

# News *fire information*

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## Wildfire Fact Sheet- West Mountain

**Note: Get the latest fire updates on Twitter [@UtahWildfire](https://twitter.com/UtahWildfire)**  
(Use hashtag #WestMountainFire)

**Summary:** Firefighters are working to access the remaining fire perimeter to meet full containment objectives. No structures are threatened and no closures are currently in place.

**Start Date:** Saturday, August 4, 2012 7:45 p.m.

**Location:** Located on the west side of West Mountain, near Utah Hill in Washington County, Utah.

**Jurisdiction:** Bureau of Land Management.

**Fire Size:** Approximately 2,450 acres. (Note: one acre is equivalent to one football field).

**Cause:** Lightning.

**Fire Behavior:** Fire behavior is minimal, isolated hot spots remain.

**Closures:** No closures.

**Structures:** No structures threatened.

**Percent Contained:** 95%

**Fuels:** Cheatgrass and brush.

**Fire Crews/Resources:** 1 Hand Crew, 2 Squads, 1 Air Attack Platform, and Various Overhead. Approximately 35 personnel are assigned to the fire.

**Evacuations:** No evacuations are in effect.

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