE COUNTRY

1175. DR. SASMIT PATRA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of crime rates in the country relating to the various crimes being committed;

(b) the conviction rates for those crimes for which cases were registered; and

(c) any particular reasons for the conviction rate as it stands?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)**

(a) & (b): National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) compiles and publishes information on crimes in its publication 'Crime in India'. The published reports are available till the year 2018. The details of crime rate and the conviction rate for various cognizable crimes under Indian Penal Code (IPC) and Special & Local Laws (SLL) during 2018 are given in Annexure-I and Annexure-II respectively.

(c): 'Police' and 'Public Order' are State subjects under the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution of India; and State Governments are

responsible for prevention, detection, registration and investigation of crime and for prosecuting the criminals through their law enforcement agencies.

Conviction rate depends upon a number of factors like available evidence, number of trained police personnel, forensics facilities, number of courts and judicial officers, number of public prosecutors, etc.

Summary Report on Cases Registered (CR), Crime Rate (Rate), Cases Convicted (CON), Cases in which Trials Completed (CTC) and Conviction Rate (CVR) under Cognizable IPC Crimes during 2018

SL	Crime Head	2018				
		CR	Rate	CON	CTC	CVR
1	Murder	29017	2.2	7512	18165	41.4
2	Culpable Homicide not amounting to Murder	3635	0.3	884	2096	42.2
3	Causing Death by Negligence	144031	10.9	19720	68635	28.7
4	Dowry Deaths	7166	1.1	1459	3681	39.6
5	Abetment of Suicide	8324	0.6	628	4026	15.6
6	Attempt to Commit Murder	51489	3.9	5577	21314	26.2
7	Attempt to commit Culpable Homicide	7987	0.6	857	2277	37.6
8	Attempt to Commit Suicide	2075	0.2	463	1025	45.2
9	Miscarriage, Infanticide, Foeticide and Abandonment	1728	0.1	37	153	24.2
10	Hurt	530076	40.1	69404	213147	32.6
11	Wrongful Restraint/Confinement	19303	1.5	1967	6143	32.0
12	Assault on Women with Intent to Outrage her Modesty	89097	13.8	9352	35392	26.4
13	Kidnapping and Abduction	105734	8.0	4973	17031	29.2
14	Human Trafficking	1313	0.1	83	243	34.2
15	Exploitation of Trafficked Person	190	0.0	14	37	37.8
16	Selling of Minors for Prostitution	42	0.0	4	10	40.0
17	Buying of Minors for Prostitution	8	0.0	2	4	50.0
18	Rape	33356	5.2	4708	17313	27.2
19	Attempt to Commit Rape	4097	0.6	266	1055	25.2
20	Unnatural Offences	1378	0.1	237	559	42.4
21	Offences against State	149	0.0	3	23	13.0
22	Unlawful Assembly	10133	0.8	1291	3752	34.4
23	Riots	57828	4.4	5299	28202	18.8
24	Offences promoting enmity between different groups	1114	0.1	29	136	21.3
25	Affray	7776	0.6	3175	3815	83.2
26	Theft	625441	47.3	30768	84852	36.3
27	Burglary	99940	7.6	9178	27564	33.3
28	Extortion & Blackmailing	10736	0.8	715	3052	23.4
29	Robbery	30822	2.3	4021	11514	34.9
30	Attempt to Commit Dacoity/Robbery	639	0.0	52	162	32.1

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31	Dacoity	3492	0.3	443	1999	22.2
32	Making Preparation and Assembly for committing Dacoity	3452	0.3	182	1250	14.6
33	Criminal Misappropriation	244	0.0	1	13	7.7
34	Criminal Breach of Trust	20456	1.5	1364	5796	23.5
35	Dishonestly Receiving/Dealing-in Stolen Property	7150	0.5	1213	2165	56.0
36	Counterfeiting	1266	0.1	141	427	33.0
37	Forgery, Cheating & Fraud	134546	10.2	5944	24731	24.0
38	Offences relating to Elections	1882	0.1	324	585	55.4
39	Disobedience to order duly promulgated by Public Servant	22907	1.7	8565	11285	75.9
40	Harbouring an Offender	71	0.0	8	16	50.0
41	Offences relating to Adulteration or Sale of Food/Drugs	2176	0.2	1070	1188	90.1
42	Rash Driving on Public way	443805	33.5	255973	309153	82.8
43	Obstruction on Public way	99390	7.5	65769	70565	93.2
44	Sale of obscene Books/Objects	490	0.0	121	184	65.8
45	Obscene Acts and Songs at Public Places	24882	1.9	10237	16373	62.5
46	Offences relating to Religion	1942	0.1	132	376	35.1
47	Cheating by Impersonation	528	0.0	9	54	16.7
48	Offences related to Mischief	2818	0.2	206	997	20.7
49	Arson	9252	0.7	769	3660	21.0
50	Criminal Trespass	40101	3.0	6202	16490	37.6
51	Cruelty by Husband or his Relatives	103272	16.0	4982	38259	13.0
52	Circulate False/Fake News/Rumours	280	0.0	6	14	42.9
53	Criminal Intimidation	94507	7.1	14587	39224	37.2
54	Insult to the Modesty of Women	6992	1.1	515	3012	17.1
55	Other IPC crimes	222429	16.8	77514	153817	50.4
	Total Cognizable IPC crimes	3132954	236.7	638955	1277011	50.0

Source: Crime in India

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SL	Crime Head	2018				
		CR	Rate	CON	CTC	CVR
1	The Dowry Prohibition Act	12826	2.0	788	3274	24.1
2	The Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act	1882	0.3	513	1404	36.5
3	The Protection of Women from Domestic Violence Act	579	0.1	73	123	59.3
4	The Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act	22	0.0	10	40	25.0
5	The Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act	39827	8.9	3884	11345	34.2
6	The Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act	2030	0.5	217	512	42.4
7	The Prohibition of Child Marriage Act	501	0.1	19	80	23.8
8	The Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Reg and Prev of Misuse) Act	54	0.0	4	18	22.2
9	The Child Labour (Prohibition & Regulation) Act	464	0.1	34	78	43.6
10	The Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act	58	0.0	2	17	11.8
11	The SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act against SCs	4212	2.1	388	1775	21.9
12	The SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act against STs	347	0.3	4	154	2.6
13	The Protection of Civil Rights Act against SCs	254	0.1	13	72	18.1
14	The Protection of Civil Rights Act against STs	3	0.0	0	1	0.0
15	The Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act	7127	0.5	1586	3447	46.0
16	The Unlawful Activities (P) Act	1182	0.1	34	125	27.2
17	The Official Secrets Act	40	0.0	3	4	75.0
18	The Arms Act	66305	5.0	27226	39860	68.3
19	The Explosives Act	2062	0.2	1119	1448	77.3
20	The Explosive Substances Act	2189	0.2	489	953	51.3
21	The Information Technology Act	18495	1.4	466	856	54.4
22	The Copy Right Act	2280	0.2	1030	2486	41.4
23	The Trade Marks Act	155	0.0	14	28	50.0
24	The Lotteries (Regulation) Act	5037	0.4	3689	3840	96.1
25	The Chit Funds Acts	87	0.0	0	40	0.0
26	The Negotiable Instruments Act	77	0.0	1	2	50.0
27	The Benami Transaction (Prohibition) Act	3	0.0	0	0	-
28	The Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act	25340	1.9	8160	9608	84.9
29	Prevention of Corruption Act	1330	0.1	43	160	26.9
30	Prohibition Act (State)	532569	40.2	216389	334045	64.8
31	The Excise Act	267990	20.3	169218	199705	84.7
32	The Narcotic Drugs & Psychotropic Substances Act	63137	4.8	28333	38093	74.4
33	The Forest Act & The Forest Conservation Act	2768	0.2	1300	2028	64.1
34	The Wildlife Protection Act	782	0.1	132	217	60.8
35	The Environmental (Protection) Act	86	0.0	7	20	35.0
36	The Air & The Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act	17	0.0	3	3	100.0
37	The Cigarette and Other Tobacco Products Act	23517	1.8	22050	22475	98.1
38	Noise Pollution Acts	7947	0.6	6372	6391	99.7
39	The National Green Tribunal Act	79	0.0	0	0	-

ANNEXURE –I I/2
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40	The Registration of Foreigners Act & The Foreigners Act	1191	0.1	612	697	87.8
41	The Passport Act	526	0.0	354	423	83.7
42	The Emigration Act	254	0.0	60	73	82.2
43	The Citizenship Act	7	0.0	0	0	-
44	The Indian Railways Act	162	0.0	55	93	59.1
45	The Railway Property (Unlawful Possession) Act	1	0.0	0	0	-
46	The Indian Telegraph Act	39	0.0	3	3	100.0
47	The Telegraph Wire (Unlawful Possession) Act	0	0.0	0	0	-
48	The Cinematograph Act	5	0.0	4	7	57.1
49	The Cable Television Networks (Regulation) Act	2	0.0	1	1	100.0
50	The Essential Commodities Act	3961	0.3	830	2851	29.1
51	The Prevention of Food Adulteration Act	28	0.0	3	10	30.0
52	The Food Safety & Standards Act	175	0.0	21	29	72.4
53	MACOCA/Control of Organised Crimes	72	0.0	0	2	0.0
54	The Gambling Act	156110	11.8	99202	118274	83.9
55	The Electricity Act	183873	13.9	31438	41292	76.1
56	The Antiques and Art Treasures Act	24	0.0	6	23	26.1
57	The Representation of the People Act	737	0.1	132	231	57.1
58	The Bonded Labour System (Abolition) Act	778	0.1	198	342	57.9
59	The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act	80	0.0	6	17	35.3
60	Defacement of Public Property Acts	5968	0.5	2726	3256	83.7
61	The Transplantation of Human Organs Act	3	0.0	0	0	-
62	The Mental Health Act	504	0.0	0	0	-
63	Motor Vehicle Act	232949	17.6	237723	241551	98.4
64	City/Town Police Acts	101611	7.7	80290	81702	98.3
65	Other State Local Acts	103265	7.8	85368	94144	90.7
66	Other SLL Crimes	55695	4.2	104035	119356	87.2
	Total Cognizable SLL Crimes	1941680	146.7	1136680	1389104	81.8

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