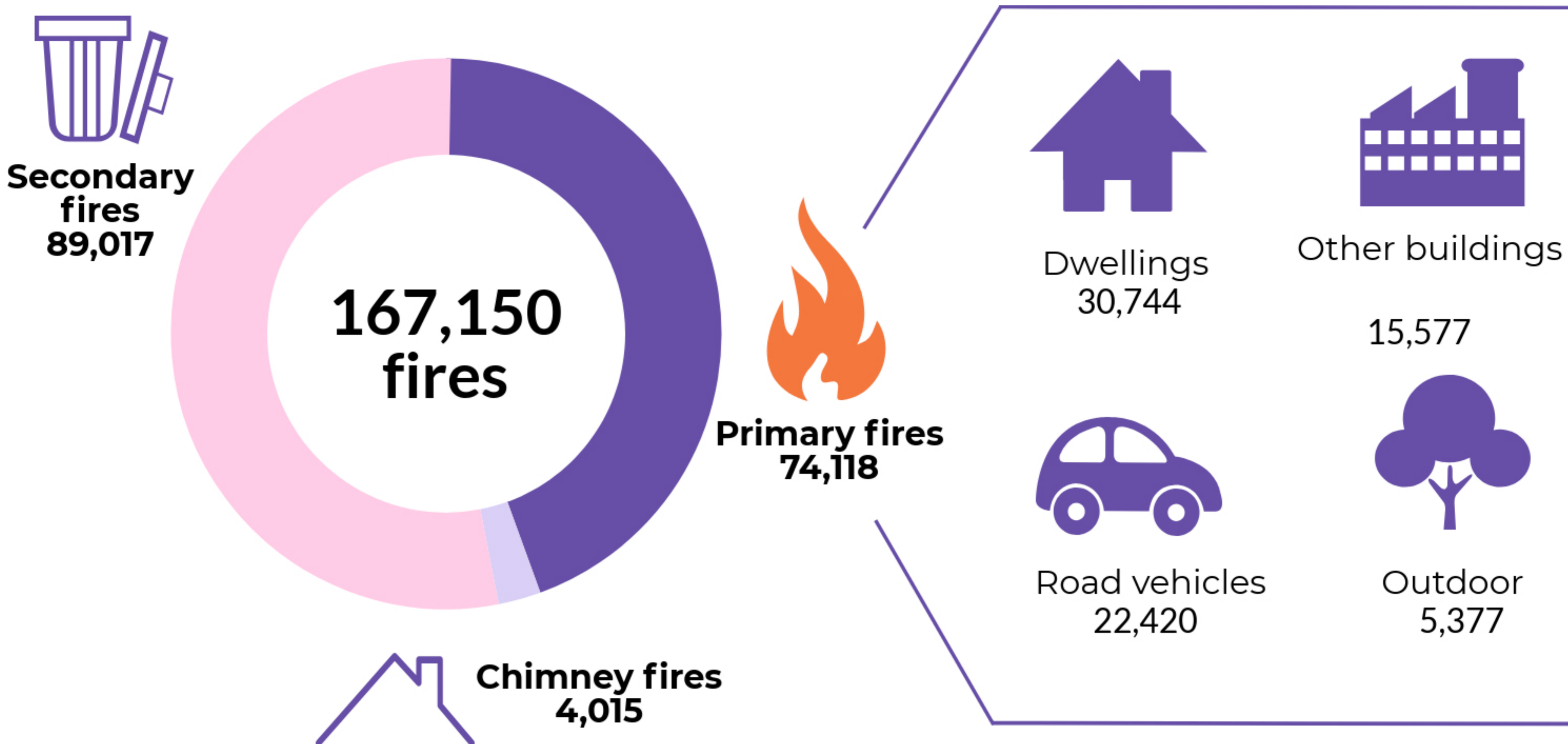
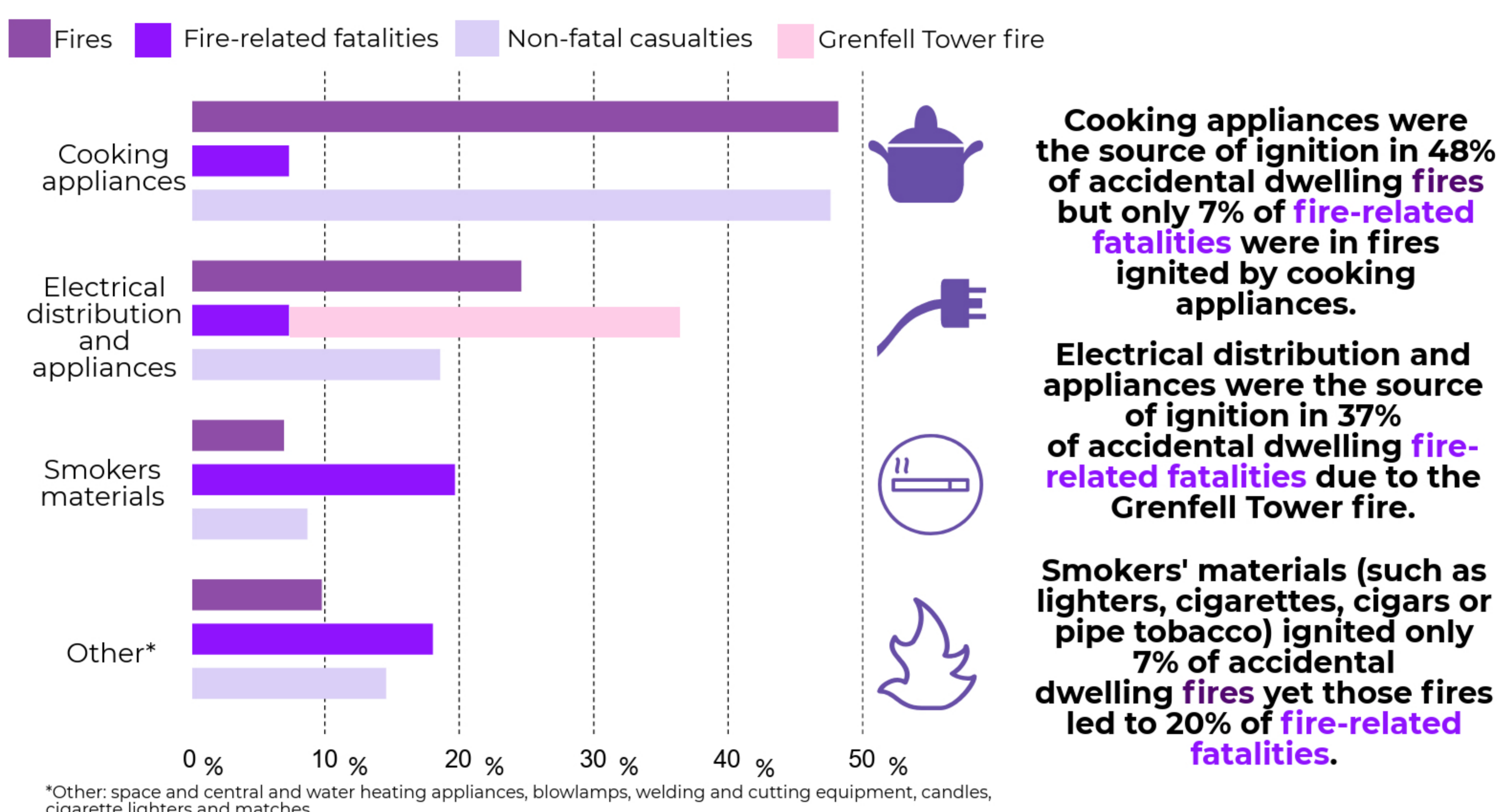


Detailed analysis of fires, England; April 2017 to March 2018

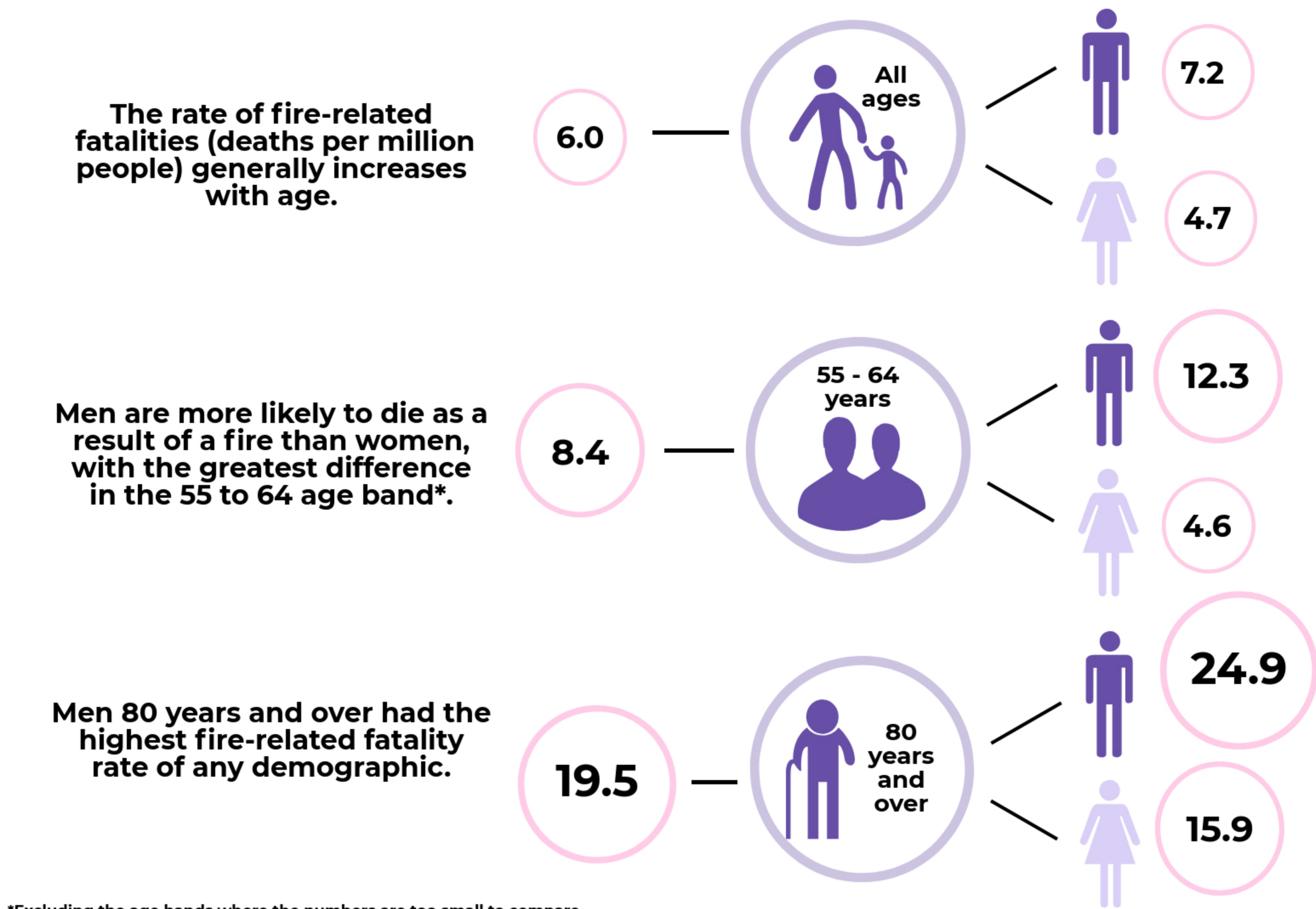
Primary fires comprised 44% of all fires attended by Fire and Rescue Services (FRSs) in 2017/18.



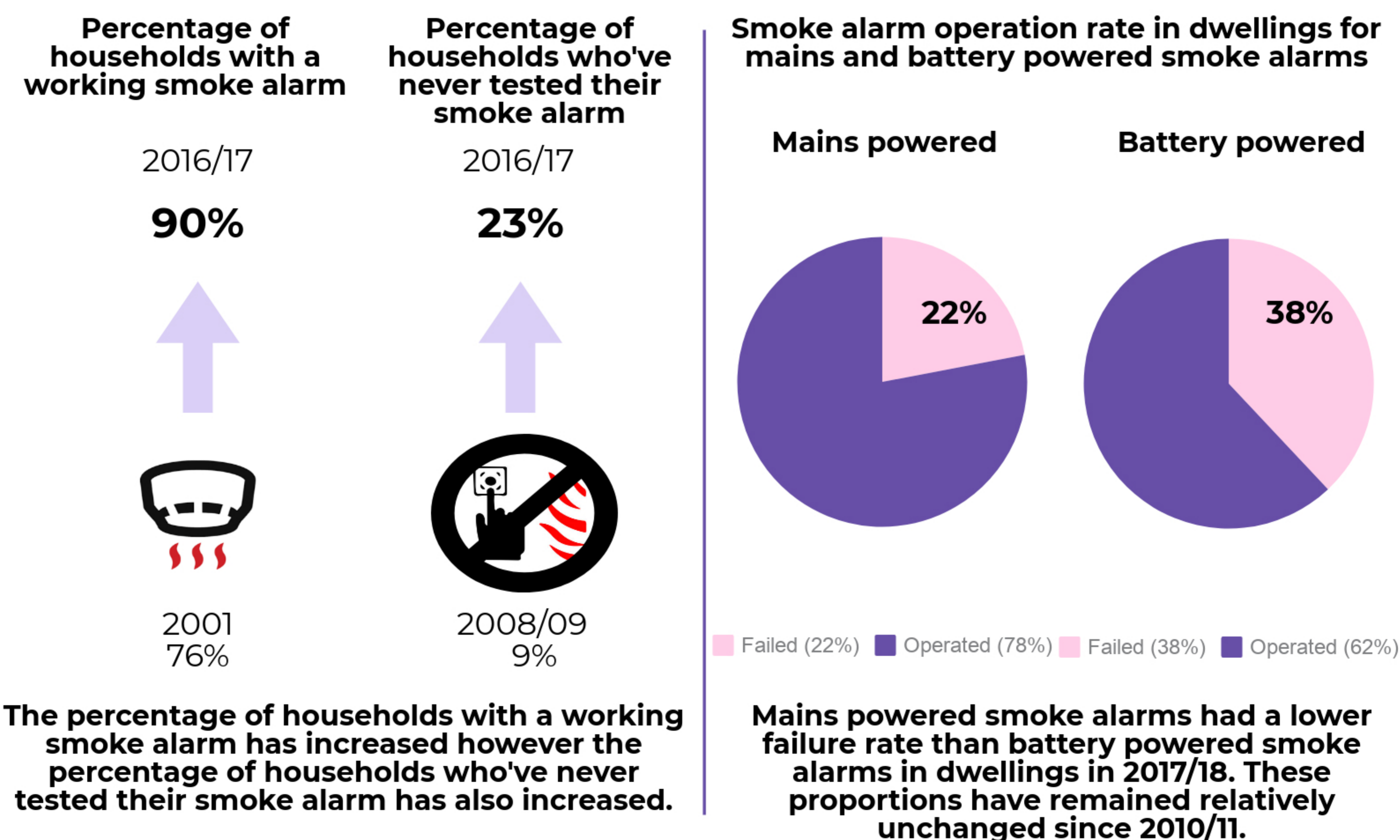
The most common source of ignition for fires aren't those that lead to the most fire-related fatalities



The likelihood of dying in a fire is not uniform across age groups or gender



Smoke alarm ownership has risen while mains powered smoke alarms have the lowest failure rate



Data comes from the English Housing Survey 2016 to 2017

For data sources and definitions of the types of fire and other incidents described in this sheet, see this page: <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/fire-statistics>

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