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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/014803/P

I write in connection with your request for information dated 21/05/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I would like to request the number of rapes reported in the Oldham district in the following calendar years. Please can the data include a total for each year and the numbers for individual months. I would also like this data to show the number of rapes in each area ward per calendar year (Though if this is not possible for anonymity reasons, please comply with the rest of the request)

Calendar years:

2023

2024

What has been of 2025

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.

- The crime grand total is the volume of crimes of Rape (See HO Codes tab) for the period 01/01/2023-21/05/2025.
- Where possible duplicates have been removed.
- The data is based on the date the crime was created and not when the crime was committed.
- Data has been displayed by month for the District as a whole & by calendar year for Wards as requested.

Due to some low results, some data has been replaced with X, as by providing all this information split by each area's totals would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s)

concerned, and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By replacing the data this way, it can be provided in its entirety.

Rape Crimes	Volume
Jan-23	39
Feb-23	35
Mar-23	37
Apr-23	31
May-23	35
Jun-23	43
Jul-23	43
Aug-23	39
Sep-23	36
Oct-23	27
Nov-23	32
Dec-23	40

Rape Crimes	Volume
Jan-24	46
Feb-24	33
Mar-24	35
Apr-24	40
May-24	37
Jun-24	23
Jul-24	46
Aug-24	43
Sep-24	31
Oct-24	34
Nov-24	40
Dec-24	28

Rape Crimes	Volume
Jan-24	37
Feb-24	30
Mar-24	50
Apr-24	38
May-24	29

2023 Total	437
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2024 Total	436
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2025 YTD	184
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Rape Crimes	2023	2024	2025
Alexandra	59	60	12
Chadderton Central	9	12	6
Chadderton North	11	6	X
Chadderton South	24	X	6
Coldhurst	39	25	15
Crompton	X	13	X
Failsworth East	12	14	6
Failsworth West	10	15	9
Hollinwood	30	20	X
Medlock Vale	29	18	32
Oldham Town Centre	37	76	10
Royton North	12	11	6
Royton South	18	12	X
Saddleworth North	X	8	X
Saddleworth South	7	8	X
Saddleworth West & Lees	12	14	X
St James	14	12	8
St Marys	20	17	19
Shaw	48	50	X
Waterhead	26	18	10
Werneth	12	22	16