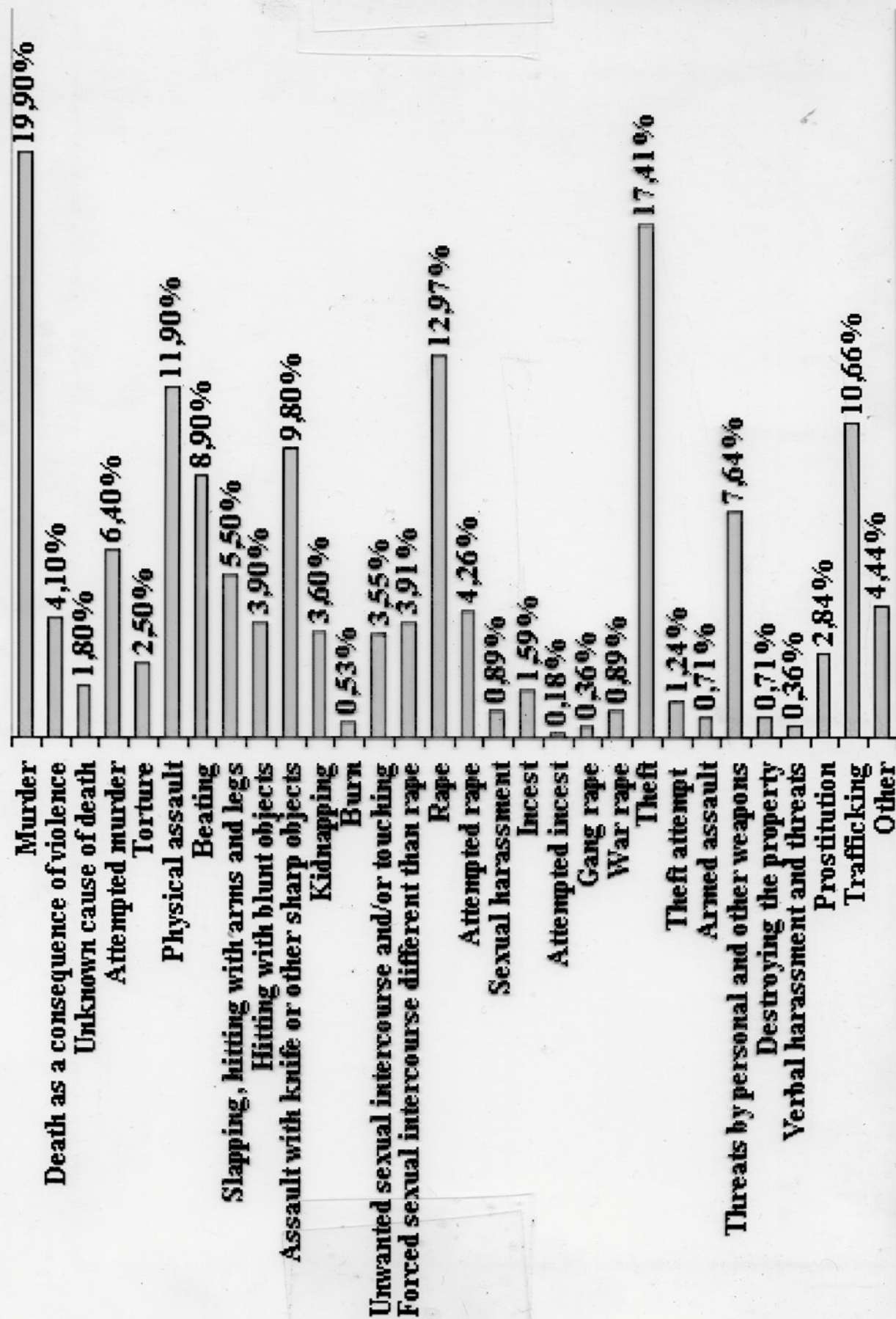


INCIDENTS



Family Violence Offences and Arrests - Male Assaults Female^a and Breaches of Protection Order^b

Year	Number of recorded offences for male assaults female	Number of male assaults female offences resulting in arrest	Number of recorded offences for breaching a protection order	Number of breaching a protections order offences resulting in arrest
1995/1996	8,135	5,781	30 ^c	12
1996/1997	7,466	5,162	2,314	1,267
1997/1998	6,993	4,893	3,323	1,797
1998/1999	6,917	4,943	3,864	2,172
1999/2000	6,956	4,882	4,200	2,427
2000/2001	7,324	5,124	4,492	2,636
2001/2002	7,315	5,000	4,411	2,484
2002/2003	7,368	5,242	4,441	2,619
2003/2004	7,625	5,801	4,441	2,701
2004/2005	7,630	5,817	4,265	2,573
2005/2006	8,437	6,705	4,402	2,924

^a Not all Male Assaults Female offences are family violence. Male Assaults Female is a crime under the Crimes Act (1961) and is most often used with domestic violence-related assaults. Until 2005, many were not coded as family violence. With the increasing focus on family violence mentioned above, more Male Assaults Female offences are now shown to be family violence. The latest figures show that 87% of all male assaults female offences are now coded as family violence.