

Comparative Data: State, New England, National

Offense	Murder	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Burglary	Larceny-Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Arson	Totals
1998, Maine	26	229	263	1,052	8,300	26,464	1,517	202	38,053
Crime Rate per 1,000 Population	0.02	0.19	0.21	0.85	6.72	21.43	1.23	0.16	30.81
1999, Maine	25	273	196	789	7,622	25,381	1,457	198	35,941
Crime Rate per 1,000 Population	0.02	0.22	0.16	0.64	6.17	20.55	1.18	0.16	29.10
Numerical Change	-1	44	-67	-263	-678	-1,083	-60	-4	-2,112
Percent Change	-3.8%	19.2%	-25.5%	-25.0%	-8.2%	-4.1%	-4.0%	-2.0%	-5.6%
U.S. 1998-1999 Percent Change	-8.5%	-4.3%	-8.4%	-6.2%	-10.0%	-5.7%	-7.7%	-4.0%	-6.8%
New England 1998-1999 Percent Change	-3.8%	-3.5%	-1.8%	-12.0%	-10.2%	-4.1%	-4.0%	N/A	-5.9%

Note: Crime rate for 1999 was as follows: Total U.S. = 42.67, New England = 31.74

Clearance Data, 1999: State, New England, National

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Maine # of Offenses	25	273	196	789	7,622	25,381	1,457	198	35,941
Maine # Cleared	24	126	108	599	1,604	7,316	639	57	10,473
Maine % Cleared	96.0%	46.2%	55.1%	75.9%	21.0%	28.8%	43.9%	28.8%	29.1%
U.S. % Cleared	69.1%	49.5%	28.5%	59.2%	13.7%	19.1%	14.9%	17.2%	21.4%
New England % Cleared	59.0%	45.0%	25.9%	60.2%	13.7%	19.0%	12.3%	14.9%	21.5%