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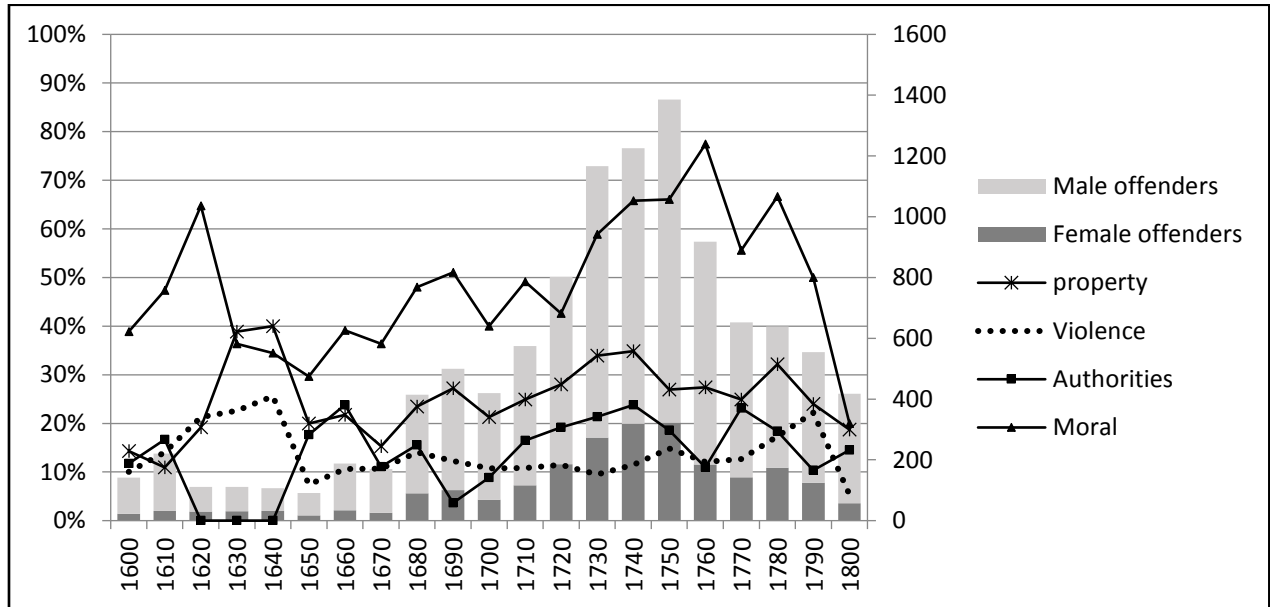
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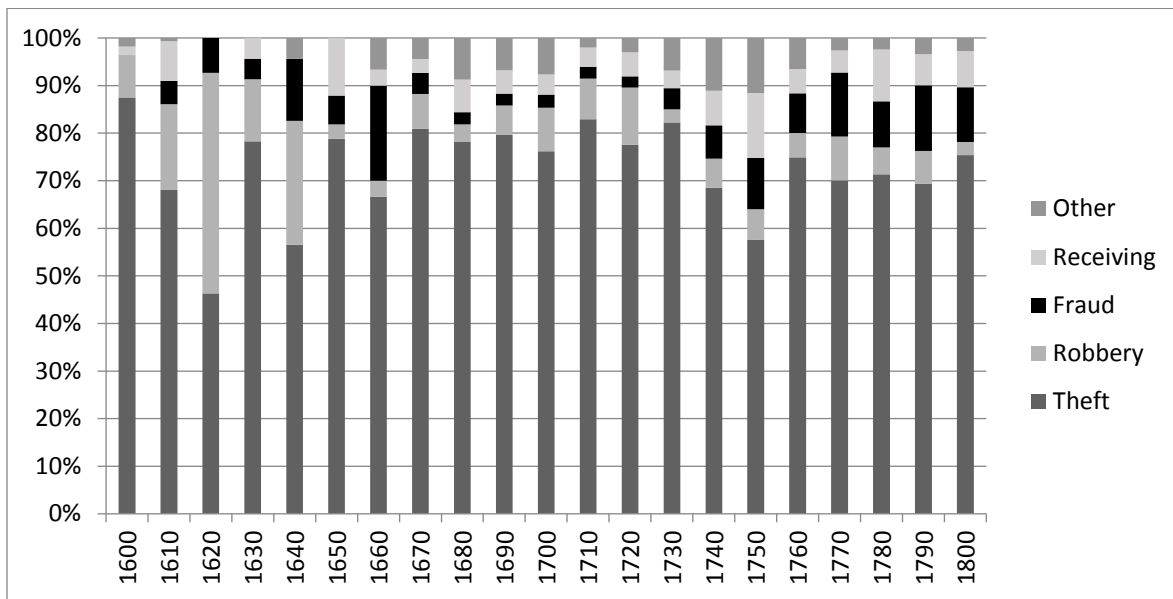
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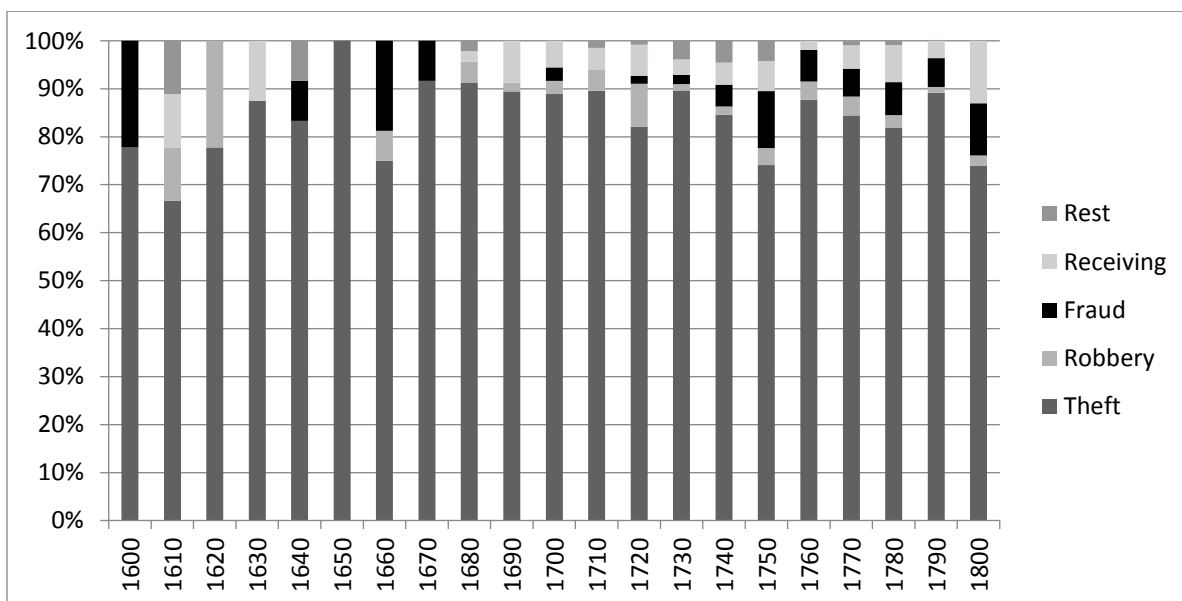
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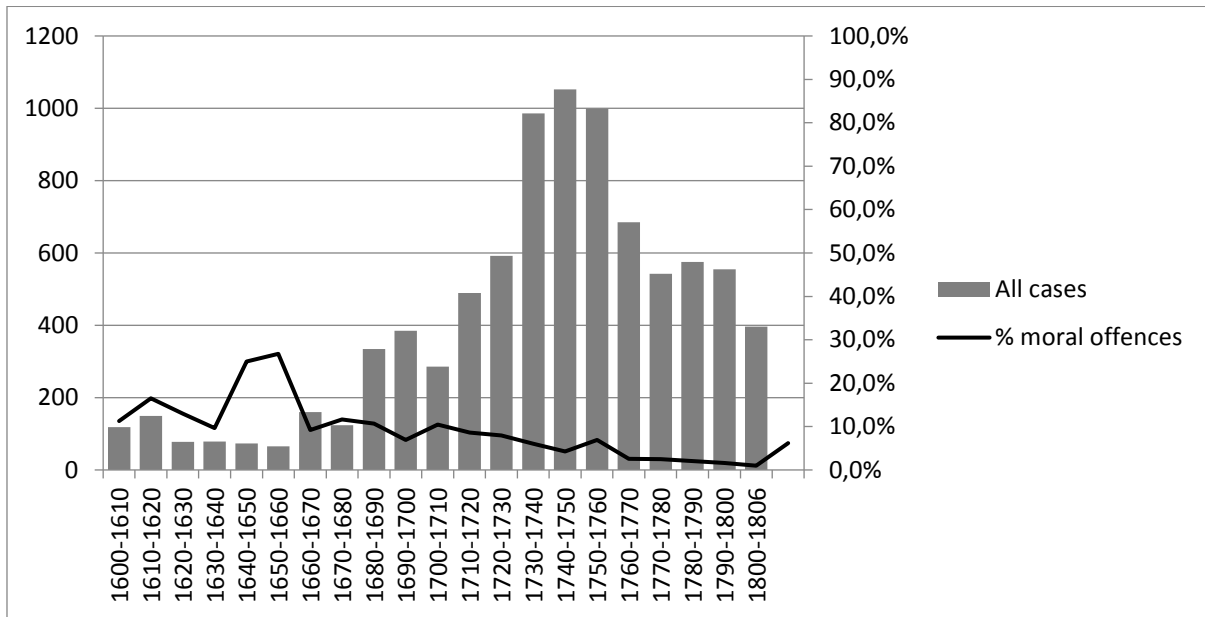
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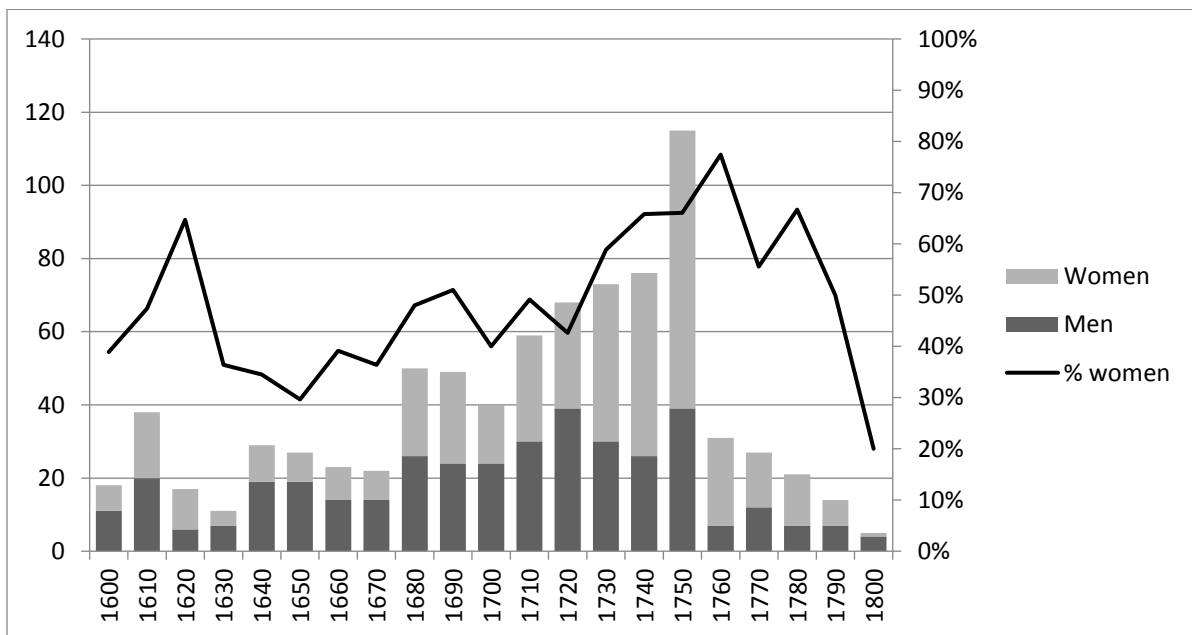
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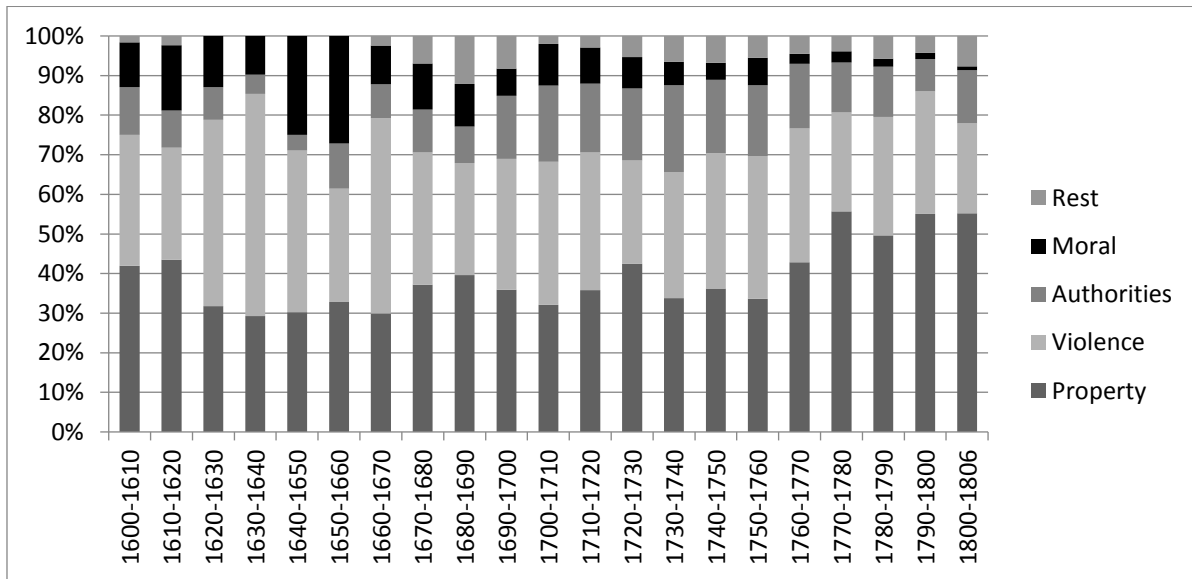
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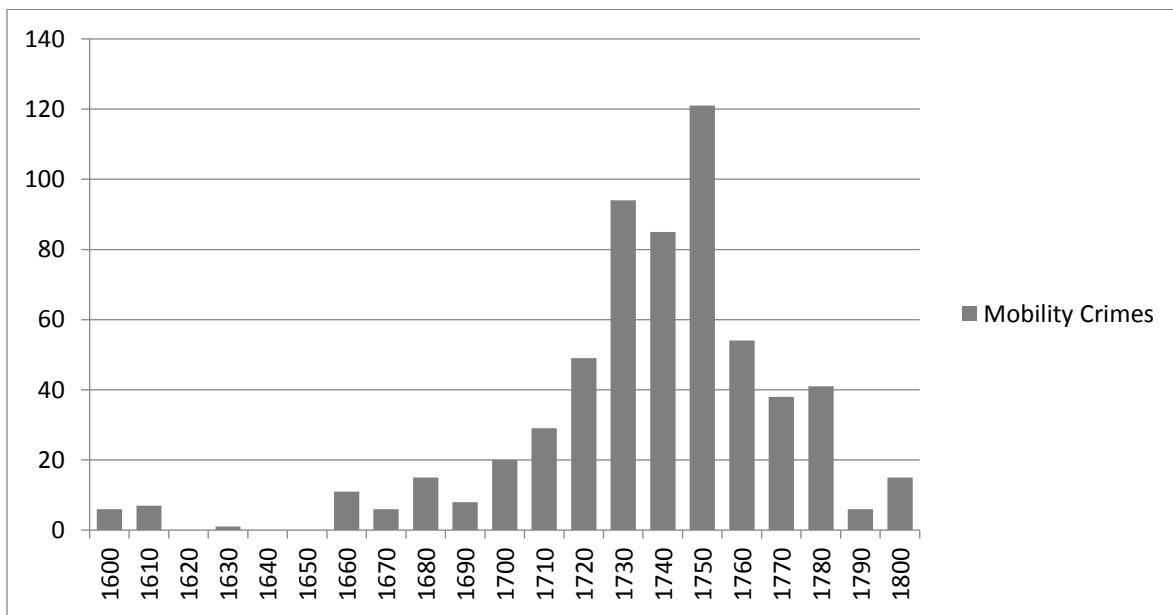
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Source: IfSG, Criminalia 1600-1806

Figure 26 Prosecution of mobility offences, Verhöramt



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Figure 27 Schematic overview of the criminal justice system in early modern Frankfurt

<p>High Court</p>	<p>City Council: jurisdiction to impose capital- and corporal punishments (<i>Peinliche Strafen</i>)</p> <p>Verhöramt: Acts as a court of enquiry for the city council to investigate capital- and corporal offences → inquisitorial procedure.</p>				
<p>Lower Courts</p>	<p>Verhöramt 1616 appointment of first <i>examinatorio ordinario</i></p> <p><u>Jurisdiction over:</u> 1. Offences punishable up to 3 months in prison/forced labour and/or simple expulsion for vagrants. 2. Offences punishable with monetary fines and private imprisonment (<i>‘bürgerliche Gefängnisstrafe’</i>) in case of citizens.</p>	<p>Frevelgericht Established in 1580s to unburden the <i>Schöffengericht</i> (until +/- 1650s).</p> <p><u>Jurisdiction over:</u> Verbal and physical violence (that did not result in serious injury)</p>	<p>Sendamt/Konsistorium Established 1530/1726</p> <p><u>Jurisdiction over:</u> Moral offences (fornication; adultery; lewdness etc.)</p>	<p>Landamt Established as a central lower court for all villages early eighteenth century.</p> <p><u>Jurisdiction over:</u> 1. All petty offences in Frankfurt’s rural territories including the villages belonging to the city’s dominion (Bornheim; Bockenheim etc.). 2. Court of enquiry for penal offences in Frankfurt’s dominion.</p>	<p>Ackergericht Dating back to the middle ages</p> <p><u>Jurisdiction over:</u> Regulatory & administrative offences concerning agricultural fields, vegetable gardens, and vineyards etc. in the city; conflicts among landowners; minor property offences incl. theft of natural resources; poaching etc.</p>
<p>Executive officials/ urban offices with quasi-criminal jurisdiction</p>	<p>Oberster Richter: Dating back to middle ages</p> <p>Jurisdiction over: Minor quarrels and disputes (<i>‘Zänkereyen und geringe Streithändel’</i>) among common people (<i>‘gemeinen Leuten’</i>).</p>		<p>Bettelvögte/Armenknechte: Dating back to middle ages; from 1679 part of the personnel of the poorhouse.</p> <p>In charge of: Policing begging and vagrancy.</p>		<p>Baumeister: Jurisdiction over: Petty conflicts and crimes among Jews in the <i>Judengasse</i>.</p>

Table 24 Sexual offences investigated by the Verhöramt 1600-1806

Period	Total	Adultery	Bigamy	Fornication /Lewdness	Illegitimacy incl. secret births	Brothel keeping /procuring	Rape
1600-1609	14	6	3	3	0	1	0
1610-1619	28	7	3	13	2	3	0
1620-1629	11	5	0	6	0	0	0
1630-1639	8	3	1	0	1	0	0
1640-1649	19	13	1	1	8	0	0
1650-1659	19	10	2	2	2	0	2
1660-1669	15	9	0	6	3	1	1
1670-1679	15	1	2	4	2	1	2
1680-1689	37	6	6	11	6	1	1
1690-1699	27	4	1	8	6	3	1
1700-1709	31	5	5	4	5	4	2
1710-1719	41	7	10	9	5	0	3
1720-1729	49	6	6	10	10	2	4
1730-1739	60	3	4	20	11	5	6
1740-1749	44	0	3	12	13	6	5
1750-1759	72	5	3	14	33	9	3
1760-1769	18	2	0	5	9	1	0
1770-1779	14	3	0	0	11	1	2
1780-1789	12	1	0	1	5	0	0
1790-1799	9	1	0	0	1	2	2
1800-1806	4	0	0	1	0	1	0
Total	547	97	50	130	133	41	34

Source: *Criminalia* 1600-1806¹¹⁴²

¹¹⁴² As said in chapter III, the survival rate of *Criminalia* before 1680 is not 100%. This means that there could be a distortion in the quantitative developments of the prosecution practice of the authorities if we only take the *Criminalia* into account. However, the development largely corresponds with what is known based on data of the *Strafgebuch* (1562-1696) and the city council records, as described by Anja Johann, *Kontrolle mit Konsens*, 120-129; 220-240.

Table 25 Type of mobility offences, by gender, 1600-1806

	Begging/vagrancy		'Acting suspiciously'		Illegal return/ breaking banishment		Collecting alms with false documents		Gypsies		Total	
	N= 157		N = 107		N = 205		N = 103		N = 46		N = 618	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1600-1660	50%	50%	100%	0%	75%	25%	100%	0%	-	-	86%	14%
1650-1700	-	-	100%	0%	62%	38%	70%	30%	-	-	70%	30%
1700-1725	100%	0%	100%	0%	40%	60%	74%	36%	-	-	52%	48%
1725-1750	77%	23%	56%	44%	49%	51%	86%	14%	33%	67%	55%	45%
1750-1775	78%	22%	61%	39%	52%	48%	68%	32%	8%	92%	64%	36%
1775-1806	71%	29%	86%	14%	50%	50%	88%	12%	-	-	74%	26%

Source: IfSG, Criminalia 1600-1806

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