

Bang Creek Wildfire Information



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7-27-2014 Current Fire Information

Location– Bang Creek in the Bacon Ridge and Gros Ventre areas of the Jackson Ranger District.

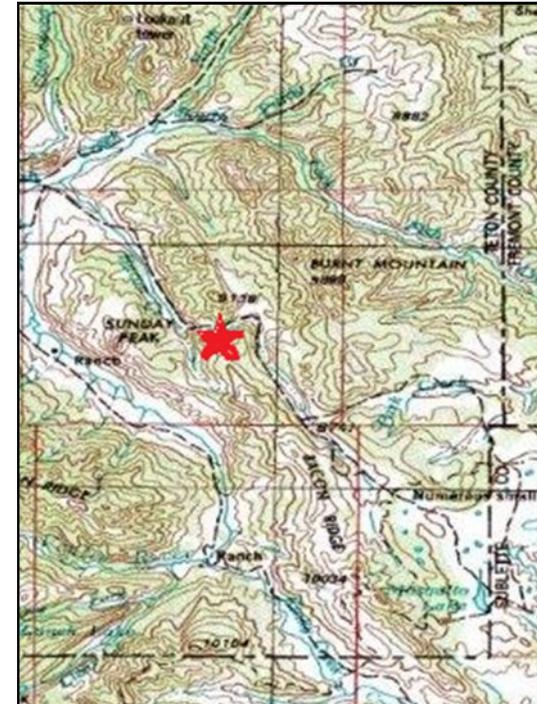
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Fire Size – 52 acres to include spot fires.

Fuels - Aspen, beetle killed mixed conifer and subalpine fir trees.

Fire Behavior - Active with torching trees and spotting.

Smoke is visible from the Green River and New Fork Lakes area



This lightning caused fire is located in the Bacon Ridge area of the Jackson Ranger District. The incident will be managed in coordination with neighboring forest land managers and allowed to play its natural role on the landscape as identified in Land Management Plans for resource objectives.

Natural lightning caused fires can be used as an effective tool to achieve and maintain healthy forests. A fire such as the Bang Creek Fire operates within the natural historical fire pattern, frequency and intensity that prevail in this area. Active fire will improve the health and vigor of aspen patches by promoting suckering in the existing stands and creating diversity in the age of the forest trees.



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