

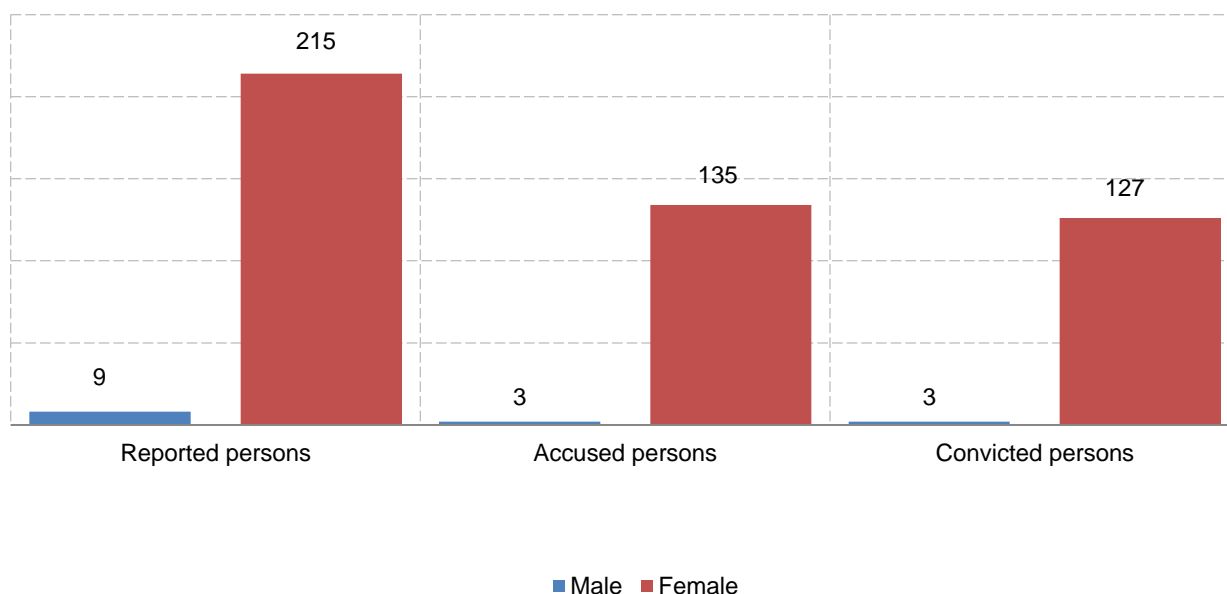
Juvenile perpetrators of crimes 2013

This release presents the data on reported, accused and convicted juvenile persons – perpetrators of crime.

During 2013 in Montenegro 224 reports were against juvenile perpetrators of crime, showing an increase of 8.2% compared with 2012. The share of women is 4%. Number of accused juvenile persons compared with the previous year increased 9.5%, and number of convicted persons increased 10.2%. The share of women in accused juvenile persons is 2.2% while share of women in convicted juvenile persons is 2.3%.

In most frequent crimes against property, share of reported is 62.6%, share of accused is 57.2%, and share of convicted is 56.1%.

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METHODOLOGICAL EXPLANATIONS

The data on juvenile perpetrators of crimes are collected by the regular statistical surveys. The coverage of crime as a socially negative manifestation is complete, since statistical surveys cover all juvenile perpetrators of crime (including crimes done by unknown perpetrators).

Reported person is a perpetrator of a crime, against whom legal proceedings and preliminary hearings were concluded. Accused person is an adult against whom an indictment, legal charges or a private suit has been brought at a court. Convicted person is an adult being pronounced guilty and against whom following criminal sanctions have been imposed: punishment, conditional discharge, reprimand, security measures, corrective measures, guilty verdict but released from sentence.

Juvenile perpetrators of a crime are persons who reached the age of 14, but not yet 18 at the time of committing the crime.

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