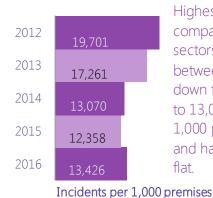
# CRIMES AGAINST BUSINESSES 2016 Commercial Victimisation Survey

## WHOLESALE & RETAIL



Highest crime rate compared to all other sectors, although this fell between 2012 and 2014 down from almost 20,000 to 13,000 incidents per 1,000 premises in 2014 and has since remained

Shoplifting accounts for 67% of all crime against the W&R sector





2012 (£237) 2016 (£500) £

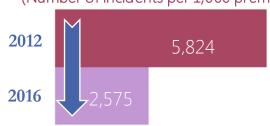
40% of businesses reported shoplifting to the police in 2016, no change from 2012



AVERAGE COST OF SHOPLIFTING PER VICTIM This increase is statistically significant

## TRANSPORTATION & STORAGE

Crime rate (Number of incidents per 1,000 premises)



This fall is statistically significant

Most common crime types: fraud, assaults and threats, and theft



The proportion of premises that experienced crime fe'll from 2012

This fall is statistically significant

#### **ADMINISTRATION & SUPPORT**

New sector for 2016

Crime rate







18% of premises experienced crime



#### **ONLINE CRIME**

Proportion of premises that experienced online crime:

Admin 18% Retail 16%











### Most common online crime types:

- Computer virus
- Hacking
- Website vandalism





For more information please visit the Crime against businesses statistics collection at: https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/ crime-against-businesses

