

Data Breaches reported by Regulated Firms to the FCA during the years 2015, 2016 and 2017

For the purposes of this request we define 'data breach' as 'a confirmed incident in which the confidentiality of company data is breached, resulting in unauthorised disclosure or access.'

A breakdown of reported data breaches by year, month, and sector is set out below.

	2015	2016	2017
Total:	4	7	25

Month	Number of Incidents		
	2015	2016	2017
Jan			
Feb			1
March	1	1	4
April		1	3
May			
June	1		1
July			5
Aug	1		3
Sep	1	1	4
Oct		1	1
Nov		3	3
Dec			

Sector	2015	2016	2017
Retail banking and payments	1	1	1
Retail lending		1	4
General insurance and protection	3	1	7
Pensions and retirement income			
Retail investments		1	
Investment management		3	10
Wholesale financial markets			2
Infrastructure Trading			1