



British Transport Police CED (Taser) Headline Figures for 2023

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The term 'use' includes any of the following actions carried out in an operational setting:

- Drawing the device in circumstances where any person could reasonably perceive the action as a use of force
- Sparking of the device, commonly known as 'arcing'
- Aiming the device or placing the laser sight red dot onto a subject
- Firing a device so that the probes are discharged at a subject or animal
- Application and discharge of a CED in direct contact mode (including three-point contact) and angled drive stun modes discharged in any other operational circumstances, including an unintentional discharge

CED (Taser) Statistics for 2023

Taser Usage Type	
Drawn	302
Aimed	46
Red-dotted	179
Fired	20
Total UoF Forms	271

Incident Location Division	
B Division	152
C Division	130
D Division	19