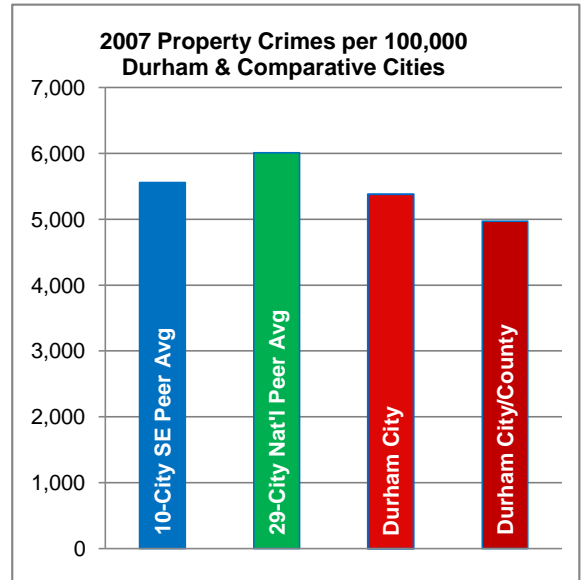
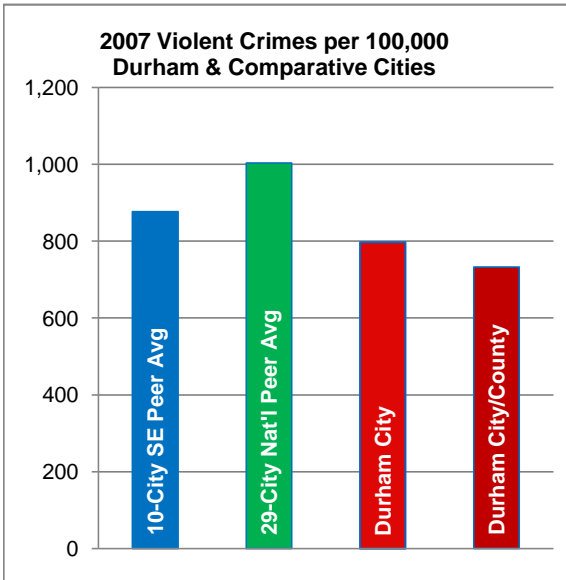


2007 DURHAM CRIME COMPARATIVE

DCVB co-developed this tool with the Durham Police Department many years ago to provide the 16-organization Durham Public Information & Communications Council as well as other civic, business, university and neighborhood leaders better information to assist newcomers and visitors with perspective when needed.

It is designed to put crime reduction efforts in perspective by showing comparisons to nine other Southeast counterparts and 28 nationwide.



2007 Crimes per 100,000 Population
Variance to Average by Type of Crime
10 Southeast Communities

	Homicide per 100,000	Forcible Rape per 100,000	Robbery per 100,000	Aggravated Assault per 100,000	Violent Crimes per 100,000	Burglary per 100,000	Larceny-Theft per 100,000	Motor Vehicle Theft per 100,000	Property Crimes per 100,000
Durham (City & County)	10	34	318	371	733	1,516	3,040	415	4,971
% Diff. from Avg.	-29%	-19%	-11%	-22%	-16%	-8%	-12%	-17%	-11%
Durham (City Only)	11	40	367	380	798	1,661	3,268	453	5,382
% Diff. from Avg.	-21%	-5%	3%	-21%	-9%	1%	-6%	-10%	-3%
10-City SE Peer Avg.	14	42	358	478	877	1,640	3,469	502	5,560

2007 Crimes per 100,000 Population
Variance to Average by Type of Crime
Expanded to 29 Communities Nationwide

	Homicide per 100,000	Forcible Rape per 100,000	Robbery per 100,000	Aggravated Assault per 100,000	Violent Crimes per 100,000	Burglary per 100,000	Larceny-Theft per 100,000	Motor Vehicle Theft per 100,000	Property Crimes per 100,000
Durham (City & County)	10	34	318	371	733	1,516	3,040	415	4,971
% Diff. from Avg.	-33%	-37%	-19%	-33%	-27%	3%	-22%	-37%	-17%
Durham (City Only)	11	40	367	380	798	1,661	3,268	453	5,382
% Diff. from Avg.	-27%	-26%	-6%	-31%	-20%	13%	-17%	-32%	-10%
29-City Nat'l Peer Avg.	15	54	390	553	1,002	1,469	3,918	662	6,009

2007 SE City by City Breakout - Violent Crimes per 100,000 Population
10 Southeast Communities
Alphabetical Order

City	2007 Population	Homicide per 100,000	Forcible Rape per 100,000	Robbery per 100,000	Aggravated Assault per 100,000	Total Violent Crimes per 100,000
Chattanooga	155,043	7	66	338	883	1,294
Columbia, SC	121,674	13	55	284	916	1,267
Durham (City & County)	257,947	10	34	318	371	733
Durham (City Only)	218,179	11	40	367	380	798
Fort Lauderdale	187,995	13	30	391	376	810
Greensboro	238,122	16	39	396	519	971
Norfolk, VA	227,903	21	43	399	381	844
Raleigh	367,120	6	27	227	311	571
Richmond	191,785	27	28	507	396	958
Savannah**	208,116	12	37	357	227	633
Winston-Salem	221,014	11	55	318	388	772
Averages	213,695	14	42	358	478	877

2007 SE City by City Breakout - Property Crimes per 100,000 Population
10 Southeast Communities
Alphabetical Order

City	2007 Population	Burglary per 100,000	Larceny-Theft per 100,000	Motor Vehicle Theft per 100,000	Total Property Crimes per 100,000
Chattanooga	155,043	1,536	5,839	662	8,036
Columbia, SC	121,674	1,041	4,164	518	5,723
Durham (City & County)	257,947	1,516	3,040	415	4,971
Durham (City Only)	218,179	1,661	3,268	453	5,382
Fort Lauderdale	187,995	1,205	3,501	460	5,166
Greensboro	238,122	1,734	3,780	431	6,020
Norfolk, VA	227,903	743	3,860	451	5,054
Raleigh	367,120	803	2,390	283	3,476
Richmond	191,785	968	3,033	674	4,675
Savannah**	208,116	4,733	1,112	561	6,407
Winston-Salem	221,014	1,974	3,741	529	6,244
Averages	213,695	1,640	3,469	502	5,560

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2007 SE City by City Breakout - Violent Crimes per 100,000 Population

10 Southeast Communities

Descending Order by Highest Crime Rate

City	2007 Population	Homicide per 100,000	Forcible Rape per 100,000	Robbery per 100,000	Aggravated Assault per 100,000	Total Violent Crimes per 100,000
Chattanooga	155,043	7	66	338	883	1,294
Columbia, SC	121,674	13	55	284	916	1,267
Greensboro	238,122	16	39	396	519	971
Richmond	191,785	27	28	507	396	958
Norfolk, VA	227,903	21	43	399	381	844
Fort Lauderdale	187,995	13	30	391	376	810
Durham (City Only)	218,179	11	40	367	380	798
Winston-Salem -- N/A	221,014	11	55	318	388	772
Durham (City & County)	257,947	10	34	318	371	733
Savannah**	208,116	12	37	357	227	633
Raleigh	367,120	6	27	227	311	571
Averages	213,695	14	42	358	478	877

2007 SE City by City Breakout - Property Crimes per 100,000 Population

10 Southeast Communities

Descending Order by Highest Crime Rate

City	2007 Population	Burglary per 100,000	Larceny-Theft per 100,000	Motor Vehicle Theft per 100,000	Total Property Crimes per 100,000
Chattanooga	155,043	1,536	5,839	662	8,036
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Winston-Salem	221,014	1,974	3,741	529	6,244
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Richmond	191,785	968	3,033	674	4,675
Raleigh	367,120	803	2,390	283	3,476
Averages	213,695	1,594	3,399	491	5,560

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2007 National City by City Breakout - Violent Crimes per 100,000 Population

Expanded to 29 Communities Nationwide

Alphabetical Order

City	2007 Population	Homicide per 100,000	Forcible Rape per 100,000	Robbery per 100,000	Aggravated Assault per 100,000	Total Violent Crimes per 100,000
Baton Rouge	228,446	31	32	444	638	1,145
Beaumont	109,345	14	65	283	620	981
Birmingham	227,686	38	101	707	613	1,458
Bridgeport	137,655	10	56	490	608	1,165
Chattanooga	155,043	7	66	338	883	1,294
Columbia, SC	121,674	13	55	284	916	1,267
Dayton	155,526	24	77	521	485	1,107
Durham (City & County)	257,947	10	34	318	371	733
Durham (City Only)	218,179	11	40	367	380	798
Flint	116,024	26	97	573	1,713	2,409
Fort Lauderdale	187,995	11	44	443	397	895
Grand Rapids	192,376	9	36	346	564	955
Greensboro	238,122	16	39	396	519	971
Jackson, MS	175,525	26	80	491	264	861
Mobile*	253,842	16	9	295	131	451
Norfolk, VA	227,903	21	43	399	381	844
Portsmouth, VA	101,284	17	36	322	420	794
Raleigh	367,120	6	27	227	311	571
Richmond	191,785	27	28	507	396	958
Rochester, NY	206,686	24	60	497	552	1,133
Salt Lake City	178,449	9	65	282	480	837
Savannah**	208,116	12	37	357	227	633
Shreveport	199,811	18	56	272	754	1,100
South Bend	104,437	7	64	429	271	771
Springfield, MO	150,488	3	48	195	452	698
St. Paul	271,662	5	71	286	502	857
Stockton	297,170	10	35	543	830	1,419
Tacoma	196,909	5	70	328	644	1,048
Tallahassee	159,943	3	85	355	690	1,134
Winston-Salem	221,014	11	55	318	388	772
Averages	193,111	15	54	390	553	1,002

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2007 National City by City Breakout - Property Crimes per 100,000 Population

Expanded to 29 Communities Nationwide

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Baton Rouge	228,446	1,684	3,772	516	5,972
Beaumont	109,345	1,561	4,089	425	6,075
Birmingham	227,686	2,136	5,502	986	8,625
Bridgeport	137,655	872	3,068	838	4,778
Chattanooga	155,043	1,536	5,839	662	8,036
Columbia, SC	121,674	1,041	4,164	518	5,723
Dayton	155,526	2,096	3,595	1,018	6,709
Durham (City & County)	257,947	1,516	3,040	415	4,971
Durham (City Only)	218,179	1,661	3,268	453	5,382
Flint	116,024	2,793	2,555	952	6,300
Fort Lauderdale	187,995	1,205	3,501	460	5,166
Grand Rapids	192,376	1,281	3,584	306	5,171
Greensboro	238,122	1,975	3,756	475	6,206
Jackson, MS	175,525	2,220	3,979	902	7,102
Mobile*	253,842	1,438	3,688	532	5,569
Norfolk, VA	227,903	743	3,860	451	5,054
Portsmouth, VA	101,284	1,087	3,600	298	4,985
Raleigh	367,120	803	2,390	283	3,476
Richmond	191,785	968	3,033	674	4,675
Rochester, NY	206,686	1,238	3,388	794	5,419
Salt Lake City	178,449	1,147	6,254	1,110	8,511
Savannah**	208,116	1,112	3,060	561	4,733
Shreveport	199,811	1,432	4,112	551	6,095
South Bend	104,437	1,862	4,249	468	6,580
Springfield, MO	150,488	1,422	7,463	627	9,512
St. Paul	271,662	992	2,336	764	4,093
Stockton	297,170	1,364	3,965	956	6,285
Tacoma	196,909	1,331	4,549	1,697	7,578
Tallahassee	159,943	1,618	3,252	379	5,249
Winston-Salem	221,014	1,974	3,741	529	6,244
Averages	193,111	1,469	3,918	662	6,009

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2007 National City by City Breakout - Violent Crimes per 100,000 Population

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Descending Order by Highest Crime Rate

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Flint	116,024	26	97	573	1,713	2,409
Birmingham	227,686	38	101	707	613	1,458
Stockton	297,170	10	35	543	830	1,419
Chattanooga	155,043	7	66	338	883	1,294
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Bridgeport	137,655	10	56	490	608	1,165
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Tallahassee	159,943	3	85	355	690	1,134
Rochester, NY	206,686	24	60	497	552	1,133
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