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**Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**

I write in connection with your request for information, which was received by Nottinghamshire Police on 14/07/2014.

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Nottinghamshire Police to locate the information you require.

**RESPONSE**

Under S 1 (1) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), I can confirm that Nottinghamshire Police does hold the information you have requested.

Please find below answers to your questions:-

**1. How many crimes of theft of power tools from construction sites have you recorded in your territory during 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009?**

**Number of Crimes of Theft from Building Sites \*\* of Power Tools \***

Year	No. of Power Tools Stolen
2009	19
2010	39
2011	19
2012	17
2013	15
<b>Total</b>	<b>109</b>

**2. What is the recorded value of the goods stolen during each theft recorded in 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009?**

The recorded value\*\*\*of those Power Tools stolen

Property Cash Value	Year					Grand Total
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	
£1.00	1	0	0	0	0	1
£50.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£80.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£90.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£100.00	0	1	1	0	0	2
£150.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£200.00	0	1	1	1	0	3
£250.00	0	0	0	2	2	4
£300.00	0	0	0	1	0	1
£300.36	0	0	0	1	0	1
£350.00	1	0	0	2	1	4
£360.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£400.00	1	0	0	1	0	2
£500.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
£600.00	0	1	1	1	1	4
£700.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£800.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
£975.20	0	0	1	0	0	1
£1,000.00	1	0	1	0	0	2
£1,500.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£1,600.00	0	0	0	1	0	1
£1,985.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
£2,000.00	2	1	0	1	0	4
£2,700.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
£3,000.00	0	1	1	1	0	3
£4,000.00	0	1	0	0	1	2
£6,500.00	0	0	1	0	0	1
£7,500.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
£11,615.00	0	0	0	0	1	1
£14,000.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
£25,000.00	1	2	0	0	0	3
£35,000.00	0	1	0	0	0	1
Not recorded	12	22	12	5	4	55
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>109</b>

\* Power tools consist of the following

- Stihl disc cutter
- Cement mixer
- Generator
- Electrical saw
- Vibrating waker plate
- Jack hammer
- Measuring laser
- Drills

Circular saw  
24v for a compressor  
Red hilti tech gun  
Battery operated cable cutter  
Circular saw  
Stihl saw  
Pressure washer motor and hose  
Powered fuel pump  
Motor for pipe cutter  
Pipe groover  
Compressor  
Compactor plates  
Batteries  
Water bowser  
Concrete breaker.  
8ft shear  
Mig welder  
Grinders  
Reciprocating saw  
Still saw  
Heauy duty power cables  
Re charging unit for hilti  
Hilti power drill and battery pack  
Paint pump  
Drill  
Hilti screw gun  
Polytrolley jetwash  
110 v with chisel and leads  
Hydraulic block lifts  
Cable locater  
Powered nail gun  
Sawbench  
Breaker  
Jackhammer.  
Nail gun.  
Power tools  
Pump  
Hydraulic shear used in demolition  
Excavator  
Deisel pump  
Petrol strimmer  
Steam wall stripper  
18 inch to 9 inch push plate reducer  
6 inch push plate for drilling equipment  
9 inch push plate for drilling equipment  
Drilling rods  
Double pilot push plate for drilling equipment  
Single pilot drilling rods  
60 inch sweeper

\*\* data obtained using premise recorded as "building site"

\*\*\* Value where recorded

Please note this information is taken from a live crime system and may be subject to change  
Source: Performance and Insight 28.07.2014

**3. How many of the power tools recorded as stolen were recovered during 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009?**

None have been recorded as being recovered.

**4. What's the number of powers tools that were recovered and subsequently sold/auctioned because an owner could not be identified/found? Please provide me with the figures for years 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009.**

N/A

**5. How many of the crimes of theft of power tools from construction sites have been detected during 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010 and 2009?**

None of the above offences have been recorded as being detected.

Police forces in the United Kingdom are routinely required to provide crime statistics to government bodies and the recording criteria is set nationally. However, the systems used for recording these figures are not generic, nor are the procedures used locally in capturing the crime data. **It should be noted that for these reasons, this force's response to your questions should not be used for comparison purposes with any other response you may receive.**

**Complaints Rights**

Your attention is drawn to the enclosed review procedure, which details your right of complaint.

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in Nottinghamshire Police.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer on telephone number 0115 9672507 or e-mail [freedomofinformation@Nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:freedomofinformation@Nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk) quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

**Disclosure Officer**

## **Are you dissatisfied with your response?**

Nottinghamshire Police has a duty to implement a complaints process in relation to Freedom of Information Act requests. If you are not content with our response, you may appeal, this process is known as an 'Internal Review'

Internal reviews are intended to be a fair and impartial means of reviewing the original request process.

You can appeal about your request if you:-

- Disagree with the Forces interpretation of your request;
- Believe the Force hold more information than has been disclosed to you;
- Disagree with the application of exemptions;
- Are still waiting for a response and are unhappy with the delay.

### **How do I appeal?**

All appeals should be made in writing and sent to:-

Information Management  
Nottinghamshire Police  
Force Headquarters  
Sherwood Lodge  
Arnold  
Notts  
NG5 8PP

or alternatively [freedomofinformation@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:freedomofinformation@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk)

To deal with your appeal as quickly as possible please provide the unique identification number provided with your response and the reasons for your appeal.

Once we have received your request for appeal, your FOI response will be reviewed in full to identify any problems in the disclosure.

The review will be undertaken by someone different from, and preferably senior to, the original decision maker and this should be completed within 20 working days from receipt, in exceptional circumstances it may be extended by a further 20 working days.

### **What if I'm still not satisfied?**

You can appeal to the Information Commissioner. You can contact the Information Commissioner Officer at the following:-

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or 01625 545 745 (national rate)

E-mail: [casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)