

Stop and Search

Monthly Report: May 2019



762

Total number of stop and searches

Object found



Yes

246

32.3%



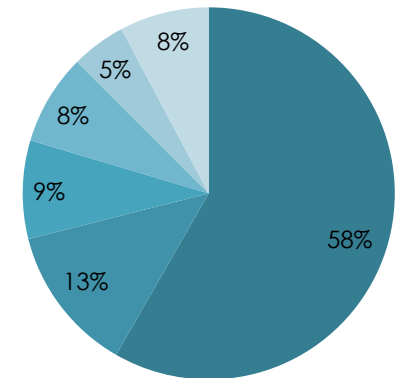
No

516

67.7%

Purpose of search

- Drugs (443)
- Hist - Bladed article (97)
- Stolen items (65)
- Offensive weapon (60)
- Anything to threaten or harm anyone (36)
- Other (59)



Outcome of search

No further action (NFA)	549	72.2%
Arrest	67	8.8%
Drugs warning	52	6.8%
Postal requisition/postal charge/summons	37	4.9%
Other	55	7.2%



Highlights

- 762 Stop & Search took place during the month of May 2019
- The majority of searches were conducted around suspicion of drugs (58%)
- Out of the 762 searches, an object was found 32.3% of the time
- 27.8% of all searches resulted in a meaningful outcome
- Under Section 1 of the Police and Criminal Evidence Act, most of the searches were Bladed article (27.7%) and Stolen items (25.2%), with Offensive weapons being found 16% of the time
- When searching under Section 23 of the Misuse of Drugs Act 1973, the most prominent station was Woking Railway Station (28) accounting for 6.2% of all Section 23 searches



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245



20 - 29

225



30 - 39

116



40 - 49

56



50 - 59

16



60+

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Not stated

98



Female

49



Male

667



Indeterminate

1

Not stated

45

White

399

Black

211

Asian

42

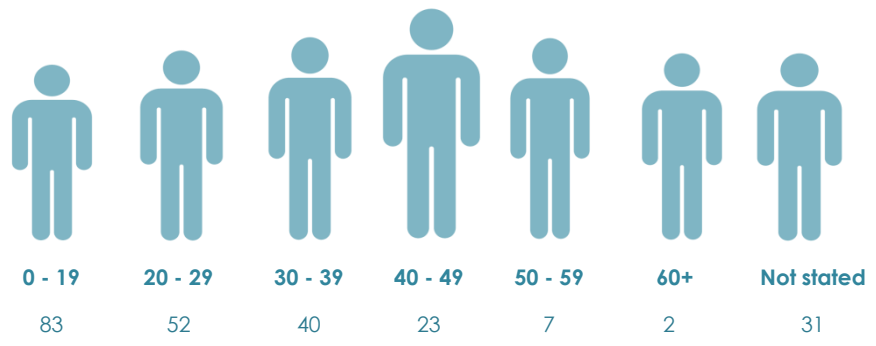
Other

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Unknown

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Section 1 Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984



Purpose of search

Bladed article	66	27.7%
Stolen items	60	25.2%
Offensive weapon	38	16.0%
Anything to threaten or harm anyone	27	11.3%
Articles for use in theft	18	7.6%
Other	29	12.2%

Object found



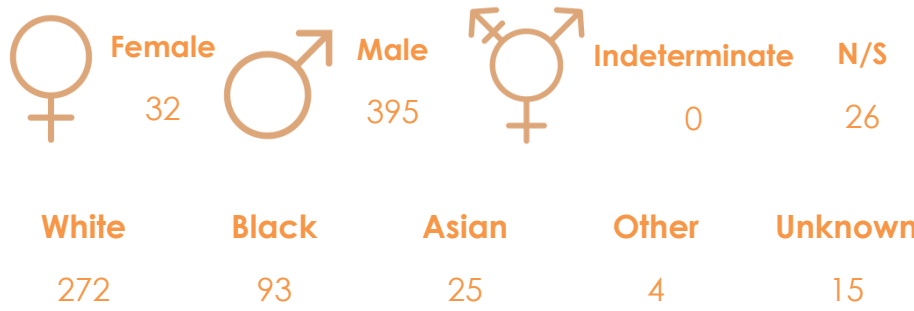
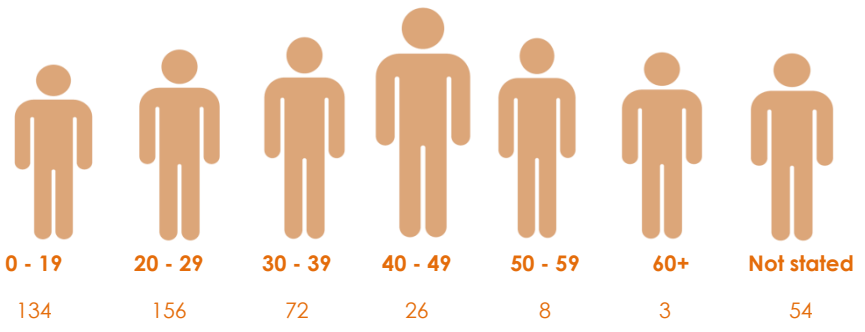
Top Locations

Piccadilly Railway Station	11
Waterloo Railway Station	9
Birmingham New Street Station	7
St Pancras International Station	7
Stratford Station	7



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Section 23 Misuse of Drugs Act 1971



Purpose of search

Drugs	442	97.6%
Other	11	2.4%

Object found

	Yes		No
	163		290
	36.0%		64.0%



Top Locations

Woking Railway Station	28
Stockwell Underground Station	26
Peckham Rye Railway Station	16
Piccadilly Railway Station	15
Plumstead Railway Station	13



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