

## Summary of Cannabis Charges, Australia: 1995/1996 - 2007/2008S

	1995/1996	1996/1997	1997/1998	1998/1999	1999/2000	2000/2001	2001/2002	2002/2003	2003/2004	2004/2005	2005/2006	2006/2007	2007/2008
<b>Consumers</b>													
Infringements	16,696	9,781	8,320	7,674	9,591	9,298	7,854	6,081	6,475	9,057	9,252	7,699	8,091
Arrests	58,359	39,524	38,618	39,251	37,663	37,569	37,939	40,084	40,416	37,196	38,138	40,685	36,769
Total	75,055	49,305	46,938	46,925	47,254	46,867	45,793	46,165	46,891	46,253	47,390	48,384	44,860
<b>Providers</b>													
Total	20,589	19,831	17,721	11,206	8,370	7,098	9,316	9,217	9,235	8,503	8,223	8,392	7,460
<b>All charges (consumers + providers)</b>													
Total	95,644	69,136	64,659	58,131	55,624	53,965	55,109	55,382	56,126	54,756	55,613	56,776	52,320
<b>% all charges</b>													
% providers	30.5%	29.7%	27.4%	19.3%	15.0%	13.2%	16.9%	16.6%	16.5%	15.5%	14.8%	14.8%	14.3%
% infringements	17.5%	19.1%	17.3%	17.0%	17.2%	17.2%	14.3%	11.0%	11.5%	16.5%	16.6%	13.6%	15.5%

Source: Australian Crime Commission. Australian Illicit Drug Data Reports (annual series). Previously published by Australian Bureau of Criminal Intelligence & National Crime Authority as Australian Illicit Drug Report