

Firearm Involved Violent Crimes

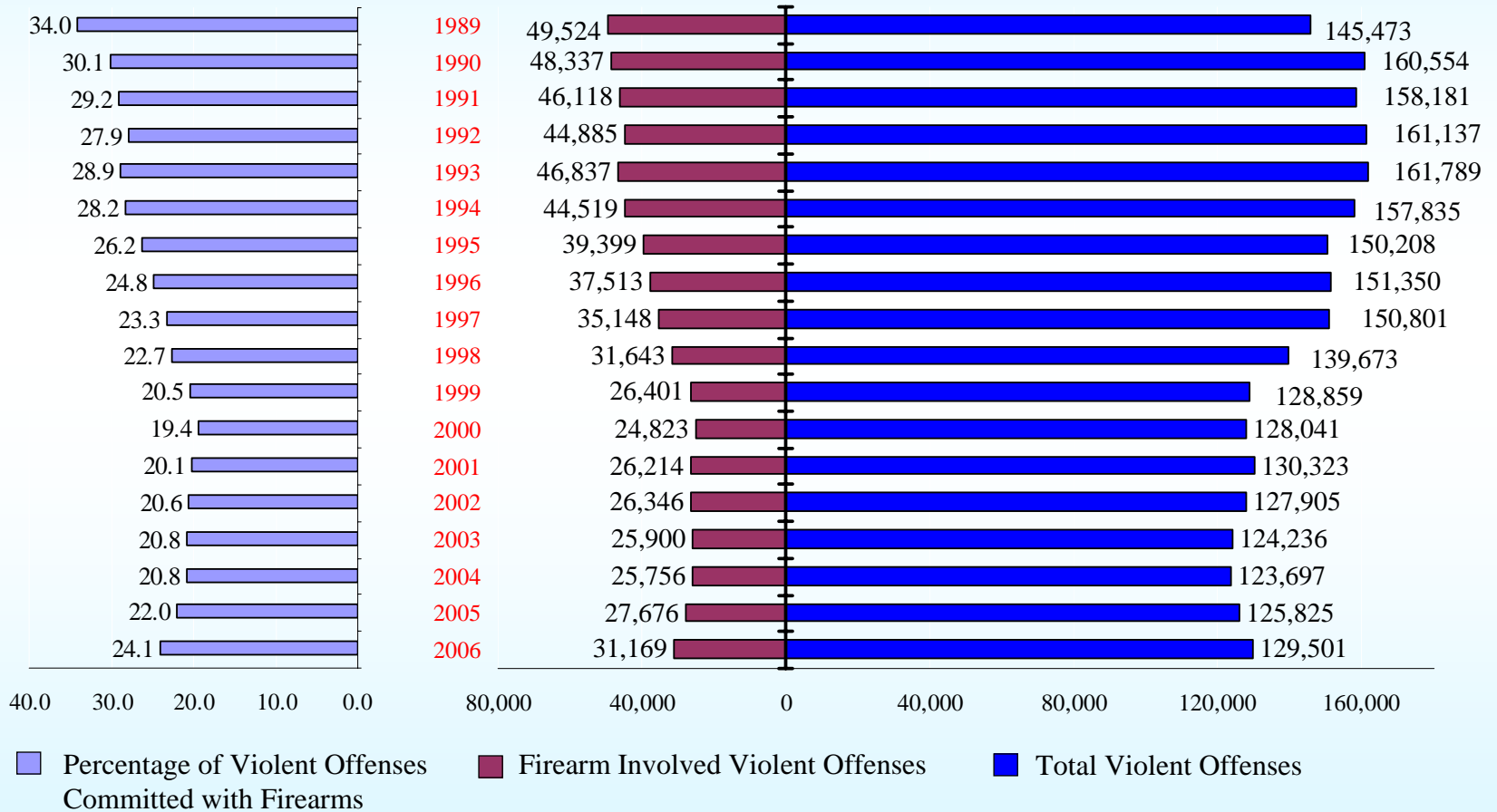
In 2006, a total of 31,169 Violent Index offenses involving a firearm were reported in Florida. Almost 78 percent of those crimes occurred in ten counties (Brevard, Broward, Miami-Dade, Duval, Hillborough, Lee, Orange, Palm Beach, Pinellas, and Polk). These ten counties hold less than 62 percent of Florida's population.

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

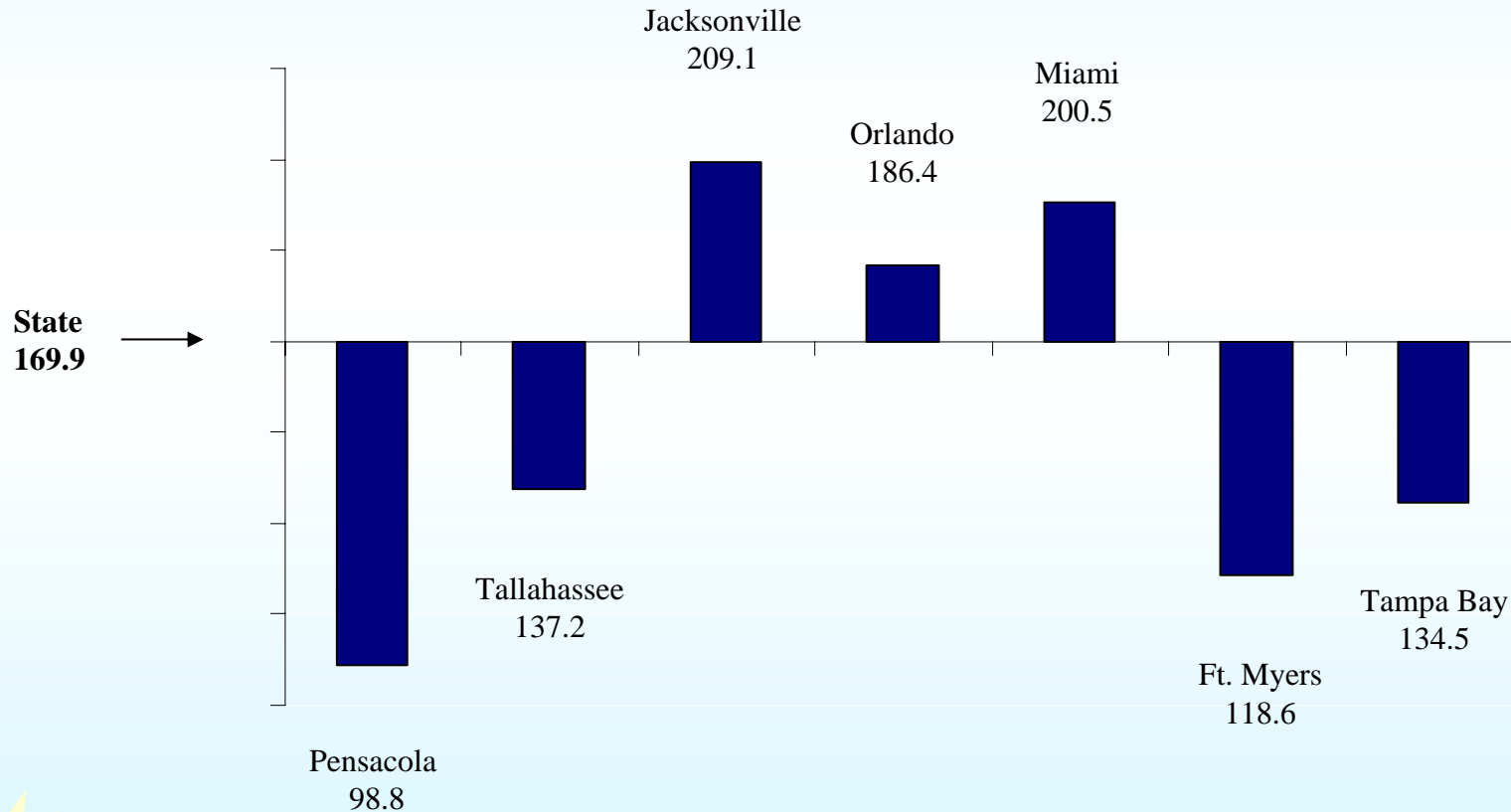
This presentation highlights the distribution of firearm related violent offenses in the State.



Florida Violent Offenses and Firearm Involved Violent Offenses 1989 - 2006

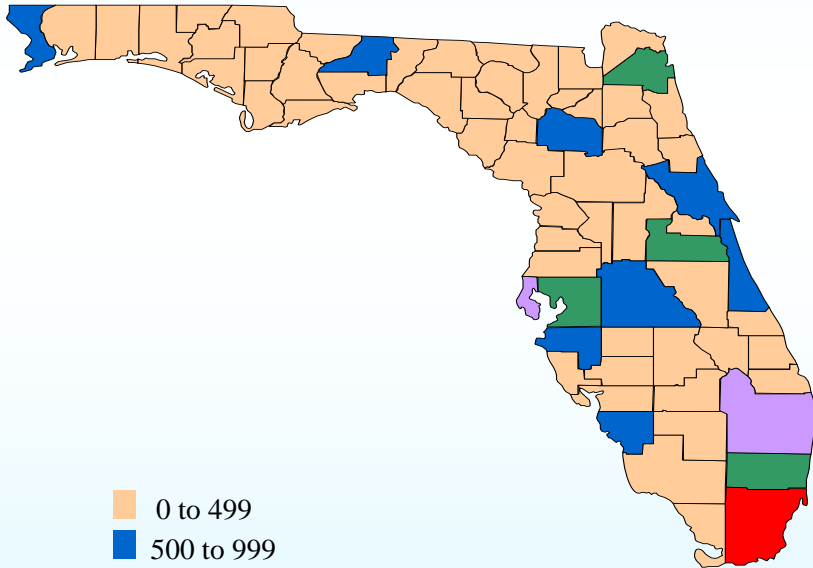


Comparison of Firearm Involved Violent Crime for State and FDLE Regions by Rate per 100,000 Population, 2006

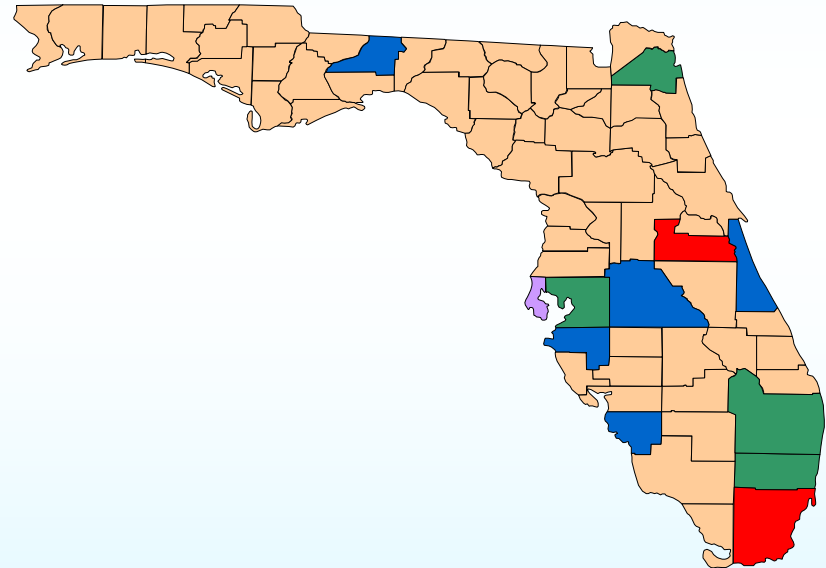


Firearm Involved Violent Crimes, 1996 and 2006

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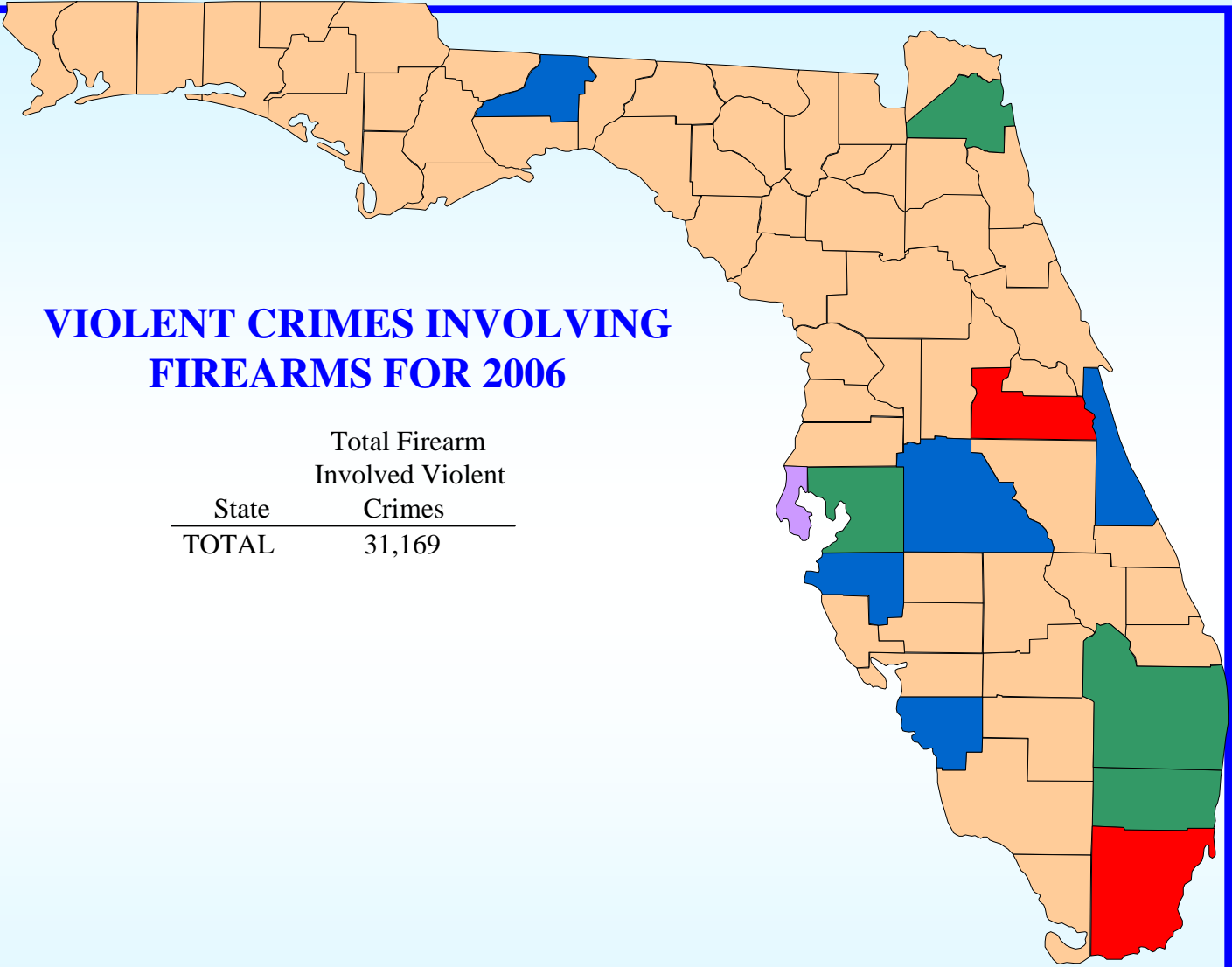


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State	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
TOTAL	31,169

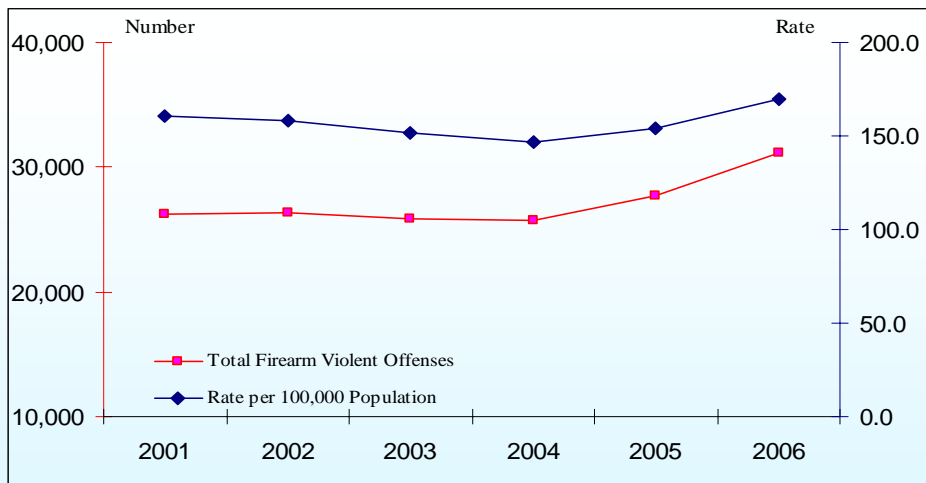
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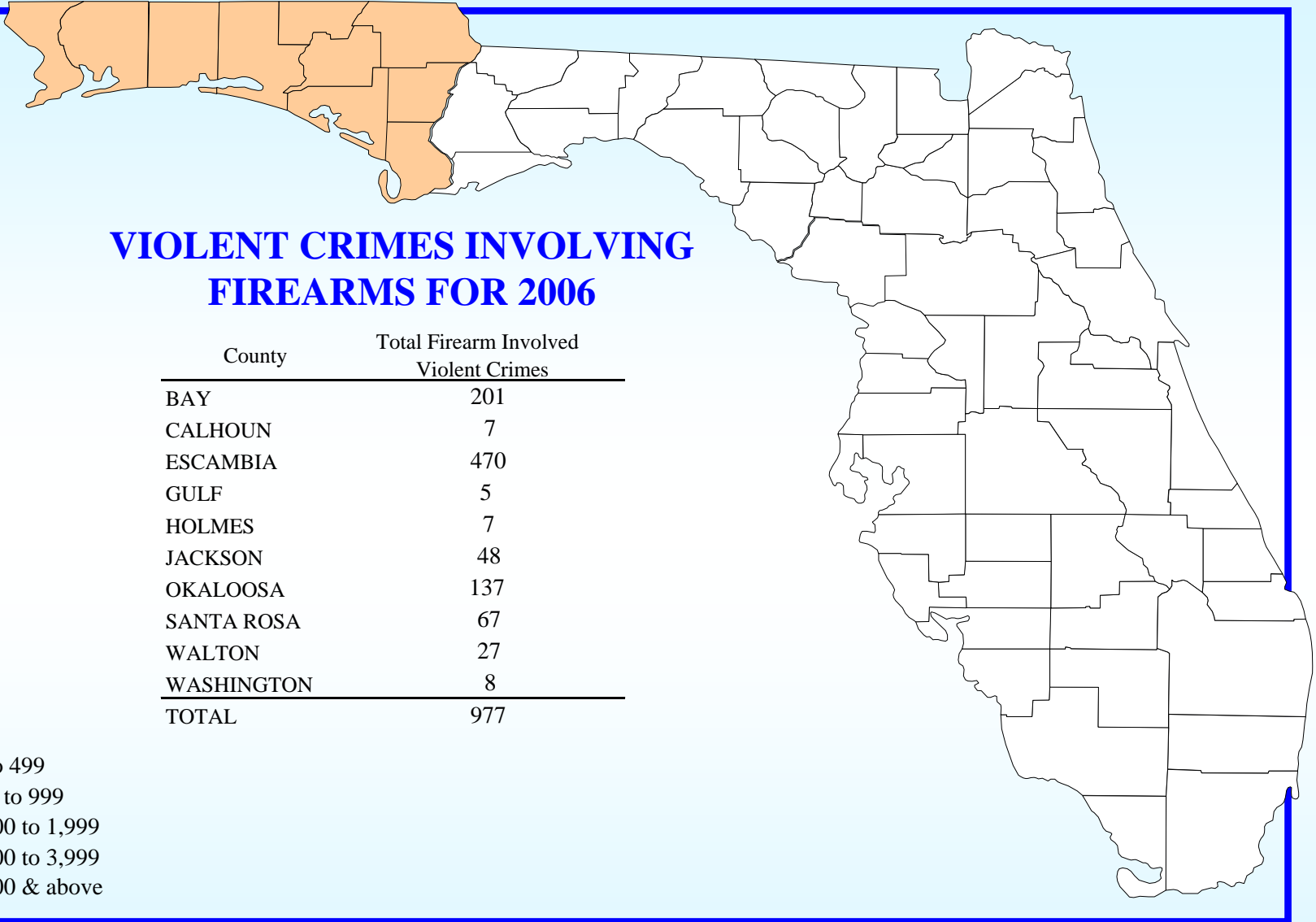
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
2001	16,331,739	502	257	12,804	12,651	26,214	160.5
2002	16,674,608	552	243	12,656	12,895	26,346	158.0
2003	17,071,508	586	212	12,288	12,814	25,900	151.7
2004	17,516,732	555	189	11,504	13,508	25,756	147.0
2005	17,918,227	521	182	11,945	15,028	27,676	154.5
2006	18,349,132	740	162	14,362	15,905	31,169	169.9

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 2001 - 2006



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Offense	Florida		
	Year	Number	
	2001	2006	% change 2001 - 2006
Murder	502	740	47.4
Forcible Sex Offenses	257	162	-37.0
Robbery	12,804	14,362	12.2
Aggravated Assault	12,651	15,905	25.7
Total	26,214	31,169	18.9
Rate per 100,000	160.5	169.9	5.9



VIOLENT CRIMES INVOLVING FIREARMS FOR 2006

County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
BAY	201
CALHOUN	7
ESCAMBIA	470
GULF	5
HOLMES	7
JACKSON	48
OKALOOSA	137
SANTA ROSA	67
WALTON	27
WASHINGTON	8
TOTAL	977

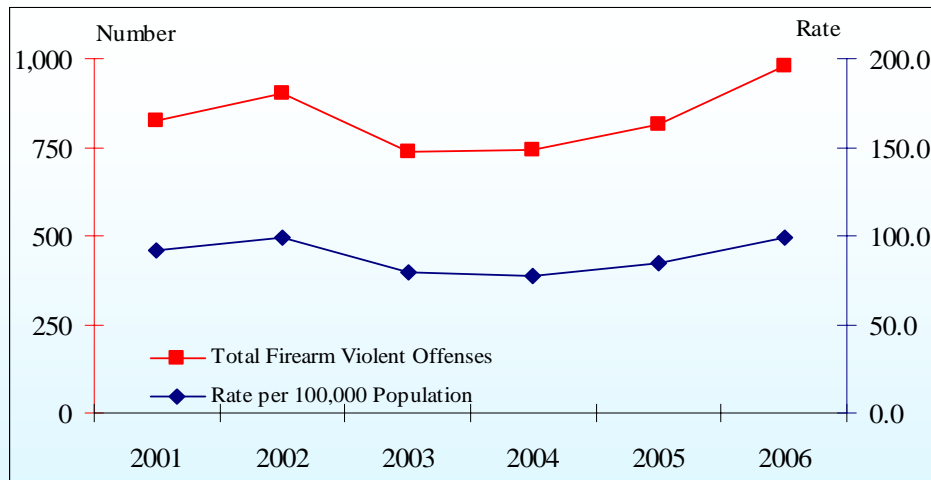
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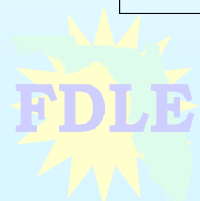
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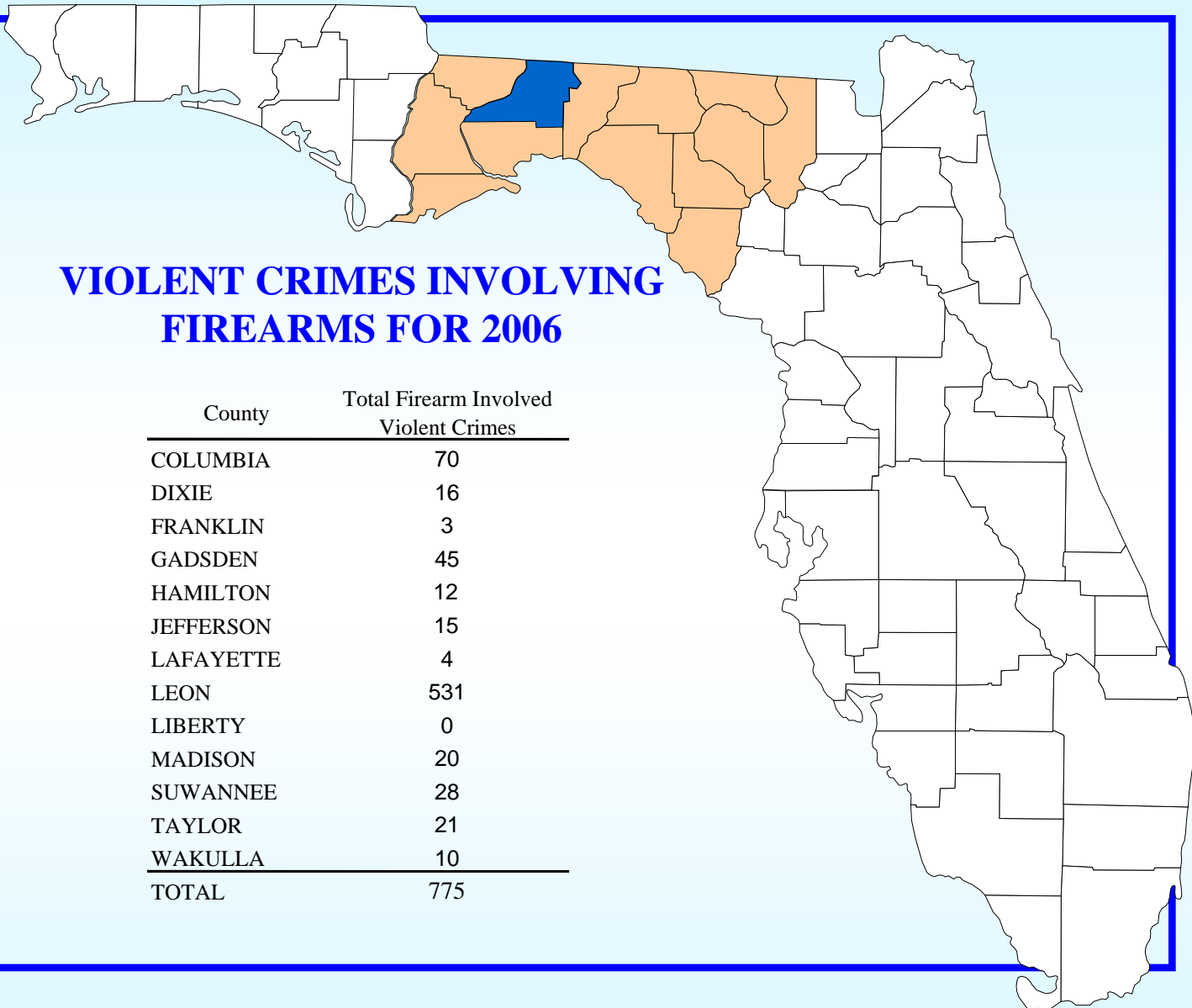
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2001	900,029	11	17	314	484	826	91.8
2002	915,616	13	22	334	533	902	98.5
2003	934,092	14	5	277	442	738	79.0
2004	955,802	19	3	220	500	742	77.6
2005	966,620	13	8	272	522	815	84.3
2006	988,491	7	11	375	584	977	98.8

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 2001 - 2006



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Pensacola Region		Number		
Offense	Year	2001	2006	
			% change 2001 - 2006	
Murder		11	7	-36.4
Forcible Sex Offenses		17	11	-35.3
Robbery		314	375	19.4
Aggravated Assault		484	584	20.7
Total		826	977	18.3
Rate per 100,000		91.8	98.8	7.6





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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
COLUMBIA	70
DIXIE	16
FRANKLIN	3
GADSDEN	45
HAMILTON	12
JEFFERSON	15
LAFAYETTE	4
LEON	531
LIBERTY	0
MADISON	20
SUWANNEE	28
TAYLOR	21
WAKULLA	10
TOTAL	775

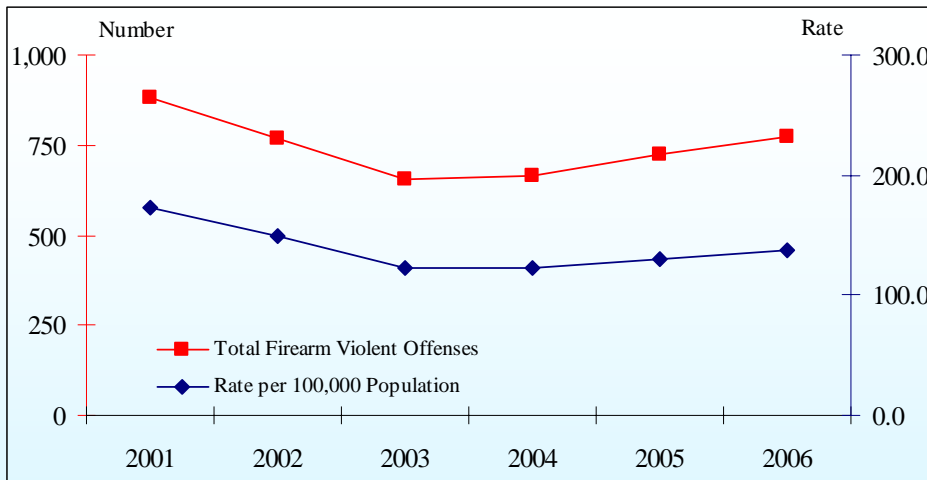
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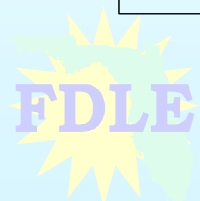
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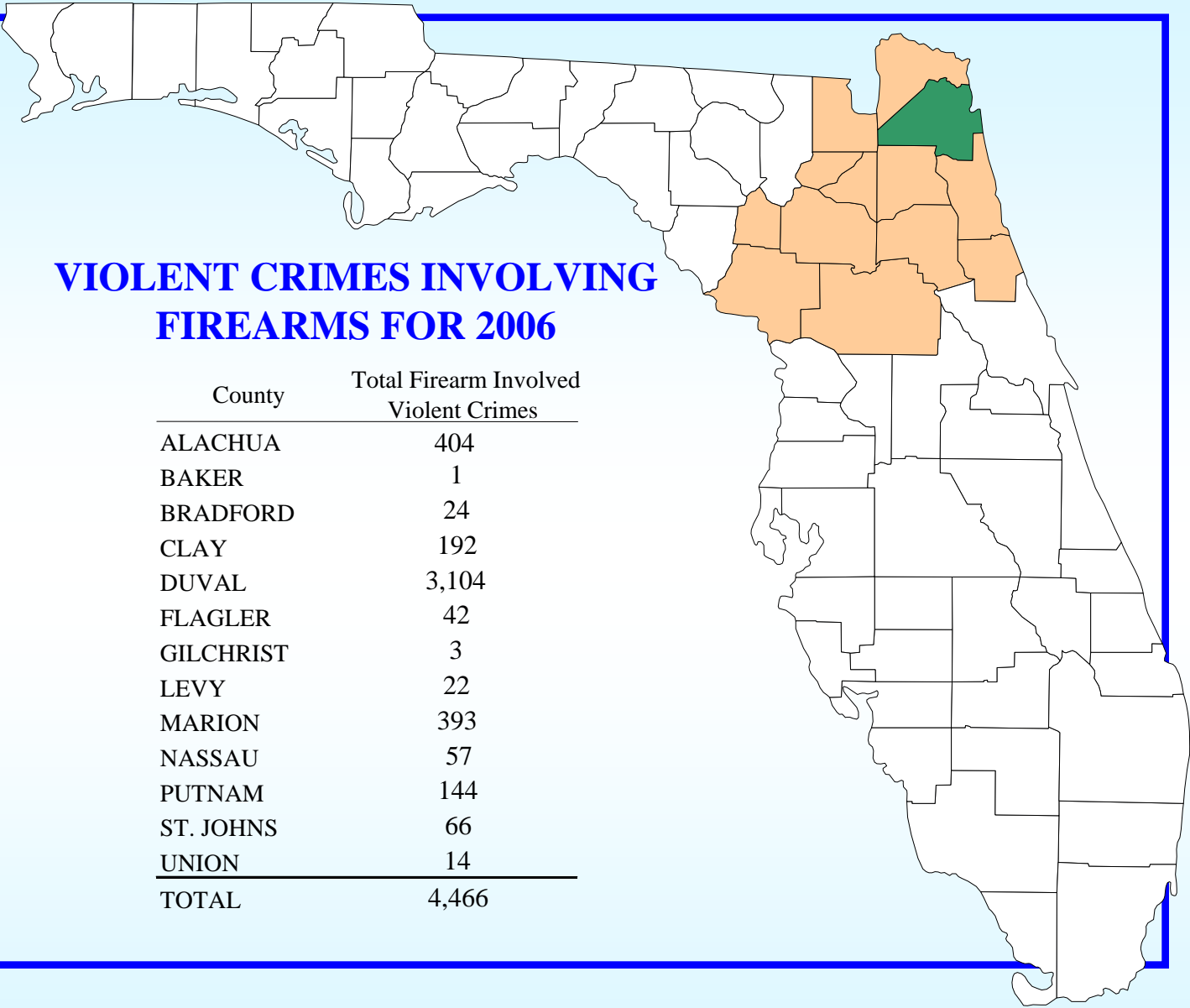
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2001	510,662	20	6	409	446	881	172.5
2002	517,166	16	4	358	392	770	148.9
2003	530,127	14	4	288	347	653	123.2
2004	543,696	17	4	225	417	663	121.9
2005	556,659	18	8	263	434	723	129.9
2006	565,002	12	3	326	434	775	137.2

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 2001 - 2006



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Tallahassee Region		Number	
Offense	Year	2001	2006
Murder		20	12
Forcible Sex Offenses		6	3
Robbery		409	326
Aggravated Assault		446	434
Total		881	775
Rate per 100,000		172.5	137.2
			% change 2001 - 2006
			-40.0
			-50.0
			-20.3
			-2.7
			-12.0
			-20.5





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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
ALACHUA	404
BAKER	1
BRADFORD	24
CLAY	192
DUVAL	3,104
FLAGLER	42
GILCHRIST	3
LEVY	22
MARION	393
NASSAU	57
PUTNAM	144
ST. JOHNS	66
UNION	14
TOTAL	4,466

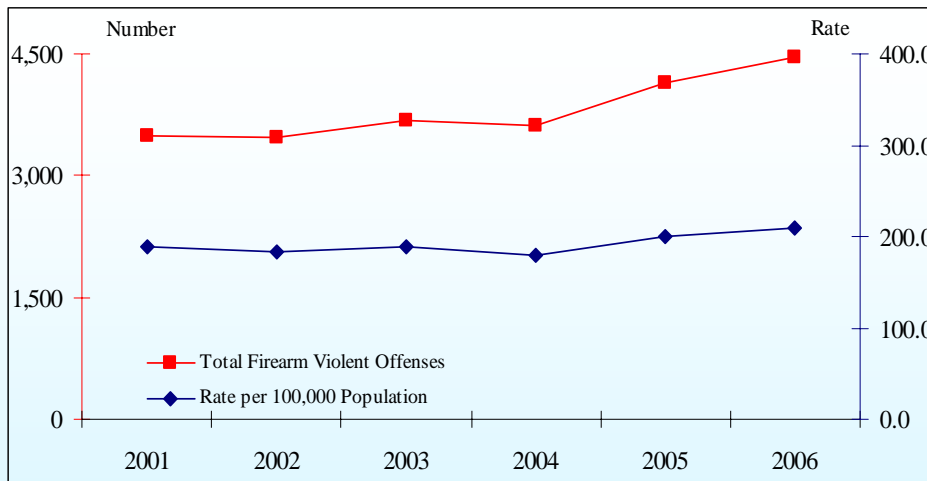
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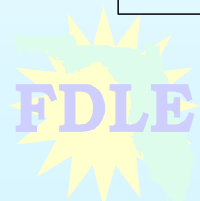
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
2001	1,847,898	62	42	1,474	1,914	3,492	189.0
2002	1,896,574	75	34	1,387	1,980	3,476	183.3
2003	1,948,313	77	33	1,579	1,986	3,675	188.6
2004	2,010,472	69	23	1,539	1,991	3,622	180.2
2005	2,073,280	68	33	1,510	2,542	4,153	200.3
2006	2,136,302	103	24	1,710	2,629	4,466	209.1

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 2001 - 2006



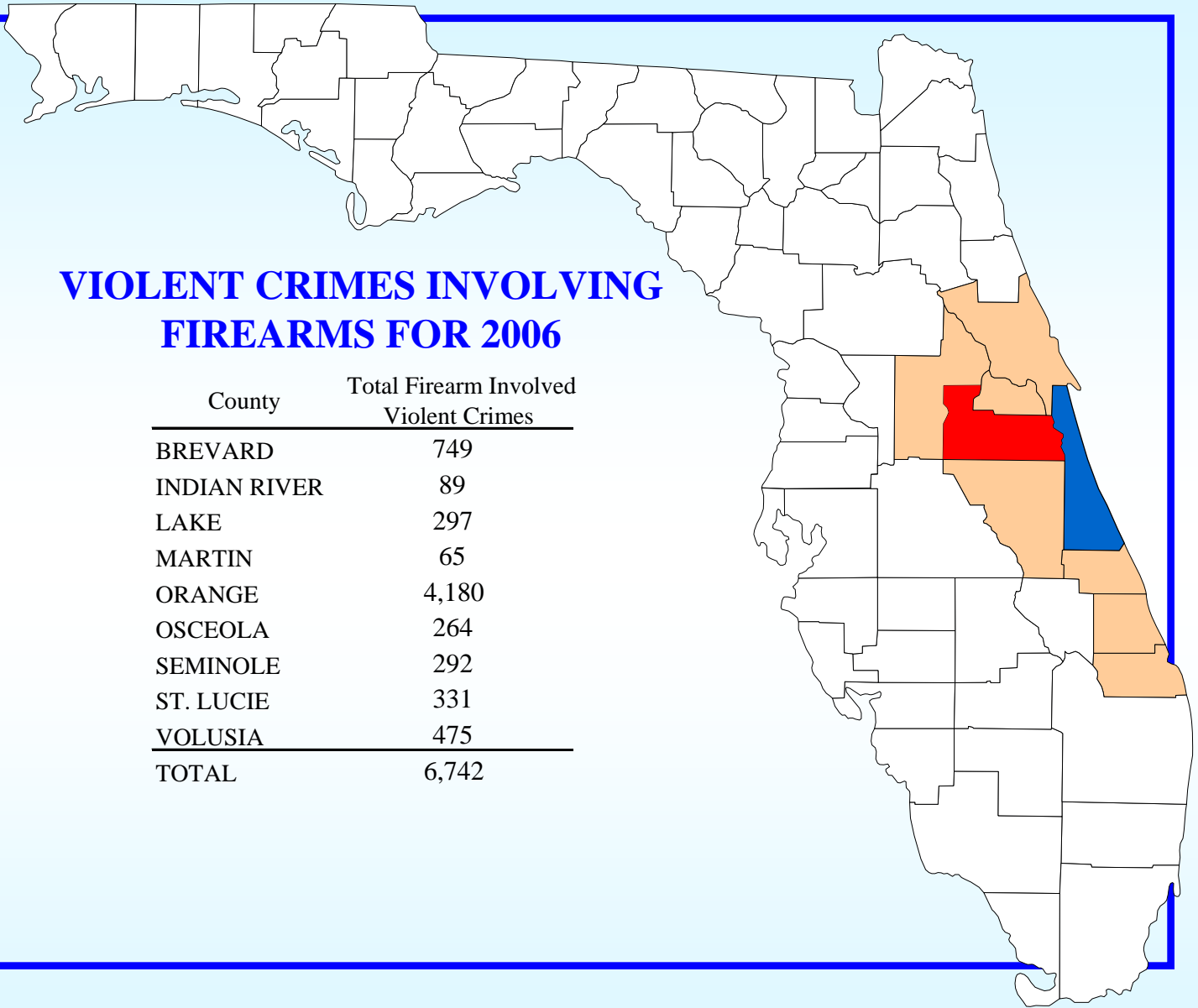
Percentage Change in Number of Offenses				
Jacksonville Region				
Offense	Number			
	Year	2001	2006	% change 2001 - 2006
Murder		62	103	66.1
Forcible Sex Offenses		42	24	-42.9
Robbery		1,474	1,710	16.0
Aggravated Assault		1,914	2,629	37.4
Total		3,492	4,466	27.9
Rate per 100,000		189.0	209.1	10.6



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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
BREVARD	749
INDIAN RIVER	89
LAKE	297
MARTIN	65
ORANGE	4,180
OSCEOLA	264
SEMINOLE	292
ST. LUCIE	331
VOLUSIA	475
TOTAL	6,742

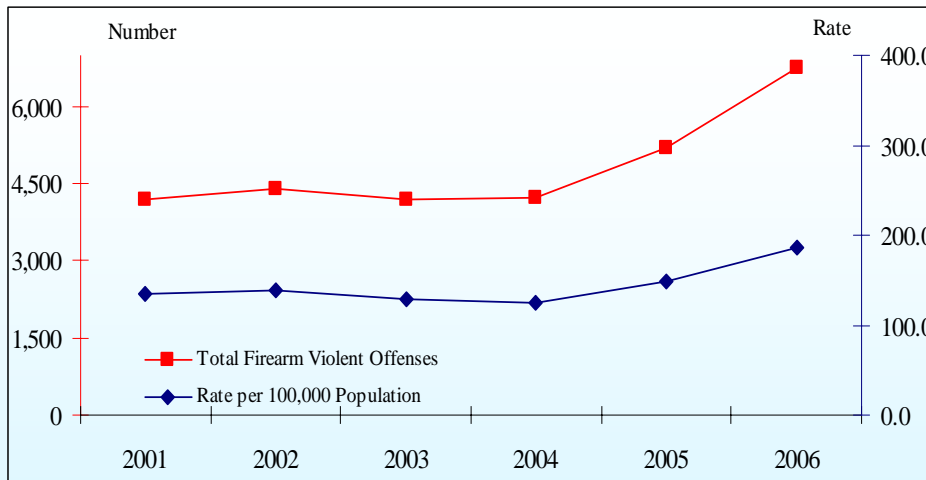
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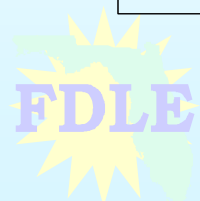
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
2001	3,087,845	72	31	2,052	2,030	4,185	135.5
2002	3,174,241	82	30	2,139	2,155	4,406	138.8
2003	3,275,286	95	34	1,857	2,208	4,194	128.0
2004	3,391,281	86	39	1,733	2,363	4,221	124.5
2005	3,491,038	97	32	2,376	2,695	5,200	149.0
2006	3,616,917	164	36	3,347	3,195	6,742	186.4

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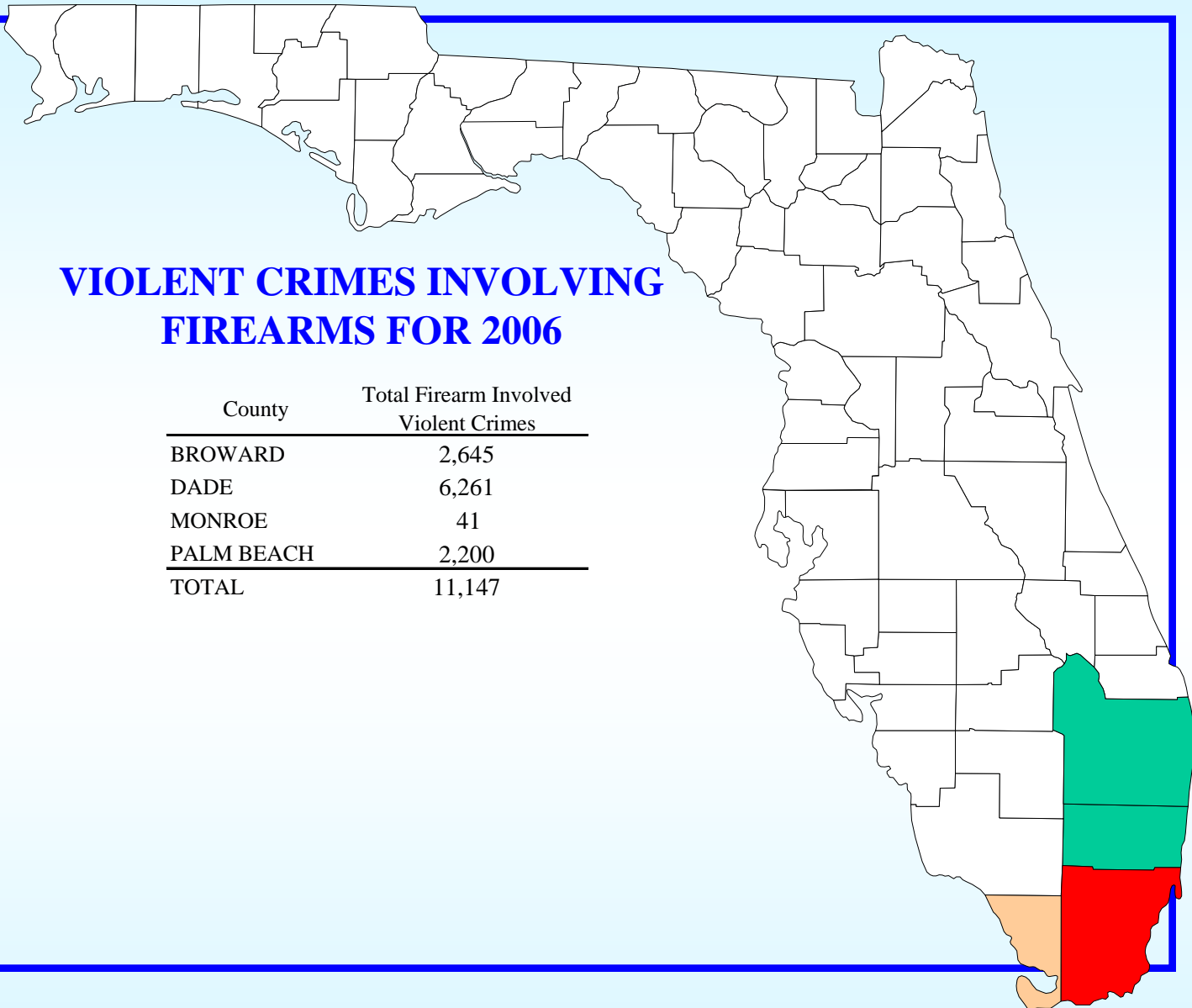
Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Orlando Region		Number	
Offense	Year	2001	2006
Murder		72	164
Forcible Sex Offenses		31	36
Robbery		2,052	3,347
Aggravated Assault		2,030	3,195
Total		4,185	6,742
Rate per 100,000		135.5	186.4
			% change 2001 - 2006
			127.8
			16.1
			63.1
			57.4
			61.1
			37.6



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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
BROWARD	2,645
DADE	6,261
MONROE	41
PALM BEACH	2,200
TOTAL	11,147

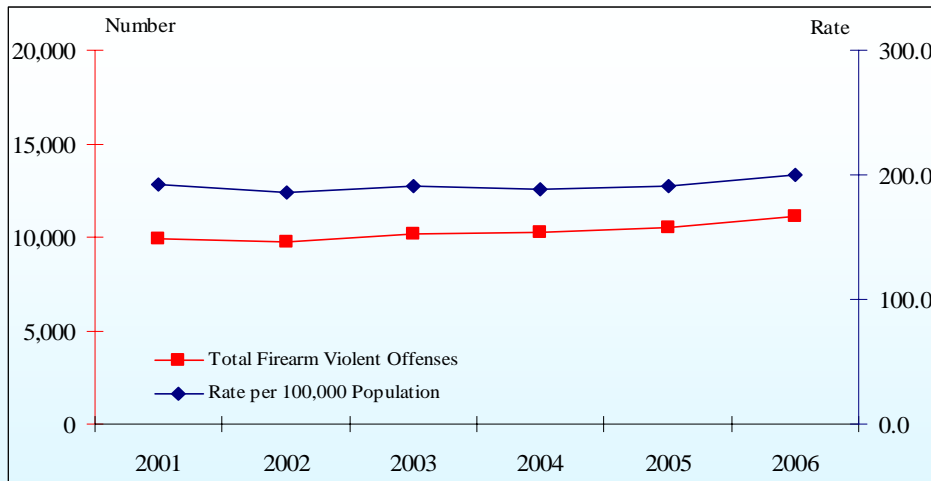
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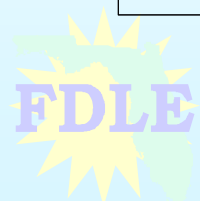
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
2001	5,170,846	214	114	5,177	4,413	9,918	191.8
2002	5,245,968	217	89	5,034	4,401	9,741	185.7
2003	5,336,342	241	105	5,468	4,354	10,168	190.5
2004	5,426,455	247	90	5,307	4,589	10,233	188.6
2005	5,511,375	213	63	5,257	5,004	10,537	191.2
2006	5,558,681	304	48	5,765	5,030	11,147	200.5

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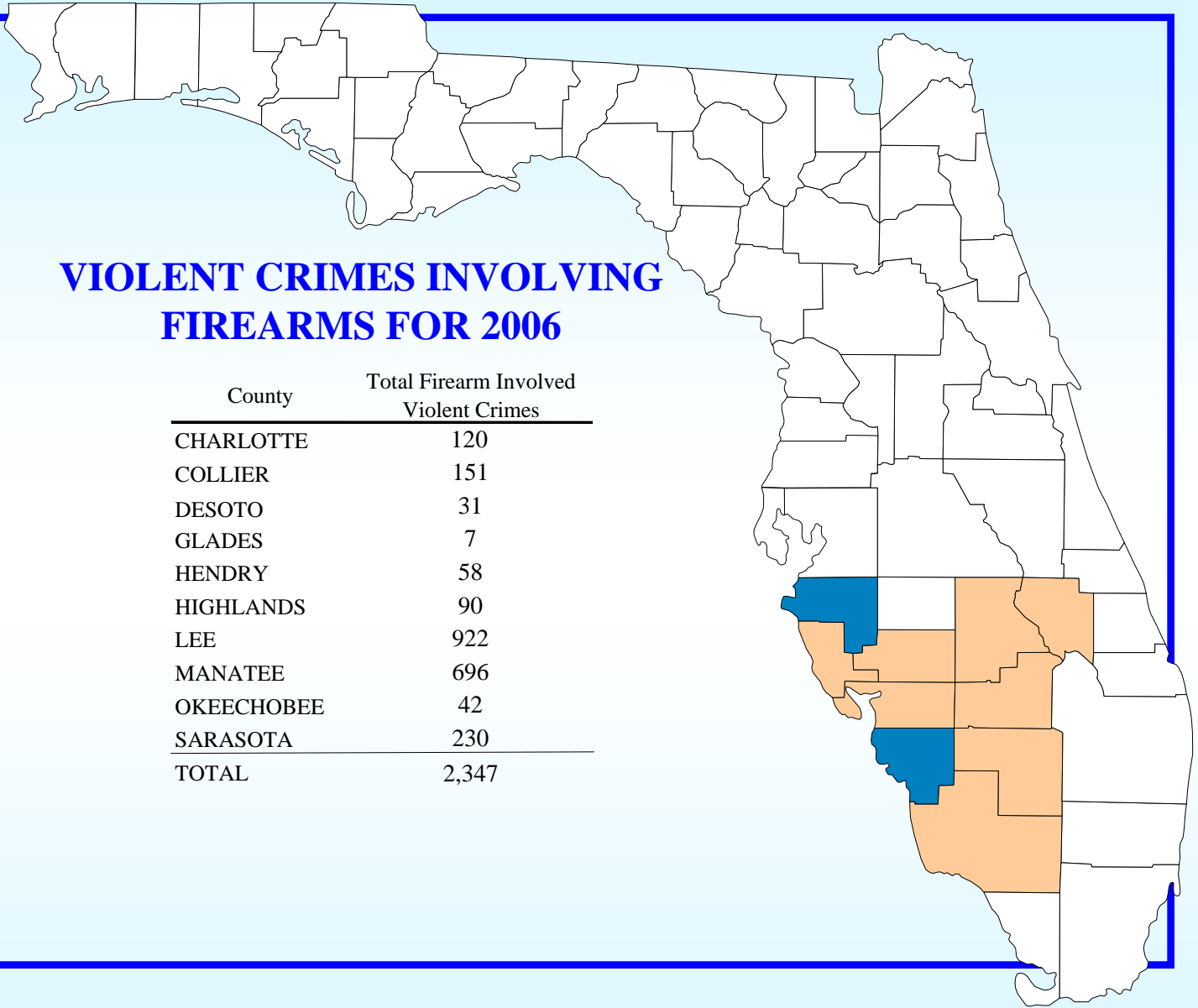
Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Miami Region		Number	
Offense	Year	2001	2006
Murder		214	304
Forcible Sex Offenses		114	48
Robbery		5,177	5,765
Aggravated Assault		4,413	5,030
Total		9,918	10,537
Rate per 100,000		191.8	200.5
			% change 2001 - 2006
			42.1
			-57.9
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			14.0
			6.2
			4.5



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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
CHARLOTTE	120
COLLIER	151
DESOTO	31
GLADES	7
HENDRY	58
HIGHLANDS	90
LEE	922
MANATEE	696
OKEECHOBEE	42
SARASOTA	230
TOTAL	2,347

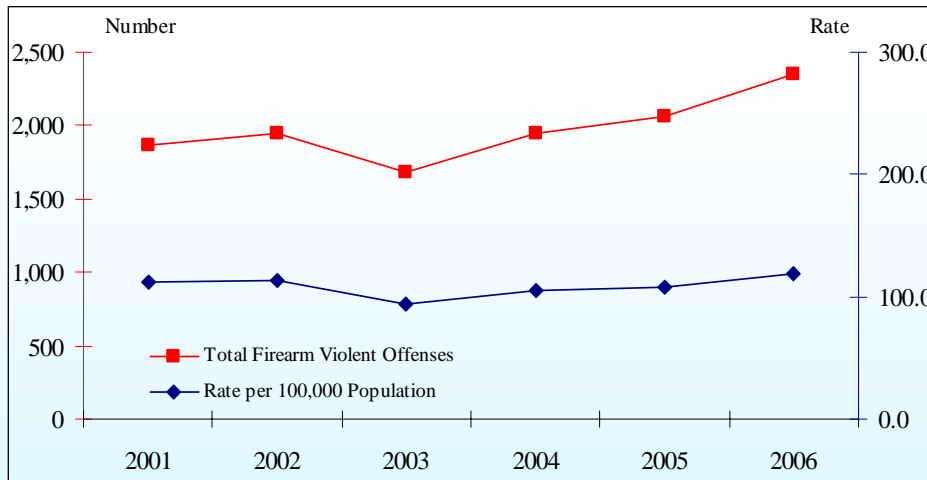
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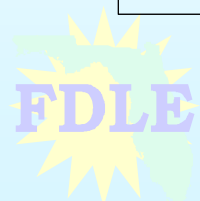
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Year	Population	Murders	Forcible Sex Offenses	Robbery	Aggravated Assault	Total Firearm Violent Offenses	Rate per 100,000 Population
2001	1,672,122	33	14	753	1,065	1,865	111.5
2002	1,723,302	57	14	834	1,037	1,942	112.7
2003	1,783,775	48	10	650	971	1,679	94.1
2004	1,850,266	35	8	657	1247	1,947	105.2
2005	1,906,423	44	8	717	1293	2,062	108.2
2006	1,978,268	62	6	863	1416	2,347	118.6

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Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Ft. Myers Region		Number	
Offense	Year	2001	2006
Murder		33	62
Forcible Sex Offenses		14	6
Robbery		753	863
Aggravated Assault		1,065	1,416
Total		1,865	2,347
Rate per 100,000		111.5	118.6
			% change 2001 - 2006
			87.9
			-57.1
			14.6
			33.0
			25.8
			6.4



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County	Total Firearm Involved Violent Crimes
CITRUS	63
HARDEE	24
HERNANDO	89
HILLSBOROUGH	2,077
PASCO	379
PINELLAS	1,296
POLK	737
SUMTER	50
TOTAL	4,715

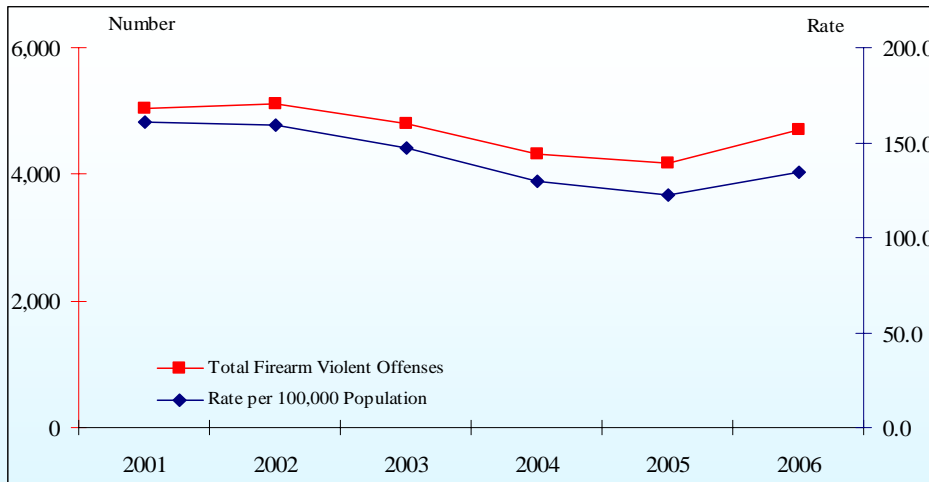
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2001	3,141,692	90	33	2,625	2,299	5,047	160.6
2002	3,201,741	92	50	2,570	2,397	5,109	159.6
2003	3,263,573	97	21	2,169	2,506	4,793	146.9
2004	3,338,760	82	22	1,823	2,401	4,328	129.6
2005	3,412,832	68	30	1,550	2,538	4,186	122.7
2006	3,505,471	88	34	1,976	2,617	4,715	134.5

Number and Rate for Firearm Related Violent Offenses, 2001 - 2006



Percentage Change in Number of Offenses			
Tampa Bay Region		Number	
Offense	Year	2001	2006
Murder		90	88
Forcible Sex Offenses		33	34
Robbery		2,625	1,976
Aggravated Assault		2,299	2,617
Total		5,047	4,715
Rate per 100,000		160.6	134.5
			% change 2001 - 2006
			-2.2
			3.0
			-24.7
			13.8
			-6.6
			-16.3

