

## Latest recorded crime trends and comparisons

\* % increase/decrease compared to April to June 2004

	Period	Notts	National av
<b>All crime</b>	Apr-Jun 05	+0.2%	-2%
<b>Violence against person</b>	Apr-Jun 05	+23%	+6%
<b>More serious violence</b> (incl homicide, threats/ conspiracy to murder, serious wounding)	Apr-Jun 05	<b>-29.4%</b>	-8%
<b>House burglary</b>	Apr-Jun 05	<b>-23.6%</b>	-11%
<b>Theft of/from motor vehicle</b>	Apr-Jun 05	-0.4%	-8%

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	Period	Notts	National av
<b>Firearms offences (excluding air weapons)</b>	Year ending June 05	<b>-17%</b>	+5%
<b>Firearms offences causing fatal injuries</b>	Year ending June 05	No change	-14%
<b>Firearms offences causing serious injuries</b>	Year ending June 05	<b>-67%</b>	+7%

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### **Violence against the Person – More Serious Violence**

For the period between 1 October 2004 and 30 September 2005 Nottinghamshire had the **fifth lowest rate** (per 1,000 population) of more serious violence (see offence types above) of the 43 police force areas in England and Wales.

Nottinghamshire (0.102) had the **lowest rate** compared to its most similar force areas. South Yorkshire (0.137), Avon & Somerset (0.157), Bedfordshire (0.260), Leicestershire (0.296).

Nottinghamshire (57.7%) also had the **highest rate** of detections of more serious violence offences compared to its most similar force areas. South Yorkshire (48.5%), Bedfordshire (41.9%), Leicestershire (41.3%), Avon & Somerset (34.0%).