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# **Publishing Incident Recording System data on the fire and rescue service at an incident level:**

## **Fire stations**

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# 1 Background

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## **Data Quality**

Fire stations information is supplied to the Home Office by Fire and rescue services (FRSs).

## **Dataset rationale**

The Home Office answered a collection of FOIs regarding the names and addresses of fire stations in England. This dataset answers these questions in a consistent way that is available to all. Fire stations and their locations will be useful for geographical analyses.

## **Dataset definition**

This dataset covers England only. Fire stations do not include non-operational headquarter buildings, fire control buildings and other non-operational buildings. The information was supplied to the Home Office in December 2017 and January 2018 by FRSs and updated in July 2020.

The figures in this dataset are slightly different to the figures published in table FIRE1403 because they were collected during a different time period.

## 2 Variables

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Variable Name:	FRS_FULLNAME
Variable Description:	The FRS in which the incident took place

The Fire and Rescue Service (FRS) area in which the station is located. Details for Hampshire and the Isle of Wight, who merge into one FRS on 1st April 2021, are presented separately.

Variable Name:	E_CODE
Variable Description:	The E Code of the FRS

The standard National Statistics code (E Code) of the Fire and Rescue Service (FRS) in FRS\_NAME.

Variable Name:	STATION_NAME
Variable Description:	The name of the fire station

The name given to the fire station.

Variable Name:	STATION_ADDRESS
Variable Description:	The postal address of the fire station

The postal address of the fire station.

Variable Name:	STATION_POSTCODE
Variable Description:	The post code of the fire station

The post code of the fire station.

Variable Name:	STATION_EASTING
Variable Description:	The easting co-ordinate of the fire station

The easting co-ordinate of the fire station using the all-numeric grid reference.

Variable Name:	STATION_NORTHING
Variable Description:	The northing co-ordinate of the fire station

The northing co-ordinate of the fire station using the all-numeric grid reference.

### 3 Summary Statistics

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There were 1,398 fire stations in England in July 2020.

FRS_NAME	E_CODE	Total stations
<b>England</b>	<b>E92000001</b>	<b>1,398</b>
Avon	E31000001	21
Bedfordshire	E31000002	14
Berkshire	E31000003	18
Buckinghamshire	E31000004	19
Cambridgeshire	E31000005	27
Cheshire	E31000006	28
Cleveland	E31000007	14
Cornwall	E31000008	31
Cumbria	E31000009	38
Derbyshire	E31000010	31
Devon and Somerset	E31000011	84
Dorset and Wiltshire	E31000047	50
Durham	E31000013	15
East Sussex	E31000014	24
Essex	E31000015	50
Gloucestershire	E31000016	21
Greater Manchester	E31000040	41
Hampshire	E31000017	51
Hereford and Worcester	E31000018	25
Hertfordshire	E31000019	29
Humberside	E31000020	30
Isle of Wight	E31000021	10
Isles of Scilly	E06000053	5
Kent	E31000022	56
Lancashire	E31000023	39
Leicestershire	E31000024	20
Lincolnshire	E31000025	38
London	E31000046	103
Merseyside	E31000041	23
Norfolk	E31000026	42
North Yorkshire	E31000027	38
Northamptonshire	E31000028	22
Northumberland	E31000029	15
Nottinghamshire	E31000030	24
Oxfordshire	E31000031	25
Shropshire	E31000032	23
South Yorkshire	E31000042	22
Staffordshire	E31000033	33
Suffolk	E31000034	36
Surrey	E31000035	25
Tyne and Wear	E31000043	17
Warwickshire	E31000036	17
West Midlands	E31000044	38
West Sussex	E31000037	25
West Yorkshire	E31000045	41



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