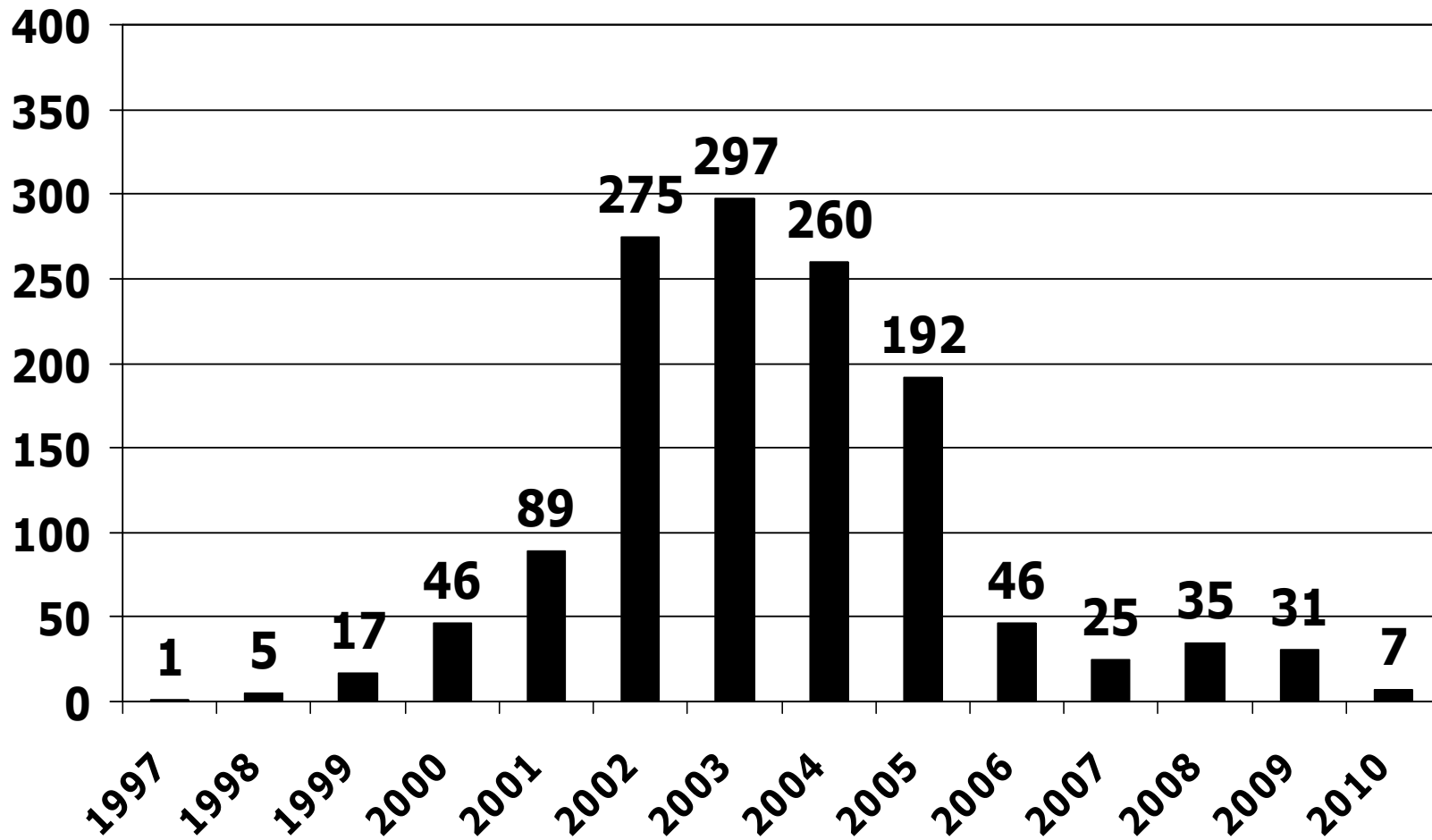


State of North Dakota Meth Lab Busts 1997 – 2010



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	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
2004	11	15	24	24	17	23	24	17	20	35	24	26
2005	17	33	30	40	27	8	10	6	13	4	1	3
2006	1	5	3	12	6	2	3	3	5	3	2	1
2007	1	3	2	4	2	1	2	2	2	1	5	0
2008	5	3	3	3	3	1	3	4	3	3	2	2
2009	1	4	5	3	4	3	2	1	4	3	1	0
2010	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0

- Monthly breakdowns not available prior to 2004.
- North Dakota's laws restricting sales of over-the-counter cold and allergy medicines containing pseudoephedrine and ephedrine took effect in 2003 and were made more restrictive in 2005. In 2006, the President signed the Combat Meth Act, which imposed additional requirements for retailers and consumers. The 2007 Legislature amended North Dakota's laws to more closely mirror federal laws.