

# Dozer Operability Rating

## Description

The Dozer Operability Rating (DOR) expresses how difficult it is to operate a dozer in an area based on limitations associated with slope and vegetation/fuel type. Using the fireline production rates published in the NWCG Fireline Handbook 3 (PMS 410-1) as a guide,

operability values were assigned to a matrix based on 6 slope classes and 10 vegetation/fuels classes. The possible values range from 1 to 9, with 1 representing no limitations and 9 being inoperable.

Dozer Operability Rating - Acres

Class	Acres	Percent
1 (No Expected Limitations)	23,409	12.5%
2 (Slight)	31,888	17.0%
3 (Slight to Moderate)	22,409	12.0%
4 (Moderate)	11,750	6.3%
5 (Moderate to Significant)	57,645	30.8%
6 (Significant)	0	0.0%
7 (Significant to Severe)	0	0.0%
8 (Severe)	40,302	21.5%
9 (Inoperable)	0	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>187,403</b>	<b>100.0%</b>