

Table 9
HATE CRIMES, 1995-1997
Events by Type of Crime

Type of crime	1995		1996		1997		Percent change 1995 - 1997
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Total.....	1,754	100.0	2,054	100.0	1,831	100.0	4.4
Violent crimes	1,370	78.1	1,551	75.5	1,352	73.8	-1.3
Murder.....	3	.2	4	.2	3	.2	-
Forcible rape.....	2	.1	2	.1	1	.1	-
Robbery.....	86	4.9	59	2.9	52	2.8	-39.5
Aggravated assault.....	273	15.6	381	18.5	317	17.3	16.1
Simple assault.....	324	18.5	393	19.1	352	19.2	8.6
Intimidation.....	682	38.9	712	34.7	627	34.2	-8.1
Property crimes	384	21.9	503	24.5	479	26.2	24.7
Burglary.....	30	1.7	43	2.1	22	1.2	-
Larceny-theft.....	7	.4	14	.7	14	.8	-
Motor vehicle theft.....	0	.0	1	.0	1	.1	-
Arson.....	16	.9	17	.8	18	1.0	-
Destruction/vandalism.....	331	18.9	428	20.8	424	23.2	28.1

Source: California Department of Justice, Hate Crime Statistical System.

Notes: Data resulting from new reporting programs should be collected for several years in order that statistical data can be properly analyzed.

Because of this, the Department of Justice recommends caution when comparing these annual data.

Percents may not add to subtotals or to 100.0 because of independent rounding.

Dash indicates that percent changes are not calculated when the base number is less than 50.