

# CDF 2002 Fire Season Summary

## California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection (CDF)

	<u>Fires (CDF jurisdiction)</u>	<u>Acres (CDF jurisdiction)</u>
<b>2002</b>	<b>5,759</b>	<b>112,810</b>
<b>2001</b>	<b>6,223</b>	<b>90,985</b>
<b>5 Yr. Avg. (1998-02)</b>	<b>5,990</b>	<b>130,848</b>

**CDF Fire Suppression Cost Estimate** (Fiscal Year July 2002 - June 2003): **\$135 million**

**Dollar Damage Costs (CDF jurisdiction): \$173,976,861**

**Structures Destroyed (CDF jurisdiction): 327**

### Top Five Fires In Acreage Burned \*(CDF jurisdiction)

<u>Fire</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>Contained</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>*Acres</u>	<u>Structures Destroyed</u>	<u>Cause</u>
Pines	7/29	8/16	San Diego	<b>61,690</b>	160	Powerlines
Gavilan	2/10	2/15	San Diego	<b>5,763</b>	43	VMP Burn
Mussolini	7/13	7/16	Siskiyou	<b>3,260</b>	0	Equip. Use
Croy	9/23	9/28	Santa Clara	<b>3,127</b>	34	Elec. Power
Davis	6/9	6/9	San Luis Obispo	<b>2,118</b>	0	Rekindle

### Top Five Fires In Structures Lost \*(CDF jurisdiction)

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Hickok	8/31	8/31	El Dorado	775	1	Playing/W/Fire
Squirrel	9/30	9/30	Shasta	625	1	Smoking

**All CDF Units were transitioned into fire season staffing by June 3, 2002, and all were transitioned to winter staffing by December 23, 2002.**

