

Request Reference: 895A/20

Q1. Please tell me the number of people aged 70 or older who were arrested in each of the last six CALENDAR years: a) 2015 b) 2016 c) 2017 d) 2018 e) 2019 f) 2020 to date

TABLE 1 - Count of persons arrested where age of arrestee was 70 or over, by Year:

Year	Total
2015	180
2016	155
2017	137
2018	141
2019	148
2020	109
Grand Total	870

Data correct as at 16 October 2020

Q2. For each year, please provide a breakdown of each arrest, detailing:

a) the sex of the suspect

TABLE 2 - Count of persons arrested where age of arrestee was 70 or over, by Year and Gender:

Year	Arrestee Gender			Grand Total
	Female	Male	Unknown	
2015	16	164		180
2016	17	137	1	155
2017	17	120		137
2018	10	131		141
2019	15	133		148
2020	11	97	1	109
Grand Total	86	782	2	870

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b) the age of the suspect

TABLE 3 - Count of persons arrested where age of arrestee was 70 or over, by Year and Age:

Year	Arrestee Age					Grand Total
	70-74	75-79	80-84	85-89	90-94	
2015	104	56	13	6	1	180
2016	104	39	7	4	1	155
2017	83	36	14	3	1	137
2018	89	35	12	5	0	141
2019	95	35	16	2	0	148
2020	59	43	5	2	0	109
Grand Total	534	244	67	22	3	870

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c) the offence for which the suspect was arrested.

TABLE 4 - Count of offences where age of arrestee was 70 or over, by Year and Offence:

Offence Title	Year						Grand Total
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
18 or over attempt to cause / incite a girl 13 to 15 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration.				1		1	2
Abduct unmarried girl under sixteen years of age.			1				1
Acquire / use / possess criminal property.		1					1
Act of outraging public decency - common law.	1		1	1	1		4
Adult attempt to engage in sexual communication with a child.						1	1
Adult attempt to meet a girl under 16 years of age following grooming.						1	1
Adult meet a boy under 16 years of age following grooming.		1					1
Adult meet a girl under 16 years of age following grooming.		1					1
Adult sexual activity with a female child family member 13 to 17 - penetration.	1			1			2
Adult sexual activity with a female child family member under 13 - penetration.					1		1
Affray.	5	2	4	1	1		13
Air weapon - possession with intent to cause fear of violence.						1	1
Arrange / facilitate the commission of a child sex offence - SOA 2003.			1	1			2
Arson with intent / reckless as to whether life was endangered.	1						1
Arson with intent to endanger life.						1	1
Arson.		1					1
Assault / ill-treat / neglect / abandon a child / young person to cause unnecessary suffering / injury.	2	3			1		6
Assault a boy under 13 by touching - SOA 2003.	2	1	2		1		6
Assault a boy under 13 years of age by penetration with a part of your body / a thing.	1						1
Assault a constable in the execution of his / her duty.	2	1	1	1			5
Assault a female 13 and over by penetration with part of body / a thing - SOA 2003.		1		1			2
Assault a girl under 13 by penetration with a part of your body / a thing - SOA 2003.	3	1		2	3		9
Assault a girl under 13 by touching - SOA 2003.	6	4	3	4	5	1	23
Assault a person thereby occasioning them actual bodily harm.	31	27	23	19	19	19	138
Assault by beating of an Emergency Worker					1		1
Assault by beating.	12	10	8	9	7	7	53

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Assault designated / accredited person - Police Reform Act 2002.			1				1
Attempt murder - victim aged 1 year or over.	3				1	1	5
Attempt to cause / incite a female child aged under 13 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration.				1	2	1	4
Attempt to cause / incite a female child under 13 to engage in sexual activity - offender 18 or over - penetration.				1			1
Attempt to cause / incite a girl 13 to 15 to engage in sexual activity - offender 18 or over - penetration.				1			1
Attempt to cause grievous bodily harm with intent to do grievous bodily harm.					1	1	2
Attempt to drive vehicle whilst unfit through drink.		1					1
Attempt to pay for the sexual services of a girl 13 to 15 - no penetration.				1			1
Attempt to rape a girl aged 13 / 14 / 15 years of age - SOA 2003.					1		1
Attempt to sexually assault a boy under 13 by touching.			1				1
Attempt to sexually assault a girl under 13 by touching.				1	1		2
Attempt to wound / cause grievous bodily harm without intent.		1					1
Attempting to pervert the course of public justice				1			1
Bind over - commit breach of the peace.	4		2	1	2		9
Blackmail.				3		2	5
Breach a criminal behaviour order.				9	7		16
Breach a non-molestation order - Family Law Act 1996.			2	2	1	4	9
Breach of a community punishment order						1	1
Breach of a sex offenders order / interim order under the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 - SOA 2003.					1		1
Breach of sex offender order.			1				1
Breach SHPO / interim SHPO / SOPO / interim SOPO / foreign travel order.			2		4		6
Breaching risk of sexual harm order - SOA 2003.					1		1
Burglary dwelling - theft / attempt theft with violence.		1					1
Burglary dwelling - with intent to steal.	1	1					2
Burglary dwelling and theft - no violence.	1						1
Burglary other than dwelling - theft.		1					1
Burglary other than dwelling with intent to steal.		1					1
Cause / incite a girl 13 to 15 to engage in sexual activity - offender 18 or over - penetration.					1		1
Cause / incite a girl under 13 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration.	2	1			2		5

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Cause / incite sexual activity with a mentally disordered female - no penetration - SOA 2003.					1		1
Cause / incite the sexual exploitation of a child aged 13 - 17 - SOA 2003.				1			1
Cause / incite the sexual exploitation of a child under 13 - SOA 2003.		1					1
Cause a female 13 or over to engage in a non penetrative sexual activity - SOA 2003.			1				1
Cause unnecessary suffering to a protected animal - Animal Welfare Act 2006.				1			1
Cause wasteful employment of police.		1					1
Commit act outraging public decency	1						1
Common Assault of an Emergency Worker					1		1
Common assault of an emergency worker.						2	2
Common assault.	14	18	6	10	13	9	70
Conceal / disguise / convert / transfer / remove criminal property.			1				1
Concerned in the fraudulent evasion of a prohibition on the importation of a class A drug.				1			1
Conspire to commit fraud by false representation - Fraud Act 2006.	1						1
Conspire to import khat with intent to evade a prohibition / restriction.	1						1
Conspire to possess a firearm without a certificate.						1	1
Criminal damage to property valued under Â£5000 - offender under 16 - PILOT FORCES ONLY.						1	1
Criminal damage to property valued under Â£5000.	7	5	7	1	4	5	29
Cultivate cannabis plant.					2		2
Detain a child so as to keep him / her from a person having lawful control.		1					1
Distribute an indecent photograph / pseudo-photograph of a child.		1		3	1		5
Drive a mechanically propelled vehicle on a road / in a public place without due care and attention.	1		1				2
Drive a motor vehicle otherwise than in accordance with a licence - endorsable offence.	3	3		1	1	1	9
Drive motor vehicle fail comply with red / green arrow / lane closure flashing light signals - manual detection.		1					1
Drive motor vehicle when alcohol level above limit.	32	22	15	21	22	10	122
Drive whilst disqualified.			2		1		3
Drive whilst unfit through drink.	3	5	6	7	1	2	24
Driver of a vehicle fail to stop after a road accident.		1	1				2
Drunk and disorderly in a public place.	2		1		1	2	6
Engage in controlling / coercive behaviour in an intimate / family relationship.				2		1	3

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Engage in sexual activity in presence of a child under 13 - offender 18 or over.	1		1				2
Engage in sexual communication with a child.			1		1		2
Enter aircraft when drunk / be drunk in aircraft.					1		1
Enter United Kingdom lawfully without leave but remain beyond time limit.		1		1			2
Enter United Kingdom without leave - immigration.			1			1	2
Exposure - SOA 2003.	2		2	3		1	8
Fail to answer to court / police bail as soon as practicable.	4	2	1	3	1		11
Fail to provide specimen - person in charge of vehicle.						1	1
Fail to provide specimen for analysis - vehicle driver.	1	4		4	6	2	17
Fail to provide specimen of breath - roadside breath-test.	1		1		1		3
Fail to stop a mechanically propelled vehicle when required by constable / traffic warden.					1		1
Fail to surrender to police/court bail at the appointed time - Bail Act 1976	4	2	2	3	1		12
Fraud by abuse of position - Fraud Act 2006.	2						2
Fraud by false representation - Fraud Act 2006.	1	1					2
Gross indecency with a boy under the age of fourteen years of age.			1				1
Gross indecency with a girl under fourteen years of age.				2			2
Harassment - breach of a restraining order after acquittal.		1		2			3
Harassment - breach of a restraining order on conviction.		1	1	1	8	2	13
Harassment - put in fear of violence.	1	1	2	3		2	9
Harassment without violence.	5	5	3	5	5	7	30
Hold person in slavery or servitude.					1		1
Immigration - enter / remain in UK beyond time limit.	1	1	2				4
In charge of motor vehicle - alcohol level above limit.	1	2		2		1	6
In charge of vehicle whilst unfit through drink.		1	1				2
Incite a boy under fourteen years of age to commit an act of gross indecency.	1						1
Indecent assault on a girl under the age of 14 years.	3	2		1			6
Indecent assault on boy under the age of 14 years.	3						3
Indecent assault on boy under the age of 16 years.	3						3
Indecent assault on man aged 16 or over.	1						1
Indecent assault on woman over 16 years of age.	1	1					2

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Indecent exposure with intent to insult a female.			1				1
Individual fail to comply with a community protection notice.						1	1
Intimidate a witness / juror.	1	1		1	1	1	5
Intimidate witness in civil proceedings.		1					1
Keep / manage a brothel used for prostitution.					1		1
Knowingly concerned in the fraudulent evasion of income tax by self / another.	1						1
Make / possess / control apparatus / article / material designed / adapted for making false identity documents.						1	1
Make indecent photograph / pseudo-photograph of a child.	2	7	5	6	6	1	27
Make off without making payment.	1						1
Money laundering - possess proceeds of criminal conduct.				1			1
Money laundering - transfer the proceeds of another.	1						1
Murder - victim one year of age or older.			1	1		1	3
Obstruct / resist a constable in execution of duty.			1		5		6
Offender 18 or over attempt to cause a child under 13 to watch / look at an image of sexual activity.				1		1	2
Offender 18 or over cause / incite a boy 13 to 15 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration - SOA 2003.			1				1
Offender 18 or over cause / incite a girl 13 to 15 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration - SOA 2003.				1	1	1	3
Offender 18 or over cause / incite a girl under 13 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration - SOA 2003.			1	1			2
Offender 18 or over cause a child under 13 to watch / look at an image of sexual activity - SOA 2003.		1					1
Offender 18 or over engage in non penetrative sexual activity with boy 13 to 15 - SOA 2003.		1	1				2
Offender 18 or over engage in non penetrative sexual activity with girl 13 to 15 - SOA 2003.					2		2
Offender 18 or over engage in non penetrative sexual activity with girl under 13 - SOA 2003.		1				2	3
Offender of any age cause / incite a boy under 13 to engage in sexual activity - no penetration - SOA 2003.			1				1
Offender of any age cause / incite a boy under 13 to engage in sexual activity - penetration - SOA 2003.				1			1
Offender of any age cause / incite a girl under 13 to engage in sexual activity - penetration.					1		1

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Offender under 18 cause a child under 13 to watch a sexual act - SOA 2003.		1					1
Offender under 18 incite sexual activity with a family member - victim girl 13 to 17 - no penetration - SOA 2003.				1			1
Paying for the sexual services of a girl under 13 - no penetration - SOA 2003.				1			1
Paying for the sexual services of a girl under 13 - penetration - SOA 2003.				1			1
Permit production / attempted production on premises of a controlled drug of Class B - cannabis.					1		1
Permit use of premises as a brothel.					1		1
Possess / control article for use in fraud - Fraud Act 2006.	1					1	2
Possess / control identity documents with intent.						2	2
Possess a controlled drug of Class A - Cocaine.					1		1
Possess a controlled drug of Class A - Crack Cocaine.		1				1	2
Possess a controlled drug of Class B - Cannabis / Cannabis Resin.	1		1		2		4
Possess a firearm for purpose of taking / killing deer.						1	1
Possess a firearm with intent to cause fear of violence.						1	1
Possess a firearm without a certificate.			1				1
Possess a loaded / unloaded air weapon in a public place.				1		1	2
Possess a prohibited image of a child.	1	2	1	2	1		7
Possess a weapon for the discharge of a noxious liquid / gas / electrical incapacitation device / thing.			1				1
Possess ammunition for a firearm without a certificate.						1	1
Possess an imitation firearm with intent to cause fear of violence.						1	1
Possess an offensive weapon in a public place.	1	1	1	3	1		7
Possess explosive substance for unlawful purpose.						1	1
Possess extreme pornographic image / images portraying an act of intercourse / oral sex with a dead / alive animal.				2	2		4
Possess extreme pornographic image portraying an act of intercourse / oral sex with a dead / alive animal.	2	2	2				6
Possess indecent photograph / pseudo-photograph of a child.	2	4	4	4	5	3	22
Possess knife blade / sharp pointed article in a public place - Criminal Justice Act 1988.	1	3	1	4	2	3	14
Possess loaded / unloaded firearm and suitable ammunition in public place.		1					1
Possess shotgun without a certificate.		1	1				2

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Possess to show / distribute - indecent photograph / pseudo-photograph of a child.		1		1		1	3
Possess with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class A - Cocaine.		1	1				2
Possess with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class A - Crack Cocaine.		1					1
Possess with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class A - Heroin.		2					2
Possess with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class B - Cannabis.			1				1
Practise deception intending to cause a person to leave UK and be subject to forced marriage.		1					1
Proceeds of crime - possess criminal property - money launder.						1	1
Proceeds of Crime - transfer criminal property - money launder.	1	1					2
Produce controlled drug of Class B - cannabis.					1		1
Public Nuisance - indecent exposure.	2		3				5
Publish an obscene article.				1			1
Racially / religiously aggravated common assault / beating.		1		1			2
Racially / religiously aggravated criminal damage.	1						1
Racially / religiously aggravated fear / provocation of violence by words / writing.		1					1
Racially / religiously aggravated fear of violence - words.				1			1
Racially / religiously aggravated harassment / alarm / distress by words / writing.	1	1			1	1	4
Racially / religiously aggravated harassment with fear of violence.		1					1
Racially / Religiously aggravated harassment without v				1			1
Racially / Religiously aggravated harassment without violence.	1			1			2
Racially / religiously aggravated intentional harassment - words.				1		1	2
Racially / religiously aggravated intentional harassment / alarm / distress - words / writing.	1	2		3	2	5	13
Racially aggravated harassment - non violent.	1						1
Racially aggravated harassment - words.						2	2
Racially aggravated intentional harassment - words.		2				2	4
Rape a female aged 16 years or over.	1						1
Rape a female under 16.	1				2		3
Rape a girl aged 13 / 14 / 15 - SOA 2003.	1	2		1	3	1	8
Rape a girl under 13.	1	1	1	3	1	1	8
Rape a man 16 or over - SOA 2003.	1						1
Rape a woman 16 years of age or over - SOA 2003.	4	2	3	5	1	2	17

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Rape of a boy under 13 - SOA 2003.	1						1
Receiving stolen goods.			1				1
Riding pedal cycle under the influence of drink or drugs.				1			1
Robbery.		1					1
Section 18 - attempt wounding with intent.		2	1		1	1	5
Section 18 - grievous bodily harm with intent.			1		2	1	4
Section 18 - wounding with intent.		3	3	5	4	2	17
Section 20 - racial aggravated wounding / grievous bodily harm.	1						1
Send letter / communication / article conveying a threatening message.	2	2	1	1			6
Send letter / communication / article conveying indecent / offensive message.		1	1	1		1	4
Sex offenders register - fail comply with notification requirements - SOA 2003.	2	1	3	2	2		10
Sexual activity with a female child family member 13 to 17 - offender under 18.				1			1
Sexual assault on a female.	11	8	7	6	4	1	37
Sexual assault on a male.	2	1	1				4
Stalking involving serious alarm / distress.			1	1			2
Stalking without fear / alarm / distress.	1					2	3
Take a child so as to remove him / her from a person having lawful control.		1					1
Take a motor vehicle without the owners consent.				1			1
Take an indecent photograph / pseudo-photograph of a child.			1	1			2
Theft - other - including theft by finding.	5				1	1	7
Theft by employee.	1		1				2
Theft from a motor vehicle.			1				1
Theft from a shop.	5	11	7	3	1	1	28
Theft from the person of another.	2	2	1				5
Theft in dwelling other than an automatic machine or meter.			1				1
Threat to damage / destroy property.			2	1			3
Threaten a person with a blade / sharply pointed article in a public place.	1				1		2
Threaten a person with an offensive weapon in a public place.			1				1
Threats to kill.		4	2	2	2	3	13
Unlawful sexual intercourse - with girl under 16 years.					1		1
Use a motor vehicle on a road / public place without third party insurance.	1	4	3	1	4	1	14
Use a motor vehicle on a road without a valid test certificate.	1				1		2
Use a motor vehicle with defective steering gear.		1					1
Use threatening / abusive / insulting words / behaviour to cause harassment / alarm / distress.		2	2	1	2	3	10

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	
Use threatening / abusive / insulting words / behaviour with intent to cause fear of / provoke unlawful violence.		1	1	4	3	2	11
Use threatening / abusive words / behaviour or disorderly behaviour likely to cause harassment, alarm or distress.				1	1		2
Use threatening words / behaviour to cause harassment alarm or distress.		1		1	1		3
Use violence / threats / a form of coercion to cause another person to enter into a marriage.				1			1
Voyeurism - install equipment / construct / adapt a structure - SOA 2003.		1					1
Voyeurism - operating equipment to observe - SOA 2003.	1						1
Without reasonable excuse did an act prohibited by a sexual offences prevention order.	1						1
Wound / inflict grievous bodily harm without intent					1	1	2
Wound / inflict grievous bodily harm without intent.	4	2	1	3	7		17
Grand Total	253	242	191	229	222	155	1,292

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