BURGLARY

Burglary, also known as breaking and entering, is "the unlawful entry or attempted forcible entry of any structure to commit a felony or larceny."

"A person is guilty of burglary if he enters or surreptitiously remains in a structure, know ing that he is not licensed or privileged to do so, with the intent to commit a crime therein." M.R.S.A. Title 17-A, § 401



Trend							
Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012		2008–2012
Number reported	6,516	6,711	7,343	7,826	7,429		
% change from previous year	-2.4%	3.0%	9.4%	6.6%	-5.1%		
						% change	14.0%
Rate per 1,000	4.95	5.09	5.53	5.89	5.59		
% change from previous year	-2.4%	2.8%	8.6%	6.5%	-5.1%		
						% change	12.9%

Characteristics — 2012	
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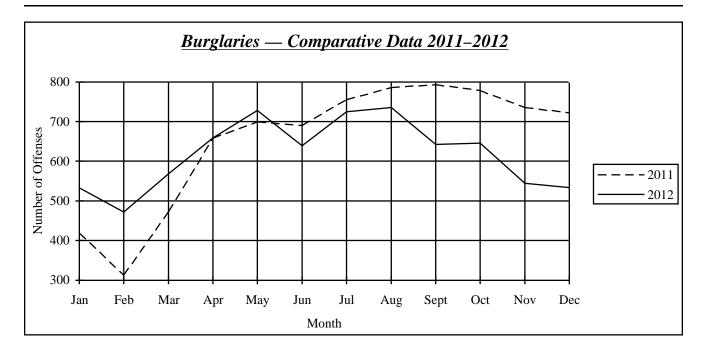
Place of Occurrence	
Residence	73.5%
Non-Residence	
Type of Entry	
Forcible Entry	
Unlawful Entry — No Force	46.4%
Attempted Forcible Entry	5.0%
Time of Day	
Night — 6 p.m.–6 a.m	
Day — 6 a.m.–6 p.m	50.4%
Unknown	

2012				
Months of Highest Occurrence				
August	9.9%			
May				
July				
Value of Property Stole	en during Offense			
Total	\$9,482,205.00			
Per Incident Average	\$1,276.38			
Clearance	Rate			
1,486 Offenses Cleared				
Arrests/Crime Ratio	0.17			

Profile of Persons Arrested 1,300 Arrests

Age	
17 and under	
18–24	
25–29	19.8%
30–34	14.4%
35–39	6.0%
40 and over	11.2%
Sex	
Male	
Female	

<i>Type of Entry, 2011–2012</i>					
	2011	2012	% change		
Forcible Entry	3,832	3,613	-5.7%		
Unlawful Entry, no force	3.603	3.448	-4.3%		
Attempted	-,	-,			
Forcible Entry	391	368	-5.9%		
Totals	7,826	7,429	-5.1%		



Burglary by Time of Day, 2011–2012						
	Ni	umber of Of	ffenses	Estimate	erty Loss	
	2011	2012	% change	2011	2012	% change
Residence						
6 p.m.–6 a.m.	1,227	1,227	_	\$1,141,362	\$1,265,328	10.9%
6 a.m.–6 p.m.	3,010	2,822	-6.2%	\$3,956,441	\$3,225,018	-18.5%
Unknown	1,500	1,408	-6.1%	\$2,353,839	\$1,782,929	-24.3%
Subtotals	5,737	5,457	-4.9%	\$7,451,642	\$6,273,275	-15.8%
Non-Residence						
6 p.m.–6 a.m.	599	515	-14.0%	\$711,473	\$691,281	-2.8%
6 a.m.–6 p.m.	956	921	-3.7%	\$1,309,718	\$1,812,009	38.4%
Unknown	534	536	0.4%	\$585,703	\$705,640	20.5%
Subtotal	2,089	1,972	-5.6%	\$2,606,894	\$3,208,930	23.1%
Grand Totals	7,826	7,429	-5.1%	\$10,058,536	\$9,482,205	-5.7%

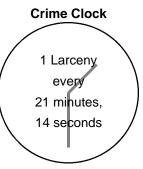
LARCENY-THEFT

Larceny is the unlawful taking of the property of another with the intent to deprive him of ownership.

Maine has consolidated conduct denoted as Theft under Title 17-A, Chapter 15, § 351, Consolidation, embracing numerous separate crimes previously known as larceny, embezzlement, false pretenses, extortion, blackmail, shoplifting, and receiving stolen property. In properly classifying/scoring these offenses under UCR guidelines, certain offenses fall under Larceny-Theft, while others more appropriately fit under Part II offense definitions such as Fraud, Embezzlement, Stolen Property or All Other Offenses.

Theft by unauthorized taking or transfer — "1. A person is guilty of theft if he obtains or exercises unauthorized control over the property of another with intent to deprive him there - of." M.R.S.A. Title 17-A, § 353

Burglary of a motor vehicle — "A person is guilty of theft if the actor enters a motor vehicle knowing the actor is not li - censed or privileged to do so, with the intent to commit a crime therein (and that crime is theft)." M.R.S.A. Title 17-A, § 405



Trend							
Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012		2008-2012
Number reported	24,582	23,900	24,490	24,826	24,812		
% change from previous year	2.2%	-2.8%	2.5%	1.4%	-0.1%		
						% change	0.9%
Rate per 1,000	18.67	18.13	18.44	18.69	18.67		
% change from previous year	2.2%	-2.9%	1.7%	1.4%	-0.1%		
						% change	_

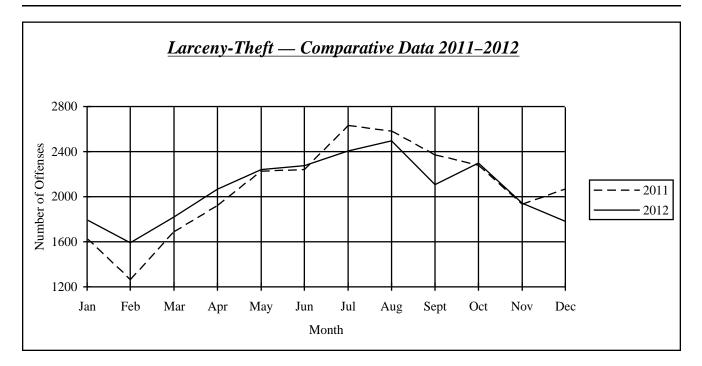
Characteristics — 2012

Type of Criminal Activity	y
Pocket-Picking	0.1%
Purse-Snatching	0.2%
Shoplifting	16.4%
From Motor Vehicles	
Motor Vehicle Parts & Accessories	2.8%
Bicycles	3.4%
From Buildings	11.7%
From Coin-Op Machines	0.1%
All Other	
Value per Incident	
Over \$200	

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9.7%
9.3%
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\$12,547,172.00
\$505.69
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Profile of Pers 6,632 A	
Age	<u>e</u>
17 and under	
18–24	
25–29	
30–34	
35–39	6.9%
40 and over	
Sex	
Male	
Female	

Larceny by Classification, 2011–2012							
	Number of Offenses 2011 2012 % change			2011	Value Stolen 2012	% change	
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Pocket-Picking	22	23	4.5%	\$3,504	\$5,431	55.0%	
Purse-Snatching	29	41	41.4%	\$5,673	\$7,503	32.3%	
Shoplifting	3,568	4,064	13.9%	\$391,965	\$516,758	31.8%	
From Motor Vehicles	4,569	4,598	0.6%	\$1,493,661	\$1,449,075	-3.0%	
M/V Parts & Accessories	829	704	-15.1%	\$485,835	\$318,435	-34.5%	
Bicycles	884	838	-5.2%	\$250,620	\$264,775	5.6%	
From Buildings	2,976	2,899	-2.6%	\$2,174,752	\$2,047,662	-5.8%	
From Coin-Op Machines	30	34	13.3%	\$14,770	\$9,783	-33.8%	
All Other	11,920	11,611	-2.6%	\$7,939,771	\$7,927,750	-0.2%	
Totals	24,827	24,812	-0.1%	\$12,760,551	\$12,547,172	-1.7%	



MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

Uniform Crime Reporting defines Motor Vehicle Theft as the larceny or attempted larceny of a motor vehicle, including "joy riding." Excluded from this class is a reported offense where there is lawful access to the vehicle, such as a family situation, or unauthorized use by others with lawful access, such as with employees.

Motor vehicles are defined by UCR as self-propelled vehicles that run on the surface of the land and not on rails, such as automobiles, trucks, buses, motorcycles, motor scooters, snow-mobiles, ATVs, etc. Not included are farm equipment, construction equipment, airplanes, motorboats.

Unauthorized use of property — "1. A person is guilty of theft if: A. Knowing that he does not have the consent of the owner, he takes, operates or exercises control over a vehicle, or knowing that the vehicle has been wrongfully obtained, he rides in such vehicle." M.R.S.A. Title 17-A § 360 Crime Clock 1 Motor Vehicle Theft every 8 hours, 52 minutes

Trend							
Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012		2008–2012
Number reported	1,173	1,018	985	1,074	990		
% change from previous year	-6.9%	-13.2%	-3.2%	9.0%	-7.8%		
						% change	-15.6%
Rate per 1,000	0.89	0.77	0.74	0.81	0.74		
% change from previous year	-7.2%	-13.5%	-3.9%	9.5%	-8.6%		
						% change	-16.9%

Type of Vehicle 2011–2012						
Auto- Trucks/ Other mobiles Buses Vehicles Totals						
2011	721	143	210	1,074		
2012	700	119	171	990		
% change	-2.9%	-16.8%	-18.6%	-7.8%		

Locally Stolen M/Vs Recovered 2012

	No. Recovered	% Recovered
Recovered Locally	335	33.8%
Recovered — Other	Jurisdictions	
	119	12.0%
Total Recovered	454	45.9%
Not Recovered	536	54.1%

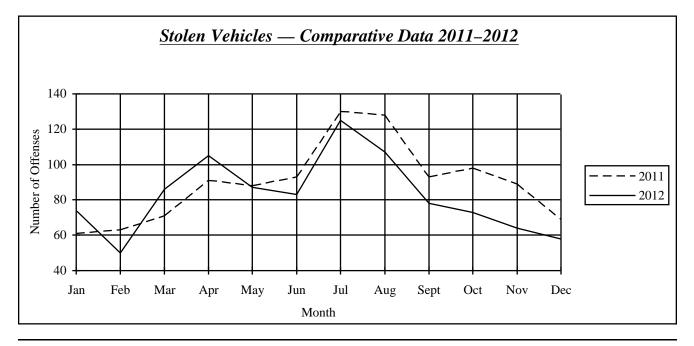
Characteristics — 2012

Туре	of	Vehicle

Type of vehicle					
Automobiles	70.7%				
Trucks/Buses	12.0%				
Other Vehicles	17.3%				
Months of Highest Occurrence					
July	12.6%				
August	10.8%				
April					
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Value of Property Stolen during Offense						
Total\$5,556,739.00						
Per Incident Average\$5,612.87						
Number of Locally Stolen M/Vs Recovered454						
Value of Property Recovered						
Total	\$3,288,209.00					
Clearance Rate						
361 Offenses Cleared36.5%						
Arrests/Crime Ratio	0.27					

Profile of Persons Arrested 266 Arrests					
A	\ge				
17 and under					
18–24					
25–29					
30–34					
35–39					
40 and over					
	Sex				
Male					
Female					



Crime Clock

1 Arson

every

38 hours,

52 minutes

ARSON

Arson is defined by the Uniform Crime Reporting program as any willful or malicious burning or attempt to burn, with or without intent to defraud, a dwelling house, public building, motor vehicle or aircraft, personal property of another, etc. Only fires determined through investigation to have been willfully or maliciously set are classified as arson. Fires of suspicious or unknown origins are excluded.

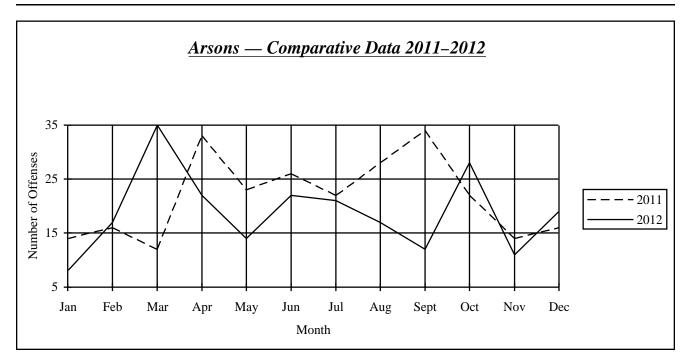
"1. A person is guilty of arson if he starts, causes, or maintains a fire or explosion; A. On the property of another with the intent to damage or destroy property thereon; or B. On his own property or the property of another (1) with the intent to enable any person to collect in surance proceeds for the loss caused by the fire or explosion; or (2) which recklessly endan gers any person or the property of another." M.R.S.A. Title 17-A, § 802.

Trend							
Year	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012		2008–2012
Number reported	188	243	245	260	226		
% change from previous year	-22.6%	29.3%	0.8%	6.1%	-13.1%		
						% change	20.2%
Rate per 1,000 population	0.14	0.18	0.18	0.20	0.17		
% change from previous year	-22.2%	28.6%		11.1%	-15.0%		
						% change	21.4%

Characteristics — 2012							
Type of Property							
Structural	55.8%						
Mobile	14.2%						
Other							
Months of Highest Oc	currence						
March							
October							
April, June	9.7%						
Value of Property Da	amaged						
Total	\$3,980,230.00						
Per Incident Average	\$17,611.64						
Clearance Rat	e						
74 Offenses Cleared							
Arrests/Crime Ratio	0.34						

Profile of Persons Arrested 76 Arrests				
Age				
17 and under	51.3%			
18–24				
25–29	11.8%			
30–34	5.3%			
35–39				
40 and over				
Sex				
Male				
Female				

Arson by Property Type, 2011–2012								
Number of OffensesEstimated Value of Property LossClassification20112012% change20112012% change								
Structural — Residential	106	78	-26.4%	\$3,838,217	\$2,936,565	-23.5%		
Structural — Non-residential	63	48	-23.8%	\$1,935,761	\$800,881	-58.6%		
Mobile (cars, trailers, boats, etc.)	26	32	23.1%	\$214,100	\$168,800	-21.2%		
All other (crops, fields, signs, etc.)	65	68	4.6%	\$22,896	\$73,984	223.1%		
Totals 260 226 -13.1% \$6,010,974 \$3,980,230								



Arson Breakdown by County						
	Number of Offenses			Estimated Value of Property Loss		
County	2011	2012	% change	2011	2012	% change
Androscoggin	26	21	-19.2%	\$139,665	\$273,740	96.0%
Aroostook	3	6	100.0%	\$1,500	\$96,140	6,309.3%
Cumberland	75	47	-37.3%	\$944,142	\$783,276	-17.0%
Franklin	5	2	-60.0%	\$508,000	\$26,000	-94.9%
Hancock	5	2	-60.0%	\$23,500	\$6,000	-74.5%
Kennebec	22	26	18.2%	\$626,182	\$836,418	33.6%
Knox	5	4	-20.0%	\$210,520	\$16,000	-92.4%
Lincoln	4	8	100.0%	\$284,100	\$463,008	63.0%
Oxford	7	16	128.6%	\$686,000	\$219,280	-68.0%
Penobscot	23	20	-13.0%	\$74,042	\$143,234	93.4%
Piscataquis	4	2	-50.0%		_	
Sagadahoc	3	5	66.7%	\$1,000	\$130,500	12,950.0%
Somerset	5	17	240.0%	\$21,801	\$193,017	785.4%
Waldo	6	6		\$301,000	\$110,300	-63.4%
Washington	16	5	-68.8%	\$6,600	\$94,450	1,331.1%
York	51	39	-23.5%	\$2,182,922	\$588,867	-73.0%
Totals	260	226	-13.1%	\$6,010,974	\$3,980,230	-33.8%

Note: Arson figures shown by UCR may not agree with figures shown by the Fire Marshal's office due to local depart - ments handling cases informally.