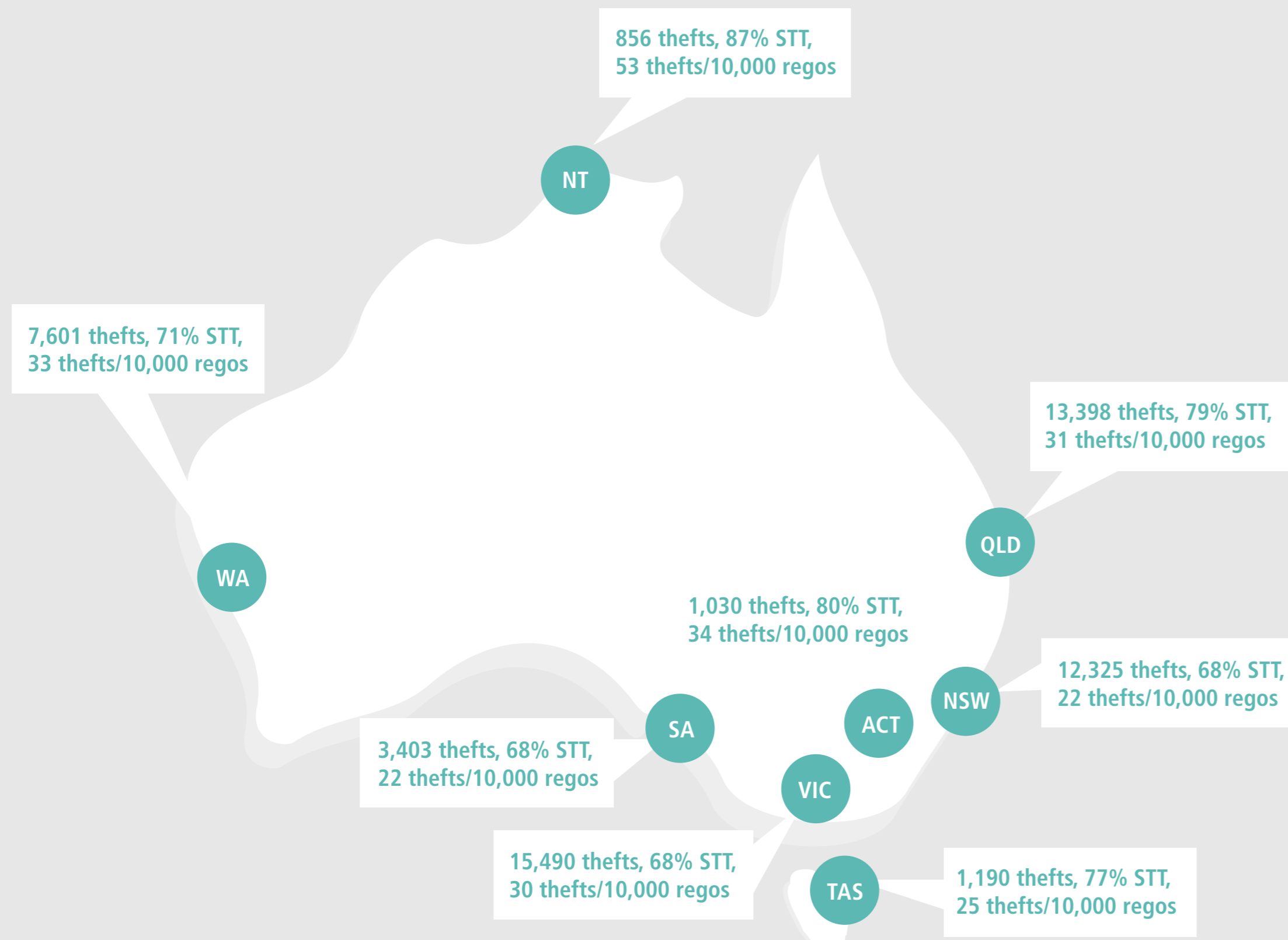


# MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT IN AUSTRALIA IN 2018/19



**20 million** registered vehicles  
**55,293** thefts

**Short Term Theft (STT)**  
 motor vehicles stolen and recovered

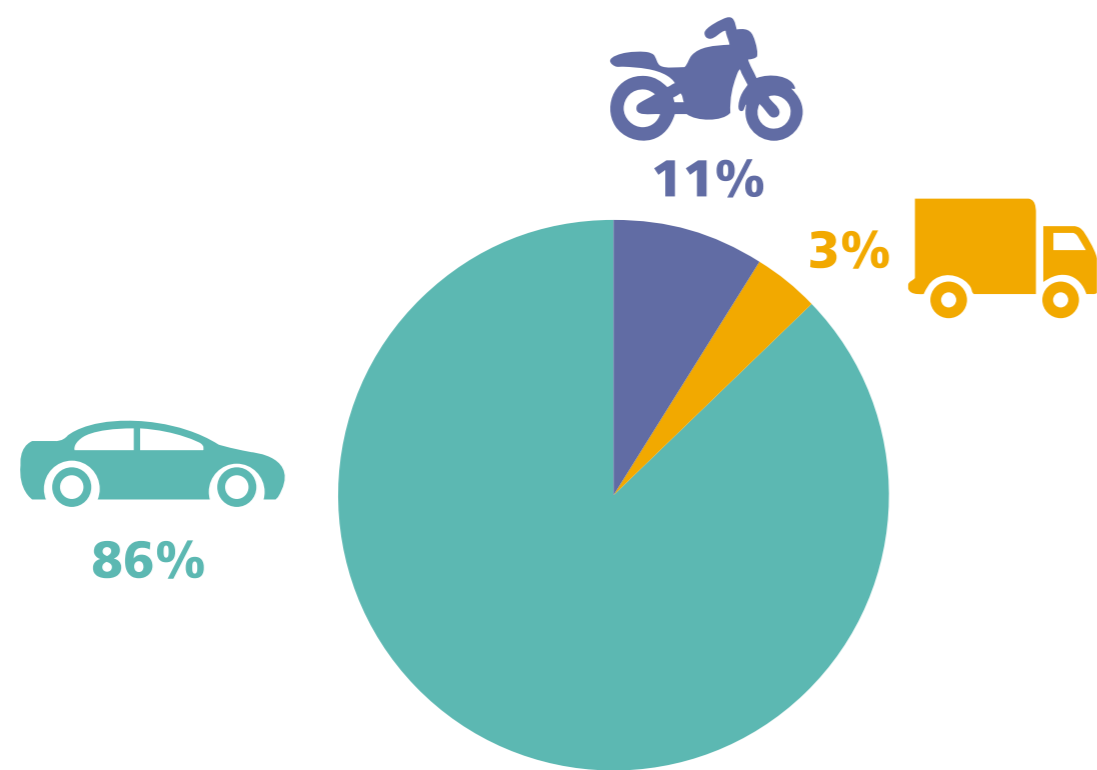
**= 39,293**

**Profit Motivated Theft (PMT)**  
 motor vehicles stolen and not recovered

**= 15,567**

## Short Term Thefts

**72%** of all thefts



The average vehicle age of a STT was **11.7 years**

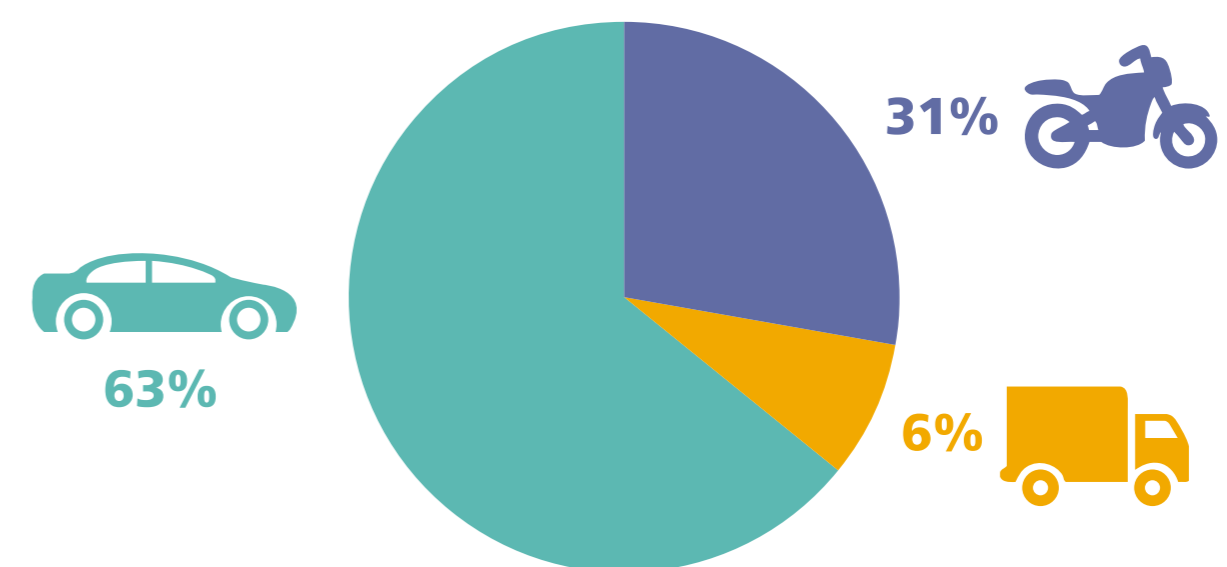
**38%** of PLCs stolen were valued at less than \$5,000

**2 in 3** vehicles were recovered within one week

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## Profit Motivated Thefts

**28%** of all thefts



The average vehicle age of a PMT was **14.0 years**

**45%** of PLCs stolen were valued at less than \$5,000

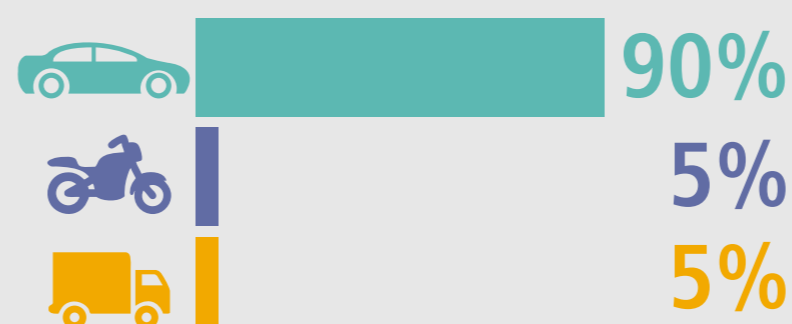
Profit motivated PLC thefts were valued at

**\$112.8 million**

**Did you know?**

Even though motorcycles account for only **5% of registrations** they represent **17% of all vehicle thefts.**

**% of registrations by vehicle type**



**% of thefts by vehicle type**

