



# Subject Access Request Statistics 2023

## Introduction

The Data Protection Act 2018 sets out the time frames within which organisations should respond to a request for information.

We have an obligation to reply promptly, and at the latest within one calendar month after receiving a request.

Please see [link](#) to the National Police Freedom of Information and Data Protection Unit (NPFDU) published SAR statistics, for all Forces

| SAR Performance                                                                                                 |                                                 | Jan 24 | Feb 24 | Mar 24 | Apr 24 | May 24 | Jun 24 | Jul 24 | Aug 24 | Sep 24 | Oct 24 | Nov 24 | Dec 24 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Number received in this month                                                                                   | SAR received                                    | 26     | 32     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Number closed in this month, regardless of when received                                                        | SAR closed                                      | 18     | 28     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Number completed within Statutory timescales (to include ones that are PIT extended)                            | SAR closed in time                              | 16     | 22     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Regardless of when received, numbers that are still ongoing                                                     | SAR open                                        | 60     | 46     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Regardless of when received, numbers that are still ongoing, those that the due date has passed                 | SAR open overdue                                | 37     | 29     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Regardless of when received, numbers that are still ongoing, those that the due date is more than 6 months ago  | SAR Number of open requests older than 6 months | 14     | 17     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
| Regardless of when received, numbers that are still ongoing, those that the due date is more than 12 months ago | SAR Number of open requests older than a year   | 7      | 7      |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

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