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Explanatory Notes on Management Information

This Quarter 3 report contains Police Scotland Management Information for 2020/21 which covers the period 1 April 2020 to 31 December 2020 (unless otherwise stated). Data tables at Police Scotland Division and Local Authority levels are also available online. These data are not official statistics. Official Statistics for recorded crime are published by the Scottish Government and Official Statistics on Reported Road Casualties are published by Transport Scotland.

All statistics are provisional and should be treated as management information. All data are provided by Police Scotland, extracted from Police Scotland internal systems (ScOMIS) and databases which are dynamic and are continuously updated. All data are correct at the published date on the report, the data having been extracted at the beginning of January 2021.

The management information relating to crimes and offences in this report are recorded according to guidelines issued by the Scottish Government Justice Department. Road traffic collisions reported to the police are recorded according to guidelines issued by the Department for Transport. Incident data are extracted from legacy Force command and control systems. User Satisfaction Surveys are undertaken each month by Police Scotland Divisions, with results collated centrally.

Each separate crime/offence is categorised under the national classifications and grouped together for ease of reference. Road traffic collisions recorded are determined by the severity of the injury sustained by the most seriously injured casualty.

Several crimes and offences may be recorded at an incident, e.g., a house may be broken into and property stolen, the premises vandalised and the householder assaulted. Three separate crimes would be recorded in this case. The system is based on the number of actual crimes/offences rather than on the number of incidents.

See link below to Scottish Crime Recording Standard :

<http://www.scotland.police.uk/assets/pdf/138327/232757/scottish-crime-recording-standard?view=Standard>

A crime/offence may have more than one victim and may also involve more than one offender. A crime or offence is regarded as having been detected where there exists a sufficiency of evidence under Scots Law to justify consideration of criminal proceedings. Many offences, e.g., speeding or possessing drugs, have no direct victim and are detected and recorded as a result of police activity.

This management information does not reflect the total incidence of crimes/offences or road traffic collisions, as not all incidents are reported to the police.

Unless otherwise stated, the population data used in the calculation of crime and incident rates is the mid-year 2018 population estimated published by the National Records of Scotland.

Readers should note that all data for 2019/20 and 2020/21 were refreshed when they were extracted at the start of January 2021. This means that the data for 2019/20 Q3 published in this report will differ from the data previously published for 2019/20 Q3 last February (2020). It usually takes between one and two quarters for the data to settle and for most of the natural revisions to take place. We have published a separate revisions analysis to demonstrate the extent of these changes.

Conventions

x = Data incomplete or not available. - = Nil (zero).

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TABLE 1.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 834	3 941	107	2.8
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	49.5	48.4	x	% Point Change - 1.1

TABLE 1.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	15 790	15 163	269.6	258.9
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	722	647	12.3	11.0
Group 2: sexual crimes	1 091	961	18.6	16.4
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	6 366	6 011	108.7	102.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 850	2 721	48.7	46.5
Group 5: other crimes ¹	4 761	4 823	81.3	82.3

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	9 549	9 646	60.5	63.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	561	524	77.7	81.0
Group 2: sexual crimes	645	652	59.1	67.8
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 923	2 784	45.9	46.3
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	822	979	28.8	36.0
Group 5: other crimes ¹	4 598	4 707	96.6	97.6

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 1.3

Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	722	647	12.3	11.0
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	6	1	0.1	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	4	3	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	21	32	0.4	0.5
Serious assault	234	169	4.0	2.9
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	90	110	1.5	1.9
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	241	223	4.1	3.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	15	11	0.3	0.2
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	256	234	4.4	4.0
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	50	14	0.9	0.2
Threats and extortion	32	52	0.5	0.9
Other group 1 crimes	29	32	0.5	0.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	561	524	77.7	81.0
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	6	1	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	4	2	100.0	66.7
Attempted murder	20	32	95.2	100.0
Serious assault	217	157	92.7	92.9
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	86	98	95.6	89.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	171	167	-	74.9
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	7	9	-	81.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	178	176	-	75.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	29	15	58.0	107.1
Threats and extortion	5	17	15.6	32.7
Other group 1 crimes	16	26	55.2	81.3

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 1.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	1 091	961	18.6	16.4
Rape	172	135	2.9	2.3
Assault with intent to rape	8	8	0.1	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	180	143	3.1	2.4
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	21	6	0.4	0.1
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	234	245	4.0	4.2
Lewd & libidinous practices	90	32	1.5	0.5
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	345	283	5.9	4.8
Prostitution related crime - Total	16	9	0.3	0.2
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	52	98	0.9	1.7
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	137	126	2.3	2.2
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	32	27	0.5	0.5
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	16	29	0.3	0.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	20	9	0.3	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	214	167	3.7	2.9
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	30	20	0.5	0.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	49	50	0.8	0.9
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	550	526	9.4	9.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	645	652	59.1	67.8
Rape	102	86	59.3	63.7
Assault with intent to rape	3	4	37.5	50.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	105	90	58.3	62.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	13	9	61.9	150.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	131	150	56.0	61.2
Lewd & libidinous practices	65	21	72.2	65.6
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	209	180	60.6	63.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	16	7	100.0	77.8
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	50	92	96.2	93.9
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	74	87	54.0	69.0
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	14	21	43.8	77.8
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	22	75.0	75.9
Public indecency (common law) ³	13	9	65.0	100.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	117	109	54.7	65.3
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	16	16	53.3	80.0
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	19	19	38.8	38.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	315	375	57.3	71.3

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 1.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	6 366	6 011	108.7	102.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	224	208	3.8	3.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	156	161	2.7	2.7
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	151	199	2.6	3.4
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	531	568	9.1	9.7
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	615	469	10.5	8.0
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	134	74	2.3	1.3
Common theft ⁶	1 633	1 339	27.9	22.9
Theft by shoplifting	2 320	1 840	39.6	31.4
Fraud	601	1 121	10.3	19.1
Other Group 3 crimes	532	600	9.1	10.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 923	2 784	45.9	46.3
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	91	80	40.6	38.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	36	43	23.1	26.7
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	32	86	21.2	43.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	159	209	29.9	36.8
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	216	211	35.1	45.0
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	19	22	14.2	29.7
Common theft ⁶	456	454	27.9	33.9
Theft by shoplifting	1 635	1 381	70.5	75.1
Fraud	191	268	31.8	23.9
Other Group 3 crimes	247	239	46.4	39.8

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 1.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 850	2 721	48.7	46.5
Fire-raising	170	187	2.9	3.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 555	2 396	43.6	40.9
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	-	0.0	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	116	130	2.0	2.2
Other Group 4 crimes	7	8	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	822	979	28.8	36.0
Fire-raising	40	91	23.5	48.7
Vandalism/malicious mischief	720	808	28.2	33.7
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	-	50.0	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	61	79	52.6	60.8
Other Group 4 crimes	-	1	-	12.5

TABLE 1.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	4 761	4 823	81.3	82.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	87	80	1.5	1.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	172	155	2.9	2.6
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	152	147	2.6	2.5
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	81	109	1.4	1.9
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	492	491	8.4	8.4
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	40	48	0.7	0.8
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	346	345	5.9	5.9
Bringing drugs into prison	4	5	0.1	0.1
Supply of drugs - Total	390	398	6.7	6.8
Possession of drugs	2 360	2 191	40.3	37.4
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	26	69	0.4	1.2
Total drugs crimes	2 776	2 658	47.4	45.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	617	732	10.5	12.5
Other Group 5 crimes	876	942	15.0	16.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	4 598	4 707	96.6	97.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	87	73	100.0	91.3
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	166	149	96.5	96.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	110	120	72.4	81.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	61	87	75.3	79.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	424	429	86.2	87.4
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	39	48	97.5	100.0
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	331	298	95.7	86.4
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	370	346	94.9	86.9
Possession of drugs	2 310	2 279	97.9	104.0
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	17	24	65.4	34.8
Total drugs crimes	2 697	2 649	97.2	99.7
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	614	704	99.5	96.2
Other Group 5 crimes	863	925	98.5	98.2

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 1.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (North East):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	492	491	8.4	8.4
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	259	235	4.4	4.0
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	233	256	4.0	4.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	87	80	1.5	1.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	66	65	1.1	1.1
Restriction of offensive weapons	15	12	0.3	0.2
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	2	2	0.0	0.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	4	1	0.1	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	172	155	2.9	2.6
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	152	137	2.6	2.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	8	8	0.1	0.1
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	12	10	0.2	0.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	152	147	2.6	2.5
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	140	142	2.4	2.4
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4	4	0.1	0.1
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	8	1	0.1	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	81	109	1.4	1.9
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	80	108	1.4	1.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	1	0.0	0.0
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	424	429	86.2	87.4
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	253	222	97.7	94.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	171	207	73.4	80.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	87	73	100.0	91.3
Possession of an offensive weapon	66	57	100.0	87.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	15	13	100.0	108.3
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	2	2	100.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	4	1	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	166	149	96.5	96.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	146	134	96.1	97.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	8	7	100.0	87.5
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	12	8	100.0	80.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	110	120	72.4	81.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	99	113	70.7	79.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	6	75.0	150.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	8	1	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	61	87	75.3	79.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	60	86	75.0	79.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	1	100.0	100.0

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 1.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	8 448	7 134	144.2	121.8
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	3 695	2 963	63.1	50.6
Common assault of emergency worker	483	542	8.2	9.3
Total common assaults	4 178	3 505	71.3	59.8
Breach of the peace	323	123	5.5	2.1
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 278	2 299	38.9	39.3
Stalking	52	51	0.9	0.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 653	2 473	45.3	42.2
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	105	108	1.8	1.8
Drunk and incapable	2	-	0.0	-
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	68	19	1.2	0.3
Other alcohol related offences	122	22	2.1	0.4
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	192	41	3.3	0.7
Wildlife offences	29	59	0.5	1.0
Other Group 6 offences	1 291	948	22.0	16.2

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 486	5 697	76.8	79.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 461	2 160	66.6	72.9
Common assault of emergency worker	479	543	99.2	100.2
Total common assaults	2 940	2 703	70.4	77.1
Breach of the peace	329	122	101.9	99.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 869	1 928	82.0	83.9
Stalking	31	42	59.6	82.4
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 229	2 092	84.0	84.6
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	90	106	85.7	98.1
Drunk and incapable	2	0	100.0	#DIV/0!
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	67	18	98.5	94.7
Other alcohol related offences	121	24	99.2	109.1
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	190	42	99.0	102.4
Wildlife offences	11	36	37.9	61.0
Other Group 6 offences	1 026	718	79.5	75.7

TABLE 1.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	11 098	9 551	189.5	163.1
Dangerous driving offences	228	260	3.9	4.4
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	456	883	7.8	15.1
Speeding offences	3 457	1 928	59.0	32.9
Driving while disqualified	114	108	1.9	1.8
Driving without a licence	418	521	7.1	8.9
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 122	1 324	19.2	22.6
Seat belt offences	159	136	2.7	2.3
Mobile phone offences	235	152	4.0	2.6
Driving carelessly	766	722	13.1	12.3
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	373	254	6.4	4.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 140	720	19.5	12.3
Other Group 7 offences	2 630	2 543	44.9	43.4

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	10 335	8 674	93.1	90.8
Dangerous driving offences	176	224	77.2	86.2
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	428	486	93.9	55.0
Speeding offences	3 418	1 932	98.9	100.2
Driving while disqualified	113	105	99.1	97.2
Driving without a licence	420	524	100.5	100.6
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 119	1 325	99.7	100.1
Seat belt offences	157	137	98.7	100.7
Mobile phone offences	227	147	96.6	96.7
Driving carelessly	672	660	87.7	91.4
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	359	254	96.2	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 131	709	99.2	98.5
Other Group 7 offences	2 115	2 171	80.4	85.4

TABLE 1.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (North East):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	352	182
Fatal	12	7
Serious	141	101
Slight	199	74
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	153	108
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	11	4

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 1.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (North East):
Number of incidents by incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	112 171	99 171	1 915.2	1 693.2
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	18 376	25 757	313.7	439.8
Complaint	4 440	10 245	75.8	174.9
Disturbance	4 957	5 031	84.6	85.9
Noise	2 596	3 751	44.3	64.0
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	54	19	0.9	0.3
Neighbour dispute	1 070	1 661	18.3	28.4
Vandalism	2 384	2 110	40.7	36.0
Communications	2 875	2 940	49.1	50.2
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	18 774	12 081	320.5	206.3
Road traffic matter	11 259	7 286	192.2	124.4
Road traffic collision	6 063	3 607	103.5	61.6
Road traffic offence	1 364	1 118	23.3	19.1
Other transport incidents	88	70	1.5	1.2
Crime related incidents¹⁰	12 002	8 902	204.9	152.0
Theft	5 593	4 118	95.5	70.3
Assault	2 701	2 009	46.1	34.3
Housebreaking	1 195	1 000	20.4	17.1
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 513	1 775	42.9	30.3
Other incident types	63 019	52 431	1 076.0	895.2

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 1.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (North East):
Number of incidents by incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	2,772	1,686

TABLE 2.1				
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):				
<i>Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 709	3 866	157	4.2
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	44.9	45.6	x	% Point Change 0.6

TABLE 2.2				
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):				
<i>Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	13 563	13 549	324.9	324.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	638	663	15.3	15.9
Group 2: sexual crimes	987	982	23.6	23.5
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	5 719	5 564	137.0	133.3
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 871	2 606	68.8	62.4
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 348	3 734	80.2	89.4

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	7 852	7 692	57.9	56.8
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	452	471	70.8	71.0
Group 2: sexual crimes	617	558	62.5	56.8
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 484	2 072	43.4	37.2
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 260	1 175	43.9	45.1
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 039	3 416	90.8	91.5

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 2.3				
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):				
<i>Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	638	663	15.3	15.9
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	1	0.0	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	3	-	0.1	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	3	0.0	0.1
Attempted murder	8	4	0.2	0.1
Serious assault	222	193	5.3	4.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	144	173	3.4	4.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	157	136	3.8	3.3
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	6	9	0.1	0.2
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	163	145	3.9	3.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	20	23	0.5	0.6
Threats and extortion	29	74	0.7	1.8
Other group 1 crimes	46	47	1.1	1.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	452	471	70.8	71.0
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	1	150.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	2	1	66.7	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	3	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	8	5	100.0	125.0
Serious assault	177	156	79.7	80.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	97	128	67.4	74.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	103	107	-	78.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	4	5	-	55.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	107	112	-	77.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	17	21	85.0	91.3
Threats and extortion	11	16	37.9	21.6
Other group 1 crimes	29	28	63.0	59.6

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 2.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	987	982	23.6	23.5
Rape	177	176	4.2	4.2
Assault with intent to rape	11	13	0.3	0.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	188	189	4.5	4.5
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	15	21	0.4	0.5
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	286	250	6.9	6.0
Lewd & libidinous practices	61	52	1.5	1.2
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	362	323	8.7	7.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	3	4	0.1	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	38	47	0.9	1.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	89	123	2.1	2.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	5	17	0.1	0.4
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	18	35	0.4	0.8
Public indecency (common law) ³	11	15	0.3	0.4
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	165	167	4.0	4.0
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	24	16	0.6	0.4
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	84	46	2.0	1.1
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	434	466	10.4	11.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	617	558	62.5	56.8
Rape	94	100	53.1	56.8
Assault with intent to rape	7	8	63.6	61.5
Rape and attempted rape - Total	101	108	53.7	57.1
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	15	18	100.0	85.7
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	169	157	59.1	62.8
Lewd & libidinous practices	61	24	100.0	46.2
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	245	199	67.7	61.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	3	1	100.0	25.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	35	40	92.1	85.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	56	62	62.9	50.4
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	4	7	80.0	41.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	14	24	77.8	68.6
Public indecency (common law) ³	8	14	72.7	93.3
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	87	70	52.7	41.9
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	13	15	54.2	93.8
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	51	18	60.7	39.1
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	268	250	61.8	53.6

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 2.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	5 719	5 564	137.0	133.3
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	333	260	8.0	6.2
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	102	107	2.4	2.6
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	232	214	5.6	5.1
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	667	581	16.0	13.9
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	810	772	19.4	18.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	104	92	2.5	2.2
Common theft ⁶	1 393	1 298	33.4	31.1
Theft by shoplifting	1 829	1 433	43.8	34.3
Fraud	488	872	11.7	20.9
Other Group 3 crimes	428	516	10.3	12.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 484	2 072	43.4	37.2
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	71	49	21.3	18.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	34	16	33.3	15.0
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	88	71	37.9	33.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	193	136	28.9	23.4
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	252	314	31.1	40.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	32	17	30.8	18.5
Common theft ⁶	374	285	26.8	22.0
Theft by shoplifting	1 275	927	69.7	64.7
Fraud	200	163	41.0	18.7
Other Group 3 crimes	158	230	36.9	44.6

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 2.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 871	2 606	68.8	62.4
Fire-raising	108	97	2.6	2.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 646	2 333	63.4	55.9
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	116	165	2.8	4.0
Other Group 4 crimes	1	11	0.0	0.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 260	1 175	43.9	45.1
Fire-raising	26	37	24.1	38.1
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 160	1 011	43.8	43.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	73	127	62.9	77.0
Other Group 4 crimes	1	-	100.0	-

TABLE 2.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	3 348	3 734	80.2	89.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	55	59	1.3	1.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	173	158	4.1	3.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	166	309	4.0	7.4
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	121	135	2.9	3.2
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	515	661	12.3	15.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	36	40	0.9	1.0
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	179	198	4.3	4.7
Bringing drugs into prison	12	26	0.3	0.6
Supply of drugs - Total	227	264	5.4	6.3
Possession of drugs	1 610	1 556	38.6	37.3
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	14	0.0	0.3
Total drugs crimes	1 839	1 834	44.1	43.9
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	440	568	10.5	13.6
Other Group 5 crimes	554	671	13.3	16.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	3 039	3 416	90.8	91.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	49	52	89.1	88.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	163	151	94.2	95.6
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	136	229	81.9	74.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	79	101	65.3	74.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	427	533	82.9	80.6
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	28	36	77.8	90.0
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	163	171	91.1	86.4
Bringing drugs into prison	5	4	41.7	15.4
Supply of drugs - Total	196	211	86.3	79.9
Possession of drugs	1 440	1 495	89.4	96.1
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	1	3	50.0	21.4
Total drugs crimes	1 637	1 709	89.0	93.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	430	518	97.7	91.2
Other Group 5 crimes	545	656	98.4	97.8

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 2.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	515	661	12.3	15.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	228	217	5.5	5.2
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	287	444	7	11
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	55	59	1.3	1.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	54	57	1.3	1.4
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	1	2	0.0	0.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	-	-	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	173	158	4.1	3.8
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	144	137	3.4	3.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	18	15	0.4	0.4
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	11	6	0.3	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	166	309	4.0	7.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	159	291	4	7
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	1	7	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	6	11	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	121	135	2.9	3.2
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	115	130	3	3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	3	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	2	-	-
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	427	533	82.9	80.6
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	212	203	93.0	93.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	215	330	74.9	74.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	49	52	89.1	88.1
Possession of an offensive weapon	48	50	88.9	87.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	1	2	100.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	-	-	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	163	151	94.2	95.6
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	134	130	93.1	94.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	18	15	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	11	6	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	136	229	81.9	74.1
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	129	211	81.1	72.5
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	1	7	100.0	100.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	6	11	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	79	101	65.3	74.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	72	96	62.6	73.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	3	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	4	2	133.3	100.0

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 2.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 645	6 883	159.2	164.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	3 071	3 040	73.6	72.8
Common assault of emergency worker	400	397	9.6	9.5
Total common assaults	3 471	3 437	83.1	82.3
Breach of the peace	301	91	7.2	2.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 941	2 307	46.5	55.3
Stalking	73	78	1.7	1.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 315	2 476	55.5	59.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	107	117	2.6	2.8
Drunk and incapable	-	-	-	-
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	13	3	0.3	0.1
Other alcohol related offences	51	12	1.2	0.3
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	64	15	1.5	0.4
Wildlife offences	23	27	0.6	0.6
Other Group 6 offences	665	811	15.9	19.4

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 058	5 132	76.1	74.6
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 084	2 090	67.9	68.8
Common assault of emergency worker	401	396	100.3	99.7
Total common assaults	2 485	2 486	71.6	72.3
Breach of the peace	294	89	97.7	97.8
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 591	1 850	82.0	80.2
Stalking	51	61	69.9	78.2
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 936	2 000	83.6	80.8
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	98	107	91.6	91.5
Drunk and incapable	-	-	-	-
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	13	3	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	51	12	100.0	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	64	15	100.0	100.0
Wildlife offences	3	10	13.0	37.0
Other Group 6 offences	472	514	71.0	63.4

TABLE 2.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	12 713	11 131	304.5	266.6
Dangerous driving offences	256	365	6.1	8.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	482	566	11.5	13.6
Speeding offences	4 509	2 776	108.0	66.5
Driving while disqualified	148	167	3.5	4.0
Driving without a licence	739	949	17.7	22.7
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 769	2 207	42.4	52.9
Seat belt offences	204	124	4.9	3.0
Mobile phone offences	126	84	3.0	2.0
Driving carelessly	520	471	12.5	11.3
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	153	180	3.7	4.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 037	736	24.8	17.6
Other Group 7 offences	2 770	2 506	66.4	60.0

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	12 264	10 503	96.5	94.4
Dangerous driving offences	241	305	94.1	83.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	460	485	95.4	85.7
Speeding offences	4 508	2 775	100.0	100.0
Driving while disqualified	148	166	100.0	99.4
Driving without a licence	739	947	100.0	99.8
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 767	2 199	99.9	99.6
Seat belt offences	204	124	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	126	84	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	500	446	96.2	94.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	153	178	100.0	98.9
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 038	734	100.1	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	2 380	2 060	85.9	82.2

TABLE 2.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Tayside):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	367	353
Fatal	7	4
Serious	144	111
Slight	216	238
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	151	115
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	15	7

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 2.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):
Number of incidents by type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	105 091	97 272	2 517.3	2 330.0
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	20 807	28 038	498.4	671.6
Complaint	4 130	10 087	98.9	241.6
Disturbance	5 672	5 969	135.9	143.0
Noise	4 490	5 037	107.6	120.7
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	38	17	0.9	0.4
Neighbour dispute	1 364	2 066	32.7	49.5
Vandalism	2 089	1 775	50.0	42.5
Communications	3 024	3 087	72.4	73.9
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	16 358	11 100	391.8	265.9
Road traffic matter	10 091	6 799	241.7	162.9
Road traffic collision	5 110	3 197	122.4	76.6
Road traffic offence	1 119	1 048	26.8	25.1
Other transport incidents	38	56	0.9	1.3
Crime related incidents¹⁰	11 534	8 930	276.3	213.9
Theft	5 276	3 923	126.4	94.0
Assault	2 621	2 231	62.8	53.4
Housebreaking	1 268	945	30.4	22.6
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 369	1 831	56.7	43.9
Other incident types	56 392	49 204	1 350.8	1 178.6

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 2.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):
Number of incidents by type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	2,986	2,269

TABLE 3.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	2 114	2 263	149	7.0
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	37.9	38.1	x	% Point Change 0.2

TABLE 3.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 511	6 484	211.6	210.7
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	233	257	7.6	8.4
Group 2: sexual crimes	497	438	16.1	14.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 314	2 073	75.2	67.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 286	1 237	41.8	40.2
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 181	2 479	70.9	80.6

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 383	4 682	67.3	72.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	192	204	82.4	79.4
Group 2: sexual crimes	326	345	65.6	78.8
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 267	1 064	54.8	51.3
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	482	539	37.5	43.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 116	2 530	97.0	102.1

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 3.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	233	257	7.6	8.4
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	4	0.1	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	1	-	0.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	5	0.1	0.2
Attempted murder	4	11	0.1	0.4
Serious assault	110	85	3.6	2.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	24	26	0.8	0.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	55	67	1.8	2.2
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	3	4	0.1	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	58	71	1.9	2.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	11	13	0.4	0.4
Threats and extortion	11	28	0.4	0.9
Other group 1 crimes	10	13	0.3	0.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	192	204	82.4	79.4
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	4	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	1	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	5	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	4	11	100.0	100.0
Serious assault	95	80	86.4	94.1
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	16	19	66.7	73.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	39	57	-	85.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	3	3	-	75.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	42	60	-	84.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	11	13	100.0	100.0
Threats and extortion	9	1	81.8	3.6
Other group 1 crimes	10	10	100.0	76.9

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 3.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	497	438	16.1	14.2
Rape	85	106	2.8	3.4
Assault with intent to rape	3	9	0.1	0.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	88	115	2.9	3.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	8	10	0.3	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	130	91	4.2	3.0
Lewd & libidinous practices	31	15	1.0	0.5
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	169	116	5.5	3.8
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	31	30	1.0	1.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	42	47	1.4	1.5
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	9	11	0.3	0.4
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	8	0.4	0.3
Public indecency (common law) ³	8	4	0.3	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	100	79	3.2	2.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	16	5	0.5	0.2
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	22	23	0.7	0.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	240	207	7.8	6.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	326	345	65.6	78.8
Rape	33	61	38.8	57.5
Assault with intent to rape	1	9	33.3	100.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	34	70	38.6	60.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	9	4	112.5	40.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	81	68	62.3	74.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	10	14	32.3	93.3
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	100	86	59.2	74.1
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	25	43	80.6	143.3
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	39	38	92.9	80.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	6	9	66.7	81.8
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	11	9	91.7	112.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	6	5	75.0	125.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	85	70	85.0	88.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	10	6	62.5	120.0
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	9	9	40.9	39.1
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	191	189	79.6	91.3

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 3.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 314	2 073	75.2	67.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	103	103	3.3	3.3
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	34	24	1.1	0.8
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	82	78	2.7	2.5
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	219	205	7.1	6.7
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	200	144	6.5	4.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	49	34	1.6	1.1
Common theft ⁶	659	533	21.4	17.3
Theft by shoplifting	784	575	25.5	18.7
Fraud	244	402	7.9	13.1
Other Group 3 crimes	159	180	5.2	5.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 267	1 064	54.8	51.3
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	43	41	41.7	39.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	11	13	32.4	54.2
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	27	26	32.9	33.3
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	81	80	37.0	39.0
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	89	83	44.5	57.6
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	11	16	22.4	47.1
Common theft ⁶	232	197	35.2	37.0
Theft by shoplifting	664	464	84.7	80.7
Fraud	118	146	48.4	36.3
Other Group 3 crimes	72	78	45.3	43.3

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 3.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 286	1 237	41.8	40.2
Fire-raising	56	39	1.8	1.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 180	1 123	38.3	36.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	2	-	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	48	68	1.6	2.2
Other Group 4 crimes	2	5	0.1	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	482	539	37.5	43.6
Fire-raising	27	15	48.2	38.5
Vandalism/malicious mischief	418	464	35.4	41.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	1	-	50.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	36	56	75.0	82.4
Other Group 4 crimes	1	3	50.0	60.0

TABLE 3.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 181	2 479	70.9	80.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	46	75	1.5	2.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	66	2.0	2.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	21	47	0.7	1.5
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	34	23	1.1	0.7
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	163	211	5.3	6.9
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	18	26	0.6	0.8
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	132	96	4.3	3.1
Bringing drugs into prison	-	1	-	0.0
Supply of drugs - Total	150	123	4.9	4.0
Possession of drugs	1 219	1 334	39.6	43.3
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	8	18	0.3	0.6
Total drugs crimes	1 377	1 475	44.7	47.9
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	7	5	0.2	0.2
Bail offences (other than absconding)	280	362	9.1	11.8
Other Group 5 crimes	354	426	11.5	13.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 116	2 530	97.0	102.1
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	47	77	102.2	102.7
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	69	100.0	104.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	18	48	85.7	102.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	30	26	88.2	113.0
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	157	220	96.3	104.3
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	13	32	72.2	123.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	120	127	90.9	132.3
Bringing drugs into prison	-	1	-	100.0
Supply of drugs - Total	133	160	88.7	130.1
Possession of drugs	1 189	1 335	97.5	100.1
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	11	18	137.5	100.0
Total drugs crimes	1 333	1 513	96.8	102.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	6	12	85.7	240.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	272	348	97.1	96.1
Other Group 5 crimes	348	437	98.3	102.6

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 3.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	163	211	5.3	6.9
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	108	141	3.5	4.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	55	70	1.8	2.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	46	75	1.5	2.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	45	74	1.5	2.4
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	1	1	0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	66	2.0	2.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	56	65	1.8	2.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	-	0.0	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	5	1	0.2	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	21	47	0.7	1.5
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	21	47	0.7	1.5
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	34	23	1.1	0.7
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	34	23	1.1	0.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	157	220	96.3	104.3
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	109	146	100.9	103.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	48	74	87.3	105.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	47	77	102.2	102.7
Possession of an offensive weapon	46	76	102.2	102.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	1	1	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	69	100.0	104.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	55	68	98.2	104.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	-	100.0	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	6	1	120.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	18	48	85.7	102.1
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	18	48	85.7	102.1
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	30	26	88.2	113.0
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	30	26	88.2	113.0
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 3.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 773	3 335	122.6	108.4
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 644	1 425	53.4	46.3
Common assault of emergency worker	286	287	9.3	9.3
Total common assaults	1 930	1 712	62.7	55.6
Breach of the peace	178	84	5.8	2.7
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 105	1 041	35.9	33.8
Stalking	35	22	1.1	0.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 318	1 147	42.8	37.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	17	16	0.6	0.5
Drunk and incapable	-	2	-	0.1
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	47	24	1.5	0.8
Other alcohol related offences	57	19	1.9	0.6
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	104	45	3.4	1.5
Wildlife offences	25	33	0.8	1.1
Other Group 6 offences	379	382	12.3	12.4

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 172	2 875	84.1	86.2
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 224	1 087	74.5	76.3
Common assault of emergency worker	281	286	98.3	99.7
Total common assaults	1 505	1 373	78.0	80.2
Breach of the peace	173	91	97.2	108.3
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 005	989	91.0	95.0
Stalking	30	18	85.7	81.8
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 208	1 098	91.7	95.7
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	16	15	94.1	93.8
Drunk and incapable	-	2	-	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	49	24	104.3	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	58	22	101.8	115.8
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	107	48	102.9	106.7
Wildlife offences	10	26	40.0	78.8
Other Group 6 offences	326	315	86.0	82.5

TABLE 3.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 752	6 310	219.4	205.0
Dangerous driving offences	139	144	4.5	4.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	384	558	12.5	18.1
Speeding offences	2 038	1 935	66.2	62.9
Driving while disqualified	29	27	0.9	0.9
Driving without a licence	257	272	8.4	8.8
Failure to insure against third party risks	616	814	20.0	26.5
Seat belt offences	159	99	5.2	3.2
Mobile phone offences	140	87	4.5	2.8
Driving carelessly	501	429	16.3	13.9
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	168	92	5.5	3.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	935	617	30.4	20.0
Other Group 7 offences	1 386	1 236	45.0	40.2

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 414	6 052	95.0	95.9
Dangerous driving offences	125	145	89.9	100.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	345	338	89.8	60.6
Speeding offences	2 052	1 979	100.7	102.3
Driving while disqualified	29	30	100.0	111.1
Driving without a licence	249	288	96.9	105.9
Failure to insure against third party risks	595	851	96.6	104.5
Seat belt offences	160	99	100.6	100.0
Mobile phone offences	142	92	101.4	105.7
Driving carelessly	477	415	95.2	96.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	171	96	101.8	104.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	907	647	97.0	104.9
Other Group 7 offences	1 162	1 072	83.8	86.7

TABLE 3.11

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	437	205
Fatal	20	11
Serious	155	86
Slight	262	108
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	175	97
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	5	6

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>). Due to incompleteness of data within N Division the above data is provisional and will be updated in future publications.

TABLE 3.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number of incidents by incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	57 855	52 863	1 880.0	1 717.8
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	8 823	12 983	286.7	421.9
Complaint	1 820	5 386	59.1	175.0
Disturbance	2 331	2 486	75.7	80.8
Noise	1 492	1 685	48.5	54.8
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	53	24	1.7	0.8
Neighbour dispute	617	803	20.0	26.1
Vandalism	1 136	1 090	36.9	35.4
Communications	1 374	1 509	44.6	49.0
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	11 179	6 813	363.3	221.4
Road traffic matter	6 682	4 200	217.1	136.5
Road traffic collision	3 784	1 989	123.0	64.6
Road traffic offence	640	560	20.8	18.2
Other transport incidents	73	64	2.4	2.1
Crime related incidents¹⁰	5 014	3 850	162.9	125.1
Theft	2 135	1 580	69.4	51.3
Assault	1 340	1 088	43.5	35.4
Housebreaking	485	419	15.8	13.6
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	1 054	763	34.2	24.8
Other incident types	32 839	29 217	1 067.1	949.4

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

11 - This apparent increase is primarily due to STORM Unity (the national command and control system) being rolled out in February of 2018. For Highlands (and other N Division council areas) this meant a move to national recording standards, coding systems and operational practices.

TABLE 3.13

Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number of incidents by incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	2,010	1,234

TABLE 4.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	2 711	2 921	210	7.7
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	45.0	41.7	x	% Point Change - 3.4

TABLE 4.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	10 073	9 418	328.5	307.1
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	408	433	13.3	14.1
Group 2: sexual crimes	592	498	19.3	16.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	4 099	3 376	133.7	110.1
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 056	1 913	67.0	62.4
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 918	3 198	95.2	104.3

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	5 797	5 607	57.5	59.5
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	302	315	74.0	72.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	294	297	49.7	59.6
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 874	1 464	45.7	43.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	750	720	36.5	37.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 577	2 811	88.3	87.9

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 4.3

Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	408	433	13.3	14.1
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	2	0.1	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	2	-	0.1
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	5	0.1	0.2
Attempted murder	14	12	0.5	0.4
Serious assault	164	160	5.3	5.2
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	76	80	2.5	2.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	66	55	2.2	1.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	12	24	0.4	0.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	78	79	2.5	2.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	25	31	0.8	1.0
Threats and extortion	16	45	0.5	1.5
Other group 1 crimes	30	17	1.0	0.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	302	315	74.0	72.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	2	133.3	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	2	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	5	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	13	12	92.9	100.0
Serious assault	130	122	79.3	76.3
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	59	66	77.6	82.5
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	47	40		
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	7	12		
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	54	52		
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	25	30	100.0	96.8
Threats and extortion	4	9	25.0	20.0
Other group 1 crimes	11	15	36.7	88.2

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 4.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	592	498	19.3	16.2
Rape	86	87	2.8	2.8
Assault with intent to rape	11	8	0.4	0.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	97	95	3.2	3.1
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	6	10	0.2	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	131	102	4.3	3.3
Lewd & libidinous practices	42	22	1.4	0.7
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	179	134	5.8	4.4
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	31	30	1.0	1.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	62	40	2.0	1.3
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	15	18	0.5	0.6
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	22	19	0.7	0.6
Public indecency (common law) ³	11	8	0.4	0.3
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	121	103	3.9	3.4
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	20	14	0.7	0.5
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	34	37	1.1	1.2
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	316	269	10.3	8.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	294	297	49.7	59.6
Rape	37	41	43.0	47.1
Assault with intent to rape	7	3	63.6	37.5
Rape and attempted rape - Total	44	44	45.4	46.3
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	4	5	66.7	50.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	47	62	35.9	60.8
Lewd & libidinous practices	27	12	64.3	54.5
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	78	79	43.6	59.0
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	24	30	77.4	100.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	35	24	56.5	60.0
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	2	10	13.3	55.6
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	19	11	86.4	57.9
Public indecency (common law) ³	8	5	72.7	62.5
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	56	62	46.3	60.2
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	14	12	70.0	85.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	14	20	41.2	54.1
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	172	174	54.4	64.7

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 4.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	4 099	3 376	133.7	110.1
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	254	150	8.3	4.9
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	146	120	4.8	3.9
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	137	92	4.5	3.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	537	362	17.5	11.8
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	472	354	15.4	11.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	68	58	2.2	1.9
Common theft ⁶	1 210	857	39.5	27.9
Theft by shoplifting	1 109	780	36.2	25.4
Fraud	352	621	11.5	20.3
Other Group 3 crimes	351	344	11.4	11.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 874	1 464	45.7	43.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	51	57	20.1	38.0
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	48	45	32.9	37.5
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	43	31	31.4	33.7
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	142	133	26.4	36.7
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	152	153	32.2	43.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	16	17	23.5	29.3
Common theft ⁶	399	292	33.0	34.1
Theft by shoplifting	856	570	77.2	73.1
Fraud	145	157	41.2	25.3
Other Group 3 crimes	164	142	46.7	41.3

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 4.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 056	1 913	67.0	62.4
Fire-raising	109	111	3.6	3.6
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 840	1 626	60.0	53.0
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	3	-	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	104	169	3.4	5.5
Other Group 4 crimes	3	4	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	750	720	36.5	37.6
Fire-raising	37	44	33.9	39.6
Vandalism/malicious mischief	655	544	35.6	33.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	2	-	66.7
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	58	130	55.8	76.9
Other Group 4 crimes	-	-	-	-

TABLE 4.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 918	3 198	95.2	104.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	93	71	3.0	2.3
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	117	107	3.8	3.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	173	123	5.6	4.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)	121	106	3.9	3.5
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	504	407	16.4	13.3
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	30	33	1.0	1.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	196	241	6.4	7.9
Bringing drugs into prison	2	9	0.1	0.3
Supply of drugs - Total	228	283	7.4	9.2
Possession of drugs	1 288	1 341	42.0	43.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	6	6	0.2	0.2
Total drugs crimes	1 522	1 630	49.6	53.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	327	488	10.7	15.9
Other Group 5 crimes	565	673	18.4	21.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 577	2 811	88.3	87.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	76	65	81.7	91.5
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	104	106	88.9	99.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	107	101	61.8	82.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)	97	79	80.2	74.5
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	384	351	76.2	86.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	31	31	103.3	93.9
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	176	165	89.8	68.5
Bringing drugs into prison	6	2	300.0	22.2
Supply of drugs - Total	213	198	93.4	70.0
Possession of drugs	1 123	1 128	87.2	84.1
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	4	9	66.7	150.0
Total drugs crimes	1 340	1 335	88.0	81.9
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	315	471	96.3	96.5
Other Group 5 crimes	538	654	95.2	97.2

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 4.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	504	407	16.4	13.3
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	210	178	6.8	5.8
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	294	229	9.6	7.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	93	71	3.0	2.3
Possession of an offensive weapon	82	67	2.7	2.2
Restriction of offensive weapons	2	1	0.1	0.0
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	6	3	0.2	0.1
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	3	-	0.1	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	117	107	3.8	3.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	103	98	3.4	3.2
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	3	7	0.1	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	11	2	0.4	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	173	123	5.6	4.0
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	169	118	5.5	3.8
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4	4	0.1	0.1
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	121	106	3.9	3.5
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	115	105	3.8	3.4
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	1	0.1	0.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	-	0.1	-
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	384	351	76.2	86.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	180	171	85.7	96.1
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	204	180	69.4	78.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	76	65	81.7	91.5
Possession of an offensive weapon	67	62	81.7	92.5
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	-	50.0	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	5	3	83.3	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	3	-	100.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	104	106	88.9	99.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	89	97	86.4	99.0
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	3	7	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	12	2	109.1	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	107	101	61.8	82.1
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	103	97	60.9	82.2
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4	3	100.0	75.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	97	79	80.2	74.5
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	91	78	79.1	74.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	1	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	-	100.0	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 4.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 044	5 703	197.1	186.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 350	1 944	76.6	63.4
Common assault of emergency worker	318	389	10.4	12.7
Total common assaults	2 668	2 333	87.0	76.1
Breach of the peace	83	64	2.7	2.1
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 419	2 175	78.9	70.9
Stalking	36	37	1.2	1.2
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 538	2 276	82.8	74.2
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	87	99	2.8	3.2
Drunk and incapable	10	1	0.3	0.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	78	89	2.5	2.9
Other alcohol related offences	26	6	0.8	0.2
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	114	96	3.7	3.1
Wildlife offences	12	45	0.4	1.5
Other Group 6 offences	625	854	20.4	27.9

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	4 743	4 620	78.5	81.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 627	1 410	69.2	72.5
Common assault of emergency worker	317	382	99.7	98.2
Total common assaults	1 944	1 792	72.9	76.8
Breach of the peace	83	59	100.0	92.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 017	1 876	83.4	86.3
Stalking	30	34	83.3	91.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 130	1 969	83.9	86.5
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	78	97	89.7	98.0
Drunk and incapable	10	1	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	78	89	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	24	6	92.3	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	112	96	98.2	100.0
Wildlife offences	10	28	83.3	62.2
Other Group 6 offences	469	638	75.0	74.7

TABLE 4.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 116	4 406	134.2	143.7
Dangerous driving offences	111	132	3.6	4.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	297	325	9.7	10.6
Speeding offences	1 132	1 164	36.9	38.0
Driving while disqualified	66	53	2.2	1.7
Driving without a licence	178	229	5.8	7.5
Failure to insure against third party risks	441	622	14.4	20.3
Seat belt offences	76	64	2.5	2.1
Mobile phone offences	77	50	2.5	1.6
Driving carelessly	248	246	8.1	8.0
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	72	119	2.3	3.9
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	482	315	15.7	10.3
Other Group 7 offences	936	1 087	30.5	35.4

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 570	3 959	86.7	89.9
Dangerous driving offences	89	104	80.2	78.8
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	269	277	90.6	85.2
Speeding offences	1 110	1 159	98.1	99.6
Driving while disqualified	61	49	92.4	92.5
Driving without a licence	172	225	96.6	98.3
Failure to insure against third party risks	410	613	93.0	98.6
Seat belt offences	74	64	97.4	100.0
Mobile phone offences	81	51	105.2	102.0
Driving carelessly	220	226	88.7	91.9
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	65	117	90.3	98.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	472	314	97.9	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	547	760	58.4	69.9

TABLE 4.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Forth Valley):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	279	132
Fatal	9	10
Serious	75	49
Slight	195	73
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	84	59
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	5	1

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 4.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):
Number of incidents by type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	74 389	66 017	2 425.9	2 152.9
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	15 697	19 735	511.9	643.6
Complaint	3 273	7 274	106.7	237.2
Disturbance	4 199	4 052	136.9	132.1
Noise	3 060	3 101	99.8	101.1
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	57	13	1.9	0.4
Neighbour dispute	1 241	1 644	40.5	53.6
Vandalism	1 549	1 376	50.5	44.9
Communications	2 318	2 275	75.6	74.2
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	11 167	7 675	364.2	250.3
Road traffic matter	6 908	4 859	225.3	158.5
Road traffic collision	3 565	2 180	116.3	71.1
Road traffic offence	665	610	21.7	19.9
Other transport incidents	29	26	0.9	0.8
Crime related incidents¹⁰	7 670	5 596	250.1	182.5
Theft	3 286	2 292	107.2	74.7
Assault	1 932	1 565	63.0	51.0
Housebreaking	865	593	28.2	19.3
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	1 587	1 146	51.8	37.4
Other incident types	39 855	33 011	1 299.7	1 076.5

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 4.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):
Number of incidents by type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	2,437	1,754

TABLE 5.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	4 269	4 470	201	4.7
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	44.2	42.7	x	% Point Change - 1.5

TABLE 5.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	23 210	19 400	442.2	369.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	822	634	15.7	12.1
Group 2: sexual crimes	950	956	18.1	18.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	13 154	10 045	250.6	191.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	4 000	3 339	76.2	63.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	4 284	4 426	81.6	84.3

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	9 190	8 771	39.6	45.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	553	470	67.3	74.1
Group 2: sexual crimes	540	615	56.8	64.3
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 451	2 769	26.2	27.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	799	845	20.0	25.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 847	4 072	89.8	92.0

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 5.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	822	634	15.7	12.1
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	2	0.1	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	0.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	4	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	18	19	0.3	0.4
Serious assault	260	180	5.0	3.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	207	161	3.9	3.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	153	106	-	-
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	11	1	-	-
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	164	107	-	-
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	57	55	1.1	1.0
Threats and extortion	57	70	1.1	1.3
Other group 1 crimes	49	36	0.9	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	553	470	67.3	74.1
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	5	2	125.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	4	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	18	17	100.0	89.5
Serious assault	186	143	71.5	79.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	148	135	71.5	83.9
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	94	80	-	75.5
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	8	1	-	100.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	102	81	-	75.7
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	53	48	93.0	87.3
Threats and extortion	15	14	26.3	20.0
Other group 1 crimes	20	26	40.8	72.2

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 5.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	950	956	18.1	18.2
Rape	129	178	2.5	3.4
Assault with intent to rape	7	10	0.1	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	136	188	2.6	3.6
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	24	16	0.5	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	280	194	5.3	3.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	94	95	1.8	1.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	398	305	7.6	5.8
Prostitution related crime - Total	3	5	0.1	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	36	56	0.7	1.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	104	126	2.0	2.4
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	16	26	0.3	0.5
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	31	32	0.6	0.6
Public indecency (common law) ³	19	12	0.4	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	138	127	2.6	2.4
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	26	32	0.5	0.6
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	43	47	0.8	0.9
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	413	458	7.9	8.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	540	615	56.8	64.3
Rape	64	106	49.6	59.6
Assault with intent to rape	9	8	128.6	80.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	73	114	53.7	60.6
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	18	9	75.0	56.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	131	108	46.8	55.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	79	77	84.0	81.1
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	228	194	57.3	63.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	2	3	66.7	60.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	35	53	97.2	94.6
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	66	87	63.5	69.0
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	9	16	56.3	61.5
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	18	38.7	56.3
Public indecency (common law) ³	8	9	42.1	75.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	70	74	50.7	58.3
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	17	26	65.4	81.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	20	21	46.5	44.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	237	304	57.4	66.4

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 5.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	13 154	10 045	250.6	191.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	715	428	13.6	8.2
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	371	680	7.1	13.0
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	338	271	6.4	5.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	1 424	1 379	27.1	26.3
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	1 654	1 176	31.5	22.4
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	200	145	3.8	2.8
Common theft ⁶	3 691	2 056	70.3	39.2
Theft by shoplifting	3 188	2 037	60.7	38.8
Fraud	1 096	1 307	20.9	24.9
Other Group 3 crimes	1 901	1 945	36.2	37.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 451	2 769	26.2	27.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	184	135	25.7	31.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	44	70	11.9	10.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	125	105	37.0	38.7
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	353	310	24.8	22.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	204	285	12.3	24.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	27	24	13.5	16.6
Common theft ⁶	554	420	15.0	20.4
Theft by shoplifting	1 696	1 068	53.2	52.4
Fraud	307	242	28.0	18.5
Other Group 3 crimes	310	420	16.3	21.6

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 5.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	4 000	3 339	76.2	63.6
Fire-raising	154	166	2.9	3.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	3 537	2 850	67.4	54.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	4	1	0.1	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	296	313	5.6	6.0
Other Group 4 crimes	9	9	0.2	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	799	845	20.0	25.3
Fire-raising	22	32	14.3	19.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	674	642	19.1	22.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	3	1	75.0	100.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	98	168	33.1	53.7
Other Group 4 crimes	2	2	22.2	22.2

TABLE 5.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	4 284	4 426	81.6	84.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	91	105	1.7	2.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	187	178	3.6	3.4
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	140	180	2.7	3.4
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	144	101	2.7	1.9
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	562	564	10.7	10.7
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	29	45	0.6	0.9
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	310	331	5.9	6.3
Bringing drugs into prison	23	16	0.4	0.3
Supply of drugs - Total	362	392	6.9	7.5
Possession of drugs	1 999	1 624	38.1	30.9
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	10	19	0.2	0.4
Total drugs crimes	2 371	2 035	45.2	38.8
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	5	-	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	641	986	12.2	18.8
Other Group 5 crimes	710	836	13.5	15.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	3 847	4 072	89.8	92.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	81	98	89.0	93.3
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	172	166	92.0	93.3
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	114	136	81.4	75.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	106	78	73.6	77.2
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	473	478	84.2	84.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	26	43	89.7	95.6
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	286	239	92.3	72.2
Bringing drugs into prison	4	3	17.4	18.8
Supply of drugs - Total	316	285	87.3	72.7
Possession of drugs	1 736	1 524	86.8	93.8
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	-	7	-	36.8
Total drugs crimes	2 052	1 816	86.5	89.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	2	-	40.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	628	966	98.0	98.0
Other Group 5 crimes	694	810	97.7	96.9

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here :- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 5.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
(Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3))

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	562	564	10.7	10.7
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	278	283	5.3	5.4
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	284	281	5.4	5.4
			0.0	0.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	91	105	1.7	2.0
Possession of an offensive weapon	83	102	1.6	1.9
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	-	0.0	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	2	0.1	0.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	4	1	0.1	0.0
			0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	187	178	3.6	3.4
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	176	172	3.4	3.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	4	0.0	0.1
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	10	2	0.2	0.0
			0.0	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	140	180	2.7	3.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	137	175	2.6	3.3
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	4	0.1	0.1
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
			0.0	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	144	101	2.7	1.9
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	140	99	2.7	1.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	2	0.1	0.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	-	0.0	-

Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	473	478	84.2	84.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	253	264	91.0	93.3
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	220	214	77.5	76.2
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	81	98	89.0	93.3
Possession of an offensive weapon	73	95	88.0	93.1
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	-	100.0	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	2	100.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	4	1	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	172	166	92.0	93.3
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	161	160	91.5	93.0
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	4	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	10	2	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	114	136	81.4	75.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	112	132	81.8	75.4
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	2	3	66.7	75.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	106	78	73.6	77.2
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	101	75	72.1	75.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	3	100.0	150.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	-	200.0	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 5.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	9 821	8 881	187.1	169.2
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	4 448	3 655	84.7	69.6
Common assault of emergency worker	454	457	8.6	8.7
Total common assaults	4 902	4 112	93.4	78.3
Breach of the peace	230	124	4.4	2.4
Threatening and abusive behaviour	3 192	3 144	60.8	59.9
Stalking	70	70	1.3	1.3
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	3 492	3 338	66.5	63.6
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	232	249	4.4	4.7
Drunk and incapable	23	11	0.4	0.2
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	30	11	0.6	0.2
Other alcohol related offences	77	16	1.5	0.3
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	130	38	2.5	0.7
Wildlife Offences	5	3	0.1	0.1
Other Group 6 offences	1 060	1 141	20.2	21.7

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 388	5 913	65.0	66.6
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 394	2 033	53.8	55.6
Common assault of emergency worker	446	450	98.2	98.5
Total common assaults	2 840	2 483	57.9	60.4
Breach of the peace	230	115	100.0	92.7
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 245	2 211	70.3	70.3
Stalking	50	51	71.4	72.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 525	2 377	72.3	71.2
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	194	237	83.6	95.2
Drunk and incapable	23	11	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	30	11	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	81	16	105.2	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	134	38	103.1	100.0
Wildlife Offences	1	2	20.0	66.7
Other Group 6 offences	694	776	65.5	68.0

TABLE 5.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 348	5 505	120.9	104.9
Dangerous driving offences	160	237	3.0	4.5
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	307	381	5.8	7.3
Speeding offences	325	262	6.2	5.0
Driving while disqualified	114	111	2.2	2.1
Driving without a licence	339	447	6.5	8.5
Failure to insure against third party risks	994	1 410	18.9	26.9
Seat belt offences	136	53	2.6	1.0
Mobile phone offences	158	61	3.0	1.2
Driving carelessly	560	529	10.7	10.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	310	119	5.9	2.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	967	543	18.4	10.3
Other Group 7 offences	1 978	1 352	37.7	25.8

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 059	4 666	79.7	84.8
Dangerous driving offences	137	196	85.6	82.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	289	318	94.1	83.5
Speeding offences	326	262	100.3	100.0
Driving while disqualified	114	112	100.0	100.9
Driving without a licence	336	439	99.1	98.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	970	1 392	97.6	98.7
Seat belt offences	135	53	99.3	100.0
Mobile phone offences	151	60	95.6	98.4
Driving carelessly	485	488	86.6	92.2
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	309	119	99.7	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	959	533	99.2	98.2
Other Group 7 offences	848	694	42.9	51.3

TABLE 5.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	701	342
Fatal	2	3
Serious	159	104
Slight	540	235
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	161	107
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	13	12

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 5.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	138 350	117 704	2 635.6	2 242.3
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	28 377	35 904	540.6	684.0
Complaint	6 848	14 286	130.5	272.2
Disturbance	7 465	6 854	142.2	130.6
Noise	6 885	7 356	131.2	140.1
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	97	56	1.8	1.1
Neighbour dispute	1 471	1 974	28.0	37.6
Vandalism	2 857	2 487	54.4	47.4
Communications	2 754	2 891	52.5	55.1
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	15 868	10 369	302.3	197.5
Road traffic matter	8 856	5 720	168.7	109.0
Road traffic collision	5 632	3 135	107.3	59.7
Road traffic offence	1 256	1 418	23.9	27.0
Other transport incidents	124	96	2.4	1.8
Crime related incidents¹⁰	19 680	13 422	374.9	255.7
Theft	9 804	6 495	186.8	123.7
Assault	3 722	2 637	70.9	50.2
Housebreaking	1 822	1 512	34.7	28.8
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	4 332	2 778	82.5	52.9
Other incident types	74 425	58 009	1 417.8	1 105.1

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 5.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	3 864	2 801

TABLE 6.1				
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):				
<i>Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	4 435	4 858	423	9.5
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	41.0	41.6	x	% Point Change 0.6

TABLE 6.2				
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):				
<i>Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	14 500	13 919	291.1	279.4
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	435	485	8.7	9.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	804	917	16.1	18.4
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	6 898	6 078	138.5	122.0
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	3 209	2 886	64.4	57.9
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 154	3 553	63.3	71.3

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 901	7 098	47.6	51.0
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	345	376	79.3	77.5
Group 2: sexual crimes	483	589	60.1	64.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 209	2 065	32.0	34.0
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	818	802	25.5	27.8
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 046	3 266	96.6	91.9

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 6.3				
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):				
<i>Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	435	485	8.7	9.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	-	0.0	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	2	0.1	0.0
Attempted murder	11	13	0.2	0.3
Serious assault	191	188	3.8	3.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	73	72	1.5	1.4
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	50	80	1.0	1.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	2	1	0.0	0.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	52	81	1.0	1.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	59	41	1.2	0.8
Threats and extortion	13	54	0.3	1.1
Other group 1 crimes	29	34	0.6	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	345	376	79.3	77.5
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	3	100.0	150.0
Attempted murder	11	11	100.0	84.6
Serious assault	160	159	83.8	84.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	55	53	75.3	73.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	37	64	-	80.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	2	1	-	100.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	39	65	-	80.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	51	40	86.4	97.6
Threats and extortion	10	16	76.9	29.6
Other group 1 crimes	12	29	41.4	85.3

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 6.4
Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	804	917	16.1	18.4
Rape	182	138	3.7	2.8
Assault with intent to rape	5	5	0.1	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	187	143	3.8	2.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	15	10	0.3	0.2
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	220	241	4.4	4.8
Lewd & libidinous practices	94	64	1.9	1.3
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	329	315	6.6	6.3
Prostitution related crime - Total	2	-	0.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	36	52	0.7	1.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	40	86	0.8	1.7
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	24	48	0.5	1.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	33	33	0.7	0.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	5	4	0.1	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	100	156	2.0	3.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	13	13	0.3	0.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	35	67	0.7	1.3
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	286	459	5.7	9.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	483	589	60.1	64.2
Rape	112	104	61.5	75.4
Assault with intent to rape	3	6	60.0	120.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	115	110	61.5	76.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	12	3	80.0	30.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	126	156	57.3	64.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	66	46	70.2	71.9
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	204	205	62.0	65.1
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	34	51	94.4	98.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	25	52	62.5	60.5
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	15	18	62.5	37.5
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	23	23	69.7	69.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	4	3	80.0	75.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	41	78	41.0	50.0
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	8	15	61.5	115.4
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	14	34	40.0	50.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	164	274	57.3	59.7

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 6.5
Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	6 898	6 078	138.5	122.0
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	324	189	6.5	3.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	228	221	4.6	4.4
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	248	212	5.0	4.3
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	800	622	16.1	12.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	1 074	828	21.6	16.6
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	115	79	2.3	1.6
Common theft ⁶	2 012	1 621	40.4	32.5
Theft by shoplifting	1 799	1 471	36.1	29.5
Fraud	590	934	11.8	18.7
Other Group 3 crimes	508	523	10.2	10.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 209	2 065	32.0	34.0
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	102	56	31.5	29.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	31	26	13.6	11.8
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	62	124	25.0	58.5
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	195	206	24.4	33.1
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	281	292	26.2	35.3
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	16	9	13.9	11.4
Common theft ⁶	392	336	19.5	20.7
Theft by shoplifting	955	818	53.1	55.6
Fraud	167	184	28.3	19.7
Other Group 3 crimes	203	220	40.0	42.1

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 6.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	3 209	2 886	64.4	57.9
Fire-raising	183	151	3.7	3.0
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 872	2 552	57.7	51.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	3	7	0.1	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	141	166	2.8	3.3
Other Group 4 crimes	10	10	0.2	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	818	802	25.5	27.8
Fire-raising	41	32	22.4	21.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	706	658	24.6	25.8
Reckless conduct with a firearm	3	2	100.0	28.6
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	67	108	47.5	65.1
Other Group 4 crimes	1	2	10.0	20.0

TABLE 6.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	3 154	3 553	63.3	71.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	119	124	2.4	2.5
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	120	127	2.4	2.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	105	96	2.1	1.9
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	53	55	1.1	1.1
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	397	402	8.0	8.1
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	44	59	0.9	1.2
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	147	167	3.0	3.4
Bringing drugs into prison	12	50	0.2	1.0
Supply of drugs - Total	203	276	4.1	5.5
Possession of drugs	1 489	1 446	29.9	29.0
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	12	8	0.2	0.2
Total drugs crimes	1 704	1 730	34.2	34.7
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	4	1	0.1	0.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	514	802	10.3	16.1
Other Group 5 crimes	535	618	10.7	12.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	3 046	3 266	96.6	91.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	112	117	94.1	94.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	114	120	95.0	94.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	84	87	80.0	90.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	41	45	77.4	81.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	351	369	88.4	91.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	43	54	97.7	91.5
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	166	139	112.9	83.2
Bringing drugs into prison	6	5	50.0	10.0
Supply of drugs - Total	215	198	105.9	71.7
Possession of drugs	1 440	1 317	96.7	91.1
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	5	3	41.7	37.5
Total drugs crimes	1 660	1 518	97.4	87.7
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	4	1	100.0	100.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	513	780	99.8	97.3
Other Group 5 crimes	518	598	96.8	96.8

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 6.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	397	402	8.0	8.1
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	239	251	4.8	5.0
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	158	151	3.2	3.0
			0.0	0.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	119	124	2.4	2.5
Possession of an offensive weapon	113	111	2.3	2.2
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	4	10	0.1	0.2
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	2	3	0.0	0.1
			0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	120	127	2.4	2.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	111	115	2.2	2.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	5	9	0.1	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	4	3	0.1	0.1
			0.0	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	105	96	2.1	1.9
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	102	95	2.0	1.9
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	1	0.1	0.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
			0.0	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	53	55	1.1	1.1
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	52	53	1.0	1.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	2	0.0	0.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-

Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	351	369	88.4	91.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	226	237	94.6	94.4
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	125	132	79.1	87.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	112	117	94.1	94.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	106	103	93.8	92.8
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	4	11	100.0	110.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	2	3	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	114	120	95.0	94.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	106	108	95.5	93.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	4	9	80.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	4	3	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	84	87	80.0	90.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	80	86	78.4	90.5
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	1	100.0	100.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	1	-	#DIV/0!	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	41	45	77.4	81.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	40	43	76.9	81.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	2	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 6.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	7 341	7 734	147.4	155.3
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	3 036	3 084	60.9	61.9
Common assault of emergency worker	309	343	6.2	6.9
Total common assaults	3 345	3 427	67.1	68.8
Breach of the peace	107	83	2.1	1.7
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 661	2 895	53.4	58.1
Stalking	59	93	1.2	1.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 827	3 071	56.7	61.6
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	108	107	2.2	2.1
Drunk and incapable	36	24	0.7	0.5
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	29	29	0.6	0.6
Other alcohol related offences	38	18	0.8	0.4
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	103	71	2.1	1.4
Wildlife Offences	27	33	0.5	0.7
Other Group 6 offences	931	1 025	18.7	20.6

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 452	5 665	74.3	73.2
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 918	2 061	63.2	66.8
Common assault of emergency worker	304	337	98.4	98.3
Total common assaults	2 222	2 398	66.4	70.0
Breach of the peace	104	78	97.2	94.0
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 177	2 300	81.8	79.4
Stalking	55	77	93.2	82.8
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 336	2 455	82.6	79.9
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	96	102	88.9	95.3
Drunk and incapable	35	24	97.2	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	28	29	96.6	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	38	18	100.0	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	101	71	98.1	100.0
Wildlife Offences	8	18	29.6	54.5
Other Group 6 offences	689	621	74.0	60.6

TABLE 6.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 606	5 025	92.5	100.9
Dangerous driving offences	173	215	3.5	4.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	418	413	8.4	8.3
Speeding offences	275	241	5.5	4.8
Driving while disqualified	92	97	1.8	1.9
Driving without a licence	345	498	6.9	10.0
Failure to insure against third party risks	959	1 471	19.3	29.5
Seat belt offences	60	43	1.2	0.9
Mobile phone offences	62	40	1.2	0.8
Driving carelessly	422	437	8.5	8.8
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	59	34	1.2	0.7
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	517	351	10.4	7.0
Other Group 7 offences	1 224	1 185	24.6	23.8

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 816	4 270	82.8	85.0
Dangerous driving offences	162	179	93.6	83.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	402	341	96.2	82.6
Speeding offences	273	240	99.3	99.6
Driving while disqualified	91	97	98.9	100.0
Driving without a licence	341	494	98.8	99.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	953	1 465	99.4	99.6
Seat belt offences	60	42	100.0	97.7
Mobile phone offences	59	40	95.2	100.0
Driving carelessly	389	385	92.2	88.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	58	34	98.3	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	513	354	99.2	100.9
Other Group 7 offences	515	599	42.1	50.5

TABLE 6.11

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	615	347
Fatal	8	8
Serious	166	116
Slight	441	223
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	174	124
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	18	10

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 6.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	110 427	100 647	2 216.7	2 020.4
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	20 019	27 260	401.9	547.2
Complaint	4 172	10 074	83.7	202.2
Disturbance	5 351	5 630	107.4	113.0
Noise	3 062	3 767	61.5	75.6
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	61	31	1.2	0.6
Neighbour dispute	1 730	2 229	34.7	44.7
Vandalism	2 257	2 111	45.3	42.4
Communications	3 386	3 418	68.0	68.6
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	17 391	12 130	349.1	243.5
Road traffic matter	10 238	7 189	205.5	144.3
Road traffic collision	5 646	3 342	113.3	67.1
Road traffic offence	1 454	1 542	29.2	31.0
Other transport incidents	53	57	1.1	1.1
Crime related incidents¹⁰	12 412	9 154	249.2	183.8
Theft	5 188	3 966	104.1	79.6
Assault	2 831	2 134	56.8	42.8
Housebreaking	1 333	1 025	26.8	20.6
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	3 060	2 029	61.4	40.7
Other incident types	60 605	52 103	1 216.6	1 045.9

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 6.13

Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	3,343	2,567

TABLE 7.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 478	3 789	311	8.9
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	47.6	44.5	x	% Point Change - 3.1

TABLE 7.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	10 453	10 531	279.8	281.9
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	441	476	11.8	12.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	846	852	22.6	22.8
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	4 799	4 391	128.5	117.5
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 033	2 117	54.4	56.7
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 334	2 695	62.5	72.1

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 521	6 799	62.4	64.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	386	411	87.5	86.3
Group 2: sexual crimes	551	624	65.1	73.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 679	2 452	55.8	55.8
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	719	820	35.4	38.7
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 186	2 492	93.7	92.5

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 7.3

Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	441	476	11.8	12.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	1	0.1	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	8	2	0.2	0.1
Attempted murder	21	18	0.6	0.5
Serious assault	174	172	4.7	4.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	47	59	1.3	1.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	98	90	2.6	2.4
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	5	5	0.1	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	103	95	2.8	2.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	41	38	1.1	1.0
Threats and extortion	16	63	0.4	1.7
Other group 1 crimes	27	28	0.7	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	386	411	87.5	86.3
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	1	75.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	8	2	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	20	19	95.2	105.6
Serious assault	157	163	90.2	94.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	46	59	97.9	100.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	83	78	-	86.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	5	4	-	80.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	88	82	-	86.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	34	41	82.9	107.9
Threats and extortion	11	17	68.8	27.0
Other group 1 crimes	19	27	70.4	96.4

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 7.4
Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	846	852	22.6	22.8
Rape	147	145	3.9	3.9
Assault with intent to rape	6	7	0.2	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	153	152	4.1	4.1
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	31	14	0.8	0.4
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	199	200	5.3	5.4
Lewd & libidinous practices	99	62	2.7	1.7
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	329	276	8.8	7.4
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	1	0.0	0.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	34	38	0.9	1.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	82	76	2.2	2.0
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	7	27	0.2	0.7
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	27	33	0.7	0.9
Public indecency (common law) ³	13	5	0.3	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	132	175	3.5	4.7
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	32	23	0.9	0.6
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	36	46	1.0	1.2
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	363	423	9.7	11.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	551	624	65.1	73.2
Rape	101	121	68.7	83.4
Assault with intent to rape	5	4	83.3	57.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	106	125	69.3	82.2
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	11	31	35.5	221.4
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	128	144	64.3	72.0
Lewd & libidinous practices	55	60	55.6	96.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	194	235	59.0	85.1
Prostitution related crime - Total	2	1	200.0	100.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	33	35	97.1	92.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	65	37	79.3	48.7
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	5	14	71.4	51.9
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	13	32	48.1	97.0
Public indecency (common law) ³	16	8	123.1	160.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	81	83	61.4	47.4
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	15	24	46.9	104.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	21	30	58.3	65.2
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	249	263	68.6	62.2

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 7.5
Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	4 799	4 391	128.5	117.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	216	180	5.8	4.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	276	125	7.4	3.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	78	94	2.1	2.5
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	570	399	15.3	10.7
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	476	434	12.7	11.6
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	87	47	2.3	1.3
Common theft ⁶	1 157	1 119	31.0	30.0
Theft by shoplifting	1 680	1 168	45.0	31.3
Fraud	515	788	13.8	21.1
Other Group 3 crimes	314	436	8.4	11.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 679	2 452	55.8	55.8
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	82	82	38.0	45.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	196	44	71.0	35.2
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	38	60	48.7	63.8
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	316	186	55.4	46.6
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	152	172	31.9	39.6
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	18	25	20.7	53.2
Common theft ⁶	392	487	33.9	43.5
Theft by shoplifting	1 379	940	82.1	80.5
Fraud	267	344	51.8	43.7
Other Group 3 crimes	155	298	49.4	68.3

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 7.6
Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 033	2 117	54.4	56.7
Fire-raising	84	123	2.2	3.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 937	1 986	51.9	53.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	1	0.1	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	1	1	0.0	0.0
Other Group 4 crimes	9	6	0.2	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	719	820	35.4	38.7
Fire-raising	25	50	29.8	40.7
Vandalism/malicious mischief	692	768	35.7	38.7
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	2	50.0	200.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	1	-	100.0	-
Other Group 4 crimes	-	-	-	-

TABLE 7.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 334	2 695	62.5	72.1
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	54	63	1.4	1.7
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	68	78	1.8	2.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	138	170	3.7	4.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	71	71	1.9	1.9
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	331	382	8.9	10.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	41	41	1.1	1.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	84	117	2.2	3.1
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	125	158	3.3	4.2
Possession of drugs	858	879	23.0	23.5
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	16	0.1	0.4
Total drugs crimes	985	1 053	26.4	28.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	489	550	13.1	14.7
Other Group 5 crimes	529	710	14.2	19.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 186	2 492	93.7	92.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	48	61	88.9	96.8
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	66	71	97.1	91.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	120	142	87.0	83.5
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	65	57	91.5	80.3
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	299	331	90.3	86.6
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	34	42	82.9	102.4
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	95	87	113.1	74.4
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	129	129	103.2	81.6
Possession of drugs	779	804	90.8	91.5
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	3	10	150.0	62.5
Total drugs crimes	911	943	92.5	89.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	455	522	93.0	94.9
Other Group 5 crimes	520	696	98.3	98.0

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 7.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	331	382	8.9	10.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	122	141	3.3	3.8
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	209	241	5.6	6.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	54	63	1.4	1.7
Possession of an offensive weapon	52	63	1.4	1.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	2	-	0.1	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	68	78	1.8	2.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	66	71	1.8	1.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	2	7	0.1	0.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	138	170	3.7	4.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	137	170	3.7	4.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	1	-	0.0	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	71	71	1.9	1.9
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	70	71	1.9	1.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	-	0.0	-
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	299	331	90.3	86.6
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	114	132	93.4	93.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	185	199	88.5	82.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	48	61	88.9	96.8
Possession of an offensive weapon	45	61	86.5	96.8
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	3	-	150.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	66	71	97.1	91.0
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	63	64	95.5	90.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	3	7	150.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	120	142	87.0	83.5
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	120	142	87.6	83.5
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	65	57	91.5	80.3
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	64	57	91.4	80.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	-	100.0	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 7.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 000	6 630	160.6	177.5
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 691	2 840	72.0	76.0
Common assault of emergency worker	279	324	7.5	8.7
Total common assaults	2 970	3 164	79.5	84.7
Breach of the peace	70	71	1.9	1.9
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 172	2 471	58.1	66.1
Stalking	68	56	1.8	1.5
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 310	2 598	61.8	69.5
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	110	98	2.9	2.6
Drunk and incapable	2	6	0.1	0.2
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	72	78	1.9	2.1
Other alcohol related offences	4	2	0.1	0.1
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	78	86	2.1	2.3
Wildlife offences	15	11	0.4	0.3
Other Group 6 offences	517	673	13.8	18.0

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	4 940	5 648	82.3	85.2
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 018	2 311	75.0	81.4
Common assault of emergency worker	284	323	101.8	99.7
Total common assaults	2 302	2 634	77.5	83.2
Breach of the peace	68	80	97.1	112.7
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 916	2 191	88.2	88.7
Stalking	59	60	86.8	107.1
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 043	2 331	88.4	89.7
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	97	89	88.2	90.8
Drunk and incapable	2	6	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	73	79	101.4	101.3
Other alcohol related offences	4	2	100.0	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	79	87	101.3	101.2
Wildlife offences	4	4	26.7	36.4
Other Group 6 offences	415	503	80.3	74.7

TABLE 7.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 768	4 261	154.4	114.1
Dangerous driving offences	127	148	3.4	4.0
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	292	268	7.8	7.2
Speeding offences	1 122	414	30.0	11.1
Driving while disqualified	76	60	2.0	1.6
Driving without a licence	275	344	7.4	9.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	647	846	17.3	22.6
Seat belt offences	497	197	13.3	5.3
Mobile phone offences	147	65	3.9	1.7
Driving carelessly	247	303	6.6	8.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	132	46	3.5	1.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	933	440	25.0	11.8
Other Group 7 offences	1 273	1 130	34.1	30.3

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 257	3 791	91.1	89.0
Dangerous driving offences	113	127	89.0	85.8
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	275	250	94.2	93.3
Speeding offences	1 121	416	99.9	100.5
Driving while disqualified	74	59	97.4	98.3
Driving without a licence	276	347	100.4	100.9
Failure to insure against third party risks	649	838	100.3	99.1
Seat belt offences	495	197	99.6	100.0
Mobile phone offences	147	64	100.0	98.5
Driving carelessly	224	277	90.7	91.4
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	125	45	94.7	97.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	928	439	99.5	99.8
Other Group 7 offences	830	732	65.2	64.8

TABLE 7.10

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Fife):

By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	322	205
Fatal	12	9
Serious	97	77
Slight	213	119
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	109	86
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	10	16

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 7.11

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	89 165	82 870	2 387.0	2 218.4
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	18 561	24 508	496.9	656.1
Complaint	3 744	8 732	100.2	233.8
Disturbance	4 657	4 999	124.7	133.8
Noise	3 934	4 069	105.3	108.9
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	62	18	1.7	0.5
Neighbour dispute	1 485	2 070	39.8	55.4
Vandalism	1 684	1 589	45.1	42.5
Communications	2 995	3 031	80.2	81.1
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	12 573	8 674	336.6	232.2
Road traffic matter	7 390	5 163	197.8	138.2
Road traffic collision	4 257	2 715	114.0	72.7
Road traffic offence	888	752	23.8	20.1
Other transport incidents	38	44	1.0	1.2
Crime related incidents¹⁰	9 775	7 339	261.7	196.5
Theft	4 263	2 946	114.1	78.9
Assault	2 442	2 079	65.4	55.7
Housebreaking	958	740	25.6	19.8
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 112	1 574	56.5	42.1
Other incident types	48 256	42 349	1 291.8	1 133.7

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 7.12

Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	3,096	1,887

TABLE 8.1				
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):				
<i>Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	7 978	7 869	- 109	-1.4
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	43.8	45.0	x	% Point Change 1.2

TABLE 8.2				
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):				
<i>Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	36 528	32 627	436.3	389.7
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	1 552	1 394	18.5	16.6
Group 2: sexual crimes	1 608	1 542	19.2	18.4
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	16 343	12 382	195.2	147.9
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	6 832	5 707	81.6	68.2
Group 5: other crimes ¹	10 193	11 602	121.7	138.6

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	16 850	17 149	46.1	52.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	919	886	59.2	63.6
Group 2: sexual crimes	751	729	46.7	47.3
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	4 835	4 021	29.6	32.5
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 478	1 577	21.6	27.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	8 867	9 936	87.0	85.6

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 8.3				
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):				
<i>Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)</i>				
Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	1 552	1 394	18.5	16.6
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	10	6	0.1	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	1	0.0	0.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	4	0.0	0.0
Attempted murder	57	52	0.7	0.6
Serious assault	731	646	8.7	7.7
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	316	303	3.8	3.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	155	135	1.9	1.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	4	7	0.0	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	159	142	1.9	1.7
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	69	84	0.8	1.0
Threats and extortion	34	93	0.4	1.1
Other group 1 crimes	173	63	2.1	0.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	919	886	59.2	63.6
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	9	7	90.0	116.7
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	1	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	2	100.0	50.0
Attempted murder	47	42	82.5	80.8
Serious assault	463	410	63.3	63.5
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	186	211	58.9	69.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	84	84	-	62.2
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	4	3	-	42.9
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	88	87	-	61.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	58	68	84.1	81.0
Threats and extortion	10	18	29.4	19.4
Other group 1 crimes	56	40	32.4	63.5

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 8.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	1 608	1 542	19.2	18.4
Rape	276	266	3.3	3.2
Assault with intent to rape	8	7	0.1	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	284	273	3.4	3.3
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	51	26	0.6	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	448	357	5.4	4.3
Lewd & libidinous practices	115	111	1.4	1.3
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	614	494	7.3	5.9
Prostitution related crime - Total	42	17	0.5	0.2
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	65	67	0.8	0.8
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	190	209	2.3	2.5
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	22	28	0.3	0.3
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	47	61	0.6	0.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	17	17	0.2	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	222	250	2.7	3.0
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	39	40	0.5	0.5
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	66	86	0.8	1.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	668	758	8.0	9.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	751	729	46.7	47.3
Rape	98	128	35.5	48.1
Assault with intent to rape	3	5	37.5	71.4
Rape and attempted rape - Total	101	133	35.6	48.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	14	14	27.5	53.8
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	197	174	44.0	48.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	59	33	51.3	29.7
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	270	221	44.0	44.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	33	8	78.6	47.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	55	43	84.6	64.2
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	102	103	53.7	49.3
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	8	11	36.4	39.3
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	24	30	51.1	49.2
Public indecency (common law) ³	7	12	41.2	70.6
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	106	101	47.7	40.4
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	21	33	53.8	82.5
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	24	34	36.4	39.5
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	347	367	51.9	48.4

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 8.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	16 343	12 382	195.2	147.9
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	1 148	672	13.7	8.0
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	150	237	1.8	2.8
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	748	486	8.9	5.8
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	2 046	1 395	24.4	16.7
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	1 938	1 773	23.1	21.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	204	153	2.4	1.8
Common theft ⁶	4 997	2 912	59.7	34.8
Theft by shoplifting	3 886	2 147	46.4	25.6
Fraud	1 780	2 070	21.3	24.7
Other Group 3 crimes	1 492	1 932	17.8	23.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	4 835	4 021	29.6	32.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	218	185	19.0	27.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	20	48	13.3	20.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	307	213	41.0	43.8
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	545	446	26.6	32.0
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	396	629	20.4	35.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	38	36	18.6	23.5
Common theft ⁶	900	726	18.0	24.9
Theft by shoplifting	2 184	1 243	56.2	57.9
Fraud	411	462	23.1	22.3
Other Group 3 crimes	361	479	24.2	24.8

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 8.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	6 832	5 707	81.6	68.2
Fire-raising	467	436	5.6	5.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	5 866	4 811	70.1	57.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	8	16	0.1	0.2
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	482	431	5.8	5.1
Other Group 4 crimes	9	13	0.1	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 478	1 577	21.6	27.6
Fire-raising	93	71	19.9	16.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 197	1 231	20.4	25.6
Reckless conduct with a firearm	4	6	50.0	37.5
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	183	264	38.0	61.3
Other Group 4 crimes	1	5	11.1	38.5

TABLE 8.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	10 193	11 602	121.7	138.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	273	346	3.3	4.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	510	539	6.1	6.4
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	927	1 080	11.1	12.9
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	441	435	5.3	5.2
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	2 151	2 400	25.7	28.7
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	71	74	0.8	0.9
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	650	620	7.8	7.4
Bringing drugs into prison	25	14	0.3	0.2
Supply of drugs - Total	746	708	8.9	8.5
Possession of drugs	4 817	5 065	57.5	60.5
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	22	13	0.3	0.2
Total drugs crimes	5 585	5 786	66.7	69.1
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	11	11	0.1	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	795	1 365	9.5	16.3
Other Group 5 crimes	1 651	2 040	19.7	24.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	8 867	9 936	87.0	85.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	231	304	84.6	87.9
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	452	473	88.6	87.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	468	602	50.5	55.7
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	258	230	58.5	52.9
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	1 409	1 609	65.5	67.0
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	60	65	84.5	87.8
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	617	535	94.9	86.3
Bringing drugs into prison	8	5	32.0	35.7
Supply of drugs - Total	685	605	91.8	85.5
Possession of drugs	4 511	4 554	93.6	89.9
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	11	11	50.0	84.6
Total drugs crimes	5 207	5 170	93.2	89.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	7	8	63.6	72.7
Bail offences (other than absconding)	704	1 249	88.6	91.5
Other Group 5 crimes	1 540	1 900	93.3	93.1

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 8.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	2 151	2 400	25.7	28.7
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	783	885	9.4	10.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	1 368	1 515	16.3	18.1
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	273	346	3.3	4.1
Possession of an offensive weapon	273	337	3.3	4.0
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	4	-	0.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	5	-	0.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	510	539	6.1	6.4
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	498	513	5.9	6.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	4	16	0.0	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	8	10	0.1	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	927	1 080	11.1	12.9
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	896	1 054	10.7	12.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	17	20	0.2	0.2
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	14	6	0.2	0.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	441	435	5.3	5.2
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	438	432	5.2	5.2
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	3	2	0.0	0.0
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	1 409	1 609	65.5	67.0
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	683	777	87.2	87.8
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	726	832	53.1	54.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	231	304	84.6	87.9
Possession of an offensive weapon	231	297	84.6	88.1
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	4	-	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	3	-	60.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	452	473	88.6	87.8
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	439	451	88.2	87.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	4	13	100.0	81.3
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	9	9	112.5	90.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	468	602	50.5	55.7
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	439	580	49.0	55.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	15	16	88.2	80.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	14	6	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	258	230	58.5	52.9
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	254	228	58.0	52.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	4	1	133.3	50.0

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 8.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	19 753	20 262	235.9	242.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	7 226	6 103	86.3	72.9
Common assault of emergency worker	1 314	1 400	15.7	16.7
Total common assaults	8 540	7 503	102.0	89.6
Breach of the peace	894	702	10.7	8.4
Threatening and abusive behaviour	6 662	7 147	79.6	85.4
Stalking	86	98	1.0	1.2
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	7 642	7 947	91.3	94.9
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	306	339	3.7	4.0
Drunk and incapable	37	35	0.4	0.4
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	1 321	2 435	15.8	29.1
Other alcohol related offences	121	22	1.4	0.3
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	1 479	2 492	17.7	29.8
Wildlife Offences	4	13	0.0	0.2
Other Group 6 offences	1 782	1 968	21.3	23.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	13 997	15 462	70.9	76.3
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	3 951	3 698	54.7	60.6
Common assault of emergency worker	1 246	1 373	94.8	98.1
Total common assaults	5 197	5 071	60.9	67.6
Breach of the peace	869	697	97.2	99.3
Threatening and abusive behaviour	4 939	5 563	74.1	77.8
Stalking	64	78	74.4	79.6
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	5 872	6 338	76.8	79.8
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	248	299	81.0	88.2
Drunk and incapable	37	35	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	1 323	2 426	100.2	99.6
Other alcohol related offences	119	23	98.3	104.5
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	1 479	2 484	100.0	99.7
Wildlife Offences	-	7	-	53.8
Other Group 6 offences	1 201	1 263	67.4	64.2

TABLE 8.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	12 877	14 112	153.8	168.5
Dangerous driving offences	408	469	4.9	5.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	629	857	7.5	10.2
Speeding offences	1 602	2 093	19.1	25.0
Driving while disqualified	108	141	1.3	1.7
Driving without a licence	622	811	7.4	9.7
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 388	2 303	16.6	27.5
Seat belt offences	300	191	3.6	2.3
Mobile phone offences	317	276	3.8	3.3
Driving carelessly	1 098	1 211	13.1	14.5
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	764	1 039	9.1	12.4
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	2 087	1 568	24.9	18.7
Other Group 7 offences	3 554	3 153	42.4	37.7

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	10 719	12 746	83.2	90.3
Dangerous driving offences	301	382	73.8	81.4
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	590	672	93.8	78.4
Speeding offences	1 604	2 091	100.1	99.9
Driving while disqualified	96	142	88.9	100.7
Driving without a licence	601	798	96.6	98.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 325	2 273	95.5	98.7
Seat belt offences	300	191	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	315	277	99.4	100.4
Driving carelessly	967	1 112	88.1	91.8
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	755	1 027	98.8	98.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	2 079	1 563	99.6	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	1 786	2 218	50.3	70.3

TABLE 8.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	929	524
Fatal	11	13
Serious	197	144
Slight	721	367
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	208	157
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	39	19

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 8.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	223 276	198 385	2 666.7	2 369.4
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	45 736	57 468	546.2	686.4
Complaint	12 483	22 466	149.1	268.3
Disturbance	14 786	13 357	176.6	159.5
Noise	7 419	9 720	88.6	116.1
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	284	108	3.4	1.3
Neighbour dispute	2 041	3 328	24.4	39.7
Vandalism	4 328	3 716	51.7	44.4
Communications	4 395	4 773	52.5	57.0
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	26 530	18 404	316.9	219.8
Road traffic matter	14 843	10 550	177.3	126.0
Road traffic collision	9 825	5 715	117.3	68.3
Road traffic offence	1 746	2 007	20.9	24.0
Other transport incidents	116	132	1.4	1.6
Crime related incidents¹⁰	26 535	18 156	316.9	216.8
Theft	11 603	7 518	138.6	89.8
Assault	6 514	4 772	77.8	57.0
Housebreaking	2 778	1 766	33.2	21.1
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	5 640	4 100	67.4	49.0
Other incident types	124 475	104 357	1 486.6	1 246.4

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 8.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	7 052	4 956

TABLE 9.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 469	3 463	- 6	-0.2
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	46.2	47.0	x	0.8

TABLE 9.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	12 722	12 258	344.4	331.9
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	402	373	10.9	10.1
Group 2: sexual crimes	626	500	16.9	13.5
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	5 813	5 379	157.4	145.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 645	2 398	71.6	64.9
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 236	3 608	87.6	97.7

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 942	6 827	54.6	55.7
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	271	266	67.4	71.3
Group 2: sexual crimes	323	279	51.6	55.8
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 734	2 392	47.0	44.5
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	672	614	25.4	25.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 942	3 276	90.9	90.8

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 9.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	402	373	10.9	10.1
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	5	3	0.1	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	2	0.0	0.1
Attempted murder	6	11	0.2	0.3
Serious assault	190	138	5.1	3.7
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	69	80	1.9	2.2
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	72	65	1.9	1.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	4	3	0.1	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	76	68	2.1	1.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	20	19	0.5	0.5
Threats and extortion	14	31	0.4	0.8
Group 5: other crimes ¹	21	21	0.6	0.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	271	266	67.4	71.3
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	3	80.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	-	100.0	-
Attempted murder	5	11	83.3	100.0
Serious assault	132	111	69.5	80.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	42	59	60.9	73.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	48	44	-	67.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	3	2	-	66.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	51	46	-	67.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	22	15	110.0	78.9
Threats and extortion	2	5	14.3	16.1
Other group 1 crimes	12	16	57.1	76.2

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 9.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	626	500	16.9	13.5
Rape	98	61	2.7	1.7
Assault with intent to rape	9	5	0.2	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	107	66	2.9	1.8
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	17	14	0.5	0.4
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	174	107	4.7	2.9
Lewd & libidinous practices	60	66	1.6	1.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	251	187	6.8	5.1
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	16	15	0.4	0.4
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	71	49	1.9	1.3
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	13	10	0.4	0.3
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	17	23	0.5	0.6
Public indecency (common law) ³	10	8	0.3	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	100	92	2.7	2.5
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	15	22	0.4	0.6
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	26	28	0.7	0.8
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	268	247	7.3	6.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	323	279	51.6	55.8
Rape	43	33	43.9	54.1
Assault with intent to rape	6	3	66.7	60.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	49	36	45.8	54.5
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	4	13	23.5	92.9
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	88	64	50.6	59.8
Lewd & libidinous practices	26	37	43.3	56.1
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	118	114	47.0	61.0
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	13	17	81.3	113.3
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	45	26	63.4	53.1
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	11	5	84.6	50.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	8	14	47.1	60.9
Public indecency (common law) ³	9	5	90.0	62.5
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	52	35	52.0	38.0
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	6	17	40.0	77.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	11	10	42.3	35.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	155	129	57.8	52.2

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 9.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	5 813	5 379	157.4	145.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	348	321	9.4	8.7
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	79	98	2.1	2.7
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	207	183	5.6	5.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	634	602	17.2	16.3
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	594	620	16.1	16.8
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	107	65	2.9	1.8
Common theft ⁶	1 798	1 614	48.7	43.7
Theft by shoplifting	1 947	1 419	52.7	38.4
Fraud	383	631	10.4	17.1
Other Group 3 crimes	350	428	9.5	11.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 734	2 392	47.0	44.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	96	89	27.6	27.7
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	20	34	25.3	34.7
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	84	83	40.6	45.4
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	200	206	31.5	34.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	188	264	31.6	42.6
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	29	22	27.1	33.8
Common theft ⁶	408	386	22.7	23.9
Theft by shoplifting	1 577	1 121	81.0	79.0
Fraud	144	135	37.6	21.4
Other Group 3 crimes	188	258	53.7	60.3

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 9.6
Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 645	2 398	71.6	64.9
Fire-raising	154	122	4.2	3.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 375	2 135	64.3	57.8
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	113	139	3.1	3.8
Other Group 4 crimes	3	2	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	672	614	25.4	25.6
Fire-raising	38	39	24.7	32.0
Vandalism/malicious mischief	570	482	24.0	22.6
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	62	93	54.9	66.9
Other Group 4 crimes	2	-	66.7	-

TABLE 9.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	3 236	3 608	87.6	97.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	83	105	2.2	2.8
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	137	175	3.7	4.7
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	78	69	2.1	1.9
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)	89	67	2.4	1.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	387	416	10.5	11.3
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	35	42	0.9	1.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	186	222	5.0	6.0
Bringing drugs into prison	6	16	0.2	0.4
Supply of drugs - Total	227	280	6.1	7.6
Possession of drugs	1 491	1 394	40.4	37.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	-	0.1	-
Total drugs crimes	1 720	1 674	46.6	45.3
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	482	804	13.0	21.8
Other Group 5 crimes	647	714	17.5	19.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 942	3 276	90.9	90.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	74	96	89.2	91.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	127	153	92.7	87.4
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	63	55	80.8	79.7
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)	67	56	75.3	83.6
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	331	360	85.5	86.5
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	35	37	100.0	88.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	151	203	81.2	91.4
Bringing drugs into prison	2	7	33.3	43.8
Supply of drugs - Total	188	247	82.8	88.2
Possession of drugs	1 320	1 232	88.5	88.4
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	-	100.0	-
Total drugs crimes	1 510	1 479	87.8	88.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	472	761	97.9	94.7
Other Group 5 crimes	629	676	97.2	94.7

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 9.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q2)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	387	416	10.5	11.3
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	220	280	6.0	7.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	167	136	4.5	3.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	83	105	2.2	2.8
Possession of an offensive weapon	81	104	2.2	2.8
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	2	-	0.1	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	1	-	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	137	175	3.7	4.7
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	131	165	3.5	4.5
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	4	8	0.1	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	2	2	0.1	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	78	69	2.1	1.9
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	78	69	2.1	1.9
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	89	67	2.4	1.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	86	64	2.3	1.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	1	0.0	0.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	2	0.1	0.1
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	331	360	85.5	86.5
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	201	249	91.4	88.9
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	130	111	77.8	81.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	74	96	89.2	91.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	74	95	91.4	91.3
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	1	-	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	127	153	92.7	87.4
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	121	149	92.4	90.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	4	3	100.0	37.5
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	2	1	100.0	50.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	63	55	80.8	79.7
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	63	54	80.8	78.3
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	#DIV/0!
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	67	56	75.3	83.6
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	65	53	75.6	82.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	2	100.0	100.0

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 9.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 851	6 667	185.5	180.5
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 522	2 245	68.3	60.8
Common assault of emergency worker	369	335	10.0	9.1
Total common assaults	2 891	2 580	78.3	69.9
Breach of the peace	400	189	10.8	5.1
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 520	2 715	68.2	73.5
Stalking	32	46	0.9	1.2
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 952	2 950	79.9	79.9
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	46	53	1.2	1.4
Drunk and incapable	3	6	0.1	0.2
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	316	363	8.6	9.8
Other alcohol related offences	29	9	0.8	0.2
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	348	378	9.4	10.2
Wildlife Offences	3	13	0.1	0.4
Other Group 6 offences	611	693	16.5	18.8

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 464	5 059	79.8	75.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 731	1 456	68.6	64.9
Common assault of emergency worker	361	326	97.8	97.3
Total common assaults	2 092	1 782	72.4	69.1
Breach of the peace	399	188	99.8	99.5
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 113	2 185	83.8	80.5
Stalking	29	28	90.6	60.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 541	2 401	86.1	81.4
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	46	45	100.0	84.9
Drunk and incapable	3	6	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	315	363	99.7	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	30	9	103.4	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	348	378	100.0	100.0
Wildlife Offences	3	6	100.0	46.2
Other Group 6 offences	434	447	71.0	64.5

TABLE 9.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 787	4 941	129.6	133.8
Dangerous driving offences	140	160	3.8	4.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	333	495	9.0	13.4
Speeding offences	908	861	24.6	23.3
Driving while disqualified	61	63	1.7	1.7
Driving without a licence	224	274	6.1	7.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	567	841	15.4	22.8
Seat belt offences	213	133	5.8	3.6
Mobile phone offences	108	77	2.9	2.1
Driving carelessly	365	357	9.9	9.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	128	137	3.5	3.7
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	508	490	13.8	13.3
Other Group 7 offences	1 232	1 053	33.4	28.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 348	4 495	90.8	91.0
Dangerous driving offences	117	143	83.6	89.4
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	321	438	96.4	88.5
Speeding offences	911	861	100.3	100.0
Driving while disqualified	58	62	95.1	98.4
Driving without a licence	220	273	98.2	99.6
Failure to insure against third party risks	550	842	97.0	100.1
Seat belt offences	213	133	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	108	77	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	342	318	93.7	89.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	128	137	100.0	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	510	485	100.4	99.0
Other Group 7 offences	870	726	70.6	68.9

TABLE 9.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	381	209
Fatal	9	5
Serious	121	76
Slight	251	128
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	130	81
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	14	7

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 9.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	88 949	81 956	2 408.2	2 218.9
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	17 376	22 856	470.4	618.8
Complaint	3 894	8 444	105.4	228.6
Disturbance	4 913	4 847	133.0	131.2
Noise	2 770	2 959	75.0	80.1
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	67	28	1.8	0.8
Neighbour dispute	1 411	2 021	38.2	54.7
Vandalism	1 929	1 811	52.2	49.0
Communications	2 392	2 746	64.8	74.3
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	12 382	8 815	335.2	238.7
Road traffic matter	7 561	5 416	204.7	146.6
Road traffic collision	3 932	2 541	106.5	68.8
Road traffic offence	820	809	22.2	21.9
Other transport incidents	69	49	1.9	1.3
Crime related incidents¹⁰	9 453	7 635	255.9	206.7
Theft	4 275	3 406	115.7	92.2
Assault	2 237	1 744	60.6	47.2
Housebreaking	1 102	937	29.8	25.4
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	1 839	1 548	49.8	41.9
Other incident types	49 738	42 650	1 346.6	1 154.7

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 9.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	3,206	2,347

TABLE 10.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	6 347	6 857	510	8.0
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	38.5	38.2	x	% Point Change - 0.3

TABLE 10.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	24 971	23 340	377.3	352.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	815	788	12.3	11.9
Group 2: sexual crimes	1 084	1 118	16.4	16.9
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	10 861	8 583	164.1	129.7
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	5 034	4 540	76.1	68.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	7 177	8 311	108.4	125.6

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	12 800	13 615	51.3	58.3
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	588	603	72.1	76.5
Group 2: sexual crimes	555	621	51.2	55.5
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 942	3 512	36.3	40.9
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 288	1 307	25.6	28.8
Group 5: other crimes ¹	6 427	7 572	89.5	91.1

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 10.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	815	788	12.3	11.9
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	5	10	0.1	0.2
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	0.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	4	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	19	22	0.3	0.3
Serious assault	450	371	6.8	5.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	128	114	1.9	1.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	74	94	1.1	1.4
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	2	5	0.0	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	76	99	1.1	1.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	53	60	0.8	0.9
Threats and extortion	24	65	0.4	1.0
Other group 1 crimes	54	43	0.8	0.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	588	603	72.1	76.5
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	5	10	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	5	100.0	125.0
Attempted murder	18	21	94.7	95.5
Serious assault	327	303	72.7	81.7
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	97	98	75.8	86.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	43	62	-	66.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	-	4	-	80.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	43	66	-	66.7
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	58	56	109.4	93.3
Threats and extortion	8	10	33.3	15.4
Other group 1 crimes	26	34	48.1	79.1

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 10.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	1 084	1 118	16.4	16.9
Rape	172	164	2.6	2.5
Assault with intent to rape	18	15	0.3	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	190	179	2.9	2.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	18	17	0.3	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	296	216	4.5	3.3
Lewd & libidinous practices	92	81	1.4	1.2
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	406	314	6.1	4.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	2	-	0.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	45	48	0.7	0.7
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	142	156	2.1	2.4
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	15	29	0.2	0.4
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	22	31	0.3	0.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	7	9	0.1	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	170	217	2.6	3.3
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	35	46	0.5	0.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	50	89	0.8	1.3
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	486	625	7.3	9.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	555	621	51.2	55.5
Rape	93	91	54.1	55.5
Assault with intent to rape	7	8	38.9	53.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	100	99	52.6	55.3
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	6	9	33.3	52.9
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	154	139	52.0	64.4
Lewd & libidinous practices	26	46	28.3	56.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	186	194	45.8	61.8
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	1	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	44	33	97.8	68.8
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	82	75	57.7	48.1
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	11	16	73.3	55.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	22	54.5	71.0
Public indecency (common law) ³	2	7	28.6	77.8
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	70	112	41.2	51.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	24	30	68.6	65.2
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	24	32	48.0	36.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	269	327	55.3	52.3

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 10.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	10 861	8 583	164.1	129.7
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	807	604	12.2	9.1
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	152	132	2.3	2.0
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	354	200	5.3	3.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	1 313	936	19.8	14.1
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	1 489	1 148	22.5	17.3
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	137	102	2.1	1.5
Common theft ⁶	3 063	2 236	46.3	33.8
Theft by shoplifting	2 990	1 921	45.2	29.0
Fraud	1 046	1 407	15.8	21.3
Other Group 3 crimes	823	833	12.4	12.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 942	3 512	36.3	40.9
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	147	139	18.2	23.0
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	32	39	21.1	29.5
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	119	95	33.6	47.5
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	298	273	22.7	29.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	387	468	26.0	40.8
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	24	20	17.5	19.6
Common theft ⁶	694	598	22.7	26.7
Theft by shoplifting	1 928	1 359	64.5	70.7
Fraud	268	365	25.6	25.9
Other Group 3 crimes	343	429	41.7	51.5

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 10.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	5 034	4 540	76.1	68.6
Fire-raising	344	325	5.2	4.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	4 403	3 922	66.5	59.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	6	4	0.1	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	276	280	4.2	4.2
Other Group 4 crimes	5	9	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 288	1 307	25.6	28.8
Fire-raising	59	59	17.2	18.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 113	1 067	25.3	27.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	2	33.3	50.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	114	179	41.3	63.9
Other Group 4 crimes	-	-	-	-

TABLE 10.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	7 177	8 311	108.4	125.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	190	207	2.9	3.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	343	355	5.2	5.4
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	453	600	6.8	9.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	277	252	4.2	3.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	1 263	1 414	19.1	21.4
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	72	77	1.1	1.2
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	337	352	5.1	5.3
Bringing drugs into prison	3	5	0.0	0.1
Supply of drugs - Total	412	434	6.2	6.6
Possession of drugs	3 372	3 646	50.9	55.1
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	13	6	0.2	0.1
Total drugs crimes	3 797	4 086	57.4	61.7
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	2	7	0.0	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	815	1 218	12.3	18.4
Other Group 5 crimes	1 300	1 586	19.6	24.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	6 427	7 572	89.5	91.1
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	162	185	85.3	89.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	306	325	89.2	91.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	315	442	69.5	73.7
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	172	176	62.1	69.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	955	1 128	75.6	79.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	59	78	81.9	101.3
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	294	302	87.2	85.8
Bringing drugs into prison	3	1	100.0	20.0
Supply of drugs - Total	356	381	86.4	87.8
Possession of drugs	3 095	3 355	91.8	92.0
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	9	4	69.2	66.7
Total drugs crimes	3 460	3 740	91.1	91.5
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	6	50.0	85.7
Bail offences (other than absconding)	745	1 159	91.4	95.2
Other Group 5 crimes	1 266	1 539	97.4	97.0

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here :- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 10.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	1 263	1 414	19.1	21.4
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	533	562	8.1	8.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	730	852	11.0	12.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	190	207	2.9	3.1
Possession of an offensive weapon	185	199	2.8	3.0
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	1	-	0.0
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	6	0.0	0.1
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	2	1	0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	343	355	5.2	5.4
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	336	346	5.1	5.2
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	2	6	0.0	0.1
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	5	3	0.1	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	453	600	6.8	9.1
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	446	592	6.7	8.9
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	2	8	0.0	0.1
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	5	-	0.1	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	277	252	4.2	3.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	277	250	4.2	3.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	955	1 128	75.6	79.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	468	510	87.8	90.7
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	487	618	66.7	72.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	162	185	85.3	89.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	157	179	84.9	89.9
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	1	-	100.0
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	5	100.0	83.3
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	2	-	100.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	306	325	89.2	91.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	300	316	89.3	91.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	2	6	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	4	3	80.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	315	442	69.5	73.7
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	308	434	69.1	73.3
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	2	8	100.0	100.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	5	-	100.0	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	172	176	62.1	69.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	172	174	62.1	69.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 10.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	13 647	14 039	206.2	212.1
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	4 216	3 987	63.7	60.2
Common assault of emergency worker	921	1 061	13.9	16.0
Total common assaults	5 137	5 048	77.6	76.3
Breach of the peace	845	608	12.8	9.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	5 221	5 600	78.9	84.6
Stalking	37	46	0.6	0.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	6 103	6 254	92.2	94.5
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	129	139	1.9	2.1
Drunk and incapable	35	39	0.5	0.6
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	1 069	1 160	16.2	17.5
Other alcohol related offences	43	12	0.6	0.2
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	1 147	1 211	17.3	18.3
Wildlife offences	4	17	0.1	0.3
Other Group 6 offences	1 127	1 370	17.0	20.7

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	10 746	11 178	78.7	79.6
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 663	2 625	63.2	65.8
Common assault of emergency worker	906	1 021	98.4	96.2
Total common assaults	3 569	3 646	69.5	72.2
Breach of the peace	840	609	99.4	100.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	4 315	4 732	82.6	84.5
Stalking	31	37	83.8	80.4
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	5 186	5 378	85.0	86.0
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	118	127	91.5	91.4
Drunk and incapable	35	38	100.0	97.4
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	1 069	1 157	100.0	99.7
Other alcohol related offences	42	12	97.7	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	1 146	1 207	99.9	99.7
Wildlife offences	1	7	25.0	41.2
Other Group 6 offences	726	813	64.4	59.3

TABLE 10.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	9 459	9 253	142.9	139.8
Dangerous driving offences	300	338	4.5	5.1
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	747	1 005	11.3	15.2
Speeding offences	1 810	1 477	27.3	22.3
Driving while disqualified	135	155	2.0	2.3
Driving without a licence	562	622	8.5	9.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 284	1 784	19.4	27.0
Seat belt offences	151	91	2.3	1.4
Mobile phone offences	141	151	2.1	2.3
Driving carelessly	695	706	10.5	10.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	232	165	3.5	2.5
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 177	910	17.8	13.7
Other Group 7 offences	2 225	1 849	33.6	27.9

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	7 886	8 040	83.4	86.9
Dangerous driving offences	230	301	76.7	89.1
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	676	769	90.5	76.5
Speeding offences	1 808	1 477	99.9	100.0
Driving while disqualified	133	162	98.5	104.5
Driving without a licence	547	617	97.3	99.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 247	1 772	97.1	99.3
Seat belt offences	150	89	99.3	97.8
Mobile phone offences	138	150	97.9	99.3
Driving carelessly	608	594	87.5	84.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	226	163	97.4	98.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 160	910	98.6	100.0
Other Group 7 offences	963	1 036	43.3	56.0

TABLE 10.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	685	355
Fatal	11	11
Serious	159	115
Slight	515	229
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	170	126
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	22	13

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 10.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	149 287	137 923	2 255.4	2 083.7
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	28 720	38 344	433.9	579.3
Complaint	6 479	14 226	97.9	214.9
Disturbance	9 968	9 440	150.6	142.6
Noise	3 340	4 909	50.5	74.2
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	210	82	3.2	1.2
Neighbour dispute	1 791	2 659	27.1	40.2
Vandalism	3 264	2 904	49.3	43.9
Communications	3 668	4 124	55.4	62.3
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	22 063	17 023	333.3	257.2
Road traffic matter	13 345	10 703	201.6	161.7
Road traffic collision	7 181	4 824	108.5	72.9
Road traffic offence	1 443	1 382	21.8	20.9
Other transport incidents	94	114	1.4	1.7
Crime related incidents¹⁰	16 802	12 098	253.8	182.8
Theft	7 378	5 156	111.5	77.9
Assault	4 054	3 117	61.2	47.1
Housebreaking	1 866	1 361	28.2	20.6
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	3 504	2 464	52.9	37.2
Other incident types	81 702	70 458	1 234.4	1 064.5

910 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 10.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	4,618	3,072

TABLE 11.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	1 497	1 586	89	5.9
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	48.4	43.1	x	% Point Change - 5.2

TABLE 11.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	5 501	5 263	314.7	301.1
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	213	181	12.2	10.4
Group 2: sexual crimes	312	335	17.8	19.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 839	1 605	105.2	91.8
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 161	1 002	66.4	57.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 976	2 140	113.0	122.4

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	3 183	3 108	57.9	59.1
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	155	133	72.8	73.5
Group 2: sexual crimes	172	147	55.1	43.9
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	694	529	37.7	33.0
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	298	289	25.7	28.8
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 864	2 010	94.3	93.9

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 11.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	213	181	12.2	10.4
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	4	-	0.2
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	4	0.3	0.2
Attempted murder	7	5	0.4	0.3
Serious assault	94	70	5.4	4.0
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	10	25	0.6	1.4
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	42	31	2.4	1.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	4	2	0.2	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	46	33	2.6	1.9
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	19	23	1.1	1.3
Threats and extortion	6	10	0.3	0.6
Other group 1 crimes	26	7	1.5	0.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	155	133	72.8	73.5
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	4	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	3	100.0	75.0
Attempted murder	6	5	85.7	100.0
Serious assault	75	64	79.8	91.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	9	20	90.0	80.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	24	16	-	51.6
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	3	1	-	50.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	27	17	-	51.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	18	18	94.7	78.3
Threats and extortion	1	1	16.7	10.0
Other group 1 crimes	14	1	53.8	14.3

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 11.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	312	335	17.8	19.2
Rape	79	47	4.5	2.7
Assault with intent to rape	3	5	0.2	0.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	82	52	4.7	3.0
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	7	4	0.4	0.2
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	84	83	4.8	4.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	27	21	1.5	1.2
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	118	108	6.8	6.2
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	1	0.1	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	6	11	0.3	0.6
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	15	41	0.9	2.3
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	10	6	0.6	0.3
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	11	11	0.6	0.6
Public indecency (common law) ³	1	2	0.1	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	42	71	2.4	4.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	10	3	0.6	0.2
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	16	29	0.9	1.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	111	174	6.4	10.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	172	147	55.1	43.9
Rape	38	31	48.1	66.0
Assault with intent to rape	2	2	66.7	40.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	40	33	48.8	63.5
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	2	4	28.6	100.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	40	25	47.6	30.1
Lewd & libidinous practices	18	9	66.7	42.9
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	60	38	50.8	35.2
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	100.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	5	10	83.3	90.9
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	8	17	53.3	41.5
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	4	7	40.0	116.7
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	6	5	54.5	45.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	1	1	100.0	50.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	32	21	76.2	29.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	5	2	50.0	66.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	10	13	62.5	44.8
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	71	76	64.0	43.7

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 11.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 839	1 605	105.2	91.8
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	130	144	7.4	8.2
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	22	28	1.3	1.6
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	59	54	3.4	3.1
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	211	226	12.1	12.9
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	163	128	9.3	7.3
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	41	31	2.3	1.8
Common theft ⁶	572	459	32.7	26.3
Theft by shoplifting	565	301	32.3	17.2
Fraud	176	303	10.1	17.3
Other Group 3 crimes	111	157	6.4	9.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	694	529	37.7	33.0
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	27	28	20.8	19.4
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	4	4	18.2	14.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	13	19	22.0	35.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	44	51	20.9	22.6
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	51	71	31.3	55.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	11	6	26.8	19.4
Common theft ⁶	114	111	19.9	24.2
Theft by shoplifting	382	173	67.6	57.5
Fraud	51	60	29.0	19.8
Other Group 3 crimes	41	57	36.9	36.3

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 11.6
Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 161	1 002	66.4	57.3
Fire-raising	70	68	4.0	3.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 047	861	59.9	49.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	43	71	2.5	4.1
Other Group 4 crimes	1	2	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	298	289	25.7	28.8
Fire-raising	18	20	25.7	29.4
Vandalism/malicious mischief	258	232	24.6	26.9
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	22	37	51.2	52.1
Other Group 4 crimes	-	-	-	-

TABLE 11.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	1 976	2 140	113.0	122.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	58	81	3.3	4.6
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	90	93	5.1	5.3
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	35	61	2.0	3.5
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	23	26	1.3	1.5
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	206	261	11.8	14.9
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	25	28	1.4	1.6
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	130	108	7.4	6.2
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	155	136	8.9	7.8
Possession of drugs	1 129	1 140	64.6	65.2
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	8	4	0.5	0.2
Total drugs crimes	1 292	1 280	73.9	73.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	-	0.1	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	153	233	8.8	13.3
Other Group 5 crimes	324	366	18.5	20.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	1 864	2 010	94.3	93.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	43	66	74.1	81.5
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	78	81	86.7	87.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	29	46	82.9	75.4
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	22	18	95.7	69.2
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	172	211	83.5	80.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	28	27	112.0	96.4
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	116	95	89.2	88.0
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	144	122	92.9	89.7
Possession of drugs	1 091	1 108	96.6	97.2
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	6	4	75.0	100.0
Total drugs crimes	1 241	1 234	96.1	96.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	-	100.0	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	143	209	93.5	89.7
Other Group 5 crimes	307	356	94.8	97.3

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 11.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	206	261	11.8	14.9
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	148	174	8.5	10.0
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	58	87	3.3	5.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	58	81	3.3	4.6
Possession of an offensive weapon	57	81	3.3	4.6
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	1	-	0.1	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	90	93	5.1	5.3
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	87	90	5.0	5.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	3	3	0.2	0.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	35	61	2.0	3.5
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	35	61	2.0	3.5
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	23	26	1.3	1.5
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	23	26	1.3	1.5
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	172	211	83.5	80.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	121	147	81.8	84.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	51	64	87.9	73.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	43	66	74.1	81.5
Possession of an offensive weapon	42	66	73.7	81.5
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	1	-	100.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	78	81	86.7	87.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	75	78	86.2	86.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	3	3	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	29	46	82.9	75.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	29	46	82.9	75.4
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	22	18	95.7	69.2
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	22	18	95.7	69.2
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 11.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 682	3 471	210.6	198.6
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 046	929	59.8	53.1
Common assault of emergency worker	176	187	10.1	10.7
Total common assaults	1 222	1 116	69.9	63.8
Breach of the peace	299	227	17.1	13.0
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 428	1 322	81.7	75.6
Stalking	26	30	1.5	1.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 753	1 579	100.3	90.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	30	41	1.7	2.3
Drunk and incapable	13	7	0.7	0.4
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	226	273	12.9	15.6
Other alcohol related offences	55	16	3.1	0.9
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	294	296	16.8	16.9
Wildlife offences	1	5	0.1	0.3
Other Group 6 offences	382	434	21.9	24.8

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	2 956	2 678	80.3	77.2
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	675	580	64.5	62.4
Common assault of emergency worker	177	181	100.6	96.8
Total common assaults	852	761	69.7	68.2
Breach of the peace	299	226	100.0	99.6
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 175	1 059	82.3	80.1
Stalking	23	25	88.5	83.3
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 497	1 310	85.4	83.0
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	28	34	93.3	82.9
Drunk and incapable	13	7	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	227	273	100.4	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	54	14	98.2	87.5
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	294	294	100.0	99.3
Wildlife offences	1	3	100.0	60.0
Other Group 6 offences	284	276	74.3	63.6

TABLE 11.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 725	3 849	213.1	220.2
Dangerous driving offences	123	98	7.0	5.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	215	337	12.3	19.3
Speeding offences	1 153	880	66.0	50.3
Driving while disqualified	12	33	0.7	1.9
Driving without a licence	149	165	8.5	9.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	331	572	18.9	32.7
Seat belt offences	127	75	7.3	4.3
Mobile phone offences	91	68	5.2	3.9
Driving carelessly	269	378	15.4	21.6
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	131	118	7.5	6.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	426	478	24.4	27.3
Other Group 7 offences	698	647	39.9	37.0

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 439	3 578	92.3	93.0
Dangerous driving offences	109	78	88.6	79.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	208	282	96.7	83.7
Speeding offences	1 154	880	100.1	100.0
Driving while disqualified	12	33	100.0	100.0
Driving without a licence	148	163	99.3	98.8
Failure to insure against third party risks	324	573	97.9	100.2
Seat belt offences	127	75	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	91	68	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	253	353	94.1	93.4
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	131	118	100.0	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	423	479	99.3	100.2
Other Group 7 offences	459	476	65.8	73.6

TABLE 11.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	258	90
Fatal	9	5
Serious	97	36
Slight	152	49
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	106	41
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	3	2

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 11.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	42 952	38 459	2 457.2	2 200.2
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	8 134	10 377	465.3	593.6
Complaint	1 805	4 127	103.3	236.1
Disturbance	2 373	2 063	135.8	118.0
Noise	1 632	1 745	93.4	99.8
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	35	9	2.0	0.5
Neighbour dispute	541	823	30.9	47.1
Vandalism	750	657	42.9	37.6
Communications	998	953	57.1	54.5
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	6 792	4 852	388.6	277.6
Road traffic matter	4 126	3 098	236.0	177.2
Road traffic collision	2 166	1 216	123.9	69.6
Road traffic offence	439	509	25.1	29.1
Other transport incidents	61	29	3.5	1.7
Crime related incidents¹⁰	3 842	2 673	219.8	152.9
Theft	1 716	1 085	98.2	62.1
Assault	925	668	52.9	38.2
Housebreaking	434	334	24.8	19.1
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	767	586	43.9	33.5
Other incident types	24 184	20 557	1 383.5	1 176.0

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 11.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	1,405	823

TABLE 12.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	2 512	2 302	- 210	-8.4
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	44.7	43.0	x	% Point Change - 1.8

TABLE 12.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	8 637	8 340	336.2	324.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	359	312	14.0	12.1
Group 2: sexual crimes	442	378	17.2	14.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 561	3 170	138.6	123.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 713	1 518	66.7	59.1
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 562	2 962	99.7	115.3

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 781	4 885	55.4	58.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	261	218	72.7	69.9
Group 2: sexual crimes	249	235	56.3	62.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 456	1 289	40.9	40.7
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	393	365	22.9	24.0
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 422	2 778	94.5	93.8

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 12.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	359	312	14.0	12.1
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	4	0.1	0.2
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	-	0.0	-
Attempted murder	15	21	0.6	0.8
Serious assault	181	139	7.0	5.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	75	71	2.9	2.8
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	33	19	1.3	0.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	2	2	0.1	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	35	21	1.4	0.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	21	18	0.8	0.7
Threats and extortion	3	19	0.1	0.7
Other group 1 crimes	26	19	1.0	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	261	218	72.7	69.9
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	4	150.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	-	100.0	-
Attempted murder	14	18	93.3	85.7
Serious assault	138	99	76.2	71.2
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	56	58	74.7	81.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	18	16	-	84.2
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	1	-	-	-
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	19	16	-	76.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	20	17	95.2	94.4
Threats and extortion	-	1	-	5.3
Other group 1 crimes	10	5	38.5	26.3

2 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 12.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	442	378	17.2	14.7
Rape	91	68	3.5	2.6
Assault with intent to rape	9	4	0.4	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	100	72	3.9	2.8
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	15	6	0.6	0.2
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	108	104	4.2	4.0
Lewd & libidinous practices	52	37	2.0	1.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	175	147	6.8	5.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	0.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	22	12	0.9	0.5
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	58	48	2.3	1.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	5	4	0.2	0.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	10	7	0.4	0.3
Public indecency (common law) ³	7	3	0.3	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	46	55	1.8	2.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	8	18	0.3	0.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	10	12	0.4	0.5
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	166	159	6.5	6.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	249	235	56.3	62.2
Rape	54	46	59.3	67.6
Assault with intent to rape	5	6	55.6	150.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	59	52	59.0	72.2
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	5	6	33.3	100.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	65	53	60.2	51.0
Lewd & libidinous practices	30	32	57.7	86.5
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	100	91	57.1	61.9
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	3	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	22	14	100.0	116.7
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	31	23	53.4	47.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	-	2	-	50.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	4	4	40.0	57.1
Public indecency (common law) ³	4	3	57.1	100.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	20	25	43.5	45.5
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	6	15	75.0	83.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	3	3	30.0	25.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	90	89	54.2	56.0

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 12.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 561	3 170	138.6	123.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	231	237	9.0	9.2
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	41	55	1.6	2.1
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	128	102	5.0	4.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	400	394	15.6	15.3
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	474	429	18.5	16.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	48	21	1.9	0.8
Common theft ⁶	1 026	843	39.9	32.8
Theft by shoplifting	1 105	761	43.0	29.6
Fraud	330	469	12.8	18.3
Other Group 3 crimes	178	253	6.9	9.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 456	1 289	40.9	40.7
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	42	42	18.2	17.7
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	6	13	14.6	23.6
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	53	41	41.4	40.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	101	96	25.3	24.4
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	141	171	29.7	39.9
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	4	4	8.3	19.0
Common theft ⁶	237	205	23.1	24.3
Theft by shoplifting	787	590	71.2	77.5
Fraud	108	123	32.7	26.2
Other Group 3 crimes	78	100	43.8	39.5

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 12.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 713	1 518	66.7	59.1
Fire-raising	148	137	5.8	5.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 481	1 300	57.6	50.6
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	1	0.0	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	80	79	3.1	3.1
Other Group 4 crimes	3	1	0.1	0.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	393	365	22.9	24.0
Fire-raising	24	29	16.2	21.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	335	298	22.6	22.9
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	32	38	40.0	48.1
Other Group 4 crimes	2	-	66.7	-

TABLE 12.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 562	2 962	99.7	115.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	65	78	2.5	3.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	123	138	4.8	5.4
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	85	118	3.3	4.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	66	96	2.6	3.7
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	339	430	13.2	16.7
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	18	19	0.7	0.7
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	140	141	5.4	5.5
Bringing drugs into prison	1	3	0.0	0.1
Supply of drugs - Total	159	163	6.2	6.3
Possession of drugs	1 256	1 289	48.9	50.2
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	1	0.1	0.0
Total drugs crimes	1 417	1 453	55.2	56.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	363	586	14.1	22.8
Other Group 5 crimes	443	493	17.2	19.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	2 422	2 778	94.5	93.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	55	72	84.6	92.3
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	118	128	95.9	92.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	68	90	80.0	76.3
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	51	72	77.3	75.0
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	292	362	86.1	84.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	13	22	72.2	115.8
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	134	123	95.7	87.2
Bringing drugs into prison	-	1	-	33.3
Supply of drugs - Total	147	146	92.5	89.6
Possession of drugs	1 206	1 211	96.0	93.9
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	1	1	50.0	100.0
Total drugs crimes	1 354	1 358	95.6	93.5
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	356	571	98.1	97.4
Other Group 5 crimes	420	487	94.8	98.8

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 12.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	339	430	13.2	16.7
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	188	216	7.3	8.4
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	151	214	5.9	8.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	65	78	2.5	3.0
Possession of an offensive weapon	64	76	2.5	3.0
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	1	-	0.0	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	2	-	0.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	123	138	4.8	5.4
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	122	137	4.7	5.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	1	1	0.0	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	85	118	3.3	4.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	85	117	3.3	4.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	66	96	2.6	3.7
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	66	95	2.6	3.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	0.0
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	292	362	86.1	84.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	173	200	92.0	92.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	119	162	78.8	75.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	55	72	84.6	92.3
Possession of an offensive weapon	54	70	84.4	92.1
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	1	-	100.0	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school ¹⁰	-	2	-	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	118	128	95.9	92.8
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	117	128	95.9	93.4
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	1	-	100.0	-
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	68	90	80.0	76.3
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	68	89	80.0	76.1
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	51	72	77.3	75.0
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	51	71	77.3	74.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	1	-	100.0

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 12.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	4 588	4 307	178.6	167.7
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 633	1 388	63.6	54.0
Common assault of emergency worker	302	348	11.8	13.5
Total common assaults	1 935	1 736	75.3	67.6
Breach of the peace	376	204	14.6	7.9
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 490	1 610	58.0	62.7
Stalking	19	18	0.7	0.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 885	1 832	73.4	71.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	34	38	1.3	1.5
Drunk and incapable	5	3	0.2	0.1
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	311	301	12.1	11.7
Other alcohol related offences	22	9	0.9	0.4
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	338	313	13.2	12.2
Wildlife offences	3	2	0.1	0.1
Other Group 6 offences	393	386	15.3	15.0

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 580	3 447	78.0	80.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 023	947	62.6	68.2
Common assault of emergency worker	298	353	98.7	101.4
Total common assaults	1 321	1 300	68.3	74.9
Breach of the peace	371	198	98.7	97.1
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 203	1 333	80.7	82.8
Stalking	13	20	68.4	111.1
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 587	1 551	84.2	84.7
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	32	35	94.1	92.1
Drunk and incapable	5	3	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	312	303	100.3	100.7
Other alcohol related offences	22	9	100.0	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	339	315	100.3	100.6
Wildlife offences	1	-	33.3	-
Other Group 6 offences	300	246	76.3	63.7

TABLE 12.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 707	3 598	144.3	140.1
Dangerous driving offences	75	67	2.9	2.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	207	307	8.1	12.0
Speeding offences	748	646	29.1	25.1
Driving while disqualified	30	32	1.2	1.2
Driving without a licence	152	208	5.9	8.1
Failure to insure against third party risks	421	605	16.4	23.6
Seat belt offences	79	40	3.1	1.6
Mobile phone offences	89	76	3.5	3.0
Driving carelessly	267	262	10.4	10.2
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	149	160	5.8	6.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	574	395	22.3	15.4
Other Group 7 offences	916	800	35.7	31.1

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 266	3 172	88.1	88.2
Dangerous driving offences	69	60	92.0	89.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	197	223	95.2	72.6
Speeding offences	748	645	100.0	99.8
Driving while disqualified	32	32	106.7	100.0
Driving without a licence	152	209	100.0	100.5
Failure to insure against third party risks	415	607	98.6	100.3
Seat belt offences	79	40	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	89	76	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	247	234	92.5	89.3
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	147	160	98.7	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	572	394	99.7	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	519	492	56.7	61.5

TABLE 12.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	267	106
Fatal	2	3
Serious	70	35
Slight	195	68
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	72	38
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	13	5

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 12.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	61 994	54 877	2 413.2	2 136.1
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	11 787	15 207	458.8	591.9
Complaint	2 601	5 465	101.2	212.7
Disturbance	3 678	3 520	143.2	137.0
Noise	1 886	2 418	73.4	94.1
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	63	29	2.5	1.1
Neighbour dispute	870	1 121	33.9	43.6
Vandalism	1 211	1 155	47.1	45.0
Communications	1 478	1 499	57.5	58.3
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	8 981	6 151	349.6	239.4
Road traffic matter	5 404	3 794	210.4	147.7
Road traffic collision	2 871	1 737	111.8	67.6
Road traffic offence	525	525	20.4	20.4
Other transport incidents	181	95	7.0	3.7
Crime related incidents¹⁰	6 387	4 925	248.6	191.7
Theft	2 836	2 068	110.4	80.5
Assault	1 530	1 191	59.6	46.4
Housebreaking	662	601	25.8	23.4
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	1 359	1 065	52.9	41.5
Other incident types	34 839	28 594	1 356.1	1 113.0

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 12.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	2,118	1,861

TABLE 13.1
Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number		Change from No.	
	2019/20	2020/21	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	1 010	1 196	186	18.4
<i>Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report</i>	58.5	54.1	x	% Point Change - 4.4

TABLE 13.2
Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded		Crimes per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 875	4 707	327.5	316.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	145	130	9.7	8.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	319	314	21.4	21.1
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 879	1 736	126.2	116.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	960	922	64.5	61.9
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 572	1 605	105.6	107.8

Crime group	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	2 874	2 958	59.0	62.8
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	118	104	81.4	80.0
Group 2: sexual crimes	169	197	53.0	62.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	778	760	41.4	43.8
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	315	378	32.8	41.0
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 494	1 519	95.0	94.6

1 - Group 5 Crimes includes the new offensive/bladed weapons codes used in other criminal activity as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 13.3
Group 1 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	145	130	9.7	8.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	-	0.1	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ¹	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-
Serious assault	62	50	4.2	3.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	22	20	1.5	1.3
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	26	34	1.7	2.3
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	5	1	0.3	0.1
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	31	35	2.1	2.4
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	12	13	0.8	0.9
Threats and extortion	14	10	0.9	0.7
Other group 1 crimes	3	2	0.2	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 1	118	104	81.4	80.0
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ¹	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	-	-	-	-
Serious assault	50	47	80.6	94.0
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	19	20	86.4	100.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Female)	22	22	-	64.7
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Male)	3	2	-	200.0
Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 (Total)	25	24	-	68.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	12	12	100.0	92.3
Threats and extortion	7	1	50.0	10.0
Other group 1 crimes	4	-	133.3	-

1 - Culpable homicide (under statute) includes the following: causing death by dangerous driving; death by careless driving when under influence of drink or drugs; causing death by careless driving (illegal driver, disqualified, unlicensed etc) involved in fatal accident and corporate homicide.

TABLE 13.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	319	314	21.4	21.1
Rape	56	45	3.8	3.0
Assault with intent to rape	1	5	0.1	0.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	57	50	3.8	3.4
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	9	5	0.6	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	97	95	6.5	6.4
Lewd & libidinous practices	32	15	2.1	1.0
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	138	115	9.3	7.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	10	8	0.7	0.5
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	31	42	2.1	2.8
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	4	2	0.3	0.1
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	7	8	0.5	0.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	4	7	0.3	0.5
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	57	57	3.8	3.8
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	1	7	0.1	0.5
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	10	18	0.7	1.2
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	124	149	8.3	10.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 2	169	197	53.0	62.7
Rape	31	29	55.4	64.4
Assault with intent to rape	1	3	100.0	60.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	32	32	56.1	64.0
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	7	2	77.8	40.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	36	66	37.1	69.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	21	12	65.6	80.0
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	64	80	46.4	69.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	10	8	100.0	100.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	14	22	45.2	52.4
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	2	2	50.0	100.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	7	5	100.0	62.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	2	5	50.0	71.4
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	29	28	50.9	49.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	3	3	300.0	42.9
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	6	12	60.0	66.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	73	85	58.9	57.0

3 - New Group 2 Crimes published. Communications Act 2003 (sexual) was moved from Group 6 to Group 2 as of 1st April 2017.

TABLE 13.5

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 879	1 736	126.2	116.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	86	65	5.8	4.4
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	34	28	2.3	1.9
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	49	73	3.3	4.9
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	169	166	11.4	11.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	183	195	12.3	13.1
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	36	36	2.4	2.4
Common theft ⁶	624	548	41.9	36.8
Theft by shoplifting	511	334	34.3	22.4
Fraud	228	300	15.3	20.2
Other Group 3 crimes	128	157	8.6	10.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 3	778	760	41.4	43.8
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	22	17	25.6	26.2
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	7	4	20.6	14.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	12	45	24.5	61.6
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	41	66	24.3	39.8
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	58	99	31.7	50.8
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	1	4	2.8	11.1
Common theft ⁶	154	175	24.7	31.9
Theft by shoplifting	418	273	81.8	81.7
Fraud	57	60	25.0	20.0
Other Group 3 crimes	49	83	38.3	52.9

4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of motor vehicle; attempted theft of a motor vehicle; theft from a motor vehicle (not elsewhere classified).

5 - OLP (opening lock-fast place).

6 - Common theft includes: theft at common law, the Gas Act 1986 and Civic Government (Scotland) Act 1982 (S67(1)&(6)).

TABLE 13.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	960	922	64.5	61.9
Fire-raising	39	53	2.6	3.6
Vandalism/malicious mischief	866	790	58.2	53.1
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	-	0.1	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	53	78	3.6	5.2
Other Group 4 crimes	-	1	-	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 4	315	378	32.8	41.0
Fire-raising	12	18	30.8	34.0
Vandalism/malicious mischief	272	294	31.4	37.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	-	50.0	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	29	65	54.7	83.3
Other Group 4 crimes	1	1	-	100.0

TABLE 13.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	1 572	1 605	105.6	107.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	29	28	1.9	1.9
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	54	4.2	3.6
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	14	62	0.9	4.2
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	7	32	0.5	2.1
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	112	176	7.5	11.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	9	5	0.6	0.3
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	87	66	5.8	4.4
Bringing drugs into prison	-	6	-	0.4
Supply of drugs - Total	96	77	6.4	5.2
Possession of drugs	885	770	59.5	51.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	11	11	0.7	0.7
Total drugs crimes	992	858	66.6	57.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	2	0.1	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	143	174	9.6	11.7
Other Group 5 crimes	324	395	21.8	26.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 5⁷	1 494	1 519	95.0	94.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	28	28	96.6	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	63	53	101.6	98.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	12	45	85.7	72.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	7	25	100.0	78.1
Total offensive/bladed weapons⁸	110	151	98.2	85.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	8	6	88.9	120.0
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	72	70	82.8	106.1
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	80	76	83.3	98.7
Possession of drugs	830	733	93.8	95.2
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	9	3	81.8	27.3
Total drugs crimes	919	812	92.6	94.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	2	100.0	100.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	141	170	98.6	97.7
Other Group 5 crimes	323	384	99.7	97.2

7 - Total Group 5 includes offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

8 - Total offensive/bladed weapons includes carrying offensive weapons, handling bladed/pointed instruments as well as offensive weapons and bladed/pointed instruments used in other criminal activity.

Group 5 Other Crimes continued

From the 1st April 2017, a set of new codes was introduced to record cases of using an offensive weapon in a public setting to commit other criminal activity. The number of crimes recorded for these new codes is shown in table 6A below. This change was introduced by the Scottish Crime Recording Board to better reflect how criminal law operates in this area. Prior to the 1st April 2017, these crimes of offensive weapon used in another criminal activity or offence committed (for example a serious assault) were subsumed into that main crime or offence. The minutes of the Scottish Crime Recording Board meetings can be accessed here:- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRBmeet>

The Crime Board is currently carrying out a quality assurance exercise to confirm that the new information being produced from the recent introduction of these codes is accurate and in-line with the definitions set out in the Scottish Crime Recording Standard (SCRS). The results of this exercise will be published in June. The SCRS guidance manual can be accessed here :- <http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Statistics/Browse/Crime-Justice/PubRecordedCrime/SCRB/SCRSmanual>

Police recording practice remains unchanged for crimes of possessing an offensive weapon in a public setting without further criminality. As in previous years this information is presented in Table 6 Group 5 'Other Crimes' recorded by Police Scotland and included in the total for Group 5 crimes.

TABLE 13.8
Detailed weapon & blade/point offences recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
(Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3))

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	112	176	7.5	11.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	91	82	6.1	5.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	21	94	1.4	6.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	29	28	1.9	1.9
Possession of an offensive weapon	24	25	1.6	1.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	3	1	0.2	0.1
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
<i>Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school¹⁰</i>	2	2	0.1	0.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	54	4.2	3.6
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	48	53	3.2	3.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
<i>Having in a school an article with a blade or point¹¹</i>	14	1	0.9	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	14	62	0.9	4.2
<i>Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity</i>	14	61	0.9	4.1
<i>Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity</i>	-	1	-	0.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	7	32	0.5	2.1
<i>Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity</i>	7	32	0.5	2.1
<i>Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity</i>	-	-	-	-
Number of detections	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
Total offensive/bladed weapons	110	151	98.2	85.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	91	81	100.0	98.8
Total new weapon / knife classifications⁹	19	70	90.5	74.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	28	28	96.6	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon	23	25	95.8	100.0
Restriction of offensive weapons	3	1	100.0	100.0
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	-	-	-	-
<i>Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school¹⁰</i>	2	2	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	63	53	101.6	98.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	48	52	100.0	98.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
<i>Having in a school an article with a blade or point¹¹</i>	15	1	107.1	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)¹²	12	45	85.7	72.6
<i>Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity</i>	12	44	85.7	72.1
<i>Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity</i>	-	1	-	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)¹²	7	25	100.0	78.1
<i>Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity</i>	7	25	100.0	78.1
<i>Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity</i>	-	-	-	-
<i>Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity</i>	-	-	-	-

⁹ This is the total of crimes recorded under the new classifications to identify knives and weapons used in the commission of another crime.

¹⁰ Previously Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school would have been counted within the general possession of an offensive weapon category. In some areas, when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment, the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹¹ Previously Having in a school an article with a blade or point would have been counted within the general Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993 category. In some areas when a crime report is re-opened for auditing or amendment the crime will automatically be re-classified to the new crime classification. This is why there are small numbers of these crimes recorded in the previous year.

¹² These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commission of another crime.

TABLE 13.9

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 252	3 065	218.5	205.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 125	1 013	75.6	68.1
Common assault of emergency worker	163	178	10.9	12.0
Total common assaults	1 288	1 191	86.5	80.0
Breach of the peace	27	18	1.8	1.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 317	1 356	88.5	91.1
Stalking	35	44	2.4	3.0
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 379	1 418	92.6	95.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	26	27	1.7	1.8
Drunk and incapable	1	3	0.1	0.2
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	30	37	2.0	2.5
Other alcohol related offences	17	3	1.1	0.2
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	48	43	3.2	2.9
Wildlife offences	8	7	0.5	0.5
Other Group 6 offences	503	379	33.8	25.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 6	2 604	2 451	80.1	80.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	796	731	70.8	72.2
Common assault of emergency worker	163	176	100.0	98.9
Total common assaults	959	907	74.5	76.2
Breach of the peace	26	18	96.3	100.0
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 104	1 156	83.8	85.3
Stalking	24	35	68.6	79.5
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 154	1 209	83.7	85.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	22	26	84.6	96.3
Drunk and incapable	1	3	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	30	37	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	17	3	100.0	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	48	43	100.0	100.0
Wildlife offences	1	1	12.5	14.3
Other Group 6 offences	420	265	83.5	69.9

TABLE 13.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 243	5 356	419.4	359.8
Dangerous driving offences	128	114	8.6	7.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	161	114	10.8	7.7
Speeding offences	3 211	2 522	215.7	169.4
Driving while disqualified	44	44	3.0	3.0
Driving without a licence	196	256	13.2	17.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	517	645	34.7	43.3
Seat belt offences	101	60	6.8	4.0
Mobile phone offences	196	93	13.2	6.2
Driving carelessly	449	361	30.2	24.3
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	121	73	8.1	4.9
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	489	448	32.8	30.1
Other Group 7 offences	630	626	42.3	42.1

Selected offence classification	Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 077	5 222	97.3	97.5
Dangerous driving offences	115	109	89.8	95.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	160	111	99.4	97.4
Speeding offences	3 090	2 484	96.2	98.5
Driving while disqualified	44	44	100.0	100.0
Driving without a licence	194	252	99.0	98.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	504	628	97.5	97.4
Seat belt offences	106	57	105.0	95.0
Mobile phone offences	189	90	96.4	96.8
Driving carelessly	447	338	99.6	93.6
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	121	73	100.0	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	482	435	98.6	97.1
Other Group 7 offences	625	601	99.2	96.0

TABLE 13.11
Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
By casualty severity; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL CASUALTIES	192	111
Fatal	8	6
Serious	66	30
Slight	118	75
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	74	36
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	2	4

9 - These management information may differ to the National Statistics on reported road casualties as the National Statistics will be subject to additional quality assurance processes ahead of publication. Transport Scotland's National Statistics publication Key Reported Road Casualties (<http://www.transportscotland.gov.uk/statistics/statistical-publications>) are used to assess progress against the casualty reduction targets for 2020 (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Resource/Doc/274654/0082190.pdf>).

TABLE 13.12
Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)		Incidents (per 10,000 population)	
	2019/20	2020/21	2019/20	2020/21
TOTAL INCIDENTS	31 445	29 203	2 112.4	1 961.8
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	5 060	7 179	339.9	482.3
Complaint	1 247	3 167	83.8	212.8
Disturbance	1 137	1 152	76.4	77.4
Noise	722	760	48.5	51.1
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	16	5	1.1	0.3
Neighbour dispute	389	531	26.1	35.7
Vandalism	659	628	44.3	42.2
Communications	890	936	59.8	62.9
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	6 443	4 484	432.8	301.2
Road traffic matter	4 206	2 881	282.5	193.5
Road traffic collision	1 750	1 136	117.6	76.3
Road traffic offence	464	451	31.2	30.3
Other transport incidents	23	16	1.5	1.1
Crime related incidents¹⁰	2 828	2 120	190.0	142.4
Theft	1 136	918	76.3	61.7
Assault	726	516	48.8	34.7
Housebreaking	306	243	20.6	16.3
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	660	443	44.3	29.8
Other incident types	17 114	15 420	1 149.7	1 035.9

10 - Excludes incidents relating to vandalism (which is included within anti-social behaviour).

TABLE 13.13
Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2019/20 - 2020/21 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2019/20	2020/21
Number of Incidents	811	516

APPENDIX 1

Crime Group Definitions

Overall Violent Crime

100100	Murder
100301	Culpable Homicide - common law
100200	Attempted Murder
100400	Serious Assault (common law)
100401	Culpable and reckless, causing injury (from Apr 2011)
100402	Illegal driver, disqualified/unlicensed etc. causing serious injury
100600	Robbery
604701	Common Assault
604706	Common assault of an emergency worker

Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)*

201600	Sexual assault (common law, pre SOSA 2009)
201802	Defilement of girl under 13

Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)*

201601	Sex. Assault by Penetration – M (16+)
201602	Sex. Assault by Penetration – F (16+)
201603	Sex. Assault by Penetration – M (13-15)
201604	Sex. Assault by Penetration – F (13-15)
201605	Sexual Assault – M (16+)
201606	Sexual Assault – F (16+)
201607	Sexual Assault – M (13-15)
201608	Sexual Assault – F (13-15)
201609	Sexual Coercion – M (16+)
201610	Sexual Coercion – F (16+)
201611	Sexual Coercion – M (13-15)
201612	Sexual Coercion – F (13-15)
201615	Sex. Assault by Penetration – M (< 13)
201616	Sex. Assault by Penetration – F (< 13)
201617	Sexual Assault – M (< 13)
201618	Sexual Assault – F (< 13)
201619	Cause to Participate Sexual Activity – M (< 13)
201620	Cause to Participate Sexual Activity – F (< 13)

Lewd & libidinous practices

201701	Lewd and libidinous practices (pre Apr 2011, common law)
201822	Lewd and Libidinous (from Apr 2011, SOSA 2009)

Prostitution related crime

201801	Procurator - excluding homosexual acts
201807	Brothel keeping
201809	Immoral traffic
201810	Offences related to prostitution
201812	Procurator of Homosexual Acts
201817	Soliciting services of a person engaged in prostitution

Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA)

201200	Incest
201301	Illegal homosexual acts
201303	Assault to commit unnatural crimes
201803	Defilement of girl under 16
201804	Carnal knowledge of mentally defective or lunatic person
201805	Householder permitting carnal knowledge of mentally defective
201806	Abducting girl under 18 woman mental defective or lunatic
201808	Person with custody & care of girl or other causing her seduction
201813	Conspiracy to commit sexual acts outside the UK
201814	Grooming of children for the purposes of sexual offences
201815	Procurator of sexual services from children under 18
201816	Procurator of child under 18 for pornography
201821	Bestiality (from Apr 2011)
201824	Possession of extreme pornography

Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image

201639	Threatening to disclose an intimate image
201640	Disclosure of an intimate image

Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)

504301	Possession of an offensive weapon
504302	Restriction of offensive weapons
504305	Possession of a firearm in a prison
504306	Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison
504307	Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school

Handling bladed/pointed instrument

504303	Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993
504304	Having in a prison an article with a blade or point
504308	Having in a school an article with a blade or point

Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)

504309	Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity
504311	Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity
504313	Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity

Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)

504310	Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity
504312	Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity
504314	Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity

Racially aggravated harassment/conduct

604704	Racially aggravated harassment
604705	Racially aggravated conduct

For further detail on crime group descriptors please refer to Scottish Government recorded crime publication (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Publications/2013/06/9697/0>).

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Crime Group Definitions

Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009)

- 201614 Communicating indecently (SOSA)
- 201622 Communicate Indecently/Cause see/hear Indec Comm -M&F (< 13)
- 201636 Commun Indecently/Cause see/hear Indec Comm-M&F(13-15)(Cons)

Selected "other" sexual crimes

- 201641 Communications Act 2003 (sexual)
- 201818 Taking, distribution, possession etc. of indecent photos of children (from Apr 2011)
- 201702 Public indecency

Sexual exposure (SOSA)

- 201703 Sexual exposure (SOSA)
- 201623 Sexual exposure to a young child (under 13)
- 201637 Sexual exposure older child (13-15)

Other sexual crimes (SOSA)

- 201613 Coercing a person into being present/ looking at sexual activity
- 201621 Cause to be Present Sex Act/To Look at Sex Image -M&F (< 13)
- 201624 Voyeurism - M&F (below 13)
- 201625 Intercourse wi Child - M (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201626 Intercourse wi Child - F (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201627 Penetrative Sex Activity - M (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201628 Penetrative Sex Activity - F (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201629 Sexual Activity - M (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201630 Sexual Activity - F (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201631 Cause to Participate Sex Activity - M (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201632 Cause to Participate Sex Activity - F (13-15)(Consensual)
- 201633 Engage while Older Child in Sex Conduct/Consens Sex Cond - M
- 201634 Engage while Older Child in Sex Conduct/Consens Sex Cond - F
- 201635 Cause to be Pres Sex Act/Look at Sex Image-M&F(13-15)(Cons)
- 201638 Voyeurism - M&F (13-15)
- 201704 Voyeurism
- 201819 Sex. Abuse of Trust (Children)
- 201820 Sex. Abuse of Trust of a Mentally Disordered Person
- 201823 Administering a substance for sexual Purposes

Racially aggravated harassment/conduct

- 604704 Racially aggravated harassment
- 604705 Racially aggravated conduct

Other alcohol related offences

- 606003 Drunk in charge of a child
- 606004 Drunk and attempting to enter licensed premises
- 606005 Drunk or dinking in unlicensed premises
- 606006 Disorderly on licensed premises (and refusing to quit pre 2009/10)
- 606007 Drunk in or attempting to enter designated sports ground
- 606008 Refusing to quit a licensed premise (previously 606006 pre 2009/10)

Wildlife offences

- 605104 Birds, offences involving
- 605113 Hunting with dogs
- 605114 Cruelty to wild animals
- 605115 Offences involving badgers
- 605116 Other wildlife offences
- 605601 Salmon and freshwater fisheries offences
- 605603 Possession of salmon or trout unlawfully obtained
- 605701 Poaching and game laws
- 605702 Deer - S - offences
- 607322 Other conservation offences

Drink, Drug driving offences incl. Failure to provide a specimen

- 730101 Driving motor vehicle while unfit through drink or drugs
- 730102 In charge of motor vehicle while unfit through drink or drugs
- 730103 Driving motor vehicle with blood alcohol content above prescribed limit
- 730104 In charge of motor vehicle with blood alcohol content above prescribed limit
- 730105 Failure to provide breath specimen at the roadside
- 730106 Failure to provide breath, blood or urine specimen at police station

For further detail on crime group descriptors please refer to Scottish Government recorded crime publication (<http://www.scotland.gov.uk/Publications/2013/06/9697/0>).

APPENDIX 2 Population Data ^{2,3}

		Mid-year (June)	
Local Council Area	PS Division	2019/20 2018	2020/21 2019
SCOTLAND	TOTAL	5,438,100	5,463,300
Aberdeen City	North East	227 560	228 670
Aberdeenshire	North East	261 470	261 210
Angus	Tayside	116 040	116 200
Argyll & Bute	Argyll and West Dunbartonshire	86 260	85 870
Clackmannanshire	Forth Valley	51 400	51 540
Dumfries & Galloway	Dumfries & Galloway	148 790	148 860
Dundee City	Tayside	148 750	149 320
East Ayrshire	Ayrshire	121 840	122 010
East Dunbartonshire	Greater Glasgow	108 330	108 640
East Lothian	Lothian & Scottish Borders	105 790	107 090
East Renfrewshire	Greater Glasgow	95 170	95 530
Edinburgh, City of	Edinburgh	518 500	524 930
Na h-Eileanan Siar	Highland and Islands	26 830	26 720
Falkirk	Forth Valley	160 340	160 890
Fife	Fife	371 910	373 550
Glasgow City	Greater Glasgow	626 410	633 120
Highland	Highland and Islands	235 540	235 830
Inverclyde	Renfrewshire and Inverclyde	78 150	77 800
Midlothian	Lothian & Scottish Borders	91 340	92 460
Moray	North East	95 520	95 820
North Ayrshire	Ayrshire	135 280	134 740
North Lanarkshire	Lanarkshire	340 180	341 370
Orkney Islands	Highland and Islands	22 190	22 270
Perth & Kinross	Tayside	151 290	151 950
Renfrewshire	Renfrewshire and Inverclyde	177 790	179 100
Scottish Borders	Lothian & Scottish Borders	115 270	115 510
Shetland Islands	Highland and Islands	22 990	22 920
South Ayrshire	Ayrshire	112 550	112 610
South Lanarkshire	Lanarkshire	319 020	320 530
Stirling	Forth Valley	94 330	94 210
West Dunbartonshire	Argyll and West Dunbartonshire	89 130	88 930
West Lothian	Lothian & Scottish Borders	182 140	183 100

² - Mid-year population data based on extracts from National Records for Scotland (<http://www.nrscotland.gov.uk/>), as at April 2019.

³ - Due to when population data are published it is necessary to use earlier mid-year estimates in some calculations. As soon as more current population data are available, the above table will be updated.

