

**Racist motivation<sup>1</sup>: Incidents, Recorded Crimes and Clearances**

District / Area	Total number of incidents <sup>2</sup>				Total offences recorded <sup>2</sup>				Total offences cleared		Clearance rate (%)		
	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change	% change	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change	% change	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change in % pts
<b>A District</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>28.7%</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>24.3%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11.4%</b>	<b>10.3%</b>	<b>-1.1%</b>
North Belfast	79	85	6	7.6%	63	63	0	0.0%	8	3	12.7%	4.8%	-7.9%
West Belfast	8	27	19	237.5%	7	24	17	242.9%	0	6	0.0%	25.0%	25.0%
<b>B District</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>226</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>42.1%</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>14.5%</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>11.1%</b>	<b>11.2%</b>	<b>0.1%</b>
East Belfast	67	91	24	35.8%	45	51	6	13.3%	1	2	2.2%	3.9%	1.7%
South Belfast	92	135	43	46.7%	72	83	11	15.3%	12	13	16.7%	15.7%	-1.0%
<b>C District</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>11.1%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>17.8%</b>	<b>24.0%</b>	<b>6.2%</b>
Castlereagh	31	24	-7	-22.6%	24	13	-11	-45.8%	5	4	20.8%	30.8%	9.9%
North Down	13	16	3	23.1%	6	9	3	50.0%	1	2	16.7%	22.2%	5.6%
Ards	19	17	-2	-10.5%	8	10	2	25.0%	1	5	12.5%	50.0%	37.5%
Down	8	21	13	162.5%	7	18	11	157.1%	1	1	14.3%	5.6%	-8.7%
<b>D District</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>-18</b>	<b>-15.4%</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>-31</b>	<b>-31.6%</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11.2%</b>	<b>16.4%</b>	<b>5.2%</b>
Carrickfergus	8	8	0	0.0%	5	5	0	0.0%	1	0	20.0%	0.0%	-20.0%
Lisburn	25	28	3	12.0%	19	20	1	5.3%	2	7	10.5%	35.0%	24.5%
Newtownabbey	57	46	-11	-19.3%	49	27	-22	-44.9%	7	0	14.3%	0.0%	-14.3%
Antrim	27	17	-10	-37.0%	25	15	-10	-40.0%	1	4	4.0%	26.7%	22.7%
<b>E District</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>-5</b>	<b>-6.0%</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>-12</b>	<b>-16.7%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11.1%</b>	<b>18.3%</b>	<b>7.2%</b>
Armagh	4	10	6	150.0%	4	7	3	75.0%	1	0	25.0%	0.0%	-25.0%
Banbridge	3	5	2	66.7%	1	1	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Newry & Mourne	22	21	-1	-4.5%	15	16	1	6.7%	1	3	6.7%	18.8%	12.1%
Craigavon	55	43	-12	-21.8%	52	36	-16	-30.8%	6	8	11.5%	22.2%	10.7%
<b>F District</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>43.9%</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>50.0%</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>32.6%</b>	<b>17.4%</b>	<b>-15.2%</b>
Cookstown	11	9	-2	-18.2%	10	6	-4	-40.0%	2	2	20.0%	33.3%	13.3%
Dungannon&S Tyrone	23	45	22	95.7%	17	41	24	141.2%	3	4	17.6%	9.8%	-7.9%
Fermanagh	9	12	3	33.3%	8	3	-5	-62.5%	4	2	50.0%	66.7%	16.7%
Omagh	14	16	2	14.3%	11	19	8	72.7%	6	4	54.5%	21.1%	-33.5%
<b>G District</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>75.0%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>42.3%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>15.4%</b>	<b>5.4%</b>	<b>-10.0%</b>
Foyle	12	38	26	216.7%	12	26	14	116.7%	0	1	0.0%	3.8%	3.8%
Limavady	7	10	3	42.9%	4	6	2	50.0%	1	1	25.0%	16.7%	-8.3%
Magherafelt	12	7	-5	-41.7%	10	5	-5	-50.0%	3	0	30.0%	0.0%	-30.0%
Strabane	1	1	0	0.0%	0	0	0	/0	0	0	/0	/0	/0
<b>H District</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>-15</b>	<b>-15.0%</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>-22</b>	<b>-30.6%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9.7%</b>	<b>22.0%</b>	<b>12.3%</b>
Ballymena	49	46	-3	-6.1%	38	29	-9	-23.7%	5	8	13.2%	27.6%	14.4%
Ballymoney	5	6	1	20.0%	1	5	4	400.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Coleraine	35	28	-7	-20.0%	23	12	-11	-47.8%	2	3	8.7%	25.0%	16.3%
Moyle	6	2	-4	-66.7%	6	1	-5	-83.3%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Larne	5	3	-2	-40.0%	4	3	-1	-25.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
No Assigned DCU	0	1	1	/0	0	0	0	/0	0	0	/0	/0	/0
<b>Service</b>	<b>707</b>	<b>818</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>15.7%</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>554</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1.5%</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>13.6%</b>	<b>15.0%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>

Source: PSNI Central Statistics Unit

<sup>1</sup>A racist incident is defined as any incident which is perceived to be racist by the victim or any other person. A racial group can be defined as a group of persons defined by reference to race, colour, nationality or ethnic or national origins (this includes UK National origins ie Scottish, English, Welsh and Irish) and references to a person's racial group refer to any racial group into which he/she falls. Racial group includes the Irish Traveller community.

<sup>2</sup>Hate motivated incidents cover all such occurrences, whether a crime has been committed or not. When using incident figures in conjunction with crime figures please note that hate motivated crimes are included in the incident figures, and that more than one crime may be recorded in a single incident.

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**Sectarian motivation<sup>1</sup>: Incidents, Recorded Crimes and Clearances**

District / Area	Total number of incidents <sup>2</sup>				Total offences recorded <sup>2</sup>				Total offences cleared		Clearance rate (%)		
	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change	% change	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change	% change	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change in % pts
<b>A District</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>-106</b>	<b>-16.7%</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>21.7%</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>17.0%</b>	<b>15.7%</b>	<b>-1.2%</b>
North Belfast	487	429	-58	-11.9%	192	235	43	22.4%	37	39	19.3%	16.6%	-2.7%
West Belfast	148	100	-48	-32.4%	38	45	7	18.4%	2	5	5.3%	11.1%	5.8%
<b>B District</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6.1%</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10.7%</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16.0%</b>	<b>18.1%</b>	<b>2.1%</b>
East Belfast	34	41	7	20.6%	25	34	9	36.0%	4	8	16.0%	23.5%	7.5%
South Belfast	64	63	-1	-1.6%	50	49	-1	-2.0%	8	7	16.0%	14.3%	-1.7%
<b>C District</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8.9%</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2.4%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>-5.0%</b>
Castlereagh	16	21	5	31.3%	12	14	2	16.7%	4	3	33.3%	21.4%	-11.9%
North Down	7	7	0	0.0%	1	3	2	200.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ards	5	15	10	200.0%	3	10	7	233.3%	1	2	33.3%	20.0%	-13.3%
Down	28	18	-10	-35.7%	26	16	-10	-38.5%	2	0	7.7%	0.0%	-7.7%
<b>D District</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>84.9%</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>81.3%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4.7%</b>	<b>8.6%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>
Carrickfergus	4	5	1	25.0%	5	3	-2	-40.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Lisburn	18	58	40	222.2%	15	45	30	200.0%	0	1	0.0%	2.2%	2.2%
Newtownabbey	31	41	10	32.3%	27	36	9	33.3%	0	5	0.0%	13.9%	13.9%
Antrim	20	31	11	55.0%	17	32	15	88.2%	3	4	17.6%	12.5%	-5.1%
<b>E District</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>30.1%</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>41.2%</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11.8%</b>	<b>22.9%</b>	<b>11.2%</b>
Armagh	31	24	-7	-22.6%	26	21	-5	-19.2%	2	5	7.7%	23.8%	16.1%
Banbridge	9	13	4	44.4%	10	14	4	40.0%	0	4	0.0%	28.6%	28.6%
Newry & Mourne	10	15	5	50.0%	9	13	4	44.4%	0	5	0.0%	38.5%	38.5%
Craigavon	23	43	20	87.0%	23	48	25	108.7%	6	8	26.1%	16.7%	-9.4%
<b>F District</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>-9</b>	<b>-12.3%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>14.1%</b>	<b>7.2%</b>
Cookstown	23	23	0	0.0%	23	15	-8	-34.8%	0	4	0.0%	26.7%	26.7%
Dungannon&S Tyrone	16	27	11	68.8%	11	23	12	109.1%	0	3	0.0%	13.0%	13.0%
Fermanagh	26	28	2	7.7%	26	18	-8	-30.8%	3	2	11.5%	11.1%	-0.4%
Omagh	16	11	-5	-31.3%	13	8	-5	-38.5%	2	0	15.4%	0.0%	-15.4%
<b>G District</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>84.4%</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>42.1%</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>23.0%</b>	<b>11.4%</b>
Foyle	53	135	82	154.7%	54	95	41	75.9%	9	24	16.7%	25.3%	8.6%
Limavady	9	9	0	0.0%	7	6	-1	-14.3%	0	1	0.0%	16.7%	16.7%
Magherafelt	22	23	1	4.5%	21	21	0	0.0%	1	3	4.8%	14.3%	9.5%
Strabane	12	10	-2	-16.7%	13	13	0	0.0%	1	3	7.7%	23.1%	15.4%
<b>H District</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>77.3%</b>	<b>170</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>44.1%</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>12.4%</b>	<b>12.2%</b>	<b>-0.1%</b>
Ballymena	36	72	36	100.0%	34	63	29	85.3%	3	3	8.8%	4.8%	-4.1%
Ballymoney	40	83	43	107.5%	36	82	46	127.8%	2	8	5.6%	9.8%	4.2%
Coleraine	78	145	67	85.9%	81	89	8	9.9%	13	17	16.0%	19.1%	3.1%
Moyle	9	3	-6	-66.7%	7	3	-4	-57.1%	1	1	14.3%	33.3%	19.0%
Larne	13	9	-4	-30.8%	12	8	-4	-33.3%	2	1	16.7%	12.5%	-4.2%
No Assigned DCU	0	3	3	/0	0	0	0	/0	0	0	/0	/0	/0
<b>Service</b>	<b>1288</b>	<b>1505</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>16.8%</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>1062</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>30.0%</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>13.0%</b>	<b>15.6%</b>	<b>2.7%</b>

Source: PSNI Central Statistics Unit

<sup>1</sup>A sectarian incident is defined as any incident which is perceived to be sectarian by the victim or any other person. The term 'sectarian', whilst not clearly defined, is a term almost exclusively used in Northern Ireland to describe incidents of bigoted dislike or hatred of members of a different religious or political group. It is broadly accepted that within the Northern Ireland context an individual or group must be perceived to be Catholic or Protestant, Nationalist or Unionist, or Loyalist or Republican..

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**Homophobic<sup>1</sup> motivation: Incidents, Recorded Crimes and Clearances**

District / Area	Total number of incidents <sup>2</sup>				Total offences recorded <sup>2</sup>				Total offences cleared		Clearance rate (%)		
	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change	% change	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change	% change	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	Apr to Dec 2008/09	Apr to Dec 2009/10	change in % pts
<b>A District</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>-6</b>	<b>-25.0%</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>-7</b>	<b>-36.8%</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>26.3%</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>-9.6%</b>
North Belfast	20	14	-6	-30.0%	17	10	-7	-41.2%	5	2	29.4%	20.0%	-9.4%
West Belfast	4	4	0	0.0%	2	2	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>B District</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>-13</b>	<b>-35.1%</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>-9</b>	<b>-36.0%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12.0%</b>	<b>12.5%</b>	<b>0.5%</b>
East Belfast	13	10	-3	-23.1%	8	5	-3	-37.5%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
South Belfast	24	14	-10	-41.7%	17	11	-6	-35.3%	3	2	17.6%	18.2%	0.5%
<b>C District</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>-13</b>	<b>-72.2%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-7</b>	<b>-77.8%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>22.2%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-22.2%</b>
Castlereagh	8	2	-6	-75.0%	2	0	-2	-100.0%	0	0	0.0%	/0	/0
North Down	3	1	-2	-66.7%	3	1	-2	-66.7%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ards	6	1	-5	-83.3%	3	0	-3	-100.0%	2	0	66.7%	/0	/0
Down	1	1	0	0.0%	1	1	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>D District</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>47.4%</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>45.5%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>18.2%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>-11.9%</b>
Carrickfergus	1	7	6	600.0%	0	4	4	/0	0	1	/0	25.0%	/0
Lisburn	8	10	2	25.0%	4	3	-1	-25.0%	2	0	50.0%	0.0%	-50.0%
Newtownabbey	8	5	-3	-37.5%	6	4	-2	-33.3%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Antrim	2	6	4	200.0%	1	5	4	400.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>E District</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>37.5%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>14.3%</b>	<b>14.3%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
Armagh	0	0	0	/0	0	0	0	/0	1	0	/0	/0	/0
Banbridge	1	4	3	300.0%	1	3	2	200.0%	0	1	0.0%	33.3%	33.3%
Newry & Mourne	2	5	3	150.0%	1	8	7	700.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Craigavon	5	2	-3	-60.0%	5	3	-2	-40.0%	0	1	0.0%	33.3%	33.3%
<b>F District</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>87.5%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28.6%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>28.6%</b>	<b>22.2%</b>	<b>-6.3%</b>
Cookstown	3	4	1	33.3%	3	5	2	66.7%	0	1	0.0%	20.0%	20.0%
Dungannon&S Tyrone	2	2	0	0.0%	2	1	-1	-50.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Fermanagh	0	5	5	/0	0	1	1	/0	2	0	/0	0.0%	/0
Omagh	3	4	1	33.3%	2	2	0	0.0%	0	1	0.0%	50.0%	50.0%
<b>G District</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>61.5%</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>21.4%</b>	<b>21.4%</b>
Foyle	8	14	6	75.0%	7	10	3	42.9%	0	3	0.0%	30.0%	30.0%
Limavady	2	1	-1	-50.0%	2	1	-1	-50.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Magherafelt	1	5	4	400.0%	3	3	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Strabane	2	1	-1	-50.0%	1	0	-1	-100.0%	0	0	0.0%	/0	/0
<b>H District</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>-10</b>	<b>-58.8%</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>-15</b>	<b>-71.4%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14.3%</b>	<b>16.7%</b>	<b>2.4%</b>
Ballymena	5	2	-3	-60.0%	10	1	-9	-90.0%	3	1	30.0%	100.0%	70.0%
Ballymoney	6	4	-2	-33.3%	5	3	-2	-40.0%	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Coleraine	5	0	-5	-100.0%	5	0	-5	-100.0%	0	0	0.0%	/0	/0
Moyle	0	1	1	/0	0	2	2	/0	0	0	/0	0.0%	/0
Larne	1	0	-1	-100.0%	1	0	-1	-100.0%	0	0	0.0%	/0	/0
No Assigned DCU	0	1	1	/0	0	0	0	/0	0	0	/0	/0	/0
<b>Service</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>-14</b>	<b>-9.7%</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>-23</b>	<b>-20.5%</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16.1%</b>	<b>14.6%</b>	<b>-1.5%</b>

Source: PSNI Central Statistics Unit

<sup>1</sup>A homophobic incident is defined as any incident which is perceived to be homophobic by the victim or any other person. Homophobia can be defined as a fear or dislike directed towards lesbian, gay or bisexual people, or a fear or dislike directed towards their perceived lifestyle, culture or characteristics.

<sup>2</sup>Hate motivated incidents cover all such occurrences, whether a crime has been committed or not. When using incident figures in conjunction with crime figures please note that hate motivated crimes are included in the incident figures, and that more than one crime may be recorded in a single incident.

Note: Figures for the current financial year are provisional and will be subject to change.