COUNTRY FIRE SERVICE

CFS FACT SHEET



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Overview of fact sheets & publications

More detailed information to help you complete your bushfire survival plan can be found in our Fact Sheets and brochures, available on the CFS website: www.cfs.sa.gov.au

Planning to Survive a Bushfire

Your Guide to Preparing for and Surviving Bushfires

- 1.1 Prepare. Act. Survive.
- 1.2 7 keys to survival
- 1.3 Plan now to stay and defend or leave early
- 1.4 Planning to leave early
- 1.5 Planning to stay and defend
- 1.6 Bushfire Safer Places (where to relocate on days of severe, extreme and catastrophic fire weather)
- 1.7 On the day of a bushfire
- 1.8 What to do in the event of a bushfire

2. Understanding Bushfires and Warnings

- 2.1 Bushfire behaviour in detail
- 2.2 SA Fire Ban Districts and Fire Danger Season
- 2.3 Fire Danger rating
- 2.4 Fire danger days
- 2.5 Bushfire Warning messages
- 2.6 Emergency broadcast partners (where to listen for warning and alert messages)
- 2.7 Ways to stay informed
- 2.8 Understanding aerial firefighting
- 2.9 Emergency Alert Fact Sheets/FAQs

3. Preparing Yourself

- 3.1 Preparing yourself for bushfire
- 3.2 How people die or survive in bushfires
- 3.3 Bushfire survival kits
- 3.4 After the fire

4. Preparing your Property

- 4.1 Preparing your property
- 4.2 How houses burn
- 4.3 Identifying hazards around your home
- 4.4 House siting and design
- 4.5 Landscaping to minimise the impact of bushfire
- 4.6 Fuel breaks
- 4.7 Creating asset protection zones (KI)
- 4.8 Firefighting equipment
- 4.9 Sprinkler systems
- 4.12 Bushfire information for renters
- 4.14 Burning Off
- 4.15 Chaff Pile/Stubble Dump Burning

5. Pets, Horses and Livestock

- 5.1 Care of pets and livestock
- 5.2 Horses and bushfires
- 5.3 Protection of fodder reserves

6. Machinery, Storage, Permits and Restrictions

- 6.1 Use of machinery
- 6.2 Maintenance of machinery
- Storage of flammables 6.3
- 6.4 LP gas safety
- 6.5 Permits
- 6.6 Restrictions (What can I do / what can't I do?)
- Building and using pizza oven

7. Preparing Your Business

Bushfire safety: for organisations and business (fact sheet)

"Bushfire Safety for Business and Organisations" book Various templates and checklists available for businesses

8. Preparing with Others

Brochure: Community Fire Safe

- 8.1 Fire safety strategies for community groups
- 8.3 Carer's information

9. Surviving While Travelling and on **Holidays**

- 9.1 Campfires and barbecues
- 9.2 Caravan and Camping Bushfire Safety

Brochure: Bushfire Traveller Safety Brochure: Bushfire Safety in Outback SA

10. Aerial Firefighting

- 10.1 Understanding Aerial Firefighting
- 10.2 Single Engine Air Tanker
- 10.3 Type1(High Volume)Helicopter-Erickson Aircrane S-64E
- 10.4 Aerial Firefighting Products

For more information about being Bushfire Ready:

Contact the Bushfire Information Hotline on 1300 362 361 (TTY 133 677)

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