

Management Information Division Area Reports: Quarter 3 2018/19

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Explanatory Notes on Management Information

This Quarter 3 report contains Police Scotland Management Information for 2018/19 which covers the period 1 April 2018 to 31 December 2018 (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 Scotlish 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 2019.

Regarding the recording of ASB incidents within Highlands (and other N Division council areas). This has lead to an increase which is primarily due to STORM Unity (the national command and control system) being rolled out in February of 2018. This meant a move to national recording standards, coding systems and operational practices.

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 2016 and 2017 population estimated published by the National Records of Scotland.

Readers should note that all data for 2017/18 and 2018/19 were refreshed when they were extracted at the start of January 2019. This means that the data for 2017/18 Q3 published in this report will differ from the data previously published for 2017/18 Q3 last February (2018). 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	e from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 883	3 507	- 376	-9.7
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	55.4	47.2	х	% Point Change - 8.2

TABLE 1.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded Crimes per 10,000 popul			ulation	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	16 545	15 536	282.2	264.9	
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	524	580	8.9	9.9	
Group 2: sexual crimes	1 063	1 070	18.1	18.2	
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	7 283	6 773	124.2	115.5	
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	3 260	2 740	55.6	46.7	
Group 5: other crimes ¹	4 415	4 373	75.3	74.6	

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	9 537	9 509	57.6	61.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	448	478	85.5	82.4
Group 2: sexual crimes	622	655	58.5	61.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 313	3 289	45.5	48.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	878	858	26.9	31.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	4 276	4 229	96.9	96.7

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	524	580	8.9	9.9
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	1	0.1	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	5	3	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	21	23	0.4	0.4
Serious assault	270	251	4.6	4.3
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	135	136	2.3	2.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	18	73	0.3	1.2
Threats and extortion	49	44	0.8	0.8
Other group 1 crimes	23	49	0.4	0.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	448	478	85.5	82.4
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	3	1	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	7	2	140.0	66.7
Attempted murder	19	24	90.5	104.3
Serious assault	253	241	93.7	96.0
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	113	117	83.7	86.0
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	17	53	94.4	72.6
Threats and extortion	21	11	42.9	25.0
Other group 1 crimes	15	29	65.2	59.2

^{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 1.4

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	1 063	1 070	18.1	18.2
Rape	129	165	2.2	2.8
Assault with intent to rape	9	18	0.2	0.3
Rape and attempted rape - Total	138	183	2.4	3.1
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	27	11	0.5	0.2
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	245	288	4.2	4.9
Lewd & libidinous practices	76	87	1.3	1.5
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	348	386	5.9	6.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	60	17	1.0	0.3
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	78	67	1.3	1.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	119	103	2.0	1.8
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	48	29	0.8	0.5
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	32	23	0.5	0.4
Public indecency (common law) ³	29	22	0.5	0.4
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	159	181	2.7	3.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	16	20	0.3	0.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	36	39	0.6	0.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	517	484	8.8	8.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	622	655	58.5	61.2
Rape	75	94	58.1	57.0
Assault with intent to rape	3	11	33.3	61.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	78	105	56.5	57.4
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	6	14	22.2	127.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	115	165	46.9	57.3
Lewd & libidinous practices	46	71	60.5	81.6
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	167	250	48.0	64.8
Prostitution related crime - Total	64	13	106.7	76.5
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	73	56	93.6	83.6
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	59	54	49.6	52.4
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	25	17	52.1	58.6
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	17	10	53.1	43.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	26	16	89.7	72.7
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	91	101	57.2	55.8
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	12	16	75.0	80.0
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	10	17	27.8	43.6
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	313	287	60.5	59.3

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

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	7 283	6 773	124.2	115.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	316	243	5.4	4.1
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	343	228	5.8	3.9
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	222	179	3.8	3.1
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	881	650	15.0	11.1
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	828	761	14.1	13.0
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	155	96	2.6	1.6
Common theft ⁶	1 961	1 755	33.4	29.9
Theft by shoplifting	2 244	2 383	38.3	40.6
Fraud	524	573	8.9	9.8
Other Group 3 crimes	690	555	11.8	9.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 313	3 289	45.5	48.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	121	99	38.3	40.7
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	46	69	13.4	30.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	78	69	35.1	38.5
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	245	237	27.8	36.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	260	245	31.4	32.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	31	18	20.0	18.8
Common theft ⁶	596	533	30.4	30.4
Theft by shoplifting	1 658	1 819	73.9	76.3
Fraud	269	241	51.3	42.1
Other Group 3 crimes	254	196	36.8	35.3

^{4 -} Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of

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TABLE 1.6

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	er 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	3 260	2 740	55.6	46.7
Fire-raising	145	168	2.5	2.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 983	2 438	50.9	41.6
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	3	0.0	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	127	120	2.2	2.0
Other Group 4 crimes	3	11	0.1	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	878	858	26.9	31.3
Fire-raising	44	60	30.3	35.7
Vandalism/malicious mischief	765	720	25.6	29.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	1	50.0	33.3
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	66	76	52.0	63.3
Other Group 4 crimes	2	1	66.7	9.1

TABLE 1.7

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	4 415	4 373	75.3	74.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	61	74	1.0	1.3
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	152	144	2.6	2.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	116	101	2.0	1.7
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	125	104	2.1	1.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	454	423	7.7	7.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	29	37	0.5	0.6
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	286	372	4.9	6.3
Bringing drugs into prison	12	13	0.2	0.2
Supply of drugs - Total	327	422	5.6	7.2
Possession of drugs	2 217	2 226	37.8	38.0
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	12	24	0.2	0.4
Total drugs crimes	2 556	2 672	43.6	45.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	6	-	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	465	436	7.9	7.4
Other Group 5 crimes	940	836	16.0	14.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	4 276	4 229	96.9	96.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	50	60	82.0	81.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	145	134	95.4	93.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	91	84	78.4	83.2
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	102	86	81.6	82.7
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	388	364	85.5	86.1
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	29	33	100.0	89.2
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	278	322	97.2	86.6
Bringing drugs into prison	6	1	50.0	7.7
Supply of drugs - Total	313	356	95.7	84.4
Possession of drugs	2 186	2 241	98.6	100.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	9	6	75.0	25.0
Total drugs crimes	2 508	2 603	98.1	97.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	6	-	100.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	463	424	99.6	97.2
Other Group 5 crimes	917	832	97.6	99.5

^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	454	423	7.7	7.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	213	218	3.6	3.7
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	241	205	4.1	3.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	61	74	1.0	1.3
Possession of an offensive weapon	48	58	0.8	1.0
Restriction of offensive weapons	6	13	0.1	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	5	1	0.1	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	152	144	2.6	2.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	132	124	2.3	2.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	10	0.0	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	19	10	0.3	0.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	116	101	2.0	1.7
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	112	96	1.9	1.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	5	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	125	104	2.1	1.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	122	99	2.1	1.7
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	4	0.1	0.1

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	388	364	85.5	86.1
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	195	194	91.5	89.0
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	193	170	80.1	82.9
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	50	60	82.0	81.1
Possession of an offensive weapon	43	53	89.6	91.4
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	5	16.7	38.5
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	1	2	50.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	5	-	100.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	145	134	95.4	93.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	124	114	93.9	91.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	2	10	200.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	19	10	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	91	84	78.4	83.2
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	88	77	78.6	80.2
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	7	100.0	140.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	102	86	81.6	82.7
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	99	81	81.1	81.8
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	3	4	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 possesion 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.

¹²These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commision 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	9 653	8 179	164.6	139.5
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	3 933	3 524	67.1	60.1
Common assault of emergency worker	522	512	8.9	8.7
Total common assaults	4 455	4 036	76.0	68.8
Breach of the peace	502	308	8.6	5.3
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 521	1 981	43.0	33.8
Stalking	120	103	2.0	1.8
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	3 143	2 392	53.6	40.8
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	104	85	1.8	1.4
Drunk and incapable	2	-	0.0	-
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	74	169	1.3	2.9
Other alcohol related offences	126	132	2.1	2.3
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	202	301	3.4	5.1
Wildlife offences	36	15	0.6	0.3
Other Group 6 offences	1 713	1 350	29.2	23.0

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	7 536	6 508	78.1	79.6
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 652	2 481	67.4	70.4
Common assault of emergency worker	511	512	97.9	100.0
Total common assaults	3 163	2 993	71.0	74.2
Breach of the peace	495	310	98.6	100.6
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 011	1 635	79.8	82.5
Stalking	86	86	71.7	83.5
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 592	2 031	82.5	84.9
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	100	76	96.2	89.4
Drunk and incapable	2	0	100.0	#DIV/0!
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	72	169	97.3	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	123	128	97.6	97.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	197	297	97.5	98.7
Wildlife offences	32	6	88.9	40.0
Other Group 6 offences	1 452	1 105	84.8	81.9

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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate _l	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	12 321	11 169	210.1	190.5
Dangerous driving offences	248	197	4.2	3.4
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	498	452	8.5	7.7
Speeding offences	3 599	3 480	61.4	59.3
Driving while disqualified	159	110	2.7	1.9
Driving without a licence	454	445	7.7	7.6
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 184	981	20.2	16.7
Seat belt offences	338	259	5.8	4.4
Mobile phone offences	360	274	6.1	4.7
Driving carelessly	819	754	14.0	12.9
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	442	440	7.5	7.5
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	948	1 129	16.2	19.3
Other Group 7 offences	3 272	2 648	55.8	45.2

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	11 580	10 507	94.0	94.1
Dangerous driving offences	206	154	83.1	78.2
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	501	450	100.6	99.6
Speeding offences	3 600	3 479	100.0	100.0
Driving while disqualified	160	107	100.6	97.3
Driving without a licence	457	453	100.7	101.8
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 191	988	100.6	100.7
Seat belt offences	338	257	100.0	99.2
Mobile phone offences	359	273	99.7	99.6
Driving carelessly	744	695	90.8	92.2
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	437	432	98.9	98.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	946	1 124	99.8	99.6
Other Group 7 offences	2 641	2 095	80.7	79.1

TABLE 1.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity	Number of casualties		
	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CASUALTIES	426	409	
Fatal	12	16	
Serious	141	150	
Slight	273	243	
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	153	166	
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	4	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 1.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (North East):

Number of incidents by incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number) Incidents (per 10,0		ents (per 10,000 popul	,000 population)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	119 282	116 241	2 034.2	1 982.3	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	22 088	19 840	376.7	338.3	
Complaint	6 258	4 805	106.7	81.9	
Disturbance	5 500	5 102	93.8	87.0	
Noise	3 288	3 271	56.1	55.8	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	136	94	2.3	1.6	
Neighbour dispute	1 344	1 263	22.9	21.5	
Vandalism	2 792	2 439	47.6	41.6	
Communications	2 770	2 866	47.2	48.9	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	22 242	20 332	379.3	346.7	
Road traffic matter	13 768	12 628	234.8	215.4	
Road traffic collision	6 649	6 176	113.4	105.3	
Road traffic offence	1 720	1 436	29.3	24.5	
Other transport incidents	105	92	1.8	1.6	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	13 926	13 754	237.5	234.6	
Theft	6 137	5 992	104.7	102.2	
Assault	2 962	2 780	50.5	47.4	
Housebreaking	1 531	1 376	26.1	23.5	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	3 296	3 606	56.2	61.5	
Other incident types	61 026	62 315	1 040.7	1 062.7	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)		
	2017/18	2018/19	
Number of Incidents	2.437	2.757	

TABLE 2.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 271	3 408	137	4.2
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	48.0	43.7	x	% Point Change - 4.2

TABLE 2.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crimes per 10,000 population			
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	12 705	11 848	305.3	284.7	
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	382	449	9.2	10.8	
Group 2: sexual crimes	855	850	20.5	20.4	
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	5 974	5 211	143.6	125.2	
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 696	2 270	64.8	54.6	
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 798	3 068	67.2	73.7	

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 989	6 411	55.0	54.1
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	291	340	76.2	75.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	569	499	66.5	58.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 813	2 317	47.1	44.5
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	805	709	29.9	31.2
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 511	2 546	89.7	83.0

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	382	449	9.2	10.8
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	4	0.1	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	4	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	12	7	0.3	0.2
Serious assault	216	230	5.2	5.5
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	98	115	2.4	2.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	10	32	0.2	0.8
Threats and extortion	18	16	0.4	0.4
Other group 1 crimes	21	41	0.5	1.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	291	340	76.2	75.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	3	100.0	75.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	4	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	12	7	100.0	100.0
Serious assault	167	175	77.3	76.1
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	67	90	68.4	78.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	8	28	80.0	87.5
Threats and extortion	11	1	61.1	6.3
Other group 1 crimes	19	32	90.5	78.0

^{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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	855	850	20.5	20.4
Rape	184	173	4.4	4.2
Assault with intent to rape	14	6	0.3	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	198	179	4.8	4.3
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	37	25	0.9	0.6
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	208	269	5.0	6.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	92	67	2.2	1.6
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	337	361	8.1	8.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	4	-	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	50	32	1.2	0.8
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	56	82	1.3	2.0
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	9	4	0.2	0.1
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	20	12	0.5	0.3
Public indecency (common law) ³	24	4	0.6	0.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	110	131	2.6	3.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	32	17	0.8	0.4
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	19	24	0.5	0.6
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	320	306	7.7	7.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 2	569	499	66.5	58.7	
Rape	132	82	71.7	47.4	
Assault with intent to rape	10	6	71.4	100.0	
Rape and attempted rape - Total	142	88	71.7	49.2	
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	26	13	70.3	52.0	
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	138	156	66.3	58.0	
Lewd & libidinous practices	66	26	71.7	38.8	
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	230	195	68.2	54.0	
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	5	-	125.0	
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	44	36	88.0	112.5	
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	31	54	55.4	65.9	
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	4	2	44.4	50.0	
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	11	7	55.0	58.3	
Public indecency (common law) ³	22	5	91.7	125.0	
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	64	75	58.2	57.3	
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	14	10	43.8	58.8	
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	7	22	36.8	91.7	
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-	
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	197	211	61.6	69.0	

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

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	5 974	5 211	143.6	125.2
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	298	321	7.2	7.7
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	148	75	3.6	1.8
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	273	250	6.6	6.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	719	646	17.3	15.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	587	591	14.1	14.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	160	98	3.8	2.4
Common theft ⁶	1 618	1 500	38.9	36.0
Theft by shoplifting	1 976	1 596	47.5	38.4
Fraud	407	429	9.8	10.3
Other Group 3 crimes	507	351	12.2	8.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 813	2 317	47.1	44.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	64	69	21.5	21.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	51	13	34.5	17.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	102	95	37.4	38.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	217	177	30.2	27.4
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	238	216	40.5	36.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	26	16	16.3	16.3
Common theft ⁶	462	436	28.6	29.1
Theft by shoplifting	1 462	1 207	74.0	75.6
Fraud	191	158	46.9	36.8
Other Group 3 crimes	217	107	42.8	30.5

^{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 2.6

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Number recorded Rate per 10,000) population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 696	2 270	64.8	54.6	
Fire-raising	149	121	3.6	2.9	
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 429	2 052	58.4	49.3	
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	-	-	-	
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	116	95	2.8	2.3	
Other Group 4 crimes	2	2	0.0	0.0	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	805	709	29.9	31.2
Fire-raising	41	41	27.5	33.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	697	606	28.7	29.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-		-	_
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	67	62	57.8	65.3
Other Group 4 crimes	-		-	-

TABLE 2.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 798	3 068	67.2	73.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	57	66	1.4	1.6
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	134	160	3.2	3.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	113	131	2.7	3.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	91	93	2.2	2.2
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	395	450	9.5	10.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	55	37	1.3	0.9
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	205	189	4.9	4.5
Bringing drugs into prison	13	13	0.3	0.3
Supply of drugs - Total	273	239	6.6	5.7
Possession of drugs	1 258	1 525	30.2	36.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	8	7	0.2	0.2
Total drugs crimes	1 539	1 771	37.0	42.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	355	346	8.5	8.3
Other Group 5 crimes	509	501	12.2	12.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 511	2 546	89.7	83.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	56	56	98.2	84.8
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	127	151	94.8	94.4
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	91	106	80.5	80.9
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	77	77	84.6	82.8
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	351	390	88.9	86.7
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	51	36	92.7	97.3
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	178	164	86.8	86.8
Bringing drugs into prison	6	4	46.2	30.8
Supply of drugs - Total	235	204	86.1	85.4
Possession of drugs	1 062	1 118	84.4	73.3
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	9	6	112.5	85.7
Total drugs crimes	1 306	1 328	84.9	75.0
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	353	337	99.4	97.4
Other Group 5 crimes	501	491	98.4	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 withou 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.

Number recorded

Rate per 10,000 population

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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity

Selected crime classification

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	395	450	9.5	10.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	191	226	4.6	5.4
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	204	224	5	5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	57	66	1.4	1.6
Possession of an offensive weapon	52	63	1.2	1.5
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	2	0.0	0.0
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	4	1	0.1	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	134	160	3.2	3.8
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	111	136	2.7	3.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	15	17	0.4	0.4
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	7	0.2	0.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	113	131	2.7	3.1
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	103	122	2	3
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4	6		
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	6	3		
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	91	93	2.2	2.2
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	83	88	2	2
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	4		

Number of detections	per of detections Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	351	390	88.9	86.7
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	183	207	95.8	91.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	168	183	82.4	81.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	56	56	98.2	84.8
Possession of an offensive weapon	51	54	98.1	85.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	1	100.0	50.0
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	4	1	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	127	151	94.8	94.4
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	104	129	93.7	94.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	15	15	100.0	88.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	7	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	91	106	80.5	80.9
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	83	97	80.6	79.5
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4	6	100.0	100.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	4	3	66.7	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	77	77	84.6	82.8
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	69	72	83.1	81.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	4	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	6	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 possesion 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.

¹²These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commision 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 876	6 584	165.3	158.2
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 906	2 956	69.8	71.0
Common assault of emergency worker	351	310	8.4	7.5
Total common assaults	3 257	3 266	78.3	78.5
Breach of the peace	526	408	12.6	9.8
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 027	1 914	48.7	46.0
Stalking	135	121	3.2	2.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 688	2 443	64.6	58.7
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	86	90	2.1	2.2
Drunk and incapable	12	4	0.3	0.1
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	35	13	0.8	0.3
Other alcohol related offences	85	73	2.0	1.8
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	132	90	3.2	2.2
Wildlife offences	17	15	0.4	0.4
Other Group 6 offences	696	680	16.7	16.3

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 551	5 105	80.7	77.5
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 115	2 024	72.8	68.5
Common assault of emergency worker	349	311	99.4	100.3
Total common assaults	2 464	2 335	75.7	71.5
Breach of the peace	518	408	98.5	100.0
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 721	1 577	84.9	82.4
Stalking	101	99	74.8	81.8
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 340	2 084	87.1	85.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	78	86	90.7	95.6
Drunk and incapable	12	4	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	35	13	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	85	72	100.0	98.6
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	132	89	100.0	98.9
Wildlife offences	6	8	35.3	53.3
Other Group 6 offences	531	503	76.3	74.0

TABLE 2.10
Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Tayside):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	10 544	10 200	253.4	245.1
Dangerous driving offences	240	223	5.8	5.4
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	368	354	8.8	8.5
Speeding offences	3 521	3 405	84.6	81.8
Driving while disqualified	160	149	3.8	3.6
Driving without a licence	754	606	18.1	14.6
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 692	1 431	40.7	34.4
Seat belt offences	89	180	2.1	4.3
Mobile phone offences	153	149	3.7	3.6
Driving carelessly	362	412	8.7	9.9
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	206	180	5.0	4.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	932	840	22.4	20.2
Other Group 7 offences	2 067	2 271	49.7	54.6

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	10 076	9 717	95.6	95.3
Dangerous driving offences	208	191	86.7	85.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	367	354	99.7	100.0
Speeding offences	3 522	3 405	100.0	100.0
Driving while disqualified	160	149	100.0	100.0
Driving without a licence	752	607	99.7	100.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 684	1 430	99.5	99.9
Seat belt offences	89	180	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	154	148	100.7	99.3
Driving carelessly	344	390	95.0	94.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	206	179	100.0	99.4
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	931	839	99.9	99.9
Other Group 7 offences	1 659	1 845	80.3	81.2

TABLE 2.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties		
	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CASUALTIES	504	391	
Fatal	21	14	
Serious	118	104	
Slight	365	273	
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	139	118	
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	9	8	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incidents (per 10,000 population)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL INCIDENTS	104 947	103 446	2 522.2	2 486.1
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	22 687	21 627	545.2	519.8
Complaint	5 988	5 070	143.9	121.8
Disturbance	5 344	5 412	128.4	130.1
Noise	5 028	4 857	120.8	116.7
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	89	70	2.1	1.7
Neighbour dispute	1 302	1 372	31.3	33.0
Vandalism	2 290	2 041	55.0	49.1
Communications	2 646	2 805	63.6	67.4
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	17 827	17 413	428.4	418.5
Road traffic matter	11 303	11 060	271.6	265.8
Road traffic collision	5 289	5 283	127.1	127.0
Road traffic offence	1 165	1 019	28.0	24.5
Other transport incidents	70	51	1.7	1.2
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	12 199	11 660	293.2	280.2
Theft	5 536	5 014	133.0	120.5
Assault	2 604	2 670	62.6	64.2
Housebreaking	1 465	1 296	35.2	31.1
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 594	2 680	62.3	64.4
Other incident types	52 234	52 746	1 255.4	1 267.7

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)			
	2017/18	2018/19		
Number of Incidents	3,024	2,929		

TABLE 3.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	2 023	2 087	64	3.2
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	41.8	36.5	х	% Point Change - 5.3

TABLE 3.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	7 131	6 676	232.1	217.3
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	206	198	6.7	6.4
Group 2: sexual crimes	511	525	16.6	17.1
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 673	2 560	87.0	83.3
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 611	1 313	52.4	42.7
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 130	2 080	69.3	67.7

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 528	4 532	63.5	67.9
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	172	162	83.5	81.8
Group 2: sexual crimes	341	365	66.7	69.5
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 361	1 427	50.9	55.7
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	638	490	39.6	37.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 016	2 088	94.6	100.4

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	206	198	6.7	6.4
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	2	0.0	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	1	-	0.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	6	0.0	0.2
Attempted murder	12	14	0.4	0.5
Serious assault	130	99	4.2	3.2
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	15	31	0.5	1.0
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	15	14	0.5	0.5
Threats and extortion	9	14	0.3	0.5
Other group 1 crimes	23	17	0.7	0.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	172	162	83.5	81.8
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	2	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	1	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	6	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	12	13	100.0	92.9
Serious assault	98	83	75.4	83.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	12	17	80.0	54.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	18	17	120.0	121.4
Threats and extortion	9	6	100.0	42.9
Other group 1 crimes	21	17	91.3	100.0

^{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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population			
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 2	511	525	16.6	17.1	
Rape	91	103	3.0	3.4	
Assault with intent to rape	5	1	0.2	0.0	
Rape and attempted rape - Total	96	104	3.1	3.4	
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	17	11	0.6	0.4	
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	156	150	5.1	4.9	
Lewd & libidinous practices	43	18	1.4	0.6	
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	216	179	7.0	5.8	
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	0.0	-	
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	23	14	0.7	0.5	
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	36	49	1.2	1.6	
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	14	9	0.5	0.3	
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	14	0.4	0.5	
Public indecency (common law) ³	13	8	0.4	0.3	
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	85	106	2.8	3.5	
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	8	13	0.3	0.4	
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	7	29	0.2	0.9	
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-	
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	198	242	6.4	7.9	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	341	365	66.7	69.5
Rape	45	55	49.5	53.4
Assault with intent to rape	3	-	60.0	-
Rape and attempted rape - Total	48	55	50.0	52.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	12	14	70.6	127.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	103	100	66.0	66.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	15	17	34.9	94.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	130	131	60.2	73.2
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	23	17	100.0	121.4
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	22	47	61.1	95.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	15	9	107.1	100.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	9	5	75.0	35.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	9	5	69.2	62.5
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	71	74	83.5	69.8
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	10	13	125.0	100.0
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	4	9	57.1	31.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	163	179	82.3	74.0

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

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 673	2 560	87.0	83.3
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	69	88	2.2	2.9
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	53	34	1.7	1.1
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	123	76	4.0	2.5
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	245	198	8.0	6.4
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	247	184	8.0	6.0
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	50	44	1.6	1.4
Common theft ⁶	885	757	28.8	24.6
Theft by shoplifting	705	925	22.9	30.1
Fraud	312	257	10.2	8.4
Other Group 3 crimes	229	195	7.5	6.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 361	1 427	50.9	55.7
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	27	35	39.1	39.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	9	12	17.0	35.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	47	26	38.2	34.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	83	73	33.9	36.9
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	141	98	57.1	53.3
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	11	16	22.0	36.4
Common theft ⁶	271	237	30.6	31.3
Theft by shoplifting	570	787	80.9	85.1
Fraud	205	146	65.7	56.8
Other Group 3 crimes	80	70	34.9	35.9

^{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 3.6

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 611	1 313	52.4	42.7
Fire-raising	48	50	1.6	1.6
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 530	1 238	49.8	40.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	3	1	0.1	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	29	21	0.9	0.7
Other Group 4 crimes	1	3	0.0	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	638	490	39.6	37.3
Fire-raising	16	26	33.3	52.0
Vandalism/malicious mischief	595	442	38.9	35.7
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	1	33.3	100.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	25	17	86.2	81.0
Other Group 4 crimes	1	4	100.0	133.3

TABLE 3.7

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 130	2 080	69.3	67.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	52	67	1.7	2.2
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	58	53	1.9	1.7
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	28	25	0.9	0.8
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	17	16	0.6	0.5
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	155	161	5.0	5.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	20	7	0.7	0.2
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	108	92	3.5	3.0
Bringing drugs into prison	1	-	0.0	-
Supply of drugs - Total	129	99	4.2	3.2
Possession of drugs	1 234	1 191	40.2	38.8
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	4	9	0.1	0.3
Total drugs crimes	1 367	1 299	44.5	42.3
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	256	251	8.3	8.2
Other Group 5 crimes	352	369	11.5	12.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 016	2 088	94.6	100.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	49	66	94.2	98.5
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	58	50	100.0	94.3
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	25	23	89.3	92.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	17	14	100.0	87.5
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	149	153	96.1	95.0
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	18	6	90.0	85.7
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	96	127	88.9	138.0
Bringing drugs into prison	-	-	-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	114	133	88.4	134.3
Possession of drugs	1 158	1 173	93.8	98.5
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	9	50.0	100.0
Total drugs crimes	1 274	1 315	93.2	101.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	248	249	96.9	99.2
Other Group 5 crimes	345	371	98.0	100.5

^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	<u> </u>	Rate per 10,000 por	oulation
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	155	161	5.0	5.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	110	120	3.6	3.9
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	45	41	1.5	1.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	52	67	1.7	2.2
Possession of an offensive weapon	52	65	1.7	2.1
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	58	53	1.9	1.7
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	58	52	1.9	1.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point ¹¹	-	1	-	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	28	25	0.9	0.8
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	27	24	0.9	0.8
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	1	-	0.0	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	17	16	0.6	0.5
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	15	16	0.5	0.5
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	2	-	0.1	-

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
otal offensive/bladed weapons	149	153	96.1	95.0
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	107	116	97.3	96.7
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	42	37	93.3	90.2
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	49	66	94.2	98.5
Possession of an offensive weapon	49	64	94.2	98.5
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	-	2	-	100.0
landling bladed/pointed instrument	58	50	100.0	94.3
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	58	48	100.0	92.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	-	2	-	200.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	25	23	89.3	92.0
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	25	22	92.6	91.7
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	17	14	100.0	87.5
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	15	14	100.0	87.5
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	2		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 possesion 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.

¹²These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commision 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	mber recorded Rate per 10,000 po		opulation	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 6	4 495	3 911	146.3	127.3	
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 754	1 585	57.1	51.6	
Common assault of emergency worker	237	231	7.7	7.5	
Total common assaults	1 991	1 816	64.8	59.1	
Breach of the peace	183	211	6.0	6.9	
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 307	1 199	42.5	39.0	
Stalking	37	39	1.2	1.3	
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 527	1 449	49.7	47.2	
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	31	32	1.0	1.0	
Drunk and incapable	143	37	4.7	1.2	
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	167	79	5.4	2.6	
Other alcohol related offences	87	60	2.8	2.0	
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	397	176	12.9	5.7	
Wildlife offences	34	29	1.1	0.9	
Other Group 6 offences	515	409	16.8	13.3	

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 847	3 353	85.6	85.7
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 314	1 187	74.9	74.9
Common assault of emergency worker	234	230	98.7	99.6
Total common assaults	1 548	1 417	77.7	78.0
Breach of the peace	176	220	96.2	104.3
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 171	1 096	89.6	91.4
Stalking	50	35	135.1	89.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 397	1 351	91.5	93.2
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	27	31	87.1	96.9
Drunk and incapable	143	42	100.0	113.5
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	164	76	98.2	96.2
Other alcohol related offences	86	59	98.9	98.3
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	393	177	99.0	100.6
Wildlife offences	21	20	61.8	69.0
Other Group 6 offences	461	357	89.5	87.3

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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	8 889	8 247	289.3	268.4
Dangerous driving offences	154	171	5.0	5.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	374	376	12.2	12.2
Speeding offences	3 336	3 123	108.6	101.7
Driving while disqualified	32	39	1.0	1.3
Driving without a licence	289	253	9.4	8.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	640	600	20.8	19.5
Seat belt offences	322	187	10.5	6.1
Mobile phone offences	172	138	5.6	4.5
Driving carelessly	471	431	15.3	14.0
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	244	210	7.9	6.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	710	916	23.1	29.8
Other Group 7 offences	2 145	1 803	69.8	58.7

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	8 649	8 150	97.3	98.8
Dangerous driving offences	157	167	101.9	97.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	375	392	100.3	104.3
Speeding offences	3 331	3 139	99.9	100.5
Driving while disqualified	36	40	112.5	102.6
Driving without a licence	290	254	100.3	100.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	640	614	100.0	102.3
Seat belt offences	319	194	99.1	103.7
Mobile phone offences	179	143	104.1	103.6
Driving carelessly	451	424	95.8	98.4
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	245	209	100.4	99.5
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	686	933	96.6	101.9
Other Group 7 offences	1 940	1 641	90.4	91.0

TABLE 3.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	350	316
Fatal	12	18
Serious	5	3
Slight	333	295
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	17	21
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	5	3

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incide	Incidents (per 10,000 population)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	73 155	75 654	2 381.3	2 462.6	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	5 253	9 897	171.0	322.2	
Complaint	902	2 126	29.4	69.2	
Disturbance	352	2 409	11.5	78.4	
Noise	1 510	1 836	49.2	59.8	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	30	55	1.0	1.8	
Neighbour dispute	434	688	14.1	22.4	
Vandalism	1 130	1 274	36.8	41.5	
Communications	202	1 509	6.6	49.1	
Other ASB	693	-	22.6	-	
Transport related incidents	14 868	15 510	484.0	504.9	
Road traffic matter	7 396	7 482	240.7	243.5	
Road traffic collision	3 186	3 528	103.7	114.8	
Road traffic offence	4 201	4 436	136.7	144.4	
Other transport incidents	85	64	2.8	2.1	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	6 820	7 438	222.0	242.1	
Theft	2 998	3 110	97.6	101.2	
Assault	1 430	1 707	46.5	55.6	
Housebreaking	352	493	11.5	16.0	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 040	2 128	66.4	69.3	
Other incident types	46 214	42 809	1 504.3	1 393.5	

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

TABLE 3.13

Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Highland & Islands): Number of incidents by incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2017/18	2018/19
Number of Incidents	1,978	1,839

^{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 4.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	(Change from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	2 856	2 570	- 286	-10.0
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	44.6	45.4	х	% Point Change 0.8

TABLE 4.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	9 240	9 394	302.4	307.4
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	294	329	9.6	10.8
Group 2: sexual crimes	543	610	17.8	20.0
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 762	4 047	123.1	132.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 408	2 001	78.8	65.5
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 233	2 407	73.1	78.8

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	5 211	5 532	56.4	58.9
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	263	262	89.5	79.6
Group 2: sexual crimes	404	374	74.4	61.3
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 684	1 966	44.8	48.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	808	676	33.6	33.8
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 052	2 254	91.9	93.6

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	294	329	9.6	10.8
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	2	-	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	2	0.0	0.1
Attempted murder	8	16	0.3	0.5
Serious assault	169	167	5.5	5.5
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	41	60	1.3	2.0
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	30	44	1.0	1.4
Threats and extortion	28	23	0.9	0.8
Other group 1 crimes	17	15	0.6	0.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	263	262	89.5	79.6
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	1	-	50.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	2	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	7	15	87.5	93.8
Serious assault	155	139	91.7	83.2
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	34	47	82.9	78.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	32	40	106.7	90.9
Threats and extortion	20	6	71.4	26.1
Other group 1 crimes	14	12	82.4	80.0

^{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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	543	610	17.8	20.0
Rape	75	102	2.5	3.3
Assault with intent to rape	6	4	0.2	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	81	106	2.7	3.5
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	19	11	0.6	0.4
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	133	173	4.4	5.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	48	54	1.6	1.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	200	238	6.5	7.8
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	0.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	26	18	0.9	0.6
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	60	57	2.0	1.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	18	7	0.6	0.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	19	0.4	0.6
Public indecency (common law) ³	12	8	0.4	0.3
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	107	110	3.5	3.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	14	18	0.5	0.6
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	12	29	0.4	0.9
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	261	266	8.5	8.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	404	374	74.4	61.3
Rape	60	58	80.0	56.9
Assault with intent to rape	7	1	116.7	25.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	67	59	82.7	55.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	15	7	78.9	63.6
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	99	122	74.4	70.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	40	35	83.3	64.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	154	164	77.0	68.9
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	-	100.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	24	16	92.3	88.9
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	41	38	68.3	66.7
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	13	4	72.2	57.1
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	9	9	75.0	47.4
Public indecency (common law) ³	7	4	58.3	50.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	77	55	72.0	50.0
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	9	12	64.3	66.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	2	13	16.7	44.8
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	182	151	69.7	56.8

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

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 762	4 047	123.1	132.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	219	231	7.2	7.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	109	88	3.6	2.9
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	127	150	4.2	4.9
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	455	469	14.9	15.3
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	450	509	14.7	16.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	55	56	1.8	1.8
Common theft ⁶	1 163	1 070	38.1	35.0
Theft by shoplifting	1 037	1 253	33.9	41.0
Fraud	327	375	10.7	12.3
Other Group 3 crimes	275	315	9.0	10.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 684	1 966	44.8	48.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	63	55	28.8	23.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	34	19	31.2	21.6
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	50	70	39.4	46.7
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	147	144	32.3	30.7
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	156	205	34.7	40.3
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	14	4	25.5	7.1
Common theft ⁶	329	343	28.3	32.1
Theft by shoplifting	789	1 000	76.1	79.8
Fraud	142	158	43.4	42.1
Other Group 3 crimes	107	112	38.9	35.6

^{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 4.6

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	er 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 408	2 001	78.8	65.5
Fire-raising	125	99	4.1	3.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 154	1 796	70.5	58.8
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	1	0.0	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	127	104	4.2	3.4
Other Group 4 crimes	1	1	0.0	0.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	808	676	33.6	33.8
Fire-raising	63	54	50.4	54.5
Vandalism/malicious mischief	667	560	31.0	31.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	1	100.0	100.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	77	61	60.6	58.7
Other Group 4 crimes	-	-	-	-

TABLE 4.7 Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 233	2 407	73.1	78.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	45	47	1.5	1.5
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	124	85	4.1	2.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	86	116	2.8	3.8
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	50	78	1.6	2.6
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	305	326	10.0	10.7
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	21	23	0.7	0.8
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	147	141	4.8	4.6
Bringing drugs into prison	9	6	0.3	0.2
Supply of drugs - Total	177	170	5.8	5.6
Possession of drugs	1 004	1 130	32.9	37.0
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	8	9	0.3	0.3
Total drugs crimes	1 189	1 309	38.9	42.8
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	282	297	9.2	9.7
Other Group 5 crimes	457	475	15.0	15.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 052	2 254	91.9	93.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	40	45	88.9	95.7
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	120	86	96.8	101.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	72	107	83.7	92.2
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	42	73	84.0	93.6
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	274	311	89.8	95.4
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	21	23	100.0	100.0
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	113	131	76.9	92.9
Bringing drugs into prison	2	4	22.2	66.7
Supply of drugs - Total	136	158	76.8	92.9
Possession of drugs	922	1 024	91.8	90.6
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	9	5	112.5	55.6
Total drugs crimes	1 067	1 187	89.7	90.7
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	1	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	275	285	97.5	96.0
Other Group 5 crimes	435	470	95.2	98.9

^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	<u> </u>	Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	305	326	10.0	10.7
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	169	132	5.5	4.3
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	136	194	4.5	6.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	45	47	1.5	1.5
Possession of an offensive weapon	35	44	1.1	1.4
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	8	2	0.3	0.1
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	-	-	-	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	124	85	4.1	2.8
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	101	77	3.3	2.5
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	14	6	0.5	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	9	2	0.3	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	86	116	2.8	3.8
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	81	98	2.7	3.2
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	17	0.1	0.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	2	1	0.1	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	50	78	1.6	2.6
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	48	69	1.6	2.3
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	7	0.1	0.2
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	-	2		0.1

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	274	311	89.8	95.4
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	160	131	94.7	99.2
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	114	180	83.8	92.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	40	45	88.9	95.7
Possession of an offensive weapon	31	42	88.6	95.5
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	1	50.0	100.0
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	_	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	8	2	100.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	-	-	-	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	120	86	96.8	101.2
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	98	75	97.0	97.4
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	13	5	92.9	83.3
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	9	6	100.0	300.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	72	107	83.7	92.2
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	68	91	84.0	92.9
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	2	15	66.7	88.2
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	2	1	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	42	73	84.0	93.6
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	40	64	83.3	92.8
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	7	100.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity		2		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 possesion 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.

¹²These 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	1	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 215	5 754	203.4	188.3
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 559	2 436	83.7	79.7
Common assault of emergency worker	290	273	9.5	8.9
Total common assaults	2 849	2 709	93.2	88.7
Breach of the peace	181	143	5.9	4.7
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 224	2 018	72.8	66.0
Stalking	75	54	2.5	1.8
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 480	2 215	81.2	72.5
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	94	82	3.1	2.7
Drunk and incapable	11	7	0.4	0.2
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	148	124	4.8	4.1
Other alcohol related offences	20	18	0.7	0.6
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	179	149	5.9	4.9
Wildlife offences	8	16	0.3	0.5
Other Group 6 offences	605	583	19.8	19.1

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	4 786	4 577	77.0	79.5
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 695	1 737	66.2	71.3
Common assault of emergency worker	294	274	101.4	100.4
Total common assaults	1 989	2 011	69.8	74.2
Breach of the peace	177	128	97.8	89.5
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 837	1 723	82.6	85.4
Stalking	64	38	85.3	70.4
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 078	1 889	83.8	85.3
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	81	79	86.2	96.3
Drunk and incapable	11	7	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	146	124	98.6	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	20	17	100.0	94.4
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	177	148	98.9	99.3
Wildlife offences	2	13	25.0	81.3
Other Group 6 offences	459	437	75.9	75.0

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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 559	4 493	181.9	147.0
Dangerous driving offences	98	98	3.2	3.2
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	264	275	8.6	9.0
Speeding offences	1 820	1 382	59.6	45.2
Driving while disqualified	38	46	1.2	1.5
Driving without a licence	211	168	6.9	5.5
Failure to insure against third party risks	563	437	18.4	14.3
Seat belt offences	116	80	3.8	2.6
Mobile phone offences	128	94	4.2	3.1
Driving carelessly	249	248	8.1	8.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	99	91	3.2	3.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	849	603	27.8	19.7
Other Group 7 offences	1 124	971	36.8	31.8

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 223	4 057	94.0	90.3
Dangerous driving offences	82	86	83.7	87.8
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	252	270	95.5	98.2
Speeding offences	1 822	1 387	100.1	100.4
Driving while disqualified	37	44	97.4	95.7
Driving without a licence	210	175	99.5	104.2
Failure to insure against third party risks	559	442	99.3	101.1
Seat belt offences	116	82	100.0	102.5
Mobile phone offences	128	94	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	231	225	92.8	90.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	99	92	100.0	101.1
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	848	609	99.9	101.0
Other Group 7 offences	839	551	74.6	56.7

TABLE 4.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	395	288
Fatal	4	9
Serious	78	51
Slight	313	228
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	82	60
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	11	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 4.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number of incidents by type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incide	Incidents (per 10,000 population)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	75 493	73 107	2 470.5	2 392.4	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	17 773	15 602	581.6	510.6	
Complaint	4 771	3 309	156.1	108.3	
Disturbance	4 366	4 101	142.9	134.2	
Noise	3 392	3 158	111.0	103.3	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	122	107	4.0	3.5	
Neighbour dispute	1 228	1 173	40.2	38.4	
Vandalism	1 851	1 558	60.6	51.0	
Communications	2 043	2 196	66.9	71.9	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	12 931	11 885	423.2	388.9	
Road traffic matter	8 136	7 515	266.2	245.9	
Road traffic collision	3 794	3 562	124.2	116.6	
Road traffic offence	959	777	31.4	25.4	
Other transport incidents	42	31	1.4	1.0	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	8 018	8 132	262.4	266.1	
Theft	3 255	3 419	106.5	111.9	
Assault	2 020	2 006	66.1	65.6	
Housebreaking	881	797	28.8	26.1	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	1 862	1 910	60.9	62.5	
Other incident types	36 771	37 488	1 203.3	1 226.8	

 $^{{\}bf 10 - Excludes \ incidents \ relating \ to \ vandalism \ (which \ is \ included \ within \ anti-social \ behaviour)}.$

TABLE 4.13

Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Forth Valley):

Number of incidents by type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)		
	2017/18	2018/19	
Number of Incidents	2,019	2,213	

TABLE 5.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 - (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	4 272	4 349	77	1.8
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	45.6	44.1	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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	es per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	25 371	23 713	494.4	462.1
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	656	649	12.8	12.6
Group 2: sexual crimes	789	945	15.4	18.4
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	15 705	14 553	306.0	283.6
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	4 657	3 906	90.7	76.1
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 564	3 660	69.4	71.3

Crime group	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)			
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	8 446	8 727	33.3	36.8	
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	458	430	69.8	66.3	
Group 2: sexual crimes	394	476	49.9	50.4	
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 610	3 883	23.0	26.7	
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	740	714	15.9	18.3	
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 244	3 224	91.0	88.1	

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	er 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	656	649	12.8	12.6
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	4	0.1	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	-	0.1	-
Attempted murder	17	20	0.3	0.4
Serious assault	291	315	5.7	6.1
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	226	185	4.4	3.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	39	36	0.8	0.7
Threats and extortion	32	51	0.6	1.0
Other group 1 crimes	44	38	0.9	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	458	430	69.8	66.3
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	4	4	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	-	100.0	-
Attempted murder	18	20	105.9	100.0
Serious assault	210	219	72.2	69.5
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	154	115	68.1	62.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	37	34	94.9	94.4
Threats and extortion	9	12	28.1	23.5
Other group 1 crimes	23	26	52.3	68.4

^{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 5.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded Ra		ate per 10,000 population	
-	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	789	945	15.4	18.4
Rape	157	160	3.1	3.1
Assault with intent to rape	10	9	0.2	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	167	169	3.3	3.3
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	15	18	0.3	0.4
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	227	283	4.4	5.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	59	74	1.1	1.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	301	375	5.9	7.3
Prostitution related crime - Total	17	6	0.3	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	41	41	0.8	0.8
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	55	77	1.1	1.5
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	19	6	0.4	0.1
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	29	43	0.6	0.8
Public indecency (common law) ³	22	20	0.4	0.4
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	108	134	2.1	2.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	17	22	0.3	0.4
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	13	52	0.3	1.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	304	395	5.9	7.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)			
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 2	394	476	49.9	50.4	
Rape	67	74	42.7	46.3	
Assault with intent to rape	4	9	40.0	100.0	
Rape and attempted rape - Total	71	83	42.5	49.1	
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	8	11	53.3	61.1	
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	92	114	40.5	40.3	
Lewd & libidinous practices	37	28	62.7	37.8	
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	137	153	45.5	40.8	
Prostitution related crime - Total	15	6	88.2	100.0	
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	37	36	90.2	87.8	
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	30	51	54.5	66.2	
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	6	1	31.6	16.7	
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	12	28	41.4	65.1	
Public indecency (common law) ³	8	9	36.4	45.0	
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	58	65	53.7	48.5	
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	16	15	94.1	68.2	
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	4	29	30.8	55.8	
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-	
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	171	234	56.3	59.2	

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

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	15 705	14 553	306.0	283.6
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	1 185	1 011	23.1	19.7
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	728	467	14.2	9.1
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	501	478	9.8	9.3
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	2 414	1 956	47.0	38.1
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	2 447	1 972	47.7	38.4
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	251	250	4.9	4.9
Common theft ⁶	4 193	3 689	81.7	71.9
Theft by shoplifting	3 208	3 573	62.5	69.6
Fraud	914	1 093	17.8	21.3
Other Group 3 crimes	2 278	2 020	44.4	39.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 610	3 883	23.0	26.7
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	357	272	30.1	26.9
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	29	51	4.0	10.9
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	162	169	32.3	35.4
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	548	492	22.7	25.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	279	284	11.4	14.4
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	43	47	17.1	18.8
Common theft ⁶	532	513	12.7	13.9
Theft by shoplifting	1 637	1 804	51.0	50.5
Fraud	258	304	28.2	27.8
Other Group 3 crimes	313	439	13.7	21.7

^{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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	4 657	3 906	90.7	76.1
Fire-raising	214	194	4.2	3.8
Vandalism/malicious mischief	4 117	3 454	80.2	67.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	3	0.0	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	318	236	6.2	4.6
Other Group 4 crimes	6	19	0.1	0.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	740	714	15.9	18.3
Fire-raising	41	45	19.2	23.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	603	590	14.6	17.1
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2		100.0	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	92	77	28.9	32.6
Other Group 4 crimes	2	2	33.3	10.5

TABLE 5.7 Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	3 564	3 660	69.4	71.3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	82	111	1.6	2.2
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	148	196	2.9	3.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	135	132	2.6	2.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	91	104	1.8	2.0
Total offensive/bladed weapons8	456	543	8.9	10.6
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	48	27	0.9	0.5
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	248	296	4.8	5.8
Bringing drugs into prison	78	65	1.5	1.3
Supply of drugs - Total	374	388	7.3	7.6
Possession of drugs	1 405	1 510	27.4	29.4
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	14	3	0.3	0.1
Total drugs crimes	1 793	1 901	34.9	37.0
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	4	-	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	565	545	11.0	10.6
Other Group 5 crimes	750	667	14.6	13.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	3 244	3 224	91.0	88.1
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	73	99	89.0	89.2
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	129	181	87.2	92.3
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	115	101	85.2	76.5
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	65	85	71.4	81.7
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	382	466	83.8	85.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	44	32	91.7	118.5
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	209	215	84.3	72.6
Bringing drugs into prison	22	46	28.2	70.8
Supply of drugs - Total	275	293	73.5	75.5
Possession of drugs	1 279	1 275	91.0	84.4
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	8	7	57.1	233.3
Total drugs crimes	1 562	1 575	87.1	82.9
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	3	-	75.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	557	536	98.6	98.3
Other Group 5 crimes	743	644	99.1	96.6

 ^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 por	Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
Total offensive/bladed weapons	456	543	8.9	10.6	
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	230	307	4.5	6.0	
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	226	236	4.4	4.6	
			0.0	0.0	
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	82	111	1.6	2.2	
Possession of an offensive weapon	75	108	1.5	2.1	
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	3	0.1	0.1	
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	3	-	0.1	-	
			0.0	0.0	
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	148	196	2.9	3.8	
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	138	181	2.7	3.5	
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	2	5	0.0	0.1	
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	10	0.2	0.2	
			0.0	0.0	
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	135	132	2.6	2.6	
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	133	127	2.6	2.5	
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	1	4	0.0	0.1	
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	1	1	0.0	0.0	
			0.0	0.0	
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	91	104	1.8	2.0	
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	89	100	1.7	1.9	
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	4	0.0	0.1	
Having in a school an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1		0.0	_	

Number of detections	Number of detect	ons Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
otal offensive/bladed weapons	382	466	83.8	85.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	202	280	87.8	91.2
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	180	186	79.6	78.8
carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	73	99	89.0	89.2
Possession of an offensive weapon	67	97	89.3	89.8
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	2	2	66.7	66.7
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	3	-	100.0	
landling bladed/pointed instrument	129	181	87.2	92.3
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	120	166	87.0	91.7
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	5	50.0	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	10	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	115	101	85.2	76.5
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	113	96	85.0	75.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	1	4	100.0	100.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	1	1	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	65	85	71.4	81.7
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	63	81	70.8	81.0
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	4	100.0	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 possesion 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.

¹²These 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		on	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 6	9 778	9 886	190.5	192.6	
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	4 542	4 551	88.5	88.7	
Common assault of emergency worker	406	468	7.9	9.1	
Total common assaults	4 948	5 019	96.4	97.8	
Breach of the peace	160	170	3.1	3.3	
Threatening and abusive behaviour	3 214	3 224	62.6	62.8	
Stalking	118	119	2.3	2.3	
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	3 492	3 513	68.0	68.5	
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	241	233	4.7	4.5	
Drunk and incapable	19	18	0.4	0.4	
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	26	22	0.5	0.4	
Other alcohol related offences	75	60	1.5	1.2	
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	120	100	2.3	1.9	
Wildlife Offences	2	1	0.0	0.0	
Other Group 6 offences	975	1 020	19.0	19.9	

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 157	6 274	63.0	63.5
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 349	2 407	51.7	52.9
Common assault of emergency worker	389	450	95.8	96.2
Total common assaults	2 738	2 857	55.3	56.9
Breach of the peace	158	160	98.8	94.1
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 182	2 216	67.9	68.7
Stalking	90	88	76.3	73.9
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 430	2 464	69.6	70.1
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	190	194	78.8	83.3
Drunk and incapable	19	18	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	26	22	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	70	60	93.3	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	115	100	95.8	100.0
Wildlife Offences	1	1	50.0	100.0
Other Group 6 offences	683	658	70.1	64.5

TABLE 5.10
Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 985	7 147	136.1	139.3
Dangerous driving offences	176	171	3.4	3.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	297	280	5.8	5.5
Speeding offences	403	441	7.9	8.6
Driving while disqualified	127	106	2.5	2.1
Driving without a licence	375	416	7.3	8.1
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 085	1 080	21.1	21.0
Seat belt offences	172	249	3.4	4.9
Mobile phone offences	321	372	6.3	7.2
Driving carelessly	442	466	8.6	9.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	402	451	7.8	8.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	852	1 048	16.6	20.4
Other Group 7 offences	2 333	2 067	45.5	40.3

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 448	5 772	78.0	80.8
Dangerous driving offences	139	134	79.0	78.4
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	299	280	100.7	100.0
Speeding offences	405	439	100.5	99.5
Driving while disqualified	129	105	101.6	99.1
Driving without a licence	373	404	99.5	97.1
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 071	1 058	98.7	98.0
Seat belt offences	167	240	97.1	96.4
Mobile phone offences	322	358	100.3	96.2
Driving carelessly	385	403	87.1	86.5
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	391	429	97.3	95.1
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	846	1 041	99.3	99.3
Other Group 7 offences	921	881	39.5	42.6

TABLE 5.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	815	727
Fatal	5	4
Serious	105	90
Slight	705	633
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	110	94
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	8	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 5.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Edinburgh):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number) Incider		nts (per 10,000 population)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL INCIDENTS	144 523	137 800	2 816.1	2 685.1
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	32 554	29 536	634.3	575.5
Complaint	10 354	7 284	201.7	141.9
Disturbance	7 432	7 223	144.8	140.7
Noise	7 061	7 412	137.6	144.4
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	125	192	2.4	3.7
Neighbour dispute	1 511	1 553	29.4	30.3
Vandalism	3 564	3 031	69.4	59.1
Communications	2 507	2 841	48.8	55.4
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	18 671	16 674	363.8	324.9
Road traffic matter	11 122	9 569	216.7	186.5
Road traffic collision	5 796	5 516	112.9	107.5
Road traffic offence	1 556	1 444	30.3	28.1
Other transport incidents	197	145	3.8	2.8
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	24 256	22 112	472.6	430.9
Theft	11 518	10 404	224.4	202.7
Assault	3 813	3 711	74.3	72.3
Housebreaking	3 000	2 405	58.5	46.9
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	5 925	5 592	115.4	109.0
Other incident types	69 042	69 478	1 345.3	1 353.8

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)		
	2017/18	2018/19	
Number of Incidents	3 827	3 153	

TABLE 6.1

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

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 883	4 216	333	8.6
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	48.0	40.3	х	% Point Change - 7.7

TABLE 6.2

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	14 609	14 966	297.4	304.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	353	394	7.2	8.0
Group 2: sexual crimes	676	724	13.8	14.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	7 039	7 236	143.3	147.3
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	3 486	3 168	71.0	64.5
Group 5: other crimes ¹	3 055	3 444	62.2	70.1

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 823	6 840	46.7	45.7
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	292	270	82.7	68.5
Group 2: sexual crimes	417	391	61.7	54.0
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 462	2 454	35.0	33.9
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	818	711	23.5	22.4
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 834	3 014	92.8	87.5

^{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):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	353	394	7.2	8.0
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	-	0.0	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	3	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	8	10	0.2	0.2
Serious assault	187	188	3.8	3.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	61	74	1.2	1.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	53	50	1.1	1.0
Threats and extortion	20	37	0.4	0.8
Other group 1 crimes	19	32	0.4	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	292	270	82.7	68.5
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	4	3	133.3	100.0
Attempted murder	10	10	125.0	100.0
Serious assault	163	140	87.2	74.5
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	45	49	73.8	66.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	45	36	84.9	72.0
Threats and extortion	5	7	25.0	18.9
Other group 1 crimes	18	25	94.7	78.1

^{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 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	676	724	13.8	14.7
Rape	120	138	2.4	2.8
Assault with intent to rape	3	5	0.1	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	123	143	2.5	2.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	19	13	0.4	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	212	207	4.3	4.2
Lewd & libidinous practices	71	68	1.4	1.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	302	288	6.1	5.9
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	37	28	0.8	0.6
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	48	65	1.0	1.3
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	14	12	0.3	0.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	16	20	0.3	0.4
Public indecency (common law) ³	10	17	0.2	0.3
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	86	105	1.8	2.1
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	15	12	0.3	0.2
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	25	34	0.5	0.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	251	293	5.1	6.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	417	391	61.7	54.0
Rape	70	93	58.3	67.4
Assault with intent to rape	4	4	133.3	80.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	74	97	60.2	67.8
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	10	7	52.6	53.8
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	130	101	61.3	48.8
Lewd & libidinous practices	51	37	71.8	54.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	191	145	63.2	50.3
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	32	26	86.5	92.9
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	29	31	60.4	47.7
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	7	3	50.0	25.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	11	7	68.8	35.0
Public indecency (common law) ³	6	8	60.0	47.1
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	42	51	48.8	48.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	11	11	73.3	91.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	14	12	56.0	35.3
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	152	149	60.6	50.9

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

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	7 039	7 236	143.3	147.3
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	319	359	6.5	7.3
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	458	260	9.3	5.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	316	422	6.4	8.6
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	1 093	1 041	22.2	21.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	1 071	1 090	21.8	22.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	129	104	2.6	2.1
Common theft ⁶	1 861	1 889	37.9	38.5
Theft by shoplifting	2 024	2 114	41.2	43.0
Fraud	413	487	8.4	9.9
Other Group 3 crimes	448	511	9.1	10.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 462	2 454	35.0	33.9
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	158	106	49.5	29.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	89	30	19.4	11.5
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	74	107	23.4	25.4
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	321	243	29.4	23.3
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	216	242	20.2	22.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	11	9	8.5	8.7
Common theft ⁶	355	389	19.1	20.6
Theft by shoplifting	1 213	1 241	59.9	58.7
Fraud	168	143	40.7	29.4
Other Group 3 crimes	178	187	39.7	36.6

^{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 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	3 486	3 168	71.0	64.5
Fire-raising	208	181	4.2	3.7
Vandalism/malicious mischief	3 087	2 862	62.8	58.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	8	3	0.2	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	176	118	3.6	2.4
Other Group 4 crimes	7	4	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	818	711	23.5	22.4
Fire-raising	57	53	27.4	29.3
Vandalism/malicious mischief	676	603	21.9	21.1
Reckless conduct with a firearm	4	2	50.0	66.7
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	79	53	44.9	44.9
Other Group 4 crimes	2		28.6	-

TABLE 6.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	ber recorded Rate per 10,000 population		on	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	3 055	3 444	62.2	70.1	
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	62	120	1.3	2.4	
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	86	111	1.8	2.3	
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	81	69	1.6	1.4	
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	67	55	1.4	1.1	
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	296	355	6.0	7.2	
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	72	69	1.5	1.4	
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	210	259	4.3	5.3	
Bringing drugs into prison	10	5	0.2	0.1	
Supply of drugs - Total	292	333	5.9	6.8	
Possession of drugs	1 307	1 624	26.6	33.1	
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	10	13	0.2	0.3	
Total drugs crimes	1 609	1 970	32.8	40.1	
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-	
Bail offences (other than absconding)	584	535	11.9	10.9	
Other Group 5 crimes	566	584	11.5	11.9	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 834	3 014	92.8	87.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	65	116	104.8	96.7
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	80	104	93.0	93.7
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	72	61	88.9	88.4
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	58	46	86.6	83.6
Total offensive/bladed weapons8	275	327	92.9	92.1
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	70	60	97.2	87.0
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	194	217	92.4	83.8
Bringing drugs into prison	6	3	60.0	60.0
Supply of drugs - Total	270	280	92.5	84.1
Possession of drugs	1 190	1 340	91.0	82.5
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	3	10	30.0	76.9
Total drugs crimes	1 463	1 630	90.9	82.7
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	564	508	96.6	95.0
Other Group 5 crimes	532	549	94.0	94.0

^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	296	355	6.0	7.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	148	231	3.0	4.7
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	148	124	3.0	2.5
			0.0	0.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	62	120	1.3	2.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	56	104	1.1	2.1
Restriction of offensive weapons	-		-	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-		-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	14	0.1	0.3
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	3	2	0.1	0.0
			0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	86	111	1.8	2.3
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	73	101	1.5	2.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	2	3	0.0	0.1
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	11	7	0.2	0.1
			0.0	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	81	69	1.6	1.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	77	68	1.6	1.4
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4		0.1	
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	1	4	0.0
			0.0	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	67	55	1.4	1.1
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	64	55	1.3	1.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2		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 detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
otal offensive/bladed weapons	275	327	92.9	92.1
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	145	220	98.0	95.2
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	130	107	87.8	86.3
arrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	65	116	104.8	96.7
Possession of an offensive weapon	59	98	105.4	94.2
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	-	-	
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	16	100.0	114.3
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	3	2	100.0	100.0
andling bladed/pointed instrument	80	104	93.0	93.7
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	67	90	91.8	89.
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	2	4	100.0	133.3
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	11	10	100.0	142.9
offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) 12	72	61	88.9	88.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	68	61	88.3	89.7
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	4	-	100.0	
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	
laded/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	58	46	86.6	83.6
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	55	46	85.9	83.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	2	-	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 possesion 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.

¹²These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commision 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	7 069	7 223	143.9	147.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 821	3 028	57.4	61.6
Common assault of emergency worker	287	268	5.8	5.5
Total common assaults	3 108	3 296	63.3	67.1
Breach of the peace	165	109	3.4	2.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 680	2 660	54.6	54.1
Stalking	64	84	1.3	1.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 909	2 853	59.2	58.1
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	95	95	1.9	1.9
Drunk and incapable	43	46	0.9	0.9
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	45	40	0.9	0.8
Other alcohol related offences	28	26	0.6	0.5
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	116	112	2.4	2.3
Wildlife Offences	32	19	0.7	0.4
Other Group 6 offences	809	848	16.5	17.3

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 368	5 265	75.9	72.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 894	1 864	67.1	61.6
Common assault of emergency worker	282	256	98.3	95.5
Total common assaults	2 176	2 120	70.0	64.3
Breach of the peace	164	102	99.4	93.6
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 190	2 170	81.7	81.6
Stalking	53	68	82.8	81.0
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 407	2 340	82.7	82.0
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	86	82	90.5	86.3
Drunk and incapable	42	45	97.7	97.8
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	44	40	97.8	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	27	27	96.4	103.8
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	113	112	97.4	100.0
Wildlife Offences	7	21	21.9	110.5
Other Group 6 offences	579	590	71.6	69.6

TABLE 6.10 Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders):

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 309	5 040	108.1	102.6
Dangerous driving offences	170	156	3.5	3.2
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	409	401	8.3	8.2
Speeding offences	638	398	13.0	8.1
Driving while disqualified	113	97	2.3	2.0
Driving without a licence	388	369	7.9	7.5
Failure to insure against third party risks	993	984	20.2	20.0
Seat belt offences	106	94	2.2	1.9
Mobile phone offences	165	145	3.4	3.0
Driving carelessly	371	404	7.6	8.2
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	139	155	2.8	3.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	532	605	10.8	12.3
Other Group 7 offences	1 285	1 232	26.2	25.1

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 575	4 281	86.2	84.9
Dangerous driving offences	147	129	86.5	82.7
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	395	400	96.6	99.8
Speeding offences	640	390	100.3	98.0
Driving while disqualified	114	96	100.9	99.0
Driving without a licence	374	364	96.4	98.6
Failure to insure against third party risks	977	973	98.4	98.9
Seat belt offences	103	92	97.2	97.9
Mobile phone offences	162	136	98.2	93.8
Driving carelessly	346	363	93.3	89.9
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	130	146	93.5	94.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	530	603	99.6	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	657	589	51.1	47.8

TABLE 6.11

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders): By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties		
	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CASUALTIES	871	782	
Fatal	15	17	
Serious	146	150	
Slight	710	615	
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	161	167	
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	10	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 6.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (The Lothians & Scottish Borders): Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number) Incidents		ents (per 10,000 popul	s (per 10,000 population)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	111 117	111 324	2 261.9	2 266.1	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	22 099	20 876	449.8	424.9	
Complaint	5 867	4 566	119.4	92.9	
Disturbance	5 172	5 314	105.3	108.2	
Noise	3 430	3 400	69.8	69.2	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	80	82	1.6	1.7	
Neighbour dispute	1 602	1 750	32.6	35.6	
Vandalism	2 778	2 409	56.5	49.0	
Communications	3 170	3 355	64.5	68.3	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	18 541	18 066	377.4	367.7	
Road traffic matter	10 946	10 829	222.8	220.4	
Road traffic collision	5 802	5 601	118.1	114.0	
Road traffic offence	1 731	1 573	35.2	32.0	
Other transport incidents	62	63	1.3	1.3	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	13 719	13 619	279.3	277.2	
Theft	5 735	5 564	116.7	113.3	
Assault	2 783	2 841	56.7	57.8	
Housebreaking	1 797	1 600	36.6	32.6	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	3 404	3 614	69.3	73.6	
Other incident types	56 758	58 763	1 155.4	1 196.2	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)		
	2017/18	2018/19	
Number of Incidents	2,781	3,238	

TABLE 7.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Chang	e from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 355	3 247	- 108	-3.2
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	50.3	50.4	х	% Point Change 0.1

TABLE 7.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	10 642	10 707	286.5	288.3
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	350	381	9.4	10.3
Group 2: sexual crimes	848	693	22.8	18.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	4 804	5 105	129.3	137.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 484	2 240	66.9	60.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 156	2 288	58.0	61.6

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 295	6 523	59.2	60.9
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	344	338	98.3	88.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	686	472	80.9	68.1
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 441	2 808	50.8	55.0
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	801	842	32.2	37.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 023	2 063	93.8	90.2

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	350	381	9.4	10.3
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	1	0.1	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	1	0.1	0.0
Attempted murder	16	27	0.4	0.7
Serious assault	214	196	5.8	5.3
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	45	43	1.2	1.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	34	46	0.9	1.2
Threats and extortion	8	31	0.2	0.8
Other group 1 crimes	28	36	0.8	1.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	344	338	98.3	88.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	2	1	100.0	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	3	1	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	30	28	187.5	103.7
Serious assault	200	184	93.5	93.9
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	45	39	100.0	90.7
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	26	46	76.5	100.0
Threats and extortion	4	12	50.0	38.7
Other group 1 crimes	34	27	121.4	75.0

^{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.

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TABLE 7.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	848	693	22.8	18.7
Rape	165	134	4.4	3.6
Assault with intent to rape	7	7	0.2	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	172	141	4.6	3.8
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	37	19	1.0	0.5
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	217	144	5.8	3.9
Lewd & libidinous practices	102	47	2.7	1.3
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	356	210	9.6	5.7
Prostitution related crime - Total	5	2	0.1	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	45	28	1.2	0.8
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	67	78	1.8	2.1
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	36	24	1.0	0.6
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	25	36	0.7	1.0
Public indecency (common law) ³	10	8	0.3	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	79	103	2.1	2.8
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	29	27	0.8	0.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	24	36	0.6	1.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	315	340	8.5	9.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	686	472	80.9	68.1
Rape	112	89	67.9	66.4
Assault with intent to rape	4	5	57.1	71.4
Rape and attempted rape - Total	116	94	67.4	66.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	28	20	75.7	105.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	197	103	90.8	71.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	81	21	79.4	44.7
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	306	144	86.0	68.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	3	-	60.0	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	44	26	97.8	92.9
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	59	61	88.1	78.2
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	28	17	77.8	70.8
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	17	22	68.0	61.1
Public indecency (common law) ³	6	5	60.0	62.5
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	72	71	91.1	68.9
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	22	17	75.9	63.0
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	13	15	54.2	41.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	261	234	82.9	68.8

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

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	4 804	5 105	129.3	137.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	209	234	5.6	6.3
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	140	167	3.8	4.5
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	156	150	4.2	4.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	505	551	13.6	14.8
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	459	545	12.4	14.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	90	70	2.4	1.9
Common theft ⁶	1 425	1 306	38.4	35.2
Theft by shoplifting	1 610	1 846	43.3	49.7
Fraud	371	474	10.0	12.8
Other Group 3 crimes	344	313	9.3	8.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 441	2 808	50.8	55.0
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	67	67	32.1	28.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	43	95	30.7	56.9
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	69	50	44.2	33.3
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	179	212	35.4	38.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	147	210	32.0	38.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	17	5	18.9	7.1
Common theft ⁶	446	458	31.3	35.1
Theft by shoplifting	1 287	1 527	79.9	82.7
Fraud	191	242	51.5	51.1
Other Group 3 crimes	174	154	50.6	49.2

^{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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	r 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 484	2 240	66.9	60.3	
Fire-raising	133	115	3.6	3.1	
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 342	2 120	63.1	57.1	
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	3	0.0	0.1	
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	-	1	-	0.0	
Other Group 4 crimes	8	1	0.2	0.0	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	801	842	32.2	37.6
Fire-raising	58	50	43.6	43.5
Vandalism/malicious mischief	742	789	31.7	37.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	2	100.0	66.7
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	-	1	-	100.0
Other Group 4 crimes	-	-	-	-

TABLE 7.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	ate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 156	2 288	58.0	61.6	
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	47	52	1.3	1.4	
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	63	78	1.7	2.1	
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	116	144	3.1	3.9	
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	51	58	1.4	1.6	
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	277	332	7.5	8.9	
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	51	41	1.4	1.1	
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	144	150	3.9	4.0	
Bringing drugs into prison	-		-	-	
Supply of drugs - Total	195	191	5.3	5.1	
Possession of drugs	793	816	21.4	22.0	
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	3	4	0.1	0.1	
Total drugs crimes	991	1 011	26.7	27.2	
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	1	-	0.0	
Bail offences (other than absconding)	370	407	10.0	11.0	
Other Group 5 crimes	518	537	13.9	14.5	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 023	2 063	93.8	90.2
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	47	43	100.0	82.7
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	62	73	98.4	93.6
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	83	113	71.6	78.5
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	47	53	92.2	91.4
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	239	282	86.3	84.9
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	53	40	103.9	97.6
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	131	135	91.0	90.0
Bringing drugs into prison	-		-	-
Supply of drugs - Total	184	175	94.4	91.6
Possession of drugs	729	693	91.9	84.9
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	5	2	166.7	50.0
Total drugs crimes	918	870	92.6	86.1
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	354	391	95.7	96.1
Other Group 5 crimes	512	520	98.8	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 withou 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):

elected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	277	332	7.5	8.9
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	110	130	3.0	3.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	167	202	4.5	5.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	47	52	1.3	1.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	46	50	1.2	1.3
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	2	0.0	0.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	63	78	1.7	2.1
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	55	72	1.5	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	8	6	0.2	0.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	116	144	3.1	3.9
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	113	142	3.0	3.8
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	3	2	0.1	0.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	51	58	1.4	1.6
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	50	56	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	1	2	0.0	0.1

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	2 86.3 6 99.1 77.8 3 100.0 3 100.0 - 100.0 3 98.4 7 98.2 6 100.0 3 71.6 9 71.7	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	239	282	86.3	84.9
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	109	116	99.1	89.2
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	130	166	77.8	82.2
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	47	43	100.0	82.7
Possession of an offensive weapon	46	43	100.0	86.0
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	62	73	98.4	93.6
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	54	67	98.2	93.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	6	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	83	113	71.6	78.5
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	81	109	71.7	76.8
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	2	4	66.7	200.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	47	53	92.2	91.4
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	46	51	92.0	91.1
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	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 possesion 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.

¹²These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commision 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 popula		ition	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 756	6 400	181.9	172.3	
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 971	2 961	80.0	79.7	
Common assault of emergency worker	289	308	7.8	8.3	
Total common assaults	3 260	3 269	87.8	88.0	
Breach of the peace	177	112	4.8	3.0	
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 302	2 105	62.0	56.7	
Stalking	120	92	3.2	2.5	
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 599	2 309	70.0	62.2	
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	129	119	3.5	3.2	
Drunk and incapable	10	7	0.3	0.2	
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	129	108	3.5	2.9	
Other alcohol related offences	5	2	0.1	0.1	
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	144	117	3.9	3.2	
Wildlife offences	19	8	0.5	0.2	
Other Group 6 offences	605	578	16.3	15.6	

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 708	5 424	84.5	84.8
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 333	2 337	78.5	78.9
Common assault of emergency worker	284	308	98.3	100.0
Total common assaults	2 617	2 645	80.3	80.9
Breach of the peace	183	121	103.4	108.0
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 070	1 865	89.9	88.6
Stalking	104	88	86.7	95.7
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 357	2 074	90.7	89.8
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	121	113	93.8	95.0
Drunk and incapable	10	7	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	128	108	99.2	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	5	2	100.0	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	143	117	99.3	100.0
Wildlife offences	3	2	15.8	25.0
Other Group 6 offences	467	473	77.2	81.8

TABLE 7.10
Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 308	5 417	169.8	145.8
Dangerous driving offences	129	159	3.5	4.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	246	263	6.6	7.1
Speeding offences	1 295	959	34.9	25.8
Driving while disqualified	71	81	1.9	2.2
Driving without a licence	275	287	7.4	7.7
Failure to insure against third party risks	679	699	18.3	18.8
Seat belt offences	302	413	8.1	11.1
Mobile phone offences	173	156	4.7	4.2
Driving carelessly	292	238	7.9	6.4
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	75	102	2.0	2.7
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	958	890	25.8	24.0
Other Group 7 offences	1 813	1 170	48.8	31.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 918	4 974	93.8	91.8
Dangerous driving offences	110	140	85.3	88.1
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	242	259	98.4	98.5
Speeding offences	1 294	959	99.9	100.0
Driving while disqualified	70	82	98.6	101.2
Driving without a licence	279	280	101.5	97.6
Failure to insure against third party risks	680	693	100.1	99.1
Seat belt offences	302	412	100.0	99.8
Mobile phone offences	171	154	98.8	98.7
Driving carelessly	278	226	95.2	95.0
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	75	102	100.0	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	957	890	99.9	100.0
Other Group 7 offences	1 460	777	80.5	66.4

TABLE 7.10

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	317	301
Fatal	4	9
Serious	65	74
Slight	248	218
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	69	83
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	15	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).

TABLE 7.11

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Fife):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incidents (per 10,000 population)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL INCIDENTS	92 229	91 364	2 483.2	2 459.9
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	21 427	20 189	576.9	543.6
Complaint	5 746	4 569	154.7	123.0
Disturbance	4 520	4 773	121.7	128.5
Noise	4 947	4 798	133.2	129.2
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	124	98	3.3	2.6
Neighbour dispute	1 372	1 439	36.9	38.7
Vandalism	2 036	1 788	54.8	48.1
Communications	2 682	2 724	72.2	73.3
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	13 543	13 677	364.6	368.2
Road traffic matter	8 316	8 592	223.9	231.3
Road traffic collision	4 062	4 040	109.4	108.8
Road traffic offence	1 116	1 019	30.0	27.4
Other transport incidents	49	26	1.3	0.7
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	10 343	10 643	278.5	286.6
Theft	4 341	4 437	116.9	119.5
Assault	2 633	2 569	70.9	69.2
Housebreaking	992	1 012	26.7	27.2
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 377	2 625	64.0	70.7
Other incident types	46 916	46 855	1 263.2	1 261.5

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹		
	2017/18	2018/19
Number of Incidents	3,711	2,949

TABLE 8.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	(Change from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	7 480	7 657	177	2.4
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	47.7	43.4	x	% Point Change - 4.4

TABLE 8.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Greater Glasgow):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	es per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	36 906	37 619	447.9	456.6
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	1 319	1 372	16.0	16.7
Group 2: sexual crimes	1 635	1 908	19.8	23.2
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	17 441	17 406	211.7	211.3
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	7 176	6 944	87.1	84.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	9 335	9 989	113.3	121.2

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	17 173	16 854	46.5	44.8
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	879	857	66.6	62.5
Group 2: sexual crimes	985	964	60.2	50.5
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	5 623	5 299	32.2	30.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 504	1 471	21.0	21.2
Group 5: other crimes ¹	8 182	8 263	87.6	82.7

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	1 319	1 372	16.0	16.7
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	10	13	0.1	0.2
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	0.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	2	0.0	0.0
Attempted murder	46	62	0.6	0.8
Serious assault	726	688	8.8	8.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	307	307	3.7	3.7
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	82	125	1.0	1.5
Threats and extortion	44	50	0.5	0.6
Other group 1 crimes	101	125	1.2	1.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	879	857	66.6	62.5
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	12	9	120.0	69.2
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	2	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	35	55	76.1	88.7
Serious assault	458	413	63.1	60.0
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	228	223	74.3	72.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	79	102	96.3	81.6
Threats and extortion	17	11	38.6	22.0
Other group 1 crimes	47	42	46.5	33.6

^{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.

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TABLE 8.4

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	1	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	1 635	1 908	19.8	23.2
Rape	281	299	3.4	3.6
Assault with intent to rape	17	19	0.2	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	298	318	3.6	3.9
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	35	35	0.4	0.4
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	424	525	5.1	6.4
Lewd & libidinous practices	184	151	2.2	1.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	643	711	7.8	8.6
Prostitution related crime - Total	20	123	0.2	1.5
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	99	56	1.2	0.7
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	145	229	1.8	2.8
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	29	13	0.4	0.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	42	55	0.5	0.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	38	32	0.5	0.4
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	227	263	2.8	3.2
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	49	34	0.6	0.4
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	45	74	0.5	0.9
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	674	756	8.2	9.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	985	964	60.2	50.5
Rape	126	97	44.8	32.4
Assault with intent to rape	10	13	58.8	68.4
Rape and attempted rape - Total	136	110	45.6	34.6
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	34	21	97.1	60.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	240	251	56.6	47.8
Lewd & libidinous practices	104	70	56.5	46.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	378	342	58.8	48.1
Prostitution related crime - Total	15	107	75.0	87.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	88	42	88.9	75.0
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	103	128	71.0	55.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	14	6	48.3	46.2
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	29	29	69.0	52.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	30	22	78.9	68.8
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	148	120	65.2	45.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	25	27	51.0	79.4
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	19	31	42.2	41.9
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	456	405	67.7	53.6

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

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	17 441	17 406	211.7	211.3
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	1 387	1 288	16.8	15.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	266	229	3.2	2.8
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	655	628	7.9	7.6
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	2 308	2 145	28.0	26.0
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	2 010	2 116	24.4	25.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	255	207	3.1	2.5
Common theft ⁶	5 134	5 238	62.3	63.6
Theft by shoplifting	4 707	4 448	57.1	54.0
Fraud	1 209	1 635	14.7	19.8
Other Group 3 crimes	1 818	1 617	22.1	19.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	5 623	5 299	32.2	30.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	289	283	20.8	22.0
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	39	19	14.7	8.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	193	202	29.5	32.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	521	504	22.6	23.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	447	475	22.2	22.4
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	53	43	20.8	20.8
Common theft ⁶	906	865	17.6	16.5
Theft by shoplifting	2 803	2 624	59.5	59.0
Fraud	432	440	35.7	26.9
Other Group 3 crimes	461	348	25.4	21.5

^{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 8.6

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	7 176	6 944	87.1	84.3
Fire-raising	406	392	4.9	4.8
Vandalism/malicious mischief	6 229	6 044	75.6	73.4
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	6	0.0	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	533	493	6.5	6.0
Other Group 4 crimes	7	9	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)			
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 504	1 471	21.0	21.2	
Fire-raising	87	71	21.4	18.1	
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 209	1 196	19.4	19.8	
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	2	100.0	33.3	
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	207	199	38.8	40.4	
Other Group 4 crimes	-	3	-	33.3	

TABLE 8.7

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	9 335	9 989	113.3	121.2
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	188	238	2.3	2.9
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	404	429	4.9	5.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	618	711	7.5	8.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	325	361	3.9	4.4
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	1 535	1 739	18.6	21.1
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	115	74	1.4	0.9
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	640	728	7.8	8.8
Bringing drugs into prison	38	25	0.5	0.3
Supply of drugs - Total	793	827	9.6	10.0
Possession of drugs	4 337	4 967	52.6	60.3
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	23	22	0.3	0.3
Total drugs crimes	5 153	5 816	62.5	70.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	13	0.0	0.2
Bail offences (other than absconding)	982	909	11.9	11.0
Other Group 5 crimes	1 664	1 512	20.2	18.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	8 182	8 263	87.6	82.7	
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	169	198	89.9	83.2	
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	367	366	90.8	85.3	
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	341	415	55.2	58.4	
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	189	235	58.2	65.1	
Total offensive/bladed weapons8	1 066	1 214	69.4	69.8	
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	105	70	91.3	94.6	
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	551	595	86.1	81.7	
Bringing drugs into prison	14	9	36.8	36.0	
Supply of drugs - Total	670	674	84.5	81.5	
Possession of drugs	3 950	4 079	91.1	82.1	
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	30	12	130.4	54.5	
Total drugs crimes	4 650	4 765	90.2	81.9	
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	9	100.0	69.2	
Bail offences (other than absconding)	905	819	92.2	90.1	
Other Group 5 crimes	1 560	1 456	93.8	96.3	

 ^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 por	oulation
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	1 535	1 739	18.6	21.1
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	592	667	7.2	8.1
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	943	1 072	11.4	13.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	188	238	2.3	2.9
Possession of an offensive weapon	184	223	2.2	2.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	2	-	0.0	
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	1	13	0.0	0.2
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	1	2	0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	404	429	4.9	5.2
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	392	422	4.8	5.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	4	5	0.0	0.
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	2	0.1	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	618	711	7.5	8.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	609	705	7.4	8.6
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	4	0.0	0.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	6	2	0.1	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	325	361	3.9	4.4
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	322	359	3.9	4.4
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	1	0.0	0.0

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	1 066	1 214	69.4	69.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	536	564	90.5	84.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	530	650	56.2	60.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	169	198	89.9	83.2
Possession of an offensive weapon	163	185	88.6	83.0
Restriction of offensive weapons	2	-	100.0	-
Possession of a firearm in a prison	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere classified) in a prison	3	11	300.0	84.6
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	1	2	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	367	366	90.8	85.3
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	356	353	90.8	83.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	3	11	75.0	220.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	8	2	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	341	415	55.2	58.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	334	411	54.8	58.3
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	3	2	100.0	50.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	4	2	66.7	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	189	235	58.2	65.1
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	188	233	58.4	64.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	1	1	100.0	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 possesion 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.

¹²These 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	nber recorded Rate per 10,000 populat		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	22 817	19 539	276.9	237.1
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	7 316	7 171	88.8	87.0
Common assault of emergency worker	1 259	1 065	15.3	12.9
Total common assaults	8 575	8 236	104.1	100.0
Breach of the peace	1 323	944	16.1	11.5
Threatening and abusive behaviour	7 043	6 208	85.5	75.3
Stalking	135	129	1.6	1.6
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	8 501	7 281	103.2	88.4
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	408	315	5.0	3.8
Drunk and incapable	201	60	2.4	0.7
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	2 726	1 752	33.1	21.3
Other alcohol related offences	196	179	2.4	2.2
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	3 123	1 991	37.9	24.2
Wildlife Offences	-	6	-	0.1
Other Group 6 offences	2 210	1 710	26.8	20.8

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	17 388	14 434	76.2	73.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	4 186	4 120	57.2	57.5
Common assault of emergency worker	1 236	1 050	98.2	98.6
Total common assaults	5 422	5 170	63.2	62.8
Breach of the peace	1 328	943	100.4	99.9
Threatening and abusive behaviour	5 389	4 766	76.5	76.8
Stalking	103	105	76.3	81.4
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	6 820	5 814	80.2	79.9
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	348	246	85.3	78.1
Drunk and incapable	201	60	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	2 728	1 747	100.1	99.7
Other alcohol related offences	185	168	94.4	93.9
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	3 114	1 975	99.7	99.2
Wildlife Offences	1	3	-	50.0
Other Group 6 offences	1 683	1 226	76.2	71.7

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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	14 395	11 454	174.7	139.0
Dangerous driving offences	359	375	4.4	4.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	583	578	7.1	7.0
Speeding offences	1 486	931	18.0	11.3
Driving while disqualified	106	117	1.3	1.4
Driving without a licence	829	634	10.1	7.7
Failure to insure against third party risks	2 031	1 628	24.7	19.8
Seat belt offences	337	201	4.1	2.4
Mobile phone offences	384	287	4.7	3.5
Driving carelessly	1 077	1 034	13.1	12.5
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	838	780	10.2	9.5
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	2 490	1 807	30.2	21.9
Other Group 7 offences	3 875	3 082	47.0	37.4

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	12 659	9 727	87.9	84.9
Dangerous driving offences	306	291	85.2	77.6
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	563	567	96.6	98.1
Speeding offences	1 484	931	99.9	100.0
Driving while disqualified	99	120	93.4	102.6
Driving without a licence	822	634	99.2	100.0
Failure to insure against third party risks	2 000	1 635	98.5	100.4
Seat belt offences	336	200	99.7	99.5
Mobile phone offences	387	287	100.8	100.0
Driving carelessly	948	942	88.0	91.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	837	774	99.9	99.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	2 482	1 801	99.7	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	2 395	1 545	61.8	50.1

TABLE 8.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties		
	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CASUALTIES	1 169	982	
Fatal	4	10	
Serious	136	145	
Slight	1 029	827	
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	140	155	
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	18	17	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incide	Incidents (per 10,000 population)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	222 782	223 619	2 704.0	2 714.1	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	49 722	47 559	603.5	577.2	
Complaint	16 190	13 528	196.5	164.2	
Disturbance	13 788	14 051	167.3	170.5	
Noise	8 429	8 563	102.3	103.9	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	454	485	5.5	5.9	
Neighbour dispute	2 033	2 143	24.7	26.0	
Vandalism	4 820	4 570	58.5	55.5	
Communications	4 008	4 219	48.6	51.2	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	28 003	27 314	339.9	331.5	
Road traffic matter	15 789	15 821	191.6	192.0	
Road traffic collision	9 702	9 371	117.8	113.7	
Road traffic offence	2 390	2 006	29.0	24.3	
Other transport incidents	122	116	1.5	1.4	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	30 231	29 669	366.9	360.1	
Theft	13 581	12 801	164.8	155.4	
Assault	6 722	6 729	81.6	81.7	
Housebreaking	3 404	2 944	41.3	35.7	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	6 524	7 195	79.2	87.3	
Other incident types	114 826	119 077	1 393.7	1 445.3	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)			
	2017/18	2018/19		
Number of Incidents	7 139	6 912		

TABLE 9.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	3 022	3 157	135	4.5
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	50.5	46.7	x	% Point Change - 3.8

TABLE 9.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	11 911	12 139	321.6	327.7
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	330	347	8.9	9.4
Group 2: sexual crimes	509	560	13.7	15.1
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	5 547	5 636	149.8	152.2
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	2 601	2 505	70.2	67.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 924	3 091	78.9	83.4

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	6 405	6 589	53.8	54.3
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	260	261	78.8	75.2
Group 2: sexual crimes	330	344	64.8	61.4
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	2 412	2 644	43.5	46.9
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	716	689	27.5	27.5
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 687	2 651	91.9	85.8

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate _l	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	330	347	8.9	9.4
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	2	0.0	0.1
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	0.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	4	4	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	6	11	0.2	0.3
Serious assault	177	180	4.8	4.9
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	71	87	1.9	2.3
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	45	31	1.2	0.8
Threats and extortion	6	7	0.2	0.2
Group 5: other crimes ¹	19	25	0.5	0.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	260	261	78.8	75.2
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	2	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	4	4	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	5	9	83.3	81.8
Serious assault	139	136	78.5	75.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	53	58	74.6	66.7
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	36	31	80.0	100.0
Threats and extortion	3	4	50.0	57.1
Other group 1 crimes	19	17	100.0	68.0

^{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.

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TABLE 9.4

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded Rate per 10,000		per 10,000 population	000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 2	509	560	13.7	15.1	
Rape	102	74	2.8	2.0	
Assault with intent to rape	4	4	0.1	0.1	
Rape and attempted rape - Total	106	78	2.9	2.1	
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	17	24	0.5	0.6	
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	115	148	3.1	4.0	
Lewd & libidinous practices	63	61	1.7	1.6	
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	195	233	5.3	6.3	
Prostitution related crime - Total	2	1	0.1	0.0	
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	20	22	0.5	0.6	
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	56	48	1.5	1.3	
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	1	6	0.0	0.2	
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	21	15	0.6	0.4	
Public indecency (common law) ³	7	13	0.2	0.4	
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	63	100	1.7	2.7	
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	22	28	0.6	0.8	
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	16	16	0.4	0.4	
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-	
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	206	248	5.6	6.7	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	330	344	64.8	61.4
Rape	50	42	49.0	56.8
Assault with intent to rape	2	3	50.0	75.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	52	45	49.1	57.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	8	10	47.1	41.7
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	74	94	64.3	63.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	44	39	69.8	63.9
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	126	143	64.6	61.4
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	18	24	90.0	109.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	47	31	83.9	64.6
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	1	4	100.0	66.7
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	20	10	95.2	66.7
Public indecency (common law) ³	-	13	-	100.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	44	48	69.8	48.0
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	14	19	63.6	67.9
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	8	7	50.0	43.8
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	152	156	73.8	62.9

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

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	5 547	5 636	149.8	152.2
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	271	317	7.3	8.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	114	102	3.1	2.8
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	240	244	6.5	6.6
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	625	663	16.9	17.9
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	613	562	16.5	15.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	92	82	2.5	2.2
Common theft ⁶	1 850	1 765	49.9	47.6
Theft by shoplifting	1 735	1 874	46.8	50.6
Fraud	339	376	9.2	10.2
Other Group 3 crimes	293	314	7.9	8.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	2 412	2 644	43.5	46.9
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	61	78	22.5	24.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	18	28	15.8	27.5
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	61	61	25.4	25.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	140	167	22.4	25.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	148	244	24.1	43.4
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	17	19	18.5	23.2
Common theft ⁶	419	403	22.6	22.8
Theft by shoplifting	1 418	1 513	81.7	80.7
Fraud	150	146	44.2	38.8
Other Group 3 crimes	120	152	41.0	48.4

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	2 601	2 505	70.2	67.6
Fire-raising	110	119	3.0	3.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	2 370	2 262	64.0	61.1
Reckless conduct with a firearm	5	4	0.1	0.1
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	113	115	3.1	3.1
Other Group 4 crimes	3	5	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 4	716	689	27.5	27.5	
Fire-raising	45	32	40.9	26.9	
Vandalism/malicious mischief	611	583	25.8	25.8	
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	3	40.0	75.0	
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	56	68	49.6	59.1	
Other Group 4 crimes	2	3	66.7	60.0	

TABLE 9.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 924	3 091	78.9	83.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	70	71	1.9	1.9
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	112	156	3.0	4.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	100	78	2.7	2.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity	r) [;] 95	85	2.6	2.3
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	377	390	10.2	10.5
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	46	27	1.2	0.7
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	174	168	4.7	4.5
Bringing drugs into prison	35	57	0.9	1.5
Supply of drugs - Total	255	252	6.9	6.8
Possession of drugs	1 196	1 395	32.3	37.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	3	1	0.1	0.0
Total drugs crimes	1 454	1 648	39.3	44.5
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	444	406	12.0	11.0
Other Group 5 crimes	649	647	17.5	17.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 687	2 651	91.9	85.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	63	63	90.0	88.7
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	105	143	93.8	91.7
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	83	63	83.0	80.8
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)	ř 80	72	84.2	84.7
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	331	341	87.8	87.4
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	45	22	97.8	81.5
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	159	127	91.4	75.6
Bringing drugs into prison	9	4	25.7	7.0
Supply of drugs - Total	213	153	83.5	60.7
Possession of drugs	1 065	1 135	89.0	81.4
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	4	-	133.3	-
Total drugs crimes	1 282	1 288	88.2	78.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	430	396	96.8	97.5
Other Group 5 crimes	644	626	99.2	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 withou 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	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	377	390	10.2	10.5
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	182	227	4.9	6.1
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	195	163	5.3	4.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	70	71	1.9	1.9
Possession of an offensive weapon	67	69	1.8	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	1	2	0.0	0.1
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	1	-	0.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	112	156	3.0	4.2
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	110	146	3.0	3.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	3	-	0.1
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	100	78	2.7	2.1
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	99	76	2.7	2.1
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	1	1	0.0	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	95	85	2.6	2.3
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	94	84	2.5	2.3
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	1	0.0	0.0

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	331	341	87.8	87.4
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	168	206	92.3	90.7
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	163	135	83.6	82.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	63	63	90.0	88.7
Possession of an offensive weapon	60	61	89.6	88.4
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	1	2	100.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	1	-	100.0	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	105	143	93.8	91.7
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	103	133	93.6	91.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	3	-	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	2	7	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	83	63	83.0	80.8
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	82	61	82.8	80.3
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	1	1	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	80	72	84.2	84.7
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	79	71	84.0	84.5
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	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 possesion 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.

¹²These are new classifications introduced in April 2017 to capture knives and weapons where they have been used in commision 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	6 882	6 932	185.8	187.1
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 465	2 434	66.5	65.7
Common assault of emergency worker	310	387	8.4	10.4
Total common assaults	2 775	2 821	74.9	76.2
Breach of the peace	459	361	12.4	9.7
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 416	2 576	65.2	69.5
Stalking	79	46	2.1	1.2
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 954	2 983	79.7	80.5
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	76	70	2.1	1.9
Drunk and incapable	38	18	1.0	0.5
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	338	380	9.1	10.3
Other alcohol related offences	54	25	1.5	0.7
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	430	423	11.6	11.4
Wildlife Offences	14	9	0.4	0.2
Other Group 6 offences	633	626	17.1	16.9

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 607	5 541	81.5	79.9
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 725	1 662	70.0	68.3
Common assault of emergency worker	311	377	100.3	97.4
Total common assaults	2 036	2 039	73.4	72.3
Breach of the peace	456	362	99.3	100.3
Threatening and abusive behaviour	2 043	2 163	84.6	84.0
Stalking	68	41	86.1	89.1
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 567	2 566	86.9	86.0
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	72	68	94.7	97.1
Drunk and incapable	38	18	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	338	379	100.0	99.7
Other alcohol related offences	51	25	94.4	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	427	422	99.3	99.8
Wildlife Offences	12	5	85.7	55.6
Other Group 6 offences	493	441	77.9	70.4

TABLE 9.10 Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 909	5 165	159.5	139.4
Dangerous driving offences	110	122	3.0	3.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	289	339	7.8	9.2
Speeding offences	1 056	1 012	28.5	27.3
Driving while disqualified	71	52	1.9	1.4
Driving without a licence	320	238	8.6	6.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	763	656	20.6	17.7
Seat belt offences	200	214	5.4	5.8
Mobile phone offences	155	146	4.2	3.9
Driving carelessly	365	399	9.9	10.8
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	152	110	4.1	3.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	817	647	22.1	17.5
Other Group 7 offences	1 611	1 230	43.5	33.2

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	5 435	4 648	92.0	90.0
Dangerous driving offences	101	106	91.8	86.9
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	286	339	99.0	100.0
Speeding offences	1 055	1 012	99.9	100.0
Driving while disqualified	72	53	101.4	101.9
Driving without a licence	317	238	99.1	100.0
Failure to insure against third party risks	752	651	98.6	99.2
Seat belt offences	200	213	100.0	99.5
Mobile phone offences	154	146	99.4	100.0
Driving carelessly	331	386	90.7	96.7
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	150	109	98.7	99.1
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	812	644	99.4	99.5
Other Group 7 offences	1 205	751	74.8	61.1

TABLE 9.11

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties		
	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CASUALTIES	442	435	
Fatal	13	6	
Serious	96	97	
Slight	333	332	
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	109	103	
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	5	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 9.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Ayrshire):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incidents (Number) Incidents (pe		per 10,000 population)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	88 425	89 032	2 387.2	2 403.6	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	17 969	17 863	485.1	482.2	
Complaint	5 194	4 263	140.2	115.1	
Disturbance	4 439	4 747	119.8	128.2	
Noise	2 839	3 124	76.6	84.3	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	143	123	3.9	3.3	
Neighbour dispute	1 191	1 339	32.2	36.1	
Vandalism	1 982	1 821	53.5	49.2	
Communications	2 181	2 446	58.9	66.0	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	13 848	13 205	373.9	356.5	
Road traffic matter	8 543	8 152	230.6	220.1	
Road traffic collision	4 042	4 004	109.1	108.1	
Road traffic offence	1 190	965	32.1	26.1	
Other transport incidents	73	84	2.0	2.3	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	10 109	10 132	272.9	273.5	
Theft	4 589	4 443	123.9	119.9	
Assault	2 134	2 334	57.6	63.0	
Housebreaking	1 187	1 132	32.0	30.6	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 199	2 223	59.4	60.0	
Other incident types	46 499	47 832	1 255.3	1 291.3	

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

TABLE 9.13

Missing person incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Ayshire):

Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2017/18	2018/19
Number of Incidents	3,191	3,059

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	5 991	6 154	163	2.7
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a	42.0	37.8	x	% Point Change - 4.2
crime report				

TABLE 10.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	22 955	23 704	348.8	360.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	628	696	9.5	10.6
Group 2: sexual crimes	887	967	13.5	14.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	10 256	10 761	155.8	163.5
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	5 337	5 173	81.1	78.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	5 847	6 107	88.8	92.8

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	11 073	11 447	48.2	48.3
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	464	498	73.9	71.6
Group 2: sexual crimes	487	606	54.9	62.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 541	3 732	34.5	34.7
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 179	1 231	22.1	23.8
Group 5: other crimes ¹	5 402	5 380	92.4	88.1

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	628	696	9.5	10.6
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	5	12	0.1	0.2
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	5	0.0	0.1
Attempted murder	9	21	0.1	0.3
Serious assault	382	356	5.8	5.4
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	114	117	1.7	1.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	65	85	1.0	1.3
Threats and extortion	24	40	0.4	0.6
Other group 1 crimes	27	60	0.4	0.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	464	498	73.9	71.6
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	5	10	100.0	83.3
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	2	5	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	8	19	88.9	90.5
Serious assault	298	261	78.0	73.3
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	73	91	64.0	77.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	53	67	81.5	78.8
Threats and extortion	5	9	20.8	22.5
Other group 1 crimes	20	36	74.1	60.0

^{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.

Group 2 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):
Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	887	967	13.5	14.7
Rape	120	154	1.8	2.3
Assault with intent to rape	11	11	0.2	0.2
Rape and attempted rape - Total	131	165	2.0	2.5
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	27	15	0.4	0.2
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	208	232	3.2	3.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	106	91	1.6	1.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	341	338	5.2	5.1
Prostitution related crime - Total	5	1	0.1	0.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children	³ 57	54	0.9	0.8
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	100	128	1.5	1.9
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	12	9	0.2	0.1
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	25	18	0.4	0.3
Public indecency (common law) ³	13	10	0.2	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	155	168	2.4	2.6
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	20	31	0.3	0.5
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	28	45	0.4	0.7
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	410	463	6.2	7.0

Selected crime classification No.	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	487	606	54.9	62.7
Rape	76	80	63.3	51.9
Assault with intent to rape	10	7	90.9	63.6
Rape and attempted rape - Total	86	87	65.6	52.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	27	47	100.0	313.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	109	177	52.4	76.3
Lewd & libidinous practices	42	46	39.6	50.5
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	178	270	52.2	79.9
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	1	-	100.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children	49	43	86.0	79.6
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	46	81	46.0	63.3
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	6	3	50.0	33.3
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	14	11	56.0	61.1
Public indecency (common law) ³	11	6	84.6	60.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	71	66	45.8	39.3
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	14	21	70.0	67.7
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	12	17	42.9	37.8
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	223	248	54.4	53.6

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

Group 3 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	10 256	10 761	155.8	163.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	716	739	10.9	11.2
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	303	140	4.6	2.1
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	473	339	7.2	5.2
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	1 492	1 218	22.7	18.5
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	1 609	1 549	24.4	23.5
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	181	145	2.8	2.2
Common theft ⁶	2 810	3 183	42.7	48.4
Theft by shoplifting	2 611	2 981	39.7	45.3
Fraud	798	1 017	12.1	15.5
Other Group 3 crimes	755	668	11.5	10.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 541	3 732	34.5	34.7
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	121	122	16.9	16.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	37	19	12.2	13.6
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	105	102	22.2	30.1
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	263	243	17.6	20.0
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	399	378	24.8	24.4
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	31	18	17.1	12.4
Common theft ⁶	627	671	22.3	21.1
Theft by shoplifting	1 628	1 900	62.4	63.7
Fraud	301	293	37.7	28.8
Other Group 3 crimes	292	229	38.7	34.3

 ^{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)).

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	5 337	5 173	81.1	78.6
Fire-raising	329	256	5.0	3.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	4 778	4 688	72.6	71.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	4	3	0.1	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	217	219	3.3	3.3
Other Group 4 crimes	9	7	0.1	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 179	1 231	22.1	23.8
Fire-raising	65	51	19.8	19.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 033	1 088	21.6	23.2
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	-	50.0	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	78	90	35.9	41.1
Other Group 4 crimes	1	2	11.1	28.6

TABLE 10.7

Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	5 847	6 107	88.8	92.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	151	162	2.3	2.5
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	234	330	3.6	5.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	328	347	5.0	5.3
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	187	269	2.8	4.1
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	900	1 108	13.7	16.8
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	104	72	1.6	1.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	319	286	4.8	4.3
Bringing drugs into prison	12	9	0.2	0.1
Supply of drugs - Total	435	367	6.6	5.6
Possession of drugs	2 707	2 704	41.1	41.1
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	15	12	0.2	0.2
Total drugs crimes	3 157	3 083	48.0	46.8
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	2	2	0.0	0.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	630	692	9.6	10.5
Other Group 5 crimes	1 158	1 222	17.6	18.6

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	5 402	5 380	92.4	88.1
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	137	143	90.7	88.3
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	205	277	87.6	83.9
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	204	238	62.2	68.6
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	118	164	63.1	61.0
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	664	822	73.8	74.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	94	67	90.4	93.1
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	279	251	87.5	87.8
Bringing drugs into prison	7	3	58.3	33.3
Supply of drugs - Total	380	321	87.4	87.5
Possession of drugs	2 600	2 400	96.0	88.8
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	16	8	106.7	66.7
Total drugs crimes	2 996	2 729	94.9	88.5
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	1	50.0	50.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	608	650	96.5	93.9
Other Group 5 crimes	1 133	1 178	97.8	96.4

^{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 withou 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	900	1 108	13.7	16.8
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	385	492	5.8	7.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	515	616	7.8	9.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	151	162	2.3	2.5
Possession of an offensive weapon	150	156	2.3	2.4
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	2	-	0.0
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	1	3	0.0	0.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	234	330	3.6	5.0
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	228	324	3.5	4.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	4	-	0.1
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	6	2	0.1	0.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	328	347	5.0	5.3
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	326	339	5.0	5.2
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	3	-	0.0
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	2	5	0.0	0.1
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	187	269	2.8	4.1
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	186	268	2.8	4.1
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 detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
otal offensive/bladed weapons	664	822	73.8	74.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	342	420	88.8	85.4
Total new weapon / knife classifications ⁹	322	402	62.5	<i>65.</i> 3
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	137	143	90.7	88.3
Possession of an offensive weapon	137	137	91.3	87.8
Restriction of offensive weapons	-	2	-	100.0
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	-	3	-	100.0
landling bladed/pointed instrument	205	277	87.6	83.9
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	199	271	87.3	83.6
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	4	-	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	6	2	100.0	100.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	204	238	62.2	68.6
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	202	233	62.0	68.7
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-	-	-	
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	2	5	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	118	164	63.1	61.0
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	117	163	62.9	60.8
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	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 possesion 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.

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

Group 6 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 popu		ulation	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 6	14 001	13 112	212.7	199.2	
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	4 171	4 130	63.4	62.8	
Common assault of emergency worker	751	791	11.4	12.0	
Total common assaults	4 922	4 921	74.8	74.8	
Breach of the peace	1 040	847	15.8	12.9	
Threatening and abusive behaviour	4 993	4 815	75.9	73.2	
Stalking	62	47	0.9	0.7	
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	6 095	5 709	92.6	86.7	
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	122	90	1.9	1.4	
Drunk and incapable	134	74	2.0	1.1	
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	1 340	1 091	20.4	16.6	
Other alcohol related offences	51	54	0.8	0.8	
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	1 525	1 219	23.2	18.5	
Wildlife offences	7	6	0.1	0.1	
Other Group 6 offences	1 330	1 167	20.2	17.7	

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	11 219	10 276	80.1	78.4
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	2 654	2 567	63.6	62.2
Common assault of emergency worker	748	778	99.6	98.4
Total common assaults	3 402	3 345	69.1	68.0
Breach of the peace	1 041	857	100.1	101.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	4 161	3 959	83.3	82.2
Stalking	57	41	91.9	87.2
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	5 259	4 857	86.3	85.1
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	111	79	91.0	87.8
Drunk and incapable	134	73	100.0	98.6
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	1 335	1 090	99.6	99.9
Other alcohol related offences	48	55	94.1	101.9
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	1 517	1 218	99.5	99.9
Wildlife offences	1	2	14.3	33.3
Other Group 6 offences	929	775	69.8	66.4

TABLE 10.10

Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Lanarkshire):

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	8 528	7 604	129.6	115.5
Dangerous driving offences	243	272	3.7	4.1
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	588	590	8.9	9.0
Speeding offences	916	862	13.9	13.1
Driving while disqualified	122	122	1.9	1.9
Driving without a licence	521	465	7.9	7.1
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 208	1 164	18.4	17.7
Seat belt offences	120	98	1.8	1.5
Mobile phone offences	159	128	2.4	1.9
Driving carelessly	701	679	10.7	10.3
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	235	153	3.6	2.3
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 216	1 001	18.5	15.2
Other Group 7 offences	2 499	2 070	38.0	31.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	7 280	6 231	85.4	81.9
Dangerous driving offences	206	221	84.8	81.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	584	576	99.3	97.6
Speeding offences	915	863	99.9	100.1
Driving while disqualified	117	113	95.9	92.6
Driving without a licence	513	460	98.5	98.9
Failure to insure against third party risks	1 171	1 119	96.9	96.1
Seat belt offences	119	97	99.2	99.0
Mobile phone offences	157	126	98.7	98.4
Driving carelessly	620	605	88.4	89.1
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	234	150	99.6	98.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	1 205	984	99.1	98.3
Other Group 7 offences	1 439	917	57.6	44.3

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

By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	796	699
Fatal	7	16
Serious	121	96
Slight	668	587
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	128	112
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	20	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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incidents (Number) Incidents (per		er 10,000 population)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	147 419	148 555	2 240.0	2 257.2	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	30 498	29 933	463.4	454.8	
Complaint	8 447	6 796	128.3	103.3	
Disturbance	8 675	9 547	131.8	145.1	
Noise	4 164	4 259	63.3	64.7	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	306	276	4.6	4.2	
Neighbour dispute	1 984	1 905	30.1	28.9	
Vandalism	3 595	3 456	54.6	52.5	
Communications	3 327	3 694	50.6	56.1	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	23 873	23 562	362.7	358.0	
Road traffic matter	14 646	14 604	222.5	221.9	
Road traffic collision	7 516	7 354	114.2	111.7	
Road traffic offence	1 626	1 537	24.7	23.4	
Other transport incidents	85	67	1.3	1.0	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	17 396	17 864	264.3	271.4	
Theft	7 129	7 581	108.3	115.2	
Assault	3 945	3 959	59.9	60.2	
Housebreaking	2 329	1 970	35.4	29.9	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	3 993	4 354	60.7	66.2	
Other incident types	75 652	77 196	1 149.5	1 173.0	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2017/18	2018/19
Number of Incidents	4,469	4,075

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	1 569	1 426	- 143	-9.1
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	41.2	41.0	х	% Point Change - 0.1

TABLE 11.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 910	5 285	278.3	299.6
Group 1: non violent crimes of violence	138	174	7.8	9.9
Group 2: sexual crimes	269	254	15.2	14.4
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 827	2 000	103.6	113.4
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 125	1 171	63.8	66.4
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 551	1 686	87.9	95.6

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	2 830	2 981	57.6	56.4	
Group 1: non violent crimes of violence	112	136	81.2	78.2	
Group 2: sexual crimes	144	138	53.5	54.3	
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	804	796	44.0	39.8	
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	321	309	28.5	26.4	
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 449	1 602	93.4	95.0	

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate _l	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	138	174	7.8	9.9
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	5	-	0.3
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	0.1	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	2	0.1	0.1
Attempted murder	10	4	0.6	0.2
Serious assault	74	102	4.2	5.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	12	18	0.7	1.0
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	29	21	1.6	1.2
Threats and extortion	1	7	0.1	0.4
Other group 1 crimes	10	15	0.6	0.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	112	136	81.2	78.2
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	-	5	-	100.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	1	2	100.0	100.0
Attempted murder	10	4	100.0	100.0
Serious assault	60	79	81.1	77.5
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	9	13	75.0	72.2
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	24	18	82.8	85.7
Threats and extortion	1	4	100.0	57.1
Other group 1 crimes	6	11	60.0	73.3

^{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.

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	269	254	15.2	14.4
Rape	56	59	3.2	3.3
Assault with intent to rape	3	2	0.2	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	59	61	3.3	3.5
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	3	5	0.2	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	80	79	4.5	4.5
Lewd & libidinous practices	21	21	1.2	1.2
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	104	105	5.9	6.0
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	1	0.1	0.1
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	18	19	1.0	1.1
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	17	12	1.0	0.7
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	5	13	0.3	0.7
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	6	4	0.3	0.2
Public indecency (common law) ³	2	3	0.1	0.2
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	49	25	2.8	1.4
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	5	6	0.3	0.3
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	3	5	0.2	0.3
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	105	87	6.0	4.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	ection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 2	144	138	53.5	54.3	
Rape	34	33	60.7	55.9	
Assault with intent to rape	1	-	33.3	-	
Rape and attempted rape - Total	35	33	59.3	54.1	
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	1	3	33.3	60.0	
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	44	35	55.0	44.3	
Lewd & libidinous practices	9	11	42.9	52.4	
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	54	49	51.9	46.7	
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-	
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	15	12	83.3	63.2	
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	10	11	58.8	91.7	
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	1	7	20.0	53.8	
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	3	3	50.0	75.0	
Public indecency (common law) ³	-	-	-	-	
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	24	17	49.0	68.0	
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	1	3	20.0	50.0	
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	1	3	33.3	60.0	
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-	
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	55	56	52.4	64.4	

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

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 827	2 000	103.6	113.4
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	129	102	7.3	5.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	39	48	2.2	2.7
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	62	66	3.5	3.7
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	230	216	13.0	12.2
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	144	189	8.2	10.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	40	37	2.3	2.1
Common theft ⁶	613	638	34.7	36.2
Theft by shoplifting	578	640	32.8	36.3
Fraud	119	151	6.7	8.6
Other Group 3 crimes	103	129	5.8	7.3

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	804	796	44.0	39.8
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	28	20	21.7	19.6
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	2	17	5.1	35.4
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	15	17	24.2	25.8
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	45	54	19.6	25.0
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	63	60	43.8	31.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	11	8	27.5	21.6
Common theft ⁶	143	135	23.3	21.2
Theft by shoplifting	446	430	77.2	67.2
Fraud	55	53	46.2	35.1
Other Group 3 crimes	41	56	39.8	43.4

^{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)).

Group 4 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 125	1 171	63.8	66.4
Fire-raising	103	60	5.8	3.4
Vandalism/malicious mischief	955	1 042	54.1	59.1
Reckless conduct with a firearm	4		0.2	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	59	66	3.3	3.7
Other Group 4 crimes	4	3	0.2	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	321	309	28.5	26.4
Fire-raising	28	12	27.2	20.0
Vandalism/malicious mischief	254	264	26.6	25.3
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	-	50.0	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	36	33	61.0	50.0
Other Group 4 crimes	1	-	25.0	-

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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	1 551	1 686	87.9	95.6
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	29	37	1.6	2.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	45	64	2.6	3.6
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	85	50	4.8	2.8
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	43	27	2.4	1.5
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	202	178	11.4	10.1
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	25	21	1.4	1.2
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	95	119	5.4	6.7
Bringing drugs into prison	1	-	0.1	-
Supply of drugs - Total	121	140	6.9	7.9
Possession of drugs	715	939	40.5	53.2
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	4	4	0.2	0.2
Total drugs crimes	840	1 083	47.6	61.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	-	0.1	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	156	126	8.8	7.1
Other Group 5 crimes	352	299	20.0	16.9

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	1 449	1 602	93.4	95.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	27	34	93.1	91.9
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	42	60	93.3	93.8
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	63	38	74.1	76.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	28	25	65.1	92.6
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	160	157	79.2	88.2
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	23	20	92.0	95.2
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	89	106	93.7	89.1
Bringing drugs into prison	1	-	100.0	-
Supply of drugs - Total	113	126	93.4	90.0
Possession of drugs	694	910	97.1	96.9
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	4	4	100.0	100.0
Total drugs crimes	811	1 040	96.5	96.0
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	1	-	100.0	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	141	116	90.4	92.1
Other Group 5 crimes	336	289	95.5	96.7

^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	202	178	11.4	10.1
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	74	101	4.2	5.7
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	128	77	7.3	4.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	29	37	1.6	2.1
Possession of an offensive weapon	28	37	1.6	2.1
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	45	64	2.6	3.6
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	43	62	2.4	3.5
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	-
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	85	50	4.8	2.8
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	84	50	4.8	2.8
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	-	0.1	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	43	27	2.4	1.5
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	43	26	2.4	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	-	1	-	0.1

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	20181/9
otal offensive/bladed weapons	160	157	79.2	88.2
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	69	94	93.2	93. 1
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	91	63	71.1	81.8
arrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	27	34	93.1	91.9
Possession of an offensive weapon	27	34	96.4	91.9
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	-	-	-	
andling bladed/pointed instrument	42	60	93.3	93.8
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	40	58	93.0	93.5
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	-	-	
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	2	2	100.0	100.0
offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) 12	63	38	74.1	76.0
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	62	38	73.8	76.0
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	-	100.0	
laded/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	28	25	65.1	92.6
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	28	24	65.1	92.3
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 possesion 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.

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

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

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 populat		tion	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 566	3 472	202.1	196.8	
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	991	936	56.2	53.1	
Common assault of emergency worker	196	174	11.1	9.9	
Total common assaults	1 187	1 110	67.3	62.9	
Breach of the peace	276	297	15.6	16.8	
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 357	1 331	76.9	75.4	
Stalking	32	26	1.8	1.5	
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 665	1 654	94.4	93.8	
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	29	28	1.6	1.6	
Drunk and incapable	67	44	3.8	2.5	
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	171	251	9.7	14.2	
Other alcohol related offences	50	46	2.8	2.6	
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	288	341	16.3	19.3	
Wildlife offences	9	4	0.5	0.2	
Other Group 6 offences	388	335	22.0	19.0	

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	2 952	2 832	82.8	81.6
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	700	601	70.6	64.2
Common assault of emergency worker	196	174	100.0	100.0
Total common assaults	896	775	75.5	69.8
Breach of the peace	281	294	101.8	99.0
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 138	1 125	83.9	84.5
Stalking	22	23	68.8	88.5
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 441	1 442	86.5	87.2
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	27	25	93.1	89.3
Drunk and incapable	67	44	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	170	251	99.4	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	51	45	102.0	97.8
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	288	340	100.0	99.7
Wildlife offences	3	1	33.3	25.0
Other Group 6 offences	297	249	76.5	74.3

TABLE 11.10
Group 7 offences recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire):

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 950	3 173	223.9	179.9
Dangerous driving offences	85	80	4.8	4.5
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	219	203	12.4	11.5
Speeding offences	1 235	821	70.0	46.5
Driving while disqualified	16	8	0.9	0.5
Driving without a licence	132	133	7.5	7.5
Failure to insure against third party risks	317	256	18.0	14.5
Seat belt offences	181	106	10.3	6.0
Mobile phone offences	77	69	4.4	3.9
Driving carelessly	342	291	19.4	16.5
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	135	120	7.7	6.8
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	342	382	19.4	21.7
Other Group 7 offences	869	704	49.3	39.9

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	3 704	2 834	93.8	89.3
Dangerous driving offences	77	65	90.6	81.3
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	217	197	99.1	97.0
Speeding offences	1 235	822	100.0	100.1
Driving while disqualified	16	8	100.0	100.0
Driving without a licence	128	130	97.0	97.7
Failure to insure against third party risks	311	249	98.1	97.3
Seat belt offences	181	106	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	77	68	100.0	98.6
Driving carelessly	326	266	95.3	91.4
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	133	119	98.5	99.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	341	381	99.7	99.7
Other Group 7 offences	662	423	76.2	60.1

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire): By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Causalty severity	Number of casualties		
	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL CASUALTIES	342	252	
Fatal	4	8	
Serious	72	63	
Slight	266	181	
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	76	71	
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	8	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 11.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Argyll & West Dunbartonshire): Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incidents (Number) Incident		nts (per 10,000 population)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	41 098	42 353	2 329.6	2 400.7	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	7 848	8 098	444.8	459.0	
Complaint	1 818	1 595	103.0	90.4	
Disturbance	2 171	2 348	123.1	133.1	
Noise	1 821	1 838	103.2	104.2	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	40	41	2.3	2.3	
Neighbour dispute	533	552	30.2	31.3	
Vandalism	700	737	39.7	41.8	
Communications	765	987	43.4	55.9	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	7 182	6 832	407.1	387.3	
Road traffic matter	4 464	4 301	253.0	243.8	
Road traffic collision	2 232	2 121	126.5	120.2	
Road traffic offence	434	371	24.6	21.0	
Other transport incidents	52	39	2.9	2.2	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	3 830	4 115	217.1	233.3	
Theft	1 656	1 831	93.9	103.8	
Assault	874	900	49.5	51.0	
Housebreaking	442	418	25.1	23.7	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	858	966	48.6	54.8	
Other incident types	22 238	23 308	1 260.5	1 321.2	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)		
	2017/18	2018/19	
Number of Incidents	1,341	1,458	

TABLE 12.1

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	2 339	2 255	- 84	-3.6
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in a crime report	45.1	43.2	x	% Point Change - 1.9

TABLE 12.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crimes per 10,000 population		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	8 533	8 824	333.9	345.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	286	330	11.2	12.9
Group 2: sexual crimes	394	478	15.4	18.7
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	3 559	3 744	139.2	146.5
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 729	1 754	67.6	68.6
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 565	2 518	100.4	98.5

Crime group	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 554	4 521	53.4	51.2
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	203	247	71.0	74.8
Group 2: sexual crimes	170	294	43.1	61.5
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 460	1 489	41.0	39.8
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	378	377	21.9	21.5
Group 5: other crimes ¹	2 343	2 114	91.3	84.0

^{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):

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	286	330	11.2	12.9
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	7	1	0.3	0.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	-	-	-	-
Attempted murder	15	17	0.6	0.7
Serious assault	166	183	6.5	7.2
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	66	93	2.6	3.6
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	12	9	0.5	0.4
Threats and extortion	3	7	0.1	0.3
Other group 1 crimes	17	20	0.7	0.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	203	247	71.0	74.8
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	7	2	100.0	200.0
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ²	-		-	_
Attempted murder	12	18	80.0	105.9
Serious assault	120	131	72.3	71.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	43	73	65.2	78.5
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	10	10	83.3	111.1
Threats and extortion	2	1	66.7	14.3
Other group 1 crimes	9	12	52.9	60.0

^{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.

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TABLE 12.4

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate per 10,000 popula		ation	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 2	394	478	15.4	18.7	
Rape	73	96	2.9	3.8	
Assault with intent to rape	6	5	0.2	0.2	
Rape and attempted rape - Total	79	101	3.1	4.0	
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	17	17	0.7	0.7	
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	85	122	3.3	4.8	
Lewd & libidinous practices	58	59	2.3	2.3	
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	160	198	6.3	7.7	
Prostitution related crime - Total	1	2	0.0	0.1	
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	20	13	0.8	0.5	
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	55	47	2.2	1.8	
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	5	3	0.2	0.1	
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	9	13	0.4	0.5	
Public indecency (common law) ³	7	5	0.3	0.2	
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	41	61	1.6	2.4	
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	3	19	0.1	0.7	
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	14	16	0.5	0.6	
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-	
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	154	177	6.0	6.9	

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	170	294	43.1	61.5
Rape	22	74	30.1	77.1
Assault with intent to rape	1	6	16.7	120.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	23	80	29.1	79.2
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	5	13	29.4	76.5
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	50	65	58.8	53.3
Lewd & libidinous practices	24	30	41.4	50.8
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	79	108	49.4	54.5
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	1	-	50.0
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	17	10	85.0	76.9
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	18	32	32.7	68.1
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	2	1	40.0	33.3
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	7	6	77.8	46.2
Public indecency (common law) ³	3	1	42.9	20.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	15	37	36.6	60.7
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	1	8	33.3	42.1
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	5	10	35.7	62.5
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	68	105	44.2	59.3

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

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	3 559	3 744	139.2	146.5
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	247	217	9.7	8.5
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	114	43	4.5	1.7
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	131	124	5.1	4.9
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	492	384	19.2	15.0
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	471	535	18.4	20.9
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	68	52	2.7	2.0
Common theft ⁶	1 056	1 102	41.3	43.1
Theft by shoplifting	1 002	1 141	39.2	44.6
Fraud	212	306	8.3	12.0
Other Group 3 crimes	258	224	10.1	8.8

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detection rate (%)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 460	1 489	41.0	39.8
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	48	40	19.4	18.4
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	22	5	19.3	11.6
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	26	31	19.8	25.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	96	76	19.5	19.8
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	110	111	23.4	20.7
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	10	7	14.7	13.5
Common theft ⁶	236	261	22.3	23.7
Theft by shoplifting	811	848	80.9	74.3
Fraud	100	82	47.2	26.8
Other Group 3 crimes	97	104	37.6	46.4

^{4 -} Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with illient to steal; attempted OLP with illient to see, which 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)).

OFFICIAL 4 - Motor vehicle crime includes: theft by OLP (motor vehicle); OLP with intent to steal; attempted OLP with intent to steal; theft of

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TABLE 12.6

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 729	1 754	67.6	68.6
Fire-raising	123	100	4.8	3.9
Vandalism/malicious mischief	1 508	1 551	59.0	60.7
Reckless conduct with a firearm	2	1	0.1	0.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	93	101	3.6	4.0
Other Group 4 crimes	3	1	0.1	0.0

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	378	377	21.9	21.5
Fire-raising	21	18	17.1	18.0
Vandalism/malicious mischief	315	318	20.9	20.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	1	50.0	100.0
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	40	40	43.0	39.6
Other Group 4 crimes	1	-	33.3	-

TABLE 12.7

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

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 565	2 518	100.4	98.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	44	52	1.7	2.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	126	116	4.9	4.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	107	86	4.2	3.4
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	76	103	3.0	4.0
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	353	357	13.8	14.0
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	24	24	0.9	0.9
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	108	125	4.2	4.9
Bringing drugs into prison	5	3	0.2	0.1
Supply of drugs - Total	137	152	5.4	5.9
Possession of drugs	1 255	1 282	49.1	50.2
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	2	1	0.1	0.0
Total drugs crimes	1 394	1 435	54.5	56.1
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-	-	-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	325	274	12.7	10.7
Other Group 5 crimes	493	452	19.3	17.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	2 343	2 114	91.3	84.0
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	44	47	100.0	90.4
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	115	109	91.3	94.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	79	61	73.8	70.9
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	49	65	64.5	63.1
Total offensive/bladed weapons8	287	282	81.3	79.0
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	20	23	83.3	95.8
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	98	108	90.7	86.4
Bringing drugs into prison	4	3	80.0	100.0
Supply of drugs - Total	122	134	89.1	88.2
Possession of drugs	1 142	986	91.0	76.9
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	1	2	50.0	200.0
Total drugs crimes	1 265	1 122	90.7	78.2
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	-		-	-
Bail offences (other than absconding)	318	267	97.8	97.4
Other Group 5 crimes	473	443	95.9	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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	353	357	13.8	14.0
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	170	168	6.7	6.6
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	183	189	7.2	7.4
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	44	52	1.7	2.0
Possession of an offensive weapon	44	49	1.7	1.9
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	126	116	4.9	4.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	125	114	4.9	4.5
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	2	-	0.1
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	1	-	0.0	
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	107	86	4.2	3.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	106	85	4.1	3.3
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	1	0.0	0.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	76	103	3.0	4.0
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	75	101	2.9	4.0
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	1	2	0.0	0.1

Number of detections	mber of detections Number of detections		Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	287	282	81.3	79.0
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	159	156	93.5	92.9
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	128	126	69.9	66.7
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	44	47	100.0	90.4
Possession of an offensive weapon	44	46	100.0	93.9
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	-	-	-	-
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	115	109	91.3	94.0
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	114	107	91.2	93.9
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	-	2	-	100.0
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	1	-	100.0	-
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	79	61	73.8	70.9
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	78	60	73.6	70.6
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	1	100.0	100.0
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	49	65	64.5	63.1
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	48	65	64.0	64.4
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 possesion 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.

¹²These 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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	5 482	4 806	214.5	188.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 580	1 512	61.8	59.2
Common assault of emergency worker	336	244	13.1	9.5
Total common assaults	1 916	1 756	75.0	68.7
Breach of the peace	437	516	17.1	20.2
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 732	1 564	67.8	61.2
Stalking	20	34	0.8	1.3
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	2 189	2 114	85.6	82.7
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	47	57	1.8	2.2
Drunk and incapable	40	13	1.6	0.5
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	742	400	29.0	15.7
Other alcohol related offences	15	37	0.6	1.4
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	797	450	31.2	17.6
Wildlife offences	3	6	0.1	0.2
Other Group 6 offences	530	423	20.7	16.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	4 504	3 847	82.2	80.0
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 038	949	65.7	62.8
Common assault of emergency worker	332	244	98.8	100.0
Total common assaults	1 370	1 193	71.5	67.9
Breach of the peace	434	520	99.3	100.8
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 440	1 299	83.1	83.1
Stalking	14	29	70.0	85.3
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 888	1 848	86.2	87.4
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	44	43	93.6	75.4
Drunk and incapable	39	13	97.5	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	738	399	99.5	99.8
Other alcohol related offences	15	36	100.0	97.3
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	792	448	99.4	99.6
Wildlife offences	2	3	66.7	50.0
Other Group 6 offences	408	312	77.0	73.8

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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 478	3 651	175.2	142.8
Dangerous driving offences	95	99	3.7	3.9
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	245	215	9.6	8.4
Speeding offences	716	688	28.0	26.9
Driving while disqualified	30	31	1.2	1.2
Driving without a licence	211	197	8.3	7.7
Failure to insure against third party risks	552	460	21.6	18.0
Seat belt offences	107	61	4.2	2.4
Mobile phone offences	131	95	5.1	3.7
Driving carelessly	338	260	13.2	10.2
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	142	133	5.6	5.2
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	682	504	26.7	19.7
Other Group 7 offences	1 229	908	48.1	35.5

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	4 047	3 208	90.4	87.9
Dangerous driving offences	89	89	93.7	89.9
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	246	205	100.4	95.3
Speeding offences	716	689	100.0	100.1
Driving while disqualified	31	29	103.3	93.5
Driving without a licence	210	195	99.5	99.0
Failure to insure against third party risks	544	453	98.6	98.5
Seat belt offences	107	61	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	131	95	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	319	243	94.4	93.5
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	142	133	100.0	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	680	504	99.7	100.0
Other Group 7 offences	832	512	67.7	56.4

TABLE 12.11

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde): By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ^s	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	363	264
Fatal	5	4
Serious	39	49
Slight	319	211
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	44	53
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	4	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 12.12

Incidents recorded by Police Scotland (Renfrewshire & Inverclyde): Number of incidents by initial incident type; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incide	ents (per 10,000 popul	ation)
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL INCIDENTS	61 012	61 525	2 387.1	2 407.2
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	12 536	12 097	490.5	473.3
Complaint	3 591	2 838	140.5	111.0
Disturbance	3 526	3 746	138.0	146.6
Noise	2 002	1 961	78.3	76.7
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	130	79	5.1	3.1
Neighbour dispute	705	804	27.6	31.5
Vandalism	1 284	1 239	50.2	48.5
Communications	1 298	1 430	50.8	55.9
Other ASB	-	-	-	-
Transport related incidents	9 627	9 544	376.7	373.4
Road traffic matter	5 625	5 687	220.1	222.5
Road traffic collision	3 070	3 004	120.1	117.5
Road traffic offence	661	618	25.9	24.2
Other transport incidents	271	235	10.6	9.2
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	6 833	7 080	267.3	277.0
Theft	2 973	2 929	116.3	114.6
Assault	1 478	1 556	57.8	60.9
Housebreaking	852	743	33.3	29.1
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	1 530	1 852	59.9	72.5
Other incident types	32 016	32 804	1 252.6	1 283.5

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)		
	2017/18	2018/19	
Number of Incidents	1,637	1,839	

Domestic abuse recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number recorded and percentage which resulted in a crime report; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Domestic abuse incidents	Number	Change	from No.	
	2017/18	2018/19	No.	%
Number of domestic abuse incidents recorded	933	938	5	0.5
Proportion (%) of domestic abuse incidents which result in	63.2	59.2	×	% Point Change - 4.1
a crime report	05.2	39.2	*	- 4.1

TABLE 13.2

Crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):
Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by crime group; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Crime group	Number recorded	Crime	s per 10,000 population	on
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	4 611	4 999	309.0	335.1
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	106	116	7.1	7.8
Group 2: sexual crimes	328	390	22.0	26.1
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	1 639	1 911	109.9	128.1
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	1 045	988	70.0	66.2
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 493	1 594	100.1	106.8

Crime group	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CRIMES (Groups 1 to 5)	2 903	3 035	63.0	60.7
Group 1: non sexual crimes of violence	94	98	88.7	84.5
Group 2: sexual crimes	222	247	67.7	63.3
Group 3: crimes of dishonesty	743	914	45.3	47.8
Group 4: fire-raising, malicious mischief etc	421	349	40.3	35.3
Group 5: other crimes ¹	1 423	1 427	95.3	89.5

^{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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	106	116	7.1	7.8
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	-	0.1	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ¹	-	1	-	0.1
Attempted murder	1	3	0.1	0.2
Serious assault	75	69	5.0	4.6
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	16	16	1.1	1.1
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	8	11	0.5	0.7
Threats and extortion	3	13	0.2	0.9
Other group 1 crimes	2	3	0.1	0.2

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 1	94	98	88.7	84.5
Murder (excluding culpable homicide at common law)	1	-	100.0	-
Culpable homicide (at common law)	-	-	-	-
Culpable homicide (under statute including RTA, sec. 1) ¹	-	1	-	100.0
Attempted murder	1	3	100.0	100.0
Serious assault	67	64	89.3	92.8
Robbery and assault with intent to rob	13	15	81.3	93.8
Cruel and unnatural treatment of children	8	10	100.0	90.9
Threats and extortion	3	2	100.0	15.4
Other group 1 crimes	1	3	50.0	100.0

^{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.

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	328	390	22.0	26.1
Rape	45	45	3.0	3.0
Assault with intent to rape	1	2	0.1	0.1
Rape and attempted rape - Total	46	47	3.1	3.2
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	7	5	0.5	0.3
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	96	100	6.4	6.7
Lewd & libidinous practices	31	49	2.1	3.3
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	134	154	9.0	10.3
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	13	6	0.9	0.4
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	52	53	3.5	3.6
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	1	2	0.1	0.1
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	8	8	0.5	0.5
Public indecency (common law) ³	10	4	0.7	0.3
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	52	92	3.5	6.2
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	6	8	0.4	0.5
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	6	16	0.4	1.1
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	148	189	9.9	12.7

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 2	222	247	67.7	63.3
Rape	32	28	71.1	62.2
Assault with intent to rape	-	1	-	50.0
Rape and attempted rape - Total	32	29	69.6	61.7
Sexual assault (pre-SOSA 2009)	2	4	28.6	80.0
Sexual assault (SOSA 2009)	69	62	71.9	62.0
Lewd & libidinous practices	19	34	61.3	69.4
Indecent/Sexual Assault - Total	90	100	67.2	64.9
Prostitution related crime - Total	-	-	-	-
Taking, distribution, possession of indecent photos of children ³	12	4	92.3	66.7
Communicating indecently (SOSA 2009) ³	31	29	59.6	54.7
Communications Act 2003 (sexual) ³	-	2	-	100.0
Sexual exposure (SOSA 2009) ³	8	4	100.0	50.0
Public indecency (common law) ³	6	2	60.0	50.0
Other sexual crimes (SOSA 2009) ³	37	61	71.2	66.3
Other sexual crimes (non-SOSA 2009) ³	4	8	66.7	100.0
Threatening / Disclosure of intimate image ³	2	8	33.3	50.0
Miscellaneous Group 2 Crimes	-	-	-	-
Other Group 2 crimes - Total	100	118	67.6	62.4

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

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

, ation: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	1 639	1 911	109.9	128.1
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	88	116	5.9	7.8
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	28	34	1.9	2.3
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	79	45	5.3	3.0
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	195	195	13.1	13.1
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	181	227	12.1	15.2
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	46	31	3.1	2.1
Common theft ⁶	541	625	36.3	41.9
Theft by shoplifting	323	406	21.6	27.2
Fraud	161	225	10.8	15.1
Other Group 3 crimes	192	202	12.9	13.5

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 3	743	914	45.3	47.8
Housebreaking (domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	27	36	30.7	31.0
Housebreaking (non-domestic dwelling, incl. attempts)	10	14	35.7	41.2
Housebreaking (other, incl. attempts)	26	21	32.9	46.7
Total housebreaking (incl. attempts)	63	71	32.3	36.4
Motor vehicle crime ⁴	90	107	49.7	47.1
Theft by OLP ⁵ (exc. motor vehicle) incl. attempts	10	10	21.7	32.3
Common theft ⁶	160	198	29.6	31.7
Theft by shoplifting	238	334	73.7	82.3
Fraud	64	86	39.8	38.2
Other Group 3 crimes	118	108	61.5	53.5

^{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)).

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

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 4	1 045	988	70.0	66.2
Fire-raising	35	47	2.3	3.2
Vandalism/malicious mischief	960	887	64.3	59.5
Reckless conduct with a firearm	1	-	0.1	-
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	49	53	3.3	3.6
Other Group 4 crimes	-	1	-	0.1

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Number of detections Detection rate (%)			
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL GROUP 4	421	349	40.3	35.3	
Fire-raising	18	19	51.4	40.4	
Vandalism/malicious mischief	374	302	39.0	34.0	
Reckless conduct with a firearm	-	1	-	-	
Reckless conduct (not firearm)	29	27	59.2	50.9	
Other Group 4 crimes	-		-	-	

TABLE 13.7
Group 5 crimes recorded by Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway):

Number recorded, crime rate, detected and detection rate by selected crime classification: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected crime classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	1 493	1 594	100.1	106.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	31	27	2.1	1.8
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	51	52	3.4	3.5
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	26	36	1.7	2.4
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	17	35	1.1	2.3
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	125	150	8.4	10.1
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	8	6	0.5	0.4
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	105	94	7.0	6.3
Bringing drugs into prison	1	-	0.1	-
Supply of drugs - Total	114	100	7.6	6.7
Possession of drugs	743	905	49.8	60.7
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	24	34	1.6	2.3
Total drugs crimes	881	1 039	59.0	69.6
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	2	1	0.1	0.1
Bail offences (other than absconding)	133	100	8.9	6.7
Other Group 5 crimes	352	304	23.6	20.4

Selected crime classification	Number of detections	Detec	tion rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 5 ⁷	1 423	1 427	95.3	89.5
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	31	27	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	51	50	100.0	96.2
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity)*	23	33	88.5	91.7
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity)*	17	35	100.0	100.0
Total offensive/bladed weapons ⁸	122	145	97.6	96.7
Production, manufacture or cultivation of drugs	8	5	100.0	83.3
Supply of drugs (incl. possession with intent)	98	86	93.3	91.5
Bringing drugs into prison	1		100.0	-
Supply of drugs - Total	107	91	93.9	91.0
Possession of drugs	688	774	92.6	85.5
Other drugs offences (incl. importation)	24	22	100.0	64.7
Total drugs crimes	819	887	93.0	85.4
Offences relating to serious and organised crime	2	1	100.0	100.0
Bail offences (other than absconding)	136	95	102.3	95.0
Other Group 5 crimes	344	299	97.7	98.4

^{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 withou 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: 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q

Selected crime classification	Number recorded		Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	125	150	8.4	10.1
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	82	79	5.5	5.3
Total new weapon / knife classifications9	43	71	2.9	4.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	31	27	2.1	1.8
Possession of an offensive weapon	23	25	1.5	1.7
Restriction of offensive weapons	1	-	0.1	-
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	7	2	0.5	0.1
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	51	52	3.4	3.5
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	41	46	2.7	3.1
Having in a prison an article with a blade or point	1	4	0.1	0.3
Having in a school an article with a blade or point 11	9	2	0.6	0.1
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	26	36	1.7	2.4
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	25	36	1.7	2.4
Possession of offensive weapon in a prison used in other criminal activity	-		-	-
Possession of offensive weapon in a school used in other criminal activity	1	-	0.1	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	17	35	1.1	2.3
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	15	31	1.0	2.1
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	2	4	0.1	0.3

Number of detections	Number of detect	ions	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
Total offensive/bladed weapons	122	145	97.6	96.7
Total pre-April 2017 weapon / knife classifications	82	77	100.0	97.5
Total new weapon / knife classifications 9	40	68	93.0	95.8
Carrying offensive weapons (incl. restriction)	31	27	100.0	100.0
Possession of an offensive weapon	23	25	100.0	100.0
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	-	-	-	-
Possession of an offensive weapon (not elsewhere specified) in a school 10	7	2	100.0	100.0
Handling bladed/pointed instrument	51	50	100.0	96.2
Carrying of Knives etc S Act 1993	41	45	100.0	97.8
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	9	1	100.0	50.0
Offensive weapon (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	23	33	88.5	91.7
Possession of offensive weapon used in other criminal activity	22	33	88.0	91.7
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	-	100.0	-
Bladed/pointed instrument (used in other criminal activity) ¹²	17	35	100.0	100.0
Having in a public place an article with a blade or point used in other criminal activity	15	31	100.0	100.0
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	2	4	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 possesion 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.

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

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

Number of recorded, offence rate, detected and detection rate by selected offence classification; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate p	per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	3 072	3 516	205.9	235.7
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	1 121	1 229	75.1	82.4
Common assault of emergency worker	115	151	7.7	10.1
Total common assaults	1 236	1 380	82.8	92.5
Breach of the peace	10	22	0.7	1.5
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 307	1 491	87.6	99.9
Stalking	50	42	3.4	2.8
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 367	1 555	91.6	104.2
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	20	29	1.3	1.9
Drunk and incapable	16	10	1.1	0.7
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	31	49	2.1	3.3
Other alcohol related offences	9	21	0.6	1.4
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	56	80	3.8	5.4
Wildlife offences	8	11	0.5	0.7
Other Group 6 offences	385	461	25.8	30.9

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 6	2 570	2 852	83.7	81.1
Common assault (excl. assault of emergency worker)	846	909	75.5	74.0
Common assault of emergency worker	116	151	100.9	100.0
Total common assaults	962	1 060	77.8	76.8
Breach of the peace	10	21	100.0	95.5
Threatening and abusive behaviour	1 155	1 281	88.4	85.9
Stalking	47	30	94.0	71.4
Breach of the peace (incl. threats and stalking)	1 212	1 332	88.7	85.7
Racially aggravated harassment/conduct	18	24	90.0	82.8
Drunk and incapable	16	10	100.0	100.0
Consume alcohol in designated place local bye-law	31	49	100.0	100.0
Other alcohol related offences	8	21	88.9	100.0
Drunkenness and other disorderly conduct (TOTAL)	55	80	98.2	100.0
Wildlife offences	2	5	25.0	45.5
Other Group 6 offences	321	351	83.4	76.1

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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Selected offence classification	Number recorded	Rate	Rate per 10,000 population	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 661	6 028	446.4	404.0
Dangerous driving offences	106	91	7.1	6.1
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	138	137	9.2	9.2
Speeding offences	3 649	3 203	244.6	214.7
Driving while disqualified	46	39	3.1	2.6
Driving without a licence	191	185	12.8	12.4
Failure to insure against third party risks	469	422	31.4	28.3
Seat belt offences	153	149	10.3	10.0
Mobile phone offences	213	242	14.3	16.2
Driving carelessly	538	446	36.1	29.9
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	184	145	12.3	9.7
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	321	310	21.5	20.8
Other Group 7 offences	653	659	43.8	44.2

Selected offence classification	Number of detections	Detec	Detection rate (%)	
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL GROUP 7	6 660	6 028	100.0	100.0
Dangerous driving offences	106	91	100.0	100.0
Drink, drug driving offences (incl. fail to provide a specimen)	138	137	100.0	100.0
Speeding offences	3 649	3 203	100.0	100.0
Driving while disqualified	45	39	97.8	100.0
Driving without a licence	191	185	100.0	100.0
Failure to insure against third party risks	469	422	100.0	100.0
Seat belt offences	153	149	100.0	100.0
Mobile phone offences	213	242	100.0	100.0
Driving carelessly	538	446	100.0	100.0
Drivers neglect of traffic directions (NOT pedestrian crossings)	184	145	100.0	100.0
Using a motor vehicle without test certificate	321	310	100.0	100.0
Other Group 7 offences	653	659	100.0	100.0

Number of road traffic collision casualties - Police Scotland (Dumfries & Galloway): By casualty severity; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Casualty severity ⁹	Number of casualties	
	2017/18	2018/19
TOTAL CASUALTIES	223	276
Fatal	13	5
Serious	38	76
Slight	172	195
Number of people killed / seriously injured (KSI)	51	81
Number of children (aged <16) killed / seriously injured (KSI)	1	11

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Initial incident type	Incidents (Number)	Incide	Incidents (per 10,000 population)		
	2017/18	2018/19	2017/18	2018/19	
TOTAL INCIDENTS	31 187	31 872	2 090.3	2 136.2	
Anti-social behaviour (ASB) (public reported)	5 470	5 394	366.6	361.5	
Complaint	1 435	1 287	96.2	86.3	
Disturbance	1 134	1 165	76.0	78.1	
Noise	927	1 017	62.1	68.2	
ASB (where alcohol is reported)	14	30	0.9	2.0	
Neighbour dispute	366	377	24.5	25.3	
Vandalism	763	649	51.1	43.5	
Communications	831	869	55.7	58.2	
Other ASB	-	-	-	-	
Transport related incidents	7 123	7 111	477.4	476.6	
Road traffic matter	4 739	4 791	317.6	321.1	
Road traffic collision	1 824	1 814	122.3	121.6	
Road traffic offence	534	495	35.8	33.2	
Other transport incidents	26	11	1.7	0.7	
Crime related incidents ¹⁰	2 894	3 075	194.0	206.1	
Theft	1 126	1 202	75.5	80.6	
Assault	657	690	44.0	46.2	
Housebreaking	307	336	20.6	22.5	
Other crime related incidents ¹⁰	804	847	53.9	56.8	
Other incident types	15 700	16 292	1 052.3	1 092.0	

^{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; 2017/18 - 2018/19 (year-to-date to end of Q3)

Missing Person Incidents ¹¹	Incidents (Number)	
	2017/18	2018/19
Number of Incidents	720	676

APPENDIX 1

Crime Group Definitions

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100100 Murdor

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100301	Culpable Homicide - common I

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 Procuration - excluding homosexual acts

201807 Brothel keeping

201809 Immoral traffic

201810 Offences related to prostitution

201812 Procuration 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 Procuration of sexual services from children under 18

201816 Procuaration 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).

APPENDIX 1 - Continued

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

730106 Failure to provide breath, blood or urine specimen at police station

730104 In charge of motor vehicle with blood alcohol content above prescribed limit

730105 Failure to provide breath specimen at the roadside

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)	
		2016/17	2017/18
Local Council Area	PS Division	2016	2017
SCOTLAND	TOTAL	5 404 700	5 424 800
Aberdeen City	North East	229 840	228 800
Aberdeenshire	North East	262 190	261 800
Angus	Tayside	116 520	116 280
Argyll & Bute	Argyll and West Dunbartonshire	87 130	86 810
Clackmannanshire	Forth Valley	51 350	51 450
Dumfries & Galloway	Dumfries & Galloway	149 520	149 200
Dundee City	Tayside	148 270	148 710
East Ayrshire	Ayrshire	122 200	121 940
East Dunbartonshire	Greater Glasgow	107 540	108 130
East Lothian	Lothian & Scottish Borders	104 090	104 840
East Renfrewshire	Greater Glasgow	93 810	94 760
Edinburgh, City of	Edinburgh	507 170	513 210
Na h-Eileanan Siar	Highland and Islands	26 900	26 950
Falkirk	Forth Valley	159 380	160 130
Fife	Fife	370 330	371 410
Glasgow City	Greater Glasgow	615 070	621 020
Highland	Highland and Islands	234 770	235 180
Inverclyde	Renfrewshire and Inverclyde	79 160	78 760
Midlothian	Lothian & Scottish Borders	88 610	90 090
Moray	North East	96 070	95 780
North Ayrshire	Ayrshire	135 890	135 790
North Lanarkshire	Lanarkshire	339 390	339 960
Orkney Islands	Highland and Islands	21 850	22 000
Perth & Kinross	Tayside	150 680	151 100
Renfrewshire	Renfrewshire and Inverciyde	175 930	176 830
Scottish Borders	Lothian & Scottish Borders	114 530	115 020
Shetland Islands	Highland and Islands	23 200	23 080
South Ayrshire	Ayrshire	112 470	112 680
South Lanarkshire	Lanarkshire	317 100	318 170
Stirling	Forth Valley	93 750	
West Dunbartonshire	Argyll and West Dunbartonshire	89 860	
West Lothian	Lothian & Scottish Borders	180 130	181 310

 ² - Mid-year population data based on extracts from National Records for Scotland (http://www.nrscotland.gov.uk/), as at April 2017.
 ³ - Due to when population data are published it is necessary to use ealier mid-year estimates in some calculations. As

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

