

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT

WEDNESDAY, JULY 29, 1998 - 0530 MDT

NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Heavy initial attack fire activity continued in the Northwest and Southern Areas. The Northern Rockies and California experienced increased initial attack activity while the rest of the nation reported moderate activity. The National Interagency Coordination Center processed orders for a caterer, shower, airtankers, helicopters, equipment, engines, crews, overhead and smokejumpers. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported in Georgia, Texas, Oklahoma, Michigan, Arizona, Nevada, Utah, Idaho, California and Washington.

NORTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

OMAK LAKE COMPLEX, Coville Agency BIA. A Type II Incident Management Team (Solarz) is assigned. The fires in this complex are threatening structures, watershed and timber near Electric City. Several small fires and a few large fires make up this complex. Rural structures are interspersed within the perimeter.

HOLLYWOOD, Burns District, BLM. This wind driven fire is threatening major power transition lines, a wildhorse management area and some structures. Burn-out operations were in progress last night.

CLEVELAND, Washington State. This fire is located twenty miles northeast of Goldendale in Klickitat County. Very aggressive line construction and burn-out operations are being implemented. Water for the fire is in short supply. Structures have been destroyed, however number and type are unknown at this time.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ CTD
OMAK LAKE COMPLEX	COA	WA	4,000	UNK	UNK	98	3	8	2	0	UNK	123K
HOLLYWOOD	BUD	OR	300	0	UNK	31	0	8	1	0	UNK	UNK
CLEVELAND	WAS	WA	2,100	20	UNK	217	6	22	2	UNK	UNK	UNK

EASTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRE:

SAM, Cedar City District BLM. This fire is burning in pinyon-juniper, sagebrush, black brush, bitter brush and grass fifteen miles west of St. George. The fire started from a lighting storm late Monday afternoon and was pushed by strong gusty winds. Concern last night was for a radio tower complex. The fire made significant runs Monday night and yesterday morning. Crews are securing the line on the west flank.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ CTD
SAM	CCD	UT	250	75	7/28	87	2	4	1	0	UNK	UNK

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

SRB#1, Merritt Island NWR - Brevard County. This fire is burning near the Solid Rocket Booster facility at the Kennedy Space Center. A change in wind direction could endanger the facility and the smoke could pose a threat to visibility on the Parkway. Double dozer lines are being constructed.

INCIDENT NAME	UNIT	ST	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOST	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ CTD
SRB#1	MIR	FL	300	40	7/29	14	0	3	1	0	NR	NR
WALNUT	TXS	TX	100	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	2	NR	NR	NR
SUGARLOAF	TXS	TX	300	NR	NR	NR	1	5	NR	NR	NR	NR
HACKBERRY	TXS	TX	100	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
GREENVILLE	TXS	TX	260	100	----	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR	NR
SHADY GROVE	TXS	TX	250	100	----	40	0	16	0	1	NR	NR
LIVE OAK	TXS	TX	150	100	----	47	0	12	4	1	50K	NR
SIXMILE CREEK	TXS	TX	200	100	----	50	0	5	2	0	NR	NR

OUTLOOK:

The Western U.S. will be partly cloudy and hot. There will be scattered wet thunderstorms in the central and southern Rocky Mountains and interior Southwest. The Great Basin, Northwest and Northern Rockies will have isolated thunderstorm activity. High temperatures will be 75 to 85 west of the Cascades, 80's to 95 in the mountains and from 95 to 115 in the valleys and deserts.

Texas will be mostly sunny and hot with a slight chance of thunderstorms in the extreme south. High temperatures will be in the 90's to 110.

Oklahoma and Arkansas will be partly cloudy, hot and humid with scattered thunderstorms. High temperatures will range from the upper 80's to 110.

Michigan will be mostly sunny and hot. High temperatures will be in the 70's to 80's.

NR = NOT REPORTED UNK = UNKNOWN

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	2	1			6	43	52
	ACRES	3	150			1,249	110	1,512
CA-NORTH	FIRES					30	8	38
	ACRES					96	1	97
CA-SOUTH	FIRES					22	9	31
	ACRES					20	11	31
NORTHERN	FIRES	4				12	20	36
	ACRES	3				0	11	14
GB-EAST	FIRES		5			2	4	11
	ACRES		200			1	1	202
GB-WEST	FIRES		4					4
	ACRES		45					45
SOUTHWEST	FIRES					2	7	9
	ACRES					2	6	8
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	1				2	4

	ACRES	0	0				0	0
EASTERN	FIRES					3	2	5
	ACRES					1	41	42
SOUTHERN	FIRES					268	1	269
	ACRES					2,836	5	2,841
TOTAL	FIRES	7	11	0	0	345	96	459
	ACRES	6	395	0	0	4,205	186	4,792

* = NO REPORT

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	2	26	5	4	303	3	343
	ACRES	1	63,063	47	22	63,920	1	127,054
NORTHWEST	FIRES	120	73	2	6	479	401	1,081
	ACRES	11,418	16,229	4,500	0	2,040	777	34,964
CA-NORTH	FIRES	63	16		11	740	220	1,050
	ACRES	82	129		5	1,104	102	1,422
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	36	102	2	9	1,124	255	1,528
	ACRES	714	2,020	162	3	13,564	1,300	17,763
NORTHERN	FIRES	563	25	28		219	236	1,071
	ACRES	4,847	1,844	7,123		4,910	2,067	20,791
GB-EAST	FIRES	29	255		9	134	195	622
	ACRES	319	53,951		19	15,125	944	70,358

GB-WEST	FIRES		197		14	38	90	339
	ACRES		33,954		2	118	17	34,091
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1,468	91	17	64	828	924	3,392
	ACRES	7,209	5,186	2,709	6,008	94,355	10,946	126,413
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	310	215	23	21	400	245	1,214
	ACRES	1,657	2,778	126	709	3,308	2,903	11,481
EASTERN	FIRES	499			12	8,903	386	9,800
	ACRES	9,814			174	70,106	5,812	85,906
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		67	49	26,954	855	27,933
	ACRES	35		25,545	8,043	954,765	78,770	1,067,158
TOTALS	FIRES	3,098	1,000	144	199	40,122	3,810	48,373
	ACRES	36,096	179,154	40,212	14,985	1,223,315	103,639	1,597,401
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								49,727
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								1,779,758

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						1	1

	ACRES						15	15
NORTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
GB-EAST	FIRES		1					1
	ACRES		160					160
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
TOTAL	FIRES	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
	ACRES	0	160	0	0	0	15	175

**WILDLAND FIRE USE FOR RESOURCE BENEFIT (WFURB) 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				1			1
	ACRES				0			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							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
USA TOTALS	FIRES	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

PROVINCES	FIRES YESTERDAY	HECTARES YESTERDAY	FIRES YEAR-TO-DATE	HECTARES YEAR-TO-DATE
BRITISH COLUMBIA	19	49	900	16,715
YUKON TERRITORY	0	80	149	191,758
ALBERTA	4	5	976	380,415
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	91,310	317	582,688
SASKATCHEWAN	2	5,001	955	351,021
MANITOBA	2	25	342	90,611
ONTARIO	9	0	1,585	142,370
QUEBEC	2	5,425	605	225,344
NEWFOUNDLAND			172	34,485
NEW BRUNSWICK	4	0	193	277
NOVA SCOTIA			261	302
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND			16	66
NATIONAL PARKS			63	24,400
TOTALS	42	101,895	6,534	2,040,452

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES:

AREA	CREWS FED	CREWS ST/OT	ENGS FED	ENGS ST/OT	HELI FED	HELI ST/OT	AIRT FED	AIRT ST/OT	OVRHD FED	OVRHD ST/OT
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST	13	6	59	22	9	2			10	44
CA-NORTH	4	4	7	2	8					1

CA-SOUTH	5				5					
NORTHERN	1		4		1					
GB-EAST	17		11	1	9		2		8	
GB-WEST	1		10							
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN			8		1	1				
EASTERN			4						14	2
SOUTHERN	12	2	52	145	18	26	6	4	165	59
TOTAL	53	12	155	170	51	29	8	4	197	106

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