

Stop and Search

February 2019



629

Total number of stop and searches

Object found



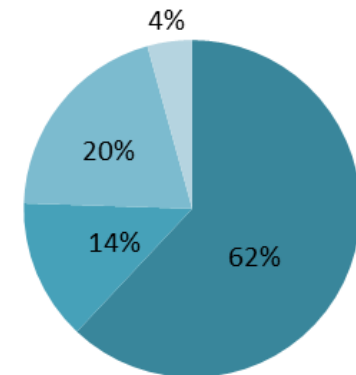
Yes
195
31%



No
434
69%

Purpose of search

- Drugs (390)
- Stolen Items (85)
- Offensive weapons (127)
- Other (27)



Outcome of search

Outcome (Exc. NFA)	271	43.1%
No further action (NFA)	358	56.9%
Advice	85	13.5%
Other	65	10.3%
Arrests	65	10.3%
Cannabis warning	56	8.9%



Highlights

- There has been an decrease of 95 stop searches compared to January 2019, mainly due to the decrease of 104 S23 Drugs searches
- In February 2019, the majority of searches were conducted around suspicion of drugs (62%)
- Out of the 629 searches, an object was found 31% of the time
- 43.1% of all searches resulted in a meaningful outcome
- Under section 1 of the Police and Criminal Evidence Act, most of the searches were utilised for stolen items (40%) and offensive weapons(47%), with objects being found just under a quarter of the time
- When searching under section 23 of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1973, an object was found 36% of the time
- Section 60 Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994 searches are used in a controlled way at places that have been identified as having an evolving problem. Whilst British Transport Police didn't authorise these types of searches in February 2019, there were 26 searches conducted in conjunction with other forces including Metropolitan and West Midlands Police



10 - 17

142



18 - 24

207



25 - 44

192



45 - 64

26



65+

1



Not stated

61



Female

46



Male

578



Transgender

0

Not stated

5

White

387

Black

169

Asian

55

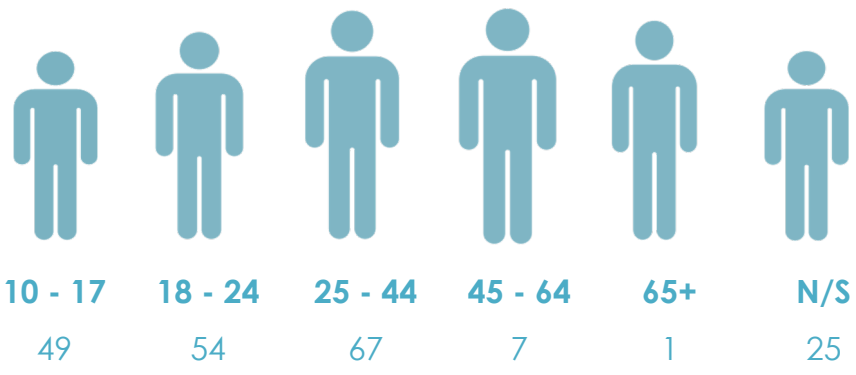
Other

11

Not stated

7

Section 1 Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984



Purpose of search

Stolen items	82	40.4%
Offensive weapon	96	47.3%
Going equipped	11	5.4%
Other	14	6.9%
Drugs	0	0%

Object found



Top Locations

Euston Station	9
Seven Sisters Underground Station	8
Piccadilly Station	6
Paddington Station	6
Birmingham New Street Station	6



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Section 1 Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984



10 - 17
49



18 - 24
54



25 - 44
67



45 - 64
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65+
1



Not Stated
25

White 22 **45%**
Object not found 19 86%
 NFA 18 95%
 Advice 1 5%
Object found 3 14%
 Advice 1 33%
 Arrested 1 33%
 NFA 1 33%
Black 24 **49%**
Object not found 22 92%
 NFA 18 82%
 Advice 1 5%
 Arrested 3 14%
Object found 2 8%
 NFA 1 50%
 Arrested 1 50%
Asian 2 **4%**
Object not found 1 50%
 NFA 1 100%
Object found 1 50%
 NFA 1 100%
Not stated 1 **2%**
Object found 1 100%
 Arrested 1 100%

White 22 **41%**
Object not found 16 73%
 Advice 2 13%
 Arrested 1 6%
 NFA 13 81%
Object found 6 27%
 Arrested 5 83%
 NFA 1 17%
Black 23 **43%**
Object not found 19 83%
 Advice 2 11%
 Arrested 1 5%
 Comm resolution 1 5%
 NFA 15 79%
Object found 4 17%
 Advice 1 75%
 Arrested 3 25%
Asian 7 **13%**
Object not found 4 57%
 Advice 1 25%
 Arrested 1 25%
 NFA 2 50%
Object found 3 43%
 Advice 1 33%
 Summons 2 67%
Other 2 **4%**
Object not found 2 100%
 Advice 1 50%
 NFA 1 50%

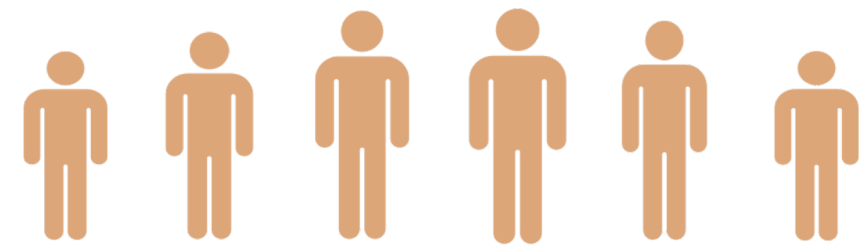
White 41 **61%**
Object not found 21 51%
 Advice 5 24%
 Arrested 3 14%
 Cannabis Warning 1 5%
 NFA 11 52%
 Summons 1 5%
Object found 20 49%
 Advice 6 30%
 Arrested 9 45%
 Comm resolution 1 5%
 Summons 4 20%
Black 14 **21%**
Object not found 11 79%
 Arrested 1 9%
 NFA 10 91%
Object found 3 21%
 Arrested 1 33%
 Comm resolution 1 33%
 NFA 1 33%
Asian 8 **12%**
Object not found 8 100%
 Advice 1 13%
 Arrested 1 13%
 Cannabis Warning 2 25%
 NFA 4 50%
Other 3 **4%**
Object not found 3 100%
 Arrested 2 67%
 NFA 1 33%
Not stated 1 **1%**
Object not found 1 100%
 NFA 1 100%

White 4 **57%**
Object not found 2 50%
 NFA 2 100%
Object found 2 50%
 Advice 2 100%
Black 3 **43%**
Object not found 1 33%
 NFA 1 100%
Object found 2 67%
 Arrested 1 50%
 Summons 1 50%

White 1 **100%**
Object not found 1 100%
 Advice 1 100%

White 12 **48%**
Object not found 10 83%
 Advice 2 20%
 NFA 8 80%
Object found 2 17%
 Arrested 2 100%
Black 9 **36%**
Object not found 8 89%
 Advice 1 13%
 NFA 7 88%
Object found 1 11%
 Arrested 1 100%
Asian 3 **12%**
Object not found 3 100%
 NFA 3 100%
Not stated 1 **4%**
Object not found 1 100%
 NFA 1 100%

Section 23 Misuse of Drugs Act 1971



10 - 17	18 - 24	25 - 44	45 - 64	65+	N/S
90	139	116	18	0	27



Female	Male	Transgender	N/S
29	358	0	3

White	Black	Asian	Other	N/S
264	86	30	6	4



Purpose of search

Drugs	390	100%
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Object found



Yes
142
36.4%



No
248
63.8%



Top Locations

Piccadilly Station	20
Romford Station	14
Reading Station	14
Leeds Station	14
Seven Sisters Underground Station	11



390

Section 23 Misuse of Drugs Act 1971



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65+

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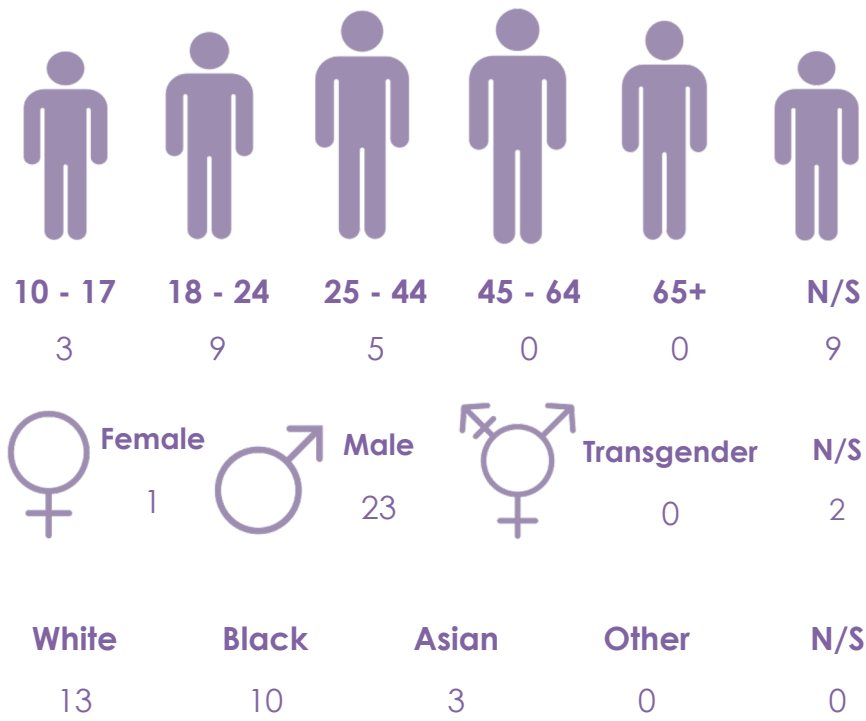
Not Stated

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Age Group	White	Black	Asian	Other	White	Black	Asian	Other	White	Black	Asian	Other	White	Black	Asian	Other
	65	17	5	3	82	35	17	10	88	22	5	1	12	4	1	1
Object not found	45	15	4	2	47	20	5	1	49	14	4	1	9	2	1	14
Advice	11	1	3	1	4	4	1	1	7	7	1	1	2	1	1	2
Arrested	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	42	14	1	1	1	1	1	1
NFA	31	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	39	14	3	1	6	1	1	1
Summons	2	1	1	1	41	4	1	1	4	7	1	1	3	1	1	1
Object found	20	12	1	1	35	12	1	1	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Advice	5	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	14	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cannabis Warning	2	1	1	1	6	12	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Comm resolution	2	1	1	1	15	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NFA	3	13	1	1	1	12	1	1	10	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
Summons	8	1	1	1	1	15	1	1	22	3	1	1	2	1	1	1
Black	17	5	17	3	11	12	1	10	15	15	5	4	2	1	1	1
Object not found	15	4	4	2	20	12	5	1	1	14	4	4	1	1	1	1
Advice	1	3	3	1	4	4	1	1	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1
Arrested	1	1	1	1	4	4	1	1	14	7	1	1	1	1	1	1
NFA	13	1	1	1	1	12	1	1	15	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
Object found	2	1	1	1	15	15	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Arrested	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Summons	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Asian	5	17	1	1	5	17	1	10	5	1	1	5	4	1	1	1
Object not found	4	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	4	1	1	1
Advice	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NFA	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Object found	1	1	1	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cannabis Warning	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Other	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Object not found	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NFA	1	1	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Object found	1	1	1	1	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Summons	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					4	4	2	2	4	2	2	2	1	1	1	1
					2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

NFA = No Further Action
 PND = Penalty Notice Disorder
 FPD = Fixed Penalty Disorder

Section 60 Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994



Purpose of search

Offensive weapon 26 100%

Object found



Yes
0
0%



No
26
100%



Top Locations

- Seven Sisters Underground Station 6
- St Pancras International Station 4
- Tottenham Hale Station 3
- Birmingham Moor Street Station 3
- Birmingham New Street Station 3



26

Section 60 Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994



10 - 17

3

White	3	100%
<u>Object not found</u>	3	100%
Advice	1	33%
NFA	2	67%



18 - 24

9

White	3	33%
<u>Object not found</u>	3	100%
NFA	3	100%
Black	3	33%
<u>Object not found</u>	3	100%
Advice	1	33%
NFA	2	67%
Asian	3	33%
<u>Object not found</u>	3	100%
Cannabis warning	1	33%
NFA	2	67%



25 - 44

5

White	3	60%
<u>Object not found</u>	3	100%
NFA	3	100%
Black	2	40%
<u>Object not found</u>	2	100%
Cannabis warning	2	100%



Not Stated

9

White	4	44%
<u>Object not found</u>	4	100%
NFA	4	100%
Black	5	56%
<u>Object not found</u>	5	100%
NFA	5	100%