

Wildfire Management Branch AM Forecast
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Widespread cross over or near cross over conditions forecast today with very easy burning conditions continuing in flashy fuels. Very high with a risk of extreme ISI values anticipated during the burning period across boreal zones in moderate winds.

The upper ridge is peaking today ahead of a cold front that is slowly moving eastward through northeastern BC. Ahead of the front widespread cross over or near cross over conditions are expected with winds moderate southerlies over northeastern boreal zones becoming light to moderate southwesterlies over northwestern boreal zones. This will produce very high ISI values with a risk of extreme values across boreal zones. Winds are forecast to be light today across the eastern slopes under the upper ridge.

The front will move into the northeast boreal Tuesday morning with scattered showers and the risk of thundershowers expected along the NT border. Widespread cross over conditions expected along the eastern slopes with very high ISI values forecasts as moderate westerly winds increase along the eastern slopes. An intense upper low will move toward the province Tuesday evening with showers expected over the northeastern slopes and the southern northwest boreal. Rain is forecast to develop in these zones by Wednesday morning.

Forecast for Today and Tonight

Forecast Zone	Maximum Temp	Low RH	Pcpn Covg/ Amnt	Pcpn Type	Ltg Prob	Afternoon Wind
OJ	24	30	RW	20L	L-M	W15
FV	25	25	RW	20L	L-M	SW20
MA	24	25	-	-	L	SW20G35
RE	24	25	-	-	L	SW20G35
GP	23	25	-	-	L	W20G35
SH	24	25	-	-	L	SW20
PY	24	20	-	-	L	S25G35
MM	25	20	-	-	L	S20-25G35
LB	25	20	-	-	L	S20G35
ED	25	20	-	-	L	SW15/SE10
RM	24	20	-	-	L	SW10/SE10
BO	24	20	-	-	L	SW10/SE10
CR	23	20	-	-	L	SW15
JA	25	20	-	-	L	SW10
BA	24	20	-	-	L	SW10
WA	23	25	-	-	L	SW15

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