



EMSR909 - AOI01
Wildfires in Viotia, Greece
VILIA

Situation as of 01/08/2026 08:46 UTC
Delineation - Overview map 01



Active Flames
8 No.
Fire Fronts
6.8 km
Burnt area
6,669.7 ha

Potentially affected population
~ 250

Built-up and Transportations

Road
123.1 km

Built-Up
59.1 ha

Crisis Information

- Active Flames
- Fire Fronts
- Burnt area
- Previous burnt area
- Area of Interest
- Not Analysed

General Information

- Region
- Residential
- Lake, River

Facilities

- Long-distance pipelines or lines
- Local pipelines or lines
- Dam
- Mining or extraction site
- Power plant
- Sport and recreation constructions
- Water or Aquatic infrastructure

Transportation

- Main road
- Local road
- Track

	Current		Forecast	
	Aug 01, 08:46 UTC		Aug 02, 08:46 UTC	Aug 03, 08:46 UTC
Wind direction and speed	31 km/h		26 km/h	21 km/h
Temperature and relative Humidity	27° 49%		28° 42%	29° 39%

Data retrieved from ECMWF on Aug 01, 08:46 UTC. Calculated at: 38.181°N, 23.234°E.

Event: Two wildfires started in Viotia Regional Unit (Stereia Ellada Prefecture), 55 km northwest of Athens, on 31 July 2026 at 06:35 and 08:04, and the fires expanded rapidly due to strong northerly winds. Residents of Aliko, Agios Nikolaos and Agios Vasiliios had to be evacuated, and a 112 cell broadcast message was issued for this purpose. Ground forces (63 vehicles with 116 firefighters) and aerial means (12 helicopters and 6 airplanes) were used for fire suppression, assisted by municipality vehicles, machinery and volunteer organizations. Copernicus EMS Rapid Mapping is requested to provide initial rough estimation, fire extent and damage assessment emergency mapping.

Data sources and analysis: Pre-event image: Sentinel-2 (2026) (acquired on 28/07/2026 at 09:06 UTC, resolution 10.0 m). Post-event image: SPOT6 © Airbus DS (2026), (acquired on 01/08/2026 at 08:46 UTC, resolution 1.5 m). This image is used as background image.

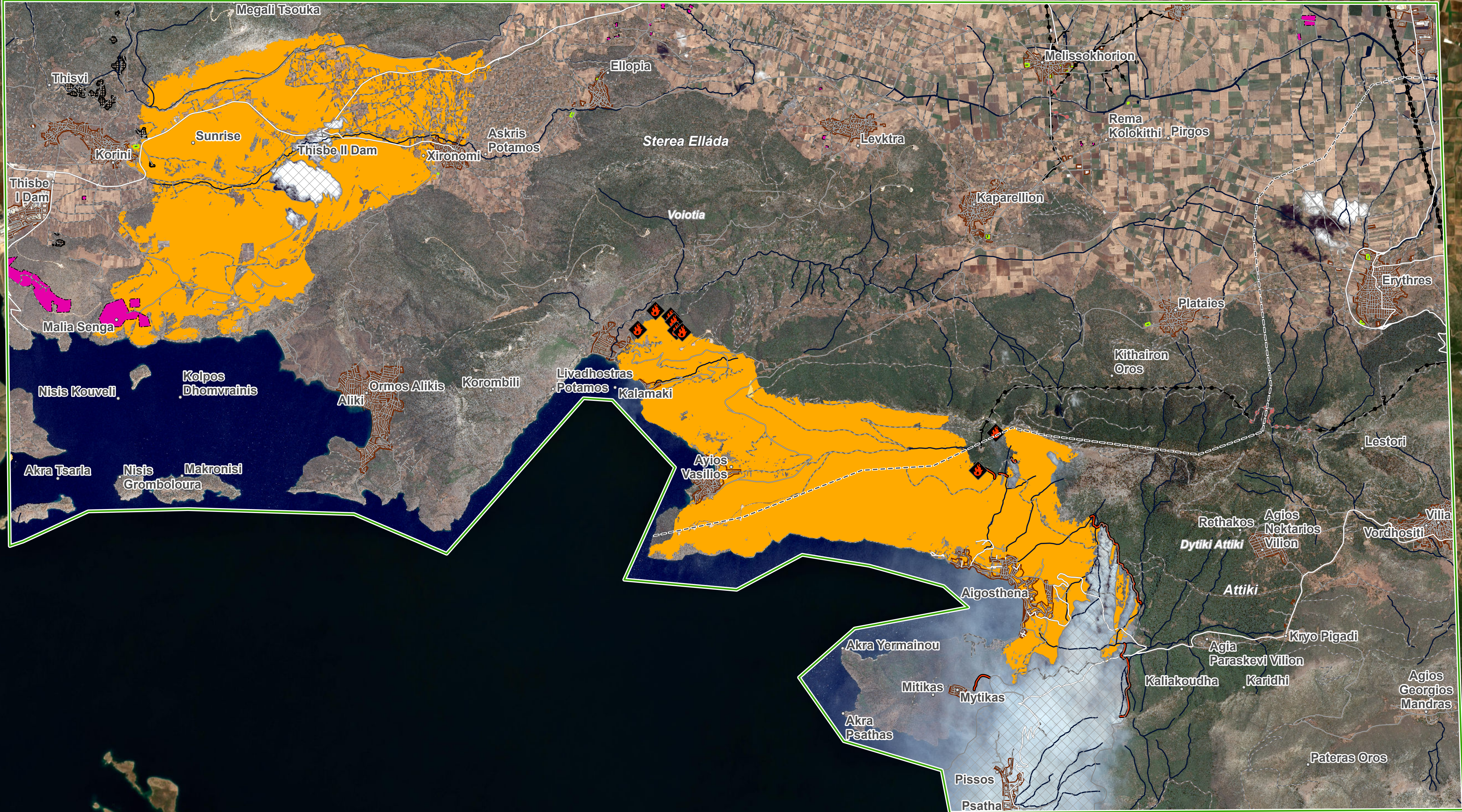
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The thematic layer has been derived from post-event satellite image using a semi-automatic approach.

Active flames are visible in the cloud shadows even if the burnt area couldn't be properly delineated.

Map produced by Telespazio Iberica released by e-GEOS on the 01/08/2026.

Details on this activation and service conditions available through the QR code or at the link: <https://mapping.emergency.copernicus.eu/activations/EMSR909>



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0 0.75 1.5 3 km
WGS 1984 UTM Zone 34N 1:51,000

Consequences within the AOI

			Unit of measurement	LATEST IMPACT
				Imagery-based observation
Crisis information	Burnt area		ha	6,669.7
	Fire Fronts		km	6.8
	Active Flames		No.	8

Estimated population		Inhabitants	No.	POTENTIALLY AFFECTED	Total in AOI
				~ 250	~ 10,000
Assets	Built-up	Residential Buildings	ha	59.1	755.2
	Transportation	Primary Road	km	2.2	20.1
		Secondary Road	km	14.6	56.2
		Local Road	km	39.0	482.2
		Cart Track	km	67.4	820.0
	Facilities	Settling Basin	ha	0	0.6
		Breakwater	ha	0	0.1
		Constructions for mining or extraction	ha	1.5	42.4
		Power plant constructions	ha	6.4	124.5
		Sport and recreation constructions	ha	0.1	6.3
		Other civil engineering works not elsewhere classified	ha	0	1.5
		Long-distance pipelines, communication and electricity lines	km	0	33.8
		Local pipelines and cables	km	0	3.3
		Dams	km	0	0.05
	Land use	Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation association	ha	4,754.0	23,161.7
		Permanent crops	ha	949.5	2,977.5
		Open spaces with little or no vegetation	ha	359.2	970.1
		Forests	ha	326.1	4,287.7
		Heterogeneous agricultural areas	ha	145.9	4,157.2
		Other	ha	93.4	6,054.3
		Arable land	ha	41.5	8,705.2
		Pastures	ha	0	96.9
		Inland wetlands	ha	0	18.8

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Data Access:
All data displayed on the map(s), as well as Land Use - Land Cover layer(s), are available in the Crisis Information Package and the Base Layer Package (for reference data).
The table above is available in editable format in the Crisis Information Package.
All products and data are also available for download on the portal.

Estimated Population:
Estimated population is based on Copernicus Global Human Settlement Layer (GHSL) dataset.
Additional population datasets and analysis are available in the summary table.

Data Sources:
Base Vector Layers: OpenStreetMap © OpenStreetMap contributors (2026); Wikimapia.org; GeoNames 2015;
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Corine Land Cover (CLC) 2018.

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Digital Elevation Model:
FABDEM (ForestAndBuildingsremovedCopernicusDEM) removes building and tree height biases from the Copernicus GLO 30
Digital Elevation Model (DEM) (Airbus, 2020).

Access to the portal

