ΕΦΑ Statistics and Fire Research

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New job!

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Something new?

chair data and investigation



Statistics

- FEU project, conducted by Dr. Peter Wagner
- In agreement with EFA and CTIF
- Needs: have a contact by country to help Peter
- Proposition accepted by the 3 presidents (EFA, CTIF, FEU):
 send a letter to the Commission to inform and to request support



Fire Safety Statistics - Europe

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Conclusions - Europe

- Relatively more residential fires and electrical fires occur in more advanced European countries
 - The number of building fires generally increases with the state of development
- The share of electrical fires in buildings is much higher in the UK and Netherlands compared to other European countries
- Residential fires cause more fatalities per incident in the Ukraine, Russia, Poland, and Romania
- A link between national electrical inspection regulation and the number of electrical building fires cannot be established for European countries
 - UK has the most electrical fires per capita in the sample of 15 European countries

Few interesting correlations for European countries...

- The higher the electrification rate (and electricity consumption), the lower the relative number of fire deaths in residential buildings....
- ...but at the same time
- ... the higher the electricity consumption per capita, the higher the number of residential fires, including electric fires.
- more fires in advanced economies with fewer (fatal) consequences!
- possibly more appropriate fire and emergency response infrastructure in place?



Fire Investigation

Manage the information and help each fire service and country



Forest Fires vs. Urban Fires

- 2 kind of fire investigation:
 - Urban and industrial
 - Forest fire





Best Practices

- Design country to be leader to manage information and best practises
- Example :
 - UK and Netherlands about urban fire investigation
 - France and Italie about forest fire investigation

Thank you