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17 Court
Custody Suites
in Northern
Ireland

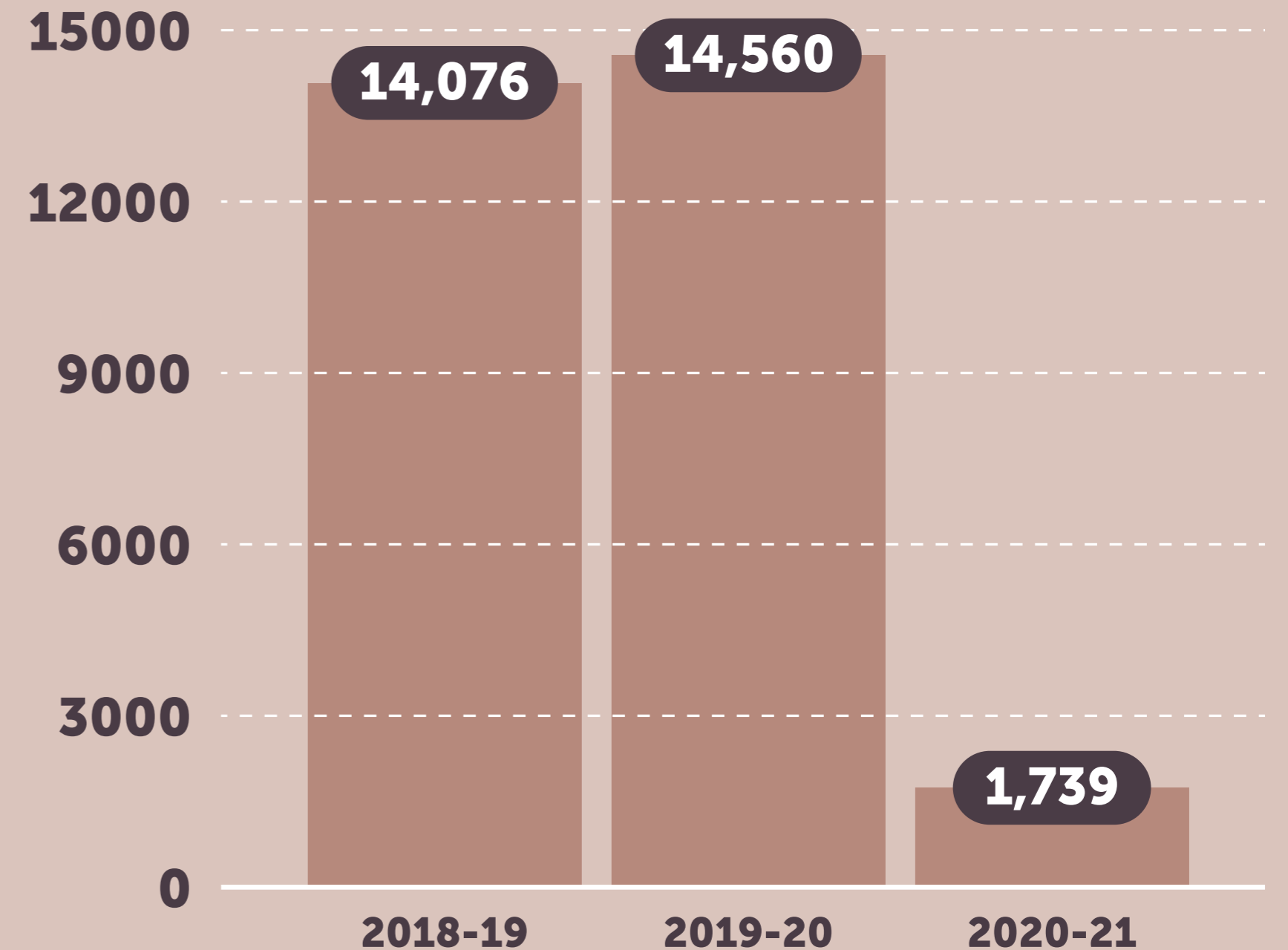
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Number of detainees held in court custody in Northern Ireland



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44%

came from police custody

34%

**came from a prison/
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22%

**came from the body of the
court after a court appearance**

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53% went to a prison/juvenile justice

41% were released on bail

6% were released unconditionally

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Average time spent by a detainee in 2020-21



travelling from a
prison or juvenile
justice centre to court



spent at
a court



travelling from
court to prison