



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:27/05/2025

2025/565 - Procuring restraints, tasers, and incapacitant chemicals

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

- How much of your constabulary's budget was spent on procuring restraints, tasers, and incapacitant chemicals from January 2020 to December 2024.

o Could I possibly receive these figures broken down by type of equipment and by year, please.

Only Taser has its own specific account code, the figures are in financial years (April to March) rather than Calendar Years:

Year	Amount £
FY20-21	253,218.40
FY21-22	255,757.85
FY22-23	232,839.75
FY23-24	245,673.75
FY24-25	107,923.75

The above costs includes both Tasers/Cartridges.

In terms of restrainers/incapacitant chemicals these do not have a specific account code therefore we are unable to provide individual costs for them.

- How much of your constabulary's budget was spend on training to use each of these types of equipment from January 2020 to December 2024.

o Could I please receive this information broken down by training for each type of equipment, and by year.

The Force does not cost how much it spends on different type of training courses, therefore this data is unavailable.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 23/05/2025

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