

CENTRAL DISTRICT

Police Crime Data 2002



A Summary of Recorded and Resolved Offences

**Office of the Police Commissioner
March 2003**

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
VIOLENCE	HOMICIDE	1100	15	14	18	-6.7	28.6	12	10	15	80.0	71.4	83.3
	KIDNAPPING AND ABDUCTION	1200	12	8	14	-33.3	75.0	8	5	10	66.7	62.5	71.4
	ROBBERY	1300	88	92	96	4.5	4.3	44	36	37	50.0	39.1	38.5
	GRIEVOUS ASSAULTS	1400	238	230	239	-3.4	3.9	205	192	205	86.1	83.5	85.8
	SERIOUS ASSAULTS	1500	1,261	1,237	1,346	-1.9	8.8	1,054	1,067	1,155	83.6	86.3	85.8
	MINOR ASSAULTS	1600	1,164	1,264	1,207	8.6	-4.5	941	1,046	1,000	80.8	82.8	82.9
	INTIMIDATION/THREATS	1700	787	877	877	11.4	0.0	658	763	754	83.6	87.0	86.0
	GROUP ASSEMBLIES	1800	33	28	42	-15.2	50.0	23	23	37	69.7	82.1	88.1
VIOLENCE	Sum:		3,598	3,750	3,839	4.2	2.4	2,945	3,142	3,213	81.9	83.8	83.7

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
SEXUAL OFFENCES	SEXUAL AFFRONTS	2200	57	31	22	-45.6	-29.0	28	17	14	49.1	54.8	63.6
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR	2400											
	INDECENT VIDEOS	2500											
	SEXUAL ATTACKS	2600	198	188	207	-5.1	10.1	123	93	109	62.1	49.5	52.7
	ABNORMAL SEX	2700	1	1	3	0.0	200.0	1	0	2	100.0	0.0	66.7
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR	2800	25	22	29	-12.0	31.8	18	15	15	72.0	68.2	51.7
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR/MISCELLANEOUS	2900	3	3	4	0.0	33.3	0	1	0	0.0	33.3	0.0
SEXUAL OFFENCES	Sum:		284	245	265	-13.7	8.2	170	126	140	59.9	51.4	52.8

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES	DRUGS (NOT CANNABIS)	3100	116	141	127	21.6	-9.9	110	133	122	94.8	94.3	96.1
	DRUGS(CANNABIS ONLY)	3200	2,254	2,136	1,659	-5.2	-22.3	2,152	2,033	1,576	95.5	95.2	95.0
	GAMING	3400	3	1	2	-66.7	100.0	2	0	1	66.7	0.0	50.0
	DISORDER	3500	1,825	1,842	1,607	0.9	-12.8	1,705	1,752	1,532	93.4	95.1	95.3
	VAGRANCY OFFENCES	3600	14	15	13	7.1	-13.3	12	14	11	85.7	93.3	84.6
	FAMILY OFFENCES	3700	33	36	25	9.1	-30.6	24	29	15	72.7	80.6	60.0
	FAMILY OFFENCES CONTINUED	3800	393	408	417	3.8	2.2	350	357	368	89.1	87.5	88.2
	SALE OF LIQUOR ACT 1989	3900	87	60	284	-31.0	373.3	80	57	280	92.0	95.0	98.6
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES	Sum:		4,725	4,639	4,134	-1.8	-10.9	4,435	4,375	3,905	93.9	94.3	94.5

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
DISHONESTY	BURGLARY	4100	6,276	4,955	4,841	-21.0	-2.3	1,072	1,108	927	17.1	22.4	19.1
	CAR CONVERSION ETC	4200	3,091	2,982	2,987	-3.5	0.2	536	571	617	17.3	19.1	20.7
	THEFT	4300	10,977	10,521	10,972	-4.2	4.3	2,796	2,725	2,550	25.5	25.9	23.2
	RECEIVING	4400	306	270	222	-11.8	-17.8	298	259	219	97.4	95.9	98.6
	FRAUD	4500	1,375	1,590	1,228	15.6	-22.8	903	1,061	831	65.7	66.7	67.7
DISHONESTY	Sum:		22,025	20,318	20,250	-7.8	-0.3	5,605	5,724	5,144	25.4	28.2	25.4

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
PROPERTY DAMAGE	DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	5100	4,392	4,069	3,959	-7.4	-2.7	1,319	1,246	1,135	30.0	30.6	28.7
	ENDANGERING	5200	17	24	20	41.2	-16.7	16	19	18	94.1	79.2	90.0
PROPERTY DAMAGE	Sum:		4,409	4,093	3,979	-7.2	-2.8	1,335	1,265	1,153	30.3	30.9	29.0

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
PROPERTY ABUSES	TRESPASS	6100	1,100	1,039	925	-5.5	-11.0	833	833	686	75.7	80.2	74.2
	LITTERING	6200	40	29	19	-27.5	-34.5	34	28	18	85.0	96.6	94.7
	ANIMALS	6300	35	27	36	-22.9	33.3	20	15	19	57.1	55.6	52.8
	POSTAL/RAIL/FIRE SERVICE ABUSES	6500	411	448	419	9.0	-6.5	264	245	268	64.2	54.7	64.0
	ARMS ACT OFFENCES	6800	254	247	234	-2.8	-5.3	222	203	203	87.4	82.2	86.8
PROPERTY ABUSES	Sum:		1,840	1,790	1,633	-2.7	-8.8	1,373	1,324	1,194	74.6	74.0	73.1

CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	TYPE CODE	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
ADMINISTRATIVE	AGAINST JUSTICE	7100	1,277	930	786	-27.2	-15.5	1,045	794	649	81.8	85.4	82.6
	BIRTHS/DEATHS AND MARRIAGES	7200											
	IMMIGRATION	7300	1	2	1	100.0	-50.0	1	1	0	100.0	50.0	0.0
	RACIAL	7400			1					1			100.0
	AGAINST NATIONAL INTEREST	7500	2	3	2	50.0	-33.3	1	3	1	50.0	100.0	50.0
	BY - LAWS BREACHES	7600	49	42	44	-14.3	4.8	28	28	33	57.1	66.7	75.0
ADMINISTRATIVE	Sum:		1,329	977	834	-26.5	-14.6	1,075	826	684	80.9	84.5	82.0

TOTAL	Sum:		38,210	35,812	34,934	-6.3	-2.5	16,938	16,782	15,433	44.3	46.9	44.2
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RECORDED CRIME FOR CENTRAL DISTRICT PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

			Recorded Crime per 10,000 Population		
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
VIOLENCE	HOMICIDE	1100	0.4	0.4	0.5
	KIDNAPPING AND ABDUCTION	1200	0.3	0.2	0.4
	ROBBERY	1300	2.6	2.7	2.8
	GRIEVOUS ASSAULTS	1400	6.9	6.7	7.0
	SERIOUS ASSAULTS	1500	36.6	36.2	39.4
	MINOR ASSAULTS	1600	33.8	37.0	35.3
	INTIMIDATION/THREATS	1700	22.8	25.7	25.7
	GROUP ASSEMBLIES	1800	1.0	0.8	1.2
VIOLENCE			104.4	109.7	112.4
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
SEXUAL OFFENCES	SEXUAL AFFRONTS	2200	1.7	0.9	0.6
	SEXUAL ATTACKS	2600	5.7	5.5	6.1
	ABNORMAL SEX	2700	0.0	0.0	0.1
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR	2800	0.7	0.6	0.8
	IMMORAL BEHAVIOUR/MISCELLANEOUS	2900	0.1	0.1	0.1
SEXUAL OFFENCES			8.2	7.2	7.8
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES	DRUGS (NOT CANNABIS)	3100	3.4	4.1	3.7
	DRUGS(CANNABIS ONLY)	3200	65.4	62.5	48.6
	GAMING	3400	0.1	0.0	0.1
	DISORDER	3500	52.9	53.9	47.1
	VAGRANCY OFFENCES	3600	0.4	0.4	0.4
	FAMILY OFFENCES	3700	1.0	1.1	0.7
	FAMILY OFFENCES CONTINUED	3800	11.4	11.9	12.2
	SALE OF LIQUOR ACT 1989	3900	2.5	1.8	8.3
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES			137.1	135.7	121.1

RECORDED CRIME FOR CENTRAL DISTRICT PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

			Recorded Crime per 10,000 Population		
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
DISHONESTY	BURGLARY	4100	182.1	144.9	141.8
	CAR CONVERSION ETC	4200	89.7	87.2	87.5
	THEFT	4300	318.4	307.8	321.3
	RECEIVING	4400	8.9	7.9	6.5
	FRAUD	4500	39.9	46.5	36.0
DISHONESTY			638.9	594.3	593.0
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
PROPERTY DAMAGE	DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	5100	127.4	119.0	115.9
	ENDANGERING	5200	0.5	0.7	0.6
PROPERTY DAMAGE			127.9	119.7	116.5
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
PROPERTY ABUSES	TRESPASS	6100	31.9	30.4	27.1
	LITTERING	6200	1.2	0.8	0.6
	ANIMALS	6300	1.0	0.8	1.1
	POSTAL/RAIL/FIRE SERVICE ABUSES	6500	11.9	13.1	12.3
	ARMS ACT OFFENCES	6800	7.4	7.2	6.9
PROPERTY ABUSES			53.4	52.4	47.8
CRIME CATEGORY	CRIME TYPE	Type Code	2000	2001	2002
ADMINISTRATIVE	AGAINST JUSTICE	7100	37.0	27.2	23.0
	BIRTHS/DEATHS AND MARRIAGES	7200			
	IMMIGRATION	7300	0.0	0.1	0.0
	RACIAL	7400			0.0
	AGAINST NATIONAL INTEREST	7500	0.1	0.1	0.1
	BY - LAWS BREACHES	7600	1.4	1.2	1.3
ADMINISTRATIVE			38.6	28.6	24.4
TOTAL			1,108.5	1,047.5	1,023.0

PROPORTION OF TOTAL CRIME FOR CENTRAL DISTRICT BY OFFENCE GROUP

Years ending 31 December

CRIME GROUP	2000 %	2001 %	2002 %
VIOLENCE	9.4 %	10.5 %	11.0 %
SEXUAL OFFENCES	0.7 %	0.7 %	0.8 %
DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES	12.4 %	13.0 %	11.8 %
DISHONESTY	57.6 %	56.7 %	58.0 %
PROPERTY DAMAGE	11.5 %	11.4 %	11.4 %
PROPERTY ABUSES	4.8 %	5.0 %	4.7 %
ADMINISTRATIVE	3.5 %	2.7 %	2.4 %
TOTAL	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %

TOTAL OFFENCES BY CATEGORY FOR 2002 (ending 31 December)



SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY AREA

years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	6,742	6,634	6,657	-1.6	0.3	3,226	3,320	3,575	47.8	50.0	53.7
Palmerston North City	10,218	9,965	10,816	-2.5	8.5	3,749	3,854	3,704	36.7	38.7	34.2
Palmerston North Rural	8,035	7,084	6,449	-11.8	-9.0	3,726	3,462	2,976	46.4	48.9	46.1
Ruapehu	2,771	2,155	1,950	-22.2	-9.5	1,420	1,088	924	51.2	50.5	47.4
Taranaki Rural	3,627	3,506	2,829	-3.3	-19.3	1,723	1,913	1,503	47.5	54.6	53.1
Wanganui	6,817	6,468	6,233	-5.1	-3.6	3,094	3,145	2,751	45.4	48.6	44.1
Sum:	38,210	35,812	34,934	-6.3	-2.5	16,938	16,782	15,433	44.3	46.9	44.2

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED VIOLENT OFFENCES, BY AREA

years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	746	781	851	4.7	9.0	612	631	697	82.0	80.8	81.9
Palmerston North City	790	867	901	9.7	3.9	589	640	691	74.6	73.8	76.7
Palmerston North Rural	826	836	726	1.2	-13.2	676	727	639	81.8	87.0	88.0
Ruapehu	246	248	230	0.8	-7.3	215	222	210	87.4	89.5	91.3
Taranaki Rural	359	392	350	9.2	-10.7	314	363	308	87.5	92.6	88.0
Wanganui	631	626	781	-0.8	24.8	539	559	668	85.4	89.3	85.5
Sum:	3,598	3,750	3,839	4.2	2.4	2,945	3,142	3,213	81.9	83.8	83.7

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED SEXUAL OFFENCES, BY AREA

years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	76	34	79	-55.3	132.4	45	17	42	59.2	50.0	53.2
Palmerston North City	64	55	75	-14.1	36.4	32	26	28	50.0	47.3	37.3
Palmerston North Rural	63	57	30	-9.5	-47.4	36	29	21	57.1	50.9	70.0
Ruapehu	17	16	17	-5.9	6.3	10	11	8	58.8	68.8	47.1
Taranaki Rural	20	25	32	25.0	28.0	13	13	22	65.0	52.0	68.8
Wanganui	44	58	32	31.8	-44.8	34	30	19	77.3	51.7	59.4
Sum:	284	245	265	-13.7	8.2	170	126	140	59.9	51.4	52.8

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED DRUG AND ANTI-SOCIAL OFFENCES, BY AREA
years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	1,047	1,114	1,225	6.4	10.0	980	1,047	1,163	93.6	94.0	94.9
Palmerston North City	981	987	991	0.6	0.4	897	916	914	91.4	92.8	92.2
Palmerston North Rural	952	821	654	-13.8	-20.3	897	767	615	94.2	93.4	94.0
Ruapehu	466	334	228	-28.3	-31.7	435	310	216	93.3	92.8	94.7
Taranaki Rural	456	498	396	9.2	-20.5	432	485	377	94.7	97.4	95.2
Wanganui	823	885	640	7.5	-27.7	794	850	620	96.5	96.0	96.9
Sum:	4,725	4,639	4,134	-1.8	-10.9	4,435	4,375	3,905	93.9	94.3	94.5

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED DISHONESTY OFFENCES, BY AREA
years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	3,597	3,403	3,091	-5.4	-9.2	1,019	1,070	987	28.3	31.4	31.9
Palmerston North City	6,743	6,522	7,356	-3.3	12.8	1,513	1,586	1,452	22.4	24.3	19.7
Palmerston North Rural	4,536	3,876	3,674	-14.6	-5.2	1,224	1,200	1,053	27.0	31.0	28.7
Ruapehu	1,415	1,090	1,070	-23.0	-1.8	404	288	290	28.6	26.4	27.1
Taranaki Rural	1,903	1,737	1,360	-8.7	-21.7	487	552	462	25.6	31.8	34.0
Wanganui	3,831	3,690	3,699	-3.7	0.2	958	1,028	900	25.0	27.9	24.3
Sum:	22,025	20,318	20,250	-7.8	-0.3	5,605	5,724	5,144	25.4	28.2	25.4

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED PROPERTY DAMAGE OFFENCES, BY AREA
years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	778	833	858	7.1	3.0	229	238	273	29.4	28.6	31.8
Palmerston North City	1,040	916	888	-11.9	-3.1	279	235	190	26.8	25.7	21.4
Palmerston North Rural	956	970	918	1.5	-5.4	328	324	291	34.3	33.4	31.7
Ruapehu	239	227	199	-5.0	-12.3	82	70	62	34.3	30.8	31.2
Taranaki Rural	507	464	405	-8.5	-12.7	157	165	102	31.0	35.6	25.2
Wanganui	889	683	711	-23.2	4.1	260	233	235	29.2	34.1	33.1
Sum:	4,409	4,093	3,979	-7.2	-2.8	1,335	1,265	1,153	30.3	30.9	29.0

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED PROPERTY ABUSE OFFENCES, BY AREA
years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	373	353	350	-5.4	-0.8	245	226	245	65.7	64.0	70.0
Palmerston North City	378	411	359	8.7	-12.7	259	291	249	68.5	70.8	69.4
Palmerston North Rural	407	390	336	-4.2	-13.8	322	295	257	79.1	75.6	76.5
Ruapehu	186	137	154	-26.3	12.4	135	107	96	72.6	78.1	62.3
Taranaki Rural	211	190	138	-10.0	-27.4	172	167	107	81.5	87.9	77.5
Wanganui	285	309	296	8.4	-4.2	240	238	240	84.2	77.0	81.1
Sum:	1,840	1,790	1,633	-2.7	-8.8	1,373	1,324	1,194	74.6	74.0	73.1

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED ADMINISTRATION OFFENCES, BY AREA

years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded 2000	Recorded 2001	Recorded 2002	Percent Variance 00-01	Percent Variance 01-02	Resolved 2000	Resolved 2001	Resolved 2002	Percent Resolved 2000	Percent Resolved 2001	Percent Resolved 2002
New Plymouth	125	116	203	-7.2	75.0	96	91	168	76.8	78.4	82.8
Palmerston North City	222	207	246	-6.8	18.8	180	160	180	81.1	77.3	73.2
Palmerston North Rural	295	134	111	-54.6	-17.2	243	120	100	82.4	89.6	90.1
Ruapehu	202	103	52	-49.0	-49.5	139	80	42	68.8	77.7	80.8
Taranaki Rural	171	200	148	17.0	-26.0	148	168	125	86.5	84.0	84.5
Wanganui	314	217	74	-30.9	-65.9	269	207	69	85.7	95.4	93.2
Sum:	1,329	977	834	-26.5	-14.6	1,075	826	684	80.9	84.5	82.0

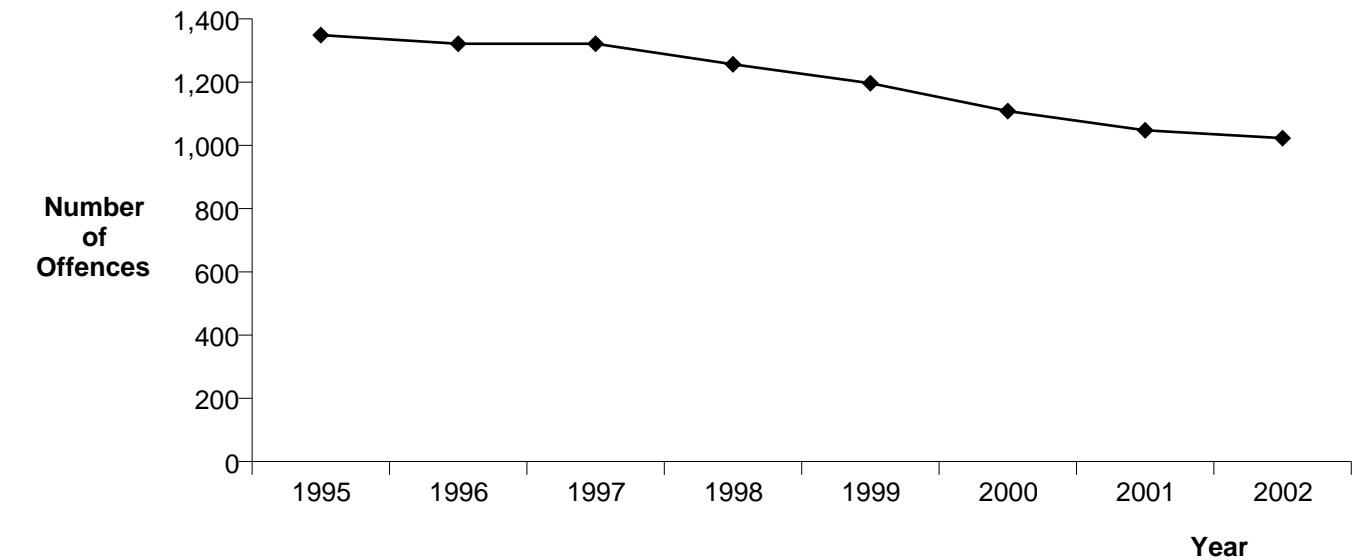
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Years ending 31 December

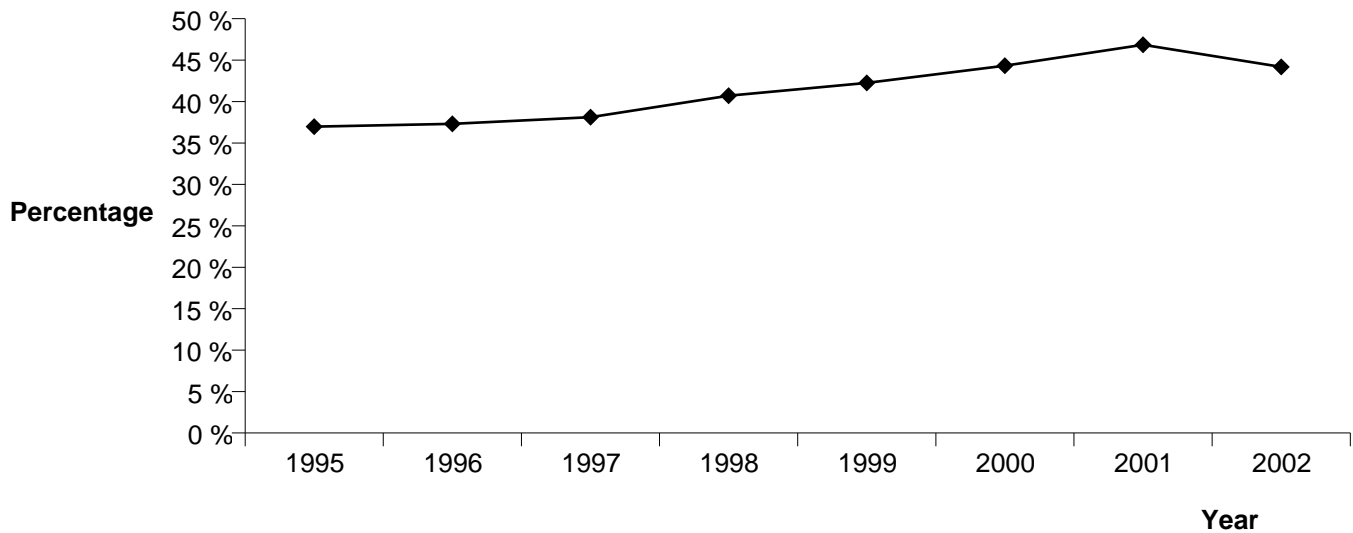
All Offence Categories

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	47,093	-	1,348.6	-	17,412	37.0 %	-
1996	46,415	-1.4 %	1,321.5	-2.0 %	17,319	37.3 %	0.3 %
1997	46,300	-0.2 %	1,321.5	-0.0 %	17,647	38.1 %	0.8 %
1998	43,804	-5.4 %	1,256.4	-4.9 %	17,830	40.7 %	2.6 %
1999	41,479	-5.3 %	1,196.4	-4.8 %	17,528	42.3 %	1.6 %
2000	38,210	-7.9 %	1,108.5	-7.4 %	16,938	44.3 %	2.1 %
2001	35,812	-6.3 %	1,047.5	-5.5 %	16,782	46.9 %	2.5 %
2002	34,934	-2.5 %	1,023.0	-2.3 %	15,433	44.2 %	-2.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



RECORDED OFFENCES FOR CENTRAL DISTRICT PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

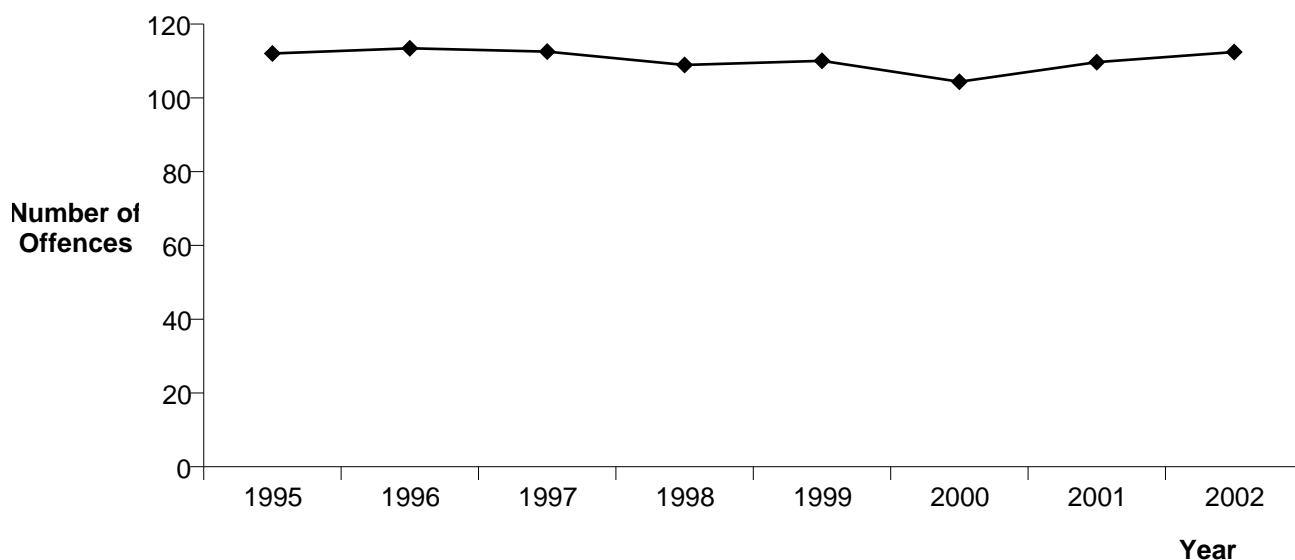
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VIOLENCE

(1000 Category Offences)

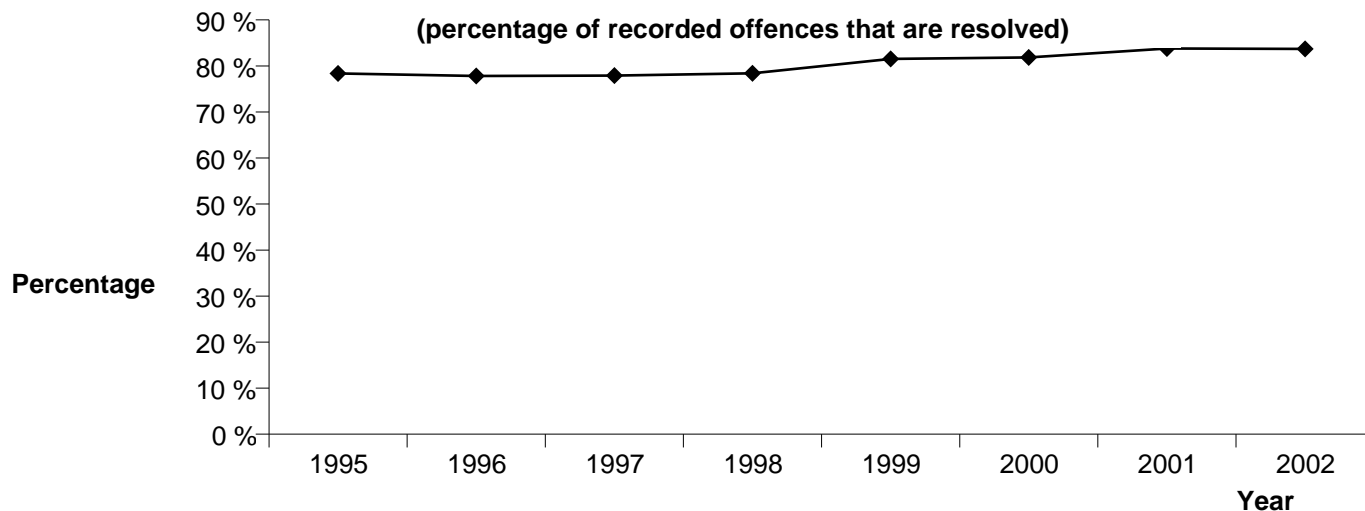
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1995	3,912	-	112.0	-	3,066	78.4 %	-
1996	3,984	1.8 %	113.4	1.3 %	3,100	77.8 %	-0.6 %
1997	3,943	-1.0 %	112.5	-0.8 %	3,072	77.9 %	0.1 %
1998	3,798	-3.7 %	108.9	-3.2 %	2,978	78.4 %	0.5 %
1999	3,815	0.4 %	110.0	1.0 %	3,110	81.5 %	3.1 %
2000	3,598	-5.7 %	104.4	-5.1 %	2,945	81.9 %	0.3 %
2001	3,750	4.2 %	109.7	5.1 %	3,142	83.8 %	1.9 %
2002	3,839	2.4 %	112.4	2.5 %	3,213	83.7 %	-0.1 %

Recorded Violent Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



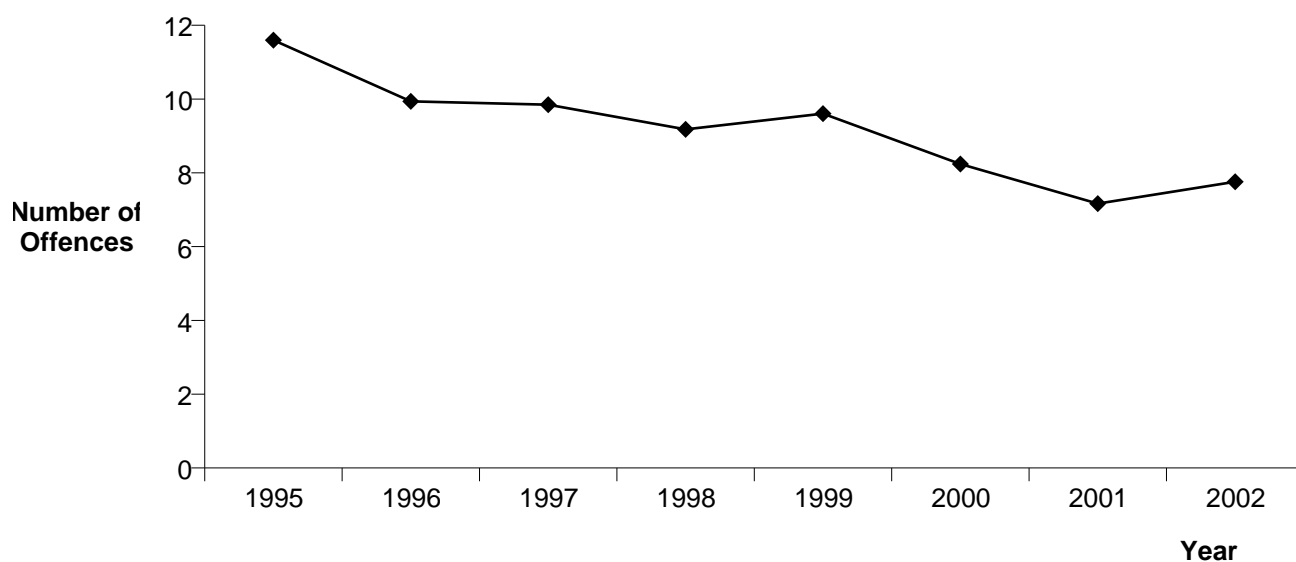
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SEXUAL OFFENCES (2000 Category Offences)

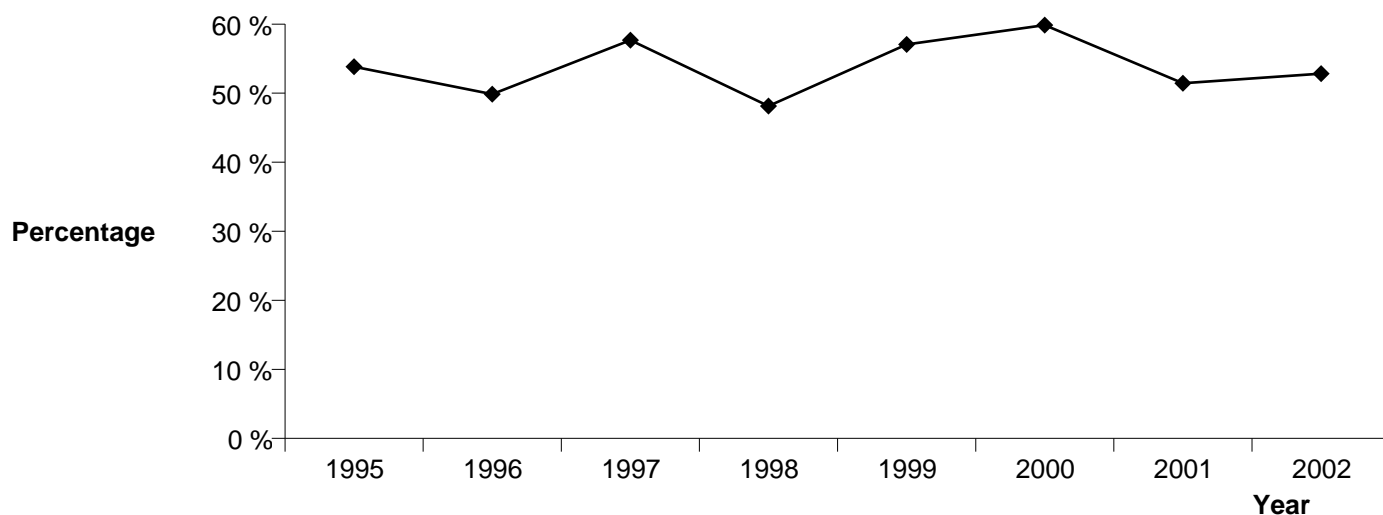
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1995	405	-	11.6	-	218	53.8 %	-
1996	349	-13.8 %	9.9	-14.3 %	174	49.9 %	-4.0 %
1997	345	-1.1 %	9.8	-0.9 %	199	57.7 %	7.8 %
1998	320	-7.2 %	9.2	-6.8 %	154	48.1 %	-9.6 %
1999	333	4.1 %	9.6	4.6 %	190	57.1 %	8.9 %
2000	284	-14.7 %	8.2	-14.2 %	170	59.9 %	2.8 %
2001	245	-13.7 %	7.2	-13.0 %	126	51.4 %	-8.4 %
2002	265	8.2 %	7.8	8.3 %	140	52.8 %	1.4 %

Recorded Sexual Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



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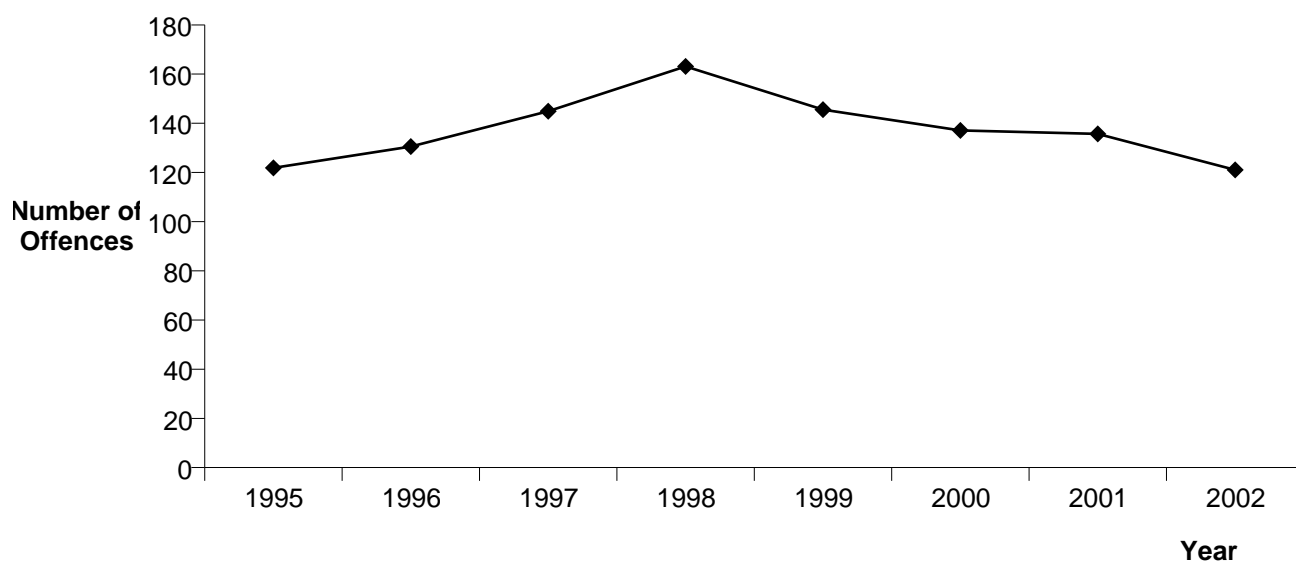
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DRUGS AND ANTI SOCIAL OFFENCES

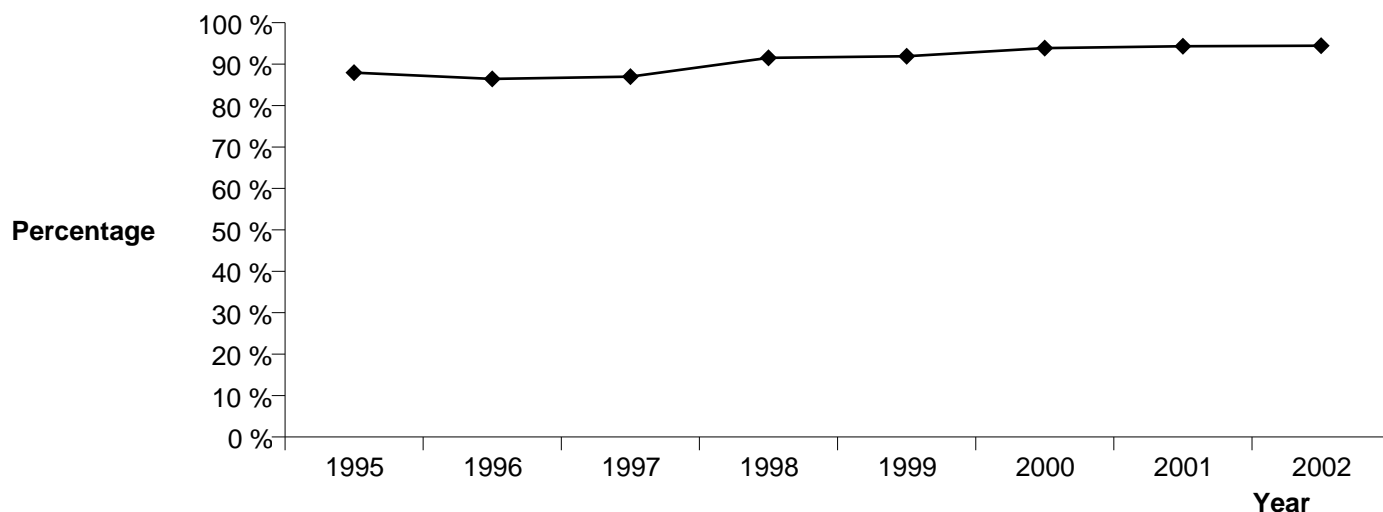
(3000 Category Offences)

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	4,256	-	121.9	-	3,743	87.9 %	-
1996	4,584	7.7 %	130.5	7.1 %	3,962	86.4 %	-1.5 %
1997	5,076	10.7 %	144.9	11.0 %	4,415	87.0 %	0.5 %
1998	5,686	12.0 %	163.1	12.6 %	5,204	91.5 %	4.5 %
1999	5,045	-11.3 %	145.5	-10.8 %	4,637	91.9 %	0.4 %
2000	4,725	-6.3 %	137.1	-5.8 %	4,435	93.9 %	1.9 %
2001	4,639	-1.8 %	135.7	-1.0 %	4,375	94.3 %	0.4 %
2002	4,134	-10.9 %	121.1	-10.8 %	3,905	94.5 %	0.2 %

Recorded Drugs and Anti-Social Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



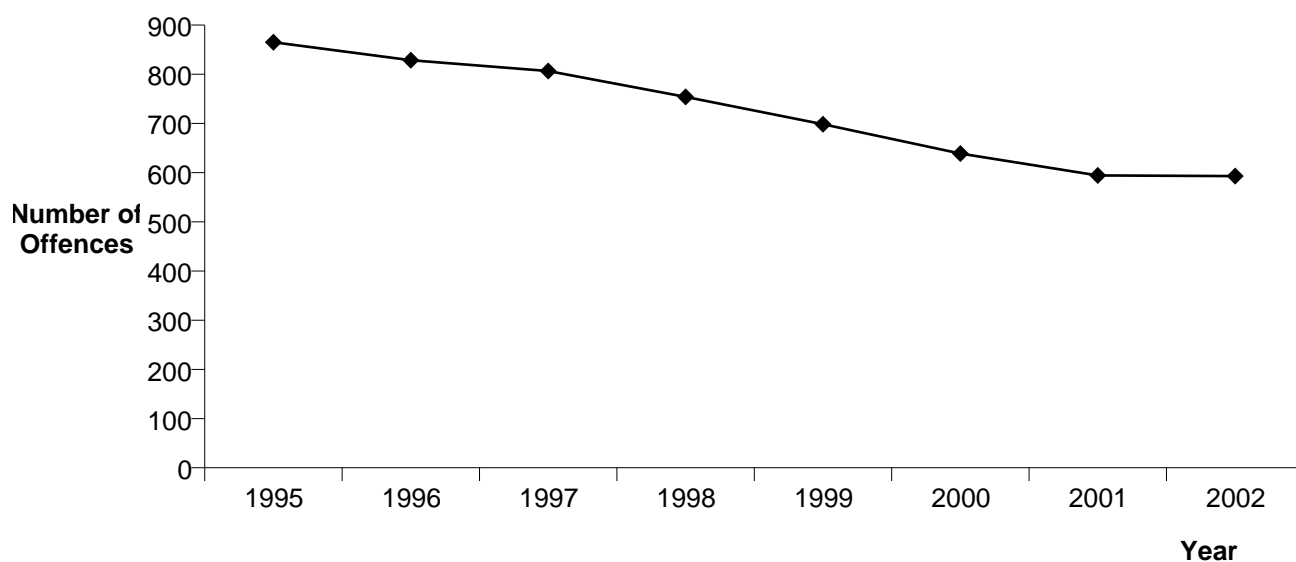
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DISHONESTY (4000 Category Offences)

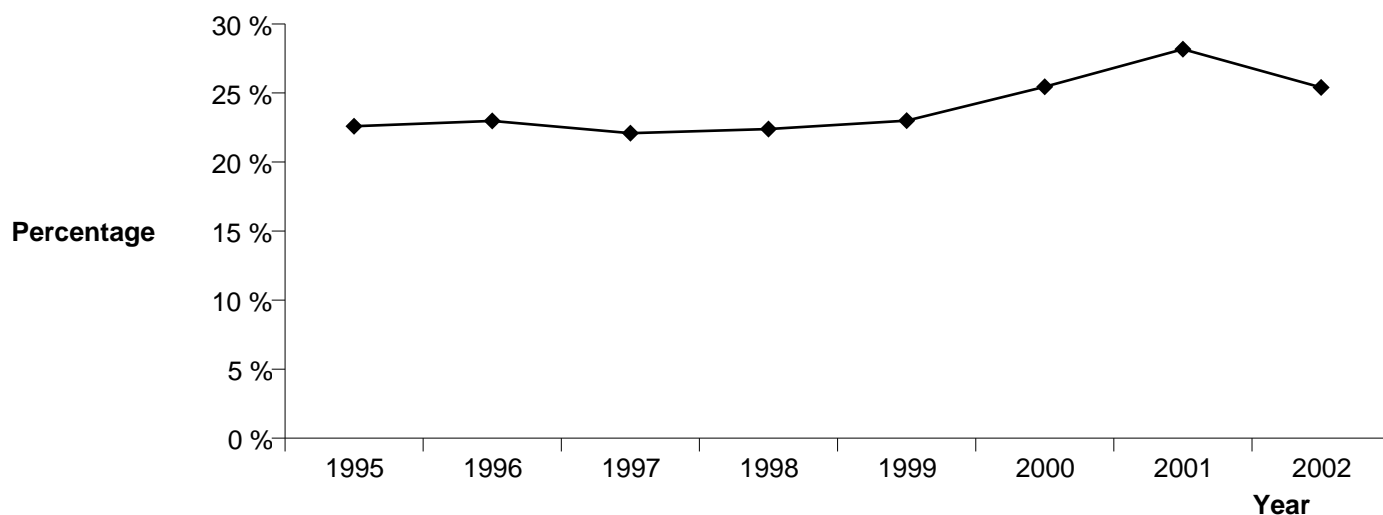
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1995	30,208	-	865.1	-	6,823	22.6 %	-
1996	29,097	-3.7 %	828.4	-4.2 %	6,686	23.0 %	0.4 %
1997	28,264	-2.9 %	806.7	-2.6 %	6,242	22.1 %	-0.9 %
1998	26,285	-7.0 %	753.9	-6.5 %	5,885	22.4 %	0.3 %
1999	24,219	-7.9 %	698.6	-7.3 %	5,568	23.0 %	0.6 %
2000	22,025	-9.1 %	638.9	-8.5 %	5,605	25.4 %	2.5 %
2001	20,318	-7.8 %	594.3	-7.0 %	5,724	28.2 %	2.7 %
2002	20,250	-0.3 %	593.0	-0.2 %	5,144	25.4 %	-2.8 %

Recorded Dishonesty Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



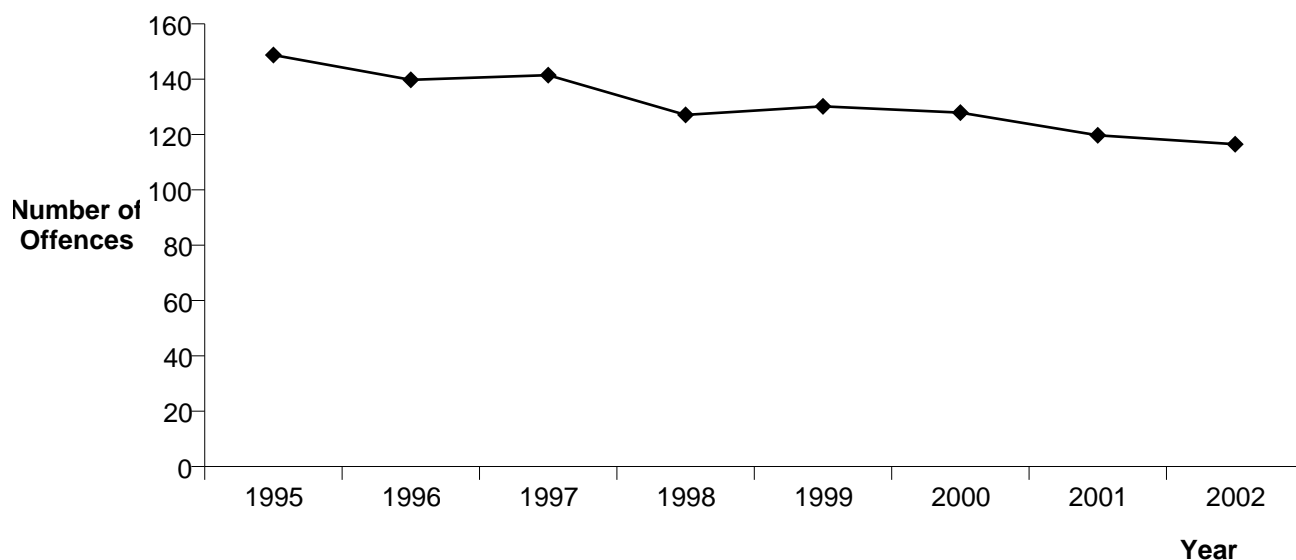
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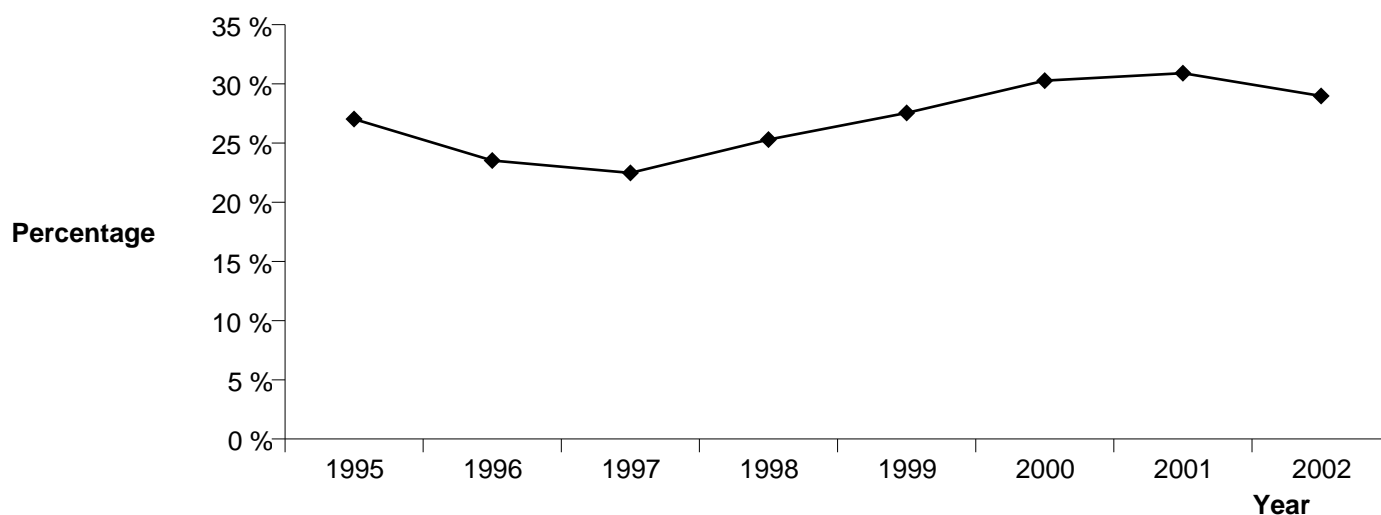
PROPERTY DAMAGE (5000 Category Offences)

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	5,194	-	148.7	-	1,404	27.0 %	-
1996	4,910	-5.5 %	139.8	-6.0 %	1,155	23.5 %	-3.5 %
1997	4,956	0.9 %	141.5	1.2 %	1,114	22.5 %	-1.0 %
1998	4,431	-10.6 %	127.1	-10.2 %	1,121	25.3 %	2.8 %
1999	4,513	1.9 %	130.2	2.4 %	1,243	27.5 %	2.2 %
2000	4,409	-2.3 %	127.9	-1.7 %	1,335	30.3 %	2.7 %
2001	4,093	-7.2 %	119.7	-6.4 %	1,265	30.9 %	0.6 %
2002	3,979	-2.8 %	116.5	-2.7 %	1,153	29.0 %	-1.9 %

Recorded Property Damage Offences per 10,000 population



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

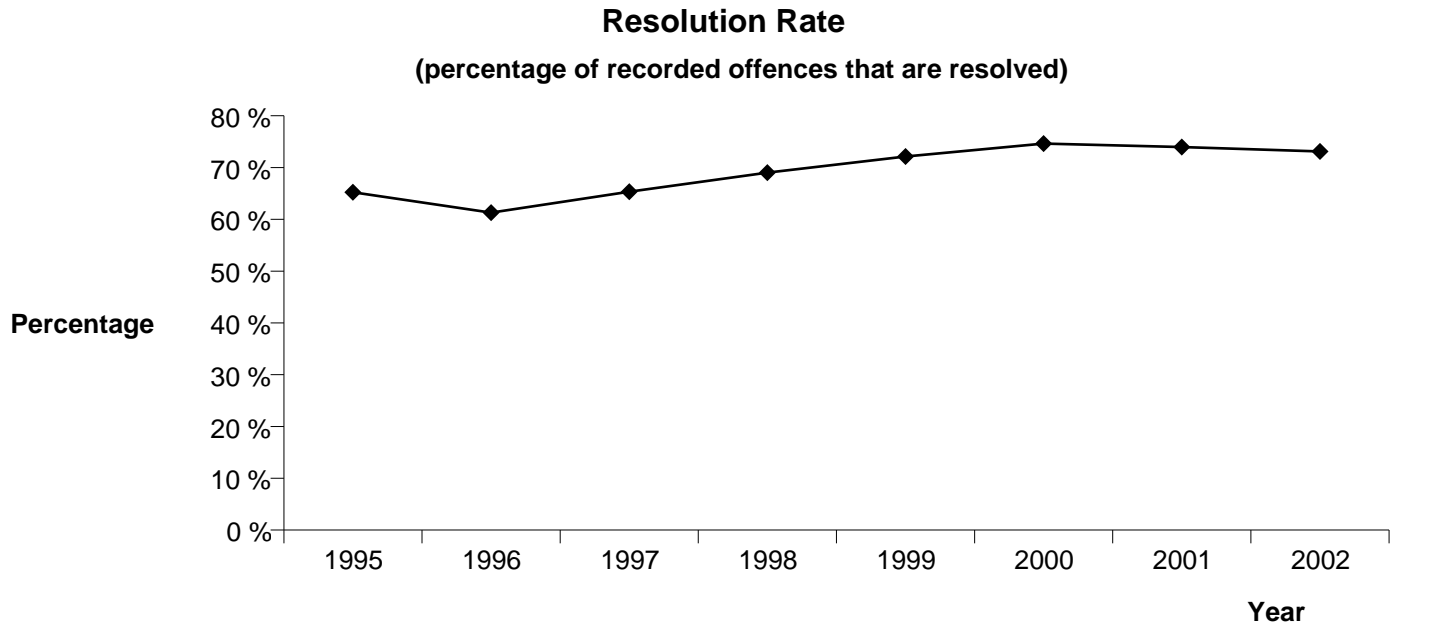
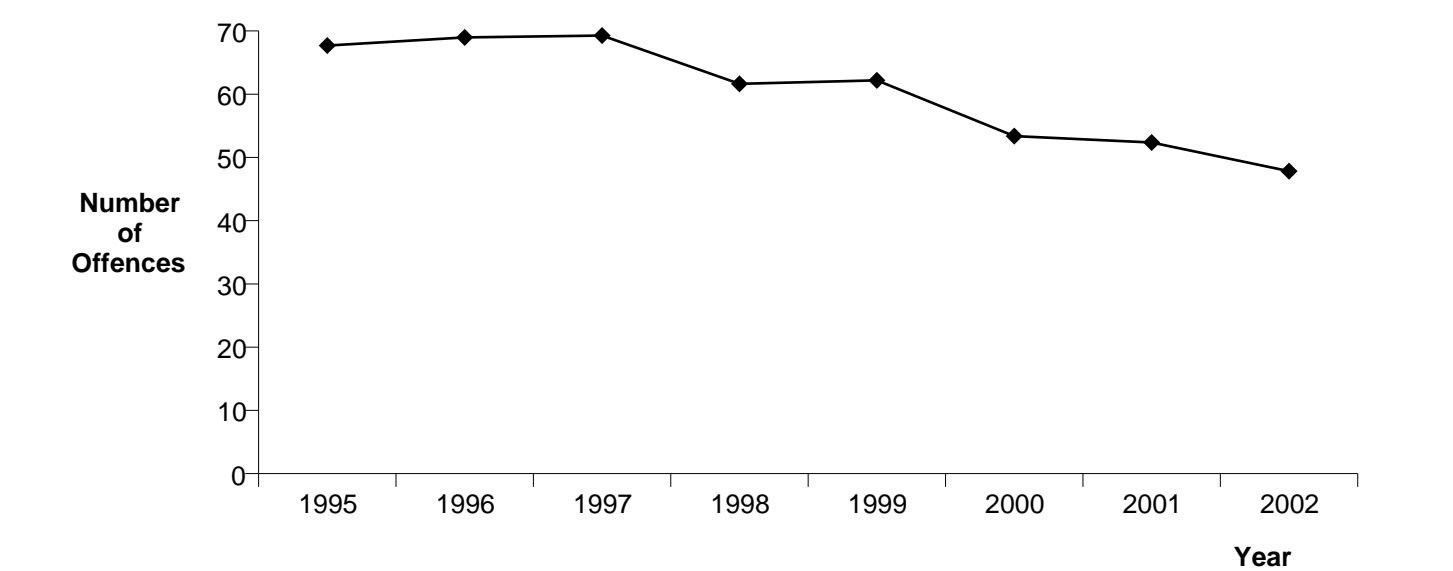


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PROPERTY ABUSES
 (6000 Category Offences)

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	2,364	-	67.7	-	1,542	65.2 %	-
1996	2,423	2.5 %	69.0	1.9 %	1,485	61.3 %	-3.9 %
1997	2,427	0.2 %	69.3	0.4 %	1,586	65.3 %	4.1 %
1998	2,149	-11.5 %	61.6	-11.0 %	1,483	69.0 %	3.7 %
1999	2,156	0.3 %	62.2	0.9 %	1,555	72.1 %	3.1 %
2000	1,840	-14.7 %	53.4	-14.2 %	1,373	74.6 %	2.5 %
2001	1,790	-2.7 %	52.4	-1.9 %	1,324	74.0 %	-0.7 %
2002	1,633	-8.8 %	47.8	-8.7 %	1,194	73.1 %	-0.8 %

Recorded Property Abuse Offences per 10,000 population



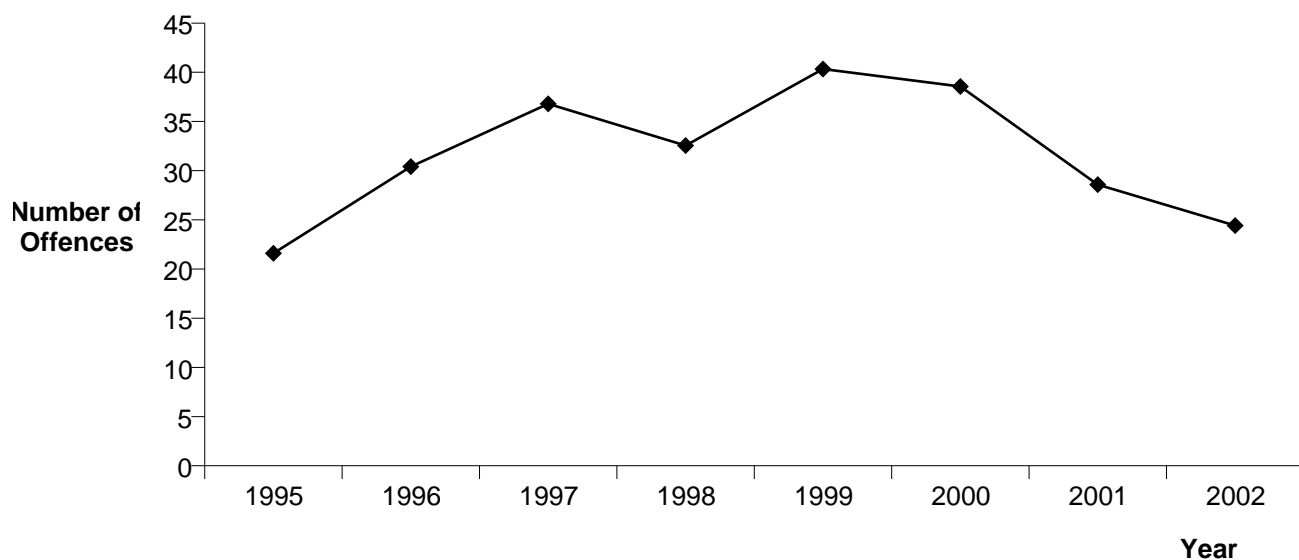
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ADMINISTRATIVE (7000 Category Offences)

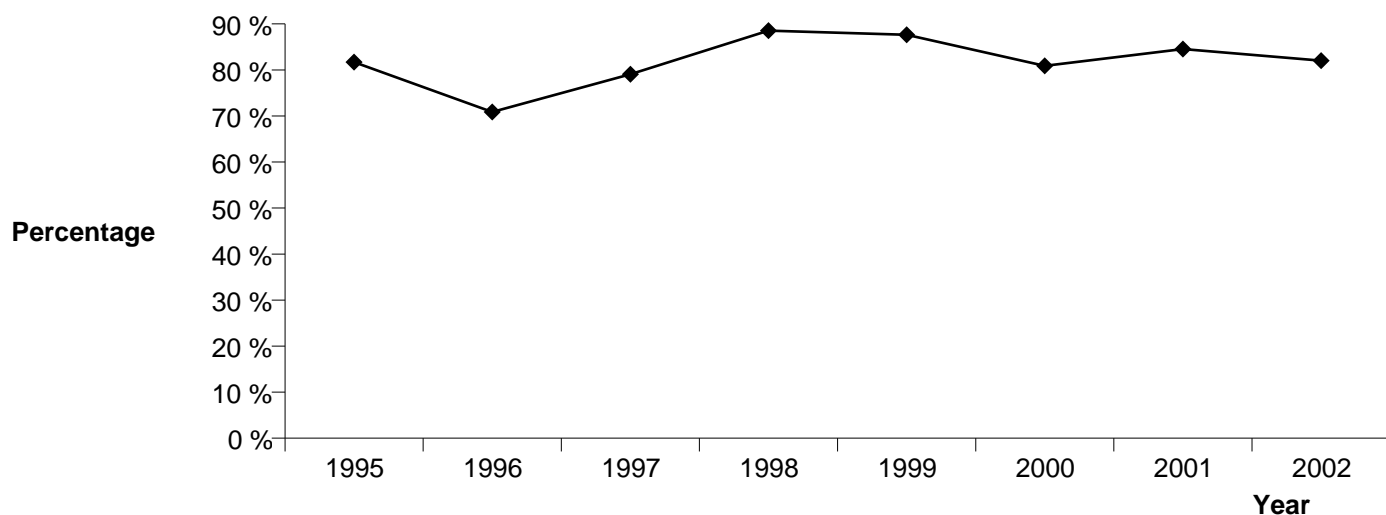
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1995	754	-	21.6	-	616	81.7 %	-
1996	1,068	41.6 %	30.4	40.8 %	757	70.9 %	-10.8 %
1997	1,289	20.7 %	36.8	21.0 %	1,019	79.1 %	8.2 %
1998	1,135	-11.9 %	32.6	-11.5 %	1,005	88.5 %	9.5 %
1999	1,398	23.2 %	40.3	23.9 %	1,225	87.6 %	-0.9 %
2000	1,329	-4.9 %	38.6	-4.4 %	1,075	80.9 %	-6.7 %
2001	977	-26.5 %	28.6	-25.9 %	826	84.5 %	3.7 %
2002	834	-14.6 %	24.4	-14.5 %	684	82.0 %	-2.5 %

Recorded Administrative Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



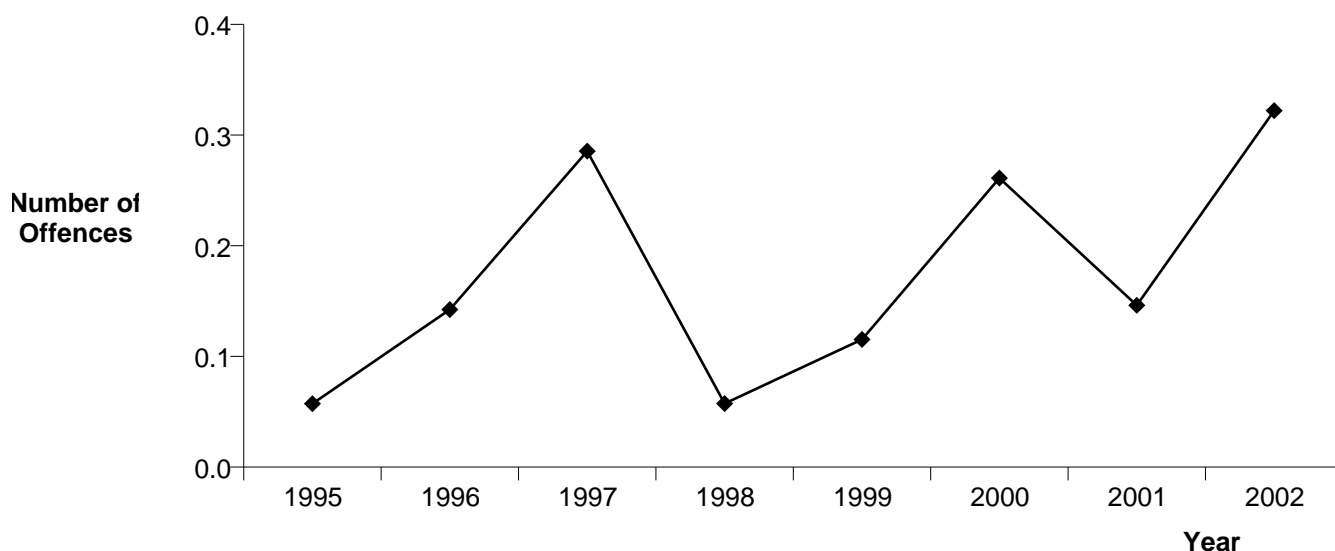
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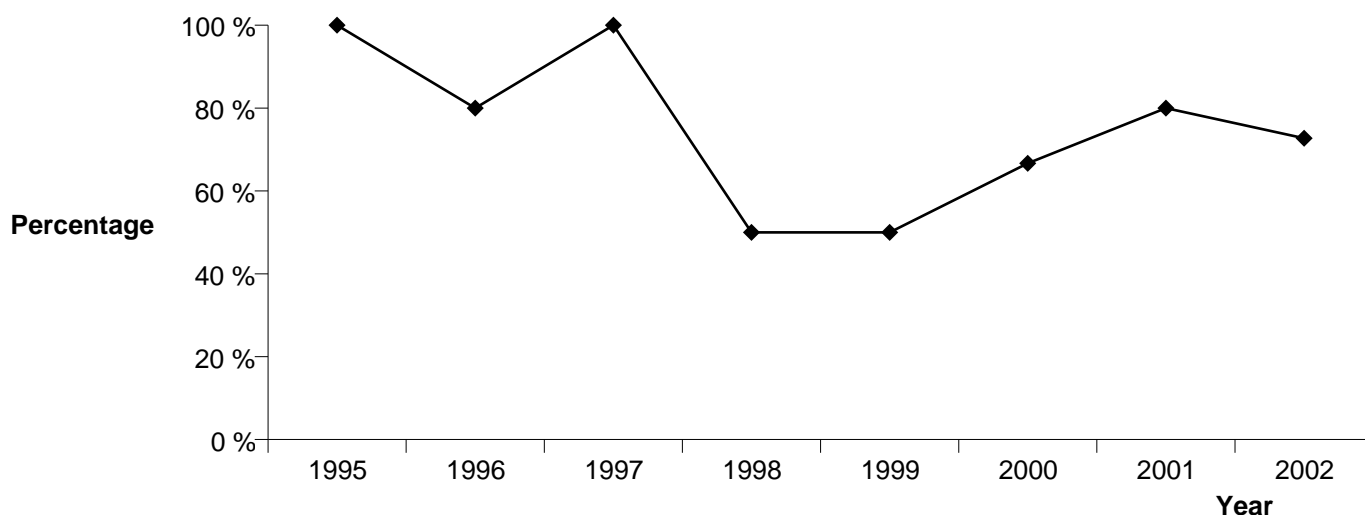
MURDER (*'1110'* Offence Type)

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	2	-	0.1	-	2	100.0 %	-
1996	5	150.0 %	0.1	148.6 %	4	80.0 %	-20.0 %
1997	10	100.0 %	0.3	100.5 %	10	100.0 %	20.0 %
1998	2	-80.0 %	0.1	-79.9 %	1	50.0 %	-50.0 %
1999	4	100.0 %	0.1	101.1 %	2	50.0 %	0.0 %
2000	9	125.0 %	0.3	126.3 %	6	66.7 %	16.7 %
2001	5	-44.4 %	0.1	-44.0 %	4	80.0 %	13.3 %
2002	11	120.0 %	0.3	120.2 %	8	72.7 %	-7.3 %

Recorded Murder Type Offences per 10,000 population



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



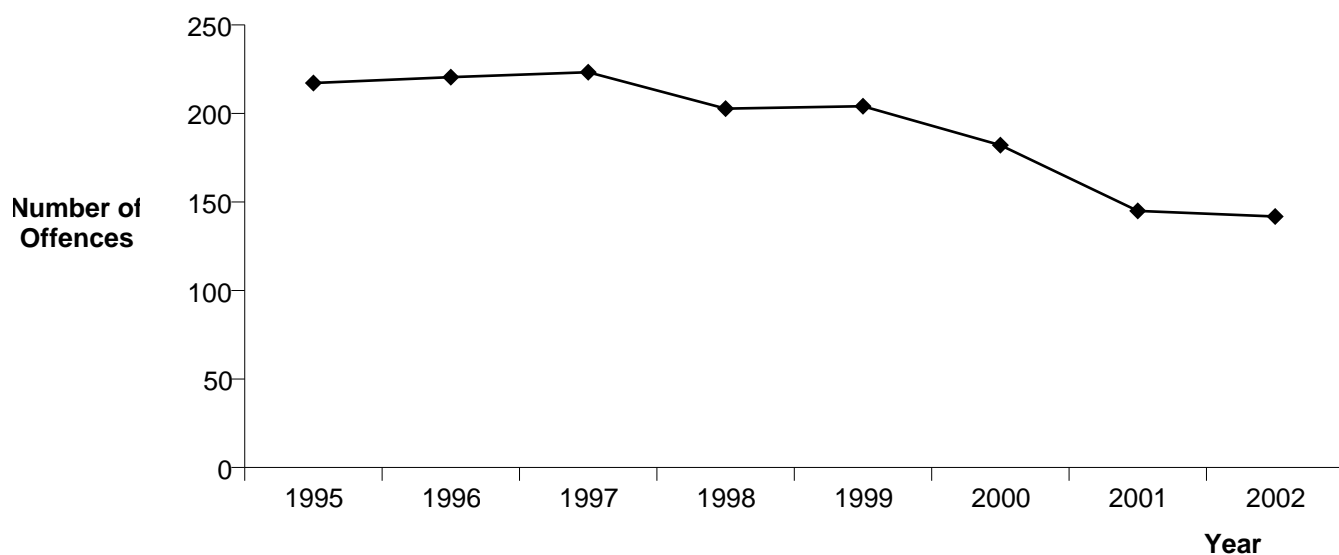
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BURGLARY (‘4100’ Offence Class)

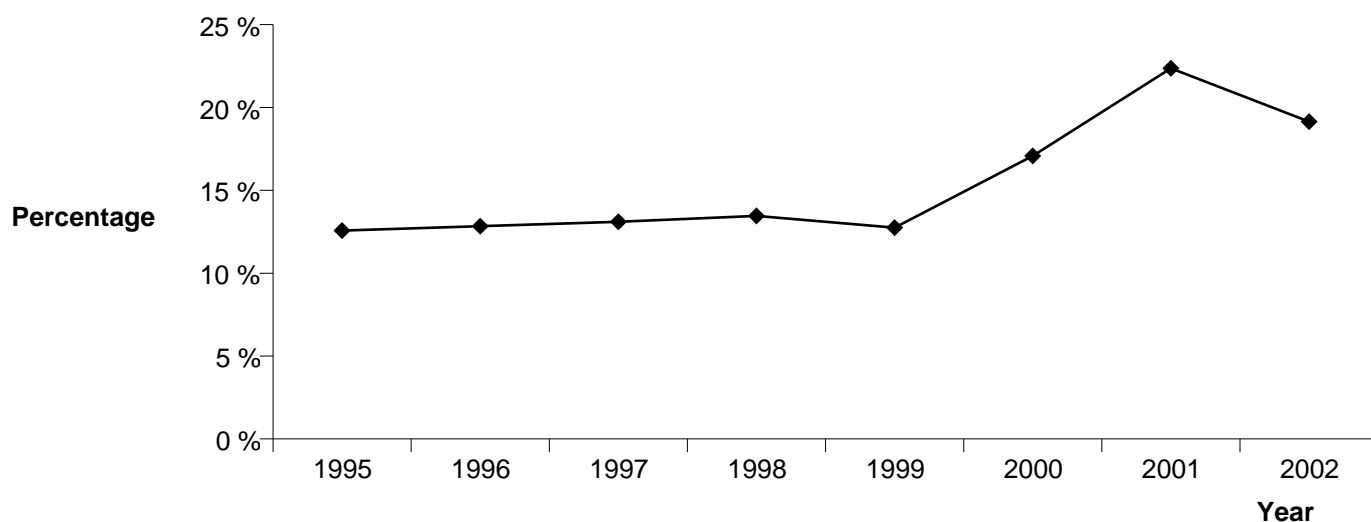
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1995	7,581	-	217.1	-	953	12.6 %	-
1996	7,742	2.1 %	220.4	1.5 %	994	12.8 %	0.3 %
1997	7,821	1.0 %	223.2	1.3 %	1,025	13.1 %	0.3 %
1998	7,067	-9.6 %	202.7	-9.2 %	951	13.5 %	0.4 %
1999	7,074	0.1 %	204.0	0.7 %	902	12.8 %	-0.7 %
2000	6,276	-11.3 %	182.1	-10.8 %	1,072	17.1 %	4.3 %
2001	4,955	-21.0 %	144.9	-20.4 %	1,108	22.4 %	5.3 %
2002	4,841	-2.3 %	141.8	-2.2 %	927	19.1 %	-3.2 %

Recorded Burglary Class Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

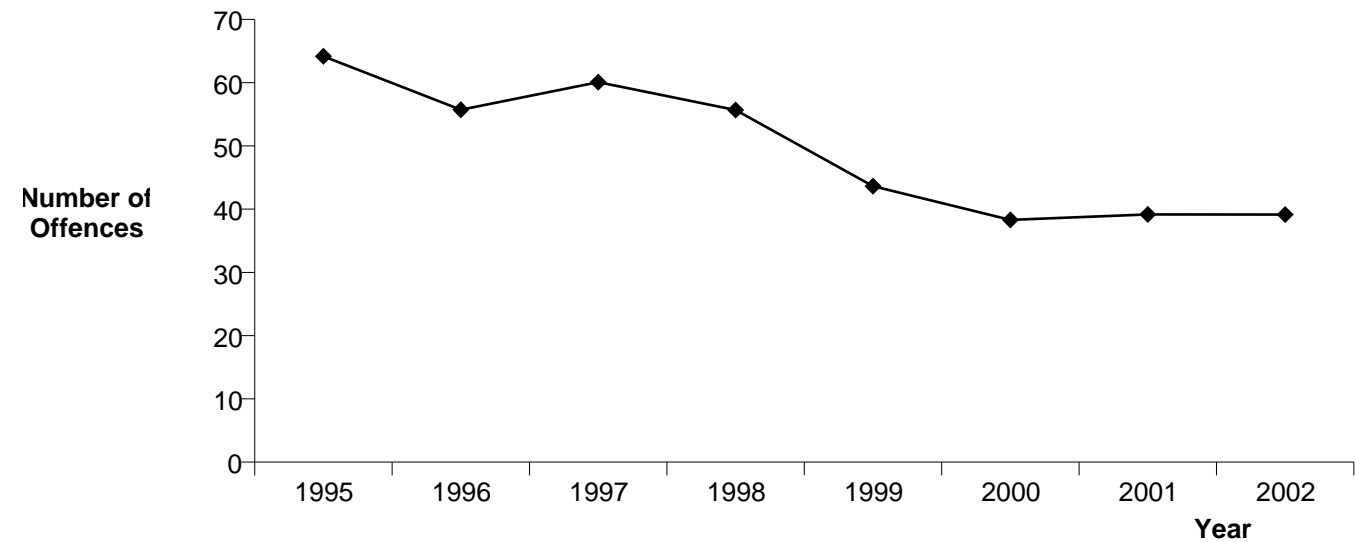


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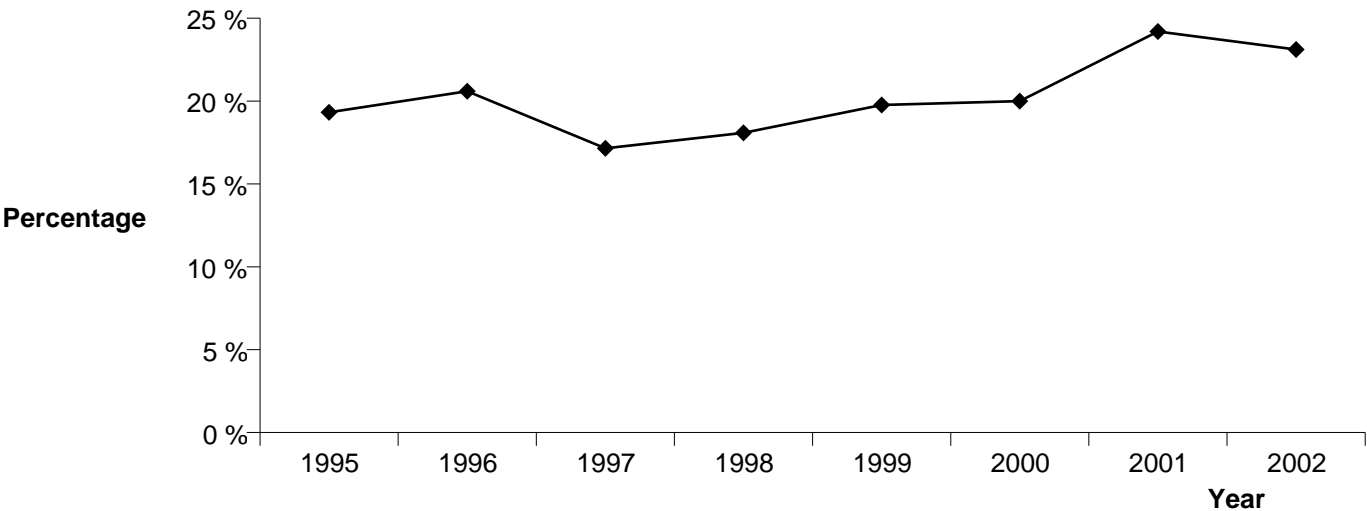
UNLAWFUL TAKING/CONVERSION M/V'S
('4210' Offence Type)

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	2,241	-	64.2	-	433	19.3 %	-
1996	1,957	-12.7 %	55.7	-13.2 %	403	20.6 %	1.3 %
1997	2,105	7.6 %	60.1	7.8 %	361	17.1 %	-3.4 %
1998	1,941	-7.8 %	55.7	-7.3 %	351	18.1 %	0.9 %
1999	1,513	-22.1 %	43.6	-21.6 %	299	19.8 %	1.7 %
2000	1,320	-12.8 %	38.3	-12.3 %	264	20.0 %	0.2 %
2001	1,339	1.4 %	39.2	2.3 %	324	24.2 %	4.2 %
2002	1,337	-0.1 %	39.2	-0.0 %	309	23.1 %	-1.1 %

**Recorded Unlawful Taking/Converting M/Vs Type
Offences per 10,000 population**



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

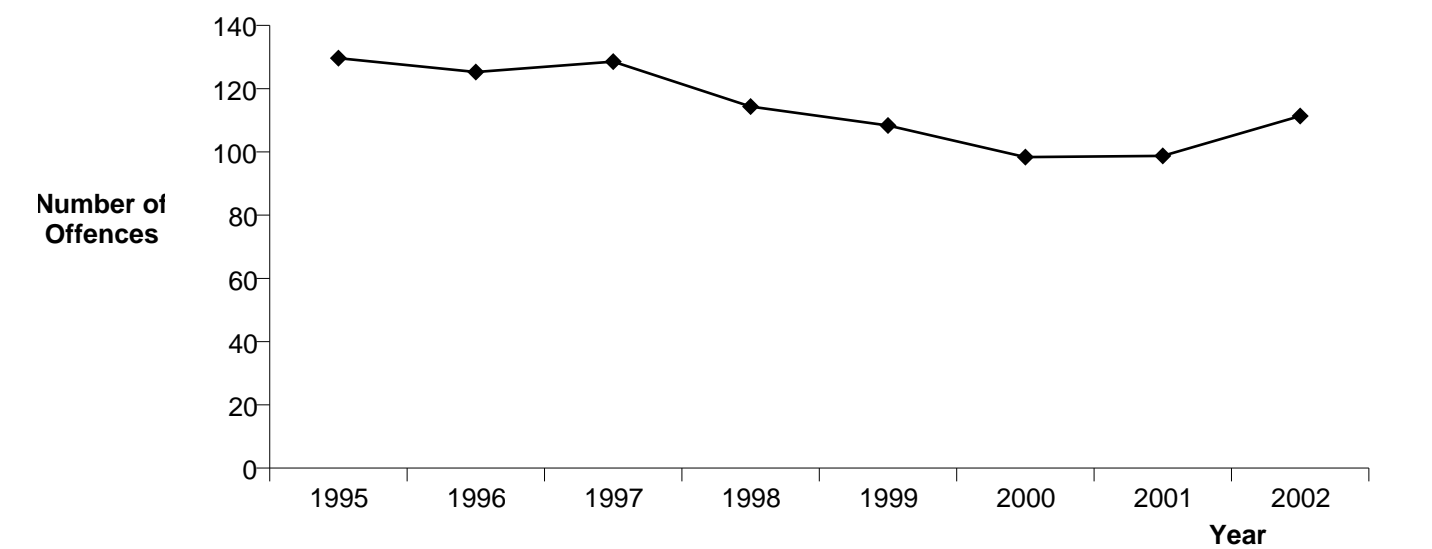


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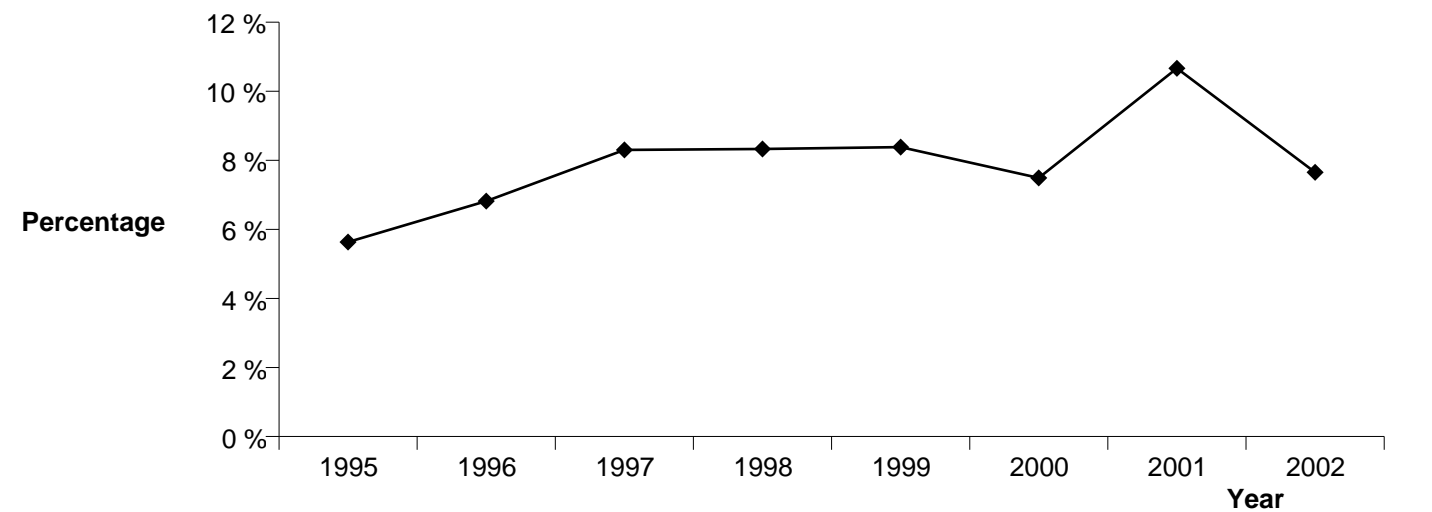
THEFT EX CAR (NOT PILLAGE - NO DRUGS)
(‘4340’ Offence Type)

CALENDAR YEAR	TOTAL RECORDED OFFENCES	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES	RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	VARIATION IN RECORDED OFFENCES PER 10,000 POPULATION	TOTAL RESOLVED OFFENCES	RESOLUTION RATE (percent of recorded offences)	VARIATION IN RESOLUTION RATE
1995	4,528	-	129.7	-	255	5.6 %	-
1996	4,400	-2.8 %	125.3	-3.4 %	300	6.8 %	1.2 %
1997	4,504	2.4 %	128.6	2.6 %	374	8.3 %	1.5 %
1998	3,986	-11.5 %	114.3	-11.1 %	332	8.3 %	0.0 %
1999	3,757	-5.7 %	108.4	-5.2 %	315	8.4 %	0.1 %
2000	3,391	-9.7 %	98.4	-9.2 %	254	7.5 %	-0.9 %
2001	3,375	-0.5 %	98.7	0.4 %	360	10.7 %	3.2 %
2002	3,803	12.7 %	111.4	12.8 %	291	7.7 %	-3.0 %

Recorded Theft Ex Car Type Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



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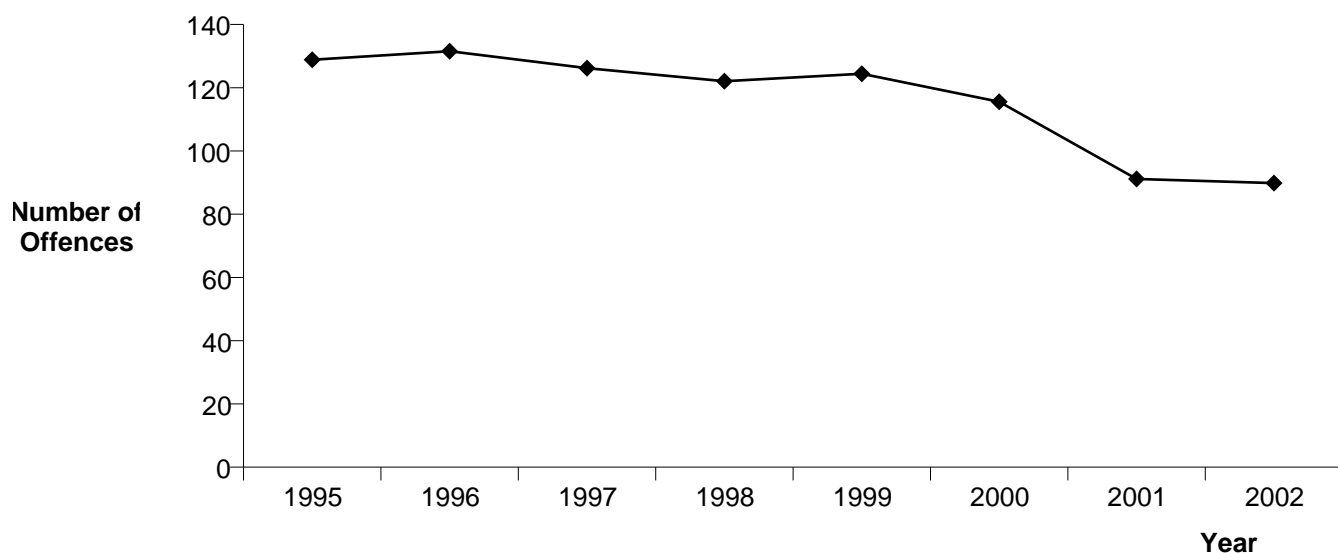
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DWELLING BURGLARY

('4100' Offence Class, With Dwelling Scene Type)

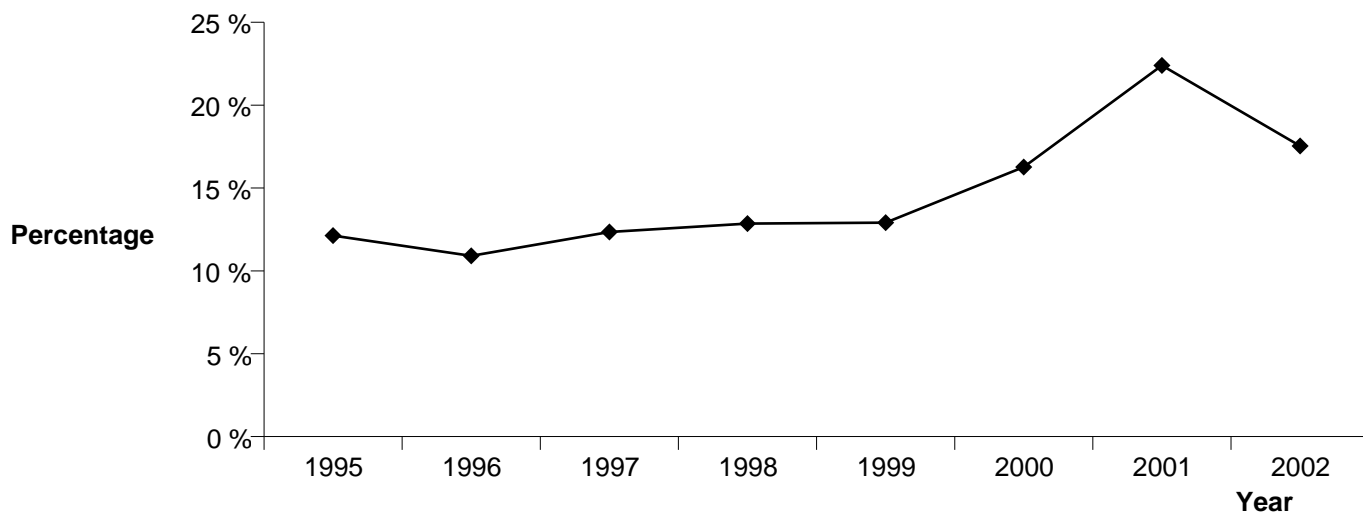
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1995	4,500	-	128.9	-	546	12.1 %	-
1996	4,620	2.7 %	131.5	2.1 %	504	10.9 %	-1.2 %
1997	4,421	-4.3 %	126.2	-4.1 %	546	12.4 %	1.4 %
1998	4,256	-3.7 %	122.1	-3.3 %	547	12.9 %	0.5 %
1999	4,314	1.4 %	124.4	1.9 %	557	12.9 %	0.1 %
2000	3,983	-7.7 %	115.5	-7.1 %	648	16.3 %	3.4 %
2001	3,116	-21.8 %	91.1	-21.1 %	698	22.4 %	6.1 %
2002	3,068	-1.5 %	89.8	-1.4 %	538	17.5 %	-4.9 %

Recorded Burglary Class Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



Statistics New Zealand

The resident population estimates were obtained by updating census usually resident population counts at 6 March 2001, for births, deaths and net migration of residents during the period 7 March 2001 to the given date. The base population has also been adjusted for the number of residents undercounted by the census, as measured by the 2001 Post-enumeration Survey, and for the estimated number of residents temporarily overseas.

YEAR (ended 30 June)	POPULATION
1995	349,204
1996	351,228
1997	350,358
1998	348,642
1999	346,692
2000	344,712
2001	341,865
2002	341,494