

DFTM Early Warning System Database:

Plot Numbering System

Plot ID: a plot identifier that is unique within (but not between) regions

Plot Number: a number assigned by the cooperator (optional)

For Region 1:

Plot IDs range from 1 through 32. Plot Numbers are blank.

For Region 2:

Plot IDs range from 1 through 72 (excluding 62, 64-69). Plot IDs = Plot Numbers.

For Region 3:

Plot IDs range from 1 through 17. Plot Numbers are blank.

For Region 4:

In Idaho, Plot IDs range from 1 through 107 (plus 923 – which originally was one of two plots with Plot Number = 23), and Plot IDs = Plot Numbers. In Utah and Nevada, Plot IDs range from 401 through 417, and Plot Numbers are blank.

For Region 5:

Plot IDs are listed in the following table. Plot Numbers are generally unique within a given “nearest district”, and sometimes include text (example: “1B”).

Plot ID	Description
1-24	California Department of Forestry
101-147	Eldorado NF
201-204	Inyo NF
301-318	Lassen NF
401-414	Modoc NF
501-517	Plumas NF
601-613	Sierra NF
651-662	Yosemite NP
701-722	Stanislaus NF
801-844	Tahoe NF
901-915, 922-927	Sequoia NF
916-921	Sequoia/Kings Canyon NP
1001-1009	Bureau of Land Management
1101-1105	Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit

For Region 6:

Plot IDs are listed in the following table. Plot Numbers are generally unique within a given “nearest district”.

Plot ID	Description
1-453	plots present in 1988 database (PlotIDs 450-453 had been measured in prior years but were not measured in 1988; they were measured and assigned PlotIDs in 1989)
600-1999	New plots added after 1988
2000+	Plots initially present only in years 1979-1987; some later re-activated

For Idaho:

Plot IDs range from 1 through 905. Plot IDs = Plot Numbers except for 6 plots (Plot IDs 900-905).

For Montana:

Plot IDs range from 1 through 33. Plot Numbers are blank.