

# **EASTERN DISTRICT CRIME STATISTICS 2011**



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

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## **REPORT NOTES:**

Statistics reported in this document are derived from the Police National Intelligence Application (NIA). These Official Statistics for Recorded and Resolved Offences present a snapshot of data in NIA relating to offences that occur within a given year, as at the date 14 days following the end of that year.

Unless the matter is minor where Police attendance is sufficient, a matter that is reported to or discovered by Police where Police believe an offence is likely to have been committed is counted as a recorded offence.

A recorded offence is counted as resolved when Police apprehend an offender and decide how to deal with him/her. (E.g. warn, prosecute, etc.)

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

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

When comparing 2011 Statistics with previous years, the reader should also refer to "Report Notes" published in previous years' reports, as previous changes significantly affect year on year trends.

# SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY DIVISION

## Years ending 31 December

### HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
ATTEMPTED MURDER	5	1	1	-80.0 %	0.0 %	5	1	1	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	0	0	1	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
MANSLAUGHTER AND DRIVING CAUSING DEATH	4	2	2	-50.0 %	0.0 %	4	2	1	100.0 %	100.0 %	50.0 %
MURDER	9	2	3	-77.8 %	50.0 %	9	2	3	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-72.2 %</b>	<b>40.0 %</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>71.4 %</b>

### ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
ASSAULT	3,353	3,428	3,426	2.2 %	-0.1 %	2,607	2,809	2,816	77.8 %	81.9 %	82.2 %
OTHER ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	1	2	5	100.0 %	150.0 %	1	2	1	100.0 %	100.0 %	20.0 %
	<b>3,354</b>	<b>3,430</b>	<b>3,431</b>	<b>2.3 %</b>	<b>0.0 %</b>	<b>2,608</b>	<b>2,811</b>	<b>2,817</b>	<b>77.8 %</b>	<b>82.0 %</b>	<b>82.1 %</b>

### SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
NON-ASSAULTIVE SEXUAL OFFENCES	9	5	7	-44.4 %	40.0 %	8	3	3	88.9 %	60.0 %	42.9 %
SEXUAL ASSAULT	125	182	225	45.6 %	23.6 %	54	101	102	43.2 %	55.5 %	45.3 %
	<b>134</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>39.6 %</b>	<b>24.1 %</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>46.3 %</b>	<b>55.6 %</b>	<b>45.3 %</b>

### DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
OTHER DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	58	67	72	15.5 %	7.5 %	31	40	36	53.4 %	59.7 %	50.0 %
	<b>58</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>15.5 %</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>53.4 %</b>	<b>59.7 %</b>	<b>50.0 %</b>

### ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
ABDUCTION AND KIDNAPPING	17	13	40	-23.5 %	207.7 %	11	11	21	64.7 %	84.6 %	52.5 %
HARASSMENT AND THREATENING BEHAVIOUR	770	912	971	18.4 %	6.5 %	503	687	718	65.3 %	75.3 %	73.9 %
	<b>787</b>	<b>925</b>	<b>1,011</b>	<b>17.5 %</b>	<b>9.3 %</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>739</b>	<b>65.3 %</b>	<b>75.5 %</b>	<b>73.1 %</b>

### ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
BLACKMAIL AND EXTORTION	4	8	13	100.0 %	62.5 %	2	4	9	50.0 %	50.0 %	69.2 %
ROBBERY	129	156	129	20.9 %	-17.3 %	54	64	58	41.9 %	41.0 %	45.0 %
	<b>133</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>23.3 %</b>	<b>-13.4 %</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>42.1 %</b>	<b>41.5 %</b>	<b>47.2 %</b>

### UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	3,313	3,922	3,890	18.4 %	-0.8 %	702	697	665	21.2 %	17.8 %	17.1 %
	<b>3,313</b>	<b>3,922</b>	<b>3,890</b>	<b>18.4 %</b>	<b>-0.8 %</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>21.2 %</b>	<b>17.8 %</b>	<b>17.1 %</b>

# SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY DIVISION

## Years ending 31 December

### THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
ILLEGAL USE OF PROPERTY (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	351	388	344	10.5 %	-11.3 %	18	25	23	5.1 %	6.4 %	6.7 %
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	2,649	2,246	2,398	-15.2 %	6.8 %	498	311	387	18.8 %	13.8 %	16.1 %
RECEIVE OR HANDLE PROCEEDS OF CRIME	119	147	163	23.5 %	10.9 %	114	141	158	95.8 %	95.9 %	96.9 %
THEFT (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	3,956	4,040	3,737	2.1 %	-7.5 %	1,591	1,665	1,502	40.2 %	41.2 %	40.2 %
	<b>7,075</b>	<b>6,821</b>	<b>6,642</b>	<b>-3.6 %</b>	<b>-2.6 %</b>	<b>2,221</b>	<b>2,142</b>	<b>2,070</b>	<b>31.4 %</b>	<b>31.4 %</b>	<b>31.2 %</b>

### FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
DECEPTIVE BUSINESS/GOVERNMENT PRACTICES	3	2	1	-33.3 %	-50.0 %	3	1	0	100.0 %	50.0 %	0.0 %
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING	40	25	21	-37.5 %	-16.0 %	15	12	8	37.5 %	48.0 %	38.1 %
OBTAIN BENEFIT BY DECEPTION	465	414	353	-11.0 %	-14.7 %	291	279	201	62.6 %	67.4 %	56.9 %
OTHER FRAUD AND DECEPTION OFFENCES	27	29	35	7.4 %	20.7 %	15	22	14	55.6 %	75.9 %	40.0 %
	<b>535</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>-12.1 %</b>	<b>-12.8 %</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>60.6 %</b>	<b>66.8 %</b>	<b>54.4 %</b>

### ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
DEAL OR TRAFFIC IN ILLICIT DRUGS	201	99	179	-50.7 %	80.8 %	184	91	171	91.5 %	91.9 %	95.5 %
IMPORT OR EXPORT ILLICIT DRUGS	12	0	2	-100.0 %	0.0 %	12	0	0	100.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
MANUFACTURE OR CULTIVATE ILLICIT DRUGS	456	326	422	-28.5 %	29.4 %	238	156	215	52.2 %	47.9 %	50.9 %
OTHER ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	297	200	275	-32.7 %	37.5 %	286	192	263	96.3 %	96.0 %	95.6 %
POSSESS AND/OR USE ILLICIT DRUGS	629	534	501	-15.1 %	-6.2 %	585	484	467	93.0 %	90.6 %	93.2 %
	<b>1,595</b>	<b>1,159</b>	<b>1,379</b>	<b>-27.3 %</b>	<b>19.0 %</b>	<b>1,305</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>81.8 %</b>	<b>79.6 %</b>	<b>80.9 %</b>

### PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
REGULATED WEAPONS/EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	541	541	497	0.0 %	-8.1 %	468	485	433	86.5 %	89.6 %	87.1 %
	<b>541</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>0.0 %</b>	<b>-8.1 %</b>	<b>468</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>86.5 %</b>	<b>89.6 %</b>	<b>87.1 %</b>

### PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	17	13	8	-23.5 %	-38.5 %	9	5	3	52.9 %	38.5 %	37.5 %
PROPERTY DAMAGE	3,340	3,536	3,073	5.9 %	-13.1 %	1,082	1,188	1,176	32.4 %	33.6 %	38.3 %
	<b>3,357</b>	<b>3,549</b>	<b>3,081</b>	<b>5.7 %</b>	<b>-13.2 %</b>	<b>1,091</b>	<b>1,193</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>32.5 %</b>	<b>33.6 %</b>	<b>38.3 %</b>

### PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	2,151	2,322	2,218	7.9 %	-4.5 %	1,808	1,965	1,860	84.1 %	84.6 %	83.9 %
OFFENSIVE CONDUCT	176	157	109	-10.8 %	-30.6 %	124	102	76	70.5 %	65.0 %	69.7 %
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
REGULATED PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	1,133	601	712	-47.0 %	18.5 %	1,074	558	686	94.8 %	92.8 %	96.3 %
	<b>3,460</b>	<b>3,080</b>	<b>3,039</b>	<b>-11.0 %</b>	<b>-1.3 %</b>	<b>3,006</b>	<b>2,625</b>	<b>2,622</b>	<b>86.9 %</b>	<b>85.2 %</b>	<b>86.3 %</b>

**SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY DIVISION**  
**Years ending 31 December**

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

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
BREACH OF COMMUNITY-BASED ORDER	111	143	132	28.8 %	-7.7 %	108	137	126	97.3 %	95.8 %	95.5 %
BREACH OF CUSTODIAL ORDER OFFENCES	38	38	37	0.0 %	-2.6 %	33	36	36	86.8 %	94.7 %	97.3 %
BREACH OF VIOLENCE AND NON-VIOLENCE RESTRAINING ORDERS	416	610	630	46.6 %	3.3 %	350	512	556	84.1 %	83.9 %	88.3 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	15	12	16	-20.0 %	33.3 %	5	9	11	33.3 %	75.0 %	68.8 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT SECURITY	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES	404	356	314	-11.9 %	-11.8 %	391	349	308	96.8 %	98.0 %	98.1 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS NOT FURTHER DEFINED	0	2	2	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	1	2	0.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
	<b>984</b>	<b>1,161</b>	<b>1,131</b>	<b>18.0 %</b>	<b>-2.6 %</b>	<b>887</b>	<b>1,044</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>90.1 %</b>	<b>89.9 %</b>	<b>91.9 %</b>

**MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES**

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2009	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2009-2010	Variance 2010-2011	Resolved 2009	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2009	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRY/FINANCIAL REGULATION	1	0	3	-100.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	3	0.0 %	0.0 %	100.0 %
DEFAMATION, LIBEL AND PRIVACY OFFENCES	12	6	4	-50.0 %	-33.3 %	7	5	0	58.3 %	83.3 %	0.0 %
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	68	75	85	10.3 %	13.3 %	44	46	54	64.7 %	61.3 %	63.5 %
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFENCES	4	4	2	0.0 %	-50.0 %	1	2	2	25.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
	<b>85</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>0.0 %</b>	<b>10.6 %</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>61.2 %</b>	<b>62.4 %</b>	<b>62.8 %</b>

<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25,429</b>	<b>25,566</b>	<b>25,058</b>	<b>0.5 %</b>	<b>-2.0 %</b>	<b>13,345</b>	<b>13,202</b>	<b>13,175</b>	<b>52.5 %</b>	<b>51.6 %</b>	<b>52.6 %</b>
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# PROPORTIONS OF RECORDED CRIME BY DIVISION

Years ending 31 December

ASOC Division Description	Proportions Recorded 2009	Recorded 2009	Proportions Recorded 2010	Recorded 2010	Proportions Recorded 2011	Recorded 2011
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.07 %	18	0.02 %	5	0.03 %	7
ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	13.19 %	3,354	13.42 %	3,430	13.69 %	3,431
SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.53 %	134	0.73 %	187	0.93 %	232
DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	0.23 %	58	0.26 %	67	0.29 %	72
ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON	3.09 %	787	3.62 %	925	4.03 %	1,011
ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.52 %	133	0.64 %	164	0.57 %	142
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	13.03 %	3,313	15.34 %	3,922	15.52 %	3,890
THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	27.82 %	7,075	26.68 %	6,821	26.51 %	6,642
FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	2.10 %	535	1.84 %	470	1.64 %	410
ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	6.27 %	1,595	4.53 %	1,159	5.50 %	1,379
PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	2.13 %	541	2.12 %	541	1.98 %	497
PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	13.20 %	3,357	13.88 %	3,549	12.30 %	3,081
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	13.61 %	3,460	12.05 %	3,080	12.13 %	3,039
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	3.87 %	984	4.54 %	1,161	4.51 %	1,131
MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	0.33 %	85	0.33 %	85	0.38 %	94
	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>25,429</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>25,566</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	<b>25,058</b>

**SUMMARY OF RECORDED OFFENCES, RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLVED OFFENCES, BY AREA**  
**years ending 31 December**

**TOTAL CRIME**

<b>Area Description</b>	<b>Recorded 2010</b>	<b>Recorded 2011</b>	<b>Variance 2010-2011</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010</b>	<b>Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011</b>	<b>Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011</b>	<b>Resolved 2010</b>	<b>Resolved 2011</b>	<b>Resolution Rate 2010</b>	<b>Resolution Rate 2011</b>
Gisborne	8,258	8,546	3.5 %	1,500.1	1,552.7	3.5 %	4,554	4,814	55.1 %	56.3 %
Hastings	9,386	8,865	-5.6 %	1,139.1	1,070.0	-6.1 %	4,958	4,612	52.8 %	52.0 %
Napier	7,922	7,647	-3.5 %	1,242.3	1,197.3	-3.6 %	3,690	3,749	46.6 %	49.0 %
	<b>25,566</b>	<b>25,058</b>	<b>-2.0 %</b>	<b>1,270.5</b>	<b>1,242.0</b>	<b>-2.2 %</b>	<b>13,202</b>	<b>13,175</b>	<b>51.6 %</b>	<b>52.6 %</b>



# SUMMARY OF RECORDED OFFENCES, RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLVED OFFENCES, BY DIVISION

Years ending 31 December

## HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	2	2	0.0 %	0.4	0.4	0.0 %	2	1	100.0 %	50.0 %
Hastings	2	5	150.0 %	0.2	0.6	148.6 %	2	4	100.0 %	80.0 %
Napier	1	0	-100.0 %	0.2	0.0	-100.0 %	1	0	100.0 %	0.0 %
	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>40.0 %</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>39.6 %</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>100.0 %</b>	<b>71.4 %</b>

## ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	1,294	1,343	3.8 %	235.1	244.0	3.8 %	1,139	1,170	88.0 %	87.1 %
Hastings	1,104	1,119	1.4 %	134.0	135.1	0.8 %	944	916	85.5 %	81.9 %
Napier	1,032	969	-6.1 %	161.8	151.7	-6.3 %	728	731	70.5 %	75.4 %
	<b>3,430</b>	<b>3,431</b>	<b>0.0 %</b>	<b>170.5</b>	<b>170.1</b>	<b>-0.2 %</b>	<b>2,811</b>	<b>2,817</b>	<b>82.0 %</b>	<b>82.1 %</b>

## SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	47	80	70.2 %	8.5	14.5	70.2 %	28	34	59.6 %	42.5 %
Hastings	85	83	-2.4 %	10.3	10.0	-2.9 %	41	37	48.2 %	44.6 %
Napier	55	69	25.5 %	8.6	10.8	25.3 %	35	34	63.6 %	49.3 %
	<b>187</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>24.1 %</b>	<b>9.3</b>	<b>11.5</b>	<b>23.7 %</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>55.6 %</b>	<b>45.3 %</b>

## DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	16	27	68.8 %	2.9	4.9	68.8 %	11	13	68.8 %	48.1 %
Hastings	24	14	-41.7 %	2.9	1.7	-42.0 %	17	5	70.8 %	35.7 %
Napier	27	31	14.8 %	4.2	4.9	14.6 %	12	18	44.4 %	58.1 %
	<b>67</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>7.5 %</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>7.2 %</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>59.7 %</b>	<b>50.0 %</b>

## ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	336	444	32.1 %	61.0	80.7	32.2 %	298	368	88.7 %	82.9 %
Hastings	282	275	-2.5 %	34.2	33.2	-3.0 %	206	212	73.0 %	77.1 %
Napier	307	292	-4.9 %	48.1	45.7	-5.0 %	194	159	63.2 %	54.5 %
	<b>925</b>	<b>1,011</b>	<b>9.3 %</b>	<b>46.0</b>	<b>50.1</b>	<b>9.0 %</b>	<b>698</b>	<b>739</b>	<b>75.5 %</b>	<b>73.1 %</b>

## ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	49	40	-18.4 %	8.9	7.3	-18.4 %	28	22	57.1 %	55.0 %
Hastings	56	61	8.9 %	6.8	7.4	8.3 %	17	25	30.4 %	41.0 %
Napier	59	41	-30.5 %	9.3	6.4	-30.6 %	23	20	39.0 %	48.8 %
	<b>164</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>-13.4 %</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>-13.6 %</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>41.5 %</b>	<b>47.2 %</b>

# SUMMARY OF RECORDED OFFENCES, RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLVED OFFENCES, BY DIVISION

Years ending 31 December

## UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	1,241	1,195	-3.7 %	225.4	217.1	-3.7 %	260	239	21.0 %	20.0 %
Hastings	1,501	1,512	0.7 %	182.2	182.5	0.2 %	194	204	12.9 %	13.5 %
Napier	1,180	1,183	0.3 %	185.0	185.2	0.1 %	243	222	20.6 %	18.8 %
	<b>3,922</b>	<b>3,890</b>	<b>-0.8 %</b>	<b>194.9</b>	<b>192.8</b>	<b>-1.1 %</b>	<b>697</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>17.8 %</b>	<b>17.1 %</b>

## THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	1,982	2,067	4.3 %	360.0	375.5	4.3 %	551	587	27.8 %	28.4 %
Hastings	2,458	2,338	-4.9 %	298.3	282.2	-5.4 %	810	764	33.0 %	32.7 %
Napier	2,381	2,237	-6.0 %	373.4	350.2	-6.2 %	781	719	32.8 %	32.1 %
	<b>6,821</b>	<b>6,642</b>	<b>-2.6 %</b>	<b>339.0</b>	<b>329.2</b>	<b>-2.9 %</b>	<b>2,142</b>	<b>2,070</b>	<b>31.4 %</b>	<b>31.2 %</b>

## FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	123	99	-19.5 %	22.3	18.0	-19.5 %	93	49	75.6 %	49.5 %
Hastings	232	183	-21.1 %	28.2	22.1	-21.5 %	152	117	65.5 %	63.9 %
Napier	115	128	11.3 %	18.0	20.0	11.1 %	69	57	60.0 %	44.5 %
	<b>470</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>-12.8 %</b>	<b>23.4</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>-13.0 %</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>66.8 %</b>	<b>54.4 %</b>

## ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	531	574	8.1 %	96.5	104.3	8.1 %	369	382	69.5 %	66.6 %
Hastings	374	398	6.4 %	45.4	48.0	5.8 %	341	363	91.2 %	91.2 %
Napier	254	407	60.2 %	39.8	63.7	60.0 %	213	371	83.9 %	91.2 %
	<b>1,159</b>	<b>1,379</b>	<b>19.0 %</b>	<b>57.6</b>	<b>68.3</b>	<b>18.7 %</b>	<b>923</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>79.6 %</b>	<b>80.9 %</b>

## PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	206	174	-15.5 %	37.4	31.6	-15.5 %	190	149	92.2 %	85.6 %
Hastings	192	192	0.0 %	23.3	23.2	-0.5 %	179	171	93.2 %	89.1 %
Napier	143	131	-8.4 %	22.4	20.5	-8.5 %	116	113	81.1 %	86.3 %
	<b>541</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>-8.1 %</b>	<b>26.9</b>	<b>24.6</b>	<b>-8.4 %</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>89.6 %</b>	<b>87.1 %</b>

## PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	1,170	1,121	-4.2 %	212.5	203.7	-4.2 %	454	525	38.8 %	46.8 %
Hastings	1,274	1,031	-19.1 %	154.6	124.4	-19.5 %	436	364	34.2 %	35.3 %
Napier	1,105	929	-15.9 %	173.3	145.5	-16.1 %	303	290	27.4 %	31.2 %
	<b>3,549</b>	<b>3,081</b>	<b>-13.2 %</b>	<b>176.4</b>	<b>152.7</b>	<b>-13.4 %</b>	<b>1,193</b>	<b>1,179</b>	<b>33.6 %</b>	<b>38.3 %</b>

# SUMMARY OF RECORDED OFFENCES, RATE PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLVED OFFENCES, BY DIVISION

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## PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	879	974	10.8 %	159.7	177.0	10.8 %	780	900	88.7 %	92.4 %
Hastings	1,227	1,147	-6.5 %	148.9	138.4	-7.0 %	1,104	970	90.0 %	84.6 %
Napier	974	918	-5.7 %	152.7	143.7	-5.9 %	741	752	76.1 %	81.9 %
	<b>3,080</b>	<b>3,039</b>	<b>-1.3 %</b>	<b>153.1</b>	<b>150.6</b>	<b>-1.6 %</b>	<b>2,625</b>	<b>2,622</b>	<b>85.2 %</b>	<b>86.3 %</b>

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

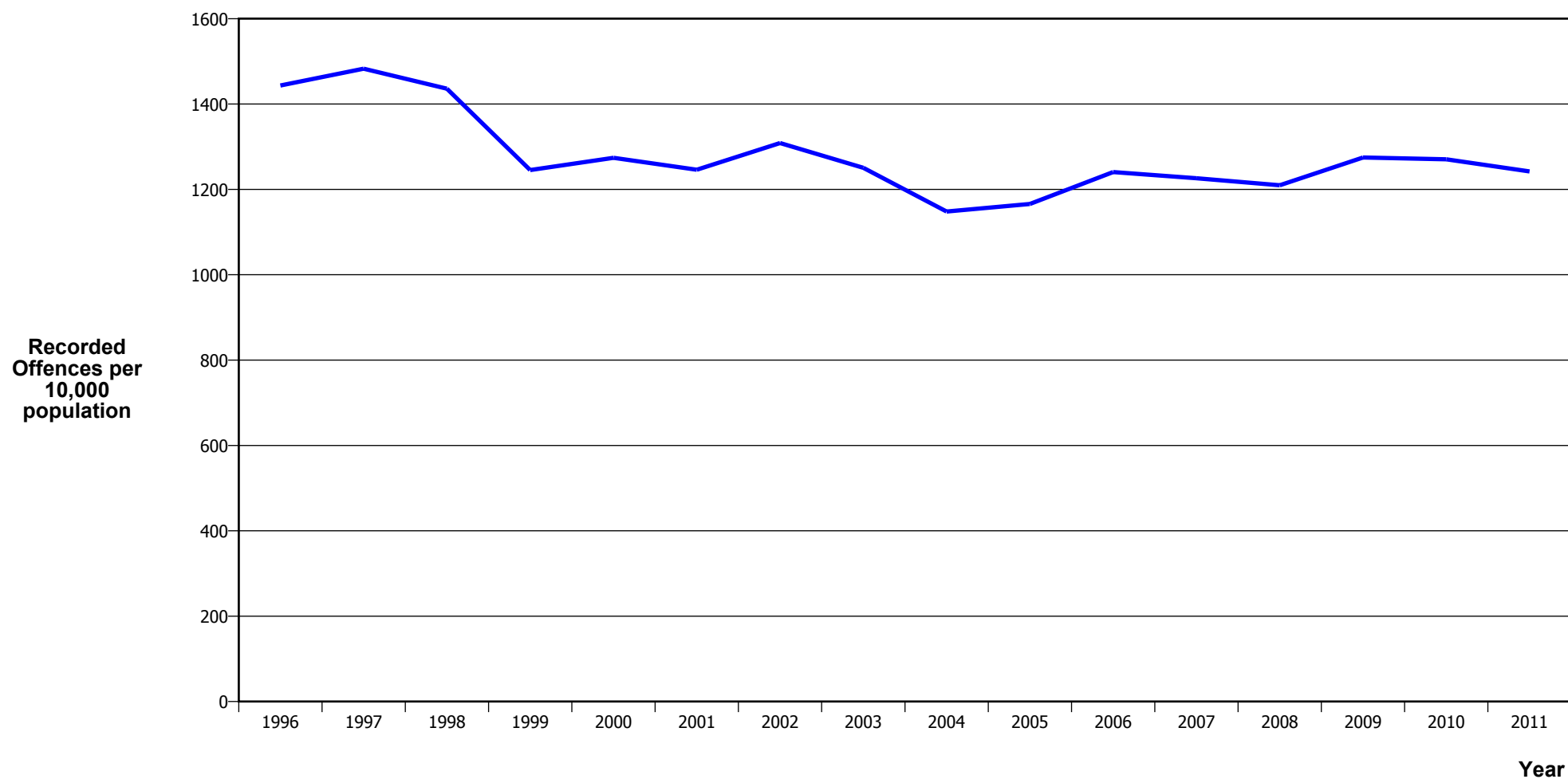
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Gisborne	361	379	5.0 %	65.6	68.9	5.0 %	337	361	93.4 %	95.3 %
Hastings	549	475	-13.5 %	66.6	57.3	-13.9 %	499	437	90.9 %	92.0 %
Napier	251	277	10.4 %	39.4	43.4	10.2 %	208	241	82.9 %	87.0 %
	<b>1,161</b>	<b>1,131</b>	<b>-2.6 %</b>	<b>57.7</b>	<b>56.1</b>	<b>-2.8 %</b>	<b>1,044</b>	<b>1,039</b>	<b>89.9 %</b>	<b>91.9 %</b>

## MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Variance 2010-2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2010	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2010 to 2011	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011
Gisborne	21	27	28.6 %	3.8	4.9	28.6 %	14	14	66.7 %	51.9 %
Hastings	26	32	23.1 %	3.2	3.9	22.4 %	16	23	61.5 %	71.9 %
Napier	38	35	-7.9 %	6.0	5.5	-8.0 %	23	22	60.5 %	62.9 %
	<b>85</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>10.6 %</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>4.7</b>	<b>10.3 %</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>62.4 %</b>	<b>62.8 %</b>

# **CRIME TRENDS**

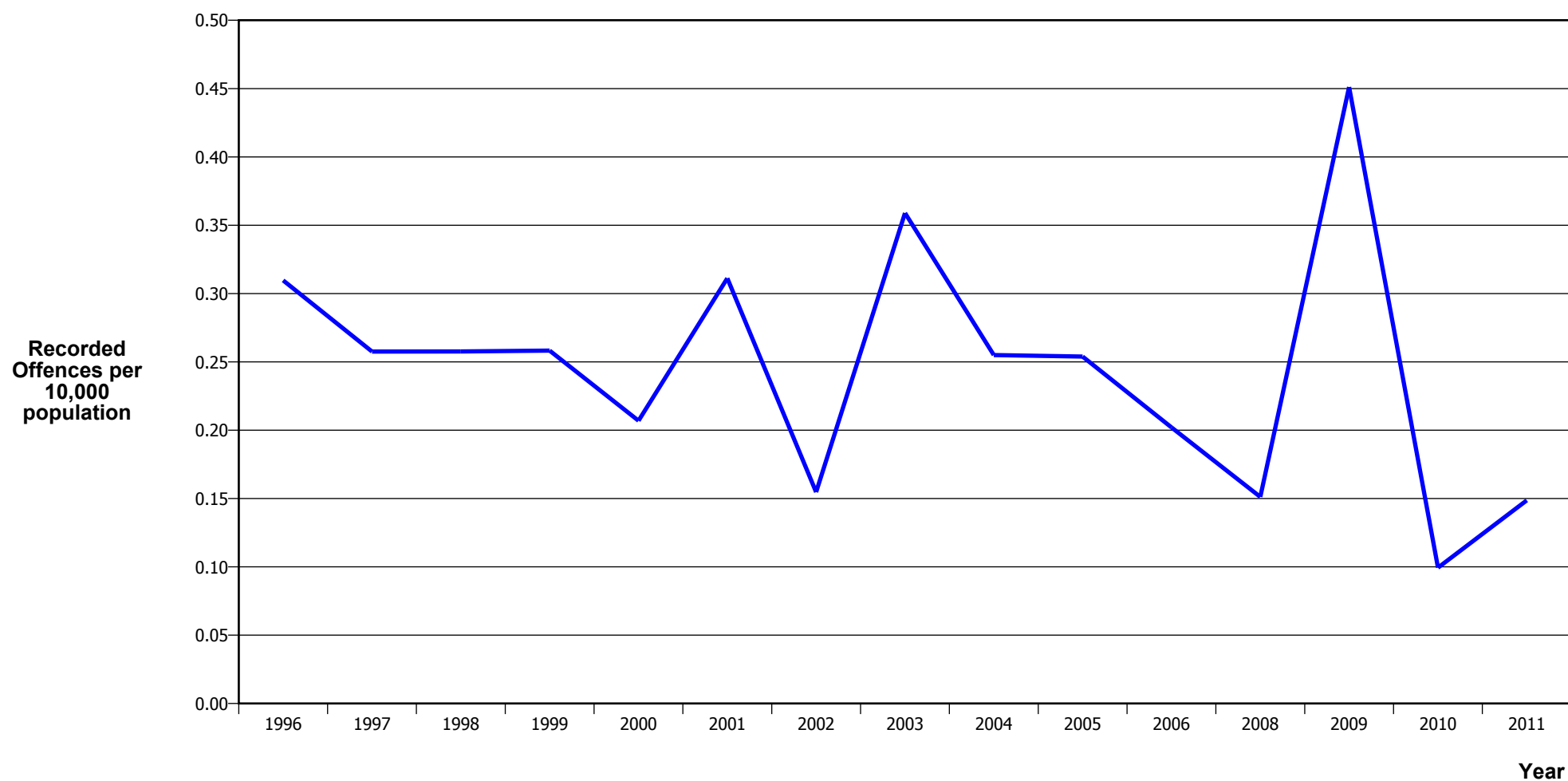
## TOTAL CRIME



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	27,966	28,785	27,863	24,107	24,627	24,022	25,382	24,387	22,511	22,957	24,562	24,324	24,007	25,429	25,566	25,058
Recorded per 10,000 Population	1,443.3	1,482.8	1,435.8	1,245.2	1,274.0	1,246.0	1,308.6	1,250.5	1,148.0	1,165.9	1,240.6	1,226.0	1,209.5	1,274.6	1,270.5	1,242.0

\*In 2005/2006 there was a major IT system change (LES to NIA)

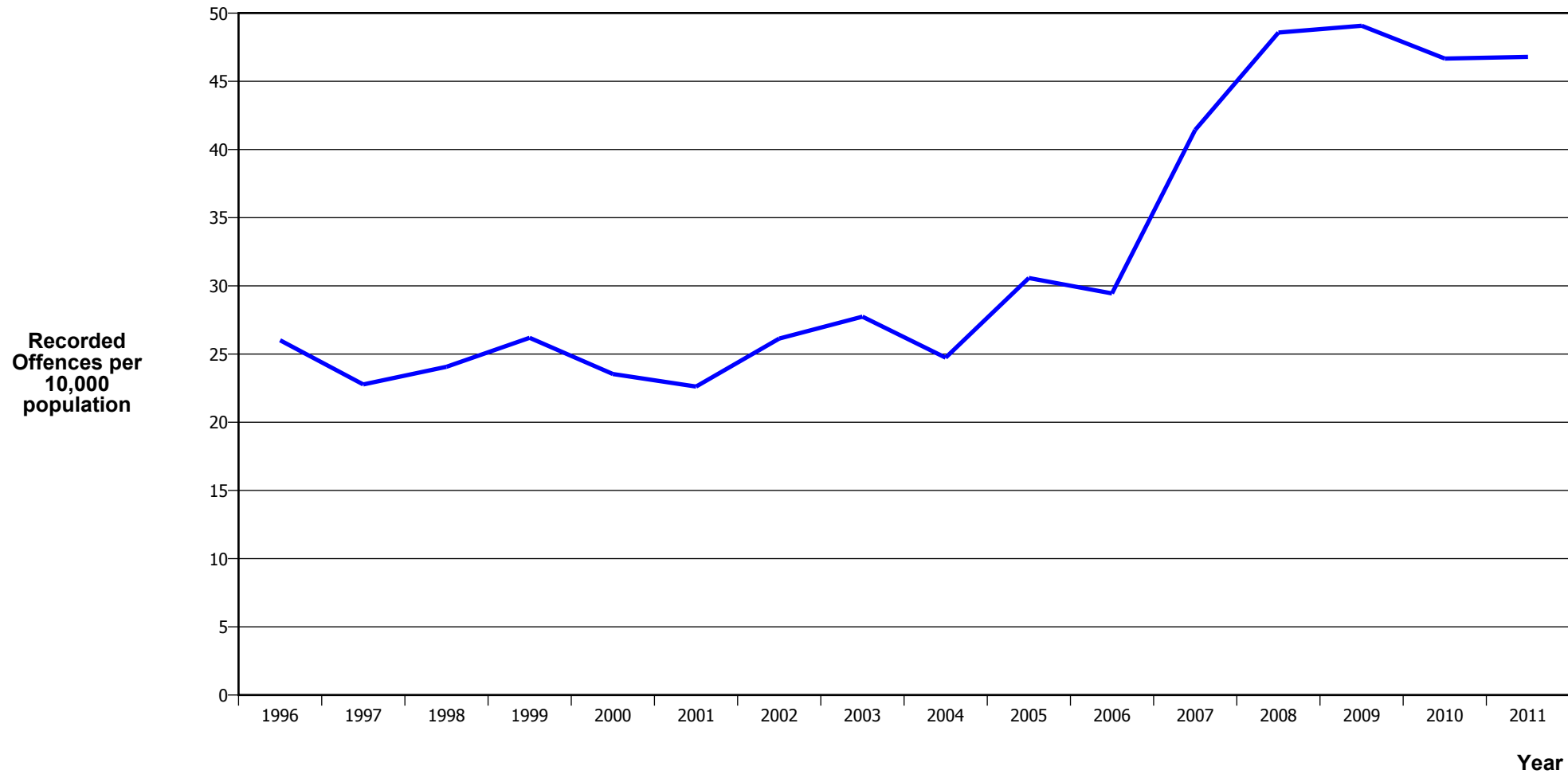
## MURDER



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	6	5	5	5	4	6	3	7	5	5	4	3	9	2	3
Recorded per 10,000 Population	0.31	0.26	0.26	0.26	0.21	0.31	0.15	0.36	0.25	0.25	0.20	0.15	0.45	0.10	0.15

- The 2009 result was significantly influenced by an abnormal one-off spike in August 2009, when 13 murders occurred

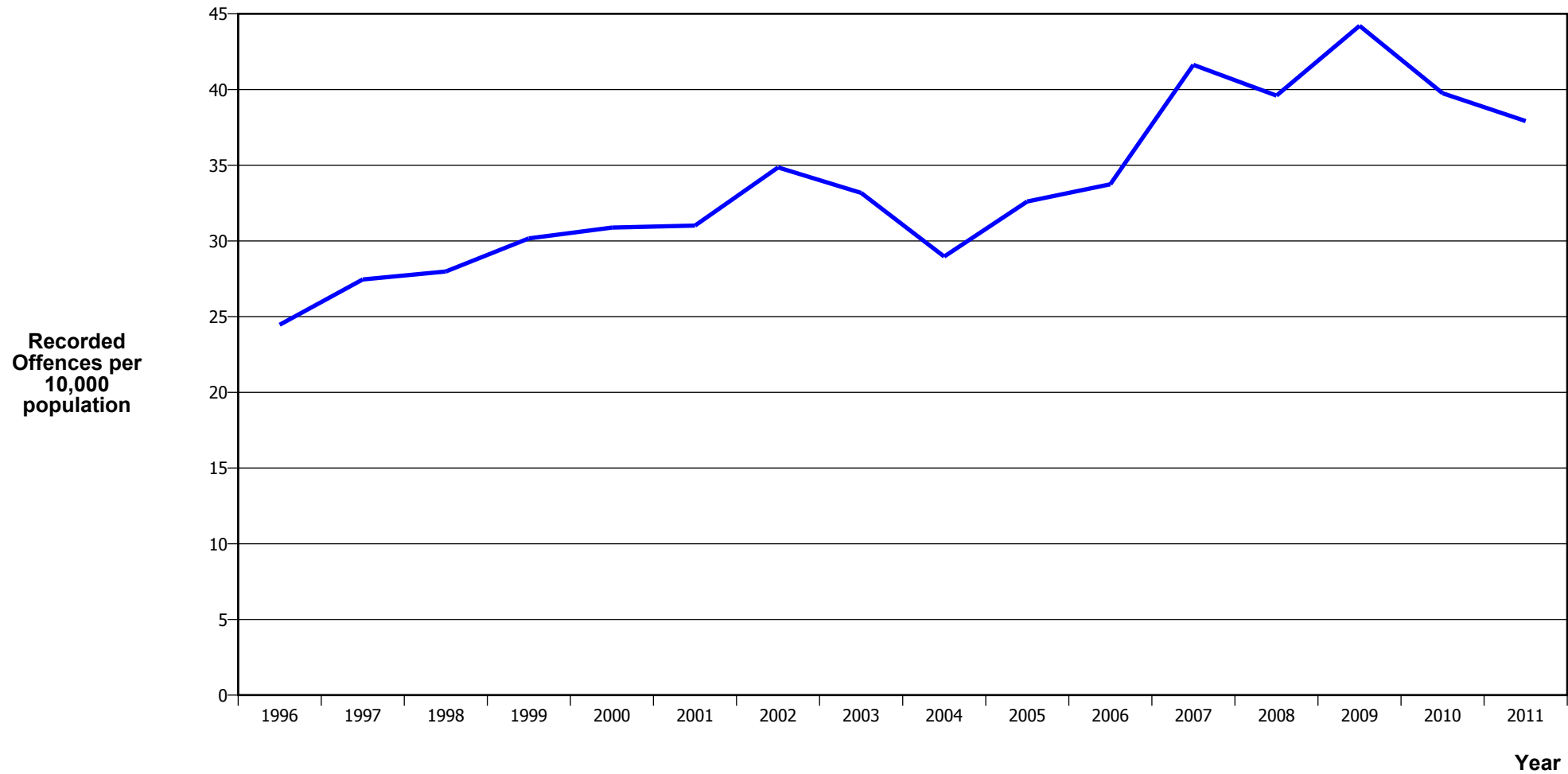
## SERIOUS ASSAULTS RESULTING IN INJURY\*



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offence	504	442	467	507	455	436	507	541	485	602	583	822	964	979	939	944
Offence Rate per 10K Popn	26.0	22.8	24.1	26.2	23.5	22.6	26.1	27.7	24.7	30.6	29.4	41.4	48.6	49.1	46.7	46.8

\* This measure excludes common assaults

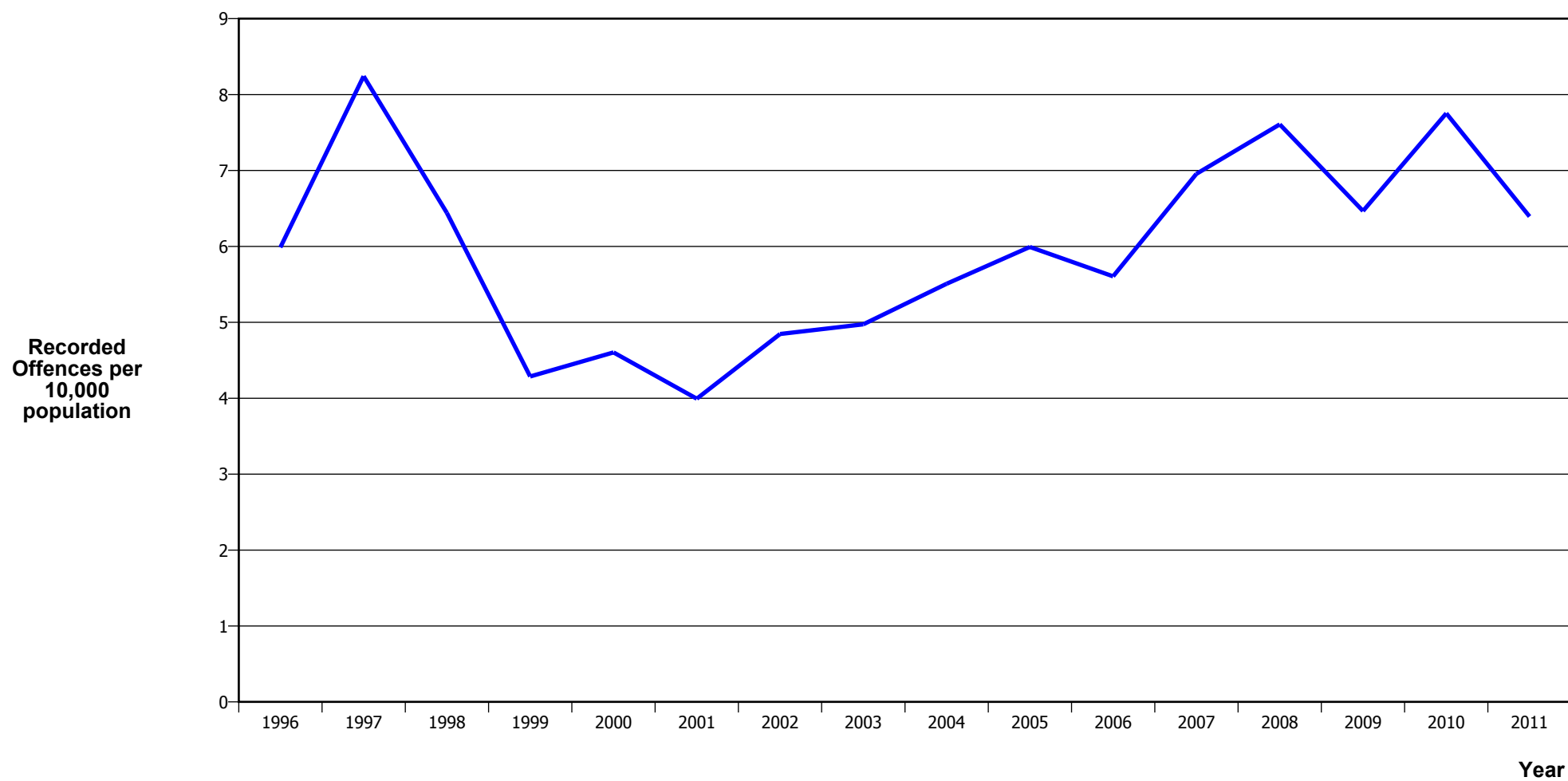
## PUBLIC PLACE ASSAULTS



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	474	533	543	584	597	598	676	647	568	642	668	826	786	882	800	765
Recorded per 10,000 Population	24.5	27.5	28.0	30.2	30.9	31.0	34.9	33.2	29.0	32.6	33.7	41.6	39.6	44.2	39.8	37.9

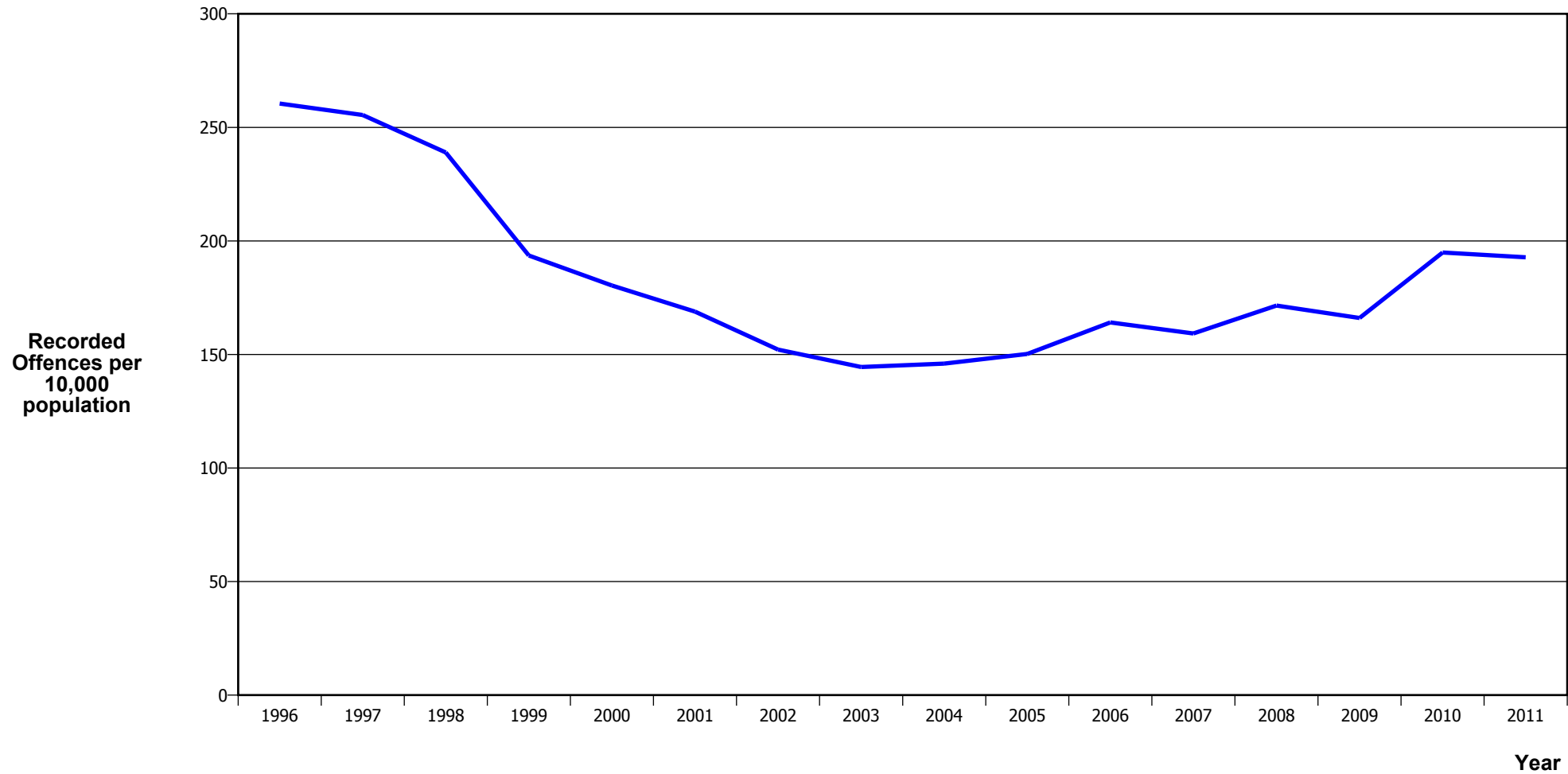


## ROBBERY



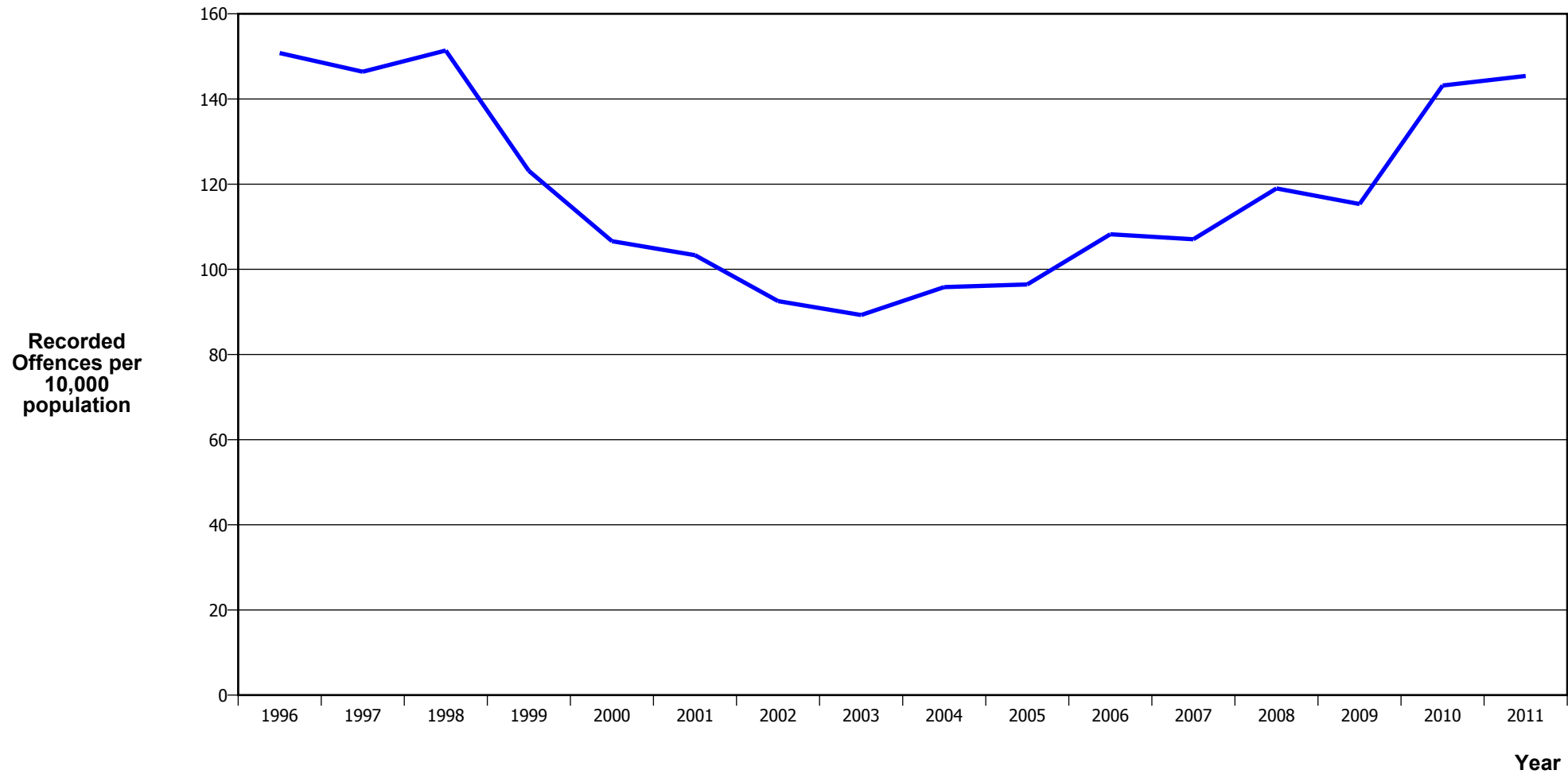
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	116	160	125	83	89	77	94	97	108	118	111	138	151	129	156	129
Recorded per 10,000 Population	6.0	8.2	6.4	4.3	4.6	4.0	4.8	5.0	5.5	6.0	5.6	7.0	7.6	6.5	7.8	6.4

## BURGLARY (TOTAL)



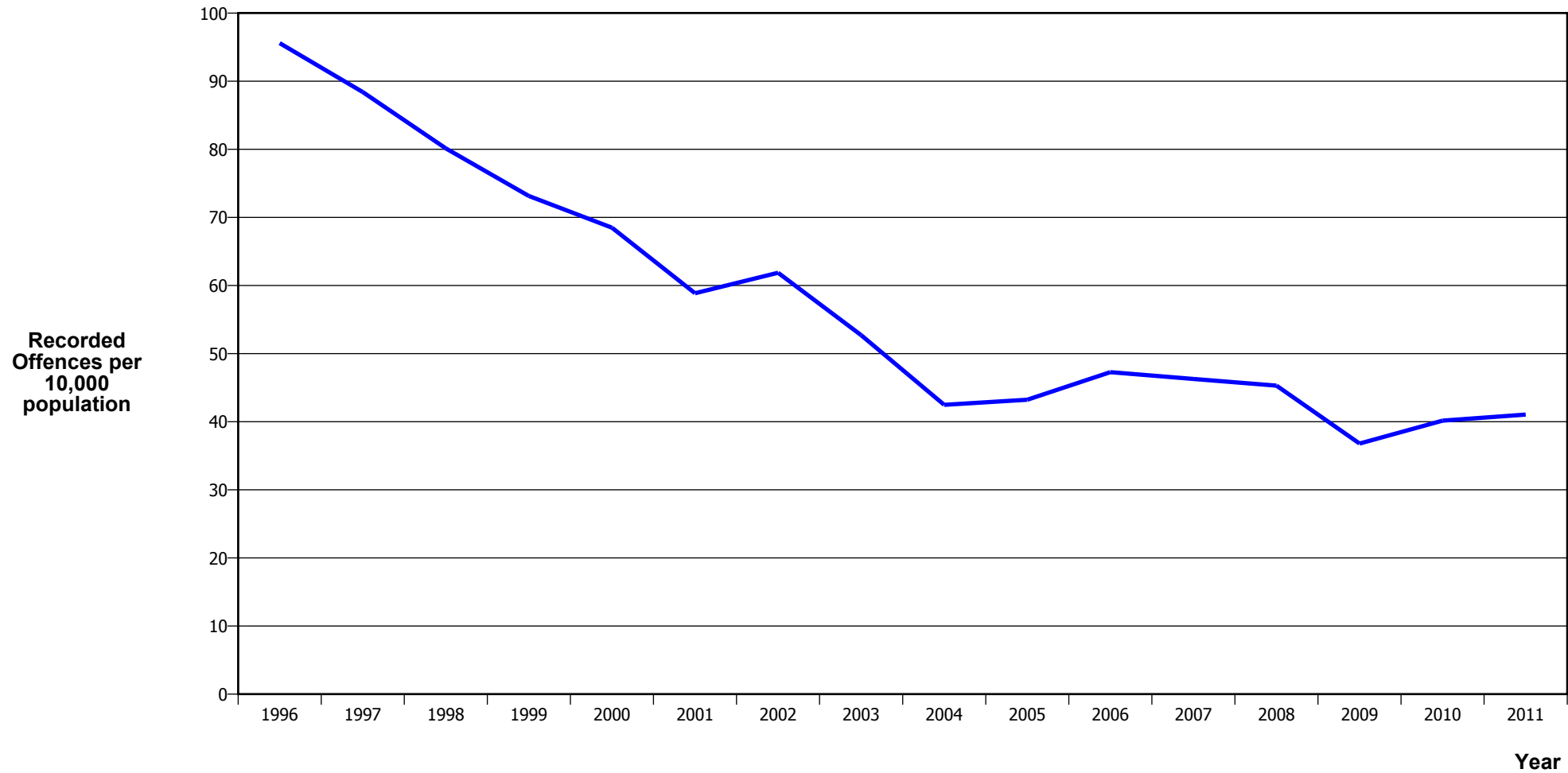
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	5,047	4,959	4,637	3,748	3,487	3,256	2,951	2,818	2,863	2,958	3,249	3,160	3,405	3,313	3,922	3,890
Recorded per 10,000 Population	260.5	255.5	238.9	193.6	180.4	168.9	152.1	144.5	146.0	150.2	164.1	159.3	171.6	166.1	194.9	192.8

## BURGLARY (DWELLING)



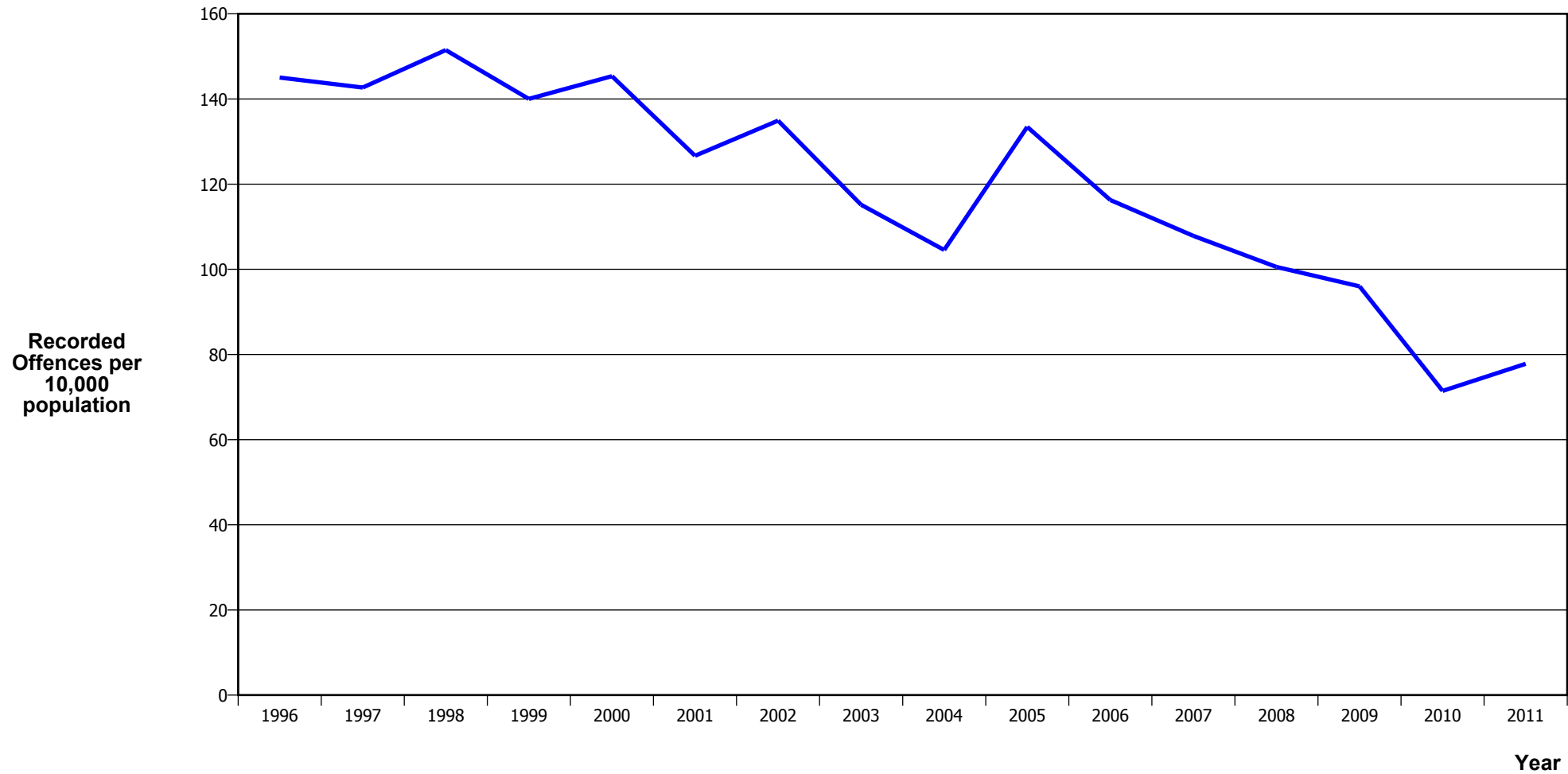
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	2,922	2,842	2,938	2,384	2,061	1,992	1,795	1,741	1,879	1,899	2,143	2,124	2,362	2,301	2,881	2,934
Recorded per 10,000 Population	150.8	146.4	151.4	123.1	106.6	103.3	92.5	89.3	95.8	96.4	108.2	107.1	119.0	115.3	143.2	145.4

## VEHICLES STOLEN



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	1,852	1,716	1,555	1,416	1,324	1,135	1,200	1,028	833	851	936	918	899	734	808	828
Recorded per 10,000 Population	95.6	88.4	80.1	73.1	68.5	58.9	61.9	52.7	42.5	43.2	47.3	46.3	45.3	36.8	40.2	41.0

## THEFT EX CAR



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Recorded Offences	2,810	2,770	2,940	2,711	2,810	2,442	2,617	2,246	2,050	2,628	2,302	2,140	1,996	1,915	1,438	1,570
Recorded per 10,000 Population	145.0	142.7	151.5	140.0	145.4	126.7	134.9	115.2	104.5	133.5	116.3	107.9	100.6	96.0	71.5	77.8

## Population Data

Population data is used in this release to calculate crime rates. 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
1996	193,760
1997	194,120
1998	194,060
1999	193,600
2000	193,310
2001	192,800
2002	193,960
2003	195,020
2004	196,090
2005	196,910
2006	197,990
2007	198,400
2008	198,480
2009	199,500
2010	201,220
2011	201,760

## General Definitions

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

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

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

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

**ANZSOC:** The Australian and New Zealand Standard Offence Classification. The offence classification is divided into 16 major offence divisions.

## Definition of ANZSOC Divisions

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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