

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
 TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 2000 - 0530 MDT  
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III

CURRENT SITUATION:

New large fires were reported in the Rocky Mountain, Southwest and Southern California Areas. Two Type I Incident Management Teams were mobilized in the Rocky Mountain Area as warm and windy conditions contributed to large fire growth near urban interface areas. Initial attack activity was light to moderate throughout the country. Mobilization of resources through the National Interagency Coordination Center increased. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Utah, Nevada, Wyoming, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Minnesota, Florida, Georgia, and Mississippi.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

BOBCAT, Arapaho-Roosevelt National Forest. A Type I Incident Management Team (Carvelho) is assigned. The fire is burning in grass, brush and timber 12 miles west of Loveland, CO. Evacuation of 150 to 200 homes is occurring. Five homes have been destroyed. Smoke is hampering size-up and suppression efforts. Fire behavior includes spotting and crowning.

HIGH MEADOW, Colorado State Forest Service, Pueblo Dispatch Center Counties. A Type I Incident Management Team (Hart) is assigned. The fire is 35 miles southwest of Denver, near Bailey, CO. Three homes and two outbuildings are confirmed destroyed, and 100 more homes are threatened. Evacuations are underway south of Elk Creek. Suppression problems include dense fuels, high temperatures and shifting winds.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
BOBCAT	CO	ARF	2000	0	---	105	2	25	1	5	NR	NR
HIGH MEADOW	CO	PBX	1800	0	---	97	NR	NR	NR	5	NR	NR

SOUTHWEST AREA LARGE FIRES:

CERRO GRANDE, Bandelier National Park. An Area Command Team (Mann) and two Type II Incident Management Teams (Smith and Ostman) are assigned. The fire is near Los Alamos, NM. Work continues on rehabilitation projects in the fire area. The target date for completion of the work is 7/1. There remains the possibility of serious flooding and soil movement if rehabilitation work is not completed on time.

VIVEASH, Santa Fe National Forest. This fire is burning in ponderosa pine and mixed conifer five miles northwest of Pecos, NM. Warmer and dryer weather is prolonging mop up operations. Crews are concentrating on improving firelines, seeding, contour falling, and removing hazardous trees.

OUTLET, Grand Canyon National Park. A Type II Incident Management Team (McElwain) is assigned. The fire is 25 miles south of Jacob Lake, AZ. Fire activity has been minimal. Helicopters have been dropping water on hot spots along the fire's edge and within the Grand Canyon.

MAGDALENA, Cibola National Forest. This complex consists of 21 lightning-caused fires west of Socorro, NM. One new fire was reported yesterday. The complex is also handling a 62 acre fire on state land. Control problems are limited access and rugged terrain.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
CERRO GRANDE	NM	BAP	47650	100	---	1328	43	5	3	235	NR	32.4M
VIVEASH	NM	SNF	28283	80	UNK	292	11	5	1	4	NR	8.0M
OUTLET	AZ	GCP	14118	90	UNK	328	10	13	2	0	NR	8.3M
MAGDALENA	NM	CIF	1725	99	UNK	163	5	7	2	0	NR	535K
KENNA	NM	N5S	1100	100	---	NR	NR	NR	NR	2	NR	NR
AZTEC	NM	ROD	350	100	---	118	4	16	0	0	NR	50K

N5S = Capitan District, New Mexico State Forestry  
 ROD = Roswell-Carlsbad Field Office, BLM

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

WING, Uinta National Forest. This human-caused fire started near the city of Springville, UT and spread onto forest land. Higher humidities have aided crews in making good progress toward containment.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
WING	UT	UIF	700	70	6/13	208	6	9	1	0	0	30K

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

CRYSTAL, Inyo National Forest. This lightning-caused fire is burning west of Olancho, CA. Fire activity has been minimal. Monitoring by helicopter will continue. This will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
CRYSTAL	CA	INF	330	10	UNK	7	0	0	3	0	NR	NR
CALABASAS	CA	VNC	800	100	---	233	5	7	3	0	NR	NR

VNC = Ventura County Fire Dept.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

No new information was received on the following uncontained Florida State Division of Forestry fires. Firefighters continue to make progress towards containing the fires.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
LOUISE	FL	FLS	4000	95	UNK	60	0	12	2	0	100K	NR
BEE	FL	FLS	300	95	UNK	25	0	5	1	0	NR	NR
SHIP COMMAND	FL	FLS	625	80	UNK	37	2	1	0	0	NR	NR
BUNDY LAKE	FL	FLS	104	90	UNK	11	0	5	1	0	NR	NR
DC COMMAND	FL	FLS	1000	50	UNK	5	0	3	0	0	NR	NR
JACKSON HOLE	FL	FLS	150	85	UNK	28	0	8	0	0	NR	NR
COUNTY LINE	FL	FLS	256	80	UNK	NR	0	1	0	0	NR	NR
BRIGHT HOUR	FL	FLS	1100	80	UNK	9	0	0	0	0	NR	NR
MICROWAVE	FL	FLS	1500	90	UNK	14	0	4	0	0	NR	NR
RETENTION POND	FL	FLS	1125	80	UNK	123	1	12	5	0	NR	NR
CARLTON RESERVE	FL	FLS	6250	50	UNK	2	0	0	1	0	NR	NR
SWILLEY COMMAND	FL	FLS	100	60	UNK	NR	3	0	1	0	NR	NR
MUSE AREA	FL	FLS	600	95	UNK	6	0	1	1	0	NR	NR
BLUE HEAD RANCH	FL	FLS	150	50	UNK	NR	NR	NR	NR	0	NR	NR
PARKWAY	FL	FLS	125	75	UNK	NR	0	0	2	0	NR	NR
CRANBERRY	FL	FLS	175	95	UNK	NR	2	NR	NR	0	NR	NR
MORRIS BRIDGE R	FL	FLS	600	70	UNK	10	0	1	1	0	NR	NR
DANVILLE	FL	FLS	500	UNK	UNK	NR	0	5	0	0	NR	NR

OUTLOOK:

\*\*\* A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED FOR NORTHERN NEW MEXICO FOR STRONG WINDS AND LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES \*\*\*

The Great Basin, the Southwest and Colorado will be cooler and drier as a cold front moves east through the Rocky Mountains. Colorado will have mixed light rain and showers. Eastern and southwest New Mexico will have a chance of thunderstorms. The rest of the area will be partly cloudy. Temperatures will range from the 70's in the mountains to near 105 in the deserts. Winds will be west to northwest at 15 to 25 mph. Minimum relative humidities will be 5 to 15 percent in desert areas and 15 to 30 percent elsewhere.

Florida will have partly cloudy conditions with scattered showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the mid 80's to the lower 90's. Winds will be south to southeast at 5 to 10 mph. Minimum relative humidities will be 50 to 60 percent.

Southern California will be sunny and hot. High temperatures will be in the 70's and 80's along the coast, 90 to 105 inland and up to 115 in the deserts. Winds will be variable at 5 to 15 mph. Minimum relative humidities will range from 40 to 50 percent on the coast to less than 10 percent in the deserts.

A Red Flag warning is posted in the Sacramento Valley of Northern California for gusty winds, low relative humidities, and well above normal temperatures.

A Fire Weather Watch is posted for central California for moderate winds, hot temperatures and low relative humidities.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			2		4		6
	ACRES			0		4		4
NORTHWEST	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						1	1
CA-NORTH	FIRES					10	1	11
	ACRES					38	0	38
CA-SOUTH	FIRES					1	3	4
	ACRES					800	2	802
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES	1	3			1	4	9
	ACRES	0	215			0	0	215
GB-WEST	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		10					10
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	7	2			4	9	22
	ACRES	2	430			1105	134	1671
ROCKY MTN	FIRES		2			2	4	8
	ACRES		1			1801	2012	3814
EASTERN	FIRES					22	4	26
	ACRES					38	32	70
SOUTHERN	FIRES					288	8	296
	ACRES					2691	57	2748
TOTAL	FIRES	8	8	2	0	332	34	384
	ACRES	2	656	0	0	6477	2238	9373

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	1	4	12	2	187	1	207
	ACRES	6	125	755	2	2044	0	2932
NORTHWEST	FIRES	42	21	4		157	55	279
	ACRES	315	1714	100		630	27	2786
CA-NORTH	FIRES	23	1	1		445	81	551
	ACRES	51	1	0		920	3778	4750
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	9	15		7	770	165	966
	ACRES	22	94		8	1605	1724	3453
NORTHERN	FIRE	529	6	16		381	71	1003

	ACRES	5516	33	1621		22557	394	30121
GB-EAST	FIRES	12	80		2	26	60	180
	ACRES	567	5244		0	493	968	7272
GB-WEST	FIRES	5	34		1	1	35	76
	ACRES	60	479		0	50	2052	2641
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	418	74	19	23	778	562	1874
	ACRES	10315	30534	17157	8939	240786	125550	433281
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	340	83	15	6	279	123	846
	ACRES	11962	3764	517	6492	25942	4441	53118
EASTERN	FIRES	760			25	7922	395	9102
	ACRES	15802			519	80823	15386	112530
SOUTHERN	FIRES	22		39	43	28777	765	29646
	ACRES	3844		6018	2990	523715	27671	564238
TOTALS	FIRES	2161	318	106	109	39723	2313	44730
	ACRES	48460	41988	26168	18950	899565	181991	1217122
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								37431
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								707493

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			1		3		4
	ACRES			125		379		504
NORTHWEST	FIRES	13	16	25			153	207
	ACRES	4637	3387	5022			19176	32222
CA-NORTH	FIRES		2	2	1		119	124
	ACRES		328	820	12		10303	11463
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			1	3		79	83
	ACRES			10	124		5092	5226
NORTHERN	FIRES	20	5	82	3	58	215	383
	ACRES	1775	1991	15962	395	6446	33583	60152
GB-EAST	FIRES		15	3	3	6	16	43
	ACRES		1497	700	975	153	11290	14615
GB-WEST	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						1526	1526
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	31	213	26	9	2	188	469
	ACRES	8385	14214	1888	4269	360	59491	88607
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	8	107	10	7	63	196
	ACRES	850	2743	18932	2937	675	20263	46400
EASTERN	FIRES	15		2	11	128	208	364
	ACRES	2947		400	1290	84281	18305	107223
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		137	61	103	701	1010
	ACRES	879		61589	35714	61971	451908	612061
USA TOTALS	FIRES	88	259	386	101	307	1744	2885
	ACRES	19473	24160	105448	45716	154265	630937	979999

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

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires		Hectares	
	Last Week	Year-to-date	Last Week	Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	0	278	74	11276
YUKON TERRITORY	2	18	87	232
ALBERTA	0	344	0	6796
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	15	9	278
SASKATCHEWAN	2	161	2	3675
MANITOBA	1	119	1	11666
ONTARIO	0	222	0	908
QUEBEC	1	199	21	271
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	66	0	130
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	121	0	138
NOVA SCOTIA	0	90	0	247
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	13	0	16
NATIONAL PARKS	0	8	0	8
TOTALS	7	1654	194	35641

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			2	3					5	1
CA-NORTH	2						2			
CA-SOUTH					4				1	
NORTHERN			1							
GB-EAST	22	1	27	7	8		1		105	6
GB-WEST			1							
SOUTHWEST	88	10	42	32	18	3			543	149
ROCKY MTN	6	1	4	50	3		3		150	
EASTERN			2						1	
SOUTHERN	2	10	9	74	2	16			40	114
TOTAL	120	22	88	166	35	19	6	0	845	270

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