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Our ref: 01/FOI/26/017407/O

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/017407/O

I write in connection with your request for information dated 07/08/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request the following information regarding domestic abuse incidents recorded by your force.

For each of the following dates, please provide the number of domestic abuse related incidents and/or crimes recorded by your force:

- *The date of each England men's FIFA World Cup 2026 match.*
 - 17 June 2026
 - 23 June 2026
 - 27 June 2026
 - 1 July 2026
 - 6 July 2026
 - 11 July 2026
 - 15 July 2026
 - 18 July 2026
- *The day immediately following each England men's FIFA World Cup 2026 match.*
 - 18 June 2026
 - 24 June 2026
 - 28 June 2026
 - 2 July 2026
 - 7 July 2026
 - 12 July 2026
 - 16 July 2026
 - 19 July 202

For each date, please provide:

1. *The total number of domestic abuse incidents recorded.*
2. *The total number of arrests relating to domestic abuse incidents.*

3. The corresponding figures for the same weekday during the four weeks immediately preceding each match, listed separately.

If available within cost limits, please also provide:

4. An hourly breakdown of domestic abuse incidents recorded on England match days.

If it is not possible to provide all the information requested, please provide any information that falls within the cost limit and advise which elements have been omitted.

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information you have requested is held by Greater Manchester Police.

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 data is based on the 'Crime Recorded' date and time and not when the incident occurred.
- The dates considered are as per the request and are labelled in all the tables.
- The data provided for this request is subject to change as crimes are progressed and/or updated.
- Duplicate Records have been removed.

Data

Parts 1 & 2

Date (England Game)	DA Crime Count	DA Arrests
17/06/2026	57	27
23/06/2026	71	49
27/06/2026	83	47
01/07/2026	61	44
06/07/2026	71	50
11/07/2027	77	51
15/07/2026	68	47
18/07/2026	53	45

Date	DA Crime Count	DA Arrests
18/06/2026	53	42
24/06/2026	79	40
28/06/2026	87	58
02/07/2026	62	44
07/07/2026	64	48
12/07/2027	87	47
16/07/2026	77	50
19/07/2026	53	37

Part 3

Date	DA Crime Count
20/05/2026	66
26/05/2026	85
30/05/2026	76
03/06/2026	71
08/06/2026	58
13/06/2027	63
17/06/2026	48
20/06/2026	60

Date	DA Crime Count
27/05/2026	82
02/06/2026	76
06/06/2026	83
10/06/2026	63
15/06/2026	68
20/06/2027	60
24/06/2026	79
27/06/2026	83

Date	DA Crime Count
03/06/2026	71
09/06/2026	56
13/06/2026	63
17/06/2026	48
22/06/2026	54
27/06/2027	83
01/07/2026	61

04/07/2026	61
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Date	DA Crime Count
10/06/2026	63
16/06/2026	71
20/06/2026	60
24/06/2026	79
29/06/2026	74
04/07/2027	61
08/07/2026	72
11/07/2026	77

Part 4

The information is exempted from disclosure under **Section 40(2) Personal Information** – this information constitutes personal data of an identifiable living individual, and to disclose this information would breach the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018. Personal data is defined by Section 1 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and means data that relates to an individual who can be identified directly or indirectly from that data.