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U.S. WILDFIRE EXTENT

1985-1989
5-year average

2.98
million acres

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2015-2020
6-year average

8.20
million acres

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