

**COUNTIES MANUKAU DISTRICT
CRIME STATISTICS
2005**



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

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REPORT NOTES:

An incident that is reported to or detected by Police where Police believe an offence is likely to have been committed is counted as a Recorded Offence.

A Recorded Offence is considered to be a Resolved Offence by Police when an offender is identified and dealt with. (E.g. warned, cautioned, prosecuted, etc.)

Resolution Rate is the percentage of Recorded Offences that are resolved.

Statistics reported in this document are derived from the Police National Intelligence Application (N.I.A) These Official Crime Statistics present a snapshot of data in N.I.A. relating to offences within a given year, as at the date 14 days following the end of that year.

If an offence is 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).

From time to time, changes occur to categorisation of offences. Reasons for these changes include new legislation or the desire to gain more specificity in statistics for certain types of offences. Caution should therefore be observed when interpreting step-increases and decreases in the number of recorded offences of a certain type.

The following recent legislation changes may have impacted on recorded crime statistics for 2005:

Act	Classes Affected
Corrections Act 2004	Justice (Special) Class (new offences). Against Justice Class (obsolete offences).
Care of Children Act 2004	Family Offences (Contd.) Class (new offences). Family Offences (obsolete offences)
Misuse of Drugs Amendment Act 2005	Drugs (new drugs) class
Crimes Ammendment Act 2005	Sexual Attacks, Abnormal Sex, and Immoral Behaviour Classes
Gambling Act 2003	Gaming Class
Criminal Records (Clean Slate) Act 2004	Justice (Special) Class
Second Hand Dealers and Pawnbrokers Act 2004	Justice (Special) Class (new offences), Fraud & Against Justice Classes (obsolete offences)

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

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Violence	Grievous Assaults	557	603	714	8.3 %	18.4 %	432	480	589	77.6 %	79.6 %	82.5 %
	Group Assemblies	46	34	36	-26.1 %	5.9 %	30	27	24	65.2 %	79.4 %	66.7 %
	Homicide	20	11	19	-45.0 %	72.7 %	20	9	16	100.0 %	81.8 %	84.2 %
	Intimidation And Threats	1,542	1,379	1,665	-10.6 %	20.7 %	1,141	1,028	1,239	74.0 %	74.5 %	74.4 %
	Kidnapping And Abduction	23	39	28	69.6 %	-28.2 %	15	21	13	65.2 %	53.8 %	46.4 %
	Minor Assaults	1,209	1,199	1,296	-0.8 %	8.1 %	815	827	903	67.4 %	69.0 %	69.7 %
	Robbery	318	365	426	14.8 %	16.7 %	84	131	122	26.4 %	35.9 %	28.6 %
	Serious Assaults	2,063	2,137	2,582	3.6 %	20.8 %	1,550	1,660	2,060	75.1 %	77.7 %	79.8 %
Total:		5,778	5,767	6,766	-0.2 %	17.3 %	4,087	4,183	4,966	70.7 %	72.5 %	73.4 %

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	2	1		-50.0 %	-100.0 %	0	1		0.0 %	100.0 %	
	Immoral Behaviour	24	32	35	33.3 %	9.4 %	15	18	25	62.5 %	56.3 %	71.4 %
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	6	14	5	133.3 %	-64.3 %	5	12	3	83.3 %	85.7 %	60.0 %
	Sexual Affronts	48	58	70	20.8 %	20.7 %	23	25	43	47.9 %	43.1 %	61.4 %
	Sexual Attacks	285	288	282	1.1 %	-2.1 %	132	156	123	46.3 %	54.2 %	43.6 %
Total:		365	393	392	7.7 %	-0.3 %	175	212	194	47.9 %	53.9 %	49.5 %

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	2,054	1,972	1,984	-4.0 %	0.6 %	1,533	1,425	1,323	74.6 %	72.3 %	66.7 %
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	891	800	931	-10.2 %	16.4 %	838	762	832	94.1 %	95.3 %	89.4 %
	Drugs (New Drugs)	101	192	282	90.1 %	46.9 %	96	176	274	95.0 %	91.7 %	97.2 %
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	245	205	509	-16.3 %	148.3 %	218	193	174	89.0 %	94.1 %	34.2 %
	Family Offences	93	101	63	8.6 %	-37.6 %	59	73	36	63.4 %	72.3 %	57.1 %
	Family Offences Continued	458	418	531	-8.7 %	27.0 %	344	327	438	75.1 %	78.2 %	82.5 %
	Gaming	2	1	1	-50.0 %	0.0 %	2	1	0	100.0 %	100.0 %	0.0 %
	Sale Of Liquor Act	240	112	111	-53.3 %	-0.9 %	232	66	106	96.7 %	58.9 %	95.5 %
	Vagrancy Offences	7	8	21	14.3 %	162.5 %	6	6	20	85.7 %	75.0 %	95.2 %
Total:		4,091	3,809	4,433	-6.9 %	16.4 %	3,328	3,029	3,203	81.3 %	79.5 %	72.3 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Dishonesty	Burglary	8,666	7,740	8,308	-10.7 %	7.3 %	837	745	827	9.7 %	9.6 %	10.0 %
	Car Conversion Etc	6,068	4,736	5,558	-22.0 %	17.4 %	1,079	742	896	17.8 %	15.7 %	16.1 %
	Dishonesty Miscellaneous	2	57	39	2750.0 %	-31.6 %	1	14	7	50.0 %	24.6 %	17.9 %
	Fraud	2,259	2,065	1,028	-8.6 %	-50.2 %	501	465	341	22.2 %	22.5 %	33.2 %
	Receiving	230	208	232	-9.6 %	11.5 %	215	197	224	93.5 %	94.7 %	96.6 %
	Theft	12,799	10,916	13,154	-14.7 %	20.5 %	2,171	2,108	1,819	17.0 %	19.3 %	13.8 %
Total:		30,024	25,722	28,319	-14.3 %	10.1 %	4,804	4,271	4,114	16.0 %	16.6 %	14.5 %

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	3,641	3,363	3,910	-7.6 %	16.3 %	1,342	1,187	1,264	36.9 %	35.3 %	32.3 %
	Endangering	48	45	62	-6.3 %	37.8 %	42	41	50	87.5 %	91.1 %	80.6 %
Total:		3,689	3,408	3,972	-7.6 %	16.5 %	1,384	1,228	1,314	37.5 %	36.0 %	33.1 %

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Property Abuse	Animals	25	26	16	4.0 %	-38.5 %	10	10	5	40.0 %	38.5 %	31.3 %
	Arms Act Offences	263	269	316	2.3 %	17.5 %	199	215	247	75.7 %	79.9 %	78.2 %
	Littering	36	18	13	-50.0 %	-27.8 %	16	10	9	44.4 %	55.6 %	69.2 %
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	398	354	358	-11.1 %	1.1 %	194	165	143	48.7 %	46.6 %	39.9 %
	Trespass	1,471	1,227	1,506	-16.6 %	22.7 %	920	787	777	62.5 %	64.1 %	51.6 %
Total:		2,193	1,894	2,209	-13.6 %	16.6 %	1,339	1,187	1,181	61.1 %	62.7 %	53.5 %

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
Administrative	Against Justice	1,731	908	1,212	-47.5 %	33.5 %	1,519	801	1,012	87.8 %	88.2 %	83.5 %
	Against National Interest	4	2	3	-50.0 %	50.0 %	1	2	1	25.0 %	100.0 %	33.3 %
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	4	1		-75.0 %	-100.0 %	4	1		100.0 %	100.0 %	
	By Law Breaches	32	58	256	81.3 %	341.4 %	28	50	236	87.5 %	86.2 %	92.2 %
	Immigration	470	974	439	107.2 %	-54.9 %	454	967	405	96.6 %	99.3 %	92.3 %
	Justice (Special)			2					2			100.0 %
	Racial		1			-100.0 %		1			100.0 %	
Total:		2,241	1,944	1,912	-13.3 %	-1.6 %	2,006	1,822	1,656	89.5 %	93.7 %	86.6 %

TOTAL		48,381	42,937	48,003	-11.3 %	11.8 %	17,123	15,932	16,628	35.4 %	37.1 %	34.6 %
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DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA
Years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005	% Rate Variance 03-04	% Rate Variance 04-05
CM Central	1,504.3	1,291.5	1,393.2	-14.1 %	7.9 %
CM East	768.8	654.6	714.8	-14.9 %	9.2 %
CM South	1,122.6	951.3	1,092.9	-15.3 %	14.9 %
CM West	1,288.6	1,177.1	1,275.7	-8.7 %	8.4 %
TOTAL	1,114.5	966.9	1,063.0	-13.2 %	9.9 %

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Violence	Grievous Assaults	12.8	13.6	15.8
	Group Assemblies	1.1	0.8	0.8
	Homicide	0.5	0.2	0.4
	Intimidation And Threats	35.5	31.1	36.9
	Kidnapping And Abduction	0.5	0.9	0.6
	Minor Assaults	27.9	27.0	28.7
	Robbery	7.3	8.2	9.4
	Serious Assaults	47.5	48.1	57.2
Violence		133.1	129.9	149.8

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	0.0	0.0	
	Immoral Behaviour	0.6	0.7	0.8
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	0.1	0.3	0.1
	Sexual Affronts	1.1	1.3	1.6
	Sexual Attacks	6.6	6.5	6.2
Sexual		8.4	8.9	8.7

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	47.3	44.4	43.9
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	20.5	18.0	20.6
	Drugs (New Drugs)	2.3	4.3	6.2
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	5.6	4.6	11.3
	Family Offences	2.1	2.3	1.4
	Family Offences Continued	10.6	9.4	11.8
	Gaming	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Sale Of Liquor Act	5.5	2.5	2.5
	Vagrancy Offences	0.2	0.2	0.5
Drugs & AntiSocial		94.2	85.8	98.2

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Dishonesty	Burglary	199.6	174.3	184.0
	Car Conversion Etc	139.8	106.7	123.1
	Dishonesty Miscellaneous	0.0	1.3	0.9
	Fraud	52.0	46.5	22.8
	Receiving	5.3	4.7	5.1
	Theft	294.8	245.8	291.3
Dishonesty		691.6	579.2	627.1

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	83.9	75.7	86.6
	Endangering	1.1	1.0	1.4
Property Damage		85.0	76.7	88.0

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Property Abuse	Animals	0.6	0.6	0.4
	Arms Act Offences	6.1	6.1	7.0
	Littering	0.8	0.4	0.3
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	9.2	8.0	7.9
	Trespass	33.9	27.6	33.3
Property Abuse		50.5	42.7	48.9

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2003	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2004	Recorded per 10,000 popn 2005
Administrative	Against Justice	39.9	20.4	26.8
	Against National Interest	0.1	0.0	0.1
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	0.1	0.0	
	By Law Breaches	0.7	1.3	5.7
	Immigration	10.8	21.9	9.7
	Justice (Special)			0.0
	Racial		0.0	
Administrative		51.6	43.8	42.3

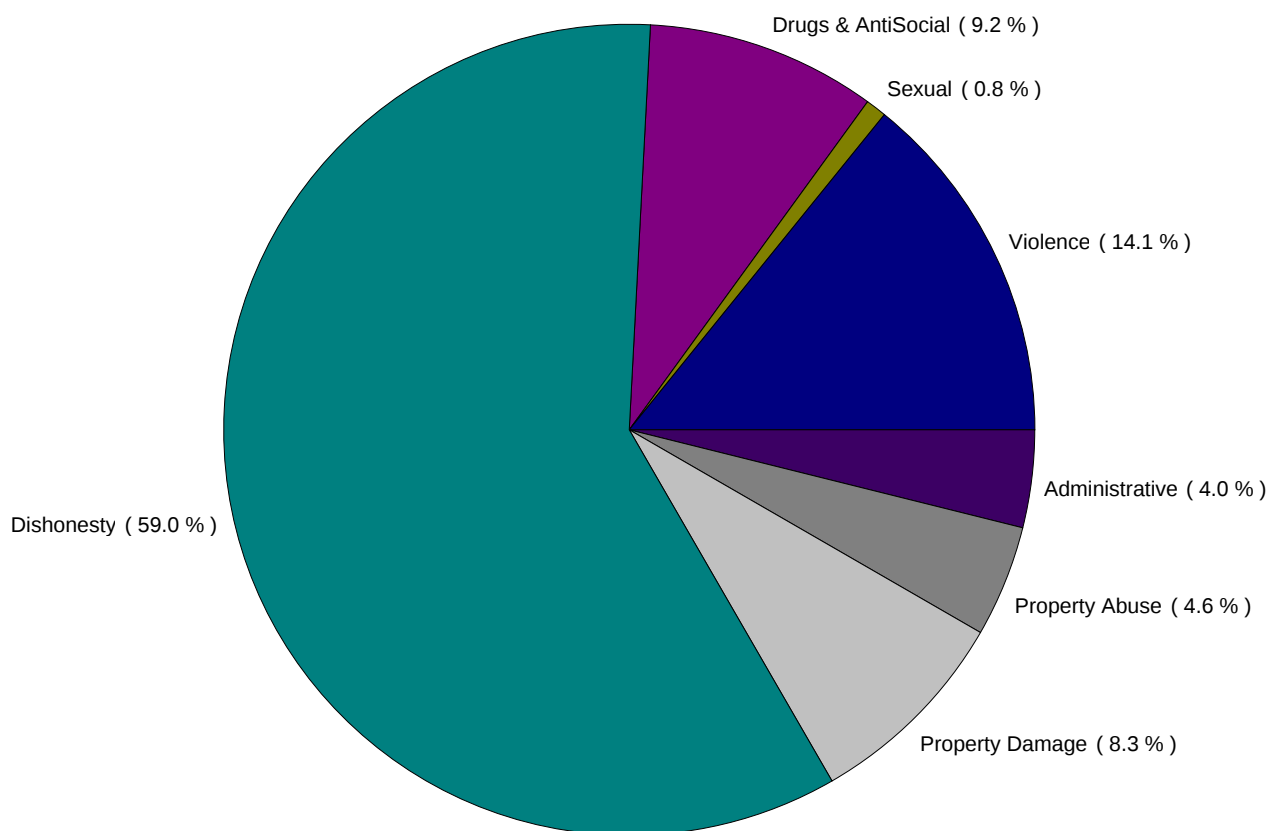
TOTAL		1,114.5	966.9	1,063.0
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PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 31 December

Offence Category Description	Proportions Recorded 2003	Recorded 2003	Proportions Recorded 2004	Recorded 2004	Proportions Recorded 2005	Recorded 2005
Violence	11.9 %	5,778	13.4 %	5,767	14.1 %	6,766
Sexual	0.8 %	365	0.9 %	393	0.8 %	392
Drugs & AntiSocial	8.5 %	4,091	8.9 %	3,809	9.2 %	4,433
Dishonesty	62.1 %	30,024	59.9 %	25,722	59.0 %	28,319
Property Damage	7.6 %	3,689	7.9 %	3,408	8.3 %	3,972
Property Abuse	4.5 %	2,193	4.4 %	1,894	4.6 %	2,209
Administrative	4.6 %	2,241	4.5 %	1,944	4.0 %	1,912
Total:	100.0 %	48,381	100.0 %	42,937	100.0 %	48,003

TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2005 (ending 31 December)



SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

TOTAL CRIME

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	11,267	9,867	10,881	-12.4 %	10.3 %	4,393	3,718	3,612	39.0 %	37.7 %	33.2 %
CM East	11,068	9,864	10,979	-10.9 %	11.3 %	3,326	3,164	3,113	30.1 %	32.1 %	28.4 %
CM South	11,438	9,836	11,419	-14.0 %	16.1 %	4,200	3,847	4,281	36.7 %	39.1 %	37.5 %
CM West	14,608	13,370	14,724	-8.5 %	10.1 %	5,204	5,203	5,622	35.6 %	38.9 %	38.2 %
Total:	48,381	42,937	48,003	-11.3 %	11.8 %	17,123	15,932	16,628	35.4 %	37.1 %	34.6 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

VIOLENCE

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	1,335	1,456	1,486	9.1 %	2.1 %	904	1,033	1,057	67.7 %	70.9 %	71.1 %
CM East	1,101	1,115	1,226	1.3 %	10.0 %	794	791	830	72.1 %	70.9 %	67.7 %
CM South	1,441	1,418	1,659	-1.6 %	17.0 %	1,043	1,070	1,246	72.4 %	75.5 %	75.1 %
CM West	1,901	1,778	2,395	-6.5 %	34.7 %	1,346	1,289	1,833	70.8 %	72.5 %	76.5 %
Total:	5,778	5,767	6,766	-0.2 %	17.3 %	4,087	4,183	4,966	70.7 %	72.5 %	73.4 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

SEXUAL

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	75	69	73	-8.0 %	5.8 %	21	29	34	28.0 %	42.0 %	46.6 %
CM East	77	89	94	15.6 %	5.6 %	26	46	53	33.8 %	51.7 %	56.4 %
CM South	86	98	106	14.0 %	8.2 %	46	50	50	53.5 %	51.0 %	47.2 %
CM West	127	137	119	7.9 %	-13.1 %	82	87	57	64.6 %	63.5 %	47.9 %
Total:	365	393	392	7.7 %	-0.3 %	175	212	194	47.9 %	53.9 %	49.5 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	1,049	969	903	-7.6 %	-6.8 %	837	732	659	79.8 %	75.5 %	73.0 %
CM East	754	789	785	4.6 %	-0.5 %	642	642	608	85.1 %	81.4 %	77.5 %
CM South	1,066	958	1,088	-10.1 %	13.6 %	839	802	839	78.7 %	83.7 %	77.1 %
CM West	1,222	1,093	1,657	-10.6 %	51.6 %	1,010	853	1,097	82.7 %	78.0 %	66.2 %
Total:	4,091	3,809	4,433	-6.9 %	16.4 %	3,328	3,029	3,203	81.3 %	79.5 %	72.3 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

DISHONESTY

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	6,606	5,854	6,780	-11.4 %	15.8 %	1,147	1,057	1,043	17.4 %	18.1 %	15.4 %
CM East	7,575	6,468	7,220	-14.6 %	11.6 %	1,165	1,052	918	15.4 %	16.3 %	12.7 %
CM South	6,848	5,656	6,339	-17.4 %	12.1 %	1,181	1,035	1,063	17.2 %	18.3 %	16.8 %
CM West	8,995	7,744	7,980	-13.9 %	3.0 %	1,311	1,127	1,090	14.6 %	14.6 %	13.7 %
Total:	30,024	25,722	28,319	-14.3 %	10.1 %	4,804	4,271	4,114	16.0 %	16.6 %	14.5 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	997	798	778	-20.0 %	-2.5 %	474	343	238	47.5 %	43.0 %	30.6 %
CM East	835	847	1,000	1.4 %	18.1 %	219	258	263	26.2 %	30.5 %	26.3 %
CM South	949	862	1,149	-9.2 %	33.3 %	347	324	437	36.6 %	37.6 %	38.0 %
CM West	908	901	1,045	-0.8 %	16.0 %	344	303	376	37.9 %	33.6 %	36.0 %
Total:	3,689	3,408	3,972	-7.6 %	16.5 %	1,384	1,228	1,314	37.5 %	36.0 %	33.1 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

PROPERTY ABUSE

Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	432	447	478	3.5 %	6.9 %	275	274	230	63.7 %	61.3 %	48.1 %
CM East	564	424	421	-24.8 %	-0.7 %	336	269	258	59.6 %	63.4 %	61.3 %
CM South	602	560	673	-7.0 %	20.2 %	377	334	374	62.6 %	59.6 %	55.6 %
CM West	595	463	637	-22.2 %	37.6 %	351	310	319	59.0 %	67.0 %	50.1 %
Total:	2,193	1,894	2,209	-13.6 %	16.6 %	1,339	1,187	1,181	61.1 %	62.7 %	53.5 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY AREA

Years ending 31 December

ADMINISTRATIVE

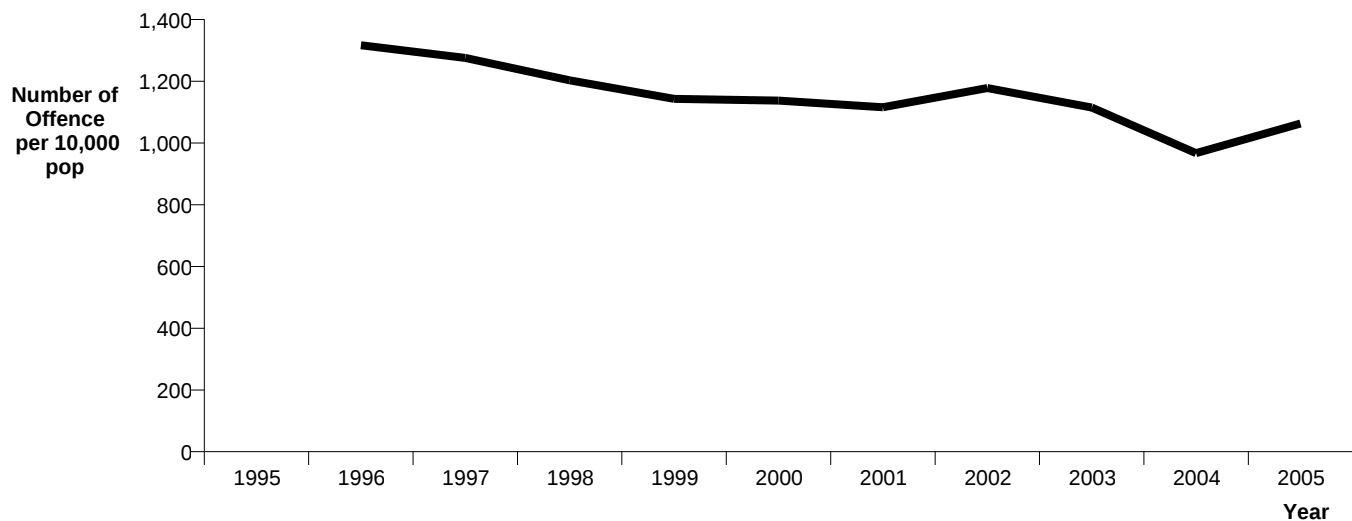
Area Description	Recorded 2003	Recorded 2004	Recorded 2005	% Variance 03-04	% Variance 04-05	Resolved 2003	Resolved 2004	Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2003	Percent Resolved 2004	Percent Resolved 2005
CM Central	773	274	383	-64.6 %	39.8 %	735	250	351	95.1 %	91.2 %	91.6 %
CM East	162	132	233	-18.5 %	76.5 %	144	106	183	88.9 %	80.3 %	78.5 %
CM South	446	284	405	-36.3 %	42.6 %	367	232	272	82.3 %	81.7 %	67.2 %
CM West	860	1,254	891	45.8 %	-28.9 %	760	1,234	850	88.4 %	98.4 %	95.4 %
Total:	2,241	1,944	1,912	-13.3 %	-1.6 %	2,006	1,822	1,656	89.5 %	93.7 %	86.6 %

**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES
FOR SELECTED OFFENCES
Years ending 31 December**

TOTAL CRIME

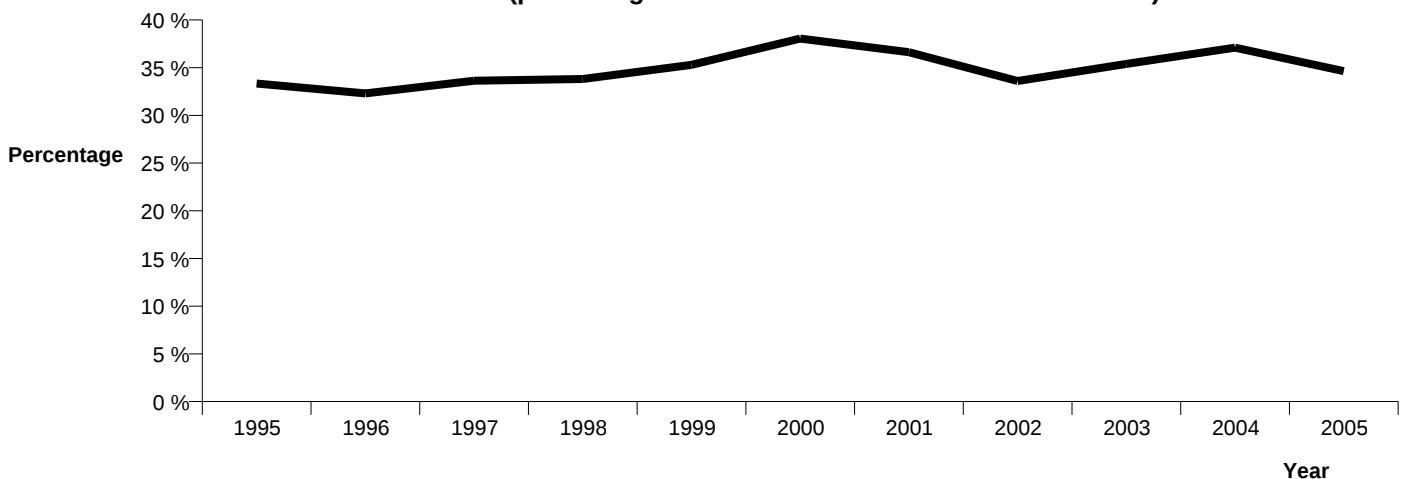
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	43,590				14,535	33.3 %	
1996	49,253	13.0 %	1,316.4		15,907	32.3 %	-1.0 %
1997	48,974	-0.6 %	1,275.2	-3.1 %	16,472	33.6 %	1.3 %
1998	47,202	-3.6 %	1,202.8	-5.7 %	15,961	33.8 %	0.2 %
1999	45,551	-3.5 %	1,142.7	-5.0 %	16,078	35.3 %	1.5 %
2000	46,060	1.1 %	1,136.9	-0.5 %	17,528	38.1 %	2.8 %
2001	45,901	-0.3 %	1,115.7	-1.9 %	16,812	36.6 %	-1.4 %
2002	49,690	8.3 %	1,177.8	5.6 %	16,696	33.6 %	-3.0 %
2003	48,381	-2.6 %	1,114.5	-5.4 %	17,123	35.4 %	1.8 %
2004	42,937	-11.3 %	966.9	-13.2 %	15,932	37.1 %	1.7 %
2005	48,003	11.8 %	1,063.0	9.9 %	16,628	34.6 %	-2.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



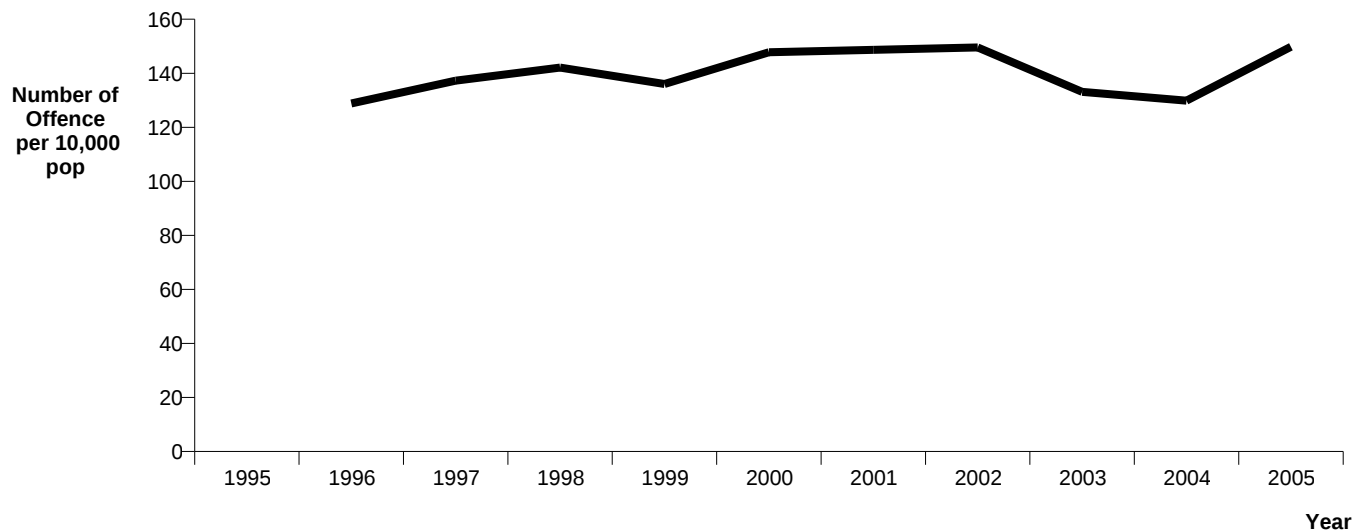
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Years ending 31 December

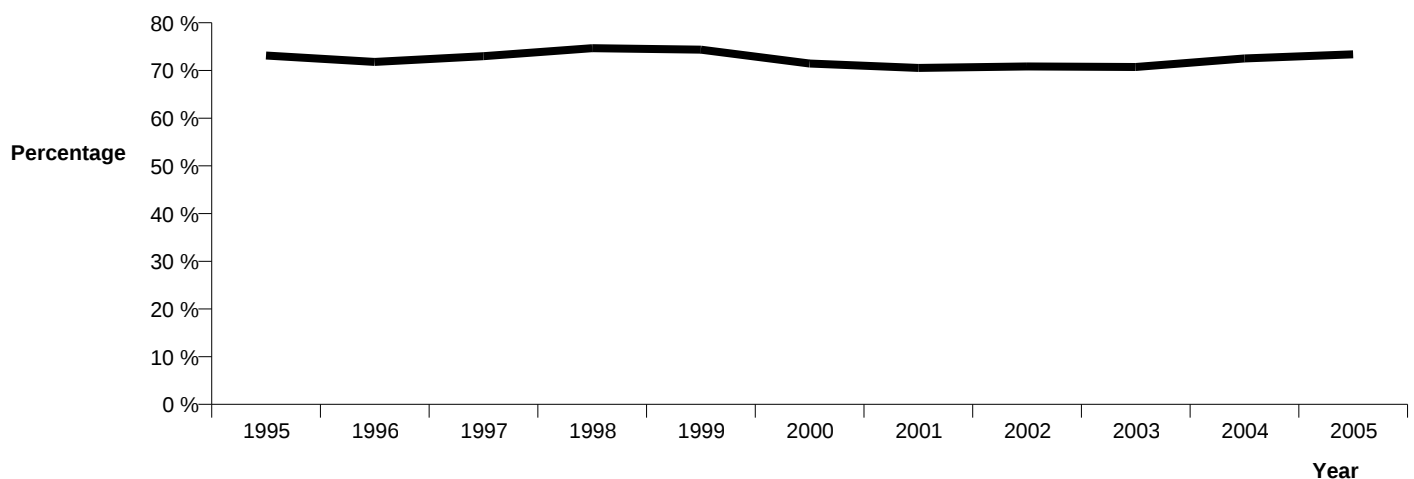
VIOLENCE

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	4,183				3,059	73.1 %	
1996	4,819	15.2 %	128.8		3,460	71.8 %	-1.3 %
1997	5,272	9.4 %	137.3	6.6 %	3,848	73.0 %	1.2 %
1998	5,576	5.8 %	142.1	3.5 %	4,163	74.7 %	1.7 %
1999	5,423	-2.7 %	136.0	-4.2 %	4,033	74.4 %	-0.3 %
2000	5,986	10.4 %	147.8	8.6 %	4,278	71.5 %	-2.9 %
2001	6,117	2.2 %	148.7	0.6 %	4,314	70.5 %	-0.9 %
2002	6,310	3.2 %	149.6	0.6 %	4,470	70.8 %	0.3 %
2003	5,778	-8.4 %	133.1	-11.0 %	4,087	70.7 %	-0.1 %
2004	5,767	-0.2 %	129.9	-2.4 %	4,183	72.5 %	1.8 %
2005	6,766	17.3 %	149.8	15.4 %	4,966	73.4 %	0.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



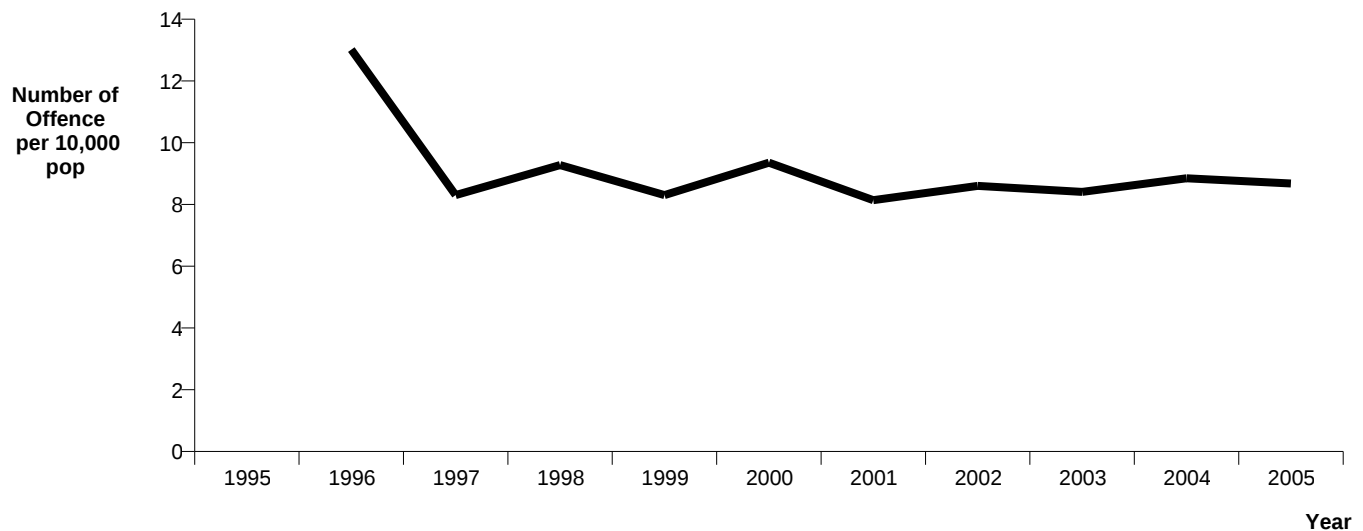
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Years ending 31 December

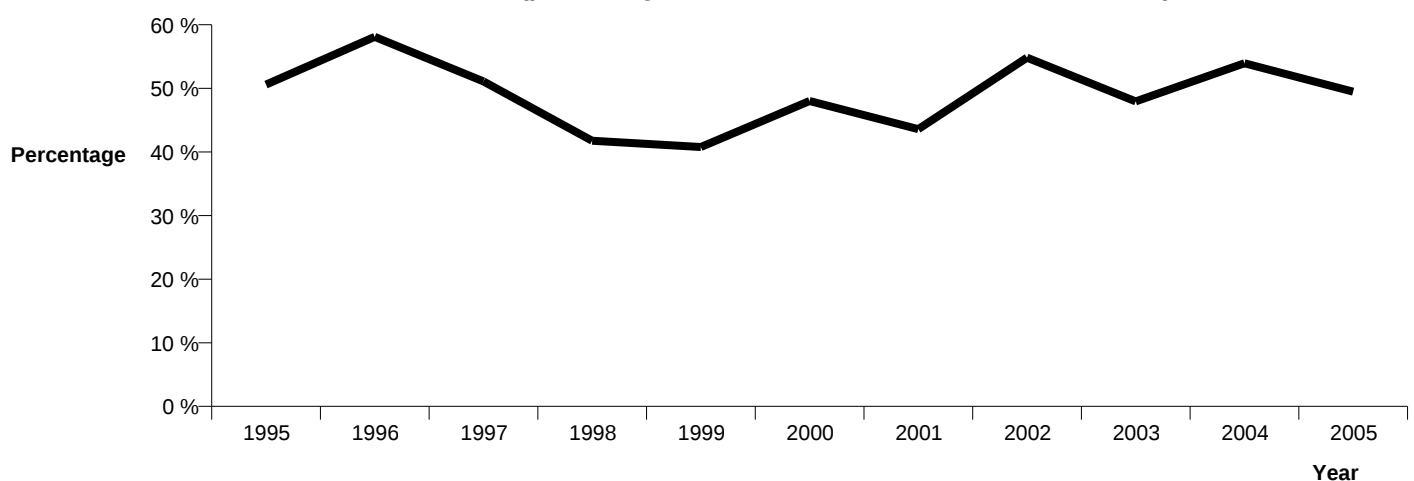
SEXUAL

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	338				171	50.6 %	
1996	487	44.1 %	13.0		283	58.1 %	7.5 %
1997	319	-34.5 %	8.3	-36.2 %	163	51.1 %	-7.0 %
1998	364	14.1 %	9.3	11.7 %	152	41.8 %	-9.3 %
1999	331	-9.1 %	8.3	-10.5 %	135	40.8 %	-1.0 %
2000	379	14.5 %	9.4	12.7 %	182	48.0 %	7.2 %
2001	335	-11.6 %	8.1	-13.0 %	146	43.6 %	-4.4 %
2002	363	8.4 %	8.6	5.7 %	199	54.8 %	11.2 %
2003	365	0.6 %	8.4	-2.3 %	175	47.9 %	-6.9 %
2004	393	7.7 %	8.9	5.3 %	212	53.9 %	6.0 %
2005	392	-0.3 %	8.7	-1.9 %	194	49.5 %	-4.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



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



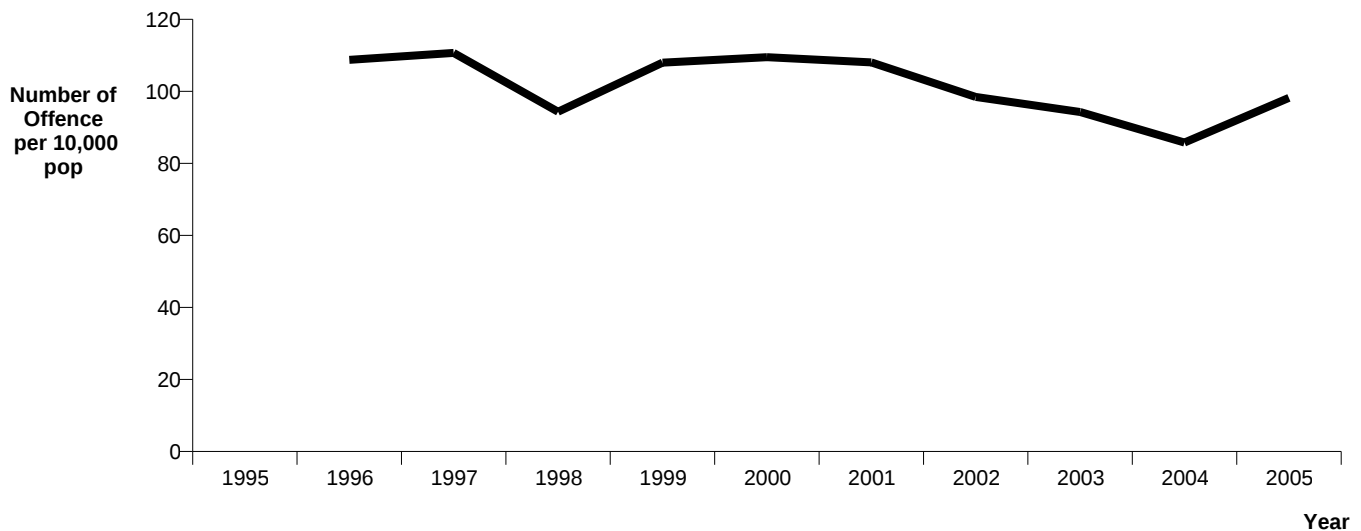
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Years ending 31 December

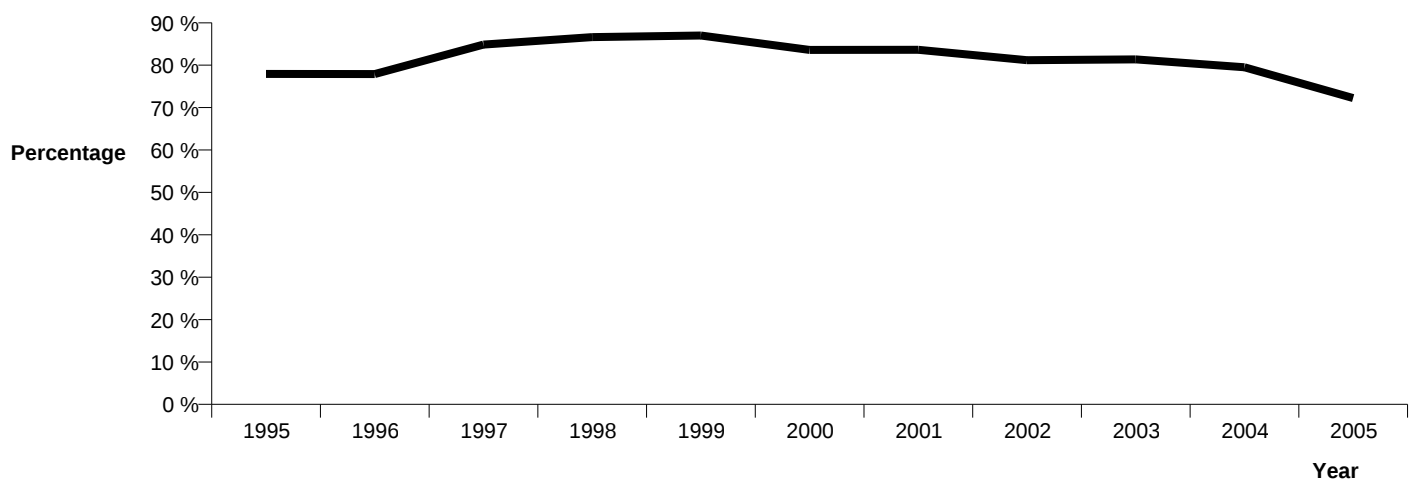
DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	3,329				2,595	78.0 %	
1996	4,068	22.2 %	108.7		3,169	77.9 %	-0.1 %
1997	4,250	4.5 %	110.7	1.8 %	3,606	84.8 %	6.9 %
1998	3,701	-12.9 %	94.3	-14.8 %	3,206	86.6 %	1.8 %
1999	4,303	16.3 %	108.0	14.5 %	3,743	87.0 %	0.4 %
2000	4,435	3.1 %	109.5	1.4 %	3,707	83.6 %	-3.4 %
2001	4,444	0.2 %	108.0	-1.3 %	3,717	83.6 %	0.1 %
2002	4,152	-6.6 %	98.4	-8.9 %	3,370	81.2 %	-2.5 %
2003	4,091	-1.5 %	94.2	-4.2 %	3,328	81.3 %	0.2 %
2004	3,809	-6.9 %	85.8	-9.0 %	3,029	79.5 %	-1.8 %
2005	4,433	16.4 %	98.2	14.4 %	3,203	72.3 %	-7.3 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



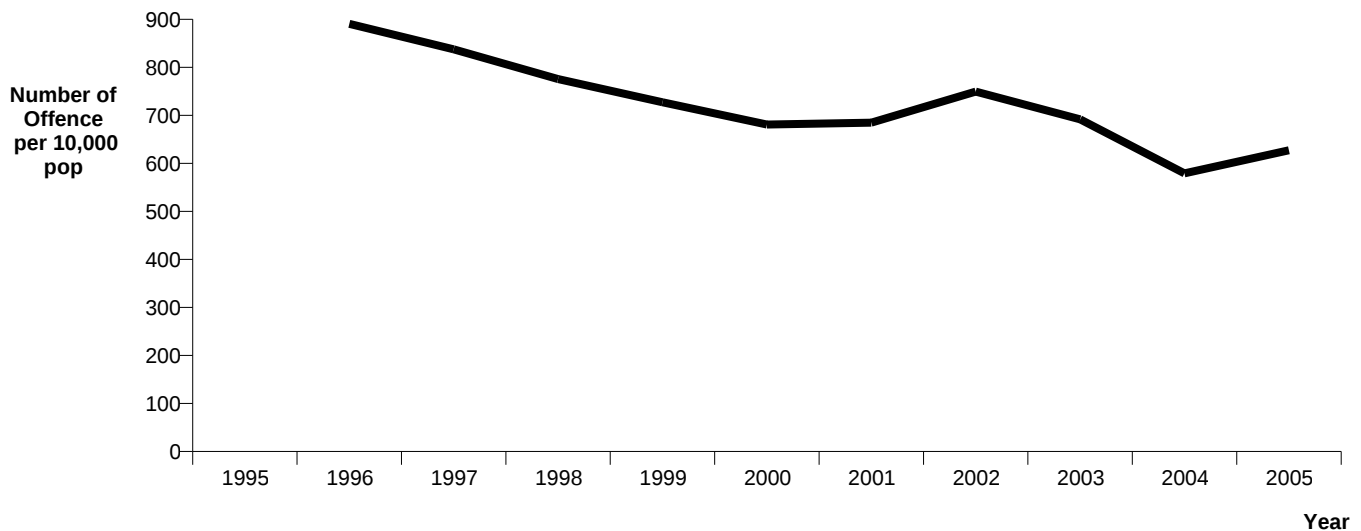
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Years ending 31 December

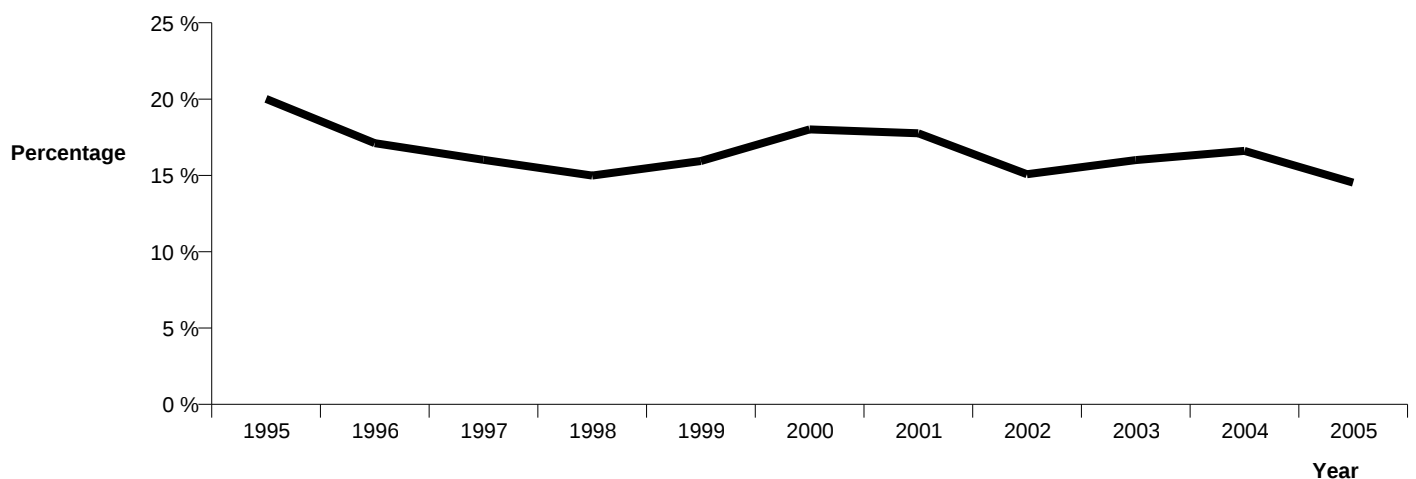
DISHONESTY

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	30,132				6,032	20.0 %	
1996	33,318	10.6 %	890.5		5,701	17.1 %	-2.9 %
1997	32,157	-3.5 %	837.3	-6.0 %	5,153	16.0 %	-1.1 %
1998	30,431	-5.4 %	775.4	-7.4 %	4,562	15.0 %	-1.0 %
1999	28,983	-4.8 %	727.1	-6.2 %	4,620	15.9 %	0.9 %
2000	27,584	-4.8 %	680.9	-6.4 %	4,968	18.0 %	2.1 %
2001	28,165	2.1 %	684.6	0.5 %	5,002	17.8 %	-0.3 %
2002	31,612	12.2 %	749.3	9.5 %	4,767	15.1 %	-2.7 %
2003	30,024	-5.0 %	691.6	-7.7 %	4,804	16.0 %	0.9 %
2004	25,722	-14.3 %	579.2	-16.2 %	4,271	16.6 %	0.6 %
2005	28,319	10.1 %	627.1	8.3 %	4,114	14.5 %	-2.1 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



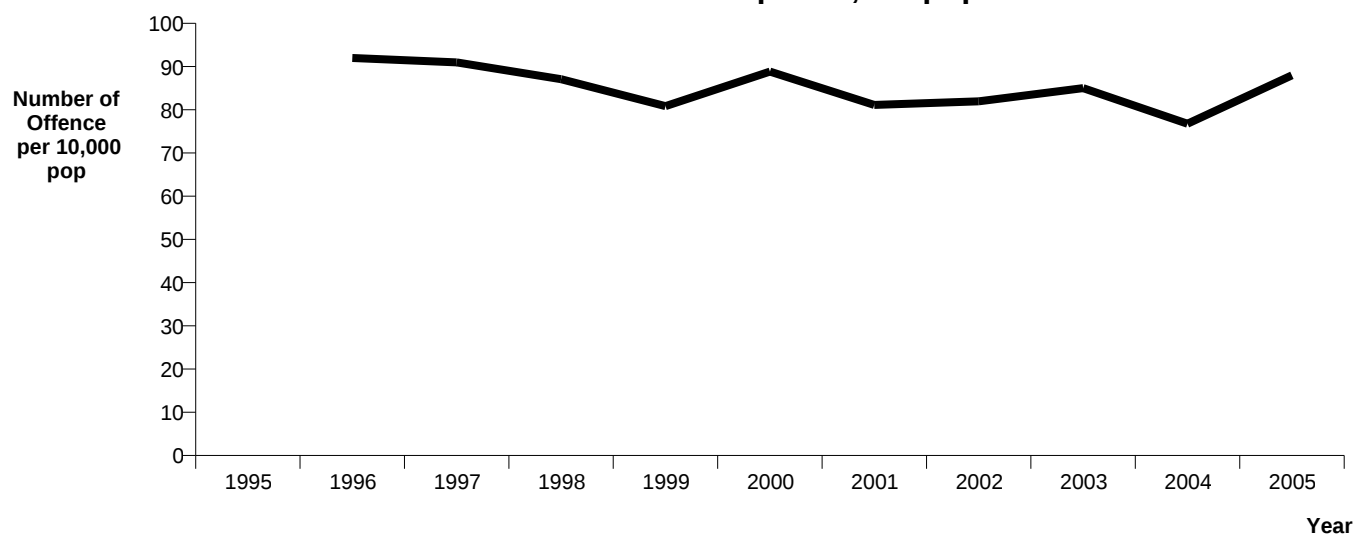
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Years ending 31 December

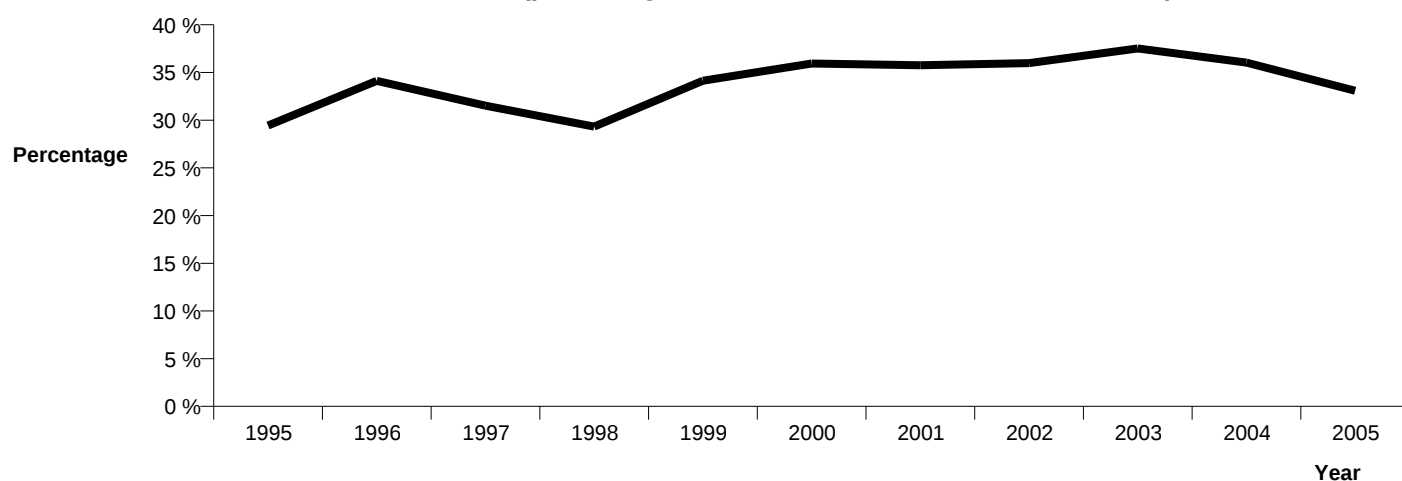
PROPERTY DAMAGE

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	2,833				834	29.4 %	
1996	3,441	21.5 %	92.0		1,174	34.1 %	4.7 %
1997	3,493	1.5 %	91.0	-1.1 %	1,101	31.5 %	-2.6 %
1998	3,417	-2.2 %	87.1	-4.3 %	1,002	29.3 %	-2.2 %
1999	3,222	-5.7 %	80.8	-7.2 %	1,100	34.1 %	4.8 %
2000	3,598	11.7 %	88.8	9.9 %	1,293	35.9 %	1.8 %
2001	3,337	-7.3 %	81.1	-8.7 %	1,193	35.8 %	-0.2 %
2002	3,457	3.6 %	81.9	1.0 %	1,244	36.0 %	0.2 %
2003	3,689	6.7 %	85.0	3.7 %	1,384	37.5 %	1.5 %
2004	3,408	-7.6 %	76.7	-9.7 %	1,228	36.0 %	-1.5 %
2005	3,972	16.5 %	88.0	14.6 %	1,314	33.1 %	-3.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



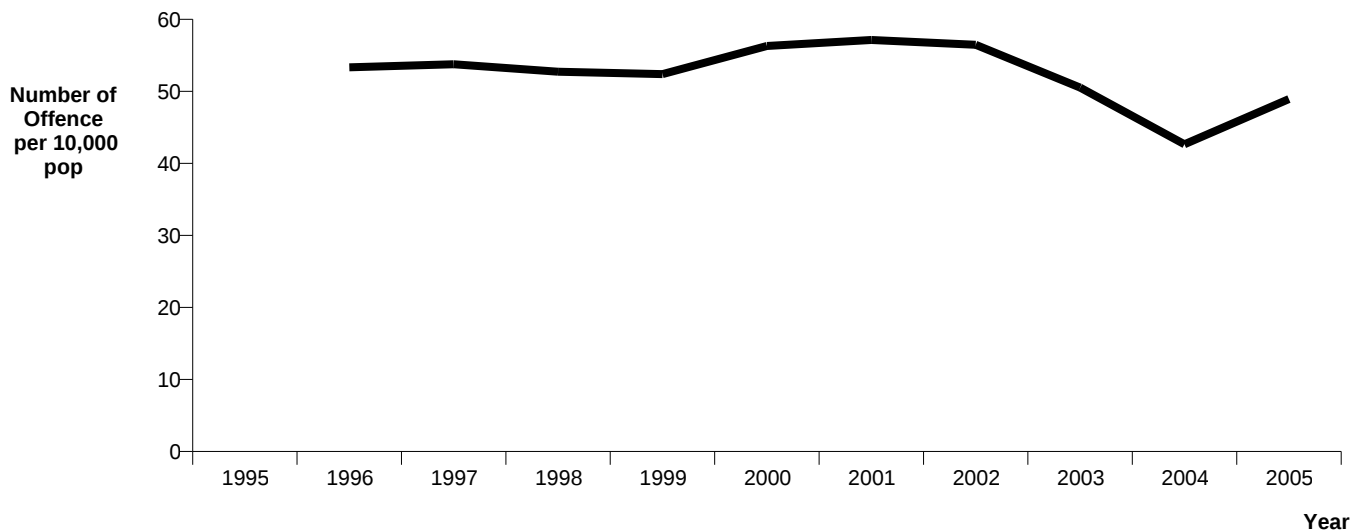
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Years ending 31 December

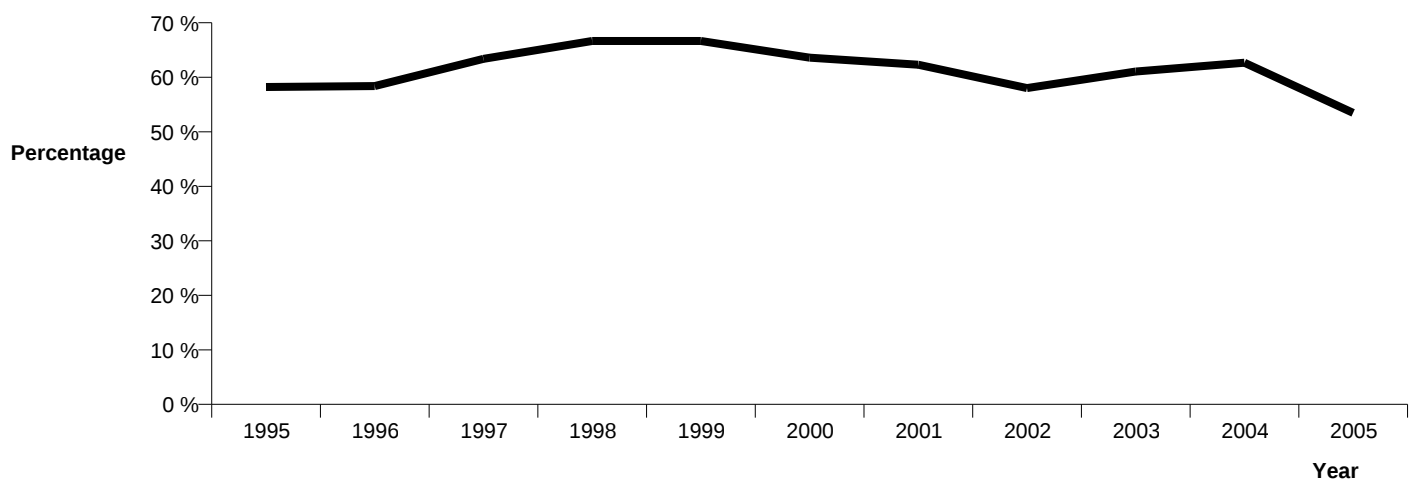
PROPERTY ABUSE

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	1,929				1,123	58.2 %	
1996	1,995	3.4 %	53.3		1,165	58.4 %	0.2 %
1997	2,064	3.5 %	53.7	0.8 %	1,308	63.4 %	5.0 %
1998	2,069	0.2 %	52.7	-1.9 %	1,379	66.7 %	3.3 %
1999	2,088	0.9 %	52.4	-0.6 %	1,392	66.7 %	0.0 %
2000	2,280	9.2 %	56.3	7.4 %	1,450	63.6 %	-3.1 %
2001	2,350	3.1 %	57.1	1.5 %	1,464	62.3 %	-1.3 %
2002	2,382	1.4 %	56.5	-1.2 %	1,382	58.0 %	-4.3 %
2003	2,193	-7.9 %	50.5	-10.5 %	1,339	61.1 %	3.0 %
2004	1,894	-13.6 %	42.7	-15.6 %	1,187	62.7 %	1.6 %
2005	2,209	16.6 %	48.9	14.7 %	1,181	53.5 %	-9.2 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



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



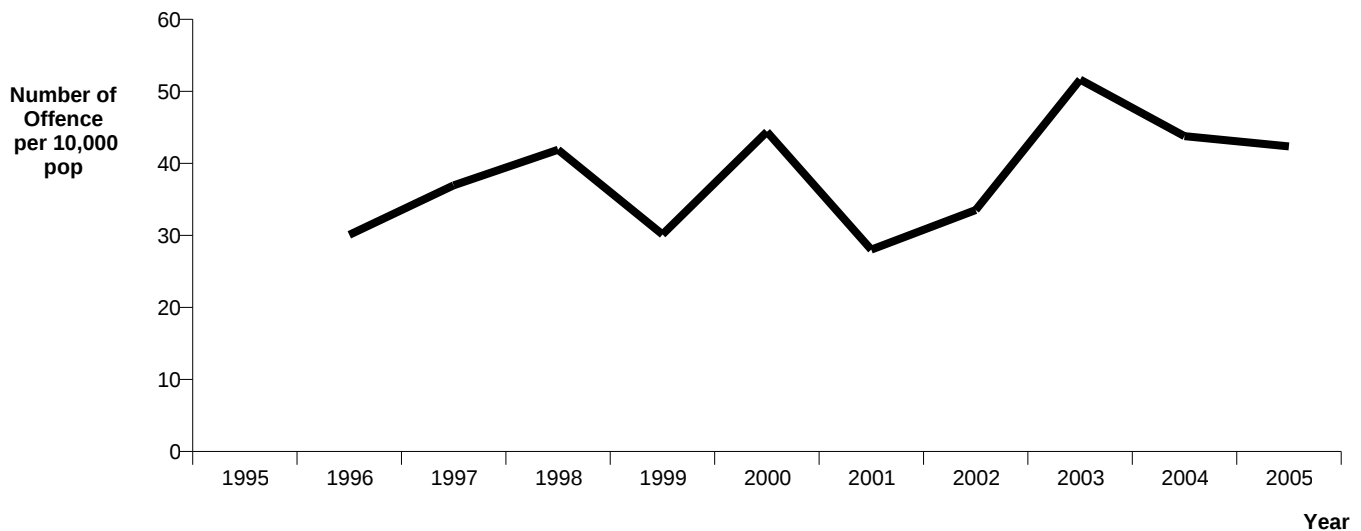
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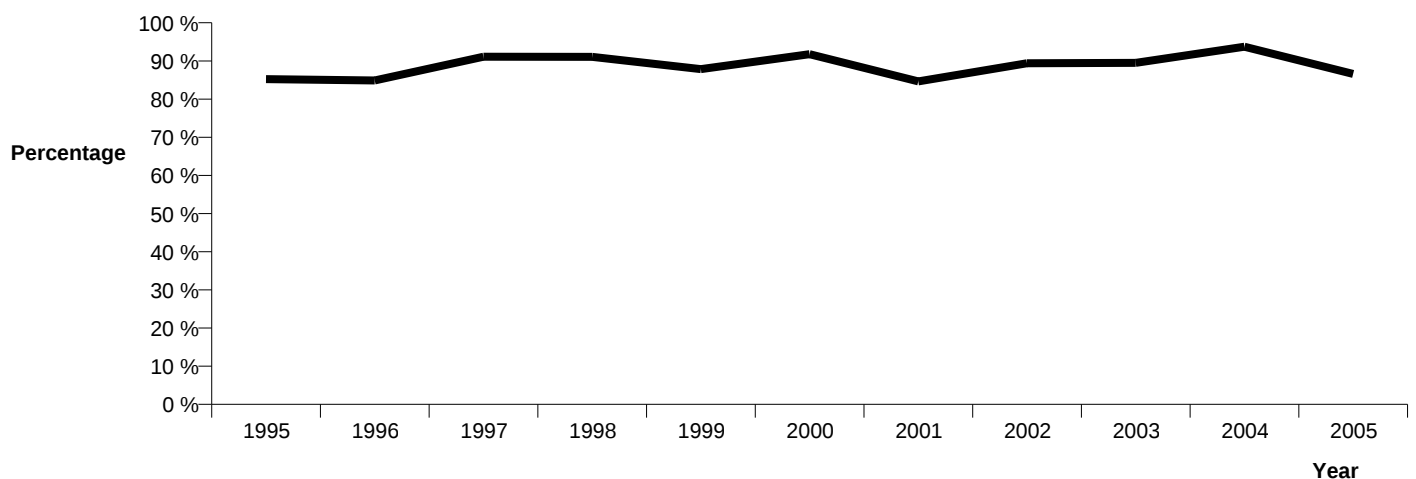
ADMINISTRATIVE

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	846				721	85.2 %	
1996	1,125	33.0 %	30.1		955	84.9 %	-0.3 %
1997	1,419	26.1 %	36.9	22.9 %	1,293	91.1 %	6.2 %
1998	1,644	15.9 %	41.9	13.4 %	1,497	91.1 %	-0.1 %
1999	1,201	-26.9 %	30.1	-28.1 %	1,055	87.8 %	-3.2 %
2000	1,798	49.7 %	44.4	47.3 %	1,650	91.8 %	3.9 %
2001	1,153	-35.9 %	28.0	-36.9 %	976	84.6 %	-7.1 %
2002	1,414	22.6 %	33.5	19.6 %	1,264	89.4 %	4.7 %
2003	2,241	58.5 %	51.6	54.0 %	2,006	89.5 %	0.1 %
2004	1,944	-13.3 %	43.8	-15.2 %	1,822	93.7 %	4.2 %
2005	1,912	-1.6 %	42.3	-3.3 %	1,656	86.6 %	-7.1 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



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



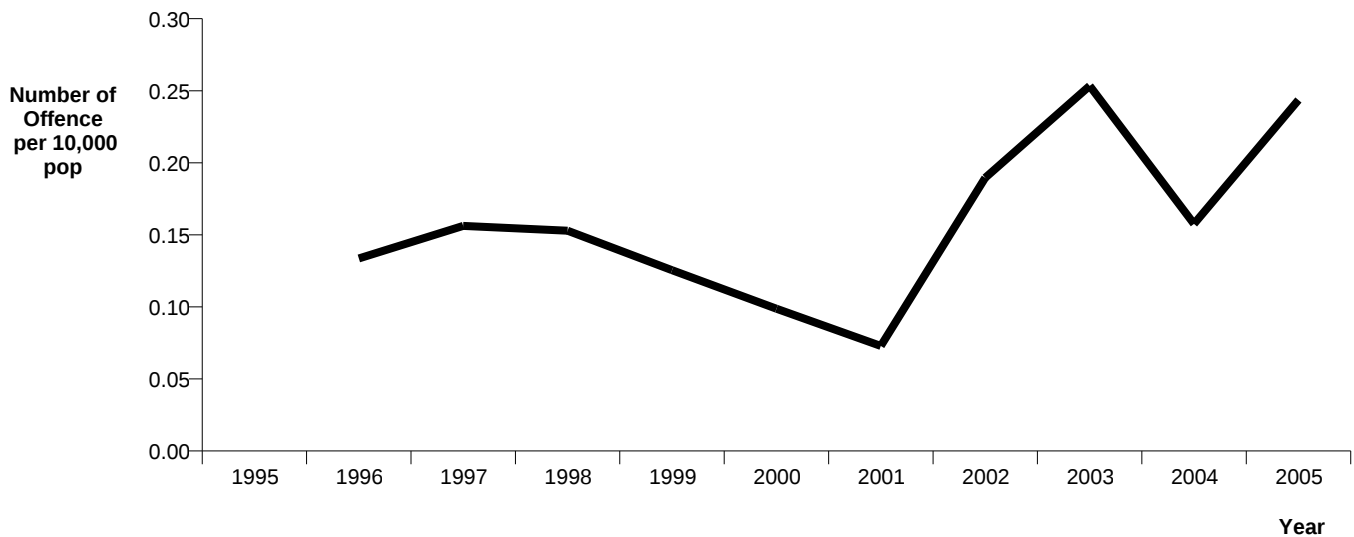
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MURDER *

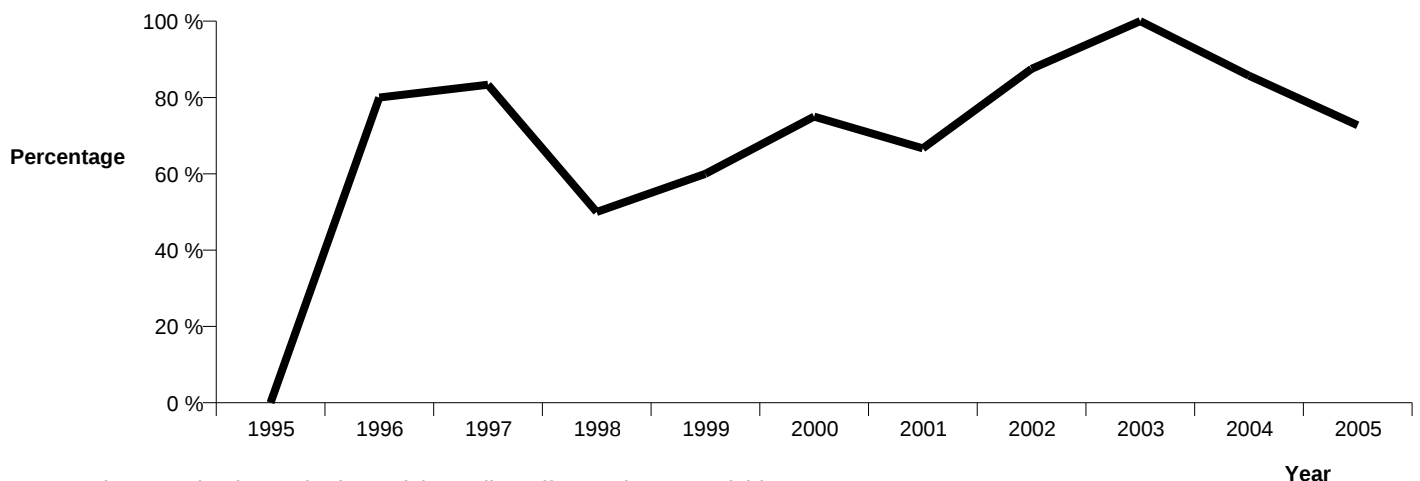
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	1				0	0.0 %	
1996	5	400.0 %	0.1		4	80.0 %	80.0 %
1997	6	20.0 %	0.2	16.9 %	5	83.3 %	3.3 %
1998	6	0.0 %	0.2	-2.1 %	3	50.0 %	-33.3 %
1999	5	-16.7 %	0.1	-18.0 %	3	60.0 %	10.0 %
2000	4	-20.0 %	0.1	-21.3 %	3	75.0 %	15.0 %
2001	3	-25.0 %	0.1	-26.1 %	2	66.7 %	-8.3 %
2002	8	166.7 %	0.2	160.0 %	7	87.5 %	20.8 %
2003	11	37.5 %	0.3	33.6 %	11	100.0 %	12.5 %
2004	7	-36.4 %	0.2	-37.8 %	6	85.7 %	-14.3 %
2005	11	57.1 %	0.2	54.5 %	8	72.7 %	-13.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



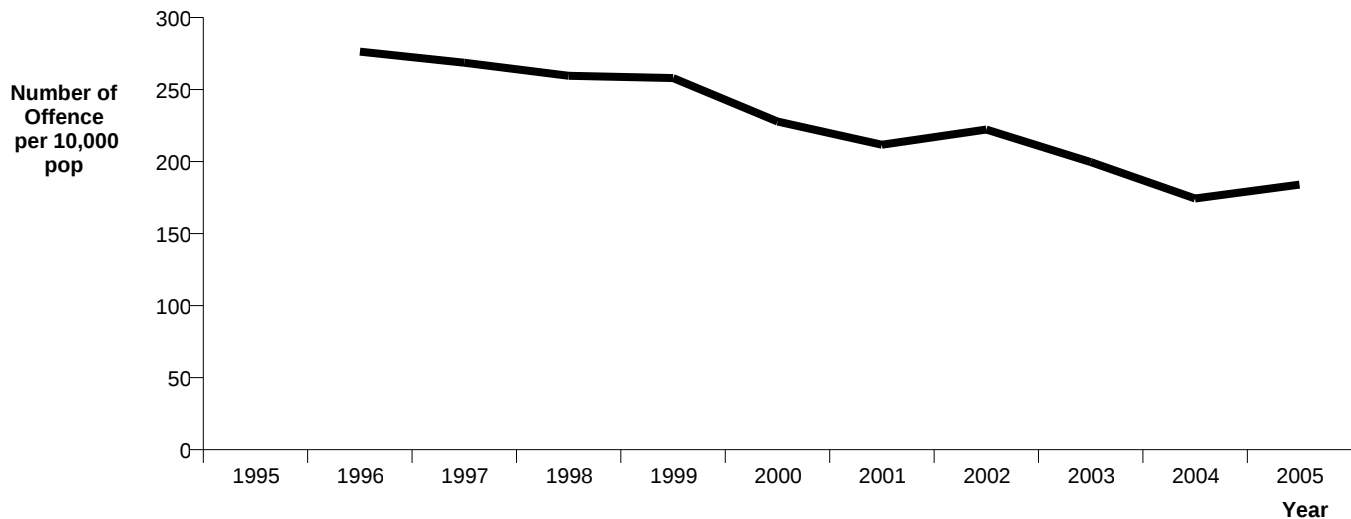
* Note that 'Murder' is a sub-class of the Police offence class 'Homicide'

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BURGLARY

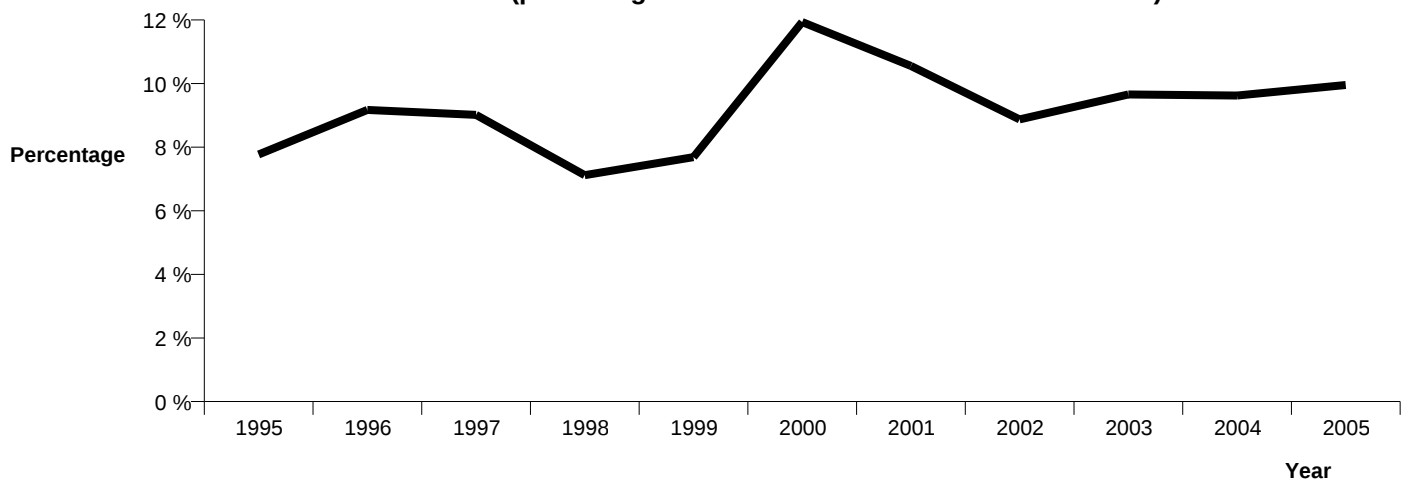
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1995	9,550				742	7.8 %	
1996	10,337	8.2 %	276.3		948	9.2 %	1.4 %
1997	10,313	-0.2 %	268.5	-2.8 %	930	9.0 %	-0.2 %
1998	10,185	-1.2 %	259.5	-3.4 %	725	7.1 %	-1.9 %
1999	10,280	0.9 %	257.9	-0.6 %	790	7.7 %	0.6 %
2000	9,226	-10.3 %	227.7	-11.7 %	1,101	11.9 %	4.2 %
2001	8,708	-5.6 %	211.7	-7.1 %	919	10.6 %	-1.4 %
2002	9,375	7.7 %	222.2	5.0 %	832	8.9 %	-1.7 %
2003	8,666	-7.6 %	199.6	-10.2 %	837	9.7 %	0.8 %
2004	7,740	-10.7 %	174.3	-12.7 %	745	9.6 %	-0.0 %
2005	8,308	7.3 %	184.0	5.5 %	827	10.0 %	0.3 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

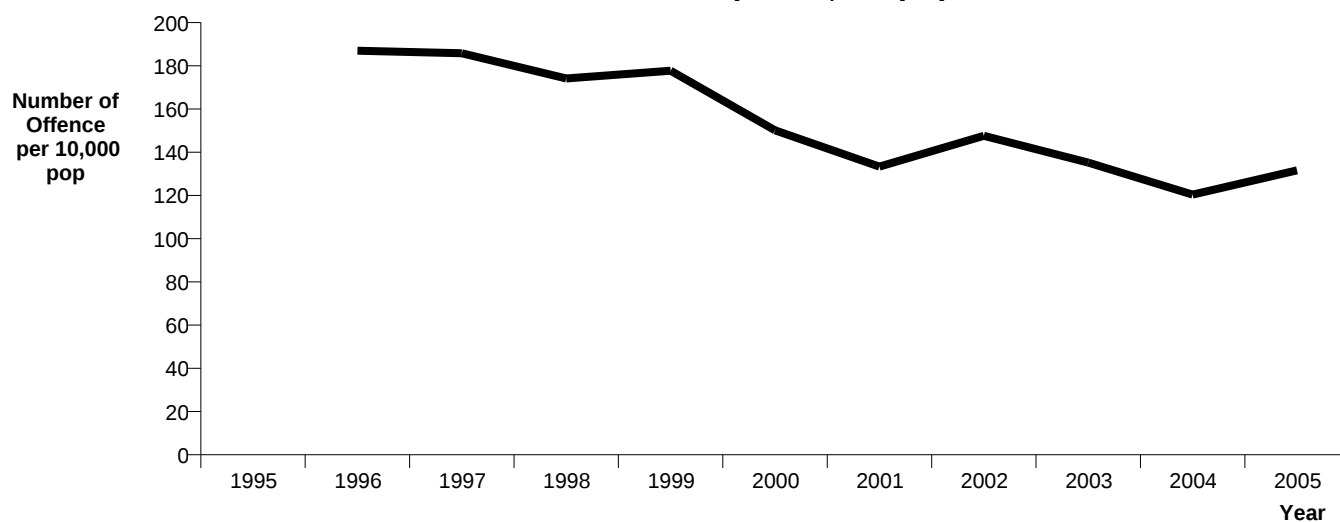


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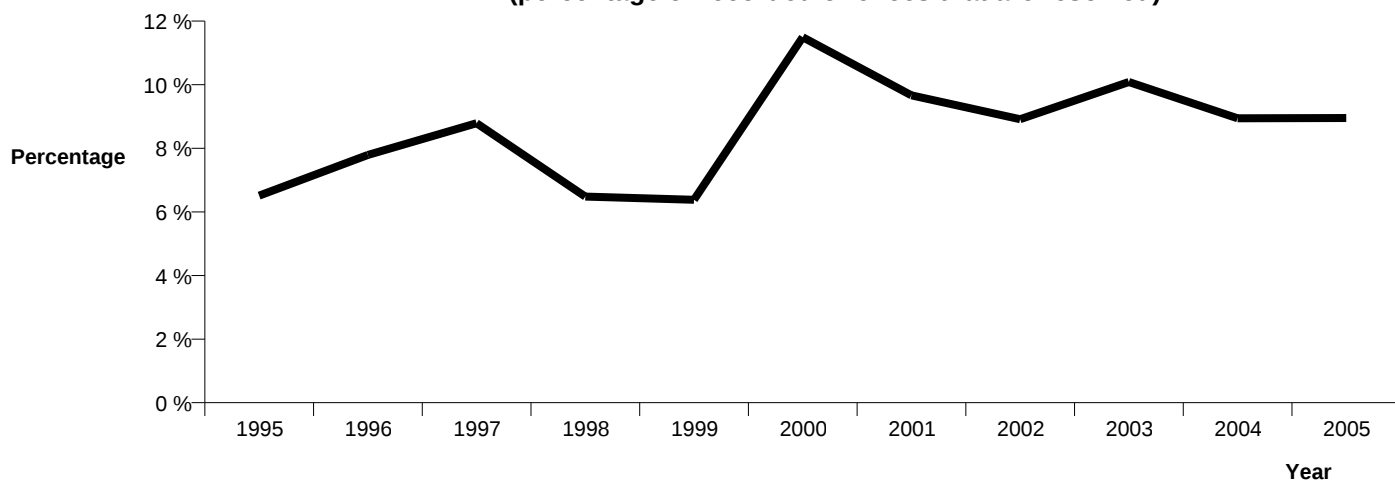
DWELLING BURGLARY

Calendar Year	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	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	6,544				426	6.5 %	
1996	6,995	6.9 %	187.0		545	7.8 %	1.3 %
1997	7,135	2.0 %	185.8	-0.6 %	627	8.8 %	1.0 %
1998	6,832	-4.2 %	174.1	-6.3 %	443	6.5 %	-2.3 %
1999	7,083	3.7 %	177.7	2.1 %	452	6.4 %	-0.1 %
2000	6,082	-14.1 %	150.1	-15.5 %	699	11.5 %	5.1 %
2001	5,484	-9.8 %	133.3	-11.2 %	530	9.7 %	-1.8 %
2002	6,225	13.5 %	147.6	10.7 %	555	8.9 %	-0.7 %
2003	5,869	-5.7 %	135.2	-8.4 %	592	10.1 %	1.2 %
2004	5,344	-8.9 %	120.3	-11.0 %	478	8.9 %	-1.1 %
2005	5,943	11.2 %	131.6	9.4 %	532	9.0 %	0.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



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

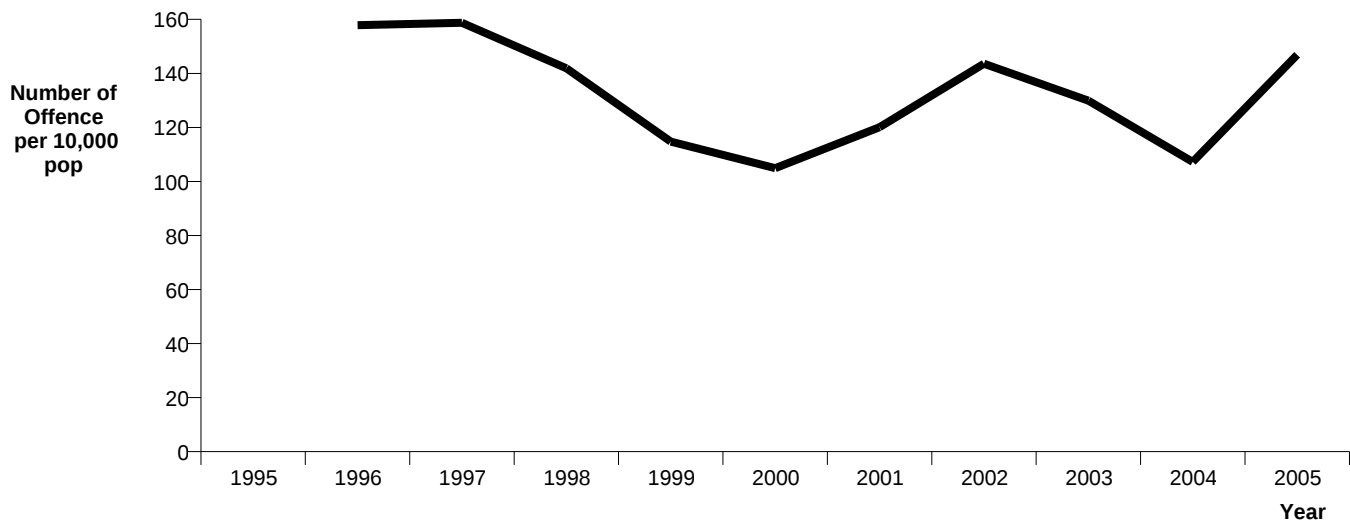


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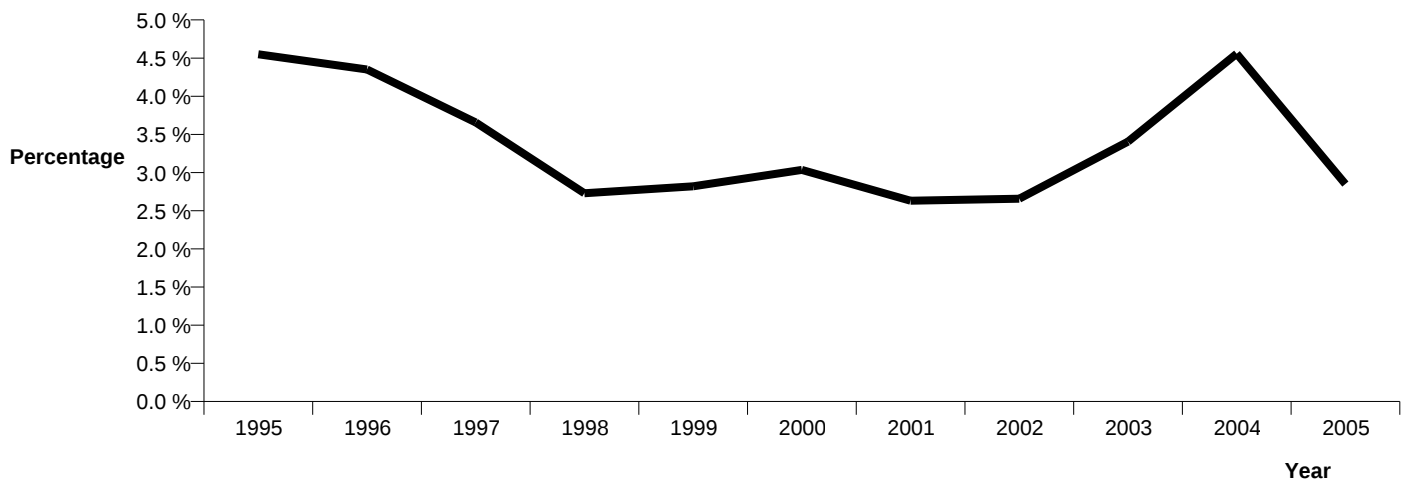
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Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	4,505				205	4.6 %	
1996	5,906	31.1 %	157.9		257	4.4 %	-0.2 %
1997	6,097	3.2 %	158.8	0.6 %	223	3.7 %	-0.7 %
1998	5,569	-8.7 %	141.9	-10.6 %	152	2.7 %	-0.9 %
1999	4,575	-17.8 %	114.8	-19.1 %	129	2.8 %	0.1 %
2000	4,251	-7.1 %	104.9	-8.6 %	129	3.0 %	0.2 %
2001	4,941	16.2 %	120.1	14.5 %	130	2.6 %	-0.4 %
2002	6,057	22.6 %	143.6	19.5 %	161	2.7 %	0.0 %
2003	5,639	-6.9 %	129.9	-9.5 %	192	3.4 %	0.7 %
2004	4,762	-15.6 %	107.2	-17.4 %	217	4.6 %	1.2 %
2005	6,633	39.3 %	146.9	37.0 %	189	2.8 %	-1.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



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

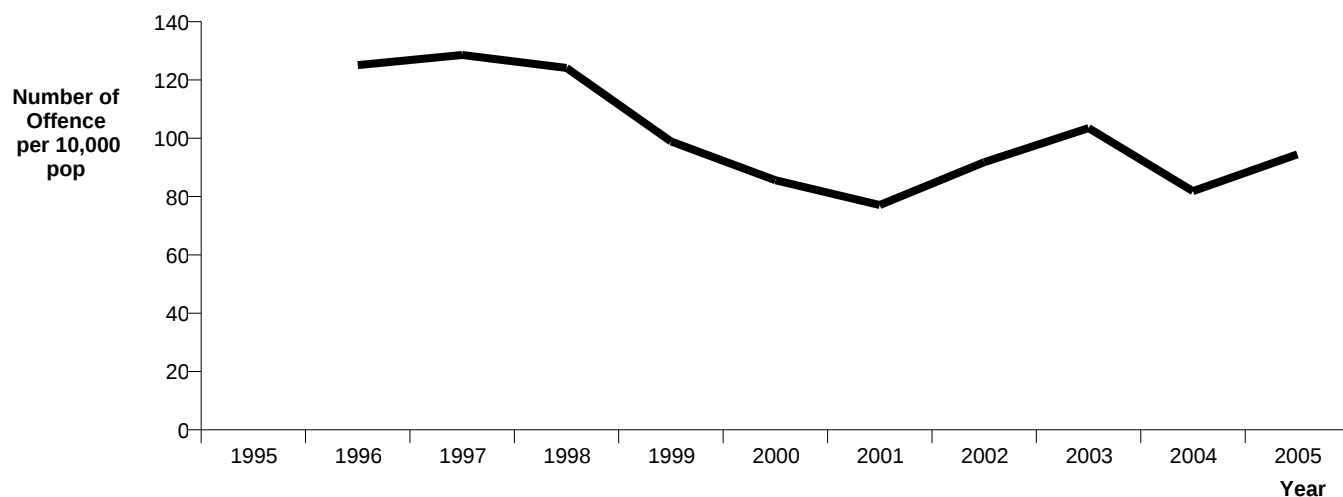


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES
FOR SELECTED OFFENCES
Years ending 31 December**

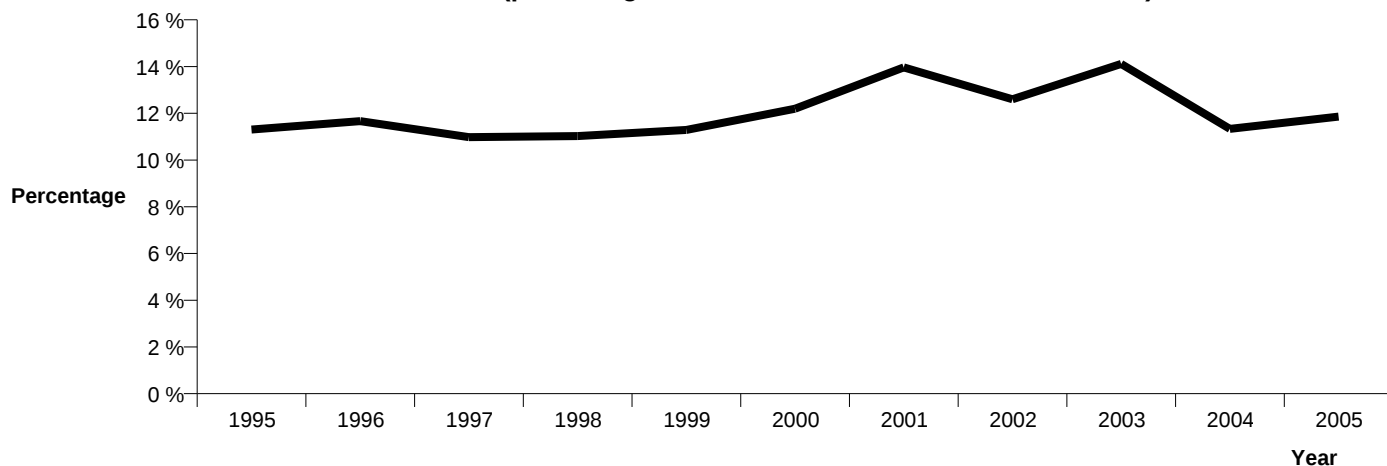
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Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1995	3,884				439	11.3 %	
1996	4,680	20.5 %	125.1		546	11.7 %	0.4 %
1997	4,936	5.5 %	128.5	2.7 %	542	11.0 %	-0.7 %
1998	4,871	-1.3 %	124.1	-3.4 %	537	11.0 %	0.0 %
1999	3,942	-19.1 %	98.9	-20.3 %	445	11.3 %	0.3 %
2000	3,468	-12.0 %	85.6	-13.4 %	423	12.2 %	0.9 %
2001	3,172	-8.5 %	77.1	-9.9 %	443	14.0 %	1.8 %
2002	3,872	22.1 %	91.8	19.0 %	488	12.6 %	-1.4 %
2003	4,492	16.0 %	103.5	12.7 %	634	14.1 %	1.5 %
2004	3,635	-19.1 %	81.9	-20.9 %	412	11.3 %	-2.8 %
2005	4,266	17.4 %	94.5	15.4 %	506	11.9 %	0.5 %

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 30 June each year 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 an increasing number of international students who are studying in New Zealand for less than 12 months.

Year	Population
1996	374,140
1997	384,050
1998	392,450
1999	398,610
2000	405,120
2001	411,420
2002	421,890
2003	434,110
2004	444,060
2005	451,590