<u>Annex A</u> our ref : IA/00892/11

1) The number of car theory tests conducted, passed and failed at Canterbury theory test centre in 2010/11 broken down by month.

In the table below, you can find the number of car theory tests conducted, passed and failed at Canterbury theory test centre in 2010/11. This information is broken down by month.

Month	Number of car theory tests conducted	Number of car theory tests passed	Number of car theory tests failed
April 2010	1,152	781	371
May 2010	974	634	340
June 2010	1,211	780	431
July 2010	1,359	890	469
August 2010	1,157	753	404
September 2010	1,154	746	408
October 2010	971	589	382
November 2010	1,006	614	392
December 2010	752	459	293
January 2011	603	371	232
February 2011	973	638	335
March 2011	1,237	809	428

2) The number of car practical tests conducted, passed and failed at Herne Bay multi-purpose test centre (MPTC) and Canterbury driving test centre (DTC) in 2010/11 broken down by month

You can find the number of car practical tests conducted, passed and failed at Herne Bay MPTC and Canterbury DTC in 2010/11 broken down by month on our website at http://www.dft.gov.uk/dsa/Category.asp?cat=760. This information is therefore exempt under section 21 (information accessible by other means) of the Freedom of Information Act. A full breakdown of this exemption can be found at Annex B.

3) Nationally the age and sex of the candidates who have taken each test (car theory test and car practical test) the greatest number of times and the number of times they have taken it in 2010/11

In 2010/11 the greatest number of attempts at the car theory test was 28. This candidate was female and aged 28.

4) Nationally the gender of the candidate who has taken the car practical test the greatest number of times and the number of times they have taken it in 2010/11

In 2010/11 the greatest number of attempts at the car practical test was 16. Two candidates attempted their car practical test on 16 occasions; one candidate was female and the other was male.

5) The age and sex of the candidate that has taken the car theory test the greatest number of times and the number they have taken at Canterbury theory test centre in 2010/11

In 2010/11 the greatest number of attempts taken at the car theory test at Canterbury theory test centre was 11.

Any information that can be linked to an individual is classed as personal data and, as such, is exempt from release under section 40 (2) of FoIA. We have, therefore, withheld the age and gender of the candidate to prevent this becoming personal data. This exemption in full is attached at Annex C.

6) The age and sex of the candidate that has taken the car practical test the greatest number of times and the number they have taken at Canterbury DTC and Herne Bay MPTC in 2010/11

In 2010/11 the greatest number of attempts taken at the car practical test at Canterbury DTC was eight. Three candidates attempted their car practical test at Canterbury DTC on eight occasions in 2010/11.

In 2010/11 the greatest number of attempts taken at the car practical test at Herne Bay MPTC was 12.

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