



Annual Activity Summary
October 2011 – September 2012

CFSC Email list membership

Organizations involved	FY 2011 Unique # of participants	FY 2012 Unique # of participants
Forest Service	585	662
National Park Service	39	67
Bureau of Land Management	50	52
University and College faculty, researchers, and students	53	207
CALFIRE	70	69
Geological Survey	*	19
Fish and Wildlife Service	45	47
NGOs	41	79
Tribal Nations	*	3
County authorities	*	60
Cities and local communities	*	22
Regional Authorities	*	25
Private Landowner	98	125
Companies	*	4
Consultants	*	4
Foreign organizations & individuals	*	5
The Nature Conservancy	*	6
Bureau of Indian Affairs	5	5
Natural Resources Conservation Service	*	24
NOAA and National Weather Service	*	3
United States Fire Administration	*	1
Public	36	165
TOTAL	1022	1679

** These categories were not separated out in 2011.*

The CFSC's email list membership grew by 657 over the year, with new members in a variety of organizations. The consortium will continue to seek new members, particularly from tribes, private foresters, and industry.



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Annual Activity Summary - Activities by type

Activity (Conducted, Hosted, Facilitated or Sponsored)	Number of activities offered during FY 2012	Total number of participants
<i>In-person outreach</i>		
Field trips, tours, demonstrations, and roadshows	5	274
Talks and personal briefings about consortium	33	1564
Field consultations	1	10
Workshops	1	150
Conferences and symposia	11	806
Poster presentations	1	NA
<i>Written materials</i>		
Research briefs	69	14776
Bibliography or annotated bibliography	3	5067
Newsletters (printed or electronic distribution)	13	14771
<i>Web based outreach</i>		
Webinars	16	572
Tweets	39	NA
Blog Posts	29	708

A statewide advisory committee and three regional advisory committees guide the CFSC's activities. These groups are comprised of managers and researchers from various state and federal agencies and universities, and help the consortium staff by suggesting areas of focus as well as specific activities.

The 2012 fiscal year was productive for the consortium, with 69 research briefs, 16 webinars, 29 blog posts, and the many other activities listed above. In some areas, we have exceeded the expectations of our own plans (for instance, only 40 research briefs were planned for our first two years of operation).

Following feedback from our members and the recommendation of our advisory committee, the CFSC plans to offer more field and in-person events in 2013. We have had five successful field trips in 2012, and are looking to build on our experience from those to schedule additional trips for 2013. Tentative locations include wildfires from the 2012 season and fuels treatments in the southern Sierra Nevada and Lake Tahoe areas, among others. We are also planning regionally specific workshops throughout the state in order to both address local management issues and reduce travel distances for participants.

The use of Twitter has proved to be a good complement to our monthly newsletter, as it allows us provide more frequent updates throughout the month that our members may opt-in to receive.

Please email any thoughts, suggestions, or question about future consortium activities to tkline@berkeley.edu