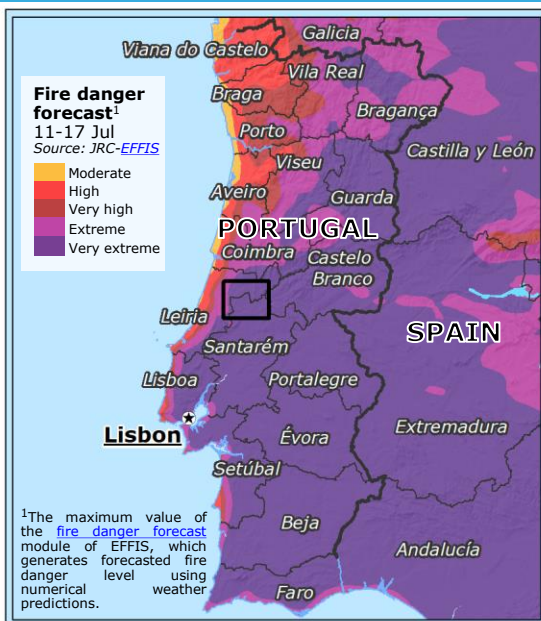


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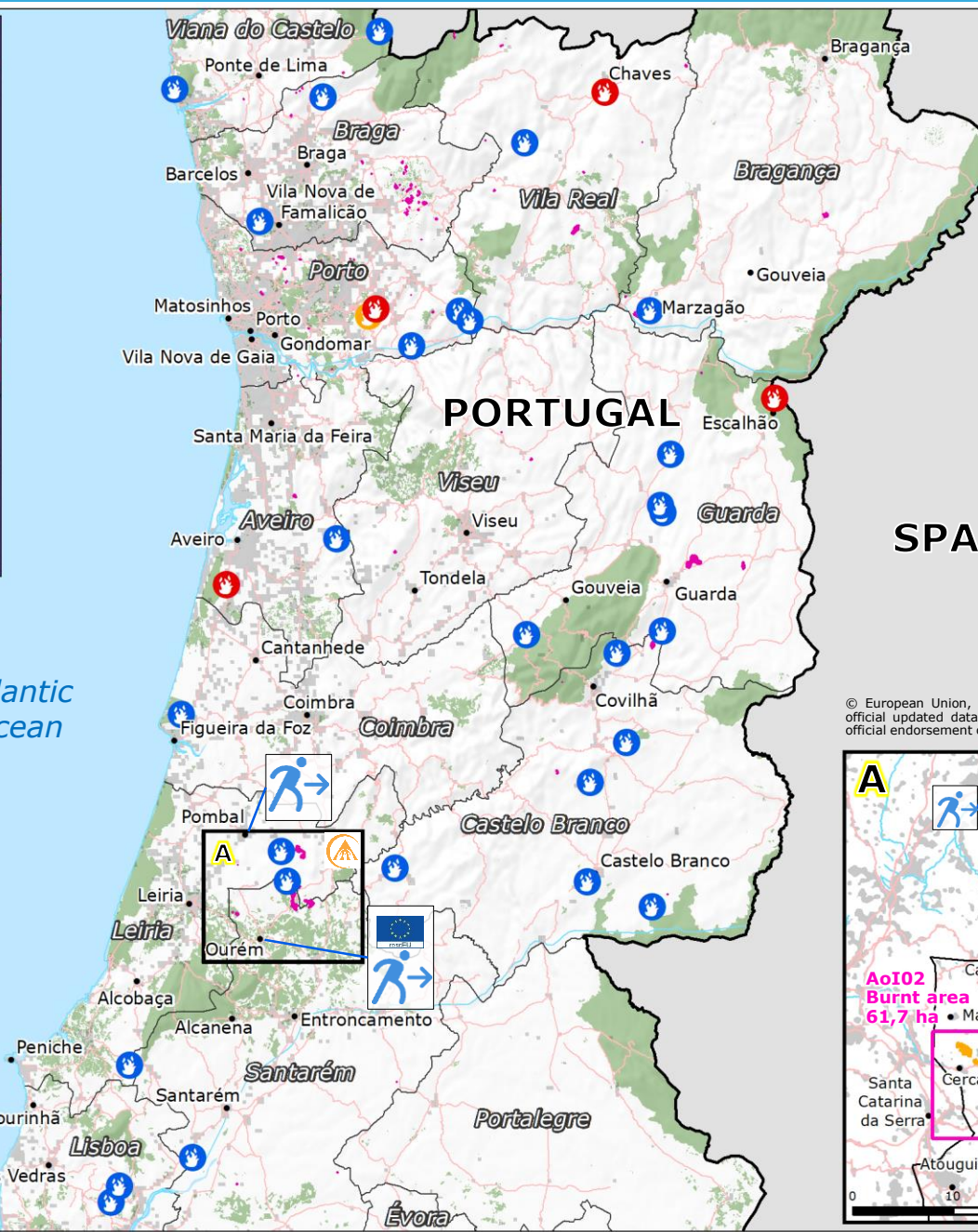


<sup>1</sup>The maximum value of the fire danger forecast module of EFFIS, which generates forecasted fire danger level using numerical weather predictions.

**Active fires as of 11 July at 12:30 UTC**  
(Source: ProCiv.PT)

- Ongoing
- Under control
- Controlled
- Burnt area since 1 June  
Source: JRC-EFFIS
- Populated area  
Source: JRC GHSL
- Forest/agro-forest  
Source: OSM
- Main roads
- Main rivers
- District boundary
- Country boundary

<sup>2</sup>The burnt areas mapped in EFFIS represent, on average, about 80% of the total area burned by wildfires, since only fires larger than 30 ha are mapped. The area burnt by fires smaller than 30 ha is not mapped. More info on limitations and the use of these data on: EFFIS Rapid Damage Assessment.



**UCPM RESPONSE**

- 7 July:** several wildfires were burning around 2,500 hectares across Portugal.
- 9 July:** Portugal activated the Union Civil Protection Mechanism (UCPM) and made a request for assistance for 1 Aerial Forest Fire Fighting Module.
- 10 July:** 2 Canadair were deployed to Portugal by Spain via RescEU.

**NATIONAL RESPONSE**

**3,000 firefighters**

**237 vehicles**

**15 aerial means**

**IMPACT OVERVIEW**  
As of 11 July

**26 Injuries**

Preventive evacuation orders in Ourém (Santarem District) and Pombal (Leira District).

Source: CNEPC

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