

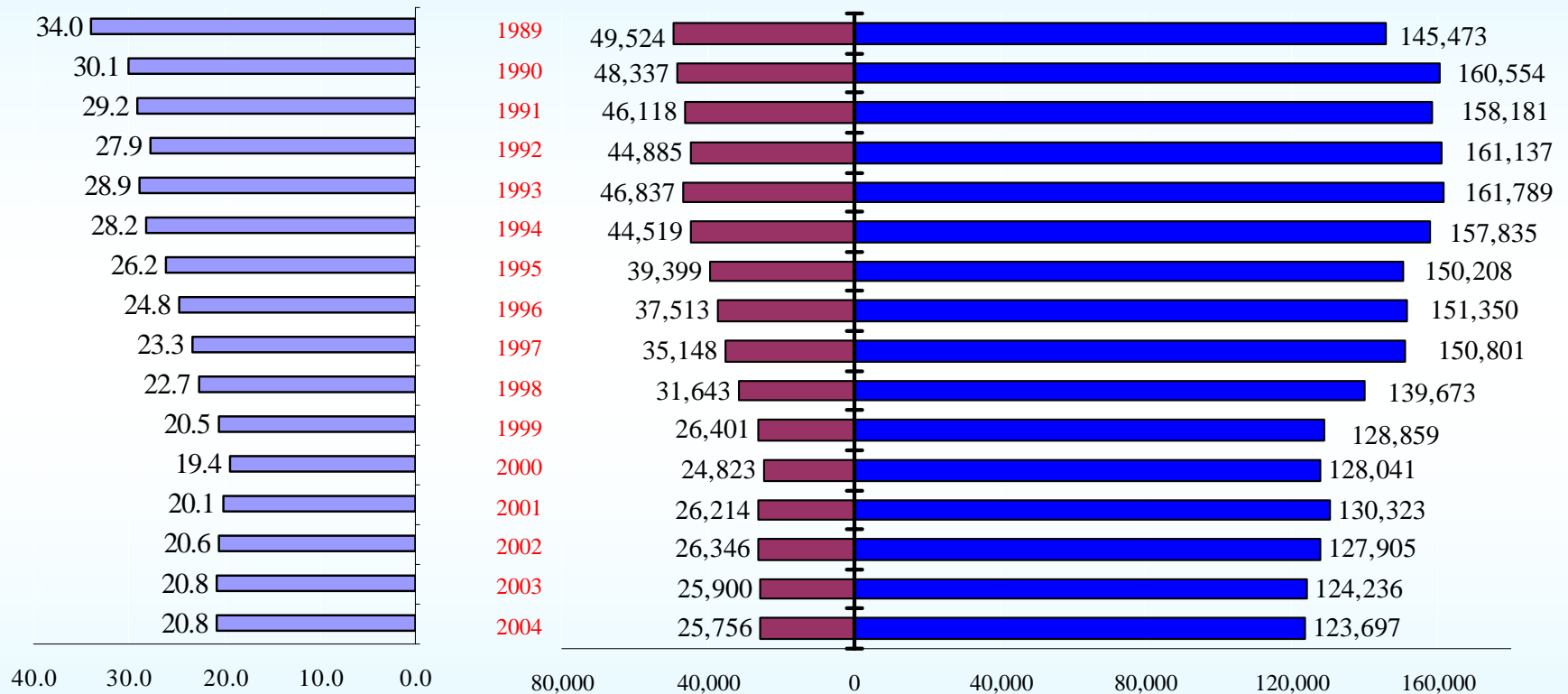
## Firearm Involved Violent Crimes

In 2004, a total of 25,756 Violent Index offenses involving a firearm were reported in Florida. Almost 79 percent of those crimes occurred in ten counties (Broward, Miami-Dade, Duval, Hillsborough, Lee, Orange, Palm Beach, Pinellas, Polk, and Volusia). These ten counties hold a little less than 62 percent of Florida's population.

Special emphasis is being placed on the identification, apprehension, prosecution, and imprisonment of those criminals who use firearms in the course of their illegal activities.

This presentation highlights the distribution of firearm related violent offenses in the State.

# Florida Violent Offenses and Firearm Involved Violent Offenses 1989 - 2004



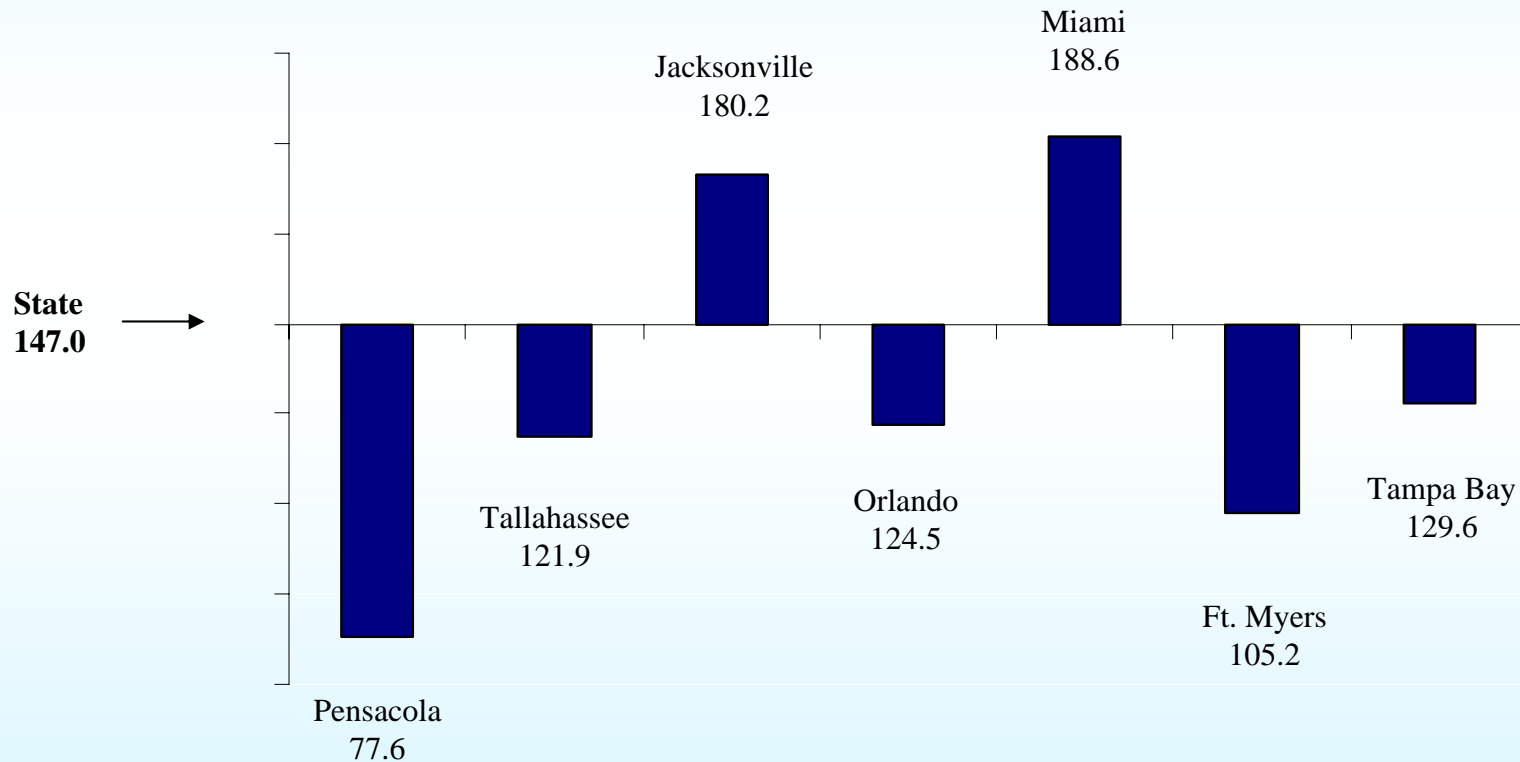
Percentage of Violent Offenses Committed with Firearms

Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

Total Violent Offenses

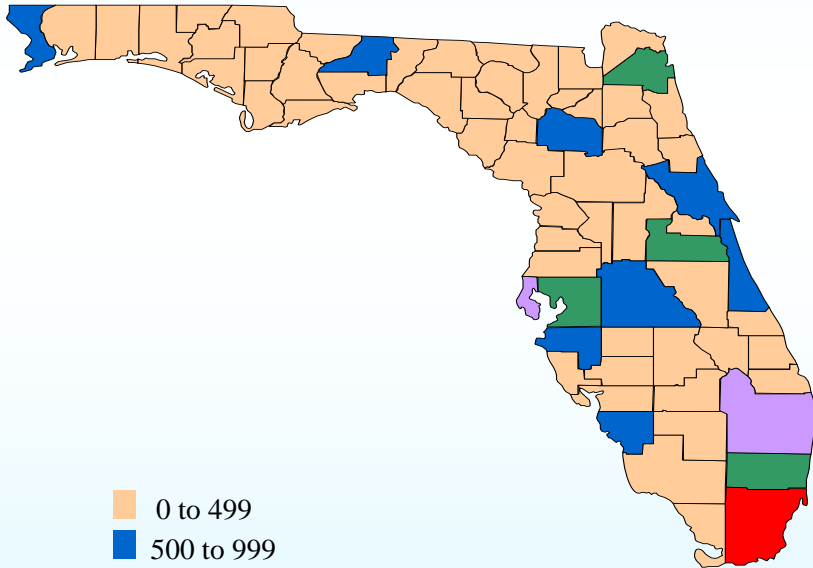


# Comparison of Firearm Involved Violent Crime for State and FDLE Regions by Rate per 100,000 Population, 2004

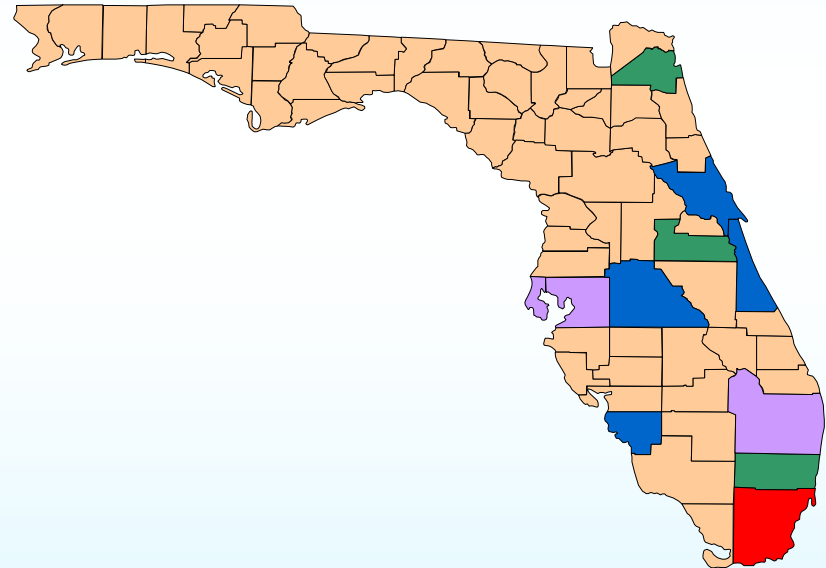


# Firearm Involved Violent Crimes, 1996 and 2004

1996



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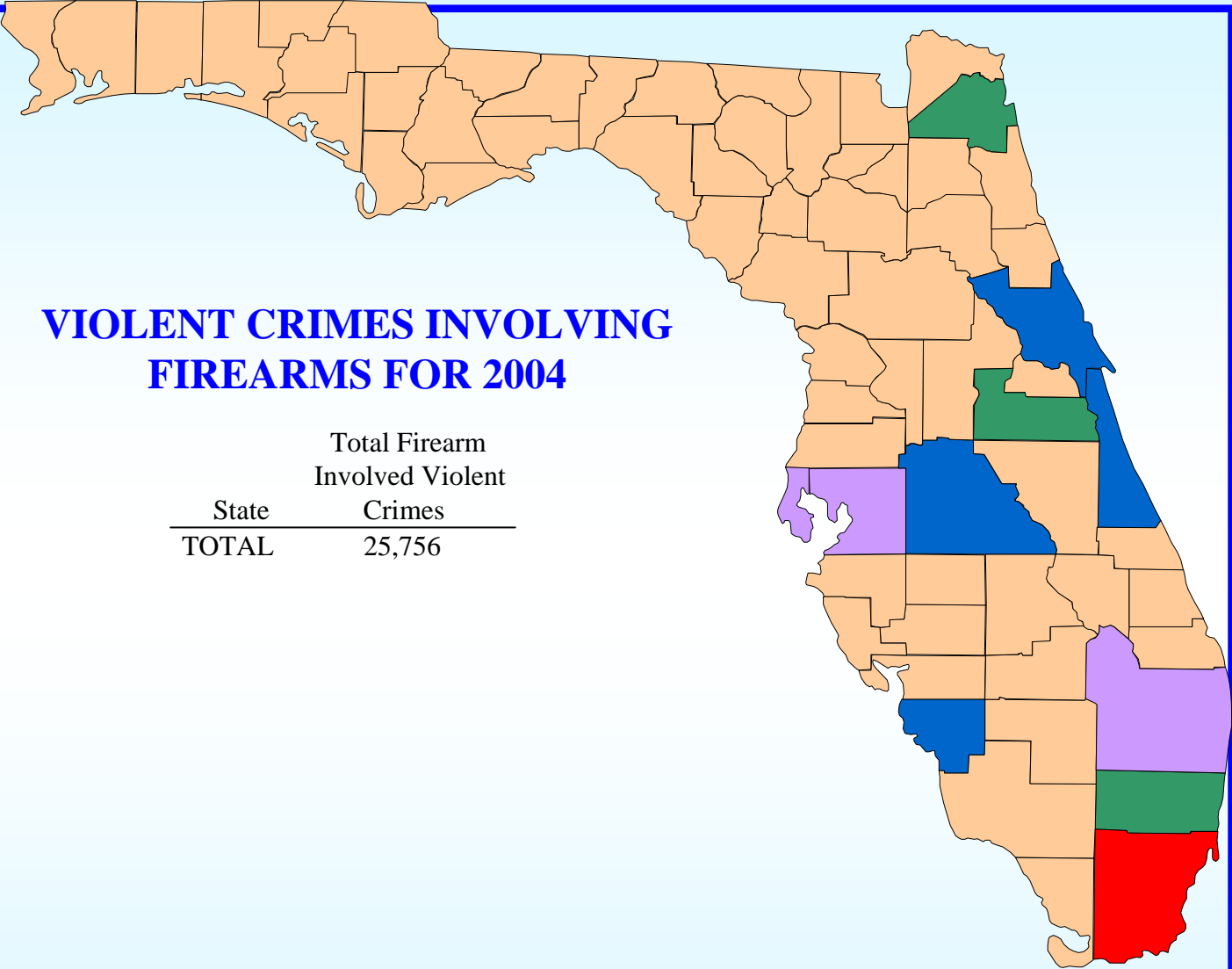


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# VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

State	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25,756</b>

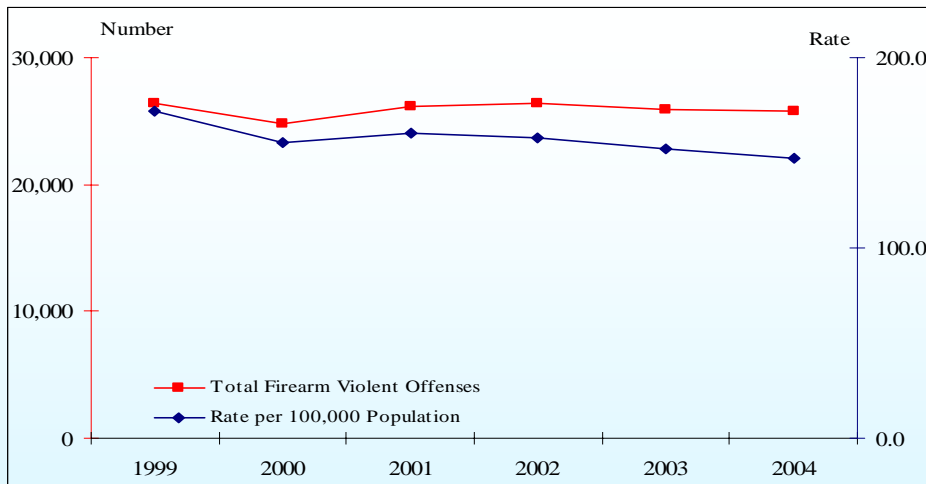
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## Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	15,322,040	460	264	12,111	13,566	26,401	172.3
2000	15,982,378	499	273	11,692	12,359	24,823	155.3
2001	16,331,739	502	257	12,804	12,651	26,214	160.5
2002	16,674,608	552	243	12,656	12,895	26,346	158.0
2003	17,071,508	586	212	12,288	12,814	25,900	151.7
2004	17,516,732	555	189	11,504	13,508	25,756	147.0

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004

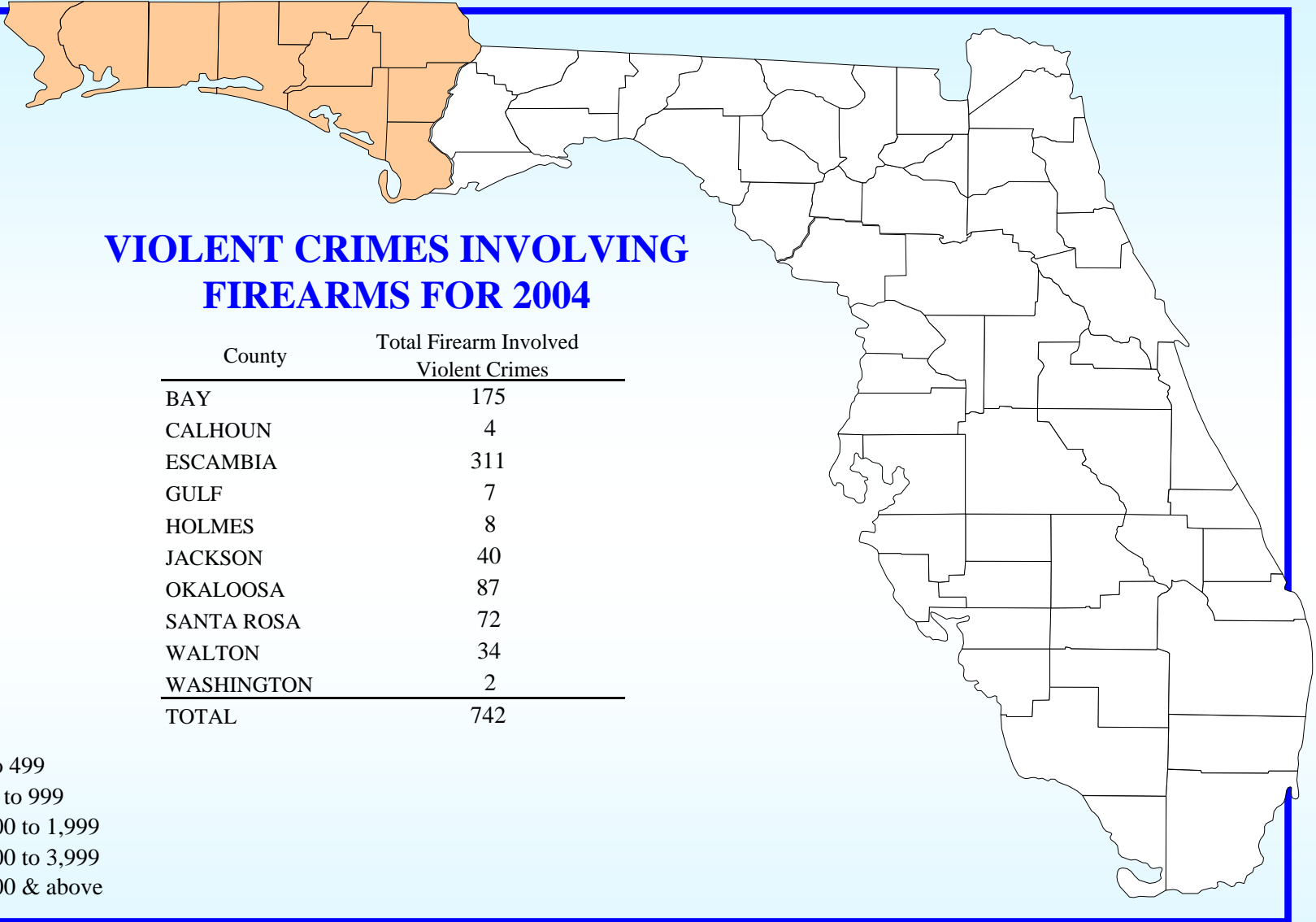


Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Florida		Number		
Offense	Year	1999	2004	
			% change 1999 - 2004	
Murder		460	555	20.7
Forcible Sex Offenses		264	189	-28.4
Robbery		12,111	11,504	-5.0
Aggravated Assault		13,566	13,508	-0.4
Total		26,401	25,756	-2.4
Rate per 100,000		172.3	147.0	-14.7

## VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
BAY	175
CALHOUN	4
ESCAMBIA	311
GULF	7
HOLMES	8
JACKSON	40
OKALOOSA	87
SANTA ROSA	72
WALTON	34
WASHINGTON	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>742</b>

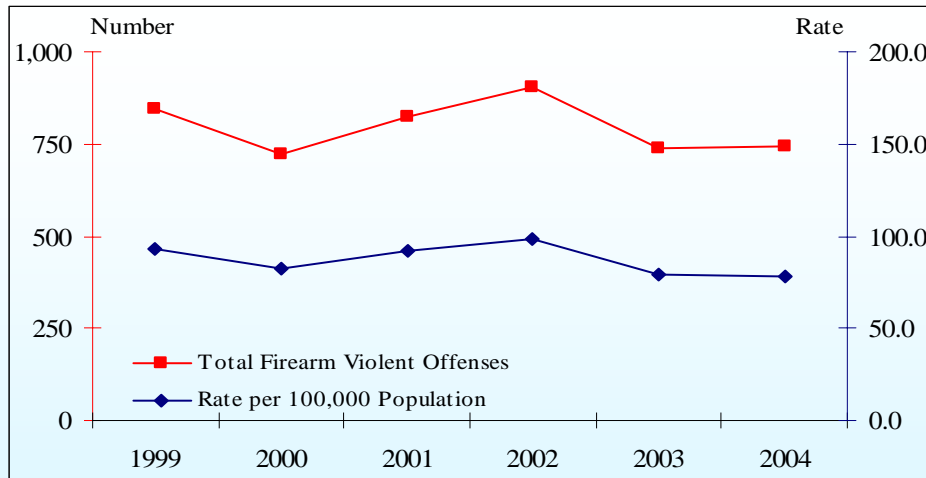
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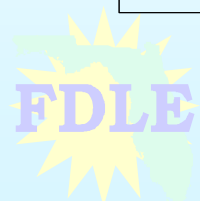
### Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

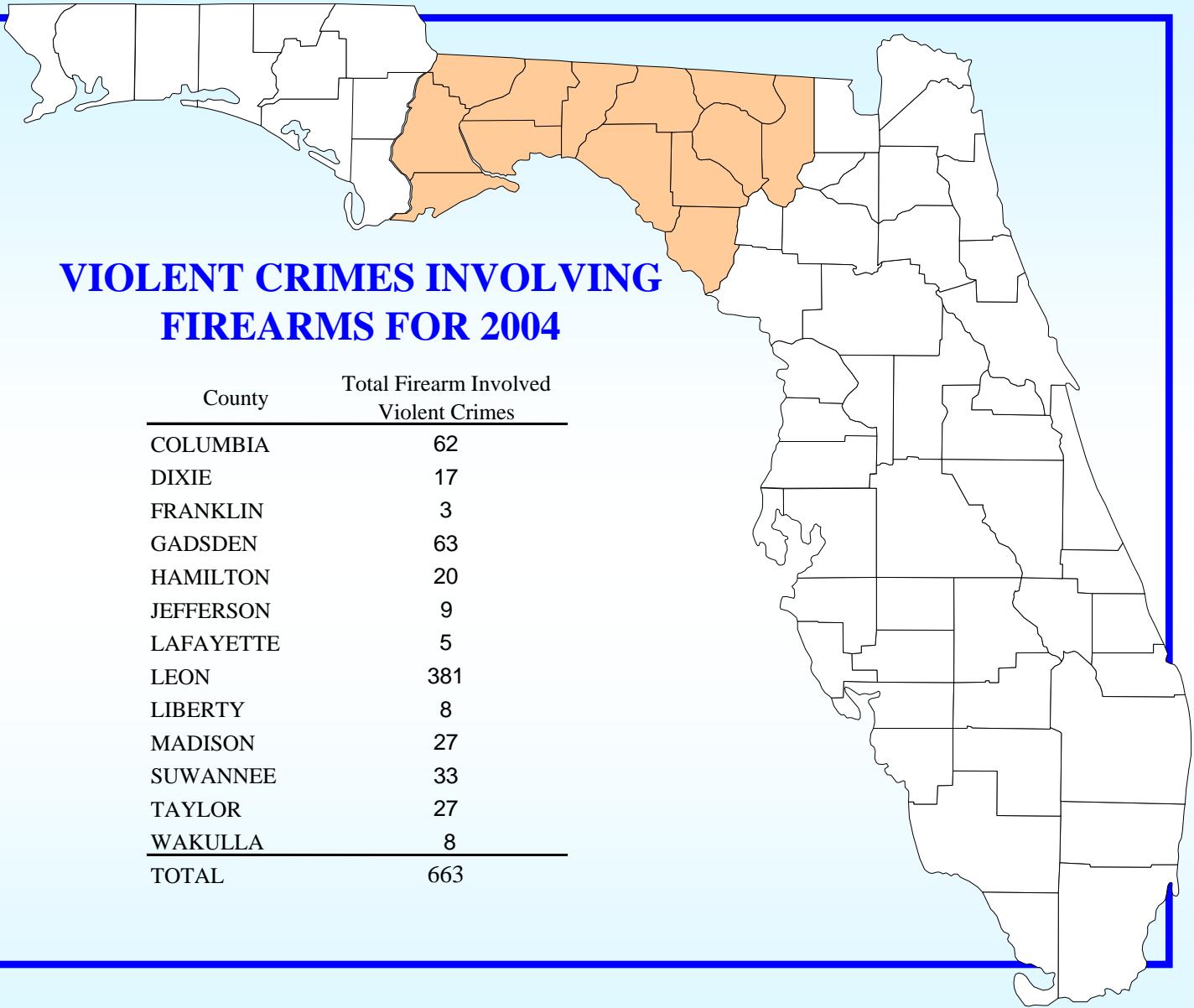
Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	903,461	14	12	277	542	845	93.5
2000	884,110	20	9	244	451	724	81.9
2001	900,029	11	17	314	484	826	91.8
2002	915,616	13	22	334	533	902	98.5
2003	934,092	14	5	277	442	738	79.0
2004	955,802	19	3	220	500	742	77.6

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Pensacola Region		Number		
Offense	Year	1999	2004	
			% change 1999 - 2004	
Murder		14	19	35.7
Forcible Sex Offenses		12	3	-75.0
Robbery		277	220	-20.6
Aggravated Assault		542	500	-7.7
Total		845	742	-12.2
Rate per 100,000		93.5	77.6	-17.0





## VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
COLUMBIA	62
DIXIE	17
FRANKLIN	3
GADSDEN	63
HAMILTON	20
JEFFERSON	9
LAFAYETTE	5
LEON	381
LIBERTY	8
MADISON	27
SUWANNEE	33
TAYLOR	27
WAKULLA	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>663</b>

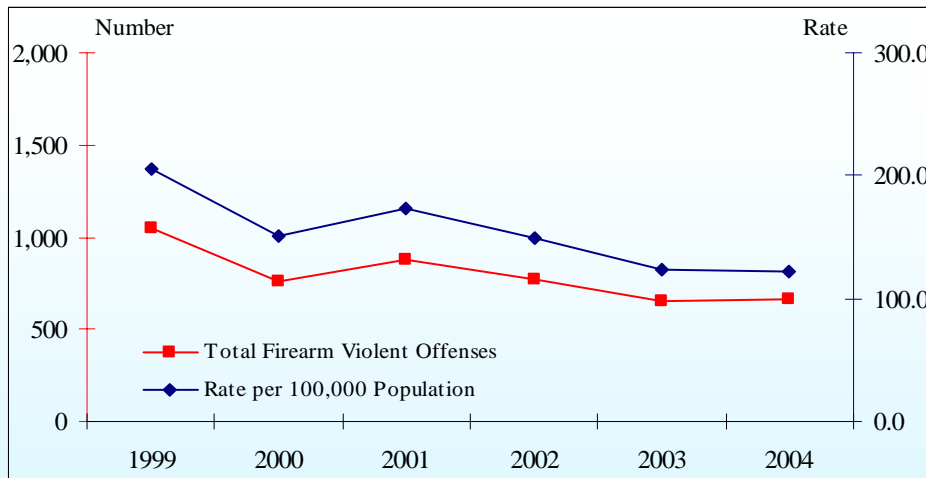
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### Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

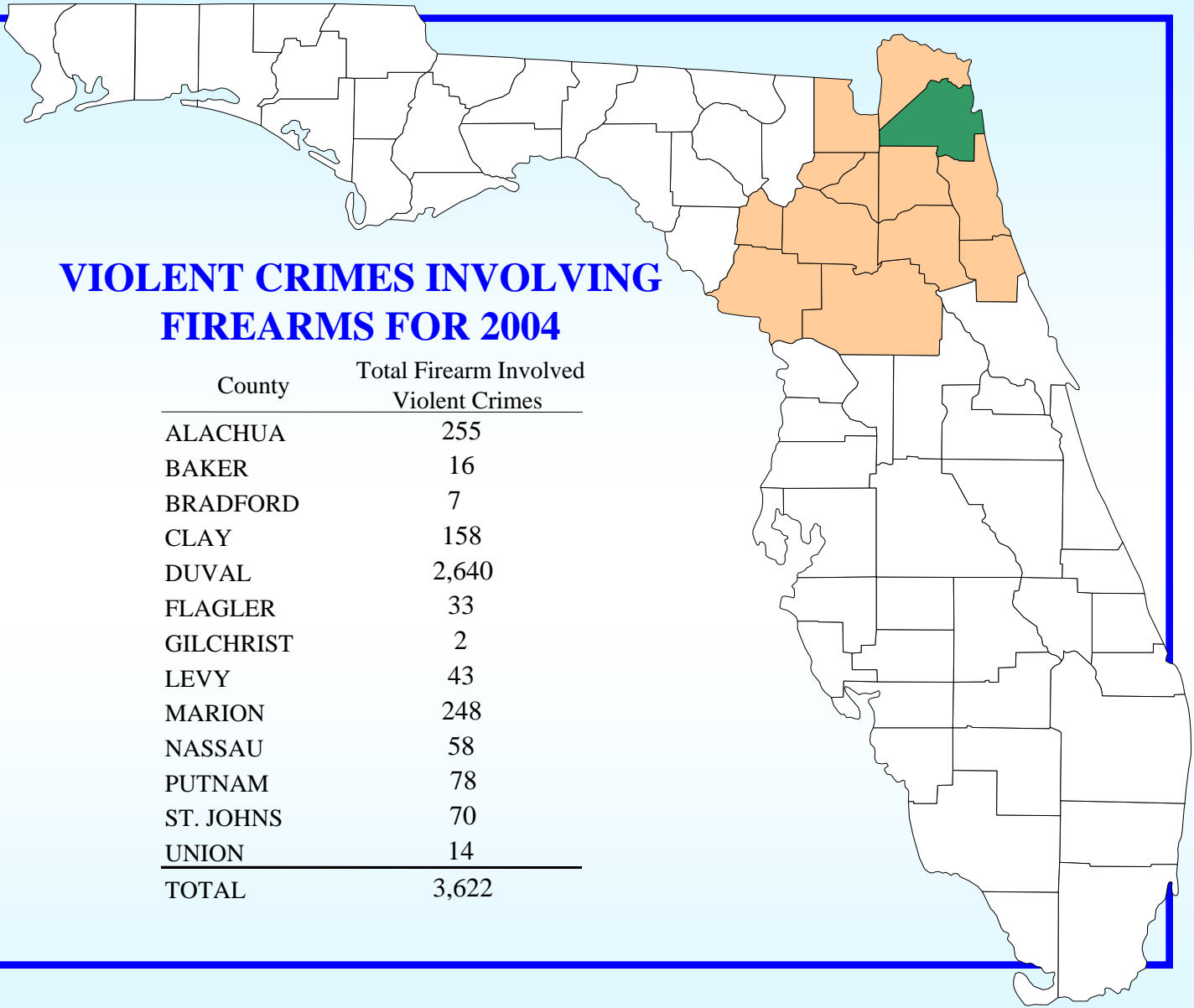
Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	508,290	11	3	422	609	1,045	205.6
2000	501,904	9	5	347	397	758	151.0
2001	510,662	20	6	409	446	881	172.5
2002	517,166	16	4	358	392	770	148.9
2003	530,127	14	4	288	347	653	123.2
2004	543,696	17	4	225	417	663	121.9

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Tallahassee Region		Number	
Offense	Year	1999	2004
Murder		11	17
Forcible Sex Offenses		3	4
Robbery		422	225
Aggravated Assault		609	417
Total		1,045	663
Rate per 100,000		205.6	121.9
			% change 1999 - 2004
			54.5
			33.3
			-46.7
			-31.5
			-36.6
			-40.7





## VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
ALACHUA	255
BAKER	16
BRADFORD	7
CLAY	158
DUVAL	2,640
FLAGLER	33
GILCHRIST	2
LEVY	43
MARION	248
NASSAU	58
PUTNAM	78
ST. JOHNS	70
UNION	14
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,622</b>

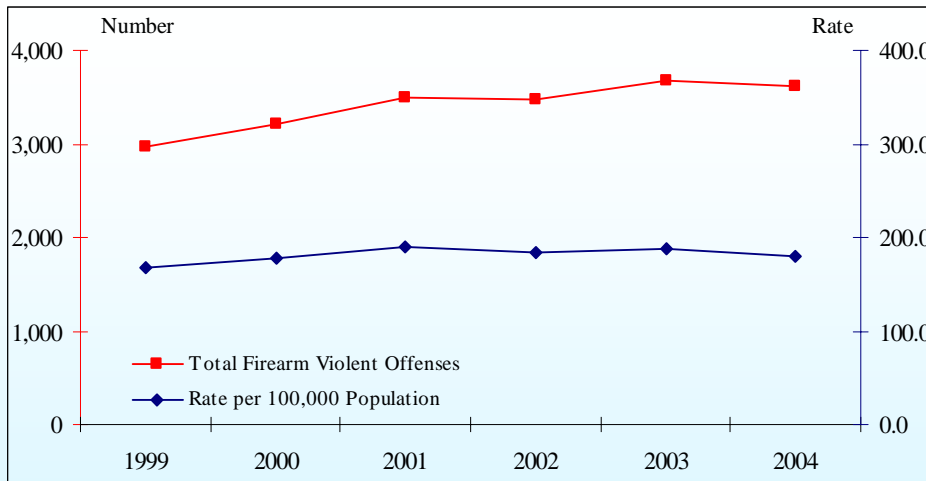
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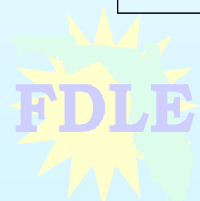
### Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	1,766,301	57	37	1,185	1,698	2,977	168.5
2000	1,808,369	55	42	1,343	1,774	3,214	177.7
2001	1,847,898	62	42	1,474	1,914	3,492	189.0
2002	1,896,574	75	34	1,387	1,980	3,476	183.3
2003	1,948,313	77	33	1,579	1,986	3,675	188.6
2004	2,010,472	69	23	1,539	1,991	3,622	180.2

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



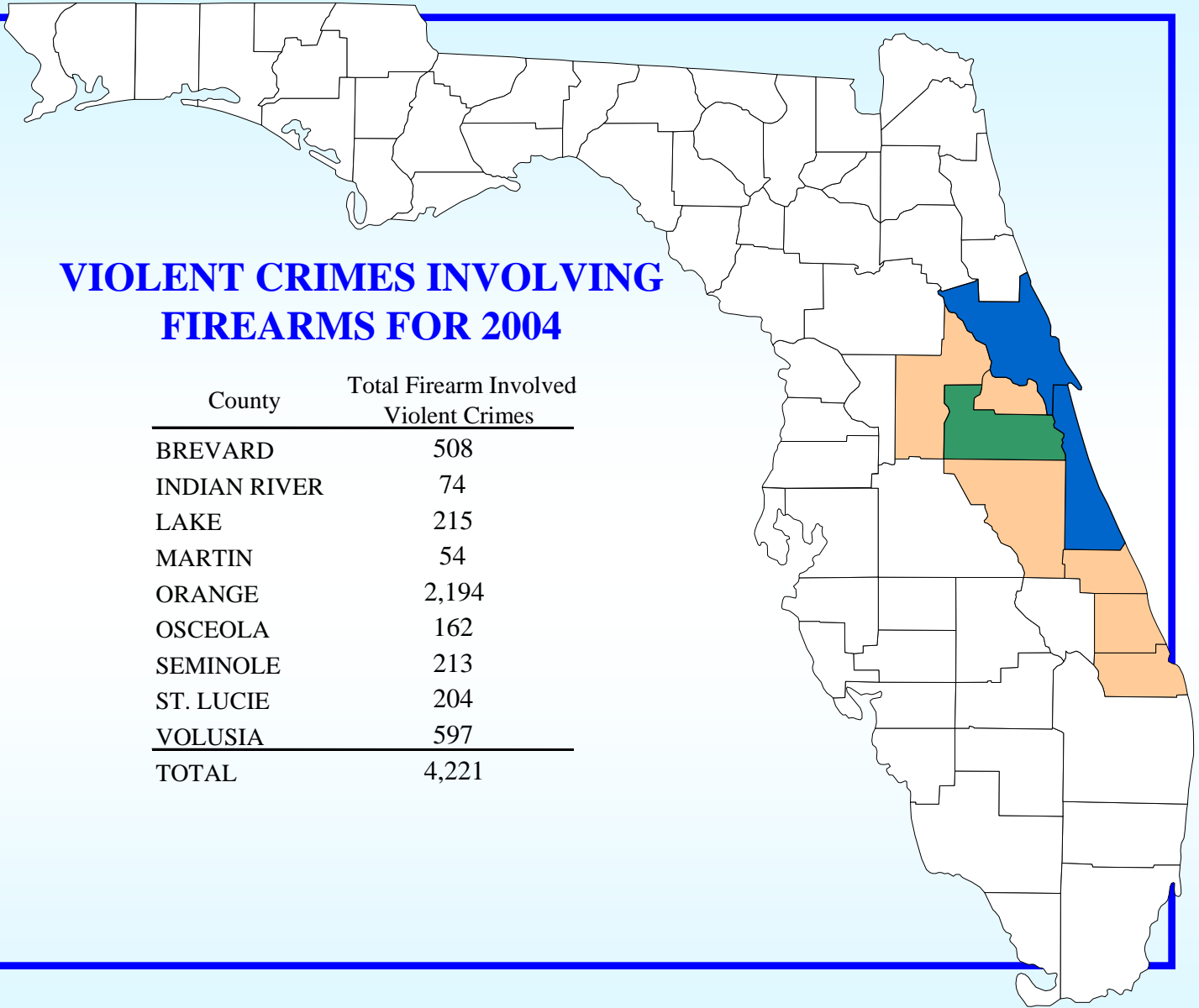
Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Jacksonville Region		Number		
Offense	Year	1999	2004	
			% change 1999 - 2004	
Murder		57	69	21.1
Forcible Sex Offenses		37	23	-37.8
Robbery		1,185	1,539	29.9
Aggravated Assault		1,698	1,991	17.3
Total		2,977	3,622	21.7
Rate per 100,000		168.5	180.2	6.9



## VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
BREVARD	508
INDIAN RIVER	74
LAKE	215
MARTIN	54
ORANGE	2,194
OSCEOLA	162
SEMINOLE	213
ST. LUCIE	204
VOLUSIA	597
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,221</b>

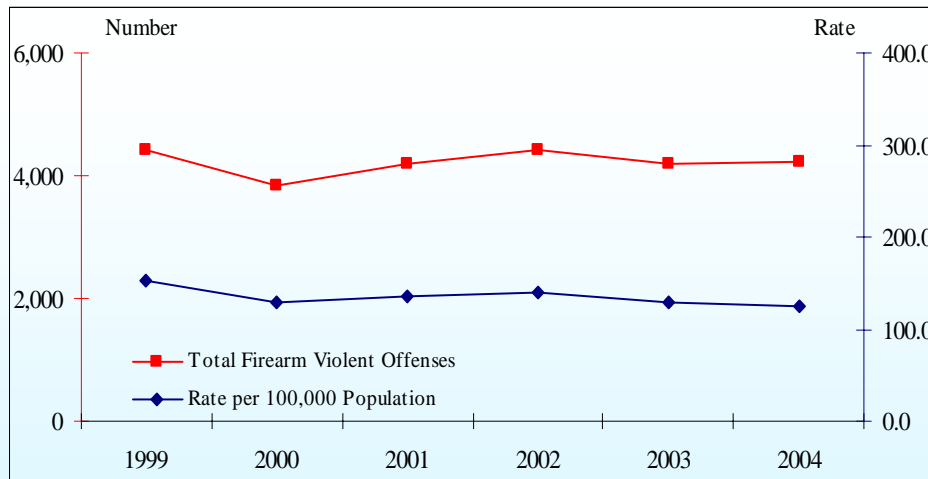
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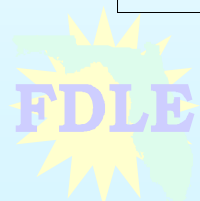
## Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	2,881,238	63	50	2,055	2,242	4,410	153.1
2000	2,996,431	88	35	1,780	1,938	3,841	128.2
2001	3,087,845	72	31	2,052	2,030	4,185	135.5
2002	3,174,241	82	30	2,139	2,155	4,406	138.8
2003	3,275,286	95	34	1,857	2,208	4,194	128.0
2004	3,391,281	86	39	1,733	2,363	4,221	124.5

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



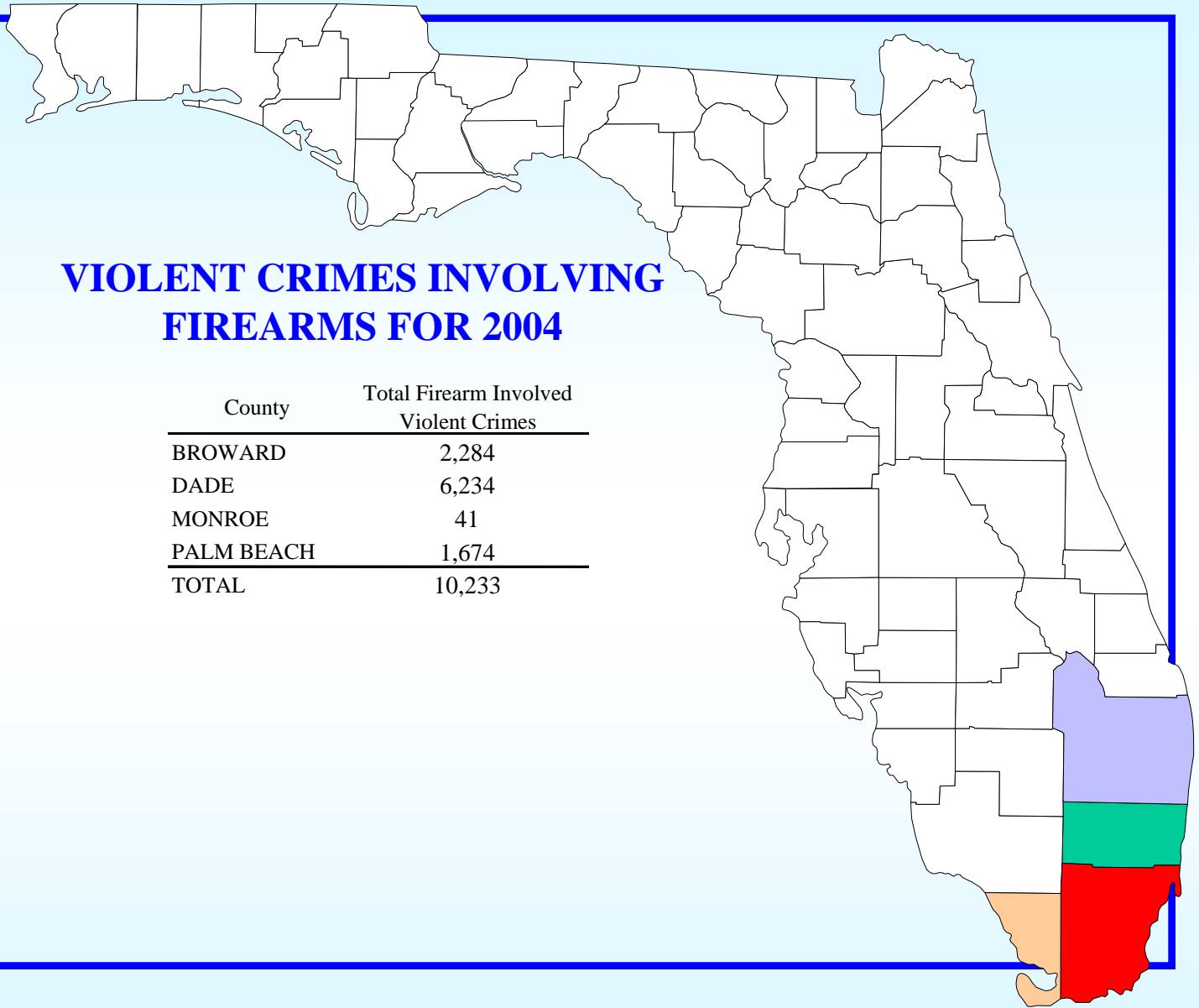
Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Orlando Region				
Offense	Number			
	Year	1999	2004	% change 1999 - 2004
Murder		63	86	36.5
Forcible Sex Offenses		50	39	-22.0
Robbery		2,055	1,733	-15.7
Aggravated Assault		2,242	2,363	5.4
Total		4,410	4,221	-4.3
Rate per 100,000		153.1	124.5	-18.7



## VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
BROWARD	2,284
DADE	6,234
MONROE	41
PALM BEACH	1,674
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>10,233</b>

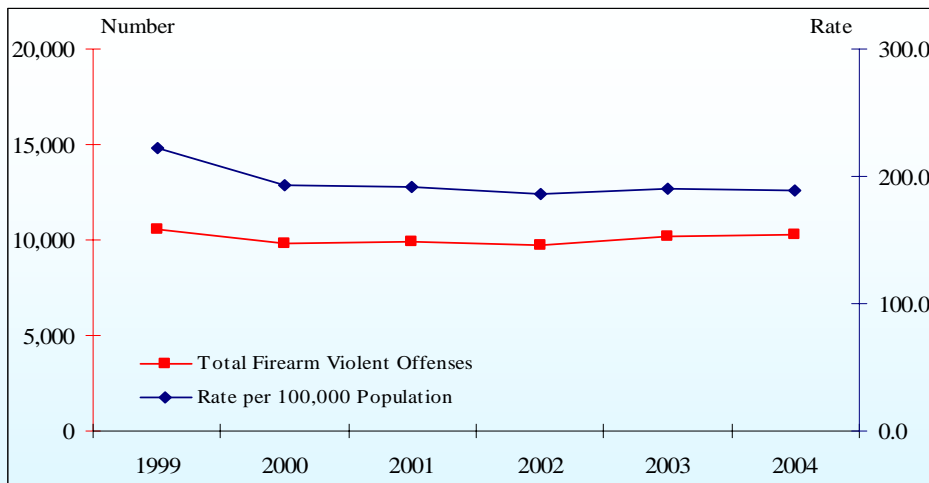
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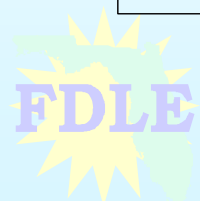
### Firearm Involved Violent Offenses

Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	4,746,217	209	104	5,230	4,979	10,522	221.7
2000	5,087,153	198	121	4,918	4,584	9,821	193.1
2001	5,170,846	214	114	5,177	4,413	9,918	191.8
2002	5,245,968	217	89	5,034	4,401	9,741	185.7
2003	5,336,342	241	105	5,468	4,354	10,168	190.5
2004	5,426,455	247	90	5,307	4,589	10,233	188.6

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



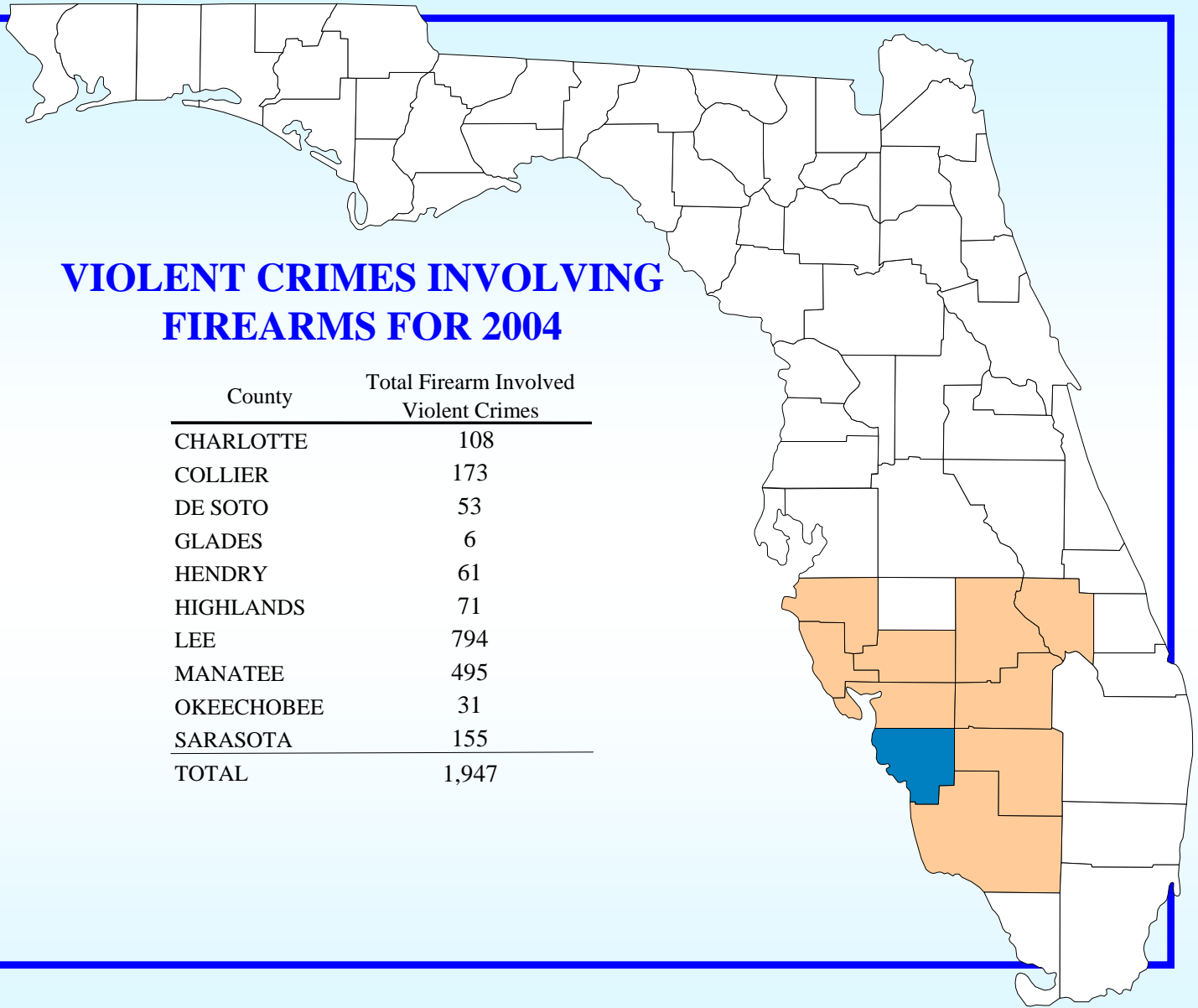
Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Miami Region		Number		
Offense	Year	1999	2004	
			% change 1999 - 2004	
Murder		209	247	18.2
Forcible Sex Offenses		104	90	-13.5
Robbery		5,230	5,307	1.5
Aggravated Assault		4,979	4,589	-7.8
Total		10,522	10,233	-2.7
Rate per 100,000		221.7	188.6	-14.9



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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
CHARLOTTE	108
COLLIER	173
DE SOTO	53
GLADES	6
HENDRY	61
HIGHLANDS	71
LEE	794
MANATEE	495
OKEECHOBEE	31
SARASOTA	155
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,947</b>

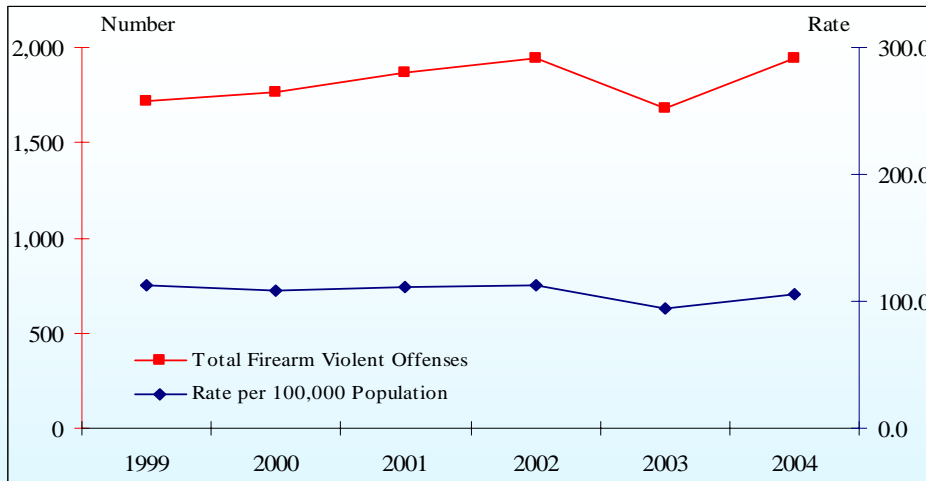
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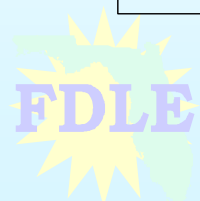
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	1,533,333	27	20	651	1,021	1,719	112.1
2000	1,626,122	45	15	782	923	1,765	108.5
2001	1,672,122	33	14	753	1,065	1,865	111.5
2002	1,723,302	57	14	834	1,037	1,942	112.7
2003	1,783,775	48	10	650	971	1,679	94.1
2004	1,850,266	35	8	657	1247	1,947	105.2

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Ft. Myers Region		Number		
Offense	Year	1999	2004	
			% change 1999 - 2004	
Murder		27	35	29.6
Forcible Sex Offenses		20	8	-60.0
Robbery		651	657	0.9
Aggravated Assault		1,021	1,247	22.1
Total		1,719	1,947	13.3
Rate per 100,000		112.1	105.2	-6.2



## VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2004

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
CITRUS	50
HARDEE	16
HERNANDO	103
HILLSBOROUGH	1,979
PASCO	240
PINELLAS	1,271
POLK	604
SUMTER	62
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,328</b>

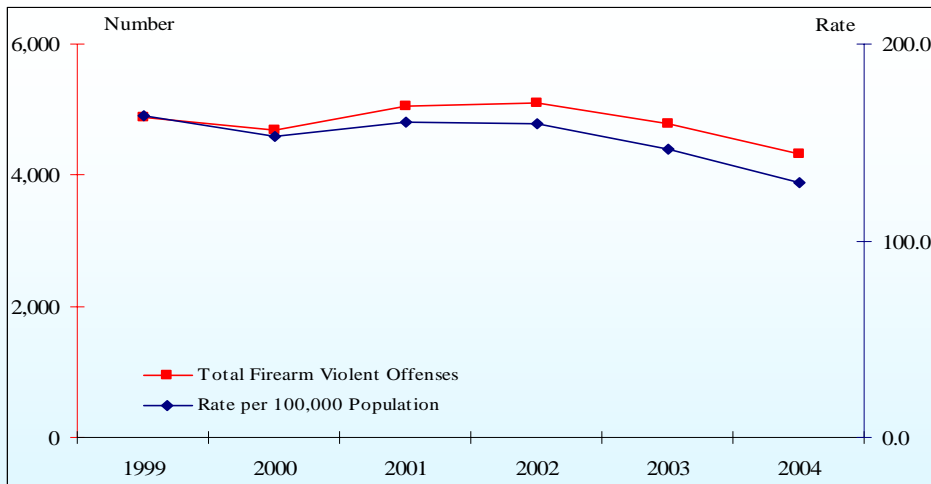
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
1999	2,983,200	79	38	2,291	2,475	4,883	163.7
2000	3,078,289	84	46	2,278	2,292	4,700	152.7
2001	3,141,692	90	33	2,625	2,299	5,047	160.6
2002	3,201,741	92	50	2,570	2,397	5,109	159.6
2003	3,263,573	97	21	2,169	2,506	4,793	146.9
2004	3,338,760	82	22	1,823	2,401	4,328	129.6

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 1999 - 2004



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Tampa Bay Region		Number		
Offense	Year	1999	2004	
			% change 1999 - 2004	
Murder		79	82	3.8
Forcible Sex Offenses		38	22	-42.1
Robbery		2,291	1,823	-20.4
Aggravated Assault		2,475	2,401	-3.0
Total		4,883	4,328	-11.4
Rate per 100,000		163.7	129.6	-20.8

