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## Lithium Fires in premises in the last 5 years

## Query:

I am writing this email to request figures on the number of fires which occurred in a domestic premise caused by lithium-ion batteries over the last five years, as well as the data regarding if any members of the public who have sustain any sort of injury as a result of this.

## **Response:**

Our incident recording system does not currently record Lithium – ion batteries as a ignition source. However we have searched the incident narrative log using the term *lithium-ion* which produced the results below. Please note that due to not recording lithium – ion batteries as an ignition source, these figures may not be accurate.

Dwelling Fires Involving lithium-ion batteries		
	Fires	Injuries
2019	0	0
2020	0	0
2021	3	0
2022	1	0
2023	5	0

Information/Detail accurate on the date provided: 29, February 2024

