

**COUNTIES/MANUKAU DISTRICT
CRIME STATISTICS
2005/2006**



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

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REPORT NOTES:

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

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

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

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

If an offence is recorded or resolved 15 days or more after the end of the year it will not appear in the Official Crime Statistics for that or any other year. Resolution Rate, in particular, therefore undercounts the number of cases that Police have resolved. This phenomenon has a more marked impact for some types of offences than others, such as offences that require long investigations (E.g. many serial crimes, burglaries and murders).

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

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

Legislation changes during the 2005/2006 year have generally had negligible impact on recorded crime statistics.

Note however that the increase in Justice (Special) class offences within the Administrative category is primarily due to the impact of:

The Secondhand Dealers and Pawnbrokers Act 2004, which came into effect 1 April 2005, and to a lesser extent,

The Corrections Act 2004, which came into effect 1 June 2005.

When comparing 2005/2006 Statistics with previous years, the reader should also refer to "Report Notes" published in previous years' reports, as previous changes significantly affect year on year trends.

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Violence	Grievous Assaults	591	610	741	3.2 %	21.5 %	460	491	622	77.8 %	80.5 %	83.9 %
	Group Assemblies	31	42	35	35.5 %	-16.7 %	20	32	26	64.5 %	76.2 %	74.3 %
	Homicide	21	10	17	-52.4 %	70.0 %	19	9	12	90.5 %	90.0 %	70.6 %
	Intimidation And Threats	1,401	1,522	1,784	8.6 %	17.2 %	1,071	1,158	1,347	76.4 %	76.1 %	75.5 %
	Kidnapping And Abduction	36	23	57	-36.1 %	147.8 %	22	9	35	61.1 %	39.1 %	61.4 %
	Minor Assaults	1,109	1,233	1,350	11.2 %	9.5 %	748	874	918	67.4 %	70.9 %	68.0 %
	Robbery	275	424	636	54.2 %	50.0 %	80	156	233	29.1 %	36.8 %	36.6 %
	Serious Assaults	2,073	2,325	2,818	12.2 %	21.2 %	1,624	1,853	2,332	78.3 %	79.7 %	82.8 %
Total:		5,537	6,189	7,438	11.8 %	20.2 %	4,044	4,582	5,525	73.0 %	74.0 %	74.3 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	3	1	3	-66.7 %	200.0 %	1	1	2	33.3 %	100.0 %	66.7 %
	Immoral Behaviour	27	23	60	-14.8 %	160.9 %	15	16	48	55.6 %	69.6 %	80.0 %
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	13	7	4	-46.2 %	-42.9 %	11	5	2	84.6 %	71.4 %	50.0 %
	Sexual Affronts	51	86	40	68.6 %	-53.5 %	24	45	26	47.1 %	52.3 %	65.0 %
	Sexual Attacks	307	283	479	-7.8 %	69.3 %	159	163	309	51.8 %	57.6 %	64.5 %
Total:		401	400	586	-0.2 %	46.5 %	210	230	387	52.4 %	57.5 %	66.0 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	1,987	2,010	2,015	1.2 %	0.2 %	1,448	1,372	1,483	72.9 %	68.3 %	73.6 %
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	866	801	1,116	-7.5 %	39.3 %	819	750	998	94.6 %	93.6 %	89.4 %
	Drugs (New Drugs)	198	195	407	-1.5 %	108.7 %	186	182	376	93.9 %	93.3 %	92.4 %
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	232	315	577	35.8 %	83.2 %	212	165	224	91.4 %	52.4 %	38.8 %
	Family Offences	88	97	44	10.2 %	-54.6 %	67	65	23	76.1 %	67.0 %	52.3 %
	Family Offences Continued	434	466	595	7.4 %	27.7 %	333	381	504	76.7 %	81.8 %	84.7 %
	Gaming	3	1		-66.7 %	-100.0 %	3	0		100.0 %	0.0 %	
	Sale Of Liquor Act	169	111	545	-34.3 %	391.0 %	158	76	530	93.5 %	68.5 %	97.2 %
	Vagrancy Offences	7	9	29	28.6 %	222.2 %	5	8	28	71.4 %	88.9 %	96.6 %
Total:		3,984	4,005	5,328	0.5 %	33.0 %	3,231	2,999	4,166	81.1 %	74.9 %	78.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Dishonesty	Burglary	8,006	8,059	8,966	0.7 %	11.3 %	822	729	1,038	10.3 %	9.0 %	11.6 %
	Car Conversion Etc	5,137	4,653	6,542	-9.4 %	40.6 %	872	768	1,330	17.0 %	16.5 %	20.3 %
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	24	53	55	120.8 %	3.8 %	4	5	31	16.7 %	9.4 %	56.4 %
	Fraud	2,396	1,607	1,145	-32.9 %	-28.7 %	517	459	528	21.6 %	28.6 %	46.1 %
	Receiving	237	201	529	-15.2 %	163.2 %	212	188	513	89.5 %	93.5 %	97.0 %
	Theft	11,495	11,146	14,888	-3.0 %	33.6 %	2,170	1,999	1,972	18.9 %	17.9 %	13.2 %
Total:		27,295	25,719	32,125	-5.8 %	24.9 %	4,597	4,148	5,412	16.8 %	16.1 %	16.8 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	3,555	3,301	4,398	-7.1 %	33.2 %	1,259	1,102	1,397	35.4 %	33.4 %	31.8 %
	Endangering	48	50	73	4.2 %	46.0 %	45	43	54	93.8 %	86.0 %	74.0 %
Total:		3,603	3,351	4,471	-7.0 %	33.4 %	1,304	1,145	1,451	36.2 %	34.2 %	32.5 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Property Abuse	Animals	22	20	16	-9.1 %	-20.0 %	10	8	4	45.5 %	40.0 %	25.0 %
	Arms Act Offences	254	288	372	13.4 %	29.2 %	209	231	294	82.3 %	80.2 %	79.0 %
	Littering	27	12	21	-55.6 %	75.0 %	13	6	11	48.1 %	50.0 %	52.4 %
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	374	341	380	-8.8 %	11.4 %	179	150	122	47.9 %	44.0 %	32.1 %
	Trespass	1,240	1,303	1,037	5.1 %	-20.4 %	775	833	743	62.5 %	63.9 %	71.6 %
Total:		1,917	1,964	1,826	2.5 %	-7.0 %	1,186	1,228	1,174	61.9 %	62.5 %	64.3 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
Administrative	Against Justice	882	919	2,129	4.2 %	131.7 %	782	791	1,882	88.7 %	86.1 %	88.4 %
	Against National Interest	1	1	8	0.0 %	700.0 %	1	1	3	100.0 %	100.0 %	37.5 %
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	1		2	-100.0 %		0		1	0.0 %		50.0 %
	By Law Breaches	33	202	172	512.1 %	-14.9 %	25	188	158	75.8 %	93.1 %	91.9 %
	Immigration	623	905	183	45.3 %	-79.8 %	610	882	157	97.9 %	97.5 %	85.8 %
	Justice (Special)		2	26		1200.0 %		2	25		100.0 %	96.2 %
	Racial	1			-100.0 %		1			100.0 %		
Total:		1,541	2,029	2,520	31.7 %	24.2 %	1,419	1,864	2,226	92.1 %	91.9 %	88.3 %

TOTAL		44,278	43,657	54,294	-1.4 %	24.4 %	15,991	16,196	20,341	36.1 %	37.1 %	37.5 %
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DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA
Years ending 30 June

Area Description	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Percent Variance 03/04 to 04/05	Percent Variance 04/05 to 05/06
CM Central	1,325.4	1,311.5	1,546.4	-1.1 %	17.9 %
CM East	715.7	646.0	844.4	-9.7 %	30.7 %
CM South	1,008.3	948.6	1,237.0	-5.9 %	30.4 %
CM West	1,161.7	1,205.7	1,375.5	3.8 %	14.1 %
TOTAL	1,005.8	972.2	1,192.3	-3.3 %	22.6 %

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

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Violence	Grievous Assaults	13.4	13.6	16.3
	Group Assemblies	0.7	0.9	0.8
	Homicide	0.5	0.2	0.4
	Intimidation And Threats	31.8	33.9	39.2
	Kidnapping And Abduction	0.8	0.5	1.3
	Minor Assaults	25.2	27.5	29.6
	Robbery	6.2	9.4	14.0
	Serious Assaults	47.1	51.8	61.9
Violence		125.8	137.8	163.3

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	0.1	0.0	0.1
	Immoral Behaviour	0.6	0.5	1.3
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	0.3	0.2	0.1
	Sexual Affronts	1.2	1.9	0.9
	Sexual Attacks	7.0	6.3	10.5
Sexual		9.1	8.9	12.9

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	45.1	44.8	44.3
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	19.7	17.8	24.5
	Drugs (New Drugs)	4.5	4.3	8.9
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	5.3	7.0	12.7
	Family Offences	2.0	2.2	1.0
	Family Offences Continued	9.9	10.4	13.1
	Gaming	0.1	0.0	
	Sale Of Liquor Act	3.8	2.5	12.0
	Vagrancy Offences	0.2	0.2	0.6
Drugs & AntiSocial		90.5	89.2	117.0

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Dishonesty	Burglary	181.9	179.5	196.9
	Car Conversion Etc	116.7	103.6	143.7
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	0.5	1.2	1.2
	Fraud	54.4	35.8	25.1
	Receiving	5.4	4.5	11.6
	Theft	261.1	248.2	327.0
Dishonesty		620.0	572.8	705.5

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	80.8	73.5	96.6
	Endangering	1.1	1.1	1.6
Property Damage		81.8	74.6	98.2

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Property Abuse	Animals	0.5	0.4	0.4
	Arms Act Offences	5.8	6.4	8.2
	Littering	0.6	0.3	0.5
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	8.5	7.6	8.3
	Trespass	28.2	29.0	22.8
Property Abuse		43.5	43.7	40.1

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20032004	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006
Administrative	Against Justice	20.0	20.5	46.8
	Against National Interest	0.0	0.0	0.2
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	0.0		0.0
	By Law Breaches	0.7	4.5	3.8
	Immigration	14.2	20.2	4.0
	Justice (Special)		0.0	0.6
	Racial	0.0		
Administrative		35.0	45.2	55.3

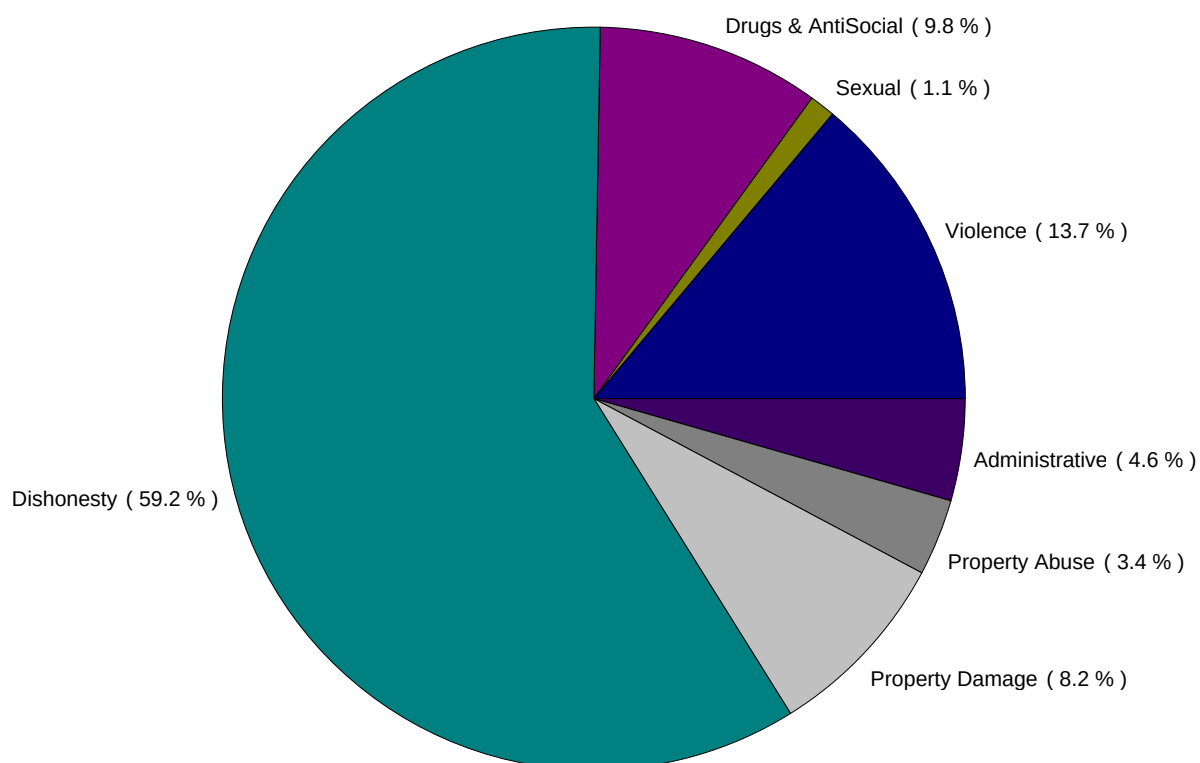
TOTAL		1,005.8	972.2	1,192.3
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PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Proportions Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20032004	Proportions Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20042005	Proportions Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20052006
Violence	12.5 %	5,537	14.2 %	6,189	13.7 %	7,438
Sexual	0.9 %	401	0.9 %	400	1.1 %	586
Drugs & AntiSocial	9.0 %	3,984	9.2 %	4,005	9.8 %	5,328
Dishonesty	61.6 %	27,295	58.9 %	25,719	59.2 %	32,125
Property Damage	8.1 %	3,603	7.7 %	3,351	8.2 %	4,471
Property Abuse	4.3 %	1,917	4.5 %	1,964	3.4 %	1,826
Administrative	3.5 %	1,541	4.6 %	2,029	4.6 %	2,520
Total:	100.0 %	44,278	100.0 %	43,657	100.0 %	54,294

TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2005/2006 (ending 30 June)



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

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	10,126	10,118	12,209	-0.1 %	20.7 %	3,967	3,574	4,459	39.2 %	35.3 %	36.5 %
CM East	10,492	9,952	13,091	-5.1 %	31.5 %	3,278	3,153	4,096	31.2 %	31.7 %	31.3 %
CM South	10,357	9,879	12,992	-4.6 %	31.5 %	3,863	3,986	5,060	37.3 %	40.3 %	38.9 %
CM West	13,303	13,708	16,002	3.0 %	16.7 %	4,883	5,483	6,726	36.7 %	40.0 %	42.0 %
Total:	44,278	43,657	54,294	-1.4 %	24.4 %	15,991	16,196	20,341	36.1 %	37.1 %	37.5 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

VIOLENCE

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	1,350	1,479	1,652	9.6 %	11.7 %	951	1,060	1,174	70.4 %	71.7 %	71.1 %
CM East	1,095	1,162	1,439	6.1 %	23.8 %	802	825	988	73.2 %	71.0 %	68.7 %
CM South	1,378	1,504	1,839	9.1 %	22.3 %	1,024	1,155	1,392	74.3 %	76.8 %	75.7 %
CM West	1,714	2,044	2,508	19.3 %	22.7 %	1,267	1,542	1,971	73.9 %	75.4 %	78.6 %
Total:	5,537	6,189	7,438	11.8 %	20.2 %	4,044	4,582	5,525	73.0 %	74.0 %	74.3 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

SEXUAL

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	67	86	106	28.4 %	23.3 %	25	47	66	37.3 %	54.7 %	62.3 %
CM East	85	106	121	24.7 %	14.2 %	48	54	85	56.5 %	50.9 %	70.2 %
CM South	104	91	186	-12.5 %	104.4 %	45	52	133	43.3 %	57.1 %	71.5 %
CM West	145	117	173	-19.3 %	47.9 %	92	77	103	63.4 %	65.8 %	59.5 %
Total:	401	400	586	-0.2 %	46.5 %	210	230	387	52.4 %	57.5 %	66.0 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	1,071	928	1,041	-13.4 %	12.2 %	869	637	817	81.1 %	68.6 %	78.5 %
CM East	768	765	1,014	-0.4 %	32.5 %	635	616	781	82.7 %	80.5 %	77.0 %
CM South	1,020	959	1,199	-6.0 %	25.0 %	828	781	962	81.2 %	81.4 %	80.2 %
CM West	1,125	1,353	2,074	20.3 %	53.3 %	899	965	1,606	79.9 %	71.3 %	77.4 %
Total:	3,984	4,005	5,328	0.5 %	33.0 %	3,231	2,999	4,166	81.1 %	74.9 %	78.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DISHONESTY

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	6,072	6,170	7,450	1.6 %	20.7 %	1,198	1,068	1,194	19.7 %	17.3 %	16.0 %
CM East	6,966	6,533	8,634	-6.2 %	32.2 %	1,121	988	1,368	16.1 %	15.1 %	15.8 %
CM South	6,201	5,512	7,164	-11.1 %	30.0 %	1,127	1,061	1,326	18.2 %	19.2 %	18.5 %
CM West	8,056	7,504	8,877	-6.9 %	18.3 %	1,151	1,031	1,524	14.3 %	13.7 %	17.2 %
Total:	27,295	25,719	32,125	-5.8 %	24.9 %	4,597	4,148	5,412	16.8 %	16.1 %	16.8 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	880	686	880	-22.0 %	28.3 %	412	214	284	46.8 %	31.2 %	32.3 %
CM East	959	810	1,094	-15.5 %	35.1 %	253	256	278	26.4 %	31.6 %	25.4 %
CM South	863	914	1,387	5.9 %	51.8 %	317	345	484	36.7 %	37.7 %	34.9 %
CM West	901	941	1,110	4.4 %	18.0 %	322	330	405	35.7 %	35.1 %	36.5 %
Total:	3,603	3,351	4,471	-7.0 %	33.4 %	1,304	1,145	1,451	36.2 %	34.2 %	32.5 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY ABUSE

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	405	434	387	7.2 %	-10.8 %	254	241	254	62.7 %	55.5 %	65.6 %
CM East	494	397	407	-19.6 %	2.5 %	317	274	253	64.2 %	69.0 %	62.2 %
CM South	541	627	621	15.9 %	-1.0 %	323	389	361	59.7 %	62.0 %	58.1 %
CM West	477	506	411	6.1 %	-18.8 %	292	324	306	61.2 %	64.0 %	74.5 %
Total:	1,917	1,964	1,826	2.5 %	-7.0 %	1,186	1,228	1,174	61.9 %	62.5 %	64.3 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

ADMINISTRATIVE

Area Description	Recorded 20032004	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Variance 03/04- 04/05	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Resolved 20032004	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20032004	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006
CM Central	281	335	693	19.2 %	106.9 %	258	307	670	91.8 %	91.6 %	96.7 %
CM East	125	179	382	43.2 %	113.4 %	102	140	343	81.6 %	78.2 %	89.8 %
CM South	250	272	596	8.8 %	119.1 %	199	203	402	79.6 %	74.6 %	67.4 %
CM West	885	1,243	849	40.5 %	-31.7 %	860	1,214	811	97.2 %	97.7 %	95.5 %
Total:	1,541	2,029	2,520	31.7 %	24.2 %	1,419	1,864	2,226	92.1 %	91.9 %	88.3 %

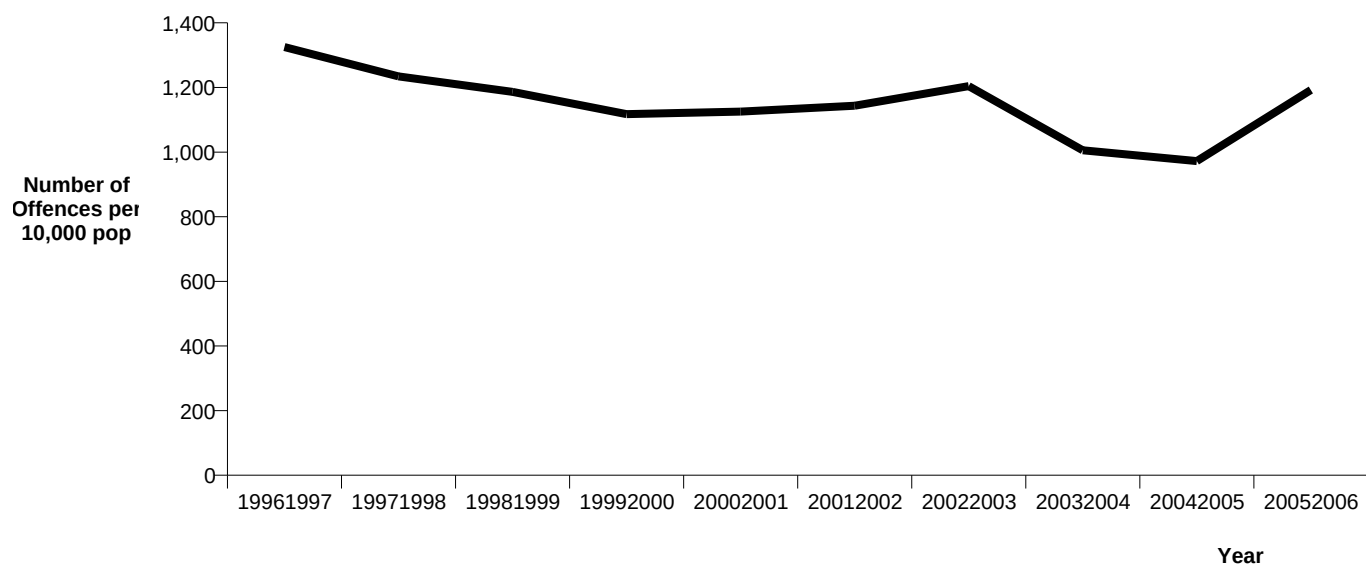
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

Years ending 30 June

TOTAL CRIME

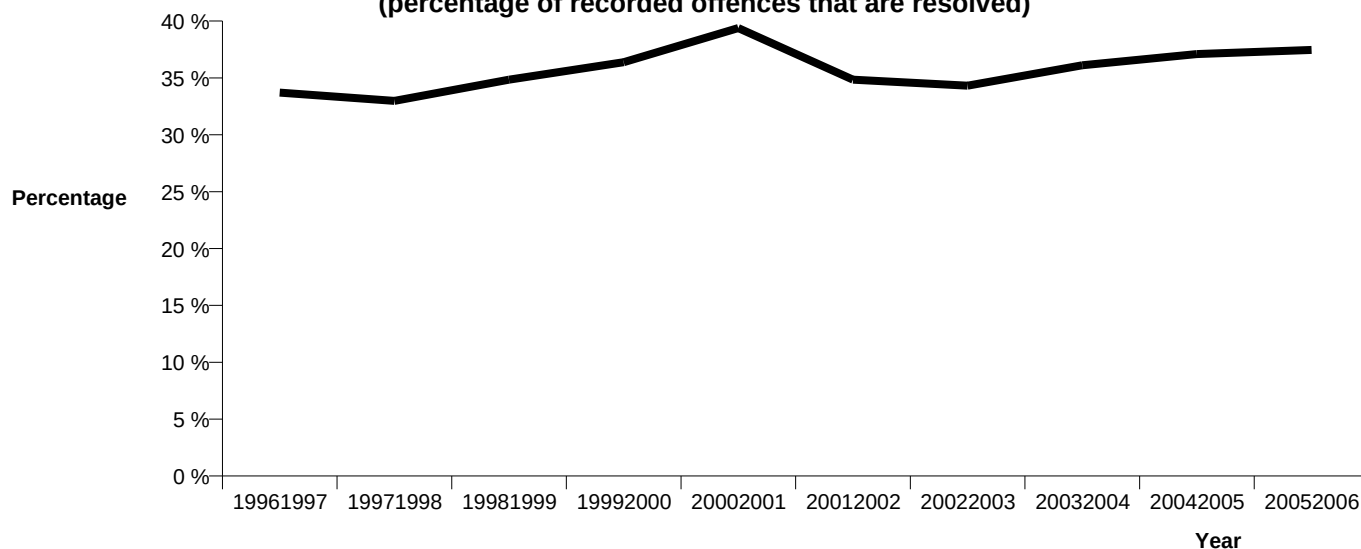
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19961997	50,232		1,325.1		16,933	33.7 %	
19971998	48,019	-4.4 %	1,234.4	-6.8 %	15,836	33.0 %	-0.7 %
19981999	47,055	-2.0 %	1,186.3	-3.9 %	16,397	34.8 %	1.9 %
19992000	44,882	-4.6 %	1,117.3	-5.8 %	16,330	36.4 %	1.5 %
20002001	45,962	2.4 %	1,125.5	0.7 %	18,104	39.4 %	3.0 %
20012002	47,406	3.1 %	1,143.5	1.6 %	16,518	34.8 %	-4.5 %
20022003	51,438	8.5 %	1,204.3	5.3 %	17,652	34.3 %	-0.5 %
20032004	44,278	-13.9 %	1,005.8	-16.5 %	15,991	36.1 %	1.8 %
20042005	43,657	-1.4 %	972.2	-3.3 %	16,196	37.1 %	1.0 %
20052006	54,294	24.4 %	1,192.3	22.6 %	20,341	37.5 %	0.4 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

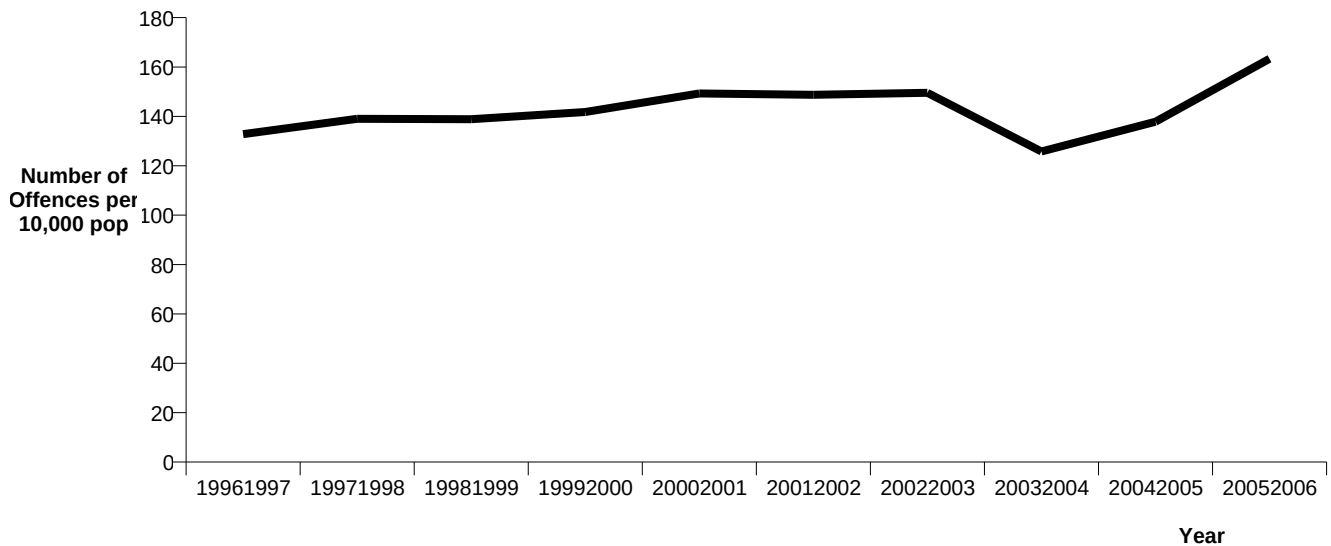


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
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Years ending 30 June**

VIOLENCE

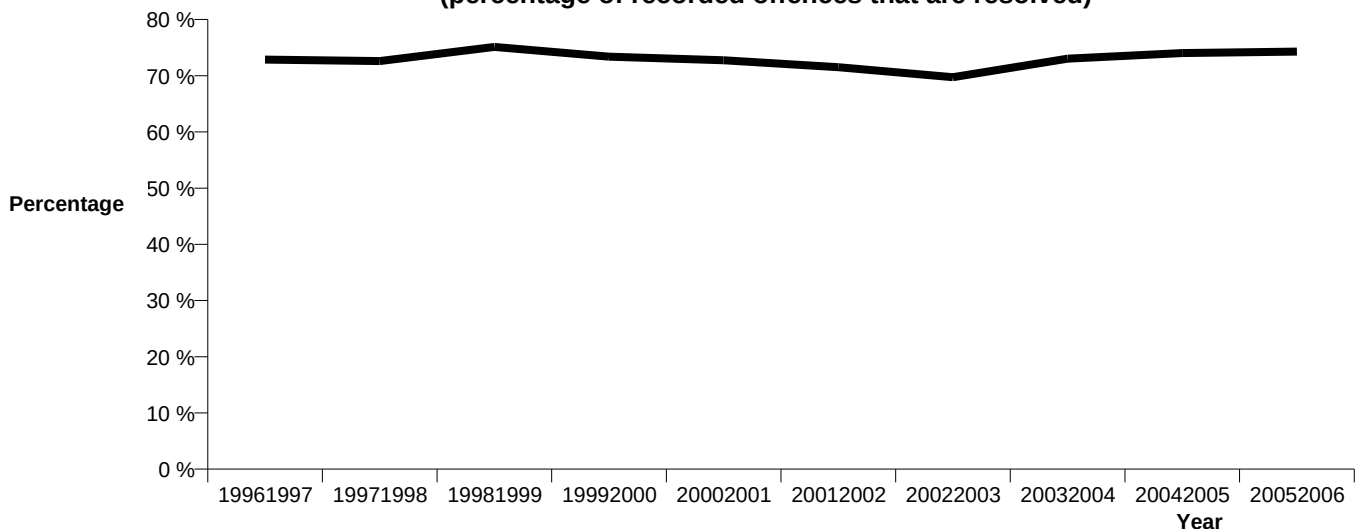
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19961997	5,035		132.8		3,669	72.9 %	
19971998	5,408	7.4 %	139.0	4.7 %	3,927	72.6 %	-0.3 %
19981999	5,509	1.9 %	138.9	-0.1 %	4,138	75.1 %	2.5 %
19992000	5,695	3.4 %	141.8	2.1 %	4,179	73.4 %	-1.7 %
20002001	6,096	7.0 %	149.3	5.3 %	4,435	72.8 %	-0.6 %
20012002	6,167	1.2 %	148.8	-0.3 %	4,411	71.5 %	-1.2 %
20022003	6,388	3.6 %	149.6	0.5 %	4,454	69.7 %	-1.8 %
20032004	5,537	-13.3 %	125.8	-15.9 %	4,044	73.0 %	3.3 %
20042005	6,189	11.8 %	137.8	9.6 %	4,582	74.0 %	1.0 %
20052006	7,438	20.2 %	163.3	18.5 %	5,525	74.3 %	0.2 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

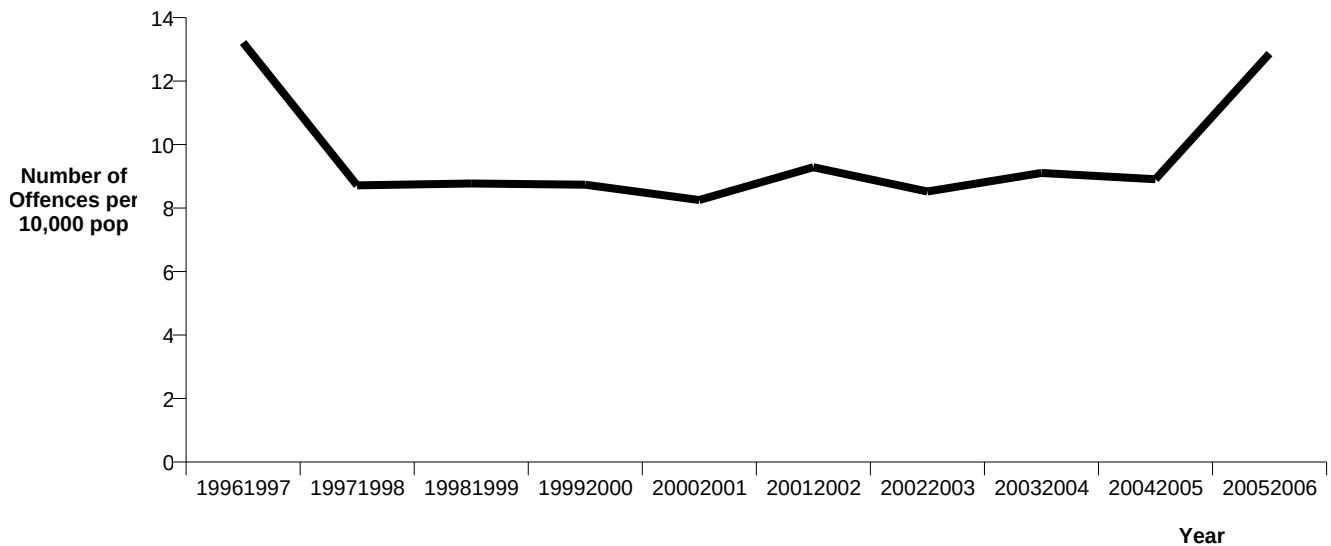


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SEXUAL

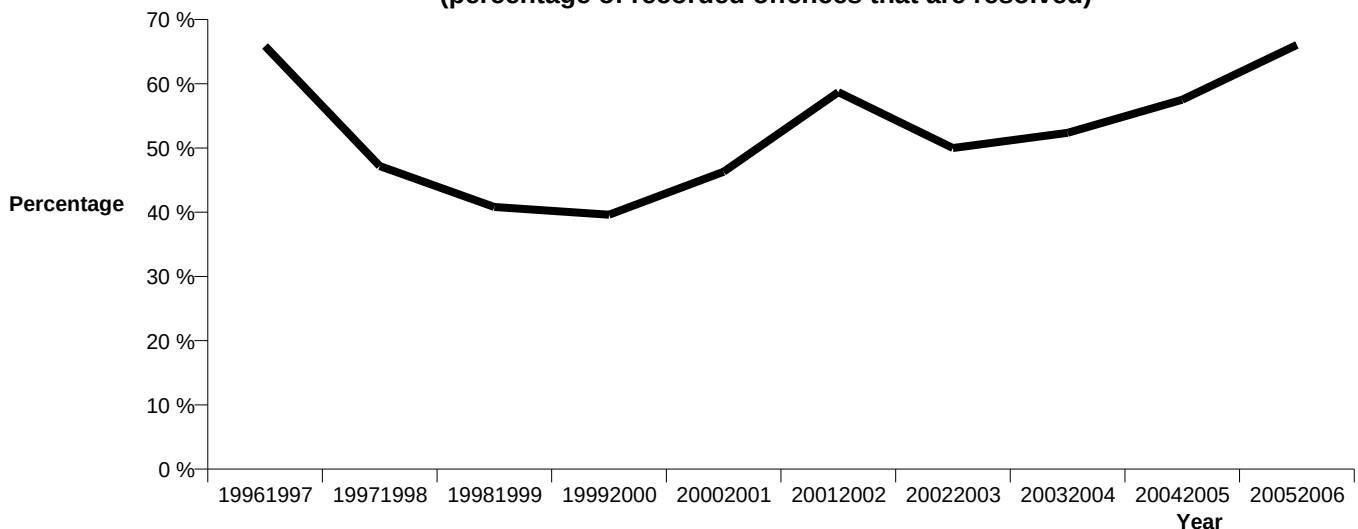
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19961997	501		13.2		330	65.9 %	
19971998	339	-32.3 %	8.7	-34.1 %	160	47.2 %	-18.7 %
19981999	348	2.7 %	8.8	0.7 %	142	40.8 %	-6.4 %
19992000	351	0.9 %	8.7	-0.4 %	139	39.6 %	-1.2 %
20002001	337	-4.0 %	8.3	-5.6 %	156	46.3 %	6.7 %
20012002	385	14.2 %	9.3	12.5 %	226	58.7 %	12.4 %
20022003	364	-5.5 %	8.5	-8.2 %	182	50.0 %	-8.7 %
20032004	401	10.2 %	9.1	6.9 %	210	52.4 %	2.4 %
20042005	400	-0.2 %	8.9	-2.2 %	230	57.5 %	5.1 %
20052006	586	46.5 %	12.9	44.5 %	387	66.0 %	8.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



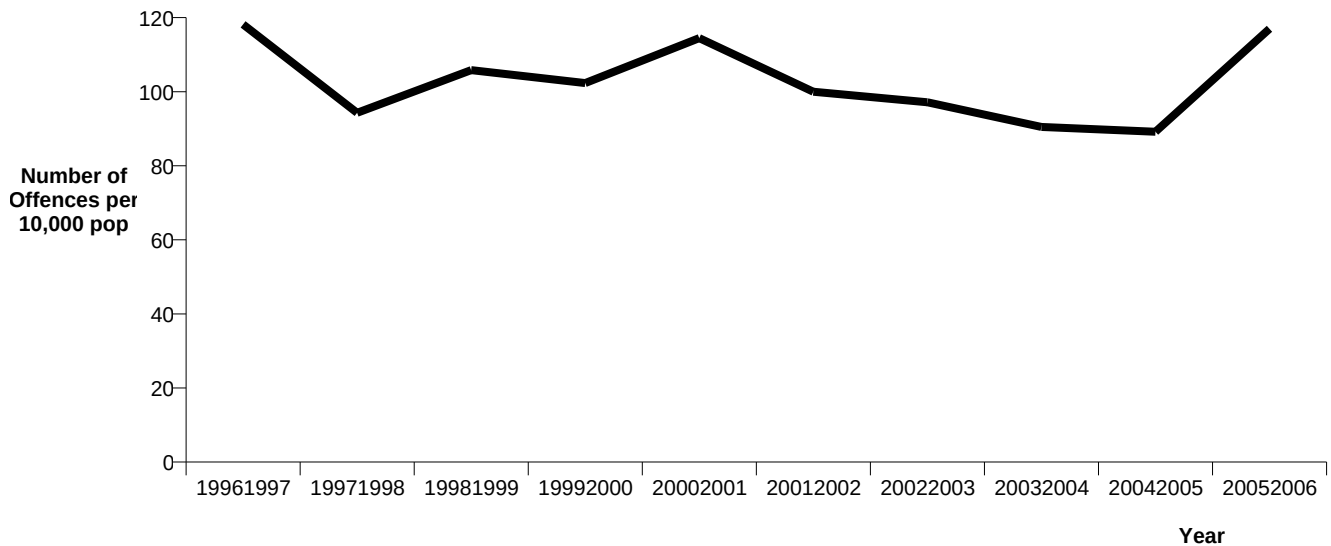
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BY CATEGORY**

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DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

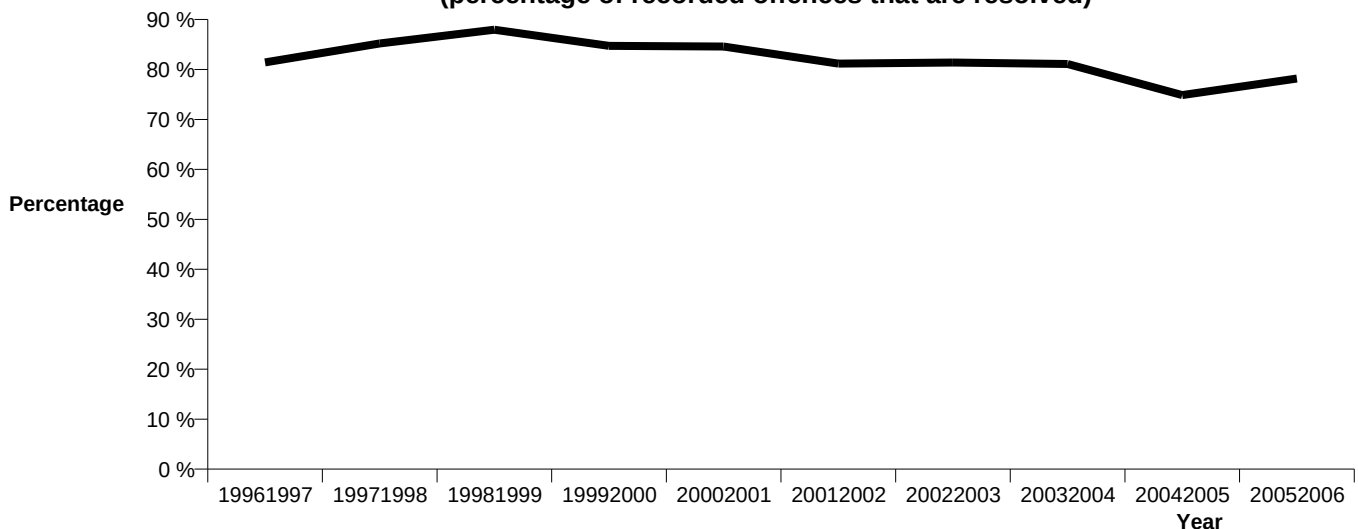
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	4,480		118.2		3,647	81.4 %	
19971998	3,668	-18.1 %	94.3	-20.2 %	3,125	85.2 %	3.8 %
19981999	4,198	14.4 %	105.8	12.2 %	3,693	88.0 %	2.8 %
19992000	4,111	-2.1 %	102.3	-3.3 %	3,483	84.7 %	-3.2 %
20002001	4,675	13.7 %	114.5	11.9 %	3,955	84.6 %	-0.1 %
20012002	4,146	-11.3 %	100.0	-12.6 %	3,366	81.2 %	-3.4 %
20022003	4,150	0.1 %	97.2	-2.8 %	3,378	81.4 %	0.2 %
20032004	3,984	-4.0 %	90.5	-6.9 %	3,231	81.1 %	-0.3 %
20042005	4,005	0.5 %	89.2	-1.4 %	2,999	74.9 %	-6.2 %
20052006	5,328	33.0 %	117.0	31.2 %	4,166	78.2 %	3.3 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



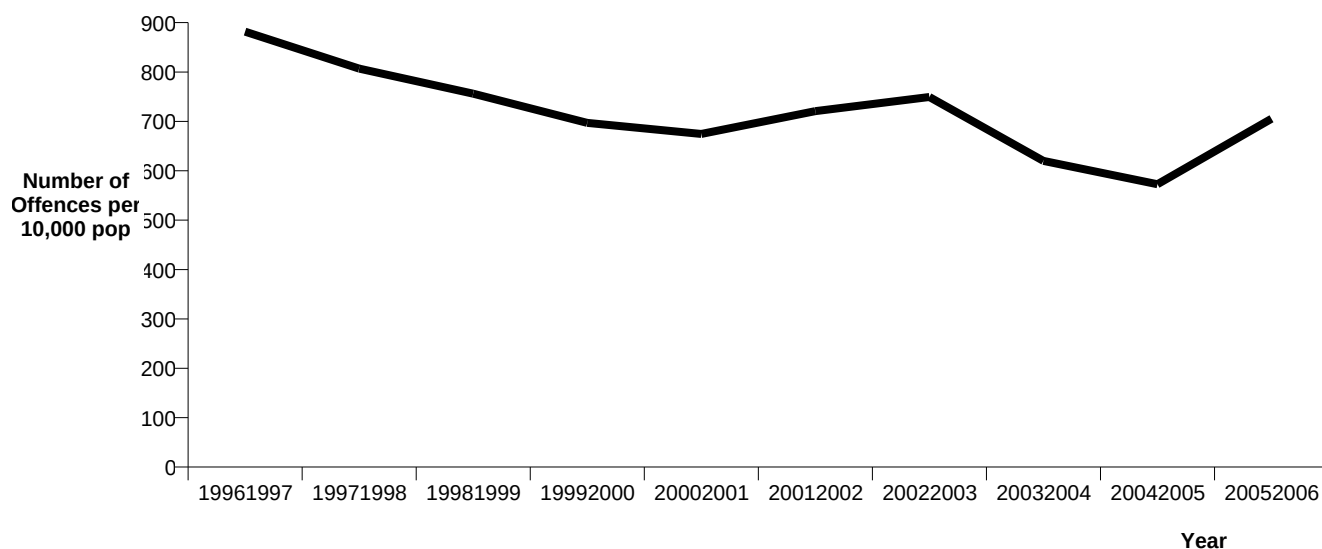
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, BY CATEGORY

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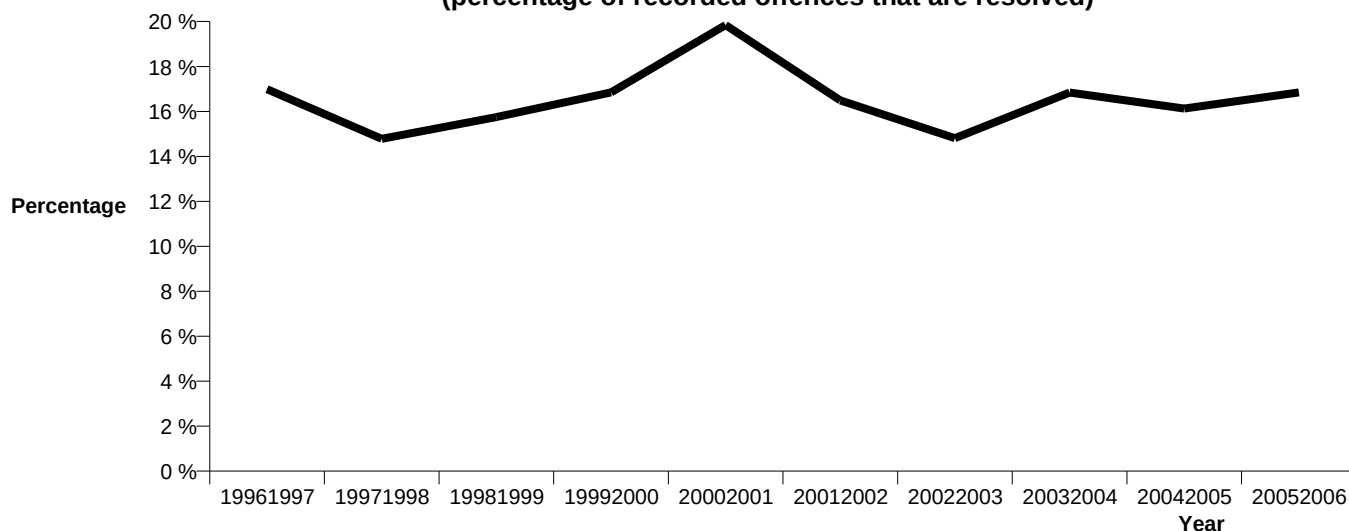
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	33,432		881.9		5,680	17.0 %	
19971998	31,389	-6.1 %	806.9	-8.5 %	4,639	14.8 %	-2.2 %
19981999	29,991	-4.5 %	756.1	-6.3 %	4,724	15.8 %	1.0 %
19992000	27,996	-6.7 %	697.0	-7.8 %	4,717	16.8 %	1.1 %
20002001	27,548	-1.6 %	674.6	-3.2 %	5,467	19.8 %	3.0 %
20012002	29,885	8.5 %	720.9	6.9 %	4,928	16.5 %	-3.4 %
20022003	32,004	7.1 %	749.3	3.9 %	4,741	14.8 %	-1.7 %
20032004	27,295	-14.7 %	620.0	-17.3 %	4,597	16.8 %	2.0 %
20042005	25,719	-5.8 %	572.8	-7.6 %	4,148	16.1 %	-0.7 %
20052006	32,125	24.9 %	705.5	23.2 %	5,412	16.8 %	0.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

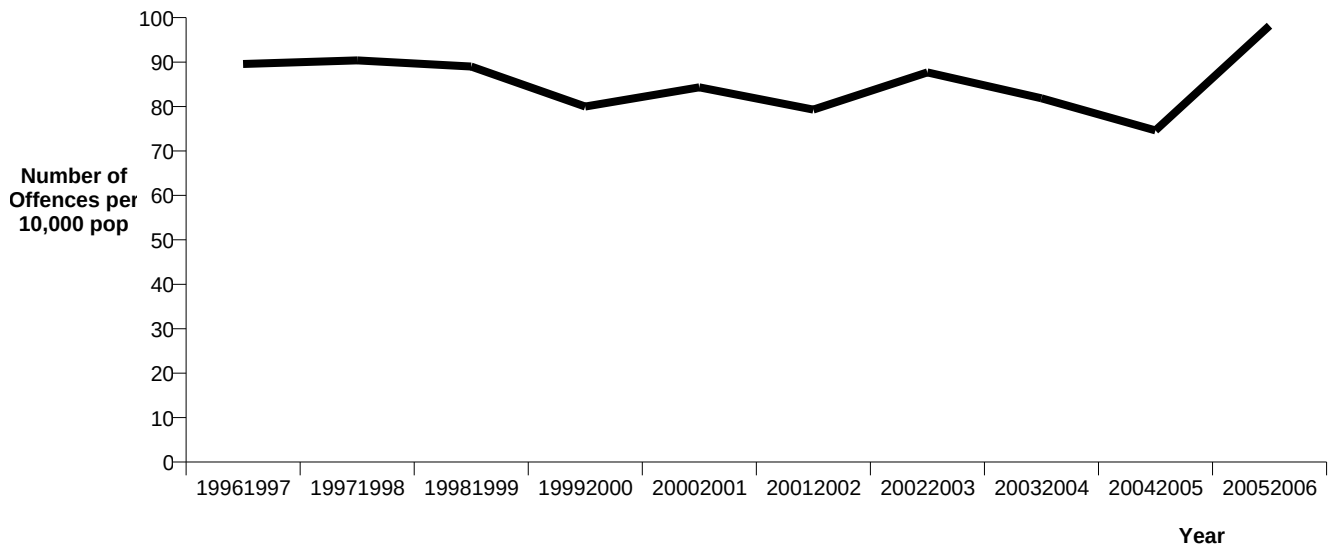


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES,
BY CATEGORY
Years ending 30 June**

PROPERTY DAMAGE

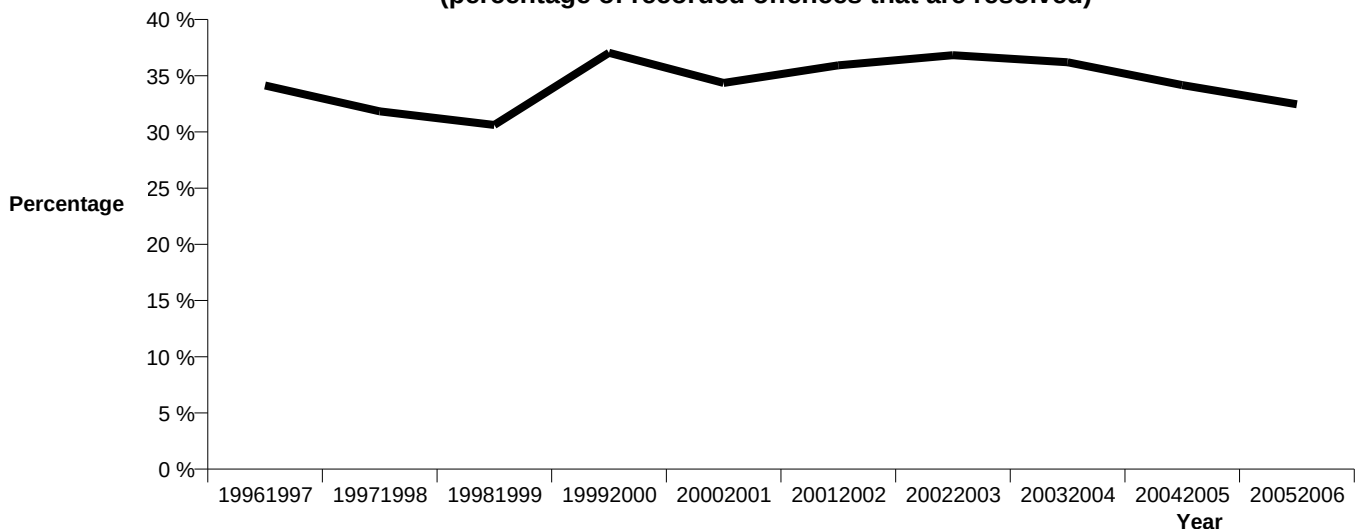
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	3,396		89.6		1,159	34.1 %	
19971998	3,516	3.5 %	90.4	0.9 %	1,119	31.8 %	-2.3 %
19981999	3,530	0.4 %	89.0	-1.5 %	1,081	30.6 %	-1.2 %
19992000	3,213	-9.0 %	80.0	-10.1 %	1,190	37.0 %	6.4 %
20002001	3,443	7.2 %	84.3	5.4 %	1,183	34.4 %	-2.7 %
20012002	3,288	-4.5 %	79.3	-5.9 %	1,181	35.9 %	1.6 %
20022003	3,745	13.9 %	87.7	10.6 %	1,379	36.8 %	0.9 %
20032004	3,603	-3.8 %	81.8	-6.7 %	1,304	36.2 %	-0.6 %
20042005	3,351	-7.0 %	74.6	-8.8 %	1,145	34.2 %	-2.0 %
20052006	4,471	33.4 %	98.2	31.6 %	1,451	32.5 %	-1.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



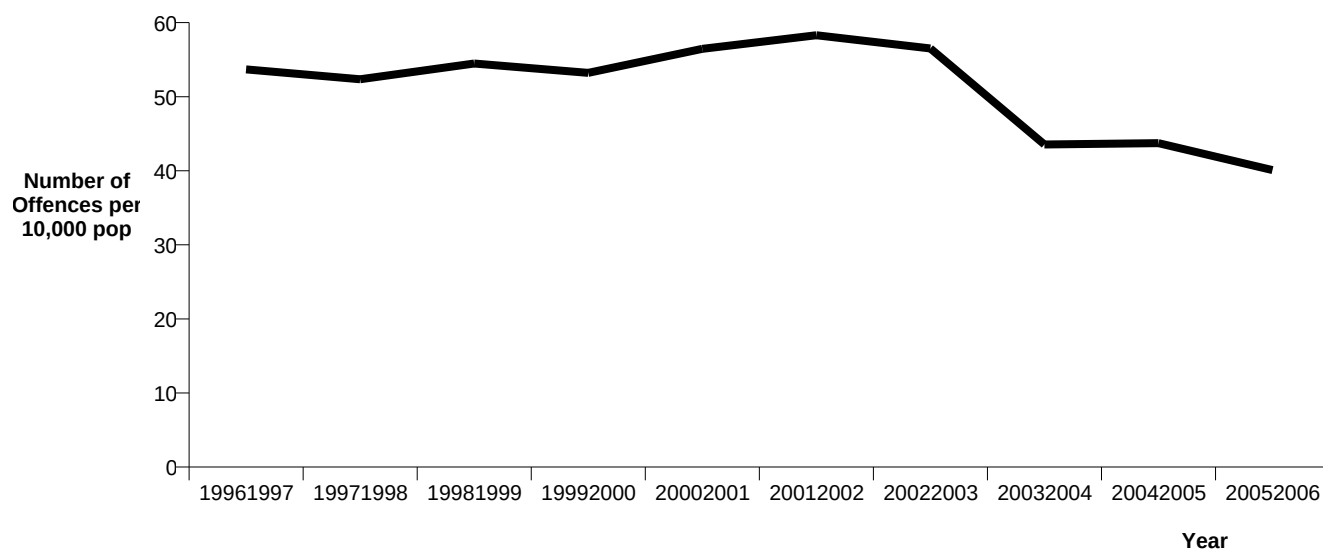
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, BY CATEGORY

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PROPERTY ABUSE

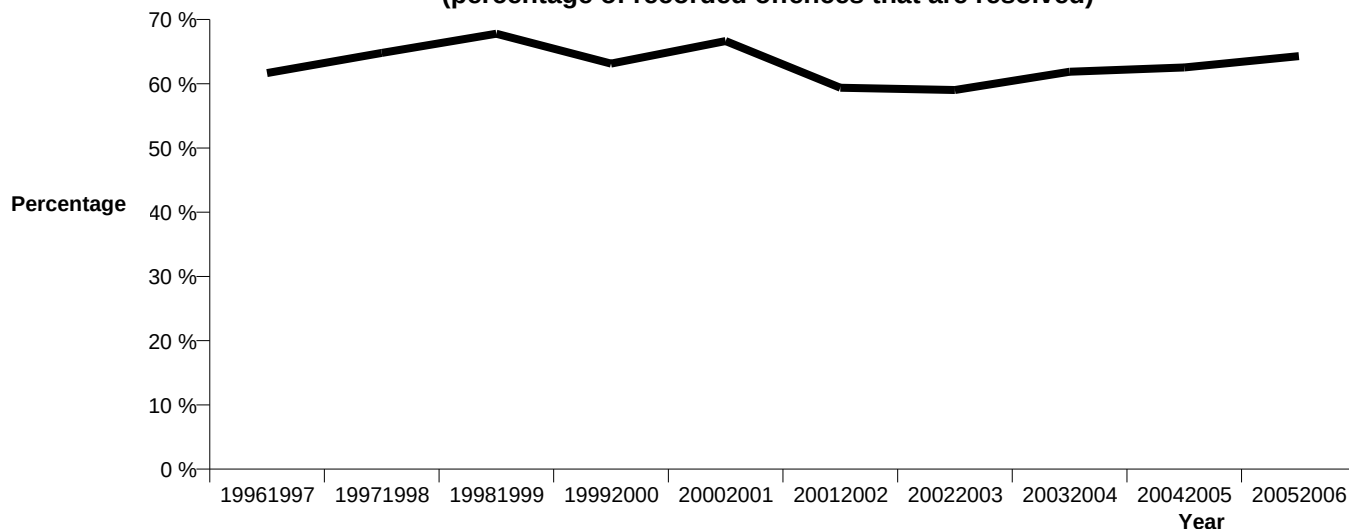
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	2,035		53.7		1,255	61.7 %	
19971998	2,037	0.1 %	52.4	-2.5 %	1,320	64.8 %	3.1 %
19981999	2,161	6.1 %	54.5	4.0 %	1,465	67.8 %	3.0 %
19992000	2,138	-1.1 %	53.2	-2.3 %	1,350	63.1 %	-4.6 %
20002001	2,306	7.9 %	56.5	6.1 %	1,537	66.7 %	3.5 %
20012002	2,417	4.8 %	58.3	3.2 %	1,435	59.4 %	-7.3 %
20022003	2,414	-0.1 %	56.5	-3.1 %	1,425	59.0 %	-0.3 %
20032004	1,917	-20.6 %	43.5	-23.0 %	1,186	61.9 %	2.8 %
20042005	1,964	2.5 %	43.7	0.4 %	1,228	62.5 %	0.7 %
20052006	1,826	-7.0 %	40.1	-8.3 %	1,174	64.3 %	1.8 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



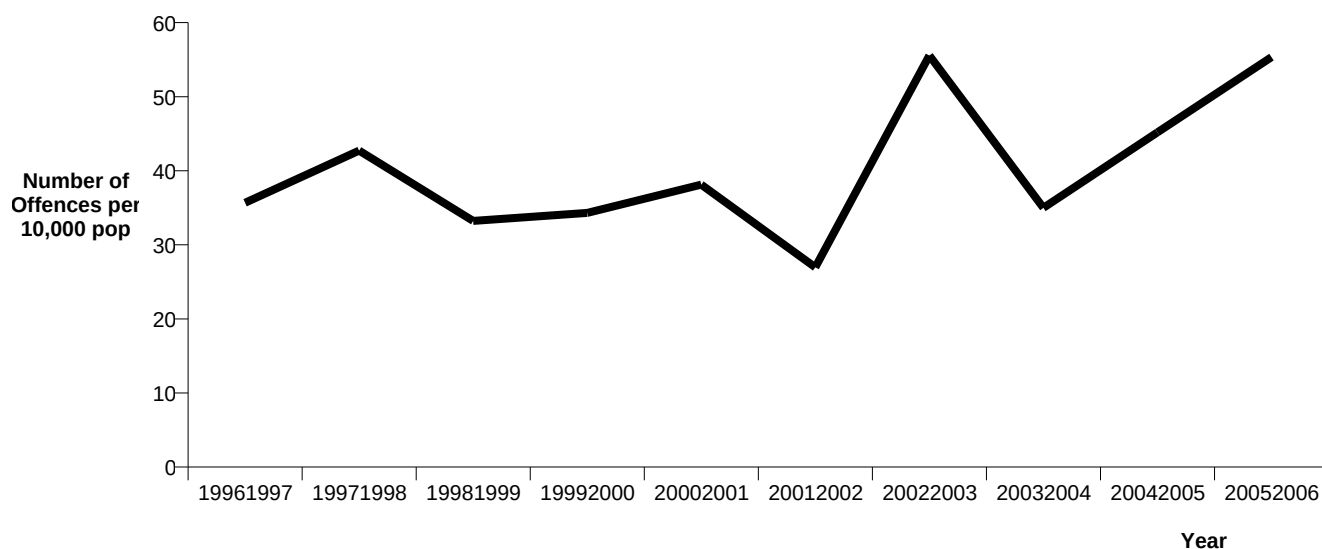
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, BY CATEGORY

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ADMINISTRATIVE

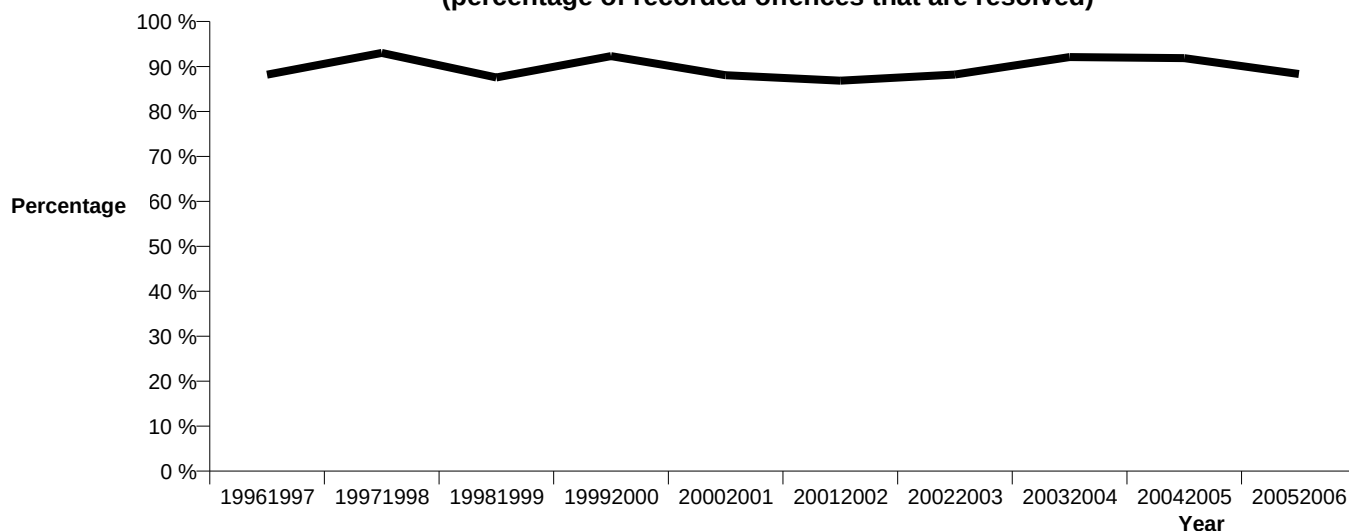
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	1,353		35.7		1,193	88.2 %	
19971998	1,662	22.8 %	42.7	19.7 %	1,546	93.0 %	4.8 %
19981999	1,318	-20.7 %	33.2	-22.2 %	1,154	87.6 %	-5.5 %
19992000	1,378	4.6 %	34.3	3.2 %	1,272	92.3 %	4.8 %
20002001	1,557	13.0 %	38.1	11.1 %	1,371	88.1 %	-4.3 %
20012002	1,118	-28.2 %	27.0	-29.3 %	971	86.9 %	-1.2 %
20022003	2,373	112.3 %	55.6	106.0 %	2,093	88.2 %	1.3 %
20032004	1,541	-35.1 %	35.0	-37.0 %	1,419	92.1 %	3.9 %
20042005	2,029	31.7 %	45.2	29.1 %	1,864	91.9 %	-0.2 %
20052006	2,520	24.2 %	55.3	22.5 %	2,226	88.3 %	-3.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



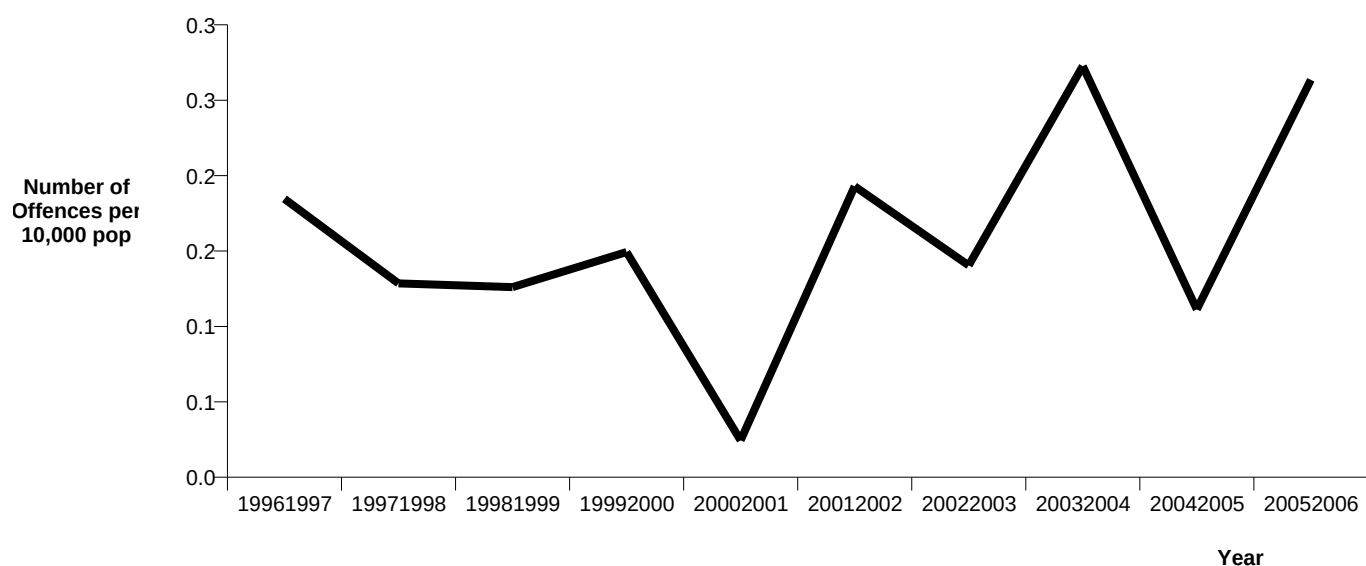
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Years ending 30 June

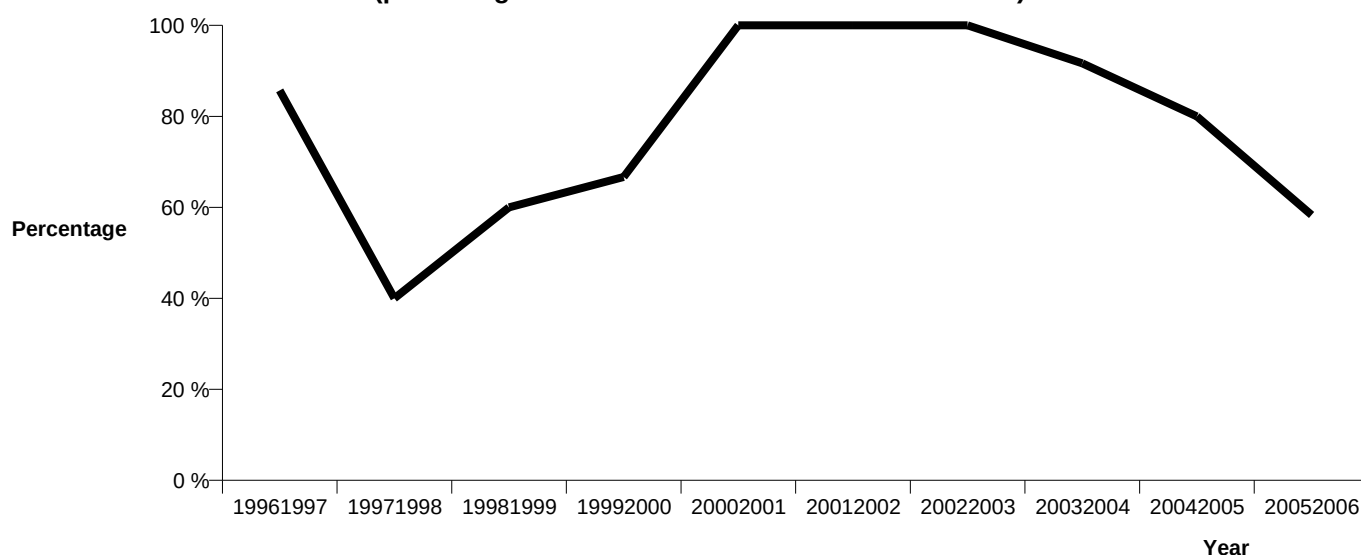
MURDER*

Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	7		0.2		6	85.7 %	
19971998	5	-28.6 %	0.1	-30.4 %	2	40.0 %	-45.7 %
19981999	5	0.0 %	0.1	-1.9 %	3	60.0 %	20.0 %
19992000	6	20.0 %	0.1	18.5 %	4	66.7 %	6.7 %
20002001	1	-83.3 %	0.0	-83.6 %	1	100.0 %	33.3 %
20012002	8	700.0 %	0.2	688.0 %	8	100.0 %	0.0 %
20022003	6	-25.0 %	0.1	-27.2 %	6	100.0 %	0.0 %
20032004	12	100.0 %	0.3	94.1 %	11	91.7 %	-8.3 %
20042005	5	-58.3 %	0.1	-59.2 %	4	80.0 %	-11.7 %
20052006	12	140.0 %	0.3	136.7 %	7	58.3 %	-21.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate (percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



* Note that 'Murder' is a sub-class of the Police offence class 'Homicide' as used in pages 2-22

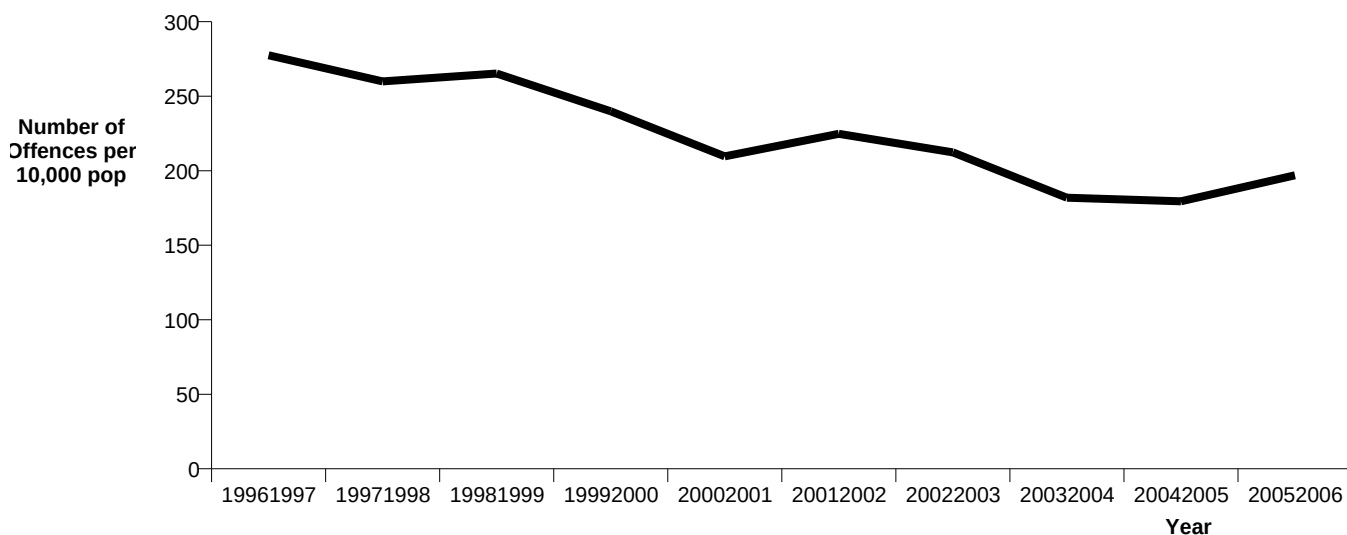
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Years ending 30 June

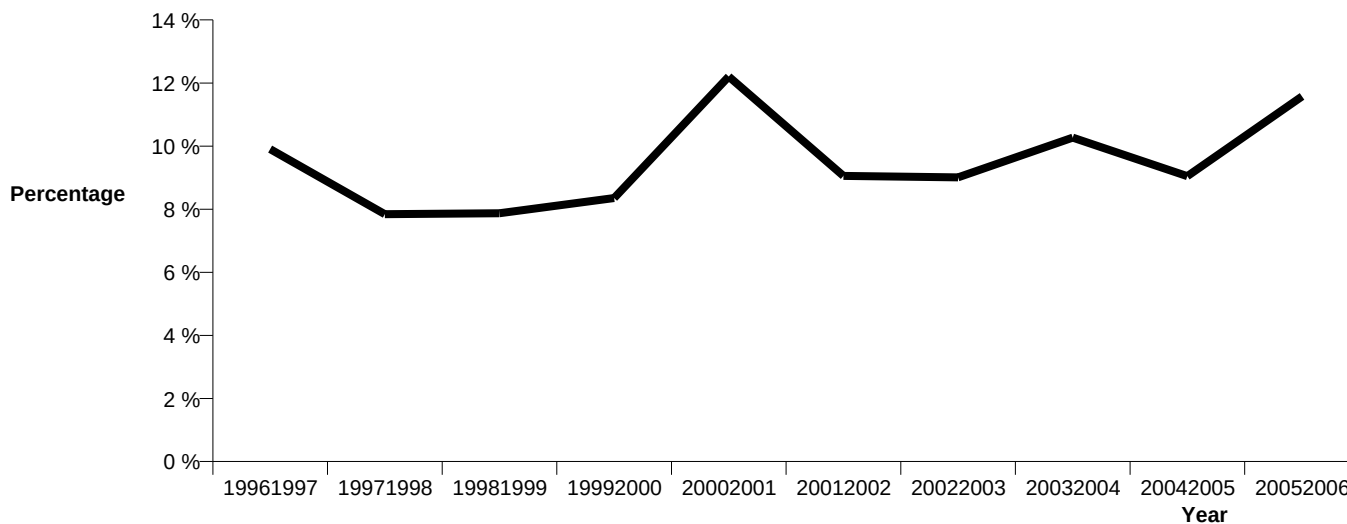
BURGLARY

Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	10,519		277.5		1,042	9.9 %	
19971998	10,111	-3.9 %	259.9	-6.3 %	793	7.8 %	-2.1 %
19981999	10,521	4.1 %	265.2	2.0 %	828	7.9 %	0.0 %
19992000	9,636	-8.4 %	239.9	-9.6 %	805	8.4 %	0.5 %
20002001	8,562	-11.1 %	209.7	-12.6 %	1,045	12.2 %	3.9 %
20012002	9,320	8.9 %	224.8	7.2 %	844	9.1 %	-3.1 %
20022003	9,069	-2.7 %	212.3	-5.6 %	817	9.0 %	-0.0 %
20032004	8,006	-11.7 %	181.9	-14.3 %	822	10.3 %	1.3 %
20042005	8,059	0.7 %	179.5	-1.3 %	729	9.0 %	-1.2 %
20052006	8,966	11.3 %	196.9	9.7 %	1,038	11.6 %	2.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



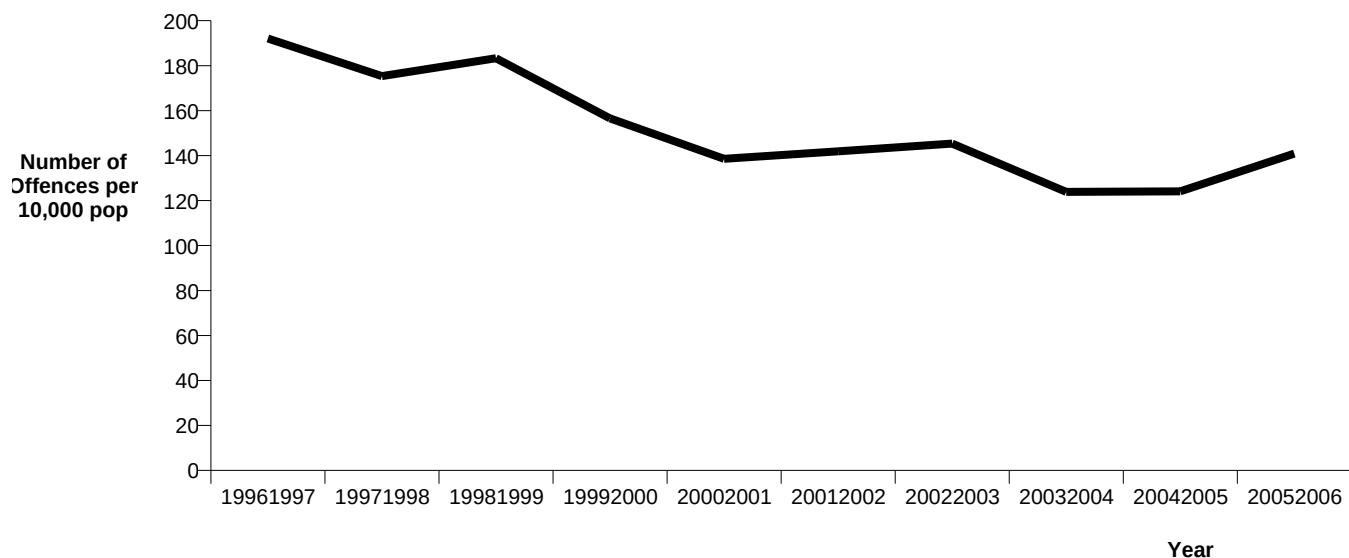
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SELECTED OFFENCE CLASS**

Years ending 30 June

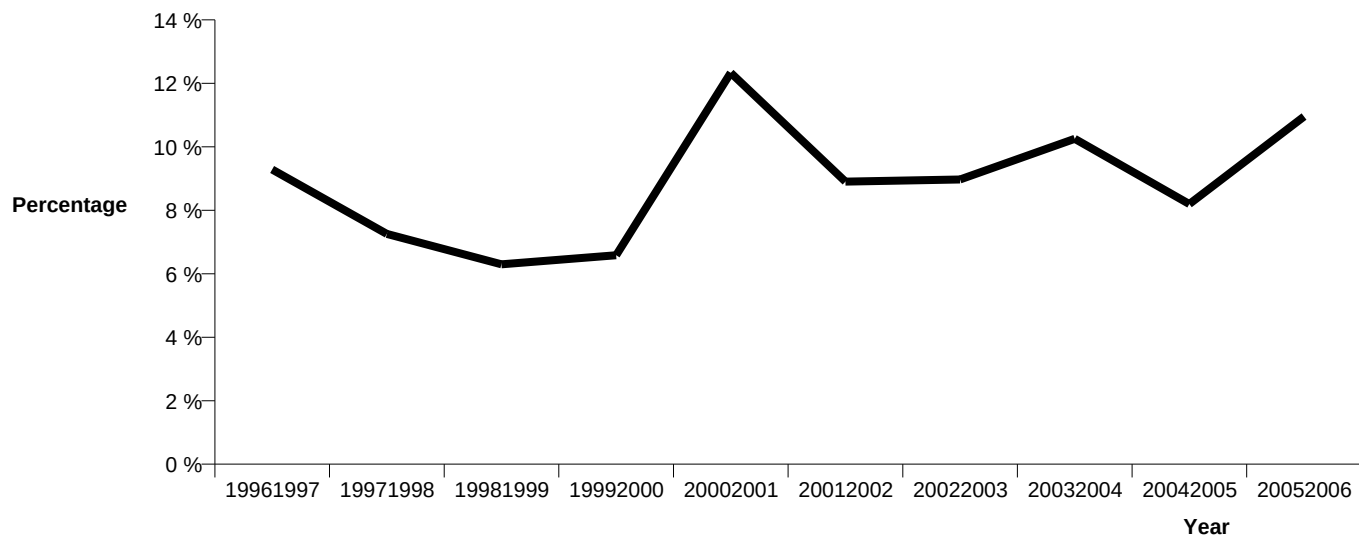
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Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	7,281		192.1		676	9.3 %	
19971998	6,822	-6.3 %	175.4	-8.7 %	495	7.3 %	-2.0 %
19981999	7,271	6.6 %	183.3	4.5 %	458	6.3 %	-1.0 %
19992000	6,289	-13.5 %	156.6	-14.6 %	414	6.6 %	0.3 %
20002001	5,660	-10.0 %	138.6	-11.5 %	698	12.3 %	5.7 %
20012002	5,884	4.0 %	141.9	2.4 %	524	8.9 %	-3.4 %
20022003	6,208	5.5 %	145.3	2.4 %	557	9.0 %	0.1 %
20032004	5,453	-12.2 %	123.9	-14.8 %	559	10.3 %	1.3 %
20042005	5,574	2.2 %	124.1	0.2 %	457	8.2 %	-2.1 %
20052006	6,416	15.1 %	140.9	13.5 %	703	11.0 %	2.8 %

Recorded Offences per 10.000 population



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



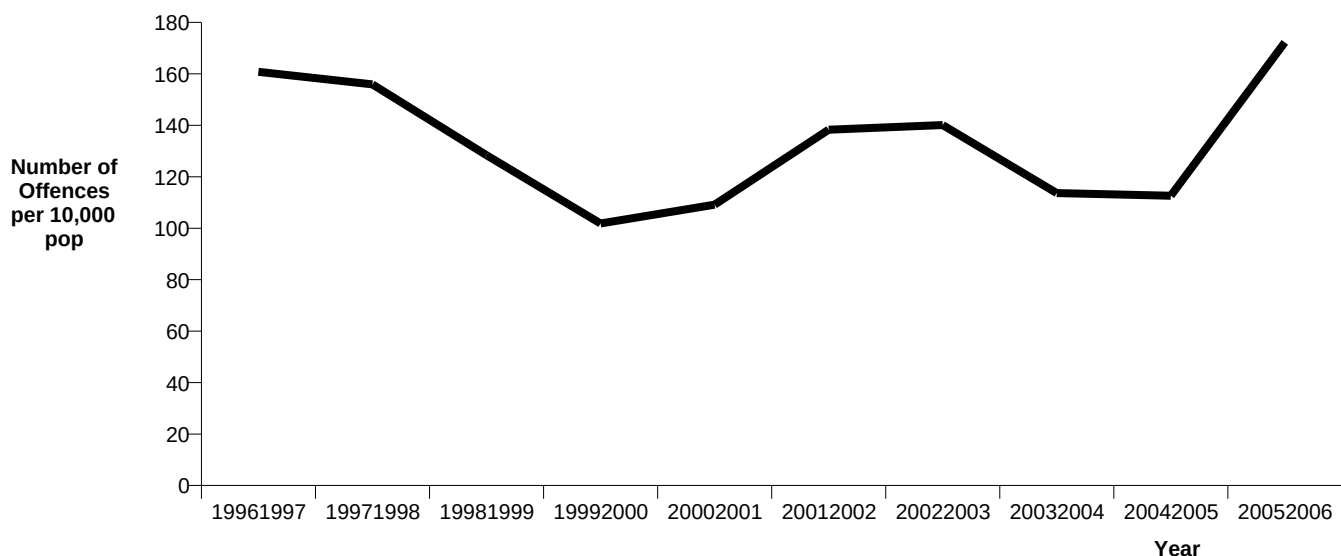
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Years ending 30 June

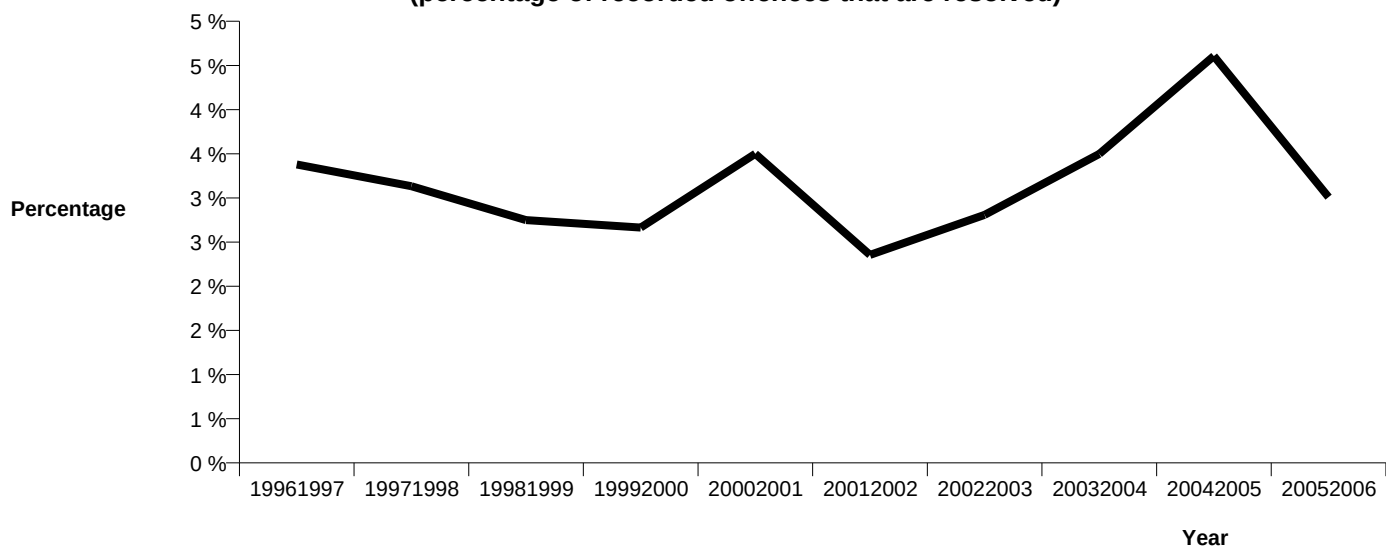
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Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	6,096		160.8		206	3.4 %	
19971998	6,065	-0.5 %	155.9	-3.0 %	190	3.1 %	-0.2 %
19981999	5,092	-16.0 %	128.4	-17.7 %	140	2.7 %	-0.4 %
19992000	4,091	-19.7 %	101.8	-20.7 %	109	2.7 %	-0.1 %
20002001	4,458	9.0 %	109.2	7.2 %	156	3.5 %	0.8 %
20012002	5,733	28.6 %	138.3	26.7 %	135	2.4 %	-1.1 %
20022003	5,984	4.4 %	140.1	1.3 %	168	2.8 %	0.5 %
20032004	5,003	-16.4 %	113.6	-18.9 %	175	3.5 %	0.7 %
20042005	5,058	1.1 %	112.6	-0.9 %	233	4.6 %	1.1 %
20052006	7,843	55.1 %	172.2	52.9 %	236	3.0 %	-1.6 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

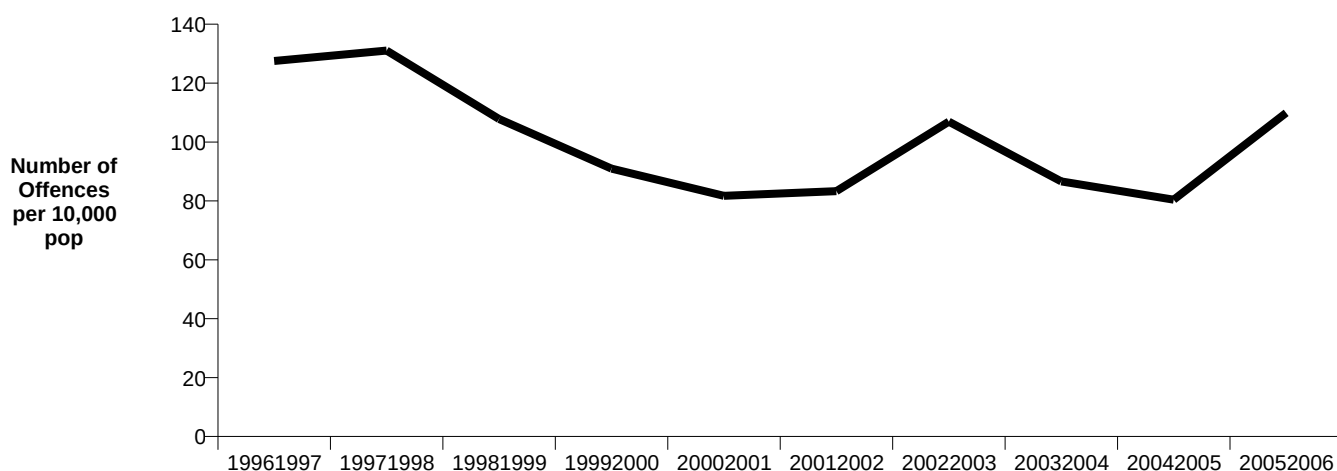


**RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR
SELECTED OFFENCE TYPES
Years ending 30 June**

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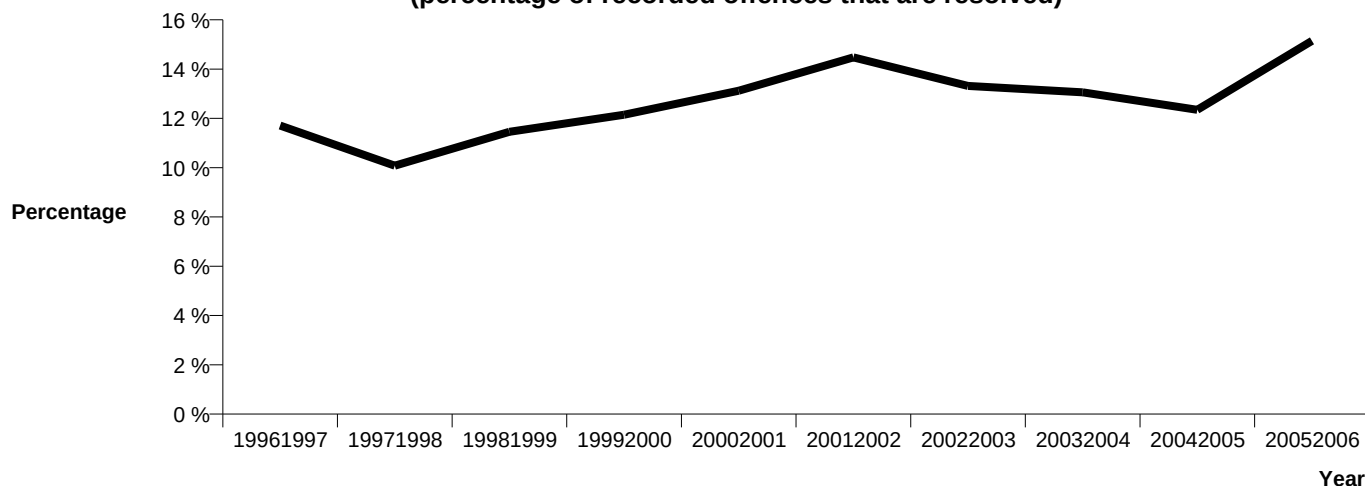
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19961997	4,834		127.5		566	11.7 %	
19971998	5,098	5.5 %	131.1	2.8 %	514	10.1 %	-1.6 %
19981999	4,277	-16.1 %	107.8	-17.7 %	490	11.5 %	1.4 %
19992000	3,655	-14.5 %	91.0	-15.6 %	444	12.1 %	0.7 %
20002001	3,338	-8.7 %	81.7	-10.2 %	438	13.1 %	1.0 %
20012002	3,454	3.5 %	83.3	1.9 %	500	14.5 %	1.4 %
20022003	4,566	32.2 %	106.9	28.3 %	608	13.3 %	-1.2 %
20032004	3,814	-16.5 %	86.6	-19.0 %	498	13.1 %	-0.3 %
20042005	3,612	-5.3 %	80.4	-7.2 %	446	12.3 %	-0.7 %
20052006	5,004	38.5 %	109.9	36.6 %	758	15.1 %	2.8 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



Population Data

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

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

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

Year	Population
19961997	379,095
19971998	389,005
19981999	396,650
19992000	401,690
20002001	408,375
20012002	414,570
20022003	427,125
20032004	440,220
20042005	449,035
20052006	455,355