| Police Scotland logo | Freedom of Information Response Our reference: FOI 24-2815  Responded to: 26 November 2024 |
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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

## The number of cars seized by Police Scotland in Tayside and Fife divisions, under Section 165 of the Road Traffic Act 1988, between January 1 and October 31 2024

## The make and model of cars seized in Tayside and Fife divisions

I have attached this data separately for your information.

## The estimated value of the seized cars sold at auction by Police Scotland in Tayside and Fife divisions

## The number of cars in Tayside and Fife division seized but not reclaimed by the owner

I have attached separately data which provides this information. With regards to providing information prior after 30 September 2024 I can advise you that Police Scotland does not hold the requested information. In terms of Section 17 of the Act, this letter represents a formal notice that information is not held.

To explain, as you will be aware an individual’s right in terms of the legislation is to obtain information held by a public authority at the time a request is received and there is no obligation on them to create new information specifically for this request. In this instance, data after 30 September 2024 has not been collated yet.

If you require any further assistance, please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by [email](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by [email](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.