

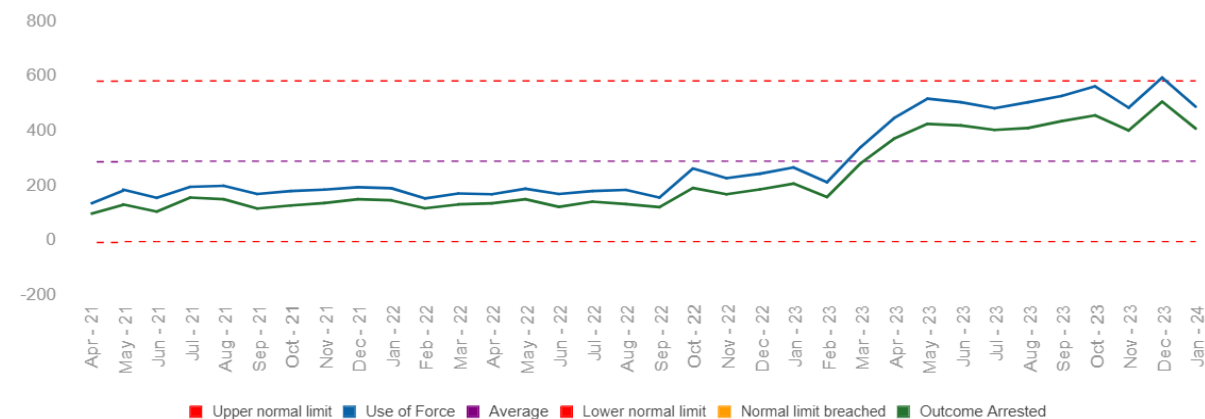
Staffordshire Police

Use of Force

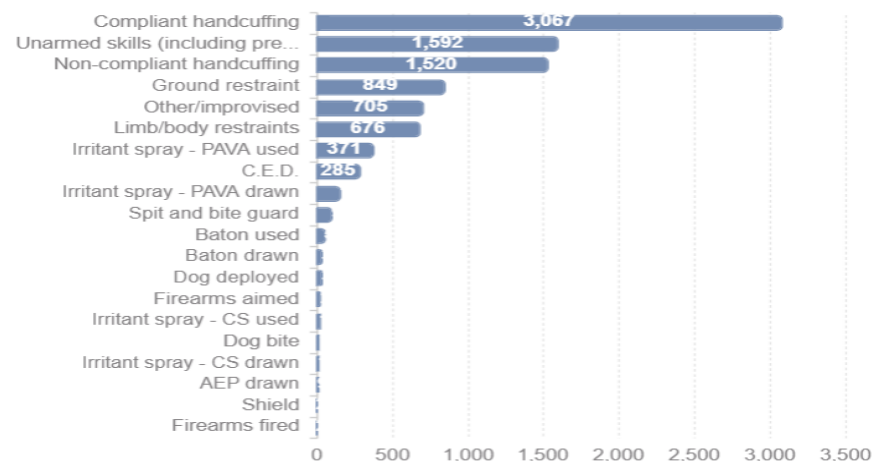
1st April 2023 – 1st February 2024



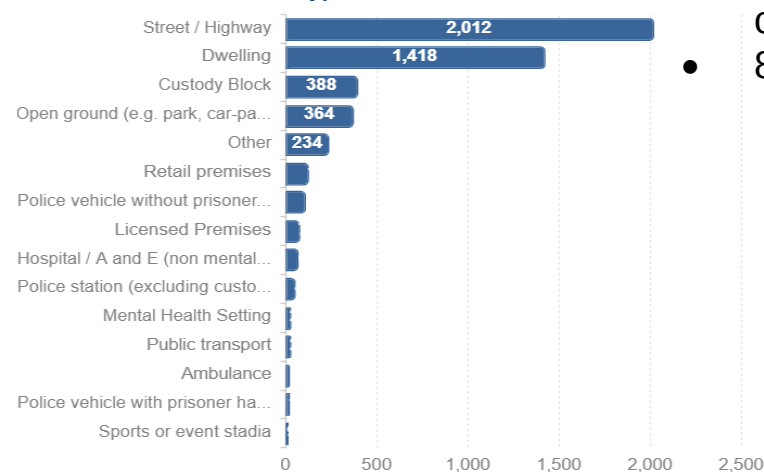
Use of Force Over Time



Tactics Used Over Last 12 Months

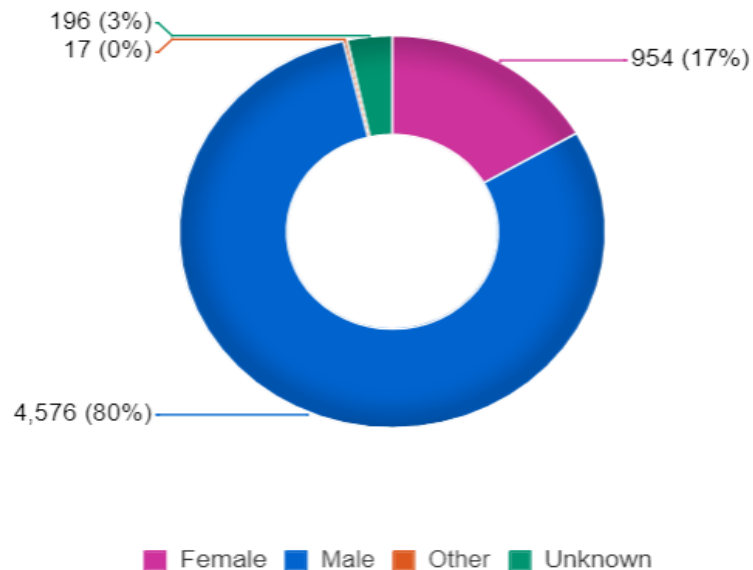


Location Type Over Last 12 Months

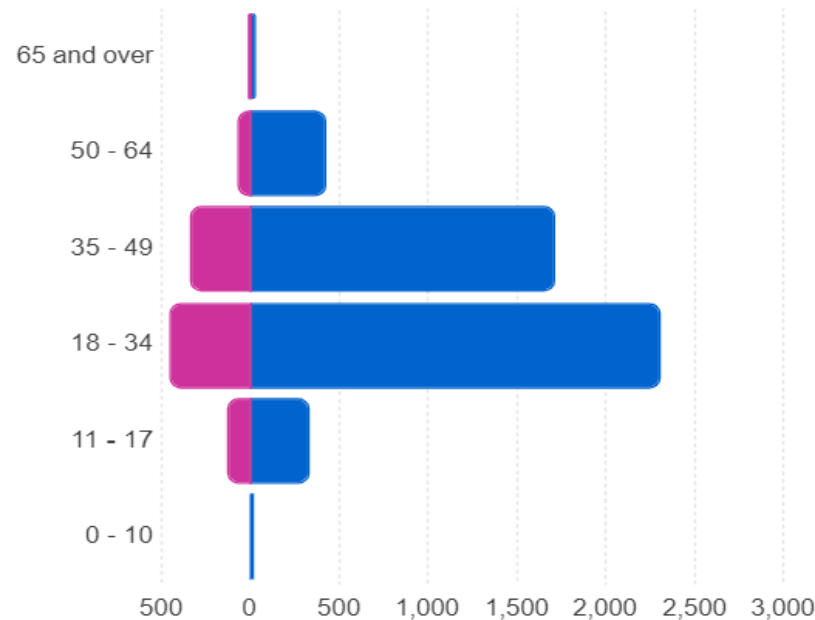


- Staffordshire Police complete a Use of Force (UOF) report per officer for each occasion, the number of UOF reports therefore does not represent the occasions or number of persons where there has been forces used as numerous forms can be submitted for a single occurrence.
- UOF includes where compliant handcuffing is used by police, which is the majority of UOF used.
- In April 2023 the force changed its recording system for UOF reporting and has since seen improved recording of UOF reporting compliance
- 83% of reported UOF results in an arrest

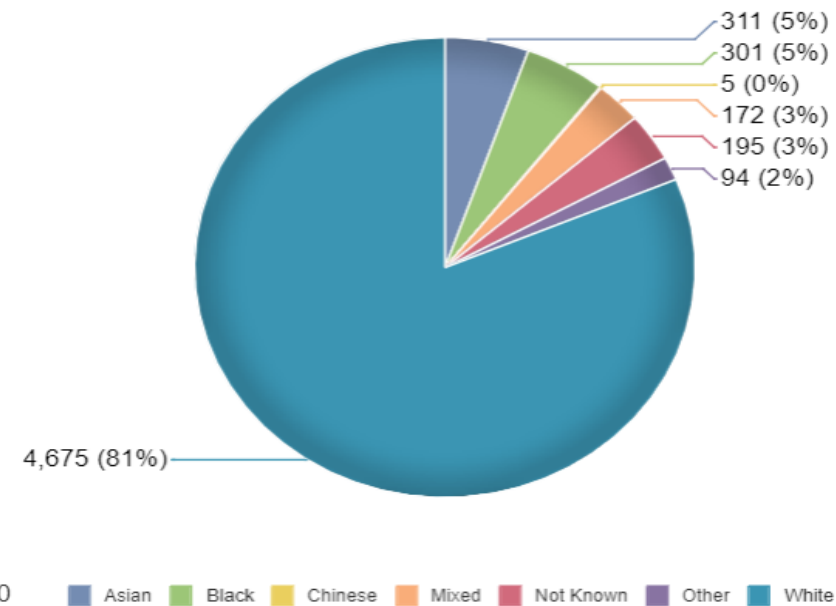
Subject Perceived Gender



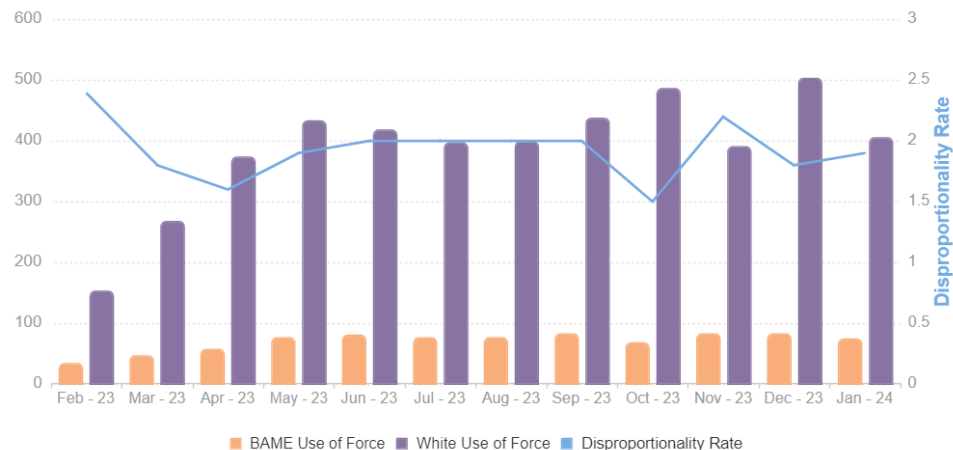
Subject Perceived Age and Gender



Subject Perceived Ethnicity



Monthly Use of Force and Disproportionality Rates



Disproportionality Rate Last 12 Months

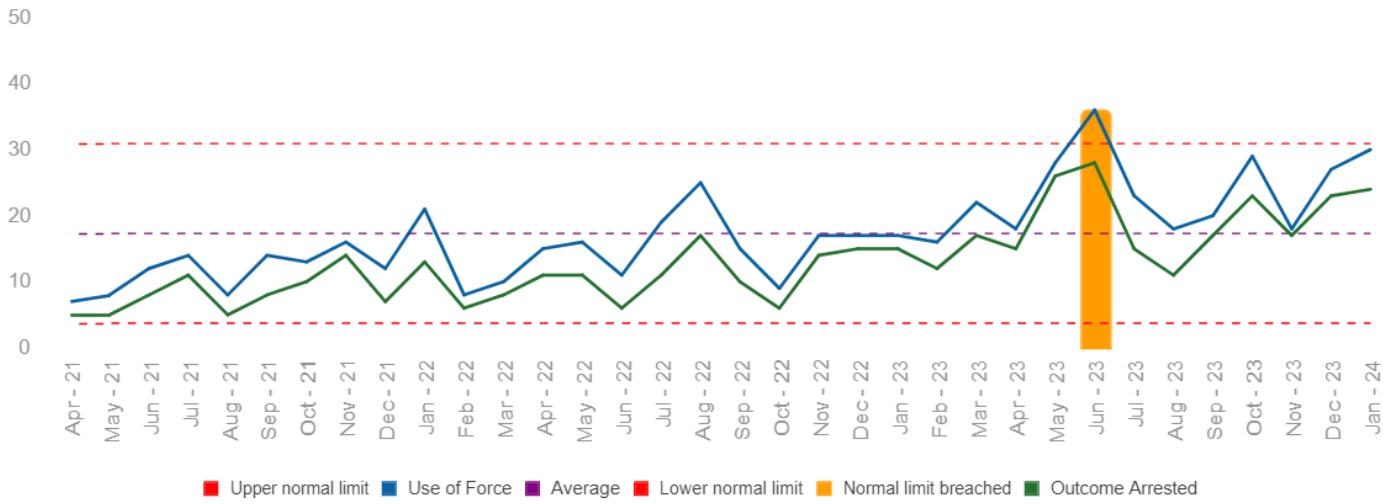
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Disproportionality rates are calculated by dividing the BAME use of force per 1000 population by white use of force per 1000 population. So a rate of 1.9 would indicate that persons from BAME groups are nearly twice as likely to have force used against them.

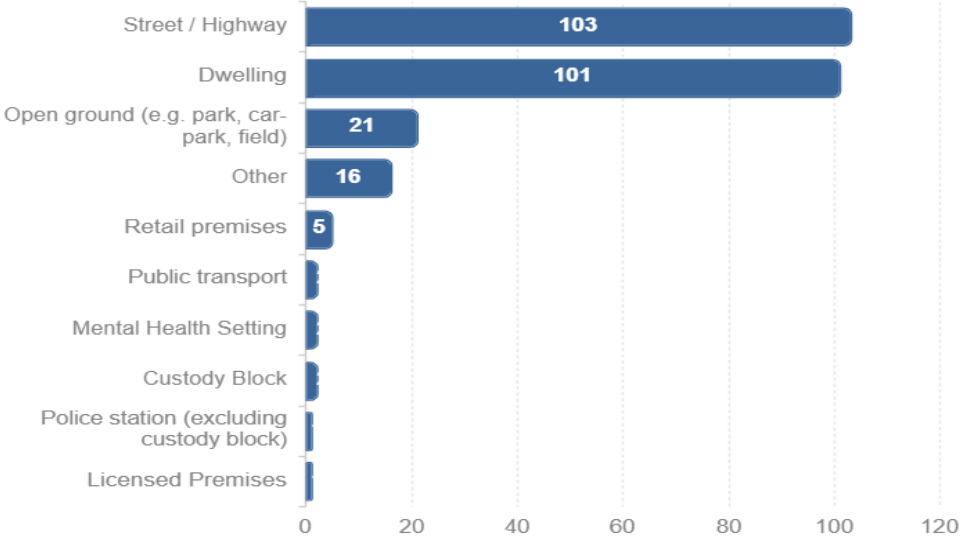
- These figures are impacted by UOF recorded against travelling criminality of people arrested in Staffordshire who are not residents of the County.
- These figures are impacted as multiple forms may be reported against a single person on a single occasion

Taser | Use of Force

Use of Force Over Time

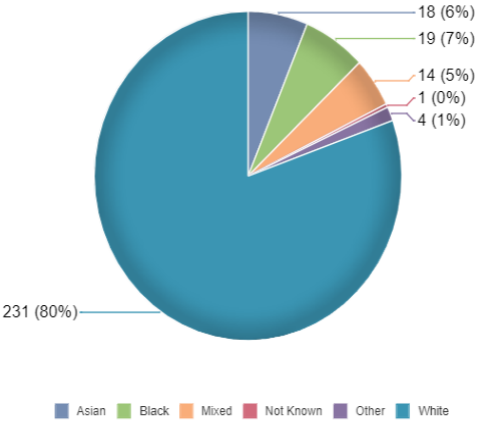
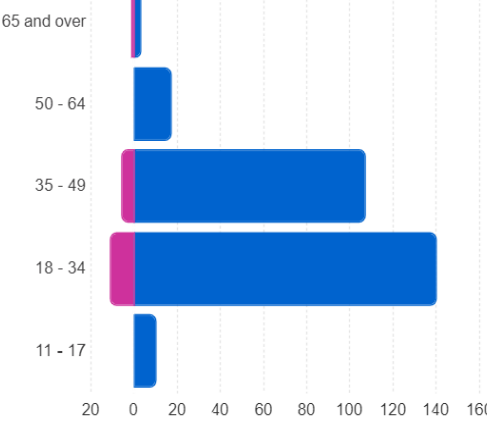
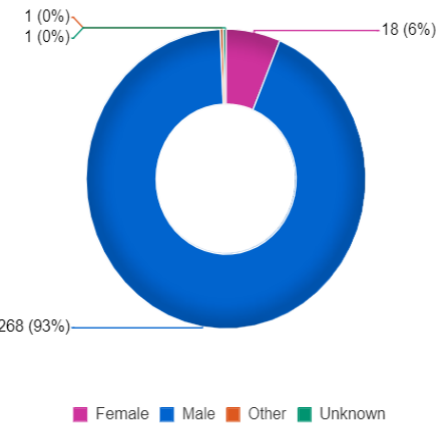


Location Type Over Last 12 Months



Disproportionality Rate Last 12 Months

2.5



Monthly Use of Force and Disproportionality Rates

