

MULTI-AGENCY HATE RESPONSE STRATEGY (M.A.H.R.S.)



**QUARTER 2 - (2015/2016)
INCIDENT REPORT**

July-September 2015



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1. INRODUCTION

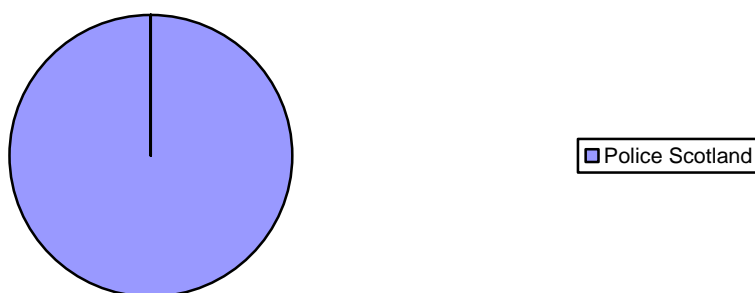
The following graphs and tables provide information associated with **Hate Incidents** as obtained from two agencies in the above mentioned quarter.

2. RESULTS

Table 1(a) and Graph (1b) below shows that all of the incidents were reported by the police.

No.	Agency	No. of Incidents Reported
1.	Police Scotland	104
2.	Central Scotland REC	0
3.	Falkirk Council	0
4.	Forth Valley College	0
5.	Clackmannanshire Council	0
6.	Stirling Council	0
7.	NHS, Forth Valley	0
8.	Victim Support	0
9.	COPFS	0
10.	Fire & Rescue Service	0
11.	University of Stirling	0
Total Incidents		104

1 (a)



1 (b)

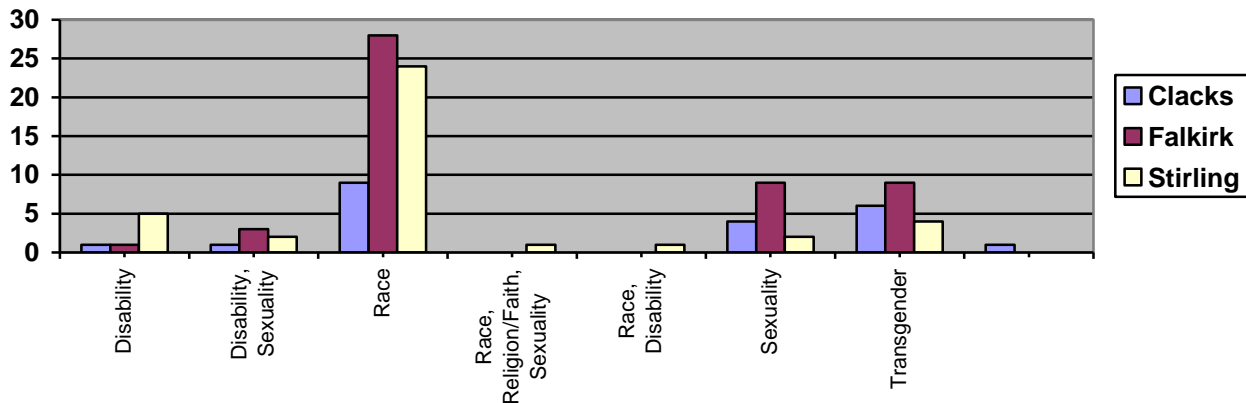
Notes

- Reports were received by Polish Scotland.

Table 2 (a) and Graph 2 (b) below shows a breakdown on the number of Incidents.

Hate Motive	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Disability	1	3	2	6
Race	9	28	24	61
Race, Religion/Faith, Sexuality			1	1
Race, Disability			1	1
Religion/Faith	4	9	2	15
Sexuality	6	9	4	19
Transgender	1			1
Grand Total	21	49	34	104

2 (a)



2 (b)

Notes

- As Table (2a) shows, the highest amount of Incidents that occurred are again motivated by *Race* making up nearly 60% of all incidents. This is higher than the amount of racially motivated incidents than last quarter which was almost 64% of all incidents. This shows an decrease of nearly 4%.
- Sexuality is the second highest motivation which is the same as the previous quarter. Race/Religion+Faith/Sexuality, Race/Disability & Transgender hate crimes were the lowest reported with only 1 case each in this quarter.
- 2(a) and 2(b) both show that the highest amount of incidents again occurred in the *Falkirk* area with the least occurring in *Clackmannanshire*.

These incidents make up 47% of hate incidents. This relates to *Falkirk Council's* population of 52%. *Stirling* account for nearly 33% of hate incidents whilst making up a population of around 31% and *Clackmannanshire* account for 20% of incidents with a population of 17%.

Table 3 below provides a count of the number of Police charges raised in relation to hate incidents.

Crime Type	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Assault		6		6
Assault to injury	2	5		7
Breach of the Peace	1	2	1	4
CJLSA S38	10	19	18	47
CLCSA S50	4	16	9	29
Communications Act		1		1
Fraud (taxi)		1		1
Licensing (Scot) Act		1		1
No Crime	1	5	8	14
Offensive Behaviour at Football	1			1
Vandalism		1		1
Grand Total	20	59	36	115

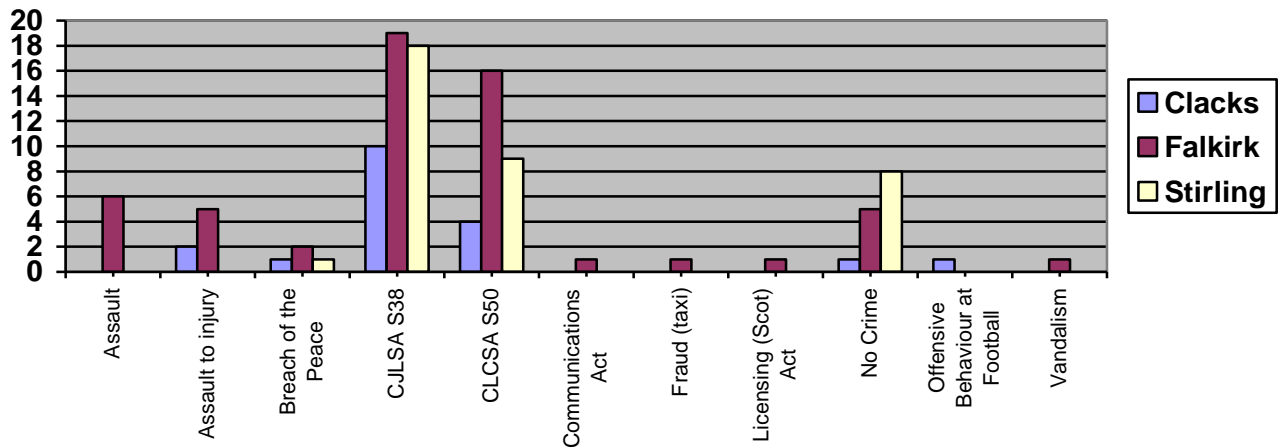
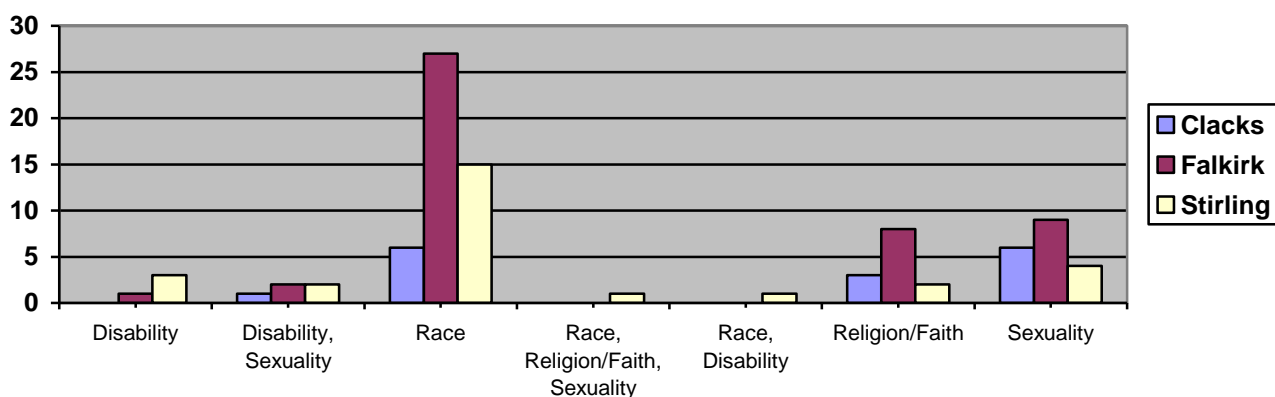


Table 4 (a) and Graph (b) below provides a count of all the Police charges detected.

No crimes Detected/ Hate Motive	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Disability	1	2	2	5
Race	6	27	15	48
Race, Religion/Faith, Sexuality			1	1
Race, Disability			1	1
Religion/Faith	3	8	2	13
Sexuality	6	9	4	19
Grand Total	16	46	25	87

4(a)



4(b)

Thus detection rates for each area are as follows:-

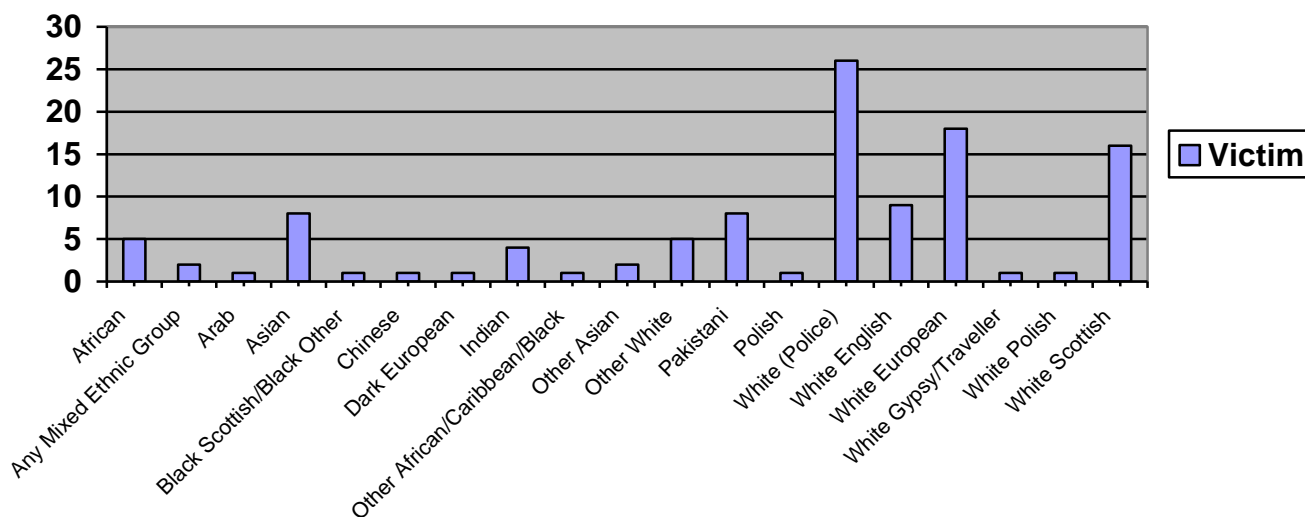
(Q2) – 2015/16	(Q2) – 2014/15
Falkirk – 77.9%	Falkirk – 62%
Stirling – 69.4%	Stirling – 85%
Clacks – 80%	Clacks – 72%
Overall – 75.65%	Overall – 71%

As you will notice, the detection rate has increased by 4.65% from what was recorded in previous year's 1st quarter where it was 71%.

Table 5 (a) and Graph 5 (b) below provide a count of the Ethnicity of victims of all Hate Motivated Incidents

Victims Ethnicity	Victim Gender			Grand Total
	F	M	Unknown	
African	2	3		5
Any Mixed Ethnic Group		2		2
Arab		1		1
Asian	1	7		8
Black Scottish/Black Other		1		1
Chinese		1		1
Dark European	1			1
Indian		4		4
Other African/Caribbean/Black		1		1
Other Asian	2			2
Other White	4	1		5
Pakistani	1	7		8
Polish		1		1
White (Police)	3	23		26
White English	6	3		9
White European	6	12		18
White Gypsy/Traveller		1		1
White Polish	1			1
White Scottish	10	6		16
Grand Total	37	74		111

5 (a)



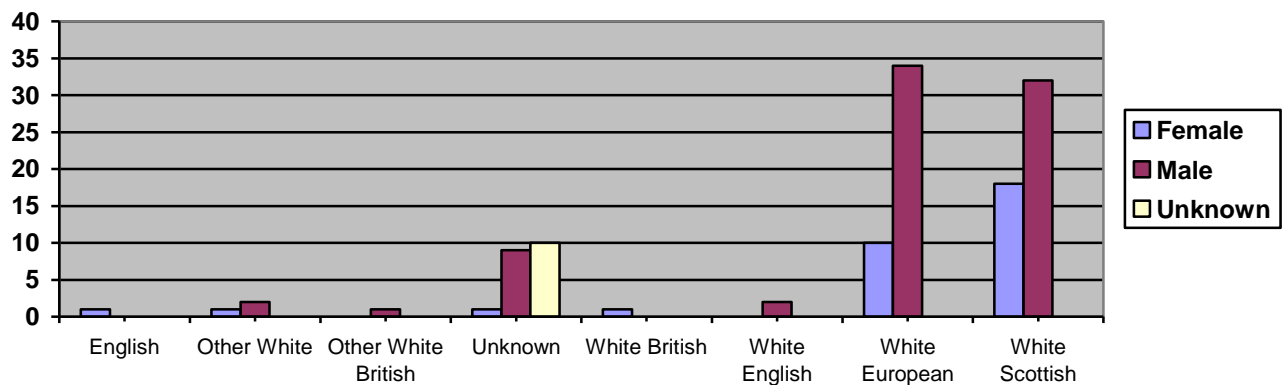
5 (b)

The above table shows that the highest number of victims is recorded **White (Police)** closely followed by **White European** then **White Scottish**. This is a change from the previous quarter where the highest numbers of victims were of **White Scottish** ethnicity.

Table 6 (a) and Graph 6 (b) below provide a count of the Ethnicity of the Perpetrators of all Hate Motivated Incidents

Perpetrator's Ethnicity	Perpetrator's Gender			
	F	M	Unknown	Grand Total
English	1			1
Other White	1	2		3
Other White British		1		1
Unknown	1	9	10	20
White British	1			1
White English		2		2
White European	10	34		44
White Scottish	18	32		55
Grand Total	32	80	10	122

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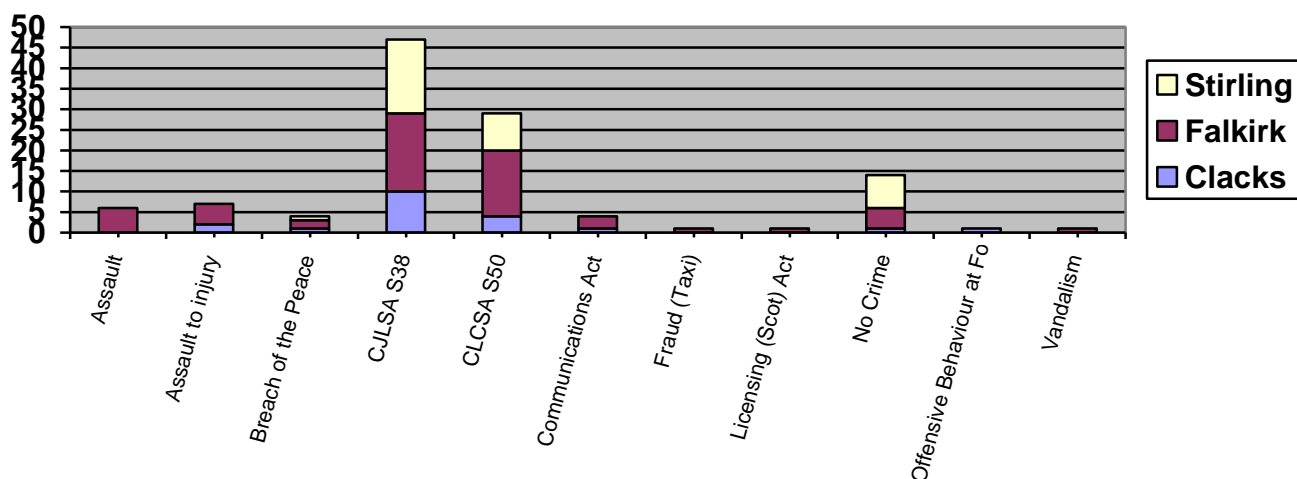


The above tables show that the highest ethnicity of Perpetrators were White Scottish followed by White European. This is a change in trend from the same quarter last year where White European followed by White Scottish were the highest ethnicity of perpetrators.

Table 7 (a) and Graph 7 (b) below provides a count of all the crimes types in relation to the Hate Motive.

Crime Type	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Assault		6		6
Assault to injury	2	5		7
Breach of the Peace	1	2	1	4
CJLSA S38	10	19	18	47
CLCSA S50	4	16	9	29
Communications Act	1	3		4
Fraud (Taxi)		1		1
Licensing (Scot) Act		1		1
No Crime	1	5	8	14
Offensive Behaviour at Football	1			1
Vandalism		1		1
Grand Total	20	59	36	115

7 (a)



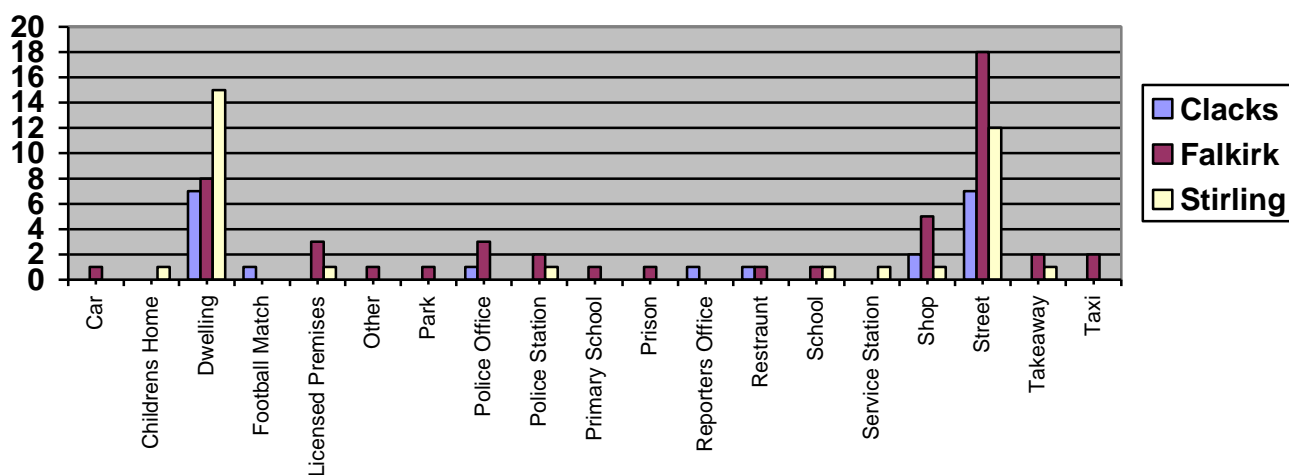
7 (b)

CJLSA S38 was the most prevalent crime that perpetrators have been charged with. This is a change in trend from the previous quarter where CJLSA 38 and CJSLA S50 (Racially Aggravated Behaviour) were jointly the highest crime type. The CJSLA S50 is the second highest crime type. If there are two witnesses a S50 charge is labelled, but if there is only one then a CJLSA S38 offence would be labelled.

Table 8 (a) and Graph 8 (b) below shows location of All Hate Incidents Recorded

Locus	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Car		1		1
Childrens Home			1	1
Dwelling	7	8	15	30
Football Match	1			1
Licensed Premises		3	1	4
Other		1		1
Park		1		1
Police Office	1	3		4
Police Station		2	1	3
Primary School		1		1
Prison		1		1
Reporters Office	1			1
Restraunt	1	1		2
School		1	1	2
Service Station			1	1
Shop	2	5	1	8
Street	7	18	12	37
Takeaway		2	1	3
Taxi		2		2
Grand Total	20	50	34	104

8 (a)



8 (b)

On the *street*, closely followed by *dwelling*, is where the majority of incidents seem to occur. This continues the trend compared to the same quarter last year.

3. SUMMARY

From this report, the key notes are:-

- The number of **Hate Incidents** reported in the last quarter has decreased by 15 compared to same time last year.
- There was no increase in hate crime this quarter. New hate crimes reported this quarter have been *Transgender* and *Race, Religion/Faith and Sexuality* which both have increased by 1 each. All other incidents fell and also some that were reported in the previous quarter were not reported at all this time. These were *Race & Sexuality* and *Race & Religion/Faith*.
- Detection rate has increased by 4.65% from the previous years quarter.
- The majority of victims state their ethnicity as White Police, White European and White Scottish. This is similar to last years quarter.
- The dominant crime type charge this quarter has been CJSLA 38 (Threatening Behaviour) with CLCSA S50 (Racially Aggravated Behaviour) coming in second. This is a change from the previous years quarter where CLCSA S50 was the dominant crime type with CJSLA 38 coming in a close second.

4. CONCLUSIONS

In comparison to the corresponding period contained in the Scottish 2013/2014 Hate Crime Report, Central Scotland region somewhat matched the overall trends.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

Again, whereas it has to be acknowledged the cooperation by the some of the Third Party Reporting partners, it also has to be acknowledged that most partners are submitting no returns. It would also be useful for the partners that are submitting reports that they all follow the same formatting and that they try to answer as many of the questions on the forms as possible.

It is widely accepted that Hate Incidents are potentially under reported and it is our responsibility as strategic leads that we continue to collate and record all incidents accurately. This will help us to compile reports that are a true reflection of what is happening on the ground.

Thank you,

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For and on behalf of Central Scotland Regional Equality Council

Enclosed Appendix A-D

Appendix (a) - Count of Hate Crimes (Q2- 2014/2015)

Hate Motive	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Disability	1	3	4	8
Race	14	37	25	76
Race, Disability		1		1
Race, Rel/Faith		1		1
Race, Sexuality		1	1	2
Race, Sexuality, Rel/Faith			1	1
Rel/Faith		11	5	16
Sexuality	3	8	4	15
Grand Total	18	62	40	120

Appendix (b) Ethnicity of victims of all Hate Motivated Incidents (Q2 - 2014/2015)

Victims Ethnicity	Victim Gender			Grand Total
	F	M	Unknown	
African	1	2		3
Asian	1	9		10
Black Scottish		2		2
BME (Police)	1			1
Chinese		1		1
Dark European		2		2
Indian		4		4
Not stated	1	1		2
Other African		1		1
Other Ethnic Group		2		2
Other White	4	3		7
Other White British	2	2		4
Pakistani	2	7		9
White British	1			1
White English	3	3		6
White European	9	13		22
White Northern Irish	1			1
White (Police)	2	19		21
White Polish	1	4		5
White Scottish	14	11		25
White Welsh	1			1
Grand Total	44	86		130

Appendix (C) a count of all the crimes types in relation to Hate Motive (Q2 - 2014/2015)

Crime Type	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Assault	2	6	2	10
Assault to injury	2	2	1	5
BOP	0	2	1	3
CJLSA S38	4	22	17	43
CLCSA S50	8	20	15	43
Communications Act	0	6	0	6
No Crime	2	5	1	8
Offensive behaviour at football	0	3	0	3
Vandalism	0	0	3	3
Grand Total	18	66	40	124

Appendix (D) Count of Locus (Q2 - 2014/2015)

Locus	Area			
	Clacks	Falkirk	Stirling	Grand Total
Bridge			1	1
Building Site		1		1
Campsite			1	1
Caravan Site	1			1
Children's Home		1	1	2
Dwelling	4	18	8	30
Football Stadium		3		3
Hall			1	1
Hospital		3	1	4
Licensed Premises			3	3
Nursery School			1	1
Park		2		2
Police Office	1	2		3
Police Vehicle	1			1
Prison		1		1
Reporters Off	1			1
School		1		1
Shop	2	8	6	16
Street	6	19	16	41
Supermarket			1	1
Takeaway	1	3		4
Train Station	1			1
Grand Total	18	62	40	120

- The End -