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	2005 Q1-Q2	2006 Q1-Q2	2005 Q1-Q2	2006 Q1-Q2	2005 Q1-Q2	2006 Q1-Q2
Chesterfield	2	1	13	13	63	128
Derby	0	3	44	25	115	197
Derbyshire	2	4	57	38	178	325
Leicester	12	15	58	113	233	368
Leicestershire & Rutland	12	15	58	113	233	368
Boston	2	2	22	19	83	153
Lincoln	3	2	25	44	144	220
Lincolnshire	5	4	47	63	227	373
Northampton	7	9	48	48	190	261
Northamptonshire	7	9	48	48	190	261
Nottingham	2	1	91	82	238	349
Nottinghamshire	2	1	91	82	238	349
EAST MIDLANDS	28	33	301	344	1066	1676
Bedford	1	0	18	19	53	59
Luton	4	3	54	58	147	252
Bedfordshire	5	3	72	77	200	311
Cambridge	2	0	45	21	171	248
Peterborough	4	2	31	38	131	207
Cambridgeshire	6	2	76	59	302	455
Chelmsford	2	0	12	16	86	132
Colchester	2	3	34	37	184	333
Southend-on-Sea	5	0	152	108	287	392
Essex	9	3	198	161	557	857
Hertford	0	2	27	42	125	185
St. Albans	1	6	32	33	160	232
Hertfordshire	1	8	59	75	285	417
King's Lynn	2	2	20	11	105	149
Norwich	3	3	46	43	312	440
Norfolk	5	5	66	54	417	589
Bury St Edmonds	0	0	9	9	114	123
Ipswich	1	1	14	20	123	248
Suffolk	1	1	23	29	237	371
EASTERN	27	22	494	455	1998	3000
Croydon	7	7	209	274	376	657
Kingston-upon-Thames	3	2	50	57	127	192
Romford	1	2	60	63	164	152
Greater London	11	11	319	394	667	1001
LONDON	11	11	319	394	667	1001
Birkenhead	1	0	40	94	96	148
⊗ Liverpool	38	124	90	180	230	436
Merseyside	39	124	130	274	326	584
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Darlington	1	0	33	25	77	117
Middlesborough	1	7	42	39	118	214
Cleveland & Darlington	2	7	75	64	195	331
Durham	1	2	49	35	92	147
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⊗ Newcastle-upon-Tyne	52	45	235	188	422	581
Sunderland	3	2	77	49	106	144
Tyne & Wear	55	47	312	237	528	725
NORTH EAST	58	56	436	336	815	1203

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Chester	1	1	11	23	74	131
Crewe	3	0	38	30	59	75
Macclesfield	0	2	16	25	28	59
Warrington	4	1	25	20	79	132
Cheshire	8	4	90	98	240	397
Barrow-in-Furness	0	0	5	1	29	63
Carlisle	1	1	7	9	53	64
Kendal	0	1	1	1	15	25
Whitehaven	2	0	10	8	33	53
Cumbria	3	2	23	19	130	205
Bolton	0	4	41	49	82	162
☒ Manchester	287	271	215	262	124	245
Oldham	1	3	29	30	90	121
Salford	1	1	36	36	104	119
Stockport	0	5	23	18	68	99
Tameside	2	1	32	33	49	104
Wigan	0	0	15	28	97	129
Greater Manchester	291	285	391	456	614	979
Blackburn	1	3	28	23	57	115
Blackpool	2	1	26	22	108	150
Burnley	1	1	11	37	71	107
Lancaster	0	1	14	6	25	59
☒ Preston	25	19	29	67	107	121
Lancashire	29	25	108	155	368	552
NORTH WEST	331	316	612	728	1352	2133
Newbury	0	1	5	6	52	47
Reading	2	2	38	49	289	264
Slough	5	4	53	65	154	177
Berkshire	7	7	96	120	495	488
Aylesbury	6	4	81	102	116	191
Milton Keynes	1	1	20	28	82	120
Buckinghamshire	7	5	101	130	198	311
Portsmouth	0	0	29	24	212	240
Southampton	1	2	33	17	217	310
Winchester	0	2	5	12	35	47
Hampshire	1	4	67	53	464	597
Newport (I.O.W.)	0	1	2	4	66	96
Isle of Wight	0	1	2	4	66	96
Canterbury	6	5	81	40	225	385
Maidstone	0	0	11	18	75	116
Medway	5	4	120	83	197	361
Tunbridge Wells	2	1	24	21	100	102
Kent	13	10	236	162	597	964
Banbury	0	0	12	7	43	80
Oxford	8	5	36	19	152	171
Oxfordshire	8	5	48	26	195	251
Guildford	69	6	38	52	244	276
Surrey	69	6	38	52	244	276
Brighton	12	14	151	125	400	591
Eastbourne	0	1	13	13	104	148
Hastings	1	1	23	23	88	136
Sussex	13	16	187	159	592	875
SOUTH EAST	118	54	775	708	2851	3858
Bath	3	1	20	27	140	254
☒ Bristol	2121	1667	124	106	398	588
Northern Somerset & South Gloucestershire	2124	1668	144	133	538	842
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Cornwall & Isles of Scilly	3	8	34	23	267	337
Barnstaple	0	1	8	15	103	144
Exeter	10	3	24	53	216	348
Plymouth	1	0	23	39	314	390
Torquay	1	0	16	14	206	259
Devon	12	4	71	121	839	1141
Bournemouth	14	4	42	95	215	360
Weymouth	0	0	12	7	80	99
Dorset	14	4	54	102	295	459
Cheltenham	1	2	11	16	52	87
Gloucester	4	2	20	20	97	174
Gloucestershire	5	4	31	36	149	261
Taunton	0	2	12	12	102	160
Yeovil	0	0	20	27	121	145
Somerset	0	2	32	39	223	305
Salisbury	2	0	4	11	71	95
Swindon	5	0	41	11	169	209
Wiltshire	7	0	45	22	240	304
SOUTH WEST	2165	1690	411	476	2551	3649
Rhyl	0	0	12	10	47	65
Wrexham	2	1	15	13	61	79
Clwyd	2	1	27	23	108	144
Aberystwyth	0	0	7	3	21	17
Carmarthen	1	0	8	6	21	50
Haverfordwest	0	0	6	4	43	77
Dyfed	1	0	21	13	85	144
Blackwood	2	3	7	16	41	75
Newport (Gwent)	2	0	29	13	98	122
Gwent	4	3	36	29	139	197
Caernarfon	0	0	18	9	48	82
Llangefni	0	0	3	7	16	22
Gwynedd	0	0	21	16	64	104
Aberdare	0	0	4	1	20	28
Bridgend	1	4	24	9	49	61
Merthyr Tydfil	1	0	3	5	20	23
Pontypridd	0	0	5	5	45	72
Mid Glamorgan	2	4	36	20	134	184
Welshpool	0	0	2	3	10	26
Powys	0	0	2	3	10	26
☒ Cardiff	6	30	45	50	92	175
South Glamorgan	6	30	45	50	92	175
Neath	0	1	11	19	46	61
Swansea	2	3	21	20	74	120
West Glamorgan	2	4	32	39	120	181
WALES	17	42	220	193	752	1155
Hereford	1	0	10	15	79	137
Kidderminster	1	1	9	14	35	81
Worcester	0	4	32	16	116	182
Hereford & Worcs	2	5	51	45	230	400
Shrewsbury	2	0	17	18	99	145
Shropshire	2	0	17	18	99	145
Burton-on-Trent	0	0	11	13	62	103
Stafford	0	1	15	4	23	56
Stoke-on-Trent	7	4	31	28	154	250
Staffordshire	7	5	57	45	239	409

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	Warwick	2	1	21	11	60	74
	Warwickshire	2	1	21	11	60	74
⊗	Birmingham	345	422	172	190	453	696
	Coventry	1	2	78	61	143	278
	Dudley	0	3	8	22	71	97
	Stourbridge	0	2	14	15	53	51
	Walsall	7	2	31	42	136	224
	Wolverhampton	2	1	40	42	126	144
	West Midlands	355	432	343	372	982	1490
	WEST MIDLANDS	368	443	489	491	1610	2518
	Gt Grimsby	3	3	25	60	97	149
	Kingston-upon-Hull	4	4	183	145	216	370
	Scunthorpe	0	0	5	12	44	50
	East Riding & Northern Lincolnshire	7	7	213	217	357	569
	Harrogate	0	0	8	18	59	87
	Scarborough	1	0	15	23	103	123
	York	2	3	10	22	95	152
	North Yorkshire	3	3	33	63	257	362
	Barnsley	0	0	12	15	63	74
	Doncaster	1	0	21	18	97	176
	Sheffield	5	3	111	180	206	330
	South Yorkshire	6	3	144	213	366	580
	Bradford	13	2	196	176	138	277
	Dewsbury	1	1	91	46	61	101
	Hallifax	0	2	23	49	53	88
	Huddersfield	1	1	38	47	65	88
⊗	Leeds	541	564	57	62	141	238
	Wakefield	0	0	11	18	79	99
	West Yorkshire	556	570	416	398	537	891
	YORKSHIRE & HUMBER	572	583	806	891	1517	2402
	<i>Royal Courts of Justice</i>	<i>2387</i>	<i>2524</i>	<i>5287</i>	<i>4974</i>	<i>1308</i>	<i>1865</i>
	England & Wales	6,121	5,898	10,280	10,264	16,813	25,044

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