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## **Statistical Notice**

Further breakdowns of criminal histories of offenders sentenced in 12 months up to March 2013

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## **Background**

This ad-hoc statistical notice presents further breakdowns of already published information on criminal histories.

Further details on criminal histories can be found in the Criminal Justice Statistics Quarterly bulletin which was last published on 22 August 2013 and covered the twelve months ending March 2013:

[www.gov.uk/government/collections/criminal-justice-statistics-quarterly](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/criminal-justice-statistics-quarterly)

Tables 1 to 1c in this statistical notice provide breakdowns of the criminal histories of those offenders recorded on the Police National Computer as having been convicted or cautioned during the 12 months ending March 2013. The tables provide breakdowns for this group by the number of previous convictions, and the percentage with at least one previous sentence for either an immediate custodial sentence of 1 year or less, over 1 year, Community Sentence, Other Sentence and Caution. These are then further broken down by age of offender.

Tables 2 to 5 provide the same information but disaggregated by whether the offender recorded on the Police National Computer as having been convicted during the 12 months ending March 2013, received an immediate custodial sentence of 1 year or less, over 1 year, Community Sentence or Other Sentence.

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