

**2019 FWS List of Acronyms**  
(Fire Management Handbook and Redbook Chapter 4)

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4	310-1	National Incident Management System Wildland Fire Qualifications
5		System Guide
6	AAR	After Action Review
7	AD	Administratively Determined
8	AQB	Air Quality Branch
9	ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials
10	BAR	Burned Area Rehabilitation
11	BI	Burning Index
12	BLM	Bureau of Land Management
13	CCP	Comprehensive Conservation Plan
14	CE	Categorical Exclusion
15	CFDRS	Canadian Fire Danger Rating System
16	CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
17	DOI	Department of Interior
18	ERC	Energy Release Component
19	ES	Emergency Stabilization
20	ESA	Endangered Species Act
21	FDO	Fire Duty Officer
22	FEIS	Fire Effects Information System
23	FMB	Fire Management Branch
24	FMH	Fire Management Handbook
25	FMIS	Fire Management Information System
26	FM	Fuels Management
27	FMO	Fire Management Officer
28	FMP	Fire Management Plan
29	GMAC	Geographical Multi-agency Coordinating Group
30	GPS	Global Positioning System
31	ICS	Incident Command System
32	IDP	Individual Development Plan
33	IFPM	Interagency Fire Program Management Qualifications Standard and
34		Guide
35	IQCS	Incident Qualification and Certification System
36	IPFPIG	Interagency Prescribed Fire Planning and Implementation Procedures
37		Guide
38	IPQG	Incident Positions Qualification Guide
39	JHA	Job Hazard Analysis
40	KBDI	Keetch-Byram Drought Index
41	LDS	Lightning Detection System
42	LEMIS	Law Enforcement Management Information System
43	LFML	Local Fire Management Leadership
44	MAC	Multi-agency Coordinating Group
45	MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
46	NAFRI	National Advanced Fire and Resource Institute
47	NAP	National Applications Portal

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1	NBAERC	National Burned Area Emergency Response Coordinator
2	NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
3	NFDRS	National Fire Danger Rating System
4	NFES	National Fire Equipment System
5	NFLT	National Fire Leadership Team
6	NFML	Fire Management Leadership Course
7	NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
8	NFPORS	National Fire Plan Operations and Reporting System
9	NHPA	National Historical Preservation Act
10	NIFC	National Interagency Fire Center
11	NIMS	National Incident Management System
12	NMAC	National Multi-agency Coordinating Group
13	NUS	Normal Unit Strength
14	NWCG	National Wildfire Coordinating Group
15	NWRS	National Wildlife Refuge System
16	OAS	Office of Aircraft Services
17	OTC	Operations and Training Committee
18	OWF	Office of Wildland Fire
19	PFTC	National Interagency Prescribed Fire Training Center
20	PL	Preparedness Level
21	PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
22	PMS	Publication Management System
23	RAWS	Remote Automated Weather Station
24	Redbook	Interagency Standards for Fire and Fire Aviation Operations
25	RFA	Radio Frequency Agreement
26	RFMC	Regional Fire Management Coordinator
27	Service or FWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
28	SMIS	Safety Management Information System
29	UAS	Unmanned Aircraft Systems
30	USC	United States Code
31	WBS	Work Breakdown Structure
32	WFDSS	Wildland Fire Decision Support System
33	WFMI	Wildland Fire Management Information
34	WIMS	Weather Information Management System
35	WUI	Wildland Urban Interface
36	ZFMO	Zone Fire Management Officer
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