Connecticut IC3 2008 Internet Crime Report

Complaint Characteristics

In 2008 IC3 received a total of 2278 complaints from the state of Connecticut.

Top Complaint Categories from Connecticut

Non Delivery of Merchandise /Payment	39.3 %
Auction Fraud	29.3 %
Credit Card Fraud	8.5 %
Confidence Fraud	6.1 %
Check Fraud	3.9 %
Financial Institutions Fraud	3.1%
Computer Intrusion/hacking	3.0 %
Identity Theft	2.0%
Nigerian Letter Fraud	2.0%
Child Pornography	0.9%

Percent of Referrals by Monetary Loss

\$.01 - \$99.99	15.5 %
\$100.00 - \$999.99	41.6%
\$1000.00 - \$4999.99	31.4%
\$5000.00 - \$9999.99	6.1 %
Over 10000	5.4 %

The top dollar loss complaint involved Nigerian letter fraud and totaled \$135,000.00 while the reported loss throughout the state exceeded \$2,100,000.00.

The total median dollar loss for all complaints reporting a dollar loss was \$695.45.

Connecticut Perpetrator Characteristics

Gender

Male **75.4**% Female **24.6**%

Perpetrator Statistics within the United States

Per 100,000 population Connecticut ranks 23rd highest at 25.36 while ranking 27th on total number of perpetrators identified as residing in Connecticut. This total accounts for 1.0% of all complaints where the perpetrator was identified.

Connecticut Complainant Characteristics

Gender

Male **54.4**% Female **45.6**%

Complaint demographics

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8%
6%
6%
2 %
4 %

Median Amount Lost Per Referred Complaint by Selected Complainant Demographics

Under 20	\$532.45
20-29	\$606.00
30-39	\$745.00
40-49	\$874.00
50-59	\$406.95
60 and older	\$1000.00

Complainant Statistics within the United States

Per 100,000 population Connecticut ranks **39**th highest at 65.06 while also ranking **32**nd on total number of complainants identified as residing in Connecticut. This total accounts for only 1.0% of all complainants in the United States.

Complainant-Perpetrator Dynamics

From Same State as Complainant and the top three locations

Connecticut 10.9% 1. California 13.1% 2. New York 10.5% 3. Florida 9.6%