## CALIFORNIA FIRE SCIENCE CONSORTIUM (6C)

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The California Fire Science Consortium (CFSC) is part of a national coalition of regional consortia established by the Joint Fire Science Program to facilitate awareness, understanding, and integration of wildland fire science information by federal, state, tribal, local, and private stakeholders in California. As a network of scientists, researchers, and outreach experts across the state, the CFSC seeks to ease communication and collaboration across the state's many agencies, universities, governments, tribes, and citizens. The mission of the CFSC is to 1) Enhance communication between managers, researchers, policymakers, and stakeholders; 2) Facilitate the integration of fire science into CA land management and policy; and 3) Identify fire and fuels research needs from land managers.

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