# Garage Door Installers Stats and Facts



### FACTS

Unexpected Dangers of Garage Door Repairs.

#### 1. Safety Risks

Getting injured during a DIY project from power tool injuries, to falls from ladders, to blunt injuries and puncture wounds.

#### 2. Less Attention to Detail

A sharp eye is vital to do garage door repairs. Missed details can ruin garage door repair.

#### 3. Increased Costs

Damaging major components such as springs and cables during repairs, can eventually eat into savings from undertaking DIY repairs. When it comes to garage door repairs, hire a professional to help you avoid any costly mistakes.

#### 4. Voids Your Warranty

A manufacturer warranty which will cover anything that goes wrong with your garage door. These warranties, however, are only valid if a qualified and licensed professional performs repairs when necessary.

#### 5. Time Factor

Garage Door repairs take time. If you have busy schedule, a competent technician can solve your time issues.

## STATS

- Over 7,000 pinching injuries (which can result in finger amputations), more than 2,000 crushing injuries (caused by a falling garage door), and 800 lacerations (from the glass in garage windows).
- Garage door accidents are responsible for 20,000 to 30,000 injuries every year.
- As an estimate, more than 12,500 garage door injuries happen every year alone in the U.S.A.
- More than 2,000 injuries are caused just because of a sudden fall of a garage door and attempting to get in or out of the garage when a door is closing.
- Around 1,500 injuries are from spring snap, glass and other sharp edges.