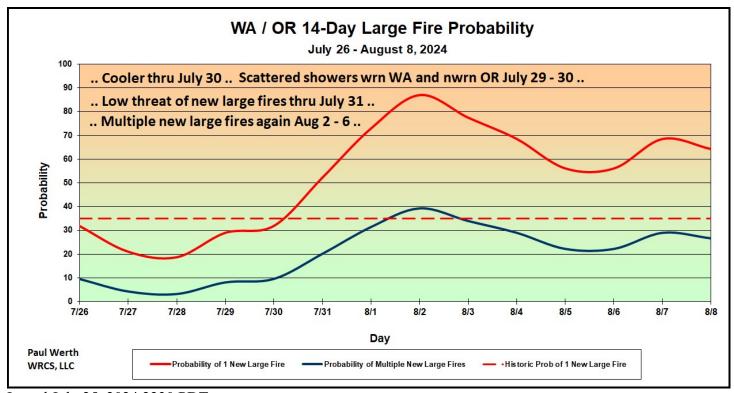
14-Day Large Fire Probability for the Northwest Geographic Area July 26 – August 8, 2024

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This product displays the daily probability of new large and multiple large fires in Washington and Oregon for the next 14-day period. The algorithms used to calculate these probabilities are based upon historic 500mb upper level (~18,000 ft msl) pressure patterns and observed new large fires. A composite of weather forecast models is used to predict large wildland fire threat for the next two-week period. Large fires are defined as 100 acres (or more) in timber, or 300 acres (or more) in grass. This product has consistently predicted large fire outbreaks 7-11 days in advance of the occurrence over the past 18 years.



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For the period July 22 – Aug 8 (20 Year Avg 1996 - 2015) ...

Daily Large Fire Probability 35%
Daily Multiple Large Fire Probability 11%
~ 687 fires
~ 102,995 acres burned
18 new large fires

2024 Fire Season statistics year to date (YTD): 1,581 fires for 430,330 acres (source National Interagency Fire Center) ... July 22 (20 Year Avg 1996-2015) ...1,466 fires for 90,188 acres

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