



Salmon-Challis National Forest

Wildfire Fact Sheet

FIRE SUMMARY SEPTEMBER 29, 2025

The Central Idaho Dispatch Zone is at **MODERATE** Fire Danger

There has been one (1) new fire reported on the Salmon-Challis National Forest since the last update on September 22, 2025. To date, there have been 52 wildfires reported on the Forest with 49 of the fires being declared out.

Scratch (September 27): located approximately two (2) miles northwest of Pinyon Peak Lookout. The 84 acre fire burning in timber primarily in the dead and down fuels with single tree torching. The fire is surrounded by the Boundary Fire.

Casto (September 20): located approximately three (3) miles east of Pinyon Peak Lookout. The 0.25 acre lightning fire is burning in grass and brush is out.

Pinyon Fire (September 12): located approximately nine (9) miles northwest of Pinyon Peak Lookout. The 0.25 acre lightning fire burning in Douglas fir is out.

Elkhorn (July 29): located approximately 33 miles northwest of Stanley. The 1,779 acre lightning fire is 100% contained.

Cedar (July 29): located approximately four (4) miles northeast of Clyde. The 893 acre lightning fire is 100% contained and controlled.

Artillery (July 29): located approximately 35 miles northwest of Stanley. The 11 acre lightning fire is out.

Placer (July 27): located approximately seven (7) miles north of Indian Creek Guard Station. The 35 acre lightning fire is out.

Weather: A slow moving cold front will arrive tonight. Showers and thunderstorms are likely this afternoon and tonight. Rainfall totals will range from 0.25 to 0.50 inches in the valleys to 0.50 inches to 1.00 inches in the mountains.

Ensure your campfire is dead out. If it is too hot to touch, it is too hot to leave! One Less Spark Means One Less Wildfire.

Nationally, there are 19 uncontained large fires being managed under a full suppression strategy and two (2) fires managed under a strategy other than full suppression.

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