



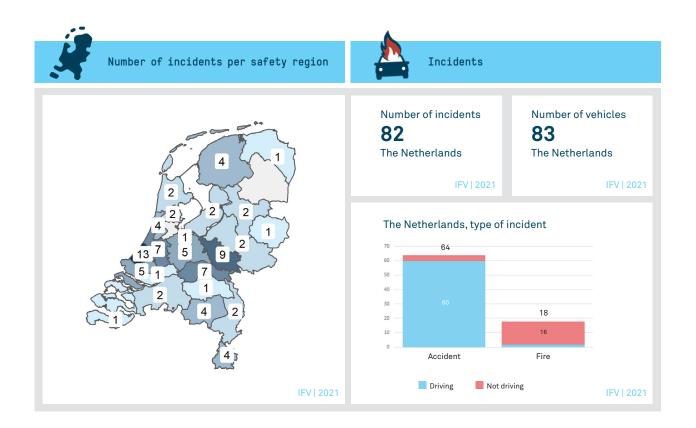
## Incidents with alternative fuel vehicles

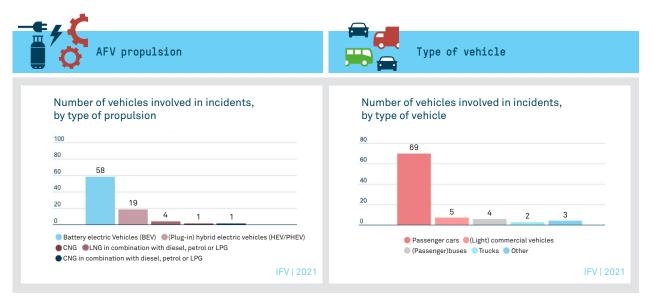
from January 1 to June 30, 2021

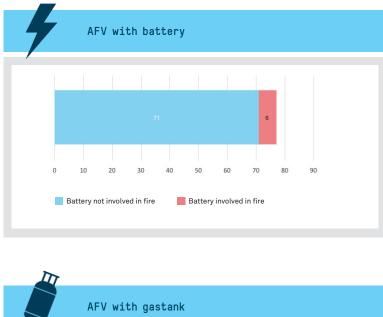


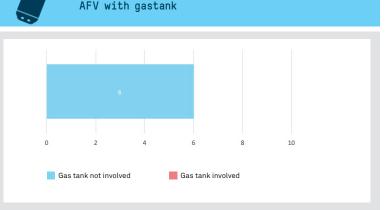
This factsheet provides a picture of the number and type of incidents involving alternative fuel vehicles (AFV), the type of propulsion and the type of AFV.

The figures are related to incidents in the Netherlands where the fire brigade was deployed.











## Attention to AFV with battery packs

- > If there is a **fire** with an electric vehicle, the battery pack of the vehicle is not always involved in the fire. The battery of a an electric vehicle involved in a fire therefore not always has to be submerged into water as a precaution.
- > At **accidents** the chance of being electrocuted is very low. Only in case of very serious damage to the battery pack this risk there is a chance of electrocution if you touch the car with both bare hands. Therefore, always use the personal protection equipment in accordance with the procedures. At none of the accidents (January to June 2021) was the battery pack so severely damaged that there was a risk of electrocution.

## More information

For the dashboard Incidents with alternative fuel vehicles see: kerncijfers.ifv.nl

This factsheet is based upon the semi-annual report *Incidenten met alternatief aangedreven voertuigen* 1 januari t/m 30 juni 2021 (IFV, 2021). The publication can be downloaded at www.ifv.nl