



# Rural Policing Update – Thirsk & Malton

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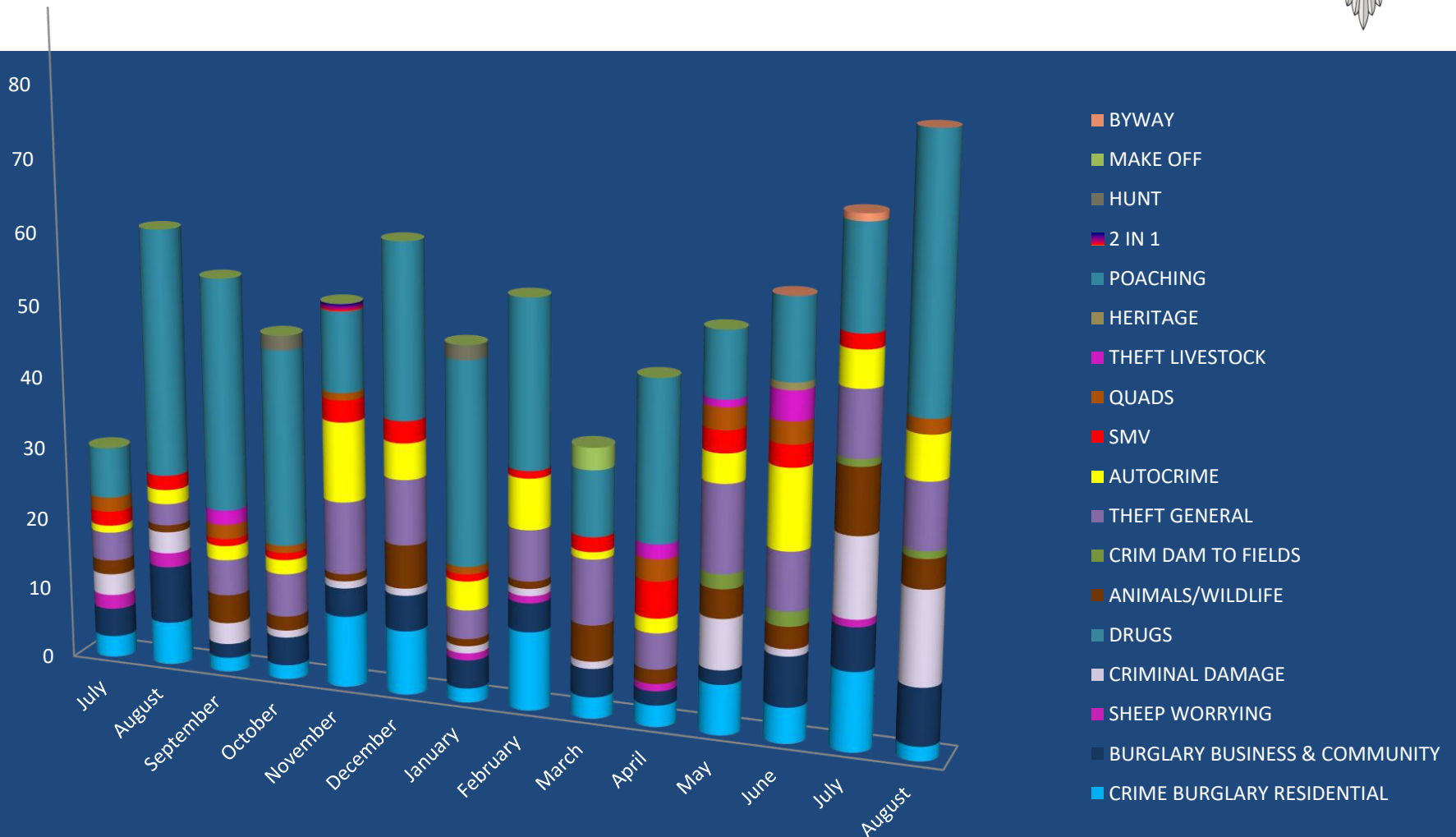
# Current issues within Thirsk & Malton



- Burglary & Theft
- Poaching
- Raptor Persecution



# The Stats - Hambleton





# Op Checkpoint



- Ran by forces across North of England
- Tackling cross-border criminality
- RTF/NPT/RPG/MRW
- ANPR
- Intelligence led
- Proactive patrols



# Op Figaro



- Targeting poaching/coursing
- Runs alongside Op Galileo
- Stepped 'fairways' approach to a Criminal Behaviour Order
- First poaching season in action

**OPERATION  
GALILEO**

**ILLEGAL HARE COURSING**



# Rural Watch- WhatsApp



- Transitioning to a modern way of delivering local policing
- Backed by IOPC
- Only force to be delivering in this way
- Ran by the public
- Mulgrave, Esk Valley groups.



# Raptor Persecution – Op Owl



- Raising awareness – “be our eyes & ears”
- Unfortunately still worst area in England
- Multi-Agency
- Proactivity to disrupt offenders
- Wildlife crime trained officers

