

1) The number of car practical tests conducted at Banbury driving test centre (DTC) between 1 June 2010 and 31 May 2011.

2) The number of car practical tests passed and failed at Banbury DTC between 1 June 2010 and 31 May 2011.

Information about the practical tests conducted (including pass and fail rates) can be found online at: <http://www.dft.gov.uk/publications/dsa-practical-driving-test-statistics-car/>
This information is therefore exempt under section 21 (information accessible by other means) of the Freedom of Information Act. A full breakdown of this exemption can be found at Annex B.

3) The top five reasons for failing a car practical test at Banbury DTC between 1 June 2010 and 31 May 2011; please rank in order and the number of serious or dangerous faults against each of the top five reasons.

The table below shows the top five reasons for candidates failing their car practical test at Banbury test centre between 1 June 2010 and 31 May 2011:

| | Serious faults recorded | Dangerous faults recorded | Total |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|-------|
| Junctions - observation | 411 | 70 | 481 |
| Mirrors - change direction | 238 | 19 | 257 |
| Move off - safely | 216 | 8 | 224 |
| Positioning - normal driving | 214 | 6 | 220 |
| Reverse park - control | 218 | 1 | 219 |

4) The percentage of people who took their test during the above time period at Banbury DTC passed first time.

Between 1 June 2010 and 31 May 2011, 3,315 candidates took their first attempt at Banbury test centre and 51.9% of candidates passed.

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