



Crime and Disorder Report

Meeting date : 20th May 2026

Data period 01/04/2025 – 31/04/2026

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This report provides an overview on recorded crime, anti-social behaviour incidents and domestic abuse in the Borough of Stockton-on-Tees for the 12-month period. The bulk of the statistics utilised for this report have been obtained from Cleveland Police crime statistic databases with the figures correct at the time of data extraction. The data is extracted from a 'live' systems and therefore remains the subject of on-going operational activity, audit and scrutiny.






This report will not provide any detailed analysis unless there are any substantial changes to patterns or trends.

Executive Summary



Reporting period: 01/04/2025 – 31/04/2026

Data Extraction Date – 12/05/2026

	General Analysis	Total	Direction	% Diff on Previous yr
	<p>Population</p> <p>The rate per 1,000 population (all ages) for publicly reported crime in Stockton on Tees for current reporting period.</p> <p><i>Source: Mid-Year Population Estimates, UK, 2021</i></p>	106.6		
	<p>Publicly reported offences</p> <p>Included crimes such as drug offences, public disorder and possession on weapons</p>	19313	↑	+14.8%
	<p>Police generated crime</p> <p>Includes crimes such as drug offences, public disorder and possession of weapons,</p>	3533	↑	+2.8%
	Total crime recorded	22846	↑	+12.8%
	<p>Publicly reported Anti-Social Behaviour – Police</p> <p>as at 13/05/2026</p>	5100	↓	-1.5%
	<p>Anti-Social Behaviour – Stockton Borough Council Community Safety</p> <p>Including noise and alcohol related issues publicly and officer generated as at 13/05/2026</p>	4789	↓	-12.8%

Crime Overview – Year Comparison

Table 1

Cleveland Police Crime Statistics for Stockton-on-Tees:
April 2025– April 2026

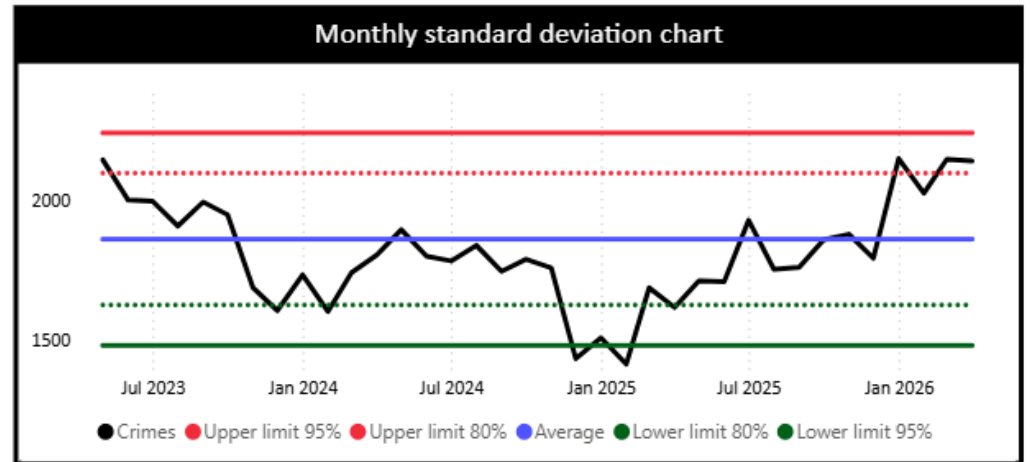
Violence, Sexual Offences and Robbery

SOURCE: Cleveland Police monthly crime statistics database

Publicly reported offences

- VIOLENCE overall is up 12.2%
- DEATH OR SERIOUS INJURY CAUSED BY ILLEGAL DRIVING has showed the largest reduction with -60.0%
- HOMICIDE is showing an increase with 200.0% (an actual increase of 2 incidents)
- A proportion of the observed increase in crime can be attributed to Operation Magnolia, which relates to the retrospective recording of historical offences in Kirklevington.

Crime	Selected Month			Last 6 Months			Last 12 Months		
	Current	Diff	% Diff	Current	Diff	% Diff	Current	Diff	% Diff
☐ Victim Based Crime	1898	589	45.0%	10424	2655	34.2%	19313	2492	14.8%
☐ Violence	834	194	30.3%	4535	868	23.7%	8512	928	12.2%
☐ Violence Without Injury	368	107	41.0%	1857	378	25.6%	3390	411	13.8%
☐ Violence With Injury	286	130	83.3%	1463	557	61.5%	2632	652	32.9%
☐ Stalking and Harassment	180	-43	-19.3%	1210	-70	-5.5%	2482	-136	-5.2%
☐ Homicide				3	3	Infinity	6	4	200.0%
☐ Death or serious injury caused by illegal driving				2	0	0.0%	2	-3	-60.0%
☐ Theft Offences	730	345	89.6%	3989	1526	62.0%	7045	1263	21.8%
☐ Criminal Damage & Arson	214	32	17.6%	1163	71	6.5%	2352	-39	-1.6%
☐ Sexual Offences	81	10	14.1%	509	76	17.6%	1009	173	20.7%
☐ Other Sexual Offences	49	0	0.0%	309	31	11.7%	640	103	19.7%
Total	2140	524	32.4%	12130	2719	28.9%	22846	2589	12.8%



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Table 2

Cleveland Police Crime Statistics for Stockton-on-Tees:
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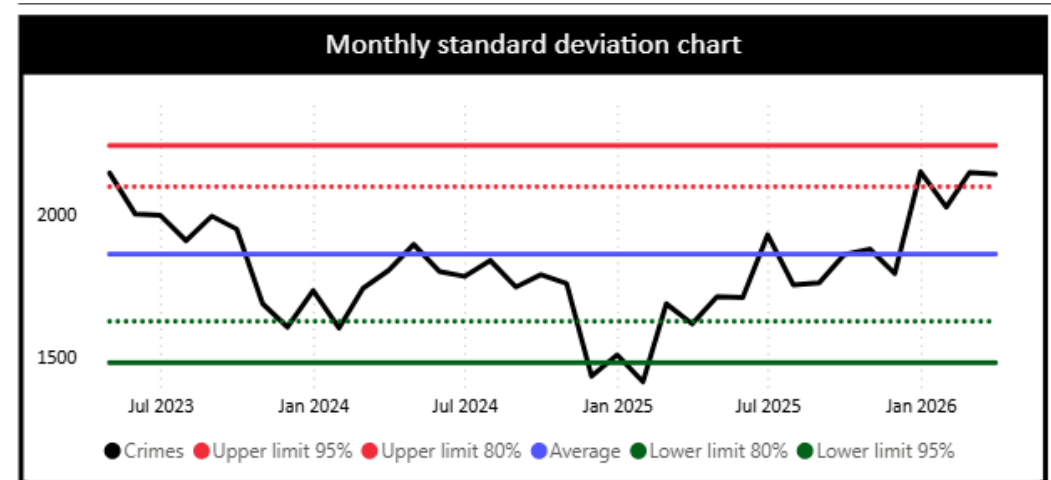
Theft, Criminal Damage and Arson

SOURCE: Cleveland Police monthly crime statistics database

Publicly reported offences

- THEFT overall is up 21.8%
- BICYCLE THEFT has showed the largest reduction with -7.3%
- CRIMINAML DAMAGE & ARSON overall indicated a reduction of 1.6% however ARSON is showing an increase with 14.0% on the previous 12 months.
- A proportion of the observed increase in crime can be attributed to Operation Magnolia, which relates to the retrospective recording of historical offences in Kirklevington.

Crime	Selected Month			Last 6 Months			Last 12 Months		
	Current	Diff	% Diff	Current	Diff	% Diff	Current	Diff	% Diff
Thft Offences	730	345	89.6%	3989	1526	62.0%	7045	1263	21.8%
▫ Shoplifting	415	302	267.3%	2069	1193	136.2%	3222	1151	55.6%
▫ All Other Theft Offences	94	-14	-13.0%	666	63	10.4%	1386	-59	-4.1%
▫ Vehicle Offences	120	39	48.1%	603	131	27.8%	1123	-4	-0.4%
▫ Burglary Residential	51	1	2.0%	379	60	18.8%	766	52	7.3%
▫ Burglary Business and Community	36	18	100.0%	169	75	79.8%	339	124	57.7%
▫ Bicycle Theft	7	-4	-36.4%	58	-4	-6.5%	127	-10	-7.3%
▫ Theft From The Person	7	3	75.0%	45	8	21.6%	82	9	12.3%
Criminal Damage & Arson	214	32	17.6%	1163	71	6.5%	2352	-39	-1.6%
▫ Criminal Damage	196	30	18.1%	1096	71	6.9%	2181	-60	-2.7%
▫ Arson	18	2	12.5%	67	0	0.0%	171	21	14.0%
Total	2140	524	32.4%	12130	2719	28.9%	22846	1773	12.8%



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Table 3

Cleveland Police Crime Statistics for Stockton-on-Tees:
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Public Order, Drug Offences and Weapons

SOURCE: Cleveland Police monthly crime statistics database

Publicly reported offences

- DRUG offences reduced by -6.1% overall on the previous 12-month period.
- Public Order Offences have increased by 4.2%

Crime	Selected Month			Last 6 Months			Last 12 Months		
	Current	Diff	% Diff	Current	Diff	% Diff	Current	Diff	% Diff
Sexual Offences	81	10	14.1%	509	76	17.6%	1009	173	20.7%
Other Sexual Offences	49	0	0.0%	309	31	11.2%	640	103	19.2%
Rape	32	10	45.5%	200	45	29.0%	369	70	23.4%
Robbery	39	8	25.8%	228	114	100.0%	395	167	73.2%
Non victim based	242	-65	-21.2%	1706	64	3.9%	3533	97	2.8%
Public Order Offences	133	-12	-8.3%	797	68	9.3%	1706	68	4.2%
Misc Crimes Against Society	55	7	14.6%	396	41	11.5%	771	90	13.2%
Drug Offences	37	-52	-58.4%	390	-58	-12.9%	834	-54	-6.1%
Drug Possession	30	-11	-26.8%	264	25	10.5%	534	72	15.6%
Drug Trafficking	7	-41	-85.4%	126	-83	-39.7%	300	-126	-29.6%
Weapons Possession Offences	17	-8	-32.0%	123	13	11.8%	222	-7	-3.1%
Total	2140	524	32.4%	12130	2719	28.9%	22846	2589	12.8%

