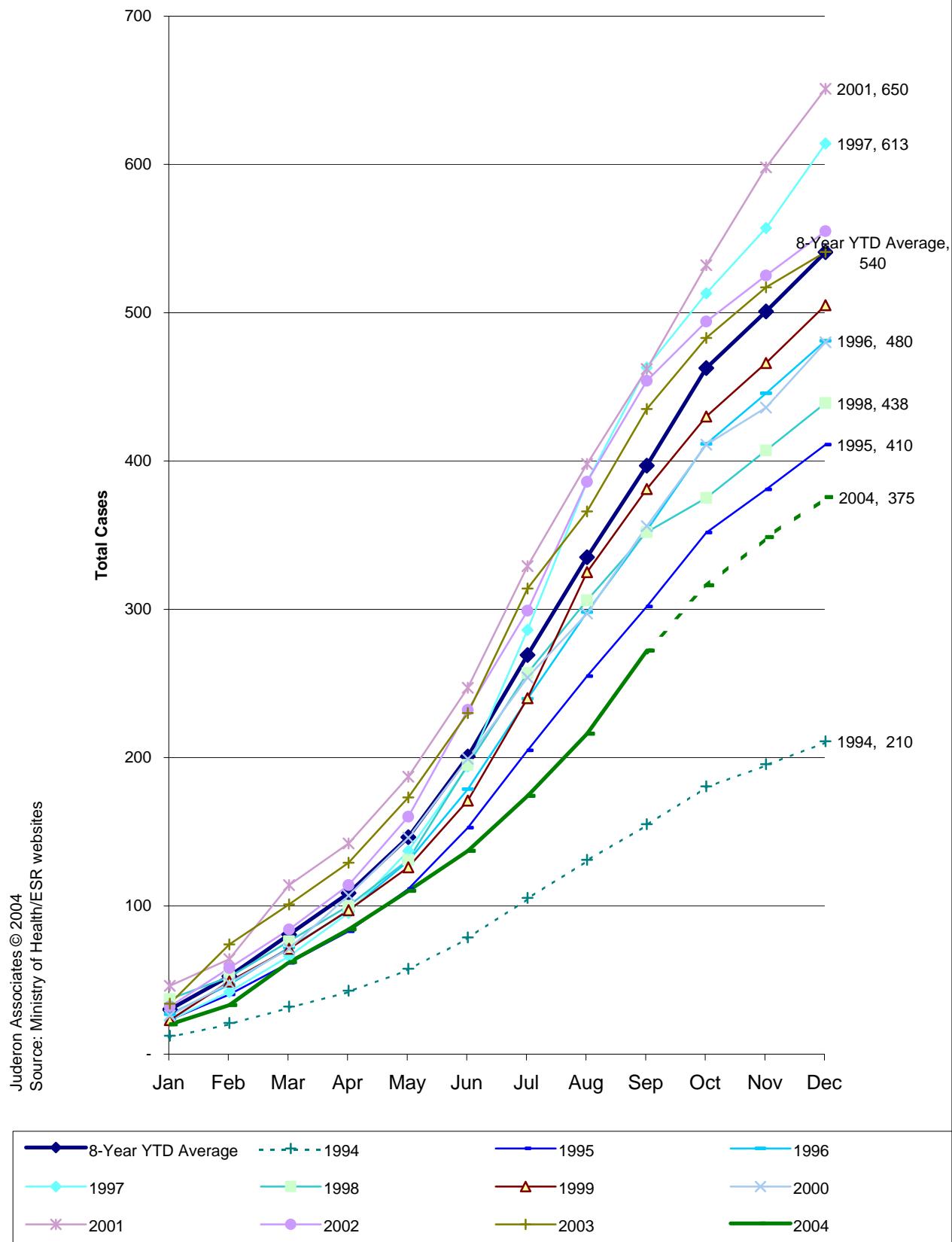
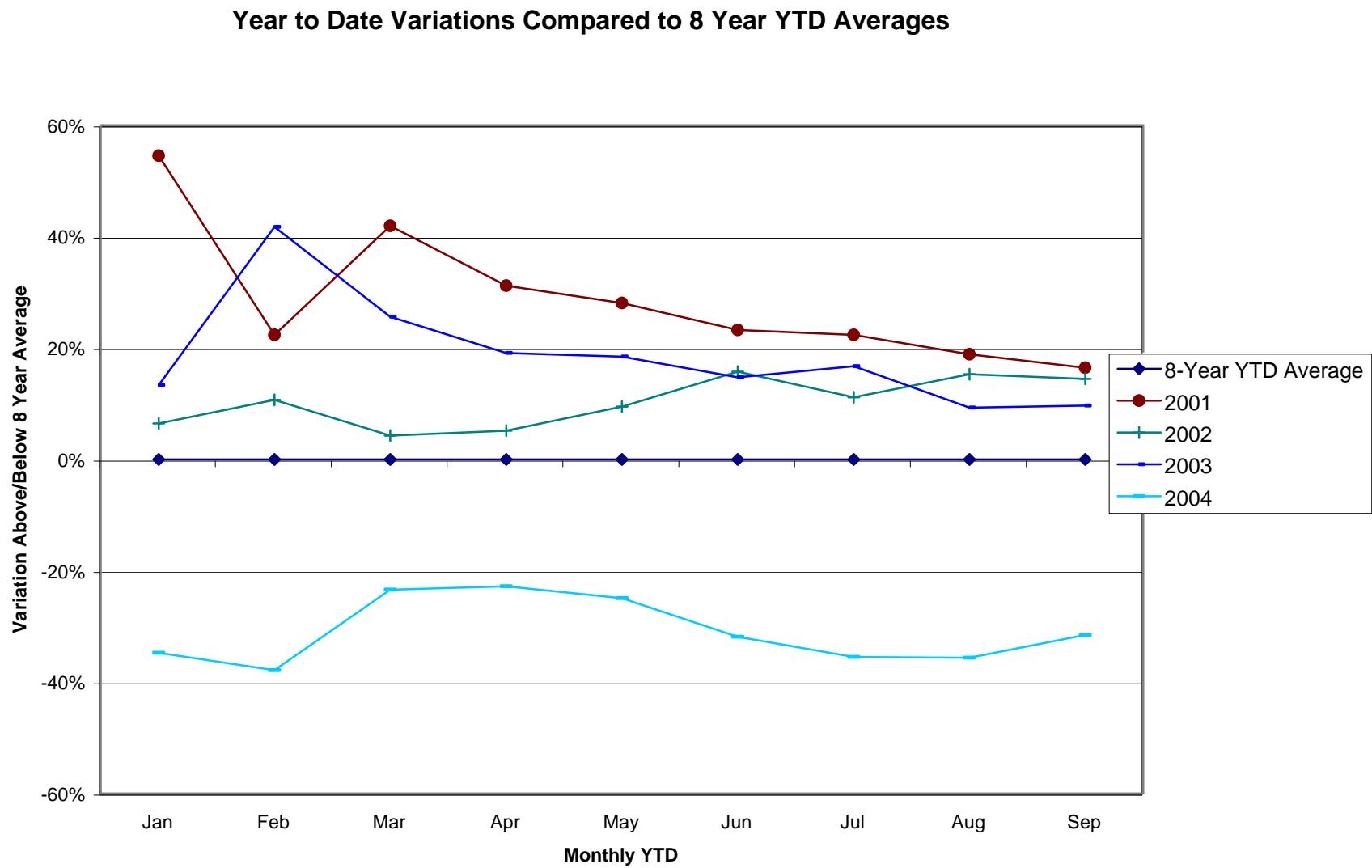


Total Meningococcal Disease Cases in New Zealand 1994-2004

2004 at 10-Year Low

(2004 Total estimated using 8 Year Total Average/8YTD Ave@Sept X 2004 YTD@Sept)

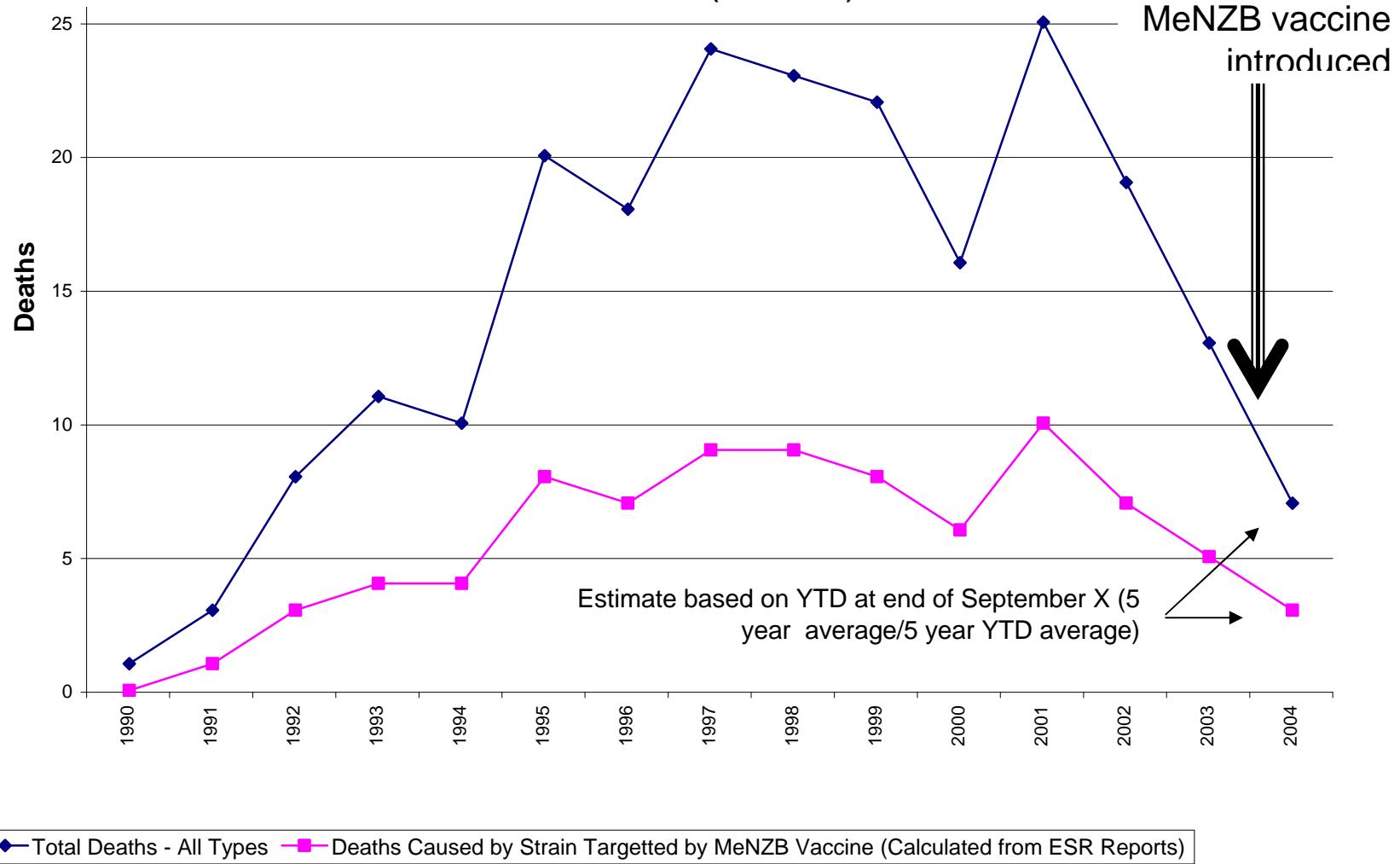


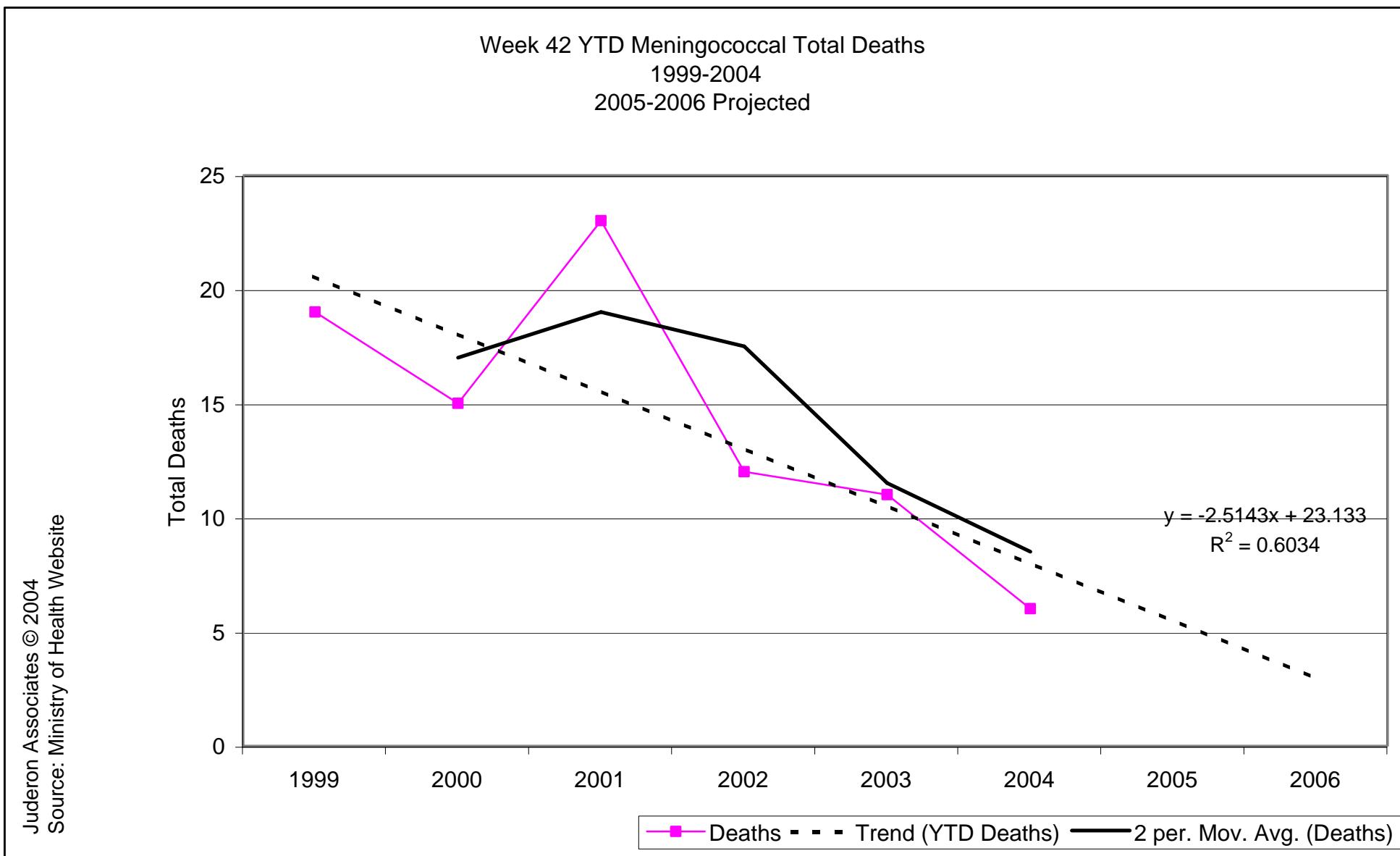


Meningococcal Deaths at 13 Year Low

Deaths due to the MeNZB strain have been calculated using proportion of Cases Confirmed and Case Fatality Rates;
There were 5 deaths due to the MeNZB Strain in 2003 (38% of total)

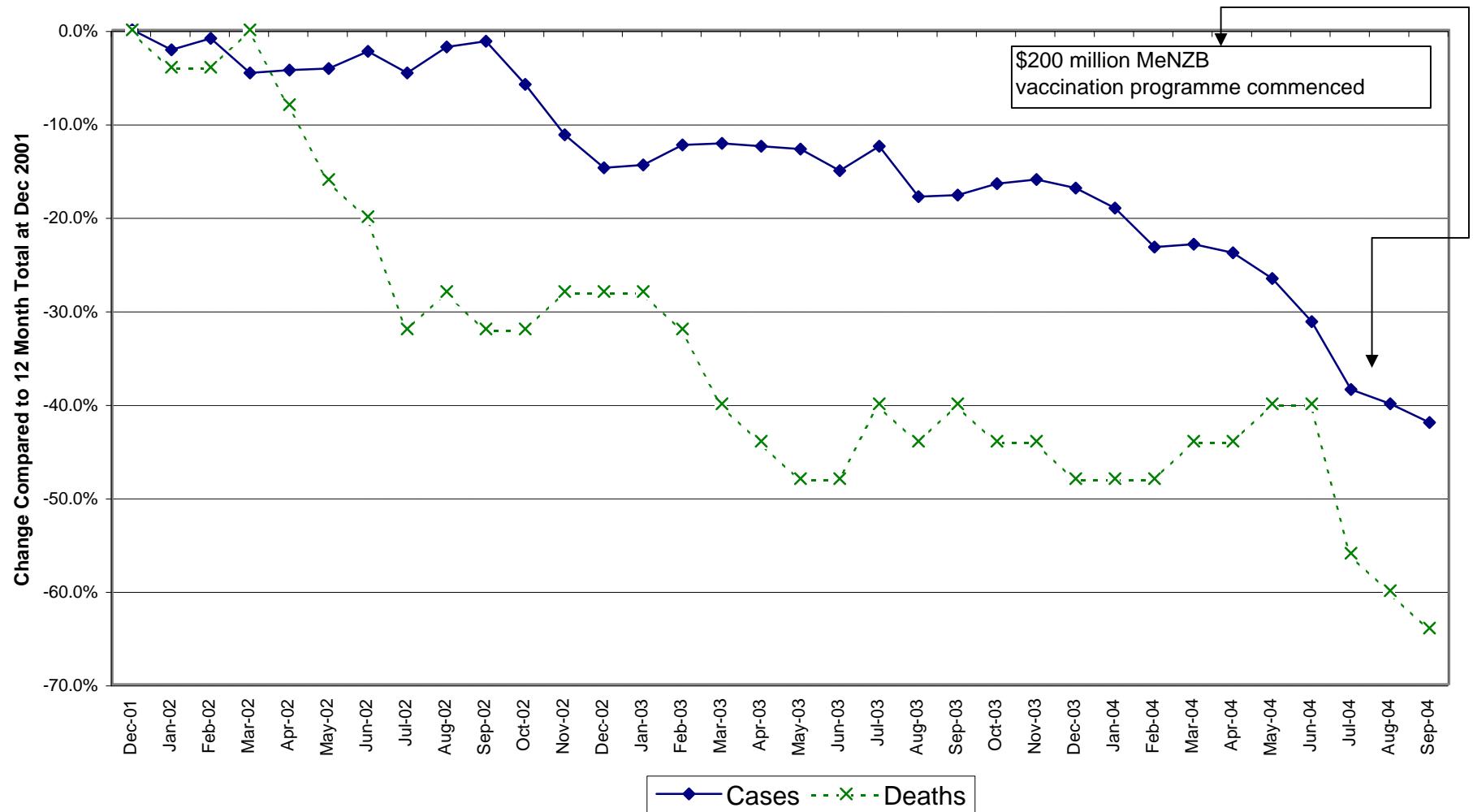
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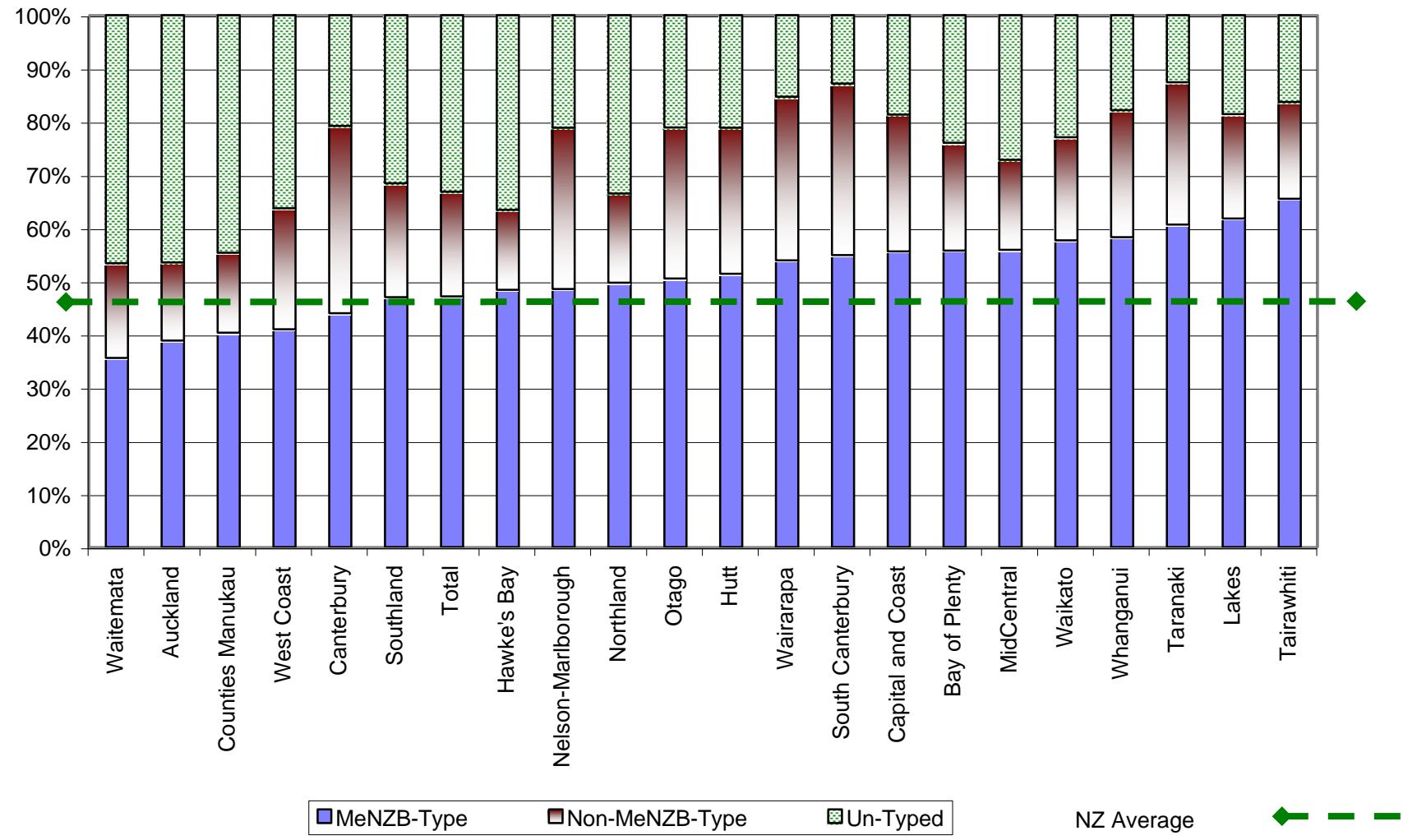
Decline in Meningococcal Disease in New Zealand

Rolling 12 Month Totals Compared to 12 Month Peak in Cases Dec 2001 (0%)



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Classification of Meningococcal Disease in New Zealand Typed/Untyped 1997-2004



Meningococcal Disease Cases 1990-2001 -- Median age

