

Table 52 Court actions for mortgage repossessions in England and Wales

Year & Quarter	2004				2005				2006 ¹				2007 ¹				2008 ¹
	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1 ¹	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1 ¹	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1
Actions entered	19,155	18,675	19,359	20,667	25,870	28,475	29,990	31,019	33,246	32,989	34,459	30,525	34,788	33,173	34,957	34,689	40,442
Suspended orders	6,645	6,500	6,489	6,455	7,915	9,774	10,342	9,667	} 21,963	22,159	24,059	22,499	24,231	23,018	24,104	23,834	26,930
Orders made	4,605	4,904	5,373	5,438	6,126	8,550	9,352	9,118									

Source: Mortgage possession statistics, Lord Chancellor's Department, Department for Constitutional Affairs, Ministry of Justice.

Note: 1. From 2007, and for revisions of earlier figures, the published statistics no longer distinguish suspended orders from other orders made.