

Table 1. Number of forest fires fought by P.E.I. Forest Service staff from 1958 to 2012
Based on information from Annual Reports from 1958 to 1977 (incomplete in some years),
Central District records in 1978 to 1980 (some records missing), and province wide numbers 1981 to 2012.

YEAR	NUMBER	AREA BURNED	Presuppression Budget	Supp Budget	Total Budget	ref:firestat.qpw
1958	3	NA				
1959	3	NA				
1960	25	6880				
1961	18	NA				
1962	NA	NA				
1963	27	NA				
1964	47	100				
1965	65	162				
1966	62	NA				
1967	25	NA				
1968	61	142				
1969	28	112				
1970	54	788				
1971	12	200				
1972	38	174				
1973	A FEW	NA				
1974	52	NA				
1975	50	115				
1976	30	115				
1977	NA	1214				
1978	80	405				
1979	18	23				
1980	16	67				
1981	40	146				
1982	53	130.8				
1983	55	321.3				
1984	38	201.8				
1985	52	181.6				
1986	95	512				
1987	52	113				
1988	21	16.8				
1989	30	129.3				
1990	38	101.74				
1991	48	119.24				
1992	27	43.46				
1993	29	86.6				
1994	43	21.21				
1995	29	35.73				
1996	25	195.8				
1997	34	106.4				
1998	27	75.69				
1999	34	76.14				
2000	26	28.4	65000	40300	105300	
2001	45	29.5	100000	42000	142000	
2002	29	132.3	140000	97000	237000	
2003	14	11.61	153800	30000	183800	
2004	20	15.4	153000	30000	183000	
2005	13	49.71	153000	30000	183000	
2006	36	50.54	172000	50000	222000	
2007	8	19.3	157200	25000	182200	
2008	4	2.24	200000	40000	240000	
2009	8	5.76	181000	1400	182400	
2010	4	5.27				
2011	3	5.3				
2012	8	11.88				
	107	177.01	1170000	206400		Ten year cumulative numbers for number and area of fires

Note: Grass fire statistics for volunteer fire departments have not been compiled.