

2011-12
2012-13
2013-14

Seizures ^{1,2}		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total	Q1	
A	CLASS	England	199	207	200	160	766	213	209	175	149	746	157
	Cocaine	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	6	6	13	-	5	27	9
		Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Total	201	210	203	162	776	220	222	178	156	776	166
	Crack	England	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-
		Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	9	-	
Diamorphine (Heroin)	England	41	18	26	32	117	42	30	44	48	164	42	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	41	18	26	32	117	44	32	44	51	171	44		
LSD	England	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-		
MDMA (Ecstasy)	England	-	-	-	-	11	12	93	30	54	189	108	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	-	-	11	12	93	30	54	189	108		
Morphine	England	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	-	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	-		
Other Class A Drug ²	England	41	61	37	66	205	79	248	290	309	926	487	
	Northern Ireland	-	6	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	42	67	38	67	214	80	249	292	310	931	488		
B	CLASS	England	15	8	14	12	49	16	38	37	26	117	31
	Amphetamines	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
		Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Total	16	8	14	12	50	17	41	39	26	123	31
	Cannabis Plants	England	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cannabis Resin	England	84	50	67	78	279	118	129	74	53	374	59	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	9	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	-	9	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	
Total	85	50	67	78	284	120	140	80	55	395	64		
Cannabis Herbal	England	315	261	387	284	1,247	359	674	445	542	2,020	603	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	8	-	17	13	21	13	15	52	17	
	Scotland	-	-	6	-	14	-	6	9	7	23	7	
	Wales	12	5	6	-	24	-	-	-	-	10	-	
Total	331	270	407	294	1,302	374	703	471	567	2,115	630		
Cannabis Total ³	England	405	312	454	363	1,534	476	792	510	596	2,373	647	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	9	8	18	14	26	16	15	71	20	
	Scotland	-	5	11	-	19	-	11	10	7	30	8	
	Wales	12	7	8	-	28	-	-	5	-	14	-	
Total	419	325	482	373	1,599	494	832	541	621	2,488	678		
Other Class B Drug ^{4,6}	England	46	36	11	27	120	25	35	48	80	188	82	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	14	8	-	-	26	7	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	47	37	13	27	124	39	43	48	84	214	90		
C	CLASS	England	23	27	33	50	133	59	55	69	100	283	102
	Anabolic Steroids	Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Total	23	31	33	50	137	60	55	69	100	284	103
	Ketamine	England	21	13	23	34	91	20	45	59	57	181	33
		Northern Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	21	14	23	34	92	20	45	59	57	183	33	
Other Class C Drug ^{5,6}	England	240	102	100	193	635	108	179	141	262	690	184	
	Northern Ireland	5	8	8	-	22	14	-	7	-	27	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	246	111	109	196	662	122	184	148	265	719	186		
Total Class A	England	275	286	264	260	1,085	342	576	541	558	2,017	795	
	Northern Ireland	-	8	-	-	12	9	18	6	9	42	13	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	278	296	269	263	1,106	353	594	548	570	2,065	809		
Total Class B	England	461	354	473	401	1,689	512	861	592	700	2,665	759	
	Northern Ireland	-	-	9	8	19	28	36	18	19	101	27	
	Scotland	5	-	10	-	20	-	11	10	7	30	8	
	Wales	12	7	9	-	29	-	-	5	-	14	-	
Total	479	366	501	411	1,757	544	911	625	730	2,810	798		
Total Class C	England	284	142	154	273	853	178	274	258	397	1,107	308	
	Northern Ireland	5	12	8	-	26	14	-	7	-	29	-	
	Scotland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Wales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	290	155	163	276	884	193	279	265	402	1,139	311		
Total Seizures	England	1,003	770	978	899	3,550	1,019	1,689	1,356	1,614	5,677	1,831	
	Northern Ireland	7	19	17	9	52	50	57	31	30	168	43	
	Scotland	5	5	12	-	25	-	11	10	11	35	9	
	Wales	15	9	11	-	38	-	-	6	-	18	-	
Total	1,030	803	918	914	3,665	1,075	1,761	1,403	1,659	5,898	1,887		

Counting Rules
The data has been compiled using the Home Office drug seizure counting rules, additionally data processing and quality assurance have been completed.

Single or multiple seizures

A **single seizure** is where only one drug is seized on a particular occasion (e.g. cocaine).

A **multiple seizure** is where two or more drug types (e.g. heroin and cocaine) are seized on a particular occasion. The occasion is counted once in the total number of seizures, but a seizure is counted against each individual drug type and drug class involved.

Example: A seizure is made of cocaine, cannabis resin and herbal cannabis. This seizure would be counted as:

- **Total seizures:** One seizure in the overall total for the number of seizures by that agency.

- **Drug type:** One seizure of cocaine; one seizure of cannabis resin; one seizure of herbal cannabis; one overall seizure of cannabis.

- **Drug class:** One seizure of class A and one seizure of class B.

Notes

- As a seizure can involve more than one drug, figures for individual drugs and drugs classes cannot be added together to produce totals
- Mephedrone is included with Other Class A and cannot be separately identified
- Cannabis total includes skunk, oil and liquid seizures not included in plant, resin and herbal figures
- Barbiturates, Mephedrone and other Cathinone based drugs are included with Other Class B and cannot be separately identified
- Benzodiazepines, Tramadol, GBL, 1,4-Butanediol, Oxycodone and BZP are included with Other Class C and are not separately identified
- The grouping of the drug types has been aligned with the Home Office's 'Seizures of drugs in England and Wales' statistical series.
- The variation in seizures between England and the other countries is due to the majority of the international transport hubs being located in England
- Figures for Q1 2013-14 may be revised in future quarterly releases due to more operational information becoming available and improved data quality assurance processes.

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