# Washington IC3 2009 Internet Crime Report

# **Complaint Characteristics**

In 2009 IC3 received a total of 8035 complaints from the state of Washington.

Top Complaint Categories from Washington		
FBI Scams	17.1%	
Non Delivery of Merchandise /Payment	14.5%	
Identity Theft	<b>9.0</b> %	
Overpayment Fraud	8.9%	
Credit Card Fraud	<b>8.1</b> %	
Advanced Fee Fraud	7.4%	
Miscellaneous Consumer Fraud	<b>7.1</b> %	
SPAM	5.3%	
Computer Intrusion/hacking	<b>4.9</b> %	
Auction Fraud	<b>3.9</b> %	

## **Percent by Monetary Loss**

\$.01 - \$99.99	24.6%
\$100.00 - \$999.99	38.2%
\$1000.00 - \$4999.99	24.5%
\$5000.00 - \$9999.99	5.1%
Over 10000	7.5%
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The top dollar loss complaint involved overpayment fraud and totaled **\$890,766.00** while the reported loss throughout the state exceeded **\$12,400,000.00**.

#### Amount Lost by Fraud Type for Individuals Reporting Monetary Loss

Complaint Type	Median loss per complaint
FBI Scams	\$600.00
Non Delivery of Merchandise /Payment	\$497.00
Identity Theft	\$500.00
Overpayment Fraud	\$2600.00
Credit Card Fraud	\$111.30
Advanced Fee Fraud	\$1600.00
Miscellaneous Consumer Fraud	\$465.00
SPAM	\$400.00
Computer Intrusion/hacking	\$900.00
Auction Fraud	\$298.00

The total median dollar loss for all complaints reporting a dollar loss was \$450.00.

## Washington Perpetrator Characteristics

#### Gender

Male	<b>76.7</b> %
Female	23.3%

#### **Perpetrator Statistics within the United States**

Per 100,000 population 81.33 (<sup>th</sup>) perpetrators identified as residing in Washington. This total accounts for 5.0% ( $6^{th}$ ) of all complaints where the perpetrator was identified.

## Washington Complainant Characteristics

Gender	
Male	<b>51.7</b> %
Female	<b>48.3</b> %

# Complaint demographics

Under 20	3.1%
20-29	17.3%
30-39	<b>19.7</b> %
40-49	22.7%
50-59	23.2%
Over 60	<b>14.1</b> %

#### Median Amount Lost Per Referred Complaint by Selected Complainant Demographics

\$500.00
\$400.00
\$536.00
\$500.00
\$400.00
\$387.00

#### **Complainant Statistics within the United States**

Per 100,000 population 120.56 (9<sup>th</sup>) are complainants identified as residing in Washington. This total accounts for only 2.8% (10<sup>th</sup>) of all complainants in the United States.

# **Complainant-Perpetrator Dynamics**

Washington 23.0%