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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/015753/A

I write in connection with your request for information dated 30/10/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Could you please provide information on your performance in tackling speeding in terms of fines issued/prosecutions or any actual type of penalty (ie ignoring speedwatch's 'stiff letters' and other trivialising responses)

I would like this broken down by speed limit penalty category (20mph, 30mph, 40 mph, etc) and ideally by each month since January 2018. However if the monthly breakdown is too time-consuming for an FoI then by year would be fine.

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 some of the information requested is held by GMP.

Caveats.

- We do not issue “fines”, therefore the data provided are for Fixed Penalty Notices processed by the Central Ticket Office for GMP.
- The national processing system weeds off offence data after 5 years so we have provided data from 2020 onwards.

Please see the attached sheet.

2020				2021			2022		
Speed Limit Category	Fixed Penalty	Prosecuted	Driver Awareness Course	Fixed Penalty	Prosecuted	Driver Awareness Course	Fixed Penalty	Prosecuted	Driver Awareness Course
20 MPH	5	2	6	1	3	0	1	0	3
30 MPH	13605	3629	22721	14162	4816	26534	15373	6385	30640
40 MPH	2180	563	2972	4760	1261	5686	4419	1320	5953
50 MPH	17902	6540	23016	6126	2884	10948	4555	2013	7964
60 MPH	20	2	14	14	4	9	25	6	29
70 MPH	762	871	731	608	756	727	343	915	355
Motorway Variable Speed	3764	926	8564	5097	1675	13240	9340	3061	21552

2023				2024			2025		
Speed Limit Category	Fixed Penalty	Prosecuted	Driver Awareness Course	Fixed Penalty	Prosecuted	Driver Awareness Course	Fixed Penalty	Prosecuted	Driver Awareness Course
20 MPH	1	2	1	8	3	8	11	7	6
30 MPH	17502	9328	35286	25838	9315	50844	18116	5649	28134
40 MPH	4647	1816	6245	3829	1066	5485	2131	500	2509
50 MPH	1335	995	2457	2894	1229	5319	1626	769	2480
60 MPH	45	24	61	58	18	121	66	10	49
70 MPH	772	1158	976	2444	1123	3164	1025	462	798
Motorway Variable Speed	12125	5271	27781	13854	3762	36789	7671	2035	16958