

**EASTERN DISTRICT  
CRIME STATISTICS  
2006/2007**



**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).

In June 2005 Police replaced the aging Law Enforcement System (LES) - a.k.a. the Wanganui computer - with a newer National Intelligence Application (NIA). This IT system migration is the largest crime-recording system change that has occurred since the introduction of the Wanganui computer in the late 1970s.

This system change caused a step-increase in recorded crime statistics, coincident with the system replacement. This step-increase varied in magnitude between different crime-types and Police Districts. Caution should therefore be observed when making inferences from these statistics about trends the incidence of crime in New Zealand.

Legislation changes during the 2006/2007 year have generally had negligible impact on recorded crime statistics.

However, the Crimes (Intimate Covert Filming) Amendment Act 2006 created new offences within the 'Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous' Class of Sexual offences during 2006/2007, making a small contribution to the increase within this Class.

When comparing 2006/2007 Statistics with previous years, the reader should also refer to "Report Notes" published in previous years' reports, as previous changes significantly affect year on year trends.

## SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05-05/06	Variance 05/06-06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Violence	Grievous Assaults	185	212	278	14.6 %	31.1 %	156	174	225	84.3 %	82.1 %	80.9 %
	Group Assemblies	12	20	14	66.7 %	-30.0 %	12	19	7	100.0 %	95.0 %	50.0 %
	Homicide	12	4	7	-66.7 %	75.0 %	9	4	7	75.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
	Intimidation And Threats	584	653	721	11.8 %	10.4 %	509	541	608	87.2 %	82.8 %	84.3 %
	Kidnapping And Abduction	9	8	13	-11.1 %	62.5 %	7	7	7	77.8 %	87.5 %	53.8 %
	Minor Assaults	952	860	881	-9.7 %	2.4 %	774	667	665	81.3 %	77.6 %	75.5 %
	Robbery	101	100	127	-1.0 %	27.0 %	44	40	48	43.6 %	40.0 %	37.8 %
	Serious Assaults	845	983	1,190	16.3 %	21.1 %	719	814	972	85.1 %	82.8 %	81.7 %
<b>Total:</b>		<b>2,700</b>	<b>2,840</b>	<b>3,231</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>13.8 %</b>	<b>2,230</b>	<b>2,266</b>	<b>2,539</b>	<b>82.6 %</b>	<b>79.8 %</b>	<b>78.6 %</b>

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05-05/06	Variance 05/06-06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	1	2		100.0 %	-100.0 %	0	1		0.0 %	50.0 %	
	Immoral Behaviour	22	15	11	-31.8 %	-26.7 %	19	8	8	86.4 %	53.3 %	72.7 %
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	4	3	4	-25.0 %	33.3 %	2	0	1	50.0 %	0.0 %	25.0 %
	Sexual Affronts	25	28	25	12.0 %	-10.7 %	9	18	21	36.0 %	64.3 %	84.0 %
	Sexual Attacks	135	185	124	37.0 %	-33.0 %	74	102	61	54.8 %	55.1 %	49.2 %
<b>Total:</b>		<b>187</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>24.6 %</b>	<b>-29.6 %</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>55.6 %</b>	<b>55.4 %</b>	<b>55.5 %</b>

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05-05/06	Variance 05/06-06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	1,390	1,520	1,695	9.4 %	11.5 %	1,303	1,395	1,550	93.7 %	91.8 %	91.4 %
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	1,032	1,013	1,079	-1.8 %	6.5 %	929	912	1,001	90.0 %	90.0 %	92.8 %
	Drugs (New Drugs)	56	73	76	30.4 %	4.1 %	51	67	72	91.1 %	91.8 %	94.7 %
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	45	43	50	-4.4 %	16.3 %	40	40	46	88.9 %	93.0 %	92.0 %
	Family Offences	36	23	28	-36.1 %	21.7 %	33	19	24	91.7 %	82.6 %	85.7 %
	Family Offences Continued	321	345	343	7.5 %	-0.6 %	271	304	291	84.4 %	88.1 %	84.8 %
	Gaming	1			-100.0 %		1			100.0 %		
	Sale Of Liquor Act	258	678	1,000	162.8 %	47.5 %	251	672	993	97.3 %	99.1 %	99.3 %
	Vagrancy Offences	3	8	2	166.7 %	-75.0 %	3	7	2	100.0 %	87.5 %	100.0 %
<b>Total:</b>		<b>3,142</b>	<b>3,703</b>	<b>4,273</b>	<b>17.9 %</b>	<b>15.4 %</b>	<b>2,882</b>	<b>3,416</b>	<b>3,979</b>	<b>91.7 %</b>	<b>92.2 %</b>	<b>93.1 %</b>

## SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05-05/06	Variance 05/06-06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Dishonesty	Burglary	2,774	3,337	3,111	20.3 %	-6.8 %	535	798	591	19.3 %	23.9 %	19.0 %
	Car Conversion Etc	1,855	1,850	1,643	-0.3 %	-11.2 %	396	463	410	21.3 %	25.0 %	25.0 %
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	12	9	12	-25.0 %	33.3 %	3	3	7	25.0 %	33.3 %	58.3 %
	Fraud	410	483	379	17.8 %	-21.5 %	224	279	223	54.6 %	57.8 %	58.8 %
	Receiving	128	149	182	16.4 %	22.1 %	125	137	172	97.7 %	91.9 %	94.5 %
	Theft	6,534	7,213	6,183	10.4 %	-14.3 %	1,866	2,046	1,667	28.6 %	28.4 %	27.0 %
<b>Total:</b>		<b>11,713</b>	<b>13,041</b>	<b>11,510</b>	<b>11.3 %</b>	<b>-11.7 %</b>	<b>3,149</b>	<b>3,726</b>	<b>3,070</b>	<b>26.9 %</b>	<b>28.6 %</b>	<b>26.7 %</b>
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	2,472	3,116	3,650	26.1 %	17.1 %	729	947	988	29.5 %	30.4 %	27.1 %
	Endangering	11	4	10	-63.6 %	150.0 %	6	2	8	54.5 %	50.0 %	80.0 %
	<b>Total:</b>	<b>2,483</b>	<b>3,120</b>	<b>3,660</b>	<b>25.7 %</b>	<b>17.3 %</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>996</b>	<b>29.6 %</b>	<b>30.4 %</b>	<b>27.2 %</b>
Property Abuse	Animals	41	32	30	-22.0 %	-6.3 %	25	23	18	61.0 %	71.9 %	60.0 %
	Arms Act Offences	145	189	212	30.3 %	12.2 %	123	162	160	84.8 %	85.7 %	75.5 %
	Littering	8	15	18	87.5 %	20.0 %	4	7	13	50.0 %	46.7 %	72.2 %
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	270	238	203	-11.9 %	-14.7 %	138	134	98	51.1 %	56.3 %	48.3 %
	Trespass	655	650	680	-0.8 %	4.6 %	490	470	503	74.8 %	72.3 %	74.0 %
	<b>Total:</b>		<b>1,119</b>	<b>1,124</b>	<b>1,143</b>	<b>0.4 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>69.7 %</b>	<b>70.8 %</b>
Administrative	Against Justice	545	366	363	-32.8 %	-0.8 %	506	342	327	92.8 %	93.4 %	90.1 %
	Against National Interest		1			-100.0 %		1			100.0 %	
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	2	2		0.0 %	-100.0 %	1	0		50.0 %	0.0 %	
	By Law Breaches	18	22	17	22.2 %	-22.7 %	7	10	7	38.9 %	45.5 %	41.2 %
	Immigration	2	8	1	300.0 %	-87.5 %	2	7	0	100.0 %	87.5 %	0.0 %
	Justice (Special)	1	2	4	100.0 %	100.0 %	1	2	3	100.0 %	100.0 %	75.0 %
	<b>Total:</b>		<b>568</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>-29.4 %</b>	<b>-4.0 %</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>91.0 %</b>	<b>90.3 %</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>21,912</b>	<b>24,462</b>	<b>24,366</b>	<b>11.6 %</b>	<b>-0.4 %</b>	<b>10,397</b>	<b>11,644</b>	<b>11,804</b>	<b>47.4 %</b>	<b>47.6 %</b>	<b>48.4 %</b>

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

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Variance 03/04 to 04/05</b>	<b>Percent Variance 04/05 to 05/06</b>
Gisborne	1,212.6	1,301.0	1,350.1	7.3 %	3.8 %
Hastings	1,010.5	1,128.1	1,124.1	11.6 %	-0.4 %
Napier	1,204.6	1,388.6	1,333.7	15.3 %	-4.0 %
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,128.4</b>	<b>1,259.5</b>	<b>1,253.1</b>	<b>11.6 %</b>	<b>-0.5 %</b>

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

<b>Offence Category</b>	<b>Offence Class</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007</b>
Violence	Grievous Assaults	9.5	10.9	14.3
	Group Assemblies	0.6	1.0	0.7
	Homicide	0.6	0.2	0.4
	Intimidation And Threats	30.1	33.6	37.1
	Kidnapping And Abduction	0.5	0.4	0.7
	Minor Assaults	49.0	44.3	45.3
	Robbery	5.2	5.1	6.5
	Serious Assaults	43.5	50.6	61.2
<b>Violence</b>		<b>139.0</b>	<b>146.2</b>	<b>166.2</b>

<b>Offence Category</b>	<b>Offence Class</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007</b>
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	0.1	0.1	
	Immoral Behaviour	1.1	0.8	0.6
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	0.2	0.2	0.2
	Sexual Affronts	1.3	1.4	1.3
	Sexual Attacks	7.0	9.5	6.4
<b>Sexual</b>		<b>9.6</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>8.4</b>

<b>Offence Category</b>	<b>Offence Class</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007</b>
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	71.6	78.3	87.2
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	53.1	52.2	55.5
	Drugs (New Drugs)	2.9	3.8	3.9
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	2.3	2.2	2.6
	Family Offences	1.9	1.2	1.4
	Family Offences Continued	16.5	17.8	17.6
	Gaming	0.1		
	Sale Of Liquor Act	13.3	34.9	51.4
	Vagrancy Offences	0.2	0.4	0.1
<b>Drugs &amp; AntiSocial</b>		<b>161.8</b>	<b>190.7</b>	<b>219.8</b>

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

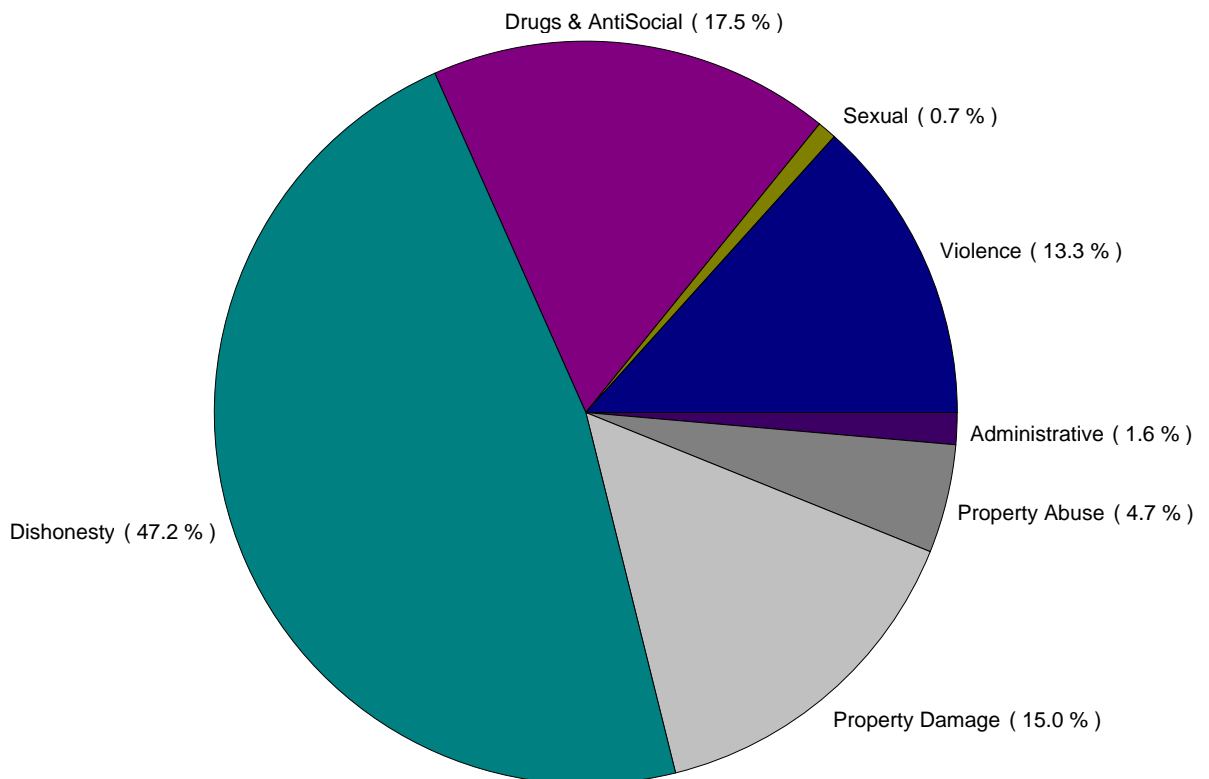
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Dishonesty	Burglary	142.9	171.8	160.0
	Car Conversion Etc	95.5	95.3	84.5
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	0.6	0.5	0.6
	Fraud	21.1	24.9	19.5
	Receiving	6.6	7.7	9.4
	Theft	336.5	371.4	318.0
<b>Dishonesty</b>		<b>603.2</b>	<b>671.4</b>	<b>592.0</b>
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	127.3	160.4	187.7
	Endangering	0.6	0.2	0.5
<b>Property Damage</b>		<b>127.9</b>	<b>160.6</b>	<b>188.2</b>
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Property Abuse	Animals	2.1	1.6	1.5
	Arms Act Offences	7.5	9.7	10.9
	Littering	0.4	0.8	0.9
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	13.9	12.3	10.4
	Trespass	33.7	33.5	35.0
<b>Property Abuse</b>		<b>57.6</b>	<b>57.9</b>	<b>58.8</b>
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Administrative	Against Justice	28.1	18.8	18.7
	Against National Interest		0.1	
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	0.1	0.1	
	By Law Breaches	0.9	1.1	0.9
	Immigration	0.1	0.4	0.1
	Justice (Special)	0.1	0.1	0.2
<b>Administrative</b>		<b>29.3</b>	<b>20.6</b>	<b>19.8</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1,128.4</b>	<b>1,259.5</b>	<b>1,253.1</b>

## PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Proportions Recorded 2004/2005	Recorded 2004/2005	Proportions Recorded 2005/2006	Recorded 2005/2006	Proportions Recorded 2006/2007	Recorded 2006/2007
Violence	12.3 %	2,700	11.6 %	2,840	13.3 %	3,231
Sexual	0.9 %	187	1.0 %	233	0.7 %	164
Drugs & AntiSocial	14.3 %	3,142	15.1 %	3,703	17.5 %	4,273
Dishonesty	53.5 %	11,713	53.3 %	13,041	47.2 %	11,510
Property Damage	11.3 %	2,483	12.8 %	3,120	15.0 %	3,660
Property Abuse	5.1 %	1,119	4.6 %	1,124	4.7 %	1,143
Administrative	2.6 %	568	1.6 %	401	1.6 %	385
<b>Total:</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>21,912</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>24,462</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>24,366</b>

### TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2006/2007 (ending 30 June)



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

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	6,460	6,885	7,096	6.6 %	3.1 %	3,229	3,587	3,611	50.0 %	52.1 %	50.9 %
Hastings	7,922	8,854	8,860	11.8 %	0.1 %	3,742	4,220	4,348	47.2 %	47.7 %	49.1 %
Napier	7,530	8,723	8,410	15.8 %	-3.6 %	3,426	3,837	3,845	45.5 %	44.0 %	45.7 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>21,912</b>	<b>24,462</b>	<b>24,366</b>	<b>11.6 %</b>	<b>-0.4 %</b>	<b>10,397</b>	<b>11,644</b>	<b>11,804</b>	<b>47.4 %</b>	<b>47.6 %</b>	<b>48.4 %</b>

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

**VIOLENCE**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	786	894	1,028	13.7 %	15.0 %	681	781	855	86.6 %	87.4 %	83.2 %
Hastings	1,022	1,046	1,157	2.3 %	10.6 %	849	863	913	83.1 %	82.5 %	78.9 %
Napier	892	900	1,046	0.9 %	16.2 %	700	622	771	78.5 %	69.1 %	73.7 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>2,700</b>	<b>2,840</b>	<b>3,231</b>	<b>5.2 %</b>	<b>13.8 %</b>	<b>2,230</b>	<b>2,266</b>	<b>2,539</b>	<b>82.6 %</b>	<b>79.8 %</b>	<b>78.6 %</b>

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

**SEXUAL**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	59	56	56	-5.1 %	0.0 %	36	25	36	61.0 %	44.6 %	64.3 %
Hastings	83	103	65	24.1 %	-36.9 %	44	62	31	53.0 %	60.2 %	47.7 %
Napier	45	74	43	64.4 %	-41.9 %	24	42	24	53.3 %	56.8 %	55.8 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>24.6 %</b>	<b>-29.6 %</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>55.6 %</b>	<b>55.4 %</b>	<b>55.5 %</b>

**SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA**

years ending 30 June

**DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	1,111	1,243	1,324	11.9 %	6.5 %	1,008	1,130	1,219	90.7 %	90.9 %	92.1 %
Hastings	929	1,351	1,717	45.4 %	27.1 %	846	1,291	1,619	91.1 %	95.6 %	94.3 %
Napier	1,102	1,109	1,232	0.6 %	11.1 %	1,028	995	1,141	93.3 %	89.7 %	92.6 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>3,142</b>	<b>3,703</b>	<b>4,273</b>	<b>17.9 %</b>	<b>15.4 %</b>	<b>2,882</b>	<b>3,416</b>	<b>3,979</b>	<b>91.7 %</b>	<b>92.2 %</b>	<b>93.1 %</b>

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

**DISHONESTY**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	3,294	3,323	3,039	0.9 %	-8.5 %	860	939	793	26.1 %	28.3 %	26.1 %
Hastings	4,284	4,677	4,252	9.2 %	-9.1 %	1,230	1,242	1,014	28.7 %	26.6 %	23.8 %
Napier	4,135	5,041	4,219	21.9 %	-16.3 %	1,059	1,545	1,263	25.6 %	30.6 %	29.9 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>11,713</b>	<b>13,041</b>	<b>11,510</b>	<b>11.3 %</b>	<b>-11.7 %</b>	<b>3,149</b>	<b>3,726</b>	<b>3,070</b>	<b>26.9 %</b>	<b>28.6 %</b>	<b>26.7 %</b>

**SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA**

years ending 30 June

**PROPERTY DAMAGE**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	725	854	1,162	17.8 %	36.1 %	248	279	312	34.2 %	32.7 %	26.9 %
Hastings	925	1,076	1,047	16.3 %	-2.7 %	281	321	328	30.4 %	29.8 %	31.3 %
Napier	833	1,190	1,451	42.9 %	21.9 %	206	349	356	24.7 %	29.3 %	24.5 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>2,483</b>	<b>3,120</b>	<b>3,660</b>	<b>25.7 %</b>	<b>17.3 %</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>949</b>	<b>996</b>	<b>29.6 %</b>	<b>30.4 %</b>	<b>27.2 %</b>

**SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA**

years ending 30 June

**PROPERTY ABUSE**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	287	349	359	21.6 %	2.9 %	215	274	273	74.9 %	78.5 %	76.0 %
Hastings	460	433	423	-5.9 %	-2.3 %	297	296	280	64.6 %	68.4 %	66.2 %
Napier	372	342	361	-8.1 %	5.6 %	268	226	239	72.0 %	66.1 %	66.2 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>1,119</b>	<b>1,124</b>	<b>1,143</b>	<b>0.4 %</b>	<b>1.7 %</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>69.7 %</b>	<b>70.8 %</b>	<b>69.3 %</b>

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

**ADMINISTRATIVE**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 20042005</b>	<b>Recorded 20052006</b>	<b>Recorded 20062007</b>	<b>Variance 04/05- 05/06</b>	<b>Variance 05/06- 06/07</b>	<b>Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Resolved 20062007</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20042005</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20052006</b>	<b>Percent Resolved 20062007</b>
Gisborne	198	166	128	-16.2 %	-22.9 %	181	159	123	91.4 %	95.8 %	96.1 %
Hastings	219	168	199	-23.3 %	18.5 %	195	145	163	89.0 %	86.3 %	81.9 %
Napier	151	67	58	-55.6 %	-13.4 %	141	58	51	93.4 %	86.6 %	87.9 %
<b>Total:</b>	<b>568</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>385</b>	<b>-29.4 %</b>	<b>-4.0 %</b>	<b>517</b>	<b>362</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>91.0 %</b>	<b>90.3 %</b>	<b>87.5 %</b>

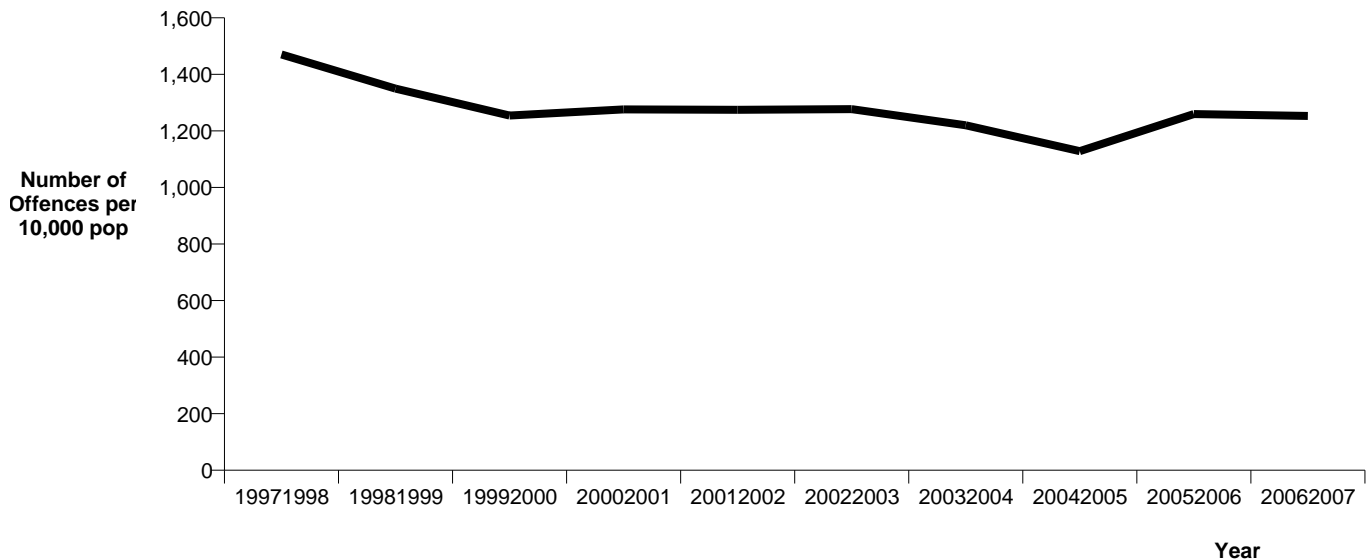
# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

Years ending 30 June

## TOTAL CRIME

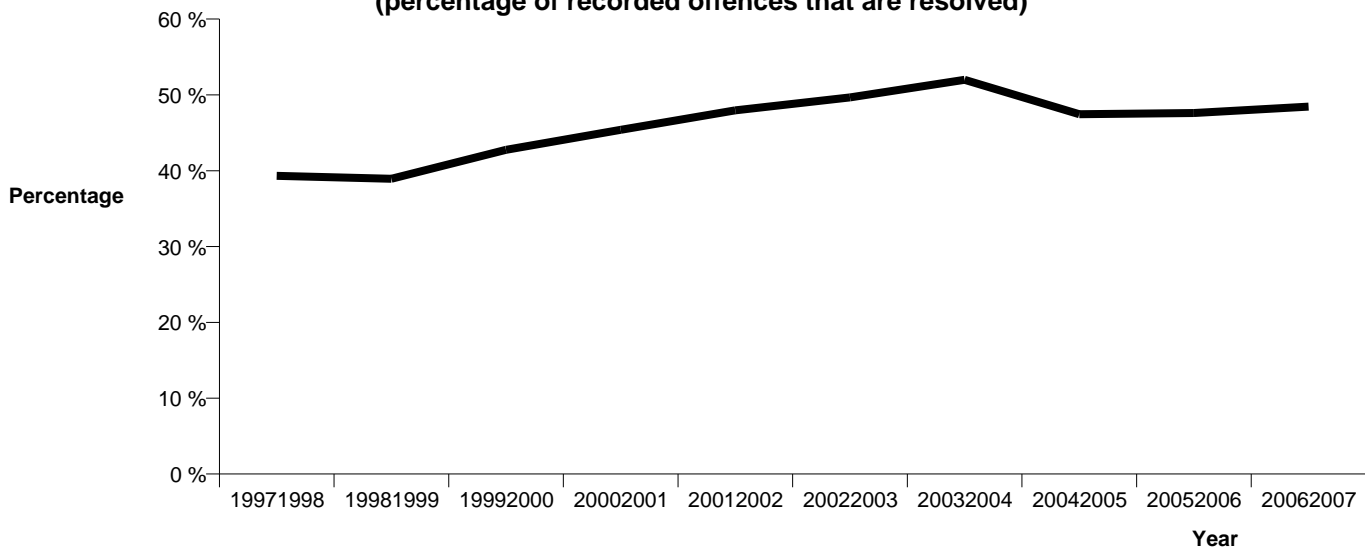
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	28,569		1,470.4		11,234	39.3 %	
19981999	26,189	-8.3 %	1,349.7	-8.2 %	10,196	38.9 %	-0.4 %
19992000	24,259	-7.4 %	1,254.5	-7.1 %	10,373	42.8 %	3.8 %
20002001	24,647	1.6 %	1,276.0	1.7 %	11,187	45.4 %	2.6 %
20012002	24,546	-0.4 %	1,274.8	-0.1 %	11,770	48.0 %	2.6 %
20022003	24,657	0.5 %	1,277.0	0.2 %	12,246	49.7 %	1.7 %
20032004	23,647	-4.1 %	1,220.0	-4.5 %	12,293	52.0 %	2.3 %
20042005	21,912	-7.3 %	1,128.4	-7.5 %	10,397	47.4 %	-4.5 %
20052006	24,462	11.6 %	1,259.5	11.6 %	11,644	47.6 %	0.2 %
20062007	24,366	-0.4 %	1,253.1	-0.5 %	11,804	48.4 %	0.8 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

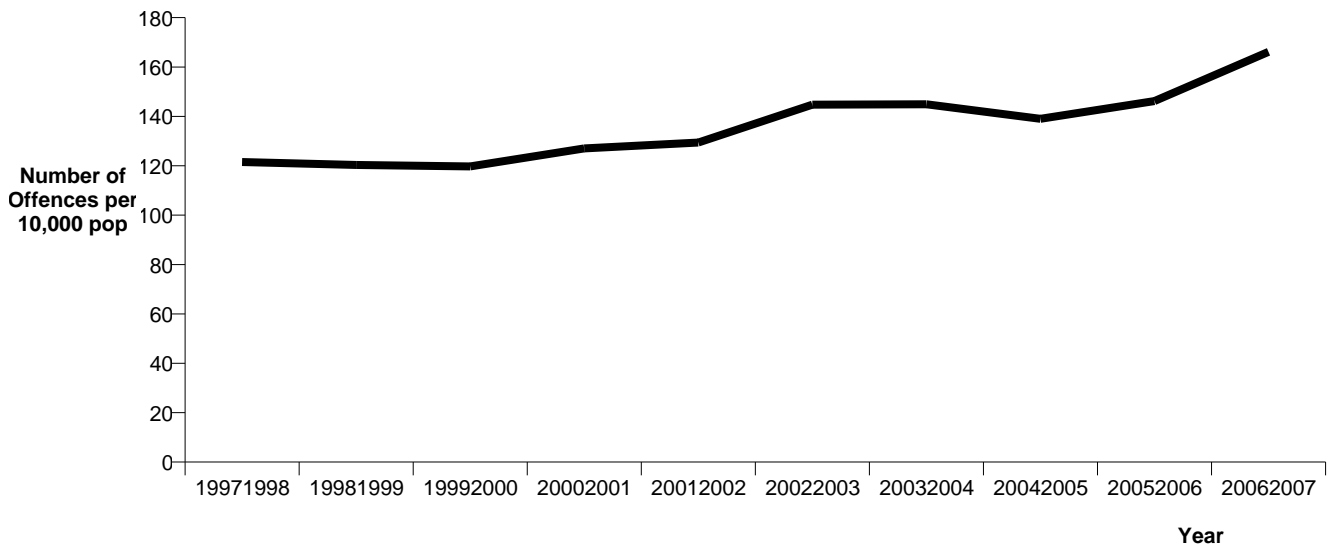


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**VIOLENCE**

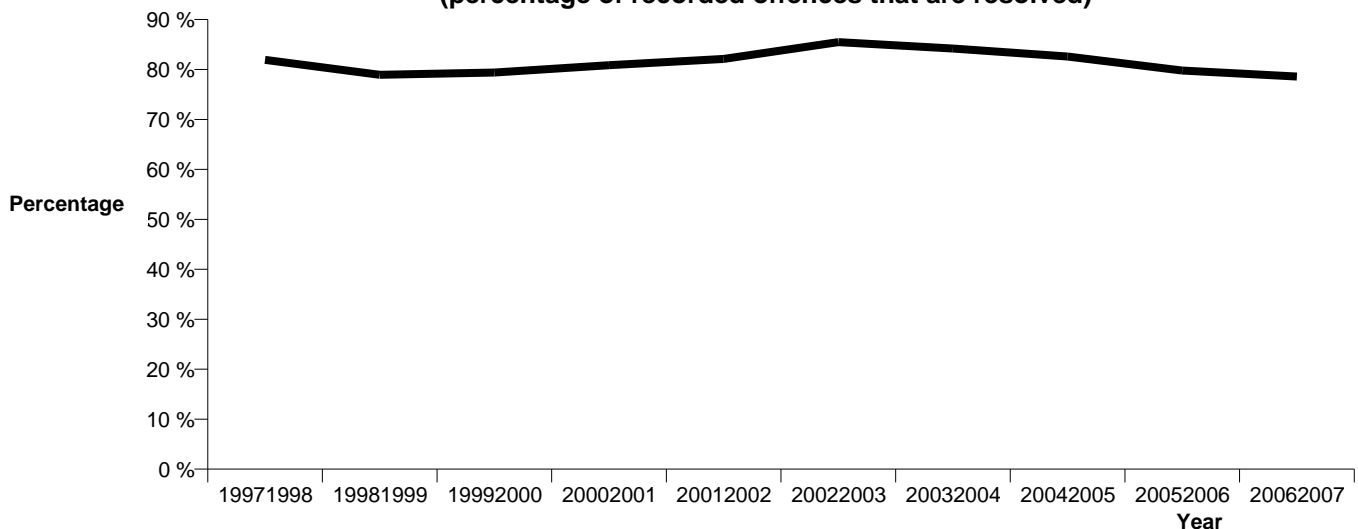
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	2,361		121.5		1,934	81.9 %	
19981999	2,335	-1.1 %	120.3	-1.0 %	1,843	78.9 %	-3.0 %
19992000	2,315	-0.9 %	119.7	-0.5 %	1,838	79.4 %	0.5 %
20002001	2,454	6.0 %	127.0	6.1 %	1,984	80.8 %	1.5 %
20012002	2,492	1.5 %	129.4	1.9 %	2,046	82.1 %	1.3 %
20022003	2,795	12.2 %	144.8	11.8 %	2,389	85.5 %	3.4 %
20032004	2,809	0.5 %	144.9	0.1 %	2,365	84.2 %	-1.3 %
20042005	2,700	-3.9 %	139.0	-4.1 %	2,230	82.6 %	-1.6 %
20052006	2,840	5.2 %	146.2	5.2 %	2,266	79.8 %	-2.8 %
20062007	3,231	13.8 %	166.2	13.6 %	2,539	78.6 %	-1.2 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

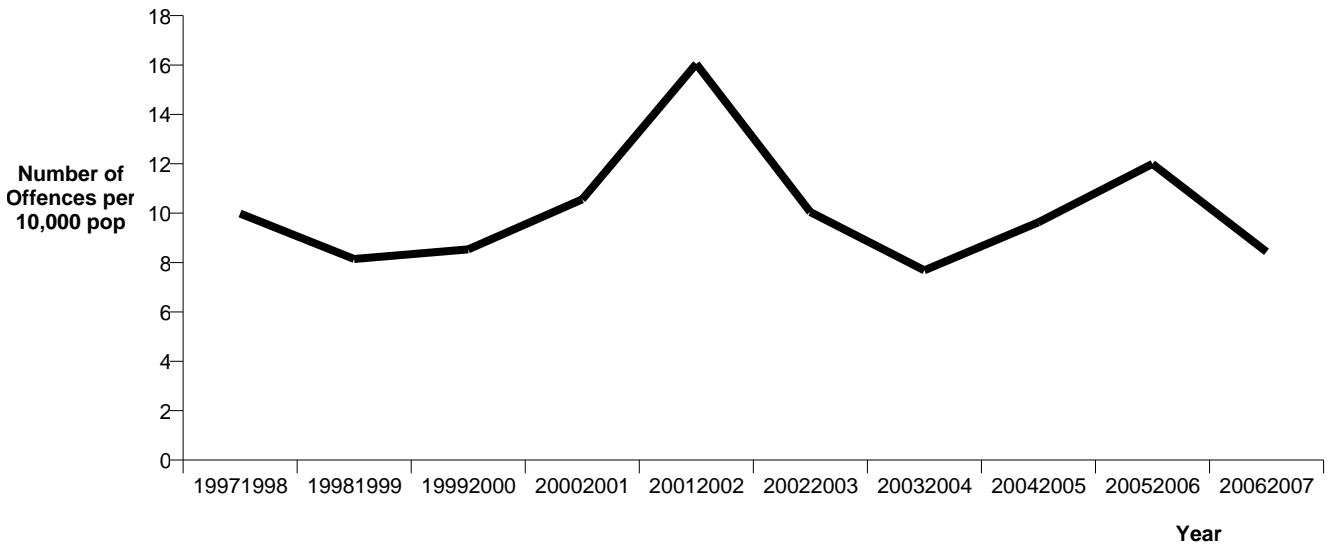


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**SEXUAL**

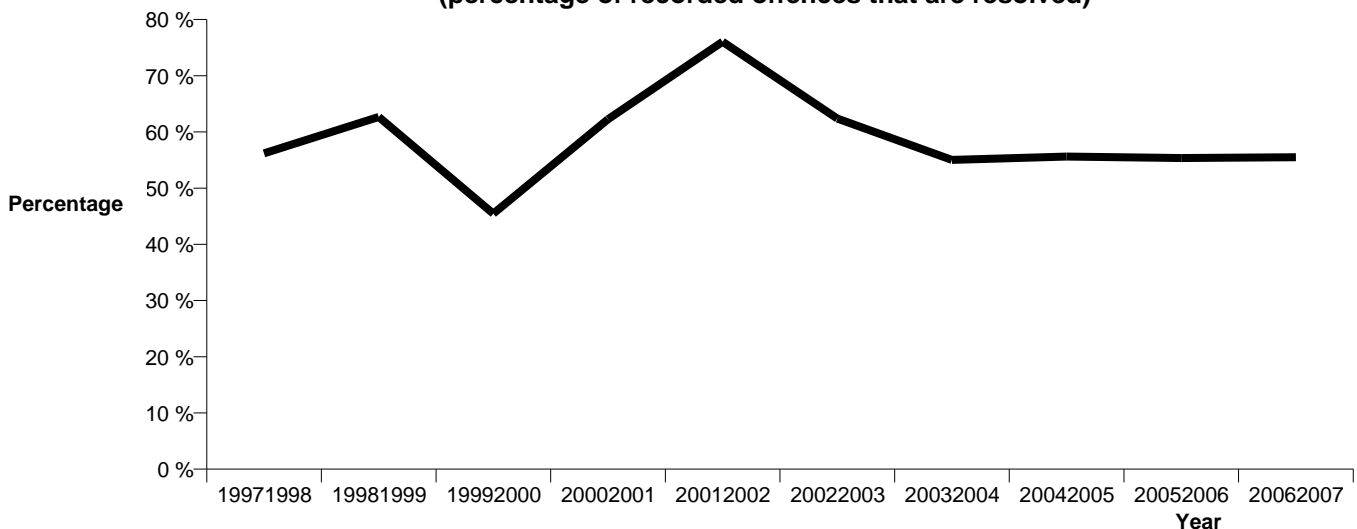
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	194		10.0		109	56.2 %	
19981999	158	-18.6 %	8.1	-18.4 %	99	62.7 %	6.5 %
19992000	165	4.4 %	8.5	4.8 %	75	45.5 %	-17.2 %
20002001	204	23.6 %	10.6	23.8 %	127	62.3 %	16.8 %
20012002	309	51.5 %	16.0	52.0 %	235	76.1 %	13.8 %
20022003	194	-37.2 %	10.0	-37.4 %	121	62.4 %	-13.7 %
20032004	149	-23.2 %	7.7	-23.5 %	82	55.0 %	-7.3 %
20042005	187	25.5 %	9.6	25.3 %	104	55.6 %	0.6 %
20052006	233	24.6 %	12.0	24.6 %	129	55.4 %	-0.3 %
20062007	164	-29.6 %	8.4	-29.7 %	91	55.5 %	0.1 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

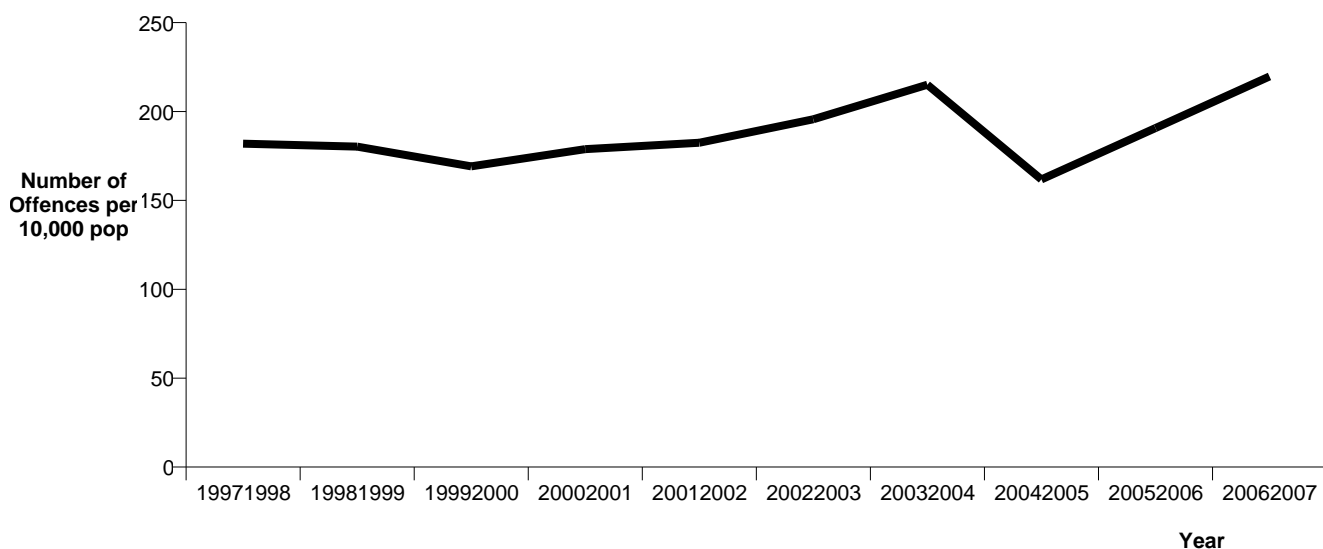


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL**

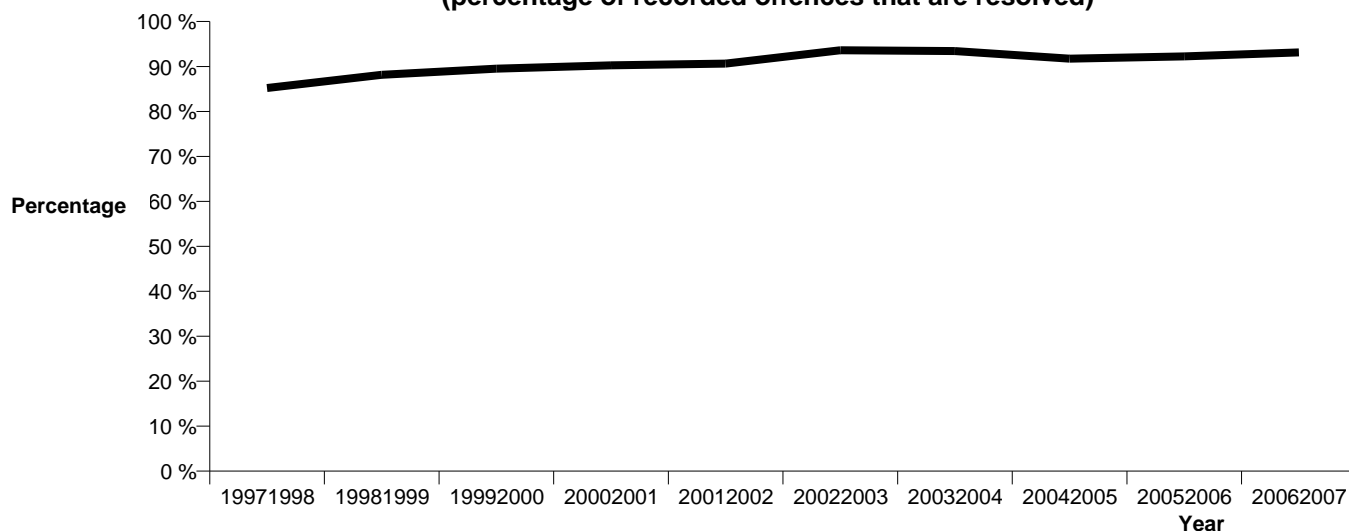
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	3,535		181.9		3,012	85.2 %	
19981999	3,498	-1.0 %	180.3	-0.9 %	3,083	88.1 %	2.9 %
19992000	3,271	-6.5 %	169.2	-6.2 %	2,928	89.5 %	1.4 %
20002001	3,455	5.6 %	178.9	5.7 %	3,118	90.2 %	0.7 %
20012002	3,513	1.7 %	182.5	2.0 %	3,184	90.6 %	0.4 %
20022003	3,778	7.5 %	195.7	7.2 %	3,537	93.6 %	3.0 %
20032004	4,169	10.3 %	215.1	9.9 %	3,895	93.4 %	-0.2 %
20042005	3,142	-24.6 %	161.8	-24.8 %	2,882	91.7 %	-1.7 %
20052006	3,703	17.9 %	190.7	17.8 %	3,416	92.2 %	0.5 %
20062007	4,273	15.4 %	219.8	15.3 %	3,979	93.1 %	0.9 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

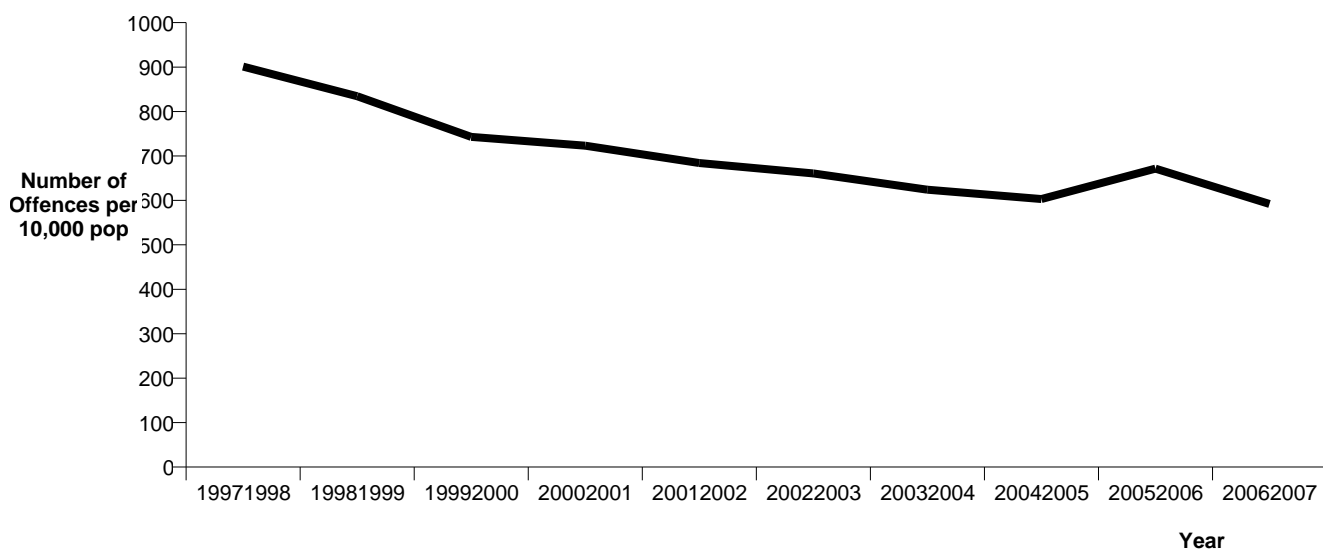


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**DISHONESTY**

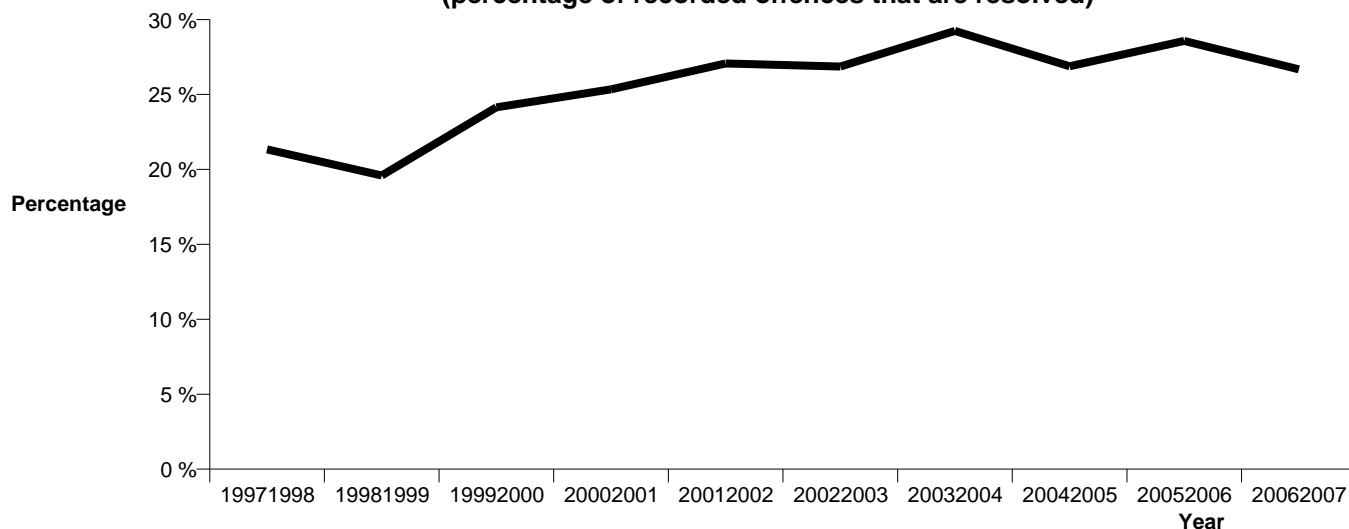
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	17,510		901.2		3,736	21.3 %	
19981999	16,194	-7.5 %	834.6	-7.4 %	3,173	19.6 %	-1.7 %
19992000	14,364	-11.3 %	742.8	-11.0 %	3,468	24.1 %	4.6 %
20002001	13,968	-2.8 %	723.1	-2.7 %	3,540	25.3 %	1.2 %
20012002	13,175	-5.7 %	684.3	-5.4 %	3,566	27.1 %	1.7 %
20022003	12,758	-3.2 %	660.7	-3.4 %	3,427	26.9 %	-0.2 %
20032004	12,098	-5.2 %	624.2	-5.5 %	3,537	29.2 %	2.4 %
20042005	11,713	-3.2 %	603.2	-3.4 %	3,149	26.9 %	-2.4 %
20052006	13,041	11.3 %	671.4	11.3 %	3,726	28.6 %	1.7 %
20062007	11,510	-11.7 %	592.0	-11.8 %	3,070	26.7 %	-1.9 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

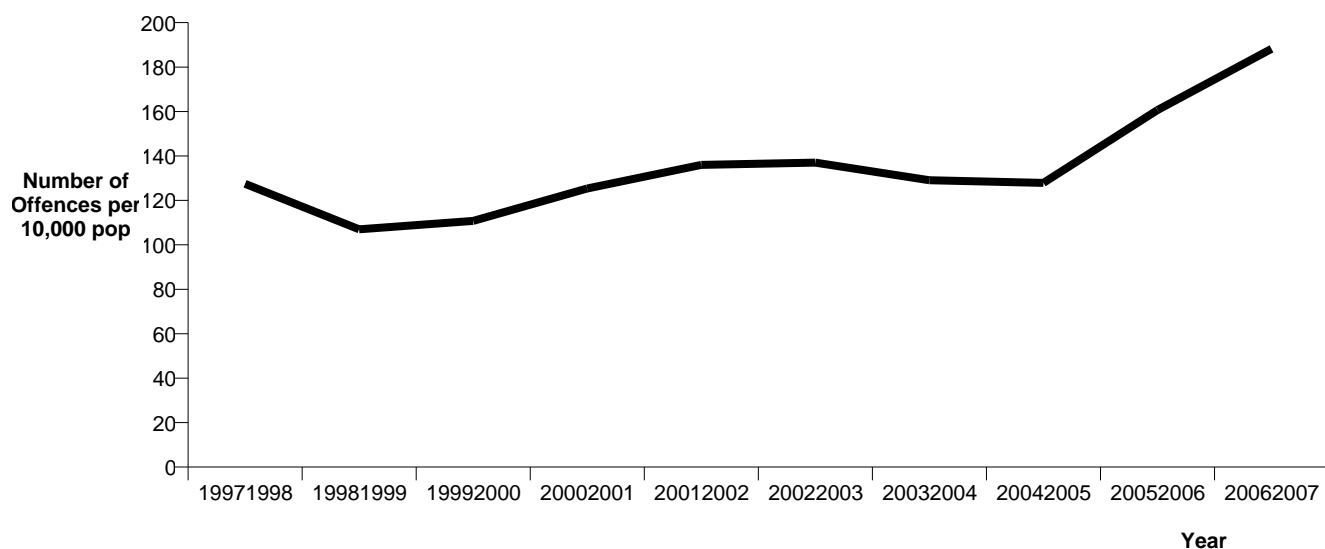


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**PROPERTY DAMAGE**

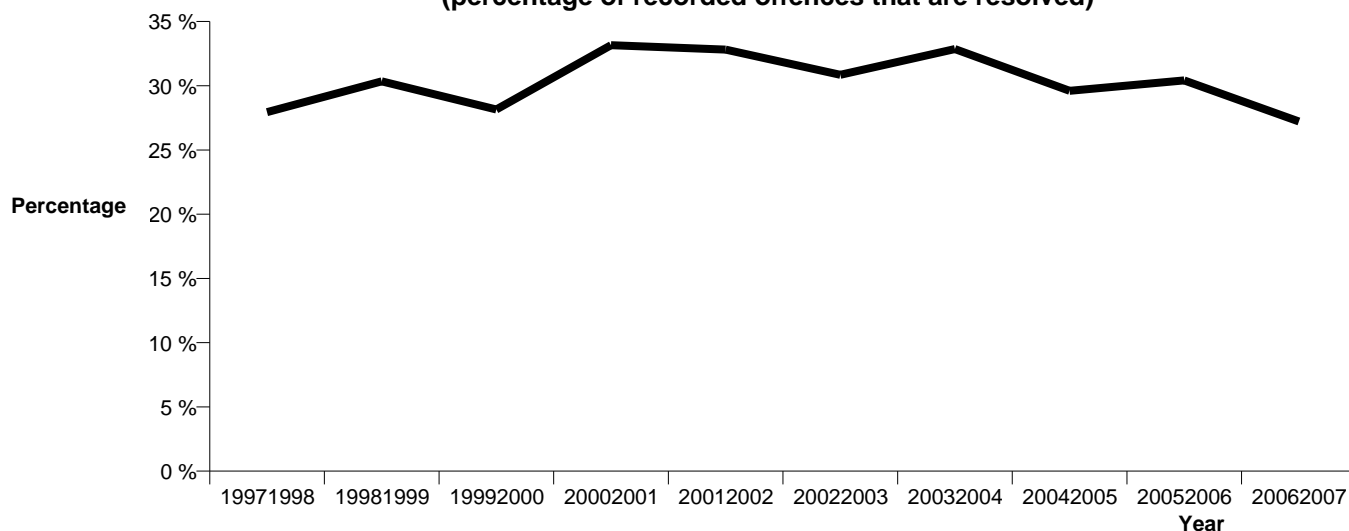
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	2,476		127.4		692	27.9 %	
19981999	2,076	-16.2 %	107.0	-16.0 %	630	30.3 %	2.4 %
19992000	2,142	3.2 %	110.8	3.5 %	603	28.2 %	-2.2 %
20002001	2,422	13.1 %	125.4	13.2 %	803	33.2 %	5.0 %
20012002	2,618	8.1 %	136.0	8.4 %	859	32.8 %	-0.3 %
20022003	2,645	1.0 %	137.0	0.7 %	816	30.9 %	-2.0 %
20032004	2,502	-5.4 %	129.1	-5.8 %	822	32.9 %	2.0 %
20042005	2,483	-0.8 %	127.9	-0.9 %	735	29.6 %	-3.3 %
20052006	3,120	25.7 %	160.6	25.6 %	949	30.4 %	0.8 %
20062007	3,660	17.3 %	188.2	17.2 %	996	27.2 %	-3.2 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

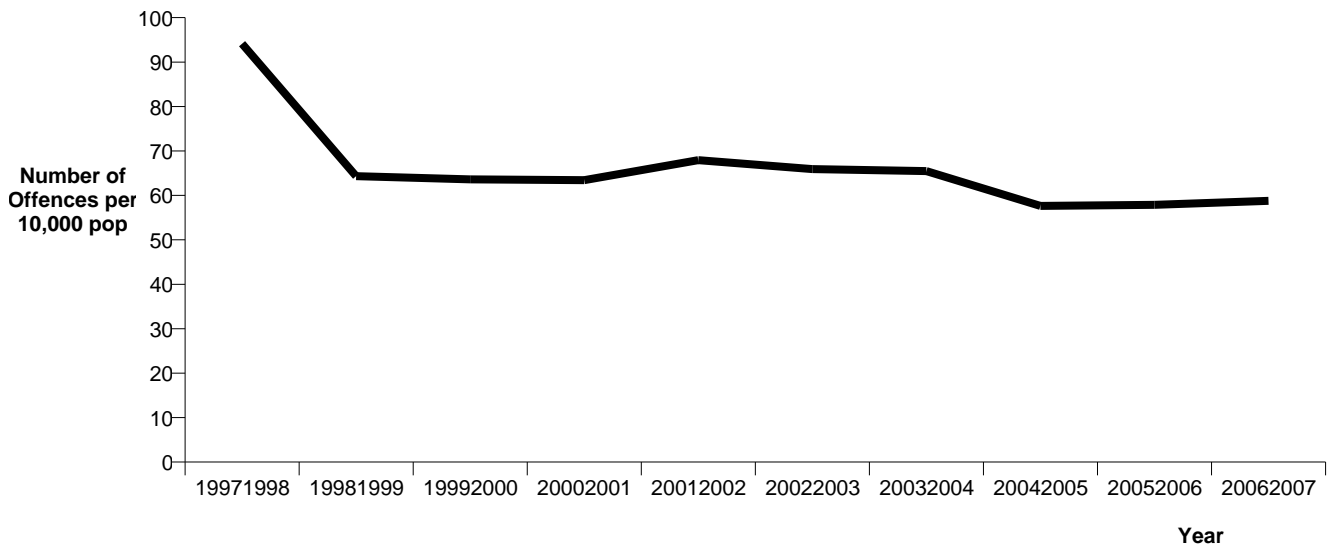


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**PROPERTY ABUSE**

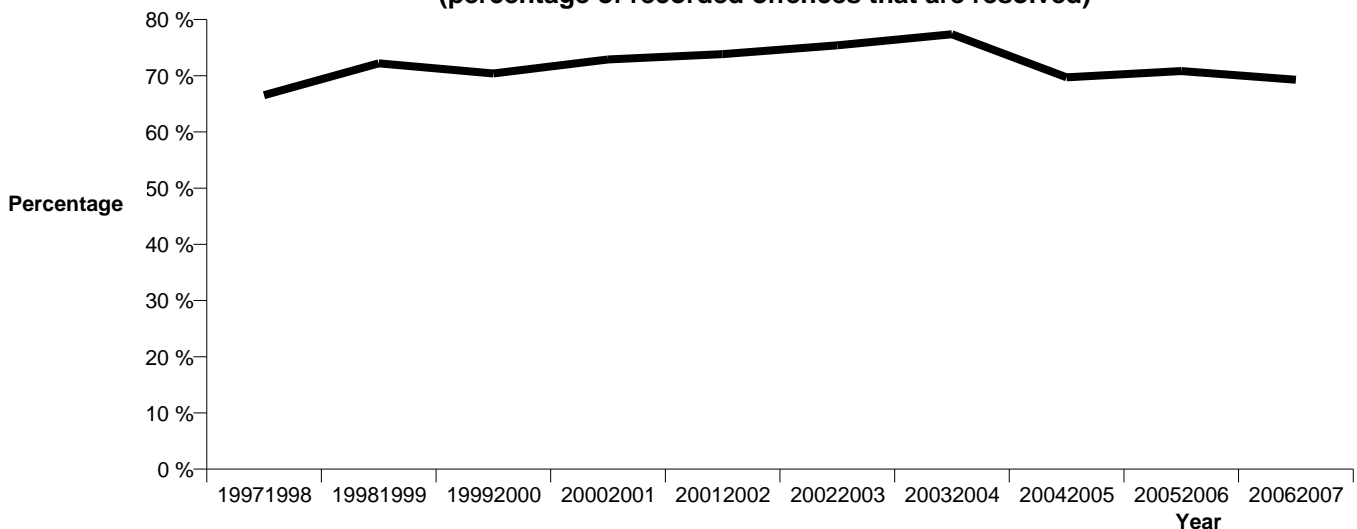
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19971998	1,829		94.1		1,217	66.5 %	
19981999	1,248	-31.8 %	64.3	-31.7 %	901	72.2 %	5.7 %
19992000	1,230	-1.4 %	63.6	-1.1 %	866	70.4 %	-1.8 %
20002001	1,225	-0.4 %	63.4	-0.3 %	893	72.9 %	2.5 %
20012002	1,308	6.8 %	67.9	7.1 %	966	73.9 %	1.0 %
20022003	1,273	-2.7 %	65.9	-2.9 %	960	75.4 %	1.6 %
20032004	1,269	-0.3 %	65.5	-0.7 %	982	77.4 %	2.0 %
20042005	1,119	-11.8 %	57.6	-12.0 %	780	69.7 %	-7.7 %
20052006	1,124	0.4 %	57.9	0.4 %	796	70.8 %	1.1 %
20062007	1,143	1.7 %	58.8	1.6 %	792	69.3 %	-1.5 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

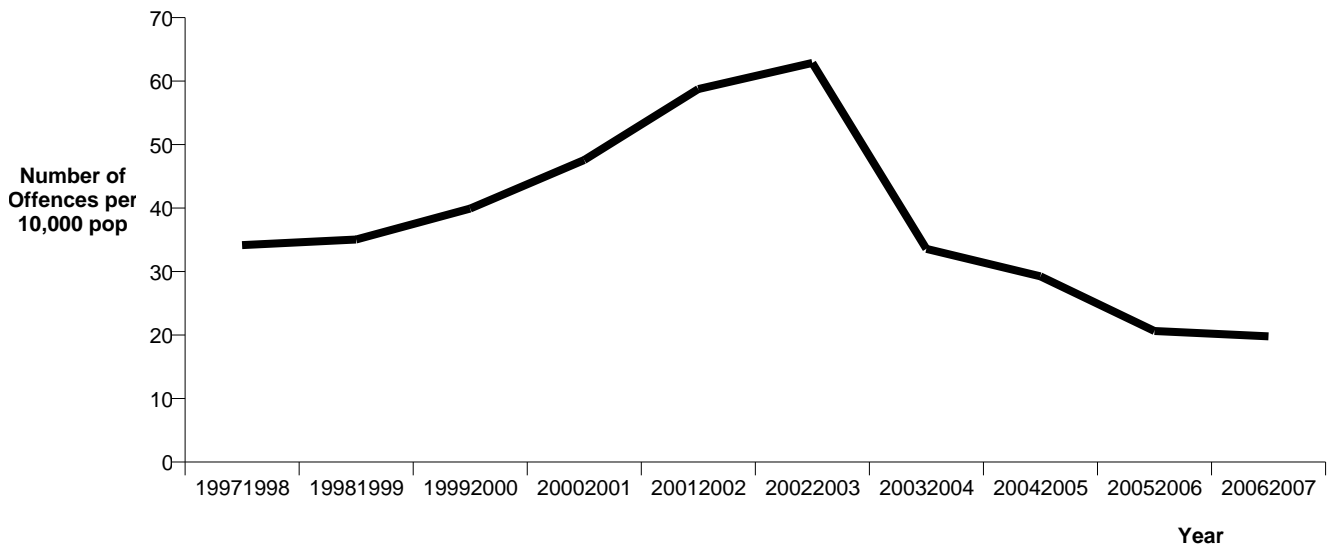


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

**ADMINISTRATIVE**

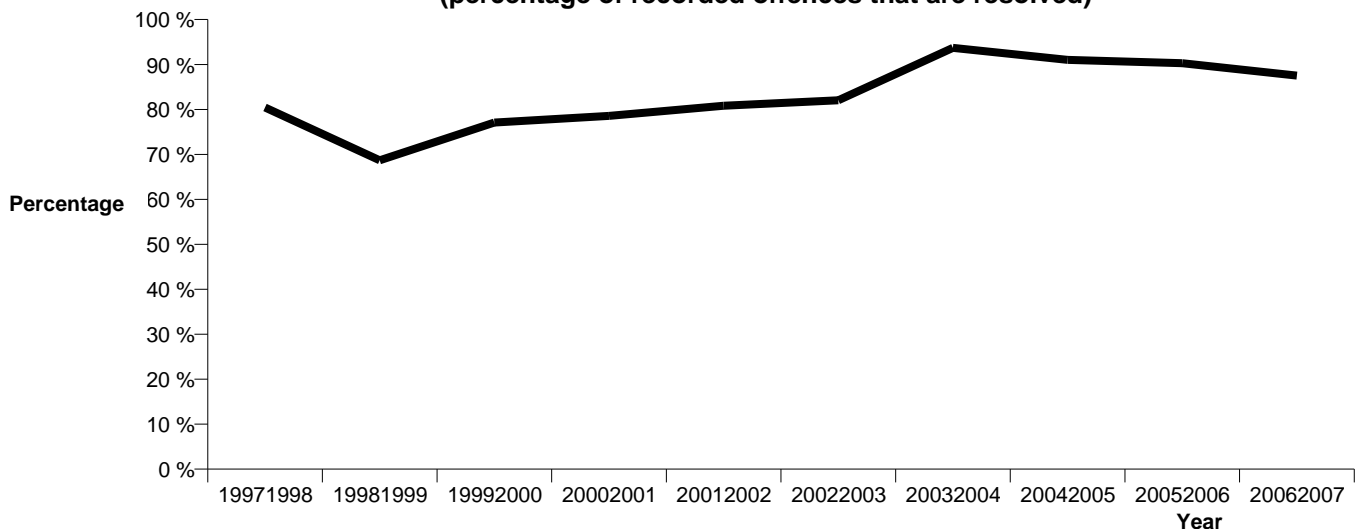
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19971998	664		34.2		534	80.4 %	
19981999	680	2.4 %	35.0	2.6 %	467	68.7 %	-11.7 %
19992000	772	13.5 %	39.9	13.9 %	595	77.1 %	8.4 %
20002001	919	19.0 %	47.6	19.2 %	722	78.6 %	1.5 %
20012002	1,131	23.1 %	58.7	23.5 %	914	80.8 %	2.2 %
20022003	1,214	7.3 %	62.9	7.0 %	996	82.0 %	1.2 %
20032004	651	-46.4 %	33.6	-46.6 %	610	93.7 %	11.7 %
20042005	568	-12.7 %	29.3	-12.9 %	517	91.0 %	-2.7 %
20052006	401	-29.4 %	20.6	-29.4 %	362	90.3 %	-0.7 %
20062007	385	-4.0 %	19.8	-4.1 %	337	87.5 %	-2.7 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



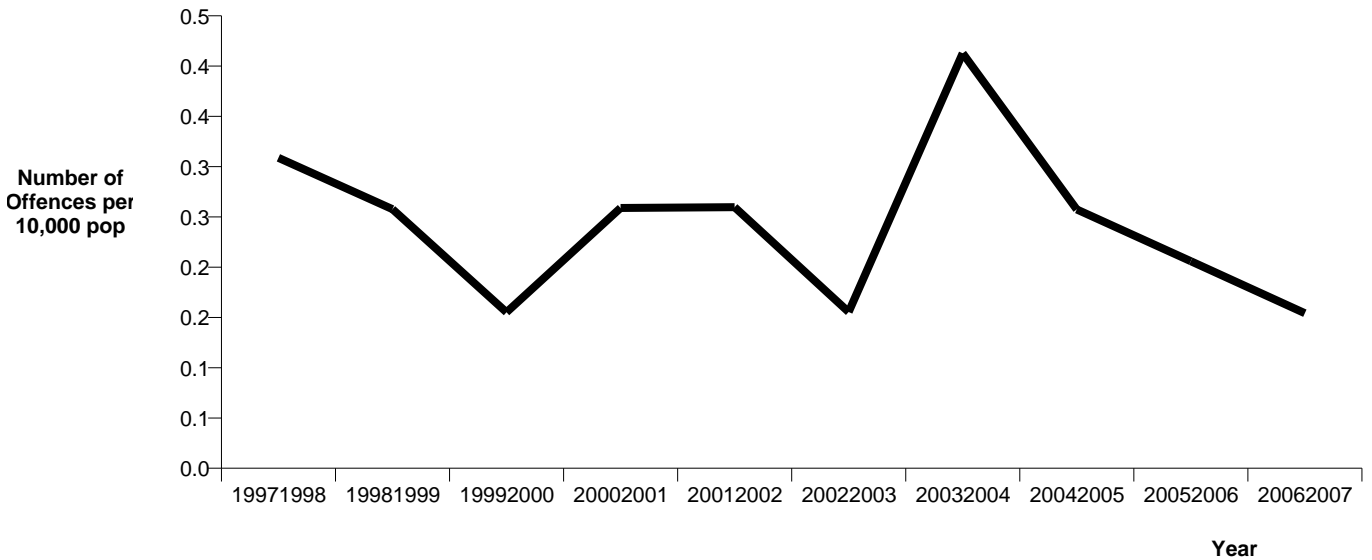
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Years ending 30 June

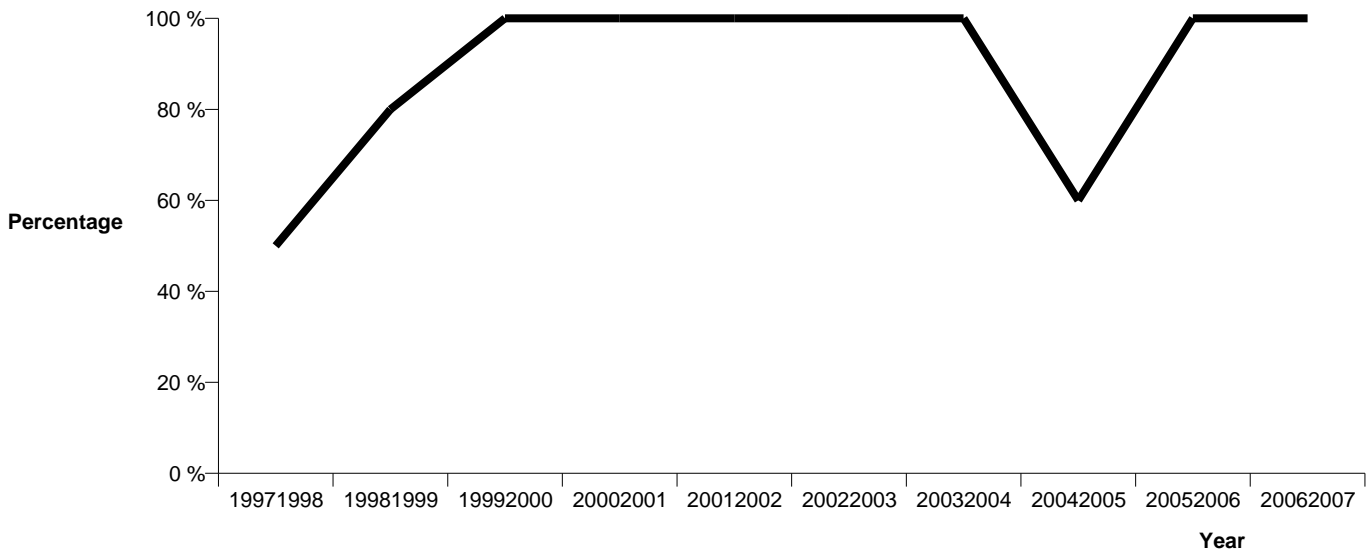
## MURDER\*

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
19971998	6		0.3		3	50.0 %	
19981999	5	-16.7 %	0.3	-16.6 %	4	80.0 %	30.0 %
19992000	3	-40.0 %	0.2	-39.8 %	3	100.0 %	20.0 %
20002001	5	66.7 %	0.3	66.8 %	5	100.0 %	0.0 %
20012002	5	0.0 %	0.3	0.3 %	5	100.0 %	0.0 %
20022003	3	-40.0 %	0.2	-40.2 %	3	100.0 %	0.0 %
20032004	8	166.7 %	0.4	165.6 %	8	100.0 %	0.0 %
20042005	5	-37.5 %	0.3	-37.6 %	3	60.0 %	-40.0 %
20052006	4	-20.0 %	0.2	-20.0 %	4	100.0 %	40.0 %
20062007	3	-25.0 %	0.2	-25.1 %	3	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

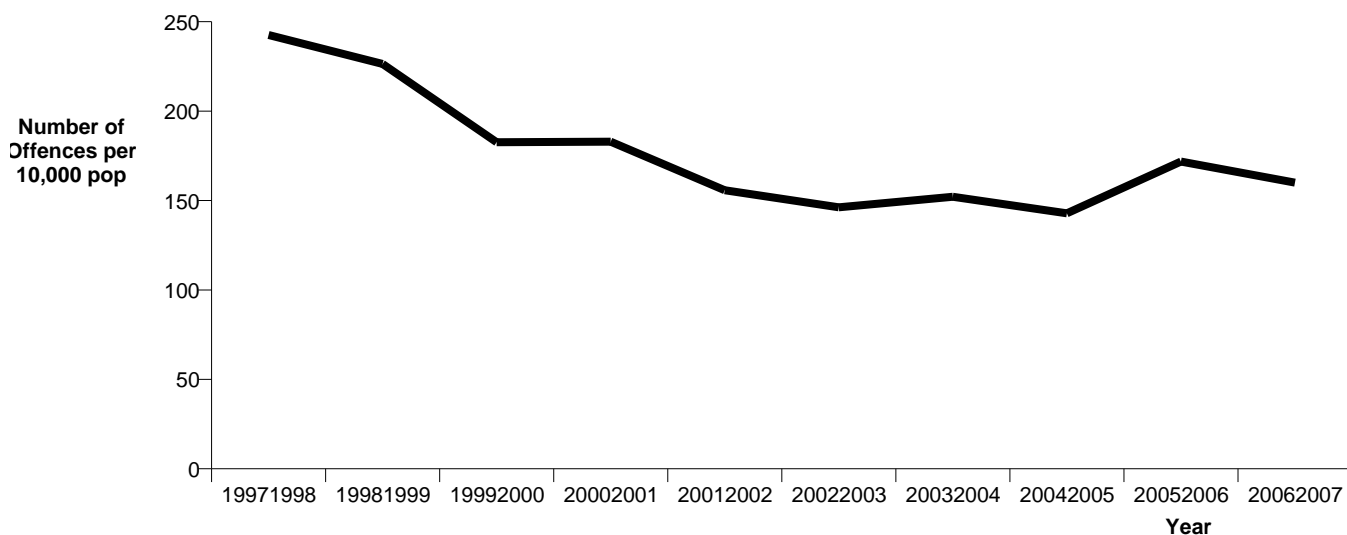
**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR  
SELECTED OFFENCE CLASS**

**Years ending 30 June**

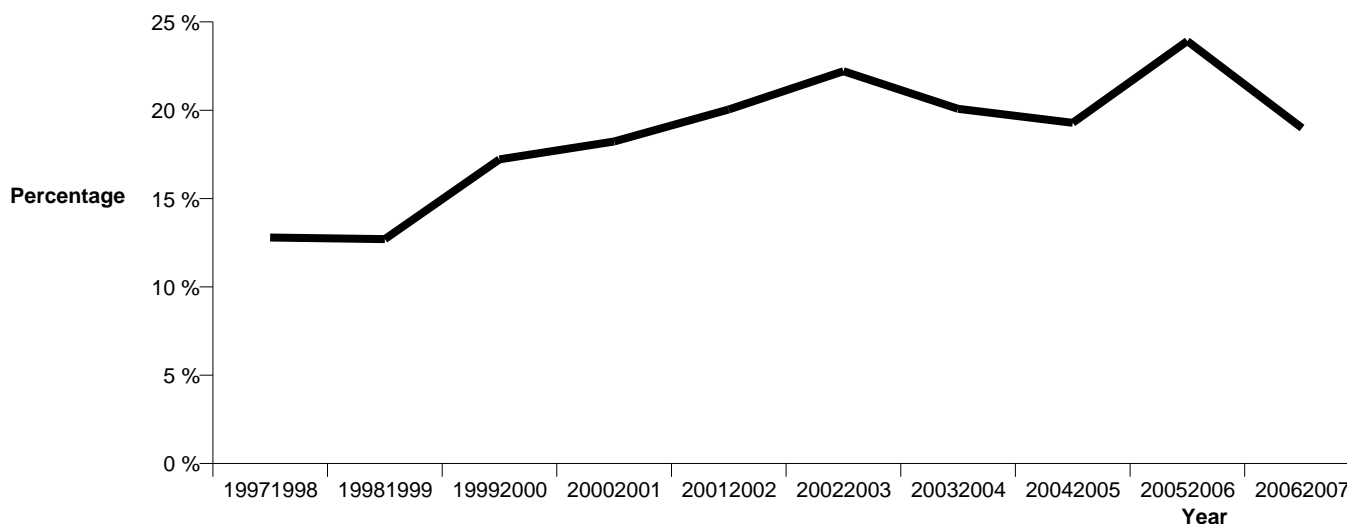
**BURGLARY**

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
19971998	4,713		242.6		603	12.8 %	
19981999	4,393	-6.8 %	226.4	-6.7 %	558	12.7 %	-0.1 %
19992000	3,531	-19.6 %	182.6	-19.3 %	608	17.2 %	4.5 %
20002001	3,533	0.1 %	182.9	0.2 %	644	18.2 %	1.0 %
20012002	2,999	-15.1 %	155.8	-14.8 %	601	20.0 %	1.8 %
20022003	2,823	-5.9 %	146.2	-6.1 %	627	22.2 %	2.2 %
20032004	2,948	4.4 %	152.1	4.0 %	592	20.1 %	-2.1 %
20042005	2,774	-5.9 %	142.9	-6.1 %	535	19.3 %	-0.8 %
20052006	3,337	20.3 %	171.8	20.3 %	798	23.9 %	4.6 %
20062007	3,111	-6.8 %	160.0	-6.9 %	591	19.0 %	-4.9 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



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



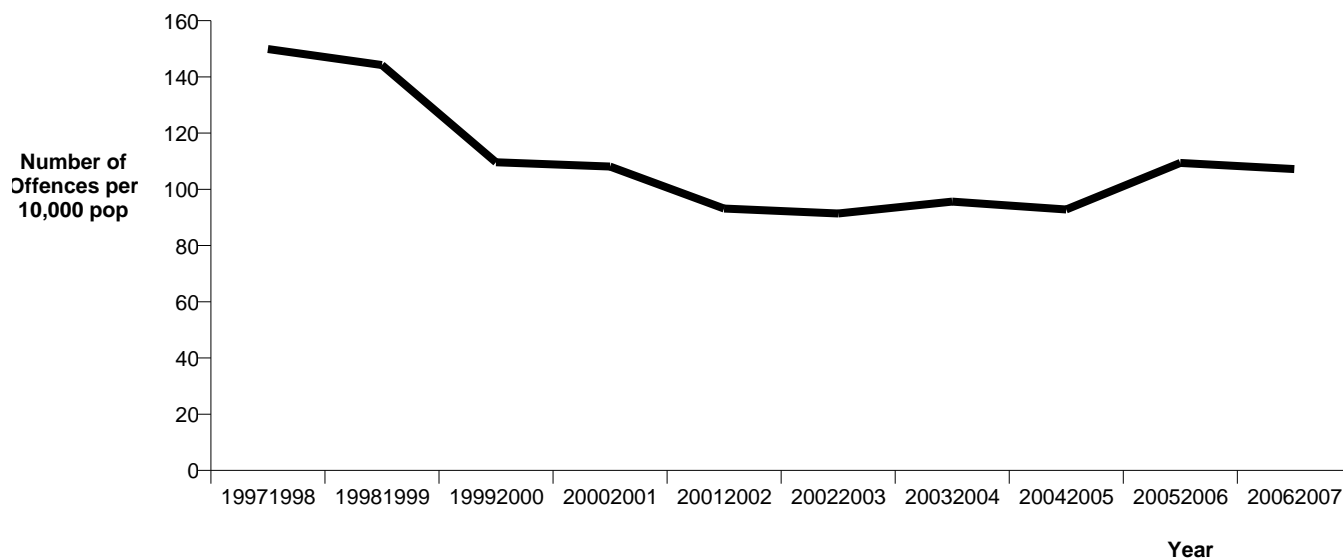
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SELECTED OFFENCE CLASS**

**Years ending 30 June**

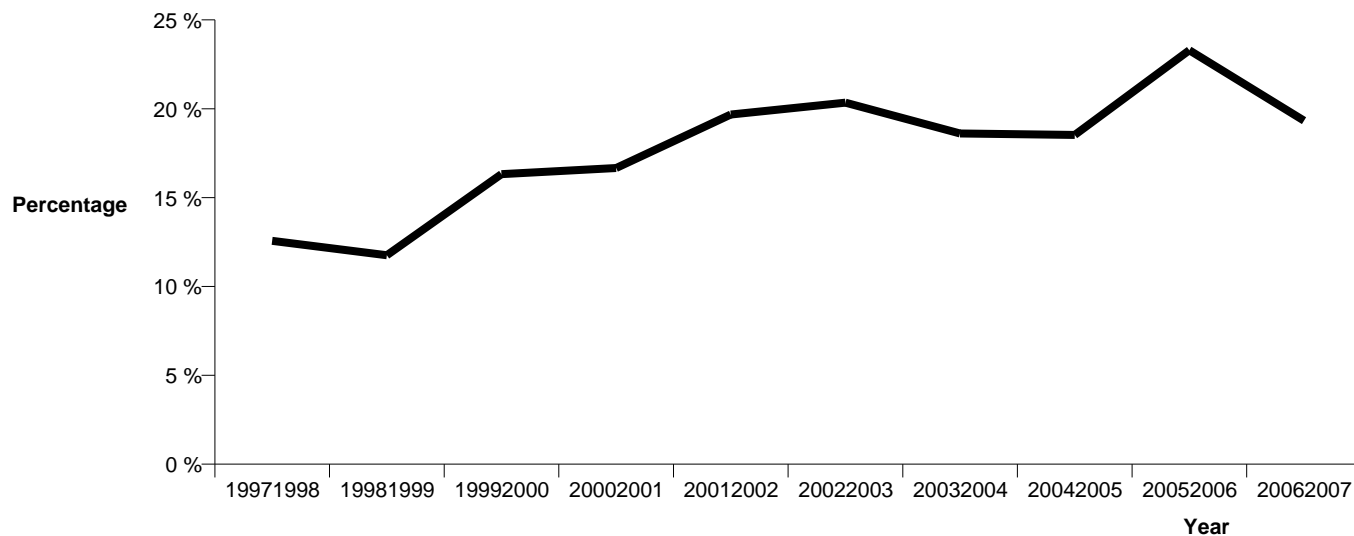
**BURGLARY DWELLING**

<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Recorded Offences</b>	<b>Variation in Recorded Offences</b>	<b>Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population</b>	<b>Variation per 10,000 Population</b>	<b>Total Resolved Offences</b>	<b>Resolution Rate</b>	<b>Variation in Resolution Rate</b>
19971998	2,913		149.9		366	12.6 %	
19981999	2,798	-3.9 %	144.2	-3.8 %	329	11.8 %	-0.8 %
19992000	2,120	-24.2 %	109.6	-24.0 %	346	16.3 %	4.6 %
20002001	2,088	-1.5 %	108.1	-1.4 %	348	16.7 %	0.3 %
20012002	1,794	-14.1 %	93.2	-13.8 %	353	19.7 %	3.0 %
20022003	1,765	-1.6 %	91.4	-1.9 %	359	20.3 %	0.7 %
20032004	1,854	5.0 %	95.7	4.6 %	345	18.6 %	-1.7 %
20042005	1,803	-2.8 %	92.9	-2.9 %	334	18.5 %	-0.1 %
20052006	2,125	17.9 %	109.4	17.8 %	495	23.3 %	4.8 %
20062007	2,085	-1.9 %	107.2	-2.0 %	403	19.3 %	-4.0 %

**Recorded Offences per 10.000 population**



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



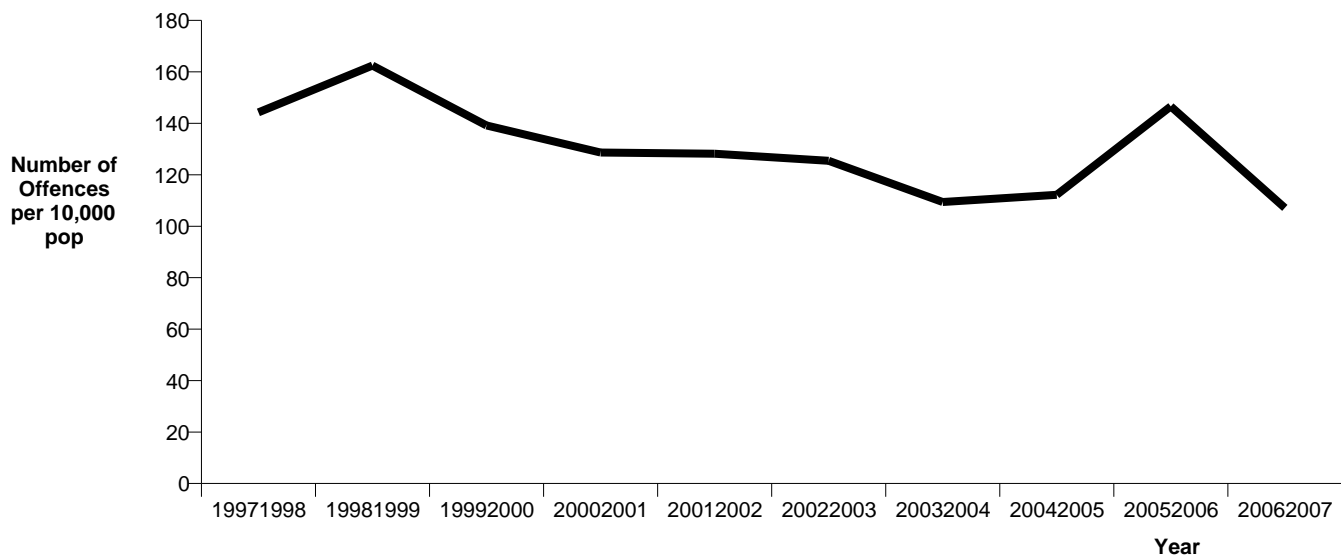
**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR  
SELECTED OFFENCE TYPES**

Years ending 30 June

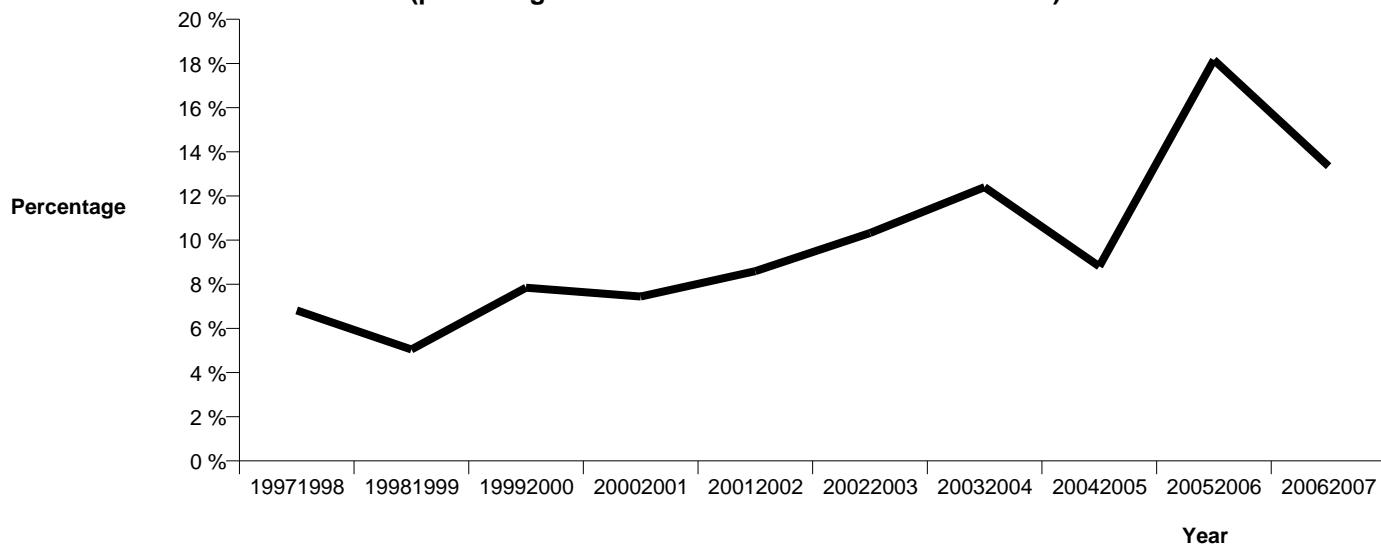
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Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
1997/1998	2,803		144.3		191	6.8 %	
1998/1999	3,152	12.5 %	162.4	12.6 %	159	5.0 %	-1.8 %
1999/2000	2,691	-14.6 %	139.2	-14.3 %	211	7.8 %	2.8 %
2000/2001	2,485	-7.7 %	128.6	-7.6 %	185	7.4 %	-0.4 %
2001/2002	2,468	-0.7 %	128.2	-0.4 %	212	8.6 %	1.1 %
2002/2003	2,422	-1.9 %	125.4	-2.1 %	250	10.3 %	1.7 %
2003/2004	2,121	-12.4 %	109.4	-12.8 %	263	12.4 %	2.1 %
2004/2005	2,179	2.7 %	112.2	2.5 %	192	8.8 %	-3.6 %
2005/2006	2,847	30.7 %	146.6	30.6 %	517	18.2 %	9.3 %
2006/2007	2,083	-26.8 %	107.1	-26.9 %	278	13.3 %	-4.8 %

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



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

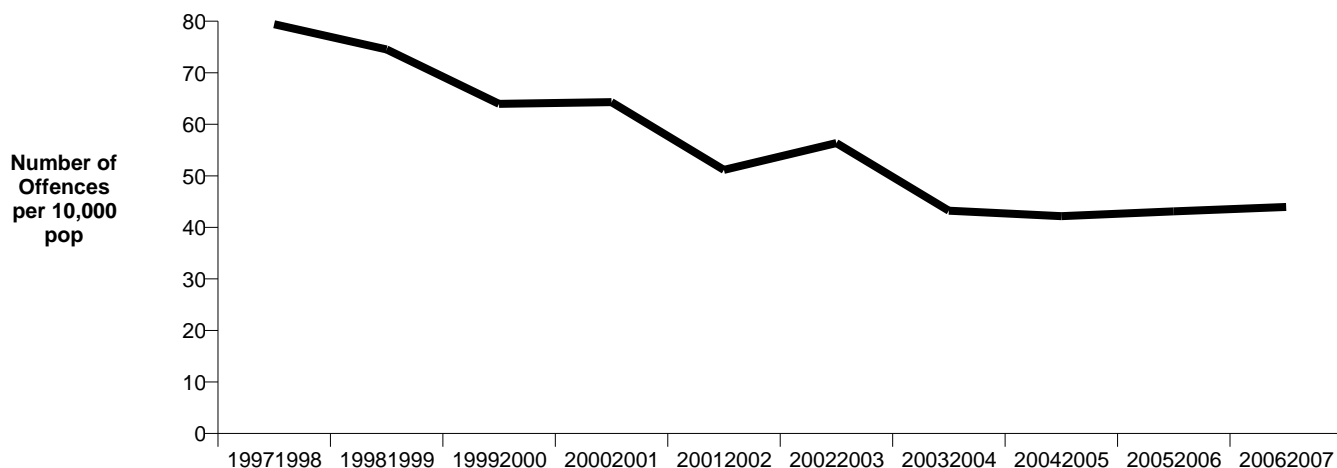


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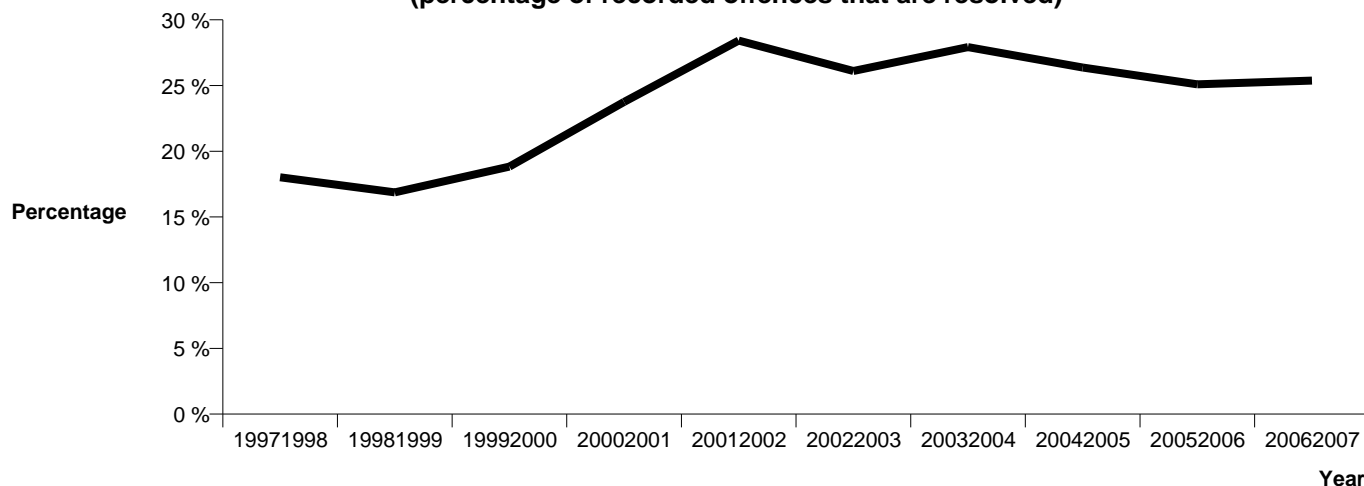
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
1997/1998	1,543		79.4		278	18.0 %	
1998/1999	1,446	-6.3 %	74.5	-6.2 %	244	16.9 %	-1.1 %
1999/2000	1,237	-14.5 %	64.0	-14.2 %	233	18.8 %	2.0 %
2000/2001	1,242	0.4 %	64.3	0.5 %	295	23.8 %	4.9 %
2001/2002	985	-20.7 %	51.2	-20.4 %	280	28.4 %	4.7 %
2002/2003	1,088	10.5 %	56.3	10.1 %	284	26.1 %	-2.3 %
2003/2004	838	-23.0 %	43.2	-23.3 %	234	27.9 %	1.8 %
2004/2005	819	-2.3 %	42.2	-2.4 %	216	26.4 %	-1.6 %
2005/2006	837	2.2 %	43.1	2.2 %	210	25.1 %	-1.3 %
2006/2007	855	2.2 %	44.0	2.0 %	217	25.4 %	0.3 %

**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
19971998	194,300
19981999	194,030
19992000	193,370
20002001	193,165
20012002	192,545
20022003	193,085
20032004	193,830
20042005	194,180
20052006	194,225
20062007	194,440