



Our reference: **IA/00098/13**

1. Number of newly qualified ADIs (successfully completed the qualification process) per month from February 2012 - January 2013.

2. Registered numbers of ADI, Trainee licence Holders and total PDI details held for April 2012, July 2012, October 2012, Jan 2013.

You can find information about the number of approved driving instructors (ADIs) and potential driving instructors (PDIs) registered, between February 2012 and December 2012 on our website at

https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/118963/ins0101.xls. This information is therefore exempt under section 21 (information accessible by other means) of the FoIA. A copy of this exemption in full can be found attached at Annex A.

You also asked for this information for January 2013; this information is due to be published on 27 June and will be available on our website at the link above. This information is exempt from release under section 44 (1)(a) (prohibitions on disclosure) by virtue of the Pre-release Access to Official Statistics Order 2008 which limits access to official statistics until their date of publication. As this exemption is an absolute exemption we are not required to conduct a public interest test. A copy of this exemption in full can be found at Annex B.

3. Registered in past 2 years and not qualified (Pipeline) pre part 1, pre part 2 and pre part 3 for April 2012, July 2012, October 2012 & Jan 2013.

The register consists of live data and we cannot recreate the register as it once stood and run reports against it to identify applicants' stages of qualification. We therefore, do not hold information for the numbers registered in the past two years and not qualified pre-part 1, pre-part 2 and pre-part 3 for April, July & October 2012 and January 2013.

The table below shows the number of applicants who registered within the last two years and not qualified pre-part 1, pre-part 2 and pre-part 3 as of 13 February 2013.

Qualification stage	No. of applicants
Pre-part one	5,731
Pre-part two	2,035



4. Registered ADI Growth Numbers % 2012 – 2013.

5. Number of New Applicants (applied to start qualification process) in 2012 per quarter and number that were successful in gaining entry to the register.

You can find information about the number of ADIs and the number of new applicants that registered between January 2012 and December 2012 on our website at https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/118963/ins01_01.xls. From this information you can establish the ADI growth percentage. This information is therefore exempt under section 21 (information accessible by other means) of the FOIA. A copy of this exemption in full can be found attached at Annex A.

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6. Number for ORDIT registered trainers and organisations January 2012.

Our records show 553 trainers and 276 premises were ORDIT registered in January 2012.

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