

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1997 - 0900 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION: Increased fire activity was reported in the Southern Area.

One new large fire was reported in the Northwest Area. Several units in Montana and a couple units in California reported very high fire indices.

NORTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

2330, Burns District, BLM. This fire is burning in light fuels 10 miles north of Fields, OR. High winds pushed this fire through an area that has not received significant rainfall.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$	C-T-D
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS		
2330	BUD	OR	350	0	UNK	12	0	4	0	0	NR	NR	

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

Texas State Forest Service has an 8,000 acre fire in Throck Morton County and another 150 acre fire in Palo Pinto County. One structure was destroyed by the fire in Palo Pinto County. Containment is expected this morning. No other information was received.

Louisiana State has an 1,000 acre fire that is threatening National Forest lands about 60 miles north of Alexandria, LA. No other information was received.

The Obed Wild and Scenic River National Recreation Area, NPS reported a 125 fire, which was contained. No other information was reported.

OUTLOOK:

Southern Idaho and western Wyoming will be sunny, cooler and windy. Temperatures will be in the 50's and 60's in the mountains and 60's to mid 70's in the valleys. Nevada will be mostly sunny, breezy and a little warmer. Temperatures will range from the 60's and 70's in the north and 80's and 90's in the south.

California will be sunny and dry, except for a few clouds along the coast. It will be breezy in the northern mountains. Temperatures will be in the 60's to near 80 in the mountains, 70's to mid 80's in the coastal valleys, and 80's to 102 in the inland valleys and deserts.

The Southern Plains, western Gulf States, Texas and Louisiana will be mostly sunny, warm and dry. Southern Texas will be partly cloudy with a

chance of showers.

FIRES: Yesterday							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST		1				2	3
CA-NORTH					2		2
CA-SOUTH					16	2	18
NORTHERN							0
GB-EAST		1				3	5
GB-WEST		6				1	7
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN						2	2
EASTERN							0
SOUTHERN				1	6	3	10
USA	0	8	0	1	25	13	47

ACRES BURNED: Yesterday							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST		350				0	350
CA-NORTH					0		0
CA-SOUTH					9	0	9
NORTHERN							0
GB-EAST		60				41	101
GB-WEST		5				0	5
SOUTHWEST							NR
ROCKY MTN						0	0
EASTERN							0
SOUTHERN				125	9,150	4	9,279
USA	0	415	0	125	9,159	45	9,744

AREA	RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources								
	CREWS	ENGINES	HELICOP.	AIRTNK.	OVERHEAD				
FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O
ALASKA									
NORTHWEST		6							
CA-NORTH	2		2						3
CA-SOUTH	1	3							
NORTHERN		5							
GB-EAST	2		1						
GB-WEST									
SOUTHWEST									
ROCKY MTN									
EASTERN									
SOUTHERN	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
USA	3	5	19	3	0	0	0	0	3

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	6	86	52	14	530	11	699
NORTHWEST	195	326	20	93	1,181	1,041	2,856
CA-NORTH	81	63	2	19	2,496	821	3,482
CA-SOUTH	45	382	3	50	3,543	838	4,861
NORTHERN	514	31	28	27	351	601	1,552
GB-EAST	26	492		13	290	557	1,378
GB-WEST		385		17	71	184	657
SOUTHWEST	794	172	18	83	822	1,645	3,534
ROCKY MTN	574	398	17	41	1,666	368	3,064
EASTERN	550			34	9,957	420	10,961
SOUTHERN	4		101	64	22,834	679	23,682
USA	2,789	2,335	241	455	43,741	7,165	56,726

ACRES BURNED: Year to date

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	28	833,991	761,110	19,670	295,526	32	1,910,357
NORTHWEST	976	20,703	6,573	375	5,755	5,277	39,659
CA-NORTH	107	671	230	2,440	13,899	1,425	18,772
CA-SOUTH	576	15,839	2,419	54	36,811	94,880	150,579
NORTHERN	5,353	570	2,097	6	2,493	747	11,266
GB-EAST	24	51,520		42	10,025	4,301	65,912
GB-WEST		37,202		2	418	4,771	42,393
SOUTHWEST	4,444	4,589	1,778	1,918	123,596	13,970	150,295
ROCKY MTN	5,081	8,264	443	1,394	31,591	1,952	48,725
EASTERN	3,191			120	47,307	5,253	55,871
SOUTHERN	12		11,443	3,525	263,870	17,352	296,202
USA	19,792	973,349	786,093	29,546	831,291	149,960	2,790,031

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES

PROVINCES	YESTERDAY	YEAR TO DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	NR	1,075
YUKON TERRITORY	NR	2,446
ALBERTA	NR	107
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	NR	10,127
SASKATCHEWAN	NR	405
MANITOBA	NR	818
ONTARIO	NR	476
QUEBEC	NR	46,113
NEWFOUNDLAND	NR	362
NEW BRUNSWICK	NR	3,867
NOVA SCOTIA	NR	810
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	NR	109
NATIONAL PARKS	NR	29,602
TOTALS	0	364,934
	0	109
	0	9,473
	0	306
	0	131
	0	324
	0	522
	0	32
	0	93
	0	51
	0	298
	0	502,223

A hectare is equivalent to 2.47 acres.

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