

Use of Force Totals
City of Chicago
January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2020

FORCE OPTION	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Firearm	64	45	43	34	57
TASER	474	383	207	202	149
Oleoresin Capsicum (OC Spray)	42	36	18	38	64
Impact Weapon/Baton	37	39	41	39	177
Physical Force and Control Tactics	4,455	4,321	3,823	3,864	3,078
TOTAL	5,072	4,824	4,132	4,177	3,525

Data are accurate as of April 10, 2021

Note¹: Multiple types of force can be used in a single incident.

Request: FOIA P650363 Patrick Forrest Muck Rock News- The total number of use of force incidents, separated by year and by type of force used from 2016-2020 (for example, "27 taser incidents in 2016, 3 baton incidents in 2017, etc.).

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