

Texas Wildfires and Acres (2005)

In 2005, there were 9,378 wildfires that burned 274,197 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

2005 Wildfires and Acres Per Month by Response Agency:

| Month | Agency | Wildfires | Acres | Total Wildfires/Acres Per Month |
|-----------|--------------------------|-----------|--------|---------------------------------|
| January | Texas A&M Forest Service | 71 | 1,409 | 367 wildfires; 5,302 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 296 | 3,893 | |
| February | Texas A&M Forest Service | 42 | 874 | 246 wildfires; 2,715 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 204 | 1,841 | |
| March | Texas A&M Forest Service | 105 | 2,800 | 346 wildfires; 4,098 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 241 | 1,298 | |
| April | Texas A&M Forest Service | 80 | 1,700 | 338 wildfires; 3,169 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 258 | 1,469 | |
| May | Texas A&M Forest Service | 78 | 6,885 | 329 wildfires; 10,498 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 251 | 3,613 | |
| June | Texas A&M Forest Service | 159 | 6,803 | 603 wildfires; 12,916 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 444 | 6,113 | |
| July | Texas A&M Forest Service | 141 | 36,701 | 916 wildfires; 46,623 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 775 | 9,922 | |
| August | Texas A&M Forest Service | 201 | 7,708 | 631 wildfires; 15,101 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 430 | 7,393 | |
| September | Texas A&M Forest Service | 305 | 4,741 | 881 wildfires; 11,820 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 576 | 7,079 | |
| October | Texas A&M Forest Service | 306 | 5,473 | 918 wildfires; 14,010 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 612 | 8,537 | |
| November | Texas A&M Forest Service | 231 | 17,550 | 854 wildfires; 32,991 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 623 | 15,441 | |
| December | Texas A&M Forest Service | 375 | 41,161 | 2,949 wildfires; 114,953 acres |
| | Fire Departments | 2,574 | 73,792 | |

2005 Wildfires and Acres Per County:

| County | Wildfires | Acres |
|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Anderson | 144 | 2,118 |
| Andrews | 25 | 226 |
| Angelina | 75 | 650 |
| Aransas | - | - |
| Archer | 17 | 1,485 |
| Armstrong | 2 | 25 |
| Atascosa | 48 | 154 |
| Austin | - | - |
| Bailey | - | - |
| Bandera | 7 | 10 |
| Bastrop | 71 | 313 |
| Baylor | - | - |
| Bee | 6 | 3 |
| Bell | 47 | 1,652 |
| Bexar | 59 | 226 |
| Blanco | 16 | 571 |
| Borden | - | - |
| Bosque | 75 | 4,787 |
| Bowie | 198 | 1,488 |
| Brazoria | - | - |
| Brazos | 19 | 494 |
| Brewster | 1 | 17 |
| Briscoe | - | - |
| Brooks | - | - |
| Brown | 60 | 3,603 |
| Burleson | 44 | 525 |
| Burnet | 101 | 713 |
| Caldwell | 10 | 140 |
| Calhoun | - | - |
| Callahan | 34 | 10,318 |
| Cameron | 32 | 93 |
| Camp | 66 | 516 |
| Carson | 5 | 105 |
| Cass | 250 | 1,361 |
| Castro | - | - |
| Chambers | 4 | 2 |
| Cherokee | 107 | 1,100 |
| Childress | 4 | 533 |
| Clay | 39 | 524 |
| Cochran | 3 | 3,021 |
| Coke | 1 | 45 |
| Coleman | 30 | 3,850 |
| Collin | 168 | 3,661 |

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|---------------|-----------|--------|
| Collingsworth | 2 | 30 |
| Colorado | - | - |
| Comal | 51 | 2,344 |
| Comanche | 11 | 852 |
| Concho | 14 | 1,690 |
| Cooke | 97 | 13,499 |
| Coryell | 32 | 158 |
| Cottle | 9 | 53 |
| Crane | - | - |
| Crockett | - | - |
| Crosby | 2 | 2 |
| Culberson | - | - |
| Dallam | - | - |
| Dallas | 2 | 23 |
| Dawson | 4 | 305 |
| Deaf Smith | 2 | 150 |
| Delta | 15 | 63 |
| Denton | 59 | 1,131 |
| DeWitt | 7 | 31 |
| Dickens | - | - |
| Dimmit | 7 | 856 |
| Donley | 1 | 0 |
| Duval | 2 | 16 |
| Eastland | 18 | 4,250 |
| Ector | - | - |
| Edwards | 3 | 1,004 |
| El Paso | - | - |
| Ellis | 20 | 335 |
| Erath | 51 | 2,694 |
| Falls | 32 | 366 |
| Fannin | 103 | 3,361 |
| Fayette | 21 | 463 |
| Fisher | 52 | 1,198 |
| Floyd | - | - |
| Foard | - | - |
| Fort Bend | 3 | 7 |
| Franklin | 97 | 545 |
| Freestone | 181 | 2,578 |
| Frio | 136 | 1,191 |
| Gaines | 14 | 441 |
| Galveston | 5 | 231 |
| Garza | 80 | 2,184 |
| Gillespie | 97 | 545 |

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|------------|-----------|--------|
| Glasscock | - | - |
| Goliad | - | - |
| Gonzales | 3 | 293 |
| Gray | 16 | 2,599 |
| Grayson | 36 | 899 |
| Gregg | 52 | 389 |
| Grimes | 258 | 2,728 |
| Guadalupe | 28 | 3,755 |
| Hale | 1 | 0 |
| Hall | - | - |
| Hamilton | 21 | 2,956 |
| Hansford | - | - |
| Hardeman | 3 | 96 |
| Hardin | 71 | 1,895 |
| Harris | 37 | 46 |
| Harrison | 134 | 1,138 |
| Hartley | - | - |
| Haskell | 58 | 830 |
| Hays | 168 | 472 |
| Hemphill | 1 | 1 |
| Henderson | 86 | 765 |
| Hidalgo | 116 | 160 |
| Hill | 4 | 785 |
| Hockley | - | - |
| Hood | 102 | 866 |
| Hopkins | 17 | 559 |
| Houston | 36 | 1,261 |
| Howard | 12 | 635 |
| Hudspeth | - | - |
| Hunt | 122 | 1,745 |
| Hutchinson | 1 | 500 |
| Irion | - | - |
| Jack | 66 | 4,088 |
| Jackson | - | - |
| Jasper | 177 | 2,209 |
| Jeff Davis | 24 | 14,739 |
| Jefferson | 3 | 170 |
| Jim Hogg | - | - |
| Jim Wells | - | - |
| Johnson | 24 | 1,038 |
| Jones | 13 | 250 |
| Karnes | 13 | 73 |
| Kaufman | 247 | 2,227 |

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|------------|-----------|-------|
| Kendall | 3 | 36 |
| Kenedy | - | - |
| Kent | - | - |
| Kerr | 5 | 2 |
| Kimble | 12 | 543 |
| King | - | - |
| Kinney | 3 | 135 |
| Kleberg | - | - |
| Knox | - | - |
| La Salle | 3 | 9 |
| Lamar | 100 | 4,593 |
| Lamb | - | - |
| Lampasas | 3 | 410 |
| Lavaca | 26 | 65 |
| Lee | 87 | 676 |
| Leon | 49 | 473 |
| Liberty | 56 | 678 |
| Limestone | 85 | 2,535 |
| Lipscomb | 1 | 12 |
| Live Oak | 4 | 10 |
| Llano | 23 | 5,015 |
| Loving | - | - |
| Lubbock | - | - |
| Lynn | 4 | 3 |
| Madison | 3 | 35 |
| Marion | 84 | 602 |
| Martin | 1 | 100 |
| Mason | 4 | 1,600 |
| Matagorda | - | - |
| Maverick | 1 | 0 |
| McCulloch | 32 | 1,163 |
| McLennan | 113 | 2,842 |
| McMullen | - | - |
| Medina | 34 | 274 |
| Menard | - | - |
| Midland | 22 | 87 |
| Milam | 17 | 775 |
| Mills | 4 | 28 |
| Mitchell | 6 | 9 |
| Montague | 50 | 4,517 |
| Montgomery | 101 | 713 |
| Moore | 1 | 300 |
| Morris | 46 | 495 |

| County | Wildfires | Acres |
|---------------|-----------|--------|
| Motley | - | - |
| Nacogdoches | 45 | 661 |
| Navarro | 227 | 3,286 |
| Newton | 108 | 1,223 |
| Nolan | 18 | 5,134 |
| Nueces | 4 | 13 |
| Ochiltree | - | - |
| Oldham | - | - |
| Orange | 23 | 229 |
| Palo Pinto | 43 | 7,583 |
| Panola | 88 | 657 |
| Parker | 188 | 13,054 |
| Parmer | - | - |
| Pecos | 7 | 3,051 |
| Polk | 58 | 377 |
| Potter | 5 | 104 |
| Presidio | 1 | 15,130 |
| Rains | 3 | 601 |
| Randall | 53 | 2,502 |
| Reagan | - | - |
| Real | 23 | 331 |
| Red River | 148 | 4,460 |
| Reeves | - | - |
| Refugio | - | - |
| Roberts | 4 | 95 |
| Robertson | 26 | 1,167 |
| Rockwall | 24 | 270 |
| Runnels | 1 | - |
| Rusk | 175 | 1,284 |
| Sabine | 29 | 124 |
| San Augustine | 15 | 85 |
| San Jacinto | 53 | 439 |
| San Patricio | 14 | 52 |
| San Saba | 27 | 482 |
| Schleicher | - | - |
| Scurry | 3 | 1 |
| Shackelford | 40 | 2,265 |
| Shelby | 92 | 563 |
| Sherman | 1 | 150 |
| Smith | 177 | 1,375 |
| Somervell | 5 | 1,441 |

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|--------------|-----------|-------|
| Starr | 102 | 3,734 |
| Stephens | 5 | 17 |
| Sterling | 2 | 55 |
| Stonewall | 3 | 1 |
| Sutton | - | - |
| Swisher | 19 | 125 |
| Tarrant | 111 | 1,996 |
| Taylor | 132 | 2,226 |
| Terrell | - | - |
| Terry | 2 | 120 |
| Throckmorton | 3 | 802 |
| Titus | 63 | 1,220 |
| Tom Green | 87 | 1,337 |
| Travis | 147 | 837 |
| Trinity | 9 | 174 |
| Tyler | 93 | 1,501 |
| Upshur | 198 | 1,076 |
| Upton | - | - |
| Uvalde | 23 | 147 |
| Val Verde | 10 | 688 |
| Van Zandt | 35 | 473 |
| Victoria | 14 | 1,025 |
| Walker | 82 | 715 |
| Waller | 2 | 343 |
| Ward | 1 | 25 |
| Washington | - | - |
| Webb | - | - |
| Wharton | - | - |
| Wheeler | 4 | 362 |
| Wichita | 32 | 4,782 |
| Wilbarger | 1 | 5,120 |
| Willacy | 17 | 86 |
| Williamson | 59 | 386 |
| Wilson | 65 | 1,489 |
| Winkler | - | - |
| Wise | 118 | 7,704 |
| Wood | 306 | 1,383 |
| Yoakum | 1 | 1 |
| Young | 57 | 227 |
| Zapata | 16 | 189 |
| Zavala | 18 | 117 |