

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Saturday, September 1, 2007 – 0800 MDT  
National Preparedness Level 4**

**National Fire Activity**

Initial attack activity:	Moderate (281 new fires)
New large fires:	5 (*)
Large fires contained:	1
Uncontained large fires:	36
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	5
Type 2 IMTs committed:	11
Fire Use Teams committed:	4

\*\* Uncontained large fires do not include WFU or confine/contain incidents. \*\*

**Eastern Great Basin Area (PL 5)**

New fires:	13
New large fires:	1
Uncontained large fires:	7
Area Command Teams committed:	1
NIMOs committed:	1
Type 1 IMTs committed:	2
Type 2 IMTs committed:	2
Fire Use Teams committed:	2

Area Command Team (Loach) is assigned to manage large fires for the Boise and Payette National Forests.

**Greys Creek**, Payette NF. IMT 2 (Harvey). Thirteen miles south of Council, ID. Timber and grass. Extreme fire behavior with torching, spotting and crowning. Structures threatened. Evacuations and road closures in effect.

**Sandy**, Boise District, BLM. Eight miles northeast of Payette, ID. Grass and sagebrush. Extreme fire behavior. Structures threatened.

**Castle Rock**, Sawtooth NF. IMT 1 (Pincha-Tulley). Three miles west of Ketchum, ID. Timber, heavy dead and down fuels, brush and grass. Minimal fire behavior with isolated torching. Evacuations in effect.

**Cascade Complex** (2 fires), Boise NF. IMT 1 (Muir). Twenty-seven miles east of Cascade, ID. Timber. Minimal fire behavior. Local communities, cultural sites, and historical cabins are threatened.

**East Zone Complex** (3 fires), Payette NF. NIMO (Ferguson). Twenty-five miles northeast of McCall, ID. Timber, brush and grass. Moderate surface fire with group tree torching and short runs. Communities of Secesh, South Fork and Warren threatened.

**Confluence Complex** (2 fires), Salmon-Challis NF. IMT 2 (Lund). Includes Papoose fire previously reported under the Krassel Complex, and the Clear Sage fire previously reported under the Shower Bath Complex.. Twenty eight miles southwest of North Fork, ID. Mixed conifer with dead and down fuels. Torching and backing fire.

**Shower Bath Complex** (2 fires), Salmon-Challis NF. Transfer of command from FUMT (Reinarz) back to local unit today. Eighteen miles northwest of Challis, ID. Timber with heavy dead and down fuels. Creeping and smoldering. Structures, historic cabins and cultural sites threatened. Reduction in acreage due to transfer of Clear Sage fire to Confluence Complex.

**Krassel Complex** (5 fires), Payette NF. FUMT (Hahnenberg). Forty-four miles northeast of Yellow Pine, ID. Timber, grass and heavy dead and down fuels. Active fire behavior with isolated torching and short crown runs. Structures threatened. Reduction in acreage due to transfer of Papoose fire to Confluence Complex.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Greys Creek	ID	PAF	13,000	10,800	5	9/12	227	123	6	24	2	1	NR	FS
* Sandy	ID	BOD	10,000	---	0	UNK	57	---	0	10	1	0	NR	BLM
Castle Rock	ID	STF	47,316	1,085	78	9/3	1,547	-154	42	105	18	0	18.9M	FS
Cascade Complex	ID	BOF	249,599	6,890	26	UNK	654	0	12	44	9	3	39.7M	FS
East Zone Complex	ID	PAF	217,414	151	10	9/30	384	-21	5	27	3	13	24.7M	FS
Confluence Complex	ID	SCF	30,851	---	NR	UNK	128	---	2	4	1	0	151K	FS
Shower Bath Complex	ID	SCF	118,932	-11,932	0	9/30	158	-89	3	4	1	4	4.7M	FS
Krassel Complex - WFU	ID	PAF	55,443	-17,425	N/A	N/A	75	-8	4	0	1	0	2.0M	FS
Horseshoe	UT	SLD	315	0	100	---	65	-18	2	6	0	0	210K	BLM

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### **Northern Rockies Area (PL 5)**

New fires: 8  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 18  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 2  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 3  
 Fire Use Teams committed: 2

**Sawmill Complex** (4 fires), Lolo NF. IMT 2 (Angell). Twenty-two miles southeast of Missoula, MT. Timber and grass. Backing fire with group tree torching. Structures threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**Jocko Lakes**, Flathead Agency, BIA. IMT 1 (Hoff). Twenty-six miles northeast of Missoula, MT. Timber with dead and down lodgepole pine. Smoldering with single tree torching. Residences, commercial property and cultural sites threatened.

**Rattlesnake**, Nez Perce NF. IMT 2 (Grant). Twenty-five miles south of Elk City, ID. Timber and grass. Backing fire with isolated torching. Residences threatened.

**Rombo Mountain**, Bitterroot NF. IMT 1 (Quesinberry). IMT also managing the Rat Creek and Pattengail Creek fires. Eighteen miles south of Darby, MT. Bug-killed timber. Minimal fire behavior. Structures threatened.

**Ahorn**, Lewis and Clark NF. FUMT (Lineback). FUMT also managing the Fool Creek fire. Thirty miles west of Augusta, MT. Timber. Surface fire with group tree torching and short crown runs. Structures threatened.

**Fool Creek**, Lewis and Clark NF. Thirty miles northwest of Choteau, MT. Timber and snags. Surface fire with isolated torching.

**Chippy Creek**, Northwestern Land Office, Montana DNR. IMT 2 (Secrest). Twenty-four miles north of Thompson Falls, MT. Timber, dead and down lodgepole pine with logging slash. Active surface fire with isolated torching. Numerous residences threatened.

**Bridge**, Clearwater NF. Forty-five miles southwest of Missoula, MT. Timber and brush. Active surface fire with short crown runs and short range spotting.

**Black Cat**, Southwestern Land Office, Montana DNR. Started on private land five miles northeast of Frenchtown, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with isolated torching.

**Rat Creek**, Beaverhead/Deerlodge NF. Twenty-five miles west of Wisdom, MT. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Structures, historic and cultural sites threatened. Precipitation occurred over the fire area.

**Pattengail Creek**, Beaverhead/Deerlodge NF. Ten miles northeast of Wisdom, MT. Timber with dead and down fuels. Minimal fire activity. Precipitation occurred over the fire area. Residences threatened.

**Conger Creek**, Lolo NF. Twenty miles north of Ovando, MT. Timber. Creeping and smoldering with single tree torching.

**0-7**, Maggie Creek Area Office, Idaho Department of Lands. Nine miles east of Kooskia, ID. Timber and grass. Short wind-driven runs with single tree torching. Residences threatened.

**BH**, Bitterroot NF. FUMT (Perkins). FUMT also managing Bitterroot Fire Use Complex fire. Thirty-six miles southwest of Darby, MT. Timber. Backing fire. Intermittent road closures in effect.

**Bitterroot Fire Use Complex** (14 fires), Bitterroot NF. Fifteen miles west of Darby, MT. Timber and grass. Backing fire. Intermittent road closures in effect.

**Columbine 1**, Yellowstone NP. Fifty-three miles west of Cody, WY. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Precipitation occurred over the fire area.

**Corporal**, Flathead NF. Forty-seven miles southeast of Kalispell, MT. Timber. Active fire with crown runs and long-range spotting. Structures threatened.

**WH Complex** (2 fires), Gallatin NF. Twenty-seven miles south of Livingston, MT. Timber. Minimal fire activity. Precipitation occurred over the fire area.

**Skyland**, Flathead NF. Thirty-two miles east of Kalispell, MT. Timber and grass. No new information. Last report unless new information is received.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Sawmill Complex	MT	LNF	59,801	1,768	22	UNK	617	0	10	33	4	0	16.0M	FS
Jocko Lakes	MT	FHA	35,850	464	78	9/15	647	-150	14	26	8	8	25.6M	BIA

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Rattlesnake	ID	NPF	102,212	0	25	10/1	198	-94	0	18	3	8	14.0M	FS
Rombo Mountain	MT	BRF	24,704	1,628	15	UNK	265	22	6	20	2	0	5.7M	FS
Ahorn	MT	LCF	51,320	2,117	20	9/20	168	-19	0	13	2	0	14.6M	FS
Fool Creek	MT	LCF	57,970	1,470	25	9/20	143	-5	0	11	5	7	6.3M	FS
Chippy Creek	MT	NWS	99,090	0	89	9/3	585	-54	9	32	5	2	16.3M	ST
Bridge	ID	CWF	41,500	2,000	0	11/1	2	0	0	0	0	0	305K	FS
Black Cat	MT	SWS	11,758	0	95	9/1	187	-120	4	14	2	7	7.5M	PRI
Rat Creek	MT	BDF	24,613	2,949	15	UNK	170	-74	7	13	3	0	3.6M	FS
Pattengail Creek	MT	BDF	13,772	430	15	UNK	7	0	0	0	0	0	3.6M	FS
Conger Creek	MT	LNF	20,700	100	NR	UNK	29	11	0	0	0	0	500K	FS
* 0-7	ID	MCS	350	---	75	9/1	118	---	4	9	3	0	NR	ST
BH	MT	BRF	708	0	NR	UNK	0	0	0	0	0	0	24K	FS
Bitterroot Fire Use Complex	MT	BRF	18,756	35	N/A	N/A	49	3	0	1	1	1	381K	FS
Columbine 1	WY	YNP	18,510	0	25	UNK	45	5	3	3	1	0	2.3M	NPS
Corporal	MT	FNF	10,000	4,000	16	10/15	32	-3	1	0	2	0	998K	FS
WH Complex	MT	GNF	28,600	0	70	10/8	101	-29	2	4	3	0	5.3M	FS
Skyland	MT	FNF	45,760	---	75	UNK	258	---	4	5	1	2	17.9M	FS

### **Northern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 46  
New large fires: 1  
Uncontained large fires: 2  
Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

**Wallow**, Shasta NF. IMT 2 (Kaage). Seven miles southwest of Hayfork, CA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior and spotting. Area closures in effect.

**Yolla Bolly Complex**, Mendocino NF. Fifteen miles northeast of Covelo, CA. Timber and brush. Active fire behavior with torching and short range spotting.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Wallow	CA	SHF	1,400	500	40	9/3	490	-14	19	9	2	0	900K	FS
* Yolla Bolly Complex	CA	MNF	105	---	30	9/5	94	---	2	0	2	0	NR	FS

**Northwest Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 75  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 4  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 3

**GW**, Deschutes NF. IMT 2 (Goheen). Fifteen miles west of Sisters, OR. Timber. Extreme fire behavior with running and torching.

**Domke Lake Complex**, Okanogan/Wenatchee NF. Washington IMT 2 (Jennings). Thirty-six miles northwest of Chelan, WA. Timber with dead and down fuels. Active fire behavior with torching and short range spotting. Communities of Lucerne and Holden Village threatened. Evacuations in effect.

**South Omak Lake**, Colville Agency, BIA. Washington IMT 2 (Gormley). Fourteen miles southeast of Omak, WA. Brush and grass. Smoldering with isolated flare-ups. Community of Kartar threatened. Omak Lake Road closed.

**Otter Creek**, Umatilla NF. Thirteen miles southeast of Ukiah, OR. Timber with heavy dead and down fuels. No new information.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
* GW	OR	DEF	300	---	0	UNK	54	---	2	4	3	0	NR	FS
Domke Lake Complex	WA	OWF	9,145	1,079	35	UNK	272	-56	4	5	5	0	10M	FS
South Omak Lake	WA	COA	6,000	0	20	9/2	175	69	3	17	3	0	NR	BIA
Otter Creek	OR	UMF	3,039	0	95	9/9	57	0	2	5	1	0	4.3M	FS

**Southern California Area (PL 3)**

New fires: 59  
 New large fires: 1  
 Uncontained large fires: 3  
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 1  
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 2

**Grouse**, Sequoia NF. IMT 2 (Johnson). Thirty-six miles northeast of Porterville, CA. Timber, brush and grass. Precipitation occurred over the fire area. Minimal fire behavior.

**Zaca**, Los Padres NF. IMT 1 (Hawkins) and IMT 2 (Walker). Fifteen miles northeast of Buellton, CA. Chaparral and timber. Minimal fire behavior.

**Quien**, San Benito-Monterey Unit, CDF. Fifteen miles east of Soledad, CA. Heavy brush and timber. Surface fire with isolated torching.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Grouse	CA	SQF	1,100	0	10	UNK	213	-31	8	0	1	0	165K	FS
Zaca	CA	LPF	240,207	0	95	9/4	1,486	-293	30	51	12	1	115M	FS
* Quien	CA	BEU	400	---	75	9/1	184	---	3	24	1	0	300K	ST
Babcock - WFU	CA	YNP	220	0	N/A	N/A	4	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NPS

YNP – Yosemite NP

**Southern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 39  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Northend Complex** (4 fires), Cherokee NF. Eight miles northeast of Elizabethton, TN. Timber. Creeping and smoldering.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Northend Complex	TN	CNF	368	0	30	9/4	96	---	4	2	0	0	264K	FS

**Eastern Area (PL 2)**

New fires: 20  
 New large fires: 0  
 Uncontained large fires: 1

**Sleeper Lake**, Michigan DNR. Sixty-one miles west of Sault Ste. Marie, MI. Timber and grass. No new information.

Incident Name	St	Unit	Size	Size Chge 24 Hrs	% CTN	Est Ctn	Totl Pers	Pers Chge 24 Hrs	Crw	Eng	Heli	Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
Sleeper Lake	MI	MIS	18,185	0	95	UNK	103	-23	4	2	0	4	6.0M	ST

**Predictive Services Discussion: Decreasing thunderstorms in the West this weekend.** Thunderstorm activity will decrease and shift eastward today and Sunday. Gusty winds are expected from the northern Sierras to Idaho and Montana. Otherwise, hot weather will continue over the West. Dry, windy weather is expected over the northern Great Lakes through Sunday. The Southeast will be dry except for thundershowers over the Gulf Coast states and Carolinas.



[http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp\\_sixminutes.php](http://www.nifc.gov/sixminutes/dsp_sixminutes.php)

**Topic of Choice**

### Fires And Acres Yesterday

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Northwest	FIRES	1	13			13	48	75
	ACRES	1	237			7	1,539	1,784
Northern California	FIRES	3	8			25	10	46
	ACRES	3	10			86	797	896
Southern California	FIRES				1	47	11	59
	ACRES				1	33	102	136
Northern Rockies	FIRES	1				3	4	8
	ACRES	0				200	11,747	11,947
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES		2		1	5	5	13
	ACRES		0		0	10,002	19,856	29,858
Western Great Basin	FIRES		1			1		2
	ACRES		1			1		2
Southwest	FIRES						16	16
	ACRES						2	2
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	0	1			2		3
	ACRES	3	0			0		3
Eastern Area	FIRES					20		20
	ACRES					83		83
Southern Area	FIRES					35	4	39
	ACRES					1,339	106	1,445
TOTAL	FIRES	5	25	0	2	151	98	281
	ACRES	7	248	0	1	11,751	34,149	46,156

### Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES	3	30	36	18	340	7	434
	ACRES	3	2,448	61,357	696	198,090	2	262,596
Northwest	FIRES	285	217	49	37	1,558	831	2,977
	ACRES	21,907	147,573	82,511	327	153,609	212,463	618,390
Northern California	FIRES	175	38	4	25	1,810	580	2,632
	ACRES	141	450	105	13	32,209	58,819	91,737
Southern California	FIRES	60	116	13	25	3,184	532	3,930
	ACRES	2,476	9,720	34	2,016	21,260	289,257	324,763
Northern Rockies	FIRES	946	82	17	13	921	829	2,808
	ACRES	59,572	61,207	945	2,536	317,366	522,969	964,595
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	48	569	4	44	707	615	1,987
	ACRES	24,732	995,798	9	6,114	292,074	726,112	2,044,839
Western Great Basin	FIRES	3	410	7	25	187	114	746
	ACRES	60	537,086	38	408	216,711	113,209	867,512
Southwest	FIRES	662	146	9	72	675	1,367	2,931
	ACRES	13,241	1,793	1,540	669	54,309	46,002	117,554
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	896	519	15	29	546	422	2,427
	ACRES	3,312	8,664	569	315	46,484	13,054	72,398
Eastern Area	FIRES	480		66	25	9,076	517	10,164
	ACRES	8,460		1,374	567	138,999	46,048	195,448
Southern Area	FIRES	281		103	68	33,608	870	34,930
	ACRES	14,198		344,324	67,182	824,184	161,873	1,411,761
TOTAL	FIRES	3,839	2,127	323	381	52,612	6,684	65,966
	ACRES	148,102	1,764,739	492,806	80,843	2,295,295	2,189,808	6,971,593

<b>Ten Year Average Fires</b>	<b>62,006</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres</b>	<b>5,428,923</b>

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### Prescribed 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		1	0		1
	ACRES		100		150	150		400
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	100	0	150	150	0	400

### Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES			1		4		5
	ACRES			1,960		20,650		22,610
Northwest	FIRES	25	60	30	3		370	488
	ACRES	9,765	8,468	5,989	98		32,664	56,984
Northern California	FIRES		3	7	9	39	194	252
	ACRES		175	19,974	14	4,635	11,412	36,210
Southern California	FIRES		4	10	10	5	90	119
	ACRES		180	3,011	450	57	9,512	13,210
Northern Rockies	FIRES	2	20	83	8	54	222	389
	ACRES	438	2,834	19,882	459	1,825	22,031	47,469
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES	4	19	6	3	13	58	103
	ACRES	164	3,241	802	427	3,249	16,528	24,411
Western Great Basin	FIRES		8	5	3		1	17
	ACRES		3,439	1,415	5		16	4,875
Southwest	FIRES	53	65	11	19		192	340
	ACRES	9,383	17,138	2,876	4,230		50,500	84,127
Rocky Mountain	FIRES	40	28	99	12	32	103	314
	ACRES	4,556	7,413	23,874	3,759	3,807	33,255	76,664
Eastern Area	FIRES	45		325	36	1,504	143	2,053
	ACRES	15,836		48,465	4,241	94,431	35,615	198,588
Southern Area	FIRES	20		310	69	14,927	896	16,222
	ACRES	18,108		125,793	61,712	949,606	882,927	2,038,146
TOTAL	FIRES	189	207	887	172	16,578	2,269	20,302
	ACRES	58,250	42,888	254,041	75,395	1,078,260	1,094,460	2,603,294

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### WFU Fires and Acres Year-to-Date

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska	FIRES		22	17	15	3		57
	ACRES		39,045	55,845	29,188	542		124,620
Northwest	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						205	205
Northern California	FIRES				3		1	4
	ACRES				1		0	1
Southern California	FIRES				18		3	21
	ACRES				422		86	508
Northern Rockies	FIRES				1		66	67
	ACRES				1		80,577	80,578
Eastern Great Basin	FIRES				3		36	39
	ACRES				35		107,742	107,777
Western Great Basin	FIRES		6					6
	ACRES		1,641					1,641
Southwest	FIRES				5	1	34	40
	ACRES				2,424	149	28,552	31,125
Rocky Mountain	FIRES		8		1		8	17
	ACRES		386		0		69	455
Eastern Area	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
Southern Area	FIRES				16		3	19
	ACRES				2,228		3,888	6,116
TOTAL	FIRES	0	36	17	62	4	153	272
	ACRES	0	41,072	55,845	34,299	691	221,119	353,026

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### Canada Fires and Hectares

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-to-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-to-DATE
British Columbia	9	4	1,453	28,740
Yukon Territory	1	3	101	45,499
Alberta	3	0	1,168	103,173
Northwest Territory	0	0	184	440,714
Saskatchewan	0	0	362	212,408
Manitoba	0	0	364	206,924
Ontario	10	1	1,028	40,592
Quebec	1	0	877	348,371
Newfoundland	0	0	80	11,237
New Brunswick	0	0	282	445
Nova Scotia	1	0	394	694
Prince Edward Island	0	0	6	18
National Parks	0	0	64	222,134
Total	25	8	6,363	1,660,949

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