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Request:

Please could you provide information on the number of Lithium-ion battery fires attended by the London Fire Brigade and their causes from 2020 until present date.

Please include information on year, month, location (private or public), fire spread, device/vehicle type, cause, number of fatalities and number of injuries if possible.

Response:

In response, this information is exempt from disclosure to you under [section 21 of the FOIA, Information accessible to applicant by other means](#).

As we routinely get asked for information about the number of e-bike, e-scooter, electric vehicle and other lithium battery fires attended by the Brigade, we have published this data on the [London Datastore](#) to assist those who require it.

The data is provided for three calendar years (36 months) and is updated monthly.

The information is accessible via the following link:

<https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/safety/lithium-batteries/charging-electric-bike-and-electric-scooter-lithium-batteries/>

We have dealt with your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. For more information about this process please see the guidance we publish about making a request [on our website](#).