

Justice in Numbers - Summary Tables: 20 December 2024

The below tables summarise the latest information presented in Justice in Numbers as at **20 December 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

Description	Latest trend period	Latest trend value	Previous trend period	Previous trend value	Latest published data point	Last published	Next published
Crime figures from Crime Survey for England and Wales	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	8.8 million	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	8.7 million	Jun 2024	24 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Police recorded crime in England and Wales	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	6.7 million	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	6.7 million	Jun 2024	24 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Estimated total cost of crime in England and Wales	2015/16	£58.9bn				23 July 2018	
Prison population	30-Jun-2024	87,726	30-Jun-2023	85,851		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Probation caseload	30 Jun 2024	238,646	31 Mar 2024	238,993		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Proven reoffending rate	Oct - Dec 2022	26.4%	Jul - Sep 2022	26.5%		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Crown court disposals	Jan - Dec 2023	102,021	Jan - Dec 2022	90,066	Sep 2024	12 December 2024	
Crown court outstanding	31 Dec 2023	67,284	31 Dec 2022	62,637	Sep 2024	12 December 2024	
Magistrates' courts disposals	Jan - Dec 2023	1,361,167	Jan - Dec 2022	1,287,174	Sep 2024	12 December 2024	
Civil courts - total judgments	Jan - Dec 2023	1,058,964	Jan - Dec 2022	901,278	Sep 2024	5 December 2024	6 March 2025 9:30am
Family court - total cases disposed	Jan - Dec 2023		Jan - Dec 2022	203,661		26 September 2024	19 December 2024 9:30am
Tribunals disposals - overall	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	345,553	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	297,021		12 December 2024	

Public protection

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Prison first receptions (quarterly)	Apr - Jun 2024	18,478	Jan-Mar 2024	18,344		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Prison population	30-Jun-2024	87,726	30-Jun-2023	85,851		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am

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Prison releases (quarterly)	Apr - Jun 2024	13,338	Jan - Mar 2024	13,289		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Individuals released on temporary licence	Apr - Jun 2024	4,512	Jan-Mar 2024	4,489		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Prison operational capacity	Jun 2024	88,818	Jun 2023	86,859		25 July 2024	
Prison staff in post (bands 3-5)	March 2024	23,614	March 2023	22,218	30-Sep-2024	21 November 2024	20 February 2025 9:30am
Crowding	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	23.6%	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	22.9%		25 July 2024	
Prisoner on prisoner assaults per 1,000 prisoners	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	217	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	185	Jun 2024	31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Assaults on staff per 1,000 prisoners	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	114	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	92	Jun 2024	31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Self-harm incidents per 1,000 prisoners	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	852	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	733	Jun 2024	31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Self inflicted deaths	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	85	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	85	Jun 2024	31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Random mandatory drug testing (traditional drugs)	Apr 2019 to Mar 2020	10.5 %	Apr 2018 to Mar 2019	10.4 %		25 July 2024	
Barricades or prevention of access	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	1,827	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	1,371		25 July 2024	
Escapes from prison establishments and escorts	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	9	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	8		25 July 2024	
Abconds	Apr 2023 to Mar 2024	58	Apr 2022 to Mar 2023	63		25 July 2024	
Electronic monitoring caseload	31 March 2024	20,084	31 March 2023	17,350	Jun 2024	18 July 2024	
Probation caseload	30 Jun 2024	238,646	31 Mar 2024	238,993		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Staff in post (Probation Service)	March 2024	20,412	March 2023	19,740	30-Sep-2024	21 November 2024	20 February 2025 9:30am
Serious further offence convictions	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	287	Apr 2021 - Mar 2022	296		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am

Reduce reoffending

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Proven reoffending rate	Oct - Dec 2022	26.4%	Jul - Sep 2022	26.5%		31 October 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am
Housed on release from custody (MI014)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	85.7%	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	86.3%		25 July 2024	
Settled accommodation at 3 months post release from custody (MI015a)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	73.5%	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	75.6%		25 July 2024	

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Settled accommodation at 3 months post community disposal (MI015b)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	85.2%	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	85.1%		25 July 2024	
Employed at 6 weeks post release from custody (MI016)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	19.3%	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	17.4%		25 July 2024	
Employed at 6 months post release from custody (MI017A)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	31.1%	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	25.9%		25 July 2024	
Employed at 6 months post community disposal (MI017B)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	46.4%	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	44.5%		25 July 2024	
Random mandatory drug testing (traditional drugs)	Apr 2019 to Mar 2020	10.5 %	Apr 2018 to Mar 2019	10.4 %		25 July 2024	
Random mandatory drug testing - new psychoactive substances only	Apr 2019 to Mar 2020	4.3 %	Apr 2018 to Mar 2019	9.0 %		25 July 2024	
Prisoners completing treatment free from dependence	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	35.5%	Apr 2021 - Mar 2022	32.3%		25 January 2024	30 January 2025 9:30am

Access to justice

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Crown courts cracked trials	Jan - Dec 2023	30%	Jan - Dec 2022	26%	Sep 2024	12 December 2024	
Crown courts ineffective trials	Jan - Dec 2023	27%	Jan - Dec 2022	36%	Sep 2024	12 December 2024	
Magistrates' courts disposals	Jan - Dec 2023	1,361,167	Jan - Dec 2022	1,287,174	Sep 2024	12 December 2024	
Employment tribunal disposals - single claims	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	30,441	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	32,262		12 December 2024	
Employment tribunal disposals - multiple claims	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	72,182	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	38,314		12 December 2024	
Number of receipts of adult rape cases at the Crown Court	Q3 (Jul-Sep) 2024	802	Q2 (Apr-Jun) 2024	747		12 December 2024	
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Legal aid - overall annual expenditure (£m)	Apr 2023 - Mar 2024	2,134 (£m)	Apr 2022 - Mar 2023	1,845 (£m)		26 September 2024	19 December 2024 9:30am