



Who were in fraudsters' sights in 2015?

2014 value **£717m** 2015 value **£732m**



Total cost of fraud cases



Regional fraud loss

In 2015 nearly **3 out of 4**



of total frauds perpetrated by men over the age of 45

Cases found to be committed by male fraudsters



Men were the most prolific perpetrators



Leading to losses of **£176m**

A tenfold increase in falsifying finances to entice investment

300% increase in fraudsters targeting individuals and families stealing **£156m**



Fraudsters target the poor and vulnerable