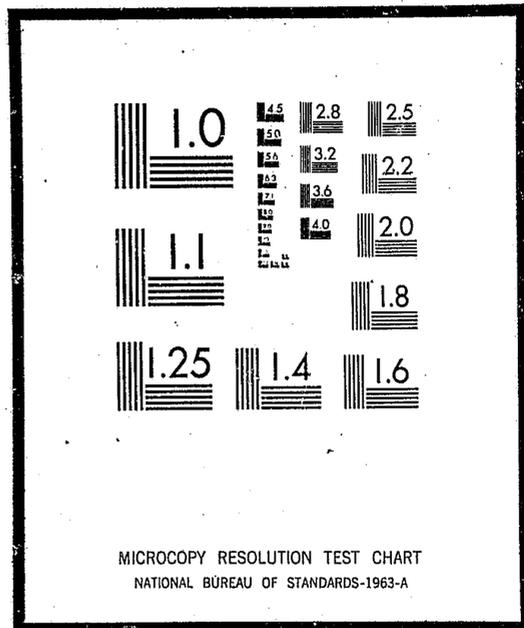


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Introduction

This report by the Secretary of State for Scotland on the statistics relating to police apprehensions and criminal proceedings for the year 1973 is laid before Parliament in accordance with the requirements of section 47 of the Police (Scotland) Act 1967.

Crimes and offences made known to the police

1. The total number of crimes and offences made known to the police in 1973 was 505,699, an increase of 24,472 or 5.1 per cent. compared with 1972. The number of crimes made known decreased by 5.8 per cent. from 178,384 to 168,015 and the number of offences increased by 11.5 per cent. from 302,843 to 337,684.
2. Of all crimes made known to the police in 1973 48.9 per cent. were committed in the four counties of cities, a decrease of 1.5 per cent. compared with 1972. The number of crimes per thousand of population was 49.9 in the four counties of cities (53.7 in 1972); and 24.1 in the rest of Scotland (covered by sixteen county or joint police areas) (25.0 in 1972).

Crimes against the person (Class I)

3. Crimes against the person made known increased by 373 or 4.6 per cent. to 8,480; those with violence fell by 127 or 3.4 per cent. to 3,597, those without violence rose by 500 or 11.4 per cent. to 4,883.

Crimes against property (Class II, III and IV)

4. The total number of crimes against property made known decreased by 10,863 from 164,592 to 153,729 (6.6 per cent.); the figure for housebreakings fell by 10,583 from 74,436 to 63,853 (14.2 per cent.); thefts fell by 1,385 from 73,368 to 71,983 (1.9 per cent.); and malicious injuries to property rose in number from 5,209 to 6,737 (29.3 per cent.).

Forgery and crimes against currency (Class V)

5. The number of cases of forgery and crimes against currency made known fell by 141 from 1,754 to 1,613 (8.0 per cent.).

Other crimes (Class VI)

6. Other crimes made known rose by 262 from 3,931 to 4,193 (6.7 per cent.).

Chart A on page 6 illustrates the trend in the period 1959-1973 and shows the main types of crime separately and in relation to the total.

Miscellaneous offences (Class VII)

7. The number of offences made known to the police increased by 34,841 to 337,684 (11.5 per cent.). The number of contraventions of the Road Traffic Acts

CHART A
DISTRIBUTION OF CRIMES MADE KNOWN
TO POLICE BY MAIN TYPES

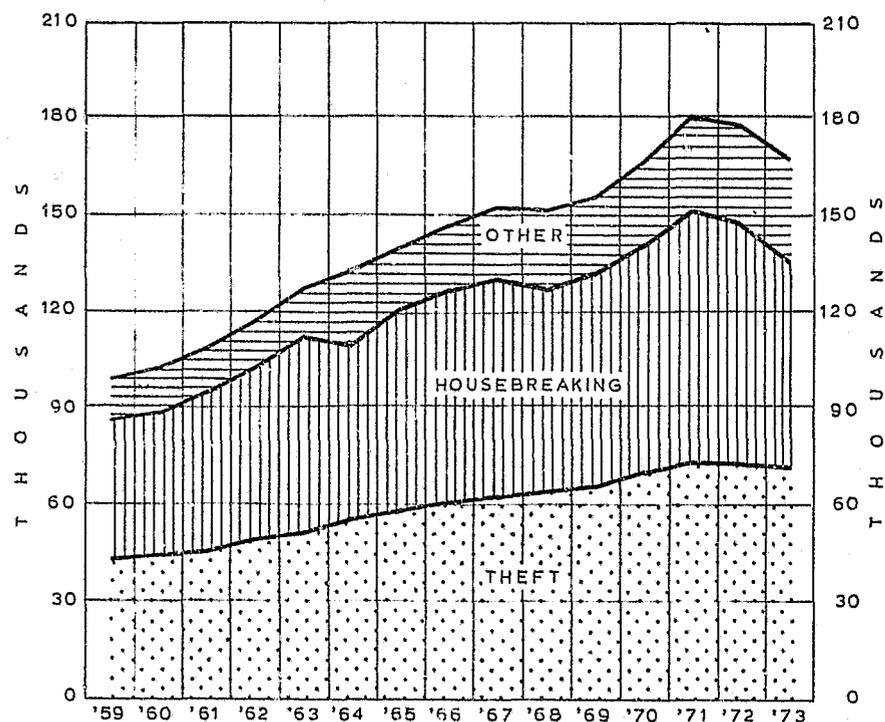
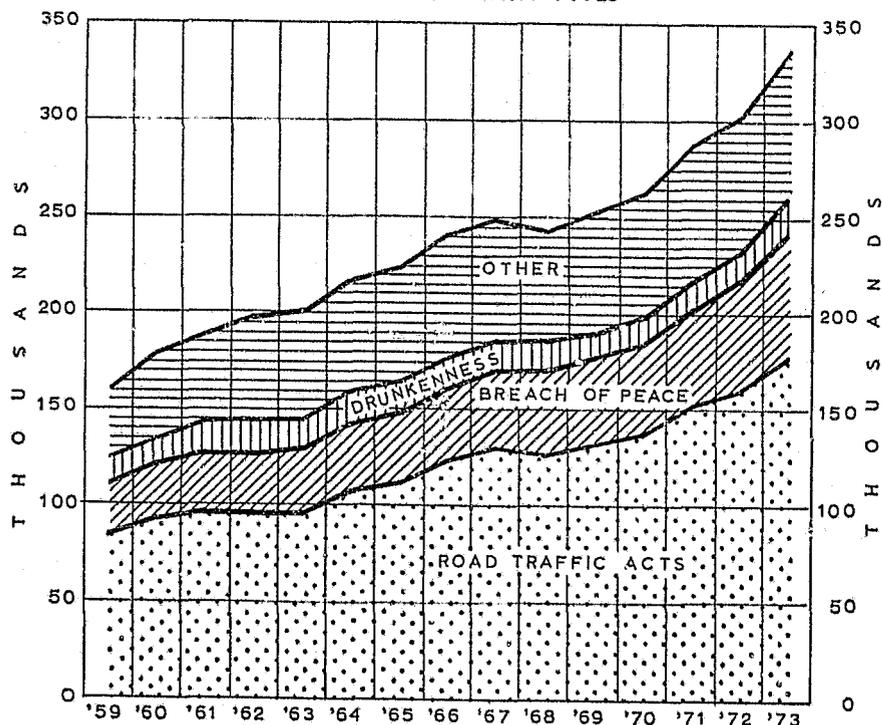


CHART B
DISTRIBUTION OF OFFENCES MADE KNOWN
TO POLICE BY MAIN TYPES



reported (other than cases involving drink or drugs) increased by 13,251 to 146,547 (9.9 per cent.) and those involving drink or drugs by 1,443 to 13,530 (11.9 per cent.).

The number of reported incidents of breach of the peace increased by 9,502 to 66,200 (16.8 per cent.) while cases described as drunk and incapable rose in number by 2,750 to 17,354 (18.8 per cent.). Taking a motor vehicle without the consent of the owner increased by 915 to 14,884 (6.6 per cent.); cases of malicious mischief rose by 4,294 to 24,105 (21.7 per cent.).

Chart B on page 6 illustrates the trend in the period 1959-1973 and shows the proportions that the main types of offences bear to the total.

Chart C on page 8 shows the number of drink and driving cases made known to the police in the period 1953-1973.

Crimes and offences cleared up

8. In 1973, 72.0 per cent. of all crimes and offences made known to the police were cleared up (70.7 in 1972). The percentage of crimes cleared up was 40.0 (38.7 in 1972) and of offences cleared up 87.9 (89.6 in 1972).

Disposal of persons proceeded against

9. The Scottish criminal courts dealt with 234,801 persons in 1973, 191,03 or 8.9 per cent. more than in 1972, 231,861 were dealt with summarily (19,414 more than in 1972) and 2,940 after full committal (311 fewer than in 1972).

Charges proved

10. The number of persons against whom a charge was proved with or without a finding of guilt in all courts was 219,788, 15,840 or 7.8 per cent. more than in 1972. The following table gives comparative figures for 1961, 1971, 1972 and 1973:

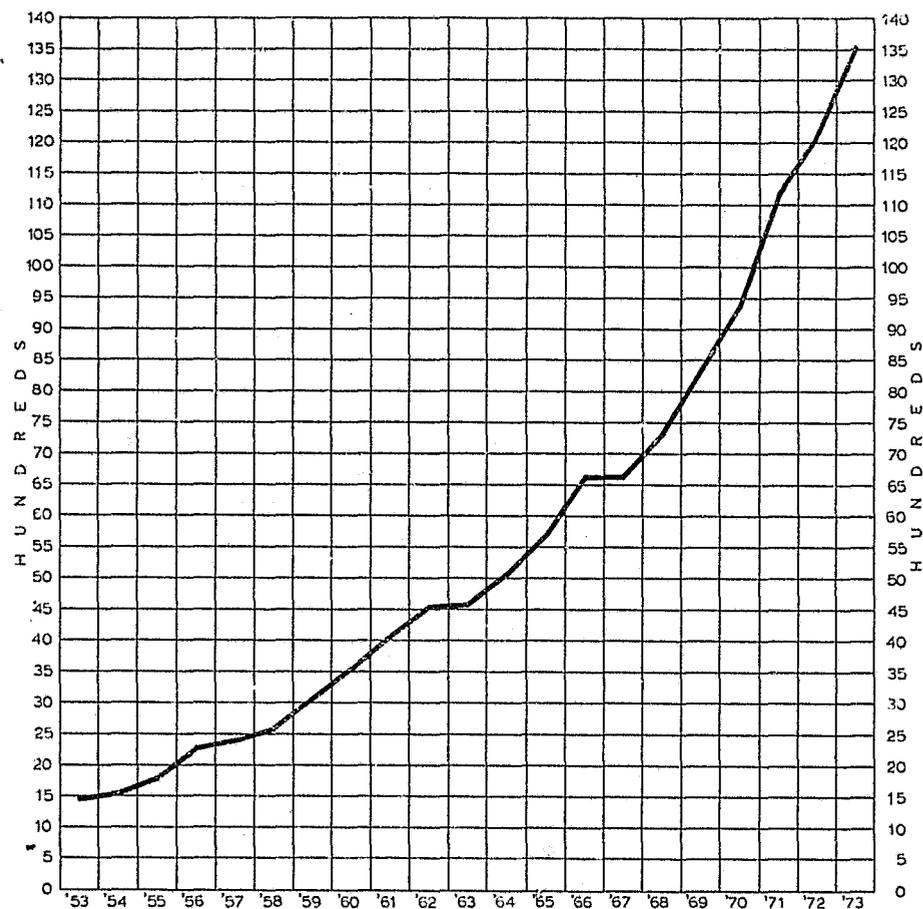
	1961	1971	1972	1973
All crimes and offences				
Total	158,653	211,719	203,948	219,788
Index	100	173.4	167.0	138.5
Crimes	28,371	36,106	31,165	29,460
Offences	130,282	175,613	172,783	190,328

Chart D on page 10 shows the number of persons against whom a charge was proved in all courts during the period 1959-1973 and Table 1b analyses by class of crime those aged 16 and over against whom a charge was proved.

Imprisonment, etc., and detention in a borstal, detention centre and young offenders institution

11. 6,903 sentences of imprisonment were imposed by all courts during the year as against 8,274 in 1972, 3,802 of these sentences were for crimes and 3,101 for offences, compared with 4,902 and 3,372 respectively in 1972.

CHART C
ROAD TRAFFIC CASES INVOLVING DRINK OR DRUGS
CASES MADE KNOWN TO POLICE 1949-1973



From 9th October, 1967, the figures include cases involving drink or drugs, relating to blood and alcohol content

12. The number of persons sentenced to borstal training during the year was 765 of whom 408 were convicted of housebreaking or theft, compared with 893 and 559 respectively in 1972.

13. The number of persons ordered to be detained in a detention centre was 991 of whom 431 were convicted of housebreaking or theft: the comparable figures for 1972 were 1,141 and 579.

14. 1,789 persons were sentenced to detention in a young offenders institution during the year, of whom 711 were convicted of housebreaking or theft: the comparable figures for 1972 were 2,069 and 954.

Fines

15. The number of persons fined was 184,116 (17,376 for crimes and 166,740 for offences), 16,157 or 9.6 per cent. more than in 1972. Fines imposed amounted to £2,611,543 (£462,103 for crimes and £2,149,440 for offences) compared with £2,163,804 in 1972.

Probation orders

16. Probation orders were made in respect of 2,252 males (90 less than in 1972) and 746 females (4 more than in 1972).

Sex and age distribution of persons against whom charges were proved

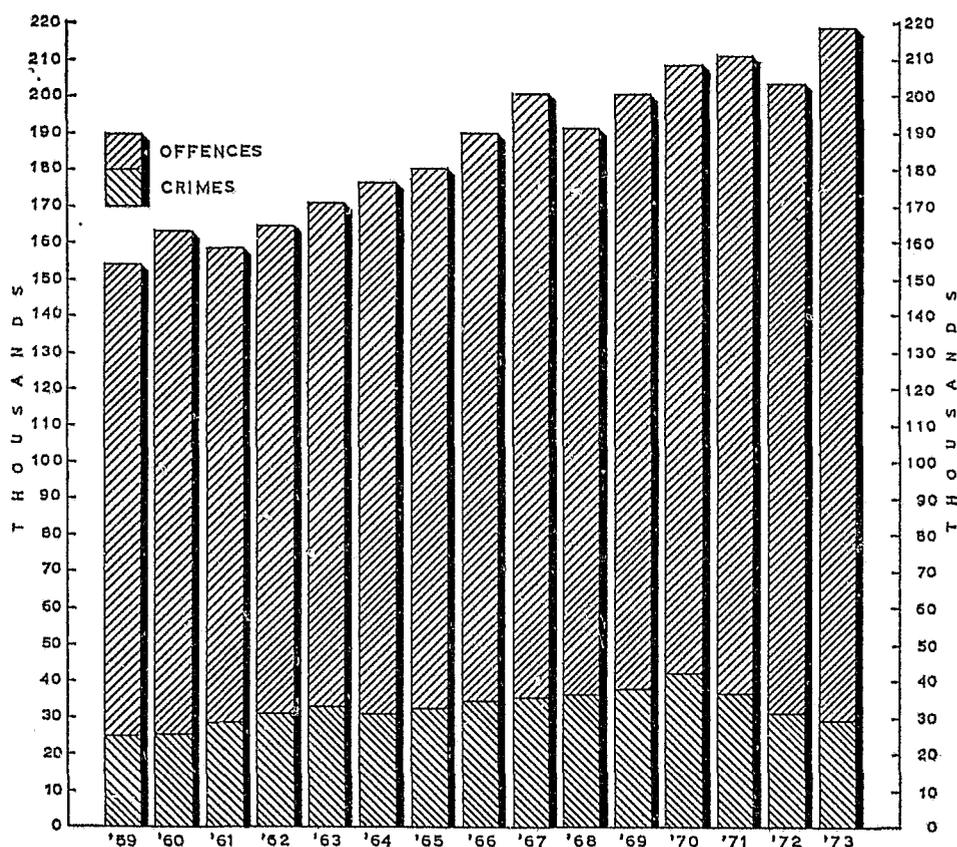
17. Of the 219,788 persons against whom a crime or offence was proved in 1972 90.2 per cent. were males (90.3 in 1972). The highest rate for crimes and offences among males was again in the 17 year old group. The highest rate among females was in the 16 year old group. Of those against whom a crime was proved 85.3 per cent. were males (86.3 in 1972); the highest rate among males was in the 16 year old group. Among females the highest rate for crimes was also in the 16 year old group. 90.9 per cent. of those against whom an offence was proved were males (91.0 in 1972), and the age groups showing the highest rate were 17 among males and 30-39 among females.

Chart E on page 13 shows the number of males per 1000 of population of each age group (over 15) against whom a charge was proved in all courts for crimes from 1949 to 1973.

Juvenile delinquency

18. The 1971 volume explained why the new arrangements for dealing with children in Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 necessitated a new basis for measuring juvenile delinquency and stated that in future the Statistics would record figures for those children under 16 in respect of whom, on the clear-up of an offence, the police took action which resulted in the child being dealt with in any of three ways:

CHART D
CHARGES PROVED IN ALL COURTS



- (i) being prosecuted ;
- (ii) being referred to the reporter with a view to consideration of a need for possible measures of compulsory care ;
- (iii) being the subject of a police warning (and/or supervision under a police juvenile liaison scheme).

19. Figures for 1973 are given on this basis in Tables 18, 19 and 20.

20. 1973 is the second full year of operation of the new arrangements for dealing with children ; thus for the first time since the changes it is possible to compare fairly directly a year's figures with those for the previous year. The 1971 volume however discussed the difficulties of comparison of 1971 figures with those for previous years. Similar difficulties apply to comparisons of years following 1971 with 1971 due to the coming into effect of the new provisions part way through 1971 (15 April). A table which might form a basis for comparison over a series of years is :—

		Children under 16 years of age					
		1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Proceeded against in court	Proceeded against in court, case commenced before 15/4/71	17,886	18,912	20,562	8,032	164	—
	Proceeded against in court, case commenced on or after 15/4/71				1,664	2,390	3,192
Police warnings (including juvenile liaison)	Police warnings (including juvenile liaison)	5,429	5,422	6,206	8,906	9,766	10,564
	Referred to reporter (1)				9,315	17,470	22,176
Total		23,315	24,334	26,768	27,917	29,790	35,932

(1) Where the result of reference to the reporter was that, at the reporter's request, the child was dealt with by police warning or juvenile liaison, the case has been included in "Police warnings" and excluded from "Referred to the reporter".

21. Previous volumes have referred to the possibility of an increase in the willingness of the public to report child offenders to police with the introduction of new arrangements adapted specially to the needs of children. Thus not only must any comparison of figures across the transitional period be made with considerable caution figures for some years after the change could expect to reflect a progressive increase in willingness to report child offenders to the police. There may be some evidence for this occurring in the disproportionately large increase in the number of children dealt with for miscellaneous offences (1973 shows a 34.5 per cent. increase over 1972) compared to crimes (1973 shows a 12.1 per cent. increase over 1972).

22. While the above table shows there was a 20.7 per cent. increase in the number of children dealt with for crimes and offences in 1973 compared to 1972 it does not mean there was an increase in juvenile delinquency of this magnitude. It was suggested in the 1971 volume that the figure comparable to the number of children prosecuted or warned prior to 1971 fell between the total number of children dealt with in one or other of the three ways referred to in paragraph 18 above and that figure less the number of children referred by the police to the reporter and who were neither brought before a children's hearing nor referred for local authority action on a voluntary basis. There were 9,920 such children in 1973. While developments in the use of the new arrangements are likely to reduce the value of comparisons with the old arrangements (or indeed with 1971), it is suggested that the

figure for 1973 comparable to the total for years previous to 1972 fell between 35,932 (the figure shown) and 26,012 (35,932 less 9,920) ; equivalent 1972 figures were 29,790 and 22,310 respectively.

23. Of all crimes for which juveniles were proceeded against in court, referred to a reporter, warned or placed on the police juvenile liaison scheme, 94.0 per cent. were against property, 34.9 per cent. being housebreaking, 50.8 per cent. theft and 5.4 per cent. malicious injuries to property.

24. 49.9 per cent. of offences for which juveniles were dealt with were breaches of the peace ; 6.9 per cent. were obstructions and nuisances ; 16.9 per cent. malicious mischief to property ; and 6.4 per cent. offences against local Acts and Byelaws.

25. During 1973 14.1 per cent. of the children who had been dealt with in respect of crimes were female ; this may be compared with the 1972 figure of 12.1 per cent. for the period subsequent to the introduction of the new provision. The equivalent 1973 figure for offences was 11.9 per cent. which was equal to the 1972 figure.

26. In 1973 the highest incidence of crimes for which boys under 16 were dealt with was among those aged fifteen and among those aged fourteen for girls. The age of highest incidence of offences was fifteen for both boys and girls.

Murder

27. 43 cases of murder were made known to the police in Scotland in 1973. The 43 victims included 5 children under 10 years of age (2 boys aged 3 and 9 years and 3 girls aged 2 years, 9 years and one infant of 15 days), 4 men aged 60 or over were among the victims.

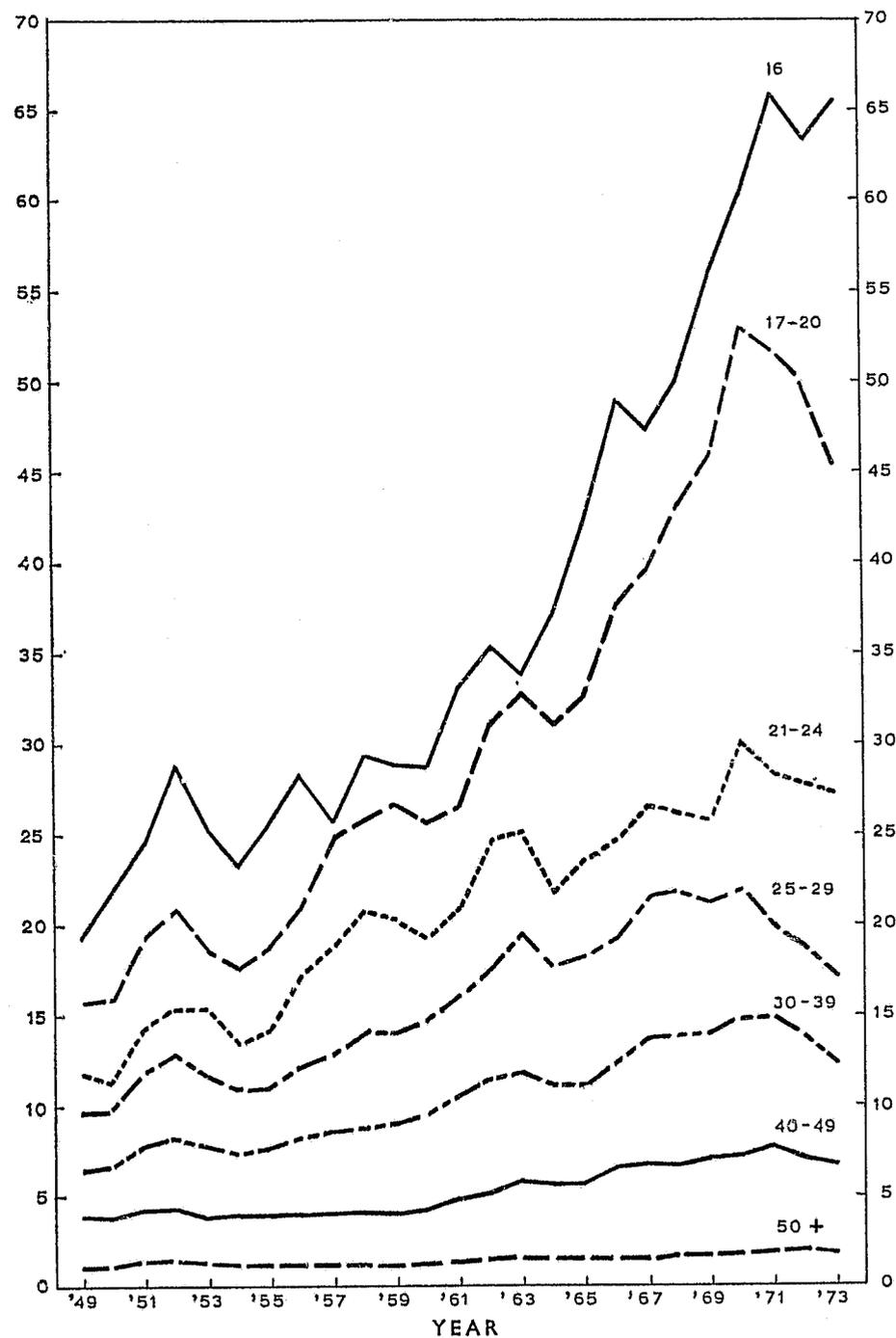
28. Thirty-eight persons were prosecuted in respect of 29 of these cases of murder. Seventeen were sentenced to life imprisonment and 9 (aged under 18) were ordered to be detained during Her Majesty's Pleasure. 7 persons were found not guilty and the charge against 5 people were found not proven. In one other case the accused was tried by authorities outside Scotland. At the end of the year proceedings were pending in 10 cases and 3 cases remained unsolved.

Appeals to the High Court of Justiciary

29. In order to give a fuller explanation of the nature and outcome of appeals details of appeals under the Criminal Appeal (Scotland) Act 1926 are now contained in Table 26 (indictment cases) ; Table 27 contains details of the court of origin and outcome of appeals by Stated Case or Bill of Suspension (summary cases).

30. The following table gives the number of appeals allowed and refused during the last five years.

CHART E
Males per 1,000 of the population of each age group with crimes proved against them each year



	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Appeals to High Court of Justiciary by Stated Case or Bill of Suspension—					
Total	145	144	138	150	194
Allowed	46	40	49	56	35
Refused	99	104	89	94	159
Appeals under Criminal Appeal (Scotland) Act 1926—					
Total	428	413	371	504	419
Allowed	11	12	21	44	53
Abandoned or refused	417	401	350	460	366

Notes on Criminal Procedure in Scotland

Applicability of Criminal Procedure to Children alleged to have committed Crimes and Offences

Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 (which came into effect on 15 April 1971) introduced new arrangements, not involving prosecution before criminal courts, for children alleged to have committed criminal offences. Under these arrangements an official with the title of "Reporter", when a child is referred to him as having committed a crime or offence, considers whether in his view that child is in need of compulsory measures of care and, if so, arranges for him to be brought with his parents before a "Children's Hearing", a sitting of a treatment authority established for each local authority area. The children's hearing has no power to adjudicate on the question whether or not the child committed the alleged offence; where the facts alleged are disputed, the hearing cannot proceed with the case unless it has been referred to the Sheriff and he finds the facts established.

The children's hearing then has power to impose (by means of a "supervision requirement") what compulsory measures of care it considers are required.

"Child" for the purposes of Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 means basically a person under 16 years of age; but it includes also a person aged 16 and over but under 18 if he has a supervision requirement in force in respect of him.

Although the great majority of alleged child offenders are dealt with under these arrangements, the Crown retains its right to prosecute children who are over the age of criminal responsibility. (The law conclusively presumes that no child under 8 years of age can be guilty of any crime or offence.) This right is, in practice, exercised only in the case of very serious crimes or where some consideration of criminal justice points to the need for it, e.g., the desirability of a child who is alleged to have committed a crime in conjunction with an adult being jointly tried with him.

These Notes, being concerned with criminal procedure, do not touch further upon the Social Work Act arrangements for dealing with children, but, insofar as they refer to children, are confined to procedures where children are prosecuted before courts of criminal jurisdiction.

Courts of Criminal Jurisdiction

These fall into two categories, courts of solemn jurisdiction (that is, where proceedings are taken on indictment and the judge sits with a jury) and courts of summary jurisdiction (which sit without a jury). The courts of solemn jurisdiction, where the more serious cases are tried, are the High Court of Justiciary and the Sheriff Court. The courts of summary jurisdiction, where the majority of cases are dealt with, are the Sheriff Court (which tries cases under solemn and also summary procedure) the Justice of the Peace Court and the Burgh (or Police) Court.

The High Court of Justiciary is the highest criminal court in Scotland and consists of the Lords Commissioners of Justiciary, who are the Lord Justice General, the Lord Justice Clerk, and eighteen other judges, and are also the judges of the Scottish Supreme Civil Court, the Court of Session. It sits in Edinburgh and, on circuit, at Glasgow, Dundee, Aberdeen and other circuit towns.

The Sheriff Court. Scotland is divided into Sheriffdoms, each consisting of a county or a combination of counties, and these Sheriffdoms are further divided into sheriff court districts. A Sheriffdom has a Sheriff Principal and a number of sheriffs and these act as the judges of the court. The Sheriff Court exercises an extensive civil jurisdiction as well as criminal jurisdiction.

The Justice of the Peace Court is organised on a county (and county of city) basis, the judges being the justices of the peace for the county (or county of city),

The Burgh (or Police Court). The judges of these courts, which are established in burghs, are town councillors who are serving (or have served) in the office of magistrate of the burgh. In Glasgow stipendiary magistrates also act as judges in the burgh court.

Jurisdiction of Courts

The High Court has universal jurisdiction and sole jurisdiction in certain of the most serious crimes such as murder and rape. The Sheriff Court, sitting under solemn procedure, may deal with any other crimes or offences tried on indictment, and the Sheriff Summary Court has jurisdiction over all offences which may be tried summarily. The stipendiary magistrates of Glasgow have a jurisdiction similar to that of the Sheriff Summary Court. Other courts of summary jurisdiction have a limited jurisdiction over offences which may be tried summarily, the more serious of such offences generally being reserved for the Sheriff Court.

A "child", in the definition of that word for the purposes of Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968 (see above) may be tried only in the High Court or Sheriff Court (solemn or summary).

Prosecution

Prosecutions in Scotland are undertaken almost invariably by public prosecutors acting in the public interest—by the Lord Advocate (the chief public prosecutor in Scotland) in the High Court, by his officers, the Procurators Fiscal, in the Sheriff Court, and by the justice of the peace fiscal and burgh prosecutor in the justice of the peace and burgh courts respectively. The main practical exception to this is that certain statutes confer the right to prosecute for breaches of the statute on private bodies (and private individuals) concerned; but, even in these instances, the concurrence of the public prosecutor of the court is required if the breach is punishable by imprisonment without the option of a fine, unless the statute otherwise provides.

Proceedings before Trial

Police investigation and reporting. The police make a preliminary investigation of all cases of crime discovered by or made known to them. Particulars of the case

are then reported to the justice of peace fiscal or burgh prosecutor if the offence is within the jurisdiction of those courts and suitable to be tried before them, or otherwise to the Procurator Fiscal. (The Lord Advocate may issue instructions to the police with regard to the reporting of cases.) It is for the public prosecutor concerned, and not for the police, to decide whether to prosecute—and, in the case of the Procurator Fiscal, to decide whether to proceed summarily or to charge the accused by Petition with a view to proceedings on indictment.

Where the results of the police investigation suggest that the crime or offence has been committed by a child, then the action taken by the police depends on the nature and circumstances of the offence. Under the Lord Advocate's instructions certain types of case are reported to the Procurator Fiscal in order that consideration may be given in the first instance to the Crown's right of prosecution. Otherwise, the police report is sent to the reporter (see above) so that he may consider action for compulsory measures of care under Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968.

Investigations by Procurator Fiscal. In cases of serious crime, where there is a *prima facie* case for proceedings on indictment, Procurators Fiscal make a careful investigation of all circumstances and personally examine witnesses in private. A written precognition in each case is then forwarded to the Crown Agent for the instructions of Crown Counsel—the collective title of the Lord Advocate, the Solicitor General and seven Advocates Depute. Crown Counsel examine the precognition and determine whether further proceedings should be taken, whether, in fact, they should be taken on indictment, and, if so, whether they should be taken in the High Court or the Sheriff Court.

Citation and Apprehension. When a person of usually law-abiding character, who has a known residence, is accused of a minor offence, or one which is not punishable by imprisonment without the option of a fine, he is normally cited to appear at a specified time and place before an appropriate court. In other cases, and where the accused has failed to appear on citation, he is apprehended by the police. The police have certain powers under common law and statute to arrest without warrant, or may act on the authority of a warrant granted by a competent court.

Appearance in court. Wherever practicable, a person apprehended must be brought before the court competent to deal with his case (either by way of trial or by way of remit to a higher court) not later than in the course of the first lawful day after he is taken into custody. In serious cases, where prosecution on indictment is contemplated, the accused is charged on Petition at the instance of the Procurator Fiscal and brought before the Sheriff in private. He may then emit a Declaration (*i.e.* give any explanation or make a statement in regard to the charge) if he chooses, but, in practice, such a Declaration is seldom made.

Period of custody awaiting trial

(a) *Procedure on Indictment.* After the accused has been charged on Petition, the Sheriff has power to commit the accused for further inquiry. The next stage is "full committal" or committal "until liberated in due course of law", that is, normally, until trial. The period of custody for further inquiry before committal "until liberated in due course of law" does not exceed eight days. After the

accused has been fully committed an indictment is served upon him and he is brought to trial as speedily as possible, but as a safeguard, the law provides that his trial must be brought to a conclusion before the period of his custody after being so committed exceeds 110 days. (An accelerated procedure is described below).

(There is no equivalent in Scotland of the preliminary investigation before examining magistrates held in England and Wales before committal for trial.)

(b) *Summary procedure.* On apprehension the court has power, without calling on the accused to plead, to adjourn the case for further inquiry for a period not exceeding seven (or, exceptionally, twenty-one) days from the date of his apprehension and may commit him to prison during the adjournment.

Bail. Persons in custody, other than those charged with murder and treason, may be liberated on bail by the Sheriff or, if the offence is within their jurisdiction, by other courts of summary jurisdiction until the time fixed for their appearance in court. Under Section 37 of the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1963, application may be made to the Court for review of refusal of bail or of the amount of bail fixed. There is a right of appeal to the High Court by the accused person against the refusal of bail, by the Prosecutor against the granting of bail, or by either party against the amount fixed. The police are empowered to release on bail a person who has been apprehended where the offence is within the jurisdiction of a summary court other than the Sheriff Court.

Failure to appear in court at the specified time results, as a rule, in forfeiture of the bail and subsequent apprehension.

Trial on indictment

First (pleading) diet. The pleading diet takes place in the Sheriff Court, whether the accused is to be tried in that court or in the High Court. The accused is called upon to plead guilty or not guilty. If he pleads not guilty, the case is continued to the second (trial) diet in the appropriate court. If he pleads guilty, and it is a case which is to be dealt with in the Sheriff Court, the Sheriff may then dispose of the case. If it is a High Court case, it is continued to the second diet in the High Court for disposal only.

Second (trial) diet. This is held at least nine days after the pleading diet, before the Sheriff or High Court according to Crown Counsel's instructions. A jury of fifteen is empanelled. Evidence is led (without opening speeches) and there are closing speeches for the prosecution and then for the defence, followed by the judge's charge to the jury. The jury may acquit the accused by finding him "not guilty" or the charge against him "not proven" or they may convict him by finding him "guilty". The verdict may be by a majority. If the verdict is "guilty" the court proceeds to dispose of the case.

Accelerated ("section 31") procedure. A person accused may give written notice that he intends to plead guilty, and thus avoid the delay which would be involved in the preparation of the prosecution's full case. He is then served with an indictment citing him to appear before the Sheriff at a diet not less than four days thereafter. If he pleads guilty, the court proceeds to dispose of the case.

Remit to High Court for sentence. A Sheriff may, either on a plea of guilty or after trial, remit an accused to the High Court for disposal if he holds, for instance because of the aggravated nature of the case, that the question of sentence should be disposed of by that court.

Summary trial

At the first calling of the case the accused is asked to plead to the charge. If he pleads guilty, the court may dispose of the case. Where the plea is not guilty, the court may proceed to trial at once or it may appoint a trial diet for a later date. (If the accused is brought before the court on apprehension, he is entitled to an adjournment of 48 hours and the court may also adjourn the case for other reasons.) Evidence is then heard and the court decides the case. The court may acquit the accused by finding him "not guilty" or the charge against him "not proven" or it may convict him by finding him "guilty". In the latter case the court proceeds to dispose of the case. (Cases in which the accused is disposed of without the recording of a conviction are described below.)

Adjournment for inquiry after conviction

All courts have the power to adjourn a case after conviction (or a finding that the accused committed the offence) and before sentence for the purpose of determining the most suitable method of disposal.

Powers of Court and Methods of Disposal—Summary Courts

(1) *Powers of imprisonment, fine and caution.* In the case of common law offences courts of summary jurisdiction other than the Sheriff (and stipendiary magistrate, whose powers are those of the Sheriff) may impose a sentence of imprisonment not exceeding 60 days or a fine not exceeding £50, and have power to ordain the accused to find caution for good behaviour for a period not exceeding six months and to an amount not exceeding £50; the Sheriff's summary powers are imprisonment not exceeding three (or, in some cases, six) months, a fine not exceeding £150 and caution for a maximum period of one year and a maximum of £150. In the case of offences created by statute the powers of the court are laid down by the statute.

(2) *Absolute discharge.* The court may discharge the accused absolutely. In this case, though it must be satisfied that he committed the offence, it does not proceed to conviction.

(3) *Probation.* The court may require the offender to be placed for a period of not less than one or more than three years under the supervision of a probation officer. The probation order, with which the accused must have expressed willingness to comply and which is made without the court proceeding to a conviction, may include a requirement that the accused undergoes medical treatment, or any other requirement that the court considers appropriate and the offender has agreed to observe.

(4) *Admonition.* The court may dismiss the accused with an admonition.

(5) *Deferred sentence.* The court may defer sentence on the accused for a period.

(6) *Detention of younger offenders.* Imprisonment may not be imposed on any person under 21 years of age. No sentence inferring detention may be imposed on any person under 21 years of age unless, after considering a report on his character and circumstances, the court decides that no other method is appropriate. (A summary court must record its reasons for this decision). The following are the special forms of detention for persons aged 16 or over and under 21 :

(a) *Borstal training.* The sheriff summary court and a stipendiary magistrate's court, may, where a person aged 16 or over and under 21 is convicted of an offence punishable with imprisonment and after considering a report on his suitability for the sentence, sentence him to borstal training, *i.e.*, to training in a Borstal Institution for a period not exceeding two years and subsequent supervision on licence.

(b) *Detention in a detention centre.* A summary court may, where a person aged 16 or over and under 21 is convicted of an offence punishable with imprisonment, sentence him to a fixed period of three months in a detention centre. (This sentence is at present only available to the sheriff summary court and a stipendiary magistrate's court).

(c) *Detention in a young offenders institution.* A summary court may, where a person aged 16 or over and under 21 is convicted of an offence punishable with imprisonment, impose on him a sentence of detention in a young offenders institution for a period not exceeding the period of imprisonment which it could competently have imposed on an adult. The court must first satisfy itself that neither a sentence of borstal training nor a sentence of detention in a detention centre should be imposed.

(7) *Restrictions on imprisonment.* Provisions similar to those described in (6) above restricting the detention of younger offenders apply to the imprisonment of adults classified as "first offenders" under the First Offenders (Scotland) Act 1960.

Powers of Court and Methods of Disposal--Courts of Solemn Jurisdiction

Subject only to the maximum penalties that may be laid down for any offence by statute, the High Court of Justiciary has unlimited powers of imprisonment, fine and caution. The Sheriff's power of imprisonment is restricted to a maximum of two years. The other methods of disposal available to the summary courts are available to the courts exercising solemn jurisdiction but in the case of absolute discharge and probation a conviction is recorded.

Special provisions relating to the prosecution of children

Special arrangements apply where a "child", in the definition of that word for the purposes of Part III of the Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968, is prosecuted before the High Court or Sheriff Court. (As indicated above, burgh and justice of the peace courts do not have jurisdiction to try children.) The court is required to have special regard to the welfare of the child; in summary proceedings (except where the child is tried jointly with an adult) there are separate rules of court, appropriate to the age of the accused, governing procedure in court; there are also restrictions on the persons who may be present in court and on public reporting of the identity of the accused.

Custody awaiting trial. Instead of remand in custody to a penal institution, the child is committed for detention to the local authority, although if he has attained the age of 14 he may exceptionally be committed to such an institution.

Finding of guilt. No conviction may be recorded against a child; instead, the court makes a "finding of guilt".

Disposal. The sentences not involving detention may be imposed on a child as on older persons. A child convicted on indictment may be ordered to be detained for such period as the court may specify; and, if convicted summarily, for a period not exceeding two years. In each case, the place of detention is decided by Secretary of State and the child may be released on licence at any time during the period. In addition, the court may remit the child to a Children's Hearing, which then has the same powers to order compulsory measures of care as in a case referred to it by the reporter.

Special provisions relating to mental disorder

Courts have power, when remanding an accused awaiting trial or sentence to commit him to detention in hospital if, on medical evidence, he appears to be suffering from mental disorder.

It is the duty of the prosecution to bring before the court any evidence it has about the mental condition of the accused.

Summary courts other than the Sheriff Court are required to remit to the Sheriff any person charged before them who appears to be suffering from mental disorder.

Where a person is convicted of a crime or offence and the court is satisfied, on the evidence of two medical practitioners, that he is suffering from mental disorder (which includes mental illness and mental deficiency) of a nature and degree which warrants his compulsory detention in hospital or subjection to guardianship, the court may make a hospital order or guardianship order, as the case may be. (In summary proceedings, the order may be made without a conviction, if the court is satisfied that the accused did the act charged.) The person's subsequent treatment (discharge, etc.) then falls to be dealt with by the appropriate medical authorities in a similar way to a person compulsorily detained in hospital or subjected to guardianship on account of mental disorder under ordinary civil procedures.

Where, on medical evidence, the court considers that there is a special risk that the person, as a result of his mental disorder, would commit offences if set at large, it may add to a hospital order an order restricting discharge ("restriction order"), the effect of which is to transfer from the medical authorities to the Secretary of State responsibility for decisions on discharge and other matters affecting the public safety.

Unfitness to plead on account of mental condition stands in bar of trial ("insanity in bar of trial"); the issue is normally decided by the judge of trial, not by a jury. In indictment proceedings there is a defence of "insanity at the time of the crime", that, because of his mental condition, the accused was not criminally responsible for his act and should therefore be acquitted by the jury. On an acquittal on account of insanity at the time of the crime or a finding of unfitness to plead in indictment proceedings the court is required to make an order of the same effect as a hospital order together with a restriction order; on a

finding of unfitness to plead in summary proceedings the court is required to make a hospital order and has discretion to add a restriction order.

Appeal

A person convicted on indictment in the High Court or Sheriff Court may appeal to the High Court of Justiciary (a) against his conviction on any ground which involves a question of law alone, or, with the leave of the High Court or upon the certificate of the judge who presided at the trial that it is a fit case for appeal, on any ground : and (b) against his sentence, with the leave of the High Court, unless the sentence is one fixed by law as in the mandatory sentence of life-imprisonment for murder.

A person convicted summarily may appeal to the High Court by Stated Case or Bill of Suspension, but only on questions of law, procedure, etc., and not on issues of fact.

Appeals by persons convicted on indictment or by summary procedure are heard and determined by three of the Lords Commissioners of Justiciary, but a larger number may sit if the court considers it appropriate.

Explanatory Notes and Definitions

Crimes and offences made known to the police

The figures include all crimes and offences made known to the police during the year, whether committed by the same or different persons, and whether any apprehension took place during the year or not. Offences reported to the police, and subsequently discovered not to have occurred (such as the loss of personal property afterwards found to have been mislaid), are not included.

Crimes and offences in which one or more persons were apprehended, cited, warned, etc., or traced

The figures include the crimes and offences in which one or more persons were referred to a reporter, to a children's hearing, warned, cautioned or admonished, either orally or by letter, by the police or a prosecutor, in addition to those in which one or more persons were apprehended or cited or traced.

Persons proceeded against

The figures show the number of persons proceeded against, not the number of crimes and offences. Where, therefore, any person is charged at the same time with several offences, one of these has to be selected for tabulation. The rule followed is to select that offence for which the proceedings were carried to the furthest stage. If there were several convictions or findings of guilt, the offence selected is that for which the heaviest punishment was awarded. If the final result of proceedings on two or more charges is the same, the most serious offence appears in the tables.

Murder

The number of crimes shown in the tables represents the number of complete acts of murder, irrespective of the number of persons killed. Thus, an act by

which two or more persons are killed at the same time, or a succession of immediately consecutive acts, comprising one complete incident in which more than one person is killed, is recorded as one case of murder.

Crimes—judicial determination

If there is a committal or conviction or finding of guilt within the year, the tables show the nature of the crime as judicially determined. Failing this, the charge which is named in the petition or warrant on which the prisoner is arrested is taken as determining the crime. If there are no proceedings and no apprehension the character of the crime is judged by the facts so far as known to the police.

Calendar years

All the tables are for the calendar year ending 31st December (unless otherwise indicated) and includes only persons finally disposed of within the year. Where a case is pending at the end of the year (e.g. tried but sentence postponed) it is reserved for inclusion in the following year's tables. Figures for cases made known to the police during the calendar year therefore cannot be compared with figures for persons disposed of in the same period.

Persons committed till liberated in due course of law

Cases where the accused has been fully committed till liberated in due course of law although afterwards ordered by Crown Counsel to be disposed of summarily and cases reported for the instructions of Crown Counsel are excluded from the tables showing proceedings in Summary Courts, and included in the tables showing proceedings after full committal.

Counties and burghs

In the tables relating to areas, the figures shown under counties, include burghs as well as the landward areas administered by County Councils, with the exception of the four counties of cities (Edinburgh, Glasgow, Aberdeen and Dundee) whose figures are shown separately.

“ Charge proved ; order made without conviction or finding of guilt ”

The figures include persons who were ordered to be absolutely discharged or placed on probation under the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1949, together with persons ordered to be detained in hospital or placed under guardianship under the Mental Health (Scotland) Act 1960.

“ Otherwise discharged ”

The figures include cases in which, although the prisoner may not have been tried, a simple liberation did not follow, e.g., military prisoners remitted to their regiments for trial ; juveniles arrested by the police after absconding from approved schools and sent back to school without further punishment.

“Imprisonment”

The figures do not include terms of imprisonment in default of paying fines or of finding sureties. Where sentences of preventive detention and corrective training were imposed (none were imposed during the year), these are included.

Fines

The figures include all cases in which a fine is imposed, whether it is paid or not.

“Time between full committal and disposal”

The period is calculated in all cases from the date on which the accused is committed till liberated in due course of law. In the case of persons who plead guilty at a pleading diet, the period ends on that day; where a plea of guilty is not tendered at a pleading diet, the period ends on the day of trial. Portions of a week are ignored.

Remits from Sheriff Court

Where a prisoner has pleaded guilty in a Sheriff Court and is remitted (under section 31 of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1887) to the High Court of Justiciary for sentence, the case does not appear in the Sheriff Court figures but in the statistics of the High Court. This also applies in the case of a person remitted under section 2 of the Criminal Procedure (Scotland) Act 1921.

Classified List of Crimes and Offences

Cases of attempting to commit or of aiding, abetting, counselling or procuring the commission of any of the following offences are included under the heading of the offence, except in cases in which a separate heading is provided.

- Class I—Crimes against the Person**
1. Murder.
 2. Attempts to murder.
 3. Culpable homicide.
 1. Other than 2 below.
 2. While driving or in charge of a motor vehicle.
 4. Assaults :
 1. Assaults on, etc., officers of the law.
 2. Assaults by husbands on wives.
 3. Other serious bodily assaults.
 5. Threats.
 6. Cruel and unnatural treatment of children :
 1. Cruelty to children (incl. Sec. 12 of Children & Young Persons (Scot.) Act 1937).
 2. Unnatural treatment of children (incl. Secs. 13 and 14 of Children & Young Persons (Scot.) Act 1937).
 7. Procuring abortion.
 8. Concealment of pregnancy.
 9. Incest.
 10. Unnatural crimes :
 1. Sodomy.
 2. Bestiality.
 3. Assaults to commit unnatural crimes.
 11. Rape.
 12. Assaults with intent to ravish.
 13. Indecent assault.
 14. Lewd and libidinous practices towards children.
 15. Procurement and other offences against the Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc. :
 1. Procurement.
 2. Defilement of girl under 13.
 3. Defilement of girl under 16.
 4. Carnal knowledge of defective or lunatic female.
 5. Householder permitting defilement of girl, or defective, or lunatic.
 6. Abducting girl under 18, or defective, or lunatic.
 7. Indecency with males.
 8. Person having custody, etc., of girl, etc., causing her seduction, etc.
 9. Immoral traffic.
 16. Bigamy.
 17. Other crimes against the person :
 1. Celebrating marriage without certificates.
 2. Culpable neglect of duty.
 3. Child stealing (Plagium).
 4. Reckless conduct with firearms.
 5. Possessing firearms with intent to injure.
 6. Blasting—reckless use of explosives (injury to person).
 7. Flying aircraft to danger of person.
 8. Abduction.
 9. Sending unseaworthy ships to sea.
 10. Leaving seamen abroad.
 11. Endangering ship by breach of duty.
 12. Mental Health (Scotland) Act 1960. (Sec. 95).
 13. Carrying offensive weapons.
 14. Exposing children under seven to risk of burning.
 15. Cruel and unnatural treatment of an adult.
 16. Causing death of another person by driving a motor vehicle recklessly or carelessly.
- Class II—Crimes against Property with Violence.**
18. Housebreaking :
 1. Theft by housebreaking.
 2. Theft by opening lockfast places.
 3. Housebreaking with intent to enter and steal.
 4. Attempted housebreaking with intent to enter and steal.
 19. Robbery and assaults with intent to rob.
 20. Other crimes against property with violence.
 1. Flying aircraft to danger of property.
 2. Blasting—reckless use of explosives (damage to property).
 3. Explosive Substances Act 1883 (Secs. 2 and 3).
- Class III—Crimes against Property without Violence.**
21. Theft.
 1. Theft (of value £5 and over), other than motor vehicle.
 2. Theft of motor vehicle (including motor cycle).
 3. Theft of value less than £5.
 22. Reset.
 23. Breach of trust and embezzlement.
 24. Falsehood, fraud and wilful imposition :
 1. False statement to obtain pension, insurance benefit, etc.
 2. Other fraud.
 25. Bankruptcy, offences in connection with.
 26. Post Office offences :
 1. By officials.
 2. Not by officials.
 27. Other crimes against property without violence :
 1. Taking motor vehicle without consent of owner (disposal of indictment cases only).
 2. Clandestine removal of property (other than 1).
 3. Prevention of Corruption Acts.
 4. Stamp Act 1891. (Secs. proper to Class III).
 5. Public Stores Act 1875. (Sec. 7).
- Class IV—Malicious Injuries to Property.**
28. Fire-raising :
 1. Wilful fire-raising.
 2. Culpable and reckless fire-raising.
 29. Other malicious injuries :
 1. Killing or maiming cattle.
 2. Maliciously setting fire to furze, heath, etc.
 3. Endangering railway passengers.
 4. Other malicious injuries to property.

Class V—Forgery and Crimes against Currency.

30. Forgery and uttering :
1. Forgery and uttering a forged document.
2. Forgery or fraudulent use of trademarks.
3. Forgery of licences, certificates of insurance, etc., under Road Traffic Act 1960.
31. Coining :
1. Counterfeiting coins, or altering etc., with intent to counterfeit.
2. Uttering, etc., counterfeit coin or medal.
3. Others.

Class VI—Other Crimes not included in above Classes.

Crimes against the State and Public Order :

32. Treason and treason felony.
33. Mobbing and rioting.
34. Other crimes against the State and Public Order :

1. Official Secrets Acts.
2. Trading with the Enemy Act 1939.
3. Explosive Substances Act 1883. (Sec. 5).
4. Sedition.
35. Crimes against Public Justice :
1. Perjury and subornation.
2. Bribery of voters (Representation of the People Act 1949. (Sec. 99 and 100)).
3. Personation at elections (Representation of the People Act 1949. (Sec. 47)).
4. Other offences against the Representation of the People Act 1949. (proper to Class VI).
5. Public nuisance (making false statements to the police).
6. False accusation.
7. Pervarication on oath, etc.
8. Escape and rescue (incl. prison-breaking).
9. Assisting a person suffering from mental disorder to escape.
10. Breach of interdict.
11. Personation of Police.

36. Indecent exposure.

37. Other crimes :

1. Poaching by night (3rd offence).
2. Trespassing by night in pursuit of game.
3. Three persons, armed in pursuit of game.
4. Habitual drunkenness.
5. Sacrilege.
6. Wrecking.
7. Piracy.
8. Medical Acts.
9. Venereal Diseases Act 1917.
10. Dangerous Drugs Acts.
11. Moneylenders Act 1927.
12. Pharmacy and Poisons Acts.

Class VII—Miscellaneous Offences.

38. Adulteration (of food and drugs, etc. incl. Seeds Acts, Fertilisers and Feeding Stuffs Acts, and Food and Drugs Acts, so far as they relate to this offence).

39. Aliens Acts.
40. Approved Schools.
41. Betting, gaming, and lotteries.
42. Breach of the peace, etc. :
1. Petty assaults.
2. Breach of the peace.
3. Attempted suicide.
43. Brokers (Licensed) and Auction Act.
44. Brothel keeping.
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts (proper to Class VII, not shown separately).
46. Civil Imprisonment Act 1882.
47. Contempt of court.
48. Cruelty to animals.
49. Diseases of Animals Acts.
50. Dogs.
51. Education Acts.
52. Employment of Children and Young Persons.
53. Explosives, Firearms, and Petroleum (proper to Class VII).
1. Explosives.
2. Firearms.
3. Petroleum.
54. Fishery Laws.
Offences relating to Salmon and Freshwater Fish :
1-10. Salmon and Freshwater Fisheries (Protection) (Scotland) Act 1951. (Sec. 1).
11. Other Salmon Fisheries (Scotland) Acts.
12. Tweed Fisheries Acts.
13. Trout (Scotland) Acts.
14. Other offences not detailed above.
Offences relating to Sea Fisheries :
15. Herring Fishery (Scotland) Act 1889. (Sec. 5—daylight fishing for herring and week end close-time).
16. Ibid. (Sec. 6 or Byelaw No. 10—illegal trawling by British vessels).
17. Ibid. (Sec. 6—illegal trawling by foreign vessels).
18. Byelaw No. 17—illegal seine net fishing.
19. Sea Fisheries Act 1883. (Sec. 7—illegal fishing by foreign vessels).
20. Ibid. (Sec. 14 (2)—refusing to obey a British Sea Fishery Officer).
21. Illegal Trawling (Scotland) Act 1934. (Sec. 4 (1)—trawling gear outboard in prohibited area).
22. Sea-Fishing Industry (Crabs and Lobsters) Order 1966.
23. Sea-Fishing Industry (Immature Sea Fish) Order 1968.
24. Sea-Fishing Industry (Fishing Nets) Order 1968.
25. Other offences not detailed above.
55. Furious and reckless driving :
1. Bicycles, etc. (not under Road Acts).
3. Other offences (not under Road Acts).
56. Game Laws :
1. Day poaching.
2. Illegal buying or selling of game.
3. Poaching Prevention Act, and unlawful possession of game.
4. Night poaching (1st and 2nd offences).

5. Ground Game Act, and Agriculture (Scotland) Act 1948. (Sec. 50).

57. Harbour Acts, etc.

1. Harbour Acts, etc.
2. Oil in navigable water.
58. Indecent advertisements and obscene publications.

Intoxicating Liquor Laws.

59. Drunkenness :

1. Drunk and incapable.
2. Drunk and disorderly.
3. Drunk in charge of a child, etc.
4. Drunk and attempting to enter licensed premises.
5. Drunk or drinking in a shebeen.
6. Disorderly on licensed premises or refusing to quit.
60. Offences by licensed persons :
1. Selling drink to habitual drunkards.
2. Sale of drink to persons under 18.
3. Breaches of certificate.
4. Employment in bar of person under 18.

61. Other offences against Intoxicating Liquor Laws :

1. Carriage of liquor in a contract carriage.
2. Consuming outwith permitted hours.
3. Trafficking without a licence.
4. Clubs, offences in connection with.
5. Hawking excisable liquor.
6. Person under 18 buying or consuming excisable liquor in a bar.
7. Clerk to the Licensing Court, etc., not to act professionally in licensing matters.
8. Purchase of excisable liquor on Sunday for consumption off the premises.
9. Consuming intoxicating liquor on licensed premises on credit.
10. Inducing holder of off sale certificate to sell excisable liquor illegally.
11. Purchasing excisable liquor for consumption by a person under 18 years.
12. Other offences.

Labour Laws :

62. Factory Acts.
63. Mines Acts.
64. Shops Acts.
65. Other offences against Labour Laws :
1. Theatrical Employers Registration Acts 1925 and 1928.
2. Truck Acts.
3. Agricultural Wages Acts.
4. Conspiracy and offences against the Protection of Property Act 1875. (Secs. 4 to 6).
5. Wages Councils Act 1959.
6. Catering Wages Acts.
7. Agriculture (Safety, Health and Welfare) Provisions Act 1956.
66. Merchant Shipping Acts (proper to Class VII).
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws :
1. Absentees and deserters.
2. Other offences.

68. Parks, etc.

69. Pawnbrokers and Moneylenders Acts :
1. Unlawful pledging.
2. Other offences by pawnbrokers.
3. Offences by moneylenders.

70. Pedlars and Hawkers Acts.

71. Police Acts, Bye-Laws and Regulations (not shown separately) :
1. Offences relating to constables.
2. Offences relating to buildings.
3. Offences relating to streets.
4. Offences relating to vehicles (other than parking).
5. Offences relating to footpaths.
6. Offences relating to bathing, skating, etc.
7. Other offences.
8. Motor vehicle parking offences.

72. Prevention of Crimes Act 1871.

73. Prostitution.

74. Public health :

1. River pollution.
2. Sanitary laws.
3. Land Valuation Acts.
4. Milk Acts.
5. Cinematograph Acts.
6. Rag, Flock and Other Filling Materials Act 1951.
7. Water (Scotland) Acts 1946-1967.
8. Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Acts.
9. National Health Service (Scotland) Acts 1947 and 1949.
10. The Prevention of Damage by Pests Act 1949.
11. Housing (Scotland) Acts 1950-1968.
12. Clean Air Act 1956 and 1968.
13. Control of Development Act 1960.
75. Railways.
76. Registration Acts.
77. Revenue and Excise Laws.
78. Bicycles, offences relating to.
1. Recklessly or dangerously riding (R.T.A. 1960, Sec. 9).
2. Careless riding (R.T.A. 1960, Sec. 10 (1)).
3. Drunk whilst riding (R.T.A. 1960, Sec. 11 (1)).
4. Other offences (excluding drunk in charge).

79. Pedestrians, offences relating to.
81. Obstruction and nuisances (Roads and Bridges (Scotland) Act 1878).

82. Taking a motor vehicle without consent of the owner (except disposal of indictment cases).

83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations.

85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts :
1. Begging.
2. Lighting fires without consent of owner.
3. Lodging without consent of owner.
4. Other offences.

86. Weights and Measures Acts.

87. Wild Birds Protection Acts.

88. Wireless Telegraphy Act 1949-1967.

89. Other offences :

1. Prisons (Scotland) Act 1952. (Sec. 30).
2. Newspapers, Printers and Reading Rooms Repeal Act 1869.
3. Public Stores Act 1875.
4. Registration of Business Names Act 1916.
5. Nurses (Scotland) Act 1951-1969.
6. Dentists Acts.
7. Rent and Mortgage Interest (Restrictions) Acts 1920 and 1938.
8. Methylated Spirit (Sale by Retail) (Scotland) Act 1937.
9. House to House Collections Act 1939.
10. Goods and Services (Price Control) Acts.
11. Rent of Furnished Houses Control (Scotland) Act 1943-Rent Act 1965.
12. Family Allowances Act 1965 and 1967.
13. National Insurance Acts.
14. National Insurance (Industrial Injuries) Acts.
15. Hill Farming Act 1946.
16. Electricity (Scotland) Acts.
17. Agriculture Acts.
18. Companies Acts 1948-1967.
19. Statistics of Trade Act 1947.
20. Building Materials and Housing Act 1945.
21. Gas Acts 1948-1965.
22. National Assistance Acts and Ministry of Social Security Acts.
23. Agricultural Holdings (Scotland) Act 1949.
24. Patents Acts 1949-1961.
25. Fire Services Act 1947. (Sec. 30 (2))
26. Prisons (Scotland) Act 1952. (Sec. 23).
27. Emergency Powers Act 1964.
28. Forestry Act 1967.
29. Solicitors (Scotland) Acts 1933-65.
30. Pet Animals Act 1951.
31. Crofters Common Grazings Regulation Act 1908.
32. Public Utilities Street Works Act 1950.
33. Consumer Protection Act 1961.
34. Veterinary Surgeons Acts 1948 and 1966.
35. Copyright Acts.
36. Litter Acts 1958-1971.
37. Rent Acts 1957-1968.
38. Air Navigation Order 1966.
39. Local Government (Scotland) Act 1947. (Sec. 73(1)).
40. Restriction of Offensive Weapons Acts 1959 and 1961.
41. Nursing Homes Registration (Scotland) Act 1938.
42. Advertisements (Hire Purchase) Act 1967.
43. Architects Registration Acts 1931-1938.
44. Noise Abatement Act 1960.
45. Hire Purchase and Credit Sale Agreement (Control) Order 1964.
46. Cancer Act 1939. (Sec. 4(1)).
47. Deposit of Poisonous Waste Act 1972 Sec. 1.
48. Adoption Acts 1958-1968.
49. Census Act 1920.
50. Therapeutic Substances Act 1956.

51. Industrial Provident Societies Act 1965.
52. Destructive Imported Animals Act 1932.
53. Riding Establishment Act 1964 (ch. 70) (without a licence).
54. Race Relations Act 1965.
55. Legal Aid (Scotland) Act 1967.
56. Civic Amenities Act 1967.
57. Trade Descriptions Act 1968.
58. Tattooing of Minors Act 1969.
59. Social Work (Scotland) Act 1968.
60. Redundancy Payments Act 1965.
90. Malicious mischief :
 1. Minor damage to property.
 2. False fire alarms.
91. Deer (Scotland) Acts 1959 and 1967.
- Motor Vehicle Offences :
 300. Driving recklessly or at a speed or in a manner dangerous to the public; careless driving; without due care and attention; without reasonable consideration.
 301. Driving a motor vehicle when unfit to drive through drink or drugs.
 302. In charge of, but not driving, a motor vehicle while unfit to drive through drink or drugs.
 303. Exceeding speed limit relating to built-up areas.
 304. Exceeding speed limit outside built-up areas.
 305. Driver's neglect of traffic directions (other than pedestrian crossings).
 306. Contravention by drivers of pedestrian crossing regulations.
 307. Failing to stop after accident or to report accident, to give name, etc., or produce certificate of insurance.
 308. Parking Offences other than offences under section 42 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act, 1967
 309. Parking Offences in areas designated under section 42 of the R.T.R.A. 1967.
 310. Using vehicles without test certificate.
 311. Motorway traffic offences.
 312. Clearway offences.
 313. Driving while disqualified for holding or obtaining licence.
 314. Driving without a licence.
 315. Other driving licence offences.
 316. Failure to insure against third party risks.
 317. Other offences in connection with insurance against third party risks.
 318. Offences in connection with insurance, registration or identification mark (other than illumination).
 319. Offences in connection with lighting.
 320. Construction and Use Regulations (other than lighting).
 321. Offences in connection with records of work.
 322. Other offences relating to motor vehicles not included in above headings or recorded elsewhere.
 323. Driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit.
 324. In charge of, but not driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit.
 325. Failing to take a breath test; failing to provide blood or urine specimen.

Table 1

(a) Persons proceeded against : Analysis by class of crime or offence

	Average for five years ended		1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
	1954	1964								
All crimes and offences	116,632	180,444	206,116	215,252	205,472	214,781	222,765	225,286	215,698	234,801
Crimes	24,653	31,749	37,550	39,005	39,096	41,775	45,697	59,695	33,919	32,641
Against the person	1,470	2,558	3,491	3,706	3,819	3,576	3,488	3,679	3,709	3,854
Against property with violence	5,724	10,506	12,125	12,683	12,273	13,171	14,837	11,972	8,900	7,357
Against property without violence	13,987	17,713	20,507	20,986	22,914	24,934	24,934	21,366	18,752	18,330
Malicious injuries to property	3,113	310	525	567	585	788	818	684	597	858
Forgery, etc.	67	192	276	268	248	360	302	325	320	287
Other	292	470	626	795	925	966	1,318	1,669	1,641	1,955
Miscellaneous Offences	91,979	148,695	168,566	176,247	166,376	173,006	177,068	185,591	181,779	202,160

(b) Persons aged 16 and over against whom charge proved : Analysis by class of crime or offence

	Average for five years ended		1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
	1954	1964								
All crimes and offences	89,782	150,277	174,512	184,134	175,423	183,794	190,480	203,191	201,742	217,211
Crimes	14,071	20,393	24,411	25,828	26,388	27,633	30,404	30,623	30,058	28,225
Against the person	1,131	2,002	2,647	2,864	2,965	2,762	2,652	2,854	2,974	3,061
Against property with violence	2,864	5,842	6,776	7,168	7,028	7,172	8,360	8,371	7,779	6,180
Against property without violence	8,863	11,850	14,037	14,639	15,114	16,201	17,655	17,241	17,056	16,335
Malicious injuries to property	917	124	187	252	261	377	398	445	501	728
Forgery, etc.	58	173	239	239	273	316	303	292	303	259
Other	238	402	525	666	793	805	1,066	1,420	1,445	1,662
Miscellaneous Offences	75,711	129,884	150,101	158,306	149,035	156,161	160,076	172,568	171,684	188,986

Table 2

Crimes and offences made known to police, persons proceeded against and results of proceedings

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Crimes and offences					
Made known to police	410,098	431,036	467,027	481,227	505,699
In respect of which one or more persons apprehended, etc.	293,897	310,124	329,621	340,302	364,017
Persons proceeded against					
Total	214,781	222,765	225,286	215,698	234,800
Disposed of summarily:					
Total	211,866	219,465	221,773	212,447	231,861
Not tried	5,974	5,521	5,702	4,412	6,106
Pledges, etc., forfeited	2,294	2,234	1,836	1,914	2,520
Proceedings dropped and otherwise discharged	3,680	3,287	3,866	2,498	3,586
Tried	205,892	213,944	216,071	208,035	225,755
At Police and Burgh Courts	81,977	84,643	80,018	77,008	82,046
At Justice of Peace Courts	8,612	8,616	7,955	7,631	10,113
At Sheriff Courts	111,232	116,714	126,408	123,396	133,596
At Juvenile Courts (1)	4,071	3,971	—	—	—
Discharged on trial or dealt with under the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act, 1949	15,100	15,733	13,332	11,288	12,949
Convicted or found guilty	190,792	198,211	202,739	196,747	212,806
Disposed of after full committal (2)	2,915	3,300	3,513	3,251	2,940

(1) Constituted under the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937.
 (2) For analysis of these figures, see Tables 3 and 4.

Table 3

Persons proceeded against after full committal and results of proceedings

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
Persons proceeded against					
Total	2,915	3,300	3,513	3,251	2,940
Discharged, not called for trial	33	24	35	53	49
Called for trial	2,882	3,276	3,478	3,198	2,891
At High Court of Justiciary	135	130	139	167	135
At High Court of Justiciary on circuit	251	265	325	298	296
At Sheriff Courts:					
With a jury	1,123	1,254	1,602	1,588	1,443
Without a jury	1,373	1,627	1,412	1,145	1,017
Discharged on trial:					
Charge withdrawn	33	23	16	13	21
Not guilty	212	258	297	269	228
Not proven	87	96	115	133	110
Charge proved	2,548	2,883	3,033	2,772	2,528
Of whom previously convicted or found guilty	2,050	2,370	2,477	2,320	2,085
Unfit to plead or acquitted on account of insanity	2	16	17	11	4
Disposal of persons against whom charge proved					
Imprisonment	1,478	1,552	1,671	1,526	1,264
Young Offenders Institution	415	474	468	468	385
Borstal training	39	85	88	69	70
Detention Centre	54	71	68	60	54
Fine	350	452	449	408	450
Probation Order	112	122	149	110	135
Admitted	47	55	60	45	62
Remitted to Children's Hearing for disposal	—	—	3	8	18
Otherwise disposed of	53	72	77	68	90

Table 4

Persons proceeded against after full committal :
Analysis by type of crime

Crimes	Average for five years ended		1969	1970	1971	1972	1973
	1954	1964					
All Crimes and offences Total	1,731	2,628	2,915	3,300	3,513	3,251	2,940
Class I—Crimes against the person							
Total	538	650	923	980	1,048	1,031	1,044
1. Murder	9	16	30	30	53	46	40
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	2	7	25	39	48	43	38
3. Culpable Homicide	12	20	43	50	18	32	42
4. Assaults	194	304	523	556	621	646	670
5. Threats	6	14	10	11	38	13	19
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	9	5	5	12	14	11	2
7. Procuring Abortion	4	5	5	5	—	4	—
8. Concealment of Pregnancy	3	2	1	—	3	—	—
9. Incest	11	14	8	6	23	11	13
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	11	11	11	7	6	2	7
11. Rape	9	10	27	35	34	29	35
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	8	18	34	33	32	30	28
13. Indecent Assault	17	15	13	24	20	18	8
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices	122	69	42	36	36	33	42
15. Procuration, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	68	85	64	65	29	48	29
16. Bigamy	49	28	13	7	11	13	22
17. Other Crimes against the Person	4	27	69	64	62	52	49
Class II—Crimes against property with violence							
Total	501	906	861	1,072	1,078	969	763
18. Housebreaking	450	769	684	837	800	770	579
19. Robbery, and Assault with intent, etc.	49	136	176	235	278	197	180
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	2	1	1	—	—	2	4
Class III—Crimes against property without violence							
Total	483	745	730	782	766	734	558
21. Theft	215	382	429	437	446	357	299
22. Reset	63	90	88	108	104	84	53
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	61	80	67	71	69	78	53
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Imposition	96	149	89	104	107	157	129
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	2	2	2	2	1	1	—
26. Post Office Offences	38	35	42	39	16	27	19
27. Other Crimes against Property without Violence	8	7	13	21	23	30	5
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property							
Total	10	13	32	18	45	34	40
28. Fire-raising	7	11	26	15	36	32	36
29. Other Malicious Injuries	3	2	6	3	9	2	4
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency							
Total	15	15	23	19	27	46	11
30. Forgery and Uttering	14	14	23	18	25	41	10
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	1	1	—	1	2	5	1
Classes VI and VII—Other crimes and offences not included above							
Total	184	299	346	429	549	437	524
32. High Treason and Treason Felony	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. Mobbing and Rioting	3	4	37	49	50	49	53
34. Other Crimes against Public Order	6	11	—	1	1	7	13
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	9	17	17	32	57	41	43
36. Indecent Exposure	3	3	1	3	1	—	1
Other Crimes and Offences	163	264	291	344	440	340	414

Table 5

Crimes and offences made known to the police and persons proceeded against : Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Crimes and offences		Apprehensions and citations			Disposal of persons apprehended or cited									Total disposed of after full committal
	Number made known to police	Number in which one or more persons were apprehended, cited, warned, etc., or traced	Persons proceeded against whose cases were disposed of within the year			Disposed of summarily									
						Total			Not tried (discharged)		Tried—with courts of trial				
			Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Pledges, etc., forfeited	Proceedings dropped and otherwise discharged	Sheriff Courts	Police and Burgh Courts	Justice of Peace Courts		
All crimes and offences Total	505,699	364,016	234,801	211,807	22,994	231,861	208,986	22,875	2,520	3,586	133,596	82,046	10,113	2,940	
Class I-VI Total	168,015	67,156	32,641	27,910	4,731	30,092	25,470	4,622	14	679	22,543	6,139	717	2,549	
Class I—Crimes against the person	Total	8,480	7,195	3,854	3,630	224	2,810	2,622	188	—	81	2,675	44	10	1,044
1. Murder	43	40	*40	40	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	119	100	39	38	1	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	38
3. Culpable Homicide	34	33	45	39	6	3	3	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	42
4. Assaults	2,354	1,545	1,256	1,211	45	586	562	24	—	16	555	11	4	—	670
5. Threats	188	162	51	48	3	32	29	3	—	1	31	—	—	—	19
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	315	294	214	86	128	212	86	126	—	6	205	1	—	—	2
7. Procuring Abortion	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Concealment of Pregnancy	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Incest	36	31	14	13	1	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	13
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	43	37	8	8	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	7
11. Rape	101	78	45	45	—	10	10	—	—	4	6	—	—	—	35
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	140	96	31	31	—	3	3	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	28
13. Indecent Assault	618	364	123	123	—	115	115	—	—	3	108	4	—	—	8
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices	976	807	280	280	—	238	238	—	—	7	231	—	—	—	42
15. Procuration, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	673	612	267	267	—	238	238	—	—	11	225	1	—	—	29
16. Bigamy	32	34	32	26	6	10	7	3	—	—	10	—	—	—	22
17. Other Crimes against the Person	2,805	2,960	1,409	1,375	34	1,360	1,328	32	—	—	1,299	27	5	—	49
Class II—Crimes against property with violence	Total	66,006	17,531	7,357	6,977	380	6,594	6,226	368	—	125	6,180	268	21	763
18. Housebreaking	63,853	16,945	6,987	6,622	365	6,408	6,050	358	—	118	6,003	267	20	—	579
19. Robbery, and Assaults with intent, etc.	2,136	569	362	347	15	182	172	10	—	7	173	1	1	—	180
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	17	17	8	8	—	4	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	4
Class III—Crimes against property without violence	Total	80,986	35,880	18,330	14,531	3,799	17,772	14,016	3,756	12	401	11,391	5,360	608	558
21. Theft	71,983	28,568	15,009	11,732	3,277	14,710	11,445	3,265	10	308	8,777	5,036	579	—	299
22. Reset	1,102	1,075	814	698	116	761	650	111	—	26	639	87	9	—	53
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	422	366	251	193	58	198	153	45	—	3	172	21	2	—	53
24. Falsehood, Fraud, and Wilful Imposition	6,685	5,581	2,138	1,797	341	2,009	1,680	329	2	60	1,730	201	16	—	129
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	8	7	3	2	1	3	2	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
26. Post Office Offences	727	228	80	74	6	61	56	5	—	1	45	15	—	—	19
27. Other Crimes against Property without Violence	59	55	35	35	—	30	30	—	—	2	26	—	2	—	5
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property	Total	6,737	2,079	858	817	41	818	777	41	2	15	470	272	59	40
28. Fire-raising	1,091	518	106	100	6	70	64	6	—	2	66	2	—	—	36
29. Other Malicious Injuries	5,646	1,561	752	717	35	748	713	35	—	13	404	270	59	—	4
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency	Total	1,613	1,172	287	204	83	276	196	80	—	9	267	—	—	11
30. Forgery and Uttering	1,592	1,162	283	201	82	273	194	79	—	9	264	—	—	—	10
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	21	10	4	3	1	3	2	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	1
Class VI—Other crimes not included above	Total	4,193	3,299	1,955	1,751	204	1,822	1,633	189	—	48	1,560	195	19	133
32. High Treason and Treason } Crimes against the State Felonies } and Public Order	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. Mobbing and Rioting	24	21	127	122	5	74	72	2	—	20	54	—	—	—	53
34. Other Crimes	13	12	14	14	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	13
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	1,679	1,602	686	594	92	643	559	84	—	6	545	75	17	—	43
36. Indecent Exposure	1,483	683	314	314	—	313	313	—	—	9	183	119	2	—	1
37. Other Crimes	994	981	814	707	107	791	688	103	—	13	777	1	—	—	23

* In addition, two people were proceeded against for murder in 1973 outside Scotland.

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Table 5 continued

Crimes and offences made known to the police and persons proceeded against : Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Crimes and offences		Apprehensions and citations			Disposal of persons apprehended or cited								Total disposed of after full committal	
	Number made known to police	Number in which one or more persons were apprehended, cited, warned, etc., or traced	Persons proceeded against whose cases were disposed of within the year			Disposed of summarily									
						Total			Not tried (discharged)		Tried—with courts of trial				
			Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Pledges, etc., forfeited	Proceedings dropped and otherwise discharged	Sheriff Courts	Police and Burgh Courts	Justice of Peace Courts		
Class VII—Miscellaneous offences	Total	337,684	296,860	202,160	183,897	18,263	201,769	183,516	18,253	2,506	2,907	111,053	75,907	9,396	391
38. Adulteration of Food and Drugs Acts	439	442	289	279	10	289	279	10	—	6	259	24	—	—	—
39. Aliens Acts, Offences against	30	30	9	9	—	9	9	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—
41. Betting, Gaming, and Lotteries	205	205	120	108	12	113	101	12	—	3	65	44	1	7	—
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	66,200	61,138	50,427	46,414	4,013	50,190	46,185	4,005	145	715	13,357	31,222	4,751	237	—
43. Brokers (Licensed) and Auction Act Offences	14	13	5	5	—	5	5	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—
44. Brothel keeping	7	7	10	—	8	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts, Offences against (not shown separately)	111	103	62	50	12	62	50	12	—	2	12	42	6	—	—
47. Contempt of Court	204	209	153	116	37	153	116	37	—	—	72	66	15	—	—
48. Cruelty to Animals	171	156	80	69	11	80	69	11	—	2	74	4	—	—	—
49. Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against	87	88	64	54	10	64	54	10	—	—	31	33	—	—	—
50. Dogs, Offences in relation to	1,750	1,471	873	566	307	873	566	307	—	60	292	337	184	—	—
51. Education Acts, Offences against	2,044	2,039	1,328	841	487	1,328	841	487	—	3	180	102	1,037	—	—
52. Employment of Children, Offences relating to	166	152	109	103	6	109	103	6	—	3	5	100	1	—	—
53. Explosives, Offences in relation to	1,528	1,455	631	623	8	624	616	8	—	8	592	20	4	7	—
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	577	485	385	382	3	382	379	3	—	1	373	3	5	—	—
55. Furious and Reckless Driving	5	5	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
56. Game Laws, Offences against	240	229	227	226	1	227	226	1	—	2	222	—	—	3	—
57. Harbour Acts, etc., Offences against	78	79	83	23	60	83	23	60	—	—	2	81	—	—	—
58. Indecent Advertisements and Publications	43	40	41	30	11	41	30	11	—	2	2	37	—	—	—
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against															
59/1. Drunk and Incapable	17,354	17,176	15,941	14,209	1,732	15,941	14,209	1,732	2,273	140	104	12,184	1,240	—	—
59/2. Drunk and Disorderly	164	164	170	149	21	170	149	21	2	2	6	154	6	—	—
59/3. Drunk in Charge of a Child, etc.	136	134	118	60	58	118	60	58	—	—	7	107	3	—	—
59/4. Drunk and Entering Licensed Premises	11	10	8	8	—	8	8	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—
59/5, 59/6. Other Drunkenness Offences	128	126	79	69	10	79	69	10	3	1	11	54	10	—	—
60. Offences by Licensed Persons	403	399	220	172	48	220	172	48	—	11	26	133	50	—	—
61. Other Offences	2,444	2,431	1,755	1,475	280	1,755	1,475	280	—	11	89	1,456	199	—	—
Labour Laws, Offences against															
62. Factory Acts	84	81	41	41	—	41	41	—	—	—	41	—	—	—	—
63. Mines Acts	3	3	2	2	—	2	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
64. Shops Acts	225	225	224	205	19	224	205	19	—	—	—	219	—	—	—
65. Other Offences	5	4	3	3	—	3	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
66. Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against (other than those under Class I)															
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against	130	125	110	110	—	110	110	—	—	102	5	2	1	—	—
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to	74	73	93	92	1	93	92	1	—	7	—	85	1	—	—
69. Pawnbrokers and Moneylenders Acts, Offences against	1	3	2	1	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
70. Pedlars and Hawkers Acts, Offences against	13	8	9	8	1	9	8	1	—	—	—	9	—	—	—
71. Police Acts, Bye-Laws, Regulations	18,231	17,577	14,635	13,021	1,664	14,635	13,019	1,664	72	156	592	13,408	455	2	—
72. Prevention of Crimes Act, 1871	95	97	73	72	1	69	68	1	—	1	3	32	2	4	—
73. Prostitution	394	393	334	—	334	334	—	334	1	—	34	330	—	—	—
74. Public Health	233	232	171	158	13	171	158	13	—	3	65	102	1	—	—
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	203	203	127	112	15	127	112	15	—	10	110	4	—	—	—
76. Registration Acts, Offences against	53	49	17	4	13	17	4	13	—	1	16	—	—	—	—
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	11,443	10,760	5,067	4,849	218	5,067	4,849	218	—	476	2,763	1,397	431	—	—
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	484	460	138	131	7	138	131	7	—	2	53	80	3	—	—
79. Pedestrians, Offences in relation to	31	31	31	31	—	31	31	—	—	—	24	4	—	—	—
81. Obstructions and Nuisances (Roads and Bridges Act)	1,612	1,541	1,173	1,038	135	1,173	1,038	135	—	13	43	1,104	13	—	—
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of owner	14,884	4,049	1,805	1,763	42	1,776	1,734	42	—	39	1,737	—	—	—	—
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against	249	225	140	133	7	140	133	7	—	4	35	93	8	—	—
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	1,024	985	892	820	72	892	820	72	4	15	116	673	84	—	—
86. Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against	145	142	147	123	24	147	123	24	—	5	120	22	—	—	—
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against	50	46	19	19	—	19	19	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts, 1949-1967	4,573	4,549	4,257	2,690	1,567	4,257	2,690	1,567	—	22	4,200	35	—	—	—
89. Other Offences	4,626	4,341	2,835	2,509	326	2,835	2,509	326	—	70	1,765	823	177	—	—
90. Malignant Mischief	24,105	7,923	2,437	2,311	126	2,434	2,309	125	5	65	709	1,335	320	3	—
91. Deer (Scotland) Acts, 1959-1967	36	30	14	11	3	14	11	3	—	—	14	—	—	—	—
300, 303-322, 325. Offences relating to motor vehicles (excl. Drunk in Charge)	146,547	140,853	82,264	75,971	6,293	82,180	75,888	6,292	—	884	71,004	9,922	370	84	—
301, 302. Drunk in Charge, etc.	2,774	2,554	2,315	2,274	41	2,312	2,271	41	—	15	2,296	1	—	3	—
323, 324. Driving, or in charge of a motor vehicle with blood-alcohol concentration above the prescribed limit	10,756	10,451	9,484	9,335	149	9,472	9,323	149	—	37	9,432	3	—	12	—

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Table 6
Persons proceeded against in police areas :

Crimes and offences	All Areas	Counties of cities			
		Aberdeen	Dundee	Edinburgh	Glasgow
All crimes and offences ⁽¹⁾ Total	234,801	8,082	10,035	22,975	58,282
Crimes ⁽¹⁾ Total	32,641	1,414	1,507	3,873	8,642
1 and 2. Murder and attempts to Murder	79	—	—	6	39
3. Culpable Homicide	45	—	4	2	14
4. Assaults	1,256	46	75	107	339
5. Threats	51	2	—	5	8
6. Cruelty to Children	214	17	2	23	58
7, 9, and 15 (excluding 15/7), Procuring abortion, Incest, and certain contraventions of the Criminal Law Amendment Act	215	12	11	24	25
8, 15/7, and 17. Other Crimes against the Person	1,475	66	52	144	407
10. Unnatural Crimes and attempts	8	—	—	—	1
11, 12, and 13. Rape, Assaults with intent to ravish, and Indecent Assault	199	13	7	17	15
14. Lewd and libidinous practices towards Children	280	12	8	23	74
16. Bigamy	32	—	1	8	10
18. Housebreaking	6,987	217	367	646	1,891
19. Robbery	362	10	15	27	152
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	8	—	—	—	2
21-23. Theft, Reset and Embezzlement	16,074	781	720	2,065	4,724
24 and 25. Fraud, including Bankruptcy Frauds	2,141	108	81	320	295
26 and 27. Other Crimes against Property	115	6	3	13	38
28 and 29. Malicious Injuries to Property	858	44	53	59	24
30 and 31. Forgery and Crimes against Currency	387	9	14	61	50
32-34. Crimes against the State and Public Order	141	3	11	1	29
35. Perjury, Bribery, etc.	686	36	27	32	155
36. Indecent Exposure	314	9	18	42	70
37. Other Crimes	814	23	35	248	222
Miscellaneous Offences Total	202,160	6,668	8,528	19,102	49,640
41. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries	120	3	—	17	50
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	50,427	1,523	1,919	3,288	15,812
40, 45 and 52. Children, Offences against	171	—	2	4	132
48 and 50. Cruelty to Animals, etc.	953	24	72	23	31
49. Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against	64	1	32	—	—
51. Education Acts, Offences against	1,328	2	13	61	1,069
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	385	17	2	3	—
56. Game Laws, Offences against	227	—	2	—	—
57 and 66. Harbour Acts and Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against	145	67	—	1	45
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against					
59/1. Drunk and Incapable	15,941	346	976	1,274	4,658
59/2. Drunk and Disorderly	170	43	87	—	1
59/3-59/6. Other Drunkenness Offences	205	5	9	7	73
60-61. Other Offences	1,975	170	117	250	434
62-65. Labour Laws, Offences against	270	6	4	—	222
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against	110	—	30	15	3
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to	93	—	2	13	69
71. Police Acts and Regulations, Offences against	14,685	448	571	3,296	4,493
72. Prevention of Crimes Acts, Offences against	73	1	3	42	2
73. Prostitution (Loitering, etc.)	334	32	18	15	269
74. Public Health	171	1	1	4	106
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	127	7	—	—	—
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	5,067	151	217	354	1,550
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	138	2	2	12	9
79. Pedestrians, Offences in relation to	31	—	—	—	4
81. Obstructions and Nuisances (Roads and Bridges Act)	1,173	1	3	19	1,111
82. Taking motor vehicle without consent of owner	1,805	147	119	131	87
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against	140	11	13	10	34
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	892	81	13	202	71
86. Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against	147	4	15	10	30
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against	19	—	—	—	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts, 1949-1967	4,257	245	97	680	1,235
90. Malicious Mischief	2,437	125	101	194	240
38, 39, 43, 44, 46, 47, 53, 55, 58, 69, 70, 76, 89, 91. Other offences (including Defence Regulations)	4,017	93	168	231	1,334
300, 303-322, 325. Offences relating to motor vehicles (excl. drunk in charge)	82,264	2,732	3,489	8,190	14,217
301, 302. Drunk in Charge, etc.	2,315	14	4	86	1,177
323, 324. Driving or in charge of a motor vehicle with blood-alcohol concentration above the prescribed limit	9,484	367	418	669	1,072

(1) Includes one case of murder in which the specific police authority cannot be identified.

Table 6
Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Counties									
	Angus	Argyll	Ayr	Berwick, Roxburgh and Selkirk	Dumfries and Galloway	Dunbarton	Fife	Inverness	Lanark	Lothians and Peebles
All crimes and offences ⁽¹⁾ Total	3,132	3,149	11,995	4,148	6,275	8,137	9,914	4,357	20,839	12,614
Crimes ⁽¹⁾ Total	282	321	1,368	396	616	1,132	1,627	765	3,072	1,638
1 and 2. Murder and attempts to Murder	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	7	1
3. Culpable Homicide	—	1	2	—	—	3	—	1	1	3
4. Assaults	16	8	37	37	13	60	9	62	66	73
5. Threats	—	1	—	—	—	9	2	1	—	2
6. Cruelty to Children	4	3	—	9	8	—	18	6	5	22
7, 9, and 15 (excluding 15/7), Procuring abortion, Incest, and certain contraventions of the Criminal Law Amendment Act	1	8	12	3	4	5	9	4	9	29
8, 15/7, and 17. Other Crimes against the Person	6	14	89	24	13	45	74	23	167	78
10. Unnatural Crimes and attempts	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	2	2	—
11, 12, and 13. Rape, Assaults with intent to ravish, and Indecent Assault	5	1	21	1	4	15	10	2	26	6
14. Lewd and libidinous practices towards Children	—	3	21	4	10	4	23	4	15	29
16. Bigamy	—	1	1	—	1	—	4	2	—	1
18. Housebreaking	61	53	256	66	115	271	436	103	767	437
19. Robbery	4	4	11	1	1	15	15	13	30	14
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21-23. Theft, Reset and Embezzlement	130	147	706	160	292	503	642	410	1,463	671
24 and 25. Fraud, including Bankruptcy Frauds	14	3	64	31	84	53	183	66	235	62
26 and 27. Other Crimes against Property	2	6	2	—	2	10	2	2	9	1
28 and 29. Malicious Injuries to Property	24	20	69	26	23	51	91	12	104	92
30 and 31. Forgery and Crimes against Currency	—	3	11	6	13	29	7	5	20	8
32-34. Crimes against the State and Public Order	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
35. Perjury, Bribery, etc.	8	16	34	13	11	24	38	31	58	22
36. Indecent Exposure	3	4	14	2	1	10	14	6	30	39
37. Other Crimes	2	25	16	12	15	6	47	10	30	16
Miscellaneous Offences Total	2,850	2,828	10,627	3,752	5,659	7,005	8,287	3,592	17,767	10,976
41. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries	—	—	3	6	—	2	8	—	6	6
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	585	639	2,648	472	751	2,007	1,927	809	6,502	2,201
40, 45 and 52. Children, Offences against	1	2	5	—	1	—	—	1	1	5
48 and 50. Cruelty to Animals, etc.	27	44	45	32	43	23	46	25	57	200
49. Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	1	1	1
51. Education Acts, Offences against	19	21	14	32	25	57	14	10	—	5
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	7	5	3	5	8	12	4	—	60	25
56. Game Laws, Offences against	—	1	1	2	—	4	13	2	—	—
57 and 66. Harbour Acts and Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against										
59/1. Drunk and Incapable	262	243	768	128	91	665	210	577	1,416	208
59/2. Drunk and Disorderly	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
59/3-59/6. Other Drunkenness Offences	4	15	5	3	1	5	6	9	17	11
60-61. Other Offences	37	16	87	68	74	15	72	30	98	135
62-65. Labour Laws, Offences against	2	1	2	3	3	7	3	5	1	1
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against	8	—	—	4	4	15	20	—	7	2
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
71. Police Acts and Regulations, Offences against	148	179	1,030	310	446	178	325	227	610	727
72. Prevention of Crimes Acts, Offences against	—	1	4	—	2	—	2	—	5	3
73. Prostitution (Loitering, etc.)	—	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
74. Public Health	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	50	76	105	104	99	26	13	18	10	4
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	8	2	5	8	7	1	7	8	34	293
79. Pedestrians, Offences in relation to	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	4
81. Obstructions and Nuisances (Roads and Bridges Act)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
82. Taking motor vehicle without consent of owner	31	26	11	3	4	1	183	64	161	8
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against	—	—	—	1	—	4	5	1	13	10
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	2	16	32	2	14	18	10	27	160	19
86. Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against	2	—	7	—	5	16	11	7	8	10
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts, 1949-1967	53	15	332	9	35	121	367	18	260	3
90. Malicious Mischief	52	39	217	55	67	42	189	97	224	185
38, 39, 43, 44, 46, 47, 53, 55, 58, 69, 70, 76, 89, 91. Other offences (including Defence Regulations)	60	55	249	69	79	113	138	93	254	321
300, 303-322, 325. Offences relating to motor vehicles (excl. drunk in charge)	1,281	1,127	4,269	2,243	3,559	3,023	3,541	1,106	6,494	5,623
301, 302. Drunk in Charge, etc.	2	27	396	5	23	28	8	131	135	18
323, 324. Driving or in charge of a motor vehicle with blood-alcohol concentration above the prescribed limit	202	257	366	143	383	448	704	157	1,186	610

Table 6—continued
Persons proceeded against in police areas: Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Counties—continued					
	Northern (1)	Perth and Kinross	Renfrew and Bute	Ross & Sutherland	Scottish North-Eastern Counties (2)	Stirling and Clackmannan
All crimes and offences Total	1,631	6,197	21,890	2,799	9,371	8,978
Crimes Total	181	845	2,473	361	853	1,274
1 and 2, Murder and attempts to Murder	—	—	11	—	4	2
3, Culpable Homicide	—	1	7	—	1	2
4, Assaults	16	23	140	50	30	49
5, Threats	—	1	7	—	3	6
6, Cruelty to Children	2	2	20	—	8	7
7, 9, and 15 (excluding 15/7), Procuring abortion, Incest, and certain contraventions of the Criminal Law Amendment Act	—	—	—	—	—	—
8, 15/7, and 17, Other Crimes against the Person	1	8	18	5	19	8
10, Unnatural Crimes and attempts	—	—	—	—	—	—
11, 12, and 13, Rape, Assaults with intent to ravish, and Indecent Assault	7	43	136	6	29	52
14, Low and libidinous Practices towards Children	3	7	26	1	12	7
16, Bigamy	2	1	24	5	10	8
18, Housebreaking	—	—	3	—	—	—
19, Robbery	52	194	591	35	168	261
20, Other Crimes against Property with Violence	—	—	—	—	—	—
21-23, Theft, Reset and Embezzlement	68	394	1,077	158	366	597
24 and 25, Fraud, including Bankruptcy Frauds	7	69	185	50	113	118
26 and 27, Other Crimes against Property	2	1	7	3	4	2
28 and 29, Malicious Injuries to Property	9	32	62	11	9	50
30 and 31, Forgery and Crimes against Currency	—	2	11	1	10	20
32-34, Crimes against the State and Public Order	—	—	40	—	14	40
35, Perjury, Bribery, etc.	7	34	41	22	20	40
36, Indecent Exposure	—	13	21	4	15	12
37, Other Crimes	4	17	8	6	16	22
Miscellaneous Offences Total	1,450	5,352	19,417	2,438	8,518	7,704
41, Betting, Gaming and Lotteries	—	—	12	—	3	4
42, Breach of the Peace, etc.	259	1,000	4,793	457	1,346	1,489
40, 45 and 52, Children, Offences against	—	3	7	—	—	—
48 and 50, Cruelty to Animals, etc.	32	36	49	26	44	74
49, Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against	—	14	—	—	8	—
51, Education Acts, Offences against	—	—	2	—	—	79
54, Fishery Laws, Offences against	10	75	10	40	52	13
56, Game Laws, Offences against	—	46	2	1	27	20
57 and 66, Harbour Acts and Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against	—	—	7	1	1	—
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against	—	—	—	—	—	—
59/1, Drunk and Incapable	113	308	2,614	312	485	287
59/2, Drunk and Disorderly	4	5	17	—	1	—
59/3-59/6, Other Drunkenness Offences	6	3	14	1	5	6
60-61, Other Offences	24	62	120	5	134	27
62-65, Labour Laws, Offences against	—	—	3	1	5	1
67, Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against	—	1	—	1	—	—
68, Parls., etc., Offences in relation to	1	—	7	—	—	—
71, Police Acts and Regulations, Offences against	82	109	693	41	535	237
72, Prevention of Crimes Act, Offences against	—	2	4	—	2	—
73, Prostitution (Loitering, etc.)	—	4	—	—	—	—
74, Public Health	—	—	5	—	—	—
75, Railways, Offences in relation to	—	13	14	—	11	2
77, Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	28	141	605	89	267	236
78, Bicycles, Offences in relation to	2	4	2	4	20	30
79, Pedestrians, Offences in relation to	—	—	—	—	—	—
81, Obstruction and Nuisances (Roads and Bridges Act)	4	6	—	3	2	2
82, Taking motor vehicle without consent of owner	18	32	251	31	138	96
83, Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against	—	—	2	1	4	21
85, Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	5	30	148	8	23	11
86, Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against	—	6	15	—	2	4
87, Wild Birds Protection Act, Offences against	—	1	—	—	4	—
88, Wireless Telegraphy Act, 1949-1967	17	99	179	15	158	136
90, Malicious Mischief	37	85	167	25	180	116
38, 39, 43, 44, 46, 47, 53, 55, 58, 69, 70, 76, 89, 91, Other Offences (including Defence Regulations)	22	115	253	68	150	152
300, 303-322, 325, Offences relating to motor vehicles (excl. drunk in charge)	644	2,809	8,581	888	4,179	4,269
301, 302, Drunk in Charge, etc.	4	10	141	24	24	58
323, 324, Driving or in charge of a motor vehicle with blood-alcohol concentration above the prescribed limit	138	333	700	395	707	329

(1) The counties of Caithness, Orkney, and Zeiland are included under this head.
(2) The counties of Aberdeen, Banff, Kincardine, Moray and Nairn are included under this head.

Table 7
Sex and age of persons against whom charge proved in all courts: Analysis by class of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Sex and age																				
	Total against whom charge proved		8-15 (1)		16		17		18-20		21-24		25-29		30-39		40-49		50 and over		
	Total	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		
Estimated population of each age group (thousands) (2)	4,528.1	2,153.0	2,375.2	373.1	355.2	42.5	40.9	41.7	40.4	116.2	113.9	146.0	145.2	175.8	174.2	292.6	301.6	298.6	314.8	666.5	889.0
All crimes and offences	219,788	198,219	21,569	9,989	9,989	989	11,010	835	29,040	2,047	28,049	2,407	27,194	2,789	42,583	6,014	26,395	3,590	21,522	2,758	3.1
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	48.5	92.1	9.1	24.2	26.4	20.7	24.9	18.0	192.1	16.6	154.7	16.0	145.5	19.9	88.4	19.9	88.8	2,039	601	1,287	558
Crimes	29,460	25,134	4,326	2,785	311	2,320	251	4,861	560	3,967	539	3,049	3,049	3,049	3,049	3,662	888	2,039	601	1,287	558
Total	6.5	11.7	1.8	5.6	6.2	4.8	4.9	27.2	3.7	17.3	3.7	17.3	3.7	17.3	3.7	12.5	2.9	6.8	1.9	1.9	0.6
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	3,306	3,112	194	353	14	620	12	425	35	341	40	360	54	191	14	0.6	5.4	130	14	130	0.6
Class I—Crimes against the person	6,652	6,324	328	10.8	0.2	8.5	0.1	2.9	0.2	1.9	0.2	1.2	0.2	1.2	0.2	1.2	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Class II—Crimes against property with violence	1.5	2.9	0.1	17.6	0.7	11.9	0.6	7.0	0.6	6.3	0.4	4.3	0.3	2.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.8	0.1	0.1	0.1
Class III—Crimes against property without violence	16,774	13,244	3,530	985	188	2,194	424	1,994	387	1,684	387	1,684	387	1,684	387	2,419	740	1,472	599	969	537
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	3.7	6.3	1.5	23.6	4.7	18.9	3.7	13.7	9.6	6.0	2.4	9.6	6.0	2.4	9.6	2.5	4.9	1.7	1.7	1.7	0.6
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property	77.2	73.2	4.0	12.2	8.2	1.7	1.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	0.2	0.3	0.1	2.9	2.0	0.7	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Class V—Forgery and crimes against the currency	261	187	74	3	3	2	2	29	12	46	14	24	12	24	12	35	12	26	15	10	3
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	0.7	0.7	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Class VI—Other crimes not included above	1,695	1,535	160	88	12	114	44	381	44	185	44	185	44	185	44	150	17	61	6	62	2
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	0.4	0.7	0.1	2.1	0.3	2.7	0.3	2.7	0.3	2.7	0.3	2.7	0.3	2.7	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Offences	190,328	173,085	17,243	7,204	678	8,690	584	24,179	1,487	24,082	1,868	24,145	2,242	38,921	5,126	24,356	2,989	20,235	2,200	2,200	2,200
Class VII—Miscellaneous offences	42.0	80.4	7.3	16.6	16.6	208.4	14.5	208.0	13.1	164.9	12.9	137.4	12.9	137.4	12.9	133.0	17.0	81.6	9.5	30.4	2.5
per 1,000 of the population of each age group	0.4	0.7	0.1	0.3	0.3	4.6	0.3	4.6	0.3	4.6	0.3	4.6	0.3	4.6	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5

(1) Excluding the number of children under 8 years of age, i.e. those not criminally responsible.
(2) Details on non-judicial cases involving children are given on tables 18-20.

Table 8

Crimes and offences made known to police, persons proceeded against and results of proceedings in police areas

	All Areas.	Counties of cities				
		Total	Aberdeen	Dundee	Edinburgh	Glasgow
<i>Estimated population of each area (thousands) (1)</i>	5,211.7	1,645.7	180.8	180.7	448.7	835.6
Crimes and offences						
Made known to police	505,699	206,414	19,620	21,357	52,224	113,213
per 1,000 of population of each area	97.0	125.4	108.5	118.2	116.4	135.5
In which a person apprehended, etc.	364,016	140,613	12,731	14,823	35,660	77,399
Percentage cleared	72.0	68.1	64.9	69.4	68.3	68.4
Persons proceeded against : (*)						
Total	234,201	99,374	8,082	10,035	22,975	58,282
per 1,000 of population of each area	45.1	60.4	44.7	55.5	51.2	69.7
Not tried (discharged)	6,110	2,864	20	507	208	2,129
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	8,854	3,355	235	292	865	1,963
Charge proved :						
Without conviction or finding of guilt	4,458	1,653	247	182	362	862
Convicted or found guilty (%)	215,330	91,456	7,580	9,053	21,537	53,286
Otherwise disposed of	49	46	—	1	3	42
Crimes						
Made known to police	168,015	82,114	7,492	8,276	23,238	43,108
per 1,000 of population of each area	32.2	49.9	41.4	45.8	51.8	51.6
In which a person apprehended, etc.	67,156	29,131	2,941	2,724	8,697	14,769
Percentage cleared	40.0	35.5	39.3	32.9	37.4	34.3
Persons proceeded against : (*)						
Total	32,641	15,436	1,414	1,507	3,873	8,642
per 1,000 of population of each area	6.3	9.4	7.8	8.3	8.6	10.3
Not tried (discharged)	723	288	1	61	54	172
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	2,438	1,219	49	87	285	798
Charge proved :						
Without conviction or finding of guilt	2,008	762	92	66	205	399
Convicted or found guilty (%)	27,452	13,149	1,272	1,292	3,327	7,258
Otherwise disposed of	20	18	—	1	2	15
Offences						
Made known to police	337,684	124,300	12,128	13,081	28,986	70,105
per 1,000 of population of each area	64.8	75.5	67.1	72.4	64.6	83.9
In which a person apprehended, etc.	296,860	111,482	9,790	12,099	26,963	62,630
Percentage cleared	87.9	89.7	80.7	92.5	93.0	89.3
Persons proceeded against :						
Total	202,160	83,938	6,668	8,528	19,102	49,640
per 1,000 of population of each area	38.8	51.0	36.9	47.2	42.6	59.4
Not tried (discharged)	5,387	2,576	19	446	154	1,957
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	6,416	2,136	186	205	580	1,165
Charge proved :						
Without conviction or finding of guilt	2,450	891	155	116	157	463
Convicted or found guilty (%)	187,878	78,307	6,308	7,761	18,210	46,028
Otherwise disposed of	29	28	—	—	1	27

(1) Total population figures.

(*) Includes one case of murder in which the specific police authority cannot be identified.

Table 8

Crimes and offences made known to police, persons proceeded

	Counties						
	Total	Angus	Argyll	Ayr	Berwick, Roxburgh and Selkirk	Dumfries and Galloway	Dunbarton
Estimated population of each area (thousands) (1)	3,566.0	99.1	58.9	367.5	83.8	143.2	242.1
Crimes and offences							
Made known to police	299,285	7,315	6,133	35,111	6,811	13,938	13,978
per 1,000 of population of each area	83.9	73.8	104.1	95.5	81.2	97.3	57.7
In which a person apprehended, etc.	223,403	5,821	5,611	22,799	6,063	12,693	11,185
Percentage cleared	74.6	79.6	91.5	64.9	89.0	91.1	80.0
Persons proceeded against:							
Total	135,426	3,132	3,149	11,995	4,148	6,275	8,137
per 1,000 of population of each area	38.0	31.6	53.4	32.6	49.5	43.8	53.6
Not tried (discharged)	3,246	64	104	487	217	53	303
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	5,499	86	255	208	98	321	306
Charge proved:							
Without conviction or finding of guilt	2,805	68	77	182	73	118	263
Convicted or found guilty	123,873	2,914	2,713	11,118	3,760	5,783	7,265
Otherwise disposed of	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crimes							
Made known to police	85,901	1,842	1,263	10,886	1,323	2,481	4,845
per 1,000 of population of each area	24.1	18.6	21.4	29.6	15.8	17.3	20.0
In which a person apprehended, etc.	38,025	876	877	4,656	788	1,510	2,524
Percentage cleared	44.3	47.6	69.4	42.8	59.6	60.9	52.1
Persons proceeded against:							
Total	17,204	282	321	1,368	396	616	1,132
per 1,000 of population of each area	4.8	2.8	5.4	3.7	4.7	4.3	4.7
Not tried (discharged)	435	1	13	57	28	4	28
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	1,219	14	56	59	15	43	91
Charge proved:							
Without conviction or finding of guilt	1,246	18	18	72	39	55	110
Convicted or found guilty	14,302	249	234	1,180	314	514	903
Otherwise disposed of	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Offences							
Made known to police	213,384	5,473	4,870	24,225	5,488	11,457	9,133
per 1,000 of population of each area	59.8	55.2	82.6	65.9	65.5	80.0	37.7
In which a person apprehended, etc.	185,378	4,945	4,734	18,143	5,275	11,183	8,661
Percentage cleared	86.9	90.4	97.2	74.9	96.1	97.6	94.8
Persons proceeded against:							
Total	118,222	2,850	2,828	10,627	3,752	5,659	7,005
per 1,000 of population of each area	33.2	28.8	48.0	28.9	44.8	39.5	28.9
Not tried (discharged)	2,811	63	91	430	189	49	275
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	4,280	72	199	149	83	278	215
Charge proved:							
Without conviction or finding of guilt	1,559	50	59	110	34	63	153
Convicted or found guilty	109,571	2,665	2,479	9,938	3,446	5,269	6,362
Otherwise disposed of	1	—	—	—	—	—	—

(1) Total population figures.

Table 8

against and results of proceedings in police areas—continued

	Counties—continued									
	Fife	Inverness	Lanark	Lothians & Peebles	Northern(1)	Perth & Kinross	Renfrew and Bute	Ross & Sutherland	Scottish North-Eastern Counties(2)	Stirling and Clackmannan
Estimated population of each area (thousands)	334.3	90.8	635.6	332.9	63.0	133.2	377.6	72.3	274.7	256.8
Crimes and offences										
Made known to police	24,468	8,469	51,098	26,343	4,337	12,188	44,252	6,194	15,608	23,042
per 1,000 of population of each area	73.2	93.3	80.4	79.1	68.8	91.5	117.2	85.7	56.8	89.7
In which a person apprehended, etc.	19,706	6,736	35,747	21,715	3,981	10,044	29,845	5,718	14,068	11,671
Percentage cleared	80.5	79.5	70.0	82.4	91.8	82.4	67.4	92.3	90.1	80.7
Persons proceeded against:										
Total	9,914	4,357	20,839	12,614	1,631	6,197	21,890	2,799	9,371	8,978
per 1,000 of population of each area	29.7	48.0	32.8	37.9	25.9	46.5	58.0	38.7	34.1	35.0
Not tried (discharged)	269	8	25	157	112	63	1,086	111	32	155
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	152	368	1,287	306	31	514	959	48	350	210
Charge proved:										
Without conviction or finding of guilt	194	180	457	279	21	160	276	44	160	253
Convicted or found guilty	9,299	3,801	19,070	11,872	1,467	5,458	19,569	2,596	8,828	8,360
Otherwise disposed of	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—
Crimes										
Made known to police	8,032	2,426	16,829	7,102	668	3,590	13,166	1,115	3,189	7,144
per 1,000 of population of each area	24.0	26.7	26.5	21.3	10.6	27.0	34.9	15.4	11.6	27.8
In which a person apprehended, etc.	4,479	1,249	5,937	3,574	441	1,753	4,696	821	1,693	2,151
Percentage cleared	55.8	51.5	35.3	50.3	66.0	48.8	35.7	73.6	53.1	30.1
Persons proceeded against:										
Total	1,627	765	3,072	1,638	181	845	2,473	361	853	1,274
per 1,000 of population of each area	4.9	8.4	4.8	4.9	2.9	6.3	6.5	5.0	3.1	5.0
Not tried (discharged)	45	—	—	44	10	2	168	7	2	26
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	35	83	262	94	12	95	232	16	56	56
Charge proved:										
Without conviction or finding of guilt	109	58	205	133	11	94	150	21	49	104
Convicted or found guilty	1,438	624	2,603	1,367	148	652	1,923	317	746	1,088
Otherwise disposed of	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Offences										
Made known to police	16,436	6,043	34,269	19,241	3,669	8,598	31,086	5,079	12,419	15,898
per 1,000 of population of each area	49.2	66.5	53.9	57.8	58.2	64.6	82.3	70.3	45.2	61.9
In which a person apprehended, etc.	15,227	5,487	29,810	18,141	3,540	8,291	25,149	4,897	12,375	9,520
Percentage cleared	92.6	90.8	87.0	94.3	96.5	96.4	80.9	96.4	99.6	59.9
Persons proceeded against:										
Total	8,287	3,592	17,767	10,976	1,450	5,352	19,417	2,438	8,518	7,704
per 1,000 of population of each area	24.8	39.6	28.0	33.0	23.0	40.2	51.4	33.7	31.0	30.0
Not tried (discharged)	224	8	25	113	102	61	918	104	30	129
Acquitted or charge withdrawn	117	285	1,025	212	19	419	727	32	294	154
Charge proved:										
Without conviction or finding of guilt	85	122	252	146	10	66	126	23	111	149
Convicted or found guilty	7,861	3,177	16,465	10,505	1,319	4,806	17,646	2,279	8,082	7,272
Otherwise disposed of	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—

(1) See footnote (1) on page 38.

(2) See footnote (2) on page 38.

Table 9
Summary courts—Persons proceeded against and results

Crimes and offences	Number of persons proceeded against	Not tried—discharged		Tried		
		Pledges, etc., forfeited	Otherwise discharged	Acquitted and charge withdrawn	Charge proved: order made without conviction or finding of guilt	
					Absolute discharge etc. (1)	Probation order with supervision
All crimes and offences Total	231,861	2,520	3,541	8,495	1,591	2,863
Class I-VI Total	30,092	14	663	2,145	315	1,689
Class I—Crimes against the person Total	2,810	—	75	274	31	212
1. Murder	1	—	—	—	—	—
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	3	—	—	—	—	—
3. Culpable Homicide	586	—	15	53	4	19
4. Assaults	32	—	1	8	—	1
5. Threats	212	—	5	23	5	54
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Procuring Abortion	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Concealment of Pregnancy	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Incest	—	—	—	—	—	—
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	1	—	—	1	—	—
11. Rape	1	—	1	—	—	—
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	10	—	4	2	—	—
13. Indecent Assault	3	—	3	1	—	—
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	115	—	3	11	1	18
15. Procuration, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	238	—	5	34	3	59
16. Bigamy	238	—	10	42	6	12
17. Other Crimes against the Person	10	—	—	—	—	—
Class II—Crimes against property with violence Total	1,360	—	28	99	11	49
18. Housebreaking	6,594	—	123	516	39	525
19. Robbery, and Assaults with intent, etc.	6,408	—	116	482	39	512
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	182	—	7	34	—	13
Class III—Crimes against property without violence Total	17,772	12	394	1,097	220	756
21. Theft	14,710	10	302	90	201	605
22. Reset	761	—	26	91	6	13
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	198	—	3	9	7	23
24. Falschood, Fraud, and Wilful Imposition	2,009	—	59	91	5	109
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	3	—	1	—	—	—
26. Post Office Offences	61	—	1	4	—	4
27. Other Crimes against Property without Violence	30	—	2	1	—	2
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property Total	818	2	15	67	6	43
28. Fire-raising	70	—	2	5	2	13
29. Other Malicious Injuries	748	2	13	62	4	30
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency Total	276	—	9	14	3	30
30. Forgery and Uttering	273	—	9	14	3	29
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	3	—	—	—	—	1
Class VI—Other crimes not included above Total	1,822	—	47	177	16	123
33. Mobbing and Rioting	74	—	20	31	—	1
34. Other Crimes	1	—	—	—	—	—
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	643	—	6	41	1	18
36. Indecent Exposure	313	—	8	13	7	49
37. Other Crimes	791	—	13	92	8	55

(1) Includes 1,565 cases resulting in absolute discharge.

Table 9
of proceedings : Analysis by type of crime or offence

Total	Tried—continued														Convicted in absence	Fined Amount of fines imposed and pledges forfeited			
	Convicted or found guilty															Fines	Forfeited pledges		
	Sentenced to imprisonment	Young offenders institution	Borstal training	Recall from licence	Detention Centre	Detention under Sec. 58A of C. & P. (S.) Act 1937	Fined		Remitted to children's hearing	Caution with or without sureties	Admonished	Hospital/Guardianship orders	Otherwise disposed of	Unfit for trial, insanity				Aliens recommended for deportation	
212,806	5,639	1,404	695	44	937	204	74,406	109,260	381	221	19,520	79	16	45	40	22,672	2,563,561	7,670	
25,250	2,667	766	467	34	567	151	3,193	13,831	208	59	3,257	40	10	16	4	310	421,816	69	
2,212	270	94	56	5	101	25	86	1,236	32	8	282	13	4	6	—	11	44,289	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
494	146	53	27	1	46	11	9	183	8	1	15	1	1	1	—	2	30	9,132	
21	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	390
124	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	36	—	60	—	—	—	—	1	1	724	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40
82	10	—	2	—	3	—	2	55	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,180
135	21	1	—	—	—	—	1	83	1	3	16	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2,966
167	9	1	2	—	1	—	2	118	—	—	32	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	3,702
10	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	170
1,172	66	36	22	4	50	14	55	745	27	2	147	1	3	1	—	2	—	—	24,955
5,389	927	373	258	14	251	69	164	2,529	83	16	699	5	1	2	1	15	—	—	84,378
5,257	898	362	245	14	239	64	164	2,480	83	16	686	5	1	2	1	15	—	—	82,130
128	29	11	12	—	11	5	—	47	—	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,098
4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	150
15,286	1,303	258	141	12	182	49	2,798	8,399	83	32	2,013	12	4	7	3	248	—	—	238,703
12,685	1,019	244	134	12	173	49	2,574	6,650	72	28	1,719	8	3	6	1	186	—	—	183,152
625	55	6	6	—	4	—	29	465	6	1	53	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	16,503
156	15	1	—	—	—	—	5	116	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	4,589
1,742	209	7	1	—	3	—	185	1,112	5	2	213	4	1	1	2	53	—	—	32,737
2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
51	4	—	—	—	1	—	2	37	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,272
25	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	18	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	420
685	49	19	5	2	17	3	75	423	10	—	79	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	12,383
48	6	2	1	—	4	3	2	22	2	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	547
637	43	17	4	2	13	—	73	401	8	—	76	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	11,836
220	21	1	1	—	2	—	11	150	—	—	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,299
218	20	1	1	—	2	—	11	149	—	—	34	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	4,289
2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
1,458	97	21	6	1	14	5	59	1,094	—	3	150	7	1	1	—	25	—	—	37,764
22	1	—	1	1	5	—	—	10	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	455
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50
577	39	9	2	—	7	4	41	419	—	—	55	1	—	—	—	12	—	—	13,520
235	17	2	—	—	—	—	10	161	—	—	39	5	—	—	—	2	—	—	4,388
623	40	10	3	—	2	1	8	503	—	2	52	1	1	—	—	11	—	—	19,351

Table 9—continued

Summary courts—Persons proceeded against and results

Crimes and Offences	Number of persons proceeded against	Not tried—discharged		Tried			
		Pledges, etc., forfeited	Otherwise discharged	Acquitted and charge withdrawn	Charge proved : order made without conviction or finding of guilt		
					Absolute discharge etc. (C)	Probation order with supervision	
Class VII—Miscellaneous offences	Total	201,769	2,506	2,878	6,350	1,276	1,174
38. Adulteration of Food and Drugs Acts	289	—	6	19	4	—	—
39. Aliens Acts, Offences against	9	—	—	1	—	—	—
41. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries	113	—	3	14	—	—	—
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	50,190	145	687	2,997	484	849	—
43. Brokers (Licensed) and Auction Act Offences	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
44. Brothel keeping	10	—	—	1	—	—	—
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts, Offences against (not provided for in separate headings)	62	—	2	1	—	2	—
47. Contempt of Court	153	—	—	—	1	—	—
48. Cruelty to Animals	80	—	2	11	1	2	—
49. Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against	64	—	—	1	4	—	—
50. Dogs, Offences in relation to	873	—	60	52	20	—	—
51. Education Acts, Offences against	1,328	—	9	12	5	—	—
52. Employment of Children, Offences relating to	109	—	3	1	—	1	—
53. Explosives, Offences in relation to	624	—	8	32	12	5	—
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	382	—	1	39	4	—	—
55. Furious and Reckless Driving	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
56. Game Laws, Offences against	227	—	2	19	3	—	—
57. Harbour Acts, etc., Offences against	83	—	—	2	—	—	—
58. Indecent Advertisements and Publications	41	—	2	3	—	—	—
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against	15,941	2,273	140	147	156	47	5
59/1. Drunk and incapable	170	2	2	3	2	—	—
59/2. Drunk and Disorderly	18	1	—	2	1	10	—
59/3. Drunk in Charge of Child, etc.	8	—	—	—	—	—	—
59/4. Drunk and entering Licensed Premises	79	3	1	3	1	—	—
59/5 and 59/6. Other Drunkenness Offences	220	—	11	69	5	—	—
60. Offences by Licensed Persons	1,755	—	11	29	26	7	—
61. Other Offences	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Labour Laws, Offences against	41	—	—	2	—	—	—
62. Factory Acts	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
63. Mines Acts	224	—	1	—	—	—	—
64. Shops Act	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
65. Other Offences	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
66. Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against (other than those under Class I)	62	—	1	3	—	—	—
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against	110	—	102	—	—	—	—
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to	93	—	7	1	—	—	—
69. Pawnbrokers and Moneylenders Acts, Offences against	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
70. Pedlars and Hawkers Acts, Offences against	9	—	—	—	—	—	—
71. Police Acts, Bye-laws and Regulations, Offences against (not provided for in separate headings)	7,666	72	97	174	67	21	—
71/8. Motor Vehicle Parking Offences	7,017	—	59	123	20	—	—
72. Prevention of Crimes Act, Offences against	69	—	1	5	—	2	—
73. Prostitution (Prostitutes Loitering, etc.)	334	1	—	—	—	6	—
74. Public Health	171	—	3	11	1	—	—
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	127	—	10	5	3	—	—
76. Registration Acts, Offences against	17	—	1	1	1	—	—
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	5,067	—	476	154	18	—	—
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	138	—	2	7	1	1	—
79. Pedestrians, Offences in relation to	31	—	—	1	—	—	—
81. Obstructions and Nuisances (Roads and Bridges Act)	1,173	—	13	14	—	—	—
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of Owner	1,776	—	38	78	6	70	—
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against	140	—	4	14	4	—	—
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	892	4	15	59	3	8	—
86. Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against	147	—	5	19	4	—	—
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against	19	—	—	2	—	—	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts 1949-1967	4,257	—	22	14	2	—	—
89. Other Offences	2,835	—	70	99	14	47	—
90. Malicious Mischief	2,434	5	65	163	19	38	—
91. Deer (Scotland) Acts 1959-1967	14	—	—	—	—	—	—
300, 303-322, 325. Offences relating to Motor Vehicles (excl. Drunk in Charge)	82,180	—	884	1,787	381	40	—
301, 302. Drunk in Charge, etc.	2,312	—	15	62	—	3	—
323, 324. Driving or in charge of a motor vehicle with blood-alcohol concentration above the prescribed limit	9,472	—	37	91	3	8	—

Table 9 continued

of proceedings : Analysis by type of crime or offence

Total	Tried—continued														Amount of fines imposed and pledges forfeited				
	Convicted or found guilty											Unfit for trial, insanity	Aliens recommended for deportation	Convictions in absence					
	Sentenced to imprisonment	Young offenders institution	Borstal training	Recall from licence	Detention Centre	Detention under Sec. 58A of C. & Y. P. (S.) Act 1937	Fined		Remitted to children's hearing	Caution with or without sureties	Admonished			Hospital/Guardianship orders		Otherwise disposed of	Fines	Forfeited pledges	
							Not more than £5	Over £5											
187,556	2,972	638	228	10	370	53	71,213	95,429	173	162	16,263	39	6	29	36	22,362	2,141,745	7,601	
260	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	184	—	—	39	—	—	—	—	—	26	4,467	—
8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	500	—
96	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	42	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	2	2,986	—
45,000	1,861	394	119	5	215	30	9,475	27,701	100	117	4,947	34	2	28	3	410	589,755	712	
4	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	6	—
9	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	620	—
57	1	—	—	—	—	—	31	8	—	—	17	—	—	—	—	—	23	181	—
149	10	2	—	—	—	—	56	63	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,243	—
64	1	—	—	—	—	—	9	36	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,160	—
59	—	—	—	—	—	—	22	16	—	—	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	296	—
741	—	—	—	—	—	—	397	142	10	—	192	—	—	—	—	—	76	3,277	—
1,302	—	—	—	—	—	—	940	213	—	—	150	—	—	—	—	—	42	5,445	—
104	—	—	—	—	—	—	79	12	—	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	20	331	—
567	6	2	—	—	—	—	105	308	6	—	140	—	—	—	—	—	12	6,729	—
338	2	—	—	—	—	—	59	259	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	13	7,781	—
2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	—
203	—	—	—	—	—	—	82	116	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	4	2,036	—
81	—	1	—	—	—	—	76	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	451	—
36	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	645	—
13,178	45	—	—	—	—	—	9,999	162	4	15	2,953	—	—	—	5	1,552	37,830	6,466	
156	1	3	—	—	—	—	97	38	2	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	4	782	6
104	2	—	—	—	—	—	67	21	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	518	5
8	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	—
70	—	—	—	—	—	—	59	6	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	234	6
135	—	—	—	—	—	—	79	39	—	—	17	—	—	—	—	—	4	989	—
1,682	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,024	487	—	—	168	—	—	—	—	—	96	10,131	—
39	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	35	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	4	3,525	—
1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—
224	—	—	—	—	—	—	167	37	—	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	95	822	—
3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	54	—
58	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	42	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	1,350	—
8	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	60	—
85	—	—	—	—	—	—	76	9	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	34	171	—
2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—
9	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
7,235	136	42	3	—	4	—	4,770	1,811	2	9	458	—	—	—	3	886	41,599	332	
6,815	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,306	180	—	—	329	—	—	—	1	3,004	19,101	—	
61	18	—	1	—	—	—	3	35	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	805	—
327	6	—	—	—	—	—	70	210	—	—	40	1	—	—	—	—	—	3,151	10
156	—	—	—	—	—	—	43	96	—	—	17	—	—	—	—	—	26	2,951	—
109	—	—	—	—	—	—	51	49	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	865	—
14	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	68	—
4,419	2	—	—	—	—	—	1,990	1,9											

Table 9a
Summary courts—Length of sentence in

Crimes and offences	Convicted										
	Total	Sentenced to imprisonment				Total	Young offenders institution				
		1 month and under	2 months and above 1 month	3 months and above 2 months	Above 3 months		1 month and under	2 months and above 1 month	3 months and above 2 months	Above 3 months	
All crimes and offences Total	5,639	1,436	1,426	1,517	1,260	1,404	275	265	465	399	
Class I-VI Total	2,667	434	512	832	919	766	93	78	274	321	
Class I—Crimes against the person	Total	270	17	45	137	71	94	6	6	62	20
1. Murder											
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.											
3. Culpable Homicide		1			1						
4. Assaults	146	2	13	78	53	53	2	2	32	17	
5. Threats	2		1	1							
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	12	3	5	2	2						
7. Procuring Abortion											
8. Concealment of Pregnancy											
9. Incest											
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts											
11. Rape	1				1	1				1	
12. Assault with intent to Ravish											
13. Indecent Assault	10	1	3	4	2						
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	21	2	4	13	2	1			1	1	
15. Prostitution, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	9	1	1	5	2	1			1		
16. Bigamy	2		2								
17. Other crimes against the Person	66	8	16	34	8	36	4	4	26	2	
Class II—Crimes against property with violence	Total	927	99	134	255	439	373	40	36	110	187
18. Housebreaking	898	99	130	245	424	362	40	33	106	183	
19. Robbery, and Assaults with intent, etc.	29		4	10	15	11		3	4	4	
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence											
Class III—Crimes against property without violence	Total	1,303	250	301	372	380	258	40	27	84	107
21. Theft	1,019	199	233	279	308	244	38	26	78	102	
22. Reset	55	4	13	22	16	6		1	4	1	
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	15	2	4	3	6	1			1		
24. Falsehood, Fraud, and Wilful Imposition	209	43	50	67	49	7	2		1	4	
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	1		1								
26. Post Office Offences	4	2		1	1						
27. Other Crimes against Property without Violence											
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property	Total	49	16	10	21	2	19	5	5	7	2
28. Fire-raising	6	2	1	2	1	2			2		
29. Other Malicious Injuries	43	14	9	19	1	17	5	5	5	2	
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency	Total	21	1	4	8	8	1			1	
30. Forgery and Uttering	20	1	4	8	7	1				1	
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	1				1						
Class VI—Other crimes not included above	Total	97	21	18	39	19	21	2	4	11	4
32. High Treason and Treason Felony											
33. Mobbing and Rioting	1				1						
34. Other Crimes											
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	39	9	7	16	7	9	1	3	5		
36. Indecent Exposure	17	6	5	6		2	1		1		
37. Other Crimes	40	6	6	17	11	10	1	1	5	4	

Table 9a
prison and young offenders institution

Crimes and offences	Convicted										
	Total	Sentenced to imprisonment				Total	Young offenders institution				
		1 month and under	2 months and above 1 month	3 months and above 2 months	Above 3 months		1 month and under	2 months and above 1 month	3 months and above 2 months	Above 3 months	
Class VII—Miscellaneous offences	Total	2,972	1,032	914	685	341	638	182	187	191	78
38. Adulteration of Food and Drugs Acts		1									
39. Aliens Acts, Offences against		1									
40. Approved Schools, Offences in relation to											
41. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries											
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	1,861	724	643	377	117	394	127	124	110	33	
43. Brokers (Licensed) and Auction Act Offences											
44. Brothel keeping	2			2							
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts, Offences against (not provided for in separate headings)	1		1								
46. Civil Imprisonment Act, 1882, Offences against	10	10					2	2			
47. Contempt of Court	1			1							
48. Cruelty to Animals	1										
49. Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against											
50. Dogs, Offences in relation to											
51. Education Acts, Offences against											
52. Employment of Children, Offences relating to											
53. Explosives, Offences in relation to	6	1	1	1	3	2	1		1		
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	2				2						
55. Furious and Reckless Driving											
56. Game Laws, Offences against											
57. Harbour Acts, etc., Offences against							1	1			
58. Indecent Advertisements and Publications	2		2								
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against											
59/1. Drunk and Incapable	45	43	2								
59/2. Drunk and Disorderly	1	1									
59/3. Drunk in Charge of a Child, etc.	2	2					3	3			
59/4. Drunk and entering Licensed Premises											
59/5 and 59/6. Other Drunkenness Offences											
60. Offences by Licensed Persons											
61. Other Offences											
Labour Laws, Offences against											
62. Factory Acts											
63. Mines Acts											
64. Shops Acts											
65. Other Offences											
66. Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against (other than those under Class I)											
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against											
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to											
69. Pawnbrokers and Moneylenders Acts, Offences against											
70. Pedlars and Hawkers Acts, Offences against											
71. Police Acts, Bye-laws and Regulations, Offences against (not provided for in separate headings)	136	61	65	8	2	42	17	22	2	1	
71/8. Motor Vehicle Parking Offences											
72. Prevention of Crimes Act, Offences against	18	1	3	8	6						
73. Prostitution (Prostitutes Loitering, etc.)	6	6									
74. Public Health											
75. Railways, Offences in relation to											
76. Registration Acts, Offences against											
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	2			1	1						
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to											
79. Pedestrians, Offences in relation to											
81. Obstructions and Nuisances (Roads and Bridges Act)											
82. Taking Motor vehicle without consent of Owner	81	11	18	43	9	76	8	13	42	13	
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against											
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	99	65	24	8	2	12	8	3	1		
86. Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against											
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against											
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts 1949-1967											
89. Other Offences	114	17	37	59	1	1			1		
90. Malicious Mischief	62	24	15	21	2	20	8	8	4		
91. Deer (Scotland) Acts 1959-1967											
300, 303-322, 325. Offences relating to Motor Vehicles (excl. Drunk in Charge)	377	45	63	118	151	78	7	15	26	30	
301, 302. Drunk in Charge, etc.	53	3	11	16	23	1				1	
323, 324. Driving or in charge of a motor vehicle with blood-alcohol concentration above the prescribed limit	90	17	29	22	22	6		2	4		

Table 10

Summary courts—Sex, age and previous convictions of persons convicted or found guilty :
Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Total number convicted or found guilty		Sex and age														Not previously convicted or found guilty	Previously convicted or found guilty of any crime or offence	Number of times previously convicted or found guilty of any crime or offence				
			8-15		16		17		18-20		21-29		30-49		50 and over				1	2	3	4-10	Over 10
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.							
All crimes and offences	192,350	20,456	2,040	117	9,265	842	10,474	754	28,087	1,885	53,724	4,926	67,650	9,248	21,110	2,684	114,121	98,685	26,755	16,296	11,952	28,165	15,517
Crimes	21,601	3,649	909	55	2,370	232	1,975	203	4,227	451	5,986	909	4,989	1,282	1,145	517	9,764	15,486	2,999	2,127	1,629	5,490	3,241
1 and 2. Murder and attempts to Murder	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—
3. Culpable Homicide	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Assaults	476	18	14	1	46	2	41	5	109	4	156	1	96	4	14	1	80	414	53	43	34	141	143
5. Threats	20	—	3	—	2	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	2	14	1	—	2	5	4
6. Cruelty to Children	54	70	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	20	36	30	32	1	1	69	55	11	7	6	24	7
7, 9, and 15 (excluding 15/7). Procuring abortion, Incest, and certain contraventions of the Criminal Law Amendment Act	113	—	2	—	21	—	18	—	38	—	24	—	7	—	3	—	38	75	17	10	12	21	15
8, 15/7, and 17. Other Crimes against the Person	1,202	24	146	7	285	3	185	6	274	1	178	4	116	3	18	—	480	746	190	114	96	249	97
12, and 13. Rape, Assaults with intent to ravish, and Indecent Assault	86	—	—	—	13	—	6	—	13	—	24	—	24	—	6	—	37	49	11	9	4	17	8
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	135	—	3	—	6	—	9	—	8	—	34	—	45	—	30	—	66	69	24	9	7	19	10
16. Bigamy	7	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	7	3	—	—	—	2	1
18. Housebreaking	5,024	233	351	6	774	20	594	16	1,106	45	1,395	78	724	58	80	10	1,228	4,029	557	500	401	1,653	918
19. Robbery	123	5	8	1	21	1	16	1	33	—	37	2	—	—	2	—	23	105	14	11	14	41	25
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	4	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—
21-23. Theft, Reset and Embezzlement	10,621	2,845	323	33	981	183	339	150	1,849	330	2,904	626	2,918	1,036	807	487	5,937	7,529	1,635	1,040	802	2,490	1,562
24 and 25. Fraud, including Bankruptcy Frauds	1,508	236	7	3	28	5	43	11	175	25	477	82	680	97	98	13	734	1,010	169	150	101	360	230
26 and 27. Other Crimes against Property	73	3	—	—	10	—	7	—	20	—	17	—	16	—	2	—	40	36	7	—	2	14	4
28 and 29. Malicious Injuries to Property	650	33	33	—	113	8	108	3	179	6	138	5	62	12	17	—	240	425	114	64	46	140	81
30 and 31. Forgery and Crimes against Currency	166	54	1	1	4	—	8	2	26	—	9	—	52	17	2	—	96	124	25	15	11	50	25
32-34. Crimes against the State and Public Order	22	1	—	—	5	—	1	—	11	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	20	2	—	1	12	1
35. Perjury, Bribery, etc.	510	67	12	3	32	5	42	3	125	12	170	24	115	18	14	—	234	343	63	60	41	124	55
36. Indecent Exposure	238	—	—	—	9	—	10	—	33	—	74	—	72	—	—	—	114	121	31	22	10	37	21
37. Other Crimes	569	54	3	—	17	2	47	5	221	18	263	28	16	—	37	—	331	292	74	57	39	89	33
Miscellaneous Offences	170,749	16,807	1,131	62	6,895	610	8,499	551	23,860	1,434	47,738	4,017	62,661	7,966	19,965	2,167	104,357	83,199	23,756	14,169	10,323	22,675	12,276
41. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries	90	6	—	—	10	—	8	—	12	—	17	—	31	—	12	—	77	19	—	—	—	5	1
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	41,593	3,407	670	47	3,831	287	3,921	253	9,694	530	10,672	807	10,505	1,260	2,300	223	16,284	28,716	6,501	4,737	4,058	8,561	4,859
40, 45, and 52. Children and Young Persons, Offences against	147	14	—	—	1	2	—	—	4	—	16	3	122	8	4	1	131	30	5	9	8	7	1
48 and 50. Animals (cruelty, etc.)	528	277	1	—	6	2	6	3	20	10	139	70	258	155	98	37	529	276	96	45	20	78	37
49. Diseases of Animals Acts, Offences against	51	8	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	10	2	30	5	9	—	28	31	9	7	3	7	5
51. Education Acts, Offences against	820	482	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	11	693	433	117	38	750	552	169	98	74	158	53
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	335	3	—	—	—	—	11	—	23	—	88	1	178	2	20	—	175	163	45	28	12	52	26
56. Game Laws, Offences against	262	—	3	—	4	—	12	—	39	—	79	—	57	—	9	—	87	116	32	22	10	37	15
57 and 56. Harbour Acts and Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against	33	106	—	—	—	—	4	—	2	30	7	46	18	25	6	—	59	80	29	20	11	17	3
Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against	11,772	1,406	3	3	216	39	234	34	814	83	1,665	159	5,144	645	3,696	443	6,241	6,937	840	601	628	1,716	3,152
59/1. Drunk and Incapable	136	20	—	—	6	2	9	1	26	4	32	3	49	10	14	—	33	123	20	10	8	42	43
59/2. Drunk and Disorderly	123	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	2	40	20	57	32	9	5	105	77	19	13	6	24	15
59/3-6. Other Drunkenness Offences	1,529	288	15	6	471	108	563	88	135	16	115	20	152	32	78	18	1,290	527	206	100	65	131	25
62-65. Labour Laws, Offences against	248	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	12	—	221	18	9	1	231	36	16	7	8	5	—
67. Naval, Military and Air Force Laws, etc., Offences against	8	—	—	—	1	—	3	—	1	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	4	4	3	1	—	—	—
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to	84	1	—	—	13	—	6	—	18	—	21	—	19	1	7	—	79	4	1	3	—	—	—
71. Police Acts and Regulations, Offences against	12,449	1,601	8	—	396	26	541	24	1,956	130	3,966	503	4,177	689	1,405	229	11,347	2,703	888	494	303	658	360
72. Prevention of Crimes Act, Offences against	60	1	—	—	1	—	5	—	8	—	22	1	21	—	3	—	6	55	2	2	6	17	28
73. Prostitution (Loitering, etc.)	327	10	—	—	—	—	7	—	37	—	189	—	88	—	5	—	143	184	45	24	56	37	22
74. Public Health	146	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	131	2	7	—	30	25	10	5	1	7	2
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	95	—	—	—	5	4	13	1	17	—	31	—	22	2	—	—	131	19	3	2	4	4	5
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	4,230	189	7	—	36	—	64	—	387	12	1,450	56	2,031	108	255	13	2,876	1,543	418	245	190	453	237
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	126	7	—	—	19	—	10	—	28	4	21	—	15	—	17	—	83	44	4	11	6	19	3
79. Pedestrians, Offences in relation to	30	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	8	—	5	—	4	—	1	—	20	10	5	3	2	—	—
81. Obstructions and Nuisances	1,013	133	2	—	355	71	238	34	248	18	87	5	64	4	19	1	1,028	118	75	21	9	11	2
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of the Owner	1,552	31	153	1	292	5	275	5	444	8	322	9	62	3	4	—	569	1,014	224	171	119	381	119
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations, Offences against	111	7	—	—	5	—	4	—	11	—	33	2	49	5	9	—	64	54	16	6	7	18	7
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	736	67	1	—	15	9	31	4	113	6	214	21	241	19	121	8	191	612	55	45	48	194	270
86. Weights and Measures Acts, Offences against	98	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	13	2	74	18	9	—	98	21	7	4	2	7	1
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against	17	—	—	—	2	—	3	—	1	—	3	—	6	—	2	—	9	8	4	—	1	3	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts 1949-1967	2,664	1,555	2	—	—																		

Table 11
Probation orders

Crimes and offences	Persons placed on probation (2)																Period of probation ordered		
	Total		Ages												1 Year	Over 1 year and up to 2 years	Over 2 years and up to 3 years		
			Under 16		16		17		18-20		21-29		30 and over						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.					
All crimes and offences	2,252	746	230	12	437	108	293	55	418	124	385	189	489	258	1,078	1,500	420		
2. Attempts to Murder	3	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—		
3. Culpable Homicide	38	2	—	—	4	—	—	—	6	1	7	1	11	—	12	1	1		
4. Assaults	—	3	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—		
5. Threats	16	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	6	17	9	25	22	8		
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	—	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1		
9. Incest	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	4	—	9	6		
13. Indecent Assault	20	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	18		
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices	66	—	1	—	6	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
15. Procuration and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	16	—	—	—	4	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	—	4	—	7	—		
16. Bigamy	45	5	19	—	8	2	8	—	4	—	2	2	2	4	17	29	86		
17. Other Crimes against the Person	459	76	56	1	122	11	84	9	104	16	55	22	38	17	158	291	86		
18. Housebreaking	20	1	6	—	3	—	1	—	4	—	3	3	3	3	4	13	4		
19. Robbery, and Assaults with intent, etc.	384	232	45	4	81	46	60	18	78	35	59	45	61	84	222	306	88		
21. Theft	6	8	—	—	1	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	—	2	6	8	—		
22. Reset	18	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	7	4	10	2	21	7	24		
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	45	69	—	2	2	4	3	4	4	12	14	24	22	23	39	51	1		
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Imposition	5	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—		
26. Post Office Offences	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—		
27. Other Crimes against Property without Violence	16	2	3	—	2	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	3	2	4	9	5		
28. Fire-raising	27	3	3	—	3	—	5	1	8	3	5	5	3	8	10	14	10		
29. Other Malicious Injuries	13	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—		
30. Forgery and Uttering	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—		
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
33. Mobbing and Rioting	8	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
33. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	49	—	—	—	4	—	3	—	6	—	20	—	16	1	17	23	9		
36. Indecent Exposure	40	17	—	1	4	3	2	1	23	6	10	5	1	—	28	23	6		
37. Other Crimes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	706	156	52	2	127	31	74	14	98	29	132	33	223	47	342	438	82		
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts, Offences against (not shown separately)	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—		
47. Contempt of Court	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
48. Cruelty to Animals	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—		
52. Employment of Children, Offences relating to	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
53. Explosives, Offences in relation to	6	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
59. Drunkenness Offences	32	31	—	—	7	5	3	1	1	3	10	8	11	14	38	25	1		
61. Other Offences	5	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	4	4	3	—		
71. Police Acts, Bye-Laws, Regulations	17	4	1	—	3	1	2	—	5	2	2	—	4	1	12	8	1		
72. Prevention of Crimes Act, 1871	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—		
73. Prostitution	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	4	2	4	—		
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	—		
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of owner	69	2	20	—	19	—	10	1	13	—	5	1	2	—	18	38	15		
85. Vagrancy and Tresspass Acts, Offences against	8	—	—	—	1	—	3	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	4	2	2		
89. Other Offences	13	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	10	8	21	15	22	10		
90. Malicious Mischief	35	4	1	—	14	—	8	—	8	—	3	3	3	1	22	14	3		
300-325. Offences relating to Motor Vehicles	48	3	3	—	7	2	—	—	12	—	9	—	9	—	17	27	7		

(2) Under the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act 1949, (Section 2).

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Table 12

High Court of Judiciary and Sheriff Court (proceedings after full committal)—Persons proceeded against and results of proceedings : Analysis by type of crime

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Crimes and offences	Number of persons proceeded against			Discharged, not called for trial	Called for trial																	Amount of fines imposed £		
					Total		Discharged on trial			Charge proved										Insanity				
					High Court	Sheriff Court	Charge withdrawn	Not guilty	Not proven	Total		Imprisonment	Young Offenders	Borstal Training	Detention Centre	Fine	Probation	Admonished	Remitted to Children's Hearing	Otherwise disposed of	Unfit for trial		Insane at time of offence	
										M.	F.													
All crimes and offences Total	2,940	2,821	119	49	431	2,460	21	228	110	2,434	94	1,264	385	70	54	450	135	62	18	90	4	—	47,982	
Class I—Crimes against the person Total	1,044	1,008	36	20	296	728	4	113	53	824	27	388	166	15	12	153	47	24	2	44	3	—	14,497	
1. Murder	40	40	—	—	40	—	—	3	4	33	—	21	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	200
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	38	37	1	—	31	7	—	8	4	25	1	9	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100
3. Culpable Homicide	42	36	6	—	33	9	1	6	—	32	3	22	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,690
4. Assaults	670	649	21	16	137	517	2	66	38	532	15	232	125	14	11	100	22	17	2	24	1	—	—	180
5. Threats	19	19	—	—	2	17	—	2	1	15	—	11	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	2	—	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Procuring Abortion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Incest	13	12	1	1	8	4	—	1	—	10	1	8	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	7	7	—	—	2	5	—	—	—	7	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11. Rape	35	35	—	1	31	3	—	9	3	22	—	10	9	—	—	4	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	170
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	28	28	—	—	2	26	—	4	—	23	—	11	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13. Indecent Assault	8	8	—	—	2	6	—	1	—	7	—	3	1	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	42	42	—	—	4	38	—	2	—	39	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15. Prostitution, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	29	29	—	2	1	26	—	3	—	24	—	12	1	—	—	7	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	375
16. Bigamy	22	19	3	—	—	22	—	1	—	18	—	6	—	—	—	10	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	885
17. Other Crimes against the Person	49	47	2	—	3	46	—	7	3	37	2	11	4	—	—	20	1	3	—	1	—	—	—	3,172

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Class II—Crimes against property with violence Total	763	751	12	11	66	686	7	27	18	690	9	387	125	31	23	61	31	6	6	29	1	—	6,275
18. Housebreaking	579	572	7	6	27	546	5	13	11	538	5	313	86	22	12	58	23	5	6	18	1	—	6,120
19. Robbery, and Assaults with Intent, etc.	180	175	5	5	37	138	2	—	7	148	7	71	39	—	11	2	8	1	—	11	—	—	125
20. Other Crimes against Property with violence	4	4	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	4	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
Class III—Crimes against property without violence Total	558	515	43	6	29	523	4	31	5	473	39	314	28	11	8	107	27	11	3	3	—	—	16,920
21. Theft	299	287	12	5	14	280	3	15	2	263	11	159	19	7	7	60	11	6	3	2	—	—	8,815
22. Reset	53	48	5	1	2	50	—	2	—	46	4	25	4	2	—	18	1	—	—	—	—	—	3,295
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	53	40	13	—	5	48	—	1	2	39	11	28	—	—	—	9	9	3	—	1	—	—	1,395
24. Falsehood, Fraud, and Wilful Impostion	129	117	12	—	8	221	1	13	1	102	12	87	4	1	—	15	5	2	—	—	—	—	2,855
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26. Post Office Offences	19	18	1	—	—	19	—	—	—	18	1	12	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	560
27. Other Crimes against Property without violence	5	5	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	5	—	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property Total	40	40	—	—	—	40	—	1	1	38	—	11	6	3	1	5	5	—	4	3	—	—	750
28. Fire-raising	36	36	—	—	—	36	—	1	1	34	—	11	4	2	1	4	5	—	4	3	—	—	600
29. Other Malicious Injuries	4	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	150
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency Total	11	8	3	—	1	10	—	2	1	6	2	7	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	40
30. Forgery and Uttering	10	7	3	—	—	10	—	2	1	5	2	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	40
31. Coining and Other Crimes against Currency	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Class VI—Other crimes not included above Total	133	118	15	9	12	112	5	16	5	89	9	28	26	—	4	25	9	1	—	5	—	—	1,805
33. Mobbing and Rioting	53	50	3	3	—	50	4	10	2	33	1	—	13	—	2	8	6	1	—	4	—	—	380
34. Other Crimes	13	13	—	—	3	10	1	—	2	9	—	5	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	150
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery etc.)	43	35	8	5	8	30	—	4	1	28	5	13	9	—	1	8	1	—	—	1	—	—	425
36. Indecent Exposure	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
37. Other Crimes	23	19	4	1	1	21	—	1	—	18	3	9	2	—	—	8	2	—	—	—	—	—	850
Class VII—Miscellaneous Offences Total	391	381	10	3	27	361	1	38	27	314	8	129	34	10	6	98	16	20	3	6	—	—	7,695
38-325. Miscellaneous Offences																							

* One person originally falling into this category was subsequently dealt with and found guilty of culpable homicide.

Table 13

High Court of Judiciary and Sheriff Courts
Imprisonment sentences—Analysis by type of crime

Crimes and offences	Imprisonment													
	High Court						Sheriff Courts							
	Total	2 years and under	3 years and above 2 years	4 years and above 3 years	7 years and above 4 years	Above 10 years	Total	1 month and under	3 months and above 1 month	6 months and above 3 months	1 year and above 6 months	2 years and above 1 year		
All crimes and offences	225	48	48	34	50	18	27	1,039	6	58	222	403	350	
Class I—Crimes against the person	Total	137	24	20	20	32	15	26	251	2	18	57	87	87
1. Murder	21	—	—	—	—	—	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	9	1	4	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Culpable Homicide	21	3	1	4	4	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Assaults	59	15	9	11	21	1	2	173	2	13	32	61	65	
5. Threats	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	—	2	3	4	
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	
7. Procuring Abortion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
8. Concealment of Pregnancy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
9. Incest	5	1	2	1	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2	
11. Rape	2	1	1	—	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	6	
13. Indecent Assault	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	3	—	—	2	1	—	—	21	—	1	5	8	7	
15. Procuration, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	2	4	4	1	
16. Bigamy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	3	—	—	
17. Other Crimes against the Person	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	9	—	—	6	3	—	
Class II—Crimes against property with violence	Total	50	14	15	7	11	2	1	337	1	9	57	130	140
18. Housebreaking	26	6	9	4	7	—	—	287	1	8	50	111	117	
19. Robbery and Assaults with intent, etc.	22	8	6	3	3	1	1	49	—	1	7	18	23	
20. Other Crimes against Property with violence	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	
Class III—Crimes against Property without violence	Total	23	5	9	5	3	1	291	—	16	68	117	90	
21. Theft	10	4	3	1	1	1	—	149	—	6	25	63	55	
22. Reset	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	3	7	9	5	
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	4	1	2	1	—	—	—	24	—	1	10	11	2	
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Impostion	8	—	4	2	2	—	—	79	—	4	20	28	27	
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	2	5	5	—	
26. Post Office Offences	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
27. Other Crimes against Property without violence	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	1	1	1	
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property	Total	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	1	3	4	3	
28. Fire-raising	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	1	3	4	3	
29. Other Malicious Injuries	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency	Total	1	1	—	—	—	—	6	—	1	1	1	3	
30. Forgery and Uttering	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	1	1	1	3	
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class VI—Other crimes not included above	Total	5	2	1	—	2	—	23	—	3	7	7	6	
32. High Treason and Treason Felony	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
33. Mobbing & Rioting	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	1	—	1	1	
34. Other Crimes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	11	—	1	5	3	2	
36. Indecent Exposure	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	1	2	2	3	
37. Other Crimes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
38-325. Miscellaneous Offences	9	2	3	2	2	—	—	120	3	10	29	57	21	

Table 13

(proceedings after full committal)
Young Offenders Institution sentences—Analysis by type of crime

Crimes and offences	Young offenders institution sentences													
	High Court						Sheriff Courts							
	Total	2 years and under	3 years and above 2 years	4 years and above 3 years	7 years and above 4 years	Above 10 years	Total	1 month and under	3 months and above 1 month	6 months and above 3 months	1 year and above 6 months	2 years and above 1 year		
All crimes and offences	101	22	20	22	26	6	5	284	5	24	62	89	104	
Class I—Crimes against the person	Total	77	17	12	16	21	6	5	89	—	10	24	27	28
1. Murder	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	12	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Culpable Homicide	7	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Assaults	48	13	9	14	11	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Threats	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
7. Procuring Abortion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
8. Concealment of Pregnancy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
9. Incest	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
11. Rape	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
13. Indecent Assault	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
15. Procuration, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
16. Bigamy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
17. Other Crimes against the Person	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class II—Crimes against property with violence	Total	12	2	4	4	2	—	113	—	4	17	38	54	
18. Housebreaking	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	85	—	3	13	30	39	
19. Robbery and Assaults with intent, etc.	11	2	4	4	1	—	—	28	—	1	4	8	15	
20. Other Crimes against Property with violence	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class III—Crimes against Property without violence	Total	3	—	—	—	3	—	25	—	1	5	11	8	
21. Theft	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	—	1	3	6	7	
22. Reset	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	1	2	—	
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Impostion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
25. Offences in connection with Bankruptcy	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
26. Post Office Offences	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
27. Other Crimes against Property without violence	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property	Total	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	2	2	1	1	
28. Fire-raising	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	
29. Other Malicious Injuries	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	1	1	
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency	Total	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
30. Forgery and Uttering	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class VI—Other crimes not included above	Total	4	—	4	—	—	—	22	2	3	6	3	8	
32. High Treason and Treason Felony	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
33. Mobbing & Rioting	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	—	2	3	2	6	
34. Other Crimes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	1	
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	4	—	4	—	—	—	—	5	2	1	1	1	—	
36. Indecent Exposure	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	
37. Other Crimes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
38-325. Miscellaneous Offences	5	3	—	2	—	—	—	29	3	4	8	9	5	

Table 14

High Court of Justiciary and Sheriff Court (proceedings after full committal)
—Time between full committal and disposal

Time between full committal and disposal	Discharged—Not called for trial	Acquitted or dealt with for insanity	Charge proved
Under 2 weeks	3	—	50
2 weeks and under 4	3	6	354
4 weeks and under 10	18	61	721
10 weeks and under 20	14	231	1,132
20 weeks and upwards	11	65	271

Table 15

High Court of Justiciary and Sheriff Court (proceedings after full committal)
—Persons called for trial and results of proceedings
Analysis by counties

Counties	High Court						Sheriff Courts						Summary*		
	Edinburgh	On circuit	Discharged on trial			Charge proved	Not tried or acquitted for insanity	With a Jury	Without a Jury	Discharged on trial				Charge proved	Not tried or acquitted for insanity
			Charge withdrawn	Not guilty	Not proven					Charge withdrawn	Not guilty	Not proven			
Total	135	296	2	35	16	378	—	1,443	977	19	191	93	2,114	3	40
County of City of															
Aberdeen	3	3	—	—	—	6	—	18	63	1	5	1	74	—	—
Dundee	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	70	29	5	4	4	86	1	1
Edinburgh	45	—	—	4	—	41	—	173	118	1	25	4	260	1	25
Glasgow	33	140	—	13	7	153	—	641	175	2	97	51	665	2	2
County of															
Aberdeen	—	5	—	1	2	2	—	9	21	4	2	1	23	—	2
Angus	—	2	—	—	1	1	—	21	11	—	—	2	30	—	—
Argyll	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	9	—	—	—	14	—	—
Ayr	1	10	—	—	—	8	—	38	34	—	4	2	66	—	2
Banff	4	1	—	—	—	5	—	1	3	—	—	—	4	—	—
Berwick	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8	—	—	—	9	—	—
Bute	—	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
Caithness	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clackmannan	1	4	—	—	—	5	—	13	15	—	—	1	27	—	2
Dumfries	1	1	—	—	—	2	—	18	16	—	—	—	27	—	2
Dunbarton	2	12	1	—	1	12	—	73	38	2	3	5	101	—	—
East Lothian	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	12	—	1	1	13	—	—
Fife	3	3	—	—	—	6	—	23	47	—	1	1	68	—	1
Inverness	—	7	—	—	—	7	—	13	13	—	5	1	20	—	—
Kincardine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	2	—	—
Kinross	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kirkcudbright	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	1	—	3	—	—
Lanark	10	38	1	6	2	39	—	117	88	—	14	3	188	—	—
Midlothian	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	3	—	—
Moray	1	1	—	—	—	2	—	11	20	1	1	1	28	—	—
Nairn	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	4	—	—
Orkney	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	—
Peebles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	4	—	—
Perth	1	7	—	—	—	8	—	26	30	1	2	—	53	—	—
Renfrew	13	42	—	7	3	45	—	117	85	1	14	10	177	—	1
Ross & Sutherland	2	3	—	—	—	5	—	11	29	1	4	—	35	—	—
Roxburgh	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	21	—	—	—	21	—	—
Selkirk	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	11	—	—
Stirling	6	9	—	—	—	15	—	17	39	—	2	—	54	—	1
West Lothian	4	—	—	—	—	4	—	14	23	—	1	4	32	—	—
Wigtown	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	8	—	—
Zetland	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Cases in which persons were fully committed but subsequently dealt with summarily.

Table 16

High Court of Judiciary and Sheriff Court (proceedings after full committal)—Sex, age and previous convictions of persons convicted or found guilty : Analysis by type of crime

Crimes and offences	Sex and age																Persons not previously convicted, etc.	Persons previously convicted etc., of any crime or offence	Number of previous convictions, etc., of all kinds						Convicted persons with previous sentences of penal servitude	
	Total number convicted or found guilty		8-15		16		17		18-20		21-29		30-49		50 and over				One	Two	Three	Four to ten	Eleven to twenty	Above twenty		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.										
09 All crimes and offences	2,434	94	110	5	164	4	167	5	420	13	918	32	571	31	84	4	443	2,085	207	130	161	808	501	228	83	
Class I—Crimes against the person	Total	824	27	35	4	61	1	73	1	147	3	290	13	179	4	39	1	156	695	86	79	50	282	147	51	25
1. Murder	33	—	1	—	3	—	5	—	3	—	13	—	7	—	1	—	4	29	—	6	1	13	7	2	—	
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	25	1	1	—	4	—	2	—	8	—	6	—	4	—	—	—	6	20	1	2	2	12	3	1	—	
3. Culpable Homicide	32	3	—	—	3	—	2	—	3	—	18	—	2	—	—	—	9	26	4	4	11	11	3	—	—	
4. Assaults	532	15	31	3	40	1	55	1	108	1	189	5	94	3	15	1	83	464	44	49	33	181	114	43	20	
5. Threats	15	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	4	—	—	—	1	15	1	—	6	3	2	—	1	
6. Cruel and Unnatural Treatment of Children	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Incest	10	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	7	2	2	1	2	—	—	—	
10. Unnatural Crimes, including attempts	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	1	1	1	2	—	—	1	
11. Rape	22	—	2	—	1	—	3	—	6	—	6	—	4	—	—	—	4	18	1	2	2	12	2	—	—	
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	23	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	4	—	11	—	4	—	—	—	1	16	1	4	3	2	1	—	—	
13. Indecent Assault	7	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	1	1	5	—	—	—	
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	19	31	1	1	2	13	—	—	—	
15. Procurator, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	24	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	3	—	9	—	7	—	1	—	9	15	2	1	—	9	3	—	1	
16. Bigamy	18	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	3	—	1	—	9	12	6	2	—	2	—	—	—	
17. Other Crimes against the Person	37	2	—	—	2	—	2	—	7	—	14	—	1	—	—	—	—	27	9	9	3	—	—	—	—	
Class II—Crimes against property with violence	Total	690	9	39	—	50	—	38	1	138	2	290	3	127	3	8	—	73	626	29	35	49	252	175	86	32
18. Housebreaking	538	5	24	—	28	—	27	1	106	1	239	2	108	1	6	—	51	492	19	26	38	201	138	70	31	
19. Robbery, and Assaults with intent, etc.	148	4	15	—	21	—	11	—	32	1	51	1	16	2	2	—	20	132	9	9	10	51	37	16	1	
20. Other Crimes against Property with violence	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Class III—Crimes against property without violence	Total	473	39	7	—	6	2	18	1	50	4	180	11	183	18	29	3	112	400	51	29	34	142	93	51	25
21. Theft	263	11	7	—	5	1	15	—	36	1	111	2	78	6	11	1	46	228	20	16	22	71	62	37	19	
22. Resct	46	4	—	—	1	1	2	—	4	1	20	1	16	—	3	1	8	42	6	3	4	18	8	3	1	
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	39	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	11	5	22	5	5	1	30	20	9	1	2	8	—	—	—	
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Imposition	102	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	30	3	58	7	8	—	20	94	9	7	6	41	21	10	4	
26. Post Office Offences	18	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	5	—	9	—	—	—	7	12	7	2	—	3	—	—	—	
27. Other Crimes against Property without violence	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property	Total	38	—	5	—	1	—	7	—	5	—	11	—	9	—	—	—	14	24	3	1	3	14	2	1	—
28. Fire-raising	34	—	5	—	1	—	5	—	3	—	11	—	9	—	—	—	12	22	3	1	2	13	2	1	—	
29. Other Malicious Injuries	4	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency	Total	6	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	5	2	—	—	—	2	6	1	—	—	1	3	1	1
30. Forgery and Uttering	5	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	1	3	1	
31. Coining and other Crimes against Currency	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Class VI—Other crimes not included above	Total	89	9	11	—	16	1	9	1	19	3	21	3	12	1	1	—	28	70	11	14	8	25	7	5	3
33. Mobbing and Rioting	33	1	10	—	11	1	6	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	17	2	5	2	8	—	—	—	
34. Other Crimes } Crimes against the State and Public Order	9	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	4	—	2	—	—	—	1	8	—	2	2	3	—	1	—	
35. Crimes against Public Justice (Perjury, Bribery, etc.)	28	5	1	—	4	—	2	—	6	1	9	2	6	1	—	—	3	30	4	4	3	11	4	4	3	
36. Indecent Exposure	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
37. Other Crimes	18	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	8	1	4	—	—	—	6	15	5	3	1	3	3	—	—	
Class VII—Miscellaneous Offences	38-325. Miscellaneous Offences	314	8	13	1	30	—	21	1	61	1	126	2	56	3	7	—	58	264	26	22	17	92	74	33	7

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Table 17

Children⁽¹⁾ proceeded against in all courts and results of proceedings :
Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Number of persons proceeded against	Not tried—discharged	Acquitted or charge withdrawn	Charge proved—order made without finding of guilt				Charge proved—order made with finding of guilt								
				Total	Absolute discharge	Mental illness	Probation Order	Total	Committed to detention		Remitted to Children's Hearing	Fine	Caution with or without sureties	Probation Order	Admonished	Otherwise disposed of
									Indictment Cases (*)	Summary Cases (†)						
All crimes and offences Total	3,192	155	460	305	78	—	227	2,272	31	228	359	854	3	15	767	15
Crimes Total	1,487	86	166	170	28	—	142	1,065	30	176	206	278	1	13	348	13
Offences Total	1,705	69	294	135	50	—	85	1,207	1	52	153	576	2	2	419	2
Class I—Crimes against the person Total	288	9	34	30	5	—	25	215	15	34	33	69	—	5	53	6
1. Murder	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Culpable Homicide	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Assaults	66	1	14	2	—	—	2	49	11	20	2	7	—	4	3	2
5. Threats	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—
11. Rape	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12. Assaults with intent to Ravish	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13. Indecent Assault	3	—	—	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	5	1	—	1	—	—	1	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—
15. Procuration, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—
17. Other Crimes against the Person	200	6	18	24	5	—	19	152	—	14	27	60	—	—	47	4
Class II—Crimes against property with violence Total	548	24	52	67	8	—	59	405	13	80	83	80	—	4	143	2
18. Housebreaking	515	22	47	65	8	—	57	381	3	74	83	77	—	—	142	2
19. Robbery and Assault with Intent, etc.	33	2	5	2	—	—	2	24	10	6	—	3	—	4	1	—
Class III—Crimes against property without violence Total	534	40	55	66	15	—	51	373	1	49	76	108	1	—	134	4
21. Theft	505	40	52	64	15	—	49	349	1	49	68	103	1	—	124	3
22. Reset	15	—	1	—	—	—	—	14	—	—	6	4	—	—	4	—
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Imposition	12	—	—	2	—	—	2	10	—	—	2	1	—	—	6	1
26. Post Office Offences	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Class IV—Malicious injuries to property Total	52	2	6	6	—	—	6	38	—	4	14	14	—	—	5	1
28. Fire-raising	15	1	1	3	—	—	3	10	—	4	6	14	—	—	—	—
29. Other Malicious Injuries	37	1	5	3	—	—	3	28	—	—	8	—	—	—	5	1
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency Total	4	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
30. Forgery and Uttering	4	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—
Class VI—Other crimes not included above Total	61	11	17	1	—	—	1	32	1	9	—	7	—	4	11	—
33. Mobbing and Rioting	40	11	16	—	—	—	—	13	—	4	—	2	—	4	3	—
35. Crimes against Public Justice (perjury, bribery, etc.)	17	—	1	—	—	—	—	16	1	4	—	4	—	—	7	—
37. Other Crimes	4	—	—	1	—	—	1	3	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	—
Class VII—Miscellaneous offences Total	1,705	69	294	135	50	—	85	1,207	1	52	153	576	2	2	419	2
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	1,103	36	258	80	27	—	53	729	1	29	85	383	2	1	226	2
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts, Offences against (not shown separately)	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
47. Contempt of Court	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
50. Dogs, Offences in relation to	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	5	—	—	3	—	—	1	—
52. Employment of Children and Young Persons	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
53. Explosives, Offences in relation to	88	2	7	11	7	—	4	68	—	—	6	17	—	1	44	—
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	10	—	2	1	1	—	—	7	—	—	—	3	—	—	4	—
56. Game Laws, Offences against	6	—	3	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
59-61. Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against	32	5	—	—	—	—	—	27	—	—	3	17	—	—	7	—
71. Police Acts, Bye-Laws, Regulations, Offences against	13	—	3	2	1	—	1	8	—	—	2	5	—	—	1	—
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	9	1	—	1	—	—	—	7	—	—	1	2	—	—	4	—
78. Bicycles, etc., Offences in relation to	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
81. Obstruction and Nuisances	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of owner	192	6	10	21	1	—	20	155	—	12	24	54	—	—	1	65
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts, 1949-1967	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
89. Other Offences	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
90. Malicious Mischief	6	—	5	3	1	—	2	49	—	—	3	27	—	—	18	—
303-325. Offences relating to Motor Vehicles	167	7	5	14	11	—	3	141	—	10	29	59	—	—	43	—

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(1) Persons under 16 years of age.
(2) Under section 57 of the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937.
(3) Under section 58A of the Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Act 1937.

Table 18 continued

Sex and age of children whom proceedings taken in all courts, referred to reporter, warned etc.
Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and Offences	Sex and age of children												Total							
	8		9		10		11		12		13			14		15		Total		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Total																				
59-61. Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against																				
66. Merchant Shipping Acts, Offences against																				
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to																				
71. Police Acts, Bye-Laws, Regulations, Offences against	7																			
72. Prevention of Crimes Act																				
73. Prostitution																				
75. Railways, Offences in relation to																				
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against																				
78. Bicycles, etc., Offences in relation to																				
81. Obstructions and Nuisances	1																			
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of the Owner	3																			
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations																				
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against																				
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against																				
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts, 1949-1967																				
89. Other Offences																				
90. Malicious Mischief																				
300-325. Offences relating to Motor Vehicles	74																			
Total	2		6		18		1	13		29		45	94	5	202	13	409	23		

Table 19
Children proceeded against in all courts, referred to reporter, warned etc.
Analysis by type of crime or offence

Crimes and offences	Children under 16 years of age				
	Total	Proceedings taken in all courts	Referred to reporter ⁽¹⁾	Police warning	Juvenile Liaison Scheme
All crimes and offences Total	35,932	3,192	22,176	9,824	740
Crimes Total	19,690	1,487	13,050	4,683	470
Offences Total	16,242	1,705	9,126	5,141	270
Class I—Crimes against the person Total	972	288	556	123	5
1. Murder	2	2	—	—	—
2. Attempts to Murder, etc.	1	1	—	—	—
3. Culpable Homicide	1	1	—	—	—
4. Assaults	93	66	27	—	—
5. Threats	45	3	38	4	—
9. Incest	1	—	1	—	—
11. Rape	4	2	2	—	—
12. Assault with intent to Ravish	5	2	3	—	—
13. Indecent Assault	63	3	53	7	—
14. Lewd and Libidinous Practices towards Children	100	5	83	12	—
15. Procurement, and Criminal Law Amendment Act, etc., Offences	40	3	37	—	—
17. Other Crimes against the Person	617	200	312	100	5
Class II—Crimes against property with violence Total	7,098	548	5,766	684	100
18. Housebreaking	6,862	515	5,573	677	97
19. Robbery and Assault with Intent, etc.	233	33	190	7	3
20. Other Crimes against Property with Violence	3	—	3	—	—
Class III—Crimes against property without violence Total	10,350	534	5,835	3,657	324
21. Theft	9,997	505	5,614	3,565	312
22. Reset	137	15	89	29	4
23. Breach of Trust and Embezzlement	2	1	—	—	—
24. Falsehood, Fraud and Wilful Imposition	140	12	88	39	1
26. Post Office Offences	53	1	24	22	6
27. Other Crimes against Property without Violence	21	—	19	2	—
Class IV—Malicious injuries to property Total	1,063	52	766	207	38
28. Fire-raising	336	15	263	52	6
29. Other Malicious Injuries	727	37	503	155	32
Class V—Forgery and crimes against currency Total	17	4	12	—	1
30. Forgery and Uttering	17	4	12	—	1
Class VI—Other crimes not included above Total	190	61	115	12	2
33. Mobbing and Rioting	40	40	—	—	—
34. Other Crimes against the State and Public Order	2	—	—	—	—
35. Crimes against Public Justice (perjury, bribery, etc.)	103	17	76	8	2
36. Indecent Exposure	39	—	35	4	—
37. Other Crimes	6	4	2	—	—
Class VII—Miscellaneous offences Total	16,242	1,705	9,126	5,141	270
41. Betting, Gaming and Lotteries	49	—	32	17	—
42. Breach of the Peace, etc.	8,111	1,103	4,737	2,167	104
45. Children and Young Persons (Scotland) Acts	4	1	2	—	—
47. Contempt of Court	7	6	1	—	—
48. Cruelty to Animals	36	—	27	5	4
50. Dogs, Offences in relation to	11	1	3	7	—
51. Education Acts, Offences against	618	—	618	—	—
52. Employment of Children and Young Persons	1	—	—	—	—
53. Explosives, Offences in relation to	338	88	124	118	8
54. Fishery Laws, Offences against	31	10	9	9	3
55. Furious and Reckless Driving, Offences in relation to	1	—	—	1	—
56. Game Laws, Offences against	11	6	1	4	—
57. Harbour Acts, etc.	5	—	—	5	—
59-61. Intoxicating Liquor Laws, Offences against	554	32	314	184	24
66. Merchant Shipping Acts (other than class I)	2	—	2	—	—
68. Parks, etc., Offences in relation to	35	13	22	—	—
71. Police Acts, Bye-Laws, Regulations, Offences against	1,032	13	626	384	9
72. Prevention of Crimes Act	6	—	—	—	—
73. Prostitution	1	—	1	—	—
75. Railways, Offences in relation to	112	3	84	23	2
77. Revenue and Excise Laws, Offences against	15	9	3	3	—
78. Bicycles, Offences in relation to	173	2	55	114	2
81. Obstruction and Nuisances	1,114	4	393	717	—
82. Taking Motor Vehicle without consent of owner	470	192	256	22	—
83. Stage and Hackney Carriage Regulations	35	—	21	13	1
85. Vagrancy and Trespass Acts, Offences against	131	1	87	40	3
87. Wild Birds Protection Acts, Offences against	15	—	9	6	—
88. Wireless Telegraphy Acts, 1949-1967	2	2	—	—	—
89. Other Offences	149	1	59	89	—
90. Malicious Mischief	2,741	63	1,494	1,076	108
300-325. Offences relating to Motor Vehicles	432	167	150	113	2

(1) Additionally 708 persons aged 16 and 17 were referred to reporter.

Table 20

Children against whom proceedings taken in all courts, children referred to reporter, and children warned etc.
Analysis by sex and age

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	Sex and age of children																	
	Total		8		9		10		11		12		13		14		15	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Proceedings taken in all courts	3,011	181	4	2	5	—	8	1	25	—	78	6	216	19	657	41	2,018	112
Referred to reporter	19,975	2,201	335	26	664	61	1,090	91	1,477	109	2,272	218	3,345	405	5,101	659	5,691	632
Police warning	7,670	2,154	239	19	411	55	579	94	778	149	996	276	1,365	444	1,647	624	1,655	493
Children dealt with under the juvenile liaison scheme	565	175	31	4	45	8	52	19	57	14	96	31	89	46	89	37	106	16
Total	31,221	4,711	609	51	1,125	124	1,729	205	2,337	272	3,442	531	5,015	914	7,494	1,361	9,470	1,253

Table 21

Offences relating to motor vehicles—Results of proceedings together with the number of persons proceeded against for these offences

Crime or Offence	Persons dealt with by written warnings	Offences for which proceedings were taken	Charges not brought to trial	Charges withdrawn or dismissed	Charges proved:										Insanity	Driving licence		Amount of fines imposed	
					Order made without conviction or finding of guilt		Convicted or found guilty						Disqualification	Employment without disqualification					
					Total	Absolute discharge	Total	Imprisonment	Fined		Admonished	Otherwise disposed of				No separate penalty recorded			
									Not more than £5	Over £5									
3/2. Culpable Homicide while driving or in charge of a motor vehicle	—	11	1	3	7	—	—	7	3	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	130
17/16. Causing Death by Driving Motor Vehicle Recklessly or Carelessly	1	57	3	13	41	—	—	41	9	—	28	1	3	—	—	—	33	8	3,347
71/8 Police Acts etc.—Motor Vehicle Parking Offences	209	7,103	59	125	6,919	23	—	6,896	—	—	6,376	171	332	17	—	—	—	—	19,241
300. Driving Recklessly; Careless Driving, etc.	46	15,032	266	1,157	13,609	25	19	13,565	42	969	11,514	751	47	242	—	—	1,159	11,346	185,643
301. Driving Motor Vehicle when unfit to drive through Drink or Drugs	—	2,081	15	114	1,952	—	8	1,944	67	2	1,817	19	16	23	—	—	1,902	32	62,338
302. In Charge of, but not Driving a Motor Vehicle while unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs.	—	332	7	38	287	—	1	286	3	1	274	5	—	3	—	—	198	84	8,247
303. Exceeding Speed Limit—Built-up Areas	419	28,954	121	74	28,759	19	—	28,740	1	13,998	13,837	833	1	70	—	—	347	27,136	191,957
304. Exceeding Speed Limit outside Built-up Areas	4	1,532	12	18	1,502	4	—	1,498	—	497	956	40	1	4	—	—	43	1,427	13,157
305. Driver's neglect of Traffic Directions (other than Pedestrian Crossings)	108	6,780	80	392	6,308	75	—	6,233	2	2,799	2,782	586	5	59	—	—	68	4,069	40,305
306. Contravention by Drivers of Pedestrian Crossing Regulations	53	1,426	10	38	1,378	22	—	1,356	—	703	574	75	—	4	—	—	8	898	8,035
307. Failing to Stop after Accident or to Report Accident, to give name etc., or to produce Certificate of Insurance	4	3,177	87	486	2,604	12	2	2,590	21	521	1,539	344	13	152	—	—	458	1,372	26,611
308. Parking Offences (except Sec. 42 of RTRA 1967)	28	1,154	31	38	1,085	11	—	1,074	—	949	53	71	—	1	—	—	1	19	3,792
309. Parking Offences under Sec. 42 of RTRA 1967	—	1,467	—	34	1,433	5	—	1,428	—	1,382	5	41	—	—	—	—	—	2	3,364
310. Using Vehicle without Test Certificate	102	5,332	82	179	5,071	31	2	5,038	—	3,115	466	1,208	11	238	—	—	11	162	15,759
311. Motorway Traffic Offences	5	232	4	1	227	1	—	226	—	125	47	52	—	2	—	—	—	38	1,062
312. Clearway Offences	3	480	—	5	475	1	—	474	—	425	10	38	—	—	—	—	—	2	1,236
313. Driving while Disqualified	4	2,021	25	84	1,912	2	32	1,878	496	75	751	169	201	186	—	—	1,227	282	27,292
314. Driving without a Licence	30	4,987	82	144	4,760	22	11	4,727	6	2,218	1,341	785	47	330	1	—	578	1,955	25,627
315. Other Driving Licence Offences	32	5,762	58	137	5,567	19	4	5,544	2	2,356	2,229	666	18	273	—	—	761	3,587	35,871
316. Failure to insure against Third Party Risks	8	12,446	206	584	11,655	36	52	11,567	280	1,750	6,921	1,517	276	823	—	—	3,509	5,922	106,860
317. Other Offences in connection with insurance against Third Party Risks	3	121	4	12	105	1	—	104	—	51	19	18	—	16	—	—	2	12	474
318. Offences in connection with Insurance, Registration or Identification Mark (other than Illumination)	17	1,131	27	66	1,038	3	—	1,035	1	534	200	268	—	32	—	—	8	82	4,233
319. Offences in connection with Lighting	122	4,753	151	130	4,472	25	—	4,447	—	3,054	401	762	1	229	—	—	11	129	13,832
320. Const. and Use Regs. (other than Lighting)	260	14,151	211	427	13,515	113	1	13,399	1	5,922	5,275	1,814	3	384	—	—	216	6,355	87,610
321. Records of Work Offences	33	1,238	20	60	1,158	7	—	1,151	—	685	281	179	—	6	—	—	1	7	5,862
322. Other Offences relating to Motor Vehicles not included in above headings or recorded elsewhere	38	2,528	84	239	2,205	32	2	2,171	11	804	783	437	18	118	—	—	71	254	15,101
323. Driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	2	9,666	43	129	9,494	3	11	9,480	134	40	9,001	64	20	221	—	—	9,283	63	286,552
324. In charge of, but not driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	—	104	2	5	97	—	—	97	—	—	94	2	1	—	—	—	72	23	2,800
325. Failing to take a breath test; failing to provide blood or urine specimen	2	966	25	115	826	—	2	824	20	44	614	104	5	37	—	—	508	61	16,872
Total of Offences	—	135,024	1,716	4,847	128,459	492	147	127,820	1,099	49,395	61,986	11,182	688	3,470	2	20,480	65,333	1,213,150	
Total of Persons	1,533	102,388	1,047	2,192	99,149	405	51	98,693	595	39,066	52,348	5,358	299	1,027	—	16,358	53,462		

Table 22

Offences relating to motor vehicles—Number of offences in police areas in which proceedings were taken together with the total number of persons concerned

Crime or offence	Counties of Cities					
	All Areas	Total	Aberdeen	Dundee	Edinburgh	Glasgow
3/2. Culpable Homicide while driving or in charge of a Motor Vehicle	11	3	—	—	—	3
17/16. Causing Death by Driving Motor Vehicle Recklessly or Carelessly	57	3	—	—	1	2
71/8. Police Acts, etc. — Motor Vehicle Parking Offences	7,103	3,826	58	10	2,853	905
300. Driving Recklessly; Careless Driving, etc.	15,032	4,674	706	385	1,275	2,308
301. Driving Motor Vehicle when Unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	2,081	1,267	22	3	63	1,179
302. In Charge of, but not Driving a Motor Vehicle while Unfit to Drive	332	186	3	2	38	143
303. Exceeding Speed Limit in Built-up Areas	28,954	8,787	671	1,152	3,824	3,140
304. Exceeding Speed Limit outside Built-up Areas	1,532	102	1	100	—	1
305. Driver's Neglect of Traffic Directions (other than Pedestrian Crossings)	6,780	4,652	242	126	1,049	3,235
306. Contravention by Drivers of Pedestrian Crossing Regulations	1,426	821	69	—	122	630
307. Failing to Stop after Accident or to Report Accident, to Give Name, etc., or to Produce Certificate of Insurance	3,177	1,457	160	109	762	426
308. Other Parking Offences under the R.T.As.	1,154	762	485	66	211	—
309. Parking Offences under Sec. 42 of R.T.R.A. 1967	4,467	1,383	—	—	195	1,188
310. Using Vehicle without Test Certificate	5,332	1,975	113	227	722	913
311. Motorway Traffic Offences	232	34	—	—	—	34
312. Clearway Offences	480	357	—	6	—	351
313. Driving while Disqualified	2,021	816	67	49	267	493
314. Driving without a Licence	4,987	1,671	155	170	464	882
315. Other Driving Licence Offences	5,762	1,797	116	270	818	593
316. Failure to Insure Against Third Party Risks	12,446	4,640	368	439	1,257	2,576
317. Other Offences in Connection with Insurance against Third Party Risks	121	4	1	—	—	3
318. Offences in Connection with Insurance, Registration or Identification Mark (other than Illumination)	1,131	354	68	55	64	167
319. Offences in Connection with Lighting	4,753	1,340	45	651	156	488
320. Const. and Use Regs. (other than Lightings)	14,151	3,843	364	586	718	2,175
321. Records of Work Offences	1,238	81	22	26	11	22
322. (1) Other Offences relating to Motor Vehicles not included in above Headings or Recorded elsewhere	2,528	877	14	87	171	605
323. Driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	9,666	2,617	379	419	691	1,128
324. In charge of, but not driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	104	47	20	13	5	9
325. Failing to take a breath test; failing to provide blood or urine specimen	966	292	30	38	91	133
Total of Offences	135,024	48,668	4,179	4,989	15,768	23,732
Total of Persons	102,388	36,948	3,329	4,037	12,201	17,381

(1) Excludes 140,459 fixed penalty notices issued in Scotland under the Fixed Penalty (Areas) (Scotland) Orders.

Table 22 continued.

Offences relating to motor vehicles—Number of offences in police areas in which

Crime or Offence	Counties						
	Total	Angus	Argyll	Ayr	Perwick Perthshire and Selkirk	Dumfries & Galloway	Dunbarton
3/2. Culpable Homicide while Driving or in Charge of a Motor Vehicle	8	—	1	—	—	—	—
17/16. Causing Death by Driving Motor Vehicle Recklessly or Carelessly	54	—	—	8	2	2	1
71/8. Police Acts, etc.—Motor Vehicle Parking Offences	3,277	2	105	799	178	317	81
300. Driving Recklessly; Careless Driving, etc.	10,358	264	433	819	519	434	533
301. Driving Motor Vehicle when unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	814	3	22	192	6	26	23
302. In Charge of, but not Driving, a Motor Vehicle while unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	146	—	12	25	1	2	12
303. Exceeding Speed Limit in Built-up Areas	20,167	64	227	1,988	558	698	1,341
304. Exceeding Speed Limit outside Built-up Areas	1,430	225	24	2	139	269	358
305. Driver's Neglect of Traffic Directions (other than Pedestrian Crossings)	2,128	118	12	174	70	102	59
306. Contravention by Drivers of Pedestrian Crossing Regulations	605	28	10	45	21	34	66
307. Failing to Stop after Accident or to Report Accident, to give Name, etc., or to Produce Certificate of Insurance	1,720	31	47	177	39	104	62
308. Parking Offences (except Sec. 42 of R.T.R.A. 1967)	392	143	28	—	2	—	—
309. Parking Offences under Sec. 42 of R.T.R.A. 1967	84	—	—	—	—	—	—
310. Using Vehicle without Test Certificate	3,357	82	101	181	97	169	129
311. Motorway Traffic Offences	198	—	—	—	—	—	—
312. Clearway Offences	123	—	—	—	—	67	—
313. Driving while Disqualified	1,205	26	30	33	32	102	52
314. Driving without a Licence	3,316	72	89	170	101	228	143
315. Other Driving Licence Offences	3,965	86	83	209	105	384	203
316. Failure to insure against Third Party Risks	7,806	204	222	377	174	529	369
317. Other Offences in connection with Insurance against Third Party Risks	117	—	14	1	6	41	2
318. Offences in connection with Insurance, Registration or Identification Mark (other than Illumination)	777	3	11	40	21	131	25
319. Offences in Connection with Lighting	3,413	12	59	155	456	450	26
320. Const. and Use Regs. (other than Lighting)	10,308	258	295	508	311	1,539	334
321. Records of Work Offences	1,157	16	58	10	168	446	20
322. Other Offences relating to Motor Vehicles not included in above Headings or Recorded elsewhere	1,651	53	52	41	62	254	26
323. Driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	7,049	213	263	226	155	292	454
324. In charge of, but not driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	57	4	2	1	1	—	2
325. Failing to take a breath test; failing to provide blood or urine specimen	674	19	33	46	12	20	37
Total of Offences	86,356	1,926	2,233	6,227	3,236	6,640	4,358
Total of Persons.	65,440	1,517	1,557	4,487	2,684	4,317	3,638

Table 22 continued.

proceedings were taken together with the total number of persons concerned—contd.

Crime or Offence	Counties—continued									
	Fife	Inverness	Lanark	Lothians & Peebles	Northern (1)	Perth and Kinross	Renfrew and Dute	Ross and Sutherland	Scottish N. Eastern Counties(2)	Stirling and Clack- mannan
3/2. Culpable Homicide while Driving or in Charge of a Motor Vehicle	—	—	1	—	—	—	4	2	—	—
17/16. Causing Death by Driving Motor Vehicle Recklessly or Carelessly	4	1	10	6	1	3	5	—	7	4
71/8. Police Acts, etc.—Motor Vehicle Parking Offences	118	172	184	422	52	58	323	9	384	73
300. Driving Recklessly; Careless Driving, etc.	780	558	1,551	571	154	998	747	347	1,098	552
301. Driving Motor Vehicle when unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	9	151	118	18	6	9	125	22	28	56
302. In Charge of, but not Driving, a Motor Vehicle while unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	2	1	28	5	—	2	38	6	1	11
303. Exceeding Speed Limit in Built-up Areas	920	134	1,964	2,259	207	605	5,619	151	1,158	2,276
304. Exceeding Speed Limit outside Built-up Areas	23	9	56	7	2	58	19	3	219	17
305. Driver's Neglect of Traffic Directions (other than Pedestrian Crossings)	144	38	333	182	10	217	297	25	207	140
306. Contravention by Drivers of Pedestrian Crossing Regulations	73	13	109	29	—	2	89	—	57	29
307. Failing to Stop after Accident or to Report Accident, to give Name, etc., or to Produce Certificate of Insurance	129	83	268	127	41	101	178	37	204	92
308. Parking Offences (except Sec. 42 of R.T.R.A. 1967)	76	1	2	89	3	5	18	2	19	4
309. Parking Offences under Sec. 42 of R.T.R.A. 1967	—	—	—	68	—	—	—	—	—	—
310. Using Vehicle without Test Certificate	368	124	666	408	26	26	274	60	364	282
311. Motorway Traffic Offences	8	—	37	50	—	—	61	—	—	12
312. Clearway Offences	4	—	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	17
313. Driving while Disqualified	207	43	170	107	23	57	124	32	112	55
314. Driving without a Licence	283	119	545	348	39	176	316	81	364	242
315. Other Driving Licence Offences	412	158	452	459	71	136	332	124	555	196
316. Failure to insure against Third Party Risks	849	343	1,245	840	71	358	699	228	794	504
317. Other Offences in connection with Insurance against Third Party Risks	20	7	1	—	1	—	4	—	20	—
318. Offences in connection with Insurance, Registration or Identification Mark (other than Illumination)	34	5	170	10	5	78	163	16	46	19
319. Offences in Connection with Lighting	146	45	380	391	138	156	706	62	105	126
320. Const. and Use Regs. (other than Lighting)	884	164	1,227	1,211	254	641	928	230	777	747
321. Records of Work Offences	28	6	40	40	—	85	41	9	174	16
322. Other Offences relating to Motor Vehicles not included in above Headings or Recorded elsewhere	99	14	287	225	24	141	161	49	46	117
323. Driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	745	162	1,206	623	141	324	786	412	712	335
324. In charge of, but not driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	5	1	4	2	—	14	1	2	14	4
325. Failing to take a breath test; failing to provide blood or urine specimen	55	17	122	61	19	19	79	48	60	27
Total of Offences	6,425	2,370	11,214	8,558	1,288	4,311	12,137	1,957	7,523	5,953
Total of Persons.	4,572	1,677	8,163	6,833	850	3,289	10,133	1,358	5,470	4,895

(1) See footnote (1) on page 38.

(2) See footnote (2) on page 38.

Table 23

Offences relating to motor vehicles—Particulars of disqualification for holding or obtaining driving licences

Offence	Total	Period of disqualification								Until driving test is passed*
		Up to 6 months	Over 6 months and up to 1 year	Over 1 year and up to 2 years	Over 2 years and up to 3 years	Over 3 years and up to 4 years	Over 4 years and up to 5 years	Over 5 years	Life	
3/2. Culpable Homicide while Driving or in Charge of a Motor Vehicle	5	1	—	3	—	—	1	—	—	—
17/16. Causing Death by Driving Motor Vehicle Recklessly or Carelessly	33	—	1	6	10	4	6	—	—	—
300. Driving Recklessly; Careless Driving, etc.	1,159	411	258	205	90	32	35	26	1	101
301. Driving Motor Vehicle when unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	1,902	15	846	627	205	78	79	50	1	1
302. In charge of, but not Driving a Motor Vehicle while unfit to Drive through Drink or Drugs	198	60	79	36	18	2	2	1	—	—
303. Exceeding Speed Limit in Built-up Areas	347	301	28	4	8	2	3	1	—	—
304. Exceeding Speed Limit Outside Built-up Areas	43	41	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
305. Driver's Neglect of Traffic Directions (other than Pedestrian Crossings)	68	39	14	8	4	3	—	—	—	—
306. Contravention by Drivers of Pedestrian Crossing Regulations	8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
307. Failing to Stop after Accident or to Report Accident, to give Name, etc., or to Produce Certificate of Insurance	458	221	131	57	28	6	11	3	—	1
308. Parking Offences	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
310. Using Vehicle without Test Certificate	11	6	1	3	—	—	1	—	—	—
313. Driving while Disqualified	1,227	59	161	264	294	67	211	160	10	1
314. Driving without a Licence	578	252	169	99	30	18	9	1	—	—
315. Other Driving Licence Offences	761	471	180	66	27	4	12	—	—	1
316. Failure to insure against Third Party Risks	3,509	1,571	972	502	214	42	126	77	4	1
317. Other Offences in connection with Insurance against Third Party Risks	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
318. Offences in connection with Insurance, Registration or Identification Mark (Other than Illumination)	8	5	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
319. Offences in Connection with Lighting	11	5	4	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
320. Construction and Use Regulations (other than Lighting)	216	145	49	15	4	1	1	1	—	—
321. Records of Work Offences	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
322. Other Offences relating to Motor Vehicles not included in above Headings or Recorded Elsewhere	71	25	21	14	4	2	4	1	—	—
323. Driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	9,283	34	5,233	2,774	749	194	184	109	4	2
324. In charge of, but not driving a motor vehicle when the proportion of alcohol in the blood exceeds the prescribed limit	72	19	34	14	4	—	—	1	—	—
325. Failing to take a breath test; failing to provide blood or urine specimen	508	23	246	145	51	18	17	7	1	—
Total	20,480	3,716	8,431	4,844	1,741	473	702	444	21	108

* In addition 576 persons included in columns 2-8 were also ordered to pass the driving test.

Table 24

Offences relating to motor vehicles

Number of applications for removal of disqualification for holding or obtaining driving licences (Sec. 106, Road Traffic Act, 1960) as amended by Sec. 6 Road Traffic Act 1962

Period of original disqualification	Number of applications	Number of successful applications	Revised period of disqualification			
			Over 2 years and up to 3 years	Over 3 years and up to 4 years	Over 4 years and up to 5 years	Over 5 years
Over 2 years and up to 3 years	355	237	237	—	—	—
Over 3 years and up to 4 years	168	113	96	17	—	—
Over 4 years and up to 5 years	220	129	53	57	19	—
Over 5 years	165	107	3	20	20	64
Life	3	1	—	—	—	1

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