



Springfield Police Department 2023 Level 2



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- Use of Force Data updated following audit and finalization of 2023 data.



UOF – 3 (UOF Review and Investigation)

Definition of Level 2 Use of Force

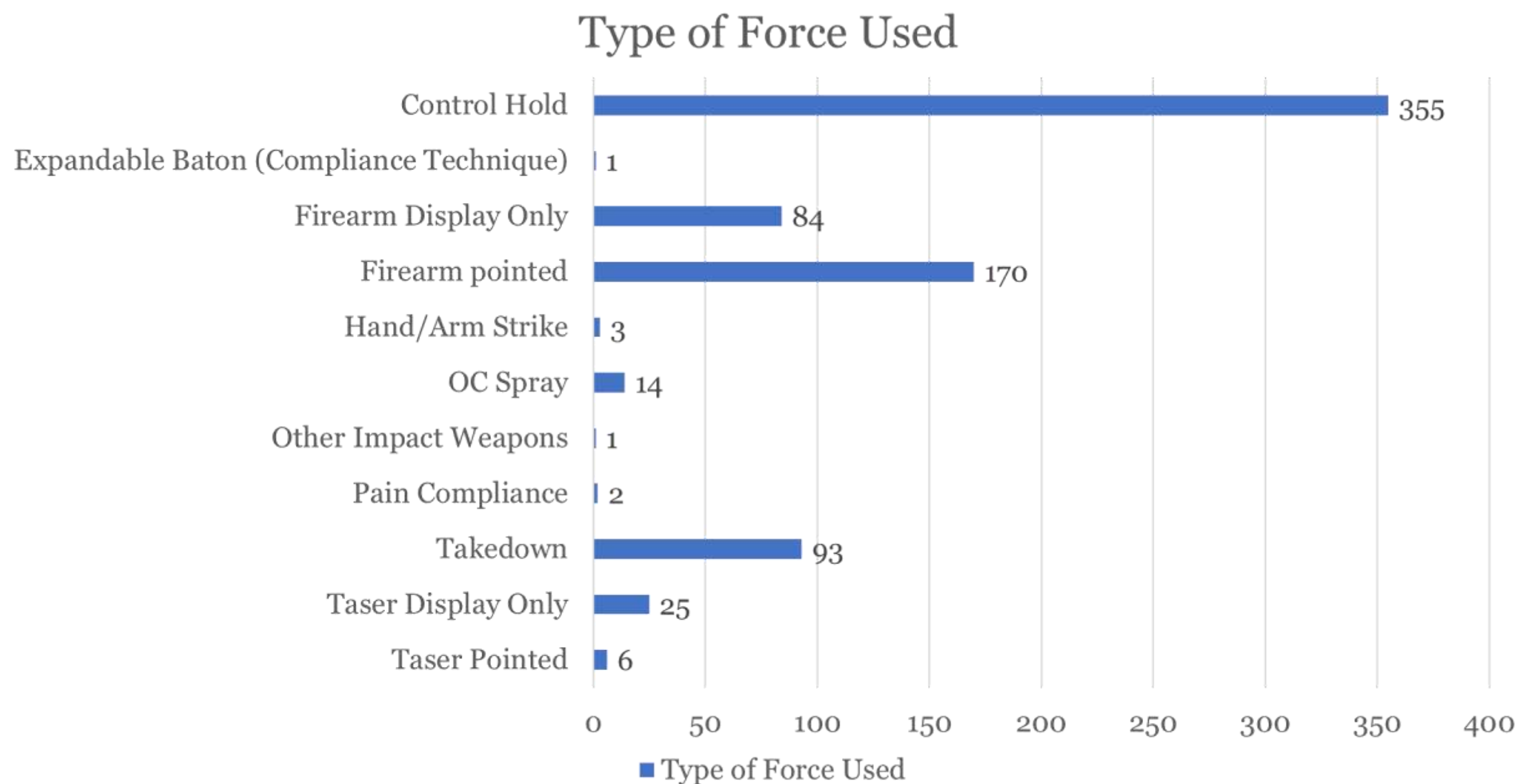
- Level Two (2) Force includes:
 - (1) uses of force such as wrist lock, arm bar, and single use of OC spray, where there is no reported or observed injury beyond the level of discomfort commonly associated with the use of OC spray, however in the event of a single use of OC spray, all available body worn camera footage will be tagged and investigated within 72 hours;
 - (2) pointing a firearm or Conducted Electrical Weapon (“CEW”) at an individual;
 - (3) “cycling” a CEW as a form of warning (“Displaying the Arc”);
 - (4) pressure point compliance techniques that do not result in injury; and
 - (5) forcible takedowns that do not result in actual injury or complaint of injury.

It does not include escorting, touching, or handcuffing a person with minimal or no resistance.
- *CEW = Conducted Electrical Weapon (i.e. TASER)
- *OC spray = Oleoresin Capsicum Spray (i.e. Pepper Spray)

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Note

- This Data represents all individual uses of force within Level 2 Use of force events for the calendar year 2023.