



Crime Analysis Report April 2018

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Crime Analysis

A set of systematic, analytical processes directed at providing timely and pertinent information relative to crime patterns and trend correlations to assist the operational and administrative personnel in planning the deployment of resources for the prevention and suppression of criminal activities, aiding the investigative process, and increasing apprehensions and the clearance of cases. Within this context, Crime Analysis supports a number of department functions including patrol deployment, special operations, and tactical units, investigations, planning and research, crime prevention, and administrative services (budgeting and program planning). --Steven Gottlieb et al., 1994, "Crime Analysis: From First Report to Final Arrest."

TO: Office of the Chief

FROM: Det. Sgt. Kurt Fasulo #63

SUBJECT: Crime Analysis Report April 2018

*During the month of April 2018, the Guilford Police Department had the following **Part 1** and selected **Part 2** Crimes reported: Reference Appendix A for further information. This information was compiled via the NEXGEN system utilizing a query of all Part 1 Crimes and select Part 2 crimes from the computer database. A full review of each queried case file report was completed.*

The Guilford Police Department investigated **922** cases for the month of April. This is a twelve percent (-12%) decrease in calls from the previous month.

Burglary Cases

There were two reported Burglaries for the month of April. The two cases do not appear to be connected to each other. Both involved commercial properties and one case saw forced entry utilized. There were again cases of unlocked vehicles being entered and items stolen from within. These thefts from unlocked vehicle incidents would result in a criminal charge of burglary, however for reporting purposes those cases can be found in the larceny section of this report.

The number of burglaries remained the same from March to April.

There was no crime pattern developed, thus no response plan was developed.

Reference Appendix B for a graphic representation.

Criminal Mischief Cases:

There was a total of eleven (11) criminal mischief cases filed for the month of April. This is a forty-five (45%) percent increase in criminal mischief cases from March to April. Two (2) of these cases involved damage to public property, eight (8) to private property.

The times and dates reported are depicted in the graphic representation. Some of these are the time the report was filed and not the time at which the crime is being committed. Three (3) of the eleven cases show an accurate representation of the time these crimes were committed. The others were reported after the damage was observed and the exact time and date of the occurrence is unknown. There were six(6) cases of mailboxes being damaged during the overnight or late evening hours.

There were no arrests made for criminal mischief in the month of April.

The criminal mischief cases for this month were dispersed throughout the month and there was no pattern developed. Consistent with most months, the majority of criminal mischief takes place in the late evening, early morning hours on weekends. Patrols are aware of this pattern and have been alerted to identifiable characteristics of this type of crime.

Reference Appendix C for a graphic representation.

Larceny Cases:

There were thirteen (13) larceny cases reported during the month of April. Three (3) of the thirteen cases were solved. There were two (2) arrests made as a result of these larceny cases. One incident involved a shoplifter who was identified and provided payment for the stolen item(s). The complainant no longer wished to pursue charges once payment was received. Another incident involved an officer using discretion to not make an arrest based upon the dollar value of the stolen item(s) as well as the suspects' age and lack of criminal history.

The larceny types are as follows: five (5) thefts from a motor vehicle, four (4) shopliftings, one (1) theft from residence, one(1) fraud with credit card, and one (1) general larceny.

For five (5) of these larceny cases the exact date and time that the larceny occurred has not been determined. Thus, the date and time shown reflects only that of the date/time reported.

The number of larceny cases increased forty-four percent (44%) from March to April.

There was one (1) incident of catalytic converters being removed from parked vehicles. There is an ongoing investigation for a suspect involved in similar thefts in the past. The lone fraud case involved items being purchased from a local supply store with a stolen credit card. The store manager became aware of the individual immediately following the transactions and called Guilford Police to the scene. The other fraud cases for the month of April are as follows: Eight (8) General Fraud, One (1) Fraud Flim Flam, Five (5) Fraud Identity Thefts, Four (4) Fraud with Credit Card. These other fraud incidents all involved complainants who were reimbursed or did not experience any loss, thus these cases are not included in the monthly totals for larceny cases.

The thefts from motor vehicle larcenies nearly all involved items being removed from unlocked motor vehicles. This department continues to educate the public on securing valuables through social media platforms.

Reference Appendix C for a graphic representation.

Robbery Cases:

None reported.

Larceny of MV Cases:

None reported.

Aggravated Assault/Simple Assault:

None reported.

Arson Cases:

None reported.

Rape/Sex offense Cases:

None reported.

Murder Cases:

None reported.

Information and Intelligence received on criminal activity:

CTIC provided LEO intelligence during this month. The New England State Police Information Network also served as a source of intelligence as did the Law Enforcement Information Exchange (LInX). Guilford Police also monitors Crimedex Law Enforcement Portal for updated information on financial crime trends.

Intelligence meetings were held with the Middlesex County Detective Association, New Haven ISU, and New Haven MDT in regard to ongoing criminal activity in all attending agencies' jurisdictions. The Guilford Police Department has also received information from anonymous sources for suspected criminal activity.

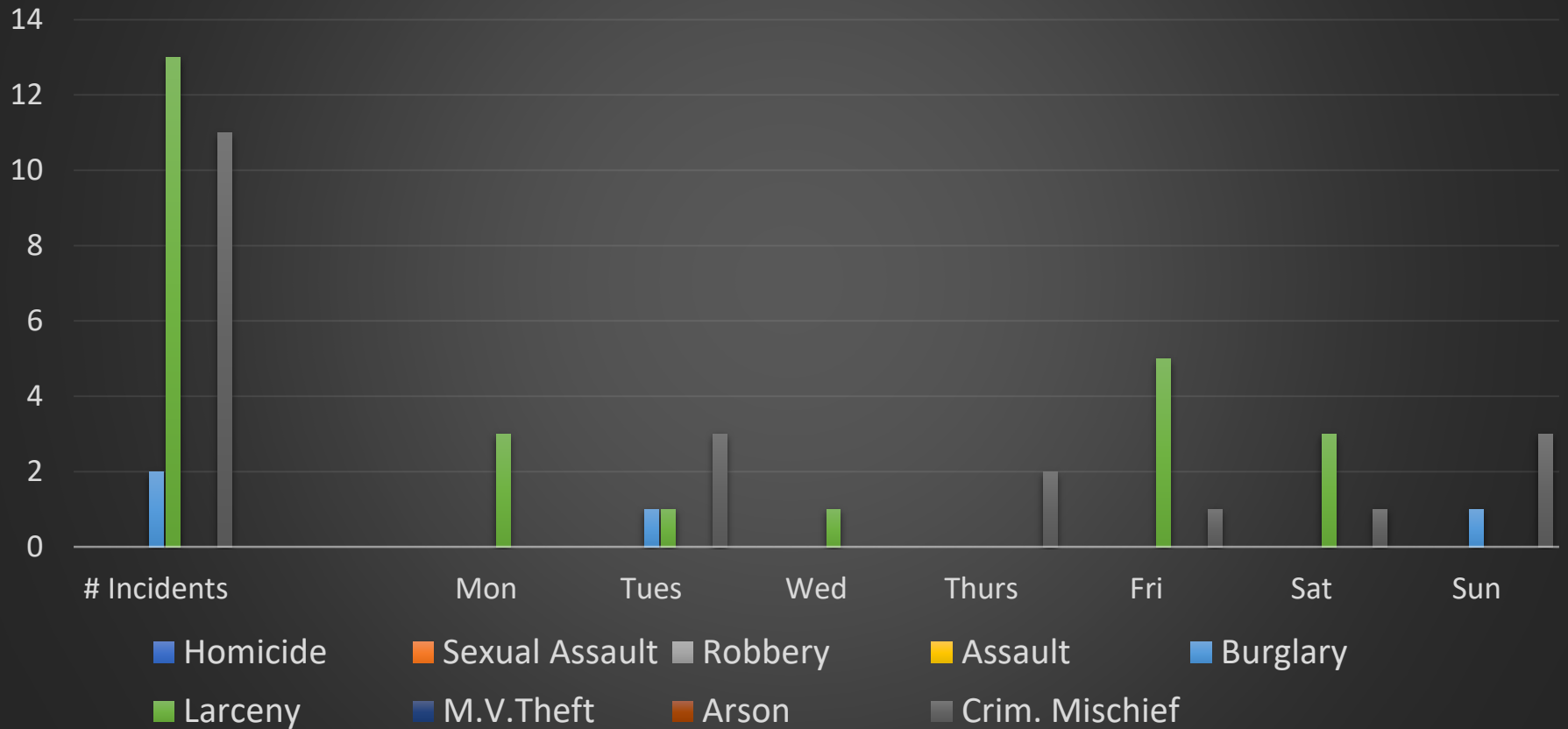
Guilford Police Department has been corresponding with the Branford Police Department and surrounding agencies regarding stolen motor vehicles and burglaries taking place in each agency's respective jurisdiction. The goal of the collaboration is to gather enough information to identify trends which will assist in developing response plans as well as suspect information.

Respectfully submitted,

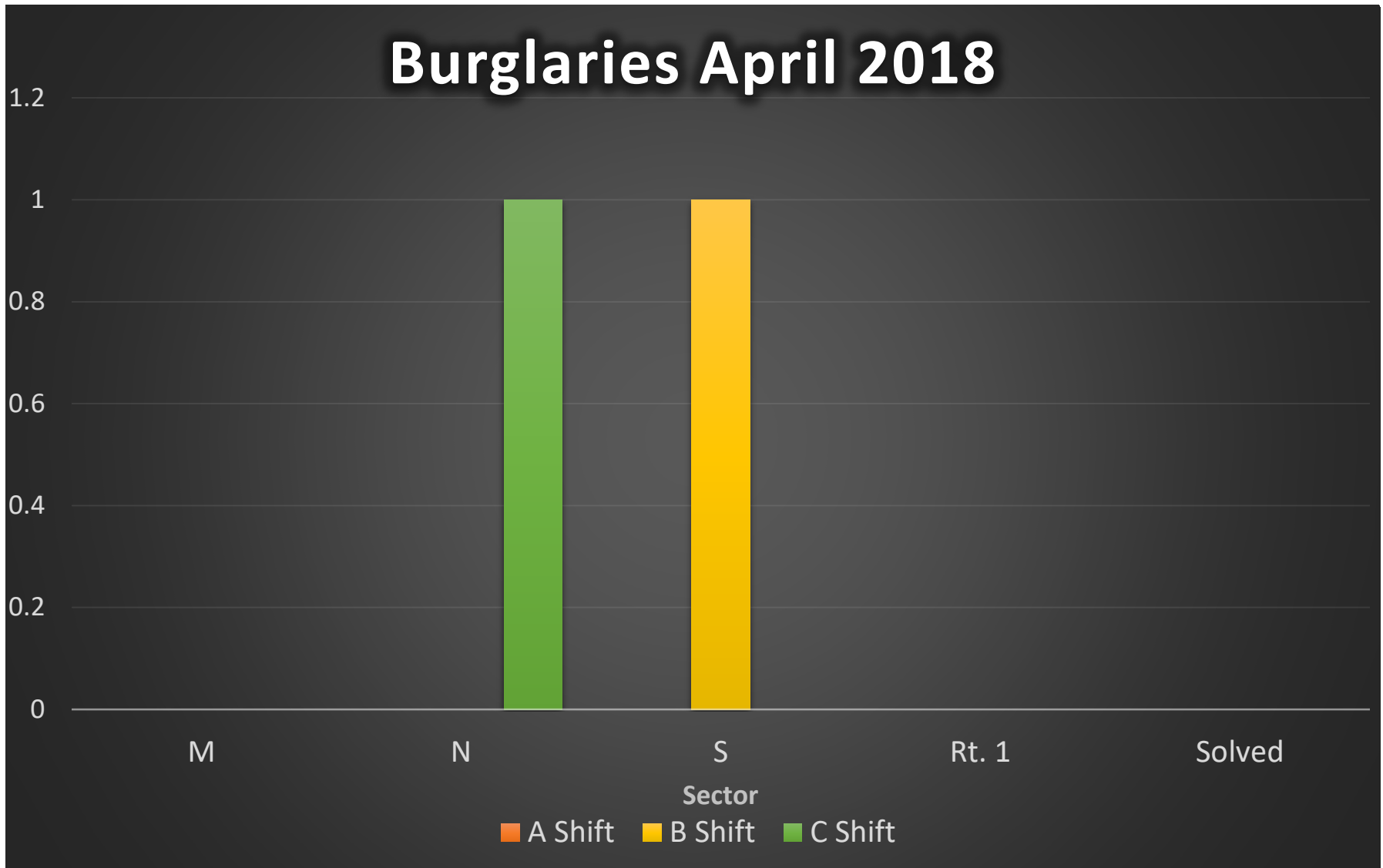
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Appendix A - Crime

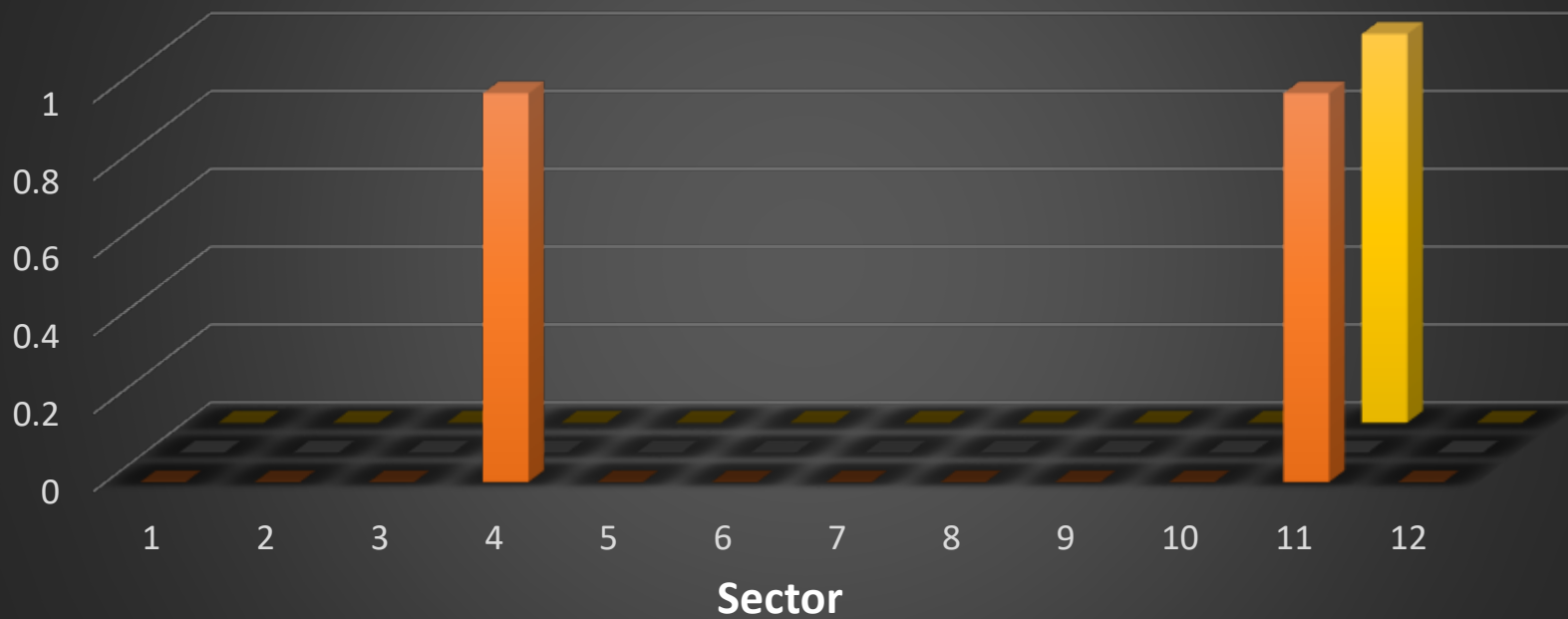
Crimes by Type/Day April 2018



Appendix B – Burglary

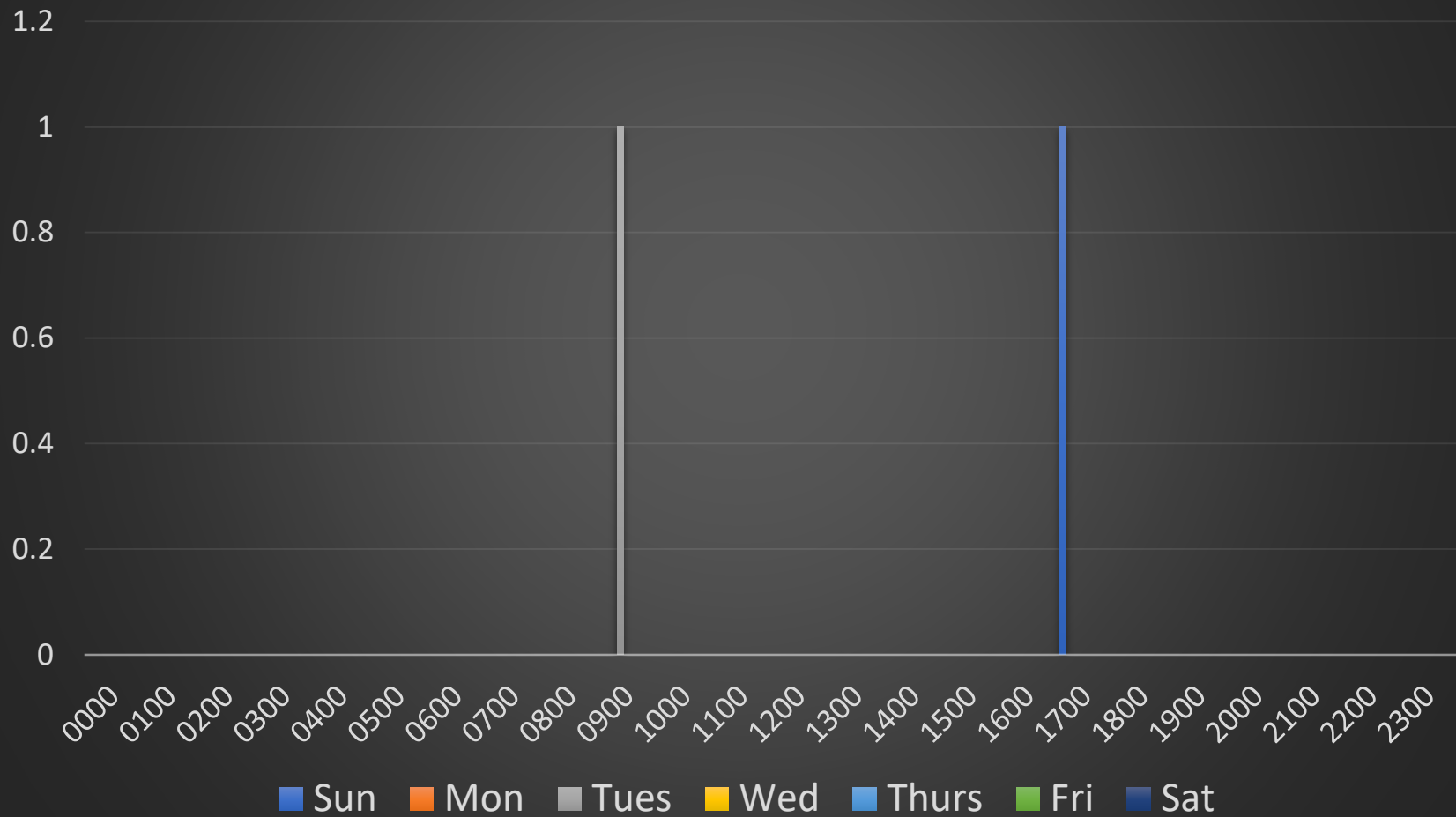


Burglary Sector Breakdown April 2018

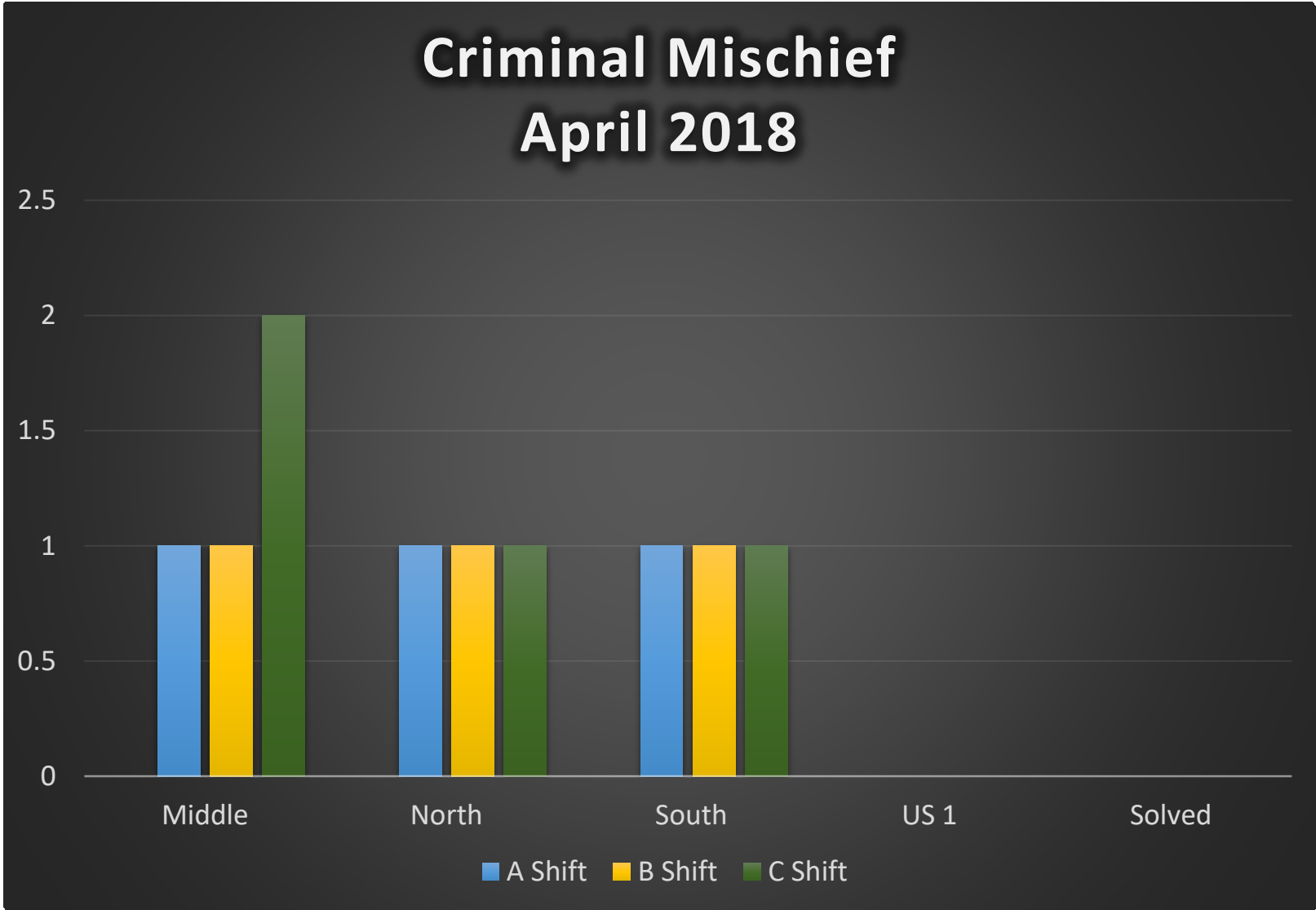


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Burglary Date/Time Breakdown April 2018

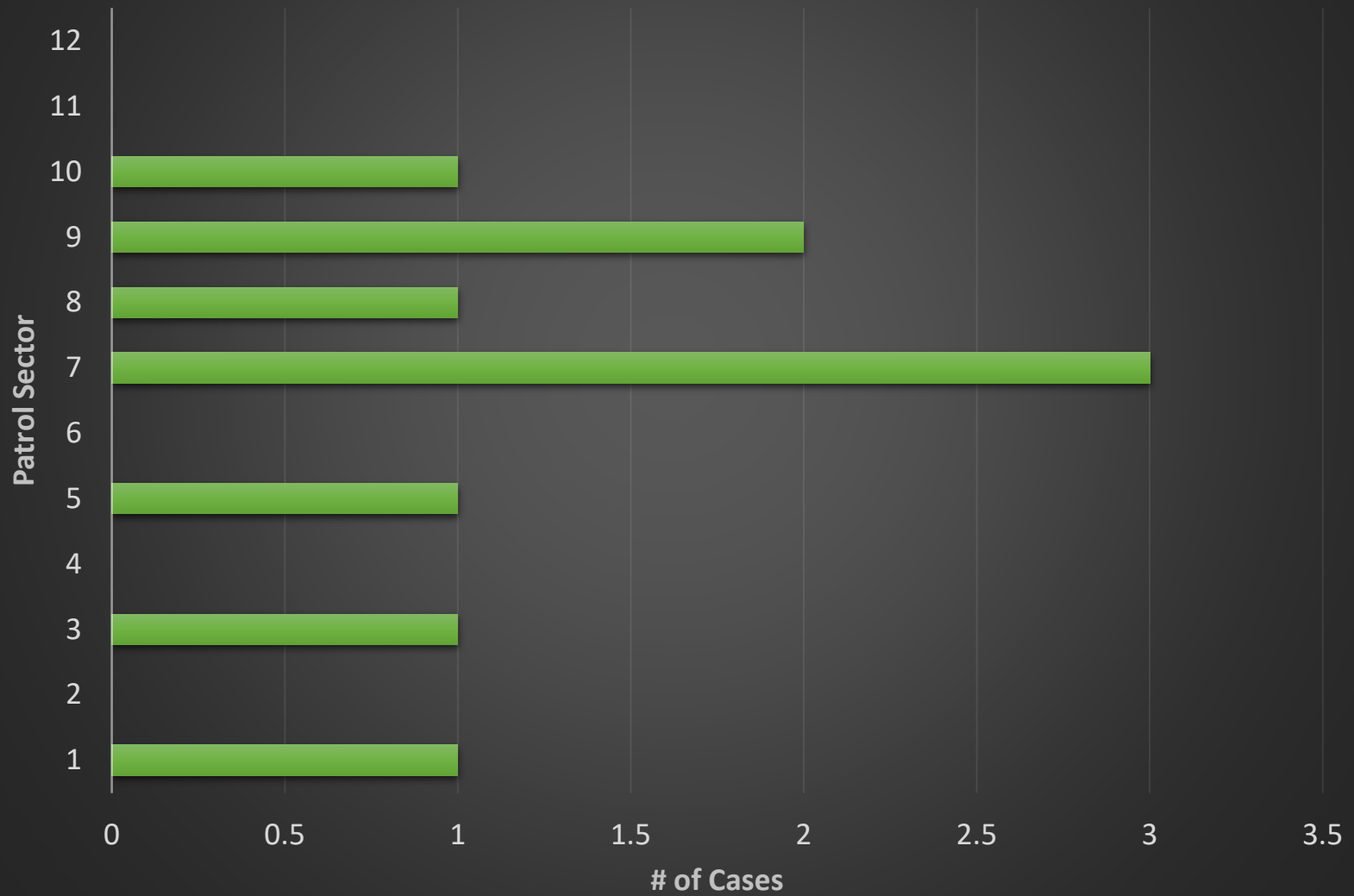


Appendix C - Criminal Mischief

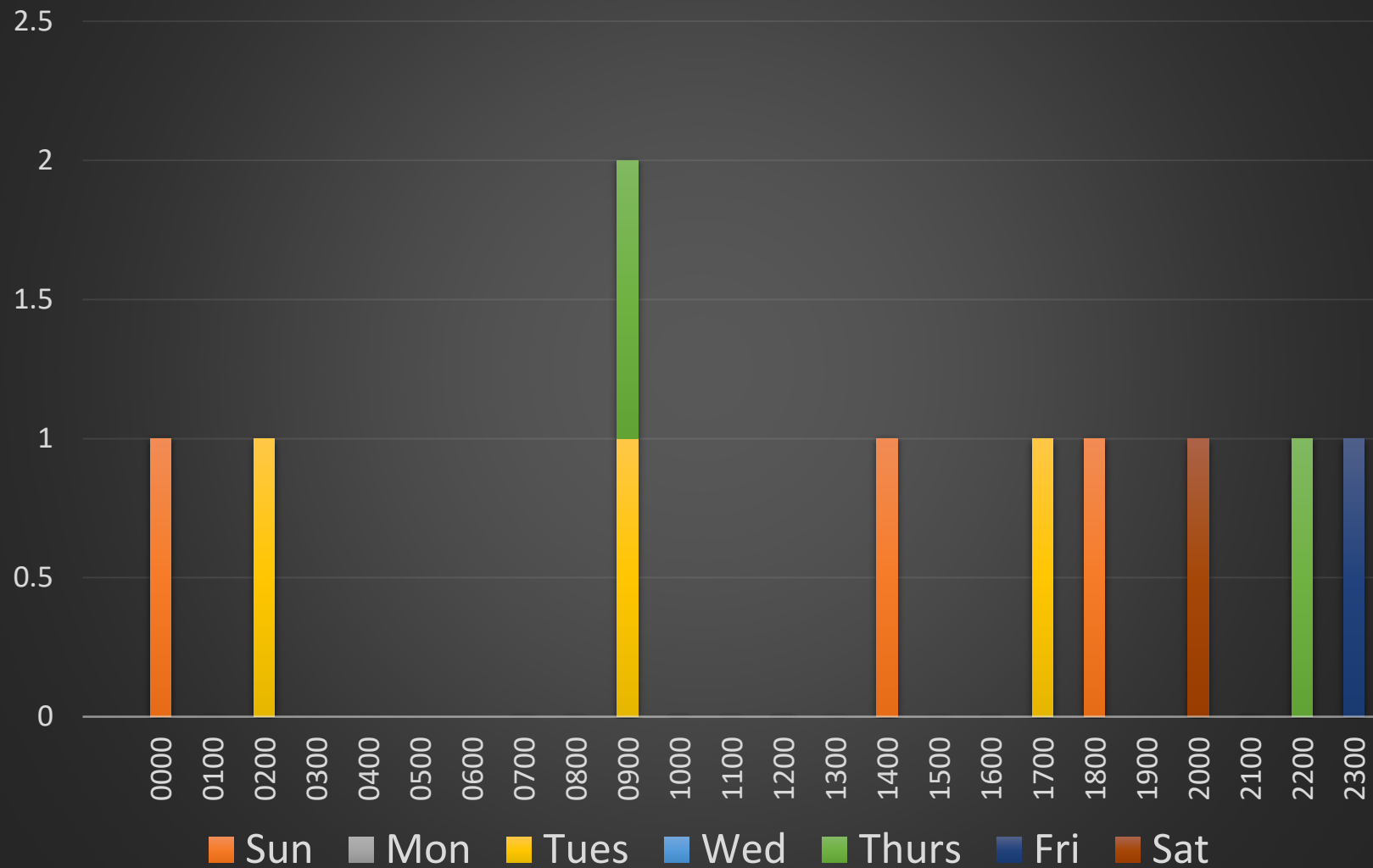


Cases by Sector

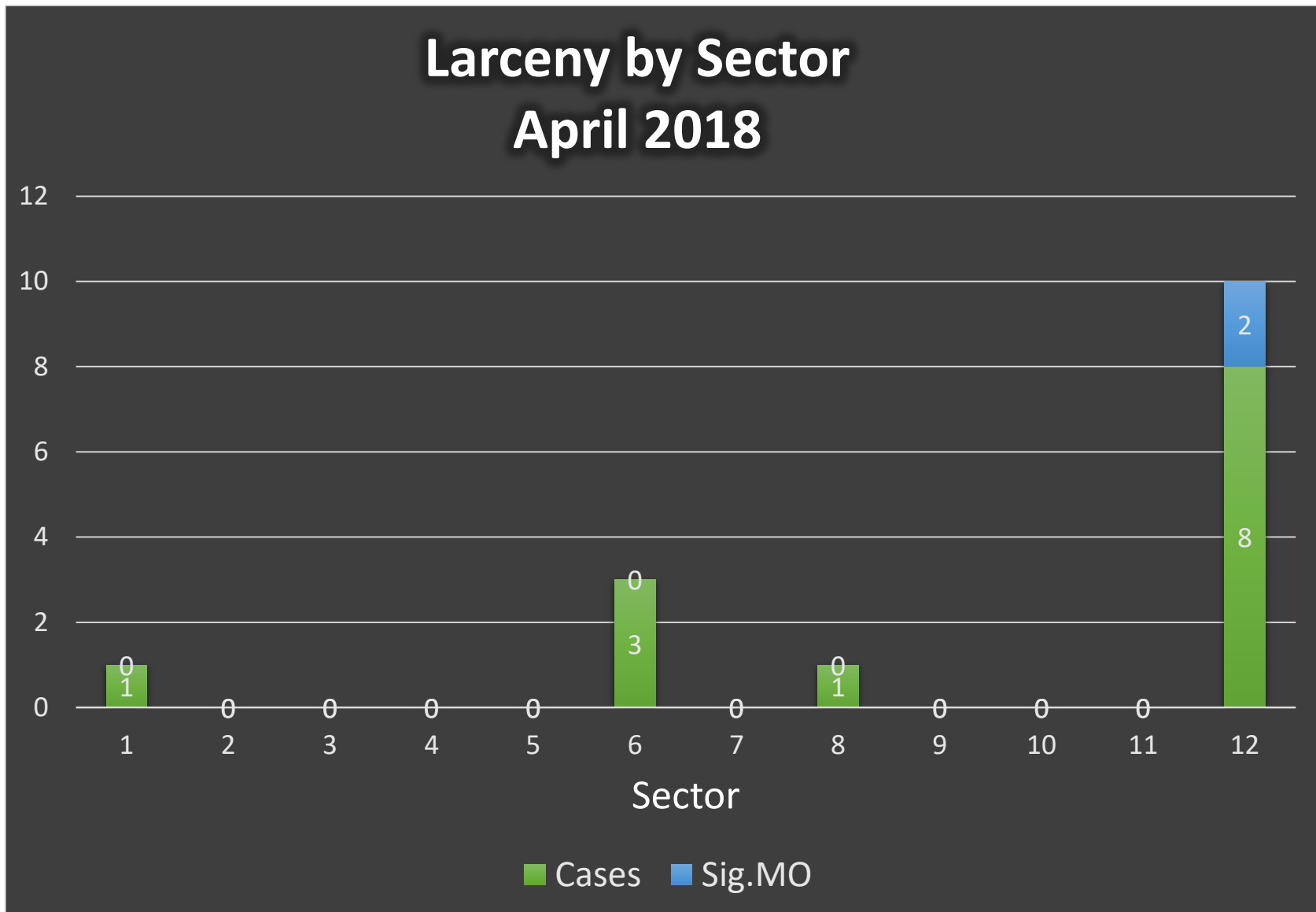
Crim. Mischief - April 2018



Day/Time Breakdown Crim. Mischief April 2018



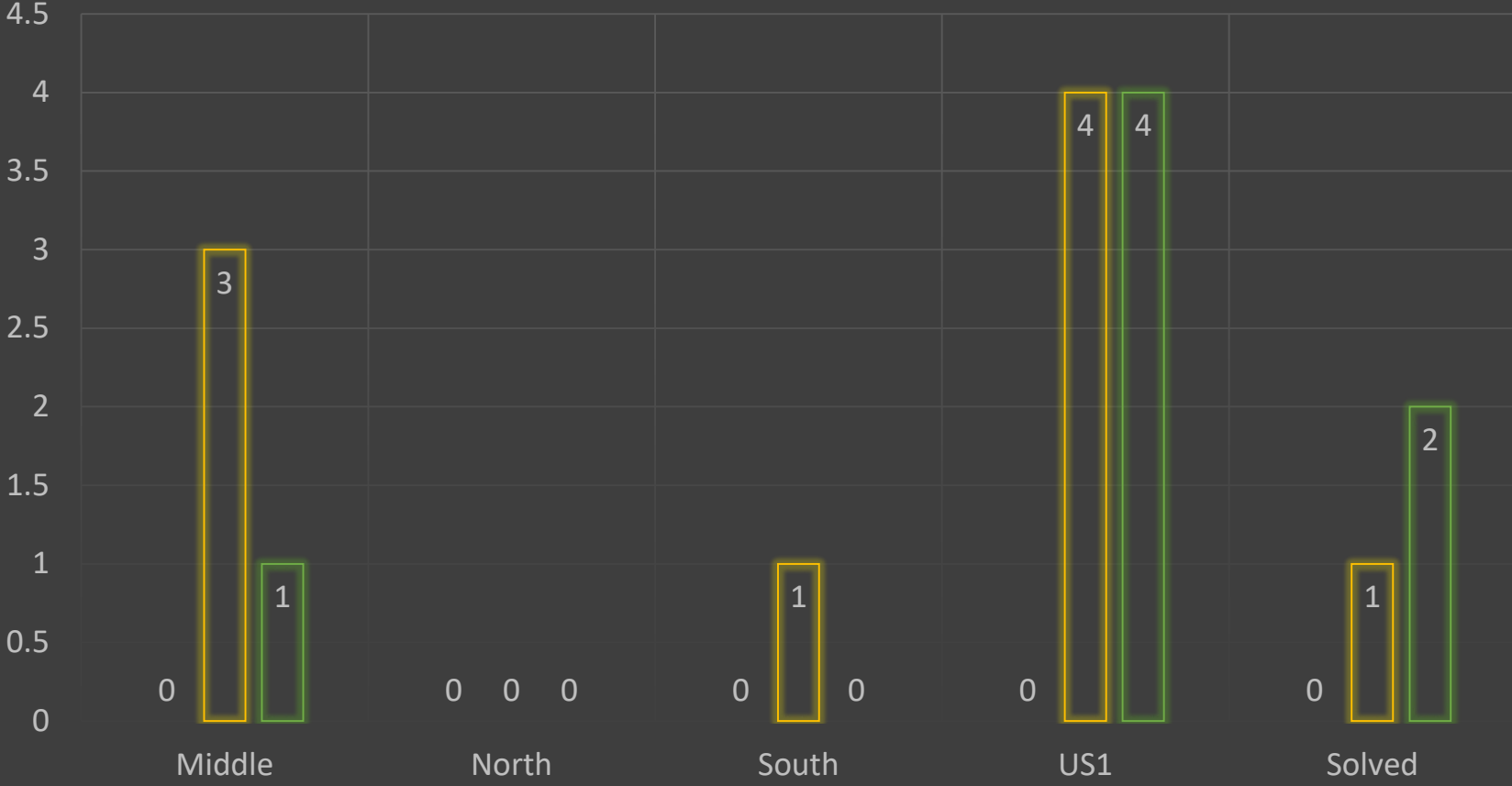
Appendix D – Larceny



Larceny by Shift

April 2018

□ A Shift □ B Shift □ C Shift



Day/Time Breakdown Larceny April 2018

