

Reference: 2024-056

Thank you for your email in which you requested the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA):

- 1. The number of fraud instances reported to the Serious Fraud Office in the years 2022, 2023, and 2024. Has there been an increase in reported cases?**
- 2. The emerging types of financial scams that people should be aware of in 2024.**
- 3. The 10 most common types of financial fraud in the UK during these years.**

Response

Please see below our response to your questions in the order asked.

Question 1

Please see our Annual Report and Accounts for information responsive to your question in financial year format ([Annual Report & Accounts 2023-24 - Serious Fraud Office \(sfo.gov.uk\)](#)).

Question 2 & 3

We do not hold information responsive to these requests. For more information on the interagency government campaign Stop! Think Fraud, please see the following website: [Stop! Think Fraud - How to stay safe from scams \(stopthinkfraud.campaign.gov.uk\)](#).