



Response Date:08/09/2025

2025/918 - Asian gold theft

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

In your police force area, how many incidents of "Asian gold theft" have taken place in 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025 to date.

To clarify: "Asian gold theft" is the theft of gold from Asian families. Criminals are targeting Asian families knowing that many have gold, for cultural reasons.

Please could you specify the number of incidents, and the value of gold stolen if available, per year?

Can you break it down by category too if possible for 1) theft from a person 2) residential 3) commercial

Occurrences between 01/01/20 - 27/08/25 where Gen Prop Classification matches "Stolen" AND Gen Prop Type matches "Jewellery" OR Summary contains "Gold" - Filtered out "White British" Victim SDE OR "White - North European" Victim Ethnicity:

Calendar Year	HO Code	HO Description	Victim Ethnicity	Victim Self defined ethnicity	Gen Prop Classification	Gen Prop Description
2020	049/10	Theft if not classified elsewhere	Unknown	N03	;Stolen;	BAK
2020	049/10	Theft if not classified elsewhere			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2020	040/00	Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or meter.			;Stolen;	Ring
2021	034/01A	Robbery of business property			;Stolen;	Ring

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2021	028/0 3A	Burglary Residential (Dwelling)			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2021	028/0 3A	Burglary Residential (Dwelling)			;Stolen;	BAK
2021	028/0 3A	Burglary Residential (Dwelling)			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2022	028/0 3A	Burglary Residential (Dwelling)			;Stolen;	BAK
2022	049/1 0	Theft if not classified elsewhere			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2022	045/1 0	Theft from a motor vehicle.			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2022	049/1 0	Theft if not classified elsewhere			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2022	028/0 3A	Burglary Residential (Dwelling)			;Stolen;	Necklace
2022	049/1 0	Theft if not classified elsewhere	Unknown		;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2022	049/1 0	Theft if not classified elsewhere			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2023	028/0 3A	Burglary Residential (Dwelling)			;Stolen;	BAK
2023	028/0 3A	Residential Burglary of a Home		N03	;Stolen;	Necklace
2023	049/1 0	Theft if not classified elsewhere	Asian	M9. Any other mixed background	;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2023	046/0 0	Theft from shops and stalls.			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2023	049/1 0	Theft if not classified elsewhere			;Stolen;	Wrist watch
2023	040/0 0	Theft in a dwelling other than from automatic machine or meter.			;Stolen;	Necklace
2024	039/0 0	Theft from the person of another.			;Stolen;	Ring
2024	028/0 3A	Residential Burglary of a Home			;Stolen;	BAK

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UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 28/08/2025