

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1997 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION: Increased initial attack activity was reported in the Southwest, Southern California, Southern and Eastern Areas. High to extreme fire indices are being experienced in the Southwest and Southern California Areas.

EASTERN GREAT BASIN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
COGSWELL	UTS	UT	4,385	100	---	369	7	4	2	1	20K	295K

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AREA LARGE FIRES:

HELLHOLE, California State, San Diego Ranger Unit. This fire is in the Anza-Borrego Desert State Park, between Hellhole Canyon and the San Ysidro Mountains. Personnel must be transported to the incident by helicopter due to limited access.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
HELLHOLE	MVU	CA	650	65	5/20	425	25	0	8	0	NR	NR

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
PIONEER	CNF	TN	200	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NR

OUTLOOK: California will be sunny and warm. The coastal areas will have morning fog and low clouds. Highs for most of the state will be in the 80's and 90's. Mountain and coastal temperatures will reach the 60's and 70's, with highs up to 108 in the southern deserts. The Great Basin and Southwest Areas will have warm temperatures, partly cloudy skies, and scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms. High temperatures will range from the 60's and 70's in the mountains to the 90's and 105 in the southern deserts. A stationary front will be across southern Florida, bringing mostly cloudy skies and a few afternoon showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the 80's.

FIRES: Yesterday							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST		1				3	4

CA-NORTH						1	1
CA-SOUTH		4			29	8	41
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST							0
GB-WEST		2					2
SOUTHWEST	5	3		1	1	31	41
ROCKY MTN	1	2			1		4
EASTERN	11				12		23
SOUTHERN					70	5	75
USA	17	12	0	1	113	48	191

ACRES BURNED: Yesterday							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST		0				34	34
CA-NORTH						0	0
CA-SOUTH		0			1,303	71	1,374
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST							0
GB-WEST		0					0
SOUTHWEST	1	6		4	0	6	17
ROCKY MTN	0	4			0		4
EASTERN	7				263		270
SOUTHERN					253	141	394
USA	8	10	0	4	1,819	252	2,093

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources										
AREA	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOP.		AIRTNK.		OVERHEAD	
	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST	1		9						8	
CA-NORTH	1		2							
CA-SOUTH	26	10	8	9	7	10		2	17	46
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST	7			4	2				186	17
GB-WEST			3						1	
SOUTHWEST	6		5		6					
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN										
USA	41	10	27	13	15	10	0	2	212	63

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

ST/O = STATE OR OTHER RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

FIRES: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA		3	3		116		122
NORTHWEST	8	12				33	53
CA-NORTH	61	12		6	449	133	661
CA-SOUTH		30	1	7	1,189	215	1,442
NORTHERN	84	2	2			2	90
GB-EAST	1	16		1	11	10	39
GB-WEST		58		3	19	27	107
SOUTHWEST	202	57	9	17	354	399	1,038

ROCKY MTN				1	1		2
EASTERN	451			15	5,110	263	5,839
SOUTHERN	4		47	32	15,222	475	15,780
USA	811	190	62	82	22,471	1,557	25,173

ACRES: Year to Date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA		10	14,140		402		14,552
NORTHWEST	22	51				53	126
CA-NORTH	247	14		23	544	884	1,712
CA-SOUTH		134	1	1	7,824	1,409	9,369
NORTHERN	445	220	12			245	922
GB-EAST	25	676		1	4,365	11	5,078
GB-WEST		5,258		1	126	619	6,004
SOUTHWEST	1,405	2,583	1,568	629	102,330	4,614	113,129
ROCKY MTN				1,300	600		1,900
EASTERN	3,032			72	25,436	4,728	33,268
SOUTHERN	12		2,997	560	196,195	12,268	212,032
USA	5,188	8,946	18,718	2,587	337,822	24,831	398,092

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES					
PROVINCES	YESTERDAY		YEAR TO DATE		
BRITISH COLUMBIA	0	0	162	504	
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	5	4	
ALBERTA	0	0	137	498	
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	0	0	
SASKATCHEWAN	3	1	58	1271	
MANITOBA	0	0	39	922	
ONTARIO	4	1	206	346	
QUEBEC	0	0	31	35	
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	2	4	
NEW BRUNSWICK	2	7	54	51	
NOVA SCOTIA	0	1	76	151	
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	4	15	
NATIONAL PARKS	0	0	5	9	
TOTALS	9	10	779	3810	

A hectare is equivalent to 2.47 acres.

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