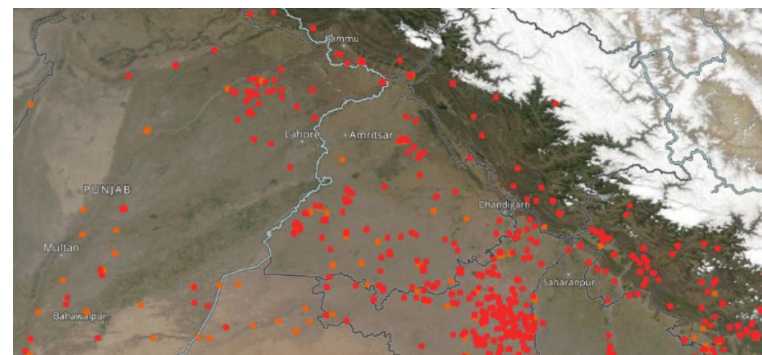


# MONITORING WHEAT RESIDUE BURNING IN PUNJAB USING GEOSPATIAL TECHNOLOGIES 2024



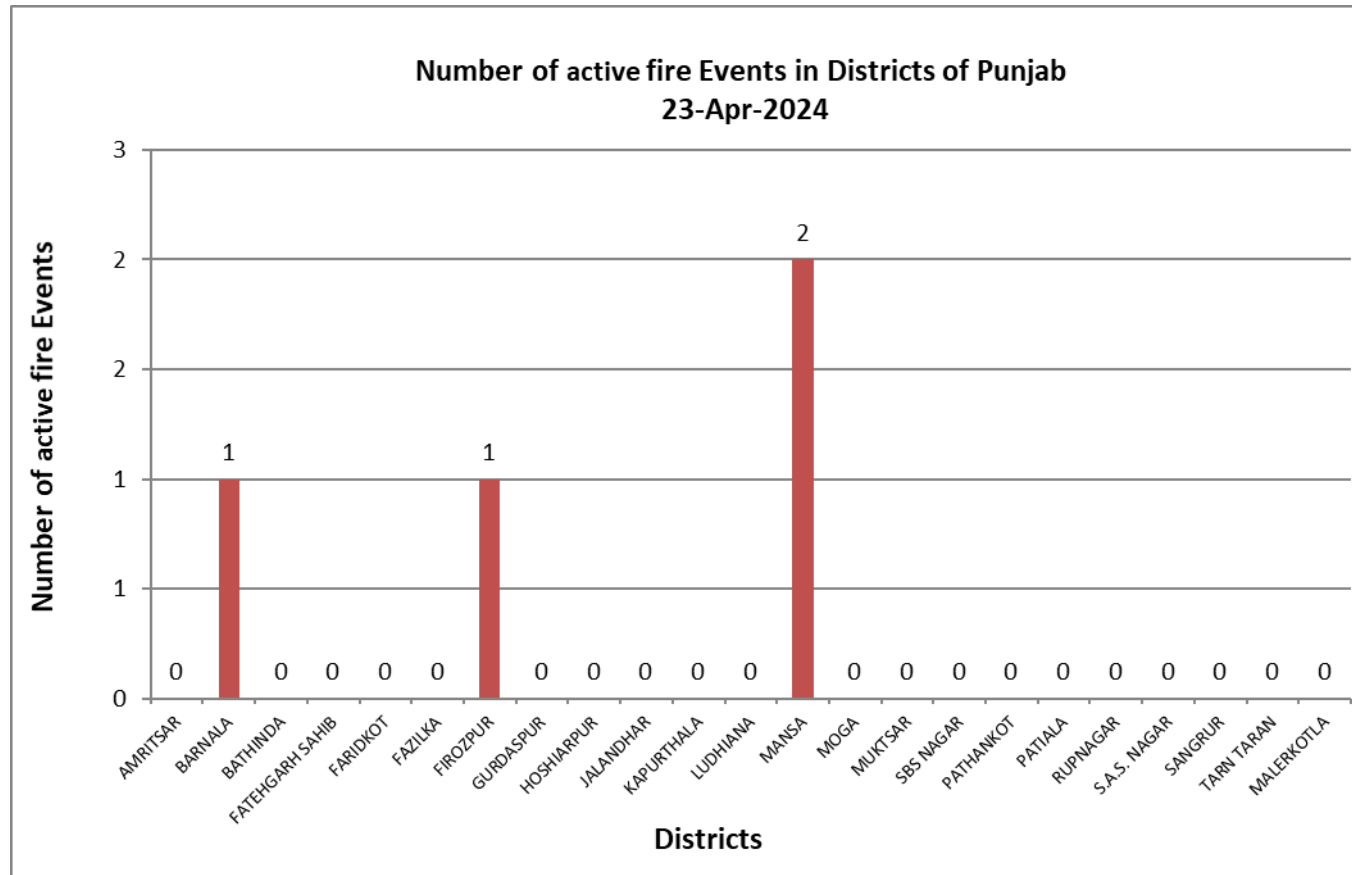
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### Highlights for 23 April 2024

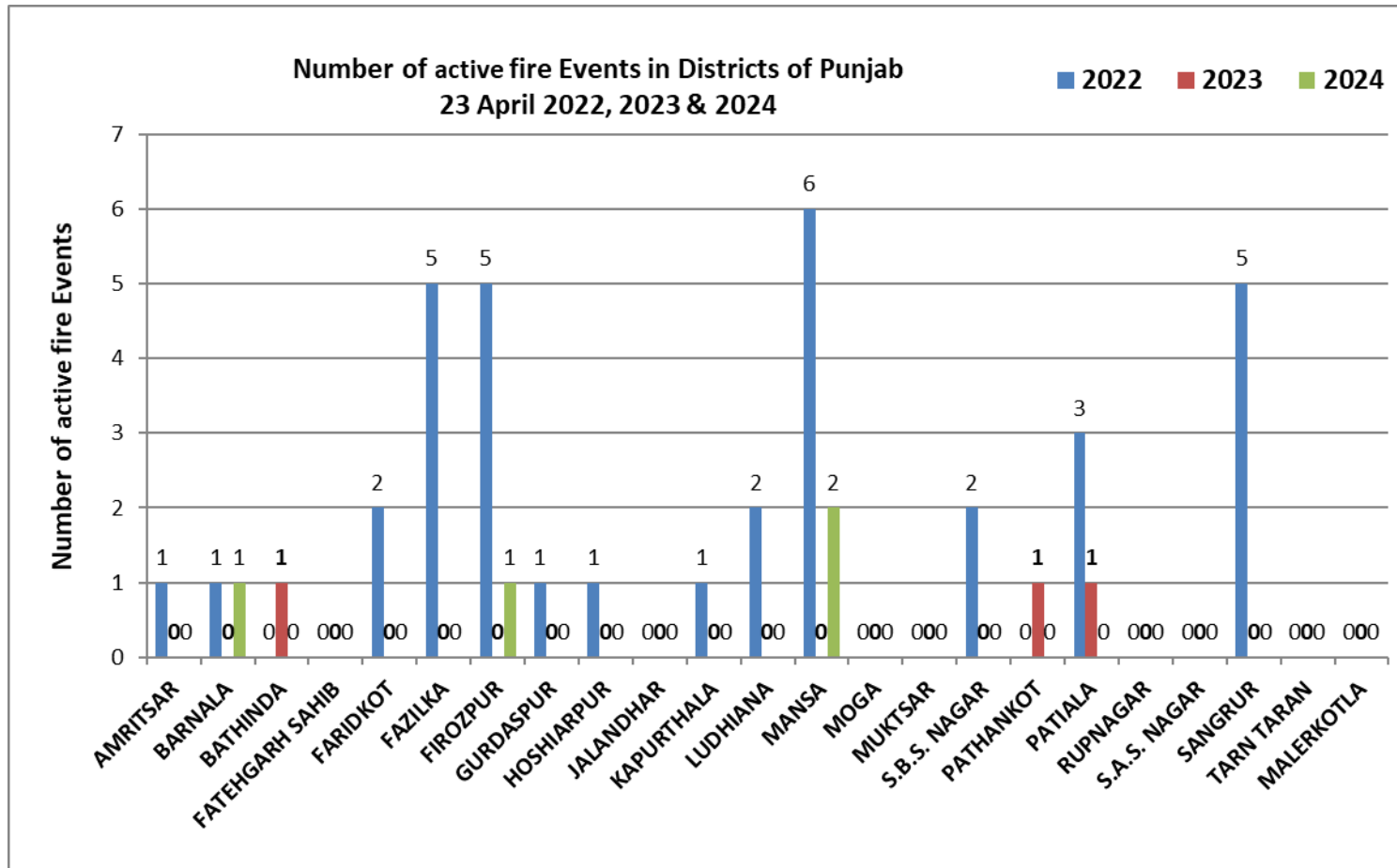
- The active fire incidents due to wheat residue burning were monitored using satellite remote sensing, following the new "Standard Protocol for Estimation of Crop Residue Burning Fire Events using Satellite Data" developed on the directions of "Commission for Air Quality Management in National Capital Region and Adjoining Areas".
- Satellites detected 04 incidents in the Punjab State on 23 April 2024.

### District-wise Active Fire Events in Punjab



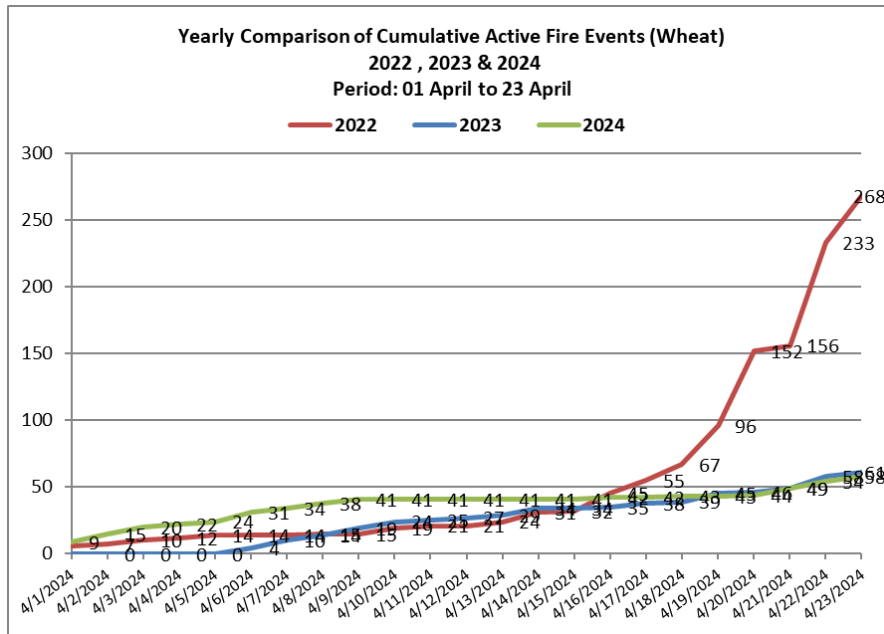
**Fig. 1. District-wise fire incidents (Total events = 04) captured by Satellite in Punjab on 23 April 2024**

On April, 23 2024, 04 active fire incidents were captured by the Satellite in state of Punjab.

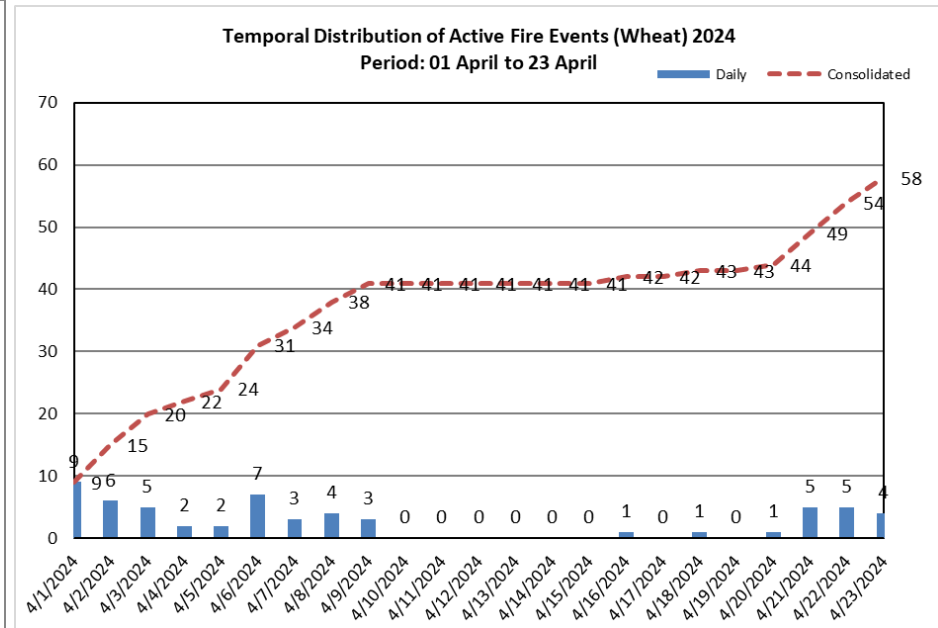


**Fig 2 : District-wise comparison of fire incidents captured in Punjab on 23 April 2022, 2023 & 2024**

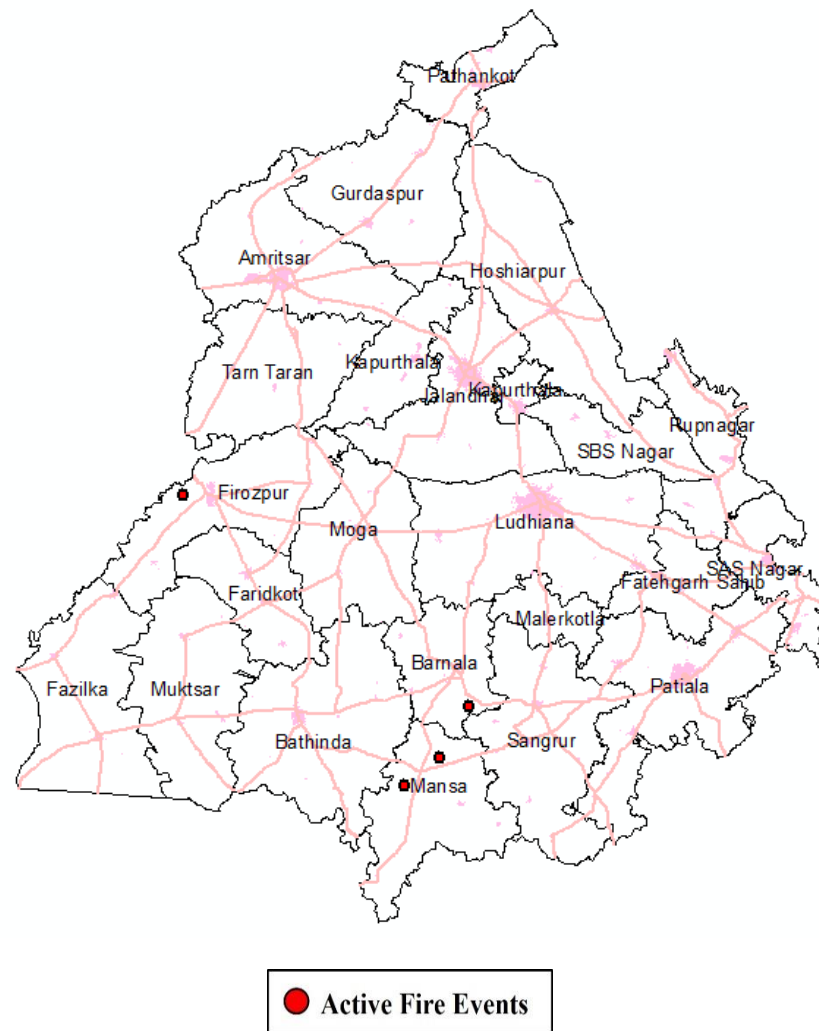
On April, 23 2024, **04** active fire events were captured by the Satellite in state of Punjab. Whereas on the same day (i.e. April 23), in the year 2022, **35** active fire events were captured and in the year 2023 there were **03** active fire events in state of Punjab.



**Fig 3 : Cumulative fire incidents captured in Punjab upto 23 April 2022, 2023 & 2024**



**Fig 4: Date-wise Cumulative fire incidents captured in Punjab upto 23 April 2024**



**Map.1. Active fire locations detected in Punjab on 23 April 2024 by Satellite**

**Table.1. Active fire locations detected in Punjab on 23 April 2024 by Satellite**

S.N.	Latitude	Longitude	Detection_ Confidence	Radiative_ power (W/m2)	sat	Acq-date	acqtime	District	Tehsil	Block	Village	Hadb ast No	Thana
1	30.245000	75.583000	69	19.1	mod	4/23/2024	2:28:07 PM	Barnala	Tapa	Barnala	Dhanoula d	59	Dhanaula Barnala
2	30.932420	74.509870	8	3.4	npp	4/23/2024	1:54:36 PM	Ferozpur	Mam dot	Mamdot	Kamal Din	283	Mamdot Ferozepur
3	30.077000	75.472000	74	24.2	mod	4/23/2024	2:28:07 PM	Mansa	Mansa	Bhikhi	Atla Kalan	17	Bhikhi Mansa
4	29.985310	75.339290	8	3.6	npp	4/23/2024	1:54:36 PM	Mansa	Mansa	Mansa	Khokhar Khurd	74	Sadar Mansa

**The data from following Satellites received at NRSC Ground Station were used**

S. No.	Satellite Name	Sensor	Resolution (m)	Day/Night Passes
1	Suomi NPP	VIIRS	375	Both
2	Terra	MODIS	1000	Both
3	Aqua	MODIS	1000	Both

**The Wheat mask for the States was provided by MNCFC, MoA&FW, Govt. of India**

GIS Maps of fire events can be visualized online on Crop Residue Burning (CRB) Information and Management System of Punjab Remote Sensing Centre, Ludhiana by following the link: <http://202.164.39.172/residue/Index.aspx>