

Number of Vehicles Licenced

Summary of Department for Transport Official National Statistics 2019 to 2024

Totals as at 31 March of each year required to submit to DfT or as stated

Source: <https://www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/>

Year of Data Collection	Total Hackney Carriages	Total Private Hire Vehicles	Total Vehicles requiring testing	Comments
2009	365	65	430	
2013	373	72	445	
2017	341	86	427	
2019	380	130	510	
2020	356	126	482	
2021	311	113	424	Taxi Testing relaxed 1 February 2021
2023	306	124	430	
2024	301	152	453	
2026	316	185	501	As at 2 March 2026

Frequency of Testing

Prior to 1/2/2021 Vehicles over 5 years at time of application 3 tests; Vehicles under 5 years 2 tests

After 1/2/2021 Vehicles over 10 years at time of application 3 tests; Vehicles under 10 years 2 tests