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I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 231019.

You requested the following information, please see our response:

I am writing regarding an FOI data request for the South East Coast Ambulance Service about road traffic accidents and speeding.

QUESTION	1) How many road traffic accidents were your ambulance vehicles called to assist where speeding was a factor in the accident during the following time periods?	
TIMEFRAME	Between 1 September 2021 – 31 August 2022	Between 1 September 2022 – 31 August 2023
	<i>Insert number</i>	<i>Insert number</i>

2) Where speeding was a factor in the incident, how many road traffic accident patients in these time periods, were:	
Between 1 September 2021 – 31 August 2022	Between 1 September 2022 – 31 August 2023
a. Referred to a Major Trauma Centre: <i>Insert number</i>	a. Referred to a Major Trauma Centre: <i>Insert number</i>
b. Taken to ACE: <i>Insert number</i>	b. Taken to ACE: <i>Insert number</i>
c. Discharged at the scene: <i>Insert number</i>	c. Discharged at the scene: <i>Insert number</i>

d. Other: <i>Insert number</i>	d. Other: <i>Insert number</i>

3) Where speeding was a factor in the incident, what was the age breakdown of road traffic accident patients, during these time frames?	
Between 1 September 2021 – 31 August 2022	Between 1 September 2022 – 31 August 2023
a. Under 18: <i>Insert number</i>	a. Under 18: <i>Insert number</i>
b. 18 – 24 : <i>Insert number</i>	b. 18 – 24 : <i>Insert number</i>
c. 25 – 34 : <i>Insert number</i>	c. 25 – 34 : <i>Insert number</i>
d. 35 – 44 : <i>Insert number</i>	d. 35 – 44 : <i>Insert number</i>
e. 45 – 54 : <i>Insert number</i>	e. 45 – 54 : <i>Insert number</i>
f. 55 and above : <i>Insert number</i>	f. 55 and above : <i>Insert number</i>

4) Where speeding was a factor in the incident, what was the gender breakdown of road traffic accident patients, during these time frames?	
Between 1 September 2021 – 31 August 2022	Between 1 September 2022 – 31 August 2023
a. Male (including trans men): <i>Insert number</i>	a. Male (including trans men): <i>Insert number</i>
b. Female (including trans women): <i>Insert number</i>	b. Female (including trans women): <i>Insert number</i>
c. Non-binary: <i>Insert number</i>	c. Non-binary: <i>Insert number</i>

d. Other (not listed): <i>Insert number</i>	d. Other (not listed): <i>Insert number</i>
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To extract this information would mean going through each individual record and exceed 18 hours and would therefore fall under Section 12- FOI (Appropriate limit and fees) Regulations 2004.

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator
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