

CENTRAL DISTRICT CRIME STATISTICS 2010/2011



**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 (NIA). These Official Statistics for Recorded and Resolved Offences present a snapshot of data in NIA relating to offences that occur within a given year, as at the date 14 days following the end of that year.

Unless the matter is minor where Police attendance is sufficient, a matter 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 counted as resolved when Police apprehend an offender and decide how to deal with him/her. (E.g. warn, prosecute, etc.)

Resolution rate is the percentage of recorded offences that are resolved within 14 days of the end of the year being reported on.

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).

When comparing 2010/2011 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 DIVISION
Years ending 30 June

HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
ATTEMPTED MURDER	3	3	2	0.0 %	-33.3 %	3	3	2	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
MANSLAUGHTER AND DRIVING CAUSING DEATH	1	5	10	400.0 %	100.0 %	1	4	10	100.0 %	80.0 %	100.0 %
MURDER	5	6	5	20.0 %	-16.7 %	5	6	4	100.0 %	100.0 %	80.0 %
	9	14	17	55.6 %	21.4 %	9	13	16	100.0 %	92.9 %	94.1 %

ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
ASSAULT	3,662	3,736	3,610	2.0 %	-3.4 %	3,170	3,205	3,168	86.6 %	85.8 %	87.8 %
OTHER ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	9	3	5	-66.7 %	66.7 %	5	2	2	55.6 %	66.7 %	40.0 %
	3,671	3,739	3,615	1.9 %	-3.3 %	3,175	3,207	3,170	86.5 %	85.8 %	87.7 %

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
NON-ASSAULTIVE SEXUAL OFFENCES	7	5	7	-28.6 %	40.0 %	4	4	4	57.1 %	80.0 %	57.1 %
SEXUAL ASSAULT	237	242	277	2.1 %	14.5 %	152	135	168	64.1 %	55.8 %	60.6 %
	244	247	284	1.2 %	15.0 %	156	139	172	63.9 %	56.3 %	60.6 %

DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
OTHER DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	67	51	58	-23.9 %	13.7 %	53	40	44	79.1 %	78.4 %	75.9 %
	67	51	58	-23.9 %	13.7 %	53	40	44	79.1 %	78.4 %	75.9 %

ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
ABDUCTION AND KIDNAPPING	22	18	18	-18.2 %	0.0 %	20	14	14	90.9 %	77.8 %	77.8 %
HARASSMENT AND THREATENING BEHAVIOUR	922	916	954	-0.7 %	4.1 %	751	742	779	81.5 %	81.0 %	81.7 %
	944	934	972	-1.1 %	4.1 %	771	756	793	81.7 %	80.9 %	81.6 %

ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
BLACKMAIL AND EXTORTION	19	14	13	-26.3 %	-7.1 %	14	6	10	73.7 %	42.9 %	76.9 %
ROBBERY	130	142	120	9.2 %	-15.5 %	71	76	66	54.6 %	53.5 %	55.0 %
	149	156	133	4.7 %	-14.7 %	85	82	76	57.0 %	52.6 %	57.1 %

UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	5,327	4,807	4,525	-9.8 %	-5.9 %	1,067	821	884	20.0 %	17.1 %	19.5 %
	5,327	4,807	4,525	-9.8 %	-5.9 %	1,067	821	884	20.0 %	17.1 %	19.5 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY DIVISION

Years ending 30 June

THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
ILLEGAL USE OF PROPERTY (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	443	504	427	13.8 %	-15.3 %	37	39	29	8.4 %	7.7 %	6.8 %
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	3,465	3,328	3,129	-4.0 %	-6.0 %	497	519	415	14.3 %	15.6 %	13.3 %
RECEIVE OR HANDLE PROCEEDS OF CRIME	215	199	216	-7.4 %	8.5 %	209	193	212	97.2 %	97.0 %	98.1 %
THEFT (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	5,027	5,320	5,188	5.8 %	-2.5 %	1,817	2,199	2,337	36.1 %	41.3 %	45.0 %
	9,150	9,351	8,960	2.2 %	-4.2 %	2,560	2,950	2,993	28.0 %	31.5 %	33.4 %

FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
DECEPTIVE BUSINESS/GOVERNMENT PRACTICES	6	0	5	-100.0 %	0.0 %	5	0	5	83.3 %	0.0 %	100.0 %
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING	56	54	22	-3.6 %	-59.3 %	39	39	16	69.6 %	72.2 %	72.7 %
OBTAIN BENEFIT BY DECEPTION	679	722	578	6.3 %	-19.9 %	474	519	409	69.8 %	71.9 %	70.8 %
OTHER FRAUD AND DECEPTION OFFENCES	40	41	34	2.5 %	-17.1 %	15	22	18	37.5 %	53.7 %	52.9 %
	781	817	639	4.6 %	-21.8 %	533	580	448	68.2 %	71.0 %	70.1 %

ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
DEAL OR TRAFFIC IN ILLICIT DRUGS	191	173	162	-9.4 %	-6.4 %	186	160	155	97.4 %	92.5 %	95.7 %
IMPORT OR EXPORT ILLICIT DRUGS	0	3	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	0	3	0	0.0 %	100.0 %	0.0 %
MANUFACTURE OR CULTIVATE ILLICIT DRUGS	396	408	319	3.0 %	-21.8 %	233	270	280	58.8 %	66.2 %	87.8 %
OTHER ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	350	411	418	17.4 %	1.7 %	346	404	411	98.9 %	98.3 %	98.3 %
POSSESS AND/OR USE ILLICIT DRUGS	729	813	753	11.5 %	-7.4 %	706	780	731	96.8 %	95.9 %	97.1 %
	1,666	1,808	1,652	8.5 %	-8.6 %	1,471	1,617	1,577	88.3 %	89.4 %	95.5 %

PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
REGULATED WEAPONS/EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	620	574	519	-7.4 %	-9.6 %	565	536	481	91.1 %	93.4 %	92.7 %
	620	574	519	-7.4 %	-9.6 %	565	536	481	91.1 %	93.4 %	92.7 %

PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	28	21	12	-25.0 %	-42.9 %	21	13	11	75.0 %	61.9 %	91.7 %
PROPERTY DAMAGE	5,383	5,414	4,451	0.6 %	-17.8 %	1,561	1,608	1,480	29.0 %	29.7 %	33.3 %
	5,411	5,435	4,463	0.4 %	-17.9 %	1,582	1,621	1,491	29.2 %	29.8 %	33.4 %

PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	1,902	2,146	2,104	12.8 %	-2.0 %	1,683	1,957	1,917	88.5 %	91.2 %	91.1 %
OFFENSIVE CONDUCT	168	136	114	-19.0 %	-16.2 %	137	99	93	81.5 %	72.8 %	81.6 %
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	1	0	0	-100.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
REGULATED PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	713	761	751	6.7 %	-1.3 %	686	694	697	96.2 %	91.2 %	92.8 %
	2,784	3,043	2,969	9.3 %	-2.4 %	2,506	2,750	2,707	90.0 %	90.4 %	91.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY DIVISION
Years ending 30 June

OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
BREACH OF COMMUNITY-BASED ORDER	509	279	377	-45.2 %	35.1 %	498	272	371	97.8 %	97.5 %	98.4 %
BREACH OF CUSTODIAL ORDER OFFENCES	52	38	39	-26.9 %	2.6 %	49	38	39	94.2 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
BREACH OF VIOLENCE AND NON-VIOLENCE RESTRAINING ORDERS	468	504	530	7.7 %	5.2 %	428	449	496	91.5 %	89.1 %	93.6 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	25	9	6	-64.0 %	-33.3 %	12	4	3	48.0 %	44.4 %	50.0 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES	446	457	396	2.5 %	-13.3 %	434	441	387	97.3 %	96.5 %	97.7 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS NOT FURTHER DEFINED	1	0	0	-100.0 %	0.0 %	1	0	0	100.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
	1,501	1,287	1,348	-14.3 %	4.7 %	1,422	1,204	1,296	94.7 %	93.6 %	96.1 %

MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

ANZSOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 08/09- 09/10	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Resolved 20082009	Resolved 20092010	Resolved 20102011	Resolution Rate 20082009	Resolution Rate 20092010	Resolution Rate 20102011
COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRY/FINANCIAL REGULATION	2	6	18	200.0 %	200.0 %	2	6	18	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
DEFAMATION, LIBEL AND PRIVACY OFFENCES	4	3	2	-25.0 %	-33.3 %	0	3	2	0.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	0	4	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	0	3	0	0.0 %	75.0 %	0.0 %
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	145	149	86	2.8 %	-42.3 %	131	126	70	90.3 %	84.6 %	81.4 %
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFENCES	4	5	6	25.0 %	20.0 %	2	2	4	50.0 %	40.0 %	66.7 %
	155	167	112	7.7 %	-32.9 %	135	140	94	87.1 %	83.8 %	83.9 %
TOTAL	32,479	32,430	30,266	-0.2 %	-6.7 %	16,090	16,456	16,242	49.5 %	50.7 %	53.7 %

PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY DIVISION

Years ending 30 June

ANZSOC Division Description	Proportions Recorded 20082009	Recorded 20082009	Proportions Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20092010	Proportions Recorded 20102011	Recorded 20102011
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.0 %	9	0.0 %	14	0.1 %	17
ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	11.3 %	3,671	11.5 %	3,739	11.9 %	3,615
SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.8 %	244	0.8 %	247	0.9 %	284
DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	0.2 %	67	0.2 %	51	0.2 %	58
ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON	2.9 %	944	2.9 %	934	3.2 %	972
ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.5 %	149	0.5 %	156	0.4 %	133
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	16.4 %	5,327	14.8 %	4,807	15.0 %	4,525
THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	28.2 %	9,150	28.8 %	9,351	29.6 %	8,960
FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	2.4 %	781	2.5 %	817	2.1 %	639
ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	5.1 %	1,666	5.6 %	1,808	5.5 %	1,652
PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	1.9 %	620	1.8 %	574	1.7 %	519
PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	16.7 %	5,411	16.8 %	5,435	14.7 %	4,463
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	8.6 %	2,784	9.4 %	3,043	9.8 %	2,969
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	4.6 %	1,501	4.0 %	1,287	4.5 %	1,348
MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	0.5 %	155	0.5 %	167	0.4 %	112
	100.0 %	32,479	100.0 %	32,430	100.0 %	30,266

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED OFFENCES AND RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA
years ending 30 June

TOTAL CRIME

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	6,454	5,823	-9.8 %	883.7	785.8	-11.1 %
Palmerston North City	8,844	8,385	-5.2 %	1,034.5	970.1	-6.2 %
Palmerston North Rural	7,384	6,836	-7.4 %	880.5	812.5	-7.7 %
Ruapehu	1,809	1,836	1.5 %	1,049.0	1,068.7	1.9 %
Taranaki Rural	2,524	2,409	-4.6 %	740.1	704.5	-4.8 %
Wanganui	5,415	4,977	-8.1 %	1,003.8	920.3	-8.3 %
Total	32,430	30,266	-6.7 %	932.8	864.4	-7.3 %

SUMMARY OF AREA RECORDED OFFENCES AND RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY DIVISION
years ending 30 June

HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	1	2	100.0 %	0.1	0.3	97.1 %
Palmerston North City	2	0	-100.0 %	0.2	0.0	-100.0 %
Palmerston North Rural	3	7	133.3 %	0.4	0.8	132.6 %
Ruapehu	2	2	0.0 %	1.2	1.2	0.4 %
Taranaki Rural	0	0	0.0 %	0.0	0.0	0.0 %
Wanganui	6	6	0.0 %	1.1	1.1	-0.2 %
Total	14	17	21.4 %	0.4	0.5	20.6 %

ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	773	646	-16.4 %	105.8	87.2	-17.6 %
Palmerston North City	862	782	-9.3 %	100.8	90.5	-10.3 %
Palmerston North Rural	861	871	1.2 %	102.7	103.5	0.8 %
Ruapehu	237	269	13.5 %	137.4	156.6	13.9 %
Taranaki Rural	330	388	17.6 %	96.8	113.5	17.3 %
Wanganui	676	659	-2.5 %	125.3	121.9	-2.8 %
Total	3,739	3,615	-3.3 %	107.5	103.2	-4.0 %

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	52	47	-9.6 %	7.1	6.3	-10.9 %
Palmerston North City	52	61	17.3 %	6.1	7.1	16.0 %
Palmerston North Rural	39	83	112.8 %	4.7	9.9	112.1 %
Ruapehu	18	12	-33.3 %	10.4	7.0	-33.1 %
Taranaki Rural	34	33	-2.9 %	10.0	9.7	-3.2 %
Wanganui	52	48	-7.7 %	9.6	8.9	-7.9 %
Total	247	284	15.0 %	7.1	8.1	14.2 %

SUMMARY OF AREA RECORDED OFFENCES AND RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY DIVISION
years ending 30 June

DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	13	17	30.8 %	1.8	2.3	28.9 %
Palmerston North City	8	10	25.0 %	0.9	1.2	23.6 %
Palmerston North Rural	14	9	-35.7 %	1.7	1.1	-35.9 %
Ruapehu	2	3	50.0 %	1.2	1.7	50.6 %
Taranaki Rural	5	8	60.0 %	1.5	2.3	59.6 %
Wanganui	9	11	22.2 %	1.7	2.0	21.9 %
Total	51	58	13.7 %	1.5	1.7	12.9 %

ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	160	209	30.6 %	21.9	28.2	28.7 %
Palmerston North City	197	200	1.5 %	23.0	23.1	0.4 %
Palmerston North Rural	221	265	19.9 %	26.4	31.5	19.5 %
Ruapehu	46	54	17.4 %	26.7	31.4	17.8 %
Taranaki Rural	93	92	-1.1 %	27.3	26.9	-1.3 %
Wanganui	217	152	-30.0 %	40.2	28.1	-30.1 %
Total	934	972	4.1 %	26.9	27.8	3.3 %

ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	23	29	26.1 %	3.1	3.9	24.3 %
Palmerston North City	67	42	-37.3 %	7.8	4.9	-38.0 %
Palmerston North Rural	17	23	35.3 %	2.0	2.7	34.9 %
Ruapehu	4	3	-25.0 %	2.3	1.7	-24.7 %
Taranaki Rural	7	3	-57.1 %	2.1	0.9	-57.3 %
Wanganui	38	33	-13.2 %	7.0	6.1	-13.4 %
Total	156	133	-14.7 %	4.5	3.8	-15.3 %

SUMMARY OF AREA RECORDED OFFENCES AND RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY DIVISION
years ending 30 June

UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	598	613	2.5 %	81.9	82.7	1.0 %
Palmerston North City	1,489	1,433	-3.8 %	174.2	165.8	-4.8 %
Palmerston North Rural	1,288	1,105	-14.2 %	153.6	131.3	-14.5 %
Ruapehu	321	278	-13.4 %	186.1	161.8	-13.1 %
Taranaki Rural	322	305	-5.3 %	94.4	89.2	-5.5 %
Wanganui	789	791	0.3 %	146.3	146.3	0.0 %
Total	4,807	4,525	-5.9 %	138.3	129.2	-6.5 %

THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	1,850	1,543	-16.6 %	253.3	208.2	-17.8 %
Palmerston North City	3,030	3,045	0.5 %	354.4	352.3	-0.6 %
Palmerston North Rural	2,053	1,962	-4.4 %	244.8	233.2	-4.7 %
Ruapehu	437	441	0.9 %	253.4	256.7	1.3 %
Taranaki Rural	502	476	-5.2 %	147.2	139.2	-5.4 %
Wanganui	1,479	1,493	0.9 %	274.2	276.1	0.7 %
Total	9,351	8,960	-4.2 %	269.0	255.9	-4.9 %

FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	281	194	-31.0 %	38.5	26.2	-32.0 %
Palmerston North City	241	143	-40.7 %	28.2	16.5	-41.3 %
Palmerston North Rural	138	151	9.4 %	16.5	17.9	9.1 %
Ruapehu	28	48	71.4 %	16.2	27.9	72.1 %
Taranaki Rural	45	51	13.3 %	13.2	14.9	13.0 %
Wanganui	84	52	-38.1 %	15.6	9.6	-38.2 %
Total	817	639	-21.8 %	23.5	18.3	-22.3 %

SUMMARY OF AREA RECORDED OFFENCES AND RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY DIVISION
years ending 30 June

ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	402	418	4.0 %	55.0	56.4	2.5 %
Palmerston North City	302	254	-15.9 %	35.3	29.4	-16.8 %
Palmerston North Rural	420	333	-20.7 %	50.1	39.6	-21.0 %
Ruapehu	172	127	-26.2 %	99.7	73.9	-25.9 %
Taranaki Rural	245	262	6.9 %	71.8	76.6	6.7 %
Wanganui	267	258	-3.4 %	49.5	47.7	-3.6 %
Total	1,808	1,652	-8.6 %	52.0	47.2	-9.3 %

**PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES
OFFENCES**

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	123	109	-11.4 %	16.8	14.7	-12.7 %
Palmerston North City	103	88	-14.6 %	12.0	10.2	-15.5 %
Palmerston North Rural	147	114	-22.4 %	17.5	13.5	-22.7 %
Ruapehu	31	46	48.4 %	18.0	26.8	48.9 %
Taranaki Rural	51	48	-5.9 %	15.0	14.0	-6.1 %
Wanganui	119	114	-4.2 %	22.1	21.1	-4.4 %
Total	574	519	-9.6 %	16.5	14.8	-10.2 %

PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	1,054	756	-28.3 %	144.3	102.0	-29.3 %
Palmerston North City	1,387	1,157	-16.6 %	162.2	133.9	-17.5 %
Palmerston North Rural	1,226	1,089	-11.2 %	146.2	129.4	-11.5 %
Ruapehu	273	288	5.5 %	158.3	167.6	5.9 %
Taranaki Rural	447	313	-30.0 %	131.1	91.5	-30.2 %
Wanganui	1,048	860	-17.9 %	194.3	159.0	-18.1 %
Total	5,435	4,463	-17.9 %	156.3	127.5	-18.5 %

SUMMARY OF AREA RECORDED OFFENCES AND RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY DIVISION
years ending 30 June

PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	780	925	18.6 %	106.8	124.8	16.9 %
Palmerston North City	807	749	-7.2 %	94.4	86.7	-8.2 %
Palmerston North Rural	560	502	-10.4 %	66.8	59.7	-10.7 %
Ruapehu	160	169	5.6 %	92.8	98.4	6.0 %
Taranaki Rural	341	332	-2.6 %	100.0	97.1	-2.9 %
Wanganui	395	292	-26.1 %	73.2	54.0	-26.3 %
Total	3,043	2,969	-2.4 %	87.5	84.8	-3.1 %

**OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT
SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS**

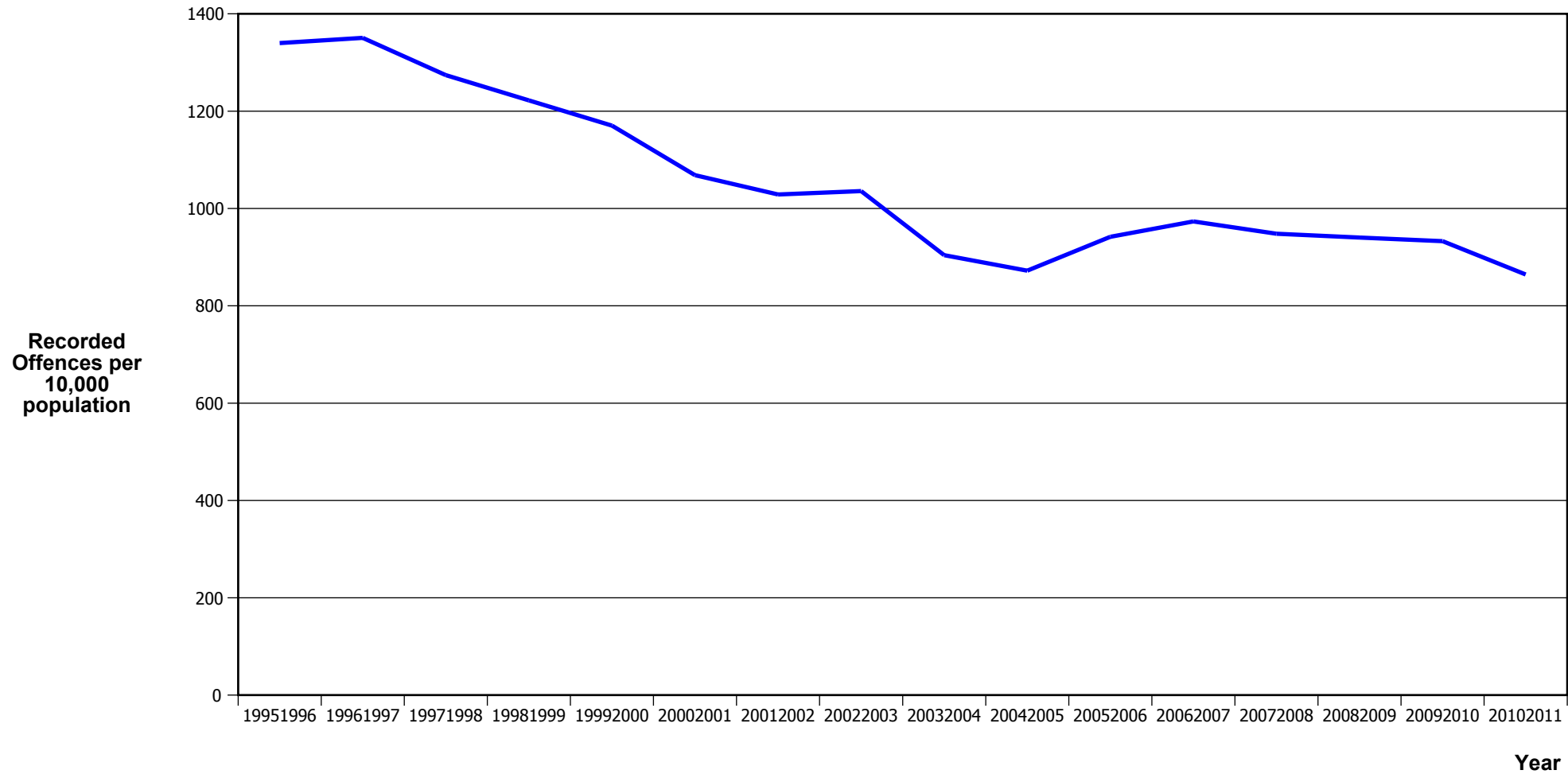
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New Plymouth	323	300	-7.1 %	44.2	40.5	-8.5 %
Palmerston North City	279	408	46.2 %	32.6	47.2	44.6 %
Palmerston North Rural	312	270	-13.5 %	37.2	32.1	-13.7 %
Ruapehu	54	75	38.9 %	31.3	43.7	39.4 %
Taranaki Rural	96	93	-3.1 %	28.1	27.2	-3.4 %
Wanganui	223	202	-9.4 %	41.3	37.4	-9.6 %
Total	1,287	1,348	4.7 %	37.0	38.5	4.0 %

MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 20092010	Recorded 20102011	Variance 09/10- 10/11	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20092010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20102011	per 10,000 pop % Variance 09/10 to 10/11
New Plymouth	21	15	-28.6 %	2.9	2.0	-29.6 %
Palmerston North City	18	13	-27.8 %	2.1	1.5	-28.6 %
Palmerston North Rural	85	52	-38.8 %	10.1	6.2	-39.0 %
Ruapehu	24	21	-12.5 %	13.9	12.2	-12.2 %
Taranaki Rural	6	5	-16.7 %	1.8	1.5	-16.9 %
Wanganui	13	6	-53.8 %	2.4	1.1	-54.0 %
Total	167	112	-32.9 %	4.8	3.2	-33.4 %

CRIME TRENDS

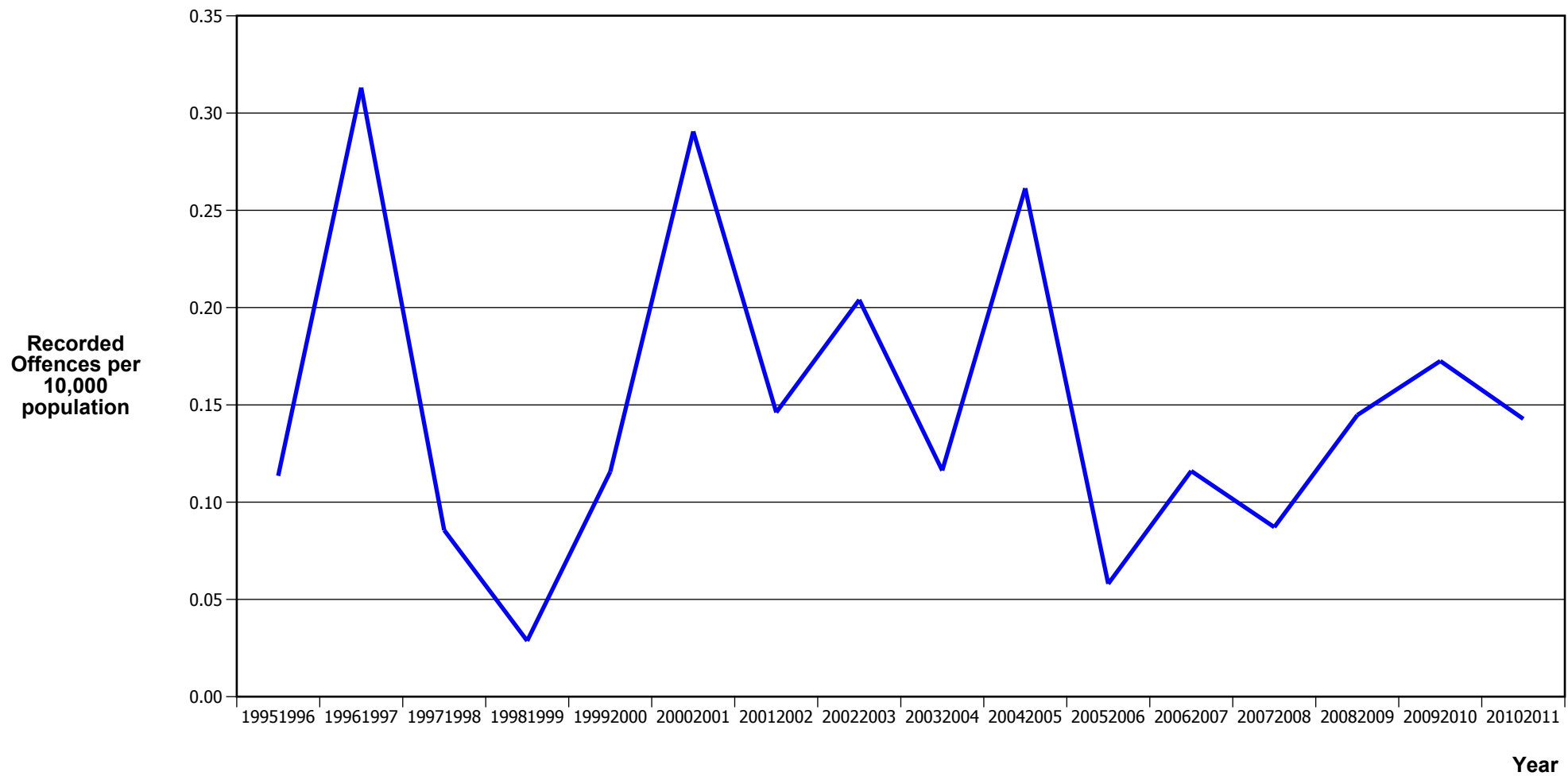
TOTAL CRIME



Fiscal Year	19951996	19961997	19971998	19981999	19992000	20002001	20012002	20022003	20032004	20042005	20052006	20062007	20072008	20082009	20092010	20102011
Recorded Offences	47,212	47,459	44,637	42,558	40,485	36,772	35,199	35,539	31,114	30,040	32,460	33,565	32,651	32,479	32,430	30,266
Recorded per 10,000 Population	1,339.8	1,350.7	1,274.1	1,222.2	1,170.3	1,068.5	1,028.7	1,035.8	904.1	872.3	941.8	973.4	948.1	940.3	932.8	864.4

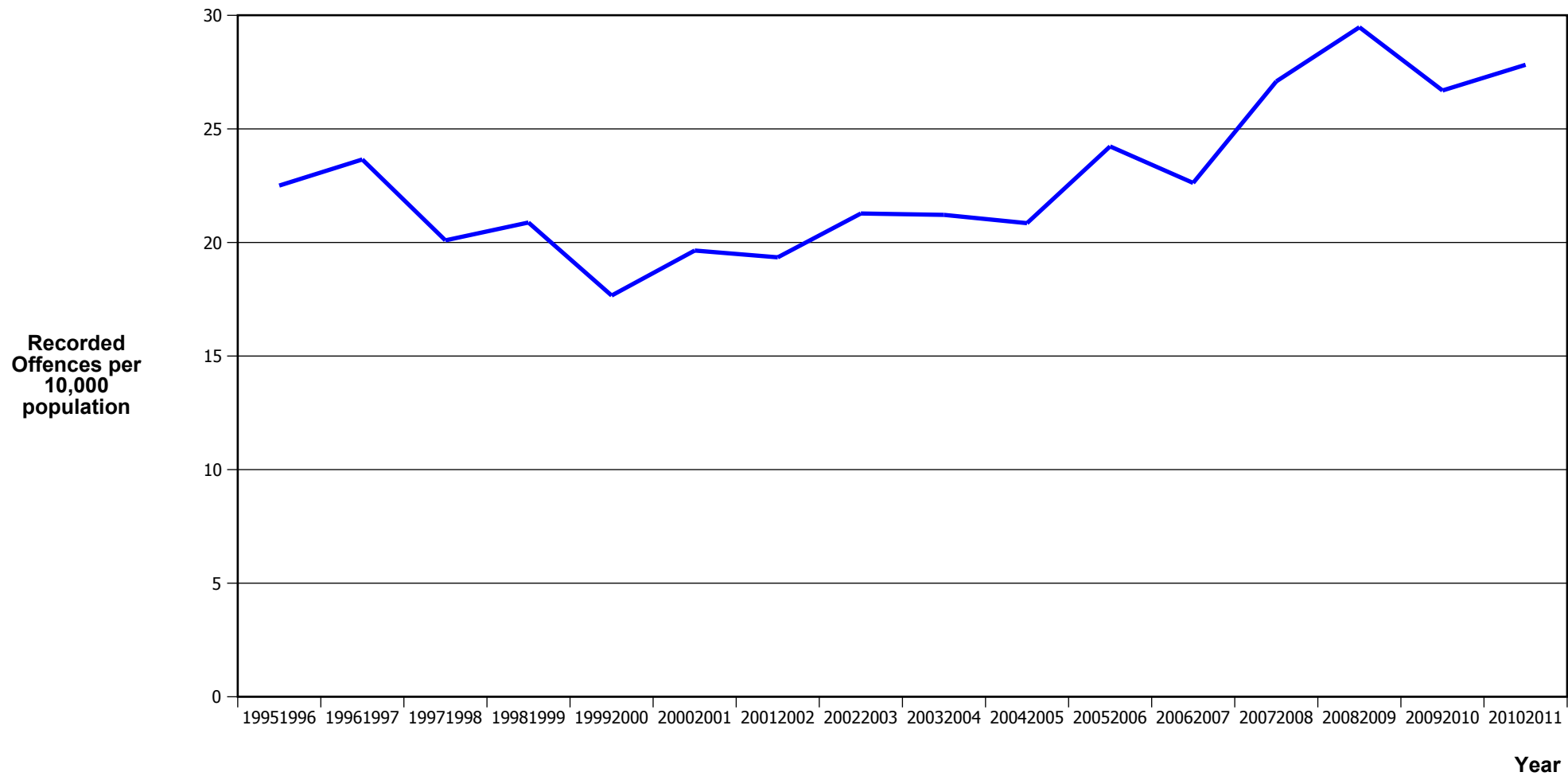
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MURDER



Fiscal Year	19951996	19961997	19971998	19981999	19992000	20002001	20012002	20022003	20032004	20042005	20052006	20062007	20072008	20082009	20092010	20102011
Recorded Offences	4	11	3	1	4	10	5	7	4	9	2	4	3	5	6	5
Recorded per 10,000 Population	0.11	0.31	0.09	0.03	0.12	0.29	0.15	0.20	0.12	0.26	0.06	0.12	0.09	0.14	0.17	0.14

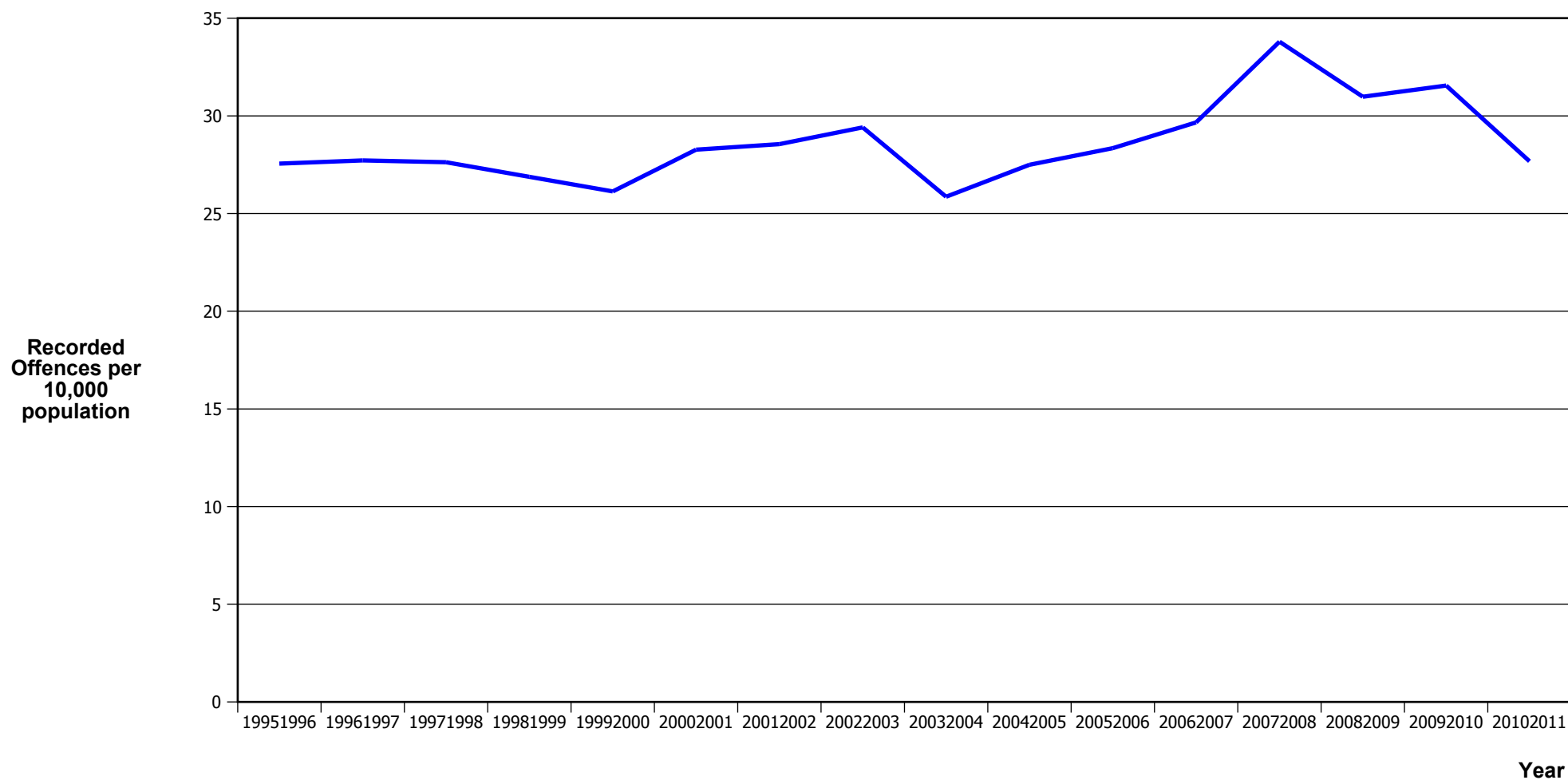
SERIOUS ASSAULTS RESULTING IN INJURY*



Fiscal Year	19951996	19961997	19971998	19981999	19992000	20002001	20012002	20022003	20032004	20042005	20052006	20062007	20072008	20082009	20092010	20102011
Recorded Offences	793	831	704	727	611	676	662	730	730	718	835	780	933	1018	928	974
Recorded per 10,000 Population	22.5	23.7	20.1	20.9	17.7	19.6	19.3	21.3	21.2	20.8	24.2	22.6	27.1	29.5	26.7	27.8

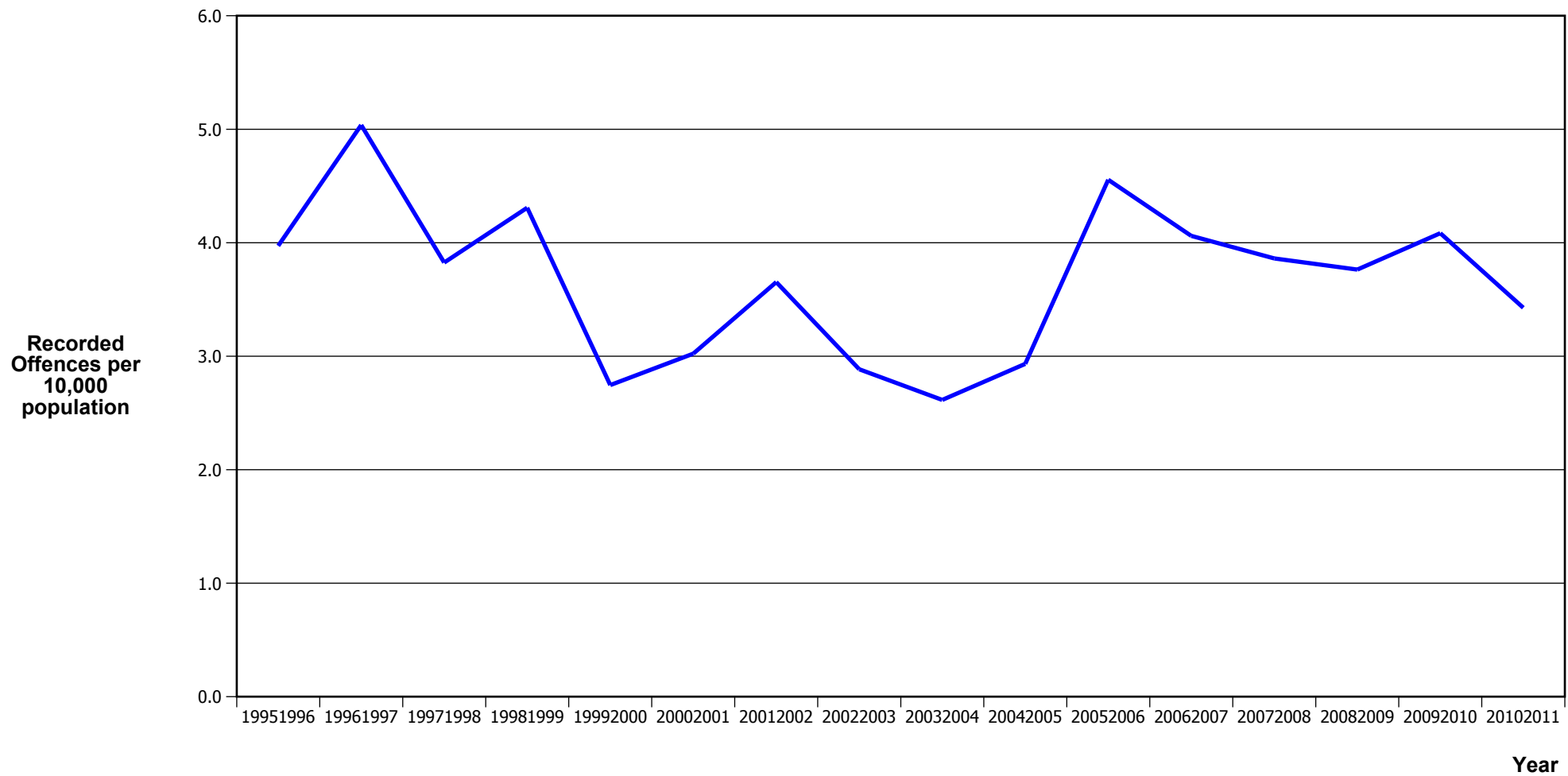
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PUBLIC PLACE ASSAULTS



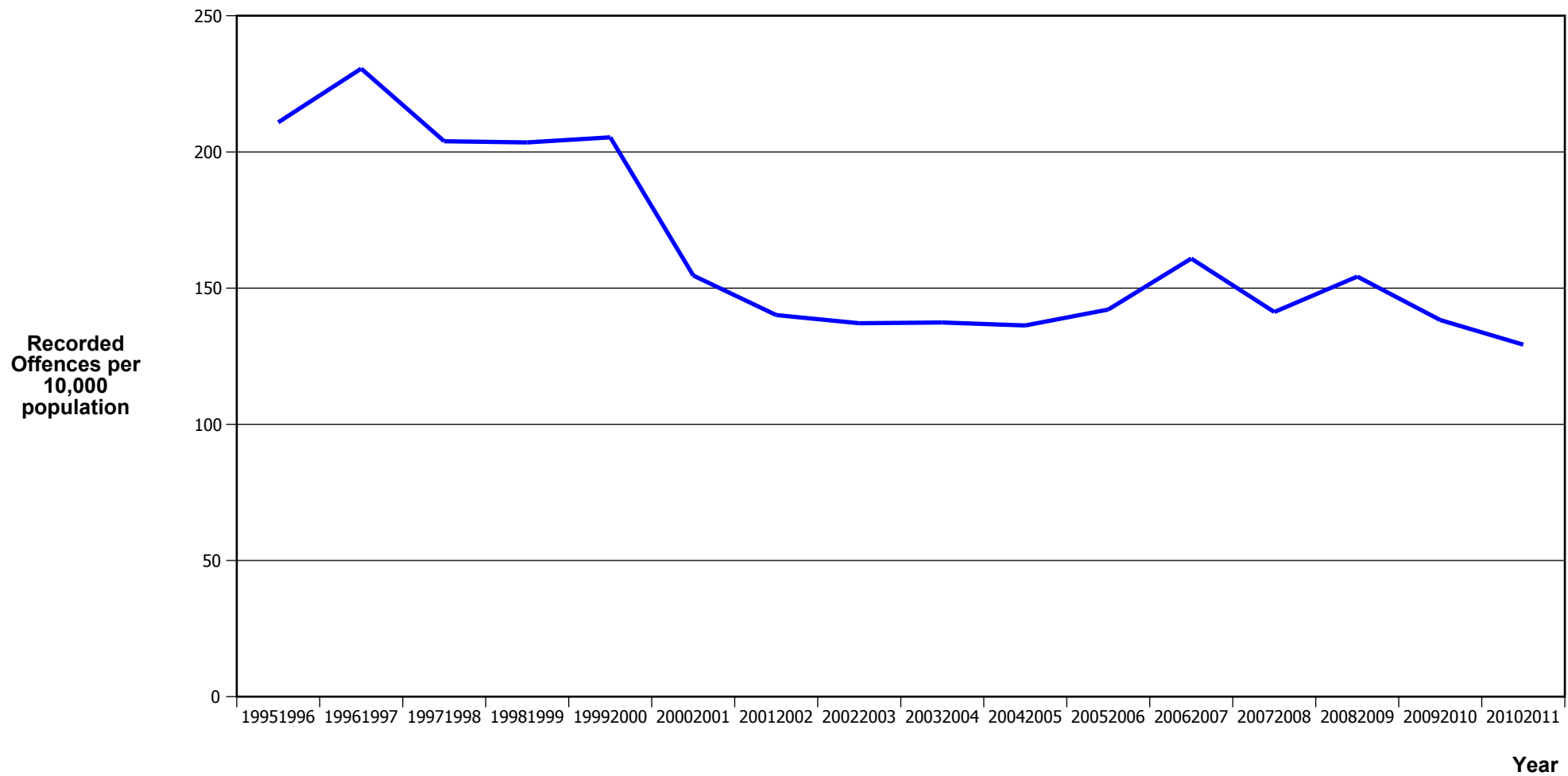
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Recorded Offences	971	974	968	936	904	973	977	1,009	890	947	977	1,023	1,164	1,070	1,097	969
Recorded per 10,000 Population	27.6	27.7	27.6	26.9	26.1	28.3	28.6	29.4	25.9	27.5	28.3	29.7	33.8	31.0	31.6	27.7

ROBBERY



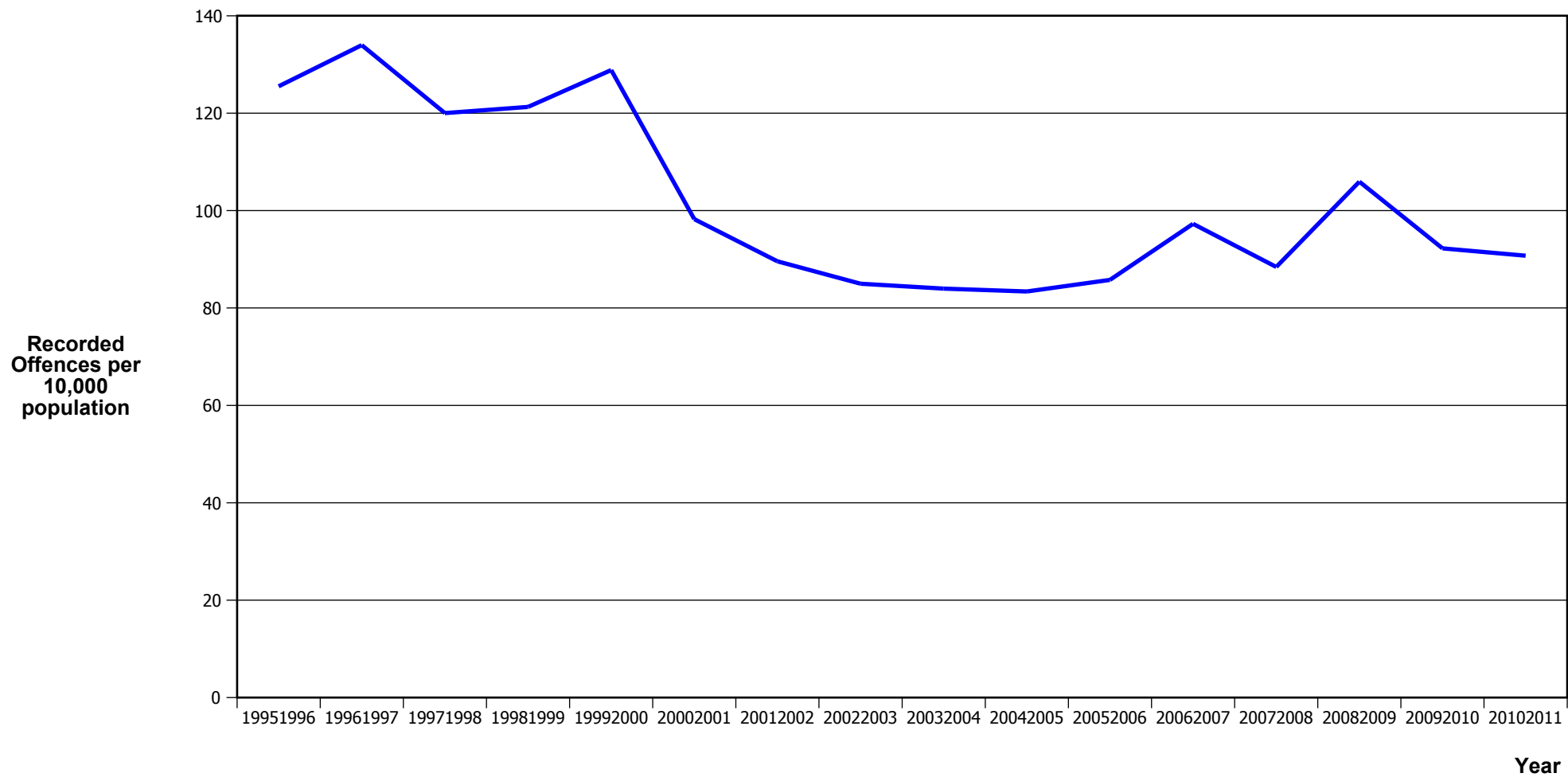
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Recorded Offences	140	177	134	150	95	104	125	99	90	101	157	140	133	130	142	120
Recorded per 10,000 Population	4.0	5.0	3.8	4.3	2.7	3.0	3.7	2.9	2.6	2.9	4.6	4.1	3.9	3.8	4.1	3.4

BURGLARY (TOTAL)

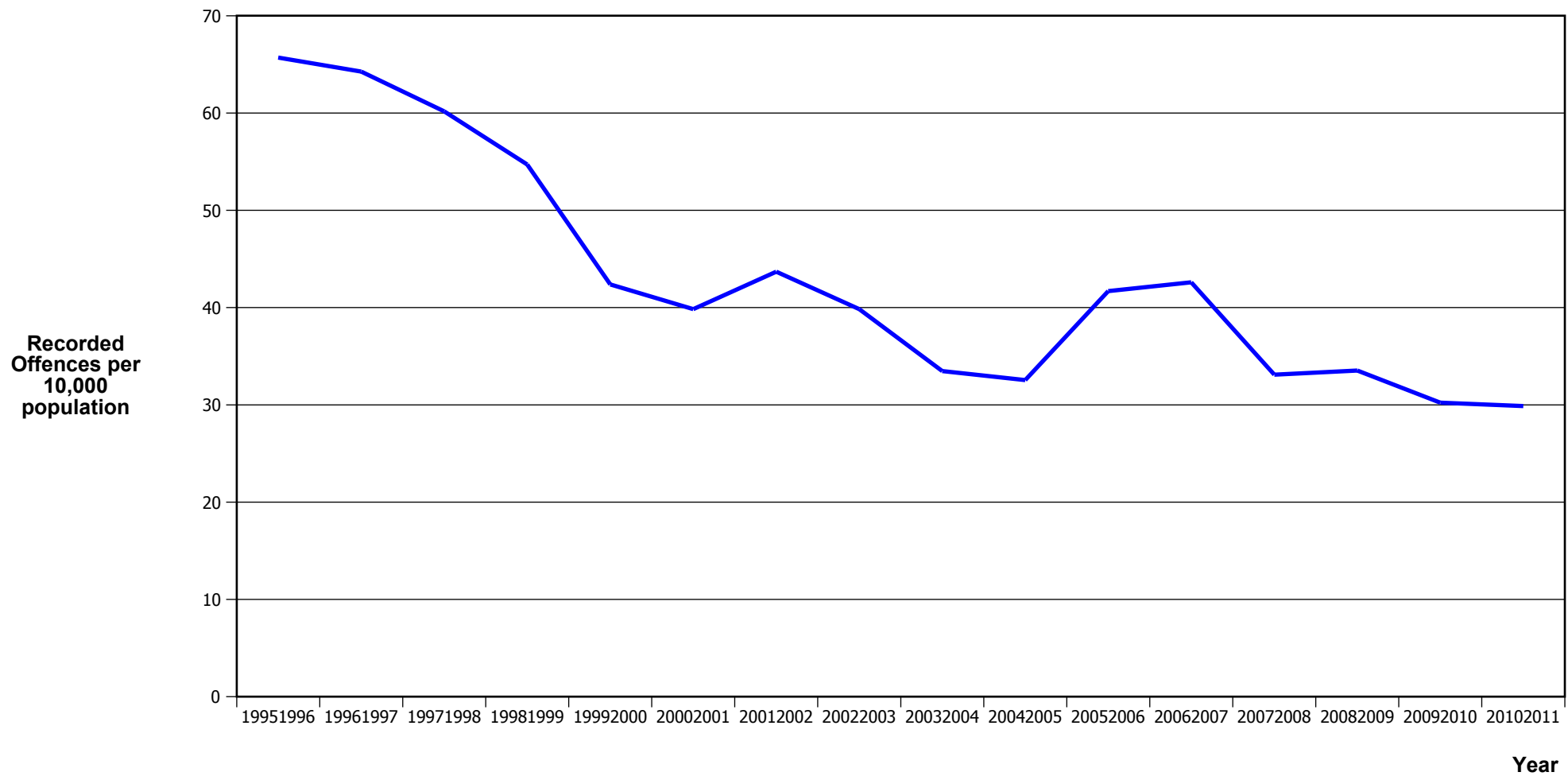


Fiscal Year	19951996	19961997	19971998	19981999	19992000	20002001	20012002	20022003	20032004	20042005	20052006	20062007	20072008	20082009	20092010	20102011
Recorded Offences	7,430	8,102	7,145	7,086	7,104	5,321	4,794	4,704	4,728	4,693	4,899	5,547	4,864	5,327	4,807	4,525
Recorded per 10,000 Population	210.9	230.6	203.9	203.5	205.4	154.6	140.1	137.1	137.4	136.3	142.1	160.9	141.2	154.2	138.3	129.2

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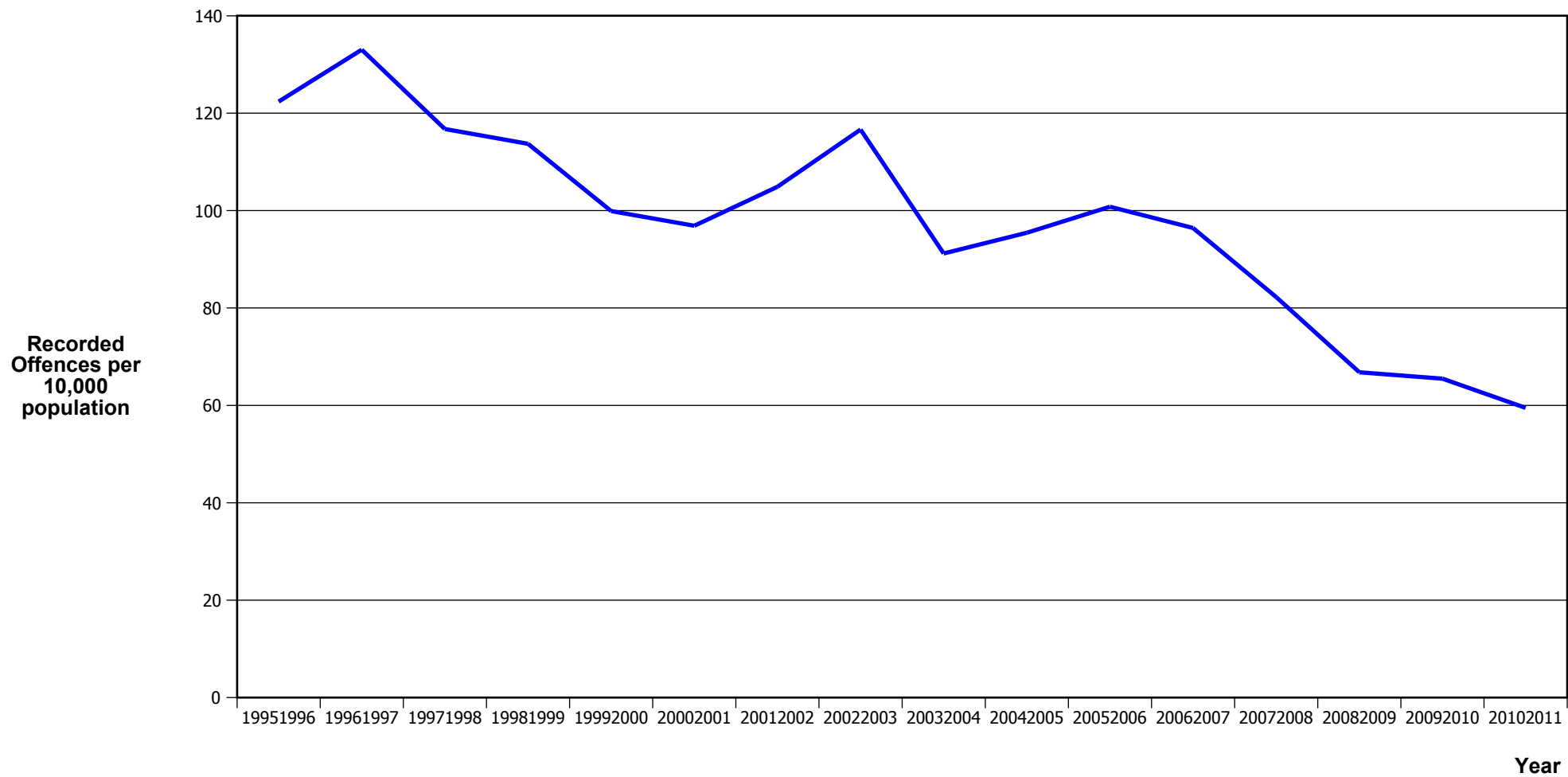


VEHICLES STOLEN



Fiscal Year	19951996	19961997	19971998	19981999	19992000	20002001	20012002	20022003	20032004	20042005	20052006	20062007	20072008	20082009	20092010	20102011
Recorded Offences	2,315	2,258	2,108	1,905	1,466	1,371	1,495	1,367	1,152	1,121	1,437	1,469	1,140	1,158	1,051	1,046
Recorded per 10,000 Population	65.70	64.26	60.17	54.71	42.38	39.84	43.69	39.84	33.48	32.55	41.69	42.60	33.10	33.53	30.23	29.87

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Fiscal Year	19951996	19961997	19971998	19981999	19992000	20002001	20012002	20022003	20032004	20042005	20052006	20062007	20072008	20082009	20092010	20102011
Recorded Offences	4,312	4,674	4,090	3,960	3,456	3,334	3,589	4,002	3,138	3,287	3,474	3,325	2,832	2,307	2,277	2,083
Recorded per 10,000 Population	122.37	133.02	116.74	113.73	99.90	96.88	104.89	116.64	91.19	95.45	100.80	96.43	82.23	66.79	65.49	59.49

Population Data

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

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

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

Year	Population
19951996	352,375
19961997	351,365
19971998	350,355
19981999	348,205
19992000	345,940
20002001	344,140
20012002	342,165
20022003	343,110
20032004	344,130
20042005	344,385
20052006	344,655
20062007	344,810
20072008	344,390
20082009	345,395
20092010	347,680
20102011	350,130

General Definitions

Recorded Offences: the number of breaches of the New Zealand law recorded by Police. This includes offences specified in the Crimes Act and other legislations, such as the Summary Offences Act, Local Government Act, etc.

Resolved Offences: the number of recorded offences where an offender has been identified and dealt with (e.g. warned, cautioned, prosecuted, etc).

Resolution Rate: the proportion of recorded offences that have been resolved.

Recorded per 10,000 population: the number of recorded offences for every 10,000 people. This is also referred as the crime rate per 10,000 population.

ASOC: the Australian Standard Offence Classification. The offence classification is divided into 16 major offence divisions.

Definition of ASOC Divisions

1. Homicide and related offences: Unlawfully kill, attempt to unlawfully kill or conspiracy to kill another person.
2. Acts intended to cause injury: Acts, excluding attempted murder and those resulting in death, which are intended to cause non-fatal injury or harm to another person and where there is no sexual or acquisitive element.
3. Sexual assault and related offences: Acts, or intent of acts, of a sexual nature against another person, which are non-consensual or where consent is proscribed.
4. Dangerous or negligent acts endangering persons: Dangerous or negligent acts which, though not intended to cause harm, actually or potentially result in injury to oneself or another person.
5. Abduction, harassment and other offences against person: Acts intended to threaten or harass, or acts that unlawfully deprive another person of their freedom of movement, that are against that person's will or against the will of any parent, guardian or other person having lawful custody or care of that person.
6. Robbery, extortion and related offences: Acts intended to unlawfully gain money, property or other items of value from, or to cause detriment to, another person by using the threat of force or any other coercive measure.
7. Unlawful entry with intent / burglary, break and enter: The unlawful entry of a structure with the intent to commit an offence, where the entry is either forced or unforced.
8. Theft and related and offences: The unlawful taking or obtaining of money or goods, not involving the use of force or violence, coercion or deception, with intent to permanently or temporarily deprive the owner or possessor of the use of the money or goods, or the receiving or handling of money or goods obtained unlawfully.

9. Fraud, deception and related offences: Offences involving a dishonest act or omission carried out with the purpose of deceiving to obtain a benefit.

10. Illicit drug offences: The possessing, selling, dealing or trafficking, importing or exporting, manufacturing or cultivating of drugs or other substances prohibited under legislation.

11. Prohibited and regulated weapons and explosives offences: Offences involving prohibited or regulated weapons and explosives. Those offences also involving assault, sexual assault or robbery are coded to the relevant group within Assault, Sexual assaults and Robbery respectively.

12. Property damage and environmental pollution: The wilful and unlawful destruction, damage or defacement of public or private property, or the pollution of property or a definable entity held in common by the community.

13. Public order offences: Offences relating personal conduct that involves, or may lead to, a breach of public order or decency, or that is indicative of criminal intent, or that is otherwise regulated or prohibited on moral or ethical grounds. In general these offences do not involve a specific victim or victims; however some offences, such as offensive language and offensive behaviour, may be directed towards a single victim.

14. Traffic and vehicle regulatory offences: Offences relating to vehicles and most forms of traffic, including offences pertaining to the licensing, registration, roadworthiness, or use of vehicles, bicycle offences and pedestrian offences.

15. Offences against justice procedures, government security and government operations: An act or omission that is deemed to be prejudicial to the effective carrying out of justice procedures or any government operations. This includes general government operations as well as those specifically concerned with maintaining government security.

16. Miscellaneous offences: Offences involving the breach of statutory rules or regulations governing activities that are prima facie legal, where such offences are not explicitly dealt with under any other division. If an offence is specified under regulation and involves an act that would be illegal under common law or general criminal legislation, the offence is dealt with under the appropriate generic group.