

# Crime - data dictionary - 1987

## Data Dictionary - Crime data

obs: 90 counties in 1987

county	county identifier (North Carolina)
year	87
crmte	crimes committed per person (ratio of # of crimes to county population)
prbarr	'probability' of arrest ( $100 * \text{"ratio of arrests to offenses"}$ )
prbconv	'probability' of conviction ( $100 * \text{"ratio of convictions to arrests"}$ )
prbpri s	'probability' of prison sentence ( $100 * \text{"ratio of prison sentences to convictions"}$ )
avgsen	average sentence, days
polpc	police per capita
density	thousands of people per sq. mile
taxpc	tax revenue per capita
west	=1 if in western region of N.C.
central	=1 if in central region of N.C.
east	=1 if in east region of N.C.
urban	=1 if in SMSA
pctmin80	perc. minority, 1980
pctymle	percent young male
wcon	weekly wage, construction industry
wtuc	wkly wge, transportation, utility, and communications industry
wtrd	wkly wge, whlesle, retail trade industries
wfir	wkly wge, finance, insurance, real estate industries
wser	wkly wge, service industry
wmfg	wkly wge, manufacturing industry
wfed	wkly wge, federal employees
wsta	wkly wge, state employees
wloc	wkly wge, local gov emps