

Personal Injury Accident Statistics - A96 FOI - 202200331153

Number of Casualties by severity by Financial Year

Date range from 01 - 04 - 2017 to 09 - 09 - 2022*

Financial Year	Casualty Severity						Total
	Fatal	Serious	Very Serious	Moderately serious	Less Serious	Slight	
1 April 2017-31 March 2018	1	19	0	0	0	48	68
1 April 2018-31 March 2019	6	14	0	0	0	37	57
1 April 2019-31 March 2020	5	4	1	6	9	19	44
1 April 2020-31 March 2021	2	0	3	7	7	13	32
1 April 2021-31 March 2022	3	0	5	4	2	19	33
1 April 2022-09 Sept 2022*	0	0	1	1	2	11	15
Total	17	37	10	18	20	147	249

Please note that the information provided is based on the current figures available. The following are potential reasons for an accident not appearing on our system:

- Transport Scotland only holds accident information which is provided to us by Police Scotland.
- Transport Scotland does not hold information relating to damage only accidents (i.e. not involving an injury).
- Transport Scotland only holds accident information for the trunk road network.
- The accident information Transport Scotland holds is subject to change. E.g. we receive late returns from Police Scotland, who are responsible for recording details of injury accidents.
- Annual Scottish accident figures are published by Transport Scotland on a yearly basis and can be found by entering Reported Road Casualties Scotland into your search engine.
- From summer 2019, Police Scotland introduced a new system for recording traffic collisions. Due to improved recording and categorisation processes, it is expected that there will be an increase in the number of casualties and accidents on Scottish roads that are classified as serious. The evidence from other police forces within the UK that introduced the same system is that this increase will be around 20%. This increase would not reflect an actual change in the severity of accidents occurring on Scottish roads, but would instead reflect more accurate recording.
- Statisticians within the Department for Transport have devised a method for adjusting the road casualty figures to ensure that they can be compared over time on a consistent basis. Transport Scotland's Key

Source: Transport Scotland Accident Manager Database

Notes:

Statistics for Police Scotland

Date Period: 01/04/2017-09/09/2022*

Date Extracted - 24/11/ 2022

Note: There have been no additional fatal accidents on the A96 since 09-09-2022*. (Last recorded fatal was 12-01-22)

*latest date data available