

Table 1. Incidents involving administrative weapon offences, by accompanying violent or non-violent violation, Canada¹, 2009 to 2015.

Administrative weapon offence	Including Quebec		Excluding Quebec		
	Total incidents	Annual average	Total incidents	Firearms present and violent violation ^{2,3,4}	% incidents Firearms present and Violent
Explosives	1,512	216	1,261	9	0.7%
Weapons Trafficking	1,303	186	1,093	28	2.6%
Weapons Possession Contrary to Order ⁵	11,869	1,696	9,774	1,075	11.0%
Possession of Weapons ⁵	147,869	21,124	133,520	6,100	4.6%
Unauthorized importing/exporting of weapons ⁵	772	110	738	7	0.9%
Firearms Documentation/Administration ⁵	4,112	587	3,587	73	2.0%
Unsafe Storage of Firearms ⁵	17,430	2,490	12,754	581	4.6%
Total administrative weapons offences	184,867	26,410	162,727	7,873	4.8%

1. Québec is excluded from administrative weapons offences "where firearms are present and a violent violation" due to a high proportion of incidents where information on weapons was reported as unknown.

2. Refers to the total number of incidents involving an administrative weapons offence with an accompanying violation. Includes only violent violations where the most serious weapon present was a firearm.

3. Includes incidents where one or more administrative weapons offences was accompanied by one or more violent violations. Includes only incidents where the most serious weapon present was a firearm.

4. Includes incidents where one or more administrative weapons offences was accompanied by one or more non-violent violations.

5. Effective 1998-12-01.

Notes: If multiple administrative weapons offences were found on the same incident, the accompanying violent and non-violent offences are counted under both violations. If an administrative weapons offences was found as an accompanying violation, the incident was counted under the category of accompanying non-violent violation.

Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Centre for Justice Statistics, Uniform Crime Reporting Survey.

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