**Freedom of Information - Humberside Fire and Rescue Service (HFRS)**

**2024-25/003 – Vehicle Fires**

**The request is:**

Please could you detail the total number of fires caused by vehicles last year but separate it by month and what the car make was.

Could you present the information as follows:

January – XX number of fires – vehicle type:

February

March

Etc…

**The response is:**

The table below contains all recorded accidental vehicle fires between Jan-Dec 2023.

We don’t routinely record make/model in IRS, only 32 records had this, however I have included the VRM number, which can be researched on open source to ID vehicle makes/model. (<https://www.gov.uk/get-vehicle-information-from-dvla>).

Details of the origin of the fire are also included, where this information was recorded.

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| **Month** | **Agricultural** | **Bus/coach** | **Car** | **Lorry/HGV** | **Minibus** | **Motor Home** | **Motorcycle** | **Multiple Vehicles** | **Other** | **Van** | **Grand Total** |
| **Jan** |  |  | **6** | **1** |  |  |  |  | **1** | **1** | **9** |
| **Feb** | **1** |  | **13** | **2** | **1** |  |  |  |  |  | **17** |
| **Mar** |  |  | **7** | **1** |  |  |  | **1** | **2** |  | **11** |
| **Apr** |  | **1** | **8** |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | **9** |
| **May** |  |  | **12** |  |  |  |  |  |  | **3** | **15** |
| **Jun** |  |  | **11** | **2** |  | **2** | **1** | **1** |  | **2** | **19** |
| **Jul** |  | **1** | **9** | **2** |  |  |  |  |  | **2** | **14** |
| **Aug** | **7** |  | **9** | **1** |  | **1** |  |  | **1** | **3** | **22** |
| **Sep** | **1** |  | **7** | **3** |  |  | **1** |  |  | **3** | **15** |
| **Oct** | **2** | **1** | **9** | **1** |  |  | **1** |  |  | **1** | **15** |
| **Nov** |  |  | **3** | **1** |  |  |  |  |  | **3** | **7** |
| **Dec** |  |  | **9** |  |  |  |  |  |  | **1** | **10** |
| **Grand Total** | **11** | **3** | **103** | **14** | **1** | **3** | **3** | **2** | **4** | **19** | **163** |

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