



# CAL FIRE Sonoma-Lake-Napa Unit USFS Mendocino National Forest

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## INCIDENT FACT SHEET – UPDATE

**CAL FIRE Information: (707) 967-4207**

**DATE/TIME PREPARED: 9-4-15 7:00 AM**

**USFS Information: (530) 934-3316**

Incident Name: Elk Incident

Incident Type: Vegetation Fire

Incident Address: 12536 Elk Mountain Road

Community: Upper Lake, Lake County

Incident Report Date: 9-2-15

Incident Report Time: 14:57

Acres: 670

Containment: 35%

Structures Damaged: 0

Structures Destroyed: 0

Fire Cause: Under Investigation

Injuries: 0

Dollar Damage Estimate: 0

Dollar Saved Estimate: 0

### Resources Assigned

Engine Companies: 26	Air Tankers: 0	Bulldozers: 3	Volunteer Companies:
Truck Companies: 0	Helicopters: 4	Fire Crews: 18	Overhead Personnel: 25
Water Tenders: 4	HAZMAT: 0	Rescue: 0	Total Personnel: 270

### Current Situation

#### Overview:

CAL FIRE and the US Forest Service (USFS) worked aggressively through the night to gain an increased containment of 35% on the 670 acre Elk fire north of the community of Upper Lake in Lake County. Fire containment is a combination of direct fire line built AND the level of confidence the fire will stay within those lines. While the spread of the fire has been currently stopped, there is a large amount of unburned fuel within the lines with gusty winds and increasing temperatures over the holiday weekend. Crews at scene continue to build and improve fire lines as well as mopping up hot spots near its perimeter.

CAL FIRE and the USFS need the public's help to be extremely cautious while working or recreating near dry fuels for the remainder of the fire season. Using equipment, parking in dry grass, mowing, dragging tow chains, and cooking are all avoidable causes of fire. You can learn more by visiting:

[www.preventwildfireca.org](http://www.preventwildfireca.org)

#### Evacuations:

None

#### Road Closures:

None, but use caution in the fire area.

### Cooperating Agencies

CAL FIRE, USFS, North Shore Fire District, Lake County Sheriff's Office and CHP.