



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:08/10/2026

2026/979 - Speeding offences

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I would like to request information about speeding offences detected by North Wales Police during the period 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2025.

Period 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2025.

For each of the following posted speed limits - 20 mph, 30 mph, 40 mph, 50 mph, 60 mph and 70 mph - please provide:

- 1. The lowest vehicle speed recorded at which enforcement action was taken for exceeding that particular speed limit**

20mph	30mph	40mph	50mph	60mph	70mph
26	35	46	57	68	79

- 2. The corresponding speed limit and recorded speed (for example, 31 mph in a 30 mph limit).**

As above

- 3. The number of such cases, if more than one vehicle was recorded at the lowest speed.**

26mph	35mph	46mph	57mph	68mph	79mph
30501	23849	9000	38893	5165	6791

- 4. The type of enforcement action taken in each case, for example:**

- **Notice of Intended Prosecution (NIP);**
- **Fixed Penalty Notice;**
- **speed awareness course;**
- **summons/prosecution; or**
- **other formal enforcement action.**

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Speed	NIP	FPN	Speed Awareness Course	Summons	Other
26mph	24959	6839	15168	1645	6849
35mph	23849	5735	15559	1598	957
46mph	9000	2382	5165	972	481
57mph	25335	7701	13022	2563	15607
68mph	5165	1272	3268	369	256
79mph	6791	1709	3863	842	377

****Please note that the 20mph and 50mph advisory letters were sent during this period and are recorded under 'Other' ****

5. Where available, the method by which the offence was detected (for example, fixed camera, average-speed camera, mobile camera or police officer).

Speed	Fixed Camera	Mobile Camera
26mph	27462	3039
35mph	4986	18863
46mph	6500	2500
57mph	35705	3188
68mph	525	4640
79mph	5144	1647

I am specifically interested in the lowest actual recorded speeds at which enforcement action was taken, rather than the force's normal enforcement threshold or the NPCC recommended enforcement threshold.

For example, if a driver was formally penalised or prosecuted for travelling at 31 mph in a 30 mph limit, I would like this to be included.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 07/10/2026