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CRIME STATISTICS  
2006



A Summary of  
Recorded and Resolved Offence Statistics

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## REPORT NOTES:

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

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

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

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

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

From time to time, changes occur to categorisation of offences. Reasons for these changes include new legislation or the desire to gain more specificity in statistics for certain types of offences. Caution should therefore be observed when interpreting step-increases and decreases in the number of recorded offences of a certain type.

In June 2005 Police replaced the aging Law Enforcement System (LES), known colloquially by most New Zealanders as 'The Wanganui Computer'. As previously reported, this system change had a significant effect on numbers reported in recorded crime statistics. Caution should therefore be observed when inferring trends based on statistics in this report from the 2005 and 2006 calendar years.

For example, this document reports a 4.1% increase in total recorded crime between 2005 and 2006. As the IT system upgrade occurred mid-way through 2005, such comparison is problematic. The statistics summarised in this report are given in more detail on Statistics New Zealand's website, including a monthly breakdown. Comparison of July-December 2005 with July-December 2006, both of which relate to periods after the IT system upgrade, reveals that there was a 0.04% reduction in recorded crime.

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

Note that the Waitemata District was referred to in previous reports as the North Shore/Waitakere District.

## SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

| Offence Category | Offence Class            | Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2006 | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|------------------|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Violence         | Grievous Assaults        | 3,384         | 3,836         | 4,116         | 13.4 %         | 7.3 %          | 2,825         | 3,209         | 3,479         | 83.5 %                | 83.7 %                | 84.5 %                |
|                  | Group Assemblies         | 449           | 426           | 457           | -5.1 %         | 7.3 %          | 349           | 307           | 331           | 77.7 %                | 72.1 %                | 72.4 %                |
|                  | Homicide                 | 86            | 109           | 98            | 26.7 %         | -10.1 %        | 76            | 96            | 93            | 88.4 %                | 88.1 %                | 94.9 %                |
|                  | Intimidation And Threats | 10,695        | 11,917        | 12,567        | 11.4 %         | 5.5 %          | 8,828         | 9,854         | 10,350        | 82.5 %                | 82.7 %                | 82.4 %                |
|                  | Kidnapping And Abduction | 201           | 203           | 263           | 1.0 %          | 29.6 %         | 135           | 143           | 192           | 67.2 %                | 70.4 %                | 73.0 %                |
|                  | Minor Assaults           | 12,908        | 13,014        | 12,700        | 0.8 %          | -2.4 %         | 10,416        | 10,233        | 9,910         | 80.7 %                | 78.6 %                | 78.0 %                |
|                  | Robbery                  | 1,971         | 2,213         | 2,801         | 12.3 %         | 26.6 %         | 718           | 902           | 1,142         | 36.4 %                | 40.8 %                | 40.8 %                |
|                  | Serious Assaults         | 15,535        | 16,619        | 17,729        | 7.0 %          | 6.7 %          | 13,102        | 13,914        | 15,108        | 84.3 %                | 83.7 %                | 85.2 %                |
| <b>Violence</b>  |                          | <b>45,229</b> | <b>48,337</b> | <b>50,731</b> | <b>6.9 %</b>   | <b>5.0 %</b>   | <b>36,449</b> | <b>38,658</b> | <b>40,605</b> | <b>80.6 %</b>         | <b>80.0 %</b>         | <b>80.0 %</b>         |

| Offence Category | Offence Class                   | Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2006 | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Sexual           | Abnormal Sex                    | 8             | 15            | 24            | 87.5 %         | 60.0 %         | 4             | 11            | 19            | 50.0 %                | 73.3 %                | 79.2 %                |
|                  | Immoral Behaviour               | 241           | 312           | 391           | 29.5 %         | 25.3 %         | 152           | 229           | 283           | 63.1 %                | 73.4 %                | 72.4 %                |
|                  | Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous | 74            | 125           | 87            | 68.9 %         | -30.4 %        | 43            | 68            | 55            | 58.1 %                | 54.4 %                | 63.2 %                |
|                  | Sexual Affronts                 | 578           | 640           | 546           | 10.7 %         | -14.7 %        | 292           | 327           | 323           | 50.5 %                | 51.1 %                | 59.2 %                |
|                  | Sexual Attacks                  | 2,173         | 2,179         | 2,476         | 0.3 %          | 13.6 %         | 1,227         | 1,155         | 1,437         | 56.5 %                | 53.0 %                | 58.0 %                |
| <b>Sexual</b>    |                                 | <b>3,074</b>  | <b>3,271</b>  | <b>3,524</b>  | <b>6.4 %</b>   | <b>7.7 %</b>   | <b>1,718</b>  | <b>1,790</b>  | <b>2,117</b>  | <b>55.9 %</b>         | <b>54.7 %</b>         | <b>60.1 %</b>         |

| Offence Category              | Offence Class             | Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2006 | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Drugs & AntiSocial            | Disorder                  | 22,988        | 21,646        | 23,256        | -5.8 %         | 7.4 %          | 20,693        | 19,257        | 21,038        | 90.0 %                | 89.0 %                | 90.5 %                |
|                               | Drugs (Cannabis Only)     | 16,409        | 14,713        | 14,576        | -10.3 %        | -0.9 %         | 15,344        | 13,949        | 13,696        | 93.5 %                | 94.8 %                | 94.0 %                |
|                               | Drugs (New Drugs)         | 1,998         | 2,573         | 3,068         | 28.8 %         | 19.2 %         | 1,849         | 2,458         | 2,894         | 92.5 %                | 95.5 %                | 94.3 %                |
|                               | Drugs (Not Cannabis)      | 1,503         | 1,651         | 1,683         | 9.8 %          | 1.9 %          | 1,388         | 1,231         | 1,382         | 92.3 %                | 74.6 %                | 82.1 %                |
|                               | Family Offences           | 522           | 295           | 307           | -43.5 %        | 4.1 %          | 393           | 203           | 231           | 75.3 %                | 68.8 %                | 75.2 %                |
|                               | Family Offences Continued | 4,392         | 4,412         | 4,388         | 0.5 %          | -0.5 %         | 3,822         | 3,938         | 3,938         | 87.0 %                | 89.3 %                | 89.7 %                |
|                               | Gaming                    | 43            | 24            | 9             | -44.2 %        | -62.5 %        | 32            | 15            | 7             | 74.4 %                | 62.5 %                | 77.8 %                |
|                               | Sale Of Liquor Act        | 6,462         | 6,385         | 7,535         | -1.2 %         | 18.0 %         | 6,263         | 6,222         | 7,292         | 96.9 %                | 97.4 %                | 96.8 %                |
|                               | Vagrancy Offences         | 134           | 131           | 125           | -2.2 %         | -4.6 %         | 120           | 125           | 116           | 89.6 %                | 95.4 %                | 92.8 %                |
| <b>Drugs &amp; AntiSocial</b> |                           | <b>54,451</b> | <b>51,830</b> | <b>54,947</b> | <b>-4.8 %</b>  | <b>6.0 %</b>   | <b>49,904</b> | <b>47,398</b> | <b>50,594</b> | <b>91.6 %</b>         | <b>91.4 %</b>         | <b>92.1 %</b>         |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

| Offence Category  | Offence Class            | Recorded 2004  | Recorded 2005  | Recorded 2006  | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Dishonesty        | Burglary                 | 57,669         | 58,133         | 61,672         | 0.8 %          | 6.1 %          | 9,953         | 9,413         | 9,596         | 17.3 %                | 16.2 %                | 15.6 %                |
|                   | Car Conversion Etc       | 33,547         | 36,162         | 37,507         | 7.8 %          | 3.7 %          | 7,497         | 7,845         | 8,333         | 22.3 %                | 21.7 %                | 22.2 %                |
|                   | Dishonesty/Miscellaneous | 348            | 362            | 579            | 4.0 %          | 59.9 %         | 147           | 124           | 237           | 42.2 %                | 34.3 %                | 40.9 %                |
|                   | Fraud                    | 16,008         | 11,202         | 11,855         | -30.0 %        | 5.8 %          | 7,277         | 5,454         | 6,051         | 45.5 %                | 48.7 %                | 51.0 %                |
|                   | Receiving                | 2,376          | 2,330          | 3,052          | -1.9 %         | 31.0 %         | 2,294         | 2,256         | 2,963         | 96.5 %                | 96.8 %                | 97.1 %                |
|                   | Theft                    | 120,651        | 122,298        | 122,169        | 1.4 %          | -0.1 %         | 27,692        | 26,458        | 25,907        | 23.0 %                | 21.6 %                | 21.2 %                |
| <b>Dishonesty</b> |                          | <b>230,599</b> | <b>230,487</b> | <b>236,834</b> | <b>-0.0 %</b>  | <b>2.8 %</b>   | <b>54,860</b> | <b>51,550</b> | <b>53,087</b> | <b>23.8 %</b>         | <b>22.4 %</b>         | <b>22.4 %</b>         |

| Offence Category       | Offence Class           | Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2006 | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Property Damage        | Destruction Of Property | 41,127        | 43,349        | 48,502        | 5.4 %          | 11.9 %         | 12,875        | 13,375        | 14,716        | 31.3 %                | 30.9 %                | 30.3 %                |
|                        | Endangering             | 205           | 228           | 318           | 11.2 %         | 39.5 %         | 166           | 178           | 239           | 81.0 %                | 78.1 %                | 75.2 %                |
| <b>Property Damage</b> |                         | <b>41,332</b> | <b>43,577</b> | <b>48,820</b> | <b>5.4 %</b>   | <b>12.0 %</b>  | <b>13,041</b> | <b>13,553</b> | <b>14,955</b> | <b>31.6 %</b>         | <b>31.1 %</b>         | <b>30.6 %</b>         |

| Offence Category      | Offence Class                   | Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2006 | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Property Abuse        | Animals                         | 368           | 302           | 279           | -17.9 %        | -7.6 %         | 217           | 172           | 182           | 59.0 %                | 57.0 %                | 65.2 %                |
|                       | Arms Act Offences               | 2,677         | 2,834         | 3,044         | 5.9 %          | 7.4 %          | 2,244         | 2,331         | 2,555         | 83.8 %                | 82.3 %                | 83.9 %                |
|                       | Littering                       | 300           | 286           | 294           | -4.7 %         | 2.8 %          | 215           | 207           | 217           | 71.7 %                | 72.4 %                | 73.8 %                |
|                       | Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses | 4,049         | 3,737         | 3,277         | -7.7 %         | -12.3 %        | 2,346         | 2,016         | 1,784         | 57.9 %                | 53.9 %                | 54.4 %                |
|                       | Trespass                        | 12,269        | 11,571        | 10,481        | -5.7 %         | -9.4 %         | 9,367         | 8,405         | 8,025         | 76.3 %                | 72.6 %                | 76.6 %                |
| <b>Property Abuse</b> |                                 | <b>19,663</b> | <b>18,730</b> | <b>17,375</b> | <b>-4.7 %</b>  | <b>-7.2 %</b>  | <b>14,389</b> | <b>13,131</b> | <b>12,763</b> | <b>73.2 %</b>         | <b>70.1 %</b>         | <b>73.5 %</b>         |

| Offence Category      | Offence Class                | Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2006 | Variance 04-05 | Variance 05-06 | Resolved 2004 | Resolved 2005 | Resolved 2006 | Percent Resolved 2004 | Percent Resolved 2005 | Percent Resolved 2006 |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Administrative        | Against Justice              | 9,715         | 9,569         | 10,479        | -1.5 %         | 9.5 %          | 8,852         | 8,761         | 9,853         | 91.1 %                | 91.6 %                | 94.0 %                |
|                       | Against National Interest    | 6             | 10            | 16            | 66.7 %         | 60.0 %         | 5             | 7             | 11            | 83.3 %                | 70.0 %                | 68.8 %                |
|                       | Births, Deaths And Marriages | 9             | 6             | 10            | -33.3 %        | 66.7 %         | 4             | 4             | 3             | 44.4 %                | 66.7 %                | 30.0 %                |
|                       | By Law Breaches              | 923           | 850           | 578           | -7.9 %         | -32.0 %        | 805           | 747           | 490           | 87.2 %                | 87.9 %                | 84.8 %                |
|                       | Immigration                  | 1,347         | 768           | 549           | -43.0 %        | -28.5 %        | 1,309         | 708           | 500           | 97.2 %                | 92.2 %                | 91.1 %                |
|                       | Justice (Special)            | 8             | 59            | 266           | 637.5 %        | 350.8 %        | 6             | 55            | 243           | 75.0 %                | 93.2 %                | 91.4 %                |
|                       | Racial                       | 7             | 2             | 5             | -71.4 %        | 150.0 %        | 2             | 0             | 3             | 28.6 %                | 0.0 %                 | 60.0 %                |
| <b>Administrative</b> |                              | <b>12,015</b> | <b>11,264</b> | <b>11,903</b> | <b>-6.3 %</b>  | <b>5.7 %</b>   | <b>10,983</b> | <b>10,282</b> | <b>11,103</b> | <b>91.4 %</b>         | <b>91.3 %</b>         | <b>93.3 %</b>         |

|              |  |                |                |                |              |              |                |                |                |               |               |               |
|--------------|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| <b>TOTAL</b> |  | <b>406,363</b> | <b>407,496</b> | <b>424,134</b> | <b>0.3 %</b> | <b>4.1 %</b> | <b>181,344</b> | <b>176,362</b> | <b>185,224</b> | <b>44.6 %</b> | <b>43.3 %</b> | <b>43.7 %</b> |
|--------------|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|

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

Years ending 31 December

| District Description | Recorded per 10,000<br>pop 2004 | Recorded per 10,000<br>pop 2005 | Recorded per 10,000<br>pop 2006 | Percent Variance 04-05 | Percent Variance<br>05-06 |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| Northland            | 1,033.2                         | 1,053.1                         | 1,025.9                         | 1.9 %                  | -2.6 %                    |
| Waitemata            | 781.5                           | 767.0                           | 798.3                           | -1.9 %                 | 4.1 %                     |
| Auckland             | 1,328.8                         | 1,314.6                         | 1,315.1                         | -1.1 %                 | 0.0 %                     |
| Counties/Manukau     | 966.9                           | 1,063.0                         | 1,154.3                         | 9.9 %                  | 8.6 %                     |
| Waikato              | 940.8                           | 1,008.4                         | 1,092.7                         | 7.2 %                  | 8.4 %                     |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 1,211.5                         | 1,140.0                         | 1,069.1                         | -5.9 %                 | -6.2 %                    |
| Eastern              | 1,160.5                         | 1,182.5                         | 1,263.9                         | 1.9 %                  | 6.9 %                     |
| Central              | 881.6                           | 903.9                           | 971.7                           | 2.5 %                  | 7.5 %                     |
| Wellington           | 954.7                           | 910.4                           | 949.8                           | -4.6 %                 | 4.3 %                     |
| Tasman               | 995.3                           | 935.5                           | 937.8                           | -6.0 %                 | 0.2 %                     |
| Canterbury           | 944.3                           | 863.8                           | 891.2                           | -8.5 %                 | 3.2 %                     |
| Southern             | 988.6                           | 999.8                           | 988.7                           | 1.1 %                  | -1.1 %                    |
| <b>TOTAL</b>         | <b>1,000.5</b>                  | <b>994.2</b>                    | <b>1,024.6</b>                  | <b>-0.6 %</b>          | <b>3.1 %</b>              |

**NATIONAL RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORY**  
**Years ending 31 December**

| Offence Category Description | Offence Class Description | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Violence                     | Grievous Assaults         | 8.3                             | 9.4                             | 9.9                             |
|                              | Group Assemblies          | 1.1                             | 1.0                             | 1.1                             |
|                              | Homicide                  | 0.2                             | 0.3                             | 0.2                             |
|                              | Intimidation And Threats  | 26.3                            | 29.1                            | 30.4                            |
|                              | Kidnapping And Abduction  | 0.5                             | 0.5                             | 0.6                             |
|                              | Minor Assaults            | 31.8                            | 31.8                            | 30.7                            |
|                              | Robbery                   | 4.9                             | 5.4                             | 6.8                             |
|                              | Serious Assaults          | 38.2                            | 40.5                            | 42.8                            |
| <b>Violence</b>              |                           | <b>111.4</b>                    | <b>117.9</b>                    | <b>122.6</b>                    |

| Offence Category Description | Offence Class Description       | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Sexual                       | Abnormal Sex                    | 0.0                             | 0.0                             | 0.1                             |
|                              | Immoral Behaviour               | 0.6                             | 0.8                             | 0.9                             |
|                              | Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous | 0.2                             | 0.3                             | 0.2                             |
|                              | Sexual Affronts                 | 1.4                             | 1.6                             | 1.3                             |
|                              | Sexual Attacks                  | 5.4                             | 5.3                             | 6.0                             |
| <b>Sexual</b>                |                                 | <b>7.6</b>                      | <b>8.0</b>                      | <b>8.5</b>                      |

| Offence Category Description  | Offence Class Description | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Drugs & AntiSocial            | Disorder                  | 56.6                            | 52.8                            | 56.2                            |
|                               | Drugs (Cannabis Only)     | 40.4                            | 35.9                            | 35.2                            |
|                               | Drugs (New Drugs)         | 4.9                             | 6.3                             | 7.4                             |
|                               | Drugs (Not Cannabis)      | 3.7                             | 4.0                             | 4.1                             |
|                               | Family Offences           | 1.3                             | 0.7                             | 0.7                             |
|                               | Family Offences Continued | 10.8                            | 10.8                            | 10.6                            |
|                               | Gaming                    | 0.1                             | 0.1                             | 0.0                             |
|                               | Sale Of Liquor Act        | 15.9                            | 15.6                            | 18.2                            |
|                               | Vagrancy Offences         | 0.3                             | 0.3                             | 0.3                             |
| <b>Drugs &amp; AntiSocial</b> |                           | <b>134.1</b>                    | <b>126.5</b>                    | <b>132.7</b>                    |

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

Years ending 31 December

| Offence Category Description | Offence Class Description | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Dishonesty                   | Burglary                  | 142.0                           | 141.8                           | 149.0                           |
|                              | Car Conversion Etc        | 82.6                            | 88.2                            | 90.6                            |
|                              | Dishonesty/Miscellaneous  | 0.9                             | 0.9                             | 1.4                             |
|                              | Fraud                     | 39.4                            | 27.3                            | 28.6                            |
|                              | Receiving                 | 5.8                             | 5.7                             | 7.4                             |
|                              | Theft                     | 297.1                           | 298.4                           | 295.1                           |
| <b>Dishonesty</b>            |                           | <b>567.8</b>                    | <b>562.4</b>                    | <b>572.1</b>                    |

| Offence Category Description | Offence Class Description | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Property Damage              | Destruction Of Property   | 101.3                           | 105.8                           | 117.2                           |
|                              | Endangering               | 0.5                             | 0.6                             | 0.8                             |
| <b>Property Damage</b>       |                           | <b>101.8</b>                    | <b>106.3</b>                    | <b>117.9</b>                    |

| Offence Category Description | Offence Class Description       | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Property Abuse               | Animals                         | 0.9                             | 0.7                             | 0.7                             |
|                              | Arms Act Offences               | 6.6                             | 6.9                             | 7.4                             |
|                              | Littering                       | 0.7                             | 0.7                             | 0.7                             |
|                              | Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses | 10.0                            | 9.1                             | 7.9                             |
|                              | Trespass                        | 30.2                            | 28.2                            | 25.3                            |
| <b>Property Abuse</b>        |                                 | <b>48.4</b>                     | <b>45.7</b>                     | <b>42.0</b>                     |

| Offence Category Description | Offence Class Description    | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2004 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2005 | Recorded per<br>10,000 pop 2006 |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Administrative               | Against Justice              | 23.9                            | 23.3                            | 25.3                            |
|                              | Against National Interest    | 0.0                             | 0.0                             | 0.0                             |
|                              | Births, Deaths And Marriages | 0.0                             | 0.0                             | 0.0                             |
|                              | By Law Breaches              | 2.3                             | 2.1                             | 1.4                             |
|                              | Immigration                  | 3.3                             | 1.9                             | 1.3                             |
|                              | Justice (Special)            | 0.0                             | 0.1                             | 0.6                             |
|                              | Racial                       | 0.0                             | 0.0                             | 0.0                             |
| <b>Administrative</b>        |                              | <b>29.6</b>                     | <b>27.5</b>                     | <b>28.8</b>                     |

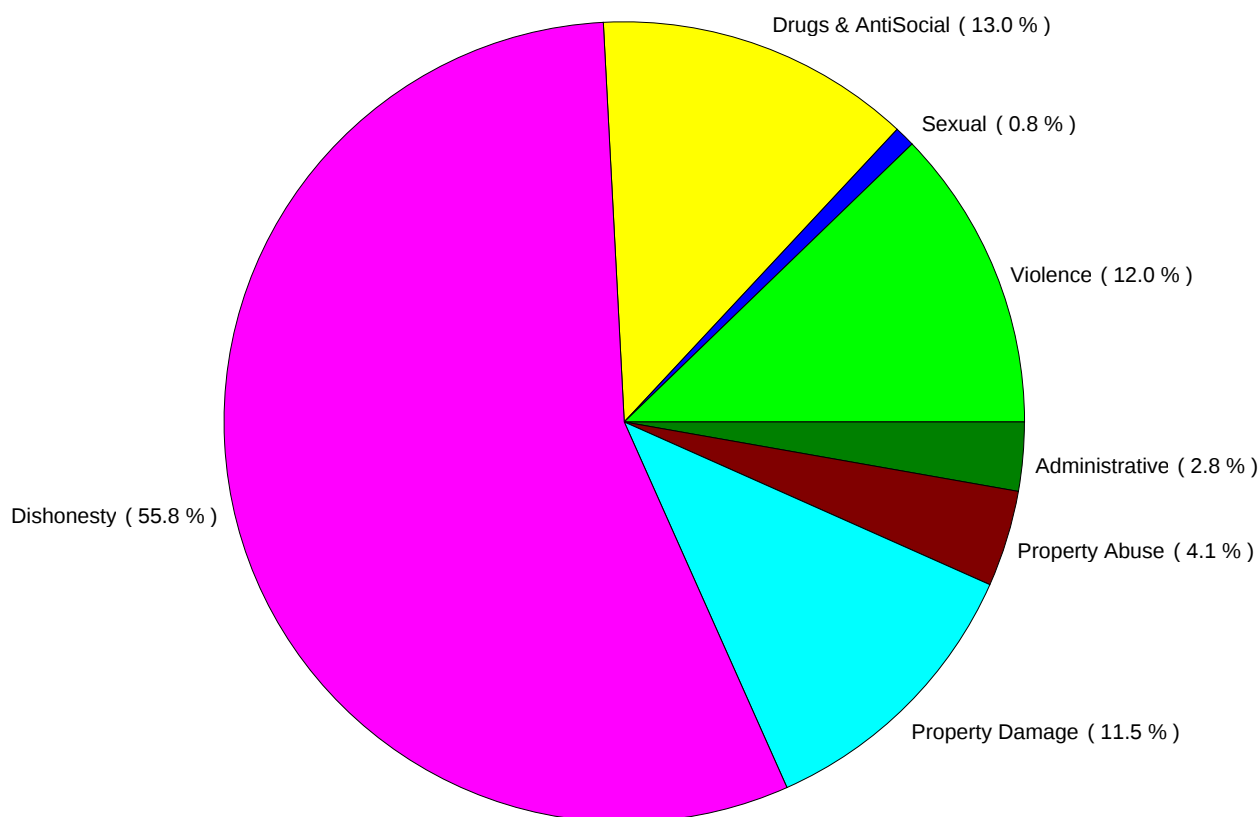
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|--------------|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| <b>TOTAL</b> |  | <b>1,000.5</b> | <b>994.2</b> | <b>1,024.6</b> |
|--------------|--|----------------|--------------|----------------|

## PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORY

Years ending 31 December

| Offence Category   | Proportions Recorded 2004 | Recorded 2004  | Proportions Recorded 2005 | Recorded 2005  | Proportions Recorded 2006 | Recorded 2006  |
|--------------------|---------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| Violence           | 11.1 %                    | 45,229         | 11.9 %                    | 48,337         | 12.0 %                    | 50,731         |
| Sexual             | 0.8 %                     | 3,074          | 0.8 %                     | 3,271          | 0.8 %                     | 3,524          |
| Drugs & AntiSocial | 13.4 %                    | 54,451         | 12.7 %                    | 51,830         | 13.0 %                    | 54,947         |
| Dishonesty         | 56.7 %                    | 230,599        | 56.6 %                    | 230,487        | 55.8 %                    | 236,834        |
| Property Damage    | 10.2 %                    | 41,332         | 10.7 %                    | 43,577         | 11.5 %                    | 48,820         |
| Property Abuse     | 4.8 %                     | 19,663         | 4.6 %                     | 18,730         | 4.1 %                     | 17,375         |
| Administrative     | 3.0 %                     | 12,015         | 2.8 %                     | 11,264         | 2.8 %                     | 11,903         |
| <b>Total:</b>      | <b>100.0 %</b>            | <b>406,363</b> | <b>100.0 %</b>            | <b>407,496</b> | <b>100.0 %</b>            | <b>424,134</b> |

### TOTAL CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2006 (ending 31 December)



# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 30 December

## TOTAL CRIME

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 15,080           | 15,443           | 15,145           | 2.4 %             | -1.9 %            | 7,312            | 7,522            | 7,275            | 48.5 %                      | 48.7 %                      | 48.0 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 38,074           | 37,996           | 40,206           | -0.2 %            | 5.8 %             | 19,194           | 17,876           | 19,180           | 50.4 %                      | 47.0 %                      | 47.7 %                      |
| Auckland             | 53,555           | 53,615           | 54,294           | 0.1 %             | 1.3 %             | 18,294           | 19,098           | 19,908           | 34.2 %                      | 35.6 %                      | 36.7 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 42,937           | 48,003           | 53,049           | 11.8 %            | 10.5 %            | 15,932           | 16,628           | 20,534           | 37.1 %                      | 34.6 %                      | 38.7 %                      |
| Waikato              | 29,083           | 31,435           | 34,415           | 8.1 %             | 9.5 %             | 13,511           | 13,973           | 14,786           | 46.5 %                      | 44.5 %                      | 43.0 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 38,112           | 36,154           | 34,139           | -5.1 %            | -5.6 %            | 19,496           | 17,390           | 17,096           | 51.2 %                      | 48.1 %                      | 50.1 %                      |
| Eastern              | 22,511           | 22,957           | 24,562           | 2.0 %             | 7.0 %             | 11,235           | 10,826           | 11,698           | 49.9 %                      | 47.2 %                      | 47.6 %                      |
| Central              | 30,094           | 30,731           | 33,018           | 2.1 %             | 7.4 %             | 14,453           | 13,555           | 14,822           | 48.0 %                      | 44.1 %                      | 44.9 %                      |
| Wellington           | 42,887           | 41,214           | 43,384           | -3.9 %            | 5.3 %             | 20,240           | 19,012           | 18,568           | 47.2 %                      | 46.1 %                      | 42.8 %                      |
| Tasman               | 16,678           | 15,819           | 16,016           | -5.2 %            | 1.2 %             | 8,933            | 8,936            | 8,499            | 53.6 %                      | 56.5 %                      | 53.1 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 48,675           | 45,026           | 47,047           | -7.5 %            | 4.5 %             | 17,922           | 17,170           | 18,175           | 36.8 %                      | 38.1 %                      | 38.6 %                      |
| Southern             | 28,677           | 29,103           | 28,859           | 1.5 %             | -0.8 %            | 14,822           | 14,376           | 14,683           | 51.7 %                      | 49.4 %                      | 50.9 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>406,363</b>   | <b>407,496</b>   | <b>424,134</b>   | <b>0.3 %</b>      | <b>4.1 %</b>      | <b>181,344</b>   | <b>176,362</b>   | <b>185,224</b>   | <b>44.6 %</b>               | <b>43.3 %</b>               | <b>43.7 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## VIOLENCE

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 1,990            | 2,158            | 2,263            | 8.4 %             | 4.9 %             | 1,539            | 1,730            | 1,779            | 77.3 %                      | 80.2 %                      | 78.6 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 5,115            | 5,000            | 5,279            | -2.2 %            | 5.6 %             | 4,252            | 4,216            | 4,372            | 83.1 %                      | 84.3 %                      | 82.8 %                      |
| Auckland             | 4,527            | 5,031            | 5,172            | 11.1 %            | 2.8 %             | 3,259            | 3,613            | 3,684            | 72.0 %                      | 71.8 %                      | 71.2 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 5,767            | 6,766            | 7,442            | 17.3 %            | 10.0 %            | 4,183            | 4,966            | 5,570            | 72.5 %                      | 73.4 %                      | 74.8 %                      |
| Waikato              | 2,799            | 3,092            | 3,457            | 10.5 %            | 11.8 %            | 2,297            | 2,579            | 2,723            | 82.1 %                      | 83.4 %                      | 78.8 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 4,078            | 3,982            | 3,833            | -2.4 %            | -3.7 %            | 3,539            | 3,415            | 3,470            | 86.8 %                      | 85.8 %                      | 90.5 %                      |
| Eastern              | 2,718            | 2,827            | 2,921            | 4.0 %             | 3.3 %             | 2,267            | 2,279            | 2,277            | 83.4 %                      | 80.6 %                      | 78.0 %                      |
| Central              | 3,635            | 3,840            | 4,122            | 5.6 %             | 7.3 %             | 3,211            | 3,338            | 3,532            | 88.3 %                      | 86.9 %                      | 85.7 %                      |
| Wellington           | 5,239            | 5,837            | 6,155            | 11.4 %            | 5.4 %             | 4,369            | 4,770            | 5,071            | 83.4 %                      | 81.7 %                      | 82.4 %                      |
| Tasman               | 1,944            | 2,012            | 1,953            | 3.5 %             | -2.9 %            | 1,719            | 1,796            | 1,704            | 88.4 %                      | 89.3 %                      | 87.3 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 4,236            | 4,550            | 4,834            | 7.4 %             | 6.2 %             | 3,177            | 3,321            | 3,700            | 75.0 %                      | 73.0 %                      | 76.5 %                      |
| Southern             | 3,181            | 3,242            | 3,300            | 1.9 %             | 1.8 %             | 2,637            | 2,635            | 2,723            | 82.9 %                      | 81.3 %                      | 82.5 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>45,229</b>    | <b>48,337</b>    | <b>50,731</b>    | <b>6.9 %</b>      | <b>5.0 %</b>      | <b>36,449</b>    | <b>38,658</b>    | <b>40,605</b>    | <b>80.6 %</b>               | <b>80.0 %</b>               | <b>80.0 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## SEXUAL

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 107              | 127              | 128              | 18.7 %            | 0.8 %             | 57               | 55               | 75               | 53.3 %                      | 43.3 %                      | 58.6 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 289              | 283              | 335              | -2.1 %            | 18.4 %            | 172              | 194              | 234              | 59.5 %                      | 68.6 %                      | 69.9 %                      |
| Auckland             | 292              | 328              | 360              | 12.3 %            | 9.8 %             | 135              | 177              | 203              | 46.2 %                      | 54.0 %                      | 56.4 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 393              | 392              | 520              | -0.3 %            | 32.7 %            | 212              | 194              | 323              | 53.9 %                      | 49.5 %                      | 62.1 %                      |
| Waikato              | 242              | 271              | 250              | 12.0 %            | -7.7 %            | 130              | 143              | 103              | 53.7 %                      | 52.8 %                      | 41.2 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 261              | 255              | 246              | -2.3 %            | -3.5 %            | 159              | 158              | 166              | 60.9 %                      | 62.0 %                      | 67.5 %                      |
| Eastern              | 184              | 192              | 230              | 4.3 %             | 19.8 %            | 99               | 92               | 146              | 53.8 %                      | 47.9 %                      | 63.5 %                      |
| Central              | 239              | 243              | 224              | 1.7 %             | -7.8 %            | 143              | 157              | 144              | 59.8 %                      | 64.6 %                      | 64.3 %                      |
| Wellington           | 325              | 315              | 350              | -3.1 %            | 11.1 %            | 183              | 175              | 201              | 56.3 %                      | 55.6 %                      | 57.4 %                      |
| Tasman               | 144              | 151              | 177              | 4.9 %             | 17.2 %            | 102              | 97               | 131              | 70.8 %                      | 64.2 %                      | 74.0 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 362              | 474              | 451              | 30.9 %            | -4.9 %            | 182              | 223              | 243              | 50.3 %                      | 47.0 %                      | 53.9 %                      |
| Southern             | 236              | 240              | 253              | 1.7 %             | 5.4 %             | 144              | 125              | 148              | 61.0 %                      | 52.1 %                      | 58.5 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>3,074</b>     | <b>3,271</b>     | <b>3,524</b>     | <b>6.4 %</b>      | <b>7.7 %</b>      | <b>1,718</b>     | <b>1,790</b>     | <b>2,117</b>     | <b>55.9 %</b>               | <b>54.7 %</b>               | <b>60.1 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 2,460            | 2,618            | 2,329            | 6.4 %             | -11.0 %           | 2,088            | 2,391            | 2,171            | 84.9 %                      | 91.3 %                      | 93.2 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 5,757            | 5,028            | 5,213            | -12.7 %           | 3.7 %             | 5,336            | 4,691            | 4,835            | 92.7 %                      | 93.3 %                      | 92.7 %                      |
| Auckland             | 6,492            | 6,710            | 7,011            | 3.4 %             | 4.5 %             | 6,147            | 6,310            | 6,664            | 94.7 %                      | 94.0 %                      | 95.1 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 3,809            | 4,433            | 5,547            | 16.4 %            | 25.1 %            | 3,029            | 3,203            | 4,452            | 79.5 %                      | 72.3 %                      | 80.3 %                      |
| Waikato              | 4,707            | 4,470            | 4,891            | -5.0 %            | 9.4 %             | 4,418            | 4,220            | 4,545            | 93.9 %                      | 94.4 %                      | 92.9 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 7,043            | 5,516            | 5,012            | -21.7 %           | -9.1 %            | 6,634            | 5,258            | 4,874            | 94.2 %                      | 95.3 %                      | 97.2 %                      |
| Eastern              | 3,697            | 3,378            | 4,209            | -8.6 %            | 24.6 %            | 3,426            | 3,114            | 3,854            | 92.7 %                      | 92.2 %                      | 91.6 %                      |
| Central              | 3,299            | 3,056            | 3,360            | -7.4 %            | 9.9 %             | 3,152            | 2,913            | 3,195            | 95.5 %                      | 95.3 %                      | 95.1 %                      |
| Wellington           | 5,025            | 4,765            | 4,806            | -5.2 %            | 0.9 %             | 4,647            | 4,435            | 4,403            | 92.5 %                      | 93.1 %                      | 91.6 %                      |
| Tasman               | 2,623            | 2,784            | 2,924            | 6.1 %             | 5.0 %             | 2,372            | 2,598            | 2,702            | 90.4 %                      | 93.3 %                      | 92.4 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 4,380            | 4,020            | 4,592            | -8.2 %            | 14.2 %            | 3,942            | 3,608            | 4,209            | 90.0 %                      | 89.8 %                      | 91.7 %                      |
| Southern             | 5,159            | 5,052            | 5,053            | -2.1 %            | 0.0 %             | 4,713            | 4,657            | 4,690            | 91.4 %                      | 92.2 %                      | 92.8 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>54,451</b>    | <b>51,830</b>    | <b>54,947</b>    | <b>-4.8 %</b>     | <b>6.0 %</b>      | <b>49,904</b>    | <b>47,398</b>    | <b>50,594</b>    | <b>91.6 %</b>               | <b>91.4 %</b>               | <b>92.1 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## DISHONESTY

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 7,775            | 8,117            | 7,905            | 4.4 %             | -2.6 %            | 2,033            | 2,087            | 1,947            | 26.1 %                      | 25.7 %                      | 24.6 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 20,596           | 21,134           | 22,456           | 2.6 %             | 6.3 %             | 5,591            | 5,018            | 5,344            | 27.1 %                      | 23.7 %                      | 23.8 %                      |
| Auckland             | 36,630           | 35,292           | 35,576           | -3.7 %            | 0.8 %             | 5,381            | 5,037            | 5,329            | 14.7 %                      | 14.3 %                      | 15.0 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 25,722           | 28,319           | 30,761           | 10.1 %            | 8.6 %             | 4,271            | 4,114            | 5,108            | 16.6 %                      | 14.5 %                      | 16.6 %                      |
| Waikato              | 16,746           | 18,590           | 20,289           | 11.0 %            | 9.1 %             | 4,131            | 4,348            | 4,587            | 24.7 %                      | 23.4 %                      | 22.6 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 20,652           | 20,683           | 19,051           | 0.2 %             | -7.9 %            | 5,766            | 5,570            | 5,655            | 27.9 %                      | 26.9 %                      | 29.7 %                      |
| Eastern              | 11,674           | 12,352           | 12,193           | 5.8 %             | -1.3 %            | 3,283            | 3,417            | 3,271            | 28.1 %                      | 27.7 %                      | 26.8 %                      |
| Central              | 16,949           | 17,576           | 18,307           | 3.7 %             | 4.2 %             | 5,007            | 4,520            | 4,787            | 29.5 %                      | 25.7 %                      | 26.1 %                      |
| Wellington           | 23,945           | 21,765           | 23,719           | -9.1 %            | 9.0 %             | 6,492            | 5,194            | 4,898            | 27.1 %                      | 23.9 %                      | 20.7 %                      |
| Tasman               | 7,245            | 6,803            | 6,893            | -6.1 %            | 1.3 %             | 2,369            | 2,350            | 2,201            | 32.7 %                      | 34.5 %                      | 31.9 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 30,043           | 27,290           | 27,320           | -9.2 %            | 0.1 %             | 6,510            | 6,188            | 5,990            | 21.7 %                      | 22.7 %                      | 21.9 %                      |
| Southern             | 12,622           | 12,566           | 12,364           | -0.4 %            | -1.6 %            | 4,026            | 3,707            | 3,970            | 31.9 %                      | 29.5 %                      | 32.1 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>230,599</b>   | <b>230,487</b>   | <b>236,834</b>   | <b>-0.0 %</b>     | <b>2.8 %</b>      | <b>54,860</b>    | <b>51,550</b>    | <b>53,087</b>    | <b>23.8 %</b>               | <b>22.4 %</b>               | <b>22.4 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## PROPERTY DAMAGE

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 1,320            | 1,472            | 1,620            | 11.5 %            | 10.1 %            | 502              | 524              | 638              | 38.0 %                      | 35.6 %                      | 39.4 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 3,259            | 3,784            | 3,767            | 16.1 %            | -0.4 %            | 1,332            | 1,491            | 1,709            | 40.9 %                      | 39.4 %                      | 45.4 %                      |
| Auckland             | 2,221            | 2,605            | 2,724            | 17.3 %            | 4.6 %             | 904              | 1,098            | 1,079            | 40.7 %                      | 42.1 %                      | 39.6 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 3,408            | 3,972            | 4,336            | 16.5 %            | 9.2 %             | 1,228            | 1,314            | 1,465            | 36.0 %                      | 33.1 %                      | 33.8 %                      |
| Waikato              | 2,647            | 2,916            | 3,401            | 10.2 %            | 16.6 %            | 908              | 956              | 1,064            | 34.3 %                      | 32.8 %                      | 31.3 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 3,399            | 3,461            | 4,017            | 1.8 %             | 16.1 %            | 1,186            | 1,176            | 1,222            | 34.9 %                      | 34.0 %                      | 30.4 %                      |
| Eastern              | 2,507            | 2,581            | 3,552            | 3.0 %             | 37.6 %            | 749              | 706              | 1,068            | 29.9 %                      | 27.4 %                      | 30.1 %                      |
| Central              | 3,909            | 4,244            | 4,946            | 8.6 %             | 16.5 %            | 1,177            | 1,151            | 1,405            | 30.1 %                      | 27.1 %                      | 28.4 %                      |
| Wellington           | 4,884            | 5,188            | 5,344            | 6.2 %             | 3.0 %             | 1,671            | 1,640            | 1,516            | 34.2 %                      | 31.6 %                      | 28.4 %                      |
| Tasman               | 2,749            | 2,357            | 2,773            | -14.3 %           | 17.6 %            | 752              | 694              | 742              | 27.4 %                      | 29.4 %                      | 26.8 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 6,318            | 5,594            | 6,774            | -11.5 %           | 21.1 %            | 1,403            | 1,486            | 1,702            | 22.2 %                      | 26.6 %                      | 25.1 %                      |
| Southern             | 4,711            | 5,403            | 5,566            | 14.7 %            | 3.0 %             | 1,229            | 1,317            | 1,345            | 26.1 %                      | 24.4 %                      | 24.2 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>41,332</b>    | <b>43,577</b>    | <b>48,820</b>    | <b>5.4 %</b>      | <b>12.0 %</b>     | <b>13,041</b>    | <b>13,553</b>    | <b>14,955</b>    | <b>31.6 %</b>               | <b>31.1 %</b>               | <b>30.6 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## PROPERTY ABUSE

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 772              | 693              | 692              | -10.2 %           | -0.1 %            | 539              | 498              | 471              | 69.8 %                      | 71.9 %                      | 68.1 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 2,265            | 1,977            | 2,015            | -12.7 %           | 1.9 %             | 1,758            | 1,508            | 1,581            | 77.6 %                      | 76.3 %                      | 78.5 %                      |
| Auckland             | 2,423            | 2,111            | 1,731            | -12.9 %           | -18.0 %           | 1,556            | 1,370            | 1,260            | 64.2 %                      | 64.9 %                      | 72.8 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 1,894            | 2,209            | 1,779            | 16.6 %            | -19.5 %           | 1,187            | 1,181            | 1,175            | 62.7 %                      | 53.5 %                      | 66.0 %                      |
| Waikato              | 1,009            | 1,112            | 1,185            | 10.2 %            | 6.6 %             | 747              | 785              | 848              | 74.0 %                      | 70.6 %                      | 71.6 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 1,804            | 1,513            | 1,311            | -16.1 %           | -13.4 %           | 1,433            | 1,157            | 1,056            | 79.4 %                      | 76.5 %                      | 80.5 %                      |
| Eastern              | 1,171            | 1,161            | 1,091            | -0.9 %            | -6.0 %            | 883              | 803              | 754              | 75.4 %                      | 69.2 %                      | 69.1 %                      |
| Central              | 1,213            | 1,154            | 1,222            | -4.9 %            | 5.9 %             | 990              | 900              | 990              | 81.6 %                      | 78.0 %                      | 81.0 %                      |
| Wellington           | 1,874            | 1,710            | 1,619            | -8.8 %            | -5.3 %            | 1,405            | 1,284            | 1,178            | 75.0 %                      | 75.1 %                      | 72.8 %                      |
| Tasman               | 1,182            | 1,107            | 1,038            | -6.3 %            | -6.2 %            | 939              | 868              | 775              | 79.4 %                      | 78.4 %                      | 74.7 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 2,126            | 2,147            | 2,138            | 1.0 %             | -0.4 %            | 1,601            | 1,519            | 1,530            | 75.3 %                      | 70.7 %                      | 71.6 %                      |
| Southern             | 1,930            | 1,836            | 1,554            | -4.9 %            | -15.4 %           | 1,351            | 1,258            | 1,145            | 70.0 %                      | 68.5 %                      | 73.7 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>19,663</b>    | <b>18,730</b>    | <b>17,375</b>    | <b>-4.7 %</b>     | <b>-7.2 %</b>     | <b>14,389</b>    | <b>13,131</b>    | <b>12,763</b>    | <b>73.2 %</b>               | <b>70.1 %</b>               | <b>73.5 %</b>               |

# SUMMARY OF NATIONAL RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORY, BY DISTRICT

Years ending 31 December

## ADMINISTRATIVE

| District Description | Recorded<br>2004 | Recorded<br>2005 | Recorded<br>2006 | Variance<br>04-05 | Variance<br>05-06 | Resolved<br>2004 | Resolved<br>2005 | Resolved<br>2006 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2004 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2005 | Percent<br>Resolved<br>2006 |
|----------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Northland            | 656              | 258              | 208              | -60.7 %           | -19.4 %           | 554              | 237              | 194              | 84.5 %                      | 91.9 %                      | 93.3 %                      |
| Waitemata            | 793              | 790              | 1,141            | -0.4 %            | 44.4 %            | 753              | 758              | 1,105            | 95.0 %                      | 95.9 %                      | 96.8 %                      |
| Auckland             | 970              | 1,538            | 1,720            | 58.6 %            | 11.8 %            | 912              | 1,493            | 1,689            | 94.0 %                      | 97.1 %                      | 98.2 %                      |
| Counties/Manukau     | 1,944            | 1,912            | 2,664            | -1.6 %            | 39.3 %            | 1,822            | 1,656            | 2,441            | 93.7 %                      | 86.6 %                      | 91.6 %                      |
| Waikato              | 933              | 984              | 942              | 5.5 %             | -4.3 %            | 880              | 942              | 916              | 94.3 %                      | 95.7 %                      | 97.2 %                      |
| Bay Of Plenty        | 875              | 744              | 669              | -15.0 %           | -10.1 %           | 779              | 656              | 653              | 89.0 %                      | 88.2 %                      | 97.6 %                      |
| Eastern              | 560              | 466              | 366              | -16.8 %           | -21.5 %           | 528              | 415              | 328              | 94.3 %                      | 89.1 %                      | 89.6 %                      |
| Central              | 850              | 618              | 837              | -27.3 %           | 35.4 %            | 773              | 576              | 769              | 90.9 %                      | 93.2 %                      | 91.9 %                      |
| Wellington           | 1,595            | 1,634            | 1,391            | 2.4 %             | -14.9 %           | 1,473            | 1,514            | 1,301            | 92.4 %                      | 92.7 %                      | 93.5 %                      |
| Tasman               | 791              | 605              | 258              | -23.5 %           | -57.4 %           | 680              | 533              | 244              | 86.0 %                      | 88.1 %                      | 94.6 %                      |
| Canterbury           | 1,210            | 951              | 938              | -21.4 %           | -1.4 %            | 1,107            | 825              | 801              | 91.5 %                      | 86.8 %                      | 85.4 %                      |
| Southern             | 838              | 764              | 769              | -8.8 %            | 0.7 %             | 722              | 677              | 662              | 86.2 %                      | 88.6 %                      | 86.1 %                      |
| <b>Total:</b>        | <b>12,015</b>    | <b>11,264</b>    | <b>11,903</b>    | <b>-6.3 %</b>     | <b>5.7 %</b>      | <b>10,983</b>    | <b>10,282</b>    | <b>11,103</b>    | <b>91.4 %</b>               | <b>91.3 %</b>               | <b>93.3 %</b>               |

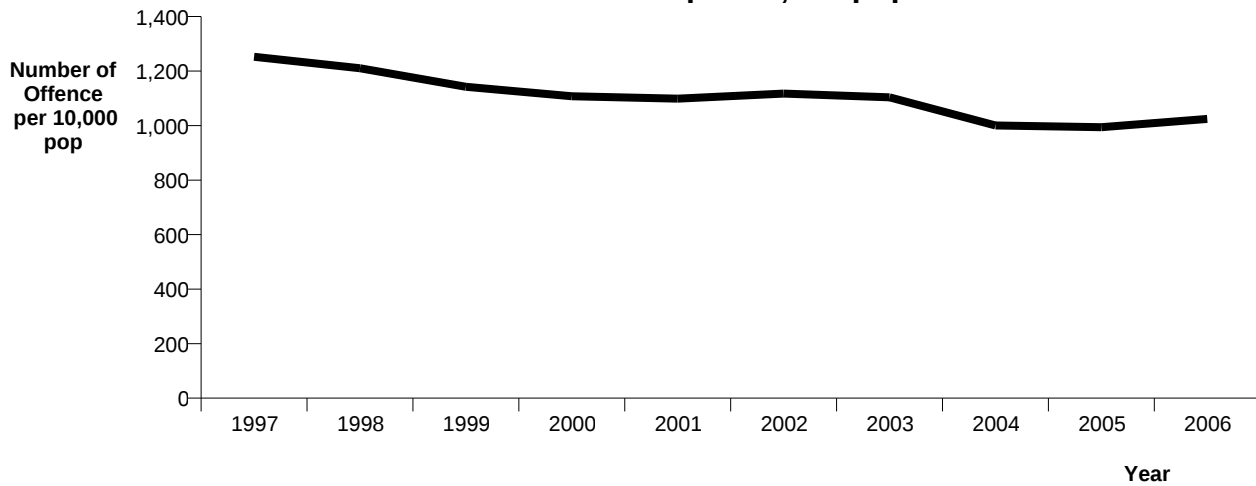
# RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES

Years ending 31 December

## TOTAL CRIME

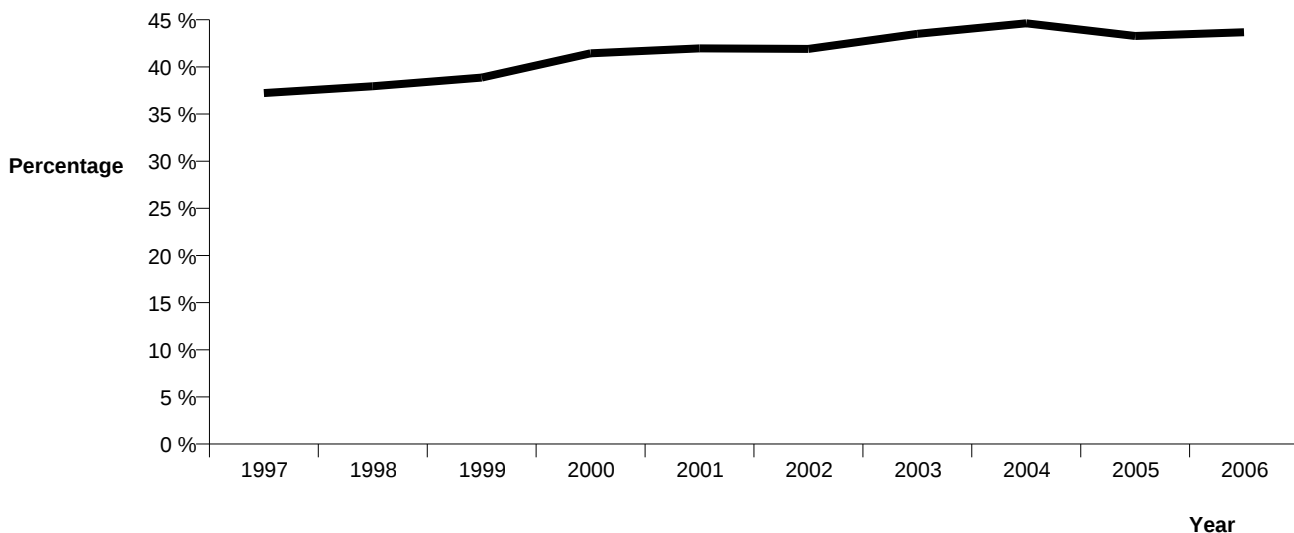
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 473,547           |                                | 1,252.3                                 |                                                      | 176,299                 | 37.2 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 461,677           | -2.5 %                         | 1,210.3                                 | -3.4 %                                               | 175,176                 | 37.9 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 1999          | 438,074           | -5.1 %                         | 1,142.3                                 | -5.6 %                                               | 170,299                 | 38.9 %          | 0.9 %                        |
| 2000          | 427,230           | -2.5 %                         | 1,107.6                                 | -3.0 %                                               | 177,034                 | 41.4 %          | 2.6 %                        |
| 2001          | 426,526           | -0.2 %                         | 1,099.0                                 | -0.8 %                                               | 179,007                 | 42.0 %          | 0.5 %                        |
| 2002          | 440,129           | 3.2 %                          | 1,117.4                                 | 1.7 %                                                | 184,465                 | 41.9 %          | -0.1 %                       |
| 2003          | 442,489           | 0.5 %                          | 1,103.7                                 | -1.2 %                                               | 192,540                 | 43.5 %          | 1.6 %                        |
| 2004          | 406,363           | -8.2 %                         | 1,000.5                                 | -9.3 %                                               | 181,344                 | 44.6 %          | 1.1 %                        |
| 2005          | 407,496           | 0.3 %                          | 994.2                                   | -0.6 %                                               | 176,362                 | 43.3 %          | -1.3 %                       |
| 2006          | 424,134           | 4.1 %                          | 1,024.6                                 | 3.1 %                                                | 185,224                 | 43.7 %          | 0.4 %                        |

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



### Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



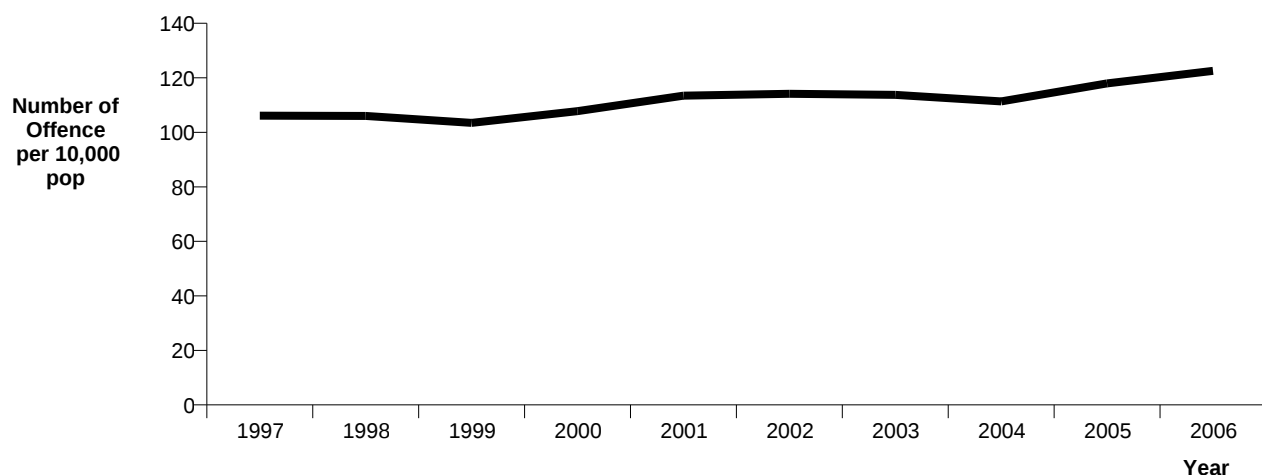
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Years ending 31 December

## VIOLENCE

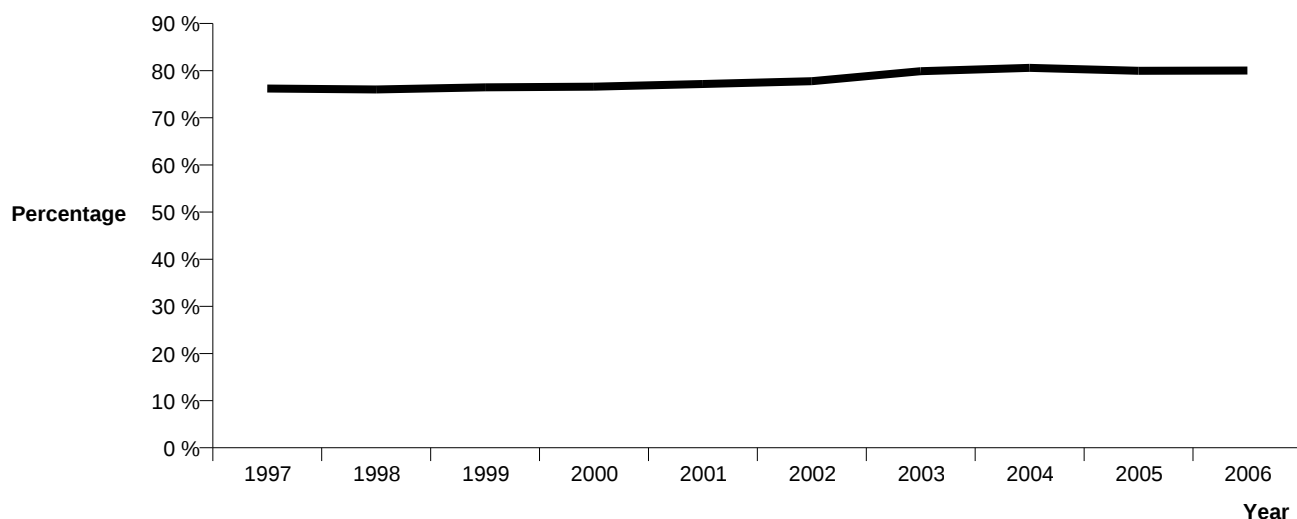
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 40,121            |                                | 106.1                                   |                                                      | 30,578                  | 76.2 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 40,442            | 0.8 %                          | 106.0                                   | -0.1 %                                               | 30,739                  | 76.0 %          | -0.2 %                       |
| 1999          | 39,688            | -1.9 %                         | 103.5                                   | -2.4 %                                               | 30,348                  | 76.5 %          | 0.5 %                        |
| 2000          | 41,573            | 4.7 %                          | 107.8                                   | 4.1 %                                                | 31,849                  | 76.6 %          | 0.1 %                        |
| 2001          | 44,024            | 5.9 %                          | 113.4                                   | 5.3 %                                                | 33,978                  | 77.2 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2002          | 44,960            | 2.1 %                          | 114.1                                   | 0.6 %                                                | 34,962                  | 77.8 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2003          | 45,614            | 1.5 %                          | 113.8                                   | -0.3 %                                               | 36,440                  | 79.9 %          | 2.1 %                        |
| 2004          | 45,229            | -0.8 %                         | 111.4                                   | -2.1 %                                               | 36,449                  | 80.6 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 2005          | 48,337            | 6.9 %                          | 117.9                                   | 5.9 %                                                | 38,658                  | 80.0 %          | -0.6 %                       |
| 2006          | 50,731            | 5.0 %                          | 122.6                                   | 3.9 %                                                | 40,605                  | 80.0 %          | 0.1 %                        |

### Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



### Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



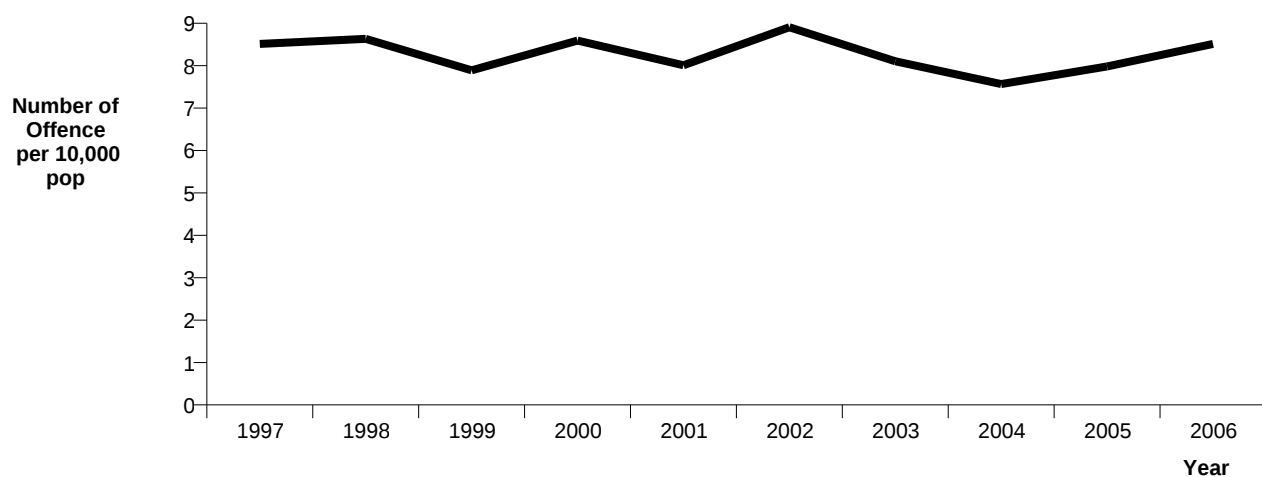
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Years ending 31 December

## SEXUAL

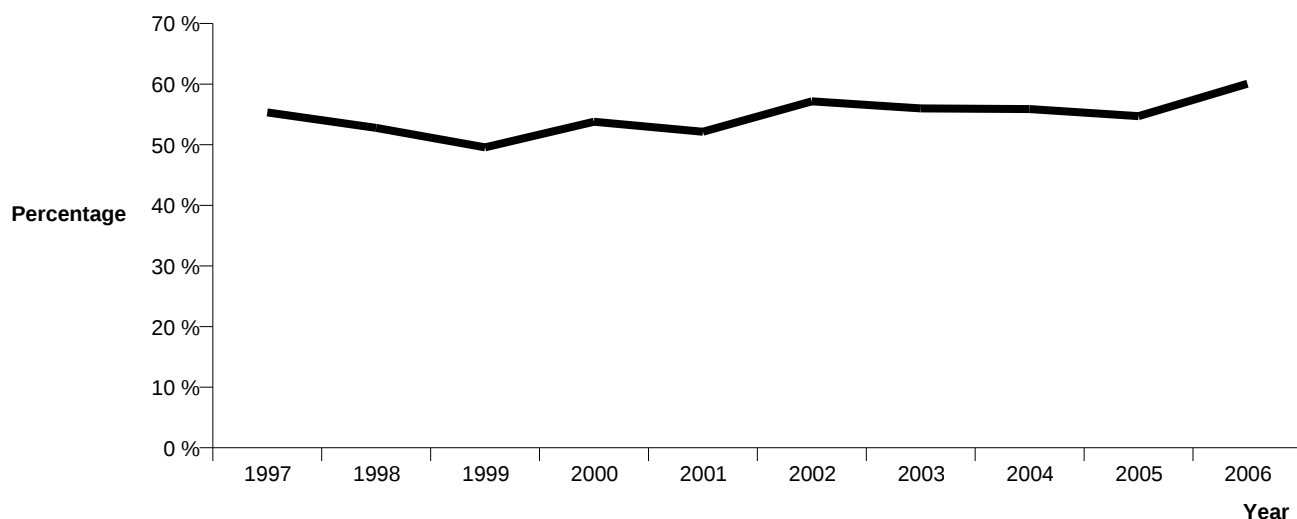
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 3,220             |                                | 8.5                                     |                                                      | 1,782                   | 55.3 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 3,293             | 2.3 %                          | 8.6                                     | 1.4 %                                                | 1,738                   | 52.8 %          | -2.6 %                       |
| 1999          | 3,026             | -8.1 %                         | 7.9                                     | -8.6 %                                               | 1,500                   | 49.6 %          | -3.2 %                       |
| 2000          | 3,314             | 9.5 %                          | 8.6                                     | 8.9 %                                                | 1,783                   | 53.8 %          | 4.2 %                        |
| 2001          | 3,109             | -6.2 %                         | 8.0                                     | -6.8 %                                               | 1,621                   | 52.1 %          | -1.7 %                       |
| 2002          | 3,508             | 12.8 %                         | 8.9                                     | 11.2 %                                               | 2,005                   | 57.2 %          | 5.0 %                        |
| 2003          | 3,250             | -7.4 %                         | 8.1                                     | -9.0 %                                               | 1,820                   | 56.0 %          | -1.2 %                       |
| 2004          | 3,074             | -5.4 %                         | 7.6                                     | -6.6 %                                               | 1,718                   | 55.9 %          | -0.1 %                       |
| 2005          | 3,271             | 6.4 %                          | 8.0                                     | 5.4 %                                                | 1,790                   | 54.7 %          | -1.2 %                       |
| 2006          | 3,524             | 7.7 %                          | 8.5                                     | 6.7 %                                                | 2,117                   | 60.1 %          | 5.4 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



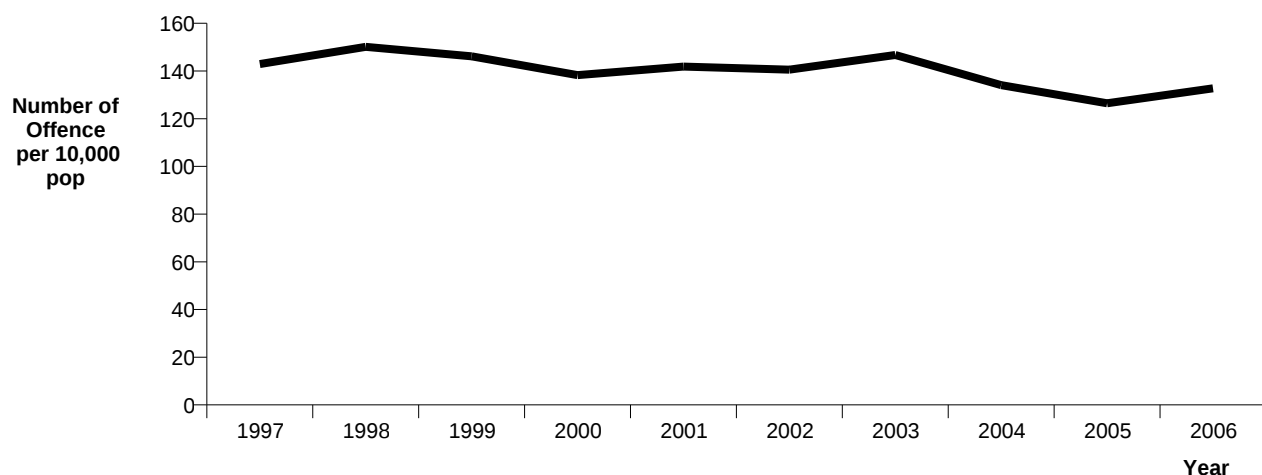
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Years ending 31 December

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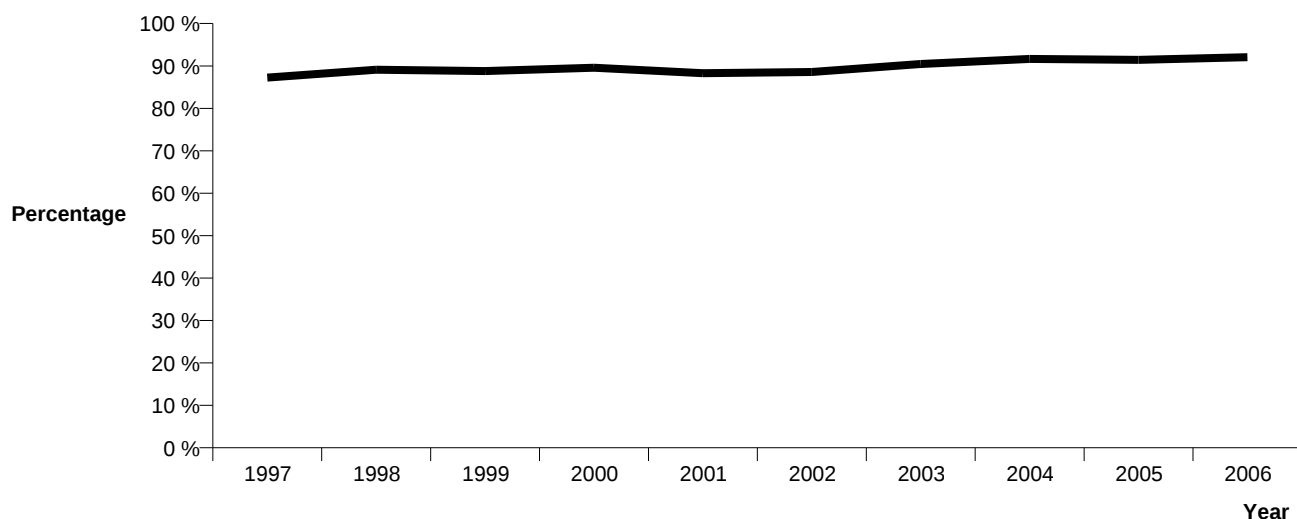
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 54,052            |                                | 142.9                                   |                                                      | 47,170                  | 87.3 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 57,275            | 6.0 %                          | 150.1                                   | 5.0 %                                                | 51,029                  | 89.1 %          | 1.8 %                        |
| 1999          | 56,051            | -2.1 %                         | 146.2                                   | -2.7 %                                               | 49,775                  | 88.8 %          | -0.3 %                       |
| 2000          | 53,340            | -4.8 %                         | 138.3                                   | -5.4 %                                               | 47,778                  | 89.6 %          | 0.8 %                        |
| 2001          | 55,043            | 3.2 %                          | 141.8                                   | 2.6 %                                                | 48,599                  | 88.3 %          | -1.3 %                       |
| 2002          | 55,366            | 0.6 %                          | 140.6                                   | -0.9 %                                               | 49,036                  | 88.6 %          | 0.3 %                        |
| 2003          | 58,822            | 6.2 %                          | 146.7                                   | 4.4 %                                                | 53,209                  | 90.5 %          | 1.9 %                        |
| 2004          | 54,451            | -7.4 %                         | 134.1                                   | -8.6 %                                               | 49,904                  | 91.6 %          | 1.2 %                        |
| 2005          | 51,830            | -4.8 %                         | 126.5                                   | -5.7 %                                               | 47,398                  | 91.4 %          | -0.2 %                       |
| 2006          | 54,947            | 6.0 %                          | 132.7                                   | 5.0 %                                                | 50,594                  | 92.1 %          | 0.6 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



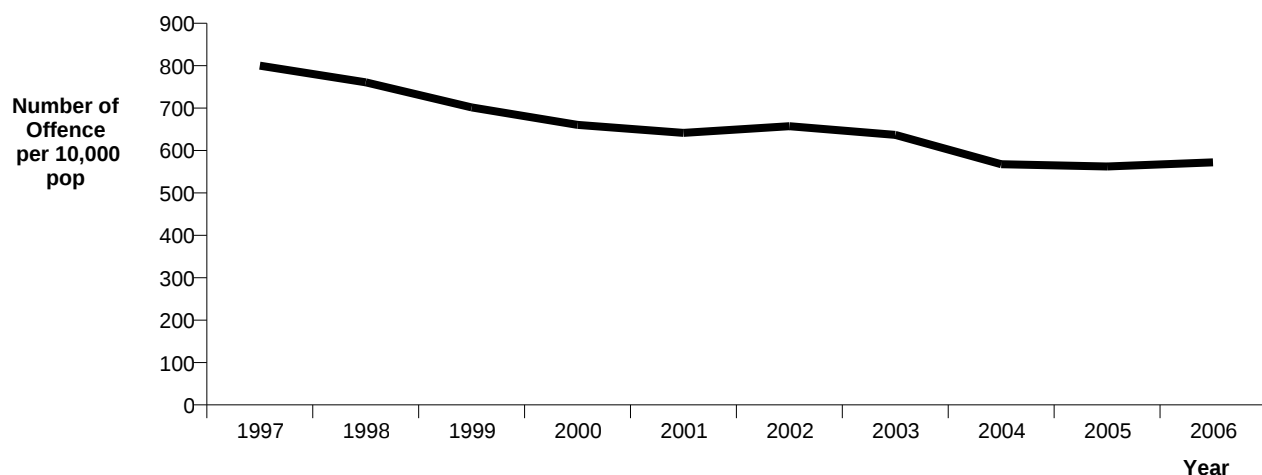
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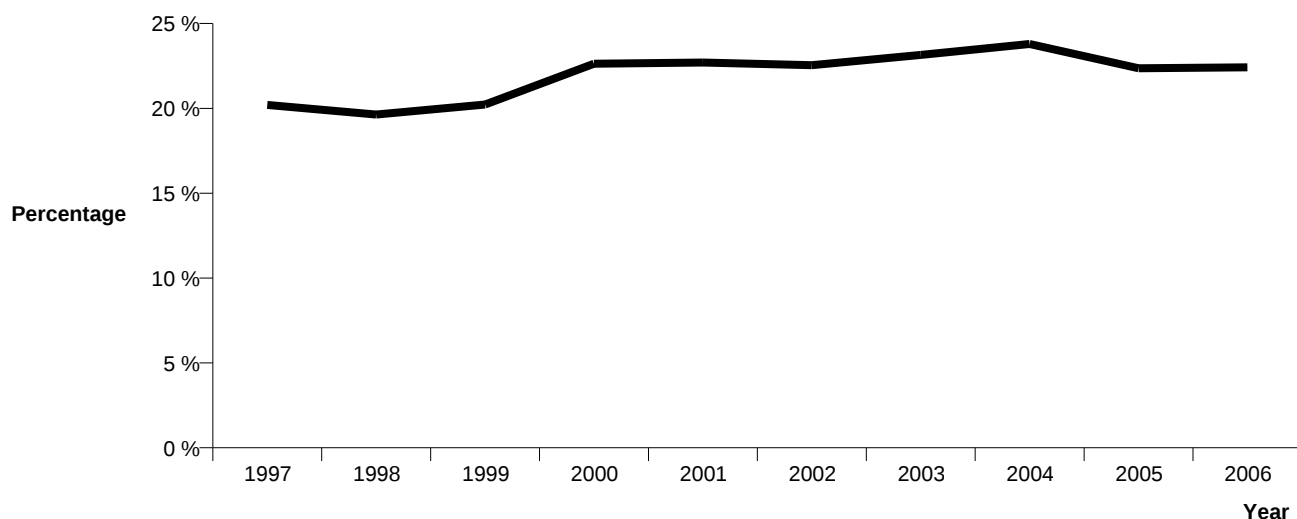
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 302,531           |                                | 800.0                                   |                                                      | 61,118                  | 20.2 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 290,194           | -4.1 %                         | 760.7                                   | -4.9 %                                               | 56,984                  | 19.6 %          | -0.6 %                       |
| 1999          | 269,075           | -7.3 %                         | 701.6                                   | -7.8 %                                               | 54,413                  | 20.2 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2000          | 254,750           | -5.3 %                         | 660.4                                   | -5.9 %                                               | 57,661                  | 22.6 %          | 2.4 %                        |
| 2001          | 249,002           | -2.3 %                         | 641.6                                   | -2.9 %                                               | 56,523                  | 22.7 %          | 0.1 %                        |
| 2002          | 258,916           | 4.0 %                          | 657.3                                   | 2.5 %                                                | 58,371                  | 22.5 %          | -0.2 %                       |
| 2003          | 255,302           | -1.4 %                         | 636.8                                   | -3.1 %                                               | 59,102                  | 23.1 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2004          | 230,599           | -9.7 %                         | 567.8                                   | -10.8 %                                              | 54,860                  | 23.8 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2005          | 230,487           | -0.0 %                         | 562.4                                   | -1.0 %                                               | 51,550                  | 22.4 %          | -1.4 %                       |
| 2006          | 236,834           | 2.8 %                          | 572.1                                   | 1.7 %                                                | 53,087                  | 22.4 %          | 0.0 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



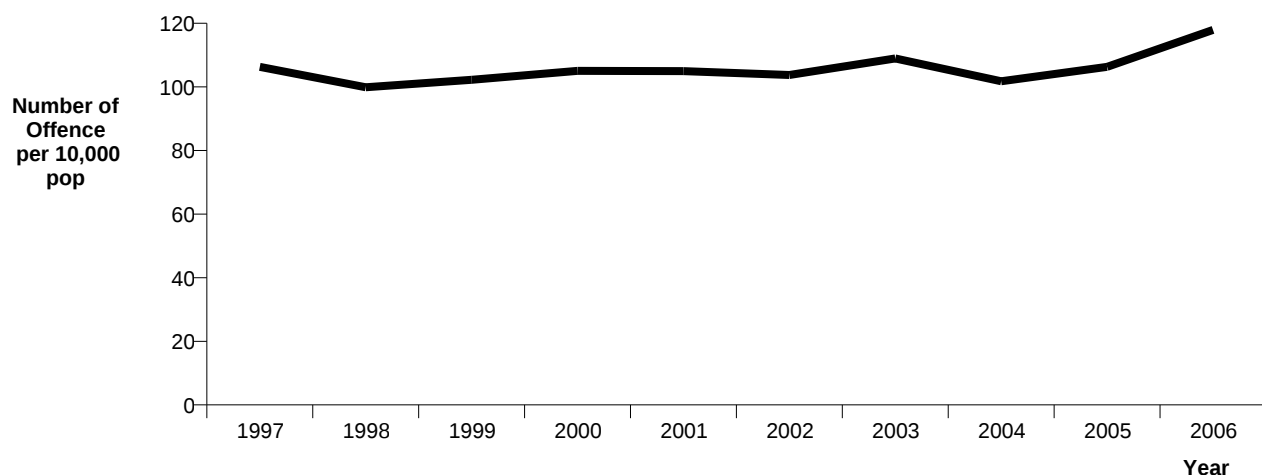
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## PROPERTY DAMAGE

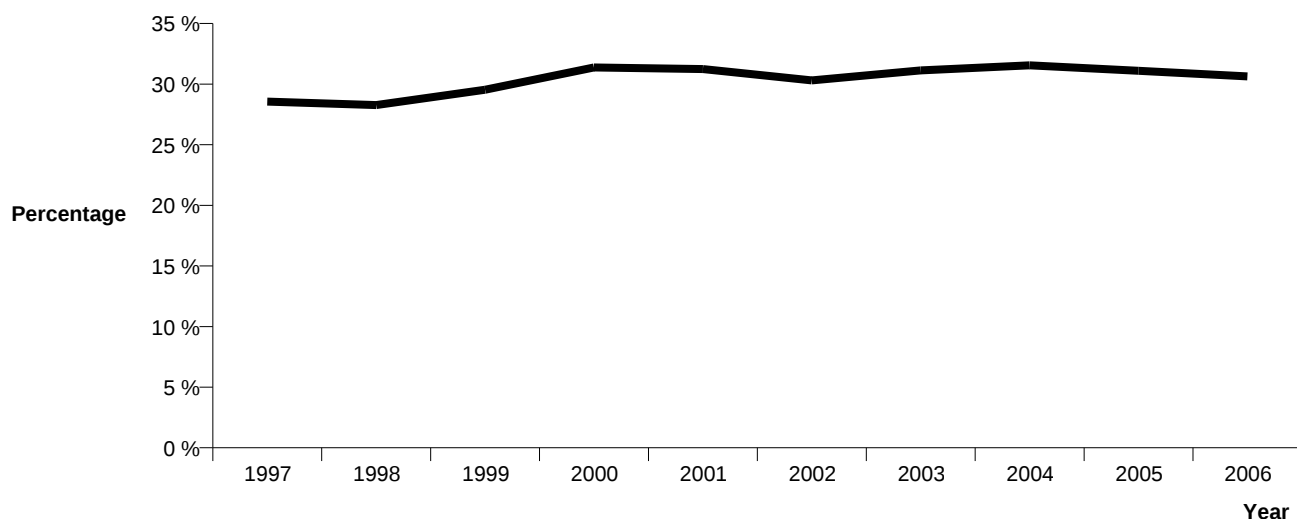
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 40,193            |                                | 106.3                                   |                                                      | 11,477                  | 28.6 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 38,097            | -5.2 %                         | 99.9                                    | -6.0 %                                               | 10,770                  | 28.3 %          | -0.3 %                       |
| 1999          | 39,213            | 2.9 %                          | 102.3                                   | 2.4 %                                                | 11,581                  | 29.5 %          | 1.3 %                        |
| 2000          | 40,515            | 3.3 %                          | 105.0                                   | 2.7 %                                                | 12,713                  | 31.4 %          | 1.8 %                        |
| 2001          | 40,743            | 0.6 %                          | 105.0                                   | -0.0 %                                               | 12,731                  | 31.2 %          | -0.1 %                       |
| 2002          | 40,864            | 0.3 %                          | 103.7                                   | -1.2 %                                               | 12,386                  | 30.3 %          | -0.9 %                       |
| 2003          | 43,680            | 6.9 %                          | 108.9                                   | 5.0 %                                                | 13,597                  | 31.1 %          | 0.8 %                        |
| 2004          | 41,332            | -5.4 %                         | 101.8                                   | -6.6 %                                               | 13,041                  | 31.6 %          | 0.4 %                        |
| 2005          | 43,577            | 5.4 %                          | 106.3                                   | 4.5 %                                                | 13,553                  | 31.1 %          | -0.5 %                       |
| 2006          | 48,820            | 12.0 %                         | 117.9                                   | 10.9 %                                               | 14,955                  | 30.6 %          | -0.5 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



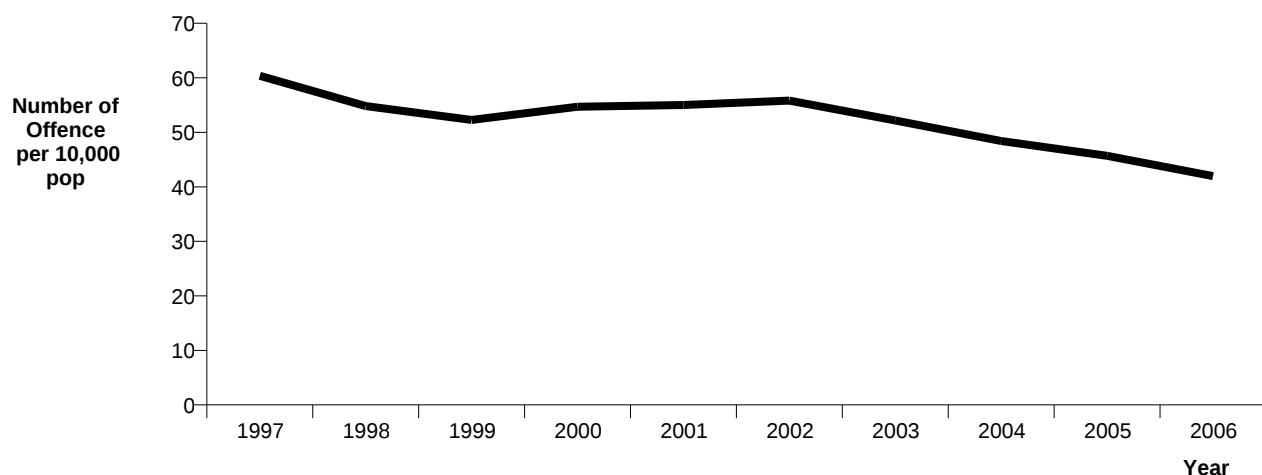
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## PROPERTY ABUSE

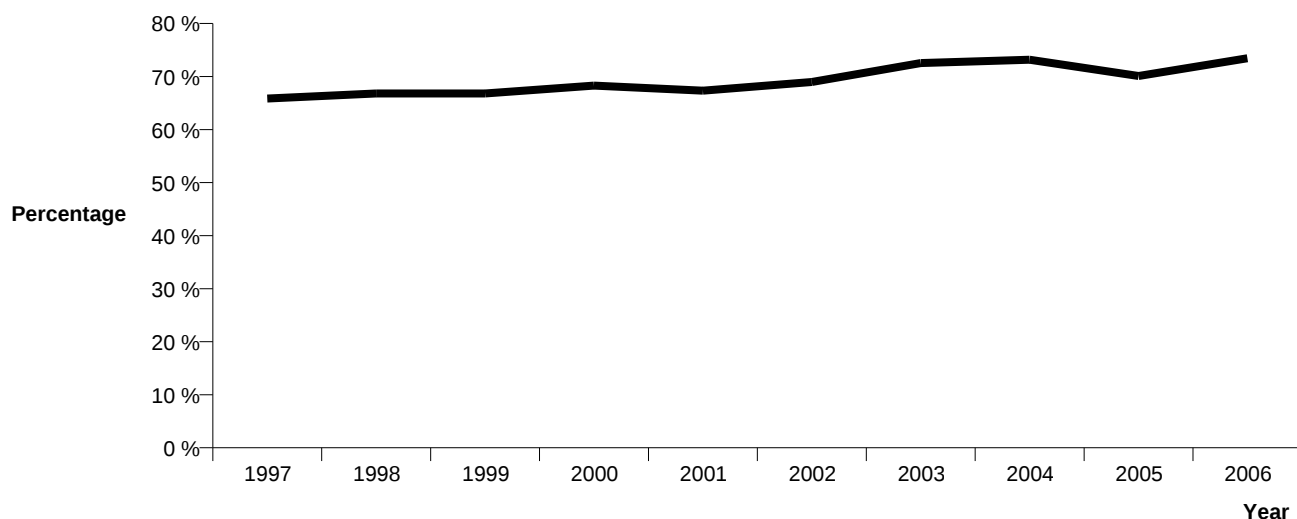
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| 1997          | 22,828            |                                | 60.4                                    |                                                      | 15,032                  | 65.8 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 20,914            | -8.4 %                         | 54.8                                    | -9.2 %                                               | 13,975                  | 66.8 %          | 1.0 %                        |
| 1999          | 20,046            | -4.2 %                         | 52.3                                    | -4.7 %                                               | 13,395                  | 66.8 %          | 0.0 %                        |
| 2000          | 21,099            | 5.3 %                          | 54.7                                    | 4.6 %                                                | 14,409                  | 68.3 %          | 1.5 %                        |
| 2001          | 21,354            | 1.2 %                          | 55.0                                    | 0.6 %                                                | 14,378                  | 67.3 %          | -1.0 %                       |
| 2002          | 21,992            | 3.0 %                          | 55.8                                    | 1.5 %                                                | 15,168                  | 69.0 %          | 1.6 %                        |
| 2003          | 20,921            | -4.9 %                         | 52.2                                    | -6.5 %                                               | 15,176                  | 72.5 %          | 3.6 %                        |
| 2004          | 19,663            | -6.0 %                         | 48.4                                    | -7.2 %                                               | 14,389                  | 73.2 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2005          | 18,730            | -4.7 %                         | 45.7                                    | -5.6 %                                               | 13,131                  | 70.1 %          | -3.1 %                       |
| 2006          | 17,375            | -7.2 %                         | 42.0                                    | -8.1 %                                               | 12,763                  | 73.5 %          | 3.3 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



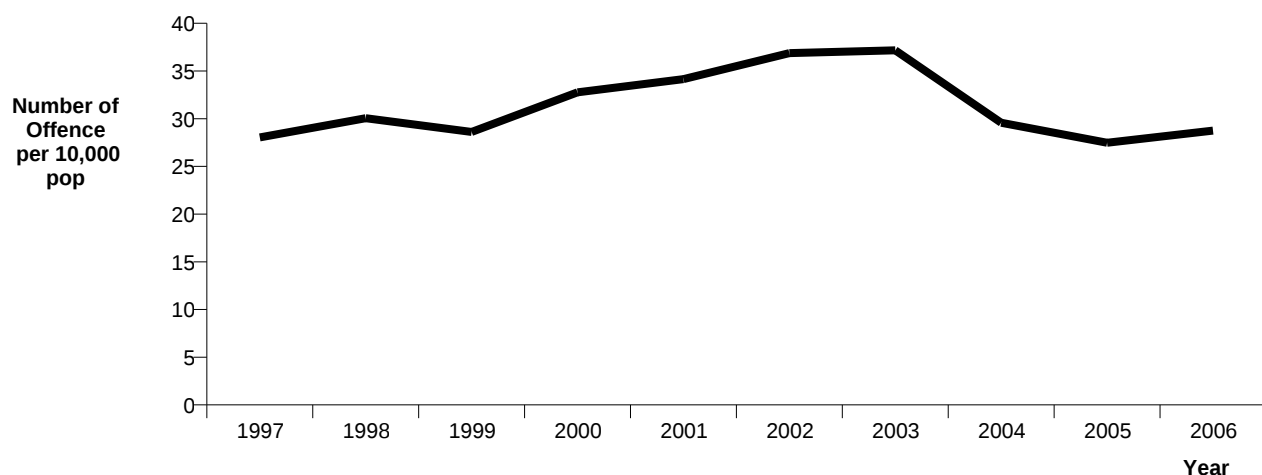
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## ADMINISTRATIVE

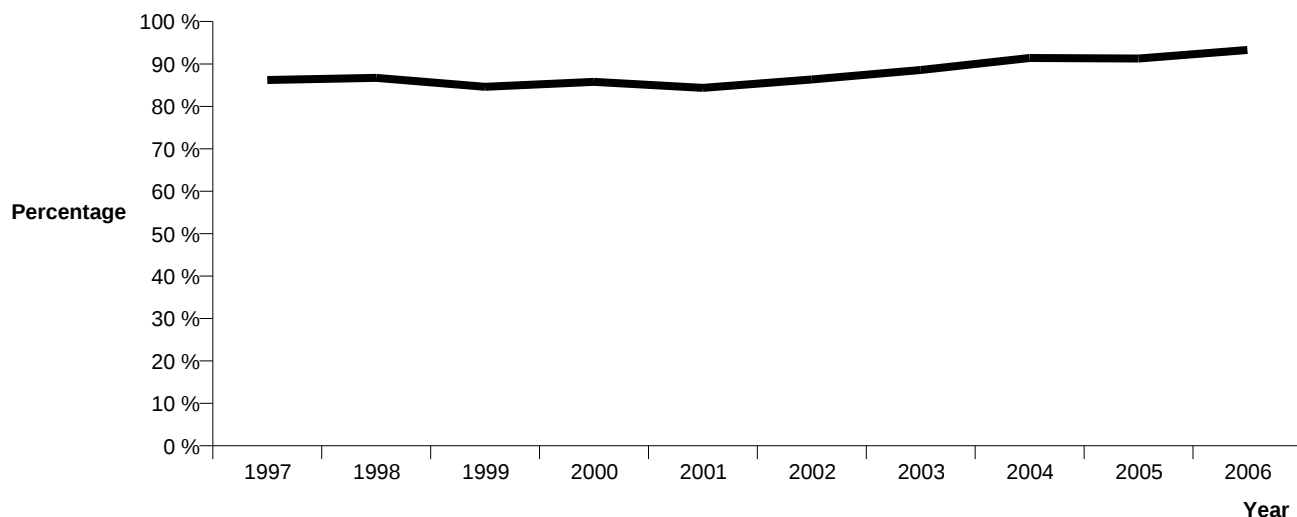
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 10,602            |                                | 28.0                                    |                                                      | 9,142                   | 86.2 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 11,462            | 8.1 %                          | 30.0                                    | 7.2 %                                                | 9,941                   | 86.7 %          | 0.5 %                        |
| 1999          | 10,975            | -4.2 %                         | 28.6                                    | -4.8 %                                               | 9,287                   | 84.6 %          | -2.1 %                       |
| 2000          | 12,639            | 15.2 %                         | 32.8                                    | 14.5 %                                               | 10,841                  | 85.8 %          | 1.2 %                        |
| 2001          | 13,251            | 4.8 %                          | 34.1                                    | 4.2 %                                                | 11,177                  | 84.3 %          | -1.4 %                       |
| 2002          | 14,523            | 9.6 %                          | 36.9                                    | 8.0 %                                                | 12,537                  | 86.3 %          | 2.0 %                        |
| 2003          | 14,900            | 2.6 %                          | 37.2                                    | 0.8 %                                                | 13,196                  | 88.6 %          | 2.2 %                        |
| 2004          | 12,015            | -19.4 %                        | 29.6                                    | -20.4 %                                              | 10,983                  | 91.4 %          | 2.8 %                        |
| 2005          | 11,264            | -6.3 %                         | 27.5                                    | -7.1 %                                               | 10,282                  | 91.3 %          | -0.1 %                       |
| 2006          | 11,903            | 5.7 %                          | 28.8                                    | 4.6 %                                                | 11,103                  | 93.3 %          | 2.0 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

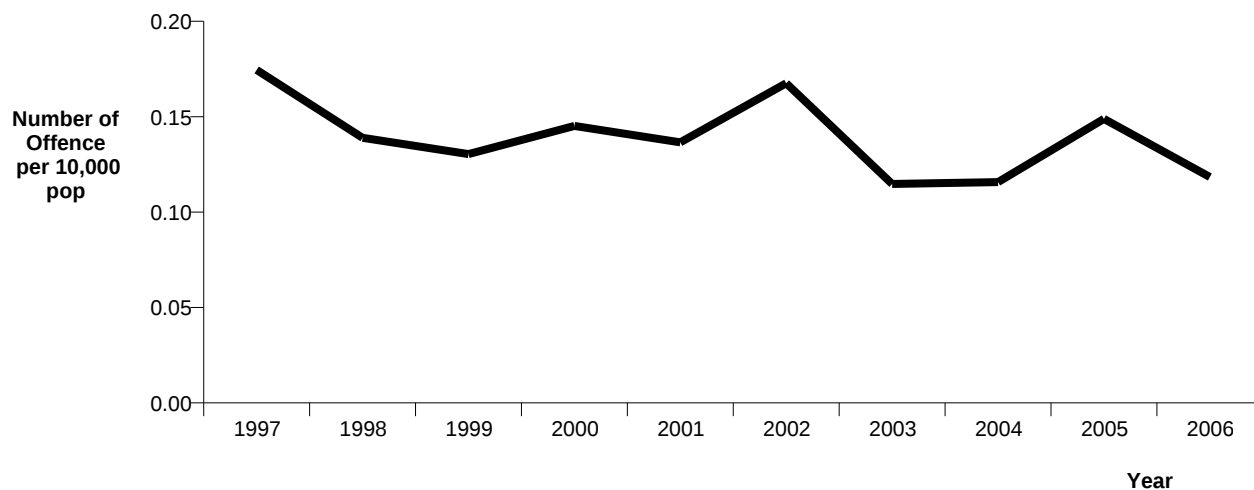


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Years ending 31 December**

**MURDER \***

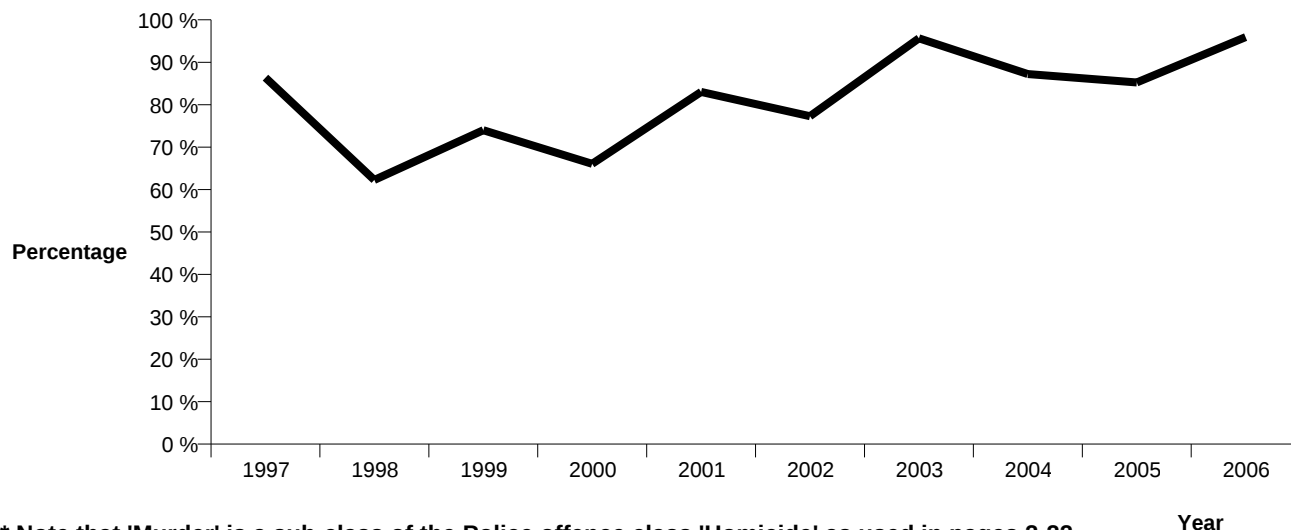
| Calendar Year | Recorded Offences | Variation in Recorded Offences | Recorded Offences Per 10,000 Population | Variation per 10,000 Population | Total Resolved Offences | Resolution Rate | Variation In Resolution Rate |
|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 66                |                                | 0.2                                     |                                 | 57                      | 86.4 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 53                | -19.7 %                        | 0.1                                     | -20.4 %                         | 33                      | 62.3 %          | -24.1 %                      |
| 1999          | 50                | -5.7 %                         | 0.1                                     | -6.2 %                          | 37                      | 74.0 %          | 11.7 %                       |
| 2000          | 56                | 12.0 %                         | 0.1                                     | 11.3 %                          | 37                      | 66.1 %          | -7.9 %                       |
| 2001          | 53                | -5.4 %                         | 0.1                                     | -5.9 %                          | 44                      | 83.0 %          | 16.9 %                       |
| 2002          | 66                | 24.5 %                         | 0.2                                     | 22.7 %                          | 51                      | 77.3 %          | -5.7 %                       |
| 2003          | 46                | -30.3 %                        | 0.1                                     | -31.5 %                         | 44                      | 95.7 %          | 18.4 %                       |
| 2004          | 47                | 2.2 %                          | 0.1                                     | 0.9 %                           | 41                      | 87.2 %          | -8.4 %                       |
| 2005          | 61                | 29.8 %                         | 0.1                                     | 28.6 %                          | 52                      | 85.2 %          | -2.0 %                       |
| 2006          | 49                | -19.7 %                        | 0.1                                     | -20.5 %                         | 47                      | 95.9 %          | 10.7 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



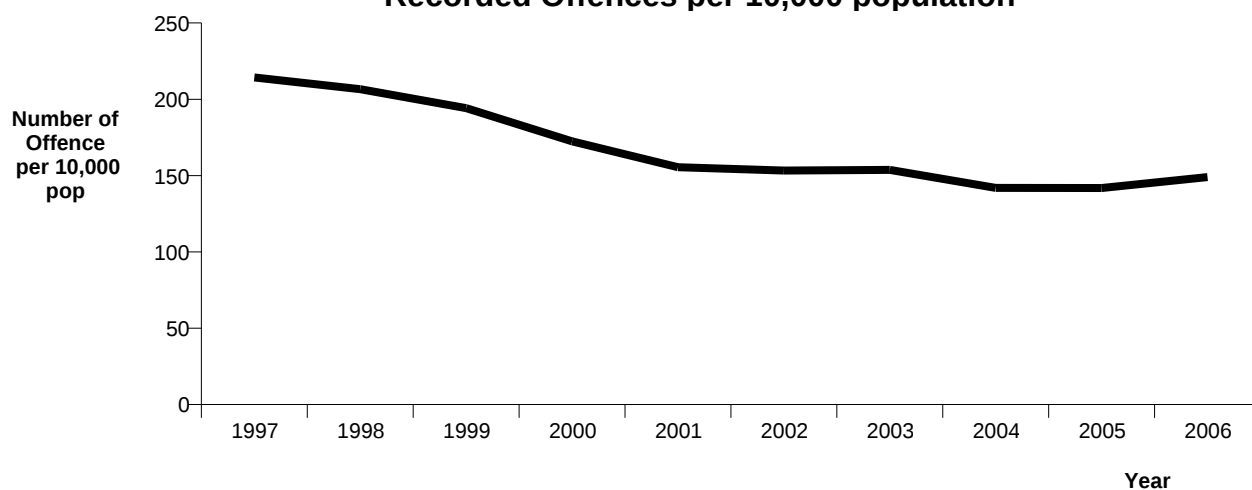
\* Note that 'Murder' is a sub-class of the Police offence class 'Homicide' as used in pages 2-22

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**BURGLARY**

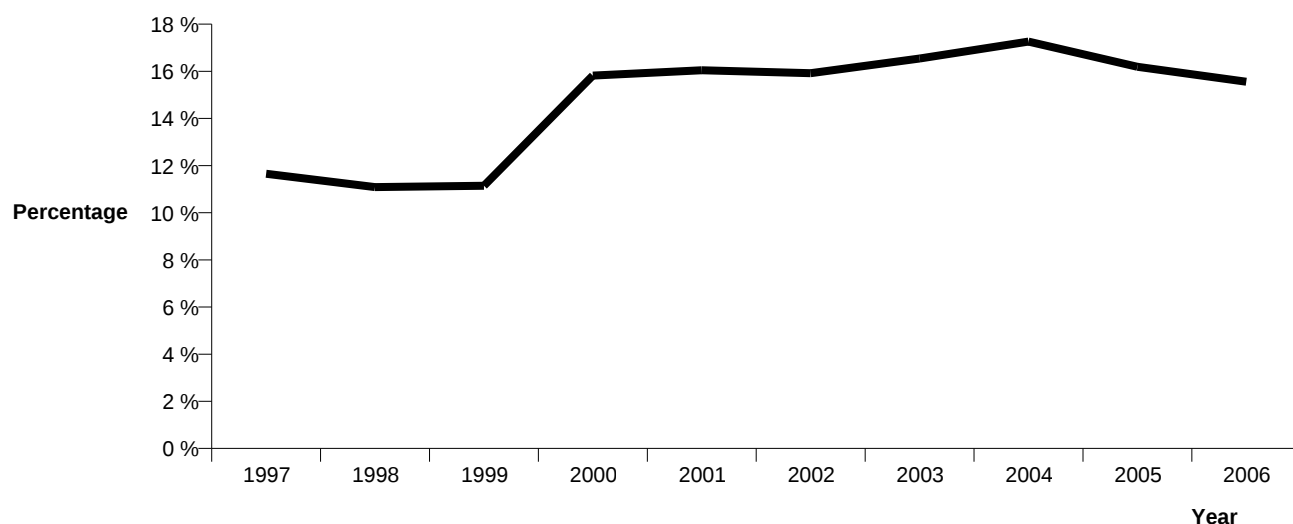
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 81,027            |                                | 214.3                                   |                                 | 9,441                   | 11.7 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 78,832            | -2.7 %                         | 206.7                                   | -3.6 %                          | 8,741                   | 11.1 %          | -0.6 %                       |
| 1999          | 74,490            | -5.5 %                         | 194.2                                   | -6.0 %                          | 8,303                   | 11.1 %          | 0.1 %                        |
| 2000          | 66,520            | -10.7 %                        | 172.4                                   | -11.2 %                         | 10,521                  | 15.8 %          | 4.7 %                        |
| 2001          | 60,345            | -9.3 %                         | 155.5                                   | -9.8 %                          | 9,684                   | 16.0 %          | 0.2 %                        |
| 2002          | 60,404            | 0.1 %                          | 153.3                                   | -1.4 %                          | 9,616                   | 15.9 %          | -0.1 %                       |
| 2003          | 61,630            | 2.0 %                          | 153.7                                   | 0.2 %                           | 10,194                  | 16.5 %          | 0.6 %                        |
| 2004          | 57,669            | -6.4 %                         | 142.0                                   | -7.6 %                          | 9,953                   | 17.3 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 2005          | 58,133            | 0.8 %                          | 141.8                                   | -0.1 %                          | 9,413                   | 16.2 %          | -1.1 %                       |
| 2006          | 61,672            | 6.1 %                          | 149.0                                   | 5.0 %                           | 9,596                   | 15.6 %          | -0.6 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



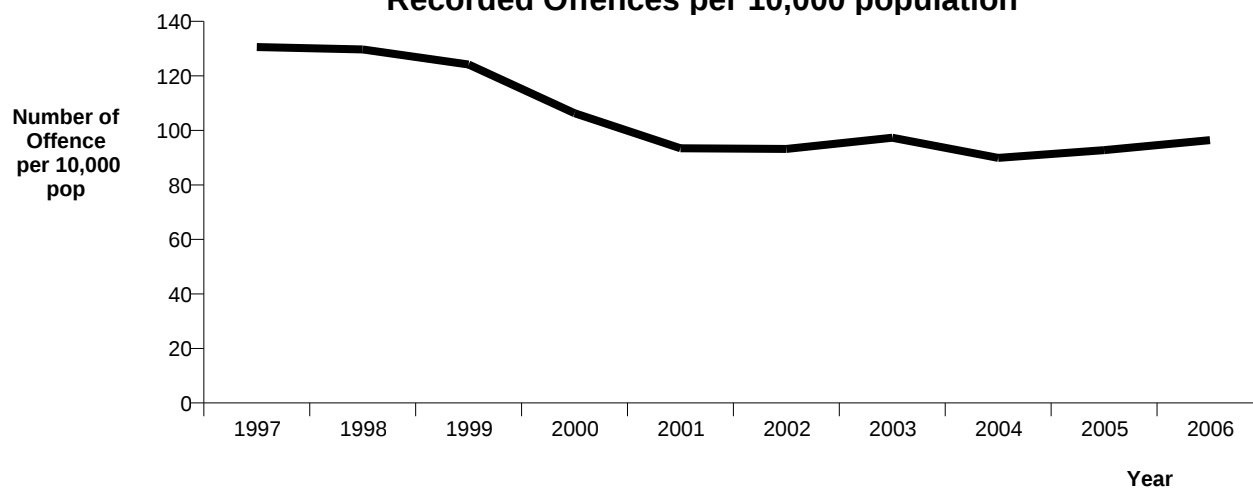
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**DWELLING BURGLARY**

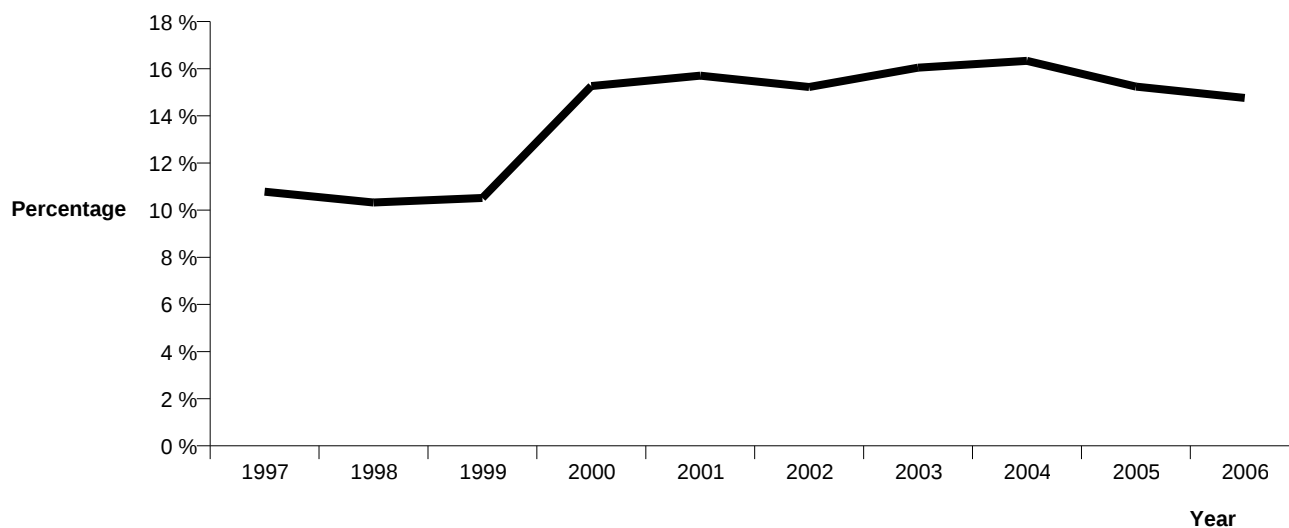
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 49,376            |                                | 130.6                                   |                                 | 5,325                   | 10.8 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 49,481            | 0.2 %                          | 129.7                                   | -0.7 %                          | 5,109                   | 10.3 %          | -0.5 %                       |
| 1999          | 47,621            | -3.8 %                         | 124.2                                   | -4.3 %                          | 5,008                   | 10.5 %          | 0.2 %                        |
| 2000          | 40,999            | -13.9 %                        | 106.3                                   | -14.4 %                         | 6,258                   | 15.3 %          | 4.7 %                        |
| 2001          | 36,255            | -11.6 %                        | 93.4                                    | -12.1 %                         | 5,695                   | 15.7 %          | 0.4 %                        |
| 2002          | 36,717            | 1.3 %                          | 93.2                                    | -0.2 %                          | 5,590                   | 15.2 %          | -0.5 %                       |
| 2003          | 39,015            | 6.3 %                          | 97.3                                    | 4.4 %                           | 6,259                   | 16.0 %          | 0.8 %                        |
| 2004          | 36,524            | -6.4 %                         | 89.9                                    | -7.6 %                          | 5,965                   | 16.3 %          | 0.3 %                        |
| 2005          | 38,021            | 4.1 %                          | 92.8                                    | 3.2 %                           | 5,796                   | 15.2 %          | -1.1 %                       |
| 2006          | 39,924            | 5.0 %                          | 96.4                                    | 4.0 %                           | 5,894                   | 14.8 %          | -0.5 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

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

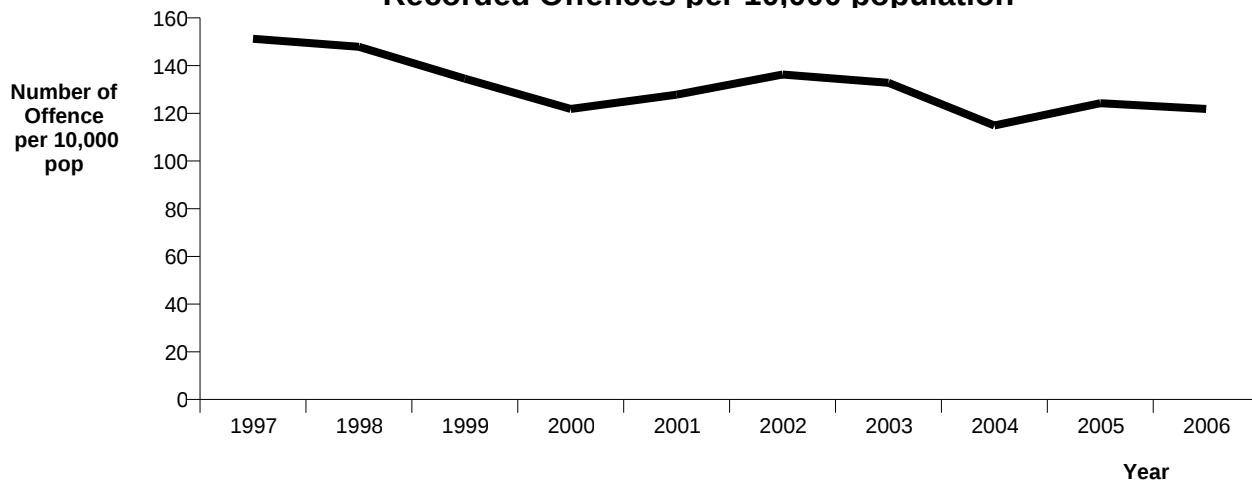


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**THEFT EX CAR**

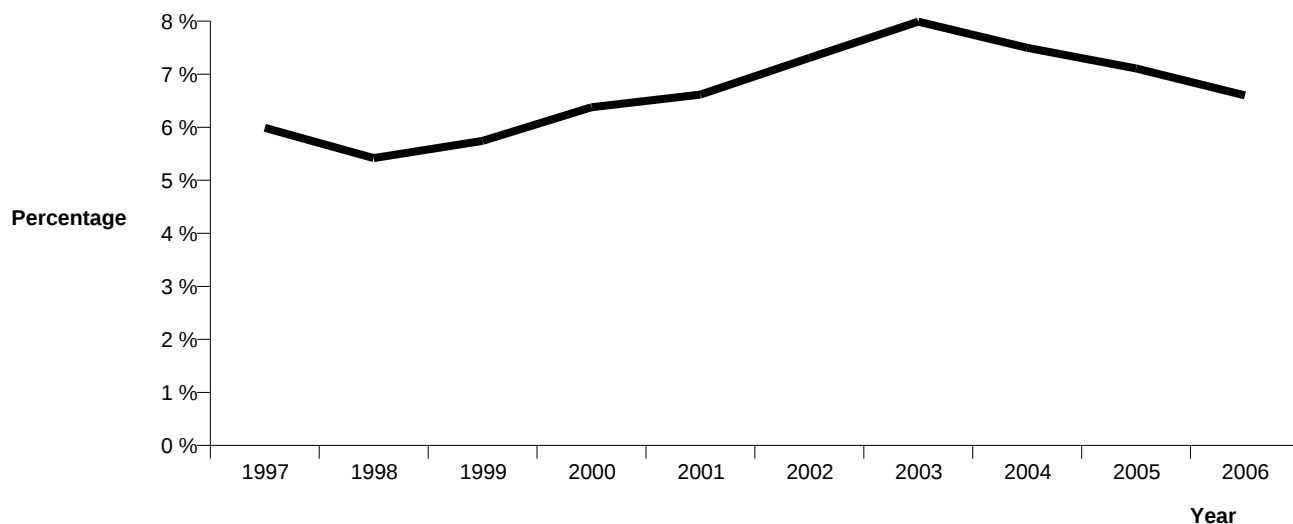
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 57,186            |                                | 151.2                                   |                                 | 3,425                   | 6.0 %           |                              |
| 1998          | 56,411            | -1.4 %                         | 147.9                                   | -2.2 %                          | 3,056                   | 5.4 %           | -0.6 %                       |
| 1999          | 51,583            | -8.6 %                         | 134.5                                   | -9.0 %                          | 2,962                   | 5.7 %           | 0.3 %                        |
| 2000          | 46,989            | -8.9 %                         | 121.8                                   | -9.4 %                          | 2,996                   | 6.4 %           | 0.6 %                        |
| 2001          | 49,597            | 5.6 %                          | 127.8                                   | 4.9 %                           | 3,281                   | 6.6 %           | 0.2 %                        |
| 2002          | 53,662            | 8.2 %                          | 136.2                                   | 6.6 %                           | 3,921                   | 7.3 %           | 0.7 %                        |
| 2003          | 53,242            | -0.8 %                         | 132.8                                   | -2.5 %                          | 4,255                   | 8.0 %           | 0.7 %                        |
| 2004          | 46,676            | -12.3 %                        | 114.9                                   | -13.5 %                         | 3,500                   | 7.5 %           | -0.5 %                       |
| 2005          | 50,927            | 9.1 %                          | 124.3                                   | 8.1 %                           | 3,620                   | 7.1 %           | -0.4 %                       |
| 2006          | 50,432            | -1.0 %                         | 121.8                                   | -1.9 %                          | 3,329                   | 6.6 %           | -0.5 %                       |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



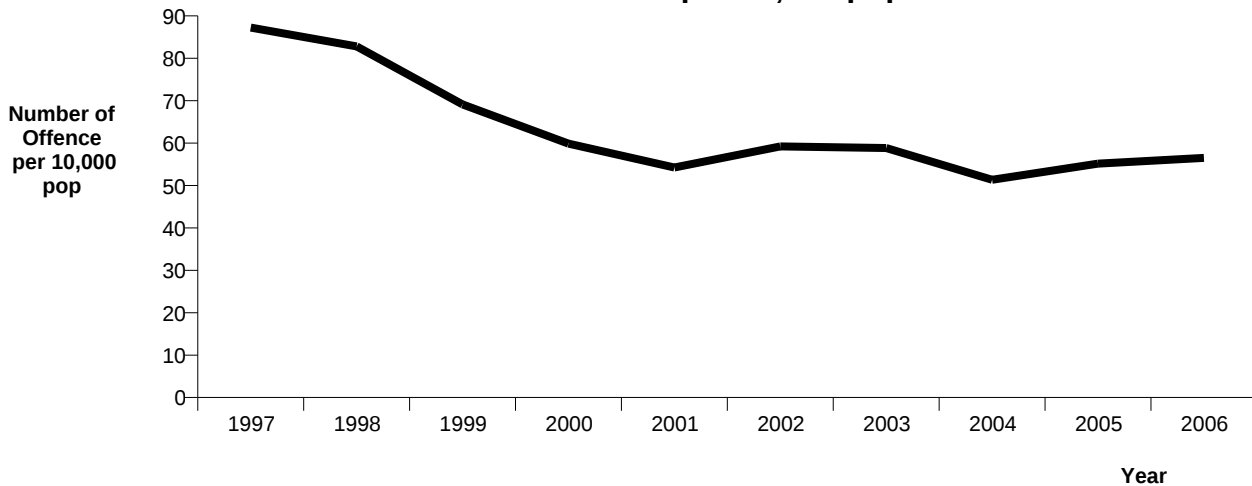
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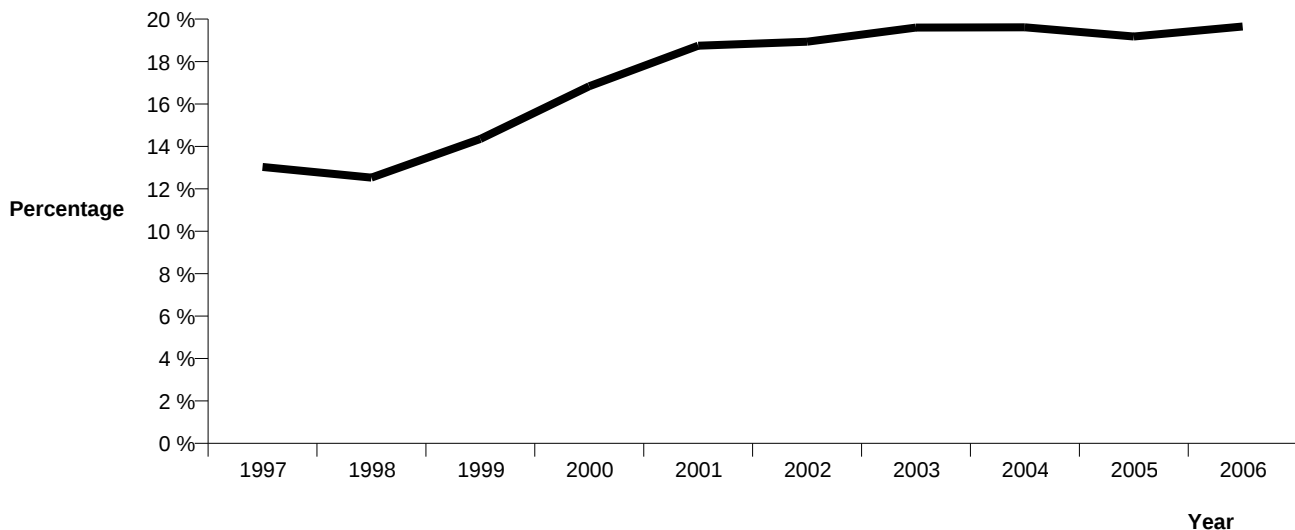
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|---------------|-------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 1997          | 32,996            |                                | 87.3                                    |                                 | 4,300                   | 13.0 %          |                              |
| 1998          | 31,593            | -4.3 %                         | 82.8                                    | -5.1 %                          | 3,957                   | 12.5 %          | -0.5 %                       |
| 1999          | 26,509            | -16.1 %                        | 69.1                                    | -16.5 %                         | 3,804                   | 14.3 %          | 1.8 %                        |
| 2000          | 23,093            | -12.9 %                        | 59.9                                    | -13.4 %                         | 3,888                   | 16.8 %          | 2.5 %                        |
| 2001          | 21,059            | -8.8 %                         | 54.3                                    | -9.4 %                          | 3,947                   | 18.7 %          | 1.9 %                        |
| 2002          | 23,324            | 10.8 %                         | 59.2                                    | 9.1 %                           | 4,416                   | 18.9 %          | 0.2 %                        |
| 2003          | 23,592            | 1.1 %                          | 58.8                                    | -0.6 %                          | 4,624                   | 19.6 %          | 0.7 %                        |
| 2004          | 20,853            | -11.6 %                        | 51.3                                    | -12.7 %                         | 4,090                   | 19.6 %          | 0.0 %                        |
| 2005          | 22,605            | 8.4 %                          | 55.2                                    | 7.4 %                           | 4,335                   | 19.2 %          | -0.4 %                       |
| 2006          | 23,390            | 3.5 %                          | 56.5                                    | 2.5 %                           | 4,596                   | 19.6 %          | 0.5 %                        |

**Recorded Offences per 10,000 population**



**Resolution Rate**

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



## Population Data

Population data is used in this release to calculate crime rates. These data are estimated population figures as at 30 June each year obtained from Statistics New Zealand.

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

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

Note that 2006 estimates are based on 2001 Census data, as 2006 Census data was not available at time of publication.

| Calendar Year | Population |
|---------------|------------|
| 1997          | 3,781,540  |
| 1998          | 3,814,670  |
| 1999          | 3,834,980  |
| 2000          | 3,857,410  |
| 2001          | 3,881,010  |
| 2002          | 3,939,000  |
| 2003          | 4,009,280  |
| 2004          | 4,061,600  |
| 2005          | 4,098,570  |
| 2006          | 4,139,420  |