

## North Wales Most Similar Force – Complaint Statistics 2006/07

### Complaint Cases Recorded 2006/07

Police Force	2005/06	2006/07	% change from 2005/06
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>-7</b>
Devon & Cornwall	833	990	19
Dyfed-Powys	182	188	3
Gloucestershire	287	303	6
Lincolnshire	288	304	6
Norfolk	567	459	-19
North Yorkshire	392	429	9
Suffolk	327	365	12
<b>England &amp; Wales Total</b>	<b>26268</b>	<b>28998</b>	<b>10</b>

### Allegations Recorded Against Police Officers 2006/07

Police Force	All allegations recorded	Allegations against officers only	Allegations per 1000* officers	% change from 2005/06
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>408</b>	346	215	-4
Devon & Cornwall	1390	848	241	22
Dyfed-Powys	429	411	345	13
Gloucestershire	403	353	268	-9
Lincolnshire	441	362	291	-7
Norfolk	696	645	409	-10
North Yorkshire	700	662	396	-3
Suffolk	529	460	339	16
<b>England &amp; Wales Total</b>	<b>45883</b>	<b>41302</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>14</b>

\*Police strength as at March 2007

### Means by Which Allegations Completed 2006/07

Police Force	Investigated		Withdrawn		Dispensation		Local Resolution		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>242</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>453</b>
Devon & Cornwall	387	31	141	11	141	11	564	46	1233
Dyfed-Powys	90	30	31	10	56	19	122	41	299
Gloucestershire	86	21	45	11	83	21	187	47	401
Lincolnshire	108	29	45	12	33	9	183	50	369
Norfolk	265	36	30	4	63	9	375	51	733
North Yorkshire	115	16	16	2	49	7	541	75	721
Suffolk	83	15	69	13	65	12	332	60	549
<b>England &amp; Wales Total</b>	<b>12683</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>5000</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4334</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>19567</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>41584</b>

### Outcome of Completed Investigations 2006/07

Police Force	Substantiated		Unsubstantiated		Total
	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>120</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>142</b>
Devon & Cornwall	31	8	356	92	387
Dyfed-Powys	8	9	82	91	90
Gloucestershire	16	19	70	81	86
Lincolnshire	13	12	95	88	108
Norfolk	22	8	243	92	265
North Yorkshire	20	17	95	83	115
Suffolk	6	7	77	93	83
<b>England &amp; Wales Total</b>	<b>1389</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11294</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>12683</b>

## Characteristics of Complainants

### Status of Those Making Complaints 2006/07\*

Police Force	Directly affected by conduct		Adversely affected by conduct		Representative		Witness		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>320</b>
Devon & Cornwall	735	72	249	25	24	2	7	1	1015
Dyfed-Powys	186	92	16	8	1	0	0	0	203
Gloucestershire	300	91	13	4	16	5	0	0	329
Lincolnshire	240	79	40	13	14	5	9	3	303
Norfolk	467	93	3	1	32	6	1	0	503
North Yorkshire	401	89	48	11	0	0	3	1	452
Suffolk	314	89	31	9	1	0	8	2	354
<b>England &amp; Wales Total</b>	<b>26230</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>2518</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>544</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>29787</b>

\*The figures in this table will not match the figures in the following tables in this section. This is because people may make complaints in different roles throughout the year. In such cases they will be counted twice in the table but not in the following sections.

### Gender of Complainants 2006/07

Police Force	Female		Male		Other		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>317</b>
Devon & Cornwall	420	42	580	58	4	0	1004
Dyfed-Powys	73	36	129	64	1	0	203
Gloucestershire	114	35	212	65	2	1	328
Lincolnshire	112	37	185	62	3	1	300
Norfolk	203	40	300	60	0	0	503
North Yorkshire	167	37	284	63	1	0	452
Suffolk	131	37	223	63	0	0	354
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>10468</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>18744</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>29637</b>

### Age of Complainants 2006/07

Police Force	17 and below		18-29		30-39		40-49		50-59		60+		Unknown		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>317</b>
Devon & Cornwall	13	1	120	12	137	14	184	18	103	10	77	8	370	37	1004
Dyfed-Powys	11	5	35	17	37	18	43	21	36	18	29	14	12	6	203
Gloucestershire	20	6	68	21	65	20	79	24	44	13	29	9	23	7	328
Lincolnshire	6	2	46	15	46	15	39	13	22	7	19	6	122	41	300
Norfolk	33	7	80	16	100	20	93	18	44	9	25	5	128	25	503
North Yorkshire	10	2	73	16	115	25	102	23	52	12	36	8	64	14	452
Suffolk	9	3	64	18	61	17	78	22	22	6	21	6	99	28	354
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>1135</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5444</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5678</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>5362</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2435</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1325</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>8258</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29637</b>

**Employment Status of Complainants 2006/07**

Police Force	Homemaker		Manual		Non-manual		Retired		Student		Unemployed		Unknown		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>317</b>
Devon & Cornwall	39	4	210	21	107	11	68	7	18	2	96	10	466	46	1004
Dyfed-Powys	15	7	43	21	41	20	28	14	13	6	33	16	30	15	203
Gloucestershire	16	5	75	23	74	23	20	6	22	7	43	13	78	24	328
Lincolnshire	12	4	38	13	78	26	19	6	3	1	26	9	124	41	300
Norfolk	29	6	78	16	108	21	20	4	37	7	85	17	146	29	503
North Yorkshire	33	7	88	19	152	34	40	9	24	5	61	13	54	12	452
Suffolk	11	3	69	19	77	22	21	6	8	2	47	13	121	34	354
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4140</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>6372</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>1060</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1319</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3868</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11905</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>29637</b>

**Ethnicity of Complainants 2006/07**

Police Force	White		Asian		Black		Other		Unknown		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>317</b>
Devon & Cornwall	744	74	9	1	12	1	9	1	230	23	1004
Dyfed-Powys	182	90	1	0	2	1	0	0	18	9	203
Gloucestershire	285	87	10	3	14	4	5	2	14	4	328
Lincolnshire	169	56	6	2	1	0	3	1	121	40	300
Norfolk	450	89	6	1	12	2	10	2	25	5	503
North Yorkshire	434	96	4	1	6	1	5	1	3	1	452
Suffolk	254	72	4	1	15	4	4	1	77	22	354
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>17981</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>1521</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2020</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>738</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7377</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>29637</b>

## Characteristics of those Subject to Complaints

### Status of those Subject to a Complaint 2006/07<sup>1</sup>

Police Force	Police Officer ranks <sup>2</sup>		Police Staff including Traffic Wardens and CSOs		Contracted staff		Special Constables		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>356</b>
Devon & Cornwall	744	86	105	12	0	0	17	2	866
Dyfed-Powys	256	96	10	4	0	0	0	0	266
Gloucestershire	295	88	34	10	3	1	3	1	335
Lincolnshire	305	89	28	8	2	1	8	2	343
Norfolk	490	88	52	9	0	0	15	3	557
North Yorkshire	436	90	26	5	17	4	4	1	483
Suffolk	365	93	18	5	0	0	10	3	393
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>30608</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>1518</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>32795</b>

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<sup>2</sup> Figures do not include complaints made against officers of ACPO rank.

### Gender of those Subject to a Complaint 2006/07

Police Force	Female		Male		Unknown		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>356</b>
Devon & Cornwall	167	19	694	80	5	1	866
Dyfed-Powys	42	16	223	84	0	0	265
Gloucestershire	82	25	249	75	1	0	332
Lincolnshire	64	19	245	72	29	9	338
Norfolk	121	22	428	77	5	1	554
North Yorkshire	102	21	381	79	0	0	483
Suffolk	88	23	288	74	12	3	388
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>6411</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>25643</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>32574</b>

### Age of those Subject to a Complaint 2006/07

Police Force	19 and below		20-29		30-39		40-49		50+		Unknown		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>356</b>
Devon & Cornwall	0	0	155	18	325	38	305	35	76	9	5	1	866
Dyfed-Powys	0	0	33	12	120	45	89	34	19	7	4	2	265
Gloucestershire	2	1	92	28	126	38	88	27	23	7	1	0	332
Lincolnshire	0	0	38	11	98	29	103	30	19	6	80	24	338
Norfolk	0	0	118	21	226	41	160	29	36	6	14	3	554
North Yorkshire	0	0	112	23	169	35	160	33	33	7	9	2	483
Suffolk	0	0	60	15	124	32	91	23	10	3	103	27	388
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8631</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>12297</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>8557</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>1440</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1598</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>32574</b>

### Ethnicity of those Subject to a Complaint 2006/07

Police Force	White		Asian		Black		Other		Unknown		Total
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N
<b>North Wales</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>356</b>
Devon & Cornwall	818	94	0	0	2	0	3	0	43	5	866
Dyfed-Powys	260	98	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	2	265
Gloucestershire	319	96	2	1	1	0	8	2	2	1	332
Lincolnshire	185	55	2	1	1	0	2	1	148	44	338
Norfolk	529	95	1	0	0	0	7	1	17	3	554
North Yorkshire	472	98	3	1	0	0	7	1	1	0	483
Suffolk	347	89	1	0	1	0	2	1	37	10	388
<b>England and Wales Total</b>	<b>29199</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>460</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1985</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>32574</b>