

2003 Fire Facts for the Forest and Range resource Kamloops Forest District

1. **Kamloops District area** (total area within district boundaries) - **1,313,662 ha**
Total area burned - **56,208 ha**
Percent of District burned - **4.28%**

2. **Total # of Fires Kamloops District: 136 fires in the District (734 in the Kamloops Fire Zone). Six Fires were larger than 1000 ha: (in order of size)**
 - ◆ McLure – 26,420 ha,
 - ◆ McGillivray – 11,400 ha,
 - ◆ Venables– 7635 ha,
 - ◆ Bonaparte - 1500 ha (about 852ha in Kamloops)
 - ◆ Strawberry Hill – 5731 ha,
 - ◆ Vermillin – 3981 ha)

3. **Dollars spent on Suppression for Kamloops District** **\$128 million**

4. **Burned area totals** (Fires do not burn 100% within the boundary)

Total Area for Fires Over 1000 ha	- 56,019 ha
Crown Land Burned (large fires)	- 42,970.1 ha
Private Land Burned (large fires)	- 5,448.6 ha
Indian Reserve	- 3,212.8 ha
Park Area Burned	- 536.9 ha
Woodlot area burned	- 1012.1 ha
Amount of guard built km	- 602.3 km

5. **Timber Harvest Land Base** (District timber producing area) **- 673,913 ha**
Timber Harvest Land Base Burned (large fires) **- 25,625 ha**
Percent of District Timber Harvest Land Base **- 3.8%**

6. **Range Impacts**

Grazing Leases burned	- 2405 ha
Range Tenures Burned	- 36,879 ha
Animal Unit Months impacted 2003	- 1100 AUM
Animal Unit Months impacted 2004	- 7450 AUM
Km of fence damaged	- 90.0 km
Km of fence to replace lost natural barriers	- 60 km

(AUM = grazing for 1 cow/calf pair for one month)
 (Fence totals do not include Grazing Lease and Private land fences.)