SUPPLEMENTARY HOMICIDE REPORT (SHR)

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FIXED-LENGTH, UNPACKED DATA FORMAT

LRECL= 251

BLOCKSIZE = 32630 (default)

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

- 1 Al 6 = Identifier code for the SHR master file.
- 2 3 A2 <u>Numeric State Code</u>. Range is 01-62. Data records are in order by ORI code <u>within</u> numeric state code. The values are:

50 = AK-Alaska

01 = AL-Alabama

03 = AR-Arkansas

54 = AS-American Samoa

02 = AZ-Arizona

04 = CA-California

05 = CO-Colorado

06 = CT-Connecticut

52 = CZ-Canal Zone

08 = DC-District of Columbia

07 = DE-Delaware

09 = FL-Florida

10 = GA-Georgia

55 = GM-Guam

51 = HI-Hawaii

14 = IA-Iowa

11 = ID-Idaho

12 = IL-Illinois

13 = IN-Indiana

15 = KS-Kansas

16 = KY-Kentucky

17 = LA-Louisiana

20 = MA-Massachusetts

19 = MD-Maryland

18 = ME-Maine

21 = MI-Michigan

22 = MN-Minnesota

24 = MO-Missouri

23 = MS-Mississippi

25 = MT-Montana

26 = NB-Nebraska

32 = NC-North Carolina

33 = ND-North Dakota

28 = NH-New Hampshire

29 = NJ-New Jersey

30 = NM-New Mexico

27 = NV-Nevada

31 = NY-New York

34 = OH-Ohio

35 = OK-Oklahoma

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

2 - 3 A2 Numeric State Code (continued):

36 = OR-Oregon

37 = PA-Pennsylvania

53 = PR-Puerto Rico

38 = RI-Rhode Island

39 = SC-South Carolina

40 = SD-South Dakota

41 = TN-Tennessee

42 = TX-Texas

43 = UT-Utah

62 = VI-Virgin Islands

45 = VA-Virginia

44 = VT-Vermont

46 = WA-Washington

48 = WI-Wisconsin

47 = WV-West Virginia

49 = WY-Wyoming

4 - 10 A7 ORI Code. Originating Agency Identifier.

11 - 12 A2 Group. Group 0 is possessions; 1-7 are cities; 8-9 are counties. Sub-Group (position 12) is blank when not used. All populations are inclusive. Values are:

1 = All cities 250,000 or over:

IA = Cities 1,000,000 or over

1B = Cities from 500,000 thru 999,999

1C = Cities from 250,000 thru 499,999

2 = Cities from 100,000 thru 249,999

3 = Cities from 50,000 thru 99,999

4 = Cities from 25,000 thru 49,999

5 = Cities from 10,000 thru 24,999

6 = Cities from 2,500 thru 9,999

7 = Cities under 2,500

8 = Non-MSA Counties:

8A = Non-MSA counties 100,000 or over

8B = Non-MSA counties from 25,000 thru 99,999

8C = Non-MSA counties from 10,000 thru 24,999

8D = Non-MSA counties under 10,000

8E = Non-MSA State Police

9 = MSA Counties:

9A = MSA counties 100,000 or over

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9B = MSA counties from 25,000 thru 99,999

9C = MSA counties from 10,000 thru 24,999

9D = MSA counties under 10,000

9E = MSA State Police

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

13 Al <u>Division</u>. Geographic division in which the state is located (from 1 thru 9). Possessions are coded "0." The states comprising each division are as follows. The divisions are listed within region:

0 = Possessions

Div 0: 54 American Samoa

52 Canal Zone

55 Guam

53 Puerto Rico 62 Virgin Islands

REGION I - NORTHEAST

1 = New England

Div 1: 06 Connecticut

18 Maine

20 Massachusetts

28 New Hamphire

38 Rhode Island

44 Vermont

2 = Middle Atlantic

Div 2: 29 New Jersey

31 New York

37 Pennsylvania

REGION II -- NORTH CENTRAL

3 = East North Central

Div 3: 12 Illinois

13 Indiana

21 Michigan

34 Ohio

48 Wisconsin

4 = West North Central

Div 4: 14 Iowa

15 Kansas

22 Minnesota

24 Missouri

26 Nebraska

33 North Dakota

40 South Dakota

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

13 Al <u>Division</u> (continued):

REGION III -- SOUTH

5 = South Atlantic

Div 5: 07 Delaware

08 District of Columbia

09 Florida

10 Georgia 19 Maryland

32 North Carolina

39 South Carolina

45 Virginia

47 West Virginia

6 = East South Central

Div 6: 01 Alabama

16 Kentucky

23 Mississippi

41 Tennessee

7 = West South Central

Div 7: 03 Arkansas

17 Louisiana

35 Oklahoma

42 Texas

REGION IV - WEST

8 = Mountain

Div 8: 02 Arizona

05 Colorado

11 Idaho

25 Montana

27 Nevada

30 New Mexico

43 Utah

49 Wyoming

9 = Pacific

Div 9: 50 Alaska

04 California

51 Hawaii

36 Oregon

46 Washington

POSITION	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
14 - 15	A2	<u>Year</u> . Last two digits of the year the data reflects, e.g., "85" = 1985, "90" = 1990, etc.
16 - 20	N5	Agency Count. Used to accumulate "agencies used" totals in various tabulations. This field is normally "1" but will be "0" for the U.S. Park Police and all State Police agencies whose ORI code ends in "SP" (or "99" in California).
21 - 29	№	<u>Population</u> . Total population for the agency for the year reported.
30 - 32	A3	<u>County</u> . County code in which the city is located, if any. Blank if not used.
33 - 35	АЗ	MSA. Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) number in which the city is located, if any. Blank if not used.
36	Al	MSA Indication. A "suburban" agency is an MSA city with less than 50,000 population (groups 4-7) together with MSA counties (group 9).
		0 = Non-Suburban 1 = Suburban
37 - 60	A24	Agency Name.
61 - 66	A6	State Name.
67 - 68	A2	Offense Month. This is the month (01-12) the offense occurred in.
69 - 74	A 6	<u>last Update</u> . Date the record was last updated, in the format of MMDDYY.
75	Al	<u>Action Type</u> . Contains the type of action on the record:
		<pre>0 = Normal update. 1 = Adjustment.</pre>

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION 76 No. 1 Howicide.

76 Al <u>Homicide</u>. Contains the type of offense:

A = Murder and Nonnegligent Manslaughter.

B = Manslaughter by Negligence.

77 - 79 A3 <u>Incident Number</u>. A unique number that distinguishes one incident from another within the ORI.

80 Al <u>Situation</u>. This describes the data relative to the number of victims/offenders involved in criminal homicides.

A = Single Victim/Single Offender.

B = Single Victim/Unknown Offender(s).

C = Single Victim/Multiple Offenders.

D = Multiple Victims/Single Offender.

E = Multiple Victims/Multiple Offenders.

F = Multiple Victims/Unknown Offender(s).

VICTIM-1

81 - 82 A2 Age of Victim.

01-98 Corresponds to age in years.

NB Birth-6 days, including abandoned infant.

BB 7 days to 364 days.

00 Unknown.

99 years or older.

83 Al Sex of Victim.

M = Male.

F = Female.

U = Unknown.

84 Al Race of Victim.

W = White.

N = Negro.

I = Indian.

C = Chinese.

J = Jananese.

0 = Other.

U = Unknown.

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

OFFENDER-1

85 - 86 A2 Age of Offender.

01-98 = Corresponds to age in years.

00 = Unknown.

99 = 99 years or older.

87 Al Sex of Offender.

M = Male.

F = Female.

U = Unknown.

88 Al Race of Offender.

W = White.

N = Negro.

I = Indian.

C = Chinese.

J = Jananese.

0 = Other.

U = Unknown.

89 - 90 A2 Weapon Used by Offender.

- 11 = Firearm, type not stated. Does not include
 mechanic's grease gun or caulking gun
- 12 = Handgun pistol, revolver, etc.
- 13 = Rifle
- 14 = Shotgun
- 15 = Other Gun
- 20 = Knife/Cutting Instrument includes icepick, screwdriver, axe, etc.
- 30 = Blunt Object hammer, club, etc.
- 40 = Personal Weapons includes beating by
 hands, feet, use of teeth, or other body
 members
- 50 = Poison does not include gas (see Asphyxiation)
- 55 = Pushed or thrown out window
- 60 = Explosives
- 65 = Fire
- 70 = Narcotics/Drugs includes sleeping pills
- 75 = Drowning
- 80 = Strangulation hanging
- 85 = Asphyxiation includes death by gas
- 90 = Other type of weapon not designated or type unknown

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

91 - 92 A2 Relationship of Victim to Offender.

Within Family:

HU = Husband

WI = Wife

CH = Common-Law Husband

CW = Common-Law Wife

MO = Mother

FA = Father

SO = Son

DA = Daughter

BR = Brother

SI = Sister

IL = In-Law

SF = Stepfather

SM = Stepmother

SS = Stepson

SD = Stepdaughter

OF = Other Family

Outside Family But Known to Victim:

NE = Neighbor

AQ = Acquaintance

BF = Boyfriend

GF = Girlfriend

XH = Ex-Husband

XW = Ex-Wife

EE = Employee

ER = Employer

FR = Friend

HO = Homosexual Relationship

OK = Other - known to victim

Offender Not Known to Victim:

ST = Stranger

Unknown Relationship:

UN = All instances where relationship of victim
to offender cannot be determined.

POSITION TYPE DESCRIPTION

93 - 94 A2 <u>Circumstances</u>.

- I. <u>Felony Type</u>: Felony murder is defined as a killing which occurs in conjunction with the commission of another crime such as a robbery, sex motive, and other felonious activities:
 - 02 = Rape
 - 03 = Robbery
 - 05 = Burglary
 - 06 = Larceny
 - 07 = Motor Vehicle Theft
 - 09 = Arson
 - 10 = Prostitution and Commercialized Vice
 - 17 = Other Sex Offenses
 - 32 = Abortion
 - 18 = Narcotic Drug Laws
 - 19 = Gambling
 - 26 = Other not specified

II. Other Than Felony Type:

- 40 = Lover's Triangle
- 41 = Child Killed by Babysitter
- 42 = Brawl Due to Influence of Alcohol
- 43 = Brawl Due to Influence of Narcotics
- 44 = Argument Over Money or Property
- 45 = Other Arguments
- 46 = Gangland Killings
- 47 = Juvenile Gang Killings
- 48 = Institutional Killings
- **49** = Sniper Attack
- 60 = Other
- III. <u>Suspected Felony Type</u> Victim found murdered. Circumstances indicate possible felony type murder, but sufficient facts to identify type of felony not available:
 - 70 = All Suspected Felony Type

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93 - 94 A2 <u>Circumstances</u> (continued):

- IV: <u>Justifiable Homicide</u> The intentional killing of a person without evil design and under such circumstance of necessity or duty as to render the act proper:
 - 80 = Felon Killed by Private Citizen
 - 81 = Felon Killed by Police

Follow either 80 or 81 with the code number as designated below in Sub-Circumstance field:

- A = Felon Attacked Police Officer
- B = Felon Attacked Fellow Police Officer
- C = Felon Attacked a Civilian
- D = Felon Attempted Flight From a Crime
- E = Felon Killed in Commission of a Crime
- F = Felon Resisted Arrest
- G = Not Enough Information to Determine

V. Unable to Determine Circumstances:

99 = All instances where the facts provided
do not permit determination of
circumstances.

VI: Manslaughter by Negligent Circumstances:

- 50 = Victim Shot in Hunting Accident
- 51 = Gun-Cleaning Death Other Than Self-Inflicted
- 52 = Children Playing With Gun
- 53 = Other Negligent Handling of Gun Which Results in Death of Another
- 59 = All Other Manslaughter by Negligence Except Traffic Deaths
- 95 Al <u>Sub-Circumstance</u>. Will be blank, except when above "Circumstances" is 80 or 81:
 - A = Felon Attacked Police Officer
 - B = Felon Attacked Fellow Police Officer
 - C = Felon Attacked a Civilian
 - D = Felon Attempted Flight From a Crime
 - E = Felon Killed in Commission of a Crime
 - F = Felon Resisted Arrest
 - G = Not Enough Information to Determine

POSITION	TYPE	DESCRIPTION
96 - 98	из	<u>Victim Count</u> . Contains the number of additional victims, if any. Maximum number is 010.
99 - 101	N3	Offender Count. Contains the number of additional offenders, if any. Maximum number is 010.

VICTIMS 02-11 102 141 A40 Each additional victim contains the same field types as Victim-1, each one occupying four characters.

OFFENDERS 02-11 142 - 251 Allo Each additional offender contains the same field types as Offender-1, each one occupying eleven characters.