

Freedom of Information Request FOI 22 36

Number and size of heath fires over the last five years

Query and response:

Please would I be able to ask for a breakdown of the number of heath fires the service attended in Dorset only for each of the past five years (2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021).

Heath Fires in Dorset by Year

2017	65
2018	124
2019	105
2020	127
2021	81

In addition, if available, please would I be able to ask for the size (by area and number of pumps made) and location of the largest heath fire in Dorset over the past five years (2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021).

The following are based on the largest area of damage

2017	Location: Arne, Dorset	Size sq.m: 5001 to 10000	Pumps: 20
2018	Location: FURZEBROOK ROAD,STOBOROUGH	Size sq.m: 11 Hectares	Pumps: 9
2019	Location: Lulworth Camp, Dorset	Size sq.m: 10 Hectares	Pumps: 13
2020	Location: Winfrith Heath, Dorset	Size sq.m: 3 Hactares	Pumps: 14
2021	Location: AGGLESTONE ROAD,STUDLAND	Size sq.m: 22 Hactares	Pumps: 16

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