

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
 FRIDAY, AUGUST 25, 1995 - 0530 MDT
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

*** THE TEN STANDARD FIRE ORDERS ARE FIRM ***
 *** WE DON'T BREAK THEM; WE DON'T BEND THEM ***

Current Situation: Moderate fire activity continued throughout the West. Fire activity increased in the Eastern Area necessitating the mobilization of a Type I Incident Management Team. Large fire activity continued in Canada, with 171,383 acres burned yesterday. Five additional Type I Crews are being mobilized to Canada today.

Eastern Area Large Fires:

ROCKY POINT COMPLEX, New York State. A Type I Incident Management Team (Dubois) is on order. The complex is burning on Long Island in heavy grass, brush and pine in an urban interface area. The most active fire at this time is the Riverhead fire at 5,000 acres, which is threatening rural subdivisions with 150 residences and 2 nursing homes evacuated. A fire engine was burned over on the Rocky Point fire Wednesday, one serious injury and three minor injuries were reported.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT NYS	ST NY	SIZE 10,500	% UNK	EST UNK	TOTAL 229	CRW 4	ENG 121	HELI 8	STRUC 7	EST UNK	EST UNK
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OUTLOOK: A ridge of high pressure aloft will extend from the Gulf of California northeastward to the central plains. A trough of low pressure aloft just west of Washington state is causing a dry westerly flow over the northern half of the West. Much drier air has moved into the Great Basin pushing the monsoon moisture to the east and south. Monsoon moisture with high relative humidity and wet thundershowers will continue over the central and southern Rocky Mountains. High temperatures will be in the 70's along the Pacific coast and in the 90's to 115 degrees in the desert Southwest and the central valley of California. The remainder of the West will be in the 80's and 90's. Northern Minnesota will be mostly cloudy with a chance of showers and thundershowers. High temperatures will be in the 70's, with southeast winds at 10-20 MPH. The northeastern U.S. will be sunny with highs in the 70's and low 80's. Winds will be northwest at 10-20 MPH. Fire activity is expected to remain moderate in the West with the potential for increasing activity in the Eastern Area.

FIRE: Yesterday

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA					1		1
NORTHWEST	6	1			2	8	17
CA-NORTHERN	3				19	6	28
CA-SOUTHERN					14	2	16
NORTHERN	1		1	1	2	2	7
GB-EASTERN		3			1	2	6
GB-WESTERN							0
SOUTHWEST		0	1	1		6	8
ROCKY MTN		4			1	4	9
EASTERN					48		48

SOUTHERN					26	2	28
USA	10	8	2	2	114	32	168
* No report.							

ACRES BURNED: Yesterday

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA					0		0
NORTHWEST	6				32	17	55
CA-NORTHERN	0				21	1	22
CA-SOUTHERN					297	495	792
NORTHERN	50		300	0	1	1	352
GB-EASTERN		67			1	1	69
GB-WESTERN							0
SOUTHWEST		89	88	0		0	177
ROCKY MTN		95			6	77	178
EASTERN					11,203		11,203
SOUTHERN					52	41	93
USA	56	251	388	0	410	633	12,761

* No report.

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources

RESOURCE	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICPTR		AIRTANKER		OVERHEAD	
	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST	10		4		2				10	
CA-NORTHERN	1		4							
CA-SOUTHERN	2		2		1					
NORTHERN			5							
GB-EASTERN	1		1		1					
GB-WESTERN	1						1			
SOUTHWEST	2		8		1				12	
ROCKY MTN	1		6		1				4	
EASTERN	*									
SOUTHERN										
USA	18	0	30	0	6	0	1	0	26	1

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

NON = NON FEDERAL RESOURCES

* No report.

FIRES: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	2	25	13	4	315	6	365
NORTHWEST	197	194	1	21	719	650	1,782
CA-NORTHERN	64	23		23	1,283	477	1,870
CA-SOUTHERN	8	191		17	2,013	390	2,619
NORTHERN	191	67	5	20	335	417	1,035
GB-EASTERN	27	408		10	292	616	1,353
GB-WESTERN		211			47	85	343
SOUTHWEST	1,637	271	15	146	1,285	1,732	5,086
ROCKY MTN	365	315		36	558	259	1,533
EASTERN	343			73	14,040	560	15,066
SOUTHERN	10		47	80	29,418	909	30,464
USA	2,844	1,705	81	430	50,305	6,101	61,466
5 YEAR AVERAGE							
							55,460

ACRES BURNED: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	90	18,947	3,709	1,595	19,046	1	43,388
NORTHWEST	537	32,166	2,000	5	3,233	1,795	39,736
CA-NORTHERN	49	454		73	4,844	2,833	8,215
CA-SOUTHERN	160	69,338		6,413	76,580	8,828	161,319
NORTHERN	4,799	1,527	523	9	901	1,154	8,913
GB-EASTERN	258	304,241		204	41,749	4,718	351,170
GB-WESTERN		37,912			3,037	11,861	52,810
SOUTHWEST	53,024	69,778	1,107	13,113	75,024	86,414	298,460
ROCKY MTN	4,740	7,287		168	699	8,162	21,056
EASTERN	5,322			1,118	173,731	18,185	198,356
SOUTHERN	11		15,977	11,893	311,203	32,365	371,449
USA	68,990	541,650	23,316	34,553	710,047	176,316	1,554,872
5 YEAR AVERAGE							2,325,599

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES

PROVINCES	YESTERDAY		YEAR TO DATE	
BRITISH COLUMBIA	4	0	1,201	48,793
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	145	259,747
ALBERTA	0	0	693	338,760
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	20,276	202	2,435,268
SASKATCHEWAN	0	0	619	1,561,818
MANITOBA	0	750	630	811,447
ONTARIO	9	26,852	1,809	595,666
QUEBEC	9	21,502	1,136	643,171
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	97	434
NEW BRUNSWICK	3	2	430	323
NOVA SCOTIA	1	0	358	393
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	4	20	31
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	54	8,874
TOTALS	27	69,386	7,394	6,704,725

A hectare is equivalent to 2.47 acres.

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