

## Lesson: Wildfire Safety/La Lección: Seguridad contra incendios forestales

Information Sheet



### Wildfire Fact Sheet

A wildfire is an unplanned fire that occurs outside in natural areas.



**Wildfire Watch - Prepare!**  
Wildfire possible



**Wildfire Warning - Take Action!**  
Wildfire occurring within 24 hours



*WHERE* do Wildfires occur? Anywhere in the United States

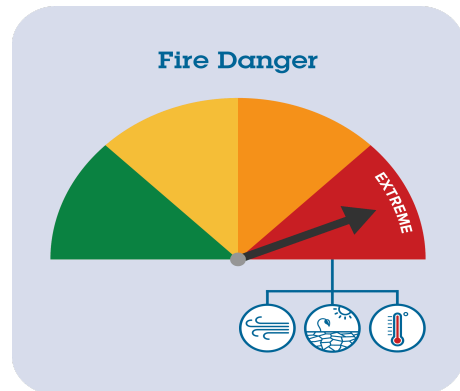


*WHEN* do Wildfires occur?  
Anytime

*Risk Increases:* High wind, drought, hot temperatures



[AirNow](https://www.airnow.gov/)



[U.S. Fire Administration](https://www.fire.gov/)

### Wildfire Dangers

Flooding	Power outages	Damaged power lines	Contaminated drinking water	Road Damage

◆ **Wildfires are most commonly caused by humans and lightning.**

Disaster Preparedness Copyright Hazard and Protective Actions Icons are used courtesy of FEMA and are available at <https://community.fema.gov/ProtectiveActions/s/protective-actions-icons>., FEMA [Be Prepared for a Wildfire](#), American Red Cross [Wildfire Preparedness Checklist](#), [U.S. Fire Administration](#)

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### Wildfire Safety Sheet



#### PREPARE!



Alerts



Plan



Supply Checklist



Supply Kit



#### TAKE ACTION!

Protect Property	Protect Documents	Use a mask	Know evacuation routes	Evacuate if told	Call 911 if trapped

#### STAY SAFE!

Don't start a fire during:

High winds	A drought	High temperatures

Keep grill three feet from:

House or apartment	Trees	Deck railings	Remove plants and debris near property	Cover windows, doors, and vents