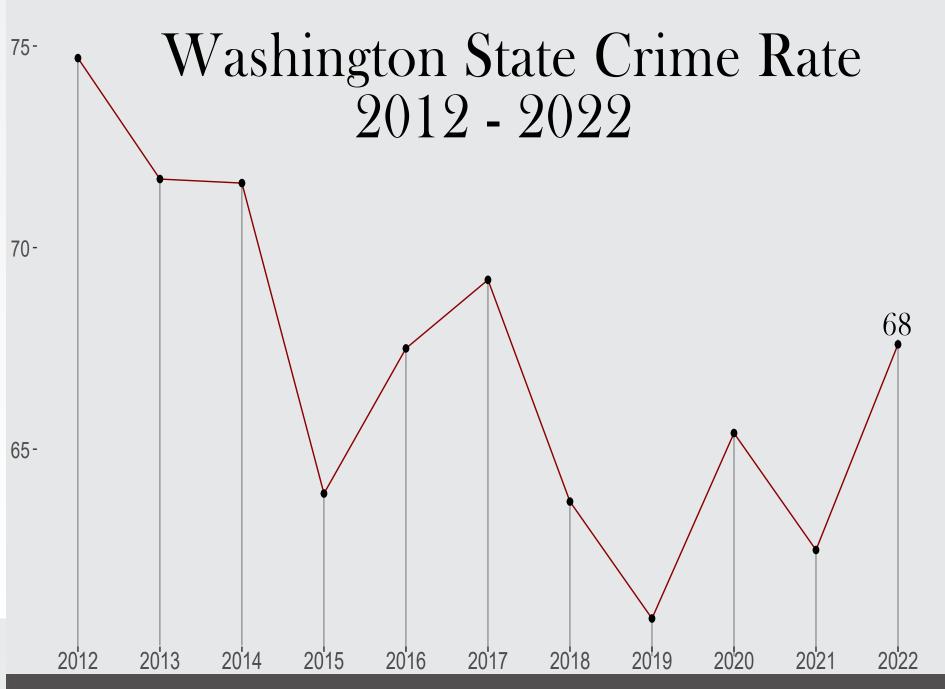
## WASHINGTON STATE CRIME

Interested in Moving to Washington State? - Not Sure of Which County to Move to?



**Dataset** 

This dataset provides information regarding the various types of crimes, and where they were committed, in Washington State between 2012 and 2022. The dataset was downloaded from The Washington Statistical Analysis Center and was created jointly from many different Law Enforcement agencies and reporting systems.

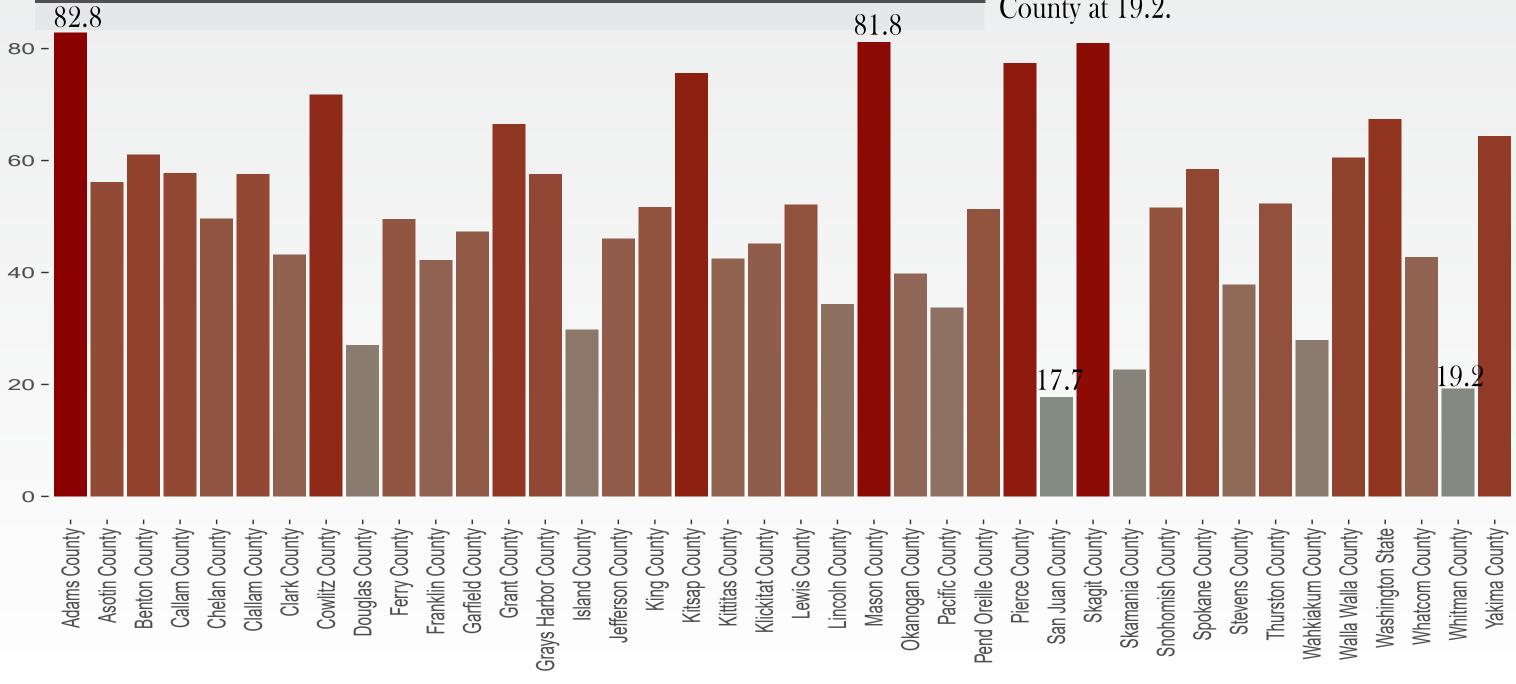
#### **AUDIENCE**

Anyone who is interested in moving to Washington State.
According to the Washington State Office of Financial Management, Net Migration into the state, over the last 10 years, has averaged to be roughly 68,000 people per year.

Washington State Crime Rates increase to 5-year high

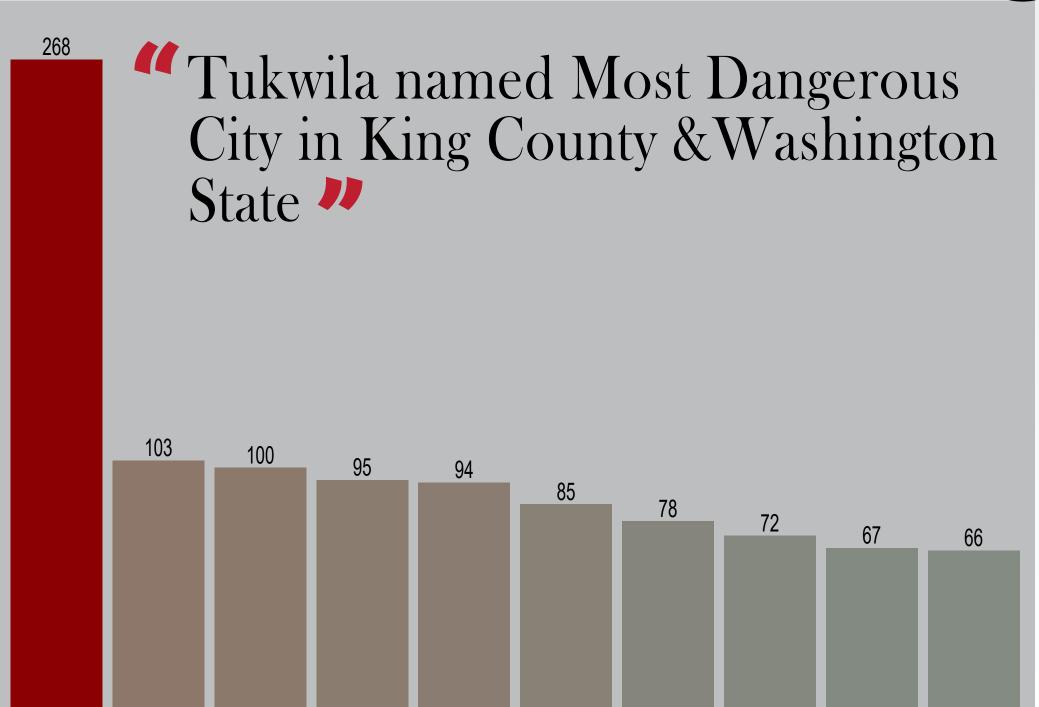
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Crime Rate by County
The chart below shows the crime rate for each county in Washington State. Adams & Mason County are the highest at 82.8 and 81.8, respectively. San Juan County has the lowest crime rate at 17.7, followed by Whitman County at 19.2.



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# ABOUT CRIME: King County



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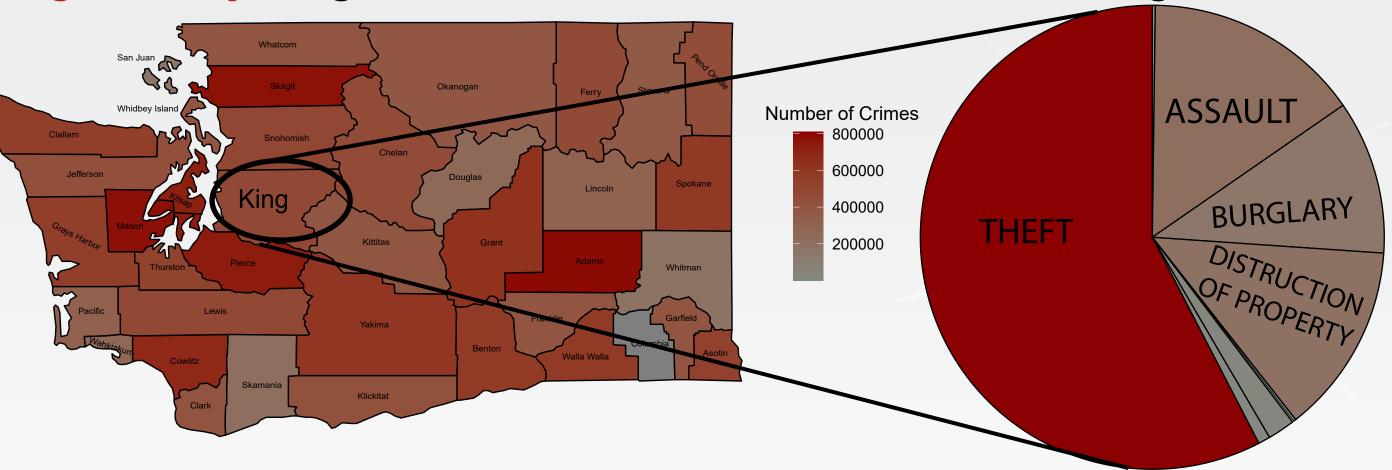
13,000 Violent Crimes Committed in 2022

In the City of Tukwila alone, over 13,000 violent crimes were committed in 2022 - making this the Most Dangerous city in the State of Washington. Tukwilla surpassed the state average of 3,513 violent crimes by nearly 10,000.

Kent & Auburn combined for 17,440 violent crimes in 2022, with 22 murders and 10,600 thefts.

While The Crime Rate of Seattle isn't the highest, there were 54 murders reported in 2022, along with 13,300 Assaults and 39,630 theft crimes.

### King County Highest Number of Crimes in Washington State



King County is the most populted County in Washington State, inhabited by 2.1 million residents in 2022. The 10-year average Crime Rate in King County comes out to be about 50.5 per 1,000 residents. Over the past 10 years, there have been over 809,500 reported thefts and 213,000 assaults. In these categories, no other county comes close. While the crime rate isn't the highest of all the counties, King County is the **most popular** County to live in due to it's costal location and employment opportunities.

### **ABOUT THE CITY Seattle**

Within the County, the most populus city is Seattle - which housed around 760,000 residents in 2022. Within the city limits, your chances of being a victim to a crime is almost 1 in 11. Between 2012 and 2022, there were 340 murders and 123,850 assaults.

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