

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

**REQUEST NUMBER:** FOI Request 004548-17

**REQUEST DETAILS:**

*"I would like the most recent yearly statistics (2014, 2015, 2016) for usage of taser (both aiming and discharge) on under 18s"*

**RESPONSE:**

Suffolk and Norfolk Constabularies have considered your request for information and our response is below.

*This response is correct as of 10 April 2017*

A search has been undertaken of the Constabulary's Chronicle database for all Taser use during the 2014-2016 calendar years.

The tables provided below confirm the age, ethnicity and use. Please note that the 'use' figure relates to the

2013 NORFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
0	0	0

2013 SUFFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
17	W1	Drawn

2014 NORFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
17	W1	Drawn
16	W1	Fired
16	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot
16	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot
15	W1	Angled Drive Stun
15	W1	Red Dot

2014 SUFFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
17	W1	Aimed
16	W1	Fired
17	W1	Red Dot
16	W1	Red Dot
16	W1	Red Dot
15	White and Black African	Red Dot

2015 NORFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
15	W1	Drawn
13	W1	Drawn
17	W1	Red Dot

2015 SUFFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
17	W1	Drawn
14	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot

2016 NORFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
17	W1	Drawn
14	W1	Fired
17	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot

2016 SUFFOLK		
Age	Ethnicity	Highest Use
17	W1	Aimed
17	Asian	Fired
17	Not Stated	Fired
17	W1	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot
16	W4	Red Dot

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16	African	Red Dot
17	W1	Red Dot

The ethnicity code W1 is White British.