

**CANTERBURY DISTRICT
CRIME STATISTICS
2003/2004**



**A Summary of
Recorded and Resolved Offence
Statistics**

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REPORT NOTES:

An incident that is reported to or discovered by Police where Police believe an offence is likely to have been committed is counted as a Recorded Offence.

A Recorded Offence is considered to be a Resolved Offence by Police when an offender is identified and dealt with. (E.g. warned, cautioned, prosecuted, etc.)

Resolution Rate is the percentage of Recorded Offences that are resolved.

Statistics reported in this document are derived from the Justice sector Law Enforcement System (L.E.S.). These Official Crime Statistics present a snapshot of data in L.E.S. relating to offences within a given year, as at the date 14 days following the end of that year.

If an offence is recorded or resolved 15 days or more after the end of the year it will not appear in the Official Crime Statistics for that or any other year. Resolution Rate, in particular, therefore undercounts the number of cases that Police have resolved. This phenomenon has a more marked impact for some types of offences than others, such as offences that require long investigations (E.g. many serial crimes, burglaries and murders).

Significant changes to use of Police offence codes in 2003/2004 include:

A new offence class - 'Drugs (new drugs)' as part of the 'Drugs and Antisocial' offence category. This class has been introduced to specifically capture offences under the Misuse of Drugs Act 1975 where the drugs involved are Methamphetamine, Amphetamine, Ecstasy, and Fantasy type substances. Previously, such offences were recorded within the offence class - 'Drugs (not cannabis)'.

A new offence code within the offence class - 'Sale of Liquor Act 1989' has been created to specifically capture breach of liquor ban offences. Previously, these were captured within the more general offence class - 'ByLaw Breaches'.

The Crimes Amendment Act 2003 broadened the scope of offences that are classified as 'Burglary' in Police statistics and created additional offences.

A new offence class - 'Dishonesty Miscellaneous' has been created to capture new types of offences, such as computer offences covered by sections 249 - 252 of the Crimes Act.

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
VIOLENCE	GRIEVOUS ASSAULTS	258	223	282	-13.6 %	26.5 %	202	167	223	78.3 %	74.9 %	79.1 %
	GROUP ASSEMBLIES	29	36	42	24.1 %	16.7 %	24	24	23	82.8 %	66.7 %	54.8 %
	HOMICIDE	10	9	13	-10.0 %	44.4 %	7	7	12	70.0 %	77.8 %	92.3 %
	INTIMIDATION/THREATS	836	857	974	2.5 %	13.7 %	692	698	780	82.8 %	81.4 %	80.1 %
	KIDNAPPING AND ABDUCTION	8	16	17	100.0 %	6.3 %	4	10	8	50.0 %	62.5 %	47.1 %
	MINOR ASSAULTS	1,562	1,532	1,472	-1.9 %	-3.9 %	1,207	1,142	1,086	77.3 %	74.5 %	73.8 %
	ROBBERY	229	199	190	-13.1 %	-4.5 %	76	60	52	33.2 %	30.2 %	27.4 %
	SERIOUS ASSAULTS	1,001	957	1,093	-4.4 %	14.2 %	811	745	880	81.0 %	77.8 %	80.5 %
Total:		3,933	3,829	4,083	-2.6 %	6.6 %	3,023	2,853	3,064	76.9 %	74.5 %	75.0 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
SEXUAL OFFENCES	ABNORMAL SEX	3	3	1	0.0 %	-66.7 %	3	1	1	100.0 %	33.3 %	100.0 %
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR	29	29	37	0.0 %	27.6 %	17	17	28	58.6 %	58.6 %	75.7 %
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR/MISCELLANEOUS	5	22	43	340.0 %	95.5 %	2	17	42	40.0 %	77.3 %	97.7 %
	SEXUAL AFFRONTS	99	96	85	-3.0 %	-11.5 %	41	46	33	41.4 %	47.9 %	38.8 %
	SEXUAL ATTACKS	292	288	257	-1.4 %	-10.8 %	145	126	125	49.7 %	43.8 %	48.6 %
Total:		428	438	423	2.3 %	-3.4 %	208	207	229	48.6 %	47.3 %	54.1 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFEN	DISORDER	1,778	1,711	1,987	-3.8 %	16.1 %	1,576	1,517	1,762	88.6 %	88.7 %	88.7 %
	DRUGS(CANNABIS ONLY)	1,599	1,698	1,470	6.2 %	-13.4 %	1,429	1,578	1,365	89.4 %	92.9 %	92.9 %
	DRUGS (NEW DRUGS)			56					38			67.9 %
	DRUGS (NOT CANNABIS)	223	205	171	-8.1 %		183	185	149	82.1 %	90.2 %	87.1 %
	FAMILY OFFENCES	29	30	42	3.4 %	40.0 %	25	24	36	86.2 %	80.0 %	85.7 %
	FAMILY OFFENCES CONTINUED	391	374	413	-4.3 %	10.4 %	335	305	337	85.7 %	81.6 %	81.6 %
	GAMING	5	5	2	0.0 %	-60.0 %	3	4	0	60.0 %	80.0 %	0.0 %
	SALE OF LIQUOR ACT 1989	170	246	374	44.7 %	52.0 %	156	234	364	91.8 %	95.1 %	97.3 %
	VAGRANCY OFFENCES	14	10	7	-28.6 %	-30.0 %	11	8	7	78.6 %	80.0 %	100.0 %
Total:		4,209	4,279	4,522	1.7 %	5.7 %	3,718	3,855	4,058	88.3 %	90.1 %	89.7 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
DISHONESTY	BURGLARY	7,023	6,906	7,056	-1.7 %	2.2 %	871	1,183	1,100	12.4 %	17.1 %	15.6 %
	CAR CONVERSION ETC	5,311	5,304	5,190	-0.1 %	-2.1 %	928	901	1,006	17.5 %	17.0 %	19.4 %
	DISHONESTY MISCELLANEOUS			27					9			33.3 %
	FRAUD	2,538	1,773	1,770	-30.1 %	-0.2 %	1,143	961	961	45.0 %	54.2 %	54.3 %
	RECEIVING	269	271	255	0.7 %	-5.9 %	258	259	236	95.9 %	95.6 %	92.5 %
	THEFT	16,898	18,118	16,943	7.2 %	-6.5 %	3,585	3,799	3,460	21.2 %	21.0 %	20.4 %
Total:		32,039	32,372	31,241	1.0 %	-3.5 %	6,785	7,103	6,772	21.2 %	21.9 %	21.7 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
PROPERTY DAMAGE	DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	6,169	6,226	6,487	0.9 %	4.2 %	1,479	1,448	1,447	24.0 %	23.3 %	22.3 %
	ENDANGERING	13	33	29	153.8 %	-12.1 %	8	23	23	61.5 %	69.7 %	79.3 %
Total:		6,182	6,259	6,516	1.2 %	4.1 %	1,487	1,471	1,470	24.1 %	23.5 %	22.6 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
PROPERTY ABUSES	ANIMALS	43	29	29	-32.6 %	0.0 %	20	10	10	46.5 %	34.5 %	34.5 %
	ARMS ACT OFFENCES	277	259	258	-6.5 %	-0.4 %	228	223	219	82.3 %	86.1 %	84.9 %
	LITTERING	43	23	48	-46.5 %	108.7 %	31	20	31	72.1 %	87.0 %	64.6 %
	POSTAL/RAIL/FIRE SERVICE ABUSES	725	455	632	-37.2 %	38.9 %	426	263	397	58.8 %	57.8 %	62.8 %
	TRESPASS	1,229	1,363	1,227	10.9 %	-10.0 %	901	1,062	986	73.3 %	77.9 %	80.4 %
Total:		2,317	2,129	2,194	-8.1 %	3.1 %	1,606	1,578	1,643	69.3 %	74.1 %	74.9 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Variance 01/02-02/03	Variance 02/03-03/04	Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004
ADMINISTRATIVE	AGAINST JUSTICE	718	793	864	10.4 %	9.0 %	622	706	783	86.6 %	89.0 %	90.6 %
	AGAINST NATIONAL INTEREST	5	2		-60.0 %	-100.0 %	1	1		20.0 %	50.0 %	
	BIRTHS/DEATHS AND MARRIAGES	2	1		-50.0 %	-100.0 %	1	0		50.0 %	0.0 %	
	BY - LAWS BREACHES	64	59	61	-7.8 %	3.4 %	42	45	35	65.6 %	76.3 %	57.4 %
	IMMIGRATION	39	81	138	107.7 %	70.4 %	37	72	134	94.9 %	88.9 %	97.1 %
	RACIAL	1			-100.0 %		0			0.0 %		
Total:		829	936	1,063	12.9 %	13.6 %	703	824	952	84.8 %	88.0 %	89.6 %

TOTAL		49,937	50,242	50,042	0.6 %	-0.4 %	17,530	17,891	18,188	35.1 %	35.6 %	36.3 %
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DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA
Years ending 30 June

Area Description	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Percent Variance 01/02 to 02/03	Percent Variance 02/03 to 03/04
Hagley/Ferrymead	2,969.5	2,933.9	2,996.1	-1.2 %	2.1 %
Hornby	747.5	726.5	690.4	-2.8 %	-5.0 %
New Brighton	757.6	766.3	750.7	1.2 %	-2.0 %
Papanui	757.8	733.1	695.5	-3.3 %	-5.1 %
South Canterbury	869.0	897.1	839.0	3.2 %	-6.5 %
Sydenham	844.3	812.2	827.5	-3.8 %	1.9 %
TOTAL	1,012.8	1,000.1	977.7	-1.3 %	-2.2 %

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES
Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
VIOLENCE	GRIEVOUS ASSAULTS	5.2	4.4	5.5
	GROUP ASSEMBLIES	0.6	0.7	0.8
	HOMICIDE	0.2	0.2	0.3
	INTIMIDATION/THREATS	17.0	17.1	19.0
	KIDNAPPING AND ABDUCTION	0.2	0.3	0.3
	MINOR ASSAULTS	31.7	30.5	28.8
	ROBBERY	4.6	4.0	3.7
	SERIOUS ASSAULTS	20.3	19.0	21.4
VIOLENCE		79.8	76.2	79.8

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
SEXUAL OFFENCES	ABNORMAL SEX	0.1	0.1	0.0
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR	0.6	0.6	0.7
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR/MISCELLANEOUS	0.1	0.4	0.8
	SEXUAL AFFRONTS	2.0	1.9	1.7
	SEXUAL ATTACKS	5.9	5.7	5.0
SEXUAL OFFENCES		8.7	8.7	8.3

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES	DISORDER	36.1	34.1	38.8
	DRUGS(CANNABIS ONLY)	32.4	33.8	28.7
	DRUGS (NEW DRUGS)			1.1
	DRUGS (NOT CANNABIS)	4.5	4.1	3.3
	FAMILY OFFENCES	0.6	0.6	0.8
	FAMILY OFFENCES CONTINUED	7.9	7.4	8.1
	GAMING	0.1	0.1	0.0
	SALE OF LIQUOR ACT 1989	3.4	4.9	7.3
	VAGRANCY OFFENCES	0.3	0.2	0.1
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES		85.4	85.2	88.3

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES
Years ending 30 June

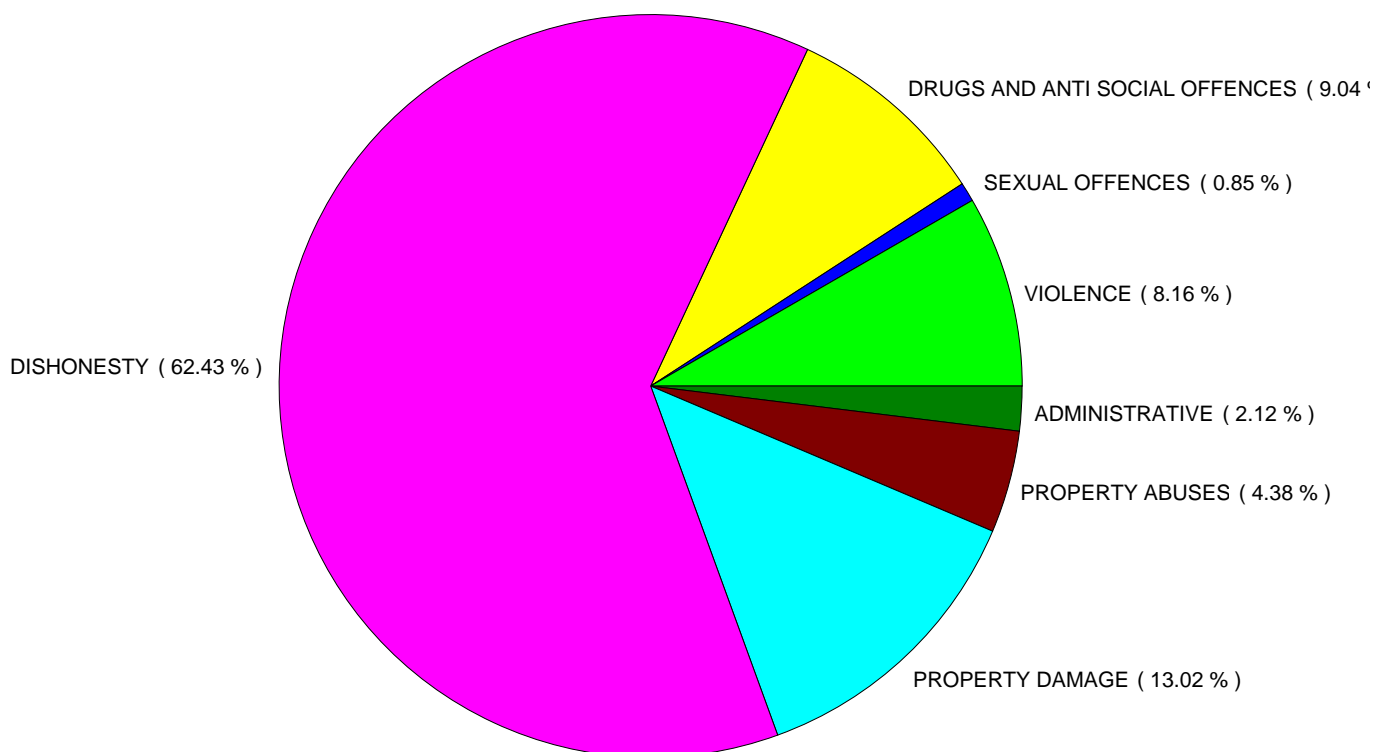
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
DISHONESTY	BURGLARY	142.4	137.5	137.9
	CAR CONVERSION ETC	107.7	105.6	101.4
	DISHONESTY MISCELLANEOUS			0.5
	FRAUD	51.5	35.3	34.6
	RECEIVING	5.5	5.4	5.0
	THEFT	342.7	360.7	331.0
DISHONESTY		649.8	644.4	610.4
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
PROPERTY DAMAGE	DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	125.1	123.9	126.7
	ENDANGERING	0.3	0.7	0.6
PROPERTY DAMAGE		125.4	124.6	127.3
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
PROPERTY ABUSES	ANIMALS	0.9	0.6	0.6
	ARMS ACT OFFENCES	5.6	5.2	5.0
	LITTERING	0.9	0.5	0.9
	POSTAL/RAIL/FIRE SERVICE ABUSES	14.7	9.1	12.3
	TRESPASS	24.9	27.1	24.0
PROPERTY ABUSES		47.0	42.4	42.9
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20012002	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004
ADMINISTRATIVE	AGAINST JUSTICE	14.6	15.8	16.9
	AGAINST NATIONAL INTEREST	0.1	0.0	
	BIRTHS/DEATHS AND MARRIAGES	0.0	0.0	
	BY - LAWS BREACHES	1.3	1.2	1.2
	IMMIGRATION	0.8	1.6	2.7
	RACIAL	0.0		
ADMINISTRATIVE		16.8	18.6	20.8
TOTAL		1,012.8	1,000.1	977.7

PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Proportions Recorded 2001/2002	Recorded 2001/2002	Proportions Recorded 2002/2003	Recorded 2002/2003	Proportions Recorded 2003/2004	Recorded 2003/2004
VIOLENCE	7.9 %	3,933	7.6 %	3,829	8.2 %	4,083
SEXUAL OFFENCES	0.9 %	428	0.9 %	438	0.8 %	423
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES	8.4 %	4,209	8.5 %	4,279	9.0 %	4,522
DISHONESTY	64.2 %	32,039	64.4 %	32,372	62.4 %	31,241
PROPERTY DAMAGE	12.4 %	6,182	12.5 %	6,259	13.0 %	6,516
PROPERTY ABUSES	4.6 %	2,317	4.2 %	2,129	4.4 %	2,194
ADMINISTRATIVE	1.7 %	829	1.9 %	936	2.1 %	1,063
Total:	100.0 %	49,937	100.0 %	50,242	100.0 %	50,042

**TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY
FOR 2003/2004 (ending 30 June)**



SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY AREA
years ending 30 June

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	15,501	15,645	0.9 %	15,954	2.0 %	5,567	35.9 %	5,764	36.8 %	6,398	40.1 %
Hornby	8,186	8,136	-0.6 %	7,910	-2.8 %	2,725	33.3 %	2,655	32.6 %	2,396	30.3 %
New Brighton	8,012	8,237	2.8 %	8,276	0.5 %	3,044	38.0 %	3,123	37.9 %	3,196	38.6 %
Papanui	8,243	8,153	-1.1 %	7,920	-2.9 %	2,454	29.8 %	2,402	29.5 %	2,122	26.8 %
South Canterbury	4,671	4,841	3.6 %	4,510	-6.8 %	2,238	47.9 %	2,403	49.6 %	2,474	54.9 %
Sydenham	5,324	5,230	-1.8 %	5,472	4.6 %	1,502	28.2 %	1,544	29.5 %	1,602	29.3 %
Total:	49,937	50,242	0.6 %	50,042	-0.4 %	17,530	35.1 %	17,891	35.6 %	18,188	36.3 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

VIOLENCE

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	1,200	1,248	4.0 %	1,314	5.3 %	863	71.9 %	848	67.9 %	901	68.6 %
Hornby	497	525	5.6 %	540	2.9 %	399	80.3 %	399	76.0 %	420	77.8 %
New Brighton	845	687	-18.7 %	779	13.4 %	680	80.5 %	543	79.0 %	636	81.6 %
Papanui	543	558	2.8 %	536	-3.9 %	425	78.3 %	409	73.3 %	368	68.7 %
South Canterbury	408	425	4.2 %	484	13.9 %	325	79.7 %	363	85.4 %	422	87.2 %
Sydenham	440	386	-12.3 %	430	11.4 %	331	75.2 %	291	75.4 %	317	73.7 %
Total:	3,933	3,829	-2.6 %	4,083	6.6 %	3,023	76.9 %	2,853	74.5 %	3,064	75.0 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

SEXUAL OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	144	153	6.3 %	144	-5.9 %	57	39.6 %	45	29.4 %	84	58.3 %
Hornby	64	55	-14.1 %	48	-12.7 %	38	59.4 %	30	54.5 %	26	54.2 %
New Brighton	86	79	-8.1 %	77	-2.5 %	45	52.3 %	43	54.4 %	49	63.6 %
Papanui	67	76	13.4 %	77	1.3 %	35	52.2 %	49	64.5 %	32	41.6 %
South Canterbury	34	46	35.3 %	32	-30.4 %	20	58.8 %	29	63.0 %	16	50.0 %
Sydenham	33	29	-12.1 %	45	55.2 %	13	39.4 %	11	37.9 %	22	48.9 %
Total:	428	438	2.3 %	423	-3.4 %	208	48.6 %	207	47.3 %	229	54.1 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	1,403	1,604	14.3 %	1,855	15.6 %	1,275	90.9 %	1,499	93.5 %	1,723	92.9 %
Hornby	602	516	-14.3 %	445	-13.8 %	526	87.4 %	449	87.0 %	404	90.8 %
New Brighton	583	745	27.8 %	647	-13.2 %	502	86.1 %	660	88.6 %	546	84.4 %
Papanui	548	381	-30.5 %	411	7.9 %	488	89.1 %	343	90.0 %	341	83.0 %
South Canterbury	738	688	-6.8 %	838	21.8 %	657	89.0 %	612	89.0 %	771	92.0 %
Sydenham	335	345	3.0 %	326	-5.5 %	270	80.6 %	292	84.6 %	273	83.7 %
Total:	4,209	4,279	1.7 %	4,522	5.7 %	3,718	88.3 %	3,855	90.1 %	4,058	89.7 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DISHONESTY

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	10,669	10,514	-1.5 %	10,332	-1.7 %	2,408	22.6 %	2,317	22.0 %	2,500	24.2 %
Hornby	5,223	5,375	2.9 %	5,145	-4.3 %	1,031	19.7 %	1,130	21.0 %	1,014	19.7 %
New Brighton	4,818	4,913	2.0 %	4,695	-4.4 %	1,122	23.3 %	1,178	24.0 %	1,116	23.8 %
Papanui	5,671	5,791	2.1 %	5,482	-5.3 %	1,012	17.8 %	1,075	18.6 %	823	15.0 %
South Canterbury	2,149	2,229	3.7 %	1,886	-15.4 %	684	31.8 %	753	33.8 %	662	35.1 %
Sydenham	3,509	3,550	1.2 %	3,701	4.3 %	528	15.0 %	650	18.3 %	657	17.8 %
Total:	32,039	32,372	1.0 %	31,241	-3.5 %	6,785	21.2 %	7,103	21.9 %	6,772	21.7 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	1,296	1,278	-1.4 %	1,305	2.1 %	326	25.2 %	345	27.0 %	337	25.8 %
Hornby	1,143	1,158	1.3 %	1,271	9.8 %	253	22.1 %	256	22.1 %	190	14.9 %
New Brighton	1,145	1,294	13.0 %	1,475	14.0 %	319	27.9 %	297	23.0 %	379	25.7 %
Papanui	999	931	-6.8 %	976	4.8 %	206	20.6 %	211	22.7 %	214	21.9 %
South Canterbury	850	922	8.5 %	799	-13.3 %	214	25.2 %	227	24.6 %	212	26.5 %
Sydenham	749	676	-9.7 %	690	2.1 %	169	22.6 %	135	20.0 %	138	20.0 %
Total:	6,182	6,259	1.2 %	6,516	4.1 %	1,487	24.1 %	1,471	23.5 %	1,470	22.6 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY ABUSES

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	528	476	-9.8 %	574	20.6 %	396	75.0 %	365	76.7 %	452	78.7 %
Hornby	401	307	-23.4 %	284	-7.5 %	290	72.3 %	224	73.0 %	198	69.7 %
New Brighton	443	424	-4.3 %	511	20.5 %	294	66.4 %	317	74.8 %	398	77.9 %
Papanui	311	281	-9.6 %	240	-14.6 %	200	64.3 %	195	69.4 %	157	65.4 %
South Canterbury	414	451	8.9 %	368	-18.4 %	269	65.0 %	360	79.8 %	301	81.8 %
Sydenham	220	190	-13.6 %	217	14.2 %	157	71.4 %	117	61.6 %	137	63.1 %
Total:	2,317	2,129	-8.1 %	2,194	3.1 %	1,606	69.3 %	1,578	74.1 %	1,643	74.9 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

ADMINISTRATIVE

Area Description	Recorded 20012002	Recorded 20022003	Percent Variance 01/02- 02/03	Recorded 20032004	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Resolved 20012002	Percent Resolved 20012002	Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20032004
Hagley/Ferrymead	261	372	42.5 %	430	15.6 %	242	92.7 %	345	92.7 %	401	93.3 %
Hornby	256	200	-21.9 %	177	-11.5 %	188	73.4 %	167	83.5 %	144	81.4 %
New Brighton	92	95	3.3 %	92	-3.2 %	82	89.1 %	85	89.5 %	72	78.3 %
Papanui	104	135	29.8 %	198	46.7 %	88	84.6 %	120	88.9 %	187	94.4 %
South Canterbury	78	80	2.6 %	103	28.7 %	69	88.5 %	59	73.8 %	90	87.4 %
Sydenham	38	54	42.1 %	63	16.7 %	34	89.5 %	48	88.9 %	58	92.1 %
Total:	829	936	12.9 %	1,063	13.6 %	703	84.8 %	824	88.0 %	952	89.6 %

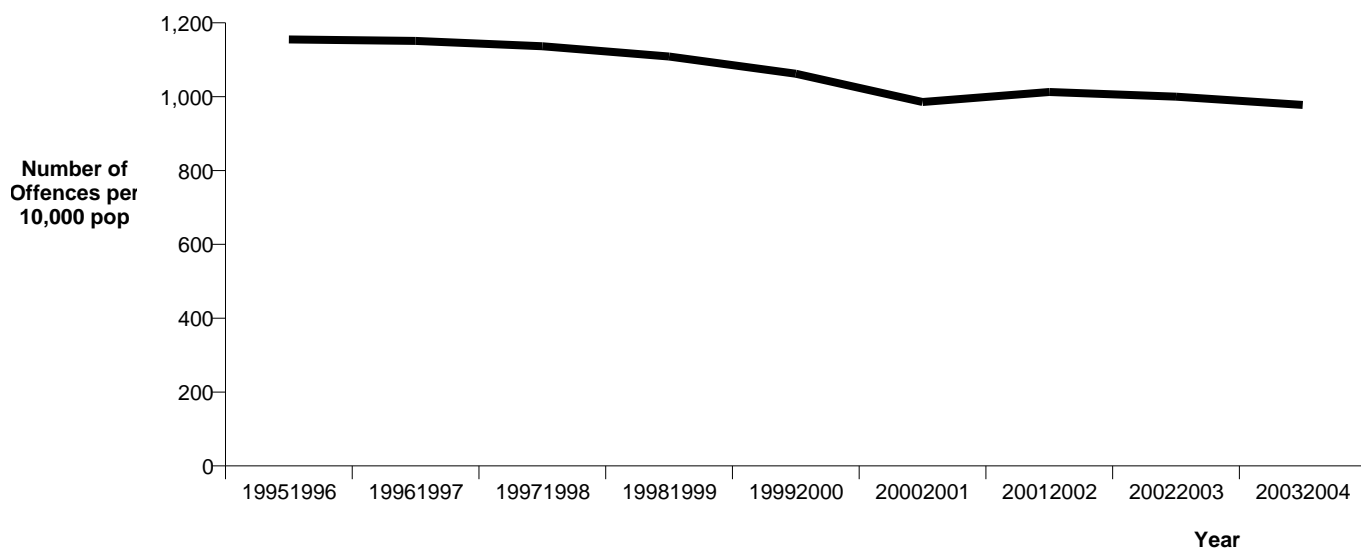
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

Years ending 30 June

TOTAL CRIME

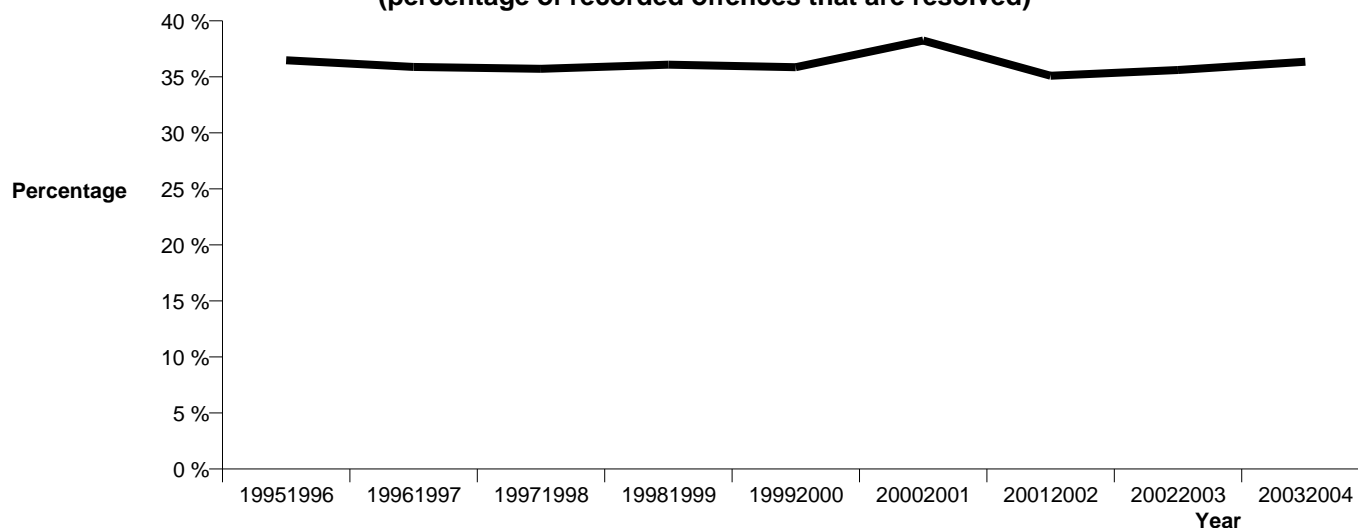
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19951996	54,566	-	1,155.0	-	19,908	36.5 %	-
19961997	54,965	0.7 %	1,150.9	-0.4 %	19,726	35.9 %	-0.6 %
19971998	54,863	-0.2 %	1,136.5	-1.2 %	19,598	35.7 %	-0.2 %
19981999	53,789	-2.0 %	1,108.7	-2.5 %	19,413	36.1 %	0.4 %
19992000	51,734	-3.8 %	1,062.2	-4.2 %	18,553	35.9 %	-0.2 %
20002001	48,271	-6.7 %	985.7	-7.2 %	18,459	38.2 %	2.4 %
20012002	49,937	3.5 %	1,012.8	2.8 %	17,530	35.1 %	-3.1 %
20022003	50,242	0.6 %	1,000.1	-1.3 %	17,891	35.6 %	0.5 %
20032004	50,042	-0.4 %	977.7	-2.2 %	18,188	36.3 %	0.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

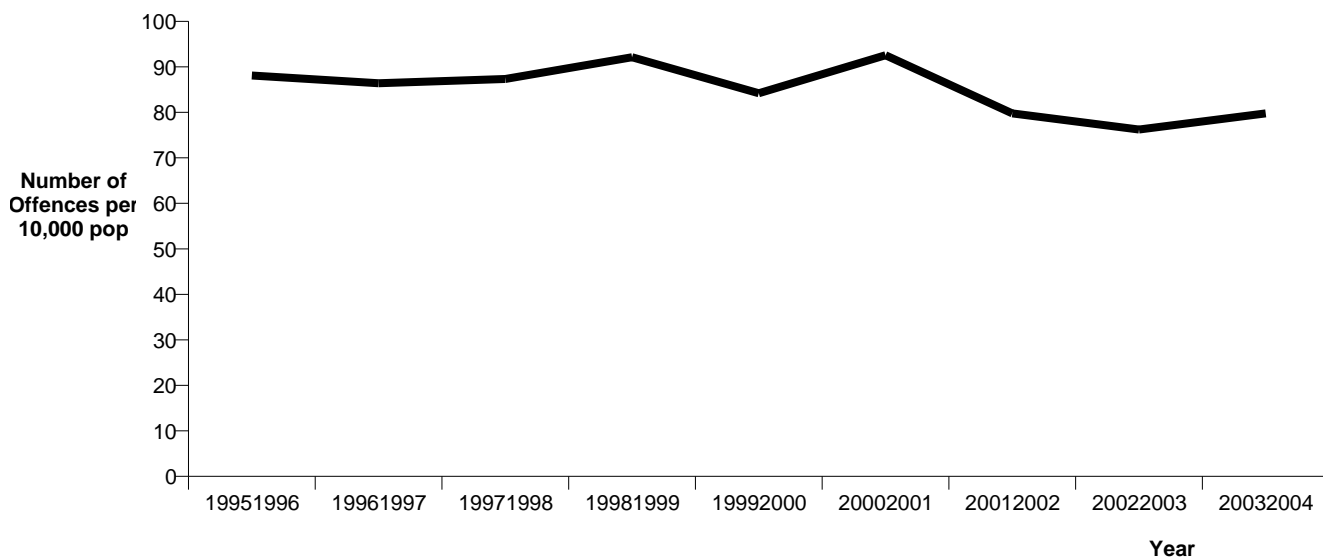


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

VIOLENCE

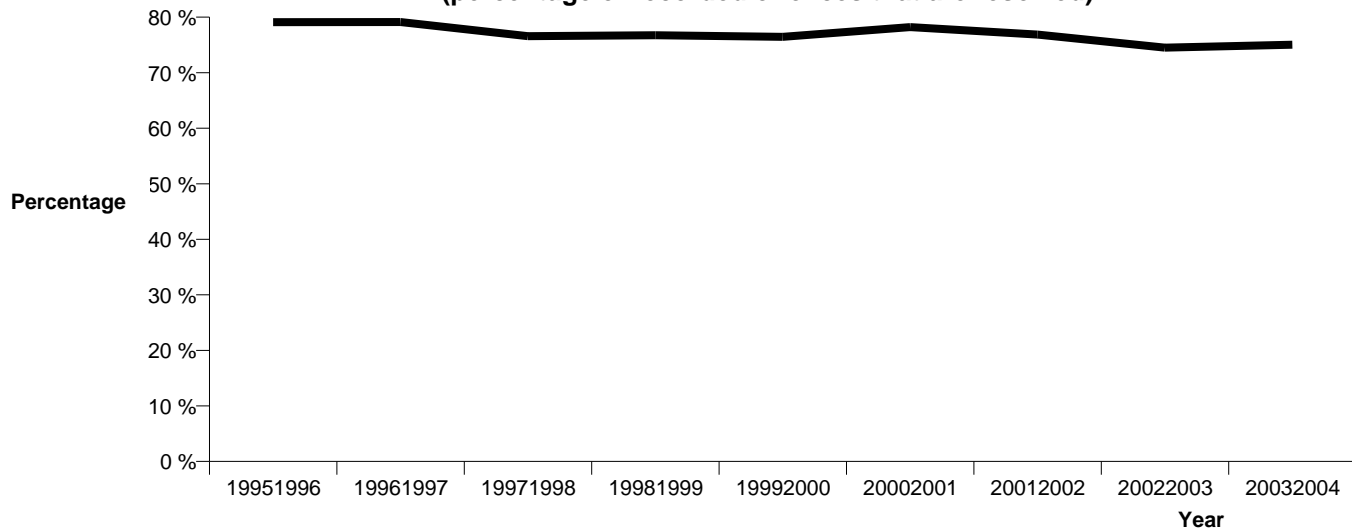
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19951996	4,161	-	88.1	-	3,291	79.1 %	-
19961997	4,126	-0.8 %	86.4	-1.9 %	3,265	79.1 %	0.0 %
19971998	4,216	2.2 %	87.3	1.1 %	3,229	76.6 %	-2.5 %
19981999	4,469	6.0 %	92.1	5.5 %	3,430	76.8 %	0.2 %
19992000	4,101	-8.2 %	84.2	-8.6 %	3,136	76.5 %	-0.3 %
20002001	4,532	10.5 %	92.5	9.9 %	3,544	78.2 %	1.7 %
20012002	3,933	-13.2 %	79.8	-13.8 %	3,023	76.9 %	-1.3 %
20022003	3,829	-2.6 %	76.2	-4.4 %	2,853	74.5 %	-2.4 %
20032004	4,083	6.6 %	79.8	4.7 %	3,064	75.0 %	0.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

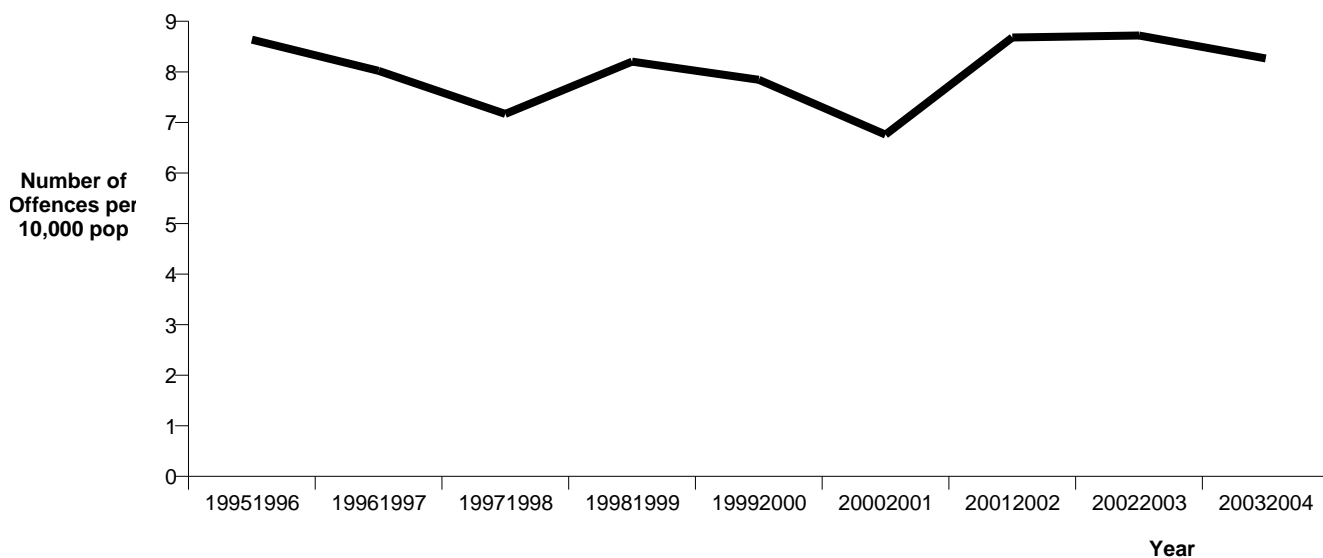


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
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Years ending 30 June**

SEXUAL OFFENCES

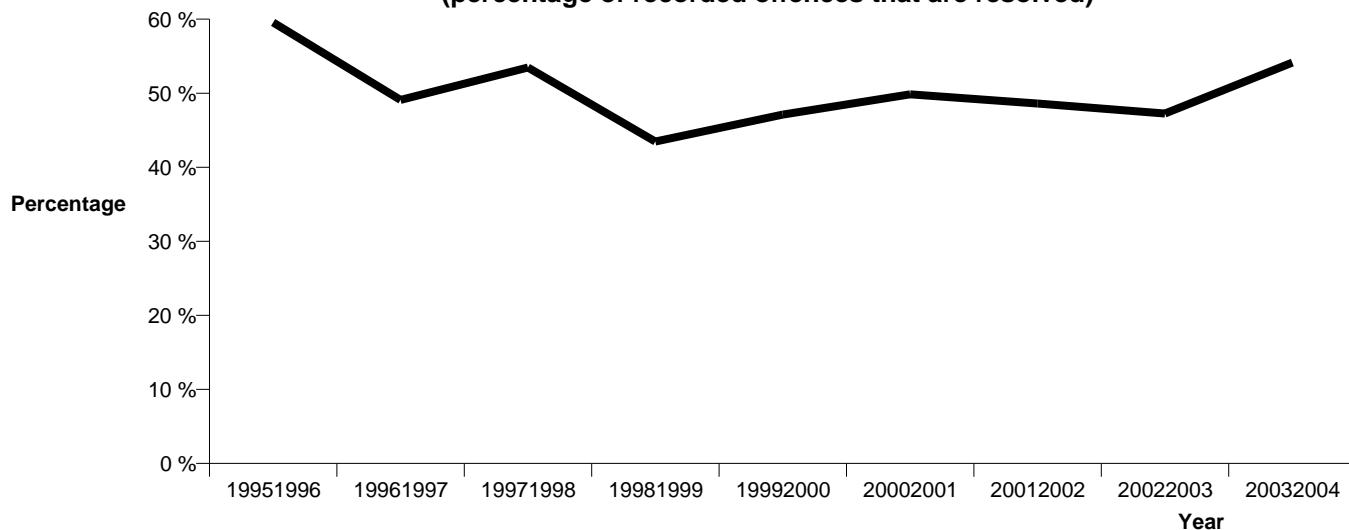
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19951996	408	-	8.6	-	243	59.6 %	-
19961997	383	-6.1 %	8.0	-7.1 %	188	49.1 %	-10.5 %
19971998	346	-9.7 %	7.2	-10.6 %	185	53.5 %	4.4 %
19981999	398	15.0 %	8.2	14.4 %	173	43.5 %	-10.0 %
19992000	382	-4.0 %	7.8	-4.4 %	180	47.1 %	3.7 %
20002001	331	-13.4 %	6.8	-13.8 %	165	49.8 %	2.7 %
20012002	428	29.3 %	8.7	28.4 %	208	48.6 %	-1.3 %
20022003	438	2.3 %	8.7	0.4 %	207	47.3 %	-1.3 %
20032004	423	-3.4 %	8.3	-5.2 %	229	54.1 %	6.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

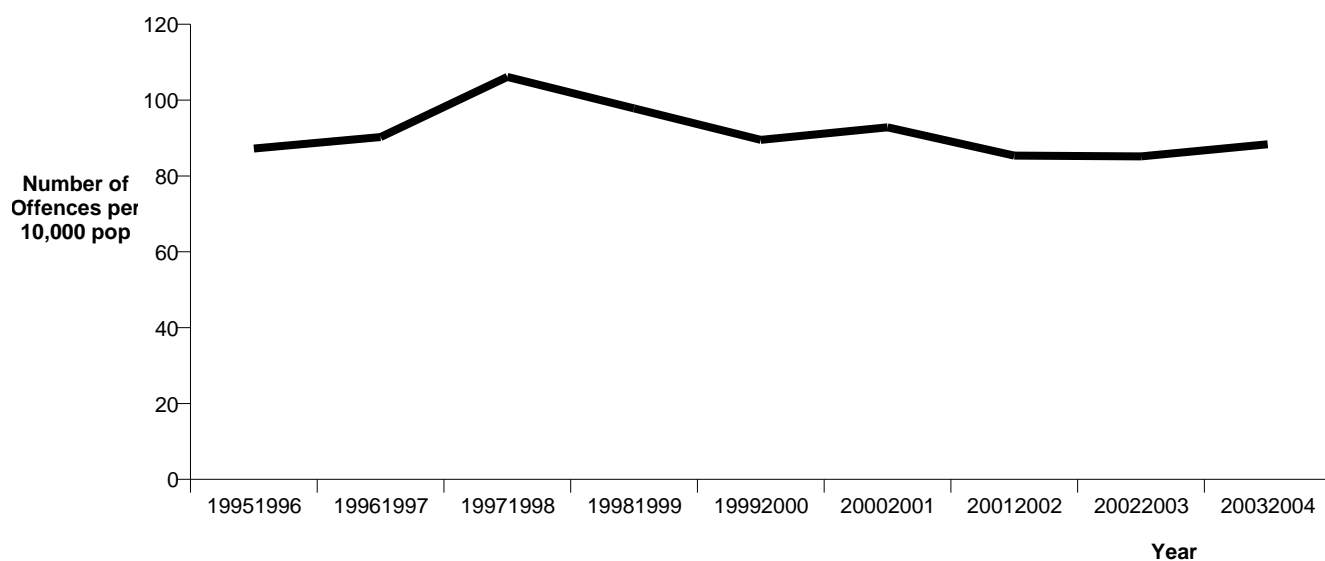


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES

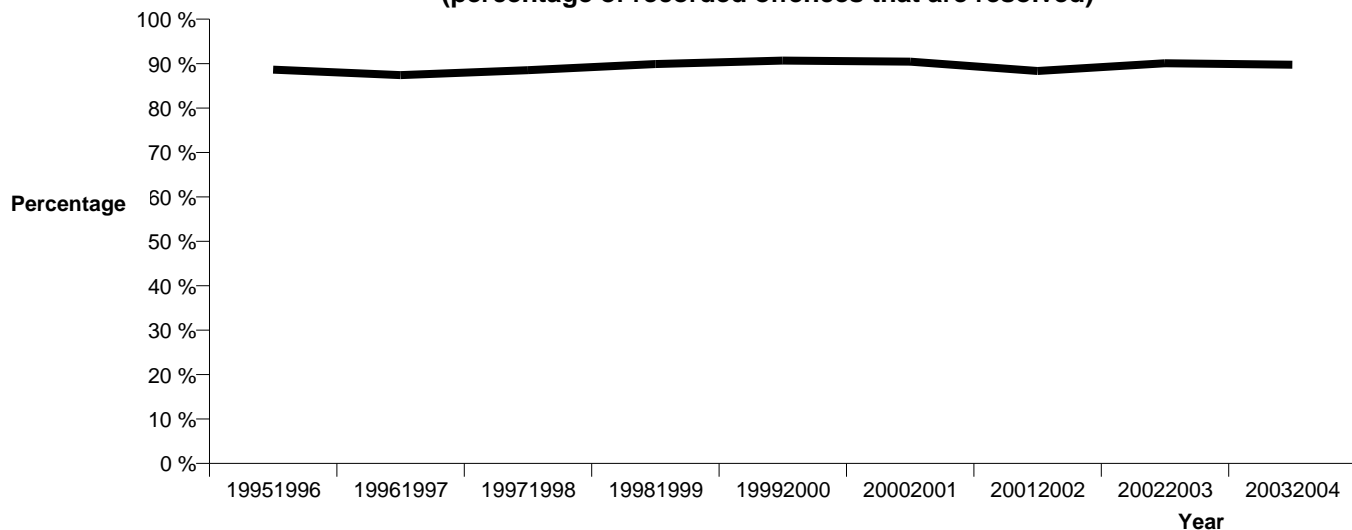
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19951996	4,121	-	87.2	-	3,653	88.6 %	-
19961997	4,310	4.6 %	90.2	3.5 %	3,767	87.4 %	-1.2 %
19971998	5,123	18.9 %	106.1	17.6 %	4,534	88.5 %	1.1 %
19981999	4,747	-7.3 %	97.8	-7.8 %	4,267	89.9 %	1.4 %
19992000	4,360	-8.2 %	89.5	-8.5 %	3,954	90.7 %	0.8 %
20002001	4,547	4.3 %	92.8	3.7 %	4,112	90.4 %	-0.3 %
20012002	4,209	-7.4 %	85.4	-8.1 %	3,718	88.3 %	-2.1 %
20022003	4,279	1.7 %	85.2	-0.2 %	3,855	90.1 %	1.8 %
20032004	4,522	5.7 %	88.3	3.7 %	4,058	89.7 %	-0.4 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

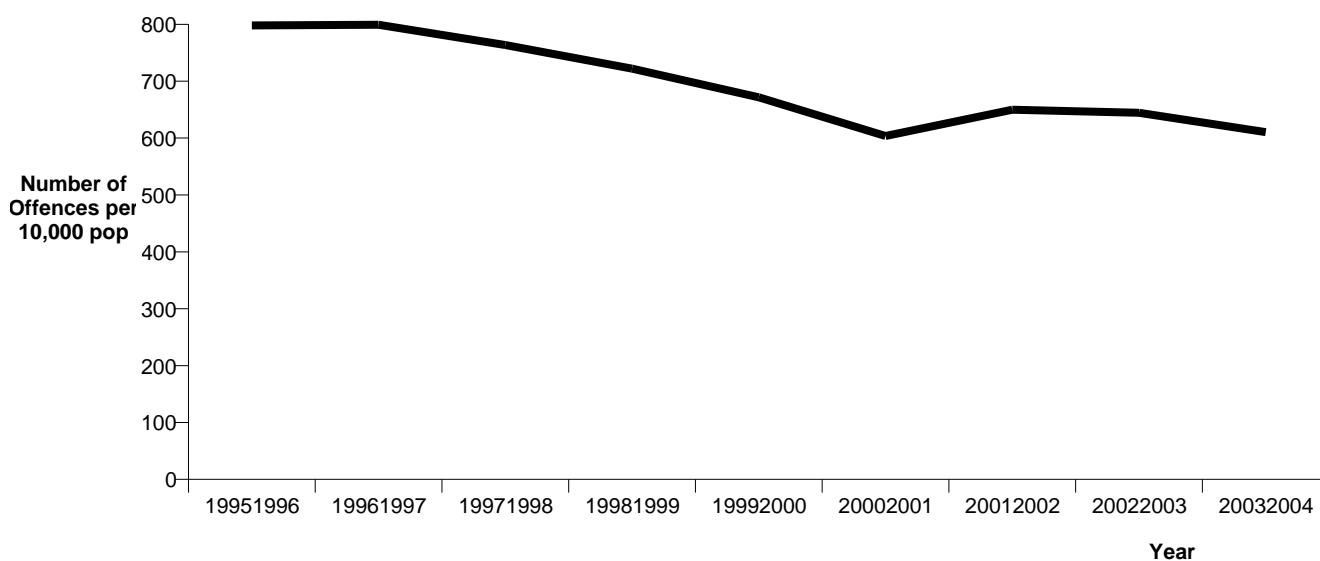


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

DISHONESTY

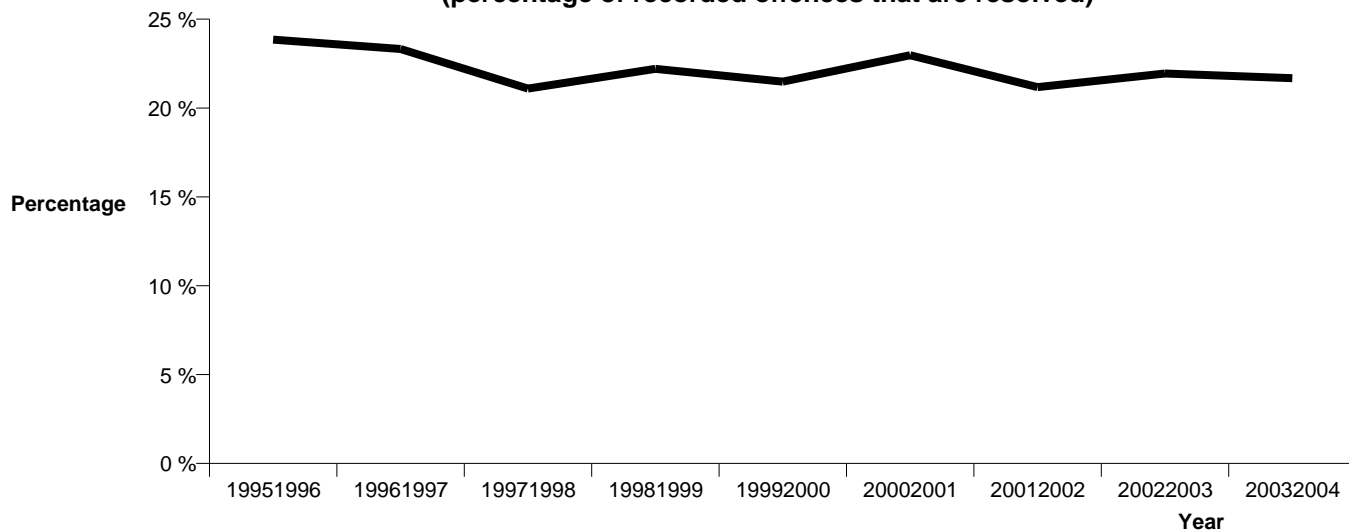
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19951996	37,701	-	798.0	-	8,990	23.8 %	-
19961997	38,169	1.2 %	799.2	0.2 %	8,901	23.3 %	-0.5 %
19971998	36,855	-3.4 %	763.5	-4.5 %	7,775	21.1 %	-2.2 %
19981999	35,028	-5.0 %	722.0	-5.4 %	7,777	22.2 %	1.1 %
19992000	32,709	-6.6 %	671.6	-7.0 %	7,027	21.5 %	-0.7 %
20002001	29,558	-9.6 %	603.6	-10.1 %	6,789	23.0 %	1.5 %
20012002	32,039	8.4 %	649.8	7.7 %	6,785	21.2 %	-1.8 %
20022003	32,372	1.0 %	644.4	-0.8 %	7,103	21.9 %	0.8 %
20032004	31,241	-3.5 %	610.4	-5.3 %	6,772	21.7 %	-0.3 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

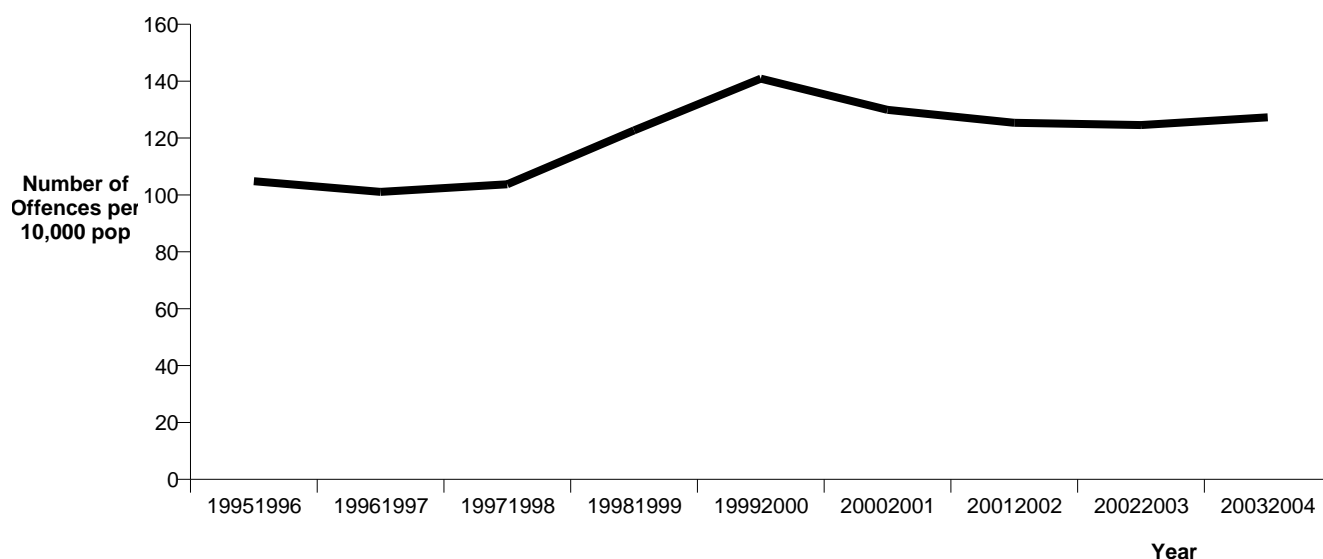


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

PROPERTY DAMAGE

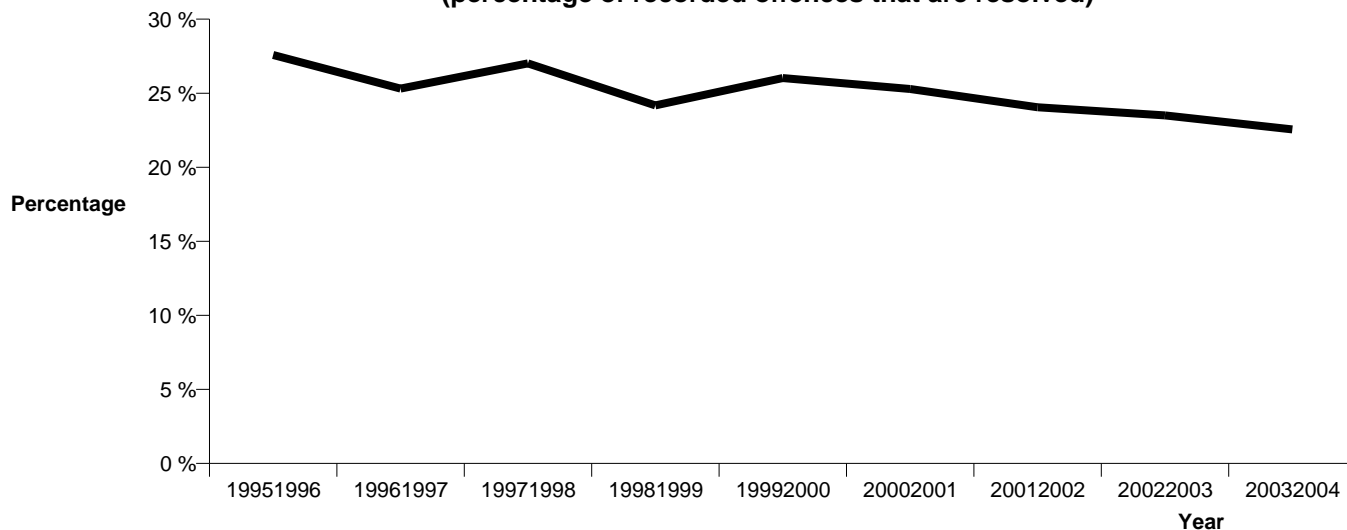
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	4,953	-	104.8	-	1,366	27.6 %	-
19961997	4,827	-2.5 %	101.1	-3.6 %	1,222	25.3 %	-2.3 %
19971998	5,008	3.7 %	103.7	2.6 %	1,353	27.0 %	1.7 %
19981999	5,952	18.8 %	122.7	18.2 %	1,439	24.2 %	-2.8 %
19992000	6,862	15.3 %	140.9	14.8 %	1,786	26.0 %	1.9 %
20002001	6,363	-7.3 %	129.9	-7.8 %	1,609	25.3 %	-0.7 %
20012002	6,182	-2.8 %	125.4	-3.5 %	1,487	24.1 %	-1.2 %
20022003	6,259	1.2 %	124.6	-0.6 %	1,471	23.5 %	-0.6 %
20032004	6,516	4.1 %	127.3	2.2 %	1,470	22.6 %	-0.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

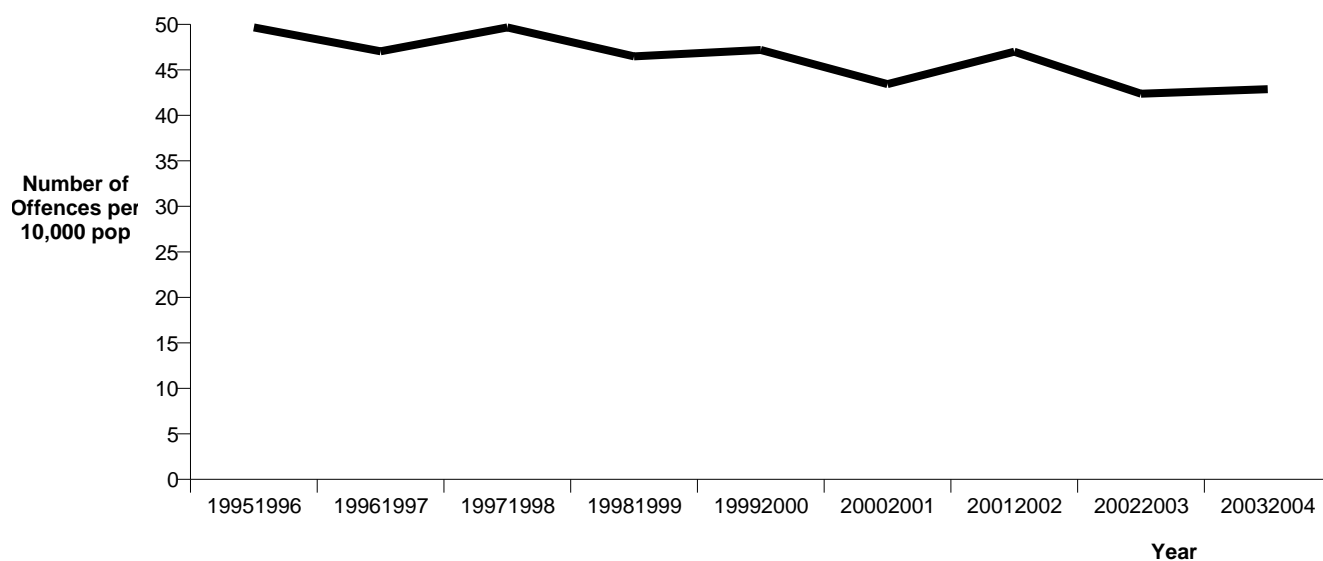


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

PROPERTY ABUSES

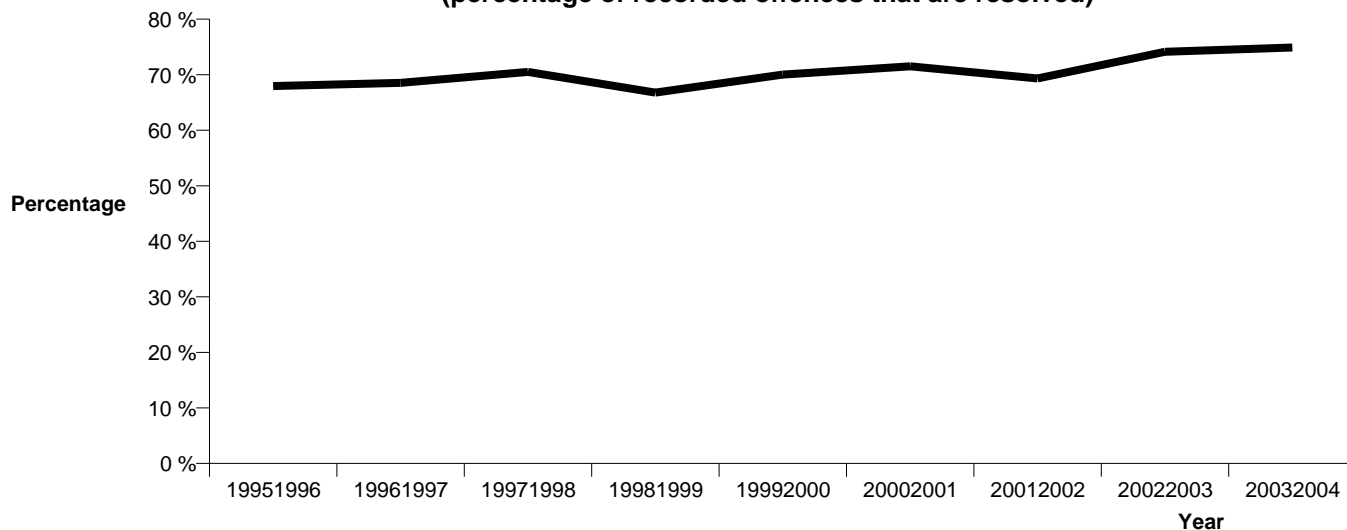
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	2,346	-	49.7	-	1,594	67.9 %	-
19961997	2,246	-4.3 %	47.0	-5.3 %	1,539	68.5 %	0.6 %
19971998	2,397	6.7 %	49.7	5.6 %	1,690	70.5 %	2.0 %
19981999	2,255	-5.9 %	46.5	-6.4 %	1,506	66.8 %	-3.7 %
19992000	2,298	1.9 %	47.2	1.5 %	1,609	70.0 %	3.2 %
20002001	2,127	-7.4 %	43.4	-7.9 %	1,521	71.5 %	1.5 %
20012002	2,317	8.9 %	47.0	8.2 %	1,606	69.3 %	-2.2 %
20022003	2,129	-8.1 %	42.4	-9.8 %	1,578	74.1 %	4.8 %
20032004	2,194	3.1 %	42.9	1.1 %	1,643	74.9 %	0.8 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

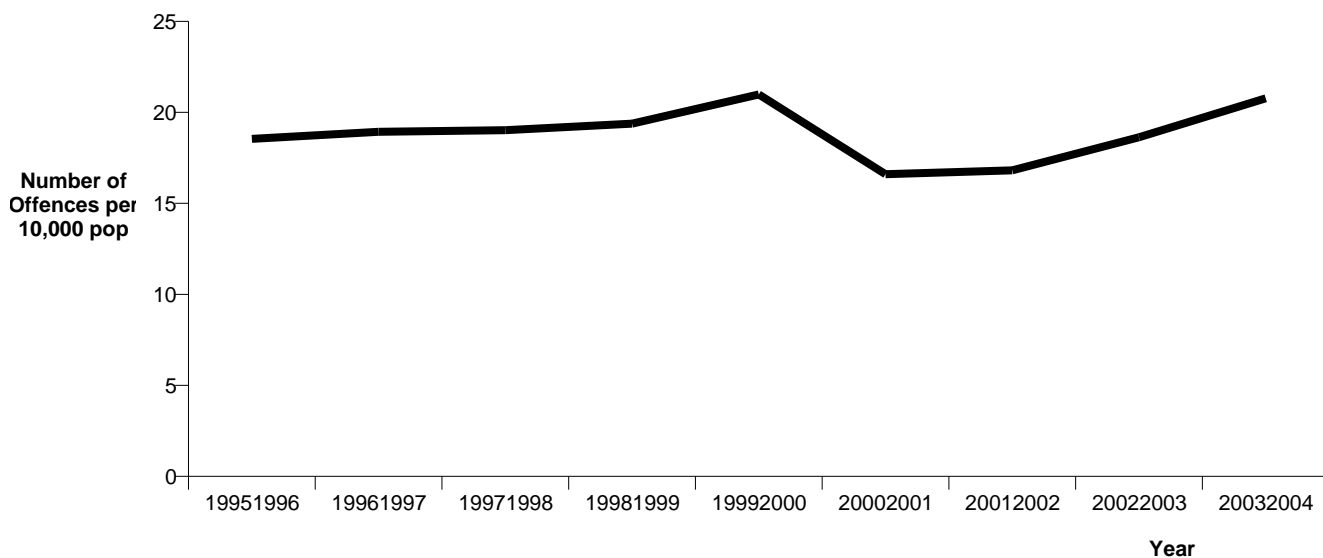


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

ADMINISTRATIVE

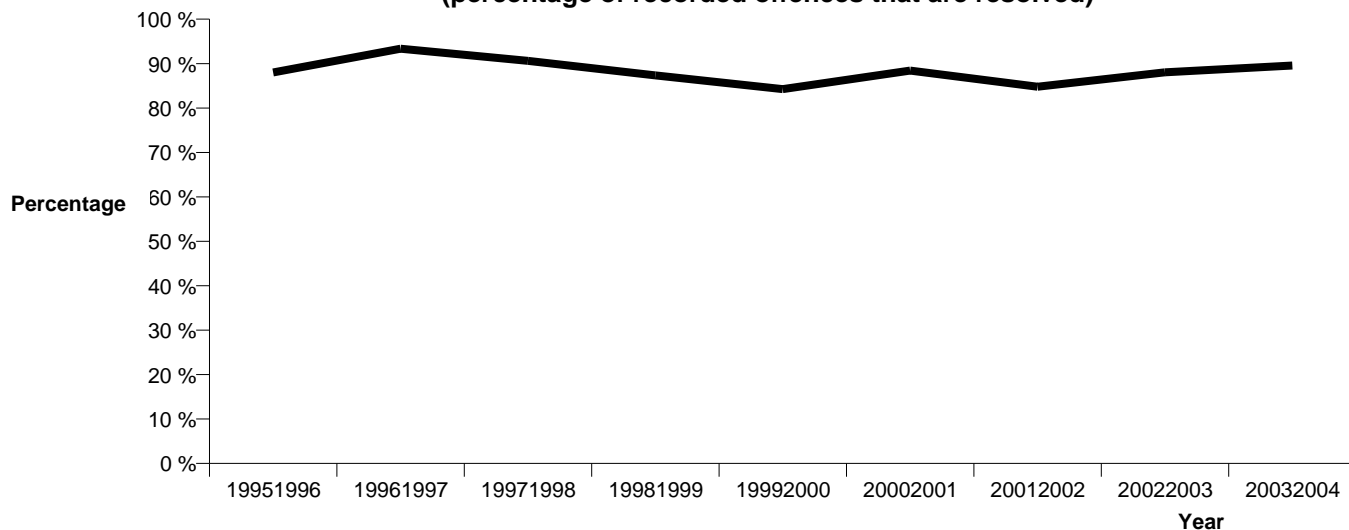
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	876	-	18.5	-	771	88.0 %	-
19961997	904	3.2 %	18.9	2.1 %	844	93.4 %	5.3 %
19971998	918	1.5 %	19.0	0.5 %	832	90.6 %	-2.7 %
19981999	940	2.4 %	19.4	1.9 %	821	87.3 %	-3.3 %
19992000	1,022	8.7 %	21.0	8.3 %	861	84.2 %	-3.1 %
20002001	813	-20.5 %	16.6	-20.9 %	719	88.4 %	4.2 %
20012002	829	2.0 %	16.8	1.3 %	703	84.8 %	-3.6 %
20022003	936	12.9 %	18.6	10.8 %	824	88.0 %	3.2 %
20032004	1,063	13.6 %	20.8	11.5 %	952	89.6 %	1.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

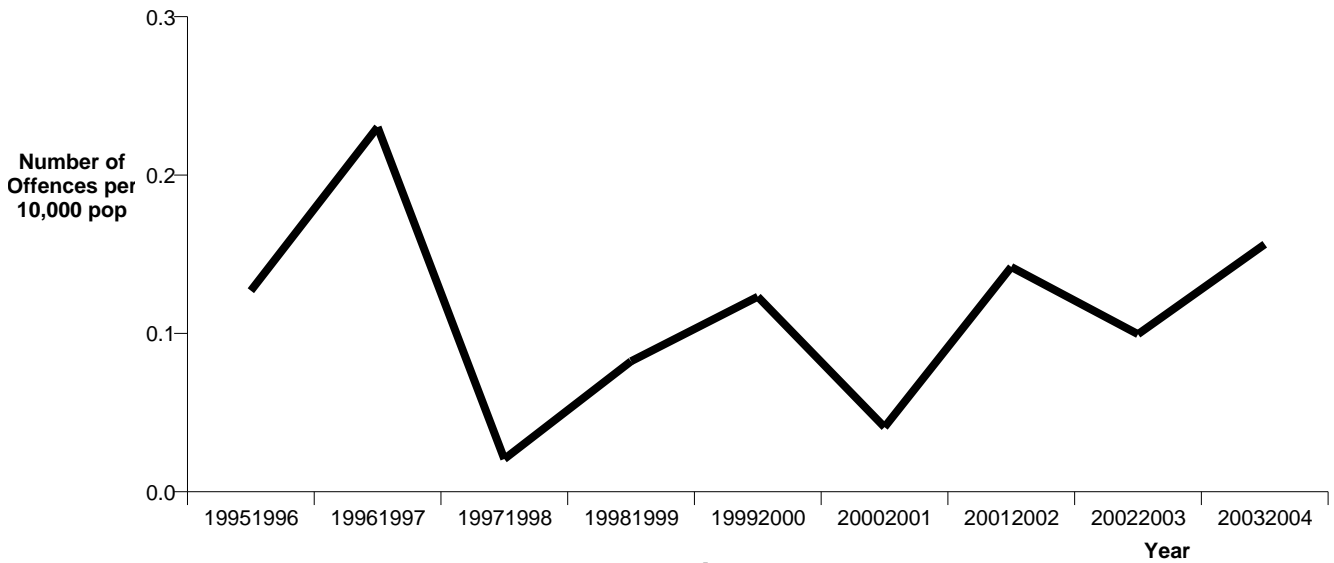


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR
SELECTED OFFENCE TYPE
Years ending 30 June**

MURDER *

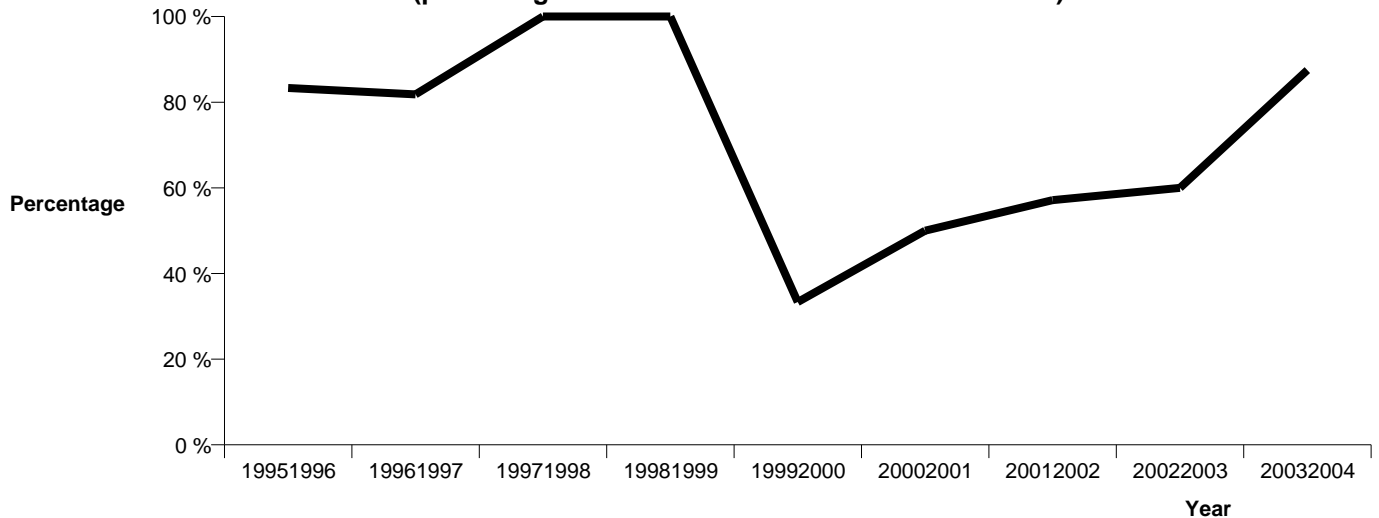
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	6	-	0.1	-	5	83.3 %	-
19961997	11	83.3 %	0.2	81.4 %	9	81.8 %	-1.5 %
19971998	1	-90.9 %	0.0	-91.0 %	1	100.0 %	18.2 %
19981999	4	300.0 %	0.1	298.0 %	4	100.0 %	0.0 %
19992000	6	50.0 %	0.1	49.4 %	2	33.3 %	-66.7 %
20002001	2	-66.7 %	0.0	-66.8 %	1	50.0 %	16.7 %
20012002	7	250.0 %	0.1	247.6 %	4	57.1 %	7.1 %
20022003	5	-28.6 %	0.1	-29.9 %	3	60.0 %	2.9 %
20032004	8	60.0 %	0.2	57.0 %	7	87.5 %	27.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



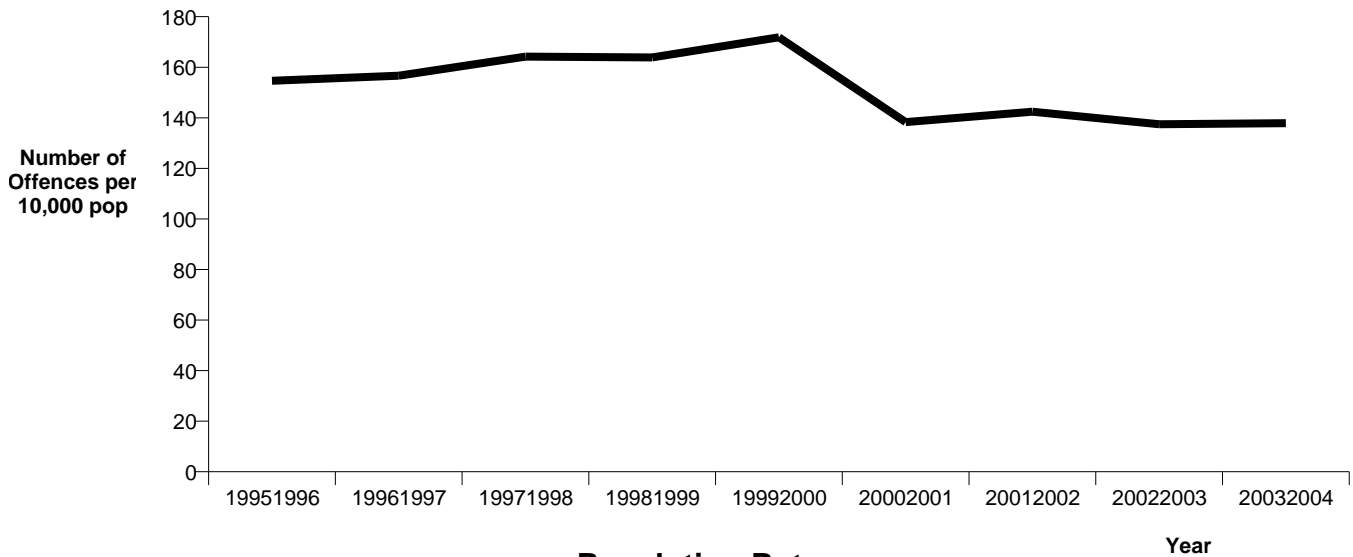
* Note that 'Murder' is a sub-class of the Police offence class 'Homicide' as used in pages 2-22

**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR
SELECTED OFFENCE CLASS
Years ending 30 June**

BURGLARY

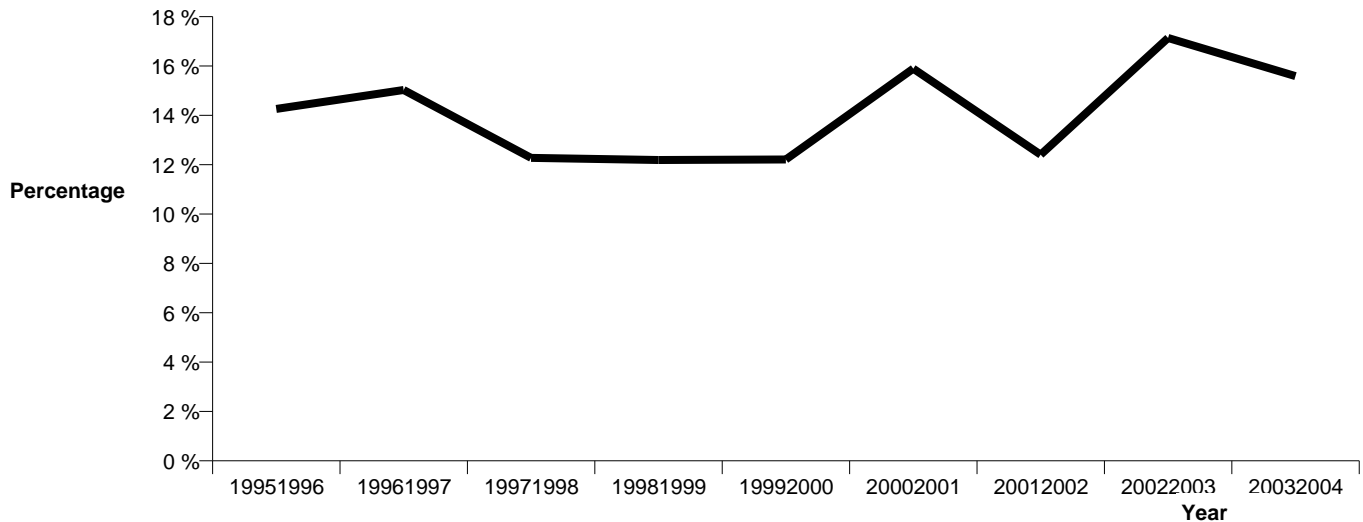
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	7,307	-	154.7	-	1,042	14.3 %	-
19961997	7,482	2.4 %	156.7	1.3 %	1,124	15.0 %	0.8 %
19971998	7,926	5.9 %	164.2	4.8 %	973	12.3 %	-2.7 %
19981999	7,951	0.3 %	163.9	-0.2 %	969	12.2 %	-0.1 %
19992000	8,371	5.3 %	171.9	4.9 %	1,022	12.2 %	0.0 %
20002001	6,772	-19.1 %	138.3	-19.5 %	1,076	15.9 %	3.7 %
20012002	7,023	3.7 %	142.4	3.0 %	871	12.4 %	-3.5 %
20022003	6,906	-1.7 %	137.5	-3.5 %	1,183	17.1 %	4.7 %
20032004	7,056	2.2 %	137.9	0.3 %	1,100	15.6 %	-1.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



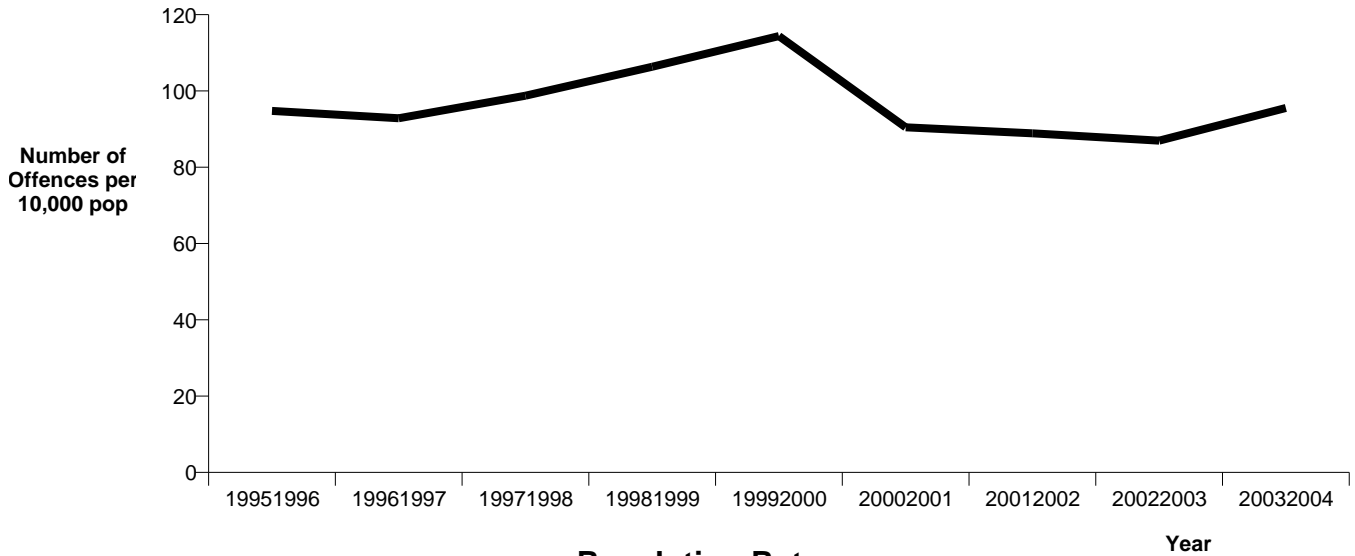
**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR
SELECTED OFFENCE CLASS**

Years ending 30 June

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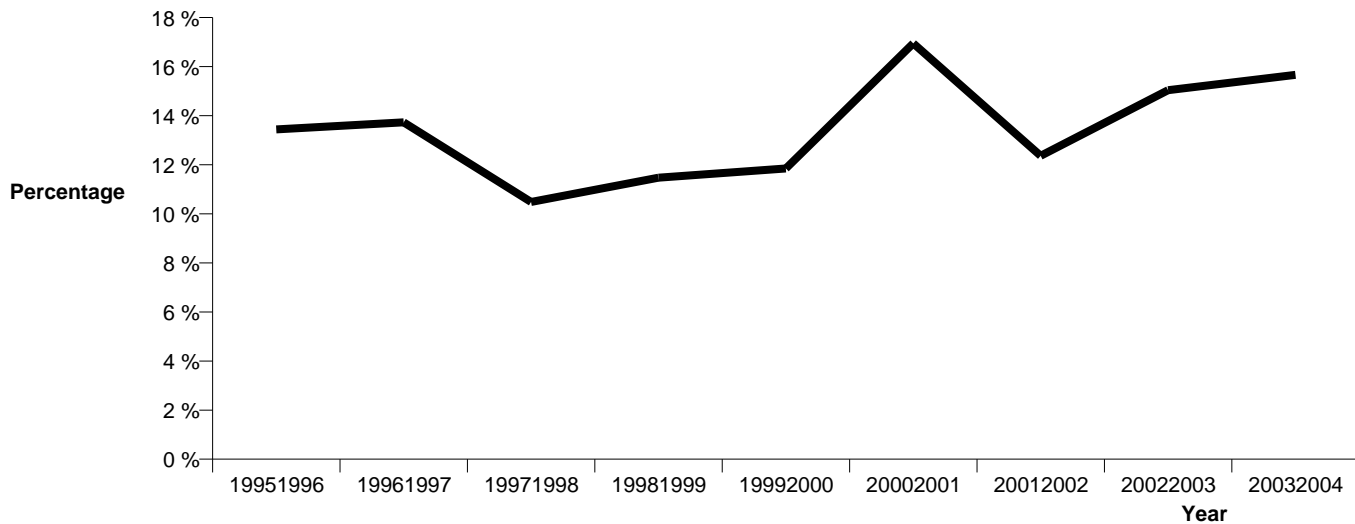
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	4,478	-	94.8	-	602	13.4 %	-
19961997	4,435	-1.0 %	92.9	-2.0 %	609	13.7 %	0.3 %
19971998	4,768	7.5 %	98.8	6.4 %	500	10.5 %	-3.2 %
19981999	5,160	8.2 %	106.4	7.7 %	592	11.5 %	1.0 %
19992000	5,571	8.0 %	114.4	7.6 %	660	11.8 %	0.4 %
20002001	4,431	-20.5 %	90.5	-20.9 %	751	16.9 %	5.1 %
20012002	4,384	-1.1 %	88.9	-1.7 %	542	12.4 %	-4.6 %
20022003	4,369	-0.3 %	87.0	-2.2 %	657	15.0 %	2.7 %
20032004	4,890	11.9 %	95.5	9.9 %	766	15.7 %	0.6 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

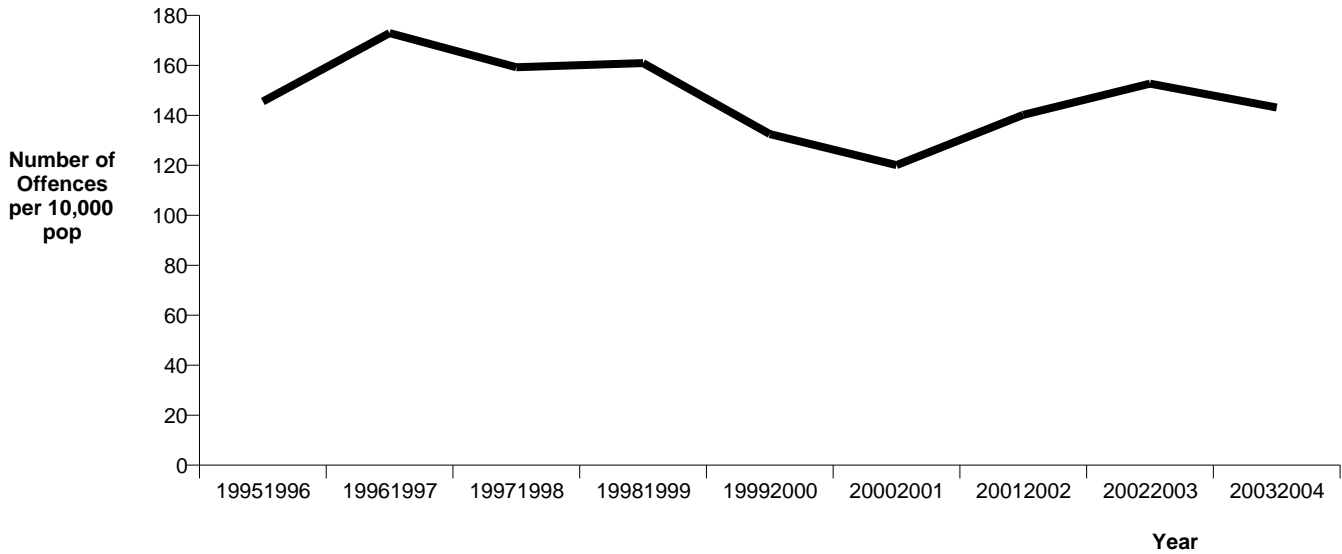


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR
SELECTED OFFENCE TYPES
Years ending 30 June**

THEFT EX CAR

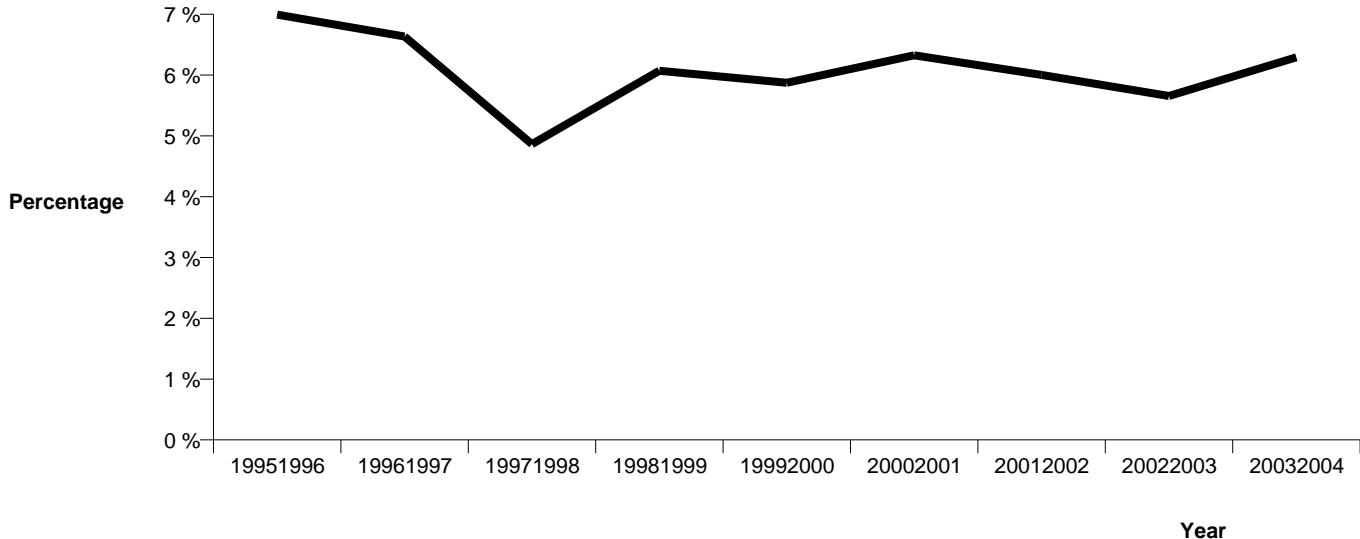
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19951996	6,877	-	145.6	-	481	7.0 %	-
19961997	8,259	20.1 %	172.9	18.8 %	548	6.6 %	-0.4 %
19971998	7,687	-6.9 %	159.2	-7.9 %	374	4.9 %	-1.8 %
19981999	7,808	1.6 %	160.9	1.1 %	474	6.1 %	1.2 %
19992000	6,453	-17.4 %	132.5	-17.7 %	379	5.9 %	-0.2 %
20002001	5,880	-8.9 %	120.1	-9.4 %	372	6.3 %	0.5 %
20012002	6,914	17.6 %	140.2	16.8 %	415	6.0 %	-0.3 %
20022003	7,672	11.0 %	152.7	8.9 %	434	5.7 %	-0.3 %
20032004	7,325	-4.5 %	143.1	-6.3 %	461	6.3 %	0.6 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

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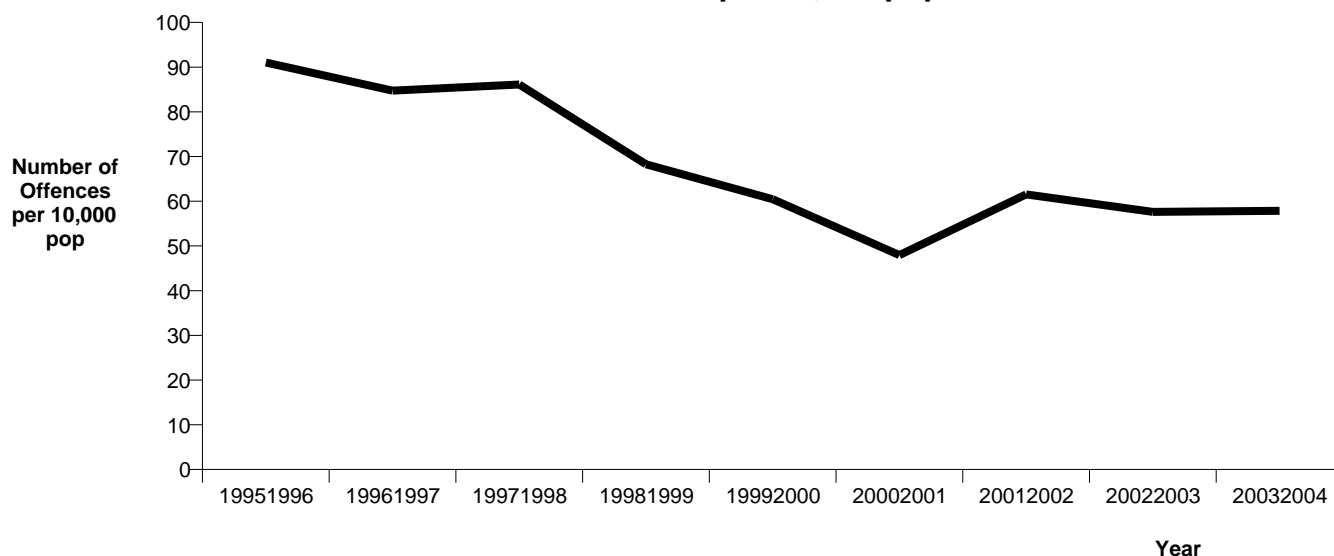


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR
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CAR THEFT & UNLAWFUL TAKING/CONVERSION OF MOTOR VEHICLES *

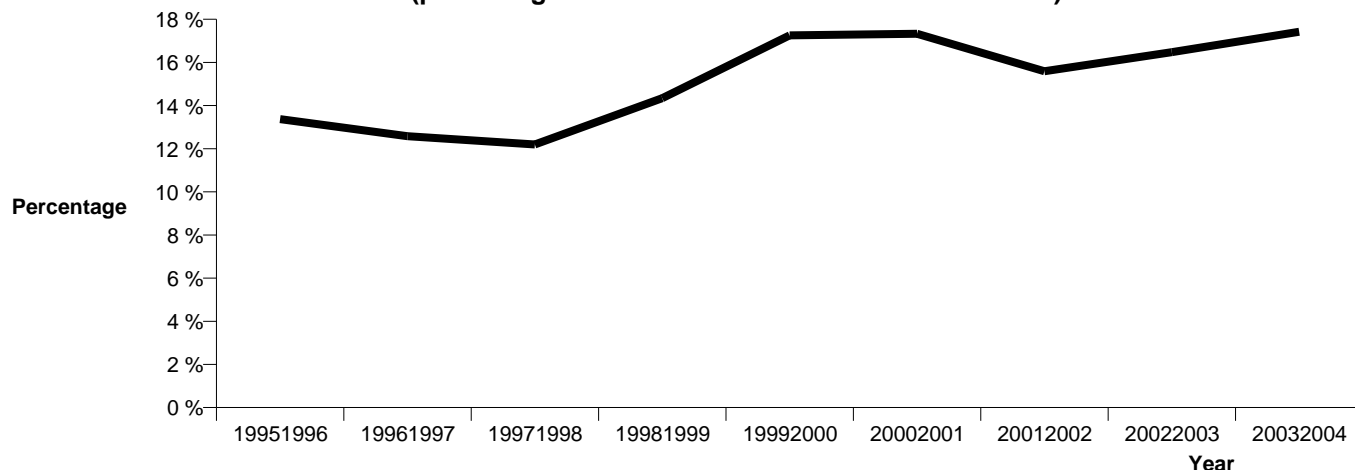
FISCAL YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE	VARIATION
19951996	4,301	-	91.0	-	575	13.4 %	-
19961997	4,047	-5.9 %	84.7	-6.9 %	509	12.6 %	-0.8 %
19971998	4,157	2.7 %	86.1	1.6 %	507	12.2 %	-0.4 %
19981999	3,312	-20.3 %	68.3	-20.7 %	475	14.3 %	2.1 %
19992000	2,944	-11.1 %	60.4	-11.5 %	508	17.3 %	2.9 %
20002001	2,349	-20.2 %	48.0	-20.6 %	407	17.3 %	0.1 %
20012002	3,034	29.2 %	61.5	28.3 %	473	15.6 %	-1.7 %
20022003	2,895	-4.6 %	57.6	-6.3 %	477	16.5 %	0.9 %
20032004	2,962	2.3 %	57.9	0.4 %	516	17.4 %	0.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



* Note that Figures presented on this page refer to a broader definition of offences than was included in previous years. Previously only offences against section 226 of the Crimes Act 1961 were included. This year theft of motor vehicle under section 223 of the Crimes Act 1961 have also been included.

Population Data

Population data is used in this release to calculate crime rates. These data are estimated population figures as at 31 December each year. They have been derived from population estimates as at 30 June each year that have been obtained from Statistics New Zealand.

The estimated resident population is based on the census usually resident population count, with adjustments for residents missed or counted more than once by the census (net census undercount), and for residents temporarily overseas on census night.

These population estimates exclude the number of international students who are studying in New Zealand for less than 12 months.

Year	Population estimate as at 30 June
19951996	472,440
19961997	477,580
19971998	482,720
19981999	485,175
19992000	487,040
20002001	489,730
20012002	493,060
20022003	502,365
20032004	511,830