# **RISK MATRIX 2000/ SV SCORING FORM**

Offender Identification Information	Scorer Identification Information	
Family Name, Forenames	Family Name, Forenames	
Date of Birth	Date RM2000 Completed	

## RM2000/S Scale - Risk for Sexual Recidivism

### Step One: Initial Risk Category

Age	18-24 = 2 points; 25-34 = 1 point; Older = 0 points
Sexual Appearances	1 = 0 points; $2 = 1$ point; $3,4 = 2$ points; $5+=3$ points
Criminal Appearances	4 or less = 0 points; 5 or more = 1 point

Points	0	1-2	3-4	5-6
Category Label	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Well Above Average

### Step Two: Revised Risk Category

Male	Stranger	Single	Non-contact
0 / 1	0 / 1	0 / 1	0 / 1

Put the risk category up one level if two or three aggravating factors apply, and up two levels if four aggravating factors apply. Circle the Revised S-Category.

Revised S-Category   Below Average	Average	Above Average	Well Above Average	
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### RM2000/V - Risk for Violent Recidivism

Age	18 to 24 = 3 points; 25 to 34 = 2 points; 35 to 44 = 1 point;
	Older = 0 points
Violent Appearances	0 = 0 points; $1 = 1$ point; $2-3 = 2$ points; $4+=3$ points
Burglary	None = $0$ points; Any = $2$ points

Enter the number of points accrued above in the table below and circle the corresponding V-Category.

Points	0-1	2-3	4-5	6+
V-Category	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Well Above Average

### **Recidivism Norms**

S-Scale Norms				
S-Category 5 Yr Sex Recidivism Risk Ratio				
Below Average	4.4%	0.48		
Average	10.0%	1.00		
Above Average	21.4%	2.10		
Well Above Average	40.0%	4.40		

V-Scale Norms			
V-Category	5 Yr Violent Recidivism	Risk Ratio	
Below Average	5.6	0.46	
Average	13.0	1.00	
Above Average	27.4	2.16	
Well Above Average	48.8	4.64	

Source: Lehmann, R.J.B., Thornton, D., Helmus, L-M., & Hanson, R.K. (2016) Developing non-arbitrary metrics for risk communication: Norms for the Risk Matrix 2000. Criminal Justice and Behavior, 43, 1661–1687.

### **Need Indicators**

Sexual Criminality		General (	General Criminality	
Indicator	Points	Indicator	Points	
Sexual Appearances	0 1 2 3	Criminal Appearances	0 1	
Male	0 1	Violent Appearances	0 1 2 3	
Stranger	0 1	Burglary	0 2	
Noncontact	0 1			
Sexual Criminality		General Criminality		
Score		Score		

Note: Transfer points assigned to each indicator from the front page. Sum points to get scores.

Interpretation				
Sexual Criminality Score	Are criminogenic needs related to Sexual Deviance indicated?	General Criminality Score	Are criminogenic needs related to Antisociality indicated?	
0	No	0	No	
1	No	1	No	
2+	Yes	2+	Yes	

Where criminogenic needs related to Sexual Deviance are indicated this means that many people with this score will have clinically significant long-term vulnerabilities of a sexual kind, such as offense-related sexual interests, sexual preoccupation, or sexual coping. Accordingly, interventions relevant to these kinds of criminogenic needs should be considered for inclusion in a treatment plan.

Where criminogenic needs related to Antisociality are indicated this means that many people with this score will have clinically significant long-term vulnerabilities of a more general, antisocial kind such as impulsiveness, hostility, aggression, or oppositional reactions to authority. Accordingly, interventions relevant to these kinds of criminogenic needs should be considered for inclusion in a treatment plan.