

# RFSSL CRIME REPORT (ANNUAL REPORT, 2024.)



## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

For the purposes of this report, a total of twelve counties were randomly sampled as a representation of the entire population inclusive of the gazetted cities within the republic of Kenya.

The year 2024 witnessed a general increase in different forms of crime some of which were highlighted and made headlines in the mainstream.

A total of **45989** crime related incidents were recorded in the year 2024 and reported to the various law enforcement agencies within the republic. This is a **23.74%** rise in criminal activities within the sample population in comparison to the criminal activities that were reported in the year 2023 which stood at **37166** cases.

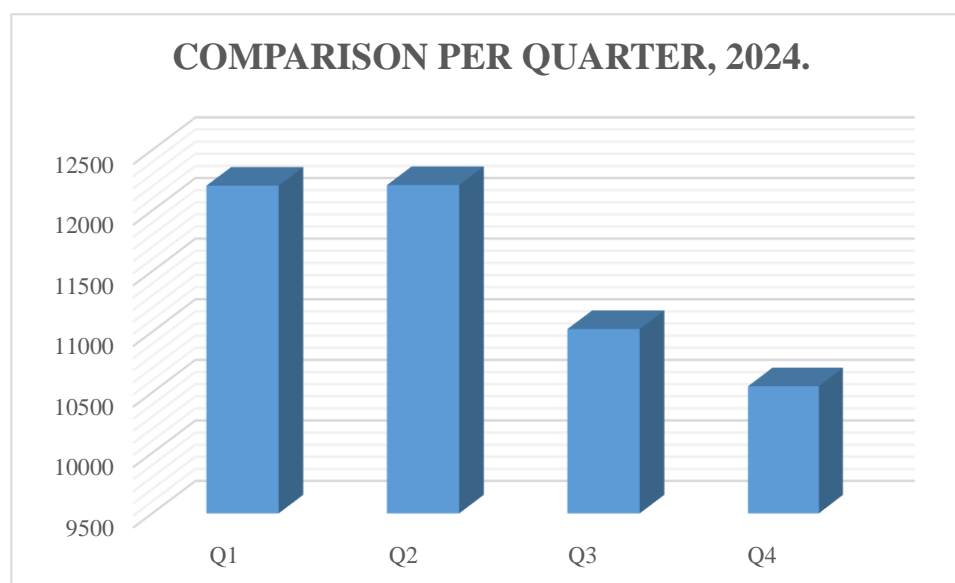
Most of the criminal activities were witnessed in the first half of the year 2024, whereby a total of **12205** criminal cases and **12210** criminal cases were recorded in the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quarters of the year 2024 respectively. On the other hand, a total of **11023** criminal cases and **10551** criminal cases were recorded in the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarters of the year respectively.

This is equally the trend that was taken in criminal activities that were witnessed across the gazetted cities within the Republic of Kenya.

### *Crime statistics per quarter: 2024.*

	<b>Q1</b>	<b>Q2</b>	<b>Q3</b>	<b>Q4</b>
<b>2024</b>	12205	12210	11023	10551

### *Graphical presentation of Crime Data per Quarter: 2024.*



A total of **20722** criminal cases were reported within the cities of Nairobi, Kisumu, Mombasa and Nakuru in the year 2024. This is a **6.78%** rise in crime reported within these cities compared to the year 2023 crime statistics whereby a total of **19406** cases were reported.

In the 1<sup>st</sup> half of the year 2024, a total of **24415** incidents were reported, this is **41.41%** higher compared to the number of incidents that were recorded during a similar period in the year 2023 whereby a total of **17265** incidents were recorded. On the other hand, a total of **21574** incidents were recorded in the second half of the year 2024 which is **8.41%** higher than the total number of incidents that were recorded within a similar period in the year 2023.

*1<sup>st</sup> half of 2023/ 2024 crime statistics comparison:*

2023/2024 1ST HALF YEAR COMPARISON				
	2023	2024	Diff	% Diff
General Crime Trend	17265	24415	7150	41.41% +ve
Cities	9113	11280	2167	23.78% +ve

*2<sup>nd</sup> half of 2023/ 2024 crime statistics comparison:*

2023/2024 2ND HALF YEAR COMPARISON				
	2023	2024	Diff	% Diff
General Crime Trend	19901	21574	1673	8.41% +ve
Cities	10293	9442	-851	8.27% -ve

Homicide cases were noted to have dropped in the year 2024 whereby a total of **486** cases were recorded compared to **500** cases that were recorded in the year 2023 representing a **2.80%** drop.

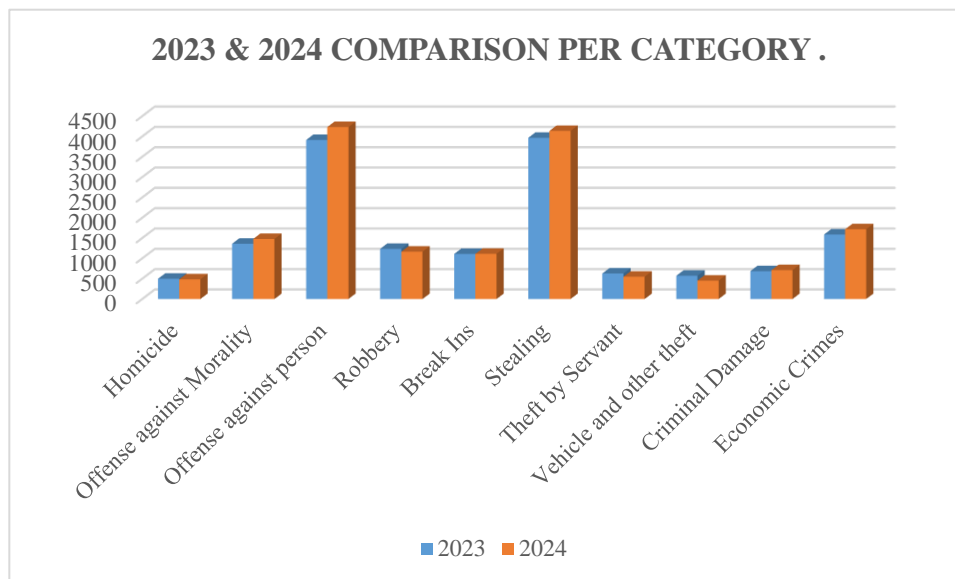
The other categories of crime that witnessed a general drop in cases in the crime statistic for the year 2023 and 2024 are: Robbery with violence cases which witnessed a **5.59%** drop in the number of cases reported in 2024 compared to 2023, theft by servants witnessing a **12.72%** drop in the number of cases reported in 2024 compared to 2023 and theft of motor vehicle, theft from motor vehicles and theft of motor vehicle parts which witnessed a **21.08%** drop in cases reported in 2024 compared to the crime statistics under this category in 2023.

On the other hand, crimes falling under the category of offenses against morality recorded the highest percentage increase in the number of incidents recorded in the year 2024 at **8.74%** increase compared to the crime statistics under this category in 2023. Similar, crimes under the category of offenses against persons, break ins, stealing, criminal damage and economic crimes recorded a net percentage increase in crime statistics for 2024 compared to 2023 at **8.15%**, **0.18%**, **4.31%**, **3.79%** and **8.12%** increase respectively.

*Crime statistics comparison per year: 2023 & 2024:*

<b>2023 &amp; 2024 COMPARISON PER CATEGORY.</b>				
	<b>2023</b>	<b>2024</b>	<b>Diff</b>	<b>% Diff</b>
Homicide	500	486	-14	2.80% -ve
Offense against Morality	1361	1480	119	8.74% +ve
Offense against person	3913	4232	319	8.15% +ve
Robbery	1234	1165	-69	5.59% -ve
Break Ins	1110	1112	2	0.18% +ve
Stealing	3966	4137	171	4.31% +ve
Theft by Servant	629	549	-80	12.72% -ve
Vehicle and other theft	574	453	-121	21.08% -ve
Criminal Damage	686	712	26	3.79% +ve
Economic Crimes	1588	1717	129	8.12% +ve

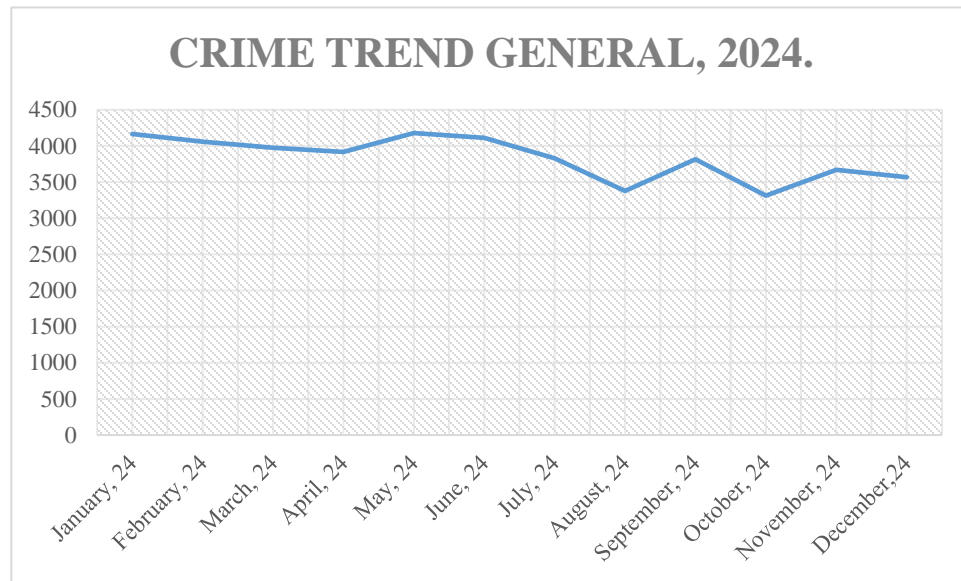
*Graphical presentation of Data crime per category: 2023 & 2024:*



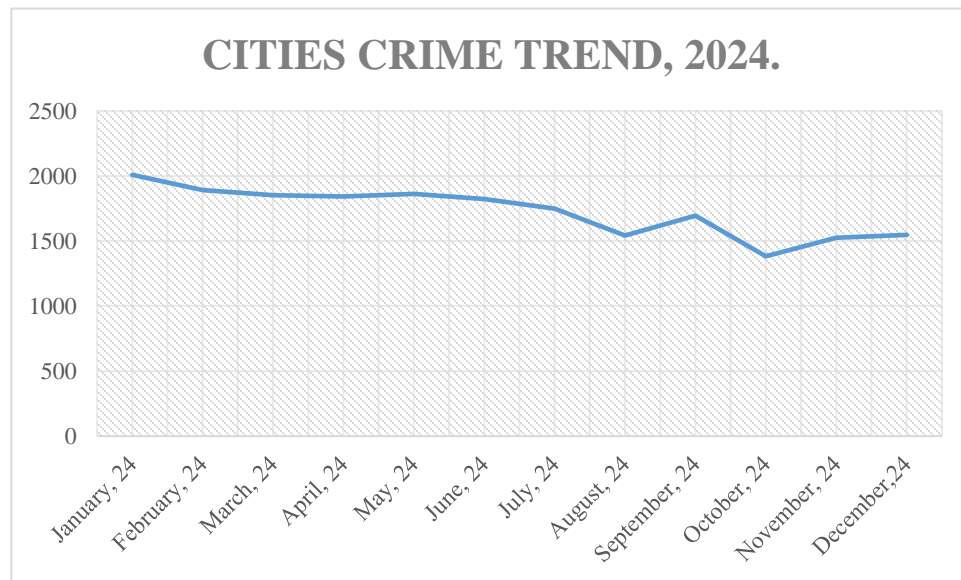
In the general crime trend for the year 2024, the most number of criminal activities were recorded in the month of May whereby a total of **4179** incidents were recorded. On the other hand, the least number of criminal activities were witnessed in the month of October whereby a total of **3313** incidents were recorded.

Below is a line graph representation of crime data under different sections:

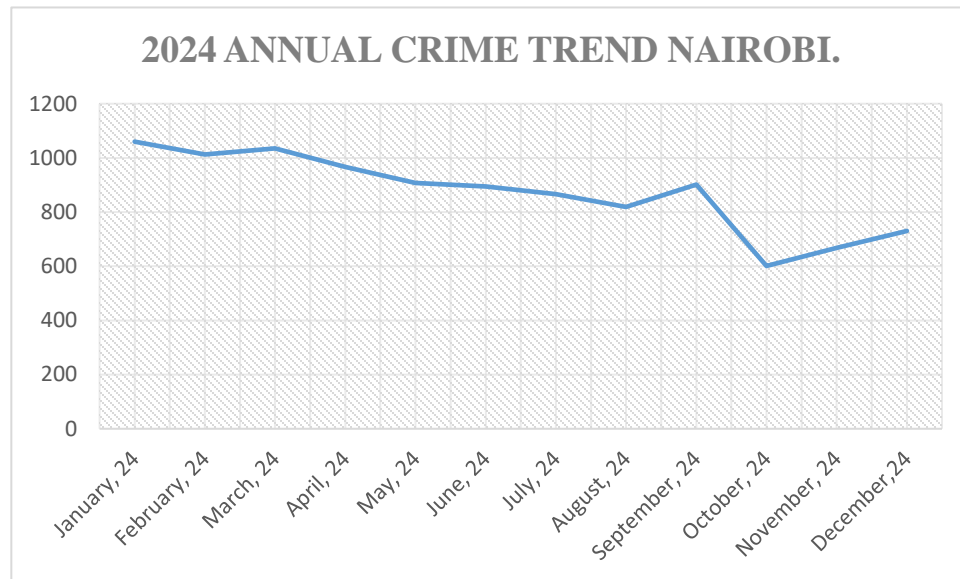
*General Crime trend: Sample population, 2024:*



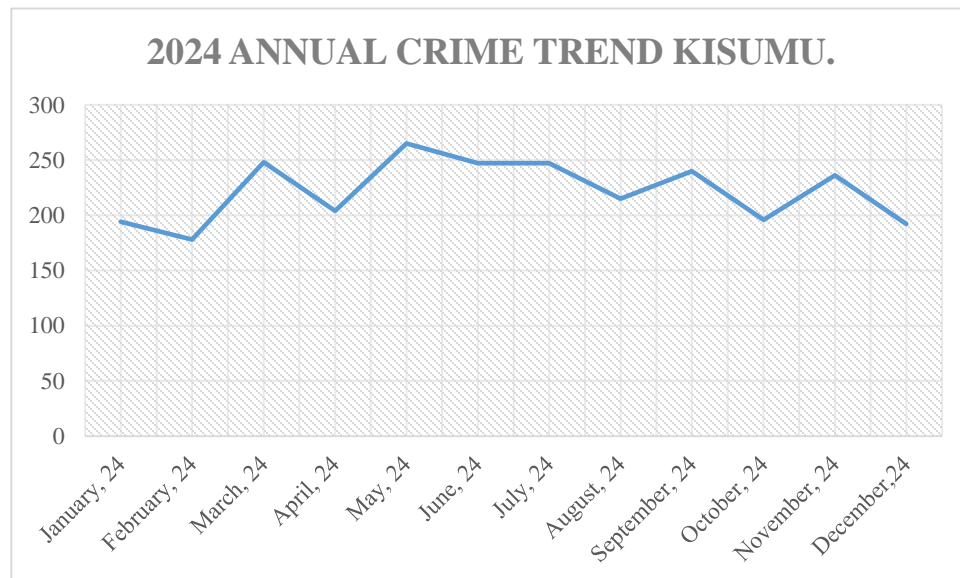
*General Crime Trend: Cities, 2024:*



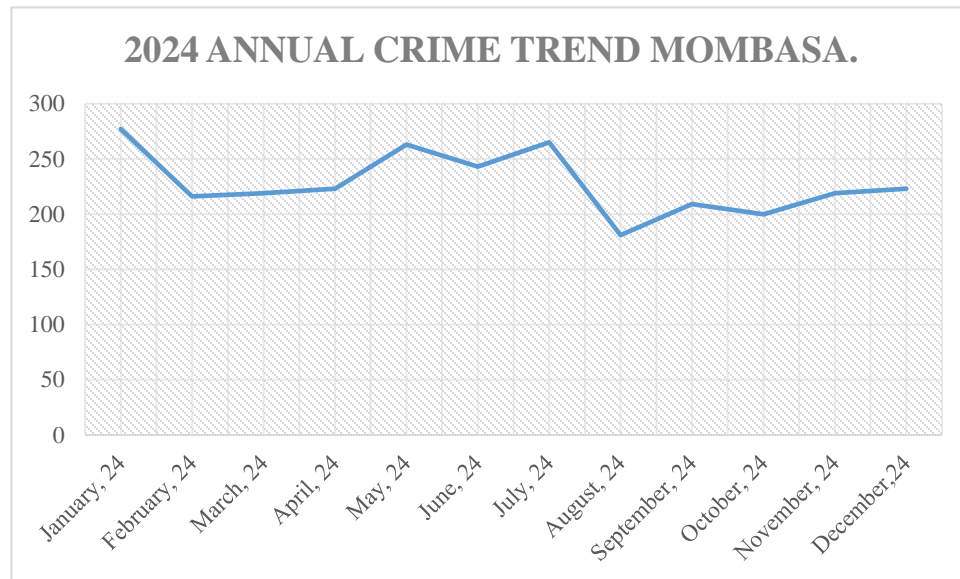
*Crime Trend: Nairobi City, 2024:*



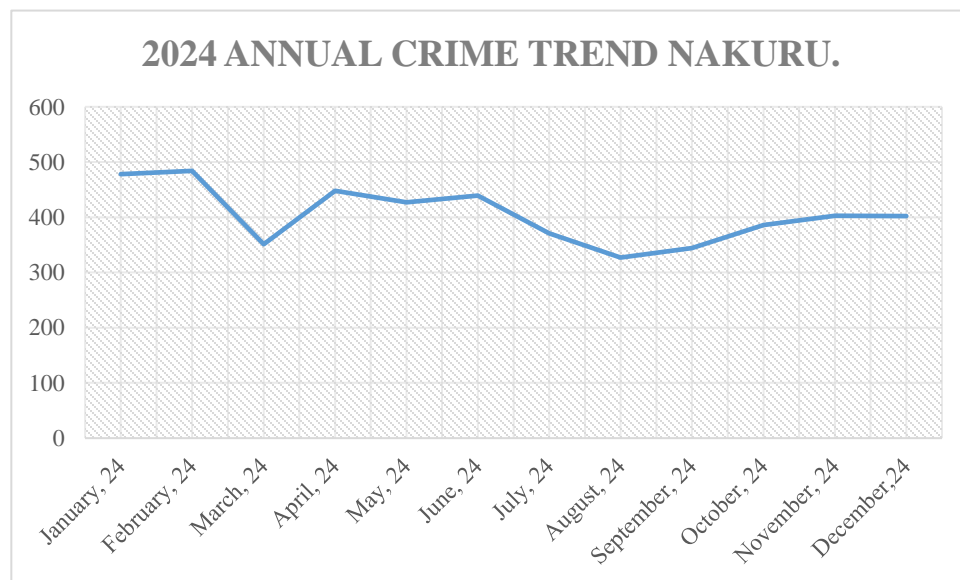
*Crime Trend: Kisumu City, 2024:*



*Crime Trend: Mombasa City, 2024:*



*Crime Trend: Nakuru City, 2024:*



**CRIME ANALYSIS PER DIVISION: CITIES DECEMBER, 2024:**

**The Nairobi County:**

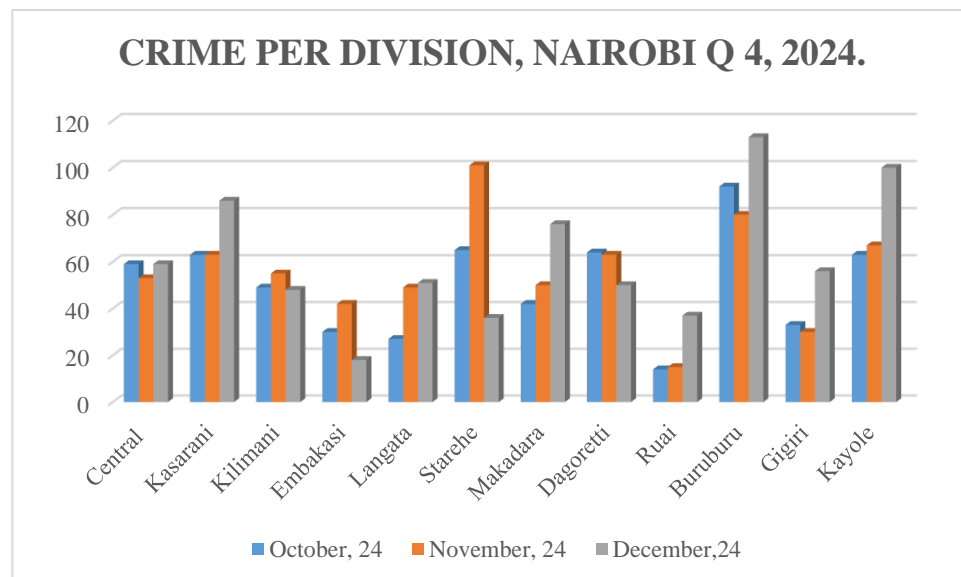
In the Nairobi City, a total of **730** incidents were recorded in the month of December, 2024. This is a **9.28%** rise in crime rate within the Nairobi County compared to the crime statistics for the month of November, 2024.

It is further worth noting that in Nairobi County, the most number of incidents in any particular month were recorded in the month of December.

Unlike the previous month of November, 2024 whereby crime was most prevalent in the Starehe Division of Nairobi County with a total of **101** cases were recorded, in the month of December, 2024 crime was most prevalent in the Buruburu Division of the Nairobi County whereby a total of **113** criminal cases were recorded. On the other hand, the least number of cases were recorded in Embakasi Division whereby a total of **18** criminal cases were recorded.

It is worth noting that in the last quarter of the year 2024, the Kasarani Division, Langata Division, Makadara Division, Ruai Division and Kayole Division recorded a steady rise in crime.

*Graphical presentation of Crime Data per Division: Nairobi:*



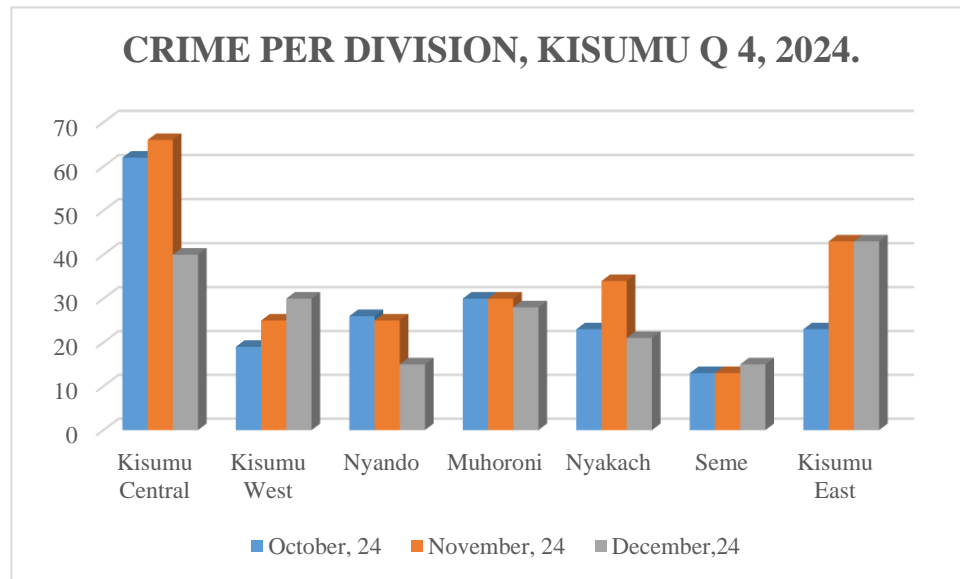
**The Kisumu County:**

The Kisumu County recorded an **18.64%** drop in crime rate in the period between November and December, 2024. A total of **192** criminal cases were recorded in the month of December, 2024 compared to **236** cases that were recorded in November.

The most number of incidents were recorded in Kisumu Central Division whereby a total of **40** incidents were recorded. This is however, a **39.39%** drop in crime rate in Kisumu Central Division in comparison to the November crime statistics. The least number of incidents were recorded in Nyando and Seme Division which recorded **15** incidents each. The Kisumu West, Seme & Kisumu East Police Divisions recorded a steady rise in criminal activities in the last quarter of 2024. On the other hand, the Nyando Police Division recorded a steady decline in crime rate of the last three months of the year 2024.



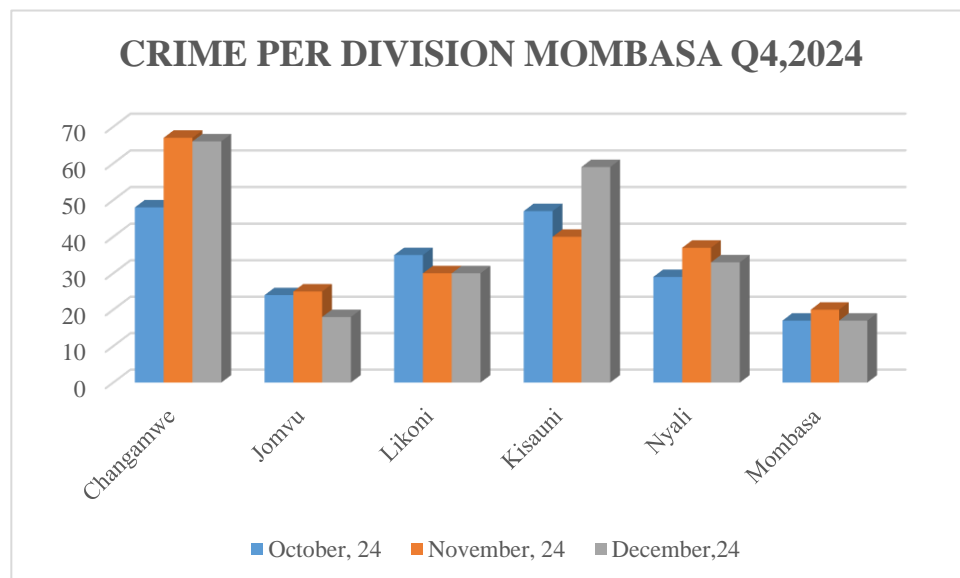
*Graphical presentation of Crime Data per Division: Kisumu:*



**The Mombasa County:**

A **1.83%** rise in crime rate was noted in Mombasa in the month of December compared to November. A total of **223** cases were recorded in December compared to **219** cases that were recorded in November. In the last three months of the year 2024, the Mombasa County has witnessed a rising trend in crime. The most number of incidents were recorded in Changamwe Police Division whereby a total of **66** incidents were recorded. This is a **1.49%** drop in criminal activities in Changamwe in the month of December compared to November.

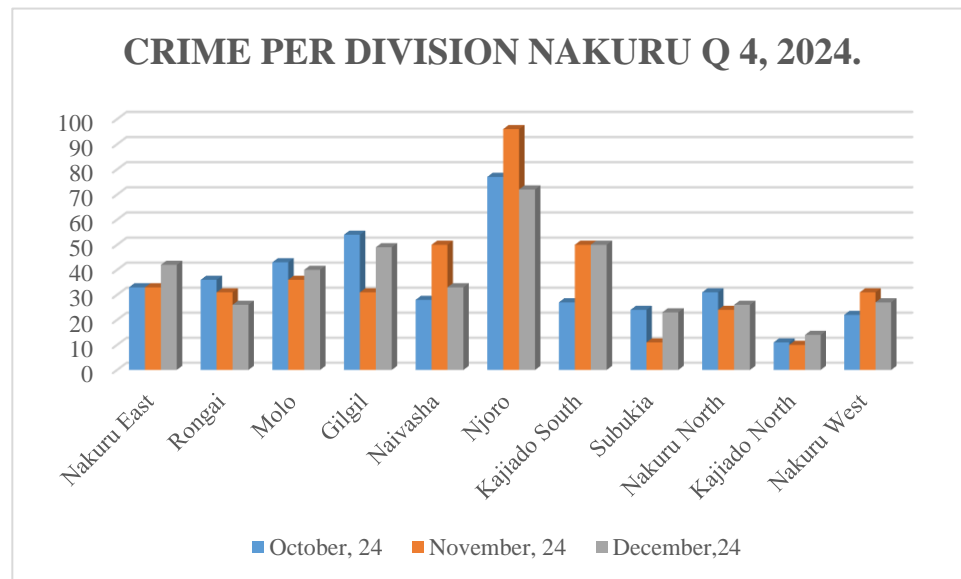
*Graphical presentation of Crime Data per Division: Mombasa:*



### The Nakuru County:

Within the Nakuru County, a total of **402** criminal cases were recorded in December 2024. This is a drop by **0.25%** compared to the crime statistics for the month of November.

*Graphical presentation of Crime Data per Division: Nakuru:*



In the period under review, crime was most prevalent in the Njoro Police Division whereby a total of **72** criminal cases were reported. This constitutes **17.91%** of the total number of incidents that were recorded within the Nakuru County in the period under review.

On the other hand, crime was least prevalent in the Kajiado North Police Division whereby a total of only **14** criminal cases were reported to the various law enforcement agencies within the Division.

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