

2012 Colorado Fire Incident Reporting Program

Administer a uniform, statewide reporting system for fires, hazardous materials incidents, EMS incidents and other incidents to which fire departments respond.

NATURE OF INCIDENT	2012 REPORTED INCIDENTS	PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL
Structure Fires	2,114	.95%
Vehicle Fires	811	0.37%
Other Fires	4,134	1.86%
TOTAL FIRES	7,059	3.18%
Overpressure Ruptures, Explosions	226	.10%
Emergency Medical/Rescue Calls	149,792	67%
Hazardous Condition Calls	6,940	3.12%
Service Calls	16,122	7.2%
Good Intent Calls	23,563	10.61%
Severe Weather/Natural Disaster	214	0.10%
Special/Unknown Incidents	578	.26%
False Alarms (Includes malicious)	17,684	7.96%
TOTAL INCIDENTS	222,178	100.00%
Civilian Fire-Related Deaths	16	
Civilian Fire-Related Injuries	130	
Firefighter Line-of-Duty Deaths	0	
Firefighter Line-of-Duty Injuries	227	
Estimated Total Property Loss	\$ 86.4 Million	

The above figures were compiled by the Colorado Division of Fire Prevention & Control from local fire departments that submit their incidents(s) into the Colorado Fire Incident Reporting System (CFIRS). As of December 31, 2012, **209** fire departments have contributed all or partial data from January – December 2012, which protects about **63%** of Colorado's resident population. For all reporting elements, statistical methods were employed to project estimated actual rates from reported rate.