

Average Worst Summary

Averaging the data from very active fire years (1996, 1999, 2000, 2002, 2006 and 2007) selected from the previous 14 years, average worst case fire year numbers were derived. Based on these data, NICC can expect as a worst case average the following (categories in **bold** mean that the average worst cases were equaled or exceeded in 2009):

- **76,841** - **Wildfires.**
- 7,583,783 - Acres burned.
- 15 - Days in Preparedness Level 4.
- 35 - Days in Preparedness Level 5.
- 65 - Type 1 IMT mobilizations.
- 34 - Type 2 IMT mobilizations.
- 191 - Shower mobilizations.
- 154 - Mobile food (caterer) mobilizations.
- 1,465 - Crew mobilizations.
- 2 - Dept. of Defense battalions/task forces activated.
- 14,250 - Overhead mobilizations.
- 292 - Air tanker mobilizations.
- 196 - Type 1 helicopter mobilizations.
- 284 - Type 2 helicopter mobilizations.
- 1,534 - Engine mobilizations.
- 197 - Large jet transportation flights.

NICC Benchmarks

Records set for the year of this report are in **bold**. Military and resource figures constitute what was processed through the National Interagency Coordination Center.

Category	Record Year	Record Amount	2009 Stats
Wildfires	2006	96,385	78,792
Wildfire Acres Burned	2006	9,873,745	5,921,786
Significant Fires	2006	1,801	1,101
Days at Preparedness Level 4	2005	41	0
Days at Preparedness Level 5	2002	62	0
Type 1 IMT Mobilizations	2002	85	10
Type 2 IMT Mobilizations	2000	58	4
Dept. of Defense Battalions/Task Forces	1994	7	0
MAFFS (millions of gallons delivered)	1994	5.03	0
Crew Mobilizations	2003	1,796	273
Engine Mobilizations	2007	2,267	395
Overhead Mobilizations	2000	17,899	8,674
Type 1 Helicopter Mobilizations	2006	288	103
Type 2 Helicopter Mobilizations	2006	323	175
Air Tankers	2000	387	143
Large Transport Flights	1994	552	37
Mobile Food Units	1994	195	68
Shower Units	1994	256	192

Of the 18 benchmarks above, records were set in the following years:

Six in 2006 Six in 2002 Five in 1994 Four in 2005 Four in 2000