

STOP SEARCH FIGURES 2023



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According to law the States of Jersey Police are required to provide the following information in their Annual Report:

Custody

There were 1,319 (2022 1,304) people detained in police custody during 2023. This figure includes people who were detained more than once and represents a 1% increase on 2022's total.



PPCE Searches

Under the Police Procedures and Criminal Evidence (Jersey) Law 2003 (PPCE) the Police are required to publish information on specific searches:

Intimate Searches and PPCE vehicle checks

- There were no intimate searches carried out by a registered medical practitioner in police custody during 2023.
- There were 3 vehicle checks conducted under Article 13 of the Police Procedures and Criminal Evidence (Jersey) Law 2003.



PPCE Stop and Search

- During 2023, 59 people were stopped and searched for drugs, stolen articles, offensive weapons and for other prohibited items. As shown in the table below, this resulted in 10 recorded offences; some searches yielded more than one recorded offence. Figures in brackets refer to the number of people arrested as a consequence of having been searched.



Search relates to:	JAN	FEB	MAR	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Offensive Weapons	1	0	4 (1)	1	3 (1)	1	0	3	3 (2)	1 (1)	3 (2)	1	21 (7)
Going Equipped	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	7
Stolen Articles	1	5	2	6 (1)	0	0	3 (1)	3	1	1	2	2	26 (2)
Other	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1 (1)	5(1)
TOTAL	3	6	7 (1)	8 (1)	5 (1)	2	3 (1)	8	5 (2)	2 (1)	5 (2)	5 (1)	59 (10)