

Deaths during or following police contact: Statistics for England and Wales

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## Road traffic incidents - fatalities



### Definition:

This **includes** deaths of motorists, cyclists or pedestrians arising from police pursuits, police vehicles responding to emergency calls and other police traffic-related It **does not** include deaths following a road traffic incident (RTI) where the police have attended immediately after the event as an emergency service.

### Notes:

• In 2011 the ACPO guidance on police pursuits was issued as a statutory code of practice.

Table 1.1 Number of fatalities and incidents by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

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	Number of	Number of
Financial year	fatalities	incidents
2004/05	44	43
2005/06	48	42
2006/07	36	35
2007/08	24	18
2008/09	40	33
2009/10	29	26
2010/11	26	24
2011/12	19	19
2012/13	31	23
2013/14	12	11
2014/15	14	13
2015/16	21	20
2016/17	32	28
2017/18	29	27
2018/19	42	33
2019/20	24	24
Total	471	419

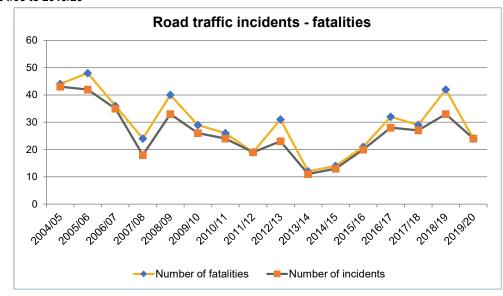


Table 1.2 Type of road traffic incident, 2004/05 to 2019/20

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								Incide	ents								Total
RTI type	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	incidents
Pursuit-related	22	27	19	11	16	17	13	12	19	9	6	12	24	17	21	19	264
Emergency response related	6	4	3	2	6	3	3	2	2	0	0	2	0	7	5	3	48
Other	15	11	13	5	11	6	8	5	2	2	7	6	4	3	7	2	107
Total INCIDENTS	43	42	35	18	33	26	24	19	23	11	13	20	28	27	33	24	419

Table 1.3 Type of road traffic fatality, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Fatali	ities								Total
RTI type	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Pursuit-related	23	32	19	17	22	19	13	12	27	10	7	13	28	17	30	19	308
Emergency response related	6	4	3	2	6	3	4	2	2	0	0	2	0	8	5	3	50
Other	15	12	14	5	12	7	9	5	2	2	7	6	4	4	7	2	113
Total FATALITIES	44	48	36	24	40	29	26	19	31	12	14	21	32	29	42	24	471

### Road traffic incidents - fatalities

Table 1.4 Gender by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financia	al year								Total
Gender	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Male	35	40	26	17	34	23	23	19	25	12	13	21	24	20	27	20	379
Female	9	8	10	7	6	6	3	0	6	0	1	0	8	9	15	4	92
Total fatalities	44	48	36	24	40	29	26	19	31	12	14	21	32	29	42	24	471

Table 1.5 Age group by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financia	al year								Total
Age group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Under 18	5	6	7	1	7	5	3	3	4	0	3	0	6	2	1	3	56
18 - 20	9	10	5	7	4	4	7	4	3	0	3	2	3	1	10	4	76
21 - 30	14	16	12	4	16	5	6	5	13	6	4	7	12	9	12	9	150
31 - 40	4	7	5	4	4	1	4	1	9	2	2	5	3	3	6	2	62
41 - 50	7	5	4	1	2	7	3	3	0	1	1	3	3	3	2	0	45
51 - 60	2	0	1	1	3	2	0	0	1	1	0	3	1	1	3	1	20
61 & over	3	4	2	6	4	5	3	3	1	2	1	1	4	10	8	5	62
Total fatalities	44	48	36	24	40	29	26	19	31	12	14	21	32	29	42	24	471

Table 1.6 Ethnicity by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financia	al year								Total
Ethnic group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16*	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
White	38	42	31	17	38	22	19	13	22	10	10	15	21	25	31	16	370
Asian	3	3	2	1	0	2	4	1	4	0	3	3	3	3	9	1	42
Black	1	2	3	4	2	4	3	2	4	0	0	2	2	1	1	4	35
Mixed	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	8
Other^	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	7
Not known / Not stated	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	9
Total fatalities	44	48	36	24	40	29	26	19	31	12	14	21	32	29	42	24	471

<sup>\*</sup>Following changes to ethnicity classification by the Office for National Statistics, since 2015/16 the Asian ethnic group now includes Chinese. This was previously recorded under the 'Other' ethnic group. Data recorded for previous years, maintains the old classification where Chinese is included in the 'Other' ethnic group.

<sup>&#</sup>x27;Prior to 2015/16, this ethnic group included 'Chinese'.



A single incident can result in more than one death. The tables below show the number of incidents and number of fatalities these resulted in.

Table 1.7 Number of INCIDENTS by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Appropriate			1				Fil	nancial ye	ear	ı	ı		1	ı	ı	1	Total
authority	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	INCIDENT
Avon & Somerset	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7
Bedfordshire	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
Cambridgeshire	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Cheshire	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	8
City of London	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cleveland	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Cumbria	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Derbyshire	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	8
Devon & Cornwall	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Dorset	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	8
Durham	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4
Dyfed-Powys	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Essex	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	5
Gloucestershire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
Greater Manchester	4	2	6	2	4	1	1	1	2	0	1	2	2	0	1	5	34
Gwent	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Hampshire	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Hertfordshire	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	8
Humberside	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Kent	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	1	12
Lancashire	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	3	1	0	15
Leicestershire	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	6
Lincolnshire	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Merseyside	1 5	3 5	1 5	0 4	2 5	0 8	3	2	3	2	1	3	4	2 5	1 5	7	16
Metropolitan	0	_	0	0	1	1	1	0	0		0		1	1	1	0	67
Norfolk North Wales	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
North Yorkshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2*	0	0	0	3
Northamptonshire	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Northumbria	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	Ö	10
Nottinghamshire	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
South Wales	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	0	10
South Yorkshire	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	13
Staffordshire	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5
Suffolk	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Surrey	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Sussex	2	2	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	14
Thames Valley	1	0	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	13
Warwickshire	1	1	0	Ö	0	1	0	0	Ö	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	6
West Mercia	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	10
West Midlands	1	1	3	2	1	2	3	1	2	0	3	1	2	2	2	1	27
West Yorkshire	2	5	3	0	2	1	4	0	2	3	1	1	2	3	2	1	32
Wiltshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
British Transport	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
HMRC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ministry of Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOCA / NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Home Office <sup>A</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total INCIDENTS	43	42	35	18	33	26	24	19	23	11	13	20	28	27	33	24	419
^ This includes UKBF				, ,,													7.0

Table 1.8 Number of FATALITIES by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Avon & Somerset Bedfordshire Cambridgeshire Cheshire City of London Cleveland Cumbria Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	04/05 0 2 1 0 0 2 0 2	05/06 2 0 0	06/07 0 1	<b>07/08</b>	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	FATALITIE
Bedfordshire Cambridgeshire Cheshire City of London Cleveland Cumbria Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hertfordshire Heunderside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	2 1 0 0 2 0	0 0 0	1	1				11/12		13/14	14/15	13/16	10/1/	17/10	10/19	19/20	S
Cambridgeshire Cheshire City of London Cleveland Cumbria Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	1 0 0 2 0	0			1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
Cheshire City of London City of London City of London Cumbria Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0 0 2 0	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
City of London Cleveland Cumbria Derbyshire Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hertfordshire Heutfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk Norfolk North Wales	0 2 0		1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Cleveland Cumbria Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hentfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	2		0	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	8
Cumbria Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hertfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk Norfolk North Wales	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hertfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Metreyolitan Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales		0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Derbyshire Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hertfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Metreyolitan Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales		2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Devon & Cornwall Dorset Durham Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Metrsoylide Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales		0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	9
Dorset  Durham  Dyfed-Powys  Essex  Gloucestershire  Greater Manchester  Gwent  Hampshire  Hertfordshire  Humberside  Kent  Lancashire  Leicestershire  Lincolnshire  Merseyside  Metropolitan  Norfolk  North Wales	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	8
Dyfed-Powys Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4
Essex Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hertfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Gloucestershire Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hentfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	6
Greater Manchester Gwent Hampshire Hettfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3
Hampshire Hertfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	4	2	6	2	6	1	1	1	4	0	1	2	4	0	1	5	40
Hertfordshire Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Humberside Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Kent Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	9
Lancashire Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Leicestershire Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	1	3	1	13
Lincolnshire Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	4	1	0	16
Merseyside Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	7
Metropolitan Norfolk North Wales	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Norfolk North Wales	1	3	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	1	1	16
North Wales	5	5	5	5	6	8	3	2	4	2	1	3	5	5	7	7	73
North Wales	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	6
	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
North Yorkshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2*	0	0	0	3
Northamptonshire	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Northumbria	2	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	10
Nottinghamshire	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
South Wales	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	1	2	0	11
South Yorkshire	2	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	5	0	16
Staffordshire	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	1	Ö	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	5
Suffolk	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Surrev	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Sussex	2	6	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	18
Thames Valley	1	0	2	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	3	0	0	16
Warwickshire	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	7
West Mercia	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	1	11
West Midlands	1	1	3	2	1	2	3	1	2	0	3	1	2	2	2	1	27
West Yorkshire	2	6	3	0	5	2	4	0	3	3	1	1	2	3	5	1	41
Wiltshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
British Transport	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
HMRC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ministry of Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOCA / NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	- <del>"</del>
Home Office <sup>^</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total FATALITIES		48	36	24	40	29	26	19	31	12	14	21	32	29	42	24	471

Road traffic fatalities

Total FATALTITES | 44 | 48 | 36 | 24 | 40 |

^ This includes UKBF, UKIE and UKVI

\* For one of these fatalities, Durham Police are also under investigation.

# **Fatal shootings**



### Definition:

This includes fatalities where police officers fired the fatal shot using a conventional firearm.

Table 2.1 Number of fatalities and incidents by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Table 2.1 Numbe	r or ratanti	es and inc
Financial year	Number of fatalities	Number of incidents
2004/05	3	3
2005/06	5	5
2006/07	1	1
2007/08	5	4
2008/09	3	3
2009/10	2	2
2010/11	2	2
2011/12	2	2
2012/13	0	0
2013/14	0	0
2014/15	1	1
2015/16	3	3
2016/17	6	6
2017/18	4	2
2018/19	3	3
2019/20	3	3
Total	43	40

Table 2.2 Gender by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financi	al year								Total
Gender	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Male	3	5	1	4	3	2	2	2	0	0	1	3	6	4	3	3	42
Female	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total fatalities	3	5	1	5	3	2	2	2	0	0	1	3	6	4	3	3	43

# **Fatal shootings**

Table 2.3 Age group by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financi	al year								Total
Age group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Under 18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18 - 20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
21 - 30	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	4	0	2	15
31 - 40	0	1	0	4	3	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	14
41 - 50	0	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	8
51 - 60	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	4
61 & over	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total fatalities	3	5	1	5	3	2	2	2	0	0	1	3	6	4	3	3	43

Table 2.4 Ethnicity by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financi	al year								Total
Ethnic group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16*	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
White	3	3	1	2	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	2	4	1	2	0	26
Asian	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	5
Black	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	8
Mixed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3
Other^	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total fatalities	3	5	1	5	3	2	2	2	0	0	1	3	6	4	3	3	43

<sup>\*</sup>Following changes to ethnicity classification by the Office for National Statistics, since 2015/16 the Asian ethnic group now includes Chinese. This was previously recorded under the 'Other' ethnic group. Data recorded for previous years, maintains the old classification where Chinese is included in the 'Other' ethnic group.

<sup>^</sup>Prior to 2015/16, this ethnic group included 'Chinese'.

# **Fatal shootings**



Only forces that recorded a fatal police shooting are listed below

Table 2.5 Number of FATALITIES by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Appropriate								Financ	ial year								Total
authority	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	FATALITIES
Avon & Somerset	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Bedfordshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Cambridgeshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
City of London	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3^	0	2**	5^**
Devon & Cornwall	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Durham	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greater Manchester	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Humberside	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Kent	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Metropolitan	1	2	1	3*	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	3^	1	2**	20^**
Northumbria	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Staffordshire	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Surrey	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Sussex	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
West Midlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
West Yorkshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Total FATALITIES	3	5	1	5	3	2	2	2	0	0	1	3	6	4	3	3	43

<sup>\*</sup> One incident resulted in two fatalities

<sup>^</sup> Officers from City of London and Metropolitan Police were involved in one incident that resulted in three fatalities.

<sup>\*\*</sup> One fatality resulted from an incident involving officers from the City of London and Metropolitan Police

# Deaths in or following police custody



#### Definition:

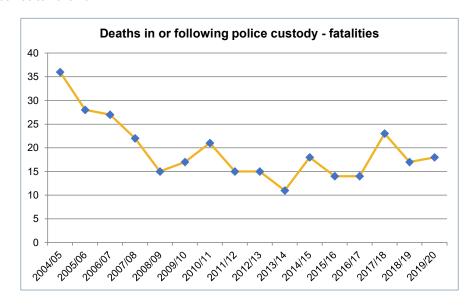
This **includes** deaths that occur while a person is being arrested or taken into detention. It includes deaths of persons who have been arrested or have been detained by police under the Mental Health Act 1983. The death may have taken place on police, private or medical premises, in a public place or in a police or other vehicle.

### For example:

- Deaths that occur during or following police custody where injuries that contributed to the death were sustained during the period of detention.
- Deaths that occur in or on the way to hospital (or other medical premises) following or during transfer from scene of arrest or police custody.
- Deaths that occur as a result of injuries or other medical problems that are identified or that develop while a person is in custody.

Table 3.1 Number of fatalities and incidents by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

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Financial year	Number of fatalities	Number of incidents
2004/05	36	36
2005/06	28	28
2006/07	27	27
2007/08	22	22
2008/09	15	15
2009/10	17	17
2010/11	21	21
2011/12	15	15
2012/13	15	15
2013/14	11	11
2014/15	18	18
2015/16	14	14
2016/17	14	14
2017/18	23	23
2018/19	17 ~	17~
2019/20	18	18
Total	311	311



<sup>~</sup> This table presents the most up-to-date set of figures; any updates to previously published data are indicated.

Table 3.2 Gender by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

							Fina	ancial yea	r								Total
Gender	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Male	31	22	23	21	13	16	19	13	14	11	15	12	12	21	15~	17	275
Female	5	6	4	1	2	1	2	2	1	0	3	2	2	2	2	1	36
Total fatalities	36	28	27	22	15	17	21	15	15	11	18	14	14	23	17~	18	311

<sup>~</sup> This table presents the most up-to-date set of figures; any updates to previously published data are indicated.

### Deaths in or following police custody

Table 3.3 Age group by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

							Fina	ancial yea	r								Total
Age group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Under 18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18 - 20	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	9
21 - 30	7	4	4	3	2	1	2	4	1	0	4	5	3	5	2	5	52
31 - 40	6	7	2	6	4	3	8	5	4	5	6	3	3	6	7~	6	81
41 - 50	12	13	9	7	8	5	7	1	6	3	6	3	4	7	3	1	95
51 - 60	4	4	6	2	1	3	2	5	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	46
61 & over	6	0	5	2	0	4	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	2	1	26
Not known	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Total fatalities	36	28	27	22	15	17	21	15	15	11	18	14	14	23	17~	18	311

<sup>~</sup> This table presents the most up-to-date set of figures; any updates to previously published data are indicated.

Table 3.4 Ethnicity by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

							Fina	ancial yea	r								Total
Ethnic group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16*	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
White	34	23	22	19	10	16	20	13	14	10	16	10	11	16	16~	14	264
Asian	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	10
Black	2	1	3	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	2	6	1	3	26
Mixed	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	8
Other^	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Not known	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total fatalities	36	28	27	22	15	17	21	15	15	11	18	14	14	23	17~	18	311

<sup>\*</sup>Following changes to ethnicity classification by the Office for National Statistics, since 2015/16 the Asian ethnic group now includes Chinese. This was previously recorded under the 'Other' ethnic group. Data recorded for previous years, maintains the old classification where Chinese is included in the 'Other' ethnic group.

<sup>^</sup>Prior to 2015/16, this ethnic group included 'Chinese'.



Table 3.5 Number of FATALITIES by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Appropriate				•			,	Financi									
authority	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	Total
Avon & Somerset	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
Bedfordshire	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Cambridgeshire	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Cheshire	1	0	0	2	1	1	0	3	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	13
City of London	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Cumbria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Derbyshire	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	10
Devon & Cornwall	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	10
Dorset	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Durham	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Dyfed-Powys	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	4
Essex	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	9
Gloucestershire	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Greater Manchester	3	2	2	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	20
Gwent	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	5
Hampshire	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	5
Hertfordshire	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Humberside	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Kent	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	9
Lancashire	0	1	1	2	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9
Leicestershire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lincolnshire	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	6
Merseyside	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	7
Metropolitan	5	6	4	5	7	1	3	2	1	0	2	5	3	4	2	3	53
Norfolk	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
North Wales	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7
North Yorkshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	4
Northamptonshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Northumbria	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	1	2	0	2	0	14
Nottinghamshire	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	6
South Wales	4	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	11
South Yorkshire	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	7
Staffordshire	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	2~	0	7
Suffolk	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	6
Surrey	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	4
Sussex	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	6
Thames Valley	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	9
Warwickshire	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	6
West Mercia	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
West Midlands	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	1	10
West Yorkshire	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	1	0	12
Wiltshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
British Transport	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
HMRC	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Ministry of Defence	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOCA / NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Home Office <sup>^</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Total FATALITIES	36	28	27	22	15	17	21	15	15	11	18	14	14	23	17~	18	311

<sup>^</sup>This includes UKBF, UKIE and UKVI

# **Apparent suicides following police custody**

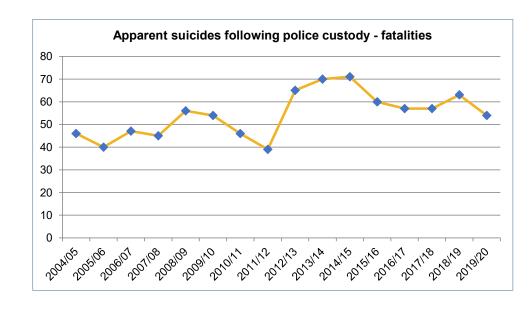


### Definition:

This includes apparent suicides that occur within two days of release from police custody. It also includes apparent suicides that occur beyond two days of release from custody, where the period spent in custody may be relevant to the subsequent death.

Table 4.1 Number of fatalities and incidents by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

	Number	Number
Financial year	of	of
	fatalities	incidents
2004/05	46	46
2005/06	40	40
2006/07	47	47
2007/08	45	45
2008/09	56	56
2009/10	54	54
2010/11	46	46
2011/12	39	39
2012/13	65	65
2013/14	70	70
2014/15	71	71
2015/16	60	60
2016/17	57	57
2017/18	57	57
2018/19	63	63
2019/20	54	54
Total	870	870



Operational advice note issued in 2007 on the referral of apparent suicides following release from custody

Table 4.2 Gender by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financia	al year								Total
Gender	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Male	45	39	43	42	48	49	42	34	58	64	63	56	55	55	55	49	797
Female	1	1	4	3	8	5	4	5	7	6	8	4	2	2	8	5	73
Total fatalities	46	40	47	45	56	54	46	39	65	70	71	60	57	57	63	54	870

# Apparent suicides following police custody

Table 4.3 Age group by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financia	al year								Total
Age group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Under 18	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	8
18 - 20	3	0	2	4	1	2	1	2	2	3	1	0	1	3	4	5	34
21 - 30	5	7	7	7	16	9	9	4	8	16	18	9	8	10	13	8	154
31 - 40	17	11	19	13	19	13	15	13	13	15	18	15	13	15	11	13	233
41 - 50	12	12	7	13	8	20	11	10	21	20	20	20	17	20	16	14	241
51 - 60	5	7	6	3	8	7	6	8	16	12	9	9	12	6	13	12	139
61 & over	4	2	6	3	4	2	4	2	3	3	5	6	5	3	5	2	59
Not known	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Total fatalities	46	40	47	45	56	54	46	39	65	70	71	60	57	57	63	54	870

Table 4.4 Ethnicity by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financia	al year								Total
Ethnic group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16*	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
White	43	32	41	40	51	46	41	36	58	67	63	58	47	47	59	48	777
Asian	1	2	1	4	1	1	1	2	3	1	4	2	4	3	1	1	32
Black	2	0	1	1	0	2	2	1	1	2	3	0	3	6	2	3	29
Mixed	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	8
Other^	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
Not known / stated	0	6	4	0	3	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	21
Total fatalities	46	40	47	45	56	54	46	39	65	70	71	60	57	57	63	54	870

<sup>\*</sup>Following changes to ethnicity classification by the Office for National Statistics, since 2015/16 the Asian ethnic group now includes Chinese. This was previously recorded under the 'Other' ethnic group. Data recorded for previous years, maintains the old classification where Chinese is included in the 'Other' ethnic group.

<sup>^</sup>Prior to 2015/16, this ethnic group included 'Chinese'.



Table 4.5 Number of FATALITIES by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Table 4.5 Number Appropriate			-) upp.c	- p a.to u				Financ									
authority	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	Total
Avon & Somerset	1	0	5	2	1	2	0	0	2	1	2	2	0	0	2	1	21
Bedfordshire	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	2	2	1	14
Cambridgeshire	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	10
Cheshire	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1	1	0	2	1	1	11
City of London	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Cleveland	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	2	2	1	2	1	15
Cumbria	4	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	18
Derbyshire	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	8
Devon & Cornwall	2	1	0	0	1	0	4	2	2	2	4	2	2	1	3	2	28
Dorset	2	0	1	0	3	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	11
Durham	1	1	2	0	0	1	4	2	0	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	17
Dyfed-Powys	3	2	2	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	15
Essex	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	2	3	1	0	3	1	0	2	16
Gloucestershire	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	9
Greater Manchester	2	1	2	4	1	4	0	1	4	3	3	0	1	0	5	1	32
Gwent	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	9
Hampshire	0	0	2	0	3	3	6	0	4	1	1	1	3	4	2	1	31
Hertfordshire	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	3	0	0	2*	3	2	2	18
Humberside	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	2	2	14
Kent	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	2	4	3	2	0	1	1	2	20
Lancashire	0	3	3	2	3	1	3	1	0	5	3	1	3	0	1	2	31
Leicestershire	1	0	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	11
Lincolnshire	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	2	1	13
Merseyside	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	4	0	16
Metropolitan	0	0	1	3	5	10	7	0	8	8	5	4	4	6	2	3	66
Norfolk	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	8
North Wales	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	2	1	0	0	13
North Yorkshire	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	5	2	2	1	0	2	3	0	20
Northamptonshire	0	0	2	1	3	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	2	0	0	1	15
Northumbria	2	2	1	2	3	4	1	4	1	1	4	1	0	1	0	4	31
Nottinghamshire	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	2	1	1	1	3	0	3	1	0	17
South Wales	3	0	0	2	2	1	4	1	1	4	3	3	0	3	0	1	28
South Wales South Yorkshire	2	2	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	1	1	2	4	2	22
			0		4	1	0	4	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	4	27
Staffordshire Suffolk	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	2	13
	0	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	0	1		1	1	1	2	1	20
Surrey	1	0	3	2	3	1	0	1	1	4	3 4	3	2	3	1	3	32
Sussex Thames Valley	0	1	1	2	1	4	2	1	1	3	2	1	3	3	3	3	32
	0	3	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	11
Warwickshire			-			_		_	-	_			_	_			
West Mercia	1	5	1	1	1	0	2	2	3	1	2	2	3	1	3	0	28
West Midlands	0	4	1	4	1	4	1	3	0	3	3	2	4	3	4	2	39
West Yorkshire	5	1	1	1	5	0	1	0	3	1	3	2	3	2	2	3	33
Wiltshire	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	8
British Transport	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	5**	0	12
HMRC	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Ministry of Defence	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
SOCA / NCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	3
Home Office^	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total FATALITIES  ^This includes UKBF	46	40	47	45	56	54	46	39	65	70	71	60	57	57	63	54	870

<sup>^</sup>This includes UKBF, UKIE and UKVI.

<sup>\*</sup> For one of these fatalities, the NCA are also under investigation.

# Other deaths following police contact



### Definition:

This includes deaths that follow contact with the police, either directly or indirectly, that did not involve arrest or detention under the Mental Health Act 1983 and were **subject to an independent investigation**. An independent investigation is determined by the IOPC for the most serious incidents that cause the greatest level of public concern, have the greatest potential to impact on communities or have serious implications for the reputation of the police service. The criteria to include only deaths subject to an independent investigation have been applied **since 2010/11** to improve consistency in the reporting of these deaths.

#### For example:

- Deaths that occur after the police are called to attend a domestic incident that results in a fatality.
- Deaths that occur after the police have been contacted following concerns about a person's welfare and there is concern about the nature of the police response.
- Deaths that occur where the police are called to assist medical staff to restrain individuals who are not under arrest.

Table 5.1 Number of fatalities and incidents by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

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Financial year	Number of fatalities	Number of incidents
2004/05	24	23
2005/06	40	38
2006/07	22	21
2007/08	31	30
2008/09	35	33
2009/10	39	37
2010/11*	57	49
2011/12	47	37
2012/13	22	20
2013/14	44	41
2014/15	43	43
2015/16**	105	102
2016/17	132	129
2017/18	176~	170~
2018/19	157~	152~
2019/20	107	104
Total	1081	1029

<sup>\*</sup>Change in definition in 2010/11 to include only cases subject to an independent investigation.

Table 5.2 Gender by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

								Financi	al year								Total
Gender	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11*	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16**	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Male	17	28	19	21	24	25	41	22	12	18	36	75	92	116	110~	74	730
Female	7	12	3	10	11	14	16	25	10	26	7	30	40	60~	47~	33	351
Total fatalities	24	40	22	31	35	39	57	47	22	44	43	105	132	176~	157~	107	1081

<sup>\*</sup>Change in definition in 2010/11 to include only cases subject to an independent investigation.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Expansion of IOPC investigative resource and capacity to carry out more independent investigations into serious and sensitive matters - this has a direct impact on the number of 'other contact deaths' that are reported.

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Table 5.3 Age group by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

		Financial year															Total
Age group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11*	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16**	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
Under 18	1	2	0	1	4	5	8	4	3	6	3	5	5	6~	7	6	66
18 - 20	1	0	1	2	3	1	1	2	3	1	1	4	5	10	7~	1	43
21 - 30	6	6	6	5	7	7	12	7	4	14	7	18	21	37	24	19	200
31 - 40	5	10	4	9	9	10	10	12	5	7	8	24	28	27	31~	30	229
41 - 50	4	6	6	8	7	10	9	12	2	8	15	23	37	40	35~	25	247
51 - 60	3	8	4	2	0	4	9	5	1	6	3	16	16	34	29~	15	155
61 & over	4	4	1	2	2	1	7	5	4	2	6	14	20	18	23~	11	124
Not known	0	4	0	2	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	17
Total fatalities	24	40	22	31	35	39	57	47	22	44	43	105	132	176~	157~	107	1081

<sup>\*</sup>Change in definition in 2010/11 to include only cases subject to an independent investigation.

Table 5.4 Ethnicity by financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

	Financial year														Total		
Ethnic group	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11*	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16" **	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	fatalities
White	22	34	14	28	24	31	42	37	19	32	35	83	114	152	138~	89	894
Asian	0	1	4	1	3	3	1	2	1	8	2	11	7	9~	4	7	64
Black	1	3	3	0	4	3	8	3	1	3	5	8	9	5	7	6	69
Mixed	0	1	0	2	1	0	2	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	2	0	14
Other^	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	4	1	0	0	2	1	1	3	1	19
Not known / stated	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	3~	4	21
Total fatalities	24	40	22	31	35	39	57	47	22	44	43	105	132	176~	157~	107	1081

<sup>\*</sup> Change in definition in 2010/11 to include only cases subject to an independent investigation.

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<sup>&</sup>quot; Following changes to ethnicity classification by the Office for National Statistics, since 2015/16 the Asian ethnic group now includes Chinese. This was previously recorded under the 'Other' ethnic group. Data recorded for previous years, maintains the old classification where Chinese is included in the 'Other' ethnic group.

<sup>^</sup> Prior to 2015/16, this ethnic group included 'Chinese'.



One incident can result in more than one fatality, the tables below have been separated to show the number of fatalities and the number of incidents.

Table 5.5 Number of INCIDENTS by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

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Double	Derbyshire													0				
Dement  O D.	Devon & Cornwall	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	3	3	3	2	9	8	4	39
Dyself-Provey   1	Dorset	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	5	2	1	17
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North Wales   0	Metropolitan																	
Nerth Yorkshire	Norfolk																	
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Surrey	Staffordshire	0	4	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	6	4	3	4	28
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Derbyshire   O   O   O   O   O   O   O   O   O	Merseyside	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
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<sup>\*</sup> Change in definition in 2010/11 to include only cases subject to an independent investigation.

<sup>^</sup> This includes UKBF, UKIE and UKVI.

" The Metropolitan Police are also under investigation for this incident.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Expansion of IOPC investigative resource and capacity to carry out more independent investigations into serious and sensitive matters - this has a direct impact on the number of 'other contact deaths' that are

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Table 5.6 Number of FATALITIES by appropriate authority and financial year, 2004/05 to 2019/20

Appropriate	1		-,				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Financ		-							Total
authority	04/05	05/06	06/07	07/08	08/09	09/10	10/11*	11/12	12/13	13/14	14/15	15/16**	16/17	17/18	18/19	19/20	FATALITIES
Avon & Somerset	0	0	0	0	0	3	2	1	0	3	1	3	1	1	6	2	23
Bedfordshire	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	10
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Cambridgeshire	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2 4		2	1	13 16
City of Landon			0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	1"	3	0	0	
City of London	0	0							0	0				0			1
Cleveland	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	8
Cumbria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	4
Derbyshire	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	6	17
Devon & Cornwall	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	3	3	3	2	9	8	4	39
Dorset	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	5	2	1	17
Durham	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	5	0	0	1	1	3	3	0	0	16
Dyfed-Powys	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	0	9
Essex	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	3	1	1	3	1	1	9~	5	3	32
Gloucestershire	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3	1	1	12
Greater Manchester	0	4	0	1	3	3	1	4	2	5	1	9	9	18	12~	11	83
Gwent	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	3	3	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	16
Hampshire	0	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	2	0	0	1	2	2	4	2	23
Hertfordshire	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	1	1	5	4	0	0	16
Humberside	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	14
Kent	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	4	6	9~	0	27
Lancashire	1	1	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	4	2	3	4	1	24
Leicestershire	0	1	0	2	1	0	5	0	0	1	0	1	4	2	3	2	22
Lincolnshire	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	2	14
Merseyside	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	1	1	4	6	4	1	24
	3	5	5	2	4	2	8	6	1	7	4	21	10	13	16~	18	125
Metropolitan Norfolk	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	21	10	2	3	2	125
						1	_		_								
North Wales	0	2	0	0	0		2	1	0	0	0	2	4	2	0	1	15
North Yorkshire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	1	2	9
Northamptonshire	1	2	0	1	1	0	1	6	0	0	1	2	1	3	2	1	22
Northumbria	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	2	10	3	3	0	25
Nottinghamshire	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	3	1	2	1	15
South Wales	0	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	1	3	5	7	6	2	5	37
South Yorkshire	0	1	2	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	2	2	2	7	3	25
Staffordshire	0	4	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	2	6	4	3	4	28
Suffolk	1	0	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	13
Surrey	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	2	1	2	3	13
Sussex	0	0	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	3	0	3	4	5	5	3	33
Thames Valley	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	1	3	4	7	3	8	2	33
Warwickshire	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	2~	0	8
West Mercia	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	3	1	2	14
West Midlands	2	1	1	0	3	2	5	3	1	4	3	7	9	18	10	4	73
West Yorkshire	3	3	1	3	0	2	2	2	2	3	3	4	6	10	8	6	58
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Change in definition in 2010/11 to include only cases subject to an independent investigation.

<sup>^</sup>This includes UKBF, UKIE and UKVI.

<sup>&</sup>quot; The Metropolitan Police are also under investigation for this fatality.

\*\*Expansion of IOPC investigative resource and capacity to carry out more independent investigations into serious and sensitive matters - this has a direct impact on the number of 'other contact deaths' that are reported.