

The Fire Protection Association (FPA)



The National Veld and Forest Fire Act 101 of 1998 states that landowners may form an association for the purpose of preventing, managing & extinguishing veldfires and apply for its registration as a Fire Protection Association

Benefits of joining a Fire Protection Association

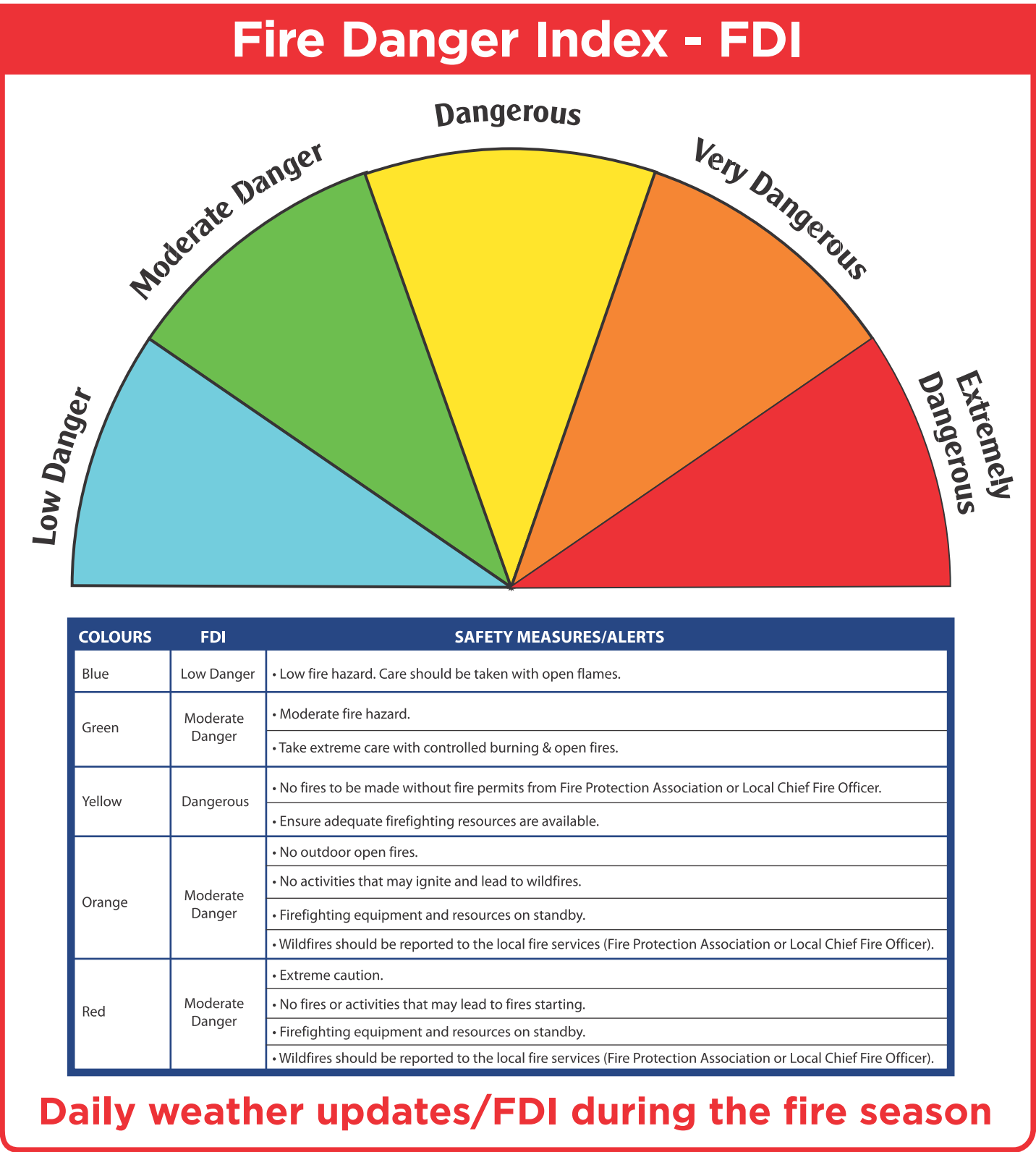
Shared resources between members with regards to fire fighting equipment which results in a cost saving for individual members.

Increased conservation benefit for the landscape with minimization of firebreaks. Reducing accelerated erosion and disturbance to veld and forest.

Increased awareness and management of Social, Environmental and Economic risks.

Increased coordination in the event of a fire.

Assistance in the event of extreme fire conditions through the provision of Trained Fire Fighting teams.



Fire Protection Association facilitate firebreak planning and strategic firebreaks to manage wildfires

What does the FPA provide:

- Assists landowners to become legally compliant
- Provides training courses.
- Risk assessments and identification.
- Able to map members.
- Supports Fire Management Plans.
- Provides Fire Danger Index.
- Facilitate firebreak planning and strategic fire breaks
- Facilitates Fire Management Unit Preparedness

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