

## Graph of the Week

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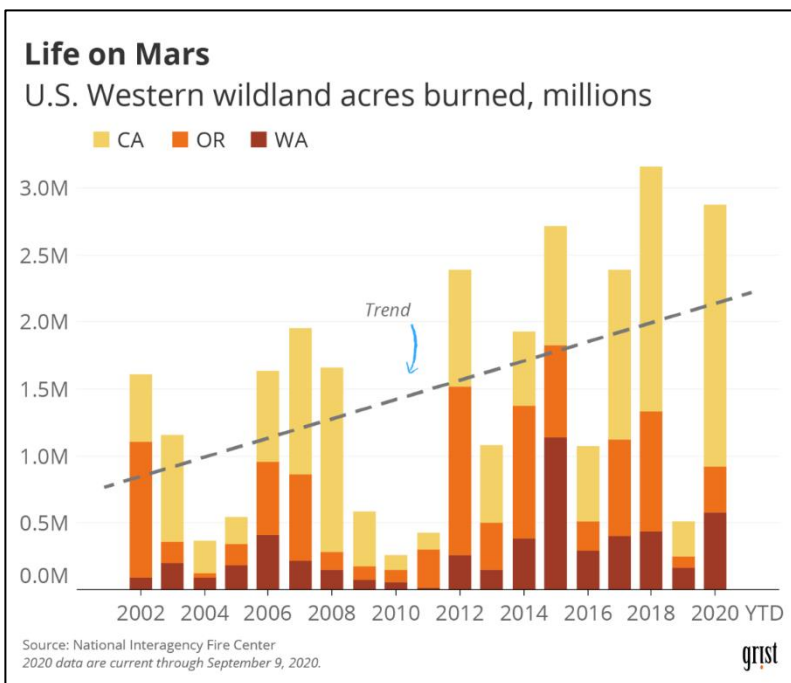
### September \_\_\_\_\_, 2020

Analyze the graphs below and write a reflection on what you think the graphs are communicating to you. To guide you with your response, start with some observations.

- What are the topics of the graphs?
- What quantities are being compared? (If there are x- and y- axes, what do they represent?)
- What are some observations that you can make based on the graphs?
- What do you foresee happening in the next 10 years?

#### Questions to ask when reading graphs:

- Is there an upward or downward trend?
- Are there any sudden spikes in the graph?
- What is being compared in the graph?
- What prediction can I make for the future?
- What inferences can I make about the graph?



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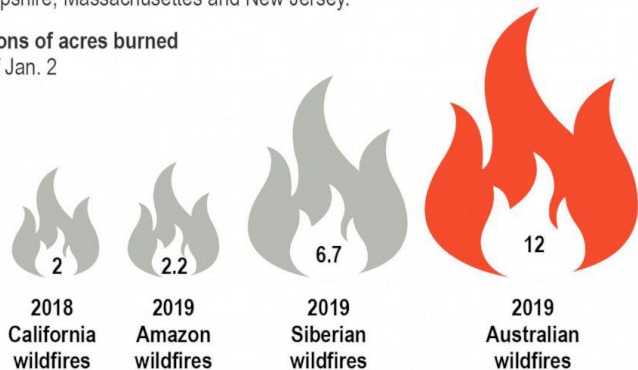
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### Australia fires dwarf other major wildfires

The wildfires burning in Australia, covering roughly 12 million acres, are as large as the state of Maryland and bigger than several other states including Vermont, New Hampshire, Massachusetts and New Jersey.

Millions of acres burned as of Jan. 2



SOURCE: Statista

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