

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	13,065
WAITEMATA	14,433
AUCKLAND CITY	5,441
COUNTIES MANUKAU	11,148
WAIKATO	21,912
BAY OF PLENTY	24,693
EASTERN	15,242
CENTRAL	25,862
WELLINGTON	15,349
TASMAN	18,996
CANTERBURY	35,453
SOUTHERN	32,105
OVERSEAS	760
NON-GEOCODED	286
TOTAL	234,745

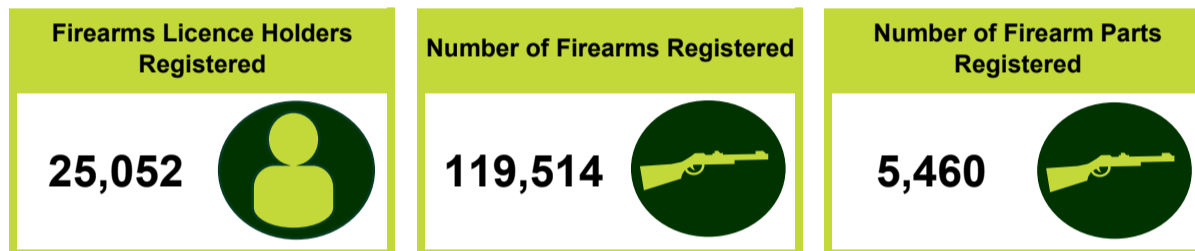
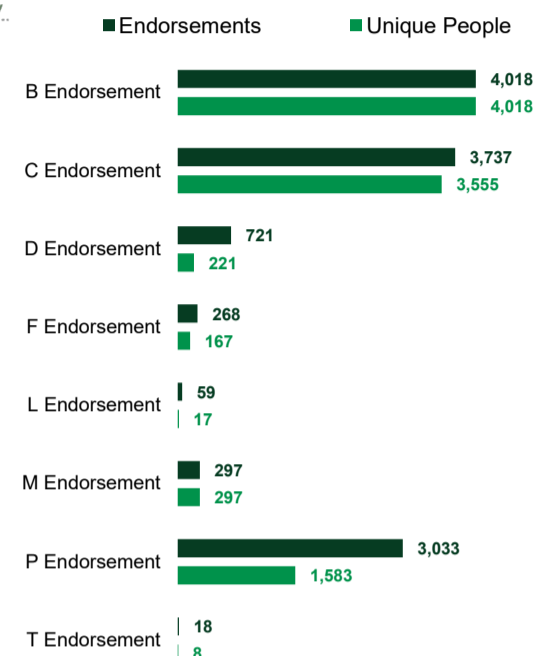
Active Firearms dealers by Police District

	Licences
NORTHLAND	21
WAITEMATA	29
AUCKLAND CITY	19
COUNTIES MANUKAU	24
WAIKATO	32
BAY OF PLENTY	48
EASTERN	27
CENTRAL	45
WELLINGTON	34
TASMAN	31
CANTERBURY	69
SOUTHERN	42
OVERSEAS	0
NON-GEOCODED	3
TOTAL	424



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.

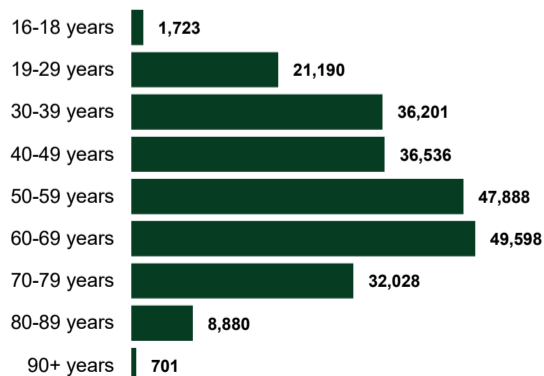


Applications completed and suspensions and revocations processed in the last month with previous month and previous year comparison

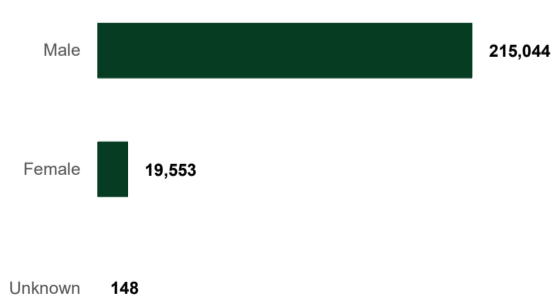
	Individual licence applications	Dealers licence applications	Visitors licence applications	Endorsement applications	Licences suspended	Licences revoked	Import applications
January 2024	1,106	20	56	193	94	83	253
December 2023	1,365	22	38	228	124	74	300
January 2023	1,337	40	31	169	87	74	232

Demographics of firearms licence holders

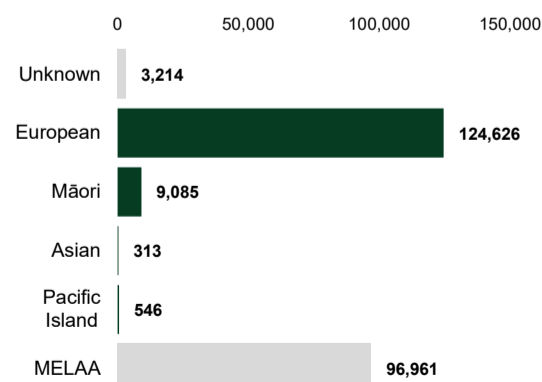
Active licence holders current age



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 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'. Individual, Visitor and Endorsement 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. Dealer licence applications processed in the last month includes dealer applications that have been approved and a firearms licence card issued. 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.