**Type of force used in each incident**

- **Baton**: 26
- **Incapacitant Spray**: 69
- **Taser**: 3
- **Firearms**: 0

**Where did the Incident Occur?**

- **Public Outdoor Area**: 60%
- **House**: 25%
- **Commercial Premises**: 5%
- **Apartment**: 3%
- **Other**: 3%
- **Garda Stations**: 2%
- **Public Building**: 2%

**Time of Day Force was used**

- **Midnight - 3AM**: 21%
- **3AM - 6AM**: 5%
- **6AM - 12PM**: 15%
- **12PM - 6PM**: 21%
- **6PM - Midnight**: 38%

**Days of the week force was used**

- **Monday**: 12%
- **Tuesday**: 16%
- **Wednesday**: 14%
- **Thursday**: 15%
- **Friday**: 12%
- **Saturday**: 17%
- **Sunday**: 14%

**Gender of Person Force was used on**

- **Female**: 10%
- **Male**: 90%

**Types of Incidents in which force was used**

- **Public Order Offences**: 45%
- **Drug Related Offences**: 15%
- **Assault Related Offences**: 9%
- **Traffic Related Offences**: 7%
- **Firearm Related Offences**: 5%
- **Theft Related Offences**: 3%
- **Mental Health Act**: 4%
- **Domestic Related Offences**: 4%
- **Criminal Damage Offences**: 4%

**Divisions that used force in September 2021**

- **Cork City**: 14%
- **DMR South Central**: 8%
- **Limerick**: 7%
- **DMR North**: 6%
- **DMR North Central**: 6%
- **DMR West**: 5%
- **Wexford**: 5%
- **Louth**: 5%
- **Cavan/Monaghan**: 4%
- **Tipperary**: 4%
- **Donegal**: 4%
- **Galway**: 3%
- **Kilkenny/Carlow**: 3%
- **Cork North**: 3%
- **Waterford**: 3%
- **DMR East**: 2%
- **Sligo/Leitrim**: 2%
- **Wicklow**: 2%
- **Kildare**: 2%
- **Westmeath**: 2%
- **Roscommon/Longford**: 2%
- **DMR South**: 2%
- **Cork West**: 1%
- **Meath**: 1%
- **Kerry**: 1%
- **Mayo**: 1%
- **Clare**: 1%
- **Laois/Offaly**: 1%

**Use of Force Incidents**

- **Total Use of Force Incidents**: 98

- **43% of all use of force incidents occur during the weekend (Fri to Sun)**
- **The most common time for a use of force to occur was on a Saturday between 6pm – Midnight**

**APPENDIX A**

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**Use of Force Incidents are Checked by Internal Affairs on a Weekly Basis and Updated Monthly**

**An Garda Síochána is in process of building baseline data on all Use of Force options in 2021 to facilitate greater monitoring capability and reporting of trend information from 2022 onwards. Indicative data is being published monthly in infographic form from November 2020 onwards for key Use Of Force options. It is operational data and subject to clarification and change as investigations proceed and the overall data lifecycle process develops during 2021. As such, it is unsuitable for further analysis (such as comparison between months) until the fully validated dataset is published in 2022.**