

**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**

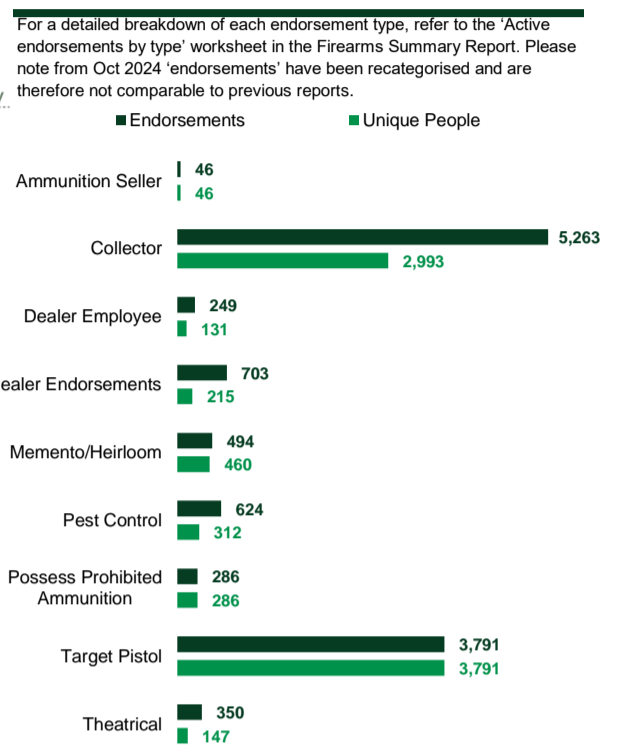
Police District	Licences
NORTHLAND	12,773
WAITEMATA	14,204
AUCKLAND CITY	5,289
COUNTIES MANUKAU	10,942
WAIKATO	21,511
BAY OF PLENTY	24,110
EASTERN	14,890
CENTRAL	25,443
WELLINGTON	15,089
TASMAN	18,706
CANTERBURY	35,011
SOUTHERN	31,716
OVERSEAS	845
NON-GEOCODED	199
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>230,728</b>

**Active Firearms dealers by Police District**

Police District	Licences
NORTHLAND	22
WAITEMATA	24
AUCKLAND CITY	19
COUNTIES MANUKAU	25
WAIKATO	32
BAY OF PLENTY	52
EASTERN	24
CENTRAL	44
WELLINGTON	33
TASMAN	26
CANTERBURY	74
SOUTHERN	50
OVERSEAS	0
NON-GEOCODED	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>427</b>



**Active Endorsements by type**



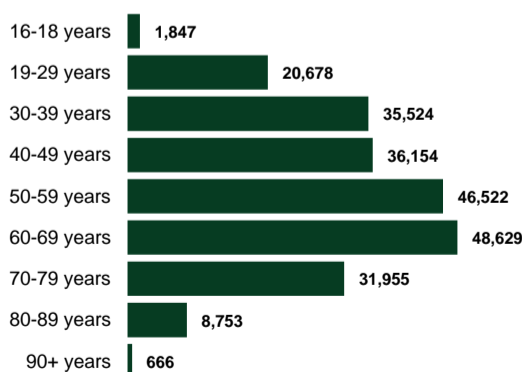
<b>Firearms Licence Holders Registered</b> <span style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">69,644</span>	<b>Number of Firearms Registered</b> <span style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">335,145</span>	<b>Number of Firearm Parts Registered</b> <span style="font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">12,346</span>
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**Applications completed and suspensions and revocations processed in the last month with previous month and previous year comparison**

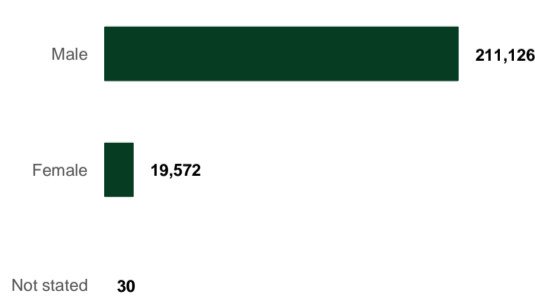
	Individual licence applications	Dealers licence applications	Visitors licence applications	Endorsement applications	Licences suspended	Licences revoked	Import applications
December 2024	1,532	56	34	205	124	46	199
November 2024	2,296	33	44	205	100	67	186
December 2023	1,365	22	38	228	124	74	300

**Demographics of firearms licence holders**

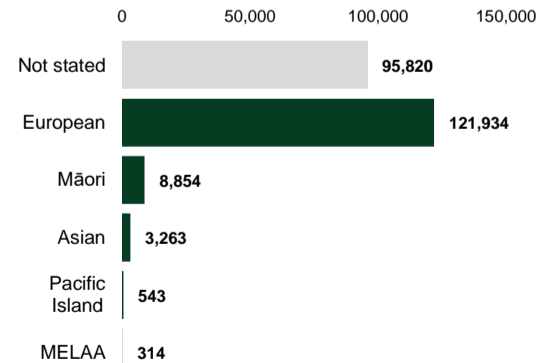
**Active licence holders current age**



**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, visitor 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 or hold a Visitors 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 individual import permits 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 included in the 'Active individual firearms licence holders by Police District' and 'Active licence holders' tables. Ethnicities included in 'MELAA' category include Latin American/Hispanic, Middle Eastern, Native American and African origin. Firearms and Firearm Parts Registered includes those that have been registered and physically exist in New Zealand. For further detail on Endorsements refer to - <https://www.firearmssafetyauthority.govt.nz/manage-and-apply/endorsements>. For further detail on Dealer licences refer to - <https://www.firearmssafetyauthority.govt.nz/manage-and-apply/firearms-dealers/firearms-dealer-requirements>.