



Office of the State Fire Marshal National Fire Incident Reporting System California State-Level Plus-One Codes

Background: Every coded National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) field allows for one additional level of specificity, definable by the state. For example, if the national standard for a code is three digits, a fourth digit is allowed for the states to provide more specific responses. This additional digit can be alphabetical or numerical.

The Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) has decided to use this option to add several choices in NFIRS to identify various scenarios that are not specified at the national level. Below is a list of all state-level plus-one codes for California.

Note: Use of these plus-one codes is not required. It is an option for California fire departments that would like a standardized way to document these types of incidents at the local and state level.

Module(s)	Field	Base/Parent Code	Plus-One Code	Description
Basic	Mixed Use Property	00 - Other	00M	Illegal Marijuana Cultivation
Basic	Mixed Use Property	00 - Other	00L	Legal Marijuana Cultivation
Basic	Mixed Use Property	00 - Other	00C	Cannabis Oil Production
Basic	Mixed Use Property	00 - Other	00H	Homeless/Transient Use
Fire	Type of Material First Ignited	12 - LP Gas	12C	Butane or similar solvent used in the production of cannabis oil/honey oil
Fire & Wildland & Hazmat	Mobile Property Type	10 - Passenger Vehicle, Other	10E	Electric Vehicle
Wildland	Wildland Fire Cause	0 - Other	0E	Electrical Power
Wildland	Wildland Fire Cause	0 - Other	0R	Railroad
Wildland	Wildland Fire Cause	0 - Other	0V	Vehicle
Fire & Wildland	Equipment Involved in Ignition	228 - Battery charger, rectifier	228E	Electric vehicle charging station/charger
Fire & Wildland	Equipment Involved in Ignition	229 - Battery	228L	Lithium-ion battery
Fire & Wildland	Factors Contributing to Ignition	30 - Battery malfunction	30L	Lithium-ion battery malfunction
Fire & Wildland	Heat Source	54 - Fireworks	54D	Dangerous Illegal Fireworks
Fire & Wildland	Heat Source	54 - Fireworks	54S	Safe and Sane Fireworks
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOO	Alegro
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOA	Alijo
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOL	Link-Belt
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOP	Polaris
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOS	Skyline
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOT	Tesla
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOU	Utility
Fire & Hazmat	Mobile Property Make	OO - Other Make	OOW	Wilderness (RV)

For more detailed information from the US Fire Administration on the use of Plus-One Codes, go to:
<https://www.usfa.fema.gov/nfirs/coding-help/plusone-codes/>