

NATIONAL CRIME RECORDS BUREAU REPORT 2021

SUMMARY



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OVERALL CRIMES:

- Total of 60,96,310 cognizable crimes comprising 36,63,360 **Indian Penal Code** (IPC) crimes and 24,32,950 **Special & Local Laws** (SLL) crimes were registered in 2021. It shows a **decline** of 5,04,975 (**7.6%**) in **registration of cases over 2020** (66,01,285 cases).
- Crime rate registered per lakh population has declined from 487.8 in 2020 to 445.9 in 2021.
- During 2021, registration of cases under IPC has declined by 13.9% whereas SLL crimes have increased by 3.7% over 2020.
- **Percentage share of IPC** was **60.1%** while percentage share of **SLL** cases was **39.9%** of total cognizable crimes during 2021.
- Major decline was seen in the cases registered under Disobedience to order duly promulgated by Public Servant (Sec. 188 IPC) from 6,12,179 cases in 2020 to 3,22,115 cases in 2021 and under 'Other IPC Crimes' from 10,62,399 cases in 2020 to 4,96,535 cases in 2021.
- India reported 1,64,033 suicide cases in 2021, with Maharashtra (22,207) topping the list. The states that followed Maharashtra on the list are Tamil Nadu (18,925), Madhya Pradesh (14,965) and West Bengal (13,500).
- **Jharkhand** and **Maharashtra** filed the highest cases of **communal riots** last year with 100 and 77 cases respectively.
- The **conviction rate** in the **state of Uttar Pradesh** is the **highest** in most crimes in the country.

MURDER:

- A total of 29,272 cases of **murder** were registered during 2021, showing a **marginal** increase of 0.3% over 2020 (29,193 cases).
- 'Disputes' (9,765 cases) was the motive in highest number of murder cases during 2021 followed by 'Personal vendetta or enmity' (3,782 cases) and 'Gain' (1,692 cases).



KIDNAPPING & ABDUCTION:

- A total of 1,01,707 cases of **kidnapping & abduction** were registered during 2021, **showing an increase of 19.9% over 2020** (84,805 cases).
- A total of 1,04,149 (**17,605 male, 86,543 female and 1 transgender**) victims were reported kidnapped or abducted during 2021, out of which **69,014** (10,956 male and 58,058 female) **victims were children** and **35,135** (6,649 male, 28,485 female and 1 transgender) **victims were adult**.

PUBLIC TRANQUILITY:

- A total of 63,391 cases of **offenses against public tranquility** were registered under various sections of IPC during 2021, out of which **rioting** (41,954 cases) **accounted for 66.2%** of total such cases.
- The cases of **offenses against public tranquility have declined by 10.9%** in 2021 over 2020 (71,107 cases).

CRIME AGAINST WOMEN:

- A total of 4,28,278 **cases of crime against women** were registered during 2021, showing an **increase of 15.3% over 2020** (3,71,503 cases).
- Majority of cases under crime against women under IPC were registered under 'Cruelty by Husband or His Relatives' (31.8%) followed by 'Assault on Women with Intent to Outrage her Modesty' (20.8%), 'Kidnapping & Abduction of Women' (17.6%) and 'Rape' (7.4%).
- The crime rate registered per lakh women population is 64.5 in 2021 in comparison with 56.5 in 2020.
- Rajasthan recorded the highest number of rape cases in the country, while Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh followed.
- Uttar Pradesh tops the list with a maximum of 56,083 cases, followed by Rajasthan where as many as 40,738 cases were registered. Maharashtra and West Bengal stand in third and fourth position with 39,526 and 35,884 cases, respectively, of crime against women last year.

CRIME AGAINST CHILDREN:

- A total of 1,49,404 cases of **crime against children** were registered during 2021, **showing an increase of 16.2% over 2020** (1,28,531 cases).
- In percentage terms, major crime heads under 'Crime Against Children' during 2020 were Kidnapping & Abduction (45.0%) and Protection of Children from Sexual Offences Act, 2012 (38.1%) including child rape.
- The crime rate registered per lakh children population is 33.6 in 2021 in comparison with 28.9 in 2020.



CRIME AGAINST SENIOR CITIZENS:

- A total of 26,110 cases were registered for committing crime against Senior Citizens (aged above 60 years), showing an increase of 5.3% in registration over 2020 (24,794 cases).
- Crime head-wise cases revealed that simple hurt with 28.3% (7,396 cases) formed the highest chunk of cases of crimes against senior citizens followed by theft with 13.5% (3,531 cases) and FCF (Forgery, Cheating & Fraud) with 11.3% (2,948 cases) during 2021.

CRIME/ATROCITIES AGAINST SC AND ST:

- A total of 50,900 cases were registered for committing **crime against Scheduled Castes (SCs), showing an increase of 1.2%** over 2020 (50,291 cases).
- Crime rate registered showed an increase from 25.0 in 2020 to 25.3 in 2021.
- Crime head-wise cases revealed that **simple hurt** with **30.4%** (15,485 cases) formed the largest chunk of cases of crimes/atrocities against Scheduled Castes (SCs) during 2021.
- It was followed by cases under **SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act** with **10.3%** (5,269 cases) and cases under **Criminal Intimidation with 10.1%** (5,130 cases).
- A total of 8,802 cases were registered for committing **crime against Scheduled Tribes (STs), showing an increase of 6.4%** over 2020 (8,272 cases).
- Crime rate registered increased from 7.9 in 2020 to 8.4 in 2021.

PREVENTION OF CORRUPTION ACT & CYBERCRIMES:

- A total of 3,745 cases have been registered in 2021 by the State Anti-Corruption Bureaux (ACBs) as compared to 3,123 cases in 2020, showing an increase of 19.9%.
- Out of 3,745 Cases, 67.6% were Trap Cases (2,532) followed by 13.6 % of Criminal Misconduct (511 Cases).
- A total of 52,974 cases were registered under **Cyber Crimes**, **showing an increase of 5.9% in registration over 2020** (50,035 cases).
- Crime rate under this category increased from 3.7 in 2020 to 3.9 in 2021.
- During 2021, **60.8%** of cyber-crime cases registered were for the **motive of fraud** (32,230 out of 52,974 cases) followed by **sexual exploitation with 8.6%** (4,555 cases) and **extortion with 5.4%** (2,883 cases).

ENVIRONMENT-RELATED OFFENSE:

- During the year 2021, a total of 64,471 cases were registered under Environment Related Offenses as compared to 61,767 cases in the year 2020, showing an increase of 4.4%.
- Crime head-wise cases revealed that the cases registered under **The Cigarette and Other Tobacco Products Act (COTPA) with 83.8%** (54,024 Cases) were the highest followed by **Noise Pollution Acts (State/Central) with 11.2%** (7,217 Cases).



OFFENSES AGAINST STATE:

- A total of 5,164 cases have been registered in 2021 as compared to 5,613 cases in the year 2020, **showing a decrease of 8.0%**.
- Out of 5,162 cases, 79.2% of cases were registered under The Prevention of Damage to Public Property Act (4,089 Cases) followed by 814 (15.8%) cases under The Unlawful Activities Prevention Act.
- **Jammu and Kashmir** registered the most Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA) cases under the 'special and local laws' in 2021, as per NCRB data.
- Of the total 814 cases under the UAPA in India, J&K lodged 289 cases last year, followed by Manipur (157), Assam (95), Jharkhand (86) and Uttar Pradesh (83).





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