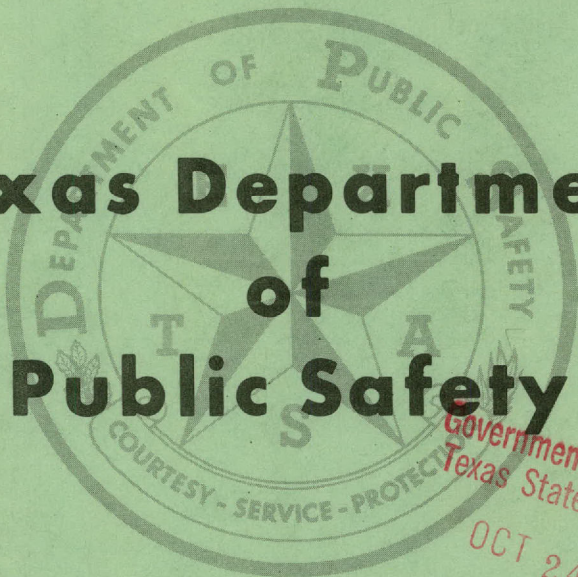


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FIGURES CONTAINED IN THIS MONTHLY REPORT  
 REPRESENT VEHICLE THEFT DATA ENTRIES INTO  
 TCIC BY ALL TEXAS LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.

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TOTAL AUTO THEFTS - 4359

TOTAL PICKUP THEFTS - 2212

MAKE/MODEL	TOTAL
AMERICAN MOTORS	30
<hr/>	
BUICK	245
Century	16
Electra	22
Le Sabre	45
Regal	118
Skylark	31
* Others	13
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CADILLAC	171
Seville	22
* Others	149
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CHEVROLET	1067
Bel Air	7
Camaro	318
Caprice	40
Chevelle	9
Corvette	42
Citation	15
Impala	96
Malibu	83
Monte Carlo	179
Nova	52
Vega	19
* Others	207
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CHRYSLER	57
Cordoba	17
Newport	8
* Others	32

MAKE/MODEL	TOTAL
DODGE	86
Aries	3
Charger	14
Coronet	6
Dart	8
Polara	1
* Others	54
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FORD	657
Escort	20
Fairlane	13
Fairmont	17
Galaxie	29
Granada	49
LTD	120
Maverick	26
Mustang	132
Pinto	50
Thunderbird	69
Torino	29
* Others	103
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LINCOLN	88
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MERCURY	185
Capri	14
Comet	7
Cougar	57
Marquis	35
Montego	8
Monterey	11
* Others	53

MAKE/MODEL	TOTAL
<b>OLDSMOBILE</b>	<b>514</b>
Cutlass	280
Delta 88	49
Omega	17
Toronado	28
* Others	140
<b>PLYMOUTH</b>	<b>71</b>
Belvedere	0
Duster	6
Fury	18
Horizon	4
Reliant	7
Satellite	5
Valiant	3
* Others	28

MAKE/MODEL	TOTAL
<b>PONTIAC</b>	<b>417</b>
Bonneville	31
Firebird	134
Grand Prix	129
GTO	2
Le Mans	23
Phoenix	2
* Others	96
<b>DATSUN</b>	<b>146</b>
<b>HONDA</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>MAZDA</b>	<b>38</b>
<b>MERCEDES BENZ</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>TOYOTA</b>	<b>132</b>
<b>VOLKSWAGEN</b>	<b>78</b>
<b>ALL OTHER IMPORTS</b>	<b>231</b>

\* MISCODES, NONCODES AND MODELS NOT LISTED

Chevrolet Pickup Thefts	832	Farm Equipment Thefts	105
Ford Pickup Thefts	888	Construction Equip. Thefts	59

**ALL TEXAS AUTOMOBILE AND PICKUP THEFTS, DURING THIS PERIOD, LISTED BY YEAR MODEL WITH PERCENTAGES OF MONTHLY TOTAL.**

YEAR MODELS	AUTO THEFTS	PERCENT OF TOTAL (AUTO)	PICKUP THEFTS	PERCENT OF TOTAL (PICKUP)
1984	438	10 %	229	10 %
1983	299	7 %	170	8 %
1982	382	9 %	235	11 %
1981	353	8 %	149	7 %
1980	323	7 %	91	4 %
<b>TOTAL 80 THRU 84</b>	<b>1795</b>	<b>41 %</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>40 %</b>
<b>79 AND OLDER MODELS</b>	<b>2564</b>	<b>59 %</b>	<b>1338</b>	<b>60 %</b>
<b>TOTAL THEFTS</b>	<b>4359</b>		<b>2212</b>	

# VEHICLE THEFT DATA FOR URBAN GROUPS 1980 Federal Census

## GROUP I OVER 250,000 POPULATION

	Auto Thefts	Pickup Thefts
Austin	103	30
Dallas	593	160
El Paso	95	72
Ft. Worth	217	89
Houston	1376	632
San Antonio	361	295

## GROUP II 100,000 TO 250,000 POPULATION

Amarillo	29	12
Arlington	55	27
Beaumont	15	8
Corpus Christi	70	43
Garland	24	20
Irving	40	10
Lubbock	48	12
Pasadena	38	29
Waco	27	7