



FIRE CREW FIREFIGHTER TRAINING

Procedures Handbook 4200

WILDLAND FIRE
CONTROL QUIZ

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

POINTS

1. The two basic methods of attack are
 - A. _____
 - B. _____ 10

2. Name two advantages to answer "A" in question #1
 1. _____
 2. _____ 10

3. Name two disadvantages to answer "A" in question #1
 1. _____
 2. _____ 10

4. Name two disadvantages to answer "B" in question #1
 1. _____
 2. _____ 10

5. Name two advantages to answer "B" in question #1
 1. _____
 2. _____ 10

6. During initial attack _____ is done to check the fire at points of more rapid spread.
 - a. Continuous line
 - b. Hot spotting
 - c. Fire behavior 10



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7. A scratch line
- a. Can be very narrow
 - b. Is temporary, and must later be widened
 - c. A and B are both correct

10

POINTS POSSIBLE: 100

POINTS DEDUCTED: _____

FINAL SCORE: _____



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1. The two basic methods of attack are
 - A. **DIRECT**
 - B. **INDIRECT**

_____ 10

2. Name two advantages to answer "A" in question #1
 1. **FIRE STOPPED/LITTLE SPREAD**
 2. **NO BURNING OUT**
 3. **SAFETY IN BURNED AREAS**
 4. **BURNED-OUT AREA ADVANTAGE**
 5. **NO NEED STANDBY PERSONNEL/UNBURNED AREAS**

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3. Name two disadvantages to answer "A" in question #1
 1. **ATTACK HAMPERED BY HEAT/SMOKE/FLAME**
 2. **NO ADVANTAGE NATURAL FIRE BARRIERS**
 3. **CONTROL LINE LONG/IRREGULAR, FOLLOWS FIRE EDGE**
 4. **MORE MOP-UP, CLOSER PATROL**

_____ 10

4. Name two disadvantages to answer "B" in question #1
 1. **SACRIFICE ACREAGE**
 2. **BURNING OUT CAN GET OUT OF CONTROL**
 3. **REQUIRES CLOSE WATCH**
 4. **FIRE CAN SUDDENLY CHANGE DIRECTION/WIND CONDITIONS**
 5. **FIRE CAN OUTFLANK/JEOPARDIZE CREW**

_____ 10

5. Name two advantages to answer "B" in question #1
 1. **EASIER WORK/NO HEAT, SMOKE**
 2. **REDUCES LENGTH OF FIRE EDGE**
 3. **PERMITS USING NATURAL BARRIERS**

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