

**National Interagency Coordination Center  
Incident Management Situation Report  
Friday, January 13, 2017 – 0800 MT  
National Preparedness Level 1**

**National Fire Activity (Jan. 6 – Jan. 12)**

Initial attack activity:	Light (207 new fires)
New large incidents:	4
Large fires contained:	7
Uncontained large fires:**	0
Area Command Teams Committed:	0
NIMOs committed:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

\*\*Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.  
[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

<b>Active Incident Resource Summary</b>						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AICC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
RMCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	5	2,942.5	0	39	0	111
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2,942.5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>111</b>

**Southern Area (PL 1)**

New fires:	189
New large incidents:	4
Uncontained large fires:	0
Type 1 IMTs committed:	0
Type 2 IMTs committed:	0

Incident Name	Unit	Size		%	Ctn/ Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge				Total	Chge	Crw	Eng	Heli			
Squirrel Creek	OK-OKS	2,000	0	100	Ctn	---	56	0	0	23	0	0	3K	ST
* Perfect Storm	OK-OKS	1,400	---	100	Ctn	---	55	---	0	20	0	0	20K	ST
* Last Chance	TX-TXS	800	---	100	Ctn	---	10	---	0	1	0	0	1K	PRI
* Hickey	OK-OXA	701	---	100	Ctn	---	12	---	0	3	0	0	10K	BIA

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Hog Field	OK-WEA	349	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-29	0	1	0	0	12K	BIA
* Tom Floyd Rd	MS-MSS	310	---	100	Comp	---	0	---	0	0	0	0	62K	PRI
Snake Creek	OK-WEA	179	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-37	0	0	0	0	5K	BIA
Off Guard	OK-WEA	171	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-21	1	5	0	0	10K	BIA

OKS – Oklahoma DOF    TXS – Texas A&M Forest Service    OSA – Osage Agency, BIA  
MSS – Mississippi Forestry Commission

WEA – Wewoka Agency, BIA

**Fires and Acres Last Week (by Protection):**

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	8	1	<b>11</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	235	0	<b>235</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	1	1	<b>3</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2,239	0	<b>2,239</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	18	<b>18</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	8	0	0	0	179	2	<b>189</b>
	ACRES	84	0	0	0	1,280	7	<b>1,371</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>190</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>207</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>84</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,756</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>3,865</b>

**Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):**

<b>Area</b>		<b>BIA</b>	<b>BLM</b>	<b>FWS</b>	<b>NPS</b>	<b>ST/OT</b>	<b>USFS</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	0	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	<b>2</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	<b>1</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	2	0	0	0	8	3	<b>13</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	235	10	<b>245</b>
Eastern Area	FIRES	1	0	0	0	1	1	<b>3</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2,239	0	<b>2,239</b>
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	5	1	<b>6</b>
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	3	18	<b>21</b>
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>387</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>237</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8,399</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>8,672</b>

<b>Ten Year Average Fires (2007 – 2016 as of today)</b>	<b>410</b>
<b>Ten Year Average Acres (2007 – 2016 as of today)</b>	<b>10,054</b>

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Last Week (by Ownership):**

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	1	0	5	6
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	2	2	6
	ACRES	0	68	0	0	7	6	81
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	8	9
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2	163	165
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	3	0	1	2	14	20
	ACRES	0	149	0	1	40	4,398	4,588
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	50	50
Southern Area	FIRES	1	0	5	1	1,879	6	1,892
	ACRES	88	0	695	500	24,885	5,549	31,717
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1,884</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1,932</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>88</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>695</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>24,934</b>	<b>10,178</b>	<b>36,614</b>

**Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):**

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	1	0	2	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	2	0	56	58
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	139	139
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	4	2	8
	ACRES	0	68	0	0	11	6	85
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	8	9
	ACRES	5	0	0	0	2	163	170
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	3	0	1	8	23	35
	ACRES	0	149	0	1	111	11,079	11,340
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	50	50
<b>TOTAL FIRES:</b>		<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2,145</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>2,215</b>
<b>TOTAL ACRES:</b>		<b>673</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>695</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>26,232</b>	<b>17,043</b>	<b>45,363</b>

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

Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>

**Predictive Services Discussion:** The wet and snowy pattern ends by Saturday for California and Nevada as the low pressure system responsible for the recent activity moves southeast into Northern Mexico and bringing needed moisture to the Southwest and Southern Plains for the weekend. Warm and dry conditions will continue across the Southeast through Monday while overall cold and dry conditions are expected across the Northern third of the nation. Remnants of the low pressure area will move northeast into the Great Lakes region and New England by Tuesday and Wednesday bringing another mixed bag of precipitation. More significant mountain snowfall is possible along the Coastal ranges from the Sierras in California up through the Cascades Wednesday and Thursday as another very moist system moves on shore from the Northwest. Snow levels should be low.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>



## LOOKOUTS (LCES)

*Operational Engagement Category*

Lookouts are often better situated to notice the cumulative changes of fire behavior.

- Fire Order #5 says “Post lookouts when there is possible danger.” Should you utilize lookouts at all times?
  - Lookouts should be posted at all times.
- What are you looking for when you are selecting a lookout location?
  - Choose a good vantage point, preferably with a good overview of the entire area where firefighters are located, including escape routes and safety zones.
  - Never rely exclusively on aircraft as your lookout.
- What are the desired qualities, capabilities, knowledge, and responsibilities of a lookout person?
  - Experienced firefighter.
  - Solid knowledge of fire behavior and ability to recognize and monitor other environmental hazards.
  - Knowledge of crew locations, escape and safety locations and trigger points.
  - Good communicator--keeps the crew advised of fire behavior changes, tracks weather trends and relays the information, informs crew of work progress and updates from the latest strategy and tactical briefings.
  - Monitors and accounts for all individuals within his/her assigned area at all times, and will notify others if breaks are needed.
- What is the necessary equipment for a lookout?
  - PPE, radio with extra batteries, compass, binoculars, belt weather kit, IAP, map, food, water and watch.

References:

[“LCES and Other Thoughts” by Paul Gleason](#)

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