

Crime
in Chicago

This heatmap visualizes the incidence of crime per capita by community area. One challenge with this dataset is that the ranges for each type of crime vary wildly; to facilitate comparison of crime across community areas, a color scale based on the deviation from the mean for each dimension is used. Darker shades indicate a higher relative incidence of crime per capita. Crime data are sourced from the City of Chicago Data Portal and population and median income data are sourced from the Census.

