

**INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 2003 – 1000 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL 2**

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity was light nationally, with 86 new fires reported yesterday. One new large fire was reported and contained in the Eastern Area. Very high fire indices were reported in Arizona.

COLUMBIA RESPONSE, Federal Emergency Management Agency. A FEMA Emergency Operations Center is established in Lufkin, Texas. One Type 1 Incident Management Team (Bennett) is assigned in Palestine, Texas. Four Type 2 Incident Management Teams (Crisman, Gray, Morcum and Raley) are assigned in Longview, Nacogdoches, Corsicana, and Hemphill, Texas. Forty-eight agencies are cooperating in the search and collection of shuttle materials. Approximately 80 percent of the current assigned area, or 506,202 acres, has been searched.

NEWCASTLE, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, USDA. State and Federal personnel have been mobilized in response to the outbreak of the Exotic Newcastle Disease. They are working in support of the USDA APHIS operation under a Unified Command. Support operations are being conducted in Arizona, California, and Nevada.

EASTERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	\$\$\$ CTD
HICKORY ONE	MN	MNS	700	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	1K

MNS = Minnesota Department of Natural Resources

OUTLOOK:

Red Flag Warnings: Portions of Florida for gusty winds and an unstable air mass

Weather Discussion: High pressure over the Great Lakes area will bring warm and dry weather. A dry cold front will move into Minnesota today.

Geographic Area Weather	High Temperatures	Min. Relative Humidity	Wind
Eastern Fairly strong southerly winds combined with low min RH will create elevated fire potential over the Wrn Great Lakes on Thursday	Mainly in the 60s	30 to 40% NW MN 20 to 30% Cntrl and SE MN, IA, WI	South 10 to 20 mph Ern MN, WI, IA, South 10 to 15 mph becoming Northwest in Wrn MN



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Topic of Your Choice:

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES	35				20	18	73
	ACRES	76				875	3	954
Southern Area	FIRES					13		13
	ACRES					110		110
TOTAL	FIRES	35	0	0	0	33	18	86
	ACRES	76	0	0	0	985	3	1,064

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES				1	48		49
	ACRES				432	219		651
Northwest	FIRES	1		1			2	4
	ACRES	0		1			0	1
Northern California	FIRES				4	90	15	109
	ACRES				2,210	19	5	2,234
Southern California	FIRES	1	4			209	48	262
	ACRES	0	1			21	14	36
Northern Rockies	FIRES	34	1			5	4	44
	ACRES	203	0			35	1,240	1,478
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		7			4	1	12
	ACRES		4			20	0	24
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	11	11	4		103	40	169
	ACRES	33	1,320	274		2,295	56	3,978
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	4	4	1	1	35	3	48
	ACRES	9	0	203	200	219	15	646
Eastern Area	FIRES	308		9	10	900	141	1,368
	ACRES	1,697		1,385	399	26,134	1,991	31,606
Southern Area	FIRES	65		6	9	7,137	209	7,426
	ACRES	7,461		755	705	104,494	5,613	119,028
TOTAL	FIRES	424	27	21	25	8,531	463	9,491
	ACRES	9,403	1,325	2,618	3,946	133,456	8,934	159,682

Eight Year Average Fires	21,284
Eight Year Average Acres	406,899

Averages are computed from data reported to NICC during the second reporting period in April

and

Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES			56				56
	ACRES			471				471
Northern California	FIRES		0	0	0		4	4
	ACRES		1	4,726	3		268	4,998
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES						3	3
	ACRES						1,084	1,084
Rocky Mountain	FIRES			3				3
	ACRES			0				0
Eastern Area	FIRES			1	1	9	1	12
	ACRES			120	5	197	20	342
Southern Area	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						840	840
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	60	1	9	10	80
	ACRES	0	1	5,317	8	197	2,212	7,735

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	3	72	141			51	267
	ACRES	4	8,690	4,265			1,354	14,313
Northern California	FIRES	2	8	5	10		67	92
	ACRES	31	112	16,865	499		3,857	21,364
Southern California	FIRES		2	1	1		62	66
	ACRES		22	37	2		7,766	7,827
Northern Rockies	FIRES		1				5	6
	ACRES		13				131	144
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	1	6	1		4		12
	ACRES	18	371	200		121		710
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES	3	7	4	3		180	197
	ACRES	460	7,023	816	3,367		10,627	22,293
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	13	3	7	5	3	18	49
	ACRES	763	160	125	349	43	1,935	3,375
Eastern Area	FIRES	8		29	4	91	64	196
	ACRES	9,937		8,208	1,113	12,793	7,374	39,425
Southern Area	FIRES	44		183	31	5,617	907	6,782
	ACRES	7,487		64,101	47,698	369,120	708,897	1,197,303
TOTAL	FIRES	74	99	371	54	5,715	1,354	7,667
	ACRES	18,700	16,391	94,617	53,028	382,077	741,941	1,306,754

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WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern California	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northern Rockies	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Western Great Basin	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southwest	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Rocky Mountain	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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RESOURCES STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

AREA	CREWS FED	CREWS ST/OT	ENGS FED	ENGS ST/OT	HELI FED	HELI ST/OT	AIRT FED	AIRT ST/OT	OVRHD FED	OVRHD ST/OT
Alaska										
Northwest										
Northern California									7	
Southern California									18	304
Northern Rockies										
Eastern Great Basin										
Western Great Basin									2	12
Southwest										
Rocky Mountain			3							
Eastern Area	1		10		1				71	
Southern Area	62	98		4					449	1532
Total	63	98	13	4	1	0	0	0	547	1848

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