



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:01/05/2025

2025/463 – Zombie knives

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

1: How many crimes were recorded referencing zombie knives/zombie-style knives/zombie-style machetes/zombie-style swords in the last four years? (Since 2021 - up to and including any data held for 2025)

1a) Of those, how many involved youths (under18)?

Can figures be broken down by year?

Included are Notifiable Offences 2021-2025 + Keyword Searches of Occurrence Summary for 'Zombie'. These have been manual reviewed to ensure relevance to your request. We are reliant on the word 'zombie' being used.

Calendar Year	HO Code	HO Description	Victim Age	Suspect Age	Weapon used subtype
2021	008/26	Having an article with a blade or point in a public place	No DOB Recorded	29	ZOMBIE STYLE KNIVES
2023	008/26	Having an article with a blade or point in a public place	No DOB Recorded	No DOB Recorded	machete, a zombie style knife and a small crossbow were located
2024	059/11	Threats to destroy or damage property	30	23	zombie knife
2024	008/64	Threaten with a blade or sharply pointed article in a public place	30	23	zombie knife.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 30/04/2025

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