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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/23/011684/U

I write in connection with your request for information dated 17/11/2023, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

***Please could you share the number of shoplifting or incidents of theft from a commercial or retail premises that you have been reported to you. We would like the data for this from January 2022- 1st November 2023.
Please could this be split by month***

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information and I can confirm the information requested is held by GMP.

Caveats:

In July 2019, GMP implemented one of the largest IT infrastructure changes in UK policing. The systems are in continual development and the data provided for this request is what the systems currently hold.

- This data contains crimes with a created date between 1st January 2022 and 1st November 2023, where the HO 5 digit code is 046/00 (theft from shops and stalls), excluding cancelled crimes. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules.

Month- Year	Count of Crimes
Jan-22	1229
Feb-22	1298
Mar-22	1397

Apr-22	1364
May-22	1583
Jun-22	1402
Jul-22	1214
Aug-22	1410
Sep-22	1397
Oct-22	1322
Nov-22	1214
Dec-22	1035
Jan-23	1424
Feb-23	1537
Mar-23	1597
Apr-23	1410
May-23	1541
Jun-23	1371
Jul-23	1579
Aug-23	1627
Sep-23	1528
Oct-23	1831
Nov-23	46