



Use of Force Analysis Report

1st April – 30th June 2019 – Q2

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Use of Force Submissions



Q2 2019

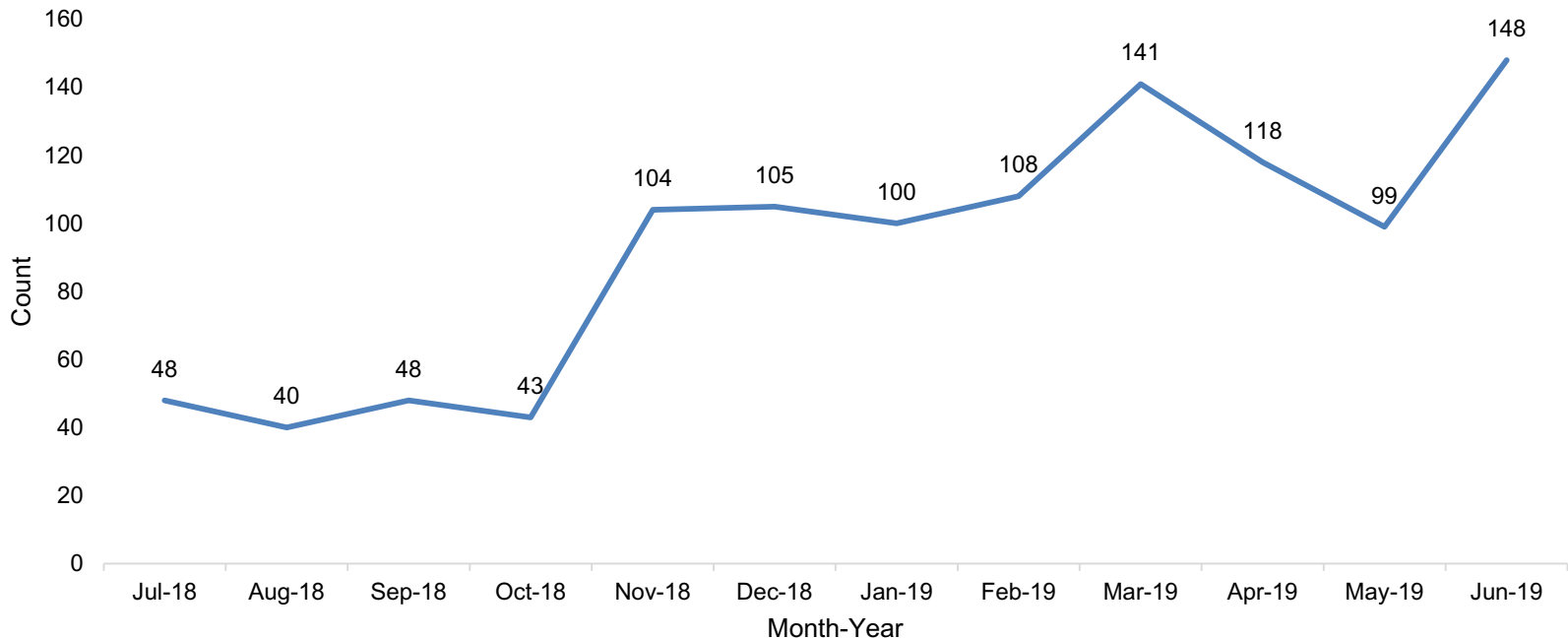
Total number of incidents: **37,739**

Number of uses of force recorded: **365**

Less than 1% of incidents involved use of force

26 Officers injured, 9 Officers intentionally assaulted

Number of Use of Force submissions



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Officers role and locations



Officers main role during incident

Officer Role	Q3 2018	Q4 2018	Q1 2019	Q2 2019
Mobile patrol	91	211	274	270
Custody	11	10	24	38
ARV	16	15	12	14
Other	7	9	22	13
Foot patrol	3	3	5	13
Dog Handler Duty	1	-	-	11
CID	-	1	-	3
Roads policing	6	2	7	2
PSU/public order	1	-	1	1
Off duty	-	1	4	-

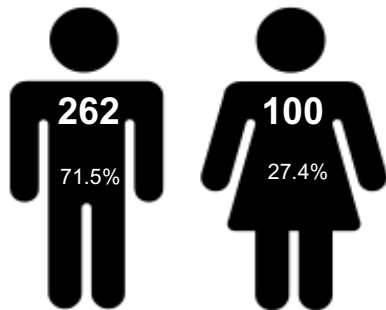
Location setting for UoF

Location	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2
Street / Highway	83	142	162	180
Dwelling	30	69	89	90
Custody block	16	22	48	60
Open ground	5	15	12	35
Police vehicle	3	19	21	22
Hospital	2	6	18	16
Retail premises	1	11	15	11
Mental health setting	3	4	15	8
Other	7	10	12	8
Licensed premises	2	1	10	8
Sports or event	-	-	2	1
Police station	-	-	2	1
Ambulance	-	1	1	1
Public transport	-	1	1	-

3 Who

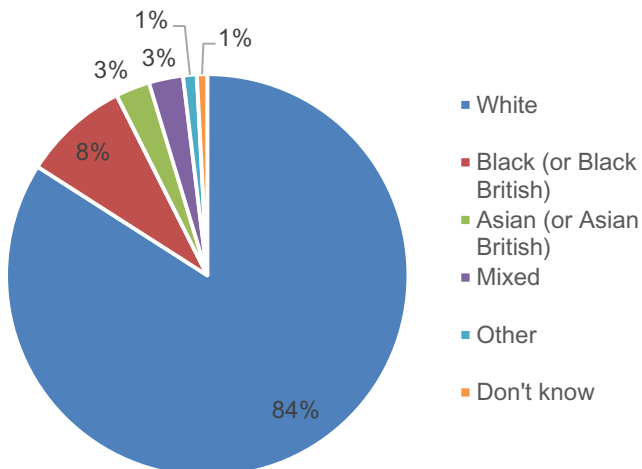


Perceived Gender



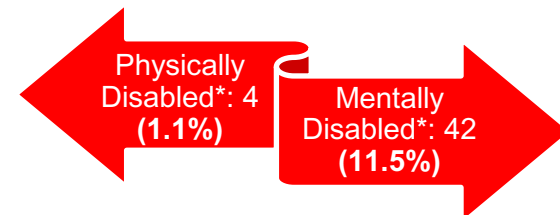
Transgender: 3 (0.8%)

Perceived Ethnicity



Perceived Age

Perceived age of subject	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	% for Q2
0 – 10	1	3	8	29	7.9%
11 – 17	11	16	49	41	11.2%
18 – 34	72	153	172	159	43.6%
35 – 49	43	57	88	89	24.4%
50 – 64	5	23	21	34	9.3%
65+	3	-	5	2	0.5%

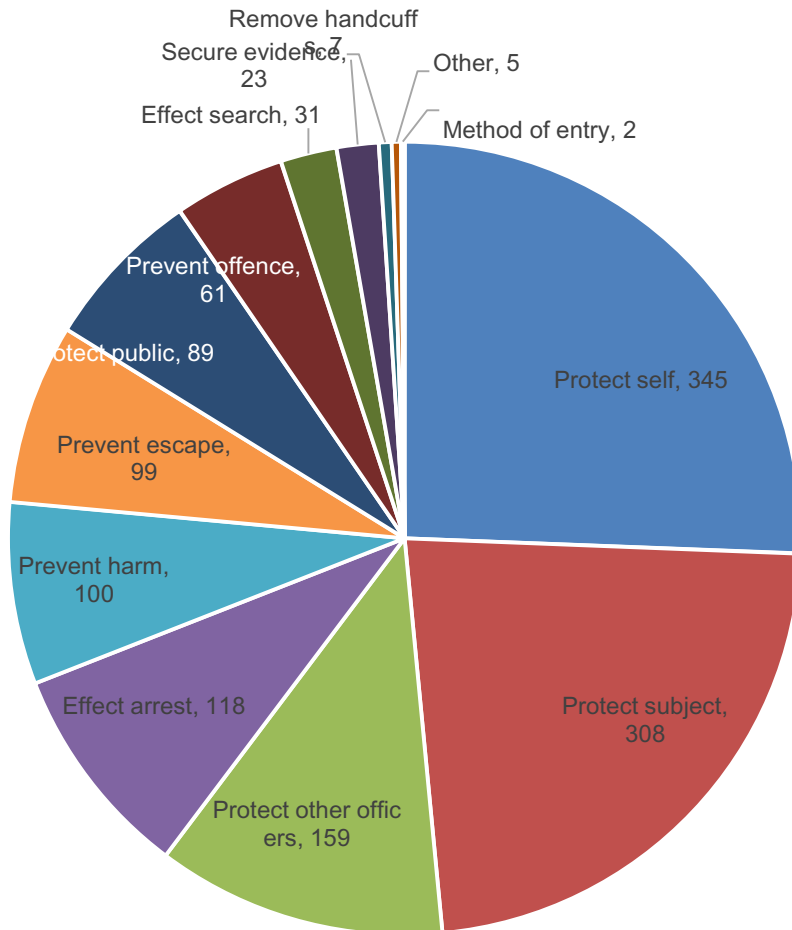


*Subject perceived as disabled

4 Why



Reason officer used force*



Contributing factors Q2 2019*

Factor	Total	%
Alcohol	164	44.9%
Mental Health	130	35.6%
Size/Gender/Build	100	27.4%
Drugs	92	25.2%
Prior knowledge	69	18.9%
Possession of a weapon	53	14.5%
Other	51	14%
Crowd	19	5.2%
Acute behavioural disorder	7	1.9%

* Multiple reasons can be recorded for each use of force incident

5 . How



Tactic	Q3 2018	Q4 2018	Q1 2019	Q2 2019
Tactical communication	125	244	331	340
Compliant Handcuffing	61	138	175	177
Unarmed skills	36	65	122	142
Non-compliant Handcuffing	46	83	120	129
Ground Restraint	33	76	99	122
Limb / Body restraints	8	20	29	32
C.E.D. (Taser) all deployments	33	23	28	26
Other / improvised	5	7	17	17
Irritant spray - PAVA drawn	8	6	4	12
Irritant spray - PAVA used	10	8	4	10
Spit guard	0	8	17	9
Dog deployed	1	0	0	7
AEP aimed	4	1	6	6
Baton drawn	3	2	7	5
Shield	0	0	6	4
Baton used	5	2	3	4
Firearms	0	3	2	2
Irritant spray - CS drawn	0	0	0	1
Irritant spray - CS used	0	0	1	1
AEP fired	3	0	1	0

6 ■ Taser analysis



Tactic	Q3 2018	Q4 2018	Q1 2019	Q2 2019
C.E.D. (Taser) all deployments	33	23	28	26

	Red Dot	Drawn	Aimed	Fired	Arced	Drive Stun	Angle Drive Stun
Q3	25	18	19	12	5	0	0
Q4	23	21	17	6	0	1	0
Q1	23	13	11	5	1	0	0
Q2	10	7	4	4	4	0	0

