Riots spread through British cities

Rioting, looting and arson spread across and beyond London on a third night of violence in Britain's worst unrest in decades. Violence began after police shot dead a 29-year-old man in disputed circumstances



- 1. Thursday: Mark Duggan shot dead by police at Ferry Lane, Tottenham
- 2. Saturday: Violence breaks out in Tottenham and Wood Green after around 300 people gather at Tottenham police station calling for "justice" for Duggan and his family
- **3-7. Sunday:** Riots and looting spread to Chingford Mount, Walthamstow, Hackney, Islington and Oxford Circus
- 8. Monday: Shops looted at Waltham Forest. Scotland Yard says "small and mobile groups" of looters are moving throughout London

- **9.** Sony distribution centre set alight at Waltham Abbey
- **10-12.** Gangs of youths attack police officers and shops in Camden, Ealing, and Clapham Junction
- **13-15.** Firefighters attend arson attacks in Brixton, Enfield and Peckham
- **16.** Arson attacks in Croydon. Residents trapped in flats forced to jump to safety
- 17. Rioting and arson attacks spread to Woolwich. Shops looted in Greenwich

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