

**TASMAN DISTRICT
CRIME STATISTICS
2006/2007**



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

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REPORT NOTES:

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

A Recorded Offence is 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 recorded or 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, in particular, 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).

In June 2005 Police replaced the aging Law Enforcement System (LES) - a.k.a. the Wanganui computer - with a newer National Intelligence Application (NIA). This IT system migration is the largest crime-recording system change that has occurred since the introduction of the Wanganui computer in the late 1970s.

This system change caused a step-increase in recorded crime statistics, coincident with the system replacement. This step-increase varied in magnitude between different crime-types and Police Districts. Caution should therefore be observed when making inferences from these statistics about trends the incidence of crime in New Zealand.

Legislation changes during the 2006/2007 year have generally had negligible impact on recorded crime statistics.

However, the Crimes (Intimate Covert Filming) Amendment Act 2006 created new offences within the 'Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous' Class of Sexual offences during 2006/2007, making a small contribution to the increase within this Class.

When comparing 2006/2007 Statistics with previous years, the reader should also refer to "Report Notes" published in previous years' reports, as previous changes significantly affect year on year trends.

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Violence	Grievous Assaults	114	137	127	20.2 %	-7.3 %	105	128	110	92.1 %	93.4 %	86.6 %
	Group Assemblies	78	59	56	-24.4 %	-5.1 %	57	50	50	73.1 %	84.7 %	89.3 %
	Homicide	4	6	5	50.0 %	-16.7 %	4	5	4	100.0 %	83.3 %	80.0 %
	Intimidation And Threats	498	535	506	7.4 %	-5.4 %	453	481	433	91.0 %	89.9 %	85.6 %
	Kidnapping And Abduction		7	8		14.3 %		7	7		100.0 %	87.5 %
	Minor Assaults	623	581	633	-6.7 %	9.0 %	554	523	556	88.9 %	90.0 %	87.8 %
	Robbery	30	27	31	-10.0 %	14.8 %	17	17	20	56.7 %	63.0 %	64.5 %
	Serious Assaults	592	671	654	13.3 %	-2.5 %	530	612	601	89.5 %	91.2 %	91.9 %
Total:		1,939	2,023	2,020	4.3 %	-0.1 %	1,720	1,823	1,781	88.7 %	90.1 %	88.2 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	1	2	3	100.0 %	50.0 %	1	2	1	100.0 %	100.0 %	33.3 %
	Immoral Behaviour	17	19	25	11.8 %	31.6 %	14	19	24	82.4 %	100.0 %	96.0 %
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	8	4	43	-50.0 %	975.0 %	5	0	43	62.5 %	0.0 %	100.0 %
	Sexual Affronts	18	39	35	116.7 %	-10.3 %	9	31	22	50.0 %	79.5 %	62.9 %
	Sexual Attacks	99	103	130	4.0 %	26.2 %	66	78	102	66.7 %	75.7 %	78.5 %
Total:		143	167	236	16.8 %	41.3 %	95	130	192	66.4 %	77.8 %	81.4 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	1,175	1,106	1,228	-5.9 %	11.0 %	1,063	1,011	1,152	90.5 %	91.4 %	93.8 %
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	982	1,147	1,057	16.8 %	-7.8 %	923	1,071	1,003	94.0 %	93.4 %	94.9 %
	Drugs (New Drugs)	43	58	43	34.9 %	-25.9 %	40	57	39	93.0 %	98.3 %	90.7 %
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	45	54	44	20.0 %	-18.5 %	41	52	43	91.1 %	96.3 %	97.7 %
	Family Offences	27	23	17	-14.8 %	-26.1 %	16	10	7	59.3 %	43.5 %	41.2 %
	Family Offences Continued	130	165	155	26.9 %	-6.1 %	113	154	148	86.9 %	93.3 %	95.5 %
	Sale Of Liquor Act	313	322	365	2.9 %	13.4 %	286	315	354	91.4 %	97.8 %	97.0 %
	Vagrancy Offences	10	4	9	-60.0 %	125.0 %	10	4	9	100.0 %	100.0 %	100.0 %
Total:		2,725	2,879	2,918	5.7 %	1.4 %	2,492	2,674	2,755	91.4 %	92.9 %	94.4 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY CATEGORY

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Dishonesty	Burglary	1,225	1,310	1,175	6.9 %	-10.3 %	361	408	331	29.5 %	31.1 %	28.2 %
	Car Conversion Etc	1,002	1,057	1,131	5.5 %	7.0 %	288	367	333	28.7 %	34.7 %	29.4 %
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	8	14	13	75.0 %	-7.1 %	5	7	8	62.5 %	50.0 %	61.5 %
	Fraud	368	375	453	1.9 %	20.8 %	244	274	330	66.3 %	73.1 %	72.8 %
	Receiving	112	111	102	-0.9 %	-8.1 %	108	107	98	96.4 %	96.4 %	96.1 %
	Theft	4,106	4,048	4,123	-1.4 %	1.9 %	1,199	1,271	1,348	29.2 %	31.4 %	32.7 %
Total:		6,821	6,915	6,997	1.4 %	1.2 %	2,205	2,434	2,448	32.3 %	35.2 %	35.0 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	2,615	2,501	2,890	-4.4 %	15.6 %	746	725	803	28.5 %	29.0 %	27.8 %
	Endangering	6	18	11	200.0 %	-38.9 %	4	14	8	66.7 %	77.8 %	72.7 %
Total:		2,621	2,519	2,901	-3.9 %	15.2 %	750	739	811	28.6 %	29.3 %	28.0 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Property Abuse	Animals	37	21	32	-43.2 %	52.4 %	21	14	18	56.8 %	66.7 %	56.3 %
	Arms Act Offences	192	140	142	-27.1 %	1.4 %	172	118	126	89.6 %	84.3 %	88.7 %
	Littering	21	22	34	4.8 %	54.5 %	14	18	26	66.7 %	81.8 %	76.5 %
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	259	254	213	-1.9 %	-16.1 %	156	171	135	60.2 %	67.3 %	63.4 %
	Trespass	682	607	587	-11.0 %	-3.3 %	570	476	453	83.6 %	78.4 %	77.2 %
Total:		1,191	1,044	1,008	-12.3 %	-3.4 %	933	797	758	78.3 %	76.3 %	75.2 %

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Administrative	Against Justice	720	209	228	-71.0 %	9.1 %	608	200	212	84.4 %	95.7 %	93.0 %
	Against National Interest		1			-100.0 %		1			100.0 %	
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	1			-100.0 %		0			0.0 %		
	By Law Breaches	19	15	10	-21.1 %	-33.3 %	11	9	7	57.9 %	60.0 %	70.0 %
	Immigration	49	56	14	14.3 %	-75.0 %	48	53	14	98.0 %	94.6 %	100.0 %
	Justice (Special)		8			-100.0 %		7			87.5 %	
Total:		789	289	252	-63.4 %	-12.8 %	667	270	233	84.5 %	93.4 %	92.5 %

TOTAL		16,229	15,836	16,332	-2.4 %	3.1 %	8,862	8,867	8,978	54.6 %	56.0 %	55.0 %
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DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY AREA
Years ending 30 June

Area Description	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007	Percent Variance 03/04 to 04/05	Percent Variance 04/05 to 05/06
Marlborough	1,117.6	1,069.7	1,092.1	-4.3 %	2.1 %
Nelson Bays	920.9	869.9	894.3	-5.5 %	2.8 %
West Coast	846.5	913.8	911.9	8.0 %	-0.2 %
TOTAL	961.3	932.4	951.6	-3.0 %	2.1 %

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Violence	Grievous Assaults	6.8	8.1	7.4
	Group Assemblies	4.6	3.5	3.3
	Homicide	0.2	0.4	0.3
	Intimidation And Threats	29.5	31.5	29.5
	Kidnapping And Abduction		0.4	0.5
	Minor Assaults	36.9	34.2	36.9
	Robbery	1.8	1.6	1.8
	Serious Assaults	35.1	39.5	38.1
Violence		114.9	119.1	117.7

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Sexual	Abnormal Sex	0.1	0.1	0.2
	Immoral Behaviour	1.0	1.1	1.5
	Immoral Behaviour/Miscellaneous	0.5	0.2	2.5
	Sexual Affronts	1.1	2.3	2.0
	Sexual Attacks	5.9	6.1	7.6
Sexual		8.5	9.8	13.8

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Drugs & AntiSocial	Disorder	69.6	65.1	71.6
	Drugs (Cannabis Only)	58.2	67.5	61.6
	Drugs (New Drugs)	2.5	3.4	2.5
	Drugs (Not Cannabis)	2.7	3.2	2.6
	Family Offences	1.6	1.4	1.0
	Family Offences Continued	7.7	9.7	9.0
	Sale Of Liquor Act	18.5	19.0	21.3
	Vagrancy Offences	0.6	0.2	0.5
Drugs & AntiSocial		161.4	169.5	170.0

DISTRICT RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION, BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Dishonesty	Burglary	72.6	77.1	68.5
	Car Conversion Etc	59.4	62.2	65.9
	Dishonesty/Miscellaneous	0.5	0.8	0.8
	Fraud	21.8	22.1	26.4
	Receiving	6.6	6.5	5.9
	Theft	243.2	238.3	240.2
Dishonesty		404.0	407.1	407.7

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Property Damage	Destruction Of Property	154.9	147.2	168.4
	Endangering	0.4	1.1	0.6
Property Damage		155.2	148.3	169.0

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Property Abuse	Animals	2.2	1.2	1.9
	Arms Act Offences	11.4	8.2	8.3
	Littering	1.2	1.3	2.0
	Postal/rail/fire Service Abuses	15.3	15.0	12.4
	Trespass	40.4	35.7	34.2
Property Abuse		70.5	61.5	58.7

Offence Category	Offence Class	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20042005	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20052006	Recorded per 10,000 pop 20062007
Administrative	Against Justice	42.6	12.3	13.3
	Against National Interest		0.1	
	Births, Deaths And Marriages	0.1		
	By Law Breaches	1.1	0.9	0.6
	Immigration	2.9	3.3	0.8
	Justice (Special)		0.5	
Administrative		46.7	17.0	14.7

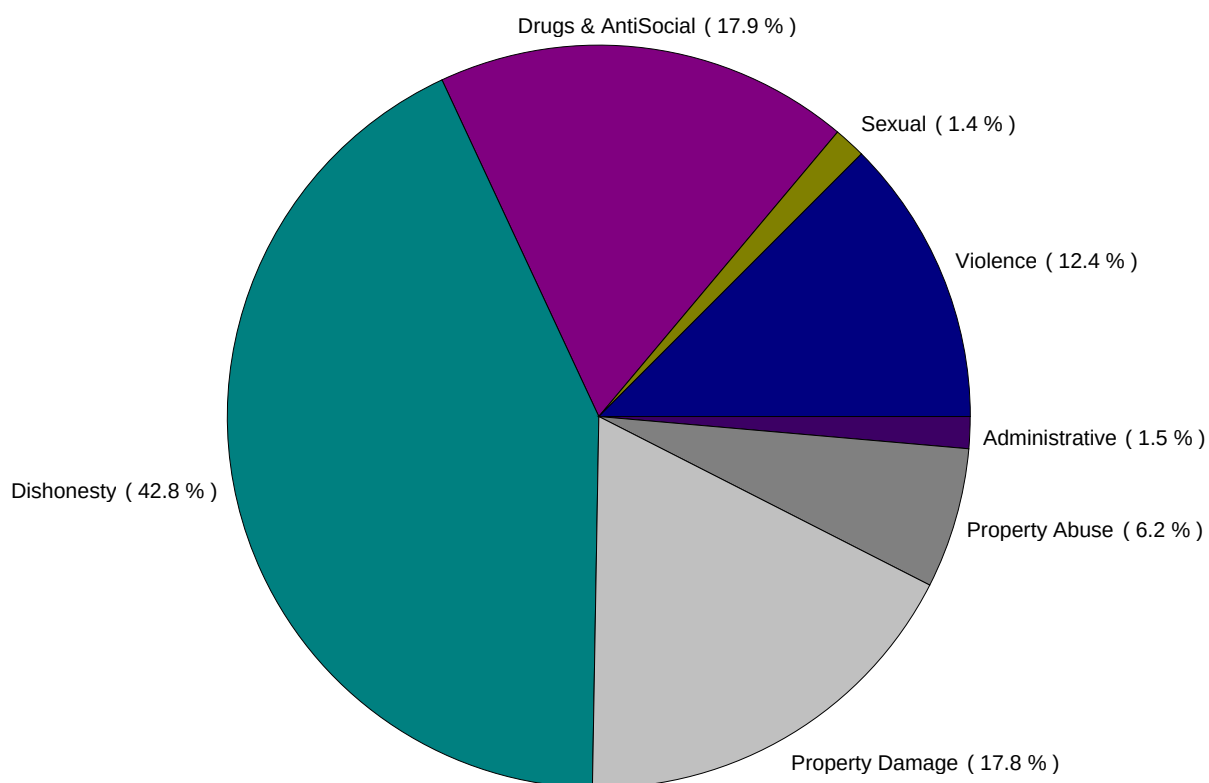
TOTAL		961.3	932.4	951.6
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PROPORTION OF RECORDED CRIME BY CATEGORIES

Years ending 30 June

Offence Category	Proportions Recorded 2004/2005	Recorded 2004/2005	Proportions Recorded 2005/2006	Recorded 2005/2006	Proportions Recorded 2006/2007	Recorded 2006/2007
Violence	11.9 %	1,939	12.8 %	2,023	12.4 %	2,020
Sexual	0.9 %	143	1.1 %	167	1.4 %	236
Drugs & AntiSocial	16.8 %	2,725	18.2 %	2,879	17.9 %	2,918
Dishonesty	42.0 %	6,821	43.7 %	6,915	42.8 %	6,997
Property Damage	16.2 %	2,621	15.9 %	2,519	17.8 %	2,901
Property Abuse	7.3 %	1,191	6.6 %	1,044	6.2 %	1,008
Administrative	4.9 %	789	1.8 %	289	1.5 %	252
Total:	100.0 %	16,229	100.0 %	15,836	100.0 %	16,332

TOTAL DISTRICT CRIME BY CATEGORY FOR 2006/2007 (ending 30 June)



SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME, BY AREA
years ending 30 June

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	5,166	4,964	5,132	-3.9 %	3.4 %	3,086	2,980	2,981	59.7 %	60.0 %	58.1 %
Nelson Bays	8,474	8,088	8,417	-4.6 %	4.1 %	4,456	4,362	4,366	52.6 %	53.9 %	51.9 %
West Coast	2,589	2,784	2,783	7.5 %	-0.0 %	1,320	1,525	1,631	51.0 %	54.8 %	58.6 %
Total:	16,229	15,836	16,332	-2.4 %	3.1 %	8,862	8,867	8,978	54.6 %	56.0 %	55.0 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

VIOLENCE

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	652	686	657	5.2 %	-4.2 %	566	606	569	86.8 %	88.3 %	86.6 %
Nelson Bays	964	949	952	-1.6 %	0.3 %	856	854	848	88.8 %	90.0 %	89.1 %
West Coast	323	388	411	20.1 %	5.9 %	298	363	364	92.3 %	93.6 %	88.6 %
Total:	1,939	2,023	2,020	4.3 %	-0.1 %	1,720	1,823	1,781	88.7 %	90.1 %	88.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

SEXUAL

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	32	40	116	25.0 %	190.0 %	21	28	104	65.6 %	70.0 %	89.7 %
Nelson Bays	89	105	95	18.0 %	-9.5 %	65	85	71	73.0 %	81.0 %	74.7 %
West Coast	22	22	25	0.0 %	13.6 %	9	17	17	40.9 %	77.3 %	68.0 %
Total:	143	167	236	16.8 %	41.3 %	95	130	192	66.4 %	77.8 %	81.4 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	1,148	1,073	1,031	-6.5 %	-3.9 %	1,038	1,010	978	90.4 %	94.1 %	94.9 %
Nelson Bays	1,217	1,287	1,280	5.8 %	-0.5 %	1,135	1,205	1,218	93.3 %	93.6 %	95.2 %
West Coast	360	519	607	44.2 %	17.0 %	319	459	559	88.6 %	88.4 %	92.1 %
Total:	2,725	2,879	2,918	5.7 %	1.4 %	2,492	2,674	2,755	91.4 %	92.9 %	94.4 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

DISHONESTY

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	1,809	1,966	1,902	8.7 %	-3.3 %	558	690	667	30.8 %	35.1 %	35.1 %
Nelson Bays	3,976	3,913	4,191	-1.6 %	7.1 %	1,340	1,404	1,460	33.7 %	35.9 %	34.8 %
West Coast	1,036	1,036	904	0.0 %	-12.7 %	307	340	321	29.6 %	32.8 %	35.5 %
Total:	6,821	6,915	6,997	1.4 %	1.2 %	2,205	2,434	2,448	32.3 %	35.2 %	35.0 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY DAMAGE

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	683	654	936	-4.2 %	43.1 %	196	213	289	28.7 %	32.6 %	30.9 %
Nelson Bays	1,373	1,253	1,396	-8.7 %	11.4 %	381	351	364	27.7 %	28.0 %	26.1 %
West Coast	565	612	569	8.3 %	-7.0 %	173	175	158	30.6 %	28.6 %	27.8 %
Total:	2,621	2,519	2,901	-3.9 %	15.2 %	750	739	811	28.6 %	29.3 %	28.0 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

PROPERTY ABUSE

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	497	417	379	-16.1 %	-9.1 %	403	313	271	81.1 %	75.1 %	71.5 %
Nelson Bays	492	462	427	-6.1 %	-7.6 %	385	352	337	78.3 %	76.2 %	78.9 %
West Coast	202	165	202	-18.3 %	22.4 %	145	132	150	71.8 %	80.0 %	74.3 %
Total:	1,191	1,044	1,008	-12.3 %	-3.4 %	933	797	758	78.3 %	76.3 %	75.2 %

SUMMARY OF DISTRICT RECORDED AND RESOLVED CRIME CATEGORIES, BY AREA

years ending 30 June

ADMINISTRATIVE

Area Description	Recorded 20042005	Recorded 20052006	Recorded 20062007	Variance 04/05- 05/06	Variance 05/06- 06/07	Resolved 20042005	Resolved 20052006	Resolved 20062007	Percent Resolved 20042005	Percent Resolved 20052006	Percent Resolved 20062007
Marlborough	345	128	111	-62.9 %	-13.3 %	304	120	103	88.1 %	93.8 %	92.8 %
Nelson Bays	363	119	76	-67.2 %	-36.1 %	294	111	68	81.0 %	93.3 %	89.5 %
West Coast	81	42	65	-48.1 %	54.8 %	69	39	62	85.2 %	92.9 %	95.4 %
Total:	789	289	252	-63.4 %	-12.8 %	667	270	233	84.5 %	93.4 %	92.5 %

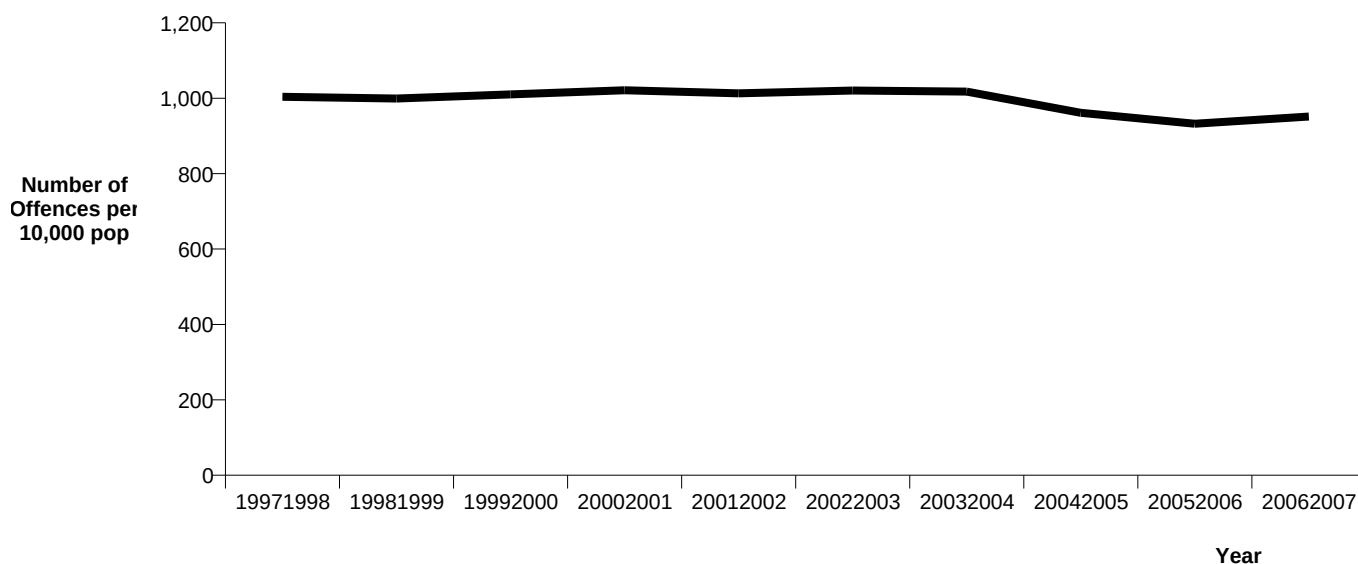
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TOTAL CRIME

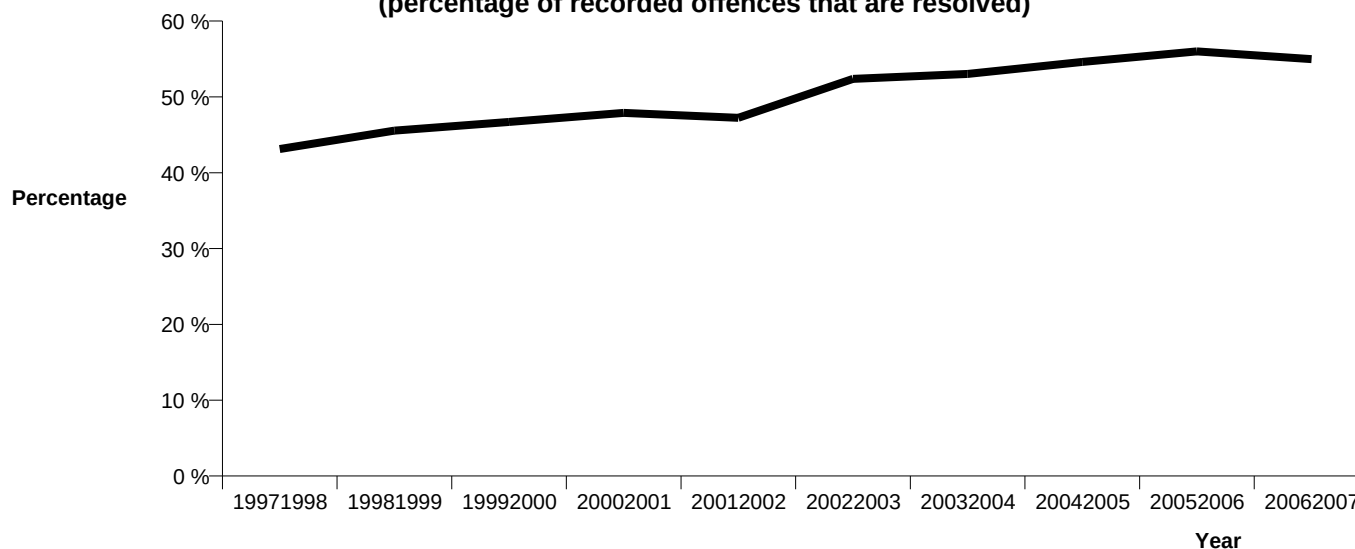
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	15,836		1,003.7		6,830	43.1 %	
19981999	15,862	0.2 %	999.1	-0.5 %	7,225	45.5 %	2.4 %
19992000	16,081	1.4 %	1,010.1	1.1 %	7,509	46.7 %	1.1 %
20002001	16,320	1.5 %	1,021.0	1.1 %	7,815	47.9 %	1.2 %
20012002	16,341	0.1 %	1,013.0	-0.8 %	7,720	47.2 %	-0.6 %
20022003	16,684	2.1 %	1,020.4	0.7 %	8,738	52.4 %	5.1 %
20032004	16,925	1.4 %	1,017.7	-0.3 %	8,976	53.0 %	0.7 %
20042005	16,229	-4.1 %	961.3	-5.5 %	8,862	54.6 %	1.6 %
20052006	15,836	-2.4 %	932.4	-3.0 %	8,867	56.0 %	1.4 %
20062007	16,332	3.1 %	951.6	2.1 %	8,978	55.0 %	-1.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



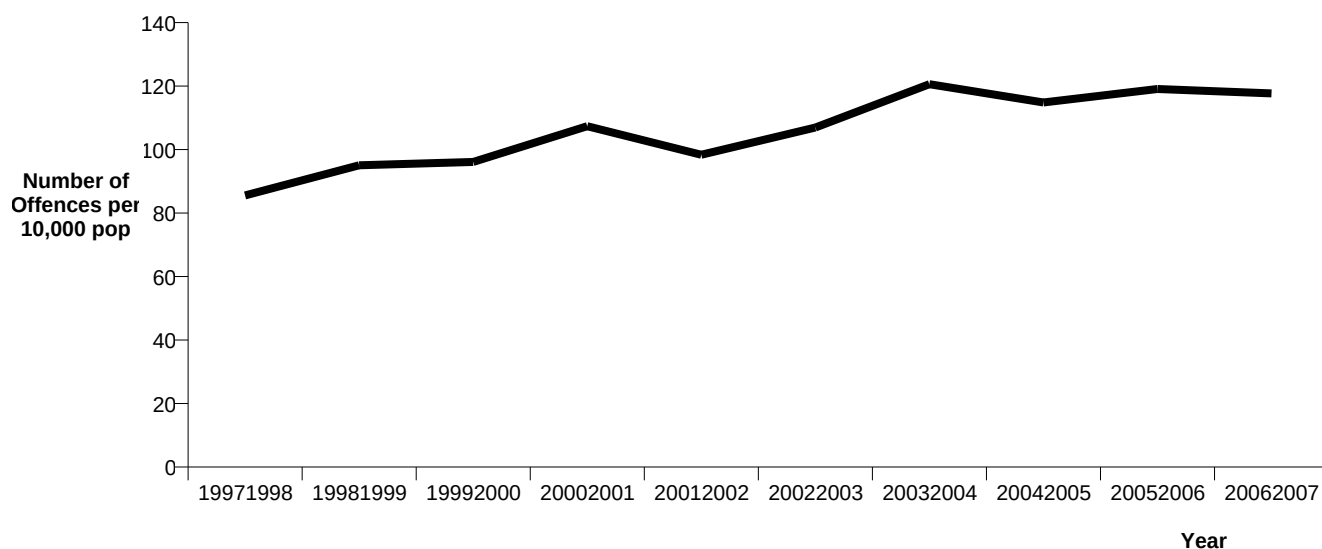
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VIOLENCE

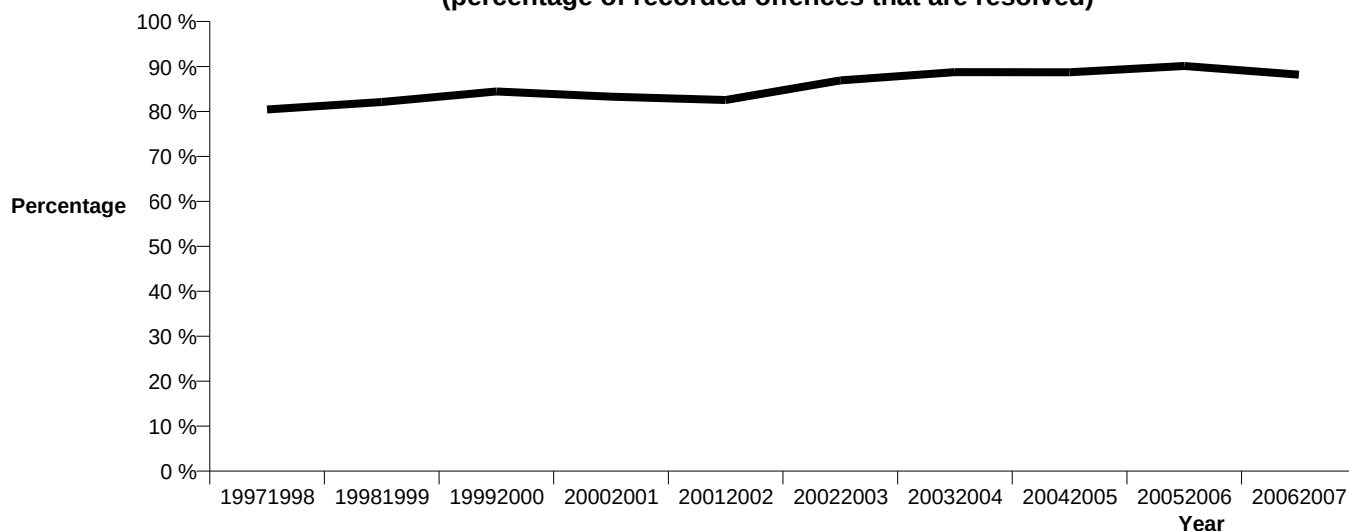
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	1,350		85.6		1,086	80.4 %	
19981999	1,509	11.8 %	95.0	11.1 %	1,239	82.1 %	1.7 %
19992000	1,530	1.4 %	96.1	1.1 %	1,292	84.4 %	2.3 %
20002001	1,716	12.2 %	107.4	11.7 %	1,429	83.3 %	-1.2 %
20012002	1,587	-7.5 %	98.4	-8.4 %	1,310	82.5 %	-0.7 %
20022003	1,749	10.2 %	107.0	8.7 %	1,520	86.9 %	4.4 %
20032004	2,006	14.7 %	120.6	12.8 %	1,780	88.7 %	1.8 %
20042005	1,939	-3.3 %	114.9	-4.8 %	1,720	88.7 %	-0.0 %
20052006	2,023	4.3 %	119.1	3.7 %	1,823	90.1 %	1.4 %
20062007	2,020	-0.1 %	117.7	-1.2 %	1,781	88.2 %	-1.9 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

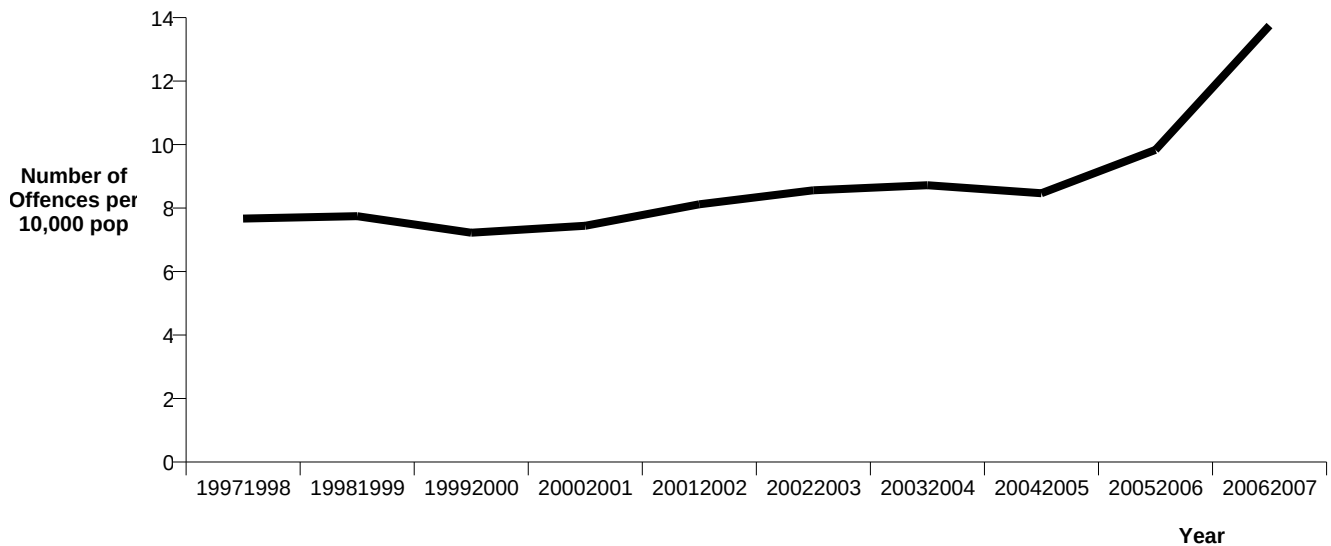


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SEXUAL

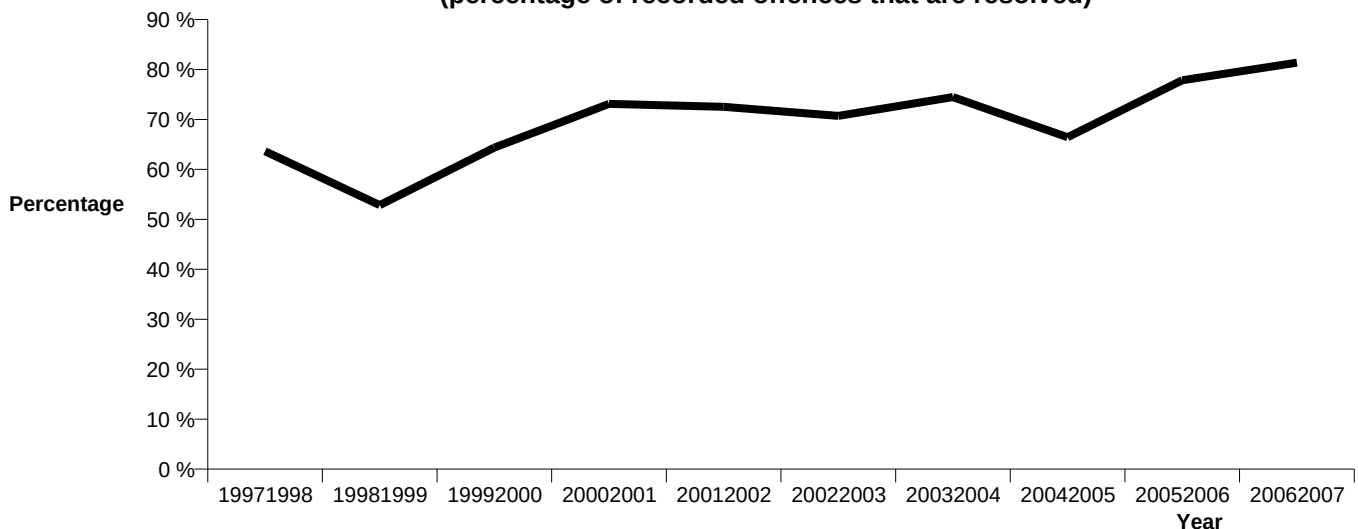
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19971998	121		7.7		77	63.6 %	
19981999	123	1.7 %	7.7	1.0 %	65	52.8 %	-10.8 %
19992000	115	-6.5 %	7.2	-6.8 %	74	64.3 %	11.5 %
20002001	119	3.5 %	7.4	3.1 %	87	73.1 %	8.8 %
20012002	131	10.1 %	8.1	9.1 %	95	72.5 %	-0.6 %
20022003	140	6.9 %	8.6	5.4 %	99	70.7 %	-1.8 %
20032004	145	3.6 %	8.7	1.8 %	108	74.5 %	3.8 %
20042005	143	-1.4 %	8.5	-2.9 %	95	66.4 %	-8.0 %
20052006	167	16.8 %	9.8	16.1 %	130	77.8 %	11.4 %
20062007	236	41.3 %	13.8	39.9 %	192	81.4 %	3.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



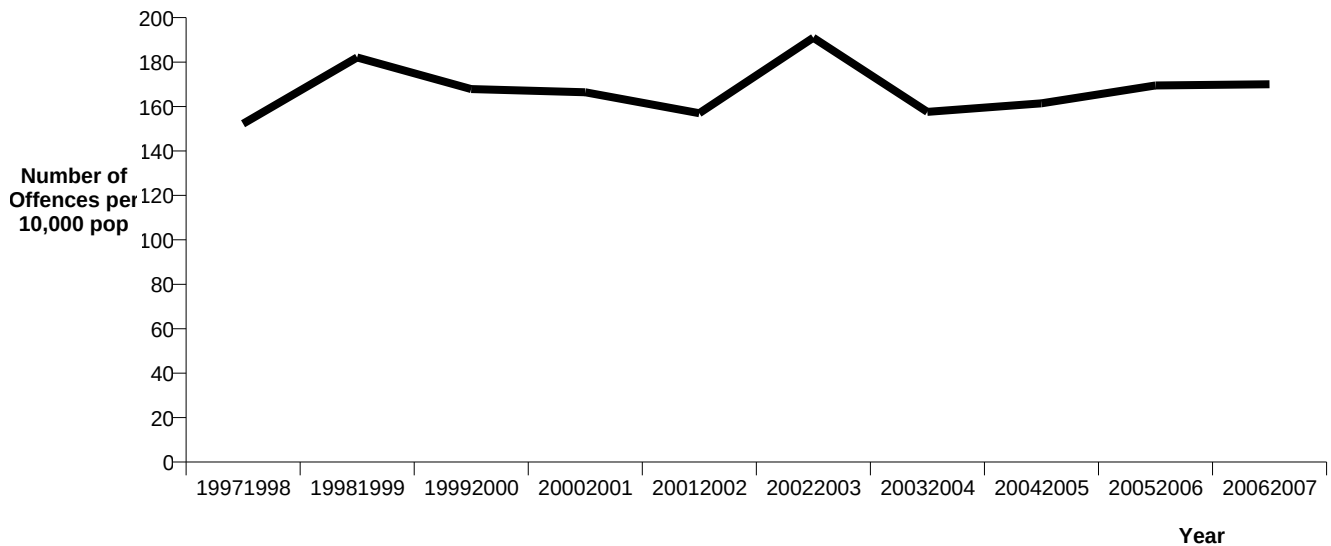
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DRUGS & ANTISOCIAL

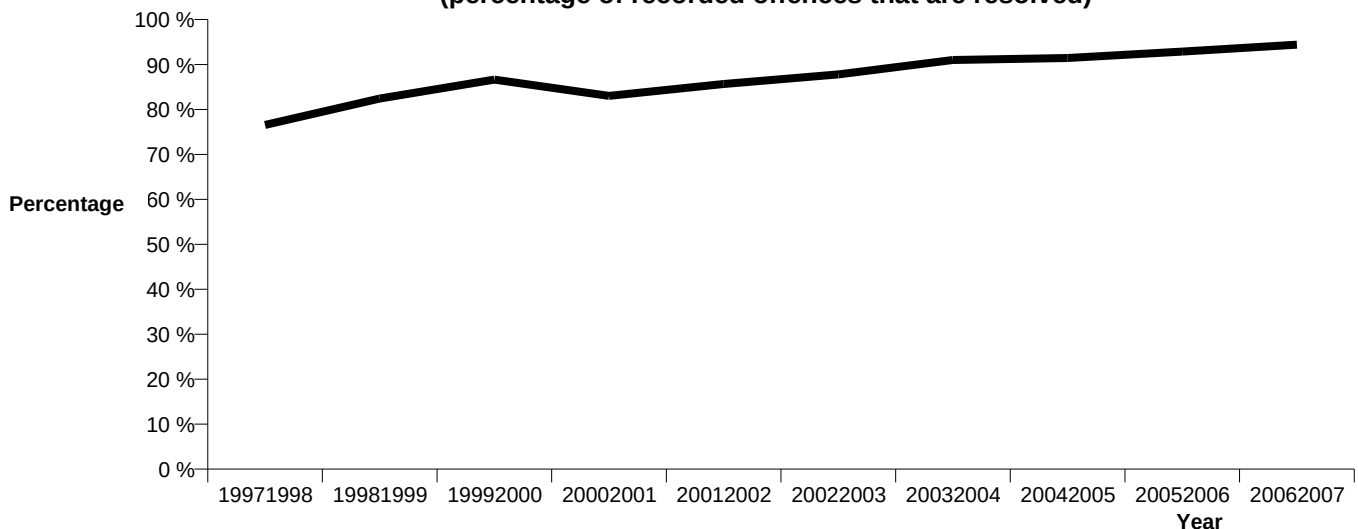
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	2,402		152.2		1,839	76.6 %	
19981999	2,891	20.4 %	182.1	19.6 %	2,383	82.4 %	5.9 %
19992000	2,672	-7.6 %	167.8	-7.8 %	2,315	86.6 %	4.2 %
20002001	2,660	-0.4 %	166.4	-0.8 %	2,208	83.0 %	-3.6 %
20012002	2,532	-4.8 %	157.0	-5.7 %	2,169	85.7 %	2.7 %
20022003	3,122	23.3 %	190.9	21.6 %	2,741	87.8 %	2.1 %
20032004	2,621	-16.0 %	157.6	-17.5 %	2,385	91.0 %	3.2 %
20042005	2,725	4.0 %	161.4	2.4 %	2,492	91.4 %	0.5 %
20052006	2,879	5.7 %	169.5	5.0 %	2,674	92.9 %	1.4 %
20062007	2,918	1.4 %	170.0	0.3 %	2,755	94.4 %	1.5 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



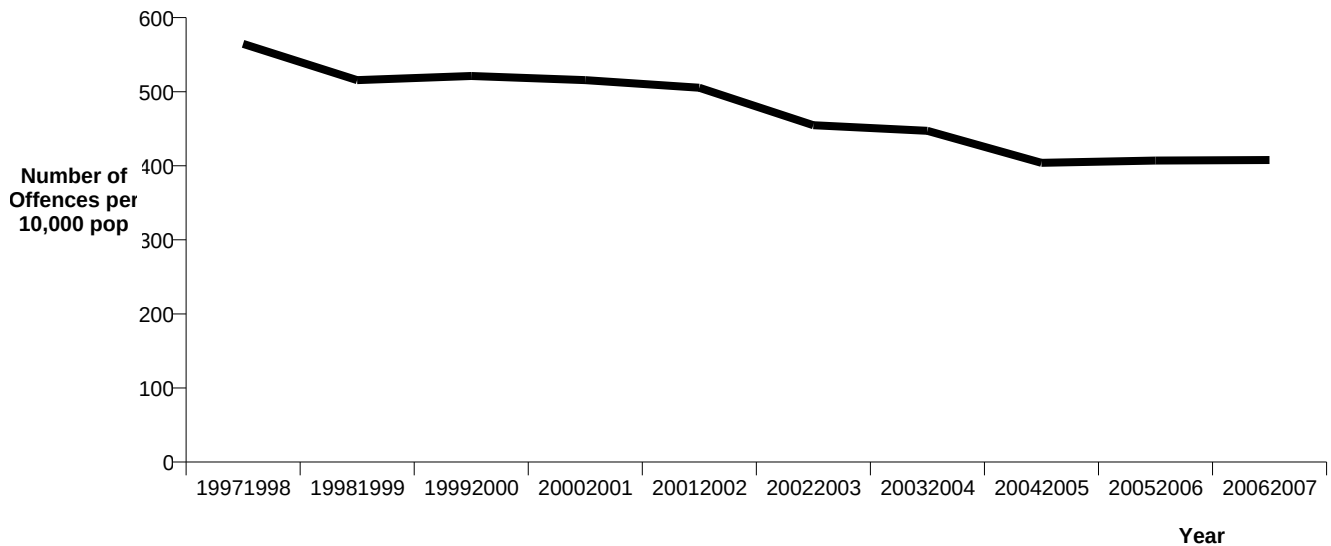
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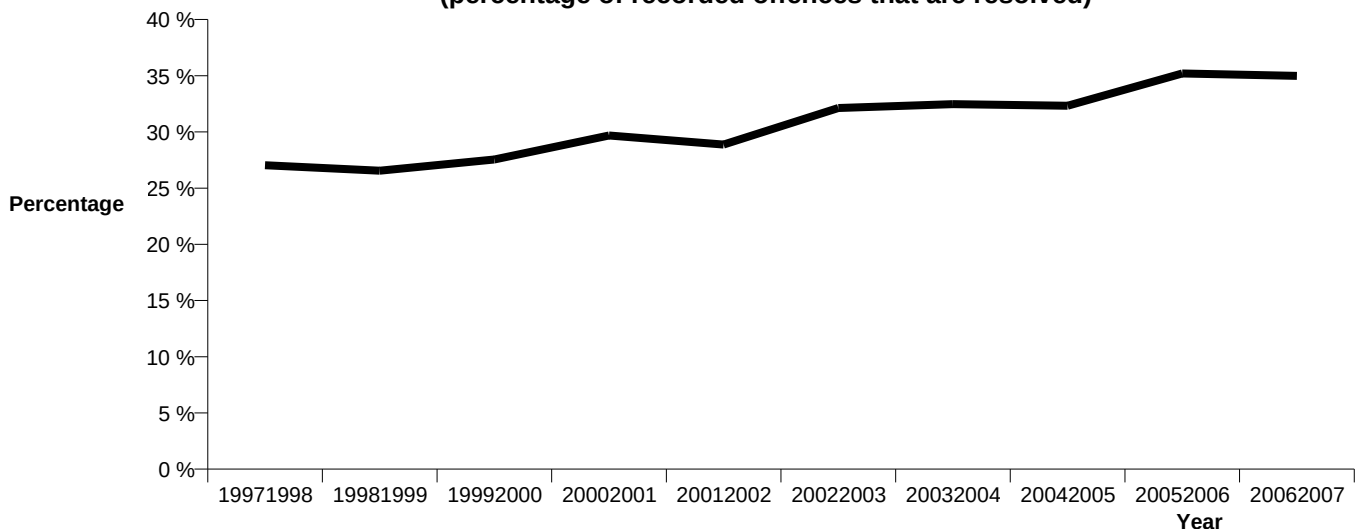
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	8,909		564.7		2,409	27.0 %	
19981999	8,187	-8.1 %	515.7	-8.7 %	2,174	26.6 %	-0.5 %
19992000	8,297	1.3 %	521.2	1.1 %	2,286	27.6 %	1.0 %
20002001	8,241	-0.7 %	515.6	-1.1 %	2,446	29.7 %	2.1 %
20012002	8,151	-1.1 %	505.3	-2.0 %	2,354	28.9 %	-0.8 %
20022003	7,436	-8.8 %	454.8	-10.0 %	2,389	32.1 %	3.2 %
20032004	7,438	0.0 %	447.3	-1.7 %	2,415	32.5 %	0.3 %
20042005	6,821	-8.3 %	404.0	-9.7 %	2,205	32.3 %	-0.1 %
20052006	6,915	1.4 %	407.1	0.8 %	2,434	35.2 %	2.9 %
20062007	6,997	1.2 %	407.7	0.1 %	2,448	35.0 %	-0.2 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



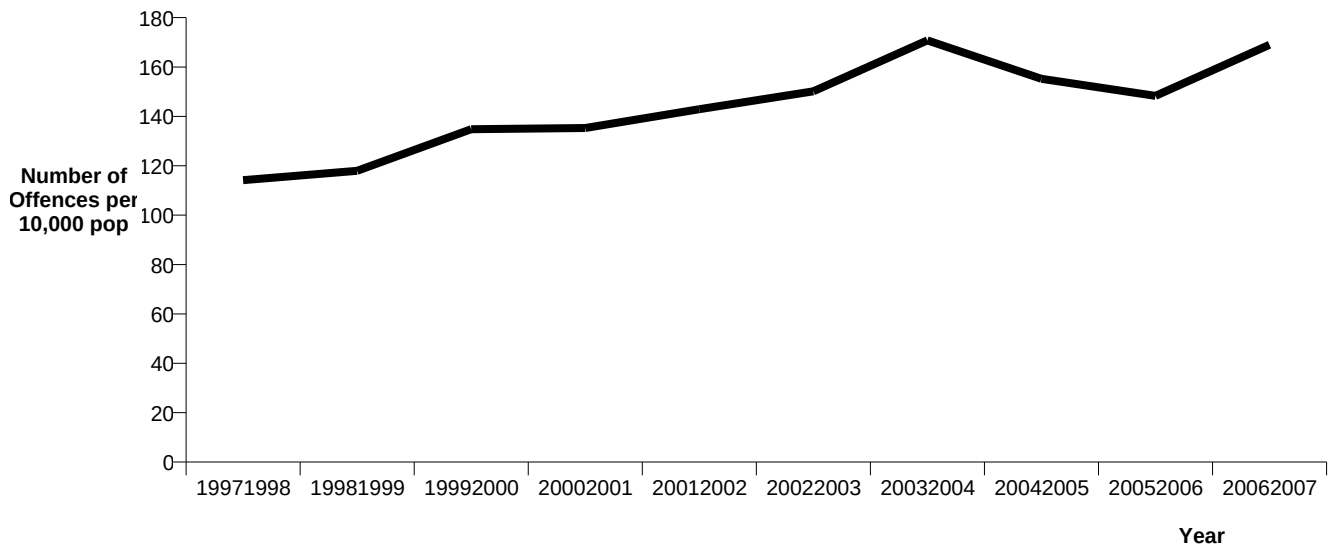
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PROPERTY DAMAGE

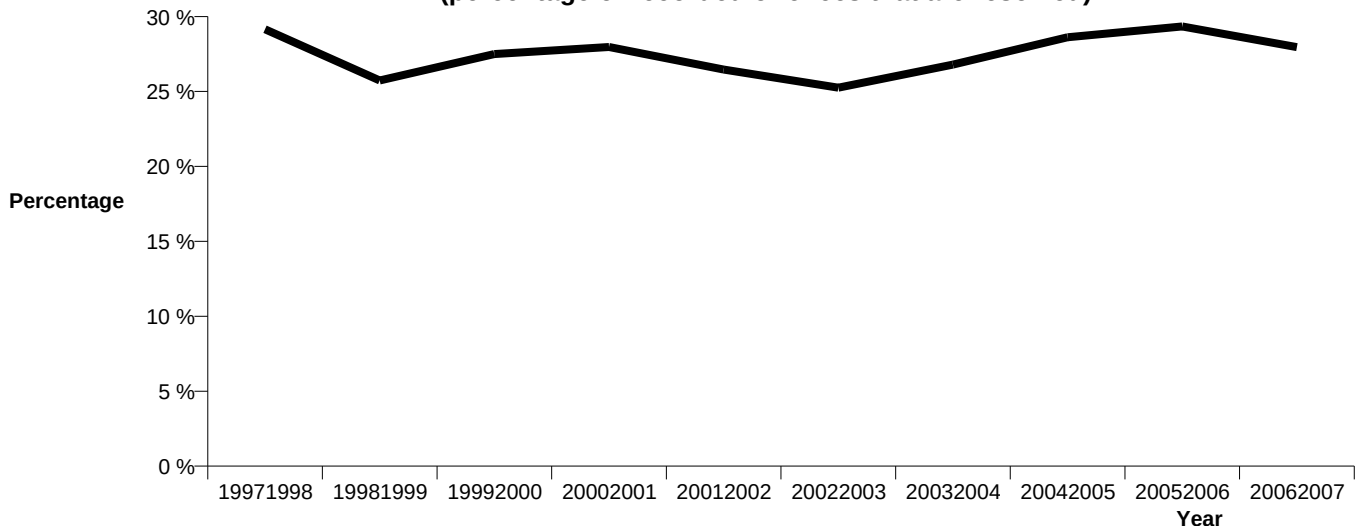
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	1,801		114.1		525	29.2 %	
19981999	1,873	4.0 %	118.0	3.3 %	482	25.7 %	-3.4 %
19992000	2,146	14.6 %	134.8	14.3 %	590	27.5 %	1.8 %
20002001	2,163	0.8 %	135.3	0.4 %	605	28.0 %	0.5 %
20012002	2,305	6.6 %	142.9	5.6 %	610	26.5 %	-1.5 %
20022003	2,455	6.5 %	150.2	5.1 %	620	25.3 %	-1.2 %
20032004	2,840	15.7 %	170.8	13.7 %	761	26.8 %	1.5 %
20042005	2,621	-7.7 %	155.2	-9.1 %	750	28.6 %	1.8 %
20052006	2,519	-3.9 %	148.3	-4.5 %	739	29.3 %	0.7 %
20062007	2,901	15.2 %	169.0	14.0 %	811	28.0 %	-1.4 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



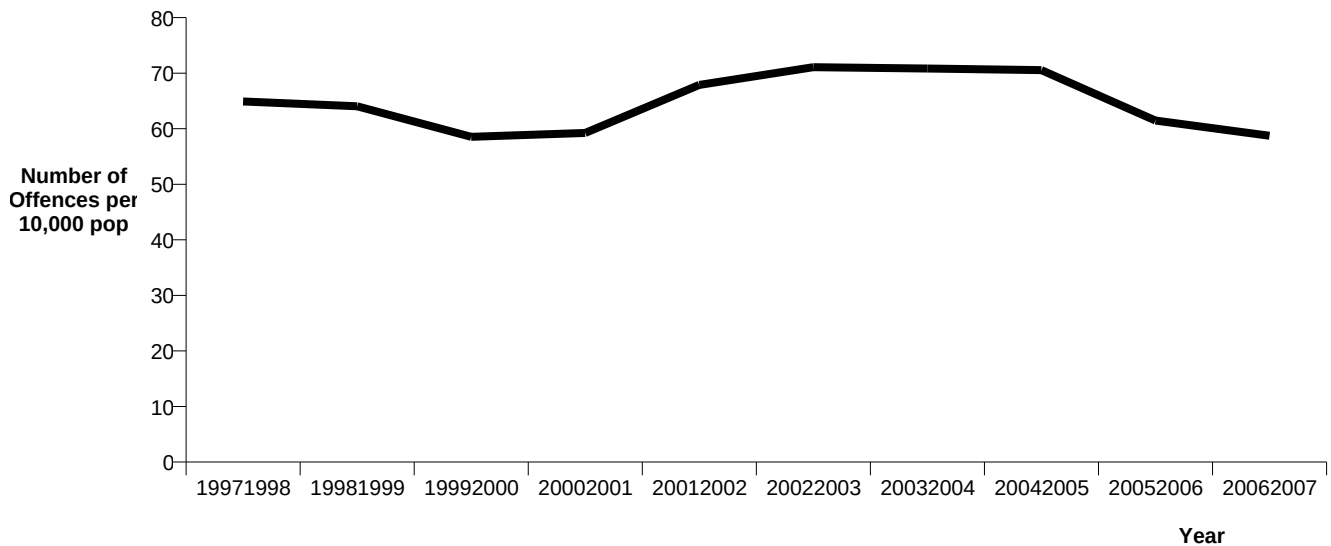
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PROPERTY ABUSE

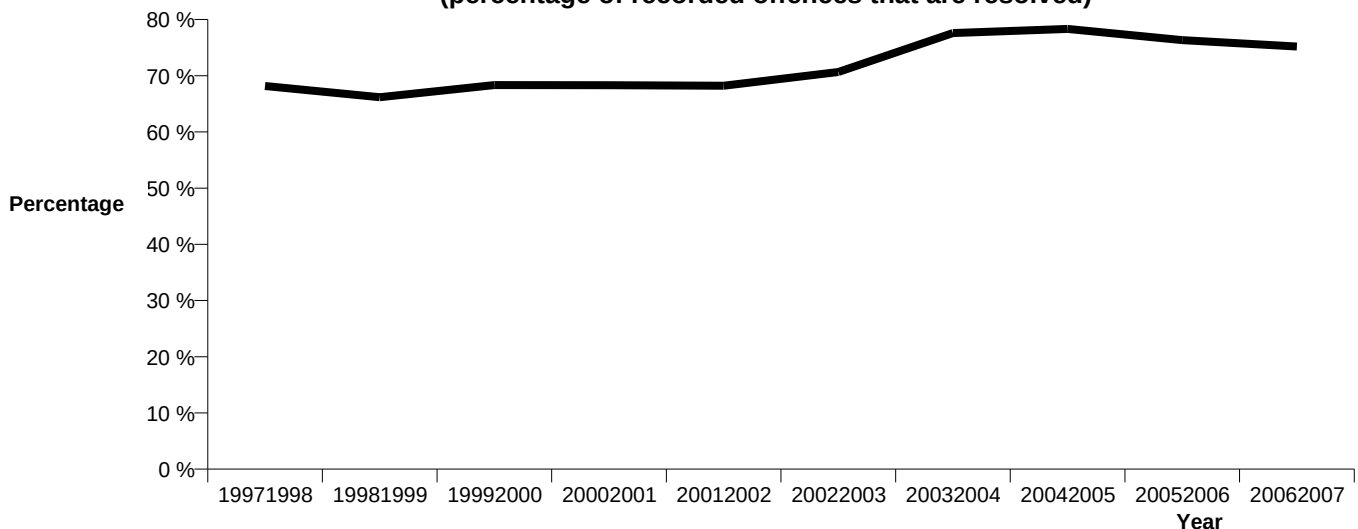
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19971998	1,024		64.9		698	68.2 %	
19981999	1,017	-0.7 %	64.1	-1.3 %	673	66.2 %	-2.0 %
19992000	932	-8.4 %	58.5	-8.6 %	637	68.3 %	2.2 %
20002001	947	1.6 %	59.2	1.2 %	647	68.3 %	-0.0 %
20012002	1,095	15.6 %	67.9	14.6 %	747	68.2 %	-0.1 %
20022003	1,162	6.1 %	71.1	4.7 %	821	70.7 %	2.4 %
20032004	1,178	1.4 %	70.8	-0.3 %	914	77.6 %	6.9 %
20042005	1,191	1.1 %	70.5	-0.4 %	933	78.3 %	0.7 %
20052006	1,044	-12.3 %	61.5	-12.9 %	797	76.3 %	-2.0 %
20062007	1,008	-3.4 %	58.7	-4.4 %	758	75.2 %	-1.1 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



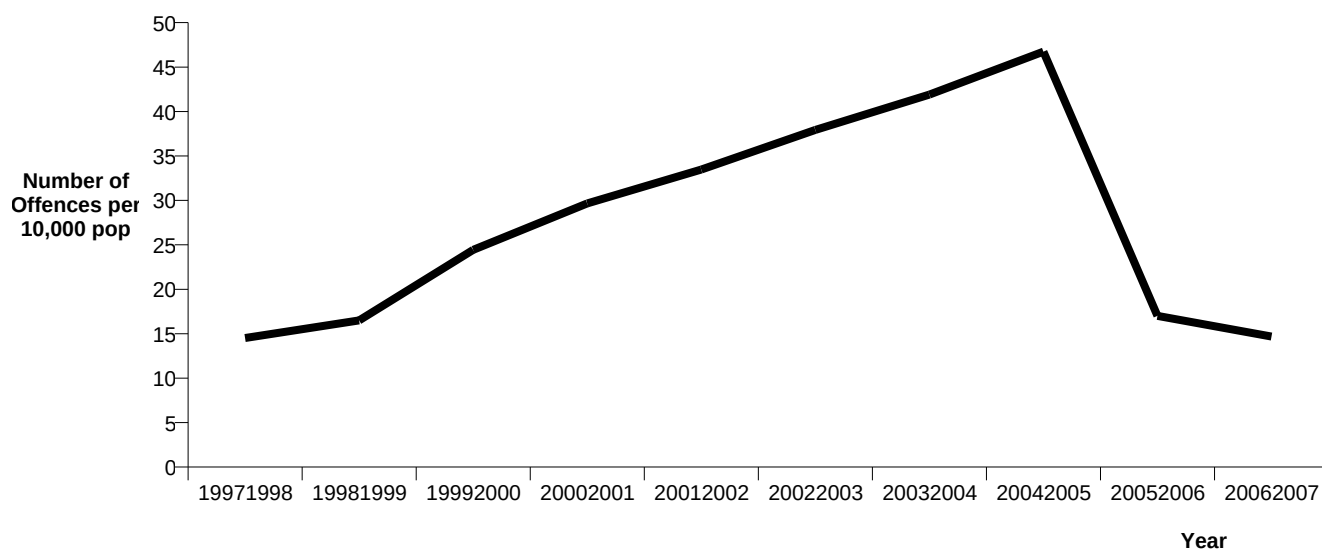
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ADMINISTRATIVE

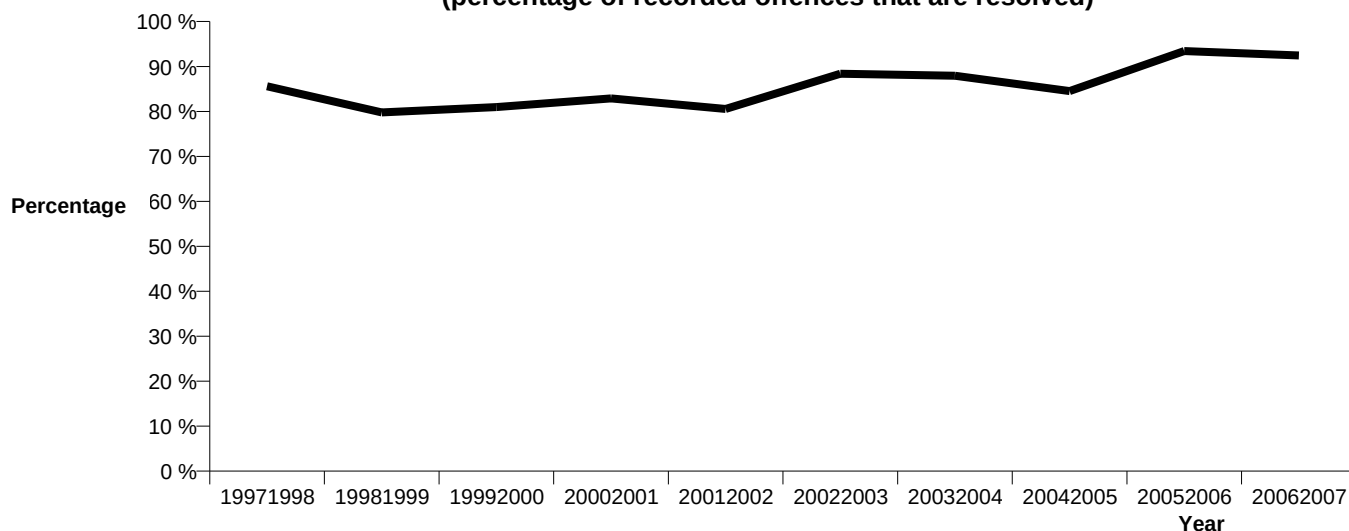
Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	229		14.5		196	85.6 %	
19981999	262	14.4 %	16.5	13.7 %	209	79.8 %	-5.8 %
19992000	389	48.5 %	24.4	48.1 %	315	81.0 %	1.2 %
20002001	474	21.9 %	29.7	21.4 %	393	82.9 %	1.9 %
20012002	540	13.9 %	33.5	12.9 %	435	80.6 %	-2.4 %
20022003	620	14.8 %	37.9	13.3 %	548	88.4 %	7.8 %
20032004	697	12.4 %	41.9	10.5 %	613	87.9 %	-0.4 %
20042005	789	13.2 %	46.7	11.5 %	667	84.5 %	-3.4 %
20052006	289	-63.4 %	17.0	-63.6 %	270	93.4 %	8.9 %
20062007	252	-12.8 %	14.7	-13.7 %	233	92.5 %	-1.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate

(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



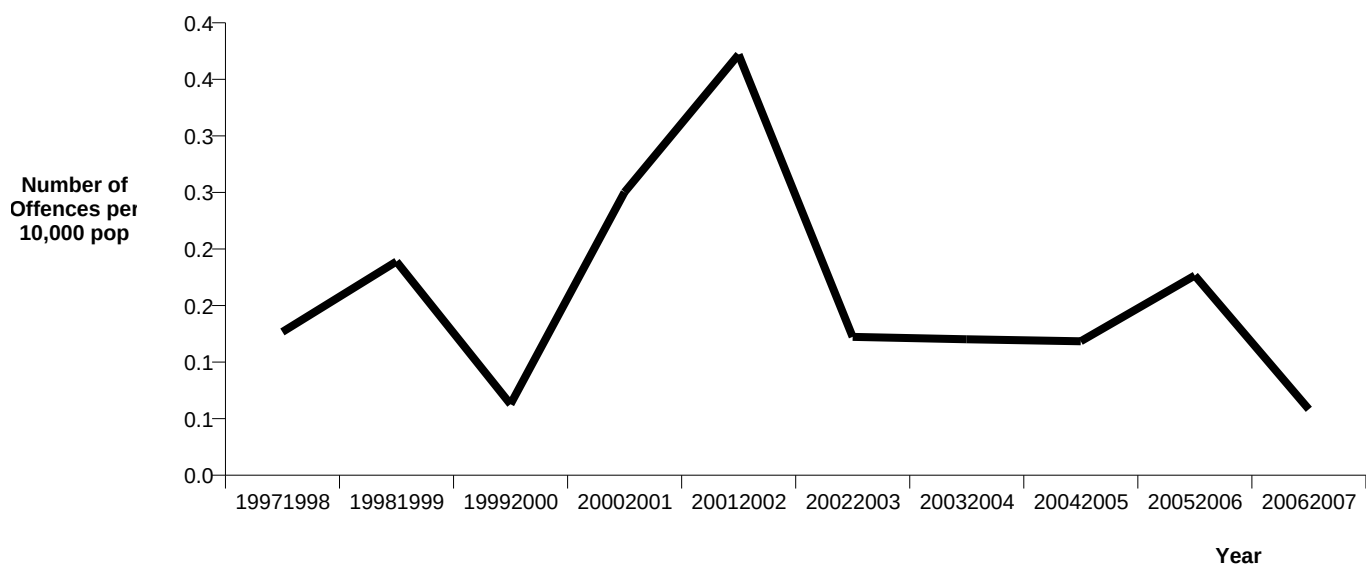
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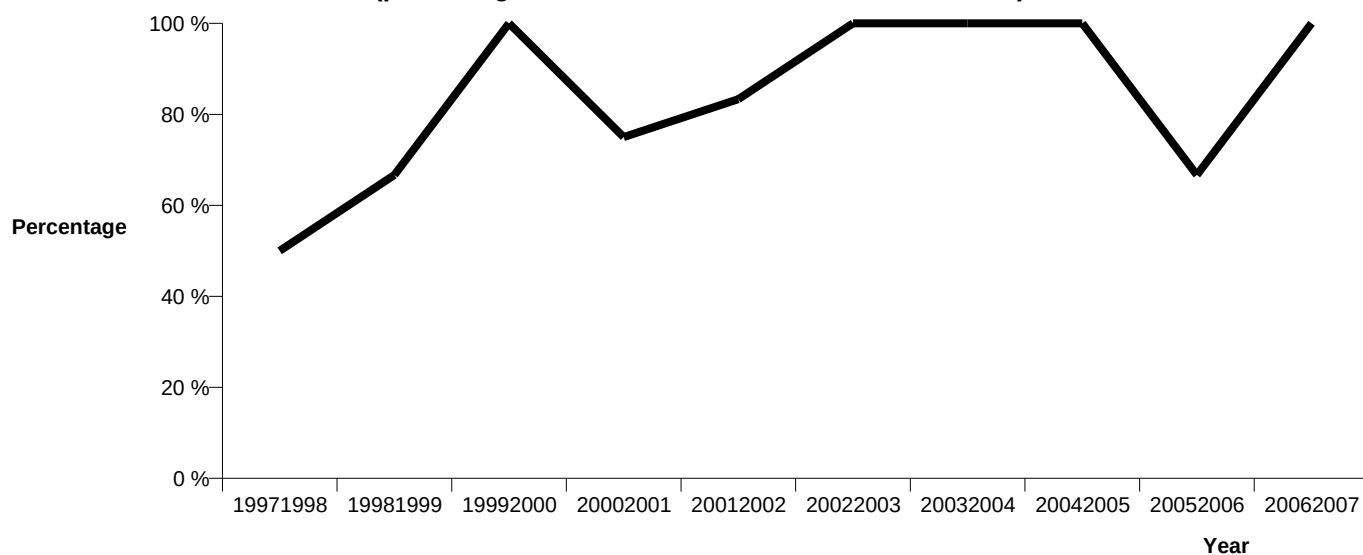
MURDER*

Fiscal 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
19971998	2		0.1		1	50.0 %	
19981999	3	50.0 %	0.2	49.1 %	2	66.7 %	16.7 %
19992000	1	-66.7 %	0.1	-66.8 %	1	100.0 %	33.3 %
20002001	4	300.0 %	0.3	298.4 %	3	75.0 %	-25.0 %
20012002	6	50.0 %	0.4	48.6 %	5	83.3 %	8.3 %
20022003	2	-66.7 %	0.1	-67.1 %	2	100.0 %	16.7 %
20032004	2	0.0 %	0.1	-1.7 %	2	100.0 %	0.0 %
20042005	2	0.0 %	0.1	-1.5 %	2	100.0 %	0.0 %
20052006	3	50.0 %	0.2	49.1 %	2	66.7 %	-33.3 %
20062007	1	-66.7 %	0.1	-67.0 %	1	100.0 %	33.3 %

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

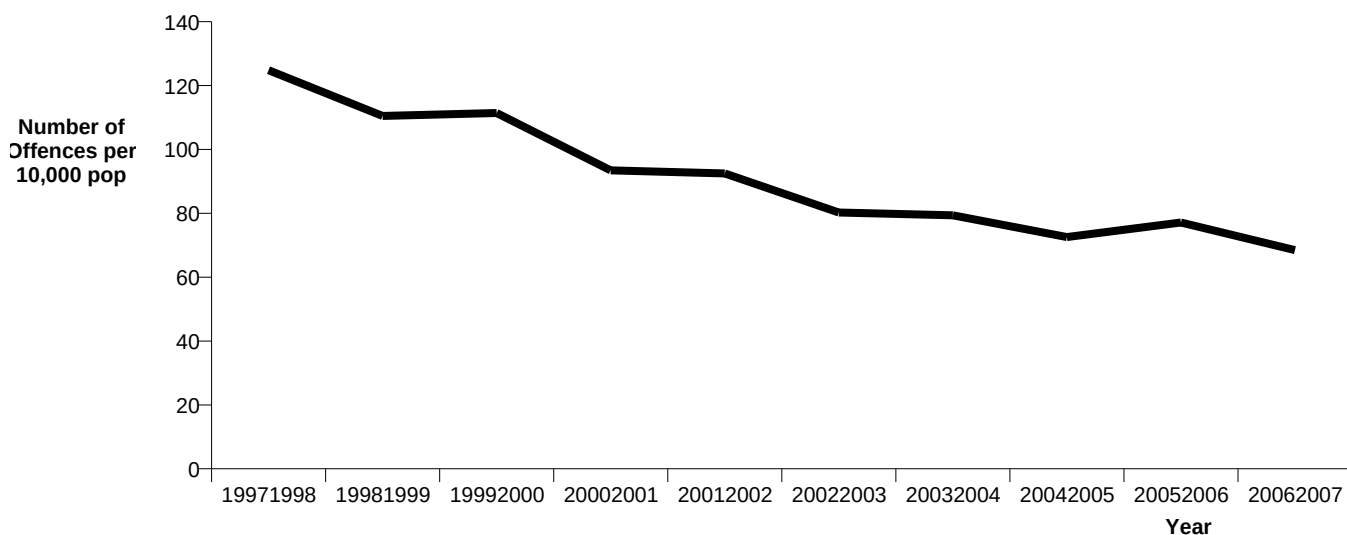
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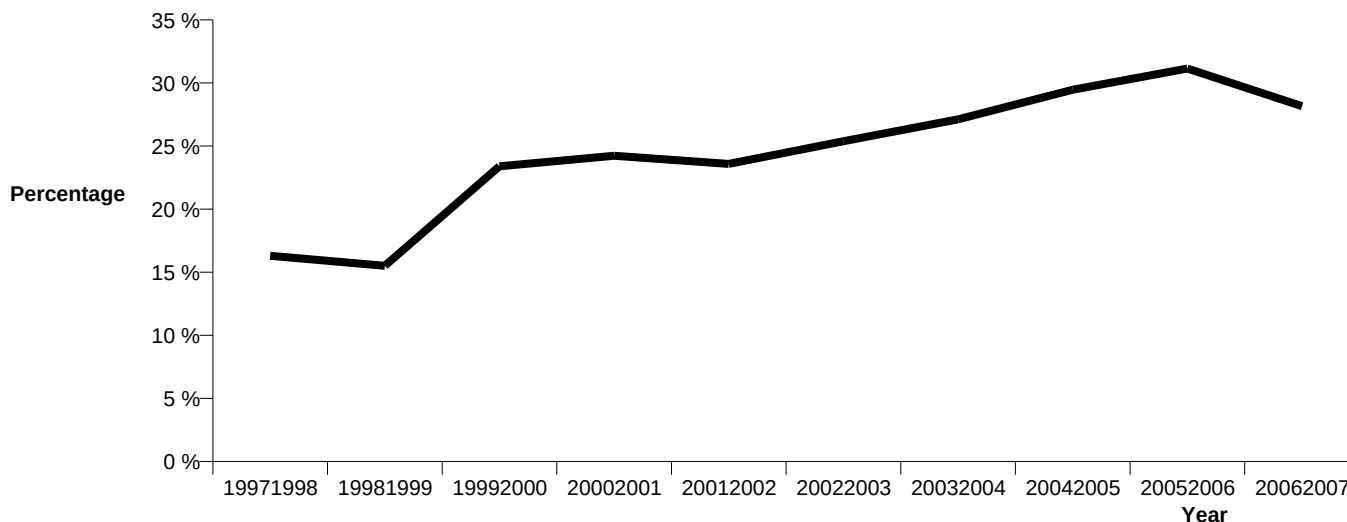
BURGLARY

Fiscal 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
19971998	1,969		124.8		321	16.3 %	
19981999	1,754	-10.9 %	110.5	-11.5 %	272	15.5 %	-0.8 %
19992000	1,774	1.1 %	111.4	0.9 %	415	23.4 %	7.9 %
20002001	1,494	-15.8 %	93.5	-16.1 %	362	24.2 %	0.8 %
20012002	1,492	-0.1 %	92.5	-1.0 %	352	23.6 %	-0.6 %
20022003	1,312	-12.1 %	80.2	-13.2 %	333	25.4 %	1.8 %
20032004	1,320	0.6 %	79.4	-1.1 %	358	27.1 %	1.7 %
20042005	1,225	-7.2 %	72.6	-8.6 %	361	29.5 %	2.3 %
20052006	1,310	6.9 %	77.1	6.3 %	408	31.1 %	1.7 %
20062007	1,175	-10.3 %	68.5	-11.2 %	331	28.2 %	-3.0 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)



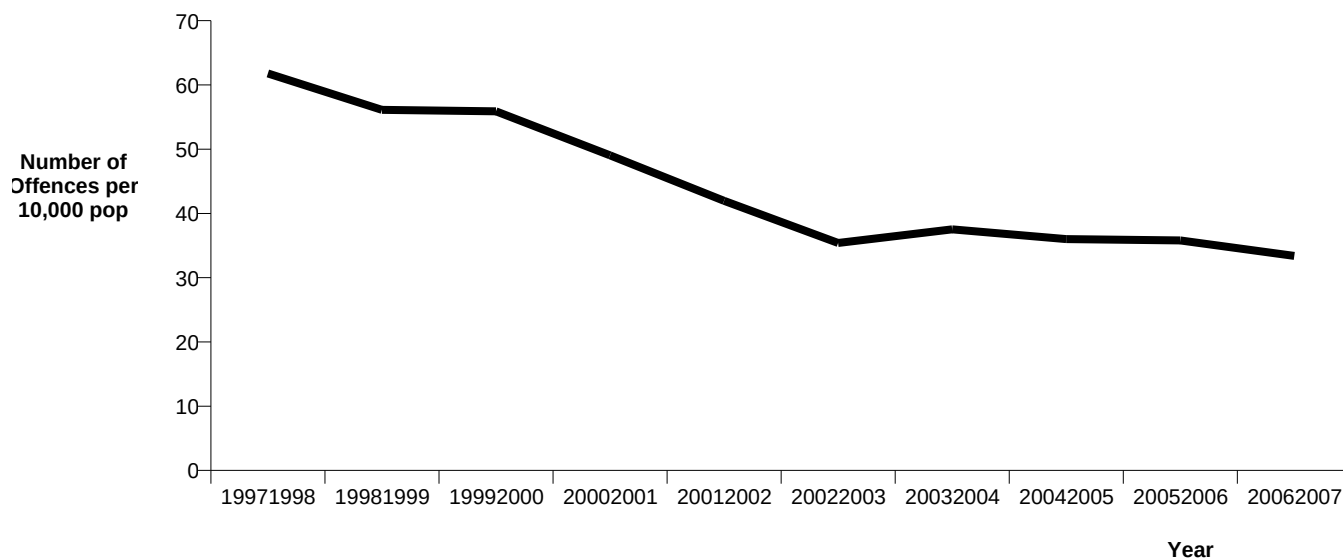
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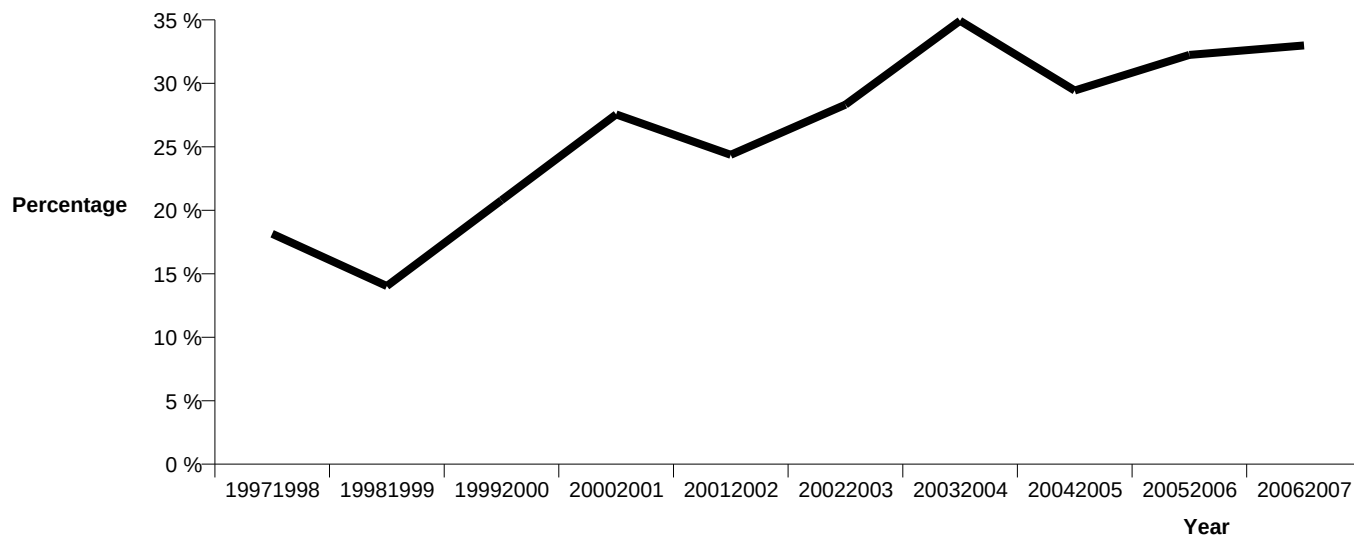
BURGLARY DWELLING

Fiscal 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
19971998	975		61.8		177	18.2 %	
19981999	891	-8.6 %	56.1	-9.2 %	125	14.0 %	-4.1 %
19992000	890	-0.1 %	55.9	-0.4 %	185	20.8 %	6.8 %
20002001	784	-11.9 %	49.0	-12.3 %	216	27.6 %	6.8 %
20012002	677	-13.6 %	42.0	-14.4 %	165	24.4 %	-3.2 %
20022003	579	-14.5 %	35.4	-15.6 %	164	28.3 %	4.0 %
20032004	624	7.8 %	37.5	6.0 %	218	34.9 %	6.6 %
20042005	608	-2.6 %	36.0	-4.0 %	179	29.4 %	-5.5 %
20052006	608	0.0 %	35.8	-0.6 %	196	32.2 %	2.8 %
20062007	573	-5.8 %	33.4	-6.7 %	189	33.0 %	0.7 %

Recorded Offences per 10.000 population



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



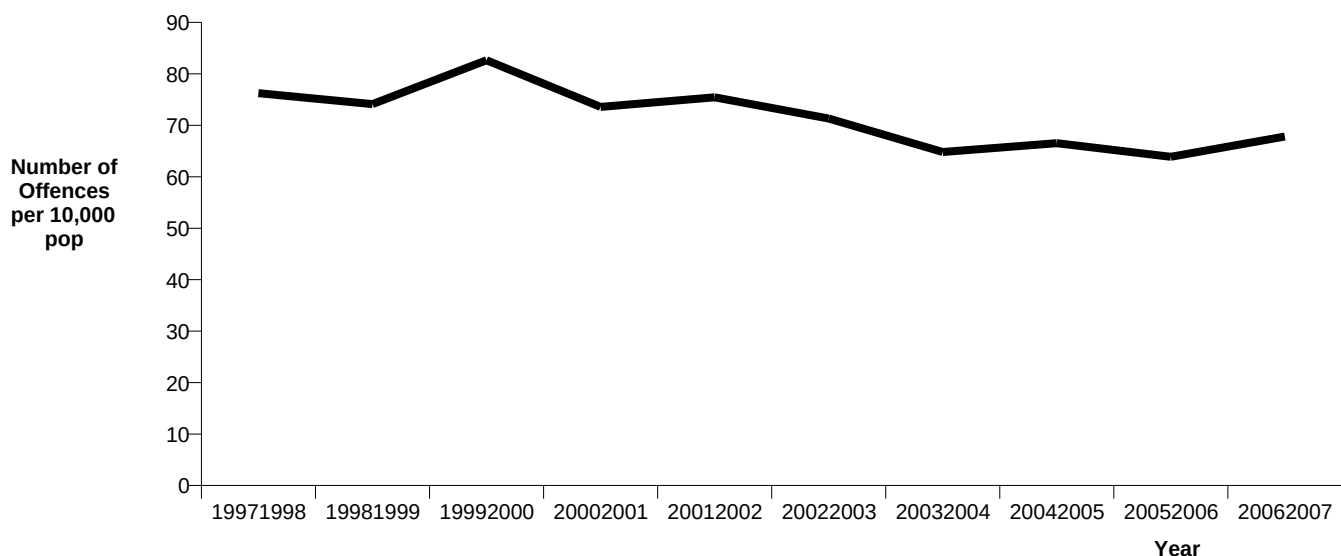
RECORDED CRIME PER 10,000 POPULATION AND RESOLUTION RATES, FOR SELECTED OFFENCE TYPES

Years ending 30 June

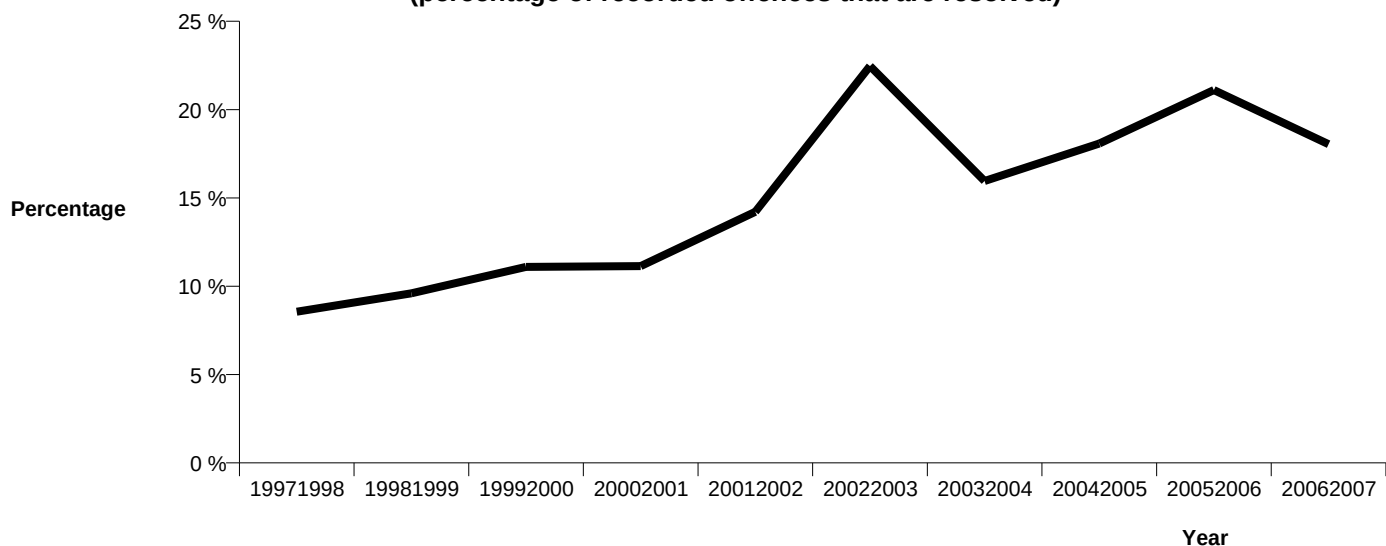
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Fiscal Year	Recorded Offences	Variation in Recorded Offences	Recorded Offences per 10,000 Population	Variation per 10,000 Population	Total Resolved Offences	Resolution Rate	Variation in Resolution Rate
19971998	1,203		76.2		103	8.6 %	
19981999	1,177	-2.2 %	74.1	-2.8 %	113	9.6 %	1.0 %
19992000	1,316	11.8 %	82.7	11.5 %	146	11.1 %	1.5 %
20002001	1,176	-10.6 %	73.6	-11.0 %	131	11.1 %	0.0 %
20012002	1,217	3.5 %	75.4	2.5 %	173	14.2 %	3.1 %
20022003	1,166	-4.2 %	71.3	-5.5 %	262	22.5 %	8.3 %
20032004	1,078	-7.5 %	64.8	-9.1 %	172	16.0 %	-6.5 %
20042005	1,123	4.2 %	66.5	2.6 %	203	18.1 %	2.1 %
20052006	1,085	-3.4 %	63.9	-4.0 %	229	21.1 %	3.0 %
20062007	1,164	7.3 %	67.8	6.2 %	210	18.0 %	-3.1 %

Recorded Offences per 10,000 population



Resolution Rate
(percentage of recorded offences that are resolved)

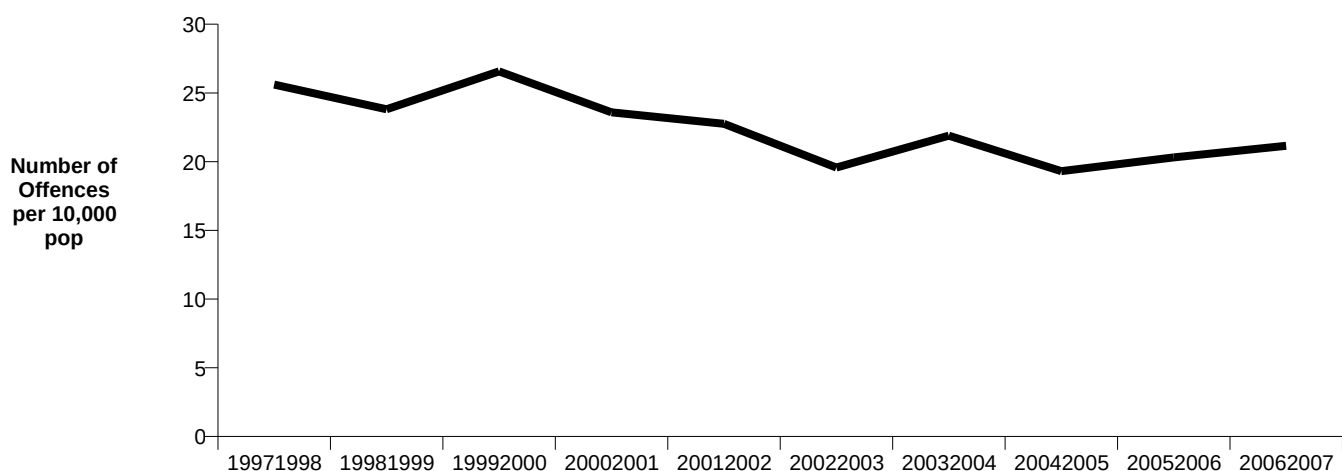


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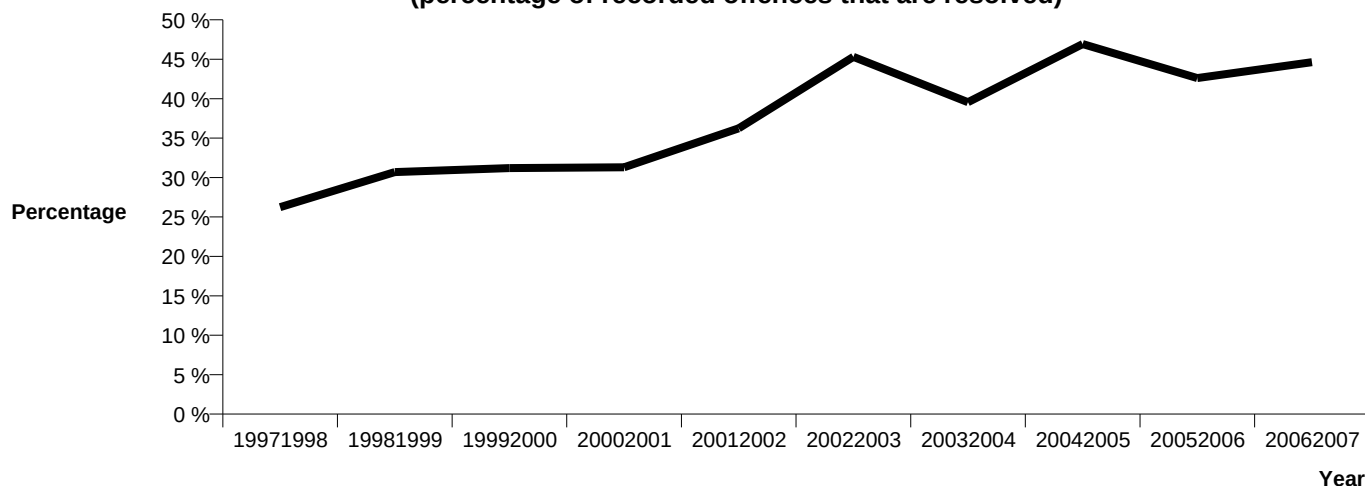
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19971998	404		25.6		106	26.2 %	
19981999	378	-6.4 %	23.8	-7.0 %	116	30.7 %	4.5 %
19992000	423	11.9 %	26.6	11.6 %	132	31.2 %	0.5 %
20002001	377	-10.9 %	23.6	-11.2 %	118	31.3 %	0.1 %
20012002	367	-2.7 %	22.8	-3.5 %	133	36.2 %	4.9 %
20022003	320	-12.8 %	19.6	-14.0 %	145	45.3 %	9.1 %
20032004	364	13.8 %	21.9	11.8 %	144	39.6 %	-5.8 %
20042005	326	-10.4 %	19.3	-11.8 %	153	46.9 %	7.4 %
20052006	345	5.8 %	20.3	5.2 %	147	42.6 %	-4.3 %
20062007	363	5.2 %	21.2	4.1 %	162	44.6 %	2.0 %

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 31 December each year. They have been derived from population estimates as at 30 June each year that have been obtained from Statistics New Zealand.

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

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

Year	Population
19971998	157,775
19981999	158,765
19992000	159,205
20002001	159,840
20012002	161,305
20022003	163,500
20032004	166,305
20042005	168,825
20052006	169,850
20062007	171,625