

TABLE 6-1. **Fires on or threatening BLM lands, fiscal year 1997**

Number of fires and acreage per administrative state by protection type

Force Account Protection

State	Fires suppressed		Causes		Commercial forest/a/	Noncommercial forest/b/		Nonforest watershed/c/		Total area		
	BLM	Non- BLM	Lightning Fires	Human Fires	BLM Acres	Non- BLM Acres	Non- BLM Acres	BLM Acres	Non- BLM Acres	BLM Acres	Non- BLM Acres	
Alaska	32		29	3			18,412	83	53,700	28,230	72,112	28,313
Arizona	145	2	75	72	57	1			1,374		1,431	1
California	138	38	59	117		4	4		24,354	136,847	24,358	136,851
Colorado	318	26	317	27	1	4	5,030	34	216	10	5,247	48
Idaho	167	59	91	135					29,248	16,037	29,248	16,037
Montana/d/	29	19	37	11	126	125	131	247	157	26	414	398
Nevada	302	37	220	119	6		8,964	482	22,785	4,589	31,755	5,071
New Mexico	39	2	28	13			2		4,515	60	4,517	60
Oregon/e/	238	23	211	50	14	59	3,443	40	10,572	11,334	14,029	11,433
Utah	228	2	200	30	122	10	3,151	319	12,602	2,399	15,875	2,728
Wyoming	51	8	37	22	615	4	2,640	2,661	900	684	4,155	3,349
Total	1,687	216	1,304	599	941	207	41,777	3,866	160,423	200,216	203,141	204,289

TABLE 6-1. **Fires on or threatening BLM lands, fiscal year 1997--concluded**

Number of fires and acreage per administrative state by protection type

Contract Protection

State	Fires suppressed		Causes		Commercial forest/a/		Noncommercial forest/b/		Nonforest watershed/c/		Total area	
	BLM <i>Fires</i>	Non- BLM <i>Fires</i>	Lightning <i>Fires</i>	Human <i>Fires</i>	BLM <i>Acres</i>	Non- BLM <i>Acres</i>	BLM <i>Acres</i>	Non- BLM <i>Acres</i>	BLM <i>Acres</i>	Non- BLM <i>Acres</i>	BLM <i>Acres</i>	Non- BLM <i>Acres</i>
Alaska	30	166	134	62	2,846	1,780	763,976	162,431	47,033	55,791	813,855	220,002
Arizona	2	1	2	1								
California	182	49	37	194	22	20	51	58	13,065	32,957	13,138	33,035
Colorado	7	11	12	6	12			8		1	12	9
Idaho	10	27	19	18				4	1,982	1,026	1,982	1,030
Montana/d/	8	35	39	4		32		315		10		357
Nevada	2	71	24	49				5	3,103	2,188	3,103	2,193
New Mexico	6	11	8	9			1		4	196	5	196
Oregon/e/	62	14	37	39	52	63	1	5	520	5,856	573	5,924
Utah	41	17	42	16	654	12	101	10	388	1,703	1,143	1,725
Wyoming	9	6	13	2			2	5	190	23	192	28
Total	359	408	367	400	3,586	1,907	764,132	162,841	66,285	99,751	834,003	264,499
Grand Total	2,046	624	1,671	999	4,527	2,114	805,909	166,707	226,708	299,967	1,037,144	468,788

/a/ Land producing or capable of producing wood products such as sawtimber, posts, poles, etc., and not withdrawn from timber use.

/b/ Land not capable of yielding wood products, or commercial forestland withdrawn from timber use.

/c/ Land that has never supported forests or that has been developed for nonforest use.

/d/ Includes North and South Dakota.

/e/ Includes Washington State.

Note: Non-BLM includes other Federal lands, as well as State, privately owned, and other non-Federal lands.