

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1998 - 0900 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Initial attack activity continued in the Northern Rockies, Northwest and California. Minimal fire activity was reported elsewhere. The National Interagency Coordination Center processed orders for a radio kit and miscellaneous overhead. Very high to extreme fire indices were reported in California, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, Washington and Oregon.

EASTERN GREAT BASIN LARGE FIRES:

WEST MOUNTAIN 2, Uinta NF. The fire is located five miles west of Payson, Utah. Strong winds, high temperatures and steep terrain caused control problems.

INCIDENT NAME	ST	UNIT	SIZE	% CTN	EST CTN	TOTAL PERS	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC LOSS	EST LOSS	\$\$\$ C-T-D
WEST MOUNTAIN 2	UT	UIF	1,000	50	9/20	170	6	8	1	0	UNK	UNK

OUTLOOK:

Breezy west to north winds are forecast across the Northern Rockies, Great Basin, California and Arizona. Northern Nevada and Utah will have scattered showers and isolated thunderstorms. Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Wyoming and Montana will have a possible dusting of snow on the higher mountains. Cool temperatures are expected with high temperatures in the 50's to 60's in the mountains, 60's and 70's in the Great Basin, 80's in the California valleys and lower Great Basin and 90's to 104 in the deserts.

West Texas and the Oklahoma panhandle will be partly cloudy. High temperatures will be in the low to mid 90's.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES						0
	ACRES						0
NORTHWEST	FIRES				4	6	10
	ACRES				6	0	6
CA-NORTH	FIRES				13	2	15
	ACRES				111	0	111
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	1			15	2	18
	ACRES	0			6	1	7
NORTHERN	FIRES	1			17	25	43
	ACRES	50			9	2	61
GB-EAST	FIRES					2	2

GB-WEST	ACRES						2	2
	FIRES						1	1
SOUTHWEST	ACRES						0	0
	FIRES					2		2
ROCKY MTN	ACRES					2		2
	FIRES				1	0		1
EASTERN	ACRES				0	70		70
	FIRES							0
SOUTHERN	ACRES							0
	FIRES					2	1	3
TOTAL	ACRES					83	1	84
	FIRES	0	2	0	1	53	39	95
	ACRES	0	50	0	0	287	6	343

* = NO REPORT

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES	3	26	8	3	343	5	388
	ACRES	1	56,752	51	21	63,989	1	120,815
NORTHWEST	FIRES	253	266	8	22	1,592	1,626	3,767
	ACRES	23,894	77,408	358	14	22,764	13,121	137,559
CA-NORTH	FIRES	131	34	4	13	1,749	574	2,505
	ACRES	126	1,110	9,902	7	16,274	4,023	31,442
CA-SOUTH	FIRES	121	144	6	74	3,537	1,033	4,915
	ACRES	997	4,772	9,866	31	50,600	7,446	73,712
NORTHERN	FIRES	773	61	39	25	582	1,357	2,837
	ACRES	11,431	8,955	7,623	9,947	14,303	46,206	98,465
GB-EAST	FIRES	42	550		20	285	676	1,573
	ACRES	264	132,712		413	18,376	20,927	172,692
GB-WEST	FIRES		416	1	18	78	173	686
	ACRES		78,267	0	3	3,340	822	82,432
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	1,587	125	14	78	888	1,256	3,948
	ACRES	11,304	5,374	2,933	6,064	95,275	13,819	134,769
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	395	340	32	28	690	348	1,833
	ACRES	4,986	6,381	548	4	8,361	2,887	23,167
EASTERN	FIRES	503			61	10,910	499	11,973
	ACRES	9,822			341	76,881	6,153	93,197
SOUTHERN	FIRES	8		80	50	30,943	994	32,075
	ACRES	35		27,386	8,083	087,485	81,398	1,204,387
TOTALS	FIRES	3,816	1,962	192	392	51,597	8,541	66,500
	ACRES	62,860	371,731	58,667	24,928	457,648	196,803	2,172,637
TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES								63,178
TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES								2,989,759

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
NORTHWEST	FIRES	1						1

	ACRES	5						5
CA-NORTH	FIRES	1					1	2
	ACRES	200					7	207
CA-SOUTH	FIRES						0	0
	ACRES						20	20
NORTHERN	FIRES	3						3
	ACRES	13						13
GB-EAST	FIRES		1				1	2
	ACRES		500				400	900
GB-WEST	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES						2	2
	ACRES						200	200
ROCKY MTN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
EASTERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES				57			57
	ACRES				7,031			7,031
TOTAL	FIRES	5	1	0	57	0	4	67
	ACRES	218	500	0	7,031	0	627	8,376

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							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							0
	ACRES							0
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
USA TOTAL	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES			3		4	4	11
	ACRES			1,143		52,231	225	53,599
NORTHWEST	FIRES	56	20	4		1	278	359
	ACRES	11,757	4,041	3,650		17	33,800	53,265
CA-NORTH	FIRES	4	1	7	10		177	199
	ACRES	34	200	5,152	1,310		21,298	27,994
CA-SOUTH	FIRES			5	13		198	216
	ACRES			585	479		8,467	9,531
NORTHERN	FIRES	51	18	81	2	24	296	472
	ACRES	6,763	6,217	10,475	46	2,322	51,542	77,365
GB-EAST	FIRES		30	4	9	4	68	115
	ACRES		13,481	461	1,351	350	49,640	65,283
GB-WEST	FIRES		3		1			4
	ACRES		1,887		80			1,967
SOUTHWEST	FIRES	16	47	6	20		100	189
	ACRES	8,335	46,945	15,485	8,932		67,303	147,000
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	2	62	89	5		110	268
	ACRES	10	18,720	7,973	146		19,246	46,095
EASTERN	FIRES	25			13		245	283
	ACRES	681			51		26,684	27,416
SOUTHERN	FIRES			18	77	172	1,500	1,767
	ACRES			4,692	31,830	18,391	722,000	776,913
USA TOTAL	FIRES	154	181	217	150	205	2,976	3,883
	ACRES	27,580	91,491	49,616	44,225	73,311	000,205	1,286,428

WFU FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

AREA		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	FIRES					1		1
	ACRES					1,200		1,200
NORTHWEST	FIRES	0						0
	ACRES	4						4
CA-NORTH	FIRES				2			2
	ACRES				15			15
CA-SOUTH	FIRES				28		4	32
	ACRES				20		1,879	1,899
NORTHERN	FIRES				17		67	84
	ACRES				8,218		25,789	34,007
GB-EAST	FIRES				6		34	40
	ACRES				52		16,245	16,297
GB-WEST	FIRES				3			3
	ACRES				0			0
SOUTHWEST	FIRES				5		120	125
	ACRES				3,457		3,005	6,462
ROCKY MTN	FIRES	1	3		7		10	21
	ACRES	0	130		541		664	1,335
EASTERN	FIRES						6	6
	ACRES						21	21
SOUTHERN	FIRES							0
	ACRES							0
USA TOTAL	FIRES	1	3	0	68	1	241	314
	ACRES	4	130	0	12,303	1,200	47,603	61,240

Fires and acres reported to the National Interagency Coordination Center are for operational uses. Official totals may be obtained by contacting the Agencies directly.

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

Provinces	Fires Last Week	Hectares Last Week	Fires Year-to-date	Hectares Year-to-date
BRITISH COLUMBIA	66	1,524	2,291	78,969
YUKON TERRITORY	0	0	191	385,391
ALBERTA	7	69,744	1,587	756,763
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	26,402	398	1,424,379
SASKATCHEWAN	10	102	1,236	929,601
MANITOBA	21	55	496	314,629
ONTARIO	64	276	2,181	157,903
QUEBEC	12	0	794	358,758
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	192	34,504
NEW BRUNSWICK	0	0	277	285
NOVA SCOTIA	0	45	329	373
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	16	66
NATIONAL PARKS	7	21,993	104	34,040
TOTALS	187	120,141	10,092	4,475,661

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					1					
CA-NORTH	2	4	2	4	2	2				2
CA-SOUTH			2		1					
NORTHERN	6		9		7				11	
GB-EAST	6	4	14	7	2		3		14	1
GB-WEST			1							
SOUTHWEST										
ROCKY MTN	1									
EASTERN										5
SOUTHERN	2	1	10	59	6		2			
TOTAL	17	9	38	70	19	2	5	0	25	8

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