



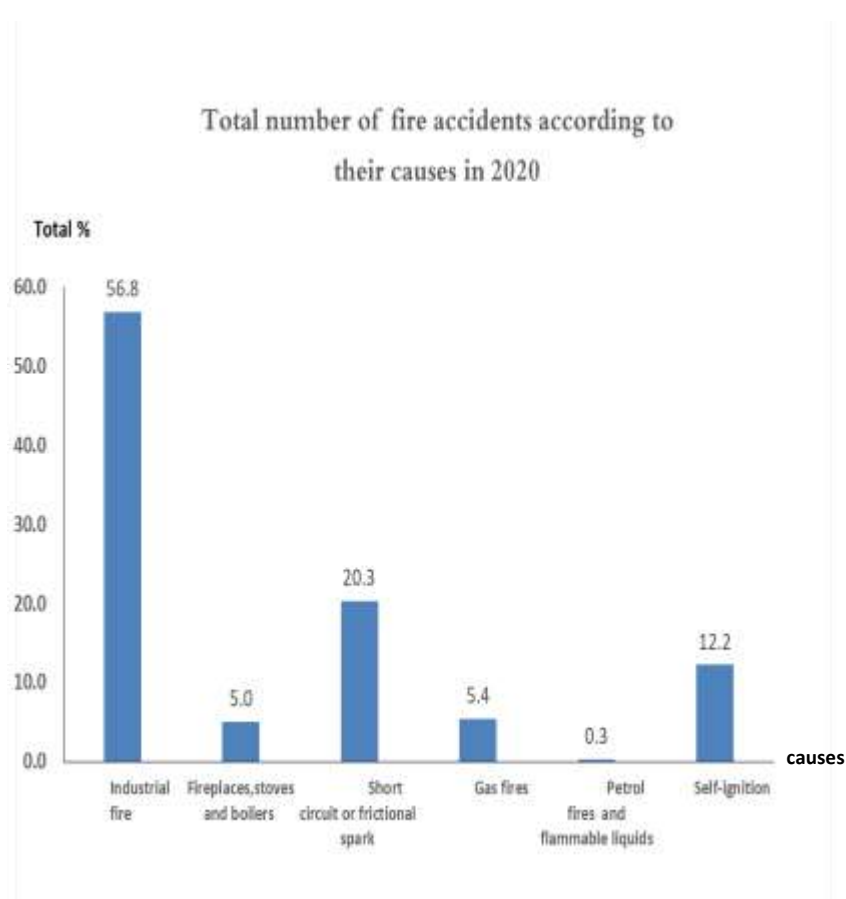
Press Release

Central Agency for Public Mobilization And Statistics

27% decrease in civilian injured in fire accidents in 2020

Central Agency for Public Mobilization and Statistics (CAPMAS) issued On 14 / 4 / 2021 press release of fire accidents in Egypt 2020. The most important indicators are as follows:

- Number of fire accidents at the republic level reached 51963 accidents in 2020, while there were 50662 accidents in 2019, an increase by 2.6%.
- According to criminal case, negligence comes in the first place for fire accidents with 26182 accidents at a rate of 50.4%, followed by a casual fire with 24857 accidents at a rate of 47.8%, then intentional fire with 924 accidents at a rate of 1.8% during 2020.
- The main causes of fire are industrial fire (cigarette butts - sulfur sticks - burning material - dates etc ...) by 56.8 %, electric circuit or frictional sparks by 20.3%, self-ignition by 12.2%, fireplaces, ovens and boilers by 5 %, Gas fires by 5.4%, and in the last place are petroleum fires and flammable liquids by 0.3% of total causes of fire).
- Land space (garbage and waste) came at first places of fire occurring with a percentage of 48.8%, followed by residential buildings with a rate of 28.6%, and in the last place, police and tourist establishments recorded 0.1%.
- Cairo Governorate comes first with fire accidents with 6887 accidents with a rate of 13.3%, followed by Giza Governorate with 3836 accidents with a rate of 7.4%, and



in the last rank North Sinai Governorate with 75 accidents with 0.2% of the total fire accidents.

- May recorded the first place for fire accidents with 11.3%, followed by June at 9.7% and finally December with 6.3%, which is the lowest at the level of months.
- Number of fire accidents victims reached 199 deaths in 2020 compared to 252 deaths in 2019, a decrease by 21% from 2019, the number of injured reached 878 injured in 2020 compared to 1203 injured in 2019, a decrease by 27% from 2019.