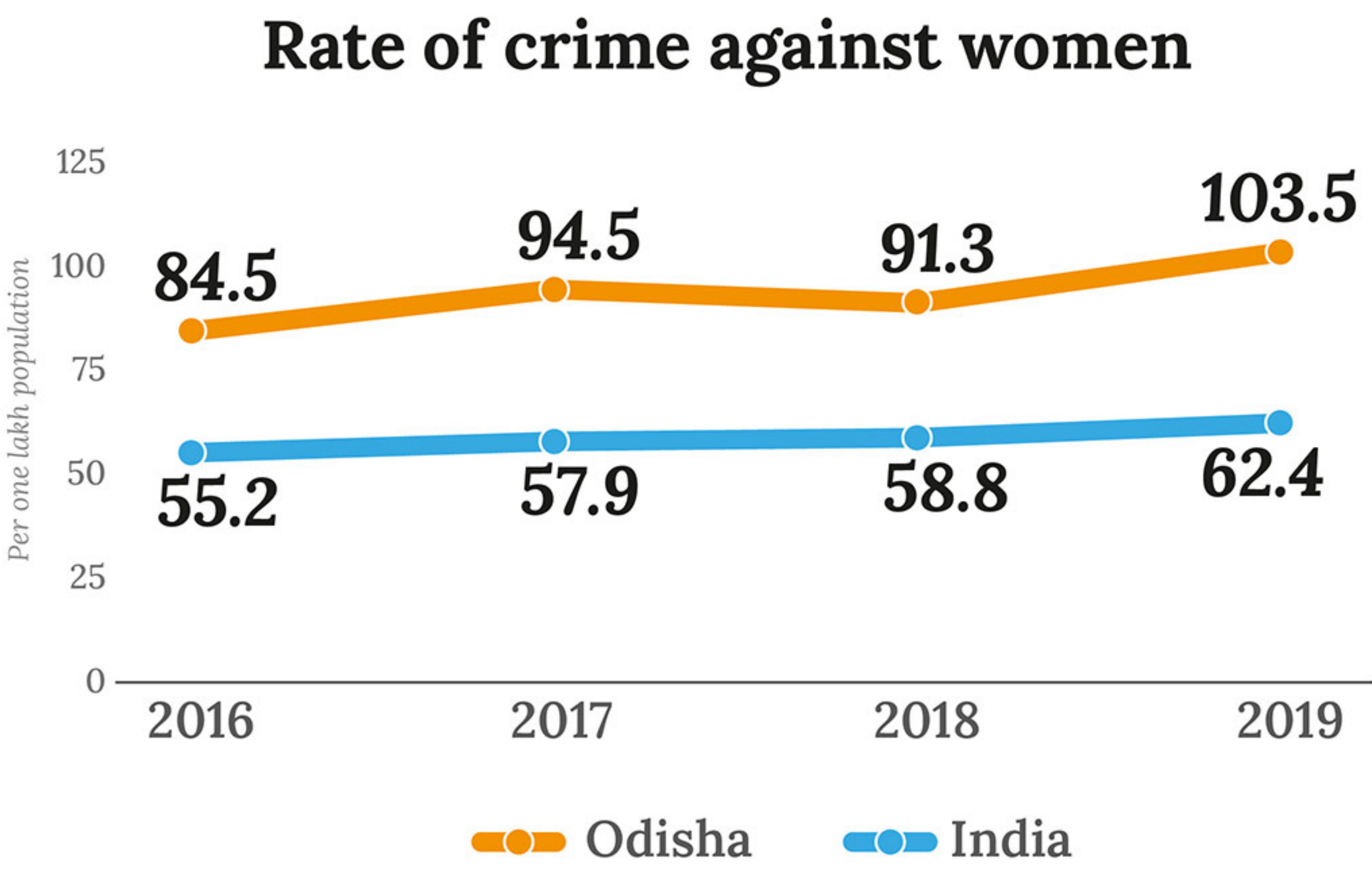


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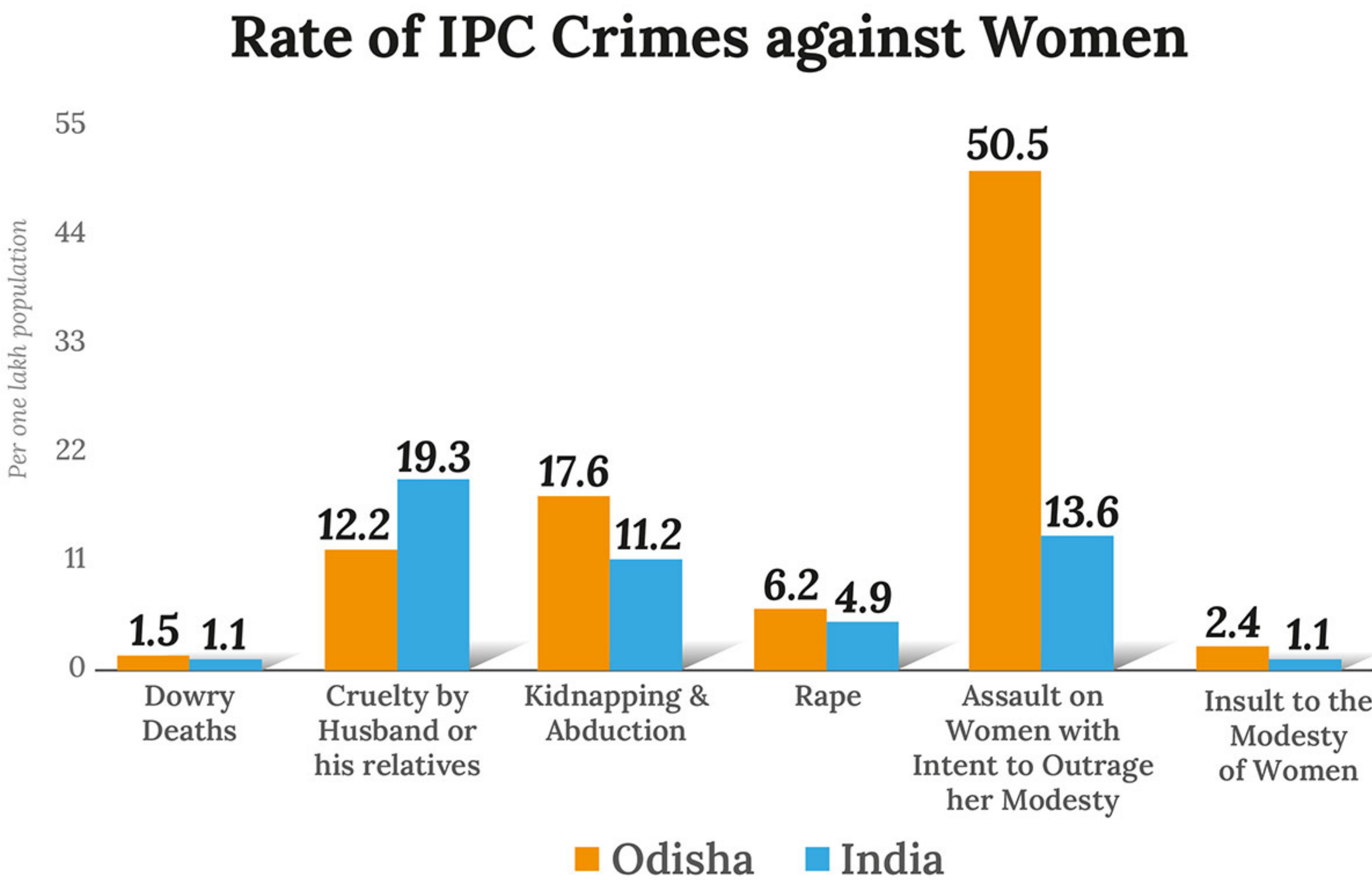
Odisha reported 6th highest rate of crime against women among 36 States and UTs in 2019.

- ▶ 2019 saw a sharp increase in rate of crime against women in Odisha.
- ▶ In 2019, 5.7% of total crime against women in India were reported in Odisha, 7th highest in the country.
- ▶ From 2016 to 2019, rate of crime against women in the state was reported much higher than national average.
- ▶ Assault on Women with Intent to Outrage her Modesty, Use of force to disrobe & Transmitting of Sexually Explicit Material were reported highest in Odisha.

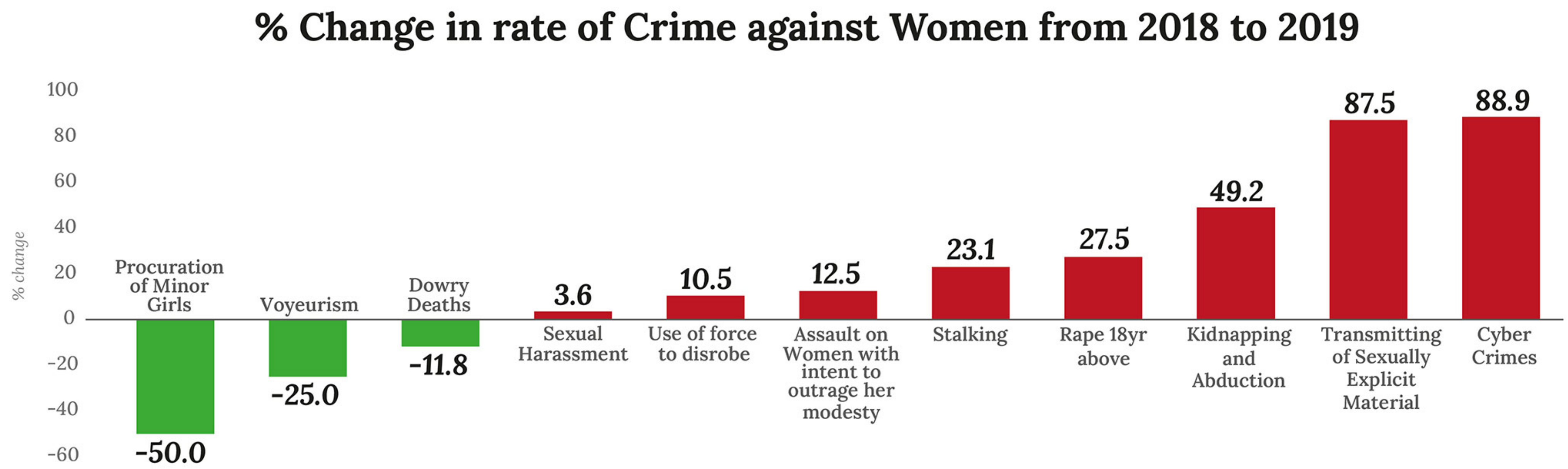


In majority of the major crimes against women in the country, rate of crime reported in Odisha is significantly higher than national average in 2019.

- ▶ Rate of assault on women with intent to outrage her modesty reported in Odisha is almost 4 times more than that in India.



In 2019, Cyber crimes against women and Transmitting of sexually explicit materials in the state reported around 90% increase compared to 2018.



- ▶ Except Procuration of Minor Girls, Voyeurism and Dowry Deaths, all crimes had increased from 2018 in Odisha.

Odisha ranked among the top ten States/UTs in the following crimes in 2019					
Crime against Women	Rate of crime (per one lakh population)	Rank	Crime against Women	Rate of crime (per one lakh population)	Rank
Assault on Women with intent to outrage her modesty	50.5	1	Kidnapping and Abduction	17.6	5
Use of force to disrobe	12.6	1	Dowry Deaths	1.5	6
Transmitting of Sexually Explicit Material	1.5	1	Attempt to Commit Rape	0.7	9
Cyber Crimes	1.7	2	Voyeurism	0.3	10
Sexual Harassment	5.8	2	Procuration of Minor Girls	0.2	10