# Area Hazard Assessment Form

| Factor | Page reference | Characteristics and point ratings | | | | Score |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **12 Forest vegetation (overstory)** | 2-18 | Deciduous | Mixed wood | Coniferous | | |
| | | | | Separated | Continuous | |
| | | 0 | 15 | 15 | 30 | |
| **13 Surface vegetation** | 2-18 | Lawn or non-combustible material | Wild grass or shrubs | Dead and down woody material | | |
| | | | | Scattered | Abundant | |
| | | 0 | 5 | 5 | 15 | |
| **14 Ladder fuels** | 2-18 | Absent | Scattered | Continuous | | |
| | | 0 | 5 | 10 | | |
| **15 Slope** | 2-19 | 0 - 10% | 10 - 25% | >25% | | |
| | | | Even / Gullied | Even | Gullied | |
| | | 0 | 4 / 5 | 8 | 10 | |
| **16 Position on slope** | 2-20 | Valley bottom or lower slope | Mid-slope | Upper-slope | | |
| | | 0 | 3 | 5 | | |
| | | | | | **Total Score for Factors 12 – 16** | |
| | | | | | **Area Hazard Level** | |

**Hazard Level** Low <21 points Moderate 21-29 points High 30-35 points Extreme >35 points

**Remarks**