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Table 3 Environmental covariates and other associated fields.

From: The Canadian Fire Spread Dataset

attribute	description	mean ± sd	source
ID	Fire ID	NA	NBAC ²⁶
DOB	Day of year burning	203±28	CFSDS ²⁵
year	Year	2012±5.7	NBAC ²⁶
fireday	Day of fire (ignition day=1)	21.9 ± 21.1	CFSDS ²⁵
firearea	Fire growth this day (ha)	571±2383	CFSDS ²⁵
ecozone	Ecozone (see Table <u>4</u>)	NA	ESWG (1996) ⁴⁵
fwi	Fire weather index	11.1 ± 9.7	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
isi	Initial spread index	4.1±3.4	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶

attribute	description	mean ± sd	source
ffmc	Fine fuel moisture code	79.0±15.8	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
dmc	Duff moisture code	36.7 ± 26.5	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
dc	Drought code	285±127	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
bui	Buildup index	51.6 ± 31.4	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
prec	24-hr precipitation (mm)	1.5 ± 3.2	ERA5-Land ³⁶
vpd	Daily max vapour pressure deficit (hPa)	15.8 ± 6.4	ERA5-Land ³⁶
tmax	Maximum daily temperature (°C)	20.9 ± 4.9	ERA5-Land ³⁶
WS	Noon windspeed at 10 m elevation (km/h)	9.4 ± 4.7	ERA5-Land ³⁶
rh	Noon relative humidity (%)	45.8 ± 11.9	ERA5-Land ³⁶
fwi_prev1	Fire weather index from previous day	11.0 ± 9.6	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
fwi_prev2	Fire weather index from 2 days prior	10.9±9.6	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶

attribute	description	mean±sd	source
rh_prev1	Noon relative humidity from previous day (%)	47.3±12.6	ERA5-Land ³⁶
rh_prev2	Noon relative humidity from 2 days prior (%)	48.4±13.3	ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_fwi	Fire weather index anomaly	5.1±8.8	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_isi	Initial spread index anomaly	1.4 ± 3.2	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_ffmc	Fine fuel moisture code anomaly	7.8 ± 15.7	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_dmc	Duff moisture code anomaly	16.4 ± 22.3	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_dc	Drought code anomaly	83.7±70.5	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_bui	Buildup index anomaly	21.6 ± 25.5	CFSDS ²⁵ , ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_prec	Precipitation anomaly (mm)	-1.0 ± 3.2	ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_vpd	Daily max vapour pressure deficit anomaly (Pa)	6.5 ± 4.7	ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_tmax	Maximum daily temperature anomaly (°C)	6.0 ± 4.5	ERA5-Land ³⁶

attribute	description	mean±sd	source
d_ws	Noon windspeed anomaly (km/h)	2.2 ± 4.2	ERA5-Land ³⁶
d_rh	Noon relative humidity anomaly (%)	6.5 ± 21.8	ERA5-Land ³⁶
Biomass	Total live aboveground biomass (t/ha)	53±46	SCANFI ³⁹
Closure	Crown closure (%)	41±16	SCANFI ³⁹
prcD	Deciduous component (%)	11±13	SCANFI ³⁹
prcC	Conifer component (%)	89±13	SCANFI ³⁹
peatCl	Peatland class	NA	Thompson et al.41
peatland	Modeled probability of peatland presence (0–100)	29±19	Thompson <i>et al</i> . ⁴¹
hydrodens2k	Proportion surface water within 2 km window	0.09 ± 0.12	CanVec Hydro ⁴⁰
hydrodens5k	Proportion surface water within 5 km window	0.11 ± 0.12	CanVec Hydro ⁴⁰
hydrodens10k	Proportion surface water within 10 km window	0.12 ± 0.12	CanVec Hydro ⁴⁰

attribute	description	mean±sd	source
hydrodens25k	Proportion surface water within 25 km window	0.13 ± 0.12	CanVec Hydro ⁴⁰
roaddens2k	Road density within 2 km (km/km²)	0.03 ± 0.12	CanVec Transport ⁴³
roaddens5k	Road density within 5 km (km/km²)	0.03±0.10	CanVec Transport ⁴³
roaddens10k	Road density within 10 km (km/km²)	0.03 ± 0.10	CanVec Transport ⁴³
roaddens25k	Road density within 25 km (km/km²)	0.03±0.09	CanVec Transport ⁴³
roaddist	Distance to major road or railway line (m)	39000± 39180	CanVec Transport ⁴³
dem	Elevation (m)	557±384	ASTER Global Digital Elevation ⁴⁰
slope	Slope (degrees)	5.0 ± 6.4	ASTER Global Digital Elevation ⁴⁰
twi	Topographic wetness index	5.6±0.5	ASTER Global Digital Elevation ⁴⁰
aspect	Aspect (degrees, 0-359)	181±103	ASTER Global Digital Elevation ⁴⁰
cumuarea	Cumulative fire area (ha, NBAC ²⁶)	14450± 39510	CFSDS ²⁵

attribute	description	mean ± sd	source
pctgrowth	Percent growth this day (%) (NBAC ²⁶)	113±1950	CFSDS ²⁵
prevgrow	Fire growth on prior fireday (ha)	617 ± 2463	CFSDS ²⁵
sprdistm	Daily fire spread (m)	453±1063	CFSDS ²⁵
lat	Latitude (m) (EPSG 4269)	-112±16	CFSDS ²⁵
lon	Longitude (m) (EPSG 4269)	58±5	CFSDS ²⁵

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