# COUNTIES/MANUKAU DISTRICT CRIME STATISTICS 2007



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).

Note that the Population Estimates have been revised for 2002 to 2006 as a result of the 2006 Census. In previous reports population estimates were based on the 2001 Census. Crime rates reported in this report for those years may differ from those previously reported as a result.

Legislation changes during 2007 have generally had negligible impact on recorded crime statistics. However, the Crimes (Intimate Covert Filming) Ammendment Act 2006 created new offences within the 'Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous' Class of Sexual offences just prior to 2007, contributing 25 of the 63 additional offences within this Class.

When comparing 2007 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 31 December

Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Violence	Grievous Assaults	714	737	763	3.2 %	3.5 %	589	619	632	82.5 %	84.0 %	82.8 %
	Group Assemblies	36	42	62	16.7 %	47.6 %	24	30	50	66.7 %	71.4 %	80.6 %
-	Homicide	19	27	8	42.1 %	-70.4 %	16	26	8	84.2 %	96.3 %	100.0 %
	Intimidation And Threats	1,665	1,816	2,385	9.1 %	31.3 %	1,239	1,397	1,910	74.4 %	76.9 %	80.1 %
	Kidnapping And Abduction	28	49	39	75.0 %	-20.4 %	13	31	29	46.4 %	63.3 %	74.4 %
	Minor Assaults	1,296	1,212	1,716	-6.5 %	41.6 %	903	835	1,197	69.7 %	68.9 %	69.8 %
	Robbery	426	685	594	60.8 %	-13.3 %	122	259	215	28.6 %	37.8 %	36.2 %
	Serious Assaults	2,582	2,874	3,309	11.3 %	15.1 %	2,060	2,373	2,792	79.8 %	82.6 %	84.4 %
Violence		6,766	7,442	8,876	10.0 %	19.3 %	4,966	5,570	6,833	73.4 %	74.8 %	77.0 %
Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Sexual	Abnormal Sex		2	2		0.0 %		2	2		100.0 %	100.0 %
	Immoral Behaviour	35	52	55	48.6 %	5.8 %	25	37	48	71.4 %	71.2 %	87.3 %
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	5	4	19	-20.0 %	375.0 %	3	0	13	60.0 %	0.0 %	68.4 %
	Sexual Affronts	70	40	47	-42.9 %	17.5 %	43	24	25	61.4 %	60.0 %	53.2 %
	Sexual Attacks	282	422	429	49.6 %	1.7 %	123	260	270	43.6 %	61.6 %	62.9 %
Sexual		392	520	552	32.7 %	6.2 %	194	323	358	49.5 %	62.1 %	64.9 %
Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	1,984	2,235	2,374	12.7 %	6.2 %	1,323	1,657	1,600	66.7 %	74.1 %	67.4 %
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	931	1,083	1,103	16.3 %	1.8 %	832	938	1,043	89.4 %	86.6 %	94.6 %
	Drugs (New Drugs)	282	414	314	46.8 %	-24.2 %	274	371	297	97.2 %	89.6 %	94.6 %
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	509	464	251	-8.8 %	-45.9 %	174	243	234	34.2 %	52.4 %	93.2 %
	Family Offences	63	44	64	-30.2 %	45.5 %	36	23	40	57.1 %	52.3 %	62.5 %
	Family Offences Continued	531	545	590	2.6 %	8.3 %	438	466	501	82.5 %	85.5 %	84.9 %
	Gaming	1			-100.0 %		0			0.0 %		
	Sale Of Liquor Act	111	750	854	575.7 %	13.9 %	106	742	840	95.5 %	98.9 %	98.4 %
	Vagrancy Offences	21	12	11	-42.9 %	-8.3 %	20	12	11	95.2 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
Drugs & AntiSocial		4,433	5,547	5,561	25.1 %	0.3 %	3,203	4,452	4,566	72.3 %	80.3 %	82.1 %

# SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY Years ending 31 December

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Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Dishonesty	Burglary	8,308	9,344	9,030	12.5 %	-3.4 %	827	969	977	10.0 %	10.4 %	10.8 %
	Car Conversion Etc	5,558	6,153	5,301	10.7 %	-13.8 %	896	1,252	1,156	16.1 %	20.3 %	21.8 %
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	39	49	39	25.6 %	-20.4 %	7	14	12	17.9 %	28.6 %	30.8 %
	Fraud	1,028	1,298	1,564	26.3 %	20.5 %	341	468	565	33.2 %	36.1 %	36.1 %
	Receiving	232	566	390	144.0 %	-31.1 %	224	550	377	96.6 %	97.2 %	96.7 %
	Theft	13,154	13,351	11,472	1.5 %	-14.1 %	1,819	1,855	1,966	13.8 %	13.9 %	17.1 %
Dishonesty		28,319	30,761	27,796	8.6 %	-9.6 %	4,114	5,108	5,053	14.5 %	16.6 %	18.2 %
Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	3,910	4,264	4,844	9.1 %	13.6 %	1,264	1,407	1,712	32.3 %	33.0 %	35.3 %
	Endangering	62	72	86	16.1 %	19.4 %	50	58	77	80.6 %	80.6 %	89.5 %
Property Damage		3,972	4,336	4,930	9.2 %	13.7 %	1,314	1,465	1,789	33.1 %	33.8 %	36.3 %
Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Property Abuse	Animals	16	15	9	-6.3 %	-40.0 %	5	6	2	31.3 %	40.0 %	22.2 %
	Arms Act Offences	316	336	248	6.3 %	-26.2 %	247	280	190	78.2 %	83.3 %	76.6 %
	Littering	13	15	14	15.4 %	-6.7 %	9	6	4	69.2 %	40.0 %	28.6 %
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	358	330	313	-7.8 %	-5.2 %	143	109	89	39.9 %	33.0 %	28.4 %
	Trespass	1,506	1,083	1,184	-28.1 %	9.3 %	777	774	796	51.6 %	71.5 %	67.2 %
Property Abuse		2,209	1,779	1,768	-19.5 %	-0.6 %	1,181	1,175	1,081	53.5 %	66.0 %	61.1 %
Offence Category	Offence Class Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
Administrative	Against Justice	1,212	2,369	1,860	95.5 %	-21.5 %	1,012	2,186	1,767	83.5 %	92.3 %	95.0 %
	Against National Interest	3	3	1	0.0 %	-66.7 %	1	1	0	33.3 %	33.3 %	0.0 %
	Births, Deaths And Marriages		2	1		-50.0 %		1	1		50.0 %	100.0 %
	By Law Breaches	256	103	51	-59.8 %	-50.5 %	236	94	33	92.2 %	91.3 %	64.7 %
	Immigration	439	115	30	-73.8 %	-73.9 %	405	90	28	92.3 %	78.3 %	93.3 %
	Justice (Special)	2	72	14	3500.0 %	-80.6 %	2	69	10	100.0 %	95.8 %	71.4 %
Administrative		1,912	2,664	1,957	39.3 %	-26.5 %	1,656	2,441	1,839	86.6 %	91.6 %	94.0 %
TOTAL		48,003	53,049	51,440	10.5 %	-3.0 %	16,628	20,534	21,519	34.6 %	38.7 %	41.8 %

# DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA Years ending 31 December

Area Description	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 por 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007	Percent Variance 05-06	Percent Variance 06-07
CM Central	1,360.1	1,503.4	1,355.7	10.5 %	-9.8 %
CM East	703.5	807.7	799.6	14.8 %	-1.0 %
CM South	1,049.1	1,085.8	986.4	3.5 %	-9.2 %
CM West	1,246.6	1,305.8	1,288.1	4.7 %	-1.4 %
TOTAL	1,036.7	1,120.1	1,063.3	8.0 %	-5.1 %

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

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007
Violence	Grievous Assaults	15.4	15.6	15.8
	Group Assemblies	0.8	0.9	1.3
	Homicide	0.4	0.6	0.2
	Intimidation And Threats	36.0	38.3	49.3
	Kidnapping And Abduction	0.6	1.0	0.8
	Minor Assaults	28.0	25.6	35.5
	Robbery	9.2	14.5	12.3
	Serious Assaults	55.8	60.7	68.4
Violence		146.1	157.1	183.5

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007
Sexual	Abnormal Sex		0.0	0.0
	Immoral Behaviour	0.8	1.1	1.1
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	0.1	0.1	0.4
	Sexual Affronts	1.5	0.8	1.0
	Sexual Attacks	6.1	8.9	8.9
Sexual		8.5	11.0	11.4

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	42.8	47.2	49.1
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	20.1	22.9	22.8
	Drugs (New Drugs)	6.1	8.7	6.5
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	11.0	9.8	5.2
	Family Offences	1.4	0.9	1.3
	Family Offences Continued	11.5	11.5	12.2
	Gaming	0.0		
	Sale Of Liquor Act	2.4	15.8	17.7
	Vagrancy Offences	0.5	0.3	0.2
Drugs & AntiSocial		95.7	117.1	114.9

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

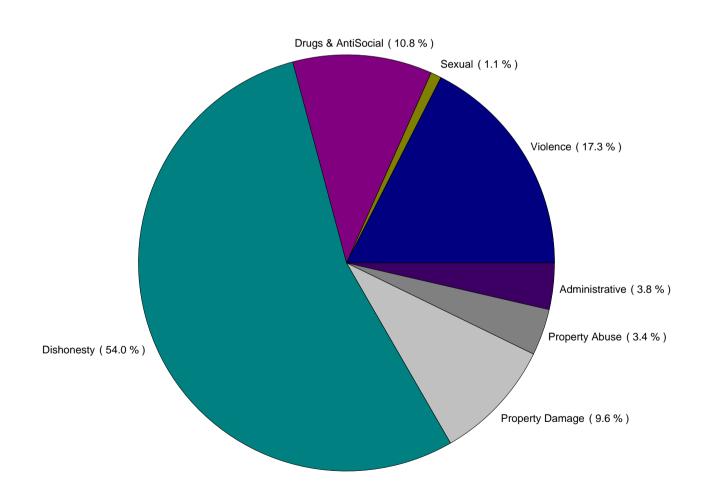
# Years ending 30 June

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Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007								
Dishonesty	Burglary	179.4	197.3	186.7								
*	Car Conversion Etc	120.0	129.9	109.6								
-	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	0.8	1.0	0.8								
•	Fraud	22.2	27.4	32.3								
•	Receiving	5.0	12.0	8.1								
•	Theft	284.1	281.9	237.1								
Dishonesty		611.6	649.5	574.6								
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007								
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	84.4	90.0	100.1								
	Endangering	1.3	1.5	1.8								
Property Damage		85.8	91.6	101.9								
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007								
Property Abuse	Animals	0.3	0.3	0.2								
-	Arms Act Offences	6.8	7.1	5.1								
-	Littering	0.3	0.3	0.3								
-	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	7.7	7.0	6.5								
-	Trespass	32.5	22.9	24.5								
Property Abuse		47.7	37.6	36.5								
Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2007								
Administrative	Against Justice	26.2	50.0	38.4								
-	Against National Interest	0.1	0.1	0.0								
	Births, Deaths And Marriages		0.0	0.0								
	By Law Breaches	5.5	2.2	1.1								
	Immigration	9.5	2.4	0.6								
	Justice (Special)	0.0	1.5	0.3								
Administrative		41.3	56.3	40.5								

# PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORY Years ending 31 December

Offence Category Description	Proportions Recorded 2005	Recorded 2005	Proportions Recorded 2006	Recorded 2006	Proportions Recorded 2007	Recorded 2007
Violence	14.1 %	6,766	14.0 %	7,442	17.3 %	8,876
Sexual	0.8 %	392	1.0 %	520	1.1 %	552
Drugs & AntiSocial	9.2 %	4,433	10.5 %	5,547	10.8 %	5,561
Dishonesty	59.0 %	28,319	58.0 %	30,761	54.0 %	27,796
Property Damage	8.3 %	3,972	8.2 %	4,336	9.6 %	4,930
Property Abuse	4.6 %	2,209	3.4 %	1,779	3.4 %	1,768
Administrative	4.0 %	1,912	5.0 %	2,664	3.8 %	1,957
Total:	100.0 %	48,003	100.00 %	53,049	100.0 %	51,440

# TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2007 (ending 31 December)



# SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY AREA Years ending 31 December

# TOTAL CRIME

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	10,881	12,313	11,320	13.2 %	-8.1 %	3,612	4,740	4,949	33.2 %	38.5 %	43.7 %
CM East	10,979	12,913	13,121	17.6 %	1.6 %	3,113	4,399	4,848	28.4 %	34.1 %	36.9 %
CM South	11,419	12,085	11,196	5.8 %	-7.4 %	4,281	4,923	4,579	37.5 %	40.7 %	40.9 %
CM West	14,724	15,738	15,803	6.9 %	0.4 %	5,622	6,472	7,143	38.2 %	41.1 %	45.2 %
Total:	48,003	53,049	51,440	10.5 %	-3.0 %	16,628	20,534	21,519	34.6 %	38.7 %	41.8 %

# Years ending 31 December

# VIOLENCE

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	1,486	1,723	1,858	15.9 %	7.8 %	1,057	1,240	1,400	71.1 %	72.0 %	75.3 %
CM East	1,226	1,588	1,983	29.5 %	24.9 %	830	1,118	1,374	67.7 %	70.4 %	69.3 %
CM South	1,659	1,696	1,799	2.2 %	6.1 %	1,246	1,311	1,339	75.1 %	77.3 %	74.4 %
CM West	2,395	2,435	3,236	1.7 %	32.9 %	1,833	1,901	2,720	76.5 %	78.1 %	84.1 %
Total:	6,766	7,442	8,876	10.0 %	19.3 %	4,966	5,570	6,833	73.4 %	74.8 %	77.0 %

# Years ending 31 December

# SEXUAL

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	73	99	90	35.6 %	-9.1 %	34	64	58	46.6 %	64.6 %	64.4 %
CM East	94	95	130	1.1 %	36.8 %	53	48	81	56.4 %	50.5 %	62.3 %
CM South	106	199	122	87.7 %	-38.7 %	50	148	70	47.2 %	74.4 %	57.4 %
CM West	119	127	210	6.7 %	65.4 %	57	63	149	47.9 %	49.6 %	71.0 %
Total:	392	520	552	32.7 %	6.2 %	194	323	358	49.5 %	62.1 %	64.9 %

# Years ending 31 December

# DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	903	1,089	993	20.6 %	-8.8 %	659	870	815	73.0 %	79.9 %	82.1 %
CM East	785	1,107	1,615	41.0 %	45.9 %	608	866	1,218	77.5 %	78.2 %	75.4 %
CM South	1,088	1,194	1,284	9.7 %	7.5 %	839	940	992	77.1 %	78.7 %	77.3 %
CM West	1,657	2,157	1,669	30.2 %	-22.6 %	1,097	1,776	1,541	66.2 %	82.3 %	92.3 %
Total:	4,433	5,547	5,561	25.1 %	0.3 %	3,203	4,452	4,566	72.3 %	80.3 %	82.1 %

# Years ending 31 December

# DISHONESTY

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	6,780	7,345	6,275	8.3 %	-14.6 %	1,043	1,221	1,329	15.4 %	16.6 %	21.2 %
CM East	7,220	8,095	7,342	12.1 %	-9.3 %	918	1,277	1,198	12.7 %	15.8 %	16.3 %
CM South	6,339	6,588	5,773	3.9 %	-12.4 %	1,063	1,343	1,152	16.8 %	20.4 %	20.0 %
CM West	7,980	8,733	8,406	9.4 %	-3.7 %	1,090	1,267	1,374	13.7 %	14.5 %	16.3 %
Total:	28,319	30,761	27,796	8.6 %	-9.6 %	4,114	5,108	5,053	14.5 %	16.6 %	18.2 %

# Years ending 31 December

# PROPERTY DAMAGE

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	778	832	982	6.9 %	18.0 %	238	282	370	30.6 %	33.9 %	37.7 %
CM East	1,000	1,095	1,232	9.5 %	12.5 %	263	333	396	26.3 %	30.4 %	32.1 %
CM South	1,149	1,315	1,391	14.4 %	5.8 %	437	432	460	38.0 %	32.9 %	33.1 %
CM West	1,045	1,094	1,325	4.7 %	21.1 %	376	418	563	36.0 %	38.2 %	42.5 %
Total:	3,972	4,336	4,930	9.2 %	13.7 %	1,314	1,465	1,789	33.1 %	33.8 %	36.3 %

# Years ending 31 December

# PROPERTY ABUSE

Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	478	401	382	-16.1 %	-4.7 %	230	255	252	48.1 %	63.6 %	66.0 %
CM East	421	425	478	1.0 %	12.5 %	258	280	266	61.3 %	65.9 %	55.6 %
CM South	673	556	452	-17.4 %	-18.7 %	374	349	245	55.6 %	62.8 %	54.2 %
CM West	637	397	456	-37.7 %	14.9 %	319	291	318	50.1 %	73.3 %	69.7 %
Total:	2,209	1,779	1,768	-19.5 %	-0.6 %	1,181	1,175	1,081	53.5 %	66.0 %	61.1 %

# Years ending 31 December

# ADMINISTRATIVE

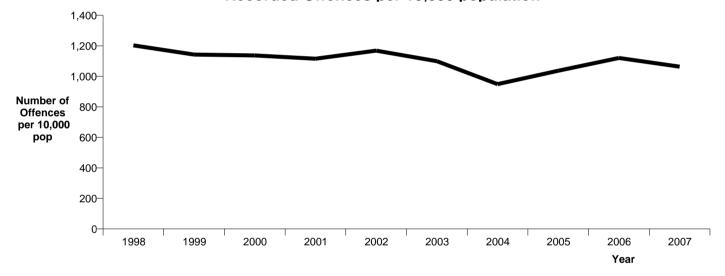
Area Description	Recorded 2005	Recorded 2006	Recorded 2007	Variance 05-06	Variance 06-07	Resolved 2005	Resolved 2006	Resolved 2007	Percent Resolved 2005	Percent Resolved 2006	Percent Resolved 2007
CM Central	383	824	740	115.1 %	-10.2 %	351	808	725	91.6 %	98.1 %	98.0 %
CM East	233	508	341	118.0 %	-32.9 %	183	477	315	78.5 %	93.9 %	92.4 %
CM South	405	537	375	32.6 %	-30.2 %	272	400	321	67.2 %	74.5 %	85.6 %
CM West	891	795	501	-10.8 %	-37.0 %	850	756	478	95.4 %	95.1 %	95.4 %
Total:	1,912	2,664	1,957	39.3 %	-26.5 %	1,656	2,441	1,839	86.6 %	91.6 %	94.0 %

# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES Years ending 31 December

#### **TOTAL CRIME**

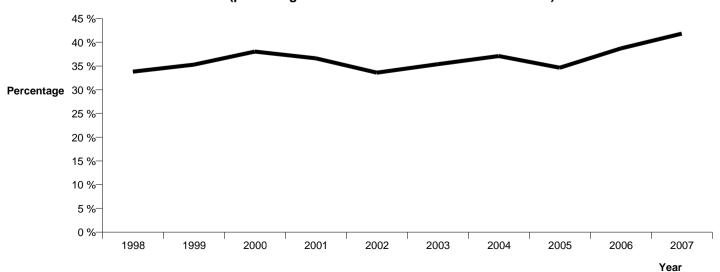
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	47,202		1,202.8		15,961	33.8 %	
1999	45,551	-3.5 %	1,142.7	-5.0 %	16,078	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 %	1,168.6	4.7 %	16,696	33.6 %	-3.0 %
2003	48,381	-2.6 %	1,099.3	-5.9 %	17,123	35.4 %	1.8 %
2004	42,937	-11.3 %	948.9	-13.7 %	15,932	37.1 %	1.7 %
2005	48,003	11.8 %	1,036.7	9.3 %	16,628	34.6 %	-2.5 %
2006	53,049	10.5 %	1,120.1	8.0 %	20,534	38.7 %	4.1 %
2007	51,440	-3.0 %	1,063.3	-5.1 %	21,519	41.8 %	3.1 %

#### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

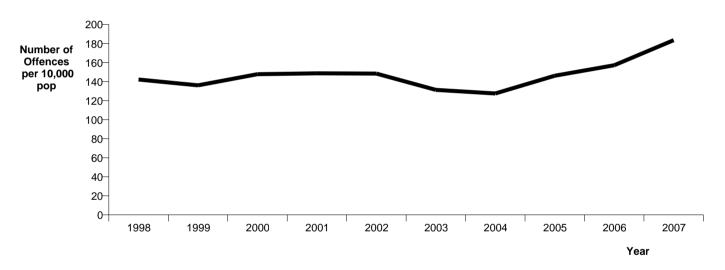


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### **VIOLENCE**

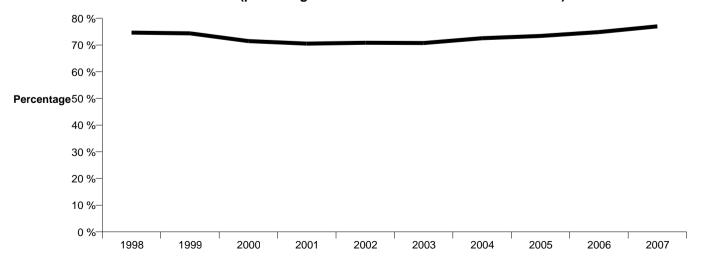
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	5,577		142.1		4,163	74.6 %	
1999	5,423	-2.8 %	136.0	-4.3 %	4,033	74.4 %	-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 %	148.4	-0.2 %	4,470	70.8 %	0.3 %
2003	5,778	-8.4 %	131.3	-11.5 %	4,087	70.7 %	-0.1 %
2004	5,767	-0.2 %	127.5	-2.9 %	4,183	72.5 %	1.8 %
2005	6,766	17.3 %	146.1	14.7 %	4,966	73.4 %	0.9 %
2006	7,442	10.0 %	157.1	7.5 %	5,570	74.8 %	1.4 %
2007	8,876	19.3 %	183.5	16.8 %	6,833	77.0 %	2.1 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

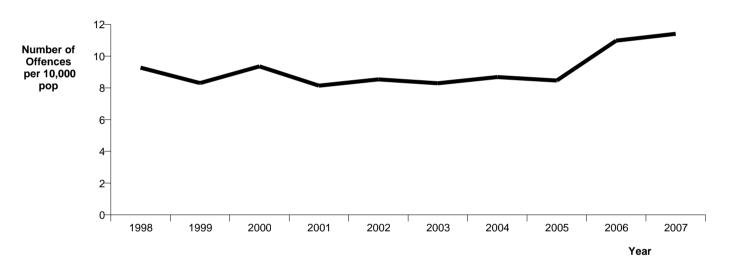


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### **SEXUAL**

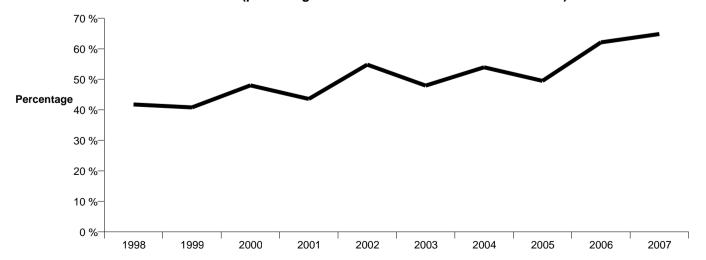
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1998	364		9.3		152	41.8 %	
1999	331	-9.1 %	8.3	-10.5 %	135	40.8 %	-1.0 %
2000	379	14.5 %	9.4	12.7 %	182	48.0 %	7.2 %
2001	335	-11.6 %	8.1	-13.0 %	146	43.6 %	-4.4 %
2002	363	8.4 %	8.5	4.8 %	199	54.8 %	11.2 %
2003	365	0.6 %	8.3	-2.9 %	175	47.9 %	-6.9 %
2004	393	7.7 %	8.7	4.7 %	212	53.9 %	6.0 %
2005	392	-0.3 %	8.5	-2.5 %	194	49.5 %	-4.5 %
2006	520	32.7 %	11.0	29.7 %	323	62.1 %	12.6 %
2007	552	6.2 %	11.4	3.9 %	358	64.9 %	2.7 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

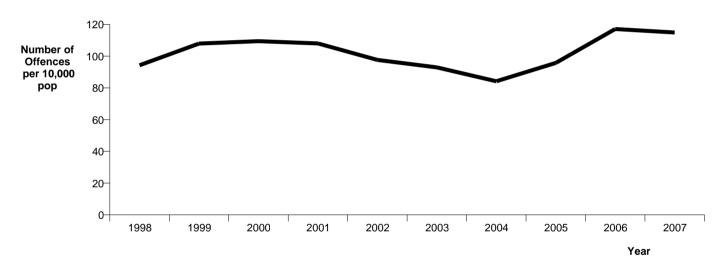


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### **DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL**

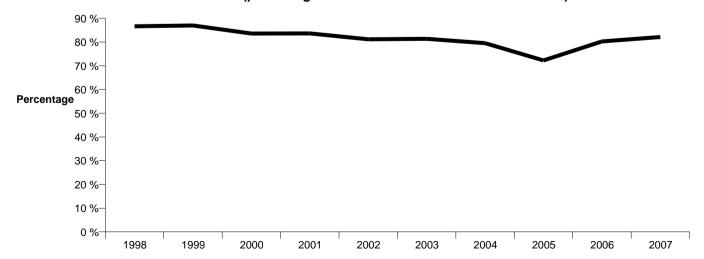
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	3,700		94.3		3,206	86.6 %	
1999	4,303	16.3 %	108.0	14.5 %	3,743	87.0 %	0.3 %
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 %	97.6	-9.6 %	3,370	81.2 %	-2.5 %
2003	4,091	-1.5 %	93.0	-4.8 %	3,328	81.3 %	0.2 %
2004	3,809	-6.9 %	84.2	-9.4 %	3,029	79.5 %	-1.8 %
2005	4,433	16.4 %	95.7	13.7 %	3,203	72.3 %	-7.3 %
2006	5,547	25.1 %	117.1	22.3 %	4,452	80.3 %	8.0 %
2007	5,561	0.3 %	114.9	-1.9 %	4,566	82.1 %	1.8 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

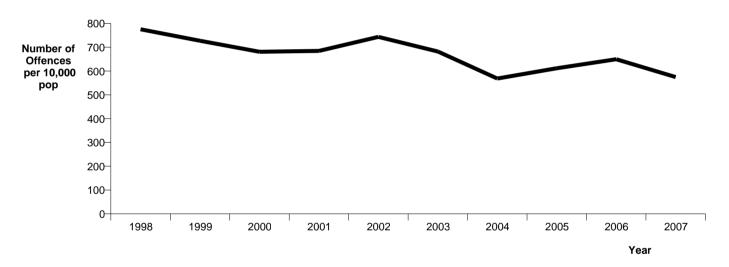


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### DISHONESTY

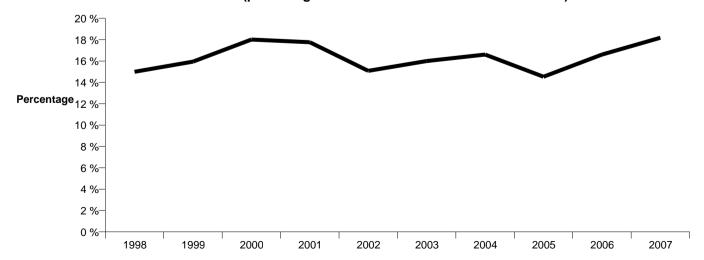
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	30,431		775.4		4,562	15.0 %	
1999	28,983	-4.8 %	727.1	-6.2 %	4,620	15.9 %	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 %	743.5	8.6 %	4,767	15.1 %	-2.7 %
2003	30,024	-5.0 %	682.2	-8.2 %	4,804	16.0 %	0.9 %
2004	25,722	-14.3 %	568.5	-16.7 %	4,271	16.6 %	0.6 %
2005	28,319	10.1 %	611.6	7.6 %	4,114	14.5 %	-2.1 %
2006	30,761	8.6 %	649.5	6.2 %	5,108	16.6 %	2.1 %
2007	27,796	-9.6 %	574.6	-11.5 %	5,053	18.2 %	1.6 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

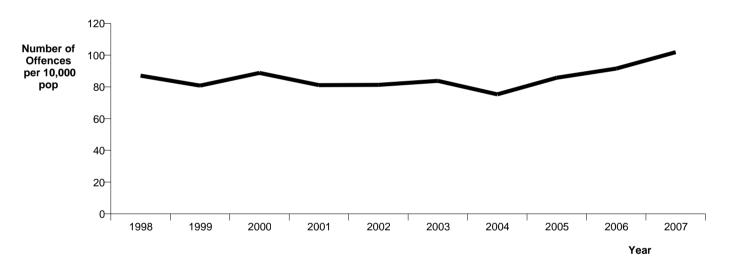


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### PROPERTY DAMAGE

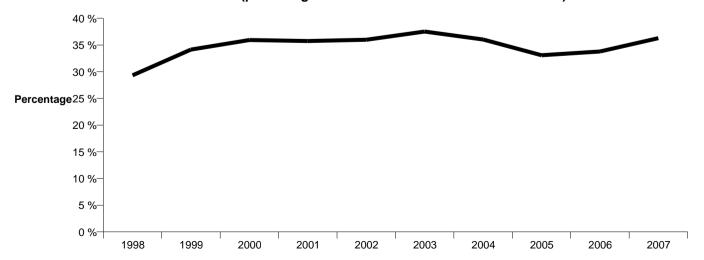
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	3,417		87.1		1,002	29.3 %	
1999	3,222	-5.7 %	80.8	-7.2 %	1,100	34.1 %	4.8 %
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 %	81.3	0.2 %	1,244	36.0 %	0.2 %
2003	3,689	6.7 %	83.8	3.1 %	1,384	37.5 %	1.5 %
2004	3,408	-7.6 %	75.3	-10.1 %	1,228	36.0 %	-1.5 %
2005	3,972	16.5 %	85.8	13.9 %	1,314	33.1 %	-3.0 %
2006	4,336	9.2 %	91.6	6.7 %	1,465	33.8 %	0.7 %
2007	4,930	13.7 %	101.9	11.3 %	1,789	36.3 %	2.5 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

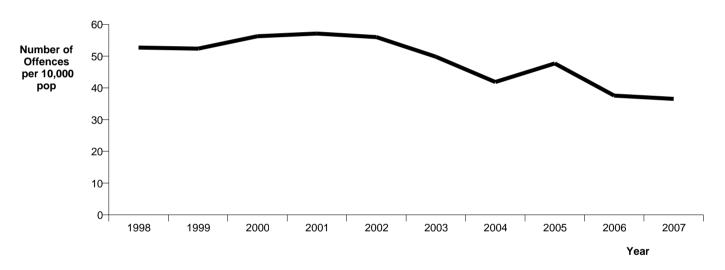


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### PROPERTY ABUSE

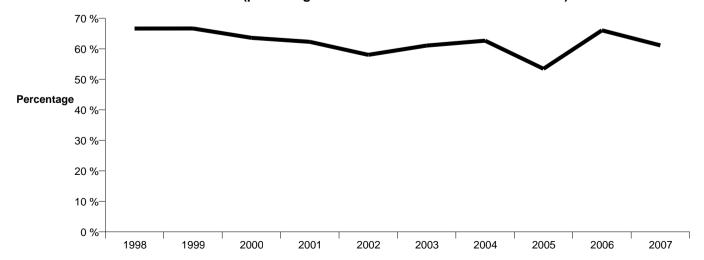
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	2,069		52.7		1,379	66.7 %	
1999	2,088	0.9 %	52.4	-0.6 %	1,392	66.7 %	0.0 %
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 %	56.0	-1.9 %	1,382	58.0 %	-4.3 %
2003	2,193	-7.9 %	49.8	-11.1 %	1,339	61.1 %	3.0 %
2004	1,894	-13.6 %	41.9	-16.0 %	1,187	62.7 %	1.6 %
2005	2,209	16.6 %	47.7	14.0 %	1,181	53.5 %	-9.2 %
2006	1,779	-19.5 %	37.6	-21.3 %	1,175	66.0 %	12.6 %
2007	1,768	-0.6 %	36.5	-2.7 %	1,081	61.1 %	-4.9 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

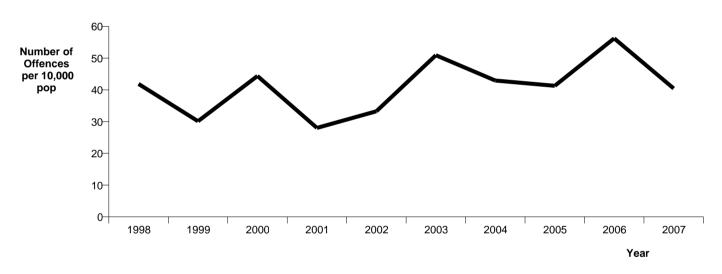


#### Years ending 31 December

### **ADMINISTRATIVE**

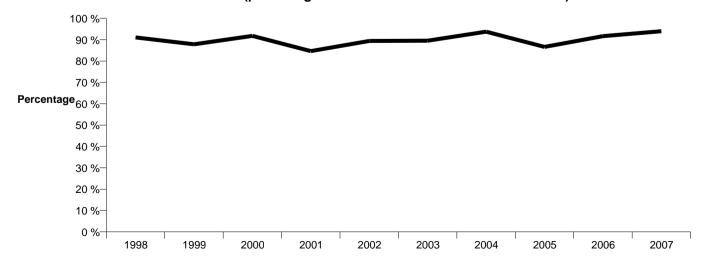
Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	1,644		41.9		1,497	91.1 %	
1999	1,201	-26.9 %	30.1	-28.1 %	1,055	87.8 %	-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 %	33.3	18.7 %	1,264	89.4 %	4.7 %
2003	2,241	58.5 %	50.9	53.1 %	2,006	89.5 %	0.1 %
2004	1,944	-13.3 %	43.0	-15.6 %	1,822	93.7 %	4.2 %
2005	1,912	-1.6 %	41.3	-3.9 %	1,656	86.6 %	-7.1 %
2006	2,664	39.3 %	56.3	36.2 %	2,441	91.6 %	5.0 %
2007	1,957	-26.5 %	40.5	-28.1 %	1,839	94.0 %	2.3 %

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



#### **Resolution Rate**

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



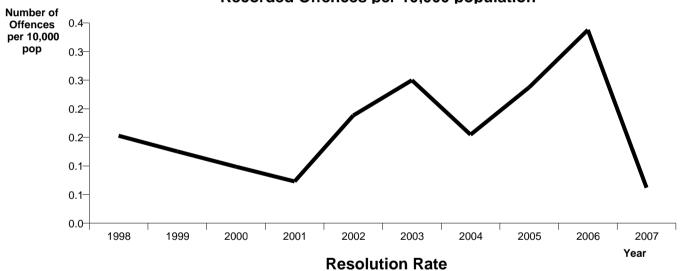
# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES FOR SELECTED OFFENCES

Years ending 31 December

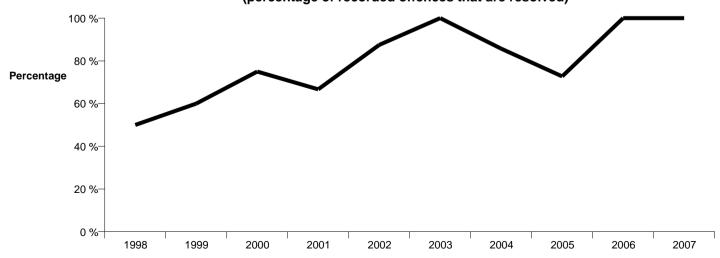
#### MURDER \*

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
1998	6		0.2		3	50.0 %	
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	158.0 %	7	87.5 %	20.8 %
2003	11	37.5 %	0.2	32.8 %	11	100.0 %	12.5 %
2004	7	-36.4 %	0.2	-38.1 %	6	85.7 %	-14.3 %
2005	11	57.1 %	0.2	53.6 %	8	72.7 %	-13.0 %
2006	16	45.5 %	0.3	42.2 %	16	100.0 %	27.3 %
2007	3	-81.3 %	0.1	-81.6 %	3	100.0 %	0.0 %

#### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



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

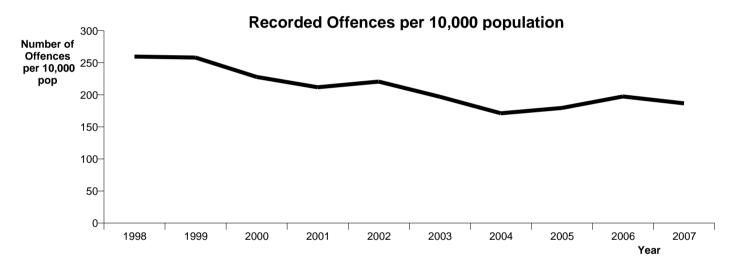


<sup>\*</sup> Note that 'Murder' is a sub-class of the Police offence class 'Homicide'.

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

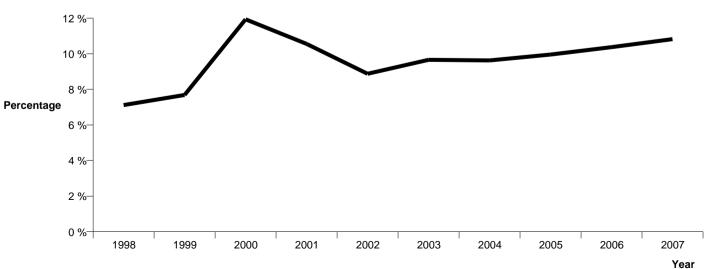
#### **BURGLARY**

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
1998	10,185		259.5		725	7.1 %	
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 %	220.5	4.2 %	832	8.9 %	-1.7 %
2003	8,666	-7.6 %	196.9	-10.7 %	837	9.7 %	0.8 %
2004	7,740	-10.7 %	171.1	-13.1 %	745	9.6 %	-0.0 %
2005	8,308	7.3 %	179.4	4.9 %	827	10.0 %	0.3 %
2006	9,344	12.5 %	197.3	10.0 %	969	10.4 %	0.4 %
2007	9,030	-3.4 %	186.7	-5.4 %	977	10.8 %	0.4 %



#### **Resolution Rate**

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

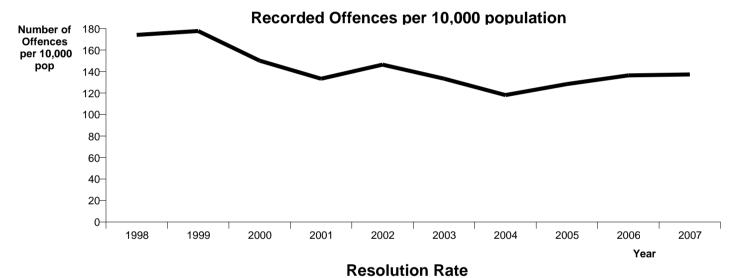


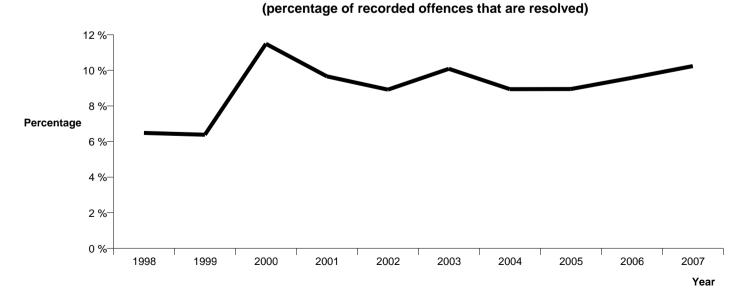
# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES FOR SELECTED OFFENCES

Years ending 31 December

### **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
1998	6,832		174.1		443	6.5 %	_
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 %	146.4	9.8 %	555	8.9 %	-0.7 %
2003	5,869	-5.7 %	133.3	-8.9 %	592	10.1 %	1.2 %
2004	5,344	-8.9 %	118.1	-11.4 %	478	8.9 %	-1.1 %
2005	5,943	11.2 %	128.4	8.7 %	532	9.0 %	0.0 %
2006	6,461	8.7 %	136.4	6.3 %	619	9.6 %	0.6 %
2007	6,640	2.8 %	137.3	0.6 %	680	10.2 %	0.7 %



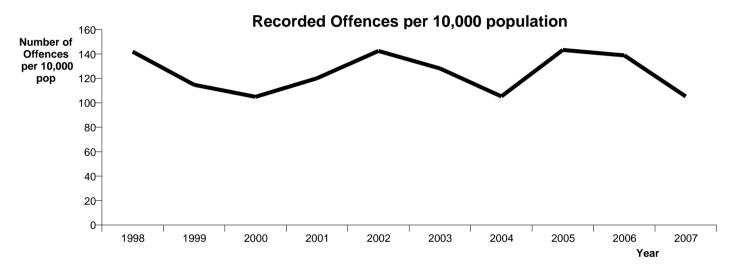


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Years ending 31 December

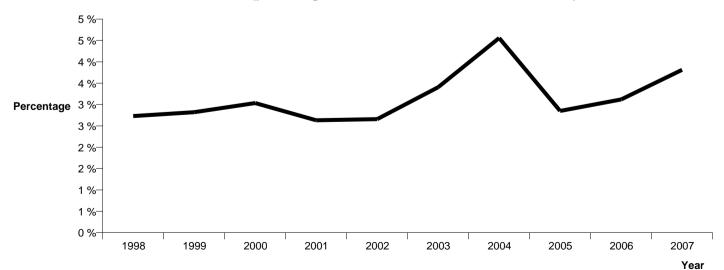
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Calendar Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Variation In Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation In Resolution Rate
1998	5,569		141.9		152	2.7 %	
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 %	142.5	18.6 %	161	2.7 %	0.0 %
2003	5,639	-6.9 %	128.1	-10.1 %	192	3.4 %	0.7 %
2004	4,762	-15.6 %	105.2	-17.9 %	217	4.6 %	1.2 %
2005	6,633	39.3 %	143.3	36.1 %	189	2.8 %	-1.7 %
2006	6,575	-0.9 %	138.8	-3.1 %	205	3.1 %	0.3 %
2007	5,090	-22.6 %	105.2	-24.2 %	194	3.8 %	0.7 %



#### **Resolution Rate**

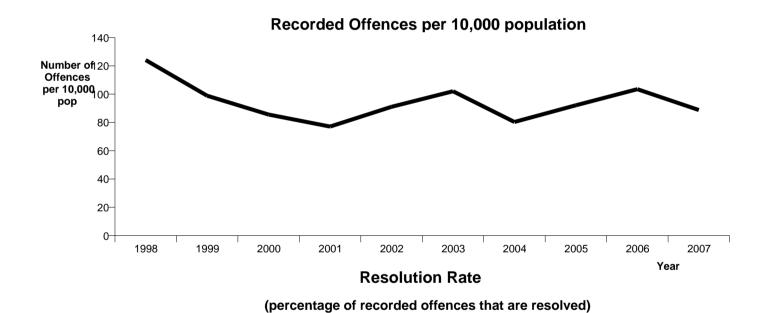
#### (percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

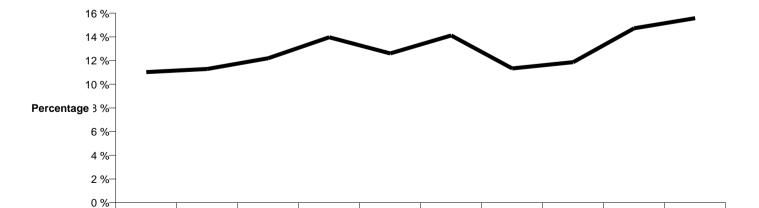


# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES FOR SELECTED OFFENCES Years ending 31 December

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

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
1998	4,871		124.1		537	11.0 %	
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 %	91.1	18.1 %	488	12.6 %	-1.4 %
2003	4,492	16.0 %	102.1	12.1 %	634	14.1 %	1.5 %
2004	3,635	-19.1 %	80.3	-21.3 %	412	11.3 %	-2.8 %
2005	4,266	17.4 %	92.1	14.7 %	506	11.9 %	0.5 %
2006	4,903	14.9 %	103.5	12.4 %	722	14.7 %	2.9 %
2007	4,296	-12.4 %	88.8	-14.2 %	669	15.6 %	0.8 %





#### **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.

Note that 2002-2007 estimates are based on the 2001 and 2006 Census data. Estimates have been revised since the previous publication of this report.

Year	Population
1998	392,450
1999	398,610
2000	405,120
2001	411,420
2002	425,200
2003	440,120
2004	452,480
2005	463,020
2006	473,590
2007	483,780