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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/24/012323/X

I write in connection with your request for information dated 16/03/24, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Crime data by crime categories broken down by local authority district for data prior to 2003

Please provide the furthest back you can retrieve data

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.

Crime data:

- This data contains crimes with a created date prior to 2003, excluding cancelled crimes (further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office counting rules).
- The earliest crime recorded on the system was 4th January 1994.
- The crime tree level 4 has been provided to answer the requester's question on the type of crime recorded.

Crime Tree Level 4	Bolton	Bury	City of Manchester Central	City of Manchester South	City of Manchester Historic	Oldham	Rochdale	Salford	Stockport	Tameside	Trafford	Wigan	Manchester Airport	Unknown
All other theft offences	11965	6611	0	0	28719	8374	8080	8361	8385	6758	8264	9196	2321	1
Bicycle theft	1106	923	0	0	2225	830	798	908	1382	667	1283	1272	24	0
Burglary in a building other than a dwelling	24718	15010	0	0	47260	22368	19744	33860	35060	21093	23388	26243	220	0
Burglary in a dwelling	23306	13041	0	0	51576	17191	18358	21469	19698	15411	14611	16168	8	0
Business and community burglary	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	3
Criminal damage and arson offences	48948	31276	1	0	121028	46721	42475	63628	48154	42800	35402	52559	826	4
Death or serious injury caused by unlawful driving	25	11	0	0	31	13	15	21	12	12	10	17	0	0
Fraud	5954	2490	0	0	12948	3609	2819	2774	5187	4026	3835	2665	371	0
Homicide	47	16	0	0	157	39	32	33	27	270	26	29	1	0
Miscellaneous crimes against society	4366	1545	0	0	10101	2967	2557	3495	3346	2202	2690	3145	357	0
Other sexual offences	2050	1238	1	1	4689	1548	1333	1505	1572	1399	1125	1520	32	3
Possession of drugs	2461	858	0	0	6586	1649	1677	1316	2092	1111	1391	1835	83	0
Possession of weapon offences	724	377	0	0	3511	700	651	757	679	584	616	600	65	0

Public order offences	2627	1458	0	0	10279	4202	3429	3218	2655	1984	2672	3089	156	1
Rape	410	284	2	2	1601	400	351	425	375	341	304	436	2	0
Residential burglary	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1
Robbery (type unknown)	1157	769	0	0	13414	956	819	2518	1841	1104	2481	647	13	0
Robbery of business property	368	406	0	0	2307	348	412	1138	587	436	640	396	3	1
Robbery of personal property	2182	1465	0	0	18540	1880	1771	3189	2641	1945	3192	1012	7	0
Shoplifting	15313	6950	0	0	34437	9515	8853	7425	14932	9486	11172	9808	822	5
Stalking and harassment	419	203	0	0	1005	306	225	346	406	308	376	518	5	0
Theft from the person	1556	921	0	0	8990	1015	907	2136	1219	1030	1241	734	45	0
Trafficking of drugs	1347	572	0	0	3274	761	843	636	594	533	502	1226	210	0
Vehicle offences	21108	13567	0	0	48854	16216	15377	22501	19429	14539	16593	18158	621	4
Violence with injury	14979	8841	1	3	40777	14478	11031	12827	12491	12255	10982	13326	128	3
Violence without injury	4837	3655	0	0	16046	4405	4037	4889	5431	4750	4630	6519	134	1
Total	191973	112488	5	7	488355	160495	146595	199376	188195	145044	147426	171121	6454	27