

**Total numbers of deception cases and
the numbers of online deception cases in the past three years**

	2020	2021	2022
Deception cases	15 553	19 249	27 923
Online deception cases ^(Note) (percentage share of overall deception cases)	10 716 (68.9%)	13 859 (72%)	19 599 (70.1%)
<i>Online shopping scam</i>	6 678	6 120	8 735
<i>Online employment scam</i>	236	1 063	2 884
<i>Online investment scam</i>	544	980	1 884
<i>Compensated dating scam</i>	858	1 743	1 962
<i>Online romance scam</i>	905	1 659	1 533
<i>Email scam</i>	767	549	391
<i>E-banking scam</i>	0	87	7

Note: The Police have separately started to maintain breakdown of phishing scam cases since January 2023.