

FOI Request - Illegal Vapes and Nicotine - 101003865447

Section 1. Number of illegal products seized, in the below categories:

How many units of the following products were seized in total?

- (b) Any e-cigarettes/vaping devices/e-liquid products
(c) Single-use disposable vaping devices (post-1st June, 2025)
(d) Cigarette or hand-rolling tobacco packs
(e) Tobacco-free nicotine pouches

2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
42	0	0	0	0	0
0	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
436	48	49	0	200	0
0	0	0	0	0	0

Section 2 Information on enforcement:

- a) How many Trading Standards inspections of premises selling vaping devices, cigarettes and tobacco, or nicotine pouch products have taken place?
b) How many reports of tobacco-free nicotine pouches being sold to persons under the age of 18 have you received?

5	50	23	43	9	38
0	0	0	0	0	0

Section 3

- a) The number of identified cases of illegal products being in possession of, stocked, or sold by businesses or individuals

	Illegal Vaping Devices	Illegal single-use disposable vaping devices (post-1st June, 2025)	Illegal cigarette/hand-rolling tobacco products
2025	2	0	3
2024	0	n/a	2
2023	2	n/a	1
2022	2	n/a	2
2021	1	n/a	0
2020	0	n/a	1

- b) How many (count of) fines or penalties have been issued for being in possession of, stocking, or selling the illegal products?

	Illegal Vaping Devices	Illegal single-use disposable vaping devices (post-1st June, 2025)	Illegal cigarette/hand-rolling tobacco products
2025	0	0	0
2024	0	n/a	0
2023	0	n/a	0
2022	0	n/a	0
2021	0	n/a	0
2020	0	n/a	0

- c) What was the total value in £ pound sterling of fines issued by your local authority for illegal vapes?

	Illegal Vaping Devices	Illegal single-use disposable vaping devices (post-1st June, 2025)
2025	£0	£0
2024	£0	n/a
2023	£0	n/a
2022	£0	n/a
2021	£0	n/a
2020	£0	n/a