

Wildfires – Western US



Situation (as of 06:00 am ET): More than 118 large fires are currently burning uncontained across the US, the majority of which are in FEMA Regions VIII, IX and X. (NIFC SITREP, Sep 9). The NWC is closely monitoring 22 FMAG-approved wildfires. Homes, public facilities and infrastructure are threatened.

- FEMA Region VIII: 3 FMAGs (MT-1; CO-1; UT-1)
 - Acreage burned: **111,689**
 - Homes/structures threatened: 4,281
 - Homes/structures destroyed: 0
 - Evacuations: Over 9,000 (some fires have unknown number)
- FEMA Region IX: 5 FMAGs (CA-5)
 - Acreage burned: **608,980**
 - Homes/structures threatened: **40,221**
 - Homes/structures destroyed: 2,234
 - Evacuations: **51,130**
- FEMA Region X: 14 FMAGs (OR-9; WA-5)
 - Acreage burned: **500,429**
 - Homes/structures threatened: **86,302**
 - Homes/structures destroyed: **690**
 - Evacuations: Over **51,382** (some fires have unknown number)



- State/Federal Response:**
- Region VIII: IMAT deployed to VJFO (4548-UT and 4553-ND)
 - UT EOC at Full Activation; CO & MT EOCs at Partial Activation (COVID-19)
 - Region IX: IMAT deployed to CA EOC (wildfires)
 - FEMA-4558-DR-CA approved for Wildfires
 - CA EOC at Full Activation (COVID-19 and wildfires)
 - Region X RRCC at Level III (Wildfires & COVID-19); IMAT deployed to OR EOC
 - OR Governor verbally requested an Emergency Declaration
 - OR & WA EOCs at Full Activation (COVID-19)

Active events reportedly responsible for structural damage (approximate):

California

Creek Fire (166,965 acres; 0% containment)

- September 4 – Present
- Fresno, Madera Counties
 - *Camp Sierra Road and Reddin Road, Northeast of Shaver Lake
- 365 structures destroyed

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Alder Springs (Fresno County, 93602)
- Auberry (Fresno County, 93602)
- Bass Lake (Madera County, 93604, 93669)
- Big Creek (Fresno County, 93605)
- Camp Sierra (Fresno County, 93605)
- Lakeshore (Fresno County, 93634)
- Lerona (Fresno County, 93602)
- Mathews Mill (Fresno County, 93602)
- Meadow Lakes (Fresno County, 93602)
- North Fork (Madera County, 93643)
- Ockenden (Fresno County, 93664)
- Rock Haven (Fresno County, 93602)
- Shaver Lake (Fresno County, 93602, 93634, 93664)
- Whisky Falls (Madera County, 93643)



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Media: <https://www.visaliatimesdelta.com/story/news/2020/09/08/creek-fire-damage-photos-shaver-lake-fresno-county-california-wildfires/5751202002/>

El Dorado Fire (12,610 acres; 23% containment)

- September 5 – Present
- San Bernardino County
*37000 Block of Oak Glen Road and Potato Canyon Road, West of Oak Glen
- Houses destroyed (total number unconfirmed)

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Angelus Oaks (San Bernardino County, 92305)
- Banning (San Bernardino County, 92220)
- Forest Falls (San Bernardino County, 92339)
- Mentone (San Bernardino County, 92359)
- Mountain Home Village (San Bernardino County, 92359)
- Oak Glen (San Bernardino County, 92399)
- Yucaipa (San Bernardino County, 92399)

Media: <https://losangeles.cbslocal.com/2020/09/07/homes-destroyed-evacuations-remain-for-el-dorado-fire-sparked-by-pyrotechnic-device/>

North Complex Fire (252,163 acres; 24% containment)

- August 18 – Present
- Lassen, Plumas, Butte, Yuba Counties
- 2,000 structures destroyed/damaged

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- *Berry Creek (Butte County, 95916)
*Concentrated structural damage
- *Big Bend (Butte County, 96011)
- *Brush Creek (Butte County, 95916)
- *Cascade (Plumas County, ZIP code unavailable)
- *Clipper Mills (Butte County, 95930)
- East Quincy/Quincy (Plumas County, 95971)
- *Feather Falls (Butte County, 95966)
- *Forbestown (Butte County, 95941)
- Greenville (Plumas County, 95947)
- Greenhorn (Plumas County, 95971)
- Massack (Plumas County, 95971)
- Meadow Valley (Plumas County, 95956)
- *Oregon House (Yuba County, 95962)
- *Oroville (Butte County, 95915, 95940, 95965, 95966, 95980)
- Spring Garden (Plumas County, 95971)
- Susanville (Lassen County, 96127, 96130)

Media: <https://www.sfgate.com/california-wildfires/article/North-Complex-Bear-Clairemont-Fires-evacuations-15551384.php>



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Slater Fire (120,000 acres; 0% containment)

- September 8 – Present
- Siskiyou, Del Norte Counties (CA); Josephine County (OR)
*Happy Camp (96039)
- 150 houses reportedly destroyed in Happy Camp area

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Cave Junction (Josephine County, 97523, 97531)
- Forks of Salmon (Siskiyou County, 96031)
- Happy Camp (Siskiyou County, 96039)
- O'Brien (Josephine County, 97534)
- Seiad Valley (Siskiyou County, 96086)

Media: <https://www.siskiyoudaily.com/story/news/2020/09/10/what-we-know-thursday-deadly-slater-fire-uncontained-grows-california-oregon/5769214002/>

Valley Fire (17,665 acres; 32% containment)

- September 5 – Present
- San Diego County
*Japatul Road and Carvacre Road, Southeast of Alpine
- 51 structures destroyed; 11 structures damaged

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Alpine (San Diego County, 91901, 91903)
- Jamul (San Diego County, 91935)

Media: <https://www.kpbs.org/news/2020/sep/10/valley-fire-enters-sixth-day-with-17665-acres/>

Idaho

Sunnyside Complex Fire (2,500 acres; total containment unknown)

*Also called Clover Fire

- Clearwater County
*Highway 12
- 13 houses/31 outbuildings destroyed

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Orofino (Clearwater County, 83544)

Media: https://www.khq.com/news/sunnyside-complex-fires-now-burning-2-500-acres-near-orofino-idaho/article_edca3b92-f18c-11ea-847d-8b56a9800e25.html



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Montana

BobCat Fire (30,030 acres; 60% containment)

- September 2 - Present
- Musselshell County
- 10 houses/13 outbuildings destroyed

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Roundup (Musselshell County, 59072, 59073)

Media: <https://www.ktvq.com/news/local-news/bobcat-fire-claims-23-homes-burns-more-than-30k-acres-near-roundup>

Bridger Foothills Fire (8,200 acres; 52% containment)

- Gallatin County
- 28 houses destroyed

Approximate locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Bozeman (Gallatin County, 59715, 59717, 59718, 59719, 59771, 59772)

Media: https://www.bozemandailychronicle.com/news/officials-say-progress-made-on-containing-bridger-foothills-fire/article_e9aa0c7d-671e-52e9-83c6-b6e5a0f57d80.html

Oregon

Almeda Fire (3,000 acres; 0% containment)

*Also called Glendower Fire

- September 8 - Present
- Jackson County
- 600 houses destroyed or damaged

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Ashland (Jackson County, 97520)
- Butte Falls (Jackson County, 97522)
- Eagle Point (Jackson County, 97524)
- Medford (Jackson County, 97501, 97502, 97504)
- Phoenix (Jackson County, 97535)
- Shady Cove (Jackson County, 97539)
- Talent (Jackson County, 97540)
- White City (Jackson County, 97503)

Media: <https://mailtribune.com/news/top-stories/fema-estimates-600-homes-burned-from-almeda-fire>



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Beachie Creek/Lionshead Complex Fire (182,000 acres; 0% containment)

*Also called Santium Fire

- August 16 – Present
- Marion, Clackamas, Linn and Jefferson Counties
 - *Mill City (Linn/Marion Counties, 97360), Gates (Marion County, 97346) and Lyons (Linn County, 97358) reportedly engulfed
- Houses and other structures damaged and destroyed (total number unconfirmed)

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Breitenbush (Marion County, ZIP code unavailable)
- Colton (Clackamas County, 97017)
- Detroit (Marion County, 97342)
- Estacada (Clackamas County, 97023)
- Gates (Marion County, 97346)
- Glen Avon (Clackamas County, 97038)
- Idanha (Linn/Marion Counties, 97350)
- Lyons (Linn County, 97358)
- Mill City (Linn/Marion Counties, 97360)
- Mehama (Marion County, 97384)
- Molalla (Clackamas County, 97038)
- Niagara (Marion County, 97346)
- Ripplebrook (Clackamas County, 97023)
- Warm Springs Reservation (Jefferson County, 97037, 97734, 97741, 97761)

Media: https://www.kptv.com/news/beachie-creek-fire-nearly-10-000-buildings-under-level-3-evacuation-orders-another-12-000/article_398f949c-f399-11ea-85e7-773ef0119636.html

Holiday Farm Fire (32,000 acres; 0% containment)

- September 7 – Present
- Lane County
 - *Blue River (Lane County, 97413) and Vida (Lane County, 97488) reportedly engulfed
- Houses and other structures damaged and destroyed (total number unconfirmed)

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Blue River (Lane County, 97413)
- Finn Rock (Lane County, 97488)
- Leaburg (Lane County, 97489)
- Marcola (Lane County, 97454)
- Nimrod (Lane County, 97488)
- Rainbow (Lane County, 97413)
- Vida (Lane County, 97488)

Media: <https://www.kgw.com/article/news/local/wildfire/gov-brown-press-conference-on-wildfires-in-oregon/283-d8014ecc-cf04-4ba5-bb05-3609141542ab>



Washington

Babbs-Malden Fire (17,781 acres; 0% containment)

- September 8 – Present
- Whitman County
 - *Majority of structures reportedly destroyed in Malden (99149); several buildings destroyed in Pine City (99170)
- 91 houses/8 commercial properties destroyed; 3 houses damaged

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Malden (99149)
- Pine City (99170)

Media: <https://www.q13fox.com/video/849139>

Bordeaux Road Fire (50 acres; 0% containment)

- September 8 – Present
- Thurston County
 - *Littlerock (98512, 98516)
- 5 houses/2 outbuildings destroyed

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Littlerock (98512, 98516)

Media: <https://www.theolympian.com/news/local/article245585730.html>

Cold Spring Canyon Fire (337,000 acres; 10% containment)

- September 6 - Present
- Okanogan and Douglas Counties
 - *Houses destroyed in Bridgeport (98813)
- 15 houses destroyed; structures damaged (total number unconfirmed)

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Azwell (Okanogan County, 98846)
- Brandt's Landing (Douglas County, 98813)
- Brewster (Okanogan County, 98812)
- Bridgeport (Douglas County, 98813)
- Chelan (Chelan County, 98816)
- Coulee City (Grant County, 99115)
- Dyer (Douglas County, 98830)
- Fairview (Douglas County, 98830)
- Malott (Okanogan County, 98829)
- Mansfield (Douglas County, 98830)
- Monse (Okanogan County, 98812)
- Okanogan (Okanogan County, 98840)
- Omak (Okanogan County, 98841)
- Waterville (Douglas County, 98858)



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- Withrow (Douglas County, 98858)

Media: https://www.khq.com/fires/update-cold-springs-and-pearl-hill-fires-burns-337k-acres-collectively/article_a0bd3b38-f114-11ea-b830-4bdb05c15e42.html

Graham Fire (100 acres; 100% containment)

- September 8 – Present
- Pierce County
 - *Graham (Pierce County, 98338)
- 8 houses/10 outbuildings destroyed (5 houses reportedly located in 15400 block of 240th Street East)

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Graham (Pierce County, 98338)

Media: <https://komonews.com/news/local/fire-marshal-graham-fire-was-accidental>

Sumner Grade Fire (800 acres; 20% containment)

- September 7 – Present
- Pierce County
 - *Bonney Lake (Pierce County, 98391)
- 4 houses destroyed (two located on Myers Road and other two located in Sumner View development)

Approximate Locations at least partially contained in event perimeter:

- Bonney Lake (Pierce County, 98391)

Media: <https://komonews.com/news/local/it-was-like-a-blow-torch-sumner-grade-fire-now-estimated-at-800-acres>