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Freedom of Information Request Reference No: 01.FOI.19.011643

I note you seek access to the following information:

I am interested in the ethnic identity of London stabbing victims and of those identified/prosecuted for those crimes during 2019.

If you could supply me with a general percentage for each ethnicity, that will be fine, I don't require any details.

DECISION

I have today decided to disclose the located information to you in full.

Please find attached information pursuant to your request above.

I would like to thank you for your interest in the MPS.

Information Rights Unit

Knife Crime with Injury: Victims and People Proceeded Against by Ethnic Appearance

January 2019 - 13 October 2019

Protective Marking	OFFICIAL
Suitable for Publication Scheme	Yes
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Summary	Knife Crime with Injury: Victims and People Proceeded Against by Ethnic Appearance for the period January 2019 - 13 October 2019
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This report uses LIVE DATA extracted from: CRIS

Date Live data was extracted: 14/10/2019

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Notes

Source System

Data extracted from the Corporate Knife Crime list on 14/10/2019

Date Range

January 2019 - 13th October 2019

Definition

Ethnic Appearance of victims of knife crime with injury; and those proceeded against for the same; for the year 2019 (up to 13th October)

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IMPORTANT: Please ensure that the Notes Page is read in conjunction with the data in this report to ensure that it is interpreted correctly.

Ethnic Appearance of Victims of Knife Crime with Injury: 01/01/2019 to 13/10/2019

Victim Ethnic Appearance	%
Afro-Caribbean	20%
Arabian/Egyptian	3%
Asian	16%
Dark European	7%
Oriental	1%
Unrecorded / Unknown	19%
White European	34%
	100%

Ethnic Appearance of People Proceeded Against for Knife Crime with Injury: 01/01/2019 to 13/10/2019

Ethnic Appearance of People Proceeded Against	%
Afro-Caribbean	51%
Arabian/Egyptian	4%
Asian	12%
Dark European	5%
Oriental	1%
Unrecorded / Unknown	1%
White European	27%
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