

BAY OF PLENTY DISTRICT CRIME STATISTICS 2013



**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).

The Sale and Supply of Alcohol Act 2012 came into effect on 18 December 2013. This had little effect on overall 2013 calendar year statistics, because the legislation only took effect two weeks before the end of the year. However, statistics for future years will be significantly affected. In particular, the offence of Breach of Liquor Ban, of which there were more than 6,500 nationally in 2013, has been made obsolete by the new legislation. Under the new legislation Police will deal with breaches of alcohol bans by issuing infringement notices, rather than by recording offences for which offenders can be charged. Such infringements are not part of this statistical collection.

When comparing 2013 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 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
ATTEMPTED MURDER	4	0	1	-100.0 %	0.0 %	4	0	0	100.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
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	1	-50.0 %	-50.0 %	4	2	1	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
MURDER	4	4	3	0.0 %	-25.0 %	3	4	2	75.0 %	100.0 %	66.7 %
	12	6	6	-50.0 %	0.0 %	11	6	3	91.7 %	100.0 %	50.0 %

ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
ASSAULT	4,053	3,807	3,515	-6.1 %	-7.7 %	3,607	3,259	2,959	89.0 %	85.6 %	84.2 %
OTHER ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	4	1	2	-75.0 %	100.0 %	4	1	0	100.0 %	100.0 %	0.0 %
	4,057	3,808	3,517	-6.1 %	-7.6 %	3,611	3,260	2,959	89.0 %	85.6 %	84.1 %

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
NON-ASSAULTIVE SEXUAL OFFENCES	26	8	11	-69.2 %	37.5 %	24	7	8	92.3 %	87.5 %	72.7 %
SEXUAL ASSAULT	327	309	233	-5.5 %	-24.6 %	214	195	136	65.4 %	63.1 %	58.4 %
	353	317	244	-10.2 %	-23.0 %	238	202	144	67.4 %	63.7 %	59.0 %

DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
OTHER DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	68	96	62	41.2 %	-35.4 %	52	78	49	76.5 %	81.3 %	79.0 %
	68	96	62	41.2 %	-35.4 %	52	78	49	76.5 %	81.3 %	79.0 %

ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
ABDUCTION AND KIDNAPPING	14	24	14	71.4 %	-41.7 %	12	21	12	85.7 %	87.5 %	85.7 %
HARASSMENT AND THREATENING BEHAVIOUR	1,085	856	1,044	-21.1 %	22.0 %	849	662	795	78.2 %	77.3 %	76.1 %
	1,099	880	1,058	-19.9 %	20.2 %	861	683	807	78.3 %	77.6 %	76.3 %

ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
BLACKMAIL AND EXTORTION	11	7	11	-36.4 %	57.1 %	8	3	6	72.7 %	42.9 %	54.5 %
ROBBERY	99	144	145	45.5 %	0.7 %	63	86	76	63.6 %	59.7 %	52.4 %
	110	151	156	37.3 %	3.3 %	71	89	82	64.5 %	58.9 %	52.6 %

UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	5,623	4,865	4,602	-13.5 %	-5.4 %	1,096	921	936	19.5 %	18.9 %	20.3 %
	5,623	4,865	4,602	-13.5 %	-5.4 %	1,096	921	936	19.5 %	18.9 %	20.3 %

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

THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
ILLEGAL USE OF PROPERTY (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	314	183	224	-41.7 %	22.4 %	43	22	19	13.7 %	12.0 %	8.5 %
MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	3,730	3,497	3,088	-6.2 %	-11.7 %	657	605	550	17.6 %	17.3 %	17.8 %
RECEIVE OR HANDLE PROCEEDS OF CRIME	265	223	235	-15.8 %	5.4 %	263	221	229	99.2 %	99.1 %	97.4 %
THEFT (EXCEPT MOTOR VEHICLES)	6,774	6,527	6,492	-3.6 %	-0.5 %	2,446	2,265	2,161	36.1 %	34.7 %	33.3 %
	11,083	10,430	10,039	-5.9 %	-3.7 %	3,409	3,113	2,959	30.8 %	29.8 %	29.5 %

FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
DECEPTIVE BUSINESS/GOVERNMENT PRACTICES	2	3	5	50.0 %	66.7 %	0	2	4	0.0 %	66.7 %	80.0 %
FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING	14	30	22	114.3 %	-26.7 %	9	14	9	64.3 %	46.7 %	40.9 %
OBTAIN BENEFIT BY DECEPTION	722	626	470	-13.3 %	-24.9 %	581	431	279	80.5 %	68.8 %	59.4 %
OTHER FRAUD AND DECEPTION OFFENCES	45	33	33	-26.7 %	0.0 %	27	18	12	60.0 %	54.5 %	36.4 %
	783	692	530	-11.6 %	-23.4 %	617	465	304	78.8 %	67.2 %	57.4 %

ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
DEAL OR TRAFFIC IN ILLICIT DRUGS	196	469	443	139.3 %	-5.5 %	195	457	428	99.5 %	97.4 %	96.6 %
IMPORT OR EXPORT ILLICIT DRUGS	16	1	9	-93.8 %	800.0 %	15	1	7	93.8 %	100.0 %	77.8 %
MANUFACTURE OR CULTIVATE ILLICIT DRUGS	240	308	294	28.3 %	-4.5 %	218	279	259	90.8 %	90.6 %	88.1 %
OTHER ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	539	511	325	-5.2 %	-36.4 %	536	505	323	99.4 %	98.8 %	99.4 %
POSSESS AND/OR USE ILLICIT DRUGS	1,079	905	728	-16.1 %	-19.6 %	1,061	890	710	98.3 %	98.3 %	97.5 %
	2,070	2,194	1,799	6.0 %	-18.0 %	2,025	2,132	1,727	97.8 %	97.2 %	96.0 %

PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
REGULATED WEAPONS/EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	621	596	574	-4.0 %	-3.7 %	598	548	548	96.3 %	91.9 %	95.5 %
	621	596	574	-4.0 %	-3.7 %	598	548	548	96.3 %	91.9 %	95.5 %

PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	16	11	12	-31.3 %	9.1 %	11	9	8	68.8 %	81.8 %	66.7 %
PROPERTY DAMAGE	4,613	4,548	4,076	-1.4 %	-10.4 %	1,636	1,525	1,526	35.5 %	33.5 %	37.4 %
	4,629	4,559	4,088	-1.5 %	-10.3 %	1,647	1,534	1,534	35.6 %	33.6 %	37.5 %

PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	3,285	3,134	2,797	-4.6 %	-10.8 %	3,096	2,895	2,609	94.2 %	92.4 %	93.3 %
OFFENSIVE CONDUCT	97	114	82	17.5 %	-28.1 %	83	86	58	85.6 %	75.4 %	70.7 %
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	1	0	0	-100.0 %	0.0 %	1	0	0	100.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
REGULATED PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	770	475	463	-38.3 %	-2.5 %	755	449	450	98.1 %	94.5 %	97.2 %
	4,153	3,723	3,342	-10.4 %	-10.2 %	3,935	3,430	3,117	94.8 %	92.1 %	93.3 %

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 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
BREACH OF COMMUNITY-BASED ORDER	431	306	227	-29.0 %	-25.8 %	417	303	211	96.8 %	99.0 %	93.0 %
BREACH OF CUSTODIAL ORDER OFFENCES	58	56	65	-3.4 %	16.1 %	56	53	64	96.6 %	94.6 %	98.5 %
BREACH OF VIOLENCE AND NON-VIOLENCE RESTRAINING ORDERS	695	639	543	-8.1 %	-15.0 %	648	597	500	93.2 %	93.4 %	92.1 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	11	12	19	9.1 %	58.3 %	5	8	11	45.5 %	66.7 %	57.9 %
OFFENCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT SECURITY	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES	596	490	444	-17.8 %	-9.4 %	588	483	440	98.7 %	98.6 %	99.1 %
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS NOT FURTHER DEFINED	1	1	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	1	1	0	100.0 %	100.0 %	0.0 %
	1,792	1,504	1,298	-16.1 %	-13.7 %	1,715	1,445	1,226	95.7 %	96.1 %	94.5 %

MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

ASOC Subdivision Description	Recorded 2011	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2011-2012	Variance 2012-2013	Resolved 2011	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2011	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRY/FINANCIAL REGULATION	2	1	4	-50.0 %	300.0 %	2	1	2	100.0 %	100.0 %	50.0 %
DEFAMATION, LIBEL AND PRIVACY OFFENCES	3	2	2	-33.3 %	0.0 %	1	1	1	33.3 %	50.0 %	50.0 %
MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES NOT FURTHER DEFINED	0	1	0	0.0 %	-100.0 %	0	1	0	0.0 %	100.0 %	0.0 %
OTHER MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	66	104	99	57.6 %	-4.8 %	48	79	67	72.7 %	76.0 %	67.7 %
PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFENCES	10	6	13	-40.0 %	116.7 %	8	4	9	80.0 %	66.7 %	69.2 %
	81	114	118	40.7 %	3.5 %	59	86	79	72.8 %	75.4 %	66.9 %

TOTAL	36,534	33,935	31,433	-7.1 %	-7.4 %	19,945	17,992	16,474	54.6 %	53.0 %	52.4 %
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PROPORTIONS OF RECORDED CRIME BY DIVISION

Years ending 31 December

ASOC Division Description	Proportions Recorded 2011	Recorded 2011	Proportions Recorded 2012	Recorded 2012	Proportions Recorded 2013	Recorded 2013
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.03 %	12	0.02 %	6	0.02 %	6
ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY	11.10 %	4,057	11.22 %	3,808	11.19 %	3,517
SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.97 %	353	0.93 %	317	0.78 %	244
DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS	0.19 %	68	0.28 %	96	0.20 %	62
ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON	3.01 %	1,099	2.59 %	880	3.37 %	1,058
ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	0.30 %	110	0.44 %	151	0.50 %	156
UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER	15.39 %	5,623	14.34 %	4,865	14.64 %	4,602
THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES	30.34 %	11,083	30.74 %	10,430	31.94 %	10,039
FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES	2.14 %	783	2.04 %	692	1.69 %	530
ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES	5.67 %	2,070	6.47 %	2,194	5.72 %	1,799
PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES	1.70 %	621	1.76 %	596	1.83 %	574
PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION	12.67 %	4,629	13.43 %	4,559	13.01 %	4,088
PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES	11.37 %	4,153	10.97 %	3,723	10.63 %	3,342
OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS	4.91 %	1,792	4.43 %	1,504	4.13 %	1,298
MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES	0.22 %	81	0.34 %	114	0.38 %	118
	100.00 %	36,534	100.00 %	33,935	100.00 %	31,433

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

TOTAL CRIME

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	6,034	5,559	-7.9 %	1,279.2	1,190.4	-6.9 %	3,224	2,882	53.4 %	51.8 %
Rotorua	9,972	8,854	-11.2 %	1,391.8	1,239.7	-10.9 %	4,878	4,540	48.9 %	51.3 %
Taupo	6,208	5,797	-6.6 %	1,089.3	1,019.3	-6.4 %	3,412	2,921	55.0 %	50.4 %
Western Bay of Plenty	11,721	11,223	-4.2 %	736.7	700.3	-4.9 %	6,478	6,131	55.3 %	54.6 %
	33,935	31,433	-7.4 %	1,013.3	937.6	-7.5 %	17,992	16,474	53.0 %	52.4 %

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 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	0	1	0.0 %	0.0	0.2	0.0 %	0	0	0.0 %	0.0 %
Rotorua	2	0	-100.0 %	0.3	0.0	-100.0 %	2	0	100.0 %	0.0 %
Taupo	2	2	0.0 %	0.4	0.4	0.2 %	2	1	100.0 %	50.0 %
Western Bay of Plenty	2	3	50.0 %	0.1	0.2	48.9 %	2	2	100.0 %	66.7 %
	6	6	0.0 %	0.2	0.2	-0.1 %	6	3	100.0 %	50.0 %

ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	703	664	-5.5 %	149.0	142.2	-4.6 %	615	587	87.5 %	88.4 %
Rotorua	1,111	1,092	-1.7 %	155.1	152.9	-1.4 %	825	858	74.3 %	78.6 %
Taupo	798	670	-16.0 %	140.0	117.8	-15.9 %	739	578	92.6 %	86.3 %
Western Bay of Plenty	1,196	1,091	-8.8 %	75.2	68.1	-9.4 %	1,081	936	90.4 %	85.8 %
	3,808	3,517	-7.6 %	113.7	104.9	-7.7 %	3,260	2,959	85.6 %	84.1 %

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	73	48	-34.2 %	15.5	10.3	-33.6 %	36	34	49.3 %	70.8 %
Rotorua	98	60	-38.8 %	13.7	8.4	-38.6 %	67	35	68.4 %	58.3 %
Taupo	49	62	26.5 %	8.6	10.9	26.8 %	37	30	75.5 %	48.4 %
Western Bay of Plenty	97	74	-23.7 %	6.1	4.6	-24.3 %	62	45	63.9 %	60.8 %
	317	244	-23.0 %	9.5	7.3	-23.1 %	202	144	63.7 %	59.0 %

DANGEROUS OR NEGLIGENT ACTS ENDANGERING PERSONS

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	10	12	20.0 %	2.1	2.6	21.2 %	8	10	80.0 %	83.3 %
Rotorua	22	10	-54.5 %	3.1	1.4	-54.4 %	13	8	59.1 %	80.0 %
Taupo	17	7	-58.8 %	3.0	1.2	-58.7 %	15	5	88.2 %	71.4 %
Western Bay of Plenty	47	33	-29.8 %	3.0	2.1	-30.3 %	42	26	89.4 %	78.8 %
	96	62	-35.4 %	2.9	1.8	-35.5 %	78	49	81.3 %	79.0 %

ABDUCTION, HARASSMENT AND OTHER RELATED OFFENCES AGAINST A PERSON

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	152	159	4.6 %	32.2	34.0	5.7 %	129	122	84.9 %	76.7 %
Rotorua	211	311	47.4 %	29.4	43.5	47.9 %	132	216	62.6 %	69.5 %
Taupo	192	198	3.1 %	33.7	34.8	3.3 %	164	162	85.4 %	81.8 %
Western Bay of Plenty	325	390	20.0 %	20.4	24.3	19.1 %	258	307	79.4 %	78.7 %
	880	1,058	20.2 %	26.3	31.6	20.1 %	683	807	77.6 %	76.3 %

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

Years ending 31 December

ROBBERY, EXTORTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	21	29	38.1 %	4.5	6.2	39.5 %	10	16	47.6 %	55.2 %
Rotorua	42	41	-2.4 %	5.9	5.7	-2.1 %	20	23	47.6 %	56.1 %
Taupo	28	21	-25.0 %	4.9	3.7	-24.8 %	18	9	64.3 %	42.9 %
Western Bay of Plenty	60	65	8.3 %	3.8	4.1	7.6 %	41	34	68.3 %	52.3 %
	151	156	3.3 %	4.5	4.7	3.2 %	89	82	58.9 %	52.6 %

UNLAWFUL ENTRY WITH INTENT/BURGLARY, BREAK AND ENTER

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	985	993	0.8 %	208.8	212.6	1.8 %	174	181	17.7 %	18.2 %
Rotorua	1,477	1,331	-9.9 %	206.1	186.4	-9.6 %	235	252	15.9 %	18.9 %
Taupo	756	945	25.0 %	132.7	166.2	25.3 %	152	210	20.1 %	22.2 %
Western Bay of Plenty	1,647	1,333	-19.1 %	103.5	83.2	-19.6 %	360	293	21.9 %	22.0 %
	4,865	4,602	-5.4 %	145.3	137.3	-5.5 %	921	936	18.9 %	20.3 %

THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	1,727	1,537	-11.0 %	366.1	329.1	-10.1 %	513	405	29.7 %	26.4 %
Rotorua	3,218	2,861	-11.1 %	449.1	400.6	-10.8 %	859	807	26.7 %	28.2 %
Taupo	1,710	1,851	8.2 %	300.1	325.5	8.5 %	455	532	26.6 %	28.7 %
Western Bay of Plenty	3,775	3,790	0.4 %	237.3	236.5	-0.3 %	1,286	1,215	34.1 %	32.1 %
	10,430	10,039	-3.7 %	311.4	299.5	-3.8 %	3,113	2,959	29.8 %	29.5 %

FRAUD, DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	81	57	-29.6 %	17.2	12.2	-28.9 %	59	34	72.8 %	59.6 %
Rotorua	234	160	-31.6 %	32.7	22.4	-31.4 %	143	87	61.1 %	54.4 %
Taupo	82	67	-18.3 %	14.4	11.8	-18.1 %	48	32	58.5 %	47.8 %
Western Bay of Plenty	295	246	-16.6 %	18.5	15.4	-17.2 %	215	151	72.9 %	61.4 %
	692	530	-23.4 %	20.7	15.8	-23.5 %	465	304	67.2 %	57.4 %

ILLICIT DRUG OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	470	317	-32.6 %	99.6	67.9	-31.9 %	458	305	97.4 %	96.2 %
Rotorua	517	423	-18.2 %	72.2	59.2	-17.9 %	504	410	97.5 %	96.9 %
Taupo	422	300	-28.9 %	74.0	52.8	-28.8 %	414	288	98.1 %	96.0 %
Western Bay of Plenty	785	759	-3.3 %	49.3	47.4	-4.0 %	756	724	96.3 %	95.4 %
	2,194	1,799	-18.0 %	65.5	53.7	-18.1 %	2,132	1,727	97.2 %	96.0 %

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

Years ending 31 December

PROHIBITED AND REGULATED WEAPONS AND EXPLOSIVES OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	110	113	2.7 %	23.3	24.2	3.8 %	98	110	89.1 %	97.3 %
Rotorua	162	163	0.6 %	22.6	22.8	0.9 %	153	159	94.4 %	97.5 %
Taupo	146	133	-8.9 %	25.6	23.4	-8.7 %	139	124	95.2 %	93.2 %
Western Bay of Plenty	178	165	-7.3 %	11.2	10.3	-8.0 %	158	155	88.8 %	93.9 %
	596	574	-3.7 %	17.8	17.1	-3.8 %	548	548	91.9 %	95.5 %

PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	827	757	-8.5 %	175.3	162.1	-7.5 %	308	275	37.2 %	36.3 %
Rotorua	1,172	956	-18.4 %	163.6	133.9	-18.2 %	349	333	29.8 %	34.8 %
Taupo	1,019	808	-20.7 %	178.8	142.1	-20.5 %	319	282	31.3 %	34.9 %
Western Bay of Plenty	1,541	1,567	1.7 %	96.9	97.8	1.0 %	558	644	36.2 %	41.1 %
	4,559	4,088	-10.3 %	136.1	121.9	-10.4 %	1,534	1,534	33.6 %	37.5 %

PUBLIC ORDER OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	550	589	7.1 %	116.6	126.1	8.2 %	501	539	91.1 %	91.5 %
Rotorua	1,178	994	-15.6 %	164.4	139.2	-15.3 %	1,088	940	92.4 %	94.6 %
Taupo	676	482	-28.7 %	118.6	84.8	-28.5 %	619	443	91.6 %	91.9 %
Western Bay of Plenty	1,319	1,277	-3.2 %	82.9	79.7	-3.9 %	1,222	1,195	92.6 %	93.6 %
	3,723	3,342	-10.2 %	111.2	99.7	-10.3 %	3,430	3,117	92.1 %	93.3 %

OFFENCES AGAINST JUSTICE PROCEDURES, GOVERNMENT SECURITY AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

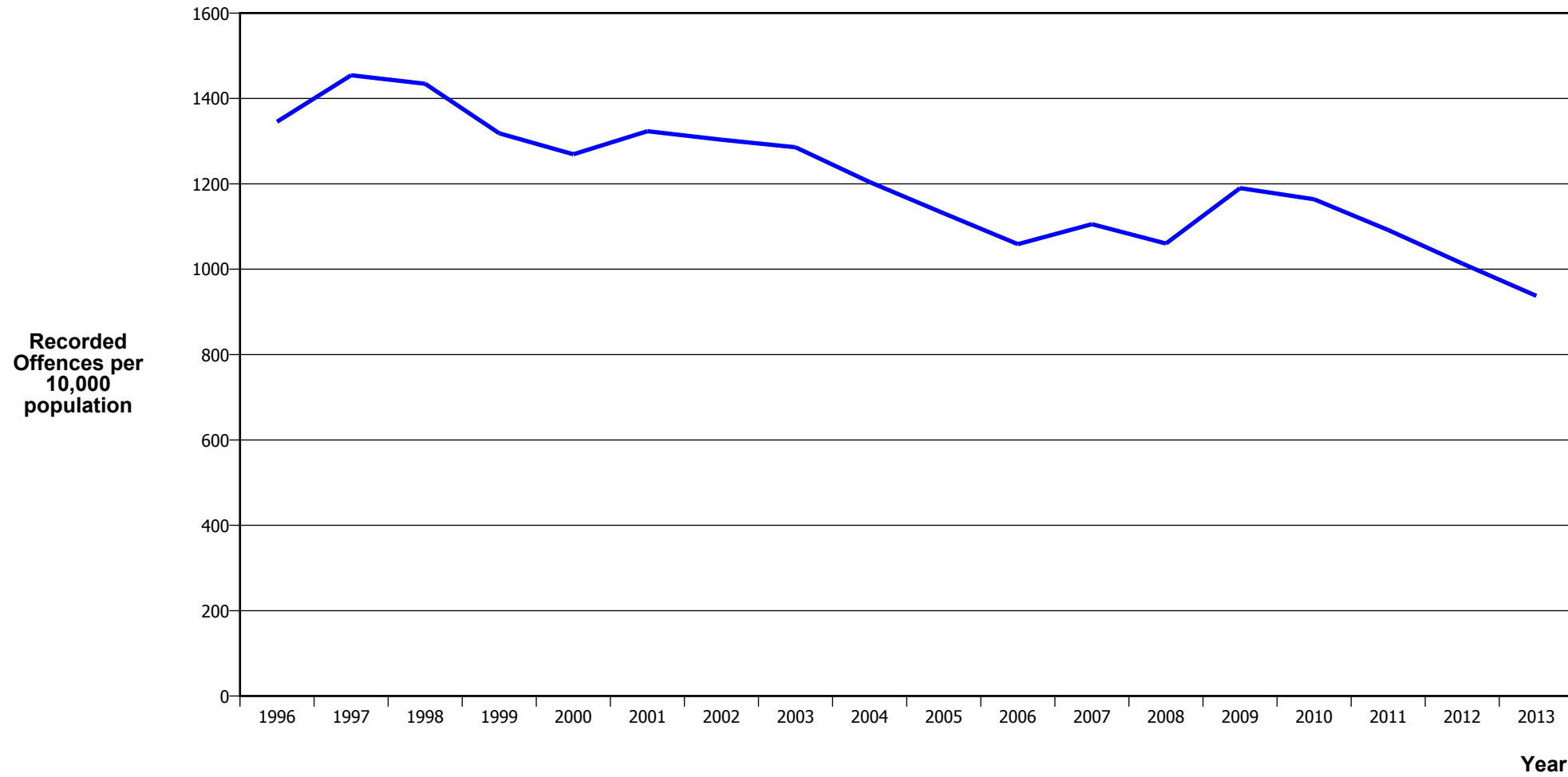
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Eastern Bay of Plenty	309	261	-15.5 %	65.5	55.9	-14.7 %	305	255	98.7 %	97.7 %
Rotorua	506	422	-16.6 %	70.6	59.1	-16.3 %	472	393	93.3 %	93.1 %
Taupo	264	211	-20.1 %	46.3	37.1	-19.9 %	253	192	95.8 %	91.0 %
Western Bay of Plenty	425	404	-4.9 %	26.7	25.2	-5.6 %	415	386	97.6 %	95.5 %
	1,504	1,298	-13.7 %	44.9	38.7	-13.8 %	1,445	1,226	96.1 %	94.5 %

MISCELLANEOUS OFFENCES

Area Description	Recorded 2012	Recorded 2013	Variance 2012-2013	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2012	Recorded per 10,000 pop 2013	Per 10,000 pop % Variance 2012 to 2013	Resolved 2012	Resolved 2013	Resolution Rate 2012	Resolution Rate 2013
Eastern Bay of Plenty	16	22	37.5 %	3.4	4.7	38.9 %	10	9	62.5 %	40.9 %
Rotorua	22	30	36.4 %	3.1	4.2	36.8 %	16	19	72.7 %	63.3 %
Taupo	47	40	-14.9 %	8.2	7.0	-14.7 %	38	33	80.9 %	82.5 %
Western Bay of Plenty	29	26	-10.3 %	1.8	1.6	-11.0 %	22	18	75.9 %	69.2 %
	114	118	3.5 %	3.4	3.5	3.4 %	86	79	75.4 %	66.9 %

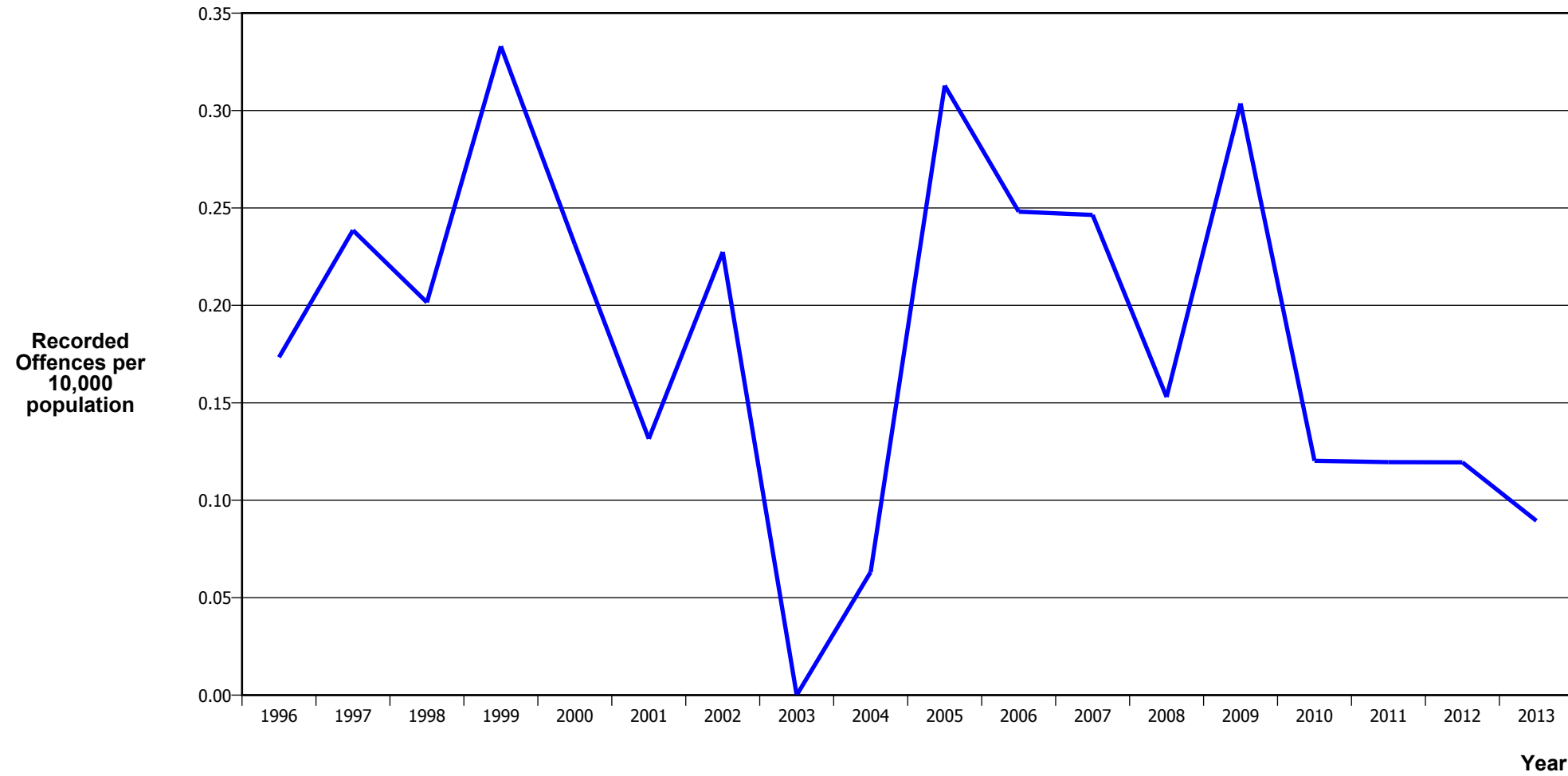
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TOTAL CRIME



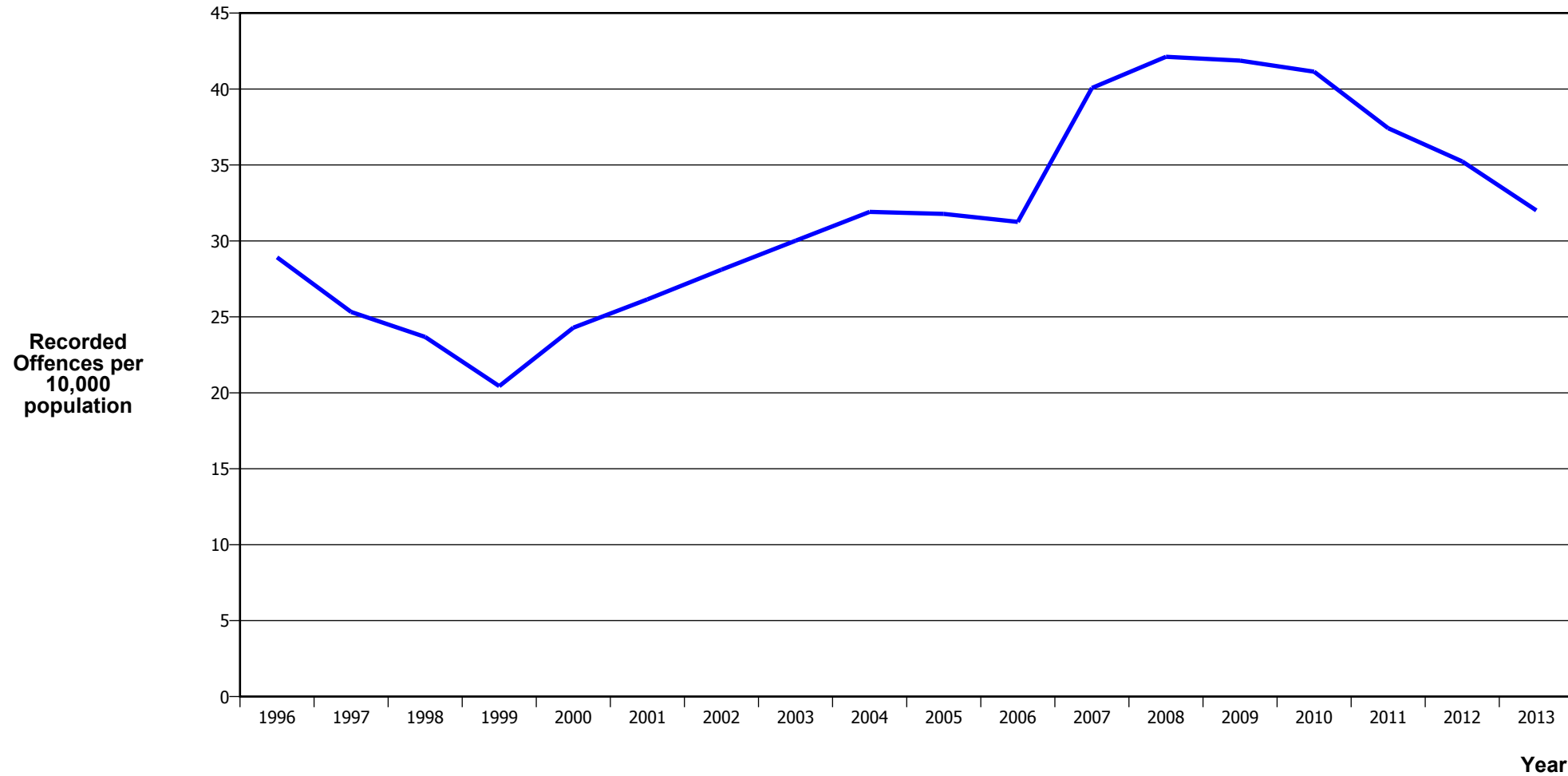
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	38,802	42,670	42,709	39,597	38,405	40,227	40,111	40,138	38,112	36,154	34,139	35,890	34,655	39,188	38,701	36,534	33,935	31,433
Recorded per 10,000 Population	1,345.4	1,454.3	1,434.5	1,318.4	1,269.2	1,323.3	1,303.3	1,285.6	1,204.2	1,130.9	1,058.6	1,105.5	1,060.1	1,190.0	1,163.8	1,091.9	1,013.3	937.6

MURDER



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	5	7	6	10	7	4	7	0	2	10	8	8	5	10	4	4	4	3
Recorded per 10,000 Population	0.17	0.24	0.20	0.33	0.23	0.13	0.23	0.00	0.06	0.31	0.25	0.25	0.15	0.30	0.12	0.12	0.12	0.09

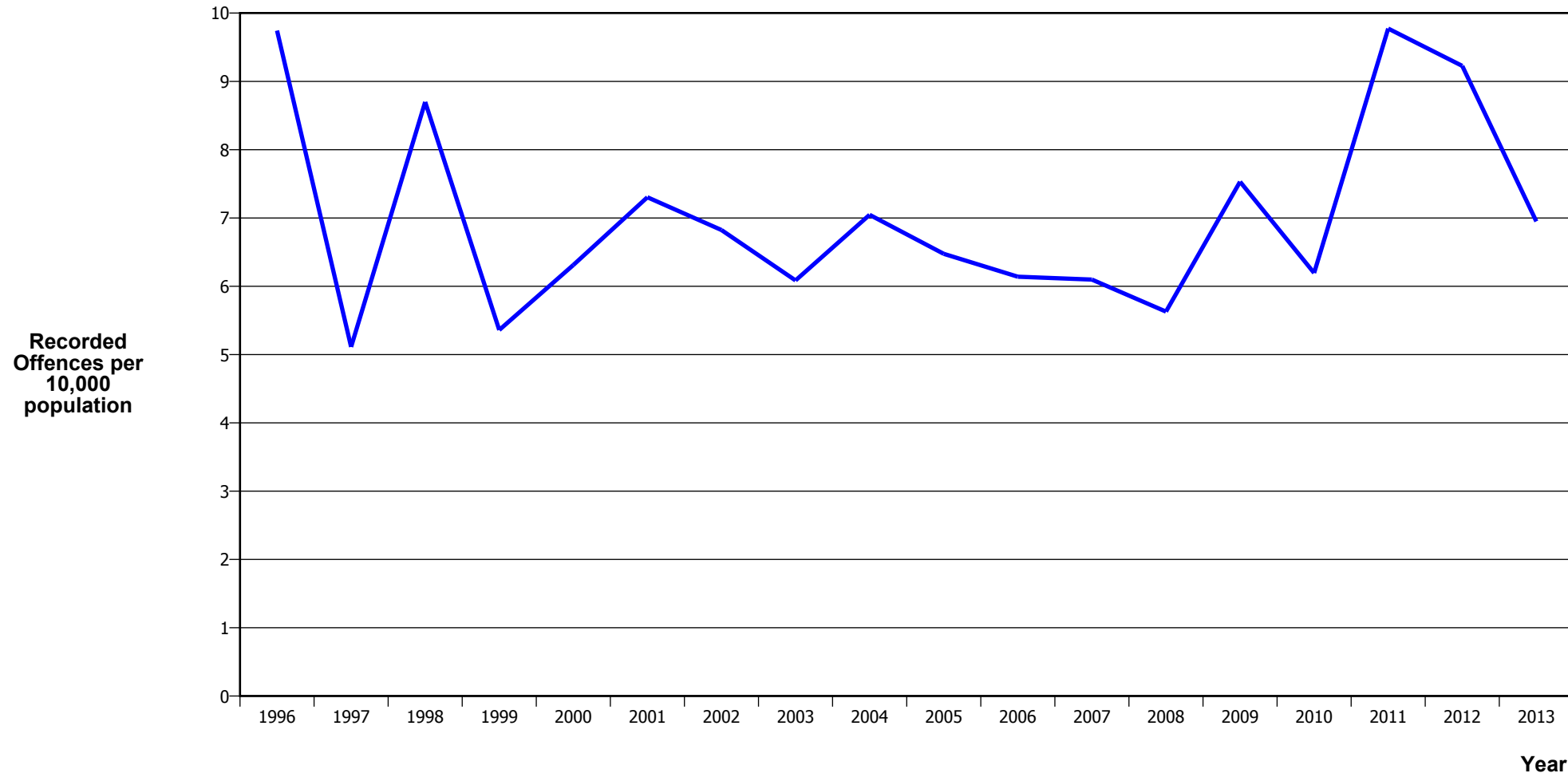
SERIOUS ASSAULTS RESULTING IN INJURY*



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offence	834	743	705	614	735	795	865	937	1,010	1,016	1,008	1,301	1,377	1,379	1,368	1,252	1,180	1,073
Offence Rate per 10K Popn	28.9	25.3	23.7	20.4	24.3	26.2	28.1	30.0	31.9	31.8	31.3	40.1	42.1	41.9	41.1	37.4	35.2	32.0

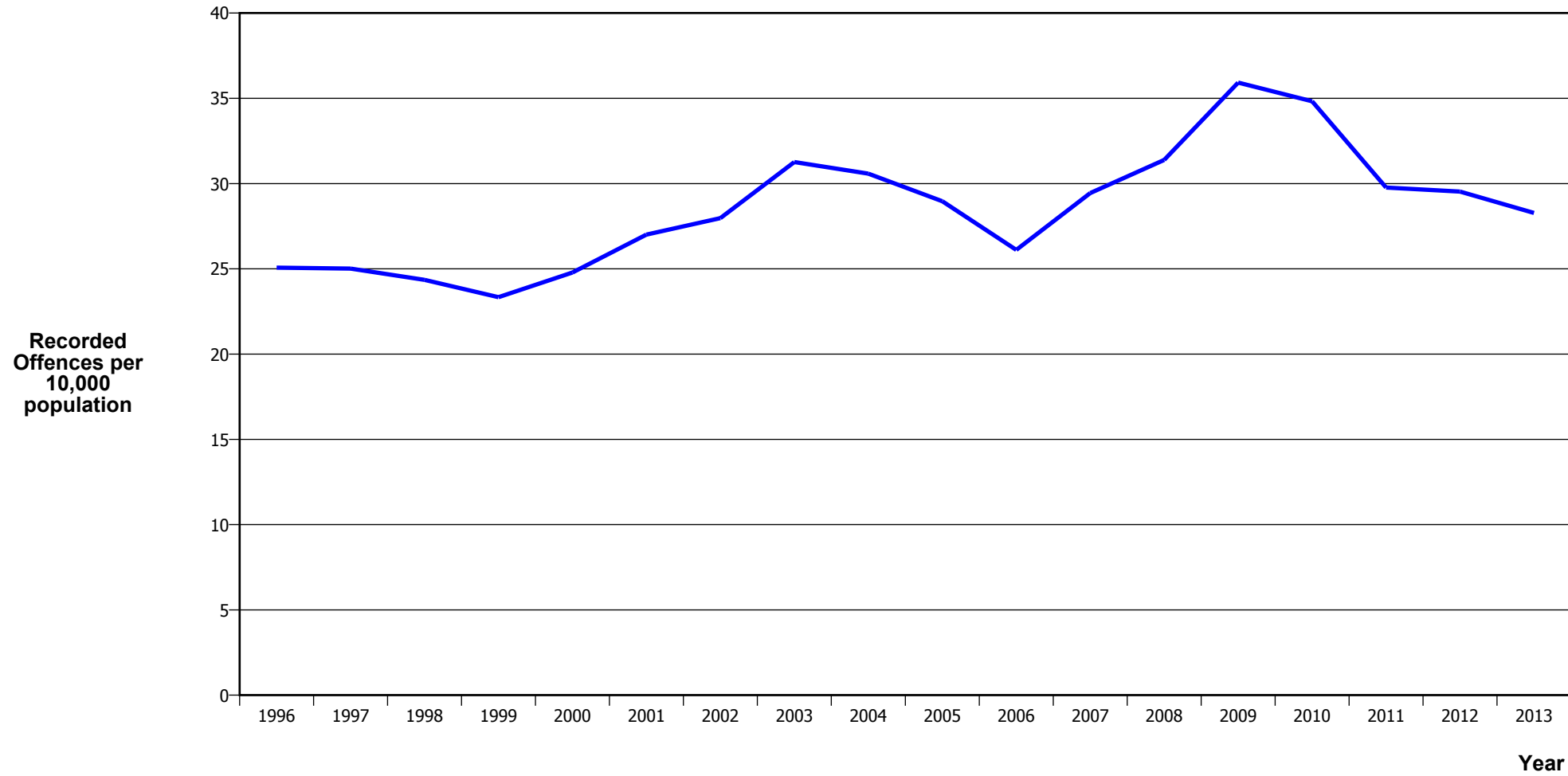
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SEXUAL ASSAULTS



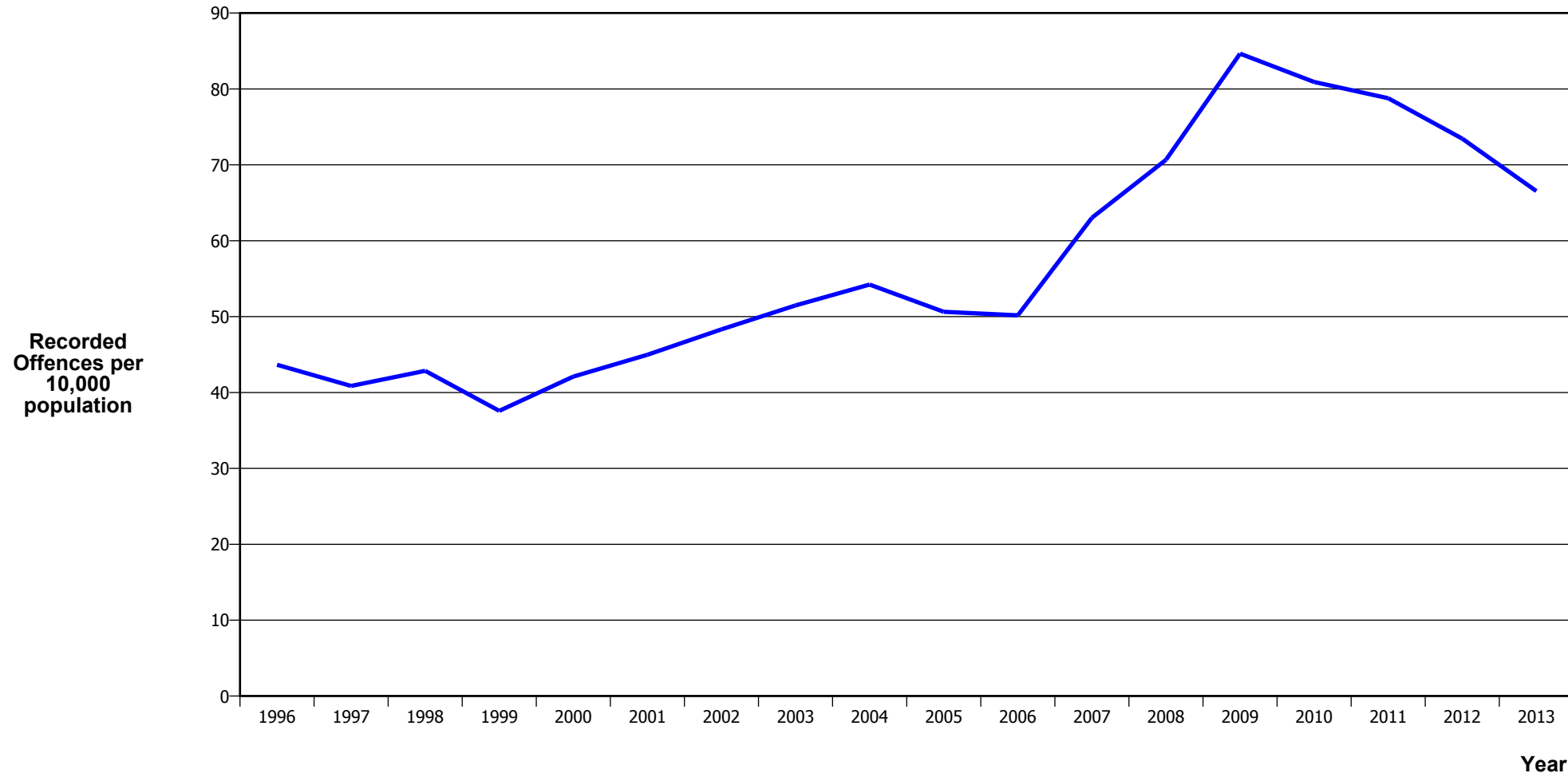
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Recorded Offences	281	150	259	161	191	222	210	190	223	207	198	198	184	248	206	327	309	233
Recorded per 10,000 Population	9.7	5.1	8.7	5.4	6.3	7.3	6.8	6.1	7.0	6.5	6.1	6.1	5.6	7.5	6.2	9.8	9.2	7.0

PUBLIC PLACE ASSAULTS



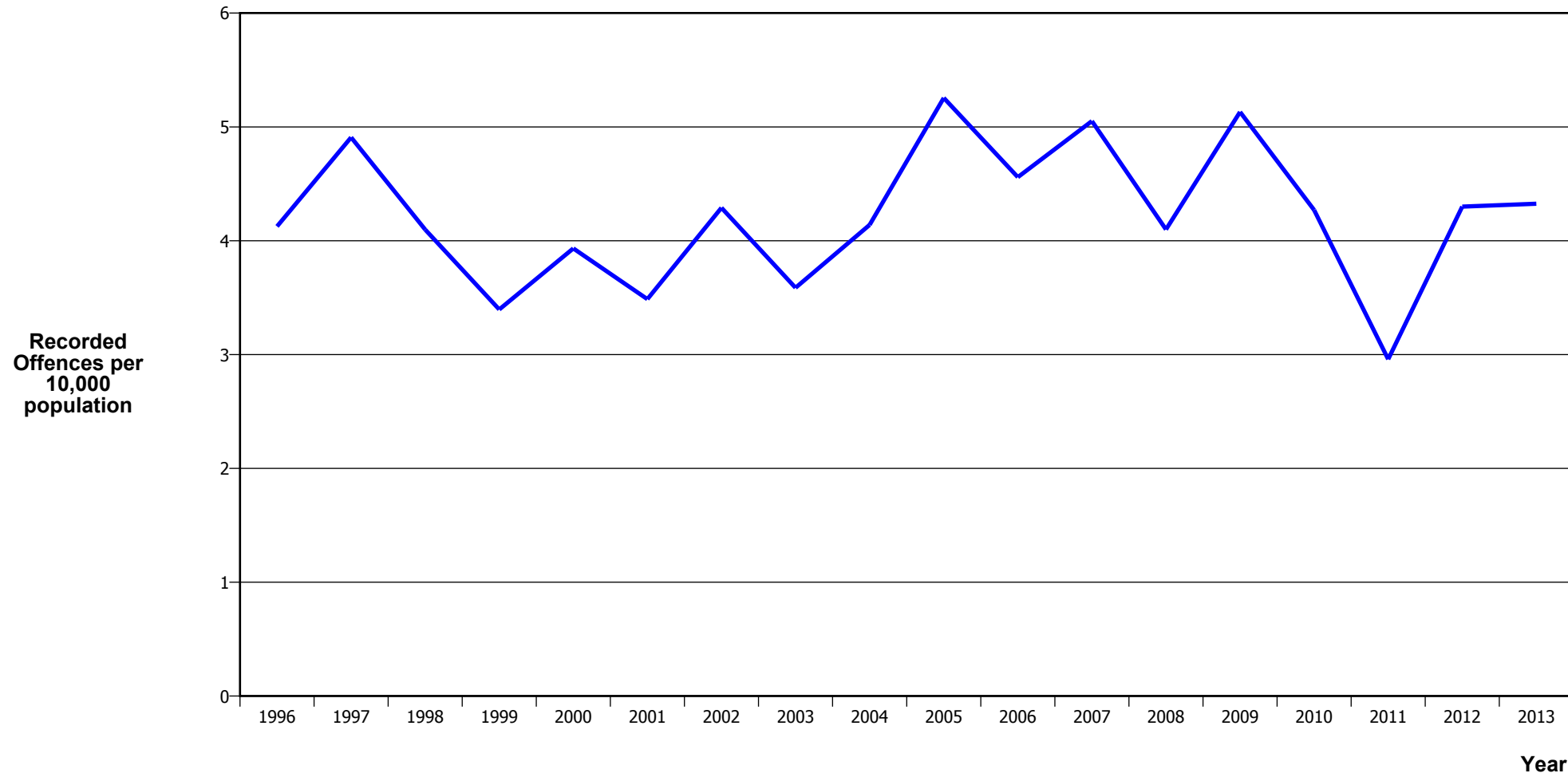
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	723	734	725	701	750	821	861	976	968	926	842	956	1,026	1,183	1,158	996	989	948
Recorded per 10,000 Population	25.1	25.0	24.4	23.3	24.8	27.0	28.0	31.3	30.6	29.0	26.1	29.4	31.4	35.9	34.8	29.8	29.5	28.3

DWELLING ASSAULTS



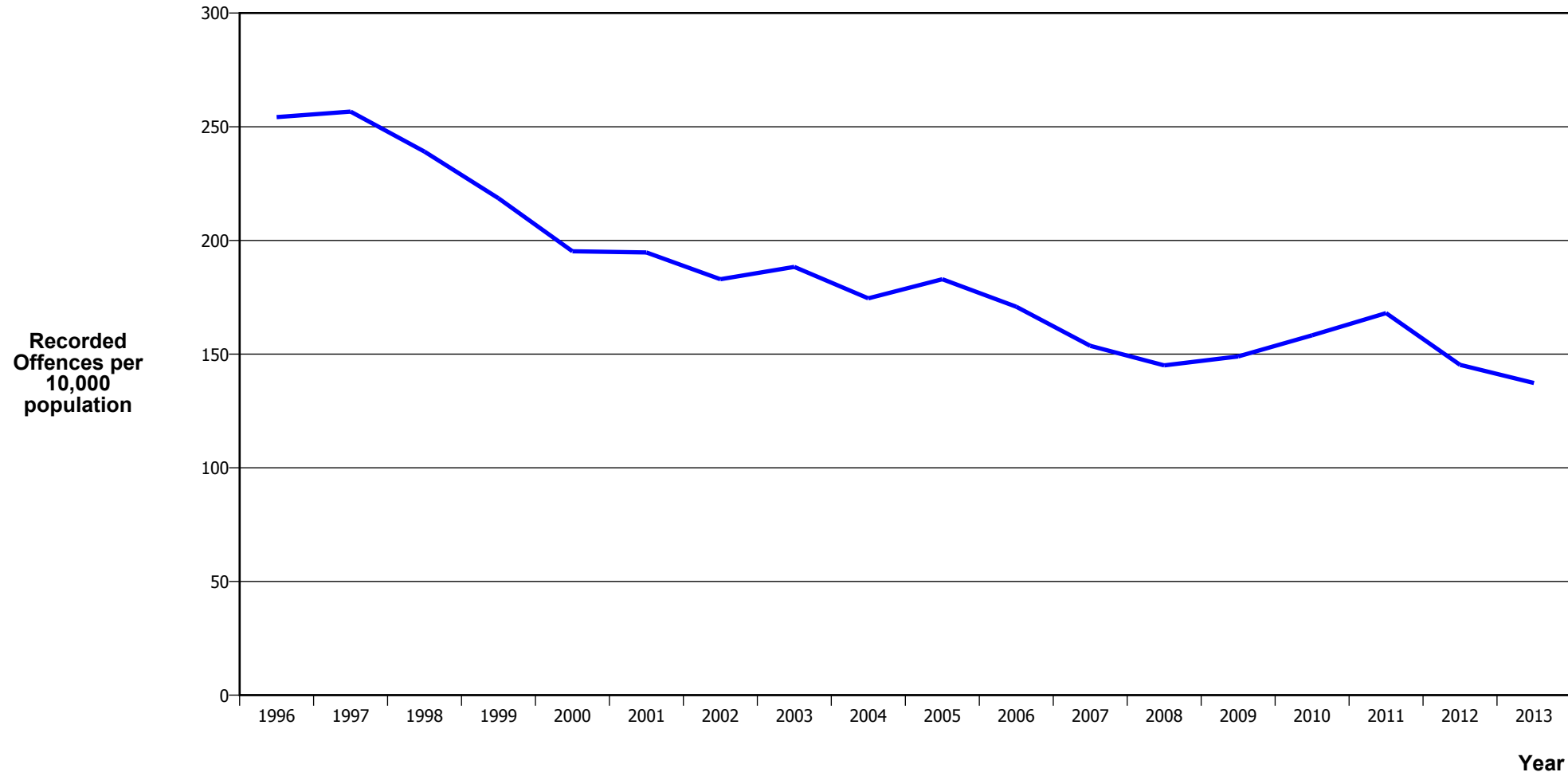
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	1,259	1,199	1,276	1,129	1,274	1,367	1,487	1,607	1,716	1,619	1,618	2,046	2,310	2,788	2,691	2,636	2,460	2,231
Recorded per 10,000 Population	43.7	40.9	42.9	37.6	42.1	45.0	48.3	51.5	54.2	50.6	50.2	63.0	70.7	84.7	80.9	78.8	73.5	66.5

ROBBERY



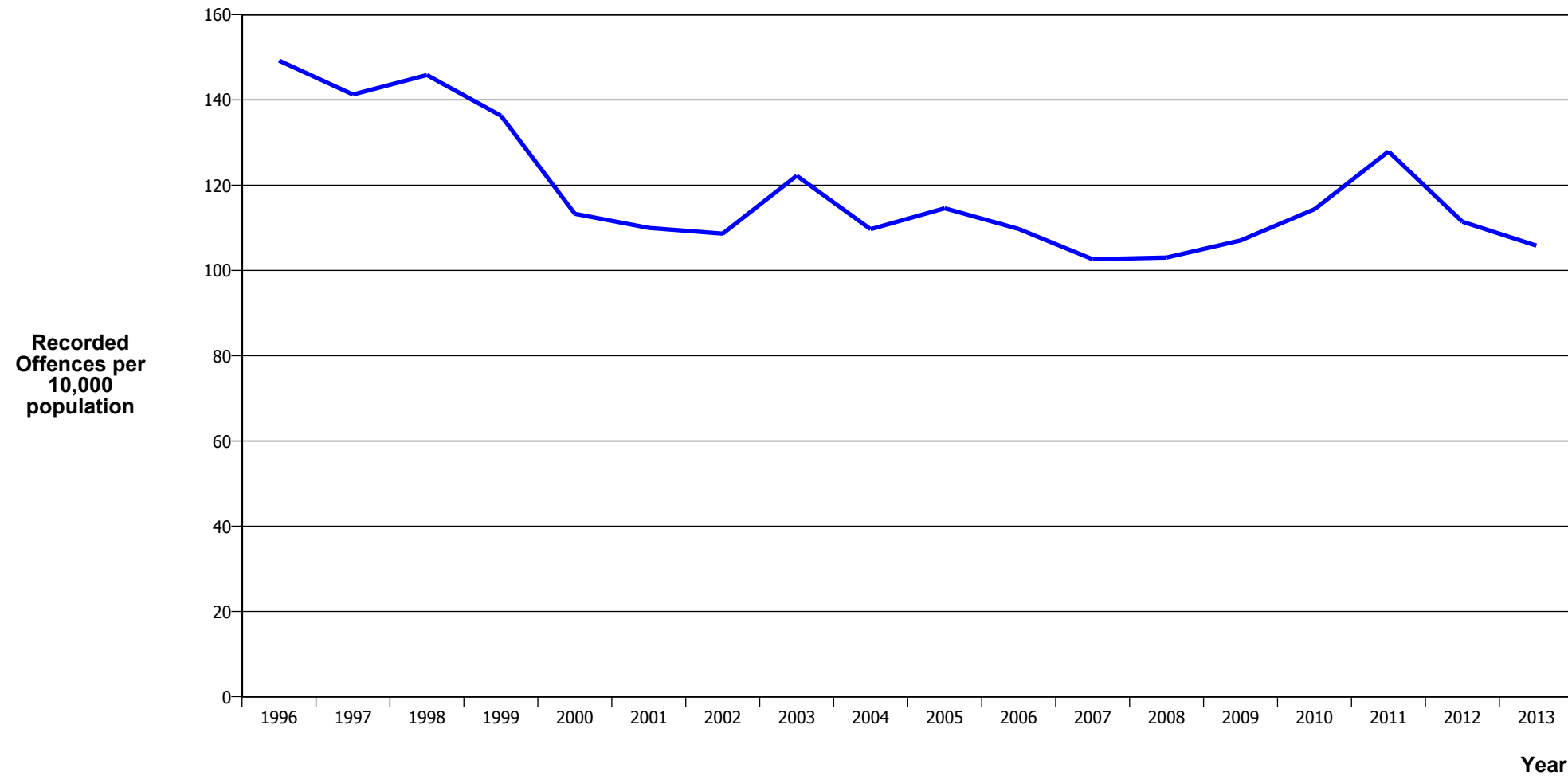
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	119	144	122	102	119	106	132	112	131	168	147	164	134	169	142	99	144	145
Recorded per 10,000 Population	4.1	4.9	4.1	3.4	3.9	3.5	4.3	3.6	4.1	5.3	4.6	5.1	4.1	5.1	4.3	3.0	4.3	4.3

BURGLARY (TOTAL)



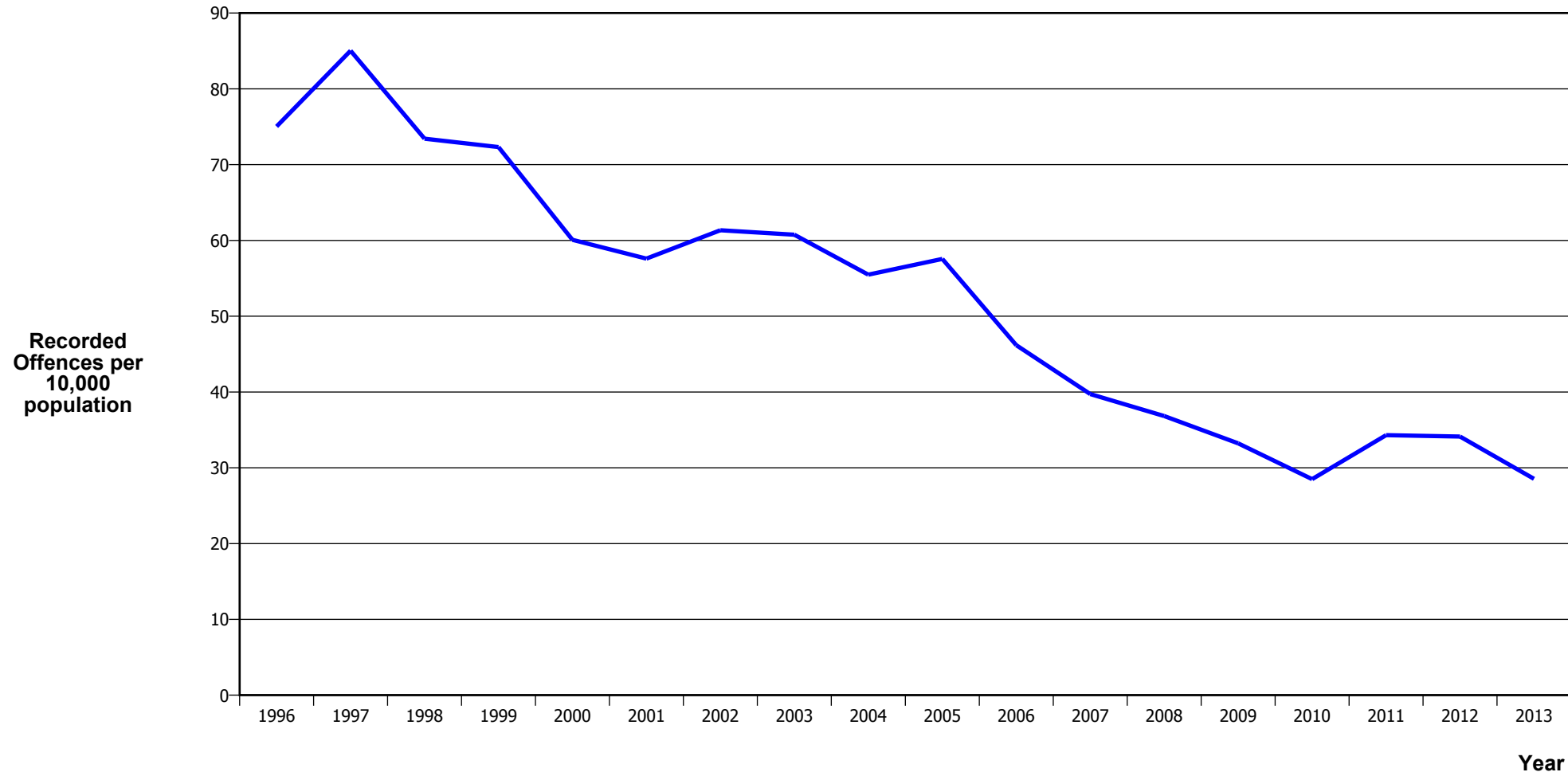
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	7,332	7,531	7,117	6,564	5,908	5,919	5,630	5,881	5,523	5,848	5,510	4,988	4,742	4,906	5,263	5,623	4,865	4,602
Recorded per 10,000 Population	254.2	256.7	239.1	218.5	195.2	194.7	182.9	188.4	174.5	182.9	170.9	153.6	145.1	149.0	158.3	168.1	145.3	137.3

BURGLARY (DWELLING)



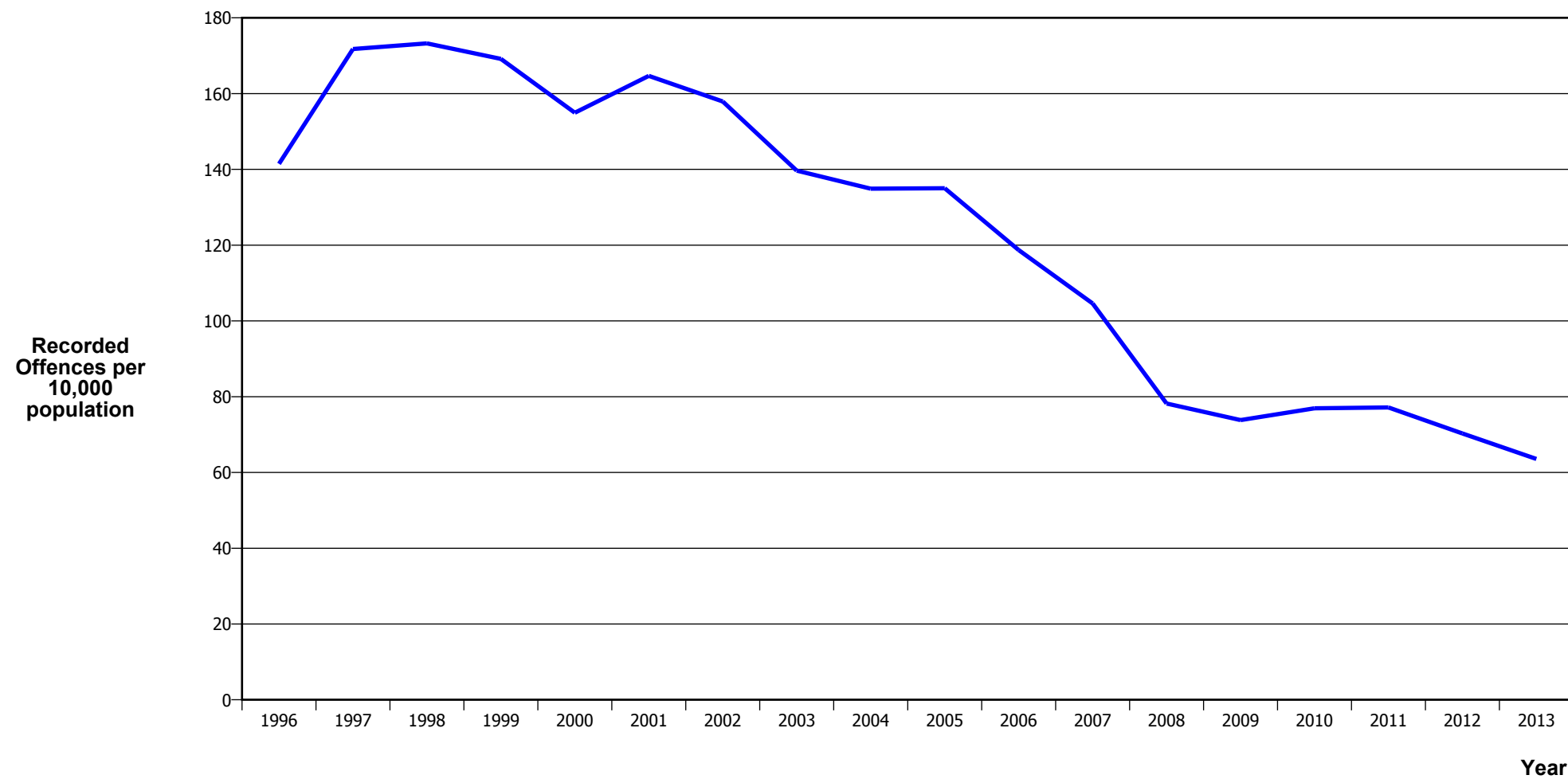
Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	4,304	4,145	4,342	4,094	3,428	3,343	3,343	3,816	3,471	3,663	3,539	3,332	3,368	3,525	3,803	4,280	3,732	3,547
Recorded per 10,000 Population	149.2	141.3	145.8	136.3	113.3	110.0	108.6	122.2	109.7	114.6	109.7	102.6	103.0	107.0	114.4	127.9	111.4	105.8

VEHICLES STOLEN



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	2,164	2,495	2,186	2,172	1,818	1,751	1,888	1,897	1,756	1,840	1,489	1,290	1,204	1,094	948	1,148	1,143	957
Recorded per 10,000 Population	75.0	85.0	73.4	72.3	60.1	57.6	61.3	60.8	55.5	57.6	46.2	39.7	36.8	33.2	28.5	34.3	34.1	28.5

THEFT EX CAR



Calendar Year	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Recorded Offences	4,080	5,040	5,158	5,081	4,689	5,006	4,860	4,361	4,270	4,317	3,828	3,396	2,556	2,431	2,558	2,582	2,354	2,131
Recorded per 10,000 Population	141.5	171.8	173.3	169.2	155.0	164.7	157.9	139.7	134.9	135.0	118.7	104.6	78.2	73.8	76.9	77.2	70.3	63.6

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	288,410
1997	293,410
1998	297,720
1999	300,350
2000	302,600
2001	304,000
2002	307,760
2003	312,220
2004	316,480
2005	319,700
2006	322,490
2007	324,660
2008	326,890
2009	329,320
2010	332,530
2011	334,590
2012	334,910
2013	335,240

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.