

City Crime Rankings 2013

Rankings by Population Categories

Cities of 500,000 or more population (33 cities)*

Lowest Crime Rate Ranking

1. El Paso, TX
2. San Diego, CA
3. New York, NY
4. Austin, TX
5. San Jose, CA
6. Los Angeles, CA
7. Portland, OR
8. Charlotte, NC
9. Seattle, WA
10. San Antonio, TX

Highest Crime Rate Ranking*

1. Detroit, MI
2. Baltimore, MD
3. Memphis, TN
4. Philadelphia, PA
5. Washington, DC
6. Indianapolis, IN
7. Milwaukee, WI
8. Columbus, OH
9. Oklahoma City, OK
10. Houston, TX

Cities of 100,000 to 499,000 population (244 cities)

Lowest Crime Rate Ranking

1. Naperville, IL
2. Amherst, NY
3. Irvine, CA
4. Simi Valley, CA
5. Cary, NC
6. Thousand Oaks, CA
7. Gilbert, AZ
8. Surprise, AZ
9. Frisco, TX
10. Glendale, CA

Highest Crime Rate Ranking

1. Flint, MI
2. St. Louis, MO
3. Oakland, CA
4. Cleveland, OH
5. Birmingham, AL
6. New Orleans, LA
7. Newark, NJ
8. Jackson, MS
9. Atlanta, GA
10. Little Rock, AR TX

Cities of 75,000 to 99,999 population (155 cities)

Lowest Crime Rate Ranking

1. Fishers, IN
2. Johns Creek, GA
3. O'Fallon, MO
4. Carmel, IN
5. Newton, MA
6. Mission Viejo, CA
7. Ramapo, NY
8. Clarkstown, NY
9. Colonie, NY
10. Arlington Heights, IL

Highest Crime Rate Ranking

1. Camden, NJ
2. Gary, IN
3. Trenton, NJ
4. Compton, CA
5. Lawrence, MA
6. Macon, GA
7. Reading, PA
8. Brockton, MA
9. Miami Beach, FL
10. Albany, GA

Note: Rankings calculated by CQ Press from FBI Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) 2011 data, released Fall 2012.

* List of 33 largest cities does not include Chicago, because Chicago does not tabulate rape statistics in conformity with the UCR program. If cities of 500,000+ population were ranked on the remaining crimes (excluding rape), Chicago would have the 6th highest crime rating, below Philadelphia and Washington, DC, but above Indianapolis and Milwaukee.