

Justice in Numbers - Summary Tables: 25 May 2024

The below tables summarise the latest information presented in Justice in Numbers as at **25 May 2024**.

Some measures are presented as an annual trend, with data reported at fixed intervals. In some of these cases, more recent intermediate quarterly figures are published which do not align with these annual periods. These are highlighted in the 'Latest published data point' column. The most recent and next publication dates are also listed for each measure. In cases where there is no next publication date listed, this is because a future publication date has not been announced.

For a full explanation of each measure, sources used and full time series please visit <https://data.justice.gov.uk/justice-in-numbers>

Headline measures

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| Crime figures from Crime Survey for England and Wales | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 8.7 million | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | | Dec 2023 | 25 April 2024 | |
| Police recorded crime in England and Wales | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 6.7 million | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 6.3 million | Dec 2023 | 25 April 2024 | |
| Estimated total cost of crime in England and Wales | 2015/16 | £58.9bn | | | | 23 July 2018 | |
| Prison population | 30-Jun-2023 | 85,851 | 30-Jun-2022 | 80,659 | 31 Mar 2024 | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Probation caseload | 31 Dec 2023 | 238,765 | 30 Sep 2023 | 238,163 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Proven reoffending rate | Apr - Jun 2022 | 25.8% | Jan - Mar 2022 | 25.5% | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Crown court disposals | Jan - Dec 2023 | 99,304 | Jan - Dec 2022 | 91,734 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Crown court outstanding | 31 Dec 2023 | 67,573 | 31 Dec 2022 | 62,628 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Magistrates' courts disposals | Jan - Dec 2023 | 1,338,015 | Jan - Dec 2022 | 1,266,305 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Civil courts - total judgments | Jan - Dec 2023 | 1,058,140 | Jan - Dec 2022 | 901,278 | | 7 March 2024 | 6 June 2024 9:30am |
| Family court - total cases disposed | Jan - Dec 2023 | | Jan - Dec 2022 | 204,295 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Tribunals disposals - overall | Apr 2022 - Mar 2023 | 298,219 | Apr 2021 - Mar 2022 | | | 14 March 2024 | 13 June 2024 9:30am |

Public protection

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| Prison first receptions (quarterly) | Oct-Dec 2023 | 17,242 | Jul-Sep 2023 | 19,028 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Prison population | 30-Jun-2023 | 85,851 | 30-Jun-2022 | 80,659 | 31 Mar 2024 | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |

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| Prison releases (quarterly) | Oct - Dec 2023 | 11,931 | Jul - Sep 2023 | 12,351 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Individuals released on temporary licence | Oct - Dec 2023 | 4,508 | Jul - Sep 2023 | 4,520 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Prison operational capacity | Jun 2023 | 86,859 | Jun 2022 | 82,759 | 31 Dec 2023 | 12 January 2024 | |
| Prison staff in post (bands 3-5) | March 2024 | 23,614 | March 2023 | 22,218 | | 16 May 2024 | 15 August 2024 9:30am |
| Crowding | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 22.9% | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 20.6% | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Prisoner on prisoner assaults per 1,000 prisoners | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 185 | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 163 | Dec 2023 | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Assaults on staff per 1,000 prisoners | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 92 | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 97 | Dec 2023 | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Self-harm incidents per 1,000 prisoners | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 733 | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 684 | Dec 2023 | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Self inflicted deaths | Apr 2023 to Mar 2024 | 85 | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 85 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Random mandatory drug testing (traditional drugs) | Apr 2019 to Mar 2020 | 10.5 % | Apr 2018 to Mar 2019 | 10.4 % | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Barricades or prevention of access | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 1,372 | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 1,273 | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Escapes from prison establishments and escorts | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 8 | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 12 | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Absconds | Apr 2022 to Mar 2023 | 63 | Apr 2021 to Mar 2022 | 95 | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Electronic monitoring caseload | 31 March 2024 | 20,084 | 31 March 2023 | 17,350 | | 25 April 2024 | |
| Probation caseload | 31 Dec 2023 | 238,765 | 30 Sep 2023 | 238,163 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Staff in post (Probation Service) | March 2024 | 20,412 | March 2023 | 19,740 | | 16 May 2024 | 15 August 2024 9:30am |
| Serious further offence convictions | Apr 2021 - Mar 2022 | 288 | Apr 2020 - Mar 2021 | 268 | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |

Reduce reoffending

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| Proven reoffending rate | Apr - Jun 2022 | 25.8% | Jan - Mar 2022 | 25.5% | | 25 April 2024 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Housed on release from custody (SL014) | Jan-Mar 2023 | 83.3% | Oct-Dec 2022 | 81.5% | | 27 July 2023 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Settled accommodation at 3 months post release from custody (SL015a) | Jan-Mar 2023 | 72.7% | Oct-Dec 2022 | 72.5% | | 27 July 2023 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Settled accommodation at 3 months post community (SL015b) | Jan-Mar 2023 | 82.0% | Oct-Dec 2022 | 80.1% | | 27 July 2023 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Employed at 6 weeks post release from custody (SL016) | Jan-Mar 2023 | 16.4% | Oct-Dec 2022 | 16.3% | | 27 July 2023 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Employed at 6 months post release from custody (SL017a) | Jan-Mar 2023 | 26.4% | Oct-Dec 2022 | 24.5% | | 27 July 2023 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |

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| Employed at 6 months post community disposal (SL017b) | Jan-Mar 2023 | 41.8% | Oct-Dec 2022 | 42.2% | | 27 July 2023 | 25 July 2024 9:30am |
| Random mandatory drug testing (traditional drugs) | Apr 2019 to Mar 2020 | 10.5 % | Apr 2018 to Mar 2019 | 10.4 % | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Random mandatory drug testing - new psychoactive substances only | Apr 2019 to Mar 2020 | 4.3 % | Apr 2018 to Mar 2019 | 9.0 % | | 15 February 2024 | |
| Prisoners completing treatment free from dependence | Apr 2022 - Mar 2023 | 35.5% | Apr 2021 - Mar 2022 | 32.3% | | 25 January 2024 | |

Access to justice

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| Crown courts cracked trials | Jan - Dec 2023 | 31% | Jan - Dec 2022 | 26% | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Crown courts ineffective trials | Jan - Dec 2023 | 27% | Jan - Dec 2022 | 37% | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Magistrates' courts disposals | Jan - Dec 2023 | 1,338,015 | Jan - Dec 2022 | 1,266,305 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Employment tribunal disposals - single claims | Apr 2022 Mar 2023 | 32,273 | 2021/22 | | | 14 March 2024 | 13 June 2024 9:30am |
| Employment tribunal disposals - multiple claims | Apr 2022 Mar 2023 | 39,501 | 2021/22 | | | 14 March 2024 | 13 June 2024 9:30am |
| Mean days from receipt at Crown Court to completion | Q4 (Oct-Dec) 2023 | 240 | Q3 (Jul-Sep) 2023 | 241 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
| Number of receipts of adult rape cases at the Crown Court | Q4 (Oct-Dec) 2023 | 662 | Q3 (Jul-Sep) 2023 | 667 | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |
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| Legal aid - overall annual expenditure (£m) | Apr 2022 - Mar 2023 | 1,841 (£m) | Apr 2021 - Mar 2022 | 1,659 (£m) | | 28 March 2024 | 27 June 2024 9:30am |