

**CANTERBURY DISTRICT  
CRIME STATISTICS  
2008/2009**



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

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## REPORT NOTES:

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.

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.

If an offence is 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 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).

Legislation changes during 2008/2009 fiscal year have generally had negligible impact on recorded crime statistics. Expanded graffiti legislation under sections 11A and 11B of the Summary Offences Act 1981, have resulted in new offence codes being created to capture some of the graffiti offences more explicitly, and to create a new offence for being in possession of graffiti implements without reasonable excuse.

Statistics for the years 2006, 2007 and 2008 within the Homicide offence class have been revised to remedy discrepancies detected as a result of an internal review of Homicide data.

The offence class description "Alcohol Offences" replaces the description "Sale of Liquor Act 1989" because that class of offences also includes possession and consumption offences under the Local Government Act and the Summary Offences Act as well as the Sale of Liquor Act. However, the offences contained within these offence groupings have not changed.

When comparing 2008/2009 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<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Violence         | Grievous Assaults        | 365                  | 356                  | 442                  | -2.5 %                      | 24.2 %                      | 314                  | 331                  | 400                  | 86.0 %                          | 93.0 %                          | 90.5 %                          |
|                  | Group Assemblies         | 40                   | 45                   | 63                   | 12.5 %                      | 40.0 %                      | 37                   | 35                   | 48                   | 92.5 %                          | 77.8 %                          | 76.2 %                          |
|                  | Homicide                 | 10                   | 12                   | 6                    | 20.0 %                      | -50.0 %                     | 9                    | 10                   | 5                    | 90.0 %                          | 83.3 %                          | 83.3 %                          |
|                  | Intimidation And Threats | 1,246                | 1,180                | 1,274                | -5.3 %                      | 8.0 %                       | 1,046                | 1,011                | 1,078                | 83.9 %                          | 85.7 %                          | 84.6 %                          |
|                  | Kidnapping And Abduction | 15                   | 21                   | 21                   | 40.0 %                      | 0.0 %                       | 10                   | 18                   | 17                   | 66.7 %                          | 85.7 %                          | 81.0 %                          |
|                  | Minor Assaults           | 1,505                | 1,635                | 1,778                | 8.6 %                       | 8.7 %                       | 1,166                | 1,291                | 1,412                | 77.5 %                          | 79.0 %                          | 79.4 %                          |
|                  | Robbery                  | 251                  | 194                  | 224                  | -22.7 %                     | 15.5 %                      | 123                  | 101                  | 124                  | 49.0 %                          | 52.1 %                          | 55.4 %                          |
|                  | Serious Assaults         | 1,407                | 1,467                | 1,660                | 4.3 %                       | 13.2 %                      | 1,235                | 1,328                | 1,471                | 87.8 %                          | 90.5 %                          | 88.6 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>    |                          | <b>4,839</b>         | <b>4,910</b>         | <b>5,468</b>         | <b>1.5 %</b>                | <b>11.4 %</b>               | <b>3,940</b>         | <b>4,125</b>         | <b>4,555</b>         | <b>81.4 %</b>                   | <b>84.0 %</b>                   | <b>83.3 %</b>                   |

| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Sexual           | Abnormal Sex                    | 5                    | 6                    | 10                   | 20.0 %                      | 66.7 %                      | 4                    | 2                    | 7                    | 80.0 %                          | 33.3 %                          | 70.0 %                          |
|                  | Immoral Behaviour               | 78                   | 53                   | 51                   | -32.1 %                     | -3.8 %                      | 66                   | 51                   | 38                   | 84.6 %                          | 96.2 %                          | 74.5 %                          |
|                  | Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous | 42                   | 49                   | 24                   | 16.7 %                      | -51.0 %                     | 30                   | 43                   | 16                   | 71.4 %                          | 87.8 %                          | 66.7 %                          |
|                  | Sexual Affronts                 | 96                   | 103                  | 120                  | 7.3 %                       | 16.5 %                      | 66                   | 51                   | 69                   | 68.8 %                          | 49.5 %                          | 57.5 %                          |
|                  | Sexual Attacks                  | 282                  | 253                  | 243                  | -10.3 %                     | -4.0 %                      | 178                  | 191                  | 156                  | 63.1 %                          | 75.5 %                          | 64.2 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>    |                                 | <b>503</b>           | <b>464</b>           | <b>448</b>           | <b>-7.8 %</b>               | <b>-3.4 %</b>               | <b>344</b>           | <b>338</b>           | <b>286</b>           | <b>68.4 %</b>                   | <b>72.8 %</b>                   | <b>63.8 %</b>                   |

| Offence Category   | Offence Class             | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Drugs & AntiSocial | Alcohol Offences          | 967                  | 1,052                | 1,519                | 8.8 %                       | 44.4 %                      | 957                  | 1,041                | 1,513                | 99.0 %                          | 99.0 %                          | 99.6 %                          |
|                    | Disorder                  | 1,938                | 2,163                | 2,456                | 11.6 %                      | 13.5 %                      | 1,746                | 1,896                | 2,260                | 90.1 %                          | 87.7 %                          | 92.0 %                          |
|                    | Drugs (Cannabis Only)     | 1,526                | 1,553                | 1,688                | 1.8 %                       | 8.7 %                       | 1,482                | 1,522                | 1,607                | 97.1 %                          | 98.0 %                          | 95.2 %                          |
|                    | Drugs (New Drugs)         | 86                   | 139                  | 115                  | 61.6 %                      | -17.3 %                     | 80                   | 136                  | 111                  | 93.0 %                          | 97.8 %                          | 96.5 %                          |
|                    | Drugs (Not Cannabis)      | 154                  | 177                  | 193                  | 14.9 %                      | 9.0 %                       | 145                  | 171                  | 186                  | 94.2 %                          | 96.6 %                          | 96.4 %                          |
|                    | Family Offences           | 21                   | 16                   | 16                   | -23.8 %                     | 0.0 %                       | 19                   | 12                   | 14                   | 90.5 %                          | 75.0 %                          | 87.5 %                          |
|                    | Family Offences Continued | 517                  | 561                  | 508                  | 8.5 %                       | -9.4 %                      | 481                  | 503                  | 461                  | 93.0 %                          | 89.7 %                          | 90.7 %                          |
|                    | Vagrancy Offences         | 6                    | 14                   | 8                    | 133.3 %                     | -42.9 %                     | 6                    | 12                   | 8                    | 100.0 %                         | 85.7 %                          | 100.0 %                         |
| <b>Total:</b>      |                           | <b>5,215</b>         | <b>5,675</b>         | <b>6,503</b>         | <b>8.8 %</b>                | <b>14.6 %</b>               | <b>4,916</b>         | <b>5,293</b>         | <b>6,160</b>         | <b>94.3 %</b>                   | <b>93.3 %</b>                   | <b>94.7 %</b>                   |

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Years ending 30 June

| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Dishonesty       | Burglary                        | 6,731                | 6,333                | 7,155                | -5.9 %                      | 13.0 %                      | 1,034                | 1,020                | 1,082                | 15.4 %                          | 16.1 %                          | 15.1 %                          |
|                  | Car Conversion Etc              | 4,547                | 4,425                | 4,463                | -2.7 %                      | 0.9 %                       | 818                  | 971                  | 737                  | 18.0 %                          | 21.9 %                          | 16.5 %                          |
|                  | Dishonesty/Miscellaneous        | 55                   | 89                   | 55                   | 61.8 %                      | -38.2 %                     | 29                   | 42                   | 13                   | 52.7 %                          | 47.2 %                          | 23.6 %                          |
|                  | Fraud                           | 1,111                | 1,064                | 1,348                | -4.2 %                      | 26.7 %                      | 708                  | 696                  | 895                  | 63.7 %                          | 65.4 %                          | 66.4 %                          |
|                  | Receiving                       | 372                  | 492                  | 451                  | 32.3 %                      | -8.3 %                      | 364                  | 478                  | 448                  | 97.8 %                          | 97.2 %                          | 99.3 %                          |
|                  | Theft                           | 14,765               | 14,123               | 14,461               | -4.3 %                      | 2.4 %                       | 3,317                | 3,676                | 3,488                | 22.5 %                          | 26.0 %                          | 24.1 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>    |                                 | <b>27,581</b>        | <b>26,526</b>        | <b>27,933</b>        | <b>-3.8 %</b>               | <b>5.3 %</b>                | <b>6,270</b>         | <b>6,883</b>         | <b>6,663</b>         | <b>22.7 %</b>                   | <b>25.9 %</b>                   | <b>23.9 %</b>                   |
| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
| Property Damage  | Destruction Of Property         | 7,346                | 7,769                | 8,517                | 5.8 %                       | 9.6 %                       | 1,642                | 1,916                | 1,795                | 22.4 %                          | 24.7 %                          | 21.1 %                          |
|                  | Endangering                     | 54                   | 34                   | 20                   | -37.0 %                     | -41.2 %                     | 46                   | 29                   | 14                   | 85.2 %                          | 85.3 %                          | 70.0 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>    |                                 | <b>7,400</b>         | <b>7,803</b>         | <b>8,537</b>         | <b>5.4 %</b>                | <b>9.4 %</b>                | <b>1,688</b>         | <b>1,945</b>         | <b>1,809</b>         | <b>22.8 %</b>                   | <b>24.9 %</b>                   | <b>21.2 %</b>                   |
| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
| Property Abuse   | Animals                         | 26                   | 23                   | 29                   | -11.5 %                     | 26.1 %                      | 7                    | 8                    | 16                   | 26.9 %                          | 34.8 %                          | 55.2 %                          |
|                  | Arms Act Offences               | 353                  | 335                  | 293                  | -5.1 %                      | -12.5 %                     | 274                  | 266                  | 248                  | 77.6 %                          | 79.4 %                          | 84.6 %                          |
|                  | Littering                       | 32                   | 38                   | 44                   | 18.8 %                      | 15.8 %                      | 22                   | 31                   | 37                   | 68.8 %                          | 81.6 %                          | 84.1 %                          |
|                  | Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses | 452                  | 440                  | 453                  | -2.7 %                      | 3.0 %                       | 290                  | 258                  | 324                  | 64.2 %                          | 58.6 %                          | 71.5 %                          |
|                  | Trespass                        | 1,240                | 1,392                | 1,167                | 12.3 %                      | -16.2 %                     | 993                  | 1,073                | 948                  | 80.1 %                          | 77.1 %                          | 81.2 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>    |                                 | <b>2,103</b>         | <b>2,228</b>         | <b>1,986</b>         | <b>5.9 %</b>                | <b>-10.9 %</b>              | <b>1,586</b>         | <b>1,636</b>         | <b>1,573</b>         | <b>75.4 %</b>                   | <b>73.4 %</b>                   | <b>79.2 %</b>                   |
| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07-<br>07/08 | Variance<br>07/08-<br>08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
| Administrative   | Against Justice                 | 779                  | 1,015                | 1,208                | 30.3 %                      | 19.0 %                      | 723                  | 981                  | 1,194                | 92.8 %                          | 96.7 %                          | 98.8 %                          |
|                  | Against National Interest       | 1                    | 1                    | 8                    | 0.0 %                       | 700.0 %                     | 1                    | 0                    | 3                    | 100.0 %                         | 0.0 %                           | 37.5 %                          |
|                  | By Law Breaches                 | 12                   | 33                   | 18                   | 175.0 %                     | -45.5 %                     | 8                    | 17                   | 13                   | 66.7 %                          | 51.5 %                          | 72.2 %                          |
|                  | Immigration                     | 120                  | 25                   | 4                    | -79.2 %                     | -84.0 %                     | 117                  | 24                   | 2                    | 97.5 %                          | 96.0 %                          | 50.0 %                          |
|                  | Justice (Special)               | 16                   | 42                   | 60                   | 162.5 %                     | 42.9 %                      | 14                   | 38                   | 56                   | 87.5 %                          | 90.5 %                          | 93.3 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>    |                                 | <b>928</b>           | <b>1,116</b>         | <b>1,298</b>         | <b>20.3 %</b>               | <b>16.3 %</b>               | <b>863</b>           | <b>1,060</b>         | <b>1,268</b>         | <b>93.0 %</b>                   | <b>95.0 %</b>                   | <b>97.7 %</b>                   |
| <b>TOTAL</b>     |                                 | <b>48,569</b>        | <b>48,722</b>        | <b>52,173</b>        | <b>0.3 %</b>                | <b>7.1 %</b>                | <b>19,607</b>        | <b>21,280</b>        | <b>22,314</b>        | <b>40.4 %</b>                   | <b>43.7 %</b>                   | <b>42.8 %</b>                   |

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

| Area Description     | Recorded per 10,000<br>pop 20062007 | Recorded per 10,000<br>pop 20072008 | Recorded per 10,000<br>pop 20082009 | Percent Variance 06/07<br>to 07/08 | Percent Variance 07/08<br>to 08/09 |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 3,096.4                             | 3,156.3                             | 3,407.7                             | 1.9 %                              | 8.0 %                              |
| Mid South Canterbury | 799.2                               | 775.4                               | 796.6                               | -3.0 %                             | 2.7 %                              |
| Northern Canterbury  | 686.4                               | 680.3                               | 678.3                               | -0.9 %                             | -0.3 %                             |
| Southern Canterbury  | 701.4                               | 679.5                               | 773.1                               | -3.1 %                             | 13.8 %                             |
| <b>TOTAL</b>         | <b>902.5</b>                        | <b>894.4</b>                        | <b>947.9</b>                        | <b>-0.9 %</b>                      | <b>6.0 %</b>                       |

# DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

| Offence Category | Offence Class            | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20062007 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20072008 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20082009 |
|------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Violence         | Grievous Assaults        | 6.8                                    | 6.5                                    | 8.0                                    |
|                  | Group Assemblies         | 0.7                                    | 0.8                                    | 1.1                                    |
|                  | Homicide                 | 0.2                                    | 0.2                                    | 0.1                                    |
|                  | Intimidation And Threats | 23.2                                   | 21.7                                   | 23.1                                   |
|                  | Kidnapping And Abduction | 0.3                                    | 0.4                                    | 0.4                                    |
|                  | Minor Assaults           | 28.0                                   | 30.0                                   | 32.3                                   |
|                  | Robbery                  | 4.7                                    | 3.6                                    | 4.1                                    |
|                  | Serious Assaults         | 26.1                                   | 26.9                                   | 30.2                                   |
| <b>Violence</b>  |                          | <b>89.9</b>                            | <b>90.1</b>                            | <b>99.3</b>                            |

| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20062007 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20072008 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20082009 |
|------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Sexual           | Abnormal Sex                    | 0.1                                    | 0.1                                    | 0.2                                    |
|                  | Immoral Behaviour               | 1.4                                    | 1.0                                    | 0.9                                    |
|                  | Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous | 0.8                                    | 0.9                                    | 0.4                                    |
|                  | Sexual Affronts                 | 1.8                                    | 1.9                                    | 2.2                                    |
|                  | Sexual Attacks                  | 5.2                                    | 4.6                                    | 4.4                                    |
| <b>Sexual</b>    |                                 | <b>9.3</b>                             | <b>8.5</b>                             | <b>8.1</b>                             |

| Offence Category              | Offence Class             | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20062007 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20072008 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20082009 |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Drugs & AntiSocial            | Alcohol Offences          | 18.0                                   | 19.3                                   | 27.6                                   |
|                               | Disorder                  | 36.0                                   | 39.7                                   | 44.6                                   |
|                               | Drugs (Cannabis Only)     | 28.4                                   | 28.5                                   | 30.7                                   |
|                               | Drugs (New Drugs)         | 1.6                                    | 2.6                                    | 2.1                                    |
|                               | Drugs (Not Cannabis)      | 2.9                                    | 3.2                                    | 3.5                                    |
|                               | Family Offences           | 0.4                                    | 0.3                                    | 0.3                                    |
|                               | Family Offences Continued | 9.6                                    | 10.3                                   | 9.2                                    |
|                               | Vagrancy Offences         | 0.1                                    | 0.3                                    | 0.1                                    |
| <b>Drugs &amp; AntiSocial</b> |                           | <b>96.9</b>                            | <b>104.2</b>                           | <b>118.2</b>                           |

# DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

| Offence Category  | Offence Class            | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20062007 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20072008 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20082009 |
|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Dishonesty        | Burglary                 | 125.1                                  | 116.3                                  | 130.0                                  |
|                   | Car Conversion Etc       | 84.5                                   | 81.2                                   | 81.1                                   |
|                   | Dishonesty/Miscellaneous | 1.0                                    | 1.6                                    | 1.0                                    |
|                   | Fraud                    | 20.6                                   | 19.5                                   | 24.5                                   |
|                   | Receiving                | 6.9                                    | 9.0                                    | 8.2                                    |
|                   | Theft                    | 274.4                                  | 259.3                                  | 262.7                                  |
| <b>Dishonesty</b> |                          | <b>512.5</b>                           | <b>487.0</b>                           | <b>507.5</b>                           |

| Offence Category       | Offence Class           | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20062007 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20072008 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20082009 |
|------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Property Damage        | Destruction Of Property | 136.5                                  | 142.6                                  | 154.7                                  |
|                        | Endangering             | 1.0                                    | 0.6                                    | 0.4                                    |
| <b>Property Damage</b> |                         | <b>137.5</b>                           | <b>143.2</b>                           | <b>155.1</b>                           |

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|-----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Property Abuse        | Animals                         | 0.5                                    | 0.4                                    | 0.5                                    |
|                       | Arms Act Offences               | 6.6                                    | 6.1                                    | 5.3                                    |
|                       | Littering                       | 0.6                                    | 0.7                                    | 0.8                                    |
|                       | Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses | 8.4                                    | 8.1                                    | 8.2                                    |
|                       | Trespass                        | 23.0                                   | 25.6                                   | 21.2                                   |
| <b>Property Abuse</b> |                                 | <b>39.1</b>                            | <b>40.9</b>                            | <b>36.1</b>                            |

| Offence Category      | Offence Class             | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20062007 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20072008 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop<br>20082009 |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|
| Administrative        | Against Justice           | 14.5                                   | 18.6                                   | 21.9                                   |
|                       | Against National Interest | 0.0                                    | 0.0                                    | 0.1                                    |
|                       | By Law Breaches           | 0.2                                    | 0.6                                    | 0.3                                    |
|                       | Immigration               | 2.2                                    | 0.5                                    | 0.1                                    |
|                       | Justice (Special)         | 0.3                                    | 0.8                                    | 1.1                                    |
| <b>Administrative</b> |                           | <b>17.2</b>                            | <b>20.5</b>                            | <b>23.6</b>                            |

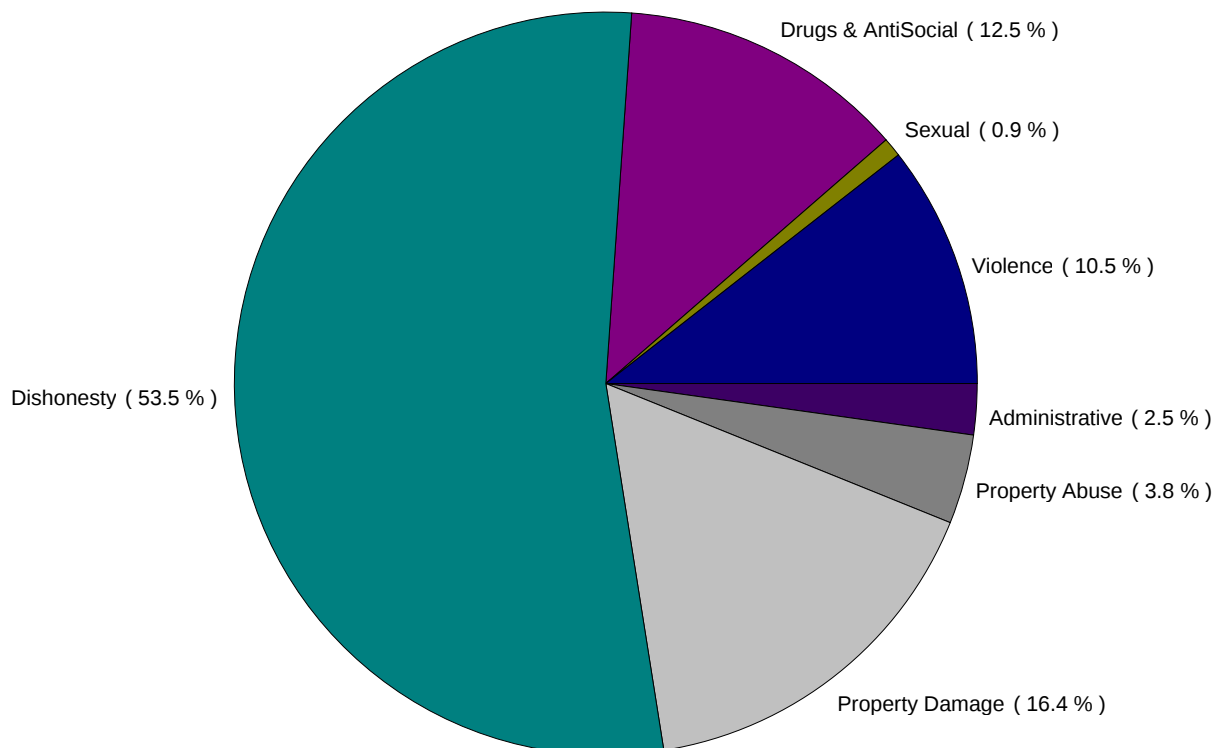
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|--------------|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| <b>TOTAL</b> |  | <b>902.5</b> | <b>894.4</b> | <b>947.9</b> |
|--------------|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|

## PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

| Offence Category   | Proportions<br>Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20062007 | Proportions<br>Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Proportions<br>Recorded<br>20082009 | Recorded<br>20082009 |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Violence           | 10.0 %                              | 4,839                | 10.1 %                              | 4,910                | 10.5 %                              | 5,468                |
| Sexual             | 1.0 %                               | 503                  | 1.0 %                               | 464                  | 0.9 %                               | 448                  |
| Drugs & AntiSocial | 10.7 %                              | 5,215                | 11.6 %                              | 5,675                | 12.5 %                              | 6,503                |
| Dishonesty         | 56.8 %                              | 27,581               | 54.4 %                              | 26,526               | 53.5 %                              | 27,933               |
| Property Damage    | 15.2 %                              | 7,400                | 16.0 %                              | 7,803                | 16.4 %                              | 8,537                |
| Property Abuse     | 4.3 %                               | 2,103                | 4.6 %                               | 2,228                | 3.8 %                               | 1,986                |
| Administrative     | 1.9 %                               | 928                  | 2.3 %                               | 1,116                | 2.5 %                               | 1,298                |
| <b>Total:</b>      | <b>100.0 %</b>                      | <b>48,569</b>        | <b>100.0 %</b>                      | <b>48,722</b>        | <b>100.0 %</b>                      | <b>52,173</b>        |

### TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2008/2008 (ending 30 June)



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

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 13,392               | 13,872               | 15,113               | 3.6 %                    | 8.9 %                    | 6,252                | 7,225                | 7,891                | 46.7 %                          | 52.1 %                          | 52.2 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 6,666                | 6,502                | 6,716                | -2.5 %                   | 3.3 %                    | 3,677                | 3,455                | 3,628                | 55.2 %                          | 53.1 %                          | 54.0 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 16,033               | 16,066               | 16,157               | 0.2 %                    | 0.6 %                    | 5,865                | 6,532                | 6,073                | 36.6 %                          | 40.7 %                          | 37.6 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 12,478               | 12,282               | 14,187               | -1.6 %                   | 15.5 %                   | 3,813                | 4,068                | 4,722                | 30.6 %                          | 33.1 %                          | 33.3 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>48,569</b>        | <b>48,722</b>        | <b>52,173</b>        | <b>0.3 %</b>             | <b>7.1 %</b>             | <b>19,607</b>        | <b>21,280</b>        | <b>22,314</b>        | <b>40.4 %</b>                   | <b>43.7 %</b>                   | <b>42.8 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## VIOLENCE

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 1,458                | 1,510                | 1,713                | 3.6 %                    | 13.4 %                   | 1,071                | 1,175                | 1,299                | 73.5 %                          | 77.8 %                          | 75.8 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 927                  | 864                  | 945                  | -6.8 %                   | 9.4 %                    | 818                  | 785                  | 849                  | 88.2 %                          | 90.9 %                          | 89.8 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 1,506                | 1,539                | 1,642                | 2.2 %                    | 6.7 %                    | 1,253                | 1,389                | 1,439                | 83.2 %                          | 90.3 %                          | 87.6 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 948                  | 997                  | 1,168                | 5.2 %                    | 17.2 %                   | 798                  | 776                  | 968                  | 84.2 %                          | 77.8 %                          | 82.9 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>4,839</b>         | <b>4,910</b>         | <b>5,468</b>         | <b>1.5 %</b>             | <b>11.4 %</b>            | <b>3,940</b>         | <b>4,125</b>         | <b>4,555</b>         | <b>81.4 %</b>                   | <b>84.0 %</b>                   | <b>83.3 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## SEXUAL

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 150                  | 100                  | 104                  | -33.3 %                  | 4.0 %                    | 98                   | 69                   | 56                   | 65.3 %                          | 69.0 %                          | 53.8 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 75                   | 67                   | 60                   | -10.7 %                  | -10.4 %                  | 49                   | 41                   | 43                   | 65.3 %                          | 61.2 %                          | 71.7 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 164                  | 183                  | 149                  | 11.6 %                   | -18.6 %                  | 132                  | 144                  | 109                  | 80.5 %                          | 78.7 %                          | 73.2 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 114                  | 114                  | 135                  | 0.0 %                    | 18.4 %                   | 65                   | 84                   | 78                   | 57.0 %                          | 73.7 %                          | 57.8 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>503</b>           | <b>464</b>           | <b>448</b>           | <b>-7.8 %</b>            | <b>-3.4 %</b>            | <b>344</b>           | <b>338</b>           | <b>286</b>           | <b>68.4 %</b>                   | <b>72.8 %</b>                   | <b>63.8 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 2,180                | 2,552                | 2,865                | 17.1 %                   | 12.3 %                   | 2,079                | 2,422                | 2,732                | 95.4 %                          | 94.9 %                          | 95.4 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 1,152                | 1,036                | 1,193                | -10.1 %                  | 15.2 %                   | 1,085                | 970                  | 1,097                | 94.2 %                          | 93.6 %                          | 92.0 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 1,117                | 1,307                | 1,303                | 17.0 %                   | -0.3 %                   | 1,034                | 1,207                | 1,239                | 92.6 %                          | 92.3 %                          | 95.1 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 766                  | 780                  | 1,142                | 1.8 %                    | 46.4 %                   | 718                  | 694                  | 1,092                | 93.7 %                          | 89.0 %                          | 95.6 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>5,215</b>         | <b>5,675</b>         | <b>6,503</b>         | <b>8.8 %</b>             | <b>14.6 %</b>            | <b>4,916</b>         | <b>5,293</b>         | <b>6,160</b>         | <b>94.3 %</b>                   | <b>93.3 %</b>                   | <b>94.7 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## DISHONESTY

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 7,388                | 7,088                | 7,185                | -4.1 %                   | 1.4 %                    | 1,950                | 2,120                | 1,976                | 26.4 %                          | 29.9 %                          | 27.5 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 2,578                | 2,486                | 2,657                | -3.6 %                   | 6.9 %                    | 937                  | 902                  | 969                  | 36.3 %                          | 36.3 %                          | 36.5 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 9,680                | 9,224                | 9,327                | -4.7 %                   | 1.1 %                    | 2,090                | 2,240                | 1,982                | 21.6 %                          | 24.3 %                          | 21.3 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 7,935                | 7,728                | 8,764                | -2.6 %                   | 13.4 %                   | 1,293                | 1,621                | 1,736                | 16.3 %                          | 21.0 %                          | 19.8 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>27,581</b>        | <b>26,526</b>        | <b>27,933</b>        | <b>-3.8 %</b>            | <b>5.3 %</b>             | <b>6,270</b>         | <b>6,883</b>         | <b>6,663</b>         | <b>22.7 %</b>                   | <b>25.9 %</b>                   | <b>23.9 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## PROPERTY DAMAGE

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 1,390                | 1,367                | 1,702                | -1.7 %                   | 24.5 %                   | 404                  | 370                  | 449                  | 29.1 %                          | 27.1 %                          | 26.4 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 1,405                | 1,569                | 1,461                | 11.7 %                   | -6.9 %                   | 355                  | 378                  | 346                  | 25.3 %                          | 24.1 %                          | 23.7 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 2,625                | 2,906                | 2,958                | 10.7 %                   | 1.8 %                    | 588                  | 788                  | 605                  | 22.4 %                          | 27.1 %                          | 20.5 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 1,980                | 1,961                | 2,416                | -1.0 %                   | 23.2 %                   | 341                  | 409                  | 409                  | 17.2 %                          | 20.9 %                          | 16.9 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>7,400</b>         | <b>7,803</b>         | <b>8,537</b>         | <b>5.4 %</b>             | <b>9.4 %</b>             | <b>1,688</b>         | <b>1,945</b>         | <b>1,809</b>         | <b>22.8 %</b>                   | <b>24.9 %</b>                   | <b>21.2 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## PROPERTY ABUSE

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 511                  | 583                  | 591                  | 14.1 %                   | 1.4 %                    | 373                  | 403                  | 441                  | 73.0 %                          | 69.1 %                          | 74.6 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 444                  | 393                  | 327                  | -11.5 %                  | -16.8 %                  | 351                  | 293                  | 257                  | 79.1 %                          | 74.6 %                          | 78.6 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 682                  | 733                  | 636                  | 7.5 %                    | -13.2 %                  | 529                  | 600                  | 558                  | 77.6 %                          | 81.9 %                          | 87.7 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 466                  | 519                  | 432                  | 11.4 %                   | -16.8 %                  | 333                  | 340                  | 317                  | 71.5 %                          | 65.5 %                          | 73.4 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>2,103</b>         | <b>2,228</b>         | <b>1,986</b>         | <b>5.9 %</b>             | <b>-10.9 %</b>           | <b>1,586</b>         | <b>1,636</b>         | <b>1,573</b>         | <b>75.4 %</b>                   | <b>73.4 %</b>                   | <b>79.2 %</b>                   |

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

years ending 30 June

## ADMINISTRATIVE

| Area Description     | Recorded<br>20062007 | Recorded<br>20072008 | Recorded<br>20082009 | Variance<br>06/07- 07/08 | Variance<br>07/08- 08/09 | Resolved<br>20062007 | Resolved<br>20072008 | Resolved<br>20082009 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20062007 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20072008 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>20082009 |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Christchurch Central | 315                  | 672                  | 953                  | 113.3 %                  | 41.8 %                   | 277                  | 666                  | 938                  | 87.9 %                          | 99.1 %                          | 98.4 %                          |
| Mid South Canterbury | 85                   | 87                   | 73                   | 2.4 %                    | -16.1 %                  | 82                   | 86                   | 67                   | 96.5 %                          | 98.9 %                          | 91.8 %                          |
| Northern Canterbury  | 259                  | 174                  | 142                  | -32.8 %                  | -18.4 %                  | 239                  | 164                  | 141                  | 92.3 %                          | 94.3 %                          | 99.3 %                          |
| Southern Canterbury  | 269                  | 183                  | 130                  | -32.0 %                  | -29.0 %                  | 265                  | 144                  | 122                  | 98.5 %                          | 78.7 %                          | 93.8 %                          |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>928</b>           | <b>1,116</b>         | <b>1,298</b>         | <b>20.3 %</b>            | <b>16.3 %</b>            | <b>863</b>           | <b>1,060</b>         | <b>1,268</b>         | <b>93.0 %</b>                   | <b>95.0 %</b>                   | <b>97.7 %</b>                   |

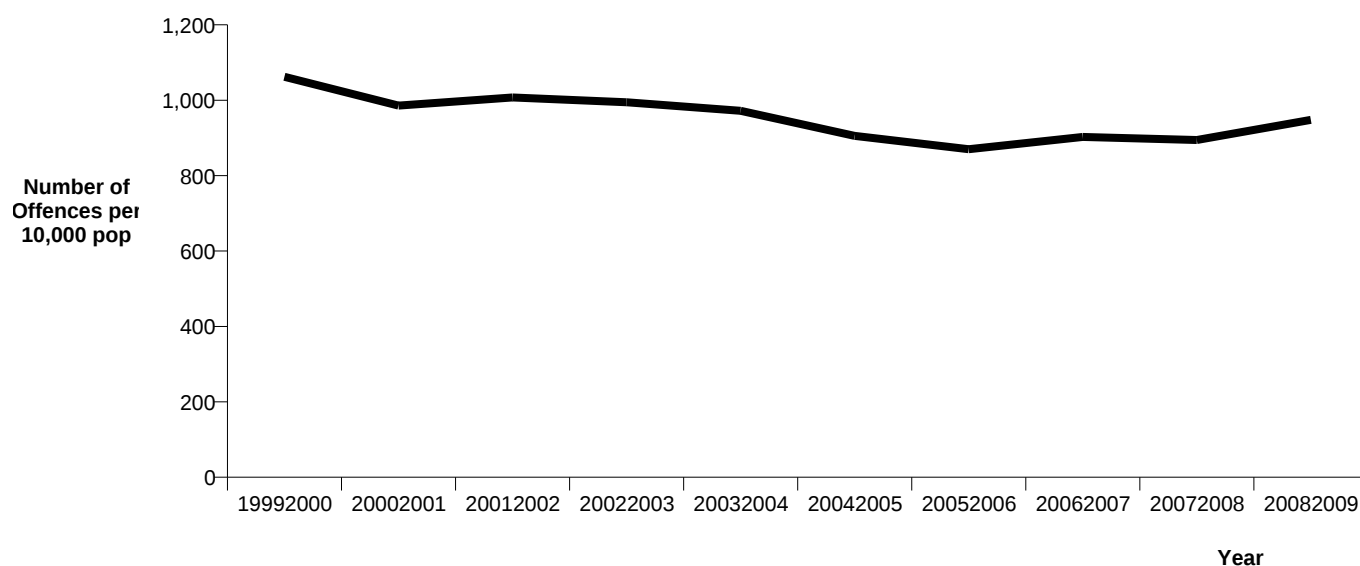
# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

Years ending 30 June

## TOTAL CRIME

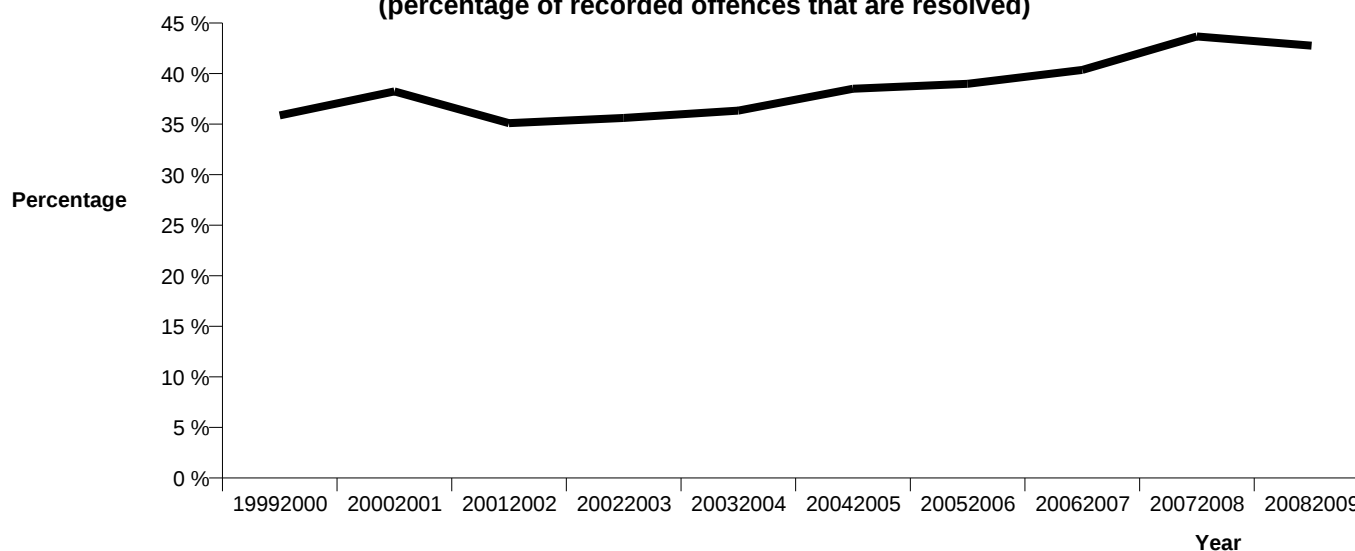
| Fiscal Year | Recorded Offences | Variation in Recorded Offences | Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population | Variation per 10,000 Population | Total Resolved Offences | Resolution Rate | Variation in Resolution Rate |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 51,734            |                                | 1,062.2                                 |                                 | 18,553                  | 35.9 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 48,271            | -6.7 %                         | 985.7                                   | -7.2 %                          | 18,459                  | 38.2 %          | 2.4 %                        |
| 20012002    | 49,937            | 3.5 %                          | 1,007.3                                 | 2.2 %                           | 17,530                  | 35.1 %          | -3.1 %                       |
| 20022003    | 50,242            | 0.6 %                          | 994.7                                   | -1.3 %                          | 17,891                  | 35.6 %          | 0.5 %                        |
| 20032004    | 50,042            | -0.4 %                         | 972.1                                   | -2.3 %                          | 18,188                  | 36.3 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 20042005    | 47,351            | -5.4 %                         | 905.4                                   | -6.9 %                          | 18,230                  | 38.5 %          | 2.2 %                        |
| 20052006    | 46,173            | -2.5 %                         | 870.0                                   | -3.9 %                          | 18,003                  | 39.0 %          | 0.5 %                        |
| 20062007    | 48,569            | 5.2 %                          | 902.5                                   | 3.7 %                           | 19,607                  | 40.4 %          | 1.4 %                        |
| 20072008    | 48,722            | 0.3 %                          | 894.4                                   | -0.9 %                          | 21,280                  | 43.7 %          | 3.3 %                        |
| 20082009    | 52,173            | 7.1 %                          | 947.9                                   | 6.0 %                           | 22,314                  | 42.8 %          | -0.9 %                       |

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



### Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



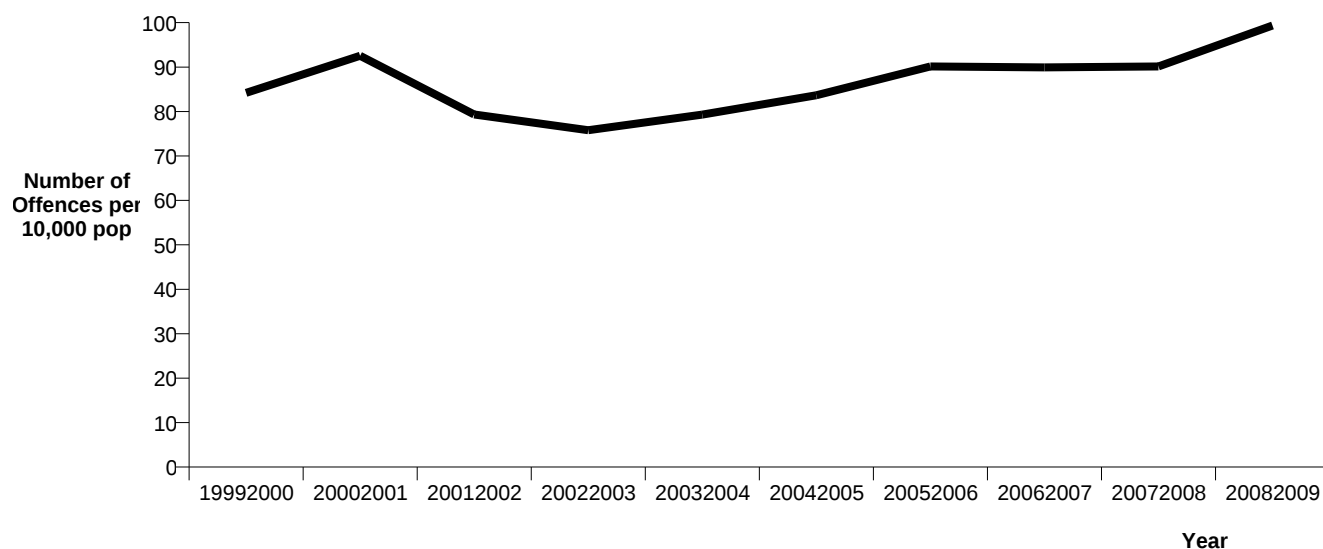
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Years ending 30 June

## VIOLENCE

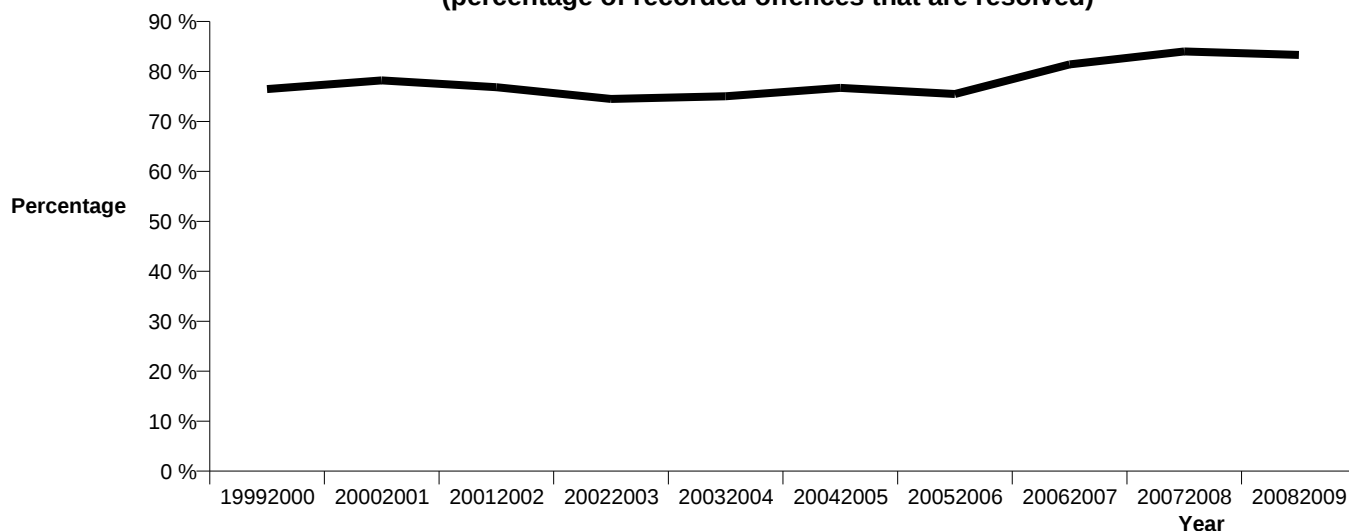
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 4,101             |                                | 84.2                                    |                                 | 3,136                   | 76.5 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 4,532             | 10.5 %                         | 92.5                                    | 9.9 %                           | 3,544                   | 78.2 %          | 1.7 %                        |
| 20012002    | 3,933             | -13.2 %                        | 79.3                                    | -14.3 %                         | 3,023                   | 76.9 %          | -1.3 %                       |
| 20022003    | 3,829             | -2.6 %                         | 75.8                                    | -4.4 %                          | 2,853                   | 74.5 %          | -2.4 %                       |
| 20032004    | 4,083             | 6.6 %                          | 79.3                                    | 4.6 %                           | 3,064                   | 75.0 %          | 0.5 %                        |
| 20042005    | 4,376             | 7.2 %                          | 83.7                                    | 5.5 %                           | 3,357                   | 76.7 %          | 1.7 %                        |
| 20052006    | 4,784             | 9.3 %                          | 90.1                                    | 7.7 %                           | 3,612                   | 75.5 %          | -1.2 %                       |
| 20062007    | 4,839             | 1.1 %                          | 89.9                                    | -0.2 %                          | 3,940                   | 81.4 %          | 5.9 %                        |
| 20072008    | 4,910             | 1.5 %                          | 90.1                                    | 0.2 %                           | 4,125                   | 84.0 %          | 2.6 %                        |
| 20082009    | 5,468             | 11.4 %                         | 99.3                                    | 10.2 %                          | 4,555                   | 83.3 %          | -0.7 %                       |

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



### Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

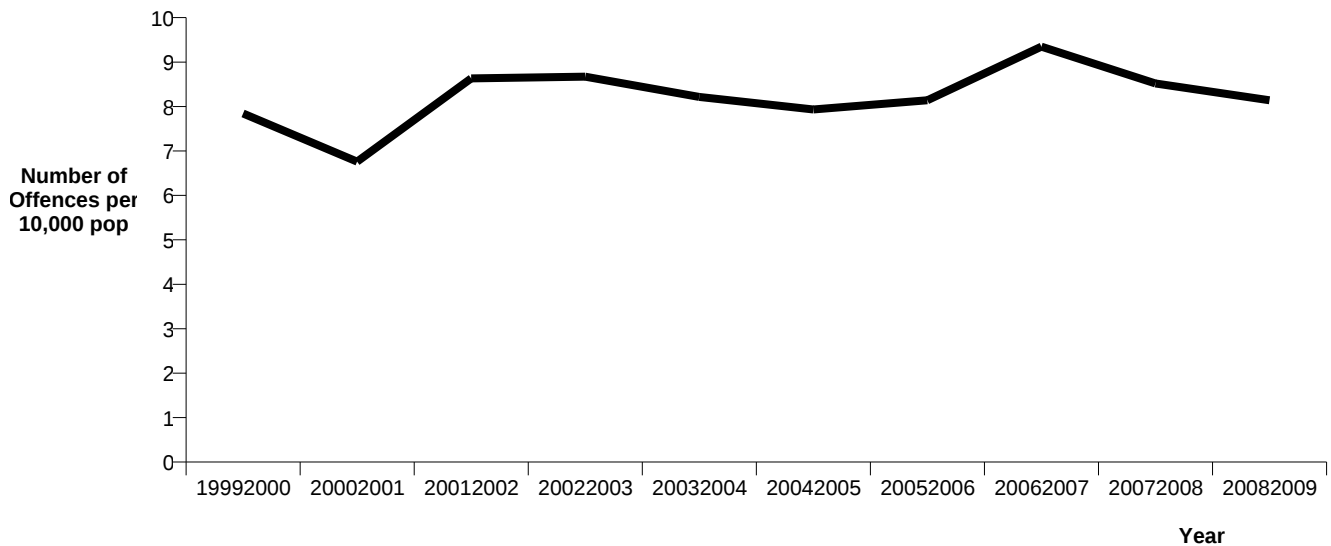


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,  
BY CATEGORY  
Years ending 30 June**

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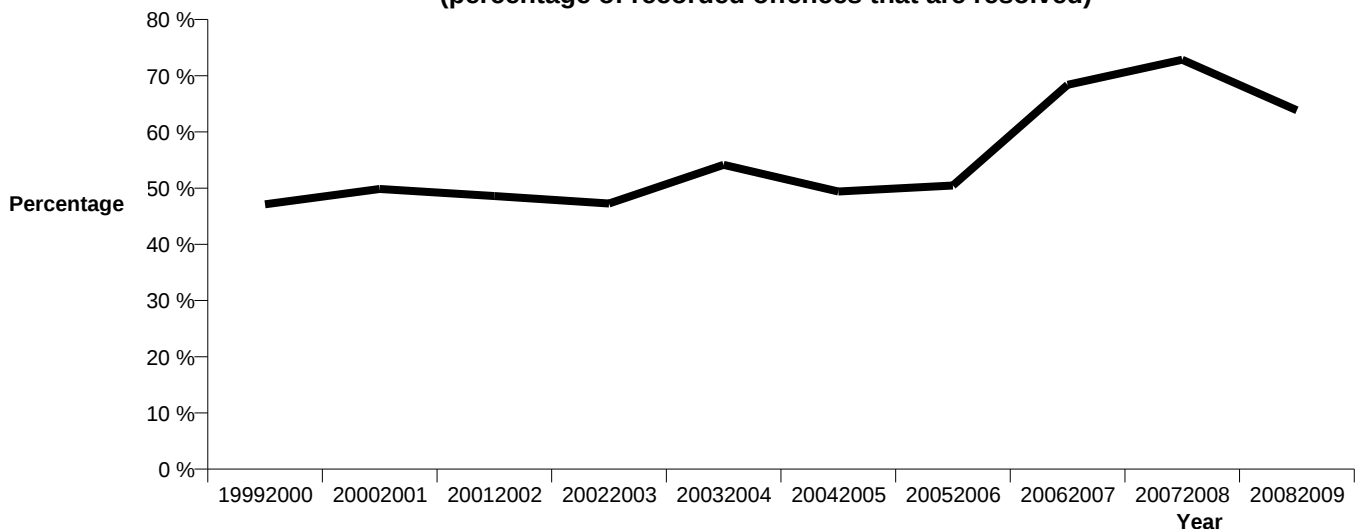
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 382               |                                | 7.8                                     |                                 | 180                     | 47.1 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 331               | -13.4 %                        | 6.8                                     | -13.8 %                         | 165                     | 49.8 %          | 2.7 %                        |
| 20012002    | 428               | 29.3 %                         | 8.6                                     | 27.7 %                          | 208                     | 48.6 %          | -1.3 %                       |
| 20022003    | 438               | 2.3 %                          | 8.7                                     | 0.4 %                           | 207                     | 47.3 %          | -1.3 %                       |
| 20032004    | 423               | -3.4 %                         | 8.2                                     | -5.2 %                          | 229                     | 54.1 %          | 6.9 %                        |
| 20042005    | 415               | -1.9 %                         | 7.9                                     | -3.4 %                          | 205                     | 49.4 %          | -4.7 %                       |
| 20052006    | 432               | 4.1 %                          | 8.1                                     | 2.6 %                           | 218                     | 50.5 %          | 1.1 %                        |
| 20062007    | 503               | 16.4 %                         | 9.3                                     | 14.8 %                          | 344                     | 68.4 %          | 17.9 %                       |
| 20072008    | 464               | -7.8 %                         | 8.5                                     | -8.9 %                          | 338                     | 72.8 %          | 4.5 %                        |
| 20082009    | 448               | -3.4 %                         | 8.1                                     | -4.4 %                          | 286                     | 63.8 %          | -9.0 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



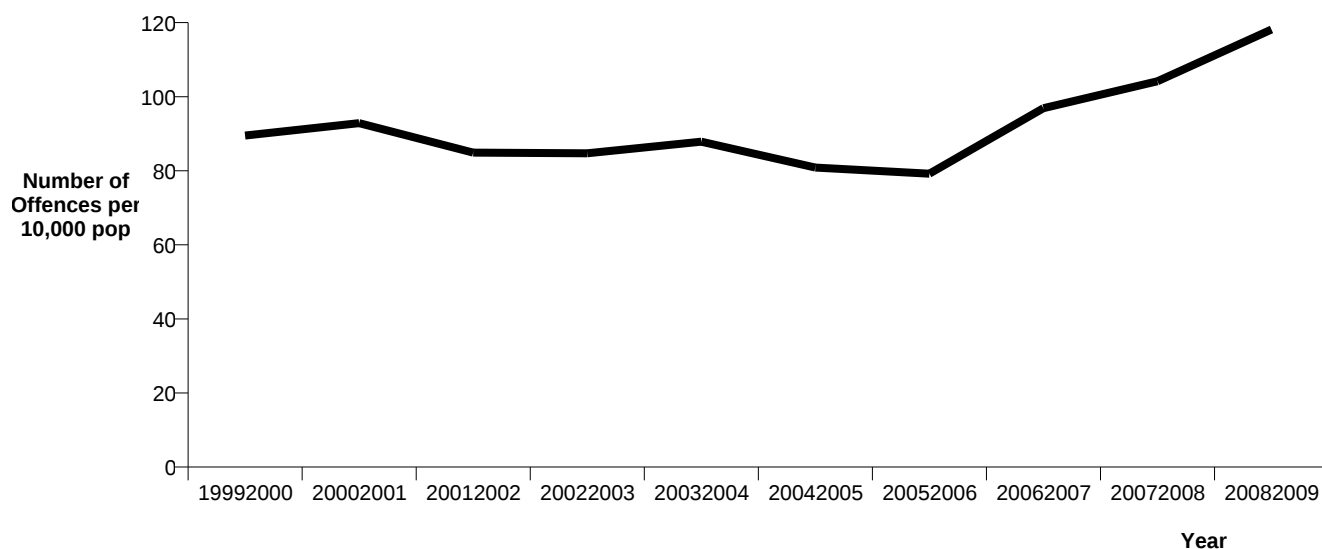
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Years ending 30 June

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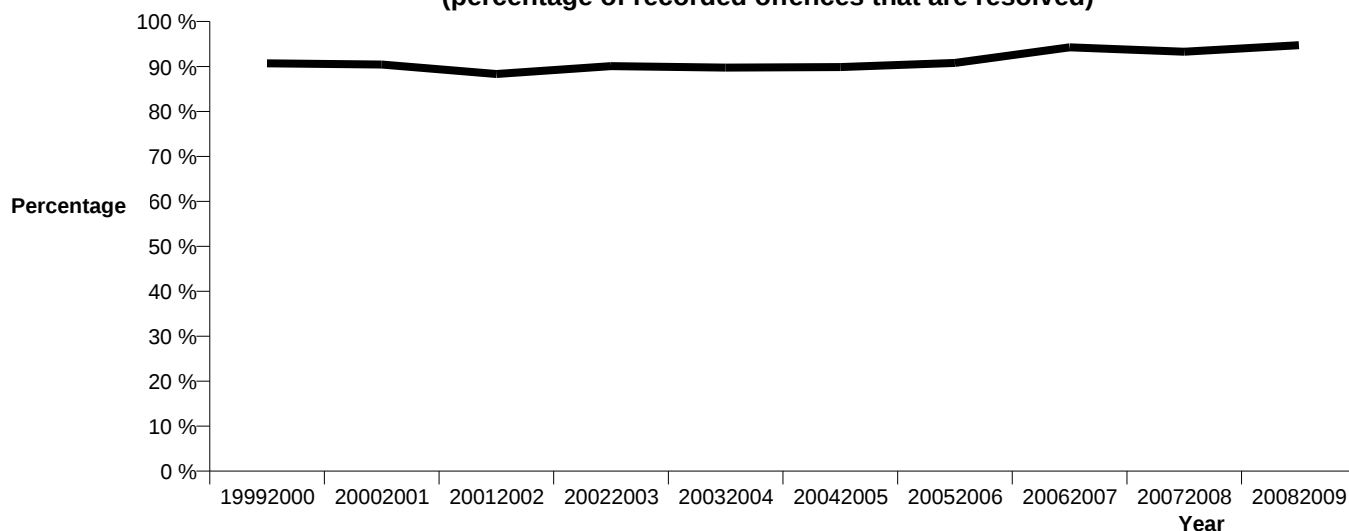
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 4,360             |                                | 89.5                                    |                                 | 3,954                   | 90.7 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 4,547             | 4.3 %                          | 92.8                                    | 3.7 %                           | 4,112                   | 90.4 %          | -0.3 %                       |
| 20012002    | 4,209             | -7.4 %                         | 84.9                                    | -8.6 %                          | 3,718                   | 88.3 %          | -2.1 %                       |
| 20022003    | 4,279             | 1.7 %                          | 84.7                                    | -0.2 %                          | 3,855                   | 90.1 %          | 1.8 %                        |
| 20032004    | 4,522             | 5.7 %                          | 87.8                                    | 3.7 %                           | 4,058                   | 89.7 %          | -0.4 %                       |
| 20042005    | 4,230             | -6.5 %                         | 80.9                                    | -7.9 %                          | 3,801                   | 89.9 %          | 0.1 %                        |
| 20052006    | 4,204             | -0.6 %                         | 79.2                                    | -2.1 %                          | 3,817                   | 90.8 %          | 0.9 %                        |
| 20062007    | 5,215             | 24.0 %                         | 96.9                                    | 22.3 %                          | 4,916                   | 94.3 %          | 3.5 %                        |
| 20072008    | 5,675             | 8.8 %                          | 104.2                                   | 7.5 %                           | 5,293                   | 93.3 %          | -1.0 %                       |
| 20082009    | 6,503             | 14.6 %                         | 118.2                                   | 13.4 %                          | 6,160                   | 94.7 %          | 1.5 %                        |

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

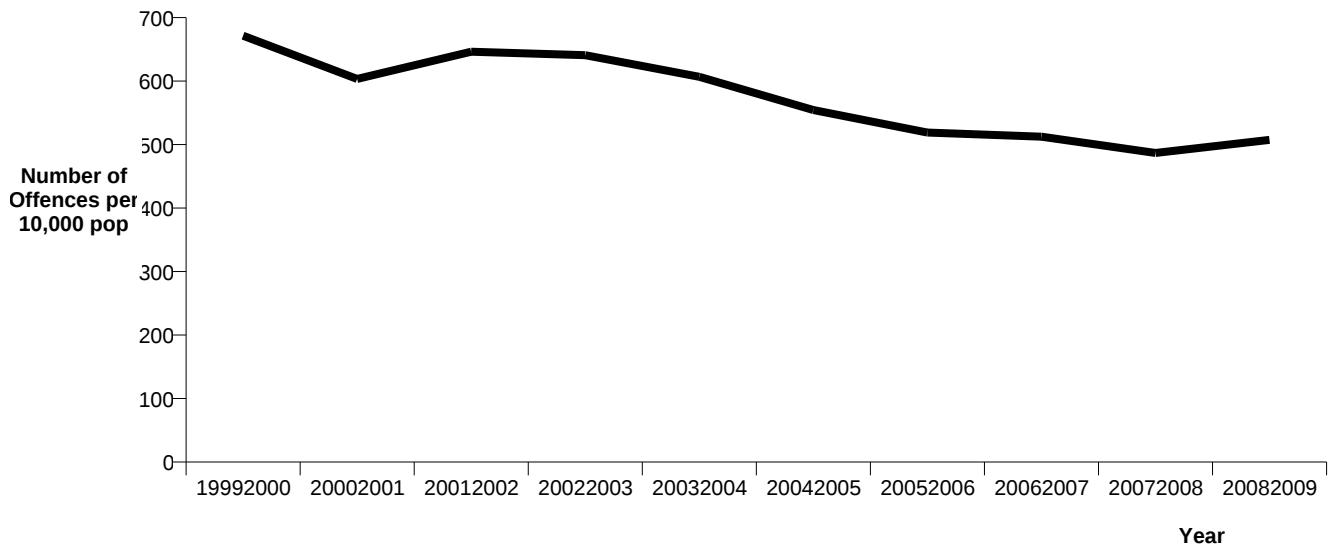


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**DISHONESTY**

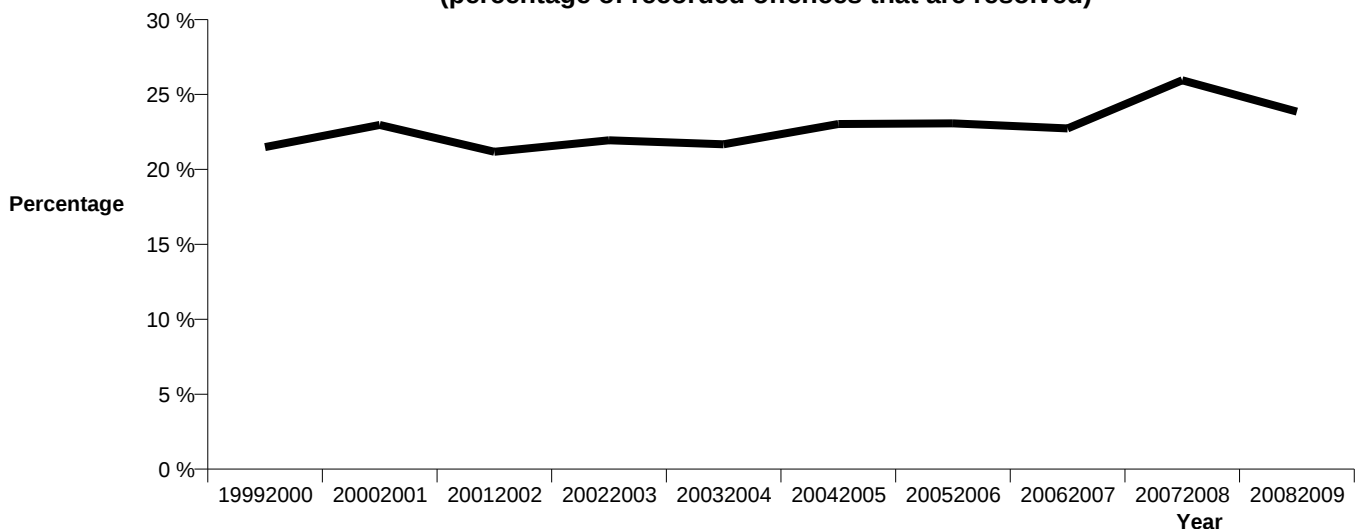
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 32,709            |                                | 671.6                                   |                                 | 7,027                   | 21.5 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 29,558            | -9.6 %                         | 603.6                                   | -10.1 %                         | 6,789                   | 23.0 %          | 1.5 %                        |
| 20012002    | 32,039            | 8.4 %                          | 646.3                                   | 7.1 %                           | 6,785                   | 21.2 %          | -1.8 %                       |
| 20022003    | 32,372            | 1.0 %                          | 640.9                                   | -0.8 %                          | 7,103                   | 21.9 %          | 0.8 %                        |
| 20032004    | 31,241            | -3.5 %                         | 606.9                                   | -5.3 %                          | 6,772                   | 21.7 %          | -0.3 %                       |
| 20042005    | 29,004            | -7.2 %                         | 554.6                                   | -8.6 %                          | 6,678                   | 23.0 %          | 1.3 %                        |
| 20052006    | 27,543            | -5.0 %                         | 519.0                                   | -6.4 %                          | 6,354                   | 23.1 %          | 0.0 %                        |
| 20062007    | 27,581            | 0.1 %                          | 512.5                                   | -1.2 %                          | 6,270                   | 22.7 %          | -0.3 %                       |
| 20072008    | 26,526            | -3.8 %                         | 487.0                                   | -5.0 %                          | 6,883                   | 25.9 %          | 3.2 %                        |
| 20082009    | 27,933            | 5.3 %                          | 507.5                                   | 4.2 %                           | 6,663                   | 23.9 %          | -2.1 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

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



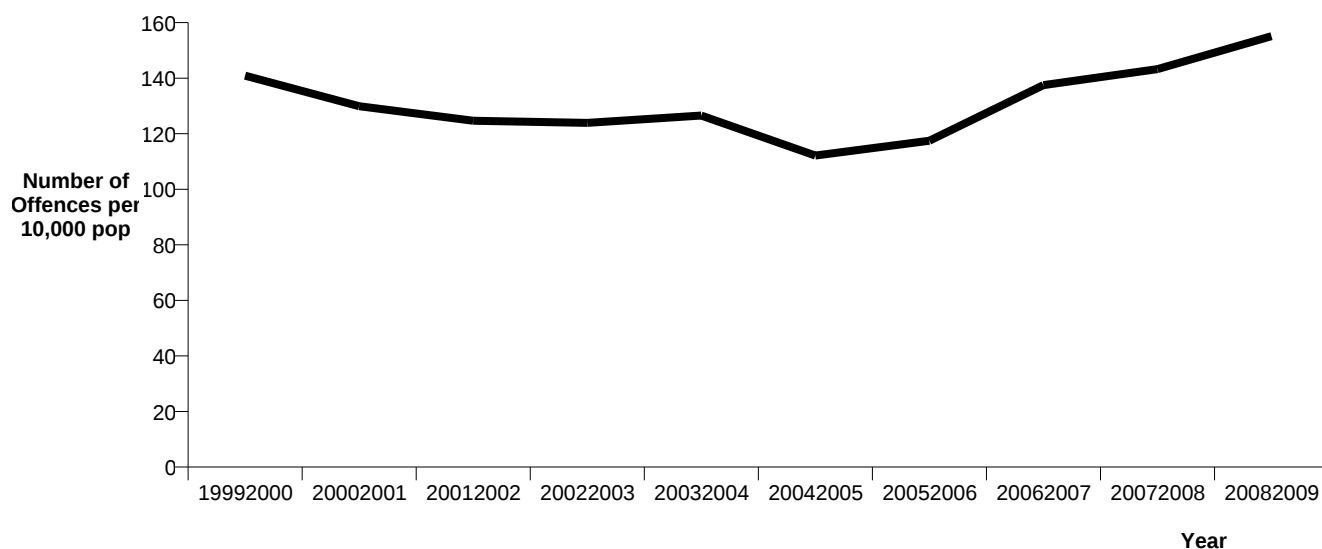
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## PROPERTY DAMAGE

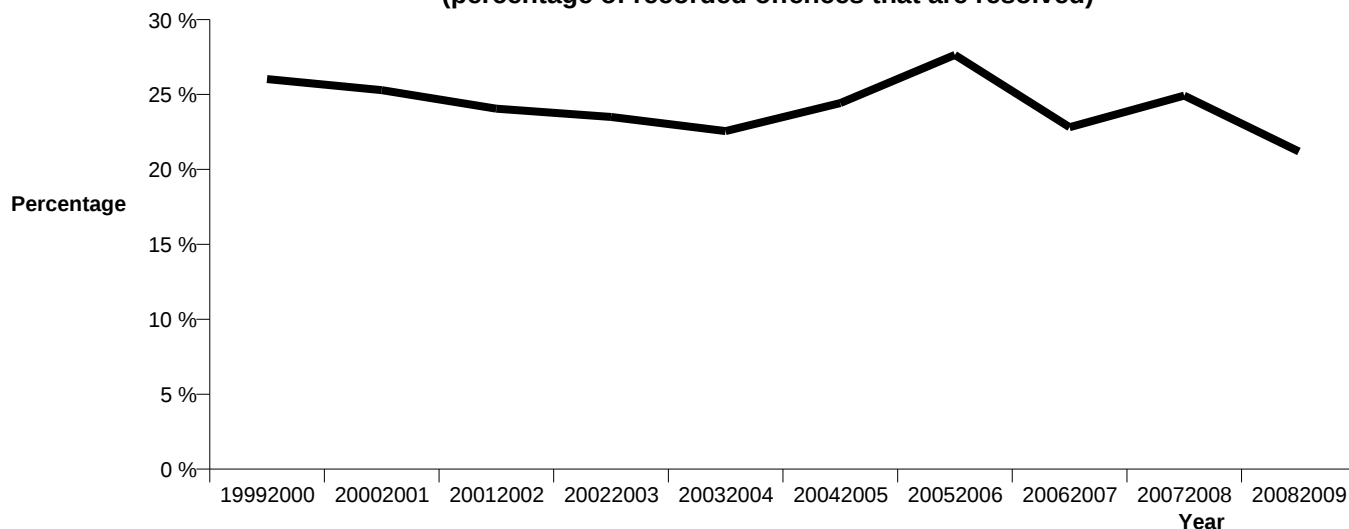
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 6,862             |                                | 140.9                                   |                                 | 1,786                   | 26.0 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 6,363             | -7.3 %                         | 129.9                                   | -7.8 %                          | 1,609                   | 25.3 %          | -0.7 %                       |
| 20012002    | 6,182             | -2.8 %                         | 124.7                                   | -4.0 %                          | 1,487                   | 24.1 %          | -1.2 %                       |
| 20022003    | 6,259             | 1.2 %                          | 123.9                                   | -0.6 %                          | 1,471                   | 23.5 %          | -0.6 %                       |
| 20032004    | 6,516             | 4.1 %                          | 126.6                                   | 2.1 %                           | 1,470                   | 22.6 %          | -0.9 %                       |
| 20042005    | 5,866             | -10.0 %                        | 112.2                                   | -11.4 %                         | 1,433                   | 24.4 %          | 1.9 %                        |
| 20052006    | 6,235             | 6.3 %                          | 117.5                                   | 4.7 %                           | 1,723                   | 27.6 %          | 3.2 %                        |
| 20062007    | 7,400             | 18.7 %                         | 137.5                                   | 17.1 %                          | 1,688                   | 22.8 %          | -4.8 %                       |
| 20072008    | 7,803             | 5.4 %                          | 143.2                                   | 4.2 %                           | 1,945                   | 24.9 %          | 2.1 %                        |
| 20082009    | 8,537             | 9.4 %                          | 155.1                                   | 8.3 %                           | 1,809                   | 21.2 %          | -3.7 %                       |

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



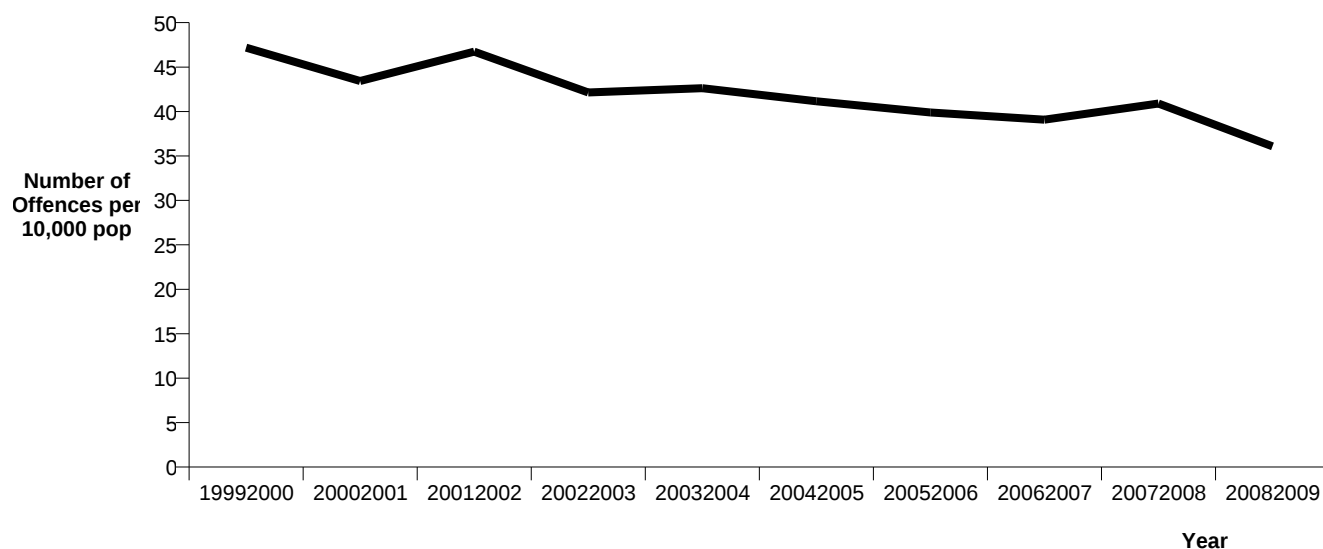
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**PROPERTY ABUSE**

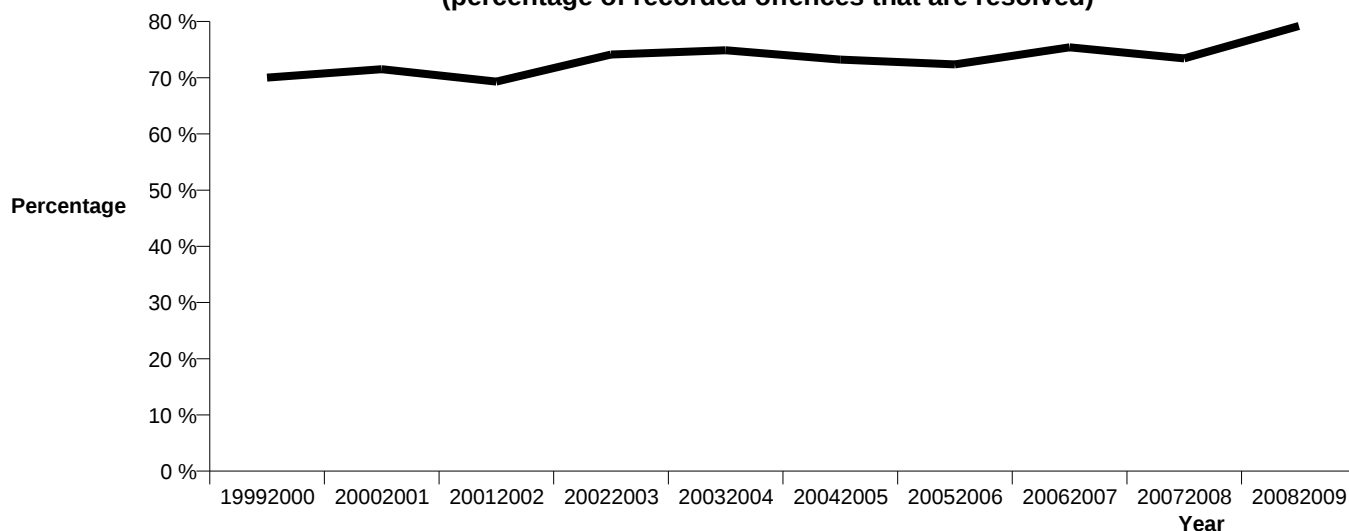
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| 19992000    | 2,298             |                                | 47.2                                    |                                 | 1,609                   | 70.0 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 2,127             | -7.4 %                         | 43.4                                    | -7.9 %                          | 1,521                   | 71.5 %          | 1.5 %                        |
| 20012002    | 2,317             | 8.9 %                          | 46.7                                    | 7.6 %                           | 1,606                   | 69.3 %          | -2.2 %                       |
| 20022003    | 2,129             | -8.1 %                         | 42.2                                    | -9.8 %                          | 1,578                   | 74.1 %          | 4.8 %                        |
| 20032004    | 2,194             | 3.1 %                          | 42.6                                    | 1.1 %                           | 1,643                   | 74.9 %          | 0.8 %                        |
| 20042005    | 2,152             | -1.9 %                         | 41.1                                    | -3.5 %                          | 1,576                   | 73.2 %          | -1.7 %                       |
| 20052006    | 2,117             | -1.6 %                         | 39.9                                    | -3.1 %                          | 1,532                   | 72.4 %          | -0.9 %                       |
| 20062007    | 2,103             | -0.7 %                         | 39.1                                    | -2.0 %                          | 1,586                   | 75.4 %          | 3.0 %                        |
| 20072008    | 2,228             | 5.9 %                          | 40.9                                    | 4.7 %                           | 1,636                   | 73.4 %          | -2.0 %                       |
| 20082009    | 1,986             | -10.9 %                        | 36.1                                    | -11.8 %                         | 1,573                   | 79.2 %          | 5.8 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

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

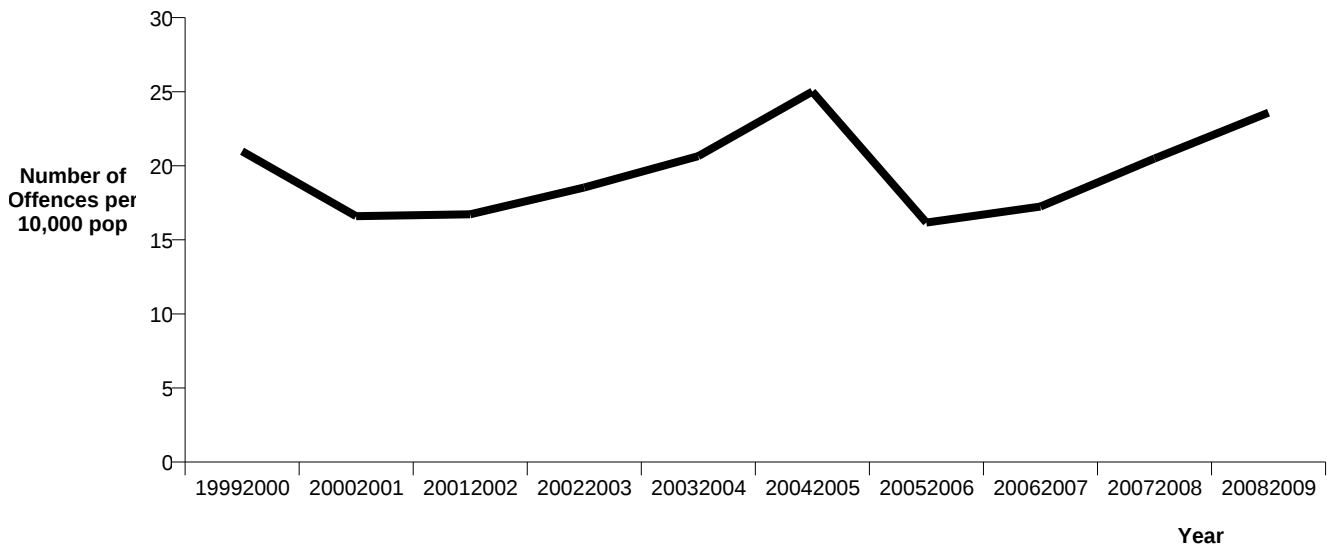


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**ADMINISTRATIVE**

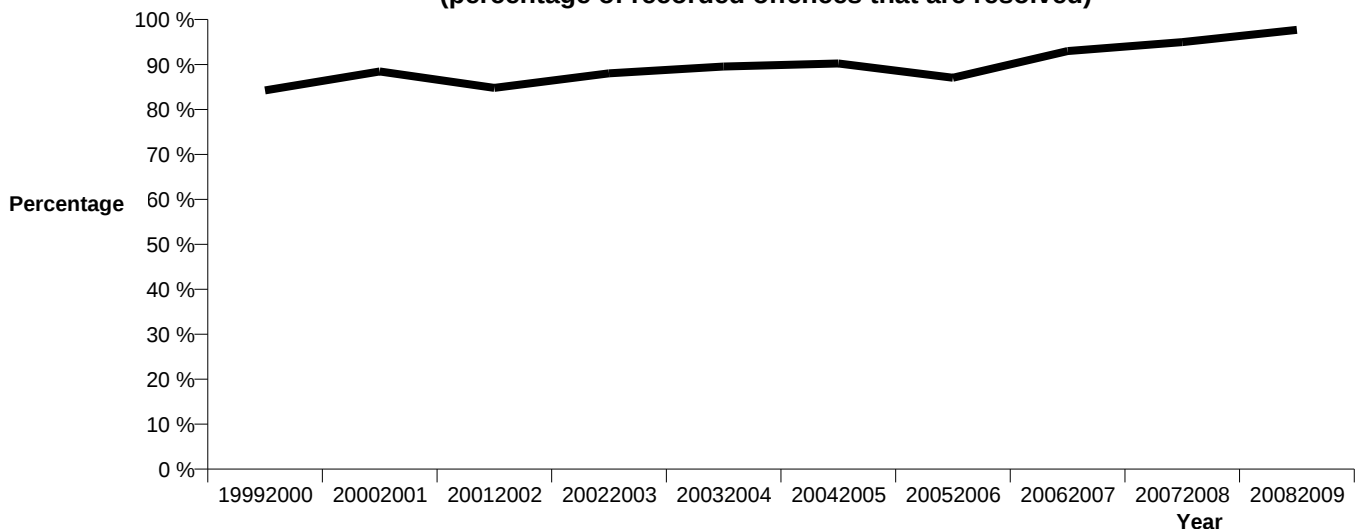
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 1,022             |                                | 21.0                                    |                                 | 861                     | 84.2 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 813               | -20.5 %                        | 16.6                                    | -20.9 %                         | 719                     | 88.4 %          | 4.2 %                        |
| 20012002    | 829               | 2.0 %                          | 16.7                                    | 0.7 %                           | 703                     | 84.8 %          | -3.6 %                       |
| 20022003    | 936               | 12.9 %                         | 18.5                                    | 10.8 %                          | 824                     | 88.0 %          | 3.2 %                        |
| 20032004    | 1,063             | 13.6 %                         | 20.6                                    | 11.4 %                          | 952                     | 89.6 %          | 1.5 %                        |
| 20042005    | 1,308             | 23.0 %                         | 25.0                                    | 21.1 %                          | 1,180                   | 90.2 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 20052006    | 858               | -34.4 %                        | 16.2                                    | -35.4 %                         | 747                     | 87.1 %          | -3.2 %                       |
| 20062007    | 928               | 8.2 %                          | 17.2                                    | 6.7 %                           | 863                     | 93.0 %          | 5.9 %                        |
| 20072008    | 1,116             | 20.3 %                         | 20.5                                    | 18.8 %                          | 1,060                   | 95.0 %          | 2.0 %                        |
| 20082009    | 1,298             | 16.3 %                         | 23.6                                    | 15.1 %                          | 1,268                   | 97.7 %          | 2.7 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



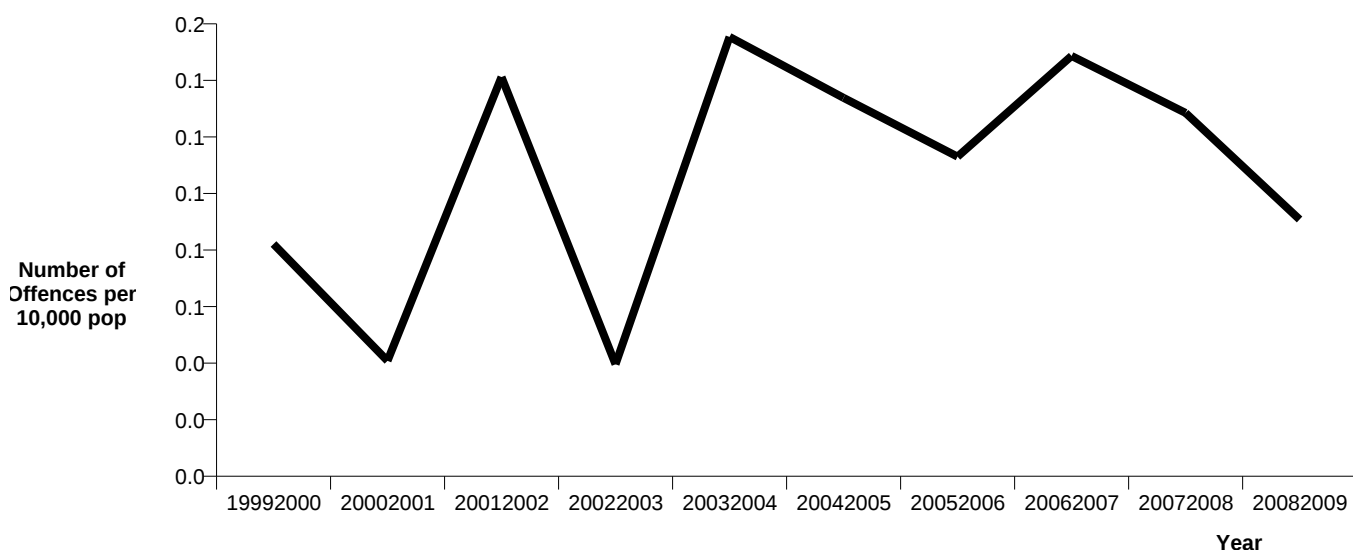
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Years ending 30 June

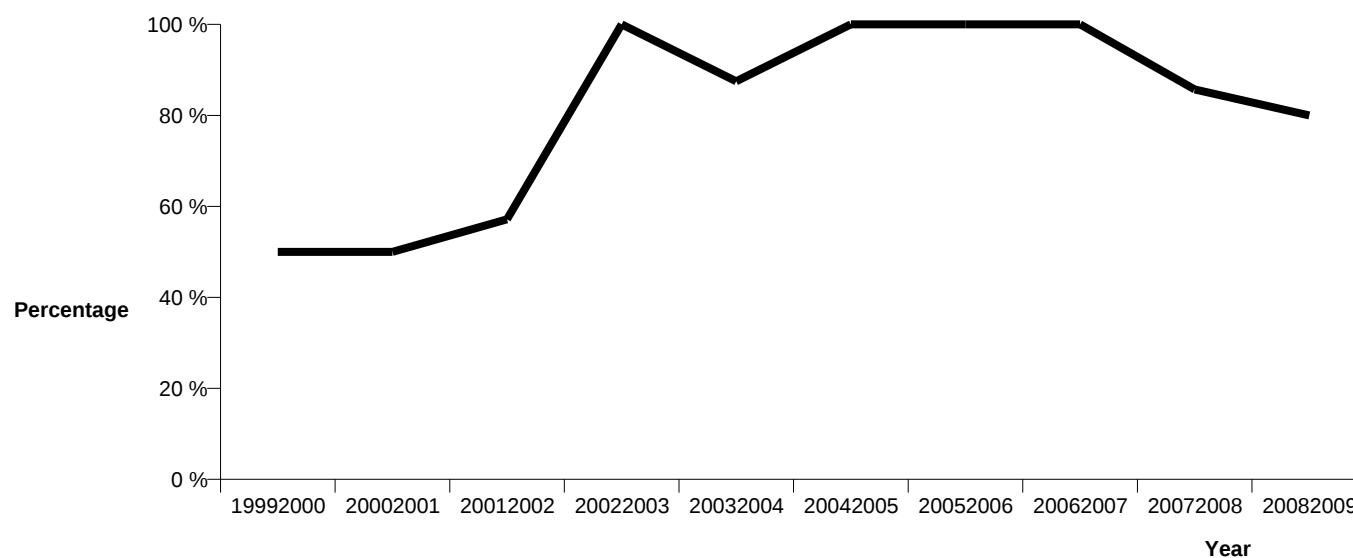
## MURDER\*

| 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 |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 4                 |                                | 0.1                                     |                                 | 2                       | 50.0 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 2                 | -50.0 %                        | 0.0                                     | -50.3 %                         | 1                       | 50.0 %          | 0.0 %                        |
| 20012002    | 7                 | 250.0 %                        | 0.1                                     | 245.8 %                         | 4                       | 57.1 %          | 7.1 %                        |
| 20022003    | 2                 | -71.4 %                        | 0.0                                     | -72.0 %                         | 2                       | 100.0 %         | 42.9 %                       |
| 20032004    | 8                 | 300.0 %                        | 0.2                                     | 292.5 %                         | 7                       | 87.5 %          | -12.5 %                      |
| 20042005    | 7                 | -12.5 %                        | 0.1                                     | -13.9 %                         | 7                       | 100.0 %         | 12.5 %                       |
| 20052006    | 6                 | -14.3 %                        | 0.1                                     | -15.5 %                         | 6                       | 100.0 %         | 0.0 %                        |
| 20062007    | 8                 | 33.3 %                         | 0.1                                     | 31.5 %                          | 8                       | 100.0 %         | 0.0 %                        |
| 20072008    | 7                 | -12.5 %                        | 0.1                                     | -13.6 %                         | 6                       | 85.7 %          | -14.3 %                      |
| 20082009    | 5                 | -28.6 %                        | 0.1                                     | -29.3 %                         | 4                       | 80.0 %          | -5.7 %                       |

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate  
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



\* Previous annual reports reported the Murder "offence type" group of offences which included incite / counsel / attempt procure murder, conspiracy to murder, and accessory after the fact to murder. This report no longer includes those offences.

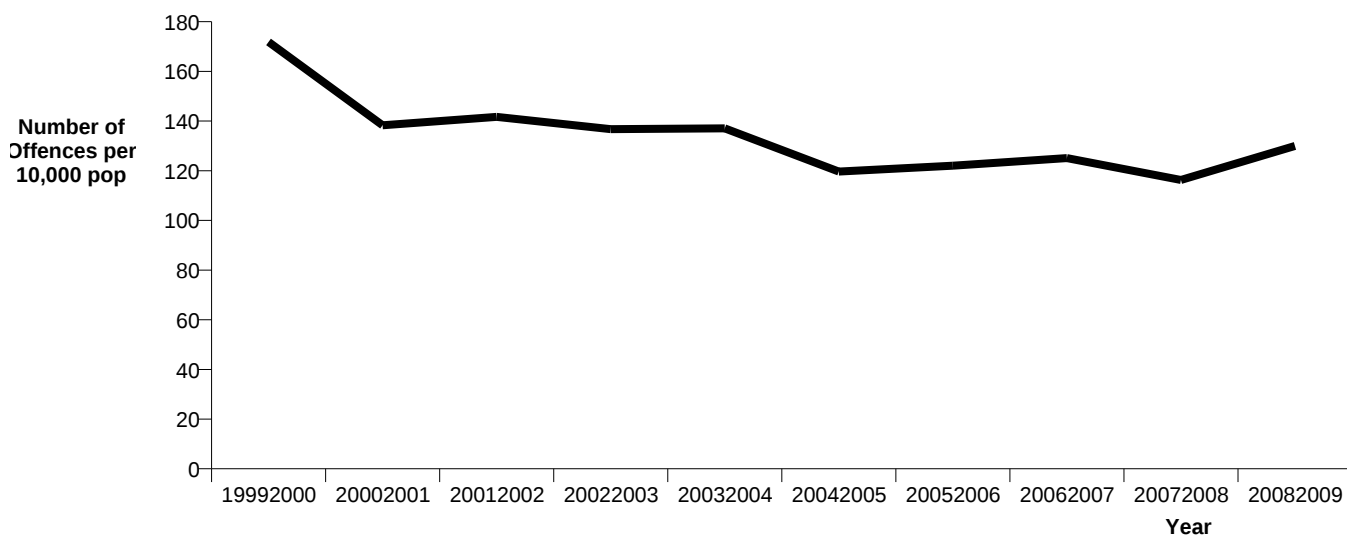
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Years ending 30 June

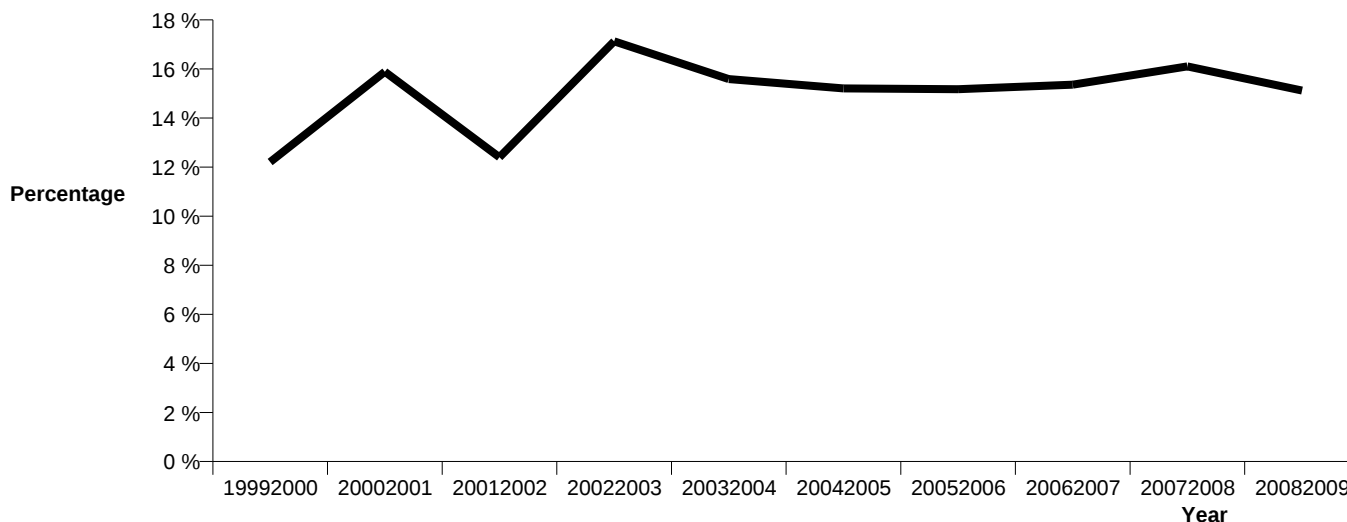
## BURGLARY

| 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 |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 8,371             |                                | 171.9                                   |                                 | 1022                    | 12.2 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 6,772             | -19.1 %                        | 138.3                                   | -19.5 %                         | 1076                    | 15.9 %          | 3.7 %                        |
| 20012002    | 7,023             | 3.7 %                          | 141.7                                   | 2.5 %                           | 871                     | 12.4 %          | -3.5 %                       |
| 20022003    | 6,906             | -1.7 %                         | 136.7                                   | -3.5 %                          | 1183                    | 17.1 %          | 4.7 %                        |
| 20032004    | 7,056             | 2.2 %                          | 137.1                                   | 0.2 %                           | 1100                    | 15.6 %          | -1.5 %                       |
| 20042005    | 6,259             | -11.3 %                        | 119.7                                   | -12.7 %                         | 952                     | 15.2 %          | -0.4 %                       |
| 20052006    | 6,478             | 3.5 %                          | 122.1                                   | 2.0 %                           | 983                     | 15.2 %          | -0.0 %                       |
| 20062007    | 6,731             | 3.9 %                          | 125.1                                   | 2.5 %                           | 1034                    | 15.4 %          | 0.2 %                        |
| 20072008    | 6,333             | -5.9 %                         | 116.3                                   | -7.1 %                          | 1020                    | 16.1 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 20082009    | 7,155             | 13.0 %                         | 130.0                                   | 11.8 %                          | 1082                    | 15.1 %          | -1.0 %                       |

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate  
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



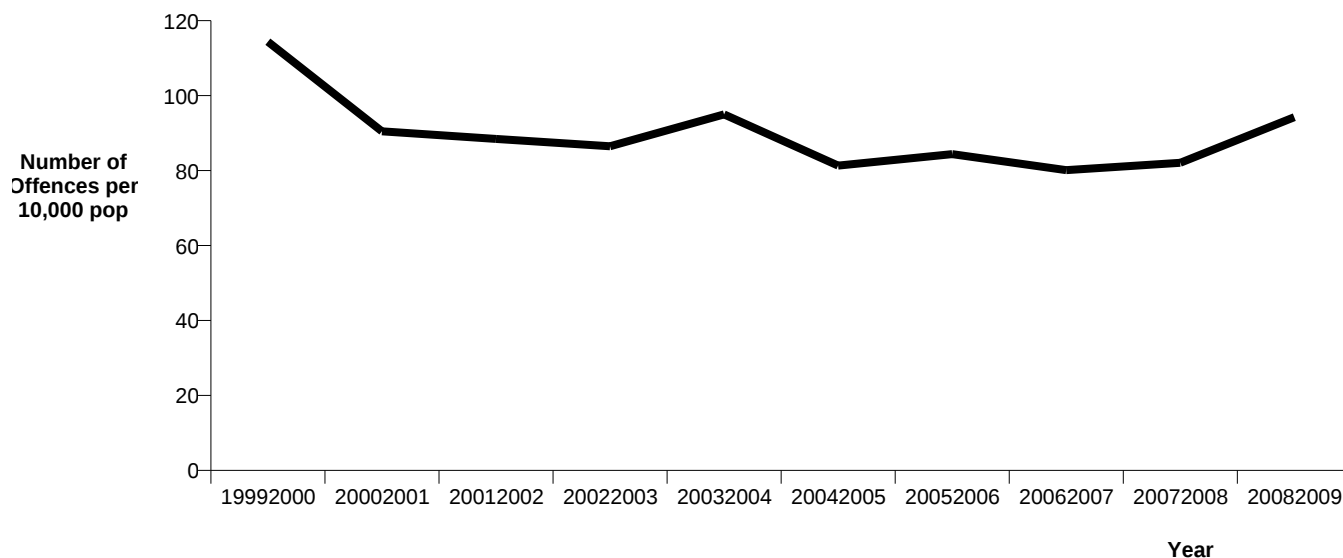
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SELECTED OFFENCE CLASS**

**Years ending 30 June**

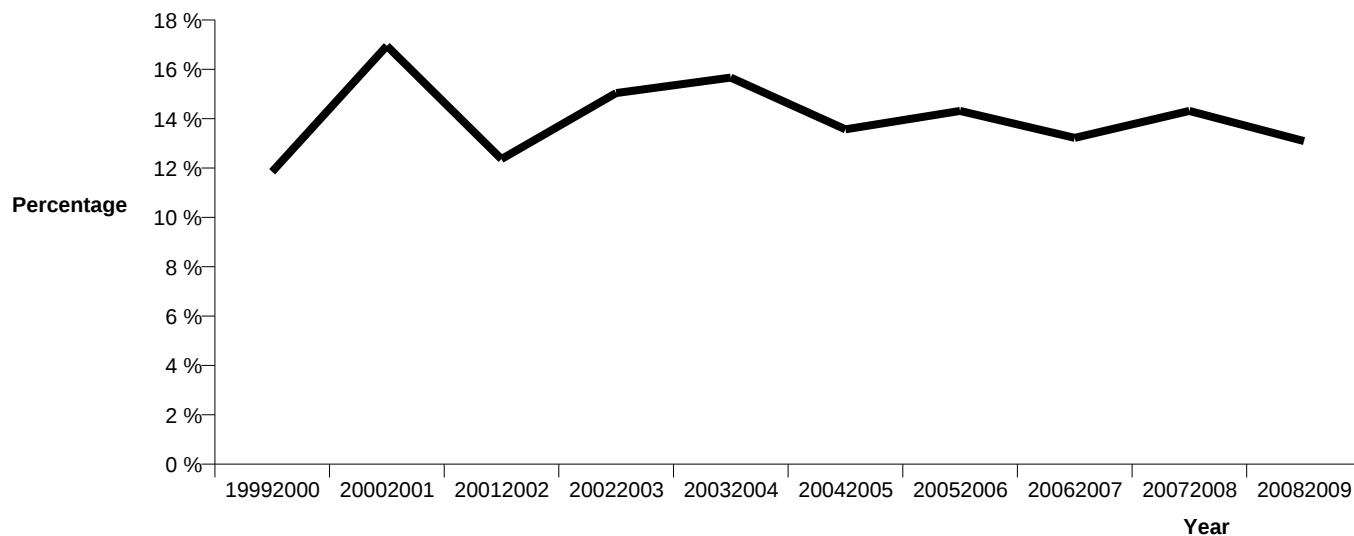
**BURGLARY DWELLING**

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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 5,571             |                                | 114.4                                   |                                 | 660                     | 11.8 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 4,431             | -20.5 %                        | 90.5                                    | -20.9 %                         | 751                     | 16.9 %          | 5.1 %                        |
| 20012002    | 4,384             | -1.1 %                         | 88.4                                    | -2.3 %                          | 542                     | 12.4 %          | -4.6 %                       |
| 20022003    | 4,369             | -0.3 %                         | 86.5                                    | -2.2 %                          | 657                     | 15.0 %          | 2.7 %                        |
| 20032004    | 4,890             | 11.9 %                         | 95.0                                    | 9.8 %                           | 766                     | 15.7 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 20042005    | 4,253             | -13.0 %                        | 81.3                                    | -14.4 %                         | 577                     | 13.6 %          | -2.1 %                       |
| 20052006    | 4,479             | 5.3 %                          | 84.4                                    | 3.8 %                           | 641                     | 14.3 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 20062007    | 4,311             | -3.8 %                         | 80.1                                    | -5.1 %                          | 570                     | 13.2 %          | -1.1 %                       |
| 20072008    | 4,471             | 3.7 %                          | 82.1                                    | 2.5 %                           | 640                     | 14.3 %          | 1.1 %                        |
| 20082009    | 5,187             | 16.0 %                         | 94.2                                    | 14.8 %                          | 679                     | 13.1 %          | -1.2 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10.000 population**



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



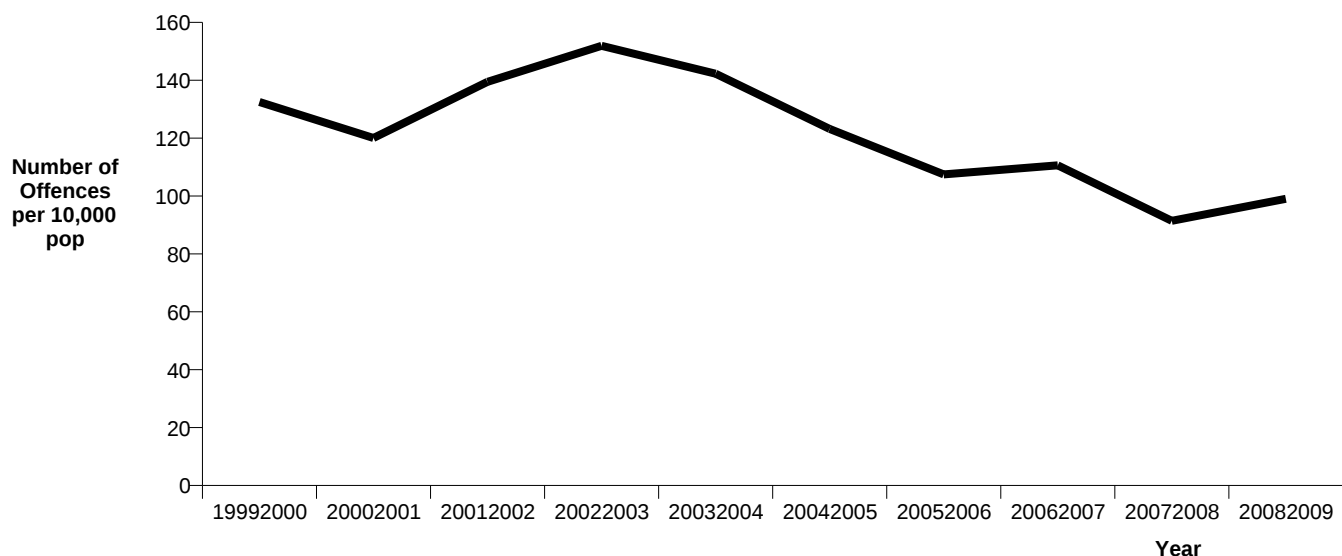
# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR SELECTED OFFENCE TYPES

Years ending 30 June

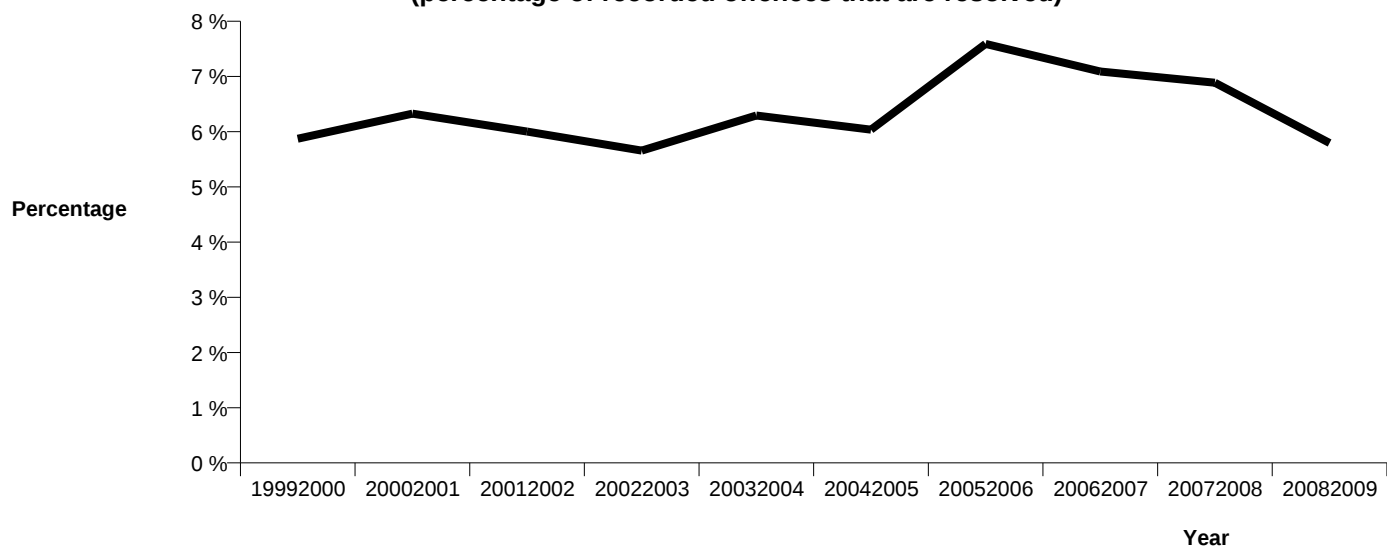
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| Fiscal Year | Recorded Offences | Variation in Recorded Offences | Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population | Variation per 10,000 Population | Total Resolved Offences | Resolution Rate | Variation in Resolution Rate |
|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 6,453             |                                | 132.5                                   |                                 | 379                     | 5.9 %           |                              |
| 20002001    | 5,880             | -8.9 %                         | 120.1                                   | -9.4 %                          | 372                     | 6.3 %           | 0.5 %                        |
| 20012002    | 6,914             | 17.6 %                         | 139.5                                   | 16.2 %                          | 415                     | 6.0 %           | -0.3 %                       |
| 20022003    | 7,672             | 11.0 %                         | 151.9                                   | 8.9 %                           | 434                     | 5.7 %           | -0.3 %                       |
| 20032004    | 7,325             | -4.5 %                         | 142.3                                   | -6.3 %                          | 461                     | 6.3 %           | 0.6 %                        |
| 20042005    | 6,444             | -12.0 %                        | 123.2                                   | -13.4 %                         | 389                     | 6.0 %           | -0.3 %                       |
| 20052006    | 5,705             | -11.5 %                        | 107.5                                   | -12.8 %                         | 433                     | 7.6 %           | 1.6 %                        |
| 20062007    | 5,952             | 4.3 %                          | 110.6                                   | 2.9 %                           | 422                     | 7.1 %           | -0.5 %                       |
| 20072008    | 4,981             | -16.3 %                        | 91.4                                    | -17.3 %                         | 343                     | 6.9 %           | -0.2 %                       |
| 20082009    | 5,453             | 9.5 %                          | 99.1                                    | 8.4 %                           | 316                     | 5.8 %           | -1.1 %                       |

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate  
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

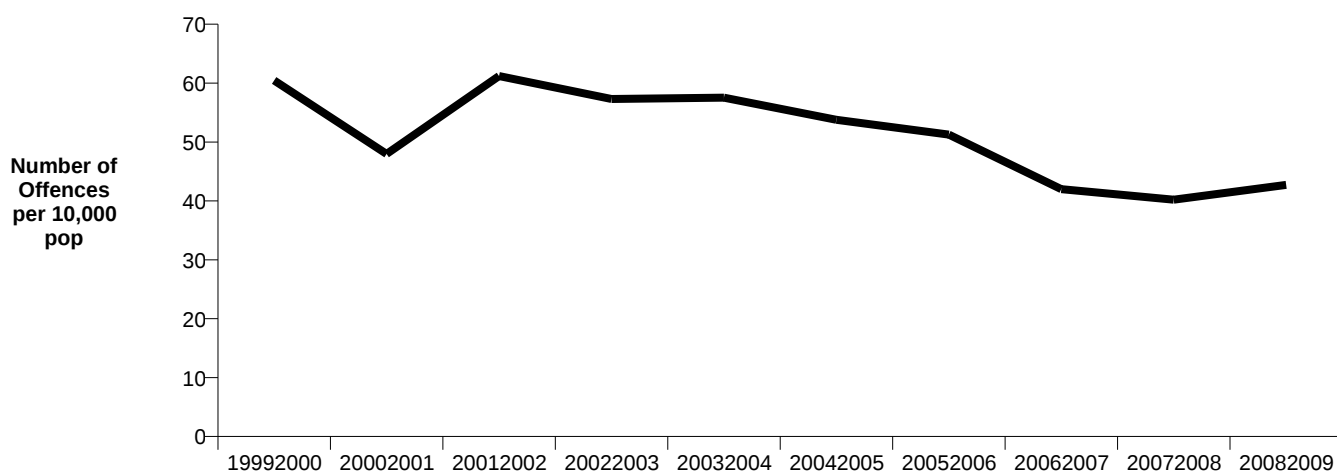


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR  
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Years ending 30 June**

**CAR THEFT & UNLAWFUL TAKING/CONVERSION OF MOTOR VEHICLES**

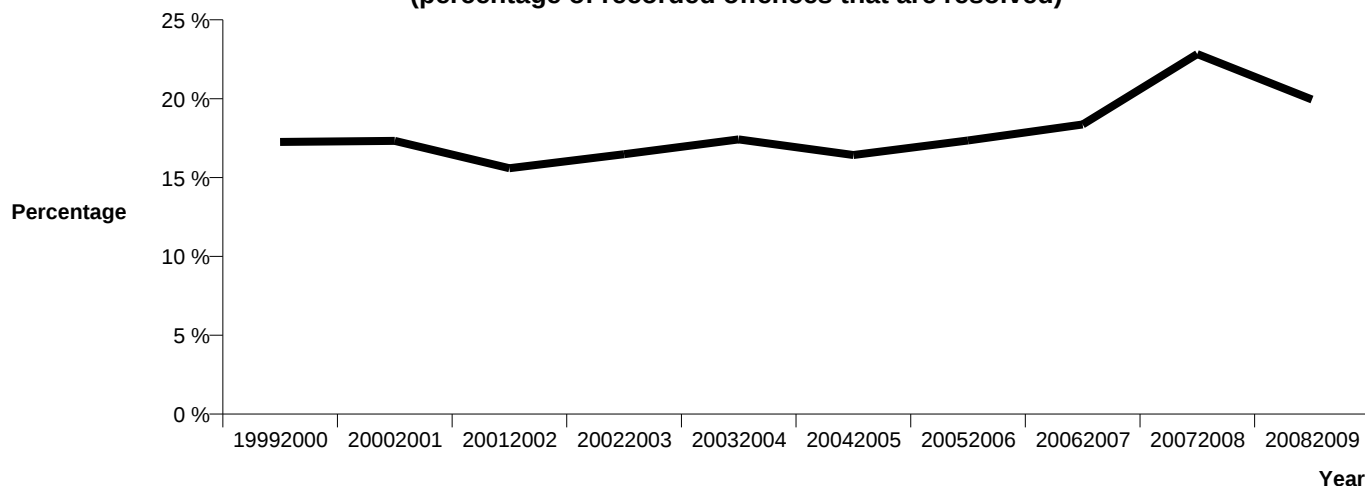
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|-------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 19992000    | 2,944             |                                | 60.4                                    |                                 | 508                     | 17.3 %          |                              |
| 20002001    | 2,349             | -20.2 %                        | 48.0                                    | -20.6 %                         | 407                     | 17.3 %          | 0.1 %                        |
| 20012002    | 3,034             | 29.2 %                         | 61.2                                    | 27.6 %                          | 473                     | 15.6 %          | -1.7 %                       |
| 20022003    | 2,895             | -4.6 %                         | 57.3                                    | -6.3 %                          | 477                     | 16.5 %          | 0.9 %                        |
| 20032004    | 2,962             | 2.3 %                          | 57.5                                    | 0.4 %                           | 516                     | 17.4 %          | 0.9 %                        |
| 20042005    | 2,812             | -5.1 %                         | 53.8                                    | -6.6 %                          | 462                     | 16.4 %          | -1.0 %                       |
| 20052006    | 2,721             | -3.2 %                         | 51.3                                    | -4.6 %                          | 472                     | 17.3 %          | 0.9 %                        |
| 20062007    | 2,260             | -16.9 %                        | 42.0                                    | -18.1 %                         | 415                     | 18.4 %          | 1.0 %                        |
| 20072008    | 2,190             | -3.1 %                         | 40.2                                    | -4.3 %                          | 500                     | 22.8 %          | 4.5 %                        |
| 20082009    | 2,351             | 7.4 %                          | 42.7                                    | 6.2 %                           | 469                     | 19.9 %          | -2.9 %                       |

**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 |
|----------|------------|
| 19992000 | 487,040    |
| 20002001 | 489,730    |
| 20012002 | 495,735    |
| 20022003 | 505,080    |
| 20032004 | 514,785    |
| 20042005 | 523,000    |
| 20052006 | 530,740    |
| 20062007 | 538,135    |
| 20072008 | 544,725    |
| 20082009 | 550,385    |