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FOREWORD

I am pleased to introduce the seventh edition of the *Directory of Criminal Justice Issues in the States*. This publication highlights the work of the nation's 50 criminal justice Statistical Analysis Centers (SACs) located throughout the United States and its territories. These centers perform the critical functions of gathering and analyzing data about criminal justice operations at the state and local levels where a majority of actions take place.

Examining the activities of the SACs has always been a reliable way to gauge the most prominent criminal justice issues. It is for this reason that the *Directory of Criminal Justice Issues in the States* is a tremendous resource for anyone involved in the understanding of criminal justice issues. This publication highlights the work of the SACs and continues to provide criminal justice researchers and policymakers with a guide to the abundance of research being conducted at the state level on such timely issues as substance abuse, sentencing, prison and jail crowding, and recidivism.

I invite you to peruse this year's *Directory*, call the contact person listed for any activity you may have questions about, and utilize this resource to the fullest extent.

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President, CJSA
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HOW TO USE THIS DIRECTORY

The *Directory of Criminal Justice Issues in the States* is a handy reference to state activities and research initiatives in criminal justice. The book is organized into five sections for easy use.

The first section is a brief summary of the SAC research and analysis activities listed in the *Directory*. It focuses on the major criminal justice policy issues confronting the states in 1989.

The second section provides a detailed listing of SAC activities including the title, a brief description, data sources used, date of completion, and a contact person for each SAC activity. The list is in alphabetical order by state to aid the reader in locating a particular state or agency.

Section three is an index of all activities by issue area. Upon examination of this section, the reader may locate all SAC activities on a particular topic. The 38 issue areas found in the index are listed on page 55.

Section four includes a listing of recent reports published by the Statistical Analysis Centers. This section was added in last year's directory to provide the reader with a list of criminal justice reports available from the SACs.

The final section is an appendix. The address and telephone number of each Statistical Analysis Center is contained in Appendix 1. Although a brief summary of each activity is provided in the *Directory*, the research design, findings, and other detailed information are not. The reader may request such information by contacting the appropriate agency and person.

Appendix 2 contains a brief description of the Criminal Justice Statistics Association and several products offered by CJS. Among these are the Computerized Index to Data Sources (CIDS) from which this directory is drawn, and the IMPACT Forecasting Package. If further information is desired, the reader should contact the Association directly.

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INTRODUCTION

The *Directory of Criminal Justice Issues in the States* is a guide to criminal justice programs and policy research conducted by the state Statistical Analysis Centers (SACs). The *Directory* is presented as an aid to all who seek to identify sources of state criminal justice information. National policymakers will discover the major criminal justice issues under debate and analysis in the states. State policymakers will gain knowledge on the current activity of other states for the exchange of criminal justice information. Agencies interested in developing criminal justice libraries or resource materials will find this publication of special value, not only as a resource in its own right, but also for the information it provides on available SAC publications.

Located in almost every state, the SACs conduct objective analyses to meet critical planning needs and address statewide and systemwide criminal justice policy issues. These agencies contribute to viable, effective policy development through statistical services, research, evaluation, and policy analysis.

The SAC program originated in 1972 as a component of the National Criminal Justice Information and Statistics Service (NCJISS). Although most SACs are predominantly funded by the states, they continue to maintain a close working relationship with the Bureau of Justice Statistics which supports special research and analysis activities. Since the advent of state funding, a majority of the agencies have taken a variety of titles. The generic term SAC is used throughout this directory for consistency's sake.

In 1983, the staff of the Criminal Justice Statistics Association (CJSA) first surveyed the SACs on the types of research and analytical activities in which they were involved and developed a computerized index to state activities in criminal justice. The index, (called Computerized Index to Data Sources or CIDS) contains information on SAC research and activities, SAC reports, and characteristics of state automated data sets. Information from CIDS was compiled to publish the first *Directory of Criminal Justice Issues in the States* in June 1984, and it has been published annually since.

CIDS now contains information on SAC activities from 50 states and territories. This directory is a summary of the 1989 activities and publications of the SACs.

THE MAJOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE ISSUES IN 1989

Public policy development requires reliable information. The SACs perform a critical role in public policy development by providing decisionmakers with information on crime and criminal justice data quality and availability as well as on substantive policy issues. Each year the SACs report on the criminal justice issues in which they are involved, revealing a commonality in the major criminal justice issues confronting all states. Many SACs examine similar issues, indicating areas of national concern. An analysis of the criminal justice issues addressed by reported SAC activities across the nation reveals that certain issues are predominant. These issues span the entire criminal justice system and include police, courts, and corrections as well as juvenile delinquency, recidivism, and substance abuse. The following table presents issue areas studied by the SACs, and the number of states involved in each one from 1987 to 1989.

ISSUE	NO. OF STATES			ISSUE	NO. OF STATES		
	1989	1988	1987		1989	1988	1987
Police	32	37	31	Domestic Violence	12	19	17
Substance Abuse	27	32	27	Crime Prevention	12	18	17
Sentencing	26	29	37	Crime Projections	11	16	15
Courts	26	34	32	Sexual Assault	11	12	14
Jail	23	32	28	Rehabilitation	10	13	15
Juvenile Delinquency	23	29	29	Plea Bargaining	9	16	16
Prosecution	22	26	24	Public Attitudes	9	13	14
Management/Personnel	22	21	19	Traffic Safety	7	10	8
Recidivism	21	17	22	Child Abuse	7	14	13
Overcrowding	21	27	23	Risk Assessment	7	9	10
Population Projections	18	24	20	Female Crime	5	11	10
Parole	17	25	22	Status Offenses	5	10	8
Victims	16	23	24	Bail	5	11	11
Probation	16	24	22	Restitution	4	7	12
Corrections	14	—	—	White Collar Crime	4	2	2
Drunk Driving	13	23	17	Prisons	4	—	—
Alternatives to Incarceration	13	18	13	Expenditures/Budget	4	—	—
Pretrial Release	13	16	17	Missing Children	2	1	3
Homicide	12	17	10	Bias Crime	2	1	4

The development of a new classification scheme in SAC activities resulted in alterations to the numbers of SAC activities in certain areas. This new scheme created a distinction between standard statistical reporting versus focused topical research. This resulted in fewer entries per issue areas across the board. The lower numbers for 1989, thus, should not be interpreted as a downturn in SAC activities. In addition, two categories have been added to the list of issues. A category of "corrections" was added because broad categories existed for other components of the criminal justice system including "police" (law enforcement) and "courts." Additionally, the "prisons" category was added to allow a distinction between the work SACs do relating to jails and prisons. A third issue, "expenditure/budget," was added to reflect the emerging importance of this topic as a SAC analysis activity.

Nineteen eighty-nine was a year which saw the formation of the National Office of Drug Control Strategy, the selection of a *Drug Czar*, and the establishment of the first ever national drug control strategy. This enormous effort to eradicate illicit drugs is not only a Federal one, it is a national effort as evidenced by the number of SACs conducting research and analysis in the area of substance abuse. SACs in 27 states were involved in activities related to substance abuse in 1989.

A rise in crime, generally attributed to the drug problem, has caused concern among state policymakers, especially as it relates to crowding in the criminal justice system. An increased number of SACs are addressing issues related to crowding. Sentencing emerged as a major issue as 26 SACs examined matters such as sentencing alternatives and the effect of determinant sentencing on crowding in jails and prisons. Similarly, 22 SACs explored trends in prosecution, and 21 SACs examined prison and jail crowding.

Recidivism received increased attention as 21 states conducted some kind of research on repeat offenders to perform tasks such as resource allocation and projecting future needs in the areas of prison and jail construction as well as treatment.

As in 1988, the issue studied by the most states concerned police. SACs studied police procedures, compiled police policies and training manuals, and examined law enforcement turnover, among other police related issues. Police issues are likely to stay in the spotlight as policymakers try to determine how best to utilize this most important resource in fighting crime and drug abuse.

Because SACs address the major concerns of criminal justice decisionmakers, their activities serve as lead indicators of the most important criminal justice issues confronting the states and the nation. To provide the reader a quick summary of the issues each state SAC is involved in, the following table serves as a guide.

Issues on Which SACs Conducted Research in 1989

THE DIRECTORY

ALABAMA

ACJIC Newsletter

The newsletter touches on topics of interest to sheriffs and police departments. It emphasizes the NCIC terminal standards and usage, but includes all the components of the Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Police Departments, NCIC

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Alabama Rape Data

The data set contains information on age and race of victim and offender, the type of weapon used, the location of the incident, the relationship of the victim to the offender, and the month, year, day, and time of day of the incident.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Supplemental Rape Reports

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Check and Review of Incident Reports Sent into Alabama's UCR Program

This activity reviews the record keeping procedures of police and sheriffs departments to ensure compliance with FBI guidelines and definitions for UCR/IBR reporting. Emphasis is also put on sending the required paperwork for clearances and unfounded cases.

Data Sources: Police Departments, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Cooperative Agreement with Forensic Sciences

In this project, the Alabama Department of Forensic Sciences will forward drug information to the SAC for trend studies. This agreement is currently in the test phase.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR, Department of Forensic Sciences

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Crime Analysis for Jefferson County Sheriff's Office

The SAC uses sector number, time of day, and day of week to present crime data on eleven subdivisions in Jefferson County. Similar reports are available to any police agency using the IBR report forms for manpower reallocation.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Incident Report Forms

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Crime in Alabama Report

Clearance and arrest data are presented for the seven index offenses and arson, and are broken down by city, county, Metropolitan Statistical Areas, and state. Charts, tables, graphs, and summary narratives are used to describe crime in the state for the current year.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Supplemental Crime Reports

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

IBR—A Management Tool

This publication describes special reports which are available to local police agencies which utilize the Alabama Uniform Incident/Offense Supplement and Arrest reports. Some of these special reports include sector breakdowns, time of day and day of week reports, crime breakdowns by shift, by offense, etc.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Law Enforcement Directory

This directory contains names, mailing addresses, and phone numbers for sheriffs, police, and public safety departments; colleges and universities; and state agencies with law enforcement capabilities.

Data Sources: Local Directories

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130

Contact: Patty Lambrecht
(205) 832-4930

Law Enforcement Officer's Handbook

The Law Enforcement Officer's Handbook will be distributed to every law enforcement officer in Alabama. This handbook will cover LEDS/NCIC inquiries and instructions on completing the revised Incident/Offense Supplement and Arrest reports and fingerprint cards as well as a brief synopsis of special reports available through the SAC.

Data Sources: Handbook

ALABAMA-ALASKA

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130
Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Management Study

The SAC conducted a management study of a police department. Staff analyzed current policies and procedures, made recommendations, etc.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Interviews, Policy and Procedure Manuals
Date of Completion: 07/1989
Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130
Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

PC Program for IBR Submission

A PC program and procedure/document manual was developed to provide an alternative to the way Alabama's police and sheriffs' departments report their crime data. These agencies will be building a local database for their own personal use.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130
Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Sector Breakdowns

Sector breakdowns can be done for any police agency using Incident/Offense report forms and sector numbers. This report will show administrators where crime is occurring and can also be broken down by time of day and day of week.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130
Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

Training Courses on the PC for Incident Reporting (UCR)

ACJIC developed a PC program for use on MSDOS compatible hard disk computers. These programs are available to any agency upon request. A training class was developed to assist local agencies in the use of these programs.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Alabama Criminal Justice Information Center
858 South Court Street
Montgomery, AL 36130
Contact: Therese Ford
(205) 832-4930

ALASKA

A Study of Rural-Urban Conviction Disparities in Alaska

The SAC examined possible disparities in rural-urban conviction patterns in Alaska utilizing OBTS data.

Data Sources: OBTS
Date of Completion: 02/1989
Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508
Contact: Allan R. Barnes
(907) 786-1810

Annual OBTS Data Summary

A summary of Alaska OBTS data is prepared for each year and released statewide.

Data Sources: OBTS
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508
Contact: Allan R. Barnes
(907) 786-1810

Compilation of OBTS Tape

The SAC has compiled OBTS data tapes for 1984 through 1988 and modified tapes to include misdemeanor information.

Data Sources: OBTS
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508
Contact: Allan R. Barnes
(907) 786-1810

Dissemination of BJS Reports and Results of Other National Research

The SAC disseminates BJS reports and bulletins upon request.

Data Sources: BJS, Other SACs
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508
Contact: Allan R. Barnes
(907) 786-1810

Justice Database Directory

The SAC has compiled a justice database directory for use by researchers. The directory includes descriptions of major databases held by Alaska justice agencies, identifies the contents of the databases, evaluates reliability, and details accessing procedures. The catalog is updated and expanded annually.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Other Justice System Agencies
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508
Contact: Antonia Moras
(907) 786-1810

Statistical Analysis Unit Newsletter

The SAC publishes a quarterly SAU newsletter, which incorporates BJS releases and the results of SAU research. It is disseminated to agencies and individuals involved with the Alaska justice system and to various organizations throughout the nation.

Data Sources: BJS
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508
Contact: Antonia Moras
(907) 786-1815

Tracking Repeat Offenders

A study using OBTS data evaluated recidivism among Alaska criminal offenders.

Data Sources: OBSCIS, OBTS

Date of Completion: 03/1990

Agency: Justice Center
University of Alaska Anchorage
3211 Providence Drive
Anchorage, AK 99508

Contact: Allan R. Barnes
(907) 786-1810

ARIZONA**County and City Jails in Arizona, 1989**

The SAC will conduct a survey examining the current characteristics and issues concerning Arizona's jails.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Survey

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Thomas Epperlein
(602) 223-2082

Environmental Trends and Projections for Law Enforcement in Arizona, 1989

This report evaluates a number of environmental factors which influence Arizona law enforcement, and projects future changes among these factors and how these changes will impact law enforcement.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Corrections Department, Courts, Economic Data From State Agencies, Traffic Data

Date of Completion: 04/1990

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Thomas Epperlein
(602) 223-2082

Reducing Injuries and Deaths of Young Children in Traffic Crashes

This paper investigates the impact of mandatory child restraint legislation on law-affected child casualties in Arizona traffic crashes.

Data Sources: Traffic Data

Date of Completion: 01/1989

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Judy Nakasone
(602) 223-2082

Targeting Serious and Repetitive Offenders: The Effect of Crime Control Legislation in Arizona

Arizona recently enacted a state law to deter and incapacitate habitual criminals with mandatory and consecutive sentences. The purpose of this research was to determine how prosecutors and courts adapted to the requirements of the new law and whether these actions resulted in keeping with the spirit and the intent of the new law.

Data Sources: Courts, Prosecutors, Maricopa County Lejis (OBTS-Type Data)

Date of Completion: 07/1989

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Judy Nakasone
(602) 223-2082

The Impact of the 65 MPH Speed Limit in Arizona

The report describes research examining the impact on traffic safety of Arizona's 65 MPH speed limit. The higher speed limit was adopted in April, 1987 on the State's rural interstate highways.

Data Sources: Traffic Data

Date of Completion: 08/1989

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Thomas Epperlein
(602) 223-2082

The Influence of Pro-Gun Interest Groups on State Handgun Controls

The research examines the influence of pro-gun control interest groups on restrictions mandated for handguns by state legislatures. Using a multiple regression model, the study assesses the aggregate and relative impact of organized interest groups and gun owners on the restrictiveness of state handgun controls.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, NRA, Statistical Abstract, FBI

Date of Completion: 07/1990

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Thomas Epperlein
(602) 223-2082

Trends and Patterns of Criminal Homicide in Arizona: 1977 to 1984

The report describes trends, patterns, victims, and offenders of criminal homicide in Arizona.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 07/1989

Agency: Information Analysis Section
Department of Public Safety
Post Office Box 6638
Phoenix, AZ 85005

Contact: Judy Nakasone
(602) 223-2082

ARKANSAS**Arkansas Crime Poll**

The purpose of the Poll is to estimate how many citizens have been victims of crime, including crimes not reported to the police; to determine the level of public support for certain criminal justice programs; and to examine how citizens feel about crime as a problem in Arkansas.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Special Services
Arkansas Crime Information Center
One Capitol Mall
Little Rock, AR 72201

Contact: Nancy Krablin
(501) 682-2222

Crime in Arkansas

This is an annual report of UCR data on a statewide, county, and local agency level. All offense and arrest data is presented in yearly summary form. This report was first printed for 1978 data and has remained basically the same presentation for comparison purposes.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

ARKANSAS-CALIFORNIA

Agency: Special Services
Arkansas Crime Information
Center
One Capitol Mall
Little Rock, AR 72201

Contact: Lynn Bulloch
(501) 682-2222

Quarterly Crime Summary

This is a quarterly report on the level of crime reported by law enforcement agencies to the Arkansas Crime Information Center.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Special Services
Arkansas Crime Information
Center
One Capitol Mall
Little Rock, AR 72201

Contact: Lynn Bulloch
(501) 682-2222

Rape in Arkansas

This report is based on UCR rape offenses reported to law enforcement agencies and includes a state-wide summary of supplemental information including victim and offender data, time/place of occurrence, weapon used and victim/offender relationship. A yearly rape/attempted rape listing by county is included. This report has been published yearly, beginning with 1977 data.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Special Services
Arkansas Crime Information
Center
One Capitol Mall
Little Rock, AR 72201

Contact: Lynn Bulloch
(501) 682-2222

CALIFORNIA

Adult Criminal Justice Statistical System (ACJSS)

The ACJSS system describes dispositions which occur at any point in the criminal justice system following the arrest of an adult. The system provides annual data for California's Offender Based Transactions Statistics (OBTS) system, and an experimental longitudinal file containing criminal history information on persons whose first arrest occurred on or after January 1, 1973.

Data Sources: OBTS, Courts, Prosecutors,
Police Departments,
Corrections Department, Sheriff
Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of
Justice
Bureau of Criminal Statistics
Statistical Data Center
4949 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95820

Contact: Myrna Naughton
(916) 739-5596

Adult Probation Summary

The adult probation summary system contains data on convicted defendants under county probation supervision. The data include information from time of court orders at judgement to time of probation termination. The system contains only gross counts, affording only profile information by county, types of placement, reasons for removal and caseload. These data are published in the *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Profile* publications.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of
Justice
Bureau of Criminal Statistics
Statistical Data Center
4949 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95820

Contact: Fabian Favila
(916) 739-5586

Adult Probation Summary Reporting System

The adult probation summary reporting system is a monthly report of summary totals of the number of supervised adult probationers under the jurisdiction of the courts. Information collected includes case load, numbers of probationers removed for superior and lower courts. The information collected is published annually in the *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Criminal Justice Profile* statewide and by county publications.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Criminal Statistics
and Special Services
Post Office Box 903427
Sacramento, CA 94203

Contact: Quint Hegner
(916) 739-5568

Advance Release: Crime and Delinquency in California (Prior Year)

A brief report is released in advance of the annual report on *Crime and Delinquency in California*. Information is published for the previous calendar year on the Bureau's major database files. This advance release of data in May of each year meets statutory obligations to report crime and delinquency information to the legislature by July 1st.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Juvenile
Information System, Courts,
Police Departments,
Prosecutors, Sheriff
Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of
Justice
Bureau of Criminal Statistics
Statistical Data Center
4949 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95820

Contact: Charlotte Rhea
(916) 739-5166

Attorney General's Criminal Justice Fellowship Program

Each year, the Attorney General's Office provides funding for two fellows (one pre- and one post-doctoral) to undertake a one-year research project. Typically involving SAC quantitative data, the projects are designed to advance knowledge in criminal justice, contribute to policy development, and improve the quality and utility of SAC data. Specific research projects are described as separate activities.

Data Sources: Courts, Juvenile Information
System, OBTS, Police
Departments, Probation/Parole,
Prosecutors, Sheriff
Departments, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of
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Bureau of Criminal Statistics
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4949 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95820

Contact: Bill Whitney
(916) 739-5566

BCS Preliminary Report: Crime 1989 in Selected California Law Enforcement Jurisdictions

The SAC publishes a two year comparison of preliminary crime counts reported by the California law enforcement agencies serving populations of 100,000 or more. Information is published twice annually during each year.

Reports are for the January-June period (published in August), and the January-December period (published in February).

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
Bureau of Criminal Statistics
Statistical Data Center
4949 Broadway
Sacramento, CA 95820

Contact: Charlotte Rhea
(916) 739-5166

BCS Reports: The Juvenile Justice System in California: An Overview

This report focuses on the agencies which make up the juvenile justice system: police and sheriff's departments, probation departments, district attorneys' offices, juvenile courts, and the California Youth Authority. The functions of these agencies, how they interact, and the decisions they make about the juveniles in their charge are described. Included in this overview are statewide figures covering a period of eleven years. These data were obtained from annual statistical files maintained by the Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Sheriff Departments, Juvenile Information System

Date of Completion: 04/1989

Agency: Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services
Post Office Box 903427
Sacramento, CA 94203

Contact: Quint Hegner
(916) 739-5568

Citizen's Complaints Against Peace Officers

Each California law enforcement agency is required to establish a procedure to investigate citizens' complaints against the agency's law enforcement personnel. The number of complaints received is reported to the California Department of Justice. Data elements include non-criminal and criminal complaints. Numbers collected for each element include number reported, unfounded, and sustained. The data collected is published in the annual *Crime and Delinquency in California* publication.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
Bureau of Criminal Statistics
Statistical Data Center
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Sacramento, CA 95820

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Crime and Delinquency in California (Prior Year)

State statutes require an annual report which describes crime and delinquency in California. The SAC publishes this information for the prior calendar year. The 1989 report is currently available.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Criminal Justice Profile (Prior Year)

The series of 59 individual publications is a supplement to the annual report on Crime and Delinquency in California. In addition to a statewide publication, there is a separate publication for each county. Information is published for the prior year. The 1989 reports are currently available.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Deaths in Custody

This reporting system contains data on all persons who died while in the custody of a California law enforcement agency or correctional

facility. The system includes data on homicides, suicides, accidental deaths, and deaths from natural causes.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Domestic Violence Related Calls for Assistance

As of January 1, 1986, the California legislature required statistical reports be submitted to identify the extent of domestic violence in California. Data elements will include the number of domestic violence related calls for assistance, and information on weapon use by weapon type. Weapon type will include firearm, knife or cutting instrument, other dangerous weapon, and personal weapons such as hands or feet. This data will be published in the annual *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Criminal Justice Profile* publications.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Forum: Employment and Crime

This project studied the relationship between work and crime. Researchers used two large California databases to conduct the study. A sample of individuals was taken from four years (1956, 1958, 1960, and 1962) and their records were compared in the California Employment Development Department's Wage History File and the Department of Justice Automated Criminal Justice Statistical System. Findings concluded an existing relationship between work and crime.

Data Sources: OBTS, CA Employment Development Department

Date of Completion: 06/1989

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Agency: Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services
Post Office Box 903427
Sacramento, CA 94203

Contact: Quint Hegner
(916) 739-5568

Full-Time Law Enforcement Personnel Survey

This one-day survey report is used by both the California Department of Justice and the FBI to compile annual statewide and national statistics on the number of full-time sworn and civilian law enforcement employees. Data elements include full-time sworn officers (including Chief or Sheriff), full-time civilian employees, and total full-time law enforcement employees. Each data element is subdivided by sex and total employees. This data is published in *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Criminal Justice Profile* publications.

Data Sources: Survey, Sheriff Departments, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Sacramento, CA 95820

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Homicide in California (Prior Year)

This is an annual publication which provides an overview of the crime of homicide and its victims. Information on persons arrested for murder, and the criminal justice system's response. Information on such topics as the death penalty, the number of peace officers killed in the line of duty and the events which led to their deaths, and justifiable homicides are also included. The 1988 report is currently available.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Homicide Study

Homicide in California, 1988 is an annual publication which provides an overview of the crime

of homicide and its victims, information on persons arrested for murder, and the criminal justice system's response. Information on such topics as the events which led to the deaths and justifiable homicides is included. The major sections of the report are: (1) Willful Homicide Crimes (2) Arrests for Murder (3) Dispositions of Adults Arrested for Murder.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Contact: Josie Allen
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Incident-Based Crime Reporting

A Federal grant will allow the SAC to develop a feasibility study to collect statewide crime and arrest data in California through an incident-based reporting (IBR) system. The proposed IBR system would provide descriptive information on the nature and severity of crime.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 07/1990

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Jail and Camp Populations

This reporting system collects a one-day California jail and camp population total. The data elements are jail and camp prisoners sentenced or not sentenced. Each data element is subdivided into adult and juvenile by sex and total. Data collected by this reporting system is published in the *Crime and Delinquency in California* and the *Criminal Justice Profile* publications.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, County Department of Corrections

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Juvenile Case Load Survey

The juvenile case load survey is a one day survey report on jurisdictional cases (601 and 602 California Welfare and Institutions Code). Information collected includes jurisdictions, status, sex, and active case load. Data collected are published annually in *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Criminal Justice Profile* publications.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services
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Contact: Quint Hegner
(916) 739-5568

Juvenile Court and Probation Statistical System

The purpose of the Juvenile Court and Probation Statistical System (JCPSS) is to compile and report data on the administration of juvenile justice in California. It also provides information on the chain of events which depicts a juvenile's progress through the juvenile justice system from time of referral to final disposition. Data collected are published in the *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Criminal Justice Profile* publications.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: California Department of Justice
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Juvenile Detention Facility Survey

The juvenile detention facility survey is a one day survey report on the juvenile population in detention facilities. Information collected includes facility description, facility type, sex of facility residents, and offender type. The data collected is published in the *Crime and Delinquency in California* and *Criminal Justice Profile* publications.

Data Sources:	Juvenile Information System, Survey	Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity	Agency:	California Department of Justice Bureau of Criminal Statistics Statistical Data Center 4949 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95820
Agency:	Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services Post Office Box 903427 Sacramento, CA 94203	Contact:	Quint Hegner (916) 739-5568
Contact:			
Monograph: Conspicuous Depredation: Automobile Theft in Los Angeles, 1904-1987			
<p>This publication examines the historical development of the automobile in California and associated crime patterns in motor vehicle theft in the city of Los Angeles from 1904-1987. Automobile thefts are placed into perspective with comparisons to other offense categories such as burglary and robbery, city population, automobile registrations, and police personnel. The number and percent of automobiles stolen and recovered, the length of time between theft and recovery are also discussed. Demographic information on the age of both juvenile and adult arrestees is presented. An "Automobile Timeline: Facts and Firsts" is a unique feature in this publication.</p>			
Data Sources:	Police Departments	Date of Completion:	12/1989
Agency:	Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services Post Office Box 903427 Sacramento, CA 94203	Contact:	Quint Hegner (916) 739-5568
Contact:			
Monograph: The Classification of White Collar Crime			
<p>This publication includes the results of a survey to select a definition of white collar crime and a list of specific crimes to include in a comprehensive index. The survey was distributed nationwide to prosecutors, judges, and investigators in state and Federal agencies.</p>			
Data Sources:	Survey	Date of Completion:	04/1989
Agency:	Bureau of Criminal Statistics and Special Services Post Office Box 903427 Sacramento, CA 94203	Contact:	Quint Hegner (916) 739-5568
Contact:			
Monthly Arrest and Citation Register			
<p>The Register is used by law enforcement agencies to report adult and/or juvenile arrest and/or citation activity for all crimes. Data elements</p>			
<p>include sex, date of birth, arrest date, level of charge, status, and disposition. Data collected by this reporting system is published in <i>Crime and Delinquency in California</i> and <i>Criminal Justice Profile</i> publications, and forwarded to the FBI for use in the annual publication, <i>Crime in the United States</i>.</p>			
Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Historical Trend Data	Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	California Department of Justice Bureau of Criminal Statistics Statistical Data Center 4949 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95820	Contact:	Jennie Barton (916) 739-5590
Contact:			
Violent Crimes Committed Against Senior Citizens			
<p>In accordance with California Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 64, California law enforcement agencies and the state Department of Justice are "requested" to provide the California legislature with statistical information concerning victims of violent crimes who are 60 years of age or older and who were victims of homicide, forcible rape, robbery, or aggravated assault.</p>			
Data Sources:	Police Departments, Sheriff Departments	Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	California Department of Justice Bureau of Criminal Statistics Statistical Data Center 4949 Broadway Sacramento, CA 95820	Contact:	Josie Allen (916) 739-5588
Contact:			
COLORADO			
Assessment of Community Corrections Regressions in Colorado			
<p>The SAC will study the characteristics of regressed/revoked offenders versus those who succeed and will identify what, if any, placement/preparation is provided and what opportunities and incentives can be implemented to increase program completion rates. A training package will be developed for Colorado community corrections boards. This study is funded by a National Institute of Corrections grant.</p>			
Data Sources:	CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Community Corrections Client Infomation	Date of Completion:	07/1990
Agency:	Division of Criminal Justice Department of Public Safety 700 Kipling Street Suite 3000 Denver, CO 80215	Contact:	Mary J. Mande (303) 239-4442
Contact:			

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Colorado Criminal Justice Commission

Effective July 1, 1989, the Division was legislatively mandated to staff the newly created 20-member Colorado Criminal Justice Commission. To address current Commission priorities of statewide sentencing laws and prison overcrowding, a working structure includes committees on (1) long-term sentencing options, (2) short-term sentencing options to relieve crowding, and (3) legislation review. The Division is responsible for staff support, provides training and resource materials, and conducts research and policy analysis.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Community Corrections

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Division of Criminal Justice
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Community Corrections Database

The Community Corrections database consists of information provided via a mail-in information form completed by community corrections program staff. The data provide client demographic information, offender needs, most serious charge and conviction offense, juvenile record, adult criminal history, entry and termination status, length of stay, service provided to the client, rearrest data, and fiscal information. Completed forms are submitted to the SAC on a monthly basis.

Data Sources: Community Corrections Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Court Data Collection

The SAC continues to collect data from felony case filings in Colorado's district courts. Beginning with the 1988 collection, the sample was increased from 10 percent to 20 percent and collected in 10 judicial districts. Data include offender demographics, offender needs, juvenile and adult criminal history, charge and conviction offense information, sentencing and placement information, and victim information if conviction offense is violent.

Data Sources: Courts, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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DCJ Bulletins

Two page bulletins are published periodically to report the results of court database analyses, public opinion surveys, classification/risk assessment studies, jail studies, etc. Each bulletin addresses a single issue, for example, "1989 Prison Population Projections" (March 1989) and "Public Attitudes about Crime Prevention" (June 1989).

Data Sources: OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Division of Criminal Justice Third Annual Conference: Recidivism, Surveillance, and Treatment

This was a one-day conference to which judges, district attorneys, public defenders, probation officers, community corrections directors and boards, parole officers, Department of Corrections administrators, college and university students, and citizen groups interested in recidivism and surveillance and treatment programs were invited. A broad national perspective on current correctional issues and trends leading to the focus on community options in a resource poor environment was presented by the keynote speaker. Brief presentations on recidivism in Colorado followed. The morning session ended with a workshop on "Surveillance and Treatment: Do They Complement or Constrain Each Other?" The afternoon program included four breakout panels: (1) "Substance Abuse," (2) "Electronic Monitoring," (3) "Sex Offender Treatment Practices," and (4) "Intensive Supervision Probation and Parole." The conference ended with a summary and closing remarks by the keynote speaker.

Date of Completion: 11/1989

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Implementing and Monitoring Parole Guidelines in Colorado

The SAC was mandated by the state legislature to staff the Colorado Parole Guidelines Commission and develop and validate an actuarial risk scale for Colorado inmates. The Guidelines, which include the use of the Colorado Risk Assessment Scale, have been developed and are being implemented by the Parole Board and the Department of Corrections with implementation training provided by the SAC.

Data Sources: Parole Guidelines Documentation

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Improving the Methodology for Obtaining Self-Reported Offending Rates from Prisoners

This self-reported crime research project, funded by the National Institute of Justice, involved administering two different inmate questionnaires under varying conditions. Questionnaires were administered to male and female inmates, confidentially and anonymously. A computerized interactive version of the questionnaire was developed, pre-tested and improved. Official record data will be used, where possible, in criterion validity testing.

Data Sources: CCH, Corrections Department, Survey, Inmate Questionnaires

Date of Completion: 10/1990

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Juvenile Diversion Database

The SAC collects basic termination information on juvenile diversion clients via a mail-in survey form submitted on a monthly basis by juvenile diversion program staff. Demographic information, referral charge information and prior arrest record, termination and re-arrest data, and information on programs provided are included on the survey form.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Prison Population Projections

Since 1986, the SAC has been legislatively mandated to prepare inmate population projections for the Colorado State Legislature. Projections are submitted to the Governor's Office and are based on data from the Division of Criminal Justice Court Database, the Department of Corrections Management Information Database, the State Demographer and the Judicial Department.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department; Judicial Department; State Demographer

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Recidivism and Risk Assessment Scale Validation

The SAC validated the Rand Selective Incapacitation and Iowa Risk Assessment Scales to assess their generalizability to Colorado with an emphasis on the use of risk assessments and, on the effect of missing data on predictive accuracy. The validation sample consisted of offenders released from prison and community corrections. Arrest records were checked for a two-year at-risk period. An outcome measure was constructed from the arrest data to assess their predictive accuracy.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Report on Impact of Legislation

The SAC provides impact analyses to legislators, and special and standing legislative committees on criminal justice issues. This includes population projections, prison capacity estimates, system capacity estimates, cost estimates, and other related studies.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Survey, CCH

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Risk Assessment Methods for Intermediate Correctional Sanctions

The SAC will conduct additional research on a risk-needs scale specifically for community corrections referrals to further develop and validate the criminal history risk scale currently being analyzed. The research will expand the community corrections sample and data collection to derive empirical predictors for Colorado's community corrections referrals.

Data Sources: CCH, DCJ Community Corrections Database, Community Corrections Client Files

Date of Completion: 07/1990

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Community Supervision Programs: Costs vs Public Safety

This activity will study community supervision programs, recidivism of offenders in the community, and the cost of public safety. Research objectives include constructing a risk profile on a 1986 cohort of offenders on parole, in community corrections, and on probation; estimating program specific recidivism rates; comparing risk level and recidivism within each program; estimating relative risk to the community represented by offenders between programs to estimate program incapacitation effect; estimating costs of over-incapacitation and under-incapacitation; and, contributing to a method for making decisions about offender placement that best serves interests of public safety and use of public funds.

Data Sources: CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, DCJ 1986 Inmate Database, DCJ Court Database, DCJ 1988 Community Corrections Database, CBI Criminal History Files

Date of Completion: 06/1989

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Adult OBTS

Samples of OBTS data are analyzed for cases completed in 1976-1977 and 1979-1980. There are 2000 cases per sample. There is also a 1983-84 sample consisting of approximately 2500 cases. The most recent effort resulted in the acquisition of a computer tape containing court processing information for all felony and misdemeanor cases disposed of from 7/1/87 through 6/30/88.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Policy & Management
Justice Planning Division
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Computer Simulation of Criminal Justice System Processing

The SAC improved and updated a computerized model of Connecticut's criminal justice system in order to develop new prison and jail population forecasts to the year 2000. The model has the capability to accommodate hypothetical or real changes to the system, and to alter projections accordingly.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Corrections Department, Courts, Connecticut Census Data Center

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Policy & Management
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Demographics Projections

This population projection project was jointly sponsored by the SAC unit and the Connecticut Census Data Center. Projections for Connecticut's population to the year 2010 will be established by age, sex, and race. The projections

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will then be used to update the simulation model used to project future criminal justice system caseloads.

Data Sources: Birth and Death Data, Motor Vehicle Data, School Enrollment Data, Medicare Enrollment Data

Date of Completion: 05/1989

Agency: Office of Policy & Management Justice Planning Division Statistical Analysis Center 80 Washington Street Hartford, CT 06106

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Family Violence Nolle Study

Connecticut's response to family violence changed dramatically on October 1, 1986, the effective date of new legislation which changed the way law enforcement and the courts handle family violence. The new legal mandate is intended to punish offenders and protect victims. This project will examine the factors involved in the decision to nolle family violence cases, and will include such factors as dual arrest, offender/victim relationship, offense type, involvement of alcohol or drugs, existence of protective orders, involvement of children, recommendations of family division, age/sex/race of offenders and victims, recommendations of victim advocate, other court actions, and prior history.

Data Sources: Courts, Prosecutors, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 09/1990

Agency: Office of Policy & Management Justice Planning Division Statistical Analysis Center 80 Washington Street Hartford, CT 06106

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Prison and Jail Overcrowding

This report outlines developments in overcrowding and alternatives to incarceration for a period of one year. The study also projects population growth, and recommends policies to alleviate future overcrowding.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Connecticut Census Data Center

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Policy & Management Justice Planning Division Statistical Analysis Center 80 Washington Street Hartford, CT 06106

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State of System Report

The SAC will review crime trends, arrests, criminal justice caseloads, system responses, juvenile justice, and funding for a five year period.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Juvenile Information System, Connecticut Census Data Centers

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Task Force on Justice for Abused Children/ Follow-up Focus Group

The SAC provided staff support to the Governor's Task Force on Justice for Abused Children. The Task Force was asked to develop comprehensive solutions which ensure a systematic, interagency response to serious physical abuse and sexual abuse of children. The final report of the Task Force was published in February, 1989. The SAC provides staff support to the follow-up Focus Group which is charged with developing a plan to implement the changes recommended by the task force. A three year plan is being developed, including plans for information sharing among criminal, civil, and child care agencies.

Data Sources: Courts, Juvenile Information System, Prosecutors, Department Of Children & Youth Services

Date of Completion: 05/1993

Agency: Office of Policy & Management Justice Planning Division Statistical Analysis Center 80 Washington Street Hartford, CT 06106

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Task Force Report on Family Violence

The SAC prepared a final report of the Governor's Task Force on Family Violence. Most of the recommendations were incorporated into legislation. The SAC has been monitoring the

implementation and impact of this legislation by chairing the Family Violence Interagency Response Committee. This committee meets quarterly and reviews family violence issues. The SAC also monitors the collection of family violence arrest statistics. A summary of those arrests is included in the annual report, "Crime in Connecticut."

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Juvenile Information System, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: 01/1989

Agency: Office of Policy & Management Justice Planning Division Statistical Analysis Center 80 Washington Street Hartford, CT 06106

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DELAWARE

Crime In Delaware, 1988

This activity, using the State Bureau of Identification, produces statewide and by county, aggregate crime reports. The SAC is the official clearinghouse for UCR data in the state. The reports are distributed within the criminal justice community and the news media. A quarterly update report is being planned as an addition to the annual publication.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center 60 The Plaza Dover, DE 19901

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Drugs in Delaware

Analysis of Delaware and national drug related issues are provided as needed for the Governor's Anti-Drug Abuse Committee and other state planning needs. Special analysis is being undertaken to display the distribution pattern of the types and weight of the seized drugs per case. Data entry and retrieval software has been developed for the Medical Examiner's Office for drug exhibits.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Courts, CCH, Corrections Department, Prosecutors, Medical Examiners Data

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
60 The Plaza
Dover, DE 19901
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Impact of Truth in Sentencing on Jail and Prison Population

This research provides decisionmakers with an analysis of the anticipated impact of determinate sentencing legislation on the jail and prison populations. Based on sentencing committee findings, three sets of sentencing assumptions are simulated.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Corrections Department, Courts
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Jail and Prison Population Forecast

Jail (less than one year sentence) and prison (greater than one year sentence) population projections are calculated using a "components of change" methodology by gender and type of crime. Criminal justice officials establish the assumptions for the forecast.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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OBTS for BJS

This project produces an annual disposition year Offender-Based Transaction Statistics (OBTS) data tape for the U.S. Department of Justice, Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS). A local SAC tape is produced at the same time. The local tape includes criminal code title and section and local system disposition codes.

Data Sources: CCH, OBTS
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Dover, DE 19901
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Prison/Jail Flow

This activity creates files of prison/jail flow data. Files are backloaded to January 1980. This system includes individual detained admissions, detained releases, jail admissions, jail releases, prison admissions, and prison releases. Fields have common names and can be merged into a master file to track individual state bureau ID numbers through the flow. This data is being developed as a database for the proposed jail/prison forecast.

Data Sources: Corrections Department
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Sentac Assessment/Evaluation

The SAC contributed the system evaluation portion of the annual SENTAC evaluation.

Data Sources: CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Court/SENTAC Worksheets
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Dover, DE 19901
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Sentencing Studies

Two studies produced in 1989 explained (1) the change in non-violent misdemeanor sentencing under SENTAC and (2) the increasing pattern of jail time for probation violation cases.

Data Sources: Corrections Department
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
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officials and the public about current research and initiatives aimed at curtailing the District's drug problem.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Courts, Prosecutors, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Plans & Analysis
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Washington, DC 20005
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Crime and Justice Report for the District of Columbia

The SAC report presents statistical charts and graphs that describe the activities and outcomes covering the different stages through which cases are processed. The data are presented in an order that parallels the actual flow of cases through the criminal justice system. *The Crime and Justice Report* is a complete statistical profile of the District's criminal justice system. The report compiles data from various agencies and information systems within the District's criminal justice system and tracks the flow of individuals through these agencies. Reported in the book are five year trend data, when possible, to facilitate meaningful analysis.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Pretrial Service Agency

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Plans & Analysis
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DC Criminal Justice Management Information System

The SAC project involves the development of a management information system which provides monthly summary statistics on crime and arrest data, prosecution and court data, manpower and budget data, and effectiveness measures.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Center for Drug Information

The SAC distributes data on the District of Columbia's criminal justice system in a monthly publication entitled "Drug Bulletin." The purpose of this is to inform DC government

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA-FLORIDA

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Drug Abuse and Crime in the District of Columbia

The SAC published a report to address the problem of crime and drug abuse in DC. The study examines the scope of the drug abuse problem using several indices of illicit drug use and presents a profile of the drug user in the District by examining socio-demographic data of those entering the criminal justice system.

Data Sources: Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, DC Commission of Public Health/DAWN/ADASA

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Female Offenders in Washington, DC

This report will utilize various research methods in gathering data on the status of female offenders in the District of Columbia. Through analysis of archival data, interviews with female offenders, and surveys of case jackets, the SAC will analyze situational factors of females incarcerated in the District so that their needs can be assessed and met.

Data Sources: Survey, Courts, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Female Offender Interviews

Date of Completion: 12/1990

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FLORIDA

1987 Florida Drug Offender Profile Study

This study summarizes the criminal histories and demographics of all felony offenders

arrested for the sale or possession of drugs in the state during calendar year 1987.

Data Sources: CCH

Date of Completion: 02/1989

Agency: FL Department of Law Enforcement
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1989 Florida Drug Offender Profile Study

This study will detail demographic and criminal characteristics of those offenders arrested for a felony drug offense during calendar year 1989. Data will be partitioned by drug activity for specific types of drugs.

Date of Completion: 05/1990

Agency: FL Department of Law Enforcement
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Criminal Justice Library

A library containing statistical documents on the Florida criminal justice system is continually maintained and upgraded.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, BJS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Database Work: Criminal Justice, Demographic, Economics

The SAC has quarterly time series data for each of Florida's 67 counties and state totals which are available in ASCII format (1980-present), and are pertinent to applied statistical analysis of the criminal justice system. The database includes demographic data (age, race, sex), employment and unemployment rates, and a detailed UCR arrest database broken out by 54 demographic variables. Other UCR time series data is also available.

Data Sources:

UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Bureau of Econ and Demographic Research

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Directory of Automated Law Enforcement Information Systems

Published every other year, the directory details automated law enforcement agencies, and describes software used and functions performed. A section of the directory is devoted to automated information systems and the impact on law enforcement.

Data Sources: Police Departments

Date of Completion: 06/1989

Agency: FL Department of Law Enforcement
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Florida Career Criminal Study

The study highlights the activity of career criminals, and will try to identify characteristics of this population. This study is intended to aid the Florida Department of Law Enforcement in providing tactical lists.

Data Sources: CCH, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: 03/1989

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Florida SAC Criminal Justice Newsletter

The SAC publishes a quarterly newsletter which describes the SAC's research studies, new databases, advancements and research capabilities of the SAC, and pertinent studies (especially from the Bureau of Justice Statistics).

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, BJS, Florida SAC Research Studies

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Florida Statistical Analysis Center Criminal Justice Database

The SAC has created a criminal justice database directory to provide criminal justice researchers with a detailed description of the types of data that are available through the Florida SAC.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH,
Demographic Information,
Economic Information

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Florida's Population Influx

The SAC developed Florida's Population Influx which captures the non-resident population influx in each of Florida's 67 counties on a monthly basis. The SAC will produce current population influx figures during the spring of each year to disseminate to public and private entities.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Department of Revenue (Sales Tax Data),
Department of Commerce and Demographic

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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GEORGIA

Computerized Criminal Investigative Task Force Support

Analysts and programmers are assigned to ad hoc major case task forces to provide on-site computerized criminal investigative support. All products of these efforts are formatted and coded for entry in a special database.

Data Sources: CCH, Jail Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Case File Summaries, Polygraphs, Officer Records

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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General Computerized Criminal Investigative Support

Analysts produce ranked listings of possible suspects or vehicles involved in high priority investigations by state and local law enforcement agencies.

Data Sources: CCH, AFIS, OBSCIS, Police Departments, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, State Motor Vehicle Files

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Special Criminal Investigative Data Analysis Projects

Telephone toll record information is analyzed to provide investigative leads or corroborative evidence on drug trafficking conspiracy cases for prosecutors. The information establishes criminal relationships and patterns of criminal activity.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Corrections Department, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Case File Summaries, Polygraphs

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Studies and Reports by Request

Selected reports on crime and arrest data are produced by request from UCR and CCH databases.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, OBSCIS, Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS)

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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UCR Reporting

Data sets have been developed for statewide, regional, and countywide use of the incident-based reporting system of the UCR program. Output reports are produced by request, e.g., specific time periods, time of day, day of week, type of crime. This data is published annually in a report titled, *Georgia Criminal Justice Data*.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Corrections Department, Courts, Probation/Parole, Georgia Dept. of Public Safety, Georgia Bureau of Investigation

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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HAWAII

Civil ID Impersonation Study

The HCJDC is conducting a study on Civil ID impersonation attempts from 1984 to 1988. The objectives of this study are: 1) to identify common factors among the impersonation offenders; 2) to determine basic motivations behind the impersonation attempts; 3) to determine if the 1986 statutory amendment changing the legal drinking age from 18 to 21 is a major factor behind the attempts; 4) to analyze the final dispositions and sentences of adult and juvenile impersonators.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Police Departments

Date of Completion: 01/1989

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HAWAII-IDAHO

Felony Offender Tracking

The project is intended to track offenders arrested in 1981 for selected felony offenses from police to corrections. Several reports are expected to be published covering such areas as fallout, time lapses, and sentencing. The project is also intended to check and update data on the OBTS/CCH file of the Data Center.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: 03/1989

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Juvenile Offenders in Hawaii

The study had three main objectives: 1) Determine the number of juveniles arrested by geographic location of offender. 2) Determine the number of juveniles arrested where the offense was committed under the influence of drugs or alcohol. 3) Identify common factors in the backgrounds of violent juvenile offenders.

Data Sources: OBTS, Police Departments

Date of Completion: 03/1989

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Parole Recidivism Study

This is a recidivism study on inmates who were released on parole during 1983 - 1986. It will study the characteristics of those re-arrested versus those who were not re-arrested. The study will also compare the number of re-arrests for inmates who were granted "early parole" as a result of the American Civil Liberty Union's effort to reduce prison overcrowding versus inmates who were granted "normal parole."

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: 07/1989

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Probation and Recidivism

The study reported on re-arrest rates for probationers. It presented information on the characteristics of the probationer, and prior and post-criminal histories. It made recommendations on items requiring further study.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: 04/1989

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Rape in Hawaii: Ten-Year Crime Trends

The rape study analyzes trends in offenses, rates, arrests, and clearances by county during the ten-year period 1979-1988. Offenses and rates are compared to comparable statistics for the nation and Western states. Seasonality of offenses is analyzed. Offenses are broken down into their components of completed acts and attempted rapes by county.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 03/1990

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UCR Annual Report

A summary of crime in Hawaii is presented in an annual report.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 05/1990

IDAHO

Anti-Drug Abuse Task Force Evaluations

The SAC has been designated as the state agency responsible for developing and implementing the evaluation process in support of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act grant funds. This report will focus on task force evaluation using information collected by survey for each case initiated.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Child Sexual Abuse Study

The SAC has initiated a project to determine the nature and extent of child abuse in Idaho as well as case outcomes and perpetrator profiles. The research project is aimed at developing information which will be of value in increasing public awareness and affecting criminal justice agency policy.

Data Sources: Prosecutors, Survey

Date of Completion: 06/1989

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Drug Abuse Trends

The SAC is responsible for collecting statistics which will give an indication of the nature and extent of the drug abuse problem in the state. To this point, information has been collected from drug abuse treatment centers, 24-hour emergency centers (drug related incidents), and state forensic lab toxicology reports

(again, drug related incidents). With data from other sources (State Bureau of Narcotics, county task forces, UCR, etc.), a picture of drug abuse extent and trend may be drawn.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Drug Treatment Centers, Hospital Emergency Rooms,

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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LAN Management (Local Area Network)

The SAC is responsible for training and management of a 13 station local area network which is being utilized by the support services bureau which houses the SAC. Management involves maintaining system function, system upgrades, and training staff in LAN use. Training involves instructing users in software applications. In addition, SAC staff researches and selects new software and acts as a resource for its use.

Data Sources: In-House and Vendors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Microcomputer Reference Guide

The intent of the guide, which lists personal computer hardware/software by sheriff's offices and police departments statewide, is to assist those agencies who are contemplating new purchases or upgrades to make the most effective, cost-efficient decisions. The document will be mailed to 124 agencies whether they participate in the survey or not, and will be updated annually.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 06/1989

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Survey of Responses to Calls for Service

Information is being collected from dispatch logs in 4 counties (which are characterized by large, rural geographical area and which have county sheriffs offices staffed by a small number of commissioned officers) to determine type of incident, response time, and seasonal variation. Data will be evaluated and a report will be issued to characterize the findings and offer alternative policy suggestions to increase efficiency in the use of limited manpower resources.

Data Sources: Dispatch Logs

Date of Completion: 06/1990

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ILLINOIS

Annual Audit of the Department of State Police (DSP) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) Database

This project is one of a series of annual audits of the DSP CCH database to investigate the completeness and accuracy of criminal history information. This year's audit will focus on information coming into the system (e.g., prosecution, court disposition, and incarceration).

Data Sources: CCH, Corrections Department, Police Departments, State Police Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Area-Wide Law Enforcement Radio Terminal System

This system provides mobile (in-car) data terminal capabilities on a subscription basis to law enforcement agencies in Northeastern Illinois. Message switching to national, state, and local databases is supported as well as on-line status information, network message switching, and voiceless dispatching of calls for police services.

Data Sources: Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Correctional Institution Management Information System (CIMIS)

CIMIS is one of three information systems developed and implemented by the Authority. It is designed for local and/or state correctional agencies and provides solutions to a variety of information problems. Features of the system include: (1) management reports, (2) information searches, (3) property logs, (4) housing records, (5) medical information, (6) movement histories, (7) release records, and (8) bond/discharge information.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Criminal History Advisories

A series of advisories describes various aspects of the state's criminal history record information program. These include: the Illinois facsimile network, the computerized criminal history system, and the uniform disposition reporting law.

Data Sources: CCH, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Criminal History Record Information Audits

The SAC conducts record information annual audits of the state's repositories for criminal history aimed at ensuring the quality, privacy, and security of this information. Findings and recommendations are used by the repositories to improve the collection, maintenance, and dissemination of CHRI.

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Data Sources: CCH

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Criminal Justice Directory

The Criminal Justice Directory will enable the agency to rapidly access a large database (consisting of criminal justice personnel, legislators, sheriffs, state's attorneys, and others) in the creation of specific mass mailing lists and labels. A directory of the database will be published as an informational aid.

Data Sources: Survey, Official Sources

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Criminal Justice Information Requests

The Information Resource Center serves as a clearinghouse to criminal justice officials, other agencies, and the public for data or statistics, reports, referrals, and general information related to the criminal and juvenile justice systems, particularly in Illinois. IRC staff handle approximately 50 requests for information and statistics per month. This center also provides technical assistance in the interpretation and utilization of criminal justice data and maintains a reference library.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Criminal Justice Resources and Expenditures

Authority staff will determine the cost of criminal justice in Illinois, expenditures, employment, sources of funds by level of government

(local, state, county), and by function (law enforcement, courts, corrections). They will analyze the relationship between activity levels and resource levels.

Data Sources: IL Comptrollers Office
Expenditure Data, BJS, National Financial Data, State Agency Budget Data, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Other Unemployment Data, Gross State Product Data

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Drug Information Network

The Drug Information Network is a counterpart to the agencies disseminating State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance Act (SLLEAA) funds to combat the drug problem in Illinois. Staff seek to obtain data from both criminal justice and non-criminal justice (e.g., treatment agencies, hospitals, schools) agencies. That data is then synthesized for use in determining the nature and extent of Illinois' drug problem. Data is distributed to 1) Federal agencies, 2) state and local agencies, and 3) citizens of Illinois (via ICJA's *Trends and Issues* publication).

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Electronically Monitored House Arrest

This project's objective is to collect information on the concept and application of electronic monitoring as an alternative to incarceration in Illinois and across the nation. The SAC will disseminate this information to criminal justice officials and act as an information resource regarding electronic monitoring.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Sheriff Departments, Courts, IL Agencies Administering Electronic Monitoring

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Federal Assistance Programs

The Office of Federal Assistance Programs oversees Federal assistance programs administered by the Authority, including the Justice Assistance Act, the Victims of Crime Act, the State and Local Law Enforcement Assistance Act, and the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Geographic Research

Geographic research supports the space module of the STAC (Spatial and Temporal Analysis of Crime) package developed by the SAC, and searches for and describes "hot spots" of dense activity on a map of law enforcement data. The current goal is to continue to test the "hot spot" capability in the field in relation to the "isocrime" and to tests of significance.

Data Sources: Police Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Homicide Research

The SAC maintains and disseminates, through the Criminal Justice Archive, a 17 year data set of all 13,000 homicides in Chicago. In addition, the SAC developed the Victim Level Murder File (VLM) which corrects a basic problem in Supplementary Homicide Report data. The VLM for Illinois (incident level) is now available from 1973 through 1983, but we hope to update it as part of the SASS project. SAC staff have published numerous reports, articles in journals, and one book based on analyses of these data, and more work is in progress.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Illinois Telefax: Fingerprint Facsimile Network Project

The Authority coordinates the operation of 46 statewide fingerprint facsimile sites. Law enforcement agencies use the equipment to transmit offender fingerprints to the State Bureau of Identification, and to receive positive identification and criminal history record information.

Data Sources: CCH

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Illinois Uniform Crime Reports Conversion Project

The SAC currently maintains 14 years of Illinois UCR data (1972-1985). The I-UCR conversion project is aimed at developing a process by which these data series can be transformed and stored in-house, which would allow for continuous updating and easy retrieval for research projects and information requests.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Information System Technology

Through its information technology unit, the Authority seeks to identify the most efficient and cost effective hardware and software available to meet criminal justice agency needs. This effort includes technology research, system development, system support, and technical assistance.

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Office of Federal Assistance Programs

Illinois regularly receives VOCA, JAA, and SLLEA funds. The Office of Federal Assistance Programs (OFAP) coordinates Illinois' use of such funds by 1) identifying and approving applicant agencies, 2) monitoring and evaluating fund usage, and 3) maintaining federal funding source agencies.

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PIMS Mapping

The Police Information Management System (PIMS) is an interactive network developed and operated by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority (ICJIA) for the on-line storage and retrieval of police record information. One of the features of PIMS is the capacity to map address related data (e.g., incident reports) stored in the database. This constitutes a significant enhancement of police analytical and tactical tools and could facilitate more strategic deployment of police resources.

Data Sources: Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Police Training Board Information System

The Illinois local government law enforcement training board is mandated to coordinate the training of local law enforcement officers throughout the state. The PTB information system was developed to support the administrative process of the board.

Data Sources: Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Prediction of Prison Admissions

The SAC will be investigating the feasibility of producing more accurate projections of new admissions to Illinois prisons than are currently available. The project will build on the SAC's foundation of time series analysis expertise.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Corrections Department, Courts, Census and other population sources

Date of Completion: 07/1989

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Rapid Automated Prosecution System (RAPS)

The RAPS project involves the development and implementation of an information system to address the needs of county prosecutors. RAPS supports automatic generation of case documentation/correspondence including: production of information, indictments, motions, orders, subpoenae, victim/witness letters, and warrants. This system also includes a case-tracking function.

Data Sources: Prosecutors, Courts, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Repeat Offender Project (ROP)

ROP is a database which tracks serious offenders since release from Illinois prison. Their entire criminal histories as reported on CCH have been entered to the ROP database. The CCH system will be scanned periodically to provide updates on the cohort. The study is also assessing the quality of data on CCH and the use of CCH as a research tool.

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Data Sources: CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, OBTS, Prisoner Review Board

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Requests for Information and Statistics

The staff of the Information Resource Center answers approximately 65 requests for data, information, and technical assistance monthly. Typical requestors are legislative offices, criminal justice agencies, researchers, students, the media, and the public.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, Authority Library, In-House Data Sets, Research Publications

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Research Support

The SAC provides expert advice in statistical and research methods on request from local, state, and national criminal justice agencies and researchers. It will, on request, review the design of a proposed research project, and advise on appropriate methodology for the problem at hand.

Data Sources: Data Sources depend on the issues

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Serious Offender Project(s)

Several federally funded programs are aimed at improving the identification and processing

of Illinois' repeat offenders. These efforts include an upgrade and expansion of the state's fingerprint facsimile network, the development and implementation of a uniform offender identification policy, and the improvement of criminal history record information for such offenders.

Data Sources: CCH, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Statistical Array Storage System (SASS)

SASS, an on-line database, is being designed as a system to store and access many data sets relating to criminal justice in Illinois. SASS will also be amenable to various software applications so that the data may be accessed interactively and processed and reported in a multitude of formats.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Corrections Department, Juvenile Information System, Census, Public Safety, Public Health

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Statistical Methods for Time Series Analysis and Projections

The SAC searches for, investigates, and tests statistical software packages and other statistical and research tools that support the analysis of time series, both the description of the past and the prediction of the future. The SAC has developed the TSPAT (Time Series Pattern Description) package for describing patterns over time, and continues to disseminate both a mainframe and a PC version. The SAC has published a number of methodological guides and user's manuals on various aspects of time series, and handles numerous requests for advice from researchers and analysts.

Data Sources: Any Time Series

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Telefax Network

The Authority's Telefax Network Project involves a system of fingerprint telefacsimile equipment located throughout the state at local law enforcement agencies. The network was created to facilitate the transfer of positive offender identification and criminal history record information (CHRI) between local agencies and the state and Federal repositories for CHRI. The Authority oversees the operation of the network, provides assistance and information to local agencies, and operates and maintains data which is used to evaluate the efficiency of the network.

Data Sources: CCH, Police Departments, Prosecutors, Probation/Parole, Sheriff Departments

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The Compiler

The Authority publishes a quarterly newsletter called *The Compiler*. The newsletter covers both the work of the Authority and issues related to criminal justice in Illinois. There were approximately 30,000 copies circulated in 1989.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Criminal Justice Agencies, Agency Work, Staff Reporting, Research

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Trends & Issues: Criminal & Juvenile Justice in Illinois

Trends & Issues is an annual publication of the Authority containing information on all components of Illinois' Criminal Justice System. The

focus of the book is on past and future trends in the system and on current issues. The 1990 edition focuses on how the criminal justice system in Illinois is financed. The 1991 edition will focus on the relationship of educational and criminal systems in Illinois.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, BJS

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Uniform Disposition Reporting (UDR) Act Implementation and Monitoring

The recently enacted Illinois Uniform Disposition Reporting (UDR) Act defines the criminal history disposition reporting responsibilities of criminal justice agencies. This project is designed to provide agencies with information and direction concerning the Act and to assure full implementation.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

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types of disciplinary actions being recommended by school authorities for various drug incidents.

Data Sources: School Corporations

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Development of Incident-Based Reporting (IBR) in Indiana

During 1988, the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute received a two-year grant to implement an incident-based crime reporting system in the state. The Center is managing the project. A policy advisory board was formed to provide advice and guidance to the Institute and Center. Committees are being formed to determine which data elements will be included in the IBR system to develop software for managing and reporting IBR data, and to organize IBR training for law enforcement officers and reporting agencies.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Evaluations of Projects Funded under the Federal Anti-Drug Abuse Program

During 1987-1988, Indiana used Anti-Drug Abuse funds to support apprehension, crime lab enhancement, rehabilitation and treatment, and other projects throughout its criminal justice system. The Center for Criminal Justice Research and Information is coordinating formal evaluations of three of these projects: 1) two multi-jurisdictional drug task forces with different organizational and management structures, 2) an intensive supervision probation project for nonviolent drug offenders, and 3) a computer-assisted substance abuse identification and treatment project being implemented in the Department of Corrections. The task force evaluation report is available. The intensive supervision probation evaluation report will be available in the fall.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Identifying Criminal Justice Practitioner Research Needs

The Center continues to document the research and training needs of criminal justice practitioners in the state. This effort provides a basis for identifying critical research needs and formulating budget appropriation requests to the legislature. It also helps coordinate resources to meet the research needs of other criminal justice agencies. Departing from the mail survey approach tried in 1988, the Center is conducting in-depth interviews with key actors in criminal justice agencies in the state to do an inventory and prepare summary descriptions of research problems and needs. These descriptions will be used to periodically produce a report on criminal justice research needs in the state.

Data Sources: Survey, Interviews

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Micro-Computer Seminar and Resource Directory for Law Enforcement

In cooperation with the Indiana Sheriff's Association and the Indiana Association of Chiefs of Police, the Center sponsored a two-day seminar on micro-computer technology for law enforcement and other criminal justice professionals. SEARCH Group, Inc. presented the seminar to about 70 participants from various parts of the state. The seminar was held in response to a survey of law enforcement computer needs that was conducted earlier in the year. The information from the survey was used to prepare a hardware and software resource

INDIANA

Analyzing School Drug-Incident Data

In January of 1989, legislation was enacted requiring public school corporations to report information to the state about drug incidents occurring within 1,000 feet of school grounds. Since then, over 700 incidents involving the possession, consumption, or dealing of alcohol and drugs have been reported by Indiana school officials. The Center is analyzing data from these reports to learn more about the prevalence of drugs in Indiana schools and the

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directory that was distributed to law enforcement agencies throughout the state. The survey, seminar, and directory were designed to support planning for the development of a state-wide incident-based reporting system.

Data Sources: Police Departments Sheriff Departments
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Participation in National Drug Consortium

Data gathered in the project is helping Indiana gain a better understanding of drug problems within its boundaries and develop strategies for dealing with these problems. Quarterly data for 1986, 1987, 1988 and the first two quarters of 1989 are available for crime labs. Quarterly operations data are available for 1988 and the first two quarters of 1989 for Indiana's multi-jurisdictional drug task forces operating in the state during 1988. The report is based on the quarterly data and a survey of task force directors conducted in the fall of 1989.

Data Sources: Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Police Departments, Survey
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Planning for Information Systems Development in the Department of Correction

The staff of the Center provided technical assistance to the Information Management Systems Division in its efforts to prepare a long-range information system plan for the Department of Correction (DOC). A series of three structured brainstorming sessions were held with DOC upper management personnel to identify and rank priority information needs in twelve functional areas. In addition, in-depth interviews were conducted with groups of DOC personnel representing each of the twelve functional areas. The long-range plan, based on the

results of brainstorming sessions and interviews, is now being prepared. It will serve as a blueprint for the development of information systems in DOC over the next five years.

Data Sources: Corrections Department
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Preparing Drug Data Compendium

The Center is preparing a compendium of information on data pertaining to drug activity, enforcement, and treatment in Indiana. Relying primarily on secondary data sources, the compendium will display trends in drug activity over the last several years. It will also provide summary information about the source of the data elements for which data are available and methodological limitations of the data. The compendium is intended to support the efforts of the Governor's Commission For a Drug Free Indiana to assess the scope of the problem in the state and develop strategies for dealing with it.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, School Surveys, DEA, Board Of Health
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Tracking Juveniles Released from Indiana Boys' School

At the request of the Task Force on Juvenile Institutions, the Center is conducting a study on juveniles released from the Indiana Boys' School (IBS). The primary purpose of the study is to determine the extent to which juveniles released from the IBS recidivate as measured by their subsequent incarceration in the juvenile or adult correctional systems of the state. Another purpose is to provide members of the task force with summary information about juveniles incarcerated at the IBS and the types of programming they have received while incarcerated. The study involves gathering demographic, social history, criminal history, and programming data for a sample of 382 juveniles released from the IBS over the last five years

and tracking their subsequent contact with the Corrections Department.

Data Sources: Corrections Department
Date of Completion: 04/1990
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Justice Statistics Update

The *Justice Statistics Update* is prepared and distributed periodically to provide issue-specific information to policymakers, justice system practitioners, and others. Each volume of the *Update* will cover a topic of current relevance in Iowa's justice system and will present data from various sources.

Data Sources: Data Sources differ depending on Issues
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
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Crime and Justice in Iowa—A Statistical Overview

The *Statistical Overview* was prepared to provide policymakers, justice system practitioners, and others with a source of comprehensive, Iowa-specific information about the criminal justice system. It attempts to answer commonly asked questions and provides data on a wide variety of justice system issues and operations.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Probation/Parole, Survey, UCR/IBR
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Criminal and Juvenile Justice Advisory Council Support

On an ongoing basis, policy analysis and issue-specific research is conducted to assist this statutory council as it carries out its planning and data coordination activities.

Data Sources: AFIS, CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, OBSCIS, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR, Data Sources differ depending on Issues

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Drug Offender Processing Study

In cooperation with the Bureau of Justice Assistance and the Criminal Justice Statistics Association, Iowa is a member of a consortium of states working to assist the Federal government in the collection, analysis, and reporting of information related to various state and national drug control and system improvement initiatives. Iowa's participation includes the compilation of data describing system processing for all persons arrested for a felony drug offense in 1986.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: 03/1990

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Juvenile Institution Substance Abuse Program Evaluation

This program evaluation is designed to produce a descriptive analysis of a specially-funded substance abuse treatment program administered at the state's two juvenile institutions. Client outcome/follow-up data will also be collected and analyzed.

Data Sources: Courts, Health Related Facilities, Juvenile Information System, Survey

Date of Completion: 09/1990

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Prison Population Analysis

On a routine basis the Iowa SAC analyzes the demographic and criminal histories of the prison population, in part, to suggest changes in sentencing patterns and parole practices.

Data Sources: OBSCIS, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Sentencing Patterns in Iowa

Data are submitted monthly to the SAC by 99 Clerks of the Court, covering sentences and dispositions for serious and aggravated misdemeanors and all felonies.

Data Sources: Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Division of Criminal and Juvenile Justice Planning
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KANSAS

Crime in Kansas

Crime data is analyzed for the state and presented in an annual report.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments,

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Incident-Based Reporting System

The SAC manages the Incident-Based Reporting System (IBRS) which will be the foundation of a transactional reporting system for the entire justice process.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Justice System Directory

The directory is published every two years and includes phone numbers and addresses of all justice related agencies in the state.

Data Sources: Survey, Courts, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Probation Data System

The system was developed for the Office of Judicial Administration. This information system is designed to provide management data on individuals assigned to probation by the district (state) courts.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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KENTUCKY

Attorney General's Task Force on Drunken Driving

The SAC provides a variety of support services for the Task Force, including the publication of the Task Force Report containing recommendations for the reduction of drunken driving.

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Data Sources:	Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR	Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Federal Drug Enforcement Agency, Social Services (KY)	Data Sources:	CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR
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Criminal Justice Information Clearinghouse

The clearinghouse contains local, state, and Federal research and statistical data reports. The documents have been abstracted and catalogued according to title, author, and subject areas within a computerized data retrieval program. Materials on a wide variety of criminal justice topics have been collected.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, NCJRS
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
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Kentucky Uniform Crime Report—Uniform Offense Project: An Analysis of Incident-Based Data

The SAC will conduct an analysis using incident-based reporting data.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR
Date of Completion:	05/1989
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State and Local Assistance for Narcotics Control Program: Data Narrative and Tables

Data were collected and analyzed for the 1987, 1988, and 1989 report to BJA from the drug strategy enforcement task force.

LOUISIANA

Attitudinal Survey of Criminal Justice Professionals: Appropriate Punishment

This study assesses the level of consensus among criminal justice professionals in Louisiana relative to the most appropriate punishments for specific descriptions of criminal behavior. The study also assesses the availability of various sanction types across the state, the level of utilization, and the desire for sanction types not currently available. The study is being used in support of the work of the Louisiana Sentencing Commission as an indicator of key actor acceptance of various sanction types.

Data Sources:	Survey
Date of Completion:	06/1989
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Computer-Based Forecasting Policy Simulation Models

In order to support the SAC's extensive policy analysis responsibilities, the agency has obtained and/or developed several forecasting and simulation technologies. Among the technologies currently in place are: Correctional System Simulation Model (Mainframe—Monte Carlo discrete event), Structured Sentencing Simulation (PC Monte Carlo), JUSSUM II (Mainframe—Linear Branching), IMPACT (PC—Aggregate), Community Corrections Planning Model (PC), and Corrections Components of Change Model. A juvenile corrections Monte Carlo Discrete event model is currently under development.

Correctional Simulation/Policy Impact Project

A comprehensive correctional system simulation model (state and parish prisons, probation, and parole) was developed and came on-line January 1, 1986. The purpose of this program is to attach policy impact statements to all proposed policy and statutory changes relative to operational costs, program changes, numbers of inmates affected, and construction. These impact statements are presented to legislators and policymakers as they consider relevant changes.

Data Sources:	CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department
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Correctional System Status Report

The Correctional System Status Report provides decisionmakers with key indicators of correctional system performance. The report is published monthly and includes a standardized set of key indicators and a highlight section where a specific aspect of the correctional system is analyzed in detail.

Data Sources:	Corrections Department, OBTS, Probation/Parole, Sheriff Departments
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
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Criminal Justice Information Clearinghouse

The SAC maintains a library of criminal justice statistical research and substantive information for dissemination to state and local criminal justice agencies. Also, special research programs and issue packages are prepared on request. Finally, technical assistance and training are provided on the collection, analysis, and use of statistical information. A newsletter is published by the clearinghouse.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, BJS, NIJ

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Directory of Automated Law Enforcement Systems

The Directory will be initially compiled for fiscal year 1990 and published in alternate years thereafter. It will contain descriptions of the hardware, software, and communications capability associated with each system, as well as the tasks performed and their impact on local agency operations.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Felony Sentence Tracking System

The Felony Sentence Tracking System is being developed to monitor the implementation of Louisiana's sentencing guideline system. Data from the system will be used in support of the SAC's policy analysis, justice system simulation modeling, and legislative support functions.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Felony Sentencing Study

The felony sentencing study is a detailed analysis of 5,000 cases (randomly selected-stratified by judicial district) giving rise to felony sentences in 1987. Data was collected from original (primary) sources and cross checked against state databases. The data collected on each case include: specific behavior descriptions, type and level of victim harm, specific victim and offender characteristics, drug/alcohol abuse history, weapon use (what weapon, how used, by whom), and a detailed record of the criminal justice processing decisions from arrest to sentencing. This information will be used in the development of sentencing guidelines, in conducting policy analysis on proposed changes to criminal justice law or policy, and to evaluate current state criminal justice policies.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments

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Governor's Criminal Justice Policy Task Force

The SAC serves as staff to the Governor's Criminal Justice Policy Task Force. Information provided includes empirical research on specific aspects of criminal justice system performance, evaluation of pilot programs under consideration for statewide implementations, and analysis of proposed changes to criminal justice law or policy.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR

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JJDP Compliance Monitoring

Data is analyzed from three independent, cross validating sources in order to monitor the state's compliance with the separation, jail removal, and deinstitutionalization mandates of the JJDP Act. This information, coupled with annual onsite inspections and interviews, is used to prepare the compliance reports required by OJJDP. The information is further analyzed with policy recommendations made to local officials as to how the state may better meet the requirements of the JJDP Act.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Survey, On Site Data Collection

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Juvenile Justice Data Book

This program analyzes data relative to the handling of juvenile offenders. Major types of data collected are offender characteristics, court processes, treatment programs (types/characteristics) and placement patterns. This reference work is used for JJDP planning and to make revisions to the Code of Juvenile Procedure, as well as legislative and policy recommendations.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Local Criminal Justice Information Systems Program

Technical assistance is offered to local criminal justice departments in the areas of information systems requirements, feasibility studies, bid specifications and review, implementation, and on-going systems planning. Also, training is provided through major state organizations (Sheriff, District Attorney, Chiefs of Police). Finally, the SAC staff operates a software clearinghouse for local justice agencies. They serve on information systems committees for the Sheriff and District Attorney.

Data Sources: Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Louisiana Incident-Based Uniform Crime Reporting System

The SAC began work on the pilot implementation of an enhanced incident-based Uniform Crime Reporting System in November 1989. The purpose of the pilot project is to develop the software and infrastructure necessary for statewide implementation, and to document the utility of the system for local, state, and Federal level policymakers. Initial plans call for interfacing the IBR system with the SAC's various policy simulation models in order to improve the reliability and validity of the policy impact statements currently utilized by the Governor and the legislature in considering changes to criminal justice law and policy.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Louisiana Sentencing Commission

This activity provides empirical research and analysis in support of the Sentencing Commission. The focus of the effort is to provide policymakers with a clear understanding of how the state justice system processes and sentences felony offenders. This information is then used to determine what needs to be changed, how it needs to be changed, and what effect a proposed change will have on the entire system.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, OBTS, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Louisiana Statute Digest

This is a handbook which includes all criminal/traffic laws and procedures for use by line field personnel (police, probation/parole officers) and in training field personnel. It is updated annually to reflect all pertinent legislative changes.

Data Sources: Legislative Resume

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Parish Prison Information System

This program collects summary and OBTS data (headcount by type of offender/received-released) from every parish prison in Louisiana. This data is analyzed and published quarterly. It is used to: (1) monitor compliance with Federal Consent Decrees relative to prison conditions, (2) plan the expansion/renovation of local prison facilities, (3) manage the state inmate prison population, and (4) support special policy studies relating to parish prisons.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, OBTS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Parole Risk Assessment Model

This program is designed to provide the parole board with case by case information to assist

the members in making individual parole decisions. The system will also be utilized to assist the parole board in evaluating its decision making process and criteria.

Data Sources: OBSCIS, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Peace Officer Training Database

This is a program in development to convert the manual records of the Post Council to an automated database (micro). The system will track each officer certified by the Post Council by name, age, race, dates of employment/law enforcement agency, basic training date, academy, test scores and dates, and test scores of veterans. Once developed, the system will be used for evaluation research and management/administration statistics.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Training Academies

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Prison Overcrowding Management Technical Assistance Program

A technical assistance team is sent to the requesting jurisdiction to make recommendations concerning offender processing and jail/prison management. The backbone of the study phase is the collection and analysis of offender processing through the entire local criminal justice system and its impact on the local prison/jail facilities. This information, coupled with interviews with local officials, is used to make recommendations relative to the efficient processing of offenders.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

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Risk/Needs Field Classification Model (Probation and Parole)

This project entails the development of a risk factor scale and a companion needs factor scale (needs related to risk as part of an overall risk management supervision strategy) for use by the Louisiana Department of Public Safety and Corrections-Division on Probation and Parole. The instrument will be used to assist in the further development of the state's supervision classification system and treatment planning. Additionally, an information system will be set in place to monitor the instrument's performance on a continual basis, making modification and revalidation more systematic. The instruments will be empirically-based and will be evaluated on an annual basis.

Data Sources: CCH, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Board Of Parole

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: LA Commission on Law Enforcement Systems Division
2121 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806

Contact: Carle L. Jackson
(504) 925-4440

State Criminal Justice System Redesign

SAC personnel are involved in the redesign of the CAJUN (Adult Correctional System) and JIRMS (Juvenile Justice Information System) systems. The major involvement is in the requirements analysis (statistical/management reports), general systems design, and local system interface areas.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: LA Commission on Law Enforcement Systems Division
2121 Wooddale Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70806

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MAINE

Crime in Maine

The SAC produces an annual publication listing UCR crime activity by county and municipality.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maine Criminal Justice Data Center
State House III
Augusta, ME 04333

Contact: Robert E. Pendleton
(207) 289-4341

Crime in Maine 1989

This is a publication put out by the UCR Division of the Department of Public Safety describing the UCR activity (by county and state) for 1989.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maine Criminal Justice Data Center
State House III
Augusta, ME 04333

Contact: Robert E. Pendleton
(207) 289-4341

Department of Corrections Automation

The SAC completed the automation of the inmate files within the Department of Corrections. This includes building data elements to qualify as an OBTS contributor. They are now expanding the database to "under probation and parole" and "juvenile offender data."

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maine Criminal Justice Data Center
State House III
Augusta, ME 04333

Contact: Robert E. Pendleton
(207) 289-4341

Description of Female Offenders Incarcerated in Maine

This data set contains information on all females incarcerated in Maine's adult correctional facilities, with the exception of county jails and lockups. Information includes the age, race, offense, sentence, time served, date admitted, and date released.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Female Inmate Records

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maine Criminal Justice Data Center
State House III
Augusta, ME 04333

Contact: Robert E. Pendleton
(207) 289-4341

Juvenile Crime Data Book

The SAC is starting a five year data set which contains police arrest information, courts, and corrections information. A report will be published on trends over time, types of adjudication imposed, and alternatives to commitment, etc.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maine Criminal Justice Data Center
State House III
Augusta, ME 04333

Contact: Robert E. Pendleton
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MARYLAND

CJIS Audit

The SAC is applying a model audit process for a state and local Criminal Justice Information System (CJIS) to select jurisdictions in Maryland.

Data Sources: UCP/IBR, CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maryland Justice Analysis Center
Inst. of Criminal Justice & Criminology
University of Maryland
Social Science Bldg.
Room 2220
College Park, MD 20742

Contact: Charles F. Wellford
(301) 454-4538

Crime Trends in Maryland

Analyzed report on changes in Maryland crime.

Date of Completion: 04/1989

MARYLAND-MASSACHUSETTS

Agency: Maryland Justice Analysis Center
Inst. of Criminal Justice & Criminology
University of Maryland Social Science Bldg.
Room 2220
College Park, MD 20742

Contact: Charles F. Wellford
(301) 454-4538

Criminal Justice Information System Advisory Board

The SAC provides staff support to the advisory board by analyzing assorted research topics upon request and by assisting with potential legislative initiatives. Examples include analyses of criminal summaries and examining specific laws.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maryland Justice Analysis Center
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Drug Abuse in Maryland

This is a report on the incidence and distribution of drug and alcohol abuse in Maryland, and an analysis of health, education, and criminal justice responses. This report was included in the report of the Governor's Commission on Drug and Alcohol Abuse

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Survey, UCR/IBR, Health Management Systems

Date of Completion: 10/1989

Agency: Maryland Justice Analysis Center
Inst. of Criminal Justice & Criminology
University of Maryland Social Science Bldg.
Room 2220
College Park, MD 20742

Contact: Charles F. Wellford
(301) 454-4538

DWI Staistical Report

This report is an analysis of the extent, nature, and processing of DWI and DUI cases in Maryland. This is part of an effort to develop a statistical reporting system for these types of cases.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Police Departments, Medical Examiners

Date of Completion: 03/1990

Agency: Maryland Justice Analysis Center
Inst. of Criminal Justice & Criminology
University of Maryland Social Science Bldg.
Room 2220
College Park, MD 20742

Contact: Charles F. Wellford
(301) 454-4538

Jail Inmate Survey

The SAC conducted a survey of jail inmates for all jurisdictions of the state as part of an evaluation of the need for expansion of community corrections programs.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Maryland Justice Analysis Center
Inst. of Criminal Justice & Criminology
University of Maryland Social Science Bldg.
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Executions and Homicides in Massachusetts and the United States

The SAC compiled and disseminated execution and homicide data for Massachusetts and the U.S. overall from 1930 to 1988. A summary of capital punishment research was also produced.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Vital Statistics/Bureau Offenses

Date of Completion: 11/1989

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
MA Committee on Criminal Justice
100 Cambridge Street
Room 2100
Boston, MA 02202

Contact: William M. Holmes
(617) 727-0237

Gun Sentencing Study

This study examines patterns of sentencing and disposition for offenders charged with a gun possession or gun carrying crime.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
MA Committee on Criminal Justice
100 Cambridge Street
Room 2100
Boston, MA 02202

Contact: William M. Holmes
(617) 727-0237

MASSACHUSETTS

Evaluation of Drug Enforcement Grants

The SAC supervises evaluation of projects funded by BJA Drug Enforcement grants and provides technical assistance for the development of the drug strategy.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR, Specially Designed Studies

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
MA Committee on Criminal Justice
100 Cambridge Street
Room 2100
Boston, MA 02202

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Hate Crime Reporting

The SAC is working with the Crime Reporting Unit to develop a system for reporting hate crime in Massachusetts. Training materials for hate crime reporting are being developed.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Prosecutors, UCR/IBR, Advocacy Agencies

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
MA Committee on Criminal Justice
100 Cambridge Street
Room 2100
Boston, MA 02202

Contact: William M. Holmes
(617) 727-0237

Implementation of the Revised UCR System

With BJS support, the SAC is involved with the effort to design and implement incident-based

reporting for UCR purposes. A number of technical reports and supporting documents dealing with issues such as management information systems for police, data quality, confidentiality of information, and estimation of victimization rates will be produced.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Survey, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
MA Committee on Criminal Justice
100 Cambridge Street
Room 2100
Boston, MA 02202

Contact: William M. Holmes
(617) 727-0237

Networkers Newsletter

This quarterly newsletter reports on recent developments in criminal justice information in Massachusetts and contains summaries of BJS reports and the results of research studies.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
MA Committee on Criminal Justice
100 Cambridge Street
Room 2100
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(617) 727-0237

SAC Brief

The SAC prepares occasional summaries of criminal justice studies that it receives to be included in mailings to members of the Governor's Statewide Anti-Crime Council. The summaries are limited to one or two pages and topics vary.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey, BJS, NIJ Reports

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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MICHIGAN

Juvenile Detention Monitoring Database

This database records the self reported locking up of juveniles (up to age 17) in police lockups, jails and juvenile detention centers (status only).

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Office of Criminal Justice
Lewis Cass Building
Post Office Box 30026
Lansing, MI 48909

Contact: George H. Roehm
(517) 373-6510

Prison Commitment Patterns

The project is supported by a JS-8 grant with Michigan State University, funded by BJS through the Michigan SAC.

Data Sources: Corrections Department

Date of Completion: 06/1989

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Office of Criminal Justice
Lewis Cass Building
Post Office Box 30026
Lansing, MI 48909

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SAC Clearinghouse Activity

The SAC maintains information and data from BJS and state systems to respond to inquiries from any source.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Police Departments, BJS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Office of Criminal Justice
Lewis Cass Building
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State Funded Secondary Road Patrol Annual Report and Evaluation

This annual impact and cost report contains recommendations on methods of improving

coordination of local and state law enforcement agencies, improving law enforcement training programs and communication systems of law enforcement agencies, and a description of the role alcohol played in the incidence of fatal and personal injury accidents in the state.

Data Sources: Sheriff Departments, Office of Criminal Justice

Date of Completion: 04/1990

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Office of Criminal Justice
Lewis Cass Building
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Lansing, MI 48909

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MINNESOTA

Criminal Justice Data On-Line

Minnesota's criminal justice databases will be integrated with an on-line, public information system called DATANET. This is a menu driven system with over fourteen multi-disciplinary databases which will promote a broader analysis of criminal justice problems and solutions.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Juvenile Information System, County Criminal Justice Projections

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Minnesota State Planning Agency
300 Centennial Office Building
658 Cedar Street
St. Paul, MN 55155

Contact: Kathryn Guthrie
(612) 296-7819

Evaluation of Mandatory Sentence for DWI Offenders

The legislature passed a law requiring a 30 day mandatory minimum sentence for repeat DWI offenders. This study evaluates the impact of this law.

Data Sources: Courts, Department Of Public Safety Database

Date of Completion: 01/1989

Agency: Minnesota State Planning Agency
300 Centennial Office Building
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St. Paul, MN 55155

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(612) 296-7819

MINNESOTA-MISSOURI

Evaluation of the Alcohol Safety Program

The Alcohol Safety Program assesses DWI offenders for a chemical dependency problem and recommends treatment to the judge for those offenders needing treatment. This study is both a process and outcome evaluation of the program and examines how well the program is operating and whether it is reducing DWI offenses.

Data Sources: Courts, Survey, Traffic Safety Database

Date of Completion: 02/1989

Agency: Minnesota State Planning Agency
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Information Center

The SAC serves as a criminal jail clearinghouse for the state. Documents, publications, program models, statistics, and handouts are provided free of charge. The center has access to networks and information systems across the nation.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Juvenile Information System, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Minnesota State Planning Agency
300 Centennial Office Building
658 Cedar Street
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Legislative Review

The SAC reviews, for the Governor, the legislative proposals of other state criminal justice agencies.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Minnesota State Planning Agency
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(612) 296-7819

Violent and Chronic Juvenile Offenders

The SAC is conducting an analysis of multiple juvenile recidivists in two of the state's largest counties.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Courts

Date of Completion: 05/1989
Agency: Minnesota State Planning Agency
300 Centennial Office Building
658 Cedar Street
St. Paul, MN 55155
Contact: Steve Coleman
(612) 296-7819

Criminal Justice System Activities

A report is produced annually regarding data on law enforcement, prosecution, courts, and corrections in Mississippi.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Criminal Justice
Planning
301 West Pearl Street
Jackson, MS 39203

Contact: Karen Skadden
(601) 949-2006

MISSISSIPPI

Clearinghouse for Criminal Justice Data and Documents

The SAC, in cooperation with BJS, serves as a clearinghouse for criminal justice data and provides such data and documents to governmental agencies and to the public.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Criminal Justice
Planning
301 West Pearl Street
Jackson, MS 39203

Contact: Karen Skadden
(601) 949-2006

Crime in Mississippi

The SAC compiles statistics regarding UCR crime and arrest data.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Criminal Justice
Planning
301 West Pearl Street
Jackson, MS 39203

Contact: Karen Skadden
(601) 949-2006

Law Enforcement Task Analysis

A task analysis of the law enforcement patrol function of all state, county, and local departments will be conducted. Data will be used primarily by the Board on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Training to evaluate the curriculum for basic training.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 12/1990

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Department of Criminal Justice
Planning
301 West Pearl Street
Jackson, MS 39203

Contact: Karen Skadden
(601) 949-2006

MISSOURI

Anti-Drug Abuse Act Narcotic Control Program Support Services

The SAC provides information and research support services to the Missouri Department of Public Safety in administering the Narcotic Control Program under the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1986. The SAC will continue to work with other state and Federal agencies to collect and interpret data that will provide Missouri public officials with a better assessment of Missouri's drug problems as well as assist in promoting the development of effective policies and programs designed to address these problems. The SAC is developing a publication entitled *Missouri's Illicit Drug Problem*. This publication will provide an assessment of the illicit drug problems facing the state as well as describe the Missouri criminal justice system's response to the problem.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

City/County Engineering Accident Location Analysis Support Services

The SAC created a series of programs designed to access data contained in the Statewide Traffic Accident Records System and list traffic accidents by location of occurrence. Reports are designed to support traffic safety engineering analytical functions.

Data Sources: Missouri Traffic Accident Databases
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

City/County Engineering Signalization Synchronization Program

The SAC provides software maintenance and data evaluation support services to the Missouri Division of Highway Safety engineering staff to support their traffic signal synchronization program. The SAC assists in maintaining this software, encoding data, and processing jobs. This application is used by various Missouri communities to optimize their traffic signal networks.

Data Sources: Intersection Vehicle Movement Counts
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

Department of Corrections and Human Resources Client Classification System Project

Support is provided to the Department of Corrections and Human Resources in the development of a comprehensive client classification system. The SAC's role in this project includes initial automation of completed client measurement results, conversion of automated client measurement data to the on-line offender management information system, and design of statistical software programs to produce monthly

and annual reports for management and planning purposes. The SAC supports the maintenance and upgrade of these output software programs on an on-going basis.

Data Sources: Corrections Department
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

Economic Crime Cost Model

The SAC developed an economic crime cost model to quantify Missouri's crime problems in terms of dollar loss. This model identifies the type and amount of loss as a result of crime. The first report using this model was published and is entitled "An Analysis of the 1986 Economic Cost of Crime in Missouri," a second report will be published which describes the costs of crime in Missouri from 1985 through 1988 with emphasis on the last year (1988).

Data Sources: BJS National Crime Survey Data
Date of Completion: 11/1990
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

Grant Management System Support

The SAC provides systems support for the Missouri Division of Highway Safety's Grant Management Information System. A grant management software package developed by Research Triangle Institute was installed and is being maintained at the Highway Patrol computer facility. The SAC has developed software programs to download all grant management historical data contained in this information system to the Missouri Division of Highway Safety's computer. This agency is currently designing its own grant management software which will utilize this data. Once the Division's own software has been developed, SAC support for this project will be terminated and the software package developed by Research Triangle Institute will be retired.

Data Sources: Grant Recipients
Date of Completion: 06/1990
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

Highway Safety Plan Support Services

This project involves providing traffic safety analytical support services to the Missouri Division of Highway Safety in the development of Missouri's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration 402 grant funding program.

Data Sources: Traffic Safety Databases
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

Missouri Crime and Arrest Digest

This digest contains information on crime index offenses committed in the state over a ten year period. Law enforcement arrest levels are also provided. This Digest is disseminated to over 600 Federal, state, and local criminal justice authorities and public officials. Annually, the FBI provides UCR databases on Missouri law enforcement crime and arrest reported activity to the SAC. These databases are reconfigured into analytical subsets and used to develop this report.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

Missouri Crime and Criminal Justice Public Opinion Survey

The SAC will conduct a survey of a representative sample of citizens of Missouri. Based on the sampling methodology used, the data from the survey will identify crime victimization as well as the prevailing opinions of the public on criminal justice issues of interest to policymakers.

Data Sources: Survey
Date of Completion: 07/1990
Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street Jefferson City, MO 65101
Contact: Martin P. Carso (314) 751-4026

MISSOURI-MISSOURI

Missouri Driving While Intoxicated (DWI) Case Tracking Project

The SAC conducted a tracking study of drunk driving offenders. A sample of 870 offenders was traced from arrest through the criminal justice system. In addition, all administrative sanctions against these individuals were examined. Data collection occurred during 1985 and 1986. Interpretive data analysis and publication of findings occurred in 1988/1989. Two major publications were produced as a result of this study. These were: (1) A Study of the Processing of DWI Arrests in Missouri and (2) A Time Analysis of Missouri DWI Arrest Case Processing.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Dept of Revenue, Drivers Licensing Record

Date of Completion: 03/1989

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

Missouri Jail Survey

The SAC will analyze survey data on Missouri jails in order to examine the following: conditions of jail facilities, utilization rates, capacity, staffing levels, inmate composition, medical and rehabilitation service availability, level of violence, etc.

Data Sources: Survey, BJS 1988 Jail Census

Date of Completion: 08/1990

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

Missouri Juvenile Justice Three-Year Plan Support Services

The SAC provides information and research support services to the Missouri Department of Public Safety in the development and implementation of the Missouri Juvenile Justice Three-Year Plan.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso,
(314) 751-4026

Missouri Law Enforcement Employment and Assault Report

This project involves developing and publishing a comprehensive annual report on law enforcement employment and assault statistics. Annually, the FBI provides a UCR database on Missouri law enforcement employment and assault reported activity to the SAC. These databases are reconfigured into analytical subsets and are used to develop this report.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Killed and Assaulted—FBI Report

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

Missouri Statistical Analysis Center Library

The SAC Library contains over 670 publications on crime; criminal justice research, planning and management; traffic safety research, research methodology and statistics; criminal justice; and traffic safety information systems documentation. These publications are available to state and local authorities. A library publication listing is mailed annually to over 300 state and local criminal justice agencies.

Data Sources: SAC

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
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Missouri Traffic Safety Compendium

This compendium is produced annually and contains information on Missouri's traffic accident causative factors and characteristics covering a ten year period. The compendium is used to support the state of Missouri's 402 grant funding program under the direction of the Missouri Division of Highway Safety. In addition, it is used as a reference source by other state and local traffic safety authorities.

Data Sources: Statewide Traffic Accident Records

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

MULES Missing Person Project

The SAC developed a program to retrieve data from Missouri's MULES system on all missing persons reported to law enforcement agencies. These data were used for an empirical analysis of all missing persons cases that were in the MULES system in 1984, and a report on findings was published. Programs were developed to produce monthly and annual missing person and children reports on a continuous basis, and are being provided to the Missouri State Highway Patrol's Missing Children's Unit. The SAC is currently producing a second report on Missouri's missing person cases that were active in the MULES system from 1985 through 1988.

Data Sources: MO Uniform Law Enforcement System(MULES)

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

OBTS/CCH Offender-Based Tracking and Central Criminal History Records: Phase II

This project involves upgrading the Missouri Criminal History Records System (CHRS) OBTS component based upon the recommendations contained in the Missouri SAC report entitled, "Missouri CHRS/OBTS Problem Analysis." Standardized reports will be developed using currently available OBTS data from the CHRS system.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH

Date of Completion: 01/1991

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

Statewide Traffic Accident Records System (STARS) Maintenance

This information system contains data on traffic accidents in Missouri and is used by the SAC to produce numerous reports and studies

requested by traffic authorities and public officials. The SAC notes deficiencies and problems within the STARS system and assists in making corrections and improvements to the system. Assistance is also provided in maintaining and improving the system based upon requests for assistance from Highway Patrol staff responsible for its operation.

Data Sources: Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso
(314) 751-4026

Victim's Assistance Act Support Services

The SAC provides criminal justice analytical support services to the Missouri Department of Public Safety in the administration of the Victim's Assistance Act.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Missouri State Highway Patrol Statistical Analysis Center
1510 East Elm Street
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Contact: Martin P. Carso,
(314) 751-4026

MONTANA

Crime in Montana

An annual report is published on crime in the state of Montana as reported to law enforcement agencies.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Jail Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Planning and Research Bureau
Montana Board of Crime Control
303 North Roberts Street
Helena, MT 59620

Contact: Donald Crabbe
(406) 444-3604

Crimestoppers Activities

The SAC analyzes data on the number of tips received, crimes cleared, arrests, convictions, rewards paid, value of seized narcotics, and the value of property recovered.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Local Program Managers

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Planning and Research Bureau
Montana Board of Crime Control
303 North Roberts Street
Helena, MT 59620

Contact: Marvin Dye
(406) 444-3604

Criminal Justice Issues in Montana

This is a publication of criminal justice data and issues relating to data collected by various independent state agencies.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: 01/1989

Agency: Planning and Research Bureau
Montana Board of Crime Control
303 North Roberts Street
Helena, MT 59620

Contact: Donald Crabbe
(406) 444-3604

Directory of Criminal Justice Agencies

The Bureau publishes an annual directory of all criminal justice agencies in the state of Montana.

Data Sources: Law Enforcement Agencies

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Planning and Research Bureau
Montana Board of Crime Control
303 North Roberts Street
Helena, MT 59620

Contact: Janet Dye
(406) 444-3604

Juvenile Probation Information System

The Juvenile Probation Information System (JPIS) captures data on the activities/workload of the Montana Youth Courts and provides management information in the form of summary reports back to the youth courts. The system is a voluntary participation program.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Planning and Research Bureau
Montana Board of Crime Control
303 North Roberts Street
Helena, MT 59620

Contact: Steve Nelsen
(406) 444-3604

NEBRASKA

Criminal Justice Data Information Clearinghouse

The SAC maintains a clearinghouse via a cooperative agreement with BJS. It serves as a central repository of information resources and as a liaison with Federal statistical resources.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Nebraska Crime Commission
301 Centennial Mall South
Post Office Box 94946
Lincoln, NE 68509

Contact: Michael Overton
(402) 471-2194

Criminal Justice Directory

The SAC directory contains all state and local agencies that are criminal justice related. The following are included: Courts/Adjudication Process, Corrections, Victim-Witness/Domestic Violence, Education, and Law Enforcement. Contact persons are given for each agency.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Jail Information System, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Nebraska Crime Commission
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Criminal Justice Film Library

The Criminal Justice Film Library consists of approximately 600 16mm films and video cassettes. These films and videos cover 62 subject areas. Also available are some slide/tape presentations. Criminal justice agencies are eligible to borrow films for up to seven days for a \$3.00 fee. Non-criminal justice agencies and individuals are eligible to borrow films and are charged \$15.00 per film per showing day.

Data Sources: Films

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

NEBRASKA-NEW HAMPSHIRE

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Jail Inmate Records and Statistical System (JIRS)

The administration of JIRS establishes an ongoing database which provides statistical information on the typology and flow of inmates through local criminal detention facilities. The system enhances sound recordkeeping practices by local officials.

Data Sources: Jail Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Juvenile Court Reporting Program (JCR)

The Juvenile Court Reporting Program presents data collected during the calendar year concerning young people who were processed by courts with juvenile jurisdiction. These include 90 county courts and the three separate juvenile courts of Douglas, Lancaster, and Sarpy counties. The forms sent in from the courts are based on a juvenile's disposition date. Statistics include referral and disposition information.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Offender-Based Transaction Statistics (OBTS)

The OBTS system shows the flow of felony offenders through the Nebraska criminal justice system. This program is intended to fulfill the urgent need for comprehensive and detailed information about what happens between arrest and final disposition.

Data Sources: OBTS, State Patrol, NCIC

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Uniform Crime Statistics Reporting

The SAC provides training of law enforcement agencies in UCR classification, program methods, and procedures; data processing of UCR records; and preparation of UCR monthly, quarterly, and yearly reports.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of the Attorney General
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Homicides in New Hampshire

This study provides demographic data on homicides committed in New Hampshire during 1979 to 1989. It indicates offender relationship to victim and the circumstances around which the homicides occurred.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Attorney General Files

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of the Attorney General
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New Hampshire County Corrections Report

This report looks indepth at the county correctional facilities.

Data Sources: Jail Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of the Attorney General
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New Hampshire Crime Analysis

This yearly update, for in-house use only, analyzes criminal justice statistics and deals with personnel and budget matters. It is used to provide information to legislators, law enforcement agencies, and other public as well as private individuals.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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DWI Plea Bargaining

DWI plea bargain cases reported to the Attorney General's office are analyzed for specific areas of concern; i.e. witness problems, BAC suppressions, etc. The report is tabulated on a monthly basis but published annually.

Data Sources: Prosecutors, Police Departments

NEW JERSEY

Data Analysis Center: Analysis of OBTS/CCH Database

The Data Analysis Center provides statistical reports to the various components of the criminal justice system such as: courts, parole, probation, corrections, commissions, etc. The data source for these reports is the OBTS/CCH database.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Data Analysis Center
Department of Law & Public Safety
Division of Criminal Justice
25 Market Street
Trenton, NJ 08625

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(609) 984-2818

Impact Assessment—The New Jersey Code of Juvenile Justice

The Juvenile Delinquency Disposition Commission conducts ongoing process and impact evaluations of major areas of juvenile justice.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Department of Law & Public Safety
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CN-085
Trenton, NJ 08625

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NEW MEXICO

Child Homicide Study

In an attempt to overcome a lack of systematic, reliable data in the study of child abuse, the New Mexico SAC is studying child homicide rates. The three main sources of data used by the SAC are 1) police, 2) courts, and 3) the coroner's office. The SAC is studying all cases of child homicide involving victims less than 16 years old over a ten year period. Homicide data is being examined with the purpose of identifying groups of children that are especially at risk of child abuse and homicide.

Data Sources: Courts, Police Departments, Coroners Office

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
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Crime in New Mexico Report 1988

Crime in New Mexico Report 1988 presents an overview of the state's criminal justice system. Statistics concerning index crimes statewide and in several representative cities are discussed. Statistical information from courts, law enforcement, and corrections is presented and the areas of alcohol and drug abuse, driving under the influence and domestic violence are highlighted.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 02/1989
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Criminal Justice Data Inventory

Key information collected in the data inventory will include: 1) How is data currently collected? 2) What time period is covered by the data? 3) How many cases are included in each data set? 4) Which data sets are machine readable? 5) What types of hardware and software are available? 6) Does the system currently have any capabilities to share data with other criminal justice agencies? This data will be available for free.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

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Criminal Justice Telephone Directory

The SAC compiles a comprehensive telephone directory. The directory will be the first in the state to compile all numbers linked to the criminal justice system. Areas include: Law Enforcement, Judicial, Community Services, Research, and Education. The directory includes over 1000 separate departments, offices, and agencies. The directory will be distributed free of charge to all agencies included in it.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, State Telephone Directories

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Data Needs Assessment Survey

The SAC conducted a statewide data needs assessment survey of criminal justice agencies. The goal was to contact 400 agencies, first by phone, then subsequently by an assessment questionnaire. The questionnaire included a variety of issues relevant to the criminal justice system. These include: data storage capabilities, software and hardware needs, and computer networking needs.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 10/1989
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Legislative Council Contract for Sentencing Study

The SAC collected data on 1250 New Mexican felons convicted in 1987 and 1988. Data collectors visited every penal institution and nearly every county in the state to collect the randomly selected sample. Researchers sifted through felon files in order to complete a questionnaire that included prior record, offense severity, drug history, offender characteristics, and victim assessments. Data processing began in early August with a grant from the Legislative

NEW MEXICO-NEW YORK

Council. A 150 page report on sentencing in New Mexico has just been completed.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Offender-Based Transaction Statistics

Since receiving BJS funding, the SAC has created an OBTS Steering Committee and put together an OBTS Staff which reviewed OBTS in other states as well as New Mexico's current data capabilities. The SAC will initiate OBTS projects in Bernalillo, Santa Fe, Grant, Hidalgo, and Lea Counties.

Data Sources: OBTS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Statewide Law Enforcement Workshop

The SAC annually co-sponsors a New Mexico Criminal Justice Professionals Conference. The Conference serves as a forum for disseminating information about SAC studies and projects in progress; events and activities of SACs in other states; and recent policy relevant research available at the national level. In 1989, the conference covered gangs, cults, deterrence, leadership, mediation, internal affairs, grant writing, alternatives to incarceration and domestic violence.

Data Sources: Researchers, Practitioners

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Statewide Survey on Reactions to Crime in New Mexico

A survey of citizens' attitudes toward the problem of crime in their neighborhoods and their reactions to being victims was conducted in

July 1989 using random digit-dialing telephone interview procedures. A total of 536 New Mexico residents completed the interview. Included in the survey were questions on fear of crime, levels of community participation, and perceptions of police performance. A key aspect of the survey involved presenting respondents with descriptions of problem situations (including crimes) which might occur in their neighborhoods and asking them to rate the seriousness of these situations and indicate what kind of action they would take in response to them (e.g., talk to neighbors, call the police). Data processing is in progress and results will provide information on such issues as fear of crime, police/community relations, and the role of self-help and community activities in coping with crime. A report is now available.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: 01/1990

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for changes in the pool of persons at risk of FELCON treatment.

Data Sources: CCH, OBTS

Date of Completion: 05/1989

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Bias Crime Reporting

Acting on the need to understand and respond to hate or bias-related violence, the Governor created a special task force to examine this issue and recommend action. As part of this overall effort, the SAC began the development of its own program to obtain data on all such incidents reported to law enforcement agencies throughout the state.

Data Sources: Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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NEW YORK

(Local) Jail Population Projections

This is an interagency project with a large city jail system to integrate state and local data for mid to long-term projections of demand for jail space. An outgrowth of this project will be a base set of variables, definitions, and files for assessing the impact of changes in processing upon the local jail system.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, OBTS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Arrest Rates and Post-Arrest Processing of Persons with Prior Felony Convictions

This report provides analysis of the extent of differences between the processing of persons with prior felony convictions (FELCONS) and persons without prior felony convictions (NONCONS). These analyses set the stage for prison population projections that account

Bureau for Municipal Police Peace Officer Survey

The SAC assisted with the sampling design and analytic strategies for a survey of job functions and responsibilities for a wide variety of "peace officers."

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Case and Offender Tracking

A plan is being devised for improving criminal justice case and offender tracking capabilities. The study focuses on the ability to link existing data from different jurisdictions and functional areas into a more comprehensive movement and transactional history than has previously been available.

Data Sources:	CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments	Agency:	NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services Executive Park Tower, 8th Floor Stuyvesant Plaza Albany, NY 12203	Data Sources:	Police Departments, State Agencies, National Crime Survey				
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County Criminal Justice Profiles									
The profiles contain county specific crime incidence, system processing and expenditure, and correctional/youth facility data, along with relevant demographic and socio-economic data. These data are presented by year from 1981.									
Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, OBTS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Commerce Department, Social Service Department, Education Department, Labor Department, Census Department	Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, OBTS, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Private Criminal Justice Agencies	Data Sources:	CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR				
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Criminal Justice Training: Coordination and Centralization of State Criminal Justice Training									
To maintain New York's leadership in criminal justice training, an interagency committee developed strategies for the improved coordination of criminal justice training in the State. The project sought to assess the feasibility of establishing a centralized criminal justice training program which assures the utilization of resources and enhances the overall quality of training.									
Data Sources:	Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Youth	Data Sources:	Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, CCH, Inmate Interviews	Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity				
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Crime and Justice Annual Report									
Criminal justice data is collected, analyzed, and presented in this report. It includes offense and arrest data by law enforcement agencies, indictments, dispositions, and sentence information reported by the district attorneys. It also includes data from probation, parole, corrections, Office of Court Administration, Commission of Corrections, Division for Youth, and the Crime Victims Board.									
Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, OBTS, Sheriff Departments, Indictment Statistical System	Data Sources:	Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Youth	Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity				
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Criminal Victimization of Older New Yorkers									
The SAC study examines various statistics that illustrate the scope of crime against the elderly. It also describes many of the important state and local government and community agency initiatives that have been newly undertaken or continued to protect senior citizens.									

NEW YORK-NEW YORK

Environmental Crime Data Collection

The SAC collects environmental crime data dealing with hazardous waste and waste disposal for a legislative reporting mandate. The statistics describe the processing of these offenses from arrest through indictment. Criminal/civil disposition and sentencing data will be collected annually.

Data

Sources: OBTS, CCH, Department Of Environmental Conservation

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Felony Processing Quarterly Report

Statistics concerning New York State indictments and felony prosecutions are presented on a quarterly basis as useful and timely information to members of the criminal justice community.

Data Sources: Prosecutors, Indictment Statistical System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Governor's Briefing Book

The SAC completes comprehensive assessments of criminal justice issues and county-based statistics in New York State.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Criminal Justice Research, News Articles, Library

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Incidence and Characteristics of Rape in New York State and the Nation

The report summarizes the characteristics of rape incidents using 1988 UCR and 1987 NCS data for New York State and the United States. It is designed to present the findings of available published crime data on rape in terms easily understood by the general public. It was produced to assist the Governor's Task Force on Rape and Sexual Assault in their efforts to improve public understanding of rape.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, BJS National Crime Survey

Date of Completion: 10/1989

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Juvenile Justice Processing Study

This project will examine the major components of the juvenile justice process and assess the adequacy of existing information systems and policies for both process decisionmaking and statewide management and planning.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: 06/1990

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Juvenile Offenders in New York State

The SAC has the most current data on juvenile offender cases in New York State.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Courts, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Law Enforcement Personnel Data System

A law enforcement personnel data system was developed which expands upon the FBI's standard agency personnel report. Among other things, the system provides the state with salary ranges as well as data on the rank, gender, and race composition of police and sheriff agency personnel.

Data

Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Missing Children

The SAC developed and maintains the Missing Children Register and Missing Children's Clearinghouse. Using data from the Register, bulletins are published which describe the number and characteristics of missing children cases reported during the calendar year. In addition, monthly summaries of active cases are provided throughout the year.

Data Sources: Wanted/Missing Persons Database

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Monitoring the New York City Justice System

Reports, produced quarterly on each portion of New York City's criminal justice system, serve as benchmarks for assessing progress in reaching recommended change and for identifying areas where additional improvement is needed.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Offender-Based Transaction Statistics

A data file has been developed which tracks the processing of felony and misdemeanor arrests which have occurred yearly from 1970. These data provide descriptive summaries of felony and misdemeanor arrest processing and offender characteristics. This file is also used to respond to ad hoc requests for information.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Indictment Statistical System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Prison Population Projections

The SAC is developing, testing, and refining methods for projecting prison population. The methodology has also been used to gauge the impact of proposed legislation on the prison population. In the long-term, the SAC is planning on projecting jail population data as well.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Prosecutor Office Data System

In addition to personnel related information, this system will contain data on organizational structure, office specialization, and specific training needs among prosecutors statewide.

Data Sources: Prosecutors, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Racial Disparity

The SAC examines the social disparity in New York State's prisons by determining the magnitude and location of racial disparities in the case processing decisions that affect imprisonment.

Data Sources: CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Courts, Indictment Statistical System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Restitution Data System

Chapter 965 of the Laws of 1984 requires the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services to compile and report data on restitution ordered by the criminal courts as of 11/1/84. This project involves the coordination of implementation of the statute.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Victim Services Agency (NYC)

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services
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Sentencing and Recidivism of Misdemeanants in New York City

This is an analysis of first time arrestees who were arrested for a misdemeanor in 1985 and had a conviction resulting from this arrest.

Data Sources: CCH, NYC Criminal Justice Pretrial Data

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: NYS Division of Criminal Justice Services
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Survey Research

A survey research capability was established within the SAC to provide the on-going capacity to design, administer, and analyze surveys that focus specifically on criminal justice issues.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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UCR Redesign Project

The SAC will be implementing an enhanced unit-based UCR system that will improve the quality and utility of crime and related data to local agency managers, state policymakers, analysts, and the Federal government.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 03/1990

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Violent Felony Offenses in New York

A report is produced on the processing of violent felony related cases. It also provides an assessment of the overall impact of these cases on the criminal justice system. Firearm data is available by special request.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Courts, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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White Collar Crime

White collar crime will be examined for incidence and prevalence and cases will be tracked from arrest to disposition through the State's criminal justice system using CCH/OBTS data.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH

Date of Completion: 02/1990

NEW YORK-NORTH CAROLINA

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NORTH CAROLINA

Analyzing Substance Abuse in North Carolina for the BJA Anti-Drug Abuse Program

Drug data are collected in accordance with BJA guidelines to develop a problem description section of the Crime Commission's application for drug funds.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, OBSCIS, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Chronic Young Offender

This is an analysis of young people that are released from juvenile training schools and subsequently arrested as adults. This project merged records from The Division of Youth Services and the State Bureau of Investigation to track young people from the juvenile justice system into the adult criminal justice system. A report was published at the end of this project.

Data Sources: CCH, Juvenile Information System, Courts, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 11/1989

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Drug Strategy Impact Assessment Project

The Analysis Center is participating in the National Consortium for Drug Strategy Impact Assessment. This project is managed by CJSAC

under a special grant from BJA and will attempt to assess the impact of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act program funds. Special emphasis in North Carolina will be on the activities of the multi-jurisdictional task forces, the tracking of drug offenders through the criminal justice system, and other drug testing.

Data Sources: CCH, OBSCIS, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Drug Use Forecasting Study in Durham County

The Analysis Center conducted a Drug Use Forecasting (DUF) survey in Durham County during the months of October and November 1989. The study was initiated at the request of local officials in Durham to better understand the drug problem in their community. A report was published in February 1990 on the surveying process and on the results of the study.

Data Sources: Survey, Urinalysis-Drug Screens

Date of Completion: 02/1990

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Jail Inmate Mental Health Study

The Analysis Center is assisting the Mental Health Study Commission of the North Carolina General Assembly in its study of the interaction between clients in the mental health and criminal justice systems. A sample of jail inmates across the state was drawn and matched with the Client Information Services information system of the Department of Human Resources. The final results should help determine the number of jail admissions that have mental health or substance abuse problems and are being or have been treated by the mental health system.

Data Sources: Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 03/1990

Agency: Criminal Justice Analysis Center
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Legislative Monitoring

The Analysis Center will be monitoring the progress of legislation introduced during the 1990 session of the North Carolina General Assembly. Special emphasis will be on legislation proposed by the Governor's Crime Commission, especially that pertaining to sentencing reform and prison overcrowding

Data Sources: CCH, UCR/IBR, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Analysis Center
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Misdemeanants in the Criminal Justice System

The Analysis Center is conducting an analysis of misdemeanants in the criminal justice system for the Governor's Crime Commission. The study will look at misdemeanor arrests and citations, the processing of misdemeanor cases, and the chronic or serious misdemeanor that receives a prison sentence of more than six months.

Data Sources: Courts

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: Criminal Justice Analysis Center
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Systemstats

System Stats is a news bulletin published by the Criminal Justice Analysis Center that presents data and information on salient crime and criminal justice issues. Topics discussed are usually being considered by the Governor's Crime Commission for policy or legislative recommendations.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Analysis Center Governor's Crime Commission Department of Crime Control Post Office Box 27687 Raleigh, NC 27611

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Data Sources: Police Departments, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Sheriff Departments,

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Information Services Division Bureau of Criminal Investigations Post Office Box 1054 Bismarck, ND 58505

Contact: Robert J. Helten (701) 221-6180

Data Sources: Consumer Fraud Database

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Research Office of the Attorney General State Capitol Bismarck, ND 58505

Contact: Judith Volk (701) 224-2594

State UCR Program

The SAC maintains the UCR program in the state. An annual report is prepared summarizing crime data for North Dakota. In April 1988, the state began to convert to an incident-based reporting system. It is anticipated that 90 percent of the participating law enforcement agencies will be using a standard state-supplied incident report form by December 1990, and that approximately one-third of reporting agencies will be transferring data via electronic media.

North Dakota Jail Information System

An annual report presents jail data from all local correctional facilities in North Dakota with an accompanying analysis. This system is operated by the SAC for the Department of Corrections.

Data Sources: Jail Information System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Information Services Division Bureau of Criminal Investigations Post Office Box 1054 Bismarck, ND 58505

Contact: Robert J. Helten (701) 221-6180

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriffs Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Information Services Division Bureau of Criminal Investigations Post Office Box 1054 Bismarck, ND 58505

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NORTH DAKOTA

Justice Records Advisory Committee

The SAC is acting as staff to this committee which is appointed by the Attorney General. The Committee functions as a clearinghouse of available automated record systems for local agencies and coordinates the development of individual local record systems to maintain compatibility with a statewide system. The committee is also instrumental in planning for and implementing the redesigned Uniform Crime Reporting/Incident-Based Reporting System.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Jail Information System, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Various Consultants, Various Vendors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Law Enforcement Training System

This system maintains training and law enforcement employment records for approximately some 1,500 officers across the state. It monitors compliance with licensing requirements, and documents the attendance at certified training programs. Officers must attend 48 hours of certified law enforcement training every three years, and must satisfactorily complete an annual sidearm certification course in order to maintain a peace officer license. The system has been designed to notify officers of possible shortfalls in training time and of delinquencies in reviewing licenses.

Report On Driving Under the Influence (DWI) Of Alcohol: Arrests, Incarcerations, and Convictions

DUI arrests, incarcerations, and convictions are compared over a ten year period. Major legislative changes were initiated in 1983 to increase penalties and place mandatory penalties and administrative actions on arrests for DUI for which the Blood Alcohol Content limits are exceeded.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Drivers License Division

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Research Office of the Attorney General State Capitol Bismarck, ND 58505

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OHIO

Analysis of Ohio UCR Data

The SAC annually maintains the Ohio UCR database received from the FBI.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216

Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310

Analysis of Public Understanding of Crime and Justice

This study analyzes the danger of public crime myths, their formation, and better alternatives for communicating crime and justice information to the public.

Data Sources: Survey, News Media, Secondary Sources

OHIO-OHIO

Date of Completion: 03/1989 Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310	Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriffs Departments, UCR/IBR, Drug Use Forecasting (DUF), Cuyahoga County Date of Completion: Continuing Activity Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310	Date of Completion: Continuing Activity Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310
Citizen Attitude Survey Four citizen attitude surveys have been conducted by the SAC. They analyze citizen attitudes and opinions regarding a wide range of crime and criminal justice issues. The 1988-89 survey concentrated on drug use (criminal) in Ohio.	Juvenile Justice Follow-Up Study This activity is a follow up of the prior year's study of 1000 juveniles through Ohio's juvenile court. The emphasis on the follow-up is on recidivism and the effectiveness of treatment options.	Ohio National Incident-Based Reporting System (NIBRS) The Ohio SAC has, during the past three and a half years, spearheaded efforts to reestablish a state-level crime reporting program and implement the NIBRS program in Ohio. The SAC is the grantee for the Federal grant and will act as the analytical arm for the NIBRS program.
Data Sources: Survey Date of Completion: 03/1989 Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310	Data Sources: Courts Date of Completion: 06/1990 Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 65 East State Street Suite 312 Columbus, OH 43216-4213 Contact: Brian Simms (614) 466-5126	Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriffs Departments, UCR/IBR, Bureau of Identification & Investigation Date of Completion: Continuing Activity Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310
Computerized Criminal Histories Upgrade A special computerized criminal histories report for BJS highlights offender flow through the Ohio justice system.	Juvenile Justice Research The SAC will conduct research on a variety of juvenile justice issues.	Ohio Serious Crime Victimization The SAC receives and maintains serious crime victimization data for Ohio derived from the annual National Crime Survey.
Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Courts, Police Departments Date of Completion: Continuing Activity Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310	Data Sources: Juvenile Information System Date of Completion: Continuing Activity Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 65 East State Street Suite 312 Columbus, OH 43216-4213 Contact: Bob Swisher (614) 466-5126	Data Sources: Survey, NCS Victimization Data for Ohio Date of Completion: Continuing Activity Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services Ohio Department of Development 400 East Town Street Suite 120 Columbus, OH 43216 Contact: Jeffrey J. Knowles (614) 466-0310
Drug Research-Criminal The research includes citizen attitude surveys, monitoring 26 Task Force and Crime Lab projects, examining the work of two DUF sites, and a major report on drug abuse. <i>Understanding the Enemy: An Information Overview of Substance Abuse in Ohio</i> , a 65-page 4-color report, was published in November 1989 and won the 1990 Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis.	Law Enforcement Policy Research The SAC serves as a research arm for the statewide Law Enforcement Liason Committee, a policy-oriented group of leading criminal justice officials in the state which meets monthly to address law enforcement issues. The SAC director was asked to serve on the steering committee for BJS's Administrative Survey of Law Enforcement Agencies.	SAC Research Request and Responses The SAC response to data or analysis requests (150-200 per year).
	Data Sources: Prosecutors, Police Departments	Data Sources: SAC Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services
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Sentencing Impact Study

The SAC completed a tracking study of 2000 offenders in 1984 to ascertain the impact of major new sentencing legislation in 1983.

Data Sources: Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriffs Departments

Date of Completion: 03/1989

Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services
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Suicides in Ohio's Jails and Prisons: 1975-1985

The SAC conducted an analysis of approximately 250 jail and prison suicide attempts with a focus on determining which type of offenders are most vulnerable.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Corrections Department, Prosecutors, Department of Health, Death Certificates

Date of Completion: 06/1989

Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Services
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OKLAHOMA

Computer Survey of Law Enforcement Agencies

The SAC surveyed criminal justice agencies in Oklahoma on the computer hardware and software available to each agency. The information will be used to assess needs for equipment and training and to make recommendations for information networking among agencies. The

information will also provide a directory of contacts for technical and software support and for fax numbers.

Data Sources: OK Criminal Justice Agencies

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Criminal Justice Resource Center
Oklahoma Department of Corrections
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Oklahoma City, OK 73136

Contact: Russell D. Buchner
(405) 425-2592

Crime Alert

"Crime Alert" is a bulletin to identify offenders who are being released from institutions or community treatment centers. The people listed in the bulletin are those that may pose a threat or danger to the community.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Law Enforcement Information Link with Corrections (LINC)

The LINC is a data sharing network in which Department of Correction inmate information is downloaded onto diskettes and provided to sheriffs, police departments, and district attorneys. LINC provides access to the diskettes, training, and software programs to the 15 organizations involved in the network.

Data Sources: Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Oklahoma Statistical Analysis Center Newsletter

The Oklahoma SAC publishes a quarterly newsletter to update criminal justice agencies on SAC activity and to provide a forum for activity

in the technical area of crime analysis for Oklahoma agencies.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Oklahoma Strategy for Drug and Violent Crime Control 1990

The SAC provides data to the District Attorney Council. The Council collects information from various entities in the state to assess the status of drug abuse and violent crime in Oklahoma and to direct the strategy of the state in addressing these issues.

Data Sources: Courts, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Participation in the BJA/CJSA Drug Consortium

Oklahoma is one of twenty-eight states participating in the Consortium for Drug Strategy Impact Assessment coordinated by CJSA. In conjunction with this project, the SAC is setting standards for data collection, and collecting data on multi-jurisdictional task forces, drug testing, and treatment programs.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Prosecutors, Arrest/Disposition Reporting System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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OKLAHOMA-OREGON

Prison Population Projections

The Planning and Research Unit of the Department of Corrections provides studies on the impact of proposed and passed legislation on the prison population.

Data Sources: Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Planning & Research Division
Oklahoma Department of Corrections
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Oklahoma City, OK 73136

Contact: Bill Chown
(405) 425-2590

SAS System 2000 Training

The SAC contracted with SAS Institute to provide training in SYSTEM 2000 database management to Department of Corrections personnel. The training assisted programmers and researchers in managing large databases.

Date of Completion: 10/1989

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Oklahoma Department of Corrections
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Using Microcomputers for Narcotic Investigations

The SAC sponsored training in using microcomputer to do narcotic investigations for Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics agents. This training was provided by the Long Beach Police Department and Bureau of Justice Assistance. Training was also provided for SAC staff to provide technical assistance to OBN in this area.

Date of Completion: 11/1989

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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OREGON

Clearinghouse for Criminal Justice Data and Documents

The SAC serves as a clearinghouse for criminal justice data and provides documents to governmental agencies and the public.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, OBTS, Oregon Serious Crime Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Crime Analysis Center
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Community Corrections Act Funded Programs

The Center conducted a "process level" evaluation of programs and services funded by the Oregon Community Corrections Act in Lane County. Two research reports summarized the evaluation research findings. A research brief outlined the history of the Oregon Community Corrections Act and described the basic types of programs funded statewide through its provisions.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Project Database(s)

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Evaluation of the "Preparing for the Drug (Free) Years" Program—1989

This evaluation research project involves the use of a quasi-experimental design (a single group, pretest-posttest design) to assess the achievement of short-term objectives identified with the program. The goal of this program is to reduce the risk factors associated with adolescent alcohol and drug use/abuse by exposing parents to a five-session series of workshops designed to promote family bonding and communications and knowledge of techniques to deal with adolescent problems and factors related to adolescent drug use and abuse. The workshops were held in 32 Oregon

counties and within four State of Oregon social service agencies. Altogether, 3402 parents participated in 195 workshops during the Spring of 1989.

Data Sources: Specially Generated Program Evaluation

Date of Completion: 01/1990

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Report on Oregon's Level of Compliance with the Juvenile Justice Act of 1974

The center annually reports on the results of juvenile detention monitoring research. The report generated each year focuses on the question of the degree of compliance with the deinstitutionalization guidelines of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Crime Analysis Center
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The Oregon Serious Crime Survey

An annual mail-out survey provides statewide information in three topical areas: victimization data including costs and reporting or non-reporting to police, citizens' involvement in crime prevention, and citizens' opinions about the justice system.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Crime Analysis Center
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PENNSYLVANIA

Annual Statistical Report

The publication is an annual report which presents data related to issues currently under discussion and debate by criminal justice decisionmakers.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Criminal Justice File Cross-Match Study

This activity involves matching computerized criminal justice files against one another to provide an assessment of the completeness of the various files and their consistency with respect to data elements.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Sentencing Commission

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Dangerous Juvenile Offender

The study tracks 600 dangerous juvenile and other juvenile offenders arrested in 1975 through their adult careers, combining juvenile and adult criminal histories.

Data Sources: CCH, Juvenile Information System

Date of Completion: 02/1989

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Development of Longitudinal Offender Files

The SAC works with State Police to create and update a criminal history file of persons first arrested in a given period of time for use in analysis of criminal careers and other topics.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Drug Offender Profile

The SAC is conducting an analysis of drug offender characteristics and rearrest patterns through the use of a longitudinal criminal history file.

Data Sources: CCH, Longitudinal File

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Jail Overcrowding Technical Assistance Program

This technical assistance program offers data collection/analysis assistance and program planning to counties with crowded jails. A sample of one year's admissions is collected to help the county 1) make decisions about alternatives to confinement/supervision and correctional sanctions other than the county jail, and 2) revise policies and procedures that could affect the processing and release of county jail inmates. PCCD staff work with a team of county officials at each site.

Data Sources: Jai, Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Interviews With County Officials

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Non-Reporting Bias In Criminal Histories

This is a BJS-supported study which is missing criminal history information due to the failure by arresting agencies to submit reports and fingerprints to the control repository. The extent of the problem as well as the recommendation of improvement strategies will be discussed.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Courts, Survey, Police Departments

Date of Completion: 03/1990

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
Pennsylvania Commission on Crime & Delinquency
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Prison and Parole Population Projections

The SAC is presently engaged in a collaborative project with the Department of Corrections, Commission on Sentencing, and Office of the Budget to produce a unified set of prison and parole population projections. The immediate goal is to produce both projections and impact analysis to aid in correctional planning and policy decisions. The long term goal is to develop a computer-based simulation model that would rely on the databases available from each agency.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Corrections Department, Courts, Probation/Parole, Sentencing Guideline Information Census

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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Profile and Evaluation of Electronic Monitoring Programs in Pennsylvania

The SAC will provide a description of several electronic monitoring projects underway in Pennsylvania and an analysis of program success and problems. However, given the small size of projects and the limited time of operation, the analysis maybe more anecdotal than statistical. The intent is to provide as much useful information as possible to any jurisdiction currently operating or considering this type of program.

PENNSYLVANIA-RHODE ISLAND

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Survey

Date of Completion: 09/1989

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Research Advisory Committee

The SAC created and supports a committee composed primarily of criminal justice researchers from the academic community to aid in the selection of the most significant topics for research and policy analysis and to review draft work products.

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Statewide CJIS Development

The SAC is coordinating the development of a computer network for sharing criminal justice process data among state and local agencies.

Data Sources: OBTS, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Bureau of Statistics & Policy Research
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PUERTO RICO

Bulletin

The bulletins contain a description of the input data related to the CCR (Computerized Criminal Record). The data sets contained include: alias, identification, arrest, previous dispositions, and charge/disposition.

Data Sources: CCR—Criminal Computerized Record

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Quarterly Statistical Reports: April-June 1989

This report includes quarterly data pertaining to the agencies within the Criminal Justice Information System.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: 02/1990

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Research on Drug Abuse and Crime

This study examined a sample of 500 inmates to construct a profile of offenders in Puerto Rico penal institutions. Variables examined included the extent of drug use, type of offense, and demographic characteristics of the offender. The translation was completed this fall.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Survey

Date of Completion: 08/1989

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Sexual Offense Research Study

The modus operandi of sexual offenders is being studied to reduce victimization and implement prevention measures. The main purpose is to obtain a profile of sexual offenders completing their sentences in penal institutions. The translation was completed in March 1990.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Corrections Department, Inmate Interviews

Date of Completion: 03/1989

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Statistical Summary of the Agencies Pertaining to the Criminal Justice Information System 1986-87

The SAC report summarizes the statistics of the four major agencies within the Criminal Justice Information System: Corrections, Courts, the Police Department, and the Department of Justice.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: 06/1990

Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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RHODE ISLAND

Driving While Intoxicated: Rhode Island's Comprehensive Status Report

This report analyzes recent trends in arrests, convictions, and sentencing for driving while intoxicated (DWI) in the state of Rhode Island. Its purpose is to identify significant changes in the pattern of legislation, the criminal justice system, and public opinion in bringing such changes about.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Health Related Facilities, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Survey, UCR/IBR, AAA (Automobile Association of America)

Date of Completion: 07/1989

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Rhode Island Comprehensive Criminal/Juvenile Information

Rhode Island is implementing a comprehensive, coordinated criminal justice information

system to enable the state's major criminal justice agencies, the Department for Children and Their Families, and the Registry of Motor Vehicles to 1) purchase state-of-the-art computer equipment for their specific agency and 2) join together in a "hub" for the rapid exchange of common data information. A three person Oversight Committee has been appointed by the Governor to direct the activities required of the "Rhode Island Comprehensive Criminal/Juvenile Justice Information Systems Plan."

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 02/1995

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Rhode Island Drug Arrests Analysis

The SAC of the Governor's Justice Commission will analyze arrests made for all violations of the state's drug laws as promulgated by the General Laws of Rhode Island. Data from 1980 will be compared to 1988, the year for which the most current data is available.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: 02/1990

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Rhode Island Retailer and a Report to the Community-at-Large

The purpose of the report is to provide to the local retail sector the most current shoplifting information available, and to provide knowledge of this criminal activity to the community-at-large. Moreover, the major thrust of this publication is to meet the increased merchant demand for more effective information and provide guidelines in the implementation of preventive measures for the reduction of shoplifting.

Data Sources: Police Departments, UCR/IBR, U.S. Department of Justice Publications

Date of Completion: 03/1989

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Serious Crime in Rhode Island

The SAC publishes an annual report on serious crime in Rhode Island. Data from the current year is compared with previous years.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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The Impact of DWI Legislation and Its Effectiveness on the Law Enforcement Community

The SAC studied its Driving Under the Influence legislation which passed in 1983 substantially altering past, much weaker laws. The report recommends that future legislative initiatives focus on reducing the blood-alcohol level which an individual is considered to be legally drunk in Rhode Island from 0.1 to 0.08 percent or lower.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Department of Transportation, Department Of Health

Date of Completion: 10/1989

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SOUTH CAROLINA

Clearinghouse for Criminal Justice Data and Information

The SAC serves as a clearinghouse for criminal justice data and information. It serves as a liaison with local, state, and Federal statistical resources.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Programs
Office of the Governor
1205 Pendleton Street
Columbia, SC 29201

Contact: Ernest C. Euler
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Crime Booklets—South Carolina Criminal Justice Data 1987-1988

The booklet was designed to provide data about the various components of the criminal justice system in South Carolina. The purpose is to provide factual data to questions that are frequently asked. They are intended to highlight the fact that many misconceptions exist about criminal justice. Another function of the booklets is to encourage the reader to pursue a particular area of interest in more depth. The selected findings are presented in a simple, non-technical manner.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts

Date of Completion: 04/1989

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Crime Briefs

The SAC will publish at least two "crime briefs" annually on current criminal justice issues.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, FBI, BJS, NIJ, NIC, Other Sources Under Consideration

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Criminal History Record Information Subcommittee

This activity provides support to the subcommittee whose goal is to improve the completeness, accuracy, and timeliness of criminal history record information.

SOUTH CAROLINA-SOUTH DAKOTA

Data Sources: CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments	Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Programs Office of the Governor 1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201	questions on budget information, salaries, benefits, personnel characteristics, etc. A report is released in June every two years.
Date of Completion: 01/1989	Contact: Ernest C. Euler (803) 734-0423	Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey
Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Programs Office of the Governor 1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201	Public Safety in South Carolina A report will be published which describes public safety in South Carolina. It will outline functions of highway safety as well as the criminal justice system.	Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Contact: Ernest C. Euler (803) 734-0423	Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments	Agency: State Statistical Center Criminal Justice Training Center Division of Criminal Investigation Office of the Attorney General Pierre, SD 57501
Grant Review and Technical Assistance The SAC will assist in the review of grant applications for the Anti-Drug Abuse Act, Juvenile Justice Act, Children's Justice Act, Victims of Crime Act, and state victim assistance funds. Technical assistance is also provided, especially in the areas of information systems and data requirements, both before and after the submission of subgrantee applications.		
Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Juvenile Information System, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR, Grant Application	Date of Completion: 03/1989	Contact: Judy Whipple (605) 773-3331
Agency: Office of Criminal Justice Programs Office of the Governor 1205 Pendleton Street Columbia, SC 29201	Technical Assistance to Governor's Committee on Criminal Justice, Crime, and Delinquency The SAC provides technical assistance to the Governor's Committee on Criminal Justice, Crime, and Delinquency. The SAC also provides similar support to the Governor's Juvenile Justice Advisory Council.	Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments
Contact: Ernest C. Euler (803) 734-0423	Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Survey, Police Departments, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments	Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Newsletter Tentative plans call for a quarterly newsletter to be published and sent to approximately 1500-2000 agencies/persons associated with the criminal justice system. The newsletter will contain such items as: Federal and state grant information, availability of videos from the video library, and various topics of interest about the criminal justice system at the local, state, and national levels.		
Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Prosecutors, FBI, BJS, NIJ, NIC	Date of Completion: Continuing Activity	Agency: State Statistical Center Criminal Justice Training Center Division of Criminal Investigation Office of the Attorney General Pierre, SD 57501
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity	Contact: Ernest C. Euler (803) 734-0423	Contact: Judy Whipple (605) 773-3331
CJSA Consortium for Drug Strategy Impact Assessment This ongoing evaluation activity produces data both for the Consortium for Drug Strategy Impact Assessment and the South Dakota Attorney General's Task Force on Drugs in order to monitor drug control strategies and evaluate their impact.		
Data Sources: Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Corrections Department	Data Sources: Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Corrections Department	Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: State Statistical Center Criminal Justice Training Center Division of Criminal Investigation Office of the Attorney General Pierre, SD 57501	Agency: State Statistical Center Criminal Justice Training Center Division of Criminal Investigation Office of the Attorney General Pierre, SD 57501	Contact: Halley L. Lee (605) 773-3331

SOUTH DAKOTA

Administrative Statistics for South Dakota Police Departments

A survey of police chiefs in South Dakota is conducted bi-annually. The survey includes

Crime in South Dakota 1988

UCR data is analyzed for the state and presented in an annual report. The crime trends are described as well as an analysis of crime in reporting cities of South Dakota.

Data

Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Census

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: State Statistical Center
Criminal Justice Training Center
Division of Criminal Investigation
Office of the Attorney General
Pierre, SD 57501

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SDSAC Informer

This quarterly newsletter is utilized as a vehicle to report current activities of the South Dakota Statistical Analysis Center, interesting state statistics, and BJS special bulletins. It also informs readers of various opportunities in the criminal justice field.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: State Statistical Center
Criminal Justice Training Center
Division of Criminal Investigation
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Pierre, SD 57501

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Sexual Offender Project

The establishment of a profile of the sexual offender is a primary purpose of this study. This profile will be obtained through the offenders' criminal history records, prison records, and court data. The establishment of a tracking system for sexual offenders as they progress through South Dakota's criminal justice system is the second major goal of this project. It is hoped that a file of this type could be used for rehabilitation and education as well as predictive/targeting purposes.

Data Sources: Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, Penitentiary Records, Criminal History File

Date of Completion: 02/1990

Agency:

State Statistical Center
Criminal Justice Training Center
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South Dakota Criminal Justice Directory

This publication includes names, addresses, and phone numbers of all local, state, and Federal criminal justice agencies, prosecutors, corrections agencies, and the judicial and executive branches of state government. It is widely distributed throughout the state.

Data

Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, Agency Mailing Lists

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: State Statistical Center
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TEXAS**Advisory Commission on State Emergency Communications**

The SAC is serving on and providing staff support to the Advisory Commission on State Emergency Communications. The commission is charged with the establishment of the 9-1-1 telephone number as the primary emergency telephone number in the state. The commission's deliberations have included levels of service in various parts of the state, establishing service boundaries, interfacing with existing systems, schedules of implementation, cost estimates, and financing options.

Data

Sources: Telephone Companies, Existing 9-1-1

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Capitol Station
Austin, TX 78711-3332

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AFIS

The SAC has a legislative mandate to oversee the implementation of the Texas Automated Fingerprint Identification System.

Data

Sources: AFIS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Criminal Justice Information System Implementation

The SAC gives advice on the implementation of Article 6, H.B. 2335, Criminal History Record Systems. As part of this role, the Criminal Justice Policy Council developed a recommended design of a Texas Criminal Justice Information System and prepared suggested statutory language for legislative action. To thoroughly review these proposals and build a consensus with state policymakers for the design and implementation, the Criminal Justice Policy Council organized various workshops and technical groups to work on the system's design and implementation.

Data

Sources: OBSCIS

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Drug Abuse Data Collection and Analysis

The Policy Council has been designated to conduct the evaluation of the State Law Enforcement Anti-Drug Abuse programs. The SAC has designed a data collection form for distribution to all grantees receiving Anti-Drug Abuse funds. Case tracking data on all persons arrested is being collected allowing comparisons to non-grant funded jurisdictions' anti-drug efforts. Follow-up studies of time served in prison and time served in alternatives to incarceration will be conducted to determine punishment effectiveness.

Data

Sources: Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

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Executive Working Group

Staff coordinate the collection and analysis of information used by the Executive Working Group that meets biweekly at the request of the Governor's General Counsel. This management team, composed of senior staff of the Governor's Office and the legislature, the Department of Criminal Justice, and the Commission on Jail Standards, monitors all aspects of policies to deal with prison and jail overcrowding and recommends strategies for policy and program implementation.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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JUSTICE Model

The SAC has developed a PC-DOS based simulation model for the adult corrections system called JUSTICE, and a Texas Criminal Justice System database to feed the model. The model will project probation, prison and parole intakes, and on-hand population by offense and sentence length type. Subroutines in the model representing specific levels of detail will allow for comprehensive "what if" systemic simulations. JUSTICE provides the SAC with the modeling capability to respond to inquiries from elected officials concerning the impact of proposed changes to the criminal justice system.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Legislative Impact Analysis

The SAC analyzes proposed legislation affecting the criminal justice system, determines the impact of legislation on the criminal justice

system, and provides a written impact statement to the author of the legislation or the Governor's Office.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Probation Caseload Analysis

The SAC is conducting a survey of demographic and criminal history characteristics of felony and misdemeanor offenders placed on and terminated from regular probation. Data collected and analyzed through this project will provide part of the database for the Justice Projection Models' Probation Module. In addition, characteristics of the on-hand regular probation caseloads are being gathered for analysis.

Data Sources: CCH, Probation/Parole, Survey

Date of Completion: 06/1989

Agency: Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Reading to Reduce Recidivism Evaluation

The SAC is conducting a year evaluation of the *Reading to Reduce Recidivism* education program at the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. *Reading to Reduce Recidivism* is a computer assisted instructional program for inmates with follow-up instruction in the community while on parole.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Reporting Study Group

The SAC is examining the reporting requirements imposed by the state on municipal, county, and district clerks' offices, and justices of the peace that relate to criminal justice processing to develop recommendations for the legislature to streamline these requirements.

Data Sources: Expert Testimony, Work Group

Date of Completion: 01/1991

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Research in Brief Newsletter

The Criminal Justice Policy Council prepares and distributes a "Research in Brief" newsletter to judges, prosecutors, police chiefs, sheriffs and mayors around the state. The newsletter summarizes the findings of research conducted by the agency and discusses issues of relevance to the understanding of complex policy issues confronting state decisionmakers.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Survey

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Sentencing Study Design

The SAC is developing a research and testing design on two pilot localities for conducting a comprehensive statewide study of sentencing patterns and practices.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 12/1990

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Special Alternative Incarceration Program Evaluation

The SAC is evaluating the "boot-camp" Special Incarceration Program at the Institutional Division of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors

Date of Completion: 10/1991

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Austin, TX 78711

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Uniform Recidivism Methodology Working Group

The SAC is developing a uniform methodology to define the terms "recidivism" and "revocation rate" to provide a common understanding of terminology in crime analysis.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Probation/Parole

Date of Completion: 01/1991

Agency: Texas Criminal Justice Policy Council
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Uniform System Cost Project

Operational cost figures essential in making proper programmatic evaluations and comparisons among services provided by different state correctional agencies are developed on a yearly basis.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Criminal Justice Policy Council
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UTAH

Annual Criminal Justice Report

The components of the state criminal justice system were outlined and described including their costs and the number of personnel involved, a flow chart of major decision points, and the number of offenders through the system. A series of publications will contain important statistics related to the functioning of the criminal justice system in Utah.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments, State Criminal Justice System

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
101 State Capitol
Salt Lake City, UT 84114

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Child Sexual Abuse Study

A 30 member task force was established to gather data, study issues, and make recommendations to improve the way the state responds to child abuse.

Data Sources: CCH, Courts, Corrections Department, Juvenile Information System, OBSCIS, OBTS, Police Departments, Probation/Parole, Prosecutors, Sheriff Departments, Survey, UCR/IBR, Social Service Data

Date of Completion: 05/1991

Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
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Constable Study Task Force

The SAC studied the role of the constable in Utah, made recommendations for change, and drafted legislation to accomplish change.

Data Sources: Survey

Date of Completion: 04/1989

Agency:

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Coordination of Criminal Justice Information Systems

The Coordination and Criminal Justice Information System (CCJIS) provides a centralized criminal index to courts, corrections, and criminal history information. The CCJIS also provides developmental support for the statewide warrant system.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
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Jail Study Task Force

The SAC studied the operation and funding of jails in Utah being sensitive to the relationships between state, county, and municipal Governments, and made recommendations for change and funding.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 01/1990

Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
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Juvenile Justice Study

This activity involves the examination of issues relative to detention and alternatives to juvenile court proceedings, particularly in the schools.

Data Sources: Juvenile Information System, Courts, Survey, Police Departments, Corrections Department

Date of Completion: 01/1989

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NIBRS for Utah

The principle objective is to develop a central state information system capable of providing data to the FBI in the manner it prescribes for incident-based uniform crime reports. Secondary objectives are to assist local police agencies in developing systems capable of providing information to the state system and using the state system as an investigation tool to assist local law enforcement.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
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Salt Lake City, UT 84114
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Sentencing and Release Guidelines

The Utah Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice is responsible for researching, developing, and proposing guidelines concerning sentencing and release procedures. It is also responsible for monitoring and evaluating sentencing and release practices throughout the state.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Survey
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
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Statewide Warrants

Data and core data were examined concerning all of the offender-based management information systems that have been implemented in Utah, preliminary to consolidating some functions.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, OBSCIS, Jail Information System, Probation/Parole, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
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Victim Rights

The SAC is involved in ongoing activity regarding victim rights. Current activities include a victim reparations statute, a victim bill of rights, and a task force examining new issues on confidentiality.

Data Sources: Task Force
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Commission on Criminal & Juvenile Justice
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Data Sources: UCR/IBR, CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Vermont Criminal Justice Center
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Montpelier, VT 05602
Contact: Rob McIntyre
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Recidivism Study

The center plans to follow up samples of alleged felons from 1979, 1982, and 1985 to determine rates of re-involvement in the justice system.

Data Sources: Corrections Department, Courts, CCH, Criminal History System
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Vermont Criminal Justice Center
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VERMONT

Annual Law Enforcement Profile

This project, conducted in conjunction with the Chiefs of Police Association of Vermont, is an annual effort to compile management and administrative law enforcement data on municipal police departments in Vermont. While there will be some variation in the topics addressed from year to year, surveys will generally address issues such as salaries and benefits, department budgets and personnel resources, equipment, attrition, and the like.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Vermont Criminal Justice Center
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Sentencing and Disposition Study

Data were collected from court Docket and Disposition Reports (DDRs)—consistent with OBTS requirements—for cases beginning in 1986 and 1987. More current data are being submitted to the center by the crime information center. Data collected are similar to those typically collected for OBTS. Currently, data are being collected on all felonies, misdemeanors, and traffic offenses.

Data Sources: Courts, Crime Information Center
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Vermont Criminal Justice Center
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VIRGIN ISLANDS

Creation and Maintenance of Arrest Database

Arrest data for October 1982 to the present is contained in the database. The data is being coded from manual police records until an automated record system is available.

Data Sources: Police Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Office of Justice Research Services
 Law Enforcement Planning Commission
 Office of the Governor
 8 Crown Bay, Sub-Base
 St. Thomas, VI 00802
Contact: Bill Hamm
 (809) 774-6400

Criminal Victim Database

The SAC maintains a database with incident-based data on victims of Part 1 offenses.

Data Sources: Police Departments, UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Office of Justice Research Services
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Offender Database

The SAC maintains a database of offender characteristics for all persons arrested for any offense.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Booking Reports
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Office of Justice Research Services
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Offender-Based Transaction Statistics

The SAC completed an OBTS file in 1982. The data will be analyzed in an annual publication.

Data Sources: OBTS, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Office of Justice Research Services
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Violent Crime in the U.S. Virgin Islands (Series)

A series of descriptive analyses of the four violent Part 1 crimes will be published and will include victim, offender, and UCR offense characteristics for 1980-1982.

Data Sources: Police Departments, UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Office of Justice Research Services
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VIRGINIA

Annual Report on Crime Patterns and Trends

The SAC publishes a crime trends report which outlines patterns of criminal incidents, arrests, and convictions/sentencing in Virginia. The study also compares Virginia crime patterns with geographically contiguous states as well as with nationwide patterns and trends. Last year's report focused on violent crime in Virginia and won CJSAs Phillip Hoke Award for Excellence in Analysis.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, OBTS, Corrections Department, CCH, OBSCIS, Probation/Parole, Courts, Police Departments, Prosecutors, Sentencing Guidelines Database

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Department of Criminal Justice Services
 805 East Broad Street
 Richmond, VA 23219
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Clearinghouse of Information on Crime and the Criminal Justice System

A criminal justice library of over 4,000 volumes and 300 journals and periodicals is maintained in the SAC by a professional librarian. It is recognized by national and state library associations as a focal point for inter-library loans.

Data Sources: Clearinghouse
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Development and Maintenance of Offense Codes Specific to the State of Virginia

SAC staff produced an offense coding scheme specific to the Virginia statutes as a replacement for the general NCIC codes. This greater offense specificity will be utilized in sentencing and risk assessment research.

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Development of a Risk Assessment Database

The SAC is working with the Department of Corrections to redesign the pre-sentencing investigative report to include categorical items that may be easily automated. Socio-demographic, offense, and sentencing information will then be analyzed for risk assessment and describing sentencing patterns.

Data Sources: Probation/Parole
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
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Development, Monitoring, and Evaluation of Voluntary Sentencing Guidelines

The SAC serves as research staff to a committee of circuit court judges which is developing

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voluntary sentencing guidelines. The guidelines were pilot tested, evaluated, and recently approved for statewide expansion by Virginia's judiciary.

Data Sources:	Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
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Documenting Criminal Justice Trends and Patterns

The SAC contributes statistical analyses to an annual report which describes crime and justice in Virginia. The analyses identify historical trends and patterns of crime. Computerized graphics are used to depict the patterns.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, OBSCIS, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
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Provisions of Specialized Statistical and Policy Analysis and Interpretation of Criminal Justice Data

The SAC answers numerous requests for special data analyses from the Department of Corrections, the Parole Board, the State Police, the state legislature, the judiciary, and local criminal justice agencies. These analyses deal with issues such as jail and prison crowding, probation, AFIS, firearm laws, Victim Impact Statements, and habitual offenders.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, OBTS, CCH, OBSCIS, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	Statistical Analysis Center Department of Criminal Justice Services 805 East Broad Street Richmond, VA 23219
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WASHINGTON

Analysis: Recidivism Under Determinate Sentencing

The SAC is studying determinate sentencing to ensure that assumptions relating to recidivism for inmate forecasting are accurate. Software changes to the inmate model are anticipated.

Data Sources:	Corrections Department, OBTS
Date of Completion:	06/1989
Agency:	WA Statistical Analysis Center Office of Financial Management Insurance Building AQ-44 Olympia, WA 98504

Implementation of Criminal Justice Information Act

A recently enacted law mandates a centralized data storage system for adult and juvenile arrests, adult and juvenile dispositions (major focus convictions), and adult and juvenile sentencing information. The system provides electronic access to statewide law enforcement agencies and prosecutors. Juvenile cases will involve felonies only.

Data Sources:	OBTS, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	WA Statistical Analysis Center Office of Financial Management Insurance Building AQ-44 Olympia, WA 98504
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Juvenile Rehabilitation Institution Forecast

A juvenile rehabilitation forecast is developed annually using a policy informed component of change computer model. Assumptions for the forecast are set by a task force including staff from the Office of Financial Management and the Division of Juvenile Rehabilitation.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, Juvenile Information System, State Population Forecast
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	WA Statistical Analysis Center Office of Financial Management Insurance Building AQ-44 Olympia, WA 98504
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Monitoring Inmate Population Forecasts

The SAC provides an ongoing monthly and annual monitoring of inmate population forecast results.

Data Sources:	OBTS, Corrections Department, State Population Forecasts
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	WA Statistical Analysis Center Office of Financial Management Insurance Building AQ-44 Olympia, WA 98504
Contact:	Glenn Olson (206) 586-2501

Sentenced Felon Jail Forecast

Washington law requires that the SAC provide a jail population forecast for sentenced felons every other year.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, Jail Information System, Corrections Department, OBTS, County Population Forecast
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	WA Statistical Analysis Center Office of Financial Management Insurance Building AQ-44 Olympia, WA 98504
Contact:	Glenn Olson (206) 586-2501

The Prison Population Forecast

The SAC provides support to the Governor's Interagency Criminal Justice Work Group by monitoring, evaluating, and updating the inmate forecast. A number of reports are published annually.

Data Sources:	UCR/IBR, CCH, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System, Corrections Department, Courts, OBSCIS, State Population Forecasts
Date of Completion:	Continuing Activity
Agency:	WA Statistical Analysis Center Office of Financial Management Insurance Building AQ-44 Olympia, WA 98504
Contact:	Glenn Olson (206) 586-2501

WISCONSIN

Drug Arrest Trends in Wisconsin

The SAC report summarizes the trends in drug arrests over a 10-year period.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
 (608) 266-7644

Homicide Trend Study

Based on supplemental homicide reports furnished by UCR contributors from 1970 through 1985, the Wisconsin homicide trend study evaluates homicide patterns throughout the state.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Corrections Department
Date of Completion: 04/1989
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
 (608) 266-7682

Incident-Based UCR Development

With a grant from BJS and using FBI specifications, the SAC will facilitate the conversion of summary-based UCR data into incident-based data. This conversion, which is voluntary, will cover a wide range of jurisdictions.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments
Date of Completion: 12/1990
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
 (608) 266-7644

Information Flyers

The SAC prepares brief flyers on selected topics in criminal and juvenile justice. Flyers use UCR statistics and trend data to portray information in a non-technical, visual fashion for a general audience.

Data Sources: Courts, Corrections Department, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity

Agency: Wisconsin Statistical Analysis Center
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 330
 Madison, WI 53703
Contact: Stephen W. Grohmann
 (608) 266-7185

Juvenile Detention Survey

The program monitors the detention of juveniles in Wisconsin's county jails and juvenile detention centers. These data are provided by juvenile court intake workers in each county. An annual report is issued on the detention of juveniles in the state.

Data Sources: Survey, Jail Information System, Juvenile Information System
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Stephen Grohmann
 (608) 266-7185

Juvenile Restitution Programs in Wisconsin

This project consists of analyses of juvenile restitution projects in Wisconsin. Annual reports are published detailing program and client characteristics and trends.

Data Sources: Survey
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
 (608) 266-7644

Law Enforcement Computerization Summary

The SAC produces a survey of automation hardware and software and other applications maintained by major Wisconsin law enforcement agencies. The survey is used to assist agencies with automation questions and in planning the UCR-IBR system.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Survey, Sheriff Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Dean Jefferson
 (608) 266-9565

Sexual Assault Report

The Sexual Assault Report will analyze the demographic characteristics of sexual offenders and their victims, evaluate the frequency of crimes committed in the four categories of sexual assault, and provide an offender and victim profile based on information obtained from UCR contributors.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Stephen Grohmann
 (608) 266-7185

UCR Reports for Individual Law Enforcement Agencies

The SAC collects and analyzes UCR data for individual law enforcement agencies. In addition, the SAC prepares reports that include current UCR statistics and five year trends.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
 (608) 266-7644

Wisconsin County Jail Reports

The SAC collects limited information on jail populations in selected counties. Periodic reports are provided to these counties. Special reports are provided upon request to assist other counties in projecting future jail populations and planning jail construction/expansion.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Jail Information System
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
 Office of Justice Assistance
 30 West Mifflin Street
 Suite 1000
 Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
 (608) 266-7644

Wisconsin Crime and Arrests

UCR data is collected, maintained, and used to publish semi-annual and annual reports.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR

WISCONSIN-WYOMING

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Statistical Analysis Center
Office of Justice Assistance
30 West Mifflin Street
Suite 1000
Madison, WI 53702
Contact: Tom Eversen
(608) 266-7644

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AFIS

AFIS provides law enforcement with the computerized technology to scan, digitize and match fingerprints. Wyoming is a member state of the Western Identification Network (WIN).

Data Sources: AFIS
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Criminal Justice Information Section
Division of Criminal Investigation
316 West 22nd Street
Cheyenne, WY 82002
Contact: Kathy Kirby
(307) 777-7625

Career Criminal History (CCH)

The program is on-line and operational. State legislation requires mandatory reporting, collection, maintenance, and dissemination of criminal history record information.

Data Sources: CCH, Probation/Parole, Corrections Department, Courts, Prosecutors, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments, AFIS, UCR/IBR

Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Division of Criminal Investigation
Office of the Attorney General
316 West 22nd Street
Cheyenne, WY 82002
Contact: Gary Goad
(307) 777-7523

Domestic Violence Reporting Program

DCI will publish quarterly and annual reports on the number of incidents, types of violence involved, times of occurrence, and disposition of all domestic violence incidents reported.

Data Sources: Police Departments, Sheriff Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Criminal Justice Information Section
Division of Criminal Investigation
316 West 22nd Street
Cheyenne, WY 82002
Contact: Kathy Kirby
(307) 777-7625

UCR / Incident-Based Reporting

The IBR program is in the very early stages of development. Initial programming and testing began during the first quarter of 1990.

Data Sources: AFIS, CCH, Jail Information System, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments

Date of Completion: 09/1991
Agency: Criminal Justice Information Section
Division of Criminal Investigation
316 West 22nd Street
Cheyenne, WY 82002
Contact: Kathy Kirby
(307) 777-7625

Uniform Crime Report/Domestic Violence

The Criminal Justice Information Section publishes quarterly, semi-annual, and annual reports on UCR and domestic violence.

Data Sources: UCR/IBR, Police Departments, Sheriff Departments
Date of Completion: Continuing Activity
Agency: Criminal Justice Information Section
Division of Criminal Investigation
316 West 22nd Street
Cheyenne, WY 82002
Contact: Kathy Kirby
(307) 777-7625

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THE ORGANIZATION . . .

is a professional association of criminal justice analysts committed to providing accurate and timely information in support of sound policy development. It has over 180 members nationwide. CJSAs goals are to: 1) expand the analytical capabilities of state statistical agencies; 2) encourage cooperation among the states in addressing common policy-related problems; 3) promote the exchange of information and technology within the criminal justice community; and 4) facilitate liaison between the states and the Federal government. CJSAs was organized by the states in 1974 as a private, non-profit organization. Funding is provided by grants, contracts, and membership dues. CJSAs works closely with the U.S. Justice Department's Bureau of Justice Statistics and other Federal agencies to promote the effective use of criminal justice information and professional standards for analysts.

MEMBERSHIP . . .

is a national network of professionals representing every aspect of criminal justice operations and analysis. Representatives from state statistical agencies guide and set policy for the Association. Located in almost every state, these agencies—Statistical Analysis Centers (SACs)—conduct objective analyses to meet critical planning needs and address statewide and systemwide policy issues. Information contributing to viable, effective policy development is made available to decisionmakers through SAC statistical services, research, evaluation, and policy analysis. Originating as a professional association of SAC directors, a general membership now includes police, court, and juvenile planners; corrections researchers; and legislative analysts. These members enhance the SAC network and encourage a systemic approach to criminal justice problem solving.

THE SERVICES . . .

involve five program areas:

The Center for Decision Support is a division of the Association which provides training programs, technical assistance, and decision support tools to state and local policy analysts. Major activities include—

- *IMPACT, a criminal justice population projections software package for the personal computer.* IMPACT can run using any of four major projection methodologies. It allows users to evaluate the potential impact of legislative, policy, and demographic changes on criminal justice populations.
- *The Decision Support Users Group.* This professional network facilitates information exchange among IMPACT users and other criminal justice analysts involved in projections. It also provides a forum for communicating user needs to IMPACT development staff. Members receive training in the methodological, programmatic, and political issues involved in conducting projections.

The National Criminal Justice Computer Laboratory and Training Center—Washington, DC is operated by the Association's staff with partial funding from the Bureau of Justice Assistance. The Center provides hands-on training in microcomputer-based software for statistical, graphics, and operational applications. The Computer Center conducts demonstrations of public domain and private sector software and provides objective evaluations of computer products to assist criminal justice agencies in their purchasing decisions. These services are directed at police, court, prosecution, corrections,

research, and planning officials in agencies at all levels of government.

Research and Evaluation efforts by CJSAs presently focus on a national assessment of statewide drug control strategies. Funded by the Bureau of Justice Assistance, CJSAs is coordinating the Consortium for Drug Strategy Impact Evaluations to collect data series on law enforcement drug control activities, and analyze indicators of drug use and abuse. The Consortium serves as the vehicle by which technical assistance and data development funds are disseminated, based primarily on states' needs. The project's results will be used to inform future funding decisions by Congress and the Department of Justice in the area of drug enforcement.

Clearinghouse of State Policy Resources is maintained by the Association. This on-line index, called the Computerized Index to Data Sources (CIDS), allows CJSAs to identify state information which addresses a variety of policy issues. CIDS contains information on state policy research, published reports on crime and justice, and characteristics of research data sets. Many policy questions are answered with CIDS: What states are studying domestic violence, the impact of sentencing changes, or recidivism? What are the major policy issues in the states? What states have data on criminal histories, dispositions, parole? Requests for information are filled free of charge.

Professional Development is furthered through small group workshops and annual conferences. Members of the Association meet to address major policy issues and learn state-of-the-art statistical methods and computer technology. Several conferences and workshops we have offered addressed:

- drug control policy
- exploratory data analysis
- policy-oriented projection techniques
- presentation of data to policymakers
- prison and jail overcrowding
- risk assessment

THE PUBLICATIONS . . .

focus on state activity in criminal justice.

The Forum is the Association's newsletter and reports on current policy analysis in the states, applied techniques, legislative issues, and members' activities. The newsletter features the latest developments in microcomputer software and hardware. The FORUM highlights research methods and tested solutions used to address criminal justice problems. The FORUM is free to members or may be ordered independently.

The Trendsetter is published semi-annually and circulated among members of the Decision Support Users Group. Analysts working in criminal justice modeling and projections will find this newsletter especially useful since it addresses research, software, and other developments in the area of decision support.

The Briefing is sent to the CJSAs membership on an ad hoc basis. This one-page bulletin reports on the latest developments concerning national criminal justice issues, legislation, and Association matters.

The Directory of Criminal Justice Issues in the States is a directory of criminal justice programs and policy research conducted by the SACs. The activities are listed by state and indexed by issue

area. Published annually, *The Directory* is a handy reference to state initiatives in criminal justice and is the only compilation of its kind.

OBTS: A Foundation for Decision Support was developed by CJSA as a slide show presentation in 1986. The presentation describes the Offender-Based Transaction Statistical System and its usefulness in formulating policy. It is targeted at key people in the state decision-making process to promote the implementation and use of OBTS. The presentation is available to the public in a video format through the SACs.

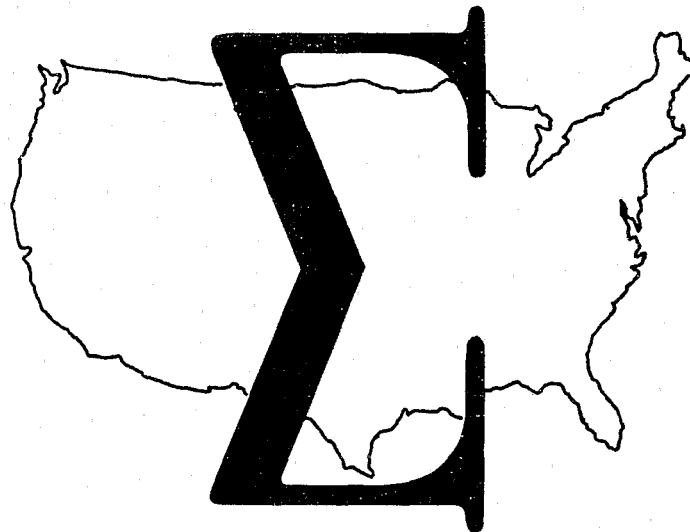
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