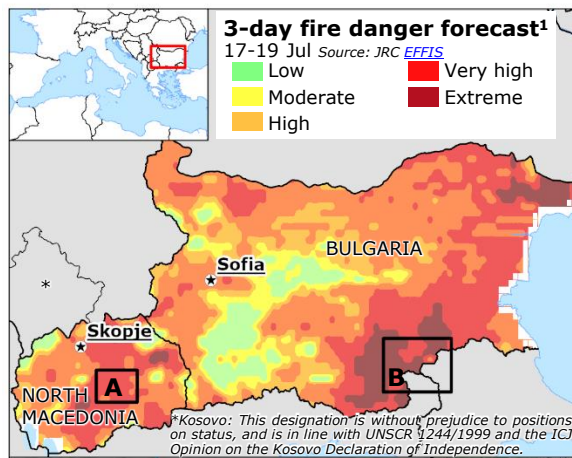


# Bulgaria, North Macedonia | Wildfires and UCPM response



### EU response

On 15 July, Bulgaria and North Macedonia activated the EU Civil Protection Mechanism (UCPM), requesting **aerial firefighting means**

**OFFERED RESPONSE TO NORTH MACEDONIA**

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**OFFERED RESPONSE TO BULGARIA**

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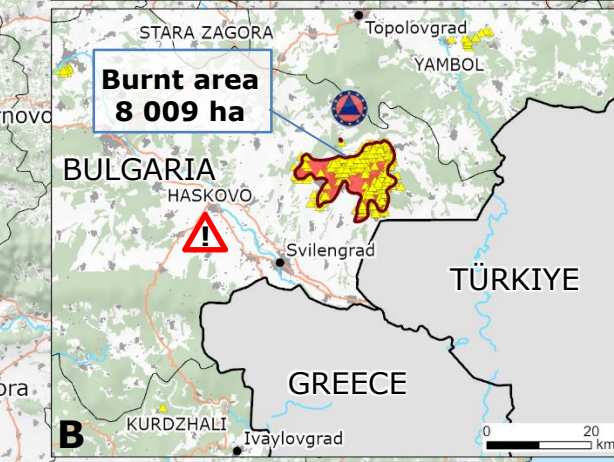
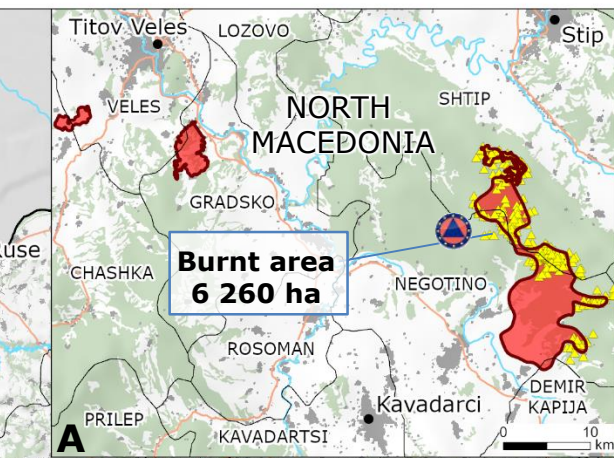
**BULGARIA**  
as of 16 July

State of disaster in Haskovo province  
Source: [Svilengrad.bg](http://Svilengrad.bg)

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**NORTH MACEDONIA**  
as of 13 July

30-days state of emergency  
Source: [Government of North Macedonia](http://Government of North Macedonia)



**Location of burnt areas**

- 1-16 July Source: JRC EFFIS as of 16 July at 12.00 UTC
- Forest/Agro-forest Source: CLC 2018
- Built-up area Source: JRC-GHSL

**Active fire**

- ▲ 13-16 July Source: JRC EFFIS (VIIRS)

**Aerial forest fire fighting capacity**

- Plane
- Helicopter

**EU Civil Protection Mechanism (UCPM) activation**

**Main road**

**County border**

**Administrative division border**

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JRC GWIS: Global Wildfire Information System.  
<sup>1</sup>The fire danger forecast module of GWIS generates maps of forecasted fire danger level using numerical weather predictions.