Texas Wildfires and Acres (2011)

In 2011, there were 30,896 wildfires that burned 3,943,770 acres in Texas. The data displays fires that Texas A&M Forest Service and local fire departments responded to by month per agency and by county.

Fire department numbers may not accurately reflect response during this time, as departments are not required to report their information to Texas A&M Forest Service.

Source: Texas A&M Forest Service

2011 Wildfires and Acres Per Month by Response Agency:

Month	Agency	Wildfires	Acres	Total Wildfires/Acres Per Month	
January	Texas A&M Forest Service	78	9,950	2,597 wildfires; 51,535 acres	
	Fire Departments	2,519	41,585		
February	Texas A&M Forest Service	159	250,170	2,914 wildfires; 462,952 acres	
	Fire Departments	2,755	212,781		
N.Ala	Texas A&M Forest Service	306	44,228	2,932 wildfires; 120,976 acres	
March	Fire Departments	2,626	76,748		
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April	Fire Departments	2,887	208,113	3,272 wildfires; 1,746,298 acres	
May	Texas A&M Forest Service	184	361,770	2,020 wildfires; 517,856 acres	
May	Fire Departments	1,836	156,086		
June	Texas A&M Forest Service	437	329,132	3,361 wildfires; 426,428 acres	
	Fire Departments	2,924	97,296		
July	Texas A&M Forest Service	371	63,301	3,125 wildfires; 121,400 acres	
	Fire Departments	2,754	58,100		
August	Texas A&M Forest Service	656	109,476	4,031 wildfires; 176,484 acres	
	Fire Departments	3,375	67,007		
September	Texas A&M Forest Service	506	210,997	4,057 wildfires; 299,900 acres	
	Fire Departments	3,551	88,903		
October	Texas A&M Forest Service	170	3,346	1,333 wildfires; 13,858 acres	
	Fire Departments	1,163	10,512		
November	Texas A&M Forest Service	45	737	711 wildfires; 4,433 acres	
	Fire Departments	666	3,696		
December	Texas A&M Forest Service	15	101	543 wildfires; 1,651 acres	
	Fire Departments	528	1,550		

2011 Wildfires and Acres Per County:

Acres Per Co	•
Wildfires	Acres
191	10,145
305	201,023
215	1,096
99	264
225	24,879
38	9,187
217	1,903
55	327
52	13,575
9	125
412	38,351
27	8,464
152	3,869
296	3,513
331	3,394
46	992
10	2,190
198	7,788
315	2,954
91	795
49	629
36	235,703
9	15,077
52	45,308
195	8,661
254	954
225	3,519
153	7,271
-	-
175	3,219
-	-
114	344
58	14,763
307	43,582
9	3,265
7	106
474	3,272
4	1,980
293	27,410
3	14,546
57	181,398
115	3,863
382	1,219
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County	Wildfires	Acres
Collingsworth	37	1,520
Colorado	20	3,416
Comal	222	303
Comanche	139	1,389
Concho	34	2,492
Cooke	316	6,097
Coryell	295	21,843
Cottle	56	38,742
Crane	5	17,266
Crockett	139	66,000
Crosby	44	2,812
Culberson	67	9,311
Dallam	53	53,331
Dallas	45	113
Dawson	4	30,950
Deaf Smith	62	12,277
Delta	26	371
Denton	147	767
DeWitt	94	612
Dickens	98	93,487
Dimmit	2	170
Donley	83	5,502
Duval	49	6,806
Eastland	135	11,087
Ector	123	4,022
Edwards	30	4,022
El Paso	7	2
Ellis	135	2,765
Erath	371	6,769
Falls	113	684
Fannin	144	1,463
Fayette	56	3,153
Fisher	97	20,916
Floyd	39	3,366
Foard	14	1,450
Fort Bend	85	7,524
Franklin	21	1,105
Freestone	216	1,792
Frio	195	2,650
Gaines	137	40,788
Galveston	14	47
Garza	12	51,155
Gillespie	181	13,546

County	Wildfires	Acres
Glasscock	4	3,734
Goliad	52	2,302
Gonzales	21	747
Gray	8	1,186
Grayson	448	15,111
Gregg	305	6,835
Grimes	174	6,335
Guadalupe	149	703
Hale	4	362
Hall	75	8,995
Hamilton	52	882
Hansford	69	29,084
Hardeman	37	14,753
Hardin	204	13,164
Harris	109	2,478
Harrison	536	5,827
Hartley	72	11,001
Haskell	56	13,623
Hays	43	193
Hemphill	119	25,303
Henderson	228	2,455
Hidalgo	338	11,900
Hill	370	6,660
Hockley	23	11,310
Hood	118	1,749
Hopkins	74	367
Houston	188	6,351
Howard	178	25,722
Hudspeth	8	18
Hunt	419	2,770
Hutchinson	164	12,400
Irion	6	11,114
Jack	91	34,844
Jackson	33	4,330
Jasper	362	12,981
Jeff Davis	43	335,290
Jefferson	86	1,311
Jim Hogg	1	1,300
Jim Wells	311	35,096
Johnson	91	3,136
Jones	103	4,722
Karnes	48	255
Kaufman	264	2,656

County	Wildfires	Acres
Kendall	94	654
Kenedy	33	13,813
Kent	8	167,825
Kerr	68	1,813
Kimble	81	11,164
King	-	-
Kinney	-	-
Kleberg	4	380
Knox	13	1,900
La Salle	134	4,166
Lamar	202	2,544
Lamb	69	33,676
Lampasas	122	3,137
Lavaca	87	744
Lee	128	2,697
Leon	64	9,238
Liberty	93	1,965
Limestone	257	6,668
Lipscomb	58	64,941
Live Oak	128	1,638
Llano	34	296
Loving	9	11,991
Lubbock	357	14,593
Lynn	42	3,384
Madison	120	1,657
Marion	219	7,981
Martin	12	3,963
Mason	60	7,253
Matagorda	29	289
Maverick	1	500
McCulloch	19	809
McLennan	181	1,475
McMullen	-	-
Medina	102	3,008
Menard	15	1,252
Midland	119	30,698
Milam	82	1,173
Mills	39	6,038
Mitchell	4	16,785
Montague	223	15,913
Montgomery	148	21,090
Moore	77	86,944
Morris	68	461

County	Wildfires	Acres
County		
Motley	42	45,473
Nacogdoches	158	7,629
Navarro	413	9,320
Newton	163	2,506
Nolan	136	82,977
Nueces	84	1,804
Ochiltree	4	855
Oldham	22	3,799
Orange	32	547
Palo Pinto	276	144,428
Panola	136	805
Parker	302	4,536
Parmer	9	567
Pecos	28	90,645
Polk	163	692
Potter	165	28,506
Presidio	73	23,778
Rains	4	251
Randall	188	27,796
Reagan	7	8,675
Real	16	162
Red River	196	3,604
Reeves	3	111
Refugio	22	249
Roberts	2	1,100
Robertson	44	614
Rockwall	83	298
Runnels	50	2,256
Rusk	469	7,587
Sabine	88	793
San Augustine	41	541
San Jacinto	175	1,156
San Patricio	54	259
San Saba	83	3,133
Schleicher	45	9,125
Scurry	184	29,339
Shackelford	41	8,164
Shelby	45	416
Sherman	-	-
Smith	682	4,464
Somervell	2	562
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County	Wildfires	Acres
Starr	325	4,748
Stephens	53	8,296
Sterling	38	8,734
Stonewall	53	143,369
Sutton	5	7,494
Swisher	109	9,302
Tarrant	155	722
Taylor	280	6,121
Terrell	6	4,814
Terry	101	42,204
Throckmorton	51	20,707
Titus	301	768
Tom Green	218	26,020
Travis	76	9,835
Trinity	61	23,047
Tyler	277	2,642
Upshur	463	5,291
Upton	30	2,395
Uvalde	56	1,684
Val Verde	35	182,118
Van Zandt	352	3,377
Victoria	101	2,106
Walker	106	7,637
Waller	16	36
Ward	71	3,013
Washington	143	695
Webb	31	1,387
Wharton	1	200
Wheeler	151	15,334
Wichita	460	29,559
Wilbarger	106	7,144
Willacy	136	6,165
Williamson	431	1,141
Wilson	109	839
Winkler	102	7,655
Wise	266	5,960
Wood	475	1,757
Yoakum	3	2,955
Young	238	10,479
Zapata	25	2,655
Zavala	46	1,174