

EASTERN DISTRICT CRIME STATISTICS 2012



**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 2012 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 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
ATTEMPTED MURDER	1	1	1	0.0 %	0.0 %	1	1	1	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	0	1	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
MANSLAUGHTER AND DRIVING CAUSING DEATH	2	2	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	2	1	0	100.0 %	50.0 %	0.0 %
MURDER	2	3	2	50.0 %	-33.3 %	2	3	2	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
	5	7	3	40.0 %	-57.1 %	5	5	3	100.0 %	71.4 %	100.0 %

ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
ASSAULT	3,428	3,426	3,134	-0.1 %	-8.5 %	2,809	2,816	2,293	81.9 %	82.2 %	73.2 %
OTHER ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	2	5	7	150.0 %	40.0 %	2	1	5	100.0 %	20.0 %	71.4 %
	3,430	3,431	3,141	0.0 %	-8.5 %	2,811	2,817	2,298	82.0 %	82.1 %	73.2 %

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
NON-ASSAULTIVE SEXUAL OFFENCES	5	7	9	40.0 %	28.6 %	3	3	7	60.0 %	42.9 %	77.8 %
SEXUAL ASSAULT	182	225	280	23.6 %	24.4 %	101	102	158	55.5 %	45.3 %	56.4 %
	187	232	289	24.1 %	24.6 %	104	105	165	55.6 %	45.3 %	57.1 %

DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
OTHER DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	67	72	112	7.5 %	55.6 %	40	36	43	59.7 %	50.0 %	38.4 %
	67	72	112	7.5 %	55.6 %	40	36	43	59.7 %	50.0 %	38.4 %

ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
ABDUCTION AND KIDNAPPING	13	40	7	207.7 %	-82.5 %	11	21	2	84.6 %	52.5 %	28.6 %
DEPRIVATION OF LIBERTY/FALSE IMPRISONMENT	0	0	1	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	1	0.0 %	0.0 %	100.0 %
HARASSMENT AND THREATENING BEHAVIOUR	912	971	845	6.5 %	-13.0 %	687	718	582	75.3 %	73.9 %	68.9 %
	925	1,011	853	9.3 %	-15.6 %	698	739	585	75.5 %	73.1 %	68.6 %

ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
BLACKMAIL AND EXTORTION	8	13	11	62.5 %	-15.4 %	4	9	5	50.0 %	69.2 %	45.5 %
ROBBERY	156	129	110	-17.3 %	-14.7 %	64	58	47	41.0 %	45.0 %	42.7 %
	164	142	121	-13.4 %	-14.8 %	68	67	52	41.5 %	47.2 %	43.0 %

UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	3,922	3,890	3,165	-0.8 %	-18.6 %	697	665	499	17.8 %	17.1 %	15.8 %
	3,922	3,890	3,165	-0.8 %	-18.6 %	697	665	499	17.8 %	17.1 %	15.8 %

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

THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
ILLEGAL USE OF PROPERTY (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	388	344	209	-11.3 %	-39.2 %	25	23	17	6.4 %	6.7 %	8.1 %
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	2,246	2,398	1,843	6.8 %	-23.1 %	311	387	250	13.8 %	16.1 %	13.6 %
RECEIVE OR HANDLE PROCEEDS OF CRIME	147	163	162	10.9 %	-0.6 %	141	158	156	95.9 %	96.9 %	96.3 %
THEFT (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	4,040	3,737	3,867	-7.5 %	3.5 %	1,665	1,502	1,395	41.2 %	40.2 %	36.1 %
	6,821	6,642	6,081	-2.6 %	-8.4 %	2,142	2,070	1,818	31.4 %	31.2 %	29.9 %

FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
DECEPTIVE BUSINESS/GOVERNMENT PRACTICES	2	1	0	-50.0 %	-100.0 %	1	0	0	50.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING	25	21	22	-16.0 %	4.8 %	12	8	14	48.0 %	38.1 %	63.6 %
OBTAIN BENEFIT BY DECEPTION	414	353	336	-14.7 %	-4.8 %	279	201	205	67.4 %	56.9 %	61.0 %
OTHER FRAUD AND DECEPTION OFFENCES	29	35	25	20.7 %	-28.6 %	22	14	11	75.9 %	40.0 %	44.0 %
	470	410	383	-12.8 %	-6.6 %	314	223	230	66.8 %	54.4 %	60.1 %

ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
DEAL OR TRAFFIC IN ILLICIT DRUGS	99	179	126	80.8 %	-29.6 %	91	171	109	91.9 %	95.5 %	86.5 %
IMPORT OR EXPORT ILLICIT DRUGS	0	2	2	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	1	0.0 %	0.0 %	50.0 %
MANUFACTURE OR CULTIVATE ILLICIT DRUGS	326	422	482	29.4 %	14.2 %	156	215	217	47.9 %	50.9 %	45.0 %
OTHER ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	200	275	257	37.5 %	-6.5 %	192	263	252	96.0 %	95.6 %	98.1 %
POSSESS AND/OR USE ILLICIT DRUGS	534	501	462	-6.2 %	-7.8 %	484	467	426	90.6 %	93.2 %	92.2 %
	1,159	1,379	1,329	19.0 %	-3.6 %	923	1,116	1,005	79.6 %	80.9 %	75.6 %

PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
REGULATED WEAPONS/EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	541	497	453	-8.1 %	-8.9 %	485	433	408	89.6 %	87.1 %	90.1 %
	541	497	453	-8.1 %	-8.9 %	485	433	408	89.6 %	87.1 %	90.1 %

PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	13	8	5	-38.5 %	-37.5 %	5	3	4	38.5 %	37.5 %	80.0 %
PROPERTY DAMAGE	3,536	3,073	2,754	-13.1 %	-10.4 %	1,188	1,176	874	33.6 %	38.3 %	31.7 %
	3,549	3,081	2,759	-13.2 %	-10.5 %	1,193	1,179	878	33.6 %	38.3 %	31.8 %

PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	2,322	2,218	2,257	-4.5 %	1.8 %	1,965	1,860	1,889	84.6 %	83.9 %	83.7 %
OFFENSIVE CONDUCT	157	109	88	-30.6 %	-19.3 %	102	76	51	65.0 %	69.7 %	58.0 %
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	601	712	614	18.5 %	-13.8 %	558	686	571	92.8 %	96.3 %	93.0 %
	3,080	3,039	2,959	-1.3 %	-2.6 %	2,625	2,622	2,511	85.2 %	86.3 %	84.9 %

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 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
BREACH OF COMMUNITY-BASED ORDER	143	132	65	-7.7 %	-50.8 %	137	126	52	95.8 %	95.5 %	80.0 %
BREACH OF CUSTODIAL ORDER OFFENCES	38	37	16	-2.6 %	-56.8 %	36	36	15	94.7 %	97.3 %	93.8 %
BREACH OF VIOLENCE AND NON-VIOLENCE RESTRAINING ORDERS	610	630	524	3.3 %	-16.8 %	512	556	418	83.9 %	88.3 %	79.8 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	12	16	11	33.3 %	-31.3 %	9	11	7	75.0 %	68.8 %	63.6 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT SECURITY	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES	356	314	359	-11.8 %	14.3 %	349	308	352	98.0 %	98.1 %	98.1 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS NOT FURTHER DEFINED	2	2	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	1	2	0	50.0 %	100.0 %	0.0 %
	1,161	1,131	975	-2.6 %	-13.8 %	1,044	1,039	844	89.9 %	91.9 %	86.6 %

MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2010	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2010-2011	Variance 2011-2012	Resolved 2010	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2010	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRY/FINANCIAL REGULATION	0	3	6	0.0 %	100.0 %	0	3	4	0.0 %	100.0 %	66.7 %
DEFAMATION, LIBEL AND PRIVACY OFFENCES	6	4	5	-33.3 %	25.0 %	5	0	1	83.3 %	0.0 %	20.0 %
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	75	85	107	13.3 %	25.9 %	46	54	46	61.3 %	63.5 %	43.0 %
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFENCES	4	2	1	-50.0 %	-50.0 %	2	2	1	50.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
	85	94	119	10.6 %	26.6 %	53	59	52	62.4 %	62.8 %	43.7 %

TOTAL	25,566	25,058	22,742	-2.0 %	-9.2 %	13,202	13,175	11,391	51.6 %	52.6 %	50.1 %
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PROPORTIONS OF RECORDED CRIME BY DIVISION

Years ending 31 December

ASOC Division Description	Proportions Recorded 2010	Recorded 2010	Proportions Recorded 2011	Recorded 2011	Proportions Recorded 2012	Recorded 2012
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.02 %	5	0.03 %	7	0.01 %	3
ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	13.42 %	3,430	13.69 %	3,431	13.81 %	3,141
SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.73 %	187	0.93 %	232	1.27 %	289
DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	0.26 %	67	0.29 %	72	0.49 %	112
ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON	3.62 %	925	4.03 %	1,011	3.75 %	853
ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.64 %	164	0.57 %	142	0.53 %	121
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	15.34 %	3,922	15.52 %	3,890	13.92 %	3,165
THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	26.68 %	6,821	26.51 %	6,642	26.74 %	6,081
FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	1.84 %	470	1.64 %	410	1.68 %	383
ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	4.53 %	1,159	5.50 %	1,379	5.84 %	1,329
PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	2.12 %	541	1.98 %	497	1.99 %	453
PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	13.88 %	3,549	12.30 %	3,081	12.13 %	2,759
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	12.05 %	3,080	12.13 %	3,039	13.01 %	2,959
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	4.54 %	1,161	4.51 %	1,131	4.29 %	975
MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	0.33 %	85	0.38 %	94	0.52 %	119
	100.00 %	25,566	100.00 %	25,058	100.00 %	22,742

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

TOTAL CRIME

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	16,512	15,081	-8.7 %	1,125.4	1,028.6	-8.6 %	8,361	7,367	50.6 %	48.8 %
Tairāwhiti	8,546	7,661	-10.4 %	1,552.7	1,393.4	-10.3 %	4,814	4,024	56.3 %	52.5 %
	25,058	22,742	-9.2 %	1,242.0	1,128.1	-9.2 %	13,175	11,391	52.6 %	50.1 %

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 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	5	2	-60.0 %	0.3	0.1	-60.0 %	4	2	80.0 %	100.0 %
Tairāwhiti	2	1	-50.0 %	0.4	0.2	-49.9 %	1	1	50.0 %	100.0 %
	7	3	-57.1 %	0.3	0.1	-57.1 %	5	3	71.4 %	100.0 %

ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	2,088	1,892	-9.4 %	142.3	129.0	-9.3 %	1,647	1,393	78.9 %	73.6 %
Tairāwhiti	1,343	1,249	-7.0 %	244.0	227.2	-6.9 %	1,170	905	87.1 %	72.5 %
	3,431	3,141	-8.5 %	170.1	155.8	-8.4 %	2,817	2,298	82.1 %	73.2 %

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	152	163	7.2 %	10.4	11.1	7.3 %	71	78	46.7 %	47.9 %
Tairāwhiti	80	126	57.5 %	14.5	22.9	57.7 %	34	87	42.5 %	69.0 %
	232	289	24.6 %	11.5	14.3	24.7 %	105	165	45.3 %	57.1 %

DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	45	76	68.9 %	3.1	5.2	69.0 %	23	27	51.1 %	35.5 %
Tairāwhiti	27	36	33.3 %	4.9	6.5	33.5 %	13	16	48.1 %	44.4 %
	72	112	55.6 %	3.6	5.6	55.7 %	36	43	50.0 %	38.4 %

ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	567	482	-15.0 %	38.6	32.9	-14.9 %	371	318	65.4 %	66.0 %
Tairāwhiti	444	371	-16.4 %	80.7	67.5	-16.4 %	368	267	82.9 %	72.0 %
	1,011	853	-15.6 %	50.1	42.3	-15.6 %	739	585	73.1 %	68.6 %

ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	102	90	-11.8 %	7.0	6.1	-11.7 %	45	35	44.1 %	38.9 %
Tairāwhiti	40	31	-22.5 %	7.3	5.6	-22.4 %	22	17	55.0 %	54.8 %
	142	121	-14.8 %	7.0	6.0	-14.7 %	67	52	47.2 %	43.0 %

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

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UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	2,695	2,181	-19.1 %	183.7	148.8	-19.0 %	426	313	15.8 %	14.4 %
Tairāwhiti	1,195	984	-17.7 %	217.1	179.0	-17.6 %	239	186	20.0 %	18.9 %
	3,890	3,165	-18.6 %	192.8	157.0	-18.6 %	665	499	17.1 %	15.8 %

THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	4,575	4,352	-4.9 %	311.8	296.8	-4.8 %	1,483	1,331	32.4 %	30.6 %
Tairāwhiti	2,067	1,729	-16.4 %	375.5	314.5	-16.3 %	587	487	28.4 %	28.2 %
	6,642	6,081	-8.4 %	329.2	301.7	-8.4 %	2,070	1,818	31.2 %	29.9 %

FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	311	299	-3.9 %	21.2	20.4	-3.8 %	174	178	55.9 %	59.5 %
Tairāwhiti	99	84	-15.2 %	18.0	15.3	-15.1 %	49	52	49.5 %	61.9 %
	410	383	-6.6 %	20.3	19.0	-6.5 %	223	230	54.4 %	60.1 %

ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	805	739	-8.2 %	54.9	50.4	-8.1 %	734	622	91.2 %	84.2 %
Tairāwhiti	574	590	2.8 %	104.3	107.3	2.9 %	382	383	66.6 %	64.9 %
	1,379	1,329	-3.6 %	68.3	65.9	-3.5 %	1,116	1,005	80.9 %	75.6 %

PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	323	258	-20.1 %	22.0	17.6	-20.1 %	284	222	87.9 %	86.0 %
Tairāwhiti	174	195	12.1 %	31.6	35.5	12.2 %	149	186	85.6 %	95.4 %
	497	453	-8.9 %	24.6	22.5	-8.8 %	433	408	87.1 %	90.1 %

PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	1,960	1,806	-7.9 %	133.6	123.2	-7.8 %	654	531	33.4 %	29.4 %
Tairāwhiti	1,121	953	-15.0 %	203.7	173.3	-14.9 %	525	347	46.8 %	36.4 %
	3,081	2,759	-10.5 %	152.7	136.9	-10.4 %	1,179	878	38.3 %	31.8 %

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

Years ending 31 December

PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	2,065	1,986	-3.8 %	140.7	135.5	-3.8 %	1,722	1,712	83.4 %	86.2 %
Tairāwhiti	974	973	-0.1 %	177.0	177.0	0.0 %	900	799	92.4 %	82.1 %
	3,039	2,959	-2.6 %	150.6	146.8	-2.6 %	2,622	2,511	86.3 %	84.9 %

OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

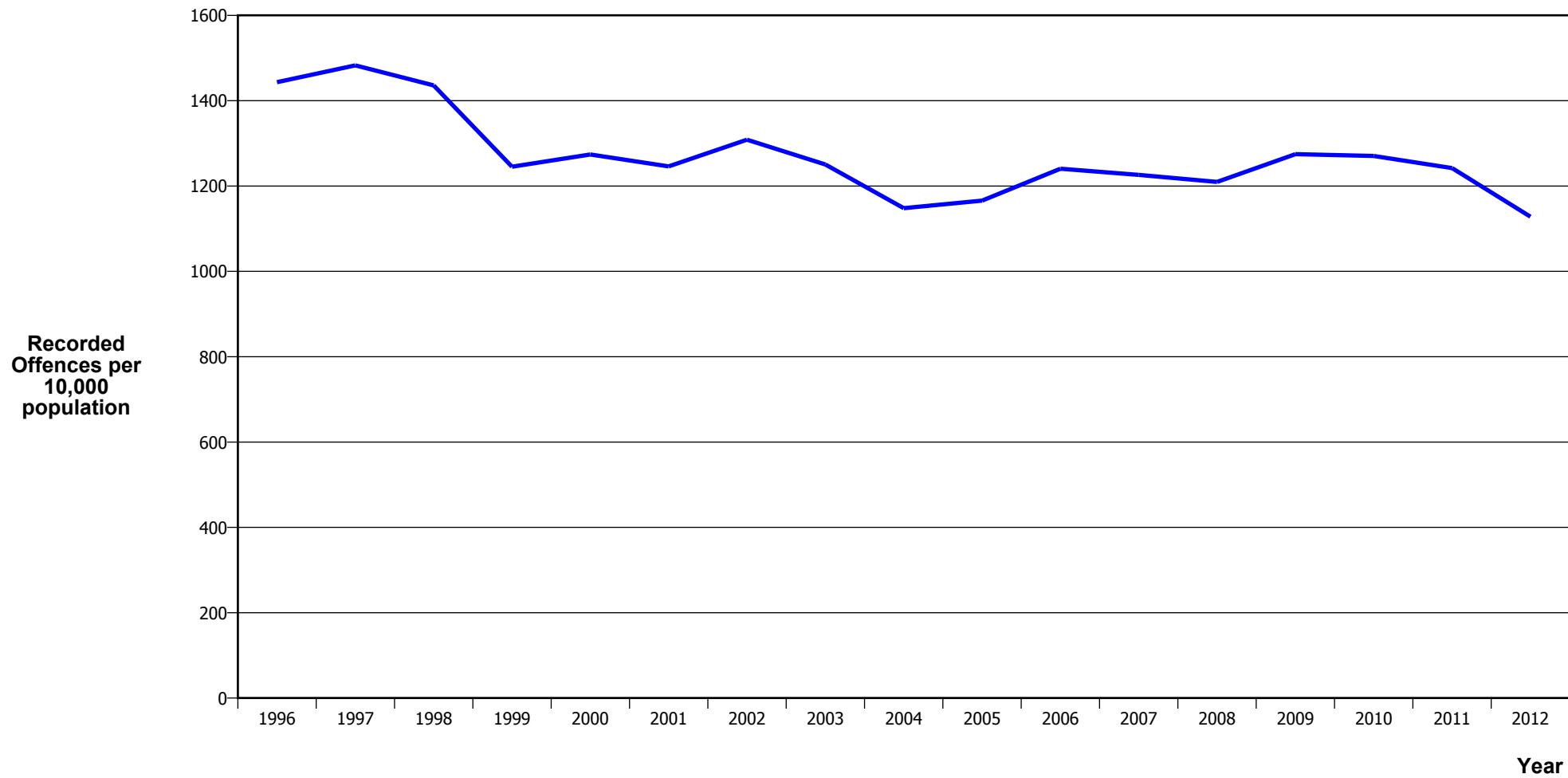
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Hawkes Bay	752	675	-10.2 %	51.3	46.0	-10.2 %	678	567	90.2 %	84.0 %
Tairāwhiti	379	300	-20.8 %	68.9	54.6	-20.8 %	361	277	95.3 %	92.3 %
	1,131	975	-13.8 %	56.1	48.4	-13.7 %	1,039	844	91.9 %	86.6 %

MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Variance 2011-2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2011	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2011 to 2012	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012
Hawkes Bay	67	80	19.4 %	4.6	5.5	19.5 %	45	38	67.2 %	47.5 %
Tairāwhiti	27	39	44.4 %	4.9	7.1	44.6 %	14	14	51.9 %	35.9 %
	94	119	26.6 %	4.7	5.9	26.7 %	59	52	62.8 %	43.7 %

CRIME TRENDS

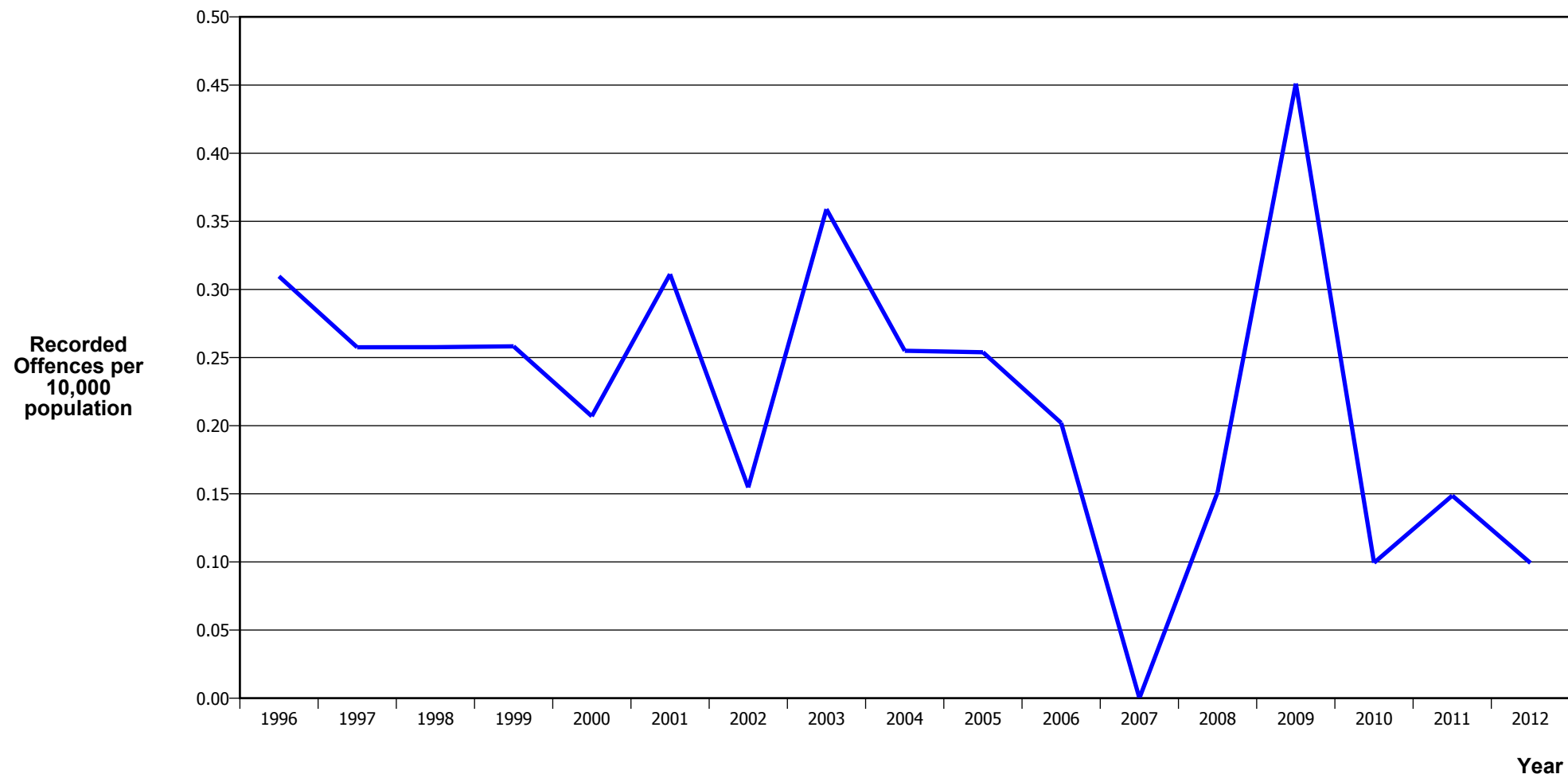
TOTAL CRIME



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
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	22,742
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	1,128.1

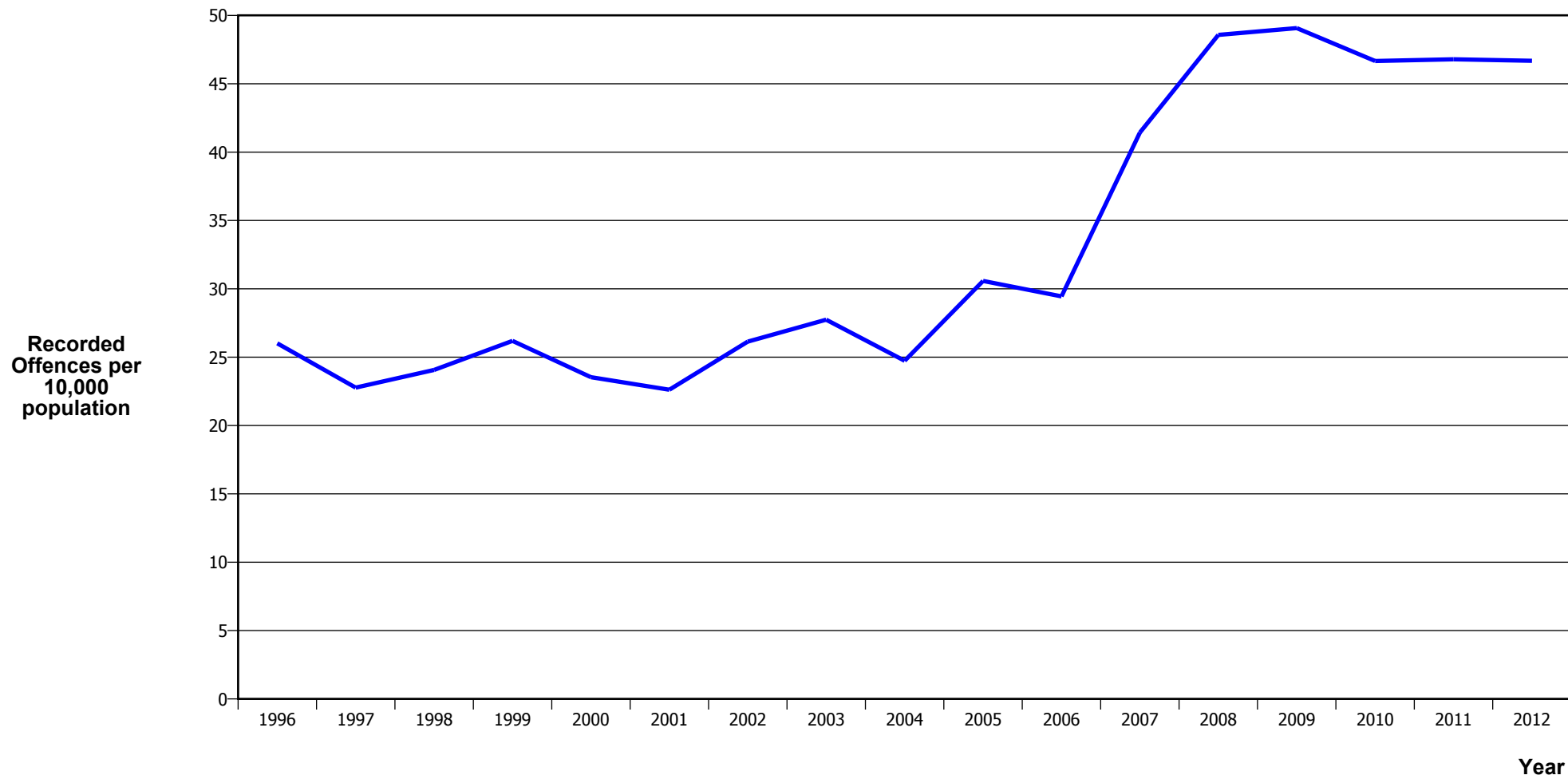
*In 2005/2006 there was a major IT system change (LES to NIA)

MURDER



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Recorded Offences	6	5	5	5	4	6	3	7	5	5	4	0	3	9	2	3	2
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	0.00	0.15	0.45	0.10	0.15	0.10

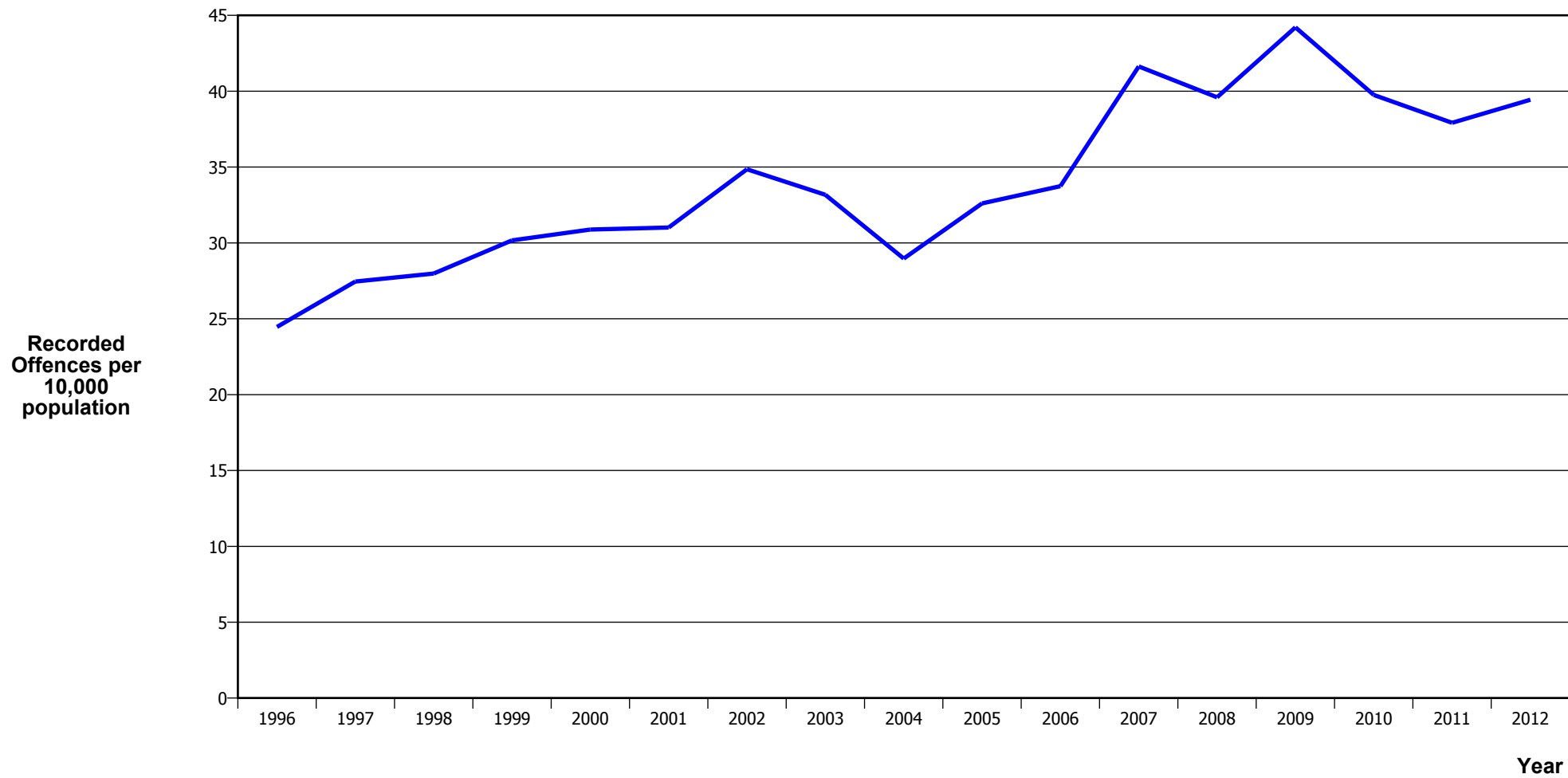
SERIOUS ASSAULTS RESULTING IN INJURY*



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Recorded Offence	504	442	467	507	455	436	507	541	485	602	583	822	964	979	939	944	941
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	46.7

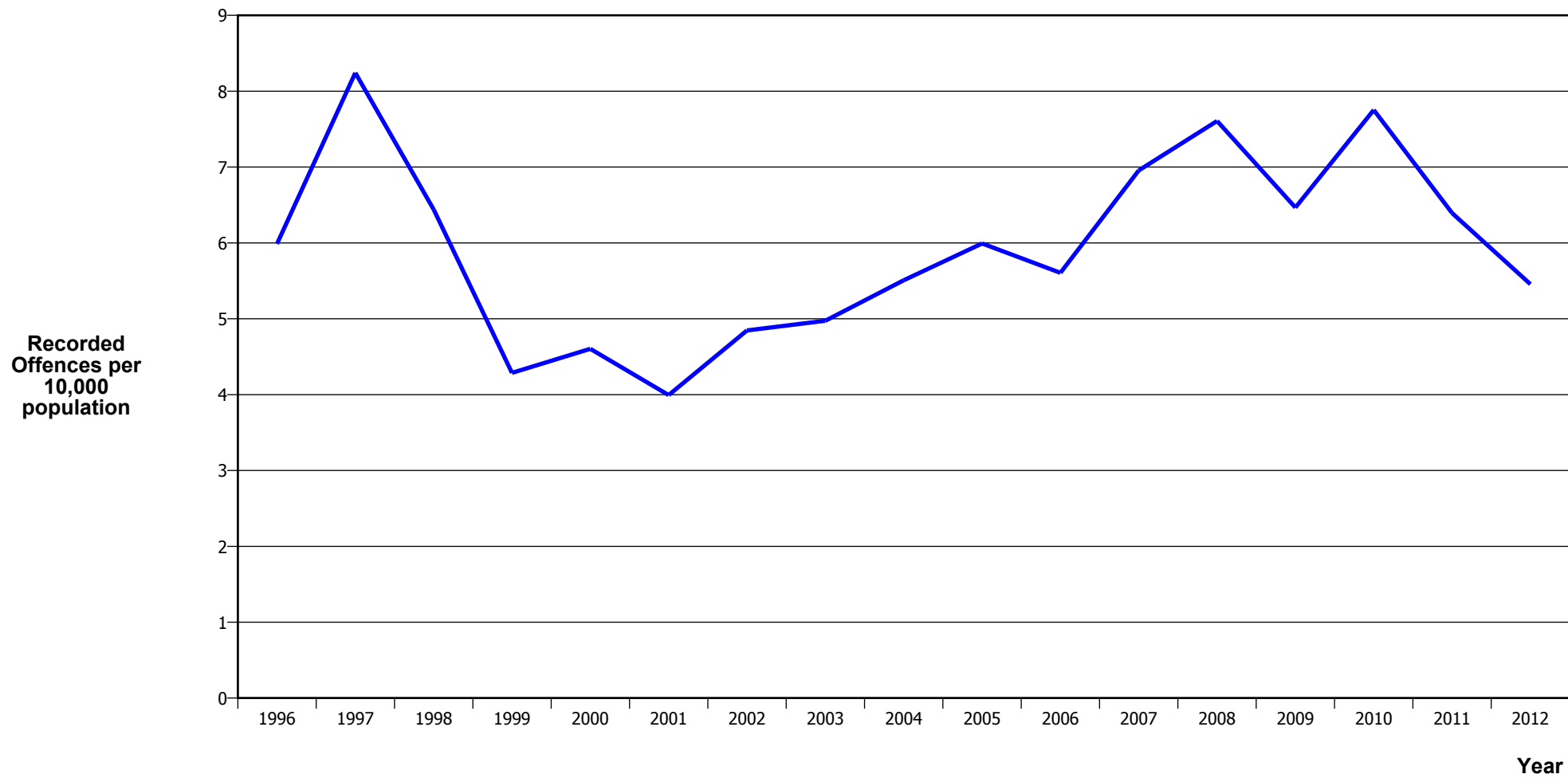
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PUBLIC PLACE ASSAULTS



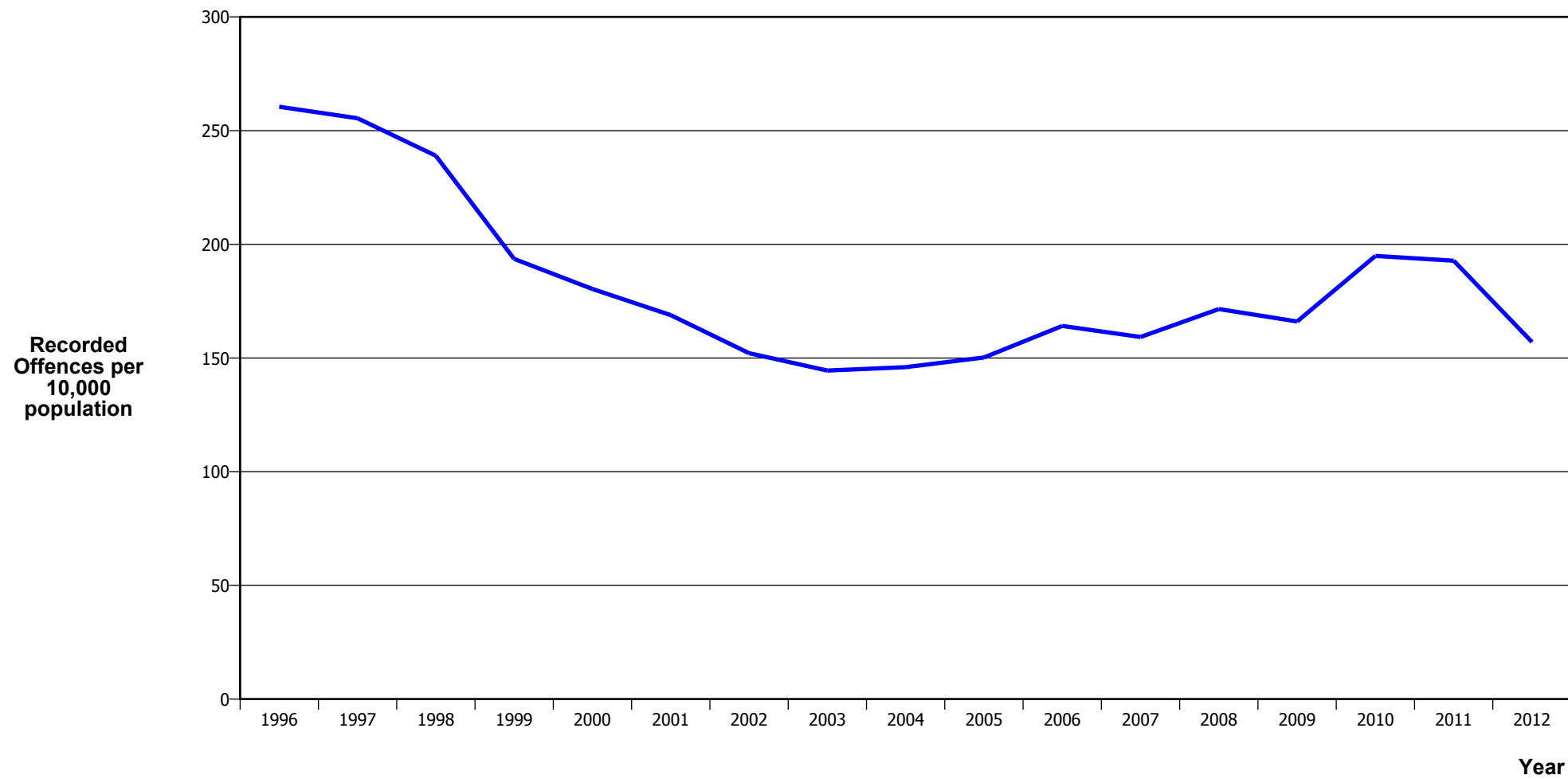
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Recorded Offences	474	533	543	584	597	598	676	647	568	642	668	826	786	882	800	765	795
Recorded per 10,000 Population	24.5	27.5	28.0	30.2	30.9	31.0	34.9	33.2	29.0	32.6	33.7	41.6	39.6	44.2	39.8	37.9	39.4

ROBBERY



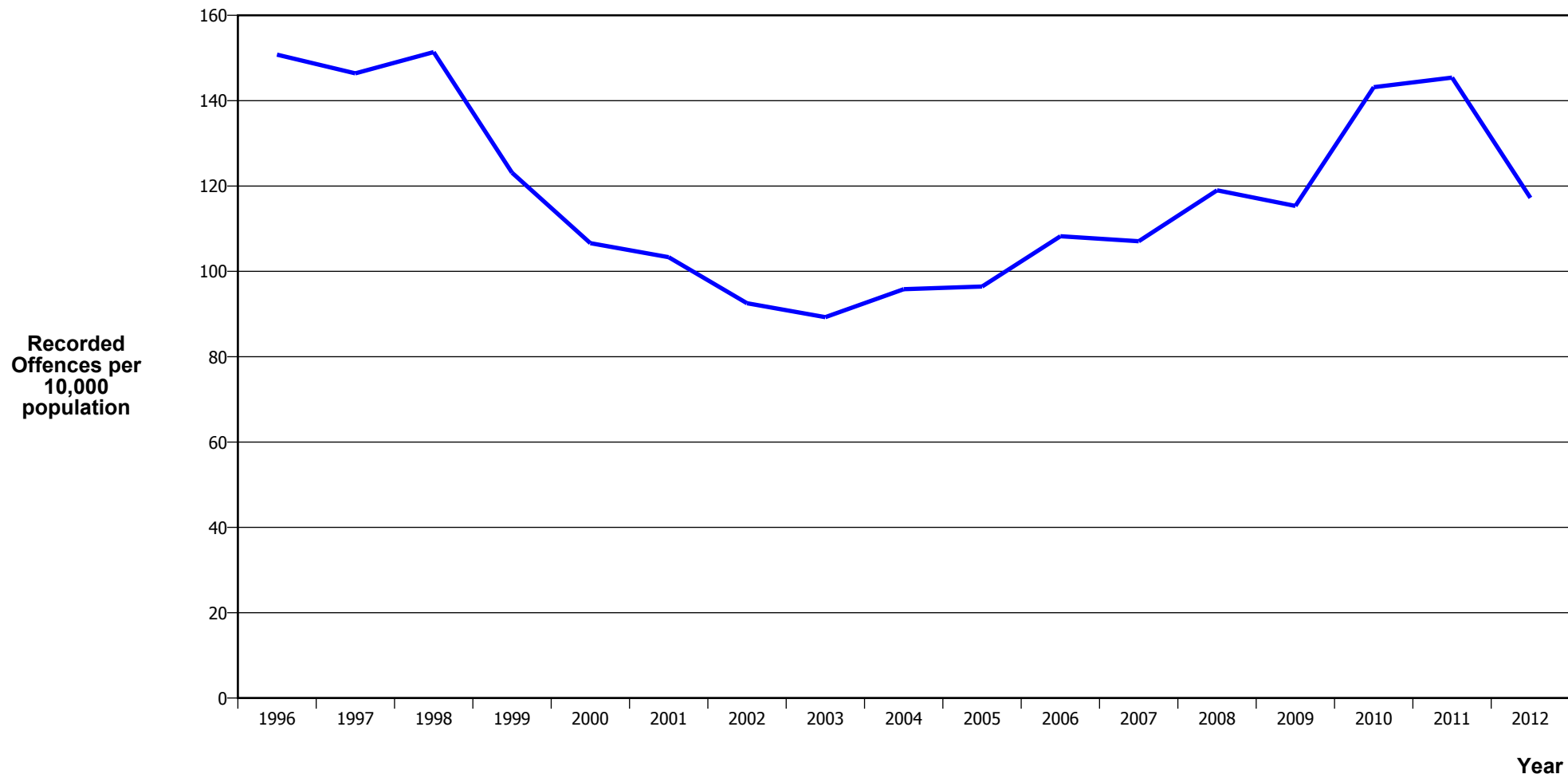
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Recorded Offences	116	160	125	83	89	77	94	97	108	118	111	138	151	129	156	129	110
Recorded per 10,000 Population	6.0	8.2	6.4	4.3	4.6	4.0	4.8	5.0	5.5	6.0	5.6	7.0	7.6	6.5	7.8	6.4	5.5

BURGLARY (TOTAL)



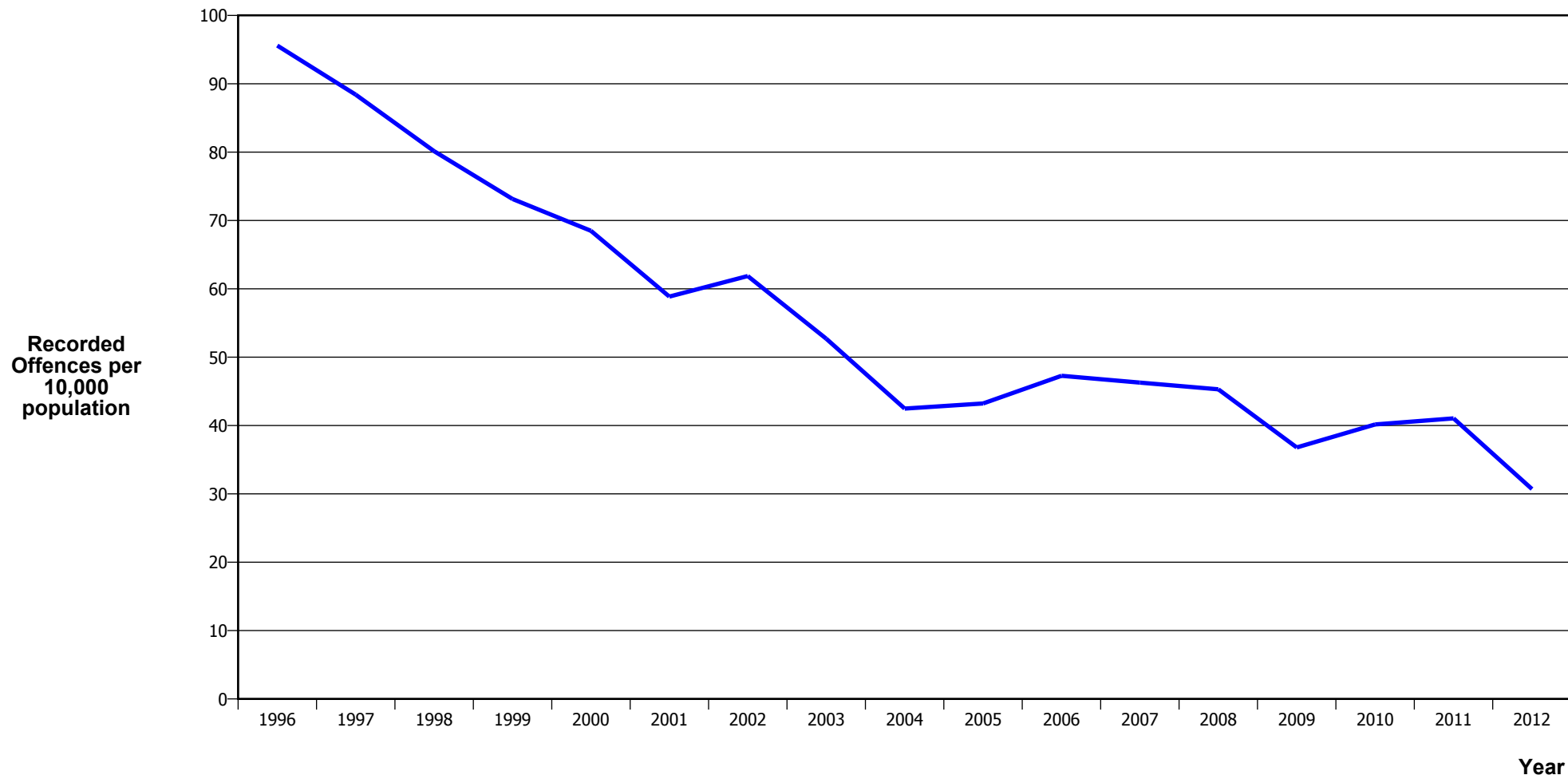
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Recorded Offences	5,047	4,959	4,637	3,748	3,487	3,256	2,951	2,818	2,863	2,958	3,249	3,160	3,405	3,313	3,922	3,890	3,165
Recorded per 10,000 Population	260.5	255.5	238.9	193.6	180.4	168.9	152.1	144.5	146.0	150.2	164.1	159.3	171.6	166.1	194.9	192.8	157.0

BURGLARY (DWELLING)



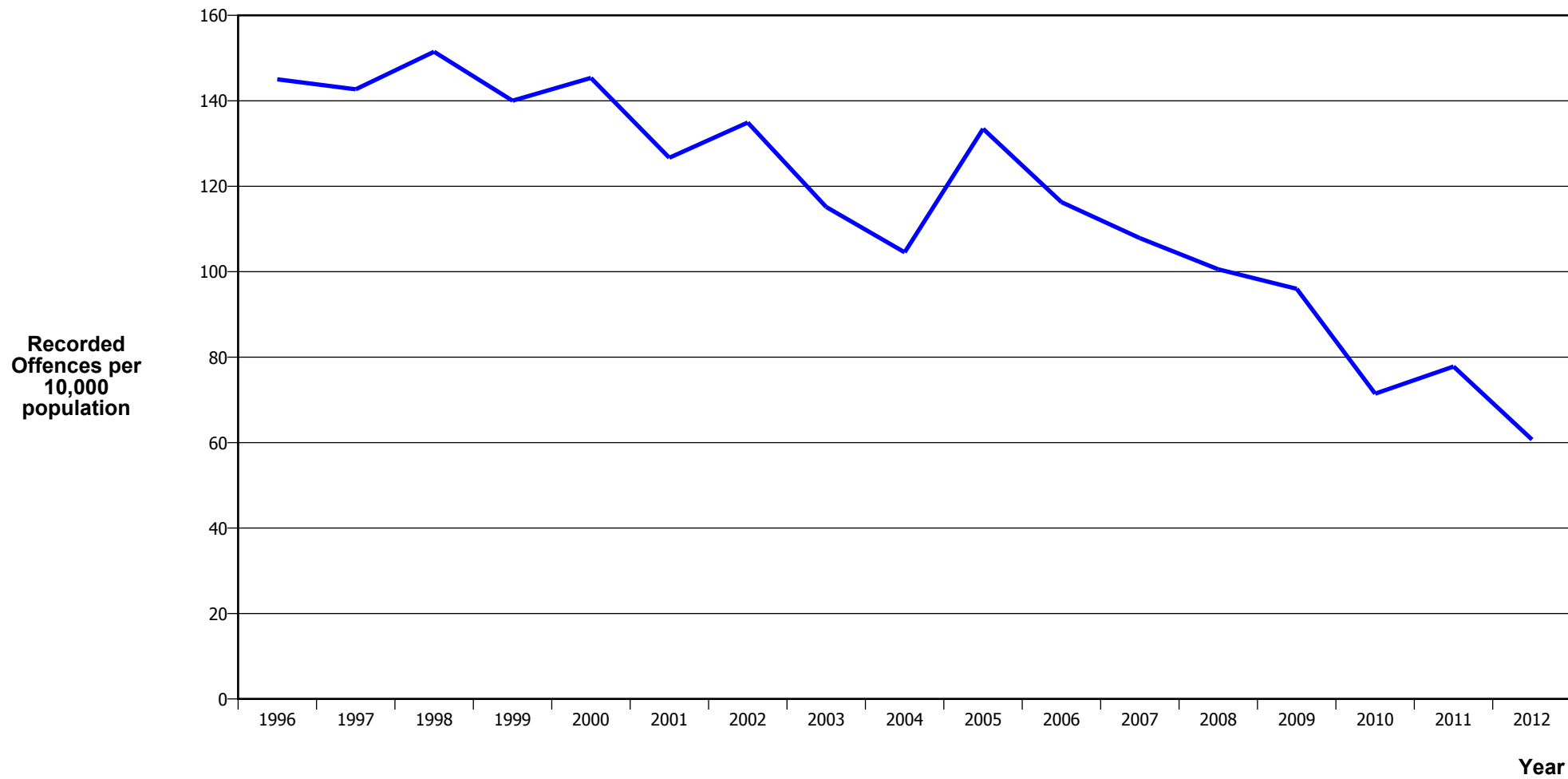
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Recorded Offences	2,922	2,842	2,938	2,384	2,061	1,992	1,795	1,741	1,879	1,899	2,143	2,124	2,362	2,301	2,881	2,934	2,363
Recorded per 10,000 Population	150.8	146.4	151.4	123.1	106.6	103.3	92.5	89.3	95.8	96.4	108.2	107.1	119.0	115.3	143.2	145.4	117.2

VEHICLES STOLEN



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
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	619
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	30.7

THEFT EX CAR



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
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	1,224
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	60.7

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
2012	201,590

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.