

**NORTHLAND DISTRICT
CRIME STATISTICS
2004/2005**



**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 Police National Intelligence Application (N.I.A) These Official Crime Statistics present a snapshot of data in N.I.A. 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).

The following changes legislation changes may have impacted on recorded crime statistics in 2004/2005:

Act	Classes Affected
The Crimes Amendment Act 2005	Sexual Attacks, Abnormal Sex, and Immoral Behaviour Classes
Gambling Act 2003	Gaming Class
The Maritime Security Act 2004	Immigration Class
The Criminal Records (Clean Slate) Act 2004	Justice (Special) Class.
Sentencing Amendment Act 2004 and the Parole (Extended Supervision) Amendment Act 2004	Justice (Special) Class.
The Secondhand Dealers and Pawnbrokers Act 2004	Justice (Special) Class (new offences). Fraud & Against Justice (obsoleted offences)

When comparing 2004/2005 Statistics with 2003/2004 and previous years, the reader should also refer to "Report Notes" published with the 2003/2004 Statistics, as changes during 2003/2004 significantly affect year on year trends.

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Violence	Grievous Assaults	164	144	149	3.0 %	-11.8 %	144	147	124	87.8 %	87.0 %	83.2 %
	Group Assemblies	10	10	17	40.0 %	21.4 %	10	12	13	100.0 %	85.7 %	76.5 %
	Homicide	3	3	1	33.3 %	-75.0 %	3	3	1	100.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
	Intimidation And Threats	445	361	467	7.0 %	-1.9 %	361	393	390	81.1 %	82.6 %	83.5 %
	Kidnapping And Abduction	14	11	9	0.0 %	-35.7 %	11	14	9	78.6 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
	Minor Assaults	498	390	433	-7.2 %	-6.3 %	390	370	331	78.3 %	80.1 %	76.4 %
	Robbery	56	35	75	5.4 %	27.1 %	35	27	38	62.5 %	45.8 %	50.7 %
	Serious Assaults	744	602	741	17.5 %	-15.2 %	602	720	584	80.9 %	82.4 %	78.8 %
Total:		1,934	1,556	1,892	7.1 %	-8.7 %	1,556	1,686	1,490	80.5 %	81.4 %	78.8 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Sexual	Immoral Behaviour	4	3	11	50.0 %	83.3 %	3	5	7	75.0 %	83.3 %	63.6 %
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous					-100.0 %		1			100.0 %	
	Sexual Affronts	17	14	13	-17.6 %	-7.1 %	14	9	6	82.4 %	64.3 %	46.2 %
	Sexual Attacks	87	62	124	-8.0 %	55.0 %	62	51	62	71.3 %	63.7 %	50.0 %
Total:		108	79	148	-6.5 %	46.5 %	79	66	75	73.1 %	65.3 %	50.7 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	1,284	1,209	911	-12.3 %	-19.1 %	1,209	1,020	809	94.2 %	90.6 %	88.8 %
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	1,177	1,038	820	5.9 %	-34.2 %	1,038	1,041	746	88.2 %	83.5 %	91.0 %
	Drugs (New Drugs)			89		-35.0 %		92	68		67.2 %	76.4 %
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	151	127	50		-32.4 %	127	62	42	84.1 %	83.8 %	84.0 %
	Family Offences	25	21	22	24.0 %	-29.0 %	21	23	17	84.0 %	74.2 %	77.3 %
	Family Offences Continued	182	151	210	-9.9 %	28.0 %	151	137	164	83.0 %	83.5 %	78.1 %
	Gaming	1	1		100.0 %	-100.0 %	1	1		100.0 %	50.0 %	
	Sale Of Liquor Act	87	80	99	65.5 %	-31.3 %	80	143	96	92.0 %	99.3 %	97.0 %
	Vagrancy Offences	2	2	2	-100.0 %		2		1	100.0 %		50.0 %
Total:		2,909	2,629	2,203	0.5 %	-24.7 %	2,629	2,519	1,943	90.4 %	86.1 %	88.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Dishonesty	Burglary	2,161	485	2,423	0.4 %	11.7 %	485	525	464	22.4 %	24.2 %	19.1 %
	Car Conversion Etc	1,131	332	911	-22.4 %	3.8 %	332	276	252	29.4 %	31.4 %	27.7 %
	Dishonesty Miscellaneous			6		-14.3 %		4	3		57.1 %	50.0 %
	Fraud	663	456	468	-23.2 %	-8.1 %	456	335	221	68.8 %	65.8 %	47.2 %
	Receiving	133	127	107	9.8 %	-26.7 %	127	142	105	95.5 %	97.3 %	98.1 %
	Theft	4,335	1,115	3,955	-6.6 %	-2.4 %	1,115	1,043	972	25.7 %	25.7 %	24.6 %
Total:		8,423	2,515	7,870	-7.9 %	1.4 %	2,515	2,325	2,017	29.9 %	30.0 %	25.6 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	1,421	564	1,389	3.2 %	-5.3 %	564	594	509	39.7 %	40.5 %	36.6 %
	Endangering	12	5	8	-25.0 %	-11.1 %	5	8	6	41.7 %	88.9 %	75.0 %
Total:		1,433	569	1,397	2.9 %	-5.3 %	569	602	515	39.7 %	40.8 %	36.9 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Property Abuse	Animals	36	23	15	-50.0 %	-16.7 %	23	15	9	63.9 %	83.3 %	60.0 %
	Arms Act Offences	125	108	148	26.4 %	-6.3 %	108	140	124	86.4 %	88.6 %	83.8 %
	Littering	11	10	10	45.5 %	-37.5 %	10	13	9	90.9 %	81.3 %	90.0 %
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	169	64	121	-22.5 %	-7.6 %	64	62	64	37.9 %	47.3 %	52.9 %
	Trespass	559	427	410	-6.1 %	-21.9 %	427	359	297	76.4 %	68.4 %	72.4 %
Total:		900	632	704	-5.8 %	-17.0 %	632	589	503	70.2 %	69.5 %	71.4 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20022003	Resolved 20022003	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03-03/04	Variance 03/04-04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Administrative	Against Justice	727	637	405	-0.7 %	-43.9 %	637	603	351	87.6 %	83.5 %	86.7 %
	Against National Interest			4					1			25.0 %
	By Law Breaches	94	93	9	-90.4 %	0.0 %	93	6	8	98.9 %	66.7 %	88.9 %
	Immigration	22	22	10	-90.9 %	400.0 %	22	2	9	100.0 %	100.0 %	90.0 %
	Justice (Special)			1					1			100.0 %
Total:		843	752	429	-13.0 %	-41.5 %	752	611	370	89.2 %	83.4 %	86.2 %

TOTAL		16,550	8,732	14,643	-3.8 %	-8.0 %	8,732	8,398	6,913	52.8 %	52.8 %	47.2 %
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DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA
Years ending 30 June

Area Description	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03 to 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04 to 04/05
Far North	1,143.8	994.4	954.6	-13.1 %	-4.0 %
Whangarei	1,149.8	1,159.4	1,029.1	0.8 %	-11.2 %
TOTAL	1,147.4	1,094.1	999.7	-4.6 %	-8.6 %

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Violence	Grievous Assaults	11.4	11.6	10.2
	Group Assemblies	0.7	1.0	1.2
	Homicide	0.2	0.3	0.1
	Intimidation And Threats	30.9	32.7	31.9
	Kidnapping And Abduction	1.0	1.0	0.6
	Minor Assaults	34.5	31.8	29.6
	Robbery	3.9	4.1	5.1
	Serious Assaults	51.6	60.1	50.6
Violence		134.1	142.5	129.2

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Sexual	Immoral Behaviour	0.3	0.4	0.8
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous		0.1	
	Sexual Affronts	1.2	1.0	0.9
	Sexual Attacks	6.0	5.5	8.5
Sexual		7.5	6.9	10.1

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	89.0	77.4	62.2
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	81.6	85.7	56.0
	Drugs (New Drugs)		9.4	6.1
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	10.5	5.1	3.4
	Family Offences	1.7	2.1	1.5
	Family Offences Continued	12.6	11.3	14.3
	Gaming	0.1	0.1	
	Sale Of Liquor Act	6.0	9.9	6.8
	Vagrancy Offences	0.1		0.1
Drugs & AntiSocial		201.7	201.0	150.4

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Dishonesty	Burglary	149.8	149.1	165.4
	Car Conversion Etc	78.4	60.4	62.2
	Dishonesty Miscellaneous		0.5	0.4
	Fraud	46.0	35.0	32.0
	Receiving	9.2	10.0	7.3
	Theft	300.6	278.5	270.0
Dishonesty		584.0	533.5	537.3

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	98.5	100.8	94.8
	Endangering	0.8	0.6	0.5
Property Damage		99.4	101.4	95.4

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Property Abuse	Animals	2.5	1.2	1.0
	Arms Act Offences	8.7	10.9	10.1
	Littering	0.8	1.1	0.7
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	11.7	9.0	8.3
	Trespass	38.8	36.1	28.0
Property Abuse		62.4	58.3	48.1

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20022003	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005
Administrative	Against Justice	50.4	49.6	27.6
	Against National Interest			0.3
	By Law Breaches	6.5	0.6	0.6
	Immigration	1.5	0.1	0.7
	Justice (Special)			0.1
Administrative		58.4	50.4	29.3

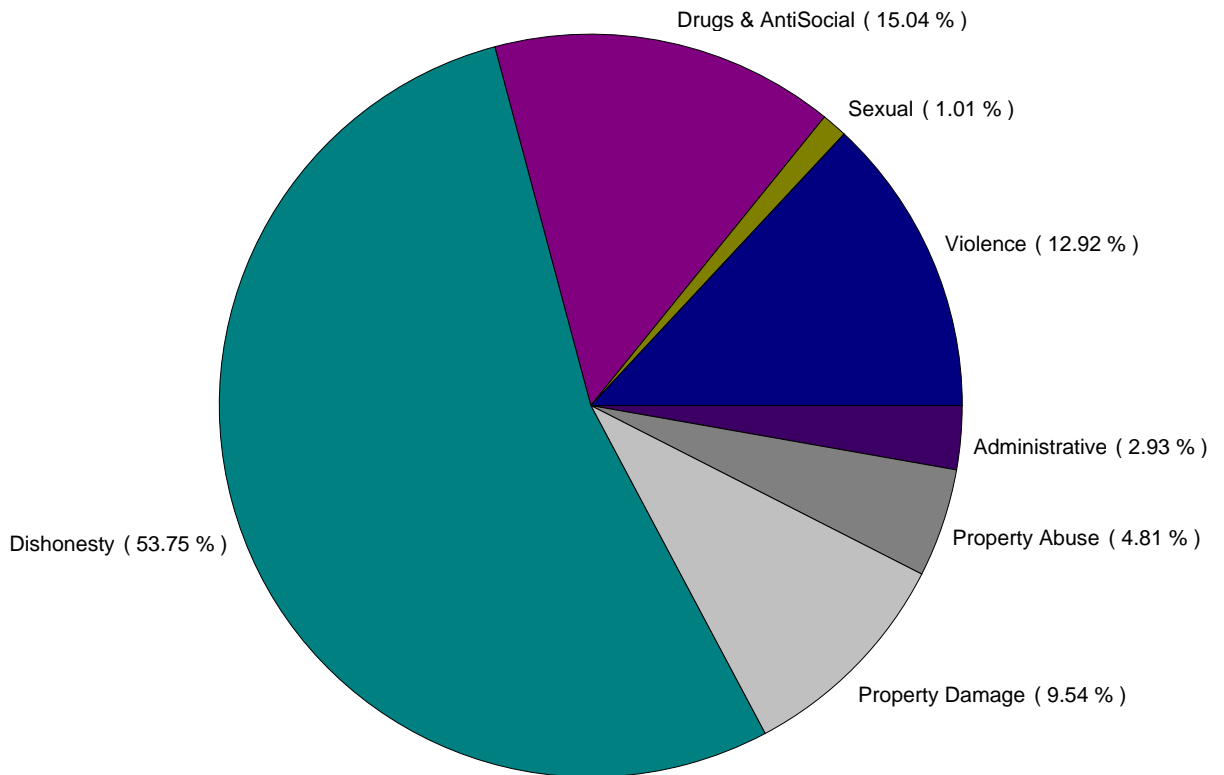
TOTAL		1,147.4	1,094.1	999.7
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PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Proportions Recorded 2002/2003	Recorded 2002/2003	Proportions Recorded 2003/2004	Recorded 2003/2004	Proportions Recorded 2004/2005	Recorded 2004/2005
Violence	11.7 %	1,934	13.0 %	2,072	12.9 %	1,892
Sexual	0.7 %	108	0.6 %	101	1.0 %	148
Drugs & AntiSocial	17.6 %	2,909	18.4 %	2,924	15.0 %	2,203
Dishonesty	50.9 %	8,423	48.8 %	7,760	53.7 %	7,870
Property Damage	8.7 %	1,433	9.3 %	1,475	9.5 %	1,397
Property Abuse	5.4 %	900	5.3 %	848	4.8 %	704
Administrative	5.1 %	843	4.6 %	733	2.9 %	429
Total:	100.0 %	16,550	100.0 %	15,913	100.0 %	14,643

TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2004/2005 (ending 30 June)



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

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Variance 02/03- 03/04	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	6,549	5,723	5,517	-12.6 %	-3.6 %	3,269	3,022	2,678	49.9 %	52.8 %	48.5 %
Whangarei	10,001	10,190	9,126	1.9 %	-10.4 %	5,463	5,376	4,235	54.6 %	52.8 %	46.4 %
Total:	16,550	15,913	14,643	-3.8 %	-8.0 %	8,732	8,398	6,913	52.8 %	52.8 %	47.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

VIOLENCE

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	790	796	700	0.8 %	-12.1 %	647	663	595	81.9 %	83.3 %	85.0 %
Whangarei	1,144	1,276	1,192	11.5 %	-6.6 %	909	1,023	895	79.5 %	80.2 %	75.1 %
Total:	1,934	2,072	1,892	7.1 %	-8.7 %	1,556	1,686	1,490	80.5 %	81.4 %	78.8 %

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

SEXUAL

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	54	45	64	-16.7 %	42.2 %	43	38	38	79.6 %	84.4 %	59.4 %
Whangarei	54	56	84	3.7 %	50.0 %	36	28	37	66.7 %	50.0 %	44.0 %
Total:	108	101	148	-6.5 %	46.5 %	79	66	75	73.1 %	65.3 %	50.7 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	980	1,071	884	9.3 %	-17.5 %	853	909	797	87.0 %	84.9 %	90.2 %
Whangarei	1,929	1,853	1,319	-3.9 %	-28.8 %	1,776	1,610	1,146	92.1 %	86.9 %	86.9 %
Total:	2,909	2,924	2,203	0.5 %	-24.7 %	2,629	2,519	1,943	90.4 %	86.1 %	88.2 %

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

DISHONESTY

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	3,376	2,830	2,968	-16.2 %	4.9 %	910	852	736	27.0 %	30.1 %	24.8 %
Whangarei	5,047	4,930	4,902	-2.3 %	-0.6 %	1,605	1,473	1,281	31.8 %	29.9 %	26.1 %
Total:	8,423	7,760	7,870	-7.9 %	1.4 %	2,515	2,325	2,017	29.9 %	30.0 %	25.6 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	574	511	517	-11.0 %	1.2 %	191	201	204	33.3 %	39.3 %	39.5 %
Whangarei	859	964	880	12.2 %	-8.7 %	378	401	311	44.0 %	41.6 %	35.3 %
Total:	1,433	1,475	1,397	2.9 %	-5.3 %	569	602	515	39.7 %	40.8 %	36.9 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY ABUSE

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	382	347	277	-9.2 %	-20.2 %	280	251	212	73.3 %	72.3 %	76.5 %
Whangarei	518	501	427	-3.3 %	-14.8 %	352	338	291	68.0 %	67.5 %	68.1 %
Total:	900	848	704	-5.8 %	-17.0 %	632	589	503	70.2 %	69.5 %	71.4 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

ADMINISTRATIVE

Area Description	Recorded 20022003	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Percent Variance 02/03- 03/04	Percent Variance 03/04- 04/05	Resolved 20022003	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20022003	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005
Far North	393	123	107	-68.7 %	-13.0 %	345	108	96	87.8 %	87.8 %	89.7 %
Whangarei	450	610	322	35.6 %	-47.2 %	407	503	274	90.4 %	82.5 %	85.1 %
Total:	843	733	429	-13.0 %	-41.5 %	752	611	370	89.2 %	83.4 %	86.2 %

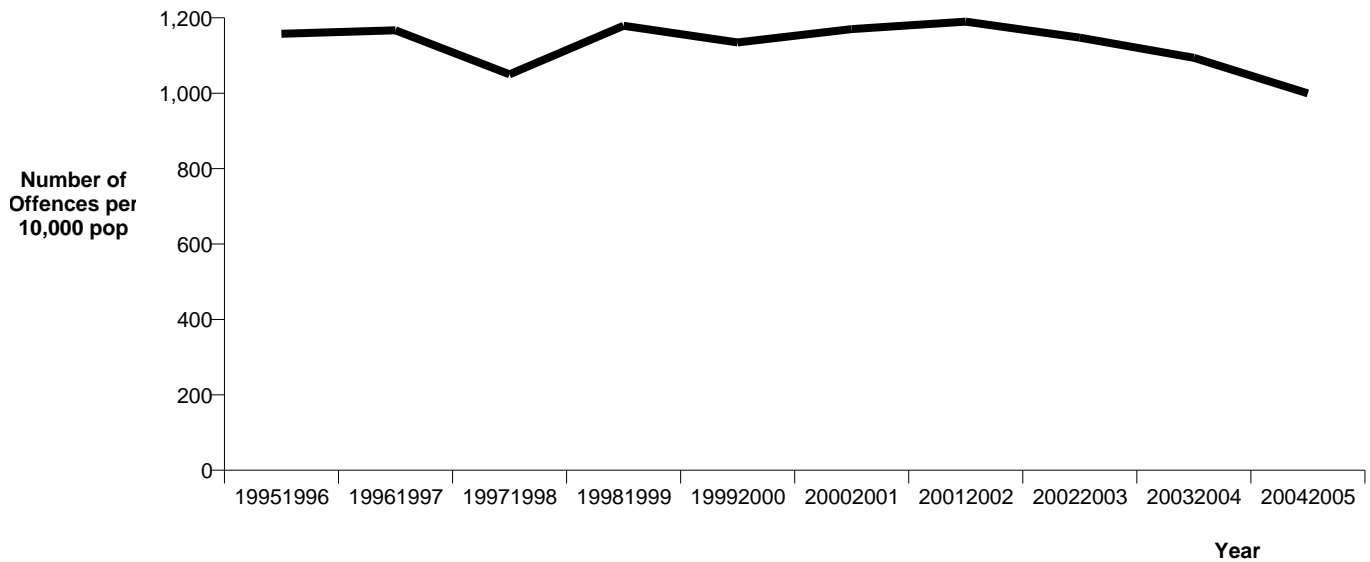
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

Years ending 30 June

TOTAL CRIME

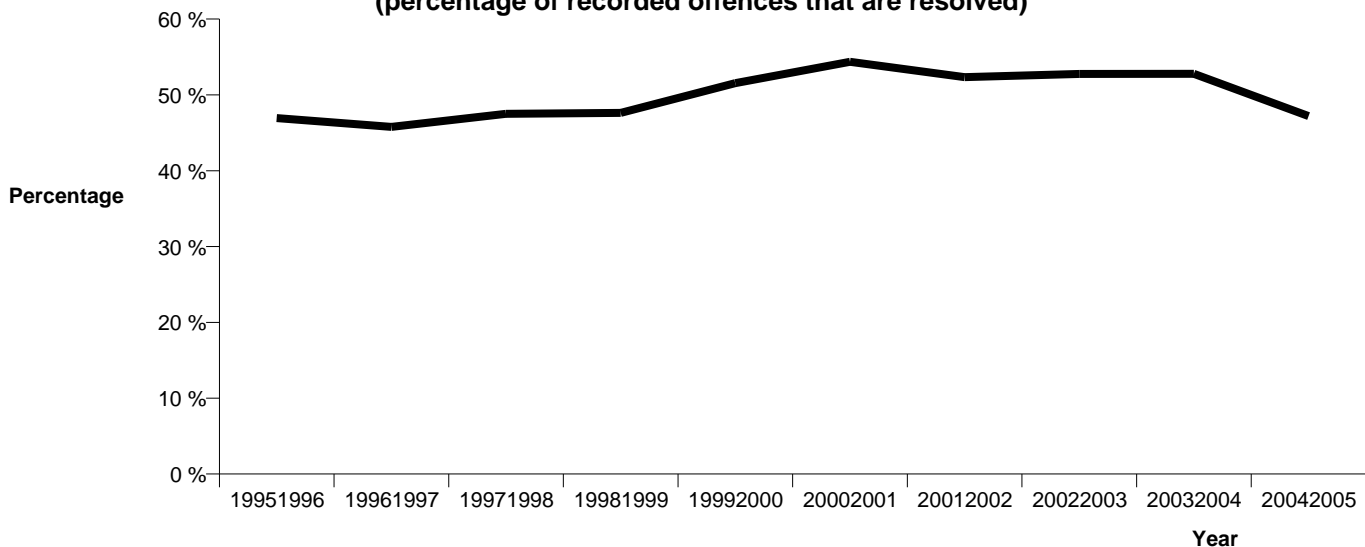
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	16,039		1,157.7		7,530	46.9 %	
19961997	16,339	1.9 %	1,166.9	0.8 %	7,481	45.8 %	-1.2 %
19971998	14,858	-9.1 %	1,050.0	-10.0 %	7,058	47.5 %	1.7 %
19981999	16,791	13.0 %	1,178.9	12.3 %	7,998	47.6 %	0.1 %
19992000	16,199	-3.5 %	1,134.7	-3.7 %	8,349	51.5 %	3.9 %
20002001	16,738	3.3 %	1,170.1	3.1 %	9,098	54.4 %	2.8 %
20012002	17,016	1.7 %	1,189.8	1.7 %	8,905	52.3 %	-2.0 %
20022003	16,550	-2.7 %	1,147.4	-3.6 %	8,732	52.8 %	0.4 %
20032004	15,913	-3.8 %	1,094.1	-4.6 %	8,398	52.8 %	0.0 %
20042005	14,643	-8.0 %	999.7	-8.6 %	6,913	47.2 %	-5.6 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

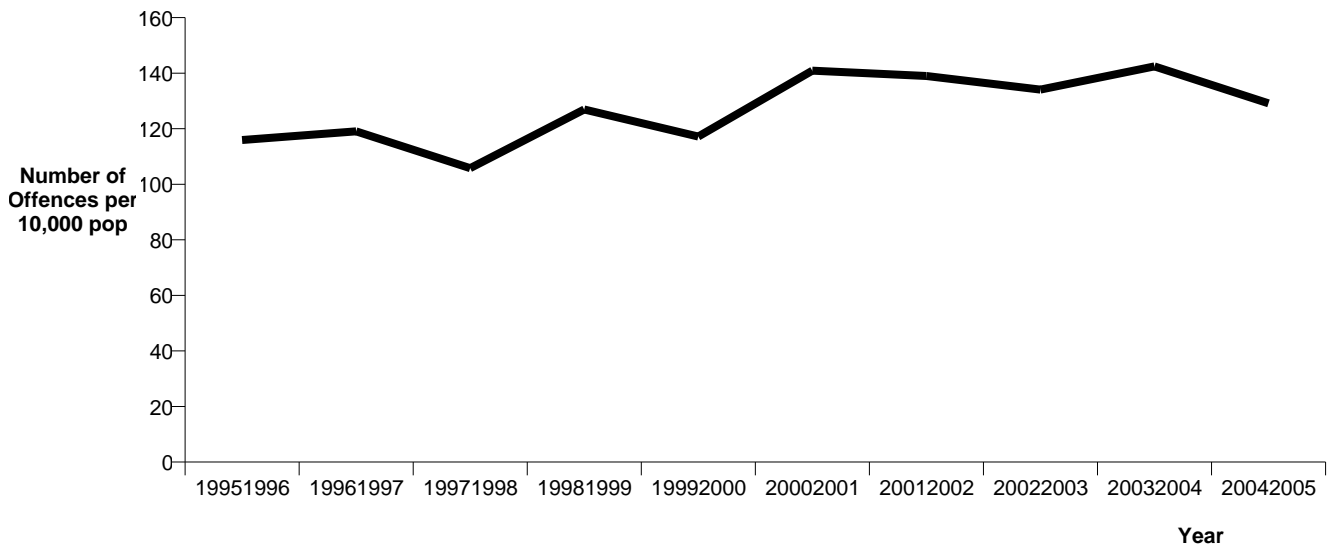


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VIOLENCE

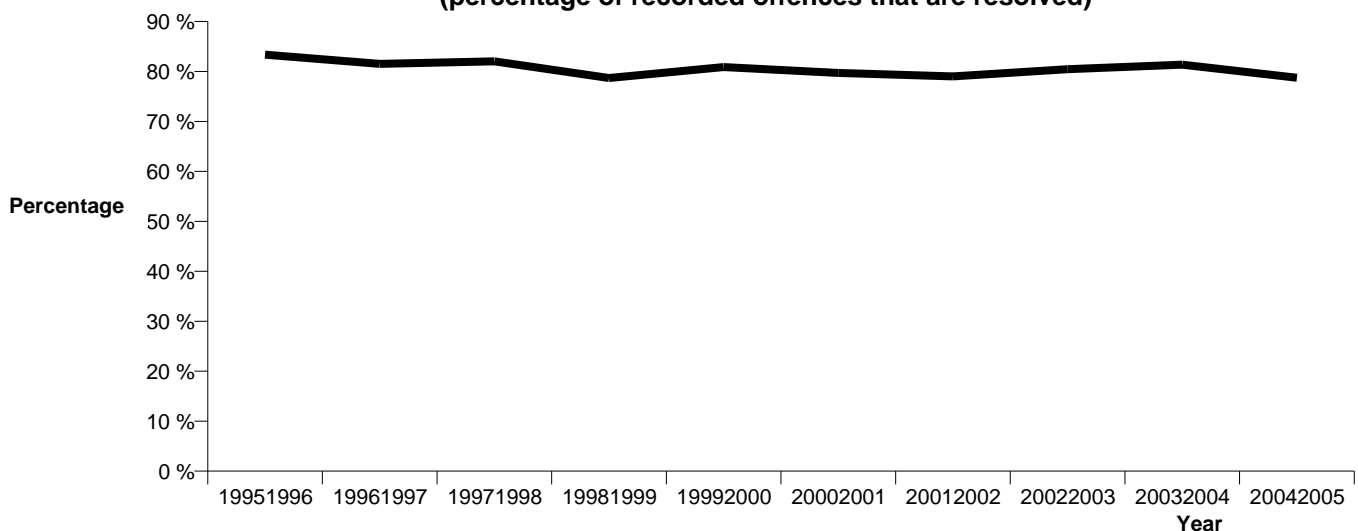
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	1,606		115.9		1,339	83.4 %	
19961997	1,667	3.8 %	119.1	2.7 %	1,359	81.5 %	-1.9 %
19971998	1,497	-10.2 %	105.8	-11.1 %	1,228	82.0 %	0.5 %
19981999	1,808	20.8 %	126.9	20.0 %	1,423	78.7 %	-3.3 %
19992000	1,673	-7.5 %	117.2	-7.7 %	1,353	80.9 %	2.2 %
20002001	2,016	20.5 %	140.9	20.3 %	1,607	79.7 %	-1.2 %
20012002	1,988	-1.4 %	139.0	-1.4 %	1,571	79.0 %	-0.7 %
20022003	1,934	-2.7 %	134.1	-3.5 %	1,556	80.5 %	1.4 %
20032004	2,072	7.1 %	142.5	6.2 %	1,686	81.4 %	0.9 %
20042005	1,892	-8.7 %	129.2	-9.3 %	1,490	78.8 %	-2.6 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

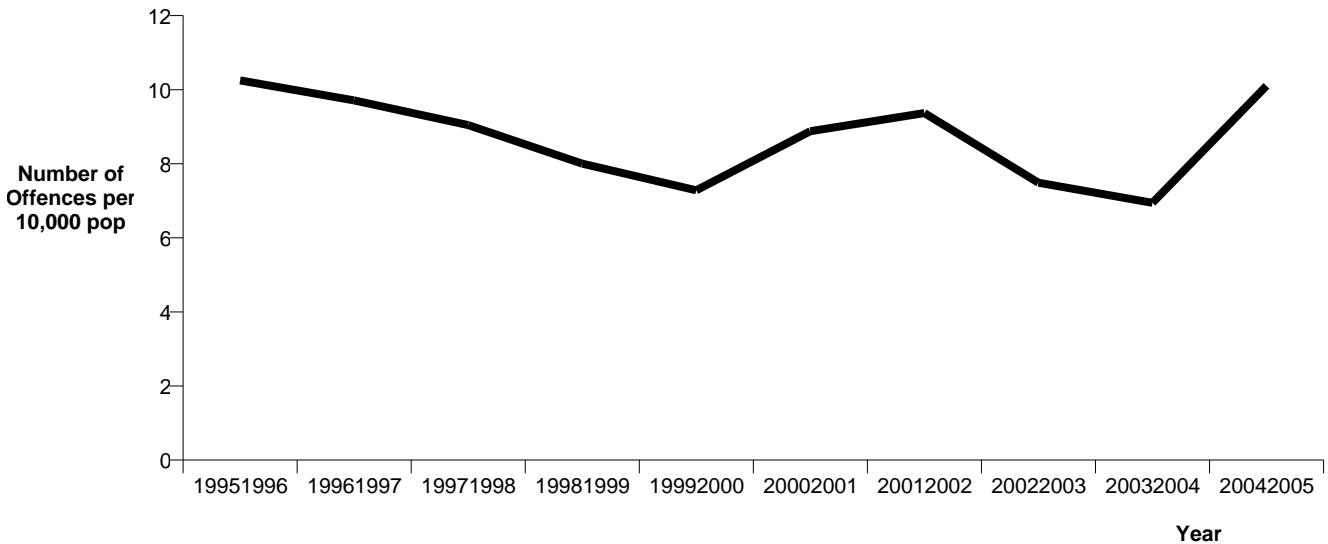


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SEXUAL

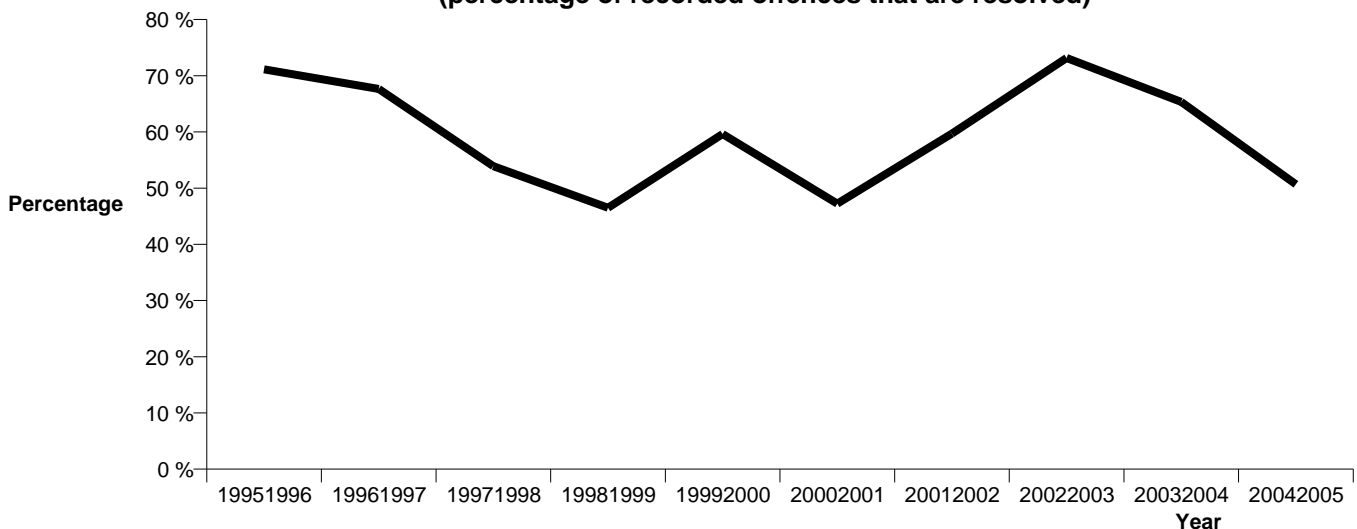
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	142		10.2		101	71.1 %	
19961997	136	-4.2 %	9.7	-5.2 %	92	67.6 %	-3.5 %
19971998	128	-5.9 %	9.0	-6.9 %	69	53.9 %	-13.7 %
19981999	114	-10.9 %	8.0	-11.5 %	53	46.5 %	-7.4 %
19992000	104	-8.8 %	7.3	-9.0 %	62	59.6 %	13.1 %
20002001	127	22.1 %	8.9	21.9 %	60	47.2 %	-12.4 %
20012002	134	5.5 %	9.4	5.5 %	80	59.7 %	12.5 %
20022003	108	-19.4 %	7.5	-20.1 %	79	73.1 %	13.4 %
20032004	101	-6.5 %	6.9	-7.3 %	66	65.3 %	-7.8 %
20042005	148	46.5 %	10.1	45.5 %	75	50.7 %	-14.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

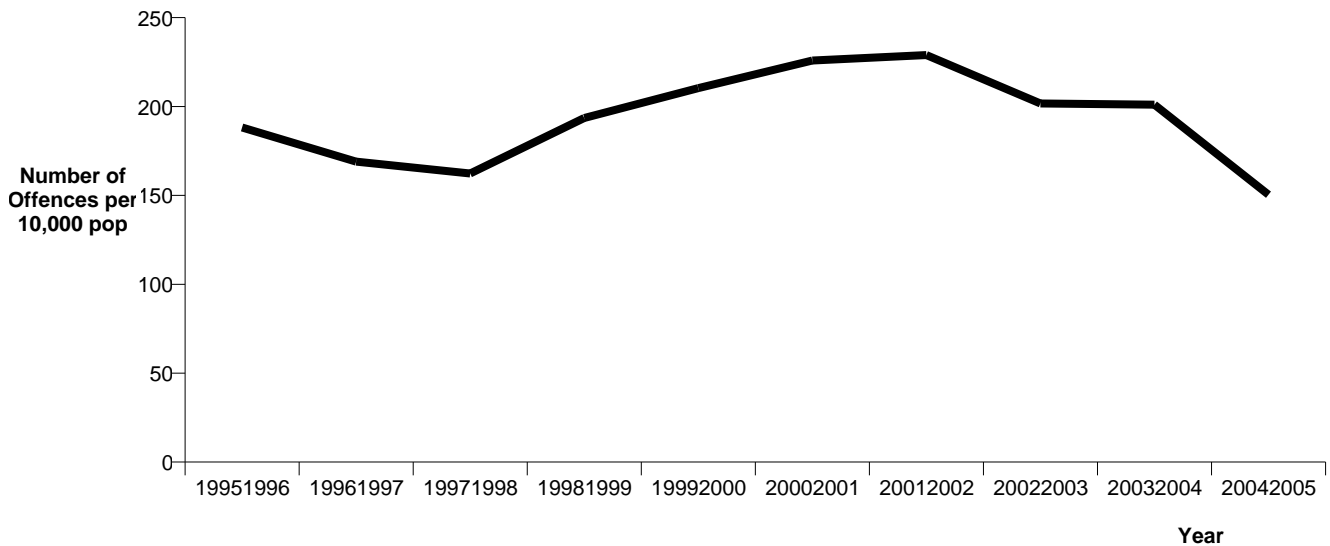


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DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

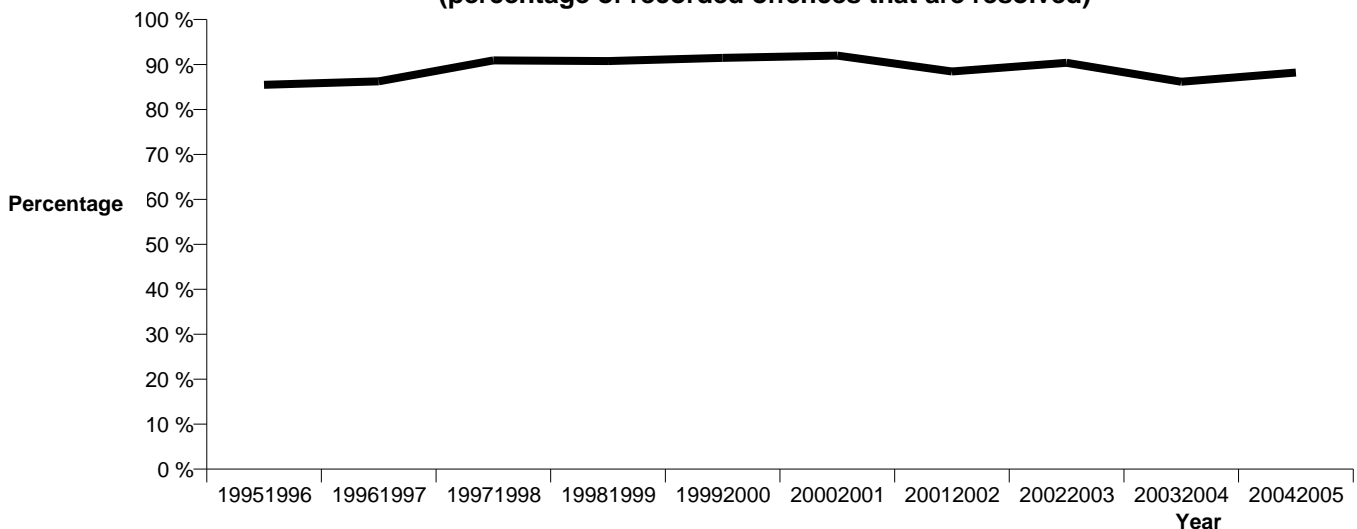
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19951996	2,608		188.2		2,229	85.5 %	
19961997	2,366	-9.3 %	169.0	-10.2 %	2,041	86.3 %	0.8 %
19971998	2,297	-2.9 %	162.3	-3.9 %	2,088	90.9 %	4.6 %
19981999	2,756	20.0 %	193.5	19.2 %	2,501	90.7 %	-0.2 %
19992000	3,003	9.0 %	210.4	8.7 %	2,747	91.5 %	0.7 %
20002001	3,231	7.6 %	225.9	7.4 %	2,972	92.0 %	0.5 %
20012002	3,274	1.3 %	228.9	1.4 %	2,896	88.5 %	-3.5 %
20022003	2,909	-11.1 %	201.7	-11.9 %	2,629	90.4 %	1.9 %
20032004	2,924	0.5 %	201.0	-0.3 %	2,519	86.1 %	-4.2 %
20042005	2,203	-24.7 %	150.4	-25.2 %	1,943	88.2 %	2.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

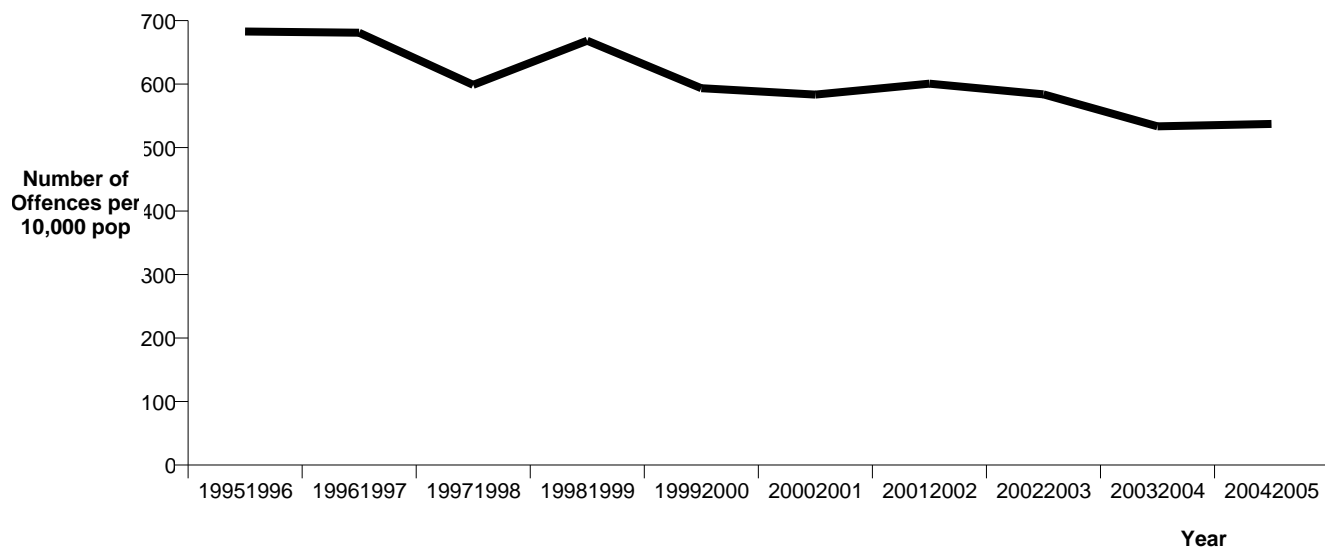


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DISHONESTY

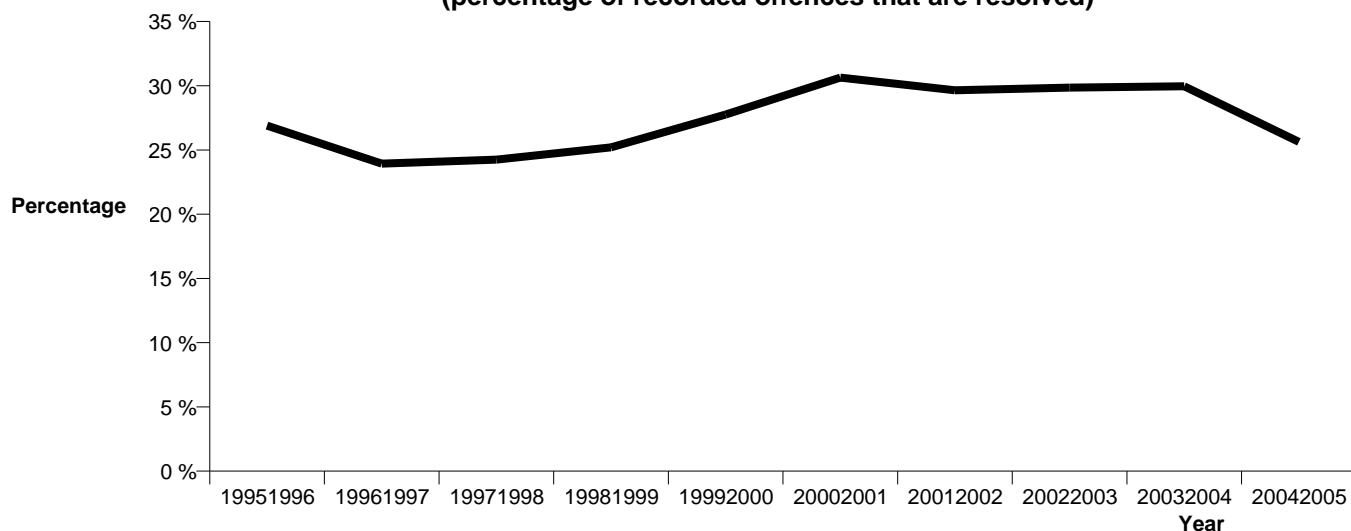
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	9,462		683.0		2,545	26.9 %	
19961997	9,536	0.8 %	681.0	-0.3 %	2,283	23.9 %	-3.0 %
19971998	8,475	-11.1 %	598.9	-12.1 %	2,055	24.2 %	0.3 %
19981999	9,519	12.3 %	668.4	11.6 %	2,399	25.2 %	1.0 %
19992000	8,474	-11.0 %	593.6	-11.2 %	2,352	27.8 %	2.6 %
20002001	8,346	-1.5 %	583.5	-1.7 %	2,557	30.6 %	2.9 %
20012002	8,592	2.9 %	600.8	3.0 %	2,547	29.6 %	-1.0 %
20022003	8,423	-2.0 %	584.0	-2.8 %	2,515	29.9 %	0.2 %
20032004	7,760	-7.9 %	533.5	-8.6 %	2,325	30.0 %	0.1 %
20042005	7,870	1.4 %	537.3	0.7 %	2,017	25.6 %	-4.3 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

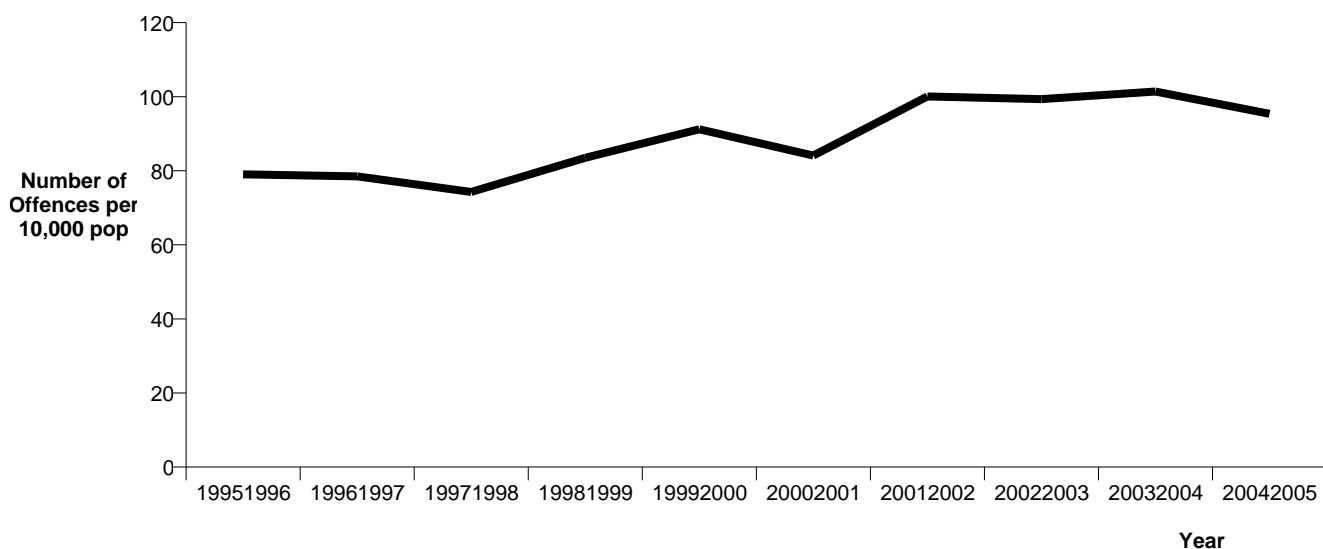


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PROPERTY DAMAGE

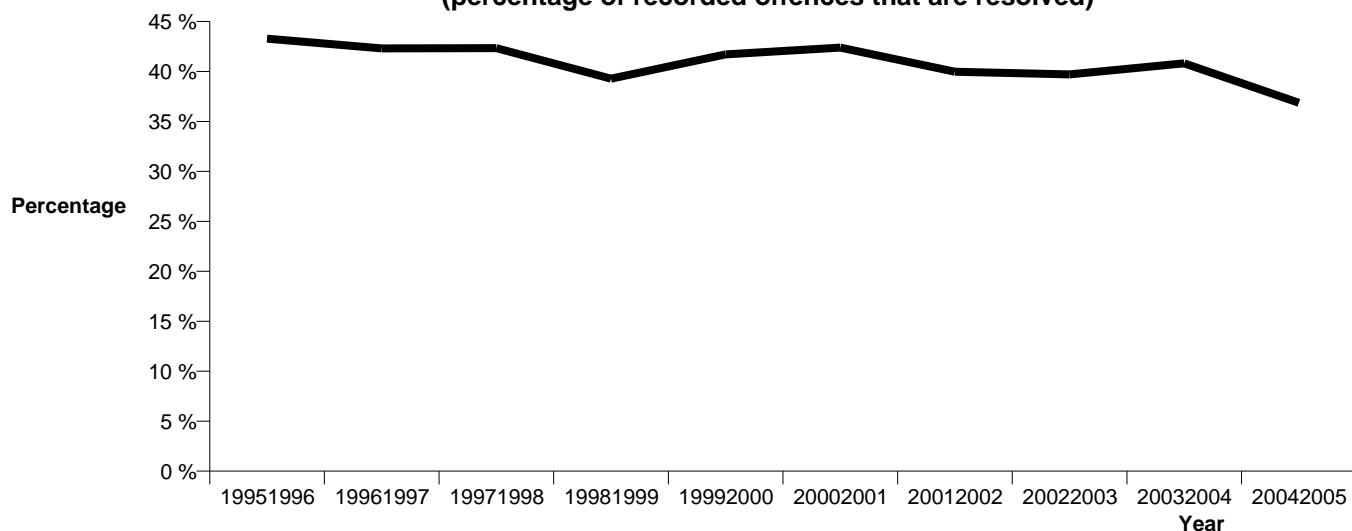
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	1,095		79.0		474	43.3 %	
19961997	1,099	0.4 %	78.5	-0.7 %	465	42.3 %	-1.0 %
19971998	1,051	-4.4 %	74.3	-5.4 %	445	42.3 %	0.0 %
19981999	1,189	13.1 %	83.5	12.4 %	467	39.3 %	-3.1 %
19992000	1,302	9.5 %	91.2	9.3 %	543	41.7 %	2.4 %
20002001	1,203	-7.6 %	84.1	-7.8 %	510	42.4 %	0.7 %
20012002	1,431	19.0 %	100.1	19.0 %	572	40.0 %	-2.4 %
20022003	1,433	0.1 %	99.4	-0.7 %	569	39.7 %	-0.3 %
20032004	1,475	2.9 %	101.4	2.1 %	602	40.8 %	1.1 %
20042005	1,397	-5.3 %	95.4	-6.0 %	515	36.9 %	-3.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

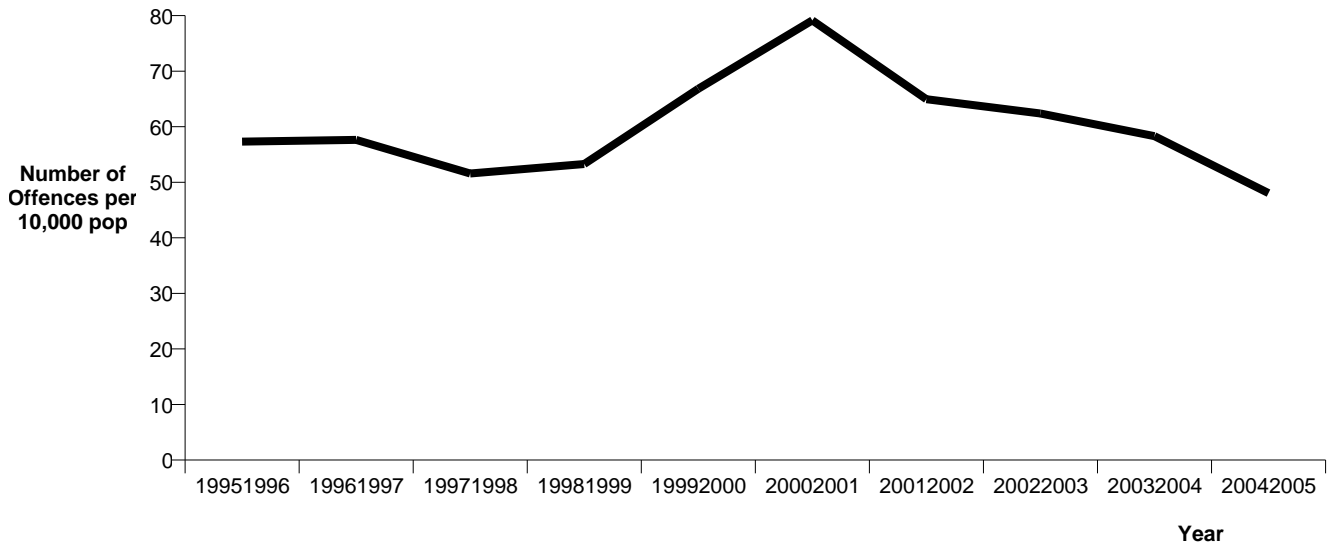


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PROPERTY ABUSE

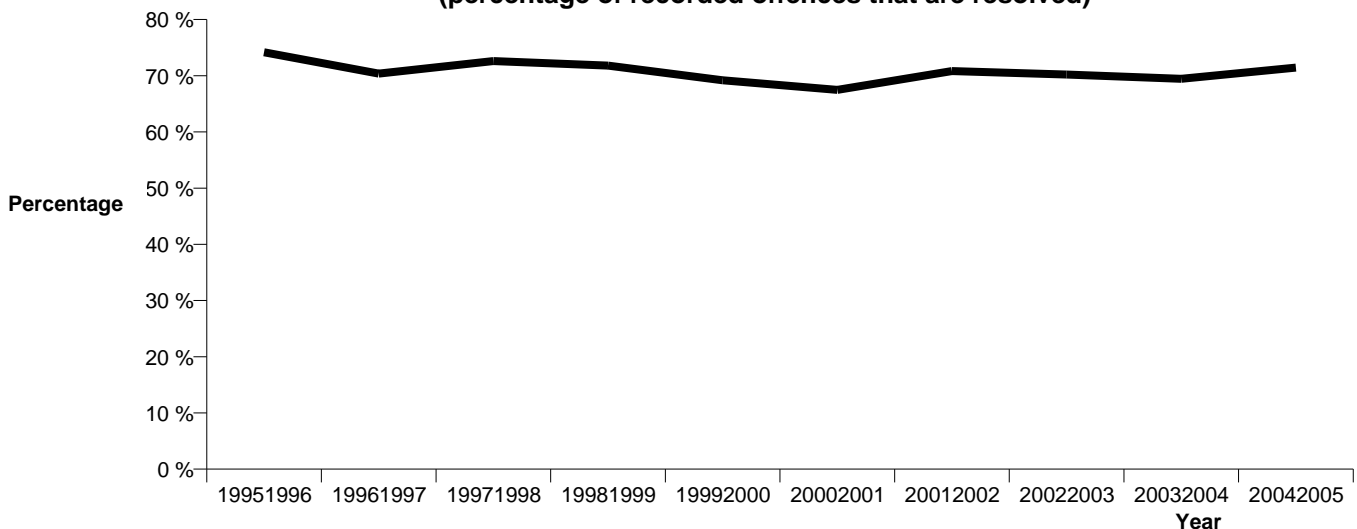
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	794		57.3		589	74.2 %	
19961997	807	1.6 %	57.6	0.6 %	568	70.4 %	-3.8 %
19971998	730	-9.5 %	51.6	-10.5 %	530	72.6 %	2.2 %
19981999	759	4.0 %	53.3	3.3 %	545	71.8 %	-0.8 %
19992000	954	25.7 %	66.8	25.4 %	660	69.2 %	-2.6 %
20002001	1,132	18.7 %	79.1	18.4 %	764	67.5 %	-1.7 %
20012002	929	-17.9 %	65.0	-17.9 %	658	70.8 %	3.3 %
20022003	900	-3.1 %	62.4	-3.9 %	632	70.2 %	-0.6 %
20032004	848	-5.8 %	58.3	-6.6 %	589	69.5 %	-0.8 %
20042005	704	-17.0 %	48.1	-17.6 %	503	71.4 %	2.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

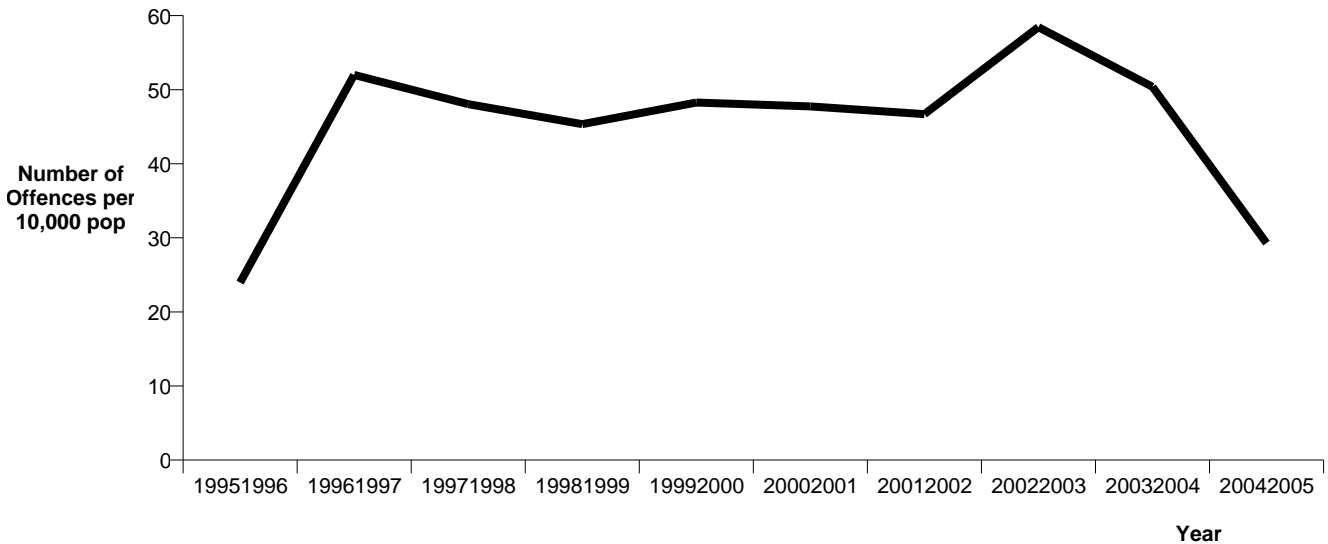


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ADMINISTRATIVE

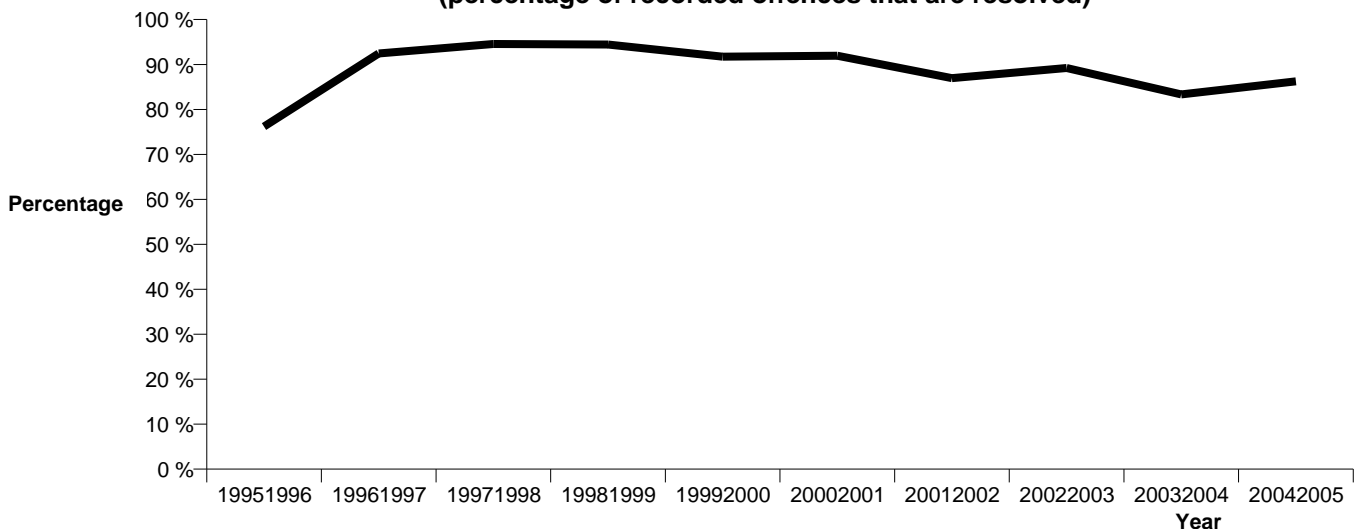
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	332		24.0		253	76.2 %	
19961997	728	119.3 %	52.0	117.0 %	673	92.4 %	16.2 %
19971998	680	-6.6 %	48.1	-7.6 %	643	94.6 %	2.1 %
19981999	646	-5.0 %	45.4	-5.6 %	610	94.4 %	-0.1 %
19992000	689	6.7 %	48.3	6.4 %	632	91.7 %	-2.7 %
20002001	683	-0.9 %	47.7	-1.1 %	628	91.9 %	0.2 %
20012002	668	-2.2 %	46.7	-2.2 %	581	87.0 %	-5.0 %
20022003	843	26.2 %	58.4	25.1 %	752	89.2 %	2.2 %
20032004	733	-13.0 %	50.4	-13.8 %	611	83.4 %	-5.8 %
20042005	429	-41.5 %	29.3	-41.9 %	370	86.2 %	2.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



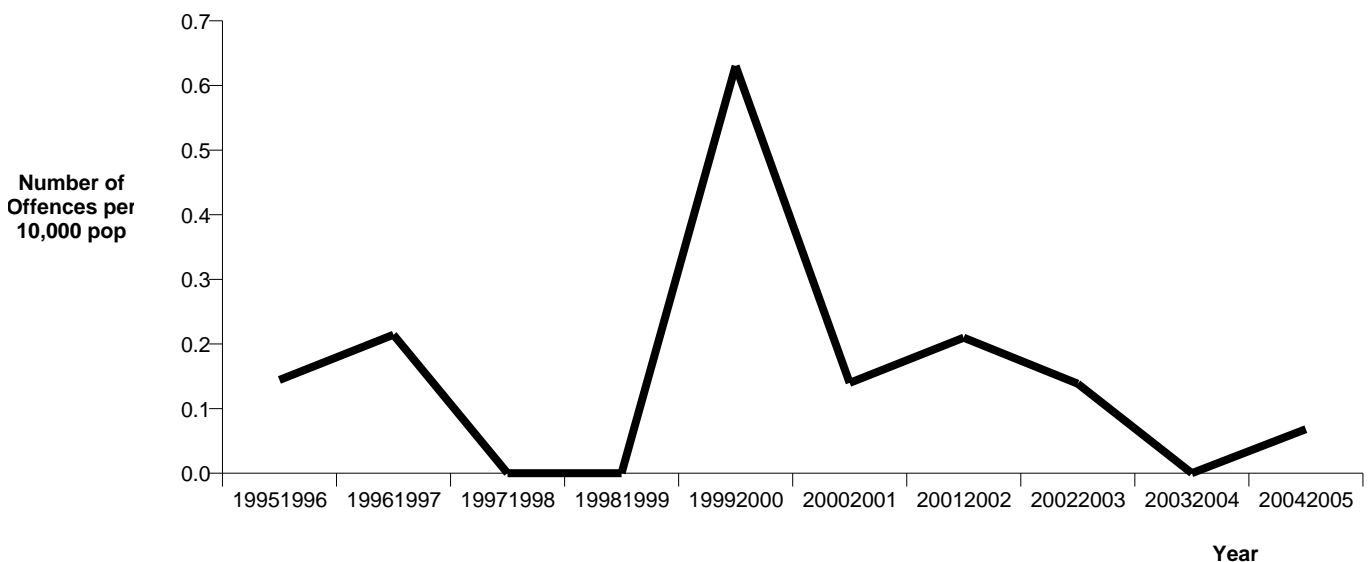
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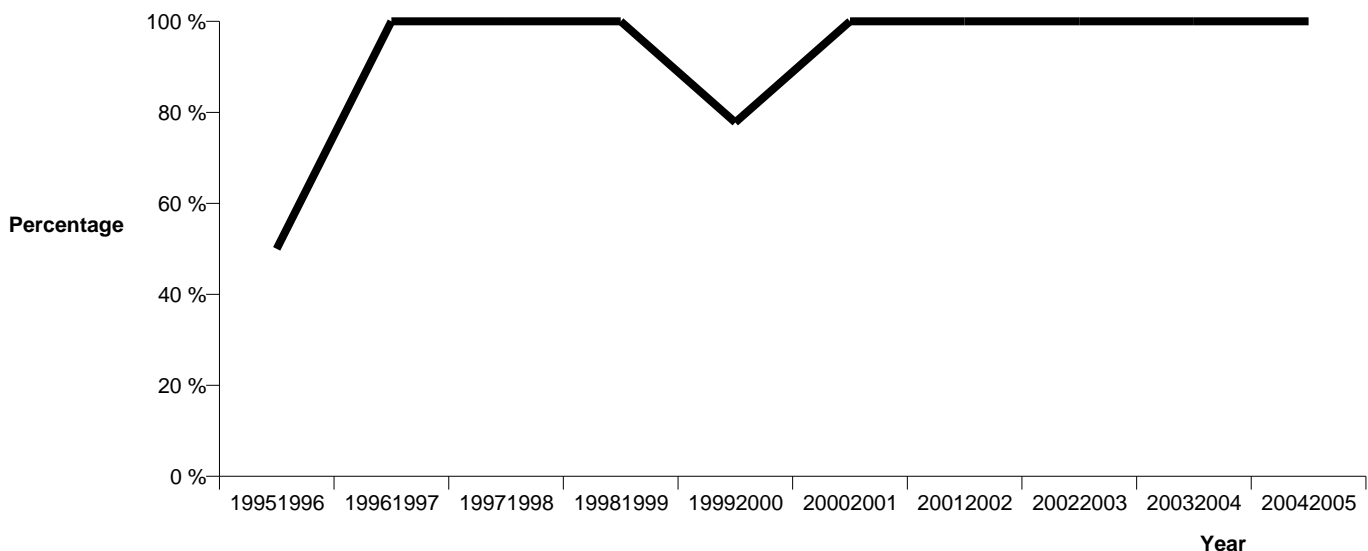
MURDER*

Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	2		0.1		1	50.0 %	
19961997	3	50.0 %	0.2	48.4 %	3	100.0 %	50.0 %
19971998	0	-100.0 %	0.0	-100.0 %	0	100.0 %	0.0 %
19981999	0		0.0		0	100.0 %	0.0 %
19992000	9		0.6		7	77.8 %	-22.2 %
20002001	2	-77.8 %	0.1	-77.8 %	2	100.0 %	22.2 %
20012002	3	50.0 %	0.2	50.0 %	3	100.0 %	0.0 %
20022003	2	-33.3 %	0.1	-33.9 %	2	100.0 %	0.0 %
20032004	0	-100.0 %	0.0	-100.0 %	0	100.0 %	0.0 %
20042005	1		0.1		1	100.0 %	0.0 %

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

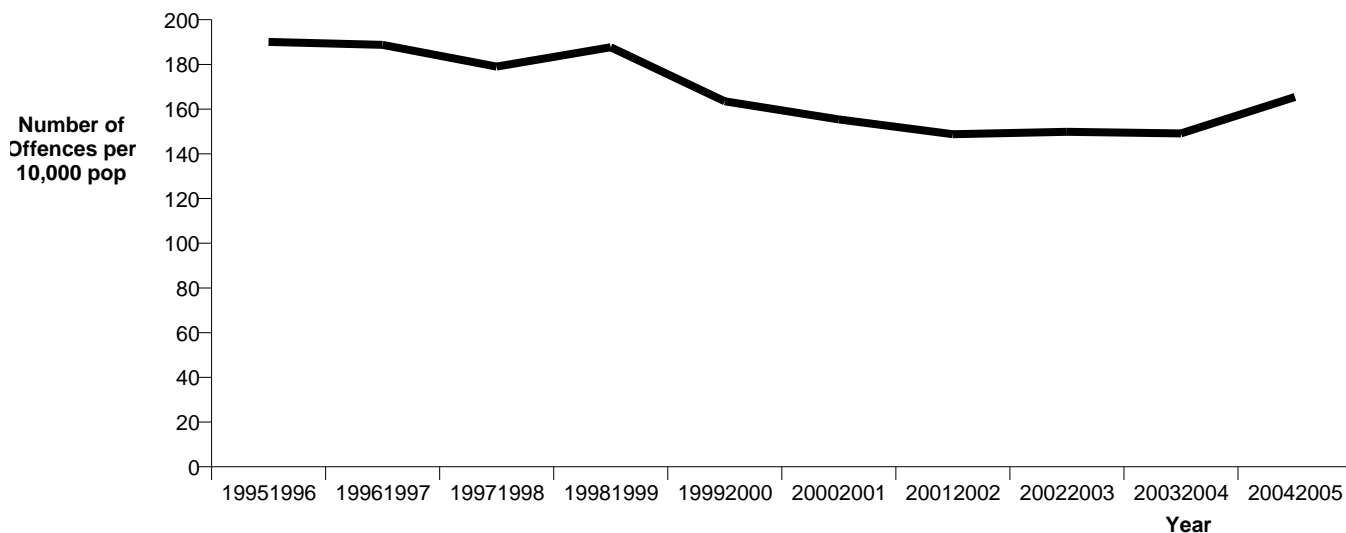
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Years ending 30 June

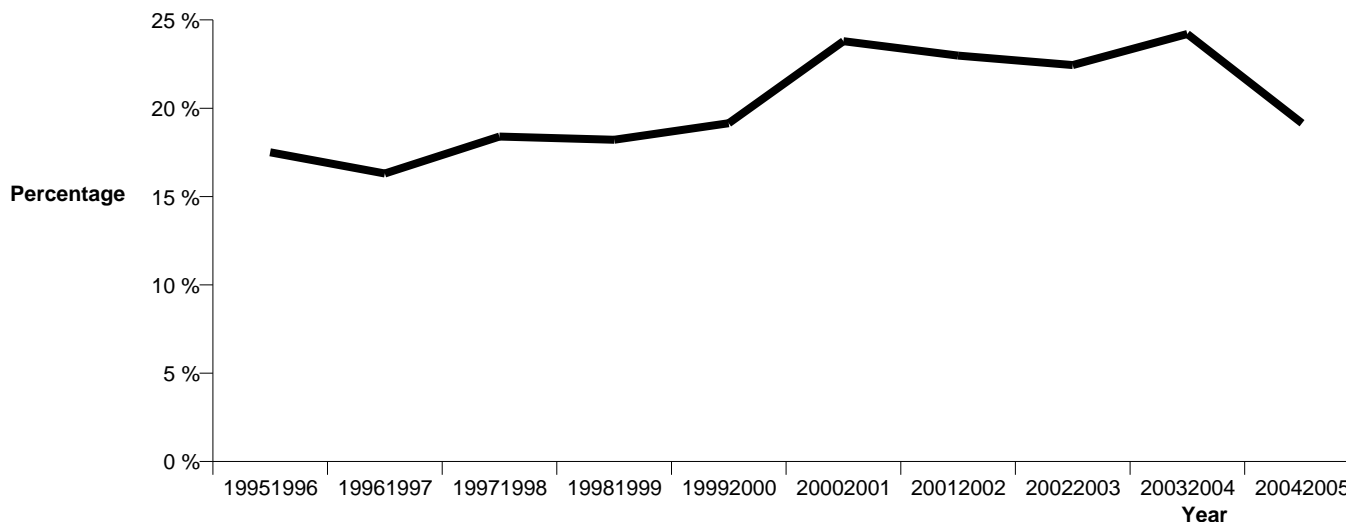
BURGLARY

Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	2,633		190.1		461	17.5 %	
19961997	2,643	0.4 %	188.8	-0.7 %	431	16.3 %	-1.2 %
19971998	2,533	-4.2 %	179.0	-5.2 %	466	18.4 %	2.1 %
19981999	2,673	5.5 %	187.7	4.8 %	487	18.2 %	-0.2 %
19992000	2,334	-12.7 %	163.5	-12.9 %	447	19.2 %	0.9 %
20002001	2,223	-4.8 %	155.4	-4.9 %	529	23.8 %	4.6 %
20012002	2,128	-4.3 %	148.8	-4.3 %	489	23.0 %	-0.8 %
20022003	2,161	1.6 %	149.8	0.7 %	485	22.4 %	-0.5 %
20032004	2,169	0.4 %	149.1	-0.5 %	525	24.2 %	1.8 %
20042005	2,423	11.7 %	165.4	10.9 %	464	19.1 %	-5.1 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



**Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)**



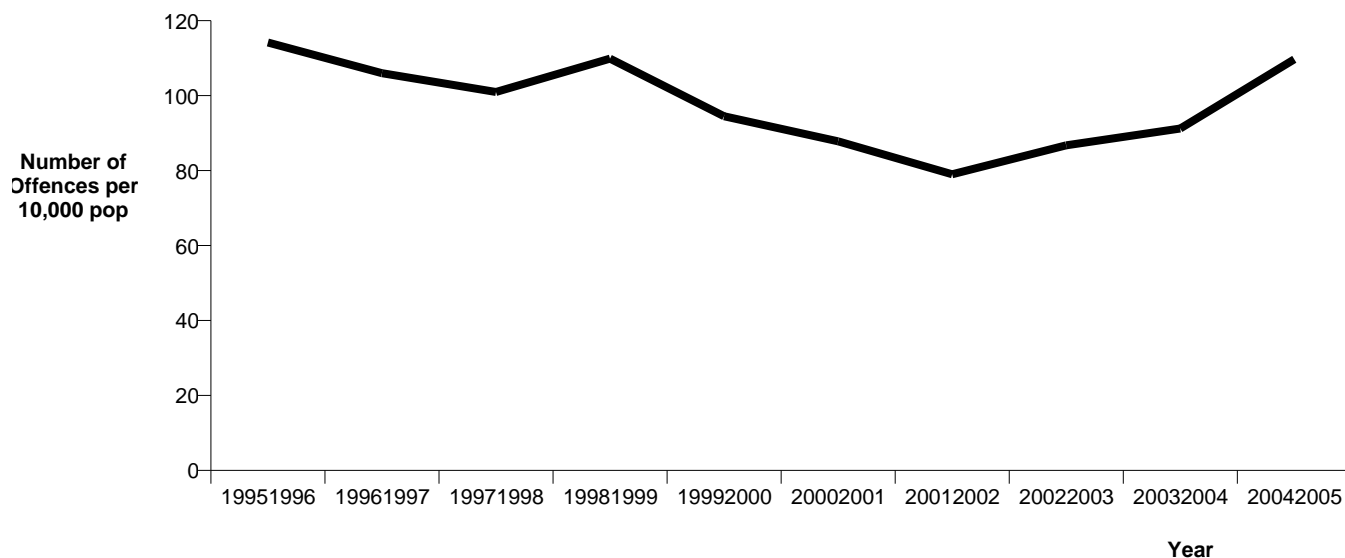
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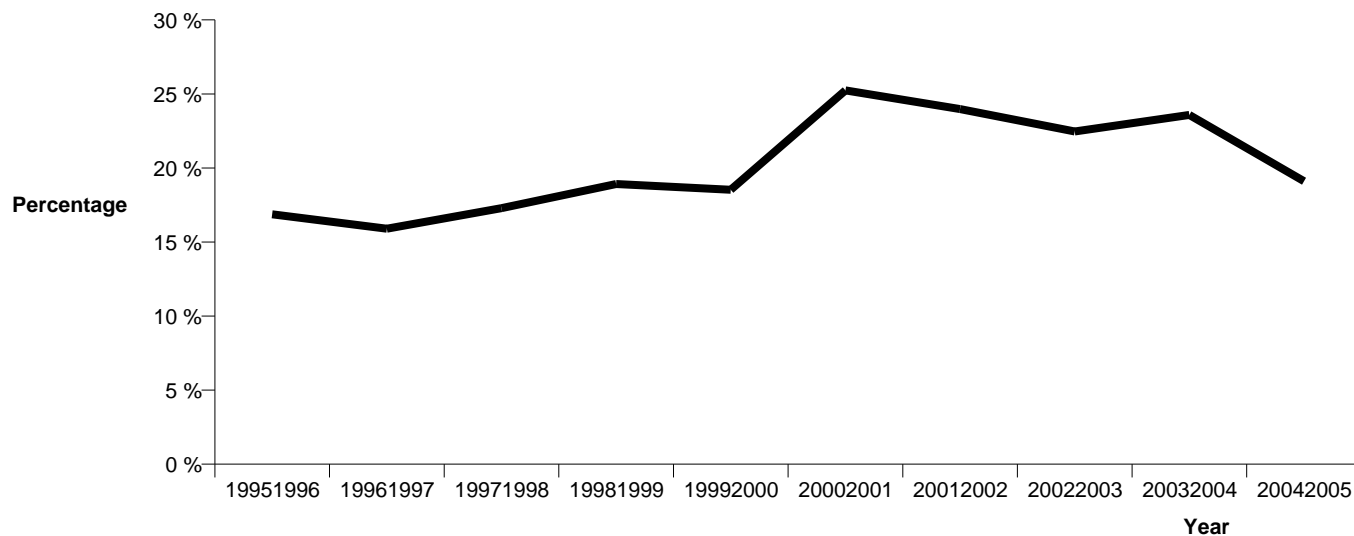
BURGLARY DWELLING

Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	1,582		114.2		267	16.9 %	
19961997	1,484	-6.2 %	106.0	-7.2 %	236	15.9 %	-1.0 %
19971998	1,429	-3.7 %	101.0	-4.7 %	247	17.3 %	1.4 %
19981999	1,565	9.5 %	109.9	8.8 %	296	18.9 %	1.6 %
19992000	1,349	-13.8 %	94.5	-14.0 %	250	18.5 %	-0.4 %
20002001	1,256	-6.9 %	87.8	-7.1 %	317	25.2 %	6.7 %
20012002	1,130	-10.0 %	79.0	-10.0 %	271	24.0 %	-1.3 %
20022003	1,251	10.7 %	86.7	9.8 %	281	22.5 %	-1.5 %
20032004	1,327	6.1 %	91.2	5.2 %	313	23.6 %	1.1 %
20042005	1,607	21.1 %	109.7	20.2 %	307	19.1 %	-4.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10.000 population



**Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)**



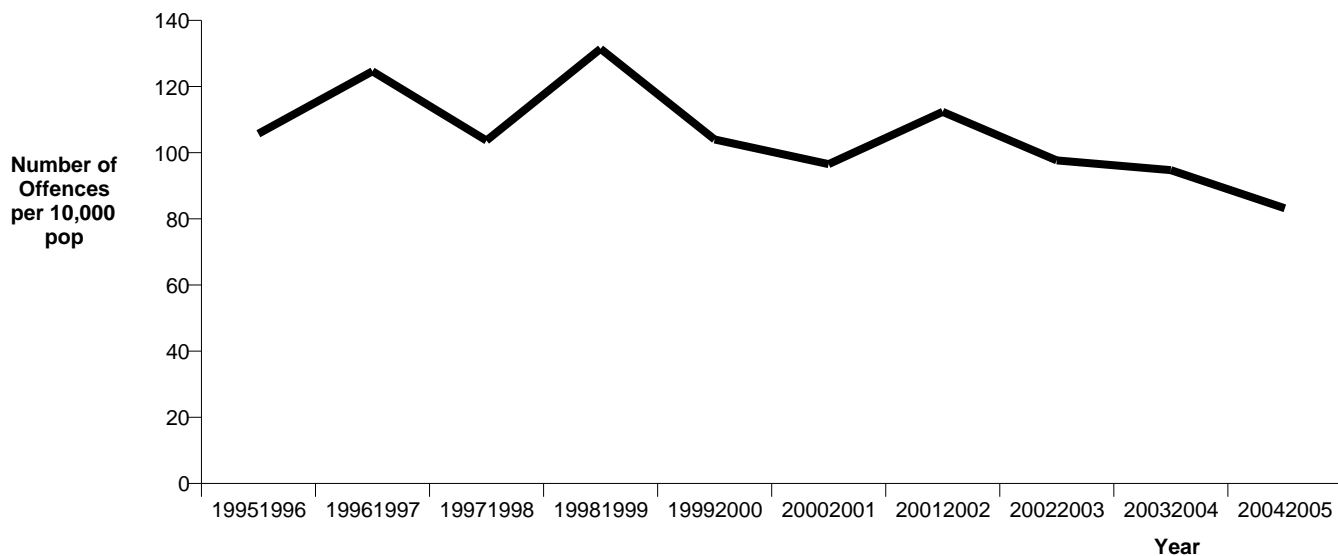
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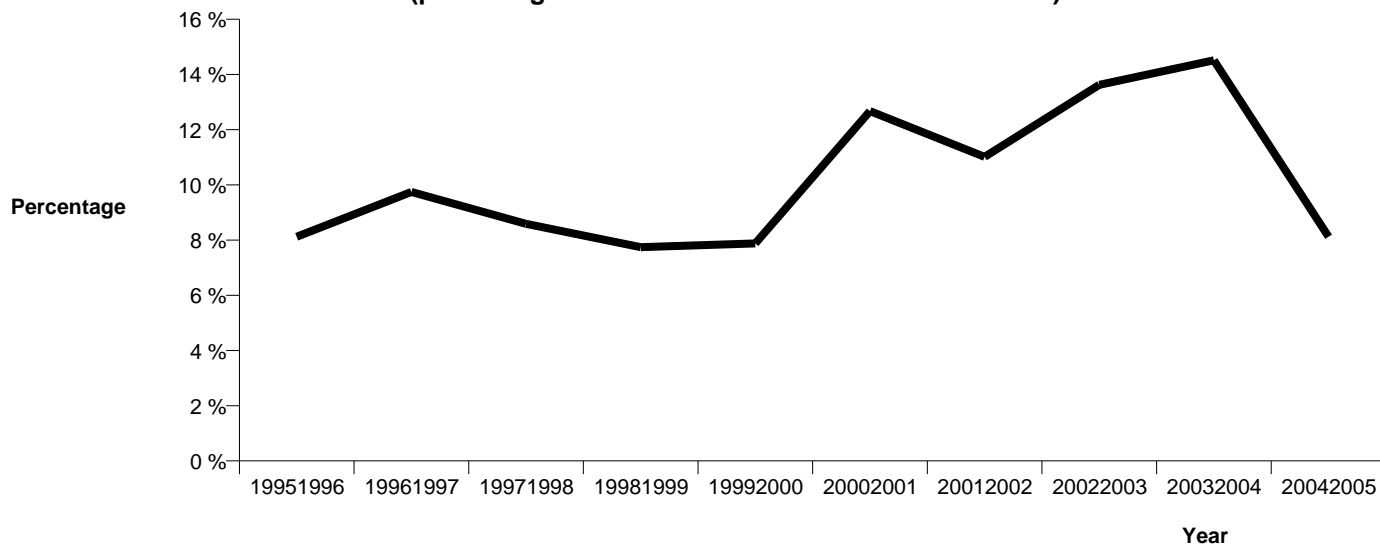
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Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
1995/1996	1,465		105.7		119	8.1 %	
1996/1997	1,745	19.1 %	124.6	17.9 %	170	9.7 %	1.6 %
1997/1998	1,467	-15.9 %	103.7	-16.8 %	126	8.6 %	-1.2 %
1998/1999	1,872	27.6 %	131.4	26.8 %	145	7.7 %	-0.8 %
1999/2000	1,485	-20.7 %	104.0	-20.9 %	117	7.9 %	0.1 %
2000/2001	1,381	-7.0 %	96.5	-7.2 %	175	12.7 %	4.8 %
2001/2002	1,607	16.4 %	112.4	16.4 %	177	11.0 %	-1.7 %
2002/2003	1,409	-12.3 %	97.7	-13.1 %	192	13.6 %	2.6 %
2003/2004	1,378	-2.2 %	94.7	-3.0 %	200	14.5 %	0.9 %
2004/2005	1,219	-11.5 %	83.2	-12.2 %	99	8.1 %	-6.4 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



**Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)**

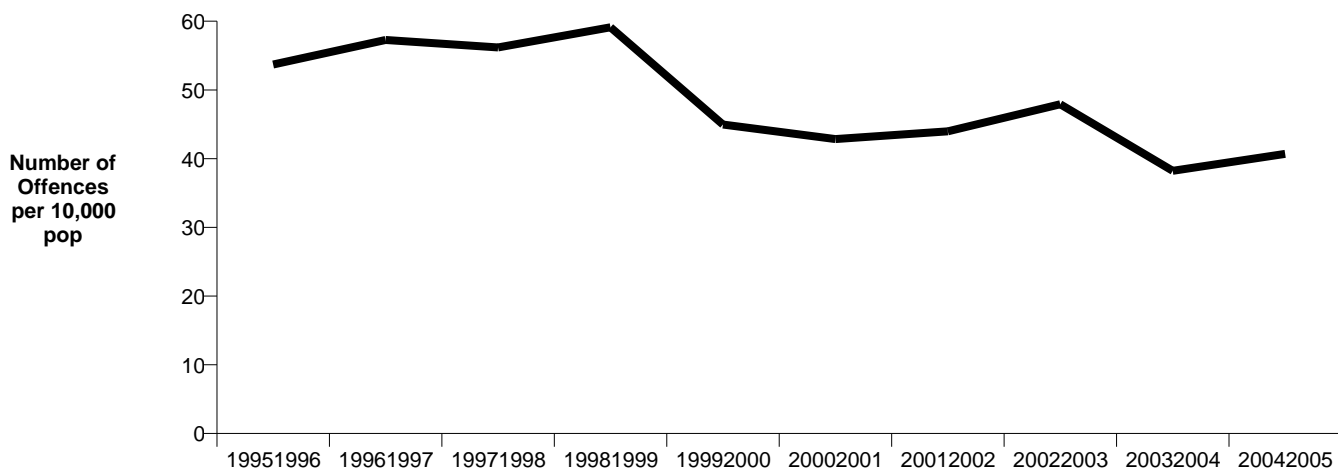


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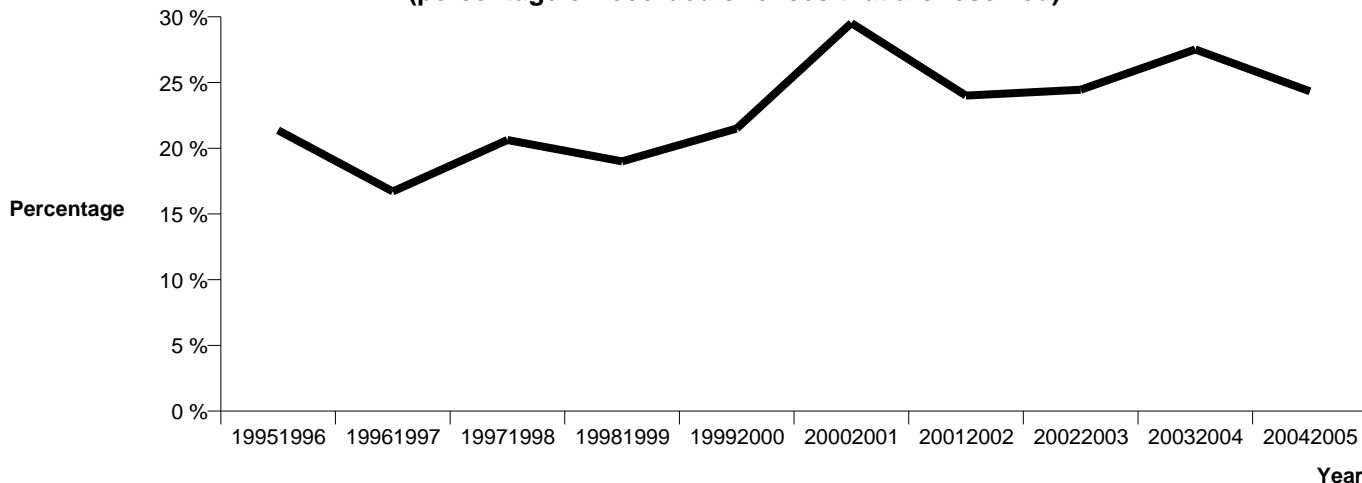
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19951996	744		53.7		159	21.4 %	
19961997	802	7.8 %	57.3	6.7 %	134	16.7 %	-4.7 %
19971998	795	-0.9 %	56.2	-1.9 %	164	20.6 %	3.9 %
19981999	842	5.9 %	59.1	5.2 %	160	19.0 %	-1.6 %
19992000	642	-23.8 %	45.0	-23.9 %	138	21.5 %	2.5 %
20002001	613	-4.5 %	42.9	-4.7 %	181	29.5 %	8.0 %
20012002	629	2.6 %	44.0	2.6 %	151	24.0 %	-5.5 %
20022003	691	9.9 %	47.9	8.9 %	169	24.5 %	0.5 %
20032004	556	-19.5 %	38.2	-20.2 %	153	27.5 %	3.1 %
20042005	596	7.2 %	40.7	6.4 %	145	24.3 %	-3.2 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



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
19951996	138,540
19961997	140,020
19971998	141,500
19981999	142,425
19992000	142,755
20002001	143,045
20012002	143,015
20022003	144,235
20032004	145,445
20042005	146,475