



How Much Should A Garage Door Repair Cost?

As a homeowner, there are a lot of expenses both big and small. At times it can be hard to know what you should have professionally done and what services should cost.

Having some knowledge about these types of things can help save you from scams and overspending.

When it comes to your garage door, [California Overhead Door](#) wants to help you navigate the types of issues that may arise and how much different garage door repairs cost.

Read on to learn more...

Should I Have A Professional Repair My Garage Door?

Within your home and garage, there are plenty of things you can try to do yourself (DIY). However, in most cases with your garage door, you should not risk attempting to make repairs on your own. Unless you have a good understanding of the issue and the needed skills/tools, it is best to leave it to the pros.

Professional technicians can determine the exact issue and have your garage door repaired in no time. They will have your garage running efficiently and smoothly. Plus, the expert work will help you avoid the need to repair or replace your garage door again any time soon. The cost of a professional is worth it in the long run!

Types Of Garage Repairs Commonly Needed And There Estimated Prices

Garage Doors have a lot of parts and many different areas where repairs may be needed. Prices typically range between \$80 and \$1500 depending on the issue. Here are some of the common repairs that garage doors need and estimated prices...

- **Broken Springs**

The springs on your garage door are very important. They work alongside cables to aid in opening and closing your garage door safely.

When they are broken, you should not open your garage door. It is important to have a professional come and repair your springs right away, so you can begin safely using your garage again.

Springs almost always need to be replaced, not repaired when they are not working. Springs cost around \$300 to change depending on the door size and specifications.

- **Snapped Cables**

When your cables wear down or snap, that puts an unsafe amount of tension on your garage door. The cables are essential to an efficient and safe garage door function. When your cables are not working, it is essential to call in professional help immediately.

- **Malfunctioning Sensors**

Garage door sensors are a small but important part of the functionality of your garage. They help keep you, your family, pets, guests, and things safe, while also protecting your garage door.

This essential part of your garage door may seem easier to overlook or avoid fixing than cables or springs, but it is a necessary part of your garage door and should be fixed right away when broken.

- **Garage Door Opener Repair**

A very common and annoying problem is when your garage door opener is not working right. This is an issue most people will notice right away and not want to deal with for long out of inconvenience. You can have a repairman come to your home within a day or two to fix the problem and get your garage door back to normal.

- **Issues With The Motor**

The motor of your garage door is what keeps everything going and powers the other parts. When this breaks or is not working right, you won't be able to open your garage door automatically.

A professional can come and either replace or repair your garage door motor and get everything up and running again!

- **Broken Belt Or Chain**

Belts and chains are the two options for the part of your garage door that controls the movement of your garage door. When these are bent or broken, the garage door will not open properly or may even be dangerous.

When you notice an issue with your belt or chain, call your garage door repair person to fix it to avoid further problems.

- **Standard Adjustments And Maintenance**

You can avoid a lot of problems and save money by maintaining your garage door and having standard adjustments performed by professionals every couple of years.

A service call often includes an inspection of the door and the opener. After inspecting, adjustments can be made to parts like the springs, chains, belts, and cables. Plus, lubricant will be added to help the door continue running smoothly.

Having these preventative services done can save you a lot of money and trouble in the long run!

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