

2002-2004 OHIO MOTOR VEHICLE THEFTS by Selected Cities

Based on FBI's *Crime in the United States 2004 - Uniform Crime Reports*

City	Number of Thefts ¹			% Change 2003-2004	2004 Motor Vehicle Registrations ²	2004 Ratio of Thefts to Vehicles	Direct Losses of Unrecovered Vehicles ³
	2002	2003	2004				
Akron	2,243 ⁴	1,962	1,523	-22.4	170,645	1 in 112	\$ 3,441,919
Canton	395 ⁴	544 ⁴	627	15.3	65,869	1 in 105	1,416,995
Cincinnati	4,025	4,526	2,860	-36.8	220,152	1 in 77	6,463,486
Cleveland	5,499	5,006	5,808	16.0	309,282	1 in 53	13,125,848
Columbus	7,633	7,876	8,397	6.6	690,861	1 in 82	18,976,884
Dayton	2,689	2,277	2,434	6.9	131,096	1 in 54	5,500,743
Elyria	137 ⁴	116 ⁴	146 ⁴	25.9	52,898	1 in 362	329,954
Euclid	297	153	199	30.1	42,052	1 in 211	449,732
Hamilton	453	434 ⁴	600	38.2	53,434	1 in 89	1,355,976
Lima	221	162	157	-3.1	35,265	1 in 225	354,814
Lorain	97	100	98	-2.0	58,102	1 in 593	221,476
Mansfield	184	153	173	13.1	57,279	1 in 331	390,973
Parma	130	156	141	-9.6	76,900	1 in 545	318,654
Springfield	594	661	507	-23.3	50,791	1 in 100	1,145,800
Toledo	3,213	3,112	2,792	-10.3	259,927	1 in 93	6,309,808
Warren	246	282	296	5.0	42,503	1 in 144	668,948
Youngstown	493	502	411	-18.1	62,439	1 in 152	928,844
STATEWIDE	42,767	40,996	40,853	-0.3	12,192,202	1 in 298	\$92,326,146

¹ 2002-2004 FBI *Uniform Crime Reports*

² Ohio Bureau of Motor Vehicles

³ Computation of loss figures: 2004 FBI *Uniform Crime Reports* (latest figures available) estimated 63% of the autos stolen were recovered, which means 37% of vehicles stolen were not recovered. The FBI also estimated that the unrecovered stolen autos had an average value of \$6,108. To obtain the "Direct Losses-Value of Unrecovered Vehicles" estimates, 37% of the number of 2004 motor vehicle thefts for a given city was multiplied by the average dollar amount (\$6,108). These computations do not take into consideration costs associated with damage to the stolen but recovered vehicles, law enforcement, court administration, injuries, or damage to other property.

⁴ Numbers supplied by city police departments in OII survey – or – cities weren't listed in FBI's *Uniform Crime Reports*.