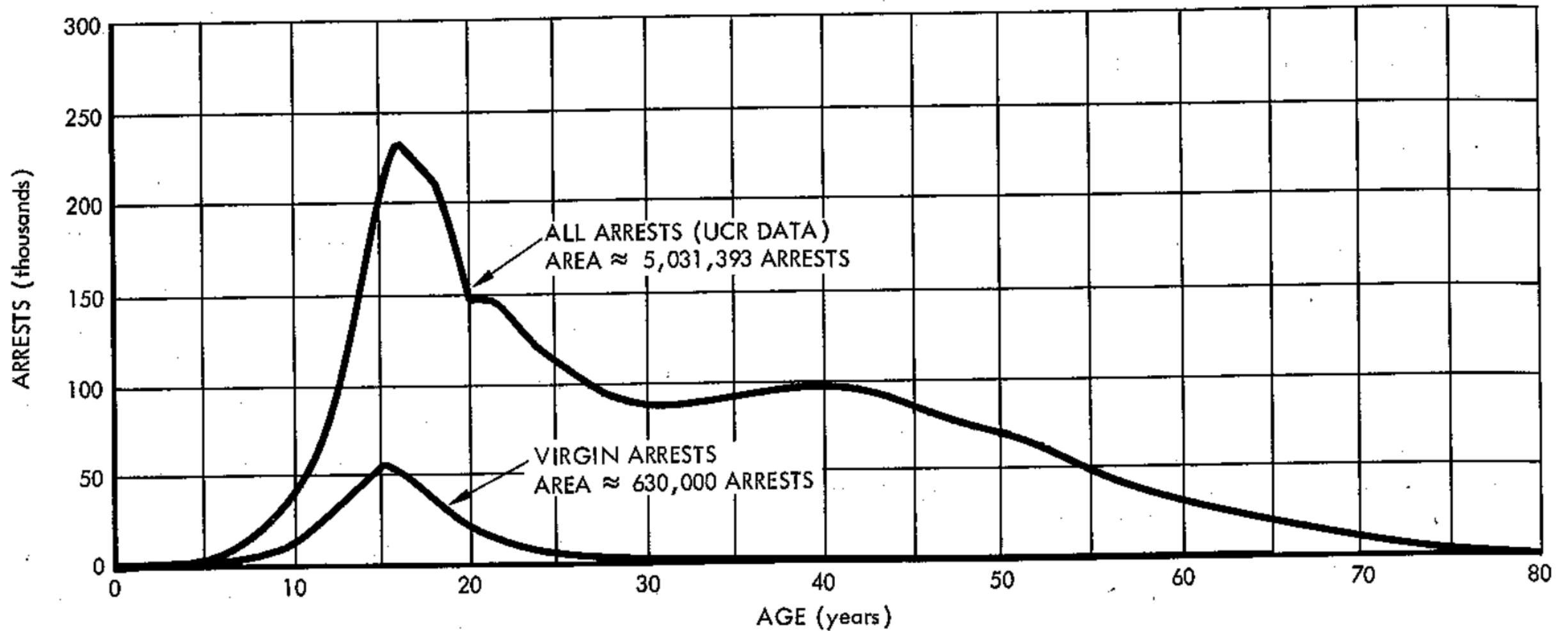


Lesson 13

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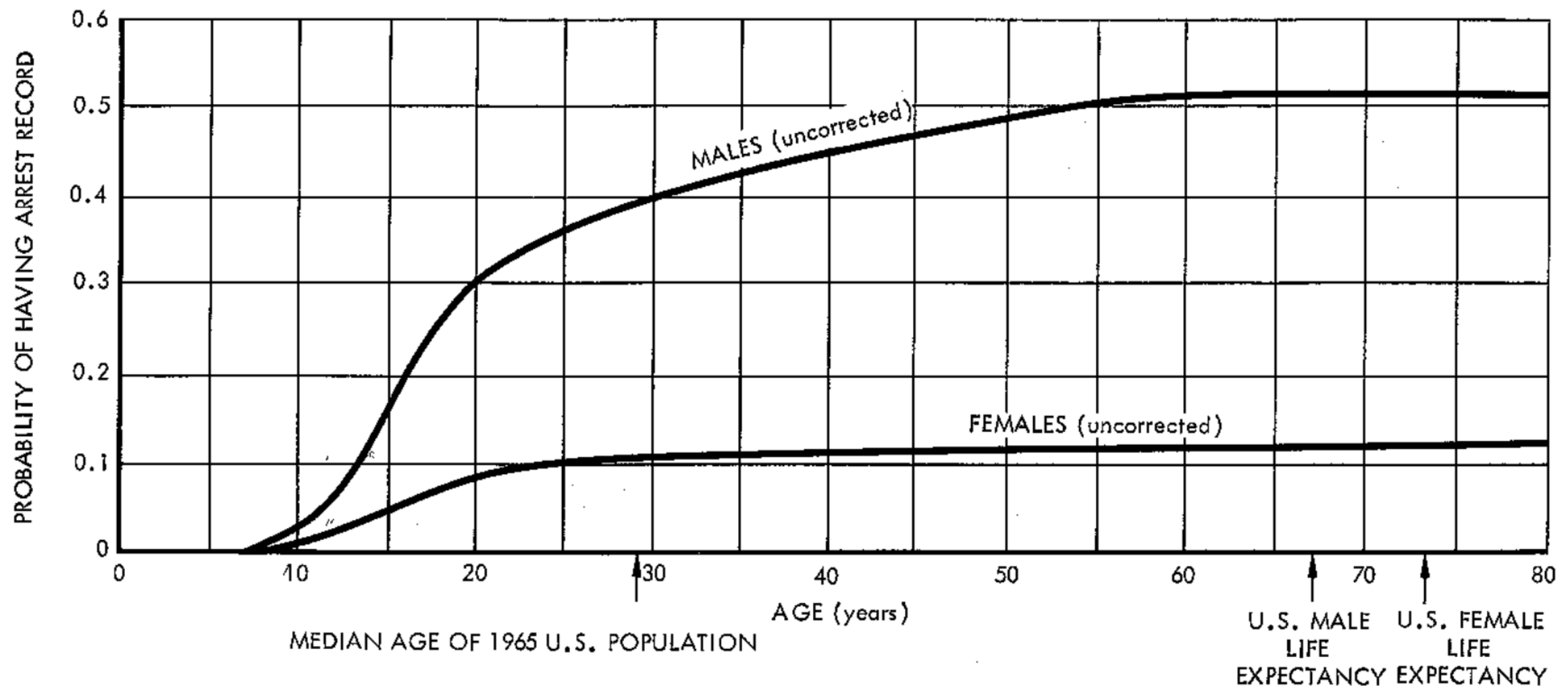
Age and Arrest (Christensen's Chart, 1967)

FIGURE J-2. 1965 ARRESTS BY AGE FOR ALL NONTRAFFIC OFFENSES



Age and Cumulative Arrest (Christensen, 1967)

FIGURE J-7. PROBABILITY OF AN INDIVIDUAL 5-YEAR OLD BEING ARRESTED FOR A NONTRAFFIC OFFENSE BY THE TIME HE REACHES GIVEN AGE, ASSUMING FUTURE ARREST PROBABILITIES REMAIN THE SAME AS THOSE IN 1965



Age and Cumulative Arrest - NLSY97

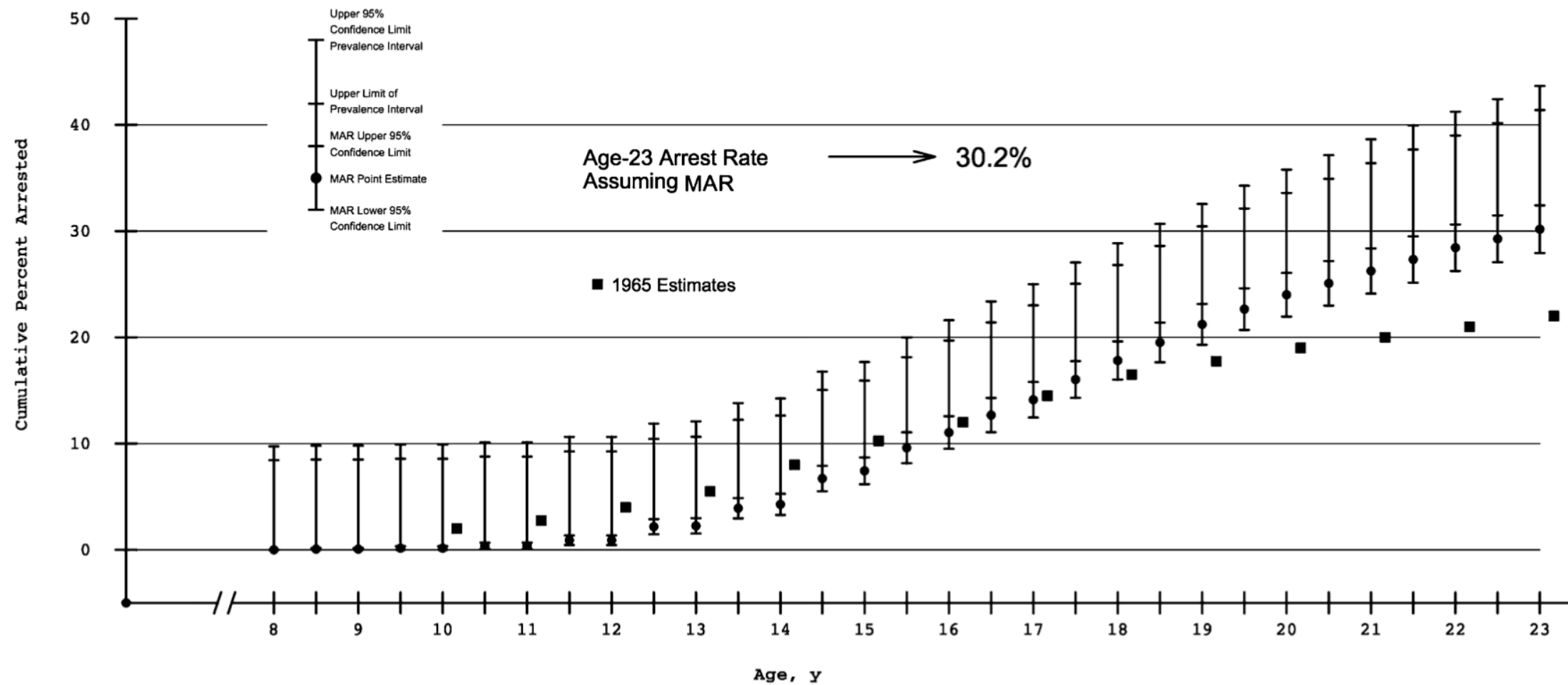


FIGURE 2

Arrest Rates and 95% confidence intervals assuming the lower bound is equal to MAR.

Chapter 6: Juvenile Courts

- National statistics tell us that police exercise a degree of discretion in deciding which cases to refer to juvenile court.
- In other words, not all juveniles who get arrested are referred to juvenile court.
- Your book (p. 137) reports that about 2/3 of kids who get arrested end up having their cases considered by juvenile and family courts; suggesting that about 1/3 do not.

National Center for Juvenile Justice (NCJJ) Data

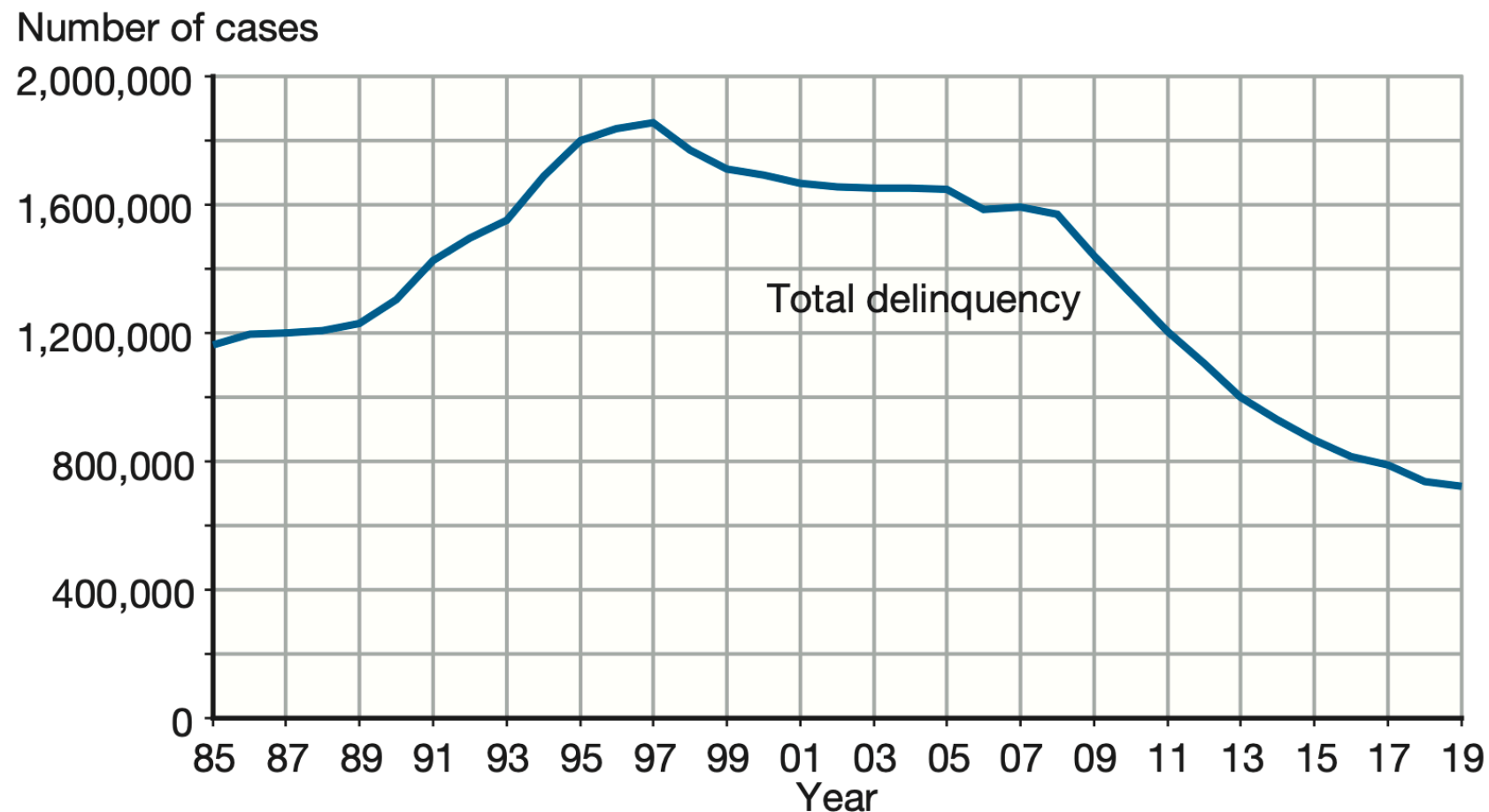
- The National Center for Juvenile Justice (NCJJ) have been compiling national data on juvenile courts since the mid-1970's.
- Like the FBI's UCR/NIBRS programs, these data collection efforts are based on voluntary participation by local courts.
- The NCJJ reports an 87% juvenile population coverage rate for the year 2019.

NCJJ Primary Counting Unit

- Crime and delinquency cases.
- Status offense cases.
- Cases with original jurisdiction in adult court are not considered.
- Waiver and transfer cases are considered.
- Only the most serious offense is coded (like the old UCR hierarchy rule).
- Importantly, no measures of recidivism.

Long-Term Caseload Chart from book (p. 140)

The juvenile court caseload decreased 38% between 1985 and 2019

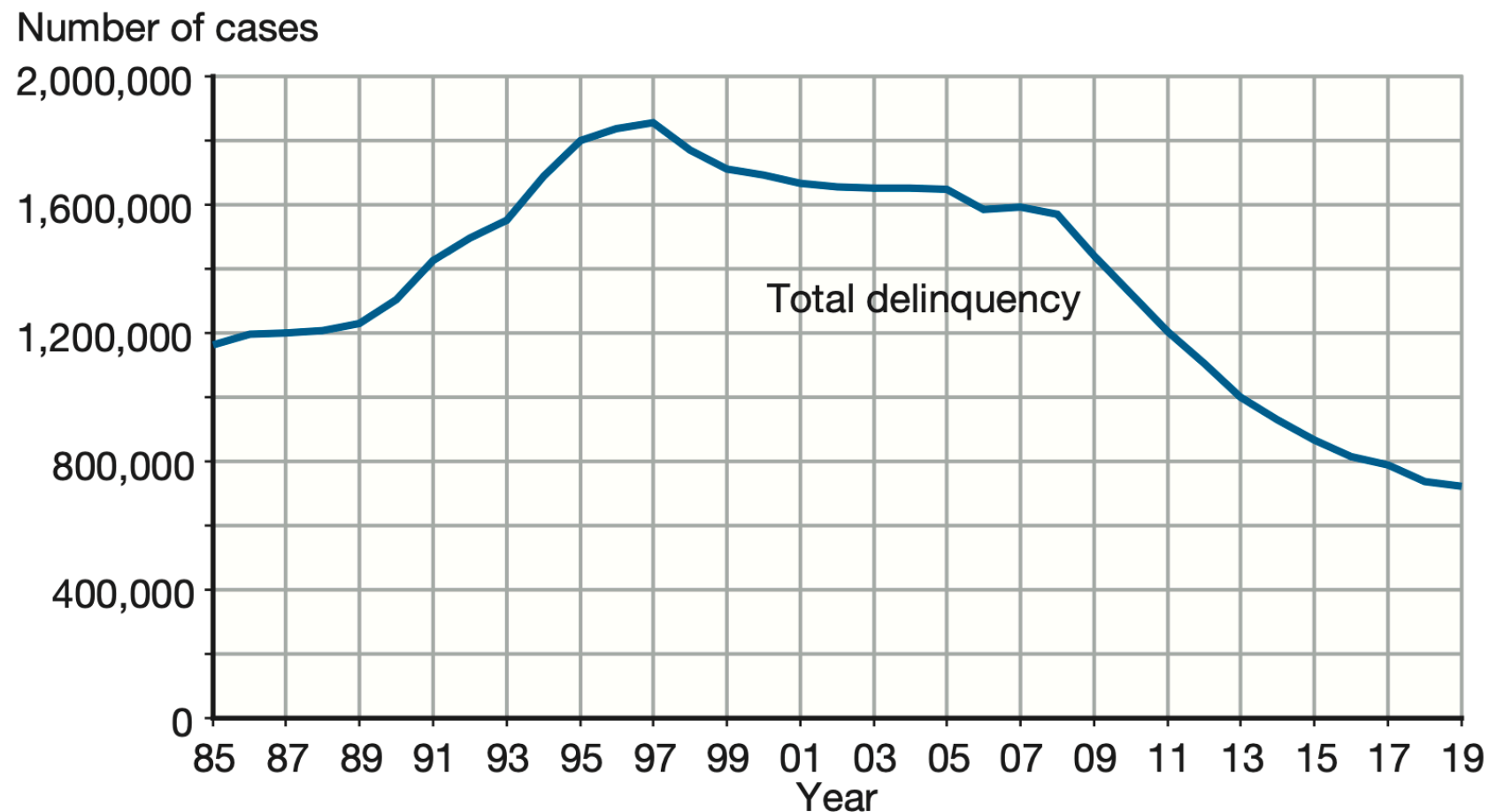


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Delinquency cases by offense category

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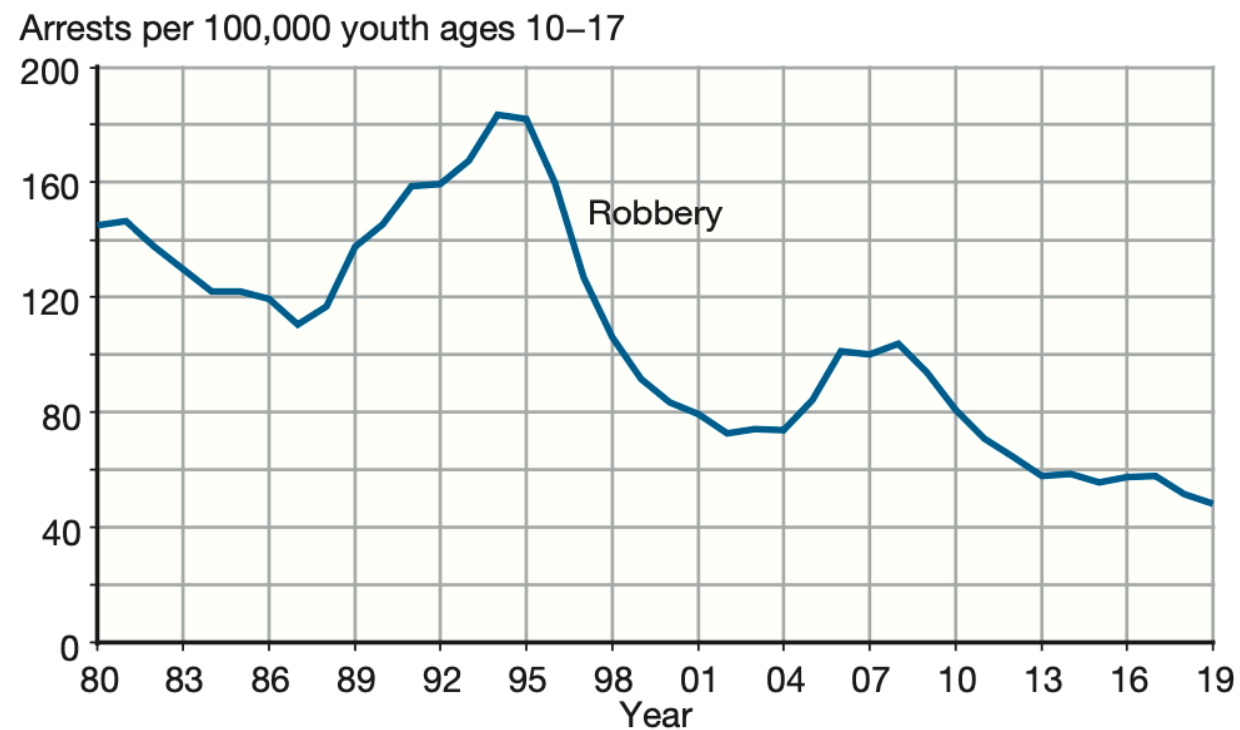
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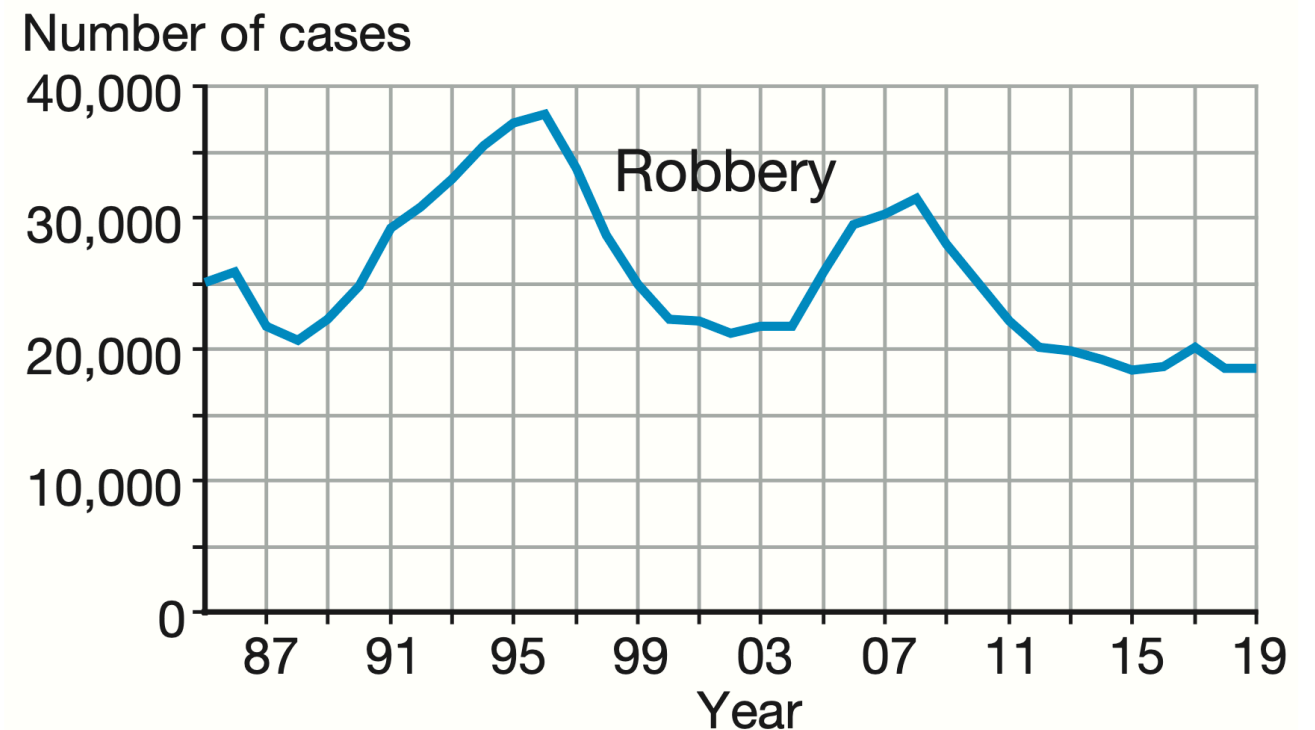
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Robbery Arrests & Juvenile Court Cases (both from your book)

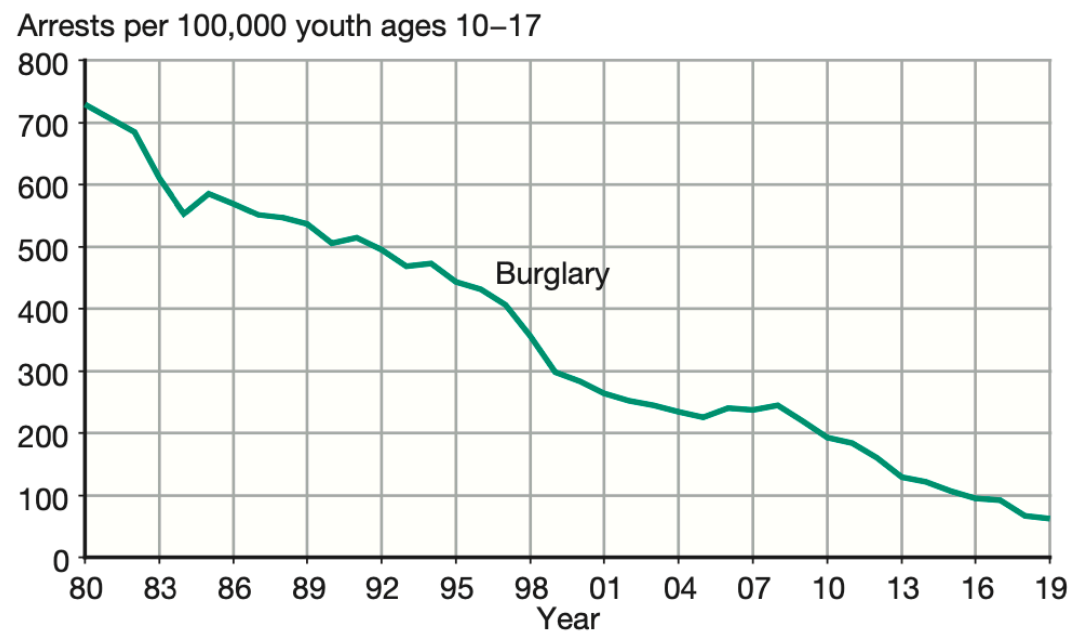


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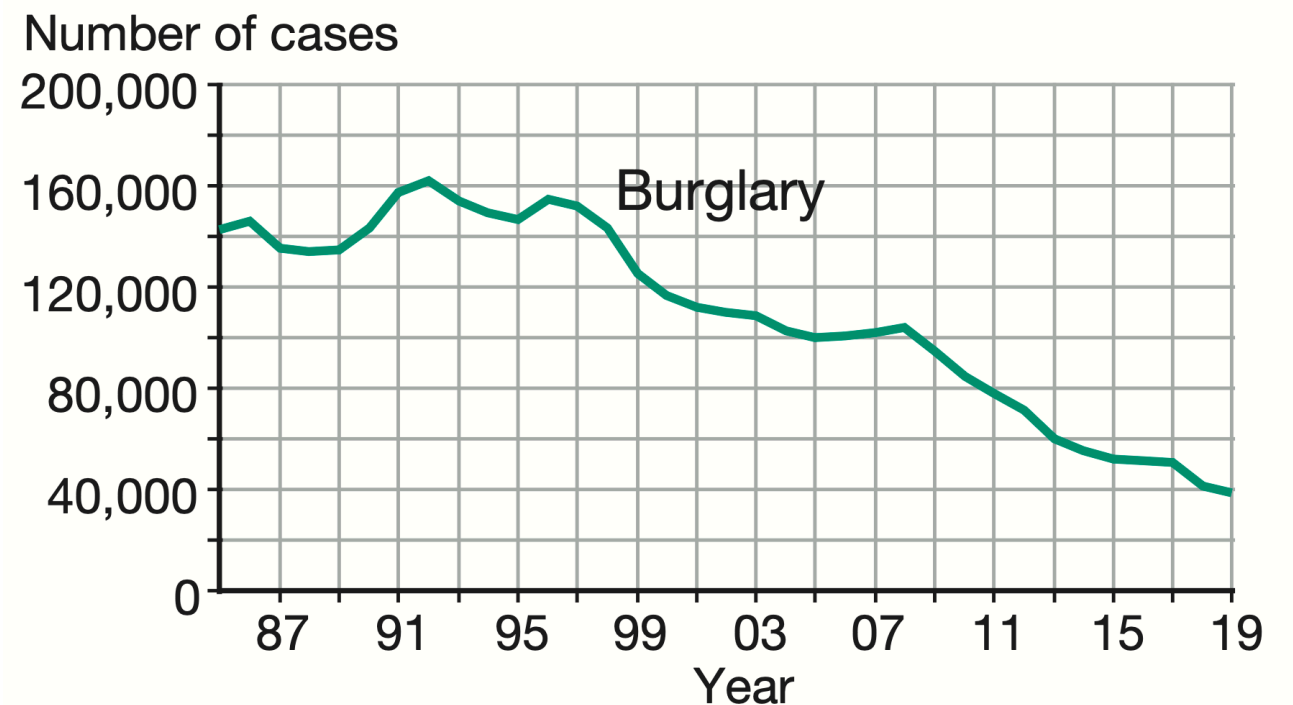


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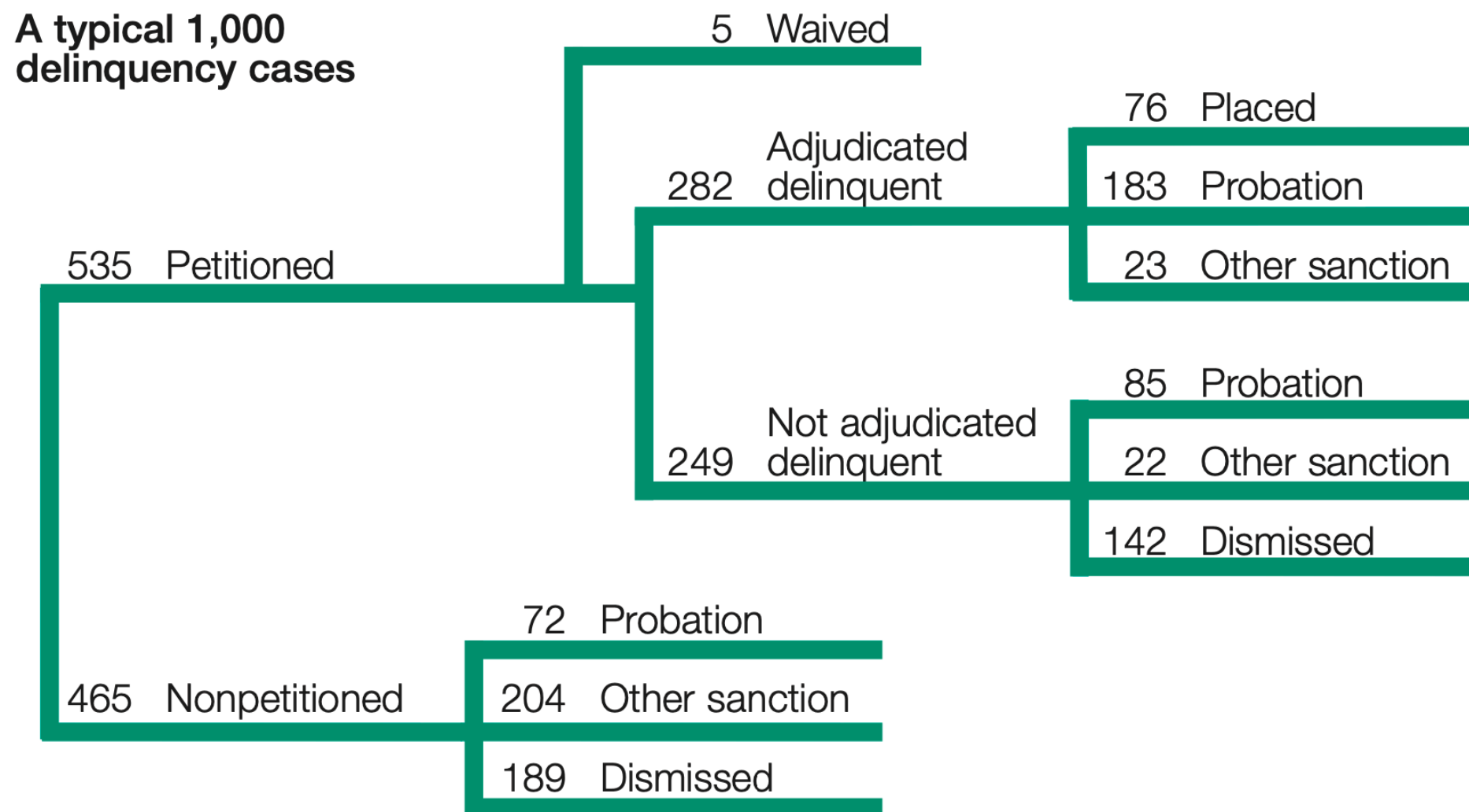


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Juvenile Court Case Flowchart (p. 158 in your book)



Notes: Cases are categorized by their most severe or restrictive sanction. Detail may not add to totals because of rounding. Annual case processing flow diagrams for 1985 through 2010 are available online at ojjdp.gov/ojstatbb/court/faqs.asp.