

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
 FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1999 - 1000 MST
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION:

Moderate initial attack activity continues in the Eastern and Southern Areas. Favorable weather conditions, quick response and adequate resources combined to keep large fire activity low. The Southern Area continues to mobilize resources to Texas. Very high to extreme fire danger were reported in California, New Mexico, Texas, Missouri and Virginia.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
SEA PINE	TX	WTS	1000	80	NR	9		2	3	0	NR	NR
LITTLE RANCH RESERVOIR	TX	WTS	400	50	12/3	16		5	0	0	NR	NR
HICKS	TX	AHR	500	30	12/5	9		2	0	0	NR	NR
	TX	WTS	105	50	12/2	38		10	0	2	NR	NR

WTS = West Texas Counties
 AHR = Anahuac National Wildlife Refuge

OUTLOOK:

*** A RED FLAG WARNING FOR SANTA ANA WINDS AND LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITY IS POSTED FOR SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FRIDAY AND EARLY SATURDAY ***

*** A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS ISSUED FOR FRIDAY FOR 20 TO 30 MPH WINDS AND LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES FOR SOUTHERN NEW MEXICO ***

Southern California will have Santa Ana winds in the mountain passes 30 to 40 MPH with gusts over 60 MPH for Friday and early Saturday. Offshore winds will decrease in strength late Saturday but can be expected to remain until Monday. Sunny and warm conditions will prevail through next Thursday with high temperatures generally in the 60's and 70's. Minimum humidities will be in the 10 to 20 percent range.

There will be partly cloudy conditions in west Texas and southern New Mexico with strong winds in the 20 to 30 MPH range. The rest of the southwest can expect scattered showers throughout the weekend. Highs will be in the 30's and 40's in the north and in the 60's and 70's in the south. Generally drier and warmer weather is forecasted for next week.

Southern Missouri, southern Illinois and southern Indiana will have scattered showers through Monday with highs in the 50's and 60's. Cooler temperatures and drier conditions are forecasted for the rest of the week.

FIRES AND ACRES LAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		2					2
	ACRES		0					0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES					36	3	39
	ACRES					16	4	20
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES	1			1		1	3
	ACRES	0			0		0	0
GB-WEST	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		2200					2200
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	3	2			16	23	44
	ACRES	0	6			1	143	150
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		1			35		36
	ACRES		0			41		41
EASTERN	FIRES				3	1316	2	1321
	ACRES				3	2659	165	2827
SOUTHERN	FIRES					409	9	418
	ACRES					3261	117	3378
TOTAL	FIRES	4	6	0	4	1812	38	1864
	ACRES	0	2206	0	3	5978	429	8616

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	1	42	31	13	395	0	482
	ACRES	1	301525	285194	155932	277788	0	1020440
NORTHWEST	FIRES	381	444	20	62	1994	1606	4507
	ACRES	19527	34501	47750	24	14318	9509	125629
CA-NORTH	FIRES	152	57	7	29	3402	1160	4807
	ACRES	218	24710	33	131	133762	257262	416116
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	82	168	10	63	3520	1079	4922
	ACRES	1697	7003	92	14046	49498	185356	257692
NORTHERN	FIRE	644	69	33	13	894	1369	3022
	ACRES	12853	12358	1094	5	97453	76652	200415
GB-EAST	FIRES	70	879		31	453	802	2235
	ACRES	9405	485014		61	44482	10243	549205
GB-WEST	FIRES	35	759	3	6	74	237	1114
	ACRES	955	1528164	116	4	162438	15564	1707241
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	822	152	10	61	856	1629	3530
	ACRES	13112	27706	245	421	70569	14293	126346
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	713	464	39	51	1740	359	3366
	ACRES	13786	16048	907	77	69260	6359	106437
EASTERN	FIRES	620			143	17705	549	19017

SOUTHERN	ACRES	3021			1252	113219	9821	127313
	FIRES	39		79	128	43132	1447	44825
TOTALS	ACRES	696		27681	14102	812505	66576	921560
	FIRES	3559	3034	232	600	74165	10237	91827
	ACRES	75271	2437029	363112	186055	1845292	651635	5558394

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES LAST WEEK:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES						22	22
	ACRES						455	455
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						42	42
	ACRES						347	347
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	4			2		7	13
	ACRES	2237			1170		2746	6153
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES				1			1
	ACRES				20			20
SOUTHERN	FIRES			5			12	17
	ACRES			1140			2603	3743
TOTAL	FIRES	4	0	5	3	0	83	95
	ACRES	2237	0	1140	1190	0	6151	10718

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES		2	6		6	1	15
	ACRES		39929	1409		1960	1000	44298
NORTHWEST	FIRES	84	123	32	8		605	852
	ACRES	7115	48305	4163	2200		72434	134217
CA-NORTH	FIRES	21	5	19	8		241	294
	ACRES	143	943	7584	845		40869	50384
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		5	16	24		283	328
	ACRES		930	2102	5651		21453	30136
NORTHERN	FIRES	69	26	155	7	31	613	901
	ACRES	2614	10775	20896	1434	5305	61820	102844

ALASKA	FIRES									0
	ACRES									0
NORTHWEST	FIRES		20		2			2		24
	ACRES		12		178			40		230
CA-NORTH	FIRES				1			35		36
	ACRES				1			0		1
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				29		0	11		40
	ACRES				14078		1	3233		17312
NORTHERN	FIRES				8			87		95
	ACRES				10816			5818		16634
GB-EAST	FIRES				11			44		55
	ACRES				700			25997		26697
GB-WEST	FIRES		1							1
	ACRES		1							1
SOUTHWEST	FIRES				18		1	7		26
	ACRES				9026		10	400		9436
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	23		6			7		37
	ACRES	0	1327		184			3		1514
EASTERN	FIRES							2		2
	ACRES							0		0
SOUTHERN	FIRES				24					24
	ACRES				5171					5171
USA TOTALS	FIRES	1	44	0	99		1	195		340
	ACRES	0	1340	0	40154		11	35491		76996

Fires and acres reported to the National Interagency Coordination Center are for operational use. Official totals may be obtained by contacting the Agencies directly.

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

Area	Crews		Engs		Heli		Airt		Ovrhd	
	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST				6						22
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN			2	20		3			11	8
TOTAL	0	0	2	26	0	3	0	0	11	30

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