

Incident Information

Basic Facts



Shasta – Trinity Unit



Incident Name

SHU Lightning

Incident Number

CA SHU 005594

Date Started

08/1/09

Size / Type Fuel

Complex: 40 fires, 17,623 acres for all fires

Time Started

10:00

Lead Agency

CAL FIRE

Cause

Lightning

Percent Contained

85

Location

Eastern Shasta County

Controlled

37
FIRES

Current Problems

Extremely steep terrain, heavy fuel loading and wind direction.
Limited access and long travel times into fire areas.

Resources Assigned

Fire Engines	70	Helicopters	8
Dozers	10	Water Tenders	31
Fire Crews	43	Miscellaneous Equipment	4 camp crews
Air Tankers	8	Overhead Personnel	183
Air Attack	1	Total Personnel	1,429

Cooperating Agencies: CAL FIRE ,Shasta County Fire Department, California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Burney Fire Department, Shasta County Sheriff 's Office, California Highway Patrol, Cal-Trans, California Department of Fish and Game, Fall River Fire District, Bureau of Land Management, S.P.I., U.S. Forest Service, CA State Parks, Private contractors.

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ROAD CLOSURES: Unstaffed barricades at River Rd. and the Pit 5 dam.

EVACUATIONS: None

INJURIES: 19 Minor Injury / Illness

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Date & Time

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INDIVIDUAL FIRE CONTROL OBJECTIVES:

Fire Name: Chalk	Acres: 6,923
<p>Interior islands continue to burn out. Potential for spot fires still exist. All lines expected to be contained in 48 hours. Mandatory evacuations were lifted for Skunk Ridge Rd. Threat to PG&E facilities mitigated. Aggressive mop-up efforts continue where containment lines have held.</p>	

Fire Name: Burney LCA & Cassel	Acres: 6,751
<p>Fireline suppression repair efforts continue. Mop-up operations continue on lines that have held.</p>	

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Fire Name: Goose	Acres: 3,949
<p>Mop-up is continuing with fireline suppression and repair as well as cultural resource assessment is ongoing.</p>	

Note: The above list is a synopsis of large fires within the complex only. Due to more accurate mapping a more precise representation of acreages and containment percentages are reported.