

STATISTICS ON FOOTBALL-RELATED ARRESTS & BANNING ORDERS

SEASON 2011-12

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Statistical Commentary

Total attendance in excess of 37 million at regulated football matches. The total number of arrests represents less than 0.01% of the total, or 1 arrest for every 15,782 spectators.

During 2011-12 season the total number arrests in connection with all international and domestic football ("regulated") matches involving teams from, or representing, England and Wales was 2,363. This represents a decrease of 24%, or 726 arrests, on 2010-11 totals. The downwards trend in football-related arrests is continuing, although there remains a significant risk it will escalate if efforts to prevent and tackle football-related disorder are reduced.

The statistics cover all arrests designated in law under schedule 1 of the Football Spectators Act 1989 (as amended) reported by police to the Football Banning Orders Authority. This includes football specific offences (e.g. throwing missiles in a stadium, pitch encroachment) and a wide range of generic criminal offences committed in connection with a football match. This covers such arrests at any place within a period of 24 hours either side of a match.

During the season an average of less than 1 (0.72) arrest made per match inside and outside of stadia (Premier League 2.12, Championship 0.90, League One 0.41, League Two 0.30).

No arrests at 74% of all regulated matches.

53% of all matches were police free – continuing to free up police resources to deal with local police and community priorities.

More than 100,000 English and Welsh club fans travelled to Champions League and Europa League matches outside of England and Wales. These 47 matches resulted in just 27 arrests of away fans.

The number of football banning orders decreased by 13% to 2,750 on 9th November 2012 from 3,173 on 30th November 2011. This represents 493 new banning orders imposed during the period. Orders are time limited and expiring all the time.

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During the football season police Football Intelligence Officers submit a range of data, including arrest information, to the Football Banning Orders Authority (FBOA). FBOA also administer all football banning orders. Home Office collate and publish football-related arrest and banning order data annually.

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FOOTBALL BANNING ORDERS BY CLUB SUPPORTED

Total number of banning orders against risk supporters of each club

Total as at 9th November 2012 – 2,750 (493 imposed since the last annual statistics)

Premier League	Banning	Championship	Banning	League One	Banning	League Two	Banning	Other Clubs	Banning
	Orders	_	Orders		Orders		Orders		Orders
Arsenal	73	Barnsley	23	Bournemouth	7	Accrington Stanley	2	AFC Telford United	1
Aston Villa	51	Birmingham City	77	Brentford	16	AFC Wimbledon	2	Alfreton Town	6
Chelsea	112	Blackburn Rovers	22	Bury	9	Aldershot Town	11	Ayr United	1
Everton	37	Blackpool	10	Carlisle United	7	Barnet	2	Barrow	4
Fulham	5	Bolton Wanderers	21	Colchester United	10	Bradford City	57	Cambridge United	2
Liverpool	54	Brighton & Hove Albion	17	Coventry City	28	Bristol Rovers	16	Celtic	8
Manchester City	47	Bristol City	29	Crawley Town	3	Burton Albion	0	Darlington	8
Manchester United	98	Burnley	34	Crewe Alexandra	16	Cheltenham Town	2	FC Halifax Town	1
Newcastle United	67	Cardiff City	135	Doncaster Rovers	8	Chesterfield	29	FC United	2
Norwich City	23	Charlton Athletic	16	Hartlepool United	8	Dagenham & Redbridge	4	Fredrikstad (Norway)	1
Queens Park Rangers	22	Crystal Palace	32	Leyton Orient	7	Exeter City	25	Grimsby Town	62
Reading	5	Derby County	32	Milton Keynes Dons	0	Fleetwood Town	3	Hereford United	12
Southampton	60	Huddersfield Town	41	Notts County	5	Gillingham	2	Hibernian	2
Stoke City	25	Hull City	55	Oldham Athletic	9	Morecambe	1	Kidderminster Harr.	4
Sunderland	34	Ipswich Town	6	Portsmouth	25	Northampton Town	7	Lincoln City	15
Swansea City	64	Leeds United	91	Preston North End	13	Oxford United	31	Luton Town	22
Tottenham Hotspur	59	Leicester City	46	Scunthorpe United	11	Plymouth Argyle	20	Macclesfield Town	2
West Bromwich Albion	26	Middlesbrough	65	Sheffield United	38	Port Vale	25	Mansfield Town	21
West Ham United	78	Millwall	56	Shrewsbury Town	11	Rochdale	7	Newport County	15
Wigan Athletic	12	Nottingham Forest	40	Stevenage	1	Rotherham United	8	Nuneaton Town	1
		Peterborough United	7	Swindon Town	34	Southend United	9	Rangers	16
		Sheffield Wednesday	63	Tranmere Rovers	10	Torquay United	16	Rushden & Diamonds	1
		Watford	3	Walsall	11	Wycombe Wanderers	2	Salisbury City	1
		Wolverhampton Wand.	46	Yeovil Town	1	York City	16	Schalke (Germany)	1
								Staines Town	1
								Stockport County	13
								Utrecht (Netherlands)	1
								None	3
TOTAL	952	TOTAL	967	TOTAL	288	TOTAL	297	TOTAL	246

TABLE 1

FOOTBALL BANNING ORDERS IMPOSED IN THIS REPORTING PERIOD, BY CLUB SUPPORTED

TABLE 2

Table shows the number of banning orders imposed against risk supporters between 30th November 2011 (the date following cut-off for the table published in the 2010-11 season statistics) and 9th November 2012 (total 493)

Premier League	Banning Orders	Championship	Banning Orders	League One	Banning Orders	League Two	Banning Orders	Other Clubs	Banning Orders
Arsenal	14	Barnsley	2	Bournemouth	1	Accrington Stanley	0	AFC Telford United	0
Aston Villa	5	Birmingham City	10	Brentford	0	AFC Wimbledon	1	Alfreton Town	5
Chelsea	28	Blackburn Rovers	1	Bury	2	Aldershot Town	0	Ayr United	0
Everton	8	Blackpool	1	Carlisle United	1	Barnet	0	Barrow	0
Fulham	2	Bolton Wanderers	1	Colchester United	0	Bradford City	22	Cambridge United	0
Liverpool	13	Brighton & Hove Albion	12	Coventry City	6 Bristol Rovers 4 Celtic		Celtic	0	
Manchester City	15	Bristol City	13	Crawley Town				0	
Manchester United	24	Burnley	1	Crewe Alexandra	3	Cheltenham Town	0	FC Halifax Town	0
Newcastle United	6	Cardiff City	16	Doncaster Rovers 5 Chesterfield 8 FC United		FC United	0		
Norwich City	2	Charlton Athletic	2	Hartlepool United	1	Dagenham & Redbridge	4	Fredrikstad (Norway)	0
Queens Park Rangers	5	Crystal Palace	2	Leyton Orient	0	Exeter City	1	Grimsby Town	4
Reading	1	Derby County	9	Milton Keynes Dons	0	Fleetwood Town	1	Hereford United	1
Southampton	5	Huddersfield Town	6	Notts County	0	Gillingham	2	Hibernian	0
Stoke City	4	Hull City	8	Oldham Athletic	2	Morecambe	0	Kidderminster Harr.	4
Sunderland	5	Ipswich Town	1	Portsmouth	4	Northampton Town	0	Lincoln City	3
Swansea City	11	Leeds United	17	Preston North End	1	Oxford United	4	Luton Town	2
Tottenham Hotspur	9	Leicester City	9	Scunthorpe United	2	Plymouth Argyle	3	Macclesfield Town	1
West Bromwich Albion	11	Middlesbrough	19	Sheffield United	11	Port Vale	0	Mansfield Town	1
West Ham United	11	Millwall	13	Shrewsbury Town	3	Rochdale	0	Newport County	3
Wigan Athletic	6	Nottingham Forest	4	Stevenage	0	Rotherham United	1	Nuneaton Town	0
		Peterborough United	3	Swindon Town	5	Southend United	1	Rangers	2
		Sheffield Wednesday	8	Tranmere Rovers	3	Torquay United	2	Rushden & Diamonds	0
		Watford	1	Walsall	2	Wycombe Wanderers	0	Salisbury City	0
		Wolverhampton Wand.	10	Yeovil Town	0	York City	3	Schalke (Germany)	0
								Staines Town	0
								Stockport County	4
								Utrecht (Netherlands)	0
								None	0
TOTAL	185	TOTAL	169	TOTAL	52	TOTAL	57	TOTAL	30

ARRESTS AT INTERNATIONAL AND EUROPEAN CLUB MATCHES (outside of England and Wales)

TABLE 3

2011-12 Season

(2010-11 Season in brackets)

TYPE OF OFFENCE

Competition	Total	Violent and Public Disorder	Missile Throwing	Racist Chanting	Pitch Incursion	Alcohol Offences	Ticket Touting	Possession of Offensive Weapon	Breach of Banning Order	Offences against Property
International	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matches	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)
European Club	27	6	3	0	0	10	0	1	0	7
Matches	(14)	(2)	(1)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(0)	(4)	(0)	(1)

Explanatory Notes

- 1. <u>International matches</u>
 - No football-related arrests of travelling supporters at overseas International matches involving England and Wales, including the Euro 2012 tournament qualification matches and final in Ukraine and Poland.
- 2. European Club matches
 - Estimated that in excess of 100,000 travelling supporters watched their club side in European competitions outside of England and Wales.
 - Host police additionally made a small number of preventative detentions and non-football related arrests (e.g. theft, counterfeit tickets, drug offences) of travelling fans at a few matches.
- Arrests of Supporters of English and Welsh clubs at matches outside of England and Wales for football-related arrests as defined in domestic legislation (relating to 47 Champions League and Europa League matches):

Arsenal 5 Manchester City 1
Birmingham City 14 Manchester United 2
Chelsea 4 Stoke City 1

	Football Relate	d Arrests a	nd Attendances – Season 2011-12						
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League	Total Attendances	Arrests	Other Competitions	Total Attendances	Arrests				
Premier League	13,148,465	814	FA Cup	1,987,740	223				
Championship	9,784,100	495	Football League Cup	1,209,684	101				
League One	4,091,897	227	Football League Trophy	201,147	56				
League Two	2,429,939	164	League and Conference Play-Offs	403,646	46				
			Football Conference National	372,946	70				
			Champions and Europa Leagues	2,903,923	85				
			Internationals	759,622	16				
	Other^								
Total League	29,454,401	1,700	Total Other	7,838,708	663				

[^] Other regulated matches include Friendly and Testimonial matches, Community Shield, Under-21 internationals, Internationals involving two teams other than England and Wales, Football Conference North and South, the Welsh Premier League, FA Youth Cup, FA Trophy and other non-league matches. European Club Competition attendance includes matches outside of England and Wales involving English or Welsh clubs. International attendance includes overseas matches involving England and Wales

		Arrest	ts by Loc	ation (Ins	ide and C	Outside of	f Stadia)				TABLE 5			
	Type of Offence													
2011-12 Season (all competitions in England and Wales)	Violent Disorder	Public Disorder	Missile Throwing	Racist or Indecent chanting	Pitch Incursion	Alcohol Offences	Ticket touting	Possession of Offensive Weapon	Breach of Banning Order	Offences Against Property	TOTAL			
INSIDE STADIA	113	343	53	23	177	430	0	30	13	33	1,215			
OUTSIDE STADIA	160	422	0	0	0	370	107	15	45	29	1,148			

	TOTAL	273	765	53	23	177	800	107	45	58	62		2,363
				Arrests	s by Comp	etition &	Type of Of	fence					TABLE 6
Com	petition	Total	Violent Disorder	Public Disorder	Missile Throwing	Racist or Indecent Chanting	Pitch Incursion	Alcohol Offences	Ticket Touting	Posse ion o Offens Weap	of Bisive	reach of anning Order	Property Offences
FA P	remier League	814	66	193	16	15	37	391	59	14		7	16
	ball League npionship	495	87	203	18	4	22	118	4	10		16	13
Foot	ball League One	227	17	79	0	0	33	82	0	8		3	5
Foot	ball League Two	164	18	68	1	0	20	39	0	3		10	5
Foot	ball Conference onal	70	2	34	2	1	2	25	0	0		4	0
FA C	up	223	25	81	5	1	18	57	16	3		4	13
Foot	ball League Cup	101	6	36	2	0	10	32	9	2		2	2
Foot	ball League Trophy	56	25	14	0	0	4	10	0	1		2	0
Play-	Offs	46	15	11	1	0	12	5	1	0		1	0
	pean Cups (Champions ue and Europa League)	85	4	20	7	2	4	21	15	3		2	7
Inter	nationals	16	3	3	0	0	1	7	2	0		0	0
Othe	r*	66	5	23	1	0	14	13	1	1		7	1
Total		2,363	273	765	53	23	177	800	107	45		58	62

^{* &}quot;Other" matches arrests were at Friendlies and testimonials, the FA Trophy , Football Conference regional division, and County Cups.

Comparison with previous season – Arrests by Offence TABLE 7											
	2011-12	2010-11									
Violent Disorder	273	330									
Public Disorder	765	1,076									
Missile Throwing	53	63									
Racist or Indecent Chanting	23	43									
Pitch Incursion	177	238									
Alcohol Offences	800	1,038									
Ticket Touting	107	102									
Possession of Offensive Weapon	45	42									
Breach of Banning Order	58	74									
Offences against Property	62	69									
TOTAL	2,363	3,075									

Comparison with previous season -	- Arrests by Competit	ion TABLE 8
	2011-12	2010-11
Premier League	814	1,191
Championship	495	676
League One	227	208
League Two	164	188
Football Conference National	70	72
FA Cup	223	282
League Cup	101	151
Football League Trophy	56	21
Football League and Conference Play-Offs	46	17
Champions and Europa Leagues	85	147
Internationals	16	20

Other matches	66	102
TOTAL	2,363	3,075

ARI	ARRESTS BY CLUB SUPPORTED & TYPE OF OFFENCE - PREMIER LEAGUE 2011-12 SEASON TABLE 9												
								Type of	Offence			TABLE 0	,
Premier League team supported (all competitions)	Total Arrests	Arrests at Home Matches	Arrests at Away matches	Violent Disorder	Public Disorder	Missile Throwing	Racist or Indecent Chanting	Pitch Incursion	Alcohol Offences	Ticket Touting	Offences Against Property	Possession of Offensive Weapon	Breach of Banning Order
Arsenal	71	41	30	0	31	3	3	2	25	6	0	1	0
Aston Villa	39	15	24	2	9	1	1	1	23	0	0	1	1
Blackburn Rovers	32	26	6	0	14	1	0	1	14	0	0	2	0
Bolton Wanderers	24	8	16	2	10	1	0	0	10	0	1	0	0
Chelsea	71	38	33	13	13	0	5	10	12	12	3	1	2
Everton	35	8	27	1	9	2	0	6	15	0	1	1	0
Fulham	6	3	3	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Liverpool	87	28	59	4	25	4	1	4	21	21	6	0	1
Manchester City	94	51	43	7	27	3	0	3	45	2	0	5	2
Manchester United	148	74	74	7	28	4	1	7	86	10	3	1	1
Newcastle United	73	22	51	0	13	2	0	9	41	1	6	0	1
Norwich City	17	9	8	0	7	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	1
Queens Park Rangers	24	8	16	4	8	0	0	1	11	0	0	0	0
Stoke City	38	9	29	4	11	1	0	2	20	0	0	0	0
Sunderland	66	43	23	1	11	0	1	3	44	3	2	0	1
Swansea City	30	5	25	2	6	0	0	3	15	1	0	1	2
Tottenham Hotspur	30	14	16	5	8	0	0	1	14	1	0	0	1
West Bromwich Albion	44	15	29	10	8	1	2	2	18	0	3	0	0
Wigan Athletic	23	5	18	6	4	0	2	0	8	0	0	3	0
Wolverhampton Wand.	41	19	22	6	13	1	0	3	15	0	1	1	1
TOTAL	993	441	552	75	259	24	16	60	445	57	26	17	14

ARRESTS BY CLUB SUPPORTED & TYPE OF OFFENCE - CHAMPIONSHIP 2011-12 SEASON TABLE 10 **Type of Offence** Arrests at Home Matches Arrests at Away Matches Breach of Banning Order Racist or Indecent Possession of Offensive Weapon Offences Against Property Missile Throwing Alcohol Offences **Total Arrests Violent Disorder Public Disorder** Pitch Incursion **Ticket Touting** Championship chanting team supported (all competitions) Barnsley Birmingham City Blackpool Brighton & Hove Albion **Bristol City** Burnley Cardiff City Coventry City Crystal Palace **Derby County** Doncaster Rovers **Hull City Ipswich Town** Leeds United Leicester City Middlesbrough Millwall Nottingham Forest Peterborough Portsmouth Reading Southampton Watford West Ham United TOTAL

ARRESTS BY CLUB SUPPORTED & TYPE OF OFFENCE - LEAGUE ONE 2011-12 SEASON TABLE 11 **Type of Offence** Arrests at Home Matches Arrests at Away Matches Breach of Banning Order Racist or Indecent Possession of Offensive Weapon Offences Against Property Missile Throwing Alcohol Offences **Total Arrests Violent Disorder Public Disorder** Pitch Incursion **Ticket Touting** League One chanting team supported (all competitions) Bournemouth Brentford Bury Carlisle United Charlton Athletic Chesterfield Colchester United **Exeter City** Hartlepool United Huddersfield Town Leyton Orient MK Dons **Notts County** Oldham Athletic Preston North End Rochdale Scunthorpe United Sheffield United Sheffield Wednesday Stevenage Tranmere Rovers Walsall Wycombe Wanderers Yeovil Town TOTAL

ARRESTS BY CLUB SUPPORTED & TYPE OF OFFENCE – LEAGUE TWO 2011-12 SEASON TABLE 12 **Type of Offence** Arrests at Home Matches Arrests at Away Matches Breach of Banning Order Racist or Indecent Possession of Offensive Weapon Offences Against Property Missile Throwing Alcohol Offences **Total Arrests Violent Disorder Public Disorder** Pitch Incursion **Ticket Touting** League Two chanting team supported (all competitions) Accrington Stanley AFC Wimbledon Aldershot Town Barnet Bradford City **Bristol Rovers Burton Albion** Cheltenham Town Crawley Town Crewe Alexandra Dagenham & Redb'dge Gillingham Hereford United Macclesfield Town Morecambe Northampton Town Oxford United Plymouth Argyle Port Vale Rotherham United Shrewsbury Town Southend United Swindon Town **Torquay United** TOTAL

ARRESTS BY CLUB SUPPORTED & TYPE OF OFFENCE - FOOTBALL CONFERENCE 2011-12 SEASON TABLE 13 **Type of Offence** Arrests at Home Matches Arrests at Away Matches Breach of Banning Order Racist or Indecent Possession of Offensive Weapon Offences Against Property Missile Throwing Alcohol Offences **Total Arrests Violent Disorder Public Disorder** Pitch Incursion **Ticket Touting Football Conference** chanting team supported (all competitions) AFC Telford United Alfreton Town Barrow Bath City Braintree Town Cambridge United Darlington **Ebbsfleet United** Fleetwood Town Forest Green Rovers Gateshead Grimsby Town Hayes & Yeading Utd **Kettering Town** Kidderminster Harriers Lincoln City Luton Town Mansfield Town **Newport County** Southport Stockport County Tamworth Wrexham York City TOTAL