



# CPS Outcomes by Principal Offence Category

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Sexual Offences

17-18-Q3

|                     | Convictions          |              | Non-Convictions      |              |
|---------------------|----------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|
|                     | Number of Defendants | %            | Number of Defendants | %            |
| 42 Areas            | <b>2,863</b>         | <b>74.3%</b> | <b>992</b>           | <b>25.7%</b> |
| Avon & Somerset     | 138                  | 75.0%        | 46                   | 25.0%        |
| Bedfordshire        | 17                   | 100.0%       | 0                    | 0.0%         |
| Cambridgeshire      | 29                   | 87.9%        | 4                    | 12.1%        |
| Cheshire            | 63                   | 70.8%        | 26                   | 29.2%        |
| Cleveland           | 24                   | 92.3%        | 2                    | 7.7%         |
| Cumbria             | 12                   | 92.3%        | 1                    | 7.7%         |
| Derbyshire          | 24                   | 92.3%        | 2                    | 7.7%         |
| Devon & Cornwall    | 32                   | 94.1%        | 2                    | 5.9%         |
| Dorset              | 25                   | 69.4%        | 11                   | 30.6%        |
| Durham              | 12                   | 85.7%        | 2                    | 14.3%        |
| Dyfed Powys         | 29                   | 82.9%        | 6                    | 17.1%        |
| Essex               | 102                  | 67.1%        | 50                   | 32.9%        |
| Gloucestershire     | 14                   | 100.0%       | 0                    | 0.0%         |
| Greater Manchester  | 199                  | 72.9%        | 74                   | 27.1%        |
| Gwent               | 18                   | 66.7%        | 9                    | 33.3%        |
| Hampshire           | 86                   | 86.0%        | 14                   | 14.0%        |
| Hertfordshire       | 21                   | 87.5%        | 3                    | 12.5%        |
| Humberside          | 24                   | 66.7%        | 12                   | 33.3%        |
| Kent                | 85                   | 82.5%        | 18                   | 17.5%        |
| Lancashire          | 37                   | 90.2%        | 4                    | 9.8%         |
| Leicestershire      | 76                   | 70.4%        | 32                   | 29.6%        |
| Lincolnshire        | 15                   | 93.8%        | 1                    | 6.3%         |
| Merseyside          | 63                   | 79.7%        | 16                   | 20.3%        |
| Metropolitan & City | 440                  | 66.2%        | 225                  | 33.8%        |
| Norfolk             | 41                   | 93.2%        | 3                    | 6.8%         |
| Northamptonshire    | 18                   | 100.0%       | 0                    | 0.0%         |
| Northumbria         | 122                  | 67.8%        | 58                   | 32.2%        |
| North Wales         | 35                   | 72.9%        | 13                   | 27.1%        |
| NorthYorkshire      | 20                   | 87.0%        | 3                    | 13.0%        |
| Nottinghamshire     | 121                  | 74.2%        | 42                   | 25.8%        |
| South Wales         | 90                   | 81.1%        | 21                   | 18.9%        |
| South Yorkshire     | 32                   | 82.1%        | 7                    | 17.9%        |
| Staffordshire       | 72                   | 83.7%        | 14                   | 16.3%        |
| Suffolk             | 28                   | 90.3%        | 3                    | 9.7%         |
| Surrey              | 42                   | 77.8%        | 12                   | 22.2%        |
| Sussex              | 66                   | 64.7%        | 36                   | 35.3%        |
| Thames Valley       | 146                  | 75.6%        | 47                   | 24.4%        |
| Warwickshire        | 17                   | 60.7%        | 11                   | 39.3%        |
| West Mercia         | 51                   | 69.9%        | 22                   | 30.1%        |
| WestMidlands        | 165                  | 71.7%        | 65                   | 28.3%        |
| West Yorkshire      | 196                  | 74.0%        | 69                   | 26.0%        |
| Wiltshire           | 16                   | 72.7%        | 6                    | 27.3%        |

|                        | Convictions          |       | Unsuccessful         |       |
|------------------------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|
|                        | Number of Defendants | %     | Number of Defendants | %     |
| Cymru / Wales          | 172                  | 77.8% | 49                   | 22.2% |
| East Midlands          | 254                  | 76.7% | 77                   | 23.3% |
| East of England        | 200                  | 76.9% | 60                   | 23.1% |
| Merseyside & Cheshire  | 126                  | 75.0% | 42                   | 25.0% |
| London                 | 440                  | 66.2% | 225                  | 33.8% |
| North East             | 158                  | 71.8% | 62                   | 28.2% |
| North West             | 248                  | 75.8% | 79                   | 24.2% |
| South East             | 193                  | 74.5% | 66                   | 25.5% |
| South West             | 184                  | 79.3% | 48                   | 20.7% |
| Thames & Chiltern      | 184                  | 78.6% | 50                   | 21.4% |
| Wessex                 | 127                  | 80.4% | 31                   | 19.6% |
| West Midlands          | 305                  | 73.1% | 112                  | 26.9% |
| Yorkshire & Humberside | 272                  | 74.9% | 91                   | 25.1% |

Source: CPS Management Information System