Fire Scout

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Why Fire Scout



- California Fires (estimate as of Sep 2020)
 - 6,447 Fires
 - o 2,246,483 Acres
 - Indirect Deaths: approx. 1,200
- Nationally 2019
 - 8,765 Fires
 - 1,001,587 Acres
- Dangerous to Monitor
- Lack of continuous data for responders

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Problem



- Collecting data
- Transferring data
- Identify fire vs no fire
- Fire prediction
- Communication between drones
- Adequate cameras and hardware

Solution

- Classification
- DNN
- Clustering
- Path Planning
- Image processing
- NVIDIA jetson nano
- DJI M200 drone



Plan for Development

- Fire Classification Machine Learning
- Study Image Classification Methods DNN
- Implement Model on Drone's Computer
- Object Detection (humans, cars, ect.)
- Real time GUI for Ground Station



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Our product allows first responders to collect real-time data in an accurate manner.

It allows to people to be safe outside of a fire, while still fighting the fire.





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