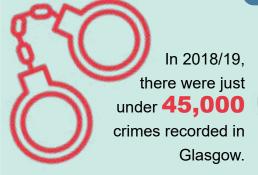


CRIME AND SAFETY

Overall crime rate





That is **35%** lower than a decade before.



Glasgow has a recorded crime rate higher than all other Scottish cities, and **58% higher** than the Scottish average.

Violent crimes

Glasgow's rate of violent crime in 2018/19 was **81% higher** than the national average.

This rate declined by 58% between 2009 and 2015, but started increasing again from 2016 onwards.



Domestic abuse



The domestic abuse rate in Glasgow in 2018/19 was **32%** higher than the Scottish average.

Acquisitive crime

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decreased significantly
between 2011/12 and
2018/19, from 27,426
incidents down to 17,955.
That is a 35% decrease.





There are links between these community safety challenges and area deprivation, poor mental health, and drug and alcohol misuse. This means that more vulnerable populations are often more at risk and, although overall crime rates have been dropping, incidence of crime remain concentrated on the same areas within the city.