

To validate the accuracy of the result, the previous and alternative data sets were compared for Q1 FY 2022/23. This showed a 1.3 percentage point difference for "All Code 1" incidents, with the result showing as 88.2 per cent using alternative data compared to 89.5 per cent using previous data. This is deemed an acceptable margin of difference.

Increase in response times - Response time incorporates time taken to depart, or 'turn out' from the station and the travel time to the incident. There has been a slight increase in response time in FY 2022/23, likely attributable to the electronic and automated Station Turnout System (STO) being disabled (as a result of the cyber-attack) from December 2022, increasing time taken to turn out from the station.