



Homicide Survey

Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics
Policing Services Program

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Statistics Canada use only

Incident identifier _____
Province Code _____
Police Force Location _____
CMA _____
Data entry date _____
Amendment date _____
Record status _____

Police Officers Killed

Include only those police officers who were killed for reasons related to their occupation, regardless of whether the officer was on or off duty at the time.

1. Incident file number _____		2. Name of victim Surname _____ First name _____	
3. Number of years of service as a police officer _____ or, <input type="radio"/> less than one year		4. Number of years of service with present force _____ or, <input type="radio"/> less than one year	
5. Victim's Rank <input type="radio"/> Officer <input type="radio"/> Non-commissioned officer <input type="radio"/> Constable <input type="radio"/> Special constable <input type="radio"/> Cadet <input type="radio"/> Auxiliary	6. Type of assignment <input type="radio"/> Foot patrol <input type="radio"/> One-officer vehicle <input type="radio"/> Two-officer vehicle <input type="radio"/> Detective <input type="radio"/> Special assignment <input type="radio"/> Undercover <input type="radio"/> Off-duty <input type="radio"/> Other (specify) _____ <input type="radio"/> Unknown		7. Victim in Uniform <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
			8. Priority given to dispatch <input type="radio"/> Not dispatched <input type="radio"/> High <input type="radio"/> Low <input type="radio"/> Unknown
9. Involvement of other officers <input type="radio"/> Alone, no assistance requested <input type="radio"/> Alone, assistance requested <input type="radio"/> Assisted by other officers <input type="radio"/> Unknown		10. Did victim use firearm? <input type="radio"/> Yes, fired <input type="radio"/> Yes, drew, displayed <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown	
11. Did victim attempt to fire? <input type="radio"/> Not applicable, victim fired <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown		12. Was victim disarmed? <input type="radio"/> Not applicable, victim fired <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown	
13. Did other officers use firearms? <input type="radio"/> Yes, fired <input type="radio"/> Yes, drew, displayed <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown		14. Was offender shot by a police officer? <input type="radio"/> Not applicable, officer(s) did not shoot <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown	
15. Had victim received firearm training? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown	16. Victim's firearm <input type="radio"/> Revolver <input type="radio"/> Semi-automatic <input type="radio"/> Rifle <input type="radio"/> Shotgun		17. Did victim carry a back-up weapon? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown
18. Type of back-up weapon <input type="radio"/> Not applicable, no backup <input type="radio"/> Firearm <input type="radio"/> Other (specify) _____ <input type="radio"/> Unknown		19. Did victim use back-up weapon? <input type="radio"/> Not applicable, did not have one <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> Unknown	



<p>20. Number of shots fired by offender _____ or,</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 00 Not applicable</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 88 Fired: number of shots unknown</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 99 Unknown</p>	<p>21. Did victim wear protective body armor?</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 1 Yes</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 2 No</p> <p><input type="radio"/> 9 Unknown</p>
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22. Location of victim's wounds

<input type="radio"/> 01 Front head	<input type="radio"/> 06 Front lower torso/stomach
<input type="radio"/> 02 Rear head	<input type="radio"/> 07 Rear lower torso/back
<input type="radio"/> 03 Neck/throat	<input type="radio"/> 08 Front below waist
<input type="radio"/> 04 Front upper torso/chest	<input type="radio"/> 09 Rear below waist
<input type="radio"/> 05 Rear upper torso/chest	<input type="radio"/> 10 Arms/hands

23. Which of the above was the fatal injury?

_____ or, 99 unknown

24. Circumstances surrounding the victim's death

<input type="radio"/> 01 Person with firearm	<input type="radio"/> 10 Handling or transporting of prisoners
<input type="radio"/> 02 Domestic quarrel	<input type="radio"/> 11 Attempting arrest
<input type="radio"/> 03 Robbery	<input type="radio"/> 12 Accident investigation
<input type="radio"/> 04 Break and enter	<input type="radio"/> 13 Traffic pursuit
<input type="radio"/> 05 Barricaded person, hostage taking	<input type="radio"/> 14 Routine spot check
<input type="radio"/> 06 Drug related	<input type="radio"/> 15 Investigative activity (surveillance, etc)
<input type="radio"/> 07 Disturbance (bar fight, other)	<input type="radio"/> 16 Ambush, unprovoked attack
<input type="radio"/> 08 Suspicious persons	<input type="radio"/> 17 Other (<i>specify</i>) _____
<input type="radio"/> 09 Civil disorder (mass disturbance)	<input type="radio"/> 99 Unknown

AUTHORIZATION: This authorizes the Chief Statistician of Canada to disseminate information reported on this questionnaire, excluding personal identifiers, to the public.

Signature _____ Name of official (please print) _____ Date _____

Information for Respondents

Authority: Collected under the authority of the Statistics Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, Chapter S19.

Objective: This survey collects essential data to produce statistics on the incidence and characteristics of homicide offences in Canada. The information is used by federal and provincial policy makers as well as public and private researchers. The data are also widely disseminated by the media for purposes of general public information.

Confidentiality: Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from publishing any statistics which would divulge information obtained from this survey that related to any identifiable respondent/individual without the previous written consent of that respondent/individual. The information reported on this questionnaire will be treated in confidence, used for statistical purposes and published in aggregate form only. The confidentiality provisions of the Statistics Act are not affected by either the Access to Information Act or any other legislation.

Correspondence: If you require further clarification to complete this questionnaire please contact the Senior Analyst, Homicide Project, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, Statistics Canada, Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0T6. Telephone (613) 951-9023.

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