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Audit area	Planned audit days		Audit work undertaken *			
	Annual plan	5 months pro-rated	Relating to 2010/11	Relating to 2011/12	Total days	Variance to date
Cross-cutting issues						
Corporate governance and risk management	45	19	12	3	16	(3)
Information governance	42	18	-	17	17	(1)
Legislative compliance	57	24	-	3	3	(21)
Working in strategic partnership with BT plc	60	25	-	4	4	(21)
Working in partnership with other organisations	45	19	-	-	-	(19)
Safeguarding	26	11	26	1	28	17
Health and safety of the public	15	6	10	18	28	22
Health and safety of staff	26	11	16	8	24	13
Asset management	80	33	-	29	29	(4)
The accountable body role	3	1	6	-	6	5
Sub-total	399	166	71	84	154	(12)
Cross-service issues						
The Customer Service Centre	25	10	-	-	-	(10)
The Environment and LCCG one-team approach	35	15	-	1	1	(14)
The Reablement Service	16	7	-	-	-	(7)
Transportation issues	5	2	8	-	9	7
Sub-total	81	34	9	2	10	(23)
Corporate or common controls						
Financial controls	287	120	20	33	52	(67)
Human resources controls	32	13	-	16	16	3
ICT controls	200	83	34	101	135	51
Property management controls	66	28	1	35	36	9
Procurement controls	50	21	2	1	3	(17)
Sub-total	635	265	57	186	243	(22)

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Service-specific controls							
Adult and Community Services Directorate	260	108	12	87	99	(9)	
Directorate for Children and Young People	272	113	44	108	152	39	
Schools	350	146	32	223	255	109	
Environment Directorate	165	69	40	67	108	39	
Lancashire County Commercial Group	120	50	19	21	40	(10)	
Economic development	33	14	8	7	15	1	
Sub-total	1,200	500	156	513	669	169	
Response to the risk of fraud							
Management and proactive work	145	60	-	64	64	3	
Responsive work/ whistle-blowing	270	113	-	152	152	39	
Sub-total	415	173	-	215	215	42	
Management of the Internal Audit Service							
Audit and Standards Committees reporting and attendance	4	2	-	6	6	5	
Audit planning processes	11	5	-	-	-	(5)	
Audit reporting processes	12	5	24	2	26	21	
Audit Commission liaison	3	1	-	1	1	-	
Support to management, including risk management	20	8	-	9	9	1	
Sub-total	50	21	24	18	42	21	
Total audit days	2,780	1,158	318	1,018	1,336	178	

\* Note that minor rounding differences can occur as figures are summed from the underlying data.