



# CPS Outcomes by Principal Offence Category

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**Sexual Offences**

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|                     | Convictions          |        | Unsuccessful         |       |
|---------------------|----------------------|--------|----------------------|-------|
|                     | Number of Defendants | %      | Number of Defendants | %     |
| 42 Areas            | 859                  | 73.0%  | 317                  | 27.0% |
| Avon & Somerset     | 29                   | 69.0%  | 13                   | 31.0% |
| Bedfordshire        | 11                   | 84.6%  | 2                    | 15.4% |
| Cambridgeshire      | 6                    | 100.0% | 0                    | 0.0%  |
| Cheshire            | 19                   | 90.5%  | 2                    | 9.5%  |
| Cleveland           | 6                    | 66.7%  | 3                    | 33.3% |
| Cumbria             | 9                    | 90.0%  | 1                    | 10.0% |
| Derbyshire          | 12                   | 66.7%  | 6                    | 33.3% |
| Devon & Cornwall    | 14                   | 87.5%  | 2                    | 12.5% |
| Dorset              | 7                    | 77.8%  | 2                    | 22.2% |
| Durham              | 7                    | 63.6%  | 4                    | 36.4% |
| Dyfed Powys         | 5                    | 62.5%  | 3                    | 37.5% |
| Essex               | 32                   | 65.3%  | 17                   | 34.7% |
| Gloucestershire     | 4                    | 66.7%  | 2                    | 33.3% |
| Greater Manchester  | 56                   | 71.8%  | 22                   | 28.2% |
| Gwent               | 7                    | 77.8%  | 2                    | 22.2% |
| Hampshire           | 38                   | 79.2%  | 10                   | 20.8% |
| Hertfordshire       | 9                    | 90.0%  | 1                    | 10.0% |
| Humberside          | 42                   | 80.8%  | 10                   | 19.2% |
| Kent                | 25                   | 75.8%  | 8                    | 24.2% |
| Lancashire          | 29                   | 85.3%  | 5                    | 14.7% |
| Leicestershire      | 20                   | 83.3%  | 4                    | 16.7% |
| Lincolnshire        | 6                    | 85.7%  | 1                    | 14.3% |
| Merseyside          | 26                   | 83.9%  | 5                    | 16.1% |
| Metropolitan & City | 130                  | 67.4%  | 63                   | 32.6% |
| Norfolk             | 11                   | 84.6%  | 2                    | 15.4% |
| Northamptonshire    | 13                   | 81.3%  | 3                    | 18.8% |
| Northumbria         | 17                   | 60.7%  | 11                   | 39.3% |
| North Wales         | 14                   | 66.7%  | 7                    | 33.3% |
| NorthYorkshire      | 7                    | 100.0% | 0                    | 0.0%  |
| Nottinghamshire     | 14                   | 82.4%  | 3                    | 17.6% |
| South Wales         | 18                   | 69.2%  | 8                    | 30.8% |
| South Yorkshire     | 7                    | 70.0%  | 3                    | 30.0% |
| Staffordshire       | 16                   | 69.6%  | 7                    | 30.4% |
| Suffolk             | 9                    | 64.3%  | 5                    | 35.7% |
| Surrey              | 6                    | 42.9%  | 8                    | 57.1% |
| Sussex              | 22                   | 66.7%  | 11                   | 33.3% |
| Thames Valley       | 32                   | 60.4%  | 21                   | 39.6% |
| Warwickshire        | 3                    | 100.0% | 0                    | 0.0%  |
| West Mercia         | 27                   | 79.4%  | 7                    | 20.6% |
| WestMidlands        | 35                   | 72.9%  | 13                   | 27.1% |
| West Yorkshire      | 55                   | 74.3%  | 19                   | 25.7% |
| Wiltshire           | 4                    | 80.0%  | 1                    | 20.0% |

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|------------------------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|
|                        | Number of Defendants | %     | Number of Defendants | %     |
| Cymru / Wales          | 44                   | 68.8% | 20                   | 31.3% |
| East Midlands          | 65                   | 79.3% | 17                   | 20.7% |
| East of England        | 58                   | 70.7% | 24                   | 29.3% |
| Merseyside & Cheshire  | 45                   | 86.5% | 7                    | 13.5% |
| London                 | 130                  | 67.4% | 63                   | 32.6% |
| North East             | 30                   | 62.5% | 18                   | 37.5% |
| North West             | 94                   | 77.0% | 28                   | 23.0% |
| South East             | 53                   | 66.3% | 27                   | 33.8% |
| South West             | 47                   | 73.4% | 17                   | 26.6% |
| Thames & Chiltern      | 52                   | 68.4% | 24                   | 31.6% |
| Wessex                 | 49                   | 79.0% | 13                   | 21.0% |
| West Midlands          | 81                   | 75.0% | 27                   | 25.0% |
| Yorkshire & Humberside | 111                  | 77.6% | 32                   | 22.4% |

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