

CAMBRIDGE CENTRE FOR EVIDENCE-BASED POLICING

Calculating Harm Scores for non-custodial offences

Penalty	Minimum	Suggested CCHI score	Calculation
Band A fine	£60	1	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest whole day – based on working an 8 hour day.
Band B fine	£120	2	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest whole day – based on working an 8 hour day.
Band C fine	£180	3	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest whole day – based on working an 8 hour day.
Band D fine	£300	4	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest whole day – based on working an 8 hour day.
Band E fine	£480	7	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest whole day – based on working an 8 hour day.
Band F fine	£720	10	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest

			whole day – based on working an 8 hour day.
Low level community order	40 hours unpaid work	5	Number of hours needed to work to complete the UPWR at 8 hours per day, rounded to the nearest whole day.
Medium level community order	80 hours unpaid work	10	Number of hours needed to work to complete the UPWR at 8 hours per day, rounded to the nearest whole day.
High level community order	150 hours unpaid work	19	Number of hours needed to work to complete the UPWR at 8 hours per day, rounded to the nearest whole day.
Fixed penalty notice	£30	0.5	Number of hours needed to work at the minimum wage for over 25s (£8.72) to earn the money to pay the fine, rounded up to the nearest half day – based on working an 8 hour day.