



2021

CALIFORNIA VEHICLE THEFT

DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL

THEFT AND RECOVERY DATA

A. THEFTS	2021	2020	% +/-
Automobile	72,349	73,414	-1.5%
Motorcycle	9,470	9,244	2.4%
Personal truck/Sport utility	94,785	82,981	14.2%
Commercial truck	1,587	1,267	25.3%
Recreational vehicle	2,409	2,262	6.5%
Trailer	10,074	8,819	14.2%
Other	4,202	2,952	42.3%
TOTAL	194,876	180,939	7.7%
B. RECOVERIES			
Automobile	68,646	70,458	-2.6%
Motorcycle	5,312	5,280	0.6%
Personal truck/Sport utility	87,627	77,640	12.9%
Commercial truck	1,390	1,031	34.8%
Recreational vehicle	1,247	1,164	7.1%
Trailer	5,446	4,372	24.6%
Other	1,986	1,519	30.7%
TOTAL	171,654	161,464	6.3%
C. RECOVERY RATE (%)			
Automobile	94.9%	96.0%	-1.1%
Motorcycle	56.1%	57.1%	-1.0%
Personal truck/Sport utility	92.4%	93.6%	-1.2%
Commercial truck	87.6%	81.4%	6.2%
Recreational vehicle	51.8%	51.5%	0.3%
Trailer	54.1%	49.6%	4.5%
Other	47.3%	51.5%	-4.2%
TOTAL	88.1%	89.2%	1.1%



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Thefts by County

COUNTY	2021	2020	% +/-	COUNTY	2021	2020	% +/-
Alameda	15,459	14,813	4.4%	Orange	9,586	9,480	1.1%
Amador	99	47	110.6%	Placer	852	735	15.9%
Butte	1,083	856	26.5%	Plumas	31	32	-3.1%
Calaveras	89	96	-7.3%	Riverside	11,448	11,803	-3.0%
Colusa	90	72	25.0%	Sacramento	7,238	6,094	18.8%
Contra Costa	4,962	5,112	-2.9%	San Benito	101	108	-6.5%
Del Norte	100	74	35.1%	San Bernardino	10,765	10,805	-0.4%
El Dorado	257	284	-9.5%	San Diego	12,347	10,175	21.3%
Fresno	5,326	4,369	21.9%	San Francisco	6,592	6,461	2.0%
Glenn	79	93	-15.1%	San Joaquin	3,179	3,251	-2.2%
Humboldt	769	568	35.4%	San Luis Obispo	609	519	17.3%
Imperial	540	464	16.4%	San Mateo	2,256	2,204	2.4%
Inyo	38	26	46.2%	Santa Barbara	2,001	1,864	7.3%
Kern	9,066	7,814	16.0%	Santa Clara	9,802	10,582	-7.4%
Kings	561	578	-2.9%	Santa Cruz	795	966	-17.7%
Lake	305	243	25.5%	Shasta	894	674	32.6%
Lassen	72	65	10.8%	Siskiyou	196	110	78.2%
Los Angeles	60,443	52,187	15.8%	Solano	2,181	2,286	-4.6%
Madera	527	480	9.8%	Sonoma	1,167	1,061	10.0%
Marin	792	913	-13.3%	Stanislaus	2,444	2,653	-7.9%
Mariposa	23	12	91.7%	Sutter	867	1,014	-14.5%
Mendocino	175	155	12.9%	Tehama	335	241	39.0%
Merced	1,632	1,274	28.1%	Trinity	49	46	6.5%
Modoc	10	5	100.0%	Tulare	2,075	2,017	2.9%
Mono	8	3	166.7%	Tuolumne	162	144	12.5%
Monterey	1,256	1,547	-18.8%	Ventura	1,362	1,723	-21.0%
Napa	267	348	-23.3%	Yolo	746	713	4.6%
Nevada	178	230	-22.6%	Yuba	149	212	-29.7%
				Other	441	237	86.1%

Total	2021	2020	% +/-
	194,876	180,938	7.7%



2021 Recoveries by County

COUNTY	2021	2020	% +/-	COUNTY	2021	2020	% +/-
Alameda	15,613	15,241	2.4%	Orange	7,369	8,001	-7.9%
Amador	55	46	19.6%	Placer	659	553	19.2%
Butte	930	703	32.3%	Plumas	15	8	87.5%
Calaveras	91	100	-9.0%	Riverside	9,801	10,131	-3.3%
Colusa	65	50	30.0%	Sacramento	7,000	6,178	13.3%
Contra Costa	4,719	4,886	-3.4%	San Benito	78	69	13.0%
Del Norte	62	61	1.6%	San Bernardino	9,673	9,854	-1.8%
El Dorado	189	231	-18.2%	San Diego	9,144	7,925	15.4%
Fresno	4,652	4,049	14.9%	San Francisco	5,663	5,475	3.4%
Glenn	77	69	11.6%	San Joaquin	2,686	2,887	-7.0%
Humboldt	699	506	38.1%	San Luis Obispo	655	579	13.1%
Imperial	349	312	11.9%	San Mateo	1,472	1,497	-1.7%
Inyo	35	24	45.8%	Santa Barbara	1,642	1,590	3.3%
Kern	7,746	6,706	15.5%	Santa Clara	8,507	9,231	-7.8%
Kings	431	437	-1.4%	Santa Cruz	640	829	-22.8%
Lake	318	223	42.6%	Shasta	733	554	32.3%
Lassen	53	56	-5.4%	Siskiyou	139	105	32.4%
Los Angeles	54,076	45,772	18.1%	Solano	2,120	2,242	-5.4%
Madera	468	419	11.7%	Sonoma	916	837	9.4%
Marin	520	558	-6.8%	Stanislaus	2,065	2,344	-11.9%
Mariposa	20	12	66.7%	Sutter	671	800	-16.1%
Mendocino	166	119	39.5%	Tehama	243	213	14.1%
Merced	1,489	1,212	22.9%	Trinity	41	30	36.7%
Modoc	13	1	1200.0%	Tulare	1,848	1,804	2.4%
Mono	9	3	200.0%	Tuolumne	139	89	56.2%
Monterey	1,093	1,432	-23.7%	Ventura	1,151	1,596	-27.9%
Napa	198	210	-5.7%	Yolo	605	573	5.6%
Nevada	142	151	-6.0%	Yuba	226	237	-4.6%
				Other	1,475	1,644	-10.3%

Total	2021	2020	% +/-
	171,654	161,464	6.3%

2021 TOP 40 HIGH THEFT - AUTOMOBILES

RANK	MAKE	MODEL	YEAR	NUMBER OF THEFTS
1	HONDA	CIVIC	2000	2,509
2	HONDA	CIVIC	1998	1,900
3	HONDA	CIVIC	1999	1,676
4	HONDA	CIVIC	1997	1,398
5	HONDA	ACCORD	1997	1,299
6	KIA	OPTIMA	2015	1,169
7	HONDA	ACCORD	1996	1,135
8	HONDA	CIVIC	1996	858
9	HONDA	ACCORD	1994	845
10	HONDA	ACCORD	1995	739
11	HONDA	CIVIC	1995	713
12	KIA	OPTIMA	2013	564
13	HONDA	CIVIC	1994	423
14	HONDA	ACCORD	1992	410
15	HONDA	ACCORD	1993	391
16	HONDA	CIVIC	1993	389
17	HYUNDAI	SONATA	2016	382
18	HYUNDAI	SONATA	2017	378
19	HYUNDAI	SONATA	2013	377
20	HYUNDAI	SONATA	2015	373
21	HONDA	ACCORD	1991	370
22	KIA	OPTIMA	2014	338
23	HYUNDAI	SONATA	2011	295
24	HONDA	ACCORD	2000	284
25	HONDA	ACCORD	2001	247
26	HONDA	ACCORD	2003	227
27	NISSAN	ALTIMA	2020	225
28	HONDA	ACCORD	2017	220
29	HONDA	CIVIC	2017	208
30	ACURA	INTEGRA	1994	205
31	HONDA	CIVIC	2019	189
32	HONDA	CIVIC	1992	186
33	HONDA	CIVIC	2016	185
34	HONDA	CIVIC	2018	184
35	TOYOTA	CAMRY	2018	169
36	HONDA	ACCORD	2018	154
37	HONDA	CIVIC	2020	151
38	DODGE	CHARGER	2020	142
39	HONDA	ACCORD	2014	128
40	DODGE	CHARGER	2019	117

2021 TOP 40 HIGH THEFT - PERSONAL TRUCKS

RANK	MAKE	MODEL	YEAR	NUMBER OF THEFTS
1	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2001	1,669
2	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2002	1,465
3	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2004	1,276
4	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2000	1,228
5	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2006	1,214
6	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2003	1,198
7	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2005	1,190
8	HONDA	CRV	2000	825
9	HONDA	CRV	2001	803
10	HONDA	CRV	1999	712
11	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2007	597
12	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	2002	579
13	FORD	F250	2003	578
14	HONDA	CRV	1998	573
15	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	1999	548
16	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	2001	536
17	FORD	F250	2006	518
18	FORD	F250	2004	509
19	GMC	SIERRA	2001	507
20	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	2003	480
21	GMC	SIERRA	2000	471
22	FORD	F250	2002	459
23	GMC	SIERRA	2005	449
24	GMC	SIERRA	2004	439
25	GMC	SIERRA	2006	435
26	CHEVROLET	TAHOE	2004	430
27	GMC	SIERRA	2002	406
28	FORD	F250	1999	405
29	CHEVROLET	SUBURBAN	2001	401
30	GMC	SIERRA	2003	376
31	FORD	F250	2005	371
32	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2021	343
33	GMC	YUKON	2004	329
34	FORD	F350	2006	323
35	GMC	YUKON	2003	310
36	CHEVROLET	SILVERADO	2020	298
37	GMC	SIERRA	2007	206
38	TOYOTA	TACOMA	2021	113
39	TOYOTA	TACOMA	2020	98
40	JEEP	WRANGLER	2020	96

2021 TOP 40 HIGH THEFT - MOTORCYCLES

RANK	MAKE	MODEL	YEAR	NUMBER OF THEFTS
1	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2015	125
2	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2016	112
3	SUZUKI	MOTORCYCLE	2007	109
4	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2006	98
5	KAWASAKI	MOTORCYCLE	2021	96
6	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2006	96
7	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2020	92
8	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2007	91
9	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2009	91
10	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2019	90
11	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2020	90
12	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2017	88
13	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2007	86
14	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2017	85
15	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2014	83
16	SUZUKI	MOTORCYCLE	2006	83
17	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2015	81
18	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2019	78
19	KAWASAKI	MOTORCYCLE	2019	78
20	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2020	77
21	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2003	74
22	KAWASAKI	MOTORCYCLE	2020	72
23	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2004	71
24	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2018	70
25	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2014	68
26	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2005	67
27	KAWASAKI	MOTORCYCLE	2009	67
28	KAWASAKI	MOTORCYCLE	2017	65
29	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2016	64
30	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2008	63
31	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2005	63
32	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2019	61
33	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2012	61
34	KAWASAKI	MOTORCYCLE	2013	58
35	YAMAHA	MOTORCYCLE	2018	57
36	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2018	56
37	HONDA	MOTORCYCLE	2021	55
38	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2006	53
39	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2017	51
40	HARLEY DAVIDSON	MOTORCYCLE	2021	49