

Appendix A: Course Equivalency Matrix

2020 COURSE EQUIVALENCIES*					
California Incident Command Certification System					
INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM COURSES					
EMI FEMA NFA	SFT State Fire Training	NWCG National Wildfire Coordinating Group	CAL FIRE	FIRESCOPE	Other Courses
NFA Q-463 EMI IS-200	I-200	N/E	CAL FIRE ICS-200	N/E	N/E
NFA H-465 EMI G-300	I-300	N/E	CAL FIRE ICE-300	N/E	N/E
NFA H-467 EMI G-400	I-400	N/E	CAL FIRE ICS-400	N/E	N/E
IS-700.a IS-700.b	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
N/E Strike Team Leader	FSSTEP AH-330	N/E	C-330	FIRESCOPE AH-330	N/E
G/E/L 960 Division/ Group Supervisor	FSSTEP AR-339	S-339	C-339	AR-339	N/E
FEMA G/E/L-964 Situation Unit Leader	FSSTEP S-346	S-346	C-346	N/E	N/E
FEMA G/E/L-965 Resources Unit Leader/ Demobilization Unit Leader	FSSTEP S-349	S-349	C-349	N/E	N/E
FEMA G/E/L-971 Facilities Unit Leader	N/E	S-354	C-354	N/E	N/E
N/E Ground Support Unit Leader	FSSTEP S-355	S-355 Ground Support Unit Leader	C-355	N/E	N/E
FEMA G/E/L-970 Supply Unit Leader	FSSTEP S-356	S-356	C-356	N/E	N/E
FEMA G/E/L-969 Communications Unit Leader	FSSTEP S-358	S-358	C-358	N/E	N/E
G/E/L 954 Safety Officer	FSSTEP S-404	S-404	C-404	N/E	N/E
G/E/L 958 Operations Section Chief	S-430	S-430	C-420	N/E	N/E
FEMA G/E/L-962 Planning Section Chief	S-440	S-440	C-440	N/E	N/E
INSTRUCTOR COURSES					
SFT State Fire Training	NWCG National Wildfire Coordinating Group	EMI FEMA NFA	CAL FIRE	FIRESCOPE	Other Courses
CFSTES Instructor I	M-410 Facilitative Instructor	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E

WILDLAND SUPPRESSION COURSES					
NWCG National Wildfire Coordinating Group	SFT State Fire Training	EMI FEMA NFA	CAL FIRE	FIRESKO PE	Other Courses
S-131 Advanced Firefighter Training	FSSTEP S-131 OR Wildland FF-II*	N/E	CAL FIRE Basic Firefighter	N/E	N/E
S-190 Intro to Wildland Fire Behavior	FSSTEP S-190 OR Wildland FF-I	N/E	C-190	N/E	N/E
S-200 Initial Attack Incident Commander	FSSTEP S-200 OR CFSTES Company Officer 2E	R-301	Company Officer Academy (COA)	N/E	N/E
S-211 Portable Pumps and Water Use	FSSTEP S-211	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
S-212 Wildland Fire Chainsaws	FSSTEP S-212	N/E	C-212	N/E	N/E
S-215 Fire Operations in the Urban Interface	FSSTEP S-215 OR CFSTES Company Officer 2E	N/E	Company Officer Academy (COA)	N/E	N/E
S-219 Firing Operations	FSSTEP CA-219 (exceeds requirement)	N/E	C-234 Ignitions Operations (exceeds requirement)	N/E	N/E
S-230 Crew Boss Single Resource (taken with S-231)	FSSTEP S-230 (taken with S-231) CFSTES Company Officer 2E	N/E	Fire Crew Captain Administration and Fire Crew Captain Operations	N/E	N/E
S-231 Engine Boss Single Resource (taken with S-230)	FSSTEP S-231 (taken with S-230) OR CFSTES Company Officer 2E	N/E	Company Officer Academy (COA)	N/E	N/E
S-244 Field Observer	FSSTEP S-244	N/E	C-244	N/E	N/E
S-245 Display Processor	FSSTEP S-245	N/E	C-245	N/E	N/E
S-270 Basic Air Operations	FSSTEP S-270	N/E	Geographic Intermediate Air Operations	N/E	N/E
S-271 Helicopter Crewmember	N/E	N/E	C-271	N/E	N/E
S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior	FSSTEP S-290	N/E	S-290	N/E	N/E
S-300 Extended Attack Incident Commander	FSSTEP S-300 OR CFSTES Chief Fire Officer 3D	N/E	C-300	N/E	N/E
S-359 Medical Unit Leader	FSSTEP S-359	N/E	C-359	N/E	N/E
S-271 Helicopter Crewmember	N/E	N/E	C-271	N/E	N/E

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NWCG National Wildfire Coordinating Group	SFT State Fire Training	EMI FEMA NFA	CAL FIRE	FIRESCOPE	Other Courses
S-372 Helicopter Management	N/E	N/E	C-372 When Needed (CWN) Helicopter Management	N/E	N/E
S-290 Intermediate Fire Behavior	FSTEP S-290	N/E	S-290	N/E	N/E
S-359 Medical Unit Leader	S-359	N/E	C-359	N/E	N/E
S-390 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior Calculations	S-390	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
S-445 Incident Training Specialist	S-445	N/E	C-445	N/E	N/E
S-490 Advanced Fire Behavior	S-490	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
S-491 Intermediate National Fire Danger Rating System	S-491	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
S-495 Geospatial Fire Analysis	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E	S-492 Long Term Fire Risk Assessment & S-493 FARSITE
S-520 Advanced Fire Management	N/E	EMI Advanced All- Haz. Inc. Mgmt.	C-520	N/E	CIMC
S-580 Advanced Fire Use Applications	S-580	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
S-590 Advanced Fire Behavior Interpretation	S-590	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
N-9025 Tactical Decisions & Sand Table	S-336	N/E	N/E	N/E	N/E
USAR COURSES					
EMI FEMA NFA NWCG	SFT State Fire Training	National Wildfire Coordinating Group	CAL FIRE	FIRESCOPE	Other Courses

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