

NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVELS

National Preparedness Levels (NPL) describe the wildland fire situation and the availability of firefighting resources in Canada.

NPL CONSIDERS:

- Availability of and demand for firefighters or equipment
- Current environmental conditions
- Potential for new wildland fires
- Current active wildland fires



Wildland fire activity is minimal, and most jurisdictions experience light/moderate wildland fire danger.

The demand for firefighters and equipment from other jurisdictions is light.



Wildland fire activity is increasing within one or more jurisdictions.

The demand for mobilization of firefighters and equipment from other jurisdictions is light.



Wildland fire activity is increasing within one or more jurisdictions.

The demand for mobilization of firefighters and equipment from other jurisdictions is moderate.



Wildland fire activity is significant within one or more jurisdictions.

The demand for mobilization of firefighters and equipment from other jurisdictions is high.



Wildland fire activity is significant within one or more jurisdictions.

Firefighters and equipment in every jurisdiction in Canada is put to use, and international help has been requested.



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