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Linking police collision data and hospital trauma patient data. Enabling comparison of culpable drivers from serious injury non-fatal collisions with those who cause fatal injuries.

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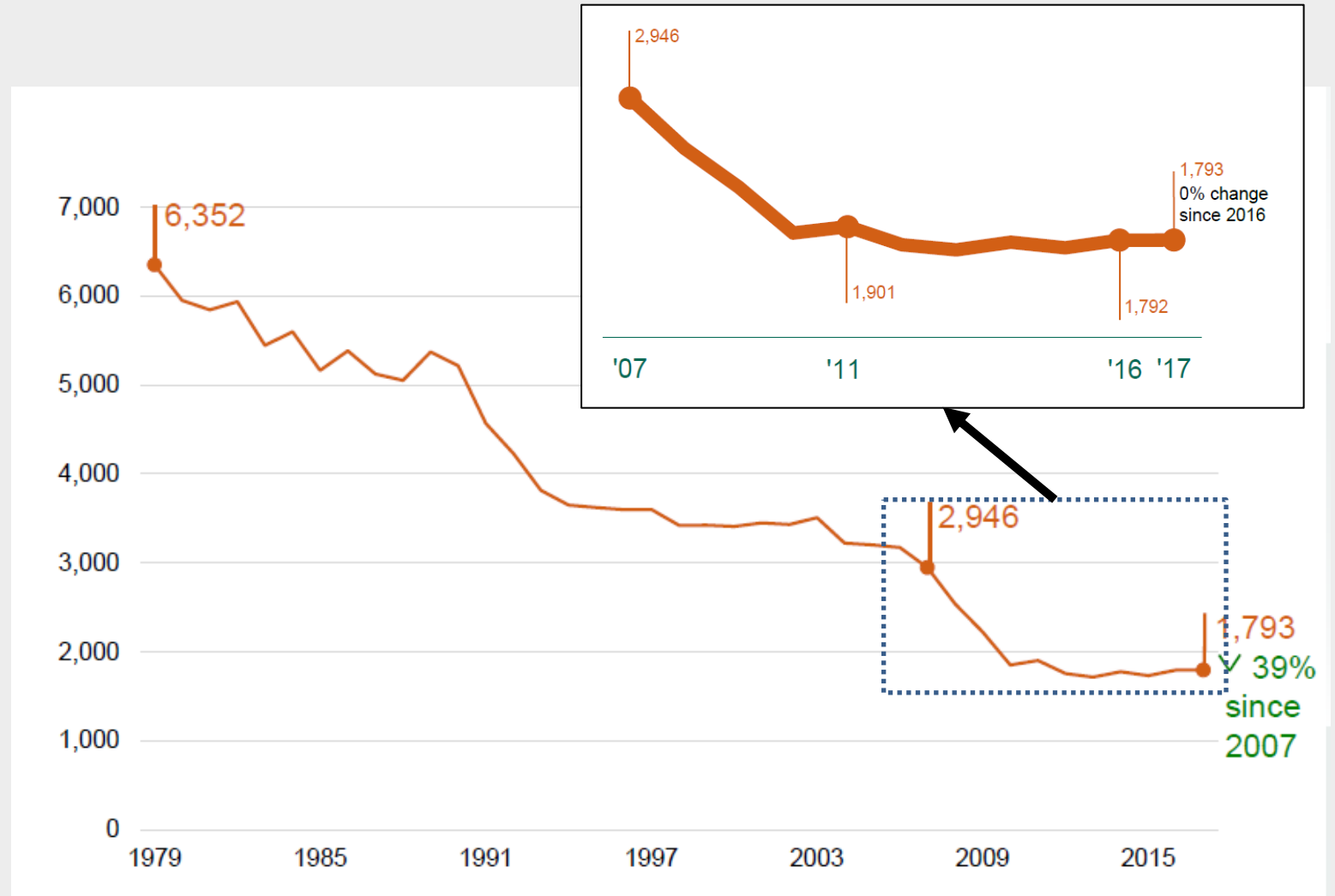
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# Background

There had been steady decline in fatal casualties until 2010. Since then the numbers have plateaued.

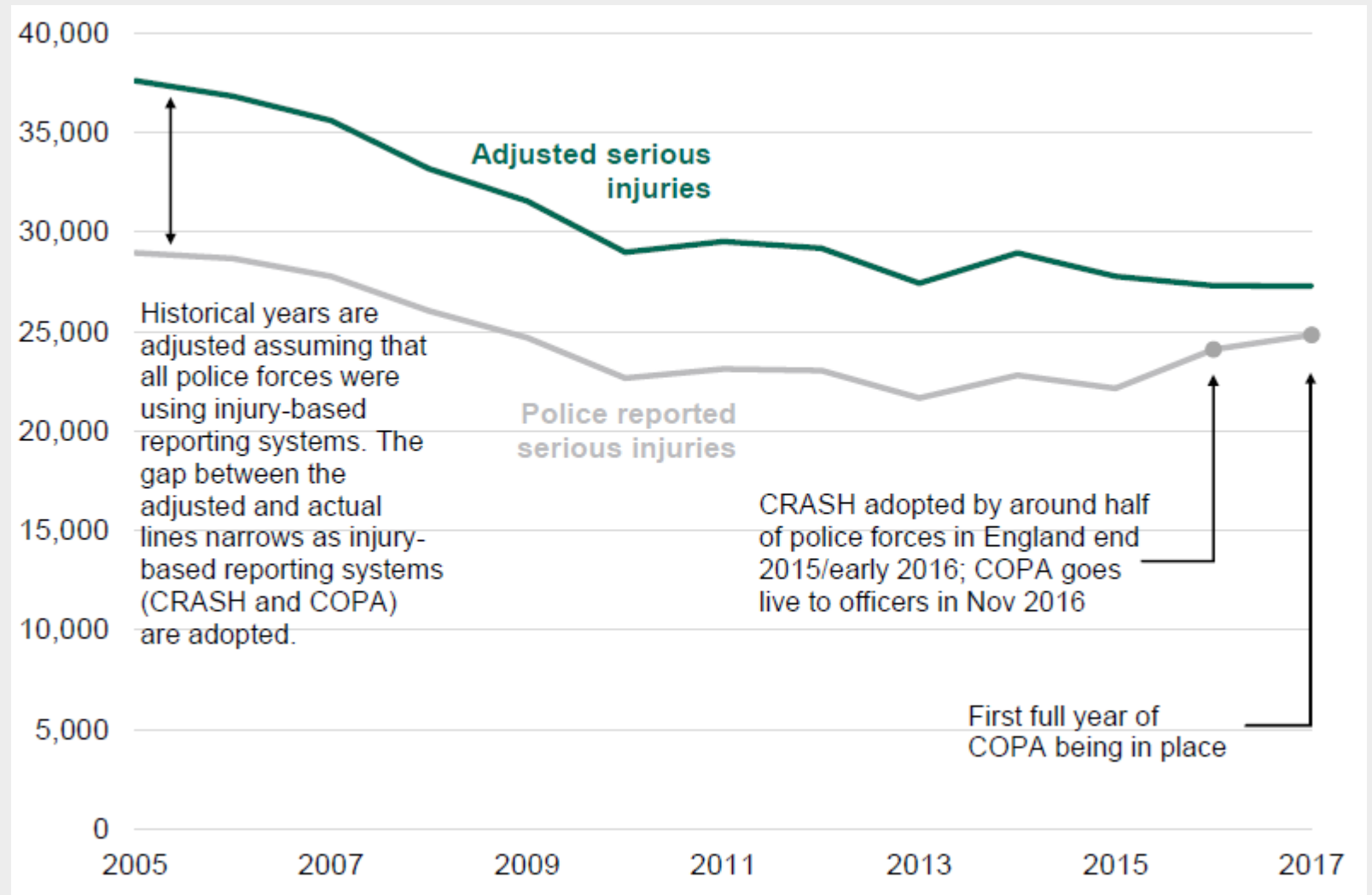


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# Background

The number of casualties with serious injuries has also stopped declining.

New methods of intervention or how to apply interventions may be required to induce a new downwards trend.



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# Aim

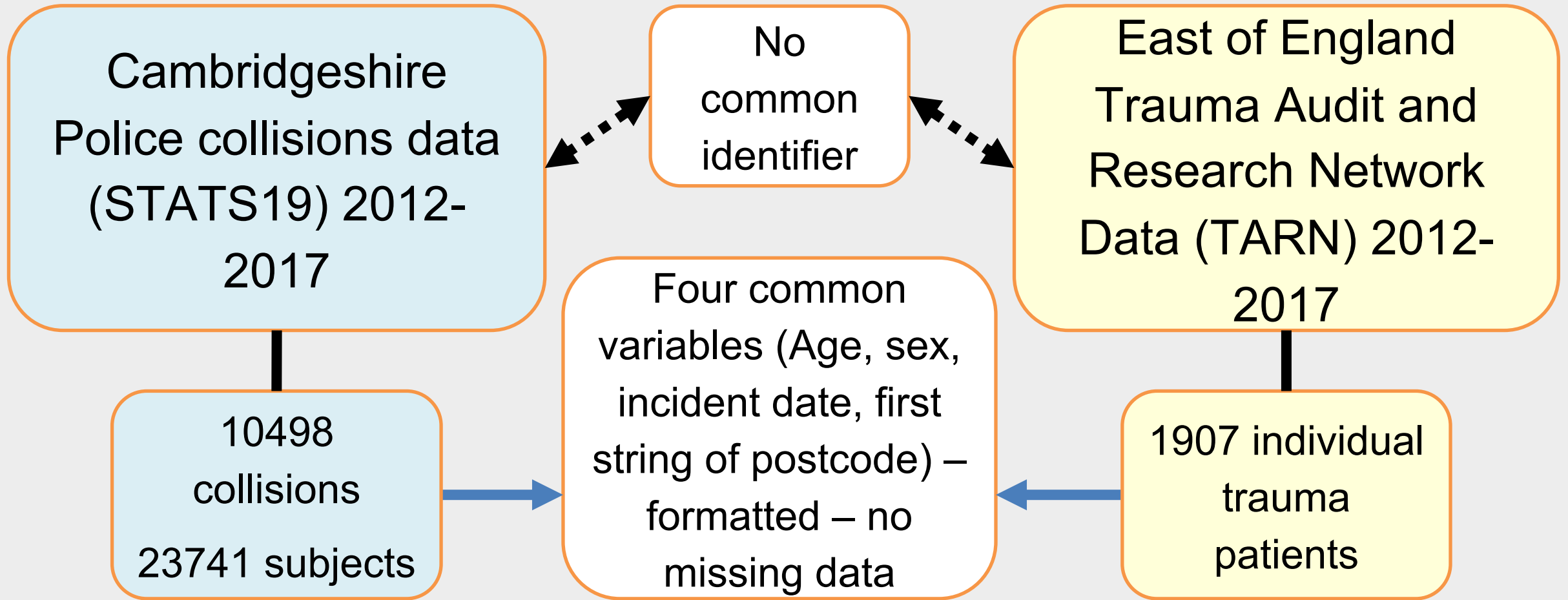
- Identification of the people causing serious (MAIS3+) injuries in road traffic collisions.

(AIS - Abbreviated Injury Scale, MAIS – Maximum AIS for a casualty. International system of trauma grading administered by the Association for the Advancement of Automotive Medicine)

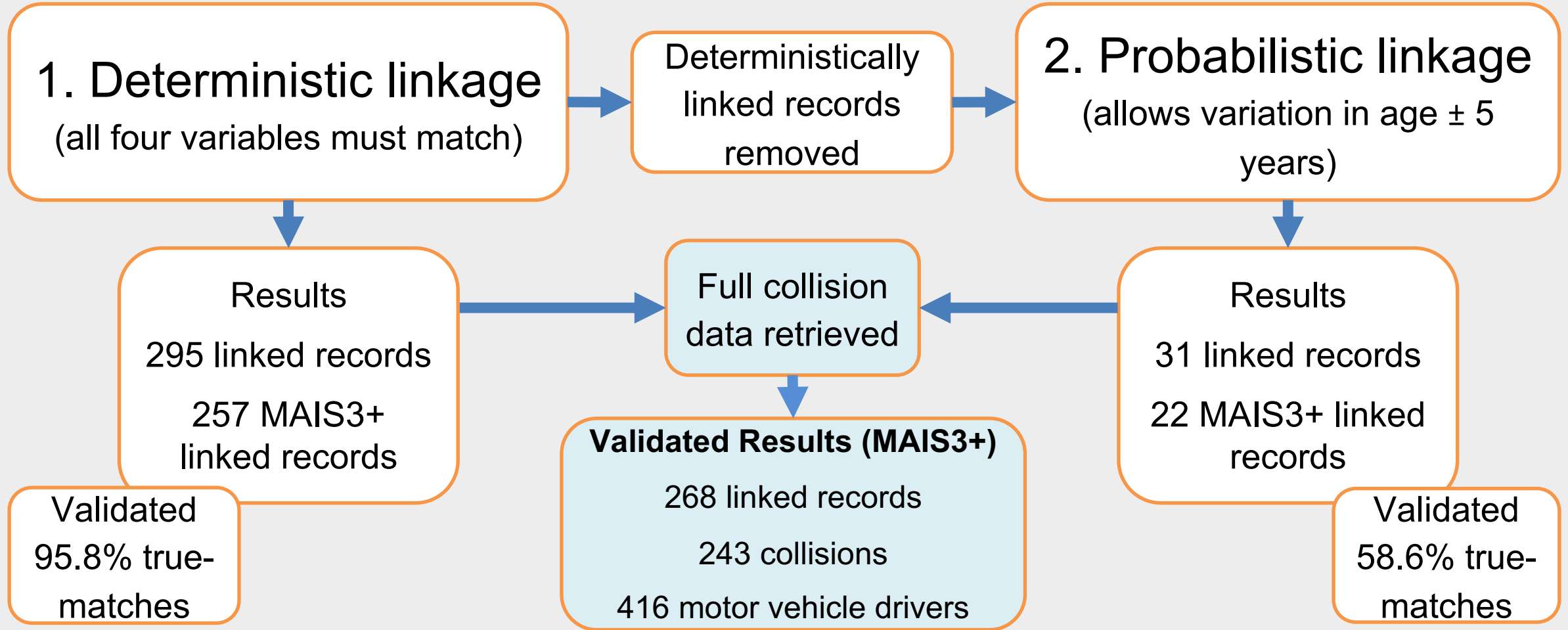
# Study 1 Project objective

- Link police collision data and hospital trauma patient data.
- Identify the serious injury (MAIS3+) subset.
- Identify all motor vehicle drivers involved in serious injury (MAIS3+) collisions.

# Methods - Data Sets for Linking



# Methods and Results - Data Linking

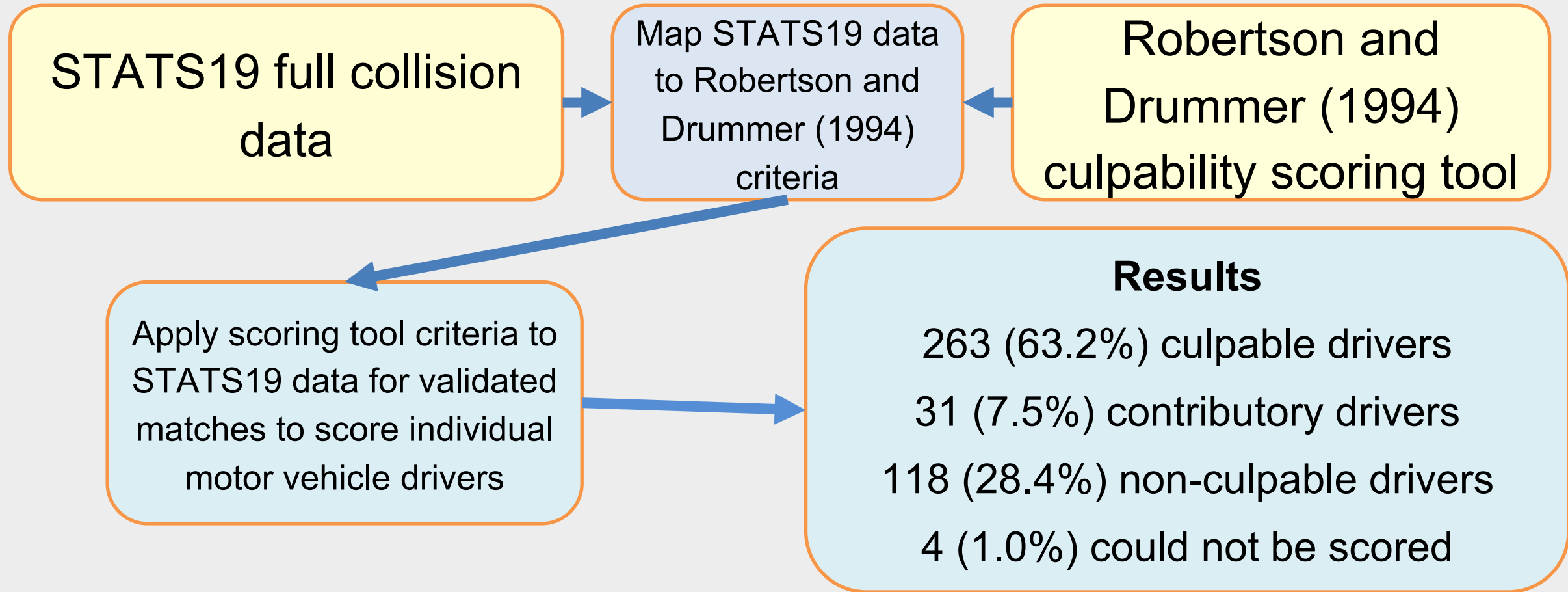


# Study 2 Project objective

- Undertake culpability scoring on the motor vehicle drivers from the serious injury (MAIS3+) subset.
- Identify all culpable motor vehicle drivers involved in serious injury (MAIS3+) collisions.



# Methods and Results – Culpability Scoring



# Next stage

Culpability score using alternative tool (Brubacher, Chan and Asbridge (2012) for comparison

Culpability score motor vehicle drivers from fatal collisions for comparison

Study 3: Geodemographic profile the culpable drivers from MAIS3+ collisions using their home post codes. Target interventions.

# Any Questions

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