

How many people were arrested for alleged offences under Section 1 of the Malicious Communications Act 1988?

Year	Grand Total
2015	116
2016	489
2017	416
2018	381
2019	214
2020	596
2021	263
Total	2,475

Of the people arrested for alleged offences under Section 1 of the Malicious Communications Act 1988 how many were subsequently charged?

Year	Grand Total
2015	34
2016	118
2017	85
2018	88
2019	34
2020	69
2021	31
Total	459

Of the people arrested for alleged offences under Section 1 of the Malicious Communications Act 1988 how many were subsequently charged who were 18 and over and under 18?

Year	18 and Over	Under 18
2015	112	4
2016	469	20
2017	403	13
2018	371	10
2019	208	6
2020	68	1
2021	256	7
Total	1,887	61

NB These figures have been retrieved using Home Office Code 8/72