

**Our Purpose O Mātou Whāinga:** To effectively regulate the legitimate possession and use of firearms to keep all communities safe

This monthly dashboard summarises key data points for Te Tari Pūreke – Firearms Safety Authority. It includes key metrics and demographics, which supports us in monitoring the regulatory system in which we operate.

**Active individual firearms licence holders by Police District**

	Licences
NORTHLAND	13,055
WAITEMATA	14,325
AUCKLAND CITY	5,431
COUNTIES MANUKAU	11,046
WAIKATO	21,777
BAY OF PLENTY	24,646
EASTERN	15,161
CENTRAL	25,637
WELLINGTON	15,238
TASMAN	18,823
CANTERBURY	35,179
SOUTHERN	31,702
OVERSEAS	743
NON-GEOCODED	725
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>233,488</b>

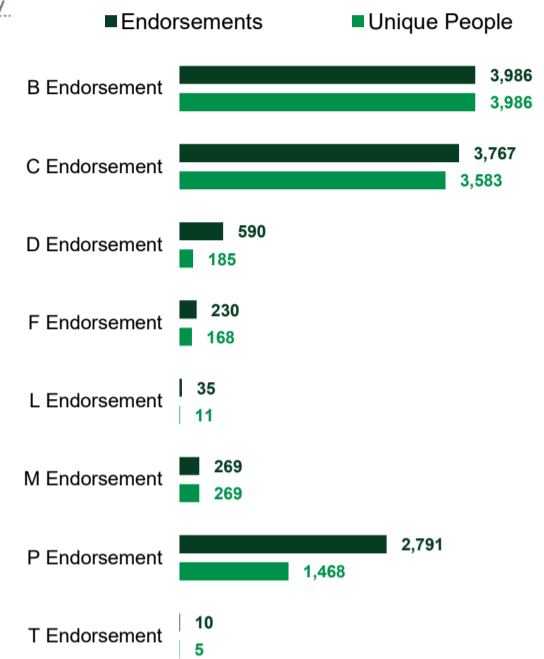
**Active Firearms dealers by Police District**

	Licences
NORTHLAND	17
WAITEMATA	19
AUCKLAND CITY	13
COUNTIES MANUKAU	18
WAIKATO	29
BAY OF PLENTY	46
EASTERN	19
CENTRAL	39
WELLINGTON	33
TASMAN	25
CANTERBURY	62
SOUTHERN	35
OVERSEAS	0
NON-GEOCODED	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>358</b>



**Active Endorsements by type**

For a detailed breakdown of each endorsement type, refer to the 'Active endorsements by type' worksheet in the Firearms Summary Report.

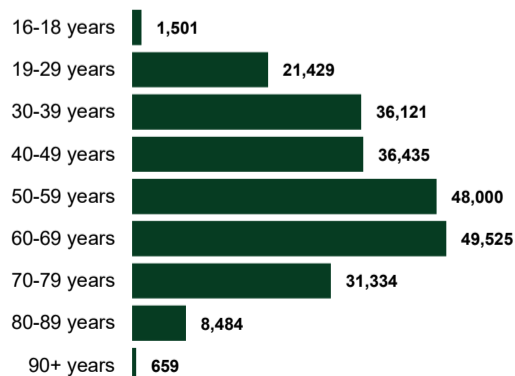


**Applications completed and suspensions and revocations processed in the last month with previous month and previous year comparison**

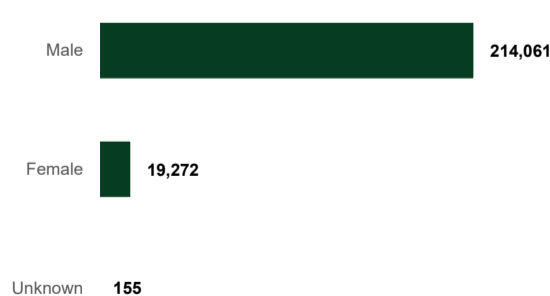
	Individual licence applications	Dealers licence applications	Visitors licence applications	Endorsement applications	Licences suspended	Licences revoked	Import applications
August 2023	1,870	34	18	430	150	110	331
July 2023	1,810	44	9	353	150	52	327
August 2022	1,318	12	43	170	112	89	340

**Demographics of firearms licence holders**

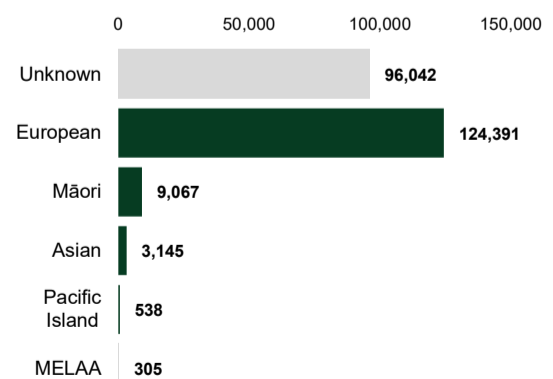
**Active licence holders current age**



**Active licence holders gender**



**Active licence holders ethnicity**



**Caveats:** Data contained in this document is drawn from a dynamic operational database and is subject to change as new information is recorded or updated. Information is current as at date indicated at the top of this document. For further detailed information on the subjects above please refer to the supplementary spreadsheet. 'Active' licences refer to any individual (A-Standard) or dealer licence holder who is legally allowed to possess firearms due to holding a current firearms licence. Licences represented as 'Overseas' are any licences held by individuals who are currently residing overseas but maintain their New Zealand firearms licence. Licences represented as 'Non-geocoded' are any licences where the geographical coordinates of the address do not map directly to a district however Police still have the address of each individual. Individuals may hold more than one 'endorsement type'. Dealer, Visitor, Endorsement and Individual firearms licence applications processed in the last month refer to those where a licence or endorsement have been issued and does not include applications that have been refused or withdrawn. Import applications processed in the last month refer to all permit applications processed regardless of whether a permit has been issued or not. Licences suspended and revoked in the last month is based on a point in time status change to either a revoked or suspended status. This is not indicative of the current status of the licence i.e if a suspended licence has subsequently been revoked or made current. Visitor licences are not included in the 'Active licence holders' tables. Ethnicities included in 'MELAA' category include Latin American/Hispanic, Middle Eastern, Native American and African origin.