

Disproportionality last 12 months to: 06/2026

Disproportionality is a measure of the proportion of Stop Searches and Use of Force incidents carried out on different ethnic groups compared with their proportion of the general population of Derbyshire.

Force-wide Disproportionality Rate – Use of Force

Ethnicity Group	UoF Incidents Last Year	% Change from Previous Year	Proportion of Total UoF Incidents	Disproportionality
White	16,213	11%	80%	1.0
Asian	1,277	17%	6%	1.4
Black	1,441	15%	7%	5.9
Mixed	232	17%	1%	0.7
Any Other Ethnic Group	494	18%	2%	2.8

Age Group	UoF Incidents Last Year	% Change from Previous Year	Proportion of Total UoF Incidents	Disproportionality
Over 18	18,093	13%	89%	1.0
Under 18	1,786	-5%	9%	0.4

Ethnicity Group	UoF Incidents Last Year	% Change from Previous Year	Proportion of Total Child UoF Incidents	Disproportionality
U18 White	1,427	-8%	80%	1.0
U18 Asian	83	11%	5%	0.8
U18 Black	182	26%	10%	8.4
U18 Mixed	7	-30%	0%	0.1
U18 Any Other Ethnic Group	6	20%	0%	0.3

Use of Force Incidents by Age Group Use of Force in Custody

Age Bracket	L12m	% of Total UoF
0 to 17	1,786	8.8%
18 to 24	3,447	16.9%
25 to 34	5,340	26.2%
35 to 49	7,268	35.6%
50 to 64	1,849	9.1%
65 +	190	0.9%
Not Recorded	512	2.5%

Ethnicity	L12m	% UoF in Custody
White	451	65.8%
Asian	25	3.6%
Black	19	2.8%
Mixed	19	2.8%
Other	10	1.5%
Age	L12m	% UoF in Custody
Adult	656	95.8%
Child	29	4.2%

Force-wide Disproportionality Rate – Stop Search					
Ethnicity Group	Searches Last Year	% Change from Previous Year	Proportion of Total Stop Searches	Disproportionality	
White	4,347	66%	74%	1.0	
Asian	360	45%	6%	1.5	
Black	255	41%	4%	3.9	
Mixed	278	59%	5%	3.0	
Any Other Ethnic Group	97	67%	2%	2.1	
Age Group	Stop Searches Last Year	% Change from Previous Year	Proportion of Total Stop Searches	Disproportionality	
Over 18	4,677	67%	77%	1.0	
Under 18	852	34%	14%	0.7	
Use of Force during Stop Search - Ethnicity	UoF during Stop Search Last Year	% Change from Previous Year	Proportion of Total UoF during Stop Search	Disproportionality	
White	999	96%	69%	1.0	
Asian	121	75%	8%	1.6	
Black	84	87%	6%	1.5	
Mixed	76	73%	5%	1.3	
Any Other Ethnic Group	19	138%	1%	1.0	
Stop Searches by Age Group			Force used during Searches		
Age Bracket	L12m	% of Total Searches	Ethnicity	L12m	% Searches: Force used
Under 10	0	0.0%	White	1000	23.3%
10 to 17	852	14.1%	Asian	121	34.2%
18 to 24	1,268	21.0%	Black	84	33.9%
25 to 34	1,321	21.9%	Mixed	76	28.4%
35 to 59	2,013	33.3%	Other	19	19.8%
60 +	75	1.2%	Not stated	90	25.4%
Not Recorded	313	5.2%			