



The shift in crime

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The Shift in Crime Discusses the current trends and focus of criminals shifting from traditional methods of offending to cybercrime and technology enabled crime environment. This is changing the scope of Policing these crimes from rare high tech targeted crimes to low level volume crime affecting millions of victims. This shift required an approach by the Australian government to explore the scope and scale of this offending, which resulted in the Australian Cybercrime Online Reporting Network (ACORN) initiative. Case studies and statistics from ACORN and the Western Australian Police will provide insight into this growing problem and the difficulties when crime has no borders.