

7A Positive childhood and transition to adulthood — attachment

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Table 7A.3.1 Indigenous employment in schools

	Government schools					Catholic schools				
	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Number of Indigenous teachers (b), (c)	1 338	1 350	1 473	1 493	1 459	52	66	72	73	106
Indigenous teachers as a proportion of all teachers (%) (b), (c)	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Indigenous students as a proportion of all students (%) (d)	4.5	4.7	4.9	5.1	5.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.6
Number of AIEWs in schools (b), (c), (e), (f)	1 406	1 441	1 435	1 459	1 570	442	477	495	523	461
Ratio of Indigenous students to Indigenous teachers and AIEWs (b), (c), (d)	27.1	26.2	26.4	25.9	25.8	28.8	28.0	27.8	27.6	32.1
Number of Indigenous staff in schools including teachers, specialist support staff (including teacher aides and AIEWs), administrative and clerical staff (b), (c), (g), (h)	2 824	3 239	3 211	3 273	3 761	473	535	552	562	548
Total number of staff in schools including teachers, specialist support staff (including teacher aides and AIEWs), administrative and clerical staff	214 363	212 594	232 249	236 524	238 874	56 268	58 451	62 634	64 324	63 647
Indigenous staff as a proportion of all staff in schools (%) (i)	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.6	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9
Indigenous administrative and clerical staff as a proportion of all administrative and clerical staff (%)	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.0	3.6	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.7	3.3

AIEWs = Aboriginal and Islander Education Workers.

(a) The number of Indigenous students in Catholic schools is based on the number in all Catholic schools, not just IESIP funded Catholic systems. Staff numbers are those in IESIP funded Catholic systems.

(b) For some states these figures are based on actual numbers and for some others it is based on full time equivalent (FTE).

(c) Figures are not to be considered as nationally reflective because not all states reported on employment in any one year.

(d) Catholic Schools' enrolment data includes some other non government schools including many indigenous run schools that have greatly influenced the results.

(e) Figure for 2001 includes 140 teacher aides in Queensland who are not classified as AIEWs because they are not placed in identified positions.

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(f)	Includes school and non school bases AIEWs.
(g)	Changes in the way staffing in the category 'specialist support staff' was reported by two state departments in 2003 means that it is not possible to provide a consistent picture of change over the period 2002-03.
(h)	Total for government schools in 2001 is less than the sum of numbers for Indigenous teachers and AIEWs because the total Indigenous staff numbers in government schools does not include 140 teacher aides in Queensland not classified as AIEWs.

Source: DEST Indigenous Education Strategic Initiatives Programme (IESIP) performance reports 2001–2005 (unpublished).

Table 7A.3.2

Table 7A.3.2 Aboriginal and Islander Education Workers in government and Catholic schools who have completed or are undertaking professional development leading to formal qualifications

	Degree		Diploma		Certificate		Total		Total AIEWs	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
2001										
Government schools (a)	64	4.6	49	3.5	327	23.3	440	31.3	1 406	
Catholic schools	68	15.4	63	14.3	77	17.4	208	47.1	442	
2002										
Government schools (a)	67	4.6	75	5.2	345	23.9	487	33.8	1 441	
Catholic schools	85	17.8	66	13.8	103	21.6	254	53.2	477	
2003										
Government schools (a)	106	7.4	93	6.5	357	24.9	556	38.7	1 435	
Catholic schools	80	16.2	77	15.6	95	19.2	252	50.9	495	
2004										
Government schools (a)	143	9.8	80	5.5	369	25.3	592	40.6	1 459	
Catholic schools	82	15.7	82	15.7	83	15.9	247	47.2	523	
2005										
Government schools (b) (c)	111	7.1	232	14.8	274	17.5	617	39.3	1 570	
Catholic schools	114	24.7	59	12.8	92	20.0	265	57.5	461	

AIEWs = Aboriginal and Islander Education Workers.

(a) Previously published overall numbers of AIEWs for the period 2001–2004 have been revised following the submission of revised data from Northern Territory government schools.

(b) Does not include data from NSW government schools in 2005.

(c) The increase in AIEWs undertaking diploma courses in 2005 was because of a decision by the SA Department of Education and Children's Services to make it compulsory for AIEWs to have a diploma qualification.

Source: DEST IESIP performance reports 2001–2005 (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.1

Table 7A.4.1 **NSW, alleged juvenile offenders (aged 10–17 years) proceeded against by police, by offence type, 2004 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Proceeded against to court					
Homicide	no.	–	7	–	7
Assault	no.	760	1 311	100	2 171
Sexual offences	no.	26	104	13	143
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	3	10	–	13
Robbery	no.	126	457	18	601
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	72	111	12	195
Other offences against the person	no.	8	18	1	27
Theft	no.	1 722	2 623	188	4 533
Arson	no.	13	53	1	67
Malicious damage to property	no.	405	691	48	1 144
Drug offences	no.	82	309	23	414
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	44	95	6	145
Disorderly conduct	no.	473	619	31	1 123
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Liquor offences	no.	4	11	–	15
Pornography offences	no.	–	2	–	2
Prostitution offences	no.	–	1	–	1
Against justice procedures	no.	1 055	1 631	90	2 776
Transport regulatory offences	no.	17	71	3	91
Other offences	no.	102	155	9	266
Total	no.	4 912	8 279	543	13 734
Infringement Notice					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	–	1	–	1
Sexual offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	–	–	–	–
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	–	–	–	–
Other offences against the person	no.	–	–	–	–
Theft	no.	3	19	–	22
Arson	no.	–	–	–	–
Malicious damage to property	no.	1	22	2	25
Drug offences	no.	–	2	–	2
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	12	126	11	149

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Disorderly conduct	no.	20	50	1	71
Betting and gaming offences	no.	1	2	–	3
Liquor offences	no.	70	1 367	56	1 493
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Against justice procedures	no.	13	102	5	120
Transport regulatory offences	no.	196	4 179	573	4 948
Other offences	no.	41	475	29	545
Total	no.	357	6 345	677	7 379
Referral to youth justice conference					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	28	108	6	142
Sexual offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	–	10	–	10
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	1	5	–	6
Other offences against the person	no.	–	–	–	–
Theft	no.	135	535	38	708
Arson	no.	1	16	1	18
Malicious damage to property	no.	60	154	7	221
Drug offences	no.	2	19	–	21
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	4	9	–	13
Disorderly conduct	no.	12	41	3	56
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Liquor offences	no.	–	2	–	2
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Against justice procedures	no.	1	4	–	5
Transport regulatory offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Other offences	no.	1	12	–	13
Total	no.	245	915	55	1 215
Caution - Young Offenders Act					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	215	850	85	1 150
Sexual offences	no.	–	3	1	4
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	1	1

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Robbery	no.	4	6	–	10
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	8	52	8	68
Other offences against the person	no.	2	5	1	8
Theft	no.	705	4 288	195	5 188
Arson	no.	10	40	8	58
Malicious damage to property	no.	199	1 106	60	1 365
Drug offences	no.	61	717	34	812
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	22	197	2	221
Disorderly conduct	no.	156	568	20	744
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Liquor offences	no.	3	63	2	68
Pornography offences	no.	–	1	–	1
Prostitution offences	no.	–	1	–	1
Against justice procedures	no.	24	91	2	117
Transport regulatory offences	no.	6	34	–	40
Other offences	no.	34	170	10	214
Total	no.	1 449	8 192	429	10 070
Warning					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	94	362	33	489
Sexual offences	no.	2	11	1	14
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	–	–	–	–
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	21	168	21	210
Other offences against the person	no.	5	22	–	27
Theft	no.	324	1 419	101	1 844
Arson	no.	18	54	3	75
Malicious damage to property	no.	214	778	86	1 078
Drug offences	no.	27	308	13	348
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	72	355	12	439
Disorderly conduct	no.	533	1 883	165	2 581
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Liquor offences	no.	102	2 405	150	2 657
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	2	6	1	9

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	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Against justice procedures	no.	31	87	7	125
Transport regulatory offences	no.	183	5 013	495	5 691
Other offences	no.	157	876	57	1 090
Total	no.	1 785	13 747	1 145	16 677
Total of above categories					
Homicide	no.	–	7	–	7
Assault	no.	1 097	2 632	224	3 953
Sexual offences	no.	28	118	15	161
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	3	10	1	14
Robbery	no.	130	473	18	621
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	102	336	41	479
Other offences against the person	no.	15	45	2	62
Theft	no.	2 889	8 884	522	12 295
Arson	no.	42	163	13	218
Malicious damage to property	no.	879	2 751	203	3 833
Drug offences	no.	172	1 355	70	1 597
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	154	782	31	967
Disorderly conduct	no.	1 194	3 161	220	4 575
Betting and gaming offences	no.	1	2	–	3
Liquor offences	no.	179	3 848	208	4 235
Pornography offences	no.	–	3	–	3
Prostitution offences	no.	2	8	1	11
Against justice procedures	no.	1 124	1 915	104	3 143
Transport regulatory offences	no.	402	9 297	1071	10 770
Other offences	no.	335	1 688	105	2 128
Total	no.	8 748	37 478	2 849	49 075

(a) This table represents persons of interest (POIs) or alleged offenders who have come to the attention of NSW Police for a recorded criminal incident (driving offences are excluded). Not all crimes have an associated POI. The table only shows POIs whom the police have taken action against. 'Proceeded against to court' includes the issue of court attendance notices, charges and summonses. 'Referred to Youth Justice Conference' shows police conference referrals but excludes court referrals.

(b) Under the *Young Offenders Act 1997*, when police apprehend a young person they must first consider whether the young person is entitled to be diverted under the Act by way of warning, caution or youth justice conference.

(c) Excluded from this table were 1 345 juvenile POIs whose status was recorded by police as 'legal process - not further classified'.

(d) Indigenous status is based on self-identification by the juvenile.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistic & Research (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.2

Table 7A.4.2 NSW, alleged juvenile offenders (aged 10–17 years) proceeded against by police, by offence type, 2005 (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Proceeded against to court					
Homicide	no.	3	10	1	14
Assault	no.	654	1 574	109	2 337
Sexual offences	no.	34	144	10	188
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	5	4	1	10
Robbery	no.	159	633	11	803
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	54	173	8	235
Other offences against the person	no.	10	19	1	30
Theft	no.	1 784	2 487	151	4 422
Arson	no.	15	25	3	43
Malicious damage to property	no.	397	880	42	1 319
Drug offences	no.	80	294	5	379
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	59	158	6	223
Disorderly conduct	no.	434	669	35	1 138
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	1	–	1
Liquor offences	no.	4	8	1	13
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Against justice procedures	no.	1 060	1 702	82	2 844
Transport regulatory offences	no.	13	102	7	122
Other offences	no.	56	136	2	194
Total	no.	4 821	9 019	475	14 315
Infringement Notice					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	–	1	–	1
Sexual offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	–	–	–	–
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	–	–	–	–
Other offences against the person	no.	–	–	–	–
Theft	no.	–	35	5	40
Arson	no.	–	2	–	2
Malicious damage to property	no.	1	23	1	25
Drug offences	no.	–	1	–	1
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	10	141	22	173

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	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Disorderly conduct	no.	6	48	5	59
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	4	–	4
Liquor offences	no.	74	1 189	69	1 332
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Against justice procedures	no.	32	130	6	168
Transport regulatory offences	no.	284	4 184	531	4 999
Other offences	no.	39	437	37	513
Total	no.	446	6 195	676	7 317
Referral to youth justice conference					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	37	128	9	174
Sexual offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	–	2	1	3
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	2	6	1	9
Other offences against the person	no.	1	–	–	1
Theft	no.	202	321	15	538
Arson	no.	11	17	–	28
Malicious damage to property	no.	48	351	8	407
Drug offences	no.	2	16	–	18
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	6	10	1	17
Disorderly conduct	no.	15	45	2	62
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Liquor offences	no.	1	–	–	1
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Against justice procedures	no.	7	9	–	16
Transport regulatory offences	no.	–	2	–	2
Other offences	no.	2	9	–	11
Total	no.	334	916	37	1 287
Caution - Young Offenders Act					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	192	982	78	1 252
Sexual offences	no.	2	7	–	9
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	2	18	–	20

Table 7A.4.2

Table 7A.4.2 NSW, alleged juvenile offenders (aged 10–17 years) proceeded against by police, by offence type, 2005 (a) (b) (c)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	9	66	6	81
Other offences against the person	no.	–	5	–	5
Theft	no.	761	3 991	164	4 916
Arson	no.	10	65	3	78
Malicious damage to property	no.	229	1 331	75	1 635
Drug offences	no.	57	622	20	699
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	35	197	2	234
Disorderly conduct	no.	161	710	39	910
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Liquor offences	no.	4	41	1	46
Pornography offences	no.	–	1	2	3
Prostitution offences	no.	–	1	–	1
Against justice procedures	no.	20	117	2	139
Transport regulatory offences	no.	4	41	2	47
Other offences	no.	17	137	4	158
Total	no.	1 503	8 332	398	10 233
Warning					
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	–
Assault	no.	92	354	42	488
Sexual offences	no.	5	10	3	18
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	–	–	–	–
Robbery	no.	–	–	–	–
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	51	190	20	261
Other offences against the person	no.	2	6	–	8
Theft	no.	328	1 284	92	1 704
Arson	no.	17	47	3	67
Malicious damage to property	no.	273	948	70	1 291
Drug offences	no.	17	193	9	219
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	73	421	20	514
Disorderly conduct	no.	657	2 429	163	3 249
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	2	–	2
Liquor offences	no.	163	2 962	171	3 296
Pornography offences	no.	–	–	–	–
Prostitution offences	no.	4	9	1	14
Against justice procedures	no.	30	128	12	170

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	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous (d)</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
Transport regulatory offences	no.	164	4 104	502	4 770
Other offences	no.	172	992	69	1 233
Total	no.	2 048	14 079	1 177	17 304
Total of above categories					
Homicide	no.	3	10	1	14
Assault	no.	975	3 039	238	4 252
Sexual offences	no.	41	161	13	215
Abduction and kidnapping	no.	5	4	1	10
Robbery	no.	161	653	12	826
Blackmail and extortion	no.	–	–	–	–
Harassment, threatening behaviour and private nuisance	no.	116	435	35	586
Other offences against the person	no.	13	30	1	44
Theft	no.	3 075	8 118	427	11 620
Arson	no.	53	156	9	218
Malicious damage to property	no.	948	3 533	196	4 677
Drug offences	no.	156	1 126	34	1 316
Prohibited and regulated weapons offences	no.	183	927	51	1 161
Disorderly conduct	no.	1 273	3 901	244	5 418
Betting and gaming offences	no.	–	7	–	7
Liquor offences	no.	246	4 200	242	4 688
Pornography offences	no.	–	1	2	3
Prostitution offences	no.	4	10	1	15
Against justice procedures	no.	1 149	2 086	102	3 337
Transport regulatory offences	no.	465	8 433	1 042	9 940
Other offences	no.	286	1 711	112	2 109
Total	no.	9 152	38 541	2 763	50 456

(a) This table represents persons of interest (POIs) or alleged offenders who have come to the attention of NSW Police for a recorded criminal incident (driving offences are excluded). Not all crimes have an associated POI. The table only shows POIs whom the police have taken action against. 'Proceeded against to court' includes the issue of court attendance notices, charges and summonses. 'Referred to Youth Justice Conference' shows police conference referrals but excludes court referrals.

(b) Under the *Young Offenders Act 1997*, when police apprehend a young person they must first consider whether the young person is entitled to be diverted under the Act by way of warning, caution or youth justice conference.

(c) Excluded from this table were 1 337 juvenile POIs whose status was recorded by police as 'legal process - not further classified'.

(d) Indigenous status is based on self-identification by the juvenile.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistic & Research (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.4

Table 7A.4.4 NSW, juvenile diversions, 2005 (a) (b) (c) (d)

	Unit	Indigenous			Non-Indigenous			Unknown			Total		
		Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
		no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
Proceeded against other than to court													
Youth conference	no.	278	56	334	822	94	916	35	2	37	1 135	152	1 287
Cautions - Young	no.	1 048	455	1 503	6 043	2 288	8 332	280	117	398	7 371	2 860	10 233
Warning	no.	1 534	514	2 048	10 466	3 610	14 079	835	341	1 177	12 835	4 465	17 304
Infringement Notice	no.	328	118	446	4 674	1 519	6 195	480	196	676	5 482	1 833	7 317
Total	no.	3 188	1 143	4 331	22 005	7 511	29 522	1 630	656	2 288	26 823	9 310	36 141
Proceeded against to court	no.	4 009	812	4 821	7 404	1 608	9 019	406	68	475	11 819	2 488	14 315
Legal process not further classified	no.	145	49	194	786	286	1 074	50	19	69	981	354	1 335

(a) This table represents persons of interest (POIs) or alleged offenders who have come to the attention of NSW Police for a recorded criminal incident (driving offences are excluded). Not all crimes have an associated POI. The table only shows POIs whom the police have taken action against.

(b) Indigenous status based on self-identification by the juvenile.

(c) Under the *Young Offenders Act 1997*, when police apprehend a young person they must first consider whether the young person is entitled to be diverted under the Act by way of warning, caution or youth justice conference.

(d) This table shows the various legal processes NSW Police can employ against alleged offenders.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Unkn** Unknown.

Source: NSW Bureau of Crime Statistic & Research (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.5

Table 7A.4.5 **Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, 2002-03 (a)**

Unit	Arrest		Caution		Summons		Other (b)		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Crime against the person	no. 56	773	9	340	109	1 441	27	398	201	2 952
	% 27.9	26.2	4.5	11.5	54.2	48.8	13.4	13.5	100.0	100.0
Crime against property	no. 336	3 590	162	5 103	411	5 236	44	787	953	14 716
	% 35.3	24.4	17.0	34.7	43.1	35.6	4.6	5.3	100.0	100.0
Drug Offences	no. 10	167	3	256	6	150	–	22	19	595
	% 52.6	28.1	15.8	43.0	31.6	25.2	–	3.7	100.0	100.0
Other Crime	no. 53	502	24	825	166	2 378	8	226	251	3 931
	% 21.1	12.8	9.6	21.0	66.1	60.5	3.2	5.7	100.0	100.0
Total	no. 455	5 032	198	6 524	692	9 205	79	1 433	1 424	22 194
	% 32.0	22.7	13.9	29.4	48.6	41.5	5.5	6.5	100.0	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer. Data with an 'unknown' Indigenous status are excluded from this table.

(b) 'Other' includes complaint withdrawn, alleged offender is underage, insane or deceased, or warrant issued.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.6

Table 7A.4.6 Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, 2003-04 (a)

Unit	Arrest		Caution		Summons		Other (b)		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Crime against the person										
no.	71	631	7	391	105	1 332	25	405	208	2 759
%	34.1	22.9	3.4	14.2	50.5	48.3	12.0	14.7	100.0	100.0
Crime against										
no.	448	3 083	134	4 449	303	4 902	58	562	943	12 996
%	47.5	23.7	14.2	34.2	32.1	37.7	6.2	4.3	100.0	100.0
Drug Offences										
no.	11	114	3	242	4	180	1	15	19	551
%	57.9	20.7	15.8	43.9	21.1	32.7	5.3	2.7	100.0	100.0
Other Crime										
no.	75	426	18	791	200	2 227	13	188	306	3 632
%	24.5	11.7	5.9	21.8	65.4	61.3	4.2	5.2	100.0	100.0
Total	605	4 254	162	5 873	612	8 641	97	1 170	1 476	19 938
%	41.0	21.3	11.0	29.5	41.5	43.3	6.6	5.9	100.0	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer. Data with an 'unknown' Indigenous status are excluded from this table.

(b) 'Other' includes complaint withdrawn, alleged offender is underage, insane or deceased, or warrant issued.

Indig Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.7

Table 7A.4.7 **Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, 2004-05 (a)**

	Unit	Arrest		Caution		Summons		Other (b)		Total	
		Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Crime against the person	no.	121	1 143	12	331	143	1 930	31	540	307	3 944
	%	39.4	29.0	3.9	8.4	46.6	48.9	10.1	13.7	100.0	100.0
Crime against	no.	444	3 839	137	4 160	311	5 724	42	854	934	14 777
	%	47.5	26.0	14.7	28.2	33.3	38.7	4.5	5.8	100.0	100.0
Drug Offences	no.	7	194	5	303	9	165	1	25	22	687
	%	31.8	28.2	22.7	44.1	40.9	24.0	4.5	3.6	100.0	100.0
Other Crime	no.	90	646	27	707	159	2 726	12	261	288	4 340
	%	31.3	14.9	9.4	16.3	55.2	62.8	4.2	6.0	100.0	100.0
Total	no.	662	5 822	181	5 501	622	10 545	86	1 680	1 551	23 548
	%	42.7	24.7	11.7	23.4	40.1	44.8	5.5	7.1	100.0	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer. Data with an 'unknown' Indigenous status are excluded from this table.

(b) 'Other' includes complaint withdrawn, alleged offender is underage, insane or deceased, or warrant issued.

Indig Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.8

Table 7A.4.8 Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, 2005-06 (a)

Unit	Arrest		Caution		Summons		Other (b)		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Crime against the person	no. 83	921	16	425	133	2 272	23	438	255	4 056
	% 32.5	22.7	6.3	10.5	52.2	56.0	9.0	10.8	100.0	100.0
Crime against property	no. 573	3 815	119	4 761	329	6 332	31	644	1 052	15 552
	% 54.5	24.5	11.3	30.6	31.3	40.7	2.9	4.1	100.0	100.0
Drug Offences	no. 9	132	3	285	7	186	–	14	19	617
	% 47.4	21.4	15.8	46.2	36.8	30.1	–	2.3	100.0	100.0
Other Crime	no. 92	682	19	927	162	2 203	8	193	281	4 005
	% 32.7	17.0	6.8	23.1	57.7	55.0	2.8	4.8	100.0	100.0
Total	no. 757	5 550	157	6 398	631	10 993	62	1 289	1 607	24 230
	% 47.1	22.9	9.8	26.4	39.3	45.4	3.9	5.3	100.0	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer. Data with an 'unknown' Indigenous status are excluded from this table.

(b) 'Other' includes complaint withdrawn, alleged offender is underage, insane or deceased, or warrant issued.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.9

Table 7A.4.9 Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, by type of offence, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Unit	Arrest			Caution			Summons			Total		
		Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn
Homicide	no.	—	9	2	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	16	2
Rape	no.	9	10	4	—	—	—	—	26	5	9	36	9
Sex (non rape)	no.	8	52	3	1	15	2	4	212	49	13	279	54
Robbery	no.	33	254	41	—	12	2	10	178	23	43	444	66
Assault	no.	68	766	75	11	303	47	128	1 491	203	207	2 560	325
Abduction/Kidnap	no.	3	52	5	—	1	—	1	16	2	4	69	7
Crime against the person	no.	121	1 143	130	12	331	51	143	1 930	282	276	3 404	463
Arson	no.	1	57	3	1	73	10	1	70	7	3	200	20
Property damage	no.	30	628	32	19	612	86	65	1 366	147	114	2 606	265
Burglary (agg)	no.	30	85	10	—	5	2	—	33	5	30	123	17
Burglary (res)	no.	96	349	30	3	139	22	18	304	32	117	792	84
Burglary (other)	no.	62	331	26	25	324	96	37	418	53	124	1 073	175
Deception	no.	5	129	22	1	68	6	5	341	82	11	538	110
Handle stolen goods	no.	14	211	27	3	50	6	15	278	43	32	539	76
Theft from m/car	no.	39	427	48	5	134	39	43	550	82	87	1 111	169
Theft (shop steal)	no.	48	415	44	60	2 125	350	42	884	142	150	3 424	536
Theft of car	no.	66	747	64	7	223	39	54	670	94	127	1 640	197
Theft (bicycle)	no.	3	37	1	4	70	10	3	88	12	10	195	23
Theft (other)	no.	50	423	57	9	337	91	28	722	118	87	1 482	266
Crime against property	no.	444	3 839	364	137	4 160	757	311	5 724	817	892	13 723	1 938

Table 7A.4.9

Table 7A.4.9 Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, by type of offence, 2004-05 (a) (b)

Unit	Arrest			Caution			Summons			Total		
	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn
Drugs (cult/man/traff)	1	61	11	–	9	1	–	28	2	1	98	14
Drugs (poss/use)	6	133	17	5	294	34	9	137	13	20	564	64
Drug Offences	7	194	28	5	303	35	9	165	15	21	662	78
Going equipped to steal	6	28	6	–	2	–	4	40	7	10	70	13
Justice procedures	50	250	35	2	45	10	22	360	40	74	655	85
Regulated public order	1	30	4	2	158	17	22	551	60	25	739	81
Weapons/explosives	8	124	11	2	127	14	26	295	53	36	546	78
Harassment	–	38	–	–	22	1	–	22	2	–	82	3
Behaviour in public	17	79	8	5	61	7	35	338	48	57	478	63
Other	8	97	17	16	292	68	50	1 120	102	74	1 509	187
Other Crime	90	646	81	27	707	117	159	2 726	312	276	4 079	510
Total	662	5 822	603	181	5 501	960	622	10 545	1 426	1 465	21 868	2 989

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(b) Other methods of processing juvenile alleged offenders (including complaint withdrawn, offender is underage, insane or deceased, or warrant issued) were excluded from this table.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Unkn** Unknown. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.10

Table 7A.4.10 Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, by type of offence, 2005-06 (a) (b)

	Unit	Arrest			Caution			Summons			Total		
		Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn
Homicide	no.	—	12	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	2	13	1
Rape	no.	—	4	—	—	—	—	1	40	3	1	44	3
Sex (non rape)	no.	4	41	14	—	16	3	1	280	68	5	337	85
Robbery	no.	23	293	7	—	23	2	7	232	15	30	548	24
Assault	no.	54	558	71	16	383	48	122	1708	212	192	2 649	331
Abduction/Kidnap	no.	2	13	—	—	3	—	—	11	—	2	27	—
Crime against the person	no.	83	921	92	16	425	53	133	2 272	299	232	3 618	444
Arson	no.	6	135	9	1	80	8	—	142	12	7	357	29
Property damage	no.	25	511	44	24	890	133	77	1825	161	126	3 226	338
Burglary (agg)	no.	34	53	20	—	6	1	—	87	13	34	146	34
Burglary (res)	no.	90	275	66	8	209	38	31	314	79	129	798	183
Burglary (other)	no.	44	510	59	20	442	83	41	481	54	105	1 433	196
Deception	no.	5	138	26	2	148	32	2	205	52	9	491	110
Handle stolen goods	no.	16	173	23	3	74	12	14	244	25	33	491	60
Theft from m/car	no.	126	461	72	8	186	27	17	551	64	151	1 198	163
Theft (shop steal)	no.	57	377	69	32	1878	295	55	783	102	144	3 038	466
Theft of car	no.	118	820	204	4	310	41	45	852	110	167	1 982	355
Theft (bicycle)	no.	4	34	5	2	85	13	4	98	9	10	217	27
Theft (other)	no.	48	328	69	15	453	59	43	750	66	106	1 531	194
Crime against property	no.	573	3 815	666	119	4 761	742	329	6 332	747	1 021	14 908	2 155

Table 7A.4.10

Table 7A.4.10 **Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, by type of offence, 2005-06 (a) (b)**

Unit	Arrest			Caution			Summons			Total		
	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn	Indig	Non-Indig	Unkn
Drugs (cult/man/traff)	–	31	1	–	13	4	1	26	1	1	70	6
Drugs (poss/use)	9	101	19	3	272	21	6	160	15	18	533	55
Drug Offences	9	132	20	3	285	25	7	186	16	19	603	61
Going equipped to steal	5	35	12	–	7	2	3	38	3	8	80	17
Justice procedures	38	362	55	1	77	10	42	410	46	81	849	111
Regulated public order	2	28	5	3	194	27	40	452	56	45	674	88
Weapons/explosives	8	108	19	5	155	29	19	284	21	32	547	69
Harassment	–	16	1	–	18	2	–	30	1	–	64	4
Behaviour in public	15	60	14	1	79	10	28	246	24	44	385	48
Other	24	73	16	9	397	67	30	743	83	63	1 213	166
Other Crime	92	682	122	19	927	147	162	2 203	234	273	3 812	503
Total	662	5 822	603	181	5 501	960	622	10 545	1 426	1 465	21 868	2 989

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer.

(b) Other methods of processing juvenile alleged offenders (including complaint withdrawn, offender is underage, insane or deceased, or warrant issued) were excluded from this table.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Unkn** Unknown. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.11

Table 7A.4.11 **Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, by remoteness area, 2004-05 (a) (b)**

	Unit	Arrest		Caution		Summons		Total	
		Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous
Major city	no.	324	1 710	69	1 402	284	2 955	677	6 067
	%	47.9	28.2	10.2	23.1	41.9	48.7	100.0	100.0
Inner regional	no.	191	3 800	40	3 719	190	6 987	421	14 506
	%	45.4	26.2	9.5	25.6	45.1	48.2	100.0	100.0
Outer regional	no.	147	302	72	360	148	590	367	1 252
	%	40.1	24.1	19.6	28.8	40.3	47.1	100.0	100.0
Remote (c)	no.	–	10	–	20	–	13	–	43
	%	–	23.3	–	46.5	–	30.2	–	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer. Data with an 'unknown' Indigenous status are excluded from this table.

(b) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories, including major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of each Collection District (CD) is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). ABS generates an average ARIA score for each CD. The CDs are then aggregated by class to form the remoteness areas in each State and Territory. For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(c) Includes remote and very remote area classifications of the ASGC.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.12

Table 7A.4.12 **Victoria, method of processing juvenile alleged offenders, by remoteness area, 2005-06 (a)**

	Unit	Arrest		Caution		Summons		Total	
		Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous
Major city	no.	356	1 717	63	1 756	262	2 808	681	6 281
	%	52.3	27.3	9.3	28.0	38.5	44.7	100.0	100.0
Inner regional	no.	168	3 481	37	4 207	232	7 470	437	15 158
	%	38.4	23.0	8.5	27.8	53.1	49.3	100.0	100.0
Outer regional	no.	233	350	57	427	137	707	427	1 484
	%	54.6	23.6	13.3	28.8	32.1	47.6	100.0	100.0
Remote	no.	–	2	–	8	–	8	–	18
	%	–	11.1	–	44.4	–	44.4	100.0	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is derived from the racial appearance of the offender which is a subjective assessment of the police officer. Data with an 'unknown' Indigenous status are excluded from this table.

(b) Remoteness areas are derived from the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) developed by the ABS. The ASGC Remoteness classification identifies a region in Australia as having a particular degree of remoteness. Remoteness areas comprise five categories, including major cities, inner regional, outer regional, remote, and very remote. The degree of remoteness of each Collection District (CD) is determined using the Accessibility/Remoteness Index of Australia (ARIA). ABS generates an average ARIA score for each CD. The CDs are then aggregated by class to form the remoteness areas in each State and Territory. For more information on how ARIA is defined see the Information Papers ABS Views on Remoteness, 2001 (Cat. no. 1244.0) and Outcomes of ABS Views on Remoteness consultation, Australia (Cat. no. 1244.0.00.001).

(c) Includes remote and very remote area classifications of the ASGC.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Victoria Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.13

Table 7A.4.13 Queensland, method of processing juvenile offenders, by type of offence, 2004-05 (a) (b)

	Arrest		Caution		Community Conference		Notice to appear		Summons		Warrant		Other (c)	
	Unit													
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Homicide	no. 2	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Assault	no. 251	251	175	548	42	107	175	251	3	2	3	—	12	61
Sexual offences	no. 23	85	26	140	5	27	17	24	1	3	—	—	10	60
Robbery	no. 74	97	9	19	5	9	28	23	1	—	—	—	1	—
Extortion	no. —	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kidnapping & abduction	no. 8	13	—	2	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	1
Other offences against the person	no. 26	36	10	97	4	25	7	20	—	2	—	—	3	13
Offences against the person	no. 384	490	220	807	56	168	227	325	5	7	3	—	26	135
Unlawful entry	no. 1 290	774	668	896	188	207	823	622	6	2	2	1	31	57
Arson	no. 21	31	10	34	2	12	14	9	—	—	—	—	—	7
Other property damage	no. 513	398	474	1 544	96	538	436	595	1	1	2	2	24	74
Unlawful use of motor vehicle	no. 578	402	134	230	20	90	268	311	—	1	1	1	6	4
Other theft (excl. unlawful entry)	no. 809	880	681	3 483	149	350	917	1 488	5	7	—	1	44	79
Fraud	no. 3	35	18	311	3	28	9	54	—	1	—	—	—	8
Handling stolen goods	no. 91	76	66	223	15	28	156	186	1	1	—	—	1	3
Offences against property	no. 3 305	2 596	2 051	6 721	473	1 253	2 623	3 265	13	13	5	5	106	232
Drug Offences	no. 50	133	171	1 143	1	30	94	454	—	—	—	—	126	737

Table 7A.4.13

Table 7A.4.13 Queensland, method of processing juvenile offenders, by type of offence, 2004-05 (a) (b)

Unit	Arrest		Caution		Community Conference		Notice to appear		Summons		Warrant		Other (c)	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.	no.
Prostitution Offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liquor (excluding drunkenness)	37	44	37	342	3	13	55	79	-	1	-	-	6	12
Gaming, racing & betting offences	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Breach domestic violence order	4	2	-	2	-	-	7	5	-	-	-	-	1	-
Trespassing and vagrancy offences	133	55	178	503	13	71	241	208	-	2	-	-	7	19
Weapons act offences	24	33	20	218	-	14	50	80	-	-	-	-	1	6
Good order offences	455	510	79	477	13	42	413	699	4	-	2	-	1	19
Stock offences	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Traffic and related offences	47	47	9	71	2	10	26	171	1	1	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous offences	43	29	32	276	5	15	38	105	-	-	-	1	1	107
Total other offences	793	853	526	3 034	37	195	926	1 802	5	4	2	1	143	900

(a) Only those offenders whose age and sex were identified are included.

(b) Indigenous status is based on self-identification by the juvenile.

(c) 'Other' signifies that the offender is known and sufficient evidence has been obtained but there is a bar to prosecution or other official process.

- Nil or rounded to zero. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous

Source: Queensland Police Services, 2004-05 Annual Statistical Review.

Table 7A.4.14

Table 7A.4.14 WA, total number of contacts with the juvenile justice system, by type of contact, 1995-2002 (a) (b) (c)

	Indigenous		Non-Indigenous		Unknown		Total	
	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%	no.	%
Cautioned	17 167	43.2	62 555	61.5	106	3.0	79 828	55.0
Referred to JJTs								
by Police	4 489	11.3	11 000	10.8	20	0.6	15 509	10.7
by Court	3 068	7.7	7 608	7.5	602	16.8	11 278	7.8
Total	7 557	19.0	18 608	18.3	622	17.3	26 787	18.5
Dealt with by Court								
Dismissed/No penalty	4 153	10.4	4 629	4.6	805	22.4	9 587	6.6
Fine	1 910	4.8	5 477	5.4	1 168	32.6	8 555	5.9
Community-based order	6 399	16.1	8 580	8.4	712	19.8	15 691	10.8
Detention	2 565	6.5	1 851	1.8	174	4.9	4 590	3.2
Total	15 027	37.8	20 537	20.2	2 859	79.7	38 423	26.5
Total	39 751	100.0	101 700	100.0	3 587	100.0	145 038	100.0

(a) A 'contact' was counted for every event in which a juvenile was cautioned or referred to a JJT, irrespective of the number of offences for which the caution or referral was made.

(b) A diversion includes both 'cautioning' and 'referrals to JJTs' by the police. JJTs handle juveniles who have committed minor offences, or who are in the early stages of offending (i.e. divert juveniles from court).

(c) Indigenous status is based on the attending officer's subjective assessment of the offender's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only.

JJT: Juvenile justice team

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Pathways through justice: A statistical analysis of offender contact with the WA juvenile justice system*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 7A.4.15

Table 7A.4.15 **WA, number and proportion of juvenile diversions by sex, 1995–2002 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Males				
Cautioning	4 330	86.4	28 048	85.5
Police referrals	397	7.9	2 831	8.6
Court referrals	283	5.7	1 928	5.9
Total	5 010	100.0	32 807	100.0
Females				
Cautioning	2 762	89.9	11 046	88.6
Police referrals	174	5.7	932	7.5
Court referrals	135	4.4	487	3.9
Total	3 071	100.0	12 465	100.0

(a) Data with unknown Indigenous status have been excluded from the table.

(b) A diversion includes 'cautioning', 'police referrals' and 'court referrals' to juvenile justice teams which handle juveniles who have committed minor offences, or who are in the early stages of offending.

(c) Indigenous status is based on the attending officer's subjective assessment of the offender's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only.

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Pathways through justice: A statistical analysis of offender contact with the WA juvenile justice system*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 7A.4.16

Table 7A.4.16 **WA, number and proportion of juvenile diversions, by type of offence, 1995–2002 (a) (b) (c)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Offence against person				
Cautioning	546	89.2	2 001	91.1
Police referrals	29	4.7	89	4.1
Court referrals	37	6.1	107	4.8
Total	612	100.0	2 197	100.0
Drugs				
Cautioning	228	93.4	5 214	95.1
Police referrals	6	2.5	113	2.1
Court referrals	10	4.1	158	2.8
Total	244	100.0	5 485	100.0
Property				
Cautioning	4 529	91.2	19 333	92.0
Police referrals	150	3.0	715	3.4
Court referrals	287	5.8	983	4.6
Total	4 966	100.0	21 031	100.0
Good order				
Cautioning	759	91.3	2 867	90.6
Police referrals	12	1.4	41	1.3
Court referrals	61	7.3	256	8.1
Total	832	100.0	3 164	100.0
Driving/Vehicle				
Cautioning	392	92.5	6 265	78.5
Police referrals	12	2.8	815	10.2
Court referrals	20	4.7	900	11.3
Total	424	100.0	7 980	100.0
Other				
Cautioning	689	97.6	3 621	97.8
Police referrals	11	1.6	35	1.0
Court referrals	6	0.8	45	1.2
Total	706	100.0	3 701	100.0

(a) Data with unknown Indigenous status have been excluded from the table.

(b) A diversion includes 'cautioning', 'police referrals' and 'court referrals' to juvenile justice teams which handle juveniles who have committed minor offences, or who are in the early stages of offending.

(c) Indigenous status is based on the attending officer's subjective assessment of the offender's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only.

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Pathways through justice: A statistical analysis of offender contact with the WA juvenile justice system*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 7A.4.17

Table 7A.4.17 **WA, juvenile cautions, by type of offence, 2004 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Against person	183	8.6	364	6.4	547	7.0
Property	1 262	59.0	2 668	47.2	3 930	50.4
Liquor	35	1.6	177	3.1	212	2.7
Drug	85	4.0	688	12.2	773	9.9
Traffic	111	5.2	591	10.5	702	9.0
Good order	233	10.8	502	8.8	735	9.4
Truancy	6	0.3	26	0.5	32	0.4
Other	224	10.5	638	11.3	862	11.2
Total (b)	2 139	100.0	5 654	100.0	7 793	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on the attending officer's subjective assessment of the offender's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only.

(b) Totals exceed the overall number of cautions since one caution can be issued for more than one offence.

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Crime and justice statistics for Western Australia*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 7A.4.18

Table 7A.4.18 **WA, annual breakdown of juvenile cautions issued, 1994-2004 (a)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		<i>Unknown</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
2004	2 084	27.7	5 428	72.3	–	–	7 512	100.0
2003	2 304	28.0	5 955	72.0	–	–	8 259	100.0
2002	2 505	25.2	7 428	74.8	–	–	9 933	100.0
2001	2 370	22.0	8 384	78.0	–	–	10 754	100.0
2000	2 472	21.9	8 795	78.1	–	–	11 267	100.0
1999	2 390	22.5	8 219	77.5	–	–	10 609	100.0
1998	2 071	19.9	8 095	77.8	235	2.3	10 401	100.0
1997	1 835	20.4	6 972	77.6	182	2.0	8 989	100.0
1996	1 699	17.9	7 671	80.7	136	1.4	9 506	100.0
1995	1 316	15.9	6 952	84.1	–	–	8 268	100.0
1994	661	13.9	4 109	86.1	–	–	4 770	100.0

(a) Indigenous status is based on the attending officer's subjective assessment of the offender's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Crime and justice statistics for Western Australia*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 7A.4.19

Table 7A.4.19 **WA, number and proportion of juveniles cautioned, by sex and age group, 2004 (a) (b)**

	<i>Indigenous</i>		<i>Non-Indigenous</i>		<i>Total</i>	
	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>no.</i>	<i>%</i>
Male						
10	103	10.2	43	1.3	146	3.4
11	133	13.2	94	2.8	227	5.2
12	143	14.2	188	5.6	331	7.6
13	153	15.3	374	11.2	527	12.2
14	143	14.3	508	15.3	651	15.0
15	147	14.7	647	19.4	794	18.3
16	115	11.5	663	19.9	778	18.0
17	66	6.6	814	24.5	880	20.3
Total (a)	1 003	100.0	3 331	100.0	4 334	100.0
Female						
10	35	6.4	10	0.7	45	2.4
11	29	5.3	19	1.4	48	2.5
12	75	13.7	74	5.5	149	7.8
13	103	18.8	225	16.6	328	17.2
14	101	18.4	279	20.5	380	19.9
15	90	16.4	298	22.0	388	20.4
16	61	11.1	261	19.2	322	16.9
17	54	9.9	191	14.1	245	12.9
Total (a)	548	100.0	1 357	100.0	1 905	100.0

(a) Eight cases of unknown sex and a further 7 cases of unknown age and sex are excluded.

(b) Indigenous status is based on the attending officer's subjective assessment of the offender's appearance and is recorded for operational purposes only.

Source: University of Western Australia 2004, *Crime and justice statistics for Western Australia*. Crime Research Centre, Perth.

Table 7A.4.20

Table 7A.4.20 **SA, number and proportion of juvenile diversions, 2004 and 2005 (a)**
(b)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Unknown</i>	<i>Total</i>
1 January to 31 December 2005					
Juvenile apprehensions (c)	no.	1 248	4 439	440	6 127
Formal caution	no.	258	1 257	275	1 790
Transfer to family conference	no.	186	751	20	957
Proportion diverted	%	35.6	45.2	67.0	44.8
1 January to 31 December 2004					
Juvenile apprehensions (c)	no.	1 054	4 018	469	5 541
Formal caution	no.	200	1 247	355	1 802
Transfer to family conference	no.	181	837	8	1 026
Proportion diverted	%	36.1	51.9	77.4	51.0

(a) Aboriginal appearance, derived from police apprehension reports, reflects the opinion of the apprehending officer.

(b) Juvenile diversions include both formal cautions and transfers to a family conference.

(c) Numbers of juvenile apprehensions exclude those offences with an unknown method of processing.

Source: Office of Crime Statistics and Research 2005, *Crime and Justice in South Australia - Juvenile Justice 2004*. Department of Justice, South Australia.

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Table 7A.4.21

Table 7A.4.21 SA, police apprehensions by type of major offence and method of processing, 2004 (a)

Unit	Formal caution		Transfer to family conference		Transfer to Youth Court		Withdrawn		Unknown		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Offences against the person												
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	1	3	–	–	1	3	2	6
Serious assault	no.	–	5	2	22	59	–	–	3	14	27	108
Other assault	no.	23	105	27	54	215	1	5	16	26	121	456
Offences against the person - misc	no.	–	3	3	3	38	–	4	5	8	11	67
Sexual offences	no.	–	3	–	8	50	1	2	3	10	12	74
Robbery and extortion												
Armed robbery	no.	–	–	–	4	21	–	–	–	1	4	23
Unarmed robbery and extortion	no.	–	1	–	7	28	–	2	–	–	7	31
Criminal trespass	no.	19	47	42	141	243	–	1	42	39	244	456
Fraud and misappropriation	no.	1	19	1	–	24	–	–	–	14	2	63
Larceny and receiving												
Receiving/unlawful possession	no.	10	30	6	30	57	–	–	9	17	55	123
Larceny/illegal use of vehicle (motor and other)	no.	4	31	24	86	171	2	6	10	13	126	275
Interfere with a motor vehicle	no.	–	11	2	16	30	–	1	2	3	20	53
Larceny from a motor vehicle	no.	3	29	4	18	51	–	–	2	3	27	113
Larceny from shops	no.	31	207	19	60	161	1	5	15	36	126	496
Larceny - misc	no.	5	66	6	21	69	–	1	3	22	35	195

Table 7A.4.21

Table 7A.4.21 SA, police apprehensions by type of major offence and method of processing, 2004 (a)

Unit	Formal caution		Transfer to family conference		Transfer to Youth Court		Withdrawn		Unknown		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Damage property and environmental offences	no.	20	177		27	127						
Offences against good order												
Resist/hinder police	no.	11	62		1	17		1	2	8	27	61
Unlawful possession and/or use of weapons	no.	1	30		2	16		1	–	2	8	18
Disorderly/offensive behaviour	no.	30	109		4	22		–	2	7	10	74
Indecent/offensive language	no.	3	10		–	1		–	–	1	2	8
Graffiti and related offences	no.	2	55		–	46		–	2	–	10	9
Public order offences - misc	no.	28	184		7	42		1	8	4	22	69
Drug offences	no.	1	28		2	28		–	6	3	12	12
Driving offences												
Drink driving offences	no.	–	–		–	–		–	1	4	91	8
Dangerous, reckless, or negligent driving	no.	–	5		–	2		–	–	4	245	7
Driving while licence suspended or cancelled	no.	–	–		–	–		–	1	5	70	12
Other offences	no.	8	30		2	10		1	–	15	2	31
Total	no.	200	1 247		181	837		9	56	179	762	1 233
												4 780

Table 7A.4.21

Table 7A.4.21 SA, police apprehensions by type of major offence and method of processing, 2004 (a)

Unit	Formal caution		Transfer to family conference		Transfer to Youth Court		Withdrawn		Unknown		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig

(a) Aboriginal appearance, derived from police apprehension reports, reflects the opinion of the apprehending officer.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous.

Source: Office of Crime Statistics and Research 2005, *Crime and Justice in South Australia - Juvenile Justice 2004*. Department of Justice, South Australia.

Table 7A.4.22

Table 7A.4.22 SA, police apprehensions by type of major offence and method of processing, 2005 (a)

Unit	Formal caution		Transfer to family conference		Transfer to Youth Court		Withdrawn		Unknown		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Offences against the person												
Homicide	no.	–	–	–	1	4	–	–	–	2	1	6
Serious assault	no.	2	3	2	13	68	–	1	3	6	20	100
Other assault	no.	26	104	19	78	187	1	5	5	15	129	389
Offences against the person - misc	no.	–	1	3	7	28	–	1	2	2	12	39
Sexual offences	no.	–	3	–	6	40	–	10	1	16	6	75
Robbery and extortion												
Armed robbery	no.	–	–	–	3	26	–	1	–	2	3	32
Unarmed robbery and extortion	no.	–	–	3	1	15	–	–	–	–	18	42
Criminal trespass	no.	19	29	26	138	146	2	2	28	46	221	460
Fraud and misappropriation	no.	1	8	–	6	9	–	1	–	4	2	28
Larceny and receiving												
Receiving/unlawful possession	no.	2	36	6	20	25	1	1	5	8	39	110
Larceny/illegal use of vehicle (motor and other)	no.	20	33	11	51	66	–	1	1	13	98	262
Interfere with a motor vehicle	no.	4	2	2	10	13	–	1	1	2	20	38
Larceny from a motor vehicle	no.	3	29	7	19	17	1	5	3	3	31	91
Larceny from shops	no.	29	198	33	89	83	1	3	10	18	156	475
Larceny - misc	no.	3	68	6	36	14	–	3	2	12	25	187

Table 7A.4.22

Table 7A.4.22 SA, police apprehensions by type of major offence and method of processing, 2005 (a)

Unit	Formal caution		Transfer to family conference		Transfer to Youth Court		Withdrawn		Unknown		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig
Damage property and environmental offences	no.	27	154	115	51	175	2	5	10	24	111	473
Offences against good order												
Resist/hinder police	no.	15	59	9	46	88	2	–	1	21	69	177
Unlawful possession and/or use of weapons	no.	4	35	15	12	42	–	1	4	5	25	98
Disorderly/offensive behaviour	no.	34	112	16	30	56	–	–	3	3	80	187
Indecent/offensive language	no.	1	21	3	3	10	–	–	–	–	4	34
Graffiti and related offences	no.	10	99	63	6	70	–	–	–	8	21	240
Public order offences - misc	no.	28	207	12	24	88	2	5	4	12	70	343
Drug offences	no.	6	27	11	10	43	–	3	–	12	18	96
Driving offences												
Drink driving offences	no.	–	–	–	5	34	–	1	4	91	9	126
Dangerous, reckless, or negligent driving	no.	–	5	1	2	31	–	–	5	172	7	209
Driving while licence suspended or cancelled	no.	–	1	–	2	36	–	–	6	54	8	91
Other offences	no.	24	23	1	3	3	3	–	10	4	45	31
Total	no.	258	1 257	186	681	1 826	15	50	108	555	1 248	4 439

Table 7A.4.22 SA, police apprehensions by type of major offence and method of processing, 2005 (a)

Unit	Formal caution		Transfer to family conference		Transfer to Youth Court		Withdrawn		Unknown		Total	
	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig	Indig	Non-Indig

(a) Aboriginal appearance, derived from police apprehension reports, reflects the opinion of the apprehending officer.

– Nil or rounded to zero. **Indig** Indigenous. **Non-Indig** Non-Indigenous

Source: Office of Crime Statistics and Research 2006, *Crime and Justice in South Australia - Juvenile Justice 2005*. Department of Justice, South Australia.

Table 7A.4.23

Table 7A.4.23 NT, juvenile apprehensions and the proportion diverted, 2002 and 2003 (a) (b)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total</i>
1 January to 31 December 2003				
Juvenile apprehensions				
Males	no.	790	300	1 090
Females	no.	146	102	248
Total	no.	936	402	1 338
Declined/denied participation in diversion (c)				
Males	no.	510	146	656
Females	no.	59	26	85
Total	no.	569	172	741
Participated in diversion				
Males	no.	280	154	434
Females	no.	87	76	163
Total	no.	367	230	597
Proportion diverted				
Males	%	35.4	51.3	39.8
Females	%	59.6	74.5	65.7
Total	%	39.2	57.2	44.6
1 January to 31 December 2002				
Juvenile apprehensions				
Males	no.	793	358	1 151
Females	no.	113	112	225
Total	no.	906	470	1 376
Declined/denied participation in diversion (c)				
Males	no.	481	190	671
Females	no.	36	18	54
Total	no.	517	208	725
Participated in diversion				
Males	no.	312	168	480
Females	no.	77	94	171
Total	no.	389	262	651
Proportion diverted				
Males	%	39.3	46.9	41.7
Females	%	68.1	83.9	76.0
Total	%	42.9	55.7	47.3

(a) Data refers to apprehension cases rather than individual persons, therefore, there may be a number of ca

(b) Indigenous data are based on self-identification by the juvenile.

(c) Where cases did not result in a diversion, these cases either proceeded to court or were resolved in some other manner (it is not an indicator of the number of matters referred to the courts).

Source: Northern Territory Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.4.24

Table 7A.4.24 NT, juvenile apprehensions and the proportion diverted, 2004 and 2005 (a) (b)

	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Indigenous</i>	<i>Non-Indigenous</i>	<i>Total</i>
1 January to 31 December 2005				
Juvenile apprehensions				
Males	no.	780	302	1 082
Females	no.	124	78	202
Total	no.	904	380	1 284
Declined/denied participation in diversion (c)				
Males	no.	582	141	723
Females	no.	40	18	58
Total	no.	622	159	781
Participated in diversion				
Males	no.	198	161	359
Females	no.	84	60	144
Total	no.	282	221	503
Proportion diverted				
Males	%	25.4	53.3	33.2
Females	%	67.8	76.9	71.3
Total	%	31.2	58.2	39.2
1 January to 31 December 2004				
Juvenile apprehensions				
Males	no.	838	351	1 189
Females	no.	149	99	248
Total	no.	987	450	1 437
Declined/denied participation in diversion (c)				
Males	no.	618	188	806
Females	no.	58	29	87
Total	no.	676	217	893
Participated in diversion				
Males	no.	220	163	383
Females	no.	91	70	161
Total	no.	311	233	544
Proportion diverted				
Males	%	26.2	46.4	32.2
Females	%	61.1	70.7	64.9
Total	%	31.5	51.8	37.8

- (a) Data refers to apprehension cases rather than individual persons, therefore, there may be a number of cases that relate to one person.
- (b) Indigenous data are based on self-identification by the juvenile.
- (c) Where cases did not result in a diversion, these cases either proceeded to court or were resolved in some other manner (it is not an indicator of the number of matters referred to the courts).

Source: Northern Territory Police (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.1

Table 7A.5.1 **People aged 18-24 years who were unemployed or not in the labour force, whether studying, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a)**

	Major cities	Inner regional	Outer regional	Total non-remote	Remote	Very remote (c)	Total remote	Australia
Proportion of population (%)								
<i>Indigenous</i>								
Studying (b)	14.4	4.7	10.6	10.8	6.3	1.5	2.9	8.8
Not studying	33.6	41.3	36.7	36.5	48.7	51.5	50.7	40.1
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	48.0	46.0	47.3	47.3	55.1	53.0	53.6	48.9
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>								
Studying (b)	12.5	6.9	8.4	11.2	–	na	na	11.1
Not studying	10.1	11.1	20.6	11.2	15.1	na	na	11.2
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	22.6	18.0	29.0	22.4	15.1	na	na	22.3
RSE (%)								
<i>Indigenous</i>								
Studying (b)	19.9	49.4	37.8	17.6	38.9	67.6	34.4	16.5
Not studying	11.7	13.0	15.5	8.0	12.6	11.0	8.6	6.1
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	8.9	13.1	11.0	6.1	10.3	10.6	8.2	4.9
<i>Non-Indigenous</i>								
Studying (b)	9.6	21.5	29.7	8.5	–	na	na	8.5
Not studying	9.7	18.2	17.4	7.9	67.0	na	na	7.7
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	5.5	14.5	14.8	4.8	67.0	na	na	4.5

Table 7A.5.1 **People aged 18-24 years who were unemployed or not in the labour force, whether studying, by remoteness, 2004-05 (a)**

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) Includes persons attending secondary school.
- (c) Non-Indigenous data for remote and very remote areas are not provided by the ABS as they are considered too small to produce reliable estimates, but these data have been attributed appropriately to national estimates
 - Nil or rounded to zero. **na** Not available.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5; Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.2

Table 7A.5.2 People aged 18-24 years who were unemployed or not in the labour force, whether studying, by sex (a)

	Males				Females				Persons			
	Proportion of total population		RSE		Proportion of total population		RSE (%)		Proportion of total population		RSE (%)	
	Estimate	%	Estimate	%	Estimate	%	Estimate	%	Estimate	%	Estimate	%
Indigenous												
2002												
Studying (b)	2.5	10.0	21.0		2.9	10.9	17.4		5.4	10.4	13.9	
Not studying	7.9	31.4	9.9		13.8	51.8	5.9		21.8	41.9	6.0	
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	10.5	41.4	7.5		16.7	62.6	5.2		27.2	52.3	4.7	
2004-05												
Studying (b)	1.9	7.1	25.8		3.1	10.3	18.6		5.0	8.8	16.5	
Not studying	8.7	32.7	9.8		14.0	46.6	7.1		22.7	40.1	6.1	
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	10.6	39.8	7.9		17.1	57.0	5.9		27.7	48.9	4.9	
Non-Indigenous												
2002												
Studying (b)	162.5	17.1	14.3		125.7	13.7	15.2		288.2	15.4	11.2	
Not studying	96.2	10.1	18.5		139.5	15.2	12.2		235.6	12.6	12.0	
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	258.7	27.1	11.3		265.2	28.9	10.5		523.9	28.0	8.4	
2004-05												
Studying (b)	126.0	13.4	12.1		79.4	8.7	10.7		205.4	11.1	8.5	
Not studying	78.9	8.4	13.7		129.8	14.2	9.4		208.7	11.2	7.7	
Total unemployed or not in the labour force	204.8	21.8	8.5		209.3	22.8	6.5		414.1	22.3	4.8	

Table 7A.5.2 People aged 18-24 years who were unemployed or not in the labour force, whether studying, by sex (a)

- (a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.
- (b) Includes persons attending secondary school.
- Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4717.0 (unpublished); ABS *General Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4159.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5: Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.3

Table 7A.5.3 People aged 18-24 years who were unemployed or not in the labour force, whether studying, by State and Territory, 2004-05 (a)

	Unit	NSW	Vic	Qld	WA	SA	Tas	ACT	NT(c)	Aust
Indigenous										
<i>Studying (b)</i>										
Proportion of population	%	12.4	12.4	6.7	5.5	11	19.3	9.6	3.1	8.8
RSE	%	24.4	34.5	36.8	43.9	34.1	88.3	64.2	43.1	16.5
<i>Not studying</i>										
Proportion of population	%	40.3	35	31.3	42.4	39.4	47.1	41.7	56.8	40.1
RSE	%	11.2	17.8	16.2	13.9	15	29.1	23.8	12.3	6.1
Indigenous population	'000	16.2	3.8	16	7.8	3	2.1	0.5	7.3	56.7
Non-Indigenous										
<i>Studying (b)</i>										
Proportion of population	%	9.6	15.5	8.4	11	9.2	14	11.1	np	11.1
RSE	%	19.3	15.5	21.8	22.1	18.4	24.6	23.9	np	8.5
<i>Not studying</i>										
Proportion of population	%	10.8	10.4	12.8	13.5	10.4	14.1	6	np	11.2
RSE	%	15.9	18.5	15.3	20.6	20.3	23	33.7	np	7.7
Non-Indigenous population	'000	618.5	481.2	359.1	179.9	135	39.3	34.1	np	1857.1

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Includes persons attending secondary school.

(c) Non-Indigenous data for the NT are not provided by the ABS as they are considered too small to produce reliable estimates, but these data have been attributed appropriately to national estimates.

np Not published.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4717.0 (unpublished); ABS *General Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 41159.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5: Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.4

Table 7A.5.4 **Activities of LSAY Year 9 students in the fifth-eighth years of the survey, 1995 cohort (a)**

	<i>Fifth year (Age 18)</i>		<i>Sixth year (Age 19)</i>		<i>Seventh year (Age 20)</i>		<i>Eighth year (Age 21)</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Indigenous								
Studying								
Secondary school	1.2	50.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Apprentice/Trainee	15.6	20.6	15.8	20.5	12.7	24.5	0.4	100.1
TAFE	8.4	27.8	5.0	38.2	12.2	32.1	7.3	42.2
University	20.6	18.3	17.7	21.4	14.5	23.7	16.1	24.9
<i>Total studying</i>	45.8	9.8	38.5	11.6	39.4	12.3	23.8	20.1
Not studying								
Employed								
Employed (full time)	21.7	16.9	29.7	14.3	29.6	14.7	45.4	12.4
Employed (part time)	11.9	24.4	8.0	28.6	10.2	29.1	12.4	30.1
Total employed (incl hours not stated)	34.2	11.9	37.7	12.1	41.7	11.4	57.9	9.8
Unemployed	11.6	25.8	15.9	22.4	12.5	29.0	11.1	38.4
Not in labour force								
Home duties/childcare	4.0	47.8	5.1	39.6	5.2	45.7	6.9	43.5
Other	4.5	44.2	2.8	46.1	1.2	72.9	0.3	100.3
Total not in labour force	8.4	31.5	7.8	29.5	6.4	38.9	7.3	41.7
<i>Total not studying</i>	54.2	8.3	61.5	7.3	60.6	8.0	76.2	6.3
Number in sample	173		153		125		105	

Table 7A.5.4

Table 7A.5.4 **Activities of LSAY Year 9 students in the fifth-eighth years of the survey, 1995 cohort (a)**

	<i>Fifth year (Age 18)</i>		<i>Sixth year (Age 19)</i>		<i>Seventh year (Age 20)</i>		<i>Eighth year (Age 21)</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Non-Indigenous								
Studying								
Secondary school	3.4	7.1	0.3	22.8	–	73.5	–	–
Apprentice/Trainee	12.0	4.3	12.2	4.5	8.9	5.4	1.6	11.7
TAFE	13.3	4.0	8.8	5.1	5.7	6.5	4.1	7.4
University	34.6	3.1	36.6	3.0	33.6	2.8	24.0	3.6
<i>Total studying</i>	63.3	1.2	57.9	1.4	48.2	1.7	29.7	3.0
Not studying								
Employed								
Employed (full time)	20.1	3.1	25.6	2.7	30.5	2.6	45.6	2.1
Employed (part time)	9.0	4.3	9.0	4.2	12.8	4.0	15.3	4.1
Total employed (incl hours not stated)	29.5	2.4	35.0	2.2	43.6	1.8	61.5	1.5
Unemployed	5.2	5.7	4.4	6.4	4.6	6.7	4.9	6.3
Not in labour force								
Home duties/childcare	0.8	14.2	1.3	12.7	1.6	11.3	1.8	11.2
Other	1.2	10.5	1.4	9.8	2.0	9.3	2.1	9.6
Total not in labour force	2.0	8.4	2.7	7.8	3.6	6.9	3.9	7.1
<i>Total not studying</i>	36.7	2.1	42.1	2.0	51.8	1.6	70.3	1.2
Number in sample	8087		7303		6385		5601	

(a) Columns may not sum to totals due to rounding.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER), *Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth* (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.5

Table 7A.5.5 **Activities of LSAY Year 9 students in the fifth-eighth years of the survey, 1998 cohort (a)**

	Fifth year (Age 18)		Sixth year (Age 19)		Seventh year (Age 20)		Eighth year (Age 21)	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Indigenous								
Studying								
Secondary school	1.8	45.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Apprentice/Trainee	16.2	20.0	21.3	18.6	11.7	29.9	12.6	31.6
TAFE	11.6	24.6	2.8	61.3	2.9	76.0	8.0	43.3
University	15.1	21.2	18.8	21.4	18.0	25.2	18.5	25.4
<i>Total studying</i>	44.7	9.6	43.0	11.1	32.6	17.1	39.0	14.7
Not studying								
Employed								
Employed (full time)	20.8	17.6	31.0	15.7	36.3	16.4	39.8	14.3
Employed (part time)	13.0	22.1	10.4	26.0	17.0	28.0	11.9	32.4
Total employed (incl hours not stated)	34.5	12.1	42.9	12.1	54.3	11.9	51.7	10.2
Unemployed	15.8	20.3	9.9	28.0	5.5	45.3	6.4	42.6
Not in labour force								
Home duties/childcare	2.9	50.0	3.4	55.6	6.4	40.9	2.4	55.9
Other	2.1	55.5	0.9	99.1	1.2	97.6	0.5	99.2
Total not in labour force	5.0	36.6	4.3	47.7	7.6	36.5	2.9	49.1
<i>Total not studying</i>	55.3	7.8	57.0	8.3	67.4	8.2	61.0	9.4
Number in sample	159		120		94		83	

Table 7A.5.5

Table 7A.5.5 **Activities of LSAY Year 9 students in the fifth-eighth years of the survey, 1998 cohort (a)**

	Fifth year (Age 18)		Sixth year (Age 19)		Seventh year (Age 20)		Eighth year (Age 21)	
	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)	Proportion (%)	RSE (%)
Non-Indigenous								
Studying								
Secondary school	1.6	10.4	0.1	58.4	—	—	—	—
Apprentice/Trainee	12.9	4.4	11.3	4.9	9.3	5.7	7.1	6.4
TAFE	11.3	4.4	6.9	5.4	3.4	8.2	3.1	8.3
University	37.3	3.2	40.0	3.2	34.6	3.5	28.5	3.5
<i>Total studying</i>	63.1	1.2	58.2	1.7	47.3	2.1	38.8	2.3
Not studying								
Employed								
Employed (full time)	18.0	3.3	22.7	3.1	30.7	3.0	38.9	2.2
Employed (part time)	10.6	4.0	11.7	4.2	14.2	3.6	14.3	4.1
Total employed (incl hours not stated)	29.1	2.4	34.8	2.4	45.3	2.0	53.5	1.6
Unemployed	5.6	6.0	4.6	7.3	4.0	7.8	4.4	7.2
Not in labour force								
Home duties/childcare	0.7	17.5	0.9	14.1	1.5	12.3	1.4	15.0
Other	1.6	10.1	1.5	11.6	2.0	10.5	1.9	11.2
Total not in labour force	2.2	8.4	2.4	8.6	3.4	7.6	3.3	9.3
<i>Total not studying</i>	36.9	2.1	41.8	2.3	52.7	1.9	61.2	1.4
Number in sample	7365		6571		5709		5116	

(a) Columns may not sum to totals due to rounding.

— Nil or rounded to zero.

Source: Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER), *Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth* (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.6 **Level of highest non-school qualification and employment status, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised (a) (b)**

	<i>Employment rate</i>		<i>Participation rate</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Indigenous				
2002				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
Males	91.5	2.3	81.0	3.8
Females	89.4	3.4	73.1	6.5
Total	90.6	1.9	77.3	3.7
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
Males	78.0	2.2	57.2	2.7
Females	81.1	2.4	38.3	4.1
Total	79.4	1.7	47.0	2.6
<i>All people (d)</i>				
Males	81.1	1.8	61.6	2.2
Females	83.0	1.9	43.5	3.3
Total	81.9	1.4	52.1	2.1
2004-05				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
Males	91.5	3.3	79.3	3.9
Females	91.9	5.0	69.6	4.4
Total	91.8	3.0	74.3	2.9
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
Males	90.7	2.5	57.6	2.6
Females	89.2	3.4	37.5	3.6
Total	90.0	2.3	46.8	2.1
<i>All people (d)</i>				
Males	90.7	2.0	62.6	2.0
Females	89.9	2.7	44.5	2.8
Total	90.3	2.0	52.9	1.7
Non-Indigenous				
2002				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
Males	97.1	0.4	82.0	0.7
Females	96.4	0.5	75.3	1.3
Total	96.8	0.3	79.2	0.6
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
Males	91.8	1.1	69.3	1.3
Females	92.7	0.9	50.6	1.5
Total	92.3	0.7	58.6	1.1

Table 7A.5.6 **Level of highest non-school qualification and employment status, people aged 18 years and over, age standardised (a) (b)**

	<i>Employment rate</i>		<i>Participation rate</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>All people (d)</i>				
Males	94.6	0.6	75.5	0.7
Females	94.2	0.5	59.1	0.9
Total	94.4	0.4	67.2	0.6
2004-05				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
Males	97.2	0.2	80.9	0.6
Females	97.6	0.4	72.3	0.9
Total	97.3	0.3	77.1	0.5
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
Males	95.6	0.5	71.9	1.5
Females	95.7	0.5	54.4	1.5
Total	95.6	0.3	61.9	1.0
<i>All people (d)</i>				
Males	96.4	0.3	76.5	0.9
Females	96.6	0.2	60.8	1.0
Total	96.5	0.1	68.5	0.7

(a) Estimates with a relative standard error (RSE) of 25 per cent to 50 per cent should be used with caution. Estimates with a RSE greater than 50 per cent are considered too unreliable for general use.

(b) Excludes persons still at school.

(c) Includes Certificate I and II and non-school qualification.

(d) Includes inadequately described and not stated.

Source: ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4717.0 (unpublished); ABS *General Social Survey 2002*, Cat. no. 4159.0 (unpublished); ABS *National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health Survey 2004-05*, Cat. no. 4715.0.55.005 (unpublished); ABS *National Health Survey 2004-5; Summary of Results*, Cat. no. 4362.0 (unpublished).

Table 7A.5.7

Table 7A.5.7 **Level of highest post-school qualification and employment status, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over (a) (b)**

	<i>Employment rate</i>		<i>Participation rate</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
2002				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
Major cities	84.8	5.2	82.6	4.1
Inner regional	94.0	3.3	81.6	4.9
Outer regional	86.0	3.3	78.2	4.7
Total non-remote	87.5	2.9	81.4	2.7
Remote	94.0	2.7	84.1	6.2
Very remote	95.2	2.4	90.7	3.7
Total remote	94.7	1.8	87.8	3.4
Australia	88.7	2.4	82.3	2.3
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
Major cities	76.5	4.5	61.5	5.0
Inner regional	66.2	5.3	54.9	5.4
Outer regional	70.5	3.3	52.4	4.2
Total non-remote	71.9	2.7	56.7	2.7
Remote	82.7	3.3	54.7	4.6
Very remote	92.9	1.5	58.7	3.9
Total remote	90.1	1.5	57.5	2.9
Australia	77.4	1.9	56.9	2.0
<i>All people (d)</i>				
Major cities	79.0	3.3	66.7	3.7
Inner regional	73.6	4.2	60.3	4.3
Outer regional	72.7	2.6	56.5	3.5
Total non-remote	75.8	2.1	61.8	2.1
Remote	84.8	2.7	58.9	4.4
Very remote	93.2	1.4	61.2	3.6
Total remote	90.7	1.4	60.5	2.8
Australia	79.8	1.5	61.4	1.6
2004-05				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
Major cities	93.4	3.4	79.5	4.4
Inner regional	92.6	5.7	81.7	6.6
Outer regional	87.5	1.9	82.6	6.3
Total non-remote	91.7	2.5	80.9	2.9
Remote	92.3	7.7	82.1	5.1
Very remote	91.1	13.0	91.4	5.7
Total remote	91.6	1.7	87.4	4.2
Australia	91.7	2.2	81.8	2.6

Table 7A.5.7

Table 7A.5.7 **Level of highest post-school qualification and employment status, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over (a) (b)**

	<i>Employment rate</i>		<i>Participation rate</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
Major cities	88.1	3.1	53.7	4.9
Inner regional	80.6	3.2	56.3	5.2
Outer regional	82.1	4.0	52.1	6.2
Total non-remote	84.1	2.0	53.9	3.0
Remote	85.9	6.4	54.5	6.8
Very remote	88.9	2.4	55.8	3.8
Total remote	88.0	2.0	55.4	2.7
Australia	85.4	1.4	54.4	1.8
<i>All people (d)</i>				
Major cities	90.1	2.1	61.1	4.0
Inner regional	84.6	3.5	62.7	4.1
Outer regional	83.7	3.7	58.8	5.2
Total non-remote	86.7	1.7	60.9	2.3
Remote	87.3	5.5	58.6	5.4
Very remote	89.4	2.4	58.9	3.3
Total remote	88.7	1.3	58.8	2.2
Australia	87.3	1.3	60.3	1.5

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(b) Excludes persons still at school.

(c) Includes Certificate I and II and non-school qualifications.

(d) Includes inadequately described and not stated.

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Table 7A.5.8

Table 7A.5.8 **Level of highest post-school qualification and employment status, people aged 18 years and over, 2004-05, age standardised (a), (b)**

	<i>Employment rate</i>		<i>Participation rate</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
Indigenous				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
NSW	94.0	5.6	70.9	5.8
Vic	94.9	10.7	71.6	12.3
Qld	87.3	5.5	78.9	5.6
SA	89.2	8.4	78.3	7.2
WA	93.5	6.6	68.9	8.3
NT	98.5	2.8	81.3	6.9
Australia (e)	91.8	3.0	74.3	2.9
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
NSW	90.9	5.0	47.3	1.2
Vic	90.3	13.1	48.6	11.8
Qld	90.3	8.2	46.0	5.3
SA	92.6	2.7	44.8	6.3
WA	88.2	5.4	49.2	5.7
NT	89.1	3.9	44.1	6.5
Australia (e)	90.0	2.3	46.8	2.1
<i>All people (d)</i>				
NSW	91.5	3.9	53.4	2.1
Vic	91.8	7.0	55.0	6.3
Qld	88.6	5.5	54.8	4.4
SA	91.7	4.1	51.6	5.3
WA	88.9	4.5	51.4	4.5
NT	90.8	3.0	48.1	5.8
Australia (e)	90.3	2.0	52.9	1.7
Non-Indigenous				
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>				
NSW	97.2	0.7	76.2	1.6
Vic	98.0	0.4	78.0	1.2
Qld	96.8	0.7	77.1	1.2
SA	97.8	0.5	77.6	1.6
WA	96.3	0.8	76.8	2.0
Australia (e)	97.3	np	77.1	np

Table 7A.5.8 **Level of highest post-school qualification and employment status, people aged 18 years and over, 2004-05, age standardised (a), (b)**

	<i>Employment rate</i>		<i>Participation rate</i>	
	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>	<i>Proportion (%)</i>	<i>RSE (%)</i>
<i>Other people (c)</i>				
NSW	95.3	0.5	60.8	2.1
Vic	95.7	1.4	61.6	2.1
Qld	95.3	0.8	63.8	2.1
SA	95.9	0.9	62.9	2.2
WA	96.8	0.8	62.2	2.7
Australia (e)	95.6	0.3	61.9	1.0
<i>All people (d)</i>				
NSW	96.4	0.5	67.8	1.1
Vic	96.7	0.8	68.5	2.0
Qld	96.1	0.6	69.5	1.3
SA	96.6	0.6	68.9	1.3
WA	96.5	0.8	68.5	1.4
Australia (e)	96.5	0.1	68.5	0.1

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(b) Excludes persons still at school.

(c) Includes Certificate I and II and non-school qualifications.

(d) Includes inadequately described and not stated.

(e) Indigenous data for the ACT and Tasmania, and non-Indigenous data for the ACT, Tasmania and the NT are not provided by the ABS as they are considered too small to produce reliable estimates, but these data have been attributed appropriately to national estimates.

– Nil or rounded to zero. np Not published.

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Table 7A.5.9

Table 7A.5.9 **Level of highest post-school qualification and type of employment, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over**
(a) (b)

	CDEP				Non-CDEP				Total employed			
	<i>Proportion employed</i>		<i>RSE (e)</i>		<i>Proportion employed</i>		<i>RSE (e)</i>		<i>Proportion employed</i>		<i>RSE (e)</i>	
	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>Estimate</i>	<i>'000</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>%</i>
2002												
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>												
Males	1.2		7.4	19.4	15.2		92.6	1.5	16.5		100	—
Females	1.1		8.3	26.2	12.2		91.7	2.4	13.4		100	—
Total	2.3		7.8	15.6	27.5		92.2	1.3	29.8		100	—
<i>Other people (c)</i>												
Males	18.5		36.0	6.3	33.0		64.0	3.5	51.5		100	—
Females	10.9		27.6	9.3	28.7		72.4	3.5	39.6		100	—
Total	29.5		32.3	6.4	61.6		67.7	3.1	91.1		100	—
<i>All people (d)</i>												
Males	20.1		29.2	6.2	48.8		70.8	2.5	68.9		100	—
Females	12.2		22.6	9.6	41.8		77.4	2.8	54.0		100	—
Total	31.3		26.3	6.5	90.7		73.7	2.3	122.9		100	—
2004-05												
<i>Certificate III and higher</i>												
Males	1.6		7.8	18.9	19.1		92.2	7.4	20.7		100	6.9
Females	1.3		6.9	18.3	18.0		93.1	8.8	19.4		100	8.3
Total	3.0		7.4	13.4	37.1		92.6	5.9	40.1		100	5.6

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Table 7A.5.9 **Level of highest post-school qualification and type of employment, Indigenous people aged 18 years and over**
(a) (b)

	CDEP			Non-CDEP			Total employed		
	Estimate	Proportion employed	RSE (e)	Estimate	Proportion employed	RSE (e)	Estimate	Proportion employed	RSE (e)
<i>Other people (c)</i>									
Males	14.4	26.7	8.2	39.6	73.3	5.1	54.0	100	3.5
Females	11.8	30.1	8.4	27.5	69.9	6.9	39.3	100	4.8
Total	26.3	28.1	6.6	67.1	71.9	4.4	93.3	100	3.0
<i>All people (d)</i>									
Males	16.2	21.5	7.5	59.3	78.5	3.5	75.5	100	2.4
Females	13.3	22.4	7.7	46.3	77.6	4.8	59.7	100	3.7
Total	29.5	21.9	6.0	105.7	78.1	3.2	135.2	100	2.3

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(c) Includes Certificate I and II and non-school qualification.

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(e) For 2002 the RSEs refer to the proportions. For 2004-05 the RSEs refer to the estimates.

– Nil or rounded to zero.

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