Frankfurt Airport Fire Brigade

Fire Station 1

– Size: 2.1 ha
– Location: CargoCity South
– Start of construction: August 2018
– Groundbreaking ceremony: September 2018
– Inauguration of the training center: September 2020
– Inauguration of fire station 1: February 2021
– Personnel: 31 firefighters on call around the clock

Interesting facts:
– 46 garage doors
– 33 individual resting rooms with closets
– 18 indoor parking spaces for fire trucks
– 184 vehicles
– 2,700 lamps
– 180 km of cable

On Site in 180 Seconds
Three fire stations are strategically located around the airport premises so that any point of the runway system and apron can be reached within three minutes. The principal responsibilities of the airport fire brigade are firefighting, rescuing accident victims, and fire prevention.

Mission Statistics

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<th>Services</th>
<th>2018</th>
<th>2019</th>
<th>2020</th>
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<tr>
<td>Firefighting</td>
<td>183</td>
<td>172</td>
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<td>Aircraft accidents</td>
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<td>Alarms</td>
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<td>Emergency landings</td>
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<td>Fire prevention assignments</td>
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<td>Total</td>
<td>3,868</td>
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Responsibilities of the airport fire brigade:
– Firefighting in aircraft and buildings
– First aid (first responder activities)
– Technical assistance
– Risk management and avoidance (hazardous goods)
– Support for deployments of other fire departments near the airport

Activities of the firefighter training center (FTC):
– Competent center for fire safety at airports
– Basic and further training
– Fire simulation
– Aircraft rescue and recovery worldwide
– International advice on fire protection