West Midlands Police Freedom of Information

Under the FOI Act 2000, please provide me with the number of reports for each of these offences broken down by year (calendar) each of 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020 and 2019.

Q1 Section 6 - Possession of a corrosive substance in public place

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Total
Total	31	28	75	100	113	

Q2 Section 18 - Wounding or causing GBH with intent with the use of a corrosive substance

Q3 Section 20 – Unlawful wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm with the use of a corrosive substance

Q4 Section 29 – Sending, throwing or using explosive or corrosive

substance or noxious thing with intent to do grievous bodily harm (when it is corrosive substance)

Offence Title	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Total
ASSAULT OCCASION ABH	6	3	0	0	0	9
Assault with Injury - Administering poison with intent to injure or annoy	0	0	0	0	2	2
Assault with Injury - s.20 - Malicious wounding: wounding or inflicting grievous bodily harm	0	0	1	0	3	4
Assault with Injury - s.47 - Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	0	0	15	13	15	43
Assault with intent to rob (Of Personal Property)	0	0	0	0	1	1
Assault without Injury - Common assault and battery	0	0	6	6	18	30
CAUSE GBH WITH INTENT	4	5	1	0	0	10
COMMON ASSAULT	2	2	0	0	0	4
MALICIOUS WOUNDING	1	1	0	0	0	2
POLICE - INFLICTING GBH WITHOUT INTENT	0	1	0	0	0	1
Racially or religiously aggravated assault or assault occasioning actual bodily harm	0	0	0	2	0	2
Racially or religiously aggravated common assault or beating	0	0	0	5	0	5
s.18 - Assault with Intent to cause Serious Harm - Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	0	0	3	5	10	18
WILFULLY ASSAULT YOUNG PERSON UNDER 16	0	1	0	0	0	1
Endangering Life - Causing explosions, sending explosive substance or throwing corrosive fluids with intent to do grievous bodily harm	0	0	0	0	1	1
THROW CORROSIVE FLUID W/I	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	13	14	26	31	50	134

Please note, the above does note include offences involving Boiling Water/Hot Cooking Oil

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