

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1998 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Moderate initial attack fire activity was reported in most Areas. The National Interagency Coordination Center processed orders for engines, crews, aircraft and miscellaneous overhead. Infrared support to Canada continues. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Minnesota, Michigan, South Dakota, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah, Idaho, Washington, Oregon and California.

NORTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

NORTH 25, Wenatchee NF. A Type II Incident Management Team (Furlong) is assigned. This fire is located 27 miles northwest of Chelan. Inaccessible terrain is delaying control efforts.

CLAYTON COMPLEX, Umpqua NF. This complex is eight miles northeast of Tiller. A Type II Incident Management Team (Welch) is assigned. All fires are lined, being secured and in various stages of mop-up. Fires on private land are being managed by Douglas County Forest Protection Association.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
NORTH 25	EF	WA	6,700	80	UNK	540	15	13	6	0	UNK	4.2M
CLAYTON COMPLEX	PF	OR	242	65	UNK	600	23	19	2	UNK	UNK	327K
ROWENA	HF	OR	2,290	100	----	358	8	5	2	UNK	UNK	UNK

EASTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

GOOSE CREEK, Sawtooth NF. This fire is located 26 miles south of Burley. Inaccessible terrain and heavy fuels are hampering control efforts. Current threats are to grazing allotments.

BAD, Boise District, BLM. This fire is burning in grass and sagebrush 28 miles west of Twin Falls. This fire started in a remote location making initial attack difficult. Airtankers dropped 35,000 gallons of retardant on the fire yesterday.

GOAT, South-Central Idaho District, BLM. This fire is located 8 miles east of Glenn's Ferry. Air resources were effective in suppression efforts yesterday.

GARN, Utah State. This fire is located 35 miles west of Logan. A crew was assigned yesterday. No other information was reported.

MAIN SALMON COMPLEX, Salmon-Challis NF. This complex is located 40 miles west northwest of Salmon. An Interagency Fire Use Management Team (O'Brien)

is assigned. The complex consists of multiple fires burning in the Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness on the Salmon-Challis, Payette, Nez Perce and Bitterroot National Forests. Three new fires have been added to the complex, one on the Payette NF and two on the Bitterroot NF. Mapping of the Rainer fire has been difficult due to low level smoke. The Arctic fire was also flown yesterday and continues to slowly grow. Minimal activity was observed on the other fires.

JACKASS, Salmon-Challis NF. This fire is 30 miles southwest of Salmon. Fire activity continues to be moderate.

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GOOSE CREEK	TF	ID	250	10	UNK	46	0	3	2	0	UNK	UNK
BAD	OD	ID	1,500	45	8/13	50	0	10	0	0	UNK	UNK
GOAT	ID	ID	490	80	8/13	57	1	8	1	0	7K	110K
GARN	TS	UT	1,500	65	8/12	19	0	4	0	0	25K	9K
MAIN SALMON COM	CF	ID	1,506	0	10/15	16	0	0	1	0	UNK	41K
JACKASS	CF	ID	450	0	10/15	24	1	0	0	0	UNK	UNK

WESTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

DAMPER, Ely District, BLM. This fire is about 30 miles southwest of Caliente. A burnout operation on the east flank was successful, while helicopter support helped crews make significant hot line progress. The current threat is to a Wilderness Study Area to the east.

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DAMPER	LD	NV	700	50	8/13	146	6	3	1	0	NR	NR

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
SANDY THORN BER	XS	TX	500	100	----	22	0	10	0	0	NR	NR
CANEY CREEK	XS	TX	150	100	----	17	0	3	0	0	NR	NR

OUTLOOK:

A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN SOUTHEAST OREGON FOR DRY THUNDERSTORMS. In the western U.S. a few dry thunderstorms are possible in northwest Nevada and southeast Oregon. Look for a little rain with thunderstorms over central California. Scattered wet thunderstorms will develop in Arizona and western New Mexico. High temperatures will range from the upper 70's to near 90 in the mountains and from 90 to 115 in the valleys and deserts.

Arkansas and Oklahoma will see partly cloudy skies with scattered showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will range from the 80's to mid 90's.

Texas will be partly cloudy and hot with a chance of thunderstorms. High temperatures will range from 90 to 106.

NR = NOT REPORTED UNK = UNKNOWN

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					0		0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	12				8	6	26
	ACRES	10				7	6	23
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1				18	2	21
	ACRES	1				126	0	127
CA-SOUTH	FIRES		3		2	19	27	51
	ACRES		0		0	10	12	22
NORTHERN	FIRES	8	1			2	21	32
	ACRES	14	1			0	53	68
GB-EAST	FIRES		11			3	15	29
	ACRES		1,597			1	13	1,611
GB-WEST	FIRES		2		1	8	1	12
	ACRES		700		0	0	0	700
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	2	1		3		11	17
	ACRES	0	16		0		2	18
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	3			2	5	11
	ACRES	0	2			15	27	44
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES					25	1	26
	ACRES					344	5	349
TOTAL	FIRES	24	21	0	6	86	89	226
	ACRES	25	2,316	0	0	503	118	2,962

* = NO REPORT

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	3	26	7	3	313	5	357
	ACRES	1	56,645	51	21	63,969	1	120,688
NORTHWEST	FIRES	231	188	7	8	894	990	2,318
	ACRES	14,446	61,062	4,504	8	3,201	8,222	91,443
CA-NORTH	FIRES	88	18	2	11	1,010	298	1,427
	ACRES	97	129	9,701	5	6,736	119	16,787
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	40	113	2	14	1,413	331	1,913

	ACRES	716	2,594	162	2	16,598	1,428	21,500
NORTHERN	FIRES	632	31	31	3	301	525	1,523
	ACRES	5,234	1,538	7,505	15	4,603	2,576	21,471
GB-EAST	FIRES	35	385		11	184	400	1,015
	ACRES	260	99,726		27	16,842	2,043	118,898
GB-WEST	FIRES		289	1	15	54	98	457
	ACRES		30,435	0	3	135	135	30,708
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1,518	109	14	73	846	1,057	3,617
	ACRES	10,681	5,360	2,933	7,163	95,139	12,195	133,471
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	336	228	23	28	624	271	1,510
	ACRES	1,896	2,484	126	824	8,019	2,721	16,070
EASTERN	FIRES	501			48	10,156	423	11,128
	ACRES	9,816			337	75,522	5,899	91,574
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		72	50	26,906	882	27,918
	ACRES	35		27,380	8,083	996,351	79,971	1,111,820
TOTALS	FIRES	3,392	1,387	159	264	42,701	5,280	53,183
	ACRES	43,182	259,973	52,362	16,488	287,115	115,310	1,774,430
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								55,058
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								2,283,584

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES						9	9
	ACRES						690	690
SOUTHERN	FIRES					2		2
	ACRES					2,532		2,532
TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	9	11
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	2,532	690	3,222

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-NORTH	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				3			3
	ACRES				0			0
NORTHERN	FIRES						1	1
	ACRES						2420	2,420
GB-EAST	FIRES				0		3	3
	ACRES				5		61	66
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	3	0	4	7
	ACRES	0	0	0	5	0	2,481	2,486

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-to-date	Hectares Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	13	1,596	1,721	56,143
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	172	292,113
ALBERTA	22	15,263	1,388	453,908
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	1	20,194	377	1,292,861
SASKATCHEWAN	9	14,915	1,093	671,581
MANITOBA	7	622	404	249,387
ONTARIO	13	7	1,734	155,483
QUEBEC	2	262	663	347,898
NEWFOUNDLAND	2	0	190	34,497
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	245	280
NOVA SCOTIA	1	1	307	328
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	16	66
NATIONAL PARKS	5	672	84	25,544
TOTALS	75	53,532	8,394	3,580,089

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES:

Area	Crews	Crews	Engs	Engs	Heli	Heli	Airt	Airt	Ovrhd	Ovrhd
	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT	Fed	ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST	36	19	33	14	7	8			320	28
CA-NORTH		8	2	3	1					2
CA-SOUTH			2		5					
NORTHERN	6		7		7		1		14	1
GB-EAST	5	1	46	3	10		5	1	61	
GB-WEST	2	4	4		1				4	
SOUTHWEST			5		1					
ROCKY MTN			9		2					
EASTERN									1	3
SOUTHERN	1	3	15	154	4	28		6		
TOTAL	50	35	123	174	38	36	6	7	400	34

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