



West Yorkshire
Fire & Rescue Service

Performance Management Report Fire Authority

Period Covered:

01 April 2024

31 March 2025



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This report provides a summary of our progress across the Service based on the date ranges below.

Period Covered:

Financial Year	2024-25	
Date Range	01 April 2024	31 March 2025

IMPORTANT: The data provided is based on incident reports that have been completed and/or checked but will not include data from incident reports which have not been completed. Data may change due to incident reports that have been updated due to amendment. The data is accurate at time of creation of the report.

This report is comparing the date range above against:

Previous Year Comparison Date Range	01 April 2023	31 March 2024
3 Year Average Comparison Period	01 April 2023 01 April 2022 01 April 2021	31 March 2024 31 March 2023 31 March 2022
Colour Key	<div><div>Positive Arrows</div><div>Positive Charts</div><div>Negative Arrows</div><div>Negative Charts</div></div> <p>*When doing a comparison the key above is used. In all other cases graphs, charts and visuals are using contrasting colours to support accessibility.</p>	

Due to seasonality **Previous Year** and **3 Year Average** comparison are based on selected range and not the whole of the previous year.

Performance Summary

Arrows display percentage(%) increase/decrease on previous year to current financial year.
The comparison range is based on selected date range.

This report is comparing:01 April 202431 March 2025

Against:01 April 202331 March 2024

Total Incidents24252

↓-5%

Fires9001

↑3%

False Alarms10473

↓-12%

Non-fires4778

↓-0%

Fire Related Fatalities19

↑27%

Fire Related Injuries159

↓-1%

Malicious False Alarms264

↓-21%

Road Traffic Collisions611

↓-3%

Accidental Dwelling Fires969

↓-0%

Deliberate Fires5332

↑5%

Non-domestic Building Fires383

↓-1%

Response Times Met93%

↓-2%

Safe and Well Visits12631

↑3%

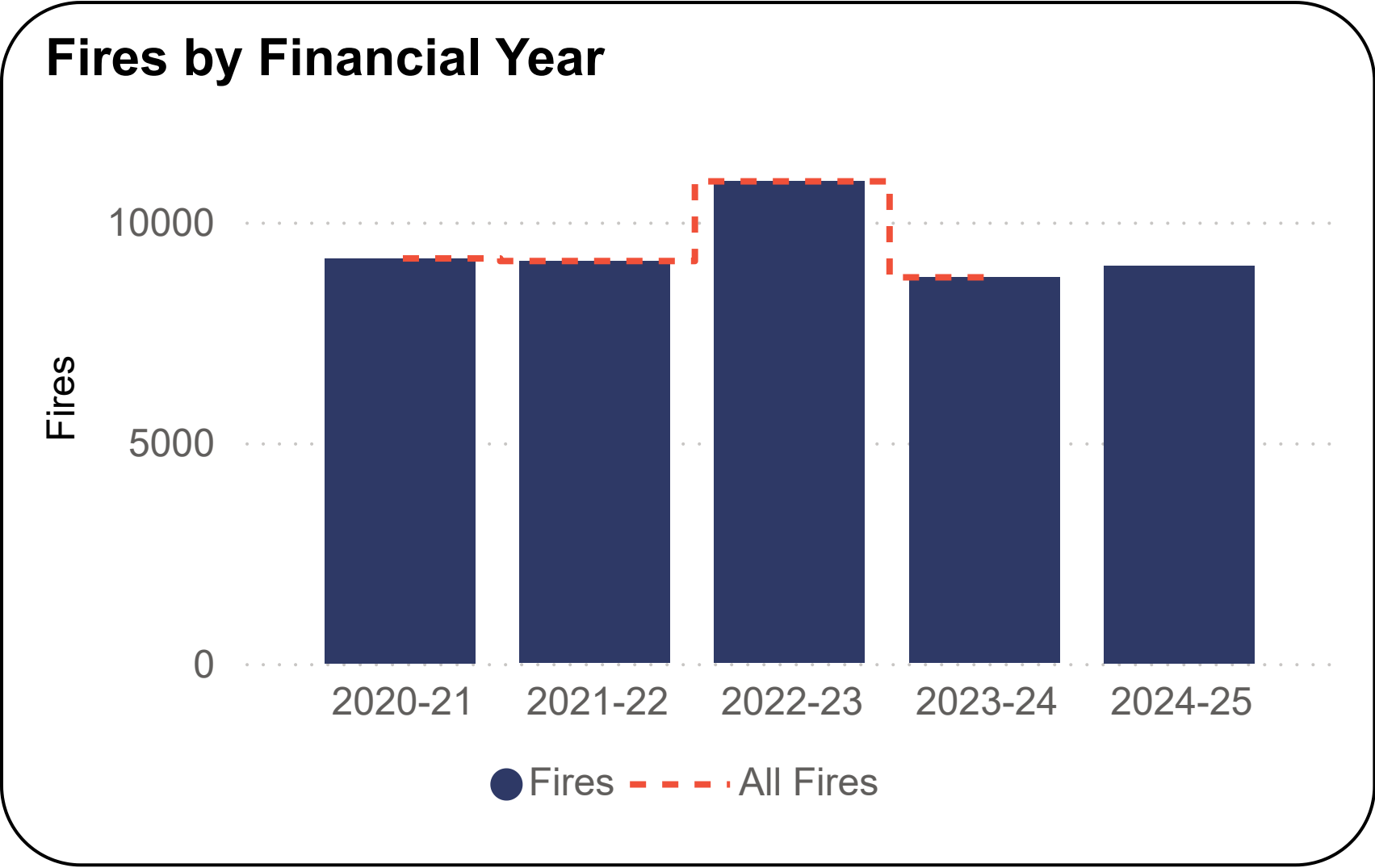
Incident Demand by Time of Day

Day	08:00-08:59	09:00-09:59	10:00-10:59	11:00-11:59	12:00-12:59	13:00-13:59	14:00-14:59	15:00-15:59	16:00-16:59	17:00-17:59	18:00-18:59	19:00-19:59	20:00-20:59	21:00-21:59	22:00-22:59	23:00-23:59	00:00-00:59	01:00-01:59	02:00-02:59	03:00-03:59	04:00-04:59	05:00-05:59	06:00-06:59	07:00-07:59
Mon	111	113	120	128	130	173	201	198	222	235	288	265	239	202	160	143	84	92	77	61	58	47	55	83
Tue	96	104	141	116	140	133	172	195	222	261	252	263	258	187	181	124	94	94	59	51	69	61	50	78
Wed	94	123	137	124	161	180	188	176	201	244	254	253	220	181	158	111	124	99	80	54	63	54	73	100
Thu	91	88	132	130	161	144	155	208	250	254	221	250	235	200	144	119	106	76	62	53	56	43	56	69
Fri	102	109	147	154	159	146	157	180	205	224	275	261	258	218	162	142	102	94	66	59	59	53	56	66
Sat	87	101	101	133	164	164	204	217	214	295	278	275	253	215	178	146	116	103	95	75	68	61	59	82
Sun	80	111	124	124	146	167	181	181	236	261	262	242	229	207	160	127	138	101	76	85	73	56	47	59

Fires

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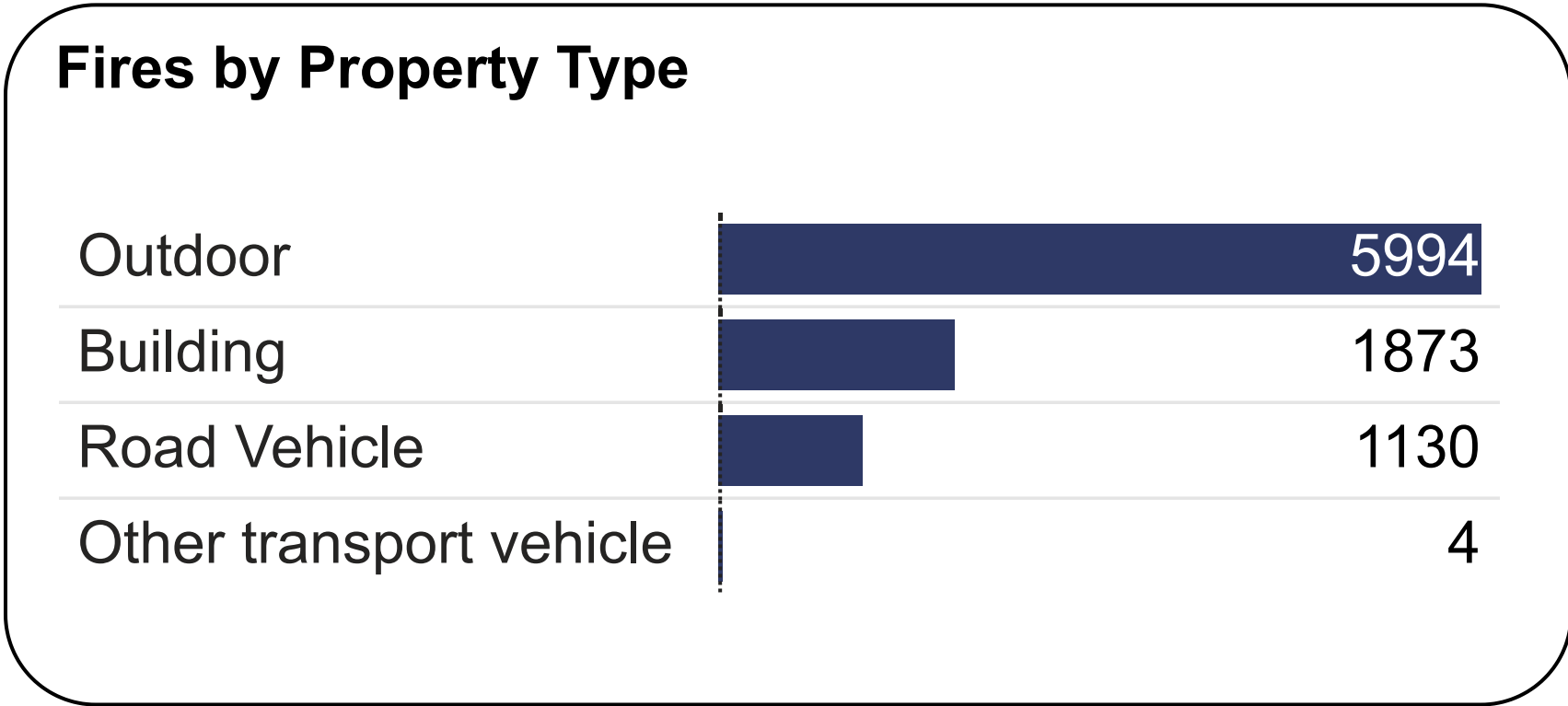


All Fires (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year.
The bars show the value for selected date range.

Fires Previous Year To Date Comparison

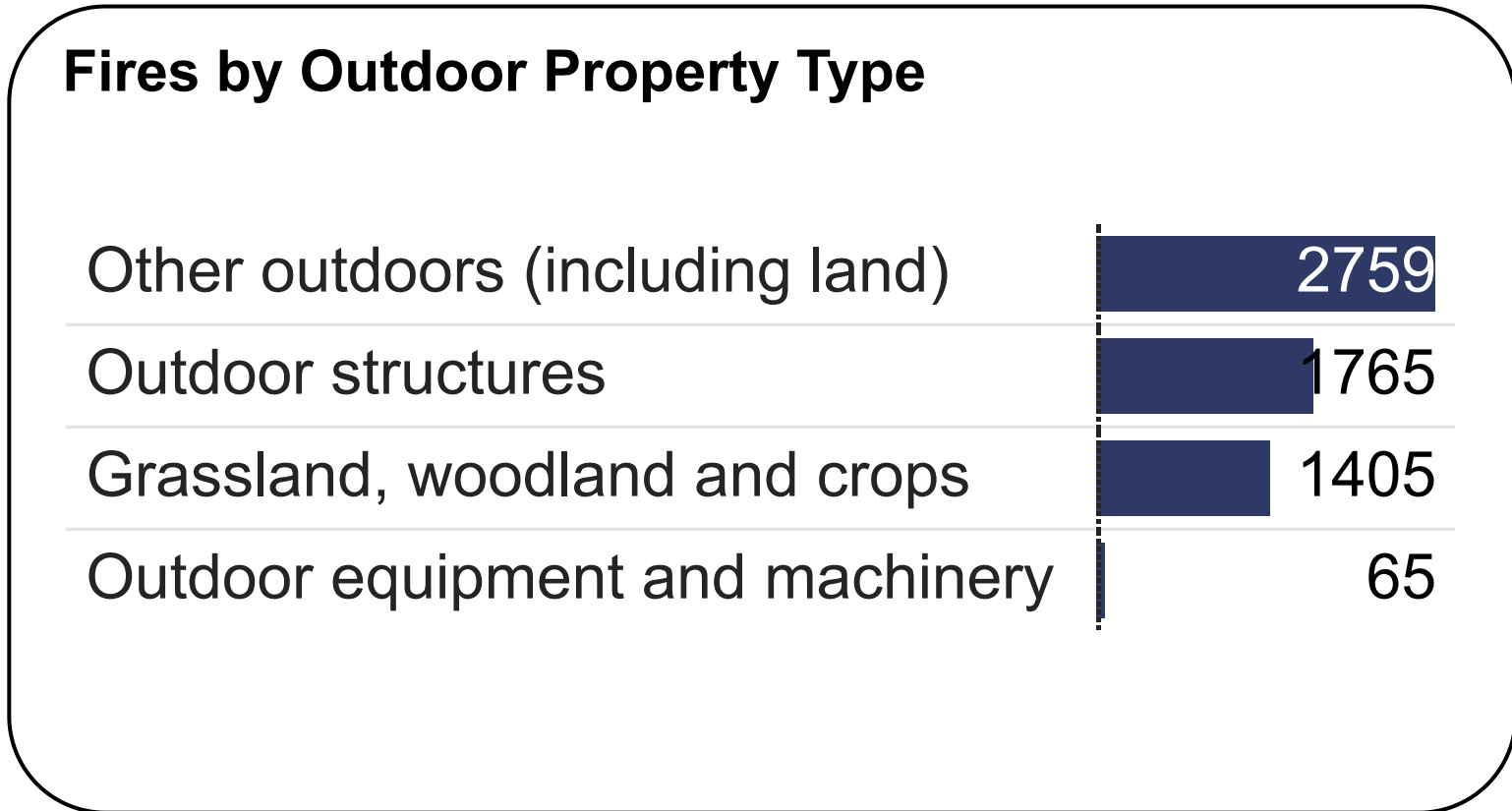
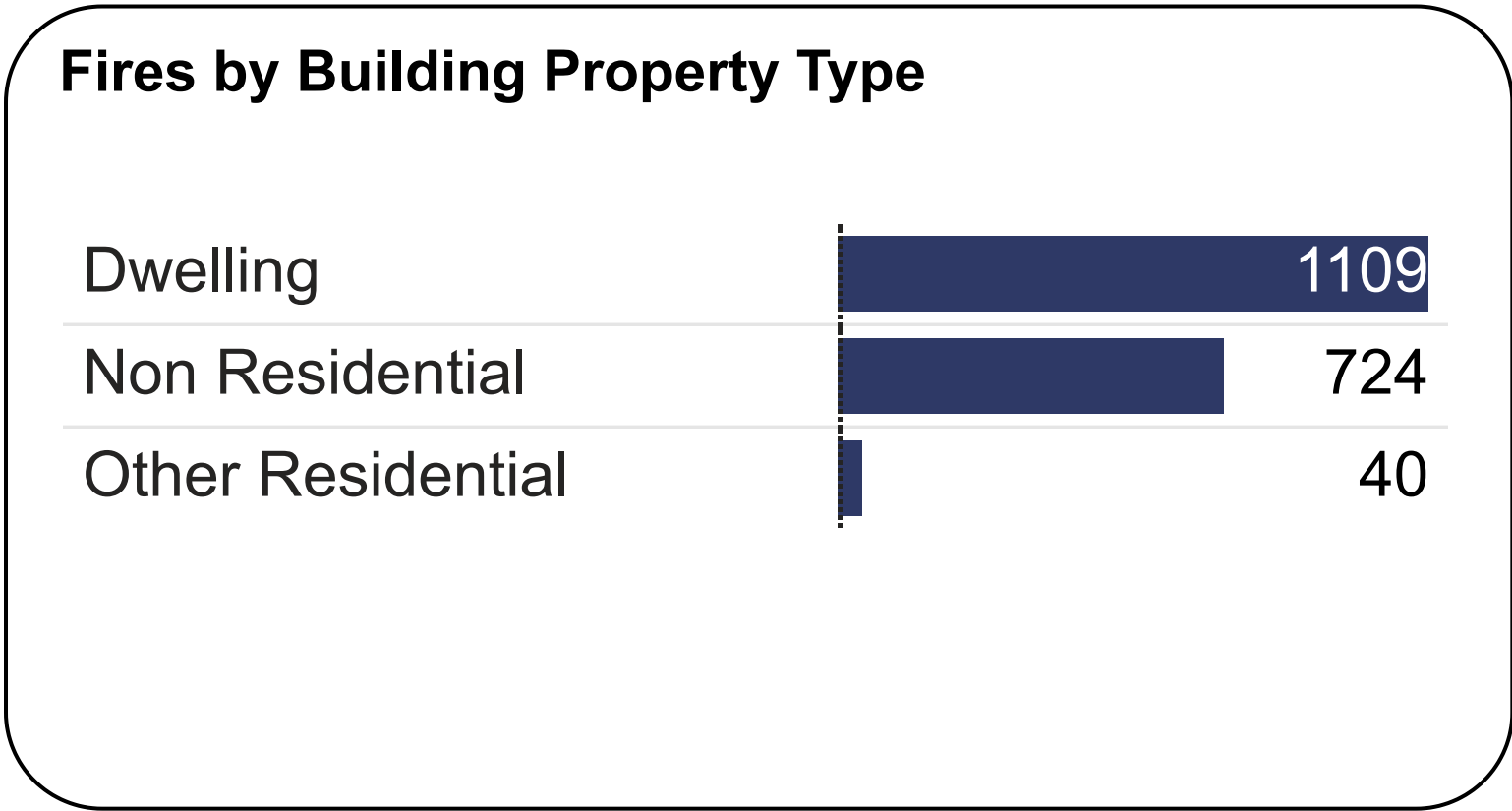
District	% increase/decrease on previous year	3 Year Average
Bradford	0%	↓
Calderdale	-4%	↓
Kirklees	3%	↓
Leeds	7%	↓
Wakefield	3%	↓

3 Year average indicator shows if current number of Fires this financial year is an increase/decrease of fires against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.



Fires by Category

Fire Classification	Accidental	Deliberate
Chimney Fire	0.39%	
Primary Fire	19.83%	12.51%
Secondary Fire	20.54%	46.73%

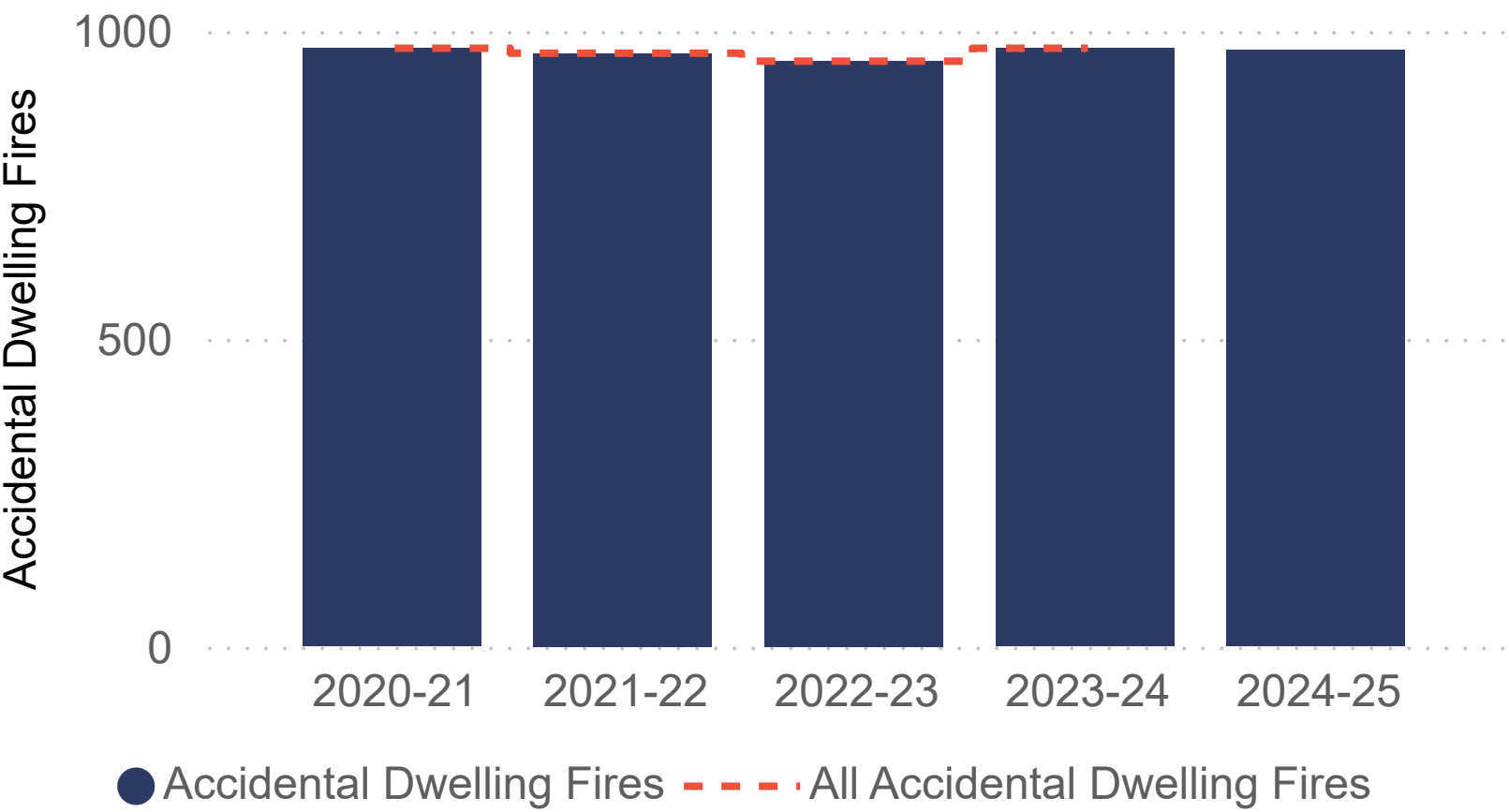


Accidental Dwelling Fires

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Accidental Dwelling Fires by Financial Year



All ADF (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year.
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Accidental Dwelling Fires Previous Year To Date Comparison

District	% increase/decrease on previous year		3 Year Average
Bradford	-7%		↓
Calderdale	-18%		↓
Kirklees	-12%		↓
Leeds	13%		↑
Wakefield	16%		↑

3 Year average indicator shows if current number of ADF this financial year is an increase/decrease of ADF against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

Accidental Dwelling Fires by Property Type

House - single occupancy	601
Purpose Built Flat/Maisonette - multiple occupancy	180
Converted Flat/Maisonette - multiple occupancy	70
Self contained Sheltered Housing	52
Bungalow - single occupancy	45
Unknown if licensed HMO	9
Licensed HMO	7
caravan/mobile home (permanent dwelling)	2
Houseboat (permanent dwelling)	1
Other Dwelling	1
Unlicensed HMO	1

Top Fire Cause

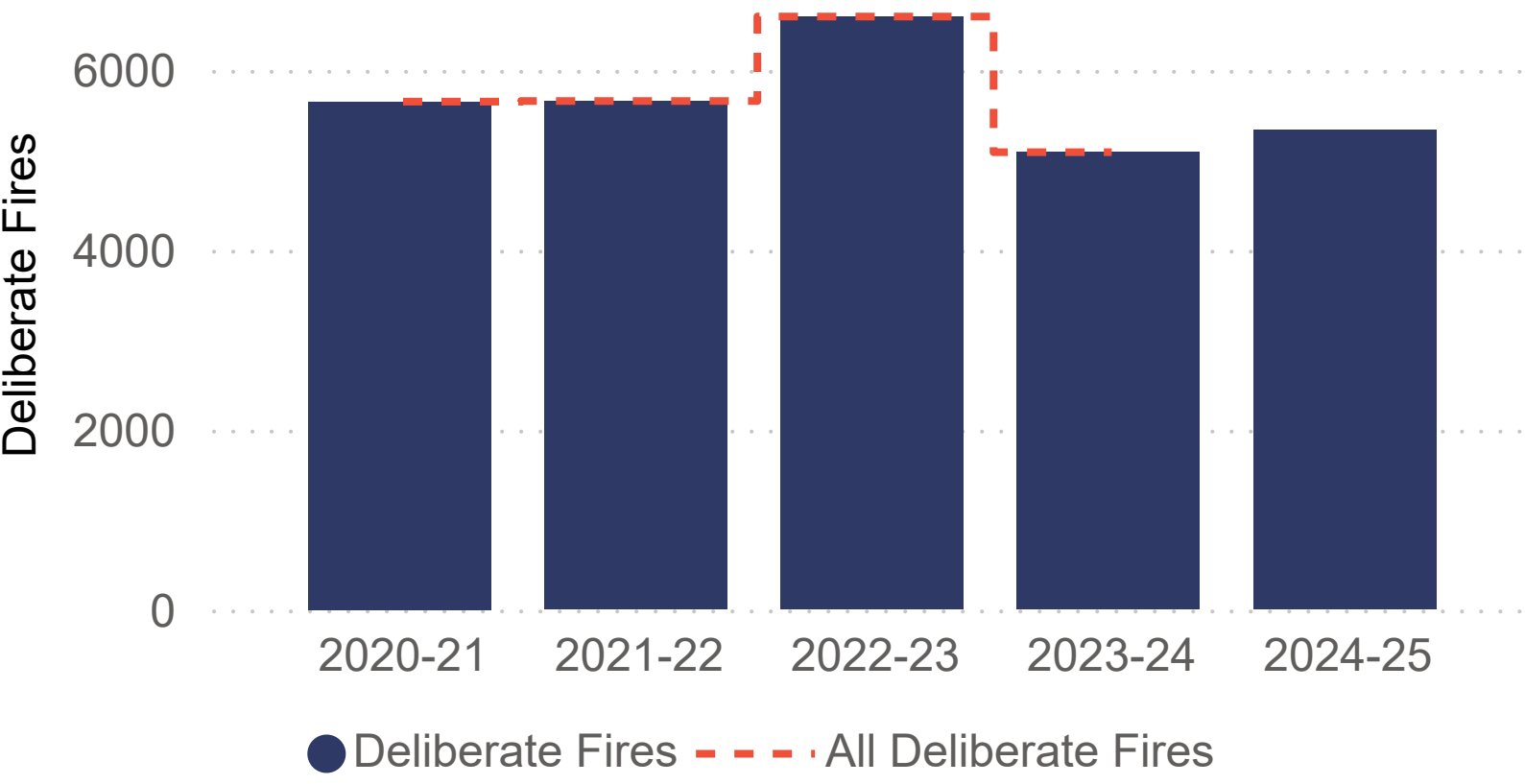
Accidental - Cooking - other cooking

Deliberate Fires

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Deliberate Fires by Financial Year



All Deliberate Fires (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year. The bars show the value for selected date range.

Deliberate Fires Previous Year To Date Comparison

District	% increase/decrease on previous year		3 Year Average
Bradford		8%	↓
Calderdale		8%	↓
Kirklees		2%	↓
Leeds		6%	↓
Wakefield		-5%	↓

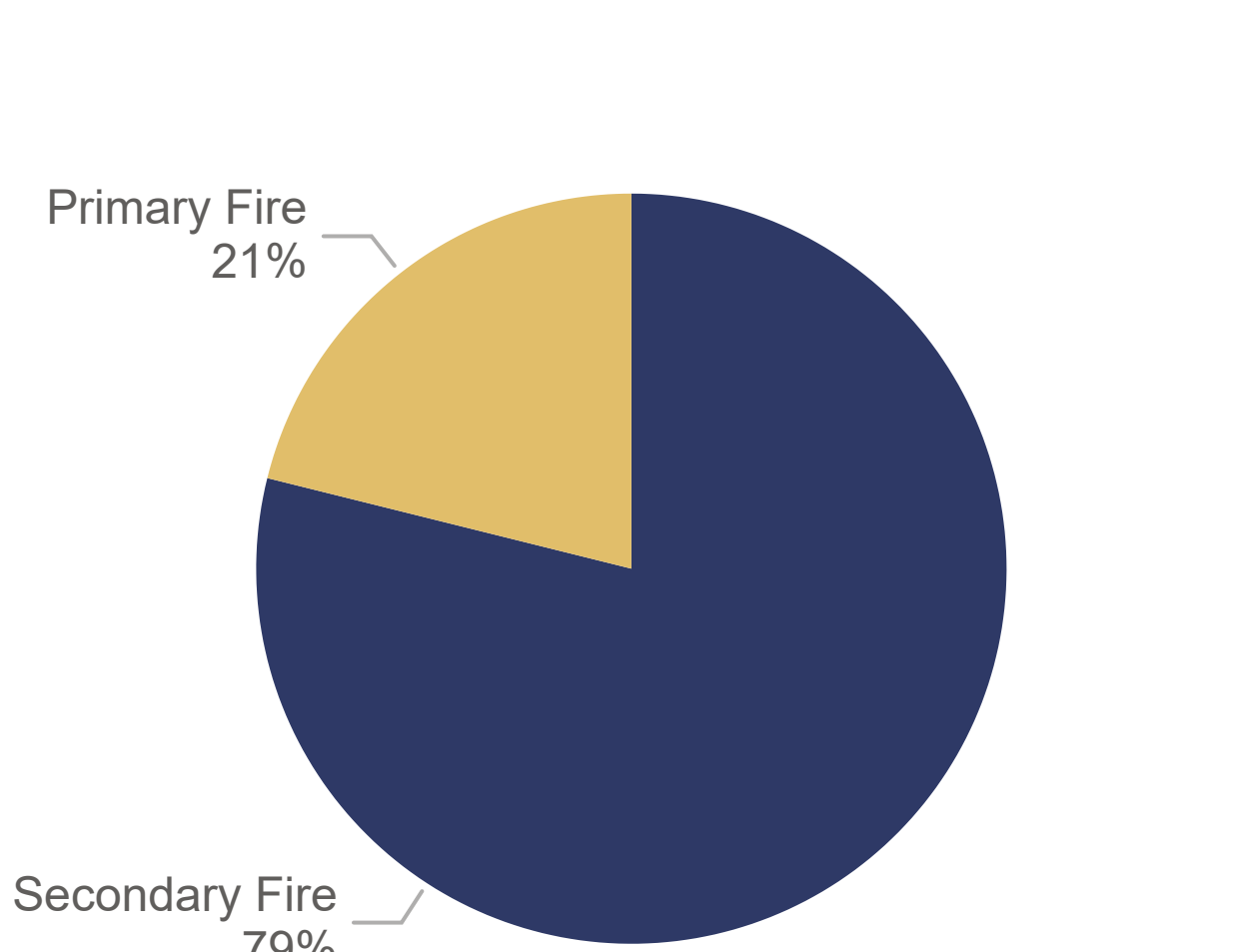
3 Year average indicator shows if current number of Deliberate Fires this financial year is an increase/decrease of Deliberate Fires against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

Top 10 Property Types

Deliberate Fires

Other outdoors (including land)	2074
Outdoor structures	1160
Grassland, woodland and crops	847
Car	443
Non Residential	398
Dwelling	140
Motorcycle	89
Van	60
Multiple Vehicles	39
Outdoor equipment and machinery	19

Deliberate Fires by Primary or Secondary



Top 5 Fire Causes

Deliberate Fires

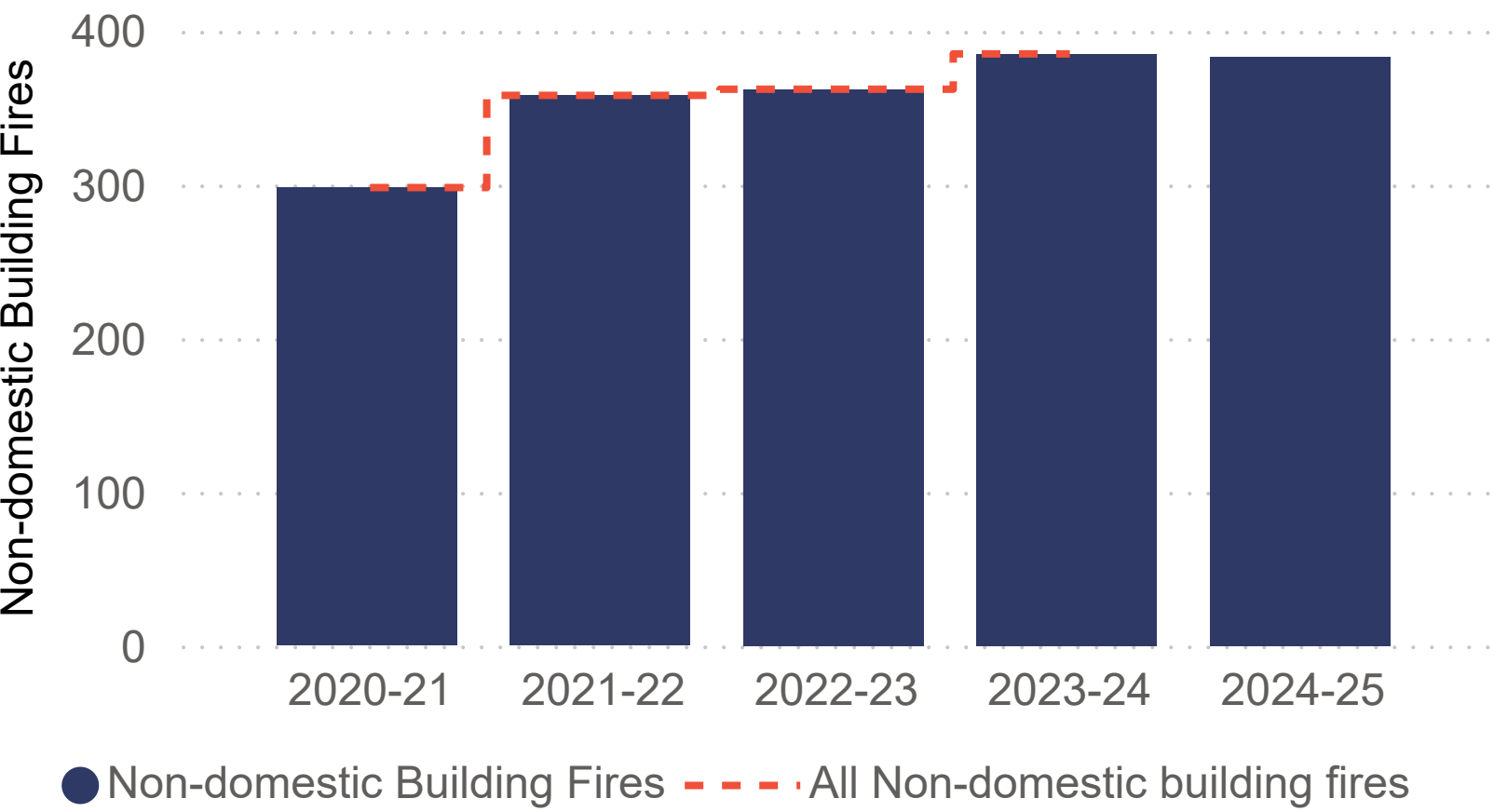
Deliberate - unknown owner	2050
Deliberate - others property	1736
Deliberate - others property - Heat source and combustibles brought together deliberately	655
Deliberate - own property	420
Deliberate - unknown owner - Heat source and combustibles brought together deliberately	329

Non-domestic Fires

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Non-domestic Building Fires by Financial Year



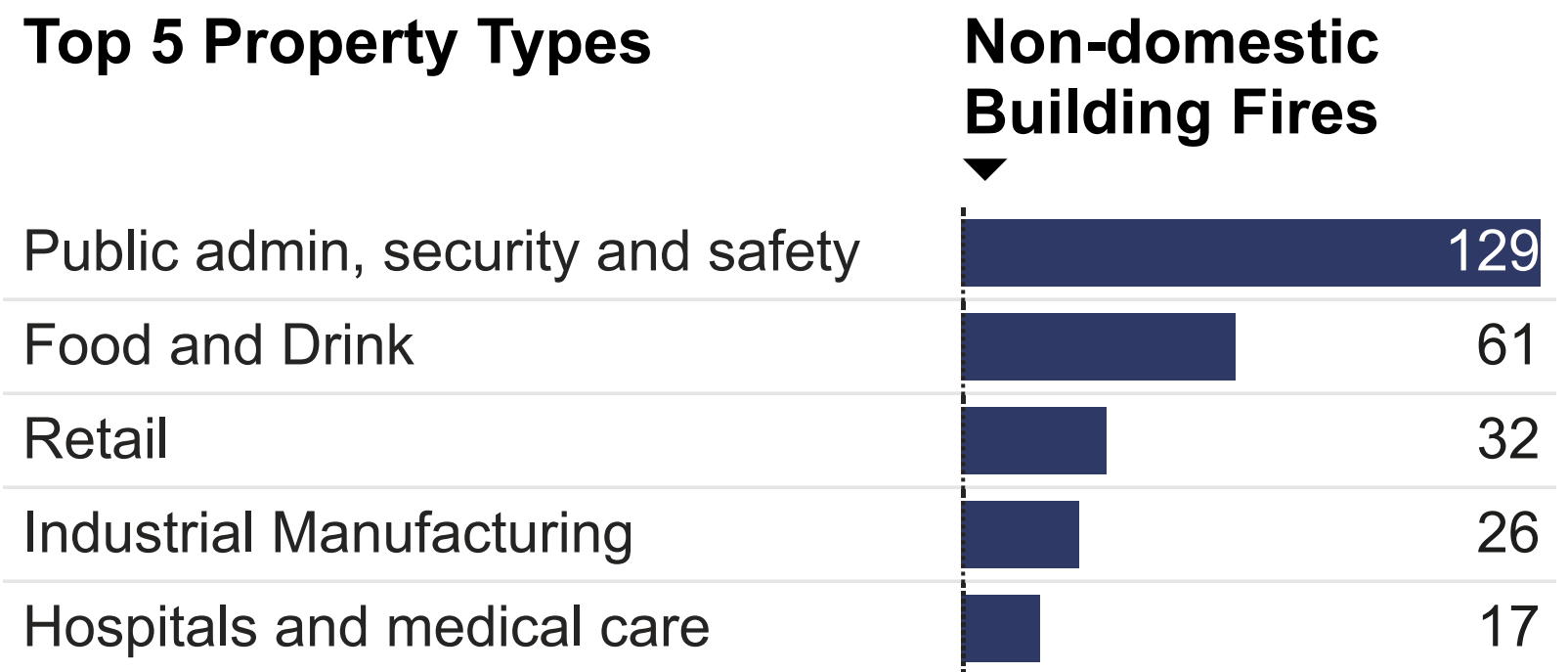
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Non-domestic Building Fires Previous Year To Date Comparison

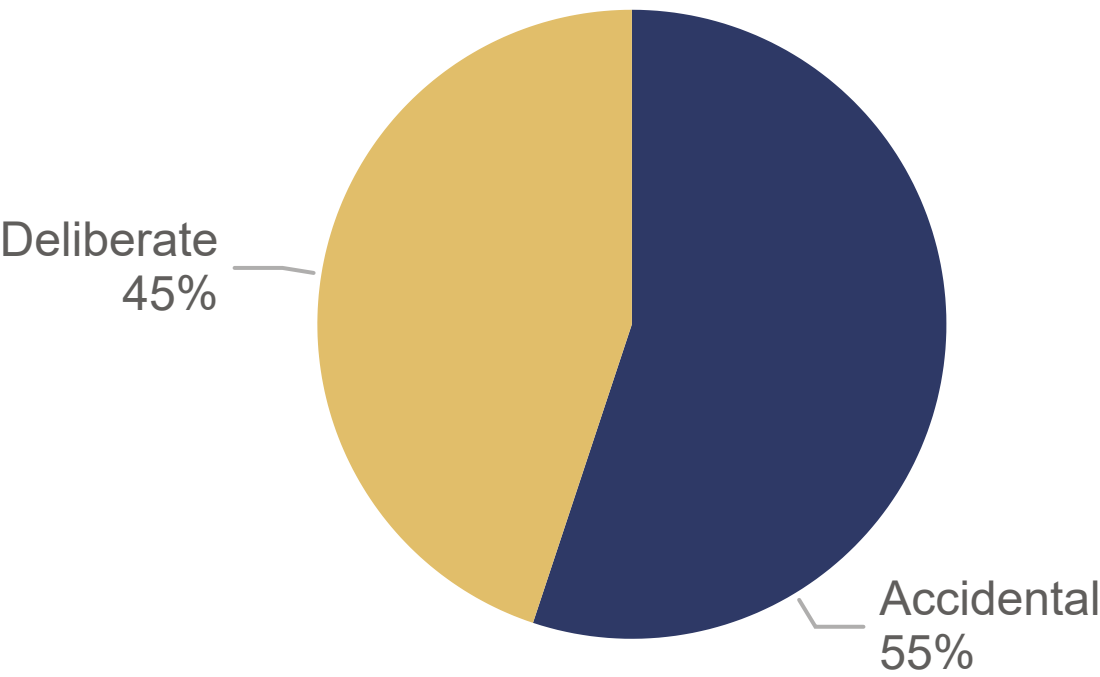
District	% increase/decrease on previous year		3 Year Average
Bradford	<div></div>	-20%	↓
Calderdale	<div></div>	25%	↑
Kirklees	<div></div>	-20%	↓
Leeds	<div></div>	17%	↑
Wakefield	<div></div>	-16%	↓

3 Year average indicator shows if current number of Non-domestic Building Fires this financial year is an increase/decrease of Non-domestic Building fires against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

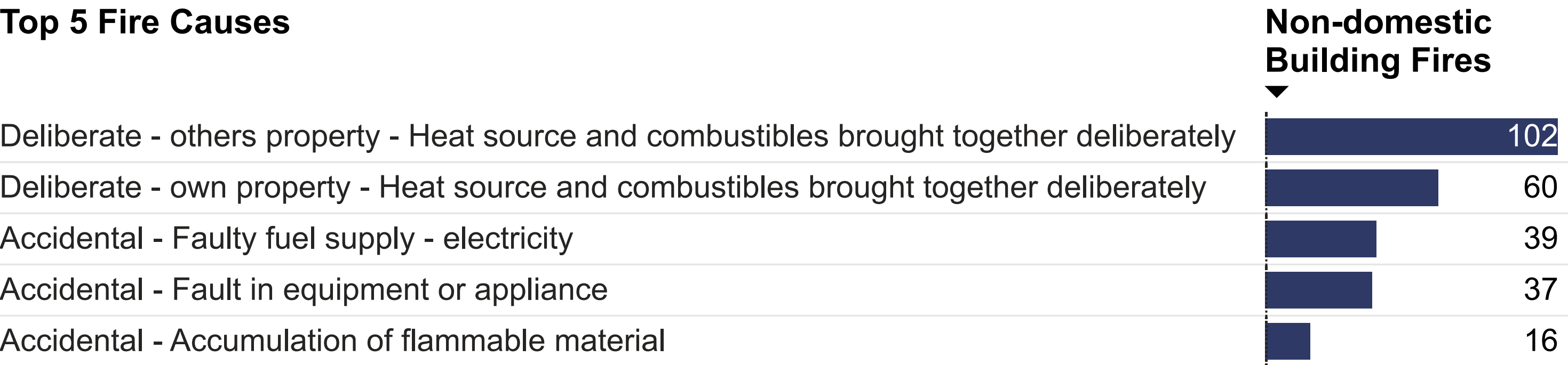
Top 5 Property Types



Non-domestic Building Fires by Accidental or Deliberate Fires



Top 5 Fire Causes

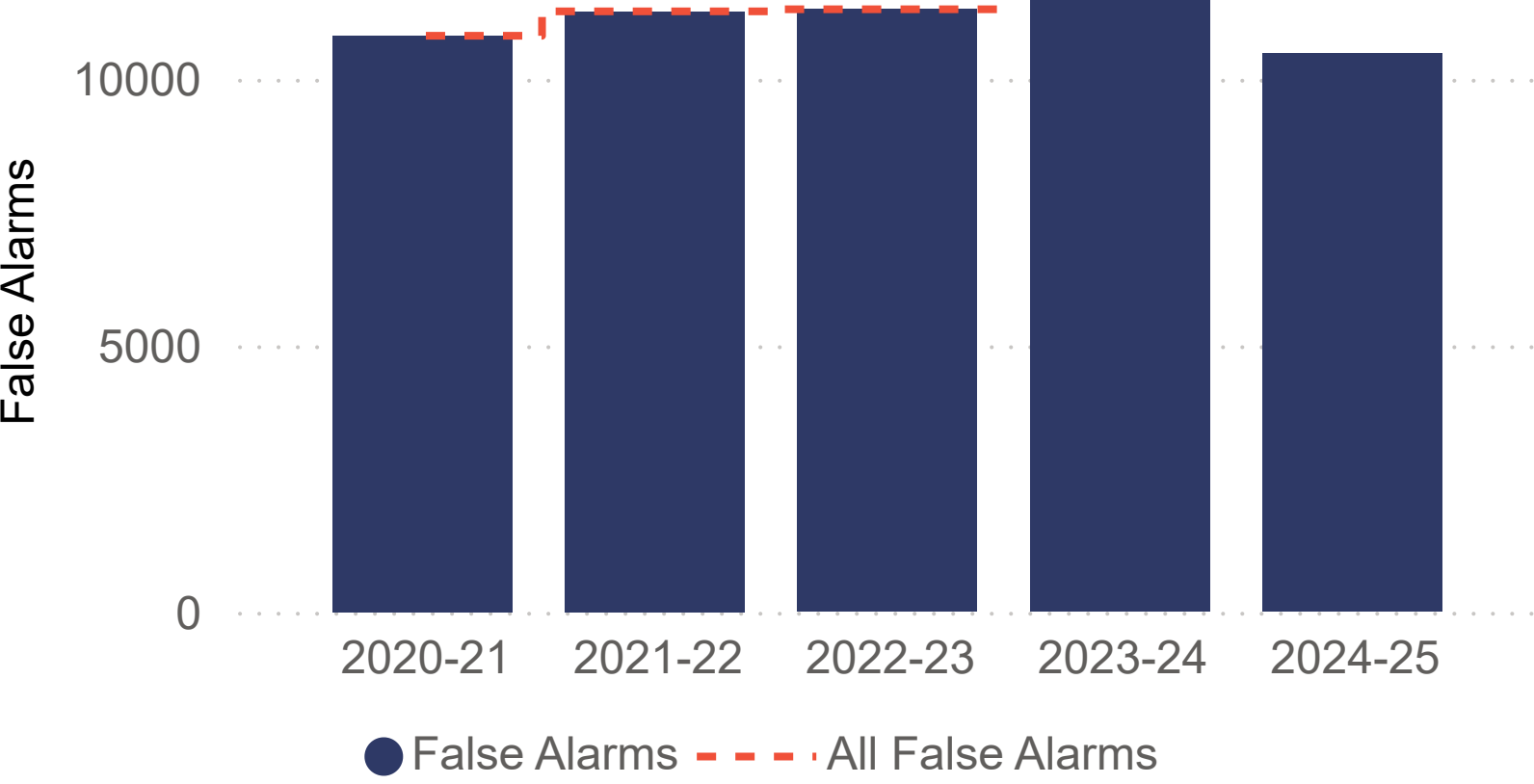


False Alarms

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False Alarms by Financial Year



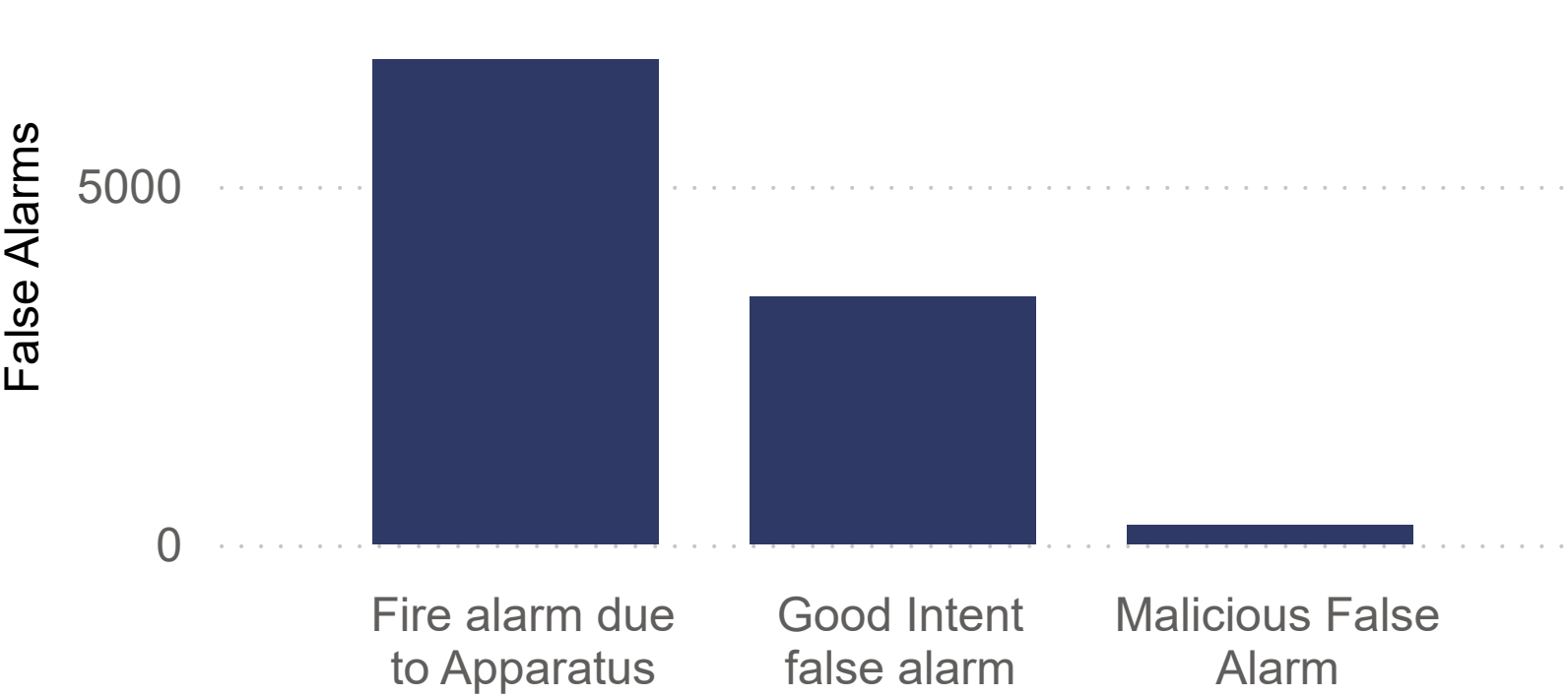
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False Alarms Previous Year To Date Comparison

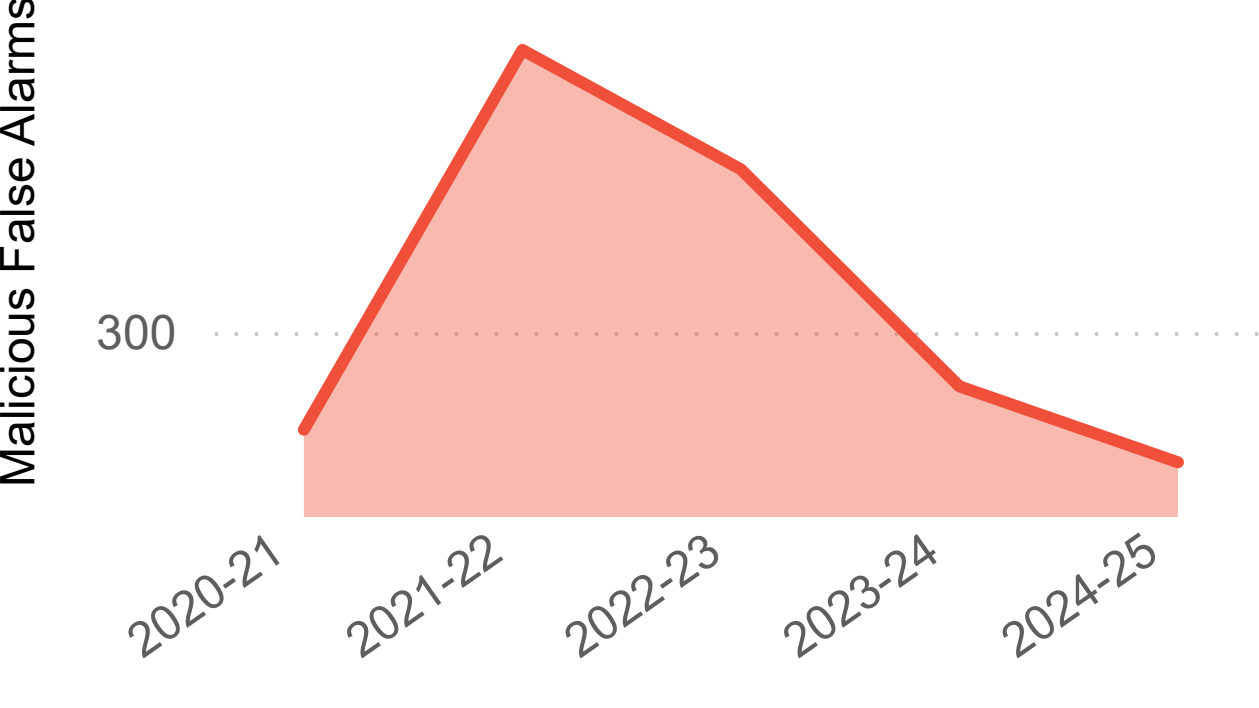
District	% increase/decrease on previous year	3 Year Average
Bradford	-1%	↑
Calderdale	-9%	↓
Kirklees	-16%	↓
Leeds	-14%	↓
Wakefield	-24%	↓

3 year average indicator shows if current number of False Alarms this financial year is an increase/decrease of False Alarms against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

False Alarm by Reason



Malicious False Alarms by Financial Year



Top Dwelling Properties

Purpose Built
Flat/Maisonette - multiple occupancy

Top Other Residential Buildings Properties

Residential Home

Top Non-Residential Building

Education

Top Dwelling Reason

Cooking/burnt toast

Top Other Residential Building Reason

Faulty

Top Non-Residential Reason

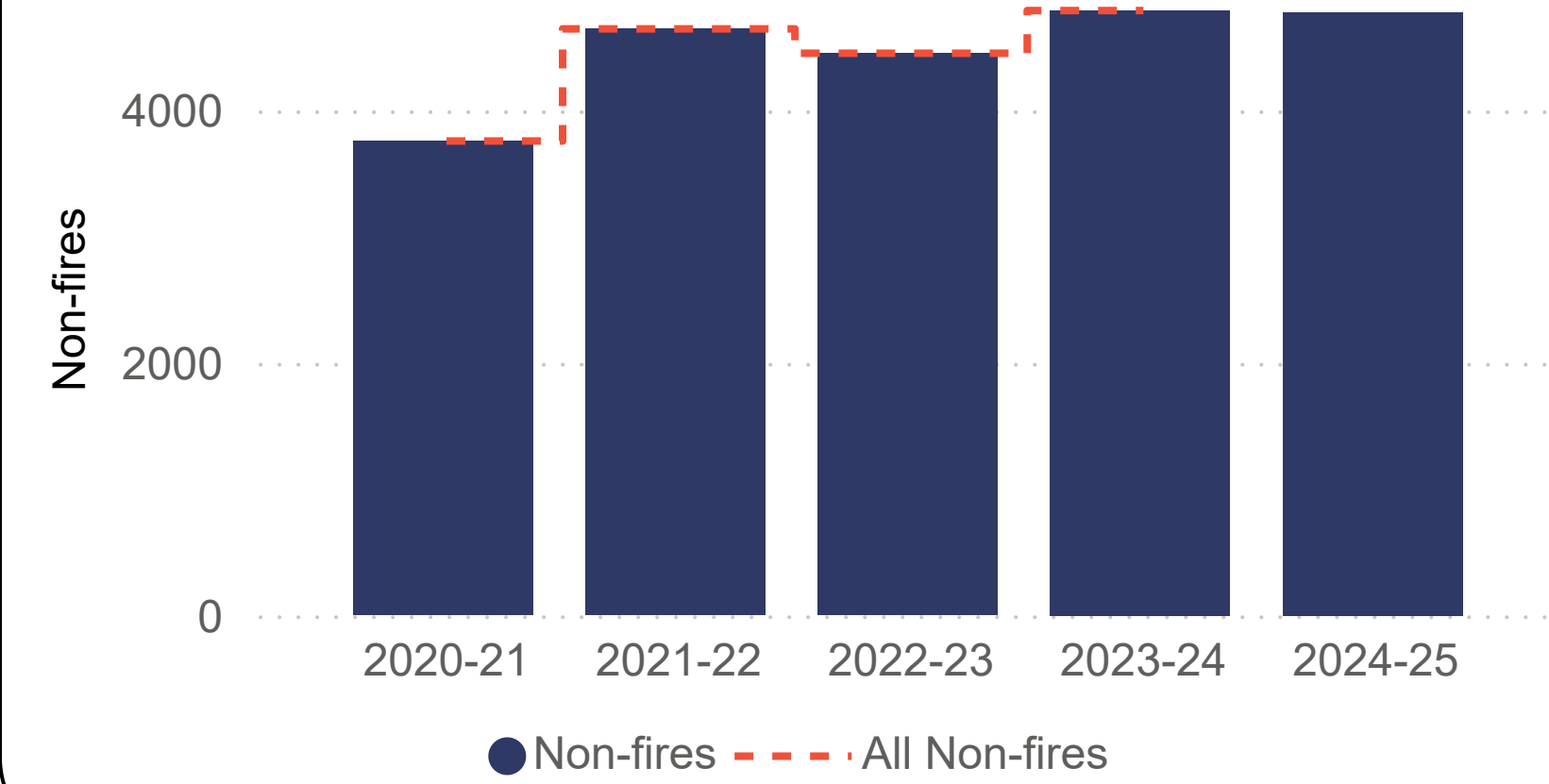
Faulty

Non-fires

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Non-fires by Financial Year



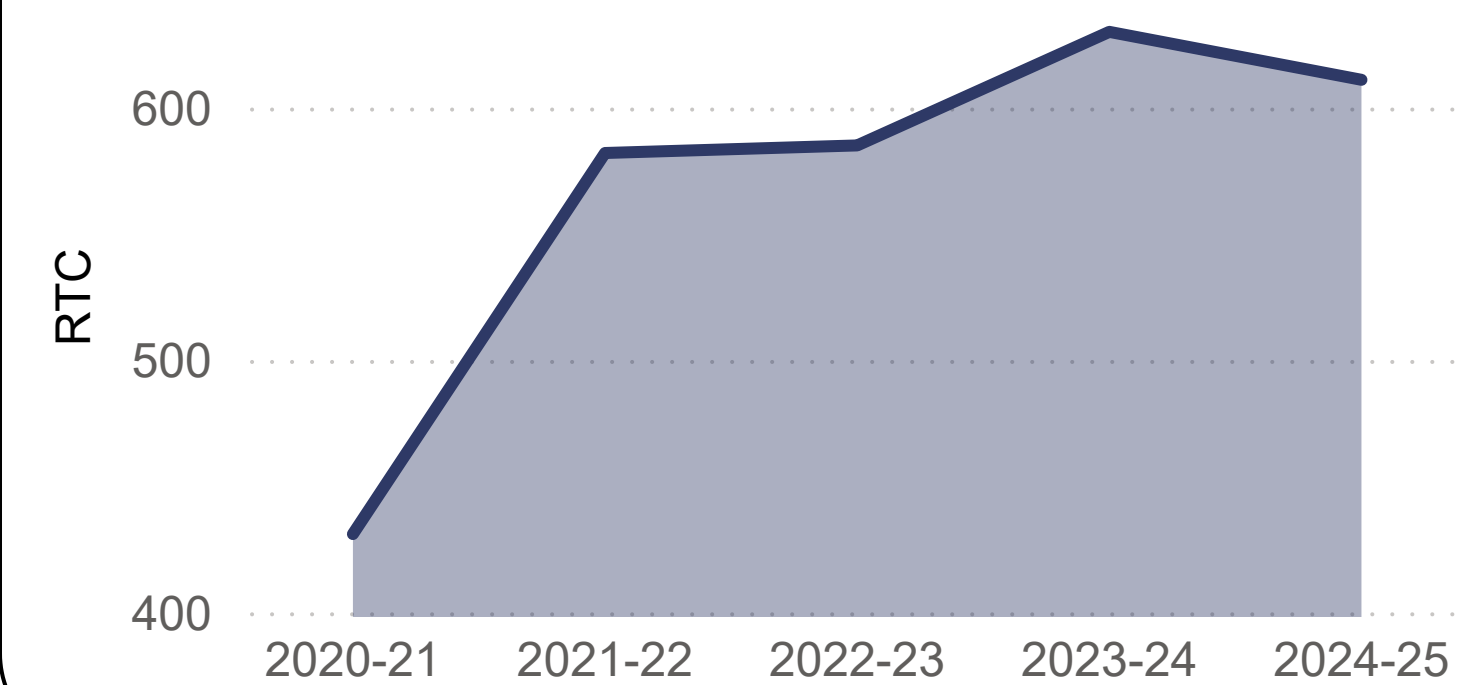
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Non-fires Previous Year To Date Comparison

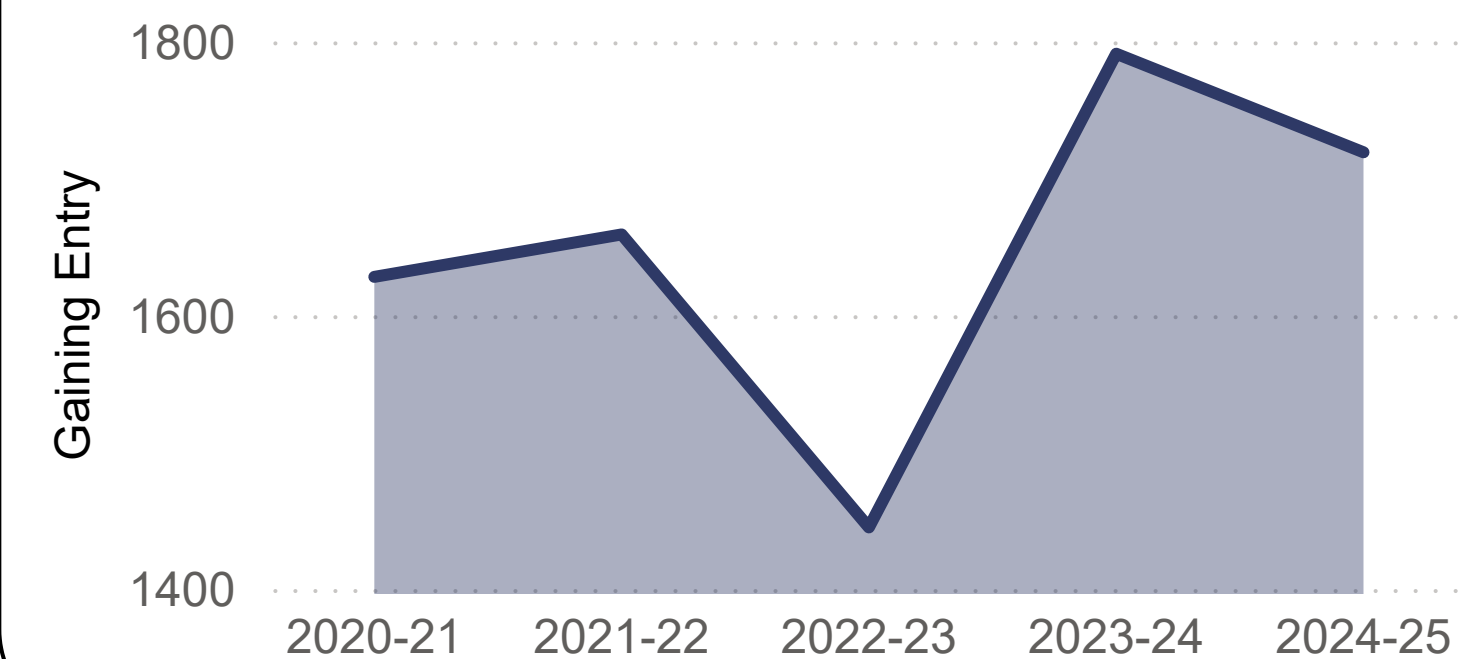
District	% increase/decrease on previous year	3 Year Average
Bradford	-6%	↑
Calderdale	7%	↑
Kirklees	-5%	↓
Leeds	2%	↑
Wakefield	5%	↑

3 Year average indicator shows if current number of Non-fires this financial year is an increase/decrease of Non-fires against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

Road Traffic Collisions by Financial Year



Gaining Entry Cause for Concern by Financial Year



Top 5 Non-fire Types

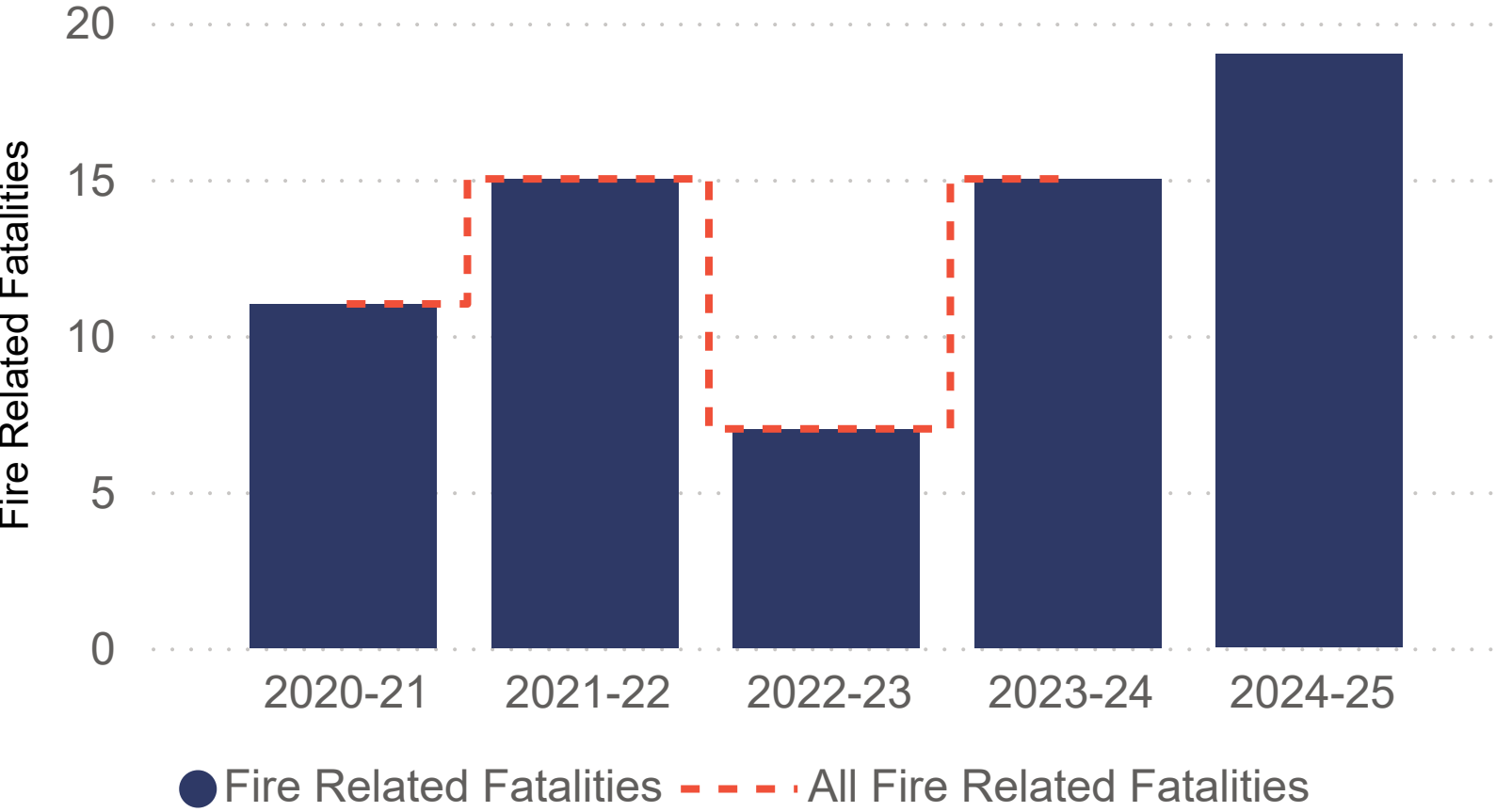
Non-fire Type	Count
Effecting entry/exit	1489
Assist other agencies	781
RTC	617
No action (not false alarm)	294
Lift Release	227

Fire Related Fatalities

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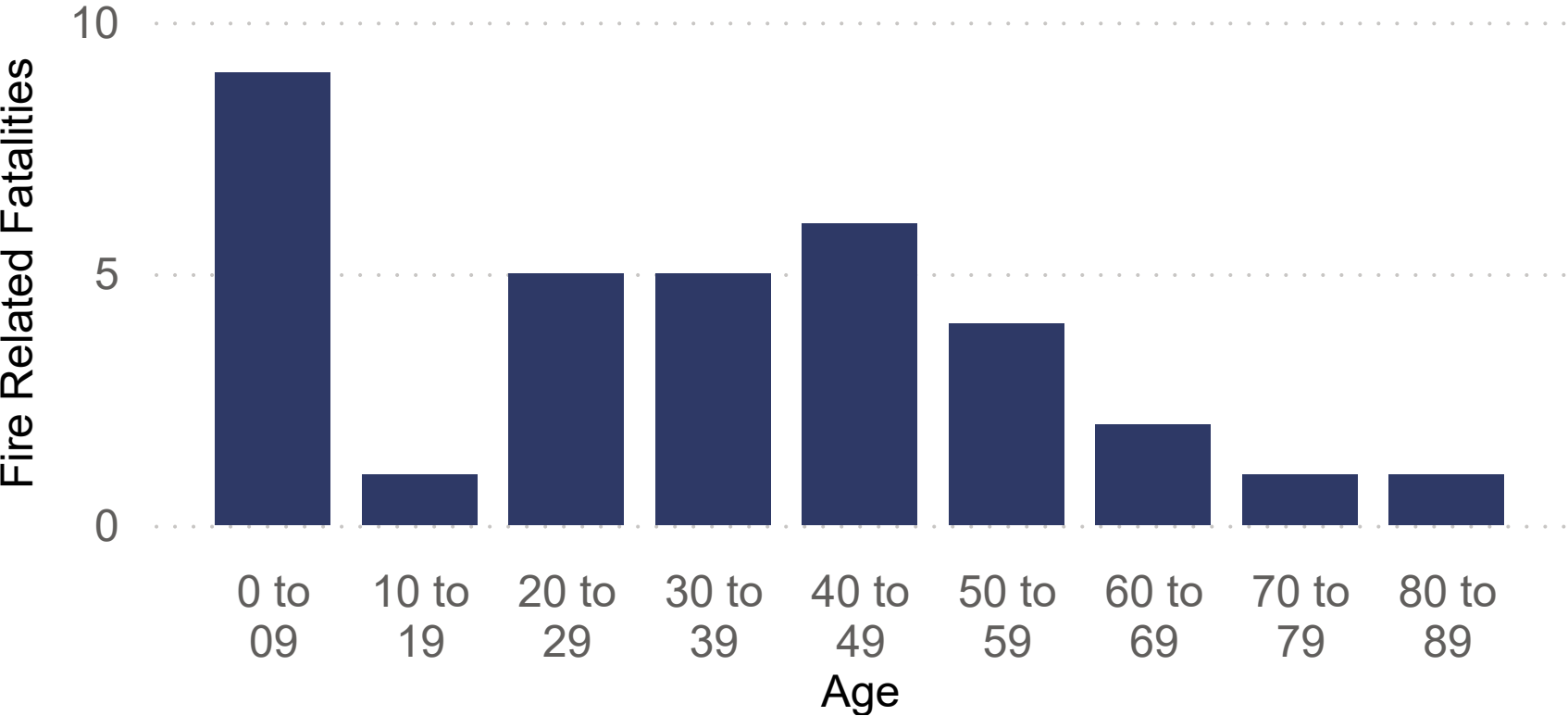
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Fire Related Fatalities by Financial Year

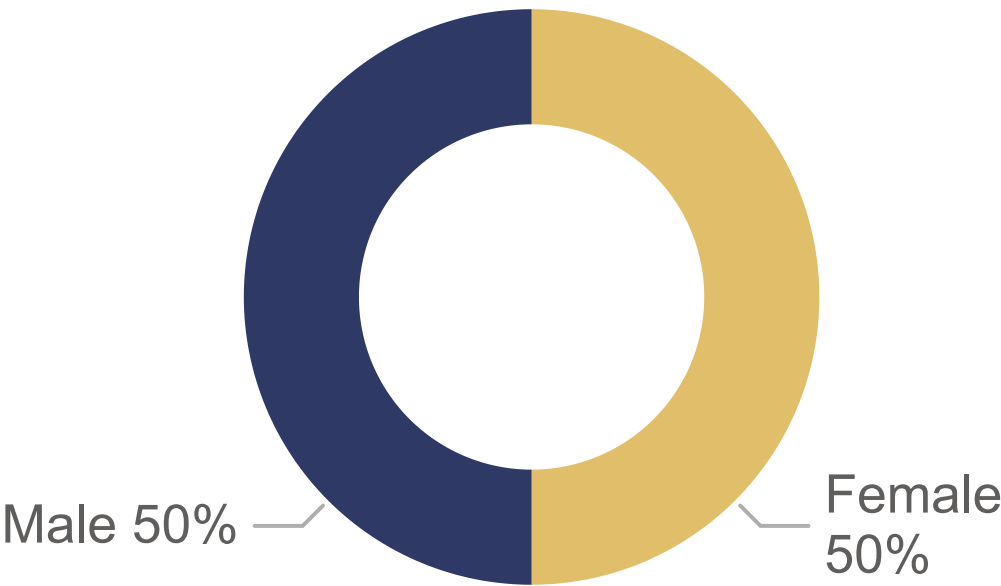


All Fire Related Fatalities (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year.
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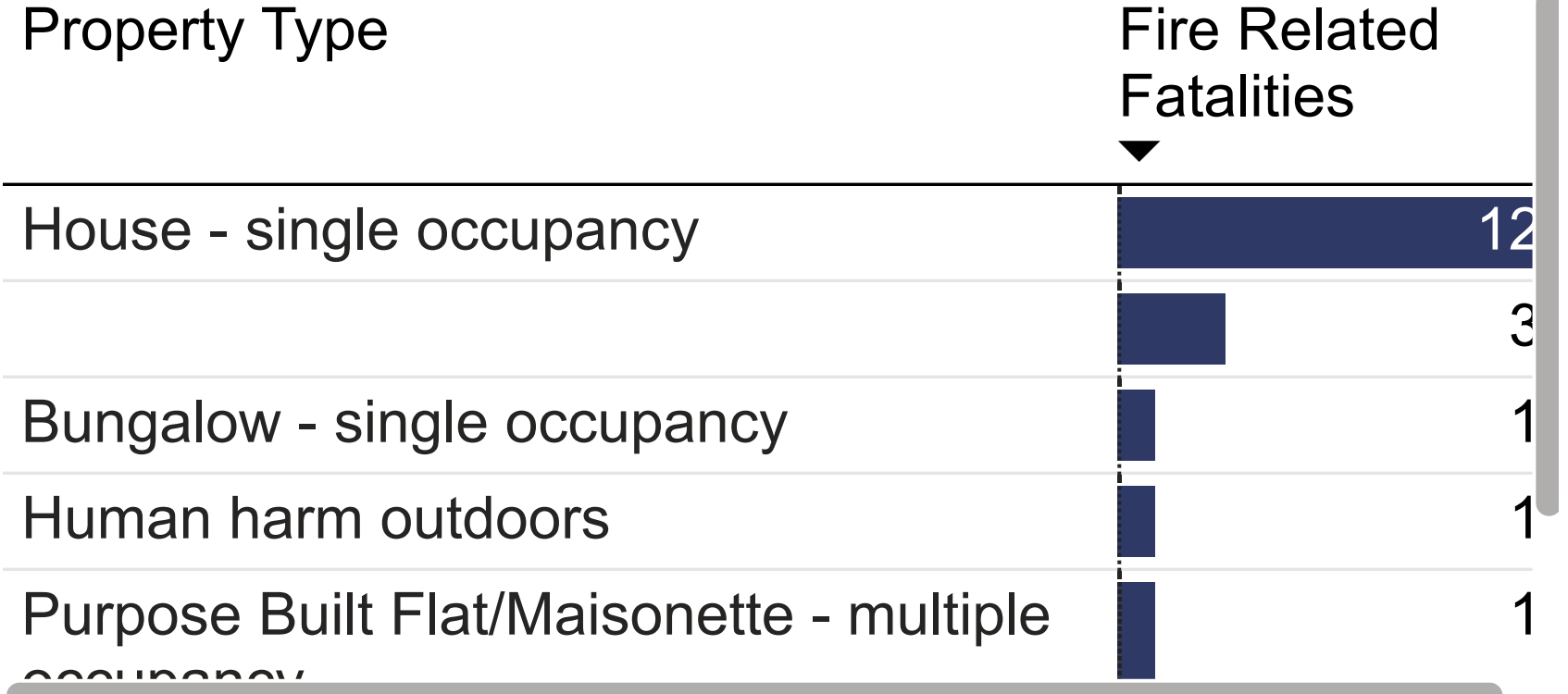
Fire Related Fatalities by Age



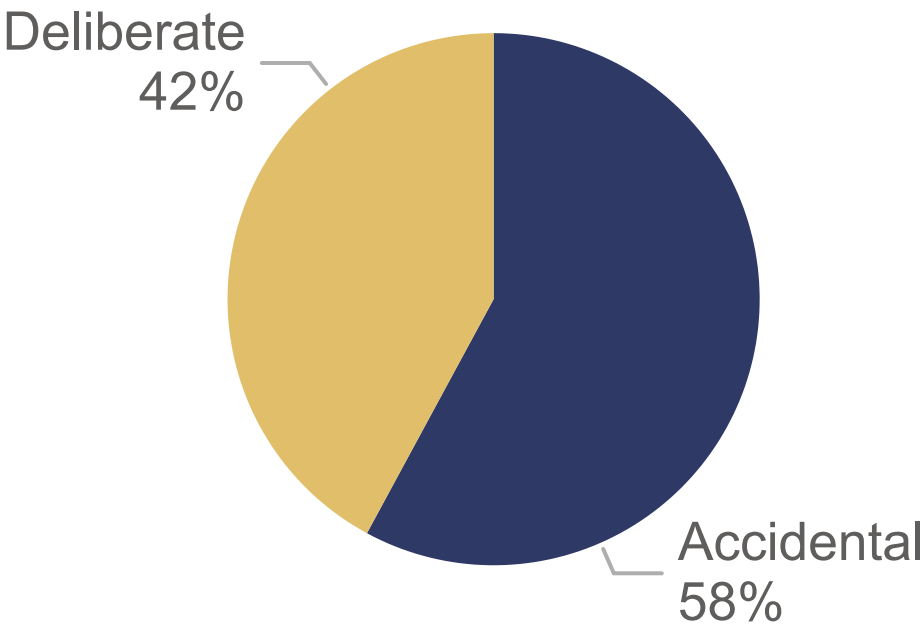
Fire Related Fatalities by Gender



Fire Related Fatalities by Property Type



Fire Related Fatalities by Accidental or Deliberate Fires

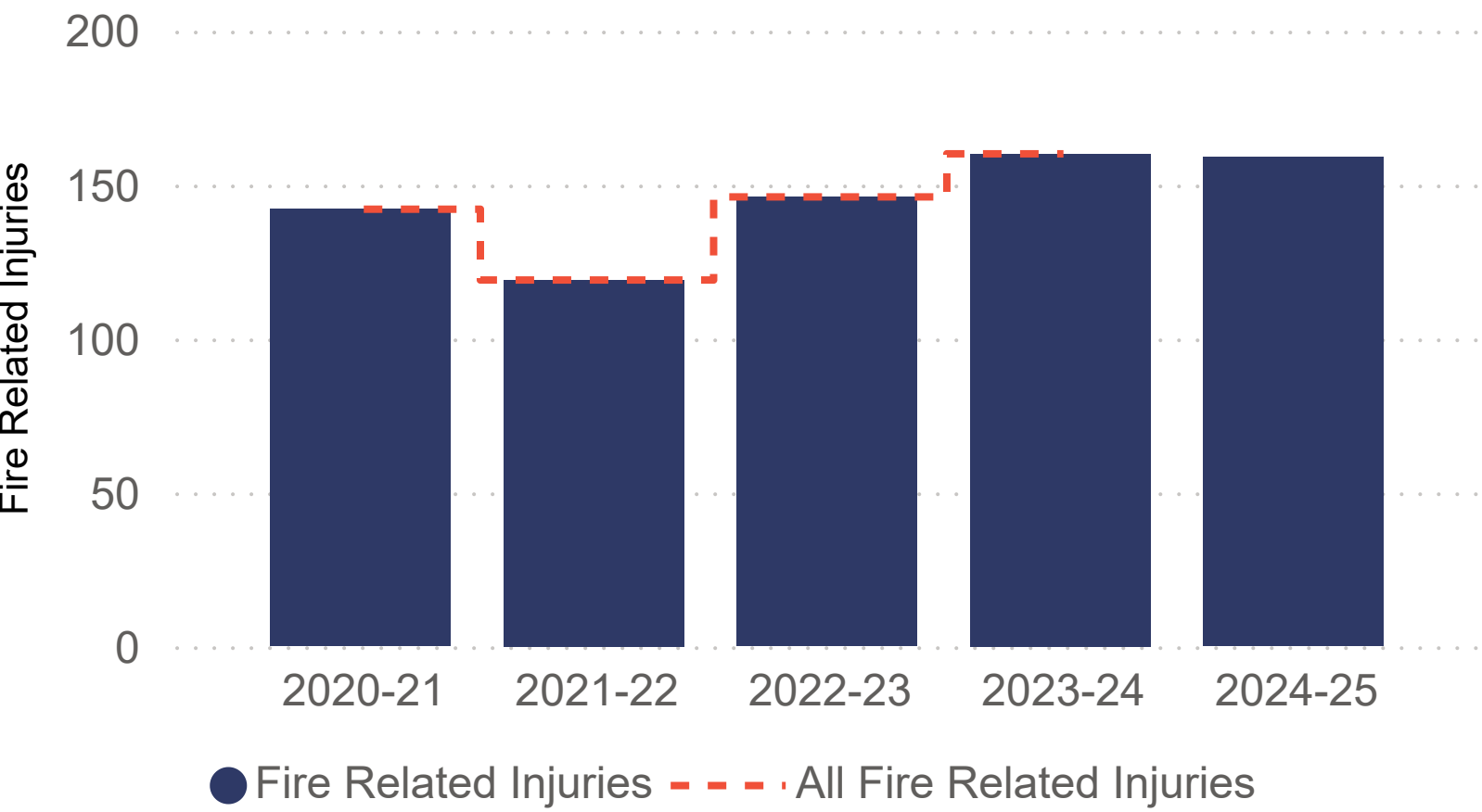


Fire Related Injuries

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Fire Related Injuries by Financial Year



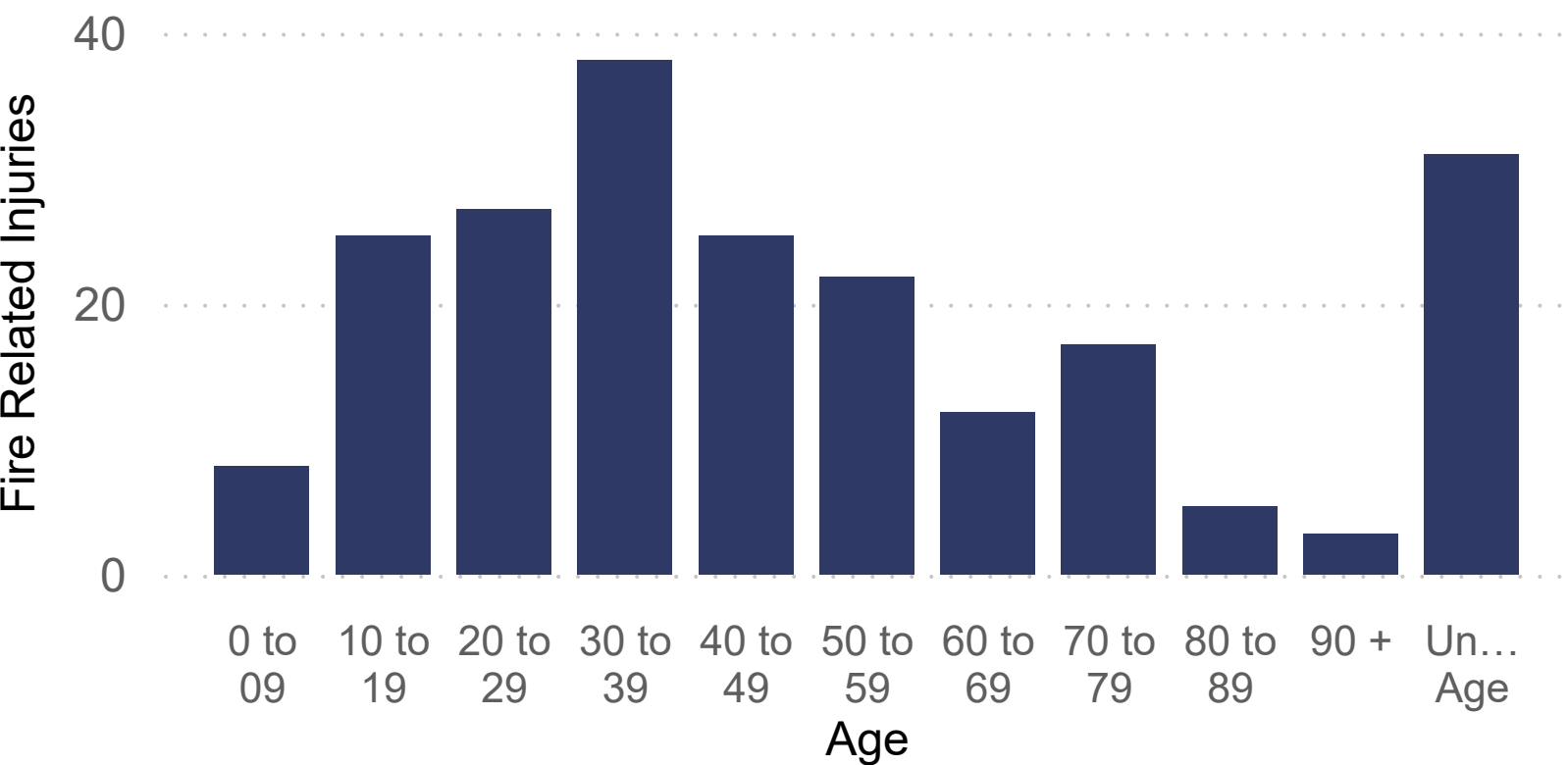
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Fire Related Injuries Previous Year To Date Comparison

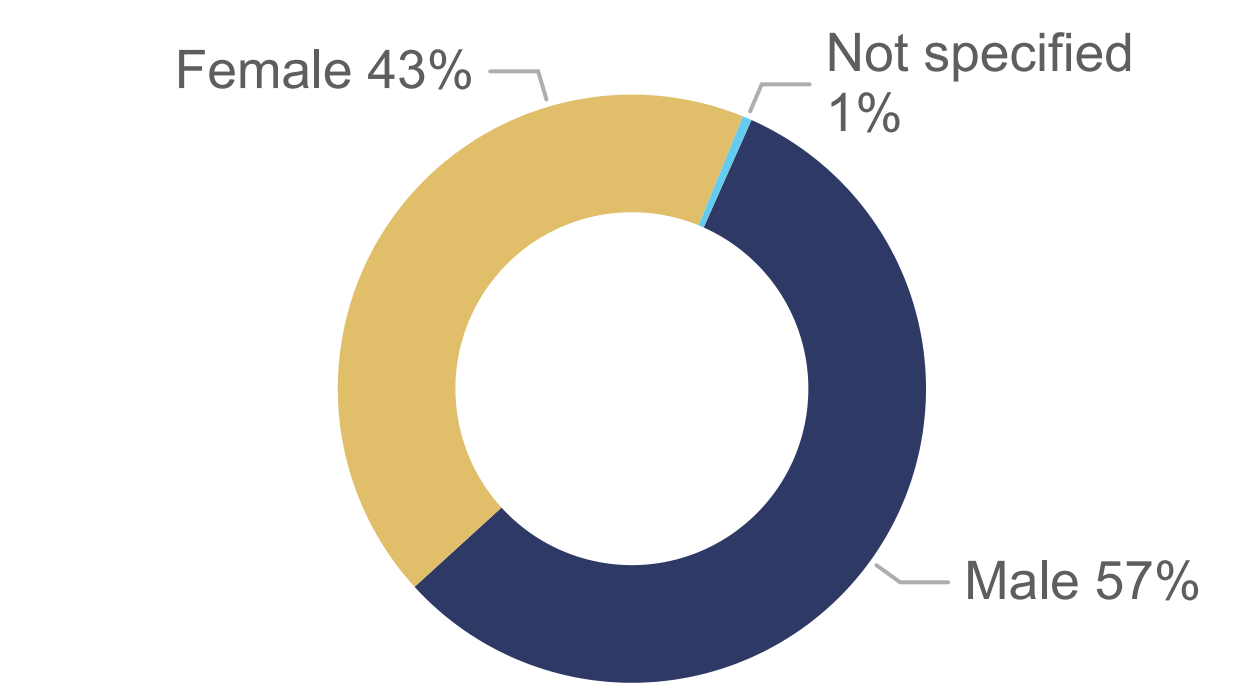
District	% increase/decrease on previous year	3 Year Average
Bradford	-17%	↓
Calderdale	-47%	↓
Kirklees	23%	↑
Leeds	4%	↑
Wakefield	35%	↑

3 Year average indicator shows if current number of Fire Related Injuries this financial year is an increase/decrease of Fire Related Injuries against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

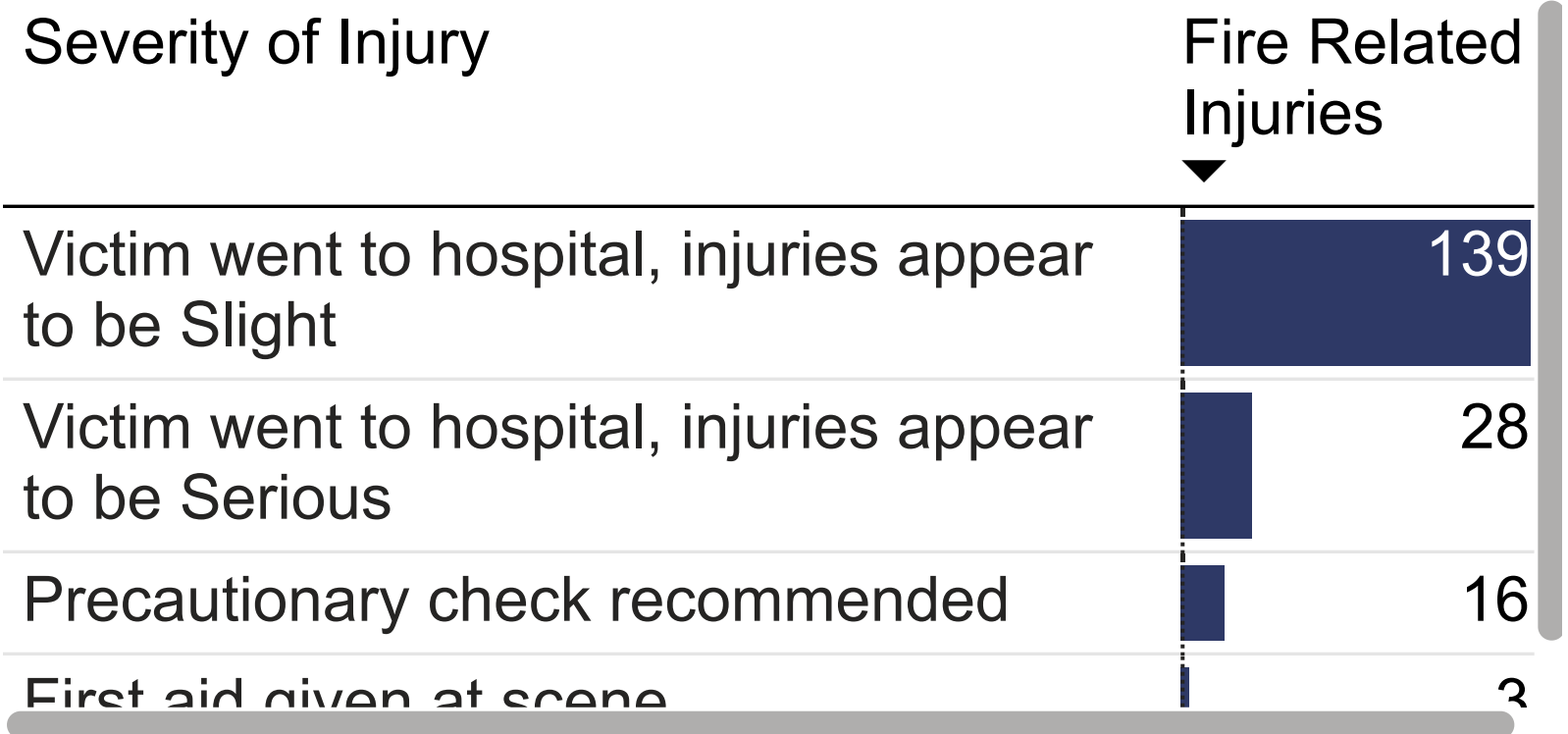
Fire Related Injuries by Age



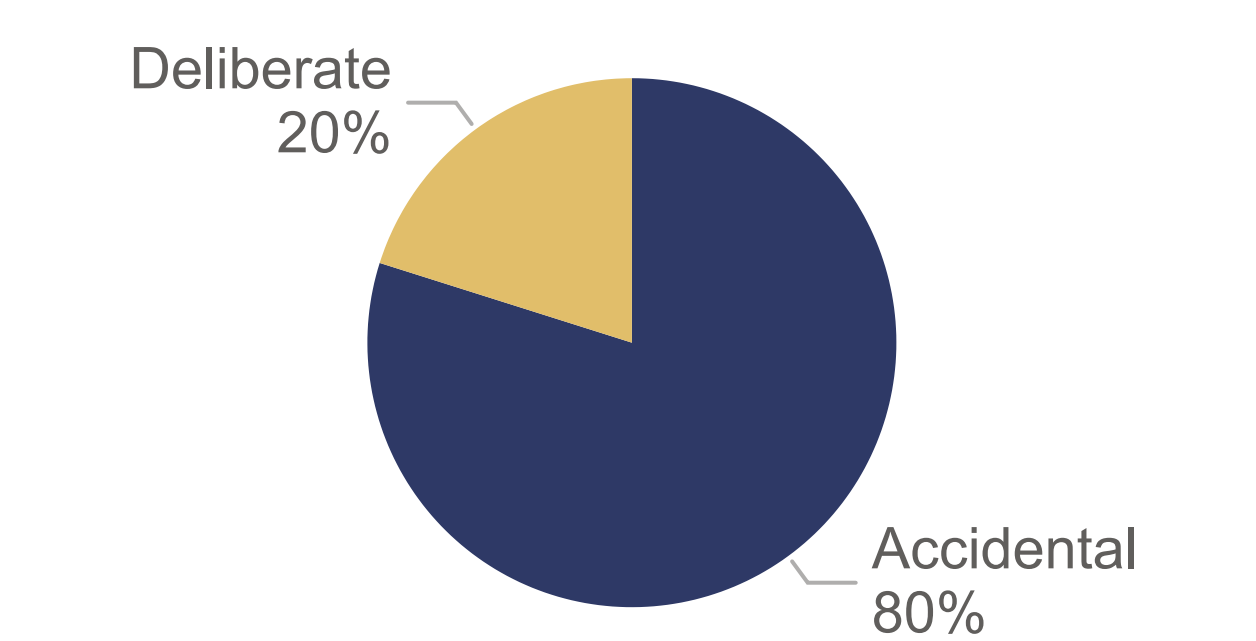
Fire Related Injuries by Gender



Fire Related Injuries by Severity



Fire Related Injuries by Accidental or Deliberate Fires



Top Property Type

House - single occupancy

Top Fire Cause

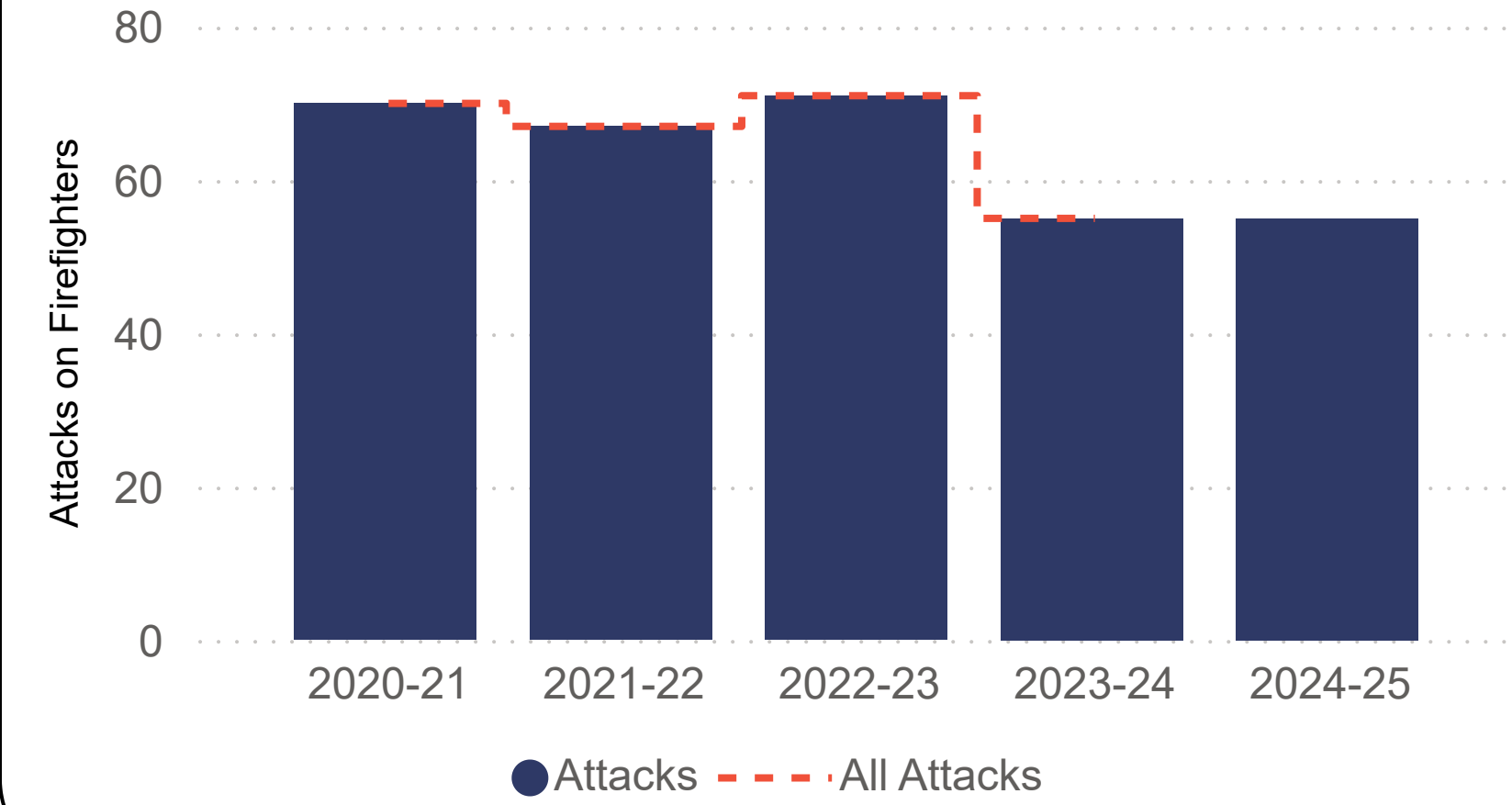
Accidental - Fault in equipment or appliance

Attacks on Firefighters

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Attacks on Firefighters by Financial Year



All Attacks on Firefighters (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year.
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Attacks on Firefighters Previous Year To Date Comparison

District	Current period	Previous year	% increase/decrease on previous year	3 Year Average
Bradford	24	23	4%	↓
Calderdale	4	5	-20%	↓
Kirklees	9	7	29%	↑
Leeds	14	12	17%	↓
Wakefield	4	8	-50%	↓

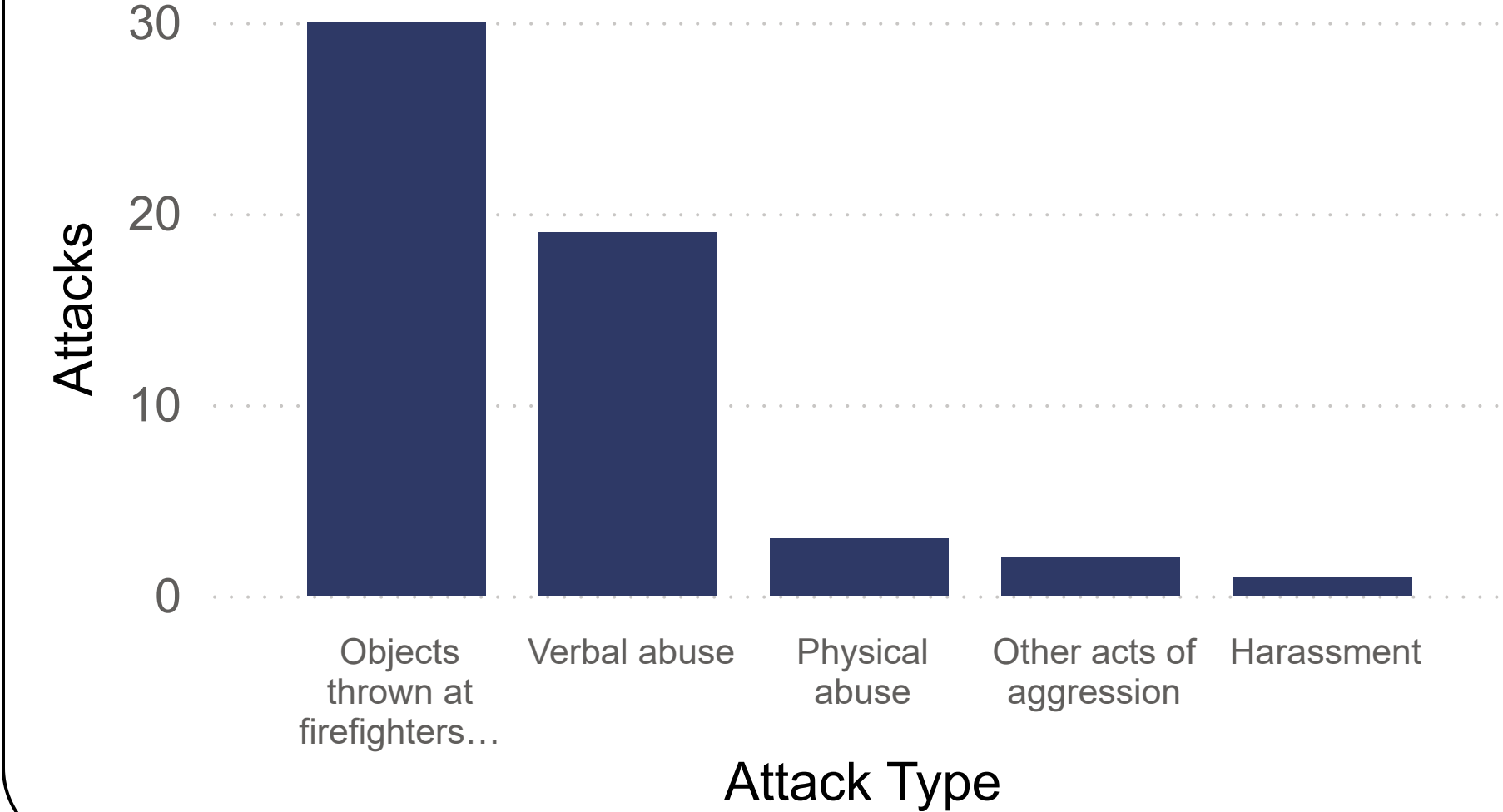
3 Year average indicator shows if current number of Attacks on Firefighters this financial year is an increase/decrease of Attacks on Firefighters against the 3 year average. Looking at only the comparison range.

Attacks on Firefighters by Severity



Visual may be blank if no slight and serious injuries are recorded for the date range.

Attacks on Firefighters by Attack Type



Percentage of incidents with an attack

District	% Attacks at district total incidents
Bradford	0.37%
Kirklees	0.25%
Calderdale	0.17%
Leeds	0.16%
Wakefield	0.13%

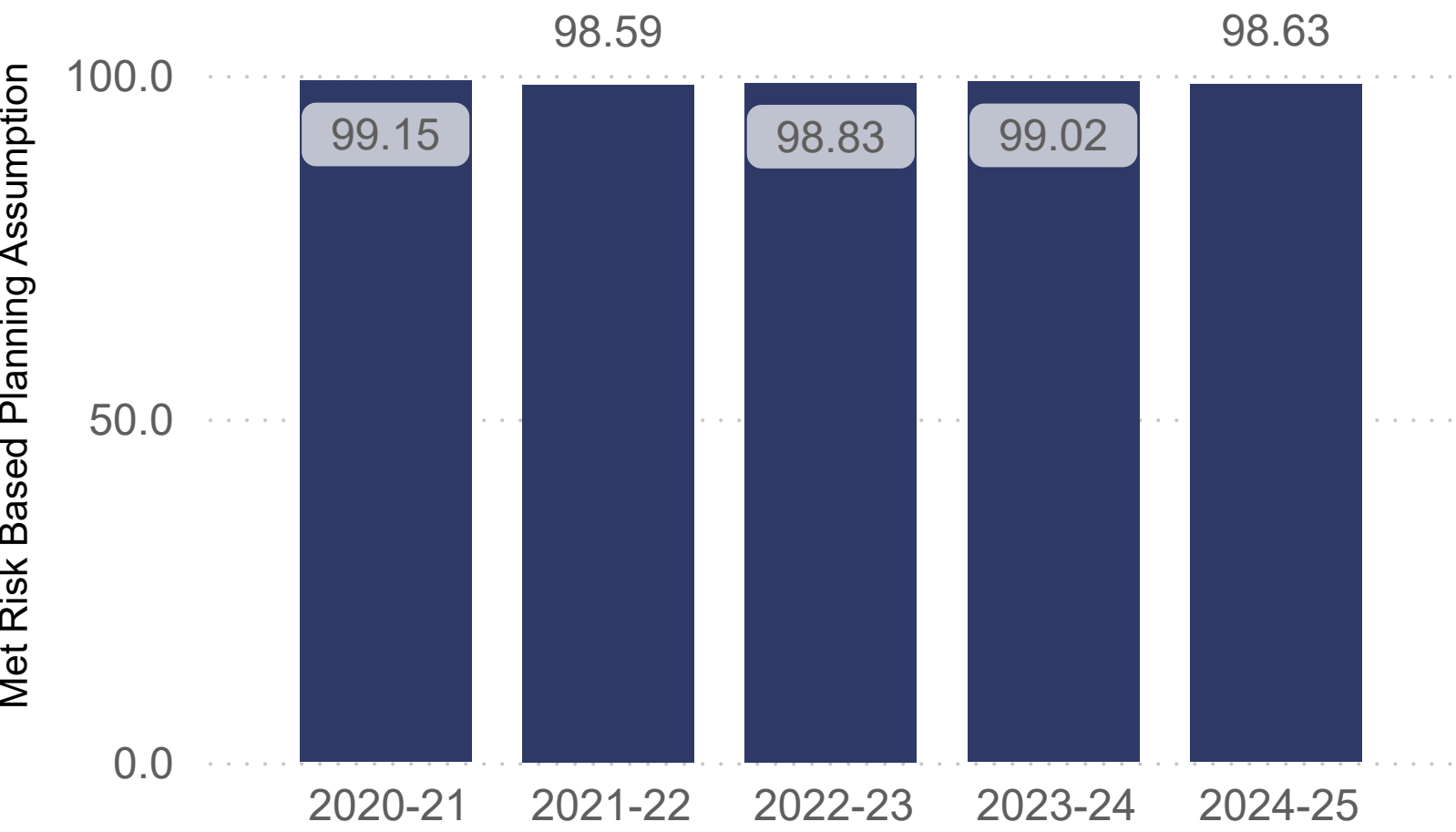
Percentage of attacks based on number of incidents per district.

Response Times

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Percentage of Met Risk Based Planing Assumption Response Times by Financial Year



Percentage of Met Risk Based Planning Assumption Response Time

District	% Met
Leeds	99.04
Bradford	98.94
Wakefield	98.25
Kirklees	98.04
Calderdale	97.60

Average Response Time by LSOA Risk Score and Severity

Risk Score	Life	Property	Other	Total
Very High	00:05:43	00:07:25	00:06:55	00:06:50
High	00:06:44	00:07:05	00:07:02	00:07:00
Medium	00:06:48	00:07:30	00:07:27	00:07:23
Low	00:07:10	00:08:12	00:07:39	00:07:37
Very Low	00:08:23	00:10:07	00:09:03	00:09:00
Total	00:07:19	00:08:19	00:07:47	00:07:45

Average Response Time Targets

Risk Score	Life	Property	Other
Very High	7.00	9.00	15.00
High	8.00	10.00	15.00
Medium	9.00	11.00	15.00
Low	10.00	12.00	15.00
Very Low	11.00	13.00	15.00

LSOA: Lower Super Output Area.

The Risk Based Planning Assumptions (RBPA) utilised by WYFRS place greatest emphasis on the likelihood of incidents occurring where there is a risk to people. Three different classifications of incidents are utilised, these being:

Life – Potential for incidents to involve rescues, injuries or fatalities including private dwellings, or other sleeping risks.

Property – Incidents occurring in properties other than those included within the Life risk.

Other – All other incidents not included within the descriptors for Life and Property risk including secondary fires, false alarms and non-fire related incidents where there is no risk to human life.

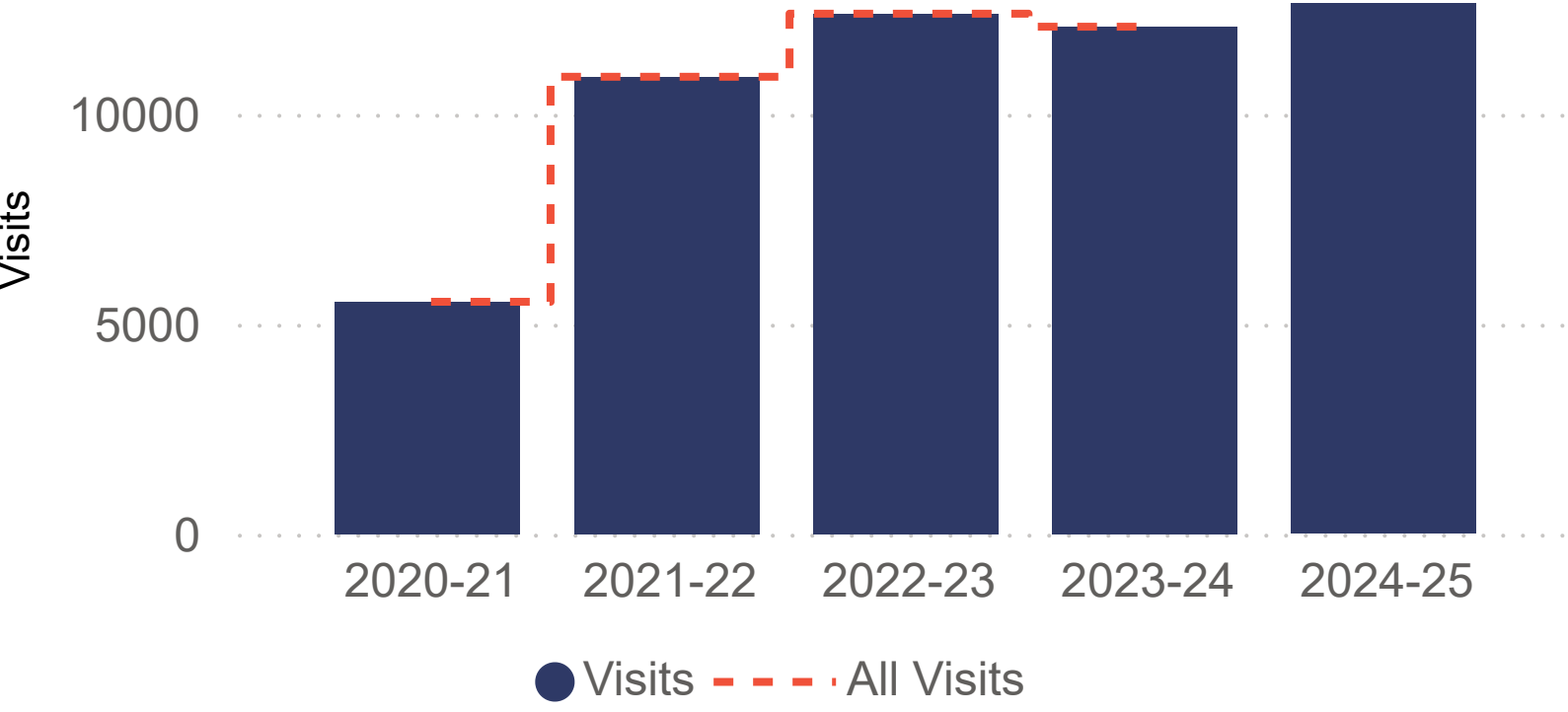
The RBPA’s are underpinned by a comprehensive risk assessment for WYFRS.

Safe and Wells and High Risk Interventions

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Completed Safe and Well and High Risk Intervention Visits by Financial Year

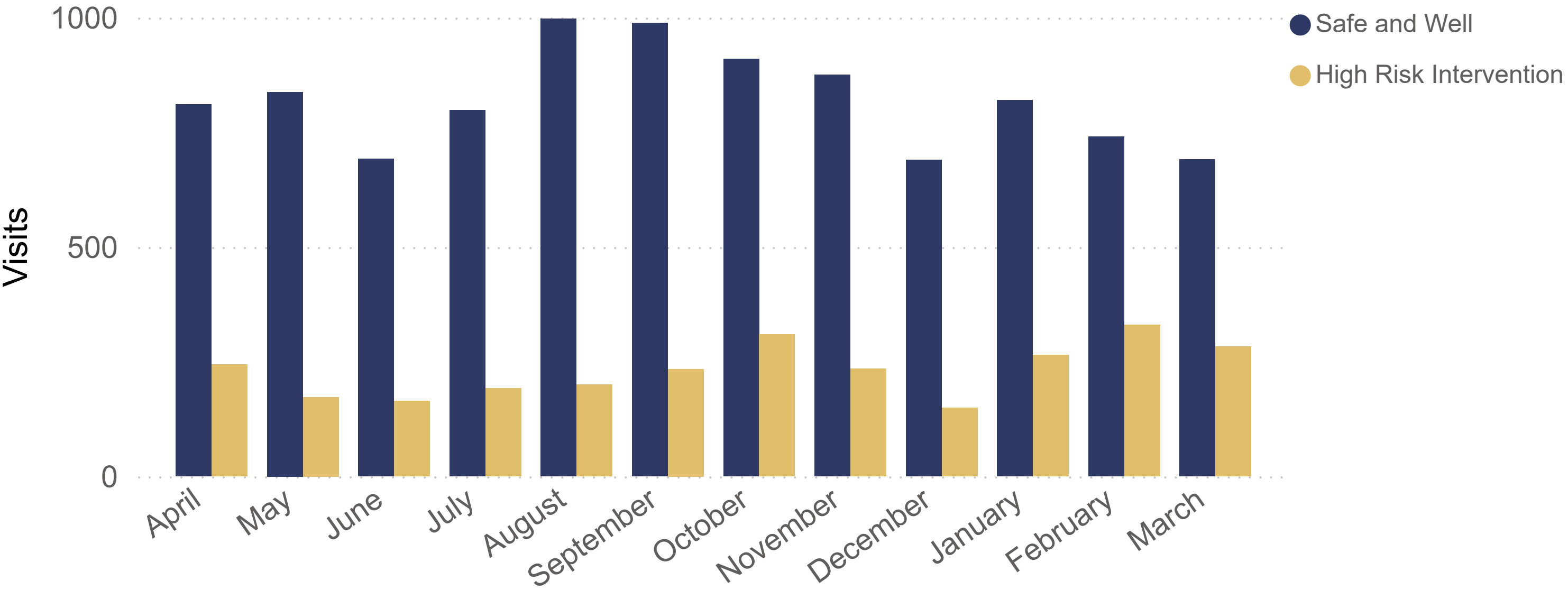


Completed Safe and Well Visits Previous Year To Date Comparison

District	% increase/decrease on previous year	
Bradford		2%
Calderdale		-4%
Kirklees		3%
Leeds		6%
Wakefield		20%

All Visits (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year.
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Completed Visits by Month



The Safe and Well programme is the flagship prevention activity within WYFRS. We target vulnerability through a simple risk rating process and then visit people in their homes to offer information, advice and safety equipment. The risk rating process is to ensure that we are providing our resources to those who need it most.

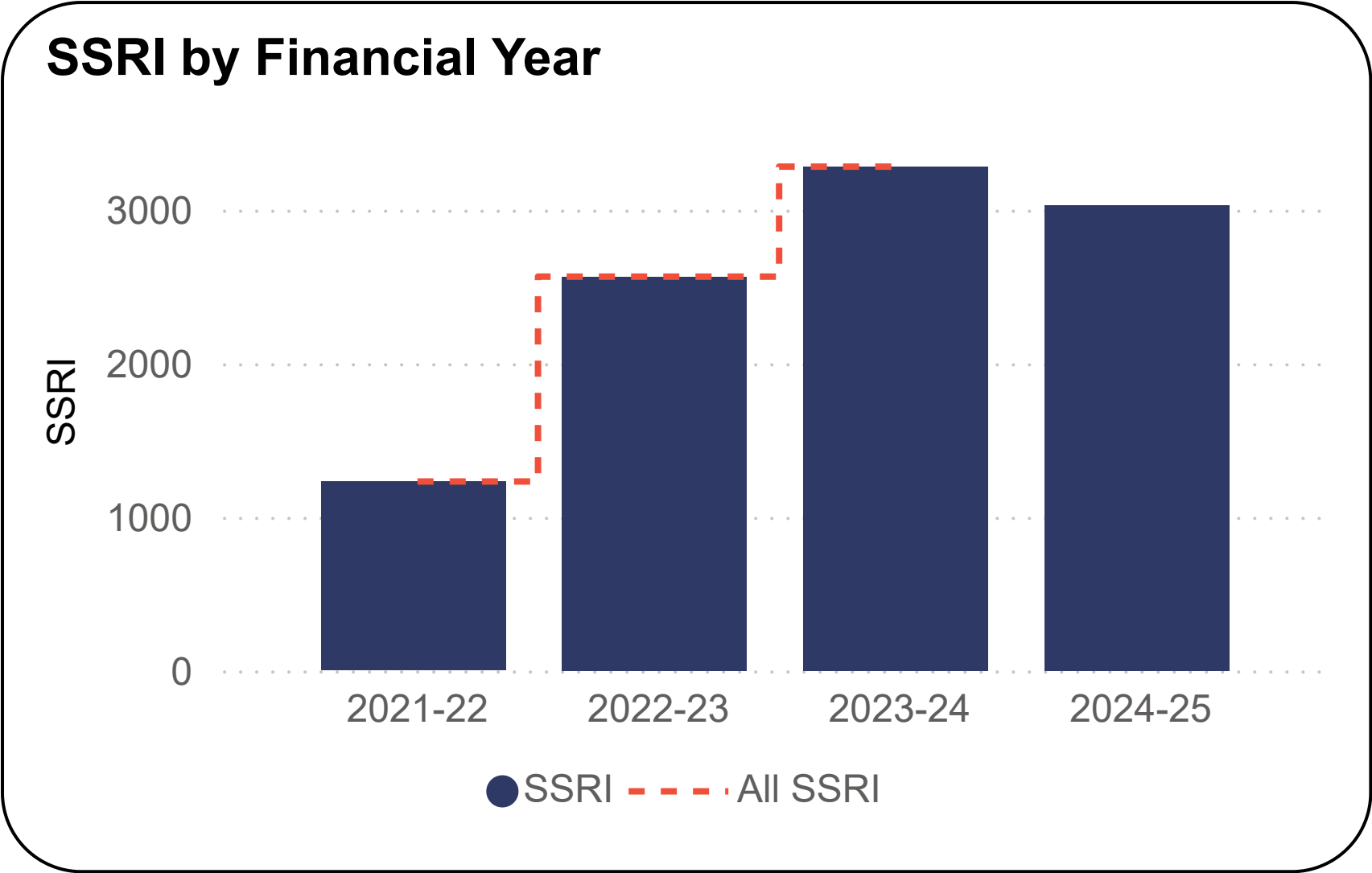
People can be referred to WYFRS from partner organisations, self-refer or we can identify the need for a Safe and Well Check during operational incidents.
It also covers a broader assessment of vulnerability against a number of other elements, including:

- Frailty and falls
- Social Isolation
- Winter Cold
- Crime
- Smoking

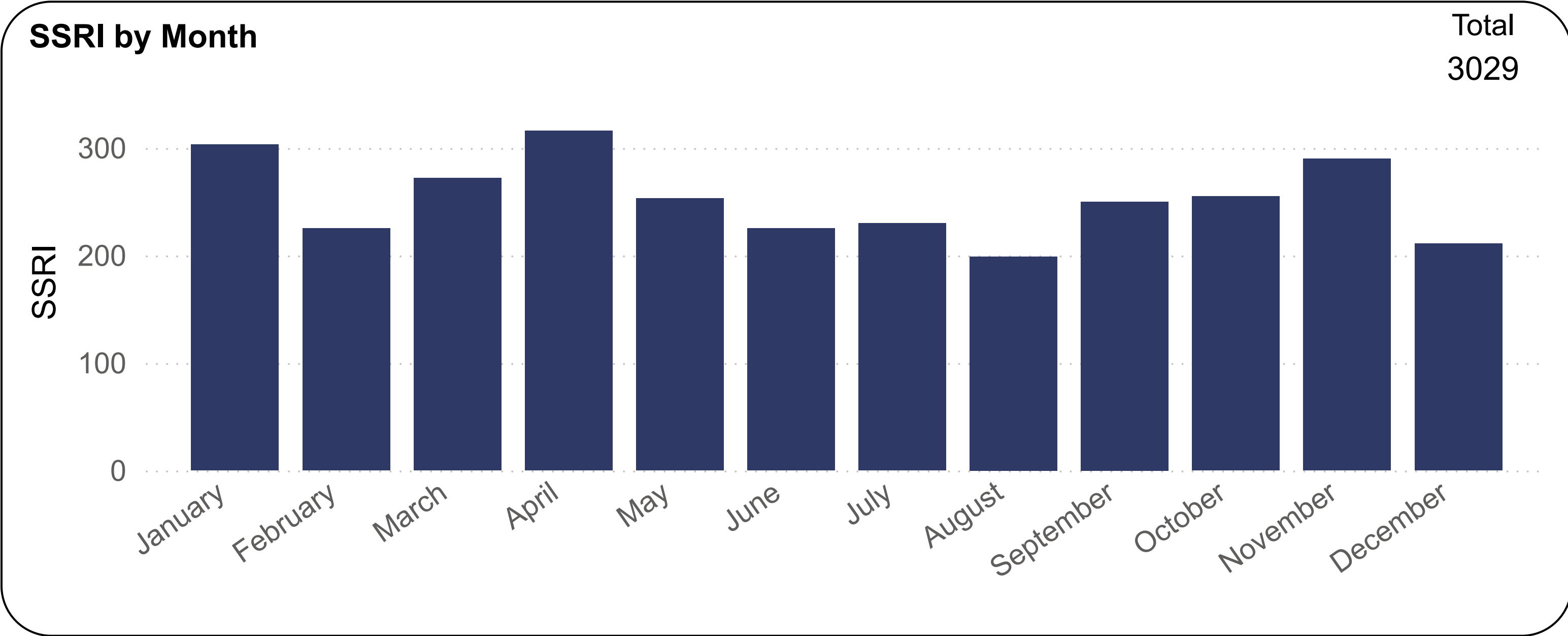
Site Specific Risk Inspections (SSRI)

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All SSRI (red dotted line) shows the total figure for the financial year.
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SSRIs are generated from operational liaison referrals, post fire visits and what crews identified as perceived risks within their station area.

SSRIs are allocated to each District which are then allocated to stations/watches.

The Operational Risk Management Team centrally audit 100 percent of all SSRIs. This ensures a standard approach to the recording and understanding of risk which in turn underpins the safety of operational crews when responding to premises considered higher risk.