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## **Statistical Notice**

Further breakdowns of proven re-offending of adult offenders in England and Wales released from custodial sentences of less than 12 months in 2012, by type of re-offence and month of re-offence

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## Background

This ad-hoc statistical notice presents further breakdowns of already published information on proven re-offending.

Further details on proven re-offending can be found in the *Proven Re-offending Statistics Quarterly Bulletin* which was last published on 29 January 2015 and covered the 12 months ending March 2015:

[www.gov.uk/government/collections/proven-reoffending-statistics](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/proven-reoffending-statistics)

Users should refer to the *Proven Re-offending Statistics Quarterly Bulletin* and accompanying *Definitions and Measurements* document (also available at the link above) for definitions of the terms used in this statistical notice, and for commentary to help interpret these results.

Table 1 in this statistical notice provides information on the number of adult offenders in England and Wales who were released from a short custodial (less than 12 months) in 2012 and went on to commit a proven re-offence, by type of re-offence and month of re-offence. A proven re-offence is defined as any offence committed in a 12 month follow-up period and resulting in a court conviction, caution, reprimand or warning in either the 12 month follow-up period or within a further six month waiting period (to allow time for the offence to be proven in court).



**Table 1: Re-offences by type of re-offence and month of re-offence for adult offenders released from custodial sentences of less than 12 months in 2012**

	<b>Re-offences</b>	Violence Against the Person	Sexual	Robbery	Theft	Criminal Damage and Arson	Drug	Possession of Weapons	Public Order	Misc. Crimes Against Society	Fraud	Summary Non-motoring	Summary Motoring	Other
<b>Months to re-offence</b>														
<b>Month 1</b>	<b>10,465</b>	601	23	64	4,599	54	420	129	701	720	127	2,698	328	1
<b>Month 2</b>	<b>8,360</b>	366	15	41	3,824	42	423	101	431	691	120	1,986	318	2
<b>Month 3</b>	<b>8,377</b>	385	26	64	3,737	30	429	98	443	686	105	2,039	334	1
<b>Month 4</b>	<b>7,389</b>	305	8	69	3,336	43	374	90	412	588	92	1,783	288	1
<b>Month 5</b>	<b>7,205</b>	267	20	35	3,255	32	419	85	387	605	75	1,649	375	1
<b>Month 6</b>	<b>7,119</b>	303	18	44	3,188	52	403	78	394	607	81	1,645	304	2
<b>Month 7</b>	<b>6,873</b>	296	9	57	3,151	55	377	84	371	523	63	1,573	312	2
<b>Month 8</b>	<b>6,317</b>	244	6	51	2,901	31	305	73	354	553	53	1,525	220	1
<b>Month 9</b>	<b>6,505</b>	243	18	37	2,985	36	319	85	340	535	84	1,568	255	0
<b>Month 10</b>	<b>5,790</b>	207	14	32	2,697	22	350	69	309	457	54	1,342	236	1
<b>Month 11</b>	<b>6,076</b>	215	15	40	2,930	27	319	67	309	462	72	1,374	242	4
<b>Month 12</b>	<b>5,458</b>	165	12	25	2,581	31	312	47	285	423	46	1,287	242	2
<b>Re-offences</b>	<b>85,934</b>	<b>3,597</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>559</b>	<b>39,184</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>4,450</b>	<b>1,006</b>	<b>4,736</b>	<b>6,850</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>20,469</b>	<b>3,454</b>	<b>18</b>

1. This table represents a further breakdown of statistics published in the *Proven Re-offending Statistics Quarterly Bulletin, 2012*, Table 19a



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