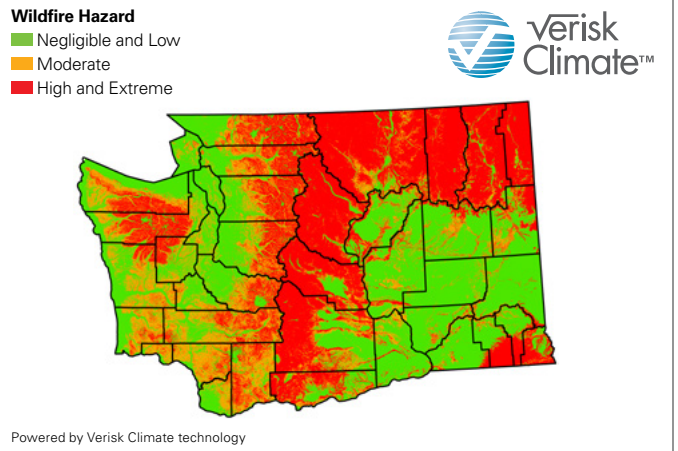


# 2015 FireLine™ State Risk Report – Washington

## Wildfire Risk at a Glance

<b>Number of Housing Units<sup>1</sup></b>	2,885,700
<b>Number and Percentage of Housing Units at High or Extreme Risk</b>	157,900 5.5%
<b>Number of Acres Burned in 2014<sup>2</sup></b>	387,000
<b>Largest Historical Wildfire Since 1997<sup>2</sup></b>	Calton Complex (2014) 256,100 acres burned

Sources: 1. U.S. 2010 Census, 2. National Interagency Fire Center (NIFC)



According to U.S. Census data, Washington has 2,885,700 housing units. Following is a breakdown of the percentage and number of housing units broken out into the low, moderate, and high wildfire risk categories.

Negligible and Low		Moderate		High and Extreme	
Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage	Number
79.3	2,287,500	15.3	440,200	5.5	157,900

### Top five counties by number of housing units in high and extreme wildfire risk category

County	Number of Homes
Spokane	48,000
Chelan	15,200
Stevens	12,900
Kittitas	10,700
Yakima	10,600

### Top five counties by highest concentration of housing units in high and extreme wildfire risk category

County	Percentage of Homes
Pend Oreille	78.5
Ferry	76.8
Stevens	61.1
Kittitas	48.7
Okanogan	45.5

*The data compiled in this report is only an indication of risk. All figures are rounded. Actual risk for an insurer depends on the location of the individual property and its wildfire risk attributes. For underwriting purposes, FireLine™, powered by Verisk Climate™ technology, provides a wildfire hazard score ranging between 0 (negligible) and 30 (extreme) for each property analyzed.*

*FireLine evaluates wildfire risk at the address level. The service uses advanced remote sensing and digital mapping technology from Verisk Climate to assess the primary factors that contribute to wildfire risk — fuel, slope, and road access — to determine the wildfire hazard score.*

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